

PEMBRIDGE

Oct/Nov 2024

NEWSLETTER

Keeping you in touch with your community

WELCOME

Pembridge has a lively events calendar which can be found on village notice boards, the Portrait of Pembridge website and village Facebook pages.
Look up events in the Parish Hall on its Facebook page or website.

PLEASE report potholes and concerns
https://www.herefordshire.gov.uk/reportingapp/
Report a serious pothole, flooded road, highway obstruction or Flytipping to Balfour Beatty : **01432 261800**

Footpaths issues –
Cllr Hancock or the Clerk
PROW - PROW@herefordshire.gov.uk
PROW No – 01432 383 550

Parish Council Meetings

Pembridge Hall at 7.30pm

16th October

20th November

All welcome

For Pride in Pembridge contact Karen Goodwin **07880 942219**	**For Film Nights Please contact The New Inn** **01544388427**	**For Parish Hall Bookings contact 0800 061 4313 or booking@pembridge parishhall.co.uk**

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Parish Councillor News

Pembridge Parish Council welcomes new councillors Richard Jenkins and John Mallet who are both looking forward to serving the parish.
Good News—This year the Parish Council has managed to secure grant funding for some of our Lengthsman works, funding for footpaths and we are now seeking further funding towards ditching works in the parish.
In October, the Parish Council starts it budget process, please contact the clerk if you have any suggestions to consider.

Parish Hall— For bookings visit the website or call 0800 061 4313

The Parish Hall has a range of events on their calendar. Keep an eye on social media and the website for more events including National theatre live showings.—www.pembridgeparishhall.co.uk.

Coffee Mornings

Pop along to the monthly Saturday Coffee mornings in the Parish Hall .
Saturday 19th October & Saturday 16th November from 10.30.

Pembridge Royal British Legion

This year's appeal will be launched at the Pembridge Parish Hall Coffee Morning on Saturday 19th October. Pembridge & Shobdon Royal British Legion will host the event from 10.30-12 noon.
You can learn about the work of the RBL in supporting veterans and their families and contribute to its work by making a donation.
Saturday 26th October the RBL will be at the Pembridge Tabletop Sale (9am to 12 noon) with a book stall to raise funds for the appeal. Donations of books are welcome and can be brought to the Parish Hall on the day, or contact Kay on ingramkay3@gmail.com or 07342 625796.
From mid-October to 11th November many of our local businesses and Broxwood Court will be hosting collection boxes and members of the RBL will be collecting door to door. Last year we raised over £9,000. Thank you for your generous support.

Film Nights

A new season of Films in the New Inn has been published please visit the website for full details https://sites.google.com/view/pembridgefilmnights.

Portrait of Pembridge

Visit the Portrait of Pembridge website/Facebook page for all the news on up and coming local events. www.portraitofpembridge.co.uk

WARD COUNCILLOR NEWS

Herefordshire Council report—Cllr Roger Phillips Philips

email: rjphillips@herefordshire.gov.uk

During the summer we saw extensive investment in our roads as a result of the decision made in the Council`s budget set in March. Locally parts of the A44 together with surface dressing from Bearwood to Gorsty turn. I am aware of several highways and estate roads that need attention and will continue to submit them for 2025 programme.

The new Government announced new housing targets for England and expects Herefordshire to increase its house building by 80% from a projected 773 per year over the next 20 years to 1,375. Herefordshire currently has 82,800 homes (of which 27,00 are in Hereford City) and will have to build an extra 27,500 over the next 20 years to meet the Government`s new target. Given our aging population the problem we will have is building more homes suitable for elderly and enough houses affordable for those working given the restraints on our housing market. The initial impact this announcement has is on our emerging Core Strategy which was due to be advanced next year will be an impact on the timetable and it require more consultation on where the home are distributed and what these extra homes should be.

Last month saw the start of the new waste collection contract which was re-awarded to the existing contractors. As ever the contact continues to be successful with little complaints .There will be a roll out of some new collection vehicles including two electric ones for the City.

While the overwhelming majority of residents and businesses in the parish have access to full fibre connection as a result of the Fastershire project, there are still many properties that are not connected. Pembridge parish forms part of the larger North Herefordshire Project Gigabit procurement lot, and the council understands that the Government intends to launch the procurement of that contract shortly which will help tighten the loopholes in access we have. I will keep you informed.

PARISH WEBSITE

For news and event alerts please sign up to the parish website

www.pembridgeparishcouncil.gov.uk

USEFUL INFO

The New Inn 01544 388427
(11.00am-3.00pm & 6.00pm to 11.00pm closed Tues)

The Red Lion 01544 388007
(Monday – Sunday from 12.00pm – 12.00am)

The Kings House 01544 388029
(Wed to Sat 11- 4pm & Sunday lunch 12pm)

The Cider Barn 01544 388161
(www.the-cider-barn.co.uk)

Pembridge Pizza 07812 127156
Open Fridays & Saturdays 5-8pm

The Old Steppes 01544 388506
(Mon– Sat 8am – 6pm & Sun 8am-1pm))

Old Chapel Gallery 01544 388842
(Wed-Sat 11am-4.30pm or by appointment)

Tricia Hair Salon 01544 388665
(Tues, wed, Fri 9am-5pm – Thurs 9am –6pm)

Bloom & Grind 07581 751473
(Wed to Sun 9am-4.30pm)

Teddy's Eatery 01544 388527
(Fri to Sun 8.30-8.00pm)

COUNCILLORS

Garfield Evans (Chair)	01544 388638
Kevin Duggan	01544 340092
Michael Hancock	01544 340799
Sam Mizrahi	01544 388506
Steve Jones	079897 15075
David Owens	01544 388422
Wendy Powell	01544 340341
Mark Clegg	07435 857241
Marguerite Fothergill	01544 388279
Sapphire Zagni	07360 205777
Vacancy	
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Roger Phillips	01544 340269

(Also our County Councillor)

Becky Bissell (Clerk) 01544 340747
Email:clerk@pembridgeparishcouncil.gov.uk

MOBILE POST OFFICE IN THE CAR PARK -
Mondays 11.50am -12.50pm & Wednesday 1-2pm

If you would like to contribute news or an event to the next issue please email clerk@pembridgeparishcouncil.gov.uk with details before 15th November 2024.