

PEMBRIDGE

Aug/Sep 2026

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

No August meeting planned

Thur 17th Sept

Wed 9th Oct

All welcome

For Pride in Pembridge contact Jan Williams
07485 703096

For Film Nights Please contact The New Inn
01544388427

For Parish Hall Bookings contact 0800 061 4313 or booking@pembridgeparishhall.co.uk

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

New Parish Lengthsman

The Parish Council has instructed two new Lengthsman to undertake parish work over the coming year. They are Matt Heely and Glen White. If you see them working in the parish please note they are working for the Parish Council so any help and support would be appreciated.

Village Green

Now summer is here, the Village Green Beach area is experiencing high volumes of visitors. This amenity area is open to all, please respect the area and take litter home. Please note that BBQs are not permitted and vehicles should not be parked on the grass area.

Playground

Good News! Soon new play panels will be installed in the playground funded by the Kingspan planet passionate grant. Also Pembridge Parish Council has instructed a local company to undertake installation of a new fence and there will be necessary repairs to the existing equipment too!

Parish Community Speed Watch

A shiny new Speed Indicator Device has been installed in Pembridge. Hopefully this will help the speeding traffic in West Street. If you are interested in joining the Community Speed Watch please contact Safi who is collating volunteers: **email: safizag@icloud.com**

Bleed kit Donation

A bleed kit has been donated to the parish by Herefordshire Freemasons and Arrive Alive Charity. It is located in the defibrillator cabinet in the car park for use if required.

Dog poop—Please pick it up and bin it!

Everyone enjoys to walk their dogs around the parish, but please ensure you pick up your dog's poop, even along lanes and footpaths then dispose of it safely in bins provided. Or take it home if there is no bin!

Coffee Mornings

Pop along to the monthly Saturday Coffee mornings in the Parish Hall . There will be the usual lovely home-made cakes, coffee, tea chat and friendship. **Dates for your diary Saturday 15th August and 19th September starting at 10.30am.**

Portrait of Pembridge & Parish Hall

There is lots of information for events int Pembridge– check out Facebook and website for a full list!

WARD COUNCILLOR NEWS

Herefordshire Council report—Cllr Roger Phillips

email: rjphillips@herefordshire.gov.uk

I recently welcomed Herefordshire Council`s new Chief Executive Paul Satoor to our parishes and held a roundtable discussion with representatives of my Parish Councils and four businesses who employ for 300 people locally. We discussed the challenges and strengths of our County, local community and economy. We also visited a Poultry unit, Pearl Lake leisure park and drove round Eardisland, Pembridge, Lyonshall, Shobdon and the airfield to examine some of the highway, flooding and planning issues.

Following the closure of the Banks in Leominster the Post Office in the newsagents is also under threat. I was pleased that Herefordshire Council has offered space in the former Barclays bank building at Buttercross as a potential temporary home initially rent free. This will allow ongoing work to support a permanent solution and sit alongside the banking hub the Council has established there.

There have been several incidents of fly tipping locally with 30 plus black bags of building waste dumped on our verges. If you see any such actions please record any vehicle registration and report it. Officers will investigate and if traced prosecutions can follow with penalties of up to 50K fine and/or six months imprisonment .

The new contract arrangements with M Group are settling in with new reporting processes. Go to the councils website to report a missed bin collection, Fly tipping, Potholes, street lighting or other highway issues - "report a problem Herefordshire Council" - or For urgent issues posing a danger, call 01432 261800.

A reminder if you want to receive my monthly Updates please forward me your email address.

Roger

PARISH WEBSITE

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

www.pembridgeparishcouncil.gov.uk

USEFUL INFO

Bloom & Grind 07581 751473
(Mon– Sat 9-4pm & Sunday 10am—4pm)

The Red Lion 01544 388007
(Monday—Sunday from 12.00pm—11.00pm)

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

Teddys Cafe 07812 127156
Open Fri & Sat 8.30-4pm & Sun 8.30 to 2pm)

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

The Old Steppes 01544 388506
(Mon– Sat 9am—5pm)

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)

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

The Cider Barn 01544 388161

COUNCILLORS

Garfield Evans (Chair)	01544 388638
Kevin Duggan	01544 340092
Michael Hancock	01544 340799
Jo Williams	075817 51473
Steve Jones	079897 15075
David Owens	01544 388422
Wendy Powell	01544 340341
Mark Clegg	01544 388457
Marguerite Fothergill	01544 388279
Sapphire Zagni	07360 205777
John Mallet	01544 340858
Richard Jenkins	01544 388445
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 - Wednesday 2.00-2.45pm

If you would like to contribute news to the next issue please email clerk@pembridgeparishcouncil.gov.uk with details by 15th September