

FULL COUNCIL

31st October 2022

UPDATES AND INFORMATION

Councillor updates, conferences and events

Cllr Dredge (and Town Clerk) - DALC AGM – 5 October 2022

Cllrs Abbott and T Rea – Sustainable South Hams - 8th October 2022 (Notes attached)

Cllr Dredge – GWR Community Rail Stakeholder Conference – 17th October 2022 (Notes attached)

Cllr Dredge – Travelwatch South West General Meeting – 21st October 2022 (Notes attached)

Forthcoming training/conferences/representation

Cllr Abbott - New Councillor Training – October 2022

Cllr Brown – New Councillor Training – October 2022

Cllr Rea – Community Resilience Forum – November 2022

General Information

Christmas Festival

All Councillors are requested to be available on 25th November from 1pm to support the delivery of the Christmas Festival. Tasks will be allocated to suit individual Councillors. The event is open to the public from 4pm to 8pm. A further organising meeting was held on 25th October and a further verbal update can be given.

Christmas Day

Cllr Wilson, Louise Jones, Shirley Weeks, the Town Clerk and Administration Officer met to discuss the Christmas Day event. It was decided to hold a morning event with carols and a festive buffet, as well as provide hampers to those not able to make it to The Watermark. The provision of this event is a team effort including So Social & volunteers on the day, and the Town Council staff supporting the lead up, coordination and sourcing supplies and donations. Any one that wants to take part as a volunteer or attendee can ask at The Watermark, email, or call the town hall.

Butterpark

Having been waiting some time for action from Devon County Council Solicitors, and then a delay with our own solicitors we are now very close to going to market. A verbal update will be provided at the meeting.

Jonathan Parsons
Town Clerk