

# in the know

RIXTON - WITH - GLAZEBROOK



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Welcome to the 35th edition of the Rixton-with-Glazebrook's 'in the know' newsletter produced by the Hamilton Davies Trust (HDT).

I'd like to say a huge thank you to all the kind volunteers who have given their time freely to deliver the 'in the know' to every household over the past 12 years. Unfortunately, this will be the last copy being delivered, as future editions will be produced and published by HDT as an online version only. For future editions, the Parish Plan Group are looking into ways of funding some printed copies to be placed in local facilities for residents to pick up, especially for those with no access to a computer.

Thank you to all who volunteer their time regularly for the benefit of the Parish and congratulations to everyone who played a part in making the lovely Spring and Summer community events happen.

For further information about Parish activities, facilities and groups visit:

[rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://rixtonwithglazebrook.net)

**Mandy**

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## NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **Community Hall** committee held two drop in sessions in April at the hall to share and discuss proposed plans for the refurbishment of the building. The sessions were well attended with nearly 100 people turning up over the two events. The overall feedback was very positive and the committee thank everyone for their comments and suggestions. All information collated will now be reviewed and will help them to proceed to the next stage of the proposed refurbishment plan, where they will be assessing the possible costs of delivering the project. The committee are currently in the process of setting up a sub-committee to assist with funding applications and would welcome anyone who has experience in this area or who could assist with the applications. For more information contact Community Hall Chair Chris Chisnall on **chair@hgch.org.uk**

Your **Parish Council (PC)** has a new Chair, Liz Clarke - see p.22. For other councillors and PC meetings information see pages 22 and 23.

The next fundraiser for **Hollins Green Community Shop** is on Saturday 7th July in the marquee at the Black Swan - see p.14 for details. All proceeds will go to helping sustain the village shop. For more details pop into the shop or call **0161 775 4925**.

The shop has recently had the national lottery installed - why not have a go and help your village shop at the same time. Volunteers are still required, so they would welcome the help of anyone who has spare time to work in the shop or to do general maintenance jobs, outside and inside. If interested, please pop in for a chat with shop Manager Julie Atkinson.

The shop recently held their third AGM - the Chairman's report is in the shop for anyone to read and also on **rixtonwithglazebrook.net**. The shop is doing well, but currently still relies on fundraising to keep it open. They would love to see more local people using the shop - if anyone has any suggestions on how they could drive this then please pop in and let Julie Atkinson know or phone **0161 775 7022**. At the AGM the possible relocation of the shop within the proposed Community Hall refurbishment scheme was also discussed - the committee are still working on the feasibility of this for the shop.

For those looking for an exercise or dance class on their doorstep see p.12

## NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Residents and cyclists may have noticed the new cycling signs at the Claypits and in front of the Community Hall. These are the **Irlam and Cadishead Cycleway** maps that show local cycling routes that link to the National cycle network. Take a look when next passing or to read more about the Cycleway visit [hamiltondavies.org.uk](http://hamiltondavies.org.uk) If you are interested in cycling and would like to join a cycling club then contact Tony on **0161 222 4003**.

There are three formally registered, well established **Neighbourhood Watch Schemes** that have been running effectively for a number of years in our area, covering Manchester Road and Claydon Gardens. One of the Neighbourhood Watch Schemes is using an online, parish based communication tool '**NextDoor**' to circulate the crime and safety briefs they receive for the benefit of the rest of the Parish to view. To join NextDoor use link [NextDoor.co.uk](http://NextDoor.co.uk) and enter your details. You may have received a postcard inviting you to do this already. The site is secure to all members of NextDoor - that is, details entered or issues reported cannot be viewed using Google searches etc. To maintain your privacy within NextDoor, on opening your account go to Settings and select how you want your address showing when you make a post. Let's work together to keep our Parish safe and continue to enjoy our relatively low crime rates. All crime should be reported to the Local Policing Unit (see p.25) as this helps the Police build a picture of where problems are beginning to develop.

On 25th June Rev. Arthur Cooper was licensed as **St. Helen's Church** vicar by the Right Reverend Geoff Pearson, one of the Bishops of Liverpool. The Church are in the process of finding a house in Hollins Green - it will be the first time in 23 years that St. Helen's Church have had a vicar living in the Parish. Rev. Cooper was formerly the Vicar of Stoneycroft in Liverpool. A warm welcome from the Parish to him and his wife Kathleen.

Please note that from 1st July 2018 the starting time for St. Helen's Church **Sunday Service** changed from 09.30am to 10.30am.

**Messy Church** has changed its monthly sessions from every 1st Monday to every 2nd Monday of the month - see p.13 for details.

## **ACHIEVEMENTS, HIGHLIGHTS, SUCCESSES**

The village green was buzzing with activity at this year's Parish **Carnival**. The organisers wish to say a huge thank you to everyone who supported the event including volunteers, stall holders, performers, funders and of course the almost 2,000 people who attended on the day. A wonderful fun day was had by all. The organisers would love to continue with the Carnival next year and build on this year's success with an even better event, but to do this they need more volunteers. If you would like to be involved please email Neil on [fairfaxfamily@talktalk.net](mailto:fairfaxfamily@talktalk.net)

Garden lovers enjoyed a lovely day out strolling around 10 private gardens open to the public for this year's **Garden Safari**. Visitors were certainly wowed by the gardens, each one being very different in size, shape and design. Thanks to the gardeners who worked hard to get them looking their best. To see images of the gardens visit [rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://rixtonwithglazebrook.net) To read more about what the event raised see p.8.

**Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery** were thrilled to see their volunteer Fred presented with a community award from HDT in recognition of the endless number of hours he gives freely to keeping the cemetery looking a green and pleasant place to visit. Fred, who is 84, has travelled regularly from Culcheth to mow the grass since joining the group in October 2010. For anyone interested in volunteering see p.9 for who to contact.

**Hollins Green Beavers, Cubs and Scouts** have been enjoying lots of indoor and outdoor activities as well as working towards badges. To see what they have been up to visit their pages on [rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://rixtonwithglazebrook.net) For session days, times and contact details see p.10.

**Friends of St. Helen's Church** held two successful talks in the Spring, with both being well attended. The next talk is on 12th October - see p.17 for details. On Wednesday 18th July they are hosting a day trip to Oswestry market and the British Iron Centre - see p.14.

**St. Helen's Sunday School** have been busy during 2017 - 2018, with 19 boys and 17 girls receiving religious instruction and joining in church activities. Lessons are closed for the Summer and will restart on 2nd September (unless there is a demand for them in July and August).

## **ACHIEVEMENTS, HIGHLIGHTS, SUCCESSES**

What a fantastic floral display **The Rotary Club of Irlam** volunteers have created once again throughout Irlam and Cadishead. This year they have also added 13 tier planters to their 'In Bloom' project to further help brighten up the district. Well done to all who make this happen whether growing plants, preparing hanging baskets, troughs and planters, installing them and keeping them watered throughout the Summer. Rotary also organised the 'In Bloom' art competition for all schools to enter, with one lucky entry having their artwork showcased 'big and proud' on a billboard in Cadishead. This year Rotary introduced two new competitions for all the schools -'Young Photographer and 'Young Writer'.

In June, Rotary members attended St Helen's School where children completed the 'Purple Pinky' - a project to highlight the advances made in the eradication of Polio. They also attended the Parish Carnival in Hollins Green putting on a water and wine stall and selling hanging baskets, which together raised £470. What busy people!

**Glazebrook Women's Institute** currently have 1, possibly 2, vacancies. If any local ladies would like to join please see p.13 for contact details.

The **Shine The Light** group are continuing to raise funds to see the War Memorial uplift for the 100 year commemoration in November and are leading on a special commemorative event to be held at the Community Hall - full details in the next edition. The 'Shiners' are also producing a booklet about the War Memorial and 'Our Boys' as well as placing a special temporary memorial on the cemetery railings. If you or your business would like to kindly donate to the fundraising, then please contact Sharon on **0161 775 9852 / 07584 497183** or **sharon.piggin57@gmail.com**

**Hollins Green Indoor Bowling** are looking forward to playing on their new replacement bowling mats. If interested in giving bowling a try see p.11 for details.

Having enjoyed their Spring dinner dance, **Hollins Green Sequence Dancing** are looking forward to their annual weekend in Llandudno in October. There will be plenty of dancing as well as free time to enjoy the area. For details of this friendly dance class see p.12.

## **ACHIEVEMENTS, HIGHLIGHTS, SUCCESSES**

**Hamilton Davies Trust (HDT)** aims to provide continued and enhanced charitable support to Irlam, Cadishead and Rixton-with-Glazebrook. Community groups are encouraged to apply to HDT for help - phone **0161 222 4003** or email **hello@hamiltondavies.org.uk**

To download a grant application form visit **hamiltondavies.org.uk**. Grant applications are considered bi-monthly - the next Trustees meeting will be held on **11th July 2018**.

Since March 2018 HDT has provided the following grants and support to Rixton-with-Glazebrook:

- £1,302 to support the Parish Carnival, a lovely community event that is growing in popularity each year
- £5,000 to support the Irlam & Cadishead Community Festival – another enjoyable family event on our doorstep at Irlam Park on August Bank Holiday Monday
- £2,000 towards the ‘Shine the Light’ project to gently up-light the war memorial in Hollins Green
- The Trustees have agreed to match fund the Rotary Club of Irlam’s fundraising monies for another year, so they can deliver even more to the communities of Irlam, Cadishead and Rixton-with-Glazebrook

**In the Know** - having supported the production and publication of a printed booklet for the past 11 years, HDT have decided to continue with this, but as an online version only. All community groups' news, activities and events will continue to be publicised on the community website **rixtonwithglazebrook.net**

**Volunteering** - HDT were proud to present a Community Award for volunteering to Fred Humphries at their annual celebration (see p.5). The amount of voluntary work that takes place in the Parish is really outstanding - congratulations to all who give their time to the community.

HDT's popular **iTea & Biscuits** sessions support local residents in learning about the wonderful world of online, helping them to improve their IT and digital skills and understanding of social media. The next course commences **Thursday 20th September** and runs for 8 weeks. To book a place contact David Taylor on **0161 222 4003** or **david@hamiltondavies.org.uk**

## Parish Plan - Action Group Update

The **Parish Plan Group** wish to thank the Hamilton Davies Trust for supporting the production and printing of this newsletter for the past 12 years - 35 editions. The Group have viewed this as an extremely important means of communication for the Parish and feel a printed copy will be missed by many, especially for those who do not have access online. As such they are looking at other funding streams so that they can continue to print some copies, to be available from local facilities for residents to pick up.

The Group are currently preparing a 5yr review of the Parish Plan and also a survey to be delivered to every household in the Parish. This will help plan further actions that will benefit the community.

The **Look of the Parish Action Group** litter pick in June to tidy the village ready for the visitors to the Carnival hailed 9 volunteers. Having collected 20 bags of rubbish and a child's bike and scooter a coffee was the order of the day, courtesy of the Black Swan. Yet again a lovely show of daffodils and Spring flowers enhanced the Parish, including the newly planted Kingsblood Tulips - what a display!

### Recreation & Leisure Action Group

In Spring 21 walkers, both local residents and those visiting the area, thoroughly enjoyed exploring the district on foot as part of a guided walk. Another walk has been organised for 9th August - see p.15 for details.

**Garden Safari** - Garden lovers both locally and from further afield including Wigan, Bury and Comberbach, to name a few, enjoyed a lovely day out strolling around 10 private gardens open to the public. Sale of programmes for the event raised £769 towards future Parish Plan projects - a big thank you to all the garden owners, without whom the event just wouldn't take place. Rixton Methodist Church also made £443 from their delicious refreshments and St. Helen's Church £90 from their good as new stall. A fantastic exhibition of unique art from Rachelle's art class was also on display for all the visitors to enjoy. A blooming marvellous community day!

**Next meeting** - Weds 25th July 7.30pm Rixton Methodist Church  
**Parish Plan Chair** - Pete Higson - [pete.s.higgy@btinternet.com](mailto:pete.s.higgy@btinternet.com)  
**Parish Plan Secretary** - Jill Eaves - [jill.eaves@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jill.eaves@hotmail.co.uk)

## COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Time to get involved? The following would welcome your help.

**Hollins Green Community Shop** is a not for profit shop managed by a small team of staff and supported by several local volunteers. This important village amenity needs continuous community support in order to succeed. It is never too late to offer your services - simply contact shop manager Julie Atkinson on **0161 775 7022** or email **hollinsgreenshop@gmail.com** or pop into the shop, 533 Manchester Road, WA3 6JU for a chat - see p.18 for opening times.

**Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery** aim to make the cemetery a place in the community that we are all proud of. Volunteers are most welcome. All equipment is supplied - simply turn up on any of the action days between 10am - 1pm (see p.14 -17 for dates) or contact Pete Higson on **0161 775 2802** or email **pete.s.higgy@btinternet.com**.

The Friends also offer a Grave Tending Scheme for relatives of the bereaved who are unable to tend their loved ones graves. For more information contact Sheila Breese on **0161 775 5640**.

**Glazebrook Residents' Action Group** take up causes to promote the interests of Glazebrook and the village environment and host the popular 'Carols on the Green' event on Glazebrook Village Green - contact Peter Dodd on **0161 775 3538**.

**The Rotary Club of Irlam** welcome support from volunteers with their fundraising events and community projects, such as 'In Bloom'. To see what they get up to visit **irlamrotary.org.uk** Community Groups can apply for a grant - contact David Alletson, 102 Roseway Avenue, Cadishead, Manchester, M44 5GJ or phone **07760 100927** or email **alletson@btopenworld.com**.

**Camsley Grange Riding for the Disabled**, affiliated to the RDA, provide 3 riding sessions - Monday and Wednesday evenings 6 - 8pm and Saturday mornings 10am -12noon at Church Farm, off Glazebrook Lane, for 4yr olds plus. The group are keen to hear from anyone willing to volunteer their help. If interested please contact Helen Sharp on **07379 905163** or visit **camsleygrangerda.org.uk**

## **YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES**

The following **Scout Groups** are all open to both boys and girls:  
**Beavers** for 6 - 8 year olds is on Tuesday evenings 6.30pm - 7.30pm.  
For enquiries about a place contact Ian Austin on **07926 255263**.  
**Cubs** for 8 -10 year olds is on Thursday evenings from 6.30pm - 8pm.  
Contact Dave Wallington on **0161 775 1433** for more information.  
**Scouts** for 10 - 14 year olds is on Friday evenings from 7pm - 8.45pm.  
Contact Sam Barker on **07427 448026** for more information.  
**Scout Group Leader** James Taylor can be contacted on **07793 002025**.

**Rixton Tots** parent and toddler group for 0 - 3yr olds, meet every Wednesday 9.30am -11.30am (term time) at Rixton Methodist Church. A chance to meet other families in a happy, safe environment and join in crafts, songs and rhymes. Cost £2 for 1st child and £1 for each additional child, drinks and snacks provided. Contact Linda Ogden on **0161 775 2340**.

**Rixton-with-Glazebrook Pre-school** have places available for children from 2 - 5yrs. The 3 hour morning sessions run from 9.05am - 12.05pm and full day care from 9.05am - 3.05pm Monday to Friday during term time at St. Helen's C of E Primary School, Birch Road, Hollins Green. To book a place or to find out more about what Pre-school can offer contact Elizabeth Patten on **07815 561372** or [r-w-gpreschool@outlook.com](mailto:r-w-gpreschool@outlook.com) or visit the Pre-school's page on [www.rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://www.rixtonwithglazebrook.net).

**WASPS Breakfast Club** offers weekday places for children aged 3-14yrs from St. Helen's School, during term time. Costs are £5.50 from 7.30am - 9am or £5 from 8am - 9am. The **After School Club** sessions operate from 3.15pm - 6pm. Costs are £8.50 from 3.15pm - 4.30pm or £10.50 from 3.15pm - 6pm. Activities include arts and crafts, outdoor play, role play, construction, board games, playstation, painting, drawing and modelling. Also on offer is a comfy zone, book area and homework area. Contact Karen Ward on **07582 719725**.

**Fusion Dance Classes**, run by Warrington Wolves Foundation, for boys and girls 10yrs plus are on Wednesdays 4.30pm - 5.30pm at St. Helen's School, Hollins Green. £3 per class (open to non pupils).

**Messy Church** is at Rixton Methodist Church for children 0-11yrs and their families - see p.13 for details and contact.

## **SPORTS CLUBS**

**Karate** class for adults and children from age 6 at the Community Hall, Tuesdays 5.45pm - 6.45pm. The class develops respect, discipline, confidence, hard work, goal setting and self-defence. Lessons are taught by level 3 and level 4 dan instructors. No special clothes are required to start with. First lesson free - then £5 per lesson. Anyone interested can simply turn up or contact Lynn on **0161 775 0737** or Sarah on **07788 660055** or visit **sskarate.com**

**Hollins Green Indoor Bowling** encourages all ages, 12 years and over, to join them at the Community Hall. Bowling takes place on Monday afternoon 2pm - 4.30pm, Wednesday evening 7.30pm - 10pm and Thursday 8pm - 10.30pm throughout the year. Places available in all sessions. Simply turn up with a change of soft footwear 10 minutes before the start time or for more information contact **Neil Trownson** on **0161 775 0302** (under 18's must be accompanied by an adult).

**Rixton Tennis Club**, Chapel Lane, Rixton, WA3 6HG is open from April - September all day except Tuesday and Thursday evenings on match nights. Facilities include 3 shale courts and a club house. Courts are open every day during daylight hours, weather permitting. Social tennis takes place on Sunday afternoons from 1pm and coaching can be made available. Membership is open to all ages - any standard welcome. Fees per season are; adults - £55; students aged 16yrs plus and in full time education - £25; juniors aged 10 -15yrs - £15 and under 10yrs free. Players are welcome for the 2017 season - ladies, gents and mixed double matches. For enquiries contact Brenda Jeffrey on **01925 813298** or email **brenda.jeffrey02@btinternet.com**.

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For information about any **Darts or Pool** teams, check with your local pubs The Black Swan and Ye Olde Red Lion - contact details on p.31.

For information on adult and youth sports and leisure activities and swimming in the neighbouring local areas visit:

**rixtonwithglazebrook.net** for links or contact:

**Woolston Neighbourhood Hub**

**01925 813939**

**Irlam and Cadishead Leisure Centre**

**0161 775 4134**

## GROUP SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

**ZStyle Exercise Class** - a dance style exercise class using music from around the world. Held Monday evenings 7pm - 7.45pm, sessions cost £4 each. **Belly Dancing** classes also take place Monday evenings 8pm - 9.15pm at £5.50 per session. Beginners welcome - simply turn up at the Scout Centre, Hollins Green or contact Michele on **07525 456291**.

**Metafit** high intensity impact training sessions using a range of body weight exercises. Suitable for all levels of fitness and open to all ages the half hour sessions at the Scout Centre are Mondays 6pm (£3.50), Fridays 9.30am (£3.50) and family sessions on Tuesdays 5.15pm (£2). Contact Vicky on **07841 756449** or **Facebook VictoryFitnessIrlam**

**Adult Tap Class** held at Glazebrook Methodist Church on Tuesday evenings 6.30pm - 7.30pm - beginners welcome. Tots, teens and young adult classes are also available at the Community Hall - for information on places available and times contact Liz Rainford on **07723 093920**.

If you enjoy meeting people and a game of dominoes then go along to **Rixton-with-Glazebrook Thursday Club** on Thursdays 2pm-4pm in the Community Hall, Hollins Green. Tea and biscuits provided. Simply turn up and enjoy the afternoon, or contact Gladys Young on **0161 776 1639**.

Fancy trying your hand at modern ballroom, sequence, old time or line dancing - then why not go along on Tuesday evenings 7.30pm to **Hollins Green Sequence Dancing** class at the Community Hall. No joining or membership fees, simply turn up and pay on the night, everyone made welcome. To find out more contact Doreen on **0161 775 7248**. A Social Dance is held monthly every 3rd Saturday from 8.00pm -11.00pm and there is an annual Dinner Dance trip.

**Hollins Green Art Class** continues to produce some fantastic original artwork. Classes run from September - mid June on Thursdays 1.30pm - 3.30pm at the Community Hall. Contact Rachelle on **0161 775 0524** to find out more about the class or to book a place.

**'Chill and Chat'** social handicraft sessions (male / female adults). Hosted by the Friends of St. Helen's Church every Tuesday 1.30pm - 3.30pm at St. Helen's Church House. No need to book, simply go along with your handicraft - cost £1 includes tea/coffee. Contact Joan - **0161 775 4925**.

## **MONTHLY GROUP SOCIAL ACTIVITIES**

**Doreen's Social Dance** is held at the Community Hall, Manchester Road, Hollins Green every 3rd Saturday 8pm - 11pm (except July and August). There is no joining fee for this friendly class, simply go along and 'pay as you go' or contact Doreen on **0161 775 7248**.

**Glazebrook Women's Institute** encourage any local ladies interested in joining them to please contact Judith Barnard on **0161 775 9934** or **judithbarnard106@outlook.com**. If the group is full at the time of calling you will be placed on a waiting list. Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of every month 2pm - 4.30pm in the Community Hall. Non members are welcome to the craft sessions held on the last Wednesday of each month 2pm - 4pm (except July, August and December) at the Community Hall, Hollins Green. £2 admission - simply go along and make some new acquaintances or phone Judith for more details.

**Coffee Mornings** held regularly each month 10am - 12noon at:

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| 1st Saturday | - | Glazebrook Methodist Church |
| 2nd Saturday | - | Wesley Methodist Church     |
| 3rd Saturday | - | Rixton Methodist Church     |
| 4th Saturday | - | St. Helen's C.E. Church     |

Pop in and enjoy some home-made cakes, a chat and maybe a bargain at the occasional 'good as new' stalls. Everyone welcome.

**Soup and Roll Social** every 3rd Tuesday of the month 12noon - 1.30pm at Glazebrook Methodist Church - costs £3 - everyone welcome. Simply turn up or you can contact Brenda Jeffrey on **01925 813298**.

**Messy Church** every 2nd Monday, Rixton Methodist Church, Chapel Lane, Rixton 3.30pm - 5.30pm for children (0-11yrs) and their families. A time of fun, crafts, stories and songs followed by a meal (a donation of £1.50 - £2 accepted towards the cost of the food). Arrive anytime. For more information contact Linda on **0161 775 2340**.

**Chapel Crafts** card making workshops every 2nd Tuesday 7.30pm - 9.30pm at Rixton Methodist Church, Chapel Lane, Rixton. £2.50 per session - materials provided for making 2 cards per session. Bring basic crafting tools i.e. scissors etc. Beginners welcome - contact Margery on **0161 775 4372**. The group also hold a more informal gathering on the last Tuesday of each month from 1.30pm - 3.30pm at the same venue.

## JULY

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For regular group social activities see p.10-13

St. Helen's School / Pre-school / WASPS  
and Scout groups close Weds 18th

No WI Craft Sessions or  
Sequence Dancing this month

### Saturday 7th 7.30pm

Village Shop fundraiser, in a marquee at The Black Swan. Don't miss the opportunity for a fun night out, on your doorstep, whilst at the same time supporting your local shop. Dance the night away with DJ and vocalist Simon Roscoe. Ticket cost £10 (over 18s only) and includes BBQ food - pop into the shop or call **0161 775 7022**.

### Saturday 14th 10.30am - 11am

Residents' surgery with your WBC Councillors, Parish Councillor and local PCSO at St. Helen's Church House - see p.23 for details

### Tuesday 17th 10am

Pre-school Coffee Morning and children's performance, St. Helen's School - all welcome, doors open 10am. For more details call **07815 561371**.

### Wednesday 18th 7.30pm

Day trip by coach to Oswestry Market and the British Iron Centre (free admission), organised by the Friends of St. Helen's Church. Cost £13 for the coach - if interested contact Ray Shaw on **0161 775 3374**.

### Thursday 19th 7.45pm

Parish Council Meeting, The Community Hall, Hollins Green - see p.22.

### Wednesday 25th 7.30

Parish Plan meeting, Rixton Methodist Church, to review the 5yr Plan and produce a survey for residents which will help to prioritise future actions. This is an open meeting and everyone's input is most welcome. Simply turn up on the night or for more details contact Parish Plan Chair Pete Higson on **0161 775 2802** or email [pete.s.higgy@btinternet.com](mailto:pete.s.higgy@btinternet.com)

### Saturday 28th 10am - 1pm

Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery action day - volunteers welcome - see p.9.

## AUGUST

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St. Helen's School / Pre-school / WASPS  
and Scout groups closed throughout  
the month

No Parish Council meeting this month

### Thursday 9th 6pm

Guided walk taking in the beautiful rural scenery of Hollins Green and Glazebrook. Starting at the Black Swan car park, the 3 mile circular walk is on footpaths and lanes and includes the recently adopted footpath from Glazebrook Station to Bank Street. Easy route - suitable footwear recommended and, being a Summer's evening walk, insect repellent suggested. Simply turn up or for more details contact guide John Eccles on **07971 580113**.

### Saturday 25th 10am - 1pm

Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery action day - volunteers are always given a warm welcome, so pop along if you can spare an hour or two. Tools, gloves and equipment are provided. For more details about the Friends group - see p.9.

### Monday 27th 10am - 9.15pm

Irlam and Cadishead Community Festival, Princes Park, Irlam. Bank Holiday fun for all the family including games, stalls, fairground rides, live music, tea rooms, hot and cold food stalls, dog show and more. The event ends with a fantastic firework display at 9pm. No booking required, simply turn up and have fun! Admission FREE. For more information contact Sam Butterworth on **07854 660335** or [Facebook.com/irlamfestival](https://www.facebook.com/irlamfestival)

**Looking for something to entertain the children during the Summer holidays?** Then check out what is on offer throughout August at our 2 local Leisure Centres - see p.11 for details.

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### Funding opportunity for community groups.....apply now!

Deadline for grant applications to the WBC Community Initiative Fund is **Thursday 20th September** - see p.24 for details.

## **SEPTEMBER**

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For regular group social activities see p.10-13

St. Helen's School / Pre-school / WASPS  
and Scout groups open Weds 5th

Sequence Dancing starts back Tues 7th

### **Saturday 1st 2pm - 4.30pm**

Village Show, hosted by the Chrysanthemum Horticultural Society at the Community Hall, Hollins Green. Entries welcome - categories include flowers, fruit, vegetables, baking, flower arranging, knitting, card making, children's class. A new category for this year includes photography for all those budding snappers! Pick up an entry form from the Village Shop, Community Hall or Black Swan. For more details on the show schedule contact Paul Ogden on **0161 775 2340**.

### **Saturday 15th 10.30am - 11am**

Residents' surgery with your WBC Councillors, Parish Councillor and local PCSO at St. Helen's Church House - see p.23 for details.

### **Thursday 20th 10am - 12noon**

The popular iTea&Biscuits sessions commence - see p.7 for details.

### **Thursday 20th 7.45pm**

Parish Council Meeting, The Community Hall, Hollins Green - see p.22

### **Saturday 29th 10am - 1pm**

Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery action day - volunteers are always given a warm welcome, so pop along if you can spare an hour or two. Tools, gloves and equipment are provided. For more details about the Friends group see p.9.

### **Sunday 30th 10am - 4pm**

Wellbeing Day, the Community Hall, Hollins Green. Holistic therapist, relaxation sessions and alternative gifts. Admisson £2 includes raffle ticket. For more details call Julia on **07758 932908** or **07775 850809**.

**Parish Litter Pick** - date to be confirmed - look out for notices in Parish Council and community notice boards.

## OCTOBER

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

For regular group social activities see p.10-13  
St. Helen's School / Pre-school / WASPS  
and Scout groups close Thurs 19th  
re-open Tues 30th

*Clocks go back Sunday 28th*

### Friday 12th 7.30pm

Talk by Pete Thomas and Neil Drum entitled 'Remembering the End of the First World War' at St. Helen's Church House, Hollins Green. Admission £2 on the night (members free). For more details contact Alan Domville on **0161 775 9360**.

### Thursday 18th 7.45pm

Parish Council Meeting, The Community Hall, Hollins Green - see p.22.

### Saturday 27th 10am - 1pm

Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery action day - volunteers are always given a warm welcome, so pop along if you can spare an hour or two. Tools, gloves and equipment are provided. For more details about the Friends group - see p.9.

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To keep up to date with local events and activities please make sure you regularly check post office windows, community notice boards and posters around the Parish, or visit: [rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://rixtonwithglazebrook.net)

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A reminder that the Irlam & Cadishead Times freely feature community news and events in their monthly magazine - community groups can contact Bill McLaughlin **07767 303577** or [billyscoopm@ntlworld.com](mailto:billyscoopm@ntlworld.com)

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Voluntary / community groups can advertise their events and activities FREE on the Digital Information Board (DIB) near Tesco lights in Irlam. To register and submit a message visit [irlamandcritishead.net](http://irlamandcritishead.net)

## VILLAGE AMENITIES

Mon	Tues	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	Sun				
<b>Hollins Green Community Shop, 533 Manchester Road, Hollins Green WA3 6JU</b>										
07.00-19.00					08.00-13.00					
<b>Glazebrook Post Office, 100 Glazebrook Lane, Glazebrook, Warrington WA3 5BE</b>										
07.30-13.00			08.00-12.00		closed					
14.00-17.30	closed	14.00-17.30		closed	closed					
<b>The Black Swan, Manchester Road, Hollins Green WA3 6LA</b>										
11.00-23.30			11.00-24.30		11.00-23.15					
For food service hours visit <a href="http://www.blackswan.co.uk">www.blackswan.co.uk</a>										
<b>Ye Olde Red Lion, 516 Manchester Road, Hollins Green, Warrington WA3 6JT</b>										
12.00-24.00					12.00-23.30					
Food served 12.00 - 21.00 Monday - Saturday & 12.00-19.00 Sunday & Bank Hols										
<b>Moat Cafe, corner of Moat Lane, Manchester Rd, Rixton, Warrington WA3 6EA</b>										
07.00-14.30 breakfast / lunch / light snacks or drinks					07.00-13.00	closed				
<b>Hollybank Caravan Park, Warburton Bridge Rd, Rixton, Warrington WA3 6HU</b>										
09.00-18.00				09.00-15.00	11.00-14.00					
<b>All Creatures Veterinary Centre, Glazebrook Lane, Warrington WA3 5BL</b>										
08.30-19.00				08.30-12.30	closed					
<b>Village Green Barbers, 524 Manchester Rd, Hollins Green, Warrington WA3 6JT</b>										
09.00-17.30	closed	09.00-19.00	09.00-17.30	07.30-14.00	closed					

To check opening times during Bank Holidays see p.30/31 for contacts.

**Glazebrook Post Office** offers 'Click & Go', an internet collect service as well as a full banking service for all banks and building societies and cash service from 7.30am for Barclays, Halifax, Co-op, Lloyds TSB, Alliance & Leicester, Santander, Yorkshire Bank, HSBC, First Direct and free cash ATM machine. Postmaster Peter also operates the Health Lottery. As well as non-food items essentials and newspapers, he also stocks a range of basic food items and fresh local farm vegetables.

**Moat Cafe** is well placed for visiting the Rixton Claypits Nature Reserve and as an alternative starting point to some of the 'Footpaths around Rixton' walks. The family friendly eatery offers hot and cold food and drinks - opening times above. Contact Diane or Linda on **07950 482752**.

## GETTING AROUND

### By Bus

Rural Rider local bus service runs all year apart from Bank Holidays. For information about the service contact James or Shirley Tormey on **01925 450687** or **07702 006000** or email [jjtltd@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:jjtltd@yahoo.co.uk) A timetable can be downloaded from [rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://rixtonwithglazebrook.net)

**The No.100 Bus** serving Warrington to Manchester stops in Hollins Green. Visit the online timetable on [gmpte.com/info](http://gmpte.com/info) or phone Traveline on **0871 200 2233** for further information or check [tfgm.com](http://tfgm.com) (Transport for Greater Manchester). First Manchester Buses operate an half hourly bus service up to 2pm and after 5pm from Hollins Green, stopping at the Trafford Centre en route to Manchester.

### By Train

Trains running through **Glazebrook Station**, Glazebrook Lane WA3 5BA are managed by Northern Rail. For information on services visit [wikipedia.org/wiki/Glazebrook\\_railway\\_station](http://wikipedia.org/wiki/Glazebrook_railway_station) or [nationalrail.co.uk/stations](http://nationalrail.co.uk/stations) or phone Enquiries on **08457 484950**. The latest timetables are available at Glazebrook Post Office.

### On Foot

Rixton-with-Glazebrook has several **footpaths**. Six mapped out circular walks entitled 'Footpaths Around Rixton' are freely available to pick up from Cadishead and Irlam Libraries, Rixton Claypits, Glazebrook Post Office, The Black Swan Pub, Ye Olde Red Lion or by downloading from [rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://rixtonwithglazebrook.net). The walks, varying in length from 1½ - 4½ miles, are all easy walking on level terrain. Rixton Claypits has **waymarked trails** of differing lengths - see p.21.

**Polite message to dog walkers** - please respect farmers' land by keeping dogs on a lead at all times when using footpaths crossing fields and by bagging and disposing of dog poop safely - see p.20.

### ROAD SAFETY

For traffic and general safety issues, for road users of all ages call Contact Warrington (WBC contact centre) on **01925 443322** weekdays 8am - 6pm or email [contact@warrington.gov.uk](mailto:contact@warrington.gov.uk). The police are looking for volunteers to be involved with a Community Speed Watch Scheme in our area - if interested contact [warrington.lpu@cheshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:warrington.lpu@cheshire.pnn.police.uk)

## PET OWNERS

**All Creatures Veterinary Centre**, Glazebrook Lane WA3 5BL is open 8.30am - 7pm Monday to Friday and 8.30am - 12.30pm Saturday apart from Bank Holidays. Behaviour clinics are run daily to help owners understand their pet's problems. Same day appointments are often available, emergency cases will be seen as they arise. For veterinary details phone **0161 777 8484** or you can now register your pet on line by visiting [www.allcreaturesveterinarycentre.co.uk](http://www.allcreaturesveterinarycentre.co.uk) Facebook on **All Creatures Vets** / Follow on **Twitter@newts\_adventures**

**Rixton Dog School** is a purposely adapted indoor and outdoor training and behaviour centre at The Oaks, Brook Lane, Rixton, WA3 6DS. For information, advice or to book a place contact Debra Adderley on **07815 855016** or email [classes@rixtondogschool.co.uk](mailto:classes@rixtondogschool.co.uk) For latest events visit: [www.rixtondogschool.co.uk](http://www.rixtondogschool.co.uk) or their Facebook page.

## DOG FOULING

Thank you to all responsible dog owners who pick up their dog litter. Unfortunately **dog fouling continues to be an issue** in the area. The Look of the Parish action group have placed stickers on bins to remind dog walkers that bagged pet's waste can be disposed of in any council litter bin.

If witnessing dog fouling, residents are urged to contact **01925 443322** or email: [environmentalcrime@warrington.gov.uk](mailto:environmentalcrime@warrington.gov.uk) - all calls are treated confidentially. Lines open Mon - Fri 8am - 6pm and Sat 9am - 1pm. By supplying the following information you can help Warrington Borough Council contact irresponsible dog owners:-

- Where does the dog foul
- Description of dog
- Description of dog walker
- Distinctive features of dog walker (e.g. always wears a red coat)

## HORSE RIDING

**Camsley Grange Riding for the Disabled**, affiliated to the RDA, provide pony care sessions and rides for 4yr olds plus. For more information and contact details see p.9.

## **RIXTON CLAYPITS NATURE RESERVE**

**MOAT LANE, WARRINGTON WA3 6EE**

The Claypits is a Site of Special Scientific Interest, designated a Local Nature Reserve in 1996. Waymarked trails, of differing lengths start from the Visitor Centre and information leaflets including site map are freely available to pick up from the Visitor Centre, Black Swan, Ye Olde Red Lion, Glazebrook Post Office and Hollins Green Village Shop.

Groups wishing to utilise the Claypits Visitor Centre can contact the Ranger on **Rangers@warrington.gov.uk** or **0161 777 9726**.

The Rangers ask that visitors with dogs enjoy the Claypits, but please keep their pets on the lead at all times so as to encourage wildlife to the area.

Information on what's on in Warrington's Parks and Green Spaces is available by visiting: **warrington.gov.uk** (link - Parks and Open Spaces)

## **OUTDOOR PURSUITS**

### **Walking**

The area has a network of footpaths, which can be enjoyed by following local walks series 'Footpaths around Rixton' - see p.19.

### **Fishing in Rixton-with-Glazebrook**

**Blundells Fishery** - Prospect Lane (off Moss Side Lane) Day tickets available, 6 well stocked waters. Key species - Carp, Tench, Roach. Contact John Blundell **0161 775 2124**

Strictly Members Only:-

**Rixton Claypits** - Key species - Carp, Tench, Bream, Roach and Perch. Contact Warrington Anglers Association, Frank Lythgoe **01928 716238**

River Mersey, Moss Farm off A57 near M6 - Two stretches

**Prince Albert Angling Society** - [paas.co.uk](http://paas.co.uk)

**Cheshire Cheese Angling Club** - contact Cheshire Cheese Public House, Latchford. Key species - Barbel, Chub, Bream, Roach, Tench.

**Please remember** - when fishing you must have a current Environment Agency Rod Licence. You can buy a licence at any Post Office or on line at <https://www.gov.uk/fishing-licences>

## **RIXTON-WITH-GLAZEBROOK PARISH COUNCIL (PC)**

### **Message from Chair Liz Clarke**

“I have recently been appointed Chair of the Parish Council for the third time and Maureen Banner is my Vice Chair. I am very pleased to take on this position again and I will do my very best to fulfil the role in the following year.

You will all have seen that the path across the Village Green has been completed. It now conforms to modern standards and is much wider and smoother than the old one. This has been completed after quite a few problems, but I hope you agree with me that it has been worth it.

What a fabulous display of flowers we had this spring, daffodils, tulips, then blue and white flowers courtesy of WBC. The Parish Plan ‘Look of the Parish’ group have also been busy, planting more bulbs around the villages and the red tulips ‘Kings Blood’, planted for the centenary of the end of the WW1 were spectacular.

I have recently bought a small dog and have joined the dog walking fraternity. This has brought to my attention the appalling amount of dog mess on our village greens and pavements. The majority of people I have met are responsible dog owners, but there are still many who are not. Please pick up your dog mess, put it in the bins provided and keep our villages clean.”

### **PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS**

The Parish Council meeting is a meeting in public for residents to attend as observers. Parish Councillors acting on your behalf meet on the 3rd Thursday of every month (except August) from 7.45pm at the Community Hall, Hollins Green - see diary for monthly dates.

Questions for discussion should be put in writing to the Parish Clerk at least 7 days prior to the meeting at which the letter will be discussed.

Parish Clerk - Marilyn Lowe

5 Hartley Close, Lymm, Cheshire, WA13 0JJ / [mlowe8@sky.com](mailto:mlowe8@sky.com)

You can now email your question(s) or read minutes of meetings on the Parish Council website: [rixtonwithglazebrookpc.org.uk](http://rixtonwithglazebrookpc.org.uk)

## **PARISH COUNCIL INFORMATION / PUBLIC SERVICES**

Parish Councillor's contact details (all residing in Warrington)

Chair Cllr.E. Clarke  
8 Briar Avenue, Hollins Green  
**0161 775 7838**  
[liz.clarke@talktalk.net](mailto:liz.clarke@talktalk.net)

Cllr. D. McLachlan  
12 Birch Road, Hollins Green  
**0161 775 2186**  
[hollinfare1@gmail.com](mailto:hollinfare1@gmail.com)

Cllr. Andrew Hill  
**01925 419481 / 07957 018766**  
[ahill1@warrington.gov.uk](mailto:ahill1@warrington.gov.uk)

Vice Chair Cllr. M. Banner  
13 Margaret Avenue, Woolston  
[m.banner91@btinternet.com](mailto:m.banner91@btinternet.com)

Cllr. Bob Andrews  
71 Glazebrook Lane, Glazebrook  
**0161 775 2218**  
[bob71@sky.com](mailto:bob71@sky.com)

Cllr. Dave Trenbath  
14 Chapel Lane, Rixton  
**0161 776 1486 / 07921 103452**  
[davidtrenbath@gmail.com](mailto:davidtrenbath@gmail.com)

## **RESIDENTS SURGERIES**

A Parish Councillor attends the Residents' Surgeries, alongside the Borough Councillors and police officer providing an opportunity for you to chat with a Parish Councillor face to face about any Parish related issues you wish to share. See p.24 for venue, dates, times of surgeries.

## **LIBRARIES**

**Library Book Exchange** Community Shop, WA3 6JU 0161 775 7022

**For opening times of libraries in the surrounding area contact:**

Cadishead Library, Liverpool Rd, M44 5AN	0161 775 3457
Culcheth Library, Warrington Rd, WA3 5SL	01925 763293
Irlam Library, Liverpool Rd, M44 6FD	0161 775 3566
Woolston Library, Neighbourhood Hub WA1 4PN	01925 813939

## **FLY TIPPING**

Fly tipping can be reported to Warrington Borough Council via the customer contact centre on 01925 443322 or by emailing:

[environmentalcrime@warrington.gov.uk](mailto:environmentalcrime@warrington.gov.uk).

## **WARRINGTON BOROUGH COUNCIL (WBC)**

“Your local councillors have experienced an horrendous amount of cuts made to the WBC budget by central government and as a result, we passed a budget in March that tries to address this shortfall and find innovative ways to increase our income and mitigate the impact of the cuts made. For example, the council has made investments in local property and business, the proceeds of which will be used to invest in local services. The town centre redevelopment is well and truly underway with the Time Square section undergoing huge changes. With a Cinema and a variety of new shops and restaurants, it should broaden the appeal of the town centre and hopefully give our high street the boost it requires. My fellow councillors and I have also been keeping an eye on HS2 and its progress through Government and the Houses of Parliament. The superfluous spur is constantly increasing in cost and most recently it appears that HS2 Limited may have misled parliament over the price of buying up property along its planned route by £2bn.”

Andrew Hill

<b>Tony McCarthy</b>	<b>01925 251221</b>	<b><a href="mailto:tmccarthy@warrington.gov.uk">tmccarthy@warrington.gov.uk</a></b>
<b>Andrew Hill</b>	<b>01925 419481</b>	<b><a href="mailto:ahill1@warrington.gov.uk">ahill1@warrington.gov.uk</a></b>
<b>Pat Wright</b>	<b>01925 823165</b>	<b><a href="mailto:pwright@warrington.gov.uk">pwright@warrington.gov.uk</a></b>

Bi-monthly Residents’ Surgeries are held in the Parish to give residents the opportunity to go along to discuss any council related or policing issues. A representative from WBC, our Parish Council and the police attend the surgeries on Saturdays 10.30am -11am at St. Helen’s Church House, Manchester Road, Hollins Green.

Dates for 2018 are as follows:

**14th July / 15th September / 17th November**

You can also report, view or discuss local problems at **[fixmystreet.com](http://fixmystreet.com)**

## **EAST WARRINGTON AREA BOARD**

Community groups can still apply to the Warrington Borough Council’s (WBC) Community Initiative Fund. Funding is available from £50 up to £3,000 - to request an application form and criteria contact **[emarsden@warrington.gov.uk](mailto:emarsden@warrington.gov.uk)** or **07905 646804**. The next deadline is **Thursday 22nd September** so get your applications in now to: **Elaine Marsden - Area Coordinator - East and West Neighbourhood**

## POLICE COMMUNITY SUPPORT OFFICER (PCSO)

PCSO Bethan Roberts continues to patrol our village. Joint Police and local ward councillor surgeries provide opportunities for you to discuss any issues or concerns which are affecting you or your community - see p.24 for dates and times. Residents can also sign up for Cheshire Police Alert, a community messaging system, by visiting [cheshirepolicealert.co.uk](http://cheshirepolicealert.co.uk) for more information and to register. By registering you receive news and appeals, local crime information and crime prevention advice direct as an email, text or voice message.

**Herbert Protocol** is a scheme aimed at helping to safeguard vulnerable residents. Do you care for someone and/or have a loved one with dementia and worry that they may go missing? For more information about Herbert Protocol visit: <https://www.cheshire.police.uk/advice-and-support/missing-persons/herbert-protocol/>

To contact Cheshire Police call 101 - this is a non-emergency police number which should be used to report less urgent crime, for general enquiries or to speak to a local officer. In an emergency dial 999

### IMPORTANT CONTACTS

Non-emergency calls to Cheshire Police.....	101
Crimestoppers.....	0800 555 111
Warrington Borough Council.....	01925 444400
NHS Direct.....	111
Citizens Advice Consumer Helpline.....	08454 04 05 06
Contact Warrington (traffic and road safety issues).....	01925 443322

### NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH SCHEME

To find out if there is a current scheme in your area residents can leave a message for the Warrington East PCSOs at Warrington Local Policing Unit (LPU) on **101** with their contact details and name of the road in question or email [warrington.lpu@cheshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:warrington.lpu@cheshire.pnn.police.uk).

If you are interested in becoming a Homewatch co-ordinator and would like to chat to someone already in the role, you can contact Karen Armstrong on [claydonhomewatch@googlemail.com](mailto:claydonhomewatch@googlemail.com)

### GOLDEN GATES HOUSING - Neighbourhood Housing Officer

Deal with estate and tenancy management, anti social behaviour and the reporting of hate crime. For any related enquiries or to report repairs call **0800 252627** Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm or email [info@gght.org.uk](mailto:info@gght.org.uk).

## FACILITIES

### **ST. HELEN'S C.E. AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL** Birch Road, Hollins Green WA3 6JS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
09.00 - 15.30	09.00 - 15.30	09.00 - 15.30	09.00 - 15.30	09.00 - 15.30	09.00 - 15.30	
<b>Rixton-with-Glazebrook Pre-school</b>						
09.05 - 12.05	09.05 - 12.05	09.05 - 12.05	09.05 - 12.05	09.05 - 12.05	09.05 - 12.05	
09.05 - 15.05	09.05 - 15.05	09.05 - 15.05	09.05 - 15.05	09.05 - 15.05	09.05 - 15.05	
<b>Fusion Dance Class</b>						
		16.30 - 17.30				
<b>WASPS Breakfast Club</b>						
07.30 - 09.00	07.30 - 09.00	07.30 - 09.00	07.30 - 09.00	07.30 - 09.00	07.30 - 09.00	
<b>WASPS After School Club</b>						
15.15 - 18.00	15.15 - 18.00	15.15 - 18.00	15.15 - 18.00	15.15 - 18.00	15.15 - 18.00	

### **ST HELEN'S C.E. CHURCH** Manchester Road, Hollins Green WA3 6LA

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>Religious Worship</b>				12.00 - 13.00		10.30 - 11.30
<b>Sunday School (3 - 14yr olds)</b>						
<b>Chill &amp; Chat handicraft sessions</b>						
<b>Coffee Morning</b>						Every 4th Saturday of each month 10.00 - 12.00

**RIXTON METHODIST CHURCH** Chapel Lane, Rixton WA3 6HG

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>Religious Worship</b>							
<b>Rixton Tots</b>							10.30 - 11.30
<b>Bikers Church</b>			09.30 - 11.30				
<b>Chapel Crafts</b>							
<b>Coffee Morning</b>							
<b>Messy Church</b>							

**GLAZEBROOK METHODIST CHURCH** Glazebrook Lane, Glazebrook WA3 5AY

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>Religious Worship</b>							
<b>Adult Tap Dancing Class</b>							10.00 - 11.00
<b>Coffee Morning</b>			18.30 - 19.30				
<b>Soup and Roll Social</b>							

**RIXTON-WITH-GLAZEBROOK COMMUNITY HALL** Manchester Road, Hollins Green WA3 6JZ

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>Karate</b>	17.45 - 18.45					
<b>Hollins Green Art Class</b>			13.30 - 15.30			
<b>Hollins Green Sequence Dancing</b>	19.30 - 22.30					
<b>Rixton-with-Glazebrook Thursday Club</b>			14.00 - 16.00			
<b>Hollins Green Indoor Bowling</b>	14.00 - 16.30					
		19.30 - 22.00	20.00 - 22.30			
<b>Parish Council</b>				Every 3rd Thursday of each month 19.45 onwards (except August)		
<b>Social Dance</b>				Every 3rd Saturday each month 20.00 - 23.00 (except July and August)		
<b>Womens Institute</b>				Every 2nd Wednesday of each month from 14.00 - 16.30		
<b>WI Craft Session</b>				Every last Wednesday of each month from 14.00 - 16.00		
The Community Hall is available for hire mornings and weekends. The hall can cater for parties from 72 people for sit down meals for up to 160 for buffet functions. Licensed bar and catering facilities are available on request.						

**THE SCOUT CENTRE** The Village Green, Manchester Road, Hollins Green. WA3 6JT

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
<b>Z Style Exercise</b>							
19.00 - 19.45							
<b>Metafit</b>							
18.00 - 18.30	17.15 - 17.45			09.30 - 10.00			
<b>Belly Dancing</b>							
20.00 - 21.15							
<b>Hollins Green Beavers</b>							
	18.30 - 19.30						
<b>Hollins Green Cubs</b>				18.30 - 20.00			
<b>Hollins Green Scouts</b>					19.00 - 20.45		

Community facilities available to hire for a celebration, function activity or meeting:

**Glazebrook Methodist Church Hall**  
**Rixton-with-Glazebrook Community Hall**

**The Black Swan**  
**The Scout Centre**

**Rixton Methodist Church Hall**  
**St. Helen's Church House**

**Ye Olde Red Lion**  
For details on what each venue has to offer visit: [www.rixtonwithglazebrook.net](http://www.rixtonwithglazebrook.net)

## CONTACT DIRECTORY

All Creatures Veterinary Centre	Reception	0161 777 8484
Belly Dancing	Michele	07525 456291
Camsley Grange Riding for the Disabled	Helen Sharp	07379 905163
Chapel Crafts	Margery Green	0161 775 4372
Chill and Chat Social Handicraft Session	Joan Hill	0161 775 4925
Community Shop - Hollins Green	Julie Atkinson	0161 775 7022
Dance Rhythm and Adult Tap Class	Liz Rainford	07723 093920
Friends of St. Helen's C.E. Church	Alan Domville	0161 775 9360
Friends of St. Helen's C.E. School	Tina Connor	07734 681239
Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery	Pete Higson	0161 775 2802
Glazebrook Methodist Church	Ray Jeffrey	01925 813298
Glazebrook Post Office	Peter Dodd	0161 775 3538
Glazebrook Residents' Action Group	Peter Dodd	0161 775 3538
Glazebrook Women's Institute	Judith Barnard	0161 775 9934
Hollins Green Art Class	Rachelle	0161 775 0524
Hollins Green Beavers	Ian Austin	07926 255263
Hollins Green Cubs	Dave Wallington	0161 775 1433
Hollins Green Indoor Bowling	Neil Trownson	0161 775 0302
Hollins Green Scouts	Sam Barker	07427 448026
Hollins Green Sequence Dancing	Doreen Herridge	0161 775 7248
Irlam and Cadishead Leisure Centre	Reception	0161 775 4134
Karate	Lynn Nelson	07711 363831
Messy Church	Linda Ogden	0161 775 2340

## **Metafit Impact Training Sessions**

**Moat Cafe**

**Parish Carnival Committee**

**Parish Council**

**Parish Plan Group**

**Rixton Claypits**

**Rixton Dog School**

**Rixton Methodist Religious Worship**

**Rixton Tennis Club**

**Rixton Tots**

**Rixton-with-Glazebrook Community Hall**

**Rixton-with-Glazebrook Pre-school**

**Rixton-with-Glazebrook Thursday Club**

**SS Peter & Michael's RC Religious Worship**

**St. Helen's C.E. Aided Primary School**

**St. Helen's Church and Sunday School**

**The Black Swan**

**The Rotary Club of Irlam**

**Village Green Barbers**

**Wasps Out of School Club**

**Warrington Borough Councillor**

**Woolston Neighbourhood Hub (Leisure Centre)**

**Ye Olde Red Lion**

**ZStyle - dance style Exercise Class**

**Vicky**

**Diane Jennings**

**Neil Fairfax**

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