

Parish News

Winter 2025



Rixton-with-Glazebrook Community Plan Group

A warm Hello to all Parish residents

This Parish News booklet, produced by the Community Plan Group, provides local residents with contacts for community groups and their activities, upcoming events and latest news. It also contains contacts for local facilities and council services.

Since the last edition in June, many volunteers have been busy putting on various fundraising events and social activities, as well as helping to improve the look of the parish - read following pages for what they've been up to. If you are at a stage in life when you would like to get involved, check out volunteering opportunities page.

The Community Hall continues to thrive thanks to its committee and volunteers who give a lot of time and energy to ensure the Hall has a range of regular and new activities on offer, as well as managing the private bookings. See 'What's On' at the Hall for regular activities, and other community groups and facilities pages for their updated offerings and latest news. There are plenty of social and learning activities for the young people in the Parish thanks to our long established groups including Toddlers, Pre-school, School and Scouts groups - see their pages for who to contact for more information. In the lead up to Christmas there are various festive events and activities that taking place on our doorstep. Putting on events takes a lot of time, so please go along and support these when you can.

NEW - Another Defib is coming to the Parish, outside Rixton Methodist Chapel, see the Community Plan Group news page. A vacancy has arisen on the Rixton-with-Glazebrook Parish Council. If any local resident would like to be considered, please contact the PC clerk at rixtonwithglazebrookpc@gmail.com or 07989 456113.

Our thanks to Rotary, our Parish Council (PC) and Hamilton Davies Trust (HDT) for their continued financial support to our community groups and local facilities, and our PC and HDT for supporting the funding and printing of this booklet.

HDT welcome local community groups getting in touch should they need admin support with printing, photocopying or putting a message on the Digital Information Board - email hello@hamiltondavies.org.uk or call 0161 222 4003.

Mandy Eccles (on behalf of the Community Plan Group)

Community Website: rixtonwithglazebrook.net

Community Plan Group Facebook page:

<https://www.facebook.com/RixtonwithGlazebrookParishPlan/>

Community Plan Group Secretary: jill.eaves@hotmail.co.uk



Community Village Shop

See back page for address, opening hours and home delivery

The shop wish to thank all who joined in their fundraising Quiz Night and also the fantastic Quiz master for pulling together a good range of fun and interesting questions, keeping everyone on their toes! The event was a big success raising £931 for the shop. Their next event is a Christmas Fair on **Sat 29th November** 11am-2pm - see the poster on the centre pages for details.

Looking for a lovely festive gift for family or friends? Then look no further thank your Village Shop who are doing Bespoke Christmas Hampers made up from goods of your choosing from the shop. Available to order now - **deadline Thurs 17th December** for latest collection of your order from the shop by 19th December.

Stocking a wide range of fresh foods and essential provisions, the shop can cater for many of your shopping needs and also sells stamps, National Lottery tickets, offers a cash back service, and is an EVRi drop off/collection point.



I'M GONNA NEED YOUR HELP

To be able to put a Carnival on in 2026 we need people who can help with the extensive paperwork, along with a new Treasurer. Without these we cannot go ahead!

If you are interested then please contact annemcarthur16@gmail.com

'DROP & GO'

Fri 7th, Sat 8th & Sun 9th December

Community donations to Irlam & Cadishead Foodbank

As this is the season of goodwill and giving, Rixton-with-Glazebrook Community Plan Group have organised a seventh community donation drop off to help Irlam & Cadishead Foodbank, who are supporting those in need in the local community.

Residents wishing to donate can drop off their non-perishable donations between 8am - 4pm at any of the following drop off points:

- Village Shop - Hollins Green
- Marsh Brook Close - Hollins Green
- Community Hall - Hollins Green
- Outside 49 Claydon Gdns, Rixton
- Rixton Methodist Chapel

The Irlam & Cadishead Foodbank are looking for the following items in particular:

- Mince pies
- Christmas puddings
- Individual Christmas cakes
- Crisps / nuts / snacks
- Long life milk
- Long life fruit juice
- Tinned fruit
- Tinned rice pudding
- Custard
- Meat and fish pastes
- Tinned soups
- Ketchup
- Brown sauce
- Mayonaisse
- Shower gel
- Shaving foam
- Washing up liquid



Thank you for thinking of others at this special time of year!
Rixton-with-Glazebrook Community Plan Group Chair - Andy Eaves 07368 970112

Rixton-with-Glazebrook Community Hall

The hall has been very busy with various community activities and bookings including weddings, birthday parties, dog shows, Village Show and Village Shop quiz night. It is hosting lots of festive events including: Community Christmas Fayre 30th Nov; Pre-school Festive Film afternoon 3rd Dec; Treading The Bored Christmas Revue 5th & 6th Dec; HDT Christmas Art workshop 11th Dec; Christmas Film Night 12th Dec; Community Coffee Christmas lunch 15th Dec and Irlam Mixed Voice Choir 20th Dec - see posters in the centre pages.

A warm welcome, hot drink and tasty treats await anyone who wants to meet friends old and new at the Monday Community Coffee 10am - 12.30pm. Take your dog too! Or simply go along and check out the hall's extensive book & jigsaw exchange. On Monday 29th December you can enjoy Twixmas coffee morning as a special treat!

Warburtons continue to donate 100 bread items to the Hall every Monday which is distributed to local schools, community groups and Warrington Salvation Army. Thank you to St Helen's schoolchildren who regularly sing at the Hall and also to Warrington Living Well Service for offering Autumn COVID and Flu vaccinations and health check-ups.



Friday Film Nights are held fortnightly during the Winter - next one is on Friday 28th Nov - doors open 7pm. Bring your own drinks/snacks. Film titles are displayed in the Hall foyer.

The Hall committee continue to make improvements including purchasing reusable tablecloths for coffee mornings and outdoor maintenance. They are currently raising funds for a hearing loop and new sound system. The small room has been refurbished into a comfortable welcoming space for 1:1 meetings. The Hall wouldn't function without amazing volunteers. If you'd like to help in any way contact bookings@rixtoncommhall.co.uk or call **07894 263895**



'What's On' at the Community Hall

Regular Bookings	Activity	Duration	Contact
Monday	Community Coffee Tea, coffee and tea cakes, books and jigsaw exchange	10:00 - 12:30	Andy Eaves - 07368 970112
	Rixton & Woolston Councillor Surgery (Committee room)	10:30 - 12:30	ClIrl Lawrence Sheridan cllrl.sheridan@warrington.gov.uk
	Indoor Bowling	13:30 - 16:30	Ken Schofield - 07733 760169
	Yoga	19:00 - 20:00	Denise Fraser - 07952 680598
Tuesday	Chair Yoga	10:00 - 11:00	Denise Fraser - 07952 680598
	'Treading The Bored' Drama Group	19:00 - 23:00	Laurence Harrison 07368 404349
	Dungeons and Dragons (Committee Room)	19:00 - 23:00	Christopher Fisher c-l-fisher@hotmail.co.uk
Wednesday	Indoor Bowling	19:00 - 22:00	Ken Schofield - 07733 760169
Thursday	Fitness Class for over 50's	09:45 - 10:45	Susan Chin - 07702 810248
	Art Class (Committee Room)	10:30 - 12:30	Rachelle - 07724 052628
	IT Course	11:15 - 13:15	Anthony - 07405 080762 itcourse@gmx.com
	Art Class (Committee Room)	13:30 - 15:30	Rachelle - 07724 052628
	Yoga	19:00 - 20:00	Holly Bailey - 07732 733862
Friday	Film Nights From 3rd October 2025 (fortnightly)	19:00 - 22:00	Andy Eaves - 07368 970112 Film titles displayed in Hall foyer

To hire the Hall for a one-off function or community activities, or for Hall enquiries email:
bookings@rixtoncommhall.co.uk

Community Plan Group

Community Plan volunteers meet 3 times a year to plan Action Days to improve the 'Look and Feel' of the Parish. Since June they have organised a litter pick, evening guided walk, bulb planting and part-funded the installation of a new sign for Pre-school and a new Defib.

In June, 7 volunteers collected 19 bags of litter, a deep fat fryer and car parts. Thanks to the Black Swan for free hot drinks afterwards and thanks to individuals who kindly pick up litter on a regular basis, together we help to keep the Parish looking cared for. Next group litter pick is Sun 8th Feb - meet Black Swan car park 10am. Litter pickers and hi-vis provided.



In October another 1,000 English Bluebells were planted in Glamis Wood by Group volunteers, adding more colour for 2026 onwards. Bulbs funded by the Parish Council.

A new Defibrillator is soon to be installed outside Rixton Methodist Chapel, Chapel Lane, Rixton, thanks to the support of the Community Plan Group, Parish Council and several local businesses. Total cost, including installation parts, was £1773 so a massive thank you to the following for their kind contributions:

£300 Community Plan Group : £193 Collier Industrial Waste :
£100 JL Enterprise Park : £300 Rixton with Glazebrook Parish Council :
£450 The Masonic Order (£150 Province of Cheshire and North Wales, £150 Province of West Lancs and Province of East Lancs):
£100 Prospray (Andrew Lennie) : £70 Garage 57 (Jim Cotton) :
£70 Joc Building Services (John O'Connor) : £90 Blundells Fishery :
£100 Moat Lane Café : Installation by Lee Quinn 'Bespoke Electrical'

Meetings held at Rixton Methodist Church are open to the public. Next one - **Monday 16th February** starting at 7pm. Simply come along or for more information contact Chair Andy on **07368 970112**.

Friends of Glazebrook Station (FRoGS)

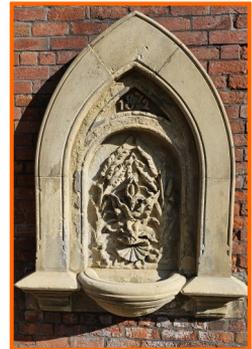
The Friends continue to make excellent progress. This year, the fruit trees in the Community Orchard produced their first harvest. The platform planters and hanging



baskets also provided a beautiful display throughout the Summer and Autumn. We are grateful for the many generous donations of plants and materials from our kind volunteers and the wider community.



A major highlight for the Friends has been the restoration of the 1872 drinking fountain, made possible thanks to grants from Warrington Borough Council and the Railway Heritage Trust.



FRoGS was very proud to organise the placement of Tommys at the station and along Glazebrook Lane in honour of all those who have served in the Armed Forces. Our hardworking volunteers were also thrilled to receive a Level 5 *Outstanding* award from Britain in Bloom.

This year's Carols on Glazebrook Village Green will take place on **Sunday 21st December at 2pm**, with Santa and Cadishead Brass Band joining us - see the poster on centre pages. Go along and enjoy a festive sing-along, with a little luck the weather will be kind!

There is always work to be done, and volunteers of all ages are warmly welcomed! To find out more about the group call Julie on **07979 266352** or email **julie.eastty@btinternet.com**. Alternately, you can drop them a message on their Facebook page **Friends of Glazebrook Station | Facebook**

Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery

Hollinfare Cemetery is looking fantastic thanks to the Friends volunteers who work hard at monthly action days giving their time and energy to improve the look and feel of the Cemetery.



Being outside with like-minded people working off some calories, whilst at the same time making a difference, is very rewarding! An added bonus is the number of friendships made along the way.



The group have a strong committee and are fortunate to have several long-standing volunteers, but they can always do with more helping hands! If you enjoy being outdoors and can spare an hour or two, then please pop along to any of the action days held on the last Saturday of the month February to November between 10am - 1pm. All equipment and tools are provided, simply go along or call Mandy on **07767 075211** if you wish to find out more.

If you are unable to help out in person, but would like to make a donation, you can do so online to:

**The Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery
Sort Code 77-19-10**

Account No. 30343560 (TSB)

All donations are most gratefully received, however small, and all monies received will go back into the cemetery.



Recreation and Leisure activities

3 mile FREE guided walk Mon
5th January 2026 - see poster
for details or for more info
contact John on **07971 580113**.

'Footpaths around Rixton'



guided walks,
written and
sketched by
local residents

and printed by the Hamilton Davies Trust, are
freely available to pick up from all Parish facilities
and to download from the community website
rixtonwithglazebrook.net

Rixton Claypits SSSI Nature Reserve

Offering various public footpath routes and
wonderful scenery, this natural Site of Special
Scientific Interest is a hidden gem in the Parish
worth exploring, and it is FREE, including the
car park located off Manchester Rd near the corner of Chapel Lane.



Guided Winter Walk
Monday 5th January 2026
Meet Black Swan car park, Hollins Green
9.45am prompt start - approx 3 miles
Hot light refreshments available afterwards at
Community Coffee in the Community Hall
Everyone welcome (dogs to be on a lead)
Contact John Eccles - 07971 580113

**ANYONE
FOR TENNIS?**

Rixton Tennis Club Welcomes New Members
All players of any ability
Membership April to October
Team and social tennis available
For more information please contact:
Margaret 0161 776 2900 / 07815 484 863
Club located at Chapel Lane, Rixton, WA3 6HG

Indoor short mat at Rixton with Glazebrook Community Hall WA3 6JZ
BOWLING CLUB Monday 1.45pm - 4.30 pm
Wednesday 7.15 pm - 10 pm

• £2.50 per person - first session FREE
• All equipment provided
• Friendly club - on site parking
• Indoor shoes/trainers/slippers advised

Contact for more information:
Ken 07733 780169
email: ken.j.schofield@gmail.com

Scouts

Home to Scouts, Cubs and Beavers, the Scout Centre sits on the Village Green in the centre of Hollins Green.



Open to both boys and girls the following Scout sections offer fun activities and experiences for young people - **Beavers** 6-8yrs / **Cubs** 8-10.5yrs / **Scouts** 10.5-14yrs.

It was wonderful to see all the Scout sections represented at the cenotaph as they showed their respect on Remembrance Sunday.



Thanks to the group leaders and volunteers for giving their time to support this much valued youth facility. For information about the groups or to hire the Scout Centre for activities or small events please call Scout leader James Taylor on **07793 00205**

Festive Activities / Events

Looking for some family fun activities this Christmas? Then check out these festive community events taking place right on your doorstep!

HOLLINS GREEN VILLAGE SHOP
CHRISTMAS FAIR

Saturday 29th November
11am - 2pm

CHRISTMAS CAROL SINGING
LOCAL SUPPLIER MARKET STALLS

HOT DRINKS AND MINCE PIES
PHIL AND HIS BRATWURST'S

**No booking - simply turn up and
join in the festive fun!**

Festive Events



Community Christmas Fayre

Community Hall, Hollins Green

Sunday 30th November
1 - 4pm

All welcome - entrance 50p

FESTIVE STALLS

Tropic

Xmas
Wreathes

Jewellery
Handbags
Shoes

Bird Boxes

Pet Accessories
and gifts

Garden
Ornaments

Chocolates
Sweets

For further information contact
Sarah Standish - 07585 008133



Festive Activities / Events

Rixton-with-Glazebrook
Pre-school invites you to
our
Festive film afternoon



on: Wednesday 3rd December
11:45-1pm

Bring some festive snacks and
watch a festive film with your
child/children

To be held at Rixton-with-Glazebrook
community hall, Hollins Green, WA3 6JZ

Please let us know if you will be
attending by emailing
r-w-gpreschool@outlook.com

TREADING THE BORED
THEATRE GROUP
PRESENTS OUR
Annual Christmas Revue

FRIDAY 5TH AND SATURDAY 6TH
DECEMBER

DOORS OPEN 19:00 - SHOW STARTS 19:30
RIXTON WITH GLAZEBROOK COMMUNITY HALL

AN EVENING OF LAUGHTER, MUSIC, AND
FESTIVE CHEER! ENJOY A SPARKLING MIX OF
MONOLOGUES, COMEDY SKETCHES, SHORT
DRAMAS, AND MUSICAL PERFORMANCES —
ALL WRAPPED UP WITH A TOUCH OF
CHRISTMAS MAGIC.

TICKETS £5
AVAILABLE AT THE VILLAGE COMMUNITY SHOP
OR CALL 07840 516 203

Coffee
Afternoon
HDT 10 Dec
1 pm - 3 pm



Carol's
Irlam Station
16 Dec 6:30 pm

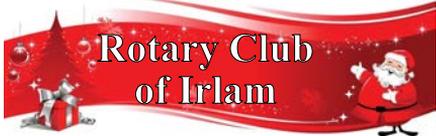


Elf Trailer
Liverpool Rd
17 Dec
10 am onwards




HDT

**Rotary Club
of Irlam**



Santa is coming to town!

Tues 17th Dec
Hollins Green / Claydon Gardens

Weds 18th Dec
Glazebrook Ln / Carlton Way

**Spare change at the ready
please**

Festive Events



THE FRIENDS OF GLAZEBROOK STATION

INVITE YOU TO

CHRISTMAS CAROLS

GLAZEBROOK VILLAGE GREEN

SUNDAY 21ST DECEMBER 2.30PM

CADISHEAD BRASS BAND
ROTARY CLUB SANTA & SLEIGH
MULLED WINE, & MINCE PIES

IRLAM MIXED VOICE CHOIR

HERE COMES CHRISTMAS!

2.30PM SATURDAY
20TH DECEMBER

HOLLINS GREEN COMMUNITY HALL
TICKETS: £7.50 / STUDENTS £4

SANTA WILL BE HERE IN THE INTERVAL
MULLED WINE & MINCE PIES
RAFFLE - INCLUDING A CHRISTMAS HAMPER



Sing a Long a Christmas!



Carols around the Tree
Christmas Eve
6.30 - 7pm
outside Church House
Hollins Green



*Date for your
2026 diary!*

St Helen's Church VILLAGE ARCHIVES EXHIBITION

- Do you know the village history?
- Want to know your ancestry?

Manchester 14 Miles by Margaret
Penn ...the history is here!

Friday 6 March 2026
11:00am - 4:00pm
At R-w-G Community Hall
Refreshments available

Keep Moving!

Are you looking to burn off a few extra calories?

Then check out these dance and exercise classes held weekly in Glazebrook Methodist Church Hall. There are even more fitness, Yoga and Wellbeing classes held regularly at the Community Hall - check out the 'What's On at the Hall' page for details.



Dance Rhythm

Glazebrook
Methodist Church,
WA3 5AY

Dance and exercise classes held weekly on Tuesdays evenings.

Adult Tap 6.30pm - 7.15pm

Dance Fitness 7.20 pm - 8.10pm

For more information about the classes contact Liz Rainford

07723 093920

Scottish Country Dancing

Weds 7.30 - 8.30pm

Glazebrook Methodist Church

All over 18s welcome

£5 per person

Raising money for

RwG Pre-school

For information call

Colette - 07870 966217

TREADING THE BORED Theatre Group

WANT TO TRY AMATEUR DRAMATICS?

We are currently looking for people to join this friendly group.

Based at Rixton with Glazebrook Community Hall, we meet Thursday evenings at 7.45pm.

If you are interested, please contact:

Bev: 07882092725

Facebook: Treading the Bored

Amateur Dramatics

Maybe this is for you!

See the flyer for details

Looking for somewhere
to hold a celebratory
dance or fundraiser?
The Community Hall
makes a fantastic venue
and dance space.

Churches

As well as weekly services (check out church notice boards for times) St. Helens C of E Church, Rixton Methodist, and Glazebrook Methodist all host weddings, christenings, funerals and coffee mornings - see Contacts page for who to call for more information.

Rixton Methodist hosts Chapel Crafts on the second Tuesday (7.30pm) and the last Tuesday afternoon (1.30pm) each month. A Coffee Morning is held on the third Saturday of each month 10am - 11.30am. All welcome.

Glazebrook Methodist is home to Rixton-with-Glazebrook Pre-school - see their page in this booklet. The church also holds a Coffee morning on the 1st Saturday of each month 10am-12noon.



Dance Rhythm's dance and exercise classes are held weekly on Tuesday evenings for youngsters and adults and Scottish Country Dancing is held every Wednesday evening - see posters and details for both of these on the centre pages.

St. Helen Church holds a Coffee morning on the 4th Saturday of each month 10am-12noon. Church House is home to the Village Green Barbers (see Contacts page for who to call for opening times). More information about the church's activities can be found in their own printed monthly news bulletin which is freely available from outside the Village Shop.



**St. Helen's C.E.
Primary School**
Birch Road, Hollins
Green, Warrington
WA3 6JS

Head Mrs Catherine McDonald. For information about the school and **Little Stars Nursery** visit www.sthelensprimary.uk

Rixton-with-Glazebrook Pre-School

Glazebrook Methodist Church, WA3 5AY



OFSTED registered 2551871
Charity No: 1037874

Opening times (term time only):

Offering 15hrs and 30hrs free childcare,
with morning and all day sessions available.

Morning sessions 9am to 12 noon

Full day sessions 9am to 3pm

Cost: Fully funded places are available; for non-funded hours fees are fully inclusive with no hidden costs.

	Morning	Full day
2 year olds	£23.19	£46.38
3 and 4 year olds	£16.59	£33.18

Your child can start any time following their 2nd birthday and we offer flexible hours, with a minimum of 6 hours per week.

Staffing: Pre-school staff are highly qualified and experienced, including holding SEND and Makaton qualifications.

To enquire about a place for your child contact the team on **07815 561372** or email rwgpreschool@outlook.com For more information visit their FB page: <https://www.facebook.com/RWGpreschool/>

Christmas Coffee Morning Thursday 18th December

All are welcome - 10.30am
Glazebrook Methodist Church

Quiz Night

Coming up in 2026, Pre-school will be holding a fundraising Quiz Night in February - date yet to be confirmed.

R-W-G TOTS GROUP **NEW**
EVERY THURSDAY MORNING
09:30-11:30

CRAFTING, COLOURING, SINGING
AND MORE...

★ TERM TIME ONLY ★

£3 PER CHILD AND ADULT £1 FOR ADDITIONAL CHILDREN
MAXIMUM OF 2 CHILDREN PER ADULT
FROM BIRTH TO SCHOOL AGE

TEA, COFFEE AND TOAST INCLUDED IN THE PRICE

Rixton-with-Glazebrook pre-school
Glazebrook Methodist Church
Glazebrook lane, WA3 5AY
07815561372

Eating Out - Pubs & Cafes

The **Red Lion** and **Black Swan** in Hollins Green both offer food and drink, with dining spaces indoors and out. Contact them direct for their opening times and latest offers. Both pubs have green spaces outside where children can let off some steam!

The **Black Swan** boasts a beautiful village pond, as well as extensive outdoor seating areas and children's play area. It also has 14 rooms for those looking for a place for family or friends to stay. To find out more visit: theblackswan.co.uk : facebook.com/blackswanatrixton/



Ye Olde Red Lion / La Sher offers a bar, home cooked traditional English food and an Indian Cuisine dine in restaurant and takeaway. Visit their Facebook page facebook.com/YeOldeRedLionhollinsgreen/

The Greenery café at 96 Glazebrook Lane, WA3 5BE has become increasingly popular. As well as selling fresh flowers, wreaths, gifts and cards, they also serve delicious coffee, cakes and a variety of tasty refreshments to eat in or takeaway. Opening Times are: Tues - Fri 8am-5pm and Sat & Sun 9am - 4pm.



Moat Café on the corner of Moat Lane and Manchester Road offers a cooked breakfast, lunch and more. Open Mon-Fri 8am - 1.30pm and Sat 7am - 12.30pm it is a great morning stop off for walkers and cyclists, being close to Rixton Claypits Nature Reserve.

For contact details for the above facilities see Contacts page

Volunteering Opportunities

The Parish would not be the community it is without the support of all the kind volunteers who give their time, skills and energy for the benefit of all who live and work here.

Whatever your age, if you can spare a few hours on a one-off basis, or a bit more regularly, please get in touch with any of the following groups who would all welcome your voluntary help and support.

The Village Shop	Julie Atkinson - 0161 775 7022
Scouts	James Taylor - 07793 002025
Community Hall	Andy Eaves - 07368 970112
Community Plan Group	Jill - jilleaves@hotmail.co.uk
Parish Carnival	Anne McArthur - 07891 838085
Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery	Mandy Eccles - 07767 075211
Friends of Glazebrook Station	Julie Easty - 07979 266352

Hamilton Davies Trust also work closely with volunteers in order to facilitate support for community groups in Rixton-with-Glazebrook, Irlam and Cadishead, to help them with various tasks such as gardening, litter picking and more.

Call **0161 222 4003** or email
hello@hamiltondavies.org.uk





Registered charity The Rotary Club of Irlam have supported many local community groups within Irlam, Cadishead and Rixton-with-Glazebrook with funding towards their group projects. Contact them directly at

Secretary@irlamrotary.co.uk or **07801 354815** to chat to them about how they may be able to help your community group, or to find out more about how you can become a member or how you could offer to volunteer. Your help would be most welcome!

Message from Rixton-with-Glazebrook Parish Council (PC)

Chair - Julie Eastty

“It has been a busy six months for the Parish Council. We were proud to support the installation of a new defibrillator on Chapel Lane, and to help provide a new sign for Rixton with Glazebrook Pre-School, a place that plays a special role in the lives of our youngest children. We have also raised concerns with Warrington Borough Council about the Warburton Bridge discount scheme, which continues to place an unfair burden on Glazebrook residents. We remain committed to standing up for our community.

Throughout the year, we have worked together to address issues such as fly-tipping, blocked drains, and overgrown hedges. Your willingness to report problems makes such a difference. A heartfelt thank you must also go to our wonderful community groups, whose dedication keeps Hollins Green and Glazebrook looking beautiful.

This year marked the 80th anniversary of VE Day, a powerful reminder of the courage, sacrifice, and resilience of those who came before us. The Remembrance Service at St Helen’s Church was once again deeply moving, and I was honoured to read the words: *“We will remember them.”*

As Christmas approaches I’m reminded of the warmth, kindness and community spirit that make our villages such special places to live. Whether you celebrate Christmas, or simply enjoy the festive season your own way, I wish each of you peace, happiness and good health!”

Parish Councillors - Julie Eastty (Chair) : Liz Clarke (Vice Chair) : Dave McLachlan: Julie Givvons : Keith Whittam : John Silke

Meetings are held at the Community Hall on the 3rd Wednesday of each month (except August & December) starting at 7pm.

2026: 21th Jan : 18th Feb : 18th March : 15th Apr : 20th May : 17th June
Details are on our website rixtonwithglazebrook-pc.gov.uk

Meetings are public and anyone can attend and observe. If you have anything you want discussed at a meeting, please contact our clerk Nick McCarthy by email on rixtonwithglazebrookpc@gmail.com

Warrington Borough Council (WBC)

WBC Cllr Hilary Cooksey - cllrhilary.cooksey@warrington.gov.uk

WBC Cllr Lawrence Sheridan - cllr.l.sheridan@warrington.gov.uk

WBC Cllr Rob Tynan - cllrrob.tynan@warrington.gov.uk

WBC website - www.warrington.gov.uk

Issues, such as potholes and streetlights can be reported by visiting:

<https://www.warrington.gov.uk/report-and-apply>

Fly tipping can be reported via their customer contact centre on environmentalcrime@warrington.gov.uk or call **01925 443322**.

Police

Our local PCSO, Bethan Roberts, continues to patrol our Parish.

- Non urgent incident reporting **101** (ask for Cheshire Police)
- Emergency incident reporting **999**

24 hour publicly accessible defibrillators in Irlam, Cadishead & RWG

1 RWG Community Hall Manchester Rd, Hollins Green, WA3 6JZ	9 Irlam Steel Club Pavilion 524-526 Liverpool Rd, Irlam, M44 6AJ	17 Kay Group Irlam Gateway Liverpool Rd, Irlam, M44 6FW
2 Cadishead Rhinos ARLFC Lords Street, Cadishead, M44 5EH	10 Irlam Fire Station 19 Fairhills Rd, Irlam, M44 6BA	18 Glazebrook Train Station Glazebrook Ln, WA3 5BA
3 Coach & Horses Pub 196 Liverpool Rd, Cadishead, M44 5DB	11 Irlam Leisure Centre 243 Liverpool Rd, Irlam, M44 6BR	15 Alpine View Mytholme Ave, Cadishead, M44 5UH
4 Hamilton Davies House 117c Liverpool Rd, Cadishead, M44 5BG	12 Boat House Ferry Rd, Irlam, M44 6DN	20 St John the Baptist Vicarage Rd, Irlam, M44 6WA
5 Dale House The Meadows, Cadishead, M44 5AP	13 Higher Irlam Social Club Cutnook Ln, Irlam, M44 6JS	
6 Cadishead Sports JFC Rowson Dr, Cadishead, M44 5YW	14 Tiger Moth Swallow Dr, Irlam, M44 6PT	
7 Irlam Station Station Rd, Irlam, M44 5ZR	15 Christine's Tea Room 86 Liverpool Rd, Irlam, M44 6FN	
8 Irlam Post Office 570 Liverpool Rd, Irlam, M44 6NZ	16 Fledglings Nursery Fiddlers Ln, Irlam, M44 6QE	

THIS MAP IS TO BE USED ONLY FOR AWARENESS! IF YOU NEED A DEFIB, CALL 999 AND THEY WILL TELL YOU WHERE YOUR CLOSEST AVAILABLE DEFIB IS.

Hamilton Davies Trust

Rixton-with-Glazebrook, Irlam and Cadishead have 20 publicly accessible defibrillators. Our nearest 2 are located at Glazebrook Station and Hollins Green Community Hall, with a new one soon to be located outside Rixton Methodist Chapel. The map, produced by the Hamilton Davies Trust, lists all current locations and can be downloaded from irlamandcadishead.net



COMMUNITY CONTACTS

All contacts were correct at the time of going to print

All Creatures Veterinary Centre	Reception	0161 777 8484
Chair Yoga	Denise Fraser	07952 680588
Chandra Yoga	Jo	jo@yogawhen.com
Chapel Crafts	Margery Green	0161 775 4372
Community Coffee	Andy Eaves	07368 970112
Community Plan Group	Andy Eaves	07368 970112
Community Shop - Hollins Green	Julie Atkinson	0161 775 7022
Dance Fitness	Liz Rainford	07723 093920
Dance Rhythm and Adult Tap Class	Liz Rainford	07723 093920
Fitness Class for over 50s	Susan Chin	07702 810248
Friends of Glazebrook Station (FROGS)	Julie Eastty	07979 266352
Friends of Hollinfare Cemetery	Pete Higson	07806 994718
Friends of St. Helen's C.E. School	Reception	0161 775 2935
Glazebrook Methodist Church	Mylvia Hunt	0161 775 2263
Glazebrook Toddlers	Elizabeth Patten	07815 484863
Glazebrook Women's Institute	Maureen Banner	01925 815707
Hollins Green Art Class	Rachelle	07724 052628
Hollins Green Beavers	James Taylor	07793 002025
Hollins Green Indoor Bowling	Ken Schofield	07733 760169
Hollins Green Cubs & Scout Leader	James Taylor	07793 002025
Hollins Green Scouts	James Taylor	07793 002025
IT Course	Anthony	07405 080762 itcourse@gmx.com
Little Stars Nursery	School Office	0161 775 2935
Messy Church	Linda Ogden	0161 775 2340

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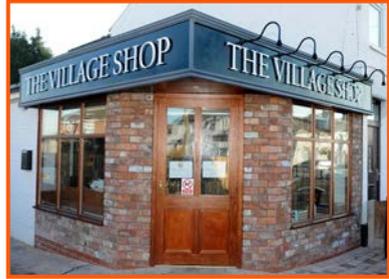
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Moat Cafe	Linda Shuker	07584 296783
Parish Carnival Committee	Anne McArthur	07891 838085
Parish Council	Julie Eastty	07979 266352
Rixton Claypits	The Ranger	0161 777 9726
Rixton Dog School	Debra Adderley	07815 855016
Rixton Methodist Religious Worship	Linda Ogden	0161 775 2340
Rixton Tennis Club	Margaret	07815 484863
Rixton-with-Glazebrook Community Hall	Bookings	see Hall page for email
Rixton-with-Glazebrook Pre-school	Elizabeth Patten	07815 561372
Scottish Country Dancing	Colette Fairfax	07870 966217
St. Helen's C.E. Aided Primary School	School Office	0161 775 2935
St. Helen's Church	Rev Cannon Bob Lewis	07789 402954
The Black Swan	Reception	0161 222 4444
The Greenery - Cafe & Flowers	Anne & Mark	0161 775 7095
The Rotary Club of Irlam	Dave Taylor	07801 354815
Treading the Bored (Theatre Group)	Laurence Harrison	07483 404349
Village Green Barbers	Jayne Norris	07967 232803
Village Show	Neil Trownson	01925 266538
Warrington Borough Council	3 Councillors	See WBC page
Ye Olde Red Lion / La Sher	Reception	0161 775 1314
Yoga	Holly Bailey	07732 733862

Community Hall hire for a one-off function, community activity, or enquiries email:
bookings@rixtoncommhall.co.uk

VILLAGE SHOP

Serving the Community



Opening Hours

Monday - Saturday 8am - 6pm
Sunday 8am - 1pm

533 Manchester Rd, Hollins Green WA3 6JU

FREE HOME DELIVERY SERVICE

**Available to all Rixton-with-Glazebrook residents
subject to volunteer and produce availability**

TO PLACE AN ORDER

Phone the Village Shop on 0161 775 7022 between 1pm - 4pm only

**Deliveries will be made next day from
Monday – Saturday / No deliveries on Sunday**

NO CASH HANDLING

**Payment will be taken over the phone
once your order is ready for dispatch**

**For more information about your local shop visit their FB page
[facebook.com/Hollinsgreeshop](https://www.facebook.com/Hollinsgreeshop)**