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District Councillor - William Armitage (01246)590486
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2 King George St, Wesstington S55 6DZ

- **Parish Clerk/Burial Clerk:** Sara Atkinson (01246) 863018
E-Mail: parishclerk@ashover-pc.gov.uk
40 Woodland Way, Old Tupton, Chesterfield S42 6JA

USEFUL CONTACT NUMBERS:-

Derbyshire County Council – 01629 580000 or 01629 533190

North East Derbyshire District Council - 01246 231111

Police – NON-URGENT calls to report crime, anti-social behaviour, non-violent crime or general information: 101

Please note: You **MUST** continue to use 999 where a crime is in progress, for serious crime or where violence is being used.

Citizens Advice Bureau – Providing consumer advice, free of charge, on a range of issues or complaints.

Website: www.adviceguide.org.uk Helpline: 08454 040506

Textphone: Dial 18001 followed by helpline number.

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ASHOVER PARISH COUNCIL *COMMUNITY FIRST*

Working for the whole of the Ashover
Parish

Website: www.ashover-pc.gov.uk

'AMBER NEWS' URGENT CALL FOR EDITOR AND ADVERTISING MANAGER

Amber News, the parish magazine for Ashover, Brackenfield, Handley and Wessington, has been published for a number of years as a monthly magazine for these local communities. It is produced by the churches of these parishes, but also contains material supplied by non-church organisations.

The Editor for many years has now retired, and there is need for a new Editor, Advertising Manager and editorial help.

If you are interested in journalism and would like to take on this challenge, please contact the Rector, Reverend Ralph Lawrence, on 01246 590246.

Uppertown Social Centre

A Registered Charity (Number 1023876)

Uppertown, Ashover, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, S45 0JF



Events for 2016

Sat. 6th February	Captain Jack (Rock and Pop)	£8.00 incl supper
Sat. 5th March	Frank McCaffrey (Irish)	£12.00 incl supper
Sat. 19th March	Mumbo Jumbo (Live and Local) (Country and Blues)	£12.00 incl supper
Sat. 16th April	Murphys Marbles (Irish and Folk)	£12.00 incl supper
Sat. 21st May	Mick Smith Band (Country 50's 60's)	£10.00 incl supper
Sat. 18th June	ABBA Tribute Night Tickets must be purchased in advance	£15.00 incl supper
Sat. 16th July	The Haleys (Country & Rock'n Roll)	£12.00 incl supper
Sat. 6th August	ELVIS tribute night (CASS)	£10.00 incl supper
Sat. 10th September	Arthur Doherty Band (Irish & Folk)	£12.00 incl supper
Sat. 8th October	The Cadillacs (Northwest) Rock'n Roll	£12.00 incl supper
Sat. 29th October	Halloween Night	Admission £3 all ages
Sat. 5th November	Bonfire & Fireworks Display	Admission £4 all ages (under 5's free)
Sat. 19th November	Rod Stewart & Blondie Tribute	£10.00 incl supper
Sat. 10th December	Pat Jordan and Finians Rainbow (Irish Rock'n Roll 60's 70's)	£12.00 incl supper

**You can book tickets in advance by ringing Eddie
on 01246 590502 or 07966 154798 (mobile)
www.uppertown.org**

WINTER MAINTENANCE REPORT EMPTY GRIT BINS AND HIGHWAY PROBLEMS - www.derbyshire.gov.uk/snow

- Report empty grit bins to 'Call Derbyshire' on 01629 533190 or online report form or by text to 86555 quoting the grit bin number.
- Request road gritting online
- Your parish council owns 37 grit bins sited around the parish, and these are identified as belonging to Ashover Parish Council, these bins may be reported to DCC or directly to the Parish Clerk on (01246) 863018 or e-mail parishclerk@ashover-pc.gov.uk. **Please remember that all grit supplied by your Parish Council is for use on public roads and footways.**

If you are concerned about an old or vulnerable person 'Call Derbyshire' 01629 533190. For more information and advice log on to:- www.ashover-pc.gov.uk and click on 'Winter Maintenance'.

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN FOR ASHOVER PARISH and TRAFFIC SURVEY

Your neighbourhood plan is progressing well after two public consultation meetings which were well attended. Thanks to all who attended for their constructive comments, all of which have been considered by the steering group. The overwhelming message about planning and housing within the parish was for developments of five or less houses and infill plots being the preferred option. Another item which was highlighted was traffic and speeding issues within the parish. Your parish council recently took the decision to be part of a group of councils who purchased a speed gun, for use by police personnel within the parish, to help address the speeding issues, also as a result of the public meetings your council took the decision to commission a traffic survey within the village, with plans to extend this across the parish at a later date, the results of which will be published shortly. Please visit the parish council website for more details about your neighbourhood plan. Thanks go out to all who have helped with the plan and we look forward to your continued support

WANTED - VOLUNTEER FOOTPATH ASSISTANT

Like the outdoors in (nearly) any weather? Like to see areas of The Parish you've never visited? Like to help with footpath work in the Parish on a semi-regular basis? Have some free time during the week? (Monday to Friday, excluding Thursday) Then, please contact Richard Felton, Ashover Footpaths Group, on 01246 590786. No particular skills required! No pay!