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CHRISTMAS LIGHTS SWITCH ON SWITCH ON

**Serving the
Community
Awards**

Lights to be switched on at 6.00pm
on 29 November 2018 by the Deputy
Mayor of Eastleigh, and the Hedge End
Carnival Queen and Court

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A Note From...

The Town Clerk's Desk

CHRISTMAS IS ALMOST AROUND THE CORNER AND ABOUT TO DESCEND UPON THE COMMUNITY OF HEDGE END.....

Haven't we only just seen the end of Bonfire Night? I'm sure someone has sped up the yearly clock as it does appear to me that no sooner have you packed away the Christmas decorations, than you are back at the understairs cupboard unpacking the decorations once more..

If you look back at the photographs of Christmas 60 years ago, you are struck by what a modest time it once was. Back then, the Christmas 'Wish List' was a very short list indeed of possibilities and what you received was usually the single most possible thing on the list, plus a few articles your mother thought you needed! The meaning was the same as it is now but the means were so much less.

You may be exploring a way to a new and simpler Christmas this year but that was once the usual kind of Christmas. Perhaps, it's us saving Christmas from the idea that Christmas will save us. That the Christmas shopping will keep the economy sustained or give us the buoyancy we need for the coming year.

In real terms, Christmas needs no saving. Christmas is entirely what we make of it. It cannot save us, though it contains the gestures of generosity and thankfulness that are halfway to being a better person and contributes to a far richer community. Christmas is all the better for being a simple place, nothing more than perhaps a shepherd and his flock, against the backdrop of a snowy field.

Traditions of Christmas are not set in stone and, in reality, each family has their own special way of celebrating and enjoying it. Whether it's having a big turkey feast or a family pizza party Christmas Day, the significant thing is doing it with love and a spirit of joy with the people you love most. The gift opening lasts a short time but the wonderful and important memories that have been shared stay forever in hearts and memories.

The attitudes of Christmas are all about selflessness and meaningful gifts of love and expression. It's all so logical and reassuring and that attitude can be very contagious.

Christmas is a moment to take a break, to revel in the company at home and to rekindle the feeling of those earlier years with the sight of a child under the tree. There is a comfort and a rhythm to this holiday that defines this time of year. The best of us is brought out in the spirit of giving, in the hope we see and in the goodwill we show our fellow man. This is an enduring holiday because the joy and optimism it brings is something to hold, share and help pass down to the next generation.

This is my last editorial, that I will be sharing with you through the Gazette. Due to a change in my personal circumstances, I have taken the decision to take early retirement and resign my post as Town Clerk to the Town Council. I have enjoyed this job enormously over the past 16 years and it has been an absolute privilege to have been able to serve the community. I will miss my colleagues very much but above all, I will miss the time we shared through this editorial four times every year.

On behalf of the Town Council staff, may I wish you all a great Christmas season and all the very best for 2019!

All that remains for me to do now, is to thank you for having read my editorials over the years and to say 'Goodbye'.

Kevin





Council News

Chair's Report Recreation Committee

These last few months have been quite hectic for our groundsman as plans for updating some of our open spaces and services are being discussed. The weather has been exceptional and long may this continue. Warm and sunny, what more can we ask for?

Discussions at the allotments for a compostable toilet for our Springfield site has now become a reality for next April. Our new Allotment Holders Committee are working hard with all allotment holders to bring forward ideas and suggestions which to us, is very useful and important. At the moment, we have a few empty plots, so a limited waiting list. If you would like to have an allotment, please contact the Town Council.

We have recently had the bottom gate entrance to Greta Park tidied up. New bollards have been installed and the very old gates have been removed. This is a great improvement!

As we have reported in the past, we were consulting with our younger generation for the refurbishment of Dowd's Farm Play Area. This is being extended to include the older children, with a zip wire, new exciting equipment and seats for mums and dads. Hopefully this will be ready before Christmas and the school holidays.

Our Operations Manager, Brett, is in discussions with an Anglers Club who would like to use Dowd's Farm lake for fishing. This is a great sport for all outdoor fishing enthusiasts of all ages so watch this space!

I would like to take this opportunity of thanking The Girl Guide Organisations for their artistic work and the tribute towards the First World War Centenary. Their display has been admired by everyone.

It seems a bit premature to be wishing you all a very Happy Christmas and a Happy New Year, but as we all know, time flies by and it will be soon upon us. Whether we shall have snow, is a debatable question but whatever you do, enjoy the festive season and let's look forward to a prosperous New Year and to continue making Hedge End a pleasant place to live.

Cllr. Jane Welsh - Chair - Recreation & Amenities Committee

HEDGE END CARNIVAL NEWS

Once again, attendance at the Carnival Annual General Meeting was very disappointing. There are still plenty of opportunities for you to help with the carnival and some of those are listed in the Situations Vacant below. Think about what you are prepared to do, so that we can keep your carnival going and reach its Centenary in 2021!

Ninety of the village's older residents came along to the Village Hall in October for the annual Senior Citizens Lunch. This is one of the good causes that money raised at the carnival is used for. Members of the Carnival Committee prepare the meal and call upon the services of friends and family to serve and clear away. No-one is really sure how long this has been one of Hedge End's traditions but it is certainly more than 50 years. The meal was followed with entertainment by the Stokes Bay Strummers. The next public event organised by the Carnival Committee will be another in their series of Quiz Nights, which will be held at the 2000 Centre on Friday January 18th 2019. The cost is £6 (£5 concessions) including a ploughman's supper. The maximum team size is six. Carnival quizzes usually sell out so to avoid disappointment, reserve your place early by telephoning 01489 690285

Carnavalesco

SITUATIONS VACANT

Show Organiser - To administer all aspects of the Gala Show on Carnival Day, booking entertainment, booking stalls, arranging layout in advance etc. Full support given, job share welcome. Interest and enthusiasm are more important than experience.

Road Closure Operative - (6 positions available). To position appropriate signs and barriers as directed. No experience necessary, training given. Must be over 18. Required Saturday 6 July 2019 between 1.30pm and 4.00pm.

Gate Supervisor - (6 positions available). To collect admission charges for the Gala Show at Greta Park. Required Saturday 6 July 2019 between 1.00pm and 5.00pm or part thereof.

All these positions are available on rolling contracts. Pay nil. Apply to Hedge End Carnival Committee, info@hedgeendcarnival.org.uk Tel: 01489 785041

Community News



The poppy has a long association with Remembrance Day. But how did the distinctive red flower become such a potent symbol of our remembrance of the sacrifices made in past wars?

Scarlet corn poppies (*popaver rhoeas*) grow naturally in conditions of disturbed earth throughout Western Europe. The destruction brought by the Napoleonic wars of the early 19th Century transformed bare land into fields of blood red poppies, growing around the bodies of the fallen soldiers.

In late 1914, the fields of Northern France and Flanders were once again ripped open as World War One raged through Europe's heart. Once the conflict was over the poppy was one of the only plants to grow on the otherwise barren battlefields.

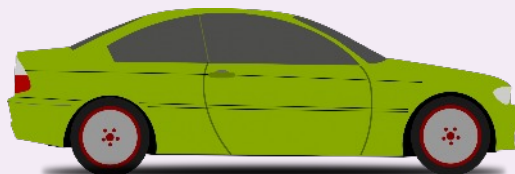
The significance of the poppy as a lasting memorial symbol to the fallen was realised by the Canadian surgeon John McCrae in his poem *In Flanders Fields*. The poppy came to represent the immeasurable sacrifice made by his comrades and quickly became a lasting memorial to those who died in World War One and later conflicts. It was adopted by The Royal British Legion as the symbol for their Poppy Appeal, in aid of those serving in the British Armed Forces, after its formation in 1921.

Today, there are two poppy manufacturers in the UK - The Poppy Factory in Richmond (the original poppy factory relocated) and The Lady Haig Poppy Factory in Edinburgh. The Scottish poppy is slightly different to the English in that it has four petals instead of three and no leaf. Both are staffed by ex-servicemen and women and produce millions of poppies annually. The Poppy Factories also do free tours, which are open to all.

HEDGE END GOOD NEIGHBOURS

DRIVERS REQUIRED

To take Hedge End clients to medical appointments...



The drivers are an essential part of the Good Neighbours scheme. They are a group of volunteers who can assist the group on days and times to suit themselves. There is no minimum time that the group would expect the driver to do. The coordinator will contact the driver after receiving a telephone call from a client and will not be offended if they are unable to assist.

The trips may be to local appointments in the area or to hospital appointments. Expenses are paid by the group. A suggested donation will be proposed and the client will be given an envelope to place their money in which is then passed to the treasurer by the driver. The group will carry out free DBS checks.

A list of drivers will be held by the co-ordinator, who will be aware of any restrictions, and will allocate the task to the next available driver on the list. It is envisaged that drivers will be called on a few times a month.

The service will make a huge difference to local people. The group is friendly and supportive. We need a number of drivers as this is a new group.

**For further information, please contact the group,
Tel: 03330 448842 or find us on Facebook.**

Good Neighbours Schemes are there for people who need a bit of help. There are 125 schemes in Hampshire and Good Neighbour volunteers mostly use their own cars to take people to GP and hospital appointments.

Volunteers' mileage expenses are paid.

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A CHRISTMAS FEAST



For the sixth successive year Hedge End's Salvation Army Church & Community Centre will be opening its doors on December 25th to provide a place where those who are hungry or alone can come and share the day together with others. "Last year we had around 80 guests and volunteers coming together from 10am until around 3.30pm. The dinner was fantastic and lots of new friendships were forged," said local Salvation Army Officer, Ian Davis.

"There are more people joining us every year for carols, coffee, a Christmas quiz, and the Queen's speech at 3pm. Our vision is to just create a real sense of community for the day, provide a great meal and have lots of fun... and that is exactly what we do!"

"We have the team in place already for this year," says Ian. "We are hoping for a full house and would encourage anybody who is going to be on their own to get on the phone and book in because a truly warm welcome awaits." If you have any questions or want to reserve a place and arrange transport, call 01489 796491 or email centre manager Paul.Northover@salvationarmy.org.uk.



TREE WARDEN REPORT

I had to spend the last week in August and the first week in September in hospital. The result being that I have been restricted as to my movements so I could not get around to the places that I would have liked at this time of the year. I caught up on my reading about trees, which re-enforced my thinking on how fascinating trees are. One of the most noticeable things at this time of the year are the leaves coming down broken down by the billion strong army of bacteria, fungi, mites and beetles, which live in our soil. Without them, our wooded area would eventually become buried under many layers of fallen leaves. All-in-all, this group effort can take about three years and eventually this is turned into nutrient-rich organic matter, which helps trees produce bark, wood and new leaves. I am very sorry to say that this is my last tree warden report, as I find that my age and health is preventing me from carrying out the role of a tree warden to the extent that it requires. I hope you have found the reports interesting and informative over the years.

Andy Jemmett



As the days get shorter and the nights longer, the memory of that beautiful summer begins to fade, our thoughts turn to Christmas and the very traditional British pantomime season.

The Performing Arts Company have been rehearsing and tickets are available for their 2018 pantomime **Robin Hood and the Babes in the Wood**.

This true pantomime version offers plenty of Chorus involvement, audience participation and honest-to-goodness family fun! Don't miss this pantomime to be staged at the Berry Theatre Hedge End. Tickets are available via the link below

<https://www.theberrytheatre.co.uk/what-s-on/autumn-18/robin-hood-and-the-babes-in-the-wood/>

New Music Makers
and Guests

A Fun Seasonal Family Concert

Saturday 8th December 2018

2:30pm and 7:30pm

**Hedge End Village Hall
SO30 4AF**



*'See me at
the Matinee'*



TICKETS £7.00

CONCESSIONS £5.00

UNDER FIVES GO FREE

INCLUDING REFRESHMENTS

AVAILABLE FROM:

THE FLOWER GARDEN, HEDGE END

OR TEL: 01489 781836

WWW.NEWMUSICMAKERS.COM



Community News

Nativity Festival

Thursday 6th to Saturday 8th December



a display of many different nativity scenes and figures from around the World made of varied materials, including Wooden, Knitted, Straw, Pottery and Rubber Ducks.

Free Admission

In the Church at
Hedge End Methodist Church
42 St Johns Road, Hedge End S030 4AG

Open Thursday 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Friday 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.
Saturday 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.



Take part in the family Nativity Trail around Hedge End, from 3rd - 9th December, starting at the Library.

For more about the Festival

Hedgeendmethodists.wordpress.com

Follow Hedge End Methodist Church or Jammy Church on Facebook for up to date details.

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TUESDAY DECEMBER 25th 2018 CHRISTMAS DINNER



Alone this December? You are invited to join us for some company, carols, entertainment and a Christmas dinner that is second to none!

**THE EVENT IS FREE 10.00am-3.30pm
TRANSPORT CAN BE ARRANGED**

To find out more or reserve a place
call 01489 796491 or email
paul.northover@salvationarmy.org.uk

Hedge End Salvation Army Church & Community Centre
85 White's Way, Hedge End, Southampton SO30 2GL
Call 01489 796491 for more details...

Registered Charity No.214779 and in Scotland SC0009539; Republic of Ireland Registered Charity No CHY6399





Hedge End Rotary - Update Report

As we move further into Autumn we approach a very busy time for Rotary Clubs and **Hedge End Rotary** is certainly no exception.

We are delighted to say that our fundraising efforts to enable local schools to receive visits from the **Life Education Wessex** bus have come to fruition. All primary schools in the Hedge End area who wish to do so are taking the opportunity to use this valuable service, which prepares young people to cope with the many challenges that modern life brings.

The next big event is our annual **Shoe Box scheme**. This year, we will be collecting shoeboxes filled with lots of lovely gifts for disadvantaged children in Albania, Montenegro, Moldova and Romania. Since 1995 we have been a part of our district appeal and last year our club alone collected 444 shoeboxes! In the Wessex Rotary district 56 Rotary Clubs collected 26,919 boxes. We are very grateful to local schools, craft groups, churches and many wonderful people in Hedge End for the boxes that they donate.

It is always important to think about what this is all for and we recently had the opportunity to see some pictures of children in Moldova receiving their shoeboxes. Sadly, without this scheme, most of them would not receive anything at all and seeing their lovely smiles made us all the more enthusiastic about this very worthwhile campaign.

As we go through November and December, we will be preparing to help **Father Christmas** when he meets the children at the switching on of the **Hedge End Christmas Lights on November 29th** and when he comes around the streets just before Christmas.

On November 28th, we are looking forward to supporting our fellow Rotarians at Southampton Clausentum Rotary Club when they hold their Quiz at West End Parish Hall.

As we go into the New Year our focus will be on the popular Rotary schools competitions such as **Young Musician and Youth Speaks** where we never fail to be impressed by the extremely high standard of entries.

With all this and our regular breakfast and evening meetings we are looking forward to a very interesting and enjoyable few months ahead. *If you would like to know more about Hedge End Rotary or are considering joining us, you can find us on Facebook, Twitter, or on our Website. Alternatively phone David Baynes on 01489 690126.*





COULD YOU BECOME A GIRLGUIDING VOLUNTEER - HELPING TODAY'S YOUNG GIRLS REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL?



You don't need to have been in Girlguiding before to think about joining us as a leader. Girlguiding Itchen Valley Division covers Hedge End and Botley, already enabling 460 girls in 18 units to experience the fun and adventure that guiding offers. We currently have five Rainbow units (age 5-7), seven Brownie units (age 7-10), five Guide units (age 10-14) and one Ranger unit (age 14-18), which is fantastic!



Unfortunately we have waiting lists, so more leaders are desperately needed to support the existing units and allow new ones to be opened. Housing has increased and all the new girls this brings, deserve access to Girlguiding and the life changing experiences and rewards that it offers.

We are looking for: -

Uniformed volunteers - you need to be 18 or over, undergo a DBS (Disclosure and Barring Service) check and will be given training in first aid, safeguarding and leadership skills.

Non-Uniform volunteers - you need to be 18 or over and undergo a DBS check. You will be given assistance as needed and can support a unit in many different ways, such as unit helper, treasurer etc. Right now, we desperately need to open a new Rainbow and Guide unit, followed by other units for all ages in the near future.

But we can't do this without volunteers - could you help? Maybe you and a friend could take on a new challenge together? It is a safe, all-girl environment, where they take part in a very varied programme.

What they do in Guiding stays with them as they grow into adults. They develop the skills and confidence needed to reach their potential - as students, colleagues, parents, friends and citizens - becoming the young women they want to be.

To start the process just go to www.girlguiding.org.uk > get involved (top centre) > become a volunteer > register your interest and click 'register now'.

Your application will be sent to our Division Commissioner, who will then arrange a chat over coffee about what is involved and where you could see yourself fitting in.

Come and join in the fun, rewards and friendship of Girlguiding. We look forward to welcoming you!



FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

Are you a local group in Hedge End?

Do you need some funding?

Can Hedge End Town Council help?

A small pot of money may be available from Hedge End Town Council depending on the need.

For more details, phone Carolyn on 01489 780440 or e-mail reception@hedgeend-tc.gov.uk

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

Thursday 29 November

Hedge End Town Centre

Stalls 4.30 - 6.30pm

Lights to be switched on at 6pm by the Deputy Mayor of Eastleigh, & The Hedge End Carnival Court...



School &
Local Choirs

Costa Coffee

Storytime & Crafts
@ Hedge End Library
4.30pm - 6.30pm

Children's Ride

Dance & Theatre
Performances

**& Father
Christmas!**

Join us for some festive family fun..

**EVENT
ON
H
SWITCH**

SERVING THE COMMUNITY AWARD

2018

Do you know someone who volunteers their time to help in the local community?

For further information and application form, Contact:
Hedge End Town Council, 2000 Centre, St Johns Rd,
Hedge End, SO30 4AF. Phone: 01489 780440
Email: reception@hedgeend-tc.gov.uk

Closing date: Midday, Thursday 31 January 2019



Young Person's SERVING THE COMMUNITY AWARD

2018

Nominate a young person (25 years and under) who you feel should be recognised for their service to the community of Hedge End...



For further information & application form, contact Hedge End Town Council:
2000 Centre, St Johns Rd, Hedge End, SO30 4AF
Phone: 01489 780440 ; Email: reception@hedgeend-tc.gov.uk
Closing date: Midday, Thursday 31 January 2019

What's On Guide

1ST HEDGE END BOYS' BRIGADE	Methodist Church Boys 4+ 01489 783779
1ST HEDGE END GIRLS' BRIGADE	Methodist Church Girls 4+ 02380 696222 info@hedgeendgb.org.uk
31ST ITCHEN NORTH SCOUT GROUP	Beavers, Cubs, Scouts, Explorers amazonseascouts.org
ART & CRAFT CLUB	Tue 1.30-3.30pm Village Hall Outings Demos 01489 798233
BINGO	Wed 1.30-3.30pm (Tickets 1.15pm) Drummond Centre 'Good Companions SC' 01489 780251
BREATHE EASY HEDGE END	Fri 2-3pm Underhill Centre COPD Sufferers Grp 02380 403339
CALLIGRAPHY	Wed 1.15-3.15pm 2000 Centre Beginners welcome email: mary.noble@btinternet.com
CRAFTY SATURDAYS	Saturday Mornings The d.art Centre All ages & abilities 01489 779471
DANCE JUNKIE	Mon Eve Dart Centre Street Dance Classes All ages & abilities 01489 779471
FLOWER CLUB	1st Tues, Monthly 7pm 2000 Centre Demos Workshops 01489 783115
FRIENDS UNLIMITED	8pm, 1st & 3rd Wed monthly Social Group Shamblehurst Barn www.friends-unlimited.org.uk
GIRL GUIDING	Rainbows Brownies Guides Rangers (Itchen Valley Division) to join, visit: www.girlguiding.org.uk
GLEE CLUB	Mon 7.15-8.45pm Drummond Centre Singers- All Ages & Abilities 07810 127351
GOJU RYU KARATE	Weekly classes Village Hall All Ages & Abilities www.hsgk.co.uk 01489 782038
HAMBLE VALLEY U3A	2nd Tues Monthly, 2pm Hedge End Club www.u3asites.org.uk/hamblevalley
HAMBLE VALLEY BRASS	Mon 7.45-9.20pm Community Band Dart Centre, Wildern Lane 07929 061068
HEDGE END BOWLING CLUB	Woodhouse Lane New members always welcome 01489 783690
HEDGE END ROTARY	Meet Tuesday Botley Park Hotel, Winchester Rd 0844 879 9034
HEDGE END CARNIVAL COMMITTEE	Help always needed info@hedgeendcarnival.org.uk 01489 785041
HEDGE END HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY	Meets 3rd Mon monthly 7.30pm 2000 Centre Large Hall 01489 784823
HEDGE END INDOOR BOWLS CLUB	Wed 2-4pm, 7.30-9.30pm Sun 7.30-9.30pm Village Hall Join Us!
HEDGE END JUNIOR CRICKET CLUB	Teams for Under 9s & Under 15s Girls & Boys chairman@hejcc.co.uk
HEDGE END RANGERS FC	League football for all ages Girls & Boys Rodaway Pavilion 07876 037653
JAMZ DANCE	Zumba, Street & Toddler Classes Hedge End Club www.jamzdance.co.uk 07929 095405
LINE DANCING	Line dancing classes Fri 10 - 11am Village Hall All Levels & Abilites 07967631739
MACULAR DISEASE SOCIETY	Central Vision Loss Support United Reformed Church 01264 321963
NEW MUSIC MAKERS	Thurs 7.30pm Methodist Church Light Music Show songs 02380 454285
OVER 60'S CLUB	Mon 1pm-3.30pm 2000 Centre New members welcome 07818 802 241
POP IN CAFE	Wed 10.30am - 12 noon Methodist Church Tea, Coffee, Chat & Booksale Just pop in!
PILATES	Mon (10-11am), 2000 Centre Fri (11am-12pm) Village Hall All levels & abilities 07967 631739
PERFORM	Fri 4 & 5pm Turnpike Pavilion Drama Dance Sing Age 4-7s enquiries@perform.org.uk 0207 2559120
PERFORMING ARTS COMPANY (YOUTH)	Youth Drama (14-30) Sun & Mon HEYCA 01489 690140
PAULA'S ZUMBA / 'FITSTEPS'	Thurs 6.30pm (Fitsteps) 7.30pm (Zumba) 2000 Centre 07731320440
RETIREMENT CLUB	Tue 1pm - 3.30pm 2000 Centre Cards Bingo 01489 790552
ROCK CHOIR	Wednesday Eve Wildern School Main Hall Everyone welcome 01252 714276
SALLY JOHNSON DANCE ACADEMY	Drummond Community Centre Ballet, Tap, Modern 02380 255415
ST JOHN AMBULANCE BADGERS	Wed Eve Salvation Army C'mty Centre, Dowds Farm All ages 07827 883439
SERIOUS SHAPES DANCE COMPANY	Thurs eve Dart Centre Adult Dance Classes 07851 285860
SIMPLY SINGERS COMM'TY CHOIR	Thur Eve Turnpike Pavilion sandrafreeman51@yahoo.co.uk 02380554544
STEADY & STRONG CLASSES	2000 Centre Posture, Mobility & Confidence 01962 846605
TABLE TENNIS CLUB (SENIORS)	Thurs 2-4pm 2000 Centre, Large Hall Beginners Welcome 01489 788237
TABLE TENNIS (Over 60's)	Tue 10am - 12 noon Underhill Centre, St Johns Church £2 01489 784985
UECHI RYU KARATE	Mon & Thurs 8pm HEYCA 16+ All abilities 07970 684017 mail@uechi-ryu.org.uk
WELLSTEAD COMMUNITY CHOIR	Mon 7.30pm Salvation Army Community Church 01489 798681
WEST END SINGERS	Wed 7.30pm 2000 Centre Mixed Voice Choir 02380 404881 www.westendsingers.co.uk
WOMEN'S INSTITUTE	4th Tues Monthly 7.30pm 2000 Centre Crafts Walking 01962 852721



Local Services

LOCAL SERVICES

The Berry Theatre , Wildern Lane
The Community Hub (Youth Centre), Wildern Lane
Citizens Advice Bureau (Outreach Service), Salvation Army Community Church, 85 Whites Way
The D@rt Centre (Arts), Wildern Lane
Hampshire Constabulary
Hedge End Household Waste Recycling Centre, Shamblehurst Lane
Hedge End Library, 11 Upper Northam Rd
Hedge End Post Office, St Johns Centre, Upper Northam Rd
Skyline Gold Radio 102.5FM, St John's Rd
TADIC (Teenage Drop-in, Wednesday 3-6pm), 28 Lower Northam Rd (tadic@btinternet.com)
Tennis | Bowls | Putting Green, Pavilion Rd (Apr-Sep)
Wildern Leisure Centre, Wildern Lane

02380 652333
01489 789638
03444 111 306
01489 779471
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01489 795499
0300 555 1387
01489 782066
01489 799000
07879 761660
01489 780440
01489 787128

SCHOOLS

Hampshire Education Authority
Berrywood Primary School, Maunsell Way
Freegrounds Infants School, Hobb Lane
Freegrounds Junior School, Hobb Lane
Kings Copse Primary School, Kings Copse Ave
Shamblehurst Primary School , Wildern Lane
Wellstead Primary School, Wellstead Way
Wildern Secondary School, Wildern Lane

01962 869611
01489 780068
01489 782075
01489 782295
01489 785040
01489 782342
01489 799351
01489 783473

HEALTH

St Luke's Surgery, St Lukes Close
The Medical Centre, 24-26 Lower Northam Rd
Hedge End Dental Surgery (NHS), Saracen House, Freegrounds Avenue

01489 783422
01489 785722
01489 790661

PLACES OF WORSHIP

Hedge End Baptist Church, 72A Upper Northam Rd
Hedge End Methodist Church, 42 St John's Rd
Hedge End United Reformed Church , St Johns Rd
Kings Community Church, Upper Northam Close
Our Lady of the Assumption Catholic Church, 3 Freegrounds Rd
St John's The Evangelist Church (C of E), St Johns Rd
St Luke's Church, St Luke's Close
The Salvation Army Community Church, Wellstead Way

01489 786260
02380 739328
01489 787408
01489 784333
02380 449088
01489 790048
01489 781448
01489 798681

COMMUNITY HALLS FOR HIRE

2000 Centre (Large & Small Hall), St Johns Rd (HETC)
Drummond Community Centre, Drummond Rd, Grange Park (HETC)
Norman Rodaway Pavilion, Heathhouse Lane (HETC)
Turnpike Pavilion, Turnpike Way (HETC)
Hedge End Village Hall, St Johns Rd
Hedge End Youth & Community Association Halls (Old School House), St Johns Rd
Methodist Church Hall, St Johns Rd
Underhill Centre, St Johns Rd
United Reformed Church Hall, St Johns Rd

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Office Opening Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8.30am - 5pm

Friday: 8.30am - 4.30pm

Saturday, Sunday & Bank Holidays: Closed

Contact Us

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TOWN COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETINGS

All committee meetings are held at the Town Council Office. All meetings are formal, yet friendly and members of the public are encouraged to attend and take part. All meetings begin promptly at 7pm, with the exception of the third Wednesday Highways & Planning Meeting, which starts at 6.45pm, followed by Full Council which starts at 7.30pm.

Recreation & Amenities - Second Wednesday monthly

Finance & Administration - First Tuesday monthly

Highways & Planning - First Wednesday & Third Wednesday monthly

Full Council - Third Wednesday monthly

Community and Culture - Second Tuesday monthly

(Please note that the Highways and Planning Committee meeting for the third Wednesday will determine planning applications only; followed by Full Council)

	Finance	Community & Culture	Recreation & Amenities	Highways & Planning	Full Council
November 2018	6	13	14	7 & 21	21
December 2018	4	11	12	5 & 19	19
January 2019	TBC	8	9	2 & 16	16
February 2019	5	12	13	6 & 20	20

Deadline for contributions to the
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