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DOG WARDEN - SURGERY DAY

THURSDAY 26TH JULY 2012

IN THE BRIDLINGTON TOWN COUNCIL OFFICES AT 62 QUAY ROAD

The Dog Warden will be available from 10 am to 12 noon to address any issues that residents of Bridlington may have. Arrangement of Stencil placement on the streets of Bridlington can also be arranged on this day.
How to contact the Animal Warden Service by post – Animal and

Pest Services, East Riding of Yorkshire Council, County Hall, Cross Street, Beverley, HU17 9BA. By telephone – 01482 396301. By email – animal.wardens@eastriding.gov.uk. In person by visiting the Customer Services Centres at the East Riding of Yorkshire Council.

FORTHCOMING TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS: JULY to SEPTEMBER:

All Meetings are open to the public

JULY		
Finance & General Purposes	Wednesday 4 July 2012	7pm Town Council Offices
Planning & Environmental Council	Monday 16 July 2012	1pm Town Council Offices
Newsletter	Wednesday 18 July 2012	7pm Council Chamber - (Town Hall)
	Thursday 26 July 2012	1pm Town Council Offices
AUGUST		
Planning & Environmental	Monday 6 August 2012	1pm Town Council Offices
Planning & Environmental	Tuesday 28 August 2012	1pm Town Council Offices
SEPTEMBER		
Finance & General Purposes	Wednesday 5 September 2012	7pm Town Council Offices
Planning & Environmental Council	Monday 17 September 2012	1pm Town Council Offices
	Wednesday 19 September	7pm Council Chamber (Town Hall)
OCTOBER		
Planning & Environmental	Monday 8th October	1pm Town Council Offices
Finance & General Purposes	Wednesday 10th October	7pm Town Council Offices
Council	Wednesday 17th October	7pm Council Chamber (Town Hall)
Newsletter	Thursday 25th October	11am Town Council Offices

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Mayor's Message



Cllr. Michael Charlesworth
Mayor of Bridlington

I am honoured that my fellow councillors have elected me to be your Mayor for the forthcoming year. I will give it my best shot, in the certain knowledge that my excellent, immediate, back up team of my Deputy Cllr. Terry Dixon, and Paula King Victoria Exon, in the office, will soon bring me to book, should I falter. The year ahead is strewn with many important events, not least the verdict of the Town Centre Area Action Plan Inquiry. Your Council has made many objections to the proposals on your behalf. High on the list is the proposal to erect multi storey buildings on the Harbour Top and after beach infill, towards the Spa on South Cliff Road. This would obscure the priceless open vista of the harbour, sky and sands we presently enjoy, forever. It can only be hoped that the Council's and others objectors views will prevail. We have the Queen's Jubilee, the Olympic torch and the Olympics, the implications of the Localism Bill and our Royal Yorkshire Regiment, 1st Battalion marching through the town on their return from Afghanistan in July to enjoy.

On the premise that, charity begins at home, I have opted to nominate, for the Mayor's Charity, for this year, the Bridlington Salvation Army, all donations are used in the town and are not sent to a far off H.Q. With the current financial downturn, there are many elderly and others, seeking help in coping with life. The demand for services is increasing as hardship bites deeper. You could help now by having a cuppa in their cafe, opposite the War Memorial, Wellington Road, when in town.
Have a good summer.

Sincerely
Michael Charlesworth

JUBILEE EVENT



Pictures supplied by Paul Atkinson of Bridlington Free Press

Bridlington Town Council struck a coin to commemorate The Queen's Silver Jubilee - 60 years on the throne. The Mayor, Mayoress, Deputy Mayor Town Councillors and the Town Crier visited the Primary Schools in Bridlington to distribute the coins to the children before the Jubilee Celebrations began. The themes of Red, White and blue and Kings and Queens were evident in all the schools visited. So much effort had been put in by the teachers, parents, support workers and of course the children. Over 3000 coins were handed out and a memorable day was recorded for all involved.



The Salvation Army
BRIDLINGTON CORPS
18 Wellington Road
Bridlington
Tel: 01262 603009

WEEKLY:

Sunday:	10.15am - Morning Service followed by Coffee Fellowship
Tuesday:	9.30am - 11.30am - Cafe 12 noon - Lunchclub Club* 1.30pm - Papercraft Workshop
Wednesday:	9.30am - 11.30am - Shop 9.30am - 1.00pm - Cafe
Thursday:	9.30am - 11.30am - Cafe 10.00am - 11.00am - Prayer group 12 noon - Lunchclub Club *
MONTHLY:	7.30pm Ladies Fellowship (2 nd Monday of every month)

(*please ring to book)

YORKSHIRE REGIMENT PARADE THROUGH BRIDLINGTON

On Wednesday 11th July the 1st Battalion, Yorkshire Regiment (formerly Prince of Wales Own) will be undertaking two Homecoming Freedom Marches. In the morning they will parade in Beverley and in the afternoon they will parade in Bridlington. The 1st Battalion are coming home from Afghanistan. They will step off from outside Leisure World (3B's) at 3pm on the day, March through town and take a salute (around 3:15pm approx.) outside the Spa facing the new Pembroke Garden area from a Dias. There will be in the region of 150 marching troops and a 30 strong Kings Division Band.



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THE OLYMPIC TORCH RELAY IN BRIDLINGTON

The Olympic Torch arrived in Bridlington on 18th June 2012 and the crowds were out to line the route. It was reported that over 15,000 people were out to cheer the Flame on as it was carried from Scarborough Road to Kingsgate. This once in a lifetime opportunity to see the Olympic Torch carried by Sophie McMullen, Gareth Thomas, Neil Sergeant and Dr Badr Al Shibani was embraced by everyone and the wonderful atmosphere made the occasion really special.



Picture – Sophie McMullen – an inspiration.

MILLAU VISIT



Bridlington was delighted to welcome visitors from Millau on the 20th Anniversary of the Twinning of the two towns. The Mayor of Bridlington Cllr Cyril Marsburg, The Honorary President of the Bridlington Millau Twinning Association, Cllr Shelagh Finlay and Bridlington Town Crier, David Hinde were on hand at the Town Hall to receive the Deputy Mayor of Millau Albine Dalle and 47 other visitors. A light buffet was served as the friends from both towns mingled and renewed friendships. Presentations were made and the Twinning Agreement, first signed in 1992, was read out in English and French and signed. The Chairman of the Bridlington Twinning Association, Chris Myers said in his speech, that many residents from Millau had visited Bridlington over the past 20 years and many from Bridlington had visited Millau. The Twinning Association has over 20 years gone from strength to strength and Bridlington looks forward to welcoming visitors from Millau again next year.



BRIDLINGTON IN BLOOM BUSINESS COMPETITION

Bridlington Town Council has resolved to hold an annual competition to reward a business that shows exceptional dedication to display floral enhancements to their business premises. The winner, chosen by the Bridlington in Bloom Committee, will be awarded with an engraved cup to be retained for one year. At the end of the year they will return the cup which will be re-awarded and will be presented with a Bridlington Town Council plaque as a memento of their success. Entry forms for the competition will be available on the website and from Bridlington Town Council Offices (during office opening hours). Closing date for this year's competition will be 31st August 2012. Judging will take place in August and September.



QEII CHALLENGE

The Queen Elizabeth II Fields (QEII) Challenge aims to safeguard hundreds of outdoor recreational spaces in perpetuity for future generations in celebration of the Diamond Jubilee and as a permanent tribute to Queen Elizabeth II. Fields In Trust the organisation managing the challenge have invited councils to nominate open spaces, the East Riding of Yorkshire Council and Bridlington Town Council are pleased to announce that Queensgate Park and Play Area was nominated and has been successful in being protected as a QEII site.

To celebrate the news a "Have a Field Day" is to take place on Monday 23rd July 2012 12noon - 3pm. The event is an opportunity for the community to get together and celebrate The Queens Diamond Jubilee as well as the Olympic and Paralympic Games. The event is free of charge and is for ALL members of the community, there will be various sports, games, arts and crafts activities and much much more, bring your picnic and family and friends and come and enjoy this day.

FLAGPOLE PLAQUE HANDOVER TO FAMILY

Peter and Irene Gullen were honoured by their family with a plaque on one of the flagpoles in South Cliff Gardens. The Mayor and Deputy Mayor officially dedicated the plaque to the family members who travelled to Bridlington especially for the event in May.



Picture – Mayor Councillor Marsburg and members of the Gullen Family, Phil & Suzanne Gullen, Julian & Christina Robinson, Sarah Woodhouse and the Deputy Mayor Councillor Charlesworth

YORKSHIRE BELLE'S 65th ANNIVERSARY



On Monday 28th May there was a celebration on board the Yorkshire Belle to commemorate the 65th Anniversary. The Mayor and Mayoress on behalf of the Town Council presented a framed picture of the Yorkshire Belle in its earlier days to the two skippers Mr Peter Richardson and Mr Roy Simpson who have owned the pleasure boat for 30 years. The weather was glorious and the 90 people on board were treated to a celebratory sail and buffet on board. The Bridlington Town Council wished to celebrate with the Yorkshire Belle as it is iconic in Bridlington and we hope that it continues to sail for many years to come.

MAINTENANCE CONTRACT OPPORTUNITY

Bridlington Town Council is currently inviting tenders for a 12 month contract for maintenance of the council's assets, which include the Gasworx Skate Park and a number of bus shelters around the town. Further information can be obtained by contacting Victoria in the office, by telephone 01262 409006 or email: victoria@bridlington.gov.uk

PARKINSON WEEK

On 20th April 2012 the Mayor Councillor Marsburg and the Town Crier Mr Hinde greeted the team from Parkinson Awareness Week at the Promenades Shopping Centre.

SMALL GRANTS

It is a prime objective of the Council to promote a vibrant community spirit. This is done in various ways, including small grants to local groups. Local groups, societies and organisations can apply to be considered for a small grant award where the funding would be allocated to directly benefit some or all of the residents in a given area of Bridlington. Applications forms can be found on the Bridlington Town Council's website www.bridlington.gov.uk (under the heading Public Support) or directly from the Town Council Office.

Please ensure completed applications with required supplementary information are received by 24th August 2012