

## Key Issues from the meeting held on Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2017



**WILLASTON**  
Residents' and Countryside Society

### Traffic Issues

Following the attendance of Kay Parry, Principal Engineer CWaC at the last meeting and comments by residents, we will be writing to Aldi about the number of HGVs that appear to be coming through the village, particularly at night. We will also be writing to Highways England to see if it is possible to improve the signage from the A41 as we believe some traffic comes through Willaston accidentally. It is hoped that the improvements at Two Mills will also encourage traffic to use the main road, rather than our village.



We have also learnt that in the past three years, there have been two accidents between Hadlow Road and Old Farm Close. These both involved traffic turning, rather than directly relating to the bends.

### Play Area

Working with CWaC, we will be installing a tractor and trailer and roundabout in the play area. In addition, there will be a short trail between items with some coloured blobs, stepping stones and a wobble board and some road signs on the tarmac path. The work is likely to take place in mid-December.



### Village Halls

With the closing of the Legion, we have agreed to get a group together for an exploratory meeting to see if we can develop a more strategic approach to the meeting spaces that we have and the potential need in the future. Christ Church is currently undertaking a community survey to get people's views on what is missing in Willaston. This can be completed at [www.christchurchwillaston.com/survey](http://www.christchurchwillaston.com/survey).

### Scout Post

Scout Post runs until 12 noon on 13<sup>th</sup> December. If you buy stamps in the village, they will support our local groups. Stamps are available at Spar, Martins and Willaston Pharmacy and can be used for cards sent anywhere in the Wirral. For more information, see our website.



### Committee Members

Following our AGM, we are pleased to welcome new committee members as follows: Sandra Kettiros (Resident Representative), Clare Jones (Scouts Representative) and Roy Spraggon (Co-opted). A full list of committee members can be seen on our website.

### Events coming up in Willaston

#### WHAT'S ON IN THE AREA

See the notice boards or the WR&CS web site for further information.

- 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> December – Christmas Tree Festival
- 5<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Lights switch on 5.45pm
- 5<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> December – Santa in the village
- 8<sup>th</sup> December – Hadlow Green Singers concert
- 10<sup>th</sup> December – Santa's Grotto at Hadlow Road Station
- 19<sup>th</sup> December – Carols around the tree

## Want more information?



A full set of the minutes of our meeting can be seen in the Methodist Church Hall, on our website or a copy will be sent if you ring 0151 327 5318.

If you would like an email alert when minutes of meetings are posted on our website, please contact us via the website.

### **Any village concerns then let us know.**

Get in touch with Willaston Residents' & Countryside Society through the 'Contact Us' page on the Society's website. Alternatively write to the Society c/o the Chair, 11 The Courtyard, Willaston. CH64 2UT.

Information about the wider area is also available on the About My Area website: [www.aboutmyarea.co.uk/CH64](http://www.aboutmyarea.co.uk/CH64).

If there is any issue you would like to raise, the first 15 minutes of each meeting is open to any resident. Please let us know if you would like to attend during this session. You are also welcome to attend throughout the meeting as an observer – again, please let us know if you will be attending.

Our next meeting is on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

(All meetings take place on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every other month).

Find out more at <http://willastoninwirralresidents.org> or [www.facebook.com/willastonresidents](http://www.facebook.com/willastonresidents).