

# West Ilsley News

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## FROM CAROLYNE CULVER

Now is the time to have your say on West Berkshire Council's draft Local Plan, which will enshrine local planning policies until 2037. Local Plans are going to be even more important in the future because if the proposals in the government's White Paper on planning become law, it will be more difficult for residents to object and councillors to call in controversial applications to the planning committee. So please take this opportunity to participate in the public consultation via <http://consult.westberks.gov.uk/kse-https://emea01.safelinks.protocol.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fconsult.westberks.gov.uk%2Fkse&data=04%7C01%7C%7C3c839bfd5cb449e2a7f08d8c397b1cc%7C84df9e7fe9f640afb435aaaaaaaaaaaa%7C1%7C0%7C637474403577752299%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWljoiMC4wLjA1MDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6IjEhaVwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C1000&sdata=ZdBSIv9czwOtkuApsDCUFAVdbPLBNC6XAYVJtKldkbs%3D&reserved=0>

The consultation closes on Friday 5 February.

Carolyn Culver - District councillor for Ridgeway ward and Green Party group leader, West Berkshire Council (m) 07976 374146

## FEBRUARY AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

All Saints' will continue to open on Sundays for private prayer between 9.30am and 6.00pm. We do ask that you stick to the regulations of hand sanitising and keeping a distance from others.

### East Downland Benefice

Sadly, with the onset of the new variant of Covid, it has been decided not to hold any live services in the benefice at this time. We will of course let you know when this situation changes. Recorded services from some of our churches, in which you can participate, will continue to be provided and which can be found at [www.eastdownland.org.uk](http://www.eastdownland.org.uk) Services are available to watch from 8.30am on Sundays. The website also contains our regular Weekly Sheet, as well as the Benefice Magazine that comes out monthly and lots more. You can also follow our church and benefice Facebook pages.

### Other Websites

There are links to services and prayers on the Oxford Diocese website at: <https://www.oxford.anglican.org/> as well as other resources and information. The Oxford Diocese continues to offer services by telephone, for those without the internet. These can be found on 01865 920930 and once connected, dial 0 for the full

version of the service, or dial 1 for a short version. However - PLEASE NOTE - this line is not free, standard call rates apply.

**Free Daily Hope telephone line on 0800 804 8044.**

There is also plenty of information on the Church of England website at: <https://www.churchofengland.org/>

### Pastoral

If you would like prayer (or other support) for you or someone else, please get in touch. We are happy to be contacted by phone or email using the details of contacts shown below.

If anyone needs help or would just like to chat, do contact the wardens or clergy who will do their best to help.

### Contacts:

**Churchwardens:** Ian – 01635 281625; Alexandra – 01635 281306

**Rector:** Revd John Toogood – 01635 247566 or 07748 822336 - [edownlandrector@gmail.com](mailto:edownlandrector@gmail.com)

**Associate Priest:** Revd Douglas Dales – 01635 247404 – [revdjdales@gmail.com](mailto:revdjdales@gmail.com)

**Associate Priest:** Revd William McDowell – [rev.w.mcdowell@gmail.com](mailto:rev.w.mcdowell@gmail.com)

**East Downland Benefice Office:** 07957 458107 - [eastdownland@btinternet.com](mailto:eastdownland@btinternet.com) – Usually manned on Thursday & Friday mornings between 9am and 1pm.

Kay and Ian Fewtrell-Smith

## VIEWS PLEASE

As you'll have seen in recent emails we're reviewing WIN.

➤ If you're reading this, please will you simply reply to the email to which it was attached and if nothing else, just say "yes"?

If you have a bit more time, please let us know...

➤ Do WIN emails end up in your junk folder?

➤ What you think about the monthly WIN – should we continue with it or would you prefer ad hoc emails when there's something to be said?

➤ We're unsure about stopping a monthly edition because that would mean a few of our senior residents who don't have email wouldn't receive anything, even when neighbours are able to print it for them (currently on hold due to covid) what do you think?

➤ Do you ever use the information section at the back of WIN from the Parish Council note (below) and the adverts?

➤ Where would you go for that information if we stopped producing it monthly?

If you have, thank you very much for giving your views.

## PARISH COUNCIL

Read the latest Parish Council Minutes and hear how village matters are being addressed. Visit our village website at [www.westilsley.org](http://www.westilsley.org) - all the latest minutes from our meetings are available under the "Parish Council" tab.

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(This post is currently vacant)		

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## WHO TO CONTACT

### VILLAGE HALL

Ros Duckworth—Bookings—281471  
[rosduckworth@btinternet.com](mailto:rosduckworth@btinternet.com)  
Rates: £10.00/hr Villagers £12/hr Non Villagers

### PRESCRIPTIONS

Prescriptions are delivered from Compton on Tuesdays mornings at 8.30. Please collect yours from Ann Barnes, 3 Morland Close on Tuesday or Thursday evening between 2.30 and 6.30 pm  
Repeat forms can be posted through the letter box anytime before Monday evening for the following week's delivery.

### PATIENT REPRESENTATION GROUP

**Fred Carter**  
[fred\\_kathcarter@btinternet.com](mailto:fred_kathcarter@btinternet.com) 281621

### CHURCHWARDENS

Alexandra Axtell 281306  
Ian Fewtrell-Smith 281625

### TENNIS COURT

Membership: Please email [tennis.bookings@westilsley.org](mailto:tennis.bookings@westilsley.org)  
Play without joining - book and pay via [westilsleytennis.jezzam.com](http://westilsleytennis.jezzam.com) or the link on [westilsley.org](http://westilsley.org)

Roger Stowell

## Window cleaning

gutter clearance and general odd jobs

**Telephone 07910634186**

[roger.stowell@ntlworld.com](mailto:roger.stowell@ntlworld.com)

## Remedial body Therapy

**Rachel** uses a combination of Remedial sports massage and McTimoney chiropractic to address problem areas. Treatment aims are to encourage **symmetry**, identify muscle **imbalances**, **improve posture** and **alleviate discomfort**.

**Not In pain?** It is also a good idea to get yourself assessed even when you are not in pain as a preventative way of fine tuning your posture and spotting minor issues before they build into bigger problems.

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