



# KIT

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2010

## Keep In Touch Downholland's Own Newsletter

Dear Friends,

Another year is nearly over. Some of us might say, 'Thank Goodness!' Others might wonder what 2011 will bring, especially with the ongoing recession and the uncertainty.

However, a new year can bring new beginnings. Maybe it's a time, to remember what really matters in our lives; our families, friends, neighbours, school and community.

Looking through KIT there is so much you could contribute to, take part in, attend and enjoy. Christmas is a lovely time to get involved in the local festivities at the village hall, the school or the local church, even one of the hospitals. Enjoy new ventures, do something that you have always wanted to do, meet new people and feel part of the village and the larger community.

Finally I just ask you to pause for a moment and be aware of those friends and neighbours who might be alone this Christmas. Loneliness is far more noticeable at this time of the year and kindness and goodwill so important.

Have a very happy Christmas and a wonderful New Year.

Veronica Johnson

Editor KIT

# **Downholland Parish Council News**

## **Annual Civic Service**

The Parish Council held its annual Civic Service on Sunday 3rd October 2010 at Our Lady's church in Lydiate.

The service was led by Fr Smith who also preached the sermon. Members of the community read the lessons and prayers were led by the children of Haskayne School. The Rose Queen, Annie Jennings, was in attendance.

We were joined by the Mayor of West Lancashire Cllr Baldock and his consort Rosie Evans, the Mayor and Mayoress of Maghull Cllr and Mrs Howe, a representative from Halsall Parish council, Cllr M Westley, Cllrs Una Atherley and David Westley from West Lancs. Borough Council. We were also pleased to welcome Cllr Mike Otter Lancashire County Council's Community Champion and his wife.

After the service the Parish Council hosted a reception at Haskayne village hall which gave members of the community an opportunity to meet the guests.

The Parish Council would like to thank Fr Smith and the congregation at Our Lady's Church for their support and the warm welcome they gave us. Thanks too, to Stephanie at St Thomas' Church for preparing the orders of service and Appleton's Flowers for the beautiful table decorations for the reception. Lastly a thank you to the children and staff of Haskayne School for all their work in the preparation of lovely prayers and their very professional delivery

The annual Civic Service and the reception afterwards are community events and all residents of Downholland are welcome to attend.

## **Remedial Works To the Parish Council's Car Park.**

The Parish Council has recognised for some time that the kerbstones surrounding the parish council car park behind the village hall were set too high and were too easy to remove, the drains were blocked and there was no surface water channel above the steps leading to the rear of the village hall. A further problem was that access to the parish field by cars and motorcycles resulted in occasional damage to the grassed areas.

The parish council sought tenders from local contractors for estimates to put these problems right and after due process, the contract was awarded to Peter Roche of Haskayne.

Thanks to a grant from West Lancs. B.C. Capital Grant Scheme all these matters have been put right. The kerbs dropped, the drains cleared out, a channel made above the steps, a fence and gates erected to limit access to the field. A hawthorne hedge has been planted along the fence line to complete the existing hedge.

## **Youth Provision in Downholland**

The Parish council hosted a meeting on the provision of youth facilities in Downholland on 20<sup>th</sup> October 2010.

Grant Murdoch from Lancashire County Council's Youth Services, Cerys Smye-Rumsby from CVS and Tim Cornah and Chris Moore from Parbold Youth Club all made informative and helpful contributions. A full account can be found on our website [www.downhollandpc.org.uk](http://www.downhollandpc.org.uk)

The main conclusion was that we should form a steering group of local adults who could help and find out what sort of facilities young people in the village would like. We'll be holding a meeting in January. Please watch the notice boards.

### **Double Yellow lines on Riding lane.**

The Parish Council was asked to consider moving the double yellow lines from outside the bungalows on the northern side to the opposite side of the road. The concerned residents who asked for the lines to be move hoped that this would improve visibility down the lane from School Lane.

Lancashire County Council responded to the Parish Council's request to move the yellow lines, and arranged for Parish Council members to meet Mr John Richardson on site. KIT reproduces Mr Richardson's report

*The double yellow lines currently outside of the bungalows on the northern side raised some concerns regarding visibility resulting in a request to move the double yellows to the opposite side of the road.*

*However, while moving the lines would undoubtedly improve visibility for vehicles travelling in a westerly direction along Riding Lane, it in my opinion reduce visibility of westerly travelling vehicles of vehicles exiting Sumner Avenue, at its most westerly junction.*

*At present drivers are forced to take a cautious approach to the bend and the police reported collision figures indicate that there have been none in the last 5 years.*

*The occupiers of the flats would, if changes were to go ahead, be forced to cross and re-cross the carriageway to remove shopping, while the bungalow residents have parking to the rear of their properties and thus aren't forced into this situation as things stand.*

***Taking the above into consideration, I recommend maintaining the status quo regarding the double yellow lines.***

*I understand speeding is of concern and have arranged for an automated traffic count to be carried out and if necessary will arrange for some "SLOW" markings to be placed appropriately.'*

John Richardson Technician Traffic & Development 01772 534614 (Office) [www.lancashire.gov.uk](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk)

The Parish Council felt that residents' concerns had been listened to, and accepted that the County Councils advice was sound and in the best interest of local road users.

### **Parish Council Elections**

Readers of KIT will remember that the Parish Council tried its best to have Parish and Borough Elections on the same day in May earlier this year, but were met with stony implacability from the powers that be. However we along with other parish councils have persisted and, it seems, have met with some success. Our representatives at the Lancashire Association of Parish and Town Councils

have been told that a Green Paper is being put before Parliament with a view to preventing a repeat of the silly arrangements that were in place last May.

We are not claiming all the credit but somebody was listening to someone somewhere!

### **Nomination Rights for Affordable Housing.**

The new housing development planned for the L O Jeffs site will have some affordable housing within it. The PC is anxious that people with a local connection are given due consideration when deciding to allocate these properties.

The PC recognises that the affordable properties have been concerning local people and wrote to Mr Jonathan Mitchell West Lancs. Borough Council Housing Manager expressing its concern. We felt that Mr Mitchell's reply explaining the Borough Council's policy was disappointing and asked Mr Mitchell to attend the next PC meeting . **Mr Mitchell has kindly agreed, so he will be at the PC meeting on Tuesday January 11<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 in Haskayne Village Hall. If you have a relative who has strong connections with Downholland who would like to return to live here and can't find accommodation, please come along and here what Mr Mitchell has to say and put your questions to him**

### **New Parish Council Notice Board**

With the closure of Lyn & Ray Garde's shop, we haven't just lost an important village facility, we've lost a notice board; Lyn & Ray's window was always the first place that residents looked for local news. Although it might not match the shop window in size, our new notice board by the substation next to the shops will allow residents to find out what's going on in Haskayne.

### **Policing in Downholland**

As readers of KIT are aware, Lancashire Constabulary and West Lancs. Borough Council are facing significant cuts in their budgets, so there might not be enough in the kitty to pay our local bobby and PCSO. The Parish Council has asked for a debate on policing at the next Lancashire Association of Parish and Town Councils and has written to Chief Inspector Holden to ensure that the Parish Council is involved in discussions on policing at an early stage. However a letter to your MP Rosie Cooper and your borough and county councillors (contact details below) expressing your concern would be helpful.

**Member of Parliament;** Rosie Cooper MP, 127 Burscough Street, Ormskirk, L39 2EP, 01695 570094

Email: [Rosie@RosieCooper.net](mailto:Rosie@RosieCooper.net)

**Lancs. County Councillor;** Cllr D O'Toole, 23 Granville Park, Aughton L39 5DS. Tel 01695 421056

#### **West Lancs. Borough Councillors**

Cllr U Atherley, 62 Blackmoss Lane, Aughton L39 4UF. Tel 01695 570376

Cllr D O'Toole, 23 Granville Park, Aughton L39 5DS. Tel 01695 421056

Cllr D Westley, Rectory Cottage, Cross Lane, Halsall L39 8RN. Tel 01704 840681

# **PACT**

There is a PACT (Police and Community Together) meeting on the first Tuesday of the month at 7.00pm in Haskayne Village Hall.

The first part of the meeting is public, so anyone who has a particular issue to bring to the Committee can do so. The meeting will then close to the public, so issues raised from a variety of sources can be discussed and strategies determined

## **SEASONAL CRIME PREVENTION ADVICE:**

- With the onset of Christmas and the festive season, it is worth reminding people that this can be a time when opportunist criminals get the chance to operate. A few simple advice tips can help reduce the risk of you becoming a victim of crime:-

### **Out and About:**

- Be extra careful of your purse, wallet and handbag, especially when shopping in crowded shops of cafes.
- Never leave handbags in a shopping trolley or hooked onto the handles of a pushchair.
- Never put your wallet in a back pocket.
- Keep your handbag fastened at all times.
- Avoid carrying large quantities of cash. Use a debit card if possible.
- Always put shopping in the boot. Never leave anything on display in your car.

### **At Home:**

- Be extra vigilant. Pay particular attention to your home security during this period. Ensure that all doors and windows are locked when you go out and that your alarm is working effectively and is switched on.
- Use timer switches for your lights if you are away for a long period of time. Invite neighbours to park their vehicles in your drive and ask them to keep an eye on the property.
- Make sure that car keys, mobile phones, handbags and other valuable items are not left on display and visible from windows and doors.
- Do not put large numbers of presents under the Christmas tree too soon especially if the tree is clearly visible from a window. Once you have opened the presents, do not leave the boxes on display outside as this can advertise what new property is in the house.

**If you need any crime prevention advice you can contact the Community Safety Team at Ormskirk Police Station on 01695-566354 / 566353**

**The United Benefice of Ss Cuthbert and Thomas Halsall, Lydiate and Downholland**

**Christmas Services and Events**

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> December

4.00pm - Christingle Service - St Thomas' Church

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> December

4.00pm - Outdoor Carol Service around the Christmas Tree and Crib at  
St Cuthbert's Church (followed by mulled wine and mince pies)

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December

9.15am - Haskayne School Eucharist - Haskayne School

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> December

9.30am - Eucharist and Nativity - St Cuthbert's Church

11.15am - Eucharist and Nativity - St Thomas' Church

6.00pm - Traditional Carol Service - St Thomas' Church

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Eve

6.00pm - Christingle - St Cuthbert's Church

11.00pm - 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharist of Christmas and Blessing of the Crib - St Thomas' Church

Or 11.30pm - 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharist of Christmas and Blessing of the Crib - St Cuthbert's Church

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Day

8.30am - Communion and Carols - St Thomas' Church

9.30am - Communion and Carols - St Cuthbert's Church

11.00am - Family Eucharist - St Thomas' Church

(children bring a toy or game to show the Vicar)

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December - St Stephen's Day

10.30am - Eucharist and Carols - St Thomas' Church

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOU AS WE CELEBRATE THE BIRTH OF OUR  
LORD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST.**

**O COME LET US ADORE HIM**

The Rector Writes:-

Christmas comes but once a year, but Oh! My word it seems to have come round very quickly this time. Where! Oh where! Has the year gone?

No doubt, by now, many of you are in the middle of Christmas shopping, planning what to buy, planning what to eat and trying to remember who you have invited for that special meal. Christmas is certainly in the air (and has been if you shop at Tesco or Asda since early October). From this week on many of us will begin the round of Carol Services, Nativity Plays and Social Gatherings (meals, works parties etc) that are all part and parcel of the modern day run up to Christmas

Christmas is of course a special time when we feel, amidst all that is happening, a certain warmth and friendship, cheerfulness and forgiveness towards one another. Charles Dickens wrote, 'How many old recollections, how many dormant sympathies does Christmas time awake?' How true! It is the season of re-unions. It is the time we remember all those who we love and care for, and have loved and cared for in the past. Somehow, in some way their spirits seem closer to us at Christmas, their words and smiles and 'little ways' are remembered with fondness and love.

Christmas is also a time, as Christians, we will recall the timeless truth of a boy born to be King. We shall be told the story of the Shepherd's in their fields; of the wise men and their star and of the angels proclaiming the news that changed the world, the news that a baby had been born in Bethlehem. What a story! But for us, and for millions of people, it is more than a story, it is a reality, a truth, that the baby born in the stable is actually God's own Son.

But how do we approach this truth, this reality? Has the story of Jesus' birth become so familiar that it is something we give no more than a nodding glance to? In this day and age when so much of Christmas, of Jesus' Birth, seems to have been taken over by the 'commercial Christmas' it is so much more important for all Christians to recapture the truth and the reality of this amazing event. And the truth and reality is simple, 'God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life'. God's love for the world; God's love for you and me was so great, so immense that he sent from heaven his only Son so that we may have hope for the future. For me that is the meaning of Christmas, through the birth of God's own Son we are given a hope and the promise of eternal life. And this truth, this reality is, I think, worth more than a nodding glance to.

So as you prepare for Christmas I would urge you to take some time to think about Jesus' Birth, revisit the old familiar stories and see if you can get anything new from them and please come and say thank you to God for all that he does for you. (You will find our Christmas Services listed elsewhere in this magazine)

Above all I wish each and every one of you a very peaceful, happy and joyful Christmas and New Year.

With Christian Love  
Paul



## **CHRISTINGLE SERVICE AT ST THOMAS' CHURCH**

We are lighting up our church with the special Christingle glow –

It's the service everyone wants to be part of.

Christingle is a fun, family occasion that all age groups can enjoy. So why not join us

**SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER AT 4.00PM**

**ST THOMAS' CHURCH,**

**CHURCH LANE,**

**LYDIATE**

**WHAT IS CHRISTINGLE?** Christingle, which means 'Christ Light' is a symbol of the Christian faith. Each year thousands of churches, schools and youth groups hold special Christingle services or celebrations between Advent and Candlemas. The Christingle orange represents the world, the red ribbon around it the blood of Christ; the fruit symbolises God's creation and the candle, Jesus, the Light of the World.

For 'The Children's Society, Christingle means even more. It is about shining light into the darkness of thousands of children's lives. In particular this year, The Children's Society' is focusing on children who have run away or who have been thrown out of their home

## Downholland Haskayne CE Primary School

November 2010

It has been a very busy start to the school year at Haskayne School. The Open day in September gave the opportunity for people to see the school in action, to celebrate our successes and to understand our uniqueness. We aimed to attract visitors who might live in the community and perspective parents from the wider community. Nearly all the children and all staff attended the event and all thoroughly enjoyed the range of activities that had been planned. All comments were very complimentary and many locals welcomed the opportunity to see the school even though they had no children of school age or connections. The school and grounds looked great and was a fitting tribute to all those involved.

Harvest Festival was well attended with members of the community, parents, friends and governors. It was also supported by members of the Parent and Toddler Group who now meet weekly in the school. Through the generosity of local farmers and wholesalers as well as the pupils, staff and St Thomas's church, the school were able to deliver 63 baskets to the elderly community. An amazing achievement for such a tiny school! In order to give a basket to all senior members of the community we rely on local knowledge to help us identify recipients. We apologise if you have been overlooked. Please let us know if you know someone who would benefit from our gift.

In October the children enjoyed an exciting educational visit to the Lake District. We took the whole school to Hawkshead to enhance their appreciation of Beatrix Potter, as part of our Creative Curriculum. We visited Beatrix Potter Gallery before going to Hill Top Farm, the author's home. The day finished with a relaxing play at Fell Foot Park on Windermere. We arrived home at six o'clock very tired but happy! As part of our commitment to cross curricula studies we aim to take the children out at least three times a year.

Last week we celebrated the Hindu festival of Diwali by having a theme week on Diwali. The children experienced a range of activities including dance lead by an Indian specialist who also entertained the children with traditional tales. The juniors visited a Hindu temple in Preston which to enrich their understanding of this ancient faith.

The children are now actively preparing for the Christmas season, always a very exciting and busy time at school. Our Nativity production this year will be "Christmas Lights". We welcome all members of the community to come and share the joy of Christmas with the children at the village hall on Tuesday Dec 14<sup>th</sup> at 5.30 pm. You will be greeted with mince pies and a cuppa! We also will be performing the Nativity

production to Age concern on Friday December 10<sup>th</sup> .We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible at either of these productions.

Future Events Include:

- Friday Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> Christmas fair (School Hall)
- Sunday Dec 5<sup>th</sup> Christingle St Thomas's Church Lydiate
- Monday Dec 13<sup>th</sup> School Eucharist (School Hall)
- Tuesday Dec 14<sup>th</sup> Christmas Production (Haskayne Village Hall)
- Friday Dec 17<sup>th</sup> "Brunch with Santa" School Hall. All pre-school children welcome .End of Term

For more information about our school visit our website on [www.haskayne.lancs.sch.uk](http://www.haskayne.lancs.sch.uk) or contact Mrs Williams on 0151 526 0614

**\* Christmas Fair \***

Come and enjoy the Christmas season in school

Friday December 3<sup>rd</sup> 6pm

Downholland Haskayne School hall

All Welcome

**Santa has promised to be there!**



**Tiny Tigers @ Haskayne**

**Parent and Child Playgroup**

**Downholland Haskayne CE Primary School**

EVERY Tuesday from 1.30pm to 3pm

£1 per child (Under 1's FREE) Snack & Refreshments included

It's a great opportunity for your child to play with other children and for parents and carers to meet others, with time for a brew and a chat

Everyone is Welcome

For more information call Lynsey on 07725121149

Email [tinytigers1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:tinytigers1@yahoo.co.uk)

Volunteers needed, call Lynsey or pop in to playgroup

## **HDCA NEWS**

Haskayne and Downholland Community Association continue to hold various activities at the Village Hall. New ideas are always needed for the HDCA and the Village Hall. It was very disappointing, however, that the recent 60's Night and Hot Pot Supper at the Village Hall was poorly attended. It would be nice for our local community to support such events in the village as a lot of hard work goes into organising these occasions.

Christmas is nearly upon us once again. The Maghull and Aughton Rotary Club will be visiting the area once again with Santa so look out for him and give him a wave! Posters will be put when we know the date. Donations are also appreciated.

The Lune Valley Caravan Club will also be returning to the Village Hall to for their annual three day break over the New Year period. They enjoy coming to Haskayne so much, they have booked every year for the foreseeable future!

If anyone wants to come to one of our meetings or join the Committee, please contact Sharon on 01704 840197 (or email [shaz.cottam@btinternet.com](mailto:shaz.cottam@btinternet.com)). It would be nice to see some new faces and fresh ideas are always welcome.

What would you like to see happening in your local community or at your Village Hall? Please let us know.

## **Computer Suite**

Our Computer Suite is fully equipped with up to date equipment and can either be hired privately or anyone can join our regular computer courses. The U3A are currently holding Digital Photography club. For further details of our up to date courses available, please contact Dianne on 01704 840175.

## **HC& LA Bowls Club**

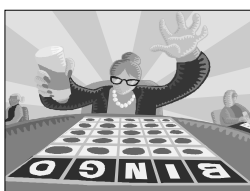
The Bowling Club has now returned to the hall for the winter months. Come and enjoy the companionship in your local mixed club. Adults of all ages are welcome every Monday and Friday from 6.30 to 8.30pm. All equipment is provided for and disabled equipment is also available. There are regular club competitions and refreshments are provided. Why not come along and enjoy the atmosphere. Beginners are welcome! Enquiries: M. Butterworth 01704 889296.

## **Cottage Garden Society**

The Cottage Garden Society meets every third Wednesday of the month. A friendly group of over 100 members. Regular meetings at Haskayne Village Hall for talks, demonstrations, workshops and parties, on the third Wednesday of the month for much of the year. During the Summer, visits are made to gardens and plant nurseries, both local and further afield.

For further information contact Sue Wright, telephone 01704 841370 or email [wright@shirdleyhill.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:wright@shirdleyhill.fsnet.co.uk)

### **Prize Bingo**



Our regular Bingo sessions are held every 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the Month. Doors open at 7pm, eyes down 7.30pm. Everyone is welcome – families included! Free refreshments are provided. Why not give it a try?! Tel: Dianne for further details. Tel: 01704 840175

### **49ers Club**

The HDCA holds a 49ers club every month. It's based on the National Lottery draw and costs just £5 per month.

**1<sup>st</sup> prize £100**

**2<sup>nd</sup> prize £15**

**3<sup>rd</sup> prize £10**

There are still numbers available if you would like to be in for a chance. Please contact Ruth on 01704 840592

### **AGE CONCERN LANCASHIRE LUNCH CLUB**

for all over 55's in the local area

Haskayne Lunch Club is held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of every month in the Village Hall. A light lunch of soup, sandwiches and cakes is followed by games, quizzes, activities or a speaker. The cost is £2 per person. New members can be assured of a warm welcome into a friendly group and new ideas or suggestions for activities are always appreciated. Help with getting to the club can be provided for older people with mobility difficulties.

### **WHY NOT GIVE IT A TRY!**

For more information ring Pam on 01695 733428 or email [ormskirkoffice@ageconcernlancs.org.uk](mailto:ormskirkoffice@ageconcernlancs.org.uk)

### **Web Site**

Please check out the Parish Council Website for details of future activities at the Hall on [www.downhollandpc.org.uk](http://www.downhollandpc.org.uk)

### **Private Hire**

The Hall is available for private bookings for children's parties at just £12 per hour. Excellent facilities are included.

Evening functions and family parties are welcome. We do not have a bar, but an occasional licence can be applied for, or you can bring your own drinks.

The Meeting Room and Computer Suite also available for hire. *Please ring Dianne on 01704 840175 for availability.*

*HDCA is a Registered Charity (Reg. No: 512022)*

### **KIT**

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KIT welcomes contribution by Parishioners which should be sent to Mrs V A P Johnson 1 Rosemary Lane, Haskayne, Ormskirk, Lancashire, L39 7JP, or you can email your article, preferably as a 'Word' attachment, to [andrew.d.johnson@btinternet.com](mailto:andrew.d.johnson@btinternet.com)

You can read KIT on line and catch up with Parish News just click onto <http://www.downhollandpc.org.uk>

**VILLAGE HALL ACTIVITIES**

DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY
Monday	1.30-3.00pm	Computer Classes
	6.30-8.30pm	Indoor Bowling
Tuesday	8.00-10.00pm	Line Dancing
	7.00pm	PACT Meeting (1 <sup>st</sup> Tues)
	7.30pm	Parish Council Meeting (2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues)
Wednesday	7.30pm (3 <sup>rd</sup> Wed of month)	Cottage Garden Society
	7.30pm (1 <sup>st</sup> Wed of month)	Bingo
Thursday	11am-12.30pm	Yoga
	6.30-8.00pm	Yoga
Friday	12.00-2.00pm	Central Advocacy (2nd Friday)
	12.00-2.00pm (2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4th Friday of month)	Age Concern Luncheon Club
	6.30-8.30pm	Indoor Bowling
Saturday/ Sunday	All Day	Available for Private Hire



**Brand New**

**Pre-School Nursery**

**@ Haskayne School**

**From age 3+**

**Opens 26<sup>th</sup> April 2011**

**Limited Numbers so even if your child is not due to start for years to come; you can still get their name on the list now!**

**Call/Text Lynsey Blane on 07725121149 OR**

**Email [littlelearners10@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:littlelearners10@yahoo.co.uk)**

**for more details & an Information Pack!**

Did you know that all children are entitled to 15 hours per week Government Funded FREE Early Years Entitlement, which can start the term following their 3<sup>rd</sup> Birthday? You receive these free hours with us!!

Children in our nursery will have lots of fun whilst having the opportunity to learn and make friends in the process. We aim to provide a safe, secure and stimulating environment, and work within the Early Years Foundation Stage Framework, which ensures equality of opportunity for all



## **Norman Jenkinson writes**

### **315 Bus service**

I was delighted to see that Lancashire County Council decided in July this year to continue to subsidise the 315 service for another year. So while we still have this valuable service, please use it as often as you can. It needs your support. If you want a timetable please ring me on 01704 840392

#### **Some useful telephone numbers.**

**Public Transport;** Arriva 300 Service, Southport and Liverpool, call 01704 536137 or search [www.arriva.co.uk](http://www.arriva.co.uk)

**Lancashire County Council** 01772 548868, [www.lancashire.gov.uk](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk)

Lancashire County Council Rural Services 01772 264692

**Traveline** 0870 6082608

**National rail (trains)** 08457 484950

#### **Some other handy numbers;**

Police 0845 1253545

**West Lancashire District Council,** for litter, street cleaning, street lighting, neighbour nuisance, housing services, litter bins; 01695 577177

**Dog fouling enforcement Officer;** Philippa Sandells 01695 585353 or email [philippasandells@westlancsdc.gov.uk](mailto:philippasandells@westlancsdc.gov.uk)

**Anti social behavior** 01695 737800

**Ormskirk Advertiser** 01695 572501-2-3, [www.icormskirkadvertiser.co.uk](http://www.icormskirkadvertiser.co.uk)

If you have any complaints about public Transport ring any of the above numbers or contact me on 01704 841231

## **Moorgate Nursery School and Children's Centre**

Moorgate Nursery School and Children's Centre are providing a free service to all families with children under five, offering play groups, story sessions, baby massage, free swimming, young parents groups and also family support in the family home – all free of charge.

Come along and meet some of the staff at our

### **Children's Centre Afternoon**

**at Downholland and Haskayne Primary School**

**on Wednesday, 19th January 2011 2.30pm - 4.00pm**

Come and enjoy a Winnie Wagtail story, craft activities and lots of information about other activities you and your children can access

We look forward to meeting you and your family and would love to hear from you what activities you would like to see in the area.

If you have any questions, please contact the Children's

Centre staff on 01695 573470.

There is no need to book, just come along on the day.

## **Names and addresses of Parish Councillors and Clerk**

**Cllr. A. D. Johnson, 1 Rosemary Lane**

(Chairman)

**Haskayne Ormskirk**

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**Haskayne, Ormskirk**

**Lancs. L39 7JH**

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