



Town Messenger

Working for the People of Saltash



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Carkeel Development

The developers have built a very good retail site at Carkeel roundabout and have worked closely with STC and CC in the development and construction side.

We have all been aware, of the popularity of the site and its occupants coupled with the success of Lidl going forward, could possibly impact on traffic flow. In this case we have noticed quite an impact which could affect the site adversely. STC, Cornwall Highways and Highways England met recently to discuss the situation.

It was agreed a traffic data survey would be put in place early May providing traffic movement data with all stores open. The information from this study will hopefully be used to reconfigure traffic movement.

STC hope to achieve a viable and permanent solution for the success of the development and Saltash going forward.

We continue to monitor the site closely and hope we can resolve the current issues soon.

Unauthorised Signage To Be Removed

Now that the various businesses occupying the Carkeel retail park are occupied Saltash Town Council is anxious to ensure that the area is an environmentally attractive credit to the town.

To this end the council has taken steps to ensure that all of the unauthorised signage around the area is removed and not replaced. Highways England share the concern and the town council has accordingly ensured that Cornwall Council enforcement officers will during May remove any such signs promoting businesses or events and will ensure that in future only signs granted planning approval will be retained.



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Keep Saltash Clean This Spring

With the warmer weather and an increase in outdoor activities being enjoyed there comes an increase in litter being generated.

Within particular, such events as May Fair and Regatta attracting large crowds from outside the town, as well as local residents, Saltash Town Council is anxious to ensure that the town presents a pleasant, friendly and environmentally attractive appearance to one and all.

Residents are asked to co-operate in this not only by disposing of their own litter responsibly but by reporting any accumulation of litter to the council so that steps can be taken for its removal.

Likewise, any regular overflow of bins can be reported to the town council, their contact details being on this page. When possible, litter bins should be identified.

Meet Your Councillors at May Fair

Eager to promote itself as an open and receptive local body, Saltash Town Council seeks to take available opportunities to meet with towns people and listen to their concerns.

To this end Saltash Town Councillors decided to make their presence felt at May Fair with their own stall, and it is hoped that a good number of our readers will have observed this and perhaps called by to chat to councillors.

It is anticipated that there will be a similar presence at Saltash Regatta in June and of course there is a regular monthly 'Meet Your Councillors' opportunity in Fore Street on each Saturday following the full town council meeting on the first Thursday of each month.



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Tell us What You Want from Your Library

The town of Saltash has now formally taken control of the town's library for the benefit of its residents, as you may read elsewhere in this month's Observer.

A number of library users joined town and Cornwall councillors at the official handover, and experienced the activities which showcased the activities currently on offer in the community owned building.

Now we can move forward in order to ensure that Saltash Town Council offers the services and activities that local residents wish to see in their own library. Currently constructive public comment is being sought on what Saltash wants of its library.

Those who rarely, regularly, or at present never use the library are encouraged to call in, look around, and fill in one of the questionnaires available at the desk to show what they would like to see available, how the Town Council could improve the library, and add any useful comments that might contribute to the local library service.

Saltash Town Council Schedule of Meetings for May/June 2019

Members of the public are invited and welcome to attend the following Committee meetings to be held in May at the Guildhall:

Policy & Finance Committee: Tuesday 14th May at 6:30 p.m.

Planning and Licensing Committee: Tuesday 21st May 6:30 p.m.

Burial Authority: Tuesday 4th June 6:30 p.m.

Full Council: Thursday 6th June 7:00 p.m.

Burial Board: Tuesday 11th June 6:30 p.m.

Agendas and minutes of all Committee meetings are available to view in the Town Council noticeboards, social media and Town Council website –

<https://www.saltash.gov.uk/meetings.php>