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Progress for Progress!



Welcome to the NEW LOOK of Progress! Our aim has always been to provide residents with relevant news, information and editorial, as well as bringing you pictures of some of the many events and activities that happens in and around our Town.

Our Editorial Board has recently been brain-storming ideas to refresh and modernise our award-winning publication, while ensuring that it remains cost-effective. After considerable research and debate, we are delighted to introduce you to a new magazine-style publication. Continuing to highlight all the news, views and information that you have told us that you enjoy, Progress will still be delivered direct to your home COMPLETELY FREE OF CHARGE! We will also be adding an EXTENDED version online! So if you want to read about any particular story in greater depth, from mid-Autumn you will be able to access eProgress via online subscription.

More details to follow - watch this space!

Pouring out memories at Mayor's Tea Party

A tea party for Littlehampton's D-Day veterans will be hosted by the Mayor.

Attending the D-Day 75 Commemorations in Portsmouth with his D-day veteran Dad, Cllr. Mike Northeast realised how important it was to preserve first-hand memories of this historical event.

"Young men became heroes and brought about the end of the Second World War. Many never speak of their experiences, but when they meet with other veterans the memories come flooding out," said Mike.



bravely fought, we want to hear from those on the home front – the Home Guard, Fire Brigade, hospital workers, nts,
Beach Patrollers – anyone who remembers D-Day and has a story to tell."

Mike added: "It is important to understand how the Second World War affected the lives of Littlehampton people and that we preserve these stories."

Register your interest in being invited to the Mayor's D-Day tea party

With precious little time to record veteran's accounts, Mike approached the Mayor, suggesting a special tea party. As well as veterans who were part of the landings, Mike wanted to invite those who remember what was happening in the Town at the time.

Immediately supporting the idea, the Mayor Cllr. Tracey Baker told Progress:

"We want to invite anyone with memories of D-day to tea in the Mayor's Parlour. A date is to be confirmed, but we are aiming for some time in the run-up to

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Big news for your town

Fitzalan Road Extension/ Lyminster Bypass

Promising to bring much needed relief to the traffic congestion around the north of the Town, this scheme is being delivered in three phases: north (expected start late Spring 2020) and south of the A259 and from the new development (Hampton Park) to north of Lyminster, the latter two sections due to commence in the Autumn.

The developers Persimmon Homes Thames
Valley have launched a website to relay
important information to residents of
Littlehampton, relating to the construction of
the Southern Lyminster By-Pass and Fitzalan Link
Road check it here * lyminsterbypass.info/
* littlehampton-tc.gov.uk/hamptonpark



Skate Park is GO!

Progress is delighted to report that planning permission has been granted for the upgrade to Littlehampton Skate Park on Sea Road, jointly funded by Littlehampton Town Council and Arun District Council with £50,000 grant funding from Sport England.

The new concrete skate park will be constructed by Maverick Industries Ltd, a company that specialises in the design of spray concrete skate parks.



Floodlighting will be installed so that the skate park can be lit until 9pm during the winter months, and a new parkour training facility will also be constructed at the site.

Full story * www.littlehampton-tc.gov.uk/skatepark









Recording valuable information about the town's exciting historic buildings, volunteers of the Littlehampton Heritage Group have spent the last fifteen months working in partnership with LTC and with the support of Arun District Council's Conservation Officer.

Funded by a grant from the Heritage Lottery Fund, perhaps the most important aspect of the group's work has been raising the profile of heritage within the town. Volunteers have achieved this by recording information about the physical features and the rich history of many buildings around Littlehampton.

An example of these lesser known buildings is N0 41 Beach Road, which is located on the corner of Beach Road and Maltravers Road. Built around 1893 as the new offices of the Littlehampton Urban District Council (the predecessor to both Arun District, and Littlehampton Town Councils), this initial purpose can be noted in some of the building's more ornate features including the clock and the stone window lintels and surrounds.

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After the Urban District Council moved to new offices at the Manor House, Church Street, in 1933, these offices were known as the 'Old Council Offices.' Frequently used by the community, this was depicted in a 1937 edition of Littlehampton Gazette via an advertisement for a meeting of the Littlehampton Chamber of Commerce.

Will You Help Keep Up The Good Work?

The funding for the project concludes in January 2020, but there are still many buildings left to discover!

The Heritage Group is keen to recruit volunteers to continue the wonderful work beyond January. If you are interested in helping, even if just by sharing something you know or suggesting a building you would like to see researched, please get in touch.





What's On!

Highlights

Saturday 14 September Littlehampton Town Show & Family Fun Day



12pm – 5pm, Rosemead Park

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Saturday 26 October Littlehampton Traditional **Bonfire Night Celebrations**



7pm - 10pm, Littlehampton Seafront

ittlehamptonbonfiresociety.

Sunday 10 November Remembrance Sunday Parade & Service



10.30am - 11.30am Parade from High Street to War Memorial

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- visitlittlehampton.co.uk

SEPTEMBER

Saturday 7 FREE

Artisan Market-Back to School

10am – 4pm High Street

☑/LittlehamptonArtisan

01903 722666

Saturday 21 FREE Arts in the Courtyard

12pm – 5pm Evans Garden Courtyard, BN17 5AP

Saturday 21 FREE

The Edwin James Festival Choir & Orchestra - Remembrance and **Thanksgiving Concert**

3pm – 5.30pm (Doors open 2:15pm) St James the Great Church, BN17 7AN

6 01243 582330

* edwinjamesfestivalchoir.co.uk

Saturday 21 September -Friday 13 December FREE

Littlehampton Open: The Sea

9am - 4.30pm Mon to Fri, 10.30am - 4.30pm Saturday Littlehampton Museum, BN17 5EW **6** 01903 738100

* www.littlehamptonmuseum.co.uk

OCTOBER

Saturday 5 FREE

Artisan Market - World Teachers

10am - 4pm High Street

LittlehamptonArtisan

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Wednesday 16 -Saturday 19

Yeomen of the Guard

7.30pm – 10pm The Windmill Theatre, BN17 5LM

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Saturday 26 FREE

Artisan Market - Bonfire Special

10am – 4pm High Street

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NOVEMBER

Saturday 2 FREE

Artisan Market -Day of the Dead

10am – 4pm High Street

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Friday 22

Littlehampton Christmas

Lights Switch On



5pm - 8pm High Street

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www.visitlittlehampton.co.uk

Find these events and more at

* visitlittlehampton.co.uk



Event Organisers see our help page on A littlehampton-tc. gov.uk/events



Join a Littlehampton Club and have fun with friends, keep active and enjoy a range of

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What's On at The Windmill?

A landmark building in our Town, The Windmill offers a busy film schedule and live performances.

www.freedom-leisure. co.uk/centres/thewindmill-entertainmentcentre

Arun Youth Projects Littlehampton

Five youth club sessions offering activities including games consoles, sports competitions, creative arts, cooking projects and trips. Young people help plan the sessions so that they are relevant and engaging.

Tuesdays

Southfields Youth (11-18's) Southfields Jubilee Centre, 7.30pm-9pm

Wednesdays

Keystone Youth (13-18's) The Keystone Centre, 7pm-9pm

Thursdays

Keystone Juniors (8-11's) The Keystone Centre, 4pm-5.30pm Keystone Youth (11-18's) The Keystone Centre, 7pm-9pm

Fridays

Keystone Youth (11-18's) The Keystone Centre, 3.30pm-5.30pm

Entry: 50p per session f/arunyouthprojects

YOUNG Carers' CARERS Youth Club

Mondays 6pm-8pm at the Keystone Centre in Wick

Open to all registered young carers in the area offering a range of fun and relaxing activities.

£19,580 Awarded to Local Groups



Creative Heart, opening October 2019 at the site of the old Tamarisk Centre, will be a love-filled, not-for-profit, vibrant community hub and arts cafe. More details *** www.creativeheart.org.uk**

Supporting the Town's charities and not-for-profit groups, LTC's Grant Aid has helped over forty organisations. Sharing a whopping £19,580 between them, this year's beneficiaries included applications from several new groups.

All looking to deliver an ambitious range of initiatives, successful applicants were required to demonstrate an offering to the community of cultural enrichment, social or sporting activities or advice and support.

All applications were considered on the basis of merit.

Newer groups recognised this year include:

- Creative Heart Littlehampton CIC who are reopening the Tamarisk Centre as a community hub (£2,500 was awarded towards the reopening of the centre to provide a disability changing bed)
- Littlehampton Armed Forces Veterans Club (granted £500 towards their events supporting local veterans and serving members of the Armed Forces)
- The Treasure Basket Association (£300 awarded for a local play therapy service to support children who have experienced trauma and emotional difficulties)

Full list of grants awarded in 2019 and other available grant opportunities * www.littlehampton-tc.gov.uk/grants







YOUR Councillors Who represents you and how to contact them

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Councillor Billy Blanchard-Cooper

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Meeting Dates





September

Mon 2nd Property & Personnel
Thu 5th Community Resources
Mon 9th Policy & Finance
Mon 16th Planning & Transportation

October

Mon 14th Planning & Transportation

Thu 17th Full Council

Thu 24th Community Resources

Mon 28th Policy & Finance

November

Mon 11th Planning & Transportation

Thu 21st Full Council

