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Community newsletter from your local Liberal Democrat team
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Season's Greetings



Councillors Tim Ball and Sarah Moore and Wera Hobhouse MP would like to wish all residents of Twerton & Whiteway a happy peaceful Christmas and a prosperous 2023.

Looking back at 2022, it has been another busy year across Twerton and Whiteway. A number of our roads have been resurfaced, new trees planted, money secured for Pennyquick Park as well as other improvements and changes across the area.

Looking forward to 2023, we are expecting more work on Twerton High Street, installation of the safer crossing point outside Twerton Infant School and a new toddler play area, outdoor Gym Equipment and enhancements on the pump track at Pennyquick Park.

We are also pushing to get the rest of our roads resurfaced, including Poolemead Road, Haycombe Drive, Highland Road and many more.

Please do get in touch if you have any issues or ideas that we can help with to make Twerton and Whiteway a better place to live.

Can we help you?

Can you help us?

- I can help by delivering a round of Focus in my area
- I can help by displaying a poster in my window or garden at election time
- I would like to become a member of the Liberal Democrats (www.libdems.org.uk/join)

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IN OUR AREA

Thank you



Councillors Tim Ball and Sarah Moore would like to take the opportunity to thank all the volunteers that are working hard in our community to make the area a better place.

There are also a large number of people that volunteer with charities, companies and business in the area who help many residents. Your work is really appreciated and many people would be lost without the help and work you all do.

Busses restored

Following the recent decision by First Bus to stop number of routes around Bath and the surrounding area, council officers and Cabinet Members have been working hard to get them restored.

We are pleased to confirm both the 20 and the 12 services have been re-introduced by a new company to Bath, The Big Lemon has been operating in Bristol for a number of years. We will however continue to push for the 42 route to be reinstated.



Twerton High Street



As part of the Love our High Streets project, it is really good to see Two long term vacant and boarded up shops are being redeveloped and brought back into use through a partnership between B&NES Council, Bath Spa University, Creativity Works, Youth Connect South West and Little Lost Robot CIC.

A series of free activities for residents are being held in the vacant shops as well as set up of access to computers,

afterschool provision, free tea and coffee, food and a warm bank over the winter.

They will be open and acting as a warm bank with free tea and coffee and drop in afterschool facilities from Nov 22nd on the Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 12-5pm and Thursday 10-5.30pm. Everybody is welcome and it will be running weekly with a break over Christmas.

There is also a Warm space run by St Michael's at the Lighthouse Centre every Wednesday between 5 and 7pm, where you can get a hot meal, warmth and advice, it is totally free and no need to book

Waste/Recycling Christmas Dates

My collection day should be	Revised collection day
Monday 19th December	As scheduled
Tuesday 20th December	As scheduled
Wednesday 21st December	As scheduled
Thursday 22nd December	As scheduled
Friday 23rd December	As scheduled
Monday 26th December	Wednesday 28th December
Tuesday 27th December	Thursday 29th December
Wednesday 28th December	Friday 30th December
Thursday 29th December	Saturday 31st December
Friday 30th December	Monday 2nd January
Monday 2nd January	Tuesday 3rd January
Tuesday 3rd January	Wednesday 4th January
Wednesday 4th January	Thursday 5th January
Thursday 5th January	Friday 6th January
Friday 6th January	Saturday 7th January
Monday 9th January	As scheduled
Tuesday 10th January	As scheduled
Wednesday 11th January	As scheduled
Thursday 12th January	As scheduled
Friday 13th January	As scheduled
Saturday 14th January	As scheduled

Garden Waste Collections

Please remember Garden waste will not be collected between 5th December 2022 and 15th January 2023. If you are unable to wait, you can take your waste to any recycling centre when they are open.

Recycling centres will be closed on Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day.