



NEWSLETTER

TADLEY TOWN COUNCIL

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Meetings of the Council

- 24 February – Highways & Planning
- 2 March – Full Council
- 7 March – Annual Town Meeting
- 30 March – Highways & Planning
- 6 April – Recreation & Leisure
- 14 April – Finance & General Purposes
- 27 April – Highways & Planning
- 4 May – Full Council
- 26 May – Highways & Planning
- 1 June – Recreation & Leisure
- 8 June – Finance & General Purposes
- 29 June – Highways & Planning

All meetings are held in the Town Council offices and usually start at 7.30pm. Members of the Public are welcome to attend. Please come to the rear of the building.

USEFUL NUMBERS

- Abandoned Cars 01256 844844
- Fly Tipping 01256 844844
- Street Lighting 0800 506 060
- Highways 0300 555 1388
- Allotments 0788 168 6351
- CAB 03444 111 306
- Hampshire County Council 0300 555 1375
- Basingstoke Council 01256 844844
- Swimming Pool 0118 9817818
- West Berks Council 01635 42400

Council Tax

At the Full Council meeting held on 6 January 2020, Tadley Town Council agreed to set the precept at £186,466. This is the same as last year but because the council tax base (the total number of dwellings in the Borough converted into band D equivalent properties) has increased, there will be a small reduction in the Council Tax payable to the Town Council. This means each band D household in Tadley will pay £44.94 for the services provided by the Town Council in the year 2019/20. Last year a band D property paid £45.



You Decide!

In January 2020 Tadley Town Council offered local community groups the opportunity of applying for a project grant of between £250 and £2000, with a maximum of £12000 available. At the next Annual Town Meeting, which will be held on **Saturday 7 March 2020 from 11.00am – 3.00pm in the Ambrose Allen Centre**, you will be given the chance to look at the various projects on offer, talk to

the people involved and then cast your vote via a ballot box. The groups that get the most votes will be those who get the grants.

We have received the following applications:

| Organisation | Project | Total cost £ | Grant bid £ |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| The Point Youth Group | New vending machine | 2040 | 2000 |
| Tadley Rugby Football Club | Grandstand improvements | 8000 | 2000 |
| Tadley Elderly Day Care | Exercise sessions | 2880 | 2000 |
| Burnham Copse School PTA | Gazebo | 750 | 750 |
| Tadley Primary School PTA | Outdoor education equipment | 1230 | 1230 |
| Churches Together Around Tadley | Arts Festival | 1800 | 1800 |
| Bishopswood School PTA | Furniture and poet | 2000 | 2000 |
| Burnham Copse Primary School | Outdoor education equipment | 2000 | 2000 |
| Tadley Citizen Advice | Evening advice sessions | 2000 | 2000 |

Make sure you come along and vote for the 2 projects you think are the most deserving. **REMEMBER ONLY TADLEY RESIDENTS CAN VOTE.** You can check your Council tax bill to see which parish you are in.



Join the Great British Spring Clean

Be part of the pick

**Tadley Town Council
have signed up to host
a Spring Clean Week starting
on Saturday 28 March.**

More details can be found:

**[https://www.keepbritaintidy.org/events/
tadley-spring-clean-week-5e1ee5899aa45](https://www.keepbritaintidy.org/events/tadley-spring-clean-week-5e1ee5899aa45)**

**If you want to help,
litter pickers and black bags
are available from
the Town Council.**



**20 MARCH -
13 APRIL 2020**

Register your support **keepbritaintidy.org**

#GBSpringClean

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