

# Barnton Messenger July 2026



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# Your Barnton Parish Councillors

**Cllr Diane Devine**  
**Chair of Council**



**Cllr Judy Phoenix**  
**Vice Chair of Council**  
**Chair of Staffing**

**Cllr Jeff Gray**  
**Chair of Finance**



**Cllr Jeff Burgess**  
**Vice Chair of Finance**



**Cllr Wendy Chambers**



**Cllr Diana Overy**



**Cllr Jim Devine**  
**Vice Chair of Staffing**



**Cllr Isaiah Ayhok**



**Cllr Steve Carter**



**Cllr Dilys Hooper**

## **Parish councils are the most local level of government in England.**

- Parish councils represent and work in partnership with local people and Cheshire West and Chester Council. They help to manage the provision of local services and facilities and take decisions that form the policy of the council.
- Parish councillors are unpaid Volunteers  
Councillors are governed by law & have to abide by the local government code of conduct, Financial Regulations and Standing Orders. Councillors must declare pecuniary and other interests in the parish they serve. Councillors must also declare a personal or prejudicial interest in any matter under discussion at a parish council meeting.
- Town and parish councils are involved in many activities ranging from providing and maintaining local facilities to running events and enhancing the town or village for its residents.
- Barnton Parish Council is responsible for playing fields and open spaces, playgrounds, Council buildings and clocks, Barnton Cemetery & Barnton War Memorial.
- The council also owns a Football Ground which is currently leased to Barnton Football Club.
- Town and parish councils are funded by an annual precept which is added to Council Tax collected by Cheshire West and Chester Council.
- In the Cheshire West and Chester area there are currently 96 town and parish councils - BARNTON VILLAGE IS ONE OF THE LARGEST VILLAGES IN CHESHIRE.

## Barnton Parish Council meets 10 times per year

We aim to improve community well-being, maintain/improve assets in the village, create social opportunities and work with residents on local issues.

### The Council manages several assets including: -

- **Runcorn Road Recreation Ground**, aka, 'the secret park' - a well-loved community facility enjoyed by residents and visitors.
- **Nursery Road Recreation Ground** encompasses a children's playground, two football pitches, a basketball court and a skate park. We also hold events at this ground.
- **Townfield Lane Football Ground** is currently leased to Barnton Football Club
- **Barnton War Memorial** situated at Jubilee Corner on the corner of Townfield Lane pays homage to the fallen of Barnton in all conflicts
- **Barnton Cemetery and Allotments** - A well maintained and peaceful cemetery for visitors where burial services are delivered. Adjacent to which are two sites of allotment spaces.
- **Council Offices** Council Chambers and meeting rooms based at Barnton Cemetery
- **Community Café** The council runs a **free community café, every Wednesday from 11am until 1pm**



**All meetings are held at the Clerks Office, Barnton Cemetery on  
Hayes Drive, CW8 4JX**

**Agendas and minutes can be found on the village website;  
[www.barnton-pc.gov.uk](http://www.barnton-pc.gov.uk)**

**Members of the public are very welcome to attend and are invited to discuss  
any topics relating to the local community at our regular meetings.**

#### **2026/2027 Meeting Dates**

<i>Monday 20th July 2026</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 21st September 2026</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 19th October 2026</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 16th November 2026</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 18th January 2027</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 15th February 2027</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 15th March 2027</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 19th April 2027</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 17th May 2027</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>
<i>Monday 21st June 2027</i>	<i>7.00pm</i>

**To request an item to be added to the agenda please email;- [clerk@barnton-pc.gov](mailto:clerk@barnton-pc.gov).**

## Cheshire West & Chester Marbury Ward Councillors

Cheshire West Council is the principal authority & has many functions including responsibility for Barnton's roads, footpaths and refuse collections

Other responsibilities include:

- **Education:** Managing schools, admissions, and special educational needs
  - **Social Services:** Adult and children's social care
  - **Housing:** Oversight of social housing and homelessness services
  - **Planning and Building Control:** Approving major planning applications and enforcing building regulations\*
  - **Transport and Highways:** Road maintenance, street lighting, and public transport coordination
  - **Waste Management:** Bin collections, recycling, and waste disposal
  - **Environmental Health:** Food safety, noise complaints, and pollution control
  - **Council Tax and Benefits:** Collection and administration of local taxes and welfare support
  - **Libraries, Leisure, and Culture:** Running public libraries, leisure centres, and cultural events
- \*Barnton Parish Council is a consultee for Cheshire West & Chester Planning Department and considers all planning applications in the village

Your local authority ward councillors are -



Cllr Norman Wright

[norman.wright@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk](mailto:norman.wright@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk)



Cllr Phil Marshall

[phil.marshall@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk](mailto:phil.marshall@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk)



Cllr Lynn Gibbon

[Lynn.Gibbon@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk](mailto:Lynn.Gibbon@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk)

## Barnton Parish Council Employees



**Toni Critchlow, Clerk/RFO**

Toni is the Parish Clerk, Cemetery Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer. Toni has been in post for 11 years and currently works part-time Monday to Friday.



**Karen Newton, Assistant Clerk**

Karen works part time from the office on Mondays and Wednesdays

**Please contact clerk or assistant clerk for an appointment by telephone; 01606 784270 or by email at [clerk@barnton-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@barnton-pc.gov.uk)**



**Julia Hughes, Park Warden**



**John Stringer, Village Orderly**

Julia and John work part-time, litter picking in the village and play areas to ensure that they are safe, clean and well maintained.

Please contact the Clerk if there are any areas in the village that require attention.

## Achievements

- The council has complied with Assertion 10; all staff and members now use a government email address and we have met the publication requirements of the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 and the Local Government Transparency Code. The Notice of Public Rights, the unaudited AGAR, and all required financial and governance information have been published on the Council's website within the statutory timescales.
- Barnton Parish Council have maintained/repaired play equipment at both Nursery Road and Runcorn Road recreation grounds
- The Council have now completely renovated the site of the War Memorial on Townfield Lane
- The Council have completed a successful audit for the financial year 2025/26
- The Council continue to make improvements at Barnton Cemetery. The cemetery is a valuable council asset, providing essential community services, local availability of burial space, environmental and heritage benefits. We provide dignified, well-maintained grounds and we are committed to the continuity of service for future generations.
- The Council monitor CCTV at Nursery Road Recreation Ground and Barnton Cemetery which has resulted in a reduction in vandalism and anti-social behaviour
- The Council have distributed Grants monies to help community groups in the village and awarded Community Awards and Certificates of Approval to volunteers in the community
- The Council have introduced a community space for hire at the councils premise in Barnton Cemetery
- Due to a small army of volunteers, The Council are able run a **free Community café held every Wednesday at the Clerk's Office in Barnton Cemetery all year round**
- The Council are working with churches and other groups in the village to promote village events and facilities, providing free access to the community room for their use.
- The Council have installed more granite vaults in the Remembrance Garden of the cemetery to meet popular demand

**Barnton Parish Council**  
**Community Awards 2026**

**Geoff Buchan**

**for spreading the history of Barnton through his books**

**Howard Gill**

**for his endless work in fund raising for various Charities**

**Mike Wilkinson**

**for his volunteering work within the cemetery and allotments**

**Barnton Parish Council**  
**Certificates of Appreciation 2026**

**Café volunteers – Diane, Judy, Pat, Sue, Jeff B and Eileen**

**Steve Mallender – for litter picking and recycling in the village**

**Poppy Spencer-Kelleff and Margot Riding - for litter picking for their D.of E. award**

**Ray Harrison – for his themed window displays on Lydyett Lane**

**John Hughes – for his pro bono work at the renovated War Memorial**

## Some of our award winners.....



**Steve Mallender, awarded a Certificate of Appreciation from  
Cllr Dilys Hooper**



**Rev. Geoff Buchan, presented with a Community Award by  
Cllr Diana Overy**



**Howard Gill, presented with a Community Award by Cllr Steve Carter**



**Contractor John Hughes, presented with a Certificate of Appreciation by Cllr Dilys Hooper**



**Ray Harrison, presented with a Certificate of Appreciation by Cllr Diana Overy**

# Barnton Parish Council Grants Scheme

*Barnton Parish Council open their annual grant scheme to applications in October each year, inviting applications for Grants for the forthcoming financial year.*

*The over-arching aim of this scheme is to help support village-based organisations deliver social, cultural, environmental and recreational activities that will directly benefit the village and its community.*

See the website for more information; [www.barnton-pc.gov.uk](http://www.barnton-pc.gov.uk)

**Grants Scheme Cheques were presented at the Annual Parish Meeting on 18th May 2026 to; -**

**Barnton Village Show - £250.00**

**Barnton Life Church - £500.00**

**Barnton Christ Church - £500.00**

**Barnton Silver Band - £300.00**

**Barnton Community Events Group - £950.00**



**Rev. Andy Webb, on behalf of Life Church, Barnton, presented with a Grant Cheque by Cllr Judy Phoenix**

# Barnton Parish Council Events Group 2025

## 2025 Events

We held the first event of 2025 on 19<sup>th</sup> January - the 'New Year Quiz' which was well supported and enjoyed by all the 57 players.

Our second event the 'Easter quiz' with 69 players, held on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2025

This was followed a week later by the 'Easter Egg Trail' for the children of the village where a trail of 22 locations was set out around the village. At each location there was a picture of an egg with a letter in the middle, which made up an anagram relating to Easter. 73 people requested tickets but only 63 people actually started the trail, with 55 putting in their answer sheets, and claiming their egg.

The next event was the Scarecrow competition which ran from Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2025 until the 30<sup>th</sup> August 2025. 35 properties built a scarecrow based on the Events Groups chosen Theme of **Film Characters**. The Trail generated 46 Entry forms being returned by the closing date resulting in the 3 top scarecrows being awarded a prize. All the voting forms were entered into a random draw and the winning two were drawn out by Kate Maddon – our village Library Supervisor

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2025 saw the Events group run its first Bingo night – 55 players turned up for 8 games each having a Line and full House for Cash prizes. A raffle was run in the interval.

The Autumn Quiz was held on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2025, again in the Memorial Hall, where 88 people turned up for a night of questions as usual there were 5 rounds with 2 table rounds, one before the break and one after.

At the end of the August Bingo night a number of people had requested that there be another Bingo Night before Christmas so it was decided that this could be accommodated on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2025. Attendance was slightly down with 38 players attending, this was put down to possibly clashing with bonfire night celebrations.

The final quiz for 2025 was the Christmas Quiz, this being held on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2025 where 76 people turned up for an early start to the Christmas festivities.

On Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2025 we held the Seniors Christmas meal for 100 villagers at the Cricket Club. This event was supported by the local garage, Tunnel Motors. A three course meal with tea/coffee and mince pies was laid on by the Catering Duo (Becky & Rachel), with free bingo and raffle plus entertainment from the Weaverham Community Choir and Northwich Ukulele. From the sounds of laughter and clapping we believe everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

During each of the Quizzes and Bingo nights run through the year there has been a raffle and sometimes an auction to raise money for 'Not for Profit Community Events'. The money had gone towards the Easter Egg Trail and the Seniors Christmas meal.

The Events Group would like to thank everyone who attended any of the events for their support during the year.

Synchroprint Ltd of Winnington for their help with printing for various events

Tunnel Motors (Tunnel Road, Barnton, CW8 4EP) for their sponsorship of the Seniors Christmas Meal and the following organisations for their Donations during 2025

Barnton Pharmacy 76 Runcorn Road Barnton CW8 4EY	Grooms Laundry 110 Church Street Barnton CW8 4JF	Barn Owl Manor Road Barnton CW8 4ET	Sultan Pizza & Grill Lydyatt Lane Barnton CW8 4JS
Spar Runcorn Road Barnton CW8 4HX	Barnyard Soot Hill Anderton CW9 6FY	Harlequin Theatre Queen Street Northwich CW9 5JN	Eastern Spice Lydyatt Lane Barnton CW8 4JS
PaintWell Navigation Road Castle CW8 1BE	Sainsburys Northwich CW9 5RT	Fantastic Fireworks Runcorn Road CW8 4EL	Hallo Beauty Lydyett Lane Barnton CW8 4JR
Anderton MOT Cosgrove Business Park Anderton, CW9 6FY	Cheshire Tyres Unit 4 New Business Park Wincham Lane Northwich CW9 6GG	Marbury Garden Centre Marbury Northwich CW9 6AT	
Poppy Rose Tea Rooms Witton Street Northwich CW9 5NP	Coopers Hair Salon 49 Lydyatt Lane Barnton CW8 4JS	The Plant Emporium Church Street Barnton	
Tesco Stores Northwich CW9 5LY	Winnington Garden Centre Winnington Lane CW8 4EE	Morrisons Stockton Heath WA4 6RN	

We would also like to thank Barnton Primary School, Barnton Library, Barnton Cricket Club, and Becky & Rachel (the Catering Duo) for their help and assistance.

During the latter part of 2025 the Barnton P.C. Events Group were advised that they would need to form a Parish Council sub- committee if they wished to continue. After discussion the group felt that they could not operate freely as there were too many restrictions. Following a meeting of those involved with the events group it was decided that the group would continue to organise events for the village, in the same way, but under an autonomous organisation – This organisation is now known as the newly formed **Barnton Community Events Group**.

# Barnton Community Events Group 2026

**2026** opened with the New Year Quiz which was held on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> January, with an entry of 60 quizzers

The first Bingo night of the year took place on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March 2026 sadly with a low turnout of only 30 entrants, (if this low attendance continues it may be that the Bingo gets discontinued). There was the usual 8 Games with money prizes for both a line and full house.

Easter Saturday (4<sup>th</sup> April) saw the running second village Easter Egg Trail. This year the event was sponsored by the Plant Emporium, Barnton. 29 householders allowed us to erect clues on their property. 96 children registered, but only 71 actually starting the trail and of those only 3 failed to reach the finish within the time limit. Every child who started got an Easter egg with a draw taking place from all the finishers for an additional larger egg. The enthusiastic response from both children and parents was well appreciated by the organisers.

A week later the Easter Quiz took place on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> April with 50 quizzers. This low attendance concerns the organisers. It is appreciated that tables have to be booked, but this is so we do not to exceed the maximum entry required by the Memorial Hall. We just hope that this is a minor blip and attendances will return to earlier numbers.

## INFORMATION ON FUTURE EVENTS

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2026; Bingo Night - Memorial Hall**

**Sat 15<sup>th</sup> August –Sat 29<sup>th</sup> August 2026: Scarecrow Competition - Village**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2026 Beetle Drive - Memorial Hall**

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2026; Autumn Quiz - Memorial Hall**

**Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> November 2026; Christmas Quiz - Memorial Hall**

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2026; Christmas Bingo – Memorial Hall**

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2026 – Seniors Christmas Meal supported by Tunnel Motor's for the second year**

**Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2027; New Year Quiz - Memorial Hall**

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2027; Bingo Night - Memorial Hall**

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2027; Easter Egg Trail - Village**

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2027; Easter Quiz - Memorial Hall**

**Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2027; Bingo Night - Memorial Hall**

**Sat 14<sup>th</sup> August –Sat 28<sup>th</sup> August 2027: Scarecrow Competition – Village**

# 2025 SCARECROW COMPETITION



TEENAGE MUTANT  
NINJA TURTLES

ET



The senior citizens  
Christmas Meal  
2025



Quiz Night

One of the  
BINGO  
sessions



# FREE COMMUNITY CAFÉ



**A complimentary  
facility for all  
residents**

**Open EVERY WEDNESDAY**

**from 11.00am to 1.00pm**

**A Great opportunity for a friendly coffee, cake and chat with our  
councillors and volunteers**

**Why not pop in if you are in the cemetery or visiting the local shops – or  
become a volunteer and help us to serve teas and cakes**



## Barnton War Memorial New for 2026

Following a public consultation in 2019, Barnton Parish Council approved plans to upgrade the war memorial site to create a lasting and more fitting tribute to service men and women from Barnton who were lost in conflict

The installation of the new Cenotaph engraved with the names of all those lost in conflict is now complete

The Original Memorial (pictured below) has been re-sited in the War Grave Section of Barnton Cemetery





**The new War Memorial was unveiled by Ester McVey and blessed by the Rev Debbie Dalby on 19<sup>th</sup> October 2025**



Rev Debbie Dalby  
and the Lord Lieutenant  
of the Royal British Legion



Ester McVey, Lord Lieutenant , RBL, Chris King, RBL, Cllr Jeff Burgess



Ester McVey MP, Toni Critchlow, Clerk, Cllr Jeff Burgess, Chris King, RBL & Parish Council volunteer Mike Wilkinson.

# OLD BARNTON PHOTO GALLERY





LYDYETT LANE,  
BARNTON



Lydyett Lane  
Barnton



# Barnton Village Show

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2026

Barnton Community Nursery and Primary School, Townfield Lane, CW8 4QT

## Timings:

Register & Stage Entries 9 am to 11 am

Judging 11.15 am - 12.30 pm

Public Entry 1pm - 2pm

Results & Prizes 2pm

Collect Entries 2 pm - 2.30 pm

(all remaining entries will be disposed of)

## Show Entries

Adults 50p per item

Under 16's entries free

## Contact Us:

Email: [BarntonF.PShow@gmail.com](mailto:BarntonF.PShow@gmail.com)

Facebook: @Barnton Village Show

## Special Thanks

As always, we are indebted to our volunteers but would like to acknowledge the kindness and generosity and say special thanks to:

The Head and Staff of Barnton Community Nursery and Primary School; Barnton Parish Council; All Judges; All sponsors. And of course, to those that take part, without you the show would not go on.

## Chosen Charity

All proceeds from the raffle and bring & buy stall will go towards supporting a local charity. For 2026 the charity is Barnton Juniors Football Club who allow and support so many children within the village to enjoy football from age 5 😊

## Entry Rules

You can enter every class in a group, but only one entry per class. No entry to have been in any previous Barnton Show.

Our theme this year is Beatrix Potter in honour of it being 160 years since her birth in 1866.

## Children's Only Section

Under 16's can enter any adult class and/or if preferred, enter the following categories in the relevant age group

### Under 4 years

- Picture made using handprints (max A4)
- Decorate any biscuit

### Age 5 - 8 years

- Picture of an animal or Beatrix potter character, any medium can be used (max A4)
- Decorate a cupcake or muffin

### Age 9 - 11 years

- Make an animal out of veg or fruit
- Picture of something in the local area (any material - max A4)

### Teens Only (Age 12 - 16 yrs)

- Photo with an animal theme
- Any 1 item from Group C: Home Baking (from Adult categories)

## Group A: Home Grown Fruit & Veg

1. 3 Onions
2. 6 cherry tomatoes
3. 3 large tomatoes
4. Longest runner bean - Group of 3 total length measured
5. 3 washed potatoes
6. Most unusual/wonky fruit or veg
7. Pot of Herbs
8. Vegetable or Fruit Hamper
9. Group of 6 garden berries
10. 3 eating apples (mixed or single variety)
11. Largest cooking apple
12. 3 trimmed rhubarb sticks

## Group B: Flowers and Plants

1. Single Rose in a bud vase
2. Foliage only arrangement
3. 5 stems of mixed garden flowers
4. Flower arrangement entitled - 'Beatrix Potter Theme'
5. Buttonhole
6. Succulent in a pot
7. A single chrysanthemum
8. Autumnal Wreath (any flower/foilage)

9. Autumnal Planter (Max size 15 inches)
10. Dried Flowers

### Group C: Home Baking

1. Vegetable cake (e.g. beetroot brownies, courgette sandwich cake, carrot cake)
2. Set of 3 scones - any variety
3. 3 cookies (any flavour)
4. Roly Poly Pudding
5. Lemon Drizzle Cake
6. Victoria Sponge, icing sugar decoration only
7. Any tray bake (4 pieces)
8. Fruit Loaf/Tea Loaf
9. Decorated cupcakes x 6
10. Cornish Pasty (meat or veg)

### Group D: Preserves & Other Produce

1. Berry Jam (any variety)
2. Marmalade (any sweet variety)
3. Fruit Curd (any variety)
4. Chutney (any variety)
5. Pickle (any variety)
6. Fruit infused spirit
7. Stoned Fruit Jam
8. Infused Honey/Natural Honey

### Group E: Arts, Crafts & Writing

1. Upcycled item (max size 50 cm<sup>3</sup>)
2. A child's garment
3. A handmade toy (any medium)
4. A handmade card - A5 max & no kits
5. Decorated Flower Pot
6. Beatrix Potter Character - Any material clay, wool, felt etc
7. Pair of homemade Coasters
8. A picture, any art form (max size A4)
9. Short poem, max of 50 words
10. A Very Short Story (max 100 words)

### Group F: Photography (max A4 inc mount)

1. Black and White or Sepia (any subject)
2. Lakes and Mountains
3. Macro Shot (any subject)
4. Beatrix Potter Inspired
5. Portrait - Profile
6. A Summers Day
7. Changing Skies
8. Special effects (free choice)

# JUST FOR FUN - PUB QUIZ

1. What is the surname of the English author who created Winnie –the –pooh’?
2. Which precious gem is the traditional birthstone for October?
3. A charm is the collective name for what type of small colourful bird?
4. From which region of France does Camembert originate?
5. In to which sea does the Volga flow?
6. Which English city was nicknamed ‘Cottonopolis’ in the 19<sup>th</sup> century?
7. Frankfort is the capital of which U.S. state?
8. Which astronaut on the Apollo11 mission did not walk on the moon?
9. What is the capital of Bangladesh?
10. In which century did the battle of Bannockburn take place?

Answers on back page



# Scouts

1st Barnton

Term-time meetings at the  
Scout Hall, Church Road,  
Barnton, CW8 4JH.

Beavers: Mondays 6:15-7:15 pm

Cubs: Tuesdays 7:00-8:15 pm

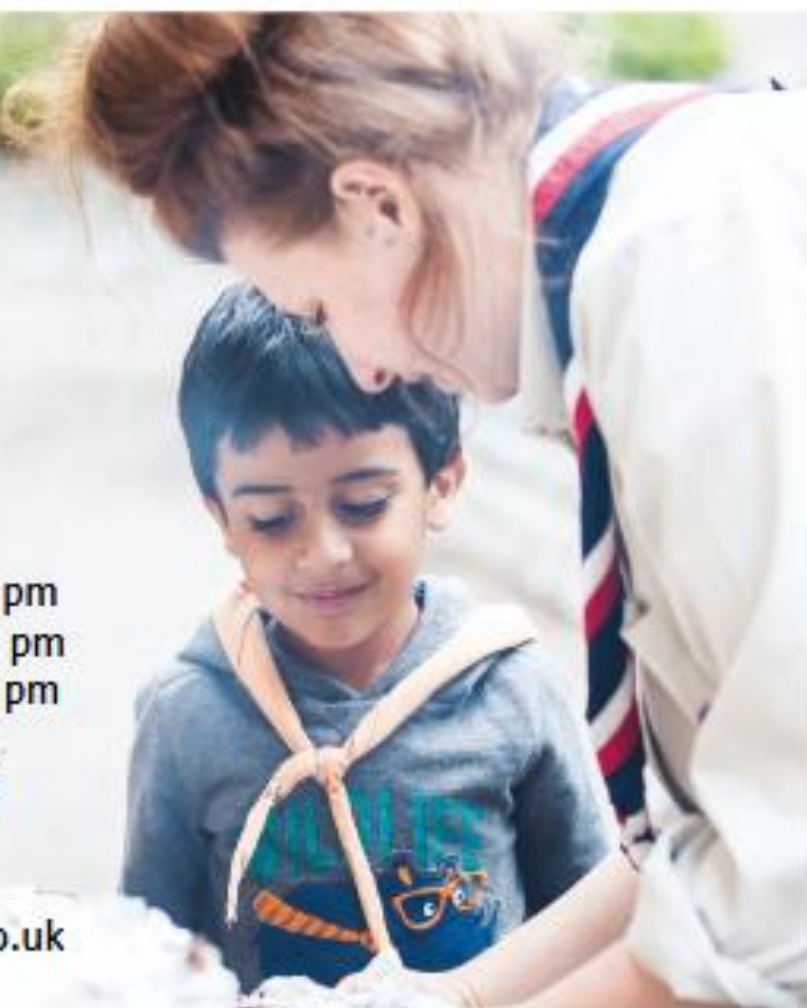
Scouts: Mondays 7:30-9:00 pm

For more information contact

Alan: 07895 112215

[rchaal@outlook.com](mailto:rchaal@outlook.com)

Or see [www.barntonscouts.co.uk](http://www.barntonscouts.co.uk)



## Stepping into their shoes starts on a Monday and a Tuesday night.

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[scouts.org.uk/join](http://scouts.org.uk/join)

[#SkillsForLife](https://www.instagram.com/skillsforlife)

# **Barnton Memorial Hall Annual Open Day**

## **Sunday 23rd August 2026**

We're excited to invite you to our Annual Open Day at Barnton Memorial Hall – a fantastic opportunity for the community to come together and showcase everything our village has to offer.

We are currently welcoming local groups, organisations, and charities to take part in the day:

- Indoor spaces are available for £10 (tables provided)
- Outdoor spaces are available in exchange for a raffle prize donation  
(please bring your own table)

This is a free-entry event for visitors, and each year it continues to grow bigger and better.

If you'd like more information or are interested in joining us, please get in touch.

Secretary; [barnton.memorialhall@gmail.com](mailto:barnton.memorialhall@gmail.com)



# Barnton Bouncy



# Castles

**Bouncy castle and soft play hire.**

- Soft play set up
- Inflatable toddler zone
- Toddler bouncy castle
- Party slide combo's
- Assault course
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- Retro gaming station

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Hartford Manor Primary School  
CW8 1NU

**Fun Fest Rudheath**  
Rudheath Primary Academy  
CW9 7JL

**Fun Fest Great Budworth**  
Cransley School  
CW9 6HN

# BARNTON FOOTBALL CLUB

**PRE SEASON  
2026**



**PRE-SEASON FIXTURES**



**ALTRINCHAM YOUTH  
V  
BARNTON AFC  
WED 1 JULY  
TBC**



**MBS WOOLTON  
V  
BARNTON AFC  
SAT 4 JULY  
Jericho Lane**



**BARNTON AFC  
V  
WITTON ALBION  
TUE 7 JULY  
The Creative Hut Stadium**



**RUNCORN TOWN  
V  
BARNTON AFC  
SAT 11 JULY  
Viridor Community Stadium**



**CHADDERTON FC  
V  
BARNTON AFC  
TUE 14 JULY  
Emplas Commercial North  
Stadium**



**BARNTON AFC  
V  
1874 NORTHWICH  
SAT 18TH JULY  
The Creative Hut Stadium**



**WINSFORD UTD  
V  
BARNTON AFC  
TUE 21 JULY  
Barton Stadium**



**BARNTON AFC  
V  
LITHERLAND  
SAT 25TH JULY  
The Creative Hut Stadium**





## USEFUL CONTACTS

### HOSPITALS/MEDICAL CENTRES

- Oakwood Medical Centre, Barnton 01606 544242
- Leighton Hospital, Crewe 01270 255141
- Victoria Infirmary Northwich 01606 564000
- Christies, Manchester 0161 491 2300
- Countess of Chester 01244 365000
- Manchester Dental Hospital 0161 275 6666
- Manchester Royal Infirmary 0161 276 1234
- Danebridge Medical Centre, Northwich 01606 544544
- Firdale Medical Centre 01606 544300

### EMERGENCY

- Cheshire Police (non-emergency) 101
- Cheshire Police (emergency) 999
- PCSO 07929 722122
- Cheshire Fire Service 01606 868700
- Crimestoppers 0800 555 111
- NHS direct 111
- Drains and sewers 0845 602 0406
- Water – United Utilities -supply 0345 672 3722 or 019258 234000

### TRAVEL

- Manchester Airport 0161 489 3000
- Liverpool Airport 0871 521 8484
- National Rail Enquiries 0845 748 4950
- Arriva Bus customer services 0344 800 4411

### COUNCILS/SCHOOLS/LIBRARY'S

- Cheshire West & Chester Council 0300 123 8123
- Cheshire West & Chester Highways Dept. 0300 123 7036
- Barnton Parish Council 01606 781556
- Barnton Primary School 01606 74784
- Barnton Library 01606 274360

### OTHER USEFUL CONTACTS

- Barnton Dentist 01606074234
- Cheshire West Dog Warden 0300 123 8123
- Abbey Croft Vets, Northwich 01606 40332
- Age UK Cheshire 01606 881660
- Barnton Memorial Hall 01606 75153

### HELPLINES

- Samaritans 116123
- Childline 0800 1111
- Alzheimer's Society 0300 369 0570

To report highways issues to Cheshire West 0300 123 703

# LOCAL DIRECTORY

## Barnton Memorial Hall

We Provide spaces for parties, classes and any other social events.

We also have meeting rooms available to hire.

All bookings have use of the kitchen facilities, car park and sound and light system.

For bookings, please call the office on 01606 75153 or email [barnton.mem](mailto:barnton.mem)

## PCSO SIMON DONNELLY 07929 722122

### VEHICLE SECURITY GUIDANCE:

**WHERE IS YOUR VEHICLE PARKED?** Park in well-lit areas. Protect keyless or higher value vehicles by blocking them in or use collapsible bollards.

**HAVE YOU REMOVED VALUABLES FROM YOUR VEHICLE?** Items should be removed or hidden out of sight, no matter what value to you. Even a few coins can be worth it to a thief.

**IS YOUR VEHICLE LOCKED WHEN NOT IN USE?** Always lock the vehicle and close windows when the vehicle is unattended.

**ARE YOUR KEYS IN A SAFE PLACE?** Thieves can retrieve keys through your letterbox. Keep keys out of sight and away from front doors.

Remember, thieves need either the original car keys or access to your keyless signal to steal your vehicle. If this means committing burglary to obtain the keys they will, so make sure you follow the advice on keeping your home safe.

### CONTACTING CHESHIRE POLICE:

**999 EMERGENCIES**

**101 NON-EMERGENCIES**

**REPORT ONLINE – NON-URGENT INCIDENTS @ [cheshire.police.uk](mailto:cheshire.police.uk)**

## Razzer's runners and walkers.

Razzer's runners and walkers is your local running and walking club based on Barnton Football Club on Townfield Lane in Barnton, we also have a walking group, we meet 3 times a week, on Tuesday and Thursday at 6:00 pm, and on Sunday at 8:30am, we also have a shorter run group that meets at 6:30pm on a Tuesday and Thursday.

All runs and walks finish with a hot cup of tea or coffee, and a biscuit and a chat as well.

We are the oldest running group in the Northwich area, established for about 30 years with 20 of them registered with England Athletics

Come along or get in touch, find us on Facebook or email [Chrisdymond29@gmail.com](mailto:Chrisdymond29@gmail.com) or telephone 07756 856440 for more information

## **BARNTON PARISH COUNCIL BEREAVEMENT SERVICES**

Barnton Parish Council provide quality, affordable bereavement services situated in well maintained, peaceful cemetery grounds located on Hayes Drive in Barnton.

### **Introducing, GRANITE VAULTS.**



### **Granite Vaults provide a modern alternative to a traditional burial.**

Each Vault stores cremated remains (contained in an urn) and can accommodate up to four funerals (urns) during its lifetime

Ownership is the same as owning a traditional grave -  
Your Purchase buys the right to use the Vault for 100 years.

**Each Granite Vault includes.  
Capacity for 4 urns,  
Memorial Granite plaque with inscription  
Integrated vase for floral tributes**



*If you are using the services of a funeral director, and wish to purchase a Vault, please let them know.*

*We will then liaise directly with your chosen funeral director and bill them directly for all costs. You would deal only with your funeral director.*

**Alternatively, you can purchase a Direct Funeral with Barnton Parish Council.**

- ❖ We will arrange the funeral for you at the Cemetery to inter cremated remains into your Granite Vault.
- ❖ You then have the option to personalise your funeral with a service and/or your choice of words, music etc.
- ❖ Alternatively, we can organise a simple interment on your behalf.
- ❖ We will arrange for a granite memorial plaque to be engraved and installed on your Vault.



**The cost of purchasing the rights to a Granite Vault, including the first interment is £1200.00\* for residents of Barnton Village.**

**There is an addition charge of £100.00 for direct funerals.**

*\*Non-resident costs are double.*

***This includes -***

- ❖ 1 Vault + deed of ownership (*burial rights*) for 100 years
- ❖ 1st interment of cremated remains\*
- ❖ Granite Memorial Plaque (450mm x 380mm)
- ❖ 1 urn
- ❖ 1 integrated flower vase
- ❖ 1 gold inscription (*up to 120 characters*)
- ❖ Capacity for up to 4 urns (funerals)

***\*Further interments £300.00/£600.00 (non-residents) Capacity up to x4 urns. Includes interment and new granite memorial plaque (to add further inscription)***

**Please contact the Clerk for further information or an application form.**

**[clerk@barnton-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@barnton-pc.gov.uk)**

**Telephone; - 01606 784270**



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**Email; clerk@barnton-pc.gov.uk**

**Telephone; 01606 784270**

**The Clerk's Office, Barnton Cemetery, Hayes Drive,  
Barnton, CW8 4JX**

### Just for Fun - QUIZ ANSWERS;

1 Milne

6 Manchester

2 Opal

7 Kentucky

3 Goldfinch

8 Michael Collins

4 Normandy

9 Dhaka

5 Caspian

10 Fourteenth

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