

# PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## Appointment of Chairman and Vice-Chairman

The Council unanimously elected Councillor Mrs Jenny Young as its Chairman and Councillor Dennis Holman as its Vice-Chairman at its Annual Meeting on 12 May 2008 for a second term of office.

# New Play Equipment for Older Children

This year the Council decided to provide some play equipment for older children because it had received complaints that youngsters were bored and had nothing to do and that their needs were not being catered for in the village.

It was very disappointing that the new aerial runway was subjected to mindless vandalism within a week of it being installed in the Golden Jubilee Park. This was a despicable and spiteful act and a great pity because the runway was proving very popular and was clearly a hit with the youngsters.

It will cost the Council £767.45 to repair the aerial runway. This amount could have been spent on another piece of play equipment for toddlers. Before any repairs are commissioned additional CCTV equipment will be installed, trained on the new equipment, as a deterrent to those individuals, who are in the minority, who are intent on reeking as much damage and destruction as possible and who get their kicks from spoiling other people's fun and enjoyment.

Despite this destructive act, sports provision for young people has recently been further increased with the purchase of the multi-play football and games unit or "goal end". A tarmac pad has been laid and it is marked out for both football and basketball equipment. This cost £21,091

including vat and the Council hopes that it is appreciated and treated with respect.

## **Community Events**

The Council led the organisation of the very successful 'Family Fun Day' that was held on Monday, 5 May 2008. This event brought the local community together and was well received by all who attended.

A lot of work was put into arranging this event and we reaped the benefits of this on the day. Members were so pleased with the way it went that they have proposed that a similar community event be held annually and ideas have already been put forward regarding this. A decision on this will made soon.

Also, it has been agreed that the Council will arrange a community bulb planting day in the autumn. Further details on this will be included in the next Newsletter. If you would like to help arrange this event or want to share any ideas you have concerning it or future Family Fun Days please contact the Clerk or any of the Parish Councillors.

It would be nice if we could set up a small committee of local people to plan and organise future community events with support from the Parish Council.

## Proposed New School for Saughall and the Future of Thomas Wedge School

Following the open meeting at the Vernon Institute on 28 April 2008, when the plans for the new school were presented and representatives from the Local Authority and the Diocese were there to answer questions, I thought it might be helpful to include an article to explain the situation with regard to the future of the Thomas

Wedge School building. Although most people seem to welcome the excellent opportunities that a brand new building will bring for the education of the children of Saughall, there are a number of people who would like the existing school building to be retained. There are, however, strict legal restrictions that limit what is possible.

Thomas Wedge School is a church school and is controlled by the trusts under which the land was given, which date from 1851, 1852 and 1921. The trustees are legally obliged to comply with the requirements of these trusts.

The land on which the main part of the school is built (including the most recent extensions) was given by the Trelawny family in 1851 and 1852. (Thomas Wedge paid for the original school to be built.) Under the terms of the 1851/2 trusts the land can only be used to provide for a school, which legally means a maintained day-school for children of statutory school age, i.e. pre-school and nursery provision do not meet the requirements of the trusts. The existing building has no purpose as far as the new school is concerned and this essentially means that the trustees only have two options: either the building is demolished and the land is retained for use by the new school in some other way, or the trust is terminated and the land is sold commercially (as required by charity law). The assets (after payment of capital gains tax) would then be returned to the inheritors of the original donors, i.e. the Trelawney family. If the land were sold the trustees would have no control over who might buy it; they would be legally obliged to sell it at full market value in order to maximise the asset.

It has been suggested that it might be possible to vary the requirements of the trusts. However to do this would require an Act of Parliament and, realistically, it is not going to happen! The trusts for Thomas Wedge School were made under the provisions of an Act of Parliament made in 1841 to encourage landowners to make land available for schools. This Act protects their rights (and the rights of their inheritors) once the land is not used for that purpose. Changing the Act would affect all other trusts made under its provision and could then be challenged in the European Parliament.

The last named trustees for the 1851/2 trust have all died and so the Charity Commission has now appointed the Diocesan Board of Education as trustees.

In 1921 the school was extended to include what is now the school hall, on land given in trust by the Vernon family. There is an additional trust covering this part of the building and this trust is more flexible, allowing this part of the building to be used as a "Parish Meeting Room" under the control of the vicar and churchwardens when not being used for school purposes. The situation of who are trustees for the 1921 trust is not yet resolved.

The Local Authority has submitted a planning application that assumes that the existing building will be demolished and the land used for access and car parking for the new school. If this happens it would fall within the requirements of the trusts, as the land would then still be used for school purposes. However no decision about the future of the building has yet been made and it is the trustees who must make that decision. Until there are trustees in place for the 1921 trust, no decision can be made.

It may take some time before the situation is resolved, but I hope this article makes it clear that the options are limited. The trustees must act in accordance with the requirements of the trusts and in the best interests of the education of the children served by the school. Please feel free to contact me if you need any clarification.

Brian Harris (Vicar) (Tel. 880213)

## **Planning Applications**

The Council is always interested to know the views of residents regarding Planning Applications. Do tell us what you think, either by providing the Clerk with a copy of any correspondence you have sent to Chester City Council, or by informing her by telephone or email. You are also very welcome to attend the Planning Committee meetings where you can have the opportunity to air your views! Details of all meetings in the Municipal Year are detailed in this newsletter.

## **Local Government Reorganisation**

The results of the recent elections to the Cheshire West and Chester Shadow Authority were published on 2 May 2008. The Conservatives won 55 seats, Labour won 13 seats and the Liberal Democrats won 4 seats.

The Leader of the Shadow Authority is Councillor Mike Jones from Chester. The Leader of the Labour Group is Councillor Derek Bateman from Ellesmere Port.

The first meeting of the Shadow Authority was held on 15 May 2008 in the Assembly Rooms in Chester Town Hall where it appointed it's Executive as follows:

- Leader Councillor Mike Jones
- Deputy Leader and Finance & Performance Councillor Les Ford
- Adult Services Councillor Brenda Dowding
- Area Neighbourhoods Councillor John Grimshaw
- Children's Services Councillor Arthur Harada
- Customer Services Councillor Myles Hogg
- Prosperity and Regeneration Councillor Herbert Manley
- Community Safety Councillor Keith Musgrave
- Environment Councillor Neil Ritchie
- Culture and Recreation Councillor Richard Short

The new Council will set out to deliver value for money, effective and accountable leadership, give people a greater say in dealing with local issues and provide a strong voice for the area in the North West and nationally.

The Shadow Authority will set the 2009/10 budget in early spring, but constituency roles of the new Councillors will be restricted until 1 April 2009, to matters relating to the setting up of the new authority.

Near the top of the agenda will be options for the new Council's headquarters location to be considered in June 2008, while a new chief executive is due to be appointed this summer to

help guide the transition. The Government has made it clear that the costs of transition must not increase council tax.

In the meantime, the County and District Councils will continue to provide local services to residents until 1 April 2009.

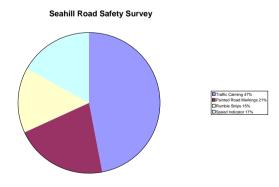
## Saughall Neighbourhood Management Team – Progress Update

The Saughall Neighbourhood Management Team is made up of Ian Humphrey, Harry Dobson, Jenny Young, Christine Champion, Rakesh Shukla, Jane Edwards, Brenda Willis, PCSO Mike Butler, Tony Summers, the Co-ordinator and anyone else who would like to join. If you are interested please contact Tony Summers.

The Team's aim is 'To make Saughall and Shotwick Park a Safer Place for us all to live'

The poor road surface at the Peg bus stop is being investigated this is still ongoing and a County Councillor and the Police have been requested to get involved.

Residents of Seahill Road requested a traffic survey. This was carried out and the findings were as follows: 47% requested that traffic calming measures are implemented, 21% wanted additional painted road markings, 17% asked for a speed indicator sign and 15% favoured rumble strips.



A recent Speed Indicator Device survey was carried out and the findings passed on to Cheshire County Council. Speeds of approximately 50mph were recorded by the Egerton Arms on Hermitage Road and at the corner of Crofters Way and at Seahill Road and 44 mph at the bus stop opposite the Church.

With the help of Age Concern the Team hopes to organise exercise classes for older people who live in the village.

The Team is also hoping to organise football coaching for Saughall girls and boys aged 5-11 during the summer holidays.

The Team has applied for a grant to put in fishing pegs and stock the pond in the Golden Jubilee Park and has assisted the Play Group and Vernon Institute (VI) regarding an unsafe wall in the VI yard. A builder has been contacted.

Complaints have been received about the entrance to the Uniform Groups' Headquarters. This is being investigated and estimates are being obtained.

Any residents of Saughall and Shotwick Park who would like the Team's help with any problems can contact Tony Summers, 232 Hermitage Road, Saughall on Telephone No. 0770 762 2062 or by email at <a href="mailto:saughall.safety@tiscali.co.uk">saughall.safety@tiscali.co.uk</a>

## **Traffic Calming**

Cheshire County Council Officers have informed that it does not currently have funding for traffic calming schemes and the last scheme that was implemented was in the 2005/06 financial year.

At this stage it is not known whether the new local authority, Cheshire West and Chester Council, will allocate funding for such schemes so it is uncertain whether traffic calming measures will be installed in Saughall in the future. However, it is likely that if funding is allocated the new Council will reassess locations for schemes and compile a new list in priority

order.

## **Walking Bus Initiative**

Volunteers are needed to help with the Walking Bus that goes to the Thomas Wedge CE (Controlled) Junior School.

For further details please contact PCSO Mike Butler.

Contact Details:

PCSO 20355 Mike Butler Chester Outer NPU Blacon Police Station

Office Voicemail - 0845 458 6375 Switchboard (to report an incident) - 0845 458 0000

## When does the Council Meet?

The Council meets generally on the first Monday of the month. Notices are displayed on the Council's notice boards and website. Agendas for the Council meetings are put on deposit in the Co-op stores and posted on the Council's website (www.saughall.gov.uk). Any resident on the Electoral Roll of Saughall and Shotwick Park is welcome to attend.

Before the meeting actually begins some time is set aside for members of the public to address the Council on matters of concern and ask questions so long as they have given the Clerk five clear working days notice of their intention to do so. You are free to leave at anytime. (You do not have to sit through the whole meeting unless you want to.)

The Council's meeting schedule is set out below:

## Parish Council meetings are held in the Vernon Institute, Saughall other meetings are held in the Uniformed Groups Headquarters, Fiddlers Lane, Saughall

Date	Parish	* Planning	Finance &	Annual	Budget	Parish
	Council	Committee	GP	Meeting	Meeting	Assembly
			Committee			
	7.30pm	7.00pm	7.30pm	7:30pm	7:30pm	
12-May		X		X		
22-May			X			
02-Jun	X	X				
07-Jul	X	X				
24-Jul			X			
04-Aug	X	X				
01-Sep	X	X				
18-Sep			X			
06-Oct	X	X				
03-Nov	X	X				
01-Dec	X	X				
18-Dec			X			
05-Jan	X					
19-Jan					X	
02-Feb	X	X				
26-Feb			X			
02-Mar	X	X				
06-Apr	X					
16-Apr			X			
27-Apr						X
11-May		Y		Y		

<sup>\*</sup> Planning Committee meetings will take place if planning applications have been received from Chester City Council. Therefore it may be necessary to cancel scheduled meetings if no plans have been received and call other meetings at a later date if plans are received, with the agreement of the Chairman and to fit in with the Planning Authority's tight consultation timescales.

## The Golden Rules of Dog Ownership

The Council once again requests dog owners to clean up after their pets. It is the duty of every responsible dog owner to clear up after their dogs. There is an automatic fine of £50 (under the Dogs Fouling of Land Act 1996) or prosecution with fines of up to £1,000 for the offence of dog fouling in public areas.

YOU ARE NOT ALLOWED TO EXERCISE YOUR DOG IN THE GOLDEN JUBILEE PARK, NOR ARE YOU ALLOWED TO TAKE IT IN TO THE PLAY AREA WHEN YOU ENTER WITH YOUR CHILDREN.

## Chairman's Annual Report

Councillor Mrs J Young presented her Annual Report at the Annual Parish Meeting held on 28 April 2008. It was snapshot of what had happened over the last Municipal Year and provided a sample of the month by month workings of the Council.

It reads as follows:

#### 1. Introduction

I have now completed a year as Chairman and I am pleased to report that much work has been done during this time to improve our village, its facilities and services. The purpose of my report

is to inform you of issues that have arisen during the year and their outcomes, to provide you with a brief summary of the Council's ongoing work and activities and to consult you on our proposals and plans for the future.

## 2. Change in Membership

Councillor Colin Moss resigned from the Council because of personal problems in July 2007. I pay tribute to him and thank him for all his efforts and particularly those with the Golden Jubilee Park.

As there were no nominations no election was called. So it fell to the Council to fill the vacant seat by co-option. We agreed that the candidate with the most votes at the last election but not already a Member of the Council, Mrs Janette Knox, would be invited to fill the vacant seat. She accepted and joined us at our meeting on 1 October 2007.

#### 3. Finance

The Council's budgets for the financial years 2007/08 and 2008/09 are as follows:

2007/08	£62,231.00
2008/09	£59,710.00

The 2008/09 precept has increased by 2% on the previous year. However, unlike the other two tiers of local government, Parish Council's do not receive Government grants and are funded by means of the local Council Tax - £40.41 per household per band D property.

#### 4. Parish Room

The Council agreed that its occupancy of the Parish Room was no longer providing value for money so the Room was vacated on 29 February 2008. Meetings previously held in the Parish Room are now being held in the Uniform Groups' Headquarters and PCSO Butler is using it as his base. Council meetings and Surgeries are held in the Vernon Institute.

#### 5. Vernon Institute

The Council has a savings fund set up so that when work is required it is able to contribute to the costs of improving the fabric and assisting the refurbishment of the Vernon Institute building, which is listed and an important community facility and village meeting point. During the last year the Council has contributed £1,082.06, which is 50% of the cost of the work undertaken.

## 6. Partnership Working and the PCSO Initiative

This village has had its own PCSO since 1 April 2007 when Mike Butler took up the position. The Cheshire Constabulary and the Council signed a joint agreement to develop partnership working towards reducing crime and disorder in Saughall and increasing the level of public confidence so leading to a greater level of reassurance through the provision of a PCSO. The Council is contributing £11,000 a year for the first three years to help finance this initiative. After that, if we continue to support a PCSO post in the village, the sum will increase to reflect the cost of living.

Mike Butler's role is to provide a visible uniformed presence and make a contribution to the reduction of crime and disorder and the promotion of public reassurance and quality of life.

He is taking forward and supporting new Home and Country watch schemes, embarking on proactive traffic safety schemes and working with the young people of the Parish to find alternative diversions to ensure a reduction of anti social behaviour in the local area. Mike is doing a good job and is very enthusiastic and committed to his work.

## 7. Saughall Neighbourhood Management Team

The Council has used its partnership with the police as a mechanism to form a Neighbourhood Management Team with other partners such as the Cheshire Fire Service, Chester City Council and community volunteers. The Team is funded for a three-year period through a £10,000 grant

from the Cheshire Community Council.

This new Team is one of the success stories of my year as Chairman. It is made up of volunteers and its activities are co-ordinated by Tony Summers. Its aim is to make Saughall and Shotwick Park a safer place for us all to live. It has arranged a safety competition and other activities including 'Walking Buses' conjunction with the two Schools and addressed issues such as flooding problems and complaints about street lights being obscured by overgrown trees on Hermitage Road and the state of the bus stop at the top of Aspen Grove. A Traffic Survey has been carried out at the request of residents of Seahill Road. The Team has also assisted with a Fire Safety Survey at the Uniform Groups' Headquarters and helped the Fire Service to undertake safety surveys in Saughall and fitting smoke alarms free of charge.

#### 8. Golden Jubilee Park

This project has been ongoing since 2002 when the Council purchased additional land for recreational purposes on Fiddlers Lane, at a cost of £27,000. The contractor finally completed the first phase of the development at the end of 2007 at a total cost of £28,930 plus vat, (which the Council claims back) paid in five instalments dating back as far as 2004. This has included ground and drainage work, de-stoning, rolling and seeding the sports pitches and laying a perimeter path. It has now been handed over to the sporting organisations and they must maintain the ground within the perimeter path. Half of the work has been funded by various grants from Chester City Council and the rest by the Council through the precept.

The Council has improved the parking provision by recently fencing off an area to the side of the Uniform Groups' Headquarters at a cost of £2,558.09, including the new RoSPA compliant gate and laying mesh on the grass at a cost of £9,344.30. Both field gates have been "Traveller Proofed" at a cost of £180.

The Council has added to the play equipment for toddlers by buying some Stepping Stones (£199) and a Balancing Beam (£187) funded by a grant from Chester City Council.

We got this year off to a good start with two more successful funding applications to Chester City Council. One was for £5,000 to match fund the purchase and installation of an aerial runway for older children. It cost £7,746.34 and the difference of £2,746.34 was borne by the Council. The other successful bid was for £2,900 to provide and install CCTV equipment in the Uniform Groups' Headquarters in the interests of community safety.

The Council's next task is to decide what to include in the second phase and parishioners' views on this are requested. If you have any suggestions please let me know.

The 'Millennium Stone' is being moved to the Park and a time capsule containing items supplied by the groups in the village will be buried in a chamber underneath it.

## 9. The New School and the Thomas Wedge CE (Controlled) Junior School

A Drop-in session, arranged by Cheshire County Council, has been held. Its purpose was to provide an opportunity for local people to see the plans, make comments and ask the Planning Officer questions.

The Council, as a statutory consultee, will be considering the plans and making its observations on them at its meeting on Monday, 12 May. Its views will be conveyed to the Strategic Planning Authority (Cheshire County Council) so that they can be taken into account when it determines the planning application for the new primary school in June.

## 10. Affordable Housing Scheme

Northern Affordable Homes Ltd has reached an agreement with Cheshire County Council to purchase some land behind Lodge Lane on which to build affordable housing. There has been a delay because of legalities but it is hoped that the building company will be able to hold a consultation day in the village soon and that a planning application will follow in the summer.

#### 11. Parish Plan

The Parish Plan was published three years ago and is reviewed annually in the autumn.

#### 12. Youth Club

The Youth Club has not been without problems this year. The older children have continued to meet but the younger children have been unable to because no one is willing to run their club.

The Parish Council has recently financed a very successful outing to the bowling alley for 16 members of the club at a total cost of £146, including refreshments.

#### 13. Traffic Issues

Traffic congestion, damage to grass verges, problems with parking and speeding cars are a recurring theme at Council meetings. We work with the Police, the Highways Authority and the bus companies to try to remedy these problems.

Councillors and volunteers have been trained to use a speed gun and a Speed Indicator Device which we borrow from the City Council. Speed checks will be repeated often as deterrents for those who regularly offend.

## 14. "Bus War"

The Council was so concerned over the problems caused by the increase in Saughall bus services that an urgent meeting was held with an Arriva Inspector. Discussion centred on the size, number, speed, damage caused to the grass verges, traffic congestion and the behaviour of some drivers.

The Inspector agreed that there was a problem and informed that new smaller and narrower buses were on order and were expected to be in use by June. There are problems when buses have to mount the pavements to get past parked vehicles, smaller buses will remedy this to a certain extent but I urge motorists to park responsibly. Some adjustments have been made to the route at the beginning and end of the school days. Buses will also wait at the Peg until the bus in the Ridings estate has come out and gone past. A review meeting will be held with

the Inspector in the summer.

#### 15. Bus Shelters

The annual maintenance cost of the five newest shelters is £1,250.00. This year repairs have also been made to the Council owned shelter at the bottom of Church Road near the Vernon Institute at a cost of £146.94.

## 16. A5117 Major Roadworks

Despite the very wet January, work has continued, allowing the surfacing to the new link roads and bridge to be completed and they are now in use. The new section of the road was opened to traffic on 7 February. The next stage is to construct the remainder of the westbound carriageway and this should be opened in mid May.

The wet weather has hindered work on Lodge Lane Bridge. Carillion say that it will be completed when material becomes available from beneath the temporary diversion at Parkgate Road. It is expected that the bridge will be opened towards the end of June.

Councillors attend Carillon's regular liaison meetings to monitor progress and make representations over any issues that affect Saughall. We have been particularly concerned about the rodent problem over the last few months and have made appropriate representations to Carillion and to Environmental Health.

## 17. Kissing Gates

The Council was successful in an application it made to Cheshire County Council to replace 16 stiles with 16 kissing gates free of charge. A further 3 free kissing gates were also provided. I would like to thank the landowners and tenant farmers for giving permission for this as it has increased accessibility to the countryside. I would also like to thank Steve Holden, the Countryside Officer for his contribution.

## 18. Planning

The Council is a statutory consultee on all planning applications in its area. It provides a focal point for the views of local residents and has an opportunity to support or oppose each application. In the course of this Municipal Year the Council has dealt with 47 applications compared with 55 last year.

## 19. Christmas Lights Celebration

Due to a breakdown in communications there was no Christmas Lights switch-on ceremony in the village last year which was extremely disappointing. To ensure this doesn't happen again the Council has taken the lead and set up a Steering Committee of volunteers, headed by Councillor Jean Johnson to make the necessary arrangements for the event which is scheduled for Thursday, 27 November 2008. If you would like to help then please speak to Jean before you leave, she will be delighted to have you on board.

#### 20. Communications

The Parish Council's website is regularly updated (www.saughall.gov.uk). We publish a newsletter four times a year and local people and village organisations are welcome to contribute to it.

## 21. Vote of Thanks

Overall, as a Parish Council we have had a very busy year. We have been proactive and have a list of achievements to be proud of and we look forward to accomplishing even more during the next twelve months.

So thank you to: Tony Leach, the Parish Paths Warden, for walking all of the public footpaths in the parish and liaising with the Countryside Officer and the Clerk over problems encountered, ensuring walker's accessibility and safety and for his help with the kissing gate project; Harry Dobson for carrying out the role of Internal Auditor; PCSO Mike Butler for his help and support throughout the year; Councillor Ian Humphrey for his efforts in his role as Homewatch Co-ordinator; Bert Wilkinson for all the odd jobs we put his way; and Helen Cake-Bread, the Tree and Environmental Warden, for

her help and advice.

I would also like to thank my colleague Members of the Council, two of whom are also City Councillors, for their help and support along with County Councillor David Rowlands who regularly attends our meetings and keeps us abreast of County policies and initiatives, the Clerk for her hard work over the last twelve months and the many other local people who have given their time over the past year to the affairs of the Parish Council. We look forward to working constructively with all of you in the coming year.

# Church Summer Fair and Rose Queen Crowning,

This event will be at the Vicarage on Saturday 5th July, beginning at 2.00pm.

The Rose Queen procession will leave Vernon Close at about 1.15pm and go through the village along Meadows Lane, Rakeway, Saughall Hey and Church Road to the Vicarage.

At the Fair there will be various stalls, tombola, raffle, bouncy castle, refreshments, games and a 'best decorated pram' competition for the Rose Queen procession.

## **Library Opening Hours**

The library at the Vernon Institute is open as follows:

Tuesday 3-4pm Thursday 7:30-8pm

## Weight Watchers

I would like to introduce myself as your new Weight Watchers leader in your village. My name is Sandra I have lost 50lb and maintained this for 2 years now. I have met quite a lot of you already and would like to see some new faces and people who are up for a challenge. The summer is the right time to kick start a new healthy eating plan. Obesity and health related problems are top of the Government's agenda in 2008, these health issues are also in our local community and I'm sure some of you would be

interested in joining one of the most successful weight loss programmes, the UK's No. 1 organisation – we are a household name.

Our meetings are held in the **Vernon Institute** on **Tuesdays at 6.00pm**, so come and join us, come and see the benefits of Weight Watchers. We have a unique monthly pass that gives you free access to our resources, where you can build up a food plan, track your points, work out your exercise, obtain great recipes to impress your friends and family or simply have a chat with people who understand.

Give it a go we have a great class, with some brilliant people. It's a nice social evening with a health benefit thrown in, you have nothing to loose only your weigh, and remember no food will ever taste as good as your new look!

If you would like any more information give me,

Sandra Lewis, a call on 07948041231 or pop me an email sandra.lws@googlemail.com. New members can collect their free Kick Start pack worth over £10.00.

Weight Watchers 08457 123 000

## Over 55's Keep Fit

At the Vernon Institute Starts: **FRIDAY 20 June 08** 

Time: 2-3 pm

Cost: £3 per session (1st session Free)

Louise Gough Get Active Co-ordinator Age Concern Cheshire Saltney Office Tel No 01244 677777

## **USEFUL CONTACT NUMBERS**

## Women's Institute

Mrs Norah Murchie, Tel: 880701

## Saughall Cricket Club

Mr Brian Huxley, Tel: 880753

# Saughall Table Tennis Club

Mr Bob Salisbury, Tel: 881323

## Saughall Community Day Centre

Church Road, Saughall Tel: 880474

## Saughall Greyhound Pub Football Team

Telephone Carl on 880205

## Saughall Gardening Club

Barbara Goode, e-mail: barbara@gardencycles. wanadoo.co.uk Tel: 880513

## Saughall Colts Junior Football Club

Football for children aged 6-16 Mr Steve Kalaher 880964 www.saughallcolts.co.uk

## **Golden Link Club**

Margaret Grain, Tel: 881294

# Thomas Wedge CE (Controlled) Junior School

Headteacher – Mrs L Kwissa Tel: 880473

## The Ridings Infant School

Headteacher – Mrs J Davies, Tel: 881451

#### **All Saints Church**

Vicar: Rev Brian Harris
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Mr Roger Leslie, Tel: 880597
Mrs Margaret Lundy,
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## **Pre-School Group**

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## Saughall Neighbourhood Management Team

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