Albrighton Parish Council



Albrighton Parish Council work for and on behalf of the community of Albrighton

New opening times for Albrighton Library!

Albrighton Parish Council agreed at a Council Meeting to trial the Library opening an additional day for 6 months. We are pleased to announce that we will now be open 6 days a week!

We will be open on Wednesdays 10am to 5pm, with self-service from 1pm-2pm during lunch hours.

First Wednesday of the month we will continue to host Rhyme Time with Lauren, and during the first Wednesday of the month we will operate self-service from 10am to 12noon, normal counter service 12pm-1pm, self-service 1pm-2pm, normal counter service from 2pm-5pm.

Community Engagement Event

Albrighton Parish Council have planned a Community Engagement Event on Wednesday 18th October 2023. This is not a proper meeting of the council, but an opportunity for the community to discuss with Council staff and some Councillors what they would like Council money spent on. As we write this it is a week before the event, and this will have passed by the time the magazine is published. We will update the community with our findings and how we will factor this in when planning our budget and precept for 2024/25.





Keep our Streets Clean Initiative

Albrighton Parish Council in partnership with Shropshire Council will be hosting another 'Keep our Streets Clean Initiative' where we as a Council will be encouraging members of the public to identify any issues of dog fouling within the village by reporting this to Shropshire Council.

Members of the public with access to a mobile phone or a computer are asked to use 'FixMyStreet' which is a simple platform for reporting any issues within our community. Alternatively, please contact Shropshire Council Customer Service Team on 0345 678 9006.

We will also be providing FREE dog waste bags to encourage responsible dog owners; however, these will be in limited supply during this week only.



Christmas Lights Switch On 2023 - CHANGE OF DATE

Albrighton Parish Council display an array of Christmas Lights throughout the centre of the village every year to mark the festive occasion during a period of dark nights. Our *Christmas Lights Switch On* will now be held on *Thursday 23rd November 2023*, in conjunction with the Red House Christmas Fayre.

The Lights will be switched on at **6.00pm** by the Raf Cosford Station Commander, Gp Capt Gibb, and this will take place outside the Red House.

Christmas Closing

Albrighton Parish Council will be closed from Friday 22nd December 2023 at 5pm and will reopen Tuesday 2nd January 2024 at 9am.

Albrighton Library will be closed from Saturday 23rd December 2023 at 1pm and will re-open Tuesday 2nd January 2024 at 10am.

Extra books may be taken during this time. No books will be due back during this closure.

We would like to wish all residents a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from Albrighton Parish Council Councillors & Staff and look forward to seeing you all in the new year!





Shropshire Council and Partners Community Advice, Support, and Information Sessions

Shropshire Council and their Partners will be at Albrighton Library every third Tuesday of the month to advise members of the community on a range of topics from health & wellbeing, financial advice and Childrens welfare.

There are a range of partners here to talk to and help you, so please do make use of this fantastic service.

The next dates will be Tuesday 17th October 2023, Tuesday 21st November 2023, Tuesday 19th December 2023, Tuesday 16th January 2024, and Tuesday 20th February 2024.