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Councillor S. Hull	839346	Councillor T. Kerry	831445
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Councillor Mrs. M. Stockwood	875778	Councillor J. Stockwood	875778

FORTHCOMING TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

Tuesday 3rd March	2015	FULL COUNCIL	7.00 pm
Tuesday 10th March	2015	PLANNING COMMITTEE	7.00 pm
Tuesday 10th March	2015	COMMUNITY COMMITTEE	7.15 pm
Tuesday 24th March	2015	RECREATION & CEMETERY CTTEE.	7.00 pm
Tuesday 7th April	2015	PLANNING COMMITTEE	7.00 pm

Residents are welcome to attend and observe all public meetings of the Council and it's Committees. At each full Council meeting, there is an opportunity for residents to ask questions or make comments to the Council.

There is a notice-board on the wall of the Precinct facing the Market Place which has details about the Town Council, and agendas for meetings are displayed prior to a meeting.

ROOMS FOR HIRE AT THE OLD COURT HOUSE

The Council Chamber is available to hire for £15.00 an hour and is suitable for meetings, training seminars and social events.

A smaller meeting room is available for a maximum of twelve people at a cost of £9.00 an hour;

Local Community Groups and Charities are charged at half the above rates. For further information, contact the Town Council.



CONTACTING THE TOWN COUNCIL

If you have any queries relating to Town Council issues they can be addressed to: Bingham Town Council, The Old Court House, Church Street, Bingham, NG13 8AL.

Office opening hours are: Monday – Thursday: 9.30 a.m. – 1.00 p.m.
Friday: 9.30 a.m. – 12 noon.

Tel: 01949-831445 E-mail: info@bingham-tc.gov.uk

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MAYOR'S CHARITY for 2014/2015

The Mayor's Charity is Maggie's Cancer Charity.

PRECEPT FOR 2015 2016

The following budget was agreed at January Full Council meeting:

	Budget 2014/2015	Budget 2015/2016
Revenue		
Allotments	360	360
Cemetery	-650	-650
Community	1,250	1,250
Depot	69,150	69,150
Environment	7,090	7,090
Finance	96,100	99,600
Old Court House	15,850	15,850
Property Development	20,000	20,000
Promotion	17,300	18,150
Recreation	27,369	26,765
Budget required	253,819	257,565
Less transitional Grant from RBC	18,960	16,090
Precept	234,859	241,475
Tax Base	3252	3343.6
Band D property	72.22	72.22

CIVIC AWARD WINNERS

The following people were presented with a Civic Award by The Town Mayor, Councillor G. Davidson at a reception held at The Old Court House on Saturday 7th February 2015.

Congratulations to John Gilbert, David Hall & Julie Langstaff.

ACCESS TO THE ROYAL MAIL POSTAL COLLECTION POINT AT THE END OF STATION STREET

Please note you can no longer gain access to the Royal Mail buildings at the end of Station Street via Moor Lane.

You must go via Station Street to obtain your parcels/letters etc.

TRAVEL ALERT – With effect from Feb 15th 2015

Trent Barton Buses to Aslockton and The Vale will leave Bingham via Nottingham Road and then turn up Mallow Way and travel along Mill Hill Road before turning right onto the top part of Tithby Road and then left down the by pass.

They will not travel up Tithby Road from the traffic lights.

The return route to Bingham will be down Mill Hill and Mallow Way and then along Nottingham Road to the town centre before going on to Nottingham.

Please note that this means buses will be travelling in the opposite directions to the current journeys.

Buses will no longer have to go down to Saxondale Island.

This change is to make the journey quicker and avoid traffic.

Timetables are available on the web and form the Town Office

BINGHAM ADVICE CENTRE

Opened last April the Advice Service provides free confidential advice on a wide range of issues, principally Welfare Benefits, Debt and Tax but also including, for example, employment, housing and consumer matters.

The service is open **Wednesday morning between 9.30am and 12.30pm** at The Old Court House.

It works on a drop in basis therefore an appointment is not necessary. If you have a problem or would like to join the team of Advisors drop in on a Wednesday morning.

LINEAR WALK LITTER/DOG BINS

Please note the bins are not for the disposal of rubble/stones. Anyone caught placing such material in the bins could find themselves being prosecuted. The area is under surveillance and action will be taken against anyone placing anything other than litter/dog waste in the bins.

DIARY DATES:

BINGHAM TOWN FAIR 13TH JUNE 2015

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING 28TH APRIL 2015 at The Old Court House commencing at 7.30pm

ELECTION MAY 7TH 2015 - (Councillors take up office on the following Monday 11th May 2015; but can only undertake any Council business after signing a declaration of acceptance of office first).

STATUTORY ANNUAL TOWN COUNCIL MEETING 19TH MAY 2015

RUSHCLIFFE VOLUNTEER CENTRE

Rushcliffe Volunteer Centre will be holding a drop in event at Bingham Library 10-12 pm on Thursday 5th March 2015.

Anyone who is interested in recruiting volunteers or becoming a volunteer can come along and have a chat with the Volunteer Centre Coordinator, Helen Stanbridge.

COMMUNITY LED PLAN

The recent public consultations proved to be a great success and the information obtained from them is being analysed. Look out for further information on the Community Led Plan and please complete the questionnaires as they become available.

PROPOSED CONSULTATION RE PLAY AREAS

Shortly there will be a consultation re provision of play areas as Bingham Town Council is looking at upgrading the current facilities and would like to know from the users what style of play area they would prefer. Look out for the questionnaire and which is aimed at play provision for 0 – 12yrs. of age.

PROPOSALS FOR REMEDIAL WORK BINGHAM MARKET PLACE

Rushcliffe Borough Council have confirmed that work is scheduled for late March/April please be extra vigilant when crossing the Market Place.

BINGHAM CEMETERY

Please note that permission has to be obtained from Bingham Town Council prior to any memorial plaques being installed or any changes made to any grave or garden of rest plot at the Cemetery.