

Bingham Town Council News



November 2018

FORTHCOMING TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

Recreation & Amenities	Tuesday 13 November 2018	7pm
Planning/Policy & Resources	Tuesday 27 November 2018	7pm
Full Council	Tuesday 11 December 2018	7pm
Planning/Community & Env	Tuesday 8 January 2019	7pm

Agendas of upcoming meetings can be found on the Council's website www.bingham-tc.gov.uk and the four noticeboards in the town.

BINGHAM CHRISTMAS MARKET – FRIDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2018 5PM TILL 8PM



Santa will be flying in on Friday 30 November to see the children of Bingham and the Mayor will be switching on the lights at 5pm to start the evening's festivities.

Join us for festive stalls, food, fairground rides and an evening of entertainment.

The roads around the market place will remain closed, allowing you to enjoy the day safely. Many of the local shops will be open late for those special Christmas gifts.

WWI CENTENARY COMMEMORATIONS

Bingham Town is proudly supporting the Bingham Royal British Legion and the Bingham Heritage Trails Association with the WW1 Centenary Plans.

A contribution was made to support sending two representatives to take the Bingham Standard to the Great Pilgrimage 90 at Ypres, Belgium from 5-9 August 2018.

A decade after the end of WW1, veterans and war widows visited the battle fields of the Somme and Ypres before marching to the Menin Gate in Ypres on 8 August 1928. Exactly 90 years later, thousands of Legion members created the 1928 Great Pilgrimage to visit the same battle fields and on 8 August 2018 carry their standards along the same route to the Menin Gate to commemorate the last 100 days of WW1 and represent an entire generation that served while defending their country.

How is Bingham commemorating the centenary of the end of World War 1.

October 1 – November 10

Activity week at the Library - remembering the war

British Legion memorial poppies –shop window displays around Market Place and treasure hunt

Changing locations – “There but not There” installations of WW1 soldiers

Wednesday November 7

10.30am Street naming ceremony, Barratts estate, Chapel Lane, Act of Remembrance and Toot Hill Band Big Band

Thursday November 8

10.30am British Legion – Recruitment Parade – Market Place

Friday November 9

9.30am – 5.00pm Bingham Heritage Trails Association commemoration exhibition, Methodist Centre

7.00pm - BHTA Memorial concert, “Looking Back”, Methodist Centre – Bridge Singers, Armistice String Quartet, Cranmer Company of Singers, readings (war diaries and poems)

Saturday November 10

9.30am – 4.00pm Bingham Heritage Trails Association commemoration exhibition, Methodist Centre

10.30am British Legion – Recruitment Parade – Market Place

10.30am British Legion Act of Remembrance

7.00pm Methodist Centre; BHTA Memorial concert, Methodist Centre – “Looking Forward”, featuring Stormy Weather Boys, Vale Voices, Bingham School of Dance, Toot Hill School Big Band.

Sunday November 11

10.30 Armistice Day Parade and service of remembrance - from Market Place to Church "At the Church, a Guard of Honour for those who did not return."

7.00pm – Town Council - Beacon of Light – Market Place

Check the website for further details and links to all commemorative events in Rushcliffe. www.bingham-tc.gov.uk/ww1centenary/