

Brigg Town Council

Quarterly Newsletter

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Councillor Adele Tasker is awarded the M.B.E. in the New Year Honours List.

At the first Town Council Meeting in 2007, the Town Mayor was delighted to extend congratulations to Councillor Adele Tasker, on being awarded the M.B.E. for Services to Community Relations in North Lincolnshire, and recorded the Town Council's thanks to Councillor Tasker for all her hard work for the benefit of Brigg, and in particular the Humberside Chinese Association.

Councillor Mike Champion seconded the motion noting that Councillor Tasker will be retiring as a member of Brigg Town Council at the end of the current term in May, and that her boundless energy and enthusiasm will be sorely missed.

Christmas Lights Winners - 2006

The Town Mayor was delighted to welcome the winners of the 2006 competition, Mrs. Barnard and her family, of 16, South View Avenue, Brigg, to the December meeting of the Town Council, and present them with their winning voucher of £50.00 to spend at Brian's Christmas Shop.

The competition is jointly sponsored by the Town Council and Brian's Christmas Shop.

Could You Offer your services to the Voluntary Car Service ?

If you are willing and able, have a few hours a week to spare, please contact the Voluntary Car Service on 01652 636292



Joseph J. Magrath O.B.E., Award for Public Voluntary Service

Brigg Town Council is delighted to confirm that the Joseph J. Magrath O.B.E. award for Public Voluntary Service to the Community of Brigg for 2006, has been awarded to Mr. Derek Raymond Burman, of 31 York Road, Brigg.

The award is given to Mr. Burman in recognition for his work as a volunteer driver with the Voluntary Car Service; a role he has fulfilled for the last 12 years, and which has seen him give thousands of hours of his time to help other people.

Nominated by the Voluntary Car Service, the Town Council was advised that Mr. Burman uses his own car to provide a safe, reliable, and affordable transport service, for hundreds of people living in Brigg and the surrounding area, helping them to overcome genuine transport difficulties; and that between the 1st April and 30th November 2006 Mr. Burman undertook 74 journeys on behalf of the organisation, driving over 900 miles, and giving up 85 hours of his time to do so.

Over the last 12 years Mr. Burman has contributed greatly to reducing the levels of rural isolation and social exclusion faced by many people living in and around Brigg, and his dedication to the service has made him a firm favourite with staff, fellow volunteers and service users.

Brigg Town Council is therefore delighted to take this opportunity to recognize Mr. Burman as a most worthy recipient of the Joseph J. Magrath O.B.E. Award for Public Voluntary Service, which will be presented at the Town Mayor's Civic Charity Banquet on Thursday 8th March 2007, at the Kar Restaurant,

ATTENTION ALL SENIOR CITIZENS!

Annual Town Meeting

The Annual Town Meeting will be held on Monday 26th March 2006 at 7.30 pm in the Angel Suite. It will be chaired by the Town Mayor, Councillor Maureen Glossop, and is the opportunity for all residents to share their views and opinions on issues relating to the Town.

The Town Council is particularly keen to hear the views and opinions of the older members of the community, and the Annual Town Meeting will therefore include a specific item on its Agenda for Senior Citizens to share their views and ideas.

It is also hoped that representatives of organisations that deliver services and provide opportunities for Senior Citizens will also be in attendance.

**EVER THOUGHT ABOUT
STANDING FOR ELECTION ?**

**STILL THINKING ABOUT
STANDING FOR ELECTION ?**

**THEN 2007 IS THE YEAR
FOR YOU TO MAKE YOUR DECISION.**

**This is your chance to get involved
in the issues facing your Town**

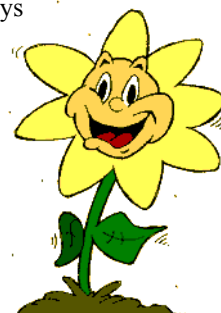
**Local Council Elections will be held
on Thursday 3rd May.**

If you would like to know more about the Role of a Town Councillor, please do not hesitate to contact one of the existing members of the Town Council, or call in at the Brigg Town Council Office.

Brigg in Bloom 2007

Plans for the 2007 summer floral displays and the hanging basket hire scheme are already underway.

Businesses are again urged to support the hanging basket hire scheme, which is now an integral part of the Town's Brigg in Bloom initiative, and helps to ensure that the Town is even more attractive for visitors throughout the summer months.



The nominal hire fee for a hanging basket, including twice weekly watering throughout the summer, is £26.00. Order forms are available from the Town Clerk.

If you would like a basket but do not have bracket outside your property, a suitable bracket can be supplied and installed for a single fee of £20.00, but



**Please contact
the Town Clerk
as soon as possible.**



Brigg Town Mayor's Appeal 200/07

The Town Mayor and Consort of Brigg, Councillor Maureen and Tom Glossop, are using the Mayoral Year to raise money for the Brigg L.I.V.E.S. First Responders, and also the Friends of Brigg Primary School.

Donations will be gratefully received at the Brigg Town Council Office, as well as raffle prizes for forthcoming events, or an item which can be auctioned at the Civic Charity Banquet on Thursday 8th March

Brigg Town Council Meetings

Full Council

Monday 26 th March 2007	after the Annual Town Meeting
Monday 23 rd April 2007	at 7.30pm
Monday 21 st May 2007	at 7.30pm

Property & Services Committee

Wednesday 7 th March 2007	at 7pm
Wednesday 4 th April 2007	at 7pm
Wednesday 2 nd May 2007	at 7pm

Policy Committee

Annual Meeting and Mayor Making

Planning & Environment Committee

Wednesday 14 th March 2007	at 7.30pm
Monday 26 th March 2007	at 6.45pm
Wednesday 11 th April 2007	at 7pm
Monday 23 rd April 2007	at 6.45pm
Wednesday 9 th May 2007	at 7pm

BRIGG TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

are held in the ballroom of the Angel Suite and are open to the public as observers.

Questions can be put to the Town Council at the monthly Full Council Meeting, but questions should be notified to the Clerk by 12 noon on the Thursday prior to the meeting.

The Agenda for each meeting is posted on the Town Council Notice Board which is situated adjacent to the entrance to the Angel Suite, leading directly from the Angel Car Park.

BRIGG TOWN COUNCIL

USEFUL INFORMATION AND CONTACT NUMBERS

The Brigg Town Council Office is located in the basement of The Angel Suite and is open on Monday and Thursday morning 9.30am – 12 noon.

Clerk to the Council: Mrs. Jeanette Woollard – Tel 659402 / 655117

E.Mail: enquiries@briggmarkettown.co.uk

Web Site – www.briggmarkettown.co.uk

TOWN MAYOR AND CONSORT OF BRIGG 20062007

Councillors Maureen and Tom Glossop

If you would like the Town Mayor to attend any of your functions, please contact the Clerk to the Town Council.

BRIGG TOWN COUNCILLORS

BELL Jennifer Anne	17, St. James' Road, Brigg	Tel: 656628
BIRKITT Michael Norman	1, Millennium Cottages, Ings Lane, Kirton-in-Lindsey, Gains. Lincs. DN21 4BU	
BOLTON Natalie Dawn	2, Eccles Court, Wrawby	Tel 655914
BROCK Jacqueline	40, Birch Avenue, Brigg	Tel: 653464
CAMPION Michael Stuart	1, The Rookery, Scawby	Tel: 658607
DOHERTY Michael Hamilton	1, Clover Court, Brigg	Tel: 655408
EARDLEY Ann	30, Almond Grove, Brigg	Tel: 657379
GLOSSOP Maureen	'Sandcrest', 50, St. Helen's Rd, Brigg	Tel: 656744
GLOSSOP Thomas David	'Sandcrest', 50, St. Helen's Rd, Brigg	Tel: 656744
KIDD Julian Edmund Gibson	"Emicha House" 5, Pingley Meadow, Brigg	Tel: 658139
KITWOOD John	Shepherds Lodge" 119, Grammar School Road, Brigg	Tel: 655541
MARKHAM Andrew Lindsay	24, Woodbine Avenue, Brigg	Tel: 652026
MORRIS Tony	16, York Road, Brigg	Tel: 655327
SMITH Penelope Jane	'Elmcroft' 1, St. Helen's Road, Brigg	Tel: 652024
SYKES Anthony	The Black Bull Inn, Wrawby St. Brigg	Tel: 652153
TASKER Adelene	35, St. Clare's Walk, Brigg	Tel: 654379
TAYLOR Neil Walker	6, Colton Street, Brigg DN20 8AG	
TRUEPENNY James	c/o The Britannia Inn, Wrawby Street, Brigg	Tel: 07971 920551
WALKER Christine Ann	3, The Spinney, Westrum Lane, Brigg	Tel: 650147

DIARY DATES AT THE ANGEL SUITE

Regular Monthly Activities

North LinKs Seniors Forum	9.30 to 12.30	Monday 12 th March 2007 Monday 16 th April 2007 Monday 14 th May 2007
Brigg & District Breast Cancer Support Group	7 to 10pm	Tuesday 20 th March 2007 Tuesday 17 th April 2007 Tuesday 15 th May 2007
Brigg & District Flower Society	7 to 10pm	Tuesday 27 th March 2007 Tuesday 24 th April 2007 Tuesday 22 nd May 2007

Regular Weekly Activities

Monday Afternoon	Weekly @ 2pm Weekly @ 4pm	Indoor Carpet Bowls Tai Chi Classes Contact Janet Cross 01482 492513
Thursday	Weekly @ 5.30pm	Rosemary Conley Diet & Fitness
Sunday	Weekly @ 9.30am	Glanford Community Church
Sunday	Weekly @ 9.30am	Kings Church

Other Activities and Events

Alternate Mondays	7 to 9pm	Teenage Pop In Sessions Please check with Jeanette Woollard (01652 659402) for the correct dates.
Monday 19 th to Wednesday 21 st March		North Lincolnshire Music & Drama Festival
Monday 26 th March	7.30pm	ANNUAL TOWN MEETING
Saturday 24 th March	10am to 4pm	Stonecroft Cheshire Home Craft Fair
Saturday 28 th April	10am to 4m	Ancholme Artists Exhibition in the Angel Courtyard
Thursday 3 rd May		POLLING DAY
Friday 18 th and Sat 19 th May		Brigg Fiddle Festival
Saturday 26 th May	10am to 4pm	Stonecroft Cheshire Home Craft Fair

THE ANGEL SUITE - BRIGG

FUNCTION ROOM AND LOUNGE / MEETING ROOM FOR HIRE

**THE IDEAL VENUE FOR WEDDINGS,
FAMILY CELEBRATIONS, PARTIES, FUNDRAISING EVENTS,
CORPORATE FUNCTIONS - MEETINGS**

Booking Enquiries - Office Hours Only