

# Brigg Town Council

## Quarterly Newsletter



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## **OPEN STAGE THEATRE**

### **at the ANGEL SUITE**

The Bad Apple Theatre Company will be performing : -  
[www.badapple.freeserve.co.uk](http://www.badapple.freeserve.co.uk)

**LAUREL AND CHARLIE**  
**Sat. 9<sup>th</sup> May 2009 at 7.30pm**  
**"a fresh and funny take on two characters familiar to us all"**

*This is a family show with plenty of slapstick and good humour and is suitable for all ages*

**LAND GIRLS OF YORKSHIRE**  
**Sat. 20<sup>th</sup> June 2009 at 7.30pm**  
**"some girls just aren't cut out for farming..."**

*This brand new show is the latest comedy from Badapple's resident writer,  
as she explores the trials and joys of the girls of the Land Army*

You are recommended to make your reservations early in order to avoid disappointment.

Tickets can be obtained from Brigg Town Council - 01652 659402 / 07903531201  
and are priced at £7.50 per person.

These are just two of the events from the forthcoming programme of entertainment at the Angel Suite. Please watch the notice board for news of future events planned.

*The Angel Suite is also ideal for  
Private Functions, Weddings, Fundraising Events,  
and Corporate Functions - Meetings ...*

**Mrs. Karen Deeley, the recently appointed  
Angel Suite Manager / Marketing and Events Coordinator,  
is now available to assist you in all aspects of organising your event.**

**Karen can be contacted on 07903531201**

## **BRIGG - ANNUAL TOWN MEETING**

**MONDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> MARCH 2009 at 7.30PM in the ANGEL SUITE**

### **DON'T WASTE IT !!**

**This is your opportunity to share your views and opinions with both Town Councillors and fellow residents.**

The following items have already been placed on the Agenda:

- **Brigg Old Peoples Welfare Committee**  
A short presentation and appeal for support from Mr. C.W. Gunnee
- **3B's Youth Street Project**  
Progress Report from Mr. W.R. Pigott – Senior Street Leader
- **Refurbishment and re-lettering of the War Memorial**  
The Town Council is currently considering the refurbishment and re-lettering of the War Memorial and would be pleased to receive offers of help from any residents who may be interested in forming a voluntary group that would be capable of accessing any grants available for such works.  
If you are interested in getting involved, please come along to the meeting or, alternatively, confirm your interest, in writing, to the Clerk, Brigg Town Council.

There will also be the usual **Open Forum** for you to raise any issues which you are unhappy - or even happy - about !

### **PODCAST**

A new podcast has now been posted on  
[www.myspace.com/briggtowncouncil](http://www.myspace.com/briggtowncouncil)

*Tune In* to hear Councillors Mike Campion (Town Mayor), James Truepenny (Deputy Town Mayor) and Jenny Bell discussing the various issues that the Town Council has been involved in during recent months.

### **CHANGING FACES AT BRIGG TOWN COUNCIL**

Brigg Town Council has recently co-opted two new members following the resignations of Pat Neale and Roy Clarke, and the opportunity is therefore taken to extend thanks to Pat and Roy for their valuable contribution to the work of the Council which was very much appreciated. The council welcomes two new members, Carl Sherwood and Sue Nicholson, who will already be well known to most residents of Brigg.

In addition, the Town Council has recently appointed a new Assistant Clerk, Miss Nicola Stennett, and Mrs. Karen Deeley has been formerly appointed as the Angel Suite Manager with the additional role of marketing the venue, and organising a programme of events.

### **BRIGG IN BLOOM – 2009**

Hanging baskets will again be available for businesses to hire during the summer of 2009. Those businesses that have not previously ordered a basket, but would like to participate in the scheme in 2009, are asked to contact the Town Council Office to place their order, and to ensure that they have a bracket suitable for the purpose – brackets can be supplied for a one off fee of £20.00.

**In addition**, it is sincerely hoped that **all residents** will respect the planting provided in the Town which will ensure that the Town will be at its colourful best throughout the summer months, for the pleasure of both residents and visitors.

### **MR. RON MORRIS – VETERAN OF WWII**

It was with great sadness that the Town Council heard the news that Ron had passed away peacefully, and sincere condolences are extended by the Town Mayor and Mayoress of Brigg, Councillor Mike Campion and Mrs. Ann Campion, members of the Town Council, and the Clerk, to Barbara, Helen and Peter and all of Ron's family and friends.

Ron was The Town Mayor's Consort when his wife, Barbara, was Town Mayor in 1995-1996, and they hosted the first Civic Function at the newly re-furbished Angel Suite.

Unfortunately, ill health prevented Ron from participating in the annual Remembrance Sunday Parade in 2008 but prior to that he attended every year without fail and, until very recently, he insisted on marching the full route in honour of those who have given their lives. With his quick sense of humour, he would tell everyone that he might be nearing 90 but his hips were much younger !!

In 2007 (and what was to be his last attendance) he laid the wreath at the War Memorial on behalf of the Royal British Legion, and proudly stood to say the Kohima Epitaph in Church.

Ron was a gentleman in the true sense of the word, and will be remembered with great fondness by all who knew him.

### **LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK**

#### **Housing and Land Allocations Development Plan Document (DPD) Pre-Submission Consultation – Second Stage.**

The next stage of consultation, with regard to the land that has been identified for potential residential and business use throughout North Lincolnshire, is now underway.

A copy of the plans, including the land identified for development in Brigg, can be inspected at the Brigg Town Council Office or via the North Lincolnshire Council website  
[www.northlincs.gov.uk](http://www.northlincs.gov.uk) .

## JOSPEH J. MAGRATH O.B.E. AWARD

### FOR PUBLIC VOLUNTARY SERVICE 2008

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 2008, has been awarded to Mrs. Julie Smith of Melton Road, Wrawby.

Nominated by the North Lincolnshire Music & Drama Festival Committee the award is given to Mrs. Smith in recognition of her tireless commitment to the work of the Festival Committee, and promotion of the Annual Music and Drama Festival in Brigg.

As a result of Mrs. Smith's unstinting enthusiasm, drive and commitment as Festival Secretary, not only throughout 2008 but for the past 20 years, the annual Music and Drama Festival continues to provide a wonderful opportunity for people of all ages to perform in both music and drama classes, in a theatrical stage environment, in Brigg.

The Town Council is reliably informed that Mrs. Smith's commitment is 'not just for the two weeks of the Festival' but 'all-year round' and incorporates a wide range of responsibilities including maintaining the society records, liaising with the Music and Drama Federation, organising adjudicators, attending endless meetings both locally and regionally, booking the venues, stewarding throughout the festival and, not least, arranging for the piano to be tuned !

Despite all of these commitments Mrs. Smith is also actively involved in the Society's fundraising initiatives and concerts in order to raise money that will guarantee the future of this annual event in the Town.

Brigg Town Council is equally aware that the Music and Drama Festival raises the profile of the Town, and that it provides a source of positive publicity in the local press for the town, and for the local schools that participate.

Brigg Town Council is therefore delighted to take this opportunity to recognise Mrs. Julie Smith as a most worthy recipient of the Joseph J. Magrath O.B.E. Award for Public Voluntary Service 2008

## MAJOR EVENTS

### PLEASE SHOW YOUR APPRECIATION

The Town Council has recently pledged financial support to the organisers of three major events in the town, the Brigg Fiddle Festival, the Brigg Lions toward the cost of resurrecting Brigg Fair, and the Brigg Live Arts toward the cost of staging the bi-annual Art Exhibition in the Angel Suite.

The council will also continue to support Brigg Lions in the organisation of the Brigg Christmas Fair, through the provision of the staging and P.A. System.

The opportunity is taken to place on record the Town Council's thanks to all volunteers in the Town, for organising the various events and activities that take place throughout the year; members are fully aware of the time and commitment involved, and their appreciation of the benefit of their effort, for the Town, is therefore un-reserved.

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### NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE MUSIC and DRAMA FESTIVAL

**Commences Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2009 – for further details contact Mrs. Julie Smith : Tel 01652 652053**

### BRIGG FIDDLE FESTIVAL

**Thur/Fri/Sat - 14<sup>h</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> May  
and Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May**

**For details regarding the concerts / workshops / tickets, please contact [caroldawson897@btinternet.com](mailto:caroldawson897@btinternet.com)**

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## DIARY DATES AT THE ANGEL SUITE

### **Regular Monthly Activities**

Brigg & District Breast Cancer Support Group  
Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2009 7 to 10 pm  
Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2009 7 to 10 pm  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2009 7 to 10 pm

Brigg & District Flower Society  
Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2009 7 to 10 pm  
Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2009 7 to 10 pm

### **Regular Weekly Activities**

Monday afternoon - weekly at 2 pm  
Indoor Short Mat Bowls  
£2.50 each - Open session just turn up and play

Wednesday afternoon - weekly at 1.30pm  
Early Starters Parent and Toddler Group. Numbers are limited so please reserve a place in advance.

Contact: Fiona 651343 or Louise 650412

Thursday - weekly at 5.30pm  
Rosemary Conley Diet & Fitness

Sunday - weekly at 9.30am  
Kings Church

## **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 Meetings, 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.**

**The Brigg Town Council Office is located in the basement of The Angel Suite and is open on Monday and Thursday mornings, 9.30am to 12 noon.**

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

**E.Mail: [enquiries@briggmarkettown.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@briggmarkettown.co.uk)  
Web Site – [www.briggmarkettown.co.uk](http://www.briggmarkettown.co.uk)  
<http://www.myspace.com/briggtowncouncil>**

## **TOWN MAYOR AND MAYORESS OF BRIGG 2008/2009**

**Councillor Mike Campion and Mrs Ann Campion**

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

## **BRIGG TOWN COUNCILLORS**

ARNOTT Edward George Robert 3, Woodbine Avenue, Brigg	
BELL Jennifer Anne 17, St. James' Road, Brigg	Tel: 656628
BROCK Jacqueline 40, Birch Avenue, Brigg	Tel: 653464
CAMPION Michael Stuart 1, The Rookery, Scawby	Tel: 658607
DEPLEDGE Alec 15, Pingley Meadow, Brigg	Tel: 652116
DOHERTY Michael Hamilton 1, Clover Court, Brigg	Tel: 655408
EARDLEY Ann 30, Almond Grove, Brigg	Tel: 657379
GLOSSOP Maureen 'Sanderest', 50, St. Helen's Rd, Brigg	Tel: 656744
GLOSSOP Thomas David 'Sanderest', 50, St. Helen's Rd, Brigg	Tel: 656744
KIDD Julian Edmund Gibson "Emicha House", 5, Pingley Meadow, Brigg	Tel: 658139
KITWOOD John 15, Gainsborough Lane, Scawby	Tel: 655541
MARKHAM Andrew Lindsay 24, Woodbine Avenue, Brigg	Tel: 652026
NEAL Maureen Patricia 6, St. James Road, Brigg	Tel: 655306
NICHOLSON Susan 12, Queen Street, Brigg	Tel: 659008
NOBBS Antony Richard Benjamin Yew Cottage, Albert Street, Brigg	Tel: 653853
SHERWOOD Carl 25, Manley Gardens, Brigg	Tel: 655202
SMITH Penelope Jane 'Elmcroft' 1, St. Helen's Road, Brigg	Tel: 652024
TAYLOR Neil Walker 6, Colton Street, Brigg DN20 8AG	
TRUEPENNY James c/o The Britannia Inn, Wrawby Street, Brigg	Tel: 07971 920 551

## **POLICE MATTERS**

The next Police Community Liaison Public Meeting in Brigg is on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April in the Angel Suite.

6.30pm Police (confidential surgery)  
7.30pm Police Public Liaison Meeting

In the meantime if you have any concerns, or wish to report an incident, please contact the policing team on 0845 60 60 222 (always ask for a Log Number) or via E-mail

[robert.armstrong@humberside.pnn.police.uk](mailto:robert.armstrong@humberside.pnn.police.uk)

**PLEASE NOTE : if the police don't know of your concerns, then they can't do anything to help.**

## **BRIGG TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS**

### **Full Council**

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2009 at 6.45pm  
Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2009 at 7.30pm  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2009 at 7.30pm  
**Annual Meeting / Mayor Making**

### **Planning & Environment Committee**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2009 at 7.45pm  
Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March  
(if necessary to be confirmed)  
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2009 at 7pm  
Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April 2009 at 6.45pm  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May at 7pm

### **Property & Services Committee**

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2009 (cancelled)  
Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2009 at 7.30pm  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2008 at 7.45pm

### **Policy Committee**

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2009 at 7pm  
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2009 at 7.45pm  
Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2009 at 7.30pm

## **3B's Youth Street Project**

The 3B's Youth Project is now seeking to recruit volunteers who would be interested in working with the Street Leaders to deliver activities to young people 'out on the street' in Brigg, Barnetby-le-Wold and Broughton. If you have a keen interest in working with teenagers, and would be interested in offering your support to the project, please contact:- Trudy Norris at Voluntary Action North Lincolnshire. Telephone 01724 845155

E.Mail [trudy.norris@vanl.org.uk](mailto:trudy.norris@vanl.org.uk) and for more information visit [www.do-it.org.uk](http://www.do-it.org.uk)

Please note that, during term time, the activities are delivered predominantly in the evening, but there will be daytime activities during school holidays, and occasionally at weekends. Appointment will be subject to a satisfactory enhanced Criminal Record Bureau check.