

Grit Bins

Winter is here and it's the time of year when we may need to grit the roads around us for safety.

If you come across a low stocked or empty grit bin please let us know by emailing the parish clerk (parishclerk@bickleigh.gov.uk) or telephoning the Parish office (01752) 696972 Tues & Thurs 9am -11am.



**Bickleigh Parish Council meeting:
25 January 2018
7:30pm
@ Roborough Recreation Hall**

Agendas and previous meeting minutes are available to view on the Bickleigh Parish Council Website.



Newsletter collection points:

The Woolwell Centre
One-Stop, Woolwell
Roborough Vets
Parish Office (Tue & Thurs 9-11)
Bickleigh Community Library

Newsletter available to read on Parish Council notice boards and online at www.bickleigh.gov.uk.

Christmas 2018 Refuse Collections

Week beginning 1 January all collections will run two days late.

Week beginning 8 January all collections will run one day late

Local Government Act 1972 Section 87(2) CASUAL VACANCY FOR THE WOOLWELL WARD

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a vacancy exists in the office of Parish Councillor for Bickleigh Parish Council (Woolwell Ward).

Unless ten or more electors of the Woolwell Ward, on or before the **4 January 2018**, submit a request in writing for an election to be held, the Parish Council will take steps to fill the vacancy by co-option.

Requests must be sent to the Returning Officer, South Hams District Council, Follaton House, Plymouth Road, Totnes, TQ9 5NE.

Mrs Marilyn Small
Clerk to the Parish Council
12 December 2017

Tamar Valley Volunteers Working Party Dates

The Tamar Community Trust has just announced their Working Party programme for January to March.

Events include working closely with Butterfly Conservation and the Devon Greater Horseshoe Bat Project.

Visit <http://www.tamarvalley.org.uk> to find your New Year volunteering opportunities.

'LET'S TALK ABOUT DEMENTIA IN OUR COMMUNITIES'

A conference promoting dementia friendly communities is being held on Friday 2 February 2018 at The Watermark, Ivybridge from 9.30-3.00pm. Speakers include Gary Streeter MP, Ian Sherriff, Plymouth University, Helen Penwarden, Devon Federation of WI's and Dr. Edmund Jack GP. Everyone welcome, individuals, carers, groups, organisations & businesses. Come and join us to find out how to support people living with dementia in your community or share your ideas and experiences. Buffet lunch. **This is a FREE event. Booking is essential via <https://talkaboutdementia.eventbrite.co.uk>.**

For more information contact
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Parish Office:

Roborough Recreation Hall
New Road, Roborough
Plymouth PL6 7BD

Office opening hours: Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 – 11:00
(Other times by appointment)

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Or email - parishclerk@bickleigh.gov.uk

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Citizens Advice South Hams

Citizens Advice South Hams is a local independent charity helping people to resolve their problems, providing free, confidential, independent and impartial advice to everyone, informing them of their rights and responsibilities. **It is also staffed mainly by trained volunteers and relies on donations and funding to survive.**

The local charity needs volunteers, advisers, administrators, fundraisers and help with PR. People from all walks of life volunteer, retired, returning to work, those needing current work experience along with young people wanting to add work experience to their CV's. To find out more contact volunteering@southhamscab.org.uk

For advice call 03444 111 444 or come along to one of the drop in sessions at Citizens Advice, Follaton House, Mon-Thurs, between 10-1 or 2-4.

Citizens Advice South Hams is a Registered Charity, number 1091133.



Why not make your New Year's resolution really count and become a Devon Air Ambulance volunteer? We receive no government funding and are totally reliant on donations from the people of Devon. We offer an array of volunteering opportunities from box collecting, giving talks, attending cheque presentation, assisting in one of our 18 charity shops or helping out at our annual events. Volunteering can really make a real difference to your own life and the lives of others. This opportunity would suit anyone who would like to get out of the house, make new friends, do something worthwhile, all whilst having fun! We really do appreciate any amount of time you can offer. Whoever you are, you'd fit in just fine! Please contact our Volunteer Manager Cara Jones by calling 01392 466666 or emailing c.jones@daat.org for more information.

Dates for your diaries...

Walk, Talk & Tea, **Saturday's, 10.30am**, meeting at Devonshire House Care Home in Woolwell.

Moors Edge U3A are meeting on **Thursday 11 January 2018 @2.30pm**. The speaker will be Stephen Fryer on History of RAF Harrowbeer. For further details on our Groups and Activities visit our web site @ moorsedgeu3a