

# WHITCHURCH VILLAGE NEWS



Whitchurch Village Council are delighted to have a new life saving item of equipment next to our HeartSafe defibrillator cabinet situated in the Black Lion (Toby Carvery) car park. The recently installed Emergency Bleed Kit is a very much appreciated donation to our community from Clive Setter (HeartSafe) in conjunction with Avon and Somerset Police.



We look forward to seeing you all at the Village Christmas light 'switch on' (details overleaf) and on behalf of the Village Council I would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

**Nick Kirk**—Chairman Whitchurch Village Council

## Village Clean Up

Around 17 representatives from 107<sup>th</sup> Bristol (Whitchurch) Scout Group joined other volunteers on a cold but sunny Saturday morning to collect around 20 bags of rubbish from the pavements, footpaths and open spaces around the Whitchurch Village.

Whitchurch Village Councillors would like to thank all those who took part in this event to help make the Village look clean and tidy.



## New Village Councillor



Whitchurch Village Council would like to welcome new Councillor— Alexandra Currie to the Council.

Alex is looking forward to being involved in the local area and helping the community she lives in.

## Whitchurch Village Short Mat Bowls Club

This club meets every Tuesday and Friday afternoons (2.15 pm - 4.30pm) at Whitchurch Village Community Centre.

The Club has been running for over 35 years and caters for both competitive and social bowling. New members are always welcome and the Club provides the necessary equipment and coaching in how to play this challenging but fun game.

If you would like to give it a go, please either turn up to one of their sessions or ring Richard Dickson on 01275 541594 for more information.

## GRANT AWARDS 2023

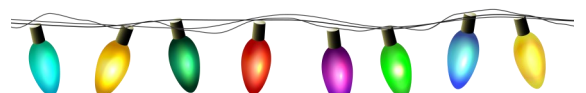
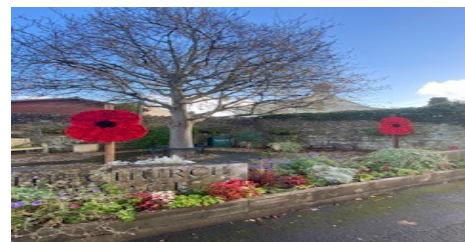
Whitchurch Village Council were delighted to present their annual grant awards at a recent council meeting.

Grants were awarded to St Nicholas Pre-School, Whitchurch Village Short Mat Bowls Club, 107<sup>th</sup> Bristol (Whitchurch) Scout Group and Age UK BANES.

The Chairman thanked the representatives for attending and for all their hard work in running the valuable groups in the Village.

## Commemorative Poppies

We were delighted to receive two large poppies from the local Knit and Natter group, who meet at the United Reformed Church, which were commissioned to commemorate Remembrance Day. Our thanks to the group for all their hard work in creating this amazing display



**Christmas is coming, please see over for details of our light switch on and competition**

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