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## Hilldale Community Newsletter



It's not been the easiest of years for many of us and, for some families, a very sad one.

But 2020 is only a matter of weeks ahead and our natural optimism will carry us through!

The HCA's core team is always optimistic; there's always something to be done or planned and enjoyed.

**SAD NEWS**

Malcolm White died on 23<sup>rd</sup> September. St Peter's at Mawdesley was packed out for his funeral on 10<sup>th</sup> October and no wonder. Malcolm was dedicated to the community; he was the voice of the Hilldale Fair for so many years; nothing was ever too much trouble. From everyone: **thank you, Malcolm.**

**FUTURE EVENTS**

- 25<sup>th</sup> January – Coffee Morning  
 29<sup>th</sup> February – Leap Year Coffee Morning  
 21<sup>st</sup> March – Jazz 'n' Gin evening – see below  
 28<sup>th</sup> March – Coffee Morning

**HILLDALE COFFEE MORNINGS****Come to the Hilldale Coffee Morning.**

We serve Gary's superb bacon and sausage butties and excellent cakes, tea, coffee and soft drinks.



Sit and enjoy them in the Hall and have a chat or take them away. The cakes and the makings for the butties are all sourced locally. It's in the **Hilldale Village Hall** on the last Saturday of most months.

**All these good things happen from 10.30 until 12.00.**

**JAZZ 'N' GIN**

It's on **Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> March** so keep that date free.

Ian Millar (Saxophone) and Dominic Spencer (Piano /keyboard) will entertain us royally with an evening of listenable jazz and stories.

Springmount Gin is supporting the evening and, at the break, there will be an opportunity to taste and buy their fine, smooth, flavoursome gin.

**BE SAFE**

It's an unfortunate reality but this is a time of year when burglars take what they can. There have already been attempts to rob houses in Hilldale. **So, lock up and make sure.** And if you are away ask a neighbour to keep an eye on your home.

**FLOODING**

Hopefully no one who receives the HCA newsletter has been flooded from the recent period of prolonged and heavy rain. Blocked gullies [road drains] are a significant contributor to flooding of property – report them to: Lancashire County Council - [www.lancashire.gov.uk/flooding/drains-and-sewers/](http://www.lancashire.gov.uk/flooding/drains-and-sewers/);

**If you are in immediate threat of flooding call 0345 988 1188.**

**HGVs IN HILLDALE**

The campaign for an enforceable weight restriction on the B5246 [Lancaster Lane, Chorley Rd, Robin Lane, Hall Lane, Meadow Lane and Church Road] continues. To date data from supporters shows almost one incident a week between a car and an HGV and one incident per month between pedestrians or cyclists. Please support the campaign by reporting your concerns on [www.stophgv.co.uk](http://www.stophgv.co.uk) . the website provides information about the actions taken to alert the LCC to the dangers that road users and residents face every day on the B5246.

Potholes: If you see one report it either directly to Lancs CC using: <https://www.lancashire.gov.uk/roads-parking-and-travel/report-it/> or Fix My street: <https://www.fixmystreet.com/>.

**HILLDALE PARISH COUNCIL**

The Parish Council recently re-decorated the Hall and the next stage is to improve the toilets. It's bright and cheerful and, with the new hob and oven in the kitchen, it's a great place to have your party or meeting or other event. Book it by visiting the HPC's website: <http://hilldaleparishcouncil.com/index.php>.

The Parish Council meets on Thursdays at 7:00 pm in the Hilldale Hall. The last meeting in 2019 is on 5<sup>th</sup> December – check the noticeboard for dates in 2020. There is a 15 minute Public Forum so if there's something on your mind, go along and speak to the Councillors.

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