





Hello and welcome to the July newsletter.

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Okay, so it didn't come home, but it nearly did.... And we never said when it was coming home!! It was a tense and frustrating night, but a fabulous day around the estate with lots of happy, optimistic residents. While walking to the shop, random shouts of IT'S COMING HOME could be heard all over the estate! Loud singing, music and cheering rang through Tinkers Bridge. It was wonderful...

And then we watched, we cheered, we hid behind cushions, we moaned, we screamed, we cheered some more and then... and then...it was over. We mourned for a bit and retu to our lives, we have been here many times before! But, we did beat Germany, we did get past the semi-finals, and we did make it to the finals!!

Our England football team made us proud, roll on next year and the World Cup!!

## **Events to look forward to this summer**

You lucky lot! Behind the scenes, the T.B.R.A and residents have been working hard to organise a variety of events to happen this summer.

## The T.B.R.A Meeting

This month's meeting will be held using our favourite Zoom as usual. There will be a link on our facebook page. It will be held on Thursday 29th June at 7:30pm. Grab a cuppa and join in!

### **August Summer Gala**

The date has now been for the Summer Gala. It will be held at The Meeting Place next to Tescos, on Saturday 21st August, from 12pm until 8pm.

We want to get together and celebrate getting through some tough times in the past year and a half. Most of all, a fun day to bring the community together and celebrate Tinkers Bridge. There will be bands and music to entertain us and boogie to, if you wish. There will be a fantastic barbeque and refreshments available. Children aren't forgotten, with fun craft tables and children's entertainment! It is going to be a great day, so make sure you come along, bring the family, and have a catch up with your neighbours and friends!

If you would like to join in the fun and help organise our summer event, please contact John Orr on 07565922368 or Sarah on Messenger.

# The Book Swap Table

The table is still doing well. Although we have had some books taken and thrown around, which is a shame. If you do see anyone treating the books poorly, please remind them how to treat books. Feel free to contact the T.B.R.A. if you have any concerns. Many thanks to those who donate and borrow books.

# **Seaside Trip**

With huge thanks to Woughton Community Council, we are excited to announce the return of our annual seaside trip!!

Deanna has kindly taken on the organising of this year's trip as she is sooo good at it!! Thank you! This year we are going to **Bournemouth beach**, a gorgeous sandy beach.

Date: Wednesday 25th August.

Departing Tinkers Bridge: 8:00am from The Meeting Place. Please arrive at 7.50am for booking in. Please be prompt, thank you.

Returning to Tinkers Bridge: 5pm. You must be at the pick up point for 4.50pm for booking back onto the coach.

As usual you will need to book a seat. **Each seat is £6** and there will be **only 61 seats** available. You must pay for your required seats when you book them. This trip is only open to Tinkers Bridge residents, but as always, Deanna will keep a reserve list in case of any cancellations Please contact Deanna at 6 Hatton after 5pm. Please be aware that this trip has already been announced on our Facebook page.

# <u>Tinkers Bridge Yard Sale</u>

We are excited to be holding our very first Yard Sale. Following on from neighbouring estate's successful yard sales, we thought we would give it ago.

It is being held on Saturday 14th August from 10:30am.

Set up a table in your front garden and sell your unwanted items! Clothes, books, niknaks, toys, baby items etc,etc. You may want to sell your own crafts and homemakes. Have a sort out, get the kids to have a sort out, and get the dog to have a sort out!! Haha!

This event is being organised by Michelle. If you would like to be on the map, please pop your house number and street through Michelle's letterbox at 16 Colne, A.S.A.P.

Michelle has been advertising this event everywhere. There are posters up around the estate and at the shop. She has shared this to our Facebook page and many other local pages.

Thank you Michelle.

## **Tinkers Bridge OFFICIAL GROUP**

For local news, lost and found, and anything else of interest. Check it out for any local updates. If you need assistance or help it can be a good place to ask. We have lots of lovely, caring people here, so please ask! It can be used to help combat loneliness, if you just want a friendly chat or to make new friends! All posts are previewed before posting.

### **Tinkers Bridge - Free To A Good Home**

Is for all giveaways, freebies and unwanted items and in date food.

### **Tinkers Bridge For Sale**

Is for items you are wanting to sell locally to friends and neighbours.

You can also access our Facebook page by using this link~

https://www.facebook.com/groups/TBRA.MK