

Hello and welcome to the November newsletter

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At the forefront in all of our minds, at the moment, is the recent awful accident on the V8 Marlborough Street, outside Tinkers Bridge. A young lady was unfortunately seriously hurt. Her family have kindly updated our Facebook page, so we are able to say she is off life support but in a serious condition. Our thoughts are with the young lady and her family. Thank you to those residents who rushed out to help. It is a sad reminder of how dangerous our surrounding roads are. These are 60mph roads and should not be crossed. It also brings up the question of why the young lady wasn't using the underpass. It is simple... they do not feel safe at night. They are not well lit, they are often full of litter and other debris. They are a haven for certain types of people to hang around. They are scary when it is dark, they are often entered through, from parks and open grasslands, surrounded by overgrown bushes and trees. None of this is appealing to anyone to walk through, let alone a teenage girl. A petition has been started on Facebook which calls on the council to make underpasses safe with more lighting, CCTV's and cutting back of bushes, so people aren't forced to cross the grid roads because that is the safer option.

Remembrance Day

We would like to say thank you to Cheryl and her Rainbows, Brownies and Guides who made poppies for their adopted planter. Each poppy has the name of a soldier who died in WWI for our peace and freedom. Residents were very touched by the lovely display, thank you again.

Tinkers Bridge Community Cafe

Exciting news!! We are soon going to be opening our very own Community Cafe. This will be held in the meeting place on Saturdays from 11am till 1pm. Come and enjoy a cuppa, a snack and a chat. If you would like to help out and volunteer, please contact April on 07506 776232 for more information. Please come along to our opening day, on Saturday 4th December, doors open at 11am. Pop along and support your local cafe!

The T.B.R.A Meeting

This month's meeting will be held in **TINKERS BRIDGE MEETING PLACE**

It will be held on Thursday 25th November at 7:30pm. It will be great to see you all! Everyone is welcome!!

Community Corner

Lots of residents often do their bit for our estate and it goes unnoticed and unseen. If you see a neighbour doing something amazing for the community then why not nominate them for a Community Corner mention!

Thank you to Mrs Leaver of Colne for litter picking, she was spied armed with her litter picker and two bags of rubbish.

Thank you to the residents of Buckby who have been working hard to clear the leaves in their road.



Christmas Is On It's Way

Beanhill Residents Association are holding a fabulous Christmas fete at the Moorlands Centre on **Saturday 11th December**. Doors open 12pm, finishing at 4pm. There will be Tombola, kids lucky dip, gifts, toys, refreshments and much more. Everyone is welcome.

Tinkers Bridge Christmas Market, on **Saturday 27th November** at the meeting place. The event is hosted by Ameer, and is aimed at dog owners. There will be various stalls run by residents promoting their businesses. Hot Chocolate, festive treats for dogs and humans. Dogs, owners, and non-doggy owners are all welcome. Doors open 12pm until 4pm

Simpson Village Hall is having a **Bring and Buy Sale** on **Saturday 4th December**. Doors open at 10am. Bag a bargain Christmas present.

Panto Time

We are very excited for the wonderful trip to see Aladdin, at The Deco theatre in Northampton on Saturday 11th December. The performance starts at 7pm. The coach will be leaving Tinkers Bridge meeting place at 5.50pm. Please ensure you are there, ready to go at least 10 minutes before departure. Many thanks to Milton Keynes Council for providing the funding for this trip. Thank you to The Deco for accommodating us once again. Thank you to Deanna for working hard to arrange this trip.

Santa's Sleigh

Santa will be visiting Tinkers Bridge on Saturday 18th December. If your children would like a present from Santa and his elves. Please forward their names and the address of your children to April on 07506 776232. If your child is not on the list, they will not be able to have a present, so please make sure you get their name on Santa's list. A huge thank you to W.C.C and Milton Keynes Council for funding this event. Santa and his elves will start their rounds from 4 pm. The elves will be making music and giving out sweets while helping Santa to deliver the presents. Be sure to listen out!



We would like to wish all our residents a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Facebook

Tinkers Bridge - Supporting our local businesses.

Our latest page is in support of local businesses. Free advertising to your neighbours, can't be bad. Check it out.

Tinkers Bridge OFFICIAL GROUP

For local news, lost and found, and anything else of interest. Check it out for any local updates. All posts are previewed before posting. We are unable to advertise your business on this page.

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.