What's On

Woodley Heritage Open Days

St John's C of E church, the former primary school and head teacher's cottage in Church Road will be open for Heritage Open Days on 21 September 11.00 – 16.00, including tours by members of the congregation and former pupils. All listed buildings; the church dates back to 1873, while the former primary school and head teacher's cottage date back to 1855.

See Oakwood Centre events and information



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The Oakwood Centre

www.woodley.gov.uk

Alan Cornish Theatre

Berzerk Productions James and the Giant Peach

11 – 12 July 19.30 & 13 July 14.00 & 17.00 Box Office:

www.berzerkproductions.com

I Am The Manic Whale Whalefest

7 September 19.30 Contact: michael@iamthemanicwhale.com

Woodley Theatre

The Herd

24 - 28 September 19.45 Box Office: 07939 210121 or www.woodleytheatre.org

Jazz - Martin Hart Trio

12 October 19.45

Box Office: 07939 210121 or www.woodleytheatre.org

Town Centre

Saturday Market

Every Saturday 09.00 - 15.00

Artisan & Produce Market

17 July, 21 August, 18 September, 16 October 09.00 - 13.30

Car Boot and Table Top Sale

14 & 28 July, 11 & 25 August, 8 & 22 September, 13 & 27 October, 10 & 24 November 08.00 - 13.00

French Market 6 September



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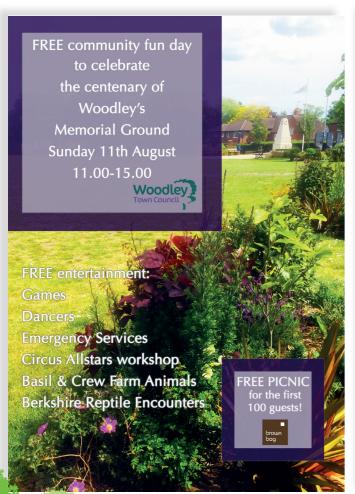
Centre Stage

Summertime Street Party

6 July 16.00 - 20.00

Craigevar Ceilidh Band

24 August 10.00 - 12.00









New Mayor and Deputy Mayor

Cllr Kay Gilder was elected Woodley Town Mayor at the first Annual General Meeting of Woodley Town Council and its new councillors. She has chosen Prostate Cancer UK as the Mayor's charity for 2019/20. Cllr Dave Mills was elected as Deputy Mayor.

Community grants

At the recent Annual General Meeting of Woodley Town Council, community grants were granted to the following charities and individuals by former Mayor Cllr Rahmouni: 1st Woodley Boys Brigade, 2nd Woodley Scout Group, Emmanuel Church, Friends of Woodford Park, Me2 Club, School Days Project, Woodley Festival of Music & Arts and Woodley United FC. Hannah Evans also received a grant towards the cost of upgrading her archery equipment. Further details are available on the website: www.woodley.gov.uk



Woodley & District U3a

The Woodley & District U3a has now been formally constituted under this name with nearly 150 'Third Agers' having signed up for membership. Monthly meetings, with speakers, will be held at Christ Church, Crockhamwell Road, Woodley, RG5 3LA on the first Wednesday of every month at 14.00, starting on 3 July. Full details of membership and activities can be found on the website: www.woodleyu3a.org.uk.

Woodley heroes

At its recent annual Citizen's Awards, Woodley Town Council honoured local Woodley heroes who go above and beyond for the community. Bill Rodda was nominated to recognise his commitment to local football during the last 20 years, Sue Twose for her endless generosity



and kindness to neighbours and local Woodley residents, and Jackie Yule for generously giving her time to Highwood Primary School for over 15 years. Outgoing Mayor Rahmouni also presented the Mayor's Award to Colin Lott for the generous time and effort he has put into fundraising for various charities over the last 40 years.

Woodley's football history

Woodley Town Council, along with representatives from Woodley United and others, is hoping to put together a display at the Oakwood Centre about the history of football in Woodley. We're looking for stories, memorabilia, information and photos that we could use – particularly from the 1960s to the 1980s. If you have any information that you think would help show the development of football in our town please contact Mike Lee: mike.lee971@hotmail.co.uk by 1 September. We look forward to hearing from you.

Help to Claim

Citizens Advice Wokingham has launched a new 'Help to Claim' service to help the residents of Wokingham, Woodley and the surrounding areas to make a Universal Credit claim to provide both advice and support through the application process. This service will be available in Woodley at its offices near the library every Tuesday 09.30-14.30 and in its Wokingham branch Monday to Thursday 09.00-15.00. Alternatively, full support is available through Citizens Advice's free phone line Monday to Friday 08.00 - 18.00: 0800 144 8 444.

Youth volunteers

Woodley Baptist Church has been running a Youth Club (Aged 11-14) on a Friday night for the last 20 years, and now needs three volunteers to see the group continue. Its aim is to offer a safe place, where young people can come and be with their friends, find a listening ear and try a variety of activities on offer each week. If you are interested in volunteering or finding out more then please get in touch with our Youth Worker - Graham Sumbler: graham.sumbler@woodleybc.org,

07725 905427. The position requires an enhanced DBS with two

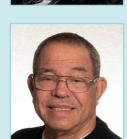
Woodley Town Council, The Oakwood Centre, Headley Road, Woodley RG5 4JZ Tel: 0118 969 0356 Email: admin@woodley.gov.uk www.woodley.gov.uk

Members elected to Woodley Town Council at the election held on 2 May 2019

Bulmershe Ward



Cllr Nada Al-Sanjari Labour



Cllr Sam Rahmouni Conservative



Cllr Alison Swaddle Conservative

Warren Ward



Cllr Shadi Brindley Conservative



Cllr Dave Mills Deputy Mayor Conservative

Coronation Central Ward



Cllr Juliet Anderson Cllr David Bragg Conservative Conservative

Coronation East Ward



Cllr Keith Baker Conservative



Cllr John MacNaught Cllr David Stares Conservative Conservative



Cllr Mark Green Conservative



Warren

Coronation Central

> Loddon West

Bulmershe

South Lake North

> **South Lake** South

Coronation **East**

> Loddon **Airfield**

Loddon South

Loddon Airfield Ward



Cllr Anne Chadwick Conservative



Cllr Alex Heap Liberal Democrat



Conservative

South Lake North Ward

Cllr Jenny Cheng Conservative



Cllr Tom McCann Liberal Democrat

South Lake South Ward

Loddon

South Ward

Loddon West Ward



Cllr Martin Doyle Liberal Democrat



Cllr Michael Forrer Conservative



Cllr Majid Nagra Conservative



Cllr Janet Sartorel Conservative



Cllr Bill Soane Conservative

Cllr Richard Skegg Liberal Democrat



Mayor Conservative



Cllr Carol Jewell Liberal Democrat



Cllr Beth Rowland Liberal Democrat

You can contact your local councillor via the Town Council offices.

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Council meetings Meetings are held at the Oakwood Centre

Full Council 1 October 20.00

Leisure Services Committee 3 September, 19 November 20.00

Strategy and Resources Committee 17 September, 26 November 20.00

16 July, 13 August, 10 September, 8 October, 5 November 19.45

A Town Forum is held before each Full Council meeting at which members of the public can pose questions to the Council on issues affecting the town or on Town Council matters.