



PENKRIDGE PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

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The annual Competitions Evening was held on 20th September at the Haling Dene Centre. The evening was a great success and below are listed the winners in each category.

SUMMER GARDENING COMPETITIONS

Best Window Box/Hanging Basket Winners:

- 1st Mr & Mrs Onions
- 2nd Mr & Mrs Cooper
- 3rd Mr Haycock
- Mr & Mrs Gibbons
- Mr Morgan
- Mr Smith
- Mr & Mrs Dunning



Best Front Garden Winners:

- 1st Mr & Mrs Gibbons
- 2nd Mr & Mrs Walker
- 3rd Mr & Mrs Onions

PHOTOGRAPHIC COMPETITION

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| Adult | 1st | Mr Robert Flood |
| | 2nd | Mr Robert Flood |
| | 3rd | Mrs Diane Morgan |



CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES

POSTERS

Overall Winner - Princefield First

Year 1/2M

Marshbrook First School—Runners up
Year 4

St. Michael's First School—Runners up
Year 1/2



SWIMMING AWARDS

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| Autumn 2006 | Rebekah Griffiths |
| Spring 2007 | Kieran Shaw |
| Summer 2007 | Harry Adams |



ALCOHOL BAN IN DESIGNATED PLACES

Due to the excessive amount of alcohol fuelled incidents throughout Penkridge the Parish Council, with the support of the police, wish to introduce an alcohol ban in named public areas throughout the village.

This would mean that no alcohol could be consumed in public in the named areas, for example in the new Burial Ground. A map detailing the proposed areas is available for viewing at the Haling Dene Centre and on the website, www.penkridge.org.uk.

The proposed areas are the Burial Ground, Bellbrook, Market Street, Crown Bridge, Festival Gardens, Part of Stone Cross, Mill Street, Teddesley Road Car Park, Horsefair Play area, Wolverhampton Road Play area and Kempson Road Play area.

The Parish Council would like to know your views on the proposed ban, please contact the Parish Administrator, Lynne Hames, Haling Dene Centre, Cannock Road, Penkridge, Stafford ST19 5DT, or telephone on 01785 714157 or email lynne@penkridgeparish.org.uk

KIDS PANTO AT HALING DENE

"The Magic Castle"

Saturday 24th November

Two performances:

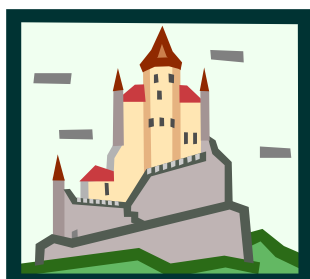
1.30 pm and 3.30 pm

Admission with tickets only

£1 per ticket available at the Haling Dene Centre

Please buy tickets in advance as places are limited in each performance

All children must be accompanied by an adult



ANNUAL VICTORIAN FAYRE

This year the ever popular Fayre will be held on Friday 30th November from
5.00 pm to 8.30 pm.
Come along and enjoy the occasion!

SPRING FLOWERING BULBS

Each year the South Staffordshire Council donate a quantity of spring flowering bulbs for planting in the Parish during the Autumn. If any organisations or individuals are prepared to assist with the planting, probably late October or early November, would you please contact Lesley Griffiths on 714157 at the Haling Dene Centre. Your help would be much appreciated.

HALING DENE CENTRE

Don't forget that the Haling Dene Centre is licensed for Wedding Ceremonies etc.
To avoid disappointment book now for your wedding, party or special occasion.
Please telephone 714157 for further information.

HALING DENE CENTRE BAR

Don't forget that the Haling Dene Bar is open on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings from 7.00 to 11.00 pm.
Outside Seating is now available.
Come and relax in quiet and friendly surroundings.

CHANGES TO ARRIVA BUS SERVICES IN PENKRIDGE FROM 2ND SEPTEMBER 2007

Service 876: Stafford (Chell Rd) - Gailey-Brewood-Wolverhampton-Stafford (Chell Rd) (Mon to Sat)

There will be minor changes to the timetable. This service to be renumbered Service 76.

For Your Information

Problems with roads, pavements, street lighting or blocked road drains:-

Call CLARENCE **0800 23 23 23**

Or

Email **Clarence@staffordshire.gov.uk**

Registrar - Haling Dene Centre

The Registrar is in attendance at the Haling Dene Centre on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday afternoons from 2.00 pm to 4.30 pm. To make an appointment to see her please ring either 01785 715260 when she is in attendance at the Haling Dene or 01543 512345 at other times.

CAB Haling Dene Centre

The CAB is in attendance at the Haling Dene Centre on Thursday mornings between 9.30 am and 12.30 pm.

No appointment is necessary.

Meeting Dates 2007—Penkridge Parish Council, Haling Dene Centre

Thurs 11 Oct	Planning and Full Council	7.00 pm
Thurs 18 Oct	Burial Ground Meeting	7.00 pm
Thurs 25 Oct	Planning and Haling Dene Management	7.00 pm
Thurs 8 Nov	Planning and Full Council	7.00 pm
Thurs 22 Nov	Planning and Recreation and Amenities	7.00 pm
Thurs 6 Dec	Planning and Haling Dene Management	7.00 pm
Thurs 13 Dec	Planning and Full Council	7.00 pm