

# Westbury and Yockleton Newsletter

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Items for inclusion in the Newsletter must reach me by : for the September 2020 edition : 9am Monday, 24 August 2020  
and for the October 2020 edition : 9am Monday, 21 September 2020.

## Westbury Village Hall

**Westbury Parish Council** : Due to the ongoing situation with the Covid-19 virus, Westbury Parish Council meetings are subject to change and - until further notice - will be held remotely using "Zoom" software to conduct meetings. The next meeting will be at 7.30pm on Thursday, 10 September 2020. Should any member of the public wish to join the meeting, it is requested that they first contact Mrs Sarah-Jane Smith, Parish Clerk and RFO by email : <clerkwypc@aol.co.uk>.

**Westbury WI** : Due to the Covid-19 virus, all future meetings and events have been postponed until further notice. For more information call Jill Jones (01743 884414) or Cilla Perry (01743 884950) or Beryl Johnson (01743 884950) or email : berylanderic@icloud.com.

**Westbury Bowls Club** : As usual, will be closed for the summer months but - depending upon restrictions caused by the Covid-19 virus - will hopefully start again in September. For more information, call Dave Williams (01743 884553).

**Westbury Photography Club**: Due to restrictions caused by the Covid-19 virus, the Club will not be meeting again until advised by the Government that it will be safe to do so. For more information please email Robert Williams : (robertwilliams6@mac.com).

**Hall Hire** : Due to the Covid-19 virus, the village hall will not be available for bookings until further notice. For more information, please contact Bella 07707639124 (Mobile) (Voice/Text) or email : childsbella@icloud.com

**Westbury Youth Club** : The "physical" Youth Club has closed; however - conscious that the Covid-19 virus situation is putting a huge strain on everyone, Lee and Hayley are keeping in touch with the young people and will run a "virtual" Youth Club, which is being advertised through their Facebook page. For further information, call Richard Parkes, Chief Executive Officer, Shropshire Youth Association. Tel: 01743 730005 or 07710095802 (Mobile).

**Westbury Exercise Group** : Due to the Covid-19 virus, all future meetings have been postponed until further notice. For more information please contact : rmorris73@gmail.com.

**Long Mountain CoE Primary School** : Due to the Covid-19 virus situation, the School and Pre-School are only open for the children of NHS staff and other key workers until further notice. For more information, please contact Long Mountain CoE Primary School on 01743 891320.

**West Shropshire Flower Club** : Due to the ongoing situation with the Covid-19 virus, all future meetings have been cancelled until further notice. For more information call Liz Dawson (01938 570235) or visit: info@brimford.co.uk.

## Yockleton Victory Hall

**Yockleton WI** : Due to the Covid-19 virus situation, future meetings have had to be cancelled until further notice. For more information, please contact Daphne Goodwin (01743 884524).

**Rea Valley Young Farmers Club** : Quite apart from the restrictions caused by the Covid-19 virus, it has been decided that no meetings of this Club will take place in future. For more information, please contact Rebecca Beckett on 07528 944632.

### Refuse and Recycling Services in August 2020

Wednesdays 12<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> - Refuse

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### Household Re-Cycling Centres

Although I advised in the June and July 2020 Newsletters, that Shropshire Council had re-opened all five of their Household Recycling Centres, at the moment it is still not clear from their website whether or not the Guidance Notes and Specific Site Rules are still in operation. So, before deciding to visit, best to check their website :

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<https://www.westmercia.police.uk/article/2993/Team-Calendar-and-Events?amonth=2&ayear=2018&submit=Go>

NB : If the Police are attending any events in Westbury, these will be added to their Calendar.

## Anti-Social Behaviour

0345 678 9020 is the Dedicated Reporting Line for Anti-Social Behaviour operated by Shropshire Council in partnership with a number of agencies including the Police. Please use this number to report any anti-social behaviour. All calls are recorded and followed up by the agencies involved.

## Safer Neighbourhood Team

Your local Safer Neighbourhood Team members are Inspector Saf Ali and Sgt Rebecca Thomas. Joe Bradley continues as my right hand man and Police Volunteer Arthur Jones is still opening Pontesbury Police Station on Wednesday evenings between 4.00pm and 7.00pm, should you need to attend for for any issue. We have a sign that we put outside the Station if there is an officer on the premises, so - if anyone is passing and wants advice - please call in.

If anyone requires a "home" visit or wants to discuss anything, please just ring me : PC Cookson on 101 Ext 66645 or use my

**Work Mobile : 07814 042410 (Duty Hours)**

or email us via:[shrewsburyrw.sent@westmercia.pnn.police.uk](mailto:shrewsburyrw.sent@westmercia.pnn.police.uk)

If you need **to report any crime**, please call West Mercia on the 101 number or report anything anonymously through :

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**Please do not email to report a crime. Only call 999 in an emergency, when a crime is in progress, or when life is in danger. For none emergencies please call 101.**

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## Police Matters

For reasons that are beyond explanation, Westbury and Yockleton are having a slight reprieve from the over-night thefts at the moment. Please remain vigilant because there is no pattern to the thefts and they could easily re-start. Recently, Shropshire Police have had some arrests of two different groups of people, neither of whom were from Shropshire. Whether they are just the offenders who collect the goods and transport them out of the county after someone else has stolen them, remains unclear at the moment.

There is a National Seat Belt Campaign running for two weeks, and which started on 29 June, so please ensure you are all safely restrained and - following complaints from locals - there will be some Speed Enforcement checks being conducted in both Westbury and Yockleton over the next two months.

Stay safe and please get in touch with any questions or concerns.

Please continue to lock up outbuildings and report any sightings via 101 and also via some of the excellent community Facebook pages to alert your neighbours that they are about.

I am still working as usual and if you would like me to have a walk around your property to give security advice, please get in touch. I can manage to shout over two metres but I am missing my usual cups of tea, which would be a pre-requisite for a visit!

As always, keep garages, sheds and outbuildings locked and - if possible - alarmed. Simple battery powered alarms have improved and noise is always a good deterrent if a thief has managed to get into your "Lock Up". Quad bikes and push bikes continue to be popular amongst thieves, so both need chaining up/bolting down.

Security marking can help recover stolen items and there are a number of options available. Please remain vigilant and ensure everything gets locked all the time - not just last thing at night. Keep in touch with your neighbours by telephone and - for those who use social media - post strange vehicles and unusual events. Neighbourhood Watch is nothing complicated or formal. It's just keeping an eye out, but also letting others know - including me - if you have the registration numbers of vehicles that don't look or feel right. It doesn't matter if it is via Facebook, WhatsApp or a text message. Email me and Joe Bradley via :

**[shrewsburyrw.snt@westmercia.pnn.police.uk](mailto:shrewsburyrw.snt@westmercia.pnn.police.uk)**

If you have outside lights and security lights, make sure they are working. Any garden ornaments of value or interest need to be well secured, as do power tools and garden equipment, as they remain a desirable item for opportunist night-time thieves.

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*Beryl Johnson, Secretary*

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Westbury" Facebook page is a great way to warn everyone  
quickly about anything suspicious and gives others the chance  
to be vigilant.

As stated above, please only contact the Police in an emergency  
- but we are available for all general advice via our mobile  
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## The Vron Gate Show

Sadly it appears to have been the right decision to cancel the Vron  
Gate Show as the country is only just starting to unlock and mass  
group gatherings are not recommended. We were disappointed to  
hear that The Minsterley Show had also been cancelled but,  
appreciating the amount of work and expense which goes into  
setting up our Show, it was understandable that they have also had  
to cancel - here's looking forward to a great 2021 season !

*The Vrongate Show Committee*

## Messy Church

Messy Church has been cancelled until further notice due to the  
Covid-19 virus situation.

*Ruth Leigh*

## Yockleton W I

Unfortunately Yockleton W I is still in "Lock Down" and we have  
no events upon which to report. So we hope that you all keep safe  
and care for each other until we meet again.

*Daphne Goodwin,*

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## St Mary's Church Westbury 100 Club Prize Winners

Due to the current  
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*Mary Pryce*



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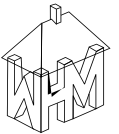
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2nd Prize : £15  
Janet Trow  
(No 91)

3rd Prize : £10  
Mr and Mrs J Williams  
(No 66)

4th Prize : £5  
Mr and Mrs Ryder  
(No 27)

5th Prize : £5  
The Lee Family  
(No 19)

6th Prize : £5  
Mr R Haydon  
(No 81)

### April 2020 Draw

1st Prize : £25  
Lani and Sam  
Bromley  
(No 46)

2nd Prize : £15  
Christopher Long  
(No 50)

3rd Prize : £10  
Kathryn and  
Georgia Dixon-Clark  
(No 97)

4th Prize : £5  
Mr and Mrs P  
Hanselman  
(No 96)

5th Prize : £5  
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6th Prize : £5  
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Liz Bromley

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## Yockleton : 100 Club Draws

Although at the start of the Lockdown, it was not possible to hold any of the Monthly Draws, in more recent weeks I have been participating in the Yockleton Coffee Mornings via Zoom on a Thursday morning. In the main, these sessions are quite well supported and we have managed to find a way of holding the 100 Club Draws in a fair and acceptable format, assuming that there are sufficient people present to justify it.

Consequently, on Thursday, 2 July 2020 the Draws for March and April 2020 took place - see the list of Prizewinners on the left.

In the coming weeks I hope to hold the Draws for May, June and July 2020 in a similar manner and the Prizewinners will appear in future issues of this Newsletter.

Liz Bromley

## West Shropshire Flower Club

All future meetings have been cancelled due to the Covid-19 virus situation.

Julia Brion : 01743 791924  
or Liz Dawson (01938 570235)  
or visit : info@brimford.co.uk

## A Message and Short Reflection

This Sunday (2 August) we will be recommencing our public acts of worship but - as services inside buildings are still full of restrictions - at 11.00 am we are having a Service outside the building of St Mary's Church, Westbury where we can space out and sing and hear the Gospel - and, of course, have a Chat afterwards - All Welcome !

### Psalm 42

As the deer pants for streams of water,  
so my soul pants for you, my God.  
My soul thirsts for God, for the living God.  
When can I go and meet with God?  
My tears have been my food day and night,  
while people say to me all day long,  
“Where is your God?”  
These things I remember as I pour out my soul:  
how I used to go to the house of God  
under the protection of the Mighty One  
with shouts of joy and praise among the festive throng.  
Why, my soul, are you downcast?  
Why so disturbed within me?  
Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him,  
my Saviour and my God.  
My soul is downcast within me;  
therefore I will remember you from the land of the Jordan,  
the heights of Hermon.  
Deep calls to deep in the roar of your waterfalls;  
all your waves and breakers have swept over me.  
By day the Lord directs his love, at night his song is with me—  
a prayer to the God of my life.  
I say to God my Rock, “Why have you forgotten me?  
Why must I go about mourning, oppressed by the enemy?”  
My bones suffer mortal agony as my foes taunt me,  
saying to me all day long, “Where is your God?”  
Why, my soul, are you downcast?  
Why so disturbed within me?  
Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him,  
my Saviour and my God.

### Short Address

The Psalmist who penned this prayer around 3,000 years ago, was experiencing something that we all face in our lives. We all drift from having a deep spiritual awareness to occasionally questioning it all or even indifference.

He says: “I say to God my rock, “Why have you forgotten me ? Why must I go about mourning?” Then .....

“Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Saviour and my God.”

There's nothing wrong with this, it's like a wandering in the wilderness experience; it feels a bit like being alone or lost, but to question things ultimately brings about a refining process in our lives.

When I was training as an agricultural mechanic, we had to learn how to take raw steel and thump it on an anvil with a lump hammer. Back into the heat, then into cold water, but it was the only way to get rid of impurities

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and to harden the steel to make it of any use at all. Life is like that too.

To believe in a God who always makes life smooth and easy for us, is in my opinion to misunderstand the scriptures. It is to create a God that is no more than an idol and, when tragedy does come, we are forced to abandon God because we think that he has abandoned us, rather than drawing strength from him to cope with the situation and to then draw alongside and support or bless others. The Bible is full of suffering but in that suffering people found fullness of life.

*Jesus says in Matthew's gospel: "for He (God) causes His sun to rise on the evil and the good, and sends rain on the righteous and the unrighteous."*

We can't always put the events of life into a coherent and vitalising narrative, or try to bestow meaning on events where there isn't any. So we draw strength from the scriptures, we see God in the natural world, and we gain comfort knowing that God's love is so powerful that it will never leave us, even though we may pass through the curtain of the death of our bodies, he will be with us.

"Why are you cast down Oh my soul ? Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Saviour and my God.

Revd. David Moss  
Rector for the Parishes of Westbury, Worthen and Yockleton  
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## **Westbury Medical Centre 'Flu Season will start in Mid-September.**

### **This year, the Clinics will have to be run differently due to the Covid-19 Virus Restrictions**

Initially we will be targeting patients in Care Homes, shielding patients and our "at risk" patients who have a chronic disease such as : COPD, Chronic Kidney Disease, Chronic Heart Disease, Chronic Liver Disease, Diabetes, Splenic Dysfunction, a weakened immune system due to Cancer Treatment or a disease such as HIV/Aids. Our over 65's, pregnant women, carers and children under School Year 7 will also be targeted early. For those aged 50-64 we have to wait for further supplies from NHS England.

We will be running an appointment system, some of which will be conducted in cars in the car park, but we are hoping to be able to do some in the building. Each will be operated on a one way system.

Please call the Surgery on 01743 884727 to make an appointment.

PLEASE be PATIENT - this is all very new to us and we are trying to keep you and ourselves safe from the risk of infection.

Pneumonia Injections for the over 65's are available all year round; this is not an annual injection and you usually only need one.

Shingles Injections are also available for 70-79 year olds all year round and you only need it the once - not annually.

Helen Bowkett  
Practice Manager : Westbury Medical Centre - M82013  
Westbury Medical Centre, Westbury. SY5 9QX : 01743 884727  
Email: <helen.bowkett@nhs.net>



## Sabrina Mobile Library

We are following a phased return of service for the Mobile Libraries. They started back on the road in the week beginning 27th July 2020. The first four weeks (two visits for each route) will be offering the Ready Reads Collect Service only, no borrowers will be allowed on board.

To order books online, obtain a pin number via the Library Service and the books will be on the next delivery.

The drivers have been phoning or emailing their regular borrowers to set this up for them. The service will not be offered to new borrowers (or non-regular) borrowers because the service is proving so popular that they don't have the capacity for any additional borrowers. This is why the Mobile Libraries don't appear with the rest of the library branches in the re-opening information on our website, and why this service hasn't been promoted; the people who need to know will have been told.

Following on from this four week period, we will re-assess and we hope they will begin to allow borrowers on board (with limited numbers, social distancing etc). This will depend on all necessary PPE measures being in place, and also the delayed MOT tests for mobile library vehicles may change some dates.

### Mobile Library Stops : Days, Times and Routes

#### Route 8 : Alternative weeks on a Monday

**Ready Reads Collect Service : 3rd and 17th August**  
**Limited Opening (TBC) : 14th and 28th September**

|                                          |                    |
|------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Ford Village Hall :                      | 9.30am - 9.50am    |
| Halfway House Inn, Halfway House :       | 10.00am - 9.50am   |
| Old School Lane, Wattles borough Heath : | 10.30am - 10.45am  |
| Alberbury Village Hall :                 | 10.55 am - 11.15am |

#### Route 2 : Alternate Weeks on a Tuesday

**Ready Reads Collect Service : 28th July and 11th August**  
**Limited Opening (TBC) : 25th August and 8th September**

|                                         |                 |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Aston Rogers, opposite Brook House :    | 1.00pm - 1.10pm |
| Lower Wallop, Wallop Cottages :         | 1.20pm - 1.40pm |
| Rowley, Upper House Farm :              | 1.45pm - 1.55pm |
| Vennington, Lower House Farm :          | 2.10pm - 2.20pm |
| Westbury (outside former Post Office) : | 2.25pm - 3.05pm |

#### Route 4 : Alternate Weeks on a Thursday

**Ready Reads Collect Service : 30th July and 13th August**  
**Limited Opening (TBC) : 27th August and 10th September**

|                       |                   |
|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Yockleton Lay By :    | 10.00am - 10.15am |
| Ford Heath Post Box : | 10.20am - 10.30am |

*Ellen Powell*

*Team Librarian : Libraries Team*

*Shropshire Council, The Annexe, The Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury, Shropshire. SY2 6ND*

*Direct Line : 01743 255309 Library Support: 01743 255024 :*

*Libraries : <libraries@shropshire.gov.uk> : Website: www.shropshire.gov.uk*

**AUGUST 2020 : UPDATE FROM ED POTTER**  
**YOUR SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL UNITARY COUNCILLOR**  
**The Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury, Shropshire. SY2 6ND**

### **Covid 19 Update**

I hope everyone is keeping well and has adjusted to the new ways of working and life in general. As we see the national Lock Down eased, more emphasis will be put on local authorities to manage and control any outbreaks and spikes in Coronavirus infections within Shropshire. We have already seen this with the Public Health Team working with other agencies to control spikes in infections at several locations within the County, thankfully none in this area. If anyone has concerns or requires further information on local infection control measures, please let me know or visit [www.shropshire.gov.uk/environmental-health/covid-19-guidance](http://www.shropshire.gov.uk/environmental-health/covid-19-guidance). Should there be a significant rise in cases, local authorities have been given the powers - in conjunction with Public Health England - to instigate local Lock Downs. As Councillors, we are regularly informed of any issues in our areas and I will keep residents posted wherever possible.

### **Shropshire Local Plan Review**

After a frantic few weeks of going backwards and forwards with Planning Policy, the draft of the Local Plan Review was approved - by Shropshire Council's Cabinet - to go out to Consultation. I can confirm that Westbury has NOT been included within the Plan for Future Development and it is proposed that the village will maintain its Open Countryside status. This will allow small local need and affordable development under strict criteria, very much as is the case now. It had been suggested that Westbury had met the criteria required to become a Hub and allow development on promoted sites within a development boundary. However it was established that because the Outreach Post Office had not been operating for several months and its future was in question, this ultimately reduced the "points scoring" for the village and so Westbury has maintained its Open Countryside Status.

### **Highways**

It is not often that I am able to report good news when it comes to Shropshire Council highways, but it appears good progress has been made in recent months. Things are far from perfect, but it is clear that matters are heading in the right direction. Recently there has been a vast improvement in Pot Holes being filled in a timely manner and many of the historic Drainage Issues and Clearing of Gullies have been addressed. So with "fingers crossed" and weather permitting, a large number of the roads within the Parish - including the B4386 - will see some Surface Dressing. The re-organisation and re-structuring of the Highways Department has had a positive impact but, as I say, there is still a long way to go and I will be following it closely to see what further progress is made in this area.

If you spot any issues, these can be reported through <https://my.shropshire.gov.uk> or let me know and I can report them for you. There are still a few issues to be resolved (Westbury Level Crossing being one) and I will keep pushing to get some action on these issues.

As ever, if you have an issue on which you think I might be able to help - or point you in the right direction - please do not hesitate to contact me.

Ed Potter Shropshire Councillor for the Loton Division  
(Including the Parishes of Alberbury with Cardeston, Montford, Great and Little Ness and Westbury)  
Cabinet Member for Children's Services and Education  
07779117802 / 01694731305

## Bereavement Support for Shropshire Residents

A new service has been launched to support people who are experiencing and suffering from bereavement and loss. The offer is open to any Shropshire resident who has been bereaved, either by a recent death or a previous loss. The Bereavement Support Service is operated by Shropshire Council and community voluntary partners Samaritans, CRUSE, Severn Hospice and Crane Quality Counselling. The service can be accessed through self-referral by calling **0345 678 9028**.

The Bereavement Support Service is accompanied by the launch of a “*Grief and Bereavement During COVID19*” booklet which provides a compassionate overview of coping with loss, feelings that may be experienced, supporting others who are grieving and links to help and information. A secondary booklet provides a practical guide for the process following a death and what has changed due to the pandemic.

Digital versions of these resources are available from the Shropshire Council website bereavement page at: <https://www.shropshire.gov.uk/bereavement-services/support-and-resources-for-those-recently-bereaved/>

*Sarah-Jane Smith  
Clerk and RFO : Westbury Parish Council*

## Westbury and Yockleton Newsletter Covid-19 Virus

As stated in my April, May and June 2020 Newsletters, each month - and for many years - 530 copies of the Newsletter have been delivered house-to-house in Westbury, Yockleton and surrounding communities by our team of 20 volunteer distributors.

Understandably, in these extraordinary times, our volunteers are unable to continue. All monthly editions are now only available for viewing or downloading via our new website .

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*Editor*

## POSTAGE STAMPS FOR CHARITY

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### Bransby Horses

The horses, ponies, mules and donkeys in their care still have to be fed, receive veterinary treatment etc and Bransby does wonderful rehabilitation care for the animals it rescues from some appalling conditions.

Stamps can be left for me at :

The Oaklands, Station Road, Westbury, Shrewsbury. SY5 9QX

(by the former Post Office)

There is a free-standing mail box by the double gates on our driveway.

Many thanks to everyone who has donated stamps so far.

*Alex Tucker*

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**Contact :**

**Lorna Tucker**

**01743 884720**

## Shropshire Council Planning Applications

| Application Reference | Applicant/Agent                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Date         | Proposal                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Status                          |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 20/02772/COU          | Mr Andrew Lawrence<br>The Old Chapel, Ford Heath,<br>Shrewsbury. SY5 9GG                                                                                                                                               | 22 July 2020 | Change of use from live/work unit to open market residential dwelling                                                                                                                                                                                    | <u>Pending Consideration</u>    |
| 20/02696/FUL          | Mr N Davies<br>Seven Springs, Monday Town,<br>Westbury. SY5 9HG<br>Agent: Gareth Hickman<br>Architectural Ltd,<br>Lightmoor Road, Lightmoor,<br>Telford. TF4 3QN                                                       | 14 July 2020 | Erection of agricultural storage building                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <u>Pending Consideration</u>    |
| 20/02477/FUL          | Mr and Mrs S and K Parkhurst<br>and Mulholland<br>2 Hermitage Close, Westbury<br>Shrewsbury SY5 9QL                                                                                                                    | 25 June 2020 | Alterations to front elevation in association with garage conversion.                                                                                                                                                                                    | <u>Pending Consideration</u>    |
| 20/02204/TCA          | Mrs Judith Jones<br>The Post Office, Westbury<br>SY5 9QX and<br>Mr David Middleton<br>5 Barnyard Close, Westbury<br>Shrewsbury. SY5 9DF                                                                                | 9 June 2020  | To crown reduce to approximately 25ft after - 40% 1 No Silver Birch (A ) and 1 No Copper Beech to allow light into both properties within Westbury Conservation Area.                                                                                    | <u>Consent by Right - Trees</u> |
| 20/02188/TCA          | Mr Robert Davies<br>17 Jubilee Mews, Westbury<br>Shrewsbury. SY5 9EZ                                                                                                                                                   | 5 June 2020  | Fell 1 No Tree (See Plan) within Westbury Conservation Area. Tree too large for small rear garden, roots likely to damage building footings and foundations.                                                                                             | <u>Consent by Right - Trees</u> |
| 20/02074/AGR          | Mr Paul Williams<br>Bank House Farm, Yockleton<br>Shrewsbury. SY5 9PH<br>Agent : Halls Holdings Ltd<br>Bowmen Way, Battlefield<br>Shrewsbury. SY4 3DR                                                                  | 29 May 2020  | Proposed erection of building to be used as a grain store and sprayer washdown area. Land at Yockleton Growers Ltd, Yockleton, Shropshire. SY5 9PQ. Land on same site as six existing broiler poultry sheds, biomass building and grain drying building. | <u>Pending Consideration</u>    |
| 20/02033/AMP          | Mr Myles Thomas,<br>T C Thomas & Son,<br>Manor Farm, Stoney Stretton,<br>Yockleton, Shrewsbury.<br>SY5 9PZ<br>Agent:: Mr Paul Middleton<br>Roger Parry & Partners, Hogstow<br>Hall, Minsterley, Shrewsbury<br>SY5 0HZ. | 27 May 2020  | Non Material Amendment for the building to be made smaller and for the ridge line to run north-west to south-east to planning permission 19/04188/FUL. Erection of grain store/Manor Farm, Stoney Stretton, Shrewsbury. SY5 9PZ                          | <u>Granted</u>                  |
| 20/01996/FUL          | Mr Malcolm Ellis<br>Rose Cottage, Winnington Green,<br>Middleton, Welshpool.<br>SY21 8DN                                                                                                                               | 26 May 2020  | Erection of one replacement dwelling including first floor balcony, detached double garage and repositioning of vehicular access following demolition of existing buildings. Change of use of land to domestic garden land (revised description).        | <u>Awaiting Decision</u>        |

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| 20/01715/FUL          | Mr Kenneth Davis<br>The Pebbles, Marche Lane,<br>Halfway House, Shrewsbury<br>SY5 9DE<br><br>Agent:: Mrs Charlene Sussums-Lewis, Carter Jonas LLP,<br>Canon Court North, Abbey<br>Lawn, Shrewsbury. SY2 5DE | 11 May 2020   | To develop a Single Plot Exception Site for a three-bed dwelling with detached garage within the existing grounds of "The Pebbles", Marche Lane, Halfway House, Shrewsbury SY5 9DE with associated hard-standing curtilage, access and connection to required services. The access, parking and turning areas can all be accommodated within the curtilage of the Site. The proposed dwelling will be a separate entity | <u>Awaiting Decision</u>        |
| 20/01795/FUL          | Mr Kevin Heede<br>Brookside<br>Vennington Road<br>Westbury<br>SY5 9RB                                                                                                                                       | 7 May 2020    | Fell 6 No Leylandii Conifers within Westbury Conservation Area. Fell because of excessive shading and of low amenity value. Known to grow huge over time and wrong for this location. To be replaced with native Holly, Hazel and Crab Apple Trees                                                                                                                                                                      | <u>Consent By Right - Trees</u> |
| 20/01785/PMBPA        | Mr Wes Morris<br>Top House Farm, Vron Gate<br>Westbury. SY5 9RQ<br><br>Agent:: Mr Gerallt Davies,<br>Roger Parry & Partners<br>1 Berriew Street<br>Welshpool. SY21 7SQ                                      | 6 May 2020    | Application for prior approval under Part 3, Class Q of the Town and Country Planning (General Permitted Development) (England) Order 2015 for the change of use of barn conversion to two residential units and associated works from agriculture to residential use at Top House Farm Vron Gate, Westbury. SY5 9RQ                                                                                                    | <u>Pending Consideration</u>    |
| 20/01526/OUT          | Mr J Morris<br>Wallop Hill Farm, Rowley<br>Westbury. SY5 9RZ<br><br>Agent:: Mr Simon White, Batch<br>Valley Design, Lentiago,<br>Sandford Avenue, Church Stretton.<br>SY6 7AE                               | 15 April 2020 | Outline application for the erection of 1 No New build dwelling and detached garage to include improvements to existing means of access from public highway.<br>Wallop Hill Farm, Rowley,<br>Westbury. SY5 9RZ                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <u>Withdrawn</u>                |
| 20/01480/AGR          | PF and MJ Williams & Son<br>Bank House Farm, Yockleton<br>Shrewsbury. SY5 9PH<br><br>Agent : Hall Holdings Ltd<br>Bowmen Way, Battlefield,<br>Shrewsbury. SY4 3DR                                           | 9 April 2020  | Proposed lean-to steel framed building to be used for a sprayer washdown area.<br>Land at Yockleton Growers Ltd,<br>Yockleton. SY5 9PQ                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | <u>Withdrawn</u>                |
| 20/01267/FUL          | Mr and Mrs Christopher Graham-<br>Fielding, Primrose Cottage,<br>Station Road, Westbury.<br>SY5 9QX<br><br>Agent:: Derek E Tomley<br>Corner House, Worthen.<br>SY5 9HW                                      | 30 March 2020 | Replacement of flat roof; fenestration and doors, new French windows; removal of former Post Office awning, internal alterations and insertion of canopy roof light, new fencing and entrance gates.<br>B4387 Station Road,<br>Westbury. SY5 9QX                                                                                                                                                                        | <u>Granted</u>                  |

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| 20/01322/FUL          | Mr Winston Carron<br>Greenlands, Yockleton<br>Shrewsbury SY5 9PQ                                                                                                                        | 27 March 2020   | Non-Material Amendment to previously approved planning permission 19/04192/FUL. Erection of extension to create first floor: Greenlands, Yockleton. SY5 9PQ. B4386 from Yockleton 30mph start to Ford Heath junction                                                                                                                                                                    | <u>Granted</u>                      |
| 20/01217/FUL          | Mr David Moss<br>The Rectory<br>Westbury. SY5 9QX<br><br>Agent:: Rob Petri<br>Kiwi Tree Services<br>The Beeches, Westbury.<br>SY5 9QX                                                   | 20 March 2020   | Reduce height by 40% of linear group of Holly, Hawthorn with a few young self Set Ash trees running adjacent to road and up to Church entrance to Rectory Gates within Westbury Conservation Area.<br><br>Consent by Right - Trees to reduce height by 40% to encourage lower growth and privacy to The Rectory.                                                                        | <u>Consent By Right - Trees</u>     |
| 20/01283/DIS          | Mr Tom Halliday<br>Whitton Grange, Whitton<br>Near Westbury. SY5 9RD<br><br>Agent: Mr A S Rowland<br>Architectural Services<br>Barratts Hill, Broseley<br>Shropshire. TF12 5NJ          | 19 March 2020   | Proposed Discharge of Conditions 3. Joinery details 4. Roof window 5. Roof construction and 6 external materials application 18/05785/FUL.<br>Erection of two storey side extension and internal alterations at The White House, Whitton Cottages, Whitton, Near Westbury. SY5 9RE                                                                                                      | <u>Granted</u>                      |
| 20/1150/AGR           | Mr W Onions<br>W Onions & Sons,<br>Lower House Farm<br>c/o Hogstow Hall, Minsterley,<br>Shrewsbury. SY5 0HZ<br><br>Agent : Mr P Middleton<br>Roger Parry & Partners LLP<br>Hogstow Hall | 16 March 2020   | Erection of an agricultural building at Lower House Farm, Stoney Stretton, Yockleton. SY5 9PZ                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | <u>Planning Permission Required</u> |
| 20/00893/FUL          | Agent : Mr Jason Curran<br>AIP Architects Ltd<br>Lunesdale C,<br>Upton Magna Business Park<br>Shrewsbury. SY4 4TT                                                                       | 6 March 2020    | Erection of single storey garage and UPVC porch addition to the new build three bedroom bungalow, in material to match the current build.<br>2 Cureton Close, Westbury. SY5 9FE                                                                                                                                                                                                         | <u>Granted</u>                      |
| 20/00484/TCA          | Mr Peter Carden<br>St Mary's Church<br>Westbury<br>SY5 9QX<br><br>Agent: : Mr Robert Petri<br>Kiwi Tree Services<br>The Beeches, Westbury<br>Shrewsbury. SY5 9QX                        | 3 February 2020 | To fell 1 No Wild Cherry and 1 No Hawthorn tree within Westbury Conservation area situated on avenue leading to the Church.<br>Requesting permission to fell both trees. Parish Council wish to open up the Avenue to reveal more of the Church.<br>The Cherry is asymmetrical due to lopping off branches some years back. The Hawthorn is relatively small and was part of the hedge. | <u>Consent by Right - Trees</u>     |

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| 20/00894/FUL          | <p>Mr Stephen Penrose<br/>Seven Stars, Vron Gate<br/>Westbury. SY5 9RQ</p> <p>Agent : Neil Jones<br/>S J Roberts Construction Ltd<br/>Lowfield, Marton<br/>SY21 SJX</p>                    | 2 March 2020     | Conversion of three attached outbuildings into residential annexe to accommodate elderly family members to live on site with family. Two buildings have an existing planning approval for conversion and have been partly finished. This applications seeks to include the third building whilst keeping the existing carport. | <u>Granted</u>               |
| 20/00692/FUL          | <p>Mr Andrew Griffiths<br/>c/o Agent :Sophie Moore<br/>Berrys, Beech House,<br/>Anchorage Avenue,<br/>Shrewsbury Business<br/>Park, Shrewsbury.<br/>SY2 6FG</p>                            | 24 February 2020 | Increase in number of touring caravan pitches by 17 (total of 42 pitches). Erection of Manager's dwelling; application under Section 73aA of the Town & Country Planning Act for the retrospective installation of otterproof boundary fencing on land north west of Westley House Farm, Hem Lane, Horsebridge, Minsterley.    | <u>Pending Consideration</u> |
| 20/00758/FUL          | <p>Mr V Kerswell<br/>c/o Hogstow Hall, Minsterley,<br/>Shrewsbury. SY5 0HZ</p> <p>Agent: Mr P Middleton<br/>Roger Parry &amp; Partners LLP<br/>Hogstow Hall<br/>Minsterley, Shrewsbury</p> | 21 February 2020 | Conversion of traditional barn building into a single residential dwelling; installation of septic tank at Wallop Hall, Westbury, Shrewsbury. SY5 9RU                                                                                                                                                                          | <u>Granted</u>               |

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