



Uppingham Town Council

UPPINGHAM TOWN COUNCIL NEWSLETTER - SPRING 2025

Message from your Mayor, Cllr David Ainslie BEM



Welcome to this latest edition of the Uppingham Town Council Newsletter. Our December edition received some very good feedback and so my colleagues and I have decided to send out another Newsletter. In this edition there is a lot of information to share as your Town Council continues to work hard on your behalf. Of particular note is the latest on the refreshed Neighbourhood Plan, which is now undergoing another period of public consultation. You may also have seen in the press that there is a major reorganisation of local government being proposed and whilst this will have significant repercussions for Rutland County Council, there are no changes proposed for Town or Parish Councils at this time.

Uppingham Town Council normally consists of 15 Councillors but we currently have three vacancies. These will continue to be advertised until they are all eventually filled. If you wish to join us in serving the community please feel free to contact our Town Clerk Adam Lowe for more information about what is involved.

We have continued to try and improve things around the town and you may have noticed some new benches on Leicester Road. We have also been able to clear up the Cemetery on Leicester Road and install a new Notice Board there. As well as doing exciting strategic things like the Neighbourhood Plan, we know that it is the day to day issues that really matter to the people of Uppingham and we are constantly striving to improve our amenities such as litter bins where we are in the process of supplying more where needed. We have also undertaken much needed maintenance work to the play equipment on Tod's Piece and very shortly we hope to be undertaking a major refurbishment of the skate park.

Finally, as you will read elsewhere in this Newsletter, we are trying to help our businesses in town by an initiative called Uppingham Xplore which aims to bring more visitors to our town to help with footfall for our local economy.



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