



Welcome to Your New Home and the Village of Newton

Helpful Information – June 2019

This leaflet has been produced by Newton and Biggin Parish Council to provide information about organisations and facilities the village has to offer you. There is also a list of local contacts you may find helpful when settling into your new home.

1. Activities

1.1 Public Houses

There are two public houses in the parish. The Stag and Pheasant on Main Street runs a Ladies skittles team who meet on Monday evenings, it also has a Men's football team. There is a pub quiz every Thursday evening, music nights are organised through the year, plus darts and a pool table.

The St. Thomas Cross is situated on the junction of Newton Rd and Newton Manor Lane. It has a children's play area with BBQ and live bands play in the purpose built shelter in the summer months. It also runs various pub games and sports teams.

1.2 The Village Hall

The Village Hall is situated in Silver Street and is used by the community for a variety of purposes including brownies/guides, yoga, pottery and Live and Local performances. The Hall has excellent facilities and is available for your own use (residents rate) please contact Ruth Hughes on 01788 860725 for more information and booking.

1.3 The Five Arches Wildlife Site

This public site is located at the northern end of the Great Central Way footpath and cycleway and is accessed from the Newton picnic site car park. The site is managed by Butterfly Conservation in partnership with the Parish Council in the interest of improving biodiversity.

1.4 Allotments

Newton Townsland Allotments are the second oldest in the country (founded 1757). They are located at the bottom of Little London Lane and are in popular demand. Should you have 'green fingers' and would like to be added to the



waiting list please contact Rick Crane on 07595338815 or crane378@btinternet.com

1.5 Churches

The Church of the Good Shepherd, situated on Newton Road, has regular Sunday services and also accommodates other community events including the popular Wednesday 'Bacon Butties' Coffee and Tea morning (10.30-12.30 all welcome), Morse Bags, and Craft Club. For more information please contact Church Wardens – Sue Mackenzie on 01788 576857 or Rosemary Preston on 01788 860375.

1.6 Brownies and Guides

1st Clifton Brownies and Guides meet at the Village Hall every Monday evening.

- Brownies – 7 to 10 years from 6pm to 7.15pm
- Guides – 10 to 14 years from 7.30pm to 9pm

For further details please contact Lucy Lee on 07810 557890.

2. Public Services

2.1 Public Transport

Arriva has a bus service which links Newton to Rugby. There are bus stops into town at the Leys and on Main Street opposite Silver Street. Return buses stop next to the Paddocks. Timetables are subject to change so check the timetable at the bus stops or on the Arriva Website. Additionally there is Rugby Dial-a-Ride which is an 'on demand' minibus service details of which are on their website www.wrccrural.org.uk. Bookings can be made on 01788 226000.

2.2 Schools

There are no schools in Newton but there are many excellent infant, junior and secondary schools in the area. For more details contact Warwickshire County Council Education department on 01926 414143.

2.3 Mobile Library

There are regular visits to the Stag and Pheasant car park. For dates, times and more information please refer to www.warwickshire.gov.uk/mobilelibraries



There is also a book swapping facility situated in the old telephone box near to the Good Shepherd Church.

2.4 Refuse Collection

Wheelie Bins collection days are Mondays alternating between Blue and Green bins one week and Black bins the following Monday. Normally this is between 7-8am.

2.5 Fire and Rescue Service

Newton is served by Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service

Website - <http://www.warwicksire.gov.uk/fireandrescue>

Address: Rugby Fire Station,
Corporation St.
Rugby, CV21 2DN

Phone: 01788 572727 **Emergency:** 999

2.6 Police

Newton is served by Warwickshire Police Rural North Team

Website: <http://www.warwicksire.police.uk>

Local Station: Rugby Police Station
Newbold Road
Rugby, CV21 2DH

Phone: 01788 853851 **Emergency:** 999 **Non-Emergency:** 101

3. Communication

3.1 Parish Councillor Contacts:

Ian Davis (Chair)

Rick Crane (Vice Chair)

Councillors Anne Davis, Vanessa Goulborne and Frank Preston

Allyson Downes (Clerk) - Email: clerk@newtonparishcouncil.org.uk



For further communication detail or to keep up to date with Parish news, events and activities visit our website – www.newtonparishcouncil.org

Your Rugby Borough Councillor is Leigh Hunt. Contact via email: leigh.hunt@rugby.gov.uk

Your Warwickshire County Councillor is Adrian Warwick. Contact via email: adrianwarwick@warwickshire.gov.uk

3.2 Local shops

There is a parade of shops at Clifton which include Clifton Stores, Beauty Salon, Hairdressers etc.

Brownsover Shops are situated just two miles away on Hollowell Way and have a Spar, Tesco Express, recommended Fish Shop, Chinese Restaurant and Off Licence. The nearest Garden Centre is in Crick situated on West Haddon Road.

4. Health

4.1 Defibrillator

There is a defibrillator for use in case of heart attacks. It is located on the wall outside of the village hall with full operating instructions. If however, you would like to take part in future training on its use, please contact the Clerk to the Parish Council.

4.2 Hospitals

University Hospital Coventry and Warwickshire NHS Trust (UHCW), operates from two sites:

- University Hospital in Coventry – 024 7696 4000
- The Hospital of St. Cross in Rugby – 01788 572831

4.3 Pharmacies

There are a number of pharmacies nearby, here are two:



**Lister Chemists, Bow Fell Shopping Centre, Hollowell Way, Brownsover CV21 1LT
Tel: 01788 569046**

**Well Pharmacy, Rugby Health and Wellbeing Centre, Drover Close, Rugby CV21
3HX Tel: 01788 577889**

5. Useful Contacts

5.1 Mediashak

Repair of phones, tablets, laptops, PC's also builds and sells computers.

131 Clifton Road

Rugby

CV21 3QJ

01788 574000

5.2 Barry Cleall

Plasterer

07890 579202

5.3 Rick Crane

Painter and Decorator

Discount for Newton and Biggin residents

07595 338815

Crane378@btinternet.com

5.4 Steve Bryan

Garden maintenance and landscaping

07964 546097

sondjibryan@btinternet.com

5.5 Kevin Brown

Electrician

07973 860847

5.6 Marcus Bancroft

Roofing and Guttering Expert

0771 4896532



5.7 Gold Grooming

All dog grooming services provided

07979 060567

5.8 Pottery

puprugby@gmail.com

5.8 Sandrine Pickering

(Private Tutor) Bsc Hons PGCE (cantab)

French and Biology – all ages and all levels (including A levels)

Primary (KS1 and KS2)

Maths, English, Science, SATS AND 11+

07411 014522

sandrinepickering@btinternet.com

5.9 Reflexology

The Therapy Tree

Holistic Foot Reflexology Treatment

Sandy Pickering ITEC Dip CThA

07411 014522

sandy@thetherapytree.com

All of the above are local people who have asked to be included on these information sheets. If you provide a trade or service and would like to be included, or if there's anything else you'd like to see added to future editions, please provide details to the Parish Council Clerk at:

clerk@newtonparishcouncil.org.uk