

# West of Waterlooville

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## **WELLINGTON PARK (Taylor Wimpey)** **SITE NEWS**

Vic Perry, Senior Site Manager for Highwood Construction reports good progress on the “Care Home” development;-

- The foundations are now complete
- The sub structure blockwork is mid-way to completion
- The drainage works have commenced.

For the “Extra Care” site;-

- Top soil and grass are currently being removed from the site
- The piling mat crushed concrete is being delivered to site and laid
- Piling was scheduled for completion on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2015.



Proposed bridge linking the Taylor Wimpey site (Wellington Park) with the Grainger Development;-

Winchester City Council are committed to moving forward with the full planning application as swiftly as appropriate, understanding the much increased permeability it will provide on-site when in place as well as easing accessibility to Berewood Primary School.

**Plea for your support:** Site management request that residents and visitors do not park opposite to the building site entrances. In the case of the Apartments development area in particular, severe problems have been experienced here recently. Thank you for your support.



## **BEREWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL** **CELEBRATES** **THE 200<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY** **OF THE** **BATTLE OF WATERLOO**

All children at Berewood Primary School enjoyed a week of special activities to celebrate the 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Battle of Waterloo which took place on 18<sup>th</sup> June 1815 and after which our town is named.

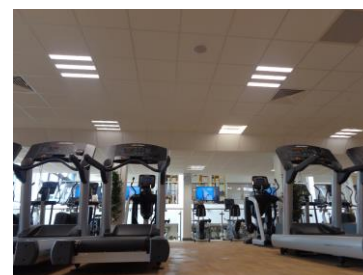
Visited by the Waterlooville 200 project, all children had the chance to take part in a variety of workshops including art, collage, cooking and drama. The week culminated on 18<sup>th</sup> June with a “red, white and blue day”, when the children came to school dressed in the colours of our national flag and shared together a happy tea party, eating the food they had prepared and drinking a toast to the heroes of Waterloo.

Celebrating this important national event gave all children a deeper sense of pride in our community and a greater knowledge of our place in European history. The school extends thanks to all those who helped to organise the Waterloo 200 events.



## **WATERLOOVILLE LEISURE CENTRE** **NEW FACILITIES NOW OPEN!**

New café, 3-storey gym, 50 capacity studio and Horizon World of Play. For more information visit: [www.horizonlc.com](http://www.horizonlc.com) or email: [info@horizonlc.com](mailto:info@horizonlc.com)



## ALL SAINTS CHURCH DENMEAD

Built in 1880 the church stands in the middle of Denmead village opposite the shops. Everyone is welcome to our friendly church whether you are 2yrs old or 92.



We care for all in the Community of Denmead and as well as meeting people's Spiritual needs; the church has many groups and activities for all ages.



Messy Church is a family fun filled afternoon with craft, singing, storytelling and eating together. All are welcome to meet in the Church hall between 3.30pm and 5.30pm on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month.

Denmead Activity and Bible School (DABS), which has been running for over 30 years takes place in the Summer Holidays. Children who live in Denmead and are between the ages of 5-11 are welcome to register for this wonderful week of fun, laughter and learning about Jesus.

Forms are being delivered to each house in the village and are also available at the back of All Saints church, Dates this year are: Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> Aug to 14<sup>th</sup> August.

DABS



There are many other groups and activities held through the month. Please see our web site:-

[www.allsaintsdenmead.org.uk](http://www.allsaintsdenmead.org.uk)

## Neighbourhood Watch News



We are about to distribute leaflets about setting up Neighbourhood Watch schemes in the Berewood area. There are already successful schemes in the Old Park Farm development, and the whole West of Waterlooville area comes under the guidance of Denmead Neighbourhood Watch.

While Neighbourhood Watch is focused on safety and security in your area, it is just as much about a sense of community, with key principles of communication and awareness. Being a member is not demanding, but we do ask you to:

- \* Read information and advice that comes in from the Police and other agencies.

- \* Take an interest in what goes on in your community and report speedily if anything you see is criminal, anti-social or suspicious.
- \* Look after the security of your own property, including marking of valuables.

- \* Keep an eye on any vulnerable neighbours.

- \* Maintain contact with your NW co-ordinator.

Have a look at the website at [www.wehnw.org.uk](http://www.wehnw.org.uk).

Do please read the distributed leaflets and respond as requested. We need to know your views on forming a scheme in your road or area, and look forward to hearing from you.

For further information contact Brian Turner at [bturner@dircon.co.uk](mailto:bturner@dircon.co.uk)  
Tel: 9225 5485



## GRAINGER SITE UPDATE

**Bridge** - The 'Flexi Arch' bridge is well underway and it is planned to have the road open before the end of the year. A lot of preparation has gone into getting the bridge to this stage and there was a huge sigh of relief when the final arch slotted into place. This is the first bridge on the road that connects Berewood and Old Farm Park. The second bridge is currently awaiting planning approval so work should commence on that very shortly.



**River Wallington Restoration** - As part of the bridge works, work has also started on the River Wallington restoration works. This involves two stages, one the engineering works and two the landscaping. To date large sections of the existing concrete culvert have been removed and will be replaced with a meandering natural river bed which will provide many areas of habitat for aquatic wildlife. Work has commenced to design the landscaping for this area and it is hoped to gain planning consent by the end of the year, with planting being carried out in 2016.

**Town Park** - Work is currently taking place to design the town park layout and planning permission has already been gained for a large proportion of it. The remaining planning applications will be submitted over the next few months. The town park is scheduled to have a number of facilities including: skate park, tennis courts, cricket pitch, large children's play area, arboretum, ponds and large open spaces for generally running around.

**Public Art** - Four artists have been shortlisted for the public art on Berewood. They are currently working on their proposals and will present to the arts panel in September, where one artist will be selected. The first artwork will be located at the entrance to Berewood (from the Asda roundabout) and within the town park. A large section of the artist brief is to include public involvement, so if you'd like to be involved in the future work, please watch this space!

**A call for your help:** *Dog waste* – please can residents pick up after their dogs! *Parking* – please can residents park considerately and in their designated parking spaces. Cars shouldn't be parked on the estate roads, unless there are no other options. **Children – with the summer holidays fast approaching, please can parents/carers ensure that their children are all aware of the dangers of playing on building sites. We currently have a number of children who enter the building sites at evenings and weekends to 'play'. This is very dangerous and we do not want anyone to get hurt.** Thank you.



### What does Girlguiding have to offer you? FUN, FUN, FUN!

We offer the opportunity for girls and women to build their confidence and raise their aspirations. We have units in Denmead, Waterloo, Purbrook and Widley that cater for girls from 5 years old to 105! We welcome new adult volunteers to help run these units or to open new ones.

RAINBOWS – 5 to 7 years old

BROWNIES – 7 to 10 years old

GUIDES – 10 to 14 years old

SENIOR SECTION – 14 to 26 years old

ADULT VOLUNTEERS – 18 years plus

We are for all girls and young women. We offer fun, friendship, exciting activities providing adventures and challenges for all abilities. These activities build self-confidence and encourages them to be curious of the world and community around them and the difference they can make.

If you would like to discover more about Girlguiding go online at: - [www.girlguiding.org.uk](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk)

If you would like to find a group to register your daughter or yourself please visit: - [http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/get\\_involved/volunteer/register\\_your\\_interest.aspx](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/get_involved/volunteer/register_your_interest.aspx)



Denmead War Memorial Hall is suitable for many different functions, and is used for local events, private parties, regular sports and social groups and a daily preschool.

There is parking adjacent to the hall, and grounds with grass and trees. The Hall is operated as a charity, for the benefit of residents of Denmead and surrounding areas.

**Denmead War Memorial Hall, Hambledon Rd, Denmead, PO7 6PW**

For bookings, please email the secretary: [secretary@denmead-memorial-hall.org.uk](mailto:secretary@denmead-memorial-hall.org.uk)

Website: [www.denmead-memorial-hall.org.uk](http://www.denmead-memorial-hall.org.uk)



Colourful activities took place on the green near Tiller Road on the Taylor Wimpey development in Waterlooville. A project organised by Jaime Bridges of Havant Borough Council, in partnership with the Theatre Royal in Winchester is bringing together young people from the estate with young people from Denmead to take part in circus skills activities on the green.

Funding was secured from Radian housing to support the project and provide summer activities for the residents.

The young people are supported by outreach workers from the Theatre Royal and Motiv8 to learn and practice a routine that was performed at the Winchester Hat Fair on 4th July.

We have a fun packed programme of activities for the summer holidays – for details contact MOTIV8 on Telephone 023 9225 1188



**Waterlooville Area  
Community Association**

Whatever new hobby or past time you're looking for, there's bound to be something to suit at the Waterlooville Community Centre. We have more than twenty-five regular groups offering sessions for all ages and abilities and classes are spread throughout the day and evening. From the energetic to the cerebral, a warm welcome awaits you. Our website is a great way of seeing what's on offer, but if you want to speak to a human then we'd love to help you at reception. There is somebody on hand Monday to Friday between 9.00am and 3.30pm to answer your questions on the phone or why not pop in for a tour of the facilities.

**Waterlooville Community Centre**  
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**WATERLOOVILLE COMMUNITY FORUM EVENTS TEAM PRESENTS**

**SATURDAY BANDSTAND**  
WATERLOOVILLE TOWN CENTRE  
**2015**

- 25 JULY THE WALL OF FLOYD**  
PLUS BEN BROOKES FROM MIDDAY
- 22 AUGUST NOW THAT'S JIVE**  
HAVE A GO AT DANCING, ALL DAY FROM 11AM
- 19 SEPTEMBER** GLORIA MILLER ENTERTAINMENT PRESENTS  
**SOUL AND MOTOWN!** FROM MIDDAY
- 17 OCTOBER SCHOOLS PERFORMANCE**  
TIMINGS TO BE CONFIRMED
- 21 NOVEMBER XMAS EVENT**  
STARTS AT 4PM

Programme subject to change. Keep up to date on Facebook: [Waterlooville Forum and Events](https://www.facebook.com/WaterloovilleForumandEvents)

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[www.denmeadparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.denmeadparishcouncil.co.uk)

Radian - General Enquiries  
0300 123 1 567  
Out of Hours Emergencies  
0800 783 8937

Trinity - 0845 345 1584

Police (Emergency): 999      Police (NON Emergency): 101

NHS Direct (NON Emergency): 111