

Council Information

Your Local Councillors are:

Stirchley

Robert Breeze	01952 582 874
Chris Turley	01952 292 722
Judith Turley	01952 292 722
Adrian Watkin	01952 594 408
Trevor Bate	01952 200 120

Brookside

Arnold England	01952 414 443
Robert Fagan	01952 289 035
Lynda Hogger	01952 595 207
Jackie Loveridge	01952 414 860
Jim Loveridge	01952 414 860
Stuart Parr	01952 593 789
Malcolm Randle	01952 503 297

Holmer Lake

Greg Sinclair	07876 537 909
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Dates for upcoming Parish Council Meetings to be held at The Sambrook Centre

28th February

Full Council - 6pm

7th March

Community & Environment - 6pm

28th March

Policy & Resources - 6pm

4th April

Community & Environment - 6pm

25th April

Full Council - 6pm

2nd May

Community & Environment - 6pm

23rd May

Annual Electors Meeting &
AGM - 6pm

Introducing The Sambrook Centre

In December 2016 Stirchley and Brookside Parish Council completed on the purchase of The Sambrook Centre in Stirchley District Centre, securing it for public use for generations to come.

The Sambrook Centre is a thriving hub and incorporates a Library Service, public access computers, is home to many local groups and hosts various training sessions. All our groups are friendly and low cost. Newcomers are always welcome.

We are now able to extend our room hire availability to groups that meet outside of our office opening hours and one off bookings for children's parties or other celebration events.

If you are interested in booking a room with us please contact;
Stella Barnley on 01952 567 141 or email stella.barnley@sbpc.org.uk



Stirchley Community Library Service

As of 12th December 2016 Stirchley and Brookside Parish Council have taken over the day to day running of Stirchley Library as a Community Library in partnership with Telford and Wrekin Council.

The Parish Council have a team of friendly volunteers that have received comprehensive training and have continued support from Telford and Wrekin Library Staff. With the help of our fantastic volunteers we are able to maintain the Library Help Desk manned for 5 hours each day, Monday to Friday 9:30am-4:30pm.

Telford and Wrekin Council will be supplying Stirchley Library with a new Self Service Machine that is capable of taking late return fees.

Why not pop in to register to use this Community Library Service? Or pop in to have a chat with one of our friendly Library Volunteers.

Councillor Pride Funding Given in 2016

Each year Telford and Wrekin Borough Councillors have a limited amount of funding that they are able to offer to local projects, groups or environmental projects within their area boundary. In 2016 the following projects were funded;

Councillor Connor Furnival - The Nedge Ward

- £300 Cherrington Play Area, Stirchley.
- £100 Stirchley Allotments

Councillor Nathan England - The Nedge Ward

- £800 Madbrook Pools, Stirchley.
- £800 The Sambrook Centre.
- £600 Grange Park
- £200 Friends of Holmer Lake

Councillor Chris Turley - For the Nedge Ward

- £275 Grange Park Primary Forest School.

Councillor Arnold England - Brookside Ward

- £105 A Better Tomorrow
- £75 Brookside Youth Provision
- £400 Brookside Dog Waste Campaign
- £110 Festoon Lighting
- £175 Brookside Pre School
- £185 Brookside Tool Hire
- £250 HUG
- £1000 Leaf Clearance
- £250 Telford Bikes
- £100 Timber Junction
- £1100 Windmill School

Councillor Jackie Loveridge - Brookside Ward

- £130 A Better Tomorrow
- £75 Brookside Youth Provision
- £400 Brookside Dog Waste Campaign
- £110 Festoon Lighting
- £210 Brookside Pre School
- £300 Club 2000
- £250 CreActive
- £200 HUG
- £1000 Leaf Clearance
- £500 Telford Bikes
- £100 Timber Junction
- £600 Windmill School

What's on at Brookside Central

Monday

Take 5 Café Open - 9am-2pm
TCAT Functional English - 9am-10:30am
Aspirations Yoga - 9:30am-10:30am
TCAT Functional Maths - 10:30am-12noon
Beginners Tai Chi - 11:30am-12:30pm
Wellfit Mature Movers - 12:30pm-1:15pm
HENRY Course - 12:45pm-3pm
Bumps to Babies - 1pm-3pm
Bingo - 6:30pm-8:30pm
Telford Aftercare Team - 7pm-8:30pm
Beginners Tai Chi - 7:45pm-8:45pm

Tuesday

Take 5 Café Open - 9am-2pm
T&W Councillor Surgery - 9am-11:30am
T&W Healthy Lifestyles - 9am-5:30pm
Job Box ESOL - 9:30am-12noon
Job Box Advanced English - 9:30am-12noon
Brookside Tool Hire - 10am-3pm
Job Box Entry Level English - 12:30pm-2:30pm
Happy Upcycling Group (*Fortnightly*) - 12:30pm-2:30pm
Funzone - 4pm-5:30pm
Recharge Street Dance - 6pm-7pm
Yoga - 7:45pm-8:45pm



Wednesday

Take 5 Café Open—9am-2pm
Job Junction—9:30am-11:30am
Brookside Big Local Drop In—10am-12noon
Local Police Surgery—10am-12noon
Job Box Level 2 English—11:45am-2:45pm
Age UK Beginners IT—3pm-5pm
Recharge Boxing—5pm-6pm

Thursday

Take 5 Café Open - 9am-2pm
Job Box ESOL - 9:30-12noon / 12:30pm-3pm
Job Box Advances Maths - 9:30am-12noon
WEA Yoga - 11:15am-13:15pm
Job Box Entry Level Maths - 12:30pm-2:30pm
Elandra Dance Troupe - 6pm-8pm

Friday

Take 5 Café Open - 9am-2pm
Job Box Advanced Maths - 9:30am-12:00pm
Job Box Entry Level Maths - 12:30pm-2:30pm
Fibromyalgia Craft Group (*Fortnightly*) - 11:30am-2:30pm
Crafty Fridays - 1pm-3pm
Kombat Kids Martial Arts - 5:30pm-6:30pm
Bingo - 6:30pm-8:30pm
All Believers Church—7pm-9pm

What's on at The Sambrook Centre

Monday

Short Mat Bowls - 1:30pm-3:30pm
Slimming World - 5:30pm-9pm

Tuesday

Stirchley Art Group - 10am-12noon
Kath's Crafts - 1pm-3:30pm
Lakeside Art Group - 1pm-3pm
Walking Group - Meet at 2pm

Wednesday

Citizens Advice Bureau Drop In - 9:30am-11:30am
Walking Group - Meet at 10am
Youth Club 12yrs+ - 6:30pm-8pm

Thursday

Dor's Ladies Craft Group - 9:30am-12:30pm
Funzone - 5pm-6:30pm

Friday

Praise and Worship (*First Friday of each Month*) - 10am
Slimming World - 9:30am-1pm
Scouts - 7pm-9pm

Youth Services in Stirchley and Brookside

All of these sessions are run by Parish Council youth workers.

Tuesday 4pm-5:30pm at **Brookside Central** - Under 11s

Wednesday 6:30pm-8pm at **The Sambrook Centre** - Age 12+

Thursday 5pm-6:30pm at **The Sambrook Centre** - Under 11s

recharge
Telford

Aged 12-16?

Recharge invite you to join

Tuesday night Street Dance : 6pm-7pm
At Brookside Central

Wednesday night Boxing : 5pm-6pm
At Brookside Central

Thursdays night football sessions : 7pm-8pm
At The Rec in Stirchley

All sessions are FREE to join in.
For more information contact Becks on:
07486 682 606



Brookside Central CIO

As of 3rd January Brookside Central Community Centre became fully operational under the management of Brookside Central Charitable Incorporated Organisation. This group is supported by Brookside Big Local, Stirchley and Brookside Parish Council and Telford and Wrekin Council.

For more information visit: www.brooksidecentral.org.uk



December 2016 - May 2017

be Active
with Brookside Big Local
BEGINNERS TIMETABLE
Enjoy a range of fun activities for all ages tailored for beginners or those returning to sport or exercise.

Day	Time	Venue	Activity	Cost	Age
Mon	11.30am -	BCC	Beginners Tai Chi	£2.50	14+
Mon	12.30 - 1.15pm	BCC	Mature Movers	£1.50	50+
Mon	6 - 7pm	NSSC	Beginners Badminton Club	£1	14+
Mon	7.45 - 8.45pm	BCC	Beginners Tai Chi	£2.50	14+
Tue	1.45 - 2.45pm	SBC-o	Walkabout Wrekin Walk	Free	All
Tue	7.45 - 8.45pm	BCC	Beginners Yoga	£2.50	14+
Thu	7 - 8pm	TRC	Women's Rugby Training	Free	18+

For more information contact
Brookside Big Local on:

Call 01952 382180

Email info@brooksidebiglocal.co.uk

Centre key:
BCC Brookside Community Centre
NSSC NEW Stirchley School Leisure Centre
SBC-i Meet inside Sambrook Centre, Stirchley
SBC-o Meet outside Sambrook Centre, Stirchley
TRC Telford Rugby Club

'Lets All Celebrate Brookside'

Brookside Events Group (BEG) teamed up with Brookside Big Local and Stirchley and Brookside Parish Council to apply for funding from the 'Celebrate' Big Lottery Fund to run a week jam packed with special events, to celebrate the local community taking management of Brookside Central. The bid was successful and the team have planned the following events.

Monday 20th February

10am-2pm

Business Expo

An event to give local businesses the opportunity to showcase what they have on offer for our community.

Tuesday 21st February

10am-6pm

Film Festival

To give local families an opportunity to enjoy a film together, with cinema style popcorn, drinks and other cinema snacks included in FREE entry. There will be 3 family orientated films showing during the day. Tickets are FREE but need to be pre-booked at Brookside Central.

Wednesday 22nd February

11am-2pm

Family Craft Day

A FREE entry event welcoming all of the family into Brookside Central. Have a go at some fun crafts like; Candle making, tile decorating and pottery.

Thursday 23rd February

11am-3pm

Farmers Market

Come to try some locally sourced fresh and healthy produce from local businesses. There will be live cooking demonstrations and tasters for FREE.

Friday 24th February

2pm-4pm

Tea Dance

An event to celebrate our older generation, giving them the chance to meet with friends for an afternoon tea, have a dance with live performances from swing duo A String Of Pearls. This is a ticketed event with limited spaces.

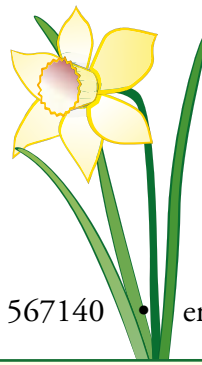
Saturday 25th February

12noon-6pm

Fireworks start at 7:30pm

Music Festival and Firework Finale

A FREE entry music festival showcasing the wealth of local talent we have. Enjoy a day filled with music and food! A fantastic day topped off with a firework finale.



Dates for your diary in Stirchley and Brookside in 2017

Learning Festival - Monday 24th April 2017 - Friday 28th April 2017

A week-long of taster sessions facilitated by Job Box leading up to a Skills Festival comprised of local employment and training opportunities.

Environmental Day - Saturday 24th June 2017 - 11am-1pm

Come down to The Sambrook Centre for our annual environment day. You will be welcome to pot up some seedlings to take home to grow in your garden. There will be fun competitions for children to take part in, live cooking demonstrations, creepy crawly crafts, pond dipping and lots of helpful gardening advice and top tips.

Family Fun Day - Saturday 12th August 2017 - 10am-2pm

This year we will be holding a family fun day on the land near Stirchley skate park. The event is open to all residents from Stirchley and Brookside. This event will incorporate; A Skate Jam, Climbing wall, Bouncy Castles, Live local bands, Family orientated activities, Information from agencies that work in the area. Refreshments will be available at this event.

Harvest Festival - Friday 29th September 2017 - 1pm-3pm

Local residents will have the opportunity to make soup and bread with live cooking demonstrations. Why not take part in a foraging walk on the day? Harvest songs and prayers from Reverend Janet. Any food that is left over will be donated to Telford Crisis Network.

Halloween Disco - Thursday 26th October 2017 - 5pm-6:30pm

Bring your children to a fun FREE Halloween Disco at The Sambrook Centre. This event is for children from the Stirchley and Brookside Area. Come to take part in fun games, creepy crafts and a best dressed competition. There will be Halloween themed foods available to the children. For more information and to book tickets please contact Sam Smith at Parish Council Office in The Sambrook Centre. Or call 01952 567 925.

Coffee Morning - Thursday 16th November 2017 - 10am-12noon

Each year we hold a coffee morning in aid of Severn Hospice. This event coincides with the Pensioner Party ticket collection. We offer refreshments and cakes to all local residents. Last year we raised a whopping £250 through cake sales and a tombola.

Christmas in Stirchley - Thursday 14th December 2017 - 3pm-5pm

Come to visit Santa in his magical grotto, get creative with some Christmassy Crafts, enjoy amazing creepy crawlies with the animal man, we will also have a visit from the farm on wheels. All topped off with FREE drinks and mince pies! Carol singing from local children.



Working together to provide the best possible support to individuals, families and communities in Telford and Wrekin with the aim of establishing and maintaining independence, maximising choice and control and, overall health and emotional well-being.

Our partnership shares the belief that with the right support and guidance, everyone has the potential to 'Thrive'.

For more information contact:

01952 504 325 • thrive@staytelford.co.uk



Struggling to make ends meet?

Need a little help?

Call Telford Crisis Network now for help with food parcels, clothing, furniture and energy vouchers.

To make an application please call 01952 380 400



Telford Crisis Support
One neighbour supporting another



Need Advice?

Access information at The Sambrook Centre Every

Wednesday

9:30am - 11:30am

This is a first come first served drop in session.

