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KETLEY PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

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KETLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE

You may be aware that Ketley Parish Council has been negotiating with Telford & Wrekin Council to stay in the Community Centre permanently taking over the Nursery next door as a Youth Centre. This process would appear to be coming to a positive conclusion and we are in a position to gain both buildings to provide for residents of Ketley into the future. Confirmation has been received from Telford & Wrekin Council to sell the Community Centre and lease the Youth Centre to the Parish Council. The Council has, therefore, agreed to instruct their solicitors. A public meeting for residents will be held on Thursday 10th September at 7.00 pm. This will give residents a chance to gain information, ask questions and put points of view for the Parish Council to take into consideration.

P.A.C.T. MEETINGS – Come along

The next two meetings of P.A.C.T. (Partners and Communities Together) are scheduled to be held at Ketley Community Centre on 8th October and 10th December 2009 at 6.30 p.m. It is a unique opportunity for residents (YOU) to discuss with the experienced Police Officers, any local community problems i.e. parking, burglaries, anti-social behaviour etc.

KETLEY YOUTH CLUBS

On the 8th July, Dian Whittingham, Junior Youth club leader, Barbara Evans and two young members, Hayley Smart and Jodie Bell, were invited to Telford and Wrekin Civic Offices to be presented with a cheque for £500, from the Mayoral Fund. This money is going towards a project called 'Healthy Eating is not boring'. It will buy kitchen equipment, art materials and a trip to an organic farm. This will help the children to gain cooking skills. Our aim is to get the children to work as a team and share their skills with each other.

A group of 7yrs – 12yrs from the Youth Club were taken to Cosford Air Base and would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Brian Ball of M & B Minibuses of Ketley for providing our transport FREE of charge.

Fund Raising Day 16th May

Ketley Youth Committee would like to thank everyone who donated raffle prizes and articles for the stalls. Also thanks to those who helped on the stalls and to everyone who turned out to support us. A total of £381 was raised which will help to buy equipment for all Ketley's Clubs held at Ketley Youth Centre (Junior 7yrs-12yrs, Senior 12yrs-16yrs and our New drop in centre for 16yrs-19yrs)

If you are interested in joining any of these clubs, you can now read about them on the parish website www.ketleyparishcouncil.co.uk, contact any of the Parish Councillors or call the Community Centre on 01952 612035

LET US KNOW WHAT ELSE IS GOING ON

If you have any community events coming up in Ketley let us know and if space permits we will put it in our newsletter for you. Our next newsletter will be out in late November, so get in touch.

THE WEBSITE

Our Website has now been updated and full of information, so why not log on and take a look around.

www.ketleyparishcouncil.co.uk

Summer fun - Activities for children and young people in Ketley

Wed 19th August	Street sports for all ages. FREE	Ketley Playing Field Holyhead Road	5.00pm – 7.00pm	Marvyn Joseph 01952 382331
Wednesdays	Street Beats for 7-15yrs Dance, drama & singing	Ketley Community Centre	4.45pm - 6.45pm	For costs and information contact; Telford Academy of Performing Arts Phone 07554 366498 TelfordAcademy@gmail.com
Fridays	Dinky Dancers for 3-6yrs fun class.		4.30pm - 5.15pm	
	Street Dance for 12-18yrs.		5.30pm - 6.30pm	
17th – 20th August	Summer play scheme (5-11yrs).	Ketley Community Centre	10.05am -12.00pm & 1.05pm - 3.00pm	June Greatrex 07976 100607

Plus for all people in Ketley

Mon 7th Sept	Information event: a range of info, advice and guidance services	Ketley Community Centre	2.00pm – 6.00pm	01952 612035
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KETLEY KAFÉ

The Parish Council is trying a new venture setting up a simple café for Centre user groups and others who drop in. This will start up again in early September for simple refreshments, at very good prices, in a warm and welcoming environment. It's a chance for a chat, read the papers and find out about what is going on in Ketley. The café is open from 10.45 am until 2.45 pm each Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

CONTACT DETAILS FOR YOUR LOCAL COUNCILLORS

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Please contact the above with feedback on the newsletter or any concerns you have in the Parish; for example footpaths with overgrown vegetation, potholes in the road or streetlights not working.