



PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

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HAPPY NEW YEAR

The Parish Council would like to wish all residents a Happy New Year and remind you that you are welcome to attend any of its meetings. Parish Council Meetings are advertised on www.Goostrey.info and on the notice boards.

SENIOR CITIZENS' LUNCH

94 Senior Citizens attended the lunch on Sunday 23rd November. Thanks go to everyone who helped to make it such an enjoyable occasion – the caterer, Gwen Robinson – the Scouts, who washed up – the entertainers, Goostrey Community Primary School choir together with parents and teachers – Goostrey Brownies who made the table decorations and all other volunteers and helpers – and of course the Senior Citizens themselves.

CHRISTMAS LIGHTS SWITCH-ON

The switch on of the lights took place on Sunday 30th November. Congratulation to the Scouts for organising such a wonderful event again this year with lots to do and plenty to eat! Thank you also to the Guides for providing delicious cakes. Thanks also go to Father Christmas who arrived in a sleigh loaned by the Holmes Chapel Rotary Club – and to the 500 people who turned out on a winter's evening. The event raised over £700.00 for the Scouts and Guides.

PARISH COUNCIL SURGERIES

Surgeries are held on the 2nd Saturday of the month from 10–11am in the Village Hall Lounge, to give residents the opportunity to raise concerns with Councillors. The next surgeries will be held on 10th January and 13th February 2015.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

- **Finance Committee Meeting** - Tuesday 6th January at 7.30pm in the Village Lounge.
- **Parish Council Meeting** – Tuesday 13th January at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall Lounge.
- **Planning Meeting** - Tuesday 13th January at 7.00 pm in the Village Hall Lounge.

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

The Parish Office is open three half days a week: Monday 9.30am – 12.30pm, Wednesdays & Friday 1.00pm – 4.00pm
Contact Details: Phone 01477 535825 (answerphone out of office hours)