

WINTERTON ON SEA PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The latest news, views, and announcements

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Farewell to Our Parish Councillor Emma Punchard!

We are sad to say goodbye to one of our longstanding Councillors this month, Emma Punchard. We are grateful for all your contributions and dedication to our community and wish you well!

Do you fancy joining the parish council. We have a vacancy for Councillor if you want to join us

SUMMER IS HERE! A FEW THINGS TO REMEMBER

As we reach the holiday season, we look forward to welcoming all to the village. We do ask that everyone be aware of the erosion on the beach, which is causing some dunes to be unstable. There are allocated paths to give safe access to the beach and, in turn, reduce the damage to the already vulnerable dunes. Could we also remind you to dispose of any rubbish / uneaten food correctly in the bins available around the village

HOT WEATHER AND YOUR FURRY FRIENDS

The Dogs Trust have shared the following advice to help us keep our pets safe. With the hot weather comes the adders..... Please be diligent when walking in the dunes.



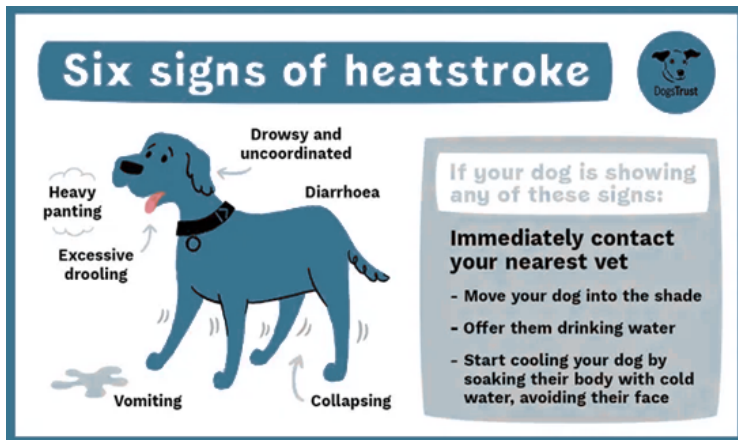
Dogs die in hot cars

Never leave your dog in a warm car

Within minutes, a dog could die in a hot car.

Winding down a window is not enough to help your dog

If you see a dog in distress in a hot car, call 999 immediately.



Six signs of heatstroke

Heavy panting

Excessive drooling

Vomiting

Drowsy and uncoordinated

Diarrhoea

Collapsing

If your dog is showing any of these signs:

Immediately contact your nearest vet

- Move your dog into the shade
- Offer them drinking water
- Start cooling your dog by soaking their body with cold water, avoiding their face

"Adders will rarely bite unless provoked but this can be accidental."
"Dogs can be at risk as they are naturally inquisitive and can inadvertently find themselves in the adders' preferred habitat."
"We'd advise dog owners to keep their pets on the path or under close control in areas where adders are likely to be found."

AUTUMN COVID & FLU BOOSTER VACCINATIONS

Coastal Villages Practice patients will be able to get their Autumn Covid & Flu boosters at Winterton village hall on Friday 3rd October 9am-2pm & Tuesday 7th October 9am-1pm.

NORFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL DAYS

These are for residents disposing of hazardous household waste. They are not for any business, group or other organisation. The autumn 2025 household hazardous waste days will take place at seven recycling centres across the county. During these events residents will be able to safely dispose of unwanted hazardous materials.

Those upcoming household hazardous waste days will be held on the following dates:

- Norwich South - Friday 3 October and Saturday 4 October
- King's Lynn - Friday 10 October and Saturday 11 October
- Caister - Friday 24 October and Saturday 25 October
- Dereham - Friday 31 October and Saturday 1 November
- Thetford - Friday 7 November and Saturday 8 November
- Hempton - Friday 21 November and Saturday 22 November
- Norwich North - Friday 28 November and Saturday 29 November

You will need to book a slot to attend the household hazardous waste days. Bookings will open eight days before each event. You can either **book online** or call **0344 800 8020**.

HOLY TRINITY & ALL SAINTS CHURCH

Table Top sale every Saturday until 30th August 9am-12 at the Church Rooms, Beach Road.

DOGS IN THE CHURCHYARD

If you are exercising your dog in the churchyard, please respect the area & pick up their deposits.

Church tower open Saturdays (weather permitting) 2pm-4pm
Plus Simon plays the piano in the church Saturdays 2pm-4pm



CRAFT AND GIFT SALE

Winterton Craft & Gift Fair

Every Friday in August
10am - 4pm

1st August | 8th August | 15th August |
22nd August | 29th August

Dogs Welcome

Free Entry

Refreshments

The Church Room,
Beach Road, Winterton-on-Sea
NR29 4AJ

Proceeds in Aid of Holy Trinity
and All Saints Church, Winterton-on-Sea

Double yellow lines

After over four years of hard work you may have now noticed the new double yellow lines have been placed in the areas where safety was a priority. Further work will carry on behind the scenes to monitor these areas plus other areas which could benefit from restrictions in the future.

We are receiving reports of vehicles parking on the yellow lines. It is advisable photos to be taken and reported via: Great Yarmouth Borough Council's Parking Team via email at parkingweb@great-yarmouth.gov.uk or parkinggeneral@great-yarmouth.gov.uk.

Recreation Ground

You may have noticed some new signage at both entrances to the Recreation Ground. These have been placed to remind dog owners to please put dogs on leads & to exercise them around the perimeter when the recreation ground is in use (Cricket or Football games in play). This has been done for health & safety reasons so we would very much appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Neighbourhood Police Meeting

Your Parish Councillors attend these quarterly meetings at various venues around the area, where they hear what the Police are prioritising & to discuss any issues our village may have. The next meeting will be hosted by us at Winterton Village Hall on Thursday 23rd October at 7pm. All are welcome to come along.

If you want to report any issues to the Police use their online reporting <https://www.norfolk.police.uk/> or email SNTRY@norfolk.police.uk

Save the Date and don't Forget to Register!

Winterton-On-Sea
Annual Garage Sale
Sunday 24th August 2025
10am to 3pm

Register before the 19th August

Check your lofts and garages for those items you haven't used for the last year or so... time to de-clutter and recycle

FORMS AVAILABLE FROM:
Poppy's, The Chip Shop and Loomes Stores

Winterton On Sea Parish Council
Any questions, contact: Cllr. John Smithson – 07927173899



NEW VILLAGE CHESS CLUB

Do you want to learn Chess & socialise? This is open to all from beginners to experienced, Winterton Village Hall every Thursday 7pm - 8pm. Just pop along.



VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Have you got some time on your hands?
Would you like to get involved with the village?
If the answer is YES.....
Our local groups desperately need volunteers.

Duffles Pond Group
Contact: dufflespond@outlook.com
07810 834935

Winterton Church
Contact: revdebs@flegg.org.uk
07954 338902

Winterton Community Litter Picking Group
Contact: carolinefernandez1502@gmail.com

Winterton In Bloom
Contact: wosinbloom@outlook.com

Winterton Lifeboat Restoration Group
Contact: Tceab68@gmail.com

901 Troop Marine Cadets
Contact: 901tsf@gmail.com





Duffles Pond Volunteer Group COMMUNITY DAY

Wednesday
27 August
10am - 12pm



Join the team and come together for our community day. Everyone welcome, whether you want to sit and enjoy what Duffles Pond has to offer, chat with others, or lend a hand with the tasks planned for the morning. Tea, coffee and squash will be provided along with ginger cake flapjacks.

Tasks	Contact
- Trim back path round pond - Prepare willow for future task - Continuation of composter - Dig over & rake flowerbeds	E: dufflespond@outlook.com T: Kelly on 07810 834935 F: Duffles Pond (under groups)

Visit Our New Website! »
<https://wintertononsea-pc.gov.uk/>



PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

Parish Council Meetings are held at 7pm in the Village Hall.

- Wednesday 24th September 2025
- Wednesday 29th October 2025
- Wednesday 26th November 2025



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