



The newsletter for residents of Audlem & District

Spring 2014

Audlem Parish Council

Business summary, April 2014

Planning update

On 5 March 2014 Cheshire East's Strategic Planning Board unanimously voted to refuse Gladman's second application to build up to 120 properties at Little Heath. Statements of objection were made on behalf of Audlem Parish Council, Audlem Medical Practice and the Parish Plan Planning Group.

On 9 April Hockenhull's revised application to build 26 properties on land between Heathfield Road and Mill Lane was considered by Cheshire East's Southern Planning Board. Statements of objection were made by Ward Councillor Rachel Bailey and on behalf of Audlem Parish Council, Audlem Medical Practice, the Parish Plan Planning Group and the local Residents' Association. Once again this application was unanimously refused.

For six days beginning 7 May Gladman's appeal against Cheshire East's refusal of their first application will be heard at Crewe Alexandra Football Club. The Parish Council will be making a statement to the Inspector and any other residents will have the opportunity to speak if they attend on the first day and register. The Inspector will only allow new information to be presented.

Parish Councillors' contact details

Phillip Johnson, Chair – 811774
Heather Jones, Vice Chair – 811836

Frances Christie – 811340	Kate Down – 811160
Richard Furber – 811598	David Highman – 812069
Mike Hill – 811843	John Langston – 812395
Carole Loweth – 812767	Geoff Seddon – 811282
Pam Seddon – 811282	David Siddons – 811012

Your Parish Clerk is **Kirstin Dixon** – **01630 658456** or email audlemparishclerk@gmail.com.

Healthwatch Cheshire East

Please look out for the blue and pink Healthwatch post box and accompanying forms that will shortly appear in the village – probably in Boots the Chemist.

Healthwatch is the new independent body created to gather, and represent, the views of local people on health and social care. The organisation also offers help, information and advice on local services, together with access to the Healthwatch advocacy service for support with any NHS complaints.

Find out more at www.healthwatchcheshireeast.co.uk or call **03300 882843**.

Superfast Broadband update

The Parish Council-led team, on behalf of Connecting Cheshire, would like to say a big thank you to all the residents in the Audlem exchange area who registered their interest in bringing Superfast Broadband (SFBB) to the majority of the Audlem exchange area. You will already have seen activity with fibre-optic cables and new green cabinets appearing in those areas where the roll-out will be in the late summer.

Prior to any further work starting, Connecting Cheshire will be holding an event in the Public Hall telling us the timetable for completion. When SFBB goes live there will be a further event in the Public Hall giving more information. The likely download speed is up to 80 megabits per second (Mbps), with an upload speed of 4 Mbps. These speeds will vary depending on the proximity to a cabinet.

For the areas not initially covered, Connecting Cheshire has been awarded a further £643,000 by the Government to reach about 1,000 additional rural properties. These include Sandy Lane, Bath Lane, Bagley Lane, Woodhouse Lane, Kettle Lane, Wood Orchard Lane, Paddock Lane, Woore Road (from Paddock Lane eastwards), Longhill Lane (from Woore Road to Monks Lane), Bunsley Bank and all of Buerton.

Because the amount granted is less than requested, some remodelling of this programme is taking place to ensure that all properties will be able to receive SFBB. Connecting Cheshire expect that the work in these areas will commence in spring 2015. They will provide revised coverage and timescales later this year.

Contacting the Parish Council

Do you want to raise a topic with the Parish Council? Do you have any queries about local issues? Do you want to give your views on something you feel has not been dealt with in a satisfactory manner? Do the Minutes of the meetings need further explanation? Are we not providing enough information?

If the answer is 'yes' to any of these questions then **please** let us know. We would really welcome input from people in the Audlem area. But the way to do this is not

to post anonymous remarks on ChatBox on *AudlemOnline*.

To let us know what you think, simply contact the Parish Clerk, **Kirstin Dixon**, by phone on **01630 658456**, at her address: **Keeper's Cottage, Adderley, Shropshire TF9 3TQ**, or by email: **audlemparishclerk@gmail.com**.

Alternatively, why not come along to one of the monthly meetings and speak at the Public Forum which is open to all at the start of every meeting. Just give your name to the Clerk as you arrive. The dates of all meetings are published in this quarterly newsletter, ***Around Audlem***, and on the village website **www.audlem.org**.

Parish Council meetings will be held at the Audlem Methodist Church on Mondays 12 May, 9 June and 14 July 2014. At the beginning of each meeting, residents have the opportunity to bring matters of concern to the attention of the Parish Council. Everyone is welcome to stay and listen for the rest of the meeting.

Happy Birthday ADAPT!

ADAPT – or Audlem and District Acting Positively for Transition – is five years old this summer! It was founded by a few people who shared concerns about how global climate change and reduced energy resources will alter the way we live, and has grown since then. Our pages on *AudlemOnline* are constantly updated with ideas about sustainability.

We meet on the first Wednesday of each month at 7.30pm at the Baptist Chapel. For further information, please visit *AudlemOnline* or contact **Adrian Leighton on 812209 or email adrianleighton@btinternet.com**.

Citizen's Advice Bureau

Cheshire East Citizen's Advice Bureau is now holding drop-in sessions on **Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 9.45am to 12.45pm at The Gables, Beam Street, Nantwich CW5 5NF** and on **Monday Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9.30am to 12.30pm at Crewe Outreach, 50 Victoria Street, Crewe CW1 2JE**. Appointments can be booked from the drop-in sessions where required.

Details of sessions held in Congleton and Middlewich, together with self-help materials and email advice, are on the CECAB website, **www.cecab.org.uk**. Alternatively, please contact the **Adviceline on 08444 111 444**.

Audlem Carnival, 26 May 2014

Audlem Carnival began in 1812 and has gone from strength to strength, maintaining its traditional approach of free family fun for all. This year we are eager to have more local stalls. If you would like to get involved or simply share an idea, please contact **Gwen Moss on 01270 811467** so we can work together towards an enjoyable and successful Audlem Carnival 2014.



Cheryl Bennion, Carnival Queen 1986



St James's School smashes Guinness World Record

It's official. The children of Audlem St James School have officially smashed the Guinness World Record for the most authors signing the same book simultaneously.

115 authors signed copies of their acclaimed story *Who Ate My Roof?*, which was inspired by the theft of lead from the roof of St James's Church and has been part of a major fundraising effort to pay for repairs. **A small number of copies are still available from Audlem Mill and St James's Church, priced £6.00 each.** St James's School and Church would like to thank everyone who has supported the project.

A signed copy of the book has been sent as a gift from the children to His Royal Highness Prince George of Cambridge, who was born on the day *Who Ate My Roof?* was published.

Audlem Directory 2014

Services

SERVICE	CONTACT	POSITION	TELEPHONE/EMAIL	WEBSITE
COUNCILS				
Cheshire East Council			0300 123 55 00	www.cheshireeast.gov.uk
Cheshire East Councillor	Rachel Bailey		cllr.rachel.bailey@cheshireeast.gov.uk	
Audlem Parish Council	Kirstin Dixon	Clerk	01630 658456 audlemparishclerk@gmail.com	audlempc.audlem.org
Buerton Parish Council	John Kemble	Clerk	01270 811887 buertonclerk@hotmail.co.uk	buertonpc.audlem.org
Hankelow Parish Council	Carol Jones	Clerk	01270 812065 clerk@HanekowParishCouncil.org	www.hankelow.eu/parish_council.html
EDUCATION				
Audlem Educational Foundation	Jala Spurrier	Clerk	01270 589513	
Audlem Primary School			bursar@stjamesaudlem.cheshire.sch.uk	www.audlemstjames.org.uk
EMERGENCY SERVICES				
Audlem Fire Station			01270 811625	www.cheshirefire.co.uk
Police			0845 458 6378 nantwich.npu@cheshire.pnn.police.uk	www.cheshire.police.uk
HEALTH				
Audlem Community First Responders	Michael Thompson		michael@buerton.org.uk	www.audlemcommunityfirstresponders.btck.co.uk
Audlem Medical Practice			01270 811440	www.audlemmedicalpractice.nhs.uk
Audlem Patient Participation Group	Geoff Smethurst		01270 811494 geoff@smethurst.me.uk	
Boots Pharmacy			01270 811245	
Hospital Car Service	ADCA Voluntary Driving Service		01270 747163	
Leighton Hospital			01270 255141	
OTHERS				
Audlem Post Office	Andrew Smith	Postmaster	01270 811211	
Cemetery – Audlem Burial Board	Ralph Warburton	Clerk	01270 812125 rjw@notrubraw.com	
Citizens' Advice Bureau			Adviceline – 08444 111444	www.cecab.org.uk
TRANSPORT				
D & G Little Bus			0845 077 9110	

Organisations & Societies

ORGANISATION	CONTACT	POSITION	TELEPHONE/EMAIL	WEBSITE
CHARITIES				
Audlem & District Community Action (ADCA)	Roger Millns		01270 811375	
Audlem Charity Shop	Ann Bowles		01270 811253	
Audlem Friends of Donna Louise Children's Hospice	Ralph Warburton		rjw@notrubraw.com	
Friends of Hope House	Miriam Winnard		01270 811777	www.hopehouse.org.uk
Leukaemia & Lymphoma Research	Liz Boffey		liz.boffey@virgin.net	
NSPCC Support Group	Vi Pritchard		01270 811833	www.nspcc.org.uk
Royal National Lifeboat Institute (Local Branch)	Rodney Cottrell		01270 811454	www.rnli.org.uk
RSPCA	Ken Parks		01270 811013	
CHURCHES				
Audlem Baptist Church	Bill Cowen		01270 811463	www.audlembaptistchurch.org.uk
Methodist Church	Rev'd Jennifer Matthews	Minister	01270 811711	www.audlemmethodistchurch.org.uk
St James (C of E)	Rev'd Helen Chantry	Vicar	01270 811543	www.stjamesaudlem.org.uk

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CLUBS / SOCIETIES				
ADAPT	Adrian Leighton		01270 812209 adrianleighton@btinternet.com	adapt.audlem.org
Audlem 5As Drama Group	Cheryl Guerin	Secretary	01270 811098	www.audlem-5As.org.uk
Audlem District History Society	Dorothy Jones	Secretary	01270 811814	
Audlem Voices	Jenny Collis-Smith	Musical Director	01270 811469	voices.audlem.org
Audlem Wildlife and Ecology Group	Bob Cartwright			bobjcartwright@yahoo.co.uk
Brownies	Jane Dale	Brownie Leader	01270 811912	
Beavers	Catherine Colgan	Group Scout Leader	01270 812152	
Conservative Branch	Roland Hall	Chairman	01270 812530	www.eddisburyconservatives.co.uk
Cubs	Catherine Colgan	Group Scout Leader	01270 812152	
Embroiderers' Guild			01270 560255	audlememb@gmail.com
Guides	Karen Bradshaw		01270 812295	
Mothers' Union			mumford7eb@btinternet.com	www.themothersunion.org
National Women's Register	Sue Hindle		01270 811016	www.nwr.org.uk
Probus	Mike Smith		01270 812554	
St James Music Group	Geraldine Leighton		gsleighton@gmail.com	
St James the Great Bell Ringers	Ruth Kemble		01270 811887	
Scouts	Lynn Brookes Catherine Colgan	Scout Leader Group Scout Leader	07725 129310 01270 812152	
TAVA	Anne Burrows		01270 812442	
Women's Institute	Kath Disley	Treasurer	01270 812332	www.womens-institute.org.uk
Youth Club	Nicky Lowe	Membership Secretary	01270 811590	
COMMUNITY				
ADAS	Briony Nixon	Chair	01270 811705 adascontact@gmail.com	
ASET	Andrew Smith		01270 811211	www.audlem-aset.org
Audlem Carnival	Gwen Moss & Ralph Warburton		01270 811467 01270 812125	
Audlem Music & Arts Festival	Ralph Warburton	Chairman	01270 812125	www.audlemfestival.com
AudlemOnline	Bob Cartwright	Editor	01270 812171 editor@audlem.org	www.audlem.org
Carer Support Group	Lynn Morear		07595 919727	www.carers.org
DAHLIA – Allotments	Ruth Kemble	Secretary	01270 811887	
Homewatch in Audlem	Hayley Goodwin	Watch Co-ordinator	01244 614332 hayley.goodwin@cheshire.pnn.police.uk	
Public Hall Bookings	Olive Stretch	Bookings Secretary	01270 811011	
Scout & Guide Hall Bookings	Melanie Grange		01270 811425	
SPORTS				
ARS (Audlem Ramblers Society)				audlemramblers@hotmail.co.uk
Audlem Bowls Club	John Stead	Secretary	01270 811296	
Audlem Cricket Club	Andy Capper	Treasurer & Secretary	07929 754971	
Audlem Cycling Club	Tim Ball		01270 811803	www.audlemcyclingclub.co.uk
Audlem Ju Jitsu Club	Peter Massey		07815 481293 petermassey1@hotmail.com	
Audlem Ladies Table Tennis Club	Elma Moss		01270 811019	
Audlem Saints	Charles Bloomer	Chairman	01270 811444	
Audlem Tennis Club	Helen Walker		01270 811441	
Brookfield Golf Club			01270 812991	www.brookfieldgolfclub.co.uk
Indoor Bowling Club	Geoff Cope		01270 811453	
Senior Citizens' Snooker Club	Bob Godwin		01270 812077	

Businesses

AGRICULTURAL CONTRACTORS

B. S. Parker	01270 811420
N. A. Huntbach	07711 165763
Richard Furber	01270 811598
Tom Lowe	07764 271270

BUSINESS SERVICES

3 Shires HR Limited	01270 812747
AED Safety Services	07866 801156
AMW Virtual Assistance – Ann-Marie Whittingham	01948 871732
Audlem Accounting Limited	07714 855717
Audlem Printers	07962 099884
David Parry Racing Partnerships	01270 812229
hedworth moore Chartered Accountants	01270 811653
Hilton Thompson Ltd	01270 812666
JMS Business Coaching	01270 811043
Mortgage Aid	0845 603 1992
P. S. Secretarial/Computer Services	01270 812061
Pippin Designs	01270 812061
Recording Studio – Hollow Floor	01270 811330
Reverberate Public Relations Ltd	01270 811093
RG Marketing	07711 897232
Root Media	01270 812353
SLS Courier Service	07912 205538
Starspun Media Ltd – Communications & PR	01270 812485
Talent Equation – Annette Fleet	07540 586405
ThenMedia – Website Design	0845 862 0994
Twin L Services	07977 063357

CANAL SERVICES

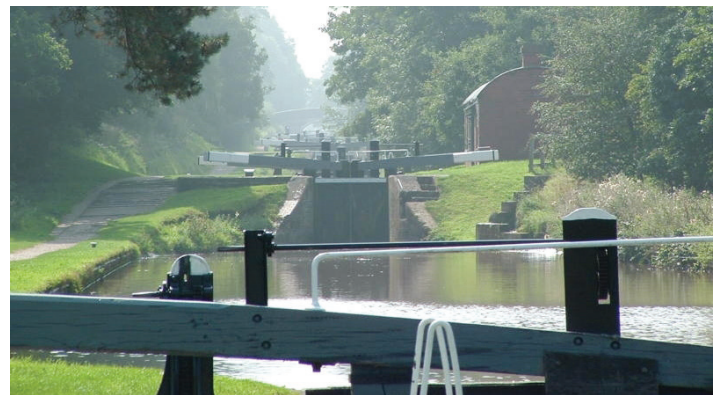
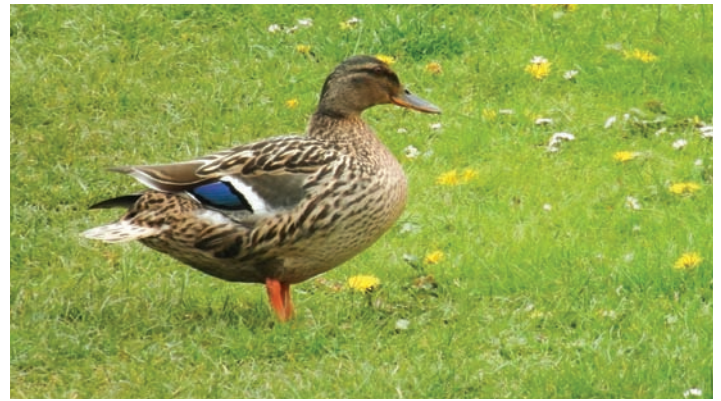
Adderley Wharf Farm Shop	07710 312747
BC Boat Management Ltd	01270 811500
Cheshire Cat Narrowboat Holidays	07867 790195
Coffee Lounge in the Marina	01270 811212
George's Pork and Poultry	07814 080173
Lock 9 Honesty Box	01270 812697
Overwater Marina	01270 812677
R. J. Marine – call out service, engines, fits & refits.	07849 039661

FOOD & DRINK

Bonnell's County Catering	01270 811399
Cheese Boat	07835 584867
Fields Farm	01270 811070
Fish & Chips – The Village Chippy	13 Cheshire Street, Audlem
Milkman – Shone's Doorstep Delivery	01270 841480
Pub – The Bridge Inn	01270 812928
Pub – The Lord Combermere	01270 812277
Pub – The Shroppie Fly	01270 811772
Pub – The White Lion	01270 812462
Takeaway – Kebab Land	01270 812226
The Deli Café	01270 811554
The Old Priest House Coffee Shop	01270 811749
The Pinfold Café	11 Cheshire Street, Audlem
Wonderfully Welsh Hampers	01270 812088

HEALTH & WELLBEING

Audlem Physiotherapy Clinic – Phillippa Butler	07854 270796
Braids Hairdressers	01270 811540
Eden Beauty	01270 811197
Aerobics, Pilates & Personal Training – Alexandra Davis	07866 801 156
Personal Trainer – Bernadette Wilson	07792 423147
Personal Trainer – Kirsty Armitage	07792 461964
Professional Beauty Treatments – Maxine Pritchard	maxinevirginia@yahoo.co.uk
Reflexology, Hypnotherapy & Counselling – Ann Jones	01270 811919
Yoga Class	mandy@pranayoga.co.uk



HOLIDAY LETS

Bryn Fynnon – Mark Joule	01270 811553
Tanrallt Cottage – Wendy Latham	andrew.latham@tiscali.co.uk

HOME SERVICES

A Helping Hand – Carolyn Whittingham	07703 053184
A. R. Richards Ltd Skip Hire	01630 639888
Allan Mitchell Designs	01270 811635
Artist – Annabel Thornton	07903 224348
Artist – Jo Halden	07944 089222
Audlem Angels Cleaning Services	07940 067655
Audlem Based Care – Sue Wright	01270 812296
Audlem Construction & Maintenance	07512 185273
Byrne's Gardening Services	07984 286609
Cash In Connoisseurs	01270 811143
Childminder – Lorraine Joynson	01270 811045
Childminder – Emma Lancaster	01270 811279
Clean & Sparkle Cleaning Services	07816 286867
Computer Repairs Mobile Service	07766 201027
English tutor, proof reader, copy editor	07792 423147
First Strike Pest Control	01270 628365
FJ Foot Care – Fiona James	fionajames8@gmail.com
G & T Designs	01270 812808
Garden Planning & Maintenance – Nige Fleet	07955 034204
GardenWright Gardening Services	01270 811925
Happy Heritage	07708 902333
Local Colour Framing	07527 897200
Once Upon A Time Genealogy Ltd	07590 619505
Photographer – Doug Krier	01270 812584
Photography Film & Video by Gaius	01270 812499
Red Door Design – Floral & Event Styling	01270 811050
Sewinstead Creative Embroidery	01270 811296
StyleMaker (UK)	half_pint_47@hotmail.com
The Garden Rover – General Garden Services	07517 111195
Warmund House – Carpets & Flooring	01270 625656
Window Cleaner – David Bebbington	01270 812300
Wright's Property Maintenance	01270 811913

HOME TUITION

English Teacher – Louise Worthington	01270 812740
English Tuition in Audlem – Joan Pierce	joan.pierce@btinternet.com
English Tutor – Dave Madden	07821 901580
French & English Tuition – Jilly Cotterell	01270 811614
Guitar Tutor – Dave Nettleton	davenettleton@me.com
Guitar Tutor – Jack Marshall	07510 741090
Maths Tuition – Kate Down	downfamily@btinternet.com
Maths Tutor – Susan Wilkinson	01270 811057
Riding Instructor – Louise Challenger	01270 811488
Science & Physics Tuition – Ivor Howarth	01270 811196
Tuition – Pauline Hobbs	01270 811886

PET SERVICES

A Pet's Progress – James Irvine	01270 811885
Audlem Pet Care	panny143@yahoo.com
Carry on Canine	www.carryoncanine.com
Dogs R Groovy	01270 812739
Grange Boarding Kennels and Cattery	01270 811264

Marycare – Shaughna Mary Warburton	01270 812578
Santasha Boarding Kennels & Cattery	01270 811314
The Pet Sitter – Claire McLintock	01270 811032

RETIREMENT HOMES

Audlem Country Nursing Home	01270 811514
Cedar Court	01270 812606
Corbrook Court Care Home	01270 812049

SHOPS

Audlem CycleSport	01270 811333
Audlem Dry Cleaners	01270 811593
Audlem Mill	01270 811059
Audlem Pine Furniture	07855 438506
Audlem Upholstery	01270 811155
Co-operative Food	0800 023 4708
Dressing Rooms	01270 811991
Flower Divas	01270 812434
Funeral Directors – Graham Tresidder	01270 812512
Funeral Directors – Oxleys	01270 812331
Hodgepodge	01270 811079
Oxtail & Trotter Butchers	01270 811793
Painted Blue	01270 812999
Quilter's Trading Post	01270 812541
The Deli & Café	01270 811554
Williams Newsagents	01270 811210
Winegeek – Rachel Wilson	07702 018793

TRADES

AES Engineering	07768 744319
Audlem Decorators – Wayne Williams	01270 811913
Audlem Electrical Services	01270 811845
Construction Management Services	01270 811221
Decorator – Colin Roycroft	07710 871608
Decorator & Joiner – Howard Martin	hdmartinonline@yahoo.com
Diggers & Driveways – Dylan Jones	01270 812368
Elmbreck Technical Services – Julian Slack	01270 812600
Garden & Property Maintenance – Pete Popovic	01270 812557
Interior Decorators – Gareth Hardy	01270 811719
J. A. Roberts Building Contractors – Jim Roberts	01270 812986
N. M. Plastering Service	01270 811723
Plumber – S. R. Booth	01270 811449
Property & Garden Maintenance	07920 260629
R. L. Services – Robert Lever	01270 811646
T Rex Tool and Plant Hire	01270 619784
W. B. Plasterers – Warner Baxter	01270 811370

TRANSPORT

Adderley Garage Ltd	01630 654894
Campervan Hire	01270 812068
Country Taxis	07772 284000
Driving Tuition – Dawn Craig	01270 812420
Garage – Coole Pilate Autos	01270 624875
J & J Motors	01270 811411
Ringway Minibus Hire	01270 811670



History Society

On 15 May, Bob Cartwright will present his view of the causes of WW1. In June we visit the author Alan Garner's home, which includes the old medicine house from Wrinehill that was dismantled and rebuilt on his property, and in July there is a coach trip to Ruthin.

Our active research this year is about the men from Audlem who fought in WW1. A 'Roll of Honour' Board used to hang in the School Hall. We will display this list in the local shops soon and would ask local people to look for the names of their relatives and tell us about them.

Anyone who has items connected with WW1 is welcome to bring them to a get-together at the home of David and Elizabeth Huntbach at The Lindens in Vicarage Gardens from **7pm to 8pm on 29 May**. They do not have to be connected with Audlem. We can photograph medals or postcards so they will not be mislaid. Our September meeting will reveal what we have found. **For more information, contact Dorothy Jones on 01270 811814.**

Cycling Club news

Our new Elite Road Race Team launched earlier this year will be competing in major events up and down the UK. We have already had our first race win by Alex Jones in the CNDW (Cycling Development North West) Road race at Carnforth recently.

Wednesday evening mountain biking sessions recommence on 7 May. We meet at Hanchurch Hills / Swynnerton Old Park at 7pm – see www.audlemcyclingclub.co.uk for full details.

The club will host a series of Tuesday evening road races in July starting at 6.30pm with HQ at the Scout & Guide Hall. Once again we will be hosting the TLI National Road Race Championships in September.

Audlem & District Community Action

ADCA has successfully obtained continued funding from Cheshire East Council from April 2014 to provide an expanded Voluntary Car Service, increased support to the local Carers' Group, and to sustain and develop the Day Club, Coffee Club and Befriending Service for older people over the next three years.

To make a request for voluntary transport to be taken to health appointments at local hospitals, clinics or to Audlem Medical Practice, telephone the new **ADCA Voluntary Driving Service on 01270 747163** and leave a message on the answerphone, which is checked daily.

Please give details about the date and time of the appointment, the destination and your name, address and contact telephone number. You will be contacted to confirm arrangements.

The Voluntary Driving Service is aimed at disadvantaged people over the age of 18 who cannot otherwise get to health appointments or take part in social activities. People using the service will be asked to make a contribution if possible towards the mileage costs. If you need an escort

Audlem Support Group for St Luke's Hospice closes

The Audlem Support Group for St Luke's Hospice closed last month after its AGM. If anyone would like to make a donation to the Hospice, either take your donation to Audlem Charity Shop, or send it to St Luke's Hospice, Grosvenor House, Queensway, Winsford, CW7 1BH. Sincere thanks go to all our loyal supporters – we are very grateful.

Ruth Kemble

Audlem Scout & Guide Hall

March and April have been busy months at the hall. Stella's Cellar has been transformed into a new, well-lit, well-insulated and heated storeroom that is 16 by six feet. The entire hall has been redecorated using 70 litres of paint and thorough preparation. Even the curtains have been cleaned locally. We hope all our hall users will enjoy the end result.



We continue to look for new riders to join our ranks, from novice to ex-pro in all disciplines including road, track and mountain biking, and at all levels from leisure cyclists to full-on racers.

to help at the hospital or clinic, then family members or friends can also be transported. ADCA can also arrange a voluntary escort to assist if necessary.

The Carer's Support Group now meets on a drop-in basis the second and fourth Tuesday mornings each month between 10am and noon in the Lord Combermere Pub for coffee, chat and to hear occasional speakers. Our thanks go to landlords Allan and Jo Brown.

The new funding will enable the Carer's Group to arrange quarterly Carers' Breaks days. So if you are an unpaid carer for a family member or friend, why not come along to the Support Group's sessions for advice, information and support or contact **Lynn Morear, ADCA Assistant Co-ordinator, on 07595 919727**. Lynn supports the Carer's Group.

To join our Tuesday Day Club at Hankelow Chapel or our Friday morning Coffee Club in the Lord Combermere, or to become a volunteer or driver, please contact **Ronni Briggs, Co-ordinator, on 07845 495973 or email ronni@chapelhouse.org**.

Summer 2014 diary dates

Audlem Music & Arts Festival, 22-26 May

More than 100 acts covering all musical tastes and genres will appear at the biggest FREE music and arts festival in Cheshire and North Shropshire. Festival highlights include a day of choral song at St James's Church on 24 May, a superb Arts Exhibition at Audlem Methodist Church, and the famous Audlem Carnival on 26 May.

Our thanks go to all our volunteers who have given their time and talents totally free, and to our sponsors for their financial support.

Ralph Warburton



History Society WW1 get-together, 29 May

Bring your WW1 memorabilia along to The Lindens, Vicarage Gardens, Audlem from 7-8pm and help the History Society with its research.

Conservative Carvery, 30 May

Audlem Branch Conservatives will hold a two-course carvery at Overwater Marina on Friday 30 May 2014, at 6.30 for 7pm. Tickets are £15. **For details contact Roland Hall on 01270 812530 or email rolandhall@bryantsbottom.plus.com.**

RNLI Festival, 31 May - 1 June

Audlem RNLI Festival takes place at Overwater Marina on the weekend of 31 May and 1 June.

Saturday Night revels include a Wild West re-enactment, Irish dancing, music from California Blue and friends, a BBQ by Oxtail & Trotter and the RNLI bar. Sunday's events include a raft race and tug of war, a demonstration from Cheshire Fire & Rescue assisted by Audlem Fire Brigade, an introduction to coarse fishing by Stapeley Angling, falconry, a dog show, junior cycle skills, pony rides and much, much more.

At just £5 for a car park pass, it is incredible value and the huge marquee makes this an all-weather event. More details available at *AudlemOnline*.



Charity Shop Summer Fair, 14 June

Following another record year in which we gave £27,500 to our beneficiaries, our next event will be the Summer Fair held at the Audlem Methodist Church from 10am to 12.30pm on Saturday 14 June. Please come along and show your support.

Hankelow Village Fete, 22 June

Hankelow Amenities' annual Village Fete will be held on the village green on Sunday 22 June from 1pm. It will feature

two new events: Nantwich Free Runners who are experts in 'Parkour', which combines gymnastic, acrobatic and athletic skills, and a tug of war sponsored by The White Lion Pub which is donating a nine gallon cask of ale to the winners.

Other highlights include Crewe Concert Band, U3A Scottish Dancers, Musicland from Market Drayton, fun dog show, children's sports, Snugbury's ice cream, BBQ, and a variety of stalls and games. All proceeds from the Grand Prize Draw will go to MacMillan Cancer Support.

To enter a non-professional team of eight for the tug of war, please contact Ian Jones on 01270 812555 or email rosmart@btinternet.com for an application form. For general enquiries, contact Hankelow Amenities Group Chairman, Val Morrey on 01270 811930.



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