HATTON LIFE



Hatton PC News

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Parish Council Vacancy

We have a vacancy on the Parish Council; any interested parties are asked to attend the next Parish Council meeting. This will give prospective applicants an insight into the work of the PC, or alternatively email:

chair@hattonpccheshire.org.uk





Speed Stickers

Residents of Warrington Road and Hatton Lane have been issued with a speed limit sticker; the sticker should be placed in a prominent position on your wheelie bin. We are hoping that the visual impact of the stickers will slow down drivers along the roads in and out of Hatton.

New Residents

If you are new to the village, please have a look at our 'Welcome Pack' on our website by scanning this QR code.



Next Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday 4th November 7.00pm at The Hatton Arms



Christmas Market Trip to Chester

The HVCA are proposing to run a village coach trip to Chester for the Christmas Markets. The proposed date is Saturday 29th November leaving at 10.00am and returning at 5.00pm. The cost will be £10 per person. Thank you to those who have already expressed an interest – would anyone else please do so via the Hatton Life WhatsApp group or at g.roseby@btinternet.com

RESIDENTS LUNCHES

Tuesday 11th November (12 for 12.30)
Fish and Chips will be the order of the day.
Tuesday 9th December (12 for 12.30)
Christmas fayre will be served.
Would anyone wishing to attend please let Glenda know on 01925 730307 or at g.roseby@btinternet.com

Hatton Golf Society

15 Hattonites and 5 guests played a superb Pryors Hayes,

In first place was Andy Smith on a spectacular 45 pts. Steve Wilkinson came in 2nd on 37 pts, while Paul Twigg managed a credible 35 pts, and in 4th place Glenys Goodier produced a great 34 pts. The 2 nearest the pin were won by Phil Young and George Murphy.

We are hoping to get one more golf day in the next few weeks.

Watch this space.

Halloween Happenings - Friday 31st

October

This year the Parish Council will be providing hot dogs for the children taking part in the event. This will take place at 5.30pm in the hut outside the Hatton Arms.

If you would like your child/children to have hot dogs (vegetarian option also available) please email Jayne, by 28th October at: jayne.power@hattonpccheshire.org.uk Hatton beware! There may be some ghoulish behaviour around the village!

If you cannot meet for hotdogs we will see you at Gosling Close bench at 6.00pm



Withdrawal of the Number 10 Bus Service (Warrington– Stretton via Daresbury & Hatton)

The Number 10 bus ran from Warrington Bus Interchange to Stretton (Cat & Lion) via Daresbury Science Park and Hatton. It was introduced in September 2023 under Warrington Borough Council's "Better by Bus" improvements. The service was operated by Howard's (now Omega) Busways.

Withdrawal Date

Warrington Borough Council has announced that Services 10 and 47 (operated by Omega Busways) will cease on Saturday 14 September 2025. This is explicitly stated in the council's press release (dated 14 August 2025) and accompanying news reports: "Howards (Omega Busways) – Service 10 ... Ends on Saturday, 14 September."

Reasons for Withdrawal

The council explains that the service must be withdrawn because the government funding that was sustaining it has ended. Route 10 was part of the Bus Service Improvement Programme (BSIP) rollout (with ~£16m secured for new routes). In August 2025 the council noted that as this BSIP funding period ends, some services will be withdrawn. A council spokesperson warned that without ongoing subsidies the route "is not viable for a commercial bus operator". In short, the Number 10 was deemed not commercially sustainable once BSIP support ceased.

No direct replacement for service 10 has been announced. The council says its transport team is "continuing to look for new and innovative ways to provide travel solutions," but did not name any new route to replace the 10. Passengers on the Hatton/Daresbury corridor will have to rely on existing buses: for example, Warrington's Own Buses still runs services 8, 8A and 9B to Hatton (via Stockton Heath), and Arriva/Ashcroft Travel routes serve Daresbury/Sci-Tech Daresbury. In particular, Ashcroft's service 62/62A (with Halton Council support) continues to connect Warrington Interchange with Sci-Tech Daresbury and on to Runcorn. (Service 62A's timetable shows morning trips at 07:11, 08:26, 09:26 at Sci-Tech Daresbury.) No new bus service has been announced to cover the exact path of the Number 10, so Hatton and Stretton residents will have to use these nearby alternatives.

The above statement regarding the cancellation of the Number 10 bus service, has been issued by Warrington Borough Council. The full version can be found on the PC website: hattonpccheshire.org.uk

We would ask that any person in the village who has been affected by the cessation of this service to contact Andy Blanshard at the following email address: andy.blanshard@pccheshire.org.uk

Andy will collate the emails and liaise with our neighbouring parishes, who have also been affected by the loss of the bus service, and the Local Authority. Any outcomes of this will be reported at a future date.