

COPPULL PARISH COUNCIL

Issue No. 59 - Autumn 2021

BEST OVERALL WINNER OF THE FIRST DIGITAL DOG COMPETITION

Bella - 9.5 year old Lurcher

See inside for more photos of all the winners!



CHAIRMAN'S MESSAGE

Dear Residents

As things are slowly getting back to some sort of normality, it is nice to look at the gardens in the village which have lovely displays of flowers. Thanks to George (Gardener) and Bill (Volunteer), the Leisure Park, Memorial Garden, Berry's Garden and the Jubilee Garden are all looking great. Thanks also to all the other volunteers who all do a small part of the village, which helps to keep those areas looking colourful and well tended. The return of the hanging baskets are also very welcome this year.

The Parish Council has been concentrating on catching up with repairs or improvements around the village, as not much physical work was done during Covid lockdown restrictions. All the play areas have been re-opened and any remedial work done. The current village hall has also had to have some essential repairs so that it can be used until the new hall can be built. Planning permission has not yet been given by Chorley Council. Again, there have been delays at Chorley Council's Planning Department due to Covid 19.

The Leisure Centre has also opened its doors again and a new schedule is listed below, which takes effect from 1 September 2021.

I would like to personally welcome Father Graeme Dunne to the village. He has taken over from Father Mayne at St. Oswald's RC Church. Photo and information inside.

I hope that the situation with Coronavirus keeps improving and that all our residents stay safe and well during these uncertain times.

CORONAVIRUS INFORMATION:
[nhs.uk coronavirus](https://nhs.uk/coronavirus)
gov.uk/coronavirus

Michael Atherton





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SPRINGFIELD PARK LEISURE CENTRE

ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

*New Times in effect
1st SEPTEMBER 2021*

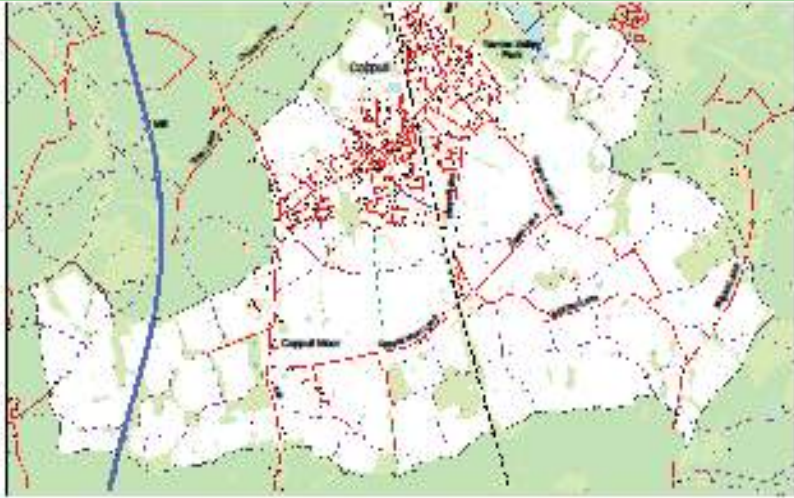
MONDAY 4.30pm-5.30pm-Beginner Trampoline (Age 4-8) 5.30pm-6.30pm-Beginner Trampoline (Age 9-12) 6.30pm-7.30pm-Beginner/Play Trampoline (Age 9+) <i>7.30pm-8.30pm-Springfield Park Freestyle</i>	} 6 week course	THURSDAY 4.30pm-6.30pm-Springfield Trampoline Academy 6.30pm-8.30pm-Springfield Trampoline Academy
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WEDNESDAY 4.30pm-6.30pm-Springfield Trampoline Academy 6.45pm-8.15pm- TAAG (Private Hire)	} 6 week course	SATURDAY 9.30am-10.30am-Beginner Trampoline (Age 4-8) 10.30am-11.30am-Beginner Trampoline (Age 9-12) 11.30am-12.30pm-Beginner/Play Trampoline (Age 9+)
SUNDAY 10.00am-12.00pm-Springfield Park Freestyle		

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COPPULL NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN



On the 20th July 2021, Chorley Borough Council agreed the new boundary for Coppull to include part of Chisnall Ward!! This will now be the new boundary for Coppull.

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN??

Anything referred to as Coppull Parish is included in the boundaries of the map above, for example

People

Environment

Business

Development

Planning

Land

And any other reference to Coppull Parish

What Now?.....Let's Plan

So, come and tell us your thoughts, what do you see for Coppull??

We can't prevent development in Coppull, but we can have a say about what and where!! Come to the meeting of the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group, which will be held at the

**British Legion, Springfield Road on Wednesday,
15th September @ 7pm.**

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*Irene Curtis OBE, former
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MEET THE NEW PRIEST OF ST OSWALD'S RC CHURCH



Hello everyone. I am Father Graeme Dunne and I am the new Parish priest at St. Oswald's Church here in Coppull, even though I will be based in Chorley at St. Gregory's Church (where I have been for almost five years).

I grew up in Liverpool and I am a proud Evertonian. Though I trained for the priesthood at Upholland, Wigan, I have had appointments at Warrington and Leigh, so I also have a love of Rugby League. When I first got the calling to become a priest, I contacted a curate for advice. That curate was Father Mayne.

I am really looking forward to serving the parishioners of St. Oswald's and the wider community in Coppull. If I can be of any help, please do contact me on 01257 262462.

*** FREE EVENT * FIRST YEAR EVER! ***

A COPPULL PARISH COUNCIL EVENT

COPPULL VILLAGE FLOWERPOT FESTIVAL

August 28th - 30th Bank Holiday Weekend 2021



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August Bank Holiday Weekend 2021

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Downloadable map showing where the displays can be seen from:

www.facebook.com/groups/coppullflowerpotfestival/



MAYOR'S VISIT TO COPPULL



The Mayor, Cllr Steve Holgate's recent visit to Coppull started off with a visit to the Enterprise Centre at the bottom of Mill Lane, where he met with the Manager and a number of local businesses.



From there was a visit to Arcon House, where the Mayor met a lovely lady of 94 years of age. After a walk through the main shopping area of the village, talking to residents and shop owners, the visit culminated in a trip to the Library, where he met with staff and talked to a lady with her twin boys!



The Mayor is visiting all the parishes in the Borough, but has a special affinity to Coppull, as he is a serving Parish Councillor.



COPPULL'S DIGITAL DOG SHOW

Sponsored by **PINEWOOD VETS, COPPULL,**
and judged by **ANDREA SPAIN, Practice Manager**



PRACTICE MANAGER

It was a very difficult decision for Andrea, to choose the winners of the eight categories out of all the entries received. Every entry was deserving of winning, but eight had to be chosen!

Thank you to everyone who has taken part and massive thanks to Andrea and Pinewood Vets for sponsoring this event and donating prizes. We hope to hold this event annually now and also hope it will grow each year.

All entries were judged just by the photos and so it was very heartwarming to read all about them after the judging took place and particularly that the Best Overall dog, Bella, was trained by the owners to let them know if their son is having a seizure or has low blood sugars. A really remarkable and deserving winner.



COPPULL'S FIRST



BEST PUPPY (above). This is Winnie, a 1 year old Shih Tzu. She has the most amazing face, with her cute little eyes and ears.



BEST SENIOR (above). This is Sally, she is a ten year old Welsh Terrier Rescue. She is so tired, she almost falls asleep sitting up.



BEST BITCH (above). This is Bella, a 5 year old black Labrador. Bella was chosen for her beautiful face and incredibly shiny coat.



BEST DOG (above). This is Boo, a long haired collie. A beautiful coat and very attentive.

DIGITAL DOG SHOW



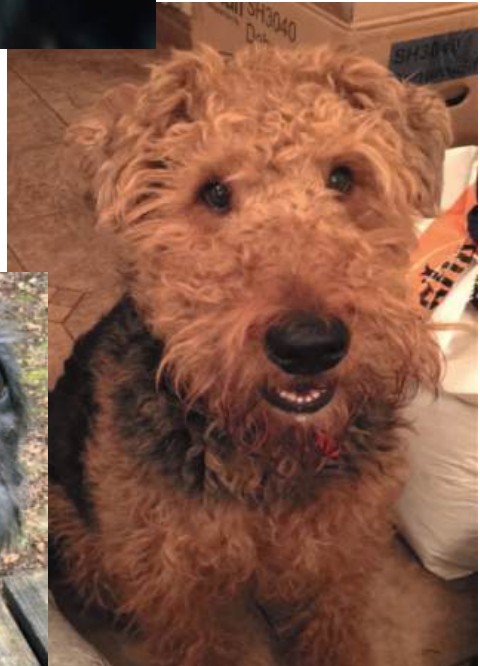
CUTEST (left)

This is Ruby, a 2.5 year old border collie.

I'm sure you will agree she has the most beautiful eyes and an intelligent face.

HAIRIEST (right)

This is Wilma, a very cuddly "teddy bear".



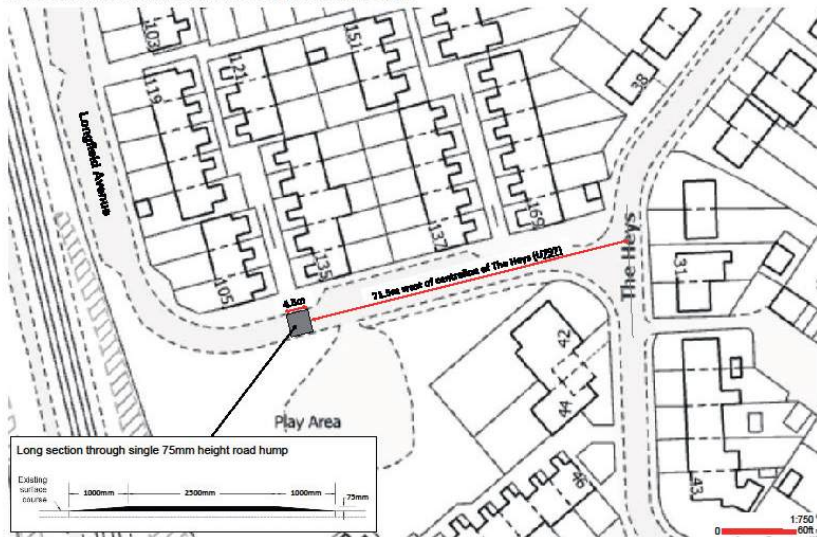
BEST MUTT (left)

This is Nellie. Although still a puppy, Nellie was considered to have a very cheeky face and therefore the best mutt!

NEWS FROM YOUR

LONGFIELD AVENUE

Proposed Installation of single road hump on Longfield Avenue, Coppull



In accordance with Section 90A of the Highways Act 1980, Lancashire County Council propose to introduce a road hump in Longfield Avenue, Coppull, from a point 71.5 metres west of its junction with the centreline of The Heys, for a distance of 4.5 metres in a westerly direction. The road hump will have a maximum height of 75 millimetres.

CLANCUTT LANE ROUNDABOUT

“Thanks to Ernie and Austin from The Heys for attending the Parish Council meeting in June to highlight concerns of safety at the Clancutt Lane roundabout junction .

Their petition was circulated in local shops and was signed by hundreds of residents.



It is to be presented to Lancashire County Council later this month.

Residents are encouraged to report any road safety incidents or concerns to Lancashire Road safety partnership at: <https://lancsroadsafety.co.uk/contact/>

or the Police on 101.



Ernie and Austin pictured with Cllrs Michael Atherton and Julia Berry

WARD COUNCILLORS

CONSULTATION FOR PROPOSED HOUSING DEVELOPMENT OFF DARLINGTON STREET

Neighbours in the Darlington street area have been notified of a consultation by developer Miller Homes ahead of a planning application to build 67 houses on nearby land. Neighbours affected attended the Parish Council meeting in July to raise their concerns about this premature application on land safeguarded until 2026 stressing the impact on highways with particular concern for road safety at the nearby primary school on Park Road. Residents also were concerned this would mean the demolition of the local Vicarage and the potential loss of mature trees in the area.

Residents wanting to object can sign an online petition at:

<https://www.change.org/p/miller-homes-stop-the-building-of-coppull-housing-estate-and-preserve-the-land>

Coppull Parish council will be objecting etc. ... if and when a planning application is submitted.



Contact details for Ward Councillors can be found on the back page.

COPPULL'S PHOTOGRAPHERS

JOHN COBHAM

LOCAL AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHER ON A ROLL

Local amateur photographer, John Cobham, is having a terrific run of successes with his photography. If we go back to March last year he had Picture Of The Month in The Countryfile Magazine and The Outdoor Photography Magazine. Then in the autumn he had images published in The Daily Telegraph

and Times newspapers. He also had two images selected for The Cumbrian Wildlife Trust 2021 Calendar.



Step forward to this year and John has won the January Photography Competition for The Lancashire Wildlife Trust. In March he was one of 12 winners in the Wilko stores 2022 Calendar competition and finally he has recently been advised that again he has had two images selected for The Cumbrian Wildlife Trusts 2022 Calendar.

John is a member of Chorley Photographic Society who are one of the leading photographic clubs in the UK and you will very often see him with his camera around Yarrow Valley Park or Hic Bibi.

More of John's photography can be found on his Facebook page. Later this year he will again be producing his own 2022 Wildlife Calendar after the success of the 2021 edition. Contact him for details should you require more information.

Stop Press! John has just come 10th in a German International Nature Photography Competition competing with 862 entrants from 53 countries and against 4,200 images.



COPPULL'S PHOTOGRAPHERS



KEITH HARRIS

I started photography in 2000 and attended technical college when it was film photography.

At around 2005, when digital came on board, I assisted a friend who has a wedding and portrait business and the rest, as they say, is history.



I met my partner Sheila at a wedding and she now assists me at weddings and in other areas of photography as well.



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Awarding it at school has been difficult because of COVID. So the 2020 and 2021 prizes were awarded just before the summer holiday. The award is worth £100 each year until 2050.

The “cup” is a rather nice acrylic award. The image of the earth on the left hand side is a NASA photograph from space, with Coppull at the centre (well, just about!).

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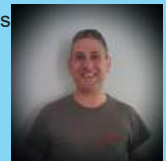


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- Coppull Parish School, Roe Hey Drive
- St. John's School, Preston Road
- St. Oswald's Primary School, Spendmore Lane
- Coppull Clinic, Springfield Road
- Coppull Conservative Club (public), Spendmore Lane
- Coppull United Football Club, Springfield Road
- Tree Face Cafe, Yarrow Valley Park (just out of Coppull)
- If you know of any other locations in or around Coppull, please inform the Clerk to update the list.

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Coppull Parish Council meetings are now being held face to face at the Leisure Centre on the 2nd Wednesday of every month, with Management & Finance committees meeting quarterly on the 4th Wednesday (Feb, May, August and November). Details will be on the council notice boards:

Berry's Garden, Chapel Lane, in front of the Library and in the Leisure Centre. They are also on the Parish Council website.

Please contact the Clerk if you wish to attend, as there is very limited room.

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Please send your articles by email to the Clerk.

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