

Happy Monday Everyone!

On Monday, 6 February personnel from CLM Groundwork Trust, which owns Elnup Woods, spent some time in the woods with the latest Wigan Prince's Trust team. The guys enjoyed



themselves clearing litter and debris from the stream and cleared many of the steps, bridges and boardwalks of treacherous leaf debris, making the walk through the woods safer for visitors.

The Way We Were

The Foresters Arms in Shevington Moor in the 1940s! The pub was featured in Egon Ronay's best pub food guide in March 1984



The Coronation of King Charles III will take place on Saturday, 6 May 2023. Monday, 8 May will be a special Bank Holiday when the King and Queen encourage communities to conduct some voluntary work and enjoy a lunch or "Street Party". A voluntary task could

be a community litter pick, a gardening venture or anything to benefit the community. Parish residents are encouraged to think about using 8 May to enhance their local area and enjoy a community lunch.

Celebrating the Coronation



Anti-Social Behaviour Issues?

See it
Report it
Get it LOGGED!!!!



To contact the Police, please ring: **999** (emergency) or **101** (less urgent)

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- N: North
- S: South
- W: West

Local groups are welcome to contribute to future editions of this newsletter. If you would like an item included, please contact the Clerk.

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Your NEWSLETTER

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Fine Rewards For Service to Our Communities

Thank you to all of the wonderful volunteers of the Parish! We are blessed to have so many residents who willingly give of their time to help the local community. At the Annual Parish Meeting on 15 March those pictured



Shevington in Bloom

with Parish Council Chairman, Cllr Bill McKnight, were presented with Community Service awards.



Elaine Roper



Shevington Village Kitchen

Congratulations to **Elaine Roper** (for playing a massive part in shaping the community at Appley Bridge into what it is today), **Louise Leyland** and the staff of **Shrington Village Kitchen** (for going beyond the call of duty to help the vulnerable in the community both during Covid and since) and **Shevington in Bloom** (for displaying vision and courage in bringing improvements to Shevington Village, working with local schools and creating many of the floral displays that give pleasure to all).

Forest Fold Bowling Green ~ Opening for the 2023 Season on 1 April

Nestling in Forest Fold (off Miles Lane, Appley Bridge – near Broadriding Road) Shevington Parish Council have a bowling green. For a small membership subscription of £20 per person for the season you may play there over the weekend and during the week, when it is not being used for team fixtures or other events. Anyone under the age of twenty may play for FREE. Membership forms are available from Shevington Library or from our websites.

Every Thursday evening members of Shevington Garden Club hold a practice session at the green. Beginners wishing to learn how to bowl or experienced bowlers wishing to bowl with others in a friendly session are welcome to join them.

Teams are welcome to book the green for their fixtures. The subscription for the 2023 season remains unchanged at £100. If, as a group, you would like to have sole use of the bowling green for a single session event lasting up to a day, we ask you to make a contribution of £30, payable in advance. **Interested?** - Please contact the Clerk.

Bowling is a good form of exercise for people of all ages.

Why not join & give it a go?

