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Update on the Local Area Plan

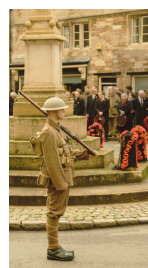
The Inspector appointed to consider the Local Plan part 2, the successor to the Rural North Oundle and Thrapston Plan as the Planning Authority's development plan, has indicated that various modifications to the draft plan are required while approving the three residential development sites allocated for Oundle in the draft plan: land off Cotterstock Road/St. Peters Road; St Christophers Drive and Stoke Doyle Road. The Town Council had made submissions upon the draft plan and are pleased that the Inspector has said that the council's desire to retain the long stay car park off East Road as a public asset should be expressly included in the finalised plan.

Report Antisocial behaviour in the Recreation Ground

Oundle's Recreation Ground is a public space to be enjoyed by everyone, whether old or young, and especially in the school holidays. It's a facility which should provide a safe space for our children to play in, and our adults to enjoy. However, and very sadly, we are told that some people have experienced anti-social behaviour whilst at the Recreation Ground. Oundle Town Council (OTC) takes all such incidents seriously and has set up a database which we will use to help identify possible solutions to prevent future incidents. You can help. Please report all incidents of anti-social behaviour - whether at the Recreation Ground or elsewhere in the town - to the Police on 101, and to Oundle Town Council (OTC) at oundle.gov.uk/contact-us **You need not give your contact details if you feel it unsafe to do so. If you feel threatened or there is a crime in progress, please call 999 immediately.**



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Remembrance Sunday Parade
Sunday 12 November 2023
2.10pm at the War Memorial
Parade will be livestreamed on our Facebook page

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Meet your Councillors

Cllr John Wade - Joined November 2022

"I have always had community service in my blood, following my parents' footsteps who belonged to the Royal British Legion and who were involved in the Scout and Guide movements. I have been actively involved in community activities since 1978, having been a member of various Junior and senior Chambers of Commerce, along with Round Table and Rotary groups, and now I run the Repair Cafe. I joined Oundle Town Council in late 2022, having previously been a parish councillor, believing that those who can contribute to the local community should do so. I hope my business management and leadership experience will support the local community, particularly by focusing on effective delivery of local projects and good use of public money."



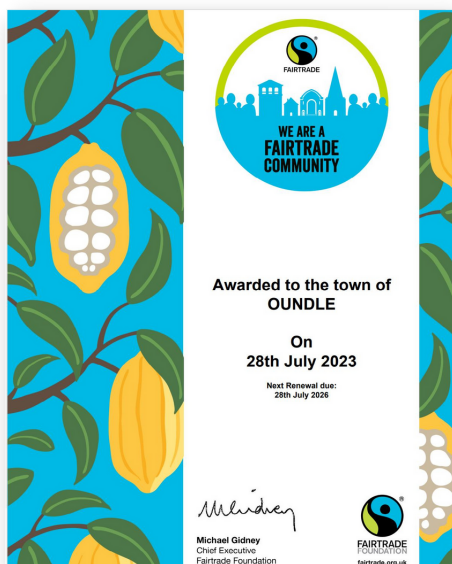
Keeping Oundle's Environment Safe

Oundle Town Council is committed to protecting the environment of Oundle. We do not use herbicides, which are dangerous chemicals that can harm plants, wildlife, and humans. Instead, we use an organic, non-chemical weed killer that is safe for the environment.

Listen to the sounds of the River Nene

We were delighted to read in the BBC news about Oundle resident Nick Penny, a musician and composer who has spent a year recording the sounds of wildlife by the River Nene. This is a fantastic accomplishment and a wonderful way to celebrate Oundle's wildlife. **Read the full article at tinyurl.com/NickPenny**

Once again, Oundle is a Fairtrade Town



Roadworks continue on New Road

The top of New Road is closed while Anglian Water continues to carry out the planned work to renew the main water pipe. This is to reduce the number of burst clusters and increase water pressure into Cotterstock Road and St Peter's Road. New Road will be closed in sections until the work is completed, which is expected to be on 5 April 2024.