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Editor's Comment



IT is always sad to hear about a business having to close down, especially one which has been a focus of the local community for almost half a century.

This month we report on the closure of Rushgreen Service Station - a family business which has always strived to be at the heart of the community.

Sadly changing times and peoples' habits of travelling out of the village in search of "cheap" supermarket fuel have finally taken their toll and Rushgreen Service Station is closing for the very last time at the end of February.

It was thanks to people like Ann Scales and her brother John Parry, who gave us the confidence to launch Lymm Life, by readily agreeing to help us distribute the magazine free of charge from their garage shop - while some national brands wanted us to pay to put our free magazine on

their shelves! I know they have been very supportive of the community over the years, supporting various charities, while also going through their own heartbreak. I will miss the cups of tea, the biscuits and the bacon butties and friendly chat and I am sure I will not be the only one sad to see the end of the road for another family business.

I wish Ann and John and their families all the best for the future and thank them for their support over the past 15 years - yes Lymm life is 15 years-old next month!

Meanwhile you will read elsewhere in this issue that the campaign to get two hours free parking back on the village car parks is not likely to happen for at least a year - if ever.

There appear to be conflicting opinions on whether the car parking charging policy is having an impact on the footfall in the village - with some of the view that the lack of variety in shops is also a key factor. Spending 50p to park for two hours certainly wouldn't put me off - not being able to park anywhere certainly would.

What I do think is important is that traders ensure people know what they have to offer, whether that be through the pages of Lymm Life, online, social media, e.t.c. There is so much competition out there these days - you need to make sure that if you have got something people want - they need to know about it.

Any business out there which would like some FREE advice on how to promote themselves to the wider community please drop me a line.



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Volunteers celebrate funding Marie Curie Cancer Care nurse for a year

VOLUNTEERS from the South Warrington Fundraising Group are celebrating after raising £20,000 for Marie Curie Cancer Care in the same month as they received the Marie Curie Care 'Event of the Month' award.

The group have managed to raise the equivalent of the salary of one full time nurse for one whole year.

The South Warrington group was formed in November 2011 and have raised the £20,000 from various events including coffee mornings, book stalls, raffles, afternoon teas, quizzes, music nights and supermarket collections, culminating in a Lunch at Café Salar in Lymm village.

The group would like to thank all those other groups and collectors, including Warrington Lions, Warrington Rotary and The

Clandestine Cake Club who have helped them raise such a wonderful sum of money.

Marie Curie Cancer Care gives people with all terminal illnesses the choice to spend their final days at home.

The Charity's nurses provide them and their families with free hands on care as well as emotional support right up to the end.

If you would like to find out more about the Charity or the Fundraising Group please call Michelle Bate on 0161 255 2809 or e-mail Michelle.Bate@mariecurie.org.uk



L-R Volunteers Linda Monk, David Cowe, Di Evans and Mal Armstrong who make up 4 of the 7 strong team of volunteers Marie Curie fundraisers in the South Warrington area.

'M' attends WI meeting

"M" turned up at a meeting of Lymm Jubilee WI – not James Bond's boss but the Rev Stephen Froggatt, minister at Eagle Brow Methodist Church.

He was guest speaker – and he spoke on his fascination with the letter "M" which signifies for him Music, Magic, Mathematics and Methodism.

He illustrated his subjects by teaching the members a simple song, moving a pencil cleverly through the thumbs, not achieved by everyone, the sorting of numbers with mathematical equations and, finally getting all the members to focus on relaxation with a technique which actually worked - there was total silence throughout the room!

Diane Coulton thanked him for his talk which was entitled "What I know about Jam and Jerusalem - synonymous with the WI movement and ending, of course, with two letter Ms!

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What's On in conjunction with Lymm Parish Council



March 10

LYMM HISTORY SOCIETY

The murder of Helen Heesom in 1878 at Walton. Margaret Fellows
Lymm Village Hall, 8pm
Visitors always welcome
More info Lynne Smith 01925 756776

March 11

LYMM PARISH COUNCIL

Lymm Parish Hall 7.30pm

LYMM LIONS GROUP

Meet: Bridgewater Club, Lymm
1st and 3rd Monday of the month. 7.30pm
Contact: 0845 833 5729

LYMM THURSDAY EVENING BRIDGE CLUB

Lymm Village Hall every Thursday 7pm

MAPLE LODGE ART GROUP

Meet each Wednesday 9.30am - 12.30pm
Maple Lodge Guide HQ, Pepper St, Lymm
Details: 01925 755126

ROTARY CLUB OF LYMM

Every Wednesday at Statham Lodge Hotel
7.15pm for 7.30pm
Contact the secretary 01925 650189

LOVING HEARTS & HANDS

Knitting for charity at Lymm Methodist Church,
2nd and 4th Thursday each month.
1.30pm - 3pm. Details: 01925 753298

MARKET LUNCHES

Eagle Brow Methodist Church
3rd Thursday in the month
Light lunches 12 noon till 2pm. All proceeds to
Youth For Christ and YMCA Room at The Inn

LYMM SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE CLUB

St Mary's Church Hall
Second and fourth Fridays (Sept - May)
7.30pm. Details: 753853

LYMM BAPTIST CHURCH FOYER LUNCHES

Higher Lane. Mondays (during term time).
12 noon to 1.15pm. £2.50

GARDENING CLUB

Meet Third Wednesday of the month
Lymm Baptist Church, Higher Lane. 7.30pm
Visitors welcome. £2 includes tea and cake

LYMM FLORAL ART GROUP

Lymm Village Hall
Third Monday of the month (except August)
at 7.30pm

LYMM ORNITHOLOGY GROUP

Lymm Village Hall, 7.45pm for 8pm,
Last Friday in the month (ex June & July).
Guest speaker, Slide Show, Refreshments.
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LYMM PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY

Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday
(ex July & Aug), 7.30pm
Spread Eagle pub, Eagle Brow.
Details: www.lymmphotosoc.org.uk

LYMM WINE AND BEER CIRCLE

Every 2nd Thursday, 8pm
The Boat Stage (Royal British Legion)
Details: 01925 604400

LYMM CONCERT BAND

Rehearsals every Thursday evening
United Reformed Church, 8pm.
Details: 01925 752934

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Youth and Community Centre. Visitors
welcome.

LYMM BOOK CLUB

Last Thursday of the month 7.30pm, Spread
Eagle, Eagle Brow. Details 01925 752371

LOW CARBON LYMM

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**LYMM
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Tuesday, March 11
Lymm Parish Hall 7.30pm

Round Table carries on giving

LYMM and District Round Table has started 2014 as it means to continue - by donating lots of money to charity.

Following a highly successful 2013, the Round Table has now donated over £3,500 to worthy causes, including £1,800 towards purchasing heart defibrillators and training for the Grappenhall area, £500 to Kids Cancer Charity for family breaks, £500 to Lymm Cubs for developing orienteering facilities and £350 to the Lymm Squash Club to develop activities for young members learning the sport for the first time.

A further £330 has gone towards the Bridgewater Gymnastics Club for portable equipment and £300 to TOFS, a charity for families of children born unable to swallow.

Round Table chairman Steve Liput said: "It has been another great year for Lymm and District Round

Table which is good news for local charities and community groups who benefit from the proceeds from our three main events - the Easter Monday Duck Race, the Lymm Beer Festival and the Big Lymm Bonfire.

"Each year we manage to set the bar even higher for ourselves and 2013 was no different - if we can continue this success into 2014 then it will be a fantastic achievement. Special thanks must go to the members of the public who support our events and also the Round Table members who give up their spare time to help out - great work guys!"

For more information about Lymm and District Round Table, visit www.lymmroundtable.co.uk



Round Table members Jon Beesley (left) and Graham Gowland with the new defibrillator

Inaugural charter night

FORMER members of Lymm Roundtable have formed Lymm & District 41 Club and hold their inaugural charter night on Friday April 4 at the Park Royal Hotel, Stretton, at 7.30pm.

Tickets for the black tie gentlemen only event are priced £35 with proceeds to Macmillan Cancer Support.

For tickets for the event, or for more details on the 41 club contact vice chairman Kevin Yates on 07595 989 546 or email kevin.b.yates@gmail.com

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David Mowat

Member of Parliament for Warrington South

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Youngsters learn about Burns night

SCOTTISH Bagpiper Alan Gagan visited Kids Planet nursery in Lymm to play music to the children and give a talk about Burns Night.

Listening to Alan play front from left, Isabel Sharp, Scarlett Roberts and David Cameron-Bruen with back from left, Michelle Citrine, Logan Hewitt, Elly Davy and Harriet Cockx.



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Local man joins mental health trust board

A LYMM resident has been appointed a non-executive director of leading mental health trust Mersey Care NHS Trust.

Nick Williams, aged 39, is a financial services and banking expert, and will help oversee the running of Mersey Care, one of only three mental health NHS trusts of its kind in the country.

The trust provides mental, learning disability and addiction services to around 34,000 people a year in Liverpool, Sefton and Kirkby, as well as specialist secure mental health services for Merseyside and Cheshire, the North of England and Wales.

Mr Williams was born in

Widnes, brought up in Warrington and now lives in Lymm with his wife and two children.

He attended Penketh High School and studied at Loughborough University where he gained a Masters' degree in chemical engineering.

He worked as a consultant in the financial services sector before joining Lloyds Banking Group in 2006, where he is consumer digital director for the Group spanning Lloyds Bank, Halifax and Bank of Scotland.

Mr Williams said: "I'm delighted with the opportunity at Mersey Care to support the local community through direct support to such a vital NHS organisation providing mental health services. I've seen people suffer from the pressures of mental distress and I'm committed to helping people with mental health problems and tackling the stigma associated with it."

His hobbies include competing in triathlons and he is a keen rugby league fan, supporting Widnes Vikings.



Take control of your energy bills

HOME energy bills have rocketed by an average of 168% over the past 10 years and it is expected that they will continue to rise in the future.

Recent price changes have left many consumers confused about choosing tariffs and suppliers. It is also difficult for householders to understand their energy bills and to compare prices between suppliers.

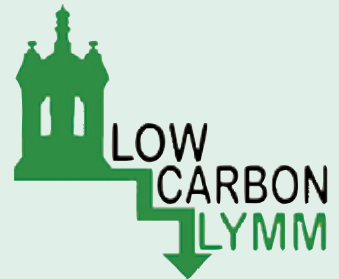
To help householders to take control of their energy bills, Low Carbon Lymm (LCL) is organising a community event on Saturday March 8 in Lymm Village Hall from 10am to 3pm. Lots of information, money saving tips and independent advice will be available on topics such as switching energy providers, energy efficiency and renewable energy. Local suppliers will

be on hand to discuss their products and services.

The event will also feature the Green Trail – the website that enables you to read, see and hear about installations on real homes in the Warrington area including solar electricity, solar hot water, heat pumps, external wall insulation, LED lighting and voltage optimisers.

The winners of LCL's Climate Week Awards will be announced at the event and there will be information on other LCL projects including the Spud Wood Allotment scheme, Local Food and Recycling.

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Up, up and away for Lymm Transport Day

LYMM Historic Transport Day is aiming to "take to the air" this year with an even more complete look at transport heritage than last year's inaugural event - with organisers hoping for a fly past of pre-war bi-planes.

After some initial concerns about the need for more volunteers the good news is that Lymm Historic Transport Day is all set to go again on Sunday June 29 - the last day of Lymm Festival.

Event Director Alan Williams said: "This was a big, complicated event last year and we were running with quite a small team. Fortunately though, some of the local exhibitors have stepped forward to take on key roles and things are now starting to take shape with a great team."

Some of last year's favourites are now confirmed for a return like "Saturn" the last of the Shropshire "flyboats" which a hundred years ago was carrying cheese to Manchester but now delivers heritage education to local schools. And just as last year the event will have everything from penny-farthing bicycles to steam rollers as well as hundreds of classic cars. The accent will be on joining in where possible with rides and

parades that all the family can enjoy. Cheshire Fire Service will be rolling up with a vintage 1949 Fire Engine and the organisers are also hoping to have a fly past of pre-war bi-planes. "Friends of the Forties" will be providing the music on the main event field for what promises to be another memorable day that aims to recapture some of the local wartime spirit.

Last year's event even resulted in a book celebrating Lymm's Transport Heritage "The Wheels and the Water" which sold over 500 copies in just four weeks in December. Part of the profit from the book will go toward funding this year's event.

The organisers are still keen to hear from anyone who would like to be involved either as a volunteer or an exhibitor.

Contact Alan Williams on 01925 754080 or via the website www.lymmtransport.org.uk which also has details of where to buy the book.



The winning picture from last year's photo competition was taken by local photographer Estelle Cadwallader. It shows local history man Joe Griffiths and friends delving into a little transport history at the 2013 event.

House can be built in garden

A NEW detached house can be built in the garden of an existing property in Rushgreen Road, Lymm, planners have decided.

Members of Warrington's planning committee approved the outline proposals despite objections from neighbours, Lymm Parish Council and the reservations of local borough councillors.

The meeting was told a meeting had been held between neighbours and the applicant in an attempt to resolve differences but those who attended felt their concerns had been dismissed by the applicant.

As a result they still objected, particularly about the loss of privacy and light. Other objections referred to overdevelopment of the site, loss of amenity, additional traffic and noise and disturbance.

Two neighbours said they would support the scheme provided the new dwelling was no higher than single storey.

Although it was an outline application, the committee was told the new property would be of two storeys but small in scale. There would be a single access to serve both dwellings, which would involve widening the existing access. One tree would be removed from the site, together with an existing Anderson shelter.

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With Peter are pupils from left, Heather McCormack, Elliot Cliffe, Charlotte Turner, Nick Mundy and Daniel Robinson.

Best dressed school rewarded

LYMM Town Crier Peter Powell visited Cherry Tree Primary School, Lymm to present two cheques and certificates to the school.

The school received a cheque for £25.00 for being the best dressed school in the Lymm Dickensian Christmas Festival and £50.00 which is being presented to all schools that took part in the festival.

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Green flag flying at Lymm Dam for sixth consecutive year

MEMBERS of Lymm Environment and Heritage Group (LEHG) are celebrating the award of Green Flag status at Lymm Dam for the sixth consecutive year.

The nationally recognised award for parks and open spaces requires a site to be managed to a certain standard with the support of the local community.

LEHG first achieved Green Flag status following the conclusion of the Lymm's Life Project, a wide ranging initiative which saw improvements to the infrastructure and ecology of Lymm Dam, the provision of a car park for the site, the creation of the Lymm

Heritage Trail and an archaeological dig at Lymm's slitting mill.

Chairman of Lymm Parish Council, Cllr Ian Marks said: "Congratulations to the Ranger Service and in particular Tim Baker for all their hard work in regaining a Green Flag for Lymm Dam. We cannot take retaining the Green Flag for granted and it only comes from the efforts of the Council and volunteers for which we are very grateful."

LEHG is a partnership between Warrington Borough Council Parks and Woodland Service, Lymm Parish Council and various groups and individuals with an interest in the

management of Lymm's environment. The group meets quarterly and new members are always welcome. For more information contact the Ranger Service on 01925 758195.



Open Evening for Fertility and Gynaecology

REPRODUCTIVE Health Group are delighted to welcome anyone with an interest in women's health to their Open Evening at the Centre for Reproductive Health, Daresbury Park, on Wednesday March, 19 6.30pm – 8.30pm.

The team of consultants, specialist nurses, embryologists, counsellors and complementary therapists will be on hand to provide the latest information on the full range of fertility treatments, investigations and diagnostics, plus common gynaecological conditions including endometriosis, polycystic ovary syndrome, fibroids, menstrual disorders, menopause, urogynaecology and recurrent miscarriage.

The Centre for Reproductive Health, conveniently located two minutes from Junction 11 of the M56, is the North West's newest assisted conception centre offering the most up to date technologies and clinical facilities. For more information please see www.reproductivehealthgroup.co.uk.

To reserve places at the Open Evening, please email aekersley@reproductivehealthgroup.co.uk or book online at www.reproductivehealthgroup.co.uk.

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End of an era for family business as p

AFTER almost half a century trading in the village Rushgreen Service station will be closing down.

Changing times including the growth of cut price supermarket fuel has brought about the final curtain call for the family run business.

The Parry Family moved into Rushgreen Service Station in April 1965 with a haulage business and developed it over the past 49 years.

Ann Scales and her brother John Parry, have been the faces of the business for many years and have witnessed many changes in that time.

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"We have always used local suppliers where possible and also recommended local businesses."

She added: "We have supported many local charities, churches and

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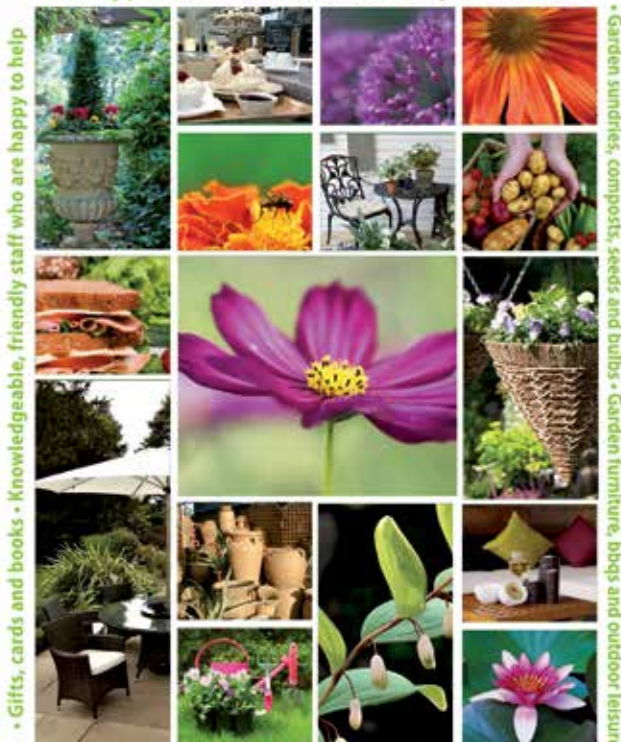
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High Legh man serving in deadly Afghanistan

AN OFFICER from High Legh is serving with the British Army in Afghanistan by working as a Media Operations Officer.

Lieutenant James Watson (25) a former pupil of Lymm High School, is attached to the United Kingdom

Medial Group based at Camp Bastion in Helmand, Afghanistan. His job is to facilitate different forms of media in Afghanistan while also working as a Squadron Second in Command.

"It is a very rewarding job as I get to see how our soldiers are doing a great job as we help mentor the Afghanistan National Security Force," he said.

"When I'm not behind the camera preparing a story or briefing a spokesman, I'm itching to get in front of it."

James (pictured right) who celebrated his 25th birthday in Afghanistan commissioned from The Royal Military Academy Sandhurst in August 2012 and is normally based with 2 Medical Regiment in Hohn, Germany. When he's not working, James plays football and is looking forward to hopefully getting home in time for the end of the football season.

"I love watching Manchester City play and I'm determined to get straight back into playing when I return," he said.

"I can't wait to see my friends and family when I get back. They're what I miss the most."



Chance to win £100

THE Venue in Lymm, which holds a Chess Club every Monday evening from 6pm, is organising a competition with a chance of winning £100.

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Community rallies round after school fire

MEMBERS of the community rallied round after arsonists attacked Lymm's Ravenbank Primary School.

Fire crews were called to the school to find a timber outbuilding at the rear of the Pepper Street school well alight.

Staff at Naturegarten, the on-site pre school, raised the alarm and firefighters quickly had the situation under control.

Pupils were back at school as normal the following morning.

Lymm Round Table stepped in

with a prompt £500 donation towards the cost of damaged play equipment.

Member Rich Storey said: "As soon as we heard what had happened at Ravenbank we quickly rallied round and decided an immediate donation was necessary - hopefully it will go some way to recoup what has been lost."

New head teacher Lesley

Sweeney said the whole school community had offered support to minimise disruption.

"The children have been brilliant. They have used the opportunity to get out their fire hoses and hard hats, replicating the bravery of our emergency services."

"The older children have also written some emotive and hard hitting news reports based on a real life event."

Mrs Sweeney thanked everyone who had rallied round to help.

The fire would give the school an opportunity to rethink how the area where the fire was could be used and made better.

She added: "I would never have anticipated that a serious fire incident would be one of the challenges that I would have to face during my first few weeks at Ravenbank, however it has certainly demonstrated at first hand what a special community I have joined."

Birthday surprise raises £2,467 for charity

SALES director Mike Atkinson was expecting to attend a colleague's birthday party - but his wife, Jenny, had other ideas.

She had secretly organised a surprise charity dinner to celebrate his 40th birthday and as the couple walked into a local restaurant they were greeted by 65 friends and family members.

Mike and Jenny, from Lymm, regularly support Macmillan, raising money in memory of Mike's grandfather who received great care from the cancer charity before his death.

A raffle and auction was held during the evening resulting in £2,467.50 windfall for Macmillan Cancer Research.

Mike said: "The surprise is still

sinking in now! It was a fantastic evening and I can't believe Jenny managed to get everybody there without someone blurring out the secret. I am so grateful to everyone who came."

Many local businesses gave generously to make the night a success. Everton Football Club, where Mike is a season ticket holder, donated a tour of Goodison Park and EFC Memorabilia donated a signed shirt. Other prizes included a velodrome training session, two spa treatment packages and wine from a local wine store.

Jenny said: "We would both like to thank all those who donated prizes as well as those who gave generously on the night."



(www.photodj.co.uk) shows a surprised Mike greeting a friend, with Jenny looking on

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Planners want to protect rare bats

PLANS to convert an old barn into four dwellings at Lymm have been approved by planners – subject to special measures to protect any bats which might be using the building.

The barn is on land off Cherry Lane – and it was opposed by Lymm councillors and nearby residents.

But the objections were mainly based on road safety issues, loss of privacy and light and the fact that the site is in the Green Belt.

Lymm councillor Ian Marks lodged an objection on the grounds that the proposed access was “particularly dangerous.”

Cllr Sheila Woodyatt and Cllr Bob Barr also expressed concern about traffic issues on busy Cherry Lane.

Cllr Woodyatt said: “I was concerned about the number of dwellings there will be on the site. But there were no real planning grounds on which we could refuse the scheme.”

Planning officers recommended the scheme be approved – subject to resolving issues regarding a rare species of bat which could be roosting in the barn.

Serenading ladies raise funds for charity

THE Serenade ladies singing group raised £180 for the Macmillan Cancer charity at Lymm Dickensian Day.

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Parking charges: no change for at least a year

IT will probably be at least 12 months before there is any change to the current pay-and-display parking system at Lymm – if indeed there is to be any change at all.



Sheila Woodyatt



Bob Barr

This seems to be the situation following a meeting between shopkeepers' representatives, local councillors and transportation chiefs from the borough council.

But the most likely outcome seems to be a "pay-as-you-leave" system, with the first hour free.

Council chiefs were unwilling to reinstate the two hour free period because this would not produce enough revenue to cover the cost of running the car parks.

But local councillors Bob Barr, Ian Marks and Sheila Woodyatt were united in supporting the two hour free period and pledged to continue the fight to get it restored.

Another option discussed was one where traders would refund parking charges to customers in return for a minimum spend and shopkeepers hope to arrange a meeting to consider this soon as it would require a measure of agreement between traders.

Shopkeepers' representatives took the opportunity to urge the borough to improve car park signage and also suggested that

the Davies Way and Henry Street car parks should be treated as one large car park and made a one way system.

Parking problems in Brookfield Road were also discussed.

After the meeting, Cllr Woodyatt said while some positives had emerged, she was concerned that the borough was comparing Lymm with Stockton Heath.

"There is absolutely no comparison" she said. "Stockton Heath is a much larger shopping centre and Lymm stands to lose much more from parking restrictions."

Cllr Marks said he was disappointed to see that council officers seemed not to be considering the impact of parking charges on shopkeepers and were only concerned about making the car parks profitable.

"There is no doubt trade in Lymm is being damaged by the parking charges. Footfall is down but, perhaps even more important, people are not spending enough time in the village."

There will be no changes to the present system until a new parking services contract is awarded in

July and any change is likely to be trialled at Stockton Heath before being introduced in Lymm.

In the meantime, the borough will be studying the latest car park technology.



Ian Marks

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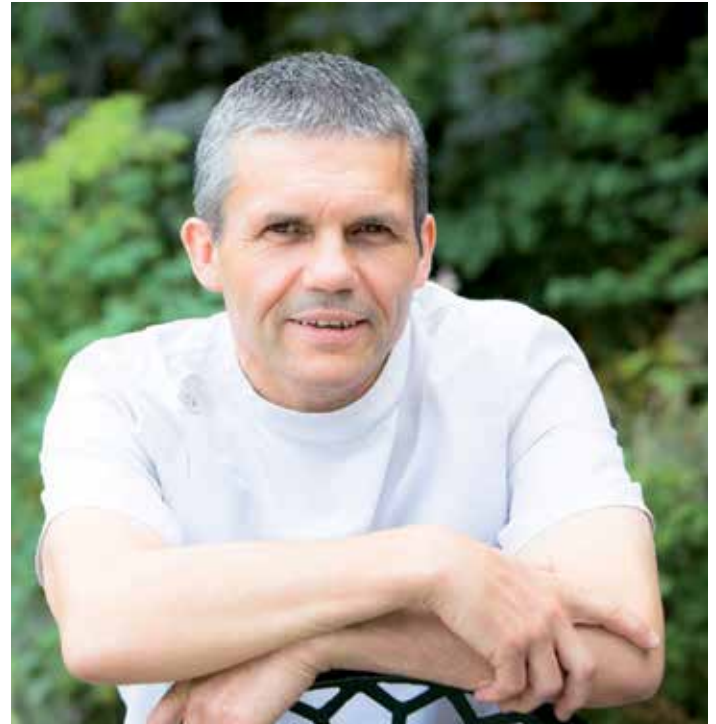
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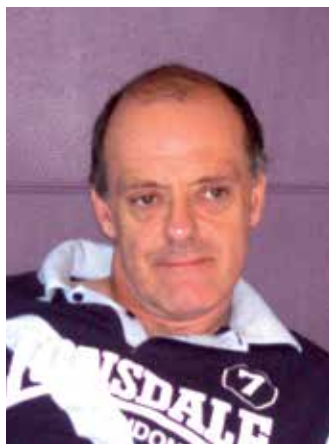
THE funeral took place on 10 January 2014 of Brian Linley, aged 51 years who died suddenly and tragically at home on the December 28 2013.

Brian was a director of the former Linley's of Lymm coach company, and up until his death a race car engineer, a job he loved.

He leaves his much loved wife and best friend Janet, children Michelle and Barry, grand children Mollie, Gracie, Blake, Kira, Jacob and Lilly.

He was a loving big brother to Michael and Paul and son of Tony. He lived his life to the full and will be sadly missed by all who loved him.

Funeral arrangements were by John Burrows and Sons of Lymm.



Cameron Haworth

THE funeral has taken place of Cameron Haworth, aged 73, keen photographer and enthusiastic member of Lymm Rugby Club, who died on November 14 last year.

Cameron, of Rushgreen Road, Lymm died peacefully at home.

He is survived by his wife, Gill, daughter Antonia and Carla and four grandchildren.

Cameron was a well-known and popular member of the rugby club, where he ran the club website for many years in addition to taking action photographs at matches.

The funeral took place at Altrincham Crematorium on November 26.

Funeral arrangements were by John Burrows and Sons of Lymm.

Kathleen Whitehouse

THE funeral has taken place of Kathleen Whitehouse, aged 87, formerly of Lymm who died on January 2 at the Old Rectory Nursing Home, Grappenhall.

Mrs Whitehouse, nee Broadey, leaves a sister, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, great nieces and great nephews.

The funeral service was at Lymm Parish Church, with Canon Michael Burgess taking the service.

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Enid Bergin

A WOMAN who ran a hairdressing salon in Lymm for more than 50 years, only retiring when she was 75, has died aged 86.

Enid Bergin had two shops – one in Eagle Brow, from which she retired in 2004 – and one at Statham, which she ran from 1960-69. She also ran a salon in Timperley from 1969 to 1987, while keeping on the Eagle Brow salon.

At various times she lived in Albany Road and Statham Avenue before moving latterly to Agden. It was there that she died in January, surrounded by her family including son Mark, daughter Lisa, eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Enid did not have the best start in life, contracting polio when she was four. The disease took its toll and by the time she retired she was struggling to walk. In her final years she was chair-bound.

Her husband, Tommy, died in 1983 and in 2000 the family suffered another tragedy when granddaughter Samantha died, aged eight.

But Enid remained cheerful, a

character who was known by many villagers, most of who had at one time been her customers.

She and her husband used to frequent the Lymm Hotel during the time that the famous Brazilian World Cup team were in residence in 1966. Brazil were reigning champions and were expected to win again – but of course it was England's year.

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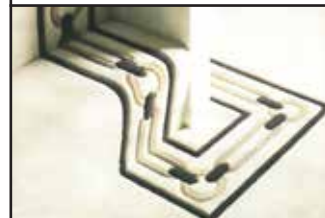
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