

Council News



New Community Centre Windows MUGA/basketball court area at the Recreation

We're really pleased to have had new windows installed at the St Andrews Community Centre.

The old wooden framed windows had reached the end of their life being draughty and very poor on energy efficiency, so the new, PVCu ones should keep the building warmer in winter for those using the building and reduce energy bills too!

New windows have been installed in the changing rooms, changing room toilets, meeting room, upstairs toilets, council office and the old youth club room.

The new windows look so much smarter than the old ones and match the ones at the southern end of the building, giving the whole building an improved more uniform look.

This cost was funded from a pot earmarked for community centre improvements and not from precept (council tax)



Saxilby & District Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) update

We're really pleased to announce that between this magazine going to print and you getting to read it, a planning application will have been submitted to West Lindsey, which comprises of an application for new fencing around the old

Ground. Should this application be approved, the site will then be resurfaced, with a new fence installed and this will become Saxilby's new and improved MUGA.

While the planning application process is ongoing, a specification for the refurbishment of the site and fencing will be developed, and a surface type will be decided on.

We're really excited to see this project progressing and a huge amount of credit has to go to the small but dedicated MUGA Working Group who are driving this project forward.

Neighbourhood Development Plan Update

The NDP update project continues to work away in the background.

The project has recently been offered £7,475 of external locality funding to help progress the project during 2023-24.

The project has been assigned a Locality Design Code Team member who will facilitate a new character assessment for the village, which will reflect the changes to the village over the past few years. An up to date housing needs assessment has also been requested.



Saxilby Waterfront

Saxilby Waterfront Public Facilities Refurbishment Survey. The facilities include: public toilets, boaters shower room, and boaters sluice (waste) facilities.

As the regeneration of the Conservation Area continues the next project is to shower the public facilities with some long overdue TLC! This supports the council's objectives of improving community facilities, reducing our carbon footprint, preserving heritage assets, and encouraging business and tourism opportunities.

As part of this process we'd like your views.



You can complete online at bit.ly/45zrOAA via the QR code or below and post at the Parish Office, St Andrews Community Centre, William Street, Saxilby, LN1 2LP by 27 October



Have your Say!

1. Please select your age group [tick one]:

- Under 16
- 17-21
- 22-50
- 51-70
- 70+

2. Please tell us about your connection to Saxilby:

- Resident
- Boater
- Visitor
- Local business
- Other: _____

3. How often do you use the public facilities on Saxilby Waterfront?

- Daily
- Weekly
- Monthly
- Quarterly
- Annually
- Never

4. Would you use the facilities more if they were refurbished?

- Yes
- No

5. How would you rate the current condition of the public facilities?

- Very poor
- Poor
- Neither good nor poor
- Good
- Very good

6. Rate the importance of energy efficiency when refurbishing the public facilities:

- Very important
- Important
- Neither important nor unimportant
- Unimportant
- Very unimportant

Please complete the final question on the next page...

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6. Please rate the importance of each of the following facilities:

1 - Least important
5 - Most important *

	1	2	3	4	5
Public toilets	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Baby changing facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Boater sluice (waste) facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Boater showers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Saxilby Waterfront Festival

This year's Waterfront Festival took place on Sunday, 24 September, just as this magazine went to print.

Look out in next month's edition of the Foss Focus for a full roundup of the day!



Remembrance Service 2023



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Saturday 11 November 2023 - 10:45am
Saxilby War Memorial,
Recreation Ground, William Street,
LN1 2LP

Council Business



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COMMUNITY HEROES**



**YOUR LOCAL
COUNCIL NEEDS YOU!
MAKE A CHANGE
BECOME A COUNCILLOR**

Visit <https://bit.ly/3yiXMQR> to find out more about being a parish councillor

Parish Council Meetings

Meetings held upstairs in the St Andrews Community Centre, William Street, LN1 2LP. They are usually on a Wednesday evening. Agendas are available on the parish noticeboard outside Saxilby Co-op and online at www.saxilbyparishcouncil.gov.uk.

Meetings 2023

Full Council: 1 Nov, 6 Dec

Planning and Finance Committees: 18 Oct, 15 Nov, 20 Dec

Working Groups: See noticeboard or online for dates

Contacting the Parish Council

The parish office is open on Tuesdays and Fridays 9.15am-3.15pm.

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Reporting Issues

**TIRED OF
POTHOLES
FLY-TIPPING
LOOSE PAVING
DOG POOP VANDALISM
BROKEN STREET LIGHTING?**

**REPORT THEM TO
THE COUNCIL WITH**
 FixMyStreet.com

West Lindsey District Council for:

Missed bin collection | Fly tipping | Planning

<https://west-lindsey-self.achieveservice.com>

01427 676676

Lincolnshire County Council for:

Street Lighting | Roads, footpaths inc. potholes | Tip Household Waste Recycling

www.lincolnshire.gov.uk

01522 552222

Did you know you can also quickly and easily report faults and get updates online at www.FixMyStreet.com