



In May, I was elected to serve for a second year as the Mayor of Carterton. It is a great honour to serve in this capacity and I am delighted to be able to continue my involvement in the many exciting projects which are under way in our town. We are continuing to make young people a priority with the recent opening of the splendid new play area at Trefoil Way and the provision of a teenage shelter at the Dell. Work continues on the development of the town centre and on the much needed community facility. More details are given below. I wish you all a lovely summer and hope you will support some of the events that we have organised.

Brian Crossland, Town Mayor



New Play Area Opened. *The Mayor and Mayoress recently opened the new Trefoil Way play area on the North East Carterton development. The play area cost just over £80,000 and was financed by the developers as part of their contribution to improving facilities. The area was designed and installed by Kompan and reflects their belief that all play areas should be exciting, challenging and accessible to all. The children on the School Council at St John's helped in selecting the equipment to be installed. The play area is currently owned by West Oxfordshire District Council but will be transferred to the Town Council in the next few months.*

ST. GEORGE'S DAY COLOURING COMPETITION

We are delighted to announce the winners of this year's competition:

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| Up to 5 years | 1 st - Rebecca Colvill | ☆ |
| | 2 nd - Amy Pickles | |
| | 3 rd - Connor Collett | |
| 6-8 years | 1 st - Caitlin Tweedle | |
| | 2 nd - Maxine Harper | |
| | 3 rd - Chloe Lavin | |
| 9-10 years | Joint 1 st - Rory Brampton | |
| | Joint 1 st - Kirsty Collings | |
| | 3 rd - Maughan Krivacska | |

WELL DONE & THANK YOU!

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

SCHOOLS SWIMMING GALA

The Annual Schools Swimming Gala will be held at the Carterton Leisure Centre on Monday 18th July 2005 starting at 10.00 a.m. All five Carterton primary schools will be taking part. Contact the Town Hall for further details.

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION POPPY APPEAL EVENT

The R.B.L. will again be holding a Poppy Appeal Fete on the Alvescot Road Recreation Ground on Monday 29th August 2005. Please contact Cllr. Mick Townsend if you would like to run a stall or can help in any way. Tel: 01993 213490.

'XTREME WHEELS' DAY

The Town Council will again be arranging a day of wheeled sports (skateboarding and BMX) on Saturday 20th August 2005 at the Skateboard Park in Upavon Way. The day will include exhibitions and competitions. Please call the Town Hall for further details.



CARTERTON FAST FORWARD

The Fast Forward Partnership is continuing to work on your behalf to redevelop the **town centre** to produce an attractive mix of shops and homes. We are committed to keeping the weekly market within the town. We also want to ensure that existing trees are kept where possible and that there are attractive open spaces for the market and other uses. We believe that these are the sort of things that you want to see in your town centre but we need you to let us know if we have got it right. **We will be holding an exhibition in the Town Hall between 2.30 and 8.00 pm on Thursday 28 July. Please come along and give us your views.**

We are also working to develop the new **community facility** which will be in the north-east part of the town. The District and Town Councils will soon be jointly appointing a consultant who will draw up the plans for the facility. Again we want you to be involved so please contact the Town Hall if you have views on the design of the building. We have a limited amount of money to spend on this but we want to make it a truly multi-purpose building which everyone can enjoy.

CARTERTON TOWN COUNCIL 2005/2006

Contact Details	Ward	Telephone No.
Councillor B. Crossland (Town Mayor) - 111 Burford Road, Carterton OX18 1AJ	Upavon	212654
Councillor P.L. Scott (Deputy Mayor) - 39 Alvescot Road, Carterton OX18 3JN	Upavon	842638
Councillor Mrs. D.V. Bulley - 53 Swinbrook Road, Carterton OX18 1DY	Shillbrook	842427
Councillor R.W.L. Crapper, 13 Corbett Road, Carterton, OX18 3LG	Milestone	843236
Councillor Mrs. M. Crossland - 111 Burford Road, Carterton, OX18 1AJ	Shillbrook	212654
Councillor L.H. Giles - 25 Corbett Road, Carterton OX18 3LG	Upavon	842736 / 842396
Councillor P.J. Handley - Westbourne, Pye Corner, Shilton, OX18 4AW	Shillbrook	842147
Councillor D. King - 2 Barley Crescent, Carterton, OX18 1FH	Rock farm	212380
Councillor Mrs. A. Madden - 33 The Crescent, Carterton OX18 3SQ	Milestone	843163
Councillor P. Madden - 33 The Crescent, Carterton OX18 3SQ	Milestone	843163
Councillor K.W. Stone, 7 Humphries Close, Carterton OX18 3HS	Upavon	841165
Councillor M.A. Townsend - 60 Richens Drive, Carterton, OX18 3XU	Rock farm	213490
Councillor N. Tully - 16 Bluebell Way, Carterton, OX18 1JY	Upavon	844488
Councillor Mrs. L. Walcott - 112 Queens Road, Carterton, OX18 3YF	Gateway	842156
Councillor W.O. Walcott - 112 Queens Road, Carterton, OX18 3YF	Gateway	842156
Councillor P.G. Wesson - 9 Brome Way, Carterton, OX18 1HS	Rock farm	840452

All Town Councillors serve in a voluntary capacity. Councillors are not paid and do not receive any allowances for attending meetings.

Town Hall Staff:

Town Clerk Janet Eustace
Deputy Clerk Margaret Tinner
Admin Assistant Tan Marchant

ANNUAL REPORT

The Council's Annual Report may be inspected at the Town Hall, at the Library, and on the Town Council website.

TOWN HALL HIRE



The Town Hall may be hired for functions and meetings at very reasonable cost.
Tel: 01993 842156.

SUMMER ACTIVITIES

Carterton Leisure Centre (Wycombe Leisure) & West Oxfordshire District Council are organising a range of activities over the summer, including:

- ◆ A cricket course at the Sports Pavilion 25-29 July.
- ◆ 'Socotots' on 25 August (2½-5 yrs) at the Carterton Leisure Centre.
- ◆ Tag Rugby at the Sports Pavilion 30 Aug-2 Sept.
- ◆ Sports Mobile Roadshow (7-14 yrs) at the Sports Pavilion 25-29 July.
- ◆ Swimming Lessons at the Carterton Leisure Centre 1-26 August.
- ◆ Skate & Climb project - from 29 June.
- ◆ Holiday Scheme 20 Jul-5 Sept at the Carterton Community College.

Telephone the Town Hall for further details - 842156.

WELCOME!

Are you new to Carterton? Do you need information about local services? If so, we'd be happy to send you a 'Welcome to Carterton' pack. Ring the Town Hall to order your copy.

Carterton Cinema



Did you know that there is now a cinema in Carterton? Films are shown twice a month on the second and fourth Thursday at Carterton Football Club. The film starts at 7.15 p.m. but the bar is open from 7.00 p.m. and during the interval. Recent films have included *The Aviator*, *Bridget Jones*, *Cold Mountain* and *Ladies in Lavender*. If you become a friend of the Cinema you will receive advance notice of the films to be shown and can have a say in future films. Contact the Town Hall for details. We are planning a children's film for the October half term. Further details will be in the next newsletter. Forthcoming films: **Wimbledon** on **14th July**, and **Oceans Twelve** on **28th July**. Price only £3.50. Please give your support.

NEW SHELTER FOR TEENAGERS

After consulting the youngsters, the Council has agreed to install a new teenage shelter at the Dell next to the Skateboard Park. We hope this will be in place for the summer holidays.

COUNCIL INFORMATION POINT

You will soon be seeing changes at the Town Hall as we develop our role as a central information point. We will soon be issuing travel tokens and offering a range of other new services.