

District Councillor May 2017



SSDC and Huish Leisure are in the process of providing our area, Area North, with an indoor swimming pool. We are the only area of SSDC without such an amenity but a successful Sport England bid combined with SSDC S106 funding has helped to secure this development.

The current outdoor pool should be open early next month and it has just been confirmed the usual autumn triathlon will now take place in the first weekend of July. Once the triathlon has been completed, the pool will then close and work will commence throughout the summer and winter of 2017.

As always, there is a shortfall in the funding and Huish Leisure have been holding fund raising events such as a pool parties and badminton-athons to help cover the remaining balance. Curry Rivel will benefit from this new development through our children attending school and our residents enjoying the leisure facilities. But they do need your help. If you would like to get involved in fundraising or the 'buy a brick scheme', please call the leisure centre on 01458 251055 or call in for a form.

We are all aware of the on-going issue of traffic concerns through our village. I cannot promise a quick fix to these issues but the Parish Council is looking into it and any comments you have would be greatly appreciated.

SSDC have recently given a £2,706 funding for access licence fees for the Westover, Langport to Muchelney cycleway. We are seeking opinions from residents and businesses about this popular recreational cycle route and the different ways in which it is enjoyed.

It would be of great help if you could please encourage participants to follow the web link to the survey below and complete it online:

<http://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/Cycleway/>

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