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#### MEETINGS AT THE TOWN HALL

**Monday 17 February** Civic Pride, Arts & Culture Committee

Monday 24 February Planning & Highways Committee

Monday 10 March Community Services Committee

Monday 17 March Annual Town Meeting

## MEET A COUNCILLOR

Every Saturday, 10am - 12pm on the Town Hall steps



### NOMINATE YOUR UNSUNG HERO FOR A NEWBURY TOWN CIVIC AWARD – APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN!



The Newbury Town Civic Awards have been launched for 2025!

The Newbury Town Civic Awards celebrate achievements, honours volunteers and recognises those who make a difference in our community. This year, Newbury Town Council will be celebrating nominees in five categories. These awards highlight the significant voluntary work carried out by countless individuals in various ways throughout the Town.

The Mayor of Newbury, Cllr Andy Moore, said, "I'm truly looking forward to the upcoming Civic Awards ceremony. It's a wonderful opportunity to recognize and express our gratitude for the creativity and compassion shown by our residents. It's always inspiring to hear about the dedication and hard work our community volunteers put into various projects that make a positive impact on our town."

This year's categories are:

- NEWBURY CIVIC AWARD 2025
- NEWBURY TOWN BUSINESS CIVIC AWARD 2025
- NEWBURY YOUNG PERSONS CIVIC AWARD 2025
- NEWBURY TOWN ENVIRONMENTAL CONTRIBUTION AWARD 2025
- NEWBURY TOWN LOCAL COMMUNITY GROUP CIVIC AWARD 2025

Nomination forms are available for collection from Newbury Town Hall, can be completed online or printed off from the Newbury Town Council website, simply scan the QR code at the top of this page. Paper copies of the forms are also available to collect from the Town Hall or can be posted on request.

# VICTORIA PARK COMMUNITY CAFÉ - PLANNING APPLICATION SUBMITTED

The Planning Application for the Victoria Park Community Café has been submitted to West Berkshire Council and is available to view through their <u>website</u> (www.westberks.gov.uk) application number: 24/02510/FUL.

The design will repurpose the existing sports pavilion and kiosk, making it more suitable for everyone, including those with health conditions or impairments. Key features will include:

Accessible entryways A changing places facility Baby changing facilities Male and female toilets for comfort Full-height glazed bi-fold doors that open the building to the surrounding park, offering views of the play area and nature.

