



Oundle Town Council

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OTC buildings

The new online calendars for OTC rooms and building bookings are live – they allow you to check room and hall availability quickly from the OTC website (Oundle.gov.uk) OR loveOundle.org, speeding up the process of booking.

QUEEN VICTORIA HALL

September 2021

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
			Private Booking 16.15-19.30pm	Yoga 7.30-8.30am	VicsGigs 14.00-Midnight	
	Yoga 18.00-19.00pm Private Booking 19.30-21.00pm		U3A Line Dancing 11.00-12.00pm Private Booking 14.00-15.30pm Private Booking 16.15-19.30pm	Yoga 7.30-8.30am	Craft Fair in aid of Save the Children 8.30-15.30pm	
U3A Monthly Meeting 13.30-16.30pm Auditions - Nice N Easy Events 18.00-20.00pm	Yoga 18.00-19.00pm Private Booking 19.30-21.00pm		Private Booking 14.00-15.30pm Private Booking 16.15-19.30pm	Private Booking 19.00-21.30pm		Private Booking 9.30-11.30am Private Booking 14.30-17.00pm
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Alongside this, we will keep an eye on flexing the capacity of all our buildings from their current 50% limit towards their normal capacity – of course, mitigating risk and keeping residents and users safe are our foremost concerns.

OTC Transport Survey

Huge thanks to all those residents who submitted their thoughts on transport in Oundle. We can't promise we'll solve things, and we plan now to gather data to help set our strategy over the next few months - knowing what people think the issues are helps us focus our efforts, especially when talking to NNC Highways who are responsible for most of the issues. We hope to be able to reveal all the findings in time for/at the **Annual Town Meeting on April 28th 2022**, or earlier.

Mark the date in your diary!



Policing in Oundle

At a recent JAG (Joint Action Group) meeting, Northants Police confirmed Oundle's new Constable (whose name and email address will be published soon) which is great news. Further to this, Northants Police's recent "local priorities" survey confirmed a healthy 527 responses from East Northants residents, asking for two local focuses -

- a. Road Safety and Traffic Matters.
- b. Drug Dealing and Misuse

Two key reminders from Northants Police for all of us as residents to be aware of –

1. The traffic data helps put concerns about speeding into context - most people stick to the limits, most of the time. Recently, Northants Police "speed

gunned” 85 cars in the Oundle area but only 2 speed warning letters were needed. An estimate of about 3% of drivers speeding is supported by conversations with Highways. However, we’re all concerned about speeding in and around Oundle, so it’s beholdant on all of us please to make sure we are never part of that small group of speeders.

2. The police rely on intelligence in order to deal with crime, so we need to keep them informed. If you see suspicious activity or think that there might be some drug dealing/taking going on near where you live, please report it to the Police via 101 or even 999.

loveOundle car and window stickers

We revamped the old Oundle.info website as loveOundle.org partly to grow visits to the town, and now need to spread the word far and wide.

Can you help?

Grab a loveOundle car sticker, and as you drive around, you’ll be making people aware of it – and we’re sure that once they look, it will draw them to visit us. Help our independent traders and businesses and those who have kept Oundle running during covid – grab a loveOundle sticker from the OTC offices, the Mayor Ian Clark (sitting on a bench somewhere – time and place to be confirmed!) or Oundle Business Association members (e.g. Amps, Coffee Tavern, Just Lets).

