

Trimley St Mary Parish Council



Welcome to the Trimley St Mary Parish Council news August
2024

Trimley St Mary Population **3,830**

Walking Maps: In 2023 we installed 3 Map boards at the Welcome Hall, the school and Searsons farm. They show 9 walking maps around the village. WALKS IN TRIMLEY ST MARY AND GAZETTEER can be found on our website. These walks have been prepared by David and Alison Vickers to whom thanks go for the huge amount of work which this has entailed. To add interest to your walks, there is also a gazetteer with background information on points of interest, and a set of nature notes which focuses on the nature and bird life you might be lucky enough to see on your walks. Gazetteer The gazetteer provides lots of fascinating information on places of interest in the local area. Thanks go to Jane Banning (former Trimley St. Mary Recorder) and [Liz Rastrick](#) (Trimley St. Martin Recorder), for all their work in producing this for the benefit of the community. Nature Notes these were kindly provided by Trimley resident, Robin Biddle. Robin spent much of his childhood living in Trimley St. Mary and

has a huge amount of knowledge of the natural world around us and his notes offer a wonderful picture of the variety our villages have to offer. <https://www.trimleystmary-pc.gov.uk/Walks>

Drinking water tap: To help reduce single use water bottles we have installed a public drinking water bottle filling tap at the Welcome Hall for all to use. The tap is situated down the left hand side. There's a doggy bowl there too.

School PTA: We were pleased to give a donation of £300 towards the school fete. We are working closely with the teachers to help fund some outdoor learning. This year representatives from the school are with us on Armistice day to remember the fallen. And the children will sing at the Christmas light switch on.

Quiz: Save the date October 26th at the Welcome hall for the Christmas light switch on fundraising quiz, more details to follow next month.

Trimley villages peace sign: The sign which has been in the grounds of Reeve lodge since 1995 was recently damaged in the high winds. We have been working closely with St Martin to update the sign and this is now in place. The picture is from local photographer Nick Murrel. Thanks also go to Tristan Gale, Lablecraft, Jacobs Blacksmiths, Jan from Reeve lodge and Lynn for all their help.

Welcome Hall: Monday slots in the main hall are available for regular hirers. The small meeting room has been completed and is available for hire. If you would like to look around the small meeting room please email lynn.beal@trimleystmary-pc.gov.uk for bookings please contact the booking clerk 07824 309712 thewelcomehallbookings@gmail.com

Meetings: 1st Monday of the month at 7.30pm in the Welcome Hall, members of the public always welcome. The Agenda is available a few days before and can be found on our Facebook page, the website and the noticeboards.

No meeting in August

Clerk Nicky Dunn: 07795 824733

clerk@trimleystmary-pc.gov.uk

www.facebook.com/trimleystmaryparishcouncil

www.trimleystmary-pc.gov.uk/