


# SOMERTON VIADUCT

A hand from the top right holds a glowing red heart, which is positioned over an open palm from the bottom left. The background is a bright, hazy sun, creating a warm, golden glow and a lens flare effect on the heart.

FEBRUARY 2025

# Town Council

## Welcome,

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Welcome to your February 2025 edition of the Somerton Viaduct

During January. The council set the final budget and precept for 2025/26, we had our second internal audit of the financial year 2024/25, ordered new blinds for the upper floor at Edgar Hall, set dates for the council surgeries in the Library and set the dates for the 2025/26 council meetings.

The precept was set, ensuring a **zero percent increase** from the Town Council. We were aware that other bodies are significantly increasing their demand on the public purse and we did not want to further impact on your finances. Please refer to **page 5** for more information on the budget and precept.

Monday 27th January **Edgar Hall** was opened as an **emergency centre** due to severe adverse weather conditions. We hosted Somerset Councils Emergency Team and 71 members of the public along with 10 dogs, who were evacuated from Charlton Adam at 2am in the morning due to flooding. Donations came in thick and fast once the word was out and we thank all those who supported the community in need. Well done everyone! A wonderful team and community effort.

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# Town Council

Council Meetings	Date	Time
Full Council (Planning if required at 18:30)	11th February 2025	19:00
Land and Properties (Planning if required 18:30)	25th February 2025	19:00

## All Council Meetings are held at Edgar Hall

Agendas are advertised on the Town Council noticeboard opposite Burns the Bread in Cox's Yard car park and on the Council's website [www.somertontowncouncil.gov.uk](http://www.somertontowncouncil.gov.uk) located under minutes and agendas.

**Council Surgeries - commenced in the Library on Monday 20th January 2025** between 9.00 - 12.00 and will be hosted every 3rd Monday of the month (not on Easter Monday 21st April 2025) we hosted 7 visitors on this first session and were able to offer support and guidance to those who came to join us. We welcome you to visit on the dates below.

<div>  <div> <b>SOMERTON TOWN COUNCIL</b>  <b>Council Surgeries - Library</b> </div> </div>												
2025	January 2025	February 2025	March 2025	April 2025	May 2025	June 2025	July 2025	August 2025	September 2025	October 2025	November 2025	December 2025
Council Surgery Library 9.00 - 12.00	Monday	Monday	Monday		Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday
	20th	17th	17th		19th	16th	21st	18th	15th	20th	17th	15th
2026	January 2026	February 2026	March 2026	April 2026	May 2026	June 2026	July 2026	August 2026	September 2026	October 2026	November 2026	December 2026
Council Surgery Library 9.00 - 12.00	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday	Monday
	19th	16th	16th	20th	18th	15th	20th	17th	21st	19th	16th	21st


Various topics were discussed during the morning session, warm hubs, the town emergency plan, buses, road closures, slippery pavements and vital services in Somerton for the surrounding local villages.

**Council meetings - dates set for financial year 2025/26** please see page for the meeting dates set for 2025/26.

Full council meetings are held once per month at 7pm, with planning meetings held before at 6.30pm if necessary, committee meetings and annual assembly are detailed on following page.

# Town Council

The Annual Parish Assembly are meetings which the parish and Town councils are legally obligated to hold. Inviting and welcoming our residents/electors in the parish. Somerton Town Council invite you all to attend! Come and see how your Town is being managed by your elected councillors, listen to how your local volunteer groups are getting on, and find out who the community have voted for through the Community Awards.

SOMERTON TOWN COUNCIL													
MEETING SCHEDULE 2025/26												Town Council <small>working with the community</small>	
	May 2025	June 2025	July 2025	August 2025	September 2025	October 2025	November 2025	December 2025	January 2026	February 2026	March 2026	April 2026	May 2026
Full Council	Tuesday 13th	Tuesday 10th	Tuesday 8th	Tuesday 29th	Tuesday 9th	Tuesday 7th	Tuesday 11th	Tuesday 13th	Tuesday 10th	Tuesday 10th	Tuesday 14th	Tuesday 14th	Tuesday 12th
Edgar Hall 7.00pm													
Services and Infrastructure	Tuesday 27th		Tuesday 29th			Tuesday 28th			Tuesday 27th		Tuesday 24th		
Edgar Hall 7.00pm													
Land and Properties		Tuesday 24th			Tuesday 23rd		Tuesday 25th		Tuesday 20th	Tuesday 24th		Tuesday 28th	
Edgar Hall 7.00pm													
Promotion & Communication	Tuesday 20th		Tuesday 15th		Tuesday 16th		Tuesday 18th		Tuesday 17th				Tuesday 19th
Edgar Hall 7.00pm													
Planning (if required)	Tuesday 13th & 27th	Tuesday 10th & 24th	Tuesday 8th & 29th	Tuesday 12th & 26th	Tuesday 9th & 23rd	Tuesday 7th & 28th	Tuesday 11th & 25th	Tuesday 9th	Tuesday 13th & 27th	Tuesday 10th & 24th	Tuesday 10th & 24th	Tuesday 14th & 28th	
Edgar Hall 6.30pm													
Other Meetings	Annual Town Assembly Friday 16th	Finance tba			Finance tba		Finance tba		Finance tba				Annual Town Assembly Friday 15th
All public meetings start at 7.00pm (apart from Planning 6:30 pm, and Finance Committee which may be held during the day) and all members of the public and press are welcome.													
There is an opportunity on the agenda at the start of each meeting for public comment/questions during Electors Question Time													

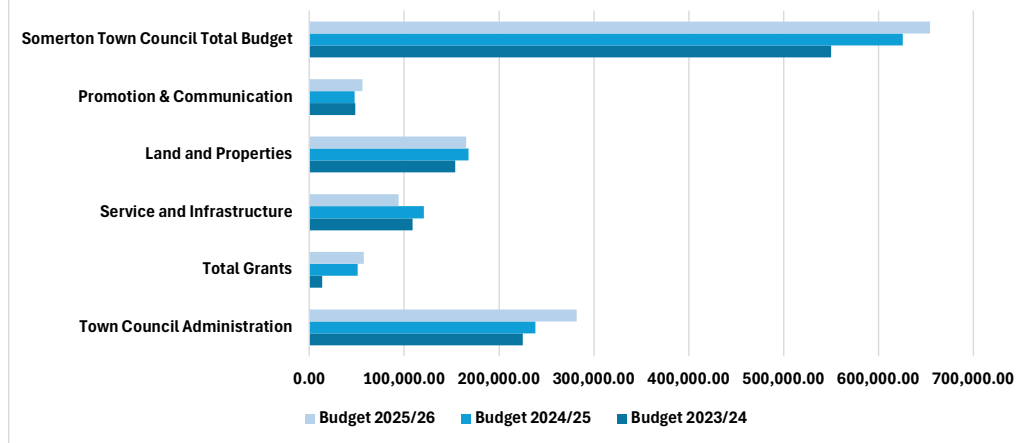
# Town Council

## Budget and Precept by Committee 2023/24 to 2025/26

The budget and precept have been set and the demand made to Somerset Council to collect through your council tax. The Town Council made the decision and resolution to ensure that they do not increase your Precept from 2024/25 to 2025/26, so to ensure this and after the tax base calculation a reserve release of £14,048.00 has been used to offset the increase in the budget for 2025/26, thus ensuring a zero percent increase.

Summary	Budget 2023/24	Budget 2024/25	Budget 2025/26
Town Council Administration	225,007.00	238,342.00	281,812.00
Total Grants	13,500.00	51,050.00	57,400.00
Service and Infrastructure	109,000.00	120,700.00	94,000.00
Land and Properties	153,820.00	167,960.00	165,120.00
Promotion & Communication	48,575.00	47,540.00	55,916.00
<b>Somerton Town Council Total Budget</b>	<b>549,902.00</b>	<b>625,592.00</b>	<b>654,248.00</b>

Somerton Town Council Budget



## Project and Objectives for 2025/26

Contracts and Tenders for Town Maintenance, Verge and Hedge Cutting, Play Areas, Cemetery management, public toilets and Edgar Hall. Use of CIL funds for agreed projects (Replacement Stage Lighting and new doors at Edgar Hall (Kitchen access and Chair Store). Edgar Hall Emergency plan. Town Emergency plan, including flooding. Somerton Town Council Strategic plan. Replacement of play equipment, Gasson Lane and Etsome Terrace. Community food bank / larder initial investigation into viability.

# About Town

## **Fundraising for McMillan Cancer Relief**

Friday 21st February 12 noon outside COBBS

Lynne Vincent will be having her head shaved for McMillan Cancer Relief in memory of Michael Vincent, Bill Fletcher and Beverley Squire. Please leave donations at Cobbs.

## **Wessex Country Market**

**Support Handmade and Local!**

Having been told they can no longer use the Unicorn Skittle Alley, the Country Market have moved to the West Street Chapel School Room (for the time being) and will be open from 9.00 until noon, on Saturday's.

## **Somerton Cary Community Shed**

Wild Meadow Farm, Park Lane, Somerton.

Come and see what we do and get a warm welcome and a cuppa!

For access please call Gary on 07734 705995, Peter 07880 591390 or Mo 07718 920198.

Open Mondays and Wednesdays 10 am - 1 pm;  
and some Saturdays - Please call to check dates.

Please note the Slinky Bus will take you to the door.

## **Bell Ringing at St. Michael's Church**

Low on numbers since covid the Bell Ringers are seeking new ringers.

When - Fridays 19:30 until 21:00

Where - Bell Ringing at St. Michael's Church

Contact - Bill Hall 07946 507866, E: [williaml.hall@btinternet.com](mailto:williaml.hall@btinternet.com)

## **Laburnum Drive Committee**

At our AGM we enjoyed planning for the year ahead. Our normal programme stays the same, prices too (hoping not to increase as the year goes on). In our Hall, all Events and Coach Trips have forms to enter your name, for inclusion. Numbers allowed in hall are governed by Fire Regulations. We book the Executive Coach for trips and the first trip is on 12th March 2025 (Fish & Chips) to Shepton Mallet, 11.15am departure.

Looking forward to good times in 2025, please join us!

# About Town

## Somerton & District Bowls Club

Located on the Sports Club on Gassons Lane. Somerton. We play outdoor lawn bowls from April to September and welcome anyone who would like to try the sport. During the winter season we hold a Coffee Morning on the 1st Saturday of each month and a Whist Drive each Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 p.m. During the summer season we have access to the green for club practice and matches, both home and at other clubs. Please contact Ann Kelly on 01458 98971 for information about the Winter activities and Peter Jones on 01458 224212 on Summer events and matches.”

## Somerton u3a

Somerton u3a is a thriving organisation with over 400 members and 50 interest groups. Monthly coffee morning meetings are held in the Edgar Hall on the fourth Friday of the month at 10.00 am. After refreshments there is an invited speaker and a wide range of topics are covered. Visitors are always welcome at our meetings for a small charge of £2 so please come along and see who we are and what we are about. If you are visiting for the first time then please just make yourself known to one of our committee members or ‘Welcomers’ who will be happy to tell you a little bit about us and help you feel at home. Our next meeting is on 28th February, when the speaker will be Ben Pulletz. Ben is a local, very talented young photographer, specialising in wildlife. He has exhibited his work on several occasions at No1 West Street, Somerton - most recently in November 2024. For further details contact Secretary Annette Sparks on 01458 258947.

## Somerton Gardeners Club

The Somerton Gardeners Club AGM was delayed due to a bad weather forecast. The AGM will now be held prior to our next meeting on 12th February. The AGM and meeting will be held at St Cleers Chapel at 7.30 pm. This will be followed by a talk by Mike Leech our chairman, on the trials and tribulations of setting up a show garden. Mike will talk us through his recent exhibition at Tatton Park.

Come and join us to find out about our planned events for 2025. Visitors are very welcome. No green fingers are required!

For further details please contact Annette Sparks Secretary on 01458 258947.

## Viaduct Bagging

Would you like to **join our team of volunteers** who deliver the Viaduct each month?

We are looking for willing volunteers who might be able to step in when cover is required e.g. due to holiday or illness.

Please contact Steph 01458 272236 or email [deputy.clerk@somertontowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:deputy.clerk@somertontowncouncil.gov.uk) for further information.

# About Town

## **Archies Xtra - Volunteers Needed!**

Archie's are seeking volunteers to help out on a Thursday night between 7.30pm and 9pm. Can you give one evening a month? More if you're able. We require 4 volunteers each week and have a youth worker supporting the team of volunteers.

Based at the Somerton Recreation Ground, working outside. We do have a fire for the colder winter months! We meet by the multi games area and have access to this area from 8-9pm for the young people to use.

Our trailer provides a hub for serving hot drinks and cakes / biscuits to our young people who are aged between 11 – 18 years, which are free with cakes provided by the Coop. Archies Xtra's aim is to be a listening ear to those who come along, and to offer encouragement and support. None of our volunteers work alone and we offer some training around safeguarding and complete a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check for all our volunteers.

We have been going for 10 years, but if we cannot get more volunteers then we might need to stop, which would be a terrible shame for our young people.

We have seen many young people over the years and it is always great when previous young people come back to say hello. Please call Judith on 01458 273079 or Alex on 07769 734500 if you would like to hear more about us or for further information or even just a chat about the project.

## **Somerton History Society**

**Come and give your brain a gentle workout at the Somerton History Society history quiz at the Parish Room on 27th February. Doors open at 7.00pm for a 7.30 pm start. Members are free (but are reminded that annual subscriptions are due), and guests are very welcome at £4 per person. For more information contact [j.banbury@mypostoffice.co.uk](mailto:j.banbury@mypostoffice.co.uk).**

## **Friendship Club**

We meet on 13th February at The Sports Club at 10.30 am until noon, and every second Thursday each month.

Come in by the patio doors facing the field. Only £1.00 and tea/coffee biscuits, draw ticket and bingo included.

You can expect a very warm welcome by friendly faces. Want to get our and make new friends? Come along make new friends and find out more about who we are. Please contact Mo Fletcher for more information by calling 07718 920198



# About Town



Join our team as a  
**Rainbows leader**  
in Somerton



- Would you like to volunteer with girls age 4-7, keeping them safe while running our fun, adventurous programme?
- We meet on Mondays
- We'll provide full training and support from our local team.
- We're an inclusive organisation, and have roles open to everyone.



Join our team as a  
**Brownies leader**  
in Somerton



- Would you like to volunteer with girls age 7-10, keeping them safe while running our fun, adventurous programme?
- We meet on Monday evenings
- We'll provide full training and support from our local team.
- We're an inclusive organisation, and have roles open to everyone.

## Somerton Brownies

**We are a large pack and need more helpers.**

Can you spare a few hours a week? The brownies meet weekly on a Monday from 5.30pm - 7.00 pm at the Parish Rooms.

Come and join the fun and make new friends with the team. Contact Brown Owl on 07876 705007

## Somerton Community Association (SCA)

SCA, founded in 1997, the association has funded many projects for the benefit of the community through funds received through landfill tax. In 2024 the following projects were undertaken:-

Chairs & tables for AceArts to make their exhibition space more comfortable for visitors (their Red Dress exhibition attracted over 12,000 visitors!)

Lighting improvement on the MUGA at the recreation ground for wider use, particularly in winter

Ceiling fans in the library for better temperature control

CCTV for the library which has already proved useful

Replacement of the rotting floor in the Pinney Room at the Parish Rooms

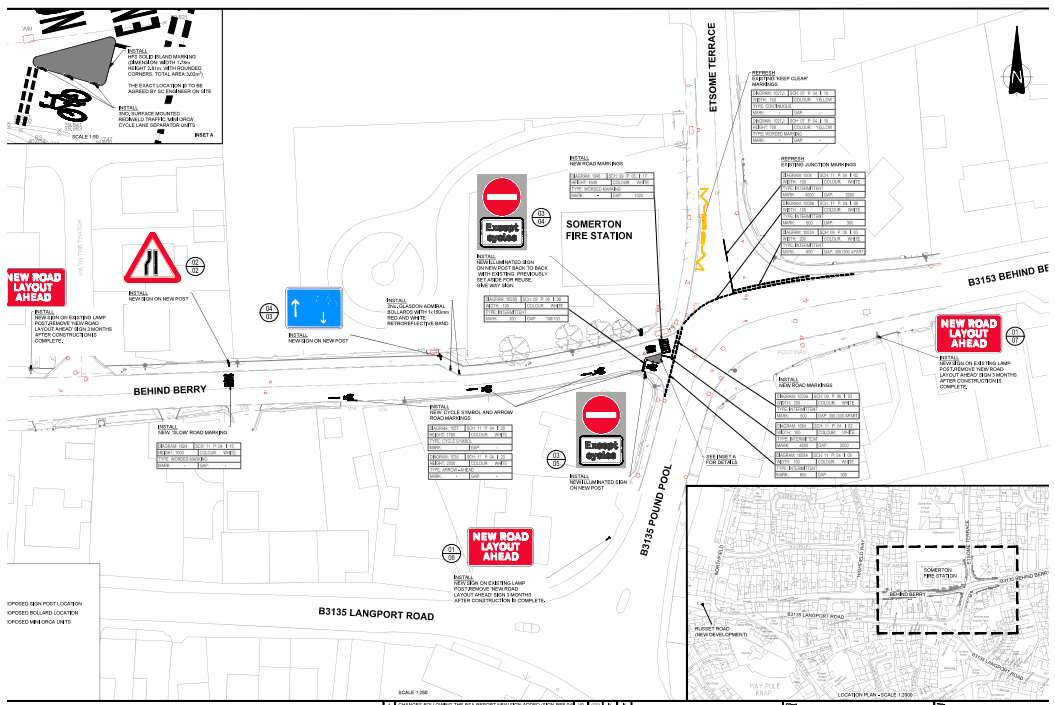
It is also noteworthy that most of the project work was carried out by local companies/tradesmen, so that's an additional bonus.

None of these projects could have been carried out without receipt of the landfill tax (landfill tax which is injected back into the community at a charge of as much as £100/tonne). In 2024, the landfill tax reclaimed was a whopping £27,391!

## Somerton Library

The Library would like to highlight that two services are being offered to our community. **Blood pressure monitors** - can be borrowed for 2 weeks by any adult library member. **Digital drop-in sessions** every Thursday. If you've recently got a new piece of digital technology (or even not so new) and would like receive help getting to grips with the basics, come along and join us on a Thursday.

Details of these and other activities sponsored by the library can be found at: [www.somertonlibrary.com](http://www.somertonlibrary.com)



**Somerset Council Public Consultation.**

Somerset Council would like to hear your thoughts on the Behind Berry - No Entry proposal. Please email. [ISDelivery@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:ISDelivery@somerset.gov.uk) with your thoughts.

# Have your say....

## Strictly Jive at Edgar Hall

Many factors make us healthy and happy. Healthy food (with the odd special treat) Exercise and Social Interaction. At Edgar Hall we host many groups and classes which you can attend for exercise (kick-boxing and pilates), dancing and for social interaction.

Strictly Jive are one of the groups you can attend for social interaction and for dancing of course.

Strictly Jive been existence for 15 years and have been teaching modern jive moves at the Edgar Hall since February 2017. They have fun and have a very social group of dancers. It's so good to meet new people and share a hobby!

Strictly Jive have also fund-raised over the years, buying two guide dogs, raising money for "Somerstock", the Defibrillator at the Edgar Hall, The Beacon Centre in Taunton, the Moon Bears, the Ukrainian appeal and lots of other worthwhile charities.

### So what is the appeal with modern jive?

Fun and friendly, there is no 'strictness' in the lessons and everyone can learn at their own pace, moving around with different partners, so getting the chance to dance with more experienced dancers makes learning much easier. The main thing about modern jive lessons is that they are casual, and it does not matter if you do not have the right steps or your technique is not perfect. You are not participating to win medals but to enjoy yourself. No one is watching you make mistakes, they are all too busy making their own!

There is no better way to put the 'wow factor' into the bleak winter months!

Dancing has been shown to reduce depression, anxiety, stress, boost self-esteem, and body image. It is a good form of aerobic exercise, which is good for your heart in general with the benefits lasting over time as dancing gets your heart rate up.

If you don't fancy Modern Jive, why not try something else, there are so many different types of classes, find a style that suits you in terms of intensity (high-or low-impact, fast or slow), difficulty level, type of music you like, and whether you prefer to dance with or without a partner.

Strictly Jive hold classes every Thursday night at the Edgar Hall in Somerton. All are very welcome! It's great fun, very friendly, easy to do, has amazing music and is a brilliant exercise.

Please visit [www.strictlyjive.com](http://www.strictlyjive.com), see our Facebook page Strictly Jive, email: [roywarry42@gmail.com](mailto:roywarry42@gmail.com) or call 07811 018284.

# Spotlight



## Discover Somerton

**Do you own a business in the TA11 postcode area?**

Claim your **FREE listing\*** in our online directory of shops, eateries, services, things to see & do and where to stay.

Just go to **DiscoverSomerton.co.uk** > Add Business and enter your details. We'll verify, publish and you'll be listed alongside a whole host of other fantastic independent businesses in Somerton.



**DiscoverSomerton.co.uk is the only website dedicated to promoting Somerton as a destination for visitors!**

Discover Somerton is an exciting new initiative to promote and celebrate our historic Somerset market town, home to a host of unique independent businesses, shops and eateries. Discover Somerton was formed in 2024 by a group of Somerton's independent small business owners and is run exclusively by volunteers. We're passionate about our town and want to see independent shops and businesses thrive.

## Follow us on Facebook and Instagram

Just search for 'Discover Somerton'. Tag #DiscoverSomerton

Email us: **hello@discoversomerton.co.uk**

\* Listings are free in our launch period up to and including April 5th 2025. After that date there will be a charge with all profits used to fund projects to benefit the community.

Discover Somerton is a not-for-profit Community Interest Company (CIC), No. 15909889

# Events and Clubs February 2025

If you would like your event to be included in the March 2025 edition, please contact [viaduct@somertontowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:viaduct@somertontowncouncil.gov.uk) by 10th February 2025

When	Who and Where	Contact
Sunday	Life Church at Edgar Hall. 10:30 to 12:00 Conrad Lucas 07891 665938	E:conrad@lifechurchsomerton.co.uk / admin@lifechurchsomerton.co.uk.
	Somerton Saxons U6-U8 Rugby, Gassons Lane-Eirian Williams Memorial Pitch.	Dan Dury - 07970 770946 meet 9:30-11:00
	St Michael's Church Service 11:00	Parish Assistant 01458 273499 or 07483 137623, somerton.benefice@gmail.com
	Girls Cluster Rugby U12+.	Dan Dury - 07970 770946 Keiron Wilce 07419 995866
	St. Cleers Chapel, Polham Lane at 10:30	Justyn Maynard 07977 753637 juma321@aol.com
Monday	Somerton Town Council 'Surgery' Working with the Community. <b>Third Monday only</b>	Lydia Mason 01458 272236 town.clerk@somertontowncouncil.gov.uk mo.fletcher@somertontowncouncil.gov.uk
	Tot's Life at Edgar Hall 9:30 - 11:00	Kerryanne Lucas - 07715 926923 E: kerryanne.lucas@btinternet.com
	Somerton Cary Community Shed 9:30-13:00, Wild Meadow Farm, TA11 6JA	Mo Fletcher 07718 920198/Bill 07717 626568/Gary 07734 705995
	Yoga Classes in the Parish Rooms. 11:30 - 12:30	Sue Knight 07854 641950 E: ittssue@mail.com
	Somerton Brownies Parish Rooms 17.30-19.00	Brown Owl 07876 705007
	Cubs Ages 8 – 10.5 years. 18:00 – 19:30	Somerton Scout Hall
	Pilates - Inhale to Prepare at Edgar Hall. 18:00 to 19:00	Gill Hampson 07526 534889 E: gillhampson6@gmail.com
Tuesday	Gentle Pilates with Age UK Somerset in the Parish Rooms, 10:30 to 11:30	Age UK Somerset 01823 345624 E: ageingwell@ageuksomerset.org.uk
	Gentle exercise class to music, 11:30-12:30, Parish Rooms	Charlotte on 07764 301304 or charlotte19313@gmail.com
	Women's Institute (WI) in the Parish Rooms. 14:30 - <b>Third Tuesday</b>	Sue Long and 01458 274038 and Ray Loveall 01458 272095
	Squirrels Ages 4-6 years. 16:30 – 17:30 Somerton Scout Hall	Fiona E: info@somertonscoutgroup.org.uk
	<b>Somerton &amp; District Bowls Club, Sports Ground, Gassons Lane. 17:45</b>	Peter Jones 01458 224212 W: somertonbowlsclub.co.uk

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When	Who and Where	Contact
Tuesday Cont...	<b>Somerton Runners at the Recreational Ground,hardstanding. 18:00</b>	Keith Brackstone - 07999 511366 E: coachkeith53@gmail.com
	Somerset Kickboxing Academy 18.30 -19.30	Leon 07717 172158 E: someretkickboxingacademy@hotmail.co.uk
	Somerton Town Football Club at the Recreation Ground/Huish School 18.30	Jason Burton-Tuttielt 07825 180506 E: jasonb52s@yahoo.com
	Somerton Town Council. <b>Please refer to meeting schedule on page 4, Council meetings do not take place every week.</b>	Lydia Mason 01458 272236 E: town.clerk@somertontowncouncil.gov.uk W: somertontowncouncil.gov.uk
	<b>Men's over 18s Rugby Club Gassons Lane.</b> Elrian Williams Memorial Pitch. 19:00	Gary Saunders 07870 861731
	Scouts Ages 10.5 to 14 years - 19:00 - 20:30	Somerton Scout Hall
	<b>Mid Wessex Singers at West Street Church Hall. 19:00 to 21:00</b>	Sheena Smith 07768 704833 E: info@midwessexsingers.co.uk
Wednesday	Meditation & Mindfulness at the Parish Rooms. 9:25 to 10:30	07803 497496 E: brotherytonen@gmail.com
	Somerton Cary Community Shed - Wild Meadow Farm, TA11 6JA 9:30 - 13:00	Mo Fletcher 07718 920198/Bill 07717 626568/Gary 07734 705995
	St Michael's Church Service 10:00	Parish Assistant E: somerton.benefice@gmail.com
	Create and Connect at ACEarts 10:30 to 12:20	Nina Gronw-Lewis 01458 273008 hello@acearts.co.uk
	Knit and Natter 10:30 to 12:00	Somerton Library Somertonlibrary.com/activities
	Somerton Probus Club at the Sports Club. 11:30 - <b>Last Wednesday</b>	Barrie Davies 07811 770061 E: barrie.davies@btinternet.com
	Beavers Ages 6-8 years 17:00 to 18:15 Somerton Scout Hall	Fiona E: info@somertonscoutgroup.org.uk
	Somerton District Bowls Club, Sports Club Gassons Lane 13.30	Ann Kelly 01458 898971
	"Stepping Stones"Bereavement Group, 10.30 St Cleers Chapel- <b>Third Wednesday</b>	Denise Peacock 07702 317031 Free of charge.
	Somerton Group of Artists at the Parish Rooms. 19:30 <b>Second Wednesday</b>	Mandy McAllen E: mandymcallen1@gmail.com Free to members, £5 visitors
	Somerton Gardeners Club 19.30 at St Cleers Chapel <b>Second Wednesday</b>	Annette Sparks 01458 258947 somertongc.com £3 for visitors
	Somerton Saxons Rugby Club, <b>Gassons Lane,</b> Eirian Williams Memorial Pitch. 19:00-20:30	Dan Dury 07970 770946 Julia Holland 07934 641544 U9s (yr 4),U10s (yr 5), U11s (yr 6)



# Events and Clubs February 2025

When	Who and Where	Contact
Thursday	Strong and Steady with Age UK, Parish Rooms	Age UK- Self-referral: 01823 345614 fallsprevention@ageuksomerset.org.uk
	Drawing for all at ACEarts 10:30 - 12:30	Nina Gromw-Lewis 01458 273008 E: hello@acearts.co.uk
	Story Time from 10:30 to 11:00	Somerton Library Somertonlibrary.com/activities
	Somerton Tai Chi 10:30 to 11.30 - West Street Church Hall	Jacqui 01458 270258
	Friendship Club at the Sports Club. 10:30 - <b>Second Thursday</b>	Mo Fletcher 01458 274631 E: fletcher080@btinternet.com
	<b>Health Walks Somerton Library 11:30 - First and Third Thursday</b>	Mo Fletcher 01458 274631 E: fletcher080@btinternet.com
	Fibromyalgia & Chronic Pain Support Group 12:15-13:15, The Globe - Fortnightly	Ask The Globe staff for 'Tracy' upon arrival.
	Girls Rugby Club (10-16 yrs) at <b>Gassons Lane</b> - 18:00 to 19:30	E: crc@somertonrfc.co.uk
	Pilates - Inhale to Prepare at Edgar Hall. 18:00 to 19:00 - Advanced group	Gill Hampson 07526 534889 E: gillhampson6@gmail.com
	Wessex Junior Youth Club at the Wessex Rooms. 18:00 to 19:30	Clive and Sara Dyer 01458 273655 or 07970180608 E: sarad53@hotmail.com
	Rotary Club of Langport & Somerton 18:30 The Langport Arms	Clive Sills 01458 893637 csills@whsmithnet.co.uk
	Somerton Bridge Club at West Street Church. 19:00	Joan Davies & Jim Dawon 01458 272418 & 251228
	Rugby Club - Men's over 18s at <b>Gassons Lane</b> - 19:00	Gary Saunders 07870 861731
	<b>Archies Xtra (11-18 yrs) 19.30 - 21.00 Sports Ground beside MUGA</b>	Alex and Judith 01458 272047 / 01458 273079
	History Society at the Parish Rooms. 19:30 - <b>Fourth Thursday</b>	Joan Banbury E: j.banbury@mypostoffice.co.uk
	Strictly Jive - Edgar Hall 19:45 beginners /21:00 improvers and intermediates	Roy Warry 07811018284 roywarry42@gmail.com
Friday	U3A Members – Edgar Hall 10:00-12:00 <b>Fourth Friday</b>	Annette Sparks on 01458 258947
	In Stitches at ACEarts. 10:30 - 12:30	Nina Gromw-Lewis 01458 273008 E: hello@acearts.co.uk W: acearts.co.uk

# Events and Clubs February 2025

When	Who and Where	Contact
Friday Cont..	“Bump to 5”Mum’s to Be, Preschoolers Group & parents/guardians 9.30 at St Cleers Chapel.	Lin Sambell 07548 159626 Free of charge.
	<b>Somerton and District Bowls Club at Sports Ground, Gassons Lane. 14:00</b>	Peter Jones 01458 224212 W: somertonbowlsclub.co.uk
	Bell Ringings at St. Michael’s Church 19.30 - 21.00	Bill Hall 07946 507866 E: williaml.hall@btinternet.com
	Strictly Jive at Edgar Hall 19:45 to 00:30 - <b>First Friday</b>	Roy Wary 0781101828 E: roywary42@gmail.com. FaceBook - Strictly Jive
Saturday	<b>The Langport Cycle Club 9:00 The Bridge Cafe in Langport</b>	07775 670546 E: tvb@btinternet.com W: langportcycleclub.com
	Wessex Country Market 9:00 to 12:00 West Street Chapel School Room	Christine Ward, 07971079391, E: christineward747@hotmail.com
	<b>Men’s Breakfast with speaker 8:30 at St Cleers - Third Saturday (Donation based)</b>	Keith Richardson 07923 530052 Richard Hatt hatrichrd87@gmail.com
	St Michael’s Monthly Coffee Morning 10:00 to 12:00	Parish Assistant please email somerton.benefice@gmail.com
	Board Games including Chess 10:00 - 12:00	Somerton Library Somertonlibrary.com/activities
	<b>Lego Challenge 10:30 - 12:00 - First Saturday</b>	Somerton Library Somertonlibrary.com/activities
Everyday	<b>Somerton Town Youth Football Club, Recreation Ground, Huish 3G and Yeovilton 3G</b>	Justin Davies info@somertontownnyfc.com, www.somertontownnyfc.com

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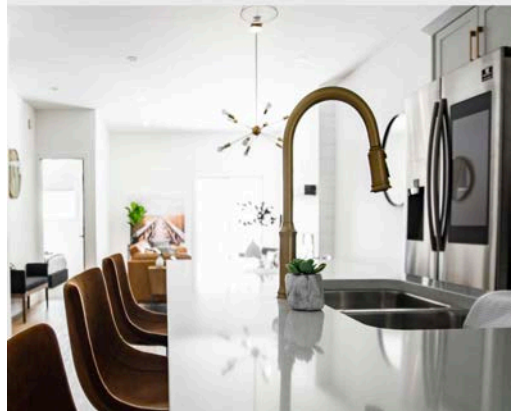
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