Biddulph Town Council is proud to deliver and support events in the Town Hall for local residents and visitors to enjoy.

Our aim is to:

- offer a variety of fun and friendly events for all ages.
- increase footfall into the town centre.
- increase the economic viability of the district.
- promote the Town Hall facilities and Council.

The Town Council manages the Visitor Centre at Biddulph Grange Country Park, Grange Road, Biddulph.

Please support The Hideaway café in the Visitor Centre. They serve hot food, cakes, snacks and drinks plus Snugburys ice cream. Their opening times are subject to change, for up-to-date information visit The Hideaway's website:

https://www.facebook.com/The-Hideaway-Biddulph-Grange-Country-Park-103412518744756/ Tel: 07881 931114



We've taken care to ensure the accuracy of the information within this programme of events, no responsibility can be accepted for errors or omissions. If you feel some information is incorrect or details have changed, please let us know.

Please also get in touch with us if you wish to suggest an event or if you have any feedback – we're always happy to hear from you.

Getting There - Biddulph is part of the Staffordshire Moorlands district in the north west corner of Staffordshire, with Stoke-on-Trent to the south. The A527 is adjacent to the town and provides access to Congleton in the north and Newcastle-under-Lyme and Junction 16 of the M6 to the south via the A500. It's within easy reach of the renowned Peak District National Park.

Parking - Sainsburys (Wharf Road ST8 6AJ) offer free parking for 3 hours for their customers. Staffordshire Moorlands District Council manage a fee-paying car park on Wharf Road (ST8 6AG). There are 137 spaces, open from 8am to 6pm, with a fee being charged from 9.30am to 3.30pm Monday to Saturday (parking is free on Sundays & public holidays). The car park ticket machines accept 5p, 10p, 20p, 50p, £1 and £2 coins, but do NOT give change. Up to 1 hour costs 60p, up to 2 hours 80p, up to 3 hours £1 and up to 10 hours £1.80. Parking is free for disabled badge holders (up to 10 hours).

By Bus - D&G Bus provides bus services to Hanley (No 9) and the Biddulph Circular (No 93). The No 94 goes north to Congleton and south to Newcastle-under-Lyme and Tunstall. Tel 01782 332337 www.dgbus.co.uk. First Potteries also provides a bus service (No 7A) to Hanley. Tel 0345 646 0707 www.firstbus.co.uk. Bus timetables are available in the Town Hall.

By Train - There is no rail service to Biddulph, the nearest stations are at Congleton, Kidsgrove and Stoke.

By Taxi - There is a taxi rank in the High Street, outside the Town Hall.

The Town Hall is wheelchair accessible, with appropriate facilities.

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Email: office@biddulph-tc.gov.uk Website URL: www.biddulph.co.uk

BIDDULPH TOWN HALL High Street



Programme of Events May 2025

Thursday 1 May Staffordshire County Council Elections

7am -10pm. Election of Councillors to Biddulph North and Biddulph South and Endon

Fridays 2, 9, 16, 23 30 May Fresh Food Friday

Select Fish every Friday. Cheshire Pie on the 1st Friday of the month and Abi's Cornish Kitchen Cakes, follow her on Facebook to determine when

Friday 2 May

Biddulph Scratch Community Cinema Film to be confirmed. FREE TO ATTEND.

Doors open at 6pm. Film starts at 7pm.

Phone: 01782 498480

Saturday 3 May

Biddulph Rotary Club Sequence and Party

Dance 7pm to 9.30pm

£4 pay at the door. Bar available.

Proceeds to Rotary Club of Biddulph Charity

Fund

Sundays 4, 11, 18 May

No session Sunday 25 May

Oasis Community Church

10.45am Children and Youth work for ages 2-16 years and creche area for 0-2 years Email:oasisbiddulph@outlook.com https://www.oasisbiddulph.org

Monday 5 May - BANK HOLIDAY - CLOSED

Tuesdays 6, 13, 20, 27 May Biddulph Local People's Group

10am to 12noon

Arts, crafts, genealogy, IT for beginners, pub and board games.

Sessions cost £2 per person; materials are

provided

Phone: 07898 322998

Email:Biddlpp2020@gmail.com

Tuesday 6 May

Tunstall, Biddulph & District Flower Club

From 7.30pm

Enjoy an evening watching and learning a new skill – flower arranging

Visitor admission £7.00

All welcome.

Wednesdays 7, 21, 14 May

Staged Dance & Drama Group

5pm – 7pm. £7 per session. Ages 6 to 16 Learn dance and drama techniques with an end of term showcase

Half Term Workshop Wednesday 28 May

10am - 3pm - £20.00

Contact Ange

Phone: 07725 547521

Email: admin@stagedcio.co.uk

Wednesdays 7, 14, 21, 28 May

Biddulph Male Voice Choir Rehearsal 7pm. No experience needed, just you and your voice

Contact: Ian Barber Phone: 07786 121862

Email: biddulphmvc@gmail.com

Thursday 8 May

Approach Dementia Support Carers Advice and Support Group

10.30am - 12.30pm

Providing support for carers and the people they care for

Phone: 01782 214999

Thursday 8 May

Biddulph Ladies Afternoon Club 1.45pm.

Contact: Christine Faughnan or Kathleen

Ashley

Phone: 01782 297845 (Christine) or

01782 513639 (Kathleen)

Email: ashleykatha@btinternet.com

Thursdays 8, 15, 22, 29 May

No session 1 May

Dan's Dancing Devils Line Dancing

7.30pm to 9.30pm

Booking essential

Contact Daniel J De-Steunder

Phone: 079232 03346

Email: ddesteunder@gmail.com

Thursdays 8, 15, 29 May

No Sessions 1, 22 May

Outside Arts Tappin' In 4.30pm to 6.30pm An adventure in tap dance and percussive movement. Everyone welcome, no previous dance experience is required. It's totally free including free tap shoes which are yours to keep. To sign up, put your name down at the Town Hall or complete a form online (search OUTSIDE).

Saturday 10 May

VE Day 80 Celebration Concert

Starts at 7pm

Music from Rode Hall Silver Band, The Kingsfield Singer and Biddulph Male Voice Choir.

Tickets £5, from the Town Hall or Eventbrite. Includes refreshments

Mondays 12, 26 May DougieMac Wellbeing Session

1pm to 3pm

Speak with staff and volunteers, gain medical, financial and emotional support and form friendships. FREE to attend.

Phone: 01782 969606

Email: wellbeingcentre@dmhospice.org.uk

Mondays 12, 19 May

No sessions 5, 26 May (Bank Holidays)
Biddulph U3a Modern Sequence Dancing

2pm to 4pm. Contact: Adrian Pickles

Phone: 01625 431639

Email: membership@biddulphu3a.co.uk Email: secretary@biddulphu3a.co.uk https://u3asites.org.uk/biddulph/home

Tuesday 13 May Police 'Drop In'

2pm - 3.30pm. Have your questions answered by a local officer

Tuesday 13 May
Annual Meeting of the Town Council (Mayor
Making) 6pm

Tuesday 13 May Biddulph Autism Support Group

7pm to 8pm Contact: Jason

Phone: 01782 633025

Wednesday 14 May Bereavement Friendship Group

10.30am to 12 noon

Join others in a similar situation and find information to cope with the practical and emotional aspects of losing a relative or friend.

Wednesday 14 May 'Feast and Flicks' Community Cinema

FREE TO ATTEND

From 12 noon

Open to everyone, including those living with cognitive and motor disorders such as Dementia or Parkinson's. Light refreshments and cake at intermission

Phone: 01782 498480

Friday 16 May

Staffordshire Sight Loss Association Social Group 10.30am to 12 noon and Community Hub 12 noon to 2pm

Meet new people, share information and find out more about local services. For advice and information or to try a range of living and mobility equipment. No appointment required

Tuesday 20 May

Tea With The Town Council From 4-5.45pm Drop-in session to meet Councillors and Officers

Tuesday 20 May

Planning Committee Meeting 5.30pm Review of planning applications received by Staffordshire Moorlands District Council and consideration of Neighbourhood Plan policies, etc

Tuesday 20 May

Annual Town Meeting 6pm
An open meeting for all residents of Biddulph.
The Mayor presents the Annual Report and
Committee Chairs present an update on the
year

Tuesday 20 May

Greenway Moor WI 7.30pm

Contact: Alison Beasley

Phone: 01782 514415 / 07806 639383 Email: alisonbeasley@hotmail.co.uk

https://www.facebook.com/greenwaymoorwi

Monday 26 May – BANK HOLIDAY – CLOSED

Tuesday 27 May Housing Advice 'Drop In' 10am – 12 noon

Tuesday 27 May

Finance Strategy and Management Committee Meeting 5.30pm

Considers the strategic direction of the council, it approves contracts and procurement, budgets, grants, human resource considerations, etc