

# Askerswell Parish Meeting



## Information update

**Askerswell Parish Meeting** oversees local issues. Post holders 2020/2021:

Chair	<a href="mailto:askerswellchair@gmail.com">askerswellchair@gmail.com</a>	John Mahoney	01308 485 169
Parish Clerk	<a href="mailto:askerswellclerk@gmail.com">askerswellclerk@gmail.com</a>	Isabel James	01308 485 535
Deputy Chair	<a href="mailto:askerswelldepchair@gmail.com">askerswelldepchair@gmail.com</a>	Frank Hemmings	01308 485 456

**Askerswell Village Hall** managed by an elected committee, chair: Jessamy Wilsdon 01308 485 780. Weekly regular groups, monthly Community Coffee Morning, a Community Lunch; talks and special events throughout the year. [unless Covid rules prevent] See ECV and the Noticeboard.

Monday	10.00-12.00	Table tennis	
Tuesday	19.00-21.00	Bridport & District Model Railway Club	
Thursday	19.30-21.30	Table tennis	Maggie Barrett 485 513
Friday	14.00-16.00	Painting for Pleasure	Veronica Sheppard 485 763

**Book group** first Monday monthly in members' houses. Mia Lewis 01308 485 032 [unless Covid rules prevent]

**Country walk and lunch** third Tuesday monthly; leave the square in shared cars about 9.30 returning before 3.00; 4 to 5 miles ending with a pub lunch. [unless Covid rules prevent]

**Good Neighbour scheme** helps with all kinds of practical issues such as transport problems, babysitting etc. Has a snow-emergency list of people with 4x4 vehicles. Co-ordinators: Gill Evans 01308 485 225 [gill@gillevans.plus.com](mailto:gill@gillevans.plus.com), Liz Guard 01308 485 463, [lizguard@ymail.com](mailto:lizguard@ymail.com), Kathy Hince 01308 485 626 [hincekathy@gmail.com](mailto:hincekathy@gmail.com).

**Homewatch** All households are automatically members of this official scheme, co-ordinator Veronica Sheppard 01308 485 763, [veronica\\_sheppard@ntlworld.com](mailto:veronica_sheppard@ntlworld.com).

**Religious and Secular Communities** Askerswell Church, St Michael and All Angels (service times and officers in Eggardon & Colmers View) Rev. Chris Grasske 01308 425161 [cgrasske@outlook.com](mailto:cgrasske@outlook.com)  
Bridport Buddhist Meditation Group [bridportbuddhistmeditation.yolasite.com](http://bridportbuddhistmeditation.yolasite.com)  
Bridport Catholic Church, St Mary & St Catherine's 01308 422594  
Dorchester Islamic Centre, 07713279497 [www.dorchesterislamiccentre.co.uk](http://www.dorchesterislamiccentre.co.uk)  
Exeter Synagogue 01392 251529 [www.exetersynagogue.org.uk](http://www.exetersynagogue.org.uk)  
Gurudwara Singh Sabha, Southampton 023 8033 3016 [www.singhsabhasouthampton.co.uk](http://www.singhsabhasouthampton.co.uk)  
Uploders Chapel, Rev. Peter Clark [revptc@btinternet.com](mailto:revptc@btinternet.com), Rev Stephanie Jenner [stephanie.jenner@methodist.org.uk](mailto:stephanie.jenner@methodist.org.uk)  
Vedic Society Hindu Temple, Southampton 023 8063 2275 [www.vedicsociety.com](http://www.vedicsociety.com)  
West Dorset Humanists, Dorchester [www.dorset-humanists1.blogspot.com/p/west-dorset.html](http://www.dorset-humanists1.blogspot.com/p/west-dorset.html)

**Askerswell Millennium File** has information on parish history, loan from PM Chair.

**Bridport Medical Centre GP Surgery** West Allington, Bridport, DT6 5BN, 01308 421 896 [www.bridportmedicalcentre.co.uk](http://www.bridportmedicalcentre.co.uk). Mon-Fri 8.30 to 6.30

**Bridport Community Hospital Minor Injuries Unit** Hospital Lane, Bridport, DT6 5DR. Daily Nov to Mar 9.00 to 6.00, Apr to Oct 9.00 to 8.00, 01308 426 245

**Dorset County Hospital** Williams Avenue, Dorchester DT1 2JY 01305 251 150

**Accident and Emergency 24/7** direct line 01305 255 541

**Dorset Council** delivers all services including recycling, refuse, highways, footpaths, planning, adults' & children's social services. [www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk) 01305 221 000

**Emergency flood sandbags** – contact Askerswell Parish Clerk.

**Electricity emergency or power cut** Scottish & Southern Electricity 0800 0727 282 is the emergency number no matter what company you buy electricity from.

**Milk Delivery** Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday - Hangers Dairy, Bridport 01308 423 308

**Newspaper Delivery** Mike Hawkins 01308 867 580

**Public Transport** Regular bus services on the A35 to Dorchester, Bridport, Axminster. Community Transport bus Fridays to Bridport from Askerswell at 9.30, from Bridport at 12.30; book on 01258 287 980 by 2.30 the previous day.

**Refuse and recycling** dates at [www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/bins-recycling-and-litter/bins-recycling-and-litter](http://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/bins-recycling-and-litter/bins-recycling-and-litter), on village website and noticeboard. Recycling Centre, Bridport DT6 5LB (off the A35) daily Apr-Oct 9-6, Nov-Mar 10-4.

**The Pub** The Spyway Inn 01308 485 250 [www.thespywayinn.com](http://www.thespywayinn.com)

**Window Cleaning** Andrew Gale 01297 489 878 07971 342 222

more Askerswell information at [www.askerswellparish.org](http://www.askerswellparish.org)