



**Working for our future....
Because Community Matters**

SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER 2023



Whitwick Historical Group were pleased to receive into their collection recently two plaques that were salvaged from the demolition of the Hermitage Leisure Centre thanks to the efforts of Whitwick Parish Councillor and Chair, Sue Colledge.

The large plaque (photo above) commemorates the official opening of the building by renowned middle-distance runner and Olympic medallist, Lord Sebastian Coe on 30th April 1981 and the smaller plaque (photo right) commemorates the opening of the sports hall on 7th April 1987. Unfortunately, on delivery, the smaller plaque was badly damaged but has now been restored thanks to the efforts of local resident, Kev Cresswell.



For more information about
Whitwick Historical Group visit:

whitwickhistoricalgroup.co.uk

DID YOU KNOW?

In the month of September, Whitwick Park reverts to a slightly earlier closing time of 7.30pm.

USEFUL INFORMATION

Acting Parish Manager: Tracey McLean
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Whitwick, LE67 5DT

Opening hours: Weds 1.00pm to 4.00pm,
Thurs / Fri 10.00am to 1.00pm)

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GET TO KNOW YOUR COUNCILLORS



Councillor Andy Roach
Hermitage Ward

I've lived in Whitwick for 14 years and I live with my partner, Linsey, who has lived here all her life; together we run the Man within

Compass pub on Loughborough road, commonly known to locals as the Rag & Mop.

During my time in the village, I've grown to love it, everybody is so friendly and willing to help anyone out and this is why I would like to give something back to Whitwick.

I'm proud to be an independent voice for the village and I'm always available to talk.

NEXT PARISH COUNCIL DISTRICT MEETING: 21 SEPTEMBER 2023 & 19 OCTOBER 2023