

Middleton Village Hall Newsletter

November/December 2025



Forthcoming events for the Festive Season.

- Children's Christmas Party – Sunday 7th December 1pm-3pm in the Village Hall
- Christmas Lights, Silver Band, Carols and mince pies – Sunday 7th December 4.30pm in the Square.
- Community Christmas Party – Friday 12th December 7.00 for 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Invitations for the Children's party and the Community party are attached to this newsletter. RSVP by the dates specified on the return slips.

(Children's party by Monday 1st December /Community party by Friday 5th December please.)

The Old Roads and Trackways of Middleton and Smerrill

After the extremely successful exhibition in the Village Hall in October, the posters and maps are now available online at <https://middletonbyyoulgrave.org.uk/pathways>

A new 'Middleton By Walking' map and commentary leaflet has been published and a copy provided for each household with this newsletter. Further copies are available for sale from the box on the gate into the memorial playground.

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Middleton Public Toilets.

The Public Toilets are remaining open this year, October to March. The District Council is monitoring footfall, so don't forget to pay a visit if you are in the Square!

Memorial Garden



Our thanks to Roger Green for the addition of the wreath and image of the soldier in the Memorial Garden for Remembrance this year.

The Peace roses have now been delivered and will be planted in the garden in memory of the men from Middleton who lost their lives in active service in the world wars 1914-18 and 1939-45

Village Planter in the Square.

After a fantastic summer display the stone trough has now been prepared for the spring. It has been refilled with new soil improver and compost and planted with spring bulbs, topped with some winter flowering plants. We look forward to seeing a different colour scheme when the weather gets warmer next year.

St Michael and All Angels' Church Garden.

The church garden has some new plants and hedgehogs have still been seen visiting the feeding station. The information board in the garden is proving popular with visitors and is easily accessible from the path by the church. It is worth a visit if you have not yet seen it.

