

WELCOME TO SHEARSBY



Shearsby is a unique little village, rich in history and nature with a thriving community. We hope you will be happy here and take the opportunity to take part in village activities.

Shearsby Parish Council



Website: www.shearsbyparishcouncil.gov.uk

The latest village news, planning matters, Neighbourhood Plan, Council meetings and the calendar of events can be found on the website or on the Parish council notice board next to the village notice board, by the crossroads.



The Village Green



The green was bought by the community of Shearsby and is owned by the villagers, managed by the Parish Council. Events such as Live music on the Green and the village fete are held here.

On the green, we are lucky to have some children's play equipment and a picnic area. Q corner is a peaceful space with its developing wildlife and biodiversity for everyone to enjoy. Apple and native trees have been planted to enhance the space. New estate fencing was erected around the perimeter in 2025. During the summer months, on a Sunday, football is played.

St Mary Magdalene Shearsby



Sited on a high mound in Church Lane, the church was first built in the fourteenth century. The current church was built in the eighteenth century with more recent alterations, notably the bells which do not require bellringers, they are operated by a hammer and rope system named after the inventor Rev Ellacombe. There is a beautiful organ by Walker and Son built in 1884, which is still in use today.

The Harvest Festival is held in the autumn, followed a day later by the harvest supper in the village hall. At Christmas a brass band plays carols between Christmas readings followed by sherry and mince pies.

Services are held every six weeks and includes Holy Communion.

Website: www.shearsbyparishcouncil.gov.uk With link to Church and Hexagon

Church warden: David Durran

Church Lane
Shearsby
0116 2478708



Information about services
can be found on the:

- church notice board
- village notice board

The Village Hall

Once the village school, this too was bought by the villagers and refurbished to provide a welcoming village hall with a fully functional kitchen and serving hatch. The well-maintained hall can be hired for functions by both villagers and others, accommodating 100 people or 60 people when seated.

Events	How often	When
Harvest Supper\produce auction	annually	Autumn
Seniors lunch	annually	Spring
Church coffee mornings	Bi-annually	Easter and Christmas
Book club	Monthly- Winter	Sunday 2.30
Nature group	Quarterly	Saturday 2.00
Table tennis	Monthly- 3 rd Monday	Monday 7.00
Pilates	weekly	Tuesday 3.00
Skittles	monthly	Tuesday 7.00

Email: shearsbyhall@gmail.com

Website: e-voice.org.uk/shearsbyvillagehall/

For Village Hall updates

To book the village hall use email

or Julie

Text: 07789227166

Email: julie@poncelet.co.uk



Chandlers Arms Public House

Bex and Josh welcome you to the Chandlers Arms, a traditional, cosy, village pub serving food from a carefully crafted menu and real ales, with exciting guest ales.

Phone: 01162478384

Website: thechandlersarmsshearsby.com

Instagram: SHEARSBY.THECHANDLERS

Facebook: The Chandlers Shearsby

WhatsApp bookings: 07976846235

Tuesday: drinks only: 6-9

Wednesday and Thursday:

6-11 food 6-9

Friday: 12-3 + 5:30-11

food 12-2 + 6-9

Saturday: 12-3 + 6-11

food 12-2 + 6-9

Sunday: 12-7

food 12-3

Booking is strongly advised.



Mobile Library

This stops in Welford Road every three weeks on Friday 13.30 – 13.50

Tel: 0116 305 3619

Website: www.leics.gov.uk/mobilelibrary

Email: libraries@leics.gov.uk



Interest Groups



Shearsby Community Association

This is an informal committee that meets on an occasional basis to organise various activities and fundraising events for the benefit of the villagers. The main event is the music festival 'Live on the Green' held annually. The money raised helps fund many community initiatives including the seniors' lunch. Litter picks are coordinated in and around the village. The aim of the community association is to encourage the feeling of community. Volunteers are welcome to join the committee and help with these events.

Contacts: Keith: 07736020453

Email: shearsbycommunity@gmail.com

Shearsby and Arnesby WI

Monthly meetings are held in the villages of Shearsby and Arnesby, with a range of interesting speakers, demonstrations and organized outings. Everyone is welcome as a member or a visitor. Once a year the WI organise the produce show that rotates between villages.

Contact: Gina 0116 2478888,



Nature Group

This is an informal group who are interested in the natural world and wildlife around Shearsby. It also looks at the wider world and the place of Shearsby within it. The environment and biodiversity are at the heart of the group and the wish to see more people understanding and working towards improving where we live.

There are quarterly meetings on various topics in the village hall, and monthly meet ups on the green to maintain and develop Q corner but also, to drink tea, eat cake and chat!

Contact: ManLan 07368260982

Website: e-voice.org.uk/shearsbynaturegroup/



Pilates

Pilates is for an hour in the Village Hall every Tuesday at 3.00pm. Lisa, is very friendly and there is no pressure to move out of your comfort zone unless you choose to. It keeps all those joints and muscles moving and gives you a sense of wellbeing. Everyone is welcome whatever your ability, age or gender!

contact: Julie- text 07789227166

Table Tennis

Every 3rd Monday of the month from 7-9pm A friendly, fun group meet to play table tennis and socialise. Everyone and all abilities are very welcome (not held during summer months).

Contact: Andy 0116 2479865

Chris 0116 2478981

Football

Football is played on the village green every Sunday from the end of March to October at 5pm everyone welcome! The game is followed by a visit to the Chandlers Arms!

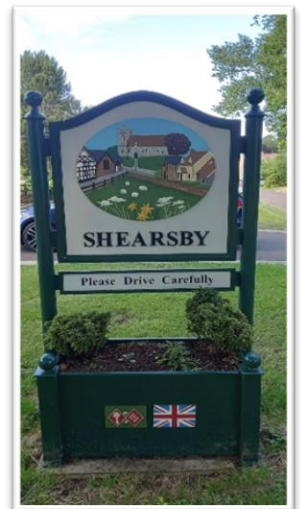
Contact: Simon 0116 2478017

Book club

Book club is held once a month from September to March on a Sunday at 2.30 in the village hall. Everyone is welcome, and it is a chance to try genres and authors you might not have tried before.

The book discussion is accompanied by tea and cake

Contact: Phil 07736713386



Skittles

Table skittles is played in the village hall, on the last Tuesday of the month. A fish and chips supper can be ordered prior to the evening. It is a very popular and social pastime where you are welcome to bring your own drink. All levels of skill are welcome to this team event with a prize for the highest individual score. Please contact Andy if you would like to join in.

Contact: Andy 0116 2479865

Useful information

Medical Information

There is a DEFIBRILLATOR located in the

The phone box in The Square

What3words: twin.hawks.pest

Dial 999 and instructions will be given to you

There is also a number of emergency first aid/defib trained villagers.

A list of these contacts can be found in the phone box.

For further information contact: Rachael 07790 629251

Doctors' Surgeries

Countesthorpe Health Centre

Central Street,
Countesthorpe,
Leicester,
LE8 5QJ

[01162776336](tel:01162776336)

Husbands Bosworth Medical Centre

1 Marsh Drive
Husbands Bosworth
Lutterworth
Leicestershire
LE17 6PU

[01858 880522](tel:01858880522)



Travel



Fox connect is an on-demand transport service. You can choose where you want to be picked up and dropped off, meaning it's a convenient and flexible way to travel at a time that suits you. Use the app or the telephone to book your journey.

The service operates **Monday to Saturday, 06:00 – 19:30**

Download the App on smartphones from the [google play](#) or [Apple App store](#)

Or call the telephone booking line 0116 216 7756

Or go to choosehowyoumove.co.uk



Food Bank

Donations from Shearsby are collected once a month from the collection point located in the church porch.

For any further information contact: Hilary 0116 247 9865

Bins

Bin collection day is **Friday**

Bins need to be out Thursday evening as the bins are sometimes emptied early. It's a fortnightly rotation- one week the black bin the next its blue and green.



Green bins need to be paid for, the year starts on April 1st

Website:

www.harborough.gov.uk/info/20059/garden_waste/434/garden_waste_service/2

Milk

Dairy 2 door delivers some days to Shearsby, they also have a wide selection of groceries they deliver.



Email Support **ACCOUNTS@DAIRY2DOOR.COM**

Call Support **0116 436 2452**

Severn Trent Water



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Emergency number **0800 7834444** for leaks and drops in pressure, the more people who phone the quicker the response!



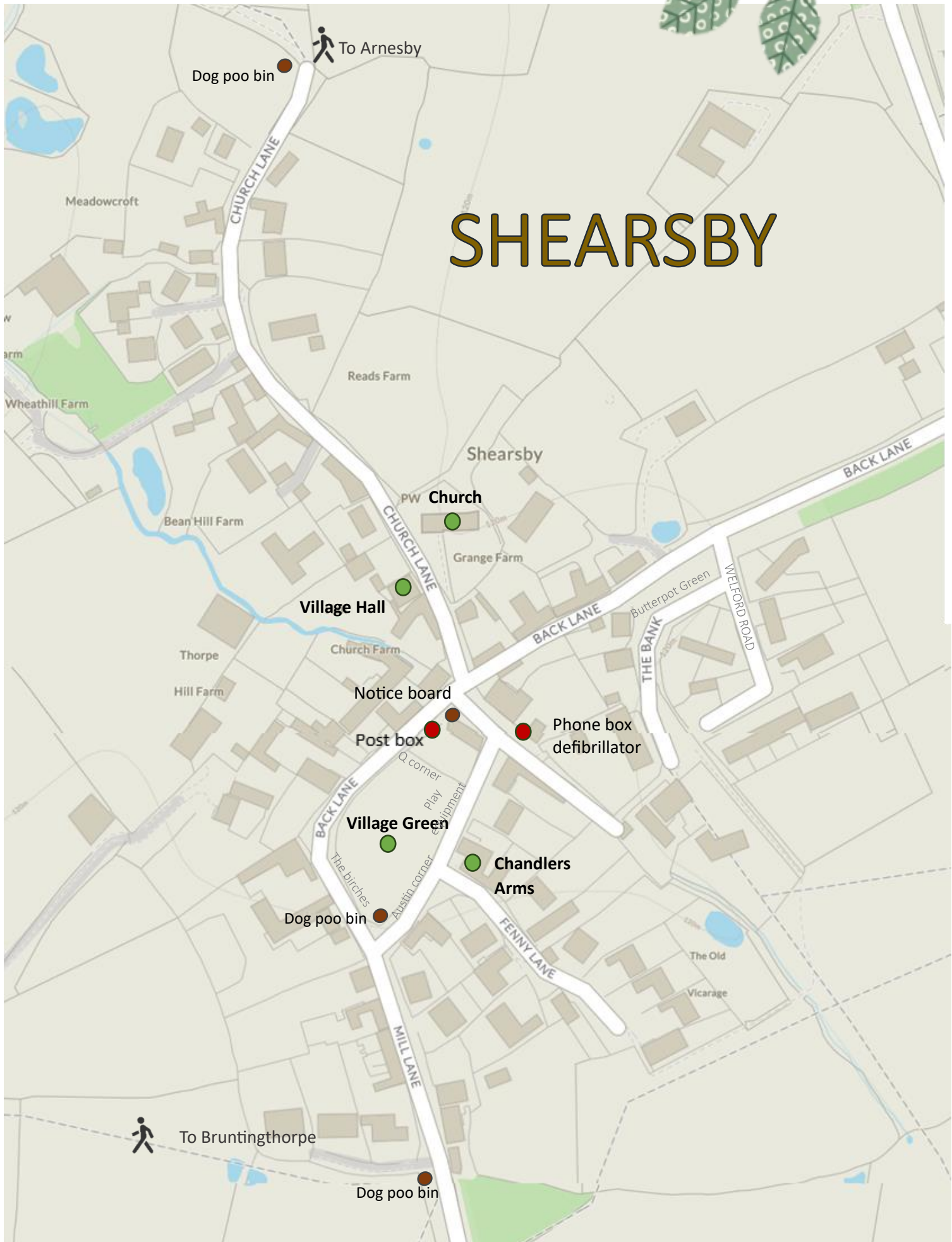
Power cut information

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