



# Town Talk - November '10

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## Greenridge Update

The Greenridge planning application was recently rejected by the Purbeck District Council, who are the planning authority. The Town Council supported the plan, but are only statutory consultees. The Town Council are in constant dialogue with Hall and Woodhouse, who are now seeking to lodge an appeal against the planning decision. This may take many months. The Council has asked Hall and Woodhouse to tidy the site but due to their costs of maintaining the security of the site, and the fact that they are experiencing trespass and fly tipping; regrettably they have been unable to commit to this. We will of course keep residents informed as matters progress.

### A350


We are advised by Dorset County Council, Highways Authority that commencement of works to improve the surface of the A350 should begin in November.

**Recycling Roadshow**  
Purbeck District Council's Environmental Officers were on hand recently to promote the Love Food Hate Waste Campaign and gave out free cook books and other goodies.



In addition, the Town Council are holding stock of Blue Recycling Bags for recycling paper and light card. These are available from our Help Centre on a first come first served basis.

### Battery Recycling

Thank you to everyone who brings in their batteries for recycling.  We have collected two carton loads, and are starting on our third. Please continue to drop in any spent batteries to our Help Centre.

### Christmas Tree Recycling



Please bring your trees to the Recreation Ground Car Park between 02—16 January 2011.

## New Councillor

The Town Council are pleased to introduce Mrs Lynn Wright as their latest recruit. Lynn will serve on Amenities and Environment and took up her seat on 19 October 2010.



## Christmas Carol Service



This will be held at Upton Cross on Thursday 16 December at 7pm. Make a note in your diary! It was really well supported last year, and a lovely festive community get together. Refreshments will be served afterwards in the Library.



South and South East in Bloom—Upton achieved a Silver award—well done!

Please note: Recreation Ground closed to Public on Christmas Day.

### Good to know:

Dorset Direct  
01305 221000

Help Centre  
Opening Hours

Monday—Friday  
9 am—12.30



Drop-in surgeries  
Mon 10am-12.30pm  
Thurs 9 am—12.30 pm

Energy efficient light bulbs available free from Help Centre



Help Centre Christmas Closure  
Open 20 & 21 Dec  
Closed 22, 23, 24  
Re-open Tuesday 4 Jan



### Our Help Centre can assist with:

- Bus passes
- Nuffield Tip Pass Form
- Free Internet Access
- Council tax payments
- Local interest books
- Photo copying service
- Fax service
- Blue Recycling Bags (foc)
- Dog Waste Bags (foc)
- and much more.....

