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Welcome to the June Informer. Traditionally this is the time of year for examinations, school university or professional, so may we offer our best wishes. On completion, you will deserve a well earned break.

David Gregory, Chairman.

Todwick Church Garden Gang

Are you green fingered or even just willing to lend a hand? Willing helpers of all ages are welcomed to help keep Todwick church gardens neat and tidy. Can you spare an hour or more? A group of hard working people meet up on the first Saturday of each month from 10am. Help is always needed and if you can help please bring along some basic gardening tools to use, although sometimes the garden gang do have some spares with them. Refreshments are provided.

Todwick General Store

Most of you will be aware that a new general store has now opened in Todwick. This is a family run business, headed up by Nicola and Tony, and is offering a wide range of items including bread, milk, a large range of cards, magazines and sweets and a selection of frozen foods. Newspapers are now available and magazines can be ordered as required. Also, from 28th May, a newspaper delivery service will be up and running for those people who require it. The shop is a My Hermes delivery and collection point A Payzone service is just awaiting activation and with Payzone, of course, people can pay gas & electricity bills, water rates and council tax etc. A delicatessen counter offering fresh meats, pies & sandwiches will be coming in the next few weeks.

This is a welcome and valuable addition to our village. Please support it.
You know the old adage: - **“Use it or lose it!”**

Fun Day

The Todwick Fun Day will be on Sunday 11th June, starting at 1pm. Our Village Fun Day will be bigger than ever. We have animals, rides, beer, Pimms, food, cakes, ice-cream, facepainting, inflatable mega slide and assault course, separate toddler-only inflatable and, for the adults and kids, we have last man standing!!!!

Please keep an eye on our facebook page for more details and if you would like to get involved or have any suggestions to make our day fun for all the family then please let us know either via our facebook page or by contacting Rebecca at rstv@hotmail.co.uk

TAI CHI At Todwick Sports Pavilion Friday Evenings - 6.00 pm to 7.00 pm

Tai Chi is a gentle form of exercise combining slow deliberate movements, with breathing and meditation. It helps maintain core strength, flexibility and balance, circulation and alignment. It's the perfect activity for life as it suits all age groups.

No special footwear or equipment is needed, just loose comfortable clothing. No need to book - just come along. For more info ring Phil on 07814207637. Phil is also a practitioner in Reiki and is qualified in sports injury treatment

Todwick Church Garden Fete Saturday 1st July 2017

Come along to the Church grounds for a very enjoyable afternoon, joining in the entertainment and checking out the many stalls on display. **The event starts at 1pm.**

Proposed Developments in Todwick

The long awaited report from the Planning Inspector duly arrived and the news for Todwick was excellent on both of the contentious plans, the housing on Kiveton Lane and the Industrial Estate opposite the Red Lion were taken out of the RMBC plan. This should safeguard the green belt around our village for the foreseeable future.

A Nice Walk Spoilt

This item has been requested by a villager and it is an appeal relating to the Bridle Path on Storth Lane. The appeal is for those who despite repeated requests do not clean up after their dogs. Perhaps as it is a Bridle Way as opposed to a street they think it is okay to leave it on the footpath. Rotherham Borough Council have engaged a company to supplement their dog wardens. This new operation will target littering and parking issues. In light of this current complaint the Parish Council has asked them to focus their attention on Storth Lane.

Todwick Parish Council Website

The website carries up to date TPC news, meeting minutes and the Informer. Please visit www.todwickpc.org.uk. We are also on Facebook.

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