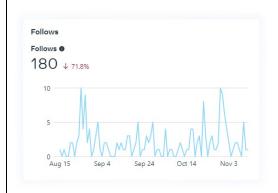
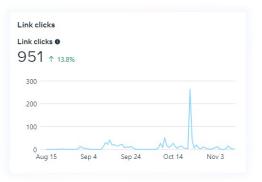
## **CONGLETON TOWN COUNCIL**

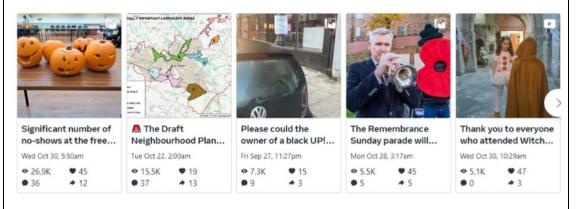
# **COMMITTEE REPORTS AND UPDATES**

| COMMITTEE:                  | Community  | Community Committee  |       |   |                     |        |  |
|-----------------------------|--|--|-------|---|---------------------|--------|--|
| MEETING DATE<br>AND TIME    | 21 Novemb<br>7.00 pm   | 21 November 2024<br>7.00 pm  |       | Co  | Congleton Town Hall |        |  |
| REPORT FROM                 | Debbie Cox   | Debbie Coxon, Marketing and Communications Officer   |       |   |                     |        |  |
| AGENDA ITEM<br>REPORT TITLE | 12 Communications Update   |  |       |   |                     |        |  |
| Background                  | 1  | This paper has been prepared to give committee members an update on the communications activities that took place over the last 90 days (15 Aug-12 Nov |       |   |                     |        |  |
|                             | Social Media Overview Facebook Followers: 5.5K Instagram Followers: 1.1K Twitter: 3.5K Facebook Performance Overview |  |       |   |                     |        |  |
|                             | Views  | Visits   | Reach | Interactions  | Followers           | Clicks |  |
|                             | 347.5K   | 10.6K  | 89K   | 3.3K  | 5.5K                | 951    |  |
| Details                     | Views • 347.5 K  40K  20K  0 Aug 15 Sep 4 Sep 24 Oct 14 Nov 3  |  |       | Visits ● 10.6 K ↓ 42%  600  400  200  Aug 15 Sep 4 Sep 24 Oct 14 Nov 3      |                     |        |  |
|                             | Reach   Reach   89 K   |  |       | Interactions Content interactions 3.3 K ↓ 51.5%  400 300 200 100 Aug 15 Sep | M                   | Nov 3  |  |





**Social media posts issued** (excluding shared posts): **366** (-14.7%). Avg. 4 per day **Top 5 FB Posts:** 



#### CTC social posts are usually shared to:

Congleton Chat's Back 26.9K members
Congleton News & Views 13.2K members
Congleton Radio 1.1k followers

### **CTC Website:**

• Thrive working on the new structure & visuals – managed by Cathy Dean.

#### **Key Statistics for the website:**

Views: 24K, Users: 9,500, Views per user: 2 pages, Av engagement time: 51sec Organic searches (8.5K visits) continue to generate the highest traffic, via search engines such as Google/Bing etc.

Top 10 pages (largest numbers of visits)

| Page                                 | Views |
|--------------------------------------|-------|
| Rotary Bonfire and Fireworks         | 5,098 |
| Welcome to Congleton                 | 2186  |
| What's On                            | 750   |
| Committee Meetings                   | 558   |
| Plan your visit to the paddling pool | 425   |
| Shopping in Congleton                | 425   |
| Meet the Councillors                 | 318   |
| Congleton Market                     | 288   |
| Job Vacancy                          | 277   |
| Contact Us                           | 276   |

# **Users by City**

| City       | Users (K) |
|------------|-----------|
| London     | 2.8       |
| Congleton  | 1.4       |
| Manchester | 502       |
| S-O-T      | 447       |
| Liverpool  | 324       |

### Noticeboards

The six town noticeboards and the CIC What's on Window are updated weekly to promote town council events and activities organised by local organisations and community groups.

## **Key Events**

20 & 27.8 Play Days

27.9 Electromantics Tribute

28.9 Green Fayre

|                               | 30.10 Witchy Wednesday   |  |  |
|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
|                               | 1.11 Take That Tribute   |  |  |
|                               | 10.11 Remembrance  |  |  |
|                               | New publications  • Neighbourhood Plan Consultation • Bear Necessities (Autumn 2024)  Press Releases: 29  Radio Interviews: 4  Editorial: Effective Directories, Sept – Nov (circl. 11k) |  |  |
| Proposal                      | For Councillors to note the report and for the officer team to take on board suggestions and recommendations from Councillors.   |  |  |
| Financial<br>Implications     | Work is delivered within the annual budgets set by the Town Council  |  |  |
| Environmental<br>Implications | Considered as part of each piece of work. Carbon-neutral certificates are obtained for Bear Necessities and paper from sustainably managed sources used for other work.                  |  |  |
| Inclusivity Diversity Impact  | The team uses different channels and communication tools to meet different audiences.  |  |  |
| Decision<br>Required          | That Councillors note this report.   |  |  |