

Friends of Bellingham Town Hall Lottery 2026/27



On entering the village, the Town Hall and the clock tower are the focal point.

Thanks to contributions from The Friends of Bellingham Town Hall, and support of grants, renovations and maintenance work continue on projects that are needed to upgrade and improve the fabric of the building. Next stages are repairs to external iron railings and improving gents toilets and kitchen areas.

Constant tending of the gardens ensures that they display beautiful arrangements of plants and flowers, welcoming residents, families, friends, and visitors, providing an attractive entrance to the village.

Please support us by becoming a Friend of Bellingham Town Hall, to enable us to continue maintaining these vital facilities.

With our many thanks and appreciation.



Bellingham Town Hall

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Charity No 225272

The Town Hall is open and available to book
for your function or event.
Please contact us for availability.
Tel 07971 702091

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Please see details overleaf

**TO ENTER THE 2026-27 DRAW - Please complete & return this form along with payment. Return details are overleaf.**

I/We wish to become a member of Friends of Bellingham Town Hall

Name: - \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: - \_\_\_\_\_ Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Post Code \_\_\_\_\_ Tel: \_\_\_\_\_

I/We enclose Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Cheque \_\_\_\_\_ BACS .....

**PLEASE NOTE: If you are one of the lucky winners.**

All prizes will be given in cash and signed for where possible or by cheque payment if necessary, depending on location.

## Dear Friends

Thank you for the support and contributions by Friends of Bellingham Town Hall to this lottery scheme. £975 was paid out in prize money in the last lottery year. The contributions are used for general upkeep of the hall and towards refurbishment plans.

The hall is available to accommodate all the activities previously enjoyed, and the need to maintain the hall in good repair remains as important as it has always been. To this end, your support and contributions are essential to provide income for this vital service. During this year of 2026 we have completed further repairs to our iconic clock and the underground heat pumps and have applied for funding to repair the iron railings and upgrade interior features of the hall.

We are committed to keeping the Town Hall in good repair for the benefit of the community. Your contributions are very much needed for the year ahead and we look forward to your continued support. The cost is **£15 per person** for a twelve - month period from Sept. to Aug., with a monthly prize draw of £50 first prize, £25 second prize and three extra prizes in December of £25 each. Winners are announced on the Town Hall website and Facebook page, and in all public notice boards (Town Hall, Country Store, Lockup Lane, Rocky Road Café). Terms & Conditions of the lottery can be found on BTH website policies. The Lottery numbers are allocated on receipt of subscription fees.

On behalf of the Town Hall committee we thank you.

## AN UPDATE OF THE HALL - 2025/2026

**PURCHASES** - Building valuation survey completed to ensure BTH Insurance covers the costs of rebuild. Secured new 2 year energy suppliers contract.

**FUNDRAISING** - Through our jumble sale, bingo, craft fairs, Friends of BTH Lottery, sponsor a commemorative brick, room & library rents.

**MAINTENANCE** - The hall clock is monitored by Smith of Derby. Repairs to clock pointer cogs completed; annual regulation checks completed; Ground source heat pumps repaired; Gas cooker and supply serviced.

**BOOKINGS** - Continue to increase with new activities, martial arts, yoga, Age UK exercises, Dance, weight watching and Sound Bath. Also used for weddings, training courses, meetings, consultations, clubs, fundraising events, private sales and parties; also used as a community emergency centre. Lloyds Bank fortnightly community banking service (by appointment only, you will find their contact details in the BTH bookings calendar online).

**GARDEN THEME** - The hall gardens are our pride and joy. lovingly tended by Pat and Edwin. The new roses and flowers will be blooming lovely by now for all to enjoy.

**HALLMARK 1 STATUS** - We are please to announce we have been successfully awarded Hallmark status 1., a three year quality service certificate.

**BTH WEBSITE & FACEBOOK** - The BTH website includes all current policies, tariff and T&C of hire. Interest has continued to grow through our website and Facebook page.

**CAR CHARGING POINTS** - Sited at the rear of the Town Hall continue to be well used.

**PROJECT PLANS** - We continue to source grant funding to progress onto next projects. Phase 3 - Repair to iron railings and Phase 4 - To upgrade gents' toilets and the kitchen.

## CONTACT & PAYMENT DETAILS

**Post to** Friends of Bellingham Town Hall,  
% 27 Hillside  
Bellingham,  
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## Payment Process

Can be paid direct into the Friends of Bellingham Town Hall account. For us to trace your payment please use your name as ref.

**BANK** Lloyds

**Acc No.** 00670051

**Sort Code** 30-94-19

Or cheque made payable to

**Friends of Bellingham Town Hall**

## **IT'S IMPORTANT TO SUBMIT THIS FORM TO US, IN ORDER FOR US TO CONTACT ANY WINNERS OF THE LOTTERY DRAW**

Entry forms can be returned to the following local shops: Bellingham - Newsagent and Post Office, The Country Store or post to the address given above.

**Thank you for your support**

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