## Creaton Village Shop Newsletter

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## Post Office Approval for the new shop

The milestones seem to be coming thick and fast for the new shop. In the last week of April, the Post Office approved the provision of their services in Creaton Village Shop. This is great news as the Post Office was one of the major functions you all called for in the questionnaire organised by Creaton SOS. The shop was represented by the Chair of CCBS, Charles Matts, and by Management Committee member James Hill. Although the interview lasted over three hours Charles said he was delighted to have been able to help achieve this for our shop.

The new Post Office will transfer from the current one so that no service will be lost.

## **Cutting the Turf**



You may recall that the weather leading up to Easter was particularly damp. According to the weather forecasters Easter Saturday was going to be no better. However, the rain stopped and the sun came out (well, almost) as over 60 people gathered to watch Tom Gillott cut the first sod.

## Who is who?

Jane Kimberlin is our Society Secretary. With over 25 years international business experience at Board level she is well-placed to look after the procedures and policies of CCBS.

Jane has lived in Creaton since 2000

and is passionate about the benefits of a rural community.

She is an active member of many local groups including Creaton Singers, Creaton Walking Group, Friends of St Michael's History Group and Creaton Book Club.

**Building Progress** 



It cannot have escaped your notice but work is well and truly underway for the new shop. The first sod was cut on Easter Saturday and then the groundworks team moved in on the following Tuesday.

Very quickly the footings were in place and now the full concrete plinth is ready and waiting.

The next stage will be the arrival of the building. Manufactured in Eire by SIP Energy, the shop will be coming flat-packed on a lorry in May.

We shall let you know when it is due to arrive as soon as we have a date.

