



**Two Million** Hits on this website, I certainly didn't think either you or I would still be here some 10+ years since I launched my humble web-blog'

On being a newly elected (Independent) in 2011, it was my aim then and still true today, to keep those in the area I represented informed on what was both happening at the Council and what I was actively doing in my role(s) within the community.

I included many community based events and the many meetings which I have attended.

Like anything created – you start with the first person to make that visit, slowly word gets out, and today some 1200/1500 individuals look at this site every day.

Other Councillors have tried, lost interest or just given up – You and I have stuck with it. Yes web-blogs have long since been overtaken by many other social media platforms but it suits me, and my figures prove it suits most of the audience that pass by.

I've tried to keep to facts and have been tripped up on the very rare occasion with 'hearsay'.

I look back at some of my early posting, and the some of the battles 10+ years ago we are still fighting. But I have to say – I've been pretty consistent.



I am proud to be a part of Whittlesey Town Council and its community I acknowledge that most of the other Councillors are just as passionate about our town and villages as I am.

For how much longer - who knows – we all have to ease up and retire at some stage.

So my thanks to you – all of you and the **2,000,000** visits you have made, I hope that in general 99% of the posts I make a factual and relevant.



Passionate, Street Pride, litter free, graffiti free, boats, flower beds, plough gardens, 100,000 bulbs, projects, benches, picnic tables and much much more.

Passionate, Neighbourhood Watch, 10 years as Chairman, helping to keep our community safe and free from crime. Supported over a 150 during the COVID lock-downs.

Passionate, Library's – Recycling Centres – keeping them open for the community to use.

Passionate, Doctors and Medical facilities, a real challenge always.

Passionate, Our history and heritage, The Whittlesey Society and The Mud Walls Group.

Passionate, Keeping in contact and being a part of The Whittlesey Business Forum

Passionate, Supporting many other groups in small ways, education and climate as examples.

Finally my thanks to all our very passionate 'VOLUNTEERS' who do so much for our town and community.

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Edge browser window. The address bar says "Google". The main content area displays a blog post titled "Serious Time for MP Barclay to Call Cambs CC to Account" posted on June 14, 2019, by Roy Gerstner. The post discusses the Kings Dyke Crossing project. To the right of the post is a calendar for June 2019, showing dates from 1 to 30. Below the calendar is a "Categories" section with links to Crime Updates, Issues and Concerns, News, Stories, and Uncategorized. At the bottom right is a large black box containing the number "1000000".

The 1 million mark in June 2019

Opening day of The EACH shop market Street Whittlesey May 2011

