

Councillor Helen Tune

I grew up in Adlington, bought my first house in Chorley where I started a family and moved to Euxton in 2014 as this is where I wanted to raise my growing family. I live with my husband Chris and our three children aged 12, 10 and 8 years old. We have recently added a puppy to our family who is keeping us active and though training him is proving to be a slow process it is also great fun.

I have been a Parish Councillor for over two years and was re-elected in the 2018 local elections (my grateful thanks). I am the Chair for the Leisure Committee and I am a member of all the other sub-committees.

As a new resident I quickly learned that Euxton is a very special place to live and that the Parish Council were active and successful in making Euxton so outstanding. I felt a duty to contribute to my local community in some way which prompted me to respond to a vacancy and seeking co-option onto EPC. I was thrilled to join EPC and I enjoy working with the other Councillors at meetings, on projects and activities (even climbing into the pond to collect water for the surrounding new trees during the heatwave last year on Millennium Green).

I work part time at Tesco Chorley Extra as the Community Champion. Within this role I am responsible for managing large quantities of requests, varying from local charity fundraisers and external organisations whom require support, assistance or advice. This has given me a wealth of experience in supporting individuals from all walks of life. You might also see me on the Customer Service Desk or if we have a charity fundraising event I am usually front and centre in some form of fancy dress costume.

I am not sure how I find the time to do all the things I do (I'm a student too!) but quite simply put, I believe that it's nice to be nice and the grass is green where you water it. If you can spare a minute or an hour a week by doing something to help your neighbour or community, you should. Euxton and its residents are worth it!

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