



## Shropshire Armed Forces Covenant

# Welcome to our newsletter

Welcome to our Armed Forces newsletter. This is our way of engaging with you on a regular basis with local and national information.



Cost of Living Help - If you are worried about money or are struggling, there is help available. [Find out more here.](#)



Energy Rebate Discretionary Scheme - Extra funding is now available for Shropshire residents who need additional support because of the rising cost of living. [Find out more here.](#)



### **Financial support for Shropshire residents**

If you have any customers who are struggling to meet their basic living costs, Shropshire Council's Welfare Support Team may be able to help. We have funding that can support people with costs such as food, energy, essential travel and essential furniture items but this list is not exhaustive. If you are aware of someone who needs help, encourage them to contact us.

Telephone: 0345 678 9078

- Option 1 = for general enquiries
- Option 2 = to make an application (customers will need to listen to a

lengthy privacy statement and declaration at the start of their call)

Email: [localsupport@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:localsupport@shropshire.gov.uk)



Come along and join us at our Let's Talk Mental Health Network Event. [Find out more here.](#)



Tempted to put the heating on? [Find out more about financial help for carers this winter.](#)



Are you waiting to get a GP referral? [If so, tell us your story.](#)



Join us for our next Brain Injury Networking Forum. [Find out more here.](#)



On Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November Shropshire Council, The Royal British Legion and the Shrewsbury Town FC Foundation will be jointly hosting a Remembrance Match Day. We would like to encourage Veterans and Serving Personnel to join us to pay our respects to those that have lost their lives whilst serving in the Armed Forces. Veterans can obtain their tickets by emailing [SAFCC@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:SAFCC@shropshire.gov.uk) and Serving personnel need to contact Shrewsbury Town FC ticket office on 01743 273943 or visit in person to request their ticket. If you have any questions please contact [SAFCC@shropshire.gov.uk](mailto:SAFCC@shropshire.gov.uk)



Community Resource run Hearing Aid Hubs around Shropshire and Telford & Wrekin. [Find out more here.](#)



Community Resource run Sight Loss Opportunity Groups across Shropshire. [Find out more here.](#)



The RBL's Oswestry Branch needs your help! [Find out more here.](#)

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The Armed Forces Outreach is designed to provide help and support to all military personnel, veterans and their families. [Please take a look here to find out more.](#)



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