

# Chilbolton and Wherwell Community Magazine

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**May 2019**

As I write this Easter is upon us, the temperature is 23 degrees and our villages are bathed in sunshine. One month into spring and it feels like summer is here. If this weather continues there are plenty of opportunities to enjoy it, with three fetes, a sports fair and two open garden days – all by June! If the weather is not so kind to us, then there are many indoor activities taking place including music, movies and more. Coming up is an important public consultation on the Chilbolton Neighbourhood Development Plan – the notice within explains how to respond.

*Andrew Keevil*

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**From the Church Records**

<i>Baptism/Wedding/Wedding Blessing/Funeral/Burial of Ashes</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Name (s)</i>
<b>Wherwell</b>		
Funeral	29 <sup>th</sup> March	Jill Rowles

**Church Flowers in May**

Wherwell	4 <sup>th</sup> & 11 <sup>th</sup>	Melanie Rae
	18 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup>	Davina Martyn
Chilbolton		Jeannie Goodeve Docker Julie Lloyd

<b>May 2019</b>	<i>St Mary the Less, Chilbolton</i>	<i>St Mary's, Crawley</i>	<i>St Catherine's Littleton</i>	<i>St Stephen's Sparsholt</i>	<i>St Peter &amp; Holy Cross, Wherwell</i>
<b>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May</b>					
Holy Communion			9.30am		
<b>Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May – The Third Sunday of Easter</b>					
Holy Communion (BCP)				8am	
Family Service	10am				
Family Communion		10am			
Holy Communion					10am
Café Church in Church Room			4pm		
<b>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May</b>					
Messy Church at Crawley		4-6pm			
<b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May – The Fourth Sunday of Easter</b>					
Morning Prayer	10am				
Morning Worship		10am			
Family Communion with Christian Aid Service			10am		
Welcome Worship				10am	
Benefice Evensong					6pm
<b>Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May</b>					
Holy Communion			9.30am		
<b>Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May</b>					
Prayerful Preparation for Peace & Wholeness at Meadowcroft, Fyfield Way, Littleton, SO22 6PB			10am		
<b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May – The Fifth Sunday of Easter</b>					
Holy Communion (BCP)		8am			
Family Communion (CW)	10am				
Morning Worship			10am		
Matins				10am	
Family Pet Service					10am
Peace & Wholeness			6pm		
<b>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May</b>					
Flowerdown HC			2pm		
<b>Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May</b>					
Meditation			7pm		
<b>Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May – The Sixth Sunday of Easter</b>					
Holy Communion (BCP)					8am
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Worship with Sunday School		10am			
Family Communion with preachers from OMF			10am		
Family Communion				10am	
Benefice Evensong	6pm				

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<b>Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May</b>					
Westholme HC			2.30pm		
<b>Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> May – ASCENSION DAY</b>					
Holy Communion followed by breakfast in the Church Room			7.30am		

## **Letter from the Rector**

I write this on a lovely evening in early April after a glorious sunny day - a reminder of the beauty of our world. It is also the first day of the Mayor of London's vehicle pollution charge. Listening to the press coverage, I'm not sure that it has been properly thought-through. For those who can't afford to replace old vehicles with newer, low emission ones, the charge will hit their living standards proportionately more than those who are better-off. I hope this does not simply become a revenue-earner for the Mayor at the expense of the less well-off, rather than significantly reducing pollution.

Other cities will be doing the same thing, because it is obvious that we cannot just carry on as before. We have a duty to look after the world that God has given us, and its future is in our hands now more than ever before. I confess, when the debate about climate change began to hot up (pun intended) some years ago I was more inclined to scepticism than persuasion. I recalled the "Little Ice Age" which generally defined weather conditions across Europe between 1650 and 1850, when hot chestnut stalls were winter features on the frozen River Thames and when life (and death) was very hard for millions of people. The Industrial Revolution hadn't taken hold, there were no power stations or motor cars, and no obvious human explanation for the climate change. That cooling of the Northern Hemisphere has been explained by fluctuations in solar radiation, or volcanic activity, or changes in the earth's orbit or axial tilt. They seem sensible explanations for what happened then, but natural factors just don't seem to be enough to explain the present rapid acceleration in the warming of the earth's atmosphere, with such potentially serious consequences for our children and grandchildren. It seems to me that our collective actions and carelessness are now a very significant factor, and if so it is vital we do something about it – and quickly.

This all seems a picture of doom and gloom - but it need not be. Do you recall the 19<sup>th</sup> century London "Smogs", when in winter it was often impossible to see further than about ten feet in front of you, with a huge number of deaths from the filthy air that Londoners had to breath? Although

modern London has its own harmful version of air pollution, it is worth taking heart from the fact that Smog was successfully banished decades ago, by determined collective action to curb coal burning. The present drive to curb pollution can be equally effective.

Achieving similar results on a global basis will be much, much harder, but our duty to care for God's world demands that we all play our part. Little things done on a daily basis make a difference – re-use not replace; turn down the heating two notches and wear a pullover; take the trouble to share lifts in our cars; walk a bit more and drive less – and do all the other obvious and sensible things. When compared to the massive CO2 generation arising from careless policies by some governments across the world, our personal actions may not seem worth the bother. Don't be fooled. Collectively we have tremendous power, and in this case the sum of the parts is far greater than the individual actions. Everything we do matters, and we should make it count. Jesus said that everyone is important, and each of us is known to God: "Are not two sparrows sold for (only) a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground outside your Father's care. And even the hairs of your head are numbered." If God loves us enough to care for each one of us, it seems to me that we in turn have a duty to future generations to better care for the world He gave us.

*Andrew Kent*

## **Wherwell School Headteacher Report**



As the new Head teacher of Wherwell Primary School, I am delighted to have the opportunity to provide readers with a monthly update on all of the wonderful things the children have been doing.

Although this is a new role for me, I have been teaching at Wherwell Primary School for almost 9 years.

We currently have 130 pupils who come from Chilbolton and Wherwell but also attract children from the surrounding villages and Andover. The summer term is very busy as our year 6 (10 and 11 year olds) take their SATS, the results of which are used to rank the school nationally. We are currently ranked in the top 1% for schools for English, a fantastic accolade which we couldn't have achieved without our excellent teaching staff, assistants and hardworking children.

We are very lucky in that our parents make a tremendous effort with our year round fundraising activities, and although this update will in the future be more about what the children have been up to, I feel it is important to publicise the fact that we are, like many schools, struggling with funding cuts.

The uncomfortable truth is that school budgets have effectively been held at 2010 levels for the last 8 years, with further pressure placed on schools by adding additional costs such as NI and Pension contributions.

In fact, Hampshire is the second worst funded county in the country under the Governments new schools funding formula, as such, 30% of Hampshire primary schools are in financial difficulty. This is why our fundraising events are so important, as they help to supplement school equipment.

Our most recent purchases funded by the PTA have included new dictionaries and basic maths and IT equipment. So far, we have been lucky enough that these funds have also contributed to play equipment and other exciting projects which I will report on next month. Going forward however, we may well have to allocate more funds raised by the PTA to core curriculum needs.

Our largest fundraising event of the year is our fete, which is fast approaching. We are very proud of the strong sense of community at our school and we would love it if you could join us when we will all come together for the fete on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May from midday until 3pm at Wherwell School. Your support would be very welcome, even if you do not have children at our school. This year we have a fantastic array of stalls, a BBQ provided by the Clos de Marquis, a fantastic raffle and dancing demonstrations by the children.

We hope you can join us and I look forward to updating regularly on school life here at Wherwell.

*Mary Collins*

### **Spring Meditations at Wherwell Church**

The final meditation in our Spring series will be held in Wherwell Church at 6pm on 2 June 2019 and will be on the subject of St Benedict, the founder of Western monasticism and Patron Saint of Europe. It is thought that he lived approximately from 480 AD to 547 AD. We do hope you will be interested in this particularly influential figure in church and European history. The meditation will last for around thirty minutes, and will be followed by refreshments and the chance to chat to others attendees.

# IMPORTANT NOTICE

## PUBLIC CONSULTATION

The Submission Draft of the Chilbolton Neighbourhood Development Plan will be made available to all Parish Residents and Businesses about the middle of May 2019 for Public Consultation.

The consultation period will be 6 weeks and the Working Group looks forward to responses that can be made on line on the Village website or on a response form that will be available in the Village Shop.

Please do respond with your comments, questions and suggestions.

After the Consultation the Submission Draft will be modified, if necessary, and handed to Test Valley Borough Council for editing and drafting as a Submission Draft.

Please raise any questions with the Chilbolton Parish Clerk [Chilbolton.Clerk@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:Chilbolton.Clerk@hotmail.co.uk) or Tony Ewer [tonyrewer@me.com](mailto:tonyrewer@me.com) who will be pleased to assist.

### WHERWELL ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY

**WILL BE HELD ON**

**TUESDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019 AT 7.00PM**

**AT WHERWELL VILLAGE HALL**

It is hoped that there will be a short presentation on Crime Prevention

The meeting agenda will be published on the Parish Council noticeboard & community website page from Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May

<http://www.chilboltonandwherwell.info/index.php/wherwell-parish-council>

Refreshments available

## Wherwell & Chilbolton Bedside Patient Chair Appeal for The Countess of Brecknock Hospice

The Brecknock Hospice is 'near and dear' to many of us, all touched by the kindness and loving care provided. Like us, many of you will have personal experience with family or dear friends being cared for at the hospice. Naming just a few, in recent weeks, the Hospice has cared for Queenie Smith, Brian Brown, Jill Rowles, and Chris Corner.

In celebration of our 30th Year in Wherwell, we decided to try raising £19,800 to purchase 11 Bedside Patient Chairs required for The Countess of Brecknock Hospice Expansion.



Working with our friends in Chilbolton, we began our appeal in February and have been overwhelmed by the kindness and generosity of our friends and neighbours. Currently pledges and donations stand at £17,000, so we remain hopeful of raising an additional £2,800 to achieve our goal.

Many of you support the Hospice in a variety of ways; as regular contributors; Care Group drivers; volunteering at the Hospice; etc., the Hospice needs this 'ongoing' support. Our Bedside Patient Chair Appeal is a 'one-off' special appeal.

To those of you who have donated to our Bedside Patient Chair Appeal, we sincerely 'Thank You', and ask those who may have not been aware of our 'one-off' appeal, to please consider supporting us by sending a 'pledge' to us at [wherwellbiz@aol.com](mailto:wherwellbiz@aol.com), or post a cheque payable to The Countess of Brecknock Hospice Trust to:

John & Judy Conte  
White Lodge  
Fullerton Road  
Wherwell SP11 7JS

Thank You for Your Consideration



We are holding a Pawsome Coffee Morning on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> May at Cholderton Village Hall. There's free parking available opposite the hall, on the grass behind the pub car park. We will be there between 10am and 12pm so please join us for some cake and a raffle.



This is the lovely Larry, he came into our care as a stray, he had been living on the streets for a while. He has now been neutered, blood tested, chipped and vaccinated. He is keen to get outside again but with a home to return to every day once he's finished checking out the neighbourhood.

Last month's cat, Fluffy, has been lucky enough to find a home in the country where she is sure to be spoiled. We recently took part in a fundraising weekend at Pets at Home and raised £80 from a toy tombola and donations. Thank you to everyone who got involved.

Did you know? Cats only sweat through their paws.

Homing Enquiries 0345 260 1501 or  
[andover.cats.org.uk](http://andover.cats.org.uk)

Fund-raising and volunteers 07733 242196 or email  
[coordinator@andover.cats.org.uk](mailto:coordinator@andover.cats.org.uk)

Items for resale 01256 892773

## **Chilbolton Village Hall Jumble Sale – 9.3.19**

We are greatly indebted to all those who turned out their cupboards and donated all sorts of interesting items and, of course, a very special thank you to all those who came to sort, sell and buy so much. We made the grand total of **£921.93**, which is a really great village effort! The money will be spent on improvements to *your* Hall!

Thank you all once again!

*Chilbolton Village Hall Management Committee*

**Wherwell Church Family PET Service**



**The next Family Service will be a special one for you and your PETS.**

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May at 10.00am**

**Come along and bring your pets for a blessing.**

Stockbridge Amateur Dramatic Society



**AGM**

**...followed by a Quiz and more!**

**On Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30 pm**

**Stockbridge Town Hall**

*You don't have to be a member of SADS, but we'd love it if you'd join!  
We're always looking for new blood to act, direct, produce and to be part of  
the backstage team. No experience necessary!*

## **Chilbolton Parish Council**

The Council held its monthly meeting on Monday 1st April 2019 at 19:00 at Chilbolton Village Hall. Two members of the public were present plus Andrew Gibson, our HCC councillor. I hope you have noticed the replanting that had taken place around Virgin Media's installation at the recycling centre. I was a bit concerned when we had some unusually dry weather but recent rain should have done the plants a power of good. We have stopped clearance work on West Down as ground nesting birds are beginning to build their nests. However, there is still work to be done up there and a few more of the many able bodied retired would be welcome. Three volunteers helped clear up brash left by fallen trees on the playing field. There is quite a pile waiting for a suitable day to have a bonfire. We also cleared the gutter in front of the pavilion which had become clogged with leaves. I have now put some gutter guard called "Hedgehog" in the gutter which should prevent the gutter and down pipes becoming clogged in the future. Other jobs on the playing field are rubbing down and repainting the storage container and lining the inside of the container so we can attach equipment to the sides. We will also provide a supply of electricity to the container. Once this is done, we plan to move the tables and chairs from the pavilion into the container to free up space. At present the pavilion is too cluttered. We are still struggling to get the water supply working. Speaking of the playing field, by the time you read this the Annual Parish Assembly will have taken place. CPC have decided to devote the assembly to consulting parishioners about the future of the playing field. I am sorry I will miss the assembly but I will be on holiday with my family in Wales. I look forward to hearing about it when I get back. Using it for football played by teams from outside the parish has not been an unqualified success so CPC are considering promoting the use of the field for more informal recreation by locals. When I was down there yesterday afternoon it was a pleasure to see so many families with young children enjoying the facilities in the sunshine. There are lots of ways we could improve these facilities and CPC are looking to as many of you as possible to tell us what you would like. Obviously, cost is a consideration but there are grants out there e.g. the Community Infrastructure Levy. What we don't want to do is spend a lot of money on something which is not used. One idea is an outdoor table tennis table which might appeal to older children. Other suggestions I have heard are a roundabout and more picnic tables. Although the meeting will be over when you read this, it will not be too late to put forward your ideas. The other thing that occurs to me is that the playing field would make a fantastic venue for an outside afternoon birthday party with lots of space for children to run around and play games. The pavilion can be

made available with toilets, wash basins and basic catering facilities. We would consider allowing parking on the playing field for such an event. The footpaths and bridleways are all clear. The scalping has at long last been delivered by HCC. Unfortunately, they put it in the wrong place and it is very heavy stuff to move. We will find a way to get it to the dip in the Mark Way as it runs alongside Test Valley Farm.

Those of you who have visited the Common recently will have noticed the new “Wild Life Area” notices. I think they are a big improvement on those we had before. Whether they will have the desired effect remains to be seen. Some of you may have noticed a willow tree by what I call “The Pond” has been cut down and the brash piled up along the bank. This was at the request of Natural England. Natural England have also asked us to take steps to prevent parking on the area of the Common in front of the Old Inn and the two other properties. Dragons teeth will be installed in the near future. There are some there already but most have rotted. We have submitted proposals to HCC to try and make the crossing of Coley Lane by the Test Way safer for pedestrians. The problem is that the crossing point is just inside the 20 mph speed limit sign. Drivers can legally do up to 60 mph between the May Fly junction and the 20 mph limit. This means that many drivers are going too fast for safety as they pass this crossing point. It occurs to me that one of you may have a suggestion as to how we can alert drivers not just that they are entering a 20 mph limit but that they are approaching a point where a national footpath crosses the road. We should not wait for an accident before we do something. Well, that’s it for another month. A Happy Easter to you all.

*David Griffiths*  
*Chairman*

## **Wherwell Parish Council**

### **Meeting report for 9<sup>th</sup> April, 2019**

The Parish Council (PC) was joined by District Cllr Drew, and two members of the public.

Four matters were raised in the open session:

- It was noted that the road surface on Fullerton Rd. was much improved following the repairs undertaken by the contractors to Virgin Media. Further follow ups are to be done in order to secure the remaining wayleaves, so that the remaining fibre cable can be laid.

- It was highlighted that there is not a sign on the outside of the Bus Stop. The bus company will be contacted to be made aware of the situation.
- A resident reported that the road surface on sections of Chant Close is very poor. The PC was already aware of the situation & the matter has been flagged with Aster Housing Association & reinforced by Cllr Drew. For further pressure residents should complain or sign a petition.
- Concerns had been raised regarding the unacceptable amount of dog fouling in certain areas of the village. Dog fouling is the responsibility of dog owners, and not a matter for the PC, however, the dog warden will be invited to assess the situation & the possibility of having some additional bins placed in the village will be explored.

Below is an extract from the TVBC website on dog fouling:

### **Dog Fouling**

Everyone should be able to enjoy living in a clean and healthy environment - no one should have to put up with the actions of irresponsible dog owners. In order to encourage responsible behaviour and deter fouling, the Council provides numerous dog bins and has signs reminding dog owners to clear up after their dogs.

In 2006, Test Valley Borough Council brought in to force a Dog Control Order which makes it an offence for a person to fail to clear up faeces after a dog in their charge, without reasonable excuse, on any land within the Test Valley area which is open to the air and to which the public have access to. A person found guilty of an offence may be fined up to £1000.

On 20 October 2017, the provisions of this Dog Control Order became enforceable in the same way as a Public Spaces Protection Order by virtue of section 75 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014. This will continue in force until 20 October 2020, unless the Council varies or discharges the Order before that date.

For further information please visit:

<http://www.testvalley.gov.uk/housingandenvironmentalhealth/animalwelfare/dog-fouling>

The minutes of the March Meeting were agreed and signed as accurate. In matters arising, it was noted that the PC had submitted a response to Wheelabrator regarding the proposed incinerator at Harewood (copies of which can be seen on the PC noticeboard & community website). Residents and action groups are reminded that the information contained in posts on social media, must be accurate.

Cllr Drew reported that there is likely to be a further “Wheelabrator” consultation period towards the end of the year. He added that he will be one of two candidates in the contested Harewood Ward election on 2<sup>nd</sup> May.

The end of year accounts were tabled & agreed, subject to audit. The PC approved the terms of HALC membership for 2019/20.

There were no new planning applications to be considered, decisions from TVBC on earlier applications were noted.

Updates from Councillors were received:

- Cllr Blazdell has been gathering ideas for village gateways as a way of traffic calming. She will liaise with the V. Hall committee with regard to the emergency plan.
- Cllr Broadbent had attended the Hampshire highways Spring workshop, which had been mainly presentational. A meeting has been arranged with TVBC later in April, to discuss the housing needs survey.
- Cllr Hutton reported that Andy King had now retired as the Head Teacher of Wherwell Primary School, and that he enjoyed his last week of “surprises” to mark the occasion. Mrs. Collins has been appointed as his replacement and the transition has worked well. Cllr Hutton also reported that the newly installed, wheelchair friendly path at the WPF to the multi sports area may be extended to the woodland.

- Cllr Shean had attended the recent resilience forum and gathered information with regard to generators (as part of the emergency plan).

Some minor amendments to the WPC Standing orders were agreed. The website accessibility statement was also agreed, as was the 2019/20 contract for the Parish Lengthsman.

In order to utilise the Section 106 monies from the Lime Tree Development, the PC will investigate the possibility of dropping the curb at the new Fullerton Cottonworth Footpath to improve access, and explore the possibility of putting in a footpath near the Harewood Hamlet on the Longparish Rd. Projects at the Wherwell Playing Fields will be identified to make use of the money identified for Childrens Playspace & Informal recreation.

The PC next Meeting will immediately follow the Parish Assembly being held on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May. Following the recent thefts from local outbuildings, it is hoped that a crime prevention officer will be available to make a short presentation at the Parish Assembly.

*Sean Hutton, Chair*

## **‘Secret Spitfires’ (PG)**

We are delighted to confirm that we will show the ‘Secret Spitfires’ film on Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2019, at Chilbolton Village Hall. The doors will be open at 6.45 pm and the show will commence at 7.30 pm

We have invited Ethem Cetintas, the Director, and Norman Parker, the Historical Adviser, to attend and they have agreed, so this should be a very special event. We hope there will be a Q & A session following the film.

If you have already expressed an interest you are assured of a seat and your ticket/s will be waiting for you on the door, priced at £5.00 each. However, I would be grateful if you will confirm that you are still able to attend the event.

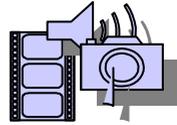
Many thanks

***Sold Out***

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*Beryl Lawrence*

# A Special Event at the Movies!



CHILBOLTON VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE  
Proudly Present

## **'SECRET SPITFIRES'** (PG)

The story of how ordinary old men, women and children continued building Spitfires in the Salisbury area after the bombing of the factories in Southampton during WWII.

It is hoped the Director, Ethem Cetintas, and Norman Parker, the Historical Adviser, will attend and hold a Q & A session following the film.

On  
Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2019  
Doors open 6.45 pm

***Sold Out***

Tickets £5.00 - In advance  
Or £6.00 - On the door (subject to availability)  
Price includes tea/coffee and biscuits

Wine, beer, orange juice and choc ices  
will be on sale

**To book your ticket, please ring Beryl Lawrence  
on 01264 860618**

**or Sheila Laughton on 01264 860460  
or E-mail [dlaw@davidlawrenceassociates.co.uk](mailto:dlaw@davidlawrenceassociates.co.uk)**

# WHERWELL SCHOOL FETE



**Sunday 19th May 12pm-3pm**  
**Wherwell Primary School**  
**Longparish Rd, SP11 7JP**



**A FUN DAY OUT FOR ALL THE FAMILY**  
**STALLS, GAMES, BOUNCY CASTLE,**  
**GRAND RAFFLE, LIVE MUSIC, PIMMS**  
**BAR, BBQ BY CLOS DU MARQUIS**  
**ENTRY £1**  
**SORRY NO DOGS**

## Wherwell Primary School Fete

We hope you can join us for an afternoon of family fun at the Wherwell School Fete which is held on the Schools playing field on the 19th May from 12pm-3pm.

All the usual popular attractions will be there including kids games, face painting, bouncy castle, book stall, bottle tombola and plant stall. Hardy's Nursery, Market for all Seasons, Hilliers Garden Centre and the Hairy Pot Co have all kindly donated to the plant stall so arrive early to snap up a beautiful bargain for your garden.



There will be live swing, blues and jazz music from Add Hoc followed by enthusiastic country dancing and maypole performances by the children

The Grand Raffle has over twenty fantastic prizes to be won which have been generously donated by local companies including JoCo Hampers, Riverside Bowl, Chilbolton Village Stores, The Abbots Mitre, The Clos du Marquis, Snow Biz, Andover Lawn Tennis Club, Merityre, Beauty Treats, Hildon Water, Danebury Vineyards, Hero, Finkley Down Farm, The Spitfire Shoot, Andover Golf Club and more. Tickets are just £1 each and are available from the Chilbolton Village Store.

Mouth-watering refreshments will be available at our BBQ & Pimms Bar run by local restaurant the Clos du Marquis, as well as plenty of homemade cakes, ice cream, teas and coffee.

The theme for this year's Fete is 'Protecting the Environment' and we are hoping to use some of the funds raised on the day to purchase an anaerobic digester for the school which would recycle all our food waste for years to come. With the recent worrying news of the proposal to build a large waste incinerator just three miles from our school we feel that taking responsibility for our waste is a timely and important message to be teaching our children from an early age.

We would like to say a huge thank you to all the local businesses who have supported the Fete, with special thanks to Winchester Auto Barn, Graham & Co, HD Labels and Wherwell Estates for their generous donations to help with the overheads.

Please come along to the Fete on the 19th May, enjoy the day and help us put the 'fun' back into Fundraising! Entry is just £1 and kids go free. Sorry no dogs.



The children drew pictures depicting what the Fete and protecting the environment meant to them.

[www.wherwellschoolpta.co.uk](http://www.wherwellschoolpta.co.uk)

## CHILBOLTON HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

**STEVE AUSTIN**

will be talking on

**'PLANTS FOR SHADE'**



Tuesday 28th May 7.45pm Chilbolton Village Hall

All welcome. Visitors £3 donation please.

Refreshments. Raffle. Plants for Sale.

## Diary Dates

	West Down working party	Every Tuesday	2.00 – 4.00 pm
	Short Mat Bowls at CVH	Every Monday	7.30 – 9.30 pm
	Keep fit at WVH	Every Tuesday	9.15 – 10.15 am
	Badminton at CVH	Every Thursday	8.00pm
	Weekly Bingo WHG Club	Every Monday	7.30 pm
	Golden Pilates CVH	Every Wednesday	2.00 - 300 pm
	<b>May-19</b>		
3	Stockbridge Music	St Peter's Stockbridge	7.30 pm
3	Film Secret Spitfires	CVH	6.45 for 7:30 pm
4	Wherwell Coffee Morning	WVH	10.30 am
6	Chilbolton PC Meeting	CVH	7.00 pm
6	Forest Run	Wherwell Playing Field	10.00 – 12.00
6	Sports Fair and Fete	Wherwell Playing Field	11.00 – 2.30 pm
<b>6</b>	<b><i>Ad Hoc deadline for June magazine</i></b>		
7	SADS AGM & Quiz	Stockbridge Town Hall	7.30 pm
9	Quiz	The Mayfly	8.00 pm
<b>10</b>	<b><i>Copy deadline for June Magazine</i></b>		
11	Chilbolton Coffee Morning	CVH	10.30 am
11	Monthly Bingo	HGC	8.00 pm
11	Mozart Requiem	St Mary's Andover	7.30 pm
13	Annual PC Meeting	CVH	7.00 pm
13	Andover Film Club	Odeon	8.00 pm
14	Wherwell Parish Assembly	WVH	7.00 pm
17	Wherwell History Group AGM	WVH	8.00 pm
18	CATS pr'n coffee morning	Cholderton Village Hall	10.00 – 12 noon
19	Pet Service	Wherwell Church	10.00 am
19	Wherwell Primary School Fete	Wherwell Primary School	12.00 – 3.00 pm
20	Midday Mums	WVH	10.30 – 12.00
21	W.I. AGM	CVH	7.30 pm
23	Quiz	The Mayfly	8:00 PM
24	Conchon de Lait	The Mayfly	7:00 PM
25	Wherwell Singers	St Peter & Holy Cross	7.30 pm
26	Sunday Quiz	HGC	7.30 for 8.00 pm
28	Chilbolton Horticultural Society	CVH	7.45 pm
28	Ladies Night	WVH	8:00 PM
	<b>Jun-19</b>		
2	Meditations	Wherwell Church	6:00 PM
7	Film Green Book	CVH	7.00 pm
8	Wherwell Fete	Church Street, Wherwell	12 noon

## WHAT'S ON IN THE AREA – May

3 <sup>rd</sup>	Royal Philharmonic Orchestra at Winchester Cathedral This unique concert featuring the World Premiere of the 'Hampshire Symphony' by Calin Huma. The programme also includes Saint-Saens' impressionistic Violin Concerto No. 3 and 'Balada', a musical gem of sheer Romantic indulgence - 01962 857 275 (further information)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	The Gesualdo Six - Stockbridge Music Club - vocal group comprised of some of the UK's finest young consort singers. 7:30 (AL)
4 <sup>th</sup>	Introductions to Classical Piano: Alistair McGowan - The nation's favourite impressionist, also known for his brilliant stand-up and acting. 8 PM (TRW)
5 <sup>th</sup>	Houghton Trail – fun run and cycle event, advance online entry only at <a href="http://www.houghton-trail-event.org.uk">www.houghton-trail-event.org.uk</a>
9 <sup>th</sup> /12 <sup>th</sup>	Open Garden – Tanglefoot... Winchester 2-5:30 SO21 2QB
11 <sup>th</sup>	Mozart Requiem concert - St Mary's Church, Andover - 19:30
12 <sup>th</sup>	Food Fair Andover High St 10 – 2pm
16 <sup>th</sup> /19 <sup>th</sup>	Open Garden - How Park Barn Stockbridge, SO20 6QG 2-5pm
18 <sup>th</sup> / 19 <sup>th</sup>	British Touring Car Championship at Thruxton SP11 8PW 01264 882222
19 <sup>th</sup>	Wherwell School Fete 12 – 3 BBQ by the Clos du Marquis
19 <sup>th</sup>	Born to Mince - Julian Clary - bares his soul as never before in the interests of light entertainment - Mayflower Southampton 02380 711811
22 <sup>nd</sup>	The Hound of the Baskervilles is an absolute must-see! 7:30pm (AL)
24 <sup>th</sup>	Sounds of the 60's - Sixties tribute show that's wowing audiences around the world, selling out venues from the Palladium to Blackpool Tower – The spectacular sounds of THE ZOOTS! 7:30 (PTR)
26 <sup>th</sup> /27 <sup>th</sup>	Open Gardens 10:30 – 16:00 Romsey SO51 8LD The White Cottage - Andover, SP11 8BE 14:00 - 17:30 Fleur De Lys – Andover SP11 8AY 14:00 – 17:30
30 <sup>th</sup> /31 <sup>st</sup>	The Road to Oz - Integ8 Dance Community Event 2pm/7pm (TRW)
<b>Farmers Markets</b>	
Romsey - First Sunday of every month 10am - 3pm	
Winchester - Second and last Sunday of every month 9am -2pm	
Andover - Third Sunday of every month (March to December)	
Plus... Andover Market for All Seasons – every Friday 8:30am - 1pm	
Venue	Number
Andover Lights - (AL)	01264 368368
Theatre Royal Winchester - (TRW)	01962 840 440
Plaza Theatre Romsey – (PTR)	01794 523054
Salisbury Playhouse - (SP)	01722 320 333
ents24.com – (E)	Go Online to check availability & book



**SAVE THE DATE**  
**WHERWELL OPEN GARDENS**  
**Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June, 1pm – 5pm**

The Management Committee of the Colonel Jenkins Memorial Hall  
invites you to tour 10 Open Gardens!

The gardens range from traditional cottage gardens through to larger modern  
planting schemes, with some of the gardens bordering the River Test.  
Whatever your interest in gardening, there is something to delight and inspire  
you in Wherwell.

Entry by Programme at £5 per person, all proceeds going toward the care and  
maintenance of our Village Hall.

Come and join us for Lunch with Tea, Coffee, Sandwiches and Cakes  
available, after the tour stop in for Pimms.

Thank You for Your Support  
We Look Forward to Seeing You There

## Old Friends

By the time this piece is in the magazine you should be seeing the first arrivals of swifts and swallows from South Africa. I know several people in the village who make diary notes of when the birds arrive each year, I am not so organised and are just pleased to see them again. It is estimated that spring brings about 16 million migrants-swifts, swallows, nightingales, warblers and wagtails here to build their nests and rear their young. Leading the way is the forked tailed swallow enchanting us with its amazing agility, sometimes you hear its shrill 'tsink, tsink' before you see it and there it is perched on a telephone wire.

The swifts and swallows spend their winters in South Africa mainly around the wet lands of Durban and inland at Bloemfontein but I have seen them in large flocks near irrigation lakes around the vineyards and golf courses of the Cape darting to and fro in exhilarating curves and parabolas hunting down their similarly effortless agile insect prey. The swifts, the cousins of the swallows are more vocal and have a harsh scream and a more high-pitched squeal associated with parties swooping and swerving round houses on a summers evening which the swallows tend not to do.

The swifts are not as swift as the swallows and you only have to look at their profiles to see why. The swallow has long powerful wings with elongated outer tail feathers by which the bird is recognised, these provide its crucial aerodynamic advantage, a streamlined body and forked tail which determines the trajectory, just like the flaps of an aeroplane. You might say the swift was the Hurricane and the swallow the Spitfire of the bird world.

Come early February the migrants turn their back on a carefree existence in South Africa and head north in small groups on an epic 5,000 mile journey. This takes them over the jungles and plains of Africa, along the rivers of Namibia and Zambia, the Congo and the Nigeria. They then split and some head up the west coast of Africa and others tackle the Sahara and on to Europe that way. Most of the swallows arrive in southern Europe in early April and the swifts, easily distinguished by their white rumps, short tail and white underparts arrive a few days later, the journey appears to take them about 60 to 70 days so it is circa 100 miles a day during which they feed on the wing. The birds I see every year arrive in Newton Stacey between the 8<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of April and return to their regular nesting places in a frequented kitchen. In recent times there has been a great deal of research carried out on migrating birds so that their routes, feeding habits and confirmation that the birds do tend to stick to familiar routes to and from Africa and end up in the same place every year. This is a remarkable achievement for such a tiny bird and it must have our respect. I did read that

when the birds are feeding their young the parents fly 400 miles a day catching flies of all descriptions which they store in the back of their mouths until there is sufficient to meet the offspring's clamorous needs; 400 miles seems a lot but then what would I know about such things. Now in winter I do long to see again the swallow, constantly on the wing with an easy, gliding flight; hardly ever on the ground, although one did fly into my stationary car and I had to pick it up, that was a privilege and threw it back into the air to bring me further pleasures.

*Alan Crisp*

## **STOCKBRIDGE MUSIC**

Presents

**THE GESUALDO SIX (CHORAL)**

**Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2019**

**St Peter's Church, Stockbridge, 7.30pm**

Six powerful classically trained voices with a passion for ensemble singing. This is a vocal consort comprised of the UK's finest young consort singers, directed by Owain Park. They are enjoying a rapid rise to fame.

"At times you felt like there were a hundred voices: at others, only one."

They will be performing sacred and secular music throughout the ages.

*"The most exciting choral ensemble I have heard."* *Tim Lowden*

Tickets £14 available from:  
[www.jumblebee.co.uk/stockbridgemusic](http://www.jumblebee.co.uk/stockbridgemusic)

Local box offices will open 4 weeks prior to the concert

## Chilbolton Pre-School

It has been a very busy term with lots of special events. The children had fun on pancake day eating pancakes for snack then we all had pancake races outside. The children made beautiful Mother's Day mirrors and enjoyed drawing their mummies and decorating them. We had a new planter kindly



donated by woodblocks and the children have helped to plant potatoes, carrots and lettuces. The children always remember to water the seeds and we are eagerly awaiting for the first signs of growth.

The weather has been incredibly changeable, the children loved the windy day and we had scarves made into kites blowing in the wind. Our sunny days have enabled us to get down into our forest school. We have used the bow saw and been threading elder beads to make bracelets. The children really enjoyed learning all

about birds and making nests. They all collected twigs, moss and feathers to make their own nests and we had finger puppet birds that then tried the nests out. We finished the session off singing "two little dickie birds" and using the bird names in the song.



We have been doing lots of active art including painting with a drill, using watercolours, painting on a Perspex tile and doing self-portraits on a clear plastic sheet.

Our Easter celebrations started off with a visit to Wherwell school to see



Robin class where we took part in lots of Easter crafts. We had a very enjoyable morning together and we look forward to doing more of these visits.

The term finished with our annual Easter egg hunt, after reading "we are going on an egg hunt" we set off to collect chocolate eggs on the astro turf and patio. When we had found all the eggs, we returned to Pre-School to have our Easter bonnet parade.

*Sam Inglis, Manager, Chilbolton Pre-School*

# **CHILBOLTON CHURCH FETE AND BBQ**

SATURDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

BANNUTS FARM, CHILBOLTON

**12.30 – 3.30pm**



**Fun Dog Show**

**Barbeque of locally sourced meats,  
Beer and Pimms Tent, Tea and Cakes,  
Ice Creams,**

**Grand Draw, Bottle Tombola, Stalls and  
Games for all the Family**

**Enquiries to Jennie Pope 860852**

# WHERWELL FETE - Saturday 8th June

*The church needs to make the summer fete a real success in order to ensure its continued viability. Volunteers are always needed on the day and it's a good opportunity to meet others in the village (call Susanne on 860741). We would also be extremely grateful for the donation of any raffle prizes or any of the following objects for our stalls:*

<b>Stall</b>	<b>Items</b>	<b>Contact</b>
<b>Cakes</b>	<b>Cakes, biscuits</b>	<b>Please bring to stall on the day</b>
<b>Bric-a-brac</b>	<b>Unwanted treasures</b>	<b>Please contact 860879 to arrange drop off</b>
<b>Chocolate tombola</b>	<b>Chocolate bars / sweets</b>	<b>Anne Clare Whiteside 860530</b>
<b>Gifts</b>	<b>New or nearly-new items</b>	<b>Andrew &amp; Pam Flanagan 860560 Bring to stall on the day please</b>
<b>Pimms Tent</b>	<b>Pimms bottles</b>	<b>Anna Lipa 860879 or stall on the day please</b>
<b>Plants</b>	<b>Plants, trees, shrubs (labelled please!) gardening tools, books</b>	<b>Diane Newell 720464 and stall on the day please</b>
<b>Produce</b>	<b>Jams, pickles, fresh produce</b>	<b>Anna Parnell Bring to stall on the day please</b>
<b>Teas</b>	<b>Cakes, sandwiches, etc</b>	<b>Village Hall on the day please</b>
<b>Tombola</b>	<b>Bottles (full!) either alcoholic or otherwise</b>	<b>Ken Wilson 860461</b>
<b>Toys</b>	<b>Toys and games</b>	<b>Please contact 860879 to arrange drop off</b>

**WHERWELL FETE**  
**Saturday 8th June**  
**Church Street, Wherwell**  
**12 noon - Raffle draw at 3pm**  
**FREE PARKING**

**BBQ, Pimm's Tent, Teas, Tombola, Bouncy Castle, Cakes,  
Plants, Produce, Air Rifles, Raffles, Gifts, Games and much  
more**

**Lucky programme £1-50**

**In Aid of St Peter & Holy Cross Church, Wherwell**



## **Pilates Mat Classes**

We have a few spaces left in our beginner/improver class  
Chilbolton Village Hall on Wednesday's @ 7:10pm

Come and join us for an hour of mindful movement  
Contact Sam t: 07717 858375 e: [sam@thewellnessstudio.co.uk](mailto:sam@thewellnessstudio.co.uk)

## OPEN GARDENS, LONGSTOCK, Nr Stockbridge

**SAT 15 and SUN 16 JUNE 2019**

**1.30 pm to 5.30 pm each day**

**ENTRY PRICE (Covering both days)**

**ADULTS £8 under 16s FREE**

Returning to Hampshire's list of Open Gardens Events is the one to be held at **Longstock**, a beautiful village in the heart of the Test Valley, and **close to Stockbridge**.



Eight Gardens, some of which have never previously been seen by the general public, plus the Village Allotments and St Mary's Church will be open to visitors.

Programmes will be on sale in the Village Hall (Post Code SO20 6DP) and also at one of the designated parking areas in the village. Watch out for the signs.

Teas will be served in the Village Hall on both afternoons starting at 1.30 pm, where there will also be a Plant Stall with many quality plants and bargains to be had.

A limited amount of free - mini bus - transport will be available to take visitors up and down the village.

Unfortunately dogs will not be allowed to enter any of the gardens.

All proceeds are in aid of St Mary's Church, Longstock.

For queries please contact Garry Hedley (Church Treasurer) on 01264 810284 or by e mail [gh2900@btinternet.com](mailto:gh2900@btinternet.com)

**CHILBOLTON W.I.**

CALLING ALL W.I. MEMBERS

You are invited to come to the

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

on Tuesday 21st May at 7.30pm at Chilbolton Village hall.

Refreshments, raffle, food bank, flower of the month.

**SATURDAY 11th MAY, 2019**

**7.30pm**

**MOZART REQUIEM**

**at**

**ST MARY'S CHURCH, ANDOVER, SP10 1DP**

Andover Choral Society present Mozart's iconic choral masterpiece, accompanied by professional orchestra and soloists.

From the resounding thunder of the *Dies Irae* to the tearful pleading of the *Lacrimosa*, the Requiem showcases Mozart's extraordinary musical range and features some of his best-known music.

As always, the society is joined by orchestral players and soloists of the highest calibre: an evening not to be missed.

Tickets £12, available from the choir on 01264 396511, or from The Lights on 01264 368368 and at [thelights.org.uk](http://thelights.org.uk).

For more details about Andover Choral Society go to their website [www.andoverchoralsociety.org.uk](http://www.andoverchoralsociety.org.uk)



### OPENING TIMES

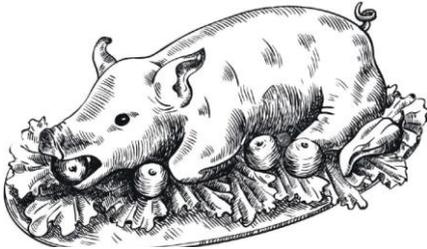
Mon to Sat 10am – 11pm  
Sunday Midday – 10pm

### FOOD SERVED

Mon to Sat Midday – 9pm  
Sunday Midday – 8pm

[www.mayflyfullerton.co.uk](http://www.mayflyfullerton.co.uk)  
[mayfly.office@fullers.co.uk](mailto:mayfly.office@fullers.co.uk)

Tel : 01264 860 283



### CONCHON DE LAIT

FRIDAY 24<sup>th</sup> May 7pm

**£25.95**

3 course dinner  
WITH LIVE MUSIC  
BOOKINGS IN Advance

Vegetarian option available

### OPPORTUNITIES @ THE MAYFLY

We are currently recruiting for the following position both Full & Part Time  
Bar Staff  
Waiting Staff

CDP  
Junior Soux Chef

Contact Darren @ The Mayfly

### QUIZ NIGHT

Our Quiz night continues into May 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>

Teams of 6 (max)

Starts @ 8pm

£1 per person entry

“Our new menu is now in full swing with fantastic reviews from our guests. Sunday lunches are still by far as popular as ever. ‘Conchon de lait’ is a traditional French dinner which we are bringing to the area. Our pig is traditionally cooked on a spit from Midday and will be served on this fantastic evening with great music. Call us for menu information. Bookings are essential.”

**Darren Felvus – General**

# Summer Concert



**Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> May, 7:30pm**  
**St. Peter & Holy Cross Church, Wherwell**

Join the Wherwell Singers as we celebrate the arrival of **Summer** with a programme of music devoted to the theme of **love**.

The programme explores settings of love poetry from contemporary and Renaissance composers, including Gibbons, Monteverdi, Debussy, Gjeilo and Todd.

Tickets £8, available online: [www.wherwellsingers.org](http://www.wherwellsingers.org)  
or on the door.

## MIDDAY MUMS



Midday Mums will meet again on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May,  
10.30am – 12noon  
in Wherwell Village Hall. All with babies/toddlers welcome.

The next one is on 17<sup>th</sup> June.

*Joyce Payne 860296*

## Rotten Reader

I'm a really rotten reader  
the worst in all the class,  
the sort of rotten reader  
that makes you want to laugh.

I'm last in all the readin' tests,  
my score's not on the page  
and when I read to teacher  
she gets in such a rage.

She says I cannot form my words  
She says I can't build up  
and that I don't know phonics  
- and don't know c-a-t- from k-u-p.

They say that I'm dyslectic  
(that's a word they've just found  
out)  
... but when I get some plasticine  
I know what that's about.

I make these scary monsters  
I draw these secret lands  
and get my hair all sticky  
and paint on all me hands.

I make these super models,  
I build these smashing towers  
that reach up to the ceiling  
and take me hours and hours.

I paint these lovely pictures  
in thick green drippy paint  
that gets all on the carpet  
and makes the cleaners faint.

I build great magic forests,  
weave bushes out of string  
and paint pink panderellos  
and birds that really sing.

I play my world of real believe,  
I play it every day  
and teachers stand and  
watch me  
but don't know what to say.

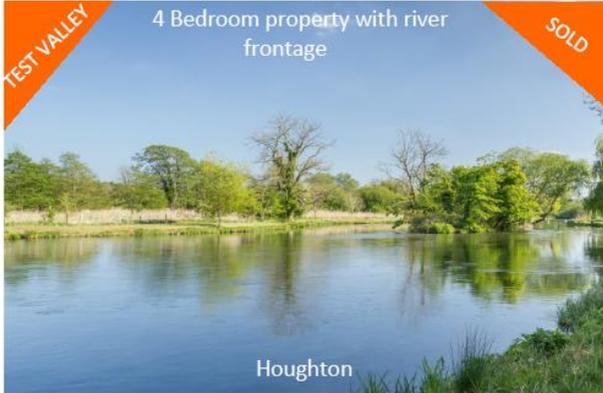
They give me diagnostic tests,  
they try out reading schemes,  
but none of them will ever  
know  
the colour of my dreams.



*Rotten Reader* is written by  
Peter Dixon and published in his collection  
'*Grow Your Own Poems*'.

Andy King recited this poem at his retirement  
party after being Headteacher at  
Wherwell Primary School for nearly 18 years.

## SPECIALISING IN PROPERTY IN THE BEAUTIFUL TEST VALLEY



We are an independent local agent with many years experience of selling property in the Test Valley area.

*"We care about property, we care about people"*



David Smith



Emma LeeHarper

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# **Wherwell Playing Fields Monday 6th May**

**10K and 5K Forest Run**

[www.wherwellschoolpta.co.uk/harewood-forest-run](http://www.wherwellschoolpta.co.uk/harewood-forest-run)



**10.00 am till 12 noon**



## **Sports Fair and Fete 11am till 2.30 pm**

**Football festival   Sports Displays   Craft Stalls  
Fun for the whole family**

**Free Children's Sports and Races  
Children's Activity Marquee**

**Bar   Refreshments   Hot Dogs  
Stalls   Jazz Band   Grand Draw**

**Parking and children free  
Adults £1 with programme**

# Ladies Night

*All Ladies are invited to*  
**Meet the new Head Teacher  
Of Wherwell Primary School  
Mrs Mary Collins**

**After 18 years doing an excellent job Mr Andy King has retired and a new chapter begins.**

**Come and meet his successor and hear about the  
'Wherwell Way'**

**And other news regarding the schools plans and their  
impact on the environment**

**At Wherwell Village Hall  
On Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> May  
At 8 pm.**

**Only £2 including tea or coffee and biscuits after the talk**

**You are welcome to bring your own refreshments to enjoy during  
the evening or may wish to share with others!**



**Any enquiries to  
[elahudson87@gmail.com](mailto:elahudson87@gmail.com)  
Angela Hughes**

# Sunday Quiz & Meat Draw

hosted by Dave & Alex Machin  
**26<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

7.30 for 8.00pm === Admission £2.50



**Cash Prizes**

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**Teams of up to 6**

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**Light Buffet  
included**

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Tables **MUST** be reserved IN  
ADVANCE - phone Andrew  
(01264 860 560)

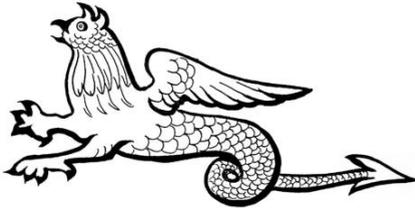
**Weekly Bingo Evenings on Mondays at 7.30pm**

**Monthly Bingo on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> May at 8pm**

at **Wherwell Home Guard Club**

The Old Hill, Wherwell, SP11 7JB, 01264 860 314

**Newly decorated Meeting Room available for hire. Seats 60.  
Licensed Bar optional. Enquires to Sue on 01264 860508.**



May 17<sup>th</sup>

A.G.M.

Followed by featured presentations from

WHG archives



June 21<sup>st</sup>

Tony Cross

People on plinths  
in Hampshire



July 5<sup>th</sup>

Howard Green

Guided tour of  
Mottisfont village

surrounds

All talks take place in Wherwell Village Hall, at 8.00pm  
Tea or coffee and biscuits are served after the talk  
Everyone is welcome (£4 entrance fee for non-members)

*Andrew Flanagan*



# Village Contacts – Clubs & Organisations

## Clubs and organisations

Badminton	Jill Lord	860667
Beavers/Cub scouts	Frances Waghorn	01962 776048
Brownies	Julie Shone	01962 761269
Care Group (Driver Coordinator)	Su Field	861338
(Admin)	Sally Griffiths	860313
Chilbolton Players	Ford Bacon	07788 470188
Chilbolton Church Flowers	Jane Brown	860726
Chilbolton Coffee Morning	Sheila Laughton	860460
Chilbolton Neighbourhood Watch	Denise Hall	860543
Chilbolton Open Spaces Committee	David Griffiths (Chair)	860313
Chilbolton Playing Field Action Group	Claire Pigott	860522
Flood Advisory Group	Terry Gilmour	860507
Horticultural Society	Sheila Evans	860697
Joyrides Community Bus	Mary Dunne	860398
	John Musters	810459
Midday Mums	Joyce Payne	860296
Pre-School	Sam Inglis	07732 095814
Short Mat Bowls	Deb & Richard Richardson	861082
Village Hall (Chilbolton) - Booking Only	Kate Ballard	860524
	<a href="mailto:chilboltonhallbookings@outlook.com">chilboltonhallbookings@outlook.com</a>	
Village Hall (Chilbolton) - All other matters	Tony Ewer	860486
Village Hall (Wherwell) - Bookings	Julie Dickenson	07519 357593
Village Website	<a href="http://www.chilboltonandwherwell.info">www.chilboltonandwherwell.info</a>	
Wherwell Church Flowers	Jo Baughen	860319
Wherwell Cricket Club	Nigel Horne (Chair)	07876 122927
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Wherwell History Group	Andrew Flanagan	860560
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