

Albury Parish News

August 2023

Number 401



**Serving the local communities of Albury,
Albury Heath, Brook, Farley Green,
Little London and Newlands Corner**

**Services in Albury and Farley Green
for August 2023
at the Parish Church, Church Lane, Albury
unless stated**

6	9.30 a.m. Morning Worship with Communion 'Come to me all who are weary'
13	9.30 a.m. Communion Service Rest is important
20	9.30 a.m. Morning Worship with Communion Time to celebrate
27	9.30 Communion Service Wait upon the Lord

Everyone is very welcome in church.

HOLIDAY CLUB in Shere Village Hall

Mornings 21-24 August - a great time for children aged 5-11.

Details and online signup at www.sacholidayclub.co.uk

(see also separate advert page 6).

Front cover: Albury Music Festival

From the Minister

The older part of the delightful house currently in use as Albury Vicarage was built when doorways were whatever height the builder decided. Quite often, I guess, they built them at a comfortable height for themselves. And it appears that the builder of this house was a bit shorter than me. Quite a bit.

I thought that average human heights in the UK had been steadily increasing since the year dot, but in fact they have gone up and down according to diet, climate, living conditions, disease, work, and more. In the 12th century people were nearly as tall as they are now, then they shrank for a couple of hundred years, before growing again. They shrank a lot after the mid 17th century: from roughly 1700 to 1800, average heights were five to six inches shorter than today. But we are now on another upward trend. And I bang my head on old doorways.

This has caused me to make interesting discoveries, chief among which is that I am incapable of holding a conversation and remembering to duck at the same time.

I know that I am taller than average; even today most people don't have a problem in our house. But I have been used to living in a world where people above average height could fit through doorways, and like the dinosaurs, I have failed to adapt. I am out of kilter with the house I live in.

So whose fault it is that I bang my head? I could say 'It's the house's fault! The world should fit me!' Or I can accept that if I live in a house with low doorways, I need to adapt to the house.

Clearly with the house I must adapt. But does that always apply when the world does not fit us? When it is not a building, but culture, that we're talking about, the answer isn't nearly so obvious. When should we push against the flow? Christians are one group who have never been strangers to living out of kilter with the world, long before individualism was a thing. 'Do not be conformed to the world,' wrote the apostle Paul. Contrary to today's perceptions, this often meant standing for liberty and equality in a world of oppression.

But sometimes we need to respect society's norms. Constantly upsetting each other by being awkward is not very helpful. Perhaps we need principles so that conformity does not lead into unthinking acceptance of injustice, and so that taking a stand of our own is not pure self-indulgence.

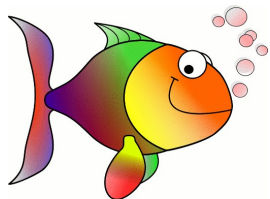
Long ago Jesus, a man who was killed for not conforming, although he preached a kingdom of community and love, repeated two principles ancient even when he spoke. We could do worse: 'Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind'. This is the first and greatest commandment. And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.'"

All blessings

Andrew Pearson

Resident Minister

Little Fishes



Little Fishes is now meeting in the Barn Church every Friday morning in termtime at 9.30 a.m. for a story, prayer, songs, colouring and crafts.

For further details, please email pennycrandall@hotmail.com

Hark & Ride

If you would like a lift to church when services resume, then please phone 01483 202210 or 01483 203208

If you can help in this way occasionally, please contact Theresa Channer on 202210 or Penny Randall on 203208

Albury Café

Closed due to the Corona virus outbreak.

We hope to be back soon.



Tea and Chat



**at 3pm,
@ 26 Weston Fields
All welcome**



Defibrillator Information

The Parish Council have installed defibrillators at the following locations.

Albury Memorial Library Little London (William 1V) Newlands Corner
Farley Green (Bus Shelter) Main Door, St Peter and St Pauls, Church Lane

The Tent Service 2023 - the roof stayed on

That would not usually be a matter of record, but after the wind of the previous 24 hours it was noteworthy enough. Once again the Produce Show and Music Festival committees were kind enough to let the churches of Shere, Albury and Chilworth use the marquee for a service on the Sunday morning of Show weekend, and it was a real pleasure to welcome the Archdeacon of Surrey, Paul Davies, as the speaker. We had a relatively informal service with something in it for all the family and also found out, courtesy of an interview with Paul Davies, just something of what it is like being an Archdeacon. Happily he is nothing like the fearsome characters in 'Rev' or, if you are even older, 'All Gas and Gaiters'!

Andrew Pearson

What do you need and what do you want and are they the same?

This was an illuminating activity at July's Messy Church - a selection of everyday objects, and two overlapping hoops - one for what we need, one for what we want, and the overlap for objects that fitted both. It was quite interesting seeing where young people put things! But the answers were mostly very sensible.

This was all part of this month's theme of equality and justice - do we always have to have what we want? What do we do for people who don't have what they need? Serious but it was also fun.

Next Messy Church is at 4.00 p.m. on Sunday 10 September. Please email sheena.pearson@btopenworld.com if you want to come, so we can provide materials and tea.

Andrew Pearson

Hear Here

The Hear Here clinic runs once a month in Shere Surgery, from 1 till 3pm on a Tuesday afternoon, usually the first or second Tuesday in the month. This is a volunteer led service intended for those with NHS hearing aids needing minor repairs or new batteries. Please remember to bring your NHS booklet if you have one.

To book an appointment please call the surgery on 01483 202066.

Dates for upcoming sessions: 8th August, 5th September

Penny Randall

The perfect diet

What is the best and most infallible way to reduce your waistline? Just move your head slowly from right to left when asked to have a second helping.

The Churches of Shere, Albury & Chilworth present their annual

HOLIDAY CLUB

5 - 11 year olds

Kingdom Express
The Incredible Journey

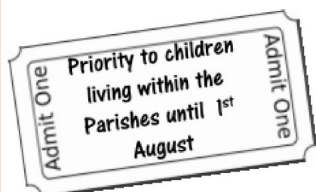


stories, crafts, songs, games, drama and more

Monday 21 - Thursday 24 August 2023

10am till 1.30pm - Shere Village Hall

£5 p/day or £16 for 4 days



Jump on board and book your tickets on

www.sacholidayclub.co.uk

Supported by Lychgate Youth Trust

Your garden in August

The Anglo-Saxon for August is *Weod monath* or the “weed month.” Perhaps this is because the weeds grow really quickly this month or because some of us go on holiday neglecting our garden and the weeds take full advantage of the lack of hoeing and attention.

It is time to do that favourite task of gardeners—pruning the wisteria. Unlike most roses and other shrubs, wisteria grows as tall as a house. With a lack of pruning, it can lurk in the gutters, gain entrance through open windows and generally make a nuisance of itself. Each whippy shoot needs to be trimmed back to five or six leaves. Get everything ready before you start. Check your ladder has not gone walkabout and if wooden, has not succumbed to wood worm or death watch beetle, sharpen your secateurs, get out your hard hat and climbing ropes. Spread a large tarpaulin to catch the clippings. Consider putting an old mattress or three underneath should you lean a little far from the ladder. Think about contacting ‘Wisterias are Us’ to do the job instead and retreat to the potting shed for a little restorative brandy.

Your vegetable plot will have gone into full production. You delight in the first few French beans you harvest, three days later you wonder what you will do with them all as your super-sized trug overflows. Courgettes will become marrows in the twinkling of an eye, your chard will produce epic quantities, your lettuce will run to seed faster than you can harvest it and if it rains, your potatoes and tomatoes may catch blight.

Make sowings of beetroot, radishes, kale, spinach, lettuce and salad crops, all fast growing courtesy of slugs, snails and pigeons. They can go into your veggie plot after you harvest your onions and potatoes.

Deadhead your flowers frequently to ensure repeat flowering. Water and feed ,your containers often, cut back flowering herbaceous plants which can look a bit tired (rather like the gardener) to get a fresh flush of leaves and possibly some more flowers. Remove the flower and seed heads of plants you do not wish to take over your garden, for example, Alchemilla, hardy geraniums, Welsh poppies, hellebores, Acanthus and golden rod. Think about digging out those plants you planted in error, have moved in from next door or are just the wrong plant in the wrong place. You are unlikely to succeed as every little scrap of root will have the space to take over from the parent. On the other hand, if you have a spot in the garden where nothing appears to grow, some of these thugs may prove useful. Or they may just break out of that space and attempt garden domination.

St Swithun’s day proved wet so the weather may be unsettled until the end of the month, or the really hot weather may migrate from Southern Europe and give us temperatures in the 40s Centigrade. Either way, make sure your potting shed is stocked with the appropriate equipment. Sou’wester, fan, sunblock, umbrellas for rain and shine, kettle, fridge and a good range of beverages. Sit back in a comfortable chair looking out over your domain with your feet up, inside if raining and outside if dry. If the weather turns out to be unseasonably hot, keep well hydrated and don’t behave like a mad dog or Englishman.

Happy gardening.

Food Banks Need Your Help More Than Ever In 2023!

Not Just Food.



Hunger in the UK isn't about food. It's lack of income and the main drivers of foodbank use are:-

- Problems with the benefits system (delays, inadequacy and deductions)
- Challenging life experiences or ill health
- Lack of informal or formal support
- Now in 2023.- soaring energy, food and general cost of living prices.

How You Can Help? What items you can donate?

Think about food stuffs that do not require heating e.g.

Cereal	UHT Milk	Tinned Fish	Tinned Fruit
Biscuits	Tinned Beans	Long Life Fruit Juices	

Other Items / Ways you can Help?

Household Cleaning Products	Sanitary Items	Nappies/Baby Wipes
Cooking Oils	Tinned Soups/Meat /Stews	
Condiments / Spices	Pasta	Rice Pasta Sauce

You can give money in an Envelope to help Guildford Food Banks to put money on users' Fuel Cards - **Just mark your envelope and give to Harry in Pratts Stores.**

DONATION POINTS IN ALBURY.

Pratts Stores in Albury Village:- contact Harry on 01483 202123 to donate £5/£10 by card, and Harry will select items for you to place in the Food Bank Collection Box.

OR purchase items from Harry to donate to the Food Bank.

OR in St Peter & St Paul's Church in Albury in the Lobby- on Saturdays 10am - 4pm or Sunday mornings, 9am - 11am.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

DIANN ARNFIELD 01483 203464.

Raising an Amazing Amount in Support of the Global Charity 'Hope For Justice'!

Near On £3,000.00 - £2,963.00 To Be Exact.

Actual amount made on the night was £1,493.64 of which a large amount was just in time to receive match funding by HFJ before the pot ran out - hence total of £2,963.00.

Saturday 17th June, turned out to be a barmy warm evening, but that did not stop the 80+ people enjoy a fantastic evening remembering the good old days of the music from the 50's - 70's.

During the first half, we were all transported back to Guildford during those eras, the fashion of the day with mods & rockers swaggering down the High Street & seeing photos of the many groups that performed in Guildford @ The Odeon or the Civic Hall & the Wooden Bridge.

The second half, David Rose & his mates, then performed lots of well known numbers / songs from those times, with all joining in singing along & Rocking N Rolling, having a fantastic, fun time!

Thank you to all those that supported the event and the many lovely comments about how great it was:- one person said, "She hadn't had so much fun in a long time"!



Special Thanks To Sponsors & Supporters.

David Rose / Mick Douglas / John Kelly & Alan Butcher.

Caroline Evans & the Crew of Shere Cinema.

Marion - Kingfisher Farm Shop.

Domi Nicolson & Surrey Hills Beer & Gin Company.

Gomshall Mill.

Avril - Peaslake Beauty Rooms.

Silent Pool Gin.

Albury Vineyard.

Surrey Trek & Run in Shere.

Plus, all my helpers on the night

A HUGE THANK YOU.

Diann Arnfield.

The Barn Church Wine & Cheese Fundraising Evening

01.09.2023

7.30PM

'THE SMOKERY' ALBURY FISHERIES

A 'CALL MY BLUFF' STYLE WINE QUIZ, WITH
SHARING CHEESEBOARDS
(WINE KNOWLEDGE NOT NECESSARY!)

TICKETS £22PP

EMAIL

TREASURER@THEBARNCHURCH.CO.UK

TO BOOK YOUR PLACE



A beautiful venue with sharing cheese platters and the opportunity to taste five delicious wines through the evening, but no prior wine knowledge is necessary... it really is just fun!

All profits to go to St Michael's Barn Church Farley Green Reg Charity No 293376



News from the Barn Church

Last months' collection of your donations for the North Guildford Food Bank were much appreciated; many thanks once again for your generosity.

The recent working party groups achieved much in two sessions; mostly small jobs but 'many hands make light work' and we now have a hot water supply with grateful thanks to Simon without whom we would still be struggling to wash the dishes! The front door has had a fresh, sparkling makeover behind which is a brand new draught-excluding curtain; pews dusted and polished, brass cleaned, and cobwebs removed. Volunteers for our next session (to be arranged) would be very welcome - an hour of your time makes such a difference for getting those niggly jobs done.

Our next major fund-raising event is the Wine & Cheese Evening kindly hosted by Hannah Godfrey and Albury Fisheries at £22 per person on September 1st. Spaces are limited so please contact treasurer@thebarnchurch.co.uk to secure a place with your payment.

Dates for your Diary:

Wine & Cheese at The Fisheries £22	1 September
Heritage Weekend	9/10 September
Ride & Stride	9 September
Community Food Bank Café	16 September
Quiz Night £8	21 October
Artisan Christmas Gift Fair	12 November
Community Food Bank Café	18 November
Bridge Evening £8	2 December
Christmas workshops	11/12 December
Bubbles in the Barn 2024	12 January

Liz Cooper
Trustee

Friends of St Michael's Barn Church:
secretary@thebarnchurch.co.uk

News from Shere Surgery

Staffing: I am delighted to be able to announce that our new Practice Manager has started with us. We like to think that Lorraine (Knapp) is returning home, as she worked at Shere many years ago as our fundholding manager. She has since been working as a Practice Manager at a busy surgery in Woking. Lorraine lives locally and has hit the ground running back at Shere. We are very excited to have her with us!

Flu Vaccines: Many of you will remember that last year our flu vaccine delivery was late. This meant that many of you were worried and chose a pharmacy instead. Unfortunately, this led to a lot of wasted vaccines, and cost associated. We wanted to reassure you that this year we put in our order over a year in advance (it is always tricky to get it right as decisions on entitlement/type of vaccine etc are sometimes sprung on us at short notice). We have been assured delivery at the start of September, and we will advertise availability as soon as the delivery date is confirmed. If possible, we would like to encourage you to get your vaccination from us so that we don't have to throw any away. However, the priority is getting patients vaccinated, so please choose whichever method is most convenient. (NB We are still failing to meet our childhood immunisation targets, so any suggestions on challenging anti-vaccination beliefs would be welcomed)

Medication Shortages: An ongoing problem involving a wide range of medications, from nasal sprays for hayfever, to the ongoing HRT supply problem, and more recently diabetes drugs. We continue to evolve our plans for these patients, finding suitable alternatives, and explaining them. This is hugely time consuming, and we continue to push for top-down changes that would help to ease the burden for all practices.

Rural Inequity in the NHS Recovery Plan: I am delighted to report that Jeremy Hunt has accepted my invitation to meet with the CEO of the Dispensing Doctors Association and myself to look at the rural inequity built into the recovery plan, which will provide you with poorer access to healthcare than your urban counterparts. I haven't heard back from our local MP on the subject. If anyone else who wrote received a reply, I wonder if you could let me know?

SALV Evening Meeting: We are currently preparing for the autumn meeting and are hoping to be talking about how to keep your heart healthy.



We really would welcome a younger audience to this, and we are hoping to have a demonstration device of a new defibrillator for home use, which is relatively inexpensive. Whilst we hope these devices will never be needed, there are some patients that may find them extremely reassuring. My son Felix will also be presenting (for 3

minutes only!) his project on engaging with Brenda that was presented at the rural medicine conference last month.

Have a lovely summer and keep well as we head toward autumn.

*Dr Emma Watts
GP Partner
Shere Surgery & Dispensary*



St James' Church, Shere
Saturday 16th September, 7.30pm

Tillingbourne.Earth Green Cinema presents:

David Attenborough: A Life on Our Planet

Free tickets available via Eventbrite

Sunday 17th September,
12.30 - 4pm

SHERE PARISH ECO FAIR

Meet local environmental groups; find out about
sustainable living and local conservation

Produce and tasting stalls

'Swap' stalls: home produce, pre-loved clothing

Live Music Vegan Café

Kids' Zone: storytelling and eco crafts

2.30 PM - Getting to the Heart of it

Short talks about climate, sustainable living,
positive action



Shere Village Cinema -

Book now for films in August and September 2023

If you would like to receive all the latest SVC films and information, please sign up to our newsletter (if you haven't already). To sign up and to book tickets for future films please go to the website: www.sherevillagecinema.com). You



can also buy tickets from the shops: Crumbs and/or the Surrey Hills Beer & Gin Company in Shere. All tickets, except where indicated, cost £5/adult and £3.50/child.



We recently had a get-together with some of our cinema volunteers to say thank you for all that they do for us. The photo shows some of the committee, projectionists and other volunteers.

In August we will be showing - the following films:

Thursday 3 August - Allelujah - is a warm and deeply moving story about old age. The film has been adapted by Heidi Thomas (creator of *Call the Midwife*) from the 2018 play by Alan Bennett. It stars 'a formidable selection of seasoned British acting talent', including Judi Dench, Jennifer Saunders and Derek Jacobi. When the geriatric ward in a small Yorkshire hospital is threatened with closure, the hospital decides to fight back by galvanizing the local community: they invite a news crew to film their preparations for a concert in honour of the hospital's most distinguished nurse. What could go wrong? *Allelujah* celebrates the spirit of the elderly patients whilst paying tribute to the deep humanity of the medical staff battling with limited resources and ever-growing demand. This film has received mixed reviews, but 'if you think of the film as a love-letter to the NHS, and ignore the melodramatic late twist, you'll enjoy it'. Classification: 12 A (Running time is 1 hour 39 minutes). Start time: **7.30pm**

Sunday 13th August - Everything Everywhere All at Once - was a sensation at the 2023 Oscars, winning 9 Oscars including: Best picture, best director, best actress, best supporting actress, best supporting actor! When an inter-dimensional rupture unravels reality, an unlikely hero (a middle-aged Chinese immigrant played by Michelle Yeoh), must channel her newfound powers to fight bizarre and bewildering dangers from the multiverse as the fate of the world hangs in the balance. She alone can save 'existence' by exploring other universes and connecting with the lives she could have led. "While the hectic action sequences and flights of science-fiction mumbo-jumbo are a big part of the fun, they aren't really the point. The central message is about the importance of kindness and essentially, it's a bittersweet domestic drama, a marital comedy, a story of immigrant-striving, and a hurt-filled ballad of mother-daughter love". Classification: 15 (Running time is 2 hours 20 minutes). Start time: **7.30pm**

In September we will be showing - the following films:

Thursday 7th September - Captain Corelli's Mandolin is the 2001 film of the book

by Louis de Bernières. An epic tale about the enduring hope of love and the devastating brutality of war, set amid the Italian occupation of Greece during World War II. It stars Nicolas Cage as a captain in the Italian army and Penelope Cruz as the gorgeous Pelagia, with John Hurt as her father, Dr Iannis. The scenery and photography are stunning (it was mainly filmed on Kefalonia). Classification: R (Running time is 2 hours 7 mins). Start time: **7.30pm**

Sunday 17th September - No Time to Die (Our long-awaited special Bond event!) - It will be a 'black-tie event (if you want to dress up), with table seating and a pay bar for wine, beer and prosecco etc. The cost is £10/ticket to include canapes. **Start time: 6.30pm**, to allow time for drinks, canapes and a longer film (Running time is 2 hours 43 minutes). Look out for our posters and on-line newsletter for further details.

Thank you for your support. Do join us for our films in August and September if you can.

Shere Village Cinema Team

Peaslake Open Gardens - Thank you!

A huge thank you to all the generous gardeners who kindly opened their gates for us on June 11th. It was a fantastic day and we are so grateful to everyone who came and supported the event, which raised an amazing £5,200 for Peaslake School.

Congratulations to Ruth Farmer, who won the RHS Hampton Court raffle prize. We hope you had a great time.

The Peaslake Open Gardens team look forward to welcoming you again next year!

Liz Chapple

Sudoku

Each of the nine blocks has to contain all the numbers 1-9 within its squares. Each number can only appear once in a row, column or box.

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WASP

Community Bus

I am pleased to provide a brief report from the recent WASP BUS AGM, held at the Gomshall Club, when we were able to confirm that 2021/22 had seen a steady improvement in the WASP operation. The shopping runs continue to be appreciated by the regular passengers and there has been some revival in the runs for the local societies etc, although they are not yet back to pre-covid levels. Thanks were given to all the drivers and particularly to Rachael & Chris Dews, who look after all the bookings and maintenance etc matters, and to Alan Halder for his double role as secretary and treasurer.

We appreciate the continued support from Shere Parish Council who once again donated £1000 towards the funds that we will need eventually to replace the current bus.

We are very pleased with the arrangement with the Gomshall Club enabling us to park the bus in a secure location which is also very convenient for our operation.

The shopping runs continue to evolve in response to our passengers' requirements, with the Cranleigh run switched to a Friday, to allow some of the passengers to attend the bingo at Rowley's which had not been possible after a change to the commercial bus timetable. We have also opened up one of the Broadbridge Heath Tesco runs to passengers in Peaslake & Gomshall and alternate the Godalming-Sainsbury and Guildford Lidl runs.

Robin Gates, Chairman

With all the variations it is most important that passengers text or phone to confirm dates and to book.

07802 460069 (answerphone available, please leave a message) or

e-mail: waspbusinfo@gmail.com

Regular Monthly Runs

1st and 3rd Tuesday each month

Tesco Broadbridge Heath

13.30 Gomshall & Peaslake

13.50 Holmbury St Mary

14.00 Forest Green

14.10 Walliswood

14.15 Okewood Hill

2nd and 4th Friday
Cranleigh -Rowley's Day Centre

9.20 Wotton

9.40 Gomshall

9.45 Peaslake

3rd Thursday

Godalming Sainsbury - Guildford Lidl alternate months

Please text or ring 07802 460069

(answerphone available, please leave a message)

or email: waspbusinfo@gmail.com

to confirm dates & to book

We suggest a voluntary donation of £5 per trip to assist the charity with ever increasing costs.

What's on in August

Dat	Time	Event	Location	Page
3	7.30 p.m.	Shere Village Cinema Alleluja	Shere Village Hall	18
8	7.00 p.m.	This is My Theatre Robin Hood	The Old Saxon Church	32
13	7.30 p.m.	Shere Village Cinema Everything, everywhere, all at	Shere Village Hall	18
28	1-4 p.m.	Peaslake Village Summer Fair	Peaslake	17

Smart worms

Earth flew in all directions as the crimson-faced would-be golfer attempted to strike the ball. "Goodness," he finally blurted to his caddie, "the worms around here will think there's been an earthquake."

"Never mind," said the caddie, "they are pretty smart - by now they will be hiding beneath the ball for safety."

Peaslake Village Summer Fair

Monday, August 28th, 2023, Peaslake 1-4pm



Sooo looking forward to the Peaslake Fair this August Bank holiday Monday. The team have pulled it all together and the bands will be playing, burgers sizzling and beer flowing. The school field will host family fun and more, along with lovely cakes, jams and produce. There will be the awesome cakes & tea in the hall, Pimm's, ice-cream, bottle tombola, bric-a-brac, books, and lots of lovely street stalls from local village groups, local food producers, & local craftspeople.

Community Theme - The theme this year will celebrate 100 years of our village hall at the centre of our thriving community. We will be celebrating this history and looking forwards to the next 100 years. The Peaslake Players, in partnership with the hall trustees, are keen to upgrade the hall facilities and are fundraising towards this goal. If you would like to pledge towards the new community hub there will be more information at the fair. Or go to <https://www.peaslakevillagehall.com/pledge>

Entertainment - The "Peaslake Presents" stage, outside the Village Hall and organised by The Peaslake Village Community Fund, will once again showcase local bands at intervals throughout the afternoon. New to the stage this year include a sea shanty choir called "The Seasick Landlubbers" and a 4-piece band with guitars, banjos and mandolins called "The Boatswain Brothers". As well as the string quartet on the lawn at Jasmine Cottage.

How do I get involved? - Volunteers to help in advance, or on the day, are always welcome, appreciated & necessary! To join our growing friends of the fair team and to pledge an hour helping in the village on the day, please contact *Alice* (see below). Otherwise put the date in your diary, bring your money, and come along and enjoy the afternoon!

Donations - We would be very grateful for donations of the following:

- Bottles for the bottle tombola (*Kevin Stevens 07950 526962*)
- Children's toys and games (*Lucy Tabor 07814 417254*)
- Raffle Prizes (*Julie Knight 01306 731105*)
- Sponsorship and advertising (*Stuart Pearson 07812 086211*)

Sponsorship - A massive shout out to both *Adrian at the Riders Hub* who is sponsoring the entertainments at the fair this year, and *Shere Cinema* who are also co-fair sponsors this year. Also, to all our lovely advertisers. The sponsorship and advertising are essential to ensure this event runs and to cover the costs of entertainment, insurance, programme printing etc.

Questions or Enquiries:

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alice.k.williams@gmail.com

HARRY EDWARDS

healingsanctuary

Wherever You Are, We're Here For You



The Terrace Lounge Coffee Shop

Coffee Shop Direct Number Tel: 01483 205621

A new coffee shop with stunning views over the Surrey Hills countryside has opened at the world-renowned Harry Edwards Healing Sanctuary. As well as teas, coffee and cake, there will be breakfasts and light bite lunches including jacket potatoes available. The coffee shop will be open from 9am to 4pm Thursday through to Sunday. Plenty of free onsite parking available and 30 acres of beautiful grounds to enjoy.

Dedicated to promoting health and wellbeing through our spiritual healing service, the Sanctuary was established by world-renowned Spiritual Healer Harry Edwards over 76 years ago and is a registered Charity (Number 1098712).

We help people and animals when they are ill, stressed or simply in need of some relaxation and regenerative 'Me Time'. We have 86 fully qualified and insured spiritual healers. The Sanctuary is a member of UK Healers.

Healing can be given for peace and relaxation, any illness, stress, or injury as a therapy. It is completely natural, holistic, has no side effects and is complementary to any medical treatment. Equally, you do not need to be ill to benefit from healing - the relaxation it can create is conducive to maintaining good health.

Trustee Richard Stuttle said: We are delighted to be introducing this new service, giving visitors an opportunity to enjoy a wider range of refreshments and stay longer during their visits in a relaxing healing environment. Enjoy a free healing after your cuppa and leave feeling refreshed and rejuvenated!

Executive Chef Matt Hart said: I am delighted to be supporting the Harry Edwards Healing Sanctuary in this new venture, having provided their catering for the last 8 years. All our delicious cakes will be baked in house by Pastry Chef Harriet.

Enquiries: Alison McWhinnie

Alison.mcwhinnie@burrowslea.org.uk

QRMW Update

The beginning of June was extremely busy for us preparing the Memorial Woodland for our 9th Anniversary and Commemoration Service which took place a little later this year due to my Daughters Wedding on our actual Anniversary but of course that was a very proud day for me.



The Anniversary event which took place on 10th June was attended by local residents, many Veterans and families of those who were being honoured by placing young saplings in memory of their loved ones. The Commemoration Service is always emotional for those who have lost someone but we have always said the Memorial Woodland is not a sad place but a time to remember those no longer with us and an opportunity to meet up with old friends as well as make new ones.

The various activities on the day are of course to help us raise much needed funds in order that we may fulfil our Charity Purpose; to assist those Veterans in times of hardship. The BBQ, bar, grand raffle and craft stalls were very well supported and an amount of £1600 was raised. All monies goes to the memorial fund. We are all volunteers who work at the woodland and for the Charity.

Our grateful thanks go to our Woodland Padre, if we may now call him that, Reverend David Grundy for his prayers during the Commemoration Service, to Bernie Raphael for his prayers and help with the smooth running of the day plus thanks to The Redhill Corp of Drums and band who play very appropriate music for the Commemoration Service and popular tunes throughout the afternoon. Thanks also to Veteran Rodney Dell whose singing always gets peoples toes tapping and to Everyone who helped on stalls throughout the afternoon.

On 1st June 2024, The Glorious First for the Queen's Regiment as it was a great battle honour it will be precisely 10 years since our Memorial Woodland was officially opened. This will be a special event to Everyone is invited, do put it in your diaries.

Now as I write this update, our Secretary's Son Stewart and two friends are commencing an amazing Challenge to raise funds for QRMW. They are taking part in the UK Monster Triathlon starting with a swim across Lochness, then 5 days cycling to Windsor finishing with a 50k marathon run ending up in Richmond on 1st July. All sponsorship funds raised will go into the QRMW Memorial Fund. Next month look out for my QRMW update with some photos of their incredible journey. We salute Stewart for his endless efforts to help raise funds for our Veterans.

In the meantime, enjoy the summer months, visit our woodland and bring a picnic to enjoy at one of our many picnic benches - this really is a little piece of heaven in the heart of the Surrey Hills.

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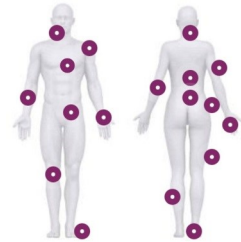
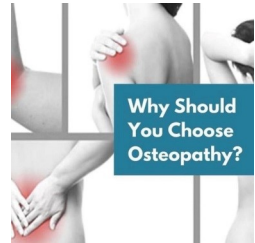
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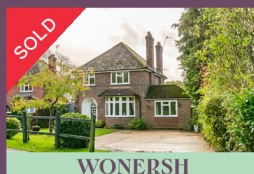
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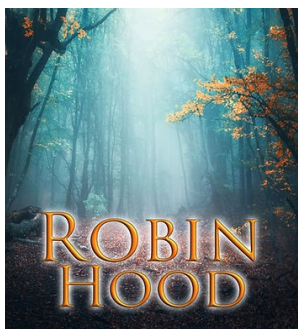
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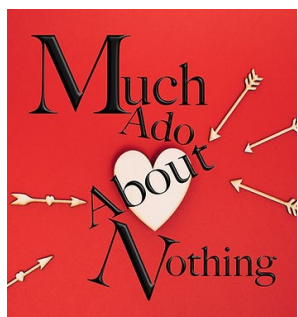


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