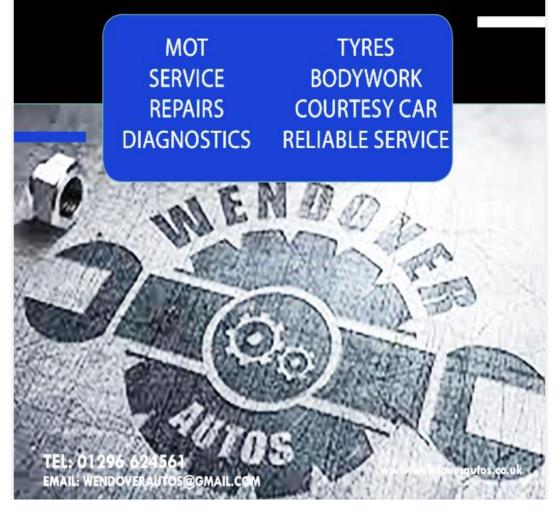
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March 2018

The Magazine for the Parish of Weston Turville Published by Weston Turville Parish Council



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#### **EDITORIAL**

The current and all previous copies of the WTT are available on the Parish Council website at <a href="https://www.wtpc.org.uk">www.wtpc.org.uk</a>

Welcome to this edition of WTT the community magazine for the parish of Weston Turville.

Many thanks to everyone who has supported Weston Turville Times during 2017. Thanks to our contributors, advertisers, deliverers and all of you as readers. We could not do it without you. The editorial team, who all have other commitments, have been producing this magazine for over 5 years and feel the time has come for a new perspective, a different way of looking at things-in particular, here in the parish of Weston Turville. New blood is needed if we are to continue producing a magazine worthy of the attention of each member of the parish.

If you would like to continue advertising or reading the magazine, please consider helping. Any contribution however small will be welcome.

Meanwhile we hope to continue later on in this year with a new assistant editor. Please bear with us and send articles of interest and news from local societies and clubs and advertising by local businesses.

If you would like to advertise or support us in other ways, please do get in touch. Advertising helps towards the cost of printing; we do not make a profit.

WTT is currently published four times a year and is delivered to every house and business in Weston Turville. Extra copies are delivered to the shops, church and chapel and hostelries in Weston Turville.

#### Jill Todd Editor

Please note that the views expressed in articles are not necessarily the views of the editorial team or the Parish Council.

# A very different theatre company, based in Weston Turville.



The Ubiquitous theatre company began in the late 80s and early 90s in High Wycombe when people working in a group of businesses discovered and pursued their shared interest in theatre. The way the company developed was to form around a particular production, drawing in contacts to build a team. After the show, the team would disperse until the network formed again, with new skills and contacts for a new production. Many of those involved now in this Weston Turville based company have had professional theatre involvement. For example, Terry Dean, producer of 'A Christmas Carol' and 'Bottoms Up', produced in December 2016 at World's End Garden Centre, has worked with Arts Centres as well as in amateur dramatics.

His partner Denise Sisson has costumed for TV; fellow Directors Nick and Lynn Andrews have worked in the music business and theatre marketing.

Ubiquitous found itself in a strong position to stage larger and more demanding productions than many other amateur theatre companies because of the way that additional skills can be called in when needed. Many 'normal' amateur groups have a close-knit core and strong loyalties within the company, but correspondingly less ability to vary members and venues. The project approach has allowed creative ideas to be developed, from which highly skilled costume and scenery people could follow through with high production values. This approach enabled the company to use a wider variety of venues to stage their productions.

The idea of 'A Christmas Carol' at Worlds End Garden Centre evolved in a way that shows how flexibly and successfully a virtual theatre company can work.

Four key members of the Ubiquitous Theatre Company now live in Weston Turville. They were having coffee together in the garden centre restaurant. A chance conversation with the garden centre's Customer Experience Manager, sparked the development of the first production. The centre's theme that Christmas was Dickensian and so the idea developed for a production of 'A Christmas Carol'. The script already existed and was honed; the Ubiquitous network was activated; and planning began.

The follow up, 'Bottom's Up', in June 2107, was based around the idea of theatre

dining. It worked so well; bringing the laughter of A Midsummer Night's Dream together with the idea of dinner out at a local venue.

Working in a non-standard venue allows the company to extend its audiences beyond traditional theatre-goers. Non-standard venues also bring challenging opportunities. The stage and audience area need to be prepared afresh each evening, for example, and technicalities such as lighting, entrances and exits have to be set up. The garden centre restaurant has been very supportive throughout.

Ubiquitous is very much a theatre group with a local agenda.

The current production underway is 'My Mother Said I Never Should'; a play for and about women as the relationships within four generations of the same family are explored.

In November 2018, Ubiquitous is working collaboratively with the Parish Council, the British Legion and the Village Hall to produce *Journey's End*. This is a classic WW1 tale of life in the trenches. With financial support from Heart of Bucks Foundation there will be a living history installation and an exhibition within and around the play. More locally, plans are already underway to produce a Remembrance event around the local war memorial to acknowledge the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the end of the first war.

Ubiquitous is a theatre company based in the local community of Weston Turville; they always welcome any suggestions or offers of help and involvement.

See www.uttc.info for details or call 01296 709077.





#### **Weston Turville Historical Society**

#### **Meeting Logistics**

When: Last Friday in month, Sept – June; excluding

December.

Time: 20:00 - 22:00; Doors open at 19:30 for welcoming refreshments

**Venue:** Weston Turville Village Hall; **Cost:** £2 for members, £3 for visitors

#### **Upcoming events**

**27th April:** Peter Marsden "The Old Village & Church of Stoke Mandeville

& the impact of HS2"

**25th May:** Catherine Taylor "Rothschild Money Moving a Mountain – the

role and creation of the Waddesdon Gardens 1874-1898"

29th June: AGM + Adrian Randall "Weston Turville's role in the Cold War"

**Contact:**For further information on the Society, visit www.WTHSoc.org.uk, or email: secretary@WTHSoc.org.uk. New members welcome.

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For some of our number living on their own, it is a chance to meet old friends and make new ones, to swap stories, and yes, sometimes to empathise with each other's ailments and operations.

If the idea appeals to you; why not give me a call or leave a message on 01296 612275. There is no membership fee. All you pay for are the cost of your meal, a tip if you are the generous sort and any drinks you may have from the bar. We only ask that you enjoy yourself.



#### Big Mouth: Spray it again, Sam!

I am told by the nearest and dearest that I am really untidy - *messy midden* as the Scots would have it as indeed she is and does. Messiness is not something I intend. Even if I didn't change my shirt every day, I would need to. At first unaware of it, I am unable to savour food without some bypassing my mouth and sticking to my shirt or cascading floor wards. I do try to be careful. It makes no difference. Why it happens eludes me. There is, of course, a gap between the table and me. It would seem odd to press oneself so tightly against the table edge, as if preventing its escape. I have given some thought to solving my problem. Giving up eating seems a little drastic and consuming everything through a straw is complicated, socially odd and does not permit the teeth to chew and masticate. Maybe wearing a large plastic wrap-round apron might help!

I always considered that I was reasonably polite while enjoying a meal with others. I would no more think of bending down and licking my plate clean or putting my knife in my mouth, than I would put my elbows on the table. I would not unthinkingly stuff my mouth with great *gollops* of food, preferring delicate morsels balanced on knife and fork. On the other hand, you would not want to know what I get up to informally at home. I like eating and have an intense interest in cuisines that are not native to these islands. On the other hand, I would be really interested to find restaurants that offer a genuine but now old-fashioned English menu.

However, a new problem has been drawn to my attention. Those morsels, waylaid as they are in the recesses of the teeth and never fully digested, can alter

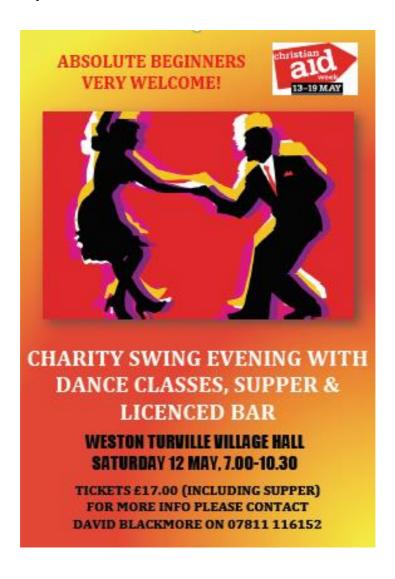
appearance in unfortunate ways. Lettuce and green vegetables such as kale very much come to mind. You are talking to me and I have suddenly developed a frontal toothy gap giving me a raffish, roguish grin. Not all the food that I look forward to and enjoy actually enters my mouth. There are many other processes hard at work preventing me enjoying the food meeting up with my gastric juices. The food flies off the fork or knife, either



depositing itself on the tablecloth or on me or on any other nearby person's front. Discrimination does not come into it.

Then there is the problem of the talkative man. He expostulates, spraying everyone within sitting- distance with *gobbits* of delectable but half-chewed food. It is all so much easier for men, dignified by a prominent corporation designed to catch downwards flying food. Total awareness on my part does nothing to eradicate the growing heap on the floor at my feet. Perhaps I should secrete on my person a portable dustpan and brush to be whipped out for immediate floor cleansing. Messy me. There is an advantage though. Being bearded and moustachioed I can enjoy remainders and reminders of lunch at teatime!

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#### **Buns**

500g Strong white Flour

½ tsp salt

2 Heaped tsp mixed spice

50g Caster sugar

50g Butter, cubed

200g Mixed dried fruit

2 Eggs

7g Dried Yeast

200ml Semi skimmed milk



#### **Glaze and Cross**

3 tbsp. Plain flour Honey or Golden syrup

#### Method

- 1. Mix the flour, salt, mixed spices and sugar together in a bowl.
- 2. Rub in the butter and stir in the dried fruit, sprinkle the yeast on top and stir in.
- 3. Gently warm the milk so it is warm but not too hot (you should be able to dip your finger in it for a couple of seconds!) beat in the eggs.
- 4. Pour into the dry ingredients and mix all the ingredients together to form a moist dough, then leave for 5 minutes.
- 5. Remove from the bowl and cut the dough into 8 equal parts.
- 6. On a floured surface shape into buns. Place on a baking sheet, cover with cling film loosely and leave in a warm place for 45 minutes to an hour until half again in size.
- 7. When the buns have risen, heat oven to 220°C/ Gas 7. Mix the flour with 2 tbsp. of water to make a paste. Pour into an icing bag and pipe crosses on top of the buns.
- 8. Bake in the oven for 12-15 minutes until fully risen and golden, brush all over with honey or golden syrup.
- 9. Eat as they are or toast and serve warm with butter.

#### PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

#### Extract taken from AVDC website:

#### Weston Turville Neighbourhood Plan Publication

After many months of hard work and community engagement, Weston Turville Parish Council has now submitted its final version of the Weston Turville Neighbourhood Development Plan. As the local authority we are now required to undertake a six week publication period to provide an opportunity for all parties to comment on the submitted proposals before the plan goes to examination. The consultation commenced on Tuesday 30 January and will close at 5pm on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

What is the Weston Turville Neighbourhood Plan. The Weston Turville Neighbourhood Plan (WNP) is the emerging development plan for the Weston Turville Neighbourhood Area (covering the same area as the parish council) for the period 2013-2033. On adoption it will form part of the Development Plan, which planning applications in that area will be assessed against. The WNP contains 18 policies designed to conserve and enhance the distinctive character of the three main settlements within the parish, whilst enabling small-scale sustainable development to take place to meet local needs. The plan focuses on delivering affordable housing for families and downsizers, whilst retaining the distinctive features of the parish and seeks to designate 7 local green spaces

#### **How to Comment on the Plan?**

Comments can be made electronically or in writing by the following means:

- Emailed to:planningpolicy@aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk
- In writing: posted to Neighbourhood Planning Officer, Planning Policy, AVDC, The Gateway, Gatehouse Road, Aylesbury, HP19 8FF.

**Please Note:** If sending comments by post please allow up to two working days for the post to be delivered. Any comments received after the 5pm deadline on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March 2018 will not be taken into account. Additionally you can request to be notified of AVDC'S decision to make the plan once an examination and referendum has taken place.

**Next Steps:** Following the period for comment, we will collate the responses and submit them to an examiner for the document to be examined. Should the plan pass the examination, AVDC will hold a referendum in the Parish and if 50% or more of those voting are in favour of the plan it will be adopted and will become a legal document.

Copies of the plan can be read at AVDC offices and The Chandos PH, Weston Turville.

Street Lights: Many of you will be benefiting from the new LED street lights which have replaced the old ones. The new style are not only cheaper to run and maintain, using less electricity, but they are less likely to fail as the 'bulbs' last considerably longer. The remaining street lights owned by the parish council will be changed within the next couple of months.

**Speeding:** The mobile speed indicator unit has now been returned to Stoke Mandeville PC for a few months. The data from the unit has been given to the police. The parish council have agreed to purchase another unit so that we could extend the coverage.

Village Hall: The planning application for the hall extension is progressing well and soon applications to tender for the work will be sent out. Another large planter was placed in the car park to discourage drivers from driving over the mini roundabout and to dissuade the cars doing the 'donuts' late evening. The planter has yet to be planted up.

Village Fete: The annual fete and free dog show is currently being organised. Put the date in your diary! Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June 1-5pm. If you want to have a stall or participate please contact Cllr. Simons via the pc website.

We still hold a vacancy for a parish councillor. Please consider joining us to improve and maintain our parish! Speak to the clerk or any councillor for details.

A reminder that the Parish Council meetings are normally held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month (excluding August and December when there are no meetings) at 7pm in the Village Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend. Planning meetings are at 6pm on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday in the hall. Check the website for any changes to dates.

The Clerk to Weston Turville Parish Council can be contacted on:



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In Weston Turville we have one of the biggest U3A branches in the area with some 450 members who have over forty interest groups to choose from ranging from Science & Technology and Singing to Scrabble and Strolling. There is a general meeting on the fourth Thursday of each month starting at 2.30pm at Aylesbury Rugby Club in the village where prospective new members are welcome to come along, have some light refreshments and listen to an entertaining speaker. Further details about the varied activities of the Weston Turville U3A branch can be found on their website: www.wtu3a.org, or from the Secretary on 01296 613772.

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Every Thursday Wendover Market, Manor Waste, Wendover

Every Wednesday except the first in the month - Mid week Fellowship -Union Chapel 2.30 t0 4pm

**Upcoming** 

**Events** 

#### **MARCH**

1st Parish Council Planning meeting WT Village Hall 6pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Weston Turville CE School bingo 7pm

6<sup>th</sup> Mobile Library WT Village Hall 12.40pm

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15<sup>th</sup> Soup Lunch St Mary's Church 12 - 1.30

15<sup>th</sup> Parish Council meeting WT Village Hall 7pm

17<sup>th</sup> Theatre at Worlds End Garden Centre. 7.30. See ad for details.

24<sup>th</sup> Barn Dance Village Hall see ad for details

25<sup>th</sup> Music for Passiontide, in Church with the Church Choir. 6pm

28<sup>th</sup> Weston Turville CE School closes for Easter holidays

#### **APRIL**

3<sup>rd</sup> Mobile Library WT Village Hall 12.40pm

5<sup>th</sup> Parish Council Planning meeting WT Village Hall 6pm

16<sup>th</sup> Weston Turville CE School opens

19<sup>th</sup> Soup Lunch St Mary's Church 12 - 1.30

19<sup>th</sup> Annual Parish Council meeting WT Village Hall 7pm

21st PACE walk, see ad for details

26<sup>th</sup> Home Instead Afternoon Tea. Holiday Inn 2.30pm (Call 3 weeks in advance to book your space, see "Home Instead" website for details)

27<sup>th</sup> WT Historical Society "The Old Village & Church of Stoke

Mandeville & the impact of HS2" WT Village Hall 8pm

#### **MAY**

1st Mobile Library WT Village Hall 12.40pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Help To Buy Home Show. Holiday Inn 4pm

3<sup>rd</sup> Parish Council Planning meeting WT Village Hall 6pm

7<sup>th</sup> St Mary's Church cream tea 3-5pm

12<sup>th</sup> Charity swing evening, Village Hall. See ad for details

17<sup>th</sup> Soup Lunch St Mary's Church 12 - 1.30

17<sup>th</sup> Parish Council meeting WT Village Hall 7pm

19<sup>th</sup> Royal Air Force Police Centenary Festival. Aylesbury Rugby Club 12pm. Tickets must be obtained in advance.

24<sup>th</sup> Weston Turville CE School closes for half term

25<sup>th</sup> WT Historical Society "Rothschild Money Moving a Mountain – the role and creation of the Waddesdon Gardens 1874-1898 WT Village Hall 8pm

26<sup>th</sup> Mentmore Arts Festival. See ad for details.

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#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES!

9<sup>th</sup> June SWIFT Fun Day with free bouncy castle. 11am – 4pm 23<sup>rd</sup> June Village Fete and free dog show. 1pm – 5pm









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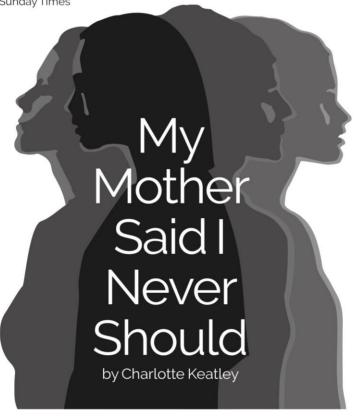
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## Church of St Mary the Virgin, Weston Turville

## Concerts, FUNdraising FUNctions and events, 2018



Concerts will be resumed after Easter and I will be working to complete a full and varied programme to suit most tastes. This is almost certain to include return visits by the pupils of the world-famous Purcell School of Music and our regular trad jazz group, the Dixieland Swing Kings, plus some new attractions.

Our Christmas and Craft Fayre in the village hall on 2nd December was a great success, raising over £800. We had more stalls than usual, using every table the hall possesses and we wish to thank all of those who came to help and support us.

Our breakfast service, on the first Sunday in every month, continues to go from strength to strength with new young families joining us. All age groups from very young children to the other end of the age-scale enjoy one another's company while being served toast and marmalade, pastries, tea and coffee. From the original start of 9.45, hungry worshippers are coming earlier and we are now serving from about 9.30am or even before. The main worship starts at 10.30. Puppets are welcome to join in this service and children will also be able to take part in some artwork. If you haven't tried this yet the next is on 4th March. As Easter Sunday this year is on 1st April the morning service at 10am will not be preceded by breakfast but please come and enjoy the Easter celebrations. From May 6th onwards we return to the breakfast-first format. All are welcome!

On Palm Sunday evening, 25th March at 6pm the church choir plus a few friends will be singing a service of Passiontide Music with readings. This is a popular annual event when the choir stretch themselves to perform a selection of wonderful music from across the centuries to recognise this great Christian festival season. Please come and support us.

Due to the numbers now attending events such as our breakfast service, cream teas and others we are short of trestle tables. If anybody is aware of tables, either short or long, becoming available from other sources, I would be very pleased to hear from you (Roger Fellows 01296 424982).

For details of Church Services for Lent and Easter see separate item and Horizons or the church website www.stmaryswt.org

#### Dates for your diary:

**Palm Sunday 25th March 6pm.** Music for Passiontide, in Church with the Church Choir.

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#### St Mary's Weston Turville Improving Facilities Team, SWIFT

SWIFT was formed in 2011 to look into ways of improving accessibility to and within the Church for those with any sort of disability. The project now includes the provision of a small meeting room available for use by small groups (up to about 30 seated) from the village community, complete with wheelchair-accessible toilet and baby-changing facilities. The church will thus be better able to cater for children, the elderly and less able members of the community. Some of the grants that the SWIFT team will be applying for over the next few months employ 'match-funding'. This means that they calculate any awards they grant us according to how much we have raised so far. If you would like to support the project to provide community facilities at the church but have been waiting for the right time to do so, this is it! If we are awarded one of these grants your contribution, plus Gift Aid of 25% if appropriate to you, could be doubled, meaning that the SWIFT project will receive 250% times your initial gift! This will bring the entire project closer to fruition and benefit the whole parish.

We are also preparing a list of clubs or other local groups who may be interested in using these new facilities, once completed and look forward to hearing from you if this may apply. Please let us know what facilities you would wish for so that we can fine-tune the detailed plans for best effect. We are now offering the church building as an interim venue to help to raise interest and identify demand for the future. Obviously this has to fit around services and other regular use of the building but please contact us if you would like to investigate this use.

Our annual bring and buy sale of unwanted Christmas presents in January raised £246.52. This was almost double last year's result and only just short of the best ever. In six years, this event has raised over £1,200 and is greatly

enjoyed by all who attend. We thank all who helped and supported us on the day by 'bringing and buying' and by making the occasion worth the effort.

Our regular **Soup Lunches** take place on the third Thursday of each month until the July/August summer break, in the church from 12noon to 1.30pm. Please come and enjoy delicious home-made soup, rolls, cakes, coffee and a good chat. If you or anybody you know would like to come but are unable to get there without help, please let us know.

If you would like to join the team providing and/or serving the soup and other refreshments on an occasional basis please contact Revd Susan Fellows or me on 424982. The larger the team the less frequently you will be needed to help and the more variety of soup for all to enjoy.

Our **SWIFT FUNDAY** this year will be on Saturday 9th June from 11am to 4pm. We are planning the usual **FREE** bouncy castle and other attractions. Please put this in your diaries now and come and join the FUN. Offers of help would be welcome.

Please contact us with any ideas or offers of help to attract funding from any source. If you feel you can help or advise with any other aspect of this project please contact us. This is your opportunity to be a part of one of the most important community projects in the village for generations!

For information about SWIFT or how you can help by donating or raising funds for the project please contact us as below:

For standing order forms please contact me, Roger Fellows on 424982 Please use gift aid if you are a UK taxpayer. This will increase your donation to us by 25%

If you wish to receive regular information on our progress please give your e-mail address to Joan or Roger.

#### Dates for your diary:

**Soup lunch in church,** 12 noon to 1.30pm, third Thursdays, March 15th, April 19th, May 17th

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#### JIGSAW Holiday Club 2018 Monday 30<sup>th</sup> July-Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 10.00 a.m.- 1.30 p.m.

The Jigsaw Team are now planning for Jigsaw 2018!

I thought it would be helpful for those who are new to the village or whose children have not taken part before to have a description of what Jigsaw is and what happens.

Jigsaw is a Christian holiday club that takes place each year in Weston Turville School, by kind permission of the Head Teacher, in the first week of the summer holidays.

It is for primary school children ages 5 -11 years. The children do not have to be attendees of Weston Turville School. The daily programme is:

#### 1. Morning presentation:

All gather in the hall for action songs, puppets, sometimes a play, finding a jigsaw piece each day and following through the theme of the week.

- 2. Drink and biscuit in the quadrangle
- **3. Activities:** Three sessions. Craft, sports, and Drama rotated through the morning.
- **4. Lunch.** Bring a packed lunch. Drinks provided
- **5. Afternoon presentation:** More singing, puppet play, opening the post box for jokes and pictures, a chance for children to come up on the stage and a roundup of the day.

The Children are divided into three age groups, 5-6, 7-8 and 9+. Each age group has its own colour. Within each age group the children are sub divided into teams with dedicated team leaders who accompany them all through the day.

We have a large number of helpers, adults and teenagers, who man the refreshment tent and organise the site and car parking, lead or assist the craft, sports, drama, stage and managing the front desk. Working behind the scenes is a very dedicated Planning Team that organises the whole holiday club. They begin this task in February. We also have First Aid on site and take the welfare and safety of the children very seriously. Our volunteers are DRB checked.

There are plenty of opportunities for people of all ages to take part and help. The adults and teenagers have a lovely time too. The Planning Team would welcome any offers of help for all or part of the week in any of the areas.

The application forms for children will be available from the school and also from me at the end of this term. We also have an application form for helpers. If you are volunteering for the first time, please feel free to contact me and I will pass you on to the relevant team leader and also answer any questions you might have.

There is a charge of £4 a day for the children to cover our costs. However, if you would like your child to come and would find the charge difficult, contact me privately and it is easily sorted out.

I hope this is helpful. We always have a wonderful time. Come and join us.

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March 13	Experiences of a Diplomat's Wife - Pat Thomas
April 10	Buckinghamshire Spies and Subversives - Denise Beddows
April 14	Spring Fair, 10am - noon, Library Room, Wendover

All visitors will be made very welcome. Contact Sara on 01296 620005 or just turn up on the night.

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#### **Kimblewick Races**

The dates for Point to Point Racing at the Kingston Blount and Kimble racecourses are:

- Kingston Blount: Saturday 10 March, first race 1pm
- Kimble: Easter Saturday, 31, first race 1pm
- Kingston Blount: Saturday, 21 April, first race 2pm
- Kingston Blount: Sunday, 13 May, first race 2pm
- Kingston Blount: Sunday, 27 May, first race 2.30 pm

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**Hot and cold:** The appropriate use of warmth or ice play an important role in affecting inflammation or constricted vascular supply. Often used in association with sporting or activity injuries.

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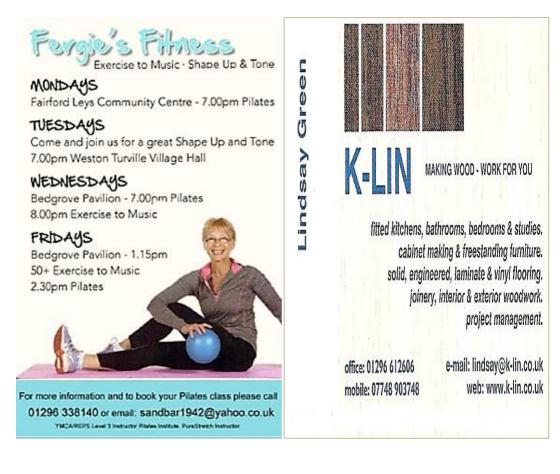
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Chairman Cllr M Jarvis will give a report on the Parish Council, Planning and new developments in and around the village.

Local Charities, Associations & Fellowships Reports- Widow Turpins Charity-Youth Café report & an open forum to hear views & chance to meet your councillors!

Followed by Refreshments-Cheese & Wine at about 8.30pm to which you are invited and to meet your Councillors to discuss any issues informally that you may have about the parish.

Note - All Public and Press are very welcome to attend.

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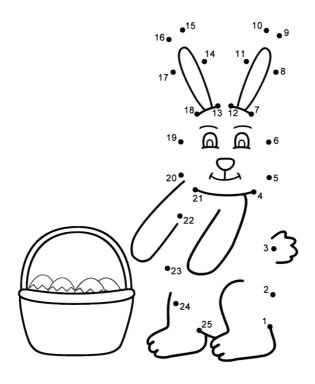
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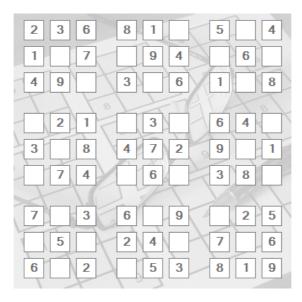


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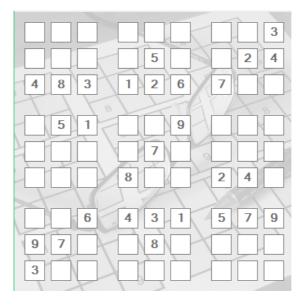
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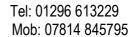
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