

The LYDDEN



Issue 594 June 2024



News / Features / What's On / Community Information



For the Parish of
LYDDINGTON and WANBOROUGH



In the United Benefice of Lyddington, Wanborough, Bishopstone and Hinton Parva



The beauty of wood without the hassle

This traditional timber look window range, manufactured from low maintenance PVCu, has a grained wood effect finish. Available in a wide range of colours, a combination of classic styling and modern materials makes it ideal for timber replacement in a conservation area.

- Reduce energy bills
- Six point high security locking
- Reduce condensation
 - No painting
- Double or triple glazed
- 10 year insurance backed guarantee

Also available, composite doors with the look and strength of timber doors but with no maintenance. Top security claw locking systems fitted as standard.

For all your double glazing windows, doors and patio doors telephone us now for a free no obligation quote from a trusted company with over 20 years trading.

FENSA

Registered Company

DA Windows and Doors
High St | Wanborough

01793 790754



Windows & Doors



Nationwide
PROPERTY LETTINGS

One of the longest established letting agents in the county who bring you experience with a modern approach & unrivalled property expertise and marketing knowledge.

Call Gary Sumner on 01793 513130



www.nationwidepropertylettings.com

01793 641641

PRIMARY HOMES & LETTINGS

01793 641641

Your Local Estate Agent



Having lived in Wanborough most of my life and sold many properties in the area, I offer a truly independent and personal service.

As a family run business, we have been involved with development in the area and understand the benefits of being part of the village.

With excellent schools and an abundance of pubs and restaurants, it is a joy to live and work in the area.

For all your property needs, please give me a call.

DEAN ARMSTRONG- WILDE



The Lyden Magazine – June 2024

Dear Friends

I write this at the end of April. In other words, at the end of the dull-est, wettest and coldest Spring in living memory? We are all longing for bright, strong sunlight and real warmth to lift our mood, help rescue the crops in sodden fields and set nature into full on new growth mode. Hopefully that has happened over May and June will be a glorious month of long sunny days, gentle showers of life-giving rain and vigorous green growth of all our plants and crops from the earth. The growth cycles of the natural world can be a helpful comparison for us when thinking about our own spiritual growth in our relationship with God. Jesus of course used everyday examples and illustration from nature constantly. Jesus grew up in a fully organic farming and fishing culture and his teaching was liberally illustrated with references to it. Sowing seeds, weeding, feeding the soil, harvesting, vines and pruning, fruitfulness, barns and crop storage, trees, birds, flowers, sheep, shepherds and fishing nets, fish catches and weather too, not to mention the seasons of the year. One question we can ask ourselves is *“what season is my spiritual walk with God in? The cold depths of winter’s rest? The fresh new growth of spring’s surprises? The long fullness and business of summer activity for God? Or the more reflective autumn years of gathering fruit and passing it on to others?”* We can experience these different seasons of the life of faith at any stage in our lives. The question for us to ask ourselves and God, is *“which season am I in? How do I inhabit that season to the full in his wisdom and strength and how do I move forward from this one into the next one when that time comes?”*

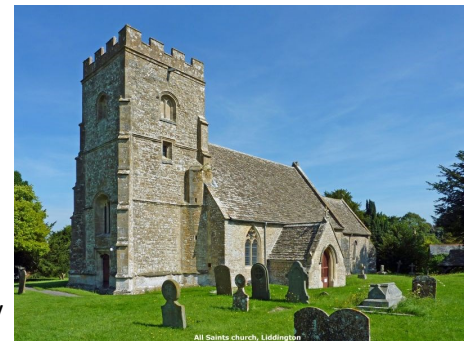
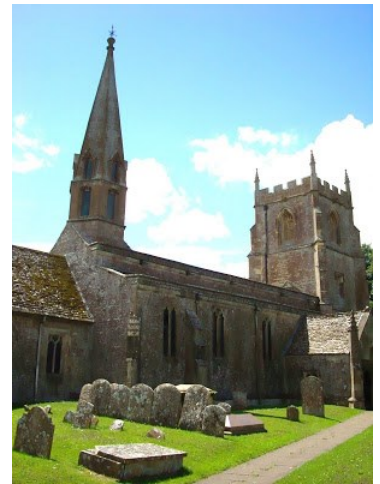
We would like to develop a small music group to accompany more All Age/Family Style services of worship in our village churches. If you play an instrument and would be interested, please join us for an exploratory session on Saturday 6th July at 3pm for an hour or two. For more details please do contact me.

Kind regards

Revd, Steve Paynter
Stevedpaynter@gmail.com
 01793 296870

A Prayer:

Lord, thank you for the work you do in me every day. I know that, just like the vines in the garden, I go through seasons where I need pruning, and seasons where I bear fruit. In each season draw me closer to you, help me to grow so that I can continue to be fruitful for the good of those around me and the coming of your Kingdom.
 Amen.



Church Services June 2024

For the Benefice of Wanborough, Lyddington, Bishopstone and Hinton Parva

Date	Time	Church	Service
Sunday 2 nd June 24	10.30am	All Saints', Liddington	Holy Communion, Trinity 1
Sunday 9 th June 24	10.30am	St Mary's, Bishopstone	Holy Communion, Trinity 2
Sunday 16 th June 24	10.30am	St Andrew's, Wanborough	Holy Communion, Trinity 3
Sunday 23 rd June 24	10.30am	St Swithun's, Hinton Parva	Holy Communion, Trinity 4
Sunday 30 th June 24	10.30am	St Andrew's, Wanborough	Holy Communion, Trinity 5

Front Cover - Aerial photo of St Andrew's Church taken by Jason Spickett. If you have any photos that would be suitable for the front cover please send to the following e-mail - lydenmagazine@gmail.com - Many thanks

Dates for your Diary - June 2024

Date	Event	Time	Location
Wed 5 th June 24	Liddington PC Meeting	7pm	Liddington Village Hall
Thurs 6 th June 24	80 th Anniversary – D Day. Church Bells will ring at All Saints' from 7pm and St Andrew's Church from 8.15pm.		St Andrew's & All Saints' Church.
Tues 11 th June 24	All Saints' Church Coffee Morning	10am	All Saints' Liddington
Wed 12 th June 24	Gardening Club	7pm	Bishopstone Village Hall
Thurs 13 th June	WI Flower & Handcraft Show	7pm	Bishopstone Village Hall
Friday 14 th & Sat 15 th June 24	6 th Beer Festival		Calley Arms Pub
Sat 15 th June 24	Wanborough Farmer's Market & Community Café	9am	Wanborough Village Hall
Sat 15 th June 24	Liddington Fete	1pm	Liddington Playing Field
Sat 15 th June 24	All Saints' Church – Tower tours	1pm	All Saints' Church Liddington
Fri 21 st June 24	Rags2Riches4Schools Collection	9am	Wanborough Primary School
Sat 29 th June 24	Ridgeway Ward Surgery	9am	Wanborough Village Hall
Sat 29 th June 24	Wanborough Primary School Fete		Wanborough Primary School

In addition to the above dates

Wanborough Coffee morning every Thursday at 10.30am at The Brewer's Arms

Bridge Club every Friday evening at 7pm at Hinton Parva Village Hall

Liddington Art Club every Friday 2-4pm at Liddington Village Hall

Freedom Church 1st & 3rd Sunday of each month at 10.30am at Wanborough Village Hall

Save the Date - Future events in the Benefice

Date	Event	Time	Location
Sat 6 th July 24	Scouts 60 years in our Community		Further details to follow
Mon 8 th July 24	Wanborough Village Hall AGM	7pm	Wanborough Village Hall
Tues 9 th July 24	All Saints' Church Coffee Morning	10am	All Saints' Church Liddington
Sat 17 th August 24	Wanborough Show		Church Meadow

If you have a village event that you would like to advertise so that we can all save the date e-mail details to lydenmagazine@gmail.com.

More tea Vicar!

Over 50 parishioners from across the Benefice gathered in Liddington Village Hall on a sunny May afternoon to have a cuppa and say a huge "thank you" to the Revd Sandy Railton.

She has served as a stand-in vicar for some 14 years until last year. Sandy is joining husband and fellow vicar, Revd John, in retirement, but she will still be taking a few services throughout the year.

She is succeeded by Revd Steve Paynter who joined us in January.



WANBOROUGH FARMERS MARKET WANBOROUGH VILLAGE HALL COMMUNITY CAFE

9AM-12
THIRD SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH
FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Wanborough Farmer's Market

The next Farmer's Market will be on Saturday 15th June 2024.

If you came to the May market, you will have met the new traders that came, there are many more now.

If you would like to help as a trader selling your products, or as a volunteer to get the day ready, give me a call or pop in and chat to us.

It is a pleasant way to spend a morning, selling, helping, drinking coffee and sharing cake, browsing the stalls and listening to our wonderful guitarist, while shopping.

Every third Saturday of the month

Come and join us.

Lorna Naseem 07903 210 505

Community Café - Farmer's Market



This month the Community Cafe will once again be offering teas, coffees and home made cakes at the Farmer's Market.

In April, Cristina came from the charity Swindon City of Sanctuary - she loved the buzz and community feel of the farmer's market, and was overwhelmed to go away with almost £200 in donations which will help them in their work with individuals who have had to flee their own countries, to feel welcomed here -

thank you all!

So in June we'll be raising awareness of and supporting the Roxi Foundation which is a nonprofit organisation that helps young people aged 7 to 14 within the Swindon area who may be autistic or have ADHD get timely and accurate diagnosis through private funding. The Roxi Foundation believes that every child deserves to have an opportunity to thrive and receive the expert help that they need, and is committed to making a positive impact in our community.

Your donations can help make this possible!

Jo Pearse 07780718880



News from the Church Bell Towers

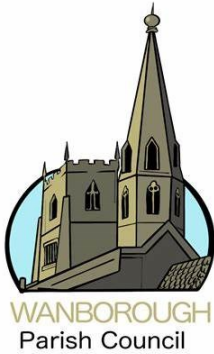
Liddington Tower Tours - Saturday 15 June

The bell ringers are opening up the tower of All Saints Church, Liddington, as one of the attractions at this year's Liddington Fete on Saturday 15 June. Visitors to the tower will be able to climb the narrow spiral staircase to the ringing gallery where the bells are rung from, and view the inside of the church from a completely different angle. Climbing further up the tower will take you into the belfry, where you can view the new peal of six bells installed 8 years ago, but still looking as new and smart as the day they were hung in the tower. Hanging above them are the old peal of 5 bells dating from 1633, mounted in a massive wooden frame.

Tower Tours will take place between 1.00 and 5.00 pm. Please wear flat sensible shoes and don't forget to bring your camera. Children must be accompanied by adults.

Following your visit, if you are interested in learning to ring church bells, please give your contact details to the ringers in church on the day, and I will get back in touch with you to arrange your first bell ringing session.

Tony Pullan, Tower Captain, Wanborough and Liddington Bell Ringers, 01793 790904 or 0774 5011 788



June 24

At the Annual Parish Meeting in April, the Chairs of the Council and committees were given the opportunity to reflect on the past year. The presentations can be accessed on the wanborough.info website.

Challenges encountered over the last 12 months included the reopening of Wanborough Road, flooding, the transfer of services from the Borough to the Parish, and the resignation of clerks and councillors. All of the councillors, including new councillors Debra Maslin and Martin Rowley have stepped up and worked together to fill the void left by Angela Raymond's departure.

Highlights from the year included the match funding of upgrades and equipment for the sports clubs, such as tennis floodlights and new goal posts. Additionally, fencing has been installed around the Church Meadow play area. Improvements have been made to the Hoopers Field building, including the addition of WiFi and the installation of security cameras. Yoga in the park has become a regular Sunday activity, open to all villagers.

Tracy Smith, our new clerk, has overseen the tender process for Hoopers Field and our village maintenance contracts, which have now been awarded. Tracy is also working closely with the councillors to implement new systems, processes, and accounting procedures. She directs Graham, our village maintenance man, who does an excellent job looking after our footpaths and carrying out minor repairs around the village.

In recent weeks, the Council has supported a litter pick and made additions to, as well as replenishments of, the flower troughs. Thanks to Cllr Gary Sumner and Lorna Naseem for driving these initiatives. By the time this is published, the troughs at the allotments, stolen after recent vandalism, should have been replaced and securely anchored to prevent future incidents.

Under the leadership of Cllr Richard Bellamy, a Duke of Edinburgh volunteer will assist us in checking all our footpaths and cataloguing any overgrown or obstructed routes and stiles, or signs in need of repair. In the coming weeks, the Council hopes to award a resurfacing contract for the Hoopers Field driveway and looks forward to welcoming Bonny back for another season of Park Yoga.

Tracy, our clerk, is always available via phone or email during working hours, Monday to Friday, on 07588 769829 or clerk@wanborough.info, and is often available to meet at Hoopers Field on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. There is still a vacant councillor position on the Council, so please feel free to speak with Tracy if you are interested.

The council will be supporting the pubs for the 80th anniversary of the D-Day celebrations.

John Warr Wanborough Parish Council



FREE Outdoor Yoga Sessions
every Sunday

PARK YOGA WANBOROUGH

Open to people
of all ages,
backgrounds
and abilities.



Hoopers Field, SN4 0AN

Sunday 5th May - 15th September

9.30am - 10.30am

No need to book, bring a mat or towel.  www.parkyoga.co

**Your Ridgeway Borough Councillor update - Gary Sumner:
Next Ward Surgery is 29th June 9-10am**

Re-elected to represent Ridgeway Ward:

Thank you to residents who took the time to vote on the 2nd May. I was re-elected to represent the Ward for the 3rd time until May 2026, when there will be 'all out' elections in the Borough of Swindon for the first time. I supported the Labour administration in this change which means that all 57 councillors will be elected for a four-year term, rather than by thirds. The advantage for this is that the administration (of whichever political colour) can make longer term decisions for the benefit of the Borough. I've also been re-elected as Leader of the Conservative Group.

Planning: A second (revised slightly) planning application to construct a Bio-Compressed Natural Gas HGV refuelling facility for HGV's on what is farmland at Purley Road, Liddington has been submitted with another request as to whether an 'Environmental Impact Assessment' is required. I have submitted my view that the nature of the application is little changed and one is still required.

School Safety Zones: The Wanborough scheme is now in place and I met with officers in site in April, together with our local policing team. All went generally well and some words of advice were given. The re-surfacing of the driveway at Hooper's Field should be done soon and that will assist the school and parents with a suitable venue to 'park & stride' to school.

There are 20mph zones agreed for The Beanlands & Magdalen Road which will be implemented in due court and a consultation for Bishopstone ending early June.

Planning News Developers at Lotmead have appealed against 'non determination' as agreement wasn't reached on the flooding/drainage strategy. SBC and the developers have some time to try to work through concerns, but I think it's imperative that a suitable method of attenuation is put in place to protect future residents.

We are awaiting the start of the new Primary School at Redlands Grove which has been delayed by the decision of the Diocese of Bristol's decision to pull out of running schools and new Trusts are being approached to take over the project which has planning consent.

Waste & Recycling: Swindon Borough Council have got the service back to collecting on schedule mainly, but as always – please let me know if you are missed – as a resident you only have 24 hours to report a missed collection. New residents at Redlands Grove should let me know if the bins they order aren't delivered.

**Please call me on 01793 790814 or email me: gary@ridgewayvillages.co.uk
Ridgeway Villages website: www.ridgewayvillages.co.uk**

WANBOROUGH VILLAGE HALL

Registered Charity No. 267126

Member of the Wiltshire Village Halls Association

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Monday, 8th July 2024

7.00pm at Wanborough Village Hall

AGENDA

1. Apologies
2. Approval of minutes from AGM held on 3rd July 2023
3. Chairperson Report
4. Treasurer Report
5. Election of New Committee



To attend the meeting and for more information about joining our committee please email our Secretary, Sarah Ingram at sarahingram@btinternet.com



Liddington Parish Council

Liddington Village Clean up

The Parish Council would like to thank all the volunteers who turned out to help at the village clean-up on Saturday 11th May. The volunteers spent a couple of hours collecting rubbish, clearing and cleaning and cutting back vegetation – followed by bacon rolls and coffee at The Village Inn!

Play Equipment

Due to a piece of play equipment being damaged, the Parish Council would like to hear from residents with suggestions for what replacement play equipment you would like to see in the play park. Please email your suggestions to the Clerk- Laura Evans via the email address below.

Quotes will be obtained for any suggestions so the Parish Council can make an informed decision on which equipment to purchase.



CEO Of The Great Western Hospital

Liddington Parish Council are pleased to announce that the Acting Chief Executive of the Great Western Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust will be attending the Parish Council meeting being held on Wednesday 3rd July 2024.

Chairs 2024 Annual Report

This past year has been a particularly difficult year for the Parish Council as we have lost two of our councillors and unfortunately David Lomax has also been unable to continue as chairman and so has passed on the baton to Clive Bunney. I wish to thank David for his considerable contribution to Parish over many years and wish him all the best for the future.

However, I would like to welcome Cllr Jake Sturgess who joined the Parish Council in October. Jake has taken on the role as Parish Council liaison with the village hall committee. The Parish Council has been unable to fill the outstanding vacancies, and this has left us 2 councillors short for this year. I would urge anyone who wishes to contribute to the community to contact Laura Evans. Depending on your circumstances this can be as little as 1 evening a month. However, having a full complement will significantly reduce the workload on our Councillors especially as Swindon Borough Council are further divesting their responsibilities to the Parish Councils.....

To read more of Chair's annual report please visit the website at www.liddingtonparishcouncil.gov.uk

Or contact the Clerk- Laura Evans who will be happy to supply you with the full report.

New Meeting Start Times

Due to the hall now being available, the meeting start times from **June 2024 will be 7pm**

Next Meeting

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on 5th June 2024 please note the new start time of 7:00pm, this is now the new meeting start time going forward, in the Village Hall. Residents are welcome to attend. Please note the section where the public can speak is to be held at 7.30pm in the Main Hall.

Alternatively, if you would like to raise an issue or ask a question, please contact the Clerk, via parishclerk@liddingtonparishcouncil.gov.uk

Laura Evans, Clerk to Liddington Parish Council



Liddington 100 Club
The winner for April is Emma Clay -congratulations Emma. . [Caroline Tams](#)

Lyden Magazine
Did you know that you can receive the Lyden via e-mail?
Interested then please e-mail: lydenmagazine@gmail.com for further information
We also have an archive of previous copies on the website www.wanborough.info.



Liddington Summer Fete - Saturday 15th June 2024
1pm – dusk

Liddington village would like to invite you all to the Summer Fete on the playing field and in the church in Liddington on the afternoon of Saturday 15th June. We have built on the



success of last year, and this year's fete promises to be even better, and have something for everyone, young or old.

The fete opens at 1pm and the BBQ will be serving delicious locally sourced burgers and sausages. Why not enjoy these in the sunshine with a pint of beer from the Bar, and listen to live music played by "The Black Dog Acoustic Duo"?

At 3pm there will be a demonstration of the skills of working Labrador Retrievers, handled by John Read, an enthusiastic trainer and competitor, and Martin Bagg, a Kennel Club B panel judge, and run by Mike Brown, also a Kennel Club B panel judge, followed by a Q&A session. Then at 3.30pm there will be a Dog Show judged by Mike, so bring along all your fabulous dogs and enter! (Sign up from 1.30pm.) Plenty of treats for dogs to win, and the honour of being awarded rosettes!

As well as exciting fairground rides to entertain the family, this year there will be a marquee full of traditional children's games with favourites like Splat-the-Rat, Hoopla and Hook-a-Duck, as well as less well-known games such as and Flip-a-Frog, the Holey Cheese Game and Pop-a-Prize. Plenty to keep everyone amused!

Once you've visited the number of interesting stalls run by local businesses and craftspeople, you might want to relax and enjoy a cream tea and delicious homemade cakes, or maybe an ice cream or two!

You could wander over to the church next to the playing field to see the Art Exhibition and Flower Displays, and maybe explore with a tour of the tower.

The raffle will be drawn at 4pm for some great prizes including a £100 food hamper, a microlight flight, VIP tickets to Swindon Town Club, an elegant Susie Watson Designs cushion and other exciting prizes.

After 5pm, there will be additional food and drink available and live music provided by the fantastic skiffle band "Ode and the Bebops" (back by popular demand!). So do come and join us all for the evening as well and meet up with friends old and new.

Limited parking is available on the playing field (up Church Road) with further parking available in the Village Inn car park. The entrance fee is £3 per adult with free entrance for under 16s. This is a fundraising event to contribute towards much needed repairs in Liddington's beautiful 13th Century All Saints Church. For any enquiries, please contact John or Mandy on Liddington.fete@btinternet.com or phone them on 01793 791396.

Come along and have a great afternoon at the Liddington Summer Fete!



£3
Entry
Fee

Free
entry for
kids

LIDDINGTON

SUMMER FETE

Saturday 15th June

1pm - dusk

**Liddington Playing Field
and All Saints Church**

Bar LIVE MUSIC BBQ

DOG SHOW Working Dog
Demonstration

Stalls & Fairground Rides

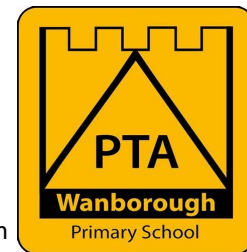
GAMES Cakes and Cream Teas

**Tower ART & FLOWER
Tours DISPLAYS Raffle**

Parking available on Playing Field
Fundraising for All Saints Church repairs

Contact: Liddington.fete@btinternet.com
Or phone John on 01793 791396





One Whole Year....

It has been a whole year since we have written for The Lyden, and we apologise for that. It has been a year of settling down into our new format. In September we voted for Co-Chairs Mel Rodriguez and Becki Martin to continue with their Chairship of the PTA. We saw a lot of experienced members leave the PTA as their children continued their educational journey into secondary school. However, we have welcomed many new committee members and helpers with open arms. We are always looking for new members, especially in the earlier years of Reception and Year one. Even if you do not wish to come to the meetings or to be involved in the planning of events, you can join our group of helpers who help at the events or in the run up to events. Just imagine what we could achieve and how much money we could raise to support the school if every parent was willing to donate one hour a year! If you would like to join or would like more information email us on contactpta@wanborough.org or follow us on Facebook

So far, this year we have seen the very youngest of the school community on the dance floor at our “Winterfest” reception and Key Stage one disco. They were dancing away to the tunes being spun by our very own DJ Woodman.... We were so lucky it even snowed! Okay, okay we may have had a snow machine. We had a whale of time, and we hope the children did too. There were certainly some very sweaty face painted faces running around with smiles all over them. We have to say a huge thank you to everyone who came, everyone who purchased a ticket, bought a hotdog, had their face painted, had a drink from the bar or participated in the lucky dip. We also must say thank you to everyone who helped, it was lovely to see some of the ex-students now at Ridgeway back in the school. At this event we managed to raise just over £500. We are currently looking to raise monies around £7,000 to replace the SMART boards in the classrooms, so this amount will definitely be helpful.

Also in early February we had our Friends from Rags2Riches4Schools come to collect bags of donated clothes. February’s collection was huge at 120 bags and managed to raise just under £270. Whilst also preventing a huge amount of clothes from going to landfill. Our next Rags2Riches4Schools collection is planned for 21.06.2024, so please think of us while you are doing your spring cleaning and pop any unwanted clothes in a clean plastic bag and store in your attic or something until our collection in June. The collection is open to everyone so tell your friends too.

A little while ago we put out a request on our Facebook page for sponsors for an idea we had for reusable event cups. We are constantly looking at how we can be more eco minded. We were really lucky and both Waylands Volvo and Primary Homes & Lettings stepped forward. Our lovely event cups have arrived and will be used at all our future events. A huge thank you to our sponsors for these. Do you have a company that would like to sponsor something for us? Drop us an email contactpta@wanborough.org whether it is a new shed (ours is falling apart) or the bouncy castle at the summer fete we would love to hear from you.

Our planning meetings are ramping up as we have the summer fete in our sights. The summer fete is our single largest event both in terms of planning, help required, and money raised. If you have any ideas about the fete, we would love to hear them contactpta@wanborough.org. One element of the fete that always is popular is our raffle. In previous years we have been really lucky in the support that local individuals and companies have given us, and we really hope for the same again this year. If you are able to help us with a raffle prize or a tombola prize, please let us know (contactpta@wanborough.org). In the meantime save the date of the 29th of June and pop it in your diary. Our popular “Feteball” football tournament organised by the Wanborough Wasps will be on and will surely be the biggest football event of the summer!!!!

This week (17th of May) we have our Key Stage two disco “Summerfest” we know that we are still in Spring but with pizza and ice cream being served as well as DJ Woodman on the decks we are hoping that our summer themed disco will bring the summer vibes and the sunshine out.

Not only have our events been ramping up, but we have also been spending the money raised. The money that you have donated at our events, or the clothing that you have given us for our collections has helped enable us to give the school money toward Lego kits for Lego therapy, and to purchase workshops from Silly Science for the whole school. We really hope that the children enjoyed their science workshops, which also tied in with Science Week. In addition to this we also paid for all the children to receive emergency first aid training from the Wiltshire Air Ambulance. So thank you again for your donations and ongoing support, it really does make a difference.

We really hope to be able to run a quiz night this year, open to the whole community, however, to do this we really need a quizmaster, is this something that you can help us with? Drop us at email at contactpta@wanboroughprimary.org

Dates for your Diary

21.06.2024 – Rags2Riches4Schools Collection

29.06.2024 – Summer Fete

BISHOPSTONE WITH HINTON PARVA WI

The guest speaker at the May meeting was Robert McGuigan, a senior paramedic with local Ambulance Services who demonstrated many of the techniques needed to apply effective CPR and uses of Defibrillator machines (as often found in the community.) Rob quoted that after a cardiac arrest the patient has a 10% survival rate; but with the quick intervention of CPR and/or application of a defibrillator machine the survival rate could increase to 60%. His clear message was always to attempt to apply the techniques he showed us, and possibly save a life.

He brought 4 Resuscitation models for the members to try these techniques on under his supervision. One of the questions to him concerned the possibility of compressing too hard on the chest area and his definite reply was 'better some broken ribs than to die without someone trying to keep the person alive'.



The WI will be holding their annual **Flower and Handicraft Show on June 13th** at Bishopstone village hall. The doors open at **7.p.m.** There will be a raffle, an auction and refreshments will be available

theWI
INSPIRING WOMEN



Ladies Who Lunch

"We'll be all right today. It's not going to rain till two o'clock."

Nobody believes weather forecasts, do they, so hair- flattening hoods were pulled on and an umbrella or two joined the party, ready to face the drizzle. The cars had finally found East Garston after an anxious moment or two with a tractor and a narrow lane, and the Intrepid Eight strode off, undaunted.

The trouble with hoods and country paths and elderly walkers in single file, is that even those less- elderly, struggle to hear. Conversations about house- viewings and where best to live, become half- heard scraps. " Bath? No , we'd only need a shower, I think, if we're downsizing . Oh BATH! Lovely. And the river , too."

The river on this walk appears and re- appears. By the roadside, edging the gardens, next to the thatch. " Damp" , sniffs someone disparagingly, and everyone's ideal of retirement life in a dear little thatched cottage with original beams and its own stream, dissolves.

Every village has a church and this one is miraculously open. A small chapel holds painted treasure, and high above the arch in the nave, more glory to see for those who can still crane their necks and look up.

Looking down is the skill that's needed outside, though, as clods of mud and slippery paths strike fear into the wobbly and unwary. Pay attention. Oh, and it might also be a good idea to pay attention to where Our Great Leader is, up ahead and far away, so that nobody takes a wrong turning and gets lost. Or left behind. Or is confused by where the track actually goes. No, no, don't get muddled by thinking you're still in the church. That really IS stained glass in the hedgerow.

And the muffled laughter from the stragglers at the back is to do with poo. A car's number plate spells out the letters POO. How could you possibly live with that? Well, very easily , says the owner, if your actual job is to collect the bins and the rubbish and the everything else. It's who I am. The poo man.

More shaking of heads over the field of cattle ahead. One inquisitive brown creature came close to the wire to inspect these intruders. . " Be careful. He looks very fierce. Have we actually got to go in his field or can we skirt round him?" They kept a wary distance. Until, that is , the "bull" walked away, and became very clearly, a cow. Just what is it about eyesight and creatures half- spotted on these walks? No, that's not a six- legged cow under the tree over there. Look properly. See that little face lower down? That's a calf, standing behind its mother.

And so to Priscilla's Kitchen. It's warm and dry inside and the counter is piled ready for the soggy walkers. The group divides into healthy eaters (spinach, chicken, salads, tap water) and the cake guzzlers (Bakewell Tart, and oh yes, more Bakewell tart) .

Dogs fight, people laugh, and the place is full. And that weather forecast? It's two o'clock. Yes, a change in the weather, exactly as they said. Rain not just started, but just stopped. One day they'll get it right.

'The Cross Keys'

By 'Le Bon Mangeur'

This month we are back in Wanborough, with a visit to the Cross Keys in Burycroft. When Karianne and Nathan Lee left in October 2022, after less than a year, it seemed that this pub was going to be closed for good. However, after a sad period of nearly one and half years, new landlords Adam and Sonja Travers seem to be breathing new life into this once popular hostelry.

A pub has been open on this site since before 1861 and it was once combined with a grocer's shop. During the first World War the licensee kept and killed pigs on the premises. It was rebuilt in the 1930s, the old pub being demolished to create what is now a spacious beer garden.

On phoning the pub to book a table mid-afternoon, the call wasn't answered, so I resorted to using the online ResDiary, which worked well. We visited on a Saturday evening and the pub wasn't busy. On arrival, you are asked to log your car number plate but the system wasn't working at the time. Is this really necessary?

Adam and Sonja have spent quite some time travelling and are both seasoned chefs. Adam has been running pubs for over 30 years and Sonja for the last 12. The pub reopened in February this year and the menu is a mix of 'pub classics' with some other interesting dishes from different parts of the world. Sonja brings an Italian influence with several family recipes being included.

The 'Cross Keys' is a Wadworth's house, so I enjoyed a cool pint of 'Horizon' which was hoppy and zesty. My better half chose an elderflower cordial. Adam and Sonja should have a quiet word with the powers that be at Wadworth's HQ, with a view to creating a better wine list. There are only five white wines, two of which are Sauvignon Blanc. Some more information about the wines would also be helpful. We picked out the 'Paddock Chardonnay', an Australian wine which was fruity and fresh.

According to the pub website, there is a 'fresh and seasonal approach' to the food served with local ingredients being used where possible, so hopefully no Brake Bros lorries in sight! To kick off, we shared the 'Chilli Chicken' and the 'Asian Duck Bao Buns'. The 'Chilli Chicken' was really good with a crispy coating of breadcrumbs and a nice chilli 'hit'. The 'Bao Buns' were pillowy soft and well-filled with moist duck. For our mains, I picked the 'Beef Short Rib' and my wife the 'Chicken Parmesan'.

The beef had been slow braised and was very tender, served with a velvety veal stock gravy. My wife reported that her chicken was well cooked and that the tomato pasta sauce was smooth and full of flavour. To finish off the meal, we shared a 'Cartmel Sticky Toffee Pudding', which was suitably sticky and served with vanilla ice-cream.

The 'Cross Keys' is a large pub inside and sometimes big spaces can make it hard to create a cosy atmosphere. Light background music and a sensible seating plan helped, but it would have been great to have had some more filled tables. We were looked after brilliantly by Beth and Bethany and the food was served quickly and with a smile. It's also dog friendly, so we plan to re-visit in the summer and eat out in the garden.



Old Boilers News

By the time you read this the Old Boilers would have contributed to the 68th Wanborough Beer Run, by creating a pop-up bar. Using the finest Ramsbury beer, at the Old Black Horse, as a 1-off, the run was resurrected to the original route of 6 pubs.

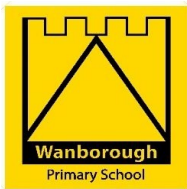
The Old Boilers are pleased to announce that they have ring-fenced the sum of £500, toward a children's activity at this years Wanborough Village & Country Show, 17th August.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our main beer festival sponsor, The Lawson Group. Demolition and Environment Specialists.

So have you acquired your entry tickets yet for the 6th Wanborough Beer & Cider Festival? Friday 14th & Saturday 15th June. If not, please go to; <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/the-old-boilers>

Or pop into the New Calley Arms, for a quick one. **Barry Hillier**





Wanborough Primary School

Reception started the term with their *roarsome* topic of dinosaurs learning about carnivores, herbivores and omnivores. They read lots of dinosaur books and even received a visit from a T-Rex! The children are now learning about minibeasts and went on a hunt for them around the school. In class the children are looking after a set of caterpillars, raising them into butterflies. The children have been learning about dynamics in music and have listened to *Beethoven's 5th Symphony* and *It's Oh So Quiet* by Bjork. They have learnt the meanings of forte, piano, crescendo and diminuendo and played percussion to demonstrate their understanding. In RE they have learnt about belonging to a community and about baptism.

Year 1 have been exploring fairy tales and traditional tales with the aim of writing their own tales by the end of the term. In Art they have been learning about the artist Andy Goldsworthy and in Science the children have been learning about seasonal change.

Year 2 made fabulous 'parrots for pirates' out of clay and wrote instructions on 'How to be a Pirate' as part of English. They have learnt about Blackbeard and Anne Bonny, pirate ships and clothing, and they enjoyed dressing up and doing piratey things for their WOW day. In RE the children have been learning about the difference between Easter and Eid-ul-fitr, comparing the Christian and Muslim religions. In Maths the children have been learning about measure – length, mass and capacity. In Music they explored film composing creating a piece of music to accompany a short Charlie Chaplin film.

Year 3 have been studying Egyptians and for their WOW day they dressed as Egyptians and received a special visitor. In Science they have been studying plants and in Art they have been looking at the work of Jackson Pollock. The whole class has also started a course of weekly swimming lessons at Dorcan.

Year 4 have been learning about and practising Ancient Greek pottery techniques, looking at the laid-technique and blending pieces together. In Science they have explored decay – putting eggs into different liquids to see which is worse for our teeth (coke, water or juice).

Year 5 have been learning a Balinese Gamelan in music creating their own with percussion instruments. In Art they have been learning about Van Gogh and creating their own versions of *Starry Night*. Within their topic of The Natural World the children have been writing a descriptive river setting for a larger piece of work. As part of Science on metamorphosis the class has been studying the different stages of the life cycle of a butterfly with a set of live caterpillars which they have watched transform into chrysalides and emerge as butterflies. Year 5 have been enjoying weekly swimming lessons at Dorcan pool.

Year 6 have worked very hard preparing for SATs. The children completed tests in Spelling, Reading, Arithmetic, Maths Reasoning (2 papers) and Punctuation, Vocabulary and Grammar. In Art they completed their Frida Kahlo portraits. In DT they created bridges to span the Amazon River and in History they learnt about the Maya people – Who were they? Where did they live? What was their life like?

Wiltshire Air Ambulance visited the school and each class received Emergency Awareness Training. This included CPR, Recovery Position and making an emergency call. The training was really engaging and could prove vital in an emergency situation. As a charity, Wiltshire Air Ambulance are grateful for any donations to keep this service flying!

The Whole School participated in an art exhibition held at North Swindon Library featuring art work from all years across the school as well as other schools from the Blue Kite Academy Trust.

Following the school's decision last June to become an academy we are moving closer to our proposed joining of The Blue Kite Academy Trust. We are already benefiting from working closely with the trust's central team and partner schools and we are looking forward to becoming fully on board in readiness for the new academic year.

Once again in June our Year 6 children will be heading to France for their Year 6 residential. The school was successful in applying for Turing Scheme funding which awarded the school significant funding to enable the trip to happen once again and without any expense for our parents. We have everything crossed that our 2024 application will be successful too.

During the summer we will be holding our class transition days, where children will meet their new teachers. Our year 6 children will be having days at their new schools and we will be welcoming our new Reception cohort for September over a variety of mornings and afternoons. We still have places available for 2024/25 for any interested parents, please contact the school office for further information on 01793 790269 or admin@wanboroughprimary.org

If you would like to look at our website please take a look at

www.wanboroughprimary.org

Safer & Smarter Parking

When children are walking or cycling to school, we know that parents are concerned about the danger from traffic. School gates should be safe places.

Swindon
BOROUGH COLLEGE

What are School Keep Clear markings for?

SCHOOL KEEP CLEAR

School Safe Environment Zone

In operation from after Easter holiday

School Keep Clear
No Stopping
No Excuses

Swindon
BOROUGH COLLEGE



Monthly Musings

Have you noticed that some plants appear to move? You've put them in one spot, turned your back for a week /season / year or two and they've relocated! One reason for this phenomenon is that the misplaced plants are annuals and have simply set seed and died back, so your perceived moved plants are actually new ones.

Allowing some plants to self-seed is very satisfying and watching their ebb and flow is a welcome distraction from the pile of paperwork that awaits. It's fun to let an element of chance into the garden and see what happens – and as a designer, it takes a lot for me to say that!

You can always intervene by rubbing out too many seedlings or relocating young plants to a new spot.

I've listed a few well-behaved self seeders that you might like to try in this month's plant spotlight.



Plant Spotlight: Four RHS experts favourite self-seeders that won't take over.

Charlie Harpur, head gardener at the Knepp Estate, west Sussex recommends these plants for impoverished soil: *Primula veris* (Cowslip), *Seseli elatum* subsp. *Osseum* (Mountain Fennel) and *Lotus hirsutus* AGM (Hairy canary Clover)



Derry Watkins, plants woman and nursery owner suggests *Geranium nodosum* for dry shade and *Verbascum roripifolium* for sunny spots with good drainage.

Andrea Brunsendorf, head gardener at Lowther castle, Cumbria favourites for sunny free draining spaces include:

Persicaria orientalis, *Erigeron annuus* and *Papaver dubium* subsp. *Lecogii* 'Albiflorum' commonly known as 'Beth's poppy' after Beth Chatto.



Finally, Sue Maberley runs Nant-y-bedd woodland garden in the Brecon Beacons. She's noticed that *Digitalis purpurea* (Common Foxgloves), *Deschampsia cespitosa* (Tufted hair grass) and *Hesperis matronalis* (Sweet rocket) all manage the shade and self-seed freely through the gardens.

Information taken from April's issue of RHS 'The Garden' magazine.

The Potting Shed: Things to do in May / June

- Plant out summer bedding from the end of May onwards.
- Earth up potatoes
- Hoe off weeds in vegetable patches
- Open greenhouse vents and doors on warm days
- Lift and divide overgrown clumps of daffodils and other spring flowering bulbs.
- Start to plan your hanging baskets-they could be used for strawberries, tomatoes or even Hostas.

Happy Gardening 😊

Bishopstone and District Garden Club

May has been a busy month for the garden club, our regular meeting when we welcomed Adam Alexander, the Seed Detective, followed by the Annual Plant Sale. Both events were well supported.



Adam was brought up on a farm and as a child developed an interest in the arable side, particularly vegetables. He went on to a career as a film director making television documentaries. This took him around the world starting in Donetsk, Ukraine in 1990 then on to include many impoverished isolated communities in Rajasthan, Syria, Myanmar, and Mexico, to name but a few. He talked passionately about his interest in rare vegetables from the isolated, often desert, villages he was able to visit, discussions with the farmers, perusing their markets, sampling their produce and collecting seeds.



Adam's particular quest was to discover the different vegetables such as beans, tomatoes, peppers and maize, that these people grew in very challenging conditions. As a result, because of their isolation, these became rare varieties specific to each village by saving the seeds year on year. He now has collected of some 500 varieties from all the villages, not only for the Heritage Seed Bank, but also to grow in his own garden.

He had brought along a few copies of his book 'The Seed Detective' about his travels and discoveries as well as a selection of some of the rare and unusual varieties of seeds saved from his own garden for sale for us to try out.

It was altogether an enthralling evening.

The Plant Sale! Well what can I say, a tremendous array of plants, herbs and vegetables, fruit, bedding plants, perennials, shrubs, something for everyone. When the doors were opened at 9.30 there was a queue of customers waiting to claim their chosen bargains and the hall became a hive of activity! Helpers were on hand to assist in the decision making and in no time the tables were emptying.



Everyone was very generous in the donations for their plants and in excess of £580 was raised for the club funds to pay for our speakers, hall fees and general expenses.

A BIG thank you to all those who grew, nurtured and donated the plants, those who came along to purchase and all the helpers who organised and set up the event. None of it could have happened without you!

Diary Dates

Wednesday 12th June : 7pm in Bishopstone Village Hall : Lyn Blythe - Medical Herbalist.

Lyn is a qualified Medical Herbalist with 30 years experience in healthcare. She has clinics in both Swindon and Melksham here in Wiltshire.

Her talk is entitled 'Herbal Remedies from Your Garden' and it promises to be an interesting evening as Lyn enlightens us of the therapeutic and healing properties of the plants in our gardens. She is a member of the National Institute of Medical Herbalists and the College of Practitioners of Phytotherapy,

Saturday 30th June : 2.30pm Open Gardens at the Gables, Wanborough.

Byron and Joan Carron have kindly invited garden club members to visit their very own garden in Wanborough.

Wednesday 10th July: James Andrews : Update on Prohides.

James will be returning to give us an update on his work and projects with Prohides at Eastbrook Farm. As before he will be showing us some stunning photography from around the farm.



Marion Peck



Wanborough Scar

Theme - Fairy

Answers

Scarecrow Number	Scarecrow Name
1	Jack & The Beanstalk
2	The Lion & The Mouse
3	The Fox & The Grapes
4	The Hare & The Tortoise
5	The Magic Porridge Pot
6	The Emperor's New Clothes
7	Thumbelina
8	Rumpelstiltskin
9	Sleeping Beauty
10	Peter Rabbit
11	Rapunzel
12	The Snow Queen
13	Tom Thumb
14	Selfish Giant
15	Three Little Pigs
16	Jungle Book
17	Goldilocks & The Three Bears
18	Ali Baba & The Forty Thieves
19	Puss in Boots
20	6 Swans
21	The Secret Garden
22	Dick Whittington
23	Town Mouse & Country Mouse

Scarecrow Number	Scarecrow Name
24	The Fox & The Stork
25	Pinocchio
26	The Pied Piper
27	The Frog & The Princess
28	Snow White & The 7 Dwarves
29	Robin Hood
30	The Nutcracker
31	Spirited
32	Hansel & Gretel
33	The Ugly Duckling
34	Cinderella
35	The Gingerbread Man
36	Alice in Wonderland
37	The Princess & The Pea
38	The Frog Prince
39	The Elves & The Shoemaker
40	The Wizard of Oz
41	Baba Yaga
42	Chicken Licken
43	Little Mermaid
44	Peter Pan
45	Beauty & The Beast
46	Little Red Riding Hood



Scarecrow Trail - 2024

Fairytales & Fables



Many thanks to everyone for supporting this event. We were thrilled to see so many out and about walking the trail. In total we sold 611 trail sheets.

We are pleased to confirm that the total raised is **£2,610** which has been split equally between Wanborough Primary School PTA and Brighter Futures.

We would like to say a huge thank you to everyone who made a scarecrow. They all looked great and we received several comments from those completing the trail to say how good they were and that clearly a lot of work went into them. Also many thanks to those who kindly hosted a scarecrow on the trail route in their front garden.

Many thanks to all our sponsors:

Mundy Groundworks Ltd who covered the cost of the Village Hall hire,

Nationwide Properties Lettings, Richard James, South West Mortgages, House (Estate Agents) and Barrett Accounting & Tax Services who covered the cost of all the prizes. We appreciate your support which enables all the funds received to go to the charities.

All the trail sheets that were handed in have been marked and a draw for the winners took place at Beavers on Tuesday 14th May 2024

Winners

1st prize: £150 Amazon Voucher - **Richard Oliver - Wanborough**

2nd prize: £100 Amazon Voucher - **Neil Cooper - Swindon**

3rd prize: £50 Marks & Spencer Voucher - **Charlotte Griffiths - Wanborough**

Children's activity sheet & competition - **Harry Booker - Swindon**

Best Scarecrow - **19 - Puss in Boots**

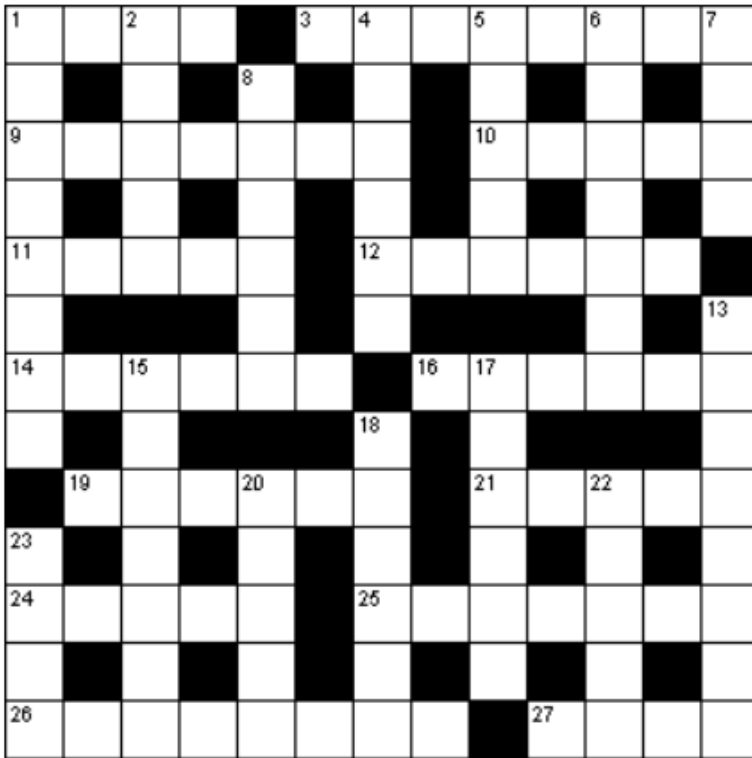
Well done to the Winners and to all those who took part.

Many thanks to everyone who provided feedback, we plan to have a meeting to discuss possible improvements for next year. If you have any ideas as to what the theme should be please e-mail lydenmagazine@gmail.com with you ideas.

Natasha, Natalie, Mark & Angela



Puzzle of the Month - June 2024



Across

- 1 Renown (4)
- 3 Aspirant (anag) (8)
- 9 Speaker's platform (7)
- 10 Construct (5)
- 11 Healed (5)
- 12 Scallywags (6)
- 14 Income from employment (6)
- 16 Squirm (6)
- 19 Missing (6)
- 21 Essential (5)
- 24 Meeting place (5)
- 25 Equilibrium (7)
- 26 Not quite a score (8)
- 27 Gait between a walk and a canter (4)

Down

- 1 Prediction (8)
- 2 Skinflint (5)
- 4 Nearly (6)
- 5 Shin bone (5)
- 6 Scrap (of information, news, etc) (7)
- 7 Naked (4)
- 8 Dealer (6)
- 13 Recklessly determined (8)
- 15 Middle East country (7)
- 17 Rebellion (6)
- 18 Steady (6)
- 20 Upright (5)
- 22 Male singing voice (5)
- 23 Level, regular (4)

Answers will be provided in next month's Lyden

Solutions for May's puzzle



CHIROPRACTOR

Stephen Goodman

Gentle Chiropractic manipulation and soft tissue therapy
for all ages



- Back pain
- Neck pain
- Sciatica
- Headaches
- Arm / Leg pain
- Knee pain
- Sport injuries
- Muscular pain

T - 07941 036467
E - chirogoodman@gmail.com
30+ years experience
McTimoney technique
GCC Reg No 1201

The Liddington Chiropractic Clinic, Honeysuckle Lodge, Yeomans Way, Liddington,
Swindon, SN4 0HF

COMPLETE BUILDING services

ROOFING & BUILDING



FULLY INSURED
WORK GUARANTEED
FREE SCAFFOLDING

DRY VERGE SYSTEM SUPPLY & FIT
£120
ANY APEX - ANY SIZE



- ROOF REPAIRS • NEW ROOFS • REFELT & BATTON
- FLAT ROOF epdm RUBBER/FIBREGLASS/FELT
- ALL CHIMNEY WORK • REBED RIDGE & HIP TILES
- DRY RIDGE & DRY VERGE SYSTEM
- NEW BUILDS • EXTENSIONS

01793 239742

Info@Completebuilding-services.co.uk www.Completebuilding-services.co.uk
15 Shaftesbury Centre, Swindon SN2 2AZ



Natural Stone, Slating and Tiling Contractor



NATURAL STONE, SLATING, TILING AND LEADWORK

Monarch Roofing have successfully carried out over forty million pounds worth of roofing from the town house to large country estates, churches to listed university buildings. We specialise in slating, traditional Cotswold stone and lead. Our gallery shows examples of projects and workmanship. We pride ourselves in offering a professional service on any size contract where personal attention, health and safety and quality of work are paramount.

Our labour force has a wealth of experience and knowledge gained over the past forty years in most disciplines of pitch roofing. Our entire workforce have current CSCS registration cards and are well versed in site health and safety.

From our office base in Swindon we carry out all of our estimating, administration and day to day running of our contracts. The company is a member of the National Federation of Roofing Contractors (NFRC) and has gained the government endorsed standard of 'Trustmark' through the Federation.



Contact:

T: 01793 485623

E: office@monarchroofing.co.uk

Website:-

www.monarchroofing.co.uk



Wanborough during World War Two

As we prepare to celebrate the 80th anniversary of D-Day I thought it might be a good time to look back at the information about Wanborough during WW2 gathered for the planned celebrations of the 75th anniversary of VE Day in May 2020. Those celebrations during a bank holiday weekend included a planned display in St Andrew's church by the History Group but had to be cancelled because of the pandemic and lockdown.

Bevin Boys

The story of the Bevin Boys is a sad and largely overlooked contribution of almost 50,000 18 to 24 year old men from 1943 to 1948.

The UK was highly dependent on coal at the start of WW2, not only to power ships and trains but also for generating electricity and heating homes. In the first half of 1942 industrial relations in the coal industry were poor and there were several local strikes over wages across the country. In response, the government increased minimum weekly pay and a bonus scheme was proposed to reward workers in mines that exceeded their output targets. These measures resulted in an increase in production in the second half of 1942 although volumes were still short of the amount of coal required.

During the early years of the war the Government had compounded the problem by conscripting 36,000 fit young miners into the armed forces and they were generally not replaced because other likely recruits were also being conscripted.

Although there were Volunteers or Optants who chose to become miners, by the middle of 1943 the country faced a critical shortage of coal and when coal stocks reached just three weeks' supply the Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, charged Ernest Bevin, Minister of Labour and National Service, to find a way to increase coal production.

Bevin's solution was that from all 18 to 24 year old conscripts one in ten were selected to work in the coal mines from 14th December 1943, a process organised by one of Bevin's secretaries who each week pulled a digit 0-9 from a hat. All men liable for call-up that week whose National Service registration number ended in that digit, with few exceptions, were known as Ballotees, and later Bevin Boys, and directed to work in the mines or face imprisonment.

Those selected were allocated accommodation in either a purpose built Miners Hostel, similar to an army camp, or billeted out to a private home. They were issued with a safety helmet, overalls and a pair of steel capped boots and instructed to report to a training centre where any with no previous experience of mining were given six weeks training, four in a classroom setting and two at their assigned colliery.

They did a filthy and dangerous although vitally important job

but were poorly treated but when demobbed, Bevin Boys received none of the benefits given to conscripts who had seen active service who had the right to go back to their previous jobs, were awarded service medals, received clothes in exchange for their uniforms, marched in Memorial Day parades and were admired by the nation. If a Bevin Boy was killed in a mining accident, his family received no compensation and those invalided out received no pension. Bevin Boys carried no formal form of identification nor wore a uniform so many people did not know that they had been conscripted and labelled them as "Conchies", the slang term used at the time for conscientious objectors and when they returned home had to suffer abuse from locals with accusations that they were deliberately avoiding military conscription. When peace was declared in 1945 Bevin Boys were not demobbed with the rest of the conscripted troops as England still needed coal, so it was not until 1948, nearly three years after the cessation of hostilities, that the coal-workers were finally released.

Another consequence of the lack of recognition of the important role Bevin Boys played was the destruction of most official records in the 1950's, apart from the Midlands Region which have been kept by National Archives. The role played by Bevin Boys in Britain's war effort was not fully recognised until 1995, 50 years after VE Day, when Queen Elizabeth II mentioned them in a speech and it was not until 2007 that the Government announced that Bevin Boys would be recognised with a medal granted to all conscripts that worked in the mines. Finally, in 2013 a memorial to the Bevin Boys was unveiled in the National Memorial Arboretum at Alrewas, Staffordshire.



Supervised underground training.

© IWM PD 273



Cecil “Jack” Morse

Statistically there could have been several young men from Wanborough sent to the mines but this is difficult to check because of the destruction of official records.

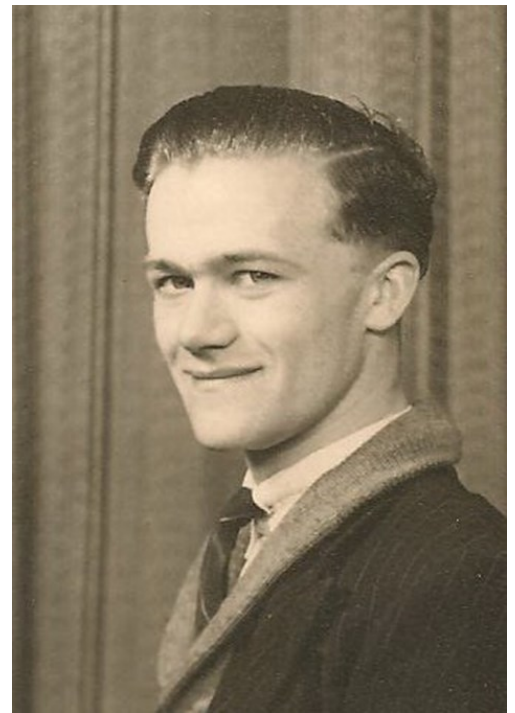
However, anecdotal reports suggest that Cecil Morse, known as Jack to his family, was Balloted to be a Bevin Boy. Jack lived in the cottage next to St Andrew’s church with his father Sidney from Farringdon and mother Elsie and three sisters. It seems that when he was de-mobbed Jack lived in Swindon

The picture is from a family tree added to Ancestry.com by Rita Brown, but unfortunately she hasn’t answered a message left for her.

If you have any further info about Jack, or any other stories about Wanborough during the war, please let me know so we can add to the story about Wanborough during WW2.

Dave Hayward email c/o: lydenmagazine@gmail.com

Question: Can you name 3 household names who were Bevin Boys?



Danger of 20mph Zone in Liddington

There’s been talk of reducing the minimum speed through Liddington from 30mph to 20mph. Most villagers welcome it. My concern is for Kay Archer.

She’s been getting around just fine with her walking stick. But when she gets into her Suzuki Carry Van she morphs into Stirling Moss. Visualise her with racing glasses and helmet, a cool driver, taking the corner at The Village Inn and on to her driveway without missing a beat. 20mph? I don’t think so.



Kay is an Essex girl. She came to Liddington when her father worked for the RAF building runways. Father built the house she lives in now. The original Bell Inn was where her garage is. Kay’s one regret is that the current pub was renamed The Village Inn. Perhaps Adam, the landlord, might change it back to The Bell.

Kay married Basil Archer from 17 The Street in 1959 and they had two sons, Ted and Adam.

She had a long career from operating a cement mixer for her father, to working in the Post Office and NHS hospital exchanges, retiring when she was 75.

Her fingerprints are on building the Village Hall and sewing the Millenium map of Liddington. And she has stories. Recently she engaged me with photo albums of village life that Basil had collected. We’ll digitise them for the village web site and hopefully record the memories of all those activists.

And Kay is still involved, one of the stalwarts for Village Hall events, welcoming villagers at the door, arm-wrestling them

to buy raffle tickets, ever-so quiet, persistent, very much-admired. She is Liddington’s national institution.



This poem, published some years back, captured a moment that was a tough loss for Kay. It was a morning in 2015 on a winter shoot. A flock of swans flew over, their sad honking had an inauspicious, spine-tingling effect.

Nothing Ever Hurts You Forever *for Kay*

That winter day on *Way Sands*
the professional photographer
clicked away but said nothing.

A shade in our peripheral edge
willed us to swivel to his eye
away from the quick of partridge

to a slow canal boat behind us
and later again to a fast train,
and later still to the wild swans
with their ponderous wing-span
honking a terse goodbye
captured forever in a photograph

taken over the ploughed ruts,
over the half-leaved winter trees
heading early morning into low sun

around the hour that Basil died.
If we’d known we would have seen
them as a cortege carrying his life,

doffed our hats to a happy re-birth
before trying to find our own balance,
feet mud-sucking the sodden earth



RICHARD GRIFFITHS
Dovetail Building Ltd

Extensions - Loft Conversions
 Conservatories - Roof Tiling & repairs
 Blockpaving - Patios - Decking
 All types of Carpentry & made to measure Joinery
 Fully fitted Kitchens & Bathrooms
 Hardwood flooring - Ceramic Tiling
 Structural Alterations - Plastering

 [dovetail_building](#) 
 REFERENCES AVAILABLE

Iris Cottage Lower Wanborough
Tel: 791581 / 07768 448 666
Email: richgriffiths@rocketmail.com
Third Generation Building Company

FF Floors Floored
 Specialists In All Aspects Of Floor Covering
 From Luxurious Carpets To Hardwearing Economy
 Beautiful Real Wood To Standard Laminates
 Stone Tiles To Ceramics

We also Supply & Fit Underfloor Heating
 Please Call For Help And Advice
 01793 791581 Mobile 07768448666

Chimserv
www.chimserv.com

Wood burning stove supply & installation
 Chimney lining & sweeping
 Fireplace design & build
 Cows, pots & birdguards



All types of building work &
 property maintenance undertaken

07860916790 or 01793 491011
info@chimserv.com

ASHCOMBE & CHURCH

**ALL ASPECTS OF
 PLASTERING UNDERTAKEN**

**Internal & External
 Commercial & Domestic**

**3rd Generation Experience
 Based at Church Road,
 Wanborough**

Contact:
E-mail: marionsmith5052@icloud.com
Phone: 01793 791042 or 07764968525



Jane Pearson
Garden Design
 07811 367320
janepearsondesign.com
 Designing Happy Gardens & Landscapes

SWEET HEAT 

Plumbing, Heating and Gas Specialists

07592 786 001
SweetHeatPlumbing@outlook.com
SweetHeatPlumbing.com

hair by lana

HAIR STYLIST



07815424837

hairbylanab@gmail.com

Wanborough, SN40BJ

HERITAGE TREE CARE

Professional Tree Surgeons

**Comprehensive Service
Qualified Staff
Fully Insured**

- ✓ Pruning and Shaping
- ✓ Felling and Removal
- ✓ Hedge Cutting
- ✓ Stump Grinding
- ✓ Tree Planting

Free quotations and advice
Call Ian Walding (N.C.Hort / N.D. Arb)

01793 790210

Email: ian@heritage-treecare.co.uk
www.heritage-treecare.co.uk



REEDS HEARING CARE LTD



Ear Wax Removal
Hearing Assessments
Latest digital Hearing Aids
Personal Solutions
Hearing Protection
Family Care & Attention



Struggling with your hearing?

At Reeds Hearing Care we have over 70 years' experience and can advise on hearing loss, protection and if required supply hearing aids to personally suit your needs.

Hearing properly plays a vital role in your mental health and cognitive wellbeing so please contact Laura or David today for an assessment.

M: 07585 525993

E: reeds@reedsear.co.uk | www.reedsear.co.uk

LDS Light Construction NVQ

Fencing, Trellis and Fencing Repairs

Patios, Patio and Block Paving Cleaning

Low Level Guttering, Fascia Cleaning

Garden Walls, Re-pointing

Decorative Shingling

Turfing, Hedge Cutting and Light Garden Clearance

Garden Walls, Shed and Fence Painting

Tel: 01793 812118 Mobile: 07471659225

Email: leesansum2006@gmail.com

Advertise here

Contact

Lorna

Lydenadvertising@gmail.com



Matthew Brittain
Chiropractor

Visit: www.backandactivecare.co.uk

Email: Matthew@backandactivecare.co.uk

Call: 07480 762885

Emoyeni, Kite Hill, Wanborough, Swindon SN4 0DD

Rachael Payne
Professional Hairdresser



-  **Established 25 years**
-  **Based in Bishopstone**
-  **Olaplex, Moroccan Oil & Schwarzkopf Treatments Available**

For Appointments & Consultations
Contact 07527 607947

Advertise here

Contact Lorna

Lydenadvertising@gmail.com



Wanborough based, offering a free collection & delivery service within the Swindon area.

Cytech Level 2 qualified mechanic offering reliable & affordable servicing & repair.

Fully insured & guaranteed work including safety check.

Mobile: Tony 07850 810714
Email: tbicycles@icloud.com
Website: www.tbicycles.co.uk



Bricklaying and Construction Ltd

- **New builds**
- **Extensions**
- **Domestic & Commercial**

Aaron - 07585 327800
Will - 07760 191687
E-mail awbricklaying@outlook.com



Enviro
PEST CONTROL

Based in Liddington we provide Professional Pest Control Services for the local community and beyond.

Pests we cover
Rats and Mice
Wasps and Hornets
Cockroaches
Ants
Flies
Bed bugs
Fleas
Textile Pests
Stored Product Insects
Birds
Wildlife

All work is carried out by a qualified technician to the best industry practices with due care to safety, pets, the environment and wildlife meeting all legal obligations.

T 01793 547006 M 07379 276187
E enquiries@enviropestcontroltd.co.uk
www.enviropestcontroltd.co.uk



LOUISA J ROWLANDS
Bespoke Estate Agent

07815 718184
louisa.rowlands@kwuk.com









Lisa Williams
Painter & Decorator
07808 147943

- Over 25 Years experience
- Friendly and reliable
- 5 Star Facebook reviews
- Interior and exterior decorating
- Residential and commercial
- Hand painted kitchens and more



Using a dustless sanding system to achieve the highest quality of finishes

Please contact Lisa for a free quotation

Photographs of previous work can be seen on Facebook 'Buttons Decorating Services' or www.buttonsdecorating.co.uk

Barrett Accounting and Tax Services

Chartered Accountants
♦
Chartered Tax Advisers



LIMITED COMPANIES,
UNINCORPORATED
BUSINESSES AND
INDIVIDUALS

ACCOUNTS
BOOK-KEEPING
TAX RETURNS
PAYE ♦ PAYROLL
VAT ♦ TAX ADVICE

If you want service that gives value for money, whilst being professional and efficient, contact us on

01793 741250 or
mail@barrett-ats.co.uk

Pilates Classes at Liddington & Wanborough Village Halls



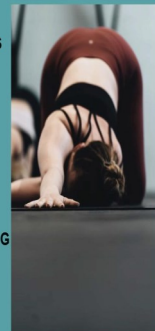
- IMPROVES CORE STRENGTH
- IMPROVES FLEXIBILITY & MOBILITY
- DECREASES BACK PAIN
- REDUCES STRESS & ENHANCES WELLBEING

To book online or for info:

www.summerswellbeing.co.uk

M: 07792 016250

Beginners welcome - "Progress Not Perfection"



THE RIDGEWAY BARNs
— WILTSHIRE —



WEDDINGS, EVENTS and
ACCOMMODATION

www.theridgewaybarns.co.uk
@theridgewaybarns
01793 791746
enquiries@theridgewaybarns.co.uk

PC Doctor Dan

115 High Street, Cricklade

Tel: 01793 759192 Mob: 07890 377517

Home & Business Computing

- ✓ Free pick-up and drop-off service
- ✓ Purchasing advice, setup and installation
- ✓ Secure wireless and home networking
- ✓ Share files, photos, music and printers
- ✓ Virus and spyware detection and removal
- ✓ Training to meet your specific needs
- ✓ Hardware/ software repairs and upgrades
- ✓ Improve PC performance and reliability
- ✓ Create backups to protect key information
- ✓ Consultancy and managed service options

20 years IT experience @Intel Corporation

www.pdoctor-dan.co.uk

Well Hung Framing by Kate Herbert

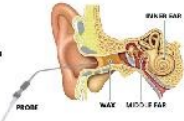
From medals and memorabilia to paintings, prints and certificates – I stock a wide range of supplies to suit all budgets and also offer frame repairs and reglazing. Please call or email to arrange a visit to my studio in Watchfield to discuss your requirements, with no time pressure to make hurried decisions.

07710 348 263
bykateherbert@gmail.com
wellhungframing.co

Hear Clear Professional Microsuction Service



I expect you get your eyes
and teeth checked regularly ...
but what about your ears?
Ears are just as important.



NHS qualified adult and paediatric nurse, trained in microsuction (ear wax removal) at the NHS Rotherham Primary Ear Care centre. To help with impacted ear wax, eczema, and ear obstructions.

Contact me for a consultation

Teresa Tuffin DipHE (RNA), BSc (RCN)

Tel: **07882 625290** Email: hearclearrt@gmail.com

Facebook: **Hear Clear Professional Microsuction Service**

REFRESHER CREW · CLEANING SERVICES ·

A Reliable & Professional Service
With 15 Years Experience



GET READY TO BE SWEEPED AWAY BY
OUR SERVICES!

Weekly & Fortnightly Cleans
A Bed Linen Laundry Service
All Cleaning Products & Tools Supplied

Give us a call for a free no obligation
quote



Nicky: 07724840149
Angie: 07977351715

All Aspects Plastering & Decorating

Specialists in:

- plastering
- rendering
- pebble dashing
- skimming
- patch repairs
- interior & exterior
- painting & decorating
- wallpaper hanging



www.allaspectsplastering-decorating.co.uk

A father and son team with over 34 years experience
in plastering & decorating + city and guilds qualified.
References and photos of our work available to view.

For a free quote contact Lee on:
07869 344366 | leerussell157@gmail.com

YOUR LOCAL VIDEO & AUDIO CONVERSION SPECIALISTS



Video Tape
Transfer Service



Camcorder Tape
Conversions



DVD production



Slide & negative scanning

Cassette tape / vinyl conversions

8mm Cine Conversion to digital or DVD



TAKE ONE
TAKE ONE

01793 790842
ian@takeonestudio.co.uk

FREE CONSULTATION
FREE WILL REVIEW

- T Protect** the value of your assets
- T Provide** for your loved ones
- T Plan** to avoid overpaying Inheritance Tax

- T Wills**
- T Will Trusts**
- T Lifetime Trusts**
- T Probate**
- T Lasting Power of Attorney (LPAs)**
- T Inheritance Tax planning**
- T Secure Document Storage**
- T Estate Administration**



**Willow
Tree
Wills**



0330 133 4464

info@willowtreewills.com

www.willowtreewills.com



**Sugarcraft
and
Cake
Decorating
Supplies**

1b Hilliers Yard, Marlborough SN8 1BE
www.luisas-sugarcraft.co.uk

BAYDON MOWERS

Garden Machinery Specialists

- New Machines
- Servicing & Repairs
- Collection & Delivery for ride-ons
- Spare Parts
- Welding & Brewing gases

Mon - Thurs 9am - 5.30pm
Fri 9am - 5pm
Saturday 9am - 1pm

Unit 1 Skylarks | Bytham Road
Ogbourne St George | Marlborough
Wiltshire SN8 1TD

**WE HAVE
MOVED!**

**01672
841207**

richard james

Village & Country Homes



Alex Hornby

Managing Director

alexhornby@richardjames.uk

Local agents with local knowledge

Growing up in the local area puts me in a unique position when it comes to selling the benefits of the parish to any potential buyers. I have worked in the industry for over 15 years and specialise in the sale of Village and Country homes across Wiltshire, Gloucestershire, and Oxfordshire.

richardjames.uk

CHISELDON LOCAL HISTORY GROUP



Our next meeting is on Wednesday 19th June 2024 in the Church Hall, Butts Rd, SN4 0NN at 7.30 p.m. when the subject is “Ticket to Ride – Victorian Railways” presented by Judy Rouse. In Victorian times, Britain’s railway network grew rapidly. In the 1840s ‘Railway Mania’ saw a frenzy of investment and speculation. Huge amounts were spent on building the railways from 1845 to 1900, extending the network throughout the nation. By 1870, 423 million passenger journeys were taking place annually on 16,000 miles of track. The railway system offered new chances for travel, holidays, transporting goods, developing businesses and the growth of towns and cities. The distance between town and countryside was erased. Dairy produce and fish could be delivered easily to different parts of the country within hours. Increased communication allowed for the spread of ideas and national newspapers. A standardized time was introduced across Britain as trains were timetabled. The mobility of labour and maintenance of law and order were made easier. Of course, the railway network also stimulated the coal and iron industries but led to the decline of the canal system. Judy will tell us all about this story. Come along and get a flavour of what it was like to travel during this period.

Membership subscriptions are £20 per year, with the subscription year starting in October. Visitor fees for non-members are £5 per meeting. The schedule will be published on the website (see below).

Our website www.chiseldonlhg.org.uk contains news of forthcoming meetings as well as general information on the History Group and local historical links and information. Other events will be published here when available.

Chiseldon Museum

The museum is open for the 2024 season and will be open every Saturday until 28th September from 2.00 to 4.00 p.m. It is a special year for the museum as it is our 20th anniversary, having first opened our doors in 2004. New displays feature anniversary photos, a section devoted to the early 20th Century landscape artist Kate Tryon (who lived and worked locally on several occasions) and a tribute to Chiseldon sportsmen and women of yesteryear. The museum can be found in the Old Chapel, Butts Rd, SN4 0NN.

Elaine Jones (01793 740784) Keith Parsons (01793 741346)

Email: info@chiseldonlhg.org.uk

Cameo Hair Salon

A little bit about us if you are new here..

Cameo Hair Salon is a well established rural salon of 39 years experience. Offering a fair pricing policy that rewards us with a diverse range of clients. Also providing NHS wig Patients and has an inhouse Trichology Clinic . And current Award winners of 2024 Wiltshire Life Business of the Year.

Job Overview:

We are seeking a talented and experienced Senior Hair Stylist with a minimum of 3 years salon experience on a part time or full time basis.

As a Senior Hair Stylist, you will be responsible for providing exceptional hair services to our clients while also mentoring and guiding our junior stylist.



Marlborough Concert Orchestra's Summer Concert will take place on Saturday 6th July at 7.30 pm in St Mary's Church.

Programme:

Elgar: Serenade for Strings

Vaughan Williams: The Lark Ascending, soloist Astrid Wilson-Gignoux

Holst: First Suite for Military Band

Vaughan Williams: Symphony No. 3 'Pastoral'

Tickets on sale at Sound Knowledge, Hughenden Yard, Marlborough, online (mco.org.uk) and on the door - adults £15, students £5, under 18s free

LYDEN MAGAZINE CONTACTS

Editorial: Angela e.mail - lydenmagazine@gmail.com

Advertising: Lorna email - lydenadvertising@gmail.com

Subscriptions /
Distribution: Jean email - lydensubs@gmail.com

Announcements: Suzi email - lydenannounce@gmail.com

Please note: Copy date for the next Lyden is 5pm on 14th June 2024. Please send your articles to e-mail Lydenmagazine@gmail.com

Coffee, cake and chat

10:30 till noon
Every Thursday

The Brewers Arms
Wanborough
Coffee and cake £5

Come along to meet
old friends and new!

All welcome!

For a lift or to find out more,
call Lorna on 07903 210505

There are Books of Remembrance in All Saints', Liddington and St. Andrew's, Wanborough. If anyone wishes to have a name recorded there, please contact a Churchwarden.

Privacy Statement

1.The Lyden Magazine needs to keep a small amount of personal data about its subscribers to enable the correct delivery and renewal of subscriptions. 2.We will collect, store, use, amend, share, destroy or delete personal data only in ways which protect people's privacy and comply with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and other relevant legislation. 3. We will only collect the following information: Name and Address for delivery 4. We will provide individuals with details of the data we have about them or amend or delete when requested by the relevant individual.5. We will keep all personal data secure. 6. We will not share any personal data with third parties or individuals outside of the Lyden distribution team.

Community Information

Local Contacts and Organisations

BENEFICE

Revd. Steve Paynter

E-mail: steverdpaynter@gmail.com 01793 296870

Churchwardens for Wanborough & Liddington

Gaynor Halls

E-mail: gaynormhalls@btinternet.com

Parish Safeguarding Officers: John & Mandy Mathieson.

Email: benefice.psos@btinternet.com; Tel: 01793 791 396

Captain of Wanborough & Liddington Bellringers

Tony Pullan Tel: 01793 790904

Practice 1st, 3rd and 5th Fridays in Wanborough, 2nd and 4th Fridays in Liddington.

Wanborough Handbell Ringers

Nicky Pullan Tel: 01793 790904

St Andrew's Flower Club

Joint Chair / Secretary Alison Carse Tel: 01793 790858 &

Jacqueline Midwinter tel: 01793 950852

Liddington 100 Club

Caroline Tams Tel: 07876 714950

E-mail: ctams1@icloud.com

WANBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL

Chairman: John Warr

E-mail: cllrwarr@wanborough.info

Parish Clerk Tel: 07588 769829

E-mail: Clerk@wanborough.info

LIDDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Chairman Clive Bunney –

Email: Clivebunney@liddingtonparishcouncil.gov.uk

Clerk: Laura Evans

E-mail: parishclerk@liddingtonparishcouncil.gov.uk

BOROUGH COUNCILLOR

Gary Sumner Tel: 01793 790814

E-Mail: gary@ridgewayvillages.co.uk

WANBOROUGH PRIMARY SCHOOL

Headteacher: Andrew Drury Tel: 01793 790269

Clerk to the Governors: Caroline Pooley

E-mail: Clerk@wanborough.swindon.sch.uk

PTA

E-mail: contactpta@wanboroughprimary.org

WANBOROUGH VILLAGE HALL

Lettings Secretary: Karen Hawkins Tel: 07823 490153

E-mail: wvhlettings@gmail.com

Calendar to view availability of hall on wanborough.info

Chairperson: Dion Dean 07841 866773

Secretary: Sarah Ingram 07530 451549

LIDDINGTON VILLAGE HALL

Lettings Secretary: Charlotte Riley Tel: 07816 753353

E-mail: lvhbooking@liddington.org

Chairperson: Matthew Bowman Tel: 01793 791401

Secretary: Alison Babbington

BEAVERS / CUBS / SCOUTS

E-mail: contact@1stwanborough.org.uk

(waiting lists are in operation so please make early contact).

Boys and Girls, meet weekly during term time.

HOOPER'S FIELD SPORTS FACILITY & CLUBS

Hire of Hall please contact Wanborough Parish Clerk.

If you wish to play any of the sports at Hooper's please contact the clubs directly.

Wanborough Cricket Club

Secretary: Mark Baldwin - Mob: 07762 488922

Wanborough Tennis Club

Secretary: Mel Brough Tel: 01793 741277

E-mail: wanboroughsecretary@gmail.com

Membership Secretary: Wendy Broughton

E-mail wanboroughmembers@gmail.com

Wanborough Bowls Club

Secretary: Mags Sanders Tel: 01793 614861

info@wanboroughbowlsclub.org.uk

Wanborough Junior Football Club

Secretary: Matthew Strickland Tel: 07754 978487

E-mail: secretary@wanboroughwasps.com

Website for further info - www.wanboroughwasps.com

LOCAL ORGANISATIONS

Wanborough Vets Cycling

Secretary:

Wanborough Theatre Club

Secretary: Mrs D Rawlings Tel: 01793 979170

Bishopstone and Hinton Parva WI

President: Jan Chapple

E-mail: janatwan@icloud.com

Liddington Scottish Dancing

Deborah Luck e-mail: lscd.sec@gmail.com

Tel: 07876 367712

Thursday evenings 7.45pm to 10pm (September to May at Liddington Village Hall.

WANBOROUGH SHOW SOCIETY

Chair: Sue Ripley 07778 954866

WANBOROUGH BEER FESTIVAL

Secretary: Barry Hillier Tel: 07443 490019

E-mail: wanboroughbeerfestival@gmail.com

LOCAL POLICE OFFICER

PC Andrew Caldwell

E-mail: Andrew.caldwell@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk

For non emergency ring 101.

LOCAL WEBSITES

For further information and news from our four villages visit:-

Wanborough - www.wanborough.info

Liddington - www.liddington.org

Bishopstone & Hinton Parva -

www.bishopstoneandhintonparva.org

Reach your full potential!

My name is **Luke Hannay** & I am studying for a BA in Jazz Guitar at Leeds Conservatoire. I am an ex-Wanborough Primary School & Ridgeway School pupil. In my spare time I provide online tuition.

Contact: 07494 599077 or luke_hannay@hotmail.co.uk



SOUTHWEST PAVING

Block Paving and patio specialists



Driveways



Patios

Gravel

Groundworks

Fully Insured

Contact us today for a free no obligation quote

website: www.southwestpavingltd.co.uk
email: josh@southwestpavingltd.co.uk
or contact us on social media  

07857 559394



Yoga in Liddington

Tuesdays 10.30 - 11.45am
Thursdays 6.00 - 7.15pm

Contact Nickie yogawithnickie@gmail.com
07503 157859 www.yogawithnickie.com

Also offered: Weekend Retreats; Retreat days
Private Yoga, Pilates, Relaxation & Meditation classes



CAMTEC INSTALLATIONS

24 HR EMERGENCY ELECTRICIANS IN SWINDON

ELECTRICAL SERVICES

CONTACT US:

Domestic & Commercial

01793 495969

All work Guaranteed



www.camtecinstallations.com
Email: info@camtecinstallations.com



Est.1986

Chappells

ESTATE AGENTS

Sales • Lettings • New Homes

Specialists in village property for over 35 years.

Contact us now for your free valuation

rightmove 



 01793 618080

 sales@chappells.uk.com  lettings@chappells.uk.com





PERSONAL TRAINER

- One to one sessions
- Small group sessions
- Outdoor circuit classes
- Pay-as-you-go
- Bulk discount

Email: tracy.hutchings@me.com
Tel: 0791 777 3 777



Meadowbank House
 Traditional Bed and Breakfast
 Restful and luxurious accommodation in Liddington
01793 791401 www.meadowbankhouse.com



HOUSE
 BASED IN WANBOROUGH

ROSS SUTTON
 07514 839415



ross@thehouse-group.com



A & B Domestic Appliances
 Guaranteed repairs to washing machines and tumble driers. A genuine professional repair service.
Contact Andrew Matthews at:
 E: aandbdomestic@gmail.com
 Tel: 01793 536332 Mobile: 07850 665925
 11 Farman Close, Eldene, Swindon, SN3 6DP

Est.1986

Chappells
 ESTATE AGENTS

Sales · Lettings · New Homes
 Specialists in village property for over 35 years.

01793 618080
sales@chappells.uk.com lettings@chappells.uk.com

The HAIR and TRICHOLOGY Clinic
 Treatment of Hair and Scalp Conditions
 NHS & Private Wig Service 01793 741136

Cameo Hair Salon Ltd
 Private hairdressing rooms available, full PPE

7 High Street, Chiseldon SN4 0NQ
 01793 740147
www.hairandtrichology.co.uk



Judi Moore
 Your Wanborough based Travel Agent

judi.moore@thepersonaltravelagents.co.uk
 01793 791238

Holidays tailored to you



Mowerfixer
 maintenance/repair service mowers, hedgecutters strimmers etc. for the Ridgeway villages
 New & 2nd hand garden machinery for sale
 Doug Stevens
 0789 979 1833 doug@mowerfixer.co.uk



richard james
 Village & Country Homes

Contact Alex today
 07889 366 134
alexhornby@richardjames.uk



richardjames.uk

Advertise here
Contact Lorna
Lydenadvertising@gmail.com



BGG
 GARDEN AND TREE CARE LTD

- Commercial Mowing
- Grass and Hedge Cutting
- Tree Surgery and Planting
- Tree Shearing
- Biomass Chipping
- Firewood and Woodchip

01367 241 329 07802 701 620
ben@bgggardenandtreecare.co.uk
 Fairview Cottage, Haremore Farm, Faringdon, Oxfordshire SN7 8PN
 Offering the complete Gardening and Tree Care service



Wiltshire Family Therapy

07498 362473
AMI@NLP4KIDS.ORG

NLP PRACTITIONER FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS SPECIALISING IN MANAGING ANXIETY, DEVELOPING SELF-ESTEEM, CONFIDENCE AND HELPING OVERCOME LIMITS.



WWW.WILTSHIREFAMILYTHERAPY.CO.UK