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Please note our new email address for contacting the Editor of this Newsletter is
credenhillcommunitynews@outlook.com



From our Registers

Baptism

20th Sept. Jack McBride and
Taylor Hughes

27th Sept. Jack Park

Funerals

16th Oct. Joanna Williams age 42yrs

Services for November

1 st	11.00am	Holy Communion
8 th	10.50am	Remembrance Service at St Mary's Primary School Suitable for all ages
Sat 14 th	3-5pm	Messy Church
15 th	11.00am	Holy Communion
22 nd	11.00am	Holy Communion, Baptism
29 th	10.00am	Kenchester Group Holy Communion



Credenhill Community Hall



Day and Time	Group Name	Leader	Contact Details
Monday 6.30 - 7pm	Positive Enerje	Tom Donaldson	positiveenerje@hotmail.com
Tues 5.15pm - 6.30pm	Beavers	Victoria Smissen	01432 279160
Tues 7.30pm	Magna Performing Arts	Val Lewis	01432 760115 07816 260838
Wed 6pm - 9pm	Slimmers World	Hillary Burcher	07789 951712
Thurs 6.00pm - 7.30pm	Cubs	Malcolm Cox	01432 274077
Thurs 7.30pm - 9pm	Scouts		07854299715
First Thursday in month 7.45pm	Friendship Club	Val Lewis	01432 760115
Friday 4.30pm - 5.30pm 5.30pm - 7.30pm	Rainbows Brownies	Donna Jones	01432 761056
Friday 7.30pm	Magna/Young Magna Performing Arts	Val Lewis Betty Morris	01432 760115 01432 760891
Sunday 2.30pm - 5pm	Young Magna Performing Arts	Betty Morris	01432 760891 07954 081999
Monday to Friday 9am to 3pm	Imagination Station	Suzanne Parkinson	01432 769387

NOVEMBER 2015

The A.G M was held in September and we are pleased to say that Vicky O'Donell was voted in as chair, Steve Davis as Minutes Secretary. Other officers remain the same. We welcome new members representing the groups using the Hall.

We are delighted to say that many children parties are held in the Hall. It is a good space for little ones to run around and we are constantly trying to improve the facilities to encourage people to use the venue. So if you are looking for a safe environment for a children's event please contact the Booking Secretary for details

Help support your village of Credenhill by attending the events planned

We continue to enjoy having our regular user groups and many casual events in the Hall. Most Children's groups only run during term time .

Don't forget if you have an event coming up and would like to hold it in a pleasant, light, airy hall with a large outside grassed area [big enough for a marquee] then come along and have a look at Credenhill Community Hall. We can give you details of license holders who will provide a bar for your function if you need one. What is more it will not break your budget ! Please contact us for more information.

Betty Morris Booking Secretary 01432 760891
N.B CREDENHILL COMMUNITY HALL IS A CHARITY

Magna and Young Magna

MAGNA PANTOMIME 2016

Oh! no it is isn't, Oh! yes it is Panto season for Magna, full of fun and laughter as we prepare for the 2016 Panto 'Babes in the Wood', with a cast of baddies, goodies and those not too sure!! We are looking for new members for our Youth Group, so if you or anyone you know between the ages of 8 and 16 are interested, ask them to come along on November 1st at Credenhill Community Hall 2.30 to 4p.m or ring numbers below for details

CHARITY COLLECTION

We decided earlier this year to make our main charity St.Michael's Hospice and also to support the Hereford Lions Club, who support many different charities. We have bucket collections at each performance and a raffle during panto week.

Thank you to this people who contributed at our previous productions, please continue to do so at our October performance. After which we will present a cheque for the amount raised so far

YOUNG MAGNA 2015

Well done to the five young people who recently took part in the October production along side Magna. They were a joy to work with.

Young Magna has gained so much in popularity over the last few years, but we have some vacancies in our Youth group, Young Magna. We meet on Sunday afternoons 2.30 until 5p.m each week, some rehearsals also take place on Friday evenings from 7.30p.m. There is a joining fee of £10 and a weekly fee of £2. We keep costs low to make it an easily affordable pastime for all.

It is very rewarding to see so many young people who are enjoying acquiring performing arts skills. There is some amazing talent around and we hope you will join us for our next production to see it in action. If you would like to have your name put on the list please contact Val, details below

WHAT MAGNA IS AND WHAT WE DO

Most of what Magna and Young Magna does is developed from performing arts workshops where we work out scripts and scenes, music and dance using improvisation. We aim to teach performance skills to those who wish to learn in a fun and fulfilling way to be a part of either group see details below

If you or your child would like to join ,ring or e-mail now for information or to book your place. This is a community group and so is affordable and fun. If membership is full we have a waiting list Your local performing arts group Magna, meets every Tuesday 7.30p.m. Young Magna for 8-16year olds each Sunday 2.30p.m. to 5p.m. New members are always welcome so come along and join us if you would like an inexpensive and enthralling way to pass some of your leisure time. Ring for details of how to join: Val 01432750115 Betty 01432760891

I don't know if you can help me but I am tracing my family tree for my elderly father and wondered if any readers could provide me with any information.

My Great grandfather x3 was William Michael Parry born 1799 or 1780. His birth place was Credenhill Hereford and he was the local veterinary surgeon. Would you have anything in the parish registers regarding his baptism and parents. I have searched him to Llanfechfra, Monmouthshire through the 1841 Census. He is widowed at this time and visiting his son who was working in Llanfrechfra. I live in Northern Ireland so would appreciate any help you could give me or any suggestions.

Susan Giffin (nee Parry).

Editor - If you are able to help in any way please email the newsletter and this will be passed on to Susan



Credenhill Social & Sports Club

A very warm welcome awaits you at Credenhill Social & Sports Club.

Don't forget you don't have to be a member to come and join us at the functions, or even just to come and have a relaxing drink in a warm and friendly atmosphere, A small visitors fee applies if you are not a member, or you are very welcome to join the club. We look forward to seeing you soon.

Our regular events are still on-going:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7.00pm - 11.00pm	7.30pm - 1100pm	7.00pm - 11.00pm	7.00pm - 11.00pm	7.00pm - 11.00pm	7.00pm - 11.00pm	12noon-2.30pm & 7.00pm 10.30pm
Hereford Darts league 3rd Monday Military Vehicle Club meet	Bingo 7.30pm Pool	Ladies Darts 8pm Indoor Archery Club 2nd Wednesday Preservation society 8pm	Hereford Pool league Kington Mixed pairs Darts league 2nd Thursday 4x4 Club new members always welcome	Skittles. In-house Darts premier league	Garnons Cricket Social	Members Open the box, Cash prize.

The Social club is a big part of your local community, please give your support.

Are you looking for somewhere to hire, at very reasonable prices. We have a very large function room with a bar, available day or night. The room is suitable for all types of events, family events such as wedding receptions, christenings, birthday parties, also for conferences meetings etc. For further information on any of the above please ring the Les on 01432 760600 or Sarah Armstrong Secretary on 01432 761750 or 07581031457

Members who haven't renewed their membership are welcome to come to the club, but the visitor's fee will apply.

We look forward to seeing you very soon.

Up and Coming Events

21st November – Race Night

31st December – New Year's Eve Spectacular. Cocktails, Light show and Disco till late.

See notice boards for any other events or changes

Please like us on facebook

<http://www.thebestof.co.uk/hereford>

thebestofhereford

We Who Remain

Virtutis Fortuna Comes

We are indeed the lucky and unlucky ones.

As we are the ones who have lived to tell the tales of those we once knew

We are the ones who carry those scars of things seen, done and lost

We are the ones who must never let this who are not here be forgotten by the new

We are the ones who will never need to be reminded that "We Will Remember Them"

As we are the ones who will always remember those we forever call friend

WO2 Anthony Devanny



Warm butterscotch dippers



50g unsalted butter
175g light muscovado sugar
284ml carton double cream
3 red-skinned apples, each cored
and cut into 6 wedges
3 pears, each cored and cut into 6
wedges
juice ½ lemon
generous pinch cinnamon

Melt the butter in a pan and tip in 100g of the muscovado sugar. Stir until dissolved, then leave to bubble for 30 secs. Pour in the cream, bring to the boil and whisk until smooth. Set aside until warm.

Meanwhile, heat the grill to high. Toss the fruit in the lemon juice, remaining sugar and cinnamon. Thread onto the skewers and arrange in one layer on a baking tray. Grill for 5 mins, turning once when golden. Serve with the warm butterscotch sauce.

Credenhill Sports and Social Club

New Years Eve Spectacular

Disco and Light Show

7pm till Late

Cocktails



Smart Dress Code



Churchwardens' Report.

A very big thank you to those of you who have supported our events this month.

The Macmillan Coffee morning held at the Vicarage raised £121. Jean and Wally Bowles took part in the **Sponsored Ride and Stride** and raised £85 for our church and £85 for the historic Churches Trust and the **Aber Valley Male Voice Choir** concert raised £550 (a big thank you to Glyn Williams for organising this.)

The church was decorated with flowers fruit and vegetables, mainly by Jean Hawkings-Bowles, for **the Harvest Festival** which was celebrated by Messy Church members with a range of activities. We made Rocky Road, Thistle cakes, pecking birds and planted cress to represent the parable of the Sower. We made vegetable soup and fruit kebabs, printed with various fruits and vegetables; made dough fruit and vegetables; made bird feeders, painted ceramic pumpkin lanterns and finished with a story, songs and tea.

The All aged Harvest service continued the theme of the Sower and an amazing quantity of gifts for the Food Larder were collected.

We held a traditional **Harvest Supper Service** in Headway where we all enjoyed a range of hot harvest pies followed by apple crumble or ginger dessert, cheese and biscuits and cider for which donations totalling £201 were given. We sang traditional harvest hymns during a short celebration service when we were reminded that all great things have small beginnings.

There would be no storms without the first raindrop, no fire without the first spark, no journey without the first step and no harvest without a small seed.

Daniel Hoskins reminded us that - In the beginning there was just potential; the seed within the packet, the soil's nutrients, the sunshine's warmth and rain clouds gathering.

That, within the tiny seed is everything necessary to make the flour for our daily bread. It is primed and ready should it be planted and allowed to grow. We are like the seed and should use our potential to help to produce a caring community

The atmosphere at the supper was very positive and we would like to think that great things could develop from this small beginning.

This year is the 75th anniversary of the Battle of Britain and we will be remembering this during the **Remembrance Service on Sunday 8th November**. The service and laying of wreaths will take place at the war memorial (by the school gates) at 10:50. There will be an opportunity for everyone to present their own poppies, crosses etc during the service. After the laying of wreaths we will regroup in the school for the remainder of the service. Everyone is very welcome. Lifts can be arranged.

Our **next Messy Church** is on Saturday November 14th from 3-5. Everyone is welcome.

For more information contact Donna Jones 01432 761 056, donnajones4249@googlemail.com

We are beginning to plan our Christmas Activities/services and our main fund raising event will be the popular **Christmas Hamper Draw**. Tickets will be on sale from 1st November and will be drawn at the Festival of Light Carol Service on Friday 18th December.

Many organisations in the village are thinking about their contribution to the Festival of Light. The theme is stars and we would like to fill the church with stars. Any one can make a star which can be any size and in any media. These should be brought to church by Friday 11th December and will be on display from the 12th - 30th December.

On a more sombre note you may remember that last year we paid the whole of our Parish share years fees for the last 3 years, wiping away the years of underpayment. Unfortunately we are struggling this year and have to raise around £7,000 by December 8th. If anyone has any ideas or can support us in any way we would be grateful.

We are also keen to encourage any volunteers that would like to contribute to the upkeep of the church and churchyard. We need someone to help with the flowers (2 weekends a year and festivals), the craft activities on the 2nd Saturday of the month from 3-5pm and the churchyard at your convenience.

Please ring if you are willing/able to help in any capacity. Jean Bowles and Dorrie Coates.

Dear Friends,

This year it is 40 years since I served with the British Army in Northern Ireland. So as others have been commemorating anniversaries for WW1 and 75 years since the Battle of Britain my thoughts have been about my time in the mid-70s when I was there as a 'Flying Coffeepot'. This was our codename because army women were flown everywhere by helicopter as it was unsafe to travel by car. Our task was mainly to search women and be present in their homes while British soldiers searched their houses for munitions and explosives. It was a difficult and exhausting job with long hours and little time off. It was also quite a frightening time. Many of you will remember well that we also lived in fear of nuclear holocaust, and of course there was a great risk of IRA bombs going off in our towns and cities on mainland UK as well as in Northern Ireland.

My faith was the one thing that helped me through that time: my belief in God, who loves me and has a purpose for my life. In the Old Testament Deuteronomy 31:6 says, "*Be strong and of good courage, do not fear nor be afraid of them; for the Lord your God, He is the One who goes with you. He will not leave you nor forsake you.*" I found great strength in those words, and in other bible readings. No matter how difficult or frightening things might get, ultimately when we have faith in God and believe in Jesus, we cannot be destroyed because we are eternal beings, saved by Christ. Our bodies might perish, but our spirits will live on. Nothing can destroy us and when we die we just leave our physical bodies here and receive new bodies equipped for eternal life. Jesus showed us this when he ate and walked with his followers after he rose again (see Luke 24:36-43).

In my position as Secretary to the Peterchurch Branch of the Royal British Legion, I have met several Northern Ireland veterans who have lost colleagues to bomb blasts and snipers and they still struggle with the horror of that time. In June I was at a conference where I met a clergy colleague who had been brought up in Belfast. When we realised that she had been a child living there at the same time I was serving there, she turned to me and said, "Thank you. Thank you for all you did to make our lives safer by your presence there." No one had ever thanked me for what we did there and it really moved me. So I promised to share her thanks with those I know who served there and each time I have it has been received with tears. So for any Northern Ireland veterans who read this, please know that your service there was appreciated by many NI residents who lived through that terrible time; and thank you for what you did to make it a safer place.

Do join us for our Remembrance Sunday service at St Mary's Primary School at 10.40am for our Act of Remembrance, when we remember with gratitude all those who, in many different conflicts, gave their lives to make our land a safer place.

With every Blessing,

Rana

The Macmillan's Coffee Morning at The Vicarage enabled me to send £200 to them, so thank you to all who supported it.

THE MAGNIS BENEFICE

(The Parish Churches of Credenhill, Mansel Lacy, Bridge Sollars, Kenchester, Bishopstone & Brinsop)

THE
IMPOSSIBLE
PRAYER
(The Lord's Prayer)

- Who can pray it?
- What does it say?
- What does it ask for?
- What do you know about it?
- Do you understand it?
- Are the familiar versions good translations?

YOU ARE INVITED

to a new series of talks on Thursday evenings at 7.30pm
through **NOVEMBER**, at the **HEADWAY CENTRE**,
Trenchard Avenue, Credenhill,

given by

Rev. Roy Crew (Leader of Hereford Cathedral's Biblical Studies Group)

THE MAGNIS BENEFICE

The Parish Churches of Credenhill, Mansel Lacy, Bishopstone, Bridge Sollars, Kenchester and Brinsop

The CHRISTMAS 'Story'

– The Nativity Narratives –

Was there an inn?

Where did the innkeeper come in?

How about the shepherds?

Was there a star?

Were its followers wise men or kings?

How many were there?

Was there a massacre at Bethlehem?

YOU ARE INVITED

to two meetings on Thursdays 3rd and 10th December at the

Headway Centre, Trenchard Avenue, Credenhill. **At 7.30pm**

Led by Rev. Roy Crew, leader of Hereford Cathedral's Biblical Studies Group



Hello from St Mary's School!

RECEPTION PLACES – SEPTEMBER 2016/2017 – Do you have a child born between 01/09/2011 – 31/08/2012? If so you will need to apply for a School place. Applications need to be completed on line at: -

www.herefordshire.gov.uk/reception-class-admissions

If you are unable to complete an application online please contact The Schools Admissions Team on (01432) 260926/261574

VISITS TO ST MARY'S - If you would like to come and visit us you will be made more than welcome by our staff and our children Please contact Karen Pritchard our Business Manager on (01432) 760408 to arrange a mutually convenient time.



PTFA FIREWORKS NIGHT

St Mary's Primary School and PTFA is pleased to announce we are holding our second Fireworks and Bonfire Night on Friday, 6th November 2015.

Gates open at 6:30pm (entrance from Parents' Gate off Dovecote Lane)

Fireworks start at 7:30pm.

****Pay in Advance Ticket are Available****

(To be received by 2nd November – Please collect from the School Office)

Family ticket...£10 (Admitting 2 adults & up to 3 children)

Adults...£4 - Children £3 (over 3 years)

On the Gate on the Night

Family ticket... £15 (Admitting 2 adults & up to 3 children)

Adults... £8 - Children...£5 (over 3 years)

Hot Pork Rolls and Hot Dogs available.



SAFETY NOTICE...UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD YOU BRING ANY SPARKLERS. EVERYONES' SAFETY IS PRIORITY.

DIARY DATES

- 26th October – 30th October – Half Term
- 6th November – Fireworks & Bonfire
- 11th November – PTFA Meeting – 6:30pm
- 16th November – Road Safety Year 3
- 23rd November – Road Safety Year 3
- 27th November – Wear What you Like Day
- 27th November – Christmas Bingo Night – Doors open at 6pm – Eyes down 6:30pm
- 30th November – Road Safety Year 3
- 4th December – St Mary's Xmas Fayre – afternoon – All welcome
- 11th December – St Mary's Got Talent
- 14th December – Key Stage 2 singing Carols in the Community – Credenhill Court
- 15th December – Key Stage 2 singing Carols in the Community – Headway
- 15th December – Key Stage 1 Christmas Party
- 16th December – Christmas Dinner Day
- 17th December – Carol Concert to Parents – St Mary's Church – 10am
- 17th December – Key Stage 2 Christmas Party
- 18th December – Last Day!!





BICYCLES/SCOOTERS – We have a lot of children who ride Bicycles and Scooters to school. Please could all riders dismount at the top of the drive. Thank you. Please no cycling or riding scooters on the pavement coming into school or on the playground. We have also received a phone call from a concerned resident reporting that a child had been spotted riding his scooter on the Tillington Road. This is very dangerous. All riders must use a pavement.



OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD - This year St Mary's will be taking part in Samaritan's Purse – Operation Christmas Child. Children will be packing shoe boxes with gifts for a boy or a girl and bringing them into school by Wednesday, 4th November ready for collection by the Samaritans. A small shoebox can have a big impact. What goes into the box is fun, but what comes out of it is eternal. If you would like to be a part of changing children's lives all over the world in Jesus' Name through the power of a simple gift with Operation Christmas Child then you can either visit the Samaritans' Purse website at www.samaritans-purse.org.uk and download an Operation Christmas Child leaflet yourself or collect a leaflet from the School office. You can then bring your shoebox to our school and we would be happy to pass this onto the Samaritans on your behalf.

Until next time TTFN!

Thinking about Volunteering – “just do it!”

Onside offers advocacy & mentoring to people who are struggling to cope with a situation due to their vulnerability in life. More volunteers are needed throughout Herefordshire to support local people. Advocacy volunteering is a way of supporting and empowering people to ensure that they have their voice heard and their wishes made known to others. While Mentors offer a supportive and reliable relationship to an individual who would otherwise be socially isolated. The support may involve visiting the person at home or encouraging them to access activities in their local community, and doesn't involve any domestic or personal care.

Onside's Volunteer Manager, Claire Watkins, said “Our volunteers give their time, their passion and enthusiasm, we need continued help from willing volunteers who would enjoy supporting people in their local community.”

Volunteers are ordinary people of all ages and backgrounds they just need to be good listeners and have some time to give.

Elizabeth one of our volunteers, said “if you are thinking about volunteering I would say “DO IT!”. I have had so much pleasure already, It's a wonderful feeling when you know you've helped and made even a small difference to someone else's life.” Since retiring I felt I wanted to give something back, volunteering with Onside means I can do this along with knowing it's a very worthwhile use of my time.

If you can picture yourself in the role of an Onside volunteer please call Claire Watkins - Volunteer Manager on 01905 27525 or email claire.watkins@onside-advocacy.org.uk to find out more. This type of volunteering can be very flexible to fit with your life and circumstances. Free training (throughout the year) is provided and all expenses paid.



Children in need Friday 13th November

Look out for various fundraising events in your area.

BBC
Children
in Need

CREDENHILL FRIENDSHIP CLUB.

Everyone enjoyed the talk given by Ellie Targett “In My Fathers Footsteps”. It was very enlightening. Ellie also did a book signing as many members bought her books in which she had written about her father.

At our next meeting Nov 1st we will have the menu for the Christmas lunch so you can decide what you would like, we have chosen the 2 Course menu which will cost members £15.00 and non members £17.00 would you be kind enough to bring payment to the meeting in an envelope for Brenda. Look forward to seeing you all in November.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY.

Thursday 5th November -----A talk by Mike Pullen - “Franks Journey - A Horse Journey to London” includes a film

Thursday 3rd December -----Christmas Lunch at Burghill golf club. arrive at 12.00 noon for 12.30pm

Thursday 7th January ----- We will meet for a game of skittles to start the New Year off with a BANG!!!! Please bring some refreshments to share

Thursday 4th February ----- Talk by Fred Clark - “Falklands People and their History

Please remember when we meet in the community hall we cant go in till 7.4pm for our meetings, Want to know more about the Friendship Club phone Val on 760115 or come along to a meeting we would love to see you.

Val



The one is a Luftwaffe arial photo taken during the war.
RAF Hereford is in the top left [1.]
Bradbury lines[later Stirling lines [2.]
Rotherwas [3.]

Photographs curtesy of Andrew Slater



CRAFT AND FOOD FAIR with Christmas in mind!



Sunday 1st November, 10 am to 4 pm,
WEOBLEY VILLAGE HALL
Gadbridge Road, HR4 8SN



Craft demonstrations and stalls selling high-quality products. Tea, coffee and light lunches will be available.



£1 entrance fee (includes a raffle ticket)



WEOBLEY & DISTRICT LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY

Fenny Smith's talk at the Society's November meeting on the 25th at Hopelands, Weobley's Village Hall, starts with a manuscript of 1548 which was discovered only a few years ago. She calls it Haugh Wood Encounters. It describes coppicing as a very "green" form of woodland management. Ancient customary rights of grazing and wood collection, coppice, fenced-off areas for regeneration, pollarding, timber, hunting, cultivation and even drainage were all activities to be found in woods and forests. Members and guests are most welcome.

This year's Christmas Lunch will take place on Wednesday 13th January at The Kings House, Pembridge. We decided to postpone it until January so we have something to look forward to after the December surfeit of Turkey and Christmas Pudding! The cost will be £19.50 per head to include a choice of menu for two courses and coffee to follow.

The Kings House in Pembridge is a very warm and welcoming venue with excellent food so we shall hope to see lots of members there. Further details to come and in the meantime, save the date in your diaries.

Crossroads Care

Crossroads Care Herefordshire is a registered carers support charity and Care Quality Commission not for profit care agency that supports families throughout Herefordshire. We offer many different services including 1:1 support as well as groups and activities.



Our social groups include Gents Pub Lunch Clubs run for gentlemen who due to ill health or mobility issues are not able to get out as much as they would like. There will be a £25 cost towards all support staff and transport costs. Alternatively you can join our carers social groups where you can meet friends and make new ones!

Come along on your own or bring the person you support. Our own fully qualified support staff will always be on hand to assist you with any aspect of mobility or personal care.

With activities, trips, speakers and workshops there's always plenty to get stuck into at our social groups which will be running across Herefordshire.



Expert 1:1 support is also on offer. Our fully trained professionals are always on hand to provide you with the respite care you deserve for £15.50 per hour.

To find out more about Crossroads Care and find out what's happening in your area visit www.crossroadshereford.org.uk. or Call us on **01432 355373**

Light up a Life Events this winter for St Michael's Hospice

'Light up a Life' is a very special event full of warmth and love. 'Light up a Life' events take place across the world during November and December every year. A light is dedicated to a loved one: it could be in memoriam, to celebrate the gift of friendship or mark a special occasion. The lights lit are also beacons for everything that St Michael's Hospice stands for: giving care to local people with life-limiting illnesses and supporting their families and friends in Herefordshire and the surrounding counties.



We would like to invite you to dedicate a light and attend one of our special services or events. Through your dedication, you will not only be illuminating the life of your loved one, but will be helping to provide invaluable support to local people who need the specialist care that St Michael's offers. This year, we hope our 'Light up a Life' services will raise enough money to pay for two Staff Nurses to care for patients at St Michael's Hospice in 2016.

Postcards From Life Art Exhibition and Auction



Postcards from Life is an exhibition and secret auction of postcard-sized original artwork by nationally acclaimed and talented local artists.

Postcards are signed only on the back, if at all, so you won't know the identity of the artist until you have made your purchase.

With over 220 works of art from over 180 artists, there is a unique piece for everyone to choose from.

You can buy art for an affordable price, and in doing so, help St Michael's Hospice provide the local community with the best possible end-of-life care.

All the Postcards from Life will be on display at Hellens Manor in Much Marcle from Friday 20th November to Sunday 22nd November 2015.



FRIDAY 6TH NOVEMBER FIREWORKS NIGHT

St Mary's Primary School - Credenhill

Gates open 6.30pm

Our Fireworks night is **OPEN TO ALL**. You don't need to have children at the school to enjoy this fun filled firework bonanza!!

PAY IN ADVANCE FOR OUR BEST PRICE:

£10 FOR A FAMILY TICKET (permits 2 adults & up to 3 children)

£15 for a family ticket on the gate.

For further information see school notices.



Burghill and Tillington W.I.

Alison Cooper from Just Rachel's Dessert talked to us about the luxury ice-cream they produce and sell locally. Several flavours were available for tasting but the top was damson and sloe gin!! Only 3 ingredients go into their ice-cream with the addition of alcohol in some flavours.

NOVEMBER 17th - ANNUAL MEETING - Zumba demonstration - remember to dress appropriately

We meet on the Third Tuesday of each month at 7.30 pm in the Simpson Hall. For more information please contact either our Secretary, Liana Webster, on 01432 760352,

Occasional visitors are very welcome at our main meetings, so do please come along and see what the WI is all about. We can also be found on Facebook (Burghill & Tillington WI) and on www.burghill-web.co.uk

LOST

Has anyone lost their sunglasses? A pair was found in the grass beside the path leading to the old railway line and Roman Road bridle path. This is used regularly by dog walkers and families taking a stroll. They are in good condition and someone must have missed them.

Please contact Glenda (Editor) to reunite



We clean your oven..... so you don't have to.
Call today to have your oven, hob, extractor or Aga professionally cleaned

Colin Hadley contact details

Tel 01885 400337, Mob tel 07817 477850

Bare Bones - Present

“Visiting Hour”

Fri 27th and Sat 28th November

at 7.30 pm in

The Simpson Hall, Burghill

For tickets, Tel: 01981 540820

Knit One, Natter Two

NOVEMBER 11th & 25th

2pm to 4pm

In the Simpson Hall, Burghill.

£1 including refreshments

Suitable for all levels from beginners to the extremely talented.



HEREFORDSHIRE HEADWAY

Headway House, Trenchard Avenue,
Credenhill

Coffee Morning

Tuesday 3rd NOVEMBER

10.30am - 12 noon

Tea & Coffee with Biscuits
& Raffle
All welcome



Please come and support us.



Flicks in the Sticks

Your chance to see popular films at reasonable prices – only £4.00

Where? At the Simpson Hall, Burghill

When? All performances start at 7.30 p.m.

What's on?

Friday 6th November

“The Second Best Marigold Hotel”



The Courtyard's annual pantomime returns to tell the story of **Beauty and the Beast!**

Beauty's family has fallen on hard times and when her father hears of a chance to regain some of his fortune, he sets off on a long journey. On his way home, empty-handed and without the gifts he promised, he gets lost in the forest and takes refuge in a mysterious castle.

As he is leaving in the morning, he sees a beautiful rose and picks it to take home. Little does he know that the master of the house, a fearsome Beast, has decreed the penalty for picking the roses is death. The Beast promises to spare the father's life if his beautiful daughter comes to live with him at the castle. But what will happen to Beauty and will she ever find true love?

Jason Marc Williams returns for his second year at The Courtyard to play the Dame, alongside new recruits, Beth Dillon as Bebe and Ben Astle as the Beast.

WIN four tickets to see this year's pantomime on Tuesday 8 December at 7pm! Just answer this question: What flower does Beauty's father pick from the Beast's garden? Send your answer along with your name, address and telephone number to competitions@courtyard.org.uk. The deadline for entries is Wednesday 2 December.

Beauty and the Beast will be in the Main House from Friday 27 November 2015 – Saturday 9 January 2016. To book tickets, or for more information contact the Box Office on 01432 340555 or visit www.courtyard.org.uk.



Silence in Court - actual American Court extracts

ATTORNEY: What was the first thing your husband said to you that morning?

WITNESS: He said, 'Where am I, Cathy?'

ATTORNEY: And why did that upset you?

WITNESS: My name is Susan!

ATTORNEY: Now doctor, isn't it true that when a person dies in his sleep, he doesn't know about it until the next morning?

WITNESS: Did you actually pass the bar exam?

ATTORNEY: The youngest son, the 20-year-old, how old is he?

WITNESS: He's 20, much like your IQ.

ATTORNEY: How was your first marriage terminated?

WITNESS: By death.

ATTORNEY: And by whose death was it terminated?

WITNESS: Take a guess.

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led by invited Guest Tutor

Maggie Banks

Weekend
3rd/4th November
2015

10am - 4pm both days
£110

This Still Life oil painting course with Maggie is inspired by the work of Cornish Artists, in particular Alice Mumford and Annie Redpath.

Maggie will take you through the process of setting up your palette, as well as showing images from the various artists mentioned. Using small canvases quick drawings are made first, shadows are painted first then finally the image. Over the two days you will have a chance to make several experimental paintings working with light to dark through to a more considered work on a larger canvas if you wish on day two.

The Still Life will be set on the floor so that the artist is looking down making for an unusual perspective. The colours Maggie uses a limited palette of just eight colours:

Please only bring the following :
Alizarium Crimson, Cadmium Yellow, Cobalt Blue, Veridium,
Cadmium Red, Raw Sienna, White and Ivory Black.

Maggie's recent work follows these disciplines.

www.maggiobanks.com/other-works/

Image : Vintage and Orange Cloth, Maggie Banks

To Book a place or for more info :

call Jill 07796 673123 or email theprintshed@swinmoor.net

www.theprintshed.net

10am - 4pm Tea, coffee are available all day, please bring a packed lunch

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My Favourite Things from "The sound of music - Julie Andrews' version!"

Botox and nose drops and needles for knitting.
Walkers and handrails and new dental fittings,
Bundles of magazines tied up in string,
These are a few of my favourite things.

Cadillacs and cataracts, hearing aids and glasses
Polident and fixodent and false teeth in glasses,
Pacemakers, golf carts and porches with swings,
These are a few of my favourite things.

When the pipes leak, when the bones creak,
When the knees go bad,
I simply remember my favourite things,
and then I don't feel so bad.

Hot tea and crumpets and corn pads for bunions,
No spicy hot food or food cooked with onions.
Bathrobes and heating pads and hot meals they bring.

Back pain, confused brains and no need for sinnin',
Thin bones and fractures and hair that is thinnin',
And we won't mention our short shrunken frames
When we remember our favourite things

When the joints ache, when the hips break
When the eyes grow dim.
Then I remember the great life i've had,
And then I don't feel so bad.

DO YOU HAVE A FEW HOURS TO SPARE?

Age UK Hereford and Localities is currently recruiting volunteers for our footcare service at different locations across Herefordshire. No previous experience is necessary. All you need is a compassionate and caring nature and a willingness to help others. Full training is provided and travel expenses are fully reimbursed. Volunteering is fun, worthwhile and very rewarding.

To find out more about volunteering with our footcare service, please contact Margaret Metzger on 0845 688 1298 or email her directly on margaret.metzger@ageukhl.org

The following crimes and incidents may be of interest to your local parish area.

Burghill

5th September. Owner of Landrover Defender has parked and secured the vehicle on their driveway. At some point, person(s) unknown have approached the vehicle and cut the electrical wires that connect the winch, They have then unbolted the winch and taken it from the vehicle before making off from the area.

WARNING : Land Rover vehicles are being targeted by criminals! There has been a recent increase in the thefts of Land Rover Defenders. The theft of defenders is due to their popularity and the ease of breaking down of the vehicles, as well as the possibility of being shipped abroad or sold as spare parts.

Tips on how to protect your vehicle:

- **Keep your vehicle in a garage, if possible out of sight.**
- **When parked on a drive, consider motion activated lighting and CCTV**
- **Forensic security marking kits are available for parts on your vehicle**
- **Consider fitting a tracking system**
- **Be aware of people acting suspiciously nearby**

Lost & Found

Found outside 88 - 87 Ecroyd Park on pavement one key on ring could be important to somebody.

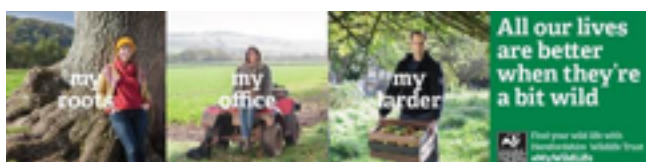
Have handed in to West Mercia Police please ring them for information on how to retrieve.

Would You like to be a Tree Warden?

Herefordshire is in the process of establishing a Tree Warden Network (HTWN) linked to the National Tree Council's Tree Warden Scheme. Parish Councils and Town Wards can appoint a tree warden for their area and HTWN can offer support and training. HTWN is also affiliated to Herefordshire Wildlife Trust and the Herefordshire Tree Forum, which bring together statutory bodies and other local organisations and experts concerned with tree care policy.

Would YOU like to be a Tree Warden? You'd be offered on-going training on the welfare of trees, how to spot diseases, recognise & protect notable veterans and plant for the next generation. Tree Wardens also encourage an appreciation of trees and involve others in local tree events. Trees are increasingly valued not just for their timeless beauty and timber but also for their contribution to our wellbeing, flood prevention, air quality, biodiversity and as a source of renewable, sustainable energy.

If you think this might be for you and want to know more, HWTN are holding an information event on Saturday, 7th November, in Wellington Community Hall, 10.30 -1pm, and then afterwards, for those who wish, practical workshops on tree identification and orchard surveying will be held up the road at Queenswood Country Park during the afternoon.



To book a place: visit <http://www.herefordshirewt.org/whats-on>. If you require further information before booking, contact Richie Cotterill 01544 231236 / 07777 661252 or email kingontrees@live.co.uk or go to the following

Hereford Cathedral Perpetual Trust

Sunday 1 November

Festival of Lessons and Carols (22 & 23 December 7 pm)

Admission by (free) ticket only: applications forms can be downloaded from the cathedral website (www.hereford-cathedral.org) or collected from the cathedral. If you are not able to access the website, please contact the Perpetual Trust office (01432 374261) in the first instance.

Sunday 8 November

Remembrance Sunday with music from Duruflé's *Requiem* 10 am

The Cathedral Eucharist will mark Remembrance Day.

Monday 9 November

The Best that may be Gotten: an introduction to the Chained Library

The library is a remarkable survival from an age when the books in scholarly libraries were routinely chained. £5 per person. To book call 01432 374226. 10.30 am

Thursday 12 November

Friends' Autumn lecture 7 pm

Further information and tickets available from 01432 274783.

Saturday 14 November

Hereford Choral Society concert

Vaughan William's *Five Mystical Songs* and Brahms's A German Requiem / Ein deutsches Requiem. Ticket information 0845 46 33 124. tickets@herefordchoralsociety.org. 7.30 pm

Monday 16 November

Play reading; Crisis in Corinth

Canon Dr Maureen Palmer leads the reading of a play written by an American New Testament scholar. £5 per person. Cathedral Barn. 3.30 pm

Saturday 21 & Sunday 22 November

Art in Advent: Paintings by Chris Gollon,

A weekend exhibition featuring 20 paintings, to launch the display of his largest canvas *Virgin and Child for Advent*. 9.30 am – 5 pm

Saturday 21 November – January 2016

Art in Advent: *Virgin & Child* by Chris Gollon

On display on the Tower Crossing throughout Advent, supported by a display of drawings and studies in the North Choir Aisle showcase.

Saturday 28 November

Christmas Sparkle,

Lunchtime organ recital of Advent and Christmas favourites given by Peter Dyke, with large screen projection. Free with a retiring collection in support of Hereford Cathedral Perpetual Trust. 1.15pm

Sunday 29 November

Advent Carol Service

Sung by the Cathedral Choir. All welcome: no tickets required followed by a Friends of Cathedral Music reception. The service will be followed by a reception, to which all are invited, during which the Friends of Cathedral Music will make a presentation to the Perpetual Trust in support of the Cathedral Choir. 3.30 pm

DECEMBER

Tuesday 1 December

A Service for Advent in London, 6.30 pm

Hereford Cathedral Choir in London at The Guards' Chapel, Wellington Barracks in support of Hereford Cathedral Perpetual Trust. Sponsored by Old Market Hereford and British Land. Tickets by invitation available from The Trust Office on 01432 374261.

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Cheques payable to Credenhill Parish Council.

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Yearly advert will run from September 2015 to August 2016. Advertisers joining during the year will be charged a pro-rata rate until the next August issue.

Editor: Glenda Hind

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