

West Ilsley News

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Deadline for the next publication is:

5 pm on Monday 26th November

DIARY NOVEMBER

- 5th Bonfire and fireworks
- 12th Parish Council Meeting
- 14th Harrow coffee and cake morning
- 28th Harrow quiz night

ALL SAINTS CHURCH WEST ILSLEY

November Services at All Saints' Church

4 th	Family Communion	9.30am
11 th	Service of Remembrance	10.55am
18 th	*No service in West Ilsley	See Café Church below
25 th	Family Service	11.00am

Please see the lych gate notice board for details of other services in the benefice or go online at www.eastdownland.org.uk

Harvest

A big thank you to everyone who helped in any way to make our Harvest Festival and Lunch such a lovely occasion: to those who decorated the church so beautifully; to those who donated harvest gifts during the service, which were delivered to an appreciative Willow's Edge Nursing Home in Newbury; to those who produced such delicious food for the lunch; and to those who donated food and money, even though in some cases they were unable to attend. Lastly, thank you to those who joined us in the harvest celebration.

Café in All Saints' Church - Please note there will be no café in November.

Downland All Souls' Service – Sunday 4th November

This lovely service, when we especially remember our loved ones who have died, takes place this year at St Barnabas' Church, Peasemore at 4.00pm. Everyone is very welcome.

Working Party Tidy Up for Remembrance Day

We will be holding our usual church and churchyard working party on Saturday 10th November. Hopefully, you will have the odd spare hour or two to join us from 10.00am to tidy up the churchyard before the Remembrance Day Service. Help with the church cleaning would also be much appreciated. Please bring rakes, secateurs, dusters, polish, etc.

Remembrance Day Service – Sunday 11th November at 10.55am

We hope you will join us in remembering and giving thanks for those who have died in action for us over the years on this special 100th anniversary of the end of World War 1. Although the service begins at 10.55am, do please try and arrive in the churchyard before this as the Act of Remembrance starts promptly. As always, there will be a donation sent to the Royal British Legion.



WEST ILSLEY VILLAGE
INVITES YOU TO THEIR ANNUAL
BONFIRE & FIREWORKS
AT THE RECREATION GROUND
MONDAY NOVEMBER 5TH

6:00PM	BBQ
6:30PM	BONFIRE
7:00PM	FIREWORKS

FREE ADMISSION!
DONATIONS GRATEFULLY RECEIVED

**WEST ILSLEY VILLAGE HALL
CHRISTMAS BINGO
FRIDAY 14TH DECEMBER
DOORS OPEN 7PM
STARTS AT 7:30
GREAT PRIZES AND RAFFLE**

Café Church

This informal service continues at St Mary's Church, Chieveley on Sunday 18th November. However, this month it will be held at **5.00pm**, not in the morning as is usual. It is a popular service suitable for all ages, with live music and an emphasis on families with young children. Do come along at 4.45pm for coffee and cake beforehand.

Dates for your Diary

Sunday 2nd December 2018 - The Downland Advent Carol Service takes place this year in Wickham church at 6.00pm. Everyone is invited to this lovely candlelit Carol Service which starts the run up to Christmas.

Sunday 23rd December 2018 – Christmas Carol Service at All Saints' Church, West Ilsley at 6pm, followed by mince pies and mulled wine.

Christmas Day – Family Communion at 9.30am. Write the dates in your diaries now!

Contacts

Churchwardens

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Kay and Ian Fewtrell-Smith

Julia asap on 281597 to book your seat on the coach.

The Evergreens are having a Christmas Bazaar on Saturday the 10th of November at Compton village hall between 2pm and 4pm. Admission is FREE and we have various stalls including, a Tombola, Christmas decorations, Lego Guessing game, Homemade preserves, Lucky squares (£50 prize), Second-hand Toys, Cards and Jewellery and a Grand Raffle. Refreshments are available. Please come along and enjoy this event, whilst supporting the Evergreens.

There will be a Christmas Prize Bingo on Friday the 30th November at Compton Village Hall starting at 7:30 pm and a Coffee Morning at the Wilkins Centre on Saturday the 1st December starting at 10am. Please come along and join us.

We still have 2 seats available to see "Jersey Boys" at the New Theatre Oxford on Wednesday 19th December. Cost is £32 + £10 transport. Please contact Tony on 281997 or 07780 994297.

Thank you for supporting the Ilsley Evergreens.

Tony Elliott
Secretary

Hampstead Norreys Village Hall

WHAT'S ON AT THE HARROW

☕ COFFEE & CAKE MORNING ☕

WEDNESDAY 14th NOVEMBER - 10am

Pop in for a slice of homemade cake & a coffee, £5.50, raising money for Marie Curie Cancer. Joanne will be here with a selection of Phoenix Cards and Christmas cards, Emma with some lovely Neal's Yard products and Flick with yummy ginger breads.

?? QUIZ NIGHT ??

WEDNESDAY 28th NOVEMBER - 8pm

Raising money for The PCC
£3 each to enter

Book your teams in NOW!!

ILSLEY EVERGREENS

The Evergreens have been very lucky with the weather on their trips this year and so it was on the latest trip to Coventry. I was very impressed on my first trip to the City by the new (1962) Cathedral and also the British Transport Museum with its many displays of bicycles, motor bikes, cars and other modes of travel on wheels.

The last trip for this year will be to Birmingham Christmas Market, the largest outside Germany, on Wednesday the 28th of November leaving West Ilsley at 8:45am. If you wish to join us please contact

'Musical Evening'

Saturday 17th November

7.30pm

An evening of musical entertainment in
Hampstead Norreys Village Hall
in support of the Village Hall Appeal.

The music will be provided by
Berkshire Maestros Cellissimo (cello ensemble)
Newbury Saxophone Choir
Charley Hart-Davies (vocals)

The concert starts at 7.30pm & there will be a licensed bar open from 7.00pm,
with informal seating

Tickets are £10 (£8 concessions) from the Community Shop (or on the door).

All proceeds will be for the H.N. Village Hall Appeal.

ILSLEY UNDER 5s

Are you a parent, grandparent, carer of young children? Come along and join our friendly local stay and play group running Wednesday mornings 9.45-11.15 at West Ilsley Village Hall. There are plenty of toys and activities to keep young ones entertained and hot drinks for the grown ups. The session

includes snack and song/story time. The group always welcomes some hands on help so if you live locally and have a little spare time to come along and meet some local families and get involved, we'd love to hear from you!

If you are planning a party or event remember the small tables and chairs are available for hire throughout the year for a donation of £10.

If you are interested in finding out more about volunteering, hire of equipment or simply to find out more about the sessions please contact us at jillian.hobbs@outlook.com or 07857840727. You can also take a look at our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/ilsleyunderfives> and join our group <https://www.facebook.com/groups/ilsleyunderfives/> Jillian Hobbs, Secretary, Ilsley under fives

“Turkey & Tinsel Bazaar”

Aldworth Village Hall (RG8 9SE)

Saturday 24th November 2018

9.30 a.m. to 12 noon

**FREE Walter’s Turkey Tastings
and Mulled Wine!**

CHARITY stalls:

R.N.L.I.: Christmas cards/gifts

Alexander Devine Children’s Hospice:
Children’s knitted clothes/soft toys/gifts etc.

PLUS

Christmas wreaths (freshly made - to order),

Potted & festive plants, Christmas trees,

Preserves (many gift packaged)

Homemade cakes & pies of all sorts!

Festive and hand-crafted cards & gifts,

Fresh fruits & vegetables

Fairtrade groceries & sweets.

Warm welcome, refreshments & MORE!

RAFFLE

FATHER CHRISTMAS visits at 11 a.m.!

Details: 01635 578090 or 579344

Handbells Concert at Aldworth – Saturday December 1st

The Yattendon Hand Bell Ringers have kindly agreed to visit Aldworth Saturday Market on Saturday December 1st from 10.30am onwards to give a concert of carols and other favourite tunes to our customers in Aldworth village hall.

Market with fresh produce, cakes, eggs, groceries, sweets and greetings cards etc., plus refreshments from 9.30 to 12 noon.

Refreshments all morning e.g. slice of homemade cake and hot drink only £1.50!

Children and adults are welcome to get the festive season off to a good start and have a go at hand bell ringing for themselves!

Market details from Kathy on 01635 578090



PARISH COUNCIL

Read the latest Parish Council Minutes and hear how village matters are being addressed. Visit our village website at www.westilsley.org - all the latest minutes from our meetings are available under the “Parish Council” tab.

2018 Meetings

7.30 pm in the Village Hall

12 Nov

DEFIBRILLATOR CODE: C159

WHO TO CONTACT

VILLAGE HALL

Ros Duckworth–Bookings–281471

rosduckworth@btinternet.com

Rates: £10.00/hr Villagers £12/hr Non Villagers

PRESCRIPTIONS

Prescriptions are delivered from Compton on Tuesdays mornings at 8.30. Please collect yours from 2 Morland Close on Tuesday or Thursday evening between 6.00 and 7.30. Repeat forms can be posted through the letter box anytime before Monday evening for the following week’s delivery. Thank you for your co-operation in keeping to the times listed.
Tony Elliott

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TENNIS COURT

Membership: Please email tennis.bookings@westilsley.org

Play without joining - book and pay via

westilsleytennis.jezzam.com or the link on westilsley.org

PARISH COUNCIL

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01635 578394

Office hours 9.30 to 11.30

Monday to Friday

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DVG HANDYBUS SHOPPING - £3 RETURN

(approx 1 hour shopping time)

Didcot - Tesco Tuesdays (monthly)		Wantage – Sainsbury's Wednesdays (fortnightly)	
Outward Journey		Outward Journey	
Time	Place	Time	Place
9.45 am	Chieveley	9.45 am	Chieveley
10.15 am	Compton	10.15 am	Compton
10.30 am	East Ilsley	10.30 am	East Ilsley
10.40 am	West Ilsley	10.40 am	West Ilsley

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Heated with serving kitchen, disabled access and toilets.



Contact for bookings - Ros Duckworth

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Roger Stowell

Window cleaning

gutter clearance and general odd jobs

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Remedial body Therapy

Rachel uses a combination of Remedial sports massage and McTimoney chiropractic to address problem areas. Treatment aims are to encourage **symmetry**, identify muscle **imbalances**, **improve posture** and **alleviate discomfort**.

Not In pain? It is also a good idea to get yourself assessed even when you are not in pain as a preventative way of fine tuning your posture and spotting minor issues before they build into bigger problems.

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