

West Ilsley News

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Deadline for the next publication is:

5pm on Monday 27th November

DIARY NOVEMBER

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| 5 th | Bonfire and Fireworks – recreation ground |
| 22 nd | Harrow quiz night |
| 24 th | Harrow kids club |
| 30 th | Harrow coffee and cake morning |

ILSLEY EVERGREENS

The Ilsley Evergreens will be having a very busy November starting with a coffee morning at the Wilkins Centre Compton on Saturday the 11th between 10am and 12noon. Come along and enjoy a coffee/tea and homemade cakes for just a £1. There will be a raffle. Please do join us.

We are off to the theatre on the 22nd to see "Mamma Mia" and then we are hosting a Prize Bingo on Friday the 24th at Compton Village Hall. Doors open at 7pm. Lots of fun and plenty of Christmas goodies to be won.

The following day the 25th also at Compton Village Hall is the Evergreens Christmas Bazaar starting at 2pm until 4pm. Lots of stalls with lots of Christmas ideas along with a Tombola and a Very Good Raffle. Entry is only £1 with a free coffee and mince pie. Please come along and support the Evergreens. The coach trip on Wednesday the 29th is to Winchester Christmas Market. There are only 2 seats left, so please contact Julia on 281597 if you want a seat or for any information regarding the Christmas Bazaar.

Thank you. Tony Elliott -Secretary

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



It's that time of year again! Save all that writing, paper (rainforests) and delivering of Christmas cards around the village, and save your chums all the hassle of moving loads

of cards to dust.. All it takes is an email or note and some cash in an envelope though one door and the job is done!

Send Christmas greetings to friends and neighbours in the village via the WIN and donate a sum towards Church Funds rather than sending cards - let me have a note of what you want to appear and your donation - any time from now up until 5 pm on 27th November and it will appear in the December edition. Last year we raised £480.

To make my life easier please do get your money and greeting in in time – happy to start receiving contributions immediately.

Andrea Cook 281224

Greetings to: westilsleynews@westilsley.org

Envelopes to: Clock Cottage, Main St

Christmas Trees for Sale

Non-drop Norwegian Blue Spruce Trees



5-6ft £35

6-7ft £38

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December 3rd

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WHAT'S ON AT THE HARROW

QUIZ NIGHT

Wednesday 22nd November

8pm

Teams of up to 6, £3
each to enter.

Raising money for
The Air Ambulance

Last month we raised £81 which we donated to the village firework display. Thank you to the Carrington's and Tony for a great quiz.



KIDS CLUB

Friday 24th November

4pm - 5:30pm

Chicken nuggets, chips & peas, vanilla ice cream and a glass of squash for £5. Book the kids in NOW.

COFFEE & CAKE MORNING

Thursday 30th November

10:30am

Pippa will be here

with a selection

Phoenix Cards,

perfect for

stocking up for Christmas.

Pop in for a slice of homemade cake, a coffee and a catch up with friends. Raising money for The Air Ambulance.



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We raised £40 at Octobers coffee morning which was put towards the firework display. Thank you to all of you who came along.

West Ilsley Village Hall Committee:

Bonfire Night Fireworks

(kindly donated by WI Fete, Mick Channon, The Harrow, Quiz nights, The Harrow coffee morning and Village Hall Bingo evenings.)



LOCATION

Please gather in the Recreation Field

Free entry

All villagers and their friends and families welcome to join us for a fun evening on

Sunday 5th November

BBQ from 6.15pm, Bonfire lit at 6.30pm,
Fireworks at 7pm

BBQ (Hot Dogs and Burgers) and
Refreshments available for sale from
6.15pm

Isleys School Xmas Bazaar

December 3rd 2-5pm

The Ilsley's Primary School

Raffle, Father Christmas, stalls, games.

All welcome

If anyone would like to have a stall selling their own produce it's £12 for a table. Please email

me brittonvictoria@yahoo.co.uk.

ALL SAINTS CHUCH WEST ILSLEY

November Services at All Saints' Church

5 th	Family Communion	9.30am
12 th	Remembrance Service	10.55am
19 th	*No service in West Ilsley	See Café Church below
26 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

Remembrance Day Service - Sunday 12th 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. 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.



Tidy Up for Remembrance Day

We will be holding our church and churchyard working party on Saturday 11th November. Hopefully you will have a little time to spare to join us from 10.00am to tidy up the churchyard before the Remembrance Day service. Help with the church cleaning would also be appreciated. Please bring rakes, secateurs, dusters, polish, etc.

Café in All Saints' Church

Please note there will be no café in November.

Home Insurance - Calling all church members, volunteers and members of All Saints' congregation! That means YOU!

'Ecclesiastical' has been All Saints' insurers for many years and this year it is celebrating its 130 years anniversary of insuring Anglican churches. It is offering to donate £130 to our church every time someone purchases a Home Insurance policy with them, before 31st August 2018, when nominating All Saints', West Ilsley. Quotation requests must either be made on line at www.ecclesiastical.com/Trust130 or by telephone on 0800 783 0130 quoting TRUST130. So when your home policy runs out do

think about contacting Ecclesiastical Insurance for a quote. Thank you.

Café Church continues at St Mary's Church, Chieveley at 11.00am on Sunday 19th November after the 9.30am United Benefice Communion Service. It is an informal service for everyone, with live music and an emphasis on families with young children. It has proved to be very popular with all ages, so come along at 10.45am for coffee and cake beforehand

Dates for your Diary

Sunday 3rd December 2017 - The Downland Advent Carol Service takes place this year in Peasemore church at 6.00pm. Everyone is welcome to this lovely candlelit Carol Service which starts the run up to Christmas.

Sunday 10th December 2017 – Carol Service at All Saints' Church, West Ilsley at 6pm, followed by mince pies and mulled wine.

Write the dates in your diaries now!

Contacts

If you have anyone or anything specific you would like mentioned in church prayers at services throughout the year, do speak to either Ian (281625) or Alexandra (281306). To receive by email a copy of the weekly pew sheet, which contains readings, prayers and notices about church events in the benefice, please contact the East Downland Benefice Office on eastdownland@btinternet.com or phone 07957 458107 and leave a message. The office is usually open on Thursday and Friday mornings and can be contacted in the first instance for information about baptisms and weddings. For any other reasons, you can contact Revd John Toogood on 01635 247566 or email him at edownlandrector@gmail.com

Kay and Ian Fewtrell-Smith

Meet Richard Ingrams at Aldworth's Charity Bazaar
Aldworth Saturday Market's "Turkey & Tinsel Bazaar" is on **25th November from 9.30 to 12 noon** in **Aldworth village hall (RG8 9SE)**.

Enjoy **FREE** entry, mulled wine and turkey tasting!

Visit a variety of festive food, produce, craft and charity stalls.

Aldworth resident, renowned author and former editor of

The Oldie, **Richard Ingrams**, will be signing (and selling) his books and will be happy to chat.

Buy your Christmas cards from the **R.N.L.I.** stall and gifts for all ages from **The Alexander Devine Children's Hospice Service** stall.

Bring the family to meet Father Christmas from 11 a.m.

YOU are warmly welcome to ASM any Saturday and especially to our Bazaar supporting the above charities. For further details, or enquiries about having a stall at our weekly Saturday Market, please contact 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.

2017 MEETING DATES

13 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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