

THE CORVEDALE NEWS

SEPTEMBER 2026
The Corvedale's Community Magazine



Summer sunset over Millichope Park - David Hicklin

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(Monday - Friday, 10.00am - 4.00pm)

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(Monday - Friday, 10.00am - 4.00pm)

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0808 223 1133

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0800 144 8 444

On the web: www.citizensadvice.org.uk



SUPPORT & RESOURCES

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From information about household recycling, planning applications, and highways to help with Cost-of-Living and Benefits. Help and information can also be obtained by phone: **0345 678 9000**.

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PICTURES We are always very pleased to receive high quality pictures of scenes or events around the Corvedale to add to our library for use on the front cover. Email to colin.pitcher@hotmail.com

EDITOR'S NOTE If anyone knows of other events taking place within their immediate area in the next few months, could they please let the Editor know so these may be included in the Dates for Your Diary.

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To those of you who have already paid your subscriptions for 2026 – a huge thank you from the Corvedale News Team. However, at the last count we still have just over £300 outstanding. And whilst this is a huge improvement on previous years it still represents around 10% of our total subscription income for the year.

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Tel: (01743) 874923
circuitoffice2803@gmail.com

LOCAL CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

 *Mini Moos* 
Baby and toddler group

Every Monday
9.30-11.30 term time
£2.50 per family

Baby area
Toddler area
Ride-ons
Craft activities
Song time
And lots more

 Diddlebury Village Hall 

Find us on Facebook
Mini Moos baby and toddler group


Weekly Whist Drives



Every Monday
All ages and abilities welcome

Doors open 7pm
Start 7:15pm

£3 to include half time refreshments

Westhope Village Hall
SY7 9JL



ENJOY SINGING?

CORVEDALE CHOIR is looking to recruit new members who love to sing.

WHO?
We are a mixed voice community choir based in the Corvedale. Our Musical Director is Ros Crouch. All songs are taught - an ability to follow music and a desire to sing is all that's required.

WHEN and WHERE?
Monday evenings 7.30 to 9.30pm at Diddlebury Village Hall during school term times

WHAT?
We sing an eclectic mix of harmony songs with a supportive, friendly and fun group of local people. We have an annual summer concert and support a carol service in church at Christmas time. And we raise money for good causes at the same time.

INTERESTED? For further information contact
Avril Lines avril.fossilsinshropshire@gmail.com
Or 01584 861 339

Or join us any Monday evening for a taster.

CORVEDALE BOOK GROUP

Corvedale Book Group welcomes new members! It costs less than £5 a month to cover room hire fees and Shropshire Library loan fees.

We will be discussing books selected from the annual library list.

Please contact
corvedale.book.group@gmail.com
if you would like to join us.

Second Thursday of the month
7.30pm - 9pm at Diddlebury Village Hall.
Next Meeting: Thursday 10th September



CORVEDALE ARTISTS

meet every Tuesday
from 10.00 am until 1.00pm in
Munslow Parish Hall

Portrait Model and Still Life
provided at each session
with tuition, or bring your own artwork

 £8.00 per session

A warm welcome awaits new members of all abilities so why not come along?

For further information
telephone 01299 832 603

CORVEDALE FOOTPATH MAINTENANCE GROUP



Working parties are usually on the 4th Wednesday of the month and the following Friday and Sunday, beginning at 9.30am.

Please contact Katharine Wale on 07866 408 897 or katharinewale59@gmail.com to confirm work location.

If any local walkers in the Corvedale notice any stiles or steps in poor condition, please report back to Katharine.

RSPB Events

More info can be found on the RSPB local group website.



WALKS
Sunday 20th September
The Long Mynd (west side), 10am
Saturday 10th October
Wyre Forest, 10.30am

TALKS
Third Wednesday of the month at 7.30pm at Wistanstow Village
Wednesday 16th September
Farming in Protective Landscapes – Lucy Grove
Wednesday 21st October
Mid Wales Reserves – Jonathan Cryer

Culmington Lunch Club

Meet new friends
Catch up with old friends
whilst you enjoy a delicious, freshly-cooked, 2-course meal



All for just £12

Bar Raffle

Every third Thursday of the month
12.30pm for 1pm

Culmington Village Hall

To book your place contact:
Gwyn Edwards on 01584 861666 or 07891 904504

WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

WHY NOT JOIN THE Friends of Diddlebury Village Hall



Do you have a little spare time to help us in some way - but DON'T want to become a Trustee?

Or - do you just want to keep up to date with What's on at DVH?

Whichever you choose just email us at diddleburyvillagehall@gmail.com and we'll send you all the details.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

SEPTEMBER 2026

Tue 1st	Culmington Parish Council Meeting	Culmington Village Hall	7pm
Wed 2nd	Munslow Parish Council Meeting	Munslow Parish Hall	7.30pm
Thu 3rd	Westhope Clover Club	The Discovery Centre	2.30pm
Sat 5th	Shropshire Hills Vintage Club Working Day	Stanton Lacy Village Hall	9am
Sat 5th	Corvedale and District Autumn Show	Diddlebury Village Hall	2pm
Mon 7th	Coffee, Cake & Cleaning	St Peter's Church, Diddlebury	10-11.30am
Wed 9th	Munslow & Diddlebury/Westhope Joint WI Meeting	Culmington Village Hall	7.30pm
Thu 10th	Corvedale Book Group	Diddlebury Village Hall	7.30pm
Thu 10th	Hayton & District WI Meeting	Stanton Lacy Village Hall	7.30pm
Sat 12th	Corvedale Garden Group	The Mount, Bishops Castle	10am
Sat 12th	Un-Finished Objects (UFO) Craft Morning	Abdon Village Hall	10.30am
Mon 14th	Corvedale News Copy Deadline		
Mon 14th	Clee St Margaret WI Talk - Shakespeare and Me	Clee St Margaret Village Hall	7.30pm
Wed 16th	Diddlebury Parish Council Meeting	Diddlebury Village Hall	7.30pm
Wed 16th	RSPB Talk - Farming in Protective Landscapes, Lucy Grove	Wistanstow Village Hall	7.30pm
Fri 18th	Pub Night	Stanton Lacy Village Hall	8pm
Sun 20th	RSPB Walk	The Long Mynd (west side)	10am
Sun 20th	Hills Ford Stages Rally	Various locations	TBA
Wed 23rd	Quiz Night	Diddlebury Village Hall	7.30pm
Thu 24th	Whist Day	Westhope Village Hall	10.45am-3pm
Fri 25th	Social Evening with The Fish Heads	Culmington Village Hall	5pm
Sat 26th	Coffee Morning	Abdon Village Hall	10.30am
Sat 26th	Macmillan Coffee Morning	Munslow Parish Hall	10.30am
Tue 29th	Film: People's Emergency Briefing	Abdon Village Hall	6.30pm

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The deadline for all submissions to the News is Monday 14th September 2026

OCTOBER 2026

Fri 2nd	Catwalk Collective Fashion Show	Diddlebury Village Hall	6.45pm
Thu 8th	Corvedale Book Group	Diddlebury Village Hall	7.30pm
Thu 8th	Hayton & District WI Meeting	Stanton Lacy Village Hall	7.30pm
Sat 10th	Rummage Sale	Westhope Village Hall	10am
Sat 10th	Un-Finished Objects (UFO) Craft Morning	Abdon Village Hall	10.30am
Sat 10th	RSPB Walk	Wyre Forrest	10.30am
Sat 10th	Habitat Box Building Day	Munslow Parish Hall	11am-3pm
Sat 10th	Corvedale Harvest Supper	Culmington Village Hall	6pm
Wed 14th	Flicks in the Sticks	Diddlebury Village Hall	7pm
Thu 15th	Lunch Club	Culmington Village Hall	12.30pm
Sat 17th	Harvest Supper	Westhope Village Hall	7.30pm
Sun 18th	Corvedale Tractor Run	Seifton Farm	10am
Mon 19th	Corvedale News Copy Deadline		
Wed 21st	RSPB Talk - Mid Wales Reserves, Jonathan Cryer	Wistanstow Village Hall	7.30pm
Sat 24th	Learn To Sew and Use Your Sewing Machine	Culmington Village Hall	9.30am-12.30pm
Sat 24th	Hedgerows in the Hills	Acton Scott Working Farm	10am-4pm
Sun 25th	Hedgerows in the Hills	Acton Scott Working Farm	10am-4pm
Sun 25th	Family Halloween Bingo + Hot Dog Tea + Games	Culmington Village Hall	4-9pm
Wed 28th	Quiz Night	Diddlebury Village Hall	7pm
Sat 31st	Coffee Morning	Abdon Village Hall	10.30am

REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Every Mon	Corvedale Choir	Diddlebury Village Hall	7.30pm
Every Mon	Coffee Morning	Culmington Village Hall	10am-11.30am
Every Mon	Bridge Club	Culmington Village Hall	12.30pm - 5pm
Every Mon	Whist Drive	Westhope Village Hall	7.15pm
Every Mon	Mini Moos - Baby & Toddler Group	Diddlebury Village Hall	9.30am
Every Tues	Blue Hills Choir	Diddlebury Village Hall	10am
Every Tues	Corvedale Artists	Munslow Parish Hall	10am
Every Tues	Zumba	Diddlebury Village Hall	6pm
Every Tues	Yoga	Westhope Village Hall	9.45-10.45am
Every Weds	Line Dancing	Onibury Village Hall	5.45 - 8.45pm
Every Wed	Pilates Beginners/Intermediate Class	Diddlebury Village Hall	6pm
Every Weds	Pub Night	Stanton Lacy Village Hall	8pm
Every Thur	Tai Chi	Diddlebury Village Hall	10am
Every Thur	Slow Flow Yoga	Diddlebury Village Hall	4pm
Every Fri	Physiotherapist-led Pilates	Diddlebury Village Hall	9.15am

WHAT'S ON IN THE DALE

100 YEARS CPRE Campaign to Protect Rural England Shropshire

"A celebration of the Shropshire countryside"

Hedgerows in the Hills

Saturday 24 & Sunday 25 October 2026, 10-4
Acton Scott Heritage Farm, Church Stretton

Walks Talks Country crafts
Hedgelaying demos Films
Children's activities & Big Hedge Hunt
Hedgerow exhibition Border Poets
Bob's Tree Quiz Heavy Horses
Marches Artists for Nature
Sense of Place winners
Geology exhibit
& More!

Come to a weekend celebration of our countryside and the hedgerows that criss-cross it. Talk to a hedgelayer, try Bob's famously tricky Tree Quiz, go on a fungi or tree walk, see a hedgelaying demo, listen to talks, browse the stall! There will be fun nature activities for children on both days. This one-off event also celebrates the Hedgerow Heroes project in CPRE's Centenary year in the beautiful setting of Acton Scott Heritage Farm.

More information and booking link at:
www.wcpreshropshire.org.uk/hedgerows-in-the-hills
Contact Sarah Jameson: admin@cpreshropshire.org.uk

One-day ticket (adult): £6.00
Under 16s go free. Includes free parking and all activities. Please book your ticket to avoid disappointment!

Acton Scott Heritage Farm Shropshire Hills National Landscape

Clee St. Margaret WI



OPEN MEETING

Following her very successful *Tribute to Joyce Grenfell* in 2023 we are delighted to announce the return of

Jennifer Rigby

to give her entertaining talk

Shakespeare and Me



Monday, 14th September 2026

7.30pm at Clee St. Margaret Village Hall

Admission £5 for WI Members & non-members

Tea, coffee and biscuits

THE CATWALK COLLECTIVE FASHION SHOW

Diddlebury Village Hall

Friday 2 October

Bar Stefano opens: 18:45
Show starts: 19:30

Fashion by
BODENHAMS
OSKA
eclectica

Let's Talk Skincare by **THE beauty centre LUDLOW**

Ticket £10 includes glass of fizz/soft drink

Available from:

- Bodenhams
- Aston Munslow Garage
- Online - See DVH web page Forthcoming Events

SY7 9DH
www.diddleburyvillagehall.org
07396 730342
diddleburyvillagehall@gmail.com
All funds raised go to DVH
registered charity no. 522511

QUIZ!

Nights at DVH

Wed 23 September
Wed 28 October
Wed 9 December

Teams of 4 – £10 a team

Already taking bookings for September !!!

Message or email to book
07396 730342
diddleburyvillagehall@gmail.com

DATE FOR THE DIARY
5TH SEPTEMBER
SHROPSHIRE HILLS VINTAGE CLUB
annual working day

**HERE ON THE FIELD
 AT STANTON LACY VILLAGE HALL**
*kindly hosted by
 the Gatehouse family*

⇒ WORKING DAY IN THE MORNING ⇒

 **BACON BAPS** |  **CUPPA TEA & COFFEE** |  **LIVE ENTERTAINMENT IN THE EVENING**

⇒ ALL WELCOME ⇒

★ *Time for the live entertainment in the evening to be confirmed* ★

Lil's
WALKING GROUP

A friendly walking group for our wonderful village community

 **EVERY SECOND WEDNESDAY**

 **LEAVING FROM STANTON LACY VILLAGE HALL CAR PARK**

 **AT 6.30 P.M.**

 **ALL WELCOME**
 **WELL-BEHAVED DOGS ON LEADS WELCOME**

*All about the sense of community within our village.
 A lovely way to connect with others.*

Good company. Fresh air. A calmer mind.

Diddlebury Village Hall

**INDOOR
 TABLETOP
 SALE**



SUNDAY 1ST NOV.
11:00 – 13:00
 Set up from 10:00

Booking in Advance Only
Sorry No Traders
 Homemade cakes, bacon baps and hot drinks available
TABLES provided
£10 Large 6ft £12 Large + rail £5 Small 3ft

Contact DVH 07396 730342
 bookdvh@gmail.com

Raising funds for DVH Charity number 522511

**UPCOMING
 EVENTS
 At DVH**

October
Friday 2nd
 Fashion Show by Bodenhams, Oska & Eclectica
Wednesday 14th
 Movie Night
Wednesday 28th
 Quiz Night

November
Sunday 1st
 Tabletop Sale back by popular demand
Friday 13th
 Colour Analysis Demo Evening by Practical Style
Wednesday 18th
 Movie Night

December
Friday 4th
 Pub, Food & Band Night with ROCKFALL
Wednesday 9th
 Christmas Quiz
Friday 18th
 Carols & Brass Band by the Diddle Brook

WHAT'S ON IN THE DALE

**CORVEDALE
HARVEST SUPPER**
SATURDAY 10TH OCTOBER
AT 6 FOR 6:30PM
CULMINGTON VILLAGE HALL

SAUSAGES, MASH & PEAS
PLUS AN ASSORTMENT OF
DELICIOUS PUDDINGS
AND INCLUDING YOUR
FIRST DRINK



PAY BAR AVAILABLE
TICKETS £10, OR £5 FOR CHILDREN AT
PRIMARY SCHOOL OR YOUNGER.
PLEASE BOOK BY MONDAY OCTOBER 5TH
PHONE (01584) 841348 OR
EMAIL: sharonconstable@msn.com

FUNDS RAISED ARE FOR THE CORVEDALE
CHURCHES

**CORVEDALE
& DISTRICT**
**AUTUMN
SHOW**



**DIDDLEBURY
VILLAGE HALL**

**SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 5**
2PM – 4PM

*Cream teas
on sale!*



ENTRY FORMS AND SHOW
SCHEDULE NOW AVAILABLE:
diddleburyvillagehall.org
Diddlebury-pc.gov.uk
For more information: 07957 792946

STANTON LACY VILLAGE HALL
**PUB NIGHT
SPECIAL EVENT**
FRIDAY, 18TH SEPTEMBER
STARTING AT
8:00 P.M.



LOCAL BUTCHERS
**ANDREW FRANCIS
BUTCHERS**
SELLING STEAK BAPS, HOT DOGS, ETC.
FRESHLY COOKED TO ORDER!



AVAILABLE TO BUY FOOD &
FULLY LICENSED BAR ★ **ALL WELCOME!**
LOCAL BEERS & CIDER • GREAT ATMOSPHERE!
STANTON LACY VILLAGE HALL SY8 2AT

A VILLAGE HALL COMMUNITY WORKSHOP

**Christmas Wreath
Making**

Gather greenery, mulled cheer & make something to hang on
your own front door



**THURSDAY
3RD
DECEMBER**
Doors open 6.30pm
**DIDDLEBURY
Village Hall
SY7 9DH**

£25 PER HEAD, TO INCLUDE LIGHT REFRESHMENTS	£10 NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT TO SECURE YOUR PLACE
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Spaces are limited, so **booking is essential**. Materials provided — just
bring your festive spirit, secateurs and gloves (and an apron, if you're
precious about your Christmas jumpers).

To book email: wreathmakingcourse@gmail.com

Kindly supported by Diddlebury Village Hall Committee

LEARN TO SEW AND USE YOUR SEWING MACHINE WORKSHOP



Saturday 24th October
Culmington Village Hall

9.30 to 12.30 £30.00

Bring along your
sewing machine and a project

Limited places - for further information
and to book contact

Catherine Crowther on
07972743613 or catherinecrowther@gmail.com

More workshops possible if requested.

SKILLED ESTATE GARDENER

PART-TIME • SOUTH SHROPSHIRE

An opportunity has arisen for a skilled and experienced gardener to join a private country estate near Craven Arms.

The gardens are undergoing renovation and redevelopment, with varied new planting including trees, shrubs and perennial borders.

We are seeking someone with strong practical horticultural knowledge and ideally 3–5 years' professional experience.

20–25 hours per week

Employed or self-employed arrangements considered

Self-employed: up to £30 per hour

RHS Level 2 or equivalent desirable.

Full UK driving licence required.

TO APPLY

Send your CV and a brief covering letter to
gardener@clevely.co.uk



THE TALLY HO INN BOULDON



FOOD TIMES

WED 6–8PM

THUR 12–2, 6–8PM

FRI & SAT 12–2, 6–8:30PM

SUNDAY 12–4PM

WWW.THETALLYHO.CO.UK

01584 841830

JOIN US FOR OUR EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 10TH - CORVEDALE SUPPER CLUB

SEPTEMBER 20TH - SHROPSHIRE RALLY

SEPTEMBER 30TH - TALLY HO CHARITY
QUIZ NIGHT

SHROPSHIRE RALLY SEPT 20TH ALL DAY EVENT

WE WILL BE HOSTING BRUNCH FROM 9AM–11:30AM
FOLLOWED BY ROAST DINNER BAPS & PIZZAS TO TAKE
AWAY IN THE AFTERNOON FROM 12–5PM INSTEAD OF OUR
USUAL SUNDAY LUNCH WITH REFRESHMENTS
THROUGHOUT THE DAY.

DIDDLEBURY VILLAGE HALL

www.diddleburyvillagehall.org What's App/call - 07396 730342 Facebook: @diddleburyvillagehall.org

QUIZ NIGHT

**Wednesday
23 September**

1st Quiz of the season

How about making this
the year you join our
happy and fun
quiz 'family'

For more information on
What's coming up @ DVH
Scan the QR Code with your phone
camera to take you to the
Forthcoming Events page on our
website: diddleburyvillagehall.org



MOVIE NIGHT

**Wednesdays
14 October
18 November**

	Book your table now! Message or email us to save a table Teams of 4 - £10 per team.	Wed. 23rd Sept Bar Open 19:00 Quiz Starts 19:30
DVH FASHION SHOW	We are thrilled to announce our first ever fashion show featuring the new season's fashions from Bodenhams, Oska & Eclectica of Ludlow plus a talk on Skincare by The Ludlow Beauty Centre	Fri 2nd October
TABLETOP SALE	Back by popular demand Have lots of 'stuff' to get rid of? Then book a table at our next sale and sell it! Homemade cakes, bacon baps and hot drinks on sale too!	Sun. 1st November
Colour Analysis	Colour Analysis Demo by Practical Style of Ludlow An evening with a style coach – numbers limited for comfort	Friday 13th November
	The Corvedale Book Club Meet to discuss their latest book choice. Contact: Corvedale.book.group@gmail.com	Thursday 10th September 19:00
	Mini Moos Baby & Toddler Group – term time only £2.50 per Family	Mondays 09:30 - 11:30
	The Corvedale Choir Contact Ros Crouch: ros.crouch@gmail.com for more information.	Mondays 19.30 - 21.30
	The Blue Hills Choir Contact Ros Crouch: ros.crouch@gmail.com for more information.	Tuesdays 10.00 - 12.00
	Zumba Contact Cat: zumbawithcat@outlook.com /07817 448832	Tuesdays 18.00
	Tai Chi Contact Enid Gill: 07877 250275 hello@goldenthreadscic.com	Thursdays 10.00 - 11.00
	Pilates with Tina Bookings only via pilateswithtina@outlook.com	Wednesdays 18:00 - 19:00
	Physiotherapist-led Pilates. Contact Beverley Chumber: beverleychumber@sky.com 07967 814412	Fridays 9.15 - 10.15

WESTHOPE VILLAGE HALL

Our last community lunch of the year was held on Wednesday 12th August, which was enjoyed by all except for the volunteers in the kitchen, who cooked the meal on one of the hottest days of the year! This very popular event will be resumed in the spring of 2027. Our new Warm Welcome Hub should start this winter and we are applying for a grant to meet the criteria, which includes free entry for all in the community.

We are looking to apply for a solar power grant. However, we will not be installing it on the front roof!

The QR code to the right links to our page on the Diddlebury Parish website.



REGULAR EVENTS

Weekly Whist Drive

Every Monday, 7pm for 7:15pm start.

Weekly Yoga

Every Tuesday, 9:45am

Enquiries Sue Pugh 07432 349 933.

Monthly Skittles Evenings

Every 2nd Friday, 7:30pm

May – September.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Whist Day

Thursday 24th September, 10:45am - 3pm.

Numbers limited to 20, so booking is essential. £10 per person, which includes morning tea/coffee, a light lunch and afternoon cream tea. There will be 12 hands of whist played at both morning and afternoon sessions.

Rummage Sale

Saturday 10th October, 10am - 12:30pm

£1 entry which includes a cup of tea or coffee. All donations welcome and we can collect donations locally on request.

Harvest Supper

Saturday 17th October, 7:30pm. £15 per person

Three-course home cooked meal with tea/coffee and country music provided by Rocking Ryder.

This is a ticket only event, so booking is essential. Your ticket also includes entry into our lucky ticket prize draw.

Race Night

Saturday 14th November, 7pm - late.

More details next month.

Newtown Male Voice Choir

Saturday 5th December 7:30pm.

£15 per person which includes festive refreshments

This is a ticket only event, so booking is essential. Your ticket also includes entry into our lucky ticket prize draw.

Christmas Whist

Monday 7th December, 7:30pm.

Christmas Prize Bingo

Saturday 12th December 7:00pm, eyes down 7:30pm

All events include a licenced bar.

We can only accept credit card payments when we have a signal due to the poor or non-existent coverage at the hall, so we may occasionally have to decline card payments.

We are taking advice on how to connect and/or boost the signal at the hall, but the solution is likely to be expensive.

Enquiries and booking details to Betty 07860 447 397 or Moira 01584 861 663.

WESTHOPE CLOVER CLUB



Although I was unable to join the Clover Club on 12th August at the Westhope community lunch everyone said what a lovely summer lunch it was and the trifles were delicious!

Our next meeting is at the Discovery Centre on **Thursday 3rd September** for an afternoon tea at 2.30pm for 3 o'clock, to celebrate fifty years of our first meeting which was held on the first Thursday in September 1977.

Kath Woodhouse, 01584 841 254

CULMINGTON VILLAGE HALL

REGULAR EVENTS

Coffee Morning

Every Monday, 10am - 11.30am

Come along for a cuppa (coffee or tea) for just £1.
Good company, free refills and biscuits!

Bridge Club

Every Monday, 12.30pm - 5pm

Contact Richard Smith richard.smith404@btinternet.com

SEPTEMBER EVENTS

Social Evening

Friday 25th September

With Fish Heads fish and chip van and the bar will be open.
Food 5-8pm. Bar open till late. No need to book or cook!

PLEASE NOTE:

The hall will be closed from **Monday 28th September** for a week for drainage work to take place.

Regular events will therefore be suspended.

FUTURE EVENTS

Corvedale Harvest Supper

Saturday 10th October, 6 for 6.30pm

Sausage, mash, and peas plus pudding. Bar open.

Adults £10, children of primary school age £5.

Booking required by 5th October. Telephone 01584 841 348 or email sharonconstable@msn.com

Lunch Club

Thursday 15th October

Contact Gwyn Edwards to book:
01584 861 666 or 07891 904 501

Corvedale Tractor Run

Sunday 18th October

Starting 10am from Seifton Farm. Don't miss it!

Family Halloween: Bingo + Hot Dog Tea + Games

Sunday 25th October, 4 - 9pm

Booking required: Contact Avril 01584 861 339 or culmingtonhallbookings@gmail.com

ABDON VILLAGE HALL

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Un-Finished Objects (UFO) Craft Group

Our crafting morning starts again after the August break, on **Saturday 12th September**, 10.30-12.30 as usual

Coffee Morning

Saturday 26th September, 10.30am - 12.30pm.

Our coffee mornings continue on the last Saturday of the month. Lively chat, coffee and, of course, cake!

Abdon Village Hall Bookings

Contact Sue Bedford on 07766 771 969 or by email at abdon.villagehall@gmail.com or bedford.s1@sky.com or visit our website for the booking form and details: www.abdonandheathparish.org.uk
You can also find us on Facebook.

MUNSLOW PARISH HALL

We will be holding a coffee morning in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support at the parish hall on **Saturday 26th September** from 10.30 am until 12 noon. As with all our events there will be tea, coffee and plenty of cake! We will also have a sale of crafts and local produce. Please come along and make a donation to this amazing charity.

As a reminder we have a workshop building boxes for birds and mammals at the parish hall on **Saturday 10th October**, time to be confirmed. This is an opportunity to help the local Nature Recovery plan, get some hands on experience of this useful work, and meet up with our local wildlife experts and friends. It is highly likely that there will be refreshments available.

On **Sunday 11th October** Millichope House is hosting a National Gardens Scheme open day, and the parish hall will be providing teas in the garden from 2.30pm.

Thursday coffee mornings will begin again later in October, dates to be confirmed.

Lesley Dobson

On behalf of the parish hall committee



STANTON LACY VILLAGE HALL

WHAT'S ON IN SEPTEMBER 2026

	BAR NIGHT – EVERY WEDNESDAY The hall is open from 8pm, All Welcome.
	SHROPSHIRE HILLS VINTAGE TRACTOR CLUB 3 RD WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH 7PM
	COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNINGS – 1ST & 3RD WEDNESDAYS 10-12AM For more details ring – Phyllis 01584 822242
	HAYTON & DISTRICT WI – 2ND THURSDAY OF THE MONTH 7.30PM For more details ring – Phyllis 01584 822242
	SATURDAY 5TH – SHROPSHIRE HILLS VINTAGE PLOUGHING WORKING DAY Gates open at 9.00am – Ploughing starts at 10.00am Entrance: £10 per tractor / £3 for spectators
	LIL'S WALK – WEDNESDAY 2ND & 16TH 6.30PM Walks start from the Village Hall car park Well behaved dogs on leads welcome
	FRIDAY 18TH – SPECIAL BAR NIGHT Steak baps, burgers and hot dogs available The hall is open from 8pm, All Welcome.
	SATURDAY 26TH – COMMUNITY MARKET Tea, coffee and delicious homemade cakes available 10.00am – 12.00pm

 Email
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Stanton Lacy village hall events

 Website
www.stantonlacyvillagehall.co.uk

ALL WELCOME

CHURCH NEWS

LETTER FROM THE RECTORY

It came as a slight shock just now to find myself typing the words 'Pets' Service' into the service rota – it cannot possibly be almost a year since the last one, but it is. Do please think about whether or not you could bring your pet to church. For several years now it has really been the Dogs' Service – and I can see that dogs are easy to bring whilst some other pets aren't – but it would be great to have a few pets that aren't dogs at the service too. Please make sure they are suitably housed or restrained, and we'll hope to see you (and your pet) on **Sunday 27th** at Diddlebury.

In a way we can see the Pet Service as the beginning of a run of services which celebrate Creation as we'll come to the Harvest Services in October, when we'll think about all that God gives us to eat, particularly in terms of plant-based foods (cereals, fruits, and vegetables etc). The Church of England has just published a new service book which focusses on Creation and has suggestions for ways in which we can think about it in church. I haven't yet seen a copy, but I have seen a list of the contents, from which I notice that there are major sections on prayers for use in times of crisis and extreme weather, as well as resources encouraging us to commit ourselves to care for creation. This summer has shown us why these things are important: hopefully by the time you read this we'll have had some rain, but there's not much prospect of it in the forecast as I write. If I buy a copy of the new service book – and even if we use some of the material within it – there's not a lot of point if we simply go to church and pray for the world and then come out and continue doing everything in the same way we always have done it. We have to be willing to change what we do for the good of the planet and for the good of each other, even if in only a small way.

What might that look like for you?

Rev'd John Beesley

MUNSLow CHURCH

Thank you to everyone who supported Munslow Church Fete on Saturday 15th August. It was a really enjoyable afternoon and has raised (at the time of writing) £1083.74, which is a fantastic result.

Thank you, too, to those who have offered to help with the flowers in church during the year – they are much appreciated by all who come to the church.

Rev'd John Beesley

REGISTERS

WEDDINGS

15th Aug Orla McNulty & Robert Ross Diddlebury
17th Aug Harriet Gray & Joseph Tinniswood Diddlebury

FUNERAL

4th Aug Thelma Robinson Stourbridge Crematorium

FLOWERS & BRASSES

SEPTEMBER

6th Melissa Hartop 13th Liz Jones
20th Liz Jones 27th Zena Morgan

MESSY CHURCH BBQ AT ST PETERS

A showery day greeted us on 20th August, but that did not put the team off preparing a morning of fun for families. We had different games, table football, train tracks, hopscotch and lots of other things to keep everyone happy all laid out around the church!

At lunchtime hot dogs were served and lollies and ice cream too! We had decided not to barbecue due to the recent dry weather (even though it had rained), so on this occasion sausages were cooked in the oven but no less delicious with lashings of ketchup!

We did not have quite so many families join us this year, but we enjoyed a good chat over lunch in the church room, and two of our community police officers dropped in to say hello too.

Messy Church will now meet on a Wednesday each half term from 3.20 – 5pm.

Look out for the banners and notices and come and join us. There are different fun crafts, stories and a song all around a different theme each time. There are always things to take home, and a meal is provided for everyone including carers. There is no cost for this, but donations are always welcome.

Sharon Constable



NEWS FROM BROWN CLEE PPG (PATIENT PARTICIPATION GROUP)

Do you have the skill set and motivation to give some time to help to ensure that the views of Brown Clee patients are represented?

At the AGM in October there will be at least two vacancies on the PPG committee. Committee members function as a communication channel between the practice and its 4,000 plus patients, with the mission 'to work with the practice to benefit patients'. It is an extremely interesting role, learning about the organisation and funding of primary care, and taking on aspects of running the PPG; for example, membership administration and communication.

There are about six committee meetings a year (by Zoom or in person) in addition to the four open public meetings, and regular private meetings with the partners.

To find out more, contact any of the current committee via browncleeppg@gmail.com or obtain a telephone number from the surgery reception.

Tina Ranson, Chair BCPPG, browncleeppg@gmail.com

GREEN MATTERS

ABDON DISTRICT COMMUNITY WILDLIFE GROUP

We are a group of local people who live on and around the Brown Clee, who get together to look for, observe, record, and enjoy the wildlife in our patch. We are all amateurs and are learning all the time and help one another in this respect. Our members have a range of interests including plants, birds, mammals, butterflies, moths, and dragonflies. We record our findings on appropriate county and national databases. We have an annual programme of events at which we try to include external speakers. We have occasional 'pop-up' events in addition to those programmed. This is our tenth anniversary year. We have just over a hundred names on our membership list.

This is the ninth year that we have undertaken the Curlew and Other Birds survey under the Save our Curlews Campaign sponsored by the Shropshire Ornithological Society. Participants are allocated a survey area which they visit three times between mid-March and mid-June recording Curlew, Lapwing, Cuckoo, Kestrel, and Red Kite. These records are added to the county records and feed into the national campaign to save Curlews. This year we had an interesting and inspiring talk from the county Swift Champion Julie Cowley, entitled 'Swifts, Swallows and House Martins.' Swifts are suffering particularly from lack of nest sites. Julie encouraged us to survey for Swifts during the breeding season. A small team of members surveyed and recorded nesting Swifts in Ditton Priors.

In 2023 we secured funding support from Shropshire Hills Conservation Fund and the Peoples Trust for Endangered Species to allow us to undertake a Dormouse surveying, education, and habitat improvement project. During the first year we found evidence of Dormice through footprint tracking tunnels in hedges, nibbled nut surveys, and trail camera tracking stations and fifty nest boxes were erected in eight woodlands. Education sessions included one at Forest School, Brown Clee School. Subsequent checks in the nest boxes have found Dormice and natural nests have also been found in hedgerows. Trail camera photos of Dormice have

contributed to our knowledge of their behaviour and habitat preferences.

We have an active plant group. Over the last few years they have visited nine local churchyards, found 243 different plant species, and submitted 723 records to iRecord. In 2021 they found Mountain

Pansy plants at the top of Clee Liberty which had not been previously recorded. On 4th January, this year when it was very cold and icy a small group of hardy plant hunters went to Clee St Margaret looking for wild plants in flower as part of a national survey. In three hours, eight species were found.

Last year we held a BioBlitz event at Oak Farm in Ditton Priors. In a BioBlitz you record everything you see. We started with checking the moth traps set up the previous evening. While this was happening others were recording plants, liverworts, mosses, lichens, birds, butterflies, dragonflies, bees, and other insects. A highlight of the day was pond dipping!

We are also conducting two long term surveys, a Butterfly Transect on Clee Liberty Common which involves a weekly survey over a set route for twenty-six weeks from April to September, a Bumblebee walk from Abdon Village Hall which involves a monthly survey over a set route from March to October.

If you are interested in joining this friendly group or would like more information contact Miles Leach at milesleach712@gmail.com

Miles Leach



CORVEDALE GARDEN GROUP

The visit planned for 8th August to Growing Point, Creden Hill was cancelled at short notice due to unforeseen circumstances. Cath tried to find an alternative, but it proved impossible, so Alison and Roger (Benbow) invited the group to Thonglands to see the recently planted SFI (Sustainable Farming Incentive) and have coffee and cake in their garden. SFI is a government scheme that pays for managing land sustainably to benefit the environment, in this case the local wild bird population. The eleven members of the group also shared her scorched garden and slightly less scorched vegetable patch, fruit cage and fruit trees and although she says it herself her 'great crop of red and pink geraniums in pots.' Some of the group had seen the initial planting three years ago with a similar wild bird seed mixture and this year saw the replanting of the same fields with the same aim. The seventy acres were planted in June with a special grass seed mix which included Oats, Smuga Buckwheat, Punter Chicory Iris Fodder Radish, Red Millet, White Millet, Quinoa and Goldimi Sunflowers. The field like everything else this year has struggled in the

dry weather and not grown as well as three years ago but hopefully there is enough to feed the birds over the winter and the sunflowers will give us a beautiful display before the Autumn.

The next garden visit is on **12th September** to home of Heather Willis at The Mount, Bishop's Castle which is a one-acre evolving garden with great views of the Long Mynd. If you want to come, please contact Alison via Corvedale.garden.group@gmail.com

Alison Benbow



WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

MUNSLOW WI

The hot weather took our annual garden party inside this year - with the aid of fans - instead of in the garden. It was nonetheless a great afternoon, relaxed and enjoyable. We had a wonderful spread of



snacks, sandwiches, scones, and cakes (starring a light and delicious strawberry and cream gluten-free chocolate cake) and enjoyed lively conversation on all sorts of topics, from the weather (of course!) to the newly released film, *The Odyssey*. Many thanks to Sarah for her generous hospitality.

Our next meeting will be a joint meeting with Diddlebury and Westhope WI on **Wednesday 9th September** at 7:30pm in Culmington Village Hall. Sharon Smith from Wild Welsh Wool will be giving a talk and demonstration about her business. Please contact our secretary, Val Hardwick, at sparchford@btinternet.com if you would like more information.

Wendy Brogden, wendy@brogden.info

HAYTON & DISTRICT WI

Upcoming Event: Thursday 10th September - 7.30pm at Stanton Lacy Village Hall.

Guest Speaker: Keely Simpson – The Girl in the Wool Shop

We are delighted to welcome Keely Simpson, from The Wool Shop in Ludlow, as our guest speaker for the evening. Keely will be talking about her career moving from being a city girl working in the corporate world to a local shop owner in Ludlow.

Our monthly meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month at 7.30pm at Stanton Lacy Village Hall SY8 2AT. We enjoy a varied programme of speakers and activities in a relaxed and friendly atmosphere. New members and visitors are always welcome, so come along on the night or contact us for more information

President: Phyllis Steventon - 01584 823 436

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Pam MacIntyre

SUBSCRIPTIONS

To those of you who have already paid your subscriptions for 2026 – a huge thank you from the Corvedale News Team. However, at the last count we still have just over £300 outstanding. And whilst this is a huge improvement on previous years it still represents around 10% of our total subscription income for the year.

To those of you have not yet paid, well, we like to think you may have just forgotten to pay! We now have in place an extremely robust database, so we know exactly who has not paid yet! Please make your payment as soon as possible. Failure to pay may result in you not receiving your magazine.

If you are unsure if you have paid, please contact Colin Pitcher by email: colin.pitcher@hotmail.com

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Please see page 3 for details of how to pay.

THE RED HOT SUMMER OF 2026

A poem for our time by Kath Woodhouse

The long heatwave of twenty twenty six
Started to take its toll

The earth began to bake like cake
The air felt fit to boil

The grass was non-existent
The ground like desert sand
The reservoirs at an all-time low
The dams were dried out land

A hosepipe ban came into force
No gardens could be watered
No cars could have their weekly wash
The water supply was quartered

The kidney beans were short and hard
The cabbages never grew
The white potatoes were full of grubs
Only the onions came shining through

The government sent a message
No barbecues could be lit we learn
The worry of wildfires was very strong
One spark could cause acres to burn

The combines sailed from field to field
Cutting the golden corn
Which had burnt instead of ripened
And the straw was baled at dawn

The farmers began feeding their winter feed
To hungry cattle and sheep
Even the evenings never cooled down
It was difficult even to sleep

We all felt limp and weary
Sweating under the glorious sun
The seaside resorts were crowded
Where the children all had fun

The ice cream makers made a mint
As did the fizzy pop
No-one felt much like eating
We all felt fit to drop

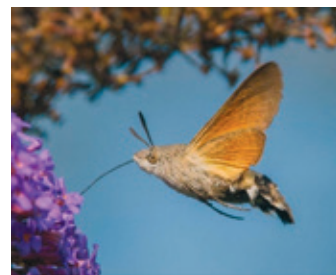
So never grumble about the English weather
We cannot cope with continental heat
Let's pray for rain to cool us
And rest our tired feet.

MUNSLOW PARISH NATURE RECOVERY PLAN

Supported by the Shropshire Hills Landscape Trust and Munslow Parish Council

Big Butterfly Count – 17th July to 9th August

Thanks to all those of you who took part in this citizen science project by downloading the Big Butterfly Count app and recording the butterflies you saw in your environ for fifteen minutes. Forty-six reports were forwarded to me during this period from Munslow and Aston Munslow. The most common species observed were large and small whites, gatekeepers, meadow browns, red admirals and holly blues. There were a good number of commas, small tortoiseshells, small coppers and peacocks as well. Thanks to the hot weather we also spotted painted ladies and the beautiful humming-bird hawkmoth (both pictured here).



Habitat Box Building Day - Munslow Parish Hall (Beambridge) – 10th October, 11am - 3pm

We are inviting local residents to come and build a simple bird box (from a kit) to put up and monitor in your garden or local environment. If you are unable to build your own then some ready-made boxes will be available to collect (thanks to Men in Sheds in Craven Arms for building these boxes for us). Tea/coffee and biscuits/cake will be provided but please bring your own lunch if you are planning to stay all day! Please bring your own tools. Habitat box kits will be provided free of charge. Please contact sskelby@outlook.com to register your interest and to find out more about the various kits available.



Sara Kelby, Member of the Munslow Parish Nature Recovery Group

CORVEDALE FOOTPATH & MAINTENANCE GROUP

We have countless miles of footpaths and public rights of way in the parishes of Munslow, Diddlebury and Abdon & Heath and these have hundreds of gates, stiles and footbridges. Some are used daily, some occasionally and some probably never. Many are in good condition, others less so and some do not align with the map or cannot be found.

If you know of a problem or issue with a local footpath, especially if it is on the Corvedale Three Castles Walk or the Shropshire Way, please contact the Corvedale Footpath Maintenance Group. To aid identification please use What3Words or provide the Ordnance Survey map Grid Reference or at the very least a good description of its location. A photograph of

the problem would also help.

Whilst the hot weather and rock hard ground have stalled our progress in recent months, we aim to keep our footpaths accessible to local and visiting walkers and generally have up to three working parties per month. New members are always welcome, so if you would like to join us for a one-off or longer-term commitment, please do get in touch.

For more information, or to report a problem with a local path, please contact Katharine Wale: katharinewale59@gmail.com or on 07866 408 897.

Katharine Wale

THE CATWALK COLLECTIVE AT DVH FASHION, FIZZ, BEAUTY TIPS AND A FABULOUS FRIDAY NIGHT OUT

Bodenhams, Oska and Eclectica - three of Ludlow's top fashion names - are coming together at Diddlebury village hall for *The Catwalk Collective*, showcasing their fabulous Autumn/Winter collections.

And that's not all... *The Ludlow Beauty Centre* will be joining us with a special talk, *Let's Talk Skincare*, plus this year's Christmas goodies range - perfect for getting ahead with thoughtful festive gifts.

DVH's modern, airy and spacious hall is the ideal setting for a fashion show, giving everyone a great view of the runway. We'll start the evening with a free glass of fizz, or a soft drink from our fully stocked Bar Stefano, which will be open throughout the evening with drinks at great prices.

Grab your friends, dress up if you fancy, and make it a fabulously fun Friday night out!

When: Friday 2nd October

Where: Diddlebury Village Hall, SY7 9DH

Bar Stefano Opens: 18:45

Show Starts: 19:30

Tickets: £10 (includes a glass of fizz/soft drink)

Tickets are on sale now from:

- Bodenhams, Ludlow
- Aston Munslow Garage
- Online via the Forthcoming Events page on our website www.diddleburyvillagehall.org

Don't miss it - gather your group and book your tickets today!

Kim Simm

CARING FOR GOD'S ACRE

ST MICHAEL

This September I decided I would write about St Michael, the Archangel, after seeing Mont St Michel on the way to Brittany for my holiday. The Mont on which a church was built many centuries ago is on an island off the north coast of France. I have visited a similar island, St Michael's Mount, with a medieval church, off the coast of Cornwall, looked after by the National Trust. This got me thinking...

I am not going to explore the subject of angels and Archangels and a few other types of angels but just stick with Michael whose feast day is on 29th September. Ten churches in the current Shropshire Churches Tourism Group booklet are dedicated to him. They will certainly be celebrating at the end of the month!

Christianity grew in the first centuries, not just where it started, but also as it spread out from Palestine, east and west. By the seventh century a new church in Rome had been dedicated to Michael; an honour indeed. Before we knew it, new buildings were being dedicated to him all over the known world.

Michael was venerated not only by Christians, but also by Jews. In the east, in Constantinople, he was looked on as the special guardian of the sick. He had a big job description, as he was also called upon to be the protector of the church, to battle against Satan to save souls from him, and was expected

to escort those who had died to heaven. In their spare time, all Archangels had to guide and direct God's people at all times and do some proclaiming too, as lesser angels were not up to that work!

Now all the above is a very medieval approach to Archangels and angels and I don't think many people even think about such beings these days. I rather like the idea that the early Christians were very certain that a lot was going on in heaven and that angels were there to help those of us on earth. So, they were seen as quite comforting. I am unsure about their announcing God's plans anymore as I have not heard of any recently!

One thing I can announce is that the churches of Alberbury, Cardeston, Ford, Lilleshall, Llanyblodwel, Munslow, Onibury, Petton (dedicated to St Raphael, another Archangel also celebrated along with Gabriel on the 29th), Smethcott and Wentnor will be celebrating. All are amazing buildings which are open to visitors and very welcoming.

Anni Holden Calver

Secretary of Shropshire Churches Tourism Group and Trustee of Caring for God's Acre
www.caringforgodsacre.org.uk
www.discovershropshirechurches.co.uk



ST PETER'S, DIDDLEBURY CHURCHYARD TIDY UP

On a warm, but thankfully not baking hot, August evening a group of eight local residents gathered in the churchyard to give it a much-needed tidy up. Brambles were cut back from around the church room door and windows. Strimming was done around the larger tombs near the church door. A lot of the paths were cleared of weeds, although there is still some work to be done there! After one and a half hours of pretty hard work, our foreman, Sharon, called a halt to proceedings and we all sat outside the church room to enjoy some light refreshments.

Huge thanks to all those who turned out - Sharon, Paul, Ian 1, Ruth, Liz, Simon, and Ian 2 (oh and Jean who arrived just as we were finishing!). However, both Jean and Sue were able to go later in the week to do their stint.

If you would like to be involved in a future working party, please contact Sharon Constable at sharonconstable@msn.com

Sara Thompson



CORVEDALE & DISTRICT AUTUMN SHOW

The annual Corvedale Autumn Show will be held at Diddlebury village hall on **Saturday, 5th September**, from 2pm.

This year's show has around sixty-four categories covering all kinds of fruit and vegetable produce, as well as flowers and floral displays, baking, handicrafts, and the children's section.

A highlight is sure to be the 'weigh-in' for the popular 'Spud-in-the-Bucket' competition.

This year's scorching summer is sure to have taken its toll on many favourites including sweet peas and runner beans, but some other veg such as courgettes, tomatoes and sweetcorn

have largely thrived. Just remember, we are all in the same boat so don't be shy if your produce isn't as impressive as other years. It is important to support the show which has been going for almost seventy years.

The show schedule is available online and can be downloaded from diddleburyvillagehall.org or diddlebury-pc.gov.uk.

The schedule can also be ordered direct by emailing: ross.stokes@icloud.com

We look forward to seeing you there!

Ross Stokes

SHROPSHIRE COUNCIL UPDATE



There has been widespread opposition to a proposed 130-acre solar farm sited near Onibury between Walton and Vernolds Common. Residents have formed a campaign group appropriately called ‘Keep Shropshire Beautiful’ and have gained support from environmental groups including CPRE and our local MP for South Shropshire, Stuart Anderson. I attended a meeting close to the site with many locals carrying banners and posters, and the level of anger and frustration

about the proposal on productive farmland was palpable. A follow-up meeting at Onibury village hall was also well attended where plans could be seen and questions asked of the campaign group. At both meetings I have shared my own

concerns which are about the visual impact of this proposal on the Shropshire Hills National Landscape AONB (which is only a few hundred metres away from this site), particularly from major landmarks such as Flounders Folly. I am also concerned that damage to protected birds, particularly barn owls and skylarks is inevitable and natural habitat which supports a very varied flora and fauna would be lost. In terms of human cost, these tranquil communities will be changed for ever and quiet country lanes will be filled with construction vehicles with their dust, noise, and disruption. Protective fencing is planned at over three metres in height that will also impact on the appearance of the area and local wildlife. The tenant farmer will have lost 130 acres that his family has farmed for generations. Whilst I support renewable energy, I am clear that developments of this kind need to be in the right place and in my view this most beautiful corner of South Shropshire is not the right place. If you have concerns or views on this proposal, please do get in touch with me.

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CITYMAPPER

SHROPSHIRE’S NEW OFFICIAL JOURNEY PLANNING APP

Shropshire Council has partnered with *Citymapper* to provide a new official journey planning app for Shropshire, helping residents and visitors plan journeys more easily across the county.

Officially launched on 1 August 2026, *Citymapper* makes it easier for local communities and visitors to plan journeys across the county by bringing together buses, trains, walking and cycling routes in a single, free app.

The app provides real-time journey information, service alerts and step-by-step directions, helping people travel with confidence and make informed travel choices.

Further information about *Citymapper* can be found on the Shropshire Council’s new *Citymapper* webpage, and the free app is available to download via the App Store and Google Play. An online journey planner is also available for those who prefer not to use a mobile app. We have also created a step-by-step guide on how to download and use the app – for those that would like to try but are not sure how.

Public Transport Team, Shropshire Council



HILLS FORD STAGES RALLY

ROAD CLOSURES ON SUNDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER

The Hills Ford Stages Rally will be held on **Sunday 20th September**. There will be several stages including one on Brown Clee. For this purpose, public roads will be closed.

The map shows the roads to be closed as a dark line, running from Stanton Long through to Abdon, Heath, Broncroft and Broadstone. There are other roads which will be subject to restrictions shown with little circles alongside. These will provide ‘controlled access’ which means controlled resident, business or operational access subject to stewarding, traffic management arrangements and operational safety requirements.

For further details the simplest way is to Google ‘CMC Proposed Closed Road Rally Event report fv.pdf’.

Martin Jones



ABDON DISTRICT COMMUNITY WILDLIFE GROUP

Abdon District Community Wildlife Group is hosting a screening of the *People's Emergency Briefing* film on the risks to British life and the UK economy from ongoing damage to nature and to our climate.

Location: Ditton Priors Village Hall, Station Road, Ditton Priors, WV16 6SS

Date: Tuesday 29th September

Time: Doors open 6.30pm. Event starts at 7pm

The film features footage from last November's National Emergency Briefing to more than 1,200 MPs, peers and leaders from business, culture, faith, sport, and the media gathered at Westminster Central Hall for the National Emergency Briefing a landmark event bringing together leading experts to assess the UK's exposure to climate and nature risks.

The briefing, set out the implications of climate and nature breakdown for food security, public health, infrastructure, the economy and national security, alongside evidence-based actions that could reduce these risks.

The event has now been adapted into a fifty-minute public

film. It brings together leading scientists to present a clear picture of the challenges ahead, while creating space for local communities to consider what these issues may mean in their local area.

The initiative is explicitly non-partisan and is supported by a wide range of organisations including the National Trust, Church of England, Royal Meteorological Society, WWF, National Education Union and many more.

The purpose of the briefing is to support informed democratic discussion and ensure that public institutions, businesses, and communities share a common understanding of the scale and urgency of the challenge - and the economic opportunities that flow from responding at pace.

Following the film, we will host a short, structured discussion focused on what this means for our community. Please note the film is rated 16+ and those under 16 should not attend.

Booking is not essential but it would be most helpful if you could let me know if you are intending to attend the event so that we can manage the numbers of attendees.

Miles Leach, 07810 810 400

MUSINGS ON LIFE

SO, WHO THE HECK AM I ANYWAY?

With the kind indulgence of your editor, I would like to attempt a piece of work in four or maybe five chunks over the autumn and winter months, starting in November.

The title above – to maybe most of us – would seem absurd. 'Of course, I know myself - inside out – and have done so all my life! Really, I have no time for such nonsense!'

To others this is possibly the most important question, a long-term quest perhaps, never wholly completed in this life. But we have to put up some kind of story about ourselves so that we can live and exist in the company of our fellow travellers. Surely it would be chaos if we didn't? Yes, that may be so, but the persona we adopt (let's not call it the ego), is, as they say, a good friend (to a point) but a very bad master. It's exhausting to work for that boss daily.

So – chunk number one has to be 'Watch out for the little blighter', as he/she has so many tricks up the sleeve.

I saw that, I heard that, I know that!

Yes, we have our five senses, but does that mean we know all about the world around us? We also have some internal senses, so we feel the need to eat or breathe or empty our urinary bladder (and other things we don't need to mention!). So, we can be pretty confident that we have got the world taped – or can we? For example, we are told that there are other worlds surrounding us; other sources of knowing that we are totally unaware of.

It turns out that we in the modern western world are very likely the most ignorant human beings that there have ever been in many respects: information without knowing.

So, chunk the second must be.... what do you know of your world?

Rage against that world of fear! A third chunk

If only we could shrug off all the things in the contemporary world that cause us anxiety, would we not just float? The trouble is that the burden is tasteless, odourless, silent and invisible. So, it is insidious and our first task is to call fear out: don't let it hide in the shadows. If we allow it more headroom it will wreck us and society. The persona may strongly want to deny that it exists at all. No easy task here, but we can take small steps.

Where have we come from, and where are we going?

It is so natural for us to give out a blithe sense that we are OK. We know this life and, on the whole, we are trundling along quite well thank you. For most people this is true at least to a degree, always assuming we have our next holiday booked and we can change the car in a couple of years. So why today are so many of us easily knocked off course and showing little resilience? Are we on thin ice walking over chasms of uncertainty? Welcome to the fourth chunk!

Peter Cornah

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SUMMARY OF THE DRAFT MINUTES OF DIDDLEBURY PARISH COUNCIL'S MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 24TH JUNE 2026 AT WESTHOPE VILLAGE HALL

Present: Cllr D Hedgley – Chairman, Cllrs S Povall, A Watson, W Watts, C Martyn, T O'Boyle.

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllrs A Rattu, R Morgan, and R Povall.

In Attendance: The Clerk, Shropshire Cllr C Stanford and five members of the public who attended to speak on agenda matters.

No declarations of interest were made.

Minutes of the Annual Parish Meeting and the following Parish Council Meeting, both held on 27th May 2026, were approved.

Matters Arising: The Chairman said the planning issue of an air source heat pump at the school was not yet resolved, but National Grid would not now be digging up the community car park but would instead be laying their new cables through the fields behind the school.

Reports: *The Chairman* reported on his efforts to get potholes fixed.

Shropshire Cllr Stanford said the Helena Lane Day Care Centre in Ludlow would be closing soon. The September Rally had been given permission to proceed but had caused problems in other parishes. The Chairman of the Shropshire Planning Committee, Andy Boddington, had resigned and Cllr Beverley Waite had succeeded him. He had been unable to ascertain whether the forthcoming cuts in library services would affect the mobile library. CIL was still under review.

Flood Action Group Cllr Martyn reported that the fallen trees blocking the stream behind The Moors View had been cleared by Cllr Rattu. The Chairman thanked Cllr Rattu.

Planning Matters: 26/01623/FUL- application for the erection of a replacement greenhouse for use as a wedding breakfast venue at Delbury Hall was supported by councillors, as was the accompanying listed building consent application.

Highways, Footpaths and Environmental Matters: Cllr O'Boyle said Himalayan Balsam, an invasive plant, was growing in places along the stream in Diddlebury. Residents were asked to pull it out by its roots and dispose of it in a dustbin. The issue of the stream being polluted was again discussed and Severn Trent would be asked to disclose their water testing data.

Communications and Correspondence: Eight items were considered and noted. The Park and Ride facility in Ludlow would be withdrawn. Councillors' residential addresses would not be published and had been removed from the websites.

Finance: Westhope Village Hall Committee had produced documents supporting their request for a donation from Diddlebury Parish Council of £2,112. It was noted that DPC had already donated £7,100 to the Committee. By a majority vote a proposal to award a donation of £2,112 was carried. The Finance Report was amended to reflect the fact that councillors approved payment of cheques totalling £2,490.35, after which DPC held the sum of £19,296.00. Cllr Watson approved the cash book/bank statement reconciliation.

Ludlow Library: DPC had received a letter from Shropshire Council seeking financial support for Ludlow Library by way of an annual payment, commencing in April 2027, of £482. Without support from parish councils Ludlow Library might have its opening hours reduced. Before reaching a decision DPC wished to hear from the library service whether mobile libraries would be affected.

Any Other Business: Planning application 26/02231/FUL for various works at Lower House Farm, Bache Mill had been received too late to be dealt with at this meeting. An extension of time to respond was being sought. The Diddlebury playground had been inspected and part of a climbing tower required replacement. It would be proposed at the next meeting that DPC fund the replacement part.

There being no further business. the Chairman closed the meeting at 9.00pm

SUMMARY OF THE DRAFT MINUTES OF DIDDLEBURY PARISH COUNCIL'S MEETING HELD ON WEDNESDAY 29TH JULY 2026 AT DIDDLEBURY VILLAGE HALL

Present: Cllr D Hedgley – Chairman, Cllrs R Povall, A Watson, W Watts, C Martyn, T O'Boyle, R Morgan.

Apologies were received and accepted from Cllrs A Rattu and S Povall.

In attendance: The clerk, Shropshire Cllr C Stanford and three members of the public.

The Chairman declared a personal, not financial, interest in Item 8 of the Agenda (parking issues at the community park on 14th July 2026) as he was also Chairman of the Governors of Corvedale C of E School.

Public Involvement Session: Cllr R Povall raised the issue of a dog which had attacked other dogs at the recent church fête. He understood this dog was taken into the school in an unofficial role as a 'Pets as Therapy' dog. He queried whether the school should allow this and whether their insurance covered it and was awaiting a response from the school.

Minutes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 24th June 2026 were approved.

Matters Arising: The Chairman advised that work had commenced on the installation of an air source heat pump at the school, despite planning permission not yet having been granted by Shropshire Council.

Reports: *The Chairman* reported on his efforts to get potholes fixed. He had taken up with Hereford Diocese the sink hole which was in their part of the community car park. He had spent time dealing with parking issues which arose in the community car park on 14th July.

Shropshire Cllr Stanford reported that a decision had finally been taken to sell the Shirehall. SC's finances were so tight that only statutory services would be funded - all non-statutory services were being revised. He had been unable to ascertain what was happening with the mobile library.

Planning Matters: 26/02213/FUL – application for the self-build conversion and extension of an existing barn into one dwelling, at Lower House Farm, Middlehope. The Chairman and Cllr Martyn had held a site visit with the applicant and were satisfied with the works to be carried out. The application was discussed and DPC agreed to support the application.

26/02451/AG1: The application was on the agenda for information purposes only as planning permission for an agricultural storage shed at Corfton Farm had been granted under permitted development rules by Shropshire Council.

26/02642/AMP: This related to a planning permission given for an open market house adjacent to The Sun Inn, Corfton. Reserved Matters had been approved by SC by ref. 24/03938/REM. DPC had objected to the outline application and raised no views on the 2024 Reserved Matters application in line with DPC's Resolution passed on 23rd January 2019 (amended in 2025) not to support any new development in Corfton. By this new application the applicant sought to revise the Reserved Matters. The documents supporting the latest application were considered and DPC agreed that once SC had granted permission, DPC should at least comment on the Reserved Matters application. In this instance the amendments sought to the Reserved Matters were not objectionable and DPC could support them. It was agreed that the Resolution of 23rd January 2019 as revised in January 2025 should be re-considered and, if necessary, updated. The issue of the Corfton Resolution would therefore be an Agenda item at the 16th September 2026 meeting. Residents of Corfton were invited to attend the meeting and make their views known.

Consideration of car parking issues at the Diddlebury community car park on 14th July 2026: The Parish Council had received complaints from parents that some Diddlebury Village Hall committee members had effectively closed the community car park to all users except a group who had booked the hall for a choir practice at 9am. The timing of this event hugely inconvenienced everyone trying to get to the school or drop off children for school or the nursery. In his dual role as Chairman of DPC and of the School Governors the Chairman had endeavoured to arbitrate the competing parking concerns in this matter. The school and nursery combined can attract as many as 22 staff cars a day, so many have to park in the community car park, leaving DV hall users with limited parking spaces. A meeting between the school and DVH committee members was to be held before the start of the autumn term to try to resolve the parking space issues.

Communications and Correspondence: Thirteen items were considered, noted, and one item was responded to.

Finance: The Finance Report for July/part August was considered by councillors and cheques to the value of £936.15 were approved for payment, after which DPC held the sum of £18,359.85. Cllr O'Boyle approved the cash book/bank statement reconciliation. It was proposed by Cllr Watson that DPC finance a replacement part for the play tower in the public playground to the value of £410. Cllr O'Boyle seconded the proposal and members voted unanimously in support,

Any Other Business: The Chairman gave his apologies for the meeting on 16th September 2026 as he would be abroad.

There being no further business. the Chairman closed the meeting at 9.25pm.

The next Parish Council Meeting will be held at 7.30pm on Wednesday 16th September 2026 at Diddlebury Village Hall. There would be no meeting in August.

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can be found on page 22 in this
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ACROSS

- 1) Dilute Adam's ale? (5)
- 4) Watch for the observation tower (7)
- 8) Add the girl to the review (7)
- 9) Bill for entry points (5)
- 10) Is the girl a descendent? (5)
- 11) Sailors have metal in torn clothes (7)
- 13) The others take it easy (4)
- 15) Much of the word list is shiny (6)
- 17) Original poster employs great works of art (6)
- 20) The Spanish writing for trees (4)

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- 22) Large charity leaves the head of state – but they're still in charge (7)
- 24) Following first and final try easy runs (5)
- 26) Sounds as if the tea container helps the golfer? (5)
- 27) Broken and dear pet was bandaged up Again (7)
- 28) Want learner Ed to be annoyed (7)
- 29) Bawl around final blade (5)

DOWN

- 1) Hoping the well will do its job? (7)
- 2) Tom points to the books (5)
- 3) Dares queen to move book lovers? (7)
- 4) Coats for hens? (6)
- 5) Should be part of, although that's right (5)
- 6) Maybe I got sun on trips (7)
- 7) Eliot holds question for jobs (5)
- 12) A boy creates building block (4)
- 14) Looked at edges of every end (4)
- 16) Six balls about to arrive – but late (7)
- 18) An afterthought might change book of worship (7)
- 19) One walking a way in front of jockey (7)
- 21) No wonder he blushed when being rude! (6)
- 22) Exercise can produce nut (5)
- 23) Some tidy learners produce peaceful life (5)
- 25) The summit, start to finish, finds precious stone (5)

ANSWERS TO CROSSWORD

ACROSS: 1) Water 4) Lookout 8) Summary 9) Gates 10) Issue 11) Ratings 13) Rest 15) Glossy
17) Opuses 20) Elms 22) Preside 24) After 26) Caddy 27) Retaped 28) Needled 29) Razor

DOWN: 1) Wishing 2) Tones 3) Readers 4) Layers 5) Ought 6) Outings 7) Tasks 12) Atom
14) Eyed 16) Overdue 18) Psalter 19) Strider 21) Leered 22) Pecan 23) Idyll 25) Topaz

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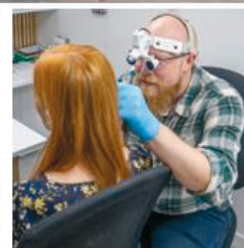
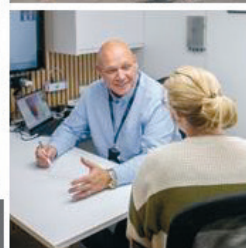
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HOME

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01694 724 448 www.strettonstonemasons.co.uk



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Foot Health Practitioner
Angie Lennox
07977 108391 for Appointments

COMMUNITY LINKS

LOCAL SERVICES & EMERGENCIES

Electricity Problems/Power Cuts
National Grid
01584 870 747 (Mon-Fri, 9am-4pm)
0800 6783 105 (outside normal hours)
Power Cuts call 105

Water Supply Problems
Severn Trent Water, 0800 783 4444

County Flood Management
Shropshire Council, 0345 678 9006,
flood@shropshire.gov.uk

Diddlebury Parish Flood Action Group
Clive Martyn, 07803 184 778,
happy4clive@gmail.com

Ludlow Minor Injuries Unit
Community Hospital, 01584 874297

Shropdoc (out of hours service)
Doctors Co-operative, 111

Station Drive Doctors' Surgery
01584 872461

Portcullis Doctors' Surgery
01584 872939

Craven Arms Medical Practice
01588 672309

Police (non-emergency)
PC 23440 Henry King-Salter
henry.king-salter@westmercia.police.uk
07483 140311.

Voluntary Car Scheme - 9am - noon
Craven Arms Good Neighbours,
01588 673732

Craven Arms Recycling Centre
To make an appointment visit -
www.shropshire.gov.uk/
recyclingcentrebooking
or telephone 0345 678 9007

CHILDREN'S & YOUTH ORGANISATIONS

Corvedale Brownies
www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents/register-your-daughter'

Corvedale School, Playgroup and Nursery
Sue Rook, 01584 841630,
admin@corvedaleprimary.co.uk

PARISH COUNCILS

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Diddlebury Parish Council Clerk
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Munslow Parish Council Clerk
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Diddlebury Parish Website
diddlebury-pc.gov.uk

Corvedale Google Group
This is a free service and issues purely local information such as road closures, flood warnings, planning applications, local events and so on to its members on a regular basis. If you would like to join this service, please email Martin Jones: martingcn@gmail.com

VILLAGE HALL/CLUB ROOM BOOKINGS

Abdon Village Hall
Margaret Buckingham, 01746 712296,
www.abdonandheathparish.org,
abdon.villagehall@gmail.com

Munslow Parish Hall
Frances Sutton, 01584 841654
Peter Turner, pturner767@msn.com

Culmington Village Hall
Avril Lines, 01584 861 339
culmingtonhallbookings@gmail.com

Diddlebury Village Hall
www.diddleburyvillagehall.org
Hall booking enquiries:
bookdvh@gmail.com
General information:
diddleburyvillagehall@gmail.com
WhatsApp/text/phone:
07396 730342

Diddlebury Church Room
Jan Kennedy, 01584 841372,
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Westhope Village Hall
Betty Manley, 07860 447397,
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CLUBS & SOCIETIES

Abdon Wildlife Group
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Blue Hills Choir
Ros Crouch, 01584 547385,
ros.crouch@gmail.com

Corvedale Artists
Juliet Hole, 01299 832603
Ann Hankinson, 01584 841460

Corvedale Book Group
corvedale.book.group@gmail.com

Corvedale Choir
Ros Crouch, 01584 547 385,
ros.crouch@gmail.com

Corvedale & District Autumn Show
John Woodhouse, 07980 207253

Corvedale Garden Group
corvedale.garden.group@gmail.com

Corvedale Footpath Maintenance Group
Katharine Wale, 07866 408 897,
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Community Environmental Group
Rebecca Bull,
peter17bull@btinternet.com

Westhope Clover Club
Kath Woodhouse, 01584 841254

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f_j_williams@btinternet.com

Munslow WI
Wendy Brogden, 01584 841 649,
wendy@brogden.info

Hayton & District WI
Phyllis Steventon, 01584 823 436

If you represent a local Corvedale group and would like it to be added to this list, please contact the Editor.

CONTACTS



THE CORVEDALE GROUP OF PARISHES

CHURCH SERVICES IN SEPTEMBER 2026

	6th September Trinity 14	13th September Trinity 15	20th September Trinity 16	27th September Trinity 17	4th October Trinity 18
Abdon		9:45 HC		6pm Songs of Praise	
Broadstone			No Service		
Culmington	11:15 HC		9:45 HC	8:30 HC (BCP)	11:15 HC
Diddlebury	9:45 HC	6pm EP	11:15 HC	11:15 Pets Service	9:45 HC
Holdgate	8:30 HC				6pm Songs of Praise for Harvest
Munslow	6pm EP	11:15 HC		9:45 HC	Joint service for Holdgate & Munslow In Holdgate Church
Tugford			6pm EP		

Key: HC = Holy Communion, EP = Evensong, FS = Family Service

Please note changes on Sunday 20th to allow for the Hills Ford Motor Rally. It is possible that we may not be able to get to Tugford Church even in the evening – hopefully more information will be available nearer the time...