New Buckenham Parish News



June 2022

VILLAGERS OF NEW BUCKENHAM ARE HEREBY INVITED TO THE FOLLOWING EVENTS TO CELEBRATE THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

Friday 3rd

9AM - 11 30AM

NEW BUCKENHAM DOG SHOW

THE CRICKET PITCH

9am - Registration

Come and sign up for the classes you would like to enter and the agility course

9.30am – 9.50am Dog with the Waggist tail

9.55am - 10.15am

Musical dogs (how well can your dog sit?)

10.20am – 10.40am Dog with the best trick

10.45am - 11.05am

Dog who looks most like its owner (fancy dress optional!)

11.10am - 11.30am

Most Regal Dog (fancy dress optional!)

9am - 11.30am

Clear Round Agility — all dogs with a clear round get a prize (Dogs who live in the village only)

12PM - 2PM

JUBILEE LUNCH

THE VILLAGE HALL

- · Family & friends welcome.
- Wear something red, white & blue, your best crown or tigra!
- Bring a sweet & savoury dish to share to the hall between 11am – 12pm.
- Special VIP guest, singer and free teas, coffees and ice cream
- · Football & crafts for the children
- Children invited to enter "Best Jubilee Bike Competition"
- · Bar (drinks can be purchased)
- All children who live in the village will receive a commemorative Platinum Jubilee water bottle

If the weather is good, tables will be set up outside for this event. Please bring extra chairs & picnic rugs if possible. If the weather is horrible, we will have a picnic inside the hall, so please bring a picnic rug.

* Please turn up at 10am if you are able to help us set up for this event

2PM - 5PM

JUBILEE SPORTS DAY

THE VILLAGE HALL

Please join us for a fun village sports day

- Running race (Who is the fastest villager?) Categories;
 - Pre-schoolers
 - Under 10's girls + boys
 - Under 15's girls + boys
 - Adults girls + boys
- · Egg & spoon
- · Sack race
- · Corgi race (think space hoppers!)
- Royal Race (how fast can you become regal?)

Sign up for your races on the day (clip boards will be outside the village hall near the ice-creams)

Saturday 4th

7.30PM - 12PM

JUBILEE DANCE & KARAOKE

THE VILLAGE HALL

Please join us for a fun night of singing and dancing.

- A special VIP appearance to open the event!
- · Bring your own drinks & glasses!
- · Nibbles will be served.
- · Family & friends welcome.
- Wear something red, white & blue, your best crown or tigra!
- * Please turn up at 5pm if you are able to help us set up for this event

Sunday 5th

11AM MORNING WORSHIP

ST MARTINS CHURCH

Please avoid parking in the village hall car park on 3rd June if possible. Thankyou.



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50 Years Ago: The Silver Jubilee

The June 1977 Parish News reported that a coffee morning and village hall bingo had raised £270 (about £1,300 in today's money) to put towards the celebrations, and the forthcoming events were announced. On Sunday 5th June a peal was to be rung at St. Martin's church, followed by a service of thanksgiving and the next day a football match was to be played by the Under-30s against the Over-30s. At 10pm that night a beacon was to be lit on the Common as part of a national chain of beacons.

On Tuesday 7th there were to be sports on the Market Place including a Marathon around the Common, tug of war, a parade of decorated bicycles and a parade of fancy dress. There were then to be egg-and-spoon races for children and another for ladies, followed by sack races, a pram race, an Under-16s' treasure hunt and welly hurling. Mrs Lily Howling had graciously consented to present the cash prizes. In the evening there was to be a free 'discotheque' and buffet supper on the Market Place, ending at midnight with the National Anthem.

Thank You

We are very grateful to the sponsor of this month's issue. If you would be interested in sponsoring an issue of *Parish News* or advertising in the magazine, please contact Mary Dowson on 01953 860320 or mdowson@btinternet.com.

Parish News Committee

Neighbourhood Plan: Yes or No

New Buckenham's Neighbourhood Plan has passed its Independent Examination and, following some minor corrections, is completed. In order for the Plan to come into force there will need to be a referendum.

All New Buckenham residents whose names are on the Electoral Roll will be able to vote whether or not the Plan should be adopted by Breckland Council. If agreed by a simple majority of residents at the referendum, the Neighbourhood Plan will have the same legal status as the Breckland Local Plan.

The referendum on the Neighbourhood Plan will be held on Thursday 7th July at the Village Hall. It'll be just like a general or local election, so you can go in person to vote or apply for a postal or proxy vote.

There'll be more about the Plan and its referendum in July's *Parish News*. Meanwhile, if you'll need a postal or proxy vote you should contact Breckland Council.

Newcomers to the village may wish to know that drawing up the Neighbourhood Plan has taken a long time and has had huge support from the village.

You can read the Neighbourhood Plan at **np4nb.online** where there is also lots of interesting information about the village, its people and its surroundings.

Neighbourhood Plan Working Party

For New Buckenham Parish Council

News from the Pews

Church Finance

As promised, we have written an article (overleaf) to explain where it comes from, where it goes and why we have to keep raising it!

Coffee Mornings

Our practice is still to raise money for others in need, although we are planning to hold one coffee morning later this summer for St Martin's. Our coffee morning on 14th May raised £100 for the East Anglian Air Ambulance. The next coffeemates! event is on 11th June, when we will be raising funds for Missions to Seamen.

Bookstall

Lots of books for sale, do come and look, and all children's books, DVDs and videos are FREE!

Jubilee Weekend

We will be holding a service of celebration and thanksgiving at 11am on 5th June, with a glass of fizz afterwards to raise a loyal toast, and colouring sheets for the children.

Open Gardens

We welcome all visitors to the church and garden on 19th June. We have cool spaces, a loo, the book stall and large pot plants for sale.

During the Vacancy

Enquires about funerals and general matters should be made to the Benefice administrator, Jill Moses jillannm1@gmail.com, and for weddings and baptisms to Val Plummer,

quidenhamgroup.wedding@gmail.com, but please feel free to contact me or any of the PCC if we can help.

Susan Jowett (Authorised Worship Assistant) for the PCC

Hard Times for Church Mice

We are often asked about the incomings and outgoings of church finances, so here is a brief summary.

It is commonly assumed that the Church of England is filthy rich, but the wealth is all in church land and buildings, so asset rich, income poor! This is true everywhere, so local churches like ours have to be self sufficient – we get no subsidies, apart from hard-won building repair grants.

St Martin's income is partly from weekly collections, sadly depleted by closure during Covid and an ageing congregation. Our average attendance may look good, thanks to the big events, but we usually have about six at a service. Several parishioners and villagers donate by standing order, but, once again, we have lost some of our older givers and gained few new ones. The book stall is a blessing. There are donations and bequests, usually generous, but not frequent. We have had very few weddings and baptisms this year. This is why we are so gratefully dependant on the money raised by the Art Exhibition, Village Fete and Village&Vestry events – all badly affected by Covid in 2020/21.

Meanwhile, our expenses include those associated with the medieval building: maintenance of the fabric, including the organ; security; running costs, such as electricity, water and insurance, which alone is £1,400 and which V&V paid for in 2019. This is what eats up the £35 a day you may have seen on the posters. We do pay money to the diocese, currently managing about 60% of what they ask for, but this is to pay the salary of a shared priest, to maintain the rectory and to contribute to diocesan expenses, such as clergy training, pensions and safeguarding. None of the retired priests or lay ministers is paid for their work.

We do not usually fundraise for ourselves at coffee mornings, as it is part of our practice to give to others, but we will have to hold one for St Martin's this summer, as our funds are very low.

If you would like to help to keep this lovely old building on its feet, please use the bookstall, support V&V and other fundraising events or contact Jimpy at petercasson219@btinternet.com to ask about regular giving or bequests.

Susan Jowett (Authorised Worship Assistant) 860929 Jimpy Casson (Treasurer) 860191

New Buckenham Players

New Buckenham Players are coming back with A Little Comedy on 30th June, 1st July and 2nd July. Join us at New Buckenham Village Hall for some good 'new'-fashioned British humour. We're performing three modern comedies based and written in the UK. Breaking and Entering by Mark Davenport, Sleep Perchance to Dream by Richard Peat and Keep Your Distance by Andy Bennison.

Doors open at 7.30pm with refreshments and a raffle available. Curtain up at 8pm.

Tickets £9.00 available from King's Stores or Box Office on 01953 860320.

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2022 Open Gardens

Well, it's almost here and I hope that, even if you are not taking part in the Open Gardens, you will make all our visitors welcome. Last time, we had just over 250, which in a small village like ours is a significant amount of people.

We start at 1pm on Sunday 19th June and finish at 5pm, although we expect that there will still be visitors viewing gardens until 6pm. The Village Hall is the start point, where you can obtain an Open Gardens wristband (new this year) and a map of gardens (to share). In previous years, we have run out of maps, so now we have wristbands.

We are providing refreshments to sustain our visitors in the form of cakes, teas and coffees. So, if you can, we would be extremely grateful to receive gifts of cakes to the Village Hall on the day.

We have had a query about visitors bringing dogs. We haven't had that many in the past and we leave it to garden owners to decide if they allow pets into their gardens. They will be supplied with a poster that warns of potential risks in gardens, such as trip hazards, ponds, elephant traps, etc., so instructions about pets can be added to that.

The church has been left a few potted plants that are for sale and thanks are due to Charles and Pat Oxley, who are kindly running a plant stall on the corner of Chapel Street and Castle Hill Road.

Pauline Dynes from Dove Barn (south side of the common) is giving away a bottle of prosecco to the 20th visitor and she and Alan have an artist in residence (Katy Dynes), who will be sketching. Well worth making the trip, as it is with all the gardens, but Dove Barn is a bit further than most!

Castle Hill House garden and Buckenham Castle will both be open this year and we thank Christopher Pearson, as we thank all of the wonderful owners who have kindly opened their gardens for us one more time. Please tell friends and family to come and visit and they will receive a warm New Buckenham welcome from all of us and enjoy the cakes you have kindly supplied.

Jimps (860191) and Karen (860529)

A Common History

Tuesday 5th July, 7:30pm to 9pm, New Buckenham Village Hall.

Join Tom Williamson, Professor of Landscape History at UEA, for a talk on the history of commons and how the common at New Buckenham was used in the past. This event is part of Norfolk Commons Week and is free, although tickets need to be booked through Eventbrite via the Norfolk Wildlife Trust's website – www.norfolkwildlifetrust.org.uk/whats-on/commons-week – or by phoning 01603 598333.

Gemma Walker (Wildlife and Community Officer, Norfolk Wildlife Trust)

Village Show Trophies & Tombola Prizes

A reminder that I am collecting in Village Show trophies from 2019. Please drop them off at 9 St Martin's Gardens or contact me and I will come and pick them up. Thank you.

Also, Audrey and Ed Dowling have kindly agreed to run a tombola for us at the Village Show. If anyone would be willing to donate some small prizes, we would be most grateful. Please contact Audrey on 01953 861155 if you require any further information. Thank you.

Karen Hobley

New Buckenham Art Exhibition 2022

I think this was one of the best Art Exhibition we have had! There was some wonderful creative work with a variety of styles and interpretations. The weekend was so busy and we had many nice comments from our visitors and artists. With 428 paintings and a small selection of 3D work to view our sales team were kept busy all weekend. The outcome in terms of money raised looks very good, but I will leave that side of things for our treasurer, Jon Halfacree, to tell you about next month.

There are so many people who helped and supported this event in all sorts of ways. Without you all this event could not function. We are extremely grateful for all your help and I know many of you have been involved with the Art Exhibition for several years. However, it was so nice to see some new people come and offer some support, too.

A big thank you if you made a delicious cake or buns for the refreshments! A big thank you to everyone who donated a prize for the raffle! A big thank you to everyone who gave time to steward at the exhibition! A big thank you to the helpers who displayed all the paintings on Friday morning and the lovely lunch which was prepared for us all! A big thank you the people who helped on the Opening Night! A big thank you to the strong men who helped put the screens up and those who gave time on Easter Monday to lift them all back into the store room! A big thank you to those who helped to return unsold pictures to the artists! A big thank you to the businesses who advertise in the *Mercury* feature – without your input we would not be able to have this feature!

THANK YOU ALL SO VERY MUCH! If you would like to help or be a part of the team next year do get in touch.

Clive Rush (860572), on behalf of the Art Exhibition Committee

Rewilding New Buckenham

Back in the '60s, my mum used to work as a secretary for Fisons Fertilizer. I can still vividly remember one of their advertisements, showing a man mowing an almost luminous green lawn, leaving immaculate stripes in his wake. This image, designed to boost the sale of commercial fertilisers, stuck in our minds as a gardening ideal.

And then the phrase 'climate change' entered everyone's vocabulary. Around the same time, we learned that bees, butterflies, and all the other essential pollinators that humans simply took for granted, were at risk of becoming extinct. We began to realise that we'd been working from the wrong blueprint all along. Nature is not a limitless resource for us to plunder, or an inconvenient adversary that we have to batter into submission, it's an incredibly subtle web of intelligence, which humans are also a part of. Unfortunately, as we know, Nature is currently in big trouble. Therefore, as an inextricable part of the natural world, humans are in big trouble, too.

From your warm response to New Buckenham Climate Action Now, we know that many of you feel as concerned as we do. So what steps can we all take to help to heal our environment right here in our small corner of Norfolk? How can we correct some of the human errors that have led us to this potentially catastrophic situation?

Hoping to find answers to these questions, Kim Cutmore and Sue Chapman, from our group, attended an online course run by PLANTLIFE. What Kim and Sue learned from the course is that if we genuinely want to save the natural world – including ourselves – we must drastically change all our old ways of thinking about what our gardens, grass verges or village greens 'should' ideally look like.

Before the arrival of climate change, bees, butterflies, bugs and different insects knew exactly when and where to locate the plants they needed for the essential proteins and sugars they need to feed

their larvae. This cycle was mutually beneficial to plants and pollinators alike. But climate change, along with various intrusive kinds of human activity, is disrupting that intricate cosmic clock. Eighty-five percent of all wild flowers depend on insect pollination, so the dramatic loss of pollinators in recent years equates to a decline, possibly the total extinction, of certain species of flowers.

So what can we do in New Buckenham to make our outdoor spaces more attractive to endangered pollinators? You may have heard of NO MOW MAY, this year's environmental campaign designed to encourage people to let their lawns 'rewild' during the time of year when bees and other pollinators are most reliant on wild flowers to survive. PLANTLIFE suggests taking this idea a step further. Suppose we only ever mowed some of our lawn, or grass verge, or village green? Suppose we periodically left small areas completely free to rewild themselves with dead nettles, dandelions, cow parsley and thistles. Then suppose these areas also contained dead wood or hollow plant stems for overwintering insects? According to PLANTLIFE, if even as little as **four square metres** of land is allowed to rewild itself in this way, it will naturally generate a rich, diverse habitat for a small corner of the natural world to start to heal itself. Nature thrives through diversity, and for this it needs micro habitats. Diversity needs a patchwork of different vegetation heights.

To those of us brought up on the old Fison's fertilizer model of green spaces, the term 'rewilding' might sound like a recipe for outright anarchy! But rewilding actually offers us hope. By going into partnership with the natural world, instead of making it our adversary, we can help Nature and wildlife join up so they can do their own wild, beautiful thing with the sensitive minimum of human interference.

Later this year, we plan to hold a meeting with the Parish Council and villagers where we can all talk about this issue in depth. For further info on rewilding go to rewild.org.

Annie Dalton for New Buckenham CAN

August Bank Holiday Fete

The Village Fete will be returning this year on Monday 29th August and preparations are well underway. The fete will follow a similar format to previous years, with the usual attractions and fun for all the family at the Village Hall.

We will continue to provide updates as the date gets closer, but in the meantime, please note the following:

WHITE ELEPHANT STALL: I am sure that many of you have used the last two years to have a good de-clutter. If you have good-quality items to donate, please contact Janet Webb (860450) or Audrey Dowling (861155) to arrange for drop off. If necessary, we can arrange for the collection of larger items. No electrical items or large furniture please.

BOOK STALL: Books will be collected by Carolyn Hupton. Either leave in the garage of Beech House or call Carolyn (860216) if you need to arrange for collection. No magazines or outdated technical/educational books please.

NEARLY NEW: Very good quality clothes only please. Please take any donations to Hazel Rush at the Studio at Mill House Garage after 25th July.

HELPERS: Many of you who have volunteered in previous years will have already been contacted by a committee member to make sure you have saved the date. If not, expect a call soon! For those who are new to the village and can spare some time to help, please contact me on 07534 353713 or jon.frith@frith-blake.co.uk. Even an hour of help on the day makes a difference and it is a great way to get to know others in the village.

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RAFFLE PRIZES: Look out for your books of raffle tickets in future editions of parish news. Please gently harass friends and family to buy the tickets as this makes a big difference to how much money the fete raises. We are very lucky this year and have some amazing prizes. These include dinner, bed and breakfast for two at the Crown Hotel in Wells-next-the-sea, Hot Air Balloon flight for two, a £300 voucher for Still Southwold (award winning Holiday Lets just off the beach) and many more.

PRIZES: As well as the big raffle prizes, we also need smaller prizes for the raffle, games and tombola. Please contact me to arrange collection of any potential prizes.

GAZEBOS AND TENTS: Fingers crossed we will have good weather and we can never have too many gazebos and party tents. If you are able to loan any for the day it would be appreciated.

Watch this space for more details as we get closer to August. Finally, thank you to everyone who is helping me navigate this new role of fete organiser – it is very much appreciated!

Jon Frith, Chair of Fundraisers
07534 353713 / jon.frith@frith-blake.co.uk

Good Companions

The meeting held on Thursday 19th May was attended by thirty members, who were given a very interesting slide show and talk by the chairman of the Dahlia Society, Don Andrew. Tea was provided by the committee.

The next meeting will be on Thursday 16th June at 2:30pm in the Village Hall, and will be an afternoon cream tea in celebration of the Queen's jubilee.

Christine Wilby



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Table service is provided so no need to wait around, just take a seat, you may lounge on the ground floor by the fireplace or sit upstairs by the large windows overlooking the beautiful village of New Buckenham.

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- · Wedding Afternoon Tea Catering (All China Supplied)
- Cake Decorating Classes.

For all inquires please speak to a member of our staff in store or by telephone or you can drop us a message through our Facebook







New Buckenham Parish Council

Our June Parish Council meeting will take place on Tuesday 14th June at 7:30pm at the Village Hall. A warm invitation is extended to all parishioners.

A reminder that the agenda relevant to each meeting will be posted on the noticeboard on the Village Green and on the website (www.newbuckenhampc.info), where you will also find further information about the Parish Council.

Parish Council meetings take place on the second Tuesday of every month with the exception of August when we don't usually meet. Remaining dates for 2022 are 12th July; 13th September; 11th October; 8th November and 13th December.

We again discussed speeding at our May Parish Council meeting with reference to the whole village, but particularly in Church Street and Chapel Street. It was felt that speeding coupled with illegal parking at the junction of the two roads could easily cause an accident to motorists or pedestrians! Please be aware of this as you drive through or park in the village. Thank you.

The Parish Council would like to thank Mandy Hartley and her large group of helpers, who have put together an exciting range of events and activities to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. There is something for everyone and we hope all villagers enjoy taking part in some or all of the events!

Karen Hobley (Chair)

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Summary of Draft Minutes May 2022

Present: Karen Hobley (KH Chair), Andrew Bingham (AB Vice-Chair), Mary Manning (MM), Don Crossman (DC), Steve Highton (SH) Andrew Nettleton (AN) and Angela Thornton (AT) Clerk.

Resolved that Karen Hobley be elected Chair and Andrew Bingham Vice-Chair for 2022/2023.

1. Minutes

Minutes of the April meeting confirmed.

2. Matters Arising

Potholes on Cuffer Lane work completed.

Drainage and resurfacing Marsh Lane completed. Standard of edging and finishing not satisfactory.

Green bins in cemetery to be checked by AN.

Dog bins emptied weekly. Additional emptying can be requested online.

3. Public Participation

Parish Councillors' Reports

AB expressed concern about the status of Moat Lane, specifically its ownership and the possibility of a 'Byway open to all traffic'. AB to investigate.

MM concerned with the standard of work in Marsh Lane, she will contact Steve Askew stating concerns.

Parishioners' Comments

Charles Oxley questioned access to the website on tablets. AT to meet IT advisor to investigate .

The Neighbourhood Plan referendum will take place on July 7th. Remaining funds will be used to promote voting.

Rosemary Winser asked if the telephone box was still in Market Place. AN confirmed this.

She also raised the issue of speeding in Church Street. KH explained this had been raised with Highways, but not considered a priority by them.

Amanda Hartley presented the planned Jubilee celebrations, funding to be considered under finance.

She also requested to have a joint meeting with the PC to discuss Green issues (electric car, charging points and rewilding projects). Councillors expressed their disappointment that these topics were not addressed at the Annual Parish meeting due to lack of attendance. Amanda will bring full proposals to June meeting.

4. Financial Matters

Financial report for April accepted.

Payments for May were approved.

Request for £1,500 funding for Jubilee celebrations was agreed.

ATTCARE request for funding to be considered next month.

AT to arrange internal audit for 2021/22 appointing the auditor used last year.

5. Planning

Cuffer Lane reapplication — objections remain. AT to collate responses and submit to Breckland Council.

Crawford, Market Place — replacement windows with slimline double-glazed windows: Approved.

Corner Cottage, Market Place — replacement windows with slimline double-glazed windows: Approved.

7 Chapel Street — replacement two windows to front elevation: Approved.

6. Amenities

PC confirmed the continuation of the current grounds maintenance.

Closed Churchyard maintenance will continue for 2022/3.

CAN volunteers may carry out rewilding using the plan from NWT.

AB has obtained a quotation for handrail and steps, to be taken to the PCC for the Diocese working on the quinquennial report.

Cemetery: AN reported that 10 plots in the old cemetery need rodding to ascertain the number of available plots. AN to arrange.

Allotments: Plot 17 still vacant, Plot 14 to be offered to someone on waiting list this month.

Play Area: DC seeking quotes to purchase a see-saw to commemorate the Platinum Jubilee.

Defibrillator: KH is attending a meeting at the King's Head, 16th May.

Mary Dowson, for New Buckenham Parish Council

Events at New Buckenham Common



Dawn Chorus Walk SUNDAY I MAY, 5 – 8AM Join NWT field staff Nathan and Izzy for a dawn walk around the common as part of International Dawn Chorus Day.

Annual orchid count FRIDAY 27 MAY, 10AM – 12 NOON Assist with our vital monitoring work by helping to count the beautiful green-winged orchids.

A Common History
TUESDAY 5 JULY, 7.30 – 9PM
A Norfolk Commons Week event. Join Tom
Williamson, Professor of Landscape History
at UEA, for a talk about the history of
commons in general and how the common at
New Buckenham was used in the past.

Images: Richard Osbourne, Charles Oxley

Moths on the Common SATURDAY 25 JUNE, FROM 10PM Come along to see what the Norfolk Moth Survey have caught in their humane light traps.

Ragwort pulling work party FRIDAY 15 JULY, 10AM – 3PM
Help NWT staff and regular volunteers to keep on top of this controlled plant by reducing its numbers and allowing for better grazing of the common's rare grassland.

Booking for all events is essential, through Eventbrite or by calling 07909 887499



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Thank you for your continued support of the Village Hall. Here are the lucky winners for the latest draw.

£20	Susie Jowett, Sean Hodgson, Pat Old
£10	Dom Taylor, Norma Porter, Nick Maney, Gerry Norton, Gary Rose, Hazel Rush

St Martin's Church Services – June 2022 Service of celebration and thanksgiving for the Sun 5th 11:00am Pentecost Platinum Jubilee (with a glass of fizz to follow) Sung Evensong Trinity Sun 12th 6:30pm with the choir Sunday Holy Communion Trinity 1 Sun 19th 11:00am Rev. Bob Baker Proper 7 Morning Worship Trinity 2 Sun 26th 11:00am

Susie Jowett

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Saturday 4th	Jubilee Dance & Karaoke, Village Hall, 7:30pm		
Sunday 5th	Service of Thanksgiving, St Martin's, 11am		
Saturday 11th	Coffeemates!, St Martin's, 10:30am until 12 noon		
Tuesday 14th	Parish Council Meeting, Village Hall, 7:30pm		
Thursday 16th	Good Companions, Village Hall, 2:30pm		
Sunday 19th	Open Gardens, Village Hall, 1pm until 5pm		
Thurs 30th / Fri 1st & Sat 2nd July	'A Little Comedy', Village Hall, 8pm		

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