

PARISH OF DEVERILLS AND HORNINGSHAM

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Please remember the deadline is 15th of the month - Thank you

Website: Benefice of Cley Hill Villages www.cleyhillchurches.org

Website contents: Parish News, Church services, Parish Register, Events

PARISH NEWS

The Deverills & Crockerton



Long Knoll & Little Knoll

by Pat Armstrong

June 2019

Look inside for local news & information



ALL CREATURES GREAT & SMALL

Bring your pets great and small to the
PET SERVICE

Sunday 2nd June 4.00 pm

At Longbridge Deverill Church

Everyone welcome - we look forward to seeing you



Community Coffee Morning

Everyone is welcome 10.30 - 12.00 noon
The Orangery, The George Inn, Longbridge

Wednesday 5th June

Monday 17th June

Call Bridget 844884 if you require transport



Longbridge Deverill House Garden

Saturday 8th June 2.00 - 4.00 pm

Queen's birthday Cream Teas

Come and enjoy cream teas & cakes
with music enhancing the atmosphere of our garden
Raffle tickets will be on sale to raise money for our
residents activities fund, winners announced at 3.30pm



RACE NIGHT

The George Inn, Longbridge Deverill
Saturday 15th June 7.00 pm

in aid of Longbridge Deverill Flower Show
£10 per ticket inc food (ticket only event)

To purchase tickets call Claire/Laurie at
The George Inn 840396 or pop in
Sorry Adults Only due to Gambling Law



FUTURE EVENTS

- **Pre-school children & parents group** Thursdays Longbridge Hall 10.00-11.30 am
- **Athenaeum Singers Concert** Saturday 1st June See p6
- **Pet Service** Sunday 2nd June See p 2/8
- **Community Coffee Morning** Wednesday 5th June See p2
- **Deverills Archaeology Group Excavation** Friday 7th to Monday 10th June See p4
- **Longbridge Deverill House Garden Tea** Saturday 8th June See p2
- **Horningsham Fayre** Sunday 9th June See p7
- **Secret Gardens of the Close** Sunday 9th June See p 12
- **Deverills Valley & Crockerton W I** meeting Monday 10th June See p5
- **Cast on & Craft Group** Wednesday 12th June See p5
- **Mere Gardening Club** Wednesday 12th June See p7
- **Woolstore Theatre** Friday 14th June See p6
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- **Community Coffee Morning** Monday 17th June See p2
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- **Archaeological Walk** Sunday 23rd June See p4
- **Book & Dining Club** Wednesday 26th June See p5
- **Upper Deverills Pub Night** Barbeque and Rounders Friday 28th June See p5
- **Longbridge Deverill Parish Council meeting** Monday 1st July see p4/14
- **Crockerton Street Party** Saturday 6th July See p6
- **Car Boot Sale** Sunday 7th July See p6
- **Deverills Valley & Crockerton W I** meeting Monday 8th July See p5
- **Upper Deverills Parish Council meeting** Wednesday 10th July See p4/14
- **Upper Deverills Duck Race** Saturday 13th July
- **Mere Historical Society outing American Museum & Gardens** Wed 17th July See p7
- **Upper Deverills Fete /Flower Show** Saturday 20th July See p10/11
- **Upper Deverills Pub Night** Friday 26th July
- **Lammas Celebration** Sunday 4th August See p9
- **Longbridge Deverill Flower Show** Saturday 10th August See p11
- **Jazz Night** Saturday 17th August See p11
- **Upper Deverills Pub Night** Friday 30th August

LOCAL COUNCILS, SOCIETIES, GROUPS etc.

Longbridge Deverill Parish Council - www.crockertonlongbridgeandhilldeverill.co.uk

Caroline Sawyer 840585 (Chair)	Martin McDermott 216939
Kate Plastow 840975 (Vice Chair)	Bob Pitman 212953
Richard Baxter 212918	David Searle 213767
Juliet Brathwaite MBE 841338	Nigel Spreadbury-Clews 216660
Nikki Spreadbury-Clews (Clerk) 216660 or longbridgedeverillpc@gmail.com	

Upper Deverills Parish Council - www.upperdeverills.co.uk

Bridget Beattie 844884 (Chair)	Gillian Flint 844507
David Croot 840944 (Vice Chair)	Richard Munro 844385
Louise Stratton 844105	
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Wiltshire Council 0300 456 0100

Sir James Thynne Almshouse Sue Jackson 840322 (Trustee)

Longbridge Deverill Parish Hall Committee

Anna Mead 212759 (Secretary) Sylvia Titt 214825 (Bookings)

Upper Deverills Village Hall

Ted Flint 844507 (Chair) John Lea 844325 (Hall bookings)

Crockerton Village Committee Marion Thomas 213739 (Chair)

Pre-School Children & Parents Group Sylvia Titt 214825 Pat Wood 840535

Deverill & Crockerton W I Sue Bohana (215546) (Pres) Julie Wallder 213142 (Sec)

Deverills Cricket Club Ed Read 840835 (Captain)

Community Police - Local Officer (Rural)

PCSO Debbie Robbins – Debbie.robbs@Wiltshire.pnn.police.uk or call 101

Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator Deverills & Crockerton Dympna Dell 840514

Hospital Transport Link Scheme 211655

Mere Link Scheme (Upper Deverills) 01747 860096

Warminster Link Scheme 01985 211655

(Corsley to Boyton, Crockerton, Horningsham, Longbridge, Hill Deverill)

Post Office: Lakeside Garden Centre, Crockerton: Mon Wed Fri 9.00 am - 2.00 pm

Maiden Bradley Hall: Tuesday 1.00 - 3.00 pm

Bath, Wilts & North Dorset Gliding Club Kingston Deverill 844095

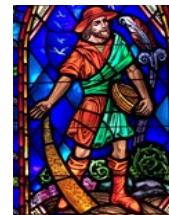
Dear Friends,

Pauline is away for a few weeks, visiting her daughter who lives in New York. So, she invited me to write these 'Rectors Notes' in her absence; as I write Pauline is relaxing and sipping coffee somewhere in Brooklyn! April and May were very busy months for the church and already June is upon us.

We had our very successful Lent projects, separately in both Parishes of the Benefice, to enable us to become more engaged with the local community. Whilst not duplicating other ventures, we organised a 'Spring Lunch with Friends' in Corsley and an 'Easter Tea' in Longbridge Deverill, both events aimed to introduce different parts of the community who do not usually meet together. They drew in the schools (the children designing and producing invitations and posters), a church team producing the food and guests from the Parish. In the Deverills we had over 40 people attend, with a mix of members from the congregation, a group from Longbridge House and a number of other residents from the villages. We were also joined from the Diocese by the Archdeaconry Rural Field Officer. Both events were a great success, many thanks again to all who participated.

Following a time of reflection in Lent we then had the Easter celebrations, which is one of the high points of the church's liturgical year.

After Easter, on 28th April, Pauline was formally licensed at a Benefice service held at Longbridge Deverill, as our Rector. This was conducted by the new Bishop of Ramsbury, Andrew Rumsey. She had previously been a Priest-in-Charge, it is a technical difference and there is no change in what she does but she is now the incumbent and has full responsibility for the Benefice. In a packed church we celebrated this next stage of Pauline's ministry and then had the opportunity to meet the Bishop over tea.



By the time you read this, and as we look forward to the Summer, we will have celebrated Rogation Services at Corsley's Orchard and Wild Flower Garden and at Manor Farm at Kingston Deverill. Rogation Sunday is one of the services that mark the agricultural year and is the day when the Church traditionally offers prayers for God's blessings on the fruits of the earth and the labours of those who produce our food.

The next 'special' service will be a Pet Service on Sunday 2nd June at 4 o'clock in Longbridge Deverill. This could be a 'fun' outing for you and your pets, we would love to see you there as we celebrate God's creation.

Love and prayers,

Robert

Robert Shuler, Church Warden St Mary's, Kingston Deverill



Longbridge Deverill Parish Council

At the Annual meeting of the Parish Council Cllr Sawyer was re-elected as Chairman and Cllr Plastow as Vice Chairman. Cllr Plastow continues to pursue the Community Speed Watch (CSW) team for the scheme to be set up in Sand Street, Longbridge Deverill; she will be seeking volunteers to participate. The Parish Council will have a stall at this year's Flower Show on Saturday 10th August, members would be delighted to meet residents of the Parish, please come along and have a chat, find out what's been happening and discuss any concerns you may have.

The next Parish Council meeting will be on **Monday 1st July** at 7.30pm in Longbridge Deverill Parish Hall. For the full minutes please see village notice boards, Parish web site www.crockertonlongbridgeandhilldeverill.co.uk or contact the Parish clerk at longbridgedeverillpc@gmail.com

Upper Deverills Parish Council

The next Parish Council meeting will be on **Wednesday 10th July**. If you have any queries please contact the Clerk Jenny Bennett 841272/email upperdeverills@gmail.com, see Parish notice boards.

Crime statistics - latest quarterly figures



Wiltshire has seen a drop of 3 per cent in the number of overall recorded crimes in the county, according to crime statistics out at end of April. Between January 2018 and December 2018, Wiltshire Police recorded 42,483 crimes overall – a decrease compared to the previous 12 months.

Burglaries and vehicle crime dropped by 25 per cent and 26 per cent respectively, while thefts from a person dropped by 15 per cent and thefts, in general, went down by 10 per cent. Angus Macpherson, Wiltshire and Swindon's Police and Crime Commissioner, welcomed the latest figures and said they showed Wiltshire was continuing to 'punch well above its weight' for a small, rural force and was working hard to deliver the best service possible within the funding awarded.

Deverills Archaeology Group

Up-coming events: We will be undertaking an excavation in the lower part of the Kingston Deverill cricket field from **Friday 7th to Monday 10th June**. Villagers are welcome to come along to see what we are doing, but please contact DAG before you come for health and safety reasons. On **Sunday 23rd June** an archaeological walk around the valley will be led by local professional archaeologist Mike Allen. If you would like to join, please get in touch, places are limited and allocated on first come first served. If you miss this walk there will be more later this year and in 2020. The results of DAG work in 2018/19 will be on display in the village hall in August (dates to be confirmed). Contact for all events: secretary.DAG@gmail.com.

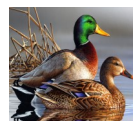


Nature Notes

I am pleased to report that swallows have returned to the stables and house martins are back in the two artificial nests on the front of the house. We have actually added another house martin nest box hoping to increase the population (so far no takers). Swifts have returned; I first heard and saw them when I went to Mere on the 8th May. The following evening walking round to the shop there were a good number of swifts flying very low over the river and watercress beds feeding on the insects. I love watching their amazing flying display and hearing their screams. In the summer months the skies would be very empty without these three birds; swift, swallow and house martin.



We have a good population of house sparrows. I know of six nesting sites, two in boxes. One nest is under the eaves (single storey height) near the back door of the garage, where I come out to feed the birds and I quite often catch one of the parents coming or going to the nest. They use the nearby roof of the greenhouse as a 'stepping stone' to come and go. The youngsters within must be getting quite near to fledging. I know that we had three sparrow nests in the honeysuckle by the patio, as I sadly found three dead chicks of varying sizes on the ground one morning. If it had been just the one dead chick I would have thought it had fallen out of the nest, but that number made me think that the nests had been predated. We have sparrow hawk, magpie, jackdaw and crow that come to the garden regularly all of which predate nests. My money would be on the sparrow hawk.



We still have a pair of mallards. I am pretty sure that the duck had laid a clutch of eggs and had started incubating them. I had seen them mating on numerous occasions and she would go off for a time and then return, then she went off and I thought she had left. But one evening she came back looking for food, very hungry, had a good wash in the pond, preened and then flew off again with real purpose. This continued for several evenings and I was convinced that she was sitting on eggs. But yesterday the duck and drake were on the raft in the morning, the duck was very subdued. She wasn't interested in food and seemed depressed. I can't be sure but I think her nest had been predated and the eggs lost. Thankfully today she is brighter and is eating better and the drake has been with her.

The countryside is full of colour at this time of the year. The hedgerows are white with the hawthorn blossom and the verges are also white with cow parsley. There are bluebells in the wood along with white wild ramsons. Then the pink of red campion, and the yellow of the wild azalea, plus the mauve of the rhododendron. So many of these colourful plants have super perfume too. The trees also have gorgeous colour; the fresh new green of the beech is absolutely beautiful. A lot of the trees are 'in flower' at the moment; the beech tree at the front here is shedding 'bits' which, from my book, I can identify as the male flowers. When I went round to the shop this evening the forecourt of the garage was covered in willow seed blowing around and drifting so that it piled up in areas.

Jane Trollope (written 16th May)

Secret Gardens of the 'Close' in Salisbury

The Friends of Salisbury Cathedral invite you to join them at their open gardens afternoon on **Sunday 9th June** from 1.00 pm to 5.00 pm. It is the Friends' major fund-raising event of the year: the money raised last year is being used to sponsor a pinnacle on the north-east corner of the Cathedral. Eleven gardens in Salisbury Cathedral Close will be open and tea and homemade cakes will be served in the garden of South Canonry - the home of the Bishop of Salisbury, the Rt Revd Nicholas Holtam and his wife, Helen. Proceeds from the teas will go to the Sudan Medical Link.



There will be an exhibition of botanical art by Salisbury Florilegium Society in the Medieval Hall, artist Cliff Topping will be sketching in a number of the gardens and recorder group Close Consort will be playing. There will be stalls on Choristers' Green, including the Friends' plant stall.

Entry to the Secret Gardens of the Close is £10, children under 16 free. The donation includes programme and admission to all featured gardens and is payable at the Friends' gazebo on Choristers' Green. For more information contact the Friends at 33a The Close, Salisbury, SP1 2EJ, telephone 01722 335161 or email friends@salcath.co.uk. Garden visitors are advised to use city centre car parks, parking in the Close is for disabled badge holders only with a payable charge.

Salisbury Cathedral Organ Restoration Project

The project to restore Salisbury Cathedral's magnificent Father Willis organ began in January and will take 14 months. It is 50 years since the organ last underwent a comprehensive restoration. The pipes will be cleaned, the mechanics, bellows and reservoir will be repaired. The work is being done by Harrison and Harrison, renowned organ builders and restorers from Durham who have cared for the Cathedral's organ since 1978.



Salisbury's Father Willis organ was built in 1877 and cost £3,500, a sum given by Miss Chafyn Grove of Zeals. It has just under 4,000 pipes, ranging in size from that of a matchstick to others standing 32ft high. The project will cost about £700,000. The Friends of Salisbury Cathedral have given a substantial grant towards project and the Cathedral received a grant of £82,300 from the Heritage Lottery Fund. The organ exhibition, *Pulling out the Stops*, in the north transept runs until November and explores the history of the organ including a virtual organ with stops visitors can play on a touch screen to recreate the unique sound of the Father Willis organ.

If you would like to donate towards the restoration of the organ, please make cheques payable to Salisbury Cathedral and send to Jilly Wright, development manager at Wyndham House, 65 The Close, Salisbury SP1 2EN or online at www.salisburycathedral.org.uk/get-involved/donate-now/donate

Deverill Valley & Crockerton WI

Our meeting on Monday 13th May on 'Transgender explained' was enjoyed by all Members who found the subject extremely interesting and informative. We discussed the subject between ourselves whilst having our tea and biscuits and had our questions (and there were many) answered. Our next meeting will be on **Monday 10th June** when we will meet in the afternoon and go to 'Hillbrush' for tea and cakes. Our next regular meeting at Longbridge Deverill Village Hall will be on **Monday 8th July** when Fran Pearson will speak on the 'Fudge Trust Charity'. If you would like to know more about the WI in the Deverill Valley please contact Julie Wallder on 213142.



Cast on & Craft Group

If you like knitting, embroidery, tapestry or other crafts, this group is for you! We meet at someone's home each month to share ideas and enjoy each other's company. This month's meeting will take place on **Wednesday 12th June** from 2.00 - 4.00 pm at Judy Munro's house, Whitepits Lodge, Kingston Deverill, BA12 7HD. Call 844385 for directions. Everyone welcome.



Book & Dining Club

The next meeting will be on **Wednesday 26th June** at the Café Journal, 5 The High Street, Warminster BA12 9AE 7.00 for 7.30 pm. If you would like to come and discuss the book please contact Linda Searle 213767. Lifts can be organised.

The chosen book is: **The Pilot's Wife** by Anita Shreve. Who can guess what a woman will do when the unthinkable becomes her reality? Being married to a pilot has taught Kathryn Lyons to be ready for emergencies, but nothing prepared her for the late-night knock on her door and news of her husband's fatal crash. As Kathryn struggles through her grief, she is forced to confront disturbing rumours about the man she loved and the life that she took for granted. She is torn between her impulse to protect her husband's memory and her desire to know the truth.





MONTHLY PUB NIGHT

'The Cricketers' Legs'

Friday 28th June 6.00 - 11.00 pm

BBQ — Rounders

A relaxed pub night with other villagers,
children/dogs welcome!

Firkin beer, wine, spirits, soft drinks, crisps
cheaper than a pub!

Facebook www.facebook.com/groups/upperdeverill







The Athenaeum Singers



The Creation by Haydn

Cole Bendall - Conductor - The British Sinfonietta

Tamsin Raitt - Soprano, Alicia Pettit - Contralto

Harry Bradford - Tenor, Niall Anderson - Bass

Saturday 1st June 7.00 pm

Minster Church of St Denys, Warminster BA12 8PQ

Tickets £15 available from tickets@athenaeumsingers.com

Warminster Hub, Choir Members, 01373 451573 www.athenaeumsingers.com

Registered charity 290909

The Woolstore Country Theatre, Codford

Two one act plays: Knightsbridge By John Mortimer

Meat and Two Veg By Paul Beard

Friday 14th June – Start time 7.30 pm

Tickets £12.50 include Ploughman's supper

from Budgens Post Office 850345 (Option 6)

1st Wednesday of the month Moviola at the Woolstore: www.moviola.org

More information from www.thewoolstoretheatre.org.uk or 01985 850658



CROCKERTON VILLAGE COMMITTEE STREET PARTY

To be held at Broadmead Lane, Crockerton

3.00 pm to 6.00 pm on Saturday 6th July

More details next month or see village notice boards
or see Facebook page 'Crockerton Village Committee'



SUNDAY 7TH JULY - CAR BOOT SALE

Field adjacent to The George Inn - £10 per pitch

Set up from 9.00 am selling from 10.00 am

In aid of Longbridge Deverill Flower Show

Food and hot drinks available at The George Inn

Upper Deverills Fete Flower Dog Show 2.00 pm Saturday 20th July

Come and enjoy all the activities at the Fete, Flower and Dog Show. Enter the competitions and have a go at the sideshows, then enjoy a delicious home made cream tea. Prepare your items for the classes, enter as many as you like, see details opposite. An entry form will be published in the July edition of the Parish News. Entries welcome from everyone.



Longbridge Deverill Flower Show

The Show will take place on **Saturday 10th August** in The George Inn field from 12.00 noon to 4.30 pm. Donations on the gate; followed by music in the evening by Tim Steer and Duke Box. Please put the date in your diaries and start growing and preparing your items for the Show, the more entries the greater the fun! Look at the website for details of all the classes at the show www.longbridgedeverillflowershow.uk.com. A show entry flyer will be included in the July edition of the Parish News. Please come along and support the fundraising events for the show both taking place at the George Inn: **The Race Night on Saturday 15th June** (see p2 for details) **Car Boot Sale on Sunday 7th July** (see p 6 details).



NEW ORLEANS JAZZ NIGHT SATURDAY 17TH AUGUST

NEW ORLEANS HEAT, one of the best traditional Jazz bands in Britain, is returning for the fifth year to Horningsham Village Hall

Tickets £25.00 per head includes 2 course supper

Bar available

For tickets and information please contact Richard Abbott
on 840763 or rjabbott2@gmail.com

A fundraising event to help maintain our churches in Horningsham & Deverills



The Wiltshire Federation of the WI

The Federation is celebrating its centenary this year and we are displaying WI Archives throughout the county, Salisbury Library from **29th June to 16th July**, Swindon Library from **17th September to 11th October**. Amongst the items being shown is a book called 'Secrets of some Wiltshire Housewives'. This book of recipes, from 1927, was bought by our Federation Secretary in a Charity Shop in Bedford! All the recipes have the WI member's name underneath and there are some from Kingston Deverill and Brixton Deverill. Kingston Deverill: Mrs E Marshall, Mrs Abner Trimley, Mrs Cleeter, Mrs Carpenter, Miss Mabbott, Mrs Larkworthy; Brixton Deverill: Mrs Raynes. The book was printed by Coates & Parker and is in great condition.

Daphne Atkinson - Board of Trustees, Wiltshire Federation of WI's



Upper Deverill Flower Show Schedule 20th July 2018

The Village Hall Cup for Classes 1 to 4

Class 1 - Vegetables & Fruit

- 1.1 Collection of 4 Vegetables
- 1.2 Salad Selection (Max 10" plate or smaller)
- 1.3 Largest vegetable
- 1.4 Soft Fruit Selection (Max 10" plate or smaller)
- 1.5 Most amusing vegetable
- 1.6 Fruit and/or vegetable sculpture



Class 2 - Cookery (WI Cup)

- 2.1 Victoria sponge
- 2.2 Six decorated cup cakes
- 2.3 Home made savoury preserve
- 2.4 Home made jam
- 2.5 Home made marmalade
- 2.6 Show stopper! (open class cake)
- 2.7 Six eggs - from chicken owners (one will be broken by judge)
- 2.8 Home made alcohol
- 2.9 Home made cordial



Class 3 - Flowers 1

- 3.1 Specimen
- 3.2 Six Sweet Peas
- 3.3 Annuals: 6 stems – one or more varieties
- 3.4 Perennials: 6 stems – one or more varieties
- 3.5 Flowering shrubs: three different sprigs
- 3.6 Tallest sunflower
- 3.7 Tallest weed



Class 4 - Flowers 2

- 4.1 Hanging Basket
- 4.2 Foliage plant in a pot
- 4.3 Flowering pot plant (excluding 4.1)
- 4.4 Arrangement of wild flowers
- 4.5 Table arrangement
- 4.6 Flower arrangement in unusual container



The Liz Peters Cup for Class 5 & Class 6

Class 5 Arts and Crafts (completed since August 2018)

- 5.1 Needlepoint or Cross Stitch Article
- 5.2 Best Limerick
- 5.3 Any knitted item
- 5.4 Painting or drawing



Class 6 - Photography

- 6.1 Best Photobomb
- 6.2 Wild or domestic animal
- 6.3 The Seasons
- 6.4 Local Landscape
- 6.5 Village life



The Junior Shield Class 7: 16 years or under (age will be taken into account)

- 7.1 Garden on a tray
- 7.2 Best photograph (any subject)
- 7.3 100 word story
- 7.4 Best Lego construction
- 7.5 Something yummy



Maiden Bradley Memorial Hall

The Old Kitchen Store open Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays 9.00 am to 11.30 am CASH ONLY selling basic grocery items.

Book lending library has a wide range of books, open in shop hours.

Post Office Tuesdays 1.00 - 3.00 pm open in the Hall weekly plus a cafe.

Coffee mornings Fridays 10.00 - noon. Come for a chat.



Mere Gardening Club

There will be a talk on **Wednesday 12th June** at 7.30 pm in the Grove Buildings, £2 for visitors who are very welcome. **'Two gardens and their plants'** by David Haselgrove. David is a past RHS Council member and past president of the Alpine Garden Society. He has led expeditions to many parts of the world. He will talk about two gardens he has been involved in, Pelham House and Foxhill. Further information: meregardenclub.org.uk or contact Janet Way 01747 860884.



Mere Historical Society

Visit 2: Thursday 20th June: Montacute (National Trust) Please book by 9th June. The coach leaves Salisbury Street car park at 9.30 am and returns around 5.30 pm. The cost: MHS Members £11, non-members £14 per person, includes coach, tip and guided tour. Details and booking forms available from Mere Information Point or from the 'What's On' tab on our website www.merehistoricalsociety.org.uk



Visit 3: Wednesday 17th July: The American Museum and Gardens.

Visit 4: Tuesday 3rd September: Wells Cathedral and the Bishop's Palace.

The Horningsham Village Fayre

Sunday 9th June 2019
12pm-5pm

Live Music 5pm-6pm

ARTS & CRAFTS STALLS—ARTISAN FOOD STALLS—CREAM TEAS
BRIC-A-BRAC—FACE PAINTING—ICE CREAM
BOUNCY CASTLE—THEATRE GROUP
FALCONRY DISPLAY—LASER CLAYS—CLASSIC CARS
FUN DOG SHOW—CIRCUS SKILLS
FORESTRY SKILLS
WHISKY RAFFLE AND MORE....

Grand Draw & Cash Prizes

Free Entry & Free Parking

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SERVICES PARISH OF DEVERILLS & HORNINGSHAM

Sunday	Easter 7	
2nd June	Brixton 8.00 am	Holy Communion
	Longbridge 4.00 pm	Pet Service
Sunday	Pentecost	
9th June	Kingston 10.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Trinity	
16th June	Brixton 10.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Trinity 1	
23rd June	Horningsham 10.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Trinity 2	
30th June	Longbridge 10.30 am	Benefice Holy Communion
Sunday	Trinity 3	
7th July	Kingston 8.00 am	Holy Communion
	Longbridge 10.30 am	Family Worship

Personal Morning Prayer

9.00 am Monday & Tuesday, at The Rectory, Wednesday at Kingston Church

Christian Aid -THANK YOU!

We reached our target of raising **£600** this year! With Gift Aid Christian Aid will receive **£750!** This was only possible because of your very generous gifts during Christian Aid week and donations to the three Lent Lunches, which were very kindly hosted in the valley and enjoyed by everyone who attended them. All your gifts will go to help alleviate the suffering of people all over the world and enable them to have better lives.



Church Cleaners for June

Kingston Alice Stratton & Clare Mounde

Brixton Maggie Blue & Marilyn Garrett

Longbridge Monday 3rd June 9.30 - 10.30 am - All helpers please

Church Flower Arrangers of June

Kingston

Brixton

Longbridge

2nd June	Edith Dyer	Sally Buchan-Jones	Jane Robins
9th June	Edith Dyer	Pat Allard	Jane Robins
16th June	Pam Lea	Pat Allard	Julia Young
23rd June	Pam Lea	Chrissie Rose	Julia Young
30th June	Dinah Barnes	Chrissie Rose	Margot Judd



SERVICES PARISH OF CORSLEY & CHAPMANSLADE

Sunday	Easter 7	
2nd June	Corsley 9.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Pentecost	
9th June	Chapmanslade 9.30 am	Holy Communion
	Corsley 11.00 am	Morning Prayer
Sunday	Trinity	
16th June	Corsley 10.30 am	Morning Worship
Sunday	Trinity 1	
23rd June	Chapmanslade 9.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday	Trinity 2	
30th June	Longbridge 10.30 am	Benefice Holy Communion
Sunday	Trinity 3	
7th July	Corsley 9.30 am	Holy Communion

Register

Wedding - congratulations

Tara Wheating & Adam Ward at Kingston Friday 17th May

Deverills, Crockerton & Horningsham 50/50 Club

Time to join for a chance to win £50/£25 each month!

The February winners were: £50 Alice Stratton £25 Julia Young



The club is run to raise money for the four Churches in this Parish and **anyone is welcome to join**. 50% is distributed to the churches and 50% among the membership which runs from the 16th July. There is plenty of time to contact Diana Abbott on 840763 or decabbott@gmail.com for joining details.



Calling all brewers and bakers!

At 4.00 pm on **Sunday 4th August** at Brixton Deverill Church we will be holding a **Lammas Celebration**. More explanation will follow later but if you bake bread do put this date in your diary, we need lots of different breads. Any home brewers out there, we need some home brew to bless and share, and to make it a jolly time! Do get in touch with Pauline 841290 if you need more information.

