

# PARISH NEWS

## The Deverills & Crockerton



The Bridge, Sand Street, Longbridge Deverill by Pat Armstrong

# MAY 2025

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## UPPER DEVERILLS HALL

**Saturday 3rd May 5.00 pm - Duck Race & BBQ**



Tickets on sale at Pope's Bridge, Kingston Deverill from 4.00 pm, race starts 5.00 pm. Afterwards there will be a family barbecue in the field opposite the Bell House. All welcome, please bring your own drinks!

**Thursday 15th May 7.00 for 7.30 pm - Talk**



Dorothy Treasure will give a talk entitled 'Discoveries from the Deverills' about the history of the houses in the Upper Deverills. Refreshments provided (bread & cheese), please bring your drinks; donations welcome.

**Friday 30th May 6.00 - 10.30 pm Pub Night & BBQ**

Meet old and new friends and enjoy our community!  
Draught beer, wine, spirits, soft drinks, snacks. All welcome.  
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**LONGBRIDGE DEVERILL & CROCKERTON PARISH HALL**

**VICTORY IN EUROPE DAY CELEBRATIONS**

**SUNDAY 4TH MAY 3.00 - 5.00 PM**

**CREAM TEA £5 PAY ON THE DOOR**

**ENJOY A DELICIOUS TEA WITH FRIENDS & NEIGHBOURS**



**Community Coffee** 

**Mornings 10.30 - 12.00**

**Wednesday 7th May**

**Wednesday 4th June**

**The George Inn, Longbridge**

**£2 Everyone welcome**

**Call Judy 844385 for transport**

**VALLEY CHAT**

**Monday 19th May**

**2.00 - 4.00 pm**



**Upper Deverills Hall**

**Tea & Cake,**

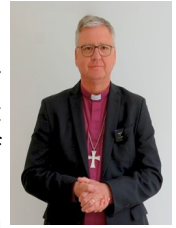
**Bring hobbies, games & crafts**

**Everyone very welcome**

**For information contact:**

**Judy 844385 / Bridget 844884**

## Sudan & South Sudan Partnership - a time of crisis



We have been fortunate to celebrate a peaceful Easter in our land, we find Sudan and South Sudan in probably the most desperate state in more than 25 years of our half century of partnership. This Spring marks the second anniversary of the conflict in Sudan, and the BBC has reported that fighting between the Sudan Armed Forces (SAF) and the Rapid Support Forces (RSF) has claimed more than 150,000 lives. The UN calls it the world's largest humanitarian crisis in which some 12 million people have been forced to flee their homes, creating new crises particularly in neighbouring Chad and South Sudan.

As the conflict intensified, Archbishop Ezekiel Kondo, his family and staff were forced to flee and, with other supporters, we helped him re-establish the Episcopal Church HQ in Port Sudan on the Red Sea coast. More recently the SAF has recaptured most of Khartoum including the symbolically important Presidential Palace. The RSF is now concentrated in El-Fasher in the Darfur region in the north and west of Sudan. It has been responsible for the most appalling atrocities yet denies it is ethnic cleansing but "tribal conflict". Efforts are being considered for the International Criminal Court (ICC) to investigate. The UK Government's recent decision to reduce the Overseas Development Aid budget is very disappointing.

In South Sudan, violence has returned too. Many people worry that Juba may be consumed by violence again, most recently triggered by President Salvar Kiir arresting the First Vice-President Riek Machar. The South Sudan Council of Churches has been urging all parties to seek peace and not conflict. "Faith before tribe" should be the guiding principle but that is easily said but much harder to practice. How do we do that ourselves?

Our partnership with the Sudans is founded on prayer and fellowship so please continue to hold the people of the Sudans in your prayers.

One way in which you can offer practical help is by supporting the Sudan Medical Link Fete, to be held in my garden on **Sunday 15th June** at 2.00 pm (please see page 6). All are welcome as we raise much needed funds for medical aid for families in South Sudan.

***+Stephen Bishop of Salisbury***

### Lent Lunches for Christian Aid



Thank you to the hosts of our very successful lunches this year, Mari & Nigel Poole, Sue & Robert Stone, Judy & Richard Munro and to all the people who came to enjoy a simple lunch in good company. The substantial amount of **£355** was raised for this life saving charity, thank you so much for your generosity.



**You are Invited**  
**To an Evening of Folk Music and Poetry**  
**With Bishop Andrew Rumsey**

**St Philip and St James Chapmanslade**

**Friday 16th May 7.00 for 7.15 pm**

**All are Welcome**

**Drinks available before concert and during interval**

**There is no charge - donations towards planned church kitchenette**  
**This event with Bishop Andrew will celebrate plans to adapt the church building for a much wider range of community uses**

**Bishop Andrew Rumsey is our local area (Wiltshire) bishop within the Salisbury Diocese. He is a poet and musician with a keen love for our natural environment, posting regularly on YouTube talking about Place, Faith, Identity and Landscape from different local landmarks.**

**Although not essential it would be helpful if you could confirm your attendance by email [candccchurches@gmail.com](mailto:candccchurches@gmail.com) or call 07455 349161**

**Deverills Cricket Club**

We are a very friendly, small club with a range of ability (and age) who play a few games against local teams each summer. Our fixtures this year are:

Thursday 29th May	Away	Heytesbury T20	6.00 pm
<b>Sunday 8th June</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Corsley</b>	<b>2.00 pm</b>
Sunday 15th June	Away	Fonthill	2.00 pm
Friday 27th June	Away	Chilmark T20	6.00 pm
Friday 11th July	Away	Horningsham T20	6.00 pm
<b>Sunday 27th July</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Chilmark</b>	<b>2.00 pm</b>
<b>Sunday 24th August</b>	<b>Home</b>	<b>Heytesbury</b>	<b>2.00 pm</b>

We would really like a few more to come along and play: men, women, boys and girls. We will have a few gentle 'nets' practices, probably, before the season. If you are interested, please contact Ed Read on 07702 273338, or anyone you know on the team. And support is always welcome, particularly at the home games by the Upper Deverills village hall.



## Maiden Bradley Memorial Hall



See [www.maidenbradleyhall.co.uk](http://www.maidenbradleyhall.co.uk) or call 845303 answerphone

**Thursday 1st May** Parish Council Elections

**Saturday 3rd May - Sunday 11th May** Wylve Valley Art Trail

**Saturday 24th May** 7.00 pm Quiz hosted by Bob & Jed

**Sunday 25th May** 2.00-4.30 pm Sticky Toffee Jazz VE Celebrations

### Regular events:

**Mondays** 9.30am-10.30 am Pilates; 10.45am-11.30 am Chair Pilates

**Monday** 5.00pm-6.00pm Dr's Surgery

**Tuesday** 9.30am-10.30 am Bradley Babies; 1.00pm-3.00pm Post Office

**Wednesday** 10.00am-11.15am Silver Sneakers

**Thursday** 9.30am-10.30am Pilates

**Friday** 10.00am-12.00noon Coffee Morning

## Warminster History Society

**Wednesday 7th May**

Please do join us at 2.30 pm at Warminster Library (entrance rear door) for a talk entitled 'Dates Stones' by Paul Jack, entry £3 members £1.



## Mere Gardening Club

**Meetings held in the Grove Building, Mere 7.00 for 7.30 pm**

**Wednesday 14th May** Paul Martin is a professional antiques dealer and presenter on Flog It. He will be giving a talk and will do a few valuations **TICKET EVENT ONLY**. Free to members.



## Codford and District Gardening Club

**Saturday 17th May**

This will be our annual Plant Sale and Coffee Morning! This year the sale will be held at Ashton Gifford House, by the very kind permission of Mr Paul Donovan. Come along to buy lots of plants to fill your garden with colour and enjoy a coffee and some cake. Thank you, Mr Donovan!

**Wednesday 21st May**

This is the next meeting at Codford Village Hall 7.00 for 7.30 pm (members free, guests £3.00) the talk is entitled 'Unusual Plants available to British Gardens' by Roger Hirons, aka The Plant Doctor; he trained at Pershore College and has a wealth of plant knowledge, he is a published author, and worked in plant nurseries, run garden centres and owns his own design and landscaping business .



## Chat Cafés Open Door - Support Groups

Chat Café Warminster

On Friday 2 May

We welcome

**Shelly**

Macmillan Cancer Support Worker

Shelly works at Salisbury Hospital and will be available to provide guidance on ovarian and bowel cancers

Join us for coffee

CANCER SUPPORT FOR YOU

The cancer support group meets every 2nd & 4th Friday of the month between 10.00-12.00 on the afternoon

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**May support groups**

Our May support groups are affected by the Spring bank holidays. There will be no prostate cancer support cafe on Monday 26th May.

**On Friday 2nd May** we welcome a new guest visitor. Shelly, who is a Macmillan Cancer Support Worker at

Chat Café Warminster

On Friday 16 May

We welcome

**David**

Macmillan Occupational Health Worker

David will be available to talk about the services available at Bath BHM

Join us for coffee

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The cancer support group meets every 1st & 3rd Friday of the month between 10.00-12.00 on the afternoon

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Salisbury Hospital, will be on hand to chat about questions or concerns regarding ovarian and bowel cancers. **On Friday 16th May**, our old friend Dave, Macmillan Occupational Health Worker from RUH Bath, will be at the cafe to chat about the services available at the hospital.

### Regular Chat Cafes

The 2nd and 4th Monday of each month 7.00-8.30 pm for those affected by prostate cancer. Family and friends welcome. Every Thursday 10.00 -12.00 for those feeling lonely or socially isolated. 1st and 3rd Friday of each month 10.00-12.00 support group for anyone affected by cancer. Family and friends welcome. The 2nd and 4th Friday of each month 10.00-12.00 support group for the bereaved. Families and friends welcome. All groups are at the accessible Athenaeum Centre 18-20 High Street, Warminster BA12 9AE, free drop-ins. Further details: The Chat Café Warminster website.

SUMMER FETE

SUNDAY 15 JUNE 2025, 2-5PM

IN AID OF THE SALISBURY SUDAN MEDICAL LINK

PLANTS BRIC A BRAC CAKES  
BOOKS & DVDS PRESERVES  
TEA & CAKE BOTTLE TOMBOLA  
CARDS COMPETITIONS GAMES  
VINTAGE CARS JUNIOR CATHEDRAL CHOIR  
PERFORMANCES FROM SALISBURY DANCE STUDIOS  
AND AMESBURY TOWN BAND  
RAFFLE TO BE DRAWN AT 4:15PM

ADMISSION:  
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19/20/21  
JUNE 2025  
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## Longbridge Deverill Parish Council

Local elections are being held on 1st May; the nominations have been published with three of the eight seats on the Parish Council receiving nominations. This means the election is uncontested and the persons nominated will automatically become Councillors. This leaves the Parish Council with a deficit of five Councillors, if you want to support your community by continuing the ongoing work of the last four years or wish to find out more, please contact the Parish Clerk Rebecca Hathaway-White [longbridgedeverillpc@gmail.com](mailto:longbridgedeverillpc@gmail.com), 07802 679457



The next Parish Council meeting will take place on **Monday 12th May**, 7.00pm Longbridge Parish Hall. Full minutes and agendas can be found on the Parish Council website or contact the Clerk see page 14.

## Upper Deverills Parish Council Parish Council Election

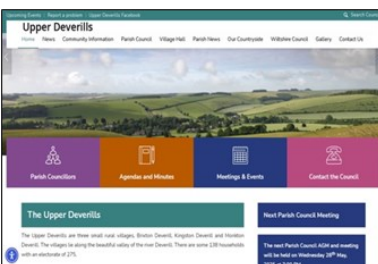
There are seats for 5 Parish Councillors on Upper Deverills Parish Council. Wiltshire Council received nominations from 4 candidates. This means that the election will be uncontested and all the existing Parish Councillors will continue in post. Contact details are on the Upper Deverills website or on page 14.



### Next meeting

The next meetings will be on **Wednesday 28th May**, the Annual Parish meeting at 6.00 pm, the Parish Council AGM and regular meeting at 7.00 pm at Upper Deverills Village Hall. For full minutes and agendas of meetings please see [www.upperdeverills.co.uk](http://www.upperdeverills.co.uk).

## Upper Deverills Website ([www.upperdeverills.co.uk](http://www.upperdeverills.co.uk))



This is the go-to site for the local information: latest news, events, information for newcomers, the history and ecology of where we live, Parish Council news and publications, rights of way, planning and a whole lot more. One of the latest regular additions is about a matter dear to our hearts: traffic reports.

After seven years running the website Richard Munro has handed the management over to Andy Hardwick. Please contact him with any news, posts, etc: [cllrhardwick@upperdeverills.co.uk](mailto:cllrhardwick@upperdeverills.co.uk).

# SERVICES DEVERILLS & HORNINGSHAM PARISH

## Sunday

### Easter 3

4th May

Kingston 8.00 am BCP

BCP Holy Communion

Longbridge 10.00 am

Morning Worship

## Sunday

### Easter 4

11th May

Kingston 10.00 am

Holy Communion

## Sunday

### Easter 5

18th May

Brixton 10.00 am

Holy Communion

## Sunday

### Easter 6

25th May

Longbridge 10.00 am

Holy Communion

## Sunday

### Easter 7

1st June

Kingston 8.00 am

BCP Holy Communion

Longbridge 10.00 am

Morning Worship

## CHURCH CLEANERS FOR MAY



**Kingston** Sarah Fagan & Judy Munro

**Brixton** Emma House & Catherine Fisher



**Longbridge** by arrangement

## CHURCH FLOWER ARRANGERS FOR MAY

### Kingston

### Brixton

### Longbridge

4th May

Alice Stratton

Sophie Lawson

See Rota

11th May

Barbara Gomez/

Pony Burrige

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18th May

Julie Curtis

Pony Burrige

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25th May

Alice Stratton

Sally Buchan-Jones

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## SERVICES CORSLEY & CHAPMANSLADE PARISH

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Easter 3</b>	
4th May	Corsley 10.00 am	Holy Communion
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Easter 4</b>	
11th May	Chapmanslade 10.00 am	Praise & Worship
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Easter 5</b>	
18th May	Corsley 11.00 am	Matins
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Easter 6</b>	
25th May	Chapmanslade 10.00 am	Holy Communion
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Easter 7</b>	
1st June	Corsley 10.00 am	Holy Communion

### BENEFICE OF THE CLEY HILL VILLAGES

See website [www.cleyhillchurches.org](http://www.cleyhillchurches.org) for information, links, contact details, All editions of the Parish News

Website

### DEVERILLS, CROCKERTON & HORNINGSHAM 50/50 CLUB

#### April Winners: £50 Richard Woodham & £25 Alice Stratton

The valley's 50/50 club raises funds to help preserve our 4 historic churches, for everyone's benefit and those who appreciate the community spirit of village life. Members pay £24 annually, proceeds are divided 50/50, half to support the churches, half as prizes, £50 & £25 monthly. Winners' names are published in the Parish News. Details to join are in the churches. **Diana Abbott has run the Club for over ten years and is now looking for someone to take over from her. It is not a big task but needs to be done monthly. Please contact her if you can help on 840763 or [decabbott@gmail.com](mailto:decabbott@gmail.com)**



## Exploring Easter at Crockerton School

As part of their Religious Education curriculum, the pupils of Crockerton Church School spent the last week of term digging deeper into the Christian story of Easter. For many Christians, Holy Week includes the most important days in the calendar. The pupils at Crockerton ended their term's learning in a week of exploration, questioning and further developing respect for beliefs and practices around this Christian story of salvation.

It all began on a particularly sunny Tuesday, when the young pupils in Key Stage 1 headed to the awe-inspiring Salisbury Cathedral. Through guided tours, drama and art activities they learnt about stories of new life and hope.



A few days later, the whole school spent the day exploring Christianity in many forms thanks to the dedicated teams at Anglican Christchurch and the non-denominational St Lawrence Chapel. You may have also spotted the pupils enjoying an Easter trail around the lake in our beautiful town park, surrounded by the new life of springtime.



It was a particularly special event and the Crockerton School community would like to thank all who gave up their time and wish the whole town a peaceful bank holiday weekend, however you spend yours.

### Contributions from you!



Have you attended events in the Valley which were enjoyable and you would like to thank the organisers who put them on. Or have information about our area which would be of interest to the residents who live in the Deverills and Crockerton. The Parish News endeavours to serve the whole community and I am always very happy to receive articles about the natural world, history, events etc. related to our area.

Please do get in touch, see the back page for my contact details, I look forward to hearing from you.

*Judy Munro* - Editor

WE NEED YOU!



## Crockerton School needs you!

Would you like the opportunity to be a School Governor? We need someone to join Team Crockerton, to work together with staff, parents and children to continue to improve opportunities and outcomes for all.



What do governors do?

Help monitor achievements, attendance and progress of children.

Ensure the school's policies and procedures work.

What are some qualities of a school governor?

Have an interest in education, schools and young people.

Listen to others' point of view.

How do governors make decisions?

By analysing data and asking challenging questions.

Ensuring actions are fair and without prejudice.

Sound like you?

Please call 212168 if interested, we look forward to hearing from you.

## Crockerton Village Egg-stravaganza!

On the glorious spring Sunday of the 6th April, the Children of Crockerton came out in force for the annual Easter egg hunt. The Bath Arms, Crockerton kindly gave permission to hold it in the gardens of the pub. Members of The Learning Meadow, who had generously donated the eggs, joined in the fun. A donation pot raised a further £40 towards future village events.



A spokesperson from the committee known only as the Easter Chick said, "It was a perfect sunny day to get the community together again and enjoy each other's eggcitement, and joy at finding a chocolate egg or two... The turnout was fantastic and a brilliant opportunity to catch up with friends old and new."

The village committee, run by a group of volunteers, meet throughout the year to plan special events for the villagers. The next event they are planning and very much looking forward to is the **Annual Summer Street Party in June.**





## Wylve Valley Art Trail 3rd - 11th May

The award winning **Wylve Valley Art Trail** returns this spring for another exciting, eclectic and inspirational nine day festival of creativity! In 2025 this biennial event celebrates 25 years since its founding here in Crockerton. It has now grown to feature 82 venues across South West Wiltshire where artists and makers will be welcoming visitors to their studios, workshops and exhibitions from **Saturday 3rd to Sunday 11th May**. There will be seven venues in our villages:

**Upper Deverills Village Hall** hosts four artists: Hilary McFarland (Painting), Bridget Beattie (Painting), Pamela Lea (Painting) and Hayley Cove (Printmaking).

**2 Orchard Way, Crockerton** you can view the work of painters Jackie Scott-Palmer and Tamsyn Gregory.

**Lakeside Garden Centre** four artists will be exhibiting there: Cath Bloomfield (Printmaking + collage), Sarah Truscott (Weaving), Jennie Gilling (Cyanotypes + painting) and Jane Gibson (Ceramics).

**Bull Mill Arts, Crockerton** you can see the work of nine artists: Nick Andrew (Painting + drawing), Tanya Hinton (reclaimed wood art), Heather Stone (Ceramics), Daniel Thornton (Digital Art), Maria Monteiro (Basket weaving), Stephanie Gilbert (Jewellery), Joanna Sims (Painting + drawing), Philip Leevers (Painting + drawing), Nicholas Doble (Making). Also Willow wreath workshops by the river with Natasha Child.

**Holly Cottage, Sutton End** view a display of jewellery by Lucy Greenwood.

**Horningsham Village Hall** the Scirocco Art Group will exhibit work of five artists: Jonny Bainbridge, Annemarie Blake, Miles Cantelou, Vicky Palmer (Painting, drawing + printmaking) and Mandy Capel (Glass).

**167 Chapel Street, Horningsham** features abstract painting by Farhad Riahi.

**Maiden Bradley Hall** features five artists Steve Gunter (Photography), Edward Flint (drawing & mixed media), Gillian flint (painting), Jules Horn (painting), Helena Marsden (felting, painting, ceramics).

**Art Trail guides** list everything that is going on and are widely available, pick one up locally at Longbridge Deverill Garage, The George, The Bath Arms, Lakeside Garden Centre and Wylve Valley Vineyard Farm shop.

**Selective Evening Openings** - see Art Trail guides for details.

**www.wvat.co.uk** - see website to view the whole trail.

**Wylve Valley Art Trail App** can be downloaded from Apple App Store and Google Play.



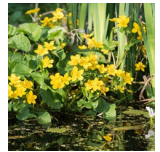
## Nature Notes

It has been lovely to have such gorgeous summer-like weather but the ground is so dry, the little bit of rain recently was welcome but we do need more; anything needing to dig for worms etc. to feed will be struggling. Today after last night's dampening there were more blackbirds feeding on the lawn.



We have swallows back in the stable. I first saw one on the 1st April as I was putting down black plastic underneath previous nesting sites so I would know if they were about; the plastic was soon marked. We have yet to hear or see any house martins; I am normally alerted to their arrival by budgie-like twittering from one of the three nests at the front of the house. There weren't so many last year so I am hoping at least one pair will make it back. The beech tree box, which is in good view of the kitchen window, is being used by great tits which I have spotted going in and out for the last few mornings. It looks as if we are going to have more moorhen chicks this year as there are a pair on the pond. I think the male roosts in the overhanging buddleia overnight while she is on the nest in the irises; I've not seen a lot of nest-building or them mating but there are a lot of irises for them to hide in and be private. There is also a cock pheasant with two ladies in tow, he is very protective of the garden chasing away any other males.

The frogspawn developed into a wriggling mass by the end of March and then dispersed, so at least it survived this year, but I have yet to see any tadpoles, perhaps the cold nights have slowed their development. With the warmth of the sun during the day there has been a bloom of algal growth which we have treated once and are about to repeat, usually this is not a problem until the summer. At the top end of the pond there is a lovely marsh marigold out with its custard yellow flowers, most of the daffodils are over but the cowslips and primroses have taken on the yellow colouration role, plus a good number of dandelions!



I am pleased to report I have seen more brimstone butterflies and recently orange tip one; but I have not found any butterflies to be let out of the garage, which is concerning, normally there are several small tortoiseshells and peacocks to release after they have hibernated in there for the winter. On the other hand, we have released at least twelve queen wasps from the garage and four or five from the house.



The hedgehogs are well and truly awake now and I see them most evenings. Several times when lifting the lid of the feeding station to put the food inside a big hog is there taking up most of the room.

The two cherry trees in the back garden and the one at the front are now coming out, I do hope the blossom stays on in the rising wind .

**Jane Trollope** (written 16th April)

## LOCAL COUNCILS, SOCIETIES, GROUPS

**NB: All phone numbers have a dialling code of 01985 unless shown otherwise.**

**Longbridge Deverill Parish Council** [www.longbridgedeverillparishcouncil.com](http://www.longbridgedeverillparishcouncil.com)

Mark Duddridge (Chairman) 213476 Kate Plastow 840975 (Vice Chair)

Martin McDermott 216939 David Searle 213767

Tony Erskine 07903 3308438 Nigel Spreadbury-Clews 216660

James Kettler 841129 Vicky Swan 215752

Rebecca Hathaway-White (Clerk) 07802 679457 or [longbridgedeverillpc@gmail.com](mailto:longbridgedeverillpc@gmail.com)

**Upper Deverills Parish Council** [www.upperdeverills.co.uk](http://www.upperdeverills.co.uk)

Jamie Fagan 844123 (Chair) Belinda Stewart-Cox 840150

Louise Stratton 844105 Andrew Hardwick 844852

Laura Napper (Clerk) 07971 368742 or [clerk@upperdeverills.co.uk](mailto:clerk@upperdeverills.co.uk)

**Wiltshire Councillor** Christopher Newbury 01373 822508

**Wiltshire Council** 0300 456 0100

**Member of Parliament** Dr Andrew Murrison 01225 358584

**Longbridge Deverill Parish Hall** (Booking) Ian 07590265679 Dympna 07976986825

**Upper Deverills Village Hall** Ted Flint 844507 (Chair) John Lea 844325 (Booking)

**Sir James Thynne Almshouse** Sue Jackson 840322 (Trustee)

**Crockerton Village Committee** Andrew Scott (Chair) 07585 963837

**Deverills Cricket Club** Ed Read 07702 273338 (Captain)

**Community Police - Local Officer (Rural)** PCSO 70901 Lukasz Kolasinski

[Lukasz.kolasinski@wiltshire.police.uk](mailto:Lukasz.kolasinski@wiltshire.police.uk) / 07471 029004 or call 101

**Neighbourhood Watch Deverills & Crockerton co-ordinator**

Crispian Beattie email: [ceib@btinternet.com](mailto:ceib@btinternet.com) or call 844884

**Warminster Link Scheme** (Longbridge, Hill Deverill, Crockerton) 07447 572789

**Mere Link Scheme** (Upper Deverills etc) 01747 860096

**Bath, Wilts & North Dorset Gliding Club, Kingston Deverill** 844095

**Post Office: Lakeside Garden Centre, Crockerton:** Mon & Fri 9.00 - 12.00

**Defibrillators:** Go to [defibfinder.uk](http://defibfinder.uk) to locate nearest defibrillator to you

The George Inn, Longbridge BA12 7DG; Lakeside BA12 8AP - opening hours

Shearwater Tearooms BA12 8AE; Crockerton School BA12 8AB

Deverill Valley Trading Estate BA12 7BZ - opening hours

Upper Deverills Hall BA12 7HG; Maiden Bradley Hall BA12 7JG; Horningsham Hall BA12 7LL

Weighbridge Office, Keysley Farm, BA12 7EY - opening hours

## FUTURE EVENTS

- **Wylve Valley Art Trail** Saturday 3rd - Sunday 11th May See p12
- **Maiden Bradley Hall** Saturday 3rd - Sunday 11th May Wylve Valley Art Trail See p5
- **Chat Café specialist Macmillan advisor visit** Friday 2nd May see p6
- **Upper Deverills Village Hall Duck Race & Barbecue** Saturday 3rd May See p2
- **Longbridge Deverill Hall VE Day Celebration** Sunday 4th May See p2
- **Community Coffee Morning** Wednesday 7th May See p2
- **Warminster History Society** Wednesday 7th May See p5
- **Longbridge Deverill Parish Council meeting** Monday 12th May See p7
- **Mere Gardening Club** Wednesday 14th May See p5
- **Upper Deverills Village Hall Talk** Thursday 15th May See p2
- **Chat Café specialist Macmillan advisor visit** Friday 16th May see p6
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- **Summer Fete in aid of Sudan Medical Link** Sunday 15th June See p6
- **Woolstore Theatre - The Park Bench** 19th, 20th, 21st June See p6
- **Deverills Cricket Club** Friday 27th June See p4
- **Upper Deverills Village Hall Pub Night** Friday 27th June
- **Deverills Cricket Club** Friday 11th July See p4
- **Upper Deverills Village Hall Summer Fete & Dog Show** Saturday 19th July

## PARISH OF DEVERILLS AND HORNINGSHAM

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St Mary the Virgin, Kingston Deverill BA12 7HE  
St John the Baptist, Horningsham BA12 7LW

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