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Editor's Notes

Greetings from your Editors. Autumn is definitely here now and, as you see from the cover and opposite, last month was the time for Harvest celebrations.

Important information about the submission of articles and pictures

Last month we had a few articles delivered through the door with photos. Please note that it is best to check before doing this in case they are not found in time. Unfortunately as I was on holiday one of these was only found on my return (well after the printing date for the October issue).

You may know that there are two of us who share the editing tasks as volunteers. We try to alternate month by month in order to save one person doing all the work. However, occasionally this rota may change if one or the other of us has other commitments one month. We hope to try to let readers know who is the editor on the rota so you can check that information before putting an item through a door.

If you are intending to submit an article for the magazine please try to send it by email where possible. All the emails for the Parish News address are forwarded to us both. Note that using our individual email addresses may mean that it will not get to the correct editor. We use the program Microsoft Publisher to edit the magazine and files with straight text in .doc format or pictures/posters as .jpg files are best.

Please try to send information BEFORE the deadline. The fact that we give a date

of 15th of the month means that is the latest date we can GUARANTEE that an item will be included. There is often a lot of material to juggle in a limited amount of our free time and there are very few days between the deadline date and the date when we need to send the final version to the printers.

Sometimes late articles can be included but it makes it harder, as we may have to add pages or move text around. If you have something important please try to get it in to us early. Otherwise we do reserve the right to move something to a later issue if there is no room!

Following Sue's comments that we were not around last month to help with the computer problems as we were on a cruise... sadly our Nile Cruise was cancelled due to the situation in Egypt so we took a two week break in Turkey instead. It was interesting to visit some ruins of Ionian / Roman towns, though they were not perhaps as spectacular as the Ancient Egyptian temples and tombs which we had hoped to see. One of the places we visited was Ephesus which has realms of history associated with it, not least the link to St. Paul who not only wrote to the citizens of the town but also visited and addressed them.

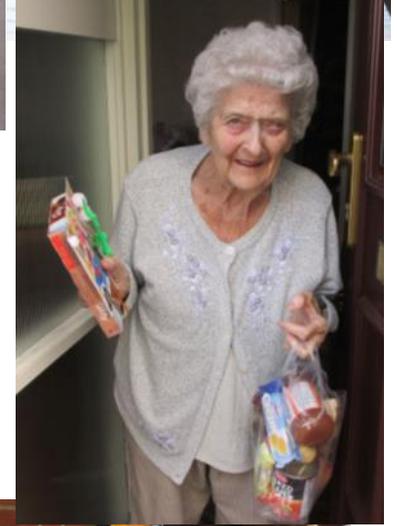
There is something rather special about feeling you (and admittedly hundreds of other tourists) were walking in the footsteps of the Disciples in places which are mentioned in the Bible.



Alison Wilson



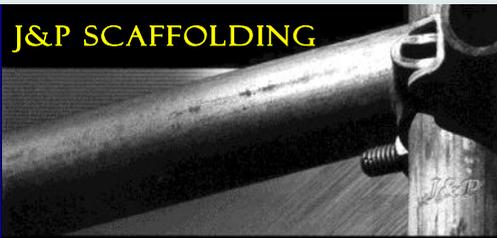
Harvest Festival gifts at St Andrew's from school and congregation.
Right—May King receives her Harvest Basket.



Harvest Supper in the Village Hall with entertainment provided by Peter Smith and his Ukulele band.
Grateful thanks to those who organised and provided the food!
Also see our cover photos of those enjoying the occasion



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Chatty Club

At Chatty Club we are continuing to enjoy the hospitality that Paul and his staff offer us every week. We recently enjoyed a choice of pies with chips, peas and gravy followed by apple pie and custard. What a delicious treat!

In November we will be enjoying an Italian afternoon with a choice of pastas, pizza, lasagne and garlic bread. We are all looking forward to our club Christmas dinner in December.

Chatty Club recently had an exercise demonstration from Andrea Gregory who is a pilates specialist and runs classes in the village. It was nothing strenuous but showed us all how we can do some simple things to help keep mobile. All the exercises were done while sitting down and some involved using a rubber ball as you can see in the photo.



The beetle drive afternoon was a competitive affair. Who would have thought that this simple parlour game could get a group of adults of our age so excited? In November we will be having a card afternoon - nothing too tricky and

no betting. The plan is to hold a rummy tournament with a small prize for the winner. Come along and join us for some fun. Don't worry if you haven't played before as there are a few of us who don't know how to play either.

We meet every Tuesday at 2pm in the Frog & Rhubarb and anyone over 55 is welcome. We usually enjoy a lovely range of sandwiches, savouries and cake with as much tea and coffee as you like. It is only £2.50 per person even when we have the special food days. Hope to see you there.

FoSELS Update

FoSels held it's very first Autumn Ball on Saturday, and we are pleased to report it was a sell out, raising £300! The children enjoyed glow sticks, balloons and a tuck shop with music provided by DJ 'Bassils Beats:-

(bassilsbeats@hotmail.com, website - www.bassilsbeat.com), The moves on the dance floor were amazing to say the least! We will be holding another in the not so distant future so dust off your dancing shoes and shimmy on down to the next one!

We have our Christmas Fayre on Saturday 7th December, times TBC. This is open to the whole village, so please do come along and browse the stalls. More information to follow.

That's it for now, if you have any enquiries relating to FoSELS please contact us on fundraising@slipend.co.uk



Slip End & District Community Projects Group

The Projects Group is here to be the voice and support for all the groups and associations in the Parish. We meet the second Tuesday of the month and welcome any resident of the Parish. You need not come along every time, but your ideas and views are important to us. Pop in, we are a relaxed bunch and drinks are available!

Thank you to my vice chair, Keith Holme, for taking the October meeting for me.

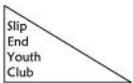
The Chatty Club meets at the Frog & Rhubarb every Tuesday afternoon.

See the full report from the club for more details of what they do. However, if you'd like more information, call Paul on 01582 452722 .

Slip End Camera Club meets on the third Tuesday of the month at The Social Club, newcomers are still more than welcome!



Norman organised a talk by a photographer who had the opportunity to take photographs in the Falkland Islands. Members said what a lovely evening they had, very interesting and informative. For more info on joining the club call Norman Homewood on 01582 452851.



The **Youth Club** had a busy month in October, with on average, 27 youngsters turning up each week.

Wednesday night dates for November are 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th. The 27th is a feature night which is £2 entry – they will be doing Christmas crafts.

We only have a few tickets left for the pantomime, Dick Whittington at The Grove Theatre on December 13th. If you are interested please speak to Caroline Rizza on 07852 192747.

We welcome those who are new to the Parish to the youth club. The club is for 8 to 18 year olds, entry is only £1 per child per week and there is a tuck shop. The children are expected to present themselves politely, behave and treat other children and the youth workers with respect, so that the club is a pleasant environment for everyone.

The **Good Neighbour Scheme** is continuing to go from strength to strength and is for anyone within the Parish who is over 18 and needs assistance. It is not aimed at a specific age range and could prove useful to anyone who maybe lives alone and has broken a leg or arm, or anyone who can't drive at the moment due to an accident. Likewise if you have a relative who lives in the Parish but you live further away it could prove to be the peace of mind you need that there is a group that can help when you are not available.



If you would like more information about the background, like volunteering or fundraising please email the chairman, Simon Patterson, on:-

smp@amida.fsworld.co.uk

**The dedicated GNS contact number is
07513 372 415**

Don't forget about the Slip End Parish Community Page of Facebook – find us, like us and be kept up to date with meetings, entertainment, crime information, photos from days gone by, and much more.

Also, for those of you not 'on' Facebook the parish website is there for you:- www.slipend.co.uk for information and useful links.

Operation Christmas Child



Parents - Don't forget that the Village Hall Car Park is open on school days for you to park in when you come to drop off and collect your children from school. This gives you the opportunity for a little exercise and hopefully reduces the growing congestion in and around the school location.

Christmas is fast approaching and again this year the CPG will be giving a box of biscuits to those residents within our Parish who are over 65 years of age and have lived here for more than 5 years.



If you qualify or you know someone who qualifies and think you or they might not be on the list please get in touch with me as soon as possible with the details. The list will be finalised by the 5th November 2013.

The November meeting is on Tuesday 12th then the next is on Tuesday 10th December at 7.30pm at the Social Club – everyone welcome!

Sarah Minnighan
Chairman

Parish Council

There was nothing specific to report this month, so look out for an update in the December issue. If you have any queries for your Parish Councillors, please use the contact details which can be found at the back of the magazine.

We are counting down until the start of the local shoebox campaign which starts on November 11th when we will be checking, processing and packing the boxes that will be collected in the Luton and surrounding areas. If you would like to make a special connection to a child overseas, here is what to do:-

*Wrap an empty medium sized shoebox and lid separately. Choose the age group (2-4, 5-9, 10-14) and either boy or girl.

*Fill it with new gifts, for example:- cuddly toy, stationery, toiletries, wrapped sweets, hat, gloves and scarf, toy for boy or girl, small ball, and a greetings card/and photo of yourself and finally £3 towards transport.

*Take it to your nearest drop-off point. (St. Andrew's or the Heathfield Centre)

*The precious shoebox will be sent overseas.

*Volunteers will help to give out the boxes in deprived areas, schools and hospitals regardless of background or religious beliefs. It is an unconditional gift of love for a child.

Shoebox Sunday is on the 17th November where our filled shoeboxes will be blessed at the St Andrew's Service.

The warehouse at Heathfield Community Centre opens on 11th November for three weeks (Monday, Wednesday and Friday)

For any further information contact Parish News or St Andrew's Church or see:- www.operationchristmaschild.org.uk

Sue Briggs

Gardening Diary

Autumn came in with a vengeance, one day baking hot, the next a dramatic drop in temperature, quite a jolt to the system! Still, at least we had a summer this year and it was a bumper year for soft fruit, I have a freezer stocked with goodies for the winter months.

Roses planted this month will get off to a good start but only plant them as deep as the old soil mark on the stem. Climbing and rambling roses need to be planted at least fifteen inches away from a wall to avoid lack of water to the roots.

Ventilate the greenhouse on sunny days if you still have tomatoes ripening but close it in the afternoon to help keep in some heat. Alternatively, pick your tomatoes and bring them inside to ripen off. White fly can be a problem at this time of year so fumigate with an HCH smoke or spray to eradicate this problem.

Lift tender plants like fuchsias, begonias and geraniums, and bring inside to over-winter. Clear up any fallen leaves and add them to the compost heap, or use them to make your own leaf-mould.

Check dahlia tubers for drying out and if they appear shriveled soak them in tepid water for the night. Remove any parts of the tubers that start to rot with a sharp knife and dust them with flowers of sulphur. Check chrysanthemums left in the soil for water logging and insert a fork to its full depth to aid drainage, stools taken in over winter should be kept moist but not wet.

Gladioli corms can be cleaned up any time during the winter and discard any that are diseased and try to grow gladioli in a different position each year to stop dry rot, fusarium rot and botrytis. Continue to plant border carnations and pinks during mild spells and complete planting tulips and hyacinths as soon as possible.

If you are planting fruit trees, then prune back by about two-thirds of the young shoot straight afterwards. Prune blackberries, raspberries and loganberries cutting out all this year's fruiting shoots and tie in new ones and cut out any weak ones. Blackcurrant bushes will require some of the old wood removing but leave as much new growth as possible, treat gooseberries in much the same way.

Sow broad beans for an early crop in a sheltered position with a variety called 'Aquadulce' or a dwarf variety under cloches. Continue digging ground as it becomes vacant and leave for the frosts to break down over the winter.

If you have a pond, finish preparing for winter by removing old leaves and thinning oxygenating plants. Leave foliage on any marginal reeds and rushes as a protection against severe weather. Protect the pool against falling leaves by covering it with small mesh netting. Overhaul pumps used for waterfalls and fountains, removing submersible types from the water and storing them in a dry place.

Russell Sprout

Slip End Gardening Club



Our final garden visit of the year in October was to 35 Digswell Rd, Welwyn Garden City. The garden has been in the RHS magazine "The Garden" also in BBC Gardeners' World. It was a suburban garden of around a third of an acre with naturalistic herbaceous borders, full of tall perennial plants and grasses surrounding the lawn. Beyond were island beds with the gradual introduction of

more exotic plants, including a cactus and succulent border. Finally at the end of the garden under the canopy of mature trees there was a lush jungle garden with bamboos, bananas and tree ferns. The visit ended with the customary welcome tea and cake.

SLIP END GARDENING CLUB

Monday

18th November

8.00pm Village Hall

Guest Speaker -

Lorraine Law

"Plot to Pot"

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

Guests/Visitors £2 each

Why English is so Hard

We'll begin with a box and the plural is boxes,
But the plural of ox becomes oxen not oxes.
One fowl is a goose, but two are called geese,
Yet the plural of moose should never be meese.
You may find a lone mouse or a nest full of mice,
Yet the plural of house is houses not hice.

If the plural of man is always called men,
Why shouldn't the plural of pan be called pen?
If I speak of my foot and show you my feet,
And I give you a boot, would a pair be a beet?
If one is a tooth and a whole set are teeth,
Why shouldn't the plural of booth be called beeth?

Then one may be that, and three would be those,
Yet hat in the plural would never be hose,
And the plural of cat is cats, not cose.

We speak of a brother and also of brethren,
But though we say mother, we never say methren.
Then the masculine pronouns are he, his and him,
But imagine the feminine: she, shis and shim!

Anonymous

Dates for St Andrew's Church in November

Thursday 31st October & Friday 1st November - Space Academy Holiday Club

Sun 3rd: 10.30am: Informal Communion – Holiday Club Service

Sun 10th: 10.30am: Morning Praise – Remembrance (organ & singers)

Sun 17th: 10.30am: Holy Communion – Shoe Boxes (organ & singers)

Tues 19th: 11am: Caddington Hall Care Home Service

Fri 22nd: 2pm: Woodside Care Home Service

Sun 24th: 8.30am: Said Communion – Christ the King

Sun 24th: 10.30am: Morning Praise – Christ the King (band) (traid-craft stall)

Little Stars for November

**Weds 6th: Refreshments from 10am with a 10.30am start:
Little Stars: Bible stories with actions - Joshua**

**Weds 13th: Refreshments from 10am with a 10.30 start:
Little Stars: Remembering – In a garden with Mary**

**Weds 20th: Refreshments from 10am with a 10.30 start:
Little Stars: Bible stories with actions – Lame man**

**Weds 27th: Refreshments from 10am with a 10.30 start:
Little Stars: Bible stories with actions – Peter**

Remember....



**Little Singing Stars meet Tuesday mornings
at 10 am PROMPTLY**

St Andrew's News



Apologies from Cathy, pictured here with husband Iain enjoying the Harvest Supper at the end of September, she has been busy with family and other commitments so has not had time to write a page for this issue. More from her next month as the church prepares for the Christmas season.

Baptism

There was a Christening at the church on Sunday 13th October. Susan Wiltshire, who is a Churchwarden at St. Andrew's, was celebrating the special event with her grandson and family.

Becky and Richard brought their baby Jack Nate Wiltshire to be baptised during the morning service.



They were joined by God-parents, family, and friends including Becky's parents, Sue and Phil Sowley and her brother, Ben, from Caddington.



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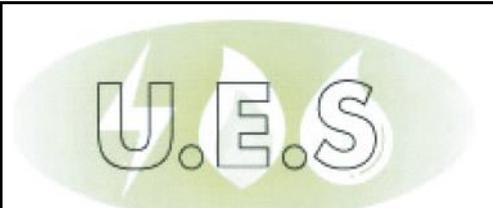


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Wedding Congratulations!

Rosemary Hussey of Front Street in Slip End married Stephen Johnson also of Front Street. The wedding was at St Andrew's Church on 20th July.

Rosemary was given away by her proud

father Raymond Hussey. Raymond also celebrated his 80th birthday on 17th October.



Congratulations to them all on these occasions!



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SEADA Bingo

Bingo, which is held in the Village Hall every Thursday will, from November 7th, be every fortnight. This is due to a lack of support. If we do not get the support there will be no Senior Citizen Outing in June next year.

The dates for bingo are 7th, 21st November and 5th, 19th December. The 19th December will be our Christmas draw. Tickets will be available from any committee member from November.

1st Woodside Brownies

We would like to thank all those who supported the coffee evening held in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. £150 was raised on the night plus another £10. The Brownies entertained the people who came and were told how enjoyable it was.

It is hoped to hold a Table Top Sale at Brownies on Wednesday 20th November.

Look out for posters!

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50th Anniversary

This is to let you know that Flamstead Village Hall will be celebrating its 50th Anniversary in February 2014.

The Village Hall Committee is trying to find out more about the early years of the Hall and bring together as many people as possible who were involved at that time. If you have any memories, records or photographs of Flamstead Village Hall, particularly from the 1960s and 1970s, I would love to hear from you.

We would also welcome your memories if you attended the old Victorian school adjoining St Leonard's Church in Flamstead, before it became the Village Hall.

We hope to mark the anniversary with an event over the weekend of 1st -2nd February 2014. (Please save the date!)

Jane Lutman, Chairman,

Flamstead Village Hall Committee

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jane.lutman@btinternet.com

We were asked to include this article in our magazine in the hope that any Parish resident with links to Flamstead in the past can pass on the message and help the committee in its quest to arrange the celebrations.

CRAFT FOR CHRISTMAS

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Aley Green Methodist Church



Services and Diary dates for November

Sunday 3rd

11.00am Morning Service - Rev Bob Forrest
11.00am Sunday School Communion

Tuesday 5th

7.30pm Bible Study - Rev Bob Forrest

Sunday 10th

Remembrance Sunday

Churches Together Service at
All Saints Caddington

Aley Green Methodist Church Closed

Monday 11th

7.30pm Fellowship Meeting - Mike Bull

Tuesday 12th

10.00am-12.00pm 'Cakes & Company'
6.30pm Singing Group

Sunday 17th

11.00am Morning Service - Karen Drayton
11.00am Sunday School

Sunday 24th

11.00am Morning Service - Bob Squires
11.00am Sunday School

Tuesday 26th

6.30pm Singing Group

Wednesday 27th

7.30pm Coffee Evening in aid of
Leaders of Worship & Preachers Trust

Sunday 1st December

Advent 1

11.00am Morning Service - Rev Bob Forrest
11.00am Sunday School Communion

4.00pm Ecumenical Advent Service

At Aley Green Methodist Church
Followed by Afternoon Tea



In late September we supported the 'Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning'. Here is how we raised the grand total of **£831.43**.

Hamper raffle at the Village Show	£121
Plot to Pot Talk at Ampthill	£ 75
Tombola & Cake Stall	
outside Caddington Village Schhol	£231
2x2 Club Coffee/Games Evening	£145
Cake Sales & Donations	£ 98.40
Coffee Bean Game	£ 20.00
Kay & Staff at Charisma	
Cakes sales & Tombola	£141.03

A BIG THANK YOU to all who supported us at these events.

The October Cakes & Company was well supported as was the Brunch & Browse on Saturday 12th October. We are fundraising to re-point the outside of the Church building so we are pleased to report that the Coffee Morning raised £78 and the Brunch & Browse £529. Added to that we had a very kind donation of £100 towards the project. Thank you all for your support.

We hope you will join us for a Service, Bible Study, Fellowship or social event. The RAGS walking group meets monthly as does the Lunch Bunch, and the Singing Group on the second and fourth Tuesday. The Slimming support group gathers each Thursday.

Looking forward to December, Aley Green will be hosting the Ecumenical Service at 4pm on Sunday 1st December, followed by afternoon tea, we would love to welcome you. Instead of a Coffee Evening in December we will be holding a Coffee Morning on Saturday 14th December from 10.00am to 1.00pm, in aid of LAMP and NOAH. Full details next month.

Happiness is when

***what you think, what you say and what you do
are in harmony***

Mahatma Gandhi 1869 ~ 1948

From all at Aley Green Methodist Church
Ann Meader



As we enter into the second half of this term, we get even busier, if possible, as we lead up to Christmas. Our fabulous new changing rooms are now fully open and looking absolutely amazing. They are a real asset to the school site. Our huge thanks go to everyone who contributed to the “It’s Pants” appeal and made this facility possible.

As part of our continued Community work, Year 6 collected food for our Harvest appeal. This year the chosen charity for this appeal was the Luton Food Bank, a new but very worthwhile charity. They did a great job collecting the food and we really hope that it makes a difference to those around us.



Our next big event is the “Friends of Caddington Village School” Firework display. This takes place on Friday 8th November and promises as always to be a brilliant community event. We look forward to seeing you there. Over the next few weeks we will be once again making the window of “Town and Country” look festive. Year 5 will be representing the school in the Dunstable Torchlight procession and keep an eye out for our somewhat different “Communitree” Christmas tree.

Onomatopoeia poem This is a poem made up purely of sounds. In time for November 5th this is a poem called Fireworks written by Libby Wilding 7L as part of our work on poetry.

Fireworks

Oooh crash whizz
 Whee pop fizz
 Crash rumble boom
 Shreak scream zoom
 Bang thump pow
 Crash crackle wow!



Neighbourhood Plan

The Neighbourhood Plan consultation had a good turn-out with over 215 people visiting on the two days. Councillors were on hand to answer many questions and more detailed information was given in printed brochures and on the huge maps. Various sites have been designated as suitable for development with the owners permission, which could be seen on the aerial map. Visitors were encouraged to add their comments on the plan, of which there were very many!



Photos include:- the map showing the areas selected, Richard Stay and Ken Crossett talking to visitors and some of the questions and comments.





QUIZ NIGHT

SATURDAY

16 NOVEMBER

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Last month we had a lovely evening at our Birthday Party. *Jerusalem* was sung, which is traditional for us at this event, Sheila Coleman kindly cut the Birthday Cake and the evening started! Luton Hoo was our topic for the evening and Zena Dickenson gave us a very detailed account of her work experience at the Hoo and what the future holds. There is a long history at Luton Hoo which Zena told us about, including the design and decorations which are based on the Ritz in London. A lot of money has been spent on the Hoo over the years. After the death of Nicholas Phillips there were huge debts and they are still being repaid to this date. Zena now works part time and still enjoys her employment. She still shows visitors round the house and we are hoping to go there in November for coffee.

Our competition of a flower table centre was won by Joan Bean.

We loaned our gavel to CADS for their Olde Tyme Music Hall Evenings - a good evening of entertainment.

Sadly, one of our elderly members has passed away - Betty Prior - a lovely lady, we shall miss her and our condolences go to Betty's family. It is the 1st anniversary of the death of another lady member, Sylvia Kedge. We enjoyed an orchid plant which was bought with funds donated by her husband Peter. Many thanks to him.

October brought us Michelle Marley from Central Bedfordshire Council talking about

'A Lot of Old Rubbish' This topic was very interesting and there were many questions with answers from Michelle. It's amazing how this subject can get everyone talking! Michelle's presentation was very good and I'm sure we all have learned tips for the future regarding recycling. Sue Martin thanked Michelle for her interesting talk. Our competition was Something Recycled and Sallie Stonestreet was the winner. We had a recycled quiz to finish off the evening. Well done to Christine Allsop for being our winner.

Our Darts team is well into its matches and having fun.

Our topic for November is Festive Fun with Diane Bell. Members are asked to bring a Christmas Decoration along for the competition. December brings parties—our Group W.I's and a Christmas Social Evening for us on Tuesday 17th December.

That is all for now. Please join us if you want a pleasant evening out. We meet every third Tuesday of the month at the Baptist Church Hall at 7.30 p.m.

Linda Edwards

Pretty berries on the trees around the village hall—hopefully not signs of cold to come!





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Correction to "A note from the surgery"

Thank you very much to everyone who took the time to read our note in last month's magazine about changes at the doctors' surgery.

In case of any misunderstanding, we wanted to make it clear that although the first morning appointments before 9am will now be booked in advance, you can still phone **from 8.30 am** to book same day appointments after 9:00 am.

Thank you again to everyone for your support and understanding during the changes.

*Dr Tara Verity
on behalf of the team at Caddington Surgery*

Slip End Playgroup Update

Please note our poster above.

We are in the middle of a very busy term at Playgroup. By the time the magazine is published, we will have been to Stockwood Park on the 22nd October for our Autumn walk. During the walk we collect conkers and leaves which we make use of at playgroup making displays and more.

After half term we have our open morning and photographer on the 18th November. If you are interested in finding out what happens at playgroup please come along. It will then be time to begin all the glittery fun of Christmas.

Jenny Neale

Farley Hill Methodists

A well attended Lunch Club on October 9th enjoyed an excellent lunch and were also entertained by 'That's Entertainment' who put on a really good show. Valarie and Friends sang songs from yesteryear, well remembered by their audience, who eagerly joined in when invited.

In a busy afternoon, Liz Stringer, Chair of Foodbank arrived with help and a van to remove a good sized donation of suitable foods. Liz thanked Farley Methodists, St John's Anglicans and Worldwide Church of God for their generous donations.

The Macmillan coffee and jumble sale raised £328. This was an effort shared by the three churches.

The November lunch will be held on Wednesday 13th November, 12.30 for 1pm. The meal will be cottage pie and vegetables with fruit jelly and cream to follow. Cost £3.50 with a free raffle ticket.

Messy Church restarted on Friday October 11th and will continue on Friday November 22nd at FHM North Drift Way 4pm to 5.30. *Ken Cameron*

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Letter from Dorset

For those who do not know them... Grenville and Dorothy Williams used to be members of St. Andrew's Church, where Grenville played the organ. They have many friends in the village. We have just received this by email.

It is some time since I last sent a 'Letter from Dorset' to our old friends at Slip End; Dorothy and I continue to keep fit - on holiday she coped with the steps at Whitby remarkably well .



While we were in the North-east we met up with Anna and Peter De Lange (*also former St Andrew's members*)



We have moved house - to a bungalow with a rather smaller and more manageable

garden - and are now within about 6 minutes walk of Wareham station. The good bus and train services are welcome as we increasingly prefer to travel by public transport - and let someone else drive !



I realised how Dorothy feels alongside me when her cousin from America visited us - he is tall !

We shall not be sending cards to all our old friends this year and we send advance greetings to you all just now - with all best wishes,

Grenville & Dorothy

Long Live the Humble Letter!



Grenville makes a good point about sending greetings... Christmas cards and postage are getting so expensive that many people find other ways to send their seasonal greetings these days... I saw something on breakfast TV about letter writing the other day. That too seems to be an art that is fading away. We communicate electronically and using odd abbreviations by text. I find it sad that so much of today's post consists of bills and junk! I, for one, still like to send letters, though I admit that they are rarely hand written these days!



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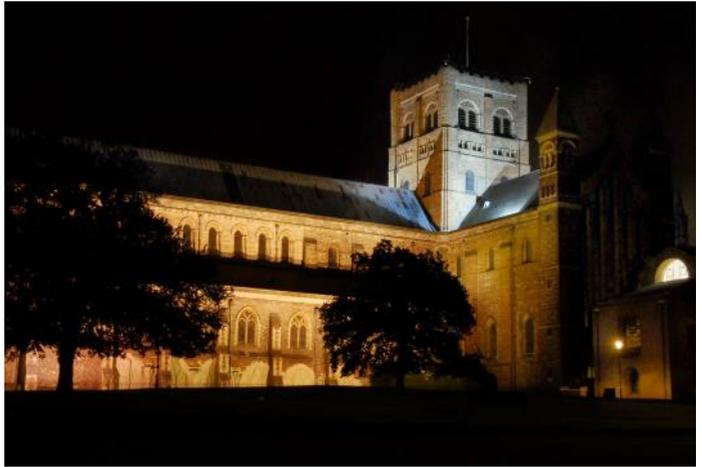
Slip End Camera Club

“No matter how sophisticated the camera, the photographer is still the one that makes the picture”

As we have had so many gorgeous summer evenings, Slip End Photography Club have made good use of the warm summer evenings to try their hands at different photographic techniques, including a trip to Tring Canal to look at reflective photography, Harpenden High Street to try out some night photography and St Albans Abbey by night. We first decided to meet on a monthly basis but as the club is becoming more popular, some of the group get together on a Tuesday evening each week to try out new ideas and to quiz other members on any problems they may be having. We were very pleased to welcome our guest speaker for the month, Naomi Saul. Naomi was fortunate enough to travel to the Falkland Islands to photograph the wildlife ‘up close and personal’, her work is simply stunning and well worth taking a look at. Naomi will be returning to speak again early next year.

We are meeting informally on a Tuesday evening at Slip End Social Club at 8pm. We will post the subject and date of our monthly meetings on the Slip End Facebook site. Please feel free to come along and meet us.

Picture taken by our member Peter Ford.



On the subject of photography... and wildlife, here are some “wildlife photos” taken at a slightly cheaper place to visit (and not as distant)— Whipsnade Zoo.



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We hope that there will be no occasion on which this advice is ever actually needed! However we were asked to include the article for the benefit of local residents. (Ed.)

They also told us a little about about themselves:-

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Pub Pages



The Plough The Hub of Woodside

We would like to send our thoughts to the family of Gerald Redmond Carty who sadly passed away on 8th September. He was a such a friendly man who always wore a smile and would always take time to say hello. He would visit the Plough almost every week with his son Kevin, daughter in law Claire and their two children, Sinead and Kieran. Gerald's friends and family came to the Plough for a buffet and refreshments. They shared their fond memories of a well loved man. Our thoughts are with you at such a sad time.

We would like to wish Cameron Hay all the best as he starts at the Musical Theatre Academy in London. Cameron hopes to have a career in Musical Theatre. He attended Stagecoach in Dunstable for ten years and has been a member of staff for the last two years. He has performed with Harpenden, Toddington and Dunstable societies. He has recently been a stage manager for the Little Theatre and been teaching at the Radlett centre. Cameron played Gaston in *Beauty and the Beast* in September in Harpenden and has just played Danny from *Grease* at the Grove theatre in Dunstable. For both performances, a group from the Plough and Slip End Club went to watch and support him. They all had a wonderful time and said what a great actor and singer Cameron is. *Grease* was a sell out and received a great review for the Dunstable Gazette. They said *"I suspect Cameron, as Danny, found himself with a bit of a fan club after the opening night. He has all the looks and charm of a young Travolta plus*

tremendous stage presence and a powerful singing voice."



With Christmas just around the corner, why not get Christmas wrapped up here at The Plough. Our Christmas menus are now available and we are taking bookings for Christmas lunch and evening meals from the 2nd December to 23rd December choice of 2 or 3 courses. Christmas Day will have a 3 course meal with coffee and mince pies to finish. Pop in for a menu or see our website www.theploughwoodside.co.uk for more details.

With the Domino and Dart Season just started we would like to wish both of our teams the very best of luck.

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Plans for the festive season are well under way at the Frog & Rhubarb.

Christmas Menu is available throughout December with a choice of three or five courses when booked in advance.

Christmas Party Nights are taking place on the 6th, 7th, 14th and 21st December (13th is already fully booked). There will be a five-course dinner and DJ to dance the night away.

Christmas Eve sees the return of Elvis Rivers. This is guaranteed to be a fantastic way to welcome in Christmas.

Christmas Day there is a five-course gourmet menu. Space in the restaurant is filling up fast so get your booking in soon. If you fancy a drink, the bar will be open 12noon – 3pm.

Boxing Day the pubs full menu will be available from 12noon - 5pm and the bar will be open until 6pm.

New Years Eve there is a gala menu with five-courses, bubbly at midnight and a DJ. There is also an option for those who do not wish to have the meal.

New Years Day the pub's full menu will be available all day. In addition there will also be a choice of roast dinners.

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More pub news overleaf

The Rising Sun



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10th Nov - Charity Fun Day for Operation Shoebox including a bouncy castle, face painting etc

Other entertainment will be announced on facebook and the website. There will be coffee and free WIFI as well as regular Tuesday evening quiz nights. The kitchen will be up and running shortly and Ann and Adrian told us that the menu is ready for Christmas and bookings will be taken soon. See www.risingsunslipend.co.uk

Slip End Social Club

The Club is a busy place at the moment with dominoes and darts teams and plenty of other activities taking place, including the Camera Club and other groups, not forgetting the CPG!

Golden Wedding

There was a party at the Social Club to celebrate the Golden Wedding of Peter and Barbara Ray. They thanked the Club for a wonderful and enjoyable evening.



Their wedding took place on 12th October 1963 at St. Andrew's Church in Slip End. Many friends and family were present at the party, including friends from Swindon who came to share the celebrations. The surprise party was organised by daughters Allison and Becky and how they managed to keep it a secret their mum and dad will never know.

Peter and Barbara then went on holiday to Florida for three weeks. We wish them many congratulations and a very happy holiday from Parish News and all their friends in the village.



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- Fri 1st Space Academy Holiday Club St Andrew's Church*
Sat 2nd Live music by Banned Rising Sun
Mon 4th Parish Council Meeting Village Hall 7pm
Wed 6th Youth Club restarts after half term
Thurs 7th Bingo - Village Hall
Sun 10th Fun Day with bouncy castle etc Rising Sun
Tues 12th CPG Meeting Slip End Social Club 7:30pm
Sat 16th Tennis Club Quiz Night Peter Edwards Hall 7:00 for 7:30pm
Mon 18th Photographer at Playgroup 10—1
Mon 18th Gardening Club -Visiting Speaker Village Hall 8pm
Tues 19th Caddington WI "Festive Fun" Baptist Hall 7:30pm
Thurs 21st Bingo - Village Hall
Thurs 21st Camera Club - Slip End Social Club
Sun 24th Craft Fayre in aid of Keech Hospice at Village Hall.
Wed 27th Youth Club—Feature night—Christmas Craft PE Hall

DEC

- Mon 2nd Parish Council Meeting Village Hall 7pm*
Wed 4th Final Youth Club of term
Sat 7th FoSELS Christmas Fayre Slip End Lower School Times TBC
Tues 10th CPG Meeting Slip End Social Club 7:30pm
Thurs 5th Bingo - Village Hall
Fri 13th Youth Club Outing to Dick Whittington Pantomime—Grove Theatre
Tues 17th WI Christmas Social Evening Baptist Hall 7.30pm
Thurs 19th Bingo (& Christmas Draw) — Village Hall

JAN

- Mon 6th Parish Council Meeting Village Hall 7pm*
Tues 8th CPG Meeting Slip End Social Club 7:30pm
Mon 20th Gardening Club Village Hall 8pm



Wheelie Bins:- Black Bins & glass: Put out on Friday 8th, 22nd Nov
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Don't forget to advertise your events here!

Please contact us with details of events to add to our diary so that everyone in the community can read about what is on in the Parish and hopefully avoid any clash of dates for events!



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