

# Parish News

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**July 2021**

**Aley Green  
Slip End**

**Pepperstock  
Woodside**

## Editors' Notes

Welcome to the July edition of The Parish News. It's hard to believe we are now half way through 2021!

On the plus side, summer seems to have finally made an appearance (perhaps it has been shielding following Government advice), as I write this it is 24c and the sun is shining. There is something about the summer that seems to cheer everyone up, as we get back out and enjoy the outside world, although restrictions may apply!

Watching Boris Johnson stutter his way through another Covid-19 address whilst Chris Whitty calls for "the next slide please" seems somewhat normal these days although I feel that the catchphrase could really be changed to "next year please" as we look for a way out of the pandemic still affecting us.

On a more positive note, things around the village are slowly getting back to some semblance of normality, with the hospitality trades re-opening to allow customers inside again and clubs and societies again operating and allowing small meet ups. See page 6 for a details of the Caddington WI's next meeting and page 26 for news on the re-opening of facilities at the Slip End playing fields.

Community is, again, at the forefront this month as we see villagers out and about helping one another and sharing unwanted items with those that have use for them. The Slip Enders Facebook group is, as always, packed with villagers offering items, seeking local tradespeople or offering advice. If you are not a member as yet, I'd recommend joining, with just short of 1000 members as it has become quite the village hub over the years.

Finally, I would just like to wish a very happy 30th birthday to my sister Becky Freeman. Many of you may know Becky from her work in the Rising Sun or from the Markyate Darts League. She will turn the big 3-0 on 21st July (surely I'm not old enough to have a 30 year old sister?!)

### ***Matt's musing:***

If running on a treadmill was the only way to charge our phones, we'd be the healthiest species on the planet.



**STAY HEALTHY & SAFE  
WE'LL BE BACK SOON**

**Just a reminder, there will be no August edition of the Parish News as we take a break for summer.**

**Please do still send us your articles and news and we will be ready to print it in September's edition.**

**Have a lovely summer and we'll be back in September!**





# PARISH COUNCIL UPDATE

## PARISH COUNCIL UPDATE

The latest Parish Council Meeting was held on Monday 7th June in the Village Hall.

One Planning Application was discussed this month:

CB/21/02230/FULL - 5, Front Street, Slip End - Demolition of log cabin, and conversion of existing dwelling into 2, two-bedroom dwellings.

After a short discussion, it was agreed to offer no comment to this Planning Application.

The 2020/ 2021 Parish Council Accounts were approved and will be available shortly for download from the Parish Council Website. Six 2020/2021 Budget items were overspent, but overall we ended the Year under budget.

The Parish Council successfully passed its internal audit. Public Rights dates are the times when members of the Public can inspect the Parish Council Accounts. The dates this year are the 15th June to 27th July. Details will be posted on Parish Council website and notice boards.

Graffiti on a piece of Playground equipment will be removed.

Hopefully Residents will have noticed that the hanging flower baskets



throughout the Parish have been installed again this year. Damaged baskets will be replaced.

The Parish Council is aware of overgrown grass on some verges throughout the Parish. These verges are the ones that CBC are responsible for trimming. Parish Councillors were asked to identify to the Parish Clerk the worst affected areas and he will then send a consolidated report to CBC Highways.

The proposed gate and signage being installed by CBC in Woodside Road are still on-going, as a new supplier has had to be found. There is also an issue with its siting on the verge.

The damaged gate in Grove Road will be reported through the CBC Portal.

Fly-tipping continues to be an issue. The CBC funded grab lorry now visits the Parish regularly to remove waste. The Parish Council has not received any new information from CBC about the installation of covert cameras at the worst hot-spots.

The Slip End Good Neighbour Scheme currently plans to hold a socially distanced Tea Party in the Village Hall on the 15th September. More details will be made available nearer the time and will be subject to any current Government restrictions then in force.



At long last, we have managed to get back together. Due to the fact the Baptist Hall is not opening for a while, we have made a decision to move our venue. We had a very successful Coffee Morning/picnic in early June at the Caddington Social Club. The sun was shining and we were able to sit outside. Terri was there to make drinks for us and she was very helpful with chairs etc. We plan to hold more meetings in the Social Club in the future.

**Please note a change of Date, due to the Euro 2020 Football events at the Club, we will be meeting on Thursday 8th July at 7.30 p.m.**

On this date we will be holding our first official meet. Gill Goode will talk to us on Riding for the Disabled of which she is an active member. Our competition is Horse Memorabilia. A good raffle with tea, coffee, and cakes later on. This will give our Members time to get together and have a chat.

On Tuesday 3rd August, Carol Jones will host a Quiz and we will hold our Annual Meeting when a new Committee will be formed. We still need a Treasurer to help run the meetings plus more committee members. Visitors are more than welcome. Come along and give us a try. You may want to join a local happy group. We organize all sorts of activities, outings, etc.

Tuesday, September 7th is our Birthday meeting, our 66th Year! Future dates and events will be confirmed later.

We all look forward to seeing you.

- Linda Edwards  
President



# ALL ABOUT

## PLANNING



### Planning applications submitted within the Parish since May 2021

#### **Application CB/21/02230/FULL submitted 18<sup>th</sup> May 2021**

5 Front Street, Slip End, LU1 4BP

Demolition of log cabin and conversion of existing dwelling into 2No. two bed dwellings.

**Decision:** Not yet decided

#### **Application CB/21/02405/FULL submitted 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021**

10 Summer Street, Slip End LU1 4BN

Single storey side extension.

**Decision:** Not yet decided

#### **Application CB/21/02571/DOC submitted 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2021**

Land adjacent to 66 Woodside Road, Woodside, LU1 4 DQ

Discharge of Condition 11 against planning permission CB/20/03894/FULL  
( Erection of two new bungalows with new shared vehicular/pedestrian access.

**Decision:** Not yet decided

For further information on applications visit [www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk](http://www.centralbedfordshire.gov.uk) to view planning applications. If you wish to comment on an application email: [planning@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:planning@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk)

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FOR ALL

## BRA-VO A PANT-ASTIC EFFORT!

Nikki West thanks everyone who has recently donated items to her for the Smalls For All charity. She sent off **335** items in early June, which means a total 5,331 items have been donated and sent over the last five years.

A big thank you goes to Janet Buttery whose friends kindly donated the bulk of the items recently sent.

Please text Nikki on **07958 259747** if you have any bras you no longer want, in good, clean condition or if you are able to buy and donate new pants for ladies or children. More information about the Smalls For All charity can be found online or on [Facebook](#).



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# AVOID SCORING AN OWN GOAL DURING THE EUROS

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Euro 2020 has finally kicked off and whether you're cheering for England, Scotland, Wales or one of the other teams taking part, let's celebrate safely.

COVID-19 means this will be a different experience from previous tournaments, even if you've managed to get a ticket for one of the games. We can still watch the games in the pub or round at a friend's house, but we need to remember a few tips to avoid scoring an own goal.

## Watch the game outside if you can

Getting together outdoors is much safer as COVID-19 spreads much less in the open air. Remember to keep your distance from others. Up to 30 people can meet in an outdoor place such as your garden. However, if you are at a pub garden or similar venue you should use the NHS Test and Trace app to check in.

## Watching inside

You can watch the football inside pubs, but follow the rules in the pub about social distancing and always wear a face covering when you are not sitting down. And remember to check in with Test and Trace.

## Spend the Euros with Crouch on the couch

Every match is on BBC or ITV so you can follow the tournament at home. If you're having friends round, stay outside if you can.

If you're watching indoors you can have up to six people from six households (or two households of any size) indoors. Keep it safe by opening the windows to keep rooms well ventilated, maintaining social distancing and washing your hands regularly.

## Remember Hands Face Space Fresh Air!



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# ALEY GREEN METHODIST CHURCH



## Services and Diary Dates for July & August

**July**

**Sunday 4th**

10.30am Prayer & Praise Service  
Local Arrangement

**Saturday 10th**

10.00am Prayer Breakfast  
Led by Liz Higgins

**Sunday 11th**

10.30am Morning Service ~ Led by  
a Local Preacher

**Sunday 18th**

10.30am Prayer & Praise Service led by  
Liz Higgins

**Monday 19th**

7.30pm Ecumenical Fellowship  
led by Jo Prowse

**Sunday 25th**

10.30am Morning Service - Led by  
a Local Preacher

**Wednesday 28th**

7.30pm Coffee Evening in aid of  
Action for Children

**August**

**Sunday 1st**

10.30am Prayer & Praise Service ~  
led by Jo Prowes

**Sunday 8th**

10.30am Morning Service - Led by  
a Local Preacher

**Sunday 15th**

10.30am Prayer & Praise Service ~  
Local Arrangement

**Monday 16th**

7.30pm Ecumenical Fellowship  
led by Jo Prowse

**Sunday 22nd**

10.30am Morning Service ~ Led by  
a Local Preacher

**Wednesday 25th**

7.30pm Coffee Evening in aid of  
World Vision.

**Sunday 29th**

10.30am Prayer & Praise Service ~

**Saturday 4th September**

10.00am Prayer Breakfast

Led by Liz Higgins

Of course as always, all our diary dates are subject to change should circumstances dictate.

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We were pleased to be able to hold our RAGS walking group outing in June. It was a pleasant day, not too hot. Nine walkers and one dog set out for a ramble around Hexton and Shillington, The start and finish was the Raven at Hexton, where they were joined by six friends for lunch, all Covid-19 safety regulations were strictly adhered to by the restaurant and we felt completely at ease.

Our Sunday services are continuing, with social distancing, the wearing of masks and hand sanitising a priority. Sadly for now we cannot have tea coffee and chat after services but that is something to look forward too.

Coffee evenings are another casualty of Covid-19 but the church treasurer has continued to support our charities by sending a £50 donation to the charities we usually support.

We do look forward to getting back to 'normal' though it will be a new normal I'm sure. In the meantime.....

Keep Well ~ Keep Safe ~ God Bless  
From all at Aley Green Church.

*Everything that has breath shout*

*'Praise the Lord'*

*All creatures lift your voice and shout*

*'Praise the Lord'*

*Rise up to the furthest shore and shout*

*'Praise the Lord'*

*Travel to the nearest hill and shout*

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*Heaven and earth shall shout*

*'Praise the Lord'*

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## Gardening Notes *by Russell Sprout*

By the time you are reading this I hope the weather will have warmed up and we will all be enjoying some warm sunny weather. With such a cold spring it has been difficult to get things to germinate but hopefully everything will catch up.

Deadhead roses on a regular basis to encourage a second flush in the autumn and keep an eye out for greenfly, black spot, mildew and rust. Tie young stems of dahlias to their supports with soft string or raffia and if large blooms are required then disbud the lower buds to get long stems for cutting and arranging in a vase. Chrysanthemums can be treated the same way, but spray varieties should be left, although stake and tie-in shoots to avoid wind damage. Prune deciduous shrubs such as Jasmine and Philadelphus after flowering by removing spent flowers and weak shoots.

Gladioli will not need staking for normal garden use but keep well watered and weed free. Irises can be divided and replanted this month and cut the top half of the leaves off to avoid wind damage. July is the month when lilies are at their best and unless you want to save the seed they should be deadheaded as the flowers fade, water carnations and pinks if the weather is dry. Early this month sow sweet williams and wall flowers for colour in the spring. Rock gardens will look somewhat drab from now until the autumn but best to keep the weeds down to prevent the alpiners from being overwhelmed, so keep weeding and trimming alpiners and water if necessary. Mounded or carpeting plants not showing new growth should have soil mixture and fertiliser worked into them. Patio containers and hanging baskets will require watering at least once a day and deadhead to keep them looking their best.

In the greenhouse tomatoes and cucumbers should be bearing fruit; a liquid fertiliser should be applied every 7-10 days to encourage the fruits to ripen. Blackcurrants can be pruned after fruiting, cutting out the old wood, tie in new shoots of blackberries and loganberries but keep them separate from the fruiting shoots. Summer fruiting raspberries can be cut down as the fruiting canes are finished, but leave the new shoots because they will bear next year's crop. Tidy up the strawberry bed when the fruits are finished.

Complete planting of leeks this month as well as late Brussels, winter cabbage and spring broccoli, also plant swedes by the middle of the month. Keep pinching out the side shoots of tomato plants (except bush varieties) to get decent size fruits. In the herb garden make further sowings of Chervil, Dill and Parsley and remember to harvest just before they come into full bloom if you are going to dry them for future use.

If the weather is hot and dry and there isn't a hosepipe ban, then water the lawn regularly, aerate by spiking with a fork as this will help the water penetrate well below the surface where it's needed to keep it looking green.



# HAIRTASTIC FUNDRAISING



Rory Shortall, from Slip End decided to try to grow his hair really long to donate to charity after reading a story in a book about a boy who had done the same.



This wasn't long after his last haircut in June 2018 and the plan was to grow it for a year. However, for various reasons, for Rory and the whole world, three years later, he had a lot more hair to donate than expected!

On 29th May at The Rising Sun, Slip End, he had four long ponytails (ranging from 33 to 41 cm) cut off and packaged up to send to the Little Princess Trust. This amazing charity makes and fits wigs for kids who lose their hair through illness and also does loads of research into cancer and other illnesses that affect people Rory's age.



Rachel from Snip Enders hair salon, who very kindly donated her services, then took him back to the salon for a proper haircut.

Meanwhile the generous locals in the pub donated nearly **£200** in cash to add to his fundraising page on Justgiving which has already raised **£1450**. This money is enough to make a wig, have it professionally fitted and allow the charity extra funds to aid in their research into making kinder treatments for young people with cancer

Rory would like to say a big thank you to everyone who donated, to Rachel and Manuela, Tracy and staff at the Rising Sun and to everyone who has supported him. If anyone would still like to contribute, you can find his fundraising page at

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/roryhaircut>

**- Alison Moore**





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# LUTON HOO WALLED GARDEN

Our Open Wednesday Season at the Luton Hoo Walled Garden has started very well with an increase in our normal numbers even though advance booking online is requested. Now open to the end of September from 1030-1600 with online booking still required at the moment. The £5 entry fee is requested on line - season tickets are still valid from last year but you will still need to book in. <https://www.lutonhooestate.co.uk/events>. Produce and plants from the garden will be available to buy. The Woodyard Coffee Shop is now open with a variety of tasty snacks and lunches available.

The garden is a testament to the hard-working volunteers who have continued to weed, plant and mow and build a new pergola amongst other conservation projects. We are looking to increase our number so please contact us to find out more – we also have a research team.



Just announced: There will be guided two-hour walks in July on 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> beginning at 10am. The cost is £5 per person via <https://www.trybooking.co.uk> or the office 01582 721443.

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**Over to you...**

## A Message from St Andrews

At the time of writing, we are waiting on announcements from Boris Johnson about the easing of lockdown and from the Church of England about what that means for St Andrew's.

"If you don't know where you're going any road will get you there" is not a quote from the Bible but from Lewis Carroll. There has been so much talk about roadmaps over the last few months that it almost makes me cringe, but, when travelling, there are times when we do need help finding the destination. The same is true for the direction that we take in life as a church and as individuals. We benefit from guidance.

As Christians, we believe that we receive guidance from the Holy Spirit. He is like our satnav! But as anyone who has used a satnav knows, they only work when you listen to them, otherwise you get the message "return to route!"

As we attempt to come out of lockdown as a church, we want to know how to return to route!



We are looking again at our Mission Action Plan (MAP) which is a way of agreeing where we want our church to be in, say, the next five years and how we can get there. Our starting point is our mission statement:

***"We are here as God's family, to draw closer to God, to live out our faith and welcome all into the love of God."***

We are also starting a seven-week programme called "Stay Alert to the Spirit", looking at the question, "What is the Spirit saying to the Church through the new normal?"

We are hopeful that by September we will have a MAP and will have returned to route!

Julie Taylor – Reader at St Andrew's

# St Andrew's Church



## Dates for July / August

We are pleased to confirm that the church building continues to be open!

However if you would prefer to join the live service virtually, Nick has set up a Zoom link which is open to all. You can join by putting in the number **878 5926 2657** and the passcode **664663** to Zoom or by clicking the link <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87859262657?pwd=dTdada291VDk2anA5aGtmdnFCN3kzQT09>.

**July 4th 10.30am:** Informal Communion – Time to listen

**July 11<sup>th</sup> 10.30am:** Morning Praise – Team matters

**July 18th 10.30am:** Holy Communion – Watch and pray

**July 25th 10.30am:** Morning Praise – Time to speak

**August 1<sup>st</sup> 10.30am:** Informal Communion – Pressing on

**August 8<sup>th</sup> 10.30am:** Morning Praise – Jesus the Bread of Life 1

**August 15<sup>th</sup> 10.30am:** Holy Communion – Jesus the Bread of Life 2

**August 22<sup>nd</sup> 10.30am:** Morning Praise – Jesus the Bread of Life 3

**August 29<sup>th</sup> 10.30am:** Morning Praise – Honouring the Lord Jesus



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Currently Little Stars is not running but we will put a notice in the Parish News when the Wednesday sessions resume.





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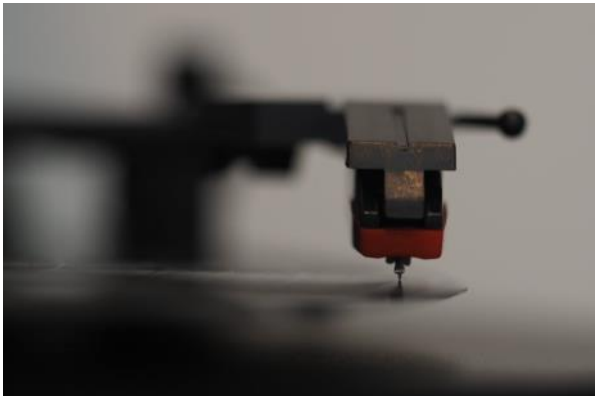


## Photography Group

This month's subject was "Sound" - an interesting challenge!

Members were able to meet in a couple of small groups at the Social Club once it was open. In June there was an outing to take pictures of the canal and old buildings around Berkhamsted.

To find out more about us, please contact Parish News or Andy Prothero via email:- [countrygardensAP@outlook.com](mailto:countrygardensAP@outlook.com)







## GOOD NEIGHBOUR SCHEME



The Good Neighbour Scheme has continued to help people throughout the pandemic and has striven to meet all requests for help.

We are now finding that we are getting more and more requests for befriending than we have ever done before and would like to hear from you if you think this is something you could help with.

Feeling lonely and isolated can be very depressing, but having a visitor to look forward to, seeing a friendly face and having a chat with someone on a regular basis can help enormously. Even a chat on the telephone can sometimes be all it takes to help someone feel less lonely and isolated,

If you think you could help, then please contact Simon Patterson **07767615714**, or Rosemary Wickens **01582 423622**.

*Please note that for visiting clients in their own homes we would require you to have a DBS check for insurance purposes.*

## SLIP END PLAYING FIELDS

We are very pleased to announce that the first stage of reinstating the Multi-Use Games Area has been completed. The boundary fencing has been secured, all the debris removed, all the area sprayed with weed killer and lines painted on the surface.

The near half has been re-marked as a small basketball/five-a-side court. The far side which had been a tennis court (with a corner cut off) has been re-marked as a short tennis court. This can be used with smaller rackets and slower tennis balls (red, green or blue) or with paddle bats as used on a swing ball game. We are hoping that families can get a lot of enjoyment from this area throughout the Summer.

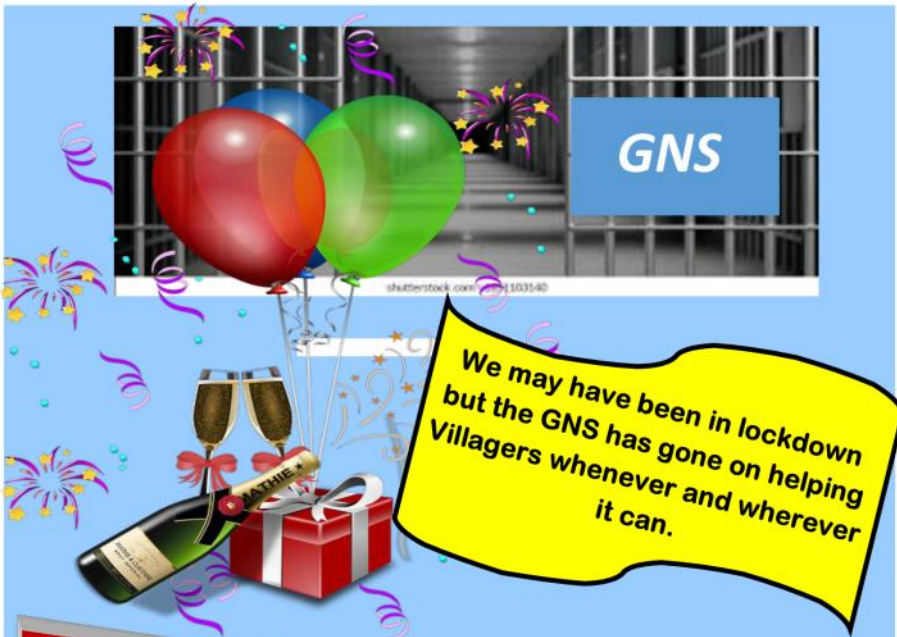


# JULY QUIZ

Ten questions based around the month of July, how many can you answer?

1. Who was the month of July named after?
2. The United States celebrates their Independence Day on which date in July?
3. Which zodiac signs land in July?
4. What is July's birthstone?
5. National Ice Cream month is celebrated in the USA throughout July! But which US President's first job was in an ice-cream parlour?
6. In the British Isles, how long is it said to rain for if it rains on St Swithin's Day (July 15th)?
7. In the song "Well did you evah?" What is the word missing from these lyrics: "Do you know? It's in the stars, next July we ——— with Mars"?
8. She was the first female aviator to fly solo across the Atlantic and disappeared in July 1937 whilst flying over the Pacific. What was her name?
9. July 14th is a national holiday in France as it commemorates which event from 1789?
10. David Bowie released "Space Oddity" on 11th July in which year of the 1960's?

*Answers can be found on page 33*



We may have been in lockdown but the GNS has gone on helping Villagers whenever and wherever it can.

**We want to say THANK YOU**

to all our volunteers, some of whom joined at the critical time at the start of the epidemic and who have since become fully approved and insured members, all who manned the phones, to anyone who has helped

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Sunday: 12 Noon to 11pm



## BOXING

### Good News out of Lockdown

Manchester—15th May 2021

Jason Cunningham produced a stunning performance to claim the European Super Bantamweight title.

He outpointed defending champion Garmal Yafai, to claim a major title at three different weights.

Jason consistently hurt Yafai and downed him three times in the first half—but his southpaw straight left caught Yafai several times.

Cunningham claimed a unanimous decision with one judge scoring 115-110 and two judges scoring 114-111.

Well done Jason, you kept fit in Lockdown.

- *Friends of Slip End Club*

# Rotary Dunstable Wombles

Rotary International has added a new area of focus for the first time in it's 116 year history, The Environment.

To mark this new area of focus, members of Rotary Dunstable have formed a Community Corps, for people who want to get involved in projects without becoming full members. President David Footitt said that the global pandemic has made everyone think differently, and there has been a huge increase in people wanting to put something back and make their town a better place.

The new group, named Dunstable Wombles, recently blitzed Green Lanes, and Court Drive in the town centre. 14 Wombles collected 9 bags of litter in Green Lanes, and 3 bags in Court Drive.

Chief Womble Zoe recently collected a crisp packet, and noticed the best before date was **1998!** This shows the need to be mindful when disposing our wrappers. We are already planning our next Wombling session for early July.

If you'd like to join us please contact Rotary by email "[dunstable.rotary@gmail.com](mailto:dunstable.rotary@gmail.com)" or on Facebook Dunstable Wombles.



# CRIME REPORT



## CRIME STATISTICS MAY 2021

### Aley Green

Other theft -1  
Total – 1

### Pepperstock

None

### Slip End

Assault without injury – 2  
Total - 2

### Lower Woodside

Assault without injury – 1  
Total -1



### Caddington

Interfering with a motor vehicle – 5  
Burglary - Residential – 4  
Theft from a motor vehicle – 2  
Harassment – 2  
Criminal Damage – 1  
Public fear, alarm or distress – 1  
Other theft – 1  
Shoplifting – 1  
Sexual – 1  
Burglary – Business & Community – 1  
Malicious Communications -1  
Attempted burglary – residential – 1  
Assault without injury – 1  
Total - 17



*Diary - If you would like your events included, please contact the Editor*

Until restrictions are lifted further, we do not know which future Activities to include... We will update you as soon as we are able.

July

**Mon 5th** Parish Council Meeting (Look at Council website for information)

**RE-OPENING DATES AND PLANS WANTED PLEASE!!!**

**NOTE: NO AUGUST ISSUE—SO SEND US THOSE DATES TOO!**

### July Quiz Answers

1. Julius Caesar
2. 4th July
3. Cancer and Leo
4. Ruby
5. Barack Obama
6. 40 Days
7. Collide
8. Amelia Earhart
9. Storming of the Bastille
10. 1969

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### Bin Collections— July & August

Orange and Green bins - 2nd, 16th Jul, 13th, 27th Aug

Black bin and Glass - 9th, 23rd Jul, 6th, 20th Aug

Food Waste bin—Every Friday



## COMMUNITY AND SERVICES

**Services:-** **Good Neighbour Scheme:** 07513 37 24 15  
**Shop at the Crossroads** 401069 Mon—Sun 7.00 to 21:00  
**Slip End Garage** Markyate Road, 456888  
**Doctor** Caddington Surgery 725673  
**Doctor** Markyate Surgery 841559  
**Schools:** **Slip End Village School** 720152 **Manshead** 679400  
**Caddington Village School** 726058 **St Mary's Catholic Primary** 602420

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**Wardens:**

**Steve Baird** 738205

**Susan Wiltshire** 727000

**Aley Green Methodist Church.**

**Minister:**

**Rev Nigel Bibbings**

**Senior Steward:**

**Ann Meader** 733668

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**Pepperstock Archers**

615216

Email [LBP121@aol.com](mailto:LBP121@aol.com)

(Lee Prebble)

**Tennis** 733253

**Runners** Peter Barber

07587 89260.

**Slip End Veterans Football**

Wayne Leslie (see football)

### Community:-

**Gardening Club** 423622

**Photography Group**

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**Beavers** 07956 833488

**Cubs & Scouts** 418014

**Allotments** 736892

**Friendship Club** TBC

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Sharon (07469 931204)

**Playgroup/Pre-school**

Julie Brocklehurst

07791354541

**S.E.A.D.A** 414796

**FoSELS** 07810 02942( PTA)

**Women's Institute**

737036

**Chatty Club** Jean Turner 01582

421304 or Cathy Rose 01582

457362

**Book Club** (look for facebook group or via Parish News)



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