



Dates for the Diary

- 1st Sept - Autumn Begins
- 5th Sept – RWB Moviola
- 7th Sept – Produce Show
- 12th Sept – Calligraphy in Clyffe
- 19th Sept – WI Meeting
- 24th Sept – Bushton Bookworms
- 28th Sept – Hilmarton Moviola
- 7-8th Oct – Devizes Autumn
- 18th Oct – Harvest Supper
- 20th Oct – Big Breakfast

Bushton and Clyffe Pypard WI All Welcome!

Come to learn of the work of the
Wiltshire Air Ambulance

8pm

**Thursday 19th September
in the village hall, Bushton**

**refreshments
(small donation welcomed)**

Please join us

Clothes Recycling

A clothes recycling bin, provided by the BIU Group, has now been installed in the Village Hall car park.

The BIU Group work with various charities across the country to raise funds through a clothes recycling scheme. Since 2005 over £8.5 million has been raised for local good causes. One of the BIU Groups' newest charity partners is Hope for Tomorrow who work with the NHS Trust to provide Mobile Cancer Care Units.



DEFIBRILLATOR – A reminder to all that a defibrillator is installed at the Village Hall, Bushton. Code for defibrillator is C159X. The defibrillator will provide instructions for use as will the emergency services if the use of the defibrillator becomes necessary.

What's on in the Community



BUSHTON and CLYFFE PYPARD WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

In beautiful sunny weather, the B&CP WI held a charity coffee morning, this year choosing the Swindon MS and Neuro-therapy Centre as beneficiary. The manager, Louise Walker, came to tell us about the work done there, and happily was able to go back with well over £220.

So thank you, not only to WI members who were in some way involved, but to all those who came to spend a pleasant morning over coffee and cake and generously donated towards this great total.

At our August meeting, we enjoyed the speaker demonstrating a wonderfully colourful array of saris, how to wear one, and giving us a background of Indian traditions, along with personal memories of growing up in Zanzibar (and having been to the same school as Freddie Mercury!)

And in another link to celebrity, a good number of us - with friends – saw at first hand where Poldark lived! Chavenage House, near Tetbury, has been used frequently for television and film, and we were treated to a most detailed and entertaining history of this Elizabethan manor by a member of the family.

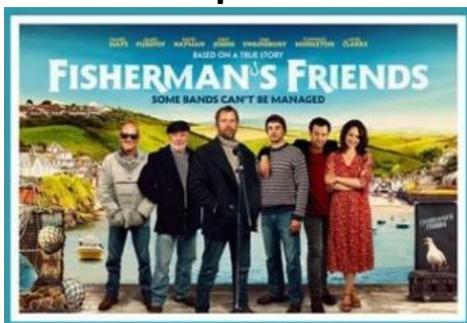
Our big event this month will be the Produce Show on Saturday 7th, where many members will be involved in its organisation and smooth running. It's a lot of fun too, and we look forward to seeing you there!

Our next meeting will be on Thursday 19th September, starting at 7.15pm for members and 8pm for guests, since we have a speaker from the Wiltshire Air Ambulance and we hope this will be of great interest to many. Refreshments are served after the talk. As ever, if you would like to try your local WI branch, do please call or email, or just come: 7.15pm on the third Thursday each month (except December). Sally Fox 01249 891442 sally_fox@btinternet.com



RWB Rotary Community Cinema

FISHERMAN'S FRIEND 5TH September



Certificate 12

6th Form, RWB Academy

Film starts at 7:30pm. Doors open at 7:00pm

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In Hilmarton Parish Church Hall
on the A3102 between Calne and Lyneham and on the 55 Bus Route
Saturday 28th September at 7.30 pm

Doors open 7.00 pm
75 comfy seats, refreshments and a wine sale licence

Tickets: £6.00 from:

Breda Cottage, 34 Church Road, Hilmarton 260312 (opposite chapel)
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Hilmarton Moviola also has a FACEBOOK page

For more info call Geoff Procter on 01249 760312

Visit our website at: www.moviola.org



What's on in the Community



Bushton Bookworms

I couldn't put it down – I just kept on reading it - a really good read! These were some of the comments about *The Lost Man* by Jane Harper which was enjoyed by all the group.

The next chosen books are as follows:

- 24th September: *Life isn't all ha – ha- hee -hee* by Meera Syal
- 22nd October: *The Country Girls* by Edna O'Brien
- 19th November: *The Girl Before You* by Nicola Rayner
- date tba December: *The Salt Path* by Raynor Winn

So, we are looking pretty well organised until the end of the year! Please do give me a ring if you would like to join us. Barbara Davis 0796 2236678



Calligraphy in Clyffe

The Calligraphy Group will be starting again on September 12th. We would be very pleased to welcome anyone else who is interested in learning or developing a new skill. Beginners are welcome.

We usually meet twice each month on the 2nd and 4th Thursday mornings 10.00 to 12.00 in the Village Hall.

(September 12th 10.00 -12.00 and September 26th 10.00 - 12.00)

Each member just pays their share of the hire of the hall and towards the general running costs. If you are interested in joining this group or would like more information or to come for a "taster" session, please get in touch with Jan (01249 890726 / jan_hargrave@yahoo.co.uk)

Produce Show – Saturday 7th September

Today it has been too hot to work in the garden, so I'm inside knitting my fingerless gloves for the Show! What are you doing? There are lots of different classes to choose from. If you haven't seen a schedule yet and would like one, do get in touch. We are looking forward to seeing all our regular exhibitors again and are always very pleased to welcome new ones.

Remember that your entries can also be brought to the hall on Friday evening from 7.00 to 9.00 as well as Saturday morning from 9.00. But everything must be in place by 11.30 on Saturday ready for judging. Even if you are not entering the Show this year do come and have a look around. The Show is open to visitors from 3pm and the awards will be presented at 4.30.

Come and admire all the exhibits, enjoy a cup of tea and homemade cake and have a go on the produce tombola (items of produce for the tombola are always most welcome).

Once again Hilmarton Gardening Club will be displaying all the entries in their photographic competition in the hall and announcing the winners.

If you have any queries about your entries and how to present them, or would like a Schedule, please contact Jan Hargrave (01249 890726 / jan_hargrave@yahoo.co.uk)

Bushton Village Hall Activities

Produce Show: Saturday 7th September. Schedule and full details from Jan Hargrave 01249 890726 Email: jan_hargrave@yahoo.co.uk

Harvest Supper: St Peter's Church Clyffe Pypard. Friday evening 18th October. Everyone welcome – further details from Jane Angus. 07803050834. Email: janeesangus@gmail.com

BIG BREAKFAST: Sunday October 20th 9:30 to 11:30. Organised by WI – contact Sally Fox (see below) if table of more than 6 wanted.

Quiz Evening: Saturday 23rd November – further details Barbara Davis 07962236678 or Email: rjbjdavis@btinternet.com

Christmas Fair: Friday evening 6th December 5-9pm – details Barbara Davis as above

WI Talks: Thursday September 19th at 8pm talk on Wiltshire Air Ambulance – this is an open meeting for anyone to attend. October 17th The Making of Hand Woven bags from the Philippines, November 21st

Jewellery Making: Further details from Sally Fox 01249 891442 Sally_fox@btinternet.com

Calligraphy: On the 2nd and 4th Thursday mornings 10am-12pm. Starting 12th September. Newcomers welcome. Contact Jan Hargrave 01249 890726. jan_hargrave@yahoo.co.uk for further details

Yoga: Friday September 6th a new term of British Wheel of Yoga Classes begin, 10am-11.30am, suitable for all levels and abilities, please call Maria Looker on 07786912859 or E-mail micklooker@btinternet.com

The Village Hall, SN4 7PX is available for hire. With its large hall, new kitchen and soon to be renovated small meeting room it is ideal for all sorts of activities whether they be one off or regular bookings. Further details on the website www.clyffepypard-bushton.com

VILLAGE HALL 101 Club Winners - June, July and August 2019

	1 st Prize	2 nd Prize	3 rd Prize
June	Jane Angus	Jan Hargrave	Paul Greenway
July	Jezz Wood	Sally Fox	Roni Sword
August	Lady Inchcape	Nigel Fowler	Hannah Chard

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Could all organisations who wish to apply for a grant from the parish council apply by 5th November 2019. Applications to the clerk clyffepypardpc@hotmail.com

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Your chance to have a say on the future of our Parish.

If you came to the Village Hall to hear about how the campaign to buy the Goddard Arms is progressing on Tuesday 20th August, you would also have heard mention of another local initiative that is also gathering steam, the Neighbourhood Plan.

As you may know, the Parish Council has established a sub-committee (the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Committee) comprising a number of parish councillors and representatives from the local community, to help research through public consultation, develop, write and ultimately propose for adoption by parish-wide vote, a Neighbourhood Plan. This document will, when adopted, reflect the aspirations and concerns of our parish in matters ranging from planning and development of new housing to road safety and protecting the environment.

If this sounds a little familiar, you might be thinking about the parish's Community Plan which was completed in 2015 after a significant amount of consultation and hard work. Now you may ask yourself, if we already have a Community Plan, do we need a Neighbourhood Plan too? Whilst it is true that both plans will touch on similar themes and issues, adopting a Neighbourhood Plan that properly reflects the views of those who live or work in our parish is a really important step with potentially wide-reaching implications.

At present, planning law makes development of new homes in the parish almost impossible since the land here is considered by the planning authorities to be 'open countryside'. There is a presumption that no development is permitted, and this is reflected in the county's planning policy. A Neighbourhood Plan allows us, as a community, to have a say in what kind of development we would be willing to see or not see in our parish. When a planning application is submitted, the authorities must consider any adopted Neighbourhood Plan as part of their decision making process. This means that land you own could possibly be developed. It also means that land near or bordering your property could be developed. A Neighbourhood Plan has real legal force.

The Neighbourhood Plan is about much more than developing houses though, it's our chance to set down our views on the issues that matter to us, be they road safety, footpaths, protecting local businesses, transport or measures to tackle climate change. Although it is advisory only, it becomes a record of our priorities and concerns. Communities with adopted Neighbourhood Plans can gain better access to Community Infrastructure Levy funding for local projects and the priorities in our plan will help us direct those funds to projects we care about.

This affects us all so its important we all have our say and, ultimately that the Neighbourhood Plan we adopt best reflects the views and aspirations of our community.

So what next? The Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group is keen to hear from you and to gather the views of as many people as possible. We need to make sure the consultation process is broad and robust as possible to allow everyone the chance to have their say. We are planning to hold a couple of drop in sessions in the Village Hall in early October. Look out for more details of these and other communications in the coming weeks and months. In the meantime you can contact the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group via the Parish Council – clyffepypardpc@hotmail.com

View from the Vicarage

On the Belly of the Whale

One of my favourite bible stories is the book of Jonah. I knew bits of the story, long before I had read it in the bible from picture books of Jonah and the Whale, and so in my imagination I always imagined Jonah as looking a little bit like Geppetto in Disney's Pinocchio.

In my late teens I read a very beautiful medieval poem, written in the late 14th century, called Pacience (Patience) which uses the story of Jonah. This meant that studying English Literature required me to read the bible story. The story of grumpy, impatient Jonah who is miserable even when everything works out (if you don't know the whole story you'll have to read it to find out) made me giggle at its charm, and I have loved it ever since, especially when I'm a bit fed up, or feeling stuck in the Belly of the Whale.

Later still when I was baptised and began to try and become a Christian, I read Jonah again and as well as still enjoying the comedy of the story I discovered commentaries from both Jewish and Christian writers that note the connections with experiences of mental ill-health or depression or a period of deep reflection or soul searching that might be portrayed through the story.

In the belly of the whale it looks as if nothing is happening to Jonah and yet after his three days – Jonah is transformed, at least for a little while. Times of deep reflection may be crucial to help us move forward or simply to understand and accept the way things are for us.

September will see lots of people moving onto new things and places – going away to college or university, starting at secondary school whether for the first time or for the beginning of a new school year. I will be keeping the children who left Broad Town and Hilmarton primary schools in my prayers in this time of transition.

For everyone who faces change I hope most of all that things go well, but if there are moments when they don't, when you find yourself stuck in the belly of the whale that you will find that in those more difficult times too, patience and reflection time (even if you don't choose them) bring resilience, courage and fresh energy for the tasks of life.



Church Schedule

		8am	9am	10.30am	6pm
1 st Sept	St Giles	Tockenham Benefice Communion and Patronal Festival 10.30am ERA			
4 th Sept	Wednesday	Hilmarton at 2pm Said Communion in The Church			
8 th Sept	Education Sunday Trinity 12	Broad Town Said Communion ERA	Bradenstoke Communion ERA	Lyneham Sung Eucharist ERA	
				Tockenham Communion CP	
				Hilmarton All-Age Service EL	
15 th Sept	Trinity 13		Bradenstoke Communion ERA	Lyneham Morning Prayer KB Hilmarton Communion ERA	Clyffe Pypard Harvest ERA
22 nd Sept	Trinity 17	Clyffe Pypard Said Communion ERA	Bradenstoke Harvest Communion ERA	Lyneham Sung Eucharist KB Broad Town Communion ERA	Tockenham Evening Service ERA
29 th Sept	St Michael and All Angels	Lyneham Benefice Communion and Patronal Festival at 10.30am ERA			

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Puzzle Corner

25 People with poetry in mind.

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Cryptogram

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Sudoku

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Last month's Puzzles and Answers

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APPLE APRICOT BANANA BLACKBERRY
 BLUEBERRY CANTALOUPE CHERRY
 CLEMENTINE CRANBERRY DATE GRAPE
 KIWIFRUIT MELON ORANGE PEACH PEAR
 PINEAPPLE QUINCE RASPBERRY SATSUMA
 STRAWBERRY TANGERINE APPLE

Cryptogram

"Always do your best. What you plant now, you will harvest later."

Sudoku

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