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#### From the Editor ......

Welcome to this edition of **nEWs and viEWs** magazine, with a host of interesting articles and information on local events for you to enjoy this Autumn.

Just to remind you that the magazine is now also available online for those who might like to read it this way or share it with family or friends outside the village. Please visit the Welcome page of the Parish Church's website: www.saintpeterandsaintpaulewhurst.org.uk and try it!

I am always happy to receive items for publication in **nEWs and viEWs**, so if you have anything of interest please either send it to me at p.henry@metrics-consulting.com or give me a call on 01483 275380. Any comments you may have on the magazine would also be much appreciated.

If you wish to place an advertisement in the <u>Winter</u> edition of the magazine please contact Val Henry at val.dixon.henry@btinternet.com or on 01483 275380 by early November.

Best Wishes .. Phil Henry

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#### ST PETER AND ST PAUL'S CHURCH



As a lad growing up in rural Norfolk I was a faithful Wolf Cub and attended church flag parades on all High days and Holidays. I loved to carry the flag which seemed enormous and be part of the procession and sing grand hymns as part of a big occasion; and alongside this pomp and ceremony, worshipping God seemed a very natural part of life. The big Church of England church was always there at the heart of the village and the Rector came to our school in his black cassock and took worthy assemblies.

However, the best experience of church we had was in the summer holidays – and it wasn't the Anglican Church! As you know, summer holidays in childhood seem to stretch out forever and one of the highlights for us was the arrival on our Village Green of the 'Tented Mission'! We all went down to watch a huge 'Big Top' tent go up and then, amid great excitement we spent each morning of the next week attending children's church. There were games and competitions, acting out stories and singing. I still have a Bible puzzle book I won as a prize – it isn't much filled in as the questions were impossible for a 9 year old – I struggle to answer many of them today as a Rector! But it was such fun – a real highlight for us – and this sense of church as a place you really want to go to – because learning about God is interesting, fascinating – yes even fun, but always relevant to our lives – that is a large part of what drives me in my ministry.

I have of course grown up with traditional church — it is what I know and love — but I also know that many people haven't had that background, yet they still have a sense of God (some speak more vaguely of 'spirituality') and really ought to have the opportunity to explore that conviction in ways that feel comfortable for them. The traditional style of church that suits many of us isn't for everyone. That is why in our Parish church we have always had special services that allow children to enjoy church, and other less formal worship styles too.

We will be exploring new approaches to church this Autumn so do look out for some special things taking place; they may be just what you need to allow you to think about your spiritual life in ways that resonate with you. In keeping with this theme of making church relevant and interesting – and harking back to my early church experience - as always for the children this year we have had our annual holiday club, the closest we get to a 'tented mission' in Ewhurst. It isn't so hot on impossible Bible quizzes, but we have a lot of fun learning about God in unexpected ways. This year we were secret agents, dressing up in disguises, playing games and making use of the mysterious, dark tunnel in and out of our spy headquarters. We also sang songs and heard stories from the Bible and made up stories about secret agents (hardly anybody recognised Scruffy wearing a false moustache and dark glasses!) We had a lot of fun and a lot of the love of God was shared through the care given by our many helpers. I pray that in years to come children will remember back to their own summer holidays and the church holiday club that taught them that God was relevant, exciting and fun to learn about, and maybe they may find that the church has many ways for them to keep up that exciting relationship with God!

David

#### Stewardship and the Parish Church

You will have received a letter with this magazine explaining that the church needs to be able to guarantee its income in order to maintain a full time Rector, and to keep the Parish of Ewhurst and Ellens Green which has been in existence since the twelfth century.

It would be much appreciated if you could help by either taking part in Regular Giving yourself or by passing the information on to people you know with connections to the village who may want to support the church in continuing its full time ministry here.

Thank you in advance for your help and support.

The Churchwardens and Ewhurst Parochial Church Council

There is more information about Stewardship, what it means and how it operates on the church website:

www.saintpeterandsaintpaulewhurst.org.uk

#### **Dedication**

As I begin to write this article, there is one word that comes most readily to mind in response to the events of this year and that is dedication. My dictionary indicates that there are two meanings of this word: to devote wholly and to set apart and consecrate to some sacred purpose. Thus a devotee is someone who is a follower, a believer, loyal and tenacious. A person totally committed to a cause.

The obvious example is of the hundreds of athletes who have trained for years to achieve their peak performance. They give often their whole lives to training and practice for the ultimate challenge of the Olympic Games. It makes for exciting competition and the marvellous spectacle we saw in Rio this summer. Hopefully they will inspire the next generation of athletes. However, it is an uncomfortable fact for amateurs that if you want to be a top swimmer, golfer, tennis player, violinist, pianist, indeed the best in any activity, you have to practice every day usually for many hours.

Many people are dedicated to charitable causes. They are personally committed and spend most of their time supporting them, often with substantial results. For some, their commitment is recognised in an honours list. The best and certainly the longest serving example of personal commitment is our Queen, who celebrated her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday earlier this year. On her 21<sup>st</sup> birthday she said in a broadcast speech "I declare before you all that my whole life, whether it be long or short, shall be devoted to your service and the service of our great imperial family to which we all belong".

This year has seen the darker side of dedication as well. There is a depressingly long list of people whose cause requires them to attack and kill others. Sometimes violence is perpetrated against those who actively oppose them, but increasingly innocent people suffer just because they happen to be in the wrong place at the wrong time. Certainly extremists are fully committed, but the motivation for their actions is difficult to understand for most of us. No major world religion asks that suffering should be imposed on others. However many, many people have suffered for their religious beliefs and continue to do so.

Jesus warned his disciples that their future would be difficult. He said "if the world hates you, keep in mind that it hated me first" (John 15:18). Members of the early church endured a lot of persecution. In Acts, Luke records that the new church survived those years because of the dedication of the early Christians, who no doubt were inspired by the example of Jesus and the power of the Spirit. History records many examples of such dedication and it continues to this day.

We are all called to be devoted to Jesus' teaching and to set ourselves apart from worldly temptations. In the gospels, he left us with clear instructions about what we have to do. We read that an expert in the law asked Jesus, which is the greatest commandment? He replied "love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind, and love your neighbour as

yourself" (Matthew 22:36-37). These words are repeated at the beginning of every service of Holy Communion. They are easily said but very difficult to follow. There is plenty of Biblical help, particularly in the Psalms. "Commit your way to the Lord; trust in him and he will do this: He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like the noonday sun" (Psalm 37). With God's help our dedication will prevail.



#### JUST A NOTE ...

**Tim Seller** 

The junior and adult choirs of Saint Peter & Saint Paul's Church have enjoyed a summer full of wedding music. Lead by music director Val Henry they journeyed to Rusper to sing at the service of a couple tying the knot in style at the church of St Mary Magdalene and were treated to beautiful sunshine and ice creams afterwards. They also sang in Ewhurst at the wedding of a local couple and serenaded the congregation to Bach's Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring during the signing of the register.

The junior choir is thriving and looking forward to starting back in September following a break for Summer. It would be wonderful to have some new voices join us and if you want to enquire further please get in touch with Val Henry on 275380 or via email at val.dixon.henry@btinternet.com. Autumn term starts on Friday 16th September.



# The Ewhurst Carnival – a wonderful start to the Summer!





Back in July the sun shone on Ewhurst and the village came out to celebrate. Thank you to everyone who joined in, hung out and had fun at the Ewhurst Carnival – you made it special. Village societies and individuals who spent weeks preparing, the Ewhurst Horticultural Society for another stunning show, and the local groups who entertained us – thank you. We also thank our amazing commercial stall holders and our sponsors and others who generously donated raffle prizes and their time to make the carnival a great day out for everyone.



The day was rounded off perfectly as we were treated to 3 sets from our resident band, The Fabulous Nobodies – live and local at its best. These awesome musicians played the tunes we just had to dance and sing along to.

All profit raised on the day and during the evening will be ploughed back in to our community. Last carnival we donated to local groups and causes as wide ranging as the Village Hall kitchen refurbishment fund, St Peter and St Paul's Church, Rainbows End pre-school and the Ewhurst Stoolball, Football and Bowls clubs.

Check facebook.com/ewhurstcarnival for all the photos and for news on the 2018 date.

#### SPECIAL EVENT BELLRINGING AT EWHURST CHURCH

St Peter and St Paul's church needs to raise money to refurbish the mechanism for its 8 bells and replace the two oldest bells, which date back to 1450. They have been rung for thousands of events over the years. An appeal is being launched to raise money to restore them so they can safely continue to be rung for many years to come. We have to raise some £50,000 as the bells have not been refurbished since 1938 and there is much to do. We are having some success in applying for grants but to raise awareness, we have offered to ring the bells for the special occasions of Ewhurst residents, such as birthdays and anniversaries for a minimum donation of £80. Notices giving details of these ringing events will be posted on the village notice boards and sponsors will be invited to attend the ringing if they wish, with their friends and families.



We are also appealing for sponsors of the new bells and are charging £2,000 for a quarter of a bell, £4,000 for half a bell and £8,000 for the complete bell. Sponsors will have their name on the bell and also be commemorated in the bell tower.

Further fund raising events are planned over the next year and we will keep you informed as to our progress. For bookings and further information, please contact Jan Jesson, 3 Mascalls Cottages, The Street, Ewhurst, Cranleigh, GU6 7RA. Phone: 01483 27665, jan@mascalls.fslife.co.uk For sponsorship details, please contact Clive Ward, 07769 349525.



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Although Rev. Tricia Hislop is no longer attached to the Parish Church she is going to continue to help with the Bereavement Group. If you would like help and support following a recent bereavement please telephone either Julia on 01483 271419 or Tricia on 01483 274359. You do not have to be a Church-attender to come to this group.

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#### **BABY AND TODDLER GROUP**

Come along and join us in the Wilson Room (adjacent to the Church) to meet new friends, have a coffee and let your children enjoy the toys and activities.

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#### ...... FROM THE PARISH CHURCH REGISTERS

Weddings:

13<sup>th</sup> August Kimberley Tanner and Felix Yates

27<sup>th</sup> August Joanna Hyde and Peter Higgs

Baptisms:

14<sup>th</sup> August Ruby and James Ely

21<sup>st</sup> August Rosie Stroud

21<sup>st</sup> August Hamish Lightoller

28<sup>th</sup> August Anya Hart

#### DID YOU KNOW?

Our church has its own website with information about services, other events and items available through the church. You can now also read **nEWs and viEWs** there in full colour!

Go to saintpeterandsaintpaulewhurst.org.uk and see for yourself.

#### Come and join us for a

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This is Fund Raising Event for Ewhurst Parish Church

#### **Photos Needed for Church Christmas Cards**

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If your photo is selected, you will be credited on the cards and will receive a free pack of your design!

#### SPECIAL PARISH CHURCH AUTUMN SERVICES

Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> September	3.00pm	Outdoor Service with the Baptist Church on the Recreation Ground, Broomers Lane
Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October	10.30am	Harvest Festival Service
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> October	4.00pm	Lighting the Way Children's Service
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> November	4.30pm	All Souls Service
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> November	10.45am 11.00 am	Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial Remembrance Service in Church

PATTERN OF CHURCH SERVICES								
WEEK	8.00 am	9.00	6.30 pm					
1		9.00am 10.30am	BCP Holy Communion 20:20	BCP Choral Evensong				
2	BCP Communion	10.30am	Holy Communion – Common Worship (Treasure Seekers)					
3	BCP Communion	10.30am	CW Morning Prayer	Evening Worship				
4	BCP Communion	10.30 am	Holy Communion – Common Worship (Treasure Seekers)					
5	BCP Communion	10.30 am	All-Age Service (Treasure Seekers)					

N.B. Check service details by looking in the weekly church news sheet or on the church website





#### HARVEST GIFTS COLLECTION

Our Harvest Gift Collection is going to **British Humanitarian Aid** for the Ukraine. As before, the Aid will be taken out to the Ukraine in lorries where it will be distributed in schools and orphanages in a part of the world which experiences great deprivation with over 80% unemployment.

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You could also bring your gifts along to our Harvest Festival service at 10.30am on **Sunday 2**<sup>nd</sup> **October.** 

#### WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP—All Ladies Welcome!

We are a very friendly group and we meet once a month. Our programme covers a variety of subjects.

Meetings are at 2.30pm unless otherwise stated, **on the second TUESDAY in the month.** 

Sep 13<sup>th</sup>

A talk by Victoria Helstrip

Oct 11th

A talk by Revd. David Minns

Nov 8<sup>th</sup>

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#### ALL SOULS SERVICE Sunday 6th November 4.30pm

(This is a special service to remember loved ones who have died)

During the service, candles are lit in memory of Loved Ones as their names are read out. The choir is at this service with music and readings to reflect the theme of remembering those we miss. You are welcome to stay for tea and cake in the Wilson Room after the service.

A remembrance book will be available at the back of the church near the end of October for the names of loved ones to be recorded for the service.

#### Wills and Legacies

Making a will is an important decision. Taking this important step will be of great benefit to your family and others that you want to provide for in the future. It makes their future more secure and settled at a time when they will be feeling such a sense of loss.

The organisation Will Aid offers to draw up your will for free, during the month of November, in exchange for a donation to a charity. To find solicitors in this area who are participating, visit <a href="www.willaid.org.uk">www.willaid.org.uk</a>.

Over time, St Peter and St Paul has benefited from legacies given by both church-goers and friends.

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In our country, where we are facing an increasing number of uncertainties following the referendum decision to leave the EU, I have been reminded how important it is that we might have godly leadership for our nation at such times. Where change and challenges surround us, how much more do we need political and religious leaders who are attentive to the needs of all, in our diverse and multi-cultural society, rather than those just looking for personal gain.

As we listen to the media, storms of controversy and unrest seem to rage wherever we look and it is easy and quite understandable to feel overwhelmed. This is particularly the case for those in our society who already feel on its margins which could include many elderly as well as recent migrants amongst others.

The decision of the referendum stands but I think that regardless which side we personally supported it is now incumbent upon all who value our democratic society to seek to work out the future together rather then descend into an endless cycle of recrimination and finger pointing. So more than ever we need godly, selfless leaders, not those who would seek to promote division through promoting fear and intolerance.

Speaking personally this has been very much a time when I know I need to reach out to a sense of purpose and meaning, that is greater than the machinations of national politics, greater than myself. To look to Almighty God who whilst observing all the ways of this world continues to offer wisdom and guidance to those who ask. So how can we go about doing that? Well in the Bible we are given insights into God, of his nature and personhood which helps us grasp something of who God is, of what He is like. These views are all partial but one on the most well known is the wonderful image of God as a shepherd of people.

In Old Testament times, leaders were looked upon as "people shepherds". I am told that you can drive cattle but you have to lead sheep or they will scatter. The shepherd must know his sheep individually, love them, and care for them according to their needs. For the most part, sheep are defenceless, not far sighted, and dependent on the shepherd to guide and protect them. In the Gospels we have Jesus who described himself as the "Good Shepherd, one who laid down his life for the sheep".

Now no matter how long I have been a Christian I still find it amazing to consider that God, in all the ups and downs of life remains a steady and ever present

person in whom we can trust, to whom we can refer. A Good Shepherd, one who guides, cares and protects his flock. With such an understanding we need not face the turbulence of this world on our own, in fact as Max Bygraves famously sang "you'll never walk alone".

That image of God as the divine shepherd watching over our lives is one I would commend to any who feel uncertain about their future. This image is beautifully presented to us in one of the Psalms "The LORD is My Shepherd". This Psalm was written by an actual shepherd. David, later to be King David, who was one of the most admired leaders of the early Jewish nation because he took his responsibility as a leader, as a shepherd of God's people, seriously.

Here are the first few verses, well known to you I am sure.

The LORD is my shepherd, I shall not be in want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures, he leads me beside quiet waters, he restores my soul. He guides me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

Words that have spoken for millennia, both into the lives of individuals and nations, often in times of crisis or great change. May they continue to speak in these days that we might see such godly leadership in our nation in the coming months. Men and women with shepherd hearts, willing to lead and serve others with integrity and sincerity rather than those who just seem to dance to the latest media induced jingle.

I am sure the *Brexit* debates will range far and wide over the coming months and years and maybe it will be those aspects we least anticipate that in time will prove to be the greatest challenge but in all of this I for one will be praying for our political leaders, of all persuasions, that they draw their inspiration from God and shepherd the people wisely.

I invite you, encourage you, to do the same.

God Bless

#### Simon Bodington

(Minister)

Ewhurst Baptist Church www.ewhurstbaptistchurch.org.uk



# KEEP INTERESTED KEEP SOCIALISING!

KIKS club - @ Ewhurst Baptist Church

Our social club, KIKS, meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of every month between 2 and 4pm.

From September we will cease to run the monthly film so the Club will revert to its original format of offering the opportunity for friendship, chat, crafts and various board games alongside tea and cake!

Don't stay home wishing you had a bit of company, but put your coat on and come and join us.

Lifts can be arranged, just telephone us on 01483 495426



#### BABY AND TODDLER GROUP at Ewhurst Baptist Church Wednesdays from 10:15 to 11:45

Our aim is to provide an environment in which you and your children can make friends, chat, play and have a good morning out!

Everyone is welcome - mums, dads, grandparents and carers.

Refreshments are available for adults.

A fruit snack is provided mid morning for the children.

A variety of activities are available at each session.

For more information please contact: Jackie Bodington on 01483 495426 or <a href="mailto:Jbodington57@gmail.com">Jbodington57@gmail.com</a>





At: Ewhurst Baptist Church The Street Ewhurst Surrey. GU6 7QA. Tel 01483 267878.





Macmillan Coffee Morning - Friday Sept 30th - 10.00 to 12.00.

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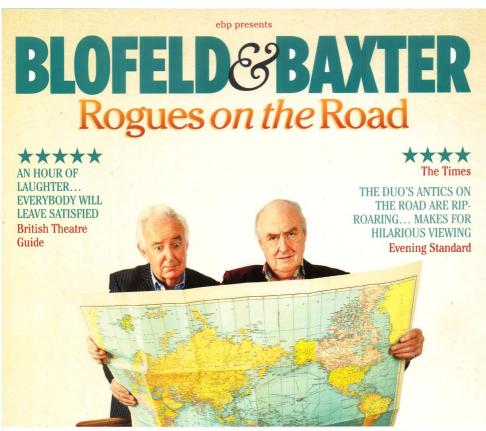
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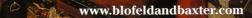


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# Come to our 20/20 Family Services

We **invite you** to try our 20/20 Service. on Sunday 4 September at 10.30am

#### What happens is .....



On the first Sunday of each month, *Scruffy* and Rev<sup>d</sup> David Minns host a special children's service.

As well as Scruffy, there are Singing puppets, instruments to rattle, songs to sing and craft to do - all in just 45mins.





It is called 20/20 because there is about 20 minutes of craft and 20 minutes with the puppets and singing songs.

Babies and young children are ALL welcome. Stay on for drinks and biscuits in the Wilson Room afterwards. Pushchairs etc can be brought into church if needed.

#### Our next 20/20 is on Sunday 6 November 10.30am

There is NO 20/20 service in October as it is Harvest Festival on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> October



#### Saint Peter & Saint Paul, Ewhurst Harvest Festival Service

#### Sunday October 2<sup>nd</sup> 10.30 am

Do join us for our Family Friendly Harvest Festival. We will be joined by children from Ewhurst CofE Infants School with their thoughts and songs on Harvest.

Stay for a Barbecue Harvest Lunch after the service.

#### **EWHURST HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY**



www.ewhursthortsoc.org.uk

The Horticultural Society's Autumn Show is to be held on Saturday 10th September in the Village Hall. Open to the public at 2.30pm with a wide selection of classes in the vegetable and fruit sections, flower and pot plants, floral art including "Harvest Time" and "Autumn Cascade", photography and home fare. Please "have a go"!

For the children's classes we have:

- Pre-school: Decorated paper plate
- 8yrs and under: A model made from recycled materials
- 16 yrs and under: Six flapjacks and/or a 'Selfie' photograph up to A4 size

Presentation of awards follows at 4.15pm with auction of some of the produce and a raffle. All details can be found on our website or phone the Show Secretary on 01483 490190.

"Wisley through the Months" a talk with slides by Linda Dolan follows on Tuesday 25th October at the Glebe Centre, 8pm with refreshments and raffle. Visitors welcome £2.00.

Our AGM on Tuesday 22nd November is to be held in the <u>Village Hall</u>, 7.30pm. Jim Buttress will give a talk with slides on "Royal Parks". With refreshments and raffle. Visitors welcome £2.00

For membership contact Carol on 01483 273580 or at membership@ewhursthortsoc.org.uk

#### Remembrance Sunday – 13<sup>th</sup> November

Act of Remembrance at 10.45am at the War Memorial
This includes the reading out of names on the memorial
and the laying of wreaths

Remembrance Service at the Parish Church at 11.00am A traditional service to reflect this day.

<u>SIGHT FOR SURREY</u> has a bus that visits Surrey Villages and offers help and advice for the visually impaired. The bus also carries useful equipment that can be demonstrated.

The **SIGHT FOR SURREY** bus will be coming to The Glebe Community Centre from 10.30 -12.30 during The Glebe coffee morning on the 7th September. If you or anyone you know would benefit from visiting the bus do come and look around and join The Glebe regulars for coffee.

#### <u>Macmillan Coffee</u> <u>Morning</u>

A Macmillan Coffee morning will be held at The Glebe Community Centre on Wednesday 5th October.

There will be a cake stall as well as the usual coffee or tea and cake.

All profits from this event will go to the Macmillan Nurses.

Do come and join us.



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#### Neighbourhood Plan Update - August 2016

Tim Bloomfield, Chair of the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group, has resigned from his roles on the Neighbourhood Plan team for personal reasons. The Parish Council would like to thank Tim for his dedication in guiding the Neighbourhood Plan so far and wish him well. He remains as a Parish Councillor for Ellens Green Ward.

I am stepping in temporarily as Chair of the Steering Group until the Parish Council can recruit a new Steering Group Chair. The Parish Council wants to minimise disruption to the Plan's progress at this important stage.

I recently called a meeting to introduce myself to the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group, to be briefed on the Neighbourhood Plan situation to date, and to discuss next steps for keeping the Plan on track.

Among the steps we agreed is to recruit a specialist Neighbourhood Plan Consultant to help maintain the Plan's momentum and ensure that key stages - such as the selection of potential development sites and policy proposals for the future of this Parish - are evidence-based, robust and comply with planning guidelines. The consultant will be chosen from 3 candidates by a small group of Steering Group members and a Parish Councillor.

Additional volunteers keen to help with this important community project would also be most welcome, and would help to spread the workload of those already on board.

I will keep you informed of the outcome of the search for a specialist Consultant and also with the progress of the Neighbourhood Plan via the Ewhurst website <a href="https://www.ewhurst.org">www.ewhurst.org</a>, the Ewhurst Bulletin, and in future issues of News & Views magazine and the Village Society Newsletter.

#### Richard Cleaves

Chair of Ewhurst Parish Council email - richard@richardisin.plus.com



# A Service of Light for Children

Come and help us to have fun at St Peter and St Paul Church



# Friday October 28<sup>th</sup>

Come with a Parent and make a lantern in Church at 4.00 pm.

Short Service then procession to Rectory Garden for Sausages and small Fireworks



Further information from Rev'd David Minns 01483 277584

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#### News from Ewhurst CE Infant School

The traditional Leavers' Service in our parish church rounded off the academic year with the pupils sharing a wealth of memories of their three years at the school along with anticipation of the future. Twenty four pupils are leaving Ewhurst with a suitcase full of knowledge and skills that will stand them in good stead for the future. We thank the families who are leaving the school for all the support they have given their children and the unstinting help they have provided the school; going on school trips, helping organise PTA events, hearing children read, helping with swimming, undertaking first aid and pool safety training. Without a high level of parental (and grandparent) support some activities would not have been possible. It is also at this time that the strong relationship between the school and the church is heightened as we join together in celebrating these inspiring pupils.

It has been an exceptionally busy term. We are thrilled to now have our new learning space, the Dove Centre, which is a much longed for replacement for the Miller Hut, and a testament to the perseverance and determination of governors past and present. The contributions from the community to this project also demonstrated the important place Ewhurst School holds in the hearts of our community. The official opening of the Dove Centre, on June 29<sup>th</sup>, combined with the 170<sup>th</sup>anniversary of the school and our first Summer Sing, made the Summer Term very special.

Our special day commemorating the Queen's 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday began with an open-air assembly, at which the children paraded around the playground wearing their crowns. There was a wonderful array, with lots of fantastic detail which impressed the staff judging the competition. All the children proudly sang the National Anthem. At lunchtime, Debbie provided a wonderful picnic, and the day ended with a pool party organized by members of the PTA. Many children said it was "the best day ever"!

Despite unsettled weather, the swimming pool has been very well used this term. It has been wonderful to see the considerable progress so many children have made with their swimming skills.

Many thanks to the PTA for organising a record-breaking pirate-themed Summer Fair this term, which raised a record breaking total of over £4000 - a magnificent sum of money.

Now, we look forward to September where we welcome 29 new children across the school. The forthcoming academic year promises to be full of activity that will develop each child's independence, enjoyment of learning, develop his or her personal, social and emotional capacity through our school values of love, friendship, respect, honesty and perseverance in a Christian community.

A number of school tour dates are organised for the Autumn Term for prospective parents. Admission information is available on www.ewhurst.surrey.sch.uk or at the school office. Please call 01483 277291 for further details and to book a tour.

Mrs Jane Dyer (Head Teacher)

#### St Nicolas' Church Heritage activity day on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September for all the family from 10.00am until 4.00pm

#### 1170 – was the beginning – 839 years later it is our time



As part of its Annual Gift Day appeal and following on from the very successful St Nicolas' Heritage Family History Portrait Art Competition in the local junior schools during June, St Nicolas' Church is staging a special Heritage Day event for the village at the Church.

The Cheshire Cat

#### Programme

- · Churchyard history hunt for children at any time
- Churchyard history trail self-guided at any time and also led by a local expert at 10.30am/12noon/2.00pm/3.30pm
- Church heritage tour of discovery self-guided quiz and answers for children and parents at any time
- Researching family history workshop with a local expert at 11.00am 1.00pm/3.15pm with interactive initial personal research available at other times
- Exhibition of St Nicolas' heritage archives from the Surrey History Centre and local sources
- Display of the children's art competition with a brief description of the family member portrait they chose
- Visit the bell tower between 11.00am and 12.30pm to pull a rope with expert guidance

.....and of course light refreshments

You will see that there is something for everyone. Take hold of this unusual day event to explore and discover the history and heritage that is held in and around St Nicolas' Church, a treasure to secure into the future.

#### Hope to see you there!

# CAROL FRANKLIN-ADAMS ANNUAL SALE FOR ALZHEIMER'S RESEARCH UK

at High Edser, Shere Road, Ewhurst GU6 7PQ on Thursday October 6th from 9.30 am until 4.00 pm

With personalised stationary, jams and chutneys, beautiful silk flowers and many other gifts being sold. There is something for everyone and tea and coffee with delicious cakes served all day, and a patè and cheese lunch.

Please come along and bring all your friends!

£2.00 entry fee in aid of Alzheimer's Research UK





## In Our Midst - David Quoroll At the centre of our Outdoor Centre

David and his wife Heather have lived and worked and contributed to the community in Ewhurst for the past 26 years. Now that he is due to retire, it seems apt to hear about his life before and during his time as head of the Sayers Croft Outdoor Learning Centre in the Cranleigh Road. He talked to me in his office den at the Centre with the sound of children and adults all around, busy with the various



activities on offer all over the site. What a pleasure it must be for children who live in a predominantly city environment to come and stay and learn in these beautiful surroundings.

With his West Country burr and the Plymouth Argyle posters on the wall, David's upbringing in South Devon is clear. His mother came from Ashburton and the family lived on the edge of Dartmoor in a lodge to Syon Abbey, at that time run by an order of Bridgettine nuns. In this isolated spot he grew up, living wild he says, roaming the local fields and streams, climbing trees, digging tunnels and building tree houses. This has strongly influenced him in what has been his lifetime's work, trying to inspire all children to appreciate the outdoors. If they never experience the outdoors and don't have good experiences of the outdoors, why should they *value* the outdoors?

Taking a year out after A-levels, he heard about the work done at field centres and with this in mind he applied to study Botany at Reading University which he very much enjoyed, successfully gaining a first class degree. After completing a PGCE teaching certificate at St John's College, York, he took up the offer of a research grant to study for a PhD at Liverpool. Unfortunately this was in 1979 when widespread deprivation resulted in rioting and the breakdown of the community in general. Living in Birkenhead, he hated the demolished housing, the rubble and the general roughness and spent more and more time away at the field centre in the Conwy Valley, North Wales. At first he spent weekends helping there, then longer periods until finally he gave up the research post altogether and found a job in the West Country as a gardener at the Slapton Ley Field Centre. He loved it back in Devon again but when a post became vacant back in Conwy he leapt at the chance to rejoin his old colleagues there.

After five years teaching mostly A-level field courses, it was time to move on. He had very much enjoyed the work but after the very long hours in isolated areas, the move to the Beaulieu Estate in Hampshire was perfect. Lord Montague wanted to

open parts of the estate for organised visits and David was given charge of the newly created woodland study centre. Working with just one other permanent member of staff, this was a fabulous job. Poorly paid but very rewarding, he had the freedom to implement his own ideas to massively increase usage of the site. New initiatives were approached in an ultra professional manner; courses for primary children, the new GCSE exam and work with people with special needs were all started. In addition, he completed a professional qualification in Business Management. It was here too that he met his future wife, Heather. After two and half enjoyable years at Beaulieu, David took an exceedingly challenging post at the residential Churchtown Farm, a centre for young people with special needs at Lanlivery in Cornwall. It was great to be back in the West Country again and together, they bought a house nearby. However it soon became clear that with such poor management there and little likelihood of change, it would not be sensible for them to stay.

It was in 1990, after applying for various positions around the country, that he was offered the position of head of centre at Sayers Croft. Control of the site had been transferred to the Westminster Authority after the break-up of the Inner London Education Authority that same year. The Centre was in a very bad state, both financially and physically and with such a large financial deficit, Westminster was likely to privatise the whole business and cut their losses. No-one gave him much of a chance of turning it around; David gave himself three years. Effectively starting from scratch, they would have to create an entirely new market since no-one outside Inner London knew they existed. Courses needed to be publicised, material sent to those places where a need was identified and people needed to be persuaded to come. This had never been necessary before. Based on his previous experiences, he targeted Outer London and home county authorities as well as those new authorities in Inner London that did not have their own Centre and invited representatives from the schools to come for a trial weekend to stay in the accommodation, dine in the centre and see the facilities. Whilst there, they were given new ideas and teacher training and they liked what they saw. Consequently a new clientele was built up and began to grow as their reputation spread.

The courses had to change too. No longer would just "a walk to the farm" be satisfactory. Activities had to be relevant and diverse. The new hedge maze, ropes course and climbing wall were all very popular and bookings were very quickly oversubscribed. They reached a point where they were self-funding in everything but property maintenance. The infrastructure of the site had been neglected, paint was peeling and roofs close to leaking and a huge effort was made to bring the site up to scratch. By 1994, a full status report persuaded Westminster that they were worth keeping within the Authority and subsequently David managed to have the maintenance funding delegated to him. As such he was able to make vast savings

every year by using local contractors, managing the work himself and getting good value for the money spent. To further secure the future, in 1996 they initiated the Sayers Croft Environmental Education Trust, an independent charity based on the Beaulieu model. Through the Trust they are able reach out to the local community by offering organised educational activities - monthly clubs, birthday parties, local school day visits and adult courses. David and Heather voluntarily began and ran the Environmental Club there for ten years and it is still oversubscribed to this day. The Trust developed slowly but now the full programme is very popular and successful.

At the same time, for a number of reasons, the regularly visited off-site facilities were gradually reducing in number. Considerable negotiation and more than a little good fortune enabled them to purchase three separate pieces of land around the village for their exclusive use for outdoor learning. A field with stream and adjacent woodland was acquired from Coverwood, further neighbouring woodland was purchased with lottery funding targeted for nature reserves and two acres of the Cobblers Brook stream and woodland were bought from Westland Farm. Now they can be confident that resources are protected, improving all the time and the future is very secure. Totalling 56 acres, the Centre requires a team of approximately forty people, divided almost equally between teaching and non-teaching staff. It's like running a hotel, a school, a restaurant and a leisure centre all rolled into one, David says. Job satisfaction is high and staff turnover low. Nowadays new applicants must have experiences beyond academic qualifications and competition for training places every year is high.

In his own time, David has been a governor at the village school and for six years, he coached the Ewhurst Junior Football squad. This he clearly very much enjoyed and although they were "phenomenally unsuccessful", they loved to play and he got much satisfaction working with the boys and inspiring them to progress in life. He is a member of the steering group for the Neighbourhood Plan and is disappointed that he is likely to leave before it is completed. Heather has done more he says chairman of both the Rainbow's End playgroup and the school PTA while their children were growing up and for the last ten years she has been Brown Owl with the Ewhurst Brownies. At the football club, only Heather could slot the pieces of the goals together so that they worked successfully!

When he is not walking or kayaking, David enjoys playing in the Aldershot Ukelele Band. As I left he was going home to green up his beard for an evening performance with his Dark Morris group, The Boxhill Bedlam. Now that would be worth seeing! Soon to leave, we wish David and Heather and their family all the best for the future, wherever that will be.

Geoff Harry

#### FUN WITH THE EWHURST PLAYERS!

Everyone had a wonderful day full of sun and fun at the Ewhurst Carnival, especially the Players with their winning procession entry "Grease".



Just about to swing through the village to a medley of all the best songs from Grease (iPod and speakers cleverly concealed in the car by Bill Pilcher).

#### COME AND JOIN IN.....

Panto time is coming sooner than you might think. Oh yes, it is!

Auditions for **Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves** take place at 7.30 pm at Ewhurst village hall on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> and Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September. There are lots of parts of all shapes and sizes and we're always keen to see new faces. Do come and give it a go!

Written by Alan Frayn and directed by Marian Heathcote, Ali Baba is going to be a cracking show. It will be entertaining the village the last weekend in January 2017 and the first weekend in February 2017.

Don't get caught out and find that those auditions are "behind you". Contact Marian on 01483 277648 or cbheathcote@btinternet.com and get hold of a script now!

If you don't fancy being on the receiving end of shaving foam cream cakes, there's lots of back stage roles on offer too.

#### COME AND JOIN IN THE FUN!

#### **LOCAL HISTORY CORNER, by Janet Balchin**

## The Greater Game - The 'Footballers Battalion' and their Link with Ewhurst during the First World War

During the First World War the newly raised volunteer battalions needed somewhere to train and training camps sprang up all over the country. One such camp was in Ewhurst and was home to the 17<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Middlesex Battalions in the spring and summer of 1915. Whilst many men joined their local regiment, there were also recruitment drives to raise 'Pals Battalions' where men were encouraged to enlist together, with the promise that they would be able to serve alongside their friends, neighbours and colleagues. Some of these were raised in particular localities such as the famous 'Accrington Pals', whilst others were for men from certain backgrounds such as the 'Stockbrokers Battalion'. The 17<sup>th</sup> Middlesex, known as the Footballers Battalion was a Pals Battalion raised from the ranks of professional footballers, trainers, officials and staff; and also fans, as it was thought that the opportunity to fight alongside your heroes would be a big incentive to enlist.

In the early months of the war, there was much criticism that fit young men were playing professional football while their contemporaries served 'King and Country'. A cartoon in *Punch* in October 1914 was captioned – "No doubt you can make money in this field, my friend, but there's only one field today where you can get honour."

William Johnson-Hicks, MP for Brentford, had a country house at Holmbury House [now MSSL]. Hicks had given several rousing recruitment speeches in Ewhurst for local recruits, but in the autumn of 1914 it was suggested by the War Office that he might raise a footballers' battalion. On 8<sup>th</sup> December he chaired a meeting to form a committee who would take on the responsibility of accommodating, feeding, clothing and equipping the battalion until such time as it could be taken over by the military authorities\* and offered the grounds of his own house, Holmbury House, for use as a training camp. The new battalion would be part of The Middlesex Regiment, this being the local regiment to Johnson-Hicks' parliamentary constituency, and would be known as the 17<sup>th</sup> (Service) Battalion (1<sup>st</sup> Football), The Middlesex Regiment. (\*The War Office formally took control of the 17<sup>th</sup> Middlesex on 1 September 1915).

By April 1915 the battalion had 1,400 volunteers and moved to its training camp at Holmbury House. Ewhurst villagers welcomed them and made

arrangements for entertainments, including concerts in the Church Hall. Several reports appeared in the Surrey Advertiser describing their stay. "The Village [sic] Hall was well filled on Friday evening last week when the first of a series of concerts was given. An interesting musical programme was gone through. Amongst those taking part being Mrs English, Miss Smith, Miss Stephens and Miss Warrington. Miss Topham was responsible for the arrangements." The Surrey Advertiser also reported on some of the difficulties of having a large number of young men in the vicinity when a case of drunken behaviour in Cranleigh resulted in two broken windows. "......Private Laidlaw said he was drunk and very sorry. An officer of his regiment said the prisoner was a professional footballer and had only been with them two months. 'By his conduct he had brought disgrace on his regiment, and the commanding officer wished him to be made an example of.' Private Laidlaw was fined 5s in each case, and would have to pay the damage."

The 17<sup>th</sup> Middlesex left Holmbury during the first week in July and were replaced by the 23<sup>rd</sup> Middlesex (2<sup>nd</sup> Football) Regiment. The ladies of the village continued in their efforts to entertain the troops. The Surrey Advertiser reported that on Thursday 15th July "about 150 soldiers from the Holmbury Park Camp were entertained to an enjoyable tea in the church room by the villagers, who have subscribed to a fund for the purpose. The tables were presided over by Miss Topham assisted by several ladies". Although football did not have quite the profile it has today one wonders if the camp also became a magnet for all the small boys in the area.

Many famous sportsmen served with the battalions. Vivian Woodward was the Captain of Chelsea and England. Although injuries sustained in the war him prevented him from returning to professional football after the war, his record of 29 goals in 23 matches for England stood until 1958. Walter Tull, who had played for Spurs and Northampton, was the grandson of a slave. He was commissioned 2nd Lt in May 1917, becoming the first black officer in the British Army to lead white troops. However he was killed in the Spring Offensive of 1918 and his body was never recovered. Major Frank Buckley was a professional player before the war. Having suffered from the effects of gas he did not play after the war, but he became well known as a manager.

Around 4,500 men served with Footballers' Battalions and around 900 lost their lives.

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The 17<sup>th</sup> Middlesex at Holmbury, 1915. Holmbury House (now MSSL) is to the top left of the picture.



#### **Ewhurst History Society Autumn Programme**

September 21<sup>st</sup> 2016 - Bill Gage – *The Horsham - Guildford Railway Line* October 18<sup>th</sup> 2016 - Gavin Morgan - *The Guildford Guy Riots* 

November 15<sup>th</sup> 2016 - Martin Higgins - Ringing the changes in Surrey's bell towers

The Society meets on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at Ewhurst Baptist Church at 8.00pm. Non-members always welcome.

For more information contact Janet Balchin on 01483 277342 or email <a href="mailto:ewhursthistory@btinternet.com">ewhursthistory@btinternet.com</a>

The Society's website can be found at www.ewhursthistory.com The web site also has a blog where you can follow the month by month progress of Ewhurst during the First World War- www.ewhursthistory.com/ewhurst-in-the-great-war.



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#### Ewhurst Tops the Surrey Ladies Stoolball Association B League!

Ewhurst Ladies Stoolball Club has enjoyed a very successful season. Winning 9 out of 10 league matches against Beare Green, Cranleigh, Strood Green, Wonersh and Charlwood, there was no stopping us under Sophie's captaincy.

After coming down from our first season in the A league we were determined to go straight back up. This determination, as well as some hard work pre-season and our unrivalled team spirit have helped us to achieve our goal and we look forward to working towards another season in the A league next year. We always welcome new players (scorers and umpires too) so look out for our winter training dates in January 2017.

In other news, thanks to all those who supported our tombola stall at the Ewhurst Carnival in July. We were really pleased with the amount raised for the carnival as well as for our own fundraising efforts. The club can survive another season!



If you still haven't heard of Stoolball, it is an exciting team sport, similar to Twenty20 cricket. Two teams compete to score the most runs. There are two wickets standing at shoulder height, about 14 metres apart. The bats are willow, with a round face and a long, sprung handle. The ball, small and hard, is bowled underarm towards one wicket. Just like cricket, batsmen score by hitting the ball into the field and running between the two wickets. They can also hit the ball beyond a boundary line to score 4 or 6. Batsmen can be bowled, caught or run-out, or even body-before-wicket.

Please do get in contact with us if you would like to join in and have a go.

Hope to see you in 2017!

#### **WEATHER REPORT**



#### **RAINFALL**

Quoted in millimeters (1 inch = 25.4 mm)

May	Jun	Jul	
71.1	105.6	24.6	

#### **TEMPERATURES** (degrees centigrade)



	May	Jun	Jul
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Minimum	1.0	9.1	9.2

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The Ewhurst Monday Club is a social club for Senior Citizens. We meet on the third Monday of the month at the Glebe Centre, Ewhurst, at 2.15pm from April to October and at 2.00pm in the winter months.

We have a presentation or a talk or a Member's Meeting with a nice tea. Each November we go to the Bulls Head for lunch and a film. Our Programme is on the notice board at the Glebe Centre.

Visitors are welcome and pay £1 for their tea.

If you would like further information, please contact Jean Dodd: 01483 278184

#### **Ewhurst Evening WI**

WI members made a strong contribution to The Village Carnival this July, serving teas throughout the afternoon. A wide selection of home-made cakes seemed to go down really well with the crowds and we were pleased that the day was such a success for the Village. August found us going our separate ways but now we are able to look forward to our autumn programme.

In September we celebrate our 41<sup>st</sup> Birthday with a Ploughman's Supper and entertainment by Joan Cuthbert who will relate some of her adventures as a "Rocky Mountaineer". October will find us contemplating thoughts of a "Grown-up Gap Year" with Pam Goodall. Later in the month some Members may attend the Surrey Federation Meeting at Dorking Halls where they will join ladies from other WIs to be entertained and informed in a variety of ways. Our November meeting will be held at the Baptist Church when our speaker will be Damian White who will describe his "Busy Life Running Two Village Shops". November is also the time of our Annual Meeting when we review our year and contemplate what 2017 may hold for us. In December we will be going retro with Linda Styan who will lead us through "Songs of the 1920s and '30s" and later in the month we will have our Christmas Dinner at the Bull's Head.

We usually meet on the second Thursday of the month, except August, at 8.00pm in the Village Hall and are always happy to welcome visitors. Or you can contact our secretary through the Village Website.

We look forward to seeing you!

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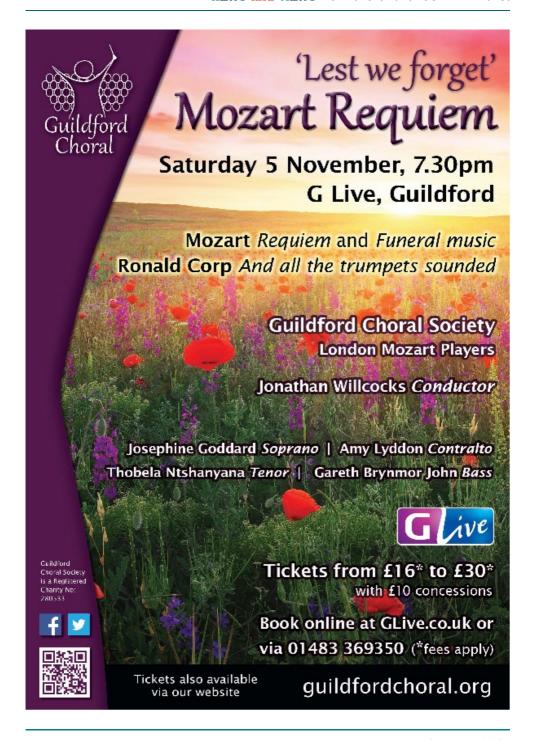
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