



The ANNUAL VILLAGE SPRING CLEAN was another great success!

**Thank you to all you lovely volunteers
18 in all, for helping to keep our village
beautiful and litter free!**

The Cliddesden Wombles met on Saturday morning, 29th May, and with the weather set fair we cleaned up all the village verges. It was so nice to be able to get out and meet friends we've hardly seen over the past year. And thanks also to those who took their bags home ready for Wednesday collection. The full bags at the pond will, as usual, be collected separately by BDBC.



CONGRATULATIONS TO NEW COUNTY & WARD COUNCILLORS

Juliet Henderson elected to County, Candovers, Oakley & Overton division.
Borough Councillors: Mark Ruffell, Sven Godesen and Onnalee Cubitt
elected to the new Basing & Upton Grey Ward.

As Deputy Mayor for the past two years, Cllr Onnalee Cubitt is now Mayor of Basingstoke and Deane.



POLICE UPDATE

Dear Residents

I start and am pleased to report no crime of concern

to residents within the area of this magazine. We have however had a further theft of a catalytic converter exhaust from beneath a car parked on the owner's driveway in Hackwood Lane overnight. There is a steady increase within this type of theft and those doing it are very quick and quiet.

There is however, something that I do need to report and that is that is by the time you have received your copy of this excellent magazine I will have retired from the Hampshire Constabulary and as your local Constable.

Some of you will be aware that I should have retired over two years ago but remained in post. However as with all good things, my service has come to an end and I have left both the Force and the area moving to Wales. While I have tried to visit as many people as possible, it is impossible to speak to everyone that I should have visited, so please accept my sincere apologies.

I was posted here in 2004 from Kingsclere and cannot reiterate enough the absolute pleasure that it has been to serve your community as the local Policeman. You are extremely fortunate to live in a beautiful area with a low crime rate. However, it is you that has kept crime down; the residents that have called in to report suspicious vehicles or people, letting me know when things just did not seem quite right.

I have had many successes because of your support and I would very much like thank everyone who kindly helped and supported me over the seventeen years that I have been here.

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I am unable to name all those that I would like to thank for obvious reasons; however, there are some that I really do need to. I would like to thank my

Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator Simon, and previously Tony, for the excellent work you do and I continue to urge residents to please contact Simon to join and keep up to date with information of criminal activity including scams etc.

I would like to thank Rev Stephen at Ellisfield, someone who does considerably more than people know and who has supported many people who came to my attention and needed that little extra support that I have pointed him towards, thank you.

To Alan Tyler the Parish Council Chairman, for all your support, and indeed to the previous councillors and chairmen over the years. Finally to Su Turner who is excellent both as your Clerk and sometimes *Newsletter* editor. Su works tirelessly for several communities and really is an unsung heroine, likewise to the other editors of this magazine who have had to put up with my late entries for articles, thank you all for your patience.

Inspector Luchesa has updated various people of the officers that will cover this area in the future including Police Constable Ross Holdsworth (ross.holdsworth@hampshire.pnn.police.uk) and PCSO Andrew Jones, (andrew.jones13301@hampshire.pnn.police.uk) both of whom with others will support you well.

Thank you all once again and I send my sincere best wishes to you all and your families for a safe and healthy future. It has been a pleasure to serve your community.

Andrew Reid

SOCIAL & ENTERTAINMENT CLUB

CLIDDESSEN MILLENNIUM VILLAGE HALL

Please note that the schedule may change in the event of further lockdowns



Thursday 1st July JoJo Rabbit (2019)

1hr 48 minutes, certificate 12A



A comedy-drama film written and directed by Taika Waititi, Roman Griffin Davis in the Title Role and Scarlett Johansson as his mother. It gives an unusual portrayal of WW2 from a German perspective.

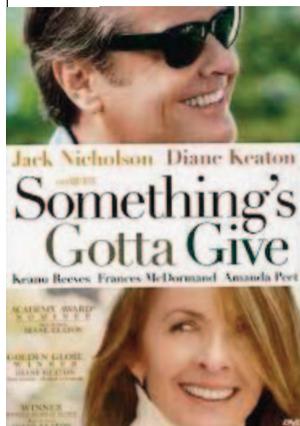
The film is set at the end of the 2nd World War. It had its world premiere at the Toronto International Film Festival , where it won the top prize.

It drew mostly praise – especially for the performances, direction, screenplay, musical score. It was chosen as one of the ten best films of 2019.

At the 77th Golden Globe Awards it was nominated for Best Motion Picture and gained many other awards and nominations. JoJo Rabbit grossed \$90.3 million.

Thursday 5 August 'Somethings Gotta Give' (2003)

128 minutes, cert PG



Contains infrequent strong language and moderate sex references.

2003 American romantic comedy film written, produced and directed by Nancy Meyers. It stars Diane Keaton and Jack Nicholson who in the later phase of his acting career Nicholson has created a niche for himself in comedy roles.

The film received generally favourable reviews from critics, and was a box office hit eventually grossing \$266.7 million worldwide.

For her performance Keaton received a nomination for the Academy Award for Best Actress, and won the Golden Globe Award for Best Actress, Nicholson also received a nomination for the Golden Globe Award for Best Actor.

ST LEONARD'S FOODBANK

Thank you for your continuing generosity to the Foodbank at during this challenging time. The box is in the church porch and is checked regularly if you would like to donate any dry goods.



NOTES FROM MAY PARISH COUNCIL AGM 5th May 2021

Remote meeting via Zoom. Thanks to Chairman for hosting. No members of the public present.

Alan Tyler was re-elected Chairman for 2021/22.

Accounts and audit forms agreed and signed in preparation for the Internal Audit.

Neighbourhood Plan The main bulk of the plan in place. Immense progress has been made during the last six months – with thanks to the Brain Karley, Alison Mosson, Mark Gifford, Alan Tyler, David Brown. What appeared a mammoth task has become more attainable – as we have learnt as we have gone along and appreciated what needs to be done. An advisory review meeting is scheduled with BDBC Planning Policy.

Dummer M3J7 The warehousing application was approved by majority at Development Control of 7th April. Showing 'awaiting decision' on website. Called in by MPs to Secretary of State.

Petition to save the Oak trees (67 Oak, 3 Beech) on the old Dummer Road (part of the approved development site) is live on Change.org.

Rights of way Footpaths 1 and 2 are scheduled for a July cut by HCC Countryside Services (Priority Cutting Scheme) contractor.

LM next visit 17th June
Jobs list – continue with Village Hall gullies; grass cutting, any other requests to be considered.

Village Gateways Agreed to proceed asap, to investigate options and costs, wood or recycled plastic.

SID and data recorders Data reports will soon available.

Replacement Cherry tree for the Rapleys planted at the Village Hall with thanks to Alison Mosson and Mark Gifford.

Next Meetings Tuesdays 7.30pm
6th July, 21st Sept, 2nd November, Village Hall meeting room.

To note – remote meetings will not be lawful after 6th May. This was upheld – in the face of challenge by the Local Government Association – by the High Court on 27th April.

PC REID The Parish Council wishes to express its sadness that PC Andy Reid is leaving his beat area, he will be greatly missed. Sadness also that we will no longer be in the privileged position of PC Reid being our beat officer. He will be a great loss to the Parish and irreplaceable. To thank him for his 17 years' dedicated service – and to congratulate him on his retirement and wish him every happiness in moving to Wales and for the future.

PARISH PLANNING APPLICATIONS

21/01591/PIP (Validated 10 May) Little Acre, Woods Lane. Permission in Principle for the a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 4 dwellings.

21/01321/RET (Validated 14th April) Faerie Meadows, 14 Hackwood Lane. Change of use to residential garden land.

21/00931/FUL (Pending 16th March) Newland Lodge, Woods Lane. Demolition of existing bungalow and erection of 1 no. four-bed dwelling. (Replacement for approved application 18/00116/FUL.)

21/00831/HSE (Pending 8th March) 4 Hackwood Lane. To add ground floor window to rear of annex and add first floor windows to rear and front of annex.

20/03441/HSE (Granted 20th May) 4 Hackwood Lane. Single storey front and rear extensions and loft conversion to include raising of the roof with roof lights and Juliet balcony to rear elevation.

PARISH TREE APPLICATIONS

T/00151/21/TCA (Approved 30 April) 4 Pond Cottages, Farleigh Road. Works as according to tree condition survey report: T1 & T4, Beech, T2 Yew, T3 Ash.



Talk to the Hedge: come and join our Hedge Talks celebrating National Hedgerow Week

Hedge Talks is a series of free webinars spreading the word about all that our unsung hedgerow heroes do for us and the environment. We have collected some of the brightest minds in the world of hedges to speak about everything from insects to hedgelaying, birdsongs to hedge books – there's something for everyone!

**NATIONAL
HEDGEROW
WEEK 2021**

This is the first National Hedgerow Week organised by the Tree Council. The initiative aims to highlight the immense contribution the unsung hedgerow makes in the fight against climate change, biodiversity loss, and urban air pollution.

The first talk is on Monday 31st May an 'Introduction to the dynamic world of hedgerows'. Booking information and details of other talks can be found at

<https://treecouncil.org.uk/national-hedgerow-week-webinars-hedge-talks/>

CLIDDESSEN, FARLEIGH WALLOP & ELLISFIELD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

NEWS FOR JUNE *Hello from Claire!*

Roses are red, violets are blue.....

There are so many different colours, shapes and forms of roses you can almost be overwhelmed with the choices!

What is your favourite – classic, flat, pom-pom, globular?

Mine is 'Blue Moon' which to my chagrin I've not managed to grow with success as yet. There's time!

With the mid-summer solstice fast approaching we should be making the most of these wonderful flowers.

Have you tried drying the petals to make potpourri or homemade confetti? Collect the petals before they start to turn brown, and spread them thinly on trays in an airing cupboard or well-aired greenhouse. Once completely dried out pop into a bowl or jar. If your roses aren't fragranced, or you like a stronger scent, mix the petals with dried herbs, spices or a few drops of essential oil.

This would make a wonderful Christmas gift for someone – evoking the warmth and heady scents of summer – because (of course) once the Summer Solstice is past then it really is only six months till Christmas.

Yes, I will now duck as the virtual throwing of cushions and collective groans of a hundred households echoes across the fields... 😊



Back to Summer!

The other flower for June is the Honeysuckle – I remember reading 'The Honeysuckle Fairy' by Cicely Mary Barker when I was a child. If you haven't heard of her, she wrote beautiful poems, and did these amazing illustrations, about the flower fairies.

Besides its sweet scent and the beauty of its flowers, honeysuckle has other benefits for the gardener and the homeopathic practitioner.

Insects love the sweet nectar, which is also safe for humans to ingest, and as a bloom it represents happiness. The scent is stronger at night to attract moths. Which will also encourage the bats.

For good health honeysuckle can be used for urinary disorders, headache, diabetes, rheumatoid arthritis and cancer. It also has uses to promote sweating, as a laxative, to counteract poisoning and for birth control. Honeysuckle is sometimes applied to the skin for inflammation and itching, and to kill germs.

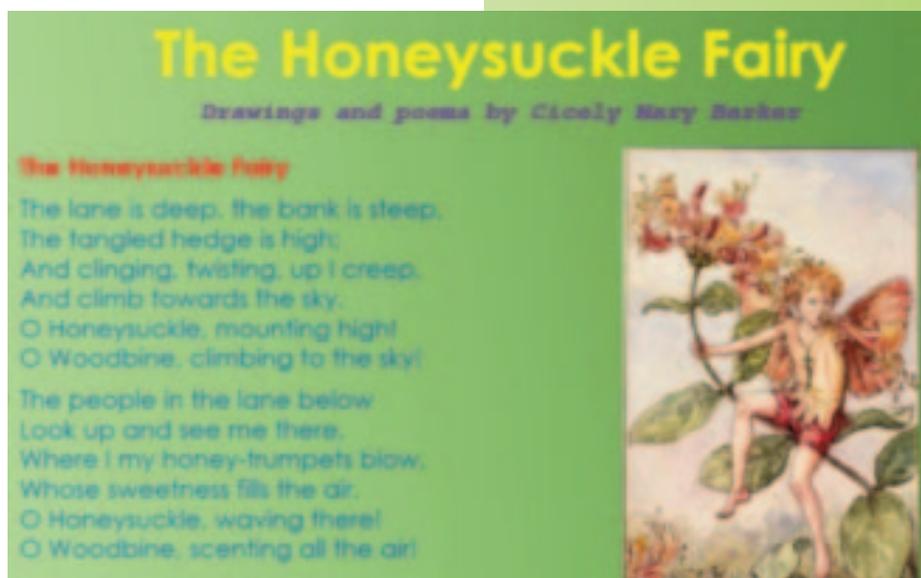
Who would have thought all these benefits could be contained in such a delicate flower!

Something Happened!

But I can't tell you all about it yet, because as I'm writing this it hasn't happened, so I'll give a full report on the May Zoom, and the May plant sale, for the July issue.

Something Else is Happening!

Talk by Steve Oakes
July 8th – 'Fish for Tea'
Could be a Zoom, hoping for a face-to-face meeting!
Decision will be made closer to the time.
Steve started giving talks in 1988 for the South Wiltshire local RSPB group, to raise funds.
He did 6 talks and raised £49.
Over the years his reputation as an entertainer, educator, charmer and fund-raiser has grown and he is much in demand.
Equally at home talking to children and adults Steve is dedicated to the birds he talks about and passionate about their preservation and protection.
I am sure we are going to have a fabulous evening, however it is presented.





THE SUMMER SHOW AUGUST 1ST, CLIDDESSEN MILLENIUM HALL

If you are new to the Village and haven't yet had chance to attend one of our shows you are missing out on a wonderful village tradition – not to mention a delicious array of homemade cakes.

Flowers, vegetables, flower arrangements, fruits, handicrafts, cooking, and more – all represented at either the Spring or Summer Show. And a warm, friendly atmosphere to welcome old and new faces.

Entry is only open to members, and membership is usually £8 per household, per year. This year we have reduced this to £5 due to the Covid-19 situation making it impossible to do anything except pay our yearly fees! Please give me a shout if you would like to join.

Visitors are welcome to come along for the viewing from 2pm – please be aware that this year we will be operating under current guidelines for your safety.

Summer Show Schedules are now available please contact either me or Marilyn Smith if you would like one.

Fuchsia plantlets for Class 45 – Plantlets are available at £1.50 from me on 01256 381504 or Steve Bowcutt on 01256 324707.

Thank-you to everyone who has now paid their subs! If you haven't yet done this payment can be made to any committee member, or via bank transfer, please contact me for details on how to do this.

Happy gardening!
Claire

NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING TEAM

Retirement of PC Andy Reid



A message from Neighbourhood Inspector 25147 Hannah Luchesa and C/Insp Reeves in relation to the retirement of Pc Andy Reid..

'He will be missed by all of us but rest assured the remaining team will continue to police the rural south area. I'm sure you will want to join us in wishing him well in his future endeavours.'

As you may be aware, PC Andy Reid has retired from Hampshire Constabulary after 19 years' service with us, and previous service in Royal Parks Police both as a Special and Regular officer in total nearly 40 years' service in the police. We are sure you will want to join us in thanking Andy for his loyalty and dedication, and in wishing him and his family good luck in the next chapter of their lives.

The Basingstoke Rural Neighbourhood Policing Team and our Countrywatch Team will continue to police our rural communities, and while we may be losing one highly valued officer, the good news is that we will be welcoming several new members of the team over the coming months with three new Constables as part of the national uplift. This is the first time in our memory that new recruits will have been coached by our rural officers, and this will give them a great understanding of all the local issues right from the start. Additionally we are due to recruit a further three PCSOs over the summer period. This adds to the inclusion of PC Lionel L'Ecuyer who joined the team in December following several years' service as a rural Special Constable.

Many of you will know PC Will Butcher (CountryWatch) and he will continue to work in the rural area, and rural crimes and incidents will be picked up by him. He can be contacted via email at william.butcher@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

PC Ross Holdsworth continues to police the Rural South beat along with PCSO Andy Jones. They can also be contacted by email ross.holdsworth@hampshire.pnn.police.uk and andrew.jones.13301@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

We are acutely aware that PC Reid has a large and trusted network of contacts, and he was tasked with introducing PC Butcher, PC Holdsworth and PCSO Jones to as many of these as possible. We want to maintain these links after PC Reid's retirement and if the introductions have not been made then members of the community can contact the officers directly via their email addresses. The team will be all too happy to become acquainted with members of the Candovers & Upton Grey communities.

These email addresses should not be used to report crimes as they are only accessed when the officers are on duty. If crimes are reported in this way then it just results in the officers having to spend more time in the office recording the crimes, rather than getting out and about.

Crimes and incidents should continue to be reported via 999 if urgent police attendance is required (offenders on scene for example).

Or 101, or reported online at <http://www.hampshire.police.uk> for intelligence or incidents that are not happening now. 101 has historically had a bad press but call waiting times have improved in recent months, in part because of the opportunity to report issues online as an alternative to ringing. Please be assured that whatever reporting method you choose to use, the matter will be recorded and will be accessible to all your local officers and PCSOs as well as to their supervisors and leaders.

The other advantage of reporting crimes or incidents on these channels rather than directly to a specific officer is that they are picked up 24 hours a day and where appropriate can be deployed by the police control room to the response and patrol team officers, roads policing officers or other specialist officers on duty at the time. All incidents reported are reviewed by the local rural neighbourhood team when they are next on duty, and they will follow up where necessary.

We know that many of you will miss the reassuring presence that PC Reid has provided over many years, but we want to re-iterate that it is our desire to continue to work with local communities and stakeholders to ensure that all parts of Basingstoke & Deane remain safe places to live, work and visit.

Inspector Hannah Luchesa
Chief Inspector Matthew Reeves, Inspector District Commander
Basingstoke Rural, Basingstoke and Deane

POLICE INTRODUCTION

andrew.jones.13301@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

My name is Andy Jones and I am the PCSO for Rural South which on the map reads Whitchurch, Overton / Laverstoke / Steventon, Upton Grey And the Candovers.

I joined Hampshire Constabulary in January 2007 initially covering Basingstoke Town Neighbourhood Team which in itself present many challenges. In 2016 I was requested to attend the Rural team and Rural South is where I stayed. I have worked closely with PCs Andy Reid and Ross Holdsworth during this period who covered the South also.

PC Andy Reid is now retiring and will be deeply missed. So I am taking this opportunity to introduce myself to members of the community.

As you can imagine I cover a very large patch and not always available at the end of the phone. I am more than willing to meet members of the community I serve and ask that contact is made by email to which I will always reply at my earliest opportunity.

Please do not report crime direct to me but use 101 or online www.hampshire.police.uk/ro/report/ocr/af/how-to-report-a-crime/

Hopefully you will see me around to talk to.

PCSO 13301 Andy Jones

Basingstoke Rural South
Neighbourhood Policing Team



100 CLUB *Hello members*

A big thank you to all who have continued with their membership and welcome to new members. The draw was called at my house on 19th May 2021 monitored via Zoom video with the Beevers and James households.

Here are the lucky winners:

April

1st	243	Kathy Snook
2nd	76	Pat Rampton
3rd	86	Anita Williams

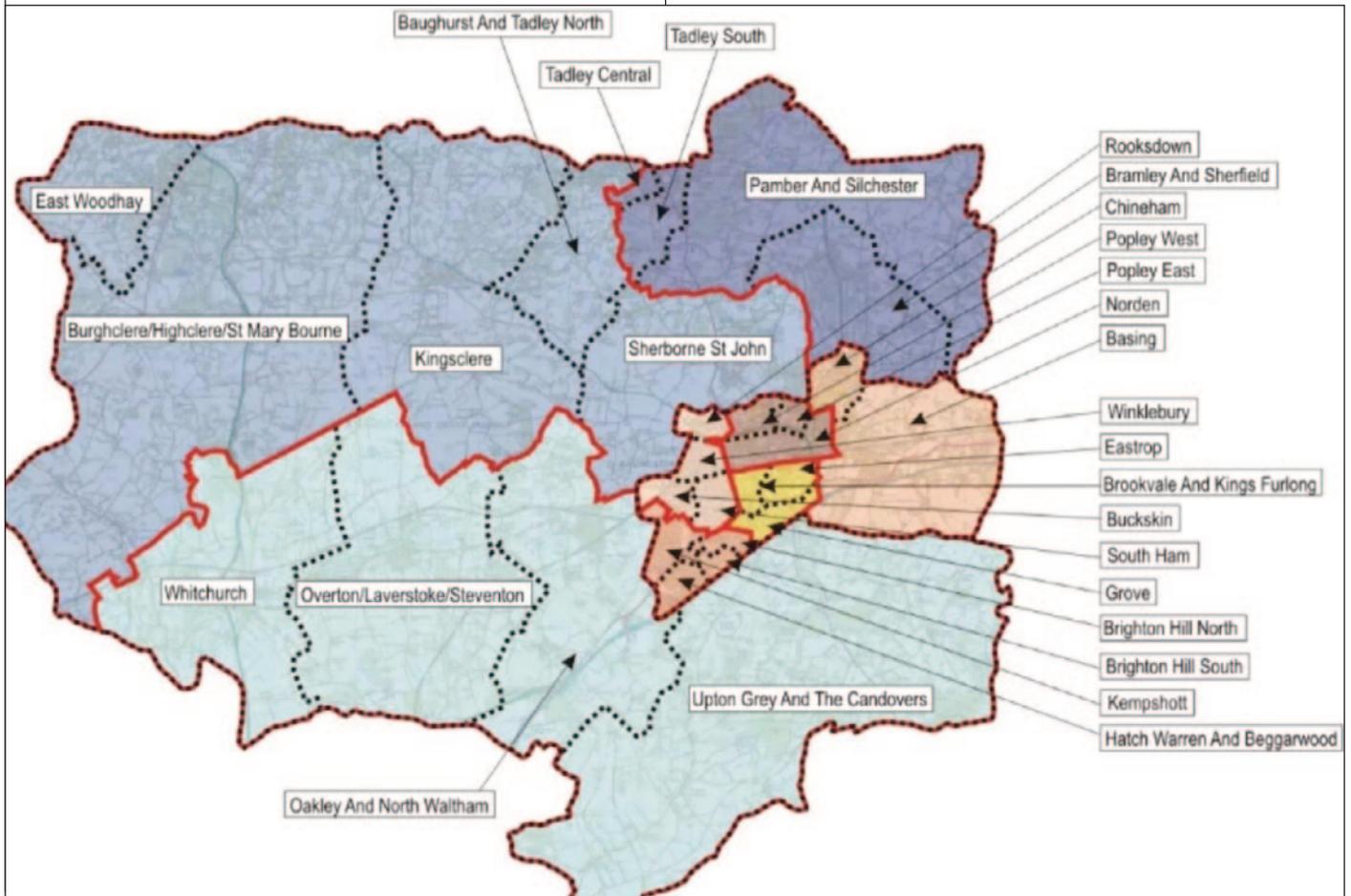
May

1st	121	Avril Hudson
2nd	38	Lindsay James
3rd	7	Carol Hawkins

NEW MEMBERS are always welcome – just contact me using the details below. Thanks again for everyone's support.

Rose Beevers Tel: 475944

100club@cliddesdenhall.org.uk





VILLAGE HALL NEWS

With the further easing of the COVID-19 restrictions from 17th May, the Trustees are really pleased to be able to welcome back the Art Classes, Yoga and West Coast Swing, all who should have restarted their sessions by the time you read this article. And we look forward to seeing the Film Club, Coffee Morning, Zumba and WI return as we approach or pass the Government's next 'step' on 21st June. Please contact these groups direct for news or keep an eye on the Hall's Facebook page for further updates.

3rd July - a date to look forward to. As mentioned last month, the Hall is planning to an afternoon outdoor social event where we can all safely get together in a COVID-secure and socially distanced manner. The exact format is still being discussed, and it obviously it depends on the weather and the lifting of restrictions, but probably in the style of a garden party with people bringing their own food and drink.

Obviously events like this don't just happen by themselves, so we are seeking volunteers to help with the arrangements – any and all help is greatly appreciated. Please send an email to volunteering@cliddesdenhall.org.uk if you can help.

Another call for people who would like to join the Hall's management committee as 'Village Representatives' and take an active role in managing the Hall and safeguarding its future – if you are interested then again please send an email to volunteering@cliddesdenhall.org.uk.

As always, remember to visit the Hall's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/CliddesdenVillageHall and website at www.cliddesdenhall.org.uk for the latest news.

Greg Mendelsohn
Village Hall Management Committee
chair@cliddesdenhall.org.uk



THE QUEEN'S GREEN CANOPY

The Queen's Green Canopy (QGC) is a tree planting initiative – to mark Her Majesty's Platinum Jubilee in 2022 – which invites people from across the UK to 'Plant a Tree for the Jubilee'.



Everyone, from individuals to Scout and Girlguiding groups, villages, cities, counties, schools and corporates will be encouraged to play their part to enhance our environment by planting trees from October, when the tree planting season begins, through to the end of the Jubilee year in 2022.

With a focus on planting sustainably, the QGC will encourage planting of trees to create a legacy in honour of The Queen's leadership of the Nation, which will benefit future generations.

As well as inviting the planting of new trees, The Queen's Green Canopy will dedicate a network of 70 Ancient Woodlands across the United Kingdom and identify 70 Ancient Trees to celebrate Her Majesty's 70 years of service.

DUMMER OAKS

The petition continues on [Change.org](https://change.org) to save the Dummer Trees – 68 Oak, three Beech, lining the old road into Dummer village, and of historical and environmental significance. On going to press the signatures were over 98 thousand.



The Disability Forum

Basingstoke & District



WHY VOLUNTEER?

Do you have a couple of hours to spare a month, maybe you have more free time than usual as you are commuting less, or want a new challenge or a way to make new friends whilst giving back to your local community?

BDDF are actively seeking volunteers to support our services such as the buddy scheme and to help on the Scarecrow event.

BDDF would like to expand our Trustee Board. As a Trustee you can help set the strategy for the charity. We have two positions available one focusing on Diversity & Inclusion and the second a Treasurer/Financial position.

Why volunteer?! Volunteering offers vital help to people in need but there are many benefits for you, the volunteer. Aside from the obvious feel-good factor from giving your time to a worthy cause, volunteering has several key benefits which make it well worth considering...

- Gain confidence by giving you the opportunity to try something new and build a real sense of achievement.
- Make a difference your actions will have a real and valuable positive affect on people, communities and society in general.
- Meet people meet people from across the community, make new friends.
- Be part of a community be part of a cause wider than your current network.
- Learn new skills gain practical experience, help your CV stand out and learn skills which make you more desirable for prospective employers.
- Challenge yourself to try something different, achieve personal goals, practice using your skills and discover hidden talents.
- Have fun! Most volunteers have a great time, regardless of why they do it.

Food for thought? Want to know more about volunteering with Basingstoke & District Disability Forum (BDDF), your local disability charity, please contact sarah@bddf.org.uk or telephone 01256 423869. or by visiting our website www.bddf.org.uk.

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**HAMPSHIRE
CONSTABULARY**



Disrupting County Lines Drug Dealing The Exploitation of Vulnerable Adults and Children

COUNTY LINES

Hampshire Constabulary coordinated a week of action May 17th to 23rd to tackle County Lines drug dealing and the associated exploitation of vulnerable people.

'County lines' describes criminal networks exporting illegal drugs out of bigger cities into smaller towns, using dedicated mobile phone lines or other form of 'deal line'. They exploit children and vulnerable adults to move and store drugs and money.

Neighbourhood Policing Teams engaged with locals to share information and raise awareness of child criminal exploitation. Officers identified and safeguarded 17 children as vulnerable to County Lines exploitation. The British Transport Police ran operations in Basingstoke, Southampton, Portsmouth and the New Forest.

Hampshire Constabulary's lead for drug-related harm, Detective Superintendent Nick Plummer, said: 'No one really knows how many young people across the country are being forced to take part in County Lines activity.

'We are often involved in missing person reports of young people who have left their home in another county and later been found in Hampshire and the Isle of Wight, often carrying drugs or cash which results in arrest. We have to consider the ongoing risk to them from the gang who controls them, as well as rival gangs, but this is an opportunity for us to put in place safeguarding measures and support.'

Detective Inspector Lee Newman, County Lines regional co-ordinator for the South East Regional Organised Crime Unit, said: 'We've provided support to forces with a range of specialist skills and co-ordinated activity to work together to identify and disrupt serious offenders causing the most harm in our communities.

'Last week's operation saw officers target 52 cuckooed addresses and stop-checked seven vehicles for organised crime usage. ('Cuckooing' is the term used for when drug dealers take over the home of a vulnerable person in order as a base for drug dealing.) A further seven pre-planned warrants were executed and 38 adults identified as vulnerable and potentially at risk.

'A significant amount of intelligence has been gathered through this week of action plus seizure of £4,140 worth of heroin, £50k worth of cannabis, 25 MDMA tabs, £7,380 cash POCA (proceeds of criminal act), 7 knives, 1 scissor blade, 1 catapult, 1 knuckleduster, 38 mobile phones, plus crack and cocaine (not yet quantified). We arrested 26 men, three boys and four adult women.

'We have also been supporting and sharing BTP and The Children's Society's #LookCloser awareness campaign to encourage professionals and the public to 'Look Closer'... Key signs include children travelling alone, particularly during school hours, late at night or on a regular basis. Criminals groom children through manipulation... Any child, in any community, can be vulnerable and many do not see themselves as victims. We must therefore look beyond the obvious to see they need help.

'The collaborative work between Hampshire Constabulary and our partners in relation to County Lines and the associated risks are always ongoing. Just last week a man from Reading was jailed for 11 and a half years for being part of a County Lines conspiracy to supply Class A drugs in Basingstoke.'

THE GOOD SHEPHERD VISITS ST LEONARD'S CHURCH!

Lots of fun was had by young and not quite so young at our family service this month where we acted out 'The Good Shepherd'. Thank you to all our performers! We were even blessed with some sunshine. Come and join the fun at our next family service on 20th June.



Farleigh Parish Playgroup



Cliddesden Millennium Village Hall

Friday Mornings 11-12 Term Time

Walks: 11th and 18th June

Return to the hall: 25th June and 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd July

0 - 4 year olds and their grown-ups.

Due to Covid-19 we are offering a country walk until 25th June when we feel more confident about a return to the hall where government guidelines will continue to be followed. Please phone or FB for more info

A warm welcome awaits you - we look forward to you joining us.

Cost: £1 (£2 in hall) donation per family



Contact:

Melanie Previous Pre-school Head (07833-528040)

Claire Qualified teacher (01256-477197)

YOU'RE INVITED! FAMILY SERVICE

Say 'thank you' for Fathers with us

St. Leonard's Church, Cliddesden
Sunday, 20th June, 11.15 - 12.15am

Fun, fellowship and discovery



CHURCH SERVICES ST LEONARD'S

(unless stated otherwise)
Services will be held outdoors wherever possible

Sunday 6th June 9.45am

Holy Communion (Common Worship)

Sunday 13th June 11.15am

Family Communion (Common Worship)

Sunday 20th June 11.15am

Family Service

Saturday 26th June 6pm

Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO CONTRIBUTES TO THE NEWSLETTER

Please send copy to bootofthedailybeast@gmail.com for 20th of the preceeding month.



Cliddesden Primary School



It is so pleasing to see some of the great learning that is happening at our school. Teachers are busy filling in the gaps with Maths and English and 'catch-up' interventions are taking place alongside normal lessons. We have been able to deploy some of our teachers and learning support assistants for part of the day to focus on the basic skills of reading, number, phonics and sentence structure.

We have also been able to continue our broad curriculum:

Willow Class have been thinking about 'Amazing Animals'.

Starting in the coldest regions of the world, they have been looking at the animals and how they live in the cold. There are many different species of penguin, so the children will be discovering all about them and where they live.

The children will move onto the wettest regions in the world, and explore some rainforest animals. Our focus artist, Henri Rousseau, will inspire us to draw and camouflage tigers and other creatures.

Then the children will continue to explore our world and find out about the hottest and driest regions on our planet.

As we learn more about the habitats in the world, the children will be thinking about the conservation of our amazing planet and the animals who share it with us.



Beech Class have studied the Antarctic in geography.

They have been listening to the story, 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers. The children were then very excited to find their own penguins to help them with their work this term.

In Design Technology we will be making hand puppets, exploring design, materials and how to hold the puppet together. As a practice, we made penguin puppets out of paper.



Chestnut Class The history focus is all about The Titanic. The class 'hot seated' Madeline Astor and Captain Smith from the doomed vessel. They asked lots of questions in order to find out what it was like on the ship before it met its tragic end.

Oak Class In Design Technology Oak Class have been designing and making fairground rides using both battery and computer-controlled devices. There is a lovely video of their designs on the Oak Class page of our website: www.cliddesden.hants.sch.uk/oak-class



Easter Craft Competition

Children were encouraged to create biscuits, cakes, bonnets, cards, baskets, egg decoration, painting, face painting, sewing, knitting... as long as it had an Easter theme. Judging was extremely difficult and congratulations to all of the wonderful entries.

Our winning entries:



To find out more about our school, please visit our website: cliddesden.hants.sch.uk

Paula Lavender

VILLAGE DIRECTORY

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