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COFFEE CALL AT ALL SAINTS WOODCHURCH

Do drop-in and bring your friends along drinks and snacks and chats FRIDAYS

9-11am TERM TIME : 10-12 OTHER TIMES.
Meet old friends and make some new ones

Nursery visit to King Johns Nursery at Etchingam. Own transport. For further details contact Chris Stafford - 01233 861193. Tue 21st May 2019, 14:30 - 17:00

First Man. Starring Ryan Gosling and Claire Foy.
<http://woodchurchfilmsociety.com>. At The Memorial Hall
Fri 10th May 2019, 7pm - 10pm

The Woodchurch Community Warden is available in the Information Centre every Wednesday from 2:00-4:00.

Woodchurch W I Meeting - Resolutions & American Supper.
Tue 14th May 2019, 7.15pm - 9pm Competition "If I Ruled the World, I Would....." At The Memorial Hall

Memorial Hall Coffee Morning Fundraiser
Sat 11th May 2019, 10:00 - 12:00

Scouts Quiz Fundraiser Sun 19th May 2019, 7.30pm to 10pm
Teams of 2-6 people, £2.50 per head. Grab some friends and turn up on the night. Or just come along and we'll put you with a team. Monthly raffle, prize donations always welcome

Cream Tea at All Saints Church
Sun 26 May 2019, 2.30pm - 4:30pm

For further events and details please go to the Woodchurch Calendar at www.woodchurchinfo.com

Karate Lessons

Starting soon in Woodchurch.

For enquiries call 07733 065927.

Free for the first month - come and try. Fitness, flexibility and confidence building. For all ages. Learn to look after yourself. Practical self defence taught. Fully qualified national/international coach.

CARM MEETING POINT

The Bonny Cravat Public House. 3rd Monday in the month
10am to 12 noon. Free Parking in road outside pub.

You'll be very welcome.

Any Items for the newsletter- please contact the Woodchurch Community Information Centre

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An evening for friends and family to say a special thank you for all Julian has done for our village.

A FUN FILLED night with a few surprises thrown in !

DATE : Saturday 21st September 2019

WHERE : Woodchurch Village Hall

TIME: Arrive from 6pm latest 6:45pm

Small food buffet and licensed bar

TICKETS £5 for adults to cover costs

Any excess proceeds go to the Woodchurch Scout Group

TICKETS from: **Woodchurch info Centre**, email julianwestcelebration@yahoo.com or call Annabelle on 07956 972711 for tickets or to get involved.

Wealden Literary Festival

The full programme and ticketing arrangements for this year's Wealden Literary Festival will be available on-line on 30 April. Those of you who are Subscribers to the Festival Newsletter will be able to take advantage of priority ticketing arrangements and discounts, so if you have not yet signed up as a subscriber, it is not (quite) too late to do so! Spread the word! www.wealdenliteraryfestival.co.uk

Woodchurch in Bloom – Front Garden Competition

In addition to the Woodchurch in Bloom main competition in the centre of the village, this year we will also be running a Front Garden Competition. This is open to all houses within the village so that everyone can get involved. There will be three categories... 1 – Small Front Garden; 2 – Large Front Garden; 3 – Hanging Baskets and Containers - so you can enter whatever size of front garden you have – and even if you do not have one. The only requirement is that your front garden or baskets must be able to be viewed from the road or footpath.

Entry is free. The closing date for entries is the 30th June and judging will take place after this date. There will be certificates awarded for entries in each category.

If you would like to enter, please collect an entry form from a member of the WinBloom team, collect one from the Information Centre or download it from the Information Centre Web site.

WoodchurchYard Together ("WYT")

A huge thank you for the tremendous support at last month's volunteer weekend!

Our next volunteer gardening weekend is on 18th and 19th May from 10am to 4pm.

Keeping in touch

email: philippa.nick@btinternet.com

phone: 07774 608281

or follow us on Facebook - search WoodchurchYard Together

The gardens at Boldshaves

are open for the season from today, 1st April, and will now be open on weekday afternoons from 2-6pm until mid-October.

The new Cliff Tea House is also now open, serving teas, coffees, light refreshments and home-made cakes for our garden visitors.

Pop In Centre over 60s meet 2 -4pm Lower Road every Weds

Boot Fair at Woodchurch Pop In Centre, Lower Road Sun. 5th May 9 - 12noon

Listen to Arts Hour presented by Clive Montague-Looker every Sunday between 2pm & 3pm on Channel Radio's 'TALK CHANNEL' or available on their 'Listen Again' feature any time for the following 7 days. Just go to www.channelradio.co.uk/two/listenagain/

3rd Monday each month The Big Thin Red Line are running a fun night all welcome Bonny Cravat 7pm for 7.30pm start each month events include Quiz Night/Cheese and Wine/Race night.

Scrabble - Is anyone interested in playing scrabble on an occasional afternoon/evening? Venue to be decided at a later date dependant on response. If you are interested please contact me - Penny - on 01233 860207

The latest news on the Minibus is that it has been approved and we are currently working with ABC to get it operational. As you can imagine there is a lot of official red tape that needs to be completed before the service can launch and we are in the process of completing this. We met with ABC on Wednesday and the project is currently on track to launch at the end of May. Yes, we were originally hoping that we could launch in April but this timescale was simply too short to achieve.

'Woodchurch Local History Society. On Monday May 6th the society meets at the Memorial Hall, Woodchurch (7:30pm) to hear a talk by member Geoff Turner entitled 'Razzle Dazzle on the Medway'. Members pay £10 annual subscription or visitors pay £3 at the door.

OUR 25TH CLASSIC CAR SHOW

Rare Breeds Centre

TREAT DAD THIS FATHER'S DAY!

SUNDAY 16TH JUNE 2019. VISITORS £7.50. EXHIBITORS FROM £8 - INCLUDES 3 PASSENGERS

01233 861508 RAREBREEDS.ORG.UK

Woodchurch Community Calendar

The Woodchurch Community Calendar has now been launched and can currently be accessed through both the Information Centre and Parish Council Web sites. This calendar is for the use of all clubs and societies in Woodchurch and is being managed through the Information Centre. At a glance you can see what is going on in the village on any day, week, month or for the whole year. If you choose, the calendar can also automatically email you the list of events on a regular basis. In addition to accessing the calendar through the Web sites, you can also be kept fully up to date on your smartphone or tablet by using the "Teamup Calendar" app – available free of charge in both the Apple and Android App Stores. When prompted add the calendar URL "https://teamup.com/ks5vpxtacyow6kktvi". See the Information Centre Web site for more details.

A central calendar is only useful if it is kept up to date and accurate. If you are planning an event in or around the village please let us know and we will include it in the calendar. It is a great way to help publicise your events but also it will help you plan your future events to ensure that they do not clash with others that may be similar. If you know of any organised events that are missing from the calendar, or are inaccurate, then please let the Information Centre know – enquiries@woodchurchinfo.com. The calendar is already being used by both the Parish Magazine and the Information Centre Newsletter to generate their monthly events lists.

If your club or society manage their own web site and would like to embed a live version of the calendar (showing your club events only) then please contact the Information Centre for more information.

Save the Date

Saturday 6th July

Woodchurch Summer Fete

Traditional Village Fair

- Local Stalls - Tea & Cake - Music - Rides
Fun & Games - Raffle - Food & Drink
- Kite Flying - Arena Events - & more!

Everyone Welcome

Woodchurch Village Green

12 - 3pm

For more info please contact fowsa@woodchurch.kent.sch.uk

Woodchurch wins Gold!

We're thrilled to announce that our Sparkling Rosé 2015 has won a gold medal at the IEWA awards! It's a prestigious new competition and we were competing against 132 other English wines. These are just some of the wonderful comments made by the judges:

"Beautiful in every way. From appearance, to nose, to palate. Wild strawberries with fresh air and cream too. Well balanced and totally moreish!"

"Yessss. Delicate, elegant. Pretty colour, and wild strawberry, raspberry on nose with some sour cream. Great intensity on palate, bursting fruit, cream and fruit. Great texture"

WOODCHURCH ART SOCIETY'S EXHIBITION

Friday 24th May 7-9pm

Saturday 25th May & Sunday 26th May 10am -4pm

Entry is free on Friday evening and will include a glass of wine or tea/coffee. Everyone is welcome so please make a note in your diary to come and join us. We look forward to seeing you
Angela Moore - Chairman of Woodchurch Art Society

The Big Thin Red Line invite you to come and join the fun at the Picnic On The Green.

Saturday 11th May 2019, 13:00 - 19:00

Live Music, Bring your own picnic
Bar will be available

Woodchurch Players
present

PETER PAN

THE FULL LENGTH PLAY By J M Barrie

16th - 18th
May 2019

Adaptation by Daisy Fermor

Directed by Ann Tiplady

WOODCHURCH MEMORIAL HALL
Front Road, Woodchurch, Ashford, TN26 3PA

Book online at: Woodchurchplayers.com
Or by phone: 01233 861381

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Proceeds from the raffle will be donated to
Great Ormond Street Children's Hospital

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