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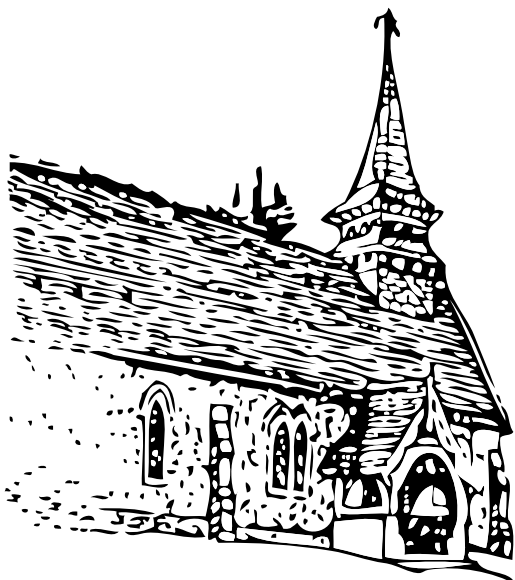
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BENEFICE MAGAZINE – October 2017

**Edition for the Parishes of Herriard with Winslade, Tunworth,
Upton Grey and Weston Patrick**

Letter from the Benefice Ministry Team

“Dear Friends, there’s nothing I like better than a good sort out. August is usually a quieter month and I use this moment to get all those jobs done that have sat on my desk for a while, even the filing! September starts with a tidy desk, pencils sharpened and me raring to discover what the next few months will bring, because change is always just around the corner. I’ve had several signals of change recently. I’ve just received a letter from the Health Centre inviting me to go for my first flu jab, so you’ll have worked out which birthday I’ve just celebrated! Much more significantly, my time as a curate came to an end at the beginning of September when Bishop David licensed me as Associate Minister to the Benefice with particular pastoral care for those in the United Parish. I suspect that you may perceive little change in what I’ve been doing for a while now, but the beautiful and wonderfully joyous licensing service marked a new beginning for me in my journey with God and serving all God’s people.

A very last-minute change has been to our (late) summer holiday plans. Lewis and I had planned to tour Georgia and South Carolina in the States, but having seen the damage hurricane Irma brought to Florida, with people fleeing into Georgia for safety, that just didn’t feel right. So, we’re heading off to New Hampshire and Maine instead to “leaf peep” (as the Americans call it) the autumn tree colours and to walk the coastal paths and around Acadia national park. Shorts and t-shirts changed at the last minute to walking boots and fleeces!

And finally, the ministry team is giving thought to changes which will evolve over the next three years as we work across the twelve villages of our Benefice to develop a model of the rural Benefice of the Future. What on earth is that? Well, the Church has recognised that we can no longer have one model of church to fit all - we can no longer shoe-horn a largely urban or city model of church into our rural communities and expect it to fully meet the needs. North Hampshire Downs is one of three Benefices that have been asked by Bishop Tim to develop a model which will lead to a thriving rural Benefice.

If you would like to hear more about what changes this may bring about for church life and mission in our villages, then do come along

to a presentation by **Archdeacon Richard Brand** at **7.30pm on 11th October in All Saints Church in Odiham**. There'll be plenty of time for you to ask questions. Some of us thrive on change and shout "Praise the Lord!", for others change can make them feel quite uncomfortable and they may cry out "I need a miracle to get through this!" However, you feel about change, we know that in this we are supported and equipped by God. The verse in Philippians, "I can do all things through him who gives me strength" (4:13) has seen me through many a moment. In this and in all things, may the Lord bless us all richly. **Revd Linda Scard**".

FROM THE REGISTERS

Baptism

Fergus Harman at St Mary's Upton Grey on 10th September

Funeral

Veronica Jolley at St Mary's Upton Grey on 1st September

CHURCH NEWS

Holy Communion

The next **10am Thursday** Holy Communion service in **Herriard** will be on **19th October**. All are welcome to this informal, friendly and relaxed service, which is followed by refreshments.

Harvest Festival Services

Please do come and join us at our special Harvest Festival services – details below. All are warmly welcome and invited to bring gifts of food to be distributed after the service to local good causes. Simon.

- **October 1st: Upton Grey and Herriard**
 9.45am Family Harvest Service at Upton Grey
 11.15am Family Harvest Service at Herriard
- **October 8th: Weston Patrick and Tunworth**
 11.15am Harvest Festival at Weston Patrick
 6.00pm Harvest Festival at Tunworth

Parish Harvest Meals

- **Herriard** will hold their Harvest supper **7 for 7.30pm** at the Royal British Legion hall on **Wednesday 4th October**.
- **Tunworth** have their Harvest supper **7.30pm on Friday 6th October** at The Shooting Lodge.
- **Weston Patrick** will host a Harvest lunch after the service on **Sunday 8th October, 12.30** in the village hall.

Tunworth Patronal Service: Sunday 29th October

This is a 5th Sunday and is **Tunworth's Patronal Service** held at **10am**. It is the only morning service in our churches and all welcome.

All Age Service of Light: Sunday 29th October, St Mary's Upton Grey

This service is at **4.30pm** at St Mary's Upton Grey. Join us for a family friendly celebration and service with crafts, games, worship and refreshments.

Matthew's Gospel, Tunworth: Oct 11th & 18th, Nov 8th & 22nd

Join us as we take a walk-through Matthews Gospel, taking a closer look at its narrative, composition and significance. We are hosting a series of 6 sessions led by the scholar and minister Rev'd Dr Tim Long to help us to delve deeper into the Gospel story and ask critical questions of the author, his book, and how we might interpret and apply it today. The course is designed to complement our autumn preaching series 'The Good and Beautiful Life'. The course is open to all, no prior theological study is necessary! The sessions will be hosted at **The Shoot Lodge, Tunworth** and will start at **7.30pm** and finish by **9.00pm**. The Dates of the sessions are: **Oct 11th, Oct 18th, Nov 8th, Nov 22nd, Dec 6th**. To book a place please email Sonja Smedley: nhdboffice@gmail.com or call 01256 861706

Adult Choir

The Adult Choir practice will be on **Tuesday 3rd October** at **8pm** and then **9.45am** on **Sunday 8th October** at our Parish Communion service.

*Don't forget we have a **website**: www.uptongreychurch.co.uk. It carries the monthly Parish Magazine including service times and diary dates, plus details of local groups and organisations and other information relating to the four churches.*



Kids' Zone



Junior choir

Junior choir: our next practice will be **9am Sunday 1st October**, with our Harvest Festival service at **9.45am**. And we will sing at the Family Service on **Sunday 15th October** at **9.45am**.



October Birthdays

1 st	Samantha Hall	19 th	Harley Mitford
3 rd	Rebecca Rutland	20 th	Kitty Chevalier
7 th	Edward Reeve	21 st	Wakely Ives
9 th	Minnie Bedford	23 rd	Tom Ingrams
11 th	Charlie Mawson	25 th	Annabelle Kemp
18 th	Lydia Rosen, Lola Thrussell, Rachel Rutland, Leah Weatherup	29 th	Annabelle Harrison

If you would like a child's birthday put in the magazine, please would you send name and birthday to Kate at kate.goddard1@virgin.net



Sparks!

Our next **Sparks** meeting will be on **Sunday 8th October** in the village hall – please drop off your children at the village hall from **9.35am** for a fun session of crafts, games and worship. Collect from church 10.45am.



Messy Church

Messy Church is on **Friday 6th October** in **Upton Grey village hall**. We will start at 3.30pm and finish about 5pm and there will be the usual craft, games and worship and tea. Our theme this time is 'Harvest'. It is fun and all are very welcome. If you would like to join us, please email Caroline on caroline.scull@b20ltd.co.uk



All Age Service of Light, Sunday 29th October

An All Age Service of Light is on Sunday 29th October at **4.30pm, St Mary's Upton Grey**. Do come and join us for a family-friendly celebration. We will have crafts, games, worship and refreshments.

What is the conker game?

The conker a shiny seed from horse chestnut trees all over our area now. Collect them and put them in a bowl a lovely table centrepiece for autumn or play Conkers! The aim of the game is to score by breaking the opponents' conker to gain points and win – you can score when you are attacking or defending. If strings become entangled the first player to shout 'strings' gets an extra turn. The hardest conker wins; so, a number of methods to toughen up your weapon have been created. When you find the perfect conker; large, robust and shiny, you then drill a hole right through the centre and a shoelace is threaded through, with a knot tied



on the end, to stop the conker falling off. Keeping a conker for a year will harden it, as will baking, soaking, boiling in vinegar, or painting with clear varnish. However, this is considered cheating! Conkers is a game that could date back as far as 1821, the first ever recorded game of Conkers was played on the Isle of Wight in the 1840s.



FROM THE VILLAGES

Local Police Report

“Dear Residents, I am pleased to report that we have had no reported crime of note within this area of the magazine, however slightly further away on Thursday September 7th at about 4pm a white Transit van containing two white men was seen attempting to steal a quad bike from the area around Moundsmere Manor, Preston Candover. The van drove away at speed towards Ellisfield when the men were challenged, thankfully without the quad bike. I am asking if anyone saw a van like this in our area, possibly prior to 4pm that afternoon, to please give me a call direct. An advanced warning that in College Lane, Ellisfield on Saturday October 7th, from 7am through to 4pm the annual Basingstoke and District Agricultural Society are holding their annual ploughing match in a field off College Lane. If you are in that area please be aware that a great deal of heavy tractors and equipment will be using College Lane, Ellisfield during this period.

Finally, as I write this article I have been made aware of a man cold calling in Upton Grey then on to Newnham offering ‘surplus from another job’ tar-mac for sale - and another from a Security Company offering to visit and do a survey of the house in relation to having an alarm fitted. I cannot reiterate enough please do not purchase such things from the door, if you want your drive re-surfaced or a burglar alarm fitted etc, check with Hampshire Trading Standards ask for ‘Approved Local Business’, where you know the company and staff have been vetted. Many thanks”, Andy (Andrew) Reid, Local Police Constable 3746, Rural Beat Officer, Police Office, Preston Candover, DD: 01256:389050, HQ: 101, Mob: 07768:776844 Email: andrew.reid@hampshire.pnn.police.uk

Two-Tier Broadband Access in Countryside

Superfast broadband-deprived communities in Hampshire are being encouraged to apply for new [Community Match Funding](#) that can help them get the superfast broadband. The £1million scheme applies to locations **not** covered by the [Hampshire Superfast Broadband programme](#), which is already on track to provide 97.4% of the county with superfast broadband access by 2019. Hampshire County Council will provide up to half of the funding to match money raised by communities*, to help connect the remaining 2.6% of Hampshire – the parts of the region that are generally more difficult or expensive to reach (this “match-funding” is discriminatory to the rural communities who BT Openreach will not currently deliver a service i.e.; these communities have to part-pay to gain superfast access, whilst others in more fortunate postcodes do not, however this appears to be one of the best offers currently available). If you think your community could benefit please go to www.hampshiresuperfastbroadband.com/alternative-solutions/cmfs/ to find out more. *terms and conditions apply. Suggestions are also to approach your local Parish Council. There are 2 levels of issue (1) those who are in range of fast broadband but BT has not upgraded the infrastructure to offer it yet due to (a) finances or (b) slow rollout plan (2) those who are not currently in range of fast broadband (1.8 km from nearest access point according to BT Openreach) - and here BT Openreach has no obligation to provide services. Ian at ian@chalkdell.com would be interested to hear from anyone in the latter group to try to assess options and demand - and bring some local pressure.

Cystic Fibrosis Walk: 9th October

In aid of Gene Therapy Appeal for Cystic Fibrosis, Monday 9th October 10am–1.30pm. Calling all Walkers, Dogs and friends! Come and join us for an enjoyable morning circular walk (3 or 6 miles) from Weston Corbett. This is followed by a lunch of homemade soup and sandwiches, plus glass of wine, served in comfort in a medieval tithe barn. Meet at **10am at Manor Farm, Weston Corbett** by kind permission of Victoria Mitford and Peter Bevan. Noon for Lunch. Please apply for a place before the day. Thank you! The suggested voluntary donation is £15 person. Please make cheques payable to ‘Imperial College (CF Gene Therapy)’ and send to: Tessa Morrish, Fiveways Cottage, Humbly Grove, South Warnborough, Hants RG29 1RY Tel 01256 862475, email: tessamorrish@gmail.com

UPTON GREY NEWS
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www.uptongreyparishcouncil.co.uk

Upton Grey Drama Group meeting: October 3rd

The Upton Grey Drama Group Evening is on **Tuesday October 3rd at 7.30pm in the Hoddington Arms**. It will be a chance to find what goes on and how you can be involved in the next production. Also meet cast and technical staff members from previous productions. For more information contact Sarah on email: sajgray59@yahoo.co.uk

Upton Grey Autumn Festival – Saturdays 21st and 28th October

- **Autumn Festival Gourd Painting – Saturday 21st October**

Children are invited to Roger and Estelle's house (11 Weston Close, Upton Grey, RG25 2RX) at 2.30pm on Saturday 21st October to paint ornamental gourds for the best-decorated gourds competition. Free gourds and paints are provided but bring your own if you like. Don't wear your best clothes! Telephone Roger on 862776 if you intend to come.

- Our annual **Autumn Festival on Saturday 28th October at the Hoddington Arms** is a unique, family-orientated and highly entertaining celebration of autumn. The Hodd will be themed for Halloween and everybody is encouraged to come in their Halloween outfits (we had over 3-dozen entrants last year). First prize is a magnum of champagne after the evening's dining. Free parking in Church Meadow, RG25 2RA. Starts 2pm (prize giving at 4pm) in the Hodd garden, we have local produce to taste and buy, conkers, apple bobbing, snail races, pumpkin bowling, kids Halloween fancy dress and silent disco competitions, bouncy castle, Guy Fawkes, giant pumpkins, gourds, autumn paintings, autumn photos etc. Newlyn's Farm Shop are providing a BBQ throughout the afternoon and the Bar is open.

At 6pm gather at The Hodd for mulled wine, church bell ringing, Jack O'Lantern procession, bonfire and professional firework display. Then back to The Hodd for the pre-bookable 2-course Festival Menu (£10 only), band, Halloween fancy dress competition and then silent disco in the heated marquee. Entry to both events is free for all kids, for adults it's £2.00 on the gate in the afternoon, £5.00 advance tickets (£10 on the day) for the bonfire etc. Tickets from the Hodd, the Shop or Roger Clark.

Go to www.uptongreyautumnfestival.co.uk for all contact, festival and competition entry details. All proceeds go to charity St. Michael's Hospice, who help man the afternoon's events.

- **Guy Fawkes Competition Oct 28th in Upton Grey.** Last year we had over 36 Guy Fawkes on display around the village. See some of them on our website: www.uptongreyautumnfestival.co.uk (click on 2016 Photo Album, and then click on Guy Fawkes 2016). So, start planning your Guy Fawkes designs now. At the beginning of October, straw will again be available from Newlyn's Farm Shop. Ken & Barbie Titanic Fawkes, Quasimodo Fawkes, Penny for the Guy, PC Andy Fawkes and (hopefully) a Reverend Fawkes will be among those appearing by the end of the first week. If you also want to enter the **Autumn Festival Competition on the 28th October then you need to enter a photo of your Guy (ideally A4) by 2pm on the day.**

TEA@3: Autumn Dates; 26th Oct and 16th Nov

We are grateful to Jill and Terry for offering to host our October tea at Barn Cottage, Weston Road on **Thursday 26th October** so do come along and join us. Please let one of us know if you are coming as we need to know the numbers in advance to ensure we have enough sandwiches and cakes! In November, Simon and Hannah have very kindly asked us to have our tea at the Vicarage and this will be on **Thursday 16th November**. Our **December Christmas Tea** this year will be held in the Village Hall and confirmation of the date will be given in the next issue of the magazine. Everyone is very welcome to come along and join us and we are always pleased to see new faces – if you need a lift, please just let one of us know. Barbara 862627, Viv 852455, Jill 862131.

Bridge Club – Upton Grey: 9th and 23rd October

The bridge club is always looking for new members and is a very friendly club, meeting twice a month at the Stables Room Hoddington Arms at 7.30pm. If anyone is interested then please just turn up or for further details phone Peter Haynes 862433. The club is free to join and play! The next dates are as follows: Monday 9th and 23rd October, Monday 13th and 27th November. A Christmas dinner on Monday 11th December at the Hoddington Arms is also arranged which generally has attendance of 20 and is a good fun evening.

Annual Coffee Morning & Craft Sale for Juvenile Diabetes, 10th Nov

The Annual Coffee Morning and Craft Sale for Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation at **Waverley Cottage, Church Street, Upton Grey**. This year it will be on **Friday 10th November** from 10am – 12.30pm and we have some exciting stalls selling ladies clothing and accessories, greetings cards, quirky hand made goods, lovely bunting, children's must-haves and lots more. There will also be a raffle and home-made cake stall and of course, coffee, tea and lovely cake to eat. **All** are very welcome, it is a lovely social occasion. **Please Come!** Margaret Haynes.

Children In Need 2017 - Pirates Ahoy! Saturday 11th November

“Hi All you budding pirates and piratesses! We hope you have had a fabulous summer by the sea, and that you are now ready to have some fun with “Children in Need - Pirates 2017” which will take place on **Saturday 11th November at 6pm in St Mary's church Upton Grey**. We are looking for suitable children's and adults acts for the show. Absolutely no age limit for children, or for adults. All we ask is that it has a nautical and/or pirate theme of some kind. If you need it, we can provide backing music, either as real live instruments or recordings through iPods and speakers. We are also planning to have a children's chorus to join in with a couple of Yo Ho Ho songs and an adult's backing chorus as well, so please let us know if you can join us. We have **two rehearsals**, one the **Saturday before the show on 4th November** at 2pm, and **the other on the day of the show also at 2pm**. All down to you folks! Come along and having some fun! Let us know by calling on 01256 861325 or email dave.peace@btinternet.com or spottydog22@btinternet.com. Look forward to seeing you there on the Poop Deck! Skipper Dave and the Mermaid Crew!” Dave Peace.

Village Hall 100 Club September Draw

- First prize - £100 No 9 Mrs R. Baines
- Second prize - No 62 Mr Overton

The 100 club is **your** village halls fundraiser. If you wish to support this valuable facility, please contact Caroline James 01256 862480. Annual subs are £24 or £2 per month. Annual preferred. Be lucky.

The First Upton Grey Soap Box Extravaganza

Saturday 9th September dawned bright and sunny for the first ever Upton Grey Soap Box Extravaganza. With a little under 30 competitors registered to take part, set up began in earnest at 7am as Bob and Dan Ives set about lining Church Street with bales. In no time at all Church Street was transformed into the Monaco of Hampshire and by 8am the first competitors were arriving in Church Meadow with their creations. Practice runs began at 9.15 and as the first karts began to tackle the hill excitement was growing for the crowd who had begun to assemble behind the bales. The practice runs gave drivers a chance to test out their creations and with a handful of spectacular crashes the crowd were entertained.

Timed runs followed with the children's class taking to the track first followed by the adults. The runs were fast and times close - but eventually we presented the three fastest drivers in each class with a trophy. The organizing team would like to say a huge thank you to: everyone who turned out to support the event and make up the sizeable crowd; Bob and Dan Ives and Rob Janaway for supplying and setting up the bales; Geoff Webb for his permission to use Church Meadow; the residents of Church Street for your patience; the competitors and kart builders who threw themselves into the event with great energy; the marshals and time keepers who gave up their morning to help. We look forward to seeing you on the grid for the 2018 event...details to follow shortly. In the meantime, get designing your karts for the 2nd Upton Grey Soap Box Extravaganza.

Educational Grants available to ALL Upton Grey Residents

When the Upton Grey School was sold after its closure in the 1980s, half of the proceeds went to the village and the Upton Grey Educational Trust was formed. The income from the sale proceeds, invested by the charity, can be used twice yearly "for the advancement of education". The Trust meets in June and December each year to consider applications for assistance with educational needs, **from any age group and with no means testing**. Since the Trust was set up, it has awarded grants to over 85 applicants and 15 groups in addition to Long Sutton School. For more information on how to apply and terms and conditions, please visit www.uptongreychurch.co.uk (under Groups & Organisations) or email debbie@debbie-bridle.com. This is primarily open to residents of Upton Grey, but consideration may also be given to applicants from other parishes within the Benefice – funds permitting. We are very lucky to have this fund and very grateful to the late Ros Mills for establishing it.

Funds are available and we would welcome any new individual applications - **so why not apply!** Please submit your application in writing **before the end of November 2017** to: The Secretary to the Trustees, Upton Grey Educational Trust, Clock Cottage, Cleves Lane, Upton Grey, Basingstoke, RG25 2RG or via email to: debbie@debbie-bridle.com (requesting a read receipt). **NOTE** that any late applications received after this deadline will be carried over to the next meeting.

HERRIARD AND WINSLADE NEWS

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Herriard Harvest Supper and Auction: Wed 4th October

This is always a fun and major fundraising evening and this year it is on **Wednesday 4th October 7 for 730pm**. Advance booking essential. Please book with Gemma on 01256 381354. Auction prizes and offers of help are always welcome!

An Evening with Rudyard Kipling – Saturday 14th October

Philip Geddes, Author and Historian is giving a talk on Rudyard Kipling at **Swallick Farmhouse, Winslade 7pm for 730pm**. The story of Kipling's life with readings from his poetry and prose. It takes Kipling from his early days as the chronicler of Britain's Indian Raj through to his high point as poet of Empires for Edwardian England, and as voice of the nation in WW1. Tickets £15 in Aid of St Marys Church, Herriard. Bring your own picnic. Tables for 8 and 10 but smaller numbers can be accommodated. Tickets (limited to 70) from Peter Bedford, 01256 322408 or peter.bedford@clara.co.uk

Herriard and Lasham & Bentworth WI: Oct 5th Make Do and Mend

Our next meeting is October 5th "Make do and Mend 1942" by Deborah Wheeler at 7.30pm.

At our meeting on 7th September, Mr John Richards talked on Life in Guernsey under German Rule. John Richards is a Guernsey man born and bred. His mother was evacuated at the beginning of the German Invasion and returned 6 years later. Guernsey is only 25 square miles and its allegiance is still to Normandy. Children were evacuated with their teachers. 80% of children and half of the population went to England.

All the road signs were removed to confuse the Germans and food was very scarce for both sides and many of the inhabitants went out of their way to hinder the Germans. His father stole a German bike among other things and was sent to a P.O.W. camp in Bavaria. 1,000 people were interned in Germany and France. On the island, they ran out of prison space and had a waiting list for the prisoners to be put in jail. The occupation ended in 1945 and the Islanders returned home. New members welcome! Gemma Hounsell

Herriard Parish Council Minutes: Wednesday 6th September 2017

Present: Cllr. Gemma Hounsell, Cllr. John Jervoise, Cllr. Gareth Davies (Chairman), Cllr. Nick White, Cllr. Bob Ives, David Freer (Clerk). In attendance: PC Andy Reid, Ian Lansley-Neale (comms), Paul Hill, Tracy Crawford, Basingstoke Cllr Mark Ruffell, Rebecca Wills.

1. To receive Declarations of Interest, Cllr Jervoise declared an interest in general matters involving Herriard Estate, specifically possible new housing development.
2. **Changes to Herriard Parish Council** – HPC formally acknowledge their deep appreciation for the work done by Cllr. Michael Branigan in his role as Councilor and Chairman of the Parish Council. His leadership & vision made a real difference to the village and his passing is a great sadness to all. Thanks to Cllr. Gareth Davies for his work as Clerk. Cllr. Gareth Davies was co-opted to HPC and appointed as Chairman on 26th July 2017. Cllr. Davies wished to record his thanks to the rest of the council for their support. David Freer has now been appointed as new Clerk and was welcomed to the PC. Cllr. Gareth Davies proposed widening the group of village volunteers/'champions' to get involved in local projects and initiatives. Suggestions include discussing with Rebecca Wills how her work with Neighbourhood Watch could be better supported by HPC and made more visible. Paul Hill had also agreed to offer assistance to Cllr. Bob Ives to help develop the village network of pathways. The Chairman urged all villagers who wished to become involved in Parish Council activities to discuss this with the Clerk or any of the Councillors.
3. **Police Report** - PC Andrew Reid presented his report of crimes/reports since the last HPC meeting (08/05/17). PC Reid presented his report of crimes/reports.

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 - PC Andy Reid is in discussions with Customs helping prevent fuel dipping (for red diesel & cooking oil).
 - In response to dog nuisance on the village green, PC Andy Reid said taking a photo/note of perpetrators and their car licence plate would be of great help and asked villagers to pass these to him. PC Reid to write a note about dog behavior for this magazine.
 - Chair thanked Rebecca Wills for her work with Neighbourhood Watch and looked forward to meeting with her and PC Reid
4. **Matters arising and not dealt with elsewhere.** Thanks to Cllr Mark Ruffell for attending. **Mark Ruffell gave a short presentation**, key points outlined below:
- i. Changes in **council tax**, looking like 2% increase
 - ii. Council is **not likely to implement alternative weekly bin collections** (like other councils). Veola (current contractor) have not been so good/regular with collections this year, contract is now in review, Veola no longer in the running. Cllr Mark Ruffell feels that big families require bins to be emptied every week, and our Council have therefore stood against reducing this.
 - iii. **Investing in the Leisure park** is going to be renewed. Possible new retail 'outlet' presence (perhaps similar to Bicester Village).
 - iv. **Junction 6, M3, Cllr Mark Ruffell objects to the new service area** on grounds of opposing development south of M3; potential traffic issues; danger around the roundabout; and 'huge' increase in traffic noise.
 - v. Status of additional service area at Junction 7 of M3 southbound side is uncertain.
 - vi. Ian Lansley-Neale raised issue of problems with **BT broadband access** for properties remote from street Cabinets. Cllr Mark Ruffell is very aware of this and B&DBC are looking to enable other projects (such as wireless broadband).

Queries can be sent to andy.dowling@basingstoke.gov.uk.
Cllr. John Jervoise urged that we should lobby our MP and government not to back out of obligations to provide people with a minimal download speed.

- vii. **Detrimental changes to Rural Policing structure** - HPC will continue to lobby on this matter, but no current updates. More visible community involvement of PCSO's to be discussed with PC Reid.

5. **Herriard Housing Project.** Cllrs Jervoise/Davies: formal response to Pre-application planning submission expected from B&DBC imminently. Cllr Mark Ruffell stated that he is fully supportive of the Village Housing Plan. Impressed that the village is moving forward with this, and hopes other villages will follow. As a principle Cllr Mark Ruffell fully supports Herriard's requirement to manage allocation of property following an agreed 'Village connection cascade'.
6. **Rural transport update** - Ian Lansley-Neale. Residents have noted recent new car share routes to Upton Grey that haven't previously been mentioned by B&DBC in conversations with John Jervoise and Ian Lansley-Neale, who has asked if Herriard can be included. Ian Lansley-Neale will publish the current transport provision via the Parish Magazine and Facebook.

7. **Planning:**

- Proposed Motorway Services at M3 Junc 6 - application expected late 2017
- TAG Farnborough Air Space proposal still awaiting CAA update
- Back Lane name used on Google Maps/sat nav for road between Fur & Feathers and Nashes Green. This is confusing and suggested that we should speak to B&DBC. Ian Lansley-Neale successfully lobbied to change the Avenue Road name to The Avenue to align for the entire road and is willing to help re Back Lane, he has circulated names from historic maps.
- Ownership of Phone kiosks in Bagmore Lane and outside the Fur and Feather now transferred to Parish Council. Tracy & Nick to manage refurbishment and maintenance/future use.
- HPC should not become involved with management of the Herriard Facebook page but welcomed Clerk's suggestion to make users aware of a "Code of Conduct".

- Badgers back on the Green. HPC to ask Andy Casey to fill in two holes in the fence to prevent dogs getting in.

8. Parish Council Financial summary submitted for 2017/18

– Cllr Gareth Davies proposed that we move bank to Unity Trust Bank who are more able to support Parish Councils (Cllr Ives also suggests CAF Bank). Current bank, Lloyds do not offer convenient services to suit our needs (including internet banking). Proposal was supported and Cllr Gareth Davies and the Clerk will action.

– Cllr. Bob Ives to get Scribeland quote to spray F&F /Station path.

9. Date of next meeting: Mon December 4th, 7.30pm

Herriard Garden Club - Next workshop: 4th November

The next workshop is on Nov 4th at 10am on how to start a compost heap and the benefits of compost and mulch in the garden. Our September gathering was a Supper Party at the allotment to thank husbands, partners and friends for all their help and hard work this year in getting the allotment up and running. Our delicious party food was all home made using allotment grown vegetables, with dishes such as celeriac soup, a squash curry, vegetable frittata and a beetroot and chocolate cake. We were lucky to enjoy a late summer evening outside.

Our thanks also go to Herriard Park Estate for offering the plot to us as a Community project and to estate workers for helping us move and put up the shed and greenhouse. We were lucky enough to be accepted by Waitrose for their Community Matters green token scheme, the proceeds of which helped us with our hard landscaping costs. Thanks to Bob Ives for his donation of a large container - to be used as a water butt and to Veolia for donation of soil conditioner. We hope to spend more social / community evenings at the allotment next year in addition to growing crops and holding workshops. Contact Gill Venning 07957 400029 for more information. Five top tips for October:

1. Start raking up leaves to make lovely leaf mould
2. Last chance to mow lawns
3. Collect seed from the garden to sow next year
4. Divide established rhubarb crowns to create new plants
5. Prune climbing roses

...AND OTHER IMPORTANT THINGS

St Michael's Hospice Gift Fair: Tues 3rd October

The St. Michael's Hospice Gift Fair will be held on Tuesday 3rd October at the **Sandford Springs Golf Club, Kingsclere, from 8.30am to 4pm**. 50 stalls selling gifts, stocking-fillers, artwork, jewelry, clothes and food. Please support us; all proceeds go to the Hospice.

Dementia Friendly Information Day, Wed Oct 25th

Do you have contact with Dementia? or do you want to know more? Come to our Dementia Friendly Information Day at **The Vine Church, London Rd, Odiham RG29 1AJ, Wednesday October 25th, 10am to 4pm**. Information Displays and Free Refreshments All Day! Come and meet representatives from Dementia Advice and Carers Support Groups with information talks from:-

*Dementia Specialist Team NHS at 11am;

*Dementia Friends at 1pm;

*Solicitor – Lasting Power of Attorney at 3pm

For more information tel : 01256 702821. **The Sunflower Café** will be open as usual in the afternoon

October events at Basingstoke Discovery Centre & LGBT Pride

Basingstoke and Deane with its 245 square miles, including our villages, launched its first ever **LGBT (Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender) Pride week** (Pride 245 www.pride245.org.uk). Events have taken place in September including a new version of a theatre play on Lord Byron. A prominent display has been on view when entering the Basingstoke Library and a screening of the LGBT film romantic comedy film 'Get Real' was also shown in the Discovery Centre. 'Get Real' was mostly filmed in Basingstoke - with some great local shots! Pride 245 has



been launched by **local Basingstoke Councillor Simon Bound - and with MP Maria Miller at the Library / Discovery Centre on September 15th and 16th** (see Pride 245 launch event photos).

- * **Get Online Week:** 2-8th October. Join us for the annual Get Online campaign. Let us help you with digital skills and know-how.
- * **Disability Signpost Service** - Tues 3 October / 10am - 12noon
- * **Basingstoke Disability Connections** - Tues 3 Oct/ 12.30pm – 2.30pm
- * **Wonderful Wordsmiths** - Wed 4 October 4pm-5pm / FREE. 8-13 olds.
- * **Painting for Fun** Thursday 5 October / 2.30pm – 4.30pm / FREE
- * **Hydration and the Digestive System** Thurs 5 October / 1.30pm / £3.75
- * **Hearing Impaired Reading Group** Fri 6 October / 2pm – 4pm / FREE
- * **Discover Board Games** Sat 7 October / 10am – 1pm / FREE / Ages 3+
- * **Libraries Week** 9 – 14 October
- * **Gemma Cairney** -Tues 10 October / 7.15pm / £2.50. BBC Radio presenter, TV personality, journalist and teen ambassador
- * **Memory Box Project** Friday 13 October / 10.30am – 12.30pm
- * **Young Embroiders Club** Sat14 Oct / 10am – 12noon / £5 / Ages 5-16
- * **Chatterbooks** Sat 14 October / 2pm – 3pm / FREE / Ages 8-11
- * **StreetPass** - Sat 14 October / 11am – 4pm / FREE
- * **Children's Crafts** - Sat14 October / from 10am / FREE / Ages 3+
- * **Poetry Group** - Wed18 October / 10.30am – 12.00 noon / £1
- * **Wonderful Wordsmiths** Wed 18 Oct / 4pm – 5pm / FREE 8-13 olds.
- * **Board in the Library** Wednesday 18 October / From 6.30pm / FREE
- * **Creative Writing** Wednesday 18 October / 2pm – 4pm / £1
- * **Let's Get Making!** Wednesday 18 October / 7pm / FREE
- * **Painting for Fun** Thurs 19 October / 2.30pm – 4.30pm / FREE
- * **Discover Board Games** Sat October / 10am – 1pm / FREE / Ages 3+
- * **Family Chess Coaching** Sat 21 Oct/ 10am – 1pm (drop-in) / Free
- * **Crime Fiction Reading Group** Saturday 21 October / 2pm / FREE
- * **Take a Line for a Walk** Thurs 26 October / 10.30am – 12noon / £3.75 (Accompanying adults free) / Ages 5 – 12
- * **Memory Box Project** Friday 27 October / 10.30am – 12.30pm
- * **Make Your Own Halloween Costumes** Friday 27 October / 1.30pm – 3pm / £5 (Accompanying adults free) / Ages 8 – 11
- * **Visually Impaired Reading Group** Monday 30 October / 10.30am – 12.30pm / FREE

Phil Jarvis, Basingstoke Discovery Centre and Library, RG21 7LS,

Tel: 01256 478670. Email: philip.jarvis@hants.gov.uk

www.hants.gov.uk/librariesandarchives/library/libraryfinder/basingstoke

To book a place on a ticketed event you can order online from www.hants.gov.uk/shop/home.php

Basingstoke & District Cats Protection Autumn Fair: 7th October

Basingstoke & District Cats Protection are holding their autumn fair at The Ambrose Allen Centre, Franklin Avenue, Tadley on Saturday 7th October 2017. Running from **1pm to 3.30pm**, it promises to be a fun-filled afternoon for all the family and a chance to start your Christmas shopping! As well as a variety of stalls, visitors can delve into some of the delicious homemade cakes available and sit down for a cuppa. Entry is 50p or a donation of cat food, so please come along.

15th Annual Alton Abbey Lecture Friday 20th Oct:

“An Englishman in the Eastern Orthodox Melting Pot”

The Annual lecture is given by Dr. Nicholas Fennell Ph D, visiting Research Fellow, University of Winchester. Author of “The Russians on Athos”. A teacher of Russian and French at Winchester College from 1973 and Head of Russian, he retired in 2014. To be held in the Alton Abbey church, GU34 4AP on **October 20th Friday 2017** at 7pm, Tickets £25 for Lecture followed by Supper, with wine. Available from: Tickets, Friends of Alton Abbey, Alton Abbey, Abbey Road, Beech, Alton, GU34 4AP Cheques should be made payable to “Friends of Alton Abbey”. Please include a SAE, and a telephone number or email and information about dietary needs. For further information - email: friendsofaltonabbey@gmail.com. 01420 562126

Benefice Retreat 2017 “A time of Refreshing” Saturday 18th Nov

Linked with our Autumn preaching series exploring the ‘Good and Beautiful Life’, we have arranged a Benefice retreat to give some time and space for guided prayer and quiet reflection. A retreat is a great opportunity to take a few hours out and to find a place of stillness in which to hear the voice of God and be refreshed. We will be led by Rev’d David Bracewell, former Rector of St Saviours Church in Guildford, the Retreat will take place on **Saturday 18th November at Old Alresford Place**. We will start at 09.00 and finish at 12.30. We need to confirm numbers with Old Alresford Place and so if you would like to join us please ensure that you have booked a place **no later than Friday 3rd November**. To book email Sonja Smedley: nhdboffice@gmail.com or call 01256 861706

Brahms Requiem, 19th Nov at All Saints', Odiham

Come and hear this wonderful work sung by the Jubilee Choir in All Saints' Church, Odiham on Sunday 19th November at 7pm. The Brahms Requiem (Deutsches Requiem) will be performed as it was at the London premiere in July 1871, namely in English with piano accompaniment for 4 hands. We hope to have our new on-line ticketing system in place (see our website www.jubileechoir.com) but tickets will also be available from Katharine Jane in Odiham High St or by calling 01256 701947 or 702249. Full details will be included in the November Parish Magazine.

News from St Mary's School, Bentworth: Open Morning 16th October

The school Open Morning (September'18 intake) is taking place on Monday 16th October.

It has been a wonderful start to the new academic year with all the children returning to school full of energy and excitement about their learning. The classrooms all look amazing and the whole team has gone to so much effort over the summer break to make sure that everything is ready for our pupils. A big thank you to all those parents who painted two of the classrooms on the school DIY day in July – it has made such a difference! Some exciting news for last year's Pupil Council who were entered for the Speaker's School Council Awards: for their resilience project work. Their project was selected as highly commended by the panel of judges - and has been awarded a digital badge to show on the bottom of our letters now to remind us of the fantastic work of these children. Great work Pupil Council 2016-17!

Library Plea! If you have had a sort out of books over the summer, and you have some good quality, modern texts for children (both fiction and non-fiction), that need to be re-homed, please consider donating them to our school library! Thank you!

North Warnborough & District Garden Club: 26th October

Our next meeting will be held on **Thursday 26th October in the North Warnborough Village Hall at 2:10pm** for a 2:30pm start. Brian Madders will be our Guest Speaker, and he will talk about "Chrysanthemums". The competitions for September are: 1. Three Stems of Fuchsias with foliage. 2. A Display of Chrysanthemums. 3. One Pear or One Apple. Visitors are very welcome to join us. During the growing season, we always have a plant stall. For further information please telephone 01252 843848.

News From Odiham Cottage Hospital

The hospital continues to expand its range of services and now hosts a foot health professional on Wednesdays. Ian Bruce will offer advice on a range of podiatry care and appointments can be made on 07799 877609.

Join our Steady and Strong class which meets on Friday afternoons: Through a range of exercises, the class aims to improve balance and co-ordination and thereby reduce the risk of falls. Further details are available from Julie Hewson on 07849 248846.

Our befriending service continues to go from strength to strength and new volunteers are always welcome. Thorough training and support ensure that our volunteers offer a professional service to isolated and lonely patients in our community. Please contact Maria Bryant on 01256 393610 if you can spare 2 hours per week and would like to join us. If you need respite from caring for a loved one, come and chat to Lynne who manages Rosefield Day Centre at OCH on 01256 393604.

OCH is now benefiting from **Hart Lottery** which supports local good causes. Tickets are only available online and 50% of all ticket revenue comes directly to the hospital. A further 10% goes to other local good causes. Tickets cost £1 per week and you could win £25,000. To start supporting please go to www.hartlottery.co.uk and search for Hospital. Good luck!

Hook and Odiham Lions Club. We are delighted to be chosen as the beneficiary of the “world famous duck race” held at the Crooked Billet pub on September 2nd. The event is always tremendous fun and we are very grateful to all those who organise and participate in this fantastic occasion. Thank you to all. Ginny East, Email: och1@btinternet.com, Tel 01256 393600

Volunteer Led Befriending Service - St. Michael's Hospice needs you!



This Befriending service operating in the Odiham, Hook, Hartley Wintney and Old Basing areas is looking to recruit volunteers who provide social companionship to patients who are lonely and isolated and living with long term and or life limiting illness. By building a trusting relationship they help to restore the patient's emotional well-being, confidence and feelings of self-worth.

What is expected from a Befriender? For just 2-hours a week, you can make a real difference to a patient living in your local community. Odiham Cottage Hospital provides relevant training, as well as regular and ongoing support.

The next 3-day training course will be held in the November 2017. For an application pack to join this enthusiastic and valuable team please contact: Maria Bryant, Befriending Coordinator on: 01256 393609, Email: och.befriending@stmichaelshospice.org.uk

Odiham & Old Basing Health Centres: Patient Participation Group

Vaccination Against Pneumonia. For those of us over 65, Pneumococcal pneumonia is a common cause of death in the elderly but can be prevented or minimised by a single injection of a vaccine. This is offered by your Health Centre to all those patients considered to be at increased. Just telephone to make an appointment (01256 702371). It is a once only injection and does not need to be repeated.

Flu Vaccinations. Odiham patients can attend at Old Basing if necessary and vice versa. The Flu vaccination clinics are being held as follows: * Saturday 7th October – Odiham * Wednesday 11th October - Old Basing (evening surgery). If you can't get to any of these, please phone the Surgery for an appointment.

North Hampshire Downs Mother's Union

Mothers' Union had their usual stall at RAF Families Day on 24th August - and a big thank you to everything who contributed cakes or donations for this project. We held our birthday party at our Sunflower Café which we run jointly with the Vine Church on Wednesday afternoons. At our October meeting, we hope to hear from a speaker from Basingstoke about the Housing Justice project. A group of Basingstoke churches each open their doors one night a week to homeless people for 3 months over the winter – to provide a hot meal, a bed for the night and companionship. If you want to hear more about it, please give me a call, Sue Murphy, on 01252 845011.

Open Garden Fundraising Results in Herriard

Brick Kiln Cottage had its last fundraising event for 2017 with a visit from Surrey Horticultural Society in August which raised £100. We would like to thank again everyone who helped us in May at our Bluebell Day to raise the amazing amount of £1,550 in one afternoon. All the proceeds have been donated to the National Garden Scheme Charities.

The weather was kind to us, the bluebells graciously lasted despite some warm weather, the marquee splendid, the cakes fabulous, the two-way radio (call signs 'Sunray, Broadsword, Johnny Boy and Cerebos'), parking persons patient, the washers-up nimble.

Thank you to Mark, Michelle, Fiona and Bob, Richard, Kate, Sarah, Ian, Diana, Gemma, Camille, Ellie, John, and Cherie – in fact all our friends, family and neighbours who helped or attended. We thank John for allowing parking on Herriard Estate land, and sent a cheque for £100 to St Mary's church in appreciation. Barbara Jeremiah and Kay Linnell.

HALLS FOR HIRE

Upton Grey Village Hall for hire from £7.00 per hour. Functions, meetings, parties, private and commercial. Full kitchen facilities, central heating and sound system, chairs, tables, crockery and cutlery available. Contact Brian and Pam Dixey for further information, 01256 862577.

The Royal British Legion Hall, Herriard Available for hire: wedding receptions, functions, parties, meetings, and events. Fully licensed bar, full kitchen facilities, garden, tables and chairs, sound system, disabled access, central heating, pool table and darts. Key holder 01256 381403 or email hall bookings to herriardrbllhall@aol.co.uk

SMALL ADS - OCTOBER

ITALIAN CLOTHING Erika sells carefully selected boutique clothes and leather handbags from Italy, at good prices, and invites you to browse her autumn collection on Tuesday 7th November from 6pm to 9pm at the Upton Grey village hall. Refreshments in aid of CHILD's Trust a local charity raising for children in India and Bangladesh. For info call Erika. 07872 019128; hello@solo-mia.com. www.solo-mia.com

HERRIARD, CONVERTED STABLE BLOCK Available for short lets, weekends, holidays, wedding guests etc. Beautiful countryside, walk straight onto foot/bridle paths. Large double bedroom, bathroom, open plan 26' kitchen/dining/drawing room with log burning fire. Small garden. 2-night minimum. Breakfast food provided for 2-night stays. Tricia Neri 07788 585001 or tricianeri@aol.com

SEWING COURSES IN SOUTH WARNBOROUGH. By ex McQueen creative pattern and sample cutter. I have recently retired as cut and construction Tutor for MA Fashion course.

- **Get to know your sewing machine**, bring your sewing machine or use ours. Learn new skills, seam types, French seams, bindings, inserting a zip, semi concealed and invisible. Hems. Class limited to 6 people. Complimentary hot drinks. Friday 20th October. 10am to 1pm £30.

- **New life for old clothes.** Bring a few sewing projects and alter to fit you, we can shorten, take in, even make a dress into a skirt! Together we will complete as many as possible. Machines available to use. Class limited to 6 people. Complimentary hot drinks. Friday 3rd November 10am to 1pm £30 Contact Wendy Turner on 07768 940049

THE UPTON GREY VILLAGE SHOP

The Upton Grey shop needs your regular support. Takings are down.

SERIOUSLY, USE IT OR LOSE IT!

LAST WORDS FROM JOHN KEATS: "TO AUTUMN"

"Season of mists and mellow fruitfulness,
Close bosom-friend of the maturing sun;
Conspiring with him how to load and bless
With fruit the vines that round the thatch-eaves run;
To bend with apples the moss'd cottage-trees,
And fill all fruit with ripeness to the core;
To swell the gourd, and plump the hazel shells
With a sweet kernel; to set budding more,
And still more, later flowers for the bees,
Until they think warm days will never cease,
For summer has o'er-brimm'd their clammy cells"

PS: FROM THE EDITORIAL TEAM:

Welcome to our revised new-look front cover!

Disclaimer: Please note that the views expressed in this magazine are the contributors' personal opinions and do not necessarily represent the views of the editors.

CHURCH SERVICES (please also see the weekday services under “Regular Events”)**1 October – The 16th Sunday after Trinity**

Holy Communion (1662 said)	9:00am	Tunworth
Harvest Festival Service (sung)	9:45am	Upton Grey
Harvest Festival Service (sung)	11:15am	Herriard
Matins (sung)	11:15am	Weston Patrick

8 October – The 17th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (1662 said)	8:00am	Herriard
Parish Communion (CW sung)	9:45am	Upton Grey
Harvest Festival Service (sung)	11:15am	Weston Patrick
Harvest Festival Service (sung)	6:00pm	Tunworth

15 October – The 18th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (1662 said)	8:00am	Upton Grey
Holy Communion (CW sung)	9:00am	Tunworth
Family Service (sung)	9:45am	Upton Grey
Morning Prayer (sung)	10:00am	Herriard

22 October – The 19th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (1662 said)	8:00am	Weston Patrick
Family Service (sung)	9:00am	Tunworth
Café Church	9:45am	Upton Grey
Family Service (sung)	10:00am	Herriard

29 October – The 20th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion Patronal (CW sung)	10:00am	Tunworth
Benefice Service of Light (sung)	4:30pm	Upton Grey

5 November – The 4th Sunday before Advent

Holy Communion (1662 said)	9:00am	Tunworth
Family Communion (CW sung)	9:45am	Upton Grey
Family Communion (sung)	11:15am	Herriard
Matins (sung)	11:15am	Weston Patrick

12 November – Remembrance Sunday

Parish Communion (CW sung)	9:45am	Upton Grey
Remembrance Service (sung)	10:45am	Herriard
Evensong (sung)	5:00pm	Tunworth

19 November – The 2nd Sunday before Advent

Holy Communion (1662 said)	8:00am	Upton Grey
Holy Communion (CW sung)	9:00am	Tunworth
Family Service (sung)	9:45am	Upton Grey
Matins (sung)	10:00am	Herriard
Holy Communion (CW sung)	11:15am	Weston Patrick

26 November – The Sunday next before Advent

Holy Communion (1662 said)	8:00am	Weston Patrick
Family Service (sung)	9:00am	Tunworth
Café Church	9:45am	Upton Grey
Advent Carol Service (sung)	6:00pm	Herriard

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY – October 2017

This Month

3 rd Oct	Tues	St Michael's Hospice Gift Fair, Sandford Springs Golf club	8.30am
3 rd Oct	Tues	UG Drama Group at The Hodd	7.30pm
4 th Oct	Wed	Herriard Harvest Supper, RBL Hall, Herriard	7.00pm
5 th Oct	Thu	Make Do and Mend, WI, RBLH, Herriard	7.30pm
6 th Oct	Fri	Messy Church, Upton Grey Village Hall	3.30pm
6 th Oct	Fri	Tunworth Harvest Supper, Shoot Lodge, Tunworth	7.30pm
7 th Oct	Sat	Cats Protection Autumn Fair, Allen Centre, Tadley	1.00pm
8 th Oct	Sun	Weston Patrick Harvest Lunch	12.30pm
9 th Oct	Mon	Cystic Fibrosis Walk, Manor Farm, Weston Corbett	10.00am
9 th Oct	Mon	UG Bridge Club, Stable Room, The Hodd	7.30pm
11 th Oct	Wed	Future of our rural Benefice, Archdeacon Brand, Odiham church	7.30pm
11 th Oct	Wed	Matthews Gospel, Shoot Lodge, Tunworth (and 18 th Oct)	7.30pm
14 th Oct	Sat	Rudyard Kipling Talk by Philip Geddes, Swallick, Winslade	7.00pm
16 th Oct	Mon	Open Morning St Mary's School Bentworth	Morn
20 th Oct	Fri	Alton Abbey Lecture "An Englishman in Eastern Orthodox"	7.00pm
21 st Oct	Sat	UG Autumn Festival: Gourd Painting, 11 Weston Close	2.30pm
23 rd Oct	Mon	UG Bridge Club, Stable Room, The Hodd	7.30pm
25 th Oct	Wed	Dementia Friendly Information Day, Vine Church, Odiham	10.00am
26 th Oct	Thu	Tea@3 @ Barn Cottage, UG	3.00pm
26 th Oct	Thu	North Warnborough Gardening Club, Village Hall	2.10pm
28 th Oct	Sat	Upton Grey Autumn Festival at The Hodd	2.00pm
28 th Oct	Sat	UG Autumn Festival: Deadline Guy Fawkes submissions	2.00pm
29 th Oct	Sun	All Ages Service of Light, St Marys Church, UG	4.30pm

Advance Dates 2017

4 th Nov	Sat	Herriard Garden Club Workshop, Herriard Allotment, Herriard	10.00am
10 th Nov	Fri	Coffee Morn & Crafts, Juvenile Diabetes, Waverley Cott, UG	10.00am
11 th Nov	Sat	'Pirates' Children in Need, St Mary's Church, Upton Grey,	6.00pm
13 th Nov	Mon	UG Bridge Club, Stable Room, The Hodd	7.30pm
16 th Nov	Thu	Tea@3 @ the Vicarage UG	3.00pm
18 th Nov	Sat	Benefice Retreat, Old Alresford Place	9.00am
19 th Nov	Sun	Brahms Requiem, All Saints Odiham	7.00pm
27 th Nov	Mon	UG Bridge Club, Stable Room, The Hodd	7.30pm
30 th Nov	Thu	Deadline for UG Educational Grants (end of day)	
4 th Dec	Mon	Herriard PC Meeting, RBLH	7.30pm

Regular Events

Each Mon	Prayer Group, 4 Little Hoddington	9.45am
Each Wed	Upton Grey Toddler Group	10.00am
Each Wed	Dementia Support plus Carers, Sunflower Café, Odiham	2.00pm
1st Thurs	Herriard WI	7.30pm
1st Thurs	Tunworth Coffee morning, Tunworth Church,	10.30pm
1st Sun	Junior Choir Practice in Upton Grey Church	9.00am
2nd Sun	Sparks Sunday Club, Village Hall, Upton Grey	9.35am
2nd and 4th Mon	Upton Grey Bridge Club at The Hodd (not summer)	7.30pm
3rd Thurs	Holy Communion, Herriard Church	10.00am
Last Thurs	Herriard Village Supper at Fur and Feathers (check first)	7.30pm

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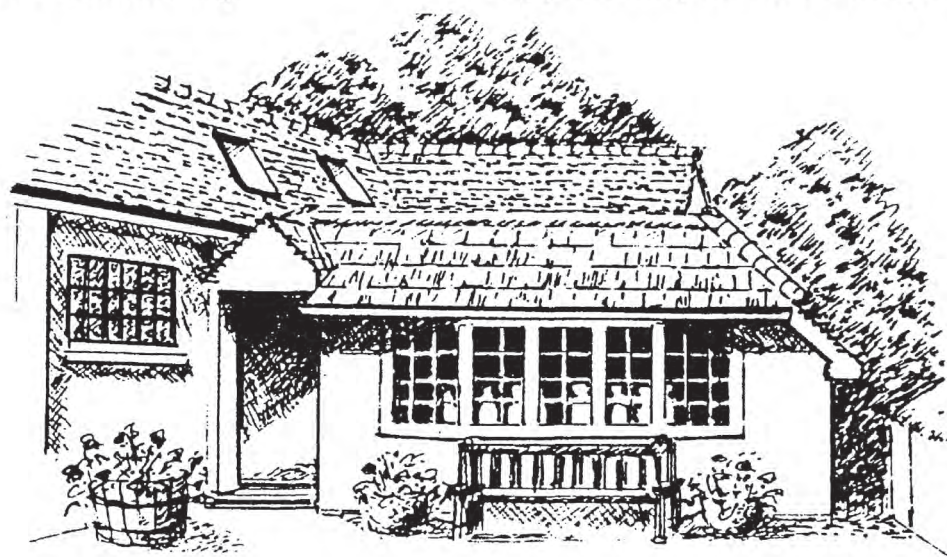
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