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The free monthly newsletter for Cuddington, Sandiway & Delamere Park.
Provided by your Parish Council

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THE HISTORY CHAP

Dad's Army - The Cast's Real Service in WW2
An entertaining History Story presented by
Chris Green

Saturday February 3rd, 6pm - 7.30pm,
St John's Church Hall, Booking Essential

Entry £10, includes a pie and pint or glass of wine

Contact Julie on 07713 ~or~ fundraisingatstjohns@gmail.com



CUDDINGTON & SANDIWAY GALA

ROYALTY SELECTION EVENT. ENTRANTS ARE INVITED FOR
A ROLE IN THE ROYAL PAGEANT ON GALA DAY

VILLAGE HALL, NORLEY ROAD

Sunday March 24th. 1.45 registration for a 2pm start

All attending will get a role and must be available for the Gala on June 8th

*It is requested that all entrants wear smart
daywear as publicity photos will be taken*

Entrants should be aged 12 or under and live within the parish or
attend one of our primary schools

*For more information please contact Jan on 07807296362
email: GalaDay@outlook.com*

Monday Lunchtime concerts

Monday 5th February, 12 Noon, St John's Church

LAITON TRUMPET QUARTET

will present a lively, varied programme of music written or
arranged for trumpet ensemble.

followed by soup lunch in the church hall

*Tickets £15, inclusive of concert & lunch.
under 18s free, students £5,*

Please ring Kathryn on 889879 to book for any concert.



PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The next meeting of the parish council will take place on Monday February 19th in the meeting room of the village hall commencing at 7.15 pm. Any changes to the arrangements will be posted on the parish council noticeboards which are at the playing field car park and by the post box on Mere Lane.

They will also be on the parish council website; www.cuddingtonpc.uk where you can find a wealth of information about the work of councillors and how to contact them.

You can also contact the parish council via the clerk, e-mail: clerk@cuddingtonpc.uk

Call 01606 852444, Monday to Thursday, 8.30am -5.30pm ~ or write to ~

Julie Chrimes, Clerk to the Parish Council, Sunnyside, Withens Lane, Weaverham, CW8 3HX

Agendas and Minutes of meetings can be found at; www.cuddingtonpc.uk

- Our PCSO, Michelle Gillett, attended the January meeting with some updates. Concern has been expressed by a number of people about the traffic lights by the White Barn. The number of vehicles crossing on a red light is very worrying and it was felt that the change-over time needs to be increased.
- The rules for performing speed checks has changed. Three people are needed now to use the equipment where previously it was two so Michelle is finding it hard to get enough volunteers to use them. If you can help please contact her - see below.
- A resident of Mere Lane commented on the amount of speeding that takes place there.
- A request has been made for a dog waste bin on Delamere Park.
- A reminder was given to keep using the 'Report It' section on the CWAC website which allows people to report things such as potholes. Doing this could push them up the list for attention. You can also use the link on the village website to make reports.
- Gillian Edwards told the meeting about the wonderful response she had received after a comment on facebook highlighting the fact that many families could not afford Christmas presents for their children. Donations came pouring in as a result and she thanks all who responded.
- Gillian is also arranging for free lunches to be provided at the library again during school holidays
- The council are very grateful to the Police Commissioner, John Dwyer, for his donation to the provision of street lamps along the path through the playing field to Greenfield Way. The path has improved safety and security for all accessing the Youth Club as well as for walkers on the footpath. The cost of these was £6,800 and half was donated by the Commissioner.
- Defibrillators. In addition to the 3 council owned defibrillators in the village mentioned in a previous issue, there is also one at Cuddington station. Others are situated in places such as our primary schools but are not therefore accessible at all times. The British Heart Foundation website has a wealth of information about defibrillators including how to use them and where you can find them by using a post code.

www.bhf.org.uk/how-you-can-help/how-to-save-a-life/defibrillators/national-defibrillator-network-the-circuit

POLICE CONTACT DETAILS

Contact our PCSO, Michelle Gillett at;

Michelle.Gillett@cheshire.police.uk or ring her on **07812 781 911**, Contact the police on 101.

For emergencies only use 999Non emergency contact with Northwich Police:

northwich.lpu@cheshire.pnn.police.uk Alternatively ring 101 and ask to be put through to your local neighbourhood officer. This may be an answer phone service. Your call will be returned.

To report a crime anonymously ring Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111

You can also call Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040 or visit www.actionfraud.police.uk

WHAT'S ON?

ROUND TOWER WI - Wednesday February 14th, 7.30pm, Blue Cap.

An Evening of Love for Valentine's Day. For more information ring Julie on 01606 889745

NORTHWICH & WEAVER PROBUS CLUB - Tuesdays, 10.15, Owley Wood Club, Barrymore Road, Weaverham CW8 3LS.

February 6th, Speaker: Lawrie Holman - Crisis Management and Leadership

Feb20, Speaker: Alan Eastwood - The Local Beers and Breweries of England

Further information from 01606 852673 or: northwich.weaver-probus.org.uk

MID CHESHIRE ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY - Friday February 9th, 7:30pm, Village Hall.

Speaker: Andrew Aldridge - Australia Northern Lights. Visitors welcome.

For more information contact; treasurer@midcheshireos.co.uk or ring 01606-606195

website www.midcheshireos.co.uk

EDDISBURY AND SANDIWAY FLOWER CLUB - Tuesday February 13th, Owley Wood Recreation Centre, Barrymore Road, Weaverham, CW8 3LS

Demonstator: Wendy Graveston - Flora Serenade. For more information call 01606 75405 or go to : eddisburyandsandiwayflowerclub@gmail.com

CUDDINGTON & SANDIWAY WI - Thursday February 8th, 1.45pm, Village Hall, Norley Road.

Speaker: John Stirling - Toytown to Buckingham Palace. Competition, Carnival Mask

For further information, please ring 01606 888446 or 07788557186

YOUTH CLUB - The Youth Club is open to 11-17 year olds on Fridays from 7pm to 9pm at the Youth and Community Centre on Norley Road Playing Field.

For more information please ring 07775733333

FRIENDLY THURSDAYS - White Barn, 2.30-4pm every Thursday. A chance to meet and chat in a friendly environment. Free tea and biscuits

SATURDAY SANCTUARY AT ST JOHN'S CHURCH - Church will be open between 10am and 12 noon - free coffee and biscuits will be served

The church will also be open now on weekdays between 10am and 3pm.

ARK CAFÉ - Reopening on 16th February with new spring menu. . Fridays, 9am-2pm. (10am-2pm in school holidays). St John's Church Hall.

ST JOHN'S CHURCH

For help or advice about general church related issues, please contact the churchwardens, Ali Fletcher - 884039 & John Fraser - 882158)

In January St John's said goodbye to Kathryn Holmes, who has served the church faithfully for 30 years as Director of Music. Revd Ruth Mock said "We are very grateful to Kathryn for her dedication and passion for music and for playing such a significant part in leading worship and directing the choir for so many years. Kathryn was adamant that she didn't want a leaving collection, but at the Music Weekend in November, donations totalling £2,112 were made to the Heritage Building Fund in honour of Kathryn's contribution to St John's.

Music remains an important part of worship at St John's and they have now welcomed Emma Morley as their new Director of Music

LENT GROUP - FAITH IN ACTION

Tuesday evenings 7.30-9pm in the church hall

20th February **Working at the Hospice – Mandy Shaw**

27th February **Hospital Chaplaincy – Dave Mock**

5th March **Missionary Work in Sudan – Graham & Janet Buttanhaw**

12th March **Gift to the City – Rachel Ho (Potter)**

19th March **How can we put our faith into action?**

We will be collecting during Lent for the work of St Luke's Hospice and UNICEF.

VILLAGE HALL NOTICEBOARD

Afternoon Tea

£1.50 for tea and cake. 2-4pm, All welcome, come and relax and have a chat. February 1st, followed by March 7th.



250 Club January Draw winners

1st prize £40 winner - member number 196 of Sandown Crescent

2nd prize £20 winner - member number 17 of Sandown Crescent

For information on other issues visit; www.cuddingtonandsandiwayvillagehall.org.uk
email; enquiries@cuddingtonandsandiwayvillagehall.org.uk or ring 01606 888931

SANDIWAY LIBRARY IN FEBRUARY

Events:

**Thursday 01 February to Wednesday 06 March -
Fancy Dress Swap for World Book day Thursday 07 March**

Monday 12	2.30-3.30pm	Adult book folding craft - Hearts: free friendly drop-in session
Saturday 17	11am-12pm	Cantonese Storytime and Crafts: New Year & animals - drop in storytime and craft for primary aged children. Stories will be in Cantonese but all welcome
Friday 23		Zoe Saunders illustration workshop for children. Please see staff for details
NEW	4-5.30pm	Ancestry Club: regular session to meet, discuss and research family history together. Staff member available between 4.30 and 5pm to help use our online resources including 'Ancestry' and 'Find my Past'.

Children's activities

Tuesday	10.30-11am	Rhymetime: songs and rhymes for toddlers
Thursday	10am-12pm	Duplo Club: free play session
	2.30-4.30pm	Junior Puzzle Club
Friday	0.30-11.30am	Baby Bounce: songs and rhymes for non-walking babies followed by refreshments and chat with baby toys
Saturday	10-12pm	Construction Club: Free play session with a selection of building toys and activities. Suitable for 18 mths +

**For more details, including regular adult's activities, please speak to staff
contact 01606 271767**

or sandiway.library@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk

Every care is taken to provide accurate information, however please be aware that things can change after we have gone to print. Where possible we have included a phone number for you to confirm the information given. You can find up to date information on our village website including travel, news, events, and much more : www.cuddingtonandsandiwayonline.org

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