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

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SANDIWAY PANTOMIME GROUP 2019 JUNIOR SUMMER PRODUCTION 'A MILLION DREAMS'

This production has been written by the cast. They are having a sleepover and watching a musical before they go to sleep. Finally asleep, they dream about different musicals and act them out. Lots of well-known characters appear and the show offers a mixture of acting and singing.

St John's Church Hall, Norley Road
July 6th, performances at 2.00pm and 7.00pm
Adults £5, Under 18s £3
Tickets from the Box Office, 01606 41795, or on the door
Seating is on a first come, first served basis



St John's church is delighted to announce the appointment of their next vicar, Rev Ruth Mock, currently Assistant Curate of St Mathew's Stretton & St Cross Appleton Thorn. This is subject to the due legal processes.

Ruth writes, "*I am really looking forward to working with you and to finding out what God has in store for us as we worship together and serve our community.*"



Squirrels Holiday club

Starting this Summer!

Open on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 8 – 6, from Tuesday 30th July to Thursday 29th August.

Children from 3-10 years welcome!

All children will need to bring a packed lunch but healthy snacks will be provided in the mornings and afternoons

For more information or provisional booking subject to availability please call:

Sam: 01606 88878 or after hours on 07885 243686

The Friends of Sandiway Manor

Invite you to their

TRADITIONAL AFTERNOON TEA

Sunday 21st July from 3pm until 6pm.

Tea will be served at 4.00pm

They promise a scrumptious tea, music from the popular local trio 'Pastry Shoes' and an excellent raffle.

£8.00. Accompanied children free

Tickets from Sheena Stallard 07908 740014
or Val Godfrey 07817 214002

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The next meeting of the parish council will take place at the village hall on Monday July 15th at 7.15pm. A Public Forum will take place during the meeting when residents can put questions to the council. This will be very soon into the meeting and residents should arrive for 7.15pm.

Contact the parish council via their e-mail: clerktoipc@hotmail.co.uk, call 852444 during office hours, or write to: Julie Chrimes, Clerk to the Parish Council, Sunnyside, Withens Lane, Weaverham, CW8 3HX

- The matter of greatest concern at this month's meeting was the traffic lights at the A49 junction with Norley Road. This junction causes much anxiety for drivers and pedestrians and there have in the past been requests made by the parish council to the Highways department of CWAC to change the phasing of the lights. One problem is drivers crossing on red lights and another is the tailback of vehicles waiting to turn right onto the A49 towards Weaverham which often results in vehicles getting stranded in the middle of the road when the lights change. It is considered by many who have to use this junction that changing the phasing of the lights would make it safer but appeals to Highways have not been successful. On June 8th there was another accident here which resulted in someone having to be cut out of their vehicle and the road closed for several hours so another request will be made for changes to the traffic flow. However the cause of this accident has been recorded as 'driver error'.
- At the other end of the village a resident has suggested that we need more signage at the Norley Road/Weaverham Road junction to direct drivers to the village car park which is on Weaverham Road next to Sandiway School. As it is necessary to turn into the school entrance to access this car park not everyone understands that it is a public car park so there is often a continuous line of parked cars along Weaverham Road when there is an event at the church, church hall or school. This makes it very difficult for vehicles to proceed along as there can be a lengthy section of road reduced to a single lane.
- Residents have asked for a flower bed opposite Fir Lane shops to be planted with bedding plants twice a year as it used to be. They feel that the current shrub planting is untidy and it is also covering a plaque which is in the bed. The council will ask for this work to be done and it will then be included with the planting schedule for the black tubs recently installed in the village.

RAILWAY LINES *Please check before you travel, alterations can happen at short notice:*
www.northernrail.co.uk, or 0800 200 6060

Saturday 6 July: The 2248 from Chester (2309 from Cuddington) will terminate at Northwich with a replacement bus continuing to Manchester (due 0137)

The 2341 from Manchester will be a bus to Chester, calling at Cuddington at 0136 and there will be a train from Northwich at 0035 (Sunday morning) to Chester, calling at Cuddington at 0045.

Sunday 7 July: All trains are replaced by buses between Stockport and Chester. Departures from Cuddington to Chester are at 1055, 1305 and 2-hourly until 2105, then 2310. Departures to Stockport for frequent onward train connections are at 0954, 1155 and 2-hourly until 1955, then 2149.

Monday to Friday: The 1641 from Manchester Piccadilly now departs at 1639

Penalty fares. Commencing 30 June, Northern are extending their penalty fare scheme to our line. You will be charged a penalty fare if you travel without a ticket.

HOMEWATCH

Contact the police on 101. For emergencies only use 999

Non emergency contact with North 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

2019 SUMMER READING CHALLENGE AT THE LIBRARY

This year's Summer Reading Challenge launches on Saturday 13 July and celebrates the 50th anniversary of the first Moon landing. Join the futuristic Rocket family hot on the trail of a mischievous band of aliens! Books are mysteriously vanishing from Moon Library and the Rockets are on the case. Be ready to read lots of exciting books and join us on this year's adventure.

Mondays 15 and 22 July	Space themed Lego and Duplo club 3.30 to 4.30pm
Tuesday 23 July	Space Crafts Storytime and Badge Making 3.30 to 4.30pm
Friday 26 July	Space Crafts Badge Making 2.30 to 4.30pm
Tuesday 30 July	Racing Rockets by Radiate Arts. <i>Booking essential.</i> 10.30am Family Board Games 2.30 to 3.30pm

2019 VILLAGE GALA ROUND-UP

SCARECROW WINNERS

Business Category Winner - 5, **The Lorax** by Hollybank Vets. Runner up - 8, **Rupert Bear** by MCSME

Voluntary Organisations Winner - 18, **Winnie the Pooh** - by Sandiway Lodge.

Runner up - 16, **The Very Hungry Caterpillar** by St John's Church

Households Winner - 9, **Dumbo** - Shirley & Jacqui. Runner up - 27, **Aslan** - Smith Family

BEST STALL AWARD - Cuddington & Sandiway Tennis Club

CITIZENSHIP AWARD - Gerry & Margaret Card.

Margaret and Gerry are the true definition of community volunteers. They work day in and day out to ensure that the Village Hall and Playing Fields are maintained to the highest standard. They have been volunteers for 3 decades and Margaret is the current chairman of the Playing Fields Association. They were both members of a group of people who refused to give up on the idea of getting the village a new hall, a determination which paid off and which we all benefit from today. They have been actively involved in putting on events such as Rural Arts Performances and the monthly Tea and Cake afternoons. They have now decided to retire and deserve our thanks for all that they have done for the village.

JUNIOR CITIZEN AWARD - Tilly Rees

Tilly had been learning about the environment at school and with her class she had discussed ways of making our village a better place. When she later went on a dog walk to the quarry she was shocked at the amount of litter there. One weekend she took it upon herself to collect all the rubbish she could find there. Tilly and her dad filled 2 bin bags with rubbish.



Trim, tone and dance your way to stay FABS!

A new fitness class designed specifically for the over-60s is launching in Sandiway as part of a campaign to help people to stay young by improving strength, balance and overall health as we age (known as FABS, which stands for Flexibility, Aerobics, Balance and Strength). The FABS programme combines exercises that have been scientifically proven by the Centre for Healthy Ageing Research at the University of

Birmingham to turn back the clock.

Starts 5th July, Cuddington and Sandiway Village Hall, Fridays 3.30 to 4.30pm £5 per class

Contact: Claire Britton Tel: 07932-772467 or Email: claire.britton@moveitorloseit.co.uk

FABS is for people who want to live longer, happier, healthier lives. Claire has been running exercise classes in Sandiway for over nine years and will ensure a warm welcome for everyone who attends. All sessions are relaxed and informal."

Dates for your diary



- Mon July 1 **Weaver Probus** , 10.30am, Owley Wood Club, Weaverham.
Speaker: Ian Cheeseman - My Life as a Football Reporter
For further information ring 01606 888446
- Wed July 3 **Music Train**, Loose Change Buskers on the 1914 to Chester and 2252 return.
Also for £16 package deal of Terry Burgin Blues Band and food at Alexanders,
and taxis from and to Chester station. book at www.alexanderslive.com.
- Thurs July 4 **Music Train**, Nelson Peach on 1123 to Mobberley, then at the Railway Inn and
1420 from Mobberley. Because space is limited at the pub, please contact
Michael Ross (mkk.ross@btinternet.com or 01244 683477)
- Mon July 8 **Northwich Family History Society**, 7.00pm, Visit to Witton Church.
Guide - Tony Bostock. Contact Dave - 07807 946830.
- Tues July 9 **Eddisbury Flower Club** - 2pm, St John's Church Hall. Demonstrator: Dawn
Weaver. Visitors welcome, £5. For more details contact 01606 883473
- Wed July 10 **Music Train**, Pastry Shoes on 1922 to Plumley and at the Golden Pheasant.
Return on 2229 from Plumley. Just pay your fare.
- Thur July 11 **Cuddington and Sandiway WI**, 1.45, Village Hall. Members Afternoon
- Fri July 12 **Police Surgery**, Sandiway Library, 5pm-6pm, with our PCSO, Nichola Devey
- Sat July 13, 27 **JIMS**, St John's church hall, 3-5pm. An improvised music session, open to all
players 8+, loads of fun. £3 per adult, £2 per child, £5 for a family.
- Mon July 15 **Weaver Probus** , 10.30am, Owley Wood Club, Weaverham. Speaker: David
Simmons - The Rise and Fall of the British Aircraft Industry. For further
information ring 01606 888446
- Thurs July 25 **Macular Society**, Hartford Methodist Church Hall, 10am-12 noon. With Michelle
Dutton, Coordinator from Macular Society Northern
- Tues July 30 **Royal British Legion Women's Section**, 7.30pm, Methodist Church Hall.
Bingo. Everyone welcome. For more information contact Sharron
Littleford on 01606 881697 or 07712 254446
- Fridays **The Ark Cafe**, 8.45am-2pm (10am-2pm in school holidays) Enjoy freshly ground
coffee and locally made cakes, all at reasonable prices. At the side of St John's
church hall. **July 5**: America burger & muffin special for Independence Day.
- Saturdays **St John's Church** is open from 10am-12noon. Coffee & cake available (no
charge). Come and enjoy some time in this beautiful setting.

VILLAGE HALL NOTICEBOARD

New Class - Bums, Legs and Tums, 10.45m – 11.30am, Tuesday mornings
Contact - Emma Wilson, 07971 596 529 ~ getfit@emmawilsonfitness.co.uk

Afternoon Tea - Thursday 4th, 2pm-4pm. Come along for tea, cake and chat.
£1.50 per person. Everyone Welcome.

Film Night - The next film will be on Wednesday 11th September

250 Club June Bumper Draw winners

1st prize £200 winner - member number 234 of Valley Lane

2nd prize £100 winner - member number 205 of Warrington Road

**Visit; www.cuddingtonandsandiwayvillagehall.org.uk for enquiries, bookings, to join
the 250 club; see the timetable of regular events on the noticeboard at the car park
entrance; ring 01606 888931 (please contact organisers before attending classes)**



More information including up-to-date travel, news, events, and much more, can be found on
our village website: www.cuddingtonandsandiwayonline.org

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