



# Round Tower

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

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## The People 's String Foundation RES PUBLICA

Saturday November 23rd, 7.30pm

Village Hall. Doors open 7pm.

Drinks from the Bar only

Tickets £10 ~ ring 01606 888931

The band packs a 32 piece Gypsy Orchestra into a suitcase and takes it on tour, inviting the audience on an incredible journey of discovery, using music, puppetry, art, cinematography and animation.

### MEMORIAL SERVICE

**Sunday November 3rd, 6.30pm in St John's church**

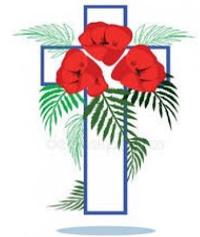
A candlelit service, with the reading of the names of those we have loved and lost.

### REMEMBRANCE SERVICE AND PARADE

**Sunday November 10th, 10.50am in St John's church**

**The Parade will start from Mere Lane shops at 10.30 and proceed along Mere Lane, turn left onto Weaverham road and right onto Norley Road, arriving at St John's church for the commencement of the service at 10.50**

All are invited to the service, and to refreshments afterwards at St John's church hall.



### VACANCY FOR A COUNCILLOR ON CUDDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Due to the resignation of a Councillor a vacancy has arisen in the Sandiway Ward. Cuddington Parish Council therefore invites residents interested in co-option to contact, during office hours, the Clerk to the Council and Proper Officer,

Mrs Julie Chrimes, Sunnyside, Withens Lane, Weaverham, Cheshire, CW8 3HX

Telephone: 01606 852444 ~ email: [clerktoipc@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:clerktoipc@hotmail.co.uk)

### WORRYING INCREASE IN VANDALISM

The parish council is very concerned about the level of vandalism currently occurring in the village. Not only is it undermining the morale of residents and spoiling the appearance of our village, it is extremely costly to make good the damage. Our Tommy has been damaged twice and has now been moved to another situation. Conditions at Boundary Lane Green Play Area are far from ideal for our children with broken play equipment creating safety hazards. The bill for repair of damage in the 7 months of this financial year has come to £1,378 and the cost must be borne by residents through the parish precept.

Residents are asked to report incidents on 101. Our PCSO Nicola Devey holds monthly surgeries which are advertised in this publication and on our website. Parents are asked to be vigilant about where their children are and what they are doing.

### CHRISTMAS TOY APPEAL

Please help to make Christmas special for a needy child by supporting Vale Royal Lions' Christmas appeal on behalf of underprivileged children in Northwich, Middlewich & Winsford. St John's will be collecting **unwrapped new toys** until **Sunday 1st December**. The age range is one week to 16 years, and the Lions particularly request items for teenagers between the ages of 12 and 16. Please bring your toys to any service, or the Ark on Fridays, or to church on Saturday morning.

## PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The next meeting of the parish council will take place at the village hall on Monday November 18th 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](mailto: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

Agendas and Minutes of meetings can be found at; [www.candsonline.org](http://www.candsonline.org)

- Two representatives from Beechfield, new owners of Lambs Grange, a property on the A49, attended the meeting to discuss some changes they wish to make to the entrance of the property. It will be something of a Flagship development for private treatment of addictions with accommodation for 28 resident clients and it will also take some non residents. They wish to remove the existing railings and replace them with an attractive low wall, set back to allow an easier entrance for vehicles and better visibility for all. The parish council welcomed the idea which it was considered would smarten up the entrance.
- British Telecom have contacted the parish council to ask if they would like to adopt the two Red Heritage telephone boxes in the village. One is outside the shops on Norley Road and the other is in Poplar Close. Many such boxes are now being converted for various community uses and the council decided that they would like to adopt ours for the village. A consultation with residents will be held to ask for ideas on how to use them, details later. Some examples of uses they have been put to elsewhere include libraries and the placement of Defibrillators.
- The situation of a boundary line in Chiltern Close has been established after consultation between CWAC and the owners of Tall Trees. This had previously been unclear which had led to hedging plants being positioned on council land in error. They will now be removed.
- Cheshire West and Chester council have a 4 year plan for introducing signed only 20mph speed limits on roads which qualify under Department of Transport criteria. Some village roads qualify and residents of these roads have been informed. The deadline for commenting on the proposals ends on November 15th. Maps showing the roads concerned can be found on the village website  
Correspondence to: Kieran Collins, Highways Commissioner, Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council, Highways Office Guilden Sutton, Guilden Sutton Lane, Guilden Sutton, Chester CH3 7EX.
- A planning application for the Shell Garage at the A49/A556 junction has been passed. This will allow the existing shop to be replaced by a larger one.
- There has been a suggestion that making right turns onto the A556 at the end of Norley Road, by the Round Tower, should be stopped. It is considered that this is hazardous because of vehicles travelling in both directions using this crossing point.
- Consideration is being given to lowering the speed limit on a section of Cuddington Lane and Mill Lane. At present national speed limits apply meaning that traffic can travel at 60mph on these narrow, winding roads. If this were to be done the parish council would have to put £3,500 towards the cost.
- Councillors considered an application to knock down the dwelling at 35 Norley Road and replace it with 2 new dwellings. They recommended refusal, considering it to be overdevelopment, changing the character of the area and because the size of the houses is not in accordance with the Neighbourhood Plan

## TEMPORARY LIBRARY ARRANGEMENTS

The mobile library will stop at Cuddington and Sandiway Village Hall between 9.30am and 12.30pm on the following dates: Saturday 2 November; Saturday 9 November; Saturday 16 November.

BARNTON LIBRARY, Townfield Lane-01606 274360		WEAVERHAM LIBRARY, Russet Road,01606 274344	
Monday	2pm-7pm	Monday	9.30am-1pm, 2pm-7pm
Tuesday	9.30am-1pm, 2pm-5pm	Tuesday	9.30am-1pm, 2-5pm
Wednesday	2pm-7pm	Wednesday	9.30am-1pm, 2-5pm
Thursday	10am-1pm, 2pm-5pm	Thursday	9.30am-1pm, 2-5pm
Friday	2pm-5pm	Friday	9.30am-1pm, 2-7pm
Saturday	10am-1pm	Saturday	9.30-1pm

You can also renew your books online at; [www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/libraries](http://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/libraries)

## CHARITY CHRISTMAS CARDS

**Cards for Good Causes** - Buy once, give twice this Christmas. Not only will your card send season's greetings to friends and family, but money from your purchase will help charities to raise much needed funds, 70 pence in every £1 goes directly to the charity.



**At Tarporley Baptist and Methodist Church,**  
Tuesday 29th October until Saturday 30th November.  
Monday to Saturday, 10am to 4pm

Cards from over 30 charities from as little as £3 for 10  
Gifts and wrapping paper are also available.

For any enquiries, or if you wish to volunteer in the shop, please ring Mary Thompson, on 01829 733642

## CHRISTMAS FAIR

**Saturday 7th December**

**11am - 2pm**

**St John's Church  
Hall**

**Refreshments,  
Gifts, Raffle,  
Children's Crafts**



In aid of St John's Baby and Toddler Group  
For enquiries/table booking please contact  
sandctoddlergroup@yahoo.co.uk  
Or ring Helen on 01606 883839

## CHRISTMAS VILLAGE MARKET

**Saturday 30th November**

**11am - 2pm**

**St John's Church Hall**

***Selling everything, old and new  
Refreshments available***



Tables £15 plus a raffle prize, book at;  
cudingtonprimarypta@gmail.com  
Or ring: 07792 807847

**FREE ADMISSION**

## MUSIC DOUBLE BILL

with



**DON'T CALL ME ISHMAEL**

**JOHN REED AND THE FOLDED ARMS**

**Saturday 23rd November**

**Norley Village Hall**

**7pm, Bar from 6.30**

Tickets £13 from; 07770 701060

~ jon007.wild@hotmail.co.uk

www.ticketsource.co.uk.

## A MESSAGE FROM VALE ROYAL LIONS

Vale Royal Lions are a group of local people who raise money for local worthy causes. We meet in The Blue Cap once a month on the first Tuesday of the month, with occasional social events as well. Recent examples of the things we have raised money for are a donation to Petty Pool and helping to provide football kit for the Cuddington Under 15s Football Team.

If you are interested in coming along to one of our meetings to see what we do please contact us via: [andrew.benson@talktalk.net](mailto:andrew.benson@talktalk.net).

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

There are no scheduled interruptions to the service for November.

## HOMEWATCH

Contact the police on 101. For emergencies only use 999

Non emergency contact with North Police: [northwich.lpu@cheshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto: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

## Dates for your diary



- Tues Nov 5 **Cuddington & Sandiway Methodist Wives**, 7.45pm, Methodist Schoolroom. Speaker: Phil Robinson - History of Northwich. Visitors welcome, first meeting free.
- Tues Nov 5 **Firework Display**, Cuddington Primary School, Ash Road. Gates open 6pm, Display starts 6.45pm. Adults £5, Children £3, pay on the gate. Hot food, snacks and drinks
- Mon Nov 9 **Northwich Family History Society**, 7.30pm, Methodist Church Hall, Hartford. Hotpot Supper and Quiz. Contact Dave - 07807 946830.
- Sun Nov 10 **NCT Nearly New Sale**, 1-2.30pm, The Grange Junior School, Beechwood Avenue, Hartford. Preloved children and baby goods. Entry £1 per adult, free parking  
Contact: nns.northwich@nct.org.uk
- Tues Nov 12 **Northwich and District Probus**, 10.15am, Blue Cap. Speaker: Tony Bostock - Vale Royal Abbey, A Failed Enterprise. Further information from 01606 852673 or: www.northwichprobus.org.uk
- Tues Nov 12 **English Speaking Union**, 11.45 am at the Portal Premier Golf Club, Forest Road, Tarporley, CW6 0JA. Speaker: John Miller - On the Road with the BBC. Booking is essential. For further details please contact Jennifer MacPherson: tel 01606 215908.
- Tues Nov 12 **Eddisbury and Sandiway Flower Club** - 2pm, St John's Church Hall. Demonstrator: Mark Entwistle - Seasonal Antics. Visitors welcome, £5. For more details contact 01606 75405
- Thur Nov 14 **Cuddington and Sandiway WI**, 1.45, Village Hall. AGM followed by Gingerbread/Parkin contest. Entries to be enjoyed at teatime. Competition - A Limmerick
- Fri Nov 15 **Police Surgery**, 5pm-6pm, village hall, with our PCSO, Nichola Devey
- Tues Nov 26 **Northwich and District Probus**, 10.15am, Blue Cap. The Battle of Trafalgar  
For further details see Probus entry above
- Tues Nov 26 **Royal British Legion Women's Section**, 7.30pm, Methodist Church Hall. Christmas Theme. For more information contact Sharron Littleford on 881697 or 07712 254446
- Fridays **The Ark Cafe**, 8.45am-2pm (10am start in school holidays). Enjoy freshly ground coffee and locally made cakes, all at reasonable prices.  
Situated at the side of St John's church hall. [www.facebook.com/arkcafesandiway](http://www.facebook.com/arkcafesandiway)
- 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

**Afternoon Tea** - Thursday 7th, 2pm-4pm. Come along for tea, cake and chat. £1.50 per person. Everyone Welcome.

**Film Night** - Wednesday 13th November at 7.30pm

**Three Identical Strangers** - Starring Robert Shafran, Edward Galland, David Kellman. The story of 3 strangers who, at the age of 19, discover that they are identical triplets. Their reunion brings them joy and fame but also unearths an extraordinary and disturbing secret. Cert 12A £3.50 including refreshments. Everyone welcome.

### **250 Club July Draw winners**

1st prize £40 winner - member number 213 of Mill Lane

2nd prize £20 winner - member number 101 of Forest Road

**Visit; [www.cuddingtonandsandiwayvillagehall.org.uk](http://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](http://www.cuddingtonandsandiwayonline.org)

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