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

To receive it by email contact the editor at: rreditors@gmail.com
Also available on the village website: www.cuddingtonandsandiwayonline.org

St John's HARVEST SERVICE

8th October, 11am

Followed by lunch of soup
& apple pie, £7



All proceeds to Tearfund to tackle
famine in East Africa
Gifts of non perishable food or money for
Cheshire Food Banks
will be gratefully received

BOTH EVENTS IN CHURCH HALL

GREEK EVENING

TRADITIONAL GREEK MEAL
& HAMPER RAFFLE EVENING

October 14, 7 - 9.30pm

St John's Church Hall



Tickets £20

BYO drinks

Contact Julie on 07713 813147
or: fundraisingatsjohns@gmail.com

ON DEMAND RURAL BUS SERVICE

Cheshire West and Chester Council's new on-demand rural bus service has proved a big success. In its first few weeks of operation the service has clocked up an impressive 347 journeys with 569 passengers. Passengers select their pick-up and drop off stops when they book and app users receive a confirmation email. Payment can be made by card or cash on the bus. The service operates between 7am and 7pm, Monday to Friday, with low-floor access. This demand-responsive solution helps people of all ages to attend medical appointments, access further education and training or go shopping. The service has an introductory single £2 flat fare, rising to £2.50 in November. The 'itravel' bus service can be booked online, using a mobile phone app, or by phone on 0330 678 1545. People aged 19 and under can travel half fare and children under 5 years travel free.

COMMUNITY LITTER PICK SUNDAY OCTOBER 1ST FROM 2PM



MEET AT MERE LANE
CAR PARK
OR



NORLEY
ROAD PLAYING FIELD
CAR PARK.

ALL EQUIPMENT PROVIDED, VESTS
IN ADULT & CHILD SIZES

SANDIWAY & CUDDINGTON

R.B.L. POPPY APPEAL

FOOD BINGO



October 20th, 7pm

Methodist Church Hall

Entrance £1 with Tea & Biscuits
£3 book of 6 games or 50p ticket

Quickie 50p per ticket

RAFFLE

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The next meeting of the parish council will take place on Monday October 16th 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 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.cuddingtonpc.uk

Two residents attended the September meeting to request that something is done about the dangerous bend on Weaverham Road opposite Smithy Lane. A recent accident there is just the most recent of many. They would like to see signage to warn people of the bend and an extension of the speed limit. This road is busy at school drop off and pick up times and is also used by people going to the cemetery who have no pavement to protect them. They were informed that the Council has tried to get signs put up but have been refused by CWAC. They will try again and our Borough councillors will support them.

Cllr Gillian Edwards reported on the success of a scheme to provide packed lunches for children during the school holidays. Up to 40 meals were provided daily at the library.

Police have carried out a speed check on the 20mph section of Norley Road recorded a number of drivers exceeding the limit. They will be sent warning letters.

The Council are contributing financial help for a defibrillator for the Eden Grange estate.

Lighting is to be put on the path in the playing field which links Norley Road with Greenfield Way which will also help to make access to the Youth Club safer.

Concern was raised about the state of the footpath on the A49 to Weaverham which is officially identified as a safe walking route to Weaverham High School for village children. Grass verges have not been tended and as a result have encroached on the footpath making it narrower. This has been reported to the relevant authorities.

By the end of the month we should have Speed Indicator Devices installed around the village to discourage people from speeding. There will be poles erected in a number of places so that the devices can be moved around enabling speeding hotspots to be identified. The first sites will be on Weaverham Road and Chester Road.

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.cuddingtonandsandwayonline.org

RAILWAY LINES *Please check before you travel, alterations can happen at short notice:*

<https://www.northernrailway.co.uk/travel/timetables> ~or ~0800 200 6060.

www.northernrailway.co.uk/travel/strikes

For the **Published Timetable of the Day** : National Rail Enquiries - 03457 48 49 50

There are no published changes to the timetable at the time of going to print.

MUSIC TRAINS

Wednesday 11 October. Time Bandits on 1856 from Chester, 1918 from Cuddington, to Plumley and at the Golden Pheasant. Return on 2157 from Plumley

Thursday 19th October. Nelson Peach on 1836 from Altrincham, 1916 from Cuddington, to Mouldsworth and at the Goshawk. Return on 2208 from Mouldsworth.

You are advised to check on the day

WHAT'S ON?

ROUND TOWER WI - Wednesday October 11th, Blue Cap. Speaker: Donna Burston - Tai Chi
For more information ring Julie on 01606 889745

NORTHWICH PROBUS - Tuesdays, 10.15am, Owley Wood Recreation Club, Barrymore Road, Weaverham. October 10th, Speaker; Ian Durnall - Getting Close to Nature
October 24th, Speaker: Tony Bostock - Cheshire's Ancient Marines

MID CHESHIRE ORNITHOLOGICAL SOCIETY Friday October 13th, 7.30pm, Village Hall.
Speaker: Michael Whiteside - Wildlife of a Cheshire Garden & Birds of Northern Columbia.
For more information contact: secretary@midcheshireos.co.uk
Further information from 01606 852673 or: www.northwichprobus.org.uk

EDDISBURY AND SANDIWAY FLOWER CLUB - . Tuesday October 10th, Owley Wood Recreation Club, Barrymore Road, Weaverham. AGM

For more information visit: eddisburyandsandiwayflowerclub@gmail.com or call 01606 75405

CUDDINGTON & SANDIWAY WI - Thursday ,October 12th, 1.45pm, Village Hall, Norley Road.
Speaker: Ray Jackson MBE - Knutsford Wildlife Reserve and Wildlife Hospital.
For further information, please ring 01606 888446 or 07788557186.

YOUTH CLUB - The Youth Club is open to 11-17 year olds at the Youth and Community Centre on Norley Road Playing Field. Weekly sessions will start again on September 8th at the new time of 7pm to 9pm. 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

PRAYER HOUR/COFFEE HOUR - Every Saturday, 10am-midday, St John's Church. Coffee is served between 11am -12 noon

ARK CAFÉ - St John's Church Hall. Fridays, 9am-2pm. (10am-2pm in school holidays).

ST JOHN'S CHURCH

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

Harvest service, October 8th, 6.30pm Holy Communion with Harvest hymns in church
Also see front page

ALLOTMENT OPENING The committee of The Cuddington and Sandiway Allotments Association would like to invite local residents and businesses to come along to their opening on Friday 6th October at 2pm. This will be held at the site on Kensington Crescent, Eden Grange, CW8 2FH, and will be a chance to look round the site and meet. Snacks will be provided. Parking will be very limited so please walk if you can.

POLICE CONTACT DETAILS

Contact our PCSO, Michelle Gillett at;

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

Michelle holds Surgeries in several locations in the village every month for residents to go and talk to her about their concerns. Contact her for dates

Contact the police on 101. For emergencies only use 999

Non 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

VILLAGE HALL NOTICEBOARD



Afternoon Tea

£1.50 for tea and cake. 2-4pm, All welcome.

October 6th, November 2nd

250 Club September Draw winners

1st prize £40, winner - member number 12 of Sandown Crescent

2nd prize £20 winner - member number 4 of Moorlands Park

NEW CLASS - Namaste Safe Last Wednesday monthly 7.15pm-8.15pm Join Claire for an hour of meditation, relaxation and gratitude.

What to expect: the session will include a welcome tea, breathing exercises, guided meditation and journaling.

The session will be both empowering and grounding, a positive environment where anyone is welcome.

Take some time for yourself to reflect on the last month, and think about the month ahead. Claire Whitehouse 07573344040, namastesafe.claire@gmail.com

SANDIWAY LIBRARY IN OCTOBER

Libraries Week 2-8 October

Friday 6 5.30-6.30pm Not A Reading Group Welcoming all booklovers. This is not a book group as you know it! There will be no required reading and we won't discuss a specific title. Instead, we'll talk about books that we've read, those that we've enjoyed, those that we would recommend and those we are looking forward to. Join us for book talk, who knows what new titles will be added to your 'to be read' list?!

Saturday 7 10.30am-1pm Bin to Brilliant - drop-in children's craft session.
Suitable for all ages

Thursday 13 3.30-4.30pm Harry Potter Day - come along in fancy dress and help us celebrate: Sphero games, bag decorating, games and more.

Monday 16 to Saturday 21 Get Online Week - love everything digital: Do you know about our Digital drop-in help sessions, or our free iPad loan Scheme, or our eBook service Borrowbox, or Libby our eMagazine resource, or our eResources such as Which, or Ancestry. Please drop in and chat to staff for more details.

Half-term activities:

Monday 23	2.15-4.30	Puzzle Club Puzzle fun for all ages
Tuesday 24	2.30-4.30pm	WayWord Festival Craft activities celebrates the power of words to ignite imaginations – go on an adventure and discover something new.
Thursday 26	10am-12pm	Construction Club Drop in play session suitable for big kids and little kids
Thursday 26	2.30-4.30	Wayword Festival craft activities
Friday 27	3.30-4.30	Family Board Games Boards Fun for all the family with a selection of games to suit all ages

For more details please speak to staff or contact 01606 271767 or sandiway.library@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk

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