



Round Tower

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

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COULD YOU BE OUR NEXT ROUND TOWER NEWSLETTER EDITOR?

After an incredible **20 years**, our current editor is retiring, and we are still looking for someone from our community to take on the voluntary role of **Editor of the Round Tower newsletter**.

This is a wonderful opportunity to bring **your own ideas, creativity and fresh approach** to the newsletter. As editor, you will have **control over the content**, so if you have ideas about what you'd like to see included or ways to give the newsletter a new look, we would love to hear from you!

You don't need to be an experienced editor — just someone who is enthusiastic, enjoys being involved in the community and would like to take on a rewarding voluntary role.

So, if you think you could be the person to take the Round Tower into its next chapter we'd love to hear from you!

If you are interested and would like to find out more, please get in touch with

Julie Chrimes on 07484 895099

or email her at: clerk@cuddingtonparish.gov.uk



LUNCH TIME CONCERT

LUCY IRVING

CLARINET WITH PIANO

**Monday September 7th
12 noon in church**

Followed by a soup lunch

Tickets £15, Students £5,

U18s free

Book with Kathryn - 01606 889879

Pay at the door - card or cash



Do you have an art or craft hobby?

Join us in the Ark Café for a friendly couple of hours to have a chat and work on your project.

**Every Wednesday afternoon
2-4pm with refreshments
£1 per person.**

No formal teaching - we learn from each other.

The Ark Café is at the side of St John's Church Hall, Norley Rd

Joy Coulbeck 07795314424



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 contact details 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

It is with regret that we have to inform readers that this is the last Round Tower that will be published until a new volunteer comes forward to take up the role of editor

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The next meeting Of the parish council will take place on Monday September 21st 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.

This information will also be on the parish council website; www.cuddingtonparish.gov.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: julie.c@cuddingtonparish.gov.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.cuddingtonparish.gov.uk

SANDIWAY AND CUDDINGTON ARE BLOOMING.

The spring sunshine awakened a lovely display of spring flowers around the village this year. Did you know that a team of 23 volunteers, guided by Mary Cowen, make sure that the village's 16 planters are full of bright and beautiful flowering plants all year round? The group have also been planting cheerful daffodils in the grass beneath road signs and snowdrops and English bluebells in shaded, grassy areas to provide nectar for the pollinators that begin to emerge in the springtime.



It's not only cheerful spring bulbs that have been planted. Colourful displays of nectar-rich wild flowers have been planted outside Sandiway Library, on Norley Road near the bowling green and on Cartledge Close. If you would like to become part of the village planter team you can contact Mary at mary.cowen@ymail.com

Wild flowers, including English bluebells have also been planted on the holly bank along the western boundary of the church grounds by the Church Family Wildlife Gardening Group. The group has also made a pollinator zone in the church garden, full of plants that provide nectar for flying insects and have planted wild flowers in the 'No Mow zone' at the back of the church to encourage pollinating insects to visit throughout the summer. If you would like to join this group, contact Bev at eco.stjohnsandway@gmail.com

The Sandiway and Cuddington Wildlife Gardening group has also been planting wild flowers and native tree species around the village, as well as carrying out butterfly surveys at the sand quarry and are working to clear some of the non-native species that have invaded the woodland on Cartledge Moss. Contact Nicki on nicki.gibbins@gmail.com if you would like to find out more about this group.



As we enjoy the lovely displays of colourful flowers that have been created around the village, the flying insects that visit them are enjoying a rich feast of nectar. The planted areas are also helping to produce wildlife corridors for these insects and other wildlife species, where they can move around the village and its surroundings to find mates, food and shelter. Now that's blooming marvelous!



WHAT'S ON THIS MONTH?

ROUND TOWER WI - Second Wednesday of each month, 7.15pm for 7.30pm start, Blue Cap
Visitors are welcome - £5 fee

For more information contact; roundtowerwi@outlook.com

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

September 1st, Speaker: Professor James Crossland:

Fighting Bolsheviks and Fooling Nazis: The Extraordinary Life of Robert Bruce Lockhart.

September 15th, Speaker: Gary Conley - The Dream

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

EDDISBURY AND SANDIWAY FLOWER CLUB - Tuesdays, monthly, 1.30 for 2pm,
Owley Wood Club, Barrymore Road, Weaverham, CW8 3LS.

September 8th - Demonstrator: Donald Morgan - Colours Bright and Beautiful

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

CUDDINGTON & SANDIWAY WI - Cuddington and Sandiway Village Hall, Norley Road,
CW8 2LB. Second Thursday of the month, 1.45-4.15 pm

September 10th, Speaker: Tigermuffin Soaps

For further information, please ring 07857680684

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
07775 733333.

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

ST JOHN'S CHURCH is open from 10am to 3pm every weekday and on Saturdays between
10am and 12 noon

C.A.M.E.O BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT CAFÉ - An informal support group that provides a safe
space to journey through loss together. You don't have to walk this path alone.

Takes place on the first Tuesday of every month from 1.30 to 3pm in St John's Church

For further information email; mandysjc@btinternet.com

ARK CAFÉ - Open weekly, Fridays, 9am-2pm. (10am-2pm in school holidays). St John's
Church Hall. Fair Trade Teas. Freshly ground coffee. Other hot and cold drinks. Home baked
cakes. A selection of freshly made light lunches between 12 and 2pm

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

Monday 21 to Thursday 24 September.

The 2253 Chester to Manchester (normally due Cuddington 2315) will be a
bus calling at Cuddington at 2345. It will call at Northwich and beyond
only if required to set down passengers.

The 2313 from Manchester to Chester (normally due Cuddington 0020) will
be a bus calling at all stations (Cuddington 0120).

MUSIC TRAIN SEASON There will be a music train on Thursday 24th September

This is an evening train from Altrincham to the Goshawk at Mouldsworth

Further information from; musictrains@midcheshirerail.org.uk

VILLAGE HALL NOTICEBOARD

Afternoon Tea 2pm-4pm. The cost is £2 for tea and cake.
Next Tea dates: September 3rd , October 1st

250 Club August Draw winners

1st prize £40, winner - member number 57 of Primrose Hill

2nd prize £20 winner - member number 124 of Hadrian Way

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



CUDDINGTON PRIMARY PTA

FAMILY FILM FESTIVAL

Big Screen Great Film Amazing Memories!

OUTDOOR CINEMA FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

An Evening of Family Fun Under the Stars!

SATURDAY 19 SEPTEMBER 2026

GATES OPEN 5:30PM | FILM STARTS 7:00PM

AT OAKMERE CRICKET CLUB

BRING A BLANKET AND/OR CAMPING CHAIRS

ALL PROCEEDS SUPPORT CUDDINGTON PRIMARY PTA

HOT DOGS | SNACKS | SOFT DRINKS | BAR

BOOK YOUR TICKETS NOW!

SCAN TO BOOK TICKETS!

TICKETS REQUIRED BOOK EARLY TO AVOID MISSING OUT!

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING CUDDINGTON PRIMARY PTA!

Sandiway Pantomime Group Present

THE WIZARD OF OZ

Read Through 4th OCTOBER 2pm

AUDITIONS 11th OCTOBER 2pm

FIRST REHEARSAL 18th OCTOBER 2pm

REHEARSALS EVERY WEDS 7-9pm and SUN 2-5.30pm

Show Dates 28th - 31st January 2027

Follow the Yellow Brick Road

St Johns Church Hall
53 Norley Road Sandiway, CW8 2JY

Adults and Juniors from School year 5 are invited to come along and take part as well as anyone who would like to get involved 'behind the scenes' in a production capacity. The group is particularly looking for someone to act as Props Master /Mistress and to assist with costuming."

POLICE CONTACT DETAILS

Our PCSO, Simon Donnelly, will be holding Police Surgeries on the these dates;
Wednesday 9th September, Sandiway Library - 4-5pm

You can also contact Simon at; simon.donnelly@cheshire.police.uk

Contact our local police at; www.cheshire.police.uk/residentsvoicenorthwich.

To report a crime please ring 101 or in case of an emergency ring 999.

For general police enquiries, please visit;

www.cheshire.police.uk/contact/af/contact-us/