

PARISH OF DEVERILLS AND HORNINGSHAM

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PARISH NEWS

The Deverills & Crockerton



Whitecliff Farm Brixton Deverill by Pat Armstrong

June 2013

Look inside for local information

MONTHLY PUB NIGHT - 'The Cricketers' Legs'

Join us for a relaxed pub night with other villagers Firkin (local beer), wine, spirits, mixers, soft drinks, crisps, pork scratchings, pub games and all cheaper than a proper pub! Children/dogs welcome

Where: Upper Deverills Village Hall

When: Last Friday of every month 6.00 - 11.00 pm

Pub Night & BBQ - Friday 7th June

Pub Night, BBQ & Rounders - Friday 28th June

Featuring a Cocktail of the Month



Drop in on your way home after work or call in for a few pints later on
Join us on Facebook www.facebook.com/groups/upperdeverills



CROCKERTON VILLAGE COMMITTEE
GREAT BRITISH TEA & STREET PARTY
SATURDAY 8TH JUNE 4.00 - 6.00 pm

BROADMEAD LANE

Please everyone bring a plate of food to share, a chair and any alcohol you require. We will supply tables, decorations, music

and a welcome drink. Family and Friends welcome

Hot drinks & children's drinks supplied plus Children's Entertainer

For information contact: Tracey 216939/Marion 213739/Trish 846613

CROCKERTON BALLOON RACE

Tickets @ £1.00 on sale at the Great British Tea & Street Party
the launch will be at Crockerton School in July (date to be arranged)
1st, 2nd and 3rd winners will be announced in September



Longbridge Deverill Little Ones' Market

Longbridge Deverill Village Hall

Sat 15th June 10.00 am - 12.00 noon - Free entry

Pre-loved children's items, Children's craft table,

Plants for little green fingers, Lucky Dip,

Tea, coffee and delicious home-baked cakes

To sell at this event and further details call Natasha Cox 840647

All proceeds to Longbridge Deverill Village Hall



FUTURE¹⁵ EVENTS

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LOCAL COUNCILS, SOCIETIES, GROUPS etc.

Longbridge Deverill and Crockerton Parish Council

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| Ian Bell 840515 (Chair) | Kevin Gray 841363 |
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| Richard Baxter 841363 | Nigel Spreadbury-Clews 216660 |
| Roy Dickson 218807 | |

Upper Deverills Parish Council

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| Louise Stratton 844105 (Chair) | Avril Cousens 844970 |
| Sarah Jeffries 213436 (Clerk) | Robin Greenwood 840743 |
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Wiltshire Council 0300 456 0100

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Longbridge Deverill Village Hall Committee

Pat Wood 840535 (Chair) Julie Read 840655 (Secretary) Sylvia Titt 214825 (Caretaker)

Upper Deverills Village Hall

Caroline Davies 845335 (Chair) John Lea 844325 (Hall bookings)

Crockerton Millennium Committee Marion Thomas 213739 (Chair)

Pre-School Children and Parents 'Thursday Group'

Sylvia Titt 214825 Pat Wood 840535

Deverill Valley & Crockerton W I

Pat Wood 840535 (President) Julie Wallder 213142 (Secretary)

Deverills Cricket Club

Ed Read 840655 (Captain) Jamie Fagan 844123 (Secretary)

Good Neighbour Co-ordinator Emma Curtis 07557 922026

Wylve Valley Tennis Club Colin Singer 213696

Wylve Valley Flower Club

Mrs P Martin 212476 (President) Mrs S Scott 216584 (Programme Secretary)

Rural Community Beat Manager PC Vicky Howick - 0845 408 7000

Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator Upper Deverills Bridget Beattie 844884

Hospital Transport Link Scheme 211655

Mere Link Scheme (covers Upper Deverills) 01747 860096

The Rector writes:

Last year friends, with whom I shared my holiday, introduced me to the quiz programme 'Pointless'. Somewhat to my surprise, I have found it quite addictive. I am amazed at the facts people know and can lift from the recesses of their minds, particularly when the subject is something about which I know nothing. We get a good many opportunities to test out knowledge if we follow any of the wide range of radio or television quizzes. How pleased we feel when we know the answers!

The popularity of pub quizzes and quiz events to raise funds is obvious too. We either like or loathe them but does this trend reveal something of our naturally competitive nature I wonder? When we call out an incorrect answer at the television, it's of no consequence. If we are part of a quiz team, making an error lets our team mates down. We may feel awkward but it's all part of the fun of the occasion and we can laugh at our mistakes.

However, none of us like to be wrong, whether in something inconsequential like a quiz, or something more significant. We have those 'internal conversations' trying to make sense of what has occurred and to justify or rationalise our decision or action. When we know we are in the wrong, perhaps the most crucial question is what we do about it. Saying sorry, asking forgiveness isn't always easy, and even when that happens, society and individuals are not always ready to forgive. We have seen this in political and financial matters in recent years. Perhaps society needs evidence of the biblical understanding of a real change of heart and direction to accompany an apology. Then our modern desire to scapegoat and apportion blame may be tempered by allowing a new start and the putting right of wrongs.

In the meantime, happy quizzing if that's your forte!

Norma Payne

NB: Service in St. Lawrence Chapel, Warminster at 3.00 pm on **Sunday 2nd June** marking 60th anniversary Queen's Coronation - by Royal Society of St. George.



Dear Readers, thank you so much for supporting our recently launched Warminster and District Marie Curie Cancer Care group. To date our group has managed to raise over £1,000 which will help to support terminally ill patients and their families in their own homes free of charge. We will be hosting our very first 'Blooming Great Tea Party' on **Saturday 6th July** at the Athenaeum Centre in Warminster. We hope you can join us and welcome any support/help on the day. If you would like more information about Marie Curie or wish to join our group, please contact Paula Moucharafieh on 840994 or paulamouch@yahoo.co.uk

Blooming Great Tea Party

You too can organise a tea party for **Marie Curie Cancer Care**. Get together with family and friends at home, or your colleagues at work and raise the much needed funds for Marie Curie Nurses in Wiltshire. A tea party or a competition bake sale. You can hold your event any time in **June or July**. Register today, receive your free fundraising pack with balloons and invitations! Visit www.mariecurie.org.uk/teaparty / call 0845 052 4184 to register.



The Vintage Nostalgia Show - Stockton Park, Stockton Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd June



Submerge yourself in nostalgia, step back in time
Vintage & Classic cars, Hotrods & motorcycles,
Live music, Cocktail bar, Ringwood beer tent,
Children's activities,

Camping site open 31st May

www.vintagenostalgiashow.co.uk 850970 / 07771 643227

Bowood Charity Dog Show & Summer Fair With Tractor Ted Farm Show Sunday 9th June 10.00 am



A Family event, a great day out. The Dog Show, Shopping village, cookery demonstration by TV chef Peter Vaughan, many children's attractions, top European Essex Dog Display team, licensed bars and food stands, Tractor Ted's Farm Show will feature dancing diggers, combine displays, vintage tractors, baling demonstrations and animals to pet. Visit www.bowooddogshow.org for full details or follow us on Facebook



Garden Fete in aid of Sudan Medical Link

Sunday 16th June 2.00 pm - 5.00 pm

South Canonry Garden Salisbury

Wet weather West End of Cathedral and Cloisters

Big New Raffle - £500 1st prize

Cakes, preserves, Bric-a-brac, plants, books and many other items
Come along and support the Link

Horatio's Garden Food & Plant Fair

Salisbury Hospital 11.00 am - 3.00 pm Sunday 23rd June

The finest local products on sale, including hot and cold food, plants, garden paraphernalia, crafts. Free entry.

Mel Giedroyc, television presenter, will be tasting the cakes!

Mel presents The Great British Bake-Off.

Profits to Horatio's Garden programme of creative events and activities to promote the wellbeing of people with spinal cord injury.



Nature Notes



We seem to have returned to winter! The Bank Holiday week-end lulled us into thinking that summer had begun. I can't remember when we last had a very good Bank Holiday Monday. There are signs that summer is, hopefully, just around the corner. We had a swallow return to the stables here on the 11th April; it was resting on the nest giving me the impression that it was pretty exhausted by its journey. It has since been joined by at least one more. When in town last Thursday, 9th May, there were a couple of swifts flying high above the buildings. Last Sunday, 12th May, we had house martins flying around and one landed on the wall of our house near to the house martin box we put up last year which was successfully used. Brian Rayner, who lives in the village, kindly installed the house martin box and this year he has installed a swift box that we purchased after being encouraged to do so by the swift talk we attended in April. We have bought a CD of swift calls that when played in the early morning and evening should help advertise there is a vacant home here. I have yet to see a swift in the village this year, but I remember seeing a good number feeding over the river during the summer last year. So I've got my fingers crossed, I am told it can take many years before attracting them.

Yesterday and today the weather has been particularly unsettled with gusty winds, which are cold for the time of year, and heavy showers. The countryside is looking lovely, the lush bright green of the new growth is vivid and contrasts beautifully with the gorgeous pink of the flowering cherry trees, standing out against the slate grey of the sky. I noticed the mistle thrush has been singing well in this weather, I should not have been surprised; its other name is storm cock.

Sadly the frog spawn has succumbed to the very cold weather but we do have tadpoles - toad ones! Around the edge of the pond I had noticed what I thought was pondweed but looking closer I realized it was the remains of toad spawn. Toads lay eggs in ribbons deep in the pond. We had lots of toad tadpoles to begin with, the pond margins were black with them, but they have thinned out now.

I had spotted that we had birds nesting in several places in the garden (blue tit, great tit, linnet), but unfortunately their activities have ceased, due to the cold weather. I hope they had not laid eggs, this cold and wet weather would soon chill eggs and any chicks in the nest. Let's hope that summer will arrive and most importantly stay with us very soon.

Jane Trollope (written 14th May)

Wiltshire Wildlife Trust - Warminster

On **Saturday 15th June** Tamsin Holmes of National Trust Stourhead Estate will take supporters on a walk on Whitesheet Hill, to look for wild flowers, including orchids, and butterflies. We meet at the Lower Car Park for 10.00 am departure; numbers are limited so to join us and for further information please phone Ann Jones 218928. There will be a fee of £2.00 per person - a donation to conservation work on the estate.



Upper Deverills Village Hall

Due to the Wyle Art Trail, the next Pub Night at the Cricketers Legs in Kingston Village Hall will be on **Friday 7th June**. There will also be a Pub Night on **Friday 28th June** which will include **Rounders**. Both evenings will feature a BBQ between 6.30 pm - 8.30 pm. Please come along and support your local village pub!

Richard Cousens has stepped down as Chairman of the UDVH Committee, although he will be staying on as a member. The Committee members and the community of the Upper Deverills would like to say a huge **Thank You** to him for all his years of hard work and wish him a very happy retirement!

Caroline Davies, Chair UDVH

Thank you

On behalf of Wiltshire Good Neighbours, I would like to say a huge thank you to the Deverill Players for their kind donation of blankets. These blankets will be used as part of the work within our Winter's Journey programme, which will help older and vulnerable residents in rural areas who need extra support throughout the winter months. If you would like more information on this programme or any other areas in which your local Good Neighbour Coordinator for Warminster Rural Community may be able to help then please call Emma Curtis on 07557 922033 - or Email: warminstergnc@communityfirst.org.uk



Recipe of the month - Beef Layer Pie with Yoghurt Topping

Sponsored by Maiden Bradley Community Shop

Pre-heat the oven to 190C/375F/mark 5

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| 4 oz onions, chopped | Salt and pepper, Paprika |
| 1 oz unsalted butter | 1lb potatoes (cooked and sliced) |
| ½lb cold roast beef (minced) | ½lb tomatoes (skinned & sliced) |
| ¼ level teaspoon dried mixed herbs | 1 egg |
| 2 level tablespoons tomato puree | 1oz flour |
| 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce | 5 fl oz natural yoghurt |



Cook the onion gently in the butter. Add the cooked minced meat, mixed herbs, tomato puree and Worcestershire sauce; season well to taste. Starting with the potatoes, arrange layers of potato, then the meat mixture, then the tomatoes into a 2 pint casserole, finishing with a layer of potatoes. Cover casserole and bake in oven for 30 minutes. Beat the egg and blend in the flour and yoghurt; season to taste and spoon over the pie. Return pie to the oven, lid off, and cook for a further 30 minutes. Dust top with paprika before serving. This is a very versatile dish. You could use lamb or chicken to good effect.

All ingredients are available or can be ordered from Maiden Bradley Village Shop.

Contact: Website: maidenbradleyvillageshop.posterous.com; Tel: 844206

Open: Monday - Friday 7.30 am - 6.00 pm, Saturday 7.30 am - 1.00 pm
Sunday 9.00 am - 12.00 noon

PO: Mon 9.00-1.30 Tues 1.30-4.30 Wed 9.00-12.00 Thurs 9.00-12.30 Fri 9.00-1.00

Book and Dining Club

The next meeting will be held on **Monday 10th June** 7.00 pm at the Angel in Heytesbury. The book is 'The Red House' by Mark Haddon, available as a paperback and as a Kindle edition. To join the group for dinner please let Hilary McFarland (212206) know if you are coming by Sunday 9th June so she can relay the numbers of attendees to the restaurant. We look forward to seeing you.



Tea, Cake and Chat

Join us from 3.00 - 4.30 pm on **Thursday 20th June** at Longbridge Deverill Village Hall for an informal get-together. Come along, everyone is welcome. For more details call Norma 841321.



Save the Children Cream Teas and Open Garden

These will be held at Mill Farm House, Hill Deverill, on **Sunday 30th June** from 3.00 - 6.00 pm, and on the following Sundays 28th July, 25th August and 29th September.



There will be a homemade cake stall along with other items for sale. Come and enjoy a delicious Cream Tea in pretty surroundings and help raise money for the vital work undertaken by Save the Children both in the UK and abroad.

Deverills Cricket Club

The new season for Deverills Cricket Club got underway in Kingston Deverill on Sunday 5th May under glorious blue skies.

The remaining home fixtures will be on **Sundays 16th, 23rd, 30th June, 7th, 14th July and 18th August**. If you would like to watch please come along. The club always welcomes new players.

The club also wishes to thank its sponsor and all its Patrons for their continued support. If anyone is interested in helping prepare the wicket prior to a match then do please get in touch.

Jamie Fagan 844123



Ivy House St Deny's Retreat Centre



Saturday 1st June - House Open Day

Friday 7th June - Friends of Ivy House Annual Gathering Day

Saturday 15th June - Stop in the Name of God : Helen Lems

Monday 24th June - House Quiet Day - Rev Pat Clegg

Friday 28th June - Quiet Garden Day

To book please call 214824; email: stdenys@ivyhouse.org; www.ivyhouse.org

The Athenaeum Singers, Warminster
Saturday 8th June at 7.00 pm
Minster Church of St Denys Warminster BA12 8PQ
Summer Concert: French Impressions
Duruflé: *Requiem*, Fauré: *Cantique de Jean*
Racine, Pavane, Vierne: *Messe Solennelle*



Tickets: Ann Coventry 213594 annpeter1@hotmail.com / Warminster Info. Centre



Horningsham Village Fayre
Sunday 23rd June 2.00 pm - Sports Field
Grand Opening by Lord Bath
All the usual events and stalls, inc. cream teas and licensed bar,
for the first time this year a hot-air balloon. Entry Free

Big Re-Launch of Horningsham Youth Club

Saturday 20th July at Horningsham Village Hall

Horningsham Youth Club will be re-opening in September and to promote this a Fun Day is being organised at Horningsham Village Hall between 12.00 noon and 5.00 pm. All young people from 10 years to 19 years and their parents are welcome.

The entertainment will include: Drumming, Animation Workshop, Cupcake Decoration, Art Workshop, Free Running Parkour, Climbing Wall, Live Band, Assault Course, B-B-Q. Entrance is free. Come along, enjoy the day, find out more about the youth club and offer your ideas on the future activities of the club.

When the Youth Club starts in September, the meetings will be held on alternate weeks between Horningsham Village Hall and Warminster Development Centre for Young People. All young people from Horningsham, Crockerton, The Deverills, Corsley, Chapmanslade, and Maiden Bradley are welcome. Transport to and from Horningsham Village Hall or Warminster Development Centre for Young People can be provided by prior arrangement, free of charge. The new Club will be led by Sandra Samuel, the Youth Development Co-ordinator, Warminster Area, from the Integrated Youth Service - Youth Work Team employed by Wiltshire Council and will be affiliated with the Warminster Development Centre for Young People.

There will be various activities available such as: Cooking Classes, Woodcraft Skills, Photography Classes, Various sports, Bicycle reclamation, etc. For more information please contact Sandra Samuel Youth Development Coordinator for the Warminster area telephone 218561 or email: sandra.samuel@wiltshire.gov.uk; or Councillor Ken Windess, Portfolio Holder for Youth, Horningsham Parish Council, telephone 845002 or email: kenwindess@btinternet.com



Upper Deverills Parish Council

The next meetings will be on **Wednesday 10th July at 6.30pm** in the Upper Deverills Village Hall. Members of the public are welcome.

Vacancy

The Parish Council needs a new team member; if you think you would like to take the wishes of the Parish Plan forward when it is complete, are over 18 years of age contact the Clerk on 213436 or email upperdeverillspc@o2.co.uk

Upper Deverills Parish Plan

Last month we advised you of some additional consultation events we had planned. On the 29th April, over 20 people met at the Village Hall to enjoy tea, homemade cake and a chat. Emma Curtis our local Good Neighbour Coordinator and Jason Greenland Police Community Support Officer were also on hand to promote their services and answer questions. The Upper Deverills Parish Plan Working Group asked villagers for feedback on 'What makes the Upper Deverills a good place to live?' and 'What could be done to improve life for older people living here?' Several people said they appreciated the natural beauty and tranquillity of the area but there were also concerns about increasing traffic and poor public transport links. Judging by the sociable crowd and positive comments made on the day, a tea party may well become a regular event! We hope that the two further events we mentioned last month will be run during June. They are discussions about children (18-) in our villages, and those involved or associated (past or present) with our local/rural economy.

Photo Competition



We need photos to illustrate our Plan. Please get the cameras out now! We are running a competition to find the best photo in each of the following themes: Typical village scenes, Villages and surroundings through the seasons, Community activities and events, The River, Farming and Farmland, Nature and biodiversity in our valley. This will be judged at the Village Fete on Saturday 7th September – prizes for winners and acknowledgement in print when your photo is included. We are seeking digital entries at no greater than 300 dpi. To enter, you must be a resident of the Upper Deverills, have taken the photo yourself and not be a professional photographer. Further details will be published later – get snapping!!

Desk Top Publishing

If you are familiar with DTP and could help the Working Group format the report please make contact, your help would be appreciated.

PUBLIC MEETING on Saturday 20th July at 11.00 am in the Village Hall. The draft Parish Plan will have been circulated to all households before this. The meeting will be a chance for you to have your say on the draft plan.

If you have any queries, have comments to make or wish to help with producing the Parish Plan, please contact a member of the Working Group:

Kingston Deverill Michael Mounde 844363, Brixton Deverill Peter Marsh 840828
 Monkton Deverill - Andrea Llewellyn 844803.



Help Us Celebrate Volunteering in Wiltshire

Volunteers' Week is an annual campaign which takes place from **1st - 7th June** and celebrates the fantastic contribution millions of volunteers make across the UK. This year's Volunteers' Week focuses on saying 'Thank You' to the millions of volunteers who regularly contribute to society, and to recognise the way that organisations celebrate the work of volunteers in the UK.

As part of Volunteer's Week 2013 Volunteer Centre Wiltshire has joined up with a selection of Wiltshire and Swindon based charities to create **Vol-Fest!** a celebration of volunteering and the environment. Come along to Barbury Castle, near Swindon, on **Saturday 1st June** to join in the fun. Participate in enjoyable activities in the morning and further fun and entertainment in the afternoon. You can: help build tree sparrow 'villages'; have an introduction to bird surveying; help control invasive grassland species; have an introduction to butterfly surveying; take part in restoring a dew pond; install way markers or have a bush craft demonstration. After the volunteering sessions volunteers will be able to enjoy a 'thank you' lunch and entertainment such as music, performers, arts, crafts, local interests and stalls. **Vol-Fest** is a subsidised event so there is no cost to members of the public. Registration is essential, to find out about any of the workshops and to register to take part call 0845 521 6224 or visit www.developecs.org.uk/volfest and register your details.

If you can't make it on 1st June but would like to find out about volunteering opportunities in your area please get in touch, Volunteer Centre Wiltshire has details of hundreds of volunteering roles, you can talk to our Volunteering Adviser on 0845 521 6224 or visit our website: www.volunteercentrewiltshire.org.uk. If you would like to volunteer but feel as though you may need extra support then ask about the Mentor Supported Volunteering Project to see if you are eligible.

Longbridge & Crockerton Parish Council

On a lovely sunny Sunday morning, 13 people turned up for the spring litter pick. They cleared the rubbish from the pavements and verges of the A350 from the George Inn to the Crockerton roundabout. In addition a smaller party cleared Clay Street. Apart from the usual cans and crisp packets, many things were found from fluorescent light tubes to dead buzzards. The bags of rubbish were collected by a Wiltshire Council truck which was just big enough to take it all away in one load! Thanks are extended to all who turned out and took a pride in their parish.

It is all change on the council, five councillors have retired and five new councillors were elected. We said goodbye to Karen Manfield, Bill Hurd, Peter Withey, Elaine Pidgeon, Thomas Minter, and welcome new councillors, Graham Baxter, Roy Dickson, Kevin Gray, Caroline Sawyer, Nigel Spreadbury-Clews.

The next meeting will be on **Monday 3rd June** at 7.30 pm in Longbridge Deverill Village Hall. The public are welcome to attend.

Graham Connellan - Clerk



Our meeting this month will be on **Monday 10th June** at 7.30 pm in Longbridge Deverill Village Hall when we will be having general activities and a report on the NFWI Annual General Meeting. There will be tea, biscuits and a raffle. We visited Frome Theatre in May for a performance of 'The Sound of Music' which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. We also held our Wessex Group Meeting at Sutton Veny. If you would like to know more about the WI in the Deverill Valley please contact Julie Wallder on 213142. You will be very welcome to join our Meeting.

the WI Great Food Debate

The National Federation of WIs is trying to stimulate public debate on the important issue of food security and examine solutions. Globally the population is estimated to reach 9 billion by 2050 and demand for food to increase by 70% in the same period. What are the solutions? Should we be looking at GM crops? What about intensive farming? What about the role of government, consumers and retailers? Should we be cutting consumption and tackling climate change?

If you are interested in these issues come to: **WILTSHIRE'S DEBATE** on **Tuesday 23rd July 7.00 – 9.00 pm**, Nursteed Centre, Nursteed Road, Devizes SN10 3AF, entrance £3.50 - light refreshments on arrival. There will be a panel of speakers and an opportunity to have your say. The panel includes: Helen Browning OBE (CEO The Soil Association) and organic farmer; David Ball, Farms Director, Kemble Farm, Gloucestershire; representation from J Sainsbury plc. For all enquiries please contact Jan Penn 01249 716298 or email: janvpenn@hotmail.com

Deverills Festival 2nd - 5th May 2014

Want to know more about the Deverills festival of performing arts coming to the valley next year? Check out our brand new website: www.deverillsfestival.com Facebook page: www.facebook.com/Deverillsfestival and Twitter account: @DeverillsFest. Why not 'like us' on facebook and 'follow us' on twitter to keep up-to-date with programme developments and be the first to hear about confirmed artists and when tickets go on sale? Prefer to hear about festival news over email? Sign up to our festival mailing list at www.deverillsfestival.com/news.

Shreen Harmony

This popular Community Choir based in Mere has about 50 members from surrounding towns and villages, including the Deverills. Under able and fun directorship of Caroline Radcliffe, the choir sings a variety of musical genres from around the world; from traditional songs through to African and Soul music. Performances take place throughout the year at various venues and events in aid of different charities. The choir has been rehearsing an exciting and eclectic new programme for 2013, songs ranging from Mediaeval to the 20th Century. Come and hear them sing! The choir will be performing at **Mere Fete Saturday 8th June 2.30pm**; **St Michael the Archangel, Mere on Saturday 22nd June 7.30 pm**; **Stourhead Saturday 13th July between 10.30 am and noon**. Further information: website www.shreenharmony.co.uk and on Facebook.





SERVICES PARISH OF DEVERILLS & HORNINGSHAM

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| Sunday 2nd June | 1st after Trinity Brixton 8.00 am Longbridge 10.30 am Horningsham 6.00 pm | Holy Communion Morning Worship Evensong |
| Sunday 9th June | 2nd after Trinity Kingston 10.30 am Horningsham 11.15 am | Holy Communion Holy Communion |
| Sunday 16th June | 3rd after Trinity Longbridge 8.00 am Brixton 10.30 am Horningsham 11.15 am | Holy Communion 1662 Holy Communion Morning Prayer |
| Sunday 23rd June | 4th after Trinity Longbridge 10.30 am | Holy Communion |
| Sunday 30th June | Benefice Service Longbridge 10.30 am | Patronal Festival |
| Sunday 7th July | 6th after Trinity Kingston 8.00 am Longbridge 10.30 am Horningsham 6.00 pm | Holy Communion Matins Evening Service |

Mid week Services:

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday Longbridge 8.30 am Prayers
Wednesday Longbridge 10.15 am Holy Communion

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|  Church Cleaners for June  | | | |
| Kingston - Alice Stratton & Clare Mounde | | | |
| Brixton - Caroline Huntley & Frances MacDonald | | | |
| Longbridge - Monday 3rd June 9.30 - 10.30 am - all helpers please | | | |
| Church Flower Arrangers for June | | | |
| | Kingston | Brixton | Longbridge |
| 2nd June | Charlotte Williams | Mrs Rose | Kate Plastow |
| 9th June | Charlotte Williams | Mrs Rose | Anne Honley |
| 16th June | Alice Stratton | Mrs Allard | Anne Honley |
| 23rd June | Alice Stratton | Mrs Allard | Julie Young |
| 30th June | Edith Dyer | Dr Eve McBride | Julie Young |

SERVICES PARISH OF CORSLEY & CHAPMANSLADE

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| Sunday 2nd June | 1st after Trinity Corsley 9.30 am | Holy Communion |
| Sunday 9th June | 2nd after Trinity Chapmanslade 9.30 am Temple 11.00 am | Holy Communion Morning Prayer |
| Sunday 16th June | 3rd after Trinity Chapmanslade 9.30 am | Holy Communion |
| Sunday 23rd June | 4th after Trinity Temple 9.00 am Corsley 10.30 am | Holy Communion Parish Service |
| Sunday 30th June | Benefice Service Longbridge 10.30 am | Patronal Festival |
| Sunday 7th July | Trinity 6 Corsley 9.30 am | Holy Communion |

The Deverills & Horningsham Register

Funeral at Longbridge Deverill John Lorne McKellar [priest] Friday 17th May

Wedding at Kingston Deverill Lisa Kilpin & Henry Stratton Saturday 25th May

Baptism at Horningsham Matilda Hanlon Sunday 26th May

Deverills & Horningsham Parish Fund Raising Events

Tickets for all events from: Guy Ratcliffe 840405, Tim Young 840477
Bill Knowles 844476, Robert Shuler 844291



Sunday 30th June 12.30 for 1.00 pm

Summer lunch in Manor Farm Barn, Kingston Deverill

Tickets £12.50 (incl glass wine/soft drink) Cold Buffet & Puddings, Raffle

Saturday 31st August 7.00 pm

Jazz on a Summer Night - George's Barn, Brixton

Tickets £20.00 (inc glass of wine/pint of beer/soft drink)

Buffet & Puddings, Bar

Saturday 14th December

The Mill Singers Male Voice Choir - Longbridge Church

Tickets £7.00 to incl mulled wine in the interval

