

The Parish Post

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for Beambridge Clunbury Clunton Coston Cwm Kempton Little Brampton Obley Purslow The Llan & Twitchen

Clunbury Village Hall

Invites you on a

Wine Trail 2019

Visiting 4 gardens in the village
to sample wines from around
the world
followed by



a ploughman's supper
at **Upper House**
or Village Hall if wet

Saturday 20 July 6.30pm

Tickets from Upper House

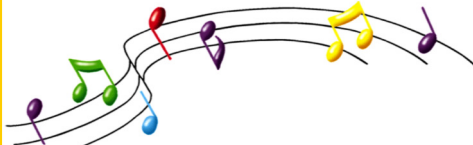
£13.50 p/p

which includes wine and supper

Contact: **Duncan Brown 660578**

or **Alister Thompson 661180**

Please drink responsibly.



Hereford Gilbert and Sullivan Society

at the invitation of Clunbury PCC
proudly present an

Evening of Music and Pleasure

St Swithin's Church, Clunbury

Friday 5 July 7.30pm

Tickets £10 from 01588 660169
or 01588 660424



Licensed wine bar
and strawberries
available
from 7pm



Thundering Success

Despite the unpredictable weather so far this summer, Clunbury Village Hall Cream Tea went ahead as planned at Brook House. A big thanks to Stuart and Ruth for allowing us to enjoy their garden in beautiful sunshine. Thanks also to all those who supported us and thanks to those who donated scones and raffle prizes. All helped to raise just over £400.

Clunbury Village Hall Committee



Stop Press Broadband News

At last, after over a year, cabinet 5 serving Kempton is connected!

To make the switch to fibre broadband, people will need to contact their chosen internet service provider to upgrade their broadband package, the broadband speeds won't increase automatically. The fibre network is open to all internet service providers, so it is recommended that people shop around to get the best deal by using a comparison website, such as:

https://www.uswitch.com/broadband/compare/fibre_optic/

John Hoskins

Please send your contributions by the 20th of each month

Purslow Show Tent News

The Show Tent schedule is now available on line at theparishpost.org/purslowshow. Hard copies will be available in local shops, pubs, etc, around the area from the last week in July. The entry fee is 20p per entry for adults and free for children when entering children's sections. Why not have a go at entering those flowers and vegetables you have been growing? The Handicraft, Cookery and Photography sections have lots of classes for you to showcase your talent. We look forward to welcoming new entrants and as always, enjoying entries from our established competitors.

Eirlys Ellams

A Message for our Budding Junior Gardeners

The Purslow Show Tent Committee have been given a Challenge Cup for Junior Gardeners by Clunbury School. It will be awarded to an individual gardener for maximum points gained in the Flower (growing) and Vegetable Sections. Additional points will be awarded for competing - one point for every entry. This is open to any child aged up to 11, whether or not they attend Clunbury School. If you want to know more you can email me on ellams999@btinternet.com *Eirlys Ellams*



Parish Post in Danger

Sadly two long-standing volunteers are leaving the area. Additionally, two of the three who have been involved since the beginning in 2010 feel it is time to step down and the third does not wish to continue for much longer.

If the Parish Post is to survive, new volunteers are needed **now**. To find out how you could help, please contact us by email: theparishpost@gmail.com, or phone – Sue Hill 660355 or Gisèle Wall 660561.

Clunton Scrumpters Cider Evening

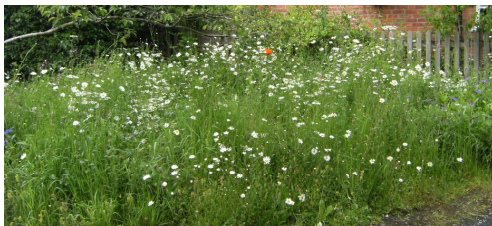
Saturday 6 July

Fold Farm (Harry's yard) Clunton from
6.30 pm

Light Refreshments & plenty of CIDER

Clunton Wild Flower Verge

The main planting is of oxeye daisies, perennial red poppies, a perennial blue cornflower (I think it is a form of knapweed), red campion, yellow rattle, white valerian, dead nettles and clover. All very low maintenance but high results for bees and butterflies and infinitely better than strimmed grass!



Reminder - Shropshire RCC – Community Fuel Buying Scheme

Want to save money? Now is the time to take advantage of cheaper heating oil. When the weather gets warmer we often see a reduction in fuel prices as demand is much lower. You can save even more by being a part of our oil club. For more information please contact Lizzy Thain on 01743 342167. Or join online at <http://www.shropshire-rcc.org.uk/services/individuals/oil-buying-scheme>

Next Order Deadlines are Tuesday 2 July and Tuesday 6 August

St Swithin's Church, Clunbury
Songs of Praise to
celebrate our
Patronal Festival

Sunday 21 July, 2pm

All are welcome to the service
Tea in the Village Hall from 3pm



Please come and join in a
celebration of our Parish Church
and Clunbury Community

Road Safety Campaign

Shropshire Council
and the West
Mercia Police are
running a campaign to
improve road safety in
Shropshire. As part of
the 'Roads Focus'



campaign, a drop-in session will be held
in Ludlow, to enable people to put
comments, concerns and questions
about road safety issues to Shropshire
Council, the PCC, Safer Roads
Partnership, the police, and local
councillors. The drop-in session will be
held on Monday 8 July at Ludlow,
Mascall Centre: 5pm to 7pm.

On Friday 12 July there's an opportunity
for people to attend a 'driver awareness
course' in Shrewsbury free of charge.

The driver awareness course – run in
conjunction with TTC – will be held from
2pm to 4pm, at The Lantern in
Shrewsbury. For more information
please email

opcc@westmercia.pnn.police.uk.

Cuthbert's Country Fair

Holiday Club for school age
children



(5 years and upwards)

29 July - 2 August 2019

daily 2.00pm - 5.00pm

St Cuthbert's Church, Clungunford

GAMES ART SPORT
REFRESHMENTS CRAFT MUSIC



Registration forms available
from 1 July
from St Cuthbert's Church, Clungunford,
Aston-on-Clun village shop
or contact Catherine on
01588 660231 or email
catherinelishman@hotmail.com

About Music Project (AMP) Presents

Party in the Park

Bishops Castle

Celebrating 10 years



Smoke Like A Fish~Fight The Bear
BETH PRIOR COLLECTIVE~BC ALL SKAS
CANTALOOP~Nuclear Weasles
5 Fathoms Deep~Without Warning
BOHEMEN Adrenaline Rush

Saturday 20 July
12pm-10.30pm
Tickets £8
Book online at
Ticketsquare.co.uk
Or
£10 on the gate

Food~Stalls~Bar~Vintage
Tea Tent~Kids workshops
and much more



South West Shropshire Gardening Club



'Five Centuries of Women and Gardening'

A Talk by Richard Rallings

Wednesday 24 July

7.30 pm

Lydbury North Village Hall

This month's talk is by Richard Rallings of Mynd Hardy Plants.

Since medieval times, when medicinal herbs were essential, through the creation of great formal renaissance gardens, into the 17th century and the rolling hills of Capability Brown, Kent and Repton, a person could be forgiven for thinking that women - apart from the odd witch - never dirtied their dainty hands.

Apparently, this could not be further from the truth. Women have always been great gardeners and great garden creators. Apart from the few notable exceptions, such as Gertrude Jekyll and Vita Sackville-West, many think of women gardeners as a 20th century phenomenon.

Richard is here to put us straight, and cast a much needed light onto the work of women gardeners and their gardens, stretching back over the last five centuries. A talk not to be missed!

The talk is free to members of South West Shropshire Gardening Club; visitors are also welcome at £5 per person including refreshments. Any further queries to Sandy Burton 01588 680454 or on our website:

www.gardeningshropshire.co.uk

Sarah Metcalf

2019 Garden & Produce Show IT'S SHOW TIME!

This year's Garden Club Show is getting nearer. We would like to take this opportunity to encourage all aspiring contributors to keep tending their onions and pruning their roses, despite all the weather a Shropshire summer can throw at us!

Last year was great fun, but we would like to make this one even better. We welcome members and non-members alike, and hope that even more of you will enter this year's show.



It's not just the biggest runner bean. If you enjoy baking, brewing sloe gin, knitting, upcycling or capturing those special moments on celluloid, then there's a category that suits you. Just have a go. There are some great prizes this year, but as they so rightly say, 'it's the taking part that counts'!!

Saturday 31 August 2019

2.00 - 4.30 pm

Lydbury North Village Hall

There will be refreshments, cakes and a plant stall on the day, so put it in your diary!

Show schedules, including recipes and entry forms are available at club meetings, around town or from the show organizer Angie Salmon, 01588 661025 or email

angiejsalmon@btinternet.com

Visit our website

www.gardeningshropshire.co.uk

Clunbury 100 club June

Jean Jones: £20; Freddie Matveieff:

£15; Tom Grimes: £10; Lorna

Goodwin: £5; Judith Payling: £5.

Clunton 100 Club:

1st Brenda Jones; 2nd Stephen

Reynolds; 3rd Kate Davies.

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Play the Game in Clungunford!

Bowls - next to the village hall, with plenty of parking, Clungunford Crown Green Bowling Club is a small but friendly club which has been in existence for over 25 years. Players range in age from young to over eighty - it is a sport suitable for all ages and abilities. We are looking for **New Members**.

The playing season outside is from April to the end of September. Wednesday is our social bowling afternoon, from 2.00pm. Please come along and you will find a warm welcome, a game of bowls (bowls provided) and a cup of tea to finish.

In winter we play short mat indoor bowls in the Craven Arms Community Centre on Tuesday afternoons at 2.00pm.

For more details please call our club secretary Jennie Clarke 07951 292496. Or just come along to either venue.

Chris Dumbarton

Table Tennis – Thursday 2-4pm in the village hall. £3 per session. Contact David 660847 or Christine 07970 577614.

Ludlow Rotary Club 6th Annual Dog Day 21 July



Stokesay Court
Fun for all the family,
including our furry friends
Over 20 classes
More information on

www.ludlowdogday.org.uk

Aston on Clun Village Hall

Apollo 13 -

Saturday 20 July 7.30pm

Flicks Summer Special

This multi-award winning, gripping and ever popular Hollywood drama is based on the events of the Apollo 13 lunar mission.

Doors open 7pm, admission £5 for adults and £2 for under-18s details and advance booking 01588 660545

The Lehman Trilogy Thursday 25 July 7.00pm

A live broadcast. The story of a family and a company that changed the world. On a cold September morning in 1844 a young man from Bavaria stands on a New York dockside, dreaming of a new life in the new world. He is joined by his two brothers and an American epic begins. One hundred and sixty-three years later, the firm they establish – Lehman Brothers – spectacularly collapses into bankruptcy and triggers the largest financial crisis in history.

Call 01588 660493/660893 for more information. Tickets £10.00. More live theatre is listed on the Village Hall website

www.astononclunhall.org

BEDSTONE AND HOPTON CASTLE
VILLAGE HALL (in Bedstone)

CHURCH LUNCHEON

SUNDAY JULY 14th

Home cooked, delicious buffet,
scrumptious puddings,
all soft drinks included.

12 noon – 2pm

Adults £10, 5–16yrs £4

St. Edward's Church, Hopton Castle

St. Mary's Church, Bedstone.

01547 530282 or 01547 530838

Events Diary for July 2019

Mon 1	9-11.30am	Parent&Toddler Group-every Mon in term time. Just turn up	Clunbury Village Hall
Mon 1	10am	Table Tennis every Mon not the last one of the month £1	Aston on Clun Village Hall
Tue 2	9.15-10.45am	Yoga Sessions every Tuesday—Beginners Welcome	Clunbury Village Hall
Tue 2	Mobile Library: Clunbury Bridge 10.10-10.30am, Clunton 10.40-11.00am,		Obley 12.45-12.55pm
Wednesdays 2pm (April-Sept) Clungunford Bowling Club-07951-292496			Next to Village Hall
Thu 4	10-11.30am	Clunbury Café	Clunbury Village Hall
Thursdays 2-4pm		Table Tennis £3 per session-660847/07970-577614	Clungunford Parish Hall
Fri 5	7.30pm	Hereford Gilbert & Sullivan Society-660169/660424	St Swithin's, Clunbury
Sat 6		Tandem Triathlon	Bishop's Castle
Sat 6	6.30pm	Clunton Scrumper's Cider Evening	Harry's Yard, Fold Farm
Sun 7	11.15am	Morning Prayer	St Swithin's, Clunbury
Mon 8	5-7pm	'Road Focus' Drop In	Mascall Centre, Ludlow
Fri 12	6pm	Flicks-Dumbo-630321/638038	SpArC
Fri 12	7.30-9pm	Luke Wright-humour & poetry	Clungunford Parish Hall
Sun 14	11.15am	CW Holy Communion	St Swithin's, Clunbury
Sun 14	12.30pm	Clun Carnival Lunch-tickets from committee or Bright Flowers	Clun Memorial Hall
Sun 14	Noon-2pm	Church Luncheon-01547-530282/01547-530838	Bedstone Village Hall
Sun 14	Noon-5pm	British Stone Skimming Championships	Walcot Lake, Lydbury North
Tue 16	Mobile Library: Clunbury Bridge 10.10-10.30am, Clunton 10.40-11.00am,		Obley 12.45-12.55pm
Tue 16	2pm	Flicks-Waking Ned Devine-630321/638038	SpArC
Thu 18	10-11.30am	Clunbury Café	Clunbury Village Hall
Thu 18	8pm	Parish Council Meeting	Kempton Village Hall
Sat 20	10am-1pm	Craft & Collectables Market	Aston on Clun Village Hall
Sat 20	6.30pm	Wine Trail	Upper House, Clunbury
Sat 20	11am-late	Party in the Park	Bishop's Castle
Sat 20	7.30pm	Flicks-Apollo 13-660545	Aston on Clun Village Hall
Sun 21	2pm	United Patronal Festival of Songs of Praise	St Swithin's, Clunbury
Sun 21	10am-5pm	Ludlow Rotary Club Annual Dog Day	Stokesay Court, Onibury
Wed 24	10am-1pm	Craft Group-661180	Clunbury Village Hall
Wed 24	7.30pm	SWSGC-Five Centuries of Women & Gardens	Lydbury North Village Hall
Thu 25	7pm	NT Live-The Lehman Trilogy-660493/660893	Aston on Clun Village Hall
Sat 27-Sun 4 Aug 10am-6pm (10-noon 4 Aug) Clun Art & Craft Show-640401			Hightown Community Room
Sun 28	11.15am	United CW Holy Communion	St Mary's, Clunton
29 July-2 August		Cuthbert's Country Show	St Cuthbert's, Clungunford
Tue 30	Mobile Library: Clunbury Bridge 10.10-10.30am, Clunton 10.40-11.00am,		Obley 12.45-12.55pm
Tue 30	7.30-9.30pm	Music & Flowers	Methodist Church, Clun
Tue 30	9pm	Carnival Quiz	The White Horse, Clun
Wed 31	6.30-7pm start from Memorial Hall — Carnival Walking Treasure Hunt around Clun		

August—Clun Carnival

Thu 1	afternoon	Judging of Hanging Baskets & Tubs in Clun
	7pm	Tractor Pull in The Square
	9pm	Folk Night at The Sun
Fri 2	7.30pm	Carnival Canter from The White Horse (640910/640013)
	9pm	Live Music at the White Horse
Sat 3	1pm onwards	Carnival Procession and Show (2pm) followed by Live Music in Square from 5pm
	7pm	Finals of Tom Beardsley Cup Clun Bowling Green
		Live Music & BBQ at The White Horse
Sun 4	9.45am	Clun Carnival Praise at Showground Bandstand
	5pm	Live Music at The White Horse