Braunston Village News

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Jetty Field

The Management Committee is up and walking and would welcome any comments or suggestions. It is an exciting challenge but we have a clear brief to provide for quiet enjoyment of this open space for all residents and visitors. We will let you know how we propose to carry out our mission; please let us know how we are doing.

A warm thank you to four villagers who have volunteered to help with maintenance in the park. There is clearly much to do but we would ask that anyone who wishes to do any work in the park, however small, should contact us first. We need to make sure that we protect you with the Parish insurance.

Would anyone who might be interested in taking an allotment in the village to grow their own fruit and vegetables please get in touch? This is a possibility that we should keep in mind if there is a need.

Give Pat Herlihy a ring on 890590, or have a word with any member of the Parish council.

Walk the park!

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Secretary: Treasurer: vacant

John Lewis Tel: 891149

Organist and

Choirmaster:

David Noble Tel 891149

Services and events at All Saints' Church for May 2005

Sunday 1st May

8am Holy Communion 10.30am Parish Communion

6.30pm Evensong

Monday 2nd May

2pm No Little Fishers- Bank

Holiday

Wednesday 4th May

7.00pm Holy Communion

Thursday 5th May

7am Daventry Churches Together Ascension Day Service

Worship at Daventry Country

Park

7.30pm Team Eucharist at Ashby

Church Sunday 8th May

8am Holy Communion

10.30am Family Service

Monday 9th May

2pm Little Fishers

Wednesday 11th May

7pm Holy Communion

7.45pm PCC

Saturday 14th May

12.30pm Wedding of Clare McNeill and Matthew Slightam Sunday 15th May

8am Holy Communion

10.30 am Parish Communion

and Fishers

4pm Team Pentecost Praise-

Staverton

Monday 16th May

2pm Little Fishers

Wednesday 20th April

10.30am Holy Communion

Sunday 22nd May

8am Holy Communion

10.30am Family Communion

Monday 23rd May

2pm Little Fishers

Thursday 26th May

7.30pm Corpus Christi - Holy

Cross, Daventry

Sunday 29th May

8am Holy Communion

10.30am Parish Communion

and Fishers

Monday 30th May

2pm No Little Fishers- Bank

Holiday

A lighter diet for Summer...

An evening service of prayer, with opportunity for quiet and reflection will run on

June 5th at 6.30pm.

All very welcome!

Vicar's Letter

Dear friends,

It is almost here- the moment we have all been waiting for...the general election!

By the time this magazine arrives you may have five days to consider who you are going to vote for. If you are anything like me, the day comes, and the cross on the ballot paper tends to go into the same box as last time!

But now is the time not only to think of 'what's best' for me and my family but to think of the poor and disadvantaged - as Jesus did in his day. (Philippians 2:4)

For example: in a world where half of the population lives in poverty 'which party has the best policy on fair-trade and relieving debt in the developing world?' (Isaiah 61:1-3)

'Which party shows consideration for the asylum seeker and the refugee?'

Then we may be able to think of issues which affect our family and our neighboursthe relative who has had to wait for a long time to have a hip operation on the NHS. I heard today of an elderly gentleman who was attacked and the police (because of less police 'on the beat') took an hour and a half to reach him; the parents who have to work around the clock in order to enable their children to go to University and pay for their tuition fees. And so the lists of concerns go on...

With the internet and television we can find

out more about individual party policies and make an informed choice on who to vote for. The important thing is that we use our vote responsibly. But we also need to back up our vote with prayers for whoever wins the election and leads the government in the next few years. 1 Timothy 2:1-4 tells us to pray for those in authority. We need to continually ask God to help them to govern wisely, with compassion and justice.

We are so fortunate to live in a democratic country where all are free to vote. During May we will be celebrating 'Pentecost' when we remember how the Holy Spirit was given to the disciples in the Upper Room and how this diverse group of people became the Church- who went out to shape their world with the good news and action of God's love. Jesus describes us as having that same potential- like salt enhancing flavour in all it comes into contact with (Matthew 5) - we, with the Holy Spirit inside us, can bring about change for the better.

Wilberforce brought about change; so did the women suffragettes, so did Nelson Mandela and Martin Luther King and thousands of others - they weren't content with the status quo - but wanted life and Society to be more as God intended it to be.

When it comes to 5th May we have the opportunity to make a difference. Let's approach the ballot box thoughtfully and prayerfully. Let's make the Cross Count!

God bless, Rev'd Claire

VILLAGE NEWS

200 Club Winners

Prize Number Winner

24th March 2005

£10 44 D White

£5 145 J Caw

31st March 2005

£10 169 F Hall

£5 18 R Thompson

7th April 2005

£50 37 M E Logan

14th April 2005

£10 103 D Turner

£5 91 N Waltiers



Commemoration of the end of World War 11 - see future editions for details of events.

Braunston Village Hall

Enquiries about availability and hire rates, both for the library and the two halls, should be made to:

The Bookings Secretary,

Clare Ashley on 07929 048396



Braunston Rainfall

20th March to 20th April = 55 mm

Information supplied by D Humphries

CHURCH NEWS

All Saints' Church

SUMMER FETE

Saturday 11th June 2005 Starts at 2pm



All welcome, come & Join us

Registers for April at All Saints' Braunston

<u>Funerals</u> Eric Cole - 1st April Edith Culleton - 20th April



May they rest in peace, and rise in glory

Baptism: Jamie Ridley - 10th April



Welcome to the Church family

Team Events in May

May is a time when Services across the Daventry Team will be taking place in celebration of the Ascension of our Lord and Pentecost.

Just as we think nothing of driving in a car to the shops, this month why not try travelling a bit to one of our Team services?

If early mornings in Nature are your thingwhy not come to the shore of Daventry Country Park Lake for a dawn Service to celebrate Jesus' going to heaven - 7am on Thursday May 5th.

Or if you want to celebrate Ascension with Holy Communion-there is a team Eucharist at Ashby Church on May 5^{th} at $7.30 \, \text{pm}$.

If you want to 'Praise God!' with a lively act of worship led by the Daventry Worship band-come to Staverton Church on Pentecost Sunday 15th May at 4pm, followed by tea and cakes.

There's something for everyone it would be great to see you at one of these events!

Confirmation Sessions

Confirmation Sessions for adults and children starting in May

For further information: 'phone Revd Claire 01788-890235

CHARITY EVENTS

HOPE AND HOMES FUND RAISING AT THE VILLAGE HALL ON SATURDAY 14th. MAY

FAMILY TREASURE HUNT



Village Treasure Hunt -Pushchair Friendly, Duration approximately 1 Hour.

Start: 2:00pm
Entry £1.50 for Adults
£0.50 for children or
a family ticket £4.00
(which includes Lucky Dip
entry)

All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

PAINTING COMPETITION



Children's Drawing/Painting Competition.

Design and paint/draw (by hand) a fund raising Poster for Hope and Homes.

No larger than A3.

Entry Pre School 50p
(prize a toy)
Aged 4 to 7 yrs £1.00
(prize £5.00)
Aged 8 to 12 years £1.00
(prize £5.00)
Submit entries between
1:30 and 2:00pm
(Entries may be used

during future fund

raising)

TEAS and RAFFLE



Tea and Cakes being served 3pm to 4pm. Raffle

ALL Welcome.

Opportunity to view the pictures and Prize giving of all these events.

Last Months Word Search:

The Winner was A. Berriman; - Well Done.
The Winning Entry can be seen in "The Well"
Money taken was £12
Thanks you all for your support

CHARITY CONCERT

Charity Concert in All Saints' Church Braunston.

Saturday May 14th, at 19:30;

Patti Gardiner, Alastair Craig, Matthew and Sue Davies are all GPs at Abbey House Surgery and are putting on a charity concert to raise money for the Medical Foundation - caring for victims of torture - which is based in London.

Kingfisher Chorale (from Leicester) accompanied by: Tom Corfield (organ), JuliaTurner (cello), and Hilary Braime (double bass)

Performing: Mendelssohn: Te Deum in D

Vaughan Williams: Serenade to Music

Fisher: The Tiffany Anthem (written by the group's musical director)

Duxbury: Angel Whisper

Downes: The Lord's my shepherd

Tickets £8 or £5 for concessions available from Patti Gardiner and Alastair Craig by e- mail(<patti@scottydoc.co.uk>); by telephone (01327 878741) or direct from Abbey House Surgery

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS



Juvenile Nuisance.

PC Sarah Harris, our Community Police Officer, is currently investigating the recent spate of juvenile nuisance related Criminal Damages that have occurred within the village, specifically involving the Village Hall, Welton Road Children's play area and the Church.

She is seeking our assistance in obtaining an understanding of the "bigger picture". She understands you may be reluctant to report or assist the Police but would like to reassure you that any information given would be treated as confidential as far as possible.

There is a Police contact box within your local village shop, where letters and/or correspondence can be dropped. Your support in relation to these on - going issues will be appreciated and the Police ask that we work together in making Braunston a better place to live.

Sarah can also be contacted on 01327 300300 or via e-mail: sarah.harris@northants.pnn.police.uk



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CHURCH NEWS

Floodlighting for April 2005

2nd April 2005 - In Memory of Len Archer love Evelyn & family

3rd April 2005 - On the eve of Avril's special Birthday

3rd April 2005 - Happy Birthday to Penny with Love from Claire

6th April 2005 · Memories of Beryl Rowley on her 80th Birthday love Judith, Chris, Danielle, Cassie & Georgina

8th April 2005 - In Memory of Anna

9th April 2005 - For Wendys Birthday

20th April 2005 - Michelle Happy Birthday lots of love Mum, Rob & Charlie x

25th April 2005 - Marian you are always in my thoughts love Roland

25th April 2005 - In loving memory of Cynitha & Geoffery Curtis

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Light & Friendly Concert

Saturday 7th May - 7.30pm

FEATURING: -

- Soprano Soloist Tamsen Flack
- Church Choir & Friends
- Church Bell-Ringers
- Organ Solos Paul Edwards
- Braunston Junior School
- Guitar Soloist Rob Sporton
- Other Solo items: instruments / singers (all who are very good)!

And loads more...

Tickets on Sale Now!

Adults £6, Concessions £4 & Children £1.00

MAY DIARY OF EVENTS

Sunday	1	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Parish Communion 6.30 Evensong		
Monday	2	BANK HOLIDAY		
Tuesday	3	WI - 7.30pm in the Village Hall		
Wednesday	4	7.00pm – Holy Communion		
Thursday	5	7.00am Daventry Churches Ascension Day service - Daventry Country Park 7.30pm - Team Eucharist at Ashby Church		
Friday	6	Scouts		
Saturday	7	All Saints' Church – LIGHT AND FRIENDLY CONCERT		
Sunday	8	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Family Service		
Monday	9	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm Church Choir - 7.00/8.00-9.00pm - Explorer Scout		
Tuesday	10	Friendly Group outing to Moreton-in-the-Marsh Toddler Group 1.30pm in Village Hall, WI 7.30pm, 8.00pm - British Legion at the White Horse, Welton		
Wednesday	11	Holy Communion 7.00pm, 7.45 PCC meeting. Beavers 7.30pm – Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm		
Thursday	12	Cubs Bell Ringers 7.00/7.30pm		
Friday	13	Scouts		
Saturday	14	Hope and Homes Fund Raising Day - Village Hall 7.30pm Charity Concert in All Saints' Church		
Sunday	15	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Parish Communion and Fishers 4.00pm Team Pentecostal Praise at Staverton		
Monday	16	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Church Choir 7.00/8.00-9.00 Explorer Scouts Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm		
Tuesday	17	Toddler Group 1.30pm		

MAY DIARY OF EVENTS

Wednesday	18	Beavers 7.30pm – Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm	
Thursday	19	Cubs - Bell Ringers 7.00/7.30pm British Legion presentation of Certificates – The Georg Hotel, Kilsby, 7.30pm	
Friday	20	Scouts	
Saturday	21	Gardens Association - Bring And Buy Sale - Village Green 9.00 - 11.00am	
Sunday	22	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Parish Communion	
Monday	23	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Explorer Scouts - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm - Church Choir - 7.00/8.00-9.00pm Friendly Club with Ken Forster - Village Hall 2.30pm.	
Tuesday	24	Toddler Group 1.30pm – Village Hall	
Wednesday	25	Beavers 7.30pm – Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm	
Thursday	26	Bell Ringers 7.00/7.30pm - Cubs 7.30pm Corpus Christi – Holy Cross, Daventry	
Friday	27	Scouts	
Saturday	28		
Sunday	29	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Parish Communion and Fishers	
Monday	30	BANK HOLIDAY	
Tuesday	31		
Wednesday			
Thursday			
Friday			
Saturday			



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Braunston Women's Institute

Tuesday May 3rd

A WI Advisor, Christine Farmer, will steer us through "The Resolutions". 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Challenge - will take the form of a Quiz

All Welcome

Meetings at the Village Hall Gill Powell - Tel: 890763 The Braunston "Dick Herne" History Society

OPEN DAY Saturday 11 June

Memorabilia of the 2nd World War in and around this area is still needed.

Ring Chris Pardoe on 01788 890448

Daventry Welfare Rights Group

What Sort of Difference Could You Make?

£150, £220 over £300 a week

These are just some of the differences that the volunteers at Daventry Welfare Rights Group have been making for clients when they assist them to claim the benefits to which they are entitled.

Daventry Welfare Rights Group is an independent, voluntary organisation, set up in 1977 with a small team of volunteers which has been assisting residents of Daventry District to claim the benefits and allowances to which they are entitled. Based in the Abbey Centre in Daventry, our experienced and trained volunteers run the drop-in advice sessions.

The success of our service means that we are now looking for a few more volunteers to join our team, would you like to help make a difference?

If you are available for a few hours a week, have good communication skills and are wiling to make an interesting and worthwhile contribution to your community, we would very much like to hear from you. Full training will be provided and we will reimburse reasonable travelling expenses.

If you would like to find out what it feels like when you make this degree of difference to some of the most vulnerable members of our community then please call Val Wright on 01327 701630 to find out more.



Clubs and Society Events

Braunston Village Gardens Association

OPEN GARDENS DAY

On Sunday 3rd July between 1pm and 5pm, several gardens in the village will be open in aid of Macmillan Cancer Relief.

Watch out for further details next month.

If you would like to be involved, please contact Jean Dibben on 890515.

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BRING AND BUY PLANT SALE

on the Village Green Saturday 21 May 9.00 - 11.00am

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FERTILISER STORE

is now open each Sunday morning from 11.00 to 12.00

"Our 8'-0" canes are cheaper than you can buy on Rugby Market"

Friendly Club

Tuesday May 10
Our first outing of the year is to Moreton in the Marsh.
There is a large interesting market on Tuesdays and plenty of places for coffee or to eat.

The coach leaves The Green at 10.00am and will leave Moreton at 3.30pm.
The coach costs £8.00 per person and is open to anyone wishing to join us.

To book a place please call Gill on 890763 or Janet on 890336 ASAP

Monday May 23

One of our members - Ken Forster - has agreed to give us a talk.

Meeting in the Village Hall at 2.30pm - as normal.

Clubs and Society Events



THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION BRAUNSTON & DISTRICT

The next meeting of the Branch will be held at **The White Horse, Welton** on 10 May 2005 at 8.00 pm.

The social evening to present certificates to long service poppy day collectors is now to be held at **The George Hotel, Kilsby** on 19 May 2005 at 7.30 pm.

All members and friends welcome.

A Note For Your Diaries.

A special service is to be held in All Saints Church Braunston at 6.30 pm on 10 July 2005 to commemorate the 60th anniversary of VE/VJ

Tony Saunderson 6 Greenway

Braunston Tel: 01788 890797.



Fiori Musicali

Fiori Musicali are appearing once again at St Peter's Church, Wolfhamcote, on Sunday 3 July at 7.00pm

The Programme includes *Lamentations of Jeremiah* by Whyte.

The Fiori Choir, violinist Andrea Morris and countertenor James Bowman will be performing with Penelope Rapson on harpsichord.

Tickets are £10.00, £7.00 for children, students and unemployed and can be obtained from the Box Office on 01788 899283

Clubs and Society Contacts

Club	Contact	Phone (01788)	Meetings
Angling Club	Chris Miller	891938	
After School Club			
Beavers (For boys and girls)	Jennifer Rolt	890241	5¾ -8yr old Boys and Girls on Wednesdays
Bell Ringers	Peter Wenham	891935	Thursday evenings at 7.30 – 9.00
Brownies (at Barby School)	Karen or Nicola Holman	891299	7-10 yr old girls Wednesday 6.30 to 8.00
Church Choir	David Noble	811936	Mondays Juniors 7-8pm Seniors 7.30-9pm
Conservation Group	Pat Herlihy	890590	
Cricket Club	Simon Stapley	890475	
Cub Scouts(For boys and girls)	Linda Lewcock	01327 878341	8-10½ year old on Thursdays
Friendly Club (for over 60's)	Janet McCarthy (Chair) Gill Powell	890336 890763	Village Hall 2.30pm on 2 nd and 4 th Mondays
Friends of Braunston School	Michelle Griffiths	890345	
Gardens Assn	Chris Grossart,	890491	Organises Village Show in September and runs Fertiliser Store on Sundays, March - June
Guides			
History Society	Chris Pardoe	890448	
Junior and		890494	
Infants School	O1 Tr. 1-1	891206	Training on Sundays
Junior Football	Shaun Tokley Robin Childs	890728	10.30-noon for 9+ years
Playing Fields	Simon Skelcey,	891220	
Association	Linda Hawkins, Wendy Wilson	890583 890348,	
Pre-School	Catherine Cook	01327 703483.	Mon - Friday am during term time in the Village Hall

Clubs and Society Contacts

Club	Contact	Phone (01788)	Meetings
Royal British Legion	Colin D White	890390	2 nd Tuesday of month at 8.00pm
School of Dance	Julia Beattie	890488	
2 nd Braunston Scouts	Group Scout Leader – Steve Rolt	890241	
Beavers (For boys and girls)	Jennifer Rolt	890241	5¾ -8yr old Boys and Girls on Wednesdays
Cub Scouts(For boys and girls)	Linda Lewcock	01327 878341	8-10½ year old boys and girls on Thursdays
Scouts (For Boys and Girls)	Joan Bishop	01327 878178	10½ -14 yr old Boys and Girls on Fridays
Explorer Scouts (in Daventry)	Steve Rolt	890421	14-18 yr olds on Mondays
Short Mat Bowls	Gill Powell	890763	Thursdays 2.00pm in Village Hall
Singles	Ann	891561	
Braunston Tai Chi Club	John Harford	01327 705807	Mondays 7-8.30pm Village Hall
Toddler Groups	A Jennings	891186	Tuesdays 1-3.00pm Village Hall in term time
Twinning Association	Chris Grossart Elizabeth Gwynne	890491 891331	Organises social events and visits to and from Quincy-Voisins
Village Hall Committee	Clare Ashley	07929048396	
Women's Institute	Rosemary Harding Sue Baker	891854 891967	1 st Tuesday at 7.30pm
WEA (Workers Educational Assn)	Jackie Green	890145	Thursday evenings at School during Autumn and Spring Terms
Youth Club (9-15yrs)	Cindy Brewster	,	Alternate Friday evenings in the Village Hall

COPY DEADLINE - 20th

From The Archives

From Issue No 241 - May 1991 - The Garden in May by Frank Cox

"May is a busy time for the gardener with much work to be done in flower border, vegetable plot and greenhouse. There is still some danger of late frosts, but this is often the month when a surge in growth makes up for what has sometimes been a slow start in Spring.

Late sowings of hardy annuals can be made while half-hardy annuals sown earlier in cold-frame or greenhouse should be hardened off ready for planting out towards the end of the month. Final planting of gladioli should be made early in the month and dahlias and spray chrysanthemums set out later.

Remove suckers from roses and use a systemic insecticide to keep greenfly in check. Keep a look-out for any sign of black spot, mildew or rust on roses, and if present spray with a systemic fungicide.

In the vegetable plot continue successional sowing of quick-maturing salad crops and finish sowing broad beans, summer and winter cabbage, broccoli and cauliflower. Remember to pinch out the tips of broad beans to discourage infestation by blackfly. Runner beans are sown towards the middle of the month.

Frequent light mowings will give you a better lawn than irregular, more drastic cuts, so keep the mower going weekly. Grass cuttings should now be removed and, unless the lawn has been treated with weedkillers, these can be added to the compost heap."

BVN Deadline

The next Newsletter will be published on 1st June. Please leave material at the Post Office before noon 20th May or by e-mail to peterdickinson@btconnect.com or steve@rolt.net

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