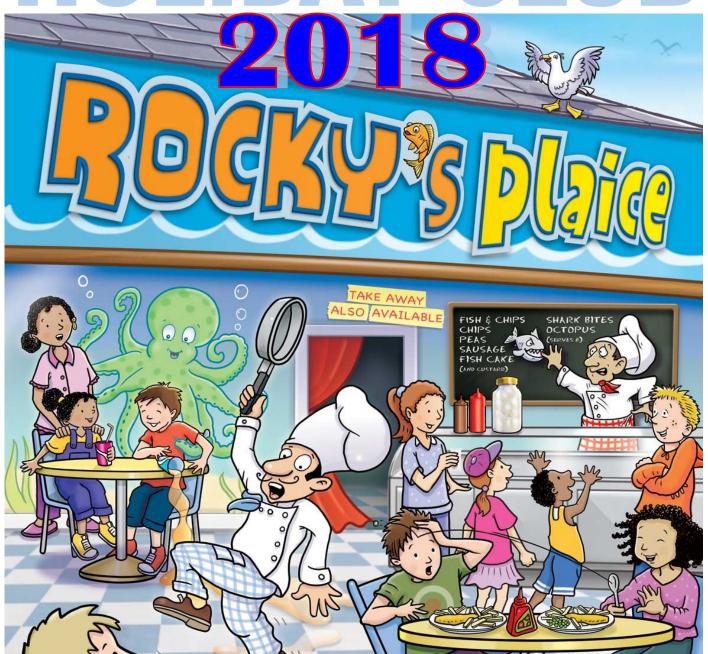


NEWSLETTER

The Apricot Village

JULY 2018

HOLIDAY CLUB



5—11 year olds—Come and join us for a fun filled week: 23rd July—27the July.

See inside for further details

ASTWICK VALE BENEFICE CHURCH CALENDAR FOR JULY 2018

AYNHO-CROUGHTON-EVENLEY-FARTHINGHOE-HINTON-in-the-HEDGES - STEANE

AYNHO - 11.0am Holy Communion **Sunday:**

July 1st (Sidespersons: Mrs.Pusey Mr.Bellamy)

Farthinghoe 9.30am HC. Evenley 6.0pm Taize

Hinton 11.0am MW

Sunday AYNHO – 11.0am Holy Communion

July 8th (Sidespersons – Mrs.Bellamy Mrs.Chong)

> Croughton 9.30am HC Evenley 11.0am HC Farthinghoe 10.00am FW Steane 6.0pm ES

> > Speaker: Revd. Eddie Smith

AYNHO – Benefice Service 10.0am Sunday:

July 15th (Sidespersons – Mrs. Dommett. Mrs. White)

AYNHO - 11.0am Matins **Sunday:**

July 22nd (Sidespersons: Mrs.Pusey, Mr.Sutton))

Croughton 9.30am HC Evenley 9.30am FW

Hinton 11.00am HC

Holiday Club Service at CROUGHTON Sunday July 29th 10.0am.

5th & 12th **Choir Practice Thursdays** 11.30am in Church

Qth **Morning Bible Study Monday** 10.15am at 1 The Bothy. 12th 2.30pm at 17, The Butts **Prayer Group Thursday**

Church Cleaning Thursday 12th 9.45am onwards (note 2nd Thursday)

30th Monday 11.00am at 16, The Butts **Home Communion**

Bell Ringing Tuesdays: 7.30pm Evenley 1st Kings Sutton 2nd & 4th **Aynho 3rd** Croughton 5th

Weddings: July 19^{th} - 21^{st} - 28th

Information about the life of our church - baptisms or wedding enquiries from:

Revd.Simon Dommett Tel:01869.810903 Email@the.revd.simon@gmail.com Sign up for our weekly service news and updates with "Pews News" on the subject line or just write in the message and be put on our weekly mailings.

Church Warden: Graham Gibbs 01869 819727

Items for August - by or before Saturday 21st July please to:

Sybil at No.32 Roundtown Tel:810692 Email: syban@btinternet.com Vol.628 Or any comments re Newsletter to Sybil or Rev.Simon Dommett

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Rectors Ramblings

Time is going fast, as I write these ramblings I am $1/3^{rd}$ of the way through my sabbatical study leave. By the time you read them it will be over $\frac{1}{2}$ way. Sir Isaac Newton said time was relative and $e=mc^2$ and a lot of other things and I have had some time to reflect in my travels. Most of this has been unplanned time with delays at airports and pickups a common occurrence. However through this I wonder if I should be learning to be more patient, maybe this is what God wants me to learn, to do things in His time and in His way rather than my own.

During these months we are taking advantage of the opportunity to invite some guest speakers to come to our services. This has been a habit and practice at our summer sermon series at St. Peter's Steane for some time, where at a traditional Evensong we have listened to a guest speaker. This month we are looking forward to hearing the Rev Eddie Smith come and share with us. Some of our readers will remember that Eddie was a curate here some years ago before I came, and it is lovely to welcome him back again. We will also be looking forward in September to hopefully hearing from the Gompertzes in what has become their traditional September slot. If anybody doesn't know who they are - Peter Gompertz was Rector here before Gill Barker.

We are also now inviting some guest speakers at our Sunday morning services on the third Sunday of the month. We have heard from Bob Forster from Tear Fund in June and from Katie Jenkinson from the Church Mission Society in May. This month we look forward to hearing from Samantha and Ian Turvey— and the work they do with the charity World Vision. I hope in the busy time of summer that you might be able to make a little time to come and join and hear what they have to share.

* Talking of time I want to thank Helen and Carrie and their team of helpers who have given of their time in preparation for our summer holiday club for children. This takes place at All Saints School Croughton from 23^{rd} July -27^{th} July ending with a special celebration service at Croughton Church on Sunday 29^{th} July at 10am. My thanks also go to all who will be helping during the week and making the Christian holiday club possible and for all who give of their time to help the many activities taking place this summer.

See you in August

Simon

"Rocky's Plaice" - 2018 Christian Holiday Club



Children of Primary School age are invited to join us this summer for our 21st Benefice Holiday Club entitled "Rocky's Plaice". We meet in Croughton All Saints Primary School Monday 23rd July – Friday 27th July 9.30am – 12.0noon each day.

This Holiday Club is designed for children ages 5-11 and will be staffed by Registered Leaders & Helpers from the 5 parishes. We are planning a fun week with activities, songs and stories each day culminating with our closing celebration at

10.0am on Sunday 29th, to which parents, families and friends are invited to join us in Croughton Church.

If you are interested, or just want more information, please contact:

Helen Boswell- boswell@btconnect.con or Carrie O'Regan - carrieoregan@btconnect.con

FETE - THANK-YOU

Thank you to all those who so generously gave bottles for the Tombola and the wonderful cakes for the Cake Stall – between these two stalls we raised £1,300 toward the net grand total of £8,600 from the Fete – a truly magnificent effort from all those who gave their time and support, and to all those who came and took part in the fun and games.

In particular to James Perkins for allowing us to use the grounds in Aynhoe Park for villagers and visitors alike to enjoy themselves.



A.R.M.S

next meet in October.

PHOTOGRAPHIC SOCIETY -Wednesday July 4th 7.30pm Cartwright Hotel

"Beyond auto – take control of your camera" presented by Bob Brind Surch.

Paul Brewerton Tel: 01295 276949 paul.brewerton@btinternet.com

AYNHO GARDENING CLUB - Wednesday July 11th - Outing

Our evening visit to **PETTIFERS**, Lower Wardington, OX17 1RU will take place on **Wednesday 11thJuly**. This is a gorgeous garden and many of you came to Gina Price's talk about her garden in January. Please arrive for **6.30pm**. There will be an introductory talk, a guided tour of the garden and a glass of wine. Cost £10 which will be collected on the evening.

Directions: Carry on A361 to Wardington, past the 'white gates' which indicate the edge of the village. Take road on right (no name) signed to Upper Wardington towards the church and Pettifers is the 4th house on the left.

AYNHO GARDENING CLUB ANNUAL FLOWER & VEGETABLE SHOW will be held in the Village Hall on **Saturday 18th August**. More about this in next month's newsletter, along with the programme for the show, listing all the classes.

Contact: Annabel Bellamy Tel: 810847 - Show - Carol McClellan Tel: 810346

WRITER'S GROUP - Saturday July 14th 10.0am-12.30 in the Village Hall



In June we had more interpretations of Déjà vu and some ingenious stories including "curiosity" "fruit" and "piano". Check the Village Website for our latest additions.

This next month we will hear about "the character I would like to be in a film, book or play" or "forging someone's signature for good reasons" "What good reason?"

If you would like - do come and listen and see what you think!

AYNHO W.I. – Wednesday July 18th 7.30pm in the Village Hall

Aynho Fete was just wonderful and enjoyed by everybody, even the dogs, who were probably hopeful of tasting the many fabulous cakes on the W.I.stand. So our thanks to the organisers and many hard working volunteers for the opportunity to be part of a very successful event. Our thanks also to Steven Bruce for his fascinating talk in June on the important facts we should all be aware of when asking for help of an auctioneer and/or a valuer, and describing the circumstances encountered over his 55 years experience of several articles he brought with him. No doubt we have all seen those programmes on T.V but now we really understand better!

Our next event on July 18th is our annual Garden Party, though the word "annual" could be questioning as last year it was rained off. Judging by the weather so far let us hope it continues so we can welcome members to the lovely garden of Val Swann.

Contact: Mrs.B.Watkins 811152

Contact: Keith McClellan 810346

Contact: Bob Mann 810264

KNIT & STITCH (over a cuppa)



Tuesdays July 3rd & 17th 2-4.0pm at 2,Portway Gardens.

Contact: Glenwys 810880

AYNHO HISTORY SOCIETY-

No Meetings during July & August

Any queries to Peter Cole 01869 811261.

Also in the Village Hall

Bujinkai KARATE now every **Tuesday** 6 – 7.0pm Enq: Joel 07853 035209.

Ballroom DANCING now every Thursday 7 8.0pm Enq: Tiziana 07986837119

AYNHO HEALTH WALKS from the Pavilion every Thursday at 10.0am. Three levels to choose from and several new and enthusiastic leaders to liven up the walks, as well as the lovely refreshments.. Car parking available.

Contact: Keith McClellan 810346 or Kathy White 810418

AYNHO ACTIVE – Joanna Mills is the lucky winner of the May Park Club Draw.



Also.....

AYNHO ACTIVE will be holding a Car Boot Sale on Monday 27th August – a Summer Bank Holiday event on the Sports Field. All proceeds will go to Aynho Active. If you would like to get involved and be part of the organising team please do email active@aynho.org All help gratefully received. Everyone else pray for sunshine, go through your cupboards and be prepared to make some money.



This young lad is cycling from Warwick-Windsor to raise money for charities. I am putting them up in our B & B for the night and they will be arriving sometime late afternoon on the 11th July (time advised on Aynho Community Facebook page)

Do come along to the Sports Field to welcome him, particularly if you have young children he can run around and play with.

Feel free to bring a picnic and games etc.

More info on his Facebook Page "The boy with the long hair...."

Kay Anderson

Saskia Thompson - Looking for summer work – I am home from university for a few months and am looking for summer work e.g. child minding, dog walking/sitting, car washing etc.

If you need me contact Saskia47@hotmail.co.uk or 07889335963.

Important information about our Community Defibrillator and Deddington Surgery

At the recent Community Health and Wellbeing Day, South Central Ambulance services provided demonstrations of how to perform CPR and the use of a defibrillator. There appears to be some confusion about how and when to use the defibrillator unit on the outside of the village hall. To clarify, this unit can only be accessed by a code number. This is to prevent theft and inappropriate use as defibrillation is not applicable in all cardiac events. If you call 999 or 111 to report a cardiac arrest, the location of the Aynho defibrillator will be seen by the controller and, if collection and use of the unit is deemed appropriate, the opening code will be provided. Once electrodes are applied to the patient, the unit works automatically to determine whether a shock is required. We are investigating a community support system to assist with collecting the defibrillator when there is no one else to do so. Councillor Anderson has been appointed Chair of the Patient Participation Group (PPG) for Deddington surgery. Andy is looking for one other voluntary person from Aynho to join the group. Members are requested to attend and contribute to regular PPG meetings and are advertised on practice noticeboards. The PPG aims to ensure that practice decisions are influenced by patients and carers and we want to enable them to participate in the work of the practice. Representatives, who should be a current patient or a carer of a patient who is registered with the practice, need to approach the role with objectivity, tact and diplomacy, drawing on and using their own experience to inform discussions and decisions, in a manner that is mindful of the priorities and concerns of all patients. For further information please contact Andy on 0330 113 6008 or Deddington Surgery admin.deddington@nhs.net.

FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL......

499 Bus Service: From July 21st the bus service will cease running.

At our recent Annual Village meeting Aynho's Northamptonshire County Councillor, Rebecca Breese, explained the financial predicament of NCC has resulted in their decision to remove the bus subsidy and close the service on 21st July. Aynho Parish Council along with other affected parish councils have fully examined whether an alternative service could be created but, having received tenders from local bus and coach companies, the costs have proven to be prohibitive. Further discussions on a very basic service of one bus in and out of Banbury continue, although this too looks to be both unaffordable and impractical as a service. Further details will be available on our web site shortly.

Planning Applications: S/2018/1354/COND :3 The Butts, Aynho OX17 3AN; removal of condition 3 (stone sample panel).

Applications can be searched on South Northants planning register

http://snc.planning-register.co.uk/,

close neighbours will be consulted direct from SNC planning department or

look out for the 'Site Notice' displayed on the street.

Access to paper plans can be arranged through the Parish Clerk.

As of 1st July 2018, Eloquence Beauty has become Eve's Salon based in the garden of 11 Portway, Aynho OX17 3AP. Offering beauty treatments, make up, body and face art and some hair styling. Fully insured and flexible for appointments over the summer (daytime, evenings and weekends). Facials, manicures, pedicures (including gellish), eyebrow and lash tinting & shaping, leg and eyebrow and facial waxing and selective massage treatments. Text Nicola on 07964 776133 or landline 0330 113 6008 for appointments or make one through Facebook: Eve's Salon.

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HELEN - 07805678920

FOR SALE.....If you were unable to attend the garage sale on June 10th/11th at 5, The Butts there are still items remaining for sale e.g..tools, books etc and if interested you can call Helen or Robin on 810905 to view same

SOULDERN MARKET – 21st July 9.39 – 12.30

COIN-OP LAUNDERETTE at Aynho Wharf – Station Road. 01869 338483

PARISH COUNCIL cont/

Sportsfield and Pavilion: The Parish Council own and maintain this valuable resource for the residents of the village. Are you looking for a venue to hold a meeting or get-together which is too big for your own home? The rates for Aynho residents hiring are very reasonable:

Sports Field; Fee to be negotiated on a case by case basis.

Pavilion (Middle Room) £3 per hour £10 Morning/Afternoon or Evening, £25 Whole Day.

Tennis Court – free for ad-hoc use, Exclusive use £3 per hour - we'll shortly be introducing a booking system for the tennis courts – watch the web site, Twitter and Facebook for more details.

Marquee hire £50 – hirer to assemble.

Look at the full rate card and conditions at www.aynho.org/aynho-active

The next council meeting is to be held at the Pavilion on Mon 2nd July 2018 at 7:30pm.

Contact details: Chris Wilson is the Parish Clerk and can be contacted on email clerk@aynho.org or phone on 07887548774 or you can find us on the website www.aynho.org ,Facebook and Twitter.