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THE FORERUNNER

The monthly newsletter for the Kingscote parish- including Bagpath,
Newington and Kingscote

WELCOME to the
June 2024 edition of
The Forerunner

In this edition of the Forerunner you will find more details of the **Flower Festival on 6th and 7th July**. Also information on the **GIANT FLOWER** and **BUTTERFLY** making activities for children during June – with the decorations made by the children on display in the church over the festival weekend. And don't forget the special Father's Day service, with activities for children, in the church at 9.30am on 16th June. Further information is available in the Community Corner section of this parish magazine. It's a busy month or so. All material for the next edition of the Forerunner should be sent to elin.tattersall@yahoo.com by noon on the 20th day of the month (01453 860182) [sign up here](#) to get your name onto the mailing list for the parish website e-alerts

KEY DATES

Events at the Church of St John the Baptist, Kingscote

Services in June 2024

Sunday 2nd June at 9.30am - Communion service

Sunday 16th June 2024 at 9.30am - Father's Day service, with activities for children

All welcome

Church flowers (please note a slight change in the May rota from that published in the April Forerunner)

26th May and 2nd June - Pauline Howes

9th and 16th June - Angela Wooldridge

23rd and 30th June - Naomi Teague

7th and 14th July - Flower Festival displays

21st and 28th July - Teresa Day

Thank you to those who are on the flowers rota to supply one flower arrangement in the church per year. We would love to have a few more people join the team, so if you feel you could do this, please contact Lorna Reynolds (telephone - 01453 860231).

Book club:

No meeting in June so our next meet-up will be on Monday 8th July at 2.30pm, at Sheila's to discuss 'Apeirogon' by Colm McCann and/or 'The House of Doors' by Tan Twan Eng.

If anyone else would like to come and join the Book Club, please contact Angela on 860697.

Kerbside waste and recycling collections

Food waste - every Thursday
Recycling and garden waste -
Thursdays 6th June and 20th June

Note that from 24th June, bin days are changing from Thursday to Friday - possibly for the whole parish. You should get a flyer from Cotswold District Council if your household is affected. See <https://www.cotswold.gov.uk/bins-and-recycling/check-your-collection-day/waste-collection-day-changes-2024/>

Recycling centre

Pyke Quarry (Horsley tip) is open for pre-booked appointments. It is usually open in the summer from 9am to 5pm on all days except Wednesdays.

Book your visit [here](#). Phone bookings are possible only for those without internet access- phone 01452 596 626.

Post office

The mobile post office will be at Kingscote Village Hall from 9am to 10am. every Monday and Thursday, apart from bank holidays.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

At time of drafting this newsletter there were no applications listed on the Cotswold District Council planning portal within the parish and with a consultation expiry date in June 2024.

Note- Only applications classed by CDC as 'current', using the keyword Kingscote (i.e. the parish), and with relevant consultation expiry dates are included in The Forerunner each month. The standard consultation expiry date seems to be around 21 days after validation of the application by CDC although there are exceptions and sometimes applications do not seem to be listed on the website immediately after validation. Applications may not feature in the Forerunner if both the validation date and the expiry date fall in between Forerunner publications.

If you are keen to keep abreast of all new planning applications, it is recommended that you check the CDC website regularly and/or register to receive email alerts direct from CDC.

<https://publicaccess.cotswold.gov.uk/online-applications/>

Parish Council Update

1. Recent meetings

The AGM of the parish council was held on Tuesday 14 May 2024 and was preceded by the Annual Parish Meeting the AGM of the village hall committee. Tony Wooldridge was re-elected as chair with Beth Calland as vice-chair.

Brian McTear has resigned as chair of the village hall committee after 8 years in the role and 16 years on the committee. The parish council thanked Brian for the tremendous commitment he has made throughout this time and congratulated the whole committee for maintaining the village hall in a good condition and organising regular community events.

2. GCC Highways matters

Ash dieback work on Scrubbetts Lane. We have been pressing the Ash Dieback team to complete the work started during the week of 12-16 June 2023.

Unfortunately, they have declined to commit to a date for their return because of work on higher priority roads. The team has pointed out that not all residents complied with their request to avoid non-essential traffic movements during the closure period, and this seriously impacted the amount of felling achieved. They also said that some residents raised objections to the work last year.

Potholes on Scrubbetts Lane. We are campaigning to get repairs done on the many potholes on this road near Bagpath.

3. Village Hall boundary wall

We are very grateful to the Cotswold Voluntary Wardens who have completed rebuilding the boundary wall of the village hall. Thanks to a donation from Mrs Ingleby-Oddy for the 'cocks and hens' topping, there has been no cost to the parish council.

4. Next meeting

The next meeting of the parish council will be on Tuesday 9 July at 7.30pm in Kingscote village hall.

COMMUNITY CORNER

We welcome your contributions to this, our parish newsletter, in whatever format- photographs, puzzles, recipes, poems and stories and will try to publish a selection each month. Please send them to Elin Tattersall elin.tattersall@yahoo.com

JUNE EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

COFFEE MORNING - Tuesday 11 June 10.30 - 11.30 a.m.

Everyone very welcome. Home-made cake and coffee (or tea if preferred) £2.50

Come for a friendly catch up with delicious cakes

Advance notice- An event coming in JULY

PIZZA NIGHT - WITH BAR - Saturday 13 July

Pizzas served from 4.00 - 9.00 p.m. courtesy of **Alterna** (Ed Woodridge's Pizza Van) - Bar until 10.00 p.m.

Pre-order if possible, or there may well be a wait!

12 inch pizzas - £12 normal base £14 for gluten free.

(Gluten free must be pre-ordered)

Variety of toppings meat, vegetarian and vegan options

More details to follow in next month's Forerunner

Church News

Father's Day

Come and have fun on Father's Day in a special service at the church- 9.30am on Sunday 16th June.

COMMUNITY CORNER



Activity for children – Make **GIANT FLOWERS** and **BUTTERFLIES**



We hope you will be able to join in one or two of the sessions to make decorations for the church ready for the Flower Festival. All items will be provided, and the sessions are free at the village hall. Details of session dates and times during June are on the poster and we've provided different days and times on three consecutive weekends in the hope that people will be able to make one or two of them. If you cannot make any of the session dates do get in touch with elin.tattersall@yahoo.com as we may be able to set something up. We'd love it if all the children in the parish could contribute to the display.



GIANT flower and butterfly making activity for children

at Kingscote Village Hall

June 2024

Come and make giant flowers and butterflies to decorate the church in Kingscote for the Flower Festival



The Festival is in early July, so we will be making the decorations during June.

We've set up a few sessions, so hope that people can come to one or two of them:

Saturday 8th June 9.30- 10.30am

Saturday 15th June 3.30- 4.30pm

Sunday 23rd June 3.30- 4.30pm



Let us know which session(s) you can attend by emailing

elin.tattersall@yahoo.com

Please provide names and ages of children

These activities are organised and run by church volunteers
Parent /carers are asked to accompany their children

COMMUNITY CORNER

Flower Festival 6th and 7th July – All Things Bright and Beautiful

The Flower Festival is on 6th and 7th July, with displays for people to view in the church, activities for children and teas and coffees on sale at the village hall. Entry to the event is free and we're looking forward to showcasing all the wonderful resources, skills and talents we have in our parish of Newington Bagpath with Kingscote.

Details of timings are on the poster – Do bring your friends and families.

If you can help for an hour or so at this event please do get in touch with one of the PCC members - Rev Caroline, Chris Alford, Jacquie Crew, Jane Nichols, Elin Tattersall, Rod Tibbert

THE PARISH of NEWINGTON, BAGPATH with KINGSCOTE INVITE YOU TO
THEIR **FLOWER FESTIVAL**:

ALL THINGS BRIGHT AND BEAUTIFUL

SATURDAY 6 JULY
1030 ----> 1700 hrs
FLOWER FESTIVAL
in THE CHURCH

ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN

TEA/COFFEE/CAKE
in THE VILLAGE HALL

SUNDAY 7 JULY
0930 ----> 1700 hrs
SPECIAL CHURCH SERVICE
and
FLOWER FESTIVAL
in THE CHURCH

TEA/COFFEE/CAKE
in THE VILLAGE HALL

CASH ONLY PLEASE

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH
KINGSCOTE**

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TETBURY GOODS SHED

A R T S C E N T R E

HIGHLIGHTS FOR JUNE AT TETBURY GOODS SHED



- June 1** **Carmenco Pocket Opera:** Based on the story of Bizet's Carmen but told from her point of view! The cast are all Royal Academy of Music graduates and soloists in their own right. Tickets: £15. 7.30
- June 7** **D-Day concert with the Big Brunch Band:** Celebrate Tetbury's part in the D-Day plans with music from the 1930s and 40s. Tickets: £12.50. 7.30
- June 8** **Music for Miniatures:** A baby-friendly summer concert for a young audience and their families. Tickets: £15 family of 4 or £6 adults. 10.30
- June 15** **Comedy Club:** This month we feature Adam Beardsmore, Kate Martin and headlined by Mr Roger Monkhouse! Tickets: £13.15. 8pm
- June 22** **Keith Thompson Band:** The British Blues Rock musician has been touring Europe for over 30 years and we are delighted to welcome him to Tetbury. Tickets: £15. 7.30
- June 28** **Eusebius Quartet:** The first of our Classical series the string quartet formed in 2016 and have gained a reputation for imaginative music. They'll be playing Haydn, Beethoven, and Elgar. Tickets: £24. 7.30

Please note we offer ticket price reductions for people under 25.

For more details of our other events including film, talks, exhibitions, and afternoon tea concerts and to book tickets visit our website:

www.tetburygoodsshed.co.uk

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