



Tewin Magazine



April 2018

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Happy 10th Birthday Tewin Stores

Editorial Note

Happy Easter and welcome to our April 2018 edition of the Tewin Magazine. The cover photo this month, taken by Gerry Murphy, celebrates the 10th Anniversary of Tewin Stores as a community run shop. It's thanks to the hard work, not only of our many volunteers, committee members and shop manager, but also those who researched, organised and initially got the shop up and running, that we still have a thriving village shop in Tewin. Please support them by using the shop and Post Office.

Events this month are the Book Sale on 7th (p3), the Annual Parish Meeting on the 9th (p5), the Bowls Club Presentation Night on the 13th (p9) and THACS Spring Show on the 14th (p6).

Tewin Stores Saturday lunch of ham, eggs and potato wedges is on the 21st (p25) and our film this month is 'Hidden Figures' on the 16th (p10).

Please continue to send contributions for future editions of the magazine to tewinmagazine@gmail.com. The deadline is the 15th of the month, but the earlier the better.

Jackie Murphy, Editor

Why Does the Date of Easter Change?

Easter is what is known as a 'moveable feast' because the date depends on the moon. Easter Sunday falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon of the Spring Equinox. But what is an Equinox? Equinox translates from Latin as 'equal night'. This is the time of year when the sun is closest to the Equator which results in equal days and nights all over the world. This happens twice a year in March and September. At other times of the year the tilt of the Earth brings the land above the Equator, the Northern Hemisphere, closer to the sun which results in longer Summer days whilst the Southern Hemisphere is tilted further away giving shorter, Winter days. When this is reversed, the Northern hemisphere has shorter days whilst the Southern hemisphere has longer days.



TEWIN MEMORIAL HALL

SPRING BOOK SALE – Saturday, 7th April: 10am – 4pm

With Summer on the way, now is the time to think about your holiday reading. On the above date Tewin Memorial Hall will be holding its popular Spring Book Sale. Entrance is free and you'll have time to browse around hundreds of books in a great variety of categories. Whatever your interests, you will find plenty of material at the Sale. There will be books in numerous categories, including novels, biographies, gardening, cookery, sport, the arts, history, geography, transport, and many other specialised subjects. Also, as usual, there will be hardback as well as paperback books, plus jigsaws, puzzles and CDs to suit all ages, as well as many children's books.

As always, our second-hand books, some as new, will be on offer at very low prices. So why not come along – you'll be under no pressure to buy and in between browsing you'll be able to treat yourself to some refreshment.

Meanwhile, we will need some help on both the Friday afternoon and Saturday of the Sale so if you think you can spare some time, please contact Linda Crawford on 717538.

If you wish to donate books or jigsaws, please bring them along early on the day of the Sale.

In the meantime, if you have any queries, please phone either *Linda on the above number, or e-mail: davidkempson@hotmail.com.*

The Tewin Memorial Hall Committee

Tewin Parish Council



PLANNING

1. The following application has been submitted to Welwyn Hatfield Council and Tewin Parish Council has commented on it:

6/2018/0158/OUTLINE - Land South of Money Hole Lane - Outline permission for the relocation of runway, erection of clubhouse,, hanger, car park and aircraft parking with all matters except access and layout reserved - *Tewin Parish Council objected based upon noise, pollution, nuisance, unsuitable location, site is too close to housing, clash with Luton flight paths, nuisance of flight paths over Tewin, nuisance and hazards of acrobatics over or near populated areas, unsuitable and dangerous access.*

Our information is that the last date for public comments was 16/03/18, but it could well be later please check with the website.

2. The following application has already been refused by EHC and the appeal submitted has been dismissed by the Inspector:

3/17/0722/OUT Construction of 9 dwellings consisting of 4 x 3 Bedrooms and 5 x 2 Bedrooms with two new vehicular accesses. Land East Of Upper Green Road.

PAVILION EXTENSION WORKS

The start date for the extension to the Pavilion lounge and changing rooms is confirmed as 9th April 2018. All users are aware and have been relocated for 12 weeks.

PARISH COUNCIL INFORMATION

The next meeting is the Annual Parish Meeting on Monday 9th April 2018 at 7.45pm followed by the usual meeting at Tewin Memorial Hall in the Kimberley Room.

Agenda: Please notify the Clerk at least one week before the meeting if you wish to suggest items for discussion at the meeting. The agenda is published on the Notice Board outside Tewin Stores 3 working days before the meeting. *All Parishioners are welcome to attend and can make comments at the start of the meeting.*

Minutes: These are displayed at Tewin Stores, Tewin Memorial Hall, at the bus shelter at the top of Desborough Drive and on the website www.tewinvillage.co.uk. The minutes are not published until approved and signed at the subsequent meeting.

Newsletters/Meeting Dates: These are published on the website www.tewinvillage.co.uk

Queries: Please contact:

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THACS - TEWIN HORTICULTURAL ARTS & CRAFTS SOCIETY

Spring Show on Saturday 14th April

The *THACS* Spring Show will be held in Tewin Memorial Hall on Saturday 14th April. Come along to see the displays of flower arranging, flowers, painting, calligraphy, poetry, handicraft, photography, baking and more. There will be something on show for everyone to admire and enjoy!

If you would like to enter but have not done so yet, then there is still time. The Show Schedule and entry forms can be down-loaded from the *THACS* page on the village website (www.tewinvillage.co.uk/clubs/thacs/) or you can get paper copies from Tewin Stores. Once you have the Show Schedule, you'll be able to see all of the options and then select which ones to enter before submitting your completed entry form (and any entrance fees) by Sunday 8th April.

The show will be open at 2:00pm and the presentation of prizes will be at 3:30pm, followed by a sale of produce, in support of a local charity. There is no admission charge and free show programmes will be available at the door. Refreshments will be available during the afternoon to enhance your enjoyment, so please come along and support this village event.

Tewin Open Gardens on Sunday 20th May

A variety of gardens, ranging from beautiful woodland gardens to the ever-popular allotments, will be open to visitors on Sunday 20th May, so make a note of the date and be sure not to miss it.

There will be more information in next month's *Tewin Magazine*. Meanwhile, we would love to enlist your support in helping us to inspire passion in the art and practice of horticulture. Could you open your garden? You would be sharing the best in gardening with local visitors who would enjoy exchanging ideas with you on how to improve their gardens.

If you would like to open your garden on 20th May, please contact Jim Hall on 01438 718505 or Alice Greenwood on 01438 798177.

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BOWLS CLUB NEWS

By the time you read this, the Bowls Club will have enjoyed another Sunday lunch and Quiz Night, both again attracting a full house. Now the Bowlers are looking forward to the opening of the Green for the Summer season on Saturday, 21st April. However, prior to this the Club will be holding its **Presentation Night Extravaganza on Friday, 13th April.**

This promises to be an enjoyable evening, not only with Competition Winners being presented with their trophies, but also because it's expected to be a fun evening, with some Club members providing the entertainment! In the past, this has identified members with hidden talents, and has proved to be a winner! So do come along. Tickets are £10 each, which includes a Buffet Supper, as well as free Raffle tickets. As with the Quiz Night, this event is expected to be very popular, so we suggest you reserve your place as soon as possible by either putting your name on the list in the Clubhouse, or in Tewin Stores.

(Note: If you have reserved a place at this event, but then find you are not able to attend, please phone Joan Branson on 01707 332655. Joan is in charge of catering for the Club so it's important that she's aware of exact attendance numbers. Also. If you have any food allergies etc., please phone before the event).

Finally, if you need further information on the above events, please phone Todd Canton on 717395. In addition, if you would like more details on any of the Club's activities, or are interested in joining, as a player or patron, please contact Rob Kenway on 07552 780236 or Mike Howe on 840 063.

Shire Park Bowls Club (Tewin)

Screen On The Green

On **Monday 16th April** we are showing "*Hidden Figures*" (2016). This is the incredible story of a team of female African-American mathematicians who served a vital role in NASA during the early years of the U.S. space program. Based on the true life stories of three of these women, known as "human computers", we follow these women as they quickly rose through the ranks of NASA alongside many of history's greatest minds specifically tasked with calculating the momentous launch of astronaut John Glenn into orbit, and guaranteeing his safe return.

Directed by Theodore Melfi, *Hidden Figures* was nominated for numerous awards and chosen by the National Review Board as one of the top10 films of 2016.

The dates and other films to be shown this season are as follows:

21st May. *84 Charing Cross Road* (1986)

18th June. *The Tin Star* (1957)

MONDAY 16 APRIL. Doors open 7pm for 7.45pm start. Complimentary teas and coffees beforehand. Ice cream on sale. Tickets from Tewin Stores or on the door, priced £4. Bring your own drinks and nibbles for a jolly night out at the Tewin Memorial Hall.

Marie St Pier

April Dates

1st April Fools Day

1st Daffodil Day when people would traditionally pick daffodils from their gardens and take them to those in hospital.

14th St Tiburtius' Day. The cuckoo traditionally sings from this day to St John's Day (24th June)

15th Swallow Day when swallows return.

23rd St George's Day. Patron Saint of England

23rd The day of both the birth (1584) and death (1613) of **William Shakespeare**



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Local History On Your Doorstep

This year the Hertfordshire Association for Local History is holding its Spring Meeting here in Tewin at the Tewin Memorial Hall on Saturday 19th May from 11am. If you are interested in local history you might like to pop along.

As well as displays by other local history societies, in the morning there will be a series of short presentations by members of societies around the county, including from Tring, Rickmansworth, the Watford and District Industrial Society and the Lowewood Museum in Hoddesdon. We are also planning to have a reading from the 2nd Volume of John Carrington's diary, due to be published later this year. This year's Lionel Munby Memorial lecture will be given at 2.15pm by Dr Ceri Houlbrook (University of Hertfordshire), on the subject of

"The Concealed Revealed" - ritual and folklore in the British Isles.

Free entry. All are welcome. For further information please see www.halh.org.uk

Or contact me on 01438 717385 alannio@btinternet.com

Linda Gilley

Tewin Memorial Hall Draw

February 2018

Here are the results for February's Supporters Club draw:

1 st	£59	Ann Kevis, Upper Green Road
2 nd	£36	Dagmar Brook, Orchard Road
3 rd	£12	John Payne, Lower Green
3 rd	£12	Hilary Tipping, Lower Green

Want to see your name here?

Please join the Club and help us reach 300 members and monthly prizes totalling £150 every month.

Application forms and more information available from:

- Lisa Bove Tel. 01438 798546 or personal@lisabove.com
- Tewin Memorial Hall
- Tewin Stores
- www.tewinvillagehall.co.uk/supporters-club

Exploring Faith and Confirmations

Susannah will be running an 'Exploring Faith' group for adults who'd like the chance to explore questions about faith and deepen their understanding of Christianity. This will be in the lead up to our Confirmation service. Those who, at the end of the course, might like to be baptised or confirmed will be able to do so, although that is not compulsory! At the same time a similar group for young people (year 7 upwards) will be run by our curate Dominic Holroyd-Thomas - again with the possibility of confirmation afterwards.

The confirmations will be held on Sunday 10th June 6:30pm.

If you are interested in joining the group, or finding out more, please email Susannah team.vicar@welwyn.org.uk

The Rev'd Susannah Underwood
Team Vicar
Welwyn Team Ministry
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Team Vicar's Letter

Every other year on Easter morning, a motley bunch gather on a hillside in Datchworth while it is still dark. Slipping out of our houses, some of us still in our pyjamas (ok, usually that's just the vicar) we creep out while others are sleeping and wait for the dawn. It's a physical, tangible reminder of a deeper spiritual mystery – that belief that light will conquer all darkness, shown through the death-shattering resurrection of Jesus Christ.

We light a fire. We sing songs. We listen with glee as the sky lightens and larks rise from the fields singing in return above our heads. We shout like lunatics 'Christ has risen!' and then we go back to the church hall for a hearty breakfast.

This year Hollywood has released another biblical blockbuster. It's the story of Mary Magdalene, that friend and follower of Jesus who came 'while it was still dark' to the tomb to anoint his body and yet found it empty and, whilst blinded by tears of grief, was awakened by his light as she heard him call her name once more.

I wonder what it was like for her as she approached the tomb? I wonder if Mary could see the sky begin to lighten, or if she was aware of stirring birds fluffing their feathers and stretching their throats ready to sing?

The story tells us that although Jesus is raised it isn't until he calls her name that she recognizes him. After that Mary runs off, the first witness to the resurrection, and tells his disciples, who don't believe her as she is only a woman. But it was she who God entrusted with this message of unstoppable life. The 'apostle to the apostles' is the title given to her. Mary, having stayed to witness the darkness of the cross, is the first to see the light of the risen Son.

So set your alarms, draw open your curtains, stand in the garden or indeed join us on the hillside and watch for the dawn. See the light conquer the darkness. Scare those dawn birds silly by shouting 'Christ is risen!' like an utter lunatic. And, like Mary, be unafraid to live life knowing that is true, even when others mock, because he too calls you by name.

I wish you all a very happy Easter.

ST PETER'S CHURCH SERVICES

DATE	DAY	SERVICE	TIME	MINISTER	1 ST READING	2 ND READING	GOSPEL
APR 1st	EASTER SUNDAY	HOLY COM- MUNION	9.30 am	SUSANNAH UNDER- WOOD	ISAIAH 25: 6-9	ACTS 10: 34-43	JOHN 20: 1-18
8th	2nd SUNDAY OF EASTER	HOLY COM- MUNION	9.30am	DAVID MUNCHIN	EXO- DUS 14: 10- 31, 15: 20-21	ACTS 4:32-35	JOHN 20: 1-End
15th	3rd SUNDAY OF EASTER	FAMILY SERVICE + BAPTISM	11.15am	EDWARD CARDALE	LUKE 24: 36b- 48		
		HOLY COM- MUNION	6.30pm	DAVID MUNCHIN COLIN HULL	ZEPHA- NIAH 3: 14- End	ACTS 3:12-19	LUKE 24: 36b- 48
22nd	4th SUNDAY OF EASTER	HOLY COM- MUNION	9.30am	SUSANNAH UNDER- WOOD USHA HULL	GENE- SIS 7: 1-5, 11-18, 8: 6-18, 9: 8-13	ACTS 4: 5-12	JOHN 10: 11-18
29th	5th SUN- DAY OF EASTER	HOLY COM- MUNION	9.30am	RICHARD SYMS	GENE- SIS 22: 1-18	ACTS 8: 26-End	JOHN 15: 1-8

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8th March 2018
9th March 2018
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22nd KEITH	ALICE GREEN- WOOD	MALCOLM SLAUGHTER GRAHAM SPRING	PAT FULFORD	SUE WHIT- BOURN	ALISON BARNFIELD
29th PAULINE	KEITH BARNFIELD	CLARE RAWLINS MARK SWANN	PETE JOHNSON	AUDREY WALTERS	ELAINE FOWLER

The Church was floodlit on 9th March in memory of Bertha Banks.

St Peter's News

After what has seemed a very long and tedious winter, with a cool start to Spring, everything is now bursting forth around us.

The snowdrops in the Churchyard were spectacular and the hedge around the new extension is growing really well. Unfortunately a rare elm was damaged in the very high winds and we are uncertain if we can save it.

Unfortunately the churchyard maintenance work party planned for March 17th had to be cancelled due to the snow and cold temperatures. A new date will be organised later in the year..

We now look forward to our 'Annual Spring Clean' of the Church itself which will take place on the evening of Friday 11th and the morning of Saturday 12th May. There is a wide range of duties, with something suitable for all ages and abilities! – cobweb removal, dusting, polishing, floor scrubbing and so on. Work will start at around 6.00 p.m. on the Friday evening and continue from 8.30 a.m. on the Saturday morning. Please add your name to the list at the back of the Church if you are able to help us or alternatively let Pete Johnson or one of the Churchwardens (Pauline or Nick) know.

Additionally – a polite notice about parking – if you are parking at the Church for whatever reason, could you please not park on the turning circle by the war memorial. For services in particular, do please try to help us ensure that those with mobility problems can park as close to the Church as possible. Your help with this would be very much appreciated.

PB

Notice of St Peter's Church Electoral Roll Revision 2018

The annual update of St Peter's Church Electoral Roll will take place between 28th March and 11th April. Anyone wishing to be added to the Roll will find enrolment forms and the box for completed forms at the back of the church during that period. Applications must be received by 11th April.

David Rawlins
Electoral Roll Officer



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Lenten Questions

The church’s season of Lent will be just about over when this is read. You may have been asked “what are you giving up?” You may even have taken pride in telling others of your heroic intended abstinence, hardly the idea of it all. The question during Lent never asked is “how is your abstinence going?” perhaps for fear that it might be asked of you in return.

It is traditionally a season of fasting and self-examination. If, as is often the case, you have given up chocolate or puddings or alcohol with your gaze fixed partly on physical wellbeing rather than spiritual, then your self-examination may have been confined to frequent use of the bathroom scales. Your reward may be here but not perhaps in heaven.

I have to admit that I gave up nothing this year. My experience of Lenten abstinence in the past has put it frequently in the same category as New Year resolutions. So I think “what are you giving up?” is the wrong question to ask. Well I would, wouldn’t I.

Surely, the correct question should be in the early part of Lent, what am I aiming to gain and at this late stage, what have I actually gained or achieved from Lenten observation.

Ted Sharp



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TEWIN MEMORIAL HALL **JUMBLE SALE REPORT**

Once again we enjoyed a very good Jumble Sale, with takings on the day amounting to £3,521.39. This was a little below the previous Spring Sale, probably due to the fact there were a few less visitors, possibly down to forecasts of rain and showers. However, this is still a very good result and, even more important, so many visitors and helpers have told us how much they enjoyed the day.

So we firstly thank everyone who generously donated so many goods, and of course, special thanks go to our wonderful team of helpers, now better known as 'Jumblers'. As usual they worked unstintingly throughout Friday and Saturday, putting up marquees, setting out tables, and sorting thousands of bags containing donations, as well as manning stalls during the Sale. They did so with enthusiasm and cheerfulness, which, as always, made for a happy atmosphere. This was helped by the great team who kept everyone going with tea and biscuits on Friday and throughout Saturday whilst our customers were kept on the premises with Jerry and Paula's tea, coffee and delicious burgers and hotdogs. The customers were able to have a cuppa, get their second wind and go back to, hopefully, purchase more!

As well as the above, we also thank our team of volunteer leaflet distributors and area collectors, who picked up donations throughout the Village before the Sale. In addition, we again thank Denis Compton and Stuart Kirkham, who collected heavy furniture and other large items during the week. With the use of their vehicles – and of course their muscle power, as well as that of Dave Hatt - we were able to collect many large, heavy items.

As a result of all this hard work we are pleased to report that the Tewin Jumble Sale has again proved to be a worthwhile and happy event in the Village. As reported previously, we continue to attract many regular visitors – some having travelled long distances - who have already told us that they'd be coming to the next Jumble Sale in October! Therefore, we again thank everyone involved and look forward to seeing you all again at the Autumn Sale on **Saturday, 13th October – same time, same place!**

Todd Canton (01438 717395) – on behalf of The Memorial Hall Committee



Jamboree Fundraising update!

A huge thank you to everyone so far who has used me for odd jobs, made donations, and put money in my tin in the village shop. I have been overwhelmed with everyone's support in Tewin!

To date I have raised £785 of the £3770 so a good start but a long way to go! This is to allow me to attend the 24th World Scout Jamboree in July 2019 in West Virginia, USA. The money partly funds my attendance however, more importantly, allows other Scouts from less fortunate countries across the world to attend and 'unlock a new world'.

I am still available to do small odd jobs as well as babysitting locally and pet sitting to help me fundraise towards this amount, or any donations are most welcome. Please contact me on [01438 718099](tel:01438718099) or [07741 485437](tel:07741485437).

I am also hosting a quiz night with other scouts as a fundraiser on Saturday 21st April at St John's Hall, Hertford, 7pm for 7.30pm start. Email hertfordwsj@gmail.com for tickets. Tickets cost £10 per adult and £7.50 per child, to include a meal. Soft drinks available or bring your own alcohol.

Thanks again

Oli

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HUGE HUGE THANKS

We would like to say very many thanks to all those kind folk in Tewin who brought duvets and other bedding, tinned food, toiletries, and coats and underwear for St Saviour's Priory in Shoreditch, for the homeless people in the area who are helped by this charity. John completely filled his car and received a very kind welcome when he took the load to St Saviour's.

We plan to go again in September so please keep anything suitable until then and we will remind you again at that time.

With many thanks
Linda and John Gilley

PS If you are one of those people who have very kindly sent cheques to St Saviour's, Sister Elizabeth says that your generosity is much appreciated.

Tewin Stores

“KEEP CALM, DON’T PANIC” those were the words spoken in the shop during the big freeze as we lost all our water for 4 days. However our customers in the café never went without as our neighbours supplied us with jugs of water to continue the supply of tea and coffee. The toilet caused a bit of a problem but we held out! We rely so much on the goodwill of the folk in Tewin to keep us going so we are wondering if there is a plumber and an electrician in the village, both of whom would help us at short notice if required? We do have several “handy men” to help with day to day problems but sometimes you need to call a professional. So if you have any skills you could offer us please let Bev our Manageress know.

The next Saturday lunch is on April 21st when it will be egg, ham & potato wedges.

Please note: In line with other Supermarkets, as from 1st April 2018 we will no longer be selling high energy drinks to children under 16 years of age.

100 club winners for March are:

1st Prize: Linda Gilley-£45.00

2nd Prize: Hazel Lee- £22.50

3rd Prize: Nadia Perkins - £13.50

Normal shop opening hours

Monday – Friday: 8.30 -4.30pm, Saturdays: 8.30 – 12 noon,

Sundays: 9.00 – 12 noon

Please note Village Shop Easter 2018 opening times will be as follows:

Friday 30th March 8.30 - 12.00,

Saturday 31st March 8.30 - 12.30

Sunday 1st April Closed all day,

Monday 2nd April 9.00 -12.00

Many thanks

Linda Crawford, Vice-Chairman, Tewin Shop Committee



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Friends of Tewin



Happy Easter to you all, Easter eggs are being eaten, Spring is here with the daffodils in bloom, the weather has improved and our busy planning is now concentrating on our up-and-coming events.

Our first event, dancing around the Maypole by the children of Tewin Cowper School is at 10am Friday 4th

May on Lower Green. It's an event that they hugely enjoy performing, spending time practicing their intricate moves as they dance around the Maypole. If the weather is bad (fingers crossed it won't be) the dancing will take place in the school hall. Please come along and show them your support.

Our annual coach trip: unfortunately, this year due to waning interest this will not be taking place which is a shame as in past years we have been able to fill up the coach places!

We will look at possibly running it again next year if there is interest, please let a committee member know your thoughts.

Our largest and most successful event year on year is the Tewin Classic Car and Craft Show. It is on Sunday 19th August on Upper Green.

Entry forms will be available about Easter from the Tewin village website. This is our eleventh year and the show has become very popular so if you want to enter a Classic car we advise sending your entry in as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. For the first time, we have a cut-off date for entries of Friday, 10th August 2018. Last year we had to turn away cars that hadn't pre-booked because the Green was full to capacity.

The event is organised by Friends of Tewin along with many cheerful, helpful volunteers who greatly help to make the show the success it has become. To continue this the committee would like to say **thank you** to past helpers and ask you to please help again. YES, it's a very busy day but very enjoyable with a great atmosphere so, if you haven't helped before and can spare us an hour or two we would very much appreciate your support.

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At our AGM last October it was reported that the Friends have been looking at ways in which we can best respond to the changing demands of the services we support. As with all public services there is a requirement to maximise resources which means closer cooperation between the various facilities managed by the Herts NHS Community Trust (of which QVM and Danesbury are part).

To enable us to help to maximum effect it is now clear that we need to broaden our terms of reference. To this end we will hold an Extraordinary General Meeting, the date of which will be announced early this month.

For many years we have benefited from the Welwyn Hatfield Times target stamp scheme. We use these to purchase a variety of small items, but especially plants and bulbs for our gardens. We pay particular attention to the maintenance of the gardens as we know the joy they bring to patients, their families and the staff. If you, or any of your friends, collect these stamps please remember that we can put them to very good use.

The Friends run an Art Group for patients at Danesbury. It is only a small group meeting on Thursday each week supervised by one of our trustees. We need a volunteer to help with the group – it is only a couple of hours between 2 and 4pm. If you think you could help, please get in touch with our office.

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Isabel Hospice

7th April 7:30 pm- 9:00 pm

Rhodes Art Complex, South Road,, Bishop's Stortford, CM23 3JG,

Robbie Williams Tribute Show - Save the date to join us with your friends for a night of entertainment with Kieran as Robbie Williams!

Ticket price: £20.00. To get your tickets, call the box office on 01279 710200.

20th April 12pm-4pm

The Village Hall, Cottered SG9 9QW

Fashion on the Ration - A talk by Julie Summers followed by lunch. Join us for a very special event, taking you back to the 1940's and wartime Britain.

Ticket prices are £37.50 per person, you can reserve a table of 8 or 10, or join a mixed table. Tea and lunch included. Please arrive at 12pm for a 12:30pm start. For further information, please contact:

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29th April 9:00am

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Dates For Your Diary This Month

Tues	Tewin School	7-10 pm	Table Tennis 7-8pm Juniors 7-10pm Adults
Wed	Memorial Hall	9.30– 11am	Parent and Toddler Group
Thur	Lower Green	9.25am	Footpath walks of Tewin
Thur	Memorial Hall	1.30-4.30pm	50+ Club
Fri	Tewin Stores	2.30-3.30pm	Trussells Butcher's Van
Thurs 12th & 26th	Bowls Club	2-5pm	Bridge
Thurs 12th & 26th	St Peter's Church	2-3pm	Little Lambs
Sat 7th	Memorial Hall	10am-4pm	Spring Book Sale
Mon 9th	Memorial Hall	7.45pm	Annual Parish Council Meeting
Fri 13th	Bowls Club		Presentation Night
Sat 14th	Memorial Hall	2-3.30pm	THACS Spring Show
Mon 16th	Memorial Hall	7pm	Screen on the Green- 'Hidden Figures'
Sat 21st	Tewin Stores	12-2pm	Lunch 'Ham, Egg & Potato Wedges'
Sat 21st	St John's Hall, Hertford	7pm for 7.30pm start	Quiz Night in aid of World Scout Jamboree

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