



# Tewin Magazine



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By Les Borg

## Harvest home

## **Editorial Note**

The beautiful photograph of the harvest mouse on our cover, taken by the late Les Borg, really sets the tone for this edition of the magazine.

We feature bountiful apples from Tewin Orchard and plans for the Harvest Festival and lunch, the highlight of this lovely time of year .

Harvest time is much more meaningful to those of us in villages and it has been a pleasure to watch the combine harvesters hard at work in the fields and be reminded of the passing of the seasons.

As usual I am happy to receive any news items .The email address is [tewinmagazine@gmail.com](mailto:tewinmagazine@gmail.com) and the deadline is the 15th of each month but the earlier the better.

Jane Vine  
Editor

## **Bridge at Tewin Pavilion**

From September onwards there will be Bridge at Tewin Pavilion every fortnight. The first session will be on Thursday, September 5, starting at 2:15pm and finishing at 5:00pm and the next session will be on Thursday, September 19. Refreshments will be provided.

A charge of £2.00 per person will be made to defray expenses. If you intend to come along, either on your own or with a partner, please tell

Lis Tyers

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## Operation Christmas Child



Last year was a significant year for everyone connected with Operation Christmas Child as the organisation delivered its 100 millionth gift filled shoebox to a needy child in Eastern Europe or Africa. It took a global effort of over 23 years to achieve this but the need is growing. You've only got to see the News programmes to realise how many more orphaned children there now must be.

I will be writing an appeal in the next issue but you could now be on the look out for a suitable box and ,say ,some extra pens and crayons as the new school term starts. There are some good offers in the supermarkets. I have already received plenty of leaflets. Any ideas for distributing them further afield would be gratefully received. I do hope you will be kind enough to join in again this year.

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### The Tewin Society Award

Nominations are now being sought for people to be considered for the Tewin Society Award 2013. Nominations must be for unpaid work that has contributed to the Heritage, Environment and Conservation of Tewin. We are fortunate to have some people who give their time and effort freely. This award is a way of thanking and honouring them, so please support this initiative by nominating the person you think most deserves this recognition.

The Tewin Society Award committee have produced brief guidance notes to be used in conjunction with the nomination form. The nomination process has been designed to be as simple and straightforward as possible and hopefully these new guidance notes will make the process even easier.

Nomination forms and guidance notes will be available from 1<sup>st</sup> September from Tewin Stores or Tebbutts, or by downloading from [www.tewinvillage.co.uk](http://www.tewinvillage.co.uk). Ray Keppler (Chairman of the Tewin Society Award committee).

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## **Tewin Parish Council**

### **TREE WORKS**

The Parish Council has agreed to Ashley Trees undertaking essential works on various trees located in the Parish as identified in the Parish Council annual risk assessment, e.g. alongside Bramfield Road on VG70 and CL148, Queen Hoo Lane on CL148 where it meets Bramfield Road, Queen Hoo Lane on CL149 where it meets Tewin Hill and Margery Lane on CL129. A number of the trees are within reach of the road and have dead wood overhanging the road.

### **FOOTPATHS**

The Parish Council has been, and still is, working very hard to arrange a footpath to be built by HCC Highways between Upper and Lower Green. Work has now been completed on FP11 at the back of Upper Green, heading to the north of the parish, in order to prevent it from becoming muddy in winter.

### **PLANNING APPLICATION**

**3/13/0951/FP - Land adjacent to 30 Lower Green, Tewin** - Erection of 3 -bedroom dwelling with associated landscaping (revised scheme) - *Tewin Parish Council objected on the basis of an inadequate tree survey, the excessive loss of trees and the inappropriate design which is out of keeping with the surrounding area and detracts from the listed property next door – EHC Granted Permission subject to various conditions.*

### **SEVEN ACRES**

The Site Manager has been made aware of the worsening condition of the fir trees adjacent to the tennis courts and has removed soil banked up nearby. Taylor Wimpey has employed an arboriculturist to assess the trees and provide recommendations.

### **AUDIT**

BDO LLP has completed the audit of Tewin Parish Council accounts and has issued an unqualified audit opinion as they consider the information in the annual return is in accordance with proper practices and no matters have come to their attention giving cause for concern that relevant legislation and regulatory requirements have not been met. The audit form has been displayed on the Parish Council notice board for the statutory 14 days.

## **RECYCLING**

As you may be aware a new wheeled bin with a blue lid will be delivered to every household in October 2013. This bin will be used to recycle cardboard, cans, plastics, glass, cartons and foil. There will be an inner paper box for keeping paper separate and if you would like one of these you must order it by sending an email to [recycling@eastherts.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@eastherts.gov.uk) or tear off the slip on the leaflet delivered to every household in the parish. Otherwise just continue to use the green box for recycling paper.

## **PARISH COUNCIL INFORMATION**

**The next meeting is the Annual Parish Council meeting on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September at 7.45pm at Tewin Memorial Hall.**

**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](http://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](http://www.tewinvillage.co.uk)

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**Police Community Team – 01707-354192** - For non-emergency purposes

**Highways Fault Line: - 0300 1234047-** For reporting potholes etc

**East Herts District Council: 01279-655261** or [www.eastherts.gov.uk](http://www.eastherts.gov.uk) - For reporting smoke & noise nuisance, flytipping, flyposting, dead animals on the road, stray dogs, dog fouling, abandoned vehicles, Environmental Services, Environmental Health, Pest Control, Waste Services, Planning, Tree Preservation Orders, Parking Warden for parking offences.

## Clear out those attics !

### **Tewin Memorial Hall**

### **Next Jumble Sale – 12<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER**

Just a quick reminder that the next Jumble Sale is not far away so if you have any unwanted items, please keep the sale in mind. The maintenance of the Memorial Hall requires a great deal of funding and the twice-yearly sales make an important contribution to this. We are therefore again asking for your generous support by donating new or nearly new items, surplus goods such as clothing, shoes, bags, bric-a-brac, linens, toys, books, jigsaws, electrical items, furniture etc. As usual, collections will be made a week or two prior to the Jumble Sale, but more details will be given in the next issue of the Tewin Magazine as well as in the usual yellow leaflet, which will be circulated to every household a few weeks before the sale.

Note: As you are no doubt aware, we have two Jumble Sales a year, namely March and October, but we now have larger storage facilities at the Memorial Hall so if you are moving house, or simply having a clear out at other times during the year, I will be happy to discuss delivery or collection – please phone me on the number below.

Todd Canton (01438 717395)

on behalf of Tewin Memorial Hall Management Committee



## CMS: CHURCH MISSION SOCIETY

### A Visit from the Ingleby Family

It was with great pleasure that we welcomed Dave and Rine, together with their two children, to the 9.30am Service at St Peter's on Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> July. Having written to them and received many 'Link Letters' in return during their two years in Delhi, it was good to meet them again and hear about their life and work in India. Together with the help of photographs we learned about the work Dave, Rine and many volunteers are doing in the poorest areas of Delhi, which amazed us all. The heat (up to 46°C), humidity, dust and dirt, but most of all the devastating poverty with, it seems, no end in sight, was unbelievable. Delhi has a population of 22,000,000 people and as they extend the City further out so the poorest people who camp on the fringe and scrape a living are pushed out again, in terrible poverty, with no education for most children and almost non-existent medical facilities.

Later the family joined about 30 of us for lunch at The Vicarage in Datchworth, thanks to the kindness of Susannah and Bob, their daughter, Annabel, and her friend, who had everything ready for our 'bring and share' lunch. A summer's day, delicious food and lots of talking with so many questions to be asked of our guests, resulted in a very happy and informative time.

Dave and Rine, Sem and Joanna have been thoroughly enjoying their four months in England, especially the cool weather and seeing grandparents. In addition, Sem, aged 5½, has had a term at a 'new school', which he really enjoyed. Whilst here, Dave and Rine have kept in touch with people in Delhi and the various projects that are going on, including the work of the Yamuna Clinic which serves some of the poorest in the Burmese refugee community, where Rine works, and the Habitat Building project with which Dave is involved.

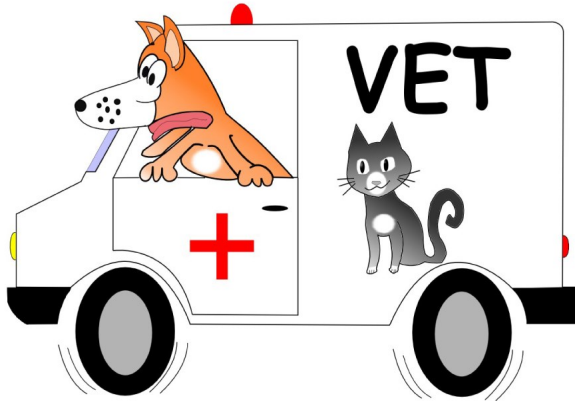
We will continue our support and link with Dave and Rine, and wish them, Sem and Joanna well for their next two years in Delhi.

Elizabeth Wilson



# Tewin Mobile Vets

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# Banking on your help

Can you add some extra items to your shopping list to help those in need ? The food banks at St Peter's Church and Tewin Stores provide goods for the Stevenage Community Food Bank, which has been set up to provide a safety net for Stevenage residents who find themselves in sudden financial crisis – for example; redundancy, benefit change or delay in benefit award or an unexpected large bill – meaning they are unable to put food on the table. The Food Bank provides nutritious food for a three week period. The Food Bank is a short term measure to support people in crisis allowing time to organise, adjust or change their circumstances.

## **A few facts from the organisers**

We opened our doors the Friday before Christmas 2012 and saw six families. We now see on average 30 families a week using the food bank. We have given away just over 1.5 metric tonnes of Pasta since Christmas and enough baked beans to fill the Stevenage swimming pool! Easter 2013 saw the Food Bank expand to cover Knebworth. The food bank only exists because of the continued support of the local community making food donations via our network of collection points. We are presently seeing a high demand for the food bank due to the school holidays and the loss of free school meals. We are seeing an increase in the "working poor" accessing the service as an unexpected or large utility bill plummets the families into food crisis. Nationally it is expected that food banks will feed 500,000 people in 2013.



**Screen on the Green: Silverado (PG, 133 mins)**  
**Monday 16th September, Doors 7pm for a 7.45 start.**

An "engrossing western" which "looks great and moves fast" (New York Times)

Screen on the Green is back! This September we're showing a modern western so expect some elaborate gun-fighting scenes, legions of galloping horses, some stampeding cattle, tons of creaking leather and even a High Noonish duel. So don your spurs and hot-foot it to Tewin Village Hall on September 16th!

Silverado is a film about a misfit bunch of friends who come together to right the injustices which exist in a small town and boasts an all star-cast including Kevin Costner, Danny Glover and Kevin Klein.

Do come along early for a free cup of tea before the show - we look forward to seeing you!

Tickets £4 each from the village shop or available on the door.

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## Team Vicar's Letter

I met a child this week who was getting prepared for his new school. New shoes, new pencil case, new uniform were all being purchased. "But best of all I get a new teacher!" he told me. Apparently he and his old one didn't see eye to eye. The hope is, that this term, a fresh start may well be all he needs to put things right.

We all need second chances.

In Ian McEwan's book *Atonement*, and in the film of the same name, the grim reality is put that that isn't always possible. The main character, Briony, bears false witness as a young girl which has devastating consequences to her older sister and her sister's young lover. The whole story becomes an attempt to rewrite the past, to change that which has been done, to put things right. And sometimes we can. Sometimes a change of scene, or a simple 'sorry', or some other action can mend that which has been damaged. But sometimes, no matter how much regret we show, what is broken remains so. The driver of the train in Spain last month which killed 79 people will know that only too well.

In *Atonement* there is no God. Religion is a crumbling façade, pictured in the mortar which drops from the folly in Briony's garden. Briony lives in a universe, created by Ian McEwan, which has "nothing but blind pitiless indifference" as Richard Dawkins describes it. There is no atonement that can be made for sin, however much we may desperately desire it. Briony's only way out is, for a lifetime, to hide her sin and eventually to slip into the bliss of dementia where she may finally forget.

But this month I have been reminded of a verse in a hymn I used to sing many years ago which speaks to me of the great hope of Christianity:

*So shall the dreadful day / when secrets all are known / be but the turning of a page or sight at last of home / so shall the Father greet the presence of the Son in me / His final charity.* (Peter Firth – I Taste the Welcome Love)

From God there may be no secrets, but from God there is also nothing which is beyond his forgiveness. We all need second chances.

Susannah

## ST PETER'S CHURCH SERVICES

DATE	DAY	SERVICE	TIME	MINISTER	1 <sup>ST</sup> READING	2 <sup>ND</sup> READING	GOSPEL
Sept 1st	TRINITY 14	HOLY COMMUNION	9.30 am	LUCY DALLAS	Ecclesiasticus 10: 12-18	HEBREWS 13:1-8,15-16	LUKE 14:1, 7-14
		SUMMER EVENSONG	6.30 pm	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	ISAIAH 33:13-22	JOHN 3:22-36	
8 <sup>TH</sup>	TRINITY 15	HOLY COMMUNION	9.30 am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	DEUT 30:15- END	PHILEMON VV1-21	LUKE 14: 25-33
15th	HAR-VEST FESTIVAL	FAMILY SERVICE	11.15 am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	LUKE 15:1-10		
		HOLY COMMUNION	6.30 pm	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	EXODUS 32:7-14	1 TIMOTHY 1: 12-17	LUKE 15:1-10
22nd	TRINITY 17	HOLY COMMUNION	9.30 am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	AMOS 8:4-7	1 TIMOTHY 2:1-7	LUKE 16:1-13
29th	ST MI-CHAEL	HOLY COMMUNION	9.30am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	GENESIS 28: 10-17	REVELATIONS 12: 7-12	JOHN 1: 47- END

### WEDDING

**Matthew John Cowap and Claudia Elena Whiskin Aug 10**

### BAPTISMS

**Stephan Marc Guillet Aug 11**

### FUNERALS

**Doreen Michael July 19**

**Ernest ( Sonny) Tyler July 22**

**Audrey Payne July 29**

## ROTAS

SERVER	READER	SIDESMEN	COFFEE	FLOWERS	CLEANER
1/9 DAVID	HERBERT LAMING	NICK WHITING NICKY HADLEY	JANE VINE	WEDDING	PETE JOHNSON
	PAULINE BROWN	DI BRADLEY GLORIA KER- SEY			
8/9 DAVID &NWACHI	NICKY HADLEY	MAVIS HAGGAR NICK WHITING	CLARE RAWLINS	WEDDING	SUE WHITBOURN
15/9 TREVOR	RUTH KEARNS	DI BRADLEY MARK SWANN	ELAINE FOWLER	HARVEST FESTIVAL	BELLRINGERS
	IVOR WILLIAMS	LINDA ADAMS PAULINE BROWN			
22/9 DAVID	PAULINE SPRING	GLORIA KER- SEY NICKY HADLEY	JANET THOMPSON	WEDDING	ELIZABETH WILSON
29/9	NICK WHITING	CLARE RAWLINS PAULINE SPRING	MARIE ST.PIER	GLORIA KERSEY	SHEILA FEAKES

Service of Said Evening Prayer is held every Monday at 5pm

***St. Peter's Harvest Celebrations***  
***Sunday 15th September***  
***11:15am Family Service followed by***  
***ploughman's lunch***  
***6:30pm Holy Communion***  
***Stunning flower displays***  
***A voluntary collection will be made for the***  
***Bishop of St. Albans Harvest Appeal***



## Churchwarden's Notes

At the end of July we were blessed with fine weather for two special services. On July 21 fourteen children were welcomed to the Baptism Reunion Service followed by a picnic and games in the churchyard. On the following Sunday, David and Rine Ingleby, whom we support as our CMS link, visited St Peter's with their two small children to tell us about their work with very poor and vulnerable communities in Delhi. After the service there was a Bring and Share lunch at the Rectory to welcome the family.

Two school visits to St Peter's took place in July. Grasshopper Class gave a presentation of the life of St Peter in the form of a play and Year 6 leavers were presented with bibles donated by the church. The summer Evensong services on the theme of 'Surprising Converts' have been taking place throughout August at the various churches of the Team Ministry. St Peter's will host the last one on September 1 when Susannah will preach on Oscar Romero. Wine, soft drinks and nibbles will be served after the service.

As we look ahead to autumn, the annual Bike 'n Hike in aid of the Historic Churches Trust will take place on September 14. We celebrate Harvest Festival on September 15 when the Family Service will be followed by a Ploughman's Lunch in the churchyard. An evening service of Holy Communion will complete the day.

Our grateful thanks go to the Friends of Tewin for funding the installation of specialised stabilising matting on the western verge of the driveway followed by re-seeding. This should prevent the quagmire which has hampered visitors to church and graveyard.

Finally we wish all couples whose weddings take place at St Peter's every happiness for their futures together.

Pete.

*Organists required for Tewin and  
Datchworth.*

*Remunerations within RSCM  
guidelines*

*Please contact The Reverend  
Susannah Underwood*

Friends of Tewin

Thank you to all the people who helped to make the Classic Car and Craft Show such a success. Of course, the good weather and the use of land for the parking of cars, with the one way system in operation, made it run really smoothly for us. The people of Tewin really showed all our visitors, and they came from afar, what a wonderful village it is to live in and how we all pull together to put on a good event. We will, of course, let you know the final figure for the day as soon as we can.

But we haven't finished with events for this year yet. By now you should all have received an entry form for our bi-annual Scarecrow Competition. This is good fun for all the family. All we ask is you make a scarecrow of your choice for the weekend of September 14/15 and put it in your front garden where it will be judged by the village. Your entry must be in before the September 3 to enable us to give you your entry number and get a route of where all the scarecrows live. Entry forms can be left at the shop or at 5, School Lane. Please join in the fun.

**Linda Crawford Chairman of Friends of Tewin.**

# Something to celebrate ?

## Do it in style at Tewin Memorial Hall



Tewin Village Hall has always been beautiful, now it can compete with commercial venues, thanks to a recent facelift.

The hall now has the high-standard facilities to hold all types of event .There's a new, modern, kitchen with a range oven, a bar serving area. The toilets have been refurbished and there is disabled access and a hearing loop.

The décor has also been significantly improved and the windows and heating have been upgraded. There's also free Wi-Fi.

### **Local Efforts**

It's all come about thanks to the fundraising efforts of Tewin residents, the volunteers on the Memorial Hall Committee, plus Biffa and National Lottery grants. The work has cost £113,000 but should attract many more people to the hall.

David Laming, chair of the Tewin Memorial Hall Committee,said "We needed to upgrade the hall's facilities to meet the increasing demands of our customers and stay ahead of other event venues in the area. The hall has hosted numerous wedding receptions and parties. It is also used for a bi-annual model railway exhibition, a training venue for local businesses, regular keep-fit



sessions, and a pop-up restaurant. Plus it provides many events for the local community such as a regular film night shown in high definition and with surround sound.”

## Competitive Rates

The hall, which dates back to 1922, stands on the picturesque lower village green in Tewin. It has an imposing main hall with high ceilings and can seat up to 110 people, which makes it the perfect venue for large events such as wedding receptions, parties, business meetings and fairs. Furthermore, the hire rates are extremely competitive – much lower than you might think.

To launch the hall as a new venue, a local Tewin business, **FP Mortimore - Website Creation & Development** [www.fpmortimore.co.uk](http://www.fpmortimore.co.uk) dedicated their time free of charge to create a website complete with gallery, hire rates and booking enquiry form.

“I use the hall regularly. It’s the location of my children’s pre-school and we attend many kids’ parties there too. I also take part in Yoga and keep fit classes which run in the hall during weekday evenings. For me the hall is the centre of the community , so when I was approached to help promote the hall as an important local venue I was pleased to get involved.” said Frankie Mortimore.

To find out more about hiring the hall including hire rates, visit [www.tewinvillagehall.co.uk](http://www.tewinvillagehall.co.uk) , call 01438 717581 or email [info@tewinvillagehall.co.uk](mailto:info@tewinvillagehall.co.uk). You can also follow the hall on twitter [@tewinhall](https://twitter.com/tewinhall).



# Tewin Pavilion

## On Upper Green

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For Bookings and Enquiries please contact

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### OPENING TIMES

MONDAY	CLOSED
TUESDAY	10:00 – 17:00
WEDNESDAY	09:00 – 17:00
THURSDAY	09:00 – 17:00
FRIDAY	09:00 – 17:00
SATURDAY	09:00 – 17:00
SUNDAY	09:00 – 12.30



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## Tewin Orchard Apple Day on Upper Green

Celebrate Apple Day at the Hertfordshire & Middlesex Wildlife Trust's event at The Pavilion on Upper Green, 12 noon to 4.30pm Sunday, October 6, 2013.

As well as fruit, home-made preserves and apple juice for sale in aid of the Wildlife Trust, there will be displays with fun and games for the younger visitors. The Badger Group, which helps manage the Mammal Hide in the orchard, will have a display, too. Conducted tours will run between Tewin Orchard to see the new plantings of heritage varieties and Tewin Millennium Orchard on land given by Patrick Loughrey, supported by the Trust, in 2000. Refreshments in the Pavilion.

Prior to the Apple Day we are fruit picking on Sunday, September 22, between 10am and 1pm to which all are invited. The wassail last January, which saw a column of local people with flares winding its way through the trees on a chill night, followed by a merry ceremony around the oldest bramley apple tree, was the prelude to our largest crop of apples for some years and we hope to make juice from those picked by the volunteers and helpers.



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## Friends of Danesbury & Queen Victoria Memorial Hospital

### *Everything in the garden is lovely*

Our **Sensory Garden** is now completed. The weather has been kind providing sun and then some rain just in time for the new plants. We even managed to keep the newly laid turf green and lush!

The garden has been designed and constructed by Chris da Silva. This is his most ambitious scheme to date and one which he can be proud of. The garden is designed to create five separate areas for patients to enjoy, relating to the five different senses – Touch, Taste, Smell, Sight and Sound.

The Taste area incorporates planters for the patients' gardening club to grow their vegetables and herbs. The focus of the Touch area is a cinder block planter providing 'shelves' of plants with varying textures topped by a striking sculptured hand. In the Sound area we have a sheltered central sitting point with an active water feature, wind chimes and surrounded by rustling grasses.

An ornamental bridge (naturally it is wheelchair friendly) leads into the Smell area. Lots of scented plants and lavender-lined pathways. Finally the Sight area surrounds a beautiful spoon sculpture in memory of a patient with a great fondness for spoons – and ice cream! This space also includes a squirrel 'playground' designed and built by a friend of the designer who works at Shepreth Zoo.

This project has been entirely funded by the generous support given to the Friends.



# Isabel Hospice

## **12<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Annual meeting - 7.30pm**

Once again the Isabel Hospice Annual Meeting will take place at Van Hage Garden Centre. All welcome - 7.30 pm.

## **14<sup>th</sup> September**

### **One Night only! James Bond Casino Evening - 6pm til late!**

Come and join in the fun at the Holiday Inn Stevenage, it will be a fantastic evening you won't forget. Stunning showgirls, superb singer, 6 casino tables, slot machines, chocolate fountain, photographer, magician, caricaturist, and a disco to dance the night away. Auction, and fantastic prize for best dressed character. Arrive at 5.30pm for 6pm. Dress code: Black tie or Bond character. Tickets £50, including 3 course buffet dinner. Contact Peter Lambert 01920 830799. In aid of Isabel Hospice.

## **15<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Chain Walk - morning**

The annual Chain Walk is a series of 12 simultaneous Sunday morning walks, ranging from 5 to 20 miles in distance. All are circular walks with a stop for lunch at a local pub and are led by an experienced leader. All routes are return. A lovely Sunday morning out raising funds for Isabel Hospice. To find out more, call Fundraising on 01707 382500 or email [maria.alexander@isabelhospice.org.uk](mailto:maria.alexander@isabelhospice.org.uk).

## **26<sup>th</sup> September**

### **Brilliant Leisure Fashion Show - 7pm**

This underwear and swimwear fashion show with next season's trends is being held at Odyssey HRC, Old Knebworth, SG7 8DU. Tickets are £10 and include a glass of bubbly, goodie bag and Elemis products. Tickets from Lesley Wilkinson on 07810 632922.

## Dates for your diary this month

Tue	Pavilion	7.30-9.30	Table Tennis
Wed	Rose & Crown	9.00pm	Quiz Night
Thur	Lower Green	9.25am	Footpath walks of Tewin
Thur	Memorial Hall	1.30-4.30pm	50+ Club
Sept 7	THACS Autumn Show	2.15pm	Memorial Hall
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