



# Tewin Magazine

July 2017

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## **Editorial Note**

Welcome to the July 2017 edition of our magazine.

Our front cover this month shows that it's not all hard work manning a stall at the Tewin Fete! It's also a lot of fun. Look out for information on the Fete in next month's magazine.

Our events this month are 'Songs for Summer' at St Peter's on the 1st (p18), 'Pasta Lunch' at Tewin Stores on the 15th (p25) and Creative Workshops at St Mary's Welwyn also on 15th (p15). The next CPR and Defibrillator course is on the 25th (see below).

There is no film this month or next month but the new season starts in September. Look out for details later in the year.

The Tewin Table Tennis Club has it's final meeting on the 4th July before it takes a Summer break, restarting in September.

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

Jackie Murphy, Editor

### **Get to Know Your Defibrillator**

The next defibrillator course will be on 25 July between 7 and 9 PM at the Pavilion. This course will consist of two parts – CPR training between 7 and 8 PM, and defibrillator awareness between 8.15 and 9 PM, with refreshments in between. Please refer to the June edition of the Tewin Magazine for details about the course.

You can sign up for this course by registering your interest with Joanne Allen – [jrallen14@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:jrallen14@hotmail.co.uk), or 01438-798749 where you can leave a message if there is no reply. The cost for running this course is being met by the CIC so there is no charge to attend.

Joanne Allen

on behalf of of CIC (Community Interest Company)

# Fancy a dip?

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1 child/2 adults -£50

2 children/2 adults - £55

3 or 4 children/2 adults - £60

To apply for a swim pass please either contact Dagmar at [dagmarris@aol.com](mailto:dagmarris@aol.com) or pop into the school and they will be able to provide you with an application form. Once you have applied you will receive an acknowledgement email containing your membership number and all named child swimmers – please give this number to the lifeguard when you visit the pool. Children aged 18 and below must always be accompanied by an adult. Additional guests are charged £2 pp, max. 4 children per 1 adult.

Fancy having exclusive use of the pool? You can hire the pool for children's parties during the summer holidays, before the pool opens for pass holders. For only £130 you can have exclusive use of the pool for up to 40 people, for 2 hours including a lifeguard. Should you wish to make any further enquiries, please contact Dagmar de Botton at [dagmarris@aol.com](mailto:dagmarris@aol.com).

N.B. The committee reserves the right to withdraw membership or refuse admittance if the Swimming Pool rules are not adhered to – a set of rules is available on request and at poolside.

## Tewin Parish Council



### **Planning Application 3/17/0722/OUT - Land East of Upper Green Road, Tewin**

Construction of 9 dwellings consisting of 4 x 3 bedroom and 5 x 2 bedroom homes with two new vehicular accesses - Tewin Parish Council agreed to object to the proposal as the applicant has not justified building on Green Belt land, the proposals are incompatible with the submitted District Plan

and therefore not a sustainable development and it would create a precedent for other developers with land around the village. The Parish Council also supported parishioners comments against the proposed application. *East Herts Council has refused this planning application.*

### **Lower Green**

The Parish Council has agreed to purchase two new litter bins for Lower Green. One will be installed in the centre near the benches and the other by the well cover.

Please be sensible as to what you put in the litter bins. Too often there are large bags of rubbish stuffed in to them, leaving no room for genuine litter including dog poo bags. If you are having a picnic, please take your rubbish home with you. Please do not put household rubbish in litter bins. If your rubbish is going to fill the bin, then you should be taking it away with you.

### **Tebbutts Shop**

The shop has been bought by Datchworth Stores and is now open once again.

### **Common Ragwort (*Senecio Jacobaea*)**

This is a common weed found throughout the British Isles. However it is very toxic to horses and other livestock and can have potentially fatal consequences if ingested either in its green or dried state.

Under the Weeds Act 1959 the Secretary of State may serve an enforcement notice on the occupier of land on which injurious weeds are growing, requiring the occupier to take action to prevent the spread of injurious weeds. The Weeds Act specifies **five** injurious weeds: Common Ragwort, Spear Thistle, Creeping of Field Thistle, Broad Leaved Dock and Curled Dock.

By promoting good practice and good neighbourliness it is hoped that this weed can be controlled.

**If you find you have it in your garden please put rubber gloves on and remove the plant and place it in the black bin to prevent livestock eating it.** Fragments of root will remain in the ground so new growth will have to be monitored and removed year after year.

**Search for more information on the identification and control of ragwort at [www.defra.gov.uk](http://www.defra.gov.uk)**

## **PARISH COUNCIL INFORMATION**

**The next Parish Council meeting is on Monday 3rd July 2017 and then 4th September 2017 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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## **Tewin Community Transport Project**

At the Steering Group meeting on 5th June we heard that the Community Minibus will continue its Saturday journeys until further notice thanks to the funding already received and further funding promised. Collecting fares helps increase the pot and we can fully expect to carry on for the next 10 months.

Look out for posters with further details. Copies of Minibus Timetables are available from Ann Kevis at the Over 50s Club.

Saturday Community Minibus - The service continues to run every Saturday leaving Tewin at 9.30am and returning at 12.50pm. The Minibus takes a route via Welwyn North and WGC to Hertford and back. Every other Saturday the Minibus does an extra trip to Stevenage Town Centre leaving Tewin at 10.30am and returning at 12.45pm (next Stevenage run will be on 24 June).

If you are disabled or otherwise need assistance you can be picked up at home with prior notice and subject to access. There is space for one wheelchair on the Minibus. Please discuss your needs when you book.

We are looking at trying to include Burnham Green residents so please get in touch if you live there or know anyone who does who might wish to come on board.

The Fare is £4 return or £2 One Way and to book a place please call Ann Kevis 01438 717473 or drop in to the The Over 50s Club any Thursday afternoon.

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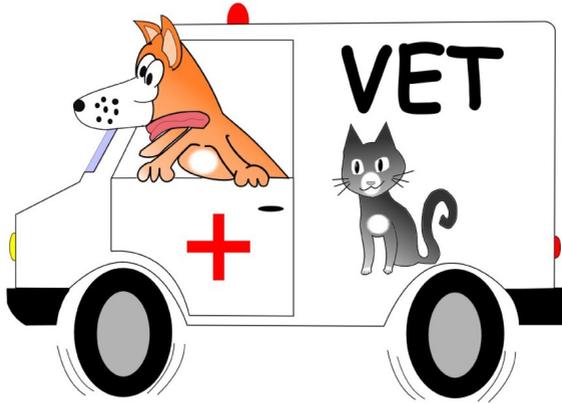
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## Tewin Tennis Club



I shan't keep you long this month. Wimbledon has started and much of my spare time, maybe yours too, will be spent glued to the TV over the two weeks of the tournament. It's a problem at this time of year, never-ending sport of the highest quality competing with gardens that need attention and some sports activity that you participate in yourself. Scheduling Wimbledon, the Tour de France and the British Grand Prix isn't the work of a moment.

Our club party and BBQ will have happened by the time you read this, as will some of the club tournaments. But please don't forget that on July 23rd we are running our less intense Tewin Tennis Club Social Tournament, which we will publicise on the website [www.tewintennisclub.co.uk](http://www.tewintennisclub.co.uk) shortly. Please do come along, it's designed to provide everyone with a good time. Non-members are very welcome to turn up and hopefully we will be able to fit you in for a few games.

So enjoy the summer, pick up some playing tips from watching Wimbledon, and do make the maximum use of your tennis club.

Peter Burgess

### Ever Heard of Tewin Charities?

Tewin Charities is registered by the Charities Commission (reg no 1054863) to administer funds, bequeathed long ago, for the benefit and protection of people of limited means who are going through difficult circumstances and are resident within the Parish of Tewin.

These funds have become, with the passage of time and inflation, relatively small. The Charity can foresee a situation in which its work and purpose will be seriously hampered through lack of reserves.

Tewin Charities would be enormously grateful to anyone who might be prepared to consider making a donation or bequeathing a gift to the charity when making or reviewing their will. Any bequest to a registered charity would be exempt from inheritance tax and currently an estate can pay Inheritance Tax at a reduced rate of 36% on some assets if you leave 10% or more of the 'net value' to registered charities in your will.

To get in touch with the charity trustees, please contact the Rev Susannah Underwood.

## Festival of Wildlife

### Panshanger Park

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**Sat 29th and Sun 30th July 2017**

**Times: 10am – 4pm each day. Free entry.**

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- Wild Panshanger
- Chalk stream discovery
- Tarmac tractor tour
- Dragons and damsels
- Centurions – ancient trees of Panshanger Park

And much more.

For more information please visit [www.hertswildlifetrust.org.uk/festival](http://www.hertswildlifetrust.org.uk/festival)

## Chapter and Verse

Celebrate 2017, the Year of Literary Heroes, on this guided walk on **Sunday July 23rd 2017 14:00 to 15:30** looking at Hertford's many literary connections including Jane Austen's 'Pride and Prejudice'.

Hertford has many literary connections, from the first play in English to TS Eliot's "Four Quartets". On this walk we will meet the "Hertfordshire Pepys", as well as poets ranging from a contemporary of Wordsworth to a poet of World War I. We will also hear about an early historian and a cookery writer. Join us to find out where Mr Darcy refused to dance with Elizabeth Bennett.

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## Tewin Table Tennis Club



The club League team were presented with the SHAW Table Tennis 4<sup>th</sup> Division Cup and individual trophies at the League AGM in May. In the photo below team members shown are left to right John Barcroft, David Kempson, Duncan Jones, John Sheridan and Alun Puddefoot.



David Kempson was also presented with the 4<sup>th</sup> Division singles tournament winner trophy.

Whilst the team members are to be congratulated on their achievement in their first season on entering what is generally regarded as a strong Table Tennis league, it is important we acknowledge and thank the Friends of Tewin and the Headteacher of Tewin Cowper School for their help and support.

Setting up a Table Tennis club was never going to be easy as we needed a suitable venue and tables for play purposes. The School came to our rescue and provided us with an excellent venue in the School Hall much envied by some visiting league teams.

Our first table was obtained via a grant from Sport England and the other two purchased, plus bats and balls, as a result of the generosity and support of the Friends of Tewin Committee.

However the club prides itself on being very much a community club, open to everyone regardless of age and standard of play. A warm friendly sociable evening can be expected every Tuesday in the School Hall from 7pm.

For further information please contact John Sheridan on 01438 717407 or [johnchris1@talktalk.net](mailto:johnchris1@talktalk.net)

## The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

As already advised, David Bateson recently retired as the Royal British Legion (RBL) Poppy Appeal Organiser (PAO) for Tewin after many years of excellent service. We are pleased to advise that Linda Merritt will be taking over the role this year. Linda is a member of the local RBL branch and is also the PAO for Welwyn.

Linda will have a stand at the Tewin Classic Car Show (20th August) and hopes to meet some of you then.

The RBL will be holding a quiz night at the Welwyn Sports & Social Club on 14<sup>th</sup> July, to which all are invited. Linda can be contacted on 07434 436688 or [tewin.poppyappeal@gmail.com](mailto:tewin.poppyappeal@gmail.com)

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## BOWLS CLUB NEWS



July is full of bowls matches for various leagues and there are many individual competitions taking place. In addition, there is a BIG match coming up – the Hertfordshire County Ladies' team is coming to Tewin on the afternoon of Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> July, to play against a team from Bedfordshire.

You are very welcome to come along to the Club to watch.

In the meantime, if you would like more details on any of the Club's activities, or are interested in joining – either as a playing or non-playing member - please contact Rob Kenway on 07552 780236 or Todd Canton on 01438 717395.

Shire Park Bowls Club (Tewin)

## Team Vicar's Letter

Imagine the story you've not yet written; the one inked inside so long, which will surprise even you with its ending.

Imagine that cloth you are yet to weave; where threads of blue and red and gold tighten to show the fabric of your ability.

Imagine that pot you are yet to form; big enough to hold the satisfaction that it came from your own hands.

Imagine the painting you are yet to paint; its views and hues sketching the creator as well as created.

Imagine the music you are waiting to compose; the song inside finally set free.

Imagine the bread you are yet to bake; warm and yeasty and tasting of pride.

Imagine the poem that lurks within; metaphor meeting metre making measureless meaning (!)

Imagine the floral display you are yet to arrange; stems stretching as high as your delight.

Imagine...imagine...imagine...

To celebrate the gift of imagination we are holding an afternoon of arts and crafts where you can try your hand at workshops such as these and others. Come along – and unleash the creativity within!

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2pm – 4:30pm**

St. Mary's Church Welwyn

All ages and abilities welcome.

No sign-up, just come along.

Choose 2 one hour workshops.

£5 includes endless tea and cake!

## ST PETER'S CHURCH SERVICES

DATE	DAY	SERVICE	TIME	MINISTER	1 <sup>ST</sup> READING	2 <sup>ND</sup> READING	GOSPEL
JULY 2nd	PETER TIDE	HOLY COMMUNION	9.30 am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	ACTS 12: 1-11	1 PETER 2: 19-End	MATTHEW 16: 13-19
		SERVICE OF WELCOME AT ST MARY'S, WELWYN	6.30pm				
9th	4th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	HOLY COMMUNION WITH BAPTISM	9.30am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	ZECHARIAH 9: 9-12	ROMANS 7: 15-25a	MATTHEW 11:16-19, 25:-End
16th	5th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	FAMILY SERVICE	11.15am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD	MATTHEW 13: 1-9, 18-23		
		HOLY COMMUNION	6.30pm	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD DAVID MINCHIN	ISAIAH 55:10-13	ROMANS 8: 1-11	MATTHEW 13: 1-9, 18-23
23rd	6th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	HOLY COMMUNION	9.30am	SUSANNAH UNDERWOOD MICK SIMMONS	ISAIAH 44: 6-8	ROMANS 8: 12-25	MATTHEW 13: 24-30, 36-43
30th	7th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	HOLY COMMUNION	9.30am	EDWARD CARDALE	1 KINGS 3: 5-12	ROMANS 8:26-End	MATTHEW 13: 31-33, 44-52

**There will be no Service of Evensong at St. Peter's on 2nd July. Instead there will be a special service of welcome at St. Mary's, Welwyn for Dominic Holroyd-Thomas as curate to the Welwyn Team.  
Service of Said Evening Prayer is held every Monday at 5pm**

## ROTAS

SERVER	READER	SIDESMEN	COFFEE	FLOWERS	CLEANER
JULY 2nd DAVID	NICKY HADLEY	PAULINE & GRAHAM SPRING	JENNY DOXEY	WEDDING	PETE JOHNSON
9th PAULINE	MICK SIMMONS	DI BRADLEY KEITH BARNFIELD	LIS TYERS	WEDDING	DI BRADLEY
16th KEITH	MILLIE BOOKER	MARY GREGG MYRA WALKER	KEITH & ALISON BARNFIELD	WEDDING	LINDA CRAWFORD
	PAULINE SPRING	MALCOLM SLAUGHTER RUTH SHARP			
23rd DAVID	MAVIS HAGGAR	LINDA GILLEY MARY GREGG	MALCOLM & JUNE SLAUGHTER	WEDDING	PHILLIPA DODGSON
30th PAULINE	ELAINE FOWLER	IVOR & LINDA WILLIAMS	NICK WHITING	WEDDING	MALCOLM & JUNE SLAUGHTER

## St Peter's News

In recent weeks there have been a number of Pentecost celebrations in addition to the main Pentecost service in St Peter's. It has been celebrated by Little Lambs at one of their Thursday sessions where they wished the Church 'Happy Birthday' and enjoyed a delicious caterpillar cake.

On June 9<sup>th</sup>, Tewin Cowper School came into Church and Rowan Class led a really lovely service to celebrate Pentecost with narrative, songs and prayer.

Well done to them. Then last Friday, at Story Club in the school, we repeated the story of the coming of the Holy Spirit, the rushing wind and flames; sang Happy Birthday and ate a very good chocolate cake.

At the height of Summer we now look forward to our season of 'Summer Evensongs' held at the various Churches around the Welwyn Team. These start at Welwyn on July 23<sup>rd</sup> followed by Ayot St Peter on July 30<sup>th</sup>. The date for St Peter's is 6<sup>th</sup> August with the service at 6.30 p.m. The subject of the sermons for this year is 'Women of the Bible'. Further details will be available in the pew sheets and everyone is welcome.

PB

### Songs For Summer

St. Peter's Church are proud to host

"Songs for Summer"

A Choral concert by Windsor's Royal Free Singers.

Conducted by Ben Gunner.

Saturday 1st July 7:30pm

The evening will include:

'Songs of the Fleet' by C.V. Stanford

'A Sprig of Thyme' by J. Rutter

'Five Mystical Songs' by V. Williams.

The concert is free. No tickets are required. There will be a retiring collection in aid of St. Peter's.

The concert will be followed by refreshments in the Churchyard.

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**18th June 2017**

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**WEDDINGS**

**27th May 2017**

**17th June 2017**

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## Stay Safe During The Heatwave

Although the extraordinarily high temperatures of late June have thankfully abated, Public Health England has issued some basic guidelines for coping with very hot weather.

High temperatures can be dangerous, especially for people who may be particularly vulnerable such as older people, young children and those with serious illnesses.

Residents are advised to follow a few simple precautions:

- Stay out of direct sun between 11am and 3pm.
- Wear loose-fitting clothes and a hat; apply sunscreen and walk in the shade.
- Have plenty of cold drinks and keep cool with cold showers or baths if necessary, cold foods and by avoiding extreme activity.
- Keep homes cool as best you can, perhaps by keeping the curtains drawn on very hot days, and well ventilated.
- Remember some medicines need to be kept cool - check the instructions on the packet.

Babies, children and older people (and pets) should not be left in stationary cars.

If you feel unusually unwell consult your doctor if symptoms (such as headache, intense thirst, dizziness or muscular spasms) persist.

Even if temperatures do not hit extreme levels, Public Health England (PHE) still advises people to keep safe in the sun, seek shade to cool down and keep hydrated with plenty of cool fluids.

Further information and advice can be obtained from a free telephone call to NHS 111 or online from the NHS at [www.nhs.uk/summerhealth](http://www.nhs.uk/summerhealth)

## July Anniversaries

1st July 1937	999 Emergency Service is introduced
1st July 1837	Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths begins in Britain
2nd July 1928	Equal voting rights granted to women in Britain
3rd July 1938	The 'Mallard' broke the speed record for steam engines, 126mph
21st July 1837	Euston Railway Station, the first in London, is opened
21st July 1969	Apollo 11 landed on the Moon. Neil Armstrong is the first man on the Moon.
28th July 1901	First Fingerprints used for identification

## **TEWIN MEMORIAL HALL**

### **“Thank You Tewin Scrubbers”**

A recent appeal for help brought forth a number of ladies and gentlemen who came along one morning to scrub and clean the Hall's white tables, which had been used at outside events in the village and as a result had developed a coating of mould and grime. This willing team worked diligently to scrub away all the dirt, helped by a cleaning agent provided by Vic Murray, and assisted by a final treatment with a pressure washer.

As a result of all their efforts, 40 large and over 20 small tables were brought back to pristine condition, and so were ready for use at the Village Fete as well as the forthcoming Classic Car Show, the Autumn Jumble Sale and the Book Sale. Therefore, the Memorial Hall Committee give grateful thanks to all our willing 'Scrubbers', whose services we hope to enlist at a future date when the tables again need a wash and brush up.

Todd Canton

*on behalf of The Tewin Memorial Hall Committee*

### **Burnham Green Village Hall Post Office Open:**

Tues 12.30pm until 16.00pm

Fri 9.30am until 13.00pm

### **Tewin Stores Post Office Open:**

Mon 13.30pm until 15.30pm

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**Tewin Memorial Hall Supporters Club**

**Tewin Memorial Hall Draw**

**May 2017**

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<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>£37</b>	<b>Jacqueline Beadle, Queen Hoo Lane</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>£12</b>	<b>David Batten, Harwood Close</b>
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>£12</b>	<b>Lisa Bove, Orchard Road</b>

Want to see your name here?

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Application forms and more information available from:

- Lisa Bove Tel. 01438 798546 or [personal@lisabove.com](mailto:personal@lisabove.com)
- Tewin Memorial Hall
- Tewin Stores
- [www.tewinvillagehall.co.uk/supporters-club](http://www.tewinvillagehall.co.uk/supporters-club)

## Tewin Stores

During June we've been happy to help out customers from Tewin Wood whilst Tebbutt's has been closed for a short time.

We also enjoyed our usual Saturday lunch, a spectacular Afternoon Tea and we ran a stall at the Fete. July will see the **Saturday Lunch on 15<sup>th</sup> July 12-2pm** with a new menu of three different pastas. As usual the charge is £5 plus extra for a pudding.

Don't forget we do lovely morning coffee, breakfasts, lunches and teas most days but **especially every Friday with our Friday Fry ups**. So come along and give yourself a break occasionally and let someone else cook your breakfast.

In the new freezer we have **meals for one** – Stroganoffs, lasagnes, cottage pies, while our chiller units have gluten free pies and quiches, Digswell pate, sausages, and ham. All perfect for a quick summer supper. Salad and other vegetables are also in the chiller, so please ask if you can't find what you want.

A big thank you to Nigel North for painting the kitchen which now looks very smart. And a thank you to all our volunteers who keep the shop open for us all, seven days a week.

After three years in the role, I shall be giving up as Chairman of the shop committee in October. We are looking for someone to take this on. I had not served on the committee before becoming Chairman though I had served behind the counter since the Community shop began in February 2008. If you think you could help in this way, please get in touch with me or speak to any other member of the committee.

Our 100 Club prize winners in June were:

1st Graham Bennett £46.50; 2nd Ann Polydorou £23.25; 3rd Ben Roberts £13.95

There are now 93 members of the 100 club so just a few more and we shall have a full house. If you don't yet support the shop in this way, why not think about joining? Pick up a form at the shop.

If you would like to become a shareholder, at a cost of only £25, or a volunteer, or a member of the 100 club, please get in touch with me (01438 717385) or our Secretary Eleanor Lohr (01438 717709), or speak to Bev at the shop (01438 717929)

Linda Gilley

### **Normal Shop Opening Hours:**

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# Friends of Tewin



We hope that those of you who went on the trip to Windsor had a lovely day out and enjoyed seeing all the wonderful properties along the river Thames as well as exploring Windsor itself.

## **CLASSIC CAR AND CRAFT SHOW - SUNDAY 20th AUGUST**

We are now getting nearer to the popular event of the Tewin Classic Car and Craft Show. Over the last 10 years the event has steadily grown and we expect at least 350 classic cars this year as well as 40 craft stalls so there is something for everyone. We already have entries from over 240 car enthusiasts so if you are planning to bring your classic car please submit your entry as soon as possible.

With the continued expansion of the show we need more helpers and would really appreciate any help that you can offer for an hour or two on the day. The Classic Car Show is our main fundraising event of the year and all the money raised will be given to help local groups and projects in Tewin. Last year over £8,000 was raised and we were delighted to share this money between the many diverse organisations in Tewin helping those of all ages. If you can help us on the day, please get in touch with Brenda Barber on 01438 489425 or email her on [barber.family@talktalk.net](mailto:barber.family@talktalk.net)

## **SCARECROW WEEKEND - 16-17th SEPTEMBER**

We will be holding the biennial scarecrow event again this year. Please start thinking about ideas for your scarecrows. We will be using the Pavilion on Upper Green for the whole weekend where there will be free activities for the children and refreshments available. This is a lovely village event and is greatly enhanced by a large display of scarecrows. In 2015 we had about 45 scarecrows on display so please take part this year and together let's try to get 50+ entries!

## **TEWIN TEENAGERS**

Every house should have received a flyer about teens in Tewin and we have already had a number of responses with suggestions for a get-together for those in school years 7 - 11.

If you haven't replied yet but would like to be involved, please send an email to [friendsoftewin@gmail.com](mailto:friendsoftewin@gmail.com) and we will try to arrange something for our younger residents.

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A variety of techniques and aids are used in this task. Living in this hi-tech age digital technology increasingly plays a part and lots of specialist software is widely available. Recently the Friends were asked to fund the purchase of a number of I-Pads which will be used by patients. There are exercises which they can complete and their progress will be monitored during the course of their treatment.

In the current climate the purchase of this equipment would not be considered by the NHS so we are delighted to be able to help.

This is the start of summer holidays for many and hopefully we will enjoy some sunny days. When they do come our patients and their families make good use of our splendid gardens.

Happy holidays.

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# Isabel Hospice

**2<sup>nd</sup> July**

## **Open Garden**

**Mackerye End, AL5 5DR, Midday to 5pm**

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C16 (Grade 1 listed) Manor House (not open) set in 15 acres of formal gardens, parkland and woodland, front garden set in framework of formal yew hedges. Victorian walled garden with extensive box hedging and box maze, cutting garden, kitchen garden and lily pond. Courtyard garden with extensive yew and box borders. West garden enclosed by pergola walk of old English roses. Contact Renee Friend on 01279 755320 for more details.

**6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> July**

## **Love's Labour's Lost**

**By The Water Lane Theatre Company**

**Monastery Gardens Windhill, Bishop's Stortford, CM23 2ND, 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM**

Come and watch the Water Lane Theatre host their production of Love's Labour's Lost in Monastery Gardens Windhill in aid of Isabel Hospice. Tickets are £5 each and will be available from the Stortford Tourist Information Office on 01279 715001.

Doors open at 6pm for a 7:30pm start.

**9<sup>th</sup> July**

## **Skydive for Isabel Hospice**

Tick something off your bucket list and join the Isabel Hospice team on a tandem skydive! Feel on top of the world and experience the rush as you free fall through the sky, soaring through the clouds!

Jumping from 13,000 ft will be an experience like no other! Let's do it together and raise money to support our patients.

Find out more by calling Megan Sparrey on 01707 382500 or go to

**[www.isabelhospice.org.uk](http://www.isabelhospice.org.uk)**

**16<sup>th</sup> July**

## **Isabel Hospice Bubble Rush 5k**

The Bubble Rush is a 5K of fast, frothy fun so don't miss out on the very first event to hit East Hertfordshire! Bubble Rush is a fun run with a difference and features 'bubble stations' around the course blasting you with crazy colourful bubbles!

Each station jets out different coloured bubbles as well as music so you can walk, run or dance your way to the finish line.

There are limited spaces for this exciting event, so sign up now to get your place!

- \* Everyone can take part – our route is child friendly
- \* Live entertainment throughout the day
- \* Please note- you must buy 1 parking ticket per car if you are parking at Cheshunt Park

Sign up at **[www.isabelhospice.org.uk](http://www.isabelhospice.org.uk)**

## Dates For Your Diary This Month

Tues 4th July only Restarting in Sept	Tewin School	7-9.30pm	Table Tennis 7-8pm Juniors 7-9.30pm 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	2.30-4pm 2.15-3pm	Trussells Butcher's Van Tony's Fish Van
Thurs 6th & 20th	Pavilion	2.15-5.00pm	Bridge
Thurs 13th & 27th	St Peter's Church	2-3pm	Little Lambs
Sat 1st	St Peter's Church	7.30pm	Songs For Summer
Mon 3rd	Memorial Hall	7.45pm	Parish Council Meeting
Sat 15th	St Mary's, Welwyn	2-4.30pm	Creative Workshops
Sat 15th	Tewin Stores	12-2pm	Pasta Lunch
Tues 25th	Pavilion	7-9pm	Defibrillator Course

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