



Tewin Magazine

July 2019

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Summer is Here

Editorial Note

Welcome to our July 2019 edition of the Tewin Magazine. Our front cover photo this month shows Tewin Cowper School Pool.

The Tewin Stores' Saturday Lunch for July will be 'Homemade Quiche and Salad' on the 20th with the popular Afternoon Tea on 10th (p25).

The Screen on the Green is taking a Summer break as is the Tewin Table Tennis Club. They will both be back in September.

With the long school holidays approaching you may be looking for things to do to amuse the children/grandchildren. Check out the Swimming Club (p3), The Summer Reading Challenge (p10), the Backpackers Holiday Club (p19) and the Hertfordshire Parks website (p21) for ideas.

There have been reports of bogus door-to-door salesmen currently operating in Hertfordshire. Check page 26 for details and be vigilant.

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

TEWIN MEMORIAL HALL

EARLY DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Now the Summer schedule is beginning to build up, we thought you might like to be aware of community events taking place at the Memorial Hall in the Autumn so you can make a note in your diaries – see below:-

Autumn Jumble Sale: - Saturday, 12th October, 2.30 – 4.30pm

Autumn Book Sale: - Saturday, 9th November, 10am – 4pm

You'll be receiving more details in a future issue.

Tewin Memorial Hall Management Committee

Fancy a dip?

'Mum, I'm bored' rings through your ears.....*'What can I do to amuse the kids'?* goes through your mind*We've got the perfect solution:*



Grab their swimming things and bundle them off to the Tewin Cowper School pool where they'll have lots of fun, meet their friends and wear themselves out. It's there for you – it would be a shame to waste the facility!

You will have access to the pool 6 days a week (**Tues to Fri 2pm - 7pm, Sat 12pm – 6pm & Sun 12pm – 5pm**, closed Mondays for cleaning and maintenance) from 20th July to 1st September 2019.

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 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. Should you wish to make any further enquiries, please contact Dagmar de Botton at 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



Upper Green Playground Extension and Resurfacing

Tewin Parish Council would like to thank everyone for their patience while the playground extension and resurfacing has been completed.

Welwyn Hatfield Council Promoted Sites Consultation 2019

Tewin Parish Council submitted comments to Welwyn Hatfield Council on the following Promoted Sites Consultation:

WGC4 (edge of Panshanger) & WGC9 (edge of Panshanger) - both border the boundary of Tewin Parish Council and East Herts District Council. There is a great danger that any development on these sites will have a serious detrimental impact on the views of the Mimram Valley both from the valley itself and from the plateau to the north of the valley. Any development on these sites should not extend beyond the edge of the southern plateau on to the valley slope. The edge of the southern plateau should incorporate suitable landscaping and tree planting to protect the setting of the Mimram Valley. There should be no access to the site from the B1000 via Money Hole Lane because (a) without improvement to the lane, the increased traffic at the B1000 junction would be a serious hazard or (b) any improvement to the lane to normal standards would be development detrimental to the setting of the Mimram Valley. The risks associated with these sites may make it not worth taking them out of the Green Belt in order to develop it.

WGC11 (dog training field adj to B1000) borders the boundary of Tewin Parish Council and East Herts District Council. By extending Welwyn Garden City down to the B1000, this site would appear as ribbon development of Digswell into the open countryside, it would urbanise this rural stretch of the B1000, and be detrimental to the setting of Tewin Water House. Tewin Parish Council trusts that this site will fail the selection process.

Dig5 (between B1000 and Mimram as you approach Digswell) borders the boundary of Tewin Parish Council and East Herts District Council. This site would effectively be ribbon development of Digswell into the open countryside, it would urbanise this rural stretch of the B1000, and be detrimental to the setting of Tewin Water House. Tewin Parish Council trusts that it will fail for the same reasons that it failed in 2016 - "The site is not within or adjoining a settlement excluded from the Green Belt; All or the majority of the site is designated as a Registered Historic Park and Garden".

Tewin Parish Council Accounts for the Financial Year Ending 31st

March 2019

At the Annual Parish Council meeting on 13th May 2019 the Parish Council unanimously resolved to accept the accounts for the financial year ending 31st March 2019 and they were signed by the Chairman and the Clerk as the Responsible Financial Officer.

Tewin Parish Council Annual Return for the Financial Year Ending 31st

March 2019

At the Annual Parish Council meeting on 13th May 2019 the Parish Council unanimously resolved to accept and approve Section 1 Annual Governance Statement on the Annual Return 2018/2019 and Section 2 Accounting Statements for 2018/2019. The Annual Return was signed by the Chairman and the Clerk as the Responsible Financial Officer.

Lower Green 13th July

Parents will be dropping off children to start a hike organised by West Herts Scouts.

PARISH COUNCIL INFORMATION

The next Parish Council Meeting is on Monday 1st July 2019, at 7.45pm 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 three 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 and on the website www.tewinvillage.co.uk. The minutes are not published until approved and signed at the subsequent meeting.

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

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THE TRIALS OF A TRAVEL AGENT!

It's the time of year when people are planning holidays and when Travel Agents start to anticipate future problems. We have some experience of this many years ago after spending over a year in the Algarve, Portugal, running a holiday company. It was a memorable period – we met interesting people and made new friends, but we also encountered some of the difficulties we'd heard other agents had experienced over the years. Complaints are not uncommon but are sometimes quite unbelievable.

For example, we had one gentleman who made a six mile round trip to the office to voice his annoyance. His complaint? That the maid who came in to clean his villa each day didn't fold the end of the toilet roll into a point! Another memorable complaint came from a gentleman who was annoyed that his villa did not contain any soup bowls. When our Rep went into the kitchen to check she showed him two bowls. His reply? "No dear, they're cereal bowls – I want soup bowls"! The same gentleman also said he hadn't got enough ashtrays. The Rep agreed to get more for him but was somewhat surprised when later she offered him a cigarette and he said "No thank you – I don't smoke". She then reminded him he'd asked for extra ashtrays, and his reply was "Oh yes, I like to see them scattered around – it makes me feel at home"!

Another incident to recall was when we were confronted at the airport by four gentlemen who had just flown in. They came up and started ranting at us because they said that three of them were booked into one hotel, but the fourth man had been put into a different hotel. Rather perturbed by this, we quickly checked our papers and told them that we had no record of this man's booking, to which they replied "Oh no – he didn't book with you – he booked with another company"! This same group proved to be a problem on a number of occasions during their stay – one was when they'd been out and had a minor car accident and were furious that there was nobody in the office to sort it out for them – at 3am! However, at the end of their holiday, on the way back to the airport they'd driven on the wrong side of the road and caused an accident.

They then came into the office with their tail between their legs because the police had arrived and they needed us to sort it all out for them! These were just some of our experiences, but one of the most memorable we heard about happened to another company. One of their clients came back from his holiday and demanded all his money back because his holiday had been ruined. The reason? That the soap dish in his shower was too shallow so his soap got wet! Perhaps you will understand why we were often heard to mutter "Some people shouldn't be allowed further south than the Isle of Wight"! However, we also have some good memories and still have friends in the Algarve.

Todd and Jean Canton

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BOWLS CLUB NEWS

At Tewin's local Bowls Club next to the Memorial Hall, July is a month full of matches in various leagues and competitions, as well as friendly matches against other local clubs. In the mornings, the Greenkeepers are busy rolling, mowing and spiking etc. but, in the afternoons, the Green is usually available for beginners and improvers.

Why not come along and see if the game appeals to you, or just spend a pleasant time sitting in the sun watching the players in the Club's idyllic surroundings.

The Home matches for JULY are:-

Saturday, 6 th	v. De Havilland – 2.30pm
Sunday, 14 th	v. Welwyn Garden City – 2.30pm
Thursday, 25 th	v. Sele Farm – 6.00pm
Saturday, 27 th	v. Bounds Green – 2.30pm
Tuesday, 30 th	v. Grovelands – 2.30pm

In addition, there are two BIG matches being hosted in Tewin:-

Saturday, 20th: 2pm:- (A Men's match) –
St Albans District Bowls Assn. v. London Scottish

Tuesday, 23rd: 2pm: (A Ladies' Match) –
St Albans District W.B. Assn. v. The President

We are always happy to see visitors, and we especially welcome new members, whether you have played before or are a newcomer to the sport.

Meanwhile, if you wish to know more or are interested in joining the Club or the Monday morning Art Group, just contact one of the following - Mike Howe on 01438 840063, or Todd Canton on 01438 717395.

Shire Park Bowls Club (Tewin)

Launch of the 2019 Summer Reading Challenge – ‘Space Chase’

Hertfordshire County Council’s library service is inviting children to take part in this year’s Summer Reading Challenge to celebrate the 50th anniversary since man first walked on the moon with this year’s theme, ‘Space Chase’.

Last year, over 20,000 children took part in the challenge in Hertfordshire, and we are once again challenging children to read six library books over the summer and return to the library to tell our staff and volunteers all about them. They can read anything, including story books, fact books, talking books, and even e-books (available to download for free from our e-library).

As part of this year’s challenge, children will use their Mission Folders which will be provided once they start the challenge to search for a mysterious buried treasure. For each book that they report back on, they’ll collect stickers to put in their Mission Folders to help them find the location of the hidden treasure.

Every child who finishes their six books by Saturday 7 September will receive a medal and a certificate. All completers will then be entered into a prize draw to win a VIP behind the scenes pass to Mission Control with guest speaker children’s author Steve Cole, who wrote the well-loved Astrosaurs series. Only 80 passes are available so this is a super exclusive event.

The challenge is free to take part in – all children need to do is visit their local library from Saturday 13 July to collect a starter pack, while stocks last, and complete their six books before 7 September. During the summer, Baldock, Bishop’s Stortford, Borehamwood, Bushey, Royston, St Albans, Waltham Cross and Welwyn Garden City’s libraries will also sell Space Chase kitbags for £2 each.

For more details, visit www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/libraries, call 0300 123 4049, or drop into your local library to sign your child up to the challenge this year.

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Tewin Memorial Hall Draw

May 2019

Below are the results for the May Supporters Club draw:

1st	£57	R Lockwood-Taylor, Orchard Rd
2nd	£34	J Doxey, Bishops Road
3rd	£11	D Hatt, Firs Walk
3rd	£11	M Charman, 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

The Sound of Music with Julie Andrews

The Rose and Crown open mic night on 21st July will be themed as The Sound of Music with Julie Andrews (aka Aimi P). Proceedings start at 6.30pm.

The garden is currently being landscaped and will be completed this month. Look out for details of the official opening.

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Team Vicar's Letter

Dear Friends,

This year in our Summer Evensongs (see p18 for dates and locations) our theme will be 'Agents of Healing', when we will be looking at six Christians who have been instrumental in founding or reforms places or agencies of healing. This was partly prompted by the death of Jean Vanier, the Canadian founder of the L'Arche communities. L'Arche communities are found around the world and are for people with developmental difficulties. Vanier's profound insight was that it was possible for those with developmental difficulties to live in the community with their carers, and that there could be a sort of equality between carers and cared for. Those cared for were not to be seen as burdens or unfortunates but as valuable persons in themselves, who had something to contribute to those communities and to teach to those that cared for them. We'll hear more about him and others over the summer.

What I take from Vanier's insight for everyday life, is the fact that disability and illness have various physical or other symptoms, but what makes them better or worse is the way that societies cope with them. Very practically for instance, being in a wheelchair is made much better or worse by the consideration or otherwise of those who construct the physical environment in which the wheelchair user lives. And beyond that, society can react in different ways to illness and disability – with stigma, shame, or even a feeling that it is God's judgement. Indeed what are today simply lifestyles were classified as illnesses less than a generation ago. So whilst we may not be able to heal or found a hospital or movement, how we interact with those who are sick or disabled will make a huge physical and psychological difference to those people. So we call to mind the example of Jesus the healer, who not only healed the sick, but also, perhaps more importantly, saw those brought to him as whole human beings whatever their circumstances.

David

ST PETER'S CHURCH SERVICES

DATE	DAY	SERVICE	TIME	MINISTER	1 ST READING	2 ND READING	GOSPEL
JULY 7th	3rd SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	HOLY COMMUN- ION	9.30 am	DOMINIC HOLROYD- THOMAS	ISAIAH 66: 10-14	GALATIANS 6:1-6, 7-16	LUKE 10: 1-11, 16-20
		CHORAL EVENSONG	6.30pm	MICK SIMMONS	GENESIS 29: 1-20	MARK 6: 7-29	
14th	4th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	HOLY COMMUN- ION	9.30am	RICHARD SYMS	DEUTER- ONOMY 30: 9-14	COLOS- SIANS 1: 1-14	LUKE 10: 25-37
21st	5th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	FAMILY SERVICE	11.15am	ARCHDEACON OF HERTFORD	LUKE 10: 38-End		
		SUMMER EVENSONG AT AYOT ST PETER	6.30pm				
28th	6th SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY	HOLY COMMUN- ION	9.30am	DOMINIC HOLROYD- THOMAS	GENESIS 18: 20-32	COLOS- SIANS 2: 6-15, 16-19	LUKE 11: 1-13

Please note that on 21st July 2019 there is no Communion Service at Tewin in the evening, but there is a Summer Evensong at Ayot St Peter at 6.30pm, led by the Archdeacon and Colin Hull.

There will be a Summer Evensong Service on the 28th July 2019 at Woolmer Green at 6.30pm, led by John Burnapp.

Everyone Welcome.

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

ROTAS

SERVER	READER	SIDESMEN	COFFEE	FLOWERS	CLEANER
JULY 7th PAULINE	ALICE GREEN- WOOD	MARY GREGG GRAHAM SPRING	ELAINE FOWLER	MAVIS HAGGAR	DI BRADLEY
	MARY GREGG	IVOR & LINDA WILLIAMS			
14th PAULINE	TBC	DI BRADLEY ELAINE FOWLER	DEIRDRE HATT	PAULINE SPRING	VOLUNTEER NEEDED
21st	LINDA GILLEY	MYRA WALKER MARY GREGG	SHEILA FEAKES	ELAINE FOWLER	PETE JOHNSON
28th PAUL;INE	MICK SIMMONS	MAVIS HAGGAR CLARE RAWLINS	VOLUNTEER NEEDED	SUE WHITBOURN	NICKY HADLEY

WEDDINGS

21st June 2019 Aniesse Barbara Evans and Joshua Michael Griggs

**22nd June 2019 Jemma Sue Warehand and
Luke David James Palmer**

St Peter's News

During June we celebrated Pentecost, which fell right in the middle of the heavy rains. Tewin School held their special service, led by Finch Class, in the school hall to save being drenched on the walk to St Peter's. They had prepared well and told everyone about Pentecost and its meaning, offered prayers and some great singing (as always).

David Munchin presented them with the new Pentecost Cross which is now in school on the shelf in the reception area and David was able to point out the symbols of Pentecost and ask the children some questions!

Our Pet Service was held on 16th June which coincided with Father's Day. The Service was led by Catherine Jupp and she was able to welcome the pets brought along (whether real, photographed or stuffed) and give them a blessing.

July heralds the start of the programme of Summer Evensongs around the team Churches and the details are on the page opposite– you are all very welcome and refreshments are available after the service.

PB

St James' Day

St James' Day is celebrated on 25th July. It is also known as Grotto Day because children used to make grottos and caves and decorate them with shells, the Scallop shell being the emblem of St James.

The English oyster season officially opens on St James' Day.

Whitstable Bay on the North Coast of Kent is famous for its oysters. It has been associated with oysters for hundreds of years. An old Kentish tradition has it that Julius Caesar was attracted to Britain by tales of the Whitstable oysters. On St James' Day locals hold an annual Oyster Festival, an event dating back to at least the early 19th century when it was the custom for local fishermen to celebrate with a service of thanksgiving.

Summer Evensongs – The theme for this year is ‘Agents of Healing’.

All services Sunday 6.30 Evensong followed by drinks.

21st July – Ayot St Peter – Archdeacon of Hertford and Colin Hull

28th July – Woolmer Green – John Burnapp

4th August – Tewin – Mick Simmons

11th August – Codicote – Philip Waller

18th August – Datchworth – Usha Hull

25th August – Welwyn - Catherine Jupp

Back Packers Holiday Club



All primary school age children are welcome to our ‘Back Packers’ Holiday Club at St Mary’s Welwyn from Monday 29th July to Friday 2nd August 10-12am. Games, craft, stories, etc. For more information and to book a place please contact David Munchin on 01438 714150 or davidmunchin@outlook.com



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July is **National Picnic Month**, plus we're promoting all of Hertfordshire's fantastic green spaces and parks this month, too. Visit the **ParksHerts** webapp or www.parksherts.co.uk to find facilities in lots of our green and open spaces across the county, including children's activities, trails and sports offerings, cafes and toilets. Why not pack a picnic and venture out for a low-cost day out with the children? There's so much to explore on your doorstep.

Welwyn Garden City Centenary Walk

Sunday July 7, 10am-4pm (approx.)

WGC Centenary Foundation are scheduling a guided circular walk around the town, following the route created for the Centenary celebrations in 2020. Meet at the Health Walk meeting point on the South Lake at Stanborough, close to the cafe. The full walk is 20.20 Kms (12.5 miles) and we will set off in an anti-clockwise direction towards Mill Green. Walkers can peel off at any time to catch a bus or walk back into town. We plan to be back by 4pm estimating the walk, including lunch, can take up to 6 hours. Please bring a packed lunch and suitable clothes and boots. Car Park charges for the day are £5 at Stanborough. Please email walk@wgccentenary.org to let us know you are coming, so we have an idea of numbers.

International Day of Friendship - July 30th

Walking and talking is a great way to catch up with friends or even make some new ones! **Health Walks** are a great social activity helping you to connect with others and with the great outdoors. July 30th is

[International Day of Friendship](#), see

<https://www.un.org/en/events/friendshipday/background.shtml>.

Why not take the opportunity to pencil in a Health Walk with friends? If you're new to the walks it would be the perfect excuse to try one for the first time this summer. You'll be pleased you did!

[All Health Walks are listed online at](#)

<https://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/healthwalks>

Tewin Tennis Club



The club tournaments are now in full flow, and the mixed doubles is already under our belt on June 9. It was a lovely day for a good fun event. The plan that we have now developed is a one-day tournament for all our championships, rather than running them over several weeks prior to the finals day. That adds a more sociable element to the competition.

Winners of the men's tournament were next-door neighbours Henrik Malker and Roger Southey, who beat Mark Lee and Kevin Doyle in a close fought match. Next up is the mixed doubles on Sunday 30th June, which could be interesting as that's the day after the Tennis Club's Summer BBQ. 10 pairs of players will battle it out over the day for the trophy.

There are still a few tickets available for this party on Saturday 29 June at the pavilion on Upper Green, so if you are reading your Parish News hot off the press, and fancy a very sociable, fun night out, do get in touch with Kevin Doyle or David Rawlins, or indeed any committee member, and you'll be sure of a good welcome.

Sadly we have to report the passing of three people who had strong affiliations with Tewin Tennis Club, founder members Philip Arnold and Brian Haughton, and one of the original members, Lew Sharman.

Wimbledon fortnight starts on Monday July 1st, so fingers crossed for some good weather so we can spend more time than we should stuck in front of the TV. I've been lucky enough to get tickets in the club draw for the newly-covered No. 1 Court, so there will be play whatever the weather. With Wimbledon, the British Grand Prix, the Tour de France and more sport in July, don't let all the fun get in the way of some active sport yourself down on the tennis courts.

Peter Burgess

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Tewin Stores and Cafe

Holidays are now with us despite the weather, but if you are lucky enough to be going abroad I hope you find the lovely sunshine. Some of you will have seen our promotional video at the Monday cinema at the Memorial Hall. It is hoped it will be available for all to see soon and encourage new customers and volunteers to join us.

By the time we go to print we will have had the Tewin Fete where we sold Tewin goods and continued to encourage people to have an interest in buying shares for the shop.

Do spoil yourself during June and July and pop in the shop and indulge yourself with one of our “Wimbledon Scones” which includes jam and clotted cream.

On 20th July the Saturday Lunch (when we hope the warm weather will be with us) will be homemade quiche and salad.

Also on July 10th is the now famous Tewin’s own `Afternoon Tea` and tickets are £12. There will be two sittings as usual, at 2pm and 3.30pm. If you haven’t been before you are in for a treat.

100 Club Monthly prize winners for June are

1st Prize: Ian Charman - £39.50

2nd Prize: Steve Stott -£19.75

3rd Prize: Anne Hall - £11.85

Normal shop opening hours are:

Monday – Friday: 8.30 -4.30 pm,

Saturdays: 8.30 – 12 noon,

Sundays: 9.00 – 12 noon

Linda Crawford, Vice Chairman, Tewin Shop Committee

Tewin Table Tennis Club



The club will be closing for its Summer break after the club evening on Tuesday the 2nd July.

Thank you to the many parishioners who have offered their good wishes and congratulations to the club over the season for their successes in the League, Handicap Shield and Individual Championship competitions.

The good news is the club will reopen on Tuesday evenings in early September in the usual venue, the Tewin Cowper School Hall.

John Sheridan

Bogus Door-to-Door Salesmen

Keep a look out for Nottingham Knockers - door-to-door traders who try to sell goods on the doorstep.

Nottingham Knockers are reported to have been knocking on consumers' doors in the south of Hertfordshire offering dusters, biros, felt tip pens, cleaning products, etc., sometimes from a bread crate. The individual will usually have an "ID badge" hanging from a lanyard around their neck; the credentials on the ID cards are mostly worthless.

There's often a storyline of just having been released from prison and efforts to get back on their feet. However Nottingham Knockers are not part of any recognised rehabilitation scheme. The government-backed Community Payback scheme does not involve door-to-door sales.

Hertfordshire Trading Standards advice is don't buy or sell on the doorstep.

More information on how to get advice or to report a scam can be found at <https://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/services/business/consumer-advice/scam-campaign.aspx?utm-medium=email&utm->

Friends of Tewin



TEWIN FETE – 29th JUNE

By the time you read this, Tewin Fete will have taken place and I hope the weather stayed fine for this lovely village event. As usual Friends of Tewin organised the Hook-a-Duck Stall, which is a great favourite with

young children.

TEWIN CLASSIC CAR AND CRAFT SHOW - SUNDAY 18th AUGUST

The Classic Car Show is a very popular event and attracts visitors from far and wide. Once again this year we expect to see 450 classic cars on display on Upper Green, a truly amazing sight. To date we have 260 entries and once again this year we have a cut-off date for classic cars and bikes. All entries must be received by Friday, 9th August. If you are planning to enter a classic car please submit your entry as soon as possible so you are not disappointed. There will be 40 craft stalls selling a wide range of goods so come along for a great afternoon, there's something for everyone.

The Classic Car Show is our main fundraiser of the year and all the monies raised, (£6,447.83 in 2018) will be donated to a wide variety of groups in Tewin, benefitting young and old!

The show has expanded greatly over the last 11 years and has an excellent reputation amongst classic car owners. We get lots of comments about how cheerful and helpful all our volunteers are. We also hear from many of the volunteers saying how much they enjoy being a part of the show, which is great! If you can spare an hour, we'd love to hear from you. Please get in touch with Brenda Barber on 01438 489425 or email friendsoftewin@gmail.com.

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Patients benefit from our help in a variety of ways. It may be equipment we have funded, extra facilities we help to provide or the effort we make to ensure the best possible environment for their stay in our care. Recently we have agreed to purchase a new hoist for use in the in-patient area at Danesbury. This will greatly benefit the comfort of patients – and make the task of the nursing staff more efficient.

At Queen Victoria Memorial Hospital, the Friends paid for revamping the courtyard a few years ago and now, each year, we prepare it in anticipation of some summer weather replacing plants and furnishings where necessary.

Occasionally we get requests for something quite different. Recently we have been asked to fund music therapy sessions. Trials have been run earlier this year by a team from Chiltern Music Therapy. The response from patients and staff has been amazing. All the participants reported significant benefits. For some it was improved movement, for others it helped speech and also, attention levels. And importantly, it was fun! In response to this request the Friends have agreed to pay for a series of additional sessions.

If you are one of the many who help us in our work you should be delighted to know that you are making a real difference to the lives of our patients.

Find us on Facebook at Danesbury Shop Welwyn

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THACS - TEWIN HORTICULTURAL ARTS & CRAFTS SOCIETY

Autumn Show on Saturday 7th September

The *THACS* Autumn Show will be held in Tewin Memorial Hall on Saturday 7th September. It's a great showcase for some of the many talents of local people, so please support this event by exhibiting some of your handiwork. There will be show classes covering flower arranging, flowers, vegetables & fruit, arts & crafts, photography and culinary, so I am sure that you can select some suitable categories to enter. Please come along, have a go and support your village show. There is also a wide range of age-appropriate categories for youngsters of all ages, from pre-school to school leavers. If you are looking after your children or grandchildren during the long summer holiday, then you are sure to find something suitable for them to make and enter into the show. You can even pair-up with them and enter something into the Adult & Child Pairs class, which gives you a good opportunity to get together with that child and have some productive fun together, whilst helping them to develop their skills (and maybe your own). Go on, try it!

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 after 1st July. (Note that all *THACS* members will receive electronic or paper copies of the show schedule by then.) 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 1st September.

Ray Keppler, *THACS* Show Secretary.

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Dates For Your Diary This Month

Tues 2nd July only. Back in September	Tewin School	7-10 pm	Table Tennis 7-8pm Juniors 7-10pm Adults
Wed	Memorial Hall	9.30– 11am	Parent and Toddler Group
Thurs	Lower Green	9.25am	Footpath walks of Tewin
Thurs	Memorial Hall	1.30- 4.30pm	50+ Club
Fri	Tewin Stores	2.30- 3.30pm	Trussells Butcher's Van
Thurs 4th & 18th	Bowls Club	2-5pm	Bridge
Mon 1st	Memorial Hall	7.45pm	Parish Council Meeting
Sat 6th July	Burnham Green	11am-6pm	Thriffest
Sun 7th	WGC	10am-4pm	WGC Centenary Walk
Wed 10th	Tewin Stores	2pm and 3.30pm	Afternoon Tea
Thurs 11th	Opp Rose and Crown	9am	THACS trip to Cliveden
Sat 20th	Tewin Stores	12-2pm	Lunch 'Quiche and Salad'
Sun 21st	Rose and Crown	6.30pm	Sound of Music

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