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The Benefice of Farleigh, The Candover and Wield

*B*CP = Book of Common Prayer *C*W = Common Worship *L*L = Lay led

Key to initials:

IDT = Ian Thaker: *PR* = Peter Raine: *JG* = Julian Gibbons *LH* = Lyn Hardy:

AL = Anne Luneburg: *BC* = Bernard Cazenove: *CPT* = Charlie Palmer

Tomkinson: *PR* = Peter Raine

Sunday 1st June

08.00	Ellisfield	Holy Communion IDT
09:30	Wield	All age service IDT
09.45	Cliddesden	Morning Prayer KK
10:00	Preston Candover	Morning Prayer JG
11:00	Northington	Holy Communion IDT
11.15	Dummer	Sunday Special
18:00	Chilton Candover	Buried Church service IDT
<i>Readings</i>	<i>Zephaniah 3.14-18 Psalm 113 Romans 12.9-16</i>	
	<i>Luke 1.38-49 [50-56]</i>	
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Sunday 8th June Pentecost Sunday

08:00	Dummer	Holy Communion IDT
09:45	Ellisfield	Holy Communion Richard Brand
10:00	Preston Candover	Family service
11:15	Cliddesden	Family Holy Communion IDT
18:00	Wield	Evensong IDT
<i>Readings</i>	<i>Acts 2.1-21 † Psalm 104.26-36, 37b [or 104.26-end]</i>	
	<i>John 14.8-17</i>	
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Sunday 15th June

9:00 Wield Holy Communion
9:45 Dummer Matins
10:00 Preston Candover Family service
11:15 Cliddesden Family Service PR
18:00 Chilton Candover Evening Payer (1662)
*Readings Proverbs 8.1-4, 22-31 Psalm 8 Romans 5.1-5
John 16.12-15*

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Trinity Sunday

Sunday 22nd June

8:30 Bradley Holy Communion CW.
9:00 Wield Matins CS
9:45 Dummer Holy Communion CW
11:00 Brown Candover Morning Worship
11:15 Ellisfield Family Holy Communion
*Readings 1 Kings 19.1-4 [5-7] 8-15a Psalms 42, 43 [or 42 or 43]
Galatians 3.23-end Luke 8.26-39*

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1st Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 29th June

11:00 Farleigh Holy Communion CW
10:00 Preston Candover Morning Prayer
*Readings Ezekiel 3.22-end or Acts 12.1-11 Psalm 125 Acts 12.1-11
Matthew 16.13-19*

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St Peter's Day

Every Wednesday we meet for prayers in St Martins,
Ellisfield from 9.00- 9.30. All welcome.

Message from Ian

It's not a huge confession as things go but it's one I need to share. I once played golf. It seemed like a reasonable progression in my sporting life after I gave up cricket and lots of people in the parish played it, and it seemed a good way to get to know them.



The problem was I was rubbish at it. I couldn't understand why it was that I had no issue hitting a fast-moving red ball but couldn't get close to a stationary white one. I had several lessons, spent a long time on the driving range, but never succeeded in getting my handicap down. One Thursday afternoon, after failing again and actively considering throwing my clubs into the nearest pond I had a revelation.

If I was going to become the golfer I wanted to be, I needed new kit. If only I got some new clubs, some longer clubs, some titanium shafted clubs or clubs with different handles I could finally succeed at golf. Of course it wasn't the case, and after several golf courses started taking out injunctions from me going anywhere near their playing services, my clubs finally made their way to the charity shop.

Recently, while I was sitting in the woods with my long lens this week trying to photograph squirrels jumping from one tree to the next (honestly officer) I found myself thinking again that if I want to get published as a photographer what I needed was new kit. I needed a faster camera with a new lens and then I would get the image I've been chasing. When I explained this to my long-suffering wife she explained gently with the aid of a broom handle that the answer wasn't throwing resources at a problem but enjoying the moment.

Over the past few months, we've had a lot of funerals in the Benefice. If we could ask any of these who have died about what they want us to know I'm sure it would be to enjoying life in the now and not about how much kit you've got. So, tell someone you love how much you care about them, take the dog for a walk and enjoy some of the things that really matter. And no, I won't be buying any new camera equipment

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**Well done, St Leonard's
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The Youth Group rose more than rose to the challenge of their first Lent project. After six weeks of baking, making and cooking, they raised £85 for the Basingstoke Foodbank, a fantastic result! Many thanks to all those who kindly donated in return for some sweet treats.



A Glorious Easter!

Music, praise and joy raised the roof at a full St Leonard's on Easter Sunday. The church was beautifully decorated with flowers by Pat, and the children made a stained-glass window with special messages of everything they are grateful for. Sylvia led the music, with Ross, the Jordan family and the Children's Singing Group all making wonderful contributions. Monica made delicious refreshments for us all to enjoy whilst the children loved the Easter egg hunt



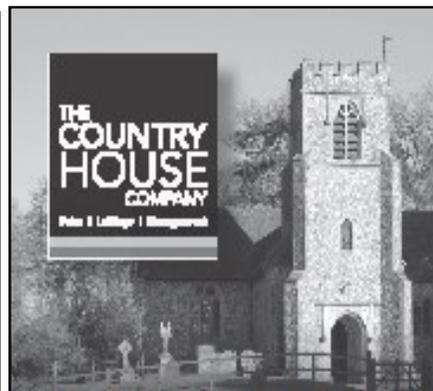
in the churchyard. Huge thanks to Peter for leading our service, and to everyone else involved in making it such a joyous occasion.




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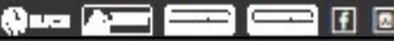
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All Saints' Dummer	8 June 8.00am	Shirley Powell	
All Saints' Dummer	15 June 9.45am	Michael Hill King	Stafford Napier Claire Wilmot Sitwell
All Saints' Dummer	22 June 9.45am	John Trueman	Jeremy Glyn Jenny Padmore
St Andrew's Farleigh Wallop	29 June		
St Martin's Ellisfield	1 June 8.00am		Vicky Reed
St Martin's Ellisfield	8 June 11.15am	Tim Guinness and Marcus Rule	Bernard Cazenove
St Martin's Ellisfield	21 June 11.15am	Guy de Jersey and Caroline Allen	Susie Deane
St Martin's Ellisfield	29 June 11.00am	To be confirmed	Oliver Lymington



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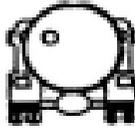
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Coffee	June 15 th	Jenny Padmore
Grass cutting	June	Susan Swinburn & Charles Palmer Tomkinson

Remembering the sacrifices made 80 years ago

On the afternoon of Saturday 10th May around 70 villagers gathered in glorious sunshine at the Memorial Hall, Ellisfield to celebrate the 80th Anniversary of VE-Day; marking the end of the Second World War in Europe.

The event, organised by the Memorial Hall Committee and supported by the Parish Council, was a great way to remember with gratitude all those brave men and women who survived, were injured and/ or lost their lives allowing us all to enjoy living in freedom today.

On arrival, villagers were greeted with music from the era and given “rations” which they used in exchange for glasses of wine or beer – much to the amusement of everyone present. A



cold buffet was also provided. Some villagers brought along items belonging to family members who had lived through this difficult period in history. It was so interesting to see medals, Motor Fuel Ration Books and photos of people’s relatives in their uniforms – it brought everything to

life.
Bernard Cazenove gave an



excellent heartfelt and poignant speech before asking everyone to raise their glasses in a toast of remembrance. The celebrations lasted for several hours and thanks to the generosity of villagers, a donation of £240 was made to the Royal British Legion Hampshire Welfare Fund, which is for the benefit of veterans. The charity was extremely thankful for the donation. “Our County Welfare Fund is used to help cover some of the costs of looking after Hampshire beneficiaries. Please thank all those involved in the VE-Day party and the raising of this donation.”



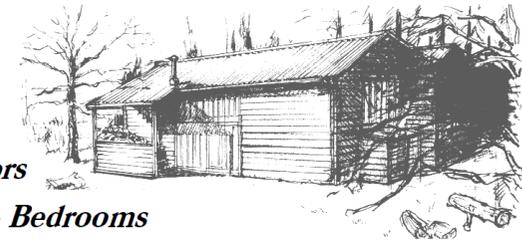
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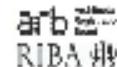
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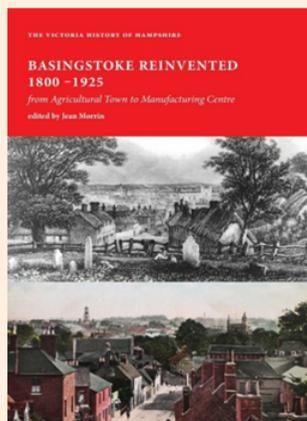
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June 2025

It's been great to enjoy some nice weather following our Easter break. We have been on a lovely Spring walk to see the fluffy ducklings at the pond and celebrated Mrs Harman's birthday with some yummy cake! There has been lots of outdoor play at the park and with the parachute in the playground. We've been focussing on Jack and the Beanstalk and created a huge beanstalk on the wall. We're also growing our own magic beans – do check them out on the window if you're passing by!



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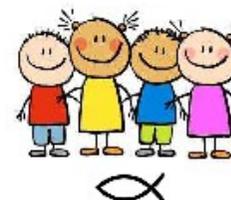
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In the Fields—Emma Ilsley

Well, it is safe to say we have continued to luck out with the forecast! Maybe, though, we could benefit from a few drops of rain now? I know you might all be thinking ‘these farmers are never happy with the weather!’ but with young crops just sown in the ground they will be fighting to obtain sufficient moisture to keep them alive and strong enough to germinate. Our spring drilling for the 2025 season is nearing completion – spring barley, spring beans, cover crops and maize. This is an excellent result for us and always marks a significant point in the year.

We have some maize crop still to be drilled but this will only be able to occur once the current standing grass has been mown and taken away as silage. It is very important to work with and support our local farming community, and I am pleased to say that once harvested, this silage will be sold to a local dairy farmer to feed his cows. Mowing grass for silage again this year makes a pleasant change for the team as everyone is involved in the silage process in one way or another. The mowers have had a thorough service and grease up before they hit the fields!

On a wider Estate note, we hosted the annual St Michaels Hospice Walk on 27th April which saw over 400 participants set foot over either a 5- or 10-mile route around our lovely woodlands and fields. It is always a pleasure to support charities close to us and to see so many people enjoy the varying topography we are surrounded by! On a similar vein, we are pleased to once again be hosting the annual ‘Off the Beaten Track’ walk in aid of St Martin’s Church and St Andrew’s Church. We hope that those from the local villages and further away will join us in enjoying the outdoors once again.

We are greatly looking forward to the John Edgar Trust farm walk on Wednesday 7th May. As a previous scholar of the Trust, Cian has put together a complete tour of the Estate for potential candidates to participate in on the evening. We much look forward to speaking to these individuals about: the farm business, renewables, forestry, property and diversification.

I look forward to catching up with you all in the June edition, by which time hopefully we may have some measurement in the rain gauge!

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Cliddesden WI—May report

It was with great sadness that we began our meeting with a minute's silence for our friend and longest serving member Doreen Isley, who has sadly passed away. Our thoughts go to her family.

April and May meetings have focussed upon our future, with dwindling membership it was thought that we might not continue but we are very pleased to welcome new members Monica, Caroline, Jenny and Lisa. We have a packed program for the coming year including an afternoon tea in September to celebrate our 103rd birthday. Cliddesden WI being one of the oldest Wis in the UK. The WI was formed in 1915. We continue to welcome new members.

We have a speaker, Alan Jones for our next meeting on Monday 16th June at 10:30 who will entertain us with Tales of a Roving BBC reporter.

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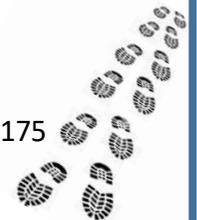


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Benefice Recipes

Hello all, well the net is still over the plum tree, and I think I can see some fruit forming so the plan is working unless everything falls off in the June drop. The allotment has gone from soggy to rock hard and a rabbit has decided to move in and rearrange what we plant! Our asparagus was up about an inch and I thought I must remember to come and pick that. I didn't remember and it's now three feet tall and gone to seed.



On a good note, our rhubarb has really got going this year so we can have a good pick at that. Back at home I'm on dicey ground, I have found two tubs of Cadburys Heroes! One hidden under the bed and another in the cupboard under the stairs. Good cop says give them to the boys, bad cop says finders keepers!

The recipe this month is a fresh healthy dish with not a chocolate in sight.

Baked Halibut with Fennel, Lemon and Walnut Pangrattato

Ingredients serves 2

Drizzle of olive oil plus extra for frying

1 Fennel bulb finely shaved on a mandoline slicer or very finely sliced by hand

2 Halibut fillets, 1 tbsp butter, 1 lemon zested and cut into wedges

1 garlic clove crushed, 20g walnuts (finely chopped)

25 g dried breadcrumbs,

Handful of parsley finely chopped

Method

Heat the oven to 180c fan / gas 6.

- o Toss the fennel in a bowl with a drizzle of oil some seasoning and a squeeze of lemon juice.
- o Transfer to a baking tray and spread out evenly.
- o Put the Halibut on top, dot the butter across the top and season well.
- o Cook for 15 minutes until the fish is flaky when pressed.
- o Meanwhile, heat another drizzle of oil in a small frying pan and fry the garlic for 30 seconds until fragrant, then add the nuts and breadcrumbs.
- o Stir for 2 to 3 minutes or until golden, toasted and smelling nutty.
- o Then transfer to a bowl, stir in the lemon zest and parsley and season.
- o Sprinkle the crumbs over the fish, squeeze over the lemon and serve with a lovely green salad.

Any firm white fish will work, and you could swap the walnuts for others such as Brazil nuts, pine nuts or almonds

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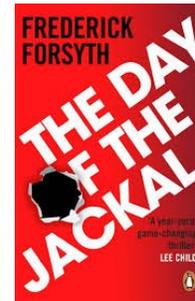
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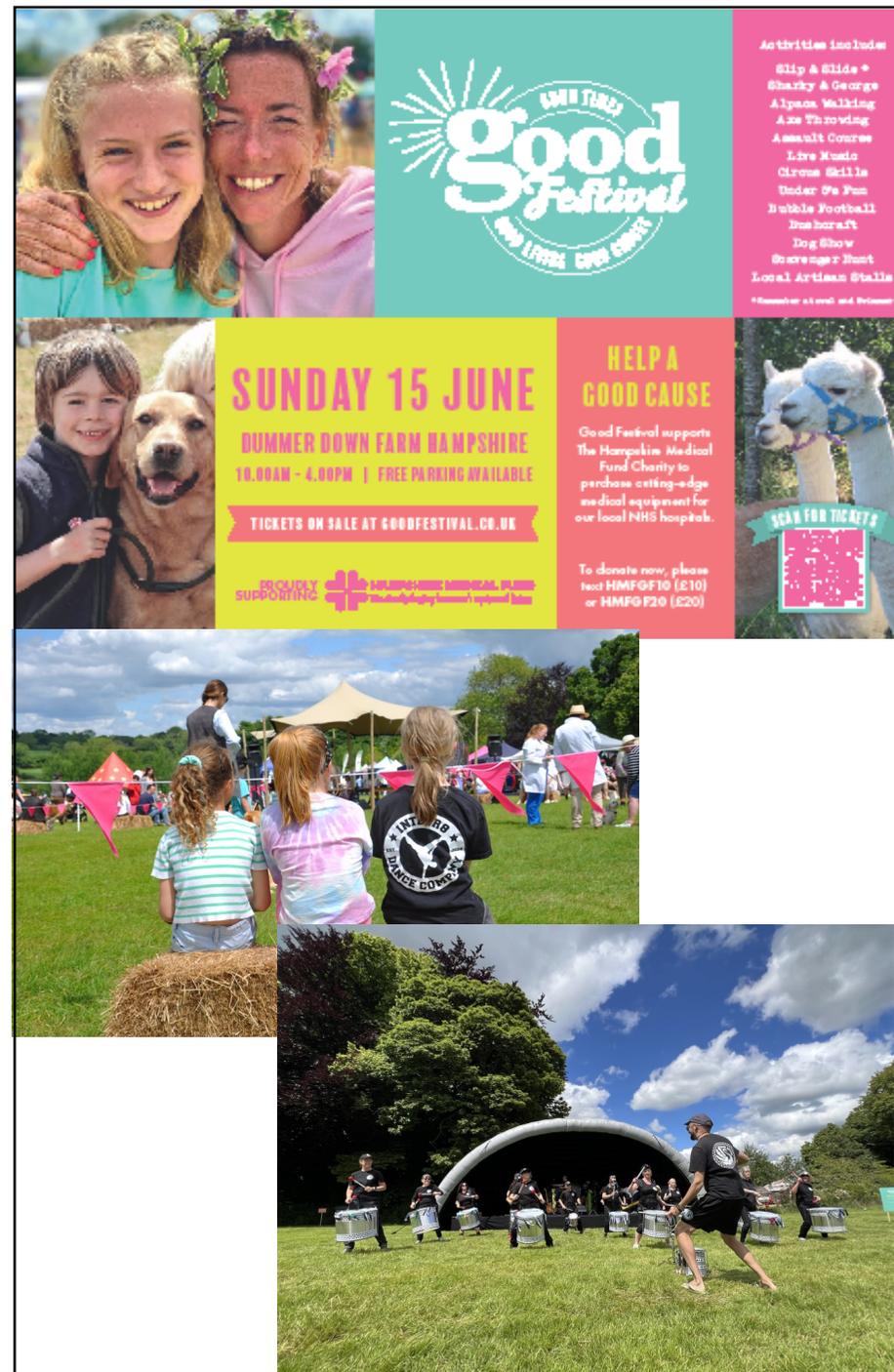
This year the sky was overcast and there was a brisk North Easterly Breeze. By 10.30am the reception area near Home Farm Barn was busy with many people and their dogs starting to follow the signs toward Farleigh House and the woods. Debbie Scholey had attracted a good range of raffle prizes, and she was helped by Martine Bell selling tickets right from the start. Ed Fellows oversaw car parking, leaving Vicky Reed to act as the Health and Safety Officer, a role previously undertaken by her husband Ray who sadly had a sick Land Rover.

At the halfway point of the walk, near the old water tower, Jacqui and Tony Matthews had set up their drinks and cake stall and doing a good trade, nobly helped by Pat Gould and Jenny Outen. Many people said that this was the highlight of the walk – rumor has it that the cake display was better than the bluebells!

Conditions up on the hill, looking at lovely views down towards Alresford, were arctic because of the wind, so they were pleased to return to Home Farm to warm their frozen hands and bodies on the Bar-B-Q fire. They had raised over £200 and a further £40.00 was contributed when several cakes were sold at TCC the next Wednesday.

By mid-day most walkers were back having said they enjoyed the fresh air and exercise, plus the chance to see bluebells and all the work that has been going on in the woods over the year. Many were ready to tuck into hot dogs and burgers being sold by Beverley Guinness. Interestingly more stayed than previously, creating a good atmosphere in the open barn: Caroline Cazenove and her grandchildren helped to sell drinks as well as assistants on the food stall.

It was a happy and rewarding morning that raised over £900 for Farleigh Parish funds.



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St Martin's, Ellisfield—Pew News.

Last year the Parochial Church Council of the Parish of Farleigh agreed that four pews could be temporarily removed from the back of St Martin's.

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We had to apply to the Diocese for permission to do this, which took some time, but it was eventually granted at the beginning of May.

Three pews have been removed with one remaining in place for the moment.

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Ellisfield Ladies Club in 2025

We're very pleased to announce that the Ellisfield Ladies Club will continue, as we celebrate its 50th year anniversary in 2025.

Originally created in 1975 by and for the wives and ladies of Ellisfield to get together and socialise with some fun events, they also helped each other with any practical domestic issues that needed sorting out, while their husbands and partners were out at work. A secondary aim was for any funds raised by eg. raffles or special events, to be donated to local charities wherever possible.

Clearly times have changed, and technology in particular has impacted how we all live our lives, however the community ethos of the club continues to thrive and currently there are 38 members eagerly anticipating some events!

A big thank you goes to Mandy Lunn, Kim Evans and Rose Taplin for steering the ELC ship for the last three years along with Maggie Heath, who very sadly passed away in March. As a founding member of the club, she is already much missed, however her legacy lives on. We should not forget that two other original members of the ELC are happily very much still with us - Meg Freeman and Celia Lunn.

We had a handover meeting recently and the new committee will be meeting again before the end of May to sort out a few events for the remainder of the year. A sub-committee has been formed specifically to organise the club's 50th anniversary event, which Maggie was keen for us to put on this year. More details to come.

We look forward to sharing news of forthcoming events in the next issue of Hill and Dale. However, should any members - new or existing – wish to suggest, or better still, organise an event, please let us know!

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Chairman: Seumas Foster

May report

Everything is growing so quickly now, there isn't enough time to do all the jobs that need to be done, but we have had good weather with lots of sunny days. The lack of rain is a problem and may become an even bigger problem as water butts run out.

Our **Plant Sale** went very well, there were lots of plants and seedlings donated to give visitors plenty of choice. A huge thanks to everyone who helped, bought plants, donated and made this event a success.

Our **'Stretching for Gardeners' with Jacqui Matthews** on May20th is eagerly anticipated! Jacqui is well known to all of us for her Yoga classes.

Our next meeting is on **May 29th** when **Mark Hinsley is talking about 'Trees in the Garden'**, and his talk will be based around questions about trees from the audience, so if you want to know which trees he recommends, or how to prune your trees, or any other questions you have bring them along.

Mark is an Arboriculturist providing advice about trees to, for example, gardeners and planners. Trees are a massive part of our heritage and history. Understanding an individual tree's place is important for the Arboriculturist if our historic landscapes are to be recognised and protected.

Garden Visit in June

On June 12th we are visiting the Japanese garden that Gordon Bowyer has created at his home in Fleet. (Details /directions to follow.) Gordon spoke to us last year, so this meeting is our follow up to see the garden he told us so enthusiastically about last year.

Guests, as ever, are welcome so do bring a friend or neighbour if you know someone who would be interested.

RHS Membership

The Society has membership of the RHS so we have a membership card which can be used by members, so if you are planning to visit Wisley, Kew or any of the many gardens linked to the RHS you can use the card to get a discount, such as 2 for 1 entry.

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P.S. As a 'heads up' for our **July meeting**, the title is **'Dry Gardening and Herbs'** which could give us plenty to think about for our plant choices next year. Details to follow.

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Deadline reminder for parents applying for School Transport

Hampshire parents who would like their children to be considered for School Transport from September 2025 must apply on time to make sure their applications are reviewed before the new school year starts.

Hampshire celebrates and remembers on 80th anniversary of VE Day

On the 80th anniversary of Victory in Europe Day, 8 May 2025, Hampshire County Council will proudly raise the Union Flag outside the Great Hall in Winchester in celebration of the Day in 1945 which brought an end to the nearly six years of World War II.

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Juliet Henderson Hampshire County Councillor

Hampshire County Councillor report

Greater powers to tackle fly-tipping

I strongly welcome the Government's announcement of a new crackdown on cowboy waste operators to tackle fly-tipping and clean up our streets, lanes, and rural areas.

Key Points:

- Councils will work with the police to identify, seize, and crush vehicles of waste criminals.
- Drones and mobile CCTV cameras will be used to identify and destroy cars and vans belonging to fly-tippers.
- A rapid review will slash red tape, allowing councils to seize and crush vehicles more easily. Fly-tippers will cover the costs, saving money for councils and taxpayers.
- Waste criminals will now face up to five years in prison for illegal operations.
- The Environment Agency will conduct identity and criminal record checks on operators, with increased resources and powers to revoke permits, issue enforcement notices, and impose hefty fines.. I really hope these new powers are brought in quickly and are used by all Hampshire local authorities to tackle the criminals who blight our beautiful county

Hampshire County Council set to consider proposals to boost recycling rates

Proposals that would boost recycling rates in Hampshire are due to be considered later this month by Hampshire County Council. The plans, if approved, would deliver a state-of-the-art Materials Recovery Facility in Eastleigh that could process more types of household waste for recycling. Hampshire County Council set to consider proposals to boost recycling rates |Hampshire County Council

Reminder to have your say on proposals for future services in Hampshire

Hampshire County Council is reminding local residents to have their say on proposals for savings in four service areas, as part of steps by the Authority to help meet a remaining budget shortfall of at least £97.6 million for 2025/26.

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Cliddesden Primary School

Year 3/4 Football Update...

Our Year 3 and 4 football team were jubilant on Friday 2nd May when they had another match against St Marks. This time they were victors after losing against the same team in March. It was a tight game with St Mark's scoring the first goal. Cliddesden equalised soon after and scored another through a penalty. St Mark's equalised but in the last few minutes Cliddesden made it 3-2. The whole team played really well and well done to Franco who scored a hat-trick.

Rugby League Update...

The final meeting of the Norman League began with only two points separating St John's in first place and Kempshott in last place. Cliddesden won their game against St John's but lost to North Waltham and Kempshott. With a couple of key players missing, we knew it was going to be challenging. The biggest surprise was Kempshott winning all 3 of their games and being crowned league winners. The two top teams finished on the same points but with Kempshott scoring more tries in the competition. We gained the same points as St John's but finished below them on tries scored. Despite finishing bottom, the effort was there from all the squad, and they did the school proud as ever.



We had a lovely day commemorating VE Day. The children dressed in red, white and blue and learned about why we mark this day as a nation and also about how people celebrated the end of WWII. In the afternoon the children played nostalgic games on the field and enjoyed delicious scones and jam. We were thrilled to be joined by lots of family and friends.



Well done to our Year 6 children for completing their SATs. They all worked incredibly hard and focused well.

To make sure we made the week as supportive and as pleasant as possible for the children, we started each day with a special breakfast and ended the week with a fun trip out. The weather

was kind, and we began the afternoon at Knights Realm Adventure Golf. In four groups, the children navigated the course overcoming the obstacles in the way to complete it. This was followed by a picnic in the park and then onto Hollywood Bowl.

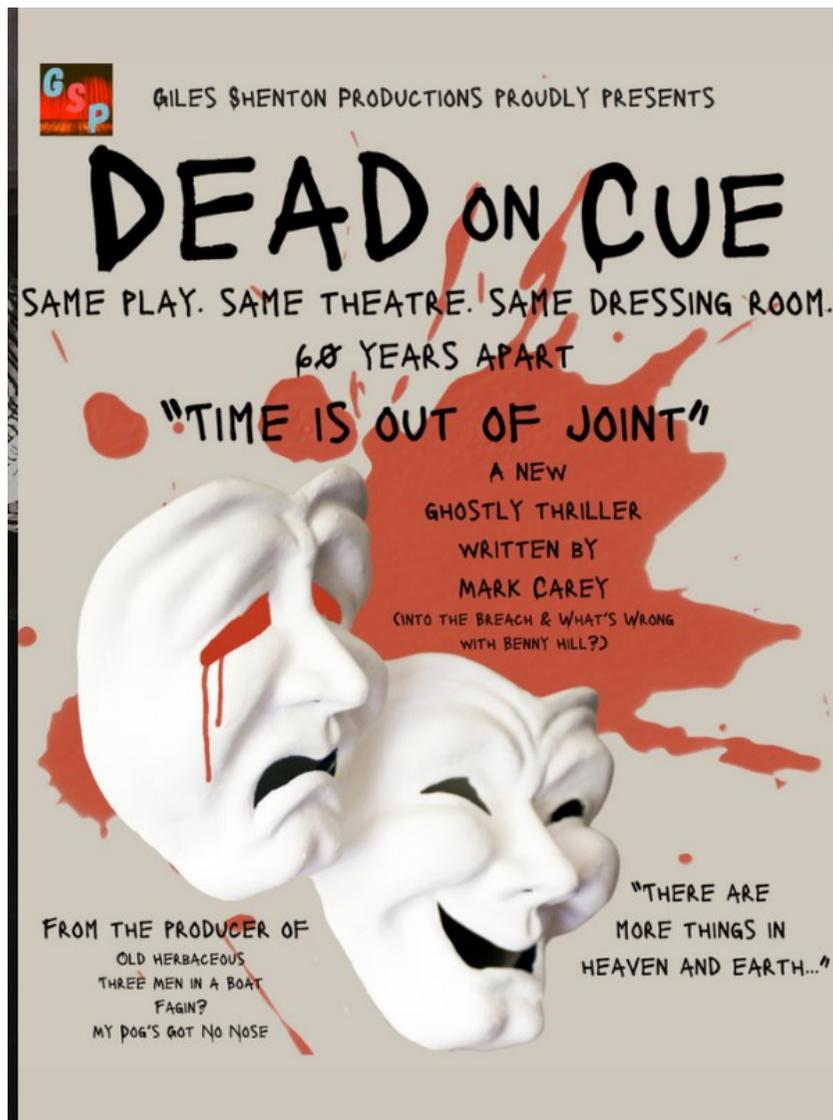


The children were a credit to their school, and they demonstrated our school ethos and values throughout the week.

WHAT'S ON

DUMMER VILLAGE - KEY UP COMING EVENTS - JUNE 2025

<p><u>ALL SAINTS CHURCH</u></p> <p>1st Sun 11.15am Family Service/Sunday Special</p> <p>2nd Sun 8am Holy Communion</p> <p>3rd Sun 9.45am Morning Prayer</p> <p>4th Sun 9.45 am Holy Communion</p> <p>5th Sun - No Service at All Saints</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Bell Ringing Practice Monday</u> <u>Evenings</u></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>DUMMER VILLAGE HALL</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>COFFEE MORNING</u> 4th June 11am</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>THEATRE NIGHT:</u> </p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>"DEAD ON CUE"</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fri 6th June 7:30pm Tickets £15 eventsdummervillagehall@gmail.com</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>DUMMER VILLAGE FETE & DOG SHOW</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Saturday 21st June 2pm onwards at Dummer Down Farm</p>
<p><u>ACOUSTIC at THE QUEEN-</u></p> <p><u>LIVE MUSIC NIGHT:</u></p> <p>Thurs 5th Jun, 7:30pm</p> <p><u>QUIZ NIGHT:</u> Tues, 10th Jun 8:30pm</p> <p><u>DUMMER LUNCH CLUB:</u> 11th & 12th June <u>Email: marystevens34@gmail.com</u></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>DUMMER CRICKET</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Home Matches:</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">1st Vs Basingstoke Capital 8th Vs North Waltham 22nd Vs St Mary Bourne CC</p>
<p><u>JUNE 2025 - DUMMER DOWN FARM & BREWERY</u></p>	
<p><u>FOOD</u></p> <p>6th Earth to oven</p> <p>7th Grate Fire Kitchen</p> <p>8th am Grate Fire Kitchen</p> <p>13th OFM Burger</p> <p>14th Mumbai Street</p> <p>20th Woosabi</p> <p>21st Chaat</p> <p>27th Berro Kitchen</p> <p>28th Hampshire Pantry</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>EVENTS</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat 7th Live Music</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sun 8th am: 10k race</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat 14th: Live Music</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sun 15th: Good Festival</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Fri 20th: Charity Barn Dance</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat 21st: Village Fete</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat 21st: Move & Mend Wellness</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sat 28th Live Music</p>



Dummer Village Hall
Friday 6 June 2025—7.30pm
Doors open from 7.00pm Tickets—£15.00
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Online at - www.buytickets.at/gilesshentonproductions (booking fee applies).

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On Wednesday 14th May Chestnut Class travelled to Sea City Museum, Southampton as part of our Titanic History work. Our tour guide Immy shared many stories from the Titanic and the links to Southampton. After the tour, the children split into four groups and completed activities in a workshop. Firstly, they looked at artefacts to decide what and how they were used, then decoded morse code messages sent from the Titanic, next they decided who should a space in a lifeboat and why. Lastly, they investigated how the watertight doors on the Titanic failed using an



ice cube tray. After a quick lunch the children were given a worksheet and went back into the museum to find different items and who they belonged to. A fantastic trip to support the children's learning.

To find out more about our school, please see our website: cliddesden.hants.sch.uk

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Sue Armstrong (01962 734542) or Erica Sisk (01962 732735)

On Sunday May 18th, Dr Andy Taylor was our speaker at Morning Praise. Andy based his talk on Exodus 33 12 – 18 and how it influenced his personal life.

Andy, and his wife Diane, are driven by their huge amount of charity work in Basingstoke and are regular worshippers at the Wessex Church, which is part of One Church Basingstoke. It is always a pleasure to have them as speakers.

Our next Sunday Special is on Sunday 1st of June when we will welcome our young members of our village and their musical talents. Our Morning Praise will be on 15th June and will be Matins, led by Charles Palmer Tomkinson.

Lyn Hardy
Churchwarden,
All Saints, Dummer

Dummer Village Hall

Don't miss the play "Dead on Cue", written by and starring Mark Carey who has returned by popular request following his production of "Into the Breach". Friday June 6th 7:30 p.m.
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We have some **day** slots for hire in the hall on Mondays and Tuesdays.

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All Saints, Dummer

On Sunday 4th May, Richard Brand, Archdeacon of Winchester talked to us about his role in the Church. We moved to Morning Praise, as it is a slightly more formal order of service.

Richard's talk was very illuminating and many of us were not aware of what it entailed.

Both Bernard Cazenove and I were "appointed" Churchwardens by the Archdeacon (who was rather taken by surprise by the amount of people in All Saints, thank you all).

Richard was very generous with his time after the service and also announced that a prospective applicant for the position of Rector of the Parishes of the Candovers, Farleigh and Wield would soon be interviewed.

Richard joined us afterwards for coffee and chocolate cake and enjoyed a lively chat in the sunshine.

This is normally Alex Holden's service, so it was lovely to see her in the congregation recovering from her operation (plus cushions), thank you to Stephen who stepped in as organist and to all those who supported the service.

A small display was in the Church to commemorate V.E Day. Included in this was the personal effects of Goring, plans of invasions, an Iron Cross and an Italian Mayors insignia etc.



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Fun on the Field – Friday 6 June

We are pleased to invite you to an early summer gathering on Friday 6 June, taking place on the field beside the Candover Valley Store.

This community event promises a relaxed and enjoyable evening for all ages. The Candover Valley Store will remain open until 7pm, offering drinks, snacks and ice cream to purchase throughout the event.

We are also delighted to welcome back Pizzaarti, who will be serving freshly made, wood-fired pizzas from their popular food truck. Their handmade pizzas will be available to buy from 3pm, making it an excellent opportunity to enjoy a post school run snack or a warm meal outdoors in good company.

One of the main attractions will be a 56-foot inflatable obstacle course, featuring steps, slides, tunnels and a squeeze slot to wriggle through. It is suitable for both adults and children and promises a great deal of fun and laughter.

We would love for all our community to come along, settle in with friends and neighbours and enjoy an evening that celebrates the spirit of our wonderful community and 6 years of the Candover Valley store!

Please note that all activities are subject to weather conditions.



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