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Clifton upon Teme • The Shelsleys • Lower Sapey

July/August 2014



Clifton Open Gardens Weekend

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Margaret Butler pictured in her garden, one of 20 that were on display for the Clifton Open Gardens weekend that raised more than £500 for urgently needed repairs to St. Kenelm's Church.

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#### Front Cover Picture

John and Alice Sumner and granddaughter welcoming visitors to the Rectory garden in Clifton during the Open Gardens weekend

### CLIFTON WW2 RAF CASUALTY REMEMBERED

Clifton resident Joe Taylor travelled to Northern France this summer to find the grave of his uncle, Alfred Taylor, who was killed when the aircraft in which he was the navigator/gunner was shot down in May, 1940.

21-year-old Leading Aircraftman Alfred was the eldest son of James and Ada Taylor who lived at Unicorn Cottage in Clifton and at the time of his death was being courted by Joe Taylor's mother Josephine Thompson, whose parents kept the Lion Inn.

"When my Uncle Alfred was killed, my mother ended up marrying his brother John and I came along in 1956," said Joe (pictured right at his uncle's grave).

Alfred's grave is located in the Lonne Communal Cemetery, while his brother Roy, who was a Corporal in the Gloucestershire Regiment and died in 1944, is buried in the churchyard at St. Kenelm's in Clifton.

58-year-old Joe was accompanied on the trip by friends Colin Watmore, Ray Fletcher and Ian Breakwell.





(L-R) Alfred Taylor with brothers Roy and John

#### SHELSLEYS FETE COUNTDOWN

The final days are being counted down to the Shelsleys' Fete and Fun Dog Show on Sunday July 13th from 3pm to 6pm. Volunteers to help prepare the site are being asked to gather at Little Blakes in Shelsley Beauchamp (WR6 6RH) at 5pm on Friday July 11th or noon on Saturday July 12th.

Meanwhile, contributions are still being sought for the regional produce stall, tombola and bric-a-brac barn and entries are being invited for the Fun Dog Show and a special 'Teme's Got Talent' stage show from 5.30pm to 7.30pm. Other attractions will include a Raffle with great prizes, Stalls and Games, a Plant Stall, BBQ, Teas and a Bar. All proceeds are going towards the upkeep of All Saints' Church Fabric Fund. Anyone keen to help should contact Andy Griffee at andy.griffee@live.co.uk or on 01299-896430

#### **TOUGH CHARITY FUN RAISING**

*Teme Triangle* guest editor Louise Hutton, daughter Lily and son Oliver competed at Blenheim Palace in a gruelling series of events last month, along with their friends Emma, Oliver, Sebastian and Edward Reed-Daunter, raising money for the Leukaemia and Lymphoma Research charity.

The children all took part in the duathlon (run, bike, run) with varying distances depending on their ages. They all did brilliantly, despite the awful muddy ground conditions, with Edward actually winning the seven-year-old group.



Whilst the husbands did a sterling job looking after the five children, five bikes and a dog, Louise and Emma competed in the sprint triathlon - a first for both of them. This consisted of a 750m swim in the lake, 19.8km cycle and 5.7km run. Both completed the triathlon within their set timescales, and even though at the time it was hard, they wouldn't say 'never again'!

"It was a fantastic event and extremely well organised, with 7,000 competitors and 14,000 spectators over the two days," said Louise afterwards. "A great family day out".

They have managed to raise so far (and still counting!) over £800 for Leukaemia and Lymphoma Research - beating blood cancers'. Thanks to everyone who donated.

# HAVE YOU COMPLETED YOUR QUESTIONNAIRE?

Nearly 100 Clifton households have now completed their Neighbourhood Plan questionnaires, distributed to every residence in the parish last month.

Helen Winer, Chair of the Clifton Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group, said: "There is still time for any Clifton residents who have not yet completed a questionnaire to do so and hand it to any member of the group. It is vital that we get as many people as possible to contribute to the survey."



Clifton-upon-Teme Neighbourhood Development Plan 2014 Questionnaire



### **NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH ALERT!**

The Crump family at Church House Farm in Clifton were dismayed to find that produce was being taken from the stall at the end of their drive and not being paid for. If it continued, they said, they would have cease relying on the honesty of their customers.

But the mystery of the missing money was solved when they found a blue-tit nesting inside the money box. For several days the Crumps found coins scattered around the vegetable stall and in the road.

"We reckon the mother bird was tossing the coins out of the box to make way for her nest," said Bob Crump. The money box has now been sealed up and the birds nest moved to a new box made by Bob's daughter, Alice.

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# RURAL REELS EXTRA SCREENING IN CLIFTON

Following the success of the screening of *Jean de Florette* last month, the critically acclaimed sequel, *Manon des Sources* (PG), is being shown as a special extra feature film at the Village Hall cinema on Saturday 14th July. A beautiful but shy shepherdess plots vengeance on the men whose greedy conspiracy to acquire her her father's land caused his death years earlier.

Doors open at 6.45pm, tickets cost is £5 and parking is free!



The Clifton W.I. are planning a Great Clifton Bake Off which will be held on1st November 2014 at the Village Hall (the last Saturday of the autumn half term). There will be something for everyone – adults and children. Classes are likely to include, Cupcakes, Victoria Sandwich, Bread, Decorated Bought Cake, and much more. Keep your eye open for more information in *Teme Triangle* and notice boards, further details will be available soon.

If you would like to join us or just come and see what we get up to why not come along to the Clifton Village Hall, 2nd Tuesday in the month at 7.30pm. Our July meeting will be on 8th July 2014 and our speaker is Karen Van Hoff whose subject is *A Knitted Necklace, a Hat and a Tiara*.



For further information please contact Penny Bowden 01886 812579

#### **CLIFTON PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Clifton Parish Council meetings take place at 7.30pm on the first Thursday of each month in the village hall. Members of the public are welcome to attend and there is usually an opportunity to speak.



#### LOWER SAPEY NEWS

Thank you to everyone who responded to our appeal in June for helpers for our churchyard clear-up. This summer we have decided to make it a regular clear-up on each second Wednesday of the month. So helpers know when it's all happening well in advance, and will be able to join in again.

On Sunday 3rd August at 3pm our **First World War Lower Sapey Exhibition** will open in St Bartholomew's Church with tea and cakes and appropriate music. We owe a big thank-you to Chris Hurley, chairman of Clifton Primary School Board of Governors, who has kindly lent us some exhibition boards for use during the exhibition. Please come along and join us!

We shall be hosting another **Big Breakfast at St Bartholomew's Church** on Saturday 20th September at 10am. There will be (in addition to the Full English Breakfast) a raffle and a spectacular treasure hunt for the children and the Young at Heart! Tickets can be found with Candy Connolly on 01886 853 248 cconnolly111@gmail.com

The First World War exhibition will still be 'live' in the church at this time. We hope to see lots of friends from the parishes for a great end of the summer celebration!

<u>Church Cleaning</u> for July will be taken care of by Bettie Nicholls, and for August Barbara Raybould will take over.

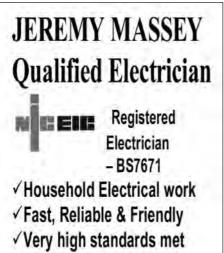
<u>Church flowers</u> – Dot Millward will see to flowers for 6th and 13th July followed by Pat Savage for the 20th and 27th July.

For August it will be Doreen MacLean for 3rd and 10th and Joan Holloway for17th and 24th August.

Ladies Bible Study group will be having their summer outing in July, then in August will meet on Tuesday 12th August with Marion West at 2pm as usual.

Let's hope for some lovely summer weather as the school holidays approach!

Marion West



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#### **Bishop's Certificate**

I look forward to Fridays. I always enjoy adult discussion groups, and this one is particularly good for its variety of opinions and



expertise, its open-mindedness and the degree of mutual affection that has grown over the months.

It's a course that has introduced us all (including me) to new angles, new thoughts, and it has revealed in us some of the depths of experience that we hardly knew were there.

Why did I take the Bishop's Certificate course? I don't know. I just felt it was something I should do! It has been informative, encouraging, and challenging – intellectually spiritually and emotionally. Hearing and sharing with people from a wide range of the community with such varied and interesting experiences and knowledge has been very rewarding, adding a special depth of thinking to the material we have studied.

I decided to undertake the Bishop's Certificate when I retired from full time teaching and had the time to do something I wanted to do. I hoped it would give me the opportunity to learn more about Christian faith and practice. My objectives have been achieved (although at times I am still totally confused) discussions are lively and interesting which could be challenging on a Friday evening, in the depth of winter. The group is very diverse but very caring and friendly; we are from different backgrounds, occupations and a variety of church traditions which all helps to enrich the experience.

Having been brought up by atheists I have a lot to learn about Christianity – I was Christened with my son 12 years ago – so thought this would be a great opportunity to learn more and meet other Christians in my community. I've enjoyed it so much that I have signed up for the Authorised Lay Ministry starting in September of this year.

A very inspirational, thought-provoking and uplifting evening is had on Friday evenings at The Church of England's Bishop's Certificate course held in Clifton.

The course guides us in discovering more about the Bible and the history of Christianity and is greatly enhanced by the wealth of experience and views held by the participants. The only problem is that there is never enough time for everyone to have their say! A really enjoyable evening.

There is always so much work to do in the one and a half hours that we need to work on some of the material after the session. However the contribution made by our guide Rev John both from the point of view of his knowledge and experience is excellent and the discussion with all group members is an added bonus. It is obviously better to study the scriptures within a group than by yourself.

I was attending the Bishop's Certificate Course with the aim to gain a more profound knowledge about our Holy Book. My education was certainly the driving force and I did progress, but to my surprise, not only academically – thanks to John's accommodating, interesting and tolerant approach.

The Bishop's Certificate Course, despite its name, when led by John, is a very interesting broad look at Christian traditions. Initially the Old Testament was outlandish but sharing that with so many free thinking people and understanding the roots of Jewish and Muslim religions has been enlightening. The context for the Jesus message of love shows he was radical. We are all in the zone.

When I decided that I would take part in the Bishop's Certificate Course I was looking forward to what? A quiet few hours on a Friday evening listening to John tell us about the Bible. Perhaps I would be able to contribute if asked – not certain! What a revelation! We are the ones telling each other about how we feel about certain aspects of the Bible and how we interpret them. No-one has the same interpretation bit they are all relevant and meaningful, the group discussions are very in depth and everyone respects everyone's point of view. In the end you find yourself thinking 'You know that is something I never thought about but it is true!

The Bible and its message is at once simplified but then you realise the more you understand the less you know. I would certainly say to anyone thinking about taking part in this course - go on - it will change your life, well not quite but it certainly makes you think

The above are comments from the group to convey what we have been doing and learning. We had a Seder meal led by Baron – a Jewish leader from Birmingham which was fascinating. But in a way my observations are that we have all progressed spiritually throughout the year – Thank you John for leadings us and Alice for allowing us to trample on her bulbs.

#### Can we maintain our pattern of services?

The good news is that the number of people being ordained to the church's ministry is rising again. But the not so good news is that it needs to rise much more to cope with the number of retirements.

In the next ten years, 40% of Church of England clergy will reach retirement age. That means a huge drop in numbers. Of course, retired clergy do continue to help out here and there. But as they grow older they have to do less and less and many of our old friends are no longer able to help much here in Clifton, Lower Sapey and The Shelsleys.

This means that from time to time we find it impossible to obtain a priest to take a Communion Service. There will of course be some sort of service instead, because Lay people are very willing to help. In the case of Clifton, the Church Council has laid plans for such an eventuality and agreed that if there cannot be a Communion at 10am, it will be a Modern Language Morning Prayer.

In September two of our church members (one from Clifton and one from The Shelsleys) will start the Authorised Lay Minister training course and we look forward to them helping with services in the future.

#### Pushchair Praise

Pushchair Praise continues happily on every 1st Monday of the month in St Kenelm's Church at 10 for 10.30 for refreshments and welcome and at 10.30 Clifton Nursery School come and join us for a short time of singing, story and candle lighting (the highlight!) for a simple prayer.

Pushchair Praise is suitable for all children under school age – yes the babies love it too, and older siblings are very welcome during the holidays. Dates coming up are Monday 7th July, Monday 4th August and Monday 1st September.

#### Pet Service

Our annual Pet Service is the highlight of the summer. This year it will be on August 17th (our Family Service Sunday). So come along with your pets (and any other livestock!) to be blessed. Anything welcome from an elephant to a stick insect.

#### OLD ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH ANNUAL SERVICE

The Annual Service of Celebration and Thanksgiving for the life of Old St. Bartholomew's Church, Hope Lane, Lower Sapey, WR6 6HE will take place on <u>Bank Holiday Sunday</u>, <u>24th Augus</u>t at 3pm. The service will be conducted by the ex-Bishop of Manchester and honorary assistant Bishop of Worcester, the Rt. Rev. Christopher Mayfield.

As usual, do please bring a picnic chair to sit on during the service ((further chairs will be available for those who don't have one) and a picnic for after the Service. Toilet facilities are available.

Pat Prosser says: "In previous years we have had quite a medley of people taking the service including Church of England, Methodist, Church of Scotland, Roman Catholic and Jewish. This year we return to the C of E with Bishop Christopher and this is much looked forward to, as his reputation for being rather jolly precedes him! I look forward, as usual, to welcoming you all to the Old Church's special day.

Any queries, call Pat Prosser on 01886 853244 Email: patprosser@ hotmail.co.uk

#### CHRISTIAN AID WEEK TOTAL

Donations and fund-raising events in Clifton during Christian Aid week in May raised a total of £1,415.61.

Marion Dipple said special thanks were due to all collectors, supporters and helpers for the fantastic team efforts around Christian Aid week this year. "We raised a spectacular total towards the fight against the crippling effects of poverty".

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#### **CLIFTON PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES**

**JUNE:** Draft abbreviated minutes of Clifton upon Teme Parish Council Meeting held on 5th June.

Present: Cllr B Pound (Chairman), Cllr C Balch, Cllr B Bradley, Cllr R Crump, Cllr M Newman, Cllr N Parkinson, Cllr R. Crump and Cllr H Winer. Also in Attendance: County Councillor K Pollock, Mrs J Dale (Clerk) and 8 members of the public.

<u>Public Time</u>: A request was made for a sign to be placed on the village green for the Great Witley Country Fair – agreed.

The Primary School would like to hold their sports on the playing field. Clerk to contact school.

<u>Minutes:</u> The minutes of the meeting held on May 1st and the Annual Parish meeting held on 15th May were approved and signed accordingly.

<u>County Councillor Report</u>: Cllr Pollock reported that the bus review would be considered at the Cabinet Meeting to be held next week. He said that the 308/310 should remain at similar level of some service with some timetable changes. Public realm work in Tenbury would commence in Autumn. Highways money would be used for repair of footways in the Village and some work in Saxon Close. Re the purchase of a jetter he felt unable to donate money from his Divisional Fund. Cllr Pollock said he had written to MHDC about the proposed planning application concerning Blueshot Meadow.

<u>District Councillor Report</u>: A short email was read stating that a decision notice has not yet been issued with regard to Church House Farm planning application. <u>Planning</u>:

14/00524/FUL – Agricultural building, Church Road – application supported

14/00498/HOU – Otheridge House – APPLICATION APPROVED

14/00093/HOU - 5 Old Road - APPLICATION APPROVED

Correspondence:

WCALC – Training "Effective meetings and chairmanship" Cllr Pound and clerk to attend.

COT Primary School – letter of thanks – noted

WCC Road Closure Old Road to facilitate drainage works – noted

WCC – Road Closure Ham Bridge to C2026 – noted

Signage Village Green:

Letter had been received from Lion Inn requesting permission for signage on village green for monthly quiz evenings – request agreed.

Email request from Scrummy Stuff for monthly signage for Farmers Markets. It was agreed that one sign could be placed near the Horse Chestnut Tree but not on the central green.

Progress Reports:

Hollands Mill – Report received from MHDC stating this is the landowner's responsibility.

Hollybush Lane Landslip. Cllr Crump had met with the landowner and some work will be carried out.

Website – Ongoing – meeting to be arranged

Dog fouling on playing field - Additional signage will be placed on the playing fields.

Outstanding Dispensations – WCALC has responded that dispensations continue until they reach expiration date

Ham Bridge visibility. Cllr Bradley reported that he had met with the landowner who has agreed for some work to be carried out.

<u>Finance</u> Payments as circulated on schedule were agreed and cheques signed accordingly. The internal auditors report was read and noted. Section 1 of the Annual Return was signed as appropriate. The Annual Governance Statement was completed and signed accordingly.

<u>Shared Jetter:</u> In light of Cllr Pollock's decision not to assist with funding there is a deficit of  $\pounds750$  for the purchase. Cllr Balch suggested that all parishes involved should split the cost evenly. Cllr Pound proposed, seconded by Cllr Balch that we proceed with a maximum spend of  $\pounds500$ .

<u>Rural Rate Relief</u>: Application received from the Village Stores for additional rural rate relief. Council unanimously support Option A – the business is of benefit to the local community and a contribution of  $\pounds$ 75.31 will be made from parish funds.

<u>Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group:</u> Cllr Winer gave a brief report on the last meeting of the NP Steering Group. Minutes available on website and notice board.

Lengthsman's duties: Usual duties. Erect additional dog fouling signs.

Councillors' Reports:

Cllr Crump reported that the trees on the green appeared to require trimming. To be included in July agenda.

Cllr Bradley had received a request from Worc Ramblers to use the Car park on 27 July – response dependent on Bowls Club match.

Cllr Newman reported fly tipping (already reported to WCC).

Cllr Winer showed a newletter issued by Upper Arley PC for future consideration.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held on Thursday 3rd July at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.



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#### THE SHELSLEY'S EDUCATIONAL CHARITY

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The Trustees will be meeting in August to consider making grants to eligible pupils or students. These are those either attending primary school for the first time or those starting secondary school/college/ or university in autumn 2012.

Applications for grants should be made as soon as possible in writing and before the end of the summer term. All enquiries and applications should be addressed to The Clerk to the Trustees: Mrs B Francis, Westmill Cottage, Shelsley Walsh, WR6 6RR, Tel 01886812696, email: bridgetf@martley,org

#### **CLIFTON SCOUTS - BELLS AND BOATS**

Clifton upon Teme Scouts Troop has been out in Worcestershire in the past few months, trying new activities and taking part in competitions. After a plea in Teme Triangle for bell ringers for Shelsley Beauchamp Church, Jason very kindly offered to take the scouts for an evening's tuition on how to bell ring (ulterior motive that they may be interested enough to join the group!). Bell ringers from Tenbury came to help and there was even a visit to the bell tower to see and hear how it all works. The scouts had a great evening, Jason, James and colleagues were really patient and informative and you never know... there may be a few Clifton scouts ringing bells in the future!



The troop has also been involved with Fladbury paddle club and was invited to take part in an inter clubs regatta. It was a glorious Saturday morning and we had great fun taking part in the 100m sprints and actually came away with the winning trophy, so well done to all those who took part.

For Scout Community Week last month we decided to help tidy the church graveyard and plant some shrubs and bedding plants. The scouts had great fun, mowing, strimming, weeding, planting and making a positive difference to the appearance of the church! There is still more to be done and hopefully later on in the year or early next year the whole village can have a Community Day to sort the Remembrance Garden which will be of benefit to all.

#### STANFORD HISTORY GROUP

The Stanford History Group will again be meeting at Stanford Bridge Village Hall at 7.30pm on Monday evenings this coming autumn (It all began 15 years ago as a University of Birmingham Outreach programme). We meet for ten sessions from the end of September to early December.

This autumn the course subject, chosen by last year's participants, will be *SUPERPOWERS: From Greece to China: their rise and fall.* 

The lecturers come from either the University of Birmingham or the University of Worcester and will deliver an overview of the social, economic and other factors that led to the rise, the dominance and ultimately the fall of the SUPERPOWERS selected for consideration. Starting with Greece, Egypt and Rome we then move on to GB, USSR, USA, and China ancient and modern.

29th September	A Short History of Ancient Greece Marsia Bealby, University of Birmingham
6th October	A Short History of Ancient Egypt Marsia Bealby, University of Birmingham
13th October	The Fall of the Roman Empire: Internal or External Push?
20th October	Varick Harrison, University of Birmingham <i>The Rise of Great Britain: 1688-1815</i> Paddy McNally, University of Worcester
27th October	The Evolution of the British Empire: 1815-1960 TBA
3rd November	The Rise and Fall of the Society Union Ioannis Stamos, University of Birmingham
10th November	Colonists to Colonisers: USA 1776-1918 Pauline Annis, University of Worcester
17th November	USA: The Rise of a Hyperpower and Prospects in the 21st Century
24th November	Steve Hewitt, University of Birmingham China's Golden Age: The Tang Dynasty Elizabeth Watson, University of Worcester
1st December	Aspects of the Rise of Modern China John Nixon, University of Worcester
8th December	Common Themes Discussion Evening

The full course costs £75 or £10 for each individual lecture, payable on the door.

Contact: Simon Marriott 01886 853412 simon@adamswoodfarm.co.uk

#### TEME VALLEY WILDLIFE by Pete Thorp

July is the first month that I have had the task of writing the Teme Valley Wildlife Group contribution for this magazine. I am sure that you will notice a change in voice, but I hope to continue the informative, but relaxed, style of my predecessor, Danny Arnold.

I am the secretary of the group, which now has 80 paid-up members (at £2 per year, it's a bargain!) and over 250 people to whom we send regular news via email. If you want to find out a little more about what we do, please come to the exhibition space upstairs in Tenbury Library, during the month of July, where we will be putting on a display. There will also be the opportunity for budding (and experienced!) photographers to enter a photographic competition that we will be running. The theme will be "The Teme Valley". So get those cameras ready! Entries need to be in by the end of July, details in the library.

Well summer is here, and I'm sure everyone is enjoying, not to mention being busy in, their gardens. A favourite climber for arches and pergolas is the honeysuckle. The flowers range in colour from pale yellow, through orange, to red. There is even a winter-flowering form, which, like its fellows, is highly scented. Despite the merits of garden honeysuckles, our own native wild honeysuckle cannot be surpassed. Its beauty and sweet perfume enhance our woods and hedgerows and it is certainly one of the best loved of all British wild flowers.

The old name woodbine describes its twining habit as it climbs from the ground. This characteristic annoys foresters because it distorts the growth of tree shoots, causing a spiral indentation in the wood. However walking stick makers prize it. They use it to make "barley stalk" walking sticks, apparently popular with music hall performers of old!

The scent of honeysuckle becomes stronger in the evening and in the right conditions can float on the air for some 2-300 yards. The plant is pollinated by night-flying moths, and their sense of smell is far superior to ours. A moth can detect the scent from a quarter of a mile away. The elephant hawk moth, bee hawk moth and humming bird hawk moth are all attracted to it. The latter is a summer visitor which hovers over flowers like a tiny humming bird. The flowers of honeysuckle are long and tubular so the moths' tongues need to be long enough to reach the nectar, in fact they are 1 5/8 " long –not bad for an insect!

Other animals benefit from the honeysuckle too. In autumn its bright red berries feed birds and mammals, building up their reserves before the winter. Another creature to find honeysuckle useful is the dormouse. This nocturnal animal makes nests like round balls to slumber in the middle of. The nests are constructed of long thin woven strips of honeysuckle bark. The beautiful and elusive dormouse is alive and well in the lovely dingle valleys of the River Teme. How lucky we are to have them here.

The next indoor meeting of the Teme Valley Wildlife Group is on Thursday July 10th when we welcome Dr Peter Boardman talking on craneflies. The meeting is at Rochford Village Hall 7:30pm and as always it is just £2 on the door where everybody is most welcome.

For up-to-date information on what wildlife is being seen in the area, or to give us your sightings, visit us at www.temevalleywildlife.com The Wildlife Group normally holds a meeting on the second Thursday of the month. All are very welcome. Tel. 01584 781500 or email dannyarnold@waterwide.com

#### ROCK WALKS FOR JULY

The Rock Pathfinders walks in July will take place on Thursdays starting at 7pm.

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5th	Saturday		3.00pm Messy Church		
6th	<b>July</b> 3rd. after Trinity	10.30 am Morning Prayer Rev. John Sumner	8.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner 10.00 am Morning Prayer Pat Snelling	11am Valley Praise Jane Roberts	
7th	Monday		10.30 am Pushchair Praise		
13th	4th. after Trinity	10.30 am Methodist Service	10.00 am Holy Communion Rev. Adrian Graesser		6.30 pm Evening Prayer Brian Elvins
17th	Wednesday		7.30 pm Time for TIME OUT		
20th	5th. after Trinity	1 <b>0.30 am</b> Holy Communion Rev. Adrian Graesser	8.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner 10.00 am Family Service <b>And Baptism</b> Rev. John Sumner	11.00 am Celtic-style Service Pat Snelling	
27th	6th. after Trinity	10.30 am Fourth Sunday Circle Service Pat Snelling	10.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner 6.30pm Evening Prayer Pat Snelling		8.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner

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3rd	<b>August</b> 7th. after Trinity	10.30 am Morning Prayer Pat Snelling	8.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner 10.00 am Morning Prayer Rev. John Sumner	No Service				
10th	8th. after Trinity	10.30 am Methodist Service	10.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner		6.30 pm Evening Prayer Rev. John Sumner			
17th	9th. after Trinity	<b>10.30 am</b> Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner	8.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner 10.00 am Family Service Thanksgiving for Animals Pat Snelling	11.00 am Celtic-style Service	8.15 am Service for MAC Pat Snelling			
21st	Wednesday		7.30 pm Time for TIME OUT					
24th	10th. after Trinity	3.00 pm Sapey Old Church Annual Service followed by a picnic Bp Christopher Mayfield	10.00 am Holy Communion Rev. Robin Walter		8.00 am Rev. Robin Walter			
31st	11th after Trinity	<b>United</b> Pat Snelling	Benefice	Service	At Harpley			
7th	<b>September</b> 13th. after Trnity	10.30 am Morning Prayer Rev. John Sumner	8.00 am Holy Communion Rev. John Sumner 10.00 am Morning Prayer Pat Snelling	11.00 am Valley Praise Alice Sumner				
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