BRAMSHALL NEWS



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December deadline is Sunday 25th November 2018



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AFTERNOON TEA 3rd November - cancelled

Unfortunately, this has been cancelled as not enough helpers came forward; thank you to those who did offer. The intention was to encourage more collaboration from the whole village, setting up, preparing & serving food, even youngsters could have helped decorating the hall. This could have proved a wonderful way for the community to mark the centenary of the end of WWI. Never mind we hope you will attend the planned Singalong to commemorate this important time – details on page 3

If you feel we are not 'ticking the boxes' as far as you are concerned re entertainment / events in the Parish Hall please remember that everyone in the village – young or old – has the right to put their ideas forward. In fact it would be good to know how to broaden the appeal of the parish hall as a popular community venue. The hall is run by parishioners so come on take an interest in the village and let's do things as a community





Congratulations to George & Kath Brookes on the occasion of their Diamond Wedding Anniversary. A surprise party was organised by their family in the Parish Hall which was enjoyed by so many.

SINGALONG CONCERT Saturday 10th November 7.30pm in church.

Please do not be put off by the venue – the church will be warm and there are comfy seats – so do put in your diaries and come along. Garry, Clive and John have put together a lovely programme of period songs, so do come and join us. No charge being made but donations always welcome if you enjoy it!! STAMPS / COMPUTER PRINT CARTRIDGES / MAGAZINES Thank you for your support – do please continue to bring along into church the above items – the relevant containers are situated at the back of church which is open every Saturday and Sunday (or drop off at 9 Overcroft - whichever is better for you).

Recycling does help us and the wider community

Thank you to Amanda O'Dwyer and her daughter Lily for distributing our news sheet in her area. Helping out when our regular helper is unwell is much appreciated. Thank you.



LIVE & LOCAL - Saturday 17th November (see front cover)

The FB Pocket Orchestra will be performing 'In Concert' at the Parish Hall. As usual, doors open **7pm for 7.30pm**, the show takes place in relaxed café style – so bring drinks and nibbles as required. Tickets obtainable from the box office (565228) are priced at f10

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The FB Pocket Orchestra takes its listeners back to the hot jazz, blues, ragtime & popular dances of the 1920/30s & earlier. They are without a doubt one of the best jazz bands working the

circuit today and having been applying their trade since they formed back in 2012 they have had years to turn themselves into the well-oiled music machine that they now are. So it's time to come along and get yourselves ready for a 1920s style night on the town.





BRAMSHALL AND DISTRICT GARDENING CLUB

The first meeting of the new season was a real revelation. Diane Clement presented some magnificent slides (all fully labelled with Latin plant names!) and she spoke about how to achieve a colourful garden during every month of the year. Her garden is not large and is north facing on a busy road in Wolverhampton but she has produced a garden which has colour and interest from January to December. She has carefully arranged the plants so that, as one set die off, another set spring up and replace them, thus maximising garden space and reducing the amount of work required.

The most difficult time of year to prevent the garden looking dead is winter but she had found that the plants to use to brighten the garden for this season are *Cyclamen Coum*, *Hellebore*, Winter aconite, Witch-Hazel and various species of Snowdrop. Many of her plants were unusual, such as the *Trillium*, *Erythronium* (Dog's Tooth Violet), Arbutus (Strawberry Tree), various Orchids (obtained from specialist nurseries) and *Meconopsis* (Blue Himalayan Poppy). One would not have thought that they could be grown in a garden in the Midlands but her photographs showed that they were well established and flourishing. The evening was an inspiration to us all!

The November meeting of the new season will be at Bramshall Parish Hall on Monday 26th November at 7:30pm when local Environmental Scientist Michael Swales will give a well-informed and useful talk on Invasive Species and possible ways of dealing with them.

Please put this date in your diary and don't forget - Gardening Club members can claim a 10% discount at the Strawberry Garden Centre on purchases above £10 (excluding discounted items) – just present a 2018-19 Membership Card.

Clive Tuck.

Extra help is always welcome in order to keep Bramshall tidy.

Church News

The Uttoxeter Area of Parishes Parish Church of St. Lawrence Bramshall Vicar Revd John Lander revjsl@aol.com 565228

Services for November 2018

4th November	11.00am	Holy Communion
11th November	8.00am 10.55am	Holy Communion (BCP) Morning Prayer (BCP) Remembrance Sunday
18th November	11.00am	Holy Communion
25th November	11.00am	Family Communion (followed by refreshments)

Sidespersons Rota:	Cleaning Rota (for the Sunday stated)		
4th Mrs M Jones	4th Mrs SA Lander		
11th Mrs SA Lander	11th Mrs J Corbishley		
18th Mrs B Kinch	18th Mrs L Corbishley		
25th Mrs A Harris	25th Mrs M Jones		

Flowers: Mrs P Chesters & Mrs G Lovatt Refreshments: Mrs SA Lander & Mrs P Chesters

Harvest

Our Harvest service followed by our lunch in the Parish Hall was well supported and thanks to Anne Harris and Lily Corbishley for organizing and carrying out the cooking together with Lucy Ewing who kindly offered to cook the roast beef and carve it!!

We raised £200 and this has gone to Water Aid. The village harvest contributions of groceries were taken down to the Food Bank in town and many thanks to all who donated items.

From The Registers Baptism:

Sunday 7th October

Louis Matthew YOUNG



Louis with dad Matthew and mum Amelie.

BEST KEPT CHURCHYARD COMPETITION

We have recently found out that we have been awarded SILVER this year which is excellent considering all the building works earlier in the year. A big thank you to everyone who helps us keep it so nice.....you know who you are – we do appreciate the help, THANK YOU

100 Club Winners - September

1^{st}	Evelyn Blurton	No 20	£30
2^{nd}	Sue Cutts	No 38	£25
3 rd	Stephanie Searle	No 51	£20
4^{th}	Dave Leadbetter	No 41	£15
5^{th}	Joan Martin	No 54	£10

PCC Meeting – Monday 12th November 7pm in Church

CRAFT FAIR 30th November Kingstone

The Kingstone School Association will be holding their annual Christmas Craft Fair on Friday 30th November at the Kingstone Village hall.

The event will run from 8:30 am until 11:15am. This year we are raising funds for outdoor resources for the Early years classes within the school. We have an excellent selection of stalls selling everything from handmade wooden crafts, Christmas cards, chutneys, soaps and bath bombs, artwork, scarves, Tropic skincare and even local children's author Jenny Norman selling and signing copies of her new book. As always we will have a fabulous selection of homemade cakes and hot drinks. and a selection of great raffle prizes and our popular bottle tombola.

This year the children will also be making and selling on their own stall, so please come along and support our event.

For further information on the event please contact Louisa: <u>louisarbailey@gmail.com</u>

RECIPE

Spaghetti carbonara

1/2 lb (225g) spaghetti, 11/2 tbsp olive oil, 40z streaky bacon chopped into small pieces

2 large eggs,

11/2 tbsp grated Parmesan cheese, salt & freshly milled black pepper, extra Parmesan cheese for serving.

Place the pasta in a large pan of boiling water and add half a tablespoon of oil to the water. Cook the pasta to your liking. Add the remaining oil to a saucepan and fry the chopped bacon until cooked. Whisk the eggs in a bowl and add pepper and 1tbsp of parmesan cheese. Drain the pasta and return to a hot pan (not on heat). Stir in the beaten eggs, bacon and the oil the bacon was cooked in. Stir so that the pasta is coated with the egg and bacon mixture.

Heat slowly until the egg mixture turns slightly granular and serve onto hot plates with lots of grated parmesan cheese.

I must add that I do add to the bacon mixture some freshly crushed garlic and also a couple of spoons of fresh cream to the egg mixture.

I hope you enjoy. Penny Gilpin



President Sue Davies and members of the Inner wheel Club of uttoxeter invite you to join them for a

Once upon a Time...

AnEvening of Flower Arranging with the acclaimed NAFAS Admonstrator

Lorraine Simcox

Friday 9th November, 7pm Branshall Village Hall STI4 5DE Tickets E12 to include

Punch -(alcoholic 5 non- alcoholic) and canapés.

Raffle prizes will be the amazing

flower arrangements.

All Profits mainly to local charities and also other inner wheel Charities should the need arise.

For tickets please fill in the form below and return to Mrs S. Herbert, Footpath House, Bramshall, Uttoxeter ST14 59G as soon as convenient and by the 5th November at the latest Thank you.

Tel. No

Name:

Address

Please send me tickets at £12 each.

I enclose a cheque for £ made payable to The Inner Wheel Club of Uttoxeter. Please state any dietary requirements

OR Telephone 01889 563469

Sally Herberth

Bramshall News is available to read on the Bramshall Parish website www.bramshallparish.org.uk

This is your Bramshall News be part of it.

Send your news, photographs, special celebrations, "Lost & Found" If it is happening in the village, please share it. bramshallnews@gmail.com

RECYCLE YOUR OLD MAGAZINES If you buy magazines would you consider allowing others to read them? At the back of church we have magazines and periodicals available for others to benefit from reading them, and any donations you may have would be much appreciated. Church is open at weekends so just pop in and choose a magazine (you may be visiting someone in a hospital or know someone who is poorly at home who may appreciate a nice magazine to read.) Fun, friendly fitness classes suitable for all fitness levels Sarah Lovatt Fitness <u>Sair.lovatt@gmail.com</u> 07817 323095



BRAMSHALL QUILT AND CRAFT CLUB The next meeting - Thursday 8th November at Bramshall Parish Hall 10am to 12.30pm. £5 inc. tea & coffee.



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We look forward to hearing from you.

Diary Dates

Church of St. Lawrence See page 6 Church Services and Events for full details 10am -NCT Bumps, Babies Mondays Parish Hall & Toddlers Group 12pm Vicky Smith 6.00pm -Sair Lovatt Dance Aerobics Parish Hall Mondays 7.00pm 07817323095 David Trenery U3A Philosophy Tuesdays 10am-12pm Parish Hall 566865 U3A Tuesdays 2pm - 4pm Parish Hall Keith Lowson **Country Dancing** 564427 Bramshall Parish Hall Tuesdays 7.30pm Harold or Sylvia **Bowling Club** 567763 Bramshall Art Group Wednesdays 9.30am -Parish Hall Anne Harris 12pm 566006 5.45-6.40pm Jayne Yoga Wednesdays & 6-45pm -Parish Hall 07765769979 7.45pm 6.00pm-Sair Lovatt **Circuit Training** Thursdays Parish Hall 07817323095 6.45pm Fitness Class Fridays 10 - 11am Parish Hall Barrie Tavlor 01543 418242

Events this month							
Singalong	Saturday 10th November	7.30pm	Church	John Lander 565228			
Autumn Fayre	Saturday 17th November	2 - 4pm	Parish Hall				
The FB Pocket Orchestra	Saturday 17th November	7 for 7.30pm	Parish Hall	John Lander 565228			