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**JUNE/JULY SERVICES**

Please refer to the back page of the Parish Magazine for times. The church notice board has a guide.

**CHURCH AGM**

The Annual Meeting of the church was held on 31<sup>st</sup> March. Jack Deacon and Gwen England were elected Church Wardens. Gwen took the place of Dick Randell after many years' service and he will continue to be on the PCC.

The Rector reported on the year's life of the church and thanked the PCC and organists for their local support. He also thanked the bellringers, flower arrangers and cleaners for the care of St Peter and St Paul.

**SCALDWELL CHARITY**

The next meeting of the trustees of the Scaldwell Charity will be held on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June 1998. This charity is primarily for the promotion of education in Scaldwell. Applications are invited.

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**VILLAGE DIRECTORY CHANGES**

**Scaldwell PCC** - Delete Dick Randell and enter Gwen England, both Church Wardens.

**PARISH COUNCIL**
**MAGGIE ANGELOGLOU**

We are at the end of another year as far as the Parish Council is concerned. At a meeting of the council on 5<sup>th</sup> May, councillors were elected for the coming year. Maggie Angeloglou was re-elected as Chairman with Kath Frankland as Deputy. Officers were appointed to attend other meetings in the village and to represent the Parish Council on various charities. These remain unchanged except for the Sports Club for which Jan Adams will be council representative.

Other matters discussed at this meeting included a memo about planning permission in Peter's Lane where two house owners are seeking to extend their properties while other building work is being done. At a site meeting it was felt that the project at Century House would not be refused as the immediate neighbours had no problems with the plans, except that the shower room must have frosted glass as it overlooks an adjoining driveway; Lane End Lodge was already the subject of a possible refusal owing to neighbours' qualms about their privacy and was, therefore, left to the discretion of DDC.

Six weeks ago three builders were approached about re-roofing the bus shelter. Nick Patchesa was asked to do the work as he submitted the lower tender and the roof has now been done. We hope the damage caused by footballers will not be repeated. Vandals are noticed and if any other damage is done we will have to ask the people who cause the damage to pay for the repairs.

Nick Patchesa has been mowing the grass in the village voluntarily for at least twelve years, but our ancient mower keeps breaking down and, although Nick has kept it going by repairing it himself, we have now reached the stage when it is an increasing problem. The council feels the time has come to use a

contractor to cut the grass in the village. It's a bigger burden than in most villages as we have wide verges, several sections of green and, of course, the playing field. Fortunately our Parish Clerk, Stan Turner, also works for several other neighbouring villages so he has been able to do a deal with Blades of Cranford who will cut both the playing field and the green every three weeks and who will do the verges four times over the growing season. Inevitably, the grass on the green will be rather more ragged. We have been at an extreme advantage in having Nick's generously-given labour all these years. THANK YOU NICK!

The annual parish 'open' meeting on 20<sup>th</sup> May will probably miss this newsletter. Those of you who read this column will know what has happened in the Parish Council over the past year. We still have no further information on the Cherry Hill depot. The new county structure plan encourages building in other village areas. The conservation area has been confirmed in the form in which it was projected.

#### ART GROUP

##### SARAH KENDRICK

We meet on Wednesday at 7.00 pm - 9.00 pm in the village hall. Very informal group, all abilities welcome. If you are interested ring Sarah Kendrick on 881502.

#### SPORTS CLUB

##### CATHY MORGAN & SARAH JENKINSON

There has been a certain amount of controversy regarding the LTA levy for the Tennis Club. Members have now been notified that families wishing to play purely for enjoyment will only be charged £20.00 per annum. The additional levy now only applies to competitive players. We hope that everyone will continue to enjoy their tennis and support the club.

**The Murder Mystery evening** will take place in the village hall on 6<sup>th</sup> June. The price includes a chicken supper and it promises to be an entertaining evening. Do come along and join in, tickets are available from Sarah 882568 or Kathy 882214.

**Junior Coaching** is being arranged this year by Drew Allison on Saturday mornings. Please contact him (882836) to book a place.

Members are reminded that strawberries and cream will be served at the **American Tournament** on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June. Play starts at 11.00 am.

#### BOWLS CLUB

##### MIKE MONK

We have been under new management for almost a year now and, as Chairman, I am pleased to report that the club is just as it was before the change! Of the eleven matches arranged, one was cancelled, seven lost and (keeping the good news to the end) three won. The knockout tournament has produced some very good matches and, hopefully, the finals will be played towards the end of the month. It would be nice, however, to have a little new blood if only to reduce the high incidence of stress-related sports injuries (mainly injured pride) in our match season - so why not call down to the village hall on a Thursday evening? It's warm, relaxing and the beer is good - who knows - you could become a bowls addict like us!

#### KEEP FIT

##### CHRIS HURST & SARAH KENDRICK

Monday evening (apart from Bank holidays) in The aerobics class is still running every the village hall from 7.00 pm - 8.00 pm. Everybody welcome, £2.50 per session.

#### COUNTERPOINT

##### JANE MONK

Two concerts remain in our Jazz series:-

##### **Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May**

Clair Hirst (sax. And winds) with Bruce Boardman (piano and vocal) - Clair appeared with David Bowie and Live Aid to name but two! Promises to be a great night.

##### **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June**

A Gershwin evening featuring Patsy Mays (trombone) and Bruce Boardman (MUST NOT BE MISSED!)

Tickets available as usual from Jane or Margaret (882287) at £7.50.

**Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June**

Spratton Hall School present the Boulevard Singers and Gershwin Girls in a summer concert in aid of their forthcoming Dorset tour. Tickets, from Jané or Margaret, are £5.00.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**Found** One small purse along the High Street. Please contact 881502.

**Welcome to the village** are the Bacons at the Orchards, Old Road, the Stewarts at Paddock House, Old Road; also the Sharmans who have already lived in two houses in the village and we are happy that they are still here living in Sandstones, yes, also in Old Road!

**From Joanna and Walter Domhof**

We should like to thank you for the welcome extended to us in the April/May issue of the Scaldwell Newsletter on our impending move into Scaldwell. We would also like to offer our sincere apologies for the number of workmen who have been parking their vehicles all around 'Red Lion corner'. Far more work has had to be done than was originally anticipated and because the builder has been working to a deadline, he has had to draft in extra men to complete the work on time. Our particular thanks to our neighbours, Jonathan and Ingrid Calvert, Nigel and Alison Goodenough, John and Molly Wiggins, Barry and Beryl Johnson, Tony and Cilla Beck and Eddie Deacon and son for their patient understanding and indulgence, in what must have been a very aggravating two months. By the time this appears in print most of the work will have been completed (thank goodness!) and the situation should have resolved itself. We look forward to meeting everybody and joining in with village activities.

Sharp-eyed Scaldwellians will have noticed that Magnolia House has a new name: 'Old Red Lion House'.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES**

<b>June</b>	
6 <sup>TH</sup>	Murder Mystery Evening
10 <sup>TH</sup>	Scaldwell Charity Trustees' Meeting
28 <sup>TH</sup>	American Tennis Tournament

**LAST DATE FOR  
AUGUST/SEPTEMBER  
NEWSLETTER:  
20<sup>TH</sup> JULY 1998**