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ST PETER & ST PAUL CHURCH

Rev. Karen Jongman ☎ 781974

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June

1 st Family Service	9.45am
8 th Hannington – Holy Communion	8.30am
Walgrave – Family Service	9.45am
Old – Family Communion	11.00am
15 th Holy Communion	8.30am
22 nd Family Service	9.45am
29 th Evening Prayer	6.00pm

July

Please see Notice Board for times of services.

All Services are at Scaldwell unless otherwise stated.

CHRISTIAN AID

Many thanks to all who contributed to Christian Aid. We don't have a total at the moment but will give it in the next Newsletter.

PARISH COUNCIL

Chairman

Mrs. Pam Long, Orchard House, West End, Tel: 881940

Mr. Michael Alcock, The Poplars Farm,
Tel:881948

Mrs. Anne Coward, The Grange, High Street.
Tel:880255

Mr. Alisdair Tait, Stanmore House, School Lane,
Tel:881462

Mrs. Margaret Vinton, The Old House, East End,
Tel: 880359

Mr. David Watts, Scaldwell Manor, Old Road.
Tel:882222

Mr. Frank Wiig, 9 Pytchley Close, Brixworth,
Tel:880165

Enclosed with this newsletter is the Parish Council's Annual Report which includes contact details of the newly elected Parish Councillors. The Council wishes to thank those who stood for election and all those who voted. The turnout was a respectable 53%. The election results are on display on the notice board and Council website.

Dog fouling - the Parish Council has received several complaints about this recently. Please ensure you clear up after you dog and do not let your dog wander the village alone.

Playing Field Open Meeting - on Wednesday 23rd July at 7pm there will be an Open Meeting in the village hall to discuss what developments villagers would like to see on the playing field. Children and parents are particularly welcome to attend. A representative from Kompan (the company who installed the play area at Brixworth Country Park) will be attending to take questions and suggest ideas. Please come along to share your ideas.

Barn off Holcot Lane - the recent planning application to convert this into offices was refused by Daventry District Council.

Next meeting - the next statutory meeting of the Parish Council will take place on Wednesday 23rd July following the Open Meeting about the playing field.

**VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT
COMMITTEE**

The Annual General Meeting of the Village Hall Management Committee was held on Tuesday 20th May 2008. Members of the Committee

Elected Members

John Haynes
Dylan Lewis
Michael Lannie

Co-opted Member

Diana O'Neil

Representative Members.

Andy Griffiths Scaldwell Club
Alisdair Tait Parish Council
Sue Dodds-Smith Parochial Church Council
Michelle Wharton Mums and Toddlers Group
Russel Vann Art Club

SCALDWELL CHARITY

The next meeting of the Trustees will take place on Wednesday, 11th June. Application to Colin Telling, Helvellyn, Old Road.

KEEP FIT

SARAH KENDRICK

During the summer months we will be walking again and plan to meet on the green on Monday evenings at 6.45pm and walk for approximately an hour. If you feel like stretching those legs please join us.

SCALDWELL CLUB

The Annual General Meeting of the Scaldwell Club was held on Tuesday 20th May 2008. Members of the Committee are:-

Dave Farmer Chairman
John Harley Treasurer
Karen Pierie Secretary
Mike Monk
Tracy Denton
Haley Hersey
Jenny Lewis
Andy Griffiths
Barry Sheldon
Nev Risley

SCALDWELL SPORTS CLUB

Once again the tennis subs are due. They are still unchanged after 17th years! Please fill the enclosed form and return it to Richard Kendrick at the Old Rectory, High Street. If anyone is interested in taking over the committee and injecting new ideas and enthusiasm please let me know. At present

John Sharman and Richard Kendrick are the only people keeping it going. There are funds available and it is planned that the tennis courts are refurbished this season. I am sure sporty villagers, young and old, would appreciate it.

Richard Kendrick. Tel: 881502

MISCELLANEOUS

FAMILY FUN DAY

This will take place on Saturday, 28th June, from 4pm onwards on the playing field. Please feel free to bring along your BBQ's, drinks, instruments (if you fancy having a sing song!), picnic and anything else you can think of.

Everyone is welcome and we will be playing various games. If anyone can help with the following please let me know:-

- Rope for tug of war
- Rounders Bat (we will be using a soft ball though)
- Postman Sacks
- Ties for three legged race or just bring a scarf and a partner

..... and a sense of fun!

If anyone has any other ideas please let us know.

As with last year, if it rains it will be cancelled and we will try another day in the Summer..... so here's hoping.

If you think you would like to come along and join in the fun please let us know of 01604 882143.

Diana O'Neil

"The Rhyme of the Ancient Mariner"

An Exhibition of sculpture and scrimshaw by Olive Wootton will be showing at the Goldmark Gallery in Uppingham, Rutland. The private view is on Saturday 31st May. The Exhibition continues until 21st June.

For more information phone 01604 880491

Babysitter

Help! A few of us busy mums in the village are aways on the lookout for enthusiastic babsitters. Can you help? If so please

contact Diana O'Neil on 01604 882143 and I can pass your details on.

Age Concern

The Age Concern representative for Scaldwell is Sue Dodds-Smith.

Age Concern have factsheets on Community Care, Consumer items, Health, Housing, Income and Benefits, Leisure, learning and Work and many others. If you are elderly or a carer and need advice I can help by obtaining literature or letting you have a telephone number of a department that could help with a particular problem.

Telephone: 881950

A Poem enjoyed by John Wiggins.

The Good Lord has a Sense of Humour, I Hope.

Today, dear Lord I am 80, and there's much I have not done.

I hope Dear lord you will let me live until I am 81.

But then, if I have not finished all I want to do, would you let me stay a while until I am 82?

So many places I want to go, so very much to see,

Do you think that you could manage to make it 83?

The world is changing very fast, there's such a lot in store,

I would like it very much to live until I am 84.

And if by then I'm still alive, I'd like to stay until I'm 85.

More planes will fill the air so I would really like to stick and see what's going on in the world when I turn 86.

Oh Dear Lord it's much to ask, and it must be nice in Heaven

But I'd really like to stay around until I am 87.

I know by then I won't be fast, and sometimes I'll be late,

But it would be pleasant to be around at 88.

I will have seen so many things, and had a lovely time

I am sure I would be willing to leave, at the age of 89 (maybe)

Dear Lord, thank you kindly, I have one more thing to say

If it's OK with you 90 plus would really make my day.

Excerpts from the Scaldwell School Log Book

1909

10th September

Reopened School. Ernest Cockeril absent owing to accident at work though not qualified by age to be employed.

1st October

Eric Reeve removed from register. He is dangerously ill and not likely to attend for a long time

22nd October

Elen Worth absent with measles

26th November

Holiday given Thursday afternoon to allow those who wish to attend the service for the consecration of the new grave yard.

3rd December

Arthur Jackson's name removed from register as he has been absent since 8th November and has gone to hospital.

Contributions

Any news to share in your part of the village?

Contributions to Sue Dodds-Smith at The Old Barn, High Street or telephone and email details at top of the first page.

Dates for your Diary

JUNE

6th Coffee Club
11th Scaldwell Charity Meeting
28th Family Fun Day

JULY

4th Coffee Club
23rd Opening Meeting about Playing

**LAST DATE FOR AUG/SEPT
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