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ST PETER & ST PAUL CHURCH**GWEN ENGLAND**

06 April Holy Communion (JM) Old 10.30am

13 April **PALM SUNDAY**
Service of Praise
SCALDWELL 10.30am20 April **EASTER DAY**
United Benefice (JM)
Holy Communion
SCALDWELL 10.30a.m.27 April **Family Service**
SCALDWELL 10.30a.m.04 May Holy Communion (JM)
Walgrave 10.30a.m.11 May **Service of Praise**
SCALDWELL 10.30a.m.
Holy Communion, Old. 9.15a.m18 May **Holy Communion (WW)**
SCALDWELL 10.30a.m.25 May **Family Service**
SCALDWELL 10.30a.m.

For further information please look on the Church notice board or phone Gwen England on 882334

CHURCH CLEANING AND FLOWER ROTA

We are looking for some more volunteers to join the above rotas. If you are able to give us some of your time (45 mins every 6 weeks for cleaning, once per year for flowers) please contact Sue Dodds-Smith on 881950.

Stalls on The Green

We will once again be having our stalls on the Green commencing 6th June.

Further information will be in the next newsletter.

**SCALDWELL VILLAGE HALL
MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE****BRIAN HURST****Chairs**

Those of you who have been to the Village Hall recently will have noticed that we have purchased some new chairs. We are now looking to dispose of the old ones; some 68 in total.

Whilst they are rather old – there is still some life in them and if anyone is interested, in some or all, they are available for a nominal donation to the Village Hall funds. Please contact Brian Hurst on 881771.

Golden Jubilee Party – Village Photograph

Our thanks to Patrick Leonard who has donated a rather nice, enlarged photograph taken at the Golden Jubilee celebrations held in the village last year. The photograph has been framed and hung in the Village Hall.

"100 CLUB"

Recent winners are listed below. We are now coming towards the end of the weekly draws and would like to take this opportunity to thank all the villagers who supported the initiative. We had 106 entries this year; a splendid response and the provision of important funds towards the upkeep of your Village Hall.

Thank you once again.

And the lucky winners are:

| Draw | 1st | 2nd | 3rd |
|-------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 26 Jan | D.Randell | W. Woods | A.Hunkin |
| 02 Feb | M.Monk | J.Jones | K.Frankland |
| 09 Feb | D.Symons | D.Farmer | R.Thorne |
| 16 Feb | J.Barfoot | M.Bates | D.Randell |
| 23 Feb | M.Bates | D.Farmer | P.Griggs |
| 03 Mar | R.Harris | M.Howard | M.Vinton |
| 09 Mar | M.Harley | S.Wain | S.Thorne |
| 16 Mar | J.Sharman | A.Goodenough | W.Woods |

A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting of the Village Hall Management Committee will be held on Tuesday 6th May 2003 at 7.15p.m. in the Village Hall. This will be followed at 7.45p.m. by the Scaldwell Club A.G.M.

Will the two young boys who "borrowed" the blue recycling box from outside the village hall please return it as we need it for the recycling of bottles from the bar. Thank you.

PARISH COUNCIL

KATH FRANKLAND

Neighbourhood Watch

Would anybody like to take over the responsibility for Neighbourhood Watch? Brian Hensman, our present representative, wishes to step down because of other commitments but I am sure he will be very pleased to give information etc. to anyone willing to take on the role. We would like to thank him for his contribution to this service.

Dogs

Complaints have been received regarding the black and white dog which is still roaming around the village and wandering into people's gardens. One villager was startled by this dog at about 10pm one night as she was returning to her home. We believe that the dog lives in East End. Could the owner please make sure that the dog is under control at all times.

Grass Mowing

With the coming of spring, the mowing of the Green, the verges and the playing field has now started. We will endeavour to keep the slide mound well trimmed.

Parish Meeting

The Parish Meeting will be held this year on **6th May** in the Village Hall at **8.45p.m.** This is an annual meeting when members of the public can raise any issues and an annual report of the council's year is given.

SCALDWELL CLUB

CLAIRE WORTH

Scaldwell Club AGM

This Years Club Committee AGM will take place on Tuesday 6th May in the Village Hall at 7.45p.m.

Election of new committee members

There are vacancies on the Club Committee. Nomination papers are available from behind the bar.

Quiz Night

We are in the process of organising another Quiz Night with a new exciting format. Flyers will be distributed as soon as a date has been confirmed.

Don't Forget

The bar is open ~~for quaffing~~ on : -
Thursday 8.00p.m. until ~~11.00p.m.~~ 10.30 pm
Friday 8.00p.m. until 11.00p.m.
Saturday 8.30p.m. until 11.00p.m.
Sunday ~~12.00p.m. until 14.00p.m.~~ 12 Noon until 2.00pm

KEEP FIT/BODY CONDITIONING

CHRISTINE HURST

Keep Fit is held each Monday evening in the Village Hall (apart from Bank Holidays) from 6.45pm until 7.45pm.

Exercise: If you are going to try cross-country skiing, start with a small country!

I have to exercise early in the morning before my brain figures out what I am doing!

ART GROUP

SARAH KENDRICK

The art group meets in the village hall every Wednesday from 7pm until 9pm. For further information please contact Sarah on 881502

INDOOR BOWLS

BILL DRAPER

Indoor bowls are held every Thursday evening from 8.00p.m. in the village hall. All budding David Bryants and Willy Woods are welcome.

MISCELLANEOUS

A BIG THANK YOU to Sue Dodds-Smith who very kindly completed last months newsletter for me whilst Brian and I were having a ball in Australia. Thanks Sue.

Volunteer wanted please.

We are looking for a volunteer to deliver The Scaldwell Newsletter to the houses in The High Street.

If you are able to help please contact myself or Allan Nash on 880638
Thank You.

The Scaldwell Charity

The Charity has a vacancy for a trustee. The purpose of this Charity is primarily to promote education in the village of Scaldwell. The trustees meet three times a year to consider applications. The income from the Charity can also be granted for projects which will benefit the village as a whole, provided that all educational applications have been dealt with. If anybody would like to become a trustee, please let me know.

K.M.Frankland (Mrs) Tel:880882
The Old Fox, High Street, Scaldwell.

Travel Tokens

I have received the Travel Tokens from Daventry District Council.
If you have completed a green form, or would like a form, please phone me on 880208 and I will bring the tokens to you.
Margaret Alock.



WE SERVE

Have you a little time on your hands? Do you feel that you would like to give something back to your community? And in doing so, have fun?

If the answer is yes, then becoming a member of the Lions Club of Brixworth may be the answer.

The International Association of Lions Clubs is the largest voluntary service organisation in the world. Today, there are 1.4 million Lions worldwide, in 185 countries and 44,500 Clubs. Increasingly, communities become more dependent locally, nationally and internationally on the support and involvement of service organisations like Lions.

Brixworth Lions Club was formed last November as a branch of Northampton Eighty Lions Club. They are looking for more members, both male and female, to help carry out their work for those in need within the community. They also aim later this year to become an independently chartered Club within The International Association of Lions Clubs.

Brixworth Lions is a rural Club, centred on Brixworth providing service to the surrounding area, including such villages as Spratton, Scaldwell, Holcott, Walgrave, Old and Maidwell.

Membership of a Lions Club is challenging, personally meaningful and gratifying. It is also fun.

The Club meets at the George Inn, Brixworth the first and third Wednesdays of each month at 8pm.

If you are interested and wish to find out more about Lions and Brixworth Lions Club, contact:

Chris Simpson 016004 889114
or
Jackie and Paul at 4 Old Road, Scaldwell on 880572.

A BARN DANCE is being held at Brixworth Village Hall by the Brixworth Lions Club on Saturday 26th April at 8.p.m. Tickets at £10 each are available from Jackie and Paul on ~~889114~~ 880572. All proceeds donated to local charities.

Imperial Cancer Research

Race for Life

On the 11th May 2003

Christine Hurst (881771)
Sarah Kendrick (881502)
Kathy Morgan (882214)

will all be running in the above race to raise funds for cancer research. If anybody would like to sponsor any of the ladies please contact them on the relevant telephone number.
Thank you.

Neighbourhood Watch

Within the last month, there have been three cars broken into in the village, during the night. Two were in Old Road and one on The Green. Nothing was stolen, but at least one car lock was damaged, and in one case the thief was driven off by the alarm.

A white VW Golf reg.no.E39 EBH is believed to be involved in the theft of petrol from motor vehicles in the area. Any sightings of the car should be reported to the police.

OUT OF THE MOUTHS OF BABES.....

Said Olivia, aged five:" I know what happened at Easter. Jesus died and then he got up again so he didn't miss Christmas"

In a primary school, the teacher asked a little girl what she was drawing. "God" she replied. "But no one knows what God looks like" said the teacher. The little girl replied "They will in a minute".

If you would like to provide contributions to the newsletter please do so, either by putting them through my door or giving me a ring on 881771

Christine Hurst

Dates For Your Diary

| April | |
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| 13th | Palm Sunday |
| 20th | Easter Day |

| May | |
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| 6th | V.H.M.C AGM. 7.15 p.m.. |
| 6th | Scaldwell Club AGM 7.45p.m. |
| 6th | Parish Council Mtg 8.45p.m. |

**LAST DATE FOR
JUNE/JULY
NEWSLETTER
MAY 17TH**