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#### OCT/NOV SERVICES

As the Rector is having time away, most services in the Benefice in October are Family Services.

Here is a list of the services in Scaldwell in October as well as those taking place in Old, Hannington and Walgrave for a complete picture.

1 <sup>st</sup> Oct	Stuart Penn Benefice Lay Reader	10.30am
	Old, Harvest Festival	10.30am
8 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Walgrave, Family Service	10.30am
	Hannington, Stuart Penn	10.30am
15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Old, Stuart Penn	10.30am
	Hannington Family Service	10.30am
22 <sup>nd</sup> Oct	Family Service	10.30am
	Walgrave, Stuart Penn	10.30 am
29 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Old, United Benefice Sung Eucharist	10.30am
31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	Old, United Benefice Sung Eucharist	10.30am
5 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Sung Eucharist	9.15am
12 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Remembrance Service at Old	9.45am

19<sup>th</sup> Nov Sung Eucharist 9.15am

26<sup>th</sup> Nov Family Service 10.30am

June 14<sup>th</sup> Condolences to Mary Hampson on the death of her husband, Bill. The funeral took place in the parish church that was pleasantly filled with friends from villages around, especially Brixworth.

July 22<sup>nd</sup> Congratulations to Mark and Claire (nee Archer) on the blessing of their marriage. May you both have a long and happy life together.

Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> Condolences to the Smith family on the death of Irene. Irene was a much loved member of this family. May she rest in peace.

Aug 27<sup>th</sup> Welcome to St. Peter and St. Paul Church for the baptism of Ross McLelland Tait. May Ross have a long and happy life together with his extended family.

### PARISH COUNCIL

#### KATH FRANKLAND

##### Lampport Estate

The Lampport Hall Preservation Trust Ltd has approached the Parish Council and the newsletter regarding the stone wall along Mill Lane and to elicit our help.

As you will no doubt be aware over the last year or so the Lampport Estate has expended considerable funds to reinstate the stone wall along Mill Lane. Ever since the project commenced it has been plagued by thefts of stone from the wall.

The Trust would be very grateful if the people of Scaldwell would be good enough to keep an eye on the wall as they go past and if they see anybody acting suspiciously to contact the police.

### Dog Fouling

There has been a noticeable increase in the dog fouling on the pavements and footpaths within the village.

We would like to remind those dog owners responsible that it is an offence under the Dogs (Fouling of the Land) Act, which covers all managed verges and footpaths within the 40mph speed limit and public parks and playing fields where designated. Within these areas owners must clear up after their dogs or face a £25 fixed penalty fine if caught by a dog warden or up to £1,000 fine if successful legal proceedings are taken.

### Roads

Sections of the Village Green are suffering some erosion due to the breaking up of sections of the road adjacent. Also a recent report was given concerning a section of road off School Lane, opposite the car park, which has been gradually covered with gravel and earth, making the surface possibly hazardous. Daventry has been notified and we hope that repairs will be carried out before winter.

### SCALDWELL CLUB

#### ROGER MORGAN

The most important announcement is that work will start on the Village Hall refurbishments on Monday October 2<sup>nd</sup> and take approximately 8 weeks to complete.

The Club Bar will remain open during October but will be closed for the whole of November. The Club Committee is considering alternative arrangements for the Bonfire Night celebrations.

Also important is a big 'Thank You' to Kevin Eldred for organising the very successful and keenly contested mixed double Darts Tournament on September 9<sup>th</sup>. Not only did Kevin provide the prizes, he also arranged for a mystery celebrity from the travelling circus to present them. A big thank you also goes to Angie and Gwenda for providing welcome sustenance. Congratulations to our winners – Pete and Julie Barfoot.

Brian Hurst has organised a coach trip to London on Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November. There are still some seats available; so contact

Brian if you want to go. He may also arrange tickets to a show if there is sufficient interest.

**Christmas Starters will be held on Sunday December 17<sup>th</sup>** subject to the builders having finished their work.

The Kettering Operatic Society has been booked for Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> February. Another sell out concert is expected.

And, of course, there will be another tantalising, brain teasing and highly competitive village quiz to look forward to – date to be announced.

### SPORTS CLUB

#### KATHY MORGAN

Despite the fact that we have enjoyed some fairly abysmal weather this summer, we have managed to be fairly busy on the courts. The crazy tennis day was a success as was the American tournament. Many thanks to all those who participated. We hope to arrange some similar events next summer.

Meanwhile the club evening will continue until the days get too short. Please feel free to turn up on Wednesday evenings if you would like a game.

The men's team has had another successful summer competing in the East Northants league, we await the final rankings. Next year we plan to enter a team for the Northants League. We are still hoping that one day we might field a mixed or ladies team. Please let me know or make yourself known at a club night if you would like to play.

Socially things are pretty quiet at the moment, we expect to arrange another race meeting with the Scaldwell Hotwinders when the Village Hall renovations are complete. Watch this space!

## KEEP FIT

### CHRISTINE HURST

Come and join us every Monday evening from 6.45 pm until 7.45 pm.

**Please Note:** Whilst refurbishments are being carried out on the village hall, the keep fit sessions will be held in Scaldwell House (Nigel and Alison Goodenough's home). Thank you very much for your kind offer Alison, it is very much appreciated by the ladies who attend the class.

If you would like more details please ring Christine on 881171.

## YOUTH CLUB

The Youth Club is now to close. Many, many thanks to Lyn Gunnett for all her hard work over many years. The club has given much pleasure to all those who have participated in its activities.

Is there anyone who would be interested in taking over? It has proved to be invaluable for the children of the village giving them an opportunity to meet and have fun together.

The club, for 8-year-old children upward, met on a weekly basis but this could be reduced in the future to fortnightly. Youth Services are also very willing to visit once a month.

Lyn has kindly offered her support and advice to anyone who is prepared to run the Youth Club in the future. She can be contacted on 881703.

Once again a big thank you to Lyn.

## MISCELLANEOUS

### Parish Trust and Relief in Need Charities

A meeting of the Trustees of these charities will be held on 8<sup>th</sup> November at which any applications for grants will be considered. The Parish Trust supports 'charitable purposes for the general benefit of the inhabitants of Scaldwell' and the Relief in Need Charity makes grants in need to individuals or on their behalf.

If you would like to apply for a grant please let me know (preferably in writing) before the meeting.

Alison Goodenough – Clerk to the Charities  
Scaldwell House

### The Stall on the Green and the Talents

The Stall on the Green and the Talents raised just over £800.

Many thanks to those who used their talents cleverly – Nicola Wiggins, Allan and Chris Nash, Sarah Hampden Smith, Mike England, Polly Rush, Victoria Leonard, Jane Sharman, Sue Dodds Smith and Joan Randle, Jack Dodds Smith, Alison Goodenough and Mary Bates.

And to those who hid their talents but produced very desirable goods, Alison Goodenough for her large stock of lovely plants, Jane Jones for her sought after jam, Millie Roberts and Cec. Judge who donated plants and fresh produce, Eadie who brought eggs that were sold as soon as they were put on the table and to all those who brought such delicious cakes.

Thank you also to all those who helped (especially Joan, Sue DS, Allan and Sarah K who cheerfully carted tables and goods about) and of course those who came and bought.

We were lucky and had two sunny mornings and only one drizzly one, but they were good get togethers.

We are considering doing some more Stalls on the Green next year – perhaps at different times. Hope to see you there. Thank you again for your support.

Gwen England

### Scaldwell Gardening Quiz

The winner of the Gardening Quiz was Mrs. Sheila Ainsworth of Chorley, Lancs and a cheque for £25 has been sent to her.

Mary Bates and I would like to thank all those who bought a copy in aid of church funds and sent in their answers. We hope you enjoyed it too!

We are pleased to report that a grand total of £194 was raised for the Church Restoration Fund. If anyone needs to know the answers, please ask Mary or me. (It seemed a bit much to ask the editor of the newsletter to type out a full list of answers when so many of you got them nearly all right.)

Alison Goodenough

#### Coffee Morning

Thanks to all the people who came to the coffee morning on 1<sup>st</sup> September. Over £60 was raised and it was a very enjoyable morning. Definitely one to repeat.

Sue Dodds Smith

#### Old Kneelers

The kneelers at Old will be on display during the Harvest Festival weekend, Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September and Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October as part of the 'Millennium Exhibition' in St Andrew's Church, Old. 10.30am to 5.0pm.

This is an opportunity to view 'The Noah's Ark Kneeler', seventeen and a half feet long, and on view for the first time.

#### Scaldwell Directory

The updated Scaldwell Directory is being delivered with this newsletter.

Many thanks to Chris Nash for painstakingly compiling the updates and Rob Thorne for the designing and printing.

If there are any future amendments required if you let me know and I will update the master copy and if necessary notice of significant changes can be placed in the newsletter.

Sarah Hampden Smith

Welcome to the Village Wendy and Ian Webb who have moved into the Old Post House.

#### Dates For Your Diary

##### October

1 <sup>st</sup>	Millennium Exhibition, Old
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Village Hall work commences

##### November

4th	Bonfire Night
12th	Remembrance Service, Old

##### December

17 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Starters
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**LAST DATE FOR  
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR  
NEWSLETTER:  
20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER**