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DAVID GOLDSMITH

The Martlesham Monthly is sad to report the death of David Goldsmith. David and his family lived on The Heath for nearly 30 years but just a few years ago he, along with his wife Jo, moved to Kesgrave. David and Jo voluntarily printed The Martlesham Monthly every month for us up to three months ago.

David was a fine craftsman and cabinet maker. At his workshop on the Industrial Estate he created many magnificent bureaux, bookcases, tables, dressers and pieces of furniture that now grace mansions, palaces, homes and major hotels throughout Europe and America, in fact all four corners of the world. He even made a Magic Box that appeared in The Royal Command Performance at The London Palladium. He will constantly be remembered here on The Heath as he made the Altar Table, the Lectern, The Memorial Bookcase, The Cross of St Michael and All Angels and the Altar Chairs for the Church here on Martlesham Heath. What a wonderful legacy he has left for many generations to enjoy.

David will be greatly missed by many people. He was a joy to know and we, as an Editorial Team, along with many other people, are extremely grateful for all he has done for The Village. Our condolences go to Jo, Simon, Neal, Tracey, Stuart and Daniel and all the members of the family.

Martlesham Monthly

*****EDITORIAL*****

I would just like to put on record an honourable mention and say a heartfelt thank you to my friend Dara Maguire who guest edited the Monthly last month when I was unable to do so. He did more than a sterling job and I know everyone will be appreciative of his efforts. Thank you Dara.

Neal Goldsmith

TALKING MARTLESHAM MONTHLY

Now that the continued production of the Talking Monthly is assured,

please contact the Editors if you, or someone you know, would benefit by receiving one of the monthly audio tapes. These are available free of charge and are delivered by Royal Mail, normally on the second Saturday of the month. When the recipients have finished with the tape it can be returned to Graham Downing post-free merely by reversing the address label and dropping the package in a letter box.

Martlesham Monthly Editors

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Community Police Officer
PC 651 Richard Wright

In case of emergencies please always call 999. In non-emergency situations call the main switchboard on 01473 613500; you can also contact PC Wright on the following numbers for non-urgent matters: Office—01473 334980
E-mail—richard.wright@suffolk.pnn.police.uk

COMMUNITY RESPONDERS

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For further details, contact Andy Oxborrow 01473 620432 (e-mail Andy.Oxborrow@suffolk.sja.org.uk), or see our web pages on www.martlesham.org.uk

MUSIC ON THE GREEN

'That's Entertainment', sang the Jam way back when I was considerably younger! And it's entertainment we hope to provide you with at this year's Martlesham Music On The Green.

Taking place from 10:30 am through to 10:30 pm on Saturday 11th July, on The Green at Martlesham Heath, the day promises to be a musical spectacular. Non-stop music will play on our 2 stages throughout the day. The usual attractions will also be in place, fun

fair, kid's entertainer, marquee serving drinks, local organisation stands and various other food and drink outlets to feed and refresh the anticipated large crowd. If you want to book a pitch for a stand please get in touch with Sue by e-mailing sue@motg.co.uk.

The popular Car Boot Sale will also be taking place. Sellers are welcome to set up from 7 am and buyers to attend from 8 am. Just turn up on the day and pay £6 for a car, £10 for a car and trailer and £10 for a van (Transit size).

This year we are working closely with the East Anglia's Children's Hospices (EACH) who will be the main benefactors of funds raised. Hopefully we can make a substantial contribution to this excellent cause. A Facebook site has been set up by EACH where you can invite friends and post your photographs. Take a look!

<http://www.facebook.com/event.php?eid=76191990930&ref=nf>

Our line-up looks really exciting! Some final tweaking is still taking place but we can confirm local school bands Hysteria and The Mutiny and more established bands, the Smokin' Hogs, Aftershock and Anything But Ordinary. Crowd favourites The Ballistics are also on hand with their skanking Ska sound. The Swing Machine Big Band and the Feis London Fiddlers will lighten up the afternoon. However our big news is that we have confirmed an evening appearance of After The Fire, a band who had chart success in the 1980's, including appearances on Top of the Pops! Finally the day would not be complete without regulars, Martlesham Brass, Cool Remedy, Blue Wave and Suspect Device

Our website has been recently updated so please have a look and listen to the bands to get you in the mood. <http://www.musiconthegreen.com/>

As ever we need more volunteers and sponsors to help us out. We especially need assistance and equipment for the arena. If you want to help please get in touch by e-mail to info@motg.co.uk. If you are interested in sponsorship, including having space in our glossy

programme or flyer, please get in touch with Justin at sponsor@motg.co.uk

Finally a big thanks to our sponsors, Martlesham Monthly, MSC (UK) Limited, BBC Radio Suffolk, The Douglas Bader Public House and Universal PA.

MARTLESHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Vacancy for a Parish Councillor

Mr John Nayler has recently resigned from the Parish Council. Mr Nayler has been an active member of the Council and his contribution to the parish much appreciated. The Council therefore has a vacancy for a councillor. At the time of writing it is still possible, up to 19th May, for a bye-election to be called however it is anticipated that the Council will be able to fill the vacancy by co-option. This can take place at a full Parish Council meeting (dates below). If you are interested in becoming a councillor and are aged 18 or over, please contact the Clerk or any councillor for information. We will be pleased to hear from you.

Working Party at the Jubilee Play-space – Saturday 20th June, 10 am

Volunteers are welcome to join members of the Parish Council to help clear around the Jubilee Play-space which is situated off Carol Avenue, Martlesham. Come for as long or as little as you can.

Highway Maintenance Works in Martlesham Heath

Suffolk County Council East Area Highways Service has advised us that Eagle Way, Lancaster Drive, Saddlers Place and Broomfield are to be surface dressed in the summer. The approximate dates are 29th June for Eagle Way and 30th June for the other roads. Eagle Way is being done at the contractor's expense following the failure of the surface last year.

BT Adastral Park Planning Application

The application submitted last year has been withdrawn and new plans submitted. Details of the application are available on

www.suffolkcoastal.gov.uk/yourdistrict/devcontrol/adastralpark

The Parish Council holds a hard copy of the application. Please contact the Clerk, as below, if you wish to view it. However all representations should have been lodged with Suffolk Coastal District Council (SCDC) by 22nd May. SCDC does not anticipate that it will determine the application until August or September 2009 at the earliest. The Parish Council met to agree its response at its Development Plans meeting on 20th May (too late for this edition) and this will be published in July.

Police Investigation Centre, Martlesham Heath

A full planning application (Reserved Matters) following Planning Permission granted by SCDC to the outline planning application for the Police Investigation Centre was received by the Parish Council on 11th May. Deadline for comments was 29th May. The Council will have agreed its response to SCDC at its Development Plans meeting on 20th May and this will be published in July.

Please note that, as with all planning applications, the Parish Council is only a consultee.

Forthcoming meetings

- *Parish Council – Wednesday 3rd June
- *Recreation & Amenities committee - Wednesday 10th June
- *Development Plans committee - Wednesday 17th June
- *Parish Council - Wednesday 1st July

All meetings start at 7:30 pm in the Parish Room, Felixstowe Road, and are open to the public, who are welcome to ask questions or make comments to the council during the adjournment.

Contacting the Council

In writing to the Clerk to the Council, Parish Room, Felixstowe Road, Martlesham, Woodbridge, IP12 4PB.

Telephone: 01473 612632
e-mail: clerk@martleshamcouncil.org.uk

MARTLESHAM COMMUNITY HALL AND RICHARDS ROOM

From the start of next year the Hall will need a new Treasurer. We

would like to appoint someone very soon so they can work with the present Treasurer for several months so they can slip into the position during January 2010. The Booking secretary sends out all the invoices and collects most of the money. The Treasurer receives the invoices for the Committee and writes out the cheques. The Treasurer is a member of the Committee and comes to the committee meetings, (held about every 6 to 7 weeks) and keeps the Committee up to date with the balances, etc. Please phone the Chairman on 01394 382419 to discuss the position further. The post is an honorary one but of course postage/stationery, etc., are paid for.

The Community Hall and The Richards Room are well booked but the Booking secretary has the following sessions available if you would like to set up a new group or move an existing one - Community Hall Tuesday and Friday mornings and Thursday afternoon; Richards Room Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday mornings.

To enquire about booking Martlesham Community Hall or the Richards Room please telephone the Booking secretary on 01473 623203 who will be available to help you with your enquiry or will telephone you back if not available.

Alternatively, e-mail the new e-mail address martcomhall@btinternet.com or write to The Booking Secretary, Martlesham Community Hall, Felixstowe Road, Martlesham, Ipswich, IP12 4PB.

Ref. Martlesham Community Hall
Charity Number 1009602

MARTLESHAM HEATH
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Consultants Ltd)

Birch Woods – There was a fire in the woods at the beginning of May which caused a large area to be destroyed, both gorse and trees. The fire brigade were quickly on the scene, for which we are grateful. Afterwards a look round showed an empty 1 litre bottle of vodka as well as beer

and breezer bottles. There is an increase in the amount of litter being found, mainly alongside pathways and areas where 'camps' are being built. The litter includes cigarette packets, plastic bottles, tins and sweet and crisp wrappers. Unfortunately it looks like the fires experienced regularly each year in the woodland are usually arson, rather than accident. With a hot dry summer predicted this year all residents walking the woods or living nearby need to be vigilant and report immediately any signs of fire. Also, could parents make their children and teenagers aware of the risk of fire to our homes as well as the wildlife. In the past we have picked up disposable barbecues on both the Western Corridor and the woodland. This tends to be teenagers celebrating at the end of the summer school exams.

Western Corridor SSSI – Most of you will have seen or heard of the fire on the Western Corridor during May. We were lucky to get off fairly lightly as most of the damage was to the farmland to the west. This could have been much more serious in terms of the houses at risk on the edge of the Heath as well as the unique wildlife, and again the fire brigade believe it was deliberately started. Hopefully, when we get funding from Natural England we will be able to remove the majority of the gorse on this area, a major contributor to the fires.

The perimeter path has been tendered for and we will go ahead in September, after bird nesting season. This is in line with guidance from Natural England.

Proposed BT Development – MHHL has sent a letter to Suffolk County Council making them aware of our concerns about this proposed development. We hope residents have taken the opportunity to do so as there is strength in numbers. In particular we are concerned about the proposed footbridge to the south which will bring foot and cycle traffic between Coopers and Lancaster and potentially through our birch woods. Also the plans show the removal of the natural heathland plants along the edge of the Village and up to the mini roundabout opposite Lark Rise.

We feel this is detrimental as it detracts from the 'heathland' feel of the village as well as removing a barrier to sound and pollution. This is particularly important as the plans to widen the road coupled with the development of the site will increase traffic enormously.

We are still looking for people who can give some of their time to help us as Directors or as volunteers. You can get in touch about volunteering or giving us comments on concerns by phoning: 01473 612207; e-mailing: mhh@martlesham.org.uk; writing to PO Box 897, Martlesham Heath, IP 9PB and go the website for information: <http://mhh.martlesham.org.uk>. Members are invited to attend Board Meetings, the next one being 15th June in St Michael's Church Centre at 7:30 pm.

<p><u>MARTLESHAM COMMUNITY</u> <u>COUNCIL</u> (REGISTERED CHARITY UNDER THE 1960 ACT NO 273769)</p> <p>ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING ON MON 8TH JUNE AT 7:30 PM IN THE PARISH ROOM, FELIXSTOWE ROAD, MARTLESHAM</p> <p>AGENDA</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Apologies2. Approval of previous minutes3. Matters arising4. Chairman's report5. Treasurer's report6. Election of Chairman7. Election of Vice Chairman8. Election of Treasurer9. Election of Secretary10. Election of Committee11. Appointment of auditor12. Open discussion
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JUMBLE, PLANT & BOOK SALE

ON SATURDAY 20TH JUNE
IN THE PAVILION,
MARTLESHAM HEATH
10 AM – 12 NOON
Admission 30p

Enquiries to Jackie Bear on
01473 623007

DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT FOR JUNE

Police Investigation Centre latest update

Residents should be aware that Suffolk Coastal Planning Department have now received the detailed planning application for the Suffolk Police Investigation Centre at Portal Avenue.

The latest plans show some significant changes from the original outline application, the docking bay which allows vehicles into and out of the building has been moved from its original position on the elevation nearest the footpath to the opposite elevation nearest the flats at The Paddocks. The latest plan appears to require the removal of more trees and gives more precise details of security fencing and lighting locations as well as specific building design.

All residents who made comments on the original application should have now been advised by Suffolk Coastal that these detailed plans are available for further comment.

The plans are available for viewing at Melton Hill offices or by prior arrangement with the Parish Clerk at the Parish office, Old Felixstowe Road.

Any new comments should be e - m a i l e d t o d . c . admin@suffolkcoastal.gov.uk or in writing to Head of Planning, Suffolk Coastal District Council, Melton Hill, Woodbridge.

The application is likely to be decided on at the Development Control South Sub Committee due to be held on 23rd June at 9 am. This meeting will be open for members of the public to attend and one representative will be allowed to speak against the application.

BT's latest amended plans

The latest plans for BT's Innovation Park and housing development is available to view on the District Councils website www.suffolkcoastal.gov.uk or at Melton Hill or by prior arrangement with the Parish Clerk at the Parish offices at Old Felixstowe Road.

Of particular interest to Martlesham residents may be the proposed junction alterations at the BT, Tesco's and Foxhall Road roundabouts as it is being proposed to remove these roundabouts and create traffic light-controlled seven lane road junctions. Some residents who attended the recent exhibition also had real concerns regarding the proposed up to 6 storey buildings along the Barrack Square elevation.

Suffolk Coastal is planning to reach a decision on this application in August or September .

If you require any further information on the above issues please contact me at john.kelso@suffolkcoastal.gov.uk John Kelso, District Councillor - Martlesham ward

*****EDITORIAL*****

How do you feel about the latest changes to the Police Investigation Centre plans? Please make your feelings known - not only to the Council but also to us here at the Martlesham Monthly.

MARTLESHAM & DISTRICT FLOWER CLUB

Our new programme got off to a good start with Mrs Angela Vokalek's demonstration entitled 'Spring Cheer'. Her first arrangement was in a basket for Easter with white and yellow spring flowers, plain green foliage and longiflora lilies. The next was a linear design using greenery, narcissus 'Cheerfulness', small white roses, white freesias and two black candles. She added two further placements. 'In the pink' was designed using a green glass vase with a bamboo frame laid across. Pink tulips and hyacinths were added with orchids in tubes which she hung from

the frame. Lots of different textures were used in a basket design with larch, broom and aspidistra leaves, three white amaryllis, narcissi, red and yellow tulips, wallflowers and green hellebores giving a delightful spring design. Following this Angela took a green pot placing three stems of pink lilies, pink and white tulips with rosemary, viburnum, skimmia and fatsia leaves. The last arrangement was in a stainless steel bucket with blue delphiniums, pink lisianthus, maroon gerberas and alstroemeria.

The competition was won by Mrs Ann Chisem.

The club meets at St Michael's Church Centre, Martlesham Heath on the third Wednesday of each month at 2:30 pm. The annual subscription remains at £12.50 with visitors welcome at £2.50 per session. There is a plant and flower arrangers stall at each meeting.

The next meeting is on 17th June when Mr Vito Biasi will give a demonstration entitled 'Wedding of the Year'. ALL ARE MOST WELCOME.

Margaret Forbes - 01394 382209

MARTLESHAM IN BLOOM

Forthcoming event

Our next event is being held jointly with Martlesham Community Council:-

Jumble, Plant & Book Sale
10 am to 12.00 noon
Saturday 20th June
in The Pavilion,
Martlesham Heath

If you have any jumble/bric-a-brac please contact Jackie Bear on 01473 623007.

Hanging Baskets in the Square

We have arranged to have floral hanging baskets in The Square for the summer and several containers of summer bedding plants at other locations in Martlesham. They make very colourful displays that are enjoyed by many people and each year the Anglia in Bloom judges have been impressed by the display. We are very grateful to the following who have sponsored the baskets and containers:-

Fraser-Hann, Jacobs Engineering UK Ltd, Rhymes Nursery, Martlesham Community Council, Barker

Gotelee, RDP Consulting (Ipswich) Ltd, Martlesham Heath Dental Practice, Dummett Copp, HPE Music, Grainger Residential Management Ltd, Post Office Stores, Speakeasy @ Martlesham, Duncan's Butchers and Bakery, Martlesham Monthly, Drs Schurr, Fitzgerald & Tobias, Martlesham Heath Householders Ltd, Martlesham Village Produce Association, Martlesham & District Flower Club

SUMMER GARDEN COMPETITIONS 2009

For Martlesham parishioners and businesses to enter:

(A) Most Attractive Summer Front Garden.

The Martlesham in Bloom Cup

(B) Most effective use of hanging basket(s) and/or container(s) in the front of your property

The Meadhome Cup (Home Meadows Nursery Ltd).

(C) Best Summer Floral or Planting Display at a Commercial or Business premises.

The Martlesham in Bloom Commercial Cup

(D) Most Attractive Back Garden

The Martlesham in Bloom Shield

(E) Most Improved Garden, front or back (please include "before" photo).

The Windmill's Florist Cup

(Windmills Florist, Woodbridge).

(F) Use of vegetable plants within your garden (front or back)

Certificates awarded by Martlesham in Bloom

(G) Best Kept Community Area, Close, Lane, Place, Road, Square or Street in the Parish of Martlesham.

Certificates awarded by Martlesham in Bloom

The competitions will be judged by Martlesham in Bloom committee members by early August. Martlesham in Bloom reserves the right to photograph all entries for Martlesham in Bloom purposes. For Back Gardens the date and time of judging to be arranged with the entrant

All entries, except for Back Gardens, must be able to be viewed from the road or other publicly accessed area. Closing date for entries is **Monday 13th July 2009** (entry free).

Please contact the Secretary

Paul Day on 01473 625196

(details below) for entry forms.

J Maureen Burrows (Secretary) on 01473 625196.

M.A.L.G.A.

Allotments

We've contacted the parish council to make them aware of the new policy DC37.

It also says that the District Council will encourage the provision of new allotments in order to meet any demand that might be identified and suggests, "New sites can also be progressed just using the policy to support such provision".

So with this in mind I'm sure the parish now can't wait to get things under way. We've highlighted the demand, the District Council is backing them and they have the new policy - what more can be done?

Bread

A date for your calendar, 9th September.

Debbie is going to have a bread making evening if anyone is interested, not only allotment-minded people of MALGA members but anyone with a mind to making their own bread.

For £5 you get recipes, coffee and tasting of the newly baked bread. Places are limited so ring Deb's on 01473 611877 for info.

Music On There Green

With what looks like a brilliant summer on the way it should be a show to remember.

We'll all be there with raffles, competitions and games for the kids.

We'll have plants on sale as well as planters with themes like Ratatouille/Salad Pots and Herb Pots.

**NEW LOOK website: -
www.malga.co.uk**

Why not join MALGA and/or contact me:- malga@btinternet.com

Thanks,

Paul Day, Chairman

MARTLESHAM COUNTRY MARKET

Your Local Country Market

We would like to remind you all to support your local Country Market,

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where you will find locally-produced goods, such as jewellery, greetings cards, knitted items, local photography and flower arrangements. Our producers can also make items to order if you do not find what you want.

The cooking section offers a wide range of home-cooked meals, cakes, biscuits, savouries and preserves.

On the produce table we have available a selection of items, which include free-range eggs, plants, and vegetables in season.

You may like to consider joining our friendly team of producers. We are especially keen to find new cooks. If you are interested, please contact Margaret Gayfer.

Our opening times are Tuesday from 9 am to 10:30 am at the Martlesham Heath Pavillion on the green and Saturday from 10 am to 12 noon at the Scout H/Q, Twelve Acre Approach. Both venues offer tea, coffee and cake while the market is open.

Any enquiries about the market please contact Margaret Gayfer (Chairman) on 01473 623849.

MARTLESHAM W.I.

Mr Pip Wright has written several local history books including one entitled 'The Suffolk Gipsy' and this was the subject of his recent talk when we were delighted to welcome a number of visitors. The Suffolk gipsy was Mr John Heigham Steggall who was born in 1791 at Creeting St. Mary. John Steggall had a fascinating life which Mr Wright was able to describe to us in detail and with amusement. It seems that he had numerous jobs, one of which was as a parson - a position he held for fifty years until his death. He also took a crash course as a doctor and became the village surgeon for thirteen years. I think we all winced when we heard how he had to treat a child with an infected leg and ultimately amputated the leg without an anaesthetic. We also heard that at 85 years of age John Steggall married his housekeeper who was aged 35. Maybe we should have asked how long they were married!

We meet at 7:30 pm in the

Richards Room, Martlesham. Creative Crafts and Card Making is the subject of our next meeting with Mrs C Bond on 19th June. New members and visitors are always welcome to join our small friendly group. Contact can be made to Audrey Burnell on 01394 386738.

Barbara Bown

MARTLESHAM LADIES CLUB

On 4th July at 10 am we are again holding our Coffee Morning at Rita and Robert Dunnett's beautiful garden to raise money for our Charity of the Year which, this year, is the RSPCA, a very charitable cause. Please make a note in your diary and do come, hopefully we will have better weather than last year!

Our last two meetings before the Summer break are:

*4th June - 'An Expert Witness'; speaker John Hare

*18th June - AGM

After the Summer break our first Meeting will be 10th September when Joyce Kimber will be returning to the Ladies Club, this time to give a talk on 'Life Upon the Wicked Stage.'

Our meetings are held alternate Thursdays at 7:30 pm in the Richard Rooms, Martlesham Community Centre, new members are always welcome. Any enquiries please 'phone Rita on 01473 624510.

Margaret Green

MARTLESHAM MOTHERS' UNION

You may have heard that there are branches of Mothers' Union all around the world, and that includes South Korea. The Anglican Church in Korea dates back to 1889 and there are 1200 Mothers' Union members there. Prostitution is a problem in South Korea and Mothers' Union work in a Crisis centre to provide counselling and other services. They also have fundraising bazaars to provide an opportunity for women from rural area to sell their handicrafts. The Mothers' Union choir in Korea is internationally recognised and performed in this country in 2008.

If you would like to know more about Mothers' Union, phone

Marion on 01473 624196 or Elizabeth on 01394 210793.

MARTLESHAM HEATH BABY & TODDLER GROUP

It's been a quiet couple of months but with summer just around the corner we will shortly be announcing the details of the annual Teddy Bears Picnic. We hope to be lucky with the weather this year and enjoy some time outside with the kiddies – watch this space!

Also, a timely reminder that we will continue with the Wednesday morning sessions during the summer holidays.

For anyone who would like to join us, our group is a friendly, fun place to meet with lots of toys, a sing-a-long music session and a great craft activity table for the children. Refreshments are included and the session in which you register is ABSOLUTELY FREE!

Our play sessions are held at the Martlesham Heath Pavilion on Wednesdays and Fridays from 9:30 am until 11:30 am during term-time. Our members pay just £2 per session for the first child and only £1 for each additional child attending (subject to a small annual membership fee). Please note that our play sessions are unsupervised and the children do remain in the full care of the accompanying adult at all times.

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to call Donna on 01473 610495.

MARTLESHAM PLAYSCHOOL

Our Easter Egg and Spoon Race raised well over £600 in sponsorship money. Well done to all our children who had great fun doing the race, and to their families and friends for sponsoring them so generously.

We are organizing a trip to Woodbridge on June 16th for all our children and parent/carers.

Another note for your diaries! Our ever-successful Fun Day will take place this year on Saturday July 4th between 12:30 and 4 pm. It will take place at the Old Control Tower at the end of Deben Avenue and is open to everyone. We have

plenty of activities and stalls to keep the whole family amused. We will also have our raffle, with great prizes donated from many of our local, generous companies. There will also be a barbeque, refreshments and cake stall, plus our ever-popular ice creams and chocolate fountain. Yum! For those of you who are thinking of sending your child to our playschool this gives you the opportunity to see our facilities, meet some of the staff, and see what our children get up to, as well as having a great afternoon.

As usual this summer we shall hold our day at the beach on July 7th, and hire a beach hut for all our children and their families to pop along and play.

A lot of our children move on to Gorseland nursery, as well as Birchwood, Cedarwood, Gorseland and Martlesham Beacon Hill schools, but some of our children also go on to other schools further afield.

We currently take children from two-and-a-half years old, so if you are interested in sending your child to Martlesham Playschool, please contact me for a copy of our prospectus, and a registration form to join our waiting list, on 07857 309365, or 01473 621315. If you would like to look round the playschool please also give me a call.

Caroline Swale (Business Manager)

ST MICHAEL'S PRE-SCHOOL

Martlesham Heath

www.stmichaelspreschool.org.uk

We were very pleased with the wonderful support from parents at our recent Parents' Evening. At St Michael's we are always working to form close working relationships with parents who we firmly believe are of course the experts on their own children. We therefore valued the parents' comments on their child's 'My Learning Journeys', which each child's Key Person works on by observing each child as they play and subsequently planning play activities that further develop the child's skills and knowledge.

We had a very successful trip to Holywell's Park where we went on a walk through the Park then played on the superb new Play Park and many of the children en-

joyed playing in the water fountains.

We are also looking forward to some Dads and Grandpas coming in to help in our sessions during 'Dads Week' in June as we encourage the male perspective on play.

Later this month we will be crabbing at Waldringfield Riverfront, getting on the train to Melton and going on a Mini Beast hunt at Foxburrow Farm. We continue to explore outside as much as possible especially in the warm summer months.

We welcome children into our Pre-School from Kesgrave and all surrounding areas as well as Martlesham Heath and they then leave us to go onto all the local schools including Gorseland, Cedarwood, Waldringfield, Little Bealings, Rendlesham and Birchwood.

We have places available and take children from 2 and a quarter years old, so if you are interested in sending your child to St Michael's Pre-School and would like a prospectus or to arrange a visit please call Julie Benford on 01473 4 3 6 1 2 5 or e-mail admin@stmichaelspreschool.org.uk.
Nicole Harris

CALLING ALL MUMS...

The next meeting of the Mums' Club will be held at St Michael's Church Centre on Tuesday 2nd June from 12:45 to 2:30 pm. Lunch will be served around 1 pm followed by a talk from Maureen and Sonya Burrows on 'Child-friendly Gardening'. All mums with toddlers and babies will be most welcome - do come and find out how to make your garden a safe and happy play-space for your children.

For more details please ring Sue on 01473 624130 or Kay on 01473 626169.

FUN DAY

at

**Gorseland Primary School
(Deben Ave, Martlesham
Heath)**

13th June

12 - 3 pm

**Indoor and outdoor activities.
Tombolas, raffle, displays, music, BBQ**

and much much more...

**Come and join us for a fun
time...**

Free admission

BUCKLESHAM SCHOOL

SUMMER FAIR

Saturday 20th June

11 am to 3 pm

**Raffle, Tombola, Children's
Games, Home-made Cakes,
Barbecue and Refreshments,
various stalls and much more!**

**Admission - Children free,
Adults by donation on the
door.**

**Bucklesham School,
Main Road, Bucklesham**

MARTLESHAM HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Our next meeting will be held in The Pavilion on Monday June 15th at 8 pm when Dr Alan Mackley will talk of "East Anglian Landed Families & their Houses". All are welcome and admission is £1.50.

The following meeting in July will consist of the Annual General Meeting followed by a talk by Mrs Sheila Hardy entitled "Ipswich's Jewish Community in the 19th Century".

John Tyler - 01473 612736

MARTLESHAM HEATH AVIATION SOCIETY

Our meeting on May 7th was the occasion of our AGM. Our Chairman was able to report another very successful year. Attendances at our monthly meetings continue to be very high with up to 140 members

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and non-members. Membership is running at 340.

On Sunday 28th June at 3:30 pm there is a dedication service for a new monument on the Barrack Square between the two existing war memorials. The monument has been funded by several companies on The Heath and by private donations. We are most grateful for their generosity and it is great that so many organisations and private individuals recognise the importance of preserving our unique history.

RAF Martlesham Heath was, as many of you know, the premier RAF station until 1939, when the Aeroplane and Armament Experimental Establishment was moved to Boscombe Down. The monument records for posterity the aviation achievements on The Heath.

The Air Warfare Centre Chief Engineer at Boscombe Down has agreed to unveil the new monument and the Royal Air Force will salute us with a flypast of the full Battle of Britain Memorial Flight, consisting of a Hurricane, a Spitfire and an Avro Lancaster bomber. We have also been informed that the Red Arrows, who are due to display in France that weekend, will return via Martlesham Heath to perform a flypast in our honour. Of course the appearance of these aircraft is subject to weather conditions and operational requirements.

Representatives from 22 Squadron RAF and 15 Squadron RAF will be present. Both these squadrons were re-formed at Martlesham Heath in 1924 and were engaged in flight and armament testing here. The Ipswich Phoenix Band will also be present.

The ceremony will last just 30 minutes and we look forward to seeing a great attendance. The Barrack square is, of course, on the road to the BT Research Laboratories.

Our next meeting is on Friday June 5th and Mr Tom Wingham will give a talk about his experiences after being shot down in a Halifax bomber during WW2 and evading capture.

Our meetings start at 7:30 pm. Non-members are welcome for a payment of just £2 at the door.

Alan Powell - 01473 622458

MARTLESHAM BRASS

Making Music Fun in East Anglia

The Summer Fete Season is upon us again! In June our bands will be appearing at St Michael's Fete, Tud-denham Fete, St Mary's School (Woodbridge) Fete and Norwood House in Middleton. Our own Summer Fayre is at St Michaels Church Centre, Martlesham Heath, on Saturday June 13th between 2 pm and 5 pm - please come along and join us. All four of our bands will be playing during the afternoon but at 2 pm the Fayre will be opened by a 'Massed Band' performance - we have over 90 members so this should be worth listening to! There will be a BBQ 'sizzling' all afternoon, a Bouncy Castle (for the young at heart!), a Cake Competition, a Hamper Raffle, a Grand Draw and many other stalls. We would love to see you there - book the date!

Our band welcomes new players young and old, with or without experience. Our aim is to encourage anyone who feels they would like to play in a brass band to come and have a go! If you would like to join us, or if you already play or have previously played a brass instrument and feel that you would like to come along and meet us, please contact us via the website or use the contact details below.

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CONCERT BY THE ORWELL SINGERS

AND ST EDMUNDSBURY MALE VOICE CHOIR

The Orwell Singers will be holding a joint concert with the St Edmundsbury Male Voice Choir on Saturday 27th June at 7:30 pm at St John's Church, Cauldwell Hall Road, Ipswich. Tickets will be £8 and will be available on the door or from D Sharman on 01473 635955.

Proceeds will go to The Soldiers, Sailors, Airmen and Families

Association (SSAFA) Forces Help Suffolk Branch.

BRUSHSTROKES EVENING ART GROUP

Many thanks go to Christine Thompson who did your last workshop on portrait painting. We had a lot of guests and enjoyed the evening trying to capture some likeness of the model! Our victim for the night was excellent and very tolerant of us and having to sit still for so long - and no Jon, modelling isn't your future career after BT, best to keep your day job!

This term's workshop on the 21st May will be on acrylic landscapes using pallet knives. If you would like to join us please contact me on the number below.

More members are needed so if anyone would like to keep their interest in art going, why not come along? We meet fortnightly at St. Michael's Church annex from 7:30 to 9:30 pm, tea, coffee and biscuits. Member £12 per term or drop in fee £3, children £2 (must be accompanied by an adult).

Come along and try us out, bring your own equipment and what you would like to paint/draw. Help is on hand, we all vary in ability and ages but enjoy time put aside for some art.

For more information contact Sue Sharman on 01473 610474.

PORTAL WOODLANDS CONSERVATION GROUP

Well, April was a great month, all the new growth poking through, the birds busy about their duties, making nests, wildflowers giving us a flush of colour. And the Portal Woodlands gang busy clearing and cleaning. That's right, you read correctly, cleaning, some of the group helped with a little spring cleaning in the form of a litter pick in the wood. This event was to help support the 'Keep Britain Tidy Campaign'. It was a successful pick, and reassuringly there was not an awful lot to do. So, this means that everyone can give themselves a pat on the back for helping to keep our little wood nice and tidy. Thanks,

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keep up the good work.

As well as the litter pick, volunteers continued clearing, doing some work to the boundaries. We have been asked why we carry out this work. It is essentially responsible management of the woodland, it maintains fire breaks and ensures the woods do not encroach into people's property. If you have a question about our work or would like to know more about our group please contact us using the details below. Or come and join us at our next work day. The supply of yummy cakes just keeps on coming... thank you again Jan. If that's not an incentive, I'm not sure what is!

The Nature Watch Club had their first meeting. They helped plant a wildflower habitat, planting over 100 native wild flowers. They also did a survey of existing flowers in the wood. For more details please go to our website and to book a place send an e-mail to naturewatch.pwgc@martlesham.org.uk

Dates for the diary:

Nature Watch Litter Pick with Martlesham Parish Council - 30th May (see website for more info)

Nature Watch Meeting - 13th June, Butterflies and Dragonflies 10 am - noon

Woodlands Work Morning - Sunday 21st June, 10 am - noon, meet opposite the Police sports field entrance

Glow worm walk - 26th June, meet at the Control Tower at 9 pm

For more information about PWCG and its activities please access our website at:

www.martlesham.org.uk/portalwoodlandsgroup, or if you have any questions please e-mail us at pwgc@martlesham.org.uk or phone Martlesham Parish Council on 01473 612632.

Jocelyn Cook

MARTLESHAM CONSERVATION GROUP

The main event that has captured our attention over the last month was the heath fire that took place on the evening of 6th May. It has burnt out a significant area of vegetation on the site of special scientific interest, particularly gorse,

and a large area of heather, to the southern end. Thanks to the efforts of the multitude of fire crews it was stopped after over an hour but not before it had crossed the fence into the MHHL land and burnt out two large tongues of heather.

It is difficult to estimate the impact of the fire on our local wildlife at this stage. It seems likely that the Silver Studded Blue butterfly population will have suffered as a result. We will know more of the impact when we conduct our survey in July. It is hoped that in the long run the burnt area will recover and will return to an area of extensive heather. However it will take several years.

In May we undertook a survey of birds in the woodland to the south of the village green. We saw and heard a good mix of birds but unfortunately the weather was not very kind being rather blustery and showery, so we suspect that the number are down over previous years.

Our next work party will be on the western corridor heath site of special scientific interest on Sunday 14th June. Meet outside the Douglas Bader at 10 am or join us on the heath.

Please look out for wildlife and let us know if you see something interesting.

If you are interested in helping out with any of the activities of the group please get in touch.

Phil Smith - 01473 625630

SUFFOLK WILDLIFE TRUST

Woodbridge Group

On Saturday 6th June from 10 am to 1 pm we have a Coffee Morning at Foxburrow Farm, Saddlemakers Lane, Melton with plants, cakes, books, water rockets, pond dipping and performances of traditional Suffolk music. There should be something to interest the whole family. Admission is £1, children 50p, which includes a drink of tea or coffee or squash.

On Friday 26th June join us for an evening of Nightjars and Glow worms at Blaxhall Common. Meet at 9:30 pm at the car park just off the B1069, OS grid reference TM382565. We expect to finish

at about 10:30 pm.

On Saturday 4th July we will be going on a walk in search of butterflies in Tunstall Forest. Meet at 2:30 pm at OS grid reference TM381550 where parking is available.

Phil Smith - 01473 625630

MARTLESHAM CARPET BOWLS CLUB

Our AGM was held on 5th May when a few changes were made to our club officials and committee. Our retiring Captain was replaced by Peter Mullett who has been an excellent Vice Captain over the past few years. We wish him great success in the future and feel sure he will receive support from the team players and club members as a whole. Unfortunately our Secretary wished to retire through ill health but luckily we had a volunteer in Bob Wellington (contactable on 01473 624473) who has been a faithful club member over many years and previously has held the positions of Secretary and Treasurer. We feel sure he will be a great asset to the club. Our Catering Manager also wished to retire and as nobody wanted to take on this quite involved task entirely, five members have agreed to work it between them. The retiring members have all agreed to remain on the Committee with the addition of Jackie Sadgrove. We feel sure this will be a successful Committee for the future.

The AGM was followed by presentation of the cups and a few roll-ups for those wishing to participate.

Our first game of the Summer League was played on 15th May against Tuddenham, the result being a seven/three win against us. However, with the reputation of Tuddenham we are quite happy with this result. Better results are expected for future games.

Maureen Banthorp

KESGRAVE TABLE TENNIS CLUB

A reminder that table tennis at Kesgrave Sports Hall will run on Friday

6th June until mid July (term time) and back again in September. Due to the current level of attendance we are only able to take adults from 7-9 pm. All standards welcome. The club operates on a pay and play basis at £3 per session. Contact 01473 610177.

VIRGIN MEDIA PHONE NUMBER

If you are having difficulty finding a satisfactory contact telephone number through which to direct your enquiries to Virgin Media, then please call Paul Keane on 01206 507473.

Paul is a manager with Virgin Media and is based at Colchester. Please contact him if you have any problems and hopefully he can assist you.

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SPEAK EASY @ MARTLESHAM

'The Speaker' – Did you watch the Series?

During 'The Speaker', BBC 2's recent series, thousands of 14 to 18 year olds competed in a series of oratory challenges testing all aspects of their communication skills. Over the episodes the process of elimination whittled down the speakers, eventually crowning one of them Britain's Best Young Speaker!

Programme consultant on 'The Speaker', Sean Kennedy from Dublin, is a member of Toastmasters International and was involved from conception through to broadcast. Did you know that Toastmasters International, a not-for-profit international organization, aims to improve the communication skills of adults (over 18) across the world and is active locally? Speak Easy at Martlesham Speakers' Club is affiliated to Toastmasters International. The Toastmasters International programme helps members acquire new speaking skills and confidence that can help in their domestic, business and social life, within a friendly and fun, supportive atmosphere.

Toastmasters International also runs its own version of 'The Speaker' for members in the form

of contests held twice a year. Speak Easy member Sue Coppens-Browne took part in the most recent contest winning her way onwards and upwards through Club, Area and Division levels of the Evaluation contest culminating in the highly prestigious District Level contest held in the Cotswolds this May. At District Level competitors are competing against other Division winners from throughout the United Kingdom and Eire so it is a great achievement, congratulations Sue!

Speak Easy at Martlesham meets on alternate Thursday evenings at the Richards Room, Martlesham Community Hall, Felixstowe Road, Martlesham, 7 pm for a 7:15pm start. If you would like to find out more feel free to contact Dave Nightingale on 07969 598633 or Ann Nunn on 01728 830462
www.speakeasyatmartlesham.co.uk

GIRLGUIDING MARTLESHAM DISTRICT

invites you to join them in their Reading Tent at Music on the Green Saturday 11th July, 10 am - 5 pm. Come & listen to stories & poems, bring your own to share with us . Face Painting, Crafts, Homemade Jewellery, Book & Side stalls. All proceeds to BookAid International, one of our Girlguiding linked Centenary Challenges

1ST MARTLESHAM HEATH RANGERS QUIZ NIGHT

**THURSDAY 24TH SEPTEMBER
ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH CENTRE
7 PM FOR A 7:30 PM START
COST £5 PER ADULT/£4 U16s**

includes drink & homemade cakes
 All proceeds to Mental Health Foundation, one of our Girlguiding linked Centenary Challenges
 For tickets contact Jo Dixon (01473) 622160 or from July purchase from Duncan's or Memories on The Square

2ND MARTLESHAM HEATH GUIDES

invite you to a
SUMMER FAYRE

**TUESDAY 9TH JUNE, 7:15 - 8 PM
MARTLESHAM SCOUT HUT
Cakes, Jewellery, Games & Refreshments .**

A Girlguiding UK Centenary Challenge in aid of WWF. Please come & help us celebrate our 100th Birthday.

SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM, KESGRAVE

"Getting Better" - The Beatles - from the album St Peppers Lonely Hearts Club Band - 1967 - Parlophone Records

In the year to the end of March 2009, crime in the Kesgrave SNT policing area fell by a whopping 14.5% - a figure we are really pleased with and one that reflects the fact that you live in a safe place.

When you consider that back in 2006, crime for the 3 biggest parishes was in the 4 digit range and it's now down to 760 offences for all 12 parishes, it puts things in perspective I think. A big "well done" to everybody for playing their part in another successful crime fighting year.

You can keep tabs on local crime trends on the internet these days by logging into <http://suffolk.crimemapper.co.uk/map/suffolk-constabulary/> We can improve on the number of 760 and drive it down a bit further I'm sure - but we need to act together - and what I need you to do is to not leave your cars/bikes/sheds/garages/windows or anything else, insecure. Also, I need you to remove property on display in cars.

As a police service, we've been repeating the same old 'lock it or lose it, don't leave it on display' message for as long as I can recall but it's as relevant now as it was 22 years ago when I started in this job.

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 Switchboard (24/7) 01473 613500

SOMERSHAM WARD SUPPORT GROUP CANCER UNIT

Ipswich Hospital

Following a very successful event in 2008 'Hide Away' and 'Cornerways' Brock Lane, Martlesham will again be holding a:

Coffee Morning

on Saturday 20th June from 10 am until noon.

Gardens will be open - there will be refreshments, Bring & Buy, cake stall, Raffle.

Parking available -

entrance adjacent to Home Meadow Nursery.

LIONS CLUB OF WOODBRIDGE & DISTRICT

**Elmhurst Extravaganza,
Sunday 3rd May**

Despite the uncertain weather, a good crowd attended the annual Elmhurst Extravaganza, in the beautiful setting of Elmhurst Park, Woodbridge, enjoying attractions ranging from Punch & Judy and donkey rides to bouncy castles and a brass band, not forgetting the Whoopie Dipper. Our thanks to everyone who came along, the various stall holders and Woodbridge Red Cross. The Lions took the opportunity to present the Woodbridge Red Cross team with a PC and projector, to enable them to carry out training courses in and around the town without the need to borrow equipment.

We expect to have raised over £1000 from the event, which will be returned to the community; the principal beneficiary will be the Woodbridge Home Start service, which provides invaluable support to young families.

ST ELIZABETH HOSPICE ROUND UP

**Volunteers required at
distribution centre**

St Elizabeth Hospice is looking to increase its team of volunteers at their distribution centre on Rapier Street in Ipswich.

If you are interested please contact Stuart Fisher, distribution centre manager on 01473 604097.

Hats amnesty at your local Hospice shop

Do you have any hats you don't want anymore or are you looking for a hat for a wedding or Newmarket ladies day? St Elizabeth Hospice is holding a hat amnesty from Monday 22nd June – Saturday 27th June.

If you would like more information please contact the fundraising team on 01473 723600 or visit www.stelizabethhospice.org.uk

Open Garden on Sunday 21st June

This is to be held at 1 Blandford Place, Broke Hall Estate, Ipswich, IP3 8SL, 11 am - 4:30 pm. Plants, jams, pickles and craft items for sale as well as tea and cakes.

Entrance fee a donation to St Elizabeth Hospice.

MARTLESHAM CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

**Black Tiles Lane www.m-c-f.org
Is happiness external or internal??**

A certain football club owner has recently doubled his millions, has a large super yacht berthed in the south of France, and is busy renovating a multi-million pound house in the West Country (no! - he's not a politician!).

For many people this would equate to 'happiness' - Heaven on earth!

The bible's recipe for happiness is somewhat different, and has more to do with our attitudes and internal motivations.

Psalm 1 puts it this way :-

"Happy is the man who does not follow the advice of weak people, but who delights in the law of God, meditating on it day and night. He is like a tree, planted by streams of water, which yields fruit in season."

Jesus gave similar teaching in his sermon on the mount (Matthew Ch. 5). He said, "Happiness comes to those who do not boast of themselves. Happiness belongs to those who are meek, who hunger and thirst after right living, are pure in heart, who show mercy, etc."

An American missionary, who gave his life, taking the Christian Gospel to a South American tribe, said, "He is no fool, who gives what he cannot keep, to gain that which he cannot lose."

We cannot take our yachts to heaven, but with hearts that are pure, merciful and unselfish, we can bring a bit of heaven to earth!

ACTIVITIES IN JUNE

Sundays - Worship and Teaching - 10 am, Communion - 11:45 am

Mondays - Monday Club (Yrs 6 and 7), 3:45 to 5 pm

Tuesday Circle - June 9th, 2 pm - "A Special School in Zambia"

Wednesdays - House Groups - 7:30 pm

Thursdays - Mums and Toddlers - 10 am, Youth Club - 7 pm

Fridays - Friends on Friday - 10 am

For further information ring Julia Faulkner (01473 625482) or John Mellen (01473 624401).

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

10th-16th May - Thank you very much to everyone who contributed to this house-to-house collection, and many thanks to all the collectors who made this possible. We will be counting the contents of all the envelopes and will have the final total ready for the next issue of the Monthly. Any uncollected envelopes can be sent directly to Christian Aid at their freepost address on the envelope, or returned to the church. Donations can also be made online at www.caweek.org

Together we are helping to make a big difference to the many people who live in poverty in the world today. Thank you.

Carolyn Smith and Chris Cobb

BRIGHTWELL CHURCH

At the AGM the 'team' remains unchanged with Marjorie Manning and Sandie Little staying as Churchwardens and the other lay members were re-elected "unopposed"!

June sees a wedding at the Church on the 20th and on the same day The Parish Walk followed by a barbeque. Meet under the new Village sign ready for a 3 pm start. Thanks to the usual village team for all the arrangements.

A coffee morning has been arranged at 239 Main Road, Kesgrave, with Sandie and Brian Little as hosts, 10 am to noon.

As a departure from our regular Service programme there will be no Evensong on Sunday 14th as we will be supporting Newbourne in their Evensong as part of a Flower Festival Weekend. They also have a Concert on Saturday 13th (tickets from Marjorie on 01473 622512).

Into July we will be having a Coffee Morning at the Church on July 17th as part of Churches open week.

Geoff Lambert, PCC Secretary
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ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH Martlesham Heath

The **All Age Worship** Service at St Michael's has had a radical restructuring over the last year. During the hour long service you may find drama, stories, a quiz and craft activities for younger children as well as lively songs. Our Christian message is delivered in a style everyone can understand. If you or your children would like to come to Church but don't want to sit still for an hour then this is the place for you! The service begins at 9:45 am on the first Sunday of each month and you would be most welcome.

FROM MARTLESHAM CHURCH

We are living in times of financial insecurity - many have lost their jobs, others are anxious they may lose their jobs. The media does nothing to allay our fears, and can you believe all you hear and see? Where do we go from here?

Jesus is the way, the truth and the life and following him does show us how we can change our lives for the better. He can bring light into darkness and joy into anxiety. Would you like to know more? Why not contact one of our ministry team - their names and phone numbers are on the Church page, or just come to one of our services where you will receive a warm welcome.

God Bless You, wherever you are and whatever your situation.



THE CHURCH IN MARTLESHAM & BRIGHTWELL

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Services for the Month	Brightwell St. John's	Martlesham St. Mary's	Martlesham Heath St. Michael's
Sunday 7th June Trinity Sunday	8am Family Holy Communion	11am Holy Communion BCP	9:45am All Age Worship 6:30pm Informal Worship
Sunday 14th June Trinity 1		8am Holy Communion 11am All Age Worship	9:45am Family Holy Communion & Junior Church
Sunday 21st June Trinity 2	8am Holy Communion	11am Family Holy Communion	9:45am Worship & Junior Church 6:30pm Youth Service
Sunday 28th June Trinity 3	6:30pm Evensong	8am Holy Communion 11am Matins including Baptism	9:45am Family Holy Communion & Junior Church
Sunday 5th July Pentecost Trinity 4	8am Holy Communion	11am Holy Communion	9:45am All Age Worship 6:30pm Informal Worship
Sunday 7th June Palm Sunday	8am Holy Communion	11am Holy Communion BCP	9:45am All Age Worship 6:30pm Inf. Worship

MIDWEEK SERVICES: Holy Communion each Wednesday at 10am in St Michael's Church Centre. Bright Stars will meet at 10:30am on Monday 8th and 22nd June in St Michael's Church Centre. A warm welcome awaits you at all the above services.

PRAYER DIARY FOR JUNE

Please pray each day for peace in the world, and:

- 5 for the archbishop's visit to Bury St Edmunds
- 6 for a successful Fete
- 7 pray to Father Son and Holy Spirit (Trinity Sunday)
- 8 for all at the Bright Stars Service
- 9 for those in hospital
- 10 for the residents of Crown Close
- 11 give thanks for Gods gifts of bread and wine (Corpus Christi)
- 12 for all school children
- 13 for all those at the Church Roadshow at Adastral Park
- 14 for those preparing for Ordination
- 15 for all going on MU Holiday to Kent
- 16 for all teachers in schools and colleges
- 17 for the residents of De Brink on The Green
- 18 for all clergy
- 19 for victims of Domestic Violence
- 20 for the Church Roadshow at Newmarket
- 21 for all fathers and fatherhood
- 22 for family relationships

- 23 for the Lord to reach all drug abusers
- 24 for the residents of Deben Avenue
- 25 for all members of Parliament
- 26 for victims of torture
- 27 for the Church Roadshow at Athelington Hall
- 28 for wisdom and vision
- 29 give thanks for Apostles Peter and Paul
- 30 for all missionaries
- JULY 1 for the residents of Desmesne Gardens
- 2 for all doctors and nurses
- 3 for those who have doubts
- 4 for our local community