



Barrington Bulletin

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BARRINGTON VILLAGE HALL

THE NEXT COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNING AND PRODUCE MARKET is on Saturday 28th July 10 am – 12 noon. It's the turn of the village hall trustees to provide the refreshments. All our usual producers will be there so why not pop in for a 'bacon buttie' or home-made cake with fresh coffee etc. Your support is always appreciated and we look forward to seeing you.

The new '**magazine swap**' feature which started in April is very successful and will be continuing. You can bring along any magazine, swap it for one already in stock or simply just take away a magazine of interest to you.

£50 PRIZE DRAW: The winning number will be drawn towards the end of the 28th July Community Coffee Morning. There are some free numbers remaining so call Ian on 55955 to stand a chance of winning.

VILLAGE HALL FETE – Saturday 25th August 2-5pm. This year's fête is well under way! Thank you to those of you who came to our pre- fête quiz night to raise funds to pay for the Phoenix Brass Band and the children's magician. We raised **over £550**. A huge thank you to our sponsors & the trustees who organised the event. We still need a few more residents to look after stalls and activities at the fête so please call Gill on 53275 if you can help. The PCC will be managing fête afternoon teas; if you are able to help in anyway please speak to Robert or Margaret Stone.

FETE GRAND RAFFLE – we will be selling tickets shortly for the Grand Raffle at the fête. We are still pulling together a series of impressive prizes; if you can make a donation yourself or have any good ideas please call Eileen on 351967

VILLAGE TRAWL is scheduled for **Sunday 19th August at 11 am**. It's time to have a sort out and de-clutter. We will send out a flyer with the August Bulletin to remind you all.

SOCIAL TABLE TENNIS The July dates for social table tennis are: Tuesdays 3rd, 10th, 24th and 31st, from 7-8pm. Everyone is welcome. For more information, contact Ray Cockburn on 07443 593172.

BARRINGTON UKULELE MUSICAL STRUMMERS (BUMS)

DO YOU PLAY THE UKULELE? Barrington ukulele musical strummers now meet on a Thursday evening at the Lamb & Lion, Hambridge at 7.45 pm in the wine and port room. We are a small group but we'd love it if one or two more players would come along and join in, even if only occasionally. Any questions call Felicity 53568, or just turn up!

BARRINGTON BELLS

BARRINGTON BELLS NEED YOU! The bells in Barrington church are not heard very often these days, but we are trying to remedy this by creating and training a team of bell ringers. We have a small core of potential ringers, but need a few more to move things forward. Forget the dumbbells and ring church bells for physical and mental exercise – for all ages from 12 upwards. We have an experienced local ringer ready and waiting to teach you and plan to run sessions one evening a week. Above all, we aim to have fun learning and ringing! If you want to give it a try, contact Robert Stone on 01460 53472 or email robert@restone.co.uk and come along to a taster session.

BARRINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

SUMMARY OF THE JUNE MEETING. Planning consultant Jo Fryer gave a presentation to Councillors on possible options for developing the land opposite the village hall for housing. Councillors co-opted and welcomed Tom McKnight as a new Parish Councillor. The Outdoor Fitness Fund has now reached a total of £11,485 following the award of a Community Grant from South Somerset District Council and we are now ready to place an order for the equipment! A planning application to replace the thatch on a village cottage was considered – there were no objections from the Parish Council. For further details of the meeting – see the PC minutes on the village website or on the noticeboards.

BARRINGTON & DISTRICT GARDENING SOCIETY

The annual Plant Sales and coffee morning raised a wonderful £519, thank you to all those who contributed plants and cakes, helped to sell them and set up the hall and marquee and to all those who bought the goods.

The next meeting is **Tuesday 17th July at 7.45pm** in the Village Hall with a talk on **World Wild Life Conservation** by Dawn Lawrence. Dawn is a consultant ecologist, writer and illustrator on rare and endangered wild animals. New members and visitors will be made very welcome.

The Programme (including entry form) for the **Annual Flower, Vegetable, Craft & Art Show to be held on Saturday 4th August** has been delivered with your Bulletin. Entry forms and fee (20p per class entry) should be delivered to Stuart Thomson, Allenbury Cottage, Barrington by **Thursday 2nd August**.

For any further details about the Gardening Society please contact Robin Le Clercq 01460 54691

BARRINGTON PLAYERS

Barrington Players have been entertaining audiences for over eleven years with award winning drama, supper plays, panto and variety shows. **But we need more local people to get involved NOW!** Whether you want to tread the boards, try your hand at performing or help backstage with a variety of creative and fun activities, we can guarantee you'll be made to feel very welcome. Join us now to benefit from a great social activity that is both entertaining and rewarding. No experience necessary and you don't have to live in Barrington to get involved! We're a lively, friendly bunch from surrounding villages, aged from 6 to over 60 +!

We Can't Do It Without You, so PLEASE DO NOT LET THIS BE THE FINAL CURTAIN! To find out what we can offer and ensure the continuation of this lively, much loved group, come along to our key meeting on **Monday 23rd July at Barrington Village Hall from 7.30 pm.** For more information see our website at www.barringtonplayers.co.uk

MAY 100 CLUB WINNERS

1st C Burkhardt 136 £24.75 2nd B Lushington 98 £14.85 3rd J East 144 £9.90

VILLAGE EVENTS – JULY 2018

Sunday 1st July	Evensong (1662 service)	6 pm St Mary's Church
Tuesday 3rd July	Open/Social Table Tennis	7.00 – 8.00 pm Village Hall
Thursday 5th July	Art Workshop	9.30 am – 12.30 pm Village Hall
Sunday 8th July	Modern Communion	10 am St Mary's Church
Tuesday 10th July	Parish Council Meeting	7.30 pm Village Hall
Tuesday 10th July	Open/Social Table Tennis	7.00 – 8.00 pm Village Hall
Sunday 15th July	Worship for All	10 am St Mary's Church
Tuesday 17th July	Gardening Club - World Wild Life Conservation.	7.45 pm Village Hall
Sunday 22nd July	Holy Communion (1662 service)	8.45 am St Mary's Church
Monday 23rd July	Barrington Players Key meeting	7.30 pm Village Hall
Tuesday 24th July	Open/Social Table Tennis	7.00 – 8.00 pm Village Hall
Saturday 28th July	Coffee Morning & Produce Market	10 am – 12 noon Village Hall
Tuesday 31st July	Open/Social Table Tennis	7.00 – 8.00 pm Village Hall

REGULAR EVENTS AT THE VILLAGE HALL & CONTACTS

Art Workshops	Thursdays 9.30 am – 12.30 pm	Felicity Murray 01460 53568
Bridge Club	Wednesdays 7 pm Rubber - all standards welcome.	Lesley Jones 01460 53234
Bridge Club	Mondays 2-5 pm Duplicate - newcomers welcome.	Pat Farr 01460 241241
Coffee/Produce Market	4 th Saturday of most months 10 am – 12 noon	Gill Clifton 01460 53275
Gardening Club	3 rd Tuesday of most months 7.45 pm	Robin Le Clercq 01460 54691
Historical Dance	3 rd Sunday of most months 1 – 4 pm	Ann Hinchliffe 01935 472771
Parish Council	2 nd Tuesday of each month 7.30 pm	Marion Lewis 01460 249647
Pilates	Mondays 9.30 – 10.30 am	Belle Palmer 01460 249576
Pilates/Zumba	Tuesdays 8.30 – 9.30 am	Lisa Rock 01460 241629
Pre-School	Mon to Fri (school term) 9.00 am - 3.00 pm	01460 391072 or 07938 016319
Table Tennis	Mondays 7 - 9 pm - all welcome.	Royston Brice 01460 53413
Tai Chi	Fridays 9.30 to 10.30 am	Huw Morgan 01460 52645
Yoga	Mondays 11.15 am -12.15 pm	Di Ramsay 01823 345626

TO HIRE THE VILLAGE HALL telephone 01460 200360 or email bookings@barringtonvillagehall.co.uk . Between now and September the hall is available for use every Monday evening. For full details of the facilities at the Village Hall visit www.barringtonvillagehall.co.uk

OTHER USEFUL CONTACTS

Barrington Boar	01460 259281	Local PCSO	Malissa Thompson 07889 655531
Barrington Players	Gill Clifton 01460 53275	Parish Clerk	Sue Applegate 01460 391016
Cricket Club	Kevin Smith 01460 55939	Rector	Geoff Wade 01460 240228
Footpath, Tree Officer	Jocelyn Wild 01460 52580	Football Club	John Martin 01460 281560

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