

At Peasmarsh Memorial Hall in April

Peasmarsh Parish Council

Tuesday 3rd at 7.30pm in the Meeting Room – Residents are cordially invited to raise any concerns or issues they may have

Doctors Surgery

Tuesday 3rd between 11.30am and 12.30pm. To book an appointment contact Rye Medical Centre on 01797 223333

Farmers Market

Wednesday 4th, 18th and 25th from 9am to 12 noon - Selling a large a range of items such as Meat, Cheeses, Pies, Cakes, Fruit & Veg, Bread, Avon products, Gifts and more

Hall of Crafts

Saturday 7th from 11am to 5pm - The first one of 2018 there will be some regular stall holders and some new ones plus the snack bar serving a range of sandwiches, burgers and cakes - **Please note these will now be on Saturdays throughout 2018**

Flower Arranging

Wednesday 11th from 10am to 12 noon - Theme is "An Arrangement in a Pin Holder" For more details contact Deirdre Bull 01797 230208

Film Club

Friday 20th at 7.30pm - The film being screened is "Manchester by the Sea" - Contact Hilary on 01797 230205 about membership

Regular weekly activities

Brownies Monday 16th, 23rd and 30th at 6pm N.B. Jitterbugz This activity has now ceased due to low attendance

Sing For Fun Wednesday 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th at 2pm

Mothers and Toddlers Thursday 19th, and 26th at 9.30am

Zumba Thursday 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th at 7.30pm

Football Training Sessions over Easter

Bourne's Sports Association will be running a 2 day soccer school for 5-13 year old boys and girls at Peasmarsh Recreation Ground during Easter holidays on Thursday 12th and Friday 13th. The cost is £30 per child and Peasmarsh Parish Council has once more negotiated a 50% reduction on this price for children from Peasmarsh. Please note that this reduced rate is only available to parents living in Peasmarsh

For more details email bournessportsassociation@gmail.com - mobile 07540934487 - visit peasmarshmh.btck.co.uk

A really big thank you to everyone who supported the Marie Curie charity collection at Jempsons'. £853.11 was raised over the three days which was good considering the awful weather conditions! A special thank you to the collectors. People appreciated your cheerfulness on a cold snowy day. *Sue Cavilla.*



Are you proud of your garden ? Volunteers from the church are planning a Peasmarsh Open Gardens Day in July (7th or 8th) Anyone interested in participating is invited to contact Jenny Als (230324) and attend a "planning meeting" at Millwood (Mackerel Hill - just down the lane from Flackley Ash) on Tuesday, April 17th at 2pm.

Concert & Candlelit Dinner in the Church. Monday May 7th. 6.30pm Music by composers associated with Vienna, played on instruments from the Richard Burnett Heritage Collection (ex Finchcocks) Further information, tickets (£17.00) etc from Lawrence Wood (230489) or Jennifer Als (230324)

Community Speed Watch

In September 2017 a Vehicle Activated Sign (VAS) was installed to monitor traffic entering the village from the direction of Rye. When activated it records the date, time and speed of vehicles. To date it has recorded between 40,000 and 45,000 vehicles a month and of these around 1200 a day are travelling in excess of 36 mph with some as high as 65 mph. Since forming in September 2014 the Peasmarsh Speed Watch group had been running regular monitoring sessions but in June 2017 had to stop due to a lack of volunteers. Because of budget cuts and other pressures speeding traffic is now a low priority for the police and they are more reliant than ever on Community Speed Watch groups to help fill the gap

If you would like to help reduce the speeding traffic through the village and revive the speed watch group please come to the Parish Assembly on 9th May at 7.30pm to learn more

Mobile Library Service

East Sussex County Council has announced that the mobile library service will cease as from Saturday 5th May 2018. Next visits to Peasmarsh are scheduled for 5th and 26th April - 10.20am to 10.40am in the lay-by outside the Memorial Hall If you currently have books on loan you may wish to check with the mobile library as to how to return them after these dates

Charity Boot Fair - Monday April 2nd

Jempsons car park from 7am in aid of Rye Bonfire Society - hard-standing pitch (bookable on the day) from £5

Bookings Clerk

The Peasmarsh Memorial Hall Management Committee is seeking a Bookings Clerk to assist in the smooth running of the Hall. The candidate must be computer literate and live in Peasmarsh but the hours are flexible. For further information and a copy of the Job Description or to have an informal chat about it, please contact Hilary Pankhurst 01797 230205 or email peasmarshmh@btconnect.com.

Advanced Notices for May

Annual Parish Assembly - Wednesday 9th at 7.30pm

Neighbourhood Watch No Cold Calling Zone Community Speed Watch East Sussex Police KSS Air Ambulance

<u>Rye 10</u> The 7th running of this race, in aid of The Memorial Hall, will take place on Sunday 27th and we shall be asking for volunteers to act as course marshals - more details in the May edition

Flower Festival at Peasmarsh Parish Church. Saturday May 26th to Monday 28th