



Peasmarsh Periodical



December 2012

peasmarsh Revived

What's going on at the hall ?
Lots of activity !

The builders have been in since the end of October, demolishing the old committee room, opening up the roof space and laying the foundations for a new floor. It is quite amazing how quickly things are moving.



The collection box in Jempson's has to-date raised £469 and we would like to thank Jempson's for their on-going support and express our sincere thanks to all who have donated including the kind donor who gave £100 last month.

Despite our generous grant from the BLF, £25,000 from Rother District Council and other grant funding we still need to raise more money to complete the project.

If you would like to make a contribution please contact Jenny Als, David Pankhurst, Audrey Dent or any other members of the Hall Committee.

PLEASE COME AND SUPPORT THE
PEASMARSH & DISTRICT W.I. CHOIR
who will be singing carols at Rye Methodist Church from 7.30pm on Thursday, December 13th.
Entry is free, but there will be a collection in aid of **RYE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**.
There will be refreshments available after the performance.

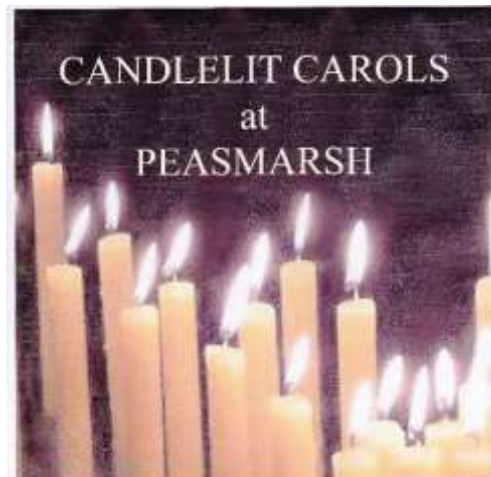
Message from P C Nigel Collins

"Over the last few weeks a series of burglaries have occurred in the Iden and Peasmarsh areas and we are appealing for local people to be vigilant in keeping an eye out for suspicious behaviour.

"I'd like to firstly offer reassurances that Rother is still a very safe place to live and that crime rates are still low. Over the last couple of weeks both uniformed and plain clothed police patrols have been stepped up in the areas affected by these burglaries and they will continue but we need your help too.

"We rely on you for information that could lead to not only the detection of a crime but stopping it from happening in the first place so please continue to contact Sussex Police on 101 with any information about suspicious people, behaviour or vehicles.

If you would like to receive crime prevention advice then please contact us at Rye Police Station or for more information go the Sussex Police website at www.sussex.police.uk.



Sunday, December 16th
7.00pm
in the Church

Christmas Eve Midnight Service 11.30pm
Revd Dick Dengate will officiate
Christmas Morning Service 10.00 am
Revd Dr Bill Dolman will officiate

Peasmarsh Community Christmas Fair

at The Pavilion, Peasmarsh Recreation Ground

Sunday, December 9th 2.00-4.00pm

Cakes, Decorations, Cards, Gifts, Mulled wine & mince pies

Please come and support local charities and good causes

LOOKING BACK

2012 has been quite a year for Peasmarsh:

In February Fr Christopher Hopkins retired after 30 years leaving us without a stipendiary Vicar – but we are grateful that Fr Bill Dolman is here to carry on at the church.

In June hundreds of villagers took part in a Jubilee Fete to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee.

The first RYE RUN took place (in Peasmarsh actually) and will become an annual event.

The first Peasmarsh Chamber Music Festival was a great success

The VAS traffic calming sign is actually up and working

We heard that our bid for a BLF grant for the Hall had been successful in August and work commenced in October.

"Youth in Motion" project for the young people started.

.A new leader for our flourishing Brownie Pack was found. (We still need another "owl")

Volunteers supported 2 busy "Action Days" in the churchyard.

We often moan about lack of community spirit in our village, but we must be grateful to all the energetic and enthusiastic people who work so hard to ensure that all these things happen

.....and a lot of other things as well.

Have you found the Peasmarsh Periodical a useful source of information about what is going on in our village ?

This newsletter is funded by the Parish Council, The Hall Committee, the Recreation Ground Committee and the Friends of Peasmarsh Parish Church. Any donations towards the printing costs would be welcome as they would reduce the monthly contributions from these bodies.

Keep Active !

We may not have a Hall at the moment, but next summer will soon be here. We hope that there will be something for everyone in Peasmarsh before long. If you would like to register an interest in any of the following, get in touch: dap43@btinternet.com or jals@millwood324.fsnet.co.uk

("In no particular order ")

Choir/Singing (Re-starting 2013)

Bellringing/handbell ringing

Brownies/Guides/Cubs/Scouts

Short mat bowls

Lunch Club

Youth Club

Bingo/Quiz Nights (re-starting 2013)

Line dancing/Ballroom Dancing/Zumba

Mothers(Fathers) & Toddlers (restarting 2013)

Computer Club

Judo/Karate/Yoga/Pilates

Gymnastics

Further Education

Satellite Medical Centre

What else would be good ?

If you, or someone you know could help deliver one of these activities, please let us know !