

# At Peasmarsh Memorial Hall in December

**Doctors Surgery** Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> between 11.30am and 12.30pm - This service is available to all Peasmarsh residents who are registered with the centre - to book an appointment contact Rye Medical Centre on 01797 223333

**Peasmarsh Parish Council** Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm in the Meeting Room - Residents are cordially invited to raise any concerns or issues they may have

**Flower Arranging** Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> at 10am to 12.30pm - Theme is 'An Arrangement with a Candle' - This will be a combined Christmas Celebration with the Brede Flower Arranging Group - More details from Deirdre Bull 01797 230208

**Film Club** Friday 8<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm - The film will be "Hell or High Water" - Contact Hilary on 01797 230205 about membership

**Hall of Crafts** Saturday 2nd from 11am to 4pm - There will be some of our regular stall holders and some new ones and of course the snack bar serving a range of sandwiches, burgers and cakes

**Attic and Collectors Fair** Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 2pm - Regular and new stall holders will be there plus the snack bar for sandwiches, burgers etc

### Rye Area Children's Community Choir

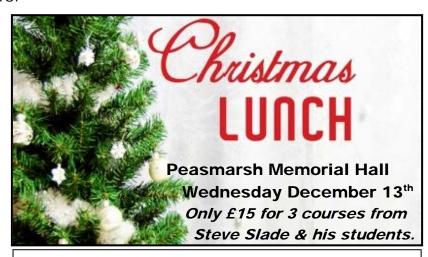
The choir will be taking a temporary holiday in the New Year and it is hoped to restart again in Spring/Summer of 2018

For more information contact Marian Ham on 07947806712 or email dmham128@btinternet.com

## **October Half Term Sports**

The 2 day training sessions at the recreation ground run by Bourne Sports Association saw a total of 30 children taking part with 16 of the children being from Peasmarsh and it is hoped to run these session in half term and school holidays during 2018 We should like to thank Bourne Sports Association for their generous donation of £50 from the training sessions which will go towards the fundraising for the new play space.

It is hoped to continue running these sessions in Half term and school holidays throughout 2018.



For menu & to book please go to peasmarshmh.btck.co.uk

#### **BUS SERVICE.**

The Parish Council was informed that Renown who operates the 313 service had given notice to East Sussex County Council of their intention to terminate their contract with the council from 23<sup>rd</sup> December.

The County Council has been urgently seeking a new operator for the service and the Parish Council is closely monitoring the situation and pressing the County Council to resolve this as quickly as possible.

STOP PRESS! We have just been informed that Stagecoach will be running the 313 from 24th December!

More details on the new timetable etc will follow in the January PP.

### An addition to the Hall Calendar:

15th/16th December 10 am to 5pm at Peasmarsh Memorial Hall - Exhibition "Four Seasons" - a collection of limited edition screen prints introducing Shirley Parker Gore who has just moved to Peasmarsh. Please do come along and support - perhaps a last minute Christmas gift purchase!

#### **Playspace**

The Committee has selected Wickstead (the company who provided the existing playspace) to build our new one for us. It should provide something to excite all our youngest villagers, as well as the long-promised adult exercise frames. It has taken a long time, but at last we are "on the way"! And thank you, to the members of what was the "Village Society" for donating their remaining funds to this project.

Children! Please bring the toys you no longer play with, and your families, to the "TOY SERVICE" at Peasmarsh Church at 10 o'clock on Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. DEMELZA HOUSE badly needs these toys to help with their work with sick children. It is a short service with plenty of activities for the younger children.



As we come to the end of another year we can look back over more than 6 years' delivery of the "Peasmarsh Periodical". The first pilot edition was published and delivered at the beginning of June 2011, organised by the Jubilee Committee and the Hall Committee.

I don't think we have missed a month since.

We are grateful that the Parish Council now takes financial responsibility for the publication and we are still able to offer this free service to the village.

It seems a good moment to thank publicly those residents who give the time and effort every month, come rain or shine, to deliver the PPs for us – many for the whole 6 years, and some for a shorter time, but no less valued.

As they say on the telly, "In no particular order .....

Thank you to.. Robin Thompson, John Roberts, Jacky Burren, David and Hilary Pankhurst, Robin Dent, Jim Howdle, David Wells, Caroline Buchner, Jan Weston, Dee Bull, Jean Watt, Peter Lamont, Marie Ballard, Gillian Metcalf, Julie Masters (Sue Cavilla, Norma Turner and Terry and Pat Hogan for filling in when we are stuck) and yours truly. Jenny Als

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A BRIGHT NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR READERS!