



Peasmarsh Periodical



October 2013



MEMORIAL HALL MATTERS

With this edition of the periodical you will be receiving an invitation for anyone in your household to attend the Opening

Ceremony of our re-furbished hall on the afternoon of Saturday, October 12th. The ceremony will be performed by Andy McConnell who is the glass expert on the Antiques Road Show, and the proprietor of Glass Etc in Rye

There will be refreshments, and a selection from the Village Archive for you to enjoy.

Come and help us celebrate this great achievement

As most of you already know the hall is already in use – and greatly admired !

Our Lunch Club providers are anxious to get started and the first "lunch" will be on Monday, October 7th at 1.pm. A 2-course meal will cost you £5.50, and on this occasion the menu will be lasagne & salad with garlic bread (with a vegetarian option) followed by apple crumble.

You can get your ticket (by Friday lunchtime at the latest) from any of the following ladies: Fay Curd at 34 The Maltings (230427), Mary Hitchins at 2 The Old Hop Gardens (230665), Pat Masters at 1, Dundee Cottages, School Lane (230442), or Barbie Vane at Jasmine House, Main Street (230247)

Apologies for a wrong link last month.

Details about the hall are on www.peasmarshmh.org.uk and the old www.peasmarsh.org.uk will shortly be up and running again as a site dedicated to parish council business.

Link to Hope

Sue Cavilla is asking for your support for the charity **Link to Hope** (formerly Link Romania). The charity has been renamed because it delivers aid not only to Romania but also to Moldova, Bulgaria, The Ukraine and Albania.

If you feel you are able to fill a shoebox with gifts such as soap, toothbrushes, sweets etc for a family or elderly person, then please collect a leaflet from the church or contact Sue Cavilla (230431) for more information.

Found ! a set of keys at the bottom of Church Lane where it meets the main road. They have been taken into Rye Police station. If you have lost them please collect them from the Police Station Monday to Friday 10am -2pm

Community Speed Watch

The Co-ordinator of this group reports that those who have signed up will be having a "Get to know you" session this week.

With just 2 members yet to complete their training there will shortly be 10 trained operators and they will be ready to make a start.

Congratulations and thanks to all these volunteers who have taken the time and the trouble to move this project forward.

..... And for the rest of us, when we drive through the village let's make sure it isn't us who are speeding !



MUSIC AT PEASMARSH



A TASTE
OF
HANDEL

PEASMARSH CHURCH
SUNDAY NOVEMBER 17TH 4PM

SCRATCH PERFORMANCE OF MESSIAH
(PART 1)

You can sign up for one of 3 categories:

- A. Those who are experienced choral singers and know the work well and will attend for the performance and a final rehearsal in the morning on November 17th.
- B. Those with some knowledge of the work who will attend practices when possible and encourage
- C. Those who are inexperienced but would like to give it a go and are prepared to attend most practices

Registration forms in the church or from jals@millwood324.fsnet.co.uk or Deidre Bull at johnbull113@btinternet.com

We badly need more tenors & basses !!

IT'S HARVEST TIME !

Harvest Festival Service at All Saints' Church, Beckley 10 am, Sunday October 13th.

Peasmarsh School service,

Friday, Oct 11th at 9.am

Beckley School service,

Friday Oct 11th at 2.30.pm



Around the Village

Improvements to the stream on the parish boundary at Malthouse Lane (next to the pumping station) are taking place thanks to the Community Pay-back Team.

So far there is no sign of roadworks to improve the surface of Tanhouse Lane and Mill Lane. The Parish Clerk has asked the Highways Steward for information as to when we can expect this work to be done.

New waste bins ordered for the Recreation Ground have arrived and will shortly be installed. Please use them.

The Highways Road Safety Team have instigated a feasibility study for a traffic island at the east end of the village. They will contact us when they have prepared the design and cost estimate. They will probably expect the parish to pay for it as we did with the electronic sign at the west end.

Fun with Flowers



Plans are afoot to arrange some sessions in simple flower arranging for any who would like to learn a little about the basics

and increase their confidence. Nothing definite yet but we will keep you posted. Also watch out for a date for a coffee morning to raise funds for next year's Flower Festival.

To All those who have contributed in any way to the improvements in the churchyard. Thank you for your time, your efforts and your donations. You have made an amazing difference. The upkeep is still costly, so if you intended to send a donation but haven't yet done so, please send something to the PCC Treasurer, Adrian Jenkins, at New Farm Cottage, Wittersham Road, Peasmarsh, TN31 6TD, making cheques out to Peasmarsh PCC.