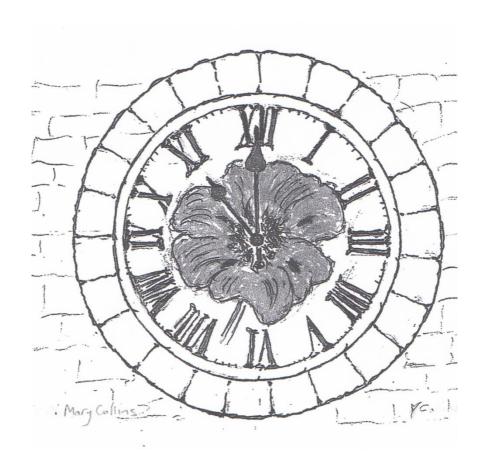
CLEEVE PRIOR NEWSLETTER



NOVEMBER 2023

The Benefice of the East Vale and Avon Villages

The sound of marching feet. Left/right, left/right and then the words of command, "Parade Halt", followed by "Parade Dismiss". These are the memories of the last Parade in which I took part. It was the annual 'Air Officer Commanding' Camp Inspection and Parade at RAF Valley, in Anglesey. Shortly afterwards I would leave the Royal Air Force after 9 years' service in the Accounts Department.

Because I was tall, I was also called upon on numerous occasions to be part of the Guard of Honour at the various camps at which I served. Whilst I did not face any 'theatres of war', I was in Germany at the time of the Cuban Crisis, which was quite nerve racking because of the uncertainty of Russia's intent with its stand-off with the U.S.A.

This month we celebrate "Remembrance Day' and over the past few years, my wife and I have had the privilege to read out the names of the men from Badsey who died in the two World Wars and to realise the great sacrifice which they made for the freedom of our country. They gave their 'today for our tomorrow'.

As we remember their sacrifice let us also bring to mind the fact that Jesus Christ, the Son of God, gave His life and died that we might have salvation and eternal life with Him.

Revd. Ralph Bolland Royal Air Force retired

Reverend Joanna Baxter-Fielding

Bishop John will license Reverend Joanna Baxter-Fielding as Priest-in-charge of The Benefice of East Vale and Avon Villages at 4pm on Sunday 5 November at St Mary & St Milburgh Church, Offenham

St Andrew's Church Services for November 2023

Sun 5 Nov 11.00am Holy Eucharist Revd Clive Leach

4.00pm Licensing of new Incumbent, Revd Jo Fielding

at Offenham, details to be confirmed

Sun 12 Nov **10.45am** Service of Remembrance Rod Carless Sun 19 Nov 9.30am Morning Praise (Said) Rod Carless

11.00am Holy Eucharist with Revd Joanna Fielding

at Badsey

Sun 26 Nov 11.00am Holy Eucharist Revd Joanna Fielding at

Bretforton

6.30pm Compline Rod Carless

Sun 3 Dec 11.00am Holy Eucharist Revd Joanna Fielding

Offenham

6.30pm Compline Rod Carless

Churchwardens Rod Carless 01789 773357 Lis Hughes 01789 772578

Safeguarding in our Benefice Safeguarding Officer – Lisa Farmer Tel.01386 $40401\,$

Safeguarding Advocate – Elizabeth Spencer Tel. 01789 720078

For enquiries concerning Weddings, Baptisms and Funerals contact Faith Quin eastvaleavon.churches@gmail.com

Richard Evans

It is with great sadness that we record the death of Reverend Richard Evans. Richard was the Vicar of the three churches in the old benefice, Middle and North Littleton, South Littleton and Cleeve Prior, for over thirty years and lived in Cleeve Prior for over twelve years from when he retired. His passing was sudden and a great shock for Janet and their sons. Our thoughts and prayers are with them at this sad time but they can be assured of our support.

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

November 2023

The Council meet on the second Monday of every month at 7.30pm, and we allocate time on the agenda for your views, questions, and issues to be raised. You can see full details on our website cleevepriorparishcouncil.co.uk.

Cllr Peter Wilson: Chairman peterwilson@cleevepriorparishcouncil.co.uk Cllr Mary Smith: Vice Chair marysmith@cleevepriorparishcouncil.co.uk

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Cllr Nicky Marshall: nickymarshall@cleevepriorparishcouncil.co.uk

The Parish Council are busy with several significant projects including the Haywoods Way appeal, the ongoing Evesham Road development saga, and the Kings Arms working group.



As the festive season and the New Year approaches, now is as good a time as any to find ways to come together to support each other and the local community. I've recently been reading a book by Cormac Russell – The Connected Community, which I think sums up how we do and can continue to utilise 'hidden talents, assets, and abilities' in our village.

We are looking forward to meeting our new Reverend

Joanna Fielding, who will be licensed in an official ceremony on 5 November and our Chair will be in attendance. A reminder that the litter pick will take place from 10am on the morning of Sunday 19 November if you'd like to participate.

To keep up to date see <u>cleevepriorparishcouncil.co.uk</u>, our village website <u>cleevepriorvillage.co.uk</u> and our village Facebook page facebook.com/cleevepriorvillage.

Please do email me with your comments, news or concerns and we will ensure that they are actioned by the appropriate person. *Stacey*

Stacey Smith

Clerk and RFO to the Parish Council clerk@cleevepriorparishcouncil.co.uk

The Kings Arms

You are probably aware that the Kings Arms is up for sale and is now under offer. Because the property is listed as an "Asset of Community Value" there is a moratorium on the sales process in place until the end of January 2024 to allow members of the community make an offer to buy the pub.

At a well-attended initial public meeting held on Wednesday 11 October, it was unanimous that those attending wish to ensure the survival of the Kings Arms as a thriving centre of our community. A Steering Group of volunteers was created to confirm or otherwise the feasibility of such a project. We held our first meeting on Monday 16th.

Hopefully, you have already received and completed copies of a Community Survey. This is an essential first step in quantifying the support for the proposal amongst the residents of the village and wider community. Having done this, we can enlist the support of organisations such as the Plunkett Foundation to guide us through the complex process especially in relation to accessing any grants that are available for such projects. The survey also allows the Steering Group to understand better what services you, the residents and potential pub users, want a community pub to provide.

For clarity, we must explain that it is not proposed that the Cleeve Prior Parish Council purchase the pub. This is considered to be too large a financial undertaking for this body. As stated in the introduction to the survey, the concept is to finance the project through grants and donations and, to a large extent through the selling of shares in a cooperative Community Benefit Scheme. The share price will be set at a relatively modest level to encourage as wide an ownership participation as possible. Share ownership (whether one, or many) will give the owner voting rights. A detailed Share Offer

Document will be prepared providing, amongst other things, share price, vision and mission statements of the newly formed company, voting rights, potential tax incentives for investors, conditions for withdrawal of share capital, etc, etc.

In the meantime, the Steering Group is busy, contacting the property owner, arranging condition surveys, collecting and collating the survey results, establishing contact with Plunkett, developing business plans to confirm the ongoing financial viability of the project, and necessary for applying for grant aid from as many relevant sources as possible, A further public meeting will be held in a few weeks to provide a progress report.

The members of the Steering Group are: Andy Barnes, John Bidmead, Jonathan Marshall, Kevin Mellor, Ian Robinson, Ron Soloman, Gary Vale, and Gareth Williams plus myself as chairperson.

Brian Williams

St Andrews PCC

Christmas Table Top Sale Saturday 25 November

10.30am – 12.30pm in the Memorial Hall

Cake stall Christmas Fancy Goods

Coffee and Teas

Quality Raffle



NEWS FROM THE SCHOOL



Dear Villagers.

We have finally reached half term, following a busy eight weeks in school!

In the last month we held our Harvest Festival at St Andrews, collecting food to be given to Caring Hands. A big thank you to Mr and Mrs Carless and Mrs Hughes for their help and support in making it such a lovely service and passing our items on to Caring Hands.

We have also had the official opening of our Trim Trail outdoor equipment which was funded, in part, by the William Perkins charity who helped to cut the ribbon on the day.

We also held our annual Open Day on 18 October and were able to show prospective families around our school. We still have places in all year groups and welcome any new visitors you may know of to come and see what we have to offer.

Our Stay and Play sessions for local families will continue on Wednesdays from 9:30 until 11am. These sessions are open to any families with children from 0 to 4 years and are completely free of charge. Please share our posts on Facebook with anyone you think might be interested in coming

On 14 November we have a Rags to Riches collection at school. If you have any unwanted items of clothing that you want to donate we are happy to take bags at any time between now and then. All proceeds made are donated to our PTA to spend on our school.

We are very pleased to have reached the holidays as we have all been working really hard. I look forward to sharing more of our exciting events with you next month.

Sarah Laughlin Head of School



CLEEVE PRIOR WAR MEMORIAL VILLAGE HALL

email: cleevepriormemorialhall@gmail.com

Dates for your Diary



There will be a Dance at the Memorial Hall on
Saturday 11 November with music by
Kevin Grenfell and his band playing Swing, Jazz & Boogie-Woogie
7.30 for 8 pm performance
Bar (credit cards taken)
Tickets £15, pay on the door.
Please confirm seat requirements to
Cleevepriormemorialhall@gmail.com

Sunday 3 December, Christmas Lights switch-on, 6 pm **Tuesday 12 December**, Seniors' Lunch, 12.30 pm Full details in the December Newsletter.

The Newsletter

The next issue will cover December and January, so contributors should include information for January where relevant.

The deadline for entries is Thursday 23 November.

An update from your local policing team...

Your local Neighbourhood Officers are PC Matt Beards, PC Alex Prentice and PCSO Bradley Sansom. They can be contacted by emailing eveshamrn.snt@westmercia.police.uk.

We are actively involved with social media accounts, please follow them for updates on our work, and local events/news. These are @EveshamCops (Twitter) and @EveshamSNT (Facebook).

What have we been up to?

Officers have conducted a drop-in session in one of the villages in the rural north patch. This proved extremely successful, and we will be doing this monthly allowing people from the villages to come and meet us in person. Please keep an eye on social media and Neighbourhood Matters for future dates. Even if the session is not in your village, you are more than welcome to attend any drop-in session to speak with us. This is a great way for you to understand what we are doing in your village, and if there is something that you believe we are not doing, it's a great way to tell us.

Officers have been busy covering the local MOP fair in town. This was an extremely busy weekend for officers, but we were happy to see some local residents who took the time to say hi to us.

We have also been visiting every school on our patch and have dropped off SmartWater and signage. We even got a 'hello, hello, hello' from one of the primary school aged pupils at one the schools which did make us laugh.

Officers across the Evesham Safer Neighbourhood Team have been visiting vulnerable residents across all areas who are at risk of cuckooing. Cuckooing is the term used to describe the actions of gangs who travel to towns and take over the homes of vulnerable people in order to deal drugs. These visits are routine unannounced visits, with the aim to identify and proactively safeguard vulnerable drug users whose premises are likely to be used by dealers.

All of the above is sent through Neighbourhood Matters as well as any engagement sessions we run. We are encouraging people to sign up to this service as it's a great way of finding out what we are up to and where we will be. Please ensure you sign up to this free service.

Take a look at the website for further information: https://neighbourhoodmatters.co.uk/

The Millennium Green Trust

The Trustees of the Millennium Green are looking for help from the Village to carry out basic maintenance works on the Millennium Green on **Sunday 5**November at 10 am.

The jobs we are looking to do are:

Area Descsription

- 1 Alter fence.
- 2 Strim round bench seats, wire-brush down, treat with preservative.
- 3 Clean down signs, treat gates and fencing. Clear undergrowth from access points.
- 4 Cut back overhanging brances, etc. on paths through the wood.
- 5 Clear around the lime kiln to expose stone wall.
- 6 Cut back growth at the edge of the Green.

All materials and equipment will be available but, if you have your own equipment, please bring it along. We look forward to seeing you on the day. Any queries to cleevepriormemorialhall@gmail.com

CHRISTMAS TREES 2023



I hope to be able to take orders for Christmas trees and wreaths this year so, if you are likely to want one, please let me know as soon as possible and I will confirm availability.

> Mick Hughes <u>mahughes@doctors.org.uk</u> 01789 772578 or 07778 188655



NEWS FROM FIELD BARN

Another busy month from Noel and Gina

SCHOOL VISITS are becoming increasingly popular with children and teachers alike. We have recently hosted Our Lady's Catholic Primary School Alcester and Dunnington Primary School. A school visit to our centre at Field Barn will typically comprise of 25 to 30 children of mixed ages from 5 - 7 years. The children take part in a range of outdoor and classroom activities, including hunting for mini beasts in the woodland, pond dipping, bark rubbing, learning to identify fruit trees or visiting our Hovel. At this time of year, the children can pick apples and get involved in pressing them into juice. Each child goes home with one bottle of freshly squeezed apple juice! The children are a delight and their enthusiastic feedback includes offerings such as "Best School Trip Ever!"

The Feedback from school visits is a great testament to the hard work of all our volunteers. Those who work hard all year keeping our orchards, woodland and buildings in good shape, to those on the Education Team for their dedication and creativity, and to those folk who turned out to help the children press apples. As I am sure you might be aware, many volunteers fall into more than one category!! The Trustees who meet once a month strive to deliver improvements in our working practices for everyone involved. We have updated our Safeguarding Policy and trained Education Volunteers who should all shortly be upgraded to Enhanced Disclosure and Barring status. This reassures schools that we take our Safeguarding responsibilities seriously.

A THANK YOU: Cleeve Prior Heritage Trust is a charitable Trust. We operate on behalf of the village. Our volunteers manage around 30 acres of woodland, orchards, ponds and meadows and we could not do it without you and your support, whether by financial donations or supporting our local activities such as the annual Plum Pick. and of course buying our home produced Field Barn Cider. In addition we would like to place on record our thanks to Cleeve Prior Parish Council whose long-standing and ongoing support enables us to continue our work with modern environmentally friendly equipment. Thanks also to those successful quiz teams who donate their winnings to the Trust. It is very much appreciated!

Our newly pressed apple juice is now available at £3 a 75cl bottle. No additives, just juice from the Orchards. A small quantity of cider and plum jam is still available.

Gina Carr, Chairman 07769967243



The Art Club

Another month has passed so quickly! This month we had pleasure in welcoming a new member to our art club. We also enjoyed a very informative as well as challenging session with Mike Bagshaw, who was able to visit and lead a

session for us at the beginning of the month. He brought with him our model, Tim, who managed to sit unflinchingly as we all attempted to draw his portrait. After a demonstration by Mike of how it could be done, we picked up our pencils and got cracking! Some very interesting results, many of which can be seen on the art club website: theartclubcleeveprior.weebly.com. A session which was very much enjoyed by all. A second morning led again by Mike will be held on 9 November at 10 am in the village hall. Once again, any others who are interested to come long are welcome to join us for the morning and take advantage of this opportunity.

The idea of introducing more structure to the Art Club was discussed and themes presented for follow up included working with pastels, designs for cards, possibilities with printing and more work on portrait drawing. Our ideas of sketching outdoors have been put on hold until the warm weather returns! Any other ideas for themes will always be welcome.

Anyone wishing to come along and join the group, or just see who we are and what we get up to will be welcome.

Louise Conneeley

(<u>lousieconneeley@gmail.com</u>), Tel: 01789 7722749



At NWR we try to vary the nature of our meetings, and for our October evening we had an excellent speaker in the form of Sue Ablett, the Organiser and Chair of the Evesham

Festival of Words.

She took us through the development of the Festival from its beginnings as a small weekend event to what is now a year-long Festival with events ranging from a lunch featuring the poetry of John Donne titled No Man is an Island, A walk in the Footsteps of Laurie Lee, Desert Island Poems with Alistair

McGowan, right through the year to a Christmas Tree Festival in All Saints Church Evesham.

Evesham Festival of Words has gained a reputation for being friendly and very well organised under Sue's leadership and this has resulted in Authors and Publishers approaching her asking to be included. She revealed some of the eye watering fees some celebrities charge so that the fact that there are people offering to come for little or no fee is a huge bonus. We attended a talk called DNA Detectives in June and can vouch for the quality of the speakers Sue attracts to the Festival.

We were all given a copy of the outline programme for 2024 and there is a cornucopia of events to choose from. It was an excellent evening – Sue is an engaging, amusing and informative speaker.

The annual NWR Quiz is our next event and this is on WEDNESDAY 15 November at Willow Barn starting at 7.30.

Our Christmas outing will be to Pershore Abbey to hear Pershore Choral performing their traditional Seasonal Concert, the perfect run up to Christmas.

As usual, if anyone would like to hear more about NWR please contact me on evelynwbw@btinternet.com or 01789 772814.

Thank you

Since Richard's death, I have been inundated with the most kind and thoughtful letters and cards and beautiful flowers and I'd like to thank everyone for their support. It has meant a lot to me and my family.

Janet Evans

Cleeve Prior Ramblers

The Cleeve Prior Ramblers latest walk took place on 21 October. We met on the Village Green as usual and then after welcoming our two new members, Margi and Dennis Brown with Molly the dog, travelled to Ebrington near Chipping Campden.

The weather provided a very light drizzle to accompany us on this interesting walk but, thankfully, did not conceal the wonderful country views we encountered. Ebrington is a charming village in Gloucestershire with narrow lanes and streets of Cotswold stone houses. Mentioned in the 1086 Domesday Book it has an interesting church and associated history. We soon left the road out of Ebrington and walked on good paths through open countryside. Not at its best in the dampness but spectacular nonetheless with Autum colours emerging.

Crossing sloping, recently ploughed fields required some special attention but we were soon back on well-made footways. This was a blessing as the recent monsoon rains ensured that everywhere was distinctly waterlogged.



Our coffee stop brought us to the edge of the Foxcote House grounds with an excellent view across the lake to the magnificent house itself, on rising ground behind the lake. This great country house was built in 1740 and is currently owned by the proprietor of the Victoria's Secret chain of lingerie shops. The grounds we walked through are

splendid and beautifully maintained.

The remaining walk back to Ebrington took us along more picturesque paths and varied woodlands. From Ebrington we drove to The Kings Arms in Mickleton to have a welcome lunch in the atmospheric Old Barn that the pub boasts.

Many thanks to Julie and Paul for organising this memorable outing. The next Ramblers walk is scheduled for 18 November and new members are always welcome, so if you would like to be included in the list of email recipients, please contact me at wilsonatparkbourne@btinternet.com

Peter Wilson

Medics to Medics

Defibrillator training and Ukraine fundraiser

Many of you will know Sergii, Mariia and Irina from Ukraine who have been living with us in the village for the past year. Sergii's mother who is still in Kherson, Ukraine had cancer 10 years ago leaving her with a permanent colostomy. As you may imagine, getting medical supplies in Kherson is very difficult. A few months ago we managed to find a group, Medics to Medics, who offered to get stoma bags to her. We are so grateful to them and wanted to help them continue to supply them and provide for others in need in Ukraine. They make regular trips, taking first aid kits for the soldiers and other medical supplies.

Medics to Medics is based in Warwick and is run by Kate. Kate is a paramedic. Part of her work history as a paramedic is clinical research, with a specific interest in out-of-hospital cardiac arrest survival, so she knows the difference early bystander CPR and confidence in using a defibrillator can make to the outcome.

To raise money for her work in Ukraine she has offered to come and do a short drop-in training in using a defibrillator and a talk about her work in Ukraine. All she asks is for a donation. Kate says: "even 50p is amazing as this can supply medicine for a child that they are unable to access in their hospital."

So please come along on: **Friday 17 November, 12.00 noon**, drop-in defibrillator demonstration/training followed by a talk at 1.00 about work in Ukraine. Feel free to bring some lunch with you. Tea and coffee & Ukrainian cakes and snacks will be available. **At Cleeve Prior Memorial Hall.** Please bring your pennies (or even better ££££) to help this amazing group get more aid to Ukraine. Kate will also have bank details if you prefer to give via bank transfer.

If you can't make this date but would like to support Kate's work or arrange for Kate to come and talk about her work or do more defibrillator training for your group, please let me know.

Mandy English mandyenglish.me@gmail.com

Memorial Hall Quiz Night, Sunday 22 October.

With nine teams of up to six participants, the Memorial Hall was well filled for the challenging quiz that Barry Sheen delivered on Sunday night. The expansive bar helped fuel the creative juices which were necessary for some of the questions, while brains were wracked for long-lost memories in subjects ranging from 'AKA', Science and dogs to Myths, UK Counties and general knowledge. The traditional mid-contest picture quiz demanded the identification of twenty varieties of cheese and biscuits - harder than it sounds!

These evenings are always good fun providing revelations to all of just how much obscure and varied knowledge resides in the darker recesses of our brains. Congratulations and thanks to Barry and all the Memorial Hall team who arranged and conducted a most enjoyable and competitive evening. The next Village Quiz is scheduled 26 November at The Kings Arms. Mark it in your diary now.

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Saturday 9 December

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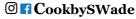
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VILLAGE and LOCAL EVENTS

Date	Event	Time	Venue
5 Nov	Millennium Green work day	10 am	Mill.Green
11 Nov	Village Dance, Kevin Grenfell	7.30 pm	Hall
17 Nov	Medics to Medics	12 noon	Hall
19 Nov	Village Litter Pick	10 am, meet a	at Hall
25 Nov	Table-top sale	10.30 am	Hall
26 Nov	Quiz Night	7 pm	Kings Arms
3 Dec	Christmas Lights and music	6 pm	Hall
12 Dec	Seniors' Lunch	12.30 pm	Hall

Cleeve Prior Art Group meets in the Hall at 10 am on Thursdays. **Pilates** classes are held on Friday mornings in the Hall at 9.30 and 10.30 am.-

The CP Bowls Club meets in the Hall on Tuesday afternoons and Thursday evenings, Contact Les Bratt on 01789 773651.

Kings Arms Tavern open 5pm – 10pm, Fridays and Saturdays

Useful contact details:

To book the **Memorial Hall**: cleevepriormemorialhall@gmail.com

To book Field Barn: garnettclarke@btinternet.com

EVESHAM RURAL NORTH SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

Up-coming Cleeve Prior Drop-in Sessions with your Local Police Officers at the Village Hall will be posted in the street window.

PC 3838 Matt Beards / PCSO 40246 Bradley Sansom

St Joseph The Worker Catholic Church, Bidford

There is no priest in residence at present so,
If you need to speak to a Catholic priest urgently,
contact St George's Worcester 01905 236888
or Canon Brian McGinley 07917 341957

The Church Rotas for November

Sidesmen

5 Nov Mrs L Hughes 12 Nov Mr C Greenwood 19 Nov (9.30am) Mr A Taylor 26 Nov (6.30pm) Mrs L Hawkins

3 Dec (6.30pm) Mrs M Greenwood

Church Flowers Church Cleaning
5 Nov Mrs A Carless Mrs M Sylvester
12 Nov Mrs A Carless Mrs M Greenwood
19 Nov Mrs L Lupton Mrs L Hughes
26 Nov Mrs A Carless Mrs E Wilson

3 Dec Advent Sunday Mrs J Davenport

No Flowers During Advent

Memorial Hall 200 Club October Draw

£50: Paul & Liz Wadsworth

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