



HINTON ST MARY THE MOSAIC.

Feb 2015

GARDENS OPEN 2015 - 13-14 June 2015

MEETING, MONDAY 2ND FEBRUARY

There will be a meeting at the Village Hall in the Cricket Pavilion at 7.00 p.m. on Monday 2nd February, and I look forward to seeing as many people from the village who can make it.

For those who do not know, this is an event which takes place every 2 years over a single weekend, raising money for Hinton's St Peter's Church. Last time we raised over £7,000 and of course I hope we do

better this time ! – certainly we are well known for our weekends, and people do come from far and wide, including France ! We open our gardens from 2-6 p.m. on the Saturday and Sunday, and usually the Pub does brilliantly with people lunching before joining the queue at the gate.

We also hold an Exhibition in the Church and in the Manor Garden – so ideas are very much welcomed.

Please could you let me know if you are happy to open your garden this year – there have of course been many changes in the village since 2013, but it would be helpful to know how many gardens I can count on – there is absolutely no pressure if you do not want to show yours, but it is fun and for a worthwhile cause – and it does not matter in the very slightest if your garden is a vegetable or flower garden,

a chicken run, a pig pen, a work in progress or a perfect vision ! – for example mine is currently a definite

work in progress with a lawn that is more black dead moss than anything else – but I live in hope !!

We will also need volunteers to , initially, help with sponsors, brochures, printing, advertising, tombola prizes,

Bric a brac, general organisation, etc., and on the day bake cakes and scones, do teas, man the gate, car parking,

plant stalls, bake cakes / scones / biscuits – you name it, we do it as long as it is village-based.

Any new suggestions or ideas would be hugely welcomed !

Please call me if you feel you can help in any way – this is all voluntary but it is fun and so worthwhile.

Susie

Susie Burbidge
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CAROL SINGING

As many of you will have “heard”, on 22nd December the village choir went round singing carols. On a dry but quite cold evening about 20 people took part starting and finishing at The White Horse. Led by Rev. Lydia Cook and John Harding on his accordion we sang our way round most of the village.

Everyone gave generously and £160 was raised for Julia’s House, the Dorset Children’s Hospice. Several people provided most welcome refreshments, mulled wine, mince pies and sausage rolls, for which many thanks!

Dick Pemberton

HINTON ST MARY
VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

THURSDAY 19TH FEBRUARY 2015 FROM 7.30pm

All are welcome to attend at the Village Hall
for the AGM and if you're new to the village, why not come along
and have a look at the facilities we have on offer?

The White Horse Inn

Homemade Game Pate OR Terrine

Competition

Sunday the 8th February.

Tasting begins at 2pm

To be judged by Matthew (The Chef)

1st Prize a bottle of Prosecco

2nd Prize a bottle of Montepulciano

3rd Prize a roast potatoe

Rules

1 All entrants made there own pate/terrine by hand.

2 There is no rule two

3 ALL pate/terrine entries must contain at least one species of game

All welcome to enter and we may raise some money for the Air Ambulance.

I would like to thank all the volunteers who have helped to keep St Peters clean and refreshing the flowers as necessary during the past year
However we find that our numbers are slightly down now due to ill health, age, or moved away.
I would be please to hear from anybody in the village who feel that they could help and be prepared to go on our rota list (this will involve 1 to 2 hours twice a year)
please contact Mrs Audrey Robins on [01258 472980](tel:01258472980) for further information

Curate's Corner

With tremendous turnouts at our Christingle and Christmas Day services, St Peter's has had a very busy time over the Christmas Season. £175 was raised for the Children's Society at the Christingle Service, which shows great generosity from the village.

I'm always rather intrigued by Christmas congregations, as by and large visitors and occasional attenders swell the numbers. Why does it matter still to come to church at Christmas? In a world which seems to put all the emphasis and value on consumerism and material possessions it is very heartening to find that so many people want to come and worship a baby born into a stable manger.

But just as a puppy is not just for Christmas the message of love and peace given at Christmas is available every Sunday. Its not "I wish it could be Christmas every day" - we don't listen to the stories of Jesus' birth every Sunday, but what you do get every Sunday is that feeling of community, of coming together to say Yes to something greater and better than the secular, and to be reminded that peace and love are what God wants for you and his world every single day.

Rev Lydia

Lent Course 2015

Tuesdays 2 – 3pm Village Hall

“Taking Difficult Decisions in Difficult Times” – What is Christian Ethics?

Refreshments provided.

All welcome.

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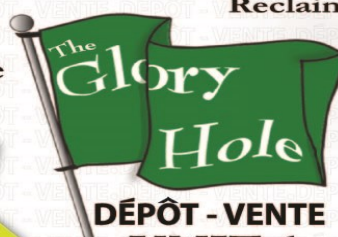
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Furniture

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Hinton St.Mary

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