

PAULERSPURY NEWSLETTER

No. 454

April 2014

CALENDAR FOR APRIL

Tuesday 1 st	Coffee Morning – URC	10-11.00 am
Tuesday 1 st	Good Neighbours meet Village Hall	2.30 pm
Tuesday 1 st	Nordic Walking Course – Salcey Forest	5.45 pm
Tuesday 1 st	Bowls Club meets every Tuesday - Village Hall	7.30 pm
Saturday 5 th	Annual Village Clean-up	
Wednesday April 9 th	Annual Church Meeting – St James	7.30 pm
Thursday 10 th	Horticultural Society meets - Village Hall – Vegetables For the Kitchen & Show	7.30 pm
Monday 14 th	Deadline May Newsletter items. Please give to Mollie or email: andreaajlord@aol.com - thank you. <small>Sorry this is so early, but I'm away over Easter. Andrea</small>	
Thursday 24 th	Parish Council Meeting - Village Hall	7.30pm
Thursday 24 th	M.U. meet	7.30pm
Friday 25 th	URC Beetle Drive – The Old Talbot – Sausage and Mash supper	7.30pm
Sunday 27 th	St George's Day lunch – Village Hall	12.30 pm
Wednesday 30 th	Ladies Pamper Evening – Village Hall	7 – 10pm

CALENDAR FOR MAY

Tuesday 6 th	Good Neighbours meet Village Hall – birthday lunch	1.30 pm
Tuesday 6 th	Bowls Club meets every Tuesday - Village Hall	7.30 pm
Thursday 8 th	Horticultural Society meets - Village Hall – Containers and Baskets – Jose Lepper	7.30 pm
Thursday 8 th	Sewing Workshop – URC	7.30pm
Thursday 13 th	Sewing Workshop – URC	6.30 pm
Sunday 18 th	Music Concert and Afternoon Tea by Stowe School Musicians– St James Church	3.00pm
Wednesday 21 st	Deadline June Newsletter items. Please give to Mollie or email: andreaajlord@aol.com - thank you.	
Thursday 29 th	Parish Council Meeting - Village Hall	7.30pm
Thursday 29 th	M.U. meet	7.30pm

PARISH COUNCIL

Annual Village Clean-up – April 5th

Each year the parish council asks for your assistance in the "Annual Village Clean Up". This is not the onerous task it used to be as there has been a noticeable reduction in litter dumping. All we ask please is that you look at the area in your immediate vicinity for any rubbish and dispose of it. If it is too large for you to deal with then please call me (01327 811281) and I will make the necessary arrangements. Parish Councillors take on the responsibility for clearing the roadside verges which lead into the parish.

Mrs Maggie Down. Clerk to Paulerspury Parish Council 01327 811281

VILLAGE HALL QUIZ

The Village Hall Committee would like to thank all those who supported our recent Quiz. We raised a total of £477.10 and that sum will be put towards the costs of a complete redecoration of the Hall later in the year.

ST JAMES' CHURCH - Services during April

Saturday 5 th	Memorial Service for Maureen Buller	12 noon
Sunday 6 th	Family Worship	9.15am
Sunday 13 th	Palm Sunday – Holy Eucharist	9.15am
Thursday 17 th	Service for Maundy Thursday – at Silverstone	7.30pm
Friday 18 th	Procession and Worship - at Silverstone	10.30 am
	Good Friday devotional service - at Slapton	2.00 pm
Sunday 20 th	Easter Day Holy Eucharist	9.15 am
Sunday 27 th	Sorry, no service at St James	
Wednesday 30 th	Mid week Holy Eucharist	7.30 pm
Morning Prayer most Tuesdays		9.15 am

First of all I hope to see as many people as possible on Sunday April 20th which as you will all know is EASTER DAY, so do please come to the service at 9.15am.

Thank you to everyone who supported our recent Pancake lunch and the jumble sale which both took place during March and which together raised well over £400. If you have not already done so, please get your tickets for St George's Day lunch on Sunday April 27th. From previous years you know the meal is delicious and of excellent value, so please do come to support your Parish Church. Tickets £12.50 available from Phyl 811301 or from me 811605 before Tuesday 22nd of April.

Mollie

Bad news to impart – after almost 30 years, Kate and I are unable to co-ordinate the annual grocery collection for the Church fete. Please can someone take this on? It would be a great pity if it were to stop. Thank you so much to everyone who gave us items in the past, we were always overwhelmed with your generosity.

Kate and Marion

This is sad news but thank you for all the years that you have helped the Church in this way. I do hope a volunteer (s) will come forward as your stall is such a great help to the Fete proceeds. M

PAULERPSURY VILLAGE 501 CLUB

The holders of the winning tickets in the draw on 5th March 2014 were:-

First:	Toy Coates	– £100	(No. 290)
Second:	Jacqui Platt	– £ 30	(No. 226)
Third:	Sarah Ulyatt	– £ 20	(No. 234)
Fourth:	Austin France	– £ 10	(No. 189)
Fifth:	Kim Trivett	– £ 10	(No. 213)
Sixth:	Jenny Murray	– £ 10	(No. 294)
Seventh:	Joanne King	– £ 6	(No. 381)

The lottery is registered with South Northants Council and promoted by John Barnes, 11 Lumber Lane, Paulerspury, NN12 7ND

Nordic walking course in Salcey Forest

Delivered by a fully qualified Instructor, this 'Learn to Nordic Walk' course is suitable for people who want to try something new and is specifically aimed at the complete beginner to the Nordic walking technique.

Colin Hull, Sports Development Officer at South Northamptonshire District Council said "Our Learn to Nordic Walk course teaches people the correct Nordic walking technique and it consists of four one-hour sessions plus the poles are provided."

Start date: Tuesday, 1 April

Finish Date: Tuesday, 29 April

Times: 5:45pm - 6:45pm Meeting point: Salcey Forest cafe Cost: £25 per person

MUSIC CONCERT AND AFTERNOON TEA -

Stowe School musicians are coming to St James Church on Sunday 18th May at 3pm. There will be an exciting programme of music and we very much hope you will come along to listen and support. Tickets are £7.50 a head, free to primary school children, which includes tea. Contact Jane Sawbridge on 01327 811109 or Amy Crawford on 07941887909 for your tickets.

Sewing Workshops

Are you inspired by The Great British Sewing Bee? I'm running some relaxed sewing workshops in the evenings in Paulerspury Chapel during May and June. All materials are provided, with a choice of fabric - all you need to bring is your sewing machine! You can learn to sew an oven glove (8th May), a reversible tote bag (13th May), a fabric basket (12th June) and an oilcloth washbag (26th June). Workshops are aimed at beginner to intermediate level and booking is essential.

If you want to know more either call Vikki on 811298, email blossomandbadger@yahoo.co.uk or look at [facebook.com/blossomandbadger](https://www.facebook.com/blossomandbadger).

THE WEDNESDAY BUS SERVICE 289

Operated by Goode – Private service – Bus Passes accepted
Paulerspury, Stoke Bruerne - Northampton

FROM PAULERSPURY	
Paulerspury - High Street\Green	09.37
Paulerspury - High Street opp school	09.39
Pury End - Westy Road\Careys Road	09.42
Shutlanger – Main Road Plough	09.48
Shutlanger – Main Road Council Houses	09.50
Stk Bruerne – Shutlanger Road opp Wentworth Way	09.53
Stk Bruerne – Bridge Road Canal Museum	09.55
Roade – London Road\ Hyde Road	10.04
Northampton – Mercers Row	10.20
Northampton - Drapery	10.25
FROM NORTHAMPTON	
Northampton – Drapery – Bay 18	13.00
Roade – London Road opp Hyde Road	13.15
Stk Bruerne – Bridge Road opp Canal Museum	13.24
Stk Bruerne – Shutlanger Road\Wentworth	13.26
Shutlanger – Main Road opp Council Houses	13.29
Shutlanger – Main Road opp Plough	13.31
Pury End - Westy Road\Careys Road	13.37
Paulerspury - High Street school	13.40

PAMPER EVENING

Save the Date - Ladies Pamper Evening, 30 April 2014. 7pm-10pm, Paulerspury Village Hall. Following the success of our last pamper evening we are pleased to announce we are running this popular event again. The evening will be an opportunity for you to try a range of pamper treatments, including threading, massage, manicures and pedicures. There will be a number of stalls offering you a chance to treat yourself or buy gifts. Refreshments will also be available. Tickets will be on sale soon - £5 each, including a complimentary drink and a raffle ticket. You will then be able to book a range of treatments. For more information please see the Facebook event page www.facebook.com/events/541904435916638 or email eventsandfundraising@paulerspurypreschool.co.uk.

PAULERSPURY CHAPEL

Diary for April

April	6 th	Morning Service led by Tony Jones	9.30 am
April	13 th	Morning Service led by Paul Wilson	9.30 am
April	18 th	Good Friday Quiet Service led by John Heycock	9.30 am
April	20 th	Easter Day Morning Service led by the congregation	9.30 am
April	28 th	Communion led by John Heycock	9.30 am
April	7 th /14 th /19 th /29 th	Craft Group meet in the Chapel	7.00 -9.00 pm
April	1 st	Coffee Morning	10-11.30 am

**APRIL 25TH URC BEETLE DRIVE 7.30 AT THE OLD TALBOT.
£10 INCLUDING SAUSAGE & MASH SUPPER TEA/COFFEE.
Tickets available from Janice Raby 01327 811366 or any
member of the congregation. Come to a very enjoyable evening.**

URC CRAFT EVENINGS

We would love to increase our numbers on a Monday evening. We do a variety of crafts, from knitting, crochet to cross-stitch and patchwork. Anything you are working on currently, just bring it along! Experts and beginners very welcome. 7pm 'til 9pm, tea/coffee/cake/biscuits provided. Cost is £1-50 a session.

We meet in the side room at the Chapel, so do come and join us. If you want more information, call Sue on 811814. Hope to see some new faces soon.

Sue Bartlett

PAULERSPURY PLAYERS

If any local groups or societies are planning for the Memorial of the 1st World War and feel the Paulerspury Players may be able to contribute to or enhance their efforts, we would be more than happy for you to contact us to discuss your ideas. Call 811618 or email jp@platinumtones.com.

Jacque Platt

PAULERSPURY GOOD NEIGHBOURS

Identity cards, ration books, rag rugs and pink parachute silk underwear were shown and discussed at the March meeting of Good Neighbours. Amanda was the speaker, her overwhelming interest is in fashion, furniture and life in general during the 1939-1945 war years brought back many memories to some of our members and they continued to reminisce while they ate their sandwiches, cakes and tea.

The next meeting will be on 1st April - Games, raffle and Bring & Buy in the Village Hall. Please contact Mollie 811605 or Marina 811779 if you would care to join us.

FOR SALE

- Artemis Tenor Saxophone inc:- black hard case / stand / neck sling / books / reeds etc. Full working order - recently had full service – ready to play. Cost £250.00
-Two limited edition prints of Formula 1 racing.A) 'World Champion OBE'@ (Nigel Mansell) by Alan Fearnley. Framed size 83cm x 60cm. Number 248 of 850.Cost £125.00
B)'The Flying Scotmans' (david Coulthard) by Gerald Coulston. Framed 75cm x 60cm. Signed by artist & Coulthard with picture on back) Number 127 of 750. Cost £155.00
Contact Joan on 811023 or 01908 562211

TENNIS

Enthusiastic but out of practice tennis player seeks opponents for occasional matches - has own balls! Call Ed on 078460770.

Northamptonshire Association for the Blind

Email: helpline@nab.org.uk - www.nab.org.uk
Mobile Site Centres – Towcester Waitrose Car Park
Wednesday 1.30 – 3pm – April 2nd and May 7th