

# PAULERSPURY NEWSLETTER

No. 456

June 2014

## CALENDAR FOR JUNE

Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Pet Service – St James	9.15am
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Good Neighbours meet Plum Park Hotel	2.30 pm
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Bowls Club meets every Tuesday - Village Hall	7.30 pm
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Coffee Morning – URC	10-11.00 am
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Primary School Sports Day	
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Primary School Sports Day (reserve)	
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Horticultural Society meets – Ruth Pitts Tucker's Garden – Old Hunt House, High St, Paulerspury	7.30 pm
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Sewing Class – URC – how to make a fabric basket	7.30pm
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>	Annual Church Fete – Village Hall - and Companion & Fun Dog Show - Spinnal's Field	2.00pm – 11.30am
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Primary School Dance Festival	4.30pm
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Deadline July/August Newsletter items. Please give to Mollie or email: andreaajlord@aol.com - thank you.	
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Parish Council Meeting - Village Hall	7.30pm
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Sewing Class – URC – How to make an Oilcloth Washbag	7.15pm
Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup>	M.U. meet	7.30pm

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Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup>	Bowls Club meets every Tuesday - Village Hall	7.30 pm
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Horticultural Society meets – Discussion on the Show Schedule.	7.30 pm
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup>	Rolls Royce Memorial Foundation Open Day	2 – 5.00 pm
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup>	Afternoon Tea & Songs of Praise – Westpury House	4.00 pm
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Primary School Leaver's Service	9.30 am
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup>	Parish Council Meeting - Village Hall	7.30pm
Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup>	M.U. meet	7.30pm
	Deadline September Newsletter items – <b>August 20th</b> . Please give to Mollie or email: andreaajlord@aol.com - thank you.	

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Crime statistics for Paulerspury Parish 2013 - 2014 have just been released.

Figures for 2012-2013 in brackets.

BURGLARY DWELLING 6 (4)	BURGLARY OTHER 1 (2)	CRIMINAL DAMAGE 3 (1)
DECEPTION/FRAUD 0 (8)	DRUG OFFENCES 0 (2)	SEXUAL OFFENCES 1(1)
THEFT/HANDLING 9 (1)	THEFT FROM MOTOR VEHICLES (0) 3	
VIOLENCE OFFENCES 2 (5)	THEFT OF MOTOR VEHICLES 1 (0)	

There are various devices on the market to help you to protect your property such as tamper proof screws for car wheels; shed alarms; personal alarms; Smartwater marking pens; etching patches for catalytic converters and "blocking" or "centring" pins for door and window locks. Thanks to the vigilance and swift action of a resident, thieves were caught in the act of raiding a property in the village. Please call 101 to report anything you are not sure about - the police always.

## **ST JAMES' CHURCH - Services during June**

Sunday 1st	Family Worship Pet Service	9.15am
Sunday 8th	Pentecost Holy Eucharist	9.15am
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Evening Prayer	6.00 pm
Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Patronal Holy Eucharist at Slapton	10.00 am
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup>	Patronal Holy Eucharist at Abthorpe	10.00am
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Mid week Holy Eucharist	7.30 pm
Morning Prayer most Tuesdays		9.15 am

You will see from the calendar that the Annual Fete to raise funds for St James' Church is on Saturday June 14<sup>th</sup>. In addition to dancing by the pupils of our Primary School, there will be a number of new attractions including a Dog Show (see below for details). We are pleased to say Jose is able to present her usual plant stall and of course would welcome any surplus plants which you like to donate. Maybe you would also like to be in charge of one or more of the new activities? If so, please contact Mr Geoff Creek on 01327 811203. Chris Covington with his ever popular puppet show is joining us so there will be time for the children to enjoy his production while Mums have a rest and a cup of tea and cake! We shall look forward to seeing you.

Mollie

## **COMPANION AND FUN DOG SHOW**

Saturday June 14<sup>th</sup> – Spinnal's Field – Paulerspury Village Hall. Registration starts at 11.30 am with Judging from 12.00 pm. Funds to go to Assistance Dogs for Disability and Church funds. For more details please go to: <http://paulerspurydogshow.weebly.com/>

## **AFTERNOON TEA AND SONGS OF PRAISE AT WESTPURY HOUSE**

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July at 4pm. Tickets are available from Mollie Dunkley 01327 811605 or Amy Crawford 01327 811340. The collection and any donations for the teas will go towards church funds.

Thank you to those who came to the afternoon concert and tea on 18<sup>th</sup> May, with wonderful performances from the Stowe School music scholars. We managed to raise over £550, so a very big thank you for your support.

## **PAULERSPURY C.E.V.C.PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Just over one year ago we were visited by Ofsted who graded us a "GOOD" school. Achievement of Pupils, Quality of Teaching, and Leadership and Management were all Good, with Behaviour of Pupils bordering on Outstanding. This year we have concentrated on consolidating this, providing us with the foundations to strive for Outstanding status. Despite these results, a current focus of our work is the number of children we educate. We currently have 114 children on roll and a predicted 117 on roll in September. The school is able to accept 140 children so if you know of any families locally who want a place at a vibrant, forward thinking and Good Primary School then please let them know we are here.

[www.paulerspuryceschool.uk.org/](http://www.paulerspuryceschool.uk.org/)

We also have two Governor vacancies, one for a member of the community and one Foundation Governor for someone with Church links. If you are interested in becoming a community governor or a Foundation Governor as you have a link with the Church then please contact: Tim Foster (Chair of Governors) at [bursar@paulerspury.northants-ecl.gov.uk](mailto:bursar@paulerspury.northants-ecl.gov.uk) for more information.

## **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 June. All materials are provided, with a choice of fabric - all you need to bring is your sewing machine! You can learn to sew 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](mailto:blossomandbadger@yahoo.co.uk) or look at facebook.com/blossomandbadger.

## **GOOD NEIGHBOURS**

'Our Flossie' entertained the Good Neighbours at their May meeting, she was an amazing quick change artiste, she sang familiar songs and many joined in with the singing. Members and hostesses enjoyed a lunch celebrating the 53rd Birthday of the Club. The meeting began with a quiet thought for the passing of Mrs Mabel Wootton who was one of our oldest members, Mollie and Jose represented the club at her funeral which was taking place on that afternoon.

## **PAULERPSURY VILLAGE 501 CLUB**

The holders of the winning tickets in the draw on 7<sup>th</sup> May 2014 were:-

First:	Paul Ray	-	£100	(No. 128)
Second:	Gill Porteous	-	£ 30	(No. 366)
Third:	Jenny Calder	-	£ 20	(No. 320)
Fourth:	Jen Snaddon	-	£ 10	(No. 338)
Fifth:	Christine Underwood	-	£ 10	(No. 035)
Sixth:	Charlotte Chambers	-	£ 10	(No. 192)
Seventh:	Lucy Wain	-	£ 5	(No. 199)

**If anyone would like to join the monthly draw, please contact John (01327 811672).**

**The next draws are on June 4<sup>th</sup> and July 2<sup>nd</sup>.**

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

## **ROLLS ROYCE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION**

The Sir Henry Royce Memorial Foundation will be opening The Hunt House and its display of artefacts and memorabilia to the residents of Paulerspury and their immediate families on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July from 2.00 to 5.00 pm. Entry will be free of charge, light refreshments will be available, and it is hoped that a number of local Rolls-Royce owners will bring their cars to be on display. Final and fuller details will be published at the beginning of July.

## **WAR MEMORIAL NAMES**

As some of you may be aware, a booklet is being produced which will give brief biographies of the thirty six names on our War Memorial. A great deal of effort has been put into this by several residents and it is hoped to have it available for sale at the Village Fete on 14<sup>th</sup> June. If you cannot get to the Fete and would like to buy one from me please phone 811304 or e-mail [derek.batten@virgin.net](mailto:derek.batten@virgin.net)

Derek Batten

## **PAULERSPURY CHAPEL**

### Diary for June

June 1 <sup>st</sup>	Morning Service led by The Congregation	9.30 am
June 8 <sup>th</sup>	Pentecost Morning Service led by John Raby	9.30 am
June 15 <sup>th</sup>	Fathers' Day Morning Service led by Richard Wilson	9.30 am
June 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Morning Service led by John Hutcherson	9.30 am
June 29 <sup>th</sup>	Communion Service led by Tony Jones	9.30 am

<i>Craft at the Chapel</i>	<i>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup>/9<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup>/30<sup>th</sup></i>	7.00-9.00 pm
<b>Sewing Class</b>	<b>Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> &amp; 26<sup>th</sup></b>	7.15 pm

**TUESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> JUNE URC Coffee morning. Bring and buy, raffle, tea/coffee & biscuits. Come and meet old friends and make new ones.** 10-11.30 am

### **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

### **FOR SALE**

- Bird Cage and stand. V good condition £30.00
- Playpen (Mother care). V good condition £50.00
- Travel cot. V good condition. £15.00
- Rocking Horse (age 2+) with seat at the back £5.00
- Floor stand fan – good condition. £10.00

Telephone Thelma: 07760 106 325

- Challenge Gauntlet six speed, fold-up ladies/gents bike with flick stand – hardly used. £60 ono. Telephone 01327 811 638

### **WANTED**

An OHP (yes, the old fashioned type) to borrow, buy or be gifted for arts projects with learning disability adults.

Please contact Jacquie Platt on 811618 or email [jp@platinumtones.com](mailto:jp@platinumtones.com) if you can help.

### **Northamptonshire Association for the Blind**

Annual Fete – Darsdale Home, Raunds, NN9 6DA – Saturday July 12<sup>th</sup> 1.30-4.30pm  
Mobile Site Centre – Towcester Waitrose car park, June 4<sup>th</sup> 1.30-3.30pm

Email: [helpline@nab.org.uk](mailto:helpline@nab.org.uk) - [www.nab.org.uk](http://www.nab.org.uk)