



Mondays **Pilates** – Village Hall 10.45/11.45 am & 11.55/12.55 pm
 Mondays **Knit & Natter @** Barley Mow 7-9pm
 Mondays **Pilates**..evening sessions
 Tuesdays **Yoga** - Village Hall 10 -11.30 am
 Tuesdays **Bowls Club** meets - Village Hall 7.30 pm
 Wednesdays **Pilates** – Village Hall 10.45 -11.45 am
 Thursdays **“Tea and Toast”** – St James Church 10 -12 noon

Sun1st-Mon 2nd	Art Exhibition	Towcester Town Hall
Tues 3rd	Good Neighbours- Fire Safety	2.30pm
Weds 4th	N. Association for the Blind- Waitrose Car Park	130-330pm
8/9th	Weekend Litter Pick	Please help tidy your road
Tuesday 10th	Coffee & Bring & Buy	Chapel 10-11.30am
Thurs 12th	Propagation- Horti Society	730pm Village Hall
Thurs 12th	Rod Clements and Ian Thomson of Lindisfarne fame- see below.	8pm Towcester Mill Brewery Get tickets asap please
Sat 14th	Tea Leaf Readings £10 See below	ARTea Rooms at Wakefield
Sat 14th	Historian Pat Kent talk –Towcester Library	2.15pm Tickets £3-50
Saturday 21st	Yoga Morning 10-1pm	Village Hall £10
Saturday 21st	Race Night at pub in aid of Friends of the School.	6pm Barley Mow. See below
Sunday 22nd	St George’s Day lunch	Village Hall 12.30 for 1pm
Monday 23rd	Deadline @ 4pm for May’s Newsletter	Email or by hand, see below
Thursday April 26th	“Singing in the Rain,” at Errol Flynn Filmhouse, Northampton, see below.	730pm meet in the bar. Film starts 830pm

Calendar for May 2018- & more dates for your diary;-

Saturday 19th May - Northampton Male Voice Choir in St James Church

Saturday 9th June - Dog Show & Church Fete

Saturday August 11th 2pm Horticultural Society **MAKE/BAKE/GROW Show** in the Village Hall

ST. JAMES CHURCH -Services;

Sunday 1st April Easter Sunday Eucharist at 8am.

Sunday 8th April Holy Eucharist at 9.15am.

Sunday 15th April Evening Prayer a 6pm.

Sunday 22nd April Morning Prayer at 9.15am.

Sunday 29th April United Benefice Eucharist Service at Abthorpe at 10am.

Morning Prayer – most Tuesdays at 9.15am. Any unavoidable changes will be posted on the Church Notice Board.

Tea and Toast every Thursday 10 -12 noon.

On **Sunday 22nd April** we will be holding the very popular St George’s Lunch in the Village Hall. 12.30 for 1pm. The menu will be a traditional roast beef and Yorkshire pudding with vegetables, fruit pies and cheese and biscuits. Tea and coffee served. Please bring your own drinks and glasses. Tickets are available from Pat Humphries on 811317 and Doreen Blackwell on 811385. £12.50 each. There will also be a raffle.

Obviously the date of the year is the **19th May**; we have Prince Harry and Meghan tying the knot, the FA Cup Final and for a grand finale Northampton Male Voice Choir performing at St James’ Church. Do come and finish off your day with a glass of Pimms and some glorious music. Tickets £12.50 available from Jane Sawbridge 811109, Doreen Blackwell 811385, Jeff Creek 811203 or a PCC member.

The fete is on **Saturday 9th June** and it would be wonderful to have some more helpers. If you have recently moved into the village or perhaps always lived here but never had the time, it is a way of getting to meet people whilst helping to raise funds for St James’ Church. If you have a gazebo or marquee that could be used on the day we would love to hear from you. Please contact Jeff Creek on 811203 or Jane Sawbridge on 811109.

WANTED!! Teddy Bear and Friends; If you have any soft toys that you would be willing to donate to the Soft and Cuddly Toy Stall at this year’s Summer Fete please contact Jeff Creek 811203. Happy to arrange collection.

PAULERSPURY CHAPEL

1ST EASTER SUNDAY Service Led By TONY JONES 9.30AM

8TH Morning Service Led By CARRIE HOLLAND 9.30AM

15TH Morning Service Led BY VAUGHAN GRIFFITHS 9.30 AM

22ND MORNING Service Led By IAN MARKEY 9.30 AM

29TH COMMUNION SERVICE Led By REV JANE WADE 9.30 AM

BOOK SWAP Additional venue now available at Chapel every 2nd Tuesday of the month during coffee morning 10.00 - 11.30 am

Coffee Morning with Bring and Buy and Raffle- Tuesday **10TH** APRIL 10am-11.30am, all very welcome. If you have any Bric a Brac suitable for the Bring and Buy please phone Barbara on 811121 to arrange collection, Thank You.

GOOD NEIGHBOURS

The Speaker to our Club at the March meeting was Elaine Aworth, with Marina, her lovely dog who is a breeding dog for Guide Dogs for the Blind. This was a very interesting and informative talk, we thank Elaine for spending the time to educate us about this part of the Guide Dogs Organisation and giving us an insight into the development, caring and training of the dogs and their puppies.

Next meeting is Tuesday 3rd April. Village Hall. 2.30 p.m. Speaker - Liz. Armstrong 'Fire Safety' Raffle and Bring and Buy

ART Exhibition & Towcester Art Group

The final two days of our exhibition is in Towcester Town Hall on 1st & 2nd April.

We do not meet up every Thursday evening in Paulerspury Community Hall any more. We moved to meet up in The Sawpits Centre in Towcester in the Autumn of 2017. New members are very welcome at Sawpits, still on Thursday evenings at 730pm

PAULERSPURY PARISH COUNCIL

This winter has been a particularly wet and muddy one and unfortunately this has been reflected in the poor state of the grass verges throughout the parish. People have not thought twice about driving over soft grass verges in Paulerspury, Pury End and Heathencote. Unfortunately much of the damage cannot be repaired as verges have been destroyed and roads widened by default. This is a plea from the Parish Council to ask all drivers to please take more care when using our narrow roads.

Village Litter Pick.

Sadly certain folk are oblivious to the awful look of the village once they have thrown their litter down. Could you all please just take a look around where you live sometime during the weekend of 8/9 April and perhaps gather up any litter. Lots of residents do this regularly and it is very much appreciated. The Parish Council has now asked Mr Blackwell to do a village litter pick three times a year which will start in July.

Delivery volunteers needed in Pury End—please can you help??

We need a couple more Newsletter delivery people to put this newsletter through doors of subscribers in Pury End. If you can help, please email/phone me and I will pass it on....Thank You.

ARTea Rooms at Wakefield; Saturday 14th April - Tea Leaf Readings, £10 per person to include a pot of loose leaf tea. For more info email james@artearooms.co.uk

Errol Flynn Film-house - Northampton - Singing in the Rain

The Rotary Club of Towcester is organising a social evening at the EFF to watch this fabulous movie with the one and only Gene Kelly!

Date **Thursday April 26th**. 7.30 pm in the bar for an 8.30 pm screening. There will be no food so please eat beforehand.

Tickets available from: www.towcester-rotary.org.uk/shop or by calling: 01327352851. Price £10.00 each.

Towcester Mill Brewery-

Cutting Edge Music are pleased to announce the return of Rod Clements and Ian Thomson of **Lindisfarne** to Towcester Mill Brewery on Thursday April 12th. Doors open at 7pm concert at 7:30pm. Tickets are now available by phone / text to Dave on 07739 208526 £14 per ticket. or e-mail tickets@cuttingedgemusic.co.uk Please book early as demand is likely to be high.

Paulerspury Pre-school

We are a warm, friendly, inclusive setting with highly qualified and experienced staff. Please feel free to pop in or contact us to visit on 07851296392 or info@paulerspurypreschool.co.uk.

Open Monday – Friday 9.00 am – 3.30pm Morning Session 9.00 -12.00 noon

Lunch Club 12.00 - 12.30 pm Afternoon Session 12.30 - 3.30 pm

Sessions available across the week. 2 year and 3 year funding available, new 30 hours funding from September, child care vouchers accepted. Please keep an eye out on local notice boards etc. for Events and Dates.

Paulerspury Horticultural Society-

Our speaker for April is **Clare Price** - someone new, a younger horticulturalist, who is coming to talk to us about **Propagation**. So do come along, maybe pick up some new tips and ideas, to expand your plants for free....Her talk will last up to an hour, to be followed by a mug of tea or coffee and a biscuit or two. Raffle prizes are always welcomed.....finish by about 8.50pm (ish.) Hope to see some new faces. Anyone, whether they live in the village or elsewhere is always welcome. Please encourage friends to attend. **Sue Bartlett**

School Gardening – Volunteers wanted!

Could you spare us a hour or two on a Tuesday afternoon, to join us at our village school, doing some gardening with the children? If you think you could be interested, do email me on suejbartlett@hotmail.co.uk or call 811814even if you can't commit every week, we would welcome whatever you can offer.

If anyone has any **small plastic garden pots** that they don't want, please could you either drop off at my house, or drop over the side fence at the school...we get through a lot as we like the children to plant seeds and take home to nurture. Thanks **Sue Bartlett**

Barley Mow Pub

We are extending our opening hours for the Easter Weekend. On Good Friday we will be open all day from 12 noon until 12 midnight. Food will be available at the usual times of 12 – 2 pm and 5 – 9 pm. This is our usual Saturday opening and will be the same on Easter Saturday. On Easter Sunday we will be serving our exceptional Sunday roasts as usual from 12 until 4 pm but shutting slightly earlier at 6 pm. On Easter Monday we will be open from 12 noon until 9 pm and serving food from 12 until 3 pm. We are hoping for some lovely sunshine and to see lots of you in the pub enjoying the long weekend off work!

On **Saturday 21st April** we are joining forces with the Friends of Paulerspury School and will be hosting a **Race Night** to raise funds. It's all the fun of a night out at the races without leaving the village. There will be the opportunity to buy and name horses before the event, so look out for this and decide on a name for your horse! Event starts at 6 pm and families are welcome. **Hannah & Matt**

Knit & Natter Mondays 7-9pm. We would like some new knitters, or any craft you want to bring, call Sue 811814 or just come along.

Pury Play Club- flexible Childcare

Pury Play Club offers wrap-around care and holiday clubs at Paulerspury C.E. Primary school. Contact details: 07817 732554 <https://www.facebook.com/PuryPlayClub/>

Fitness Classes in Paulerspury

No classes during school Easter Holiday: W.C. 2nd & 9th April 2018

Monday Pilates Classes: 10:45: 11:45: 11:55 – 12:55: 18:00 – 19:00: 19:00 – 20:00: places available 11:55: 18:00 & 19:00: Contact: Lisa 07729 608 960

Wednesday Pilates Currently no vacancies **Tuesday Yoga** Currently no vacancies

Saturday Yoga Morning April 21st 10am to 13:00: Cost just £10. This session will be led by Iris Parish, with profit going to Paulerspury Village Hall, please contact Sue 811 596 or Iris 351 920

Beginners Tai Chi class Beginners Tai Chi class in Potterspurry Village Hall, Fridays, 9.30am start. Places are still available, please contact Nina on 07980 935889 or email nfelix@hotmail.co.uk

Theatre Group Please see details of shows on Village Website: www.paulerspuryparish.org.uk

Paulerspury Village Hall 501 Club – Draw held on 7th March

First:	Mollie Mountjoy	£100	(No. 041)	Second:	Colin Smith	£30	(No. 252)
Third:	Alison Mumford	£20	(No. 302)	Fourth:	Charlie Smith	£10	(No. 223)
Fifth:	Linda Anderson	£10	(No. 061)	Sixth:	Susan Buswel	£10	(No. 034)
Seventh:	Pat Ray	£5	(No. 138)				

The lottery is registered (No. 622) with South Northants Council. Promoter John Barnes, 11 Lumber Lane, Paulerspury, NN12 7ND

South Northants Job Club

If you are seeking employment, part or full time or would like to meet to discuss having more support with your job applications or job seeking please contact:-

Jane Morris, Employment Support Adviser
Email: jane.morris@cherwellandsouthnorthants.gov.uk
Tel: 01327 322195

Fundraising for Diabetes UK

I will be sending off another box as soon as I have enough items so please drop off any used inkjet cartridges or old/broken phones at

Field House, Tews End Lane (1st house on the left after turning down Tews End Lane past the Village School).
Many Thanks Catherine 810315

CHA CHAR CHIMPS at Potterspurry Village Hall- for Pre-schoolers.

Contact Jo on 07891326725 jo@ccchimps.com Facebook: Cha Char Chimps-Towcester

Receiving Newsletter by email We now have over 100 people subscribing this way. To obtain the newsletter electronically, please go to the Paulerspury Parish website, www.paulerspuryparish.org.uk. On the bottom right hand side of the screen you will see "Sign up for Paulerspury Parish I-news here". Enter your email address into the box below and press enter. You will be notified that it has been successful. We also have a **Facebook** page called, [@paulerspurycommunity](https://www.facebook.com/paulerspurycommunity). Like, share, follow.

Pury Paws Doggy Day Care

Offering dog walks, sitting and "come home with me" service for fun, fussing exercise and socialising.
Dog Walking; 30 mins=£7 extra dog=£2-50 45mins=£9 extra dog= £2-50 1 hr £12 extra dog=£5
"Come home with me" Day Care (includes 1hr walk) £20 or £30 for 2 dogs. Also limited overnight stays £25 for 24hrs.
Contact Anna 07921830087 email; annagarofall@hotmail.com CRB checked & insured.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE ASSOCIATION for the BLIND-

Wednesday 4th April, our Mobile Support Unit will be found in Waitrose Car Park from 130-330pm. We offer a free Will Making service; come and see us or contact us on; We can offer Home Visits;

Email: helpline@nab.org.uk Visit: www.nab.org.uk Helpline **01604 719193**

Any items for May can be emailed to me on suejbartlett@hotmail.co.uk. ..or handwritten and put through my door at 19 Plum Park Lane. (811814) Deadline is **Monday April 23rd @ 4pm**

Thank you. **Sue Bartlett.**