# PAULERSPURY NEWSLETTER

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## CALENDAR FOR NOVEMBER

Friday 1st Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Paulerspury Players Half Term Play – Village Hall Halloween Party and Disco – Barley Mow Pub Afternoon activities for kids – disco from 8pm	7.30 pm 2pm onwards	
Saturday 2nd	Paulerspury Players Half Term Play – Village Hall	7.30 pm	
Tuesday 5th	Good Neighbours meet Village Hall	2.30 pm	
Tuesday 5th	Bowls Club meet every Tuesday - Village Hall	7.30 pm	
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup>	Film QUARTET - Village Hall	8.00 pm	
Friday 15th	Horticultural Society Dinner - Village Hall	7 for 7.30 pm	
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Coffee morning in Chapel	10-12.00 am	
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Big Band Night at the Village Hall	7.30 for 8 pm	
Wednesday 20th	Deadline December/January Newsletter items. Please		
	give to Mollie or email: andreajlord@aol.com - thank y	you.	
Thursday 28th	Parish Council Meeting - Village Hall	7.30pm	
Thursday 28th	M.U. meet	7.30pm	

# **CALENDAR FOR DECEMBER**

Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>	Horticultural Society Annual Meeting	7.30 pm
Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup>	St James Carol Service	6.00 pm

# PAULERSPURY HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

This year we had another successful show in August with entries up on the previous year, particularly in the children's classes. We look forward to this being the trend for future years. It was pleasing to have new members and old enjoying the experience, swapping tips and generally keeping up the tradition of a Village Show.

We meet on the second Thursday each month at the Village Hall (not November) and usually have a speaker followed by tea and coffee.

The **Annual Dinner is on Friday, 15 November** at the Village Hall at 7 for 7.30pm and will be in the form of a Pig Roast. Tickets at £12.50 each are available from Jose (811288), Mollie (811605) or Doreen (811385). Please bring your own glasses and drink as there will not be a bar.

# **BIG BAND NIGHT**

Back by popular demand, the John Gates Open Band from Milton Keynes will be playing at the Village Hall on Saturday 16 November from 8pm. Doors open at 7.30pm. A bar will be available. Tickets cost £7 each and are obtainable from members of the Village Hall Committee or by 'phoning Val Clatworthy on 811789 or Mollie Dunkley on 811605.

Val Clatworthy

## ST JAMES' CHURCH - Services during November

Sunday 3rd	Family Worship	9.15 am
Sunday 10th	Holy Eucharist	9.15 am
	Followed by Act of Remembrance	10.50 am
Sunday 17th	Evensong	6.00pm
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Morning Prayer	9.15 am
Wednesday 27th	Mid Week Holy Eucharist	7.30pm

Morning Prayer most Tuesdays 9.15 am

You will see there is a service of Holy Eucharist on November 10<sup>th</sup> and we hope you will join us for a cup of coffee until 10.50am when we will go outside for the Act of Remembrance. If for some reason you are unable to come at 9.15am you are most welcome to come and join later to remember those who served in two World Wars.

Thank you everyone for your generous gifts at Harvest time. These enabled us to support Northampton General Hospital, The Hope Centre in Northampton and Towcester Food Bank. In addition, many of you tell us how much you enjoyed the Harvest Lunch - thank you for that and I am pleased to say the profit was £369 for Church funds.

November is a fairly quiet month in preparation for Advent and Christmas but I hope you will all be able to come along to the Carol Service on December 15<sup>th</sup>.

Mollie

# PAULERSPURY VILLAGE HALL 501 CLUB -

#### Paulerspury Village Hall 501 Club

The holders of the winning tickets in the draw on 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2013 were:-

First:	Ross McCarthy	- £100	(No. 248)
Second:	Joy Joyce	- £ 30	(No. 351)
Third:	Audrey Smith	- £ 20	(No. 259)
Fourth:	Tom Cole	- £ 10	(No. 139)
Fifth:	Rachael Talbot	- £ 10	(No. 373)
Sixth:	Bill Parfitt	- £ 10	(No. 229)
Seventh:	Sara Davey-Turner	- £ 7	(No. 288)

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

# **Paulerspury Picturedrome**

#### QUARTET

........ Is the movie that kicks off the 2013/14 season at the Paulerspury Picturedrome. Directed by Dustin Hoffman it has the impressive cast list of Maggie Smith, Billy Connolly, Pauline Collins' Tom Courtney and others. The story revolves around a group in a special home for retired opera singers who decide to take part in one final production which stimulates past rivalries. Bridget and I saw the stage version some years ago and it was great. The date is Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> November, at the Village Hall at 8.00 pm. At £5 ahead, it's a bargain. See you there

Derek Batten

## **Barley Mow Pub**

On Saturday 2nd November we will be hosting a very special Halloween party! We will be getting all spooked up and running activities for children of all ages during the afternoon. This will include apple bobbing, face painting, pumpkin carving, treasure hunt, drawing competition, best dressed prizes and weather permitting a bouncy castle! There will also be a disco from 8pm, all completely free.

Our luxurious Christmas menu has now been finalised and can be seen by visiting our website or popping into the pub. A real treat for just £15 for two courses or £18 for three, call us to make a booking for your Christmas party.

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Matt Grimsey

# **Paulerspury Players**

Have you ever wondered what it was like on the Goon Show set, or to be part of an 'Archers' production? Well, now you can be right there on the set of a 'Radio Show'.

Come and join us for three comedy plays at Paulerspury Village Hall on Friday 1st and Saturday 2nd November at 7.30pm, when Paulerspury Players actors and technicians will be presenting three very different stories mainly for adults.

"Cake No Frosting" (Great Moments in History)

"Prometheus the God (Father)" by Eric Coble

"Dirty Business" a comedy by Derek Webb

All tickets £5 can be booked by calling: 0845 833 4910 or 01327 811 578

## **NAB**

Are your loved ones or friends blind or partially sighted? Are you wondering what to buy them for Christmas?

Then why not visit one of Northamptonshire Association for the Blind's Sight Centres to see a range of different gift ideas. They display and sell a variety of specialist aids and equipment that can make the perfect birthday or Christmas gifts for someone living with sight loss.

Mobile Sight Centres

Wednesday December 4th – Waitrose in Towcester 1.30-3.30pm

Northamptonshire Association for the Blind, Wardington Court, Welford Road, Northampton, NN2 8AG. Helpline: 01604 719193. Email: <a href="mailto:helpline@nab.org.uk">helpline@nab.org.uk</a>. <a href="mailto:www.nab.org.uk">www.nab.org.uk</a></a>

## PAULERSPURY CHAPEL

#### Services

November	3 <sup>rd</sup>	Morning Service led by Wendy Manley	9.30 am
November	10 <sup>th</sup>	Remembrance Day Service led by John Heycock	9.30 am
November	17 <sup>th</sup>	Morning Service led by Tony Jones	9.30 am
November	24 <sup>th</sup>	Communion Service led by John Heycock	9.30 am

# **Diary for November**

November 4<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup>/18<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> Craft Group meets in the Chapel 7-9 pm

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November Coffee morning in Chapel

Proceeds in aid of 'Pioneers' who serve the people of Turkana in Northern Kenya. A young Towcester couple, David and Amy Barker, who are sponsored by the Towcester Baptist Church, would welcome any contribution we could make to help them help the Turkana people.

10-12.00 am

Tea, coffee and biscuits. Raffle and Christmas table.

We would love to see our coffee morning regulars. A special welcome to newcomers to the village.

### **FOR SALE**

HONDA FG 200 TILLER EXCELLENT CONDITION. SUITABLE FOR ALLOTMENT OR GARDEN £75.00. IAN DOWN 01327 811281

#### **DRIVING LESSONS**

As of November, David Litchfield will be starting up as a Red Driving Instructor in the local area. David grew up in Pury End where he still lives so has a great knowledge of the local roads and towns. He is offering 6 hours for £100 (with booking conditions) to a limited number of pupils as a start up offer. Please contact him on 07712 583 839 or email at david@redinstructor.co.uk if you have any questions or wish to book some lessons.