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EDITORIAL

Autumn is here and time for HCA to hold our A.G.M., see notice on page 44. There will be a memorial service for the late Viscount Cobham, to which all are welcome, page 7.

The cover shows another image of the Fete held in July; there is a report on page 23 and next year's date for your diary.

Affiliates, don't forget to send me a copy of your new programmes for entry in the monthly Diary.

*Anna Morley
Editor*

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John William Leonard Lyttelton

(the 11th Viscount Cobham)

A Memorial Service

will be held at St John the Baptist Church, Hagley,
on Thursday 12th October 2006 at 2.30 p.m.

DEAR EDITOR

Dear Editor,

I have a place to run in this year's New York Marathon to raise money for Mencap. My sister Amy has Down's Syndrome, and Mencap are one of the charities that have provided my parents with essential information over the years. The reason for my email is to appeal to Village News readers for sponsorship towards my fundraising. I aim to raise over £3000 and am well on the way to doing so. I have a website where pledges/donations can be made (www.justgiving.com/timbuckle) or cheques made payable to myself can be sent to 17 Pinewoods Avenue, Hagley, Worcs, DY9 0JF. Any donations and words of encouragement would be gratefully received.

Many thanks

Tim Buckle

Dear Editor,

Litter

Who can blame the children when parents are at fault? Recently I was appalled to see all the litter and debris along the hedgerow and grass verge by the school in Park Road, especially after a school dance. I attempted to pick up the bottles, tins, sweet wrappers, sandwich papers, broken plastic, etc., but I then discovered that some disgusting parent had the nerve to throw a used baby nappy into the hedgerow – not once but three times.

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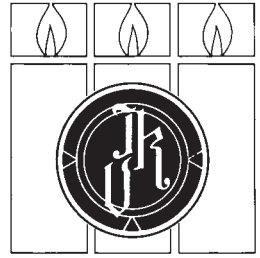
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DEAR EDITOR

As part of Amnesty's "Protect the Human" week, human rights activist and Hagley parishioner, Dr David Nicholl, will be giving a lecture entitled "**Hagley's role in the War on Terror**" at St. Saviour's Church Hall on Tuesday October 17th at 8.00 p.m.

Dr Nicholl is a consultant neurologist at the Queen Elizabeth and City Hospitals in Birmingham. In April 2005 he ran the London marathon to raise money for Amnesty dressed in an orange 'Gitmo' outfit to raise awareness of the plight of Britons being held indefinitely without charge in Guantanamo Bay. In September 2005 he organised a musical demonstration outside the Birmingham factory that makes shackles used in Guantanamo. Earlier this year he organised an international collaboration of physicians opposed to the forced-feeding regime utilised in the infamous prison camp with a letter in the medical journal *the Lancet*. Every major media outlet from *The Times* to *Time Magazine*, and from Al Jazeera to CNN has interviewed him.

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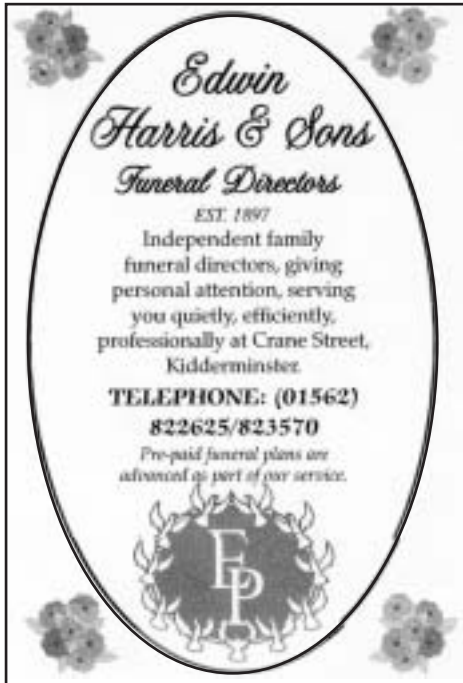
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If you wanted to travel by the steam engines of the Great Western Railway into Birmingham, you bought your ticket from the stationmaster, William Phillips. For those who were still unsure about this form of travel, Charles Osborne provided a horse-drawn carriage into Birmingham each Thursday; this service, however, disappeared in the 1870s.

Hagley's population had grown steadily during the nineteenth century – from 963 in 1861 to 1,313 in 1891. There were now enough young ladies for Sarah and Jane Bridgwater to open a school for young women, and enough voters for the Liberal Unionists - a late nineteenth century version of the Conservatives – to dispatch an agent, Thomas Hutton, to the village. Meanwhile any problems with your water closet required the attention of the village plumber. This service was provided by the redoubtable Mary Ann Wright!

Stephen Roberts teaches history and law at Hagley Catholic High School. He is the author of a number of books on the Victorians.



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HAGLEY PARISH COUNCIL

Park Road Planning Appeal

Hagley Parish Council was delighted to hear that the appeal by the developers against Bromsgrove District Council's refusal to grant permission to demolish 25, 27 and 29 Park Road and build 46 retirement apartments was dismissed. This is good news for Hagley. Thank you to all the residents who objected and who attended the long appeal hearing. It is important that we all speak up when we object to such plans.

Sweetpool Nature Reserve

We are currently in negotiations with Bromsgrove District Council, who own the site, to set up a partnership agreement where we can take on some of the maintenance, and so make the best use of this facility within the village. I will keep you informed of developments.

Hagley Parish Council Office is at 74A Worcester Road and is open each weekday from 10.00a.m. to 2.00p.m. Further information can be found on the Notice board at the main Worcester Road Car Park.

Catherine Humphries
Clerk to the Council



CLENT PARISH COUNCIL

Items of interest from the approved Minutes of the meeting held on July 17th 2006.

FINANCE

It was resolved to give a Grant of £150.00 to the WRVS for the Bromsgrove Rural Rides Scheme. Picnic bench for the playing field to be purchased.

PLANNING MATTERS

2006/0379 – Stables – land off Field House Farm. Application was granted.

2006/0424 – Hard Standing – Field 0019 off Thicknall lane. Application refused.

2006/0678 – Conversion of Garage/First Floor Ext./Detached Garage/etc. Council expressed concern that the separate garage could be converted into a dwelling at some future date.

2006/0731/2 – 4 & 5 New Dwellings respectively – r/o 33 – 39 Western Road. Parish Council has objected most strongly to these applications.

CENTENARY FIELD

Cricket Pitch - Meeting to be held with Sport England/WCC and the Contractor on 20/11/06. Sport England is insisting that the small copse of trees is removed on health and safety grounds. Council is obtaining quotation for either moving the existing trees to another location on the site or replacing with similar trees. Legal agreement for contractor in the process of being drafted. Children will be able to use the pitch for training purposes excepting the square.

FOOTPATHS

materials for replacement Kissing Gates/Stiles have been ordered. A Grant of £1,500.00 has been allocated by WCC and the Parish Council will match the fund grant to include the cost of installation.

STREET LIGHTING

Upgrading of lamps in Pinewoods Close and Thicknall Rise has now been completed.

PARISH PLAN

A review will be held at the September meeting of the Council.

Clerk to the Council
Tel: 886269



Hagley Community Association would like to thank Martin Freckleton and the Rotary Club of Hagley for the years they have given to the organisation of the distribution of the Village News, which has always been efficient and reliable. Janet Richards has now taken over from Martin as co-ordinator, and following a smooth handover, hopes to continue as efficiently with the excellent system already in place. Her email address is: janet.richards@hotmail.co.uk

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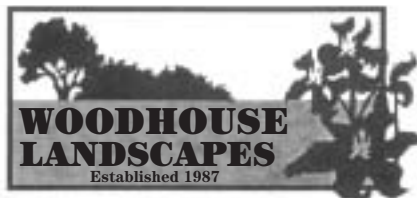


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VILLAGE FETE

15th July 2006

What a wonderful day was had by all at the Fete. There was glorious sunshine and it seemed most of the village turned up to support the event. Many of our affiliated societies had stalls or were involved in some way, raising funds for both themselves and HCA.

The ladies providing refreshments were kept very busy, as was the ice cream van, and even in the blazing sunshine there was always a queue at the Bouncy Castle!

The stalls were beautifully presented; clear evidence of how hard people had worked to prepare for the day, with something for everyone. The judging of best stall was very difficult for local MP Julie Kirkbride, as was the judging of the fancy-dress competition. Plenty of pirates that day! All the costumes were well made and some very original, such as the space man and the jack-in-the-box.

Both on the day and since, feedback has been very positive; clearly everyone enjoyed themselves, with the programme running pretty much to time! The over-riding impression was one of community; there was a real 'village' feeling about the day. There has since been a feedback meeting to discuss the day and help things run even more smoothly next year.

A huge amount of work goes on behind the scenes of an event such as this and many people worked very hard. The day was co-ordinated by Janet Richards, a mammoth task and many groups have recorded their thanks to her. Janet is already planning next year's Fete! Provisional date 30 June 2007. We also hope to have a display of photographs ready for our A.G.M. early this month. The various clubs and societies running the stalls were able to raise funds for themselves, with the money raised for the HCA going towards costs for next year. This year we obtained a grant to help with certain costs, which will not be available to us next time.

A big thank you to everyone for supporting the event, taking part in the games, making costumes, watching the displays and enjoying the fun!

RED HATTERS

I saw this article in a paper in Queensland, Australia. It hasn't reached Hagley yet! - Editor

"All local ladies looking for something new to do are invited to join the Red Hatters for tea parties, luncheons and outings in Rockhampton.

The Red Hatters are a group of women over 50, who dare to wear red hats and purple clothing, and even fluffy slippers if they wish.

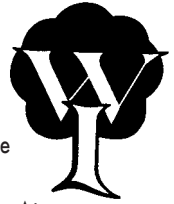
Younger members are required to wear a pink hat with lilac or lavender clothing. The Red Hats group was based on a poem by Jenny Joseph, who wrote:

"Warning, when I am an old woman, I shall wear purple with a red hat, which doesn't go and doesn't suit me"."



CLUB REPORTS

AFTERNOON W.I.



On Monday 21st August the members of Hagley Afternoon WI and guests gathered for lunch at the Community Centre. This was a very special occasion to celebrate the WI's 85th Birthday. Planning for the event began in January and came to a triumphant conclusion on the day.

The hall had been transformed with beautifully laid tables in colours of cream and green. At each setting a favour (made by a committee member) and hand-written name cards were placed.

Three tables were set up to display WI Scrap Books and extracts from Hagley Afternoon's records, information on wider WI activities, and a wonderful show of members' craft.

On arrival fruit juice was served. A delightful lunch with wine was provided and beautifully served by Gwen Hare and her staff.

President Pat Lane said grace, gave a short speech of welcome and thanked all those who had worked so hard to arrange the day. At the conclusion of the meal Pat cut the celebration cake which had been made by the Institute Secretary.

After lunch Audrey Holt and Pauline Beale entertained with poems and readings. An accomplished and amusing end to what had been a delightful celebration of the Institute's 85th Birthday.

Hagley Afternoon WI was formed on 21st December 1921 and it is more than probable that 21.12.21 will be celebrated once again at the Institute's Christmas Party!

Megan Bury

EVENING W.I.

In August we held a tea party for Acorn Hospice at Kate Hodgett's and were able to send a cheque for £150.00. Many thanks to all who supported this event.

We also had two outings. One to Huntingdon Hall in Worcester for a musical evening. Many thanks to Joan Ellis who organised this, it was a most enjoyable evening. The other was a river trip from Evesham, which included afternoon tea. The weather was kind so a good time was had by all. Thank you Iris for arranging this event.

Our next meeting on 18 October 2006 will be the AGM at 7.30 p.m. at St. Saviour's Church Hall. Please come and support your WI.

Liz Knight

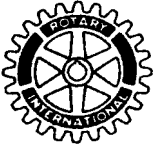
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June Waine

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ROTARY CLUB



In August we helped with a party for more than 28 children and their host families at Robinson and Sproson Opticians, where Ian Robinson, one of our club members, is the co-owner. The children are staying with families from around the area, as part of the Chenobyl Children's Lifeline Charity.

The charity offers help to children from families whose lives are still affected by the explosion at the nuclear plant in 1986 which devastated the area and led to widespread radiation pollution and general economic decline.

During their visit to the optician all the children received free eye tests and glasses, and then enjoyed a barbecue of hot dogs and burgers.

Mr Ian Robinson and Mr Nic Sproson said that this year's party for the children was the largest that the practice had been involved with. They were grateful for the support which they had received from many local businesses including the village butcher, Phil Paddock, as well as many private donations from villagers.

Peter Cox, of the Charity, added that this year had seen a record number of children visiting the area, with some children returning to the UK for a second time. However, for some of the children this has been the first opportunity for them to ever visit an optician, and to have access to spectacles.

We were delighted to be able to assist Ian and the children with this very worthwhile event. If you are interested in hearing more about Rotary and the activities which we are involved in, please call me.

David Dewhirst



THEATRE GROUP

After months of rehearsals our Youth Section are ready to perform the musical *Disco Inferno*; this will be the first time that this has been staged in this area. This new musical, by Justin Sepple is set in the 1970s and traces a young lad's trials and tribulations as he tries to make it as a pop star. The community centre is to be transformed into the set of a 70s nightclub for this high-energy fast moving show. If you feel like getting in the mood rummage around and come dressed to impress with your flares, the wide lapel jackets and platform shoes. This show will be staged at the Community Centre 11th, 12th, 13th and 14th October 2006 at 7.30 p.m. (Doors open 7.00 p.m.). Tickets are £7.00 (£5.00 for concessions) and are available by phoning the ticket secretary Corinne Fox on 01562 632484 or our chairman Paula Knight on 01384 894655 or at the Spar and Phillip C Paddock Butchers.

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Tony Forrest

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The Royal British Legion BLAKEDOWN & HAGLEY BRANCH

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REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Remembrance Day this year will be on Sunday 12th November in St. John the Baptist Church, Hagley at 10.30 a.m. Beforehand there will be a short dedication and laying of poppies at the War Memorial at 10.00 a.m. before proceeding to the Church for a special service.

A.A. Pritchard
(Branch Secretary)



TREFOIL GUILD

Maybe 'bookmarks' and 'paper hearts' do not sound much like the stuff of which social and enjoyable evenings are made, but such proved the case for our August craft meeting. One should not underestimate the value, or 'glue', of a good chat, either. October brings us The Beetle Drive. Our venue is St. Saviour's Church Hall and we are holding it on Thursday 26th October. Invitations are going to other Guilds in the region and it would be nice if friends here in Hagley could join us, too. Since it is half-term perhaps we could expect some Guides.

We will meet at 7.30 to start play at 8 o'clock. There will be plenty of prizes. Think of it as the start of the mad, social round which is the Hagley Winter season. So do come. St. Saviour's Hall on Thursday 26th October at 7.30 p.m. Tickets £3. Refreshments will be served while scores are added up. Help can be given with this on request!

E.O. Gingell

MOTHERS' UNION

In October we have our annual Deanery Festival. This year it is on Wednesday, 11th October at 7.30 p.m. at St. James' Wollaston.

Our own monthly meeting is on Thursday, 19th October. Ingrid Chestnutt will give us a talk about Women Missionaries.

The Bring & Buy and Cake Stall in August was a great success, so thank you to all that came, brought and bought and made cakes.

Judy Plant

CLUB REPORTS



GARDENERS' CLUB

The members did not get too terrified at the demonstration given by William Scott on Tool Sharpening. His humorous and gentle approach to taming our garden tools was refreshing and educating. Who knew that chisels could be so useful? What a spot of WD40 will do and many weird and wonderful tools were brought by members for our delight.

Those of you who may have seen the programme on the Restoration of Historic Gardens a few years back were probably reminded of it when Chris Hodgetts talked to us about 'Hill Close, Victorian Gardens' on September 27th. Situated just outside Warwick they were restored by Monty Donn and his team.

A treat in store and a memo in your diary is essential so that you don't miss the meeting on 25th October. Tony Hamblin a well-known photographer will be giving his talk on 'Gardening for Wildlife'. His photographs are wonderful and will be of interest to wildlife buffs as well as to gardeners.

Look forward to seeing you.

Judy Berrow

HAGLEY WIVES AND WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP



Welcome to our new season on events. We began on September 12 with our interdenominational Opening Service at St. Saviour's followed by registration in the hall. Membership is again £10 for the year.

Our first talk was entitled "**SRN to GP and many roads in between**" by Dr David Gallimore, in September and on October 10th we will have our

Meet your new groups evening at St Saviour's Hall.

All these meetings will begin promptly at 8.00 p.m. and if you would like to come along as a visitor, please do, we will offer you a warm welcome. If you would like further information please do phone.

Toni Allison

BOOK CLUB

Wednesday 11th October. Tonight we will discuss modern/contemporary crime fiction, and perhaps discover how the genre has moved on since Conan Doyle and Agatha Christie.

We meet at 34 Long Compton Drive at 8.00 p.m. For details tel 884469.

Dinah Penman

CLUB REPORTS



HAGLEY ART CLUB

ART CLUB

This month we have something different, the appreciation of the artist Vincent Van Gogh given by Anthony Slinn. Being aware of the styles and techniques of different artists is a help to understand their work. We meet every second Friday of the month in St. Saviour's Church Hall at 7.30 p.m. This month it will be 13th October.

ALSO THIS MONTH your entry forms for the November Exhibition must be handed in so that the Catalogue can be produced in time. THIS IS IMPORTANT to prepare copy for the printer. The Exhibition is 17th, 18th and 19th November in the Community Centre, see below.

A.A. Pritchard

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Clent Hills Singers



Rehearsals are now well under way, not only for our own concert on 2nd December in St. Saviour's Church, but also for 'Hiawatha on 9th December in St. James' Church, Wollaston when we shall be joining Stourbridge Choral Society.

Clent Hills Singers would be delighted to welcome new voices. If anyone is interested in singing with us, please come along one Thursday evening for a taster (7.30 p.m. in the Free Church), or for more details contact Jo Hughes.



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Lunchtime Christmas Concert at the Birmingham Symphony Hall – Saturday 4th December (early booking necessary)

Warwick Castle at Christmas - 14th December.

As well as planning next year's day trips Hagley Travel Club is also putting together a programme of weekend breaks and holidays to begin in Spring 2007. To join our mailing list or to book any of the above trips please call Alastair Brookes on (01562) 883281.

FREE CHURCH FELLOWSHIP

Autumn is here again and it is time to meet up on Thursday evenings in the Free Church Hall at 8.00 p.m. We have a full programme thanks to Gwen Foster's efforts during the early summer.

New faces are always welcome so if you are newcomers you will be greeted with enthusiasm. October 5th Opening Devotional Meeting with talk by Rev Ricki Twigg "Palestine Agricultural Relief Committee".

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“Hagley’s role in the war on Terror” – Tuesday 17 October

As part of Amnesty International’s “Protect the Human” week, human rights activist and Hagley resident Dr David Nicholl will be giving a lecture entitled “Hagley’s role in the War on Terror” in the Church Hall at 8.00 pm.

Further information david.nicholl@blueyonder.co.uk

Midlands Fretted Orchestra – Friday 27 October

This talented and interesting group, who played at the 2005 Music Festival, will be giving at concert in St Saviour’s on the evening of Friday 27 October.

Antiques Valuation Evening – Tuesday 31 October

John Carter of Carter’s Auctioneers will value up to two items per person, at an evening to continue to raise funds for disabled access facilities, in the church hall at 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm start. Tickets (including wine and nibbles) £6.00. Details from Win Long (885226), or in September’s edition of “Contact”.

OCTOBER SERVICES

Date	8.00 am	9.30 am	10.30 am	6.30 pm
1 October Trinity 16		Morning Praise St Saviour’s	Holy Communion St John’s	Visit to Coventry Cathedral
8 October Trinity 17	Holy Communion St John’s		Morning Prayer St John’s Holy Communion St Saviour’s	Youth-led Service St Saviour’s
15 October Trinity 14	Holy Communion St Saviour’s		Parish Family Communion St John’s	Healing Service St Saviour’s
22 October Trinity 19	Holy Communion St John’s		Parish Communion St Saviour’s	Evening Prayer St Saviour’s
29 October Last after Trinity	Holy Communion St John’s		Parish Communion St Saviour’s	One World Week Service, 6.00 pm Free Church

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Preachers for October

1st

am Link Service

pm Rev Alan Clark *

8th

am Link Service

pm Rev Charles Radburn

15th

am Rev Ernest Cruchley *

pm Rev Charles Radburn

22nd

am Worship with Church Meeting

pm Rev Gerald England

29th

am Mr Ian Carnel

pm One World Week Service

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Church Prayer Topic for the Month

Those in Higher Education and leaving
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LADIES AFTERNOON FELLOWSHIP

Tuesday 17th September at 2.30 p.m.

Speaker: Rev Ernest Cruchley



**MORNING LINK SERVICES 1 AND 8 OCTOBER
CARE OF OUR PLANET**

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THURSDAY FELLOWSHIP AT 8.00 P.M.

We welcome you to our new season, Gwen Foster has again arranged a very promising programme

- Oct 5 The Palestine Agricultural Relief Committee - Rev Ricki Twigg
- 12 Humorous Fund Raising Stories – John Fletcher
- 19 Back to Back Lives – Kenneth Hughes
- 26 A Journey Through Prison – Miss Monica Cardon
- Nov 2 “Razz-Ma-Taz” Musical Evening – Keith Garvey
- 9 Living and Working in an Islamic Country – Mrs Collette
- 16 Cartoons and Caricatures “Hogarth to Giles” – return visit of Colin Bowden
- 23 Grandma’s Secrets – Madeline Stride
- 30 Ypres Pilgrimage – David Humphries
- Dec7 Christmas Party entertainment by “The Three Amigos”

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3rd October

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Community Centre

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OCTOBER DIARY

MONDAY 2

Playgroup

Monday to Fridays (not Thursdays)

Parish Council

Community Centre, 7.00 p.m.

TUESDAY 3

Historical and Field Society

St. Saviour's Hall, 8.00 p.m.

A.G.M.

THURSDAY 5

Free Church Fellowship

Free Church Hall, 8.00 p.m.

'Palestinian Agricultural Relief Committee'

Clent Hills Singers

Free Church, 7.30 p.m.

FRIDAY 6

Country Market

Community Centre, 8.45 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.

Chess Club

Free Church Hall, 7.00 p.m.

MONDAY 9

Afternoon W.I.

Community Centre, 2.00 p.m.

"Incidents in the Life of a Magistrate"

TUESDAY 10

Hagley Wives & Women's Fellowship

St. Saviour's Hall, 8.00 p.m.

'Meet Your New Groups'

Senior Citizens' Club

Free Church Hall, 2.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 11

Book Club

34 Long Compton Drive, 8.00 p.m.

'Contemporary Crime Fiction'

THURSDAY 12

Free Church Fellowship

Free Church Hall, 8.00 p.m.

'Humorous Fund-Raising Stories'

Clent Hills Singers

Free Church, 7.30 p.m.

FRIDAY 13

Chess Club

Free Church Hall, 7.00 p.m.

Art Club

St. Saviour's Hall, 7.30 p.m.

'A Visit from Vincent Van Gogh'

MONDAY 16

Parish Council

Community Centre, 7.00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 18

Evening W.I.

St. Saviour's Hall, 7.30 p.m.

A.G.M.

THURSDAY 19

Free Church Fellowship

Free Church Hall, 8.00 p.m.

'Back to Back Lives'

Clent Hills Singers

Free Church, 7.30 p.m.

FRIDAY 20

Country Market

Community Centre, 8.45 – 11.00 a.m.

Chess Club

Free Church Hall, 7.00 p.m.

TUESDAY 24

Senior Citizens' Club

Free Church Hall, 2.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY 25

Evening W.I.

Community Centre, 7.30 p.m.

'Group Meeting'

Gardeners' Club

St. Saviour's Hall, 8.00 p.m.

'Gardening for Wildlife'

THURSDAY 26

Free Church Fellowship

Free Church Hall, 8.00 p.m.

'A Journey Through Prison'

Clent Hills Singers

Free Church, 7.30 p.m.

Ladies' Probus

The Talbot, Chaddesley Corbett, 12 noon

'Curtains Up'

FRIDAY 27

Country Market

Community Centre, 8.45 – 11.00 a.m.

Chess Club

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MONDAY 30

Flower Arrangement Society

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