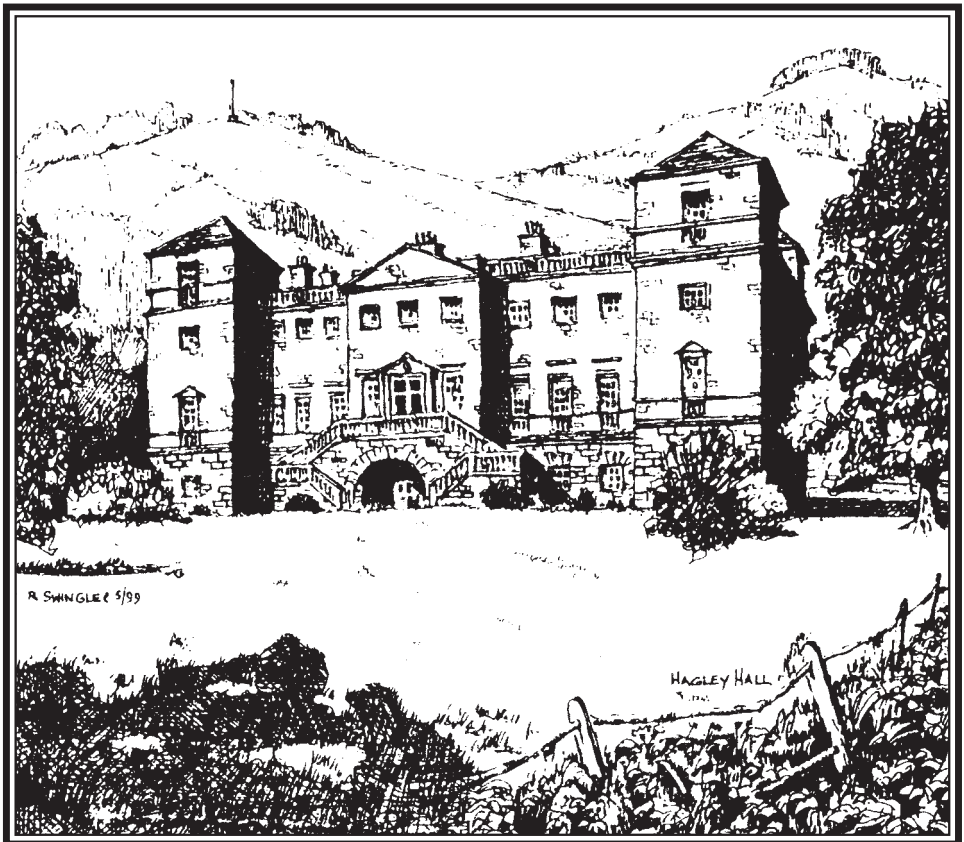




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EDITORIAL

This month I am very pleased to welcome a new member on to the team – Sue Holloway, who has taken on the role of Advertising Manager. Sue will be the contact for all advertising queries and I'm sure will be very capable. Spring is a good time to start something new; why not join HCA, or the Parish Council and make a difference to our village?

I would like to wish you a very happy Easter – all the services are listed this month. Let's hope we get picnic weather!

*Anna Morley
Editor*

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Dear Editor

Dear Editor

I presume Mr Shore will withdraw his comments made in the March Village News now he knows:

- Senior officers from the District Council are in discussions with Haybridge, Sports England and user groups.
- The Parish Council has decided not to proceed with the parking payment scheme.
- A full and timely response to Mr. Shore's green waste concerns was sent directly to him some weeks ago.

Steve Colella

Dear Editor

I would like to draw your attention to the deplorable condition of the Recycling Area in the Hagley Village Car Park.

I had occasion to walk through the Car Park on my way to the Surgery and was appalled at the amount of empty bottles people had left stacked around the Containers.

The majority of the Containers were full but this is not an excuse for leaving their recycling in a position where they can be thrown around causing a danger to car park users and pedestrians. Are these emptied monthly or as and when it is deemed necessary?

There is another question of who is leaving the bottles. From the ones I saw today you would conclude that they were left by someone who had bought in bulk for a very large party or was it a restaurant who needed to recycle but could not be bothered taking them to Romsley.

I hope that you can use your influence to have the containers emptied more often and prevent this unsightly mess being repeated.

Alastair McKay

Dear Editor

You may already be aware that there has been much talk in the local area about the Kidderminster-based Citizens Advice Bureau and the withdrawal of certain services. This is significant to your readers as we often have residents from Hagley coming to our local CAB to seek discreet and confidential family/general legal advice. We therefore wished to alert you of the steps we have now taken in light of these cut backs, given our long and significant involvement.

The Wyre Forest Citizens Advice Bureau (CAB) has been present in the Wyre Forest for almost 50 years providing much sought after advice. The Bureau, run by paid staff and volunteers is still a very busy and important organisation in our community.

The financial crisis and credit crunch has affected all of us in some way and the CAB is no exception. For many years the CAB has worked in conjunction with local lawyers to ensure that there is a free, easy-to-turn-to advice centre for residents with legal issues. From 16th December 2008 this is no longer the case due to Wyre Forest being forced to be more cost-effective.

Although the CAB will still be open to help and sympathise with residents of the area on matters such as debt, contract, benefits, housing, employment and discrimination, the legal service has been withdrawn.

However we, Painters Solicitors, the Kidderminster-based law firm have decided to continue to provide this much needed professional service free of charge. Painters has been practising in the town for more than 55 years and feels strongly that the service should not be allowed to fade away, especially in these difficult and uncertain times. Any person that wishes to benefit from using this free advice service should contact Painters on 01562 822295 to make an appointment.

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A very happy Easter to all our clients.

Anne Garth
Liaison Officer

HAGLEY SURGERY

Thanks to all the people who took time to complete the patient survey this year, and to the Patient Participation Group (PPG) for administering it again. It's really very useful for us, and we are very grateful.

Once again, we were heartened by many comments of thanks, encouragement and support and it is satisfying to know that the general perception is that we provide good quality healthcare, and treat people with respect. However, the "old chestnuts" are still causing problems. We know that all too often we run late in surgery. We also know that it is sometimes difficult to get an appointment with the doctor of your choice in a short period of time. It is difficult to know what to do about the former without reducing the total number of appointments available, thus worsening the latter. However, we are piloting a new system which should help significantly. If you notice a difference, please let us know (good or bad!)

One problem with the survey is that people make anonymous comments which would be helpful for us to follow-up. For instance, several people made suggestions for services which we already actually provide. However, the anonymity means they are in a cul-de-sac and we can't follow the issues through. So if you made a comment in the survey, and we don't seem to be listening, let us know. Alternatively you can give us feedback through the PPG – just ask at reception about this.

Thanks again for all the feedback.



ELEANOR BARRETT

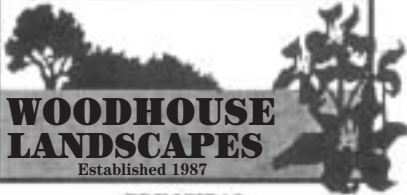
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The park will be open to the public for only the second time in many years. Please put this date in your diary and join us for an enjoyable afternoon.

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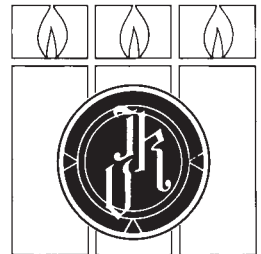
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BDC CORE STRATEGY

The Parish Council has responded to Bromsgrove District Council's proposed Core strategy, in particular the potential housing development on the land between the A456, A491 and Western Road (area beyond the Christmas trees on the traffic island on the A456 – see the Hagley Parish Plan).

The Parish Council has objected to the inclusion of this land in the core strategy for possible future development and has asked for it to be removed and returned to Greenbelt status.

The Parish Council considers any substantial housing will be unsustainable and will have a catastrophic and detrimental effect on the whole area (including those in the Parish of Clent). A full copy of the Parish Council's response can be found in the library, Parish Council web site or from the clerk.

PLANNING

In February the council looked at the following applications:

There were no objections to 09/0029 50 Kidderminster Road; 09/0049 2 Hall Lane; 09/0059 1 Summervale Road and 09/0096 Co Op Pharmacy, 96 Worcester Road.

There were no objections to 09/0008 Old Halesonians Rugby Club, Wassell Grove Lane; plans to install a synthetic fibre hockey pitch with associated fencing and floodlighting but we did state that there should be a curfew of 9.00 p.m. on the floodlights.

09/0067 33 Chestnut Drive – demolition of existing garage, construction of new double garage with linking single storey extension. Objection: This was considered an excessively large extension on a recently built house.

Catherine Humphries

Book Club

Wed April 8th 2009. Afghanistan and the Indian sub-continent should be topical and interesting subjects for our meeting tonight. We meet at 11 Middlefield Lane at 8.00 p.m. Details 884469.

CLUB REPORTS

AFTERNOON W.I.



At the February meeting David Bates talked on "Accident Prevention in the Home" and gave advice on where certain items, such as fire alarms, that might prevent accidents, could be found. He also informed members where further helpful advice could be sought.

Shrove Tuesday saw members attending the Annual Hagley Group "Pancake Lunch" at the Hagley Community Centre. On 31st March Hagley Afternoon WI hosted the Spring Group Meeting when the speaker was Mike Jackson talking on "Directing BBC Collectable Programmes".

Dates have been set for the Fish & Chip Lunch, Afternoon Tea at Barnes Close, a Garden Party and the Coffee Morning. It is also hoped to arrange a conducted tour of BBC Television Centre in London.

The meeting on 20th April will be open to all (male as well as female!) when the speaker will be from the National Memorial Arboretum at Alrewas. This meeting will commence at 2.00 p.m. at Hagley Community Centre. A visit to the Arboretum is planned to take place as a follow-up to the talk.

Members are always pleased to welcome visitors and new members so why not come to the Community Centre at 2.00 p.m. on the 2nd Monday in each month (except April) - you will be delighted with the welcome you will receive!!

Megan Bury

EVENING W.I.

We hope by the time this is in print we shall have left winter behind and can start experiencing "The joys of Spring!"

Many W.I. Events have helped us through the dreary days – amongst others - our speaker in March, Mrs Dawn Nex "MeetMe in St. Louis"; our monthly lunches; the Group Pancake Lunch; a visit to the Birmingham Synagogue; and the Annual Council Meeting at Malvern.

Looking forward to April, our Speaker will be Mrs. Ricki Day with the very close to home subject of "The Old Lyttelton Hotel". We have THREE trips to the Rose Theatre to choose from (or all three!) and we can begin looking forward to outdoor activities, the first of which is a trip to Little Larford to see the beautiful tulip display.

Our April lunch will be on Friday, April 24th. As always, anyone interested to find out more of what we have on offer can contact 882875 or 720219 – or just come along – you will be made most welcome.

Joan Ellis



CLENT HILLS SINGERS

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Our session on First Aid – our February meeting – was very interesting. The Heimlich Manoeuvre – a method of helping someone who is choking, was explained and demonstrated. “Should you, while on your own,” the instructor said, “suffer a choking fit, lean over the back of a dining-room chair and press yourself into it until you dislodge whatever is in your throat.” Now should that item of information have passed you by before, but knowing it now saves your life, thank the Editor of Hagley Village News for giving it a wider audience!

A group of us went to Droitwich for Thinking Day Celebrations. It brought home to us how much organising we have to do before we can host the County A.G.M. on April 18th. We didn't let that dim our enjoyment, however, and took a lot of pleasure from renewing friendships with members of other guilds.

We will meet in the Free Church at 7.30 p.m. on April 2nd to plan (dole out the jobs) for the 18th April A.G.M.

Elizabeth Gingell

HAGLEY WIVES AND WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP



On 28th April we welcome the return of wildlife photographer Peter Preece, who will be giving an illustrated talk about his work; his slides are fantastic, do join us.

The first of our two meetings in May is to be an evening visit to the Redditch Needle Museum on May 12th, which follows in the wake of our interesting talk about needle manufacture in the area given by Jo-Ann Gloger.

Rosemary Prosser will give a talk entitled from Criminal Records to Farming Records and Beyond on May 26th. It is the story of her journey from policewoman to farmer. We meet at 8.00 p.m. at St. Saviour's hall.

Toni Allison

GARDENERS' CLUB



A very well attended AGM was followed by an excellent talk and fantastic slides from John Robinson. Not only did he entertain us with so many interesting stories, observations and the history of the Wyre Forest but told us many secrets of how he managed to produce some of his most evocative pictures. The evening ended with wine and nibbles.

The list of outings is now available and names will be taken at the next meeting so don't forget your cheque books.

April 22nd – welcomes Gordon Forrest telling us about the 'Wildlife in Chaddesley Woods'. Another raconteur with excellent slides and quite different from the Wyre Forest Talk. Gordon is a well known local 'lad' and is very popular on the speaker's circuit.

May 27th – 'The History and Restoration of Croome Park'. Designed by Capability Brown and the restoration been going on for a long time but has been worth it as those of you who have visited the Park will know.

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Sunday 5th April – Palm Sunday

9 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

4 p.m. – Parents and Children Together – Blakedown

9th April – Maundy Thursday

7 p.m. – Benefice Maundy Service – Churchill

10th April – Good Friday

10 a.m. – Good Friday Service

12th April – EASTER DAY

9 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

19th April – Divine Mercy (Low) Sunday

9 a.m. – Holy Eucharist

26th April – Easter 3

10 a.m. – Benefice Eucharist

The Holy Eucharist is also celebrated in Broome Church on Wednesday mornings at 10 a.m. There are other church services in the benefice at Churchill and Blakedown.



HISTORICAL AND FIELD SOCIETY

Chairman Ray Porter opened the Society's February meeting by welcoming visitors and new members, detailing the outing to the National Memorial Arboretum and St. Giles' Church, Cheadle on 25th April, inviting members and friends to the Social on 15th May, promoting Don Freeth's War Memorial book and advertising the ramble to Leasowes park on 15th February.

Presenting 'Industrial Espionage in the Eighteenth Century', our speaker, Dr Helen Smith began by setting the scene in post-Industrial Revolution Britain and describing how other countries, particularly France, wanted to emulate the success of British manufacturers. Consequently, French manufacturers attempted to make their own 'English' goods – cloth, lace, glass, buttons and engineering.

The real nub of Dr Smith's talk concerned the illicit recruitment of British workers, including those making Stourbridge glass, to produce these goods in France. The ideal recruit was young, unmarried and Catholic and had to be prepared to bring his skills, knowledge and tools to his new employment. Although the number of workers involved was very small, the impact of their 'defection' was huge.

This was a fascinating presentation, delivered in an accessible manner by a speaker who had thoroughly researched her topic.

The next meeting of the Society is on Tuesday 7th April, when John Hemmingway will present 'The Castle and Baronry of Dudley. All are welcome at St. Saviour's Church Hall at 8.00 p.m. Visitors £2.00, including refreshments.

Alan Atkinson

ART CLUB



This month the meeting will be FRIDAY EVENING 17th April, one week later. Please note the change from our usual pattern due to Easter. As we are now entering the season of Spring what could be more appropriate than to have a demonstration of *Boats in Pen & Wash* by Ron Law. The evening starts at 7.30 p.m, usual venue, St. Saviour's Church Hall, Hagley. Remember the change of night just for April.

Members will have been notified that the Fee for this year is £20 and should now be paid. By cheque please made out to the Hagley Art Club.

Looking ahead to May 8th, the evening will be devoted to *Portraits in Oils* to be presented by David George.

Alan Pritchard, Hon. President

CLUB REPORTS

STOURBRIDGE SPEAKERS CLUB

High wire and no safety net! Speaking without a safety net, otherwise known as a script, was the theme for a recent workshop run by Dilwyn Scott. Dilwyn is the Training Officer for the National Association of Speakers Clubs as well as being a member of Stourbridge Speakers Club.

Dilwyn's premise is that the best speeches appear to be impromptu, although they are carefully prepared and rehearsed. Reading is NOT speaking. Speaking notes should be developed from 'ideas' rather than from an 'essay'. So don't write a speech. If you have a script and read from it you will sound 'wooden'. Don't attempt to be word perfect. If you are you will sound insincere, like a door-to-door salesman.

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David Wike

HAGLEY CRICKET CLUB

The coming of Spring heralds the start of a new cricket season and fuels our usual optimism of a gloriously hot Ashes summer. At the end of last season both 1st and 2nd XIs were promoted to higher divisions of the Worcestershire County League so we are looking forward to some stern competition.

The season will kick off with league cricket at Hagley on Saturday 5 April. Sunday matches start on 2 May. This year we will also be running a third team for the first time. New members are always welcome. Please contact Russell Andrews (01562 882833) or Jeremy Trinham (07810 512629).

Outdoor nets for seniors at the Club will commence on Tuesday 14th April. As usual we will be running junior teams, at Under 11 and Under 15 age groups, together with training for Under 8s. Please contact Tony Shaw (01384 377645) or Ian Watt (07886 483737).

This season sees the club celebrating our 175th anniversary with celebratory matches against such notable teams as I. Zingari, London New Zealand, the Australian Crusaders and MCCC. The centrepiece of the celebration will be a gala Dinner to be held at Hagley Hall on Friday 24 July with guest speakers including former Test captains Graham Gooch and Jeremy Coney.

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Three members made the final in another competition, to design a jacket for the cold environment of Antarctica. The team were invited to attend the UK Young Scientists and Engineers Fair. At the fair they will compete against two other teams in the final and get the opportunity to meet with Ben Fogle and James Cracknell.

The Falconry Centre in Hagley put on a Birds of Prey display in the school hall. As well as flying the birds, they talked about the physical adaptations of birds of prey and owls, also the habitat and diet of these birds in the wild. The children had the opportunity to handle the birds. They bought along some native species of birds of prey from a selection of: Barn Owl, Little Owl, Tawny Owl, Kestrel, Peregrine Falcon, Common Buzzard and Golden Eagle. They also brought a few species of raptors from around the world, from a selection of: American Kestrel, Bateleur (eagle), Chaco Owl, Harris Hawk, Steppe Eagle and various species of Eagle Owls.

V. Shaw

HAYBRIDGE HIGH SCHOOL

On 7th February, Sixth formers Jess Carvlin and Eilish Prentice travelled down to Oxford University to research the English Faculty at Oxford. They were given a talk about the English syllabus as well as experiencing an Oxford University type lecture on Modern poetry. They also had a talk about admission procedures and watched a mock interview – not as scary as you might think! After lunch, second and third year students escorted them around many of the beautiful colleges and chapels.

Sixth form representatives elected to support James Corfield (ex year 13 student) through their winter term charity activities (Christmas Wish Tree, Carol Singing & Student Parental Donations). On 12th February they held a charity presentation assembly and were proud to present a cheque for £1150 to James' chosen charity – Mary Stevens Hospice.

As part of the National BTEC Sport course, a class of Yr13 students have been given the opportunity to develop their culinary skills within the kitchen environment. School Chef, Andy Minchin, was on hand to coach the group through the making of a 3 course meal designed to be suitable for a selected athlete. The Sports Nutrition unit is designed to enable students to understand the concepts of nutrition and digestion and to be able to plan a diet appropriate for a variety of activities.

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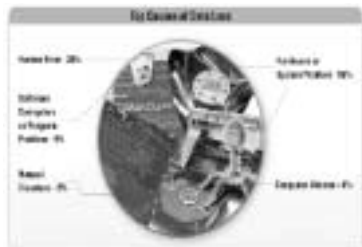


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Tuesday 7 April

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Wednesday 8 April

8.00 pm Worship and Meditation * St Saviour's

Maundy Thursday 9 April

10.00 am Holy Communion St Saviour's

8.00 pm Celebration of the Last Supper * St Saviour's

Good Friday 10 April

9.00 am Hot Cross Bun Breakfast Church Hall

10.00 am Good Friday Family Service St Saviour's

2.00 pm The Good Friday Liturgy * St John's

7.30 pm Good Friday Service Free Church

Easter Eve 11 April

8.00 pm The Easter Liturgy St John's

* These services will include a meditation, by Geoffrey Brown, on the Misereor Hunger Cloth from Haiti, which currently hangs at the back of St Saviour's hall.

APRIL SERVICES

Date	8.00 am	9.30 am	10.30 am	6.30 pm
5 April Palm Sunday		Morning Praise St Saviour's	Holy Communion St John's	Taizé Service St Saviour's
12 April Easter Day	Holy Communion St Saviour's		Parish Family Communion St John's	Festival Evensong St John's
19 April Easter 2	Holy Communion St John's		Parish Communion St Saviour's	Evening Prayer St John's
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Services for April

5th Palm Sunday
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pm Rev Gerald England

12th Easter Day
am Rev Mike Spencer *
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19th
am Mr Ian Carnel
pm Rev Riki Twigg

26th “President’s Sunday”
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APRIL MEETINGS

Tuesdays 7th and 21st

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Joint Service at The Free Church
PREACHER: REV DR RICHARD MASSEY

EASTER DAY 12 APRIL

8.30 p.m. HOLY COMMUNION (followed by Church breakfast)
10.30 a.m. MORNING WORSHIP WITH HOLY COMMUNION
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FRIDAY 3

Chess Club

Free Church Hall 7.00p.m.

MONDAY 6

Hagley Parish Council

Community Centre 7.00p.m.

Stourbridge Speakers Club

Bell Hotel, Market Street, Stourbridge 7.45p.m.

TUESDAY 7

Historical & Field Society

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00p.m.
'The Castle and Baronry of Dudley'

WEDNESDAY 8

Book Club

11 Middlefield Lane 8.00p.m.
'Afghanistan and India'

TUESDAY 14

Senior Citizens' Club

Free Church Hall 2.30p.m.

WEDNESDAY 15

Evening W.I.

Free Church Hall 7.30p.m.
'The Old Lyttelton Hotel'

THURSDAY 16

Wyre Forest & District Centre

Community Centre 8.00p.m.
'Titanic-A Return of a Dream'

FRIDAY 17

Chess Club

Free Church Hall 7.00p.m.

Art Club

St. Saviour's Hall 7.30p.m.
'Line and Wash'

MONDAY 20

Playgroup

Monday to Friday
Community Centre 9.00a.m. – 12.15p.m.

Hagley Parish Council

Community Centre 7.00p.m.

Afternoon W.I.

Community Centre 2.00p.m.
'The National Memorial Arboretum'

Stourbridge Speakers Club

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WEDNESDAY 22

Gardeners' Club

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00p.m.
'Wildlife in Chaddesley Woods'

THURSDAY 23

Clent Hills Singers

Free Church 7.30p.m.

FRIDAY 24

Chess Club

Free Church Hall 7.00p.m.

MONDAY 27

Flower Arrangement Society

Community Centre 7.30p.m.
'Derby in Bloom'

TUESDAY 28

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