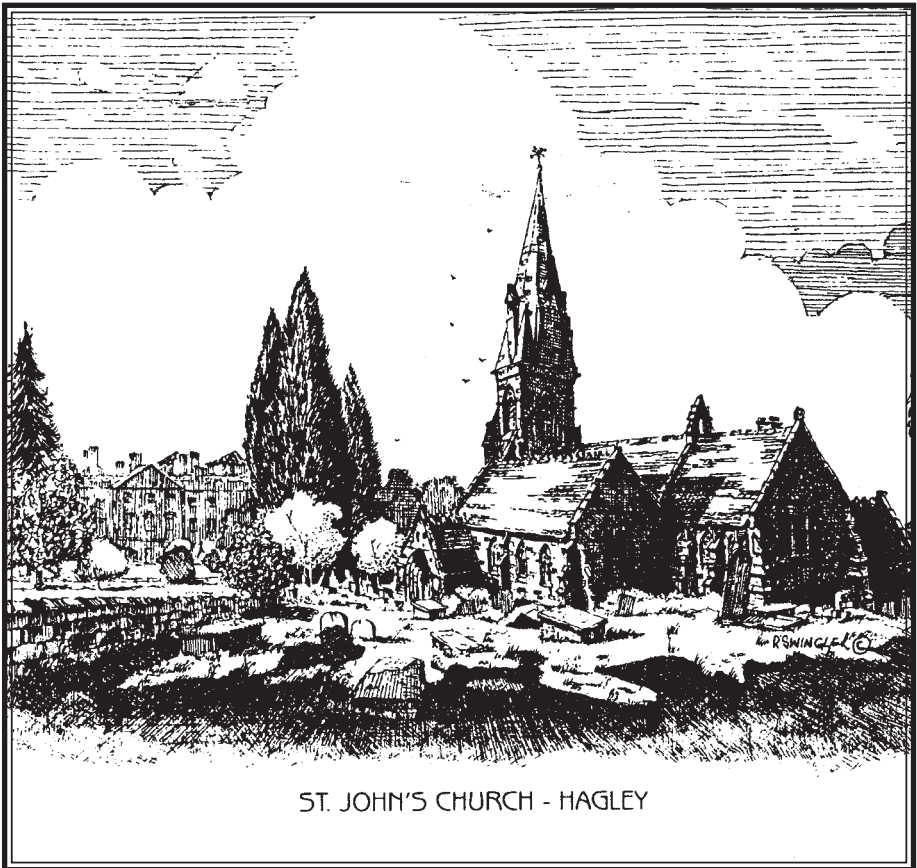




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## EDITORIAL

*March is a lovely month, when we can really feel the Spring coming and this March we celebrate both Mothering Sunday and Easter Sunday, after a long Lent (especially if you have given up chocolate...) All the church services are listed as always.*

*All at Hagley Community Association would like to wish all our readers, far and wide, a very happy and peaceful Easter.*

*Anna Morley, Editor*

*Editor's note - see back cover for Music Festival dates...*

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# HELPLINE

Helpline will be holding its **Annual General Meeting** in St. Saviour's Church Centre on

***Wednesday 6th March at 7.30p.m.***

We offer a warm welcome to all our supporters, volunteers and clients. We should be pleased to welcome new volunteers – particularly more volunteer drivers – so please do come along and meet us.

Or, please call in (Church office at St. Saviour's) or telephone on 886696 between 10.00am and 12 noon any weekday.

## **Easter Closing**

The Office will be closed Good Friday 29th March and Easter Monday 1st April, please make arrangements with us before then for Easter Week. Happy Easter to all!

Anne Garth  
Liaison Officer

## **Hagley Surgery Easter Closing**

The Surgery will be closed on Good Friday 29th March  
and Easter Monday 1st April  
A Happy Easter to all our patients!

## **TREVOR CONNOP**

Anne, Steve, Debbie and families would like to thanks friends and neighbours for the many cards and kind condolences following the death of Trevor. Also for the donations received for Mary Steven's Hospice and Guide Dogs for the Blind. We would also like to thank Dr. Ali, the District Nurses and care company Pulse 8 of Bromsgrove for the care given.

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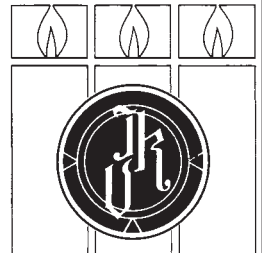


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Please note that there will be a public meeting hosted by the Parish Council where you will have the opportunity to raise questions and concerns over the Kidderminster Rd development directly with BDC's Head of Planning and Regeneration (Ruth Bamford) and representatives from Cala Homes. Please see local notice boards and the website for more details. All welcome.

Other planning issues – Hagley Parish Council objects to the proposed McCarthy and Stone Development on the old middle school site in Park Road. The members believe that it is overbearing, out of keeping with the area and has a detrimental effect on the street scene and character. At the time of writing the full objections will be submitted shortly. The next available planning committee date where the application will be heard is on the 4th March. Please see the website for more details.

The Western Rd application hearing is expected shortly. Hagley Parish Council has submitted its objections and will be represented at the planning meeting.

Meanwhile, in January the council looked at eight other applications. There were no objections to seven of them:

- 46 The Crescent;
- 77 Park Road;
- 95 Lodge Crescent;
- 1 Kinver Drive;
- 20 Church Street;
- Palmers Hill, Brake Lane
- 12 Middlefield Lane.

The Councillors objected to the retrospective application for the TV at West One.

The Hagley Parish Council Annual Meeting will be held on the 25th March in the Community centre where Superintendent Purcell of West Mercia Police who will be presenting his view of current Policing and be taking questions on both local and regional policing matters. There will be an opportunity to ask questions of the Parish Council, District Councillors and the County Councillor. All welcome. More details will be displayed on the notice boards and websites.

Catherine Humphries, Clerk to the Council

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**Meeting 21st January 2013, in Clent Parish Hall**

### **Outline of Major Issues**

The Chairman welcomed newly elected Councillors Alan Hess and Ed Sheppard onto the Council.

### **Youth Council**

The young people have negotiated to take on an allotment plot, have agreed on the design of new skateboard ramps, and are eager to contribute to their page on the website.

### **Skateboard Park**

The Council resolved to place an order for the new equipment. This will consist of two facing quarter-pipes on tarmac adjacent to the basket ball post (to be dismantled). Measures to reduce noise and improve safety are included in the total cost of £13,000.

### **Finance**

Extensive discussion of anticipated expenditure resulted in an increase of the Precept figure to £75,000.

### **Streathern, Western Rd. plans**

Councillors had received the draft objection document from our professional advisors. Our Ward Councillor Mrs. Sherrey had advised Planning Officers of a number of concerns, and said she was supportive of the Parish Council objections to the plans as they stand.

### **Street Lights**

The resolution to remove/replace the 'Rocks' light was deferred. Council will carry out further consultations and enquire from County as to which authority is responsible for the light.

### **Newsletter**

It was agreed to produce a Newsletter, both online and hard copy, during February. We re-iterated that in future the annual newsletter that precedes the AGM will continue to be hard-copy, but other quarterly newsletters will be online only unless specifically requested by a parishioner.

More details at [www.clentparishcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.clentparishcouncil.gov.uk)

Stan Bloxham

Dear Editor,

I have just returned indoors from clearing "dog droppings" contaminated snow from outside my home. Regrettably, the offending mess was originally covered by the snow and that caused it to be walked into the house. Though the circumstances are different, such mess is a regular sight.

Dog walkers are given a bad name by the irresponsible minority but it tends to make me suspicious of them all. There is one male walker who has been challenged about his lack of consideration for other people but he refuses to change his ways.

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Trevor Hare

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Your scribe attempted to cover all this (and more) in his presentation at the January meeting, thus setting the scene for the Society's 50th anniversary.

Our next meeting in St Saviour's Hall is on 5th March, when Richard Perrin will present "Bewdley, a Riverside Town". Visitors are always welcome to our events – come and join us and you won't regret it.

*Alan Atkinson*

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## AFTERNOON W.I.

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At the monthly meeting on Monday 11 March, Neil Cooke will talk about the restoration of the Gardens at Hanbury Hall, and on Saturday 16 March we are looking forward to going to a matinee performance of 'High Society' at the Rose Theatre, Kidderminster.

The Craft Group is busily creative and will be having of stall of their work at a Fashion Show on Monday afternoon 25 March in the community Centre. Everyone is welcome to this Show of Spring and Summer clothes by Debut of Hagley, followed by tea and cakes and with the proceeds going to charity.

On Monday 8 April, we are looking forward to a talk by Dr Gillian White on Mary, Queen of Scots.

The monthly meetings are held in the Community Centre on the second Monday at 2.00 pm. We are very happy to welcome visitors and new members - so - if these activities sound interesting, do come along. We'll look forward to seeing you.

Rosie Wynne

## EVENING W.I.

I hope we are well on the way to Spring when you read this! The first meeting of the year was excellent, given by Mrs Irene Oliver telling us about the old roads of Hagley and how historians discovered them. Several of us had a turn at water divining in the hall, some were successful others not but with no explanation.

We shall welcome Wendy Fryatt from the 'Black Country Food Bank' in March. If you would like to join us please do you will be most welcome.

The Hagley Group meet for a light lunch with a speaker and pancake tossing, no running! on Shrove Tuesday.

We look forward to a full programme including an evening garden visit and a day trip to the Cotswolds.

Our monthly meetings are on the third Wednesday in the month in the Free Church Hall starting at 7.30pm.

For more details please call Liz on 720219 or Pauline on 882875.



Liz Hathway

# CLUB REPORTS



## HAGLEY ROTARY CLUB



### Rotary international news

Aung San Suu Kyi, leader of Myanmar's democracy movement and recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize, delivered the keynote address at the Rotary Global Peace Forum held in Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, 25-27 January.

She was honored with the Hawaii Peace Award for her longstanding pursuit of democracy through peaceful, nonviolent means. After 20 years of house arrest, Suu Kyi was released in November 2010, and last year was elected to Myanmar's parliament as a member of the pro-democracy opposition party.

### Recent events

Cabaret night

Mike Wilks – Tanzanian wildlife

Clive Everton – Snooker

Josephine Hurn – Midlands and Titanic

### Future speakers and events

Ray Sturdy – The sixties

Richard Leage – Jazz musician

President away week-end, Liverpool

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Hassan Paraiso



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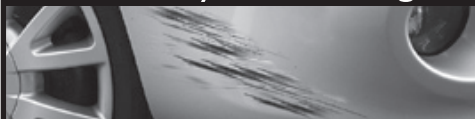
The meeting on Friday 8th March is our A.G.M. and this will be followed by Lynn Peebles, our visiting artist, giving the demonstration 'Wild Animals'.

If you are interested in becoming a member of Hagley Art Club, do come along and hear reports of the last year and plans for the future, as well as enjoying the 'Wild Animals' demonstration.

Looking ahead to our meeting on April 12th, our visiting artist will be Roy Lang, giving the demonstration 'Seascapes in Oil'.

Anne Garth

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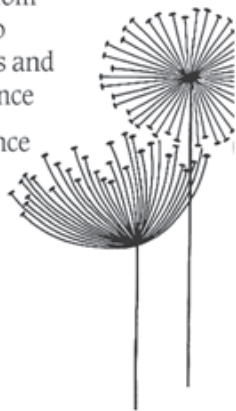
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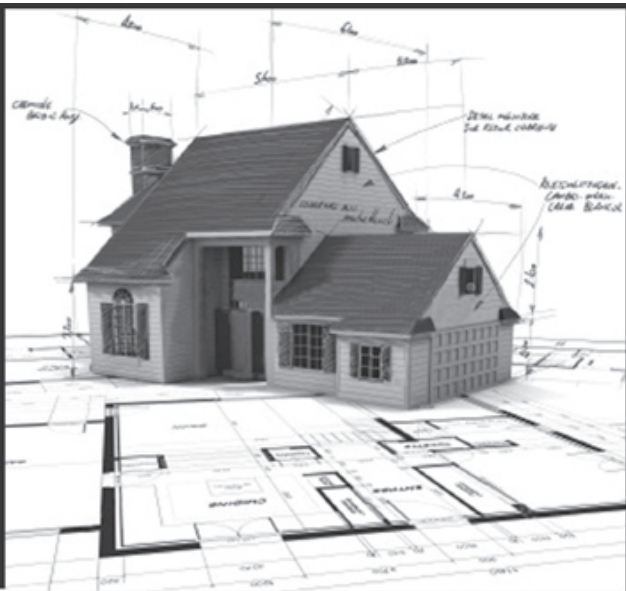
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### **Sunday 3rd March 2013 – Lent 3**

9am – Holy Eucharist – Broome  
4pm – Parents and Children Together –  
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### **Sunday 10th March 2013 – Mothering Sunday**

10am – Benefice Mothering Sunday  
Service – Blakedown

### **Sunday 17th March 2013 – Lent 5**

9am – Holy Eucharist – Broome

### **Sunday 24th March 2013 – PALM SUNDAY**

10am – Benefice (combined churches)  
Eucharist – Broome

### **28th March – MAUNDY THURSDAY**

7pm – Benefice Maundy Service –  
Blakedown

### **29th March – GOOD FRIDAY**

2pm – Devotions – Churchill

### **30th March - HOLY SATURDAY**

7.30pm - Service of Light at Fairfield  
church

### **Sunday 31st March 2013 – EASTER DAY**

9am – Holy Eucharist – Broome

*To arrange Baptisms and Weddings in the  
Parish please contact Fr Paul.  
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*Holy Eucharist – 10am every Wednesday in Broome church.*

*Prayer Time – 8.45am-9.15am every Wednesday in Blakedown church.*

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## CLUB REPORTS



### TREFOIL GUILD

We had a very relaxed meeting in January, not a bit worried about all the news of gathering storms. Instead we waxed quite nostalgic about 'great snowfalls we have known' and how character forming it was to trudge through snow drifts to school. But, oh, the bliss of not having to do it again.

In March, on 14th, we are going to the cinema. Where, and to what, will be decided by Pauline who has agreed to organise us, though not to buy the popcorn.

E.O.Gingell



As a continuation of the development of Artrix's programming of contemporary popular music, another fine folk music and dance show comes to the Arts Centre on Sunday, March 31st, when

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The Spring Brochure is published at the beginning of March and you can ring the Box Office on 01527-577330 to be sent a copy and to book tickets. Alternatively, full details of all the shows and films are on the website – [www.artrix.co.uk](http://www.artrix.co.uk) - and you can book tickets online. Once again it is a packed programme!

Nick Taylor, Artrix Publicity Officer

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Jenna



### 1st Hagley Rainbows

We ended last term with a great visit to see Santa at the Red Cone in Wordsley; we all made baubles for our Christmas trees, we had refreshments, got lovely marble toys from Santa and one of us had a go at glass blowing.

This term has been exciting so far not least because it was quite challenging going through the snow in January.

We are looking at our local community this term and have been practising our road crossing skills, looking for animal prints in the snow and mud, made fat balls for the birds in our garden and made lovely Valentine's cards.

We are always sad when our old girls leave but we wish them luck in Brownies and it's great to have some new starters who will be enrolled with us shortly.

Next term we are having a trip to Sandwell Farm with 2nd Hagley.

Jayne Mottershead

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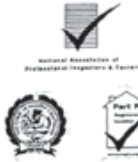
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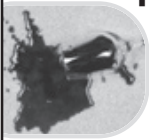
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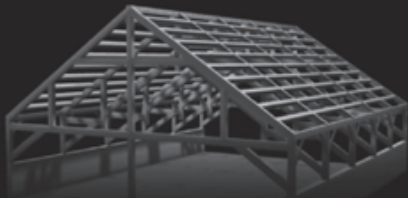
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### Maundy Thursday 28 March

10.00 am Holy Communion St Saviour's  
8.00 pm Passover Supper Church Hall  
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### Good Friday 29 March

9.00 am Hot Cross Bun Breakfast Church Hall  
10.00 am Good Friday Family Service St Saviour's  
2.00 pm The Objects of the Cross St John's  
7.30 pm Good Friday Service Free Church

### Easter Eve 30 March

8.00 pm The Easter Liturgy St John's

## MARCH SERVICES

Date	8.00 am	9.30 am	10.30 am	6.30 pm
3 March Lent 3		Morning Praise / Parade St Saviour's	Holy Communion St John's	Compline St Saviour's
10 March Mothering Sunday	Holy Communion St John's		Parish Family Communion St John's	
17 March Lent 5			Morning Prayer St John's Holy Communion St Saviour's	Celtic Praise St Saviour's
24 March Palm Sunday	Holy Communion St John's		Parish Communion St Saviour's	Palm Sunday Service St Saviour's
31 March Easter Day			Parish Family Communion St John's	Festival Evensong St John's

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### Hagley Wives & Women's Fellowship

Our first meeting in 12th March will be an illustrated talk given by Sandy Cale about Elegant Georgian Worcester. This will be a step back in time looking at a city on our doorstep.

This will be followed on 26th March by a talk about Edward Elgar and his music given by Geoffrey Duggan. Come and relax and enjoy this musical treat.

Looking forward to 9th April, we will have an update about Edwards Trust, a very worthwhile charity which supports parents of very sick children. Helen Coombs will be joining us with all the latest news.

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Toni Allison

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Quick on the heels of this came a two day visit by one of Her Majesty’s Inspectors of Schools who focused on teaching and learning in science. From this he concluded that the overall effectiveness of education provided by the school is ‘outstanding’.

The PE Department took a group of staff and students to Neukirchen in the Austrian Tyrol for a skiing week during half term, an annual event on the calendar. Also, the RE Department took a group of 40 Year 10 and 11 students to Krakow. Their visit included a trip to Auschwitz-Birkenau, Schindler’s Factory Museum and the Jewish quarter and ghetto.

Year 12 students held a Spring Disco for Years 7 and 8 and great fun was had by pupils and staff.

The Dance department held their annual production in February, entitled ‘The Routine from...’ showcasing talent from 90 pupils, years 7-13, and was a collection of current exam and extra-curricular work, of iconic routines throughout the ages.

During March we will hold our Prizegiving Evening on 27th and we will be welcoming Claire Cashmore, a paralympian and former pupil as our Guest Speaker. This is a highlight of the school calendar and we look forward to welcoming former pupils as well.

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J. Waine



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The first half of the Spring Term has been very full and snow has definitely not stopped either play or learning! All external examinations took place, with numerous Sixth Formers braving the elements to walk some miles to get to and from their exam – well done to all involved. Congratulations also to students who have completed their Duke of Edinburgh Awards. Rosie Sproule achieved the Silver Award and these students have received their Bronze Awards: Jack Glover, Ryan Price, Emily Jordan, Lucie Calder, Calum Hands, Chloe McCairn, Nick Oakley, Alina Khan and Sophie Harris. Congratulations to all.

On 24th January we entered a Junior and Senior team into the Rotary Club Youth Speak competition in the Great Hall at Old Swinford Hospital School. Both teams performed extremely well, with the Senior team securing victory and a place in the District competition. Well done to Saffron Rennison, Jasdeep Mahal, Tom Fell, Emily Jordan, Matt Jones, Rebecca Fenton and Simi Manik. We are also proud that we once again have four students standing for election to the Youth Parliament and we wish all the best to Jordan Bllingham, Zul-Kifl Chaudry, Ross Hart and Max Hart. Meanwhile, Sophie Brown has been named regional winner for the West Midlands in the Best Young Volunteer category of the Inspired National Awards, which celebrate the achievements and dedication of young volunteers. Sophie, who volunteers at a retirement home in Kidderminster, hopes her nomination will inspire young people to give up their spare time to help others.

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on 26 March

Lent Communion led by

Rev Rikki Twig

### HAGLEY CAFÉ -OMG MEETING

Thursday 6 March 7.30-8.30pm

Coffee with exchange of views

Open Group – Please Join In

### THURSDAY FELLOWSHIP

ON 14TH MARCH AT 8.00PM

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

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The President

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### The Tuesday Tea Club

The Senior Citizens' Club has been  
renamed

“The Tuesday Tea Club”

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## FORTHCOMING EVENTS



A date for your diary!

Spring Fair

Saturday 13th April, 9am-12.30pm  
at Hagley Community Centre

Plants, homemade cakes, tombola,  
nearly new clothes/toys/books etc  
and refreshments...something for  
everyone!

Admission:

Adults 50p (children free)

All donations welcome call:

01562 883474/886684/886844

**PTA Ladies Spring**

**Pamper & Shopping**

**Spectacular**

at

Haybridge High School & Sixth Form

on

Friday 8th March, 6.30pm start

Tickets £4 to include a glass of wine

*Over 40 stalls full of gifts, home décor,  
beauty products/gifts, fashion items, mini  
pamper/beauty treatments, Easter and  
Mothers Day gifts galore!*

## Stour Valley Cat Rescue

### Table Top Sale

at The Hagley Community Centre,  
Worcester Lane, Hagley on;

**Saturday March 9th & 23rd**

*Admission free*

From 10:30am till noon

Lots of stalls including books,  
jewellery, bric a brac, toys,  
collectables.

*Call Anita on 01384 375832*

**Tea and coffee available**

*To include various charity stalls  
We look forward to seeing you*

Reg charity 514904

## Stour Valley Cat Rescue

### Easter Coffee Morning

at The Hagley Community Centre,  
Worcester Lane, Hagley on;

**Saturday March 30th**

*Admission 50p*

*to include refreshments*

From 10:30am

Lots of stalls including books,  
jewellery, bric a brac, toys,  
collectables.

*Call Anita on 01384 375832*

Reg charity 514904



# MARCH 2013 DIARY

## **FRIDAY 1st**

### **Playgroup**

Community Centre 9.00am-12 noon

Mondays to Fridays (not Thursdays)

### **Country Markets**

Hagley Library 9.30-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

## **MONDAY 4th**

### **Stourbridge Speakers Club**

Talbot Hotel, High Street  
Stourbridge 7.45pm

## **TUESDAY 5th**

### **Tuesday Tea Club**

Free Church Hall 2.30pm

### **Historical & Field Society**

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00pm  
'Bewdley, a Riverside Town'

## **WEDNESDAY 6th**

### **Mother & Toddlers**

Free Church Hall 10.00am

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

Haybridge Drama Studio 7.30pm

## **THURSDAY 7th**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30pm

## **FRIDAY 8th**

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 9.00-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

### **Art Club**

St. Saviour's Hall 7.30pm  
'Wild Animals'

## **MONDAY 11th**

### **Afternoon W.I.**

Community Centre 2.00pm  
'Hanbury Hall Garden Restoration

### **Parish Council**

74A Worcester Road 7.00pm

## **TUESDAY 12th**

### **Hagley Wives & Women's Fellowship**

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00pm  
'Elegant Georgian Worcester'

## **WEDNESDAY 13th**

### **Mothers & Toddlers**

Free Church Hall 10.00am

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

Haybridge Drama Studio 7.30pm

## **THURSDAY 14th**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30pm

## **FRIDAY 15th**

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 9.00-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

## **SATURDAY 16th**

### **Clent Hills Singers**

St. Saviour's 7.30pm  
Spring Concert – Fauré's Requiem

## **MONDAY 18th**

### **Stourbridge Speakers Club**

Talbot Hotel, High Street  
Stourbridge 7.45pm

## **TUESDAY 19th**

### **Tuesday Tea Club**

Free Church Hall 2.30pm

## **WEDNESDAY 20th**

### **Mothers & Toddlers**

Free Church Hall 10.00am

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

Haybridge Drama Studio 7.30pm

### **Happy Families Fashion Show**

Hagley Community Centre - 7.30pm  
All proceeds to Mary Stevens Hospice

## **FRIDAY 22nd**

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 9.00-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

## **MONDAY 25th**

### **Parish Council**

Community Centre 8.00pm  
Annual Parish Meeting

## **TUESDAY 26th**

### **Hagley Wives & Women's Fellowship**

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00pm  
'Elgar – the Man and his Music'

## **WEDNESDAY 27th**

### **Mother & Toddlers**

Free Church Hall 10.00am

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

Haybridge Drama Studio 7.30pm

## **FRIDAY 29th**

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

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## HAGLEY MUSIC FESTIVAL 2013

<b>Fri 19 April</b>	10.00 am	Haybridge High School & Hagley RC High School students: a Morning of Music at Hagley Free Church.
	7.30 pm	Bev Pegg and his 6 piece band: Jazz Night at St John's.
<b>Sat 20 April</b>	12.00 noon	Kidderminster Male Choir: Concert at St Saviour's.
	7.30 pm	Musicians from The National Youth Orchestra of Great Britain: Concert at St John's, featuring Guy Johnston (cello), BBC Young Musician of the Year 2000 - to include music by Piazzolla, Ravel, Mozart and Mendelssohn.
<b>Sun 21 April</b>	3.00 pm	Matt Davies: an afternoon of light classics on the piano, with cream teas, at St John's. <i>Music by Mozart, Beethoven, Rachmaninov, Bach, Parry and Chopin.</i>
<b>Mon 22 April</b>	afternoon	The CBSO's Little Big Time Band, with David Lawrence: Workshops at Hagley Primary School.
	7.30 pm	The LBTB, David Lawrence and Hagley Primary School pupils: Concert at St John's.
<b>Wed 24 April</b>	7.30 pm	Hagley Community Orchestra: Concert at St John's. <i>Mozart, Magic Flute Overture; Bach, Suite in D; Downes, Native American Concerto; Rogers and Hammerstein songs.</i>
<b>Frid 26 April</b>	7.30 pm	The Orchestra of the Swan and Tamsin Waley Cohen (violin): Concert at St John's. <i>Holst, St Paul's Suite; Elgar, Serenade for Strings; Huw Watkins, Concertino; Vaughan Williams, The Lark Ascending; Britten, Simple Symphony.</i>
<b>Sat 27 April</b>	7.30 pm	Xuefei Yang (guitar): Concert at Hagley Hall with wine and canapés. <i>Dowland, Three pieces; Schubert, Songs; Britten, Nocturnal; Bach, Violin Sonata; Debussy, Claire de lune; Falla, Homenaje.</i>
<b>Sun 28 April</b>	6.30 pm	Choral Evensong, with King Edward's Chamber Choir: St John's. <i>Music by Victoria, Oxley, Stanford and Whitfield.</i>

Fliers will be distributed by volunteers to houses in Hagley, or they can be obtained from either St John's or St Saviour's, in the new year. Information from the parish office in St Saviour's – 886363. Tickets will be on sale from 2nd January from Mary Downing – 884216.