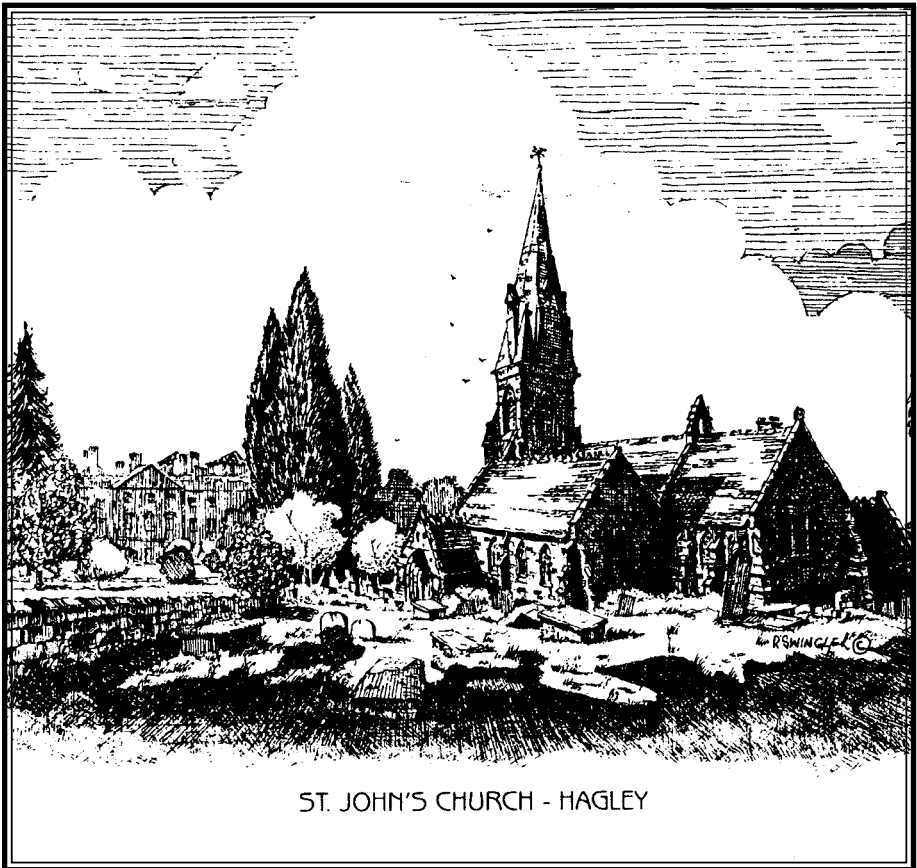




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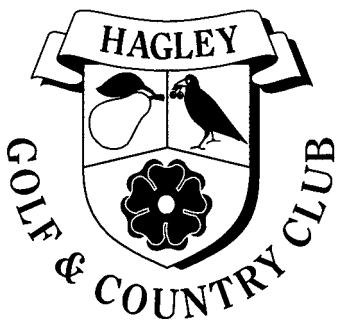
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## March 2014

*This must surely have been the wettest January anyone can remember in Hagley? Can anyone remember a wetter Winter?*

*I sincerely hope that by the time we all read this, that we have dried out a bit and can get into the garden, us to seed a new lawn and create a real garden to enjoy, but am not expecting it to be easy- nothing has been yet!*

*I must thank Jan Tandy for her dedication over the last few years and invite someone new to step into the role of Village News Distribution Manager – see page 7 and thank you.*

*Anna Morley, Editor*

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# HCA

Following a well-attended Annual General Meeting in January, we are pleased to report that we now have a Chairman, Bookings Officer and Fete Co-ordinator, see page 6.

We do not, as yet, have a President since the sad loss of Geoff Gough, but this will hopefully be addressed in the near future.

## Village News Distribution

Jan Tandy has been doing a marvellous job looking after the Village News co-ordination and distribution, but now feels it is time to step back and offer someone else the opportunity to handle this important job.

If you feel you can help, would you please get in touch with Jan or myself and have a chat about what is involved? The system is well set up and already in place, so it is not an onerous job, but a very important one!

Thank you for your support

Editor



## Hagley Village Fete

The Community Association is delighted to announce that this year's Hagley Village Fete will take place on the afternoon of Saturday, 5th July 2014.

We are looking for a balanced mix of groups and individuals to run stalls and displays from amongst the various local community associations, charitable bodies and appropriate commercial enterprises.

Individuals and groups wishing to take part should register their interest as soon as possible by contacting the Fete Co-ordinator, Peter Hollis (tel no. 01562 886556 or email: [phollis100@gmail.com](mailto:phollis100@gmail.com)). Alternatively, you may wish to attend a meeting for fete participants to be held at the Hagley Community Centre at 7.00pm on the evening of Tuesday, 25th March 2014.

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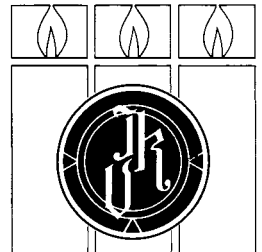


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It was also agreed that in order to reach a robust and viable agreement that results in a workable solution, the deadline date, when the final recommendations have to be made to WCC Cabinet, must be extended to 30th September 2014.

HPC has resolved to do everything possible to keep the Library and Information Centre open and services maintained. This will not happen without HPC subsidising the maintenance and running of the building, therefore some difficult decisions will have to be made as regards the Parish Budgets and precept. However, if the library can be kept open it will be a small price to pay.

It must be added that the council has voted to increase the precept for the next financial year to cover the costs associated with the library and other areas as the costs to the council are increasing.

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Can I suggest that anyone who is concerned about these changes should put their views to London Midland, FREEPOST MID17926, Birmingham, B2 4QT. Alternatively, a comments form is available from the station, or there is an e-mail address on the London Midland website.

Mr S Pilborough

## **HAGLEY HELPLINE AGM**

Helpline will be holding its Annual General Meeting in St. Saviour's Centre on Wednesday 5th March at 7.30pm.

We offer a warm welcome to all our supporters, volunteers and clients. We should be pleased to welcome new volunteers – we particularly need more volunteer drivers, so if you feel you could help in this valuable service, do come along and meet the Committee and other members of Hagley Helpline.

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He portrayed a period when, for the first time, working people who had the leisure time and wherewithal could briefly escape the daily grind and smoke of our industrial heartland and breathe in the fresh air of the countryside. He took us on a photographic double-decker tram journey from Castle Hill, Dudley via the Turk's Head in Brierley Hill and then along Brettell Lane to Stourbridge Town. Having arrived in Stourbridge intrepid travellers then had the opportunity of an onward tram journey, via a 'Light Railway', to Kinver which was then a well established 'holiday resort'.

By the end of the 1920s the tram era came to an end, to be replaced by that of the Motor Omnibus. However, if you look carefully, you can still see faint evidence of the Kinver Light Railway running between the Stewponney and Kinver alongside the Staffordshire and Worcestershire canal.

Please note that our March meeting will not be on the first Tuesday but on the following Friday, 7th which sees Colin Wooldridge presenting 'Reminiscences of Hagley and the Surrounding Area'. Visitors are most welcome at all our events – see website for details and contacts.

Jeff Cope

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Phew! What a relief! We're so fortunate to live in the 21st century and not have to wear – from the age of 16 – a good 'foundation garment' to give an hour-glass figure and seriously limit all our activities. Ron Quilter brought a selection of 19th and 20th century Corsetry to our January meeting and spoke about the 'industry' – the design, manufacture and retailing in shops. It also gave employment to hundreds of women as fitters and consultants who of course lost their jobs as the fashion changed.

The Knit, Natter and 'Nother Craft Group meets monthly. This month there is a Lunch on Monday 17 March, a Cheese and Wine Evening on Monday 24 March with other WIs, both at the Community Centre, and a visit to the Birmingham Assay Office.

At our meeting on Monday 10 March, Charlie Homer will speak about his African Charity GAGA, and David Baker will tell us about the Black Country Museum on Monday 14 April.

The monthly meetings are on the second Monday at 2.00 pm in the Community Centre. We're a friendly group with a varied and interesting programme – do come along, you would be very welcome.

Rosie Wynne

## EVENING W.I.



Our recent meeting in January was most interesting, starting with a fascinating talk on the benefits to the environment that can be made when people get together to build and conserve areas of the natural environment. What started off as the odd plot of rather unpromising land were transformed into havens for wildlife; ponds built and within a year were transformed to appear as though they had always been there.

Several outings have been arranged for the coming months and we try to join in fully with the various activities, events and craft days organised by Worcester Federation WI. Although while writing this much of the country is still water logged, some snowdrops are starting to show their heads so Spring should definitely be with us this March with promise of even better times as the season progresses..

Our next meeting is at 7.30pm on Wednesday 19th March, in Hagley Free Church Hall when we shall be hearing a talk by Michael Hardwick on: 'Spetchley, The Family and The Gardens' which should prove most inspiring. Do come and join us, you would be most welcome. For more information our contact numbers are Hagley 882829 or 882875.

Katey Fletcher

# Hagley Wives & Women's Fellowship

Our programme for 2014 is going very well and already we have enjoyed a quiz and a very interesting talk by Brian Draper about The Hidden Wildlife in the City of Worcester, he had some beautiful photographs.

Our events for February included Sandy Cale's talk entitled The Great Escape and Nic Yates talk about being an Olympic Torch bearer.

Looking forward to March 11th, Angela Hugman will talk about the lighter moments of being a physiotherapist followed on March 25th by Eifed Jones talking about Hospital Radio, a very worthwhile service.

We only have one meeting in April due to the Easter holiday so on April 8th we have a talk entitled "Never a dull moment". This will be given by Cliff Kirby-Tibbits who has 40 years experience in the travel industry. There is no meeting on April 22nd.

I am sure there is something to interest everyone so please join us at 8pm in St Saviour's Hall.

Toni Allison



## Clent Hills Singers

Our next concert will be on Saturday 17th May, 7:30 pm in St. Saviour's Church. The programme will include Vivaldi's Gloria.

Rehearsals are held every Thursday at 7:30 pm in Hagley Free Church. New singers would be warmly welcomed, especially Tenors and Basses! An ability to read music is a help but not an absolute requirement.

If you are interested, please contact Wendy Pettit, our Musical Director, on 01562 730248. My telephone number is 01384 340600. Alternatively, just come along!

Anne Jeff Byrne



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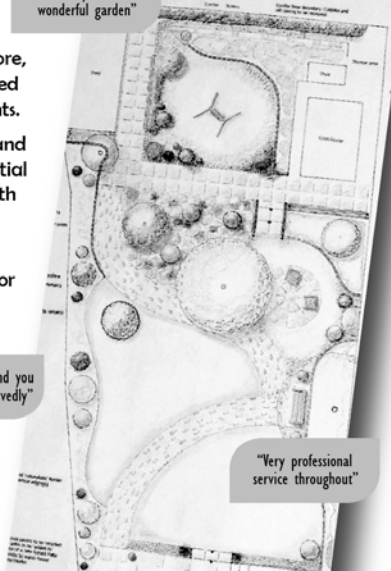
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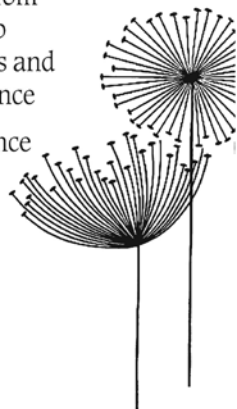
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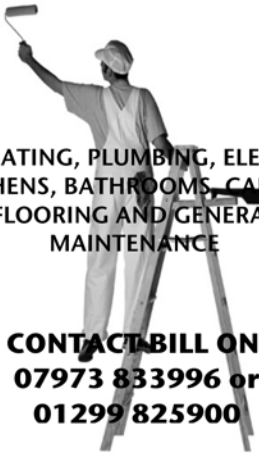


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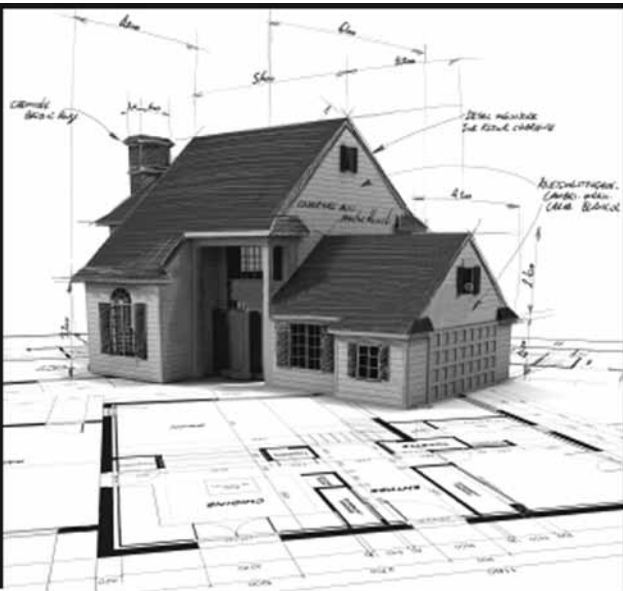
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### **Sunday 2nd March 2014 - next before Lent.**

9am - Holy Eucharist - Broome  
4pm - Parents and Children Together -  
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### **Wednesday 5th March - ASH WEDNESDAY**

10am - Holy Eucharist & Imposition of  
Ashes - Broome

### **Sunday 9th March - Lent 1.**

10am - Benefice (combined churches)  
Eucharist - Blakedown

### **Sunday 16th March - Lent 2.**

9am - Holy Eucharist - Broome

### **Sunday 23rd March - Lent 3.**

10am - Benefice (combined churches)  
Eucharist - Broome

### **Sunday 30th March - Lent 4 (Mothering Sunday)**

10am - Mothering Sunday Service -  
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*Prayer time every Wednesday at 9am in Blakedown church Holy Eucharist every  
Wednesday at 10am in Broome church Coffee & Bible Reflection 2nd and 4th Wednesdays  
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*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.*

*Coffee & Bible Reflection – 11.15am – 2nd and 4th Wednesdays in Blakedown church.*



**HAGLEY ART CLUB**

## **ART CLUB**

Friday 14th March will be the Art Club's AGM, when we will hear reports of the past year and plans for the future of the Club. We have two members of the Committee standing down this time, so we will be looking to elect some new members on to the Committee. The second part of the evening will follow with 'Micro Art' with our visitor Graham Short.

Looking forward to April our visiting artist will be Adrian Clamp, 'Photomontage with Acrylic Paint'; something new for the Club to learn about.

Anne Garth

## CLUB REPORTS



### Girlguiding in Hagley

World Thinking Day, February 22nd is an opportunity to advocate for change and take part in fundraising activities for the World Thinking Day Fund, which provides grants to Member Organisations of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS)

to develop projects that help girls and their communities.

The theme for WTD 2014 is “education opens doors for all girls and boys”. Hagley Rainbows, Brownies and Guides joined forces for a week of celebration and fund raising.

On a lighter note, we all had a super time at the pantomime “Mother Goose”, performed by Stourbridge Pantomime Company at Stourbridge Town Hall. All x3 Brownies units attended together with 2nd Hagley Rainbows, and x2 lucky Brownies were invited up on stage! There was lots of audience participation and everyone had a fun night.

#### Join Us

If you are interested in helping or would like your daughter to join, please register your details at [www.girlguiding.org.uk/interested](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/interested)

Maxine Wyeth-Leader 2nd Hagley Rainbows



### TREFOIL GUILD

In a month when ‘keeping your head above water’ had new meaning, the Guild met and had some games, with added nostalgia. Whatever happened to Talcum Powder, Sago and Junket we wondered somewhat wistfully?

On March 13th we are having another trip down memory lane. Brenda is organising a visit to the carpet museum in Kidderminster, followed by tea, of course. All details from Brenda.

E.O.Gingell



## CLUB REPORTS



Comedy, music and drama are on offer for visitors to Artrix this March.

Musical highlights include **Lloyd Cole** who stormed the eighties charts with a string of hits such as **Perfect Skin**. From **The Jam Acoustic Tour** will perform a selection of the Jam's greatest hits and sixties stars. The Fortunes will be taking audiences back to the days of **Del Shannon** and **Love Affair**.

Multi-award winning Scottish folk singer **Emily Smith** will be taking to the Artrix stage and **The Lindisfarne Story** will be performing acoustic versions of Lindisfarne's classic songs. For blues fans, the **Acoustic Blues Weekend** offers the chance to listen to everything from ragtime to delta blues.

Comedian and science enthusiast **Robin Ince** will be presenting another of his crazy comic lectures and **Barnstormers Comedy** will be introducing three different comedians from the London stand-up circuit.

Theatrical treats in store include a play about the Tolpuddle martyrs called **We Will Be Free!** and Gazebo Theatre are presenting **The Sintern** which tells the story of three extraordinary players in the fight for women's rights.

In the second 'Words' event of 2014, writer, broadcaster, and Radio 4 reviewer **Natalie Haynes** will be talking about her experience as a judge on this year's Man Booker jury.

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Amy Dollery

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We are now opening our waiting list for September places, so if you have a child who is approaching two years of age and would be interested in finding out what we offer, please contact me on 07899846669, 01562882433 or email on [hagleyplaygroup@live.co.uk](mailto:hagleyplaygroup@live.co.uk). We look forward to hearing from you.

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## MARCH 2014

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**Tuesday 4 March - Pancake Party** - 7.30 pm in the Church Hall. Tickets £3 for adults, £1 for children. Beetle Drive. Licensed Bar.

**Wednesday 5 March - Ash Wednesday**. On this first day of Lent, we will be holding a Holy Communion service with the Imposition of Ashes at 8.00 pm in St Saviour's.

**Lent Groups** begin Thursday 13 March. See Pewsheet for details.

**Saturday 15 March - Midland Opera Concert** - 7.30 pm in St Saviour's. Ticket details from Lorraine on 07971 673060

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Date	8.00 am	9.30 am	10.30 am	6.30 pm
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9 March Lent 1	Holy Communion <b>St John's</b>		Morning Prayer <b>St John's</b> Holy Communion <b>St Saviour's</b>	
16 March Lent 2			Parish Family Communion <b>St John's</b>	Compline <b>St Saviour's</b>
23 March Lent 3	Holy Communion <b>St John's</b>		Parish Communion (with Clent Parish) <b>St Saviour's</b>	Compline <b>St Saviour's</b>
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### THEATRE GROUP

Sometimes the theatre critics get it wrong and audiences find where the merit lies and 'get it'. Les Misérables opened to negative and hostile reviews but soon sold out. Its popularity is such that this is now the world's longest running musical. In the twenty nine years since its London premiere, it has been seen by 65 million people in 42 countries. It has generated a valuable source of income for the Royal Shakespeare Company as it was involved in its initial London production.


Our Youth Section will take on the challenge of staging what is colloquially known as 'Les Mis' on the 8-11 October. The Youth Section has much to celebrate this year as this is their 25th annual production and promises to be a unique take on this great musical. The show will use the 'School edition' which is about 25 minutes shorter than the 'official' version and all the main songs and scenes are included.

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### Recent Events

At the start of February, many of our KS4 pupils undertook the annual Maths Challenge. This is an externally-set 'for fun' test of mathematical and problem-solving skills, designed for those who are gifted and talented in this subject. We have had some fantastic success with this initiative in previous years and pupils are currently awaiting their results.

The Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes was celebrated on Tuesday 11 February. The day was marked with our regular Tuesday morning worship in the morning, followed by a special liturgy in the School Chapel at lunchtime. Fr Martin, our School Chaplain, led a wonderful service to bless the hands of those Sixth Formers making their pilgrimage to Lourdes with the Archdiocese of Birmingham in May.

On Thursday 13 February, our annual Pyramid Concert was held at Birmingham Town Hall. The evening was a fantastic celebration of Abba's music. Numerous performances were designed by pupils from our Primary Feeder Schools, with the support of our own musicians.

Throughout February, Miss Bevan led an initiative aimed at increasing boys' participation in Dance projects, by having some Y8 boys working with professional dancers over a number of weeks.

### Upcoming Events

5 March – Ash Wednesday

18 March – Hunger Lunch

26-28 March – School Musical (Tickets from Mrs Aston: 01562 88 31 93)

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## Haybridge High School and Sixth Form

Congratulations go to a group of students who represented the school in an exemplary fashion at the recent Holocaust Memorial Service in Bromsgrove. Cameron Uppal and Charlotte Badger from Year 12 and Cameron Pearcey, Jack Timmins, Emily Dennis, Joseph Andrews, Tom Fell and Felix Farrow, all from Year 9, were required to read aloud and unamplified to a large group of fellow students and dignitaries which they did with aplomb. Meanwhile, Mr Findlay, James Stallard and Grace France from Year 13 recently visited Auschwitz as this year's Haybridge representatives on an annual trip organised by the Holocaust Educational Trust. As part of this visit they met a Holocaust survivor, an experience which had clearly been both profound and moving for all three of them, and they shared this with us in assembly on their return.

Congratulations also to Mrs Seymour and our junior debating team, who got through to the next round (District) of this year's Youth Speaks competition. The competition saw Ting Ding, Saffron Rennison and Dan Keen secure victory. We are all excited for them as they prepare for the next round. Excitement is also growing as our annual production gets ever nearer. This year's production, directed by our new Head of Drama and Theatre Studies Mr Burt, is 'Annie'. The show, involving more than sixty students, is sure to be wonderful and tickets are now available from the school office. This term has also seen us secure the prestigious Music Mark and our thanks go to Mr Raggett and the Music team for all their hard work.



# HAGLEY ROTARY CLUB

As severe flooding continues to affect many areas of the UK, RIBI is re-launching its UK Flood Appeal to help the thousands of people whose homes have been damaged.

Numerous people in the South West of England have had their own homes flooded and many more have been out and about knocking on doors to check people are all right and the Rotary District which covers Somerset has set up an account where people can make donations in their own local communities.

In Minehead, teams of Rotarians have been deployed in the Blue Anchor bay areas, visiting residents in mobile homes near the seafront to warn them of the potential risk of impending high tides.

President of RIBI, Nan McCreadie said: "We are re-launching our UK Flood Appeal as we know from previous experience that it will be once the water levels finally start to drop and the cleanup begins, that the real work will begin. For many people it will be months before they can move back into their homes. Money donated to the fund can be used to help households not only in the immediate aftermath, but also to provide help with the repair, refurbishment or replacement of community facilities damaged by the floods."

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*A presentation*

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Monday 17th March 7.30p.m.  
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## Table Top Sale

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## MONDAY 3rd

### **Playgroup**

Community Centre 8.45-12 noon. Mondays to Fridays (not Thursdays)

## TUESDAY 4th

### **Tuesday Tea Club**

Free Church Hall 2.30pm

## WEDNESDAY 5th

### **Badminton Club**

Haybridge Sports Centre 8.00pm

## THURSDAY 6th

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30pm

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

St. Saviour's Church 7.30pm

## FRIDAY 7th

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre  
8.45-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

### **Historical & Field Society**

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00pm  
'Reminiscences, Hagley & Surrounds.'

## MONDAY 10th

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

Community Centre 2.00pm

'GAGA, an African Charity'

### **Hagley Parish Council**

74A Worcester Road 7.00pm

## TUESDAY 11th

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

### **Fellowship**

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00pm

'Adventures of a Physiotherapist'

## WEDNESDAY 12th

### **Badminton Club**

Haybridge Sports Centre 8.00pm

## THURSDAY 13th

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30pm

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

St. Saviour's Church 7.30pm

## FRIDAY 14th

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 8.45-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

### **Art Club**

St. Saviour's Hall 7.30pm

'AGM followed by Micro-Art'

## TUESDAY 18th

### **Tuesday Tea Club**

Free Church Hall 2.30pm

## WEDNESDAY 19th

### **Evening W.I.**

Free Church Hall 7.30pm

'Spetchley, Family & Gardens'

### **Badminton Club**

Haybridge Sports Centre 8.00pm

## THURSDAY 20th

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30pm

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

St. Saviour's Church 7.30pm

## FRIDAY 21st

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 8.45-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

## MONDAY 24th

### **Hagley Parish Council**

Community Centre 7.00pm

Annual Parish Meeting

## TUESDAY 25th

### **Village Fete Meeting**

Community Centre 7.00pm

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

St. Saviour's Hall 8.00pm

'Behind the Scenes of Hospital Radio'

## WEDNESDAY 26th

### **Badminton Club**

Haybridge Sports Centre 8.00pm

## THURSDAY 27th

### **Clent Hills Singers**

Free Church 7.30pm

### **Hagley Community Orchestra**

St. Saviour's Church 7.30pm

## FRIDAY 28th

### **Country Markets**

Community Centre 8.45-11.00am

### **Chess Club**

Free Church Hall 7.00pm

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