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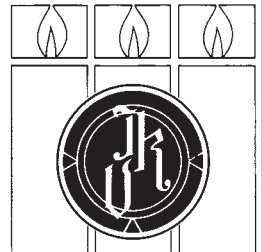


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**Alison Akers**, Editor

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During this period, please see [www.hhfs.org.uk](http://www.hhfs.org.uk) for an interesting selection of resources, photographs and videos on the history of our local area.

Rachel Paget

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## Hagley Gardeners' Club

Autumn is a lovely time of the year, and any extra hours we have been able to devote to our gardens and allotments because of the tyranny of covid-19 will have been well invested. Beds and borders will be glowing with colour, encouraged by the spell of tropical temperatures in August. Normally we would share the dividends with our families and fellow gardeners, but sadly that has become difficult or impossible - no dropping round to admire blazing acers or towering sweetcorn.



Nor do current rules allow us to congregate for Club meetings or outings - the church hall where we used to meet does not lend itself to the safety measures that the threat of covid-19 forces on us. So after suspending all activities last March the Club will now go into hibernation, hoping to come back to life next Spring. It can't happen soon enough, and there's much we can do meanwhile to prepare for better times and keep our spirits up.

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# Hagley Country Dancers

Unfortunately, the Covid-19 pandemic has stopped us meeting since March and there is no prospect of us being able to meet in the near future. Members are in touch via our WhatsApp group and by phone and we all look forward to re starting when that is possible.

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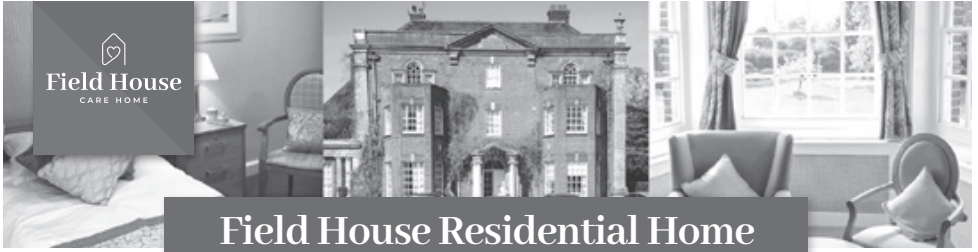
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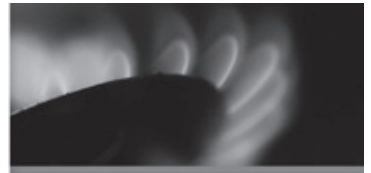
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# Bromsgrove District Council Update

The New Homes Bonus scheme for 20/21 has closed. I'm pleased to report that Hagley Ramblers Scout Group received a grant towards new stores at the Scout Hut; Cllr Colella received a small grant towards a tree planting scheme and Cllr Colella (with the support of Cllr Kent) received a grant for signage to be erected outside schools encouraging motorists to turn off engines whilst parked.

I'm also pleased to report that my proposed extensive tree planting scheme across the district has been accepted by BD Council and has gone to Cabinet for final approval.

There are a couple of very important Government 'White Papers' which will undoubtedly affect Hagley. The first being Planning review; this is Government's ideas for delivering new housing through planning reform. It has an annual target nationally to deliver 300,000 new houses each year for the next 10 years or so by streamlining current planning processes based on planning for development, planning for infrastructure and planning for beautiful and sustainable places. I'm very concerned with the outcomes of this paper and have made my representations known as part of the consultation. The implications for the district is that the housing target could easily be doubled.

Secondly a Paper on devolution which basically looks to restructure local government. You may know that I'm a long-time supporter that local decision making should be closer to home. I favour a two-tier governance structure i.e. Parish Councils at grassroots level, making local decisions and a 'super' North Worcestershire district council.

**Bromsgrove District Councillors Colella (Hagley West) and Jenkins (Hagley East)**

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## Hagley Neighbourhood Watch

This monthly update and the Facebook page tend to focus on crime and Anti-social behaviour but over the lockdown and summer the number of complaints of speeding, dangerous, careless driving and complaints about the many failings of the A456 and A491 being received has increased dramatically.

To this end representation has regularly been made to the Policing chiefs including the Police and Crime Commissioner. Had this been in normal times I would have called a public meeting, but as it's not, an outdoor drop-in session has been agreed by the Policing team for later in September. This will be advertised widely, and I would hope that the opportunity will be taken to visit the police with your various complaints and concerns.

If regular similar meetings are required later in the year, please let me know, failing that I know the policing team are only too happy to engage with the public when they're on patrol in Hagley.

I would like to reiterate that the Policing Team themselves are doing a fantastic job in very difficult circumstances and they have my personal support and thanks for everything that they do.

**Steve Colella joint coordinator**

## VILLAGE INFORMATION

# Hagley Parish Council Update

I would like to start this month's update with a 'thank you' to the editor of the Village News and all the distributors for re-starting the delivery of the Village News. It's a welcome sight and although there has been an electronic version online having a hard copy to read gives some resemblance of returning to normality. For those that didn't read any online updates during the summer I'm sure they can still be read online.

You'll have seen that the playing fields have been re-leveled and the compacted soil mechanically loosened to correct the surface water drainage issues. The field has been re-seeded and we now hope that the late summer rain, which held up works, will return!

The changing room works have been waiting for the solicitors from HPC and the Football Foundation to exchange all the final legalities. Everything else is ready to go, so when this update is being read I'm very hopeful that works will have commenced.

The new dial-a-ride community bus terms of agreement have been presented to HPC with a tentative re-start date being agreed ASAP when Government guidance allows it. We have received s106 monies from recent developments which will financially secure the service for years to come. I would encourage the service to be used as much as possible. I'm particularly excited that there is a plan to extend the 'service' in Hagley which will allow a wider use of the service.

**Cllr Steve Colella Chairman Hagley Parish Council**

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## HAGLEY U3A

Some members of Hagley U3A have continued to keep in touch via Zoom, WhatsApp or small groups meeting outside with social distancing.



Unfortunately we don't expect to have our normal monthly meetings, with a Speaker, for the foreseeable future but if anyone would like more details please contact our Membership Secretary Ian Powick : email [ian.powick@gmail.com](mailto:ian.powick@gmail.com) or phone 01562 883822.

## Thank you Life Central Church

When the 'lockdown' was announced some months ago members of the Life Central Church stepped forward and delivered 'Hello' Cards to almost every household in Hagley and Halesowen. This was to offer support to anyone who needed help with food deliveries, prescription collections or even just a chat during the developing crisis.

Their volunteers continuously staffed a helpline and co-ordinated with their large support team, the growing number of requests from Hagley residents.

To date they have assisted over 150 local residents with several hundred support visits, and even with the rate of infections falling they still continue to give regular support to 10 residents.

Hagley Parish Council have supported the Life Central Church during the past few months and wish to pass on our heartfelt thanks for the lifeline they have given to those in need.

Currently the Church are supporting the Halesowen Food Bank, and they expect the demand for this service to increase greatly over the coming weeks as the Government's Furlough Scheme comes to an end. Should anyone wish to contact the Church for continued help during the crisis or to donate food then please contact them on 0121 501 3542 or visit their web site at <https://lifecentralchurch.org.uk/>

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Our Monday Evening meetings were suspended In April, however Rotarians of Hagley continued to find opportunities for social contact, though be it through computers, handsets, and the occasional phone call.

Suddenly "Zoom" no longer was a noise to be made when simulating flights to our favorite holiday destinations, instead it has become the rallying call for a Monday night of Rotarian Banter and catch up.

Sheds, studies and garden backdrops were all used to enrich the pleasure of our good company and worthy discussion fulfilled by the good offices of Past President Julie Banks who continued to set up a virtual reality Rotary Meetings for the Hagley Rotarians and Re-Zoom (Forgive the pun) our bi-weekly meetings.

Now conversant with the technology and the discipline of only one speaker at a time, Rotarians have continued to serve as best we can, the interests of Hagley and surrounding areas.

Funds remain fruitful and Rotarian Janett's endeavors to sew scrubs and PPE all make us aware we are not alone and there is always a good cause or need to be found if you have the interest to look for it.

Sufficient to say a good time continues to be had by all and the meetings in June held on the 8th and 22nd were enriched with our customary good humor and Rotary camaraderie.

We look forward to Zooming the Airways in August on the 3rd and 17th and hopefully it won't be long before we'll meet again in person.

So if readers would like to have fun with a purpose, consider joining our club who will be meeting at 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm on Monday evenings by visiting our website at

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## ART CLUB



**HAGLEY ART CLUB**

We are holding our usual October Appraisal meeting, though that is strictly members only and if successful we hope to book an artist and hold our first demonstration at the November meeting, Friday 13th November 2020.

The eagle eyed among you will notice that November is when we normally hold our Annual Exhibition. We really tried to find a way to stage it but sticking scrupulously to Covid regulations we are going to try our hands at staging a virtual exhibition. We have no details yet, but the joy of having a virtual exhibition is it can start and finish any time. Hopefully, we will be able to say more

in the next newsletter and details will also appear on our website [www.hagleyartclub.co.uk](http://www.hagleyartclub.co.uk) as soon as they are available

The club has had some activities during the lockdown period; members have met at Trinity Farm in Kinner for informal painting sessions, plenty of room, fresh air and things to paint, there have been two en plein air (outdoor) workshops sessions with artist DJ (David Johnson) at Bodenham Arboretum and by the time this goes to print the Churchill painting group will have started again.

New members are always welcome. So, if you've taken up art whilst stuck at home during lockdown, why don't you join us and share your enthusiasm. We are an amateur organisation so all levels are encouraged, even if you're an absolute beginner or just experimenting (or of course, absolutely brilliant!) you will find kindred spirits here.

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Established in 2012 with an office in Hagley, Home Instead say they offer a different sort of service which is tailored to each individual person rather than the usual focus on fast visits and high volumes. Whilst Home Instead can offer personal care and specialises in dementia care, many clients just want some help around the house and with the same CAREGivers visiting each week, they seem more like part of the family who can visit simply for good company, to reignite old hobbies or to get out and about in the local area.

The inspection report explains “People received outstanding care. Without exception, people were extremely complimentary about the caring attitude of all the caregivers who supported them.” One person said, “The carers are all very good and I cannot fault any of them. All wonderful to be honest, so caring and kind.” Another person said, “I can’t speak highly enough about any of them. They will do anything for me and are so nice and caring in the way they do things.”



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# VILLAGE INFORMATION

## Hagley String Orchestra

This article will appear in a later Issue of Hagley News, but I'm writing it on Thursday 20 August which is the 70th Birthday of one of Hagley's most illustrious residents, Andrew Downes.

Professor Downes is a highly acclaimed international composer, his music being performed by the major orchestras and soloists throughout the world. Prior to his retirement, Andrew was Head of the School of Composition and World Music at the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire where I heard many of his pieces, inspiring me to commission him in 1980 to compose *The Temple of Solomon* which my choir loved performing.

Andrew has the supreme skill in moulding his compositions to the requirements and technical skill of his performers, whether, as in my case, to those of an amateur choir, or to the impressive abilities of the professionals. In past years, Hagley Strings - for which Andrew's wife Cynthia is our Principal Viola - has revelled in rehearsing Andrew's *Concerto for American Flute and Strings*, *Five Movements for Piano and Strings*, and one of his *String Quartets*.

HSO and all Hagley congratulate Andrew, and we much look forward to playing more of his music in future. I'll let you know when we're able to restart after this frustrating (if essential) lockdown.

**Jeremy Patterson, Conductor**



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## HAGLEY W.I.

Hagley Community Centre



**Alt's October. The WI should meet on 12 October for the first time since March – great! We're looking forward to seeing each other face to face.**

While not meeting, we've kept in contact – by phone, email, Zoom and monthly newsletters from our WI and the County. We also plan a walk (in August) weather-permitting.

Being 6, our first committee meeting was in a garden. First we needed shade for the melting chocolate biscuits; soon up went the golf umbrellas. More rain, sodden papers and feet - we abandoned it when we couldn't hear each other at 2 metres with the rain drumming on the brollies! A memorable meeting!!

We've been busy crafting. The stashes of yarn are getting smaller knitting teddies, prem baby clothes, Covid hearts. We continue to collect for the local women's refuge - only the essential food and toiletries in these challenging times.

Looking for something new? Why not try the WI? A friendly group of women, interesting talks, courses, craft classes. We meet monthly on the second Monday at 2.00 in the Community Centre – but please check our Notice Board by the pharmacy. FFI Mita Barnes - [hagleypres@wfdwi.org.uk](mailto:hagleypres@wfdwi.org.uk) 01299 879996 or Rosie Wynne [rwynne@wfdwi.org.uk](mailto:rwynne@wfdwi.org.uk) 01384 371999.

We look forward to seeing everyone soon.

Rosie Wynne

# VILLAGE INFORMATION



**We are pleased to announce that some of our classes will be restarting at the Community Centre from Mid-September – with a covid safe environment and all required distancing in place!**

In addition we will now be at the centre for three sessions a week as we add Monday mornings to our long standing Tuesday and Thursday afternoon bookings. This will enable us to run a brand new class to Hagley – our popular Happy Hearts session which will be 9.30-10.30 on Monday mornings. This class for active older adults focuses on building general fitness and stamina with cardiovascular 'stations' followed by some muscular toning work with weights and resistance bands. Traditionally this class would be a 'circuit' type class but because of the current covid viruses we do not share equipment and instead everyone will work within an allocated 3 x 3 m space.

As this is a brand new class we currently have a few spaces available so if you are interested please call Angela on 07512 546480 to discuss. All class places need to be pre-booked so please call in advance and don't just turn up. Our other classes have very limited availability but if you are looking for a class that includes strength and balance work then do give us a call.

Tai chi classes will be returning to on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons (last couple of spaces available) and we will be working on Yang 8 and medical qigong. If you are interested, ring for details.



## Walton District Girlguiding

The past few months have been extraordinary for all and for those of us involved in Guiding we have been presented with new challenges as to how to continue Guiding in a safe way. We have been on a steep learning curve as leaders learning to deliver meetings in a virtual way using Zoom as our main platform. Girls in many units have embraced the Home Sweet Home and Coronavirus Challenge Badges enjoying completing the many varied activities at home. The regular contact via Zoom has been really appreciated by both the girls and the leaders.

Brownie and Rainbow leaders have often been spotted walking around the village delivering badges and craft resources. Brownies took part in virtual camps building and sleeping in dens in their homes, Guides attempted world records and baked via zoom. Rangers became very good at quizzes and tried to learn some origami. As I write we are just beginning to meet as small groups outside with appropriate safety measures. We await further guidance as to when we can resume face to face meetings inside but mean while we will keep on Guiding however we can.

# VILLAGE INFORMATION



**HAGLEY FREE CHURCH**  
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## Sunday Services October 2020

Date		Morning 10:30 am	Evening 6:00 pm
4th	Holy Communion	Rev.David Tennant	
11th		Pastor David Umbers	
18th		Rev. Edwin Boddington	
25th		Mr. Ian Carnell	

### **EVENING SERVICES AT HAGLEY FREE CHURCH**

Due to the restrictions imposed by Gvt on church buildings and activities evening services have been suspended until further notice, the situation be will be reviewed. Morning services continue in the Church on Sundays at 10.30am.

### **MOTHERS AND TODDLERS**

Just a message to say that we are still here and intend to re-open

AS SOON AS IT IS SAFE TO DO SO.

Watch this space -we will keep in touch!

We are missing you all, Marjorie and her team.

### **CHURCH OFFICE**

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Our churches are open each week for private prayer. St John's is open from 2.30 pm to 4.30 pm on Saturdays, and St Saviour's from 11.00 am to 12.30 pm on Thursdays – all under organised and safe conditions. St Leonard's Clent is also open for private prayer, from 10.30 am to 12.00 noon on Wednesdays.

We are holding a said Holy Communion service in one of these three churches each Sunday at 9.30 am, followed by Worship on Zoom at 11.00 am. The first Sunday of the month alternates, the second Sunday is in St Saviour's, the third Sunday in St John's, and the fourth Sunday in St Leonard's.

In church, we are socially distanced, we wear face masks, hand-sanitise on entry, and so on. Names are taken for track and trace. We distribute Holy Communion (bread only) as safely as possible. Unfortunately, we cannot sing anything at the moment.

### Harvest Festival

We will be celebrating Harvest on Zoom on **Sunday 4 October**. We are unable to collect harvest goods in the conventional way, but instead we are suggesting that people might like to make a financial donation to the Black Country Foodbank, Mary Stevens Hospice, or the Living Springs Family Centre (Stourton).

### Sunday Worship for October

	9.30 am Holy Communion	11.00 am Sunday Worship
4 October	St John's, Hagley	on Zoom
11 October	St Saviour's, Hagley	on Zoom
18 October	St John's, Hagley	on Zoom
25 October	St Leonard's, Clent	on Zoom

Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to be sent the link to join on Zoom, either by computer or by phone.





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## Churches in Belbroughton, Fairfield, Clent, Churchill, Blakedown and Broome

Due to the current situation, the following services are currently available at our churches:

**Broome Church** is still closed.

**Churchill Church** is still closed.

**Blakedown Church** reopens on the 6th September at 10am - Informal Praise led by the ALM Team.

**Belbroughton Church** is currently running Sunday Services at 11.15am every Sunday.

**Fairfield Church** is still closed.

**Clent Church** reopens on the 27th September at 9.30am for Holy Communion and thereafter on the fourth Sunday.

There is an online Sunday service at 10am at <https://cbbchurches.weebly.com/online-service-for-this-sunday.html>

There is a Zoom Sunday Service for Clent/Hagley at 10.30am - contact Revd Richard Newton at Clent to be added to the list of emails.

Clent Church is aiming to be open each Wednesday from 10.30am til noon.

***All these opening times will be reviewed regularly in line with Government guidance. Please contact church office on 01562 730777 if you have any queries***

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What do you think is possible for you in the New Year? Instead of the normal 'external goals' we set, how about thinking about the inner qualities we show: **Love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control.**

At Lifecentral, we aim to bring a little of that love, joy and kindness into everything we do, so are delighted to continue the following activities throughout the year:

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Community Centre, Hagley. Thursday mornings 10.00am – 11.30am | Term time only.

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Wednesday evenings 7.30pm – 9pm | Haybridge School | Term time only.

**Sunday Church Service at Haybridge School**

4.00pm – 5.15pm Every Sunday | Please contact Jo Gregory on 0121 502 3542 for more details.

# VILLAGE INFORMATION

## BLAKEDOWN & HAGLEY BRANCH POPPY APPEAL 2020



We have already confirmed that there will be no Poppy Appeal in the area covered by our Branch in 2020, due to the CoVid Pandemic restrictions. Apart from paper poppies being distributed via the major supermarkets (of which we have none in our area), the only source for poppy regalia is online via The Poppy Shop.

We have now finalised the arrangements for the commemoration of Remembrancetide, again very much changed because of the Pandemic.

On Sunday, 8th November, we will be holding a Remembrance Sunday Service at the Hagley War Memorial commencing at 11.00am with the two minutes silence, led by Rev. Richard Newton. There will be no Church Service and no Parade. Admission to the War Memorial will be restricted to those taking part in the service, flag bearers and those laying wreaths, by pre-booked ticket. If you would like to purchase a wreath and obtain a ticket for the event, please contact Jonathan Plant on (07813) 785496 no later than 17th October, but this will have to be first come, first served as the amount of space is limited. Given that there is no Poppy Appeal in the area this year, any donations would be very welcome – please contact Jonathan Plant on the number above for details about cheque or Bank Transfer Payments. We do not have facilities to accept cash donations this year.

I am sure that there will be space on the footpath outside the War Memorial, but we must ask additional attendees that they comply with social distancing requirements, and we will not be able to assist with arrangements. As we are not using the public highway, there will be no measures in place to control traffic at the roundabout.

On Wednesday 11th November, we will be holding a short Service of Remembrance at 11am at Churchill War Memorial, and the laying of wreaths. The war memorial is open to the crossroads, and the road is relatively quiet, so we do not anticipate any issues in view of the limited number expected at this event.

As The Royal British Legion, there was never an option that we would not commemorate the 69 residents of Hagley, Churchill, Blakedown & Broome that have given their lives in conflict over the last 106 years, albeit on a much reduced scale in 2020. We hope to return in 2021, to celebrate The Royal British Legion's 100th Birthday, and hope that this can return to our traditional commemoration.

Kind regards

### **Jonathan Plant**

Treasurer, Blakedown & Hagley Branch, Royal British Legion  
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All appointments (including telephone slots and selected nurse appointments for smears or blood tests for example) can all be booked online where you have online access to your medical record. It is really easy to do – to sign up for this either download the 'NHSapp' from the app store and follow the simple instructions or speak to reception to be set up with Patient Access. You can access appointment booking or order repeat prescriptions at anytime from anywhere so it really is worthwhile signing up.

### **Flu campaign**

It is really important to make sure you are protected against the flu this winter season. We will be starting vaccinating those patients who are most vulnerable which include;

- adults 65 and over
- people with long term medical conditions including diabetes, heart and respiratory disease (including children in at-risk groups from 6 months of age)
- pregnant women
- children aged 2 and 3

The team will be offering appointments for flu jabs at the surgery from mid-September onwards for those patients who are eligible –please contact us or go online to book your flu jab appointment today!!