

The Baldons and Nuneham Courtenay Newsletter



*Queen's Birthday Picnic Tea
on the Green*

Saturday 11th June 4 – 7pm

see inside for details!

June 2016

FROM THE CURATE, REVD JON ROBERTS

I wonder what you think of when you hear the term 'vocation'? It's commonly associated with a particular career or occupation to which one feels strongly drawn, perhaps also to work regarded as worthy. You may have heard the saying that 'your vocation in life is where your greatest joy meets the worlds greatest need'. This was actually said by Frederick Buechner, an American writer, theologian and priest; and is a quote I have often seen used. I wonder if you have a sense of such a vocation? Does something in your life feel 'vocational'; are you fortunate enough to have a job which feels vocational? For many it will come, not through employment, but through family, home, learning, maybe through a pastime or hobby.

This word vocation comes from the Latin word 'vocare', meaning 'to call'. This brings in another dimension; that this might even come from outside of ourselves. I remember once being in a meeting with a group of good people doing a very worthy cause. Someone asked me 'why did I choose to get ordained and work for the church as a vicar'? I struggled to answer this, and ended up saying that I didn't 'choose' it, that I felt 'called' to it. I even added (and this is still true even to this day), that there are many days when I'm still not sure if it is what I 'want' to do.

There was real surprise upon this person's face. It seemed the notion of committing oneself to a job, or profession, without it being what I personally wanted for myself, was perhaps incongruous to how some would make significant life decisions.

I wonder if this chimes with anyone else? That sense of feeling designed for something, maybe even destined or created for something; a role, job, place, maybe another person? Yet, this not being purely for one's own personal enjoyment, but for some other, deeper, sense. Perhaps this is about a deeper sense of 'who I am', perhaps it's more about 'I want to help'; but this is your vocation.

For me, this vocation is what God has called me to, to ordained ministry in the Church of England. In June, myself and Revd Jennifer Morton, Curates in the Dorchester Team, will be ordained priests in Dorchester Abbey, along with some of our colleagues and friends. This will be the next step along our own vocations.

I wonder what's yours? Where do you go from here? Where might God be calling you to meet the needs of others, and where might you find that fulfilment that comes, not from work alone, not from merely your own personal choice, but from that deeper fulfilment of who you are in what you do? I hope you find where your greatest joy meets the world's greatest need.

God bless,
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ORDINATION SERVICE SUNDAY 26TH JUNE

The Dorchester Team is delighted that Jon Roberts and Jennifer Morton are to be ordained Priest at 10.30am on 26th June in Dorchester Abbey, along with 6 other ordinands.

This is an important occasion for the Team, and in particular for Jennifer who has many years of service in the Team and will be known in many parishes. Jon has recently joined the Team and has quickly become a valued member.

People from across the Team are invited to come to this joyful occasion – regular services have been cancelled so we can join as one. The service will be followed by a bring-and-share lunch in the Abbey/Cloister Gardens, so please look out for details in your parishes. Parishes will also be gathering numbers so we know how many to expect.

Jennifer will be celebrating her first Communion at Toot Baldon on Sunday 3rd July at 6pm;

Jon will celebrate his on Wednesday 29th June at Berinsfield at 9.30am.

HOSPITAL VISITS

Clergy really appreciate the opportunity to visit people from the villages who have to be in hospital and we are aware that many parishioners appreciate these visits. Often it happens that we are told at second hand that someone has been taken to hospital and it used to be possible to contact the Hospital and find out where to come and visit you. This is no longer the case and whilst we remain keen to visit people we cannot do so unless we know which hospital and which ward you are in.

If you know you are going to be in hospital do let us know in advance, otherwise Staff on the ward can be advised that you would like them to disclose your location if asked by the clergy or you can ask a family member or friend who knows where you are to let us know!!



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Friday 6th May 2016

Dear Parents, Carers, Pupils, Staff and the Wider Community,

As the Chair of Governors for the Interim Executive Board (IEB) at Marsh Baldon Church of England Primary School, it is my pleasure to formally welcome your new governing body!

This marks an important step in achieving sustainable, professional, robust and effective governance at our school and moving closer to our aspirational vision for our pupils – a vision which all governors and the whole community will play a key role in achieving.

As per my recent communications – the new governors will initially join the Shadow Governing Body and will work alongside the IEB until the end of this academic year. From the 1st September 2016 normal governance will resume at Marsh Baldon C.E Primary School.

The new Governing Body will be made up of the following members:

Sarah Herring	Headteacher
Natalie Harwood	Staff Governor
Julia Rowe	Parent Governor
Tina Flannery	Parent Governor
Paul Fermer	Co-opted Governor
Rachel Caseby	Co-opted Governor
Judith Bennett OBE	Co-opted Governor
Kevin Moyes	LA Governor
Peter Southern	Foundation Governor
Jennifer Morton	Foundation Governor

I am extremely pleased that the two current members of the IEB applied and have been appointed to join the Governing Body – clearly they have grown as attached to the school as I have. This will provide a good level of stability for governance at our school. Our governing body will have a fantastic complement of skills and experiences which will enable us to take the school forward.

New governors are currently submitting their photographs and introductory text and these will be added to the website as they come in: please click [here](#) to review them. In addition, I will confirm the date and time for an open 'meet and greet' session which will be an opportunity for you to come along and meet the new Shadow Governing Body, to get to know them, and to ask any questions you may have.

All new governors will undergo a full induction process which will be managed by their allocated mentor following the Governor Induction Policy. We are not expecting our new governors to be up and running immediately, given that not all have previous governance experience; in line with our school's values of love, respect, trust and moral courage they will be given all of the support, help and guidance needed in order to grow into their new roles. They will also attend a training event which will include a tour of the school and a chance to meet the pupils.

The first Shadow Governing Body meeting will be on 24th May 2016 and will be an excellent time to pause and reflect on how far the school has come in a short space of time, and the exciting journey ahead for our pupils!

I hope that you will join me in congratulating those appointed, and that you will support them in settling into their new roles.

As always if you have any questions, comments or concerns then please do e-mail me directly: kprm1982@hotmail.com or contact the school office to arrange a meeting with me.



Best wishes,

Kevin Moyes

Interim Chair of Governors - Marsh Baldon C.E Primary School

Copies:

Shadow Governing Body

Fiona Craig - Deputy Director of Education (School Effectiveness) Diocese of Oxford

Simon Bissett – Governor Services, LA

BALDONS PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

AGM and Election of officers

The following Parish Councillors were re-elected

Chairman: Dorothy Tonge tel 343234 d.tonge@yahoo.co.uk

Vice Chairman: Charles Barclay tel 343853 cb@barclayfarms.co.uk

Treasurer: John Maskell tel 343203 john.maskell@btopenworld.com

At the meeting councillors also approved a new Governance Statement and Risk Assessment required as part of the annual audit of our finances.

Planning applications

Penstemon House. The council has supported the application for an Orangery and SODC decision is awaited. Planning ref P16/S1012/HH

Also at Penstemon House a revised planning application for stables has been submitted to SODC following comments made on the size and location in the original planning application. Councillors are considering their response. Planning ref P16/S0910/Ful

Justyn, The Croft. An application for landscaping to the front of the property to accommodate parking. Planning ref P16/S0652/HH

All applications can be seen on SODC website using links to planning and using reference numbers.

Scoping Request Land South of Grenoble Road. Agents for the university and Oxford City Council have submitted a scoping request to SODC which identifies those issues which would need to be addressed should a subsequent planning application be made for development on this land. It is not for consultation at this stage and as the land is in the Green Belt development has been consistently opposed by SODC, but it is evidence of continuing pressure to expand housing beyond the city boundary into the Green Belt. The document can be seen on SODC planning web pages reference P16/S1196/SCO.

Parking and damage on the Green

Damage to the edges of the Green from cars is a recurring concern for the village and commented on by many of you in response to questions in the Neighbourhood plan.

The council has long accepted the need for a drop off area outside the school and there is a need for cars to overflow onto the Green when the pub car park is full. Whilst we cannot create a car park on the Green there is a need to improve the condition of the track on the south side and to protect the edge of the Green from continuing erosion. The council will be looking at options in more detail during the next few weeks and hope to have plans for discussion and implementation during the summer. More in the July newsletter.

Dog Bins

Following a request made at the annual parishes meeting for an additional dog bin councillors agreed to monitor the situation. Dog bins appear to have been successful on the village green and only one bag of dog poo was found thrown away on the litter pick day. If there is still a particular problem area let us know.

Tinny Lane

There continue to be problems with cars attempting to drive down Tinny Lane bridleway by following sat nav directions and getting stuck. We have asked the Highways dept. to provide addition signage at either end of the lane to hopefully deter motorists. In these rural locations we don't want to have a proliferation of signs but they may be a necessary deterrent in this case.

Unitary Status

Our District and County Councillors both mentioned the separate reviews that are being commissioned on the options for the future organisation of the County and District council services. It is disappointing that there hasn't been agreement between the authorities to a unified study, but the reviews will consider proposals for four, three and two unitary authorities as well as one single authority. Whilst the final decision on reorganised local government will be taken by government and, we believe, with little local consultation, the Parish Council has agreed to write emphasising the need for clarity on the criteria to be used in the reviews.

Date of next meeting Monday 11th July 7.30 pm Village Hall

FROM COUNTY COUNCILLOR LORRAINE LINDSAY-GALE

Berinsfield Children's Centre

Following a very successful meeting of interested parties, a Steering Group has been established in Berinsfield to try and keep the Children's Centre open since it is one of the Centres that the County Council will no longer be able to fund. This Group includes representatives from the County Council, the Parish Council, the Church, Soha Housing, Employment Action Group, Berinsfield Information Centre, The Community Foundation and Action for Children who run the centre on behalf of the County Council. The Group will be seeking opinion and support from the village, and mounting a communications campaign this month. If anyone feels they would like to help to keep this valued facility open please get in touch with either myself, Jackie Logan at Soha, or any member of the Parish Council.

Latest Information On Crime And Community Safety In Oxfordshire

An updated version of the Safer Oxfordshire Partnership's Strategic Intelligence Assessment has been published. The Strategic Intelligence Assessment (SIA) provides the latest information on crime and community safety in Oxfordshire. It aids understanding of emerging trends and patterns in crime and disorder, and it explores future threats and opportunities. The SIA is part of the evidence base which supports community safety partners to plan and target their work. It is a good first port of call for anyone wanting to know about crime and community safety in Oxfordshire. The headline long-term trend shows that crime in Oxfordshire has fallen by 33% over the past eight years. The full report and an executive summary can be seen via this link: <http://insight.oxfordshire.gov.uk/cms/community-safety-0>

BEC SURVEY



A big thanks to those of you who took the trouble to complete our survey. The survey aimed to help us understand what kinds of future events you would like to see organised, as well as what you did and did not like about past events.

Here are a few headlines:

- For those who had attended past events (i.e. Barn Dance, Lunch on the Green, Bonfire & Fireworks, Ball, Safari Supper) over 70% of respondents said for each event that they “enjoyed it quite a lot” or “enjoyed every minute”. Safari Supper had a 100% positive rating!
- In terms of positive attitudes towards future events, the least popular (but still with over 50% saying they would “like it” or “love” it) was the idea of another Ball. The most popular was Lunch on the Green (79% would “like it” or “love” it).
- We were gratified to find that 82% of respondents felt that BEC was important to the local community – so we do intend to carry on!
- There were also many useful comments made about the planning and organisation of specific events. In particular regarding the Bonfire & Fireworks, although 73% of respondents “enjoyed it quite a lot” or “enjoyed every minute” a few concerns were raised about the impact on the Green and surrounding properties, so we will make sure we take these views into account.
- Finally, a big issue for us (the BEC Committee) is the amount of help we have from villagers when setting up and running these events. 29% said they are very willing to help/try to help whenever they possibly can, and another 52% said they are happy to help out occasionally. So please remember whenever the next events take place, your help is an important part of making these things happen and is always gratefully received.

BEC events in the pipeline:

- Queen’s Birthday Picnic Tea on the Green, Saturday 11th June (see item in this Newsletter)
- Bonfire & Fireworks, Saturday 5th November
- Safari Supper – probably Spring 2017, details to be confirmed – watch this space!

If you want to find out more about BEC, go to:
<http://www.baldons.org.uk/page.php?id=132>



Queen's Birthday Picnic Tea on the Green Saturday 11th June 4 – 7pm

All villagers, young and not so young, are invited celebrate Her Majesty's official 90th birthday with a picnic on the Green. Come along and have a fun afternoon.

There'll be a complimentary welcome drink, a toast, teas and coffees, soft drinks and birthday cake. Please bring your own picnic and any other drinks that you may want, and chairs or a rug to sit on.

For your entertainment we have organised some live music, pony rides, a magician, and children's activities.

Marquees and a few chairs will be set out but, providing the weather is agreeable, we hope most people will sit out on their rugs and enjoy our wonderful village green.

**Marquees for this event will be erected on The Green
from 6.30pm THURSDAY 9 JUNE –
Your help will be much appreciated**

BALDONS VILLAGE HALL NEWS

The Baldons Village Hall is for everyone's use: to book, please contact Ali or Darren on: 01865 340264 or dbaber@rm.com

If you have any issues to raise regarding the village hall, please let a committee member know or contact James Bufford (340091), John Barne (343624) or Natasha Eliot (343478).

WILDLIFE GARDENS FOR OUR MENTAL HEALTH

When a downturn comes in any of our lives, be it in work, home life, health etc, then that's when mother nature steps forward with her helping hands. We in return need to take a step toward her, being receptive to her often 'free' assistance.

We need to start seeing and not just looking, we need to start hearing and not just listening, we need to start feeling and not just touching, we need to start smelling and not just sniffing, and we need to start tasting and not just eat.

Sounds simple eh! If we succeed in all this then we soon start to see the bigger picture that our lives are more than getting the next report completed at work, getting the next mortgage payment made, or popping the next pill in an attempt to keep that virus under control.

Achieve that and we ourselves feel like we have some semblance of control back.

Connections to green space around us has been associated with lower levels of stress and reduced symptoms for depression and anxiety, while interacting with nature can improve clear thinking for children with attention deficits and individuals with depression.

My aim with this article is to keep it short this time and to get you away from reading for a while, filling your mind with more thoughts. My aim is to get you outside for a while, in amongst nature. Be it out in your wildlife garden, in your local park, the beautifully landscaped gardens around the business park where you work. In fact anywhere.

Nature gets everywhere, as I've said before; we need to learn to start appreciating it in as many ways as is possible.

Stuart Mabbutt
Wildlife Gardening Specialist
01865 747243

Come Join Us for Breakfast - Everyone Welcome!

We are promoting Nuneham Courtenay village hall as the heart of community life – providing a hub for social activities. We did 8 weeks breakfast morning trial and it's been a huge success, people love it!

When: First Saturday of every month, 10 am till 12 Noon
(starting from 2nd July, 2016 onwards)

Where: Nuneham Courtenay Village Hall

What: Full English breakfast, Bacon Sandwich, Creative Omelette to Jazz up your morning, fresh fruit mix, tea and coffee.

All the profit goes towards the upkeep of the village hall.

Please note that this is a volunteers-led project and if you would like to know more or are interested to volunteer, feel free to contact Madhvi sainimadhvi@yahoo.com

Join us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/Nunehamvillagehall>

BALDONS AND NUNEHAM COMMUNITY SOCIETY LTD (BNCS)

The third AGM of the Baldons and Nuneham Community Society Ltd will take place on **Thursday 23 June** at the Seven Stars and commence at 7pm.

All members of the management committee must retire at this AGM under the transitional rules. All but two of the management committee intend to stand for re-election.

Anyone who wishes to stand for election is invited to notify a member of the management committee by **Monday 21 June** 2016 and to submit by that date a short statement which will be circulated at the AGM.

We look forward to seeing as many members as possible there.

WALLINGFORD WALKS



There has been an excellent response from volunteers from Wallingford and surrounding villages to the recent appeal to lead regular walks of local interest in Wallingford.

Training has been ongoing by Judy Dewey, from Wallingford Museum, and it is intended to organise both regular and ad-hoc walks from June onwards.

Every Saturday at 11am there will be a regular Town Walk starting from the Town Hall in the Market Place. The walk will last between 90 minutes and two hours, and will cover a wide variety of interest areas around the town.

More specialist walks can be arranged for alternative dates by enquiry at the Town Information Office, or directly with Philip Burton (pburton6@talktalk.net).

These additional guided walks could be of general interest, or focus on specific locations such as Wallingford Castle or specialist interests such as Midsomer Murders or Agatha Christie.

Philip Burton has kindly offered to co-ordinate this new initiative, and it is hoped that it will appeal to local residents and visitors alike. If you would like to assist in this venture please contact Philip (pburton6@talktalk.net)

There will be a charge of £5 per person as a donation to Wallingford Museum.

BENSON: ANGLO-SAXON ESTATE TO AIRFIELD



Drawing on his recent work for the Victoria County History, Simon Townley's talk to the Wallingford Historical and Archaeological Society (TWHAS) will review the evidence for Benson as an Anglo-Saxon royal estate centre and its impact on medieval settlement and estate formation, before touching on a few more recent developments including coaching and the changes of the 19th and 20th centuries.

This talk will be held on **Wednesday 8th June, 7.45 for 8pm, at St Mary's Church**, Wallingford. Please note that TWHAS talks are now being held on the second Wednesday of each month at St. Mary's Church, Wallingford.

Visitors (£4) are most welcome.

www.twhas.org.uk

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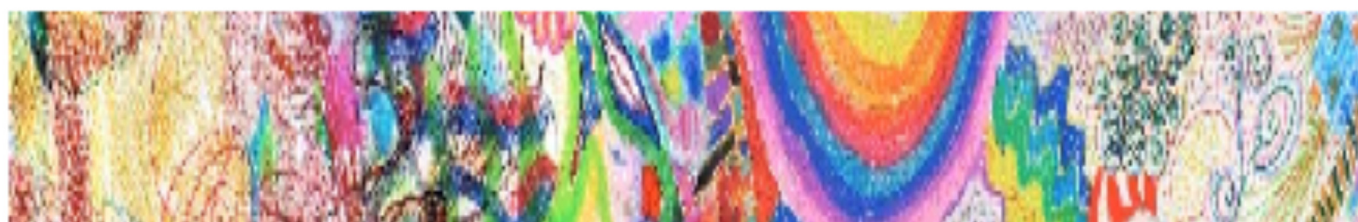
The Library Service has 43 libraries. With over 100,000 active members, the service has almost a million items in stock. In addition to books, audiobooks, CDs and DVDs, libraries offer:

- free internet access
- online resources
- local and family history resources
- a Home Library Service for the housebound
- Children's Rhymetimes, Storytimes and Summer Reading Challenge
- support for Reading Groups and much more.

Volunteers play an important part in the delivery of services within Oxfordshire's Libraries and we value their support. As well as helping to run Community Libraries across the county, volunteers may also be involved in:

- selecting and delivering books for the housebound as part of the Home Library Service
- providing ICT support for beginners as computer buddies
- running storytimes and rhymetimes for children and
- helping promote and administer the Summer Reading Challenges.

If you would be interested in any of these roles, please talk to your Library Manager.



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Rhymes for the Under 5's Wednesdays 10.30am

Storytime Wednesdays 3.45pm

Computer Lessons Fridays 10.00-12.00am

Reading Group June 9th 2.00pm

Junior Reading Group Saturday 18th June 10.30am

Coffee Morning Tuesday 21st June 10.30am

Knit and Natter Tuesday 21st June 2.30pm

Royal Tea Party Wednesday 1st June 3.45pm
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NUNEHAM COURTENAY PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The Annual General Meeting was held at 7.30pm on Monday 16th May 2016 the Village Hall

Present: Cllr Jasminder Love, Mark Pritchett, John Peters, Olive Garfoot, Peter Brookes, Simon Grant, Madhvi Saini.

Cllr Love opened the meeting welcoming everyone. Thank you gifts were given to Pete Brooks and Olive Garfoot who have officially retired from the Parish Council. Both have served and continue to serve in our parish in so many ways. We offer a sincere thank you to both for all their hard work.

This created an opportunity for co-opting our two new keen parishioners Simon Grant and Madhvi Saini who had put themselves forward to stand. The two new members were unanimously voted in and were welcomed to the Parish Council.

The members then selected a Chair and Vice Chair. Cllr Love encouraged other members to take the Chair role, however, Cllr Love was asked to stand again. The Vice-Chair is Mark Pritchett and the Treasurer is John Peters.

Our Clerk resigned last month due to other commitments. We will, therefore, be seeking a new Clerk – hopefully local – to support our Parish Council. Should anyone be interested please contact the Chair via the email below.

The Parish Council agreed the next year's dates and the Chair was mindful to ensure a mix of times and days that were available for maximum participation for parishioners. Our next meeting is to be held **Wednesday 8th June 2016 at 7:30pm at the Village Hall.**

The rest of the year's dates are as follows:

- 7:30pm Tuesday 9th August 2016
- 12 – 2pm Saturday 1st October 2016 – following on from the Saturday Breakfast at the Village Hall.
- 2pm Wednesday 2nd November 2016.
- 7:30pm Tuesday 6th December 2016.
- 7:30pm Tuesday 17th January 2017.
- 12 – 2pm Saturday 4th March 2017.
- 3 – 4pm Monday 3rd April 2017 – High Tea – followed by 4 – 5pm by Parish Council meeting.
- 7:30 – 8:30pm Wednesday 10th May 2017 Annual General meeting.

The newly formed Parish Council looks forward to working for all our parishioners in the coming year.

Cllr Love (Chair)

For items and photos to be sent, please contact:
nunehamcourtenay.clerk@gmail.com. Our website is: www.ncpc.uk

The 'Burning Bush' ministry

In a much forgotten part of South Africa, which is semi-desert and far away from the sea and the city, there is a small village called Brandboom ('Burning Tree'). It is wracked by high rates of unemployment (70-80%), Tuberculosis, HIV, and alcoholism.

Moved by the needs of their neighbours, and inspired by a Christian conference to do something about it, some years ago women at the local church decided to open their kitchen cupboards to the children in the village. At the start they were feeding just a few children once a week, but very soon they found themselves feeding more and more children. There are now over 300 children being fed, and very recently they started providing food three times a week. Importantly, the children are not only fed physically but also spiritually. There is much joy and laughter as the food is eaten and Gospel songs sung. The children are offered love and care by those running the 'soup kitchen', and there is the vital opportunity to find out how things are going at home.

The different churches in the Dorchester area offer support through standing beside these women and children in prayer, friendship and also financial assistance. So far we have helped to build up the infrastructure of the church's kitchen in order to meet the demands of feeding so many, assist in funding the meals, and look forward to building up the capacity and sustainability of the project moving into the future.

*Very excitingly, on the 17th June 2016 Sarah, Susanna ('Cheeks'), Natalie and Teresa, who are all leaders in the project in very different ways, will be coming over from South Africa for a two-week stay with us. There will be the opportunity to meet them on **Sunday the 26th June**, at the **Abbey Tearoom**, when funds will be raised for the ministry, and also as they visit homes in the area for meals, and join the various parishes at services, Lunch Clubs, Coffee mornings etc.*

So please do take advantage of the chance to know more about the ministry, and be inspired by these remarkable women.

Shirley Hoy



Wednesday 8th June
7.30pm
Marsh Baldon Village Hall

Come and join us at our informal monthly Christian celebration. Our speaker this month will be Tom Tarrants, an American whose life was turned around by God some years ago in dramatic circumstances.

[For more information: Liam 07738 004176]

ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER

Items for the **DOUBLE ISSUE JULY / AUGUST 2016** newsletter
by 16th June please

Any villager is welcome to send items for publication in the newsletter - this can be anything from articles, poems or pictures, to publicising your event. In addition, if you have an image you would like us to consider for the cover, do send it in!

If you would like to receive a reminder e-mail each month for newsletter contributions please let me know.

Natasha Eliot: tashaandjames@btopenworld.com. Alternatively I can be contacted on 343478 or at Baldon House East, Marsh Baldon.

For advertising queries, please contact Sheila Harris on:
s.harris886@btinternet.com or on 340403.

WORKING TOGETHER FOR THE COMMON GOOD

A JANAWAY LECTURE by the Rev. Dr. Marcus Braybrooke

Tuesday 7th June 7:30 pm in St Helen's Church, Benson.

Following this there will be complimentary refreshments

Tickets: £7.00 (students and school children £5.00) are available from
Derry's Den in Benson or by calling 01491 200737

CLIFTON HAMPDEN & BURCOT VILLAGES AND SCHOOL FETE

4 June 2016 – 1pm-5pm
Clifton Hampden Recreation Ground

Clifton Hampden School will combine with Clifton Hampden & Burcot villages this year for a Summer Fete. In celebration of the Queen's 90th Birthday, there will be a Vintage Britain theme with events, stalls and competitions representing the different decades of the Queen's life.

Highlights will include a fancy dress competition; tug of war; bouncy castle; face painting; retro stalls; children's events and games and competitions for all ages. Cakes, plants and bric-a-brac will be available to purchase together with a great choice of refreshments including a vintage tea room; beer tent, BBQ, sweets and ice creams.

£1 entry for adults, under 16s free.

The celebrations will go into the evening with live music from Radio Days Big Band and Taylormade, plus a pig roast and beer tent.
6pm-late

Evening entry: £10 Adults, £5 children (including food)

Tickets are available for purchase from Clifton Hampden Post Office

Email – chandbevents@gmail.com

Facebook - www.facebook.com/chandbschoolfete

Join us for an Historic Celebration!

SERVICES FOR JUNE 2016

5 th June	9.30am	Holy Communion	Toot Baldon
12 th June	6.00pm	Evening Service <i>to celebrate the Queen's birthday</i>	Toot Baldon
19 th June	3.00pm	Sung Evensong <i>Dorchester Abbey Choir</i> <i>followed by tea by kind invitation of the Brahma Kumaris</i>	The Chapel Nuneham Courtenay
26 th June	10.30am	Ordination Service	Dorchester Abbey
3 rd July	11.00am	Aircrash Memorial Service	Toot Baldon
	6.00pm	Reflective Communion	Toot Baldon

SIDESDUTY

	Marsh	Toot
5 th June		9.30am Graham Hobbins
12 th June	6 pm Ann Druce	
19 th June	NUNEHAM CHAPEL	3pm John Mason
3 rd July		11.00am J & H Maskell

FLOWERS

	Marsh	Toot
5 th & 12 th June	P & J Slaney	M Trinder
19 th & 26 th June	F Ardern	V Bowler
3 rd & 10 th July	C Attewill & V Sandilands	S Hobbins & J van Dijk