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JUNE Diary



Tues 3rd	12.30am	Lunch Club	Village Hall, Back Room
Wed 4th	10.30am - noon	"Drop in" for coffee and a chat	Parish Church
Wed 4th	7.30pm	Stock & Bradley Gardening Club	Bradley Village Hall
Fri 6th	7.30pm	"Glamba" in concert	Parish Church
Thurs 12th	7.30pm	Feckenham W.I.	Village Hall Back Room
Sat 14th	7.30pm	Feckenham Forest History Society	Village Hall
Wed 18th	10.30am - noon	"Drop in" for coffee and a chat	Parish Church
Sat 21st	From 1pm	Feckenham Wake "The Vikings are Coming"	The Square and Football Field
Sat 28th		Feckenham Horse Show	Berrow Hill Lane



Front Cover

"One of Feckenham's
Nooks & Crannies"....
Anyone recognise where?
Photo by Ian Bellion

Do please send us any
interesting photos you may
take for us to use on the
cover.

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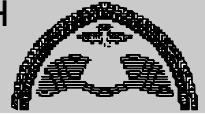
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Church Services JUNE

PARISH CHURCH
of ST. JOHN
THE BAPTIST



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Readers and Intercessors

Sunday 1st
Easter 7

11-00am Sung Eucharist

Acts 1 : vs. 6-14
1 Peter 4: vs. 12-14, 5 : vs. 6-11
Intercessions

Jenny Snel
Jane White
Ann Matthews



Sunday 8th
Pentecost

8-00am Holy Communion

Acts 2 : vs. 1-11

John Eaton

11-00am FAMILY SERVICE

Sunday 15th
Trinity Sunday

6-30pm Evensong

Isaiah 40 : vs. 12-17,27-end
Matthew 28 : vs. 16-20
Intercessions

Oliver White
Carol Price
John Calvert

Sunday 22nd
Trinity 1

11-00am Family Communion

Romans 6 : vs. 1b-11
Intercessions

Erica Dilger
Jeff Matthews

Sunday 29th

**6-00pm GROUP EUCHARIST FECKENHAM
ORDINATION CELEBRATION**

X Box Sunday School

Will be held in Church on Sunday 1st June. All children will be warmly welcomed.

Partners in Prayer

Ecumenical lay led service of prayer for the community, Wednesdays at 9.15am for 30 minutes in the Parish church. **All welcome.**

Feckenham Roman Catholic Church
St John Fisher & St. Thomas More



Mass is celebrated every Sunday at 10.15am in the Church

Fr. Anthony Rohan, The Presbytery, Redditch. Tel. 01527 63096

Local contact—Phyllis Mott, Feckenham. Tel. 01527 893898

Wake 2014

Marion Chute

Plans are proceeding to make this year's Wake a special one – with attractions for all the family. Apart from staging a Viking encampment we are also staging a Tug of War, so if you fancy taking on the Vikings or forming a team with friends or maybe even a pub team then please get in touch with Marion Chute on 892285. A range of classic cars and bikes will once again feature on the field – we still need more vehicles so please get in touch about that at julian.bull@virgin.net

Feckenham Flower Show & Over 60's Party Fund

Margaret East

Summer Outing

Saturday 5th. July 2014

The Over 60's Summer Outing this year will be to Shrewsbury on Saturday 5th. July and is organised by the Committee of the Feckenham Flower Show and Over 60's Party Fund.

Invitations will be sent out to all those we know are eligible, but if you do not receive your invitation or have recently turned 60 and live within one mile of The Square, please contact Angela Fletcher on 01527 89 3231 so that you can be added to the list of invitees.

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Christening

Sophie Joanna , granddaughter of Jeremy and Pam Lincoln Lewis, was christened in Feckenham church on 27th April. Her parents are Lucinda and Michael and they were married in the church in 2012. Sophia's paternal grandmother, Gina Abu-Zalaf, travelled from Jerusalem to attend the ceremony.

New Baby

Alexander Guy was born to Jonathon and Madeleine Mott on 28th March 2014. Alexander is the grandson of Michael and Phyllis Mott of High Street Feckenham and of Ian and Geraldine Reeves of Moseley Birmingham.

Burial

Elizabeth Amy (Betty) Lee died on 1st April and was buried in the churchyard joining her husband Gerald. Betty was born in 1919 and lived in Noah's Green for many years.

What's On this month in STOCK & BRADLEY

4th Gardening Club
People Plants & Passion
Bradley Village Hall - 7.30pm

4th Breakaway
Outing to Berrington Hall
near Leominster

8th WALKING CLUB
leaving Bradley Church
at 10am

For more information see
STOCK & BRADLEY CHRONICLE

Thought for the month

Wyn Beynon

Dear Friends,

Are you a collector? Many people collect things. Stamps or porcelain, books or paintings. Just about anything is collectable.

I collect Ordnance Survey maps. And I collect islands.

The trouble with collecting islands is that they don't fit on the bookcase in the sitting room or hang neatly on the wall. But I collect them by visiting them. This includes Anglesey, Man, Wight, Sheppey, Skye, Mull and Iona. Then there's Madeira, Majorca, Minorca, Sardinia and Corsica, Lanzarote and Fuerteventura. But the best of all is Dursley Island which is the very South West tip of Ireland at the end of the Beara Peninsula. You get to it by sitting in a cable car slung between two pylons. The car is in fact something that looks like a garden shed and the pylons must have been ex Electricity high tension pylons. There are mounds of rust, dust and grease and the whole thing sways around in the wind. It holds about 12 people and a cow. Well, it used to. They stopped taking the cattle back and forth a few years ago. I'd have loved to have shared it with one, but now the poor animals have to be taken over the rough 300 yard wide straight by open boat. Goodness knows why, they were better off in the cable car! It was operated by the only grumpy Irishman I've ever met. We came back on the last run of the day and, before we'd got out of the "shed", he'd locked up his control room, had legged it to his car, and was driving off down the road. Oh, and if the islanders want to cross the visitors have to let them go first, so you could get stuck on the island overnight. But Dursley has Choughs which makes it all worthwhile.

Why do islands fascinate me? Maybe simply because they are what they are, bounded and limited. Maybe they remind me of our human condition, potentially perfect and coherent. Yet

too often insular, and remote. But the poet John Donne tells us, "No man is an island, entire of it self"! Yet so often we act as though we are.

Great Britain and Ireland form the world's 4th largest archipelago - 6,000 islands! Many are tiny, of course. I'll be a long time collecting them all!

Best wishes, Wyn

From the P.C.C.

MUCH APPRECIATED.

The Parochial Church Council would like to express how much they appreciate all of the hard work done by Brian Robson in the churchyard.

Brian has been tending the flower borders both outside and inside the front gates for many years. He also mows the Memorial Garden and all the paths that criss-cross both the front and lower churchyards and between graves when enough space has been left for the mower. Brian also recruits a group from the village who mow the grass beside the path up to the church one week each in the mowing season; we appreciate all these 'willing' mowers. This all goes to make the entrance way to the church so much more inviting.

As well as all this he puts out the church dustbins out onto the Square for the bin men and as he lives by the church gates he often has to assist those wanting to have the gate opened, get into the shed, or even enquiring where their ancestors are buried!

As many will know Brian also works in the Shop and is Caretaker in the Village Hall. What an example to us all. Thank you Brian, you're a star.

One ageing member of "willing mowers" feels Brian would greatly appreciate more recruits to spread the load.. Ed.

INVITATION

Please join us at
Worcester Cathedral
for the ordinations of

Barbara Wheatley as Priest
on **Saturday 28th June**
at 2pm

And Gary Crellin as Deacon,
to serve his Title with the United
Parish of Stoke Prior, Wychbold
and Upton Warren with Feckenham
and Bradley Green, and across the
wider *Wychebrook* Group of
Parishes.

Gary will be ordained by Dr John
Inge, Lord Bishop of Worcester on

Sunday 29th June at
10.30am

Please continue to pray for Gary
and his family as he reaches the
next stage of his ministerial
Journey

All are welcome!

Gary's Ordination comes after three
years of study with the West of England
Ministerial training Course, linked to
Ripon College, Cuddesdon in Oxford.

**A thanks giving and
Celebratory Eucharist is
planned for 6.30pm at St John
The Baptist Church
on Sunday 29th June.**

Mission Morogoro Update

Sunday 8th June

11am

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Local Matters

Antonia Pulsford

Lupins on the corner



The Parish Council, the Borough Council and children from Feckenham First School have joined forces to try to continue to have flowers growing on the green area on the corner of Astwood Lane and Swansbrook Lane now that the crocuses and daffodils planted 18 months ago are over. The children had a great time puddling in 31 large lupin plants, obtained from Where Next? nurseries in Redditch, in holes dug by Colin Pitts and his colleagues from the Borough Council. • Feckenham Parish Council paid for the plants and our thanks are due to them and to Len and Enid Burley, who let us use lots of their water to give the plants as good a start as possible. • The First School children thoroughly enjoyed themselves and there is a photo of two of them in the Standard of 9th May with 3 members of the Parish Council, Fiona Hawker (not Walker as in the Standard), Liz Atkins and Pam Eaton. • The Standard also says they were planting trees which was not the case, but they were very large plants and I was quite surprised that they all fitted into the boot of my Polo with the back seat down.

All that remains now is for some watering if we get a patch of very dry weather which Len and Enid have said they will undertake, and for **PEOPLE NOT TO PARK THEIR CARS OR DRIVE ON TO THE GRASS PATCH, NOW PLANTED WITH LUPINS AS WELL AS CROCUS AND DAFFODIL BULBS!**

Village Shop

Jeff Matthews

A short and sharp article, this month. Just to remind that the cream tea special offer returns with the summer. **You can get a medium sized hot drink and a cream tea for just £2.50.** This is a bargain, so why not enjoy a stroll down to the shop and pass some time in the company of a few friends. We will be pleased to see you.

We will also be at the Wake, where we will have two stalls this year, one giving an update on where the shop is at and asking for help and support. So if you are interested in finding out more about being a shop volunteer, please find us. The second will be serving Pimms and the Schmoo milk shakes. Look forward to seeing you there.

Also, we have on sale tickets for the **Hanbury Countryside Show.** It's on Saturday 5th July 8am-7.30pm. Adults £6 under 12s free. It takes place at Park Hall Farm, Hollowfields Lane, Hanbury. All sorts will there to entertain, including a quad bike display, livestock parade, vintage vehicles, a parade of hounds, a horse show, food & trade stands, crafts, refreshments, and a beer tent. Sounds like a great afternoon out.

Village Hall

Improvement Fund 2013/14



May Winners

63	Arthur Brassington	£25
93	Jeremy Hawker	£15
181	Stephan Kench	£10

The June Draw will be held in the Village Hall at 8.00 pm on Tuesday 2nd June 2014

World War I Centenary Commemoration 2014

Jeff Matthews



As events to remember the centenary of AWWI begin to take shape (more of that in the coming months), the Parochial Church Council (PCC) is in the process of refurbishing the War Memorial. This will include cleaning and maintenance of the monument, hopefully in time for Remembrance Sunday.

During investigations into the fallen, it has become known that there are at least two errors and omissions. Does anyone know of any more?

The two names that we now know about are Stephen Rumsey, who was missed off the original list. Killed in France in 1915, he was born and had lived in the village. He had moved to Colchester, which was where he had joined the army. However, his father and mother were living here, at the time of his death and are buried in the churchyard. He is remembered on their grave stone, but not on the War Memorial, for some reason. The PCC are applying to have his name added.

A second error is in relation to the name Dolphin. Those who have stood in front of the memorial on Remembrance Sunday, to listen to the reciting of the names, will be familiar with the name Edgar Dolphin. However, it appears that it was his brother Egbert who was killed, Edgar having survived. The memorial in the school appears to have the name correctly recorded. Richard Pearce, who has done such an extraordinary job collating the records of those that lost their lives, believes this to be the case and has the appropriate records to show it. It is the intention of the PCC to get this changed, however as you can imagine that isn't as

simple as you would think, the Memorial being a listed monument.

So, does anyone know of any other names? Any myths and legends passed down that may be based on some scrap of truth. We hope you agree that it will be important that the Memorial and the commemoration of the Great War is as complete as possible for our community.

Feckenham C. of E. First School

Gary Crellin

Great War Poppy's



To begin the national commemoration of the centenary of the start of the First World War, and to respond to the challenge posed by the Archbishops to ensure that every church or church affiliated school planted out poppies on the 30th April, pupils from the village school have planted out red poppy seeds in their Forest School Area. Pupils were involved in preparing the soil and planting out seeds in what is hoped will be a visible reminder for all those passing of the great symbol of remembrance later this summer. As the village looks to mark the start of the Great War later this summer, perhaps those of us that pass the school then can pause for a while to hopefully see the display and remember the life changing events that still reverberate from the War. I myself will be visiting The Battlefields in June and will report back on my feelings and observations.

WHAT'S ON IN FECKENHAM

FeckenOdeon 2

The Cinema in the Back Room

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The FeckenOdeon Cinema Society



LARGE SCALE SALSA

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Still to come this summer: On **1st August** Ken Russell's film of The Who's **"Tommy"** returns to the big screen at last.

On **30th August** - **"Gravity"** When something goes wrong in space, how do you get home?

Tickets for all of these shows are on sale at The Village Shop and The Rose & Crown.

You can book by phone (through TicketSource) on 0333 666 3366 or online at www.fecknodeon.co.uk



SUPERCALIFRAGILISTIC!

The FeckenOdeon Cinema Society's main programme for 2014-15:

September - *The Grand Budapest Hotel*; October - *Double Indemnity*; November - *Philomena*; December - *Those Magnificent Men in Their Flying Machines*; January - *Saving Mr Banks*; January (Matinee) - *Mary Poppins*; February - *The Big*

Country; March - *Laughter in Paradise*; April - *The Invisible Woman*

Membership for all of these shows costs just £30

For full details pick up a leaflet at the shop, the Rose & Crown or the Village Hall - or visit us at www.fecknodeon.co.uk

Square Management Committee

CAPERING CELTS

The organisation that looks after The Square (our village green) relies for the most part upon its fundraising activities. Much of the work involved - mowing the grass, planting the bulbs and flower tubs, etc - is done by volunteers, but there are considerable expenses to be met in the form of insurance, tree maintenance, and roadway upkeep. To meet these ever increasing and never ending costs the Committee holds an annual fundraising event known by various titles but usually as "Fun on The Square". It has taken many forms from a simple barbecue to a wild west rodeo to a seaside regatta. This year we're going to be treated to **"Celtic Capers"**... a celebration of all things Celtic. Keep the evening of **19th July** free - you really won't want to miss it!

A GIGANTIC JIGAMATHING!

The Celtic nations - Scotland, Ireland, Wales, Brittany and Cornwall - have a wealth of rich cultural and culinary heritage to be proud of. Celtic Capers will sample a lot of them. There'll be Celtic games and activities for youngsters - and for oldsters too. Traditional dancers from Ireland and Scotland will perform and The Rhythm Kings and their caller will be on hand for a good all fresco ceilidh. There'll be Celtic food - full dinners and fantastic puds. A Celtic bar and a

host of Celtic sideshows. Something for everyone - and it'll all start at **6.30pm**. More details next month - but don't forget that date - **Saturday, 19th July**.

GARLIC CHESTNUTS

At the "sharp end" of The Square there stands a beautifully proportioned horse chestnut tree. At the time of writing it's in full and glorious bloom. Unfortunately this lovely tree isn't as healthy as it seems. In 2010 it, together with another horse chestnut which stands nearer the High Street, was treated for the parasitic disease known as Bleeding Canker. At first the treatment, an infusion of concentrated garlic (Allicin), had been successful - indeed the High Street tree has fully recovered. Sadly last autumn it became apparent that the problem was returning as the tree began to bleed again. In consultation with specialist arboriculturalists, JAC Ltd, the Committee made the decision to repeat the treatment. This was done on 6th May - and all we can do now is wait... and hope.

This sort of treatment isn't cheap - £300 + vat per tree - and there are lots of other tree diseases about at the moment - which is why the Committee would be grateful if villagers would come out to enjoy themselves at Celtic Capers (Fun on The Square) on 19th July.... and spend generously to help keep our village centre beautiful!



JAC technician Andrew Bussey injecting garlic into the horse chestnut tree

Arts News

Ian Ridley

Feckenham Art Society

will be holding their annual art exhibition on **Sat. 21st June** in the back room of the village hall as part of the Wake. As usual there will be over 60 original paintings on view so come along and see what we have been doing over the last 12 months.

In addition Feckenham artist Ian Ridley is currently exhibiting at the Jinney Ring Craft Centre. The exhibition of watercolours started on 24th May and continues until the Centre's Folk and Craft weekend on the 28th and 29th of June. Further details from either www.ianridleywatercolours.co.uk or www.jinneyring.co.uk

Glamba

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Shop and Ann Matthews

Feckenham Horse Show

Peter Horsley

The last Sat. June 28th. is the prescribed date, to fit in with other local shows and qualifiers.

This year, through the generosity of the May and Deakin families, we are able to stage the show at Berrow Hill Lane (first gate on left from B 4090. Post code B96• 6 RU).

Our village show allows beginners and experienced riders to compete in classes covering jumping, showing, dressage, working hunter and pony, race horse to riding horse.

A terrier racing track set up, trade stands including ice cream and refreshments, ring side parking, event photographer, parade of Worcestershire Hunt fox hounds, also a marquee for Sponsors and Members where luncheon and wine is served. (Please speak to Pam Lincoln-Lewis for Membership lapel badges for entry to marquee, lunch and a glass of wine. Tel.893246)

Chairman Steve Shaw (Tel. 821371) and his committee look forward to welcoming you to the show from which profits are allocated to Village and National Charities.

Village Hall

Ian Bellion



HALL TOGETHER NOW!

Feckenham Village Hall is one of the busiest community halls in Worcestershire. It serves all sections of our community from the very young to the not so very young and it offers facilities for a huge range of activities - from badminton to a cinema via a nursery and the WI. It is a registered charity and is entirely run and

maintained by volunteers. It's quite a task and our volunteers, though most willing, do find themselves stretched at times - new members would spread the load and would be most welcome.

If you'd like to find out how this vital village facility works - and how you could help - why not pop along to the **AGM on Tuesday, July 1st at 8pm** in the Back Room? You'll be warmly welcomed and, who knows, you might be tempted to join the team that makes sure that Feckenham Village Hall continues to be the busiest - and the best

Letters



I wonder if you could help please with a problem that we have encountered at the reserve.

During the last week of half term 12 information sheets showing 'what to see on the reserve' were taken from both viewing hides (6 from each•hide). And last weekend two photographs of the Kingfisher were also taken. We would welcome their return.

We don't know for sure that these were taken by children but there•have been•children on site over the half term and also•pages were used in the 'log book' which were filled in with silly comments. In one case a whole page was used to put a list of numbers and comments at the side which had no relationship to anything seen from the hide. We have in the past had pages used for silly drawings and comments but we thought that this had stopped after I left a note asking•whoever it was•not to do this.

It's a shame if it is local children because we would hope that they would respect the reserve and not abuse the facility.

Many thanks

Paul Meers

Reserve Warden/ Manager

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Sun 1st June, 1.30pm	1st XI v Studley
Thur, 5th June, 6.30pm	HMS v Old Doms
Sat 7th June, 1pm	2nd XI v Enville
Sun 8th June, 1.30pm	1st XI v Bromsgrove
Sat, 14th June, 1pm	1st XI v Worcs Dom'
Sun, 15th June, 1.30pm	1st XI v Worcester
Sat, 21st June, 1pm	1st XI v Lye
Sat 28th June, 1pm	2nd XI v Harborne
Sun 29th June, 1.30pm	1st XI v Droitwich

There are also 3rd XI, Under 14 and Under 11 matches as well as hosted matches featuring visiting teams - pop into the Club for details.

Weather can affect all fixtures so check with the Club nearer the date. The Club will also stage a **Midsummer Tapas Party** on the evening of **21st June following The Wake.**

Cookhill & District Gardening Association

hold monthly meetings at Cookhill village hall at 7.30 for all those interested in garden and nature related topics. We have several trips a year, subsidised for members. Membership £10 p/a For more information call 07850980063

Stock & Bradley Gardening Club

Rob Cole

NEXT MEETING - Wednesday 4th June 2014 is a talk by Don Witton entitled 'People, Plants, Pleasure and Passion'.

Don holds a National Collection of Euphorbia on an allotment on the outskirts of Sheffield, but has a wide interest in plants and gardens. His talk is about his experiences, as a gardener, lecturer, and traveller and should provide us with an entertaining evening'

The theme for the monthly competition is '**Variation Variation**'. To take part, just bring along an exhibit for judging by the speaker. Every entry will win a point, and 1st, 2nd, and 3rd will be awarded additional points. The member with the most number of points in the year will be awarded a prize of a year's subscription to the Gardening Club, at the next AGM in October 2014.

The following event - Wednesday 9th July 2014 is an evening visit to the garden of Adrian and Sheila James at Offenham, near Evesham. Full details will be in next month's update, but note that booking beforehand is essential.

Club meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month at the Village Hall, Church Road, Bradley Green starting at 7.30pm, and are free to members for an annual subscription of £10.00. Visitors are made very welcome and may attend for £3.00 per meeting. If you require any further information, ring Dinny Pynsent (Secretary) on 01527 821355 or Rob Cole (Chairman) on 01527 821156.

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Jane White



At our meeting on **12th June**, we have Cameron Addicot speaking on "**Under Cover with Customs & The Serious Organised Crime Agency**". The talk is based on Cameron's 20 years experience working for the Agency. The meeting will take place in the Village Hall Back Room at 7.30pm and should prove very interesting. Visitors are very welcome £3.50.

We also have planned for June -

Friday 6th - 2.30pm a visit to Bretforton Manor Garden.

Tuesday 17th - 2.30pm Garden visit to Crumpfields Lane.

Saturday 21st Cake & Produce Stall at the Wake.

Thursday 26th - 7pm Summer Solstice picnic at Gateway Park by the canal between Hanbury and Droitwich.

For further details ring Vivien Hunter 402360.

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