



Parish Magazine

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Bee on Crocus

Photograph by Kate Pendleton

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The editors reserve the right to edit all contributions.

There's been lots going on in the Editorial Team in recent months. I have gone from being a stay-at-home mum to being a teacher at Coombe Bissett School. I'm currently a bit swamped with work so huge thanks to Robert who has stepped in to edit STaB this month.

On the advertising front, Sarah Brough is stepping down from this role as she too starts a new job. We are very pleased that Jane Peasley has volunteered to take on the role of advertising co-ordinator, and she and Sarah have been working together to make sure there is a smooth handover. We will update the magazine with any changes to the contact details in the next edition.

Many thanks to Sarah for her years of hard work on this important element of STaB.

Kate Pendlenton



A warm welcome to Bishopstone and Stratford Tony...

Please let us know if you know of anyone who moves into Bishopstone or Stratford Tony - or indeed if you yourself have recently moved in, please do introduce yourselves! - so that we can offer them/you a welcome in STaB.



Hello from the Revd Canon Jenny Taylor



So Lent has begun! I hope you enjoy reading all about our Lent Project this year, in aid of Cress and do please support our coffee mornings in any way you can.

Did you know that we have a tradition in the Chalke Valley of supporting a different charity each Lent, alternating with home and abroad? So this year our thoughts and prayers (and cash!) wing they way to the refugees in Uganda, originally from South Sudan.

Our church also take a pause in Lent for having flowers (apart from weddings and funerals) to emphasise the penitential nature of the season, so it is a good time to say a huge thank you to all those who decorate our churches so beautifully throughout the year. We all look forward with great anticipation to a glorious floral Easter Day!

In the meantime, whatever you aim to do this Lent to make these next six weeks a little different from normal and if you can please give towards our worthy cause.

It was with great sadness that the funeral was held in February of the late Jane Holmes.

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The Friends of Bishopstone Church

If you would like to help the Friends of Bishopstone Church with their work of preserving the fabric of this beautiful building, please contact the Treasurer Norman Barter (01722 780471).

Parish Council

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING AND MARCH MEETING OF BISHOPSTONE PARISH COUNCIL

The Annual Parish Meeting will take place on **Thursday 9th March 2023 starting at 7.00pm in the Village Hall**. The Annual Parish Meeting is an opportunity for anyone living in the village to raise local issues of current interest for discussion. As in previous years the APM will include reports by village organisations on their activities in 2022 and on current projects affecting the village. **The meeting will be followed by the March meeting of the Parish Council**. All are welcome to attend.

CLERK TO BISHOPSTONE PARISH COUNCIL

In May I will have been Clerk to the Parish Council for 12 years. I think that is probably long enough! It is therefore time for a change and the Council Chairman, Ali Thorne, and the other Councillors have agreed that the search should begin for a new Parish Clerk.

Parish Clerk's come in many shapes and forms (no comments please) – some, like me, are unpaid volunteers, but, increasingly, the job of Parish Clerk is a paid, part-time, employment. To be an effective Parish Clerk you need to care about the place and the community you serve. That is why, ideally, the Parish Clerk should live in the village and be a part of the community. However, that too is increasingly rare with professional Clerks holding the job in a portfolio of parishes.

As a first step we would like to find out whether there is anybody in Bishopstone parish interested in taking on this role, whether as a volunteer or as part of paid employment. If there is I would be happy to work in tandem with them for 12 months while they see what is involved.

What does the job entail? A full description is on the village website (www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk) but essentially it involves;

- organising six meetings of the Council a year: agreeing an agenda with the Chairman, drafting any background papers and producing the minutes;
- making sure the Council meets legal requirements as to its governance and financial management (securing funding, dealing with accounts and audit);
- managing projects undertaken by the Council (it spends about £5,000 a year on improvements in the village);
- representing the Council and acting as the main point of contact with Wiltshire Council (responding to consultations, raising issues requiring action, attending some meetings etc);
- helping to resolve problems arising in the village.

How much time does this involve? Some weeks there is nothing to do, others quite a lot! Averages are therefore a bit misleading – but for parishes the size of Bishopstone it is usually represented as about 5 hours a week. As an unpaid volunteer I feel I have more flexibility and control over the time I spend. However, for others payment may be essential. Rates of pay are determined in relation to nationally agreed scales and is likely to be just over £11.00 an hour, but this would be subject to negotiation with the Council.

As I say, I am prepared to provide initial training. There are also training courses for new Parish Clerks.

IF YOU WANT TO BE AT THE CENTRE OF VILLAGE AFFAIRS AND TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE WELL BEING OF OUR COMMUNITY – WHY NOT CONSIDER THIS OPPORTUNITY? If you would like to discuss in more detail, please get in touch (bishopstoneclerk@btinternet.com or 01722 781044).

Mike Ash

MIGHT YOU NEED HELP IN AN EMERGENCY?

Can you cope if there is an emergency in the village – such as flooding or a prolonged power cut?

An important aspect of the village Emergency Plan is what it says about the provision of support for those in greatest need. Bishopstone has many elderly residents and others with disabilities or long-term illness. Thankfully most are quite capable of looking after themselves, most of the time. Whether they can cope in any particular emergency situation will depend on their own circumstances and the nature of the emergency.

Bishopstone has a very comprehensive plan setting out arrangements in the village for responding to a wide variety of emergency situations. We received widespread praise for our rapid response to the Covid pandemic, which was facilitated by the procedures set out in our Emergency Plan. **A copy of the Bishopstone Emergency Plan is on the village website (www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk) under the Parish Council tab.**

The Plan established a framework of Area Representatives assigned to small sub-areas of the village. These are the people you should contact if you need assistance in an emergency and are unable to call on established care services, relatives, friends or neighbours. However, we also think that it is important for them to know who might possibly need outside assistance in their area if there is an emergency. Local knowledge may be adequate to ensure that no such person is overlooked, but it may save time in an emergency if information on those who might need help was already available.

We therefore wish to collect information on those who potentially may need special assistance in an emergency - by fetching essential supplies, collecting prescriptions, providing transportation or undertaking other urgent tasks. Data protection law requires that any such list can only be used for the specific purpose for which it is drawn up and only held with the consent of those included on it.

There may be some who are reluctant to put their names forward. We would urge them to think again. The list will form a confidential annex to the Emergency Plan for use only by those providing assistance. **ALL WE ARE SAYING IS: IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY ARISING, WOULD YOU LIKE US TO CHECK THAT YOU ARE OK?**

Please contact Cllr Piers Edwards if you wish to find out more and to provide your contact details and consent (piersgedwards@gmail.com or 01722 780079).

Mike Ash

VILLAGE HALL SPRING FAYRE

SATURDAY 20 MAY 2023 10.00am

PLANT STALL

Springtime is nearly with us and the Spring Fayre is coming up soon. Please could you let us have any spare plants or seedlings of vegetable or fruit for the stall. This provides and serves a dual purpose of buying great plants and nurtures an interest in gardening.

To do this we need your generous donations of plants or seedlings. We would be grateful if you would name the plant or seedling and if possible the colour or variety.

This year please deliver any donation to the Village Hall from 2.00pm on 19 May where I shall be happy to receive them. Your help is much appreciated.

Norman Barter

Bishopstone Rugby Enthusiasts

This year will see the return of the England games at the Guinness Six Nations being shown live at the Village Hall. Details of the games are below. Doors open 45 minutes before kick off. Free entrance with cash bar and Bacon & Sausage baps available. Come along and cheer England on!

For further details contact Andy Stocker (07590 841135).


England Six Nation Matches:

- 4th February versus Scotland. Kick off 16:45
- 12th February versus Italy. Kick Off 15:00
- 25th February versus Wales. Kick Off 16:45
- 11th March versus France. Kick Off 16:45
- 18th March versus Ireland. Kick off 17:00



WHITE HORSE OPERA

RUDDIGORE



*The Witch's
Curse*

*by
Gilbert &
Sullivan*

**BISHOPSTONE VILLAGE
HALL SP5 4AA**

Fri 3rd March 7.30pm

**Tickets £10 from
Caroline on 01722 781044 or
bvhticketoffice@btinternet.com**

www.ticketsource.co.uk/whitehorseopera

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Village Hall



March 2023

WHITE HORSE OPERA

We are delighted to have secured a show by White Horse Opera who will perform the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta "**Ruddigore**" on **Friday March 3rd 2023**.

The show will start at **7.30pm** and tickets are **£10 each** available from Caroline Ash on (01722) 781044.

There will be the usual bar and also an optional light supper available on arrival at £5.00 per person. Please order when booking.

The BISHOPSTONE COMMUNITY CAFE

Coffee Mornings are normally held on alternate Thursdays. Dates for the coming period are the **2nd, 16th and 30th of March. 10.30am until 12.00noon.**

Everyone is welcome to look in for a coffee and chat. There is presently no charge for refreshments.

MOVIOLA at Bishopstone

March 24th "See how they run"

A comedy mystery. In 1950s London, plans for a movie version of a smash-hit play come to an abrupt halt after a pivotal member of the crew is murdered. When a world-weary inspector and an eager rookie constable take on the case, they find themselves thrown into a puzzling whodunit within the glamorously sordid world of underground theatre, investigating the mysterious homicide at their own peril.

The film stars Sam Rockwell, Saoirse Ronan, Adrien Brody, Ruth Wilson, Reece Shearsmith, Harris Dickinson and David Oyelowo.

Doors open at 7pm with the film commencing at 7.30pm Entry for the film is **£6.00**.

If possible, please book in advance with Caroline Ash on (01722) 781044. A cash bar with snacks and ices will be available.

A trailer for the Moviola film can be seen on the village web site.

The next film will be '**Living**' on **26th April**.

BISHOPSTONE COMMUNITY LUNCHES

A home-cooked lunch is served monthly from October until April.

Booking is essential. Please telephone Caroline Ash on (01722) 781044 and advise her of any dietary requirements. The cost is £7.50 for a two-course lunch and a drink.

The **March** lunch will be on **Wednesday 1st** when the speaker will be retired paediatrician, Colin Stern talking about "Happenings to Grandchildren"

Time as usual: **12.00noon for 12.30 pm**

The **April lunch will be on Wednesday 5th** and the speaker will be Rachel Davies, Fraud Protection Officer for Wiltshire Police, talking about "Protecting Ourselves from Fraud"

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

The Village Hall Annual General Meeting will be on **Monday 15th May** 7.00 for 7.30pm

The Annual Spring Fayre will be on **Saturday 20th May** from 10am to 12 noon.

HALL BOOKINGS FOR SOCIAL EVENTS AND WORKSHOPS

Both halls are available for hire. To enquire or make a booking, please contact the bookings secretary Margaret Barter (01722) 780471

BABY AND TODDLER PLAYGROUP

The playgroup meets on Friday mornings during term time from 9.30 – 11.00 am. Breastfeeding support is available from qualified counsellor Cally Edwards and trained peer supporters. Due to the group's popularity, the playgroup operates a weekly booking system to manage numbers. Find further information on our Facebook page *Bishopstone Playgroup* or contact Catherine on WhatsApp on 07884 347536.

“EXTEND” EXERCISE CLASSES

For further information about these exercise classes contact Jenny on 01722 780863, email: jennyberwynjones@yahoo.co.uk

PILATES AT BISHOPSTONE

For further information contact Claudine on 07788 587937 or email: claudineblake@aol.com

YOGA WITH HANNAH

For more details please contact Hannah Stocker on 0773 856 1888 or by email: yoga_with_hannah@outlook.com.

SARUM SPINNERS AND WEAVERS

For more detail about the group please contact Les Smith on 01722 780761.

Bishopstone Village Hall rates for private hire

Bishopstone Village Hall has 2 rooms that are available for hire for a wide range of functions. The larger room is ideal for children's parties with lots of space for running around. It can also accommodate wedding receptions, charity functions and large family celebrations.

The smaller room (The Memorial Room) is a good size for meetings and smaller gatherings.

The modern kitchen is spacious and fully equipped with an electric catering range, a professional 4 minute dishwasher, water boiler, hot cupboard, microwave oven, 2 fridges and a freezer, all suitable for professional caterers. There is also glassware, crockery and cutlery for over 80 people.

The hire charges include use of heating and electricity.

The rates are currently:

	Villagers	Non Villagers
Hire of both rooms (With full use of the kitchen)	£15 per hour	£20 per hour
Hire of both rooms (With tea making facilities but no other electrical kitchen equipment)	£10 per hour	£15 per hour
Full use of the kitchen <u>only</u>	£10 per hour	£15 per hour
Weddings – per event/day	£150	£250
Parties – per event/day	£100	£150

Broadband

An additional charge is made for use of the broadband connection of £6 per hour with a maximum of £25 per day.

Large projection screen

Use of this professional quality screen is charged at an additional £10 per event.

The hire period must include time to set up and clear away after the event.

For further information and bookings contact: Margaret Barter 01722 780471

Chalke Valley Community Support

POLICE

Call 999 in an emergency: an emergency is when someone is being threatened or at risk of getting injured, or a crime is in progress.

Call 101 for non-emergencies: such as reporting a crime that has already taken place, non-urgent incident, contacting local officers etc

To contact your Community Policing Team about a community-related matter, such as a school visit, then please email SalisburyAreaCPT@wiltshire.police.uk

Please note that this mailbox is not monitored 24/7.

You are unable to report crimes of any type via email and please do not report any situations that require an urgent response.

You can follow us on:

Facebook - www.facebook.com/salisburypolice

Twitter - www.twitter.com/SouthWiltsCPT

Community Messaging: Sign up to Community Messaging for news and updates from your local policing team: www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk

Sixpenny Handley and Chalke Valley Practice

Doves Meadow Surgery, Broad Chalke: 01722 780282

Broadchalke Surgery is now open on Tuesdays and Thursdays

Sixpenny Handley Surgery: 01725 552500

www.sixpennydocs.co.uk



MOBILE LIBRARY

The Mobile Library is back in action and will be calling at The Styles in Bishopstone between 1115-1135 on the following Thursdays:

16 March, 13 April, 11 May, 8 June, 6 July, 3 August



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e: info@chalkevalleystores.co.uk Tel: 01722 780998

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Post Office: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9:30am- 1:30pm

CHALKE VALLEY LINK SCHEME

exists to provide transport and other good neighbour support in a local, personal and friendly way to members of the Chalke Valley community who need it.

If you live between Bishopstone and Bodenham or Britford and need help getting to your surgery/hospital appointments/local shopping or to visit family members in hospital, **please phone 01722 718780 to reach our Joint Transport Coordinators (Anna Mynott, Debby Underhill or Roger Brown) who will be on duty in rotation.**

There is no charge, but you are invited to make a donation towards our administrative costs. Our co-ordinators are all volunteers and there may be occasions when you will be asked to leave a message which will be answered as soon as possible. Our drivers are all volunteers too, so please give us as much notice as possible so that we may find a volunteer who is available.

We are always looking for Volunteer Drivers to enable us to continue to provide a useful service for our community. If you feel you can help - you won't be committed to any particular date or time, only when you are free - please contact any of the above for further information.

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Staying in Touch

STaB magazine is a vital source of communication in the village, keeping everyone informed as to what is happening locally. However, the Covid-19 pandemic has highlighted the fact that situations can change very rapidly. To keep up to date with what is going on there are two other important sources of information in Bishopstone - the village website and our own WhatsApp network.

The village website – www.bishopstone-salisbury.co.uk is updated in real time and carries all the latest news on issues that affect the village.



The Bishopstone Network is a WhatsApp messaging service that has more than proved its worth during the pandemic, and more recently during the storms when residents were able to report fallen trees and blocked roads to the Emergency Planning Officer. Information can be instantly shared to your mobile phone about support services being provided in the village and on a variety of other matters – everything from the length of electricity black outs to what is available from the White Hart take-away service! You will need to download the App to your phone and then contact Piers Edwards (piersgedwards@gmail.com or 07920 475009) or Kate Pendlenton (kmpendlenton@hotmail.com or 07769202200) and ask to be added to the group.

Update from the DVS and GVS Team

DIGITAL VOICE UPDATE - FEBRUARY 2023

We attended an open meeting at the Guildhall in Salisbury on 8 Feb 23. It was very well attended to the extent that there was a queue to see advisors from BT. Plusnet and EE representatives were also there.

Our key question to the advisor we met was how did BT define "vulnerable persons?" She read out a long list but only when specifically questioned did she include those aged 70 or over. This was despite us having asked another rep, who we spoke to in the reception area, who immediately opened with "over 70 year olds."

We publicise this so that residents can stress the age issue if they want/need a FREE backup battery to cover a mains power cut.



Fig 1 - Current Big Button Phone as an example

NEW DV PHONE

There is due to be a **new** phone released in Mar/Apr by BT. It is specifically for vulnerable people, that is those with a degree of disability/ill health. It is a larger unit with big buttons - a non DV version shown above already exists. The new DV version includes a battery and SIM card, which means that if there is a power cut it effectively becomes a mobile telephone and will continue to work as long as the battery lasts. (We have no details how long that is.) We are assuming the SIM card will work on all mobile networks, so will work in Bishopstone.

It will be fitted to work in conjunction with a hearing loop. There was something about an alarm capability - but this was a bit vague. We think it was an indication that this might take over from pendant (round the neck) alarms but in retrospect this does not make sense and some further research is needed. If we find out any more details we will let you know.

Burglar Alarms.

It was acknowledged that linked burglar alarms would not work under DV and apparently ADT are charging up to £250 to switch people to a new system. Please contact your alarm company for details/information about your particular system if it is linked.

DV Adaptor.

As mentioned previously in STaB and at the village hall briefing, your existing telephones will work with Digital Voice and there is no need to buy new telephones unless you want to. Adapters, that plug into a mains socket, can also be used to connect existing telephones that cannot be plugged directly into your WiFi router, to the DV system. Please talk to your ISP for details.

Those with phone on an internal copper line can purchase a DV adaptor that plugs into a power socket.

SO RATHER LIKE THE CURATE'S EGG - IT IS GOOD IN PARTS!

BROADBAND NETWORK PROBLEMS IN BISHOPSTONE - FEBRUARY 2023

As we are sure we do **not** need to tell you, there have been very significant teething problems in Bishopstone during the introduction of the new Fibre to the Premises (FTTP) system.

We highlight some of the reasons that we are aware of:

- First, Salisbury has been a test bed for the technology. It is therefore reasonable to expect that there would be some teething problems.
- Our new fibre network comes from Salisbury by a different route to the old copper network. This new route is from Salisbury, down the route of the A354 Blandford Road, then it comes across country, through Broadchalke to Bishopstone. The length of this new route is in excess of 20 kms.
- When the new link went live there was insufficient power in the laser signal being transmitted down that link from Salisbury to allow it to function properly. This is the reason many subscribers had a green flashing light on their Optical Network Terminal (ONT), the little white box newly installed inside your property. That situation has now been rectified by increasing the power and engineers visiting those affected.

- Coupled with this there were technical issues at the Broadchalke node that had to be resolved before this extra power could be initiated. That has also been done.
- Some residents have had great difficulty persuading their ISP that they are on the new network - this was mainly due to the ISPs or Openreach not using the correct spelling to identify some addresses. Again this has hopefully been resolved.
- There is little doubt that some properties were inadequately surveyed by Openreach or their sub-contractors, so that some residents have had their installation delayed whilst network problems were sorted out.
- Lastly, there is no doubt from discussions we have had with the Senior Engineers that Openreach have had resource issues associated with the whole ultrafast broadband project in and around Salisbury. Again, hopefully this is being overcome.

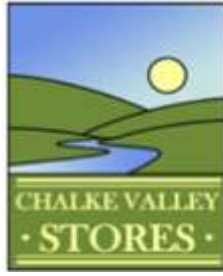
In the meantime please try and be patient as this network is being transferred to 21st century technology and hopefully soon those who opted for FTTP will be enjoying much faster broadband speeds.

Your Bishopstone FTTP Team thank you for your patience.

Toby, Roger, Mike and Paul



*The Openreach engineers struggle to get Flamstone connected.
Photo courtesy of Roger Stockton - he probably took it!*



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Post Office: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9.30am to 1pm

Just to confirm, for those who may have missed previous communications.

On Saturdays, the Cafe closes at 12.00 and the Shop at 1.00 pm.

A note for the diary!

The Hub **Annual Members' Meeting** will be held on **Wednesday 29 March 2023**. This year it will be in The Hub starting **at 7.30pm**. In the usual way, the formal notice and agenda will be published early next month.

We are pleased to say that the response to our decision to close earlier on Saturdays has been very positive.

We are equally pleased to say that we have already "recruited" several new volunteers (and are awaiting confirmation from some others) who wish to help in the Café and the Shop. We thank you all for your invaluable help.

More volunteers will always be welcome and we would ask those interested to phone the Hub on 01722 780998 and ask to speak to Kate or Tony.

Of course, we would also wish for even more business from the Communities we are there to serve, to ensure our sustainability for the future.

We would like to confirm that there is a Trussell Trust Collection Point in the Hub for any donations of foodstuffs you may wish to make.

Chalke Valley Fete and Produce Show 19 August 2023

Last year the Chalke Valley Fete was a great success, raising money for local charities and enjoyed by all!

Planning for this year continues apace and we would like to invite anyone from Bishopstone with a craft business or local enterprise who might like to sell their items at the event to come forward.

In addition, if there are any charity groups that would like to have a stall to raise funds then now is the time to speak up.

We are also starting the hunt for any Fete type games and activities that we might borrow to add to the activities on offer at the show.

If you would like to volunteer to help out at the show and join in the fun we would love to hear from you.

Budding photographers, these are the classes for this year:

Young at play
Coronation
Chalke Valley through the lens (close ups)

Contacts are: Victoria Pickford for business and enterprise stalls at: victoria.pickford1@gmail.com and Sara Moss at: sara@moss1.me.uk for offers of help and charity stalls.

We will have a new website coming soon



Summer Fete

Charity Bake Sale



Lots of crafts and games too!

I have decided to raise money for the WWF to help all the amazing creatures on our planet that have been endangered. To help raise money I am doing a bake sale with lots of fun crafts on **Sunday 12th March 3-5pm at Bishopstone village hall**. Everyone is welcome to come along and help contribute to this cause.

CAKE DONATIONS APPRECIATED

If you would like to donate cakes, please bring them to the village hall on the day.

If you have any questions or need to make me aware of any dietary requirements, please contact me (Hermione James-Phillips) at 07341627034. Thank you!



Alabare BIG Sleep at Salisbury Cathedral

Local charity Alabaré supports those who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. These incredibly difficult times mean that many more people are facing huge difficulties trying to keep their tenancies or homes, or successfully manage their mental and physical wellbeing. Sadly for some, they could end up losing their home, their safety and become homeless. Alabaré is determined to be there for as long as people need their support out of crisis.

On the evening of Friday 10th March, Alabaré will be holding their 15th sponsored BIG Sleep in the cloisters of Salisbury Cathedral. Participants will sleep on the cold, stone flagstones and will hear about the work Alabaré does to support those who are homeless and vulnerable in Salisbury so that they can come off the street for good. As well as raising funds for Alabaré's homelessness services, this community event is always enjoyable, thought-provoking and humbling and it would be wonderful to be joined by as many members of the local community as possible! You will be in good company as this year the Dean of the Cathedral will be taking part as well as members of the local community, churches and schools!

You can find more information on Alabaré's website <https://www.alabare.co.uk/event/the-big-sleep-salisbury-cathedral2> or email Alabaré's Church Engagement Officer Helen Inglis on h.inglis@alabare.co.uk

We look forward to welcoming you to this amazing event!

Salisbury Foodbank

Thank you to everyone who donated this month, the total was 15kgs and a donation of £20.00

The food bank are again asking for foods that do not take much cooking during these hard times of expensive energy. Although the government have increased some support for those in great need these improvements do not come into operation until next April, meanwhile they have to face the winter months. Please give as generously as you are able.



Particularly asking for

Long Life Fruit Juice
Sponge Puddings
Dried Milk
Tinned Fruit
Size 6 Nappies
Toothbrushes
Ladies deodorant
Shampoo and 2 in 1

Tinned Potatoes
Instant Mash
Small Jars of Coffee
Tinned Tomatoes
Packet Puddings/Angel Delight
Washing up liquid
Children's Toiletries

They have plenty of Pasta, Cereal, Pulses, Beans, Tinned Veg, Fish and Rice Pudding/Custard

Please continue to support this cause, so needed during these difficult financial times. Even just one tin will bring hope to someone.

Easter is fast approaching and if you can add something for the children in with your donations then I am sure that will be greatly appreciated.

You can leave your donations either at the Church or at my house – The Old Post Office, The Cross - or if you would like me to collect please call me on 01722 780306

Thanking you in advance and for all the support you have given over the years..

Judy Barrett

Stars Appeal Bookshop and bucket collections at hospital raise nearly £60,000

Nearly £60,000 has been raised for the Stars Appeal, Salisbury District Hospital's Charity, at its Bookshop and through bucket collections at the Hospital. Last year, the Bookshop raised £36,481.30, which brings its all-time total since it first opened in 2003 to £597,258.58. Meanwhile, the Stars Appeal bucket collectors in the Hospital collected £20,752.27 last year from generous supporters.

Dave Cates, of the Stars Appeal, said: "We want to say a big thank you to all of our bookshop and bucket collecting volunteers for their incredible efforts which make such a difference, not just through the funds that they raise, but also the support they give to patients and their families who come to Hospital, often facing difficult times. Thank you to everyone who donates to our bucket collectors and supports our bookshop. The funds raised are a vital step towards the £1million we are aiming to raise this year to fund projects supporting patients and staff here at the Hospital."

Projects the Stars Appeal are looking to fund for this year include a £142,000 echocardiogram machine for the Cardiac Investigation Unit to reduce waiting times for patients awaiting diagnosis, £55,000 for new scalp cooling machines to help reduce hair loss for cancer patients undergoing chemotherapy on the Pembroke Unit, a £20,000 brain function monitor for babies on the Neonatal Unit, and a £15,000 mechanical CPR machine. These are in addition to the ongoing projects the Stars Appeal fund including support for cancer patients, a 24/7 chaplaincy service, a staff counsellor, and free Wi-Fi.

More room for mums at Salisbury Hospital's Neonatal Unit thanks to the Stars Appeal

Every mum with a baby born prematurely or critically ill at Salisbury District Hospital can now stay by their side on the Neonatal Unit thanks to the Stars Appeal. The Stars Appeal, Salisbury District Hospital's Charity, has funded the construction of two additional 'mother and baby rooms' on the Neonatal Unit. There are now six of these rooms along with four larger en suite family rooms where mums and their partners can stay together.

The £25,000 expansion of the Unit's family accommodation also includes additional space for breast feeding clinics and other support. Projects the Stars Appeal are looking to fund for 2023 to enhance the care of babies at the Hospital include a £20,000 cerebral function monitor to monitor babies' brains on the Neonatal Unit. To find out more about projects the Stars Appeal is looking to fund in 2023 visit starsappeal.org/what-were-fundraising-for

CRESS Fundraising Events

Musical fundraising evening

In aid of CRESS Lent projects 2023

Saturday 4 th March, 7.00pm – 9.00pm

Knighton Manor, Broadchalke SP5 5EB



Please join the CRESS team for a fabulous musical recital by Camilla Foster Mitchell singing

a mixture of classical and contemporary music in the dining hall of the 16 th Century Knighton Manor House.

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Or via Caroline Lamb: M: 07807 780707 E: caroline.lamb@cressuk.org

Gathering with Bishop Joseph

In aid of CRESS Lent projects 2023

Friday 10th March, 6.30 – 8.00pm

Broad Chalke Village Hall, SP5 5DN



This informative social evening gives you the opportunity to speak with Bishop Joseph Aba who has headed up the CRESS projects since the charity was founded in March 2010. You will hear him speak about how impoverished the people are BUT how much their lives are given hope and transformation by the CRESS charity funded projects.

Free Entrance (donations welcome and paying bar)

Bishop Joseph has oversight of 117,000 refugees spread in the bush and across several refugee camps in Northern Uganda. Over half of these people attend his churches and he confirmed 2,000 people in 2022 into the Anglican church.

Find out more about our fundraising events here: <https://cressuk.org/category/events-fundraising/> or donate here: <https://cressuk.org/donate/>

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Still More Rambling with Jazzie....

We had a wonderful walk in warm and clear sunshine, recently and Jazzie met many old friends and had a good play with her fluffy friend from Netton Street! She will be 2 years old next week and is looking forward to her birthday. What her present will be is anyone's guess, but it might just be edible!

What a change in the weather, after the cold and freezing weather of January, all the rain and floods and the Ebble nearly overflowed her banks. However, thanks to the Flood Wardens, she is now dropping almost every day. J was very intrigued with the flooded fields, and even ventured in for a paddle!

Jazzie is really enjoying meeting and playing with her friends again... Dipper, Marcus, Tivo and Pebble, who tells her when she has had enough! Prune and Poppy are a bit overwhelming for her, due to size and colour! Her 10 minutes of play with Tivo in the field opposite Faulston was a great success. She did almost as much chasing as he did!



Two months old in her new garden!

It is good to see the lovely old wall at Sudbury slowly being uncovered. What a wonderful mix of stone, flint, and bricks, reinforced with breeze block. It must be a very old wall with all the brick buttressing in support. Quite a job that must have been to remove all the ivy.



Two years old in Faulston field!

The farmers are very busy drilling and spraying and it certainly changes the aerial perfume for a spell! The muddy roads caused a bit of a stir, but all well and clean now. However, we do live in the country surrounded by farms, and so must expect a bit of dirt from time to time. At least we no longer have the wonderful twice daily sight of the cows being driven to milking, and the resulting wonderful odour, and the mess on the road! And the winter wheat is greening the fields all the time. Spring is on the way, perhaps!

We are also busy painting, although J is none too good! A new Spring Exhibition starts in the Library on 4th March until the 1st of April. You might recognise some painters there! Go and have a look.

Enjoy your walks, and we'll see many doggie friends again soon.



Bel Tout lighthouse Beachy Head

James Thompson

Notes from a Nutritionist

By Amber Cotton Nutrition

Hello and welcome to March's new column - '**Notes from a Nutritionist**'

I'm Amber and as a registered Nutritionist living in the village, I've been asked if I would write a regular piece for our magazine. I plan to continue with the existing 'Recipe of the Month' but I'll also give you a little bit of information as to why the ingredients I choose are also really great for your health.

This month I'm starting with a simple dish of smoked haddock with lentils. Smoked haddock (or any other fish) is a brilliant source of protein. Protein is vital to help you maintain your muscle mass (which is critical to maintaining mobility as you get older), but it's also key to helping you feel fuller for longer – important for both your blood sugar levels and your waistline.

Lentils too contain protein, but they also contain lots of fibre that will help to keep your gut bacteria happy – healthy happy gut bacteria help to support your immune system and can help to protect you from chronic inflammatory diseases such as type 2 diabetes.

Finally spinach and dill are good sources of several essential vitamins and minerals including vitamin C and vitamin A which will both support your immune system, particularly through the colder months.

I'd love to know what you think of my new column so do get in touch at amber@ambercotton.co.uk.

Next month I'll share a delicious recipe for a quick and easy family supper.

Amber x



Recipe of the Month

By Amber Cotton

Smoked Haddock with Lemon & Dill Lentils

Serves 2

Ingredients

2x 100g smoked haddock fillets

100g / 4oz Puy lentils

1 small onion, finely chopped

1 carrot, finely chopped

1 celery stick, finely chopped

300ml / ½ pint vegetable stock

1 rounded tbsp crème fraîche

2 tbsp chopped dill

Zest ½ lemon + slices to serve

1 tsp butter

100g spinach

Green salad to serve



Method

Set oven to 180C

Tip the lentils into a pan with the onion, carrot and celery. Pour in the stock and bring to the boil. Give it a stir, then reduce the heat, cover and simmer for 20—25 mins, until the lentils are tender. Alternatively you could use a 400g pack of ready-to-eat lentils that are readily available in most supermarkets. Place the ready cooked lentils in a small saucepan with a splash of water and heat gently, stirring regularly, until hot.

Mix together the crème fraîche, half the dill and the lemon zest, adding a little seasoning. When the lentils are almost ready, put the fish in an ovenproof dish with a small amount of butter, cook for approximately 15 mins until the fish is flaky.

When the lentils are cooked, stir in the spinach until the leaves are barely wilted, then stir in the crème fraîche mixture. Divide between two warmed plates and top with the haddock. Scatter over the remaining dill and slices of lemon and serve with a green salad.

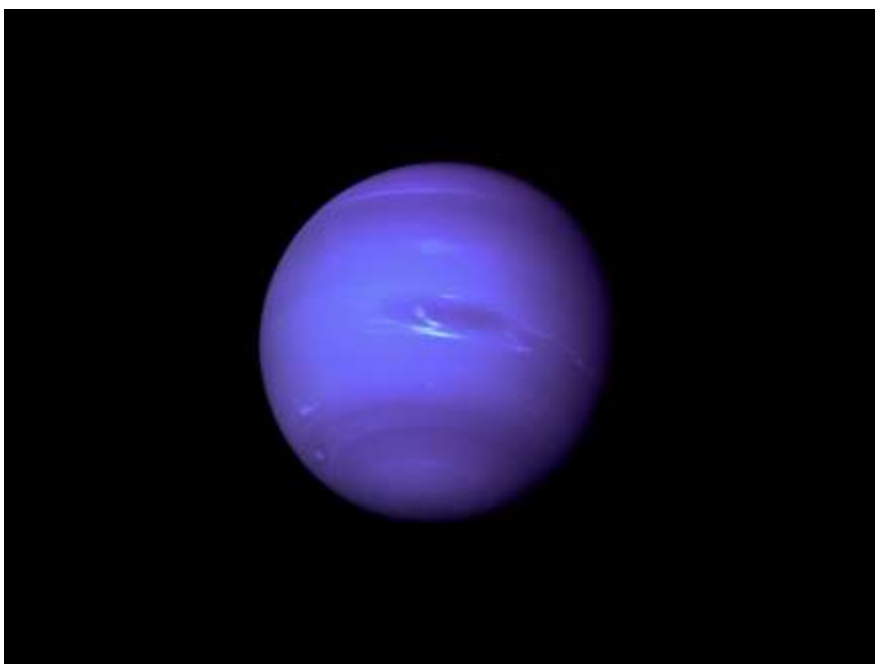
In Our Night Sky - Neptune

Neptune is the outer of the now called (water) Ice Giants with an even more apt blue than Uranus. Modern observations have shown a small rocky core surrounded by water and ammonia ices with some methane, making up 90-95% of the planet's mass, significantly more than Uranus. The upper third is liquid, but more interestingly the inner material is thought to be superionic, with a temperature at the core of 5,000 deg.C. Water at extreme temperatures and pressures allows H⁺ ions in effect to move rapidly and generate high conductivity, which with planetary rotation movement (only 16 hrs.) generates a magnetic field, which again is unusual being 60 deg. away from its axis of rotation.

Neptune—the eighth and most distant major planet orbiting our Sun—is dark, cold and whipped by supersonic winds. It was the first planet located through mathematical calculations, rather than by telescope. The orbit of Uranus was known to be slightly odd and in 1845 John Couch Adams wrote to the UK Astronomer Royal proposing a large outer planet, to explain the behaviour of Uranus and predicting its position. Unfortunately it was not taken seriously and when the Frenchman Urbain Le Verrier in 1846 did the same to the German Johann Galle, Galle found it within 1 hr. of looking, only 1 deg. away from predicted. So Urbain was credited for the discovery.

It has 13 moons, but the largest Triton with a diameter of 2,700 km is the only one in the Solar System which has a retrograde orbit. Triton with a similar composition to Pluto, but larger, is thought to have been captured long ago from the rocky Kuiper belt, a region 30 – 50 AU from the Sun.

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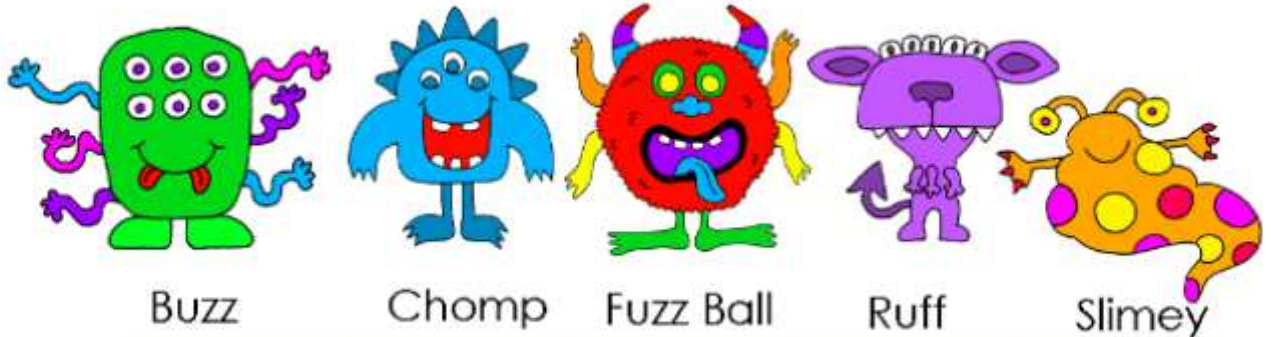


Many thanks to Chalkey D for this informative series about the planets

Puzzles and Activities

By Kate Pendleton

Weird Monsters' Ages Logic Puzzle



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Clues

1. Slimey is the youngest of the weird monsters.
2. Chomp has been alive for an odd number of years.
3. Buzz has been alive for the same number of years as he has eyes.
4. Ruff is four years older than Buzz.



**Salisbury Chamber Chorus Concert on Sunday 12th March at 7.30pm
St. Thomas's Church, Salisbury**

Following our very successful Christmas concert in Wilton, we are pleased to provide details about our next concert in Salisbury.

This March, Salisbury Chamber Chorus is performing the Mozart *Requiem*, his final piece and also one of his most familiar. In addition, the programme includes four choruses from Mozart's opera *Idomeneo*, which form perfect curtain raisers.

Tickets £15, under-18s free, available from eventbrite.co.uk or on the door.

Musical Director, Simon McEnery is no stranger to the operatic stage, as a tenor he has sung at Covent Garden and opera houses around Europe. Of the Mozart *Requiem* he says: "This is a piece I've wanted us to do for a while. It lends itself to a more dramatic sound; a lot of people associate it with the movie *Amadeus*, in which it was used with an incredible amount of emotional power. I think you can hear in it something of Mozart's desperate desire for life at a time when his was drawing to its premature close. It's a gripping piece, every bit as dramatic as one of his operas, but also full of pathos and yearning."

The Chorus will be joined by the Nova Foresta Classical players, under the artistic directorship of Philip Daish-Handy. Nova has rapidly gained wide recognition as a dynamic new musical force, frequently performing to packed venues across the South.

A second performance will take place at 7.30pm in St Peter's Church, Stockbridge on Saturday 18th March.

MEDITATION



A Meditation Hour is held every 2nd Wednesday of the month at Lodge Farmhouse, Broad Chalke, at 2.30pm

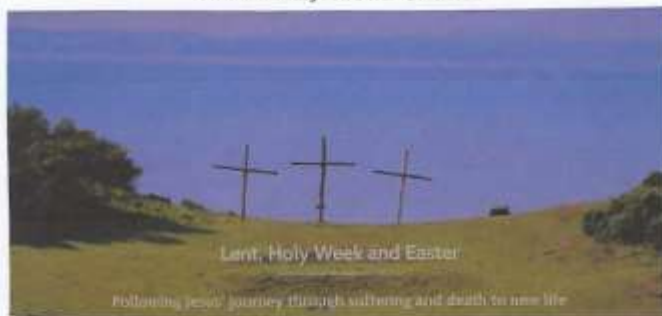
We have a short, introductory talk followed by 30 mins. of silence (with tea and chat afterwards if you would like to stay on).

Contact: Anna Watson (01722780028) or Janet Roe (01725 519242 / jhroe99@gmail.com)

Dates for 2023

Jan 11th Feb 8th March 8th April 12th May 10th June 14th July 12th August 9th Sept 13th Oct 11th Nov 8th Dec 13th

All Saints, Broad Chalke



Lent and Easter are an important part of the Christian Calendar.

The season of Lent lasts for forty days (not including Sundays). It is a time when Christians reflect and prepare for the celebration of Easter. Some people fast, eat frugally or give up treats, following the example of Jesus, who fasted for forty days in the wilderness.

People also give to charity, set aside time to study the Bible and meet with other Christians to reflect on Jesus' life and prepare for the events of Holy Week and Easter.

The Stations of the Cross, also called Way of the Cross, is a series of 14 pictures or carvings portraying events in the Passion of Christ. In Britain the practice of meditating on the Stations of the Cross has been carried out since the early 16th century. Originally, the number of stations observed in Jerusalem was considerably less than the 14 we traditionally have today.

In All Saints, Broad Chalke we have prints of a series of modern paintings by Jenny Hawke depicting the Way of the Cross, and these will be on display throughout Lent.

Do please visit the church at any time to look at and ponder on these images. They will be on display from Ash Wednesday.

Walking in Wiltshire

Time to get walking again!

With Spring on its way we start to think about getting out to walk in the beautiful English countryside again, but where to find new and interesting walks?

Walking in Wiltshire www.walkinginengland.co.uk/wiltshire has loads of walks to download and print, free, it also has books of walks, details of all the walking groups in the county and much more. Whether you want to walk on your own or with a group all the information is there in one place.

John Harris (who maintains the website) said 'There is so much walking information on the web but it is difficult to find. Walking in Wiltshire (part of the Walking in England website) has brought it together in one place so whether you are walking from home, or away on holiday, you will be able to find a walk suitable for you'.

With walks from half a mile to twelve miles plus long, and a note of suitability for pushchairs and wheelchairs, everyone can find a walk to enjoy.

So home or away, check out the websites and get walking!

John Harris

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Police Bulletin

*A new monthly newsletter from
Philip Wilkinson, Police and Crime
Commissioner for Wiltshire.*



My annual budget proposed a raise the amount of money you pay for the policing part of your council tax, known as the precept, by 6.2%.

For an average Band D household, that equates to £15 a year or £1.25 a month.

It's been a difficult decision to make and that's why it was important we consulted you.

Over 2,700 people responded to the survey. We also took it out across Swindon and Wiltshire to gather your feedback. I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you if you took the time to complete it.

54% of people who responded said they would be prepared to support a maximum rise but it's important to make clear why I asked you to support that option.

Without putting up the precept, Wiltshire Police would need to save over £4m in the next year. Even by increasing the precept, savings will be key but I'm confident this will happen at the same time as delivering a better service.

We will put 32 extra police officers on the streets of Wiltshire, in addition to the new Uplift officers. We should have 1,189 police officers by the end of March this year – the highest number for quite some time.

I am constantly speaking to our local MPs and government ministers about the funding formula. We need a fairer system which provides our police force with the investment equal to forces similar to ours.

By raising the precept, we can show we are playing our part in funding our police force and this puts us in a stronger position.

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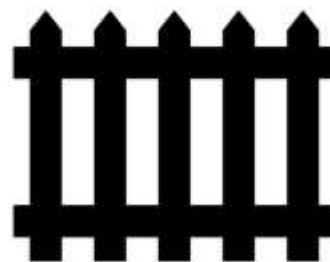
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Bishopstone Village Website

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The village website carries a wealth of information about Bishopstone. There are pages devoted to the church, the Parish Council, what's on at the Village Hall, meetings, clubs, local organisations and village walks. There are even digital copies of this magazine.

If you want to have any information included on the website please contact either

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Letters to the Editor

Letters to STaB are very welcome, but the views expressed may not be those of the editorial team or the Parish Church Council.



Thanks to Pat Abbott who has sent this lovely photo of a carpet of crocuses with a visiting bee. A common photographic theme this month as you can see from the magazine cover.

We are delighted to welcome Amber Cotton as a new contributor to STaB; we look forward to her delicious and nutritious recipes, the first one of which can be found on page 25 of this edition.

We also have a series of local walks planned for future issues, as planned and described by a local walker.

As ever, if you have an idea for something you'd like to contribute to STaB, please do get in touch. We love to hear from residents of the Parish (that's Stratford Tony as well as Bishopstone), and it's great to get some fresh content for *your* magazine.

Thanks as always to Chalkey D, James Thompson, and all the rest of our valued contributors.

Kate, Rob and Cally



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Services in Chalke Valley Benefice – March 2023



BCP = Book of Common Prayer (Traditional Language), CW = Common Worship (Contemporary Language)

During Lent, a short service of Communion will be held each Wednesday at 12noon:

1st March - St Mary's, Alvediston
 8th March - St Martin's, Fifield Bavant
 15th March - St John the Baptist, Bishopstone
 22nd March - St Mary's, Homington
 29th March - St Mary's, Odstock

5 March 2nd Sunday of Lent	9.30am	Family Communion (CW)	Broad Chalke	Kate Woolven
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Britford	Jenny Taylor
	11.00am	Family Communion (CW)	Ebbesbourne Wake	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Family Communion (CW)	Coombe Bissett	Jenny Taylor
	11.00am	Family Service (CW)	Odstock	Adrian Taylor
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Berwick St John	Lay Led
12 March 3rd Sunday of Lent	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW) followed by Annual Meetings	Bowerchalke	Jenny Taylor
	9.30am	Family Communion (CW)	Nunton	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Family Communion (CW)	Coombe Bissett	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Charlton All Saints	Rhoderick Voremberg
	11.00am	All Age Service	Alvediston	Biddy Trahair
	3.00pm	Evening Prayer (BCP)	Fifield Bavant	Biddy Trahair
19 March MOTHERING SUNDAY	9.30am	Mothering Sunday Service	Bowerchalke	Lay Led
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Bishopstone	Jenny Taylor
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Odstock	Ruth H-S
	9.45am	REFRESH!	Broad Chalke v Hall	Lay Led
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Ebbesbourne Wake	Biddy Trahair
	11.00am	Parish Communion (CW)	Homington	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Parish Communion (CW)	Berwick St John	Jenny Taylor
26 March 5th Sunday of Lent <i>Clocks go forward</i> 	9.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Berwick St John	Kate Rosslyn Smith
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Charlton All Saints	Archdeacon of Sarum
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Broad Chalke	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Family Service	Nunton	Adrian Taylor
	11.00am	Parish Communion (CW)	Bishopstone	Jenny Taylor
	11.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Alvediston	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Homington	Rhoderick Voremberg
	6.00pm	Evening Prayer (BCP)	Bowerchalke	Lay Led
2 April PALM SUNDAY 	9.30am	Family Communion (CW)	Broad Chalke	Jenny Taylor
	9.30am	Parish Communion (CW)	Britford	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Family Communion (CW)	Ebbesbourne Wake	Jenny Taylor
	11.00am	Family Communion (CW)	Coombe Bissett	Ruth H-S
	11.00am	Family Service (CW)	Odstock	Adrian Taylor
	11.00am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	Berwick St John	Lay Led
	11.00am	Morning Service	Bishopstone	Sally Leaver

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