

TINGEWICK AND DISTRICT NEWS

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A “Tidy Tingewick” working bee will
be held on **Sunday 6th June 2021**
and **Sunday 13th June 2021** .

Please join Tingewick Parish Council
to clean up Tingewick, meet other
locals and work together to
improve our beautiful village!

**Meeting in front of the Village Hall
at 9.30am**

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VILLAGE HALL NEWS

MAY 2021

VILLAGE HALL IMPROVEMENT FUND DRAW

Unfortunately due to problems associated with the current Covid-19 situation the Village Hall Management Committee has found it necessary to suspend the Village Hall Improvement Fund Draw until 2022.

Website: Find out more about the Village Hall by visiting our website – www.tingewickvillagehall.org

Booking the Village Hall:

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Contact Details:

If you have any questions or comments regarding the Village Hall please feel free to contact us.

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St Mary Magdalene Church Tingewick

Services for June around the Benefice

Sunday 6th June

9.30am at Shalstone - Morning Family Worship with Revd Paula

11.15am at Turweston - Holy Communion with Revd Paula

6.00pm at Westbury - Evening Prayer with Revd Paula

Sunday 13th June

10.30am at Biddlesden - Benefice Holy Communion with Revd Paula

Sunday 20th June

10.30am at Turweston - Village Worship with Margaret Tilley

10.30 am at Tingewick - Morning Family Worship with Revd Paula

12.30pm at Water Stratford - Pimms & Hymns – Lay Led

Sunday 27th June

9.30am at Tingewick - Holy Communion with Revd Paula

11.15am at Westbury - Morning Family Worship with Revd Paula

Church Opening

Although we are now able to hold services, it has been decided that the church will still be open every Sunday from 10am to 4pm for private prayer. Please use the hand sanitizer provided.

Food Bank

We are extremely grateful to everyone in the village who has supported our collection for the Buckingham Food Bank. We feel it is such a worthwhile cause, as the donations go to local families, that we plan to continue with this in the coming months. The boxes will remain in the church porch for any donations of non-perishable items that you can spare. The charity are always delighted to receive the goods, especially during these uncertain times. Please help us to help them. Thank you.

Flower rota for June: Helena Kewish

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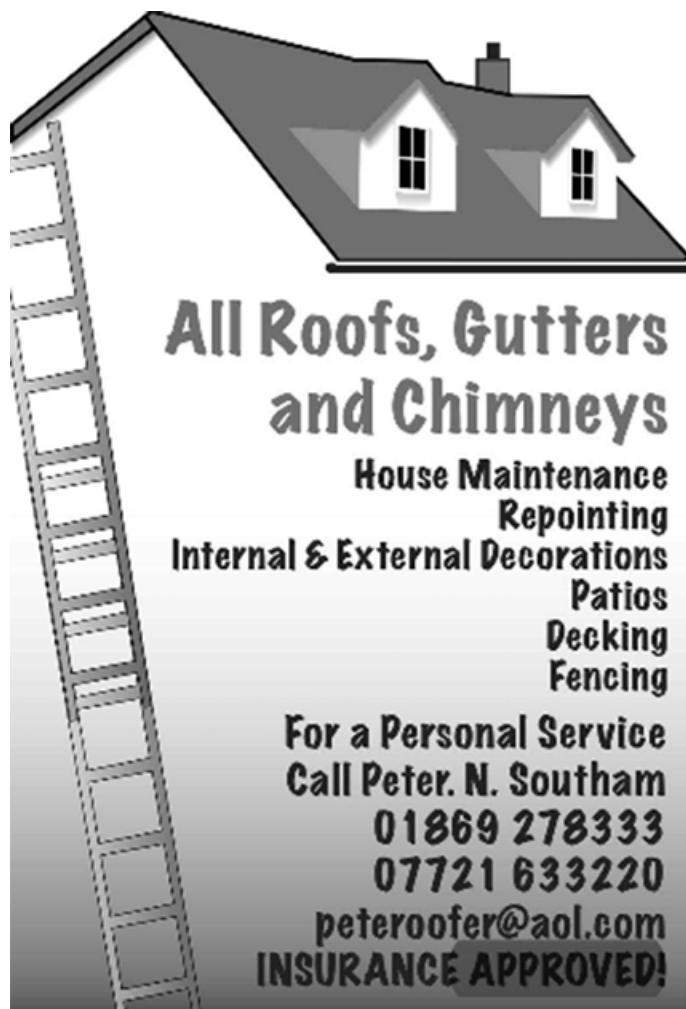
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June's "Find The Hidden Country" Quiz

1. After a rather turbulent flight, we had a nice landing!
2. During the war he was a trooper under constant pressure!
3. Even though we knew there were problems, we denied it!
4. The plate is 28 cm in diameter!
5. I am sure I spotted a toucan a day or two ago!
6. A pan, a man and a cook book!
7. The driver got his lunch in a motorway cafe!
8. Never raise your hand or raise your voice!
9. When I teach I learn also!
10. That my friend is one fine palace!

Answers to May's "Sporting Knights and Dames" quiz

1. Sir Clive Lloyd
2. Sir Jack Brabham
3. Dame Katherine Grainger (rowing)
4. Sir Henry Cooper
5. Sir Henry Cecil
6. Sir Chris Chataway (alongside Chris Brasher CBE)
7. Dame Ellen MacArthur
8. Sir Ian McGeechan
9. Dame Laura Davies
10. Sir Kenny Dalglish.

Tingewick & Water Stratford Horticultural Society



FRONT GARDEN COMPETITION

To Be Judged On The 8TH JUNE 2021 Starting At 10am

This competition is open to all in Tingewick & Water Stratford whether you are a member of the Society or not. It doesn't matter if your garden is large or small - all gardens are welcome! The gardens will be judged by Margaret Jones from Shelswell Garden Club.

To enter please contact
Amanda Abbotts on 01280 847302 before 6th June.



BACK GARDEN COMPETITION

**TO BE HELD MID-late JULY 2021
For all gardens in Tingewick and Water Stratford**

This is our most popular garden competition of the year so why not join in and show off your back garden? Plenty of time to dig, sow, prune, plant, mow, feed and generally get your garden ready. Let's see what you can achieve this year!

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News From Water Stratford

CHRISTINA HANCOCK (HARRY) 1960 – 2021

Villagers were shocked and saddened at the sudden untimely death of Harry. Some were privileged to join her live-streamed funeral, which took place at the church of St John the Evangelist, Radclive, where both Michael's parents are buried. The service was conducted by Revd Maurice Stanton-Saringer, who had officiated at the wedding of Michael and Harry at All Saints', Hillesden, and has often ministered to us in Water Stratford. It was a very moving occasion, with heart-felt tributes, a thoughtful sermon and prayers, and beautiful music.

Harry's warmth, smile and laughter will not be forgotten. She is remembered for her enjoyment of the life she shared with Michael, their love of dogs, golf, entertaining and holidays. Harry was an exceptionally talented golfer, winning prestigious competitions. She was highly valued as a colleague leading an HR team, and much loved as wife, daughter, sister and friend. We send sympathy to Michael, their family and friends, in their great and unexpected loss.

CHURCH SERVICES AND ROTA

There will be a Pimms and Hymns service at 12.30 pm on Sunday 20th June. This will be held in the churchyard, weather permitting, but if not in church. Sarah is responsible for flowers and Nicky and Suzanne for cleaning.

PLEASE NOTE THAT JULY'S LAMMAS SERVICE, previously announced for Sunday 18th, has been moved to Sunday 25th July at 6pm.

Sara Edwards

TINGEWICK AND WATER STRATFORD HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY



Horticultural Society

MAY 2021

*** TALKS and EVENTS Diary ***

Date	Time	Location	Event	Information	Contact
11 th May, Tuesday	7.30pm	ZOOM	TALK	Design Solutions to Small Gardens	See below
8 th June, Tuesday	10.00am	Your front garden	Competition	FRONT GARDEN COMPETITION , get prepared	Contact Amanda 01280 847302
8 th June, Tuesday	7.30pm	ZOOM	TALK	Beyond the Garden Gate - my guide to Cotswold gardens.	Justine -07897 480000
13 th July, Tuesday	10:00am	Your rear Garden	Competition	Back GARDEN COMPETITION , get prepared	Tingewick – Pat 01280 837764 Water Stratford Amanda 01280 847302
8 th August, Sunday	See below	See below	Coach Visit	RHS Hyde Hall for their summer show.	Jane Bradford
Later this year:				Gardeners Swap Day Cheese & Wine Evening Christmas Wreath Making	Jane Bradford

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Front garden competition – 8th June 2021

If you would like to enter, please contact Amanda 01280 847302. On the day the judge will view your front garden and give 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes.

Rear garden summer competition - 13th July 2021

If you would like to enter, please contact either Amanda 01280 847302 for gardens in Water Stratford or Pat Swinburne on 01280 837764 for gardens in Tingewick. On the day the judge (not open to the public) will give 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes in two categories:- with professional help and without professional help (with help excludes having your hedge or grass cut by someone else)

11th May Design Solutions to Small Gardens

May's speaker is Camilla Phelps. She trained as a garden designer and worked for the last 20 years, mainly in London, where she had plenty experience of small gardens. She is also a writer, writing regular magazine features on horticulture, gardens, and growing food, contributing to Gardens Illustrated, Amateur Gardening, House & Garden, The English Garden and The Edible Garden.

She will be talking about Design Solutions to Small Gardens. This will use some of the gardens she has designed to show what works and what does not work in small gardens as well as principles of design and things to consider when developing a garden.

Camilla has said that if anyone has a particular problem area then she would welcome a photograph and details beforehand and she will try to give some advice at the end of the talk. So if members want to send their photographs and details to jandcmitchell@waitrose.com she will forward them on to her.

Join on zoom 7.15pm for 7.30 pm. To access the Talk please email Jane on j.bradford834@btinternet.com

8th June Beyond the Garden Gate - my guide to Cotswold gardens

June's speaker is also Camilla Phelps who lives in the Cotswolds. She is a writer and editor of various magazines, with features on horticulture, gardens and growing food. Her talk is called;

Beyond the Garden Gate - my guide to Cotswold gardens. This is a look at around a dozen gardens and the stories behind their creation. Lots of pictures and ideas for place to visit hopefully.

8TH JUNE 2021 on zoom 7.15pm for 7.30 pm - Don't miss out – become a member – ring Justine on 07897 480000 for further information

Sunday 8th August Coach trip to RHS Hyde Hall Summer Show

After being cancelled in 2020, RHS Garden Hyde Hall Flower Show returns in August 2021.

Expect to be wowed by dazzling flower displays, informed by expert tips and demonstrations, and enjoy a mouth-watering array of food, all within the glorious surroundings of this Essex garden in full summer flow. The coach will leave from Tingewick Village Hall and Water Stratford (starting at approximately 8.15am in Tingewick - final times to be confirmed).

The cost is £20 for members of Tingewick and Water Stratford Horticultural Society and £22 for non-members

******* All bookings need to be made by 30th June *******

Please call Jane Bradford on 01280 848392 / 07495 529196 or email j.bradford834@btinternet.com if you would like to book a place.

General information contact: Charles Tanner - 01280 847680 Email: ctanner.pt@btinternet.com

PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

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