

Community Calendar

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| Aug | 14 | Sun | Broad Hinton Open Gardens <i>in aid of Prospect Hospice</i> |
| Aug | 29 | Mon | Tennis Tournament: from 10.00am |
| Sept | 3 | Sat | Broad Hinton & Uffcott Village Fete: Old Vicarage |
| Set | 10 | Sat | Ride & Stride for Wiltshire |
| Sept | 10 | Sat | Blackheart: VH 7.30pm for 8pm |
| Sept | 18 | Sun | Hackpen Hill Trail Run |
| Oct | 1 | Sat | Harvest Supper: VH 7.00pm for 7.30pm |
| Oct | 2 | Sun | Winterbourne Bassett Harvest Lunch: |
| Nov | 12 | Sat | Indian Banquet: VH |

Happy Birthday to:



**Scarlet Bradney-Bournes, Harry Dean,
Lucy Ferneley, Georgina Hughes,
Ella Jackson-Keeping, Rio Mizuno,
and India Roche who all celebrate their birthdays
in August**

Waste & Recycling collection days for August

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| Tues | 2 | Household waste (black bin) |
| Tues | 9 | Plastic & Cardboard (blue bin) and Recycling (black box) |
| Thur | 11 | Garden waste (green bin) |
| Tues | 16 | Household waste (black bin) |
| Tues | 23 | Plastic & Cardboard (blue bin) and Recycling (black box) |
| Thur | 25 | Garden waste (green bin) |
| Tues | 30 | Household waste (black bin) |

The copy date for September 2016 will be

20th August 2016

Please email copy to Dawn May at 3villageslocalnews@gmail.com, phone 739130 or send to 35 Winterbourne Bassett.

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Tennis Tournament

This year Broad Hinton's much enjoyed annual Tennis Tournament will be held on August Bank Holiday Monday, August 29th. Put it in your diaries now.

As usual, everyone 10 and over is welcome to play. Nick and I will determine rankings, based on your last performance or on what you tell us (be careful what you say!), and we will put together pairs where, as far as possible, each pair is of roughly equal ability – not with one another, but with all other pairs. The cost for players will be £8 for adults and £5 for children. Gates open at 10am, and play starts prompt at 10.30. Bacon butties will be served for breakfast, along with coffee and tea, there will be a barbecue lunch and then cream teas in the afternoon; as usual, the bar will be open all day. Spectators always have enormous fun, and are very welcome indeed.

If you want to sign up as a player, please ring Sally Cartwright on 01793 731050, or email me at sally.cartwright@broadhinton.org.uk.

If you are suddenly struck by the thought that your tennis could do with a little improvement, don't forget the Broad Hinton Tennis Club, and then you can use the Marlborough Kidge tennis court to practice. There's a £10 annual 'membership' fee (£25 for a family of four), and after that it's just £2 a head each time you play. All the takings go towards the Village Hall. If you want to do this, then just contact Sally as above.

The Tennis Tournament is a village institution, and truly is fun for all ages (if the weather is right, then there's swimming available in the afternoon under parental supervision). Come along and have a good time.

Sally Cartwright

LISTEN UP, DOGS !

BRING YOUR OWNERS TO THE FÊTE

Saturday, 3th September, from Noon

At The Old Vicarage (by the Church).

Explain that you want to take part in the Dog Show at 2 pm

Make sure they bring your lead.

Tell them that there are prizes to be won but, more than anything, it will be fun.

Any questions: Call Jennifer on 731333.

Broad Hinton & Uffcott Village Fête

3rd September from Noon

FORM A TEAM for the FUN EVENTS !

Have you thought about forming a team to take part in the multi-activity (but fun) competition at the Fête on 3rd September? You can sign up on the day but why not register now?

We are inviting teams of 4 (any age, male or female) to have a go at darts, splat-the-rat, coconut shy, skittles, mini-golf etc. Entry fee £6 per team . . . in other words, for £1.50p, each player gets to play 6 activities that would cost individuals £3. Prizes for the winners!

So. . . . Fortunes Field, Pitchens End, Gardening Club, Youth Club, The Crown Regulars, Cricket Club, Ridgeway Ladies, Primary School, families or just groups of friends. . . .

. . . let's be hearing from you.

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Open Gardens

**Sunday 14 August 2016, 2 - 5pm
Broad Hinton, Swindon, SN4 9RH**

5 diverse gardens in this picturesque Downland village are being opened to the public.

Park at the Church and buy your ticket from the village hall and experience the gardens on foot. The gardens are all within easy reach of each other. Refreshments including tea, coffee and squash as well as home made cakes and cream tea, will be available in the village hall.

Tickets are **£4** per adult for entry to all gardens.

Upholstery Leisure classes in Winterbourne Monkton

Sue Blow Chairs will be running a series of two day upholstery workshops throughout August. There will also be the option of four and five day programmes depending on demand.

Fees: £80 per day; (materials extra) **9.30am – 4.30pm**

Numbers will be limited to 4 students. Individual tuition by arrangement. Some tools and materials will be available to borrow. The workshops will focus on traditional upholstery techniques. These use fibre and hair and you will learn how to rebuild your chair, seat or stool from the bare frame.

The workshops will not be suitable for larger items such as Parker Knoll style chairs or sofas as we do not have room.

Workshop dates:

Aug: 1-2; 3-4; 8-9; 10-11; 15-16; 17-19; 22-23; 25-25. Note that some of these two day sessions may be run back to back as four day programmes.

Courses will be held at a private workshop in Winterbourne Monkton.
Evening courses starting in September. Please enquire for details.

Contact details: Sue Blow 01672 539 689 sue.blow@susanblow.co.uk



You are cordially invited to partake of **Harvest Supper** on **Saturday 1st October** in the **Village Hall** at 7.00 for 7.30 pm.

Supper will consist of a home-cooked main course and dessert followed by cheese and biscuits and coffee. There will be a donations bar.

Tickets will be available from Jenni Moseling (731629) and they will be on sale at the **Village Fete on Saturday 3rd September** at the **bargain** price of £7 per person, £19 for a family of 3, £25 for a family of 4. **Everybody is welcome.**



Ride and Stride for Wiltshire Churches

On **Saturday 10 Sept** you may well see individual or teams of cyclists or walkers puffing around the county in aid of **Wiltshire Churches**. They visit the

churches and get their paperwork signed and get sponsors. If you are able to help with meeting and greeting these brave souls and welcoming them with a drink and something to eat please ring Jenni on 731629 and volunteer to be in the church for a short while on that day. Thank you very much in advance.

Broad Hinton Post Office and Stores

For the past 6½ years Broad Hinton Post Office and Stores has been run by Dave, Sasha, Nicola, Tiffany, Bree and Eileen. They have always been friendly, kind and efficient but have struggled because their business has not been as strongly supported by us villagers as it deserved to be.

They will be much missed and everyone will wish to thank them warmly for all their efforts and wish them every success and happiness in whatever they do next.

The good news is that Paul and Jeannie McLeod, as owners of the premises, have decided to seek to continue the business. This is a decision not without risk to themselves but taken because they want to try and keep the facility of a local shop in Broad Hinton. They will assess its viability after a year.

The Post Office element – to the surprise of many of us – has not been profitable and has now had to be discontinued, despite the valiant efforts of Paul and Jeannie to retain it.

The nearest Post Offices for us now are in the Co-op Stores, High Street, Wroughton or in the High Street, Royal Wootton Bassett. This presents a difficulty for those of our older citizens, who don't have cars and want to draw their pension in cash. Some of us are trying to work out a solution to that problem.

The shop's new team started on 1 July. Paul's sister Caroline, after initial help from Jeannie, is running the shop. With the removal of the Post Office section, there is more room for shop goods and we look forward to seeing what will now be on offer.

If you have any ideas about what could be stocked that you would regularly buy, please tell Caroline. Let's all get behind the new team and ensure that, when the business review comes up in a year's time, Paul and Jeannie will want to continue to keep the shop open.

John Hutchings

NB Please note that the new phone number for the shop is 731800

SAFARI SUPPER

Thank you to everyone who attended Safari Supper. Together we raised over £1,300 for charity. Well done everyone, we hope you enjoyed the evening.

Thanks particularly to our starter and main course hosts and pudding makers, the event wouldn't happen without you.

Thanks once again for your generosity and please let us know if you're willing to host next time.

Best wishes

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WHITE HORSE GARDEN CLUB

On Wednesday 13th July, 9 intrepid souls braved the rain and made a trip to Westonbirt Arboretum. The primary objective was to view the newly constructed STIHL Treetop Walkway. This wooden structure (what else in an arboretum!) is 300 metres long, has 20 pairs of wooden supporting legs and reaches a maximum height of 13 metres. It snakes its way through the tree tops and affords wonderful views of the Silk Wood, the eastern part of the arboretum. Along the walkway, which can be accessed by virtually everyone from able-bodied to wheel-chair or scooter users, are 7 interactive sites. These contain all sorts of "tree facts" from which is the tallest tree (Sequoia to you and me) to which trees are used in the perfume industry (Cedars). Also, there is a part of the walkway covered only in mesh (very strong metallic mesh!) so you feel as though you are walking in mid-air. Very odd and it certainly slows you down!!

For the more adventurous there is a "crows-nest" observation point, reached by a stair case but seemingly suspended in mid-air once you arrive at the platform. And yes when the wind blows it moves!! A second viewing point is accessed by a rope bridge, wobbly but not off-puttingly wobbly!! All too soon we had reached the end of the walk-way as it gently descended to the ground to an area displaying woodland management techniques such as coppicing and charcoal burning. It rained whilst we were in the trees but we were completely sheltered by their canopy and hardly noticed. From there we explored the Japanese Acer glade and the delinquent pensioners amongst us returned (briefly) to their childhood and attempted some tree climbing.

No injuries were reported but there is photographic evidence of their exploits! I would urge anyone with a love of trees, architecture, engineering, the out-doors and or grand-children to visit the STIHL Walkway. We had a thoroughly enjoyable time.

COME TO THE FÊTE and SOAK THE VICAR !

Chuck Soggy Sponges at Reverend Maria

She Loves It! You'll Love It!!

COME TO THE FÊTE

3rd SEPTEMBER from Noon
At The Old Vicarage Behind the Church

Night Must Fall

For their Summer production BHADS chose this 1935 play, written by Emyln Williams to give himself a lead role as Dan, a psychopathic murderer. The play, so well acted by everyone, lived up to its billing as a psychological thriller. But what was really going on? That's been debated by cast members and the audience for days after the performance. The programme helpfully defined a psychopath as "a person with a psychopathic personality disorder which manifests as amoral and antisocial behaviour, lack of ability to love, empathise or establish meaningful personal relationships, extreme egocentricity, inflated sense of self worth, failure to learn from experience etc". That sums up Dan very well.

But what about Olivia, the niece? Did she suffer from a form of Stockholm Syndrome, a term for terror bonding most associated with Patty Hearst, the kidnapped Californian heiress who developed sympathy with her captors, joined them in a robbery and was sent to prison. Another example was Natascha Kampusch - kidnapped as a 10-year-old, held in a basement for eight years, she cried when her captor died and lit a candle for him. Olivia certainly terror bonded with Dan, shifting from extreme dislike to protecting him, stopping the police from opening the hat box which contained a woman's head – surely she should have been prosecuted for an act which allowed another murder to be committed?

The prologue, delivered by the Lord Chief Justice (Roy Oakshott) in the Court of Criminal Appeal, told us that a young man had been convicted of two murders and that his behaviour in the witness box had been scandalous. But the LCJ noted that, nevertheless, the murderer's sanity hadn't been called into question, the facts were clear and so the conviction stood. But was Dan insane? At the end of the play he talks to himself in a mirror... He has previously told Olivia that nothing in the world troubles him except "a pair of eyes staring at [him]". Now it's clear that the "eyes" that torment him are his own empty eyes.

The play was set in the home of Mrs Bramson (Sally Cartwright), who made herself an instant favourite for a murder victim - a bitter, complaining, elderly woman in a wheelchair, living in remote Essex woods with her subdued niece, Olivia (Marilyn Martin), whom she treats as a servant, and thoroughly disliked not just by Olivia but also by her young maid Dora (Sarah Kromer), by her cook Mrs Terrence (Christine Lawrence) and by her nurse (Jenni Moseling). Enter Inspector Belsize (Jerry Marshall), investigating the disappearance of Mrs Chalfont, a guest of dubious character at The Tallboys hotel, last seen walking in the direction of Mrs B's house, which is why police are searching the woods. Dan (Nick Moakes), a Tallboys page boy, is summoned to Mrs B because he has got her maid pregnant. He immediately charms her, she forgets about Dora's pregnancy and takes him on as her carer.

Olivia, however, isn't taken in by Dan; she feels that he is putting on an act and lying to hide something sinister. Fearing that he is a murderer she, the servants and her boring suitor Hubert (Paul Thomas), go through Dan's things, finding a photo of the missing woman.

From now on, the play centres as much on Olivia as on Dan. Why doesn't she call the police about the photo? It seems that she has become fascinated/infatuated with him. Alone with Dan, she gets him to admit he's been acting for so long that he doesn't remember what he was "really" like. Olivia goes on to say her diagnosis of Dan would be that he has "no feelings at all". At this point, Mrs Chalfont's headless body, is found in Mrs B's rubbish tip and gruesome newspaper coverage soon follows.

Olivia continues her attempt to find out the truth about Dan – this time he is drunk and readier to open up. When Olivia says that she could kill Mrs B, Dan tells her that she couldn't – not many people have it in them to kill. The Inspector arrives, wanting to check Dan's luggage. Clearly suspecting that Mrs C's head is in the locked hat box, Olivia claims that his box is hers, stopping it from being opened.

That evening Olivia, too frightened to stay overnight once the servants have gone, sets off for Hubert's house. Dan goes out, leaving Mrs B alone and terrified. She screams for Dan, he returns (looking murderous behind her back) to get her ready for bed, then smothers her, steals the money and prepares to burn the house down. Astonishingly, Olivia then rushes back in, discovering Mrs B's body. She tells Dan she had to find out the truth about him. Dan, with great perspicacity, tells her that she has left her coat of moral respectability in the wood. He is clearly about to kill her, but sees a flashlight outside. When the Inspector arrives, Olivia tries to implicate herself in the crime, but Dan will not let her, confessing that it was all his own work. Then he grabs Olivia and passionately kisses her as he is dragged away, promising that, although he will be hanged in the end, everyone would get their money's worth at the trial.

It's a great shame that ticket sales weren't better for this fascinating production, which showed BHADS at its very best. Nick Moakes was outstanding, as was Marilyn Martin – her best performance yet. And Sally Cartwright mixed Mrs B's moods – malevolent, flirtatious and terrified by turn – with great skill.

Village Fete – Dog Show

There is once again going to be a dog show at the village fete, this really means a 'dog owners' show

So all dogs, can I ask you to give your owners a brush up in preparation and perfect any new tricks that you have taught them to be spot on for the day!!

There is no need to register beforehand, just turn up on the day with your master or mistress on a lead with all their finery and on their best behaviour.

Our very experienced judges will once again be in attendance and looking critically at obedience and wellness of your owner, so plenty of time for training for the big day on Saturday 3rd September.

Woof Woof!!!!

Sue Blow Chairs

Traditional Upholstery Workshops

2 day courses in August

Evening classes September

Winterbourne Monkton

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BROAD HINTON & UFFCOTT

VILLAGE FETE

At The Old Vicarage

SATURDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER

12 NOON

Come and join in the fun, admission is free and there are lots of things to enjoy.

Bar-b-q & Bar

Childrens' and adults' activities and team games.

Raffle with many fantastic prizes

Skittles - Target Golf - Bottle Stall

Cake & Tea/Coffee stalls

Coconut Shy

Splat the Rat

Computer Games

Dog Show (see ad)

Music & Entertainment + Lots more

Winterbourne Bassett HARVEST LUNCH

on
Sunday, 2nd October 2016
in
The Studio at The Manor

preceded by

A Harvest Service of Celebration and Thanksgiving
in St Katherine & St Peter's at 11.15 a.m.



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VILLAGE HALL

AUGUST NEWS



Blackheart Saturday 10th September

The beautifully melodic duo Blackheart return to BHVH in September, tickets are now on sale, see full page advert elsewhere for details.

Indian Banquet Saturday 12th November

Don't forget to save the date for the Indian Banquet, more details to follow.

Easy Fund Raising

It's a great way to raise money for the village hall online and it doesn't cost you a penny. There are no charges to you and the hall benefits from donations from the retailer. So far XX supporters have raised over £XXX through shopping. To sign up – go to www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/broadhintonvillagehall.

Hiring the hall

- *For a party or wedding reception*, hire the hall and meeting room, all day and evening for only £150.
 - *We accommodate arts, craft and fitness classes too.* The main hall or the meeting room for a couple of hours during the day or evening costs £18.
 - *For a large meeting or conference*, businesses can hire the main hall for three hours during the day for only £54. It holds at least 120 theatre style and 100 at dining tables.
 - *For smaller numbers, the separate meeting room* is a great option. It seats 36 theatre style, 20 boardroom style. Businesses can hire for two hours during the day for £24.
- Marilyn Martin hallbookings@broadhinton.org.uk or 731521.

300 Club Winners

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| £50 | 43 | Clare Malcom |
| £25 | 167 | James Gates |
| £20 | 156 | Steve Cutler |
| £20 | 14 | Sue Robinson |
| £10 | 65 | John Hutchings |



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BROAD HINTON CHURCH BUILDING TRUST

The Trustees would like to thank everybody who made a donation at the Trust gift day Saturday June 18th 2016

A Grand Total of £ 739.00P was raised .

Once again thank you for the support. The Trustees sole aim is to keep our beautiful church and grounds in good order for all to enjoy.

The result of the raffle as follows:

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| Digital CD/Radio | Jo Mc Combe |
| Champagne | Chris Horan, Frances Followell, Mark Wightman |
| Bottle Whiskey | Brian Weaver |
| Bottle Cognac | Marilyn Martin |
| Luxury Food Hamper | Eileen Smith |
| Bottles Wine | Lin Butler, Ian Pillinger, John Hutchings |

Blackheart

**Saturday 10th
September**



Imagine *The Corrs*

Add a dash of *Kate Bush*

Throw in a little *All About Eve*

This is Blackheart's sound, returning to BHVH for the fourth time

Doors open 7.30pm band starts 8pm.

Fully licensed bar.

Tickets £10 from James Gates 731197

jamesgates@btinternet.com

View from the Rectory

It is strange to think of the first of August as being the start of autumn but as the combiners appear on our roads and in the fields we are reminded that Harvest tide is upon us. In Ireland our harvest celebrations were not held in September but marked instead in church and outside with the ancient festival of Lughnasadh (Lune-a-sah), widely observed throughout Ireland, Scotland and the Isle of Man. Originally it was held on 1st August, or about halfway between the summer solstice and autumn equinox and the Sunday closest to each from early Christian times onwards as a major part of the Celtic year. It corresponds to other festivals such as the Welsh Gŵyl Awst and the English Lammas.

Lughnasadh is mentioned in some of the earliest Irish literature and the festival itself is named after the god Lugh. It involved great gatherings that included religious ceremonies, ritual athletic contests (most notably the Tailteann Games), feasting, matchmaking and trading. There were also visits to holy wells. According to folklorist Máire MacNeill, evidence shows that the religious rites included an offering of the first of the corn, a feast of the new food and of bilberries, the sacrifice of a bull and a ritual dance-play. Much of this would have taken place on top of hills and mountains.

I remember such celebrations growing up, even in Dublin, and in the west of Ireland the keeping of St John's Eve on July 23rd began a period of celebration, storytelling, prayers and thanksgiving to God who watered the earth and gave sunshine for the plants.

Lughnasadh customs persisted widely until the 20th century under a variety of names. The custom of climbing hills and mountains at Lughnasadh has survived in some areas, including Ireland, where it is best known as 'Reek Sunday' pilgrimage to the top of Croagh Patrick (called the Reek) on the last Sunday in July. Pilgrims walk barefoot and approach the top on their knees (not for the faint hearted!) while the donkeys used to transport supplies of tea and coffee to the top come up the back route across softer bogs. Having done both routes I recommend the latter - not only to save wear and tear on the feet and knees but to experience a more contemplative spiritual journey in prayer.

In Irish mythology, the Lughnasadh festival is said to have been begun by the god Lugh as a funeral feast and athletic competition in commemoration of his mother Tailtiu. She was said to have died of exhaustion after clearing the plains of Ireland for agriculture. The funeral games in her honour were called the Aonach Tailteann and were held at Tailtin in what is now County Meath. Similar to the ancient Olympic Games it included ritual athletic and sporting contests. The event also involved trading, the drawing-up of contracts, and matchmaking.

It was a holiday period, a time of celebration, the joy of the harvesting of the first fruits of the season of sowing and planting. For women it began the season of gathering, preserving, drying and making of stores for the winter, including medicines and dyes for the long winter months ahead. It was a time when every ounce of daylight was used productively and well, and when it was good to take time to appreciate the yield, and make the most of the fine days, spending time with those close to you in family and community.

I wonder if we have lost touch somehow with these basic joys and become over dependent on endless shelves of goods in our big supermarkets without thinking of the toil or labour that has gone before, or the satisfaction experienced by growing, preserving and making our own stores for the winter. It seems we are so time-poor these days that we are in danger of losing sight of the best of the past and becoming out of touch with being grateful for the harvest, the long days and the old skills.

As families start holidays and the roads fill with cars and campers and caravans so too do our farmers send out the modern reapers gathering in that which will feed us in the days ahead. As we trundle along impatiently behind them perhaps we could remember with gratitude their labour and give thanks. For your BEER begins here, your BREAD begins here - with the land and the farmer.

Rev'd Maria Shepherdson

Upper Kennet Churches - August Services

During August we have just one service on Sundays at one of our churches in the Benefice. All these 'combined churches' services are at 10.30 am and include Holy Communion.

Sunday 7th August

Winterbourne Monkton

Sunday 14th August

East Kennett

Sunday 21st August

Fyfield

Sunday 28th August

Broad Hinton

If anyone would like a lift please let one of the churchwardens know.

Upper Kennet Benefice CONFIRMATIONS 2016

**The Rt Rev'd Bishop Edward Condry, Bishop of Ramsbury,
will confirm candidates from the Upper Kennet Churches
on Sunday 6th November 2016
at Winterbourne Bassett Church
at the 11.15 am service
followed by a bring and share lunch.**

Should anyone else wish to be confirmed please contact

Reverend Maria Shepherdson on 01672 539643 as soon as possible

UPPER KENNET CHURCHES

Bite-sized Learning Autumn 2016

ALL WELCOME – to ONE or ALL sessions

‘Justice, Persecution, Forgotten Places’

3 Places, 3 Perspectives – One Hope?

Session 1 Vietnam

History is written by the Victors?

THURSDAY 29th September

St James’ Church Avebury

7.30 - 9pm. Refreshments from 7pm

You've seen Miss Saigon or watched Apocalypse Now or Hamburger Hill? But what do you actually know about Vietnam, then and now? Tim and Rose Pearce recently drove a Vietnam war-era Jeep through Vietnam and made some surprising discoveries. Come and explore this ‘forgotten’ war from the perspective of the Vietnamese and through the eyes of members of our community. Where do we see hope today arising from the conflicts of the past?

Volunteer Communications Co-ordinator required

Are you good at design, publicity and advertising?

If so, may we earmark an hour or so of your valuable time each week to co-ordinate promotion etc. in the form of posters, leaflets, web site, and social media (where applicable) covering events at our seven churches?

We would plan to identify one person from each church to act as your liaison officer providing you with details of events, services etc. from which to design the appropriate format – the printing would be handled by the church office.

Please contact Anne or Ray at the church office at Lockeridge – telephone 01672 861786.

Upper Kennet Churches Benefice Council

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