

Barby and Onley Village Newsletter June 2019

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ST MARY'S CHURCH FETE

SUNDAY 16RD JUNE 1.00PM

BARBY PLAY AREA

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BBQ (from 1.00pm) with all the usual stalls and plenty of food & drink & Beer Tent. This year featuring a Taekwondo Demo, Shopkins Trailer, Family Fun Races and Grand Raffle



Strawberry & Wine Evening with The Friday Singers

Saturday 29th June. 6.30pm for 7pm

St Mary's Church, Barby

Tickets £6 (to include glass of wine and bowl of strawberries)
available from Jan (01788 891968) or Chris (01788 890963)



Sunday June 9th
10.00am to 2.00pm

This year's Village Garage Sale will take place on Sunday 9th June from 10.00am to 2.00pm.

To book your place on the Garage Sale map or if you have anything to donate for the raffle or need more information then contact Karen (01788 891299).

Parish Council News (From the Parish Clerk 01788 891184)

The next meeting of Barby & Onley Parish Council will take place on **MONDAY 10th JUNE 2019 at 7.30pm** in **ONLEY** Village Hall, Onley Park CV23 8AW. Parishioners are welcome to attend, and the first 20 minutes of the meeting will be open for public participation, so if you have a concern which you would like to make the Parish Councillors aware of, then come along and let them know about it. It may not be possible to provide an answer immediately, but the matter can be put on the agenda for the following meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the Parish Council was held on 13th May 2019 and Councillor Dawn Cotton was elected as Chairman with Councillor Paul Reynolds as Vice-Chairman. Councillor Cliff Jones is going to act as the Parish Council representative on Barby Village Hall committee, and liaison between Barby Sports Field Users and the Parish Council. Councillors Catherine Lomax and Brian O'Reilly are going to act as representatives on Onley Park Village Hall committee.

Councillor Brian O'Reilly has volunteered to attend regular meetings with the Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner and Councillor Nigel Gove will continue to keep a close eye on the Council accounts and act as Internal Financial Controller.

Although our Councillors have completed 4 years in post, which is normally a full term, the Parish Council elections have been postponed for a year due to the uncertainty surrounding the change to a unitary authority, so we expect that there will be an election for parish council seats in 2020.

Government says yes to two unitary councils for Northamptonshire.

Two brand new unitary councils will be established in Northamptonshire on 1st April 2021. The West Northamptonshire unitary covering Daventry District, Northampton and South Northamptonshire and the North Northamptonshire unitary covering Corby, East Northants, Kettering and Wellingborough. The existing district and borough councils and Northamptonshire County Council will all be abolished. The Secretary of State, James Brokenshire, has reviewed all the evidence and representations, has decided that replacing the 8 councils with 2 unitary authorities is in the best interests of Northamptonshire residents. Elections to the shadow authorities will be held in May 2020, with those newly elected councillors working with officers to design and implement the new councils ahead of April 2021. Shadow executives for the unitary authorities will be selected from those elected and they will determine the structure, budget and service delivery models for the new councils. Services which are currently divided between the district, borough and county councils, such as bin collections, waste disposal, planning and roads, will be brought together under each of the unitary councils.

PARKING - Please can people be careful not to park on pavements as it makes it difficult for parents with small children in pushchairs to pass.

DOG FOULING – Please continue to clean up after your dogs, and **DO NOT** hang bags of dog poo on trees, even if you do mean to come back and collect it later. Remember that dogs are **not** allowed in the Allotments, Play Area, Sports field or Millennium Orchard. Thank you. **DO NOT take your Dog to the Village Fete in Barby Play Area on 16th June.**

Flying of Drones – Owners of drones are reminded that the current Civil Aviation Authority rules state that consumer drones (those weighing under 20kg) must be flown **no higher than 400 feet** (120 metres) **and be kept at least 50 metres away from people and private property.**

June Fitness Classes in Barby

- **OUTDOOR SUMMER BOOT CAMP** for fitness & weight loss. In Barby playing field
For men & women - Wednesday 6-7pm
- **YIN YOGA** for relaxation, health & wellbeing. In Barby village hall. Please Bring a yoga mat
For men & women - Thursday 6-7.15pm

Tel/Text – 07932733111

Email – jennycregg7@gmail.com

Clubs and Societies

Barby Cubs & Beavers are for boys aged 6 -10 years old, meeting on a Thursday between 6.00pm and 7.30pm. Contact Andy on 07834 592123 for more information or to place your son on the waiting list.

St Mary's Church Barby - The Church Fete will take place this year on Sunday June 16th - thank you to new volunteers. As it is also Father's Day, please bring all fathers along to enjoy a burger and beer and all the fun of the fete. This year we would like to showcase Barby arts and crafts. Volunteers will be collecting for the Bottle and Cake Stalls in the week before the Fete. Any help on the day will be appreciated. Help getting out stalls and putting them away is always welcome.

Advance Notice – There will be a **Piano Recital** in aid of the Roof Fund in St Mary's Church on Saturday 13th July by the renowned French pianist Patrick Hemmerlé. Tickets (£15, concessions £10, children free) available from Ros Atchison (01788 890777). <https://patrickhemmerle.com/concerts-2019/>

Barby Twinning Association - Visit from our twinned village, Vulaines sur Seine to Barby from Friday June 7th to Monday June 10th. We welcome anyone (especially families) from the Barby and Daventry area interested in forming lasting friendships with people from Vulaines near Fontainebleau in France. For more information contact Christine on 01788 522865.

Barby Pre-School – In Barby Village Hall all day Monday to Friday from 9.00am to 3.00pm. Contact Debbie on 07789 428463 or info@barbypreschool.co.uk.

Barby Gardening Club – If anyone has any spare plants that would be suitable for sale at the Church Fete on 16th June, please contact Sue Hives (01788 890682) or Bernard Scott (01788 890635) or bring them along on morning of the Church Fete. If you have any gardening tools, decorative plant containers or gardening books that could be sold at the plant stall please contact Bernard.

Advance notice of classes for the Annual Produce Show on September 8th.

Photographic classes: - Adult 1. Patterns, 2. Landscape;

12-16 years old – Boats or Ships; Under 12yrs – Pets.

Handicrafts: - Adults – 1. A knitted or crochet item; 2. A needlework item (using stitches), 3. A textile item (using fabric/felt etc.)

Children 12-16 years old A bug hotel; 6 to 11years An animal made from vegetables/fruit; Under 6 years Colour the picture (see the show schedule

Cookery classes – 1. A jar of fruit jelly; 2. Jar of Jam, 3. A Jar of Chutney or Pickle. Chutney must be made at least 3 months before the date of the show.

Evergreen Club – Our next meetings will be on Wednesdays 12th and 26th June. 2.00pm to 4.00pm in Barby Village Hall. New members are always welcome.

Barby Church Trust (charity no 277482) - “**Taps & Toilet 100 Club**”. The lucky May 100 Club "Taps and Toilet" winner was Richard Treen with no 36 who won £80. The June draw will take place during the Barby Church Fete on Sunday June 16th. Anyone wishing to join the ‘Taps & Toilet’ 100 club please give Chris a call on 01788 890963.

Thank you to everyone who has come along to the "Breakfast Café", we will be closed for the summer months and will restart on Sunday 15th September. Due to the increase in the Village Hall rent we shall have to slightly increase our menu prices. Since the Café opened in September 2017, we have raised a total of £3,286 for the Trusts Taps and Toilets fund.

The 2019 AGM of Barby Church Trust will take place on Sunday 23rd June at 7.00pm in St Mary’s Church.

Barby Cricket Club – Barby Cricket Club 100 Club winners in the April draw were: C. Slassor - £80; D. Ibbetson - £50; R. Smith - £40.

Badminton – If you are interested in playing Badminton then please join us on Wednesdays at 8.00pm in the Village Hall. All standards welcome.

Barby Mums and Tots Group – We meet in Barby Village Hall on Wednesday mornings during term time from 9.15am to 11.15am. Cost £2 including a drink and refreshments. For more information, contact Nikki (07712 579212)

Barby Local History Group <http://www.barbylhg.org.uk> - In May we had a very interesting talk on the weaving trade in Northamptonshire, which flourished in the 18th century but had practically died out by 1800 due to the growing popularity of cotton. In the 1777 Militia List for Barby 15 men were involved in weaving, the rest of the 54 named were mostly labourers, farmers and servants. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 12th June at 7.45pm in the Village Hall when our member Gill Mason will share her research on the Cowley Family of Kilsby. Visitors are most welcome.

New Age Kurling – Monday afternoons 2.00pm to 4.00pm in Barby Village Hall. £2.50, which includes equipment, tea and biscuits. All welcome.

WI – At our last meeting we discussed the two resolutions being taken to our AGM which is being held in Bournemouth. We agreed for our delegate to give our vote for " A call against the decline in the local bus service" (very important to us here in Barby). The second "Don't Fear the Smear" after much discussion did not receive our vote. Our next meeting Tuesday June 11th in the "Old School Room" Ruth Thomas will tell us about "Northampton Castle". We wish member Elizabeth Bryan much luck as she walks the " The Great Wall of China" in aid of Myton Hospice. We look forward to our Boules and BBQ evening on 1st July, trip to Tutbury Castle on 18th June and our summer meal in August.

Barby Townlands & Educational Charity – At the May Trustees meeting the following grants were approved:

- About ten Young Person's Grants (£100 each)
- £155.95 awarded to Barby Pre-School for Easy Cars ICT equipment
- £399 awarded to Barby CE Primary School for an African Workshop
- £400 awarded to Barby CE Primary School for a wheelchair & disability training workshop.
- £450 awarded to Barby CE Primary School for a new, portable drum kit.
- £285 awarded to Barby Church Fete team for inflatable hire and raffle ticket costs.
- £398 awarded to Evergreens for coach trip to Melton Mowbray
- £100 awarded to the Gardening Club towards Produce Show expenses.
- £1,500 awarded to Barby Cricket Club towards the costs of scarifying the field.

There are some **vacant allotments** in the centre of Barby which are available to rent. A full allotment costs £22 per year. Smaller plots are available, should that be more suitable. Please apply by contacting Sally Robbins on 07501 7764 362, or Sally.robbinspcp@gmail.com.

Young Persons Grant - In 2018 we started a Young Person's Grant for all children aged between 16 and 19 living in Barby and Onley. The grant is £100 per person. All you need to do is to write a letter to the trustees explaining how you would spend the money - it could be on absolutely anything. Post your letter to 11 Castle Mound, Barby or email catsabine@outlook.com.

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Other News

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Reflexologist - fully qualified, insured and registered. Ladies only. www.suewattsreflexology.co.uk Tel 01788 891103 / 07533 057625

Need help walking your dog? Need a caring person to look after your animals when you are on holiday or at work? Then call Emily on 07905097605 or email emily@archerfurniture.co.uk

Warwickshire Open Studios - 15th to 30th June - Visit online at www.wostudios.org. Free admission to 151 venues around Warwickshire with over 300 artists exhibiting. Your chance to chat to artists-watch demonstrations-discover work in progress and maybe at some venues, the chance to have a go yourself. Cleves Garden & Studio dates are **Saturday's** 15th, 22nd, 29th June 12 noon until 5 pm; **Sunday's** 16th; & 23rd; 30th June 12 noon until 5 pm. A variety of work to suit all tastes, warm greeting on arrival; refreshments available; commissions welcome. *Cleves Garden Studio, 4 Cleves Cottages, Daventry Road, Barby CV23 8TF*

BARBY COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH TEAM need more volunteers. Your help would be appreciated and will ensure this initiative will continue. If anyone would like to volunteer to help with our small dedicated team please let Catherine Camp or Nigel Gove (nigel.gove@bopc.org.uk) know. Training is given by Northamptonshire Police and volunteers then run speed checks on 3 alternate weeks when they can on a rota system. This year the Speedwatch weeks run from Saturday 29th June; Saturday 13th July, and Saturday 27th July.

Thanks

Barby Village Hall – Jazz Lunch Sunday 12th May – A very big “Thank You” to all who were involved in the organisation and running of this event in aid of Barby Village Hall funds, also “Thank You” to all who attended and supported the occasion. A total of £816.67 was raised and you can be assured that every penny will be directed to the maintenance, upkeep and improvements of the village hall facilities in order to pass on this asset to future generations. Thank you all once again. *Keith N Ingram (Village Hall Chairman)*

Mary Evans would like to thank everyone who came to the recent Coffee Morning held in aid of Cynthia Spencer Hospice in Northampton. A total of £240 was raised.

Pilates at Barby

Pilates – A gentle but effective exercise, strengthening core stability. Particularly helpful for back pain sufferers. Two classes every Tuesday 9.30am and 10.30am in Barby Village Hall, £6 a session. Suitable for all abilities, qualified instructor. For information call Mary on 01788 890614.

Your Parish Councillors

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Police	Tel 101 for non-emergencies, 999 for emergencies craig.egdell@northants.pnn.police.uk (07557 778055)	
Highway Problems	www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/streetdoctor or call 0300 126 1000 or contact Dom Fisher (07855 821432)	

Submissions for the May Newsletter should be sent to Ian Webb, 6 Daventry Road, barbyandonleynewsletter@gmail.com (01788 890800) by **23rd June**

Dates for Your Diary

- June
- 3rd Term 6 starts Barby Primary and Barby Pre School
 - 7th-10th Visit from our twinned village (Vulaines sur Seine)
 - 9th Annual Garage Sale 10.00am to 2.00pm
 - 10th Parish Council Meeting – **Onley Park Village Hall** - 7.30pm
 - 11th WI – Barby Village Hall – 7.30pm
 - 12th Evergreen Club – Barby Village Hall 2.00pm
 - 12th Local History Group – Barby Village Hall 7.45pm
 - 15th - 16th, 22nd-23rd and 29th – 30th Warwickshire Open Studios 4 Cleves Cottages 12.00noon
 - 16th St Mary's Church Fete – Barby Play Area 1.00pm
 - 21st Barby Primary School Summer Fayre – 3.15pm
 - 23rd Barby Church Trust AGM – St Mary's Church 7.00pm
 - 26th Evergreen Club – Barby Village Hall 2.00pm
 - 29th Strawberries & Wine evening – St Mary's Church 6.30pm

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