

Barby and Onley Newsletter

October 2021

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Barby Preschool proudly presents..

Our Annual Halloween Disco

Saturday 30th October

Barby Village hall

4pm - 6pm



Tickets are £5.00 per child, and open to
Preschool and Primary school aged Children

Please purchase from Barby Preschool, Barby
Village stores or contact Cat Sabine on
07909680508



Apple Day

Sunday 3rd October

2.00pm until 4.00pm

**Barby Townlands & Educational
Charity invite you to join them
at the Millenium Orchard
(behind tennis courts). The
Moulton Morris Men will
perform at the event.**

Parish Council News (Parish Clerk 01788 891184)

Parish Council Meetings – The next meeting of Barby & Onley Parish Council will take place on **MONDAY 11th OCTOBER 2021 at 7.30pm** in **Onley Village Hall**, Onley Park, Willoughby, Rugby CV23 8AW

Members of the Parish are welcome to attend the parish council meeting, and the first 20 minutes of the meeting will be open for public participation. 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. Meetings are generally held on the second Monday of each month at 7.30pm and usually finish by 9.30pm.

Agendas and minutes are published on the parish website

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Councillors - We are very pleased to be able to announce that there is now a full complement of 11 councillors on the Barby & Onley Parish Council. We welcome Faith Gorman who was co-opted to fill the vacant seat at the September meeting.

Planning – At the time of writing no planning application has been registered with the West Northamptonshire Council relating to any proposal regarding Cadman Sporting Club (Barby Sporting Club). It is therefore not appropriate that the subject is discussed at parish council meetings until a planning application has been registered and notified to the parish council.

Barby Parish Noticeboard - Please note that as a temporary measure the agenda and minutes of meetings will be published on the noticeboard outside Barby Village Hall, Kilsby Road. A new noticeboard is on order and will be erected near the village Christmas tree opposite Barby Village stores.

Parish Council 2022/23 Budget - The parish council is now starting to put together its budget for the year starting 1st April 2022.

If any organisation within the village has a project which they would like the parish council to consider providing a grant towards, then please email details of the project, the costs and the money already secured to the parish clerk at clerk@barbyandonleyparishcouncil.co.uk and a grant may be considered.

The budget will be put together during October and published in draft form in November. The councillors will agree the final form in December and then it has to be submitted to West Northamptonshire Council in January so that they can calculate the level of Council Tax (rates) to collect to meet the financial requirements.

70 Years of HRH The Queen's reign (Platinum Jubilee) - Next year the Queen will have reigned for 70 years. Anyone who is prepared to join a working group of volunteers to arrange a suitable village celebration to mark the event please contact the parish clerk clerk@barbyandonleyparishcouncil.co.uk

Potholes and problems with the highway. - Please report any defects and potholes on the local roads to <https://fixmystreet.northamptonshire.gov.uk/> You will be given a reference number so that you can track when repairs are planned to take place.

Street Lights - as the nights draw in please report any faulty street lights to the clerk by email at clerk@barbyandonleyparishcouncil.co.uk

If the light is at Onley, then please let Councillor Dawn Cotton know and she will report it. Dawn.cotton@bopc.org.uk

Dogs – Please remember that dogs are not allowed in the allotments, play areas, Barby Sports Field, or the Millennium Orchard behind Barby Tennis Court. Please also continue to clean up after your dogs and keep Barby and Onley as clean and tidy as possible.

Onley summer fete held Saturday 7th August - On Saturday, 7th August, Onley Park put on a highly successful summer fete for the enjoyment of its residents. This was shared with the help of HMP Onley whose staff assisted in many roles and also provided staff members to aid, on the day, where necessary. A total of a little over £800 was raised, after expenses, which was shared with the prison, their part being used to buy equipment for an outside gym to help with their mental health and our share being saved for future events.

Numerous stalls lined the football pitch adjacent to the village hall and many games, including a bouncy castle were provided for the children. There was an abundance of raffle prizes handed out and many of these came from local businesses who contributed so generously. A special thanks has to be given to the persons involved who managed to secure such amazing prizes in the run up to the event. Food was naturally available and included pizzas, Indian street food and the ubiquitous English BBQ. There was the ever-popular beer stall and artisan coffee was available too.

One of the highlights of the afternoon was a falconry display together with a very humorous and skilled crowd-pleaser cum handler who had obviously gained a polished act from previous such events. Another highlight was provided by the prison of a DJ and group who entertained us for most of the afternoon. This was followed by a 40-piece local Rock Choir who put on an excellent performance.

The sun shone on rare occasions, but it stayed warm and a very pleasant afternoon/evening was had by all.

Many, many thanks to all the helpers, assistants, residents and everyone who supported this hopefully 'first event of many' to be held here at Onley Park.

Clubs and Societies

Barby Cricket Club - The winners of the 100 Club in the August 2021 draw were: A. Forinton c/o T. Gleghorn £80 00, L. Shay £50.00 and Ewan c/o D. Ibbetson £40.00

Barby Church Trust (Charity no 277482) - "**Taps & Toilet 100 Club**". The September draw took place on Sunday 19th September when Jeanette Massie (Ball no 1) won £80.00, and Hazel Parsons (No 81) won £275. The next draw will take place on Sunday 17th October.

Barby Village Hall – HOORAY the "Old School Room" **Breakfast Café** reopened on Sunday 19th September. Thanks to all who came and supported the first Barby Village breakfast club since the beginning of lockdown. £115 was raised

for Barby WI with 36 covers provided. Don't miss the next Breakfast Club on 17th October. Profits in aid of local groups and charities.

The first Community Café and Book and Jigsaw swap got off to an encouraging start on 6th and 18th September. In October it will take place on 4th and 23rd from 2.00pm to 4.00pm in Barby Village Hall. You can swap items for 50p, borrow for £1 or simply drop in for tea/coffee and homemade cakes

Did you know that Barby Village Hall now has a clothing bank recycling bin for clothes and shoes in support of the Air Ambulance Service in the back carpark?

Barby Pre-School – Annual Halloween Disco at Barby Village Hall 4.00pm to 6.00pm. Tickets £5.00 per child and open to all Pre-School and Primary School aged children, available from Barby Pre-School, Barby Village Stores or Cat Sabine (0790 968 0508). Prizes for best dressed outfit, best dancer, best duo costume and funniest costume. Glitter tattoos, tuck shop, other stalls and raffle.

Barby Short Mat Bowls Club & New Age Kurling - The month's trial of New Age Kurling and Short Mat Bowls held from 2.00pm to 4.00pm every Tuesday at Barby Village Hall has proved to be a success and will now become permanent. New members for either will be welcome: just turn up at the hall at the allotted hour.

The normal weekly Short Mat Bowls sessions at 9:30am every Thursday will continue unchanged.

WI – At our September meeting we were pleased to welcome a new member and 2 visitors.

Members enjoyed an evening of good food, drink and good company at The Bell in Hillmorton. Some members went over to Barnwell and joined members from around the county for afternoon tea. Once again, we are collecting for the Daventry food bank, this will be taken in time for Christmas. Thank you to all who came to the Breakfast Cafe and bought from our produce stall. Our next meeting is Tuesday 12th October at 7.30pm in the Old School Room (Barby Village Hall) is our AGM. We also have a retired GP coming along to talk to us about ovarian cancer. If you are interested in the WI, please give Chris a call on 01788 890963.

Barby Gardening Club – will restart their monthly meetings on Tuesday 19th October when Sally Cunningham will be speaking on "Gardening whatever the weather" - should be interesting. The meeting will start at 7:15pm with the talk at 7:45pm. For more information, please contact Trevor Minett (01788 890908).

Evergreen Club – Our next meetings are on Wednesday's 13th and 27th October. 2.00pm to 4.00pm in Barby Village Hall. New members always welcome.

Barby Local History Group <http://www.barbylhg.org.uk> - This month's meeting will be on Wednesday 13th October at 7.45pm in Barby Village Hall. Roy Smart will talk on 'Another Icarus' which is the story of Percy Pilcher the early aviator and his sister Ella, and their connections with Stanford Hall. Visitors are very welcome, a donation of £2 is suggested. We hope you will come and look forward to seeing you.

Barby Townlands & Educational Charity – Our Apple Day, when we will be celebrating everything to do with apples, will be held on Sunday 3rd October 2.00pm to 4.00pm in the Millennium Orchard. As usual there will be a free BBQ, apple cakes, apple juices, apple pressing & plenty of apples to pick and take home. Please bring your own bag.

St Mary's Church - Services –Please note that Sunday services at St. Mary's Church now take place at **10:00am every Sunday**. If you are new to our village, or not, you are most welcome at St. Mary's. Our congregation is a delightful mix of "hip" and "hip-replacement."

Harvest Festival



This year's Harvest Festival will take place on Sunday 17th October at 10.00am. Come and enjoy the Harvest decorations, give thanks for the Harvest and bring a gift for the Food Bank.

Soup & Roll in the Church

St Mary's Church
Saturday 2nd October
12 noon to 2.00pm



**Enjoy Soup and a
Roll followed by
Homemade Desserts
& Coffee
only £5.00**

**Come along and have a friendly chat with fellow villagers.
All proceeds go to keeping this ancient building going.**

Other Notices

Quiz Night 2021- November 7th sees the return of the annual village quiz in Barby Village Hall with Nic Paul as our quizmaster. 4 people to a team, and if they are all Barby residents they qualify to win the Shield for 12 months. Prizes for top teams plus a random one. Filled rolls available, raffle and a licensed bar. Please do not bring your own drinks as this will be against the licensing rules. £10 per team, all entries to Gill Leppard 19 Holme Way, 01788 891091 or via the village Facebook. This is a joint fundraising event for the upkeep of Barby Village Hall and Barby Church Trust. 7.30pm prompt start.

2021 Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal - The British Legion have once again asked that we refrain from door-to-door collections this year for the Annual Poppy Appeal. Poppies and donation boxes will however be at a number of locations in Barby including the Village Shop, Barby School, Cadman Sporting (Barby Sporting Club) and in the porch of 7 Kilsby Road. Thank you for all your support.

Christmas Tree Festival - Once again Barby is holding their magnificent Christmas Tree Festival during December in our beautiful church of St Mary. If any village organisation, or individuals from Barby, Kilsby or Onley would like to take part please contact Jo Martin on 01788 890849.

Hopefully, the registration forms will be circulated during late October/early November, but please let me know if you would like to be added to the list of entrants. The entry fee will be £10 per tree. It is hoped that the church will be open every day during December and on two Sundays in December (dates to be confirmed) there will also be a raffle and refreshments.

Used Postage Stamps? – Don't know what to do with used postage stamps? Just put them in my post box (on the side of my house) at 41 Holme Way. I will then send them to various charities I support. *Janice Jones*

Barby Tennis Court – this is located opposite The Arnold Arms. It can be used by all parishioners (FREE OF CHARGE) to keep fit and active while being out in the fresh air and sometimes sunshine. Playing tennis can improve hand/eye coordination as well as decision making. For details, please contact Brian and Eileen Thompson on 01788 890637

Pilates at Barby Village Hall

Two classes every Tuesday 9.30am and 10.30am.

Pilates is a gentle but effective exercise strengthening the core muscles to support the spine and joints. It also improves flexibility, posture and balance. Suitable for all ages and abilities. Fully qualified PEA/RSA/Pilates Inst. instructor. Still only £6. For more details phone Mary on 07876 502438

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Copy for the next Newsletter (Nov) should be sent to Ian Webb, 6 Daventry Road, barbyandonleynewsletter@gmail.com (01788 890800) by Sunday **24th October**.

Dates for your Diary

October	2 nd	Soup & Roll – St Mary's Church 12.00pm
	3 rd	Apple Day – Millennium Orchard 2.00pm
	4 th	Book/Jigsaw Swap/Café – Barby Village Hall 2.00pm
	11 th	Parish Council Meeting – Onley Village Hall 7.30pm
	12 th	WI – Barby Village Hall 7.30pm
	13 th	Evergreen Club - Barby Village Hall 2.00pm
	13 th	Local History Group – Barby Village Hall 7.45pm
	17 th	Breakfast Café – Barby Village Hall 9.30am
	17 th	Harvest Festival – St Mary's Church 10.00am
	19 th	Gardening Club – Barby Village Hall 7.15pm
	22 nd	Term 1 ends Barby Primary and Pre School
	23 rd	Book/Jigsaw Swap/Café – Barby Village Hall 2.00pm
	27 th	Evergreen Club - Barby Village Hall 2.00pm
	31 st	British Summer Time ends



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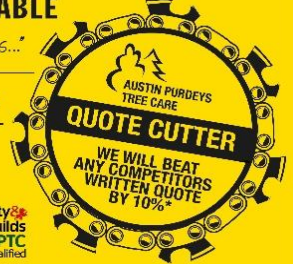
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