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Day	Date	Month	Time	Event	Page	Location
Tuesdays			9am-12	Post Office		Village Hall
Tuesdays			10am - 12	Coffee Morning		Village Hall
Thursday	30th	May	3.30pm	Vintage Cinema Club	2	Village Hall
Friday	31st	May	6pm	48 hour Walkathon	7	The New Inn
Tuesday	4th	June	3.25-4pm	Mobile Library		Village Hall
Wednesday	5th	June		Ridgeway Ladies Summer Party	11	
Saturday	8th	June	7pm- 11pm	Barn Dance	9	Village Hall
Sunday	30th	June	7pm- 11pm	Avebury Vocal Ensemble	11	St James, Avebury
Saturday	6th	July	10am	Churchyard Tidying	12	West Overton Church
Saturday	6th	July	10am	Coffee Morning	14	West Overton Church
Sunday	7th	July	4-6pm	Ritzy Tea	8	The Manor, WB
Saturday	31st	August		Beer/Gin/Fizz Festival	4	Village Hall
Sunday	24th	November		Christmas Market		Village Hall
Saturday	30th	November		Christmas Party	3	Village Hall

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to the following pupils from Broad Hinton School who celebrate their Birthdays in June:

Thea Price, Hayward Sienna, Olivia Clarke, Abbie Whittle.



Waste and Recycling collection days for June

Monday	3	June	General Recycling	Blue Bin & Black Boxes
Tuesday	4	June	Household Waste	Black Bin
Thursday	6	June	Garden Waste	Green Bin
Friday	7	June	WB General Recycling	Blue Bin & Black Boxes
Monday	17	June	General Recycling	Blue Bin & Black Boxes
Tuesday	18	June	Household Waste	Black Bin
Thursday	20	June	Garden Waste	Green Bin
Friday	21	June	WB General Recycling	Blue Bin & Black Boxes

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Dear All,

If you are reading this as a paper copy in black and white, the pdf version of the Local News is in colour and is available from the Village Hall website under the 'The Villages' tab, or send me an email to sign up to have it sent to your inbox.

Anyone for tennis?

Please note that you are welcome to use the Marlborough Lodge tennis court – no booking required; cost £2 per head per time, all money goes to church funds.

Sally Cartwright

Vintage Cinema Club

The last film for this season to be shown at the Vintage Cinema Club is the must see “Cabaret”, starring Lisa Minelli as Sally. The plot centres around Sally, the nightclub singer who falls in love with two men who are regulars at the club whilst in the background the Nazi party rises to power. You will enjoy great songs and music, great dancing and remarkable acting so do come along and enjoy this wonderful musical.

The date for your diary is Thursday 30th May at Broad Hinton Village Hall. Doors open at 3.30pm and the film will begin at 4.00. Ticket price is £3.00, ice creams are available and the bar will be open.

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If you are unable to access the web site, please contact our Parish Council Clerk, Peter Barry, on 01793 731589 who can deliver a copy.

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School:	broadhintonschool.org
Wiltshire Council:	wiltshire.gov.uk
Churches:	kennet8.org.uk

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VILLAGE HALL

JUNE NEWS



Two Big Events for 2024

We've decided to stick to two big events this year. Our objectives for both, are to:

- Give everyone a great time

- Make profit to contribute to replacing the BHVH patio doors (£10,000 cost)

- Put on events everyone wants us to run in future years

Hackpen Beer/Gin/Fizz Festival Saturday 31st August

This event will start at 3pm and go on till 11pm. We're sourcing a variety of beers for you to enjoy, and some interesting gins too. A selection of fizz will be on the bar, together with wine and soft drinks. Something for everyone there we think.

Tickets prices:

Early bird tickets purchased during June are £10, including commemorative beer or gin glass and your first drink.

There will be delicious food, a quieter afternoon, with a great band already sourced for the evening. Contact Sarah Kromer mrssarahkromer@gmail.com or 07885 519221. If she doesn't answer, please leave a message, she will call you back.

It's a big complex event, and the BHVH committee are extremely grateful for a team of people not on the committee, who are ably assisting us with the many elements. Thank you all. We're also looking for people to volunteer to serve drinks and food on the day, at most for an hour on a rota basis.

There's an opportunity to sponsorship the Beer Festival, so if you or your company are interested, or if you're willing to volunteer to serve for an hour, please contact:

Jo Smith 7768 206423, Kate Marshall 07740 928 218, villagehall@broadhinton.org.uk

Christmas Party Saturday 30th November

As a result of our leaflet drop, tables for this year's party are all but sold out. If you'd like to book a table or individual/couple tickets, contact Sarah Kromer but **be very quick**, nine out of 11 tables already booked. Tickets £50 each from mrssarahkromer@gmail.com or 07885 519221. If she doesn't answer, please leave a message, she will call you back.

May 300 Club Winners

£50	253	Helen Forster
£25	192	Claire Wheeler
£20	149	Marlilyn Martin
£20	279	Wendy Reardon-Smith
£10	53	Caroline Fleming

Future Bookings

In June, we have the following bookings:

Saturday 8th Church Barn Dance 4pm – 11pm, 11pm - midnight for clearing up

Saturday 15th Fourth birthday party 9am – 2pm

There may be some cars parked for the Barn Dance and for the Fourth Birthday party, we will need the whole of the car park available during the hiring time, for hirers, guests and others associated with the event.

You can also see future bookings on the BHVH website <https://broadhinton.org.uk/booking/calendar/>

Hackpen Beer Festival

Gin & Fizz too



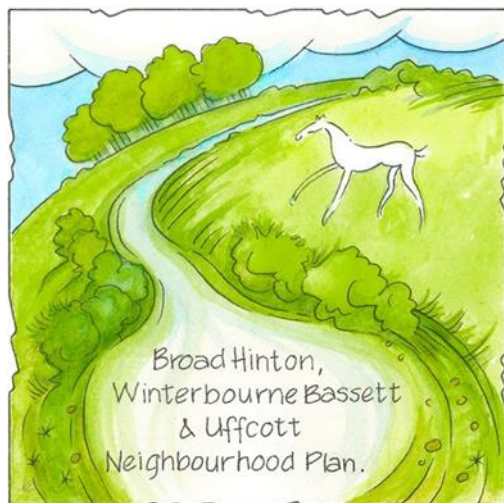
**Saturday
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Neighbourhood Plan Latest Update

Design Guidelines and Code

In Feb/Mar this year, we ran a design survey and held several community drop-in events at the village hall. The consultancy AECOM then took the survey data and produced a Design Guidelines and Code document – you can find it here <https://www.bhwbparishcouncil.org.uk/designcode>.

The Steering Group are now reviewing it and deciding which parts we should include as part of our Neighbourhood Plan - we welcome any feedback you have on this. Speak to one of the Steering Group (<https://www.bhwbparishcouncil.org.uk/steering-group>) or email bhwbuf.neighbourhoodplan@gmail.com.

Meeting Minutes

The Steering Group skipped our usual monthly meeting in April, as we had arranged a meeting with the site B2 landowner's representatives, representatives from White Horse Cricket Club and the new White Horse Community Shop and Café group.

The role of the Neighbourhood Plan is to ensure any future planning applications meet the needs of our community, expressed in the Plan as planning policies. It is critical that any policies we include in the plan are **viable** - there would be no point including things that can't be delivered.

The purpose of the meeting was to understand whether the objectives of the Neighbourhood Plan would be viable. These objectives include a new shop/café/sports/work building, a playground, additional car parking for the school and village hall, and improvements to drainage and access.

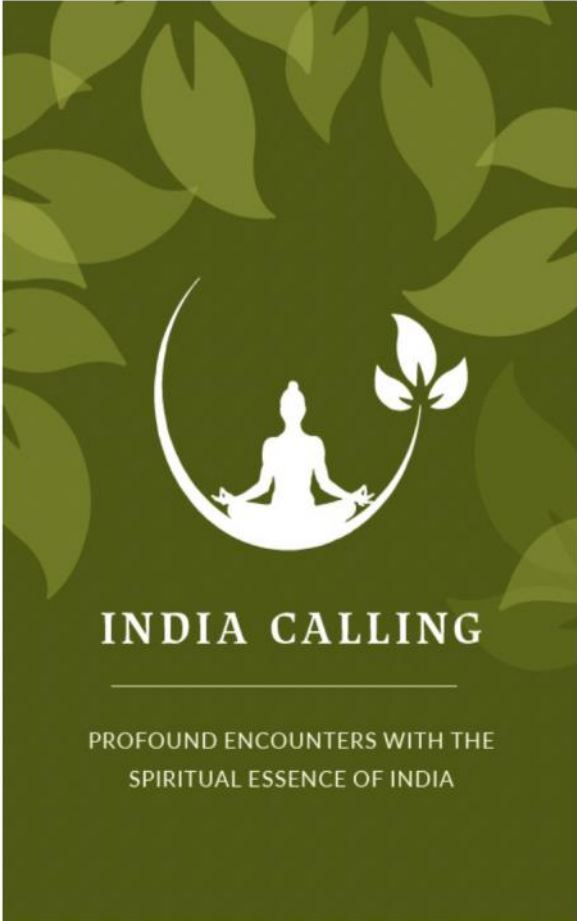
The provisional Plan objectives were agreed to be viable. This is an important step in the production of our Neighbourhood Plan.

How is the Neighbourhood Plan Financed?

As we move into the fourth financial year of the Plan preparation, we thought it would be interesting to share where the funding comes from for Plan making activities. As the chart below shows, most comes from grants which we request through Locality, funded by the Department for Levelling Up, Housing and Communities (DLUHC).

The Parish Council also sets aside a small sum each year to fund costs incurred early in the financial year as the grant schemes don't open promptly at the start of April and we can't claim grant funds for activities that have already occurred.





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National Trust Avebury: What's On June 2024



Garden Tours with the Head Gardner 6 Jun, 11 July, 10-11:30pm,
£15 per person

Join the Head Gardner for a tour around Avebury Manor Gardens, and learn about the history, development and horticulture of the individual garden rooms. Includes refreshments in the Café. Booking essential. www.nationaltrust.org.uk/



Avebury Trust 10 23 Jun, 28 Jul, 9am—11am, free

Enjoy a challenging 10k trail run with stunning views across the wider Avebury landscape. Meet at the Coach House (on Avebury high street, next to the Red Lion pub) at 8:45. The Trust 10 run will begin at 9am.
www.nationaltrust.org.uk/avebury

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Events in June

31st May - 2nd June

48 HOUR CHARITY WALKATHON WITH LIVE MUSIC
& BBQ INSPIRED MENU ON SATURDAY

Sunday 9th June

TRADITIONAL ROAST - BOOKING RECOMMENDED!

Friday 14th June

QUIZ NIGHT - BOOKING IS A MUST!

Friday 28th June

FRIDAY LUNCH CLUB

Please note we are closed for a private function on Friday 7th June.

*Monthly
Traditional Roast*

*Monthly
Live Music*

Family Friendly

*Large Pub Garden
and Marquee*

*Charity
Fundraisers*

Find us on Facebook for details of all our events or call 01672 539793 for more details. Our chosen charities for our fundraising this year are St Mary Magdelene Church, Wiltshire Air Ambulance and Home Start, North Wiltshire - pop in to find out how you can help!



48 HOUR WALK-A-THON

**Join Cody and a team of locals who will
be walking non-stop for 48 hours to raise
funds for three fabulous causes!**

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2-4 hour shifts, a team of locals who are
all a little nuts will keep the treadmill
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Regardless of political alignment, I'm here to serve you

My determination to represent and serve our communities is unwavering and I am honoured to have been re-elected to serve as your Police and Crime Commissioner for the next four years. It is my responsibility to ensure that your views and lived experiences are reflected in how we work towards making Wiltshire safer and my promise remains the same – to be your voice in policing and to hold the Chief Constable to account for the effective and efficient police service that residents deserve.

Regardless of political alignment, or whether you voted for me or not, I am here to serve you and act as your voice in policing and crime. Before the role of PCC was established in 2012 there was a disconnect between the communities and police accountability and since then you have had the power to have your say at the ballot box on who you feel best represents you. My focus now turns to ensuring that those lesser heard voices are consulted in the development of my next Police and Crime Plan which acts as a blueprint for the strategic policing and crime priorities. My responsibilities spread the entirety of the criminal justice system, including policing, victim support, early intervention and offender rehabilitation.

It is of paramount importance to me that your feedback is reflected in any decisions that are made. I want to hear more from rural communities, business owners and retailers about the impact of crime on them – and what they need to feel safe and supported by Wiltshire Police and partners.

Wiltshire Police was placed into the Engage status or 'special measures' shortly after I took office during my first term and alongside my wider office I continue to robustly scrutinise, in addition to supporting the Chief Constable to drive up the standard of policing our residents receive.

Tremendous work has been done in that time to improve the police's response and performance, and especially so since Chief Constable Catherine Roper started in post just over a year ago. Whilst I am proud of the improvements that have been achieved in that time, the Force is still not where I or the Chief Constable would like it to be, and we will not be satisfied until Wiltshire Police is considered an outstanding police force.

PCC Philip Wilkinson

RIDGEWAY LADIES

On Wednesday May 1st the Ridgeway Ladies welcomed Bren Hosking to their meeting. Bren is a coach/therapist specialising in recovery from and through toxic relationships. She also works within the field of stress management. Bren has a wealth of experience and uses a combination of approaches and techniques (including CBT and NLP) that are tailored to the individual needs of her clients. Her talk was entitled 'Toxic Relationships'

Bren talked about the various forms of abuse that could result in a toxic relationship including coercive control, intimidation, emotional abuse, physical abuse etc. Approximately 25% of women and 16% of men have been or are in a toxic relationship. Many victims of toxic relationships will choose to stay - often making excuses for their abusers behaviour or just finding it too hard to leave. Those who do leave such relationships need support to move on and build up their own self worth. An interesting and emotional talk initiating much discussion. Thank you Bren - you gave us much to think about.

Ore next meeting will be on Wednesday 5th June when we will be having our annual summer party.

Avebury Vocal ENSEMBLE

The Avebury Vocal Ensemble will be performing at the very lovely ancient church of St James in the historic village of Avebury at

7pm on Sunday 30th June.

2024 is the 100th anniversary of the death of Charles Villiers Stanford, one of the greatest figures in the English music revival of the 19th & 20th centuries. Our programme is built around his three Motets and his Evening Service in G together with some of his secular works. We also visit a couple of lesser-known works by Bernstein and also take a musical reflection on Ascensiontide, Corpus Christi and the feast of St Peter & St Paul, with music by Finzi, Alain, Liszt, Faure and Vierne.

Tickets are £12, available on the door or online via the Avebury Vocal Ensemble website at www.aveburyvocal.org.

There will be a
WORK MORNING
AT
WEST OVERTON CHURCHYARD
on
Saturday 6th July
10 am – 12 noon

Strimming, cutting back and general tidying in the churchyard - we would really appreciate some help even if you can only spare a half-hour or so.

Please bring suitable tools.

Refreshments provided in the Church





The 6th of June 2024 marks the 80th anniversary of D-Day, when Allied forces mounted the largest amphibious invasion the world has ever witnessed. In 1944, Operation Overlord saw over 5,000 ships and landing craft set down more than 130,000 troops on five Normandy beaches in an action that would bring about the liberation of north-west Europe.

As part of the 80th anniversary of the D-Day landings, Broad Hinton Ringers will support our country by ringing at 18:30. Changes to these timings will be published on church notice boards.

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MEDITATION (TAIZÉ) Service

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Future dates for your diary:

***Wednesday 5th June, Wednesday 19th June
& Wednesday 10th July.***

Readings for June 2024

2 June - Green

1st Sunday after Trinity

1 Samuel 3.1-10 [11-20]
Psalm 139.1-5,12-18
2 Corinthians 4.5-12
Mark 2.23-3.6

9 June - Green

2nd Sunday after Trinity

1 Samuel 8.4-11 [12-15] 16-20; [11.14-end]
Psalm 138
2 Corinthians 4.13-5.1
Mark 3.20- end

16 June - Green

3rd Sunday after Trinity

1 Samuel 15.34-16.13
Psalm 20
2 Corinthians 5.6-10 [11-13] 14-17
Mark 4.26-34

23 June - Green

4th Sunday after Trinity

1 Samuel 17. [1a,4-11,19-23] 32-49
Psalm 9.9-end
or 1 Samuel 17.57-18.5,10-16
Psalm 133
2 Corinthians 6.1-13
Mark 4.35-end

30 June - Green

5th Sunday after Trinity

2 Samuel 1.1-17-end
Psalm 130
2 Corinthians 8.7-end
Mark 5.21-end

COFFEE MORNING

AND

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WEST OVERTON CHURCH

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SATURDAY 6 JULY

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**The proceeds will go towards keeping West Overton, East Kennett and
Fyfield churches open.**

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

As a member of the local Ministry Team it has fallen to me to write an item for this month's 'Thought'. But what can I say to so many people who come from differing backgrounds, cultures, faiths and general lifestyle. What can I say that has not been said before?

We are a varied mix of communities each having their own identities, each having strengths and weaknesses, but through all this we have things in common: beauty in the land, freedom to walk in the hills, support from neighbours and communities. We have the choice to pick and choose as to when we come together as one. This choice is what brings followers of Jesus together; we choose to believe in a higher being than ourselves, we call upon God to guide us, not just as individuals but as a group, a church. Many of our readings within church since Easter have concentrated upon unity, coming together, both following and leading one another through difficult times, sharing what we have and also receiving from others. Being united with all humanity.

Last month Alison told of the joy of coming through dark times into the joy of spring, for me the spring is held within love; love of God; love of Family; love of Community and the wider world.

Love is not perfect, life is not perfect; but the one enduring, all encompassing commandment that God has given to us is that of love; that with true love for one another peace may be found even at the darkest of times.

Let us all learn how to love in the deepest sense.

Claire Stiles

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- Responding to telephone & email enquiries

FABRIC & FINANCE OFFICER **Seven hours per week, ideally across 2 days**

The role will include:

- Invoicing
- Processing churchyard applications
- Church Rooms Management, *including overseeing maintenance; liaising with bookings co-ordinator and cleaner*
- Ordering supplies
- Support for our treasurers as needed, possibly *becoming bookkeeper for one of our smaller churches*
- Support for Local Church Committees in regard to building and churchyard projects
- Responding to telephone & email enquiries

For further information about either or both posts, including remuneration and how to apply, please contact the Team Rector, the Revd. Beth Hutton (whittonteamrector@gmail.com or 01672 520235). Safer recruitment procedures apply.

Readings for June 2024

Morning Prayer 8.30-9am daily



Join us by zoom for half an hour to start the day in an atmosphere of quiet prayer and reflection with others, from the comfort of your own armchair. We are a small group who value this wonderful opportunity to gather ourselves for the day, to focus on what lies ahead and to enjoy silence together.

For more details, the service sheet and the zoom link, contact:

Sibella Laing:

01672 861600 or sibella.laing@outlook.com

Broad Hinton Church - Bell Ringing Practice

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Wednesday 5th June.

Upper Kennet Churches Services – June 2024

	St Nicholas FYFIELD	St Michael & All Angels WEST OVER- TON	Christ Church EAST KEN- NETT	St James AVEBURY	St Mary Mag- dalene WINTERBOURNE MONKTON	St Katherine & St Peter WINTERBOURNE BASSETT	St Peter ad Vincula BROAD HIN- TON
2 June Trinity 1	8.30 am Morning Prayer					10.30 am Morning Ser- vice	10 am Parish Com- munion Ser- vice
Wednesday 5 June			6.30 pm Meditation Service (Taizé)	10.30 am Celtic Morn- ing Prayer			
9 June Trinity 2		10 am Morning Ser- vice		10 am Parish Com- munion Ser- vice			
16 June Trinity 3			8 am Morning Prayer		10 am Parish Com- munion Ser- vice		10 am Morning Prayer
Wednesday 19 June			6.30 pm Meditation Service (Taizé)	10.30 am Celtic Morn- ing Prayer			
23 June Trinity 4		10 am Parish Com- munion Ser- vice					
30 June Trinity 5						10 am Parish Com- munion Ser- vice	

WHO'S WHO in the Upper Kennet Churches

RECTOR: VACANCY

If you require a priest in an emergency and are unable to contact please telephone one of the churchwardens.

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Mr Magnus Thompson

BENEFACTE OFFICE: Anne Robinson, Sophie Roberts (Mon-Thurs, 10am-1pm)

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