

SOUTH KILWORTH NEWS

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DIARY

Sun	6 th	09.30	The Epiphany, Holy Communion, Stanford on Avon
Mon	7 th	19.30	Parish Council Meeting, Village Hall
Wed	9 th		Mobile Library (School 12.00, Leys Crescent 12.30, North Road 12.50)
Thur	10 th	19.00	Art Club, Village Hall
		19.30	Kilworth Korks, Village Hall
Sun	13 th	09.45	Family Service, St Nicholas Church
Tue	15 th	09.30	Weekday Holy Communion, St Nicholas Church
Sun	20 th	09.45	3 rd Sunday of Epiphany, Holy Communion, St Nicholas Church
Wed	23 rd		Mobile Library (School 12.00, Leys Crescent 12.30, North Road 12.50)
Thur	24 th	12.00	Luncheon Club, Village Hall
Fri	25 th	19.30	Burn's Night, Village Hall
Sun	27 th	10.30	4 th Sunday of Epiphany, Avon Swift Holy Communion, Gilmorton
Tue	29 th	10.00	MaMites, Village Hall

ADVANCE NOTICE

Friday 26th April

Edward Garnier Surgery

Village Hall

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NEW YEAR MESSAGE 2013

As we begin a New Year one thing is certain: life is unpredictable, and the future is uncertain. Everything seems to be going well, then suddenly disaster strikes. We need inner strength to cope.

27th January is my eldest grand daughter's birthday (it's also Mozart's birthday!) but it's also Holocaust Memorial Day – the day on which in 1945 the Russians liberated Auschwitz.

Viktor Frankl's book about the Holocaust, *Man's search for meaning* is remarkable because Frankl was a psychiatrist. He recalls how – at the end of a night of slave labour – 'my mind clung to my wife's image, imagining it with uncanny acuteness. I heard her answering me, saw her smile, her frank encouraging look. Real, or not real, her look was then more luminous than the sun which was beginning to rise'. From this vision he came to a powerful conclusion: 'I understood how a man who has nothing left in this world still may know bliss, be it only for a brief moment, in the contemplation of his beloved. In a position of utter desolation, when he cannot do anything useful, when he can only suffer, still thinking about the image he carries of his beloved, will carry him through'.

He noticed that the people who survived the horrors of camp life best were not necessarily those who were strong physically, but those who found inner strength through thinking of good things. So he tried to help his fellow inmates to find this inner strength and not to give up, which many were tempted to do. "We can take charge of ourselves", he said, "whatever our outward circumstances. We can choose our own way – that's what makes us human."

Life is hard and unpredictable: that is how God created this world, because that is the only sort of world where we can be free, and develop, and learn to love, and grow to be mature, responsible people.

But the message of the baby in the manger and the man on the cross is that our God is committed to this world in love, and to everyone in it: he is with us in our tragedies, in our joys and sorrows – Emmanuel, God with us.

He does not protect us and shield us from what may happen, but he gives us inner strength to face life with all its uncertainties; he gives us peace and hope, that nothing can separate us from his love.

Canon Brian Davis

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MA-MITES UPDATE

Following a steady reduction in numbers at Ma-Mites, sadly we have reached a point where a weekly session is no longer sustainable. However, we have recently held a couple of "Boogie Bods" music events, which have been very popular.

We are therefore hoping to run a monthly "Ma-Mites + Boogie Bods", on the last Tuesday of every month. All the Ma-Mites toys will be out, with the usual coffee, biscuits and chat, and then the Boogie Bods lady will come for the second half of the session. We are hoping that, as well as being a fun activity for babies/toddlers/pre-schoolers, it will keep Ma-Mites going to an extent, so the weekly sessions can be re-activated when there's another toddler boom.

We are hoping that our first session will be Tuesday January 29th, but we will confirm this nearer the time, so please check the village hall door for a poster, or contact Rachel (07710 381533) or Sue (07770 748608) for more information. The cost for the session will be £2 per child. We look forward to seeing you in the New Year, all welcome!

SOUTH KILWORTH BOWLS CLUB

For details about how to join the bowls club, or any general information, please contact the Secretary, Keith Rickhuss on 01858 575792. Email: keith.rickhuss@which.net

TOTE NEWS

December 2012 Winners – Drawn on Monday 3rd December

£50	Mabel Hutt	No 41
£40	Alan Ainsworth	No 8
£30	Rita Pickard	No 36
£20	Julian Timms	No 32

The January Tote Draw will be on Monday 7th January 2013 - 1pm at the Kilworth Springs Golf Club. Tote members, bowlers, partners and friends are, as usual, welcome to attend the draws.

The cost to join the Tote is £1 per week and new members are welcome as there are still several numbers available.

For more details, please contact Maggy Roberts - 01858 571238.
email: magsroberts@yahoo.co.uk

Thank you for your continuing support.

Maggy Roberts

KILWORTH KORKS – PLANS FOR 2013

Date	Event	Details
Thursday 10 th January 2013	2013 Planning meeting	South Kilworth Village Hall

If any more ladies would like to join the Kilworth Korks please e-mail Claire Hubbard (Email to chris_hubbard8@yahoo.com) or 'phone 571156, so that you can be included in future Kilworth Kork communications. E-mail addresses will only be shared amongst other Kilworth Kork members.

SWINFORD WINDFARM COMMUNITY FUND UPDATE

We are now beginning to make some better progress on establishing the company to administer the Community Fund - so some minor good news !

We have received the Community Interest Company registration back from Companies House - so the CIC is now fully registered and comes with the original name of the "Eight Parishes Community Interest Company"

Michael Murphy (as Chair) and myself as Vice Chair will be visiting the Nat West bank in Lutterworth on Friday 21st December to hopefully finalise opening the CIC current / business account.

We have also provisionally agreed to meet Messrs Vattenfall (the windfarm developer) on the 15th / 16th January to sign the Grant Funding Agreement. So with a following wind (no pun intended) we may be able to think about establishing the South Kilworth sub-group in late January - once the ink is dry on the contract!

Ernie Roberts

SOUTH KILWORTH BIRDS

December has been a quiet month for me on the bird front. On the 13th December I had a text from Rob Jacks informing me that he was watching a waxwing in his garden – unfortunately I was in Birmingham so couldn't get to see it. The bird only stayed for half an hour but was a great addition to Rob's garden list!



This is the first waxwing that I have heard reported in the village this winter (although there have been a couple of reports from the reservoir). There have been some reasonable flocks of 20-40 birds in the north of the county and some reported from Northamptonshire.

The main highlight this month in our garden has been a jay that I have seen on several occasions – always guaranteed to brighten up a dull day!

A final thought for 2012 – the impact of a poor summer

The latest results from a BTO survey show that many species struggled to raise young during 2012. Caterpillars appear to have been in short supply during the cold, wet weather and many of the woodland birds dependent on them had a poor season. Blue Tit, Great Tit and Chaffinch fledged 13%, 18% and 58% fewer chicks respectively; this is the lowest productivity recorded for Chaffinch in almost 50 years and the second lowest for Great Tit over the same period.

Rainfall may have made hunting difficult for raptor and owl species too, and Kestrel breeding success was also significantly lower than average.

But will the poor season in 2012 have a lasting effect on our birds? There is no doubt that many fewer young birds fledged this year and current predictions of another poor winter suggest that survival rates over coming months may be low.

However, smaller bird species are able to rapidly produce large numbers of young, and so have the potential to bounce back quickly after a single bad year. The worry is that the extreme conditions in 2012 (which continue as I write this article) were the result of a long term change in our weather and it is very difficult to predict how this will impact on Britain & Ireland's bird populations in the future.

Have a very Happy New Year.

Chris Hubbard

EDITORIAL

Another year nearly over and a new one just about to begin. As ever, I am grateful for your articles and looking forward to receiving more to include next year. Sometimes there is room to include a few words from me and sometimes like today there is a larger space to fill and so I have included a seasonal recipe - I have not tested this so let me know if you do, and if it is any good.

Ann Saunders

GALETTE DE ROIS – KING CAKE FOR EPIPHANY

Many countries have a tradition of a King cake or bread which celebrates the arrival of the three kings. Often this includes a favour or coin and if your slice contains this then you are king for the day. This is a French version.

2 Pkts ready-made flaky pastry, sufficient to cut into two 20cm diameter circles.
125g ground almonds
125g castor sugar
125g softened butter
2 whole eggs + the yolk of a third (separately reserved)
2tsps of Rum (or to taste)

Pre-heat the oven to 220 C

Cream the softened butter with the sugar until you have a fluffy white mixture. Add the ground almond, the 2 whole eggs and the rum and beat all together until the mixture is smooth and lump-free.

Cut two 20cm circles from the 2 sheets of flaky pastry and place one circle on a large baking sheet.

Carefully pour the almond mixture onto the pastry circle, leaving a 2cm space all around the edge of the base.

Brush a little water, milk or some of the retained egg yolk, around the edge of the second circle of pastry, and place, egged side down on top of the almond mixture. Press the edges of the two pastry circles together firmly, and flute the edges with either a knife, the back of a spoon or your fingers.

Brush more egg yolk over the entire surface, and lightly prick with the point of a very sharp knife to release air as the galette cooks.

Bake in the centre of the pre-heated oven for twenty minutes until its golden brown all over. Resist the temptation to eat it straight from the oven or the almond paste filling will give your tongue 1st degree burns. Best served cold.

AND A LITTLE BRAIN EXERCISE

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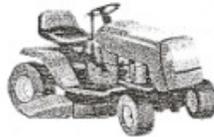


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