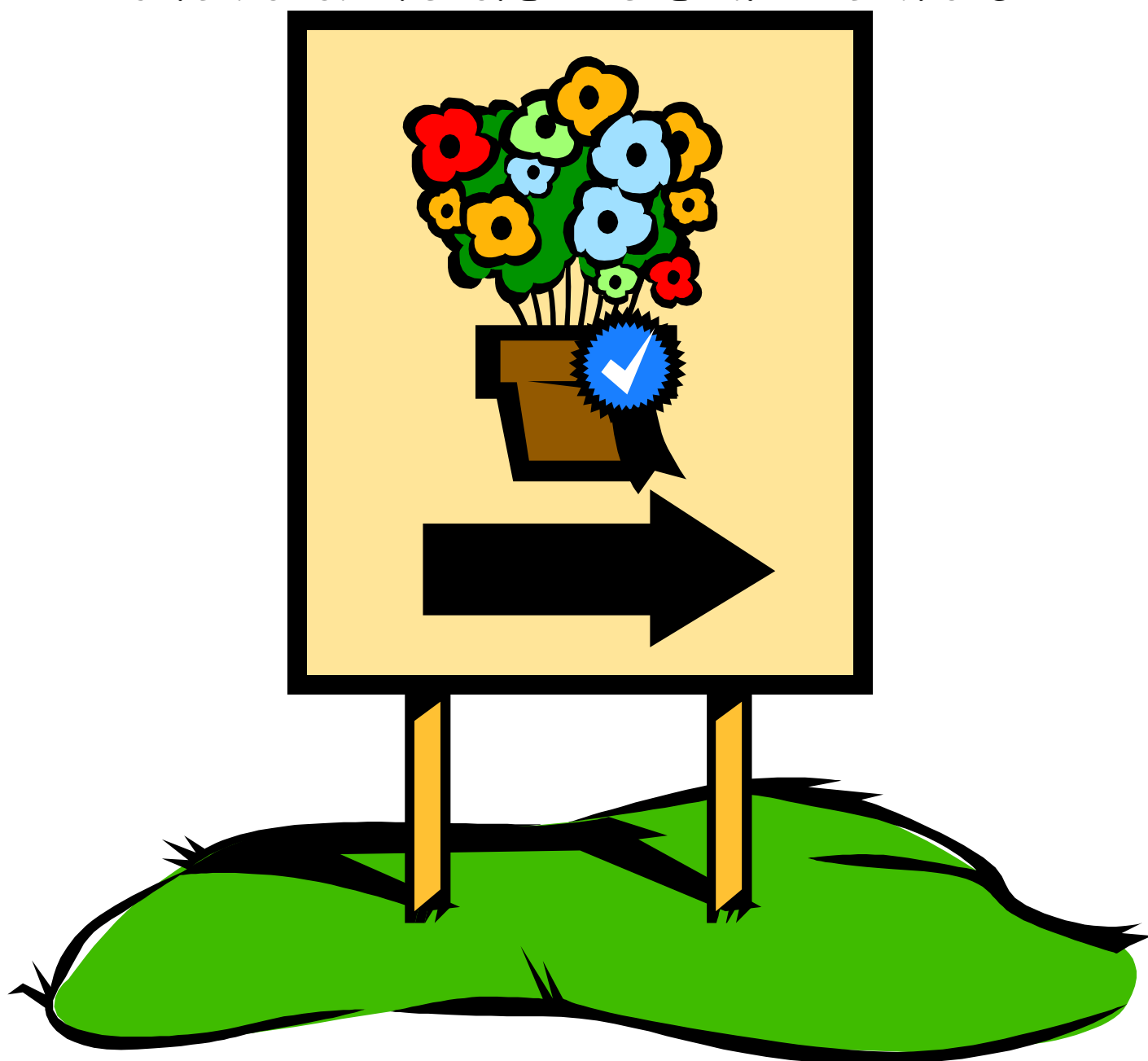


VILLAGE NEWS

August 2014

FOR THE PARISHES OF CHARLTON MUSGROVE,
CUCKLINGTON & STOKE TRISTER WITH BAYFORD



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FROM THE RECTORY

Today I spent walking around the nature reserve on Poole Harbour at Arne. The sun was shining, there was a gentle breeze, it was perfect. Well almost! We went hoping to see Dartford Warblers (a delightful and fairly rare bird) that lives on the reserve. When we arrived, we were told that they had been spotted near one of the hides. We headed there excitedly and spent time looking around carefully, scanning the area with our binoculars. We kept our eyes open through the day but the bird watchers amongst you will not be surprised to hear that the birds we went to see remained elusive. We were tempted to be disappointed: no Dartford Warblers. On the other hand, I couldn't begin to list what we had seen and heard in the time we spent at Arne including, what, when we looked it up, turned out to be a local speciality, the tiny Silver Studded Blue butterfly.

This summer might not turn out as you had hoped for many reasons but I hope that along the way, you will be encouraged by the unexpected and unlooked for signs of hope or gestures of care and support. Life rarely pans out as we might plan and when it does, sometimes what we thought we wanted turns out not to be quite the prize we'd anticipated. We human beings have become so capable at controlling and managing most aspects of our lives that it is easy to forget that there are some things that simply cannot be managed but must simply be borne.

May we have the grace and steadfastness to be those who can ride out a storm, the wisdom to know when we must change course, and the courage necessary to offer or accept a helping hand.

Jo

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From the Bishop of Bath & Wells, August 2014

Dennis Lillee, the Australian fast bowler once hit a batsman on the leg. Although he was given out, he remained at the crease and Lillee forcibly insisted he must go. The batsman replied: 'Dennis I'd love to go but I daren't move. I think you have broken my leg'. Moving isn't always easy, and although Jane and I have only been here a short while we are already feeling settled and at home. Thank you to everyone for making us so welcome since we arrived.

The batsman's words 'I daren't move' got me thinking about how we as Christians and we as a Church also often find moving difficult. There have been so many changes in society, in attitudes and in technology in recent years, the development of IT being an obvious example, that I am sure there are times when we wish it would all slow down and we want to say 'I'm not moving'. But the gospel calls us to move in all sorts of ways. Our spiritual lives should not be allowed to become stagnant or static. God is always drawing us and inviting us into a deeper relationship with him. He also calls us to move outwards and move onwards in loving service to our families, neighbours and the communities where we live and work. I am being challenged at the moment by the words of 1Peter 'be eager to do good.' As we open our lives to God the Holy Spirit may he find us eager and willing to keep moving in our journey of discipleship as we follow Jesus and seek to make him known to other people. Michelangelo, one of the greatest artists and sculptors of all time once said: 'Lord, grant that I may desire more than I can accomplish.' That may be a bit more than some of us can pray, but let's all be praying: 'Lord, keep me moving.'

With warmest best wishes

+Peter Bath and Wells

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August 2014

6 th Aug	David Heath	St Lawrence Church
7 th Aug	Bayford Coffee Morning	At the Ellard's house, Sunnybank
9 th Aug	Village Hall Cleaning	Arthur Morison Memorial Hall
15 th Aug	A talk on the Seychelles	Arthur Morison Memorial Hall
16 th Aug	Village Flower Show	Cucklington, Stoke Trister & Bayford
30 th Aug	Village Flower Show	Charlton Musgrove Memorial Hall

ADVANCED DATES

13 th Sept	Ride and Stride	Across the County
20 th Sept	Concert 'The Millfield Trio'	Charlton Musgrove Memorial Hall

For more information about the Ride and Stride or the Somerset Churches Trust please go to their website www.somersetchurchestrust.org where there is all the information you need.

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CHURCH SERVICES

August 2014

**CMSJ – St. John’s, Charlton Musgrove. CMSS – St Stephen’s Charlton Musgrove
C – St Lawrence, Cucklington. ST – St Andrew’s Stoke Trister. B - Bayford Chapel**

3 rd Aug	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	ST
10 th Aug	8.00 am	Holy Communion	CMSS
	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	C
	11.00 am	Holy Communion	ST
17 th Aug	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	ST
24 th Aug	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	CMSS
31 st Aug	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	ST

September 2014

7 th Sept	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	ST
	11.00 am	Holy Communion	CMSJ
	6.30 pm	Evensong	C
14 th Sept	8.00 am	Holy Communion	CMSS
	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	C
	11.00 am	Holy Communion	ST
21 st Sept	9.30 am	<i>allTogether</i>	ST
	11.00 am	Holy Communion (modern)	CMSS
	6.30 am	Evensong	C
28 th Sept	9.30 am	Family Harvest Thanksgiving	CMSS
	11.00 am	Harvest Thanksgiving	C
	6.30 pm	Harvest Thanksgiving	ST

Julian meeting at the Baptist chapel in Wincanton on the first Monday of every month, 10.00am for coffee followed by silence for half an hour at 10.30.



VILLAGE VIEW

CHARLTON MUSGROVE

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The Churches – St Stephen's And St John's



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Village Hall

Saturday 20th September – 7.00pm at Charlton Musgrove Memorial Hall

A concert is to be given by **THE MILLFIELD TRIO**. The trio, soprano, clarinet and keyboard have been performing together for 3 years. They have a wide repertoire ranging from songs by Schubert to cabaret numbers from the 20th century. All are presented in an informative manner. Tickets are £20 each which includes canapes and wine. All proceeds for the churches of Charlton Musgrove. Phone 01963 32928 or 07872 509796.

John & Pauline Bastable would like to thank everyone who sent messages, cards and flowers (and pies!) both to us and Claire & Connie following the recent death of Olly. Your support to us personally has been both heart-warming and practical; we felt the strength and prayers of the whole community. The care and kindness of friends and neighbours is much appreciated. The Thanksgiving Service, held at Wincanton Parish Church, with Jo officiating, we hope, provided an appropriate and amazing tribute to a short life but one well lived.

Pilates: Contact Mo for details on: 07815 748518
mospilates@yahoo.com Wednesdays at Charlton Musgrove Village Hall
6.30pm – 7.30pm (Intermediate) 7.30pm – 8.30pm (Beginners)



Short Mat Bowls at Charlton Musgrove Village Hall

WE MEET ON THE 2nd AND 4th TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH

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Community

Save the Date:

Charlton Musgrove Village Flower Show

Saturday 30 August 2.30pm

Now that the sunflower seeds which came round with May's Village News are growing and the sun is shining, we shall be hoping for a huge entry in the tallest, most magnificent sunflower class. And plenty of other fine specimens in all classes.

We have some new categories this year and we look forward to lots of extra entries from all our enthusiastic gardeners and flower arrangers, cooks and photographers, handicraft experts and, of course, all our children. The Green Fingers Award will be presented to the owner of the Tallest, Straightest and Most Magnificent. Make this a date in your diary and come to enjoy an afternoon of gentle competition and wonderful teas!

VILLAGE 'SAFETY NET'

Remember to phone **01963 31634** for help in Charlton Musgrove if you need to call on the "safety net" which is in place.

Diane Coe

Winners of the 100 club draw for Charlton Musgrove

JUNE 2014

- > NO 18 Claude Teague £50.00
- > NO 64 Nick and Mike Greenland £25.00
- > NO 60 Lorraine Talbot £25.00

JULY 2014

- > NO 32 Nick Amery £15.00
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A fascinating talk on the Seychelles by Dr Kevin Shillington. Friday 15th August, 7 pm in the Arthur Morison Memorial Hall.

Light eats, cash bar, all proceeds to Church. Tickets £7.50. Please let Brian Trueman (01747 841014) or Karen Dunford (01963 34220) know if you would like to come.

David Heath Village Tour

David Heath, our local MP, is holding his annual village tour. He will be in Cucklington, by the Church, on Wednesday 6th August at 16:20. David will be standing down at the next election in May 2016 so this will be his last village tour.

CUCKLINGTON, STOKE TRISTER WITH BAYFORD FLOWER SHOW

Will be held on the 16th August and due to the talk the evening before Exhibits can be staged on the day of the show from 7.30 till 9.30 am

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Hall bookings should be made through Jenny Rawlings who also holds the keys.

Village Hall Cleaning. The next session will be on **Saturday 9th August**. A couple of hours, starting at 9.30, followed by coffee and cake!

WW1 Photographs – Early notice – but we shouldn't allow this year to pass without some recognition of the sacrifices of WW1. I'm sure many of us have photos of relatives who fought or contributed in some other way to the war effort. We plan, therefore, to have an informal exhibition of these photos to coincide with the coffee morning on Saturday 25th October. So – scour your albums now and look them out!

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