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BOW BRICKHILL VILLAGE NEWS

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Spring flowers and views around Caldecotte Lake : April 2016

**With thanks to Andy Dishman for this lovely photo
(wish you could see this in colour)**

The Village News is hand delivered to all the homes in Bow Brickhill and a few beyond

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SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE

Bow Brickhill : All Saints

July

- 3rd 6.00 p.m. Evensong
 10th 11.00 a.m. Family Service
 17th 10.00 -11.00a.m Church Open
 24th 9.00 a.m. Holy Communion
 31st 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
Benefice Service at Stoke Hammond

August

- 7th 6.00 p.m. Evensong
 14th 11.00 a.m. Family Service
 21st 10.00 -11.00a.m Church Open
 28th 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
Benefice Service at Great Brickhill

Little Brickhill : St Mary Magdalene

July

- 3rd 9.30 a.m. Holy Communion
 17th 11.00 a.m. Family Service
with Baptism

August

- 7th 9.30 a.m. Holy Communion
 21st 11.00 a.m. Family Service

Great Brickhill : St Mary the Virgin

July

- 3rd 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
 10th 9.30 a.m. Holy Communion
 17th 9.30 a.m. Morning Worship
 24th 11.00 a.m. Family Service

August

- 7th 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
 14th 9.30 a.m. Holy Communion
 21st 6.00 p.m. Evensong
 28th 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
Benefice Service

Stoke Hammond : St Luke

July

- 3rd 11.00 a.m. Family Service
At Methodist Church
 10th 9.00 a.m. Morning Worship
 17th 9.30 a.m. Café Church
 24th 9.00 a.m. Matins
 31st 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
Benefice Service

August

- 7th 11.00 a.m. Family Service
 14th 5.00 p.m. Compline
following afternoon tea
 21st 9.00 a.m. Holy Communion

Prayers for healing

Monthly meetings are held at the Rectory in Great Brickhill

Email: rector@brickhillchurches.org.uk or tel 01525 261062

House Communion

A service of Holy Communion for residents of Bow Brickhill is held on most Thursday mornings in the village. Transport can be arranged .

Phone **Cynthia on 01908 642878**

**CHURCH FLOWERS
& CLEANING ROTA**



July

3rd
10th

17th
24th

August

7th
14th

21st
28th

Flowers

K Leeming

—“—

S Robinson

—“—

M Preen

—“—

S Willis

—“—

Cleaning

A Duff

—“—

S Pepper

—“—

B Morris

—“—

J Lousada

—“—

DEADLINE FOR THE SEPTEMBER ISSUE



22nd August 2016

Contributions please to:

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If you are able to help with a contribution towards the cost of the Newsletter please send it to: Ann at 46 Station Road

Cheques should be made payable to: **Bow Brickhill Parish Council**



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rector@brickhillchurches.org.uk

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Churchwarden: John Wales Tel: 01908 373907

To contact both the Rector and Churchwarden

Email: bowbrickhillchurch@gmail.com

**FUNDRAISING CAR WASH
FOR BOW BRICKHILL CE SCHOOL**

**SUNDAY 10 JULY
10.00AM –12.00 NOON
BOW BRICKHILL PAVILION**

Relax while our friendly team of parents and school children bring your car to a shine



With a full car wash at £4 you can afford to help us raise funds for your Village School*

Riding in the woods? MTBs cleaned £2 per bike #

£4

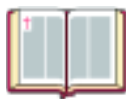
PER CAR

No booking required simply turn up and we will do the rest And, while you wait why not enjoy a morning coffee and other light refreshments

***All proceeds to Bow Brickhill CE Friends of the School (Registered Charity). # Don't worry we won't jet wash your bearings!**

Thought for the Month : Isaiah Chapter 45, verse 8

“Shower, O heavens, from above, and let the clouds rain down righteousness; let the earth open, that salvation and righteousness may bear fruit; let the earth cause them both to sprout; I the Lord have created it.”



ALL SAINTS LUNCH CLUB : July 17th and August 21st

During the summer the lunch club will meet on **Sunday July 17th** and **August 21st** at the church hall at 12.30pm.

New guests are always welcome and if you would like to come and join us for an enjoyable lunch in a friendly atmosphere please contact Kay or Stuart on 01908 372032 to book in.



Transport to and from the hall is available.

CHURCH HALL DROP-IN AFTERNOON JULY 13th and AUGUST 10th

The church hall is open on the second Wednesday of the month for anyone to call in during the afternoon, meet up with others, and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee.



The next dates are **July 13th** and **August 10th** so do come along anytime between 2.30 and 4.30pm and join us.



CHURCH OPEN 17th JULY and 21st AUGUST

On the third Sunday of each month, when there is no Sunday service, the church is open from 10am to 11am for anyone who wishes to get away from the noise and hustle of everyday life and spend some time in peace and quiet.

You are welcome to come at anytime during the hour for as little or as long as you like and experience the tranquillity of your parish church. The church will be open on **Sunday 17th July and August 21st**.

WANTED – GARAGE TO RENT

I am looking for a garage to rent in Bow Brickhill to park a car

Willing to pay one year rental in advance

Keith Rattray, 90 Station Road (email keithratt1605@gmail.com)

Lexophilia

..... is a word used to describe those that have a love for words, such as "you can tune a piano, but you can't tuna fish", or "to write with a broken pencil is pointless."

When fish are in schools, they sometimes take debate.

A thief who stole a calendar got twelve months.

When the smog lifts in Los Angeles U.C.L.A.

The batteries were given out free of charge.

A dentist and a manicurist married. They fought tooth and nail.

A will is a dead giveaway.

With her marriage, she got a new name and a dress.

A boiled egg is hard to beat.

When you've seen one shopping centre you've seen a mall.

Police were summoned to a day-care centre where a three-year-old was resisting a rest.

Did you hear about the fellow whose entire left side was cut off? He's all right now.

A bicycle can't stand alone; it's just two tired.

When a clock is hungry it goes back four seconds.

The guy who fell onto an upholstery machine is now fully recovered.

He had a photographic memory which was never developed.

When she saw her first strands of grey hair she thought she'd dye.

Acupuncture is a jab well done. That's the point of it.



ALWAYS LAUGH WHEN YOU CAN...IT IS CHEAP MEDICINE.

CONTACT DETAILS FOR THE NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICE OFFICER:

It is believed that PC Rob Grewal has moved on



But it may be possible to find police officers when they visit the Library in Woburn Sands on Wednesday between 11 a.m. and 12 p.m.

When further details are known they will be made available.



The Wheatsheaf
 www.wheatsheafbowbrickhill.co.uk
 01908 374795

Real Ale selection: Bombardier Burning Gold
 Bucks Star, Eagle and Doom Bar

Sunday Roast £9.95 (please book in advance)

Daily Menu: Pan Fried Sweet Chilli Salmon
 Rump Steak with trimmings
 Gammon Egg & Chips
 Scampi
 Pan Fried Cod in a Mustard & Marrowfat Pea Sauce

Event for July:

Friday 1st Karaoke
 Friday 29th Karaoke
 Saturday 16th 80's Tribute Show
 Sunday 10th Charity BBQ In aid of Milton Keynes Charity Hospital
 (Organised by Extreme Mud Runners Ltd)

Sunday 10th Euro 2016 Final

Every Wednesday Cash prize bingo from 8 p.m.

All Euro 2016 Football Matches screened in the Bar

August:
 Bank Holiday Sunday 28th "Soul at the Sheaf" from 5pm until 12pm
 this is a soul, funk and northern soul event.

Please visit www.wheatsheafbowbrickhill.co.uk to see any additional information

Fred Roche Foundation are hosting an event at the Gallery on
Tuesday 5th July that is open to members of the public.

This is bookable directly with FRF, details here... http://www.mkgallery.org/events/2016_07_05/mkfutures_2050_commission_vision_presentation/

MK Futures 2050 Commission will also be holding some public sessions around the same time (details to follow once received)

Are you aged 9 - 16? Then why not join the
 **BOW BRICKHILL YOUTH CLUB**

1st & 3rd Thursdays of each month
 7.00 p.m. - 9.00 p.m. at the Pavilion : Cost £2 per child



Helpers urgently required—without your support this much valued facility will have to close

Please contact Mike Hallett on 01908 648373

Shall we Anth?



24th July 3pm Bow Brickhill Church

*"Old Favourites, new works
 Secular and religious"*

And a Cream Tea!!!!

Brickhills Benefice Church Choir

**Collection and Donations to
 The Alzheimer's Society**




Do you need a Helping Hand?

If you are looking for an **alternative to residential care** or extra support for those everyday tasks that are becoming difficult for you or a loved one – then we're here to help - **from 30 minutes per week to full time Live-in Care.**


Our **Milton Keynes care team** has been providing award winning quality homecare since 1989 and can help with: personal care, housekeeping, help getting around or even to provide a break to an existing family member or care-giver.

To find out how we can help you, call: **01908 828 593** or visit: www.helpinghands.co.uk




Christian Aid Collection

Many thanks to all the collectors and everyone who donated to Christian Aid week.



We raised a fantastic **£330.81** from the village - which will help some of the world's poorest people stay safe in times of crisis.

Thank you everyone!



Get your **pedal cycle** security labelled and recorded on the Bike Register National Database free of charge!

Thames Valley Police Community Support Officers will be in attendance at Shenley Church End Fete, Medbourne Pavilion, 31 Pascal Drive, Medbourne on Saturday 2 July between 12 noon and 4.30pm to undertake cycle marking and registration, as well as providing security advice.

There is no need to book in advance - just turn up with your cycle on the day.




Sands Singers Summer Concert

(with refreshments)

on

Sunday 17th July

at 2.30pm

at

St Michael's Parish Church

(Church Road, Aspley Heath)



Tickets £5 - Proceeds supporting local charities



The Pavilion

Do you want to hold a party at the Pavilion?
The Pavilion is available to hire for residents (and non-residents) at a very competitive rate should you wish to get available dates or hire rates

Please contact Debbie Mayer on 01908 631007

THREE PARISHES OUTING

Wednesday 20th July: Bury St Edmunds

Wednesday 17th August: Richmond

with possible drop-offs at Kew Gardens and Ham House (National Trust)

Tickets can be booked from Ron and Sylvia Fox tel. 01908 378289



Bow Brickhill History Society

Dates for your Diary !

September 7th

The Church Hall @ 7.45 pm

Open meeting - everybody is welcome to enjoy a talk entitled 'A Journey by Stagecoach from London to York in 1820'.

Free Admission - Refreshments provided

November 12th

The Church Hall : The Bow Brickhill Feast

For further details please contact Mary
marypreen@gmail.com or telephone 01908 647003



Sub-Station Adjacent to the Wheatsheaf

To let you know that Western Power have advised that works are to be carried out to replace this sub-station starting on 23rd June and expected to last for about 3 weeks. Part of the project will require excavation outside the sub-station in the grass verge and footpath.

Western Power apologise for any inconvenience that these works may cause. Contact is Harry Frizzell 01604 875543 or 07710 124150



The results of the May draw for the ASTRA 500 Club are :

1st prize:	Georgie Holden	ticket number 97	£29.75
2nd prize:	Sharon Giles	ticket number 126	£20.83
3rd prize:	Ann Sidgwick	ticket number 15	£ 8.93

Andrea Spurdle : 500 Club Manager

The draw is held in The Wheatsheaf on the last Thursday of every month - do come along and support Andrea

MK HERITAGE OPEN DAY Sunday September 11th

The Church and tower will be open again from 10 a.m. – 4.30pm as part of the MK Heritage Open Weekend on Sunday September 11th.



Last year we had over 130 visitors during the day and as well as the splendid views of surrounding countryside from the tower there will be photographs and old records of the village on display and tea and cakes for sale.

We would be very grateful for any help on the day serving refreshments, manning the tower or providing a cake.

Please mail Kay on kayleeming@aol.com or phone 01908 372032 if you are able to help.

BOW BRICKHILL WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

September Meeting: 22/9/16

AFRICAN DRUMMING

This was such good fun last time that we asked for it to return

October Meeting: 27/10/16

HEALTH & BEAUTY EVENING

More details to follow

Please come and join us at the Pavilion in Rushmere Close
We meet at 7.30 p.m.



<u>DATES FOR YOUR DIARY</u>			
JULY			
Monday 4th	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Wednesday 6th	Rainbows Brownies	Church Hall Church Hall	5.00 - 6.00 p.m. 6.15 - 7.30 p.m.
Thursday 7th	Youth Club	Pavilion	7.00 p.m..
Sunday 10th	School Fund-raising Car Wash	Pavilion	10.00 a.m. - 12 Noon
Monday 11th	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Wednesday 13th	Drop-in Afternoon Rainbows Brownies MK Acoustic Guitar Club	Church Hall Church Hall Church Hall Church Hall	2.30 - 4.30 p.m. 5.00 - 6.00 p.m. 6.15 - 7.30 p.m. 8.00 p.m.
Thursday 14th	Parish Council Meeting	Pavilion	7.30 p.m.
Sunday 17th	All Saints Lunch Club	Church Hall	12.30 p.m.
Monday 18th	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Wednesday 20th	3 Parishes Outing to Bury St Edmunds Buccaneers Club	pick-up in Pavilion	Bow Brickhill 8.00 - 10.00 p.m.
Thursday 21st	Youth Club	Pavilion	7.00 p.m..
Sunday 24th	Shall we Anth?	All Saints Church	3.00 p.m.
Monday 25th	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Wednesday 27th	MK Acoustic Guitar Club	Church Hall	8.00 p.m..
Thursday 28th	WI - Trip to Northampton Shoe Museum		

- Are you interested in learning a new language?
- Do you want to practise your existing language skills?
- Are you interested in working as a translator or interpreter?
- Or perhaps you are a language teacher looking to network and explore the latest language learning research from The Open University?

The Languages : MK Show : SATURDAY 9TH JULY 10.30 a.m. – 15.30 p.m.
VENUE: Jennie Lee Building The Open University Walton Hall : Free Entry

<u>DATES FOR YOUR DIARY</u>			
AUGUST			
Monday 1st	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Thursday 4th	Youth Club	Pavilion	7.00 p.m..
Monday 8th	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Wednesday 10th	Drop-in Afternoon MK Acoustic Guitar Club	Church Hall Church Hall	2.30 - 4.30 p.m. 8.00 p.m.
Monday 15th	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Wednesday 17th	3 Parishes Outing to Richmond Buccaneers Club	pick-up in Pavilion	Bow Brickhill 8.00 - 10.00 p.m.
Thursday 18th	Youth Club	Pavilion	7.00 p.m..
Sunday 21st	All Saints Lunch Club	Church Hall	12.30 p.m.
Monday 22nd	Line Dance	Pavilion	7.00 p.m.
Wednesday 24th	MK Acoustic Guitar Club	Church Hall	8.00 p.m..
Thursday 25th	WI - Theatre Trip		

The Police and Crime Commissioner Anthony Stansfeld has launched a survey seeking feedback from residents of the Thames Valley on policing and crime. The results of the survey will help inform the next Police and Crime Plan which is due to be published in March 2017.

This Summer, the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner is seeking views from the residents of Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and Berkshire on policing and crime. This feedback will help inform the Police and Crime Plan which sets the priorities for Thames Valley Police for the next 5 years.

What concerns you about policing in your area? What would you like Thames Valley Police to prioritise with regards to crime? Have you been a victim of crime and would like to feedback your experience?

To give your views, you can complete a short online survey at www.thamesvalley-pcc.gov.uk/survey. It should take no more than 10 minutes to complete and will be open until Friday 30th September 2016. If you would like a copy of the survey posted to you, please contact the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner on **01865 846780**