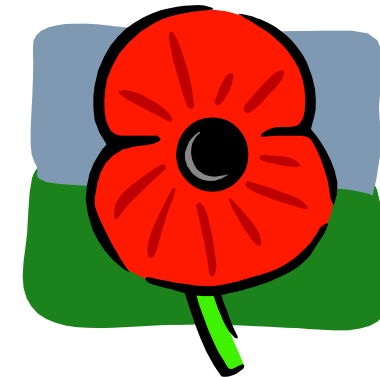


Bow Brickhill Parish News



NOVEMBER 2011

Tuesday 1st	Bow Brickhill Club. 1pm to 3pm. Pavilion John The Barber. 2pm to 4pm Greenways Lay-by
Weds 2nd	Brownies. 6.00pm to 7.15pm. Church Hall. BB School Firework Display. Open 5.30pm. Display 6.30pm
Thursday 3rd	Youth Club 7pm to 9pm. Pavilion
Sunday 6th	Wheatsheaf Re-opening. 12pm to 3pm
Monday 7th	Line Dancing. 7pm. Pavilion
Weds 9th	Drop In Afternoon. 2.30pm to 4.30pm. Church Hall Brownies. 6.00pm to 7.15pm. Church Hall.
Thursday 10th	Parish Council Meeting. 7.30pm. Pavilion
Saturday 12th	Bow Brickhill History Society Meal. Pavilion
Sunday 13th	Service Of Remembrance. 3.00pm. War Memorial
Monday 14th	Line Dancing. 7.00pm Pavilion. Book Group Contact Celia 07776 136828 for details
Tuesday 15th	John The Barber. 2pm to 4pm Greenways Lay-by
Weds 16th	Three Parishes Outing to Rugby Brownies. 6.00pm to 7.15pm. Tombola Collection Buccaneers Model Club. 8pm Pavilion
Thursday 17th	Youth Club 7pm to 9pm. Pavilion
Saturday 19th	Church Bazaar. 2.00pm Pavilion
Monday 21st	Line Dancing. 7.00pm Pavilion.
Weds 23rd	Brownies. 6.00pm to 7.15pm. Church Hall.
Thursday 24th	WI. AGM with supper. 7.30pm. Pavilion.
Sunday 27th	All Saints Lunch Club. 12.15 for 12.30pm. Church Hall
Monday 28th	Line Dancing. 7.00pm Pavilion.
Tuesday 29th	John The Barber. 2pm to 4pm Greenways Lay-by
Weds 30th	Brownies. 6.00pm to 7.15pm. Church Hall. Christmas Lights Switch On 6.45pm. Village Green

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SMOCKING – THE LOST CRAFT?

Would you like to learn the old art of smocking? If so, call 373739 (evenings) for more information.

FOR SALE

- Floor length, two tone gold/green prom dress. Strappy, size 6- absolutely stunning with shoulder wrap. Worn once- mint condition £40 o.n.o
- Red, patterned salopettes- never worn, still with tags. Size small, short leg. £35 o.n.o

Contact Lauren, email haylesk@hotmail.com

Hairdressing by JENNY COLEMAN

Fully qualified, mobile hairdresser.
Police checked and 30 years experience.

Competitive prices, please call 01908 647124



LOCAL HONEY

Local honey for sale £3.50 per pound.

Please call Carol on 01908 647979.





The Rotary Club of the Brickhills
Run

Fun Charity Casinos

We have 15 years experience running Casinos
Proceeds going to Local, National
and International Charities

Roulette
Black Jack
Middleman
Three Card Poker

**Call now to book your
Christmas Party!**



If you would be interested in hosting one of these events
for any special occasion, please email casino@brickhillsrotary.co.uk
07913 864669



3 PARISHES OUTING

16th NOVEMBER - RUGBY

7th DECEMBER - OXFORD
CHRISTMAS MARKET



Available to all parishioners over 60 living in the three parishes

Sponsored by: Bow Brickhill Parish Council;
Wavendon Parish Council; Woburn Sands Town Council

In conjunction with

AGE Milton Keynes
Concern

Please contact Beverley Thompson on 01908 372192 for tickets, or
e-mail beverleydianethompson@gmail.com

PARISH NEWS

Parish Clerk

At the Parish Council meeting on 13th October we bade a fond farewell to Julie Summerfield, our Parish Clerk for many years, who is leaving to develop other career opportunities. Julie has done a wonderful job of keeping the Parish Council in order and acting as our first point of contact with residents and with other bodies. Her local knowledge was invaluable, not to say encyclopaedic! Her tactful and cheerful presence will be sorely missed but we are pleased to say that the role has been taken on by Debbie Mayer whose contact details appear elsewhere in the newsletter.

Fallen tree

We discussed the tree that has fallen into the playing field and, in particular, whether there was any damage to the climbing frame and if the adjacent large tree posed any danger. The climbing frame has been inspected and is sound. MK Council is being asked about the remaining tree.

Village Party

The Parish Council is interested in organising a 'Village Party' to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee on the 4th June 2012.

Alongside a party the council would like to have a village help day to make some minor repairs to the pavilion, surrounding area and throughout the village.

If you think this is a good idea and would be able to help organise it please contact James Byles (07970749422 or james.a.byles@hotmail.co.uk). If you have any suggestions please contact James as well.

COPY DEADLINE – DECEMBER/JANUARY

Deadline for a combined December/January issue should be sent by 21st November
to Gill Cannell – email bowbrickhillpavilion@gmail.com

BOW BRICKHILL CLUB

On Tuesday October 4th the club held their 12th annual general meeting, remembering the last year's activities and making plans for the beginning of Year 13. This was also the occasion of our annual Bring and Buy Sale, when we have the opportunity to raise funds for the club. The sale was followed by our celebration tea, a raffle and a quiz won by Sylvia and Ron Fox. This brought the end to what one might call a lively afternoon.

With winter almost upon us we are again **changing our meeting time from 2pm to 1pm, starting on Tuesday November 1st**, when Stephen Castle will be giving the second part of his talk on steam railways 'Bletchley to Oxford', following his previous talk on journeys from 'Bletchley to Cambridge'.

As at our previous winter meetings, we shall have a buffet lunch instead of our afternoon tea, so hopefully members will have a good healthy appetite prepared for **Tuesday November 1st at 1pm**.

The club would like to take this opportunity to thank the Parish Council for allowing us to use the Pavilion for two hours each month, free of charge, this being a great help to our limited resources.

DESKTOP PUBLISHER NEEDED

Having desktop published the Parish news for several years it is now time for me to stand down.

If you have a few hours to spare each month and access to Publisher or similar and fancy trying out your skills then please contact Gill Cannell bowbrickhillpavilion@gmail.com or Sally Robinson sallyhawtin@hotmail.co.uk

If you would like to know more about what is involved then please e-mail me at ruthtownsend311@aol.com

CARMINA BURANA – Carl Orff

NEW WORLD SYMPHONY – Dvorak

Sunday 13th November 2011 7.30pm
Milton Keynes Theatre

Don't miss the chance to hear this fantastic concert given by the Danesborough Chorus, Milton Keynes Chorale and Milton Keynes City Orchestra.

Soloists: Laurie Ashworth, Soprano
Mark Wilde, Tenor
Dawid Kimberg, Baritone

Tickets £20, £17, £14, £10 and £8, and concessions.

Danesborough Chorus Box Office: 01908 583460
MK Chorale Box Office: 01908 320958
MK Theatre Box Office: 0844 871 7652 (booking fee)

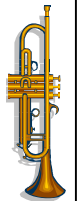
Tickets also available online via www.mkchorale.org.uk

WOBURN SANDS BIG BAND SOCIETY

THURSDAY 17th November 2009

7pm for 7.30 pm

Ellen Pettit Memorial Hall Woburn Sands



HARROW & PINNER Film Society:

BIG BANDS on the BIG SCREEN

ENTRY: £2.00,
Non members £3.00

Membership application forms available at the desk.

For further information call
David Higgs, 01908 583937, or Rex Harris, 01908 281235

**POLYMNIA PRESENTS
WORLD MUSIC FOR A WORLD VISION
And
POLYMNIA FAVOURITES**

Polymnia is a well-known local chamber choir offering two concerts this November.

World Music for a World Vision – in aid of vulnerable children in Armenia

**Saturday 12th November 2011 7.30pm
Church of St Peter and St Paul, Olney**

Daniella Ganeva	Marimba
Graham Instrall & Andy Martin	Percussion
Anna Le Hair	Piano

Tickets £15 (children under 12 £5) from 01234 7133381

**Polymnia Favourites
Saturday 26th November 2011, 7.30pm
St Mary's Church, Harlington**

Tickets £12 (£10 concessions, children under 16 free) from 01525 754181

Includes a glass of wine and interval refreshments

Music includes Allegri's Miserere, Howard Goodall's "The Lord is My Shepherd" (theme tune to the Vicar of Dibley) and John Rutter's "Gaelic Blessing."

TOMBOLA COLLECTION

The Brownies will be around the village collecting for the tombola on

**Wednesday 16th November
6pm to 7pm**

If you have items for the tombola and miss the collection please contact Sally Pepper Tel 375365



The Wheatsheaf

Station Road, Bow Brickhill

01908 374795

Opening Hours

Mon-Fri 12noon –3pm & 5 –11pm
Sat 11.30am -11pm
Sun: 12noon-10.30pm

Simon & Denise look forward to
welcoming you to the new look

Wheatsheaf!

Menu Snippets

Searched King Scallops with
chilli & Lime Dressing

Homemade Chicken Liver
Pate

Crispy Pork Belly on Sweet
Potato Mash with cider jus.

Fillet of Seabass with Salmon
Mousse on Wilted Spinach

Blueberry & Vodka
Cheesecake

Chocolate Temptation

Who Are We!?

Simon has come from "The Queen's Head" Sutton Basset: a village pub that is the heart of the community. He is a qualified chef, real ale connoisseur and dart fanatic!

Denise is currently also owner of "The Queen's Head" in Wing which has won many awards and accolades for its food, beer and commitment to supporting both local & national charities.

Both of us are looking forward to becoming an integral part of your beautiful village.



We pride ourselves on providing a warm, comfortable & friendly environment for you to enjoy our selection of fine wines, great real ales and premium spirits

Open invitation!

We'd like to invite all villagers to join us for a free drink & nibbles on

Sunday 6th Nov 12-3pm.

You'll notice we've been closed for a "cheeky" facelift so why not pop in and have a look!?

Free Drink: Glass of wine or pint of Beer/Lager

Join us on Facebook to find out what's been happening and get a chance to have a say in what will be happening!

Search: The Wheatsheaf Bow Brickhill

facebook

HARVEST FESTIVAL WEEKEND

The Harvest weekend commenced on the 8th October with our Harvest Supper. A convivial meal was followed by a presentation about the work of MAF (Mission Aviation Fellowship). The talk was interesting and informative and the proceeds of the evening, a sum of £146, were donated to MAF.

On Sunday 9th at our Harvest Family Service as well as a baptism we had the pleasure of hearing the Bow School Choir as they sang a lovely song for us.

On Monday 10th the traditional Harvest Auction took place at The Wheatsheaf, courtesy of our hosts Chris and Sue. Our thanks go to Sandy Payne who ran the raffle, Sue Wales and May Butcher who provided numerous cakes, marmalades and chutneys and most of all to Alan Preen whose auctioneering skills were put to the test but somehow managed to raise the goodly sum of **£364.65**. Along with the raffle a total of **£451.65** went to church funds. Many thanks to all who came along to support the event.

ALL SAINTS LUNCH CLUB

At the end of September twenty-three guests and helpers enjoyed a birthday celebration with cake and champagne to mark the 7th anniversary of the lunch club.

The November meeting will take place on

**Sunday 27th November
12.15pm for 12.30pm in the Church Hall**

All are welcome. For more details or to book in contact Kay or Stuart on 372032



CHURCH HALL DROP-IN AFTERNOON

This month the hall will be open on

**Wednesday November 9th
2.30pm to 4.30pm**

and all are welcome to drop in during the afternoon to meet up with others and enjoy a cup of tea.

BOW BRICKHILL CHURCH OF ENGLAND (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL 2011 AUTUMN TERM

The new school year is underway and the first half-term break already upon us. Here are some of the recent highlights of school activities: Last term a very enjoyable Sports Day organised by Mrs Roff and blessed by good weather was held on the playing field behind the village Pavilion.

Cedars were invited to the Woburn Countryside day at Woburn Abbey. The children learnt how the land is managed – farm and forest, the deer, equipment used – and met the gun dogs. Later they gave an excellent presentation in assembly.

Bucks Young Enterprise ran a day for Cedars and Maples last term – Cedars learned about city planning and Maples about global trade. Year 6 results were outstanding, with the combined English/Maths score for pupils achieving Level 4 being 93% compared with 74% nationally. Year 2 results show similar numbers exceeding the national averages.

Writing is an area for improvement, which has led to the purchase of a new spelling program.

Miss Evelyn completed her training with a grade of outstanding and has now taken up a role in Newport Pagnell.

The caretaker Mrs Holland retired at the end of the Summer Term after many years of unstinting service. Her retirement was marked with a presentation, a tea, and a BBQ.

Mrs West has begun masters-level Specialist Maths Teacher training. 15 new pupils joined Acorns in September and have quickly settled in. Most classes are full although a few places remain at the top end of the school due to unexpected departures.

A very successful Street Dance class is now running after school.

The MK Dons football club brought the Healthy Schools bus to Bow Brickhill for a day and all the children enjoyed physical activities and learning about healthy eating.

Mrs Lowe took Years 3 and 6 to the Safety Centre at Kiln Farm to learn about dangers and the need to keep safe.

The school-wide topic for this term is 'invaders and settlers'. Oaks learned about the Romans with visits to Bradwell Abbey and Bancroft Villa. Cedars and Maples are studying the Vikings and were recently visited by a Viking storyteller. The children all dressed in Viking costumes and many playground grievances were settled using cardboard swords!

The school Christmas plays will soon be upon us!



**ALL SAINTS CHURCH BOW BRICKHILL
AUTUMN BAZAAR
SATURDAY 19th NOVEMBER
2.00pm
THE PAVILION**



Organisation for this our major fundraising event is well underway but once again we are appealing for help by way of contributions to the following stall

Tombola (Brownies)	Sally Pepper, 4 London End Lane Tel 375365 Brownies will collect on Wednesday 16 th November between 6.00 and 7.00pm
Cakes	May Butcher, 25 Station Road. Tel 642555
Bric-a-brac	May Butcher, 25 Station Road. Tel 642555
Books	Trish Wilby, 3 Greenways, Tel 374577
Jigsaw Puzzles	John Wales, 6 Downs View. Tel 373907
Raffle	Andrea Spurdle, 42A Station Road, Tel 648373
Plants	Kay & Stuart Leeming, 74a Station Road. Tel 372032
Toys	Andrea Spurdle, 42A Station Road, Tel 648373

Contributions can be taken to the appropriate stallholders or contact if you require anything to be collected. Please note that furniture, large items, clothes or videos cannot be accepted for the bric-a-brac and no items can be accepted on the day.

As well as a good variety of stalls there will also be games and refreshments available.

So do come along and bring all the family on November 19th - you might find a bargain, buy a Christmas present, try your luck or just enjoy a cup of tea with friends

ADVENT SERVICE

Our Advent Carol Service is on **Sunday 27th November at 4.00pm.** This candlelit service celebrates the 'coming of the light of the world' by the foretelling of the birth of Jesus. We hope you can join us and please bring a torch.

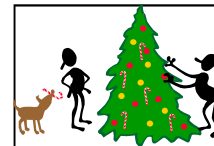
SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE

Our annual service of remembrance will take place on **Sunday 13th November at 3pm** at the **War Memorial**



Please do join us to honour those of the village who laid down their lives in the two World Wars and also remember all who suffer as a result of more recent wars and conflicts.

Tea will be served afterwards in the Church hall.



SWITCHING ON THE CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS

This year the 'switch on' will take place on

**Wednesday 30th December
at 6.45pm
on the village green**

Weather permitting we will sing carols round the tree and this will be followed by mulled wine and mince pies in the Church Hall served by the Brownies.

CHURCH ROTAS



**NOVEMBER
6th
13th
20th
27th**

FLOWERS
Mr and Mrs Fox
Mr and Mrs Fox

ADVENT

CLEANING
Mrs D Bowdler
Mrs D Bowdler

Mrs S Leeming

SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE

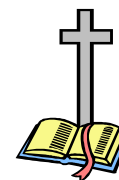
Bow Brickhill All Saints

6th November
9.30am Holy Communion

13th November
2.45pm Remembrance
Service at the War
Memorial

20th November
11.00am Matins

27th November—Advent Sunday
4.00pm Advent Carol
Service



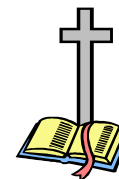
**Great Brickhill
St Mary the Virgin**

6th November
9.30am Holy Communion

13th November
10.50am Remembrance Service
6.00pm Said Compline

20th November
9.30am Holy Communion

27th November
11.00am Family Service



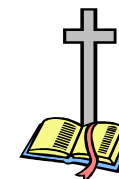
Stoke Hammond St Luke

6th November
11.00am Family Service with
Baptism

13th November
10.45am Remembrance Service
at Methodist Church

20th November
8.30am Holy Communion

27th November
9.30am Morning Worship



**Little Brickhill
St Mary Magdalene**

6th November
No Service

13th November
10.50am Remembrance Service

20th November
11.15am Family Service

27th November
9.30am Holy Communion