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Everton Community Association

Chairman's Letter

Dear Members,

How things can change with the advent of just two people interested in what happens in the village, namely Cheryl Fillmore and Sandra Burrows. Like a tornado they have swept into our midst and organised

"The Party in the Park" for June 4th. The programme sounds fresh and new, with loads of events taking place, please do come and give your support. Both Sandra and Cheryl have come aboard the ECA committee and are keeping us well informed as to all arrangements for the Diamond Jubilee Event, it will be like no other since I came to the village 13yrs ago.

We shall be serving tea and cakes all afternoon in the pavilion, any donations of homemade cakes will be gratefully received either on the day or during the course of the previous week. I shall be quite happy to accept frozen goodies – please give me a ring on 644729.

At our last committee meeting it was agreed that we should write to the NFDC to ask what they proposed doing with the devastation caused to the area along the Old Christchurch Road. It has been a haven for birds, flowers and blackberries for as long as I have known it, it seems rather a strange thing to do, given that we are all supposed to be looking after wildlife. We await their reply with interest.

Once again folks we are all part of this community, do give your support to "The Party in the Park" on 4th June.

VERA PETERS – Chair ECA



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Editor's Musings



Dear readers...

Putting together this Spring/Summer Newsletter has been a real pleasure...I've received lots of contributions and have been told of several exciting things to write about...I think I could have filled another few pages!!

This issue we have some different items detailing some of the exciting events that are happening in this area during the Summer, I for one intend to take advantage of where we live and go and see the truly amazing J Class Yachts as they race past Hurst Spit ...and I'm going to call on Melvyn as he undertakes his marathon painting session... ...and then of course there's the Party in the Park.

As most of you know Sandra and I have been getting our heads together over the last few months to sort out a fun filled celebration...I do hope you all come along and enjoy it! Should be great fun...don't forget to dress up in your fifeies gear......I'll be compliling a Comemmorative Jubilee pull out for next time, so hope to get lots of snapshots of you all on the big day. Please send me your photographs of the Celebrations to be included as well.

On the subject of the Jubilee, have a look at the photographs on p.19, Everton

celebrating in 1953...let's see if we can do the same thing again!

There are a couple of mentions in the Newsletter about the changes that are happening in Everton...the Pathway through the Wood and the cutting back of the foliage and hedgeways at Crossways

And then there's been a lot of work going on at the corner of Wainsford Road as you can see from the photograph below. A lot of rumours are flying about, but

HPC tell me it is has been undertaken by the owner who intendsto fence off this piece of privateland, which adjoins the Rec.



Perhaps we'll have more to report on in the next issue.

And finally thanks very much to everyone who is now helping with the Newsletter, through, Advertising and sending in contributions. On that subjet I have to apologise for errors that appeared in the last Issue. Hopefully they have been corrected and nobody was too inconvenienced... If you see anymore please tell me!

...Have a great Summer! Ed.

P.S.I note that Hordle Gardening Club are running their own Sunflower Competition...do I see a challenge coming on!!!!

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Chairman's annual report for Hordle Parish Council - April 2012

This year has been the first year in the four year life of this council and it has been my honour to serve the local community as chairman of the Parish Council.

The council has two primary roles, one, is the ongoing care and maintenance of parts of the fabric of the 3 villages that make up the Parish and secondly to help to improve the environment, or life experience, of the parish for its residents.

The council are the elected representatives of the community and it was pleasing to see more candidates standing for election this time than there were vacancies. For the first time in a number of years it was a competition.

The Parish Clerk, as officer of the council along with her staff are responsible for the delivery of day to day services as well as supporting the Council.

It has been pleasing this year to see the way in which our paid staff and elected representatives have worked together and I would like to express my thanks to all the team members for their efforts on behalf of the residents of the Parish.

Among the major achievements this year are: the refurbishment of the Hordle playground and the immediate area, the improvements to the war memorial area, the reinstatement of the youth group, the opening of the multi use games area at Hordle recreation ground for free general sports use and the encouragement of *facebook* and *twitter* sites as additional means of communication within the parish.

There are a number of projects that are ongoing which we expect to see brought to fruition during the life of this council. These include: publishing the *Village Design Statement*, obtaining planning permission for an expanded pavilion in Hordle to provide a combined sports pavilion and community centre, bringing the Dudley Ave recreation ground into fuller use for public recreation and providing increased recreational equipment at both Hordle and Everton recreation grounds for older residents from 12 years of age and over. We are also still looking to find land in the Parish for use as allotments.

The Parish Council has been and will remain active in trying to help solve other issues in the Parish such as road safety, dog and peafowl nuisances as they effect public health and safety. We also take a keen interest in planning issues whether they are private applications or plans being driven by New Forest District Council, New Forest National Park Authority or Hampshire County Council. Our responses reflect what we consider to be in the best interests of the parish.

The Council is still trying to find ways to improve communication and community involvement in the 3 villages that make up the Parish. The need is for "newer, younger" people to come forward to help with community events. (For younger please read from 10 to 70, the "baby boomer" generation, in particular, need to step up to do their bit) We are seeing an amazing resurgence of community involvement in Everton with more "newcomers" getting involved in organising and running the party in the park for 4/6/12. Likewise Tiptoe Green has generated real local involvement in making the Green an attractive feature in the centre of the village. Hordle too, has events planned for this summer by local people. Please get involved in your local activities.

The success of the council is down to its understanding of the parish. The elected representatives do their best to debate and put across ideas for the future of the 3 villages. However, these thoughts and ideas must be those of the community and we would very much welcome more local input. If you have an issue, an idea or vision for improving the parish we would like to hear from you. Our council meetings, generally on the first and third Monday of each month, are always open to the public and there is time set aside before each meeting for people to talk to councillors. We are also willing to come out and meet with members of the community or community groups to discuss items of interest.

David Ironside Chairman Hordle Parish Council April 2012

Out and about by Hordle Parish Council

- 1. Grounds maintenance works to Everton Recreation ground underway.
- 2. Jubilee Oaks planted at the recreation ground adjacent to the play park with the enthusiastic help of the preschool children.
- 3. Further benches for Everton play park to be installed early May.
- 4. Venues sort for councillors to hold informal discussions with local residents in Everton.

<u>Note our web page</u>Please check out the Parish Council web site <u>www.hordlepc.com</u> which is updated regularly with community and parish council news and provides links to items of interest such as up and coming events and matters of public consultation.

Everton Post Office & Village Stores

Well it seems it's time for another newsletter; the months really seem to fly by. Easter has come and gone and we're now looking forward to the summer with nice light nights and lots of sunshine, hopefully. Nothing new to say about the shop really, I think there's only so much you can say and then it becomes predictable. However I would just like to thank you all for your continued custom.

I would also like to say a huge thank you to those of you who have donated to the crisis appeal I posted on behalf of Southern Counties German Shepherd Rescue, which is a cause close to my heart. Your donations have been gratefully received and put to good use. There are a huge number of dogs in rescue at the moment and there seem to be fewer homes, lots of rescues are in the same boat at present, for all to enjoy so can I urge you all to support the raffle sadly it's a sign of the times.

And talking of dogs I just want to jump on the band wagon As mentioned previously we have Gills bottle stall and Gill and have a little rant. I know that dog poo is the subject of much discussion at the moment- mainly on the recreation ground - but Steven and I are forever picking up dog poo from the grass at the side of our shed in West Lane. We do it because we don't want people to tread in it and walk it into the shop, just imagine that, how awful. If you're out walking your dog and it stops to have a poo I can't believe that you wouldn't notice and having noticed why would you just leave it for other people to deal with? Come on folks be responsible owners and scoop the poop it doesn't take much. Rant over now.

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Sadly we had no sausage recipes entered into the competition so we haven't got a winner this time, but I've put a recipe into Cookery Corner for the barbeque season, Garlic and Sweet Pepper Compote.....I've been using it for a couple of years and it really does impress the guests.....go easy on the chilli if you don't like it too hot and serve it just warm, it's not the same chilled I promise you.

The next edition of the newsletter will be in the autumn just about the time we will be thinking of baking Christmas cakes so come on ladies how about sending in your best Christmas cake recipe? The winner will receive a bottle of Baileys as an early Christmas treat. Recipes can be handed in at the Post Office and need to be in by September 15th 2012.

It's only a matter of weeks till the Party in the Park and raffle tickets are now on sale in the shop at £1.00 each, we will be selling them outside the shop as usual closer to the time. This isn't a fundraising event as such but the raffle is a way of raising money so that we can make it a fun day out and buy a ticket or two?

has asked me to mention that any bottle, from Daddies sauce to Drambuie, is appreciated and donations can be handed in at the Post Office.

That's all for now hope to see you on the 4th June all dressed in your 50's finery. I've got my outfit have you got yours?

Sandra & Steven Burrows

EVERTON BRIDGE CLUB

Everton Bridge Club now in its 21st year continues to welcome visitors and prospective new members at their Tuesday evening meetings in the Everton Church Hall at 1830hrs

At the recent AGM Jim Knight was re-elected as Chairman. Jocelyn Buckel (Treasurer), David Bryett (Secretary) and Committee Members Edna Baldwin and Joan Oxley were also re-elected.

The Chairman presented prizes to winners of the Annual Competions:

Ladder Pairs Jocelyn Buckel and Jeanette Holmes Rose Bowl Jocelyn Buckel and Sue Clarke

Patricia Emmett was his choice for the Chairman's Cup as the year's most improved player.

The Club has vacancies for new members and application forms are obtainable from Committee Members Full details may be found at the Everton Bridge web-site www.bridgewebs.com/evertonbc

Local people...local lives...local events

Molly Jones... Wainsford Road... Athlete



We all know that the Olympic Games, London 2012 is just around the corner, but for one Evertonian, Molly Jones, the event carries a very personal poignancy...

You all know Molly, she carried the flame of the Everton newsletter for six years as the previous Editor, but in a different life, earlier this year she applied to carry the Olympic Torch on its journey hereabouts. Molly was short listed, which is a great honour in itself, but sadly she wasn't chosen....

To my way of thinking she should have been, for Molly's reason behind that application, was her desire to try and redress something that should have happened some fifty years ago...a chance to compete in the Olympic Games.

This was no wild dream, for Molly was very, very eligible.

For 10 years Molly Jones was the British record holder for the 400 metre sprint.

On August 2nd 1958, in an invitation race between Britain and the



Commonwealth at the White City Stadium, Molly Hiscox, as she was then, broke the World Record in sprinting the 440 yard distance. Her time of 55.6 broke the existing record of 56.1, which New Zealand's Marise Chamberlain had set in Christchurch earlier that year. Molly was the first British woman to hold this honour in the IAAF (International Amateur Athletic Federation)era. She followed this up later the same month when she won a bronze medal in the 400 metres at the

European Championships in Stockholm.

In 1959 in Helsinki, Molly took the time for the British record to 54.0, but she was never chosen to represent Great Britain in the 1960 Olympic Games in Rome despite being the fastest woman in Britain over the 400 metres. It was not included in the track and field Olympic programme until 1964. This distance was considered too difficult a sprint for women to run. By the time the rules had changed, Molly was married and expecting her first child.

Telling me about it, Molly is philosophical, for as she said, she believes her success and others like her, paved the way for the longer distances run today by women athletes such as Paula Radcliffe.



It was all so different in those days, she gave me a nostalgic smile, and showed me photographs of her crashing through the finishing line, her running kit, no more than a standard P.E uniform. For Molly, training sessions only happened once or twice a week at Tooting Bec running track which she would drive to on her scooter after work. There was no publicity, and certainly no sponsorship. The only fee she was ever paid, was for her tube fare as she worked on a series of newspaper articles and photographs of her carrying out household tasks while standing and moving in the correct manner!

Then she fell about laughing, as housework, I gather, is not her favourite task...



Artists in Everton

Melvyn Gates of Farmer's Walk, Everton is setting himself a huge challenge... Every year Melvyn gives one of his paintings to Naomi House, our local children's hospice, in order that they can raffle it to raise their funds, but this year he's doing something different...he's set himself the task of carrying out a 24 hour Painting Challenge in order to raise funds for Naomi House and Jack's Place.

He tells me that it's a project he's been thinking about for a couple of years, but earlier this year felt that the time had come to make the decision... And having taken the plunge he admits that he has 'talked about it publicly from the moment of decision because I thought I could very easily talk myself out of it ... and I certainly would have!'

The Challenge will take place in the Lymington Community Centre where the Manager has given Melvyn a room for no hire fee and will be Saturday/Sunday 16th/17th June. It will likely commence at 10am Saturday. In order to validate the challenge he will need and require people present during the full 24 hours otherwise he says, he could have a quick sleep on the job! (Knowing Melvyn I doubt that!). He hopes that some of the village people may like to visit and make a donation or even sponsor the event in some way. All monies given in donation, sponsorship and from sales of paintings produced will go to Naomi House. If you'd like to know more then please contact the Editor.

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Weather watch in Everton 2012

Due to the great interest that is shown by Evertonians in the weather we have decided to devote a whole page in this issue to this interesting topic! We were unable to bring you the Rainman's report in our last issue, due to delays in the ever changing atmosphere...however we felt that this comforting and realistic report should not be lost in the ether forever.

So here it is...(Editor)

Rainman Abroad

(This report was despatched to the Editor of the Everton Newsletter on 20 February 2012)

The Rainman has been despatched to foreign climes and is currently residing in Miami in Southern Florida. Readers will be relieved to learn that his expenses have been covered entirely by sponsors from outside the Hordle Parish boundaries. As a result there will be no increase to Everton's precept for overseas travel and expenses in this particular regard.

The metropolitan area of Miami has received no rain since before Christmas and it was felt that the presence of someone from a rain drenched country such as the United Kingdom might increase the likelihood of precipitation. Unfortunately, since the Rainman's arrival over a month ago, not a single drop has fallen. Disappointed that his influence had been a failure he sought an interview with a Seminole Indian rainmaker for advice. The Seminole's once occupied large areas of Southern Florida during the eighteenth century but after the Seminole wars the dwindling tribe was banished to a reserve deep in the Everglades in the 1850's. Happily their culture and hopefully their rain making abilities survive to this day.

Incidentally, it has been calculated that a drop of rain which falls on the prairies to the north of the Everglades and enters the river systems will take eighty years before it flows gently into the Gulf of Mexico. The Rainman remains confident that it will not take eighty years before the next drop falls on Southern Florida. He claims no credit for the fact that a few days ago the local weather became cloudy, cold, and very windy which culminated in a downpour which dumped three inches of rain on the city of Miami in one day.

A Postscript from Rainman

"Disappointed that his presence in America failed to produce any meaningful rainfall in the most southerly city of the most southerly state in the Union the Rainman returned to one of the most southerly counties in England . He was shocked to find that a hosepipe ban had been imposed which lead him to conclude that during his absence precious little rain had fallen on the county of Hampshire and in particular on the peaceful and pleasant gardens of Everton.

However, the august editor of this excellent publication insisted that rainfall figures be provided for this issue. On the 1st of April the rain gauge was retrieved from the shelf in the garage where it had sat for three months catching nothing but the occasional cobweb. It was given a quick service and placed in its usual position in the garden. Unfortunately barely a drop of rain has moistened the simple recording device between that date and your reading of these few uninspiring lines. It is difficult to report something which has not occurred. No rainfall and no figures so we end with an apology and a suggestion. To conserve the rain that HAS fallen on the village in the past perhaps we should shower every other day, flush the loo every other use, bathe once a week and all grow beards!"

(Submitted before the Monsoon weather hit Everton! Editor wonders if perhaps Rainman has been practising dancing lessons learned from the Seminole Indian Rainmaker...)

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The "Club" as it is known by, also has several functions on a monthly basis, a list will be provided at the end of this note. One of our charities is of course Oakhaven Hospice and our usual Charity day is Pumpkin Day where last year we raised over £400.

Membership is available to all and a visit to the Club is all that is needed come along and see for yourself our staff will be able to give you any information you require.

Forthcoming events:-

5th MAY TIME TRIO (Group)

12th MAY Trip to POOLE DOGS (spaces available)

18th MAY JAM NIGHT

19th MAY NIGHTLIFE (Group) 25th MAY Film Night (TBA)

4th JUNE <u>JUBILEE DAY</u> BACKTRACK (Group) 23rd JUNE GRAND CANYON (Country/Western)

28th JULY T.B.A.



Dogs and the Recreation Ground... Where children play...

Please 'poop scoop 'after your dog, there are two bins provided which are emptied regularly. Not doing so

is an offence and what you leave behind is a health hazard!

Do you have an old vehicle!?



We need classic/vintage cars/motorcycles for a display and a "drive in" will start from the Hyundai garage and arrive at the recreation ground via Wainsford Rd. If you have a suitable vehicle and can support the event I would like to know in order to ensure there is enough space for the cars once they arrive. Due to people being around the rec. we will be unable to let cars in after the arrival from the

garage and I would ask you to leave the car in place until 4.30.

If you can bring your car please let me know. Toby Sears, 46 Wainsford Rd, tel. 644269 or

07790 533619

COOKERY CORNER

COMPOTE OF GARLIC AND SWEET PEPPERS

I use this as a barbeque accompaniment, serve it warm or at room temperature but don't serve chilled

Serves 6 - 8

900g (2lb) mixed peppers – red,yellow and orange but **NOT** green

- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 2 teaspoons cumin seeds lightly crushed
- 2 teaspoons mild chilli powder this comes out very hot so if you like it milder reduce the amount of chilli powder
- 10 cloves of garlic crushed
- 5 level tablespoons tomato puree

Salt

- 1. Wash and deseed the peppers. Cut into strips about 5mm (1/4 inch) thick
- 2. Place a large saucepan over a medium heat and add the crushed cumin seeds and toss around in the heat to draw out the flavour
- 3. Add the oil and let it gently heat for a minute
- 4. Stir in the sliced peppers, garlic and chilli powder and cook for 1 minute, stirring so that the ingredients are well mixed
- 5. Cover the pan and cook over a low heat for 30-40 minutes or until the pepper strips are soft
- 6. Uncover the pan and increase the heat to medium and stir in the tomato puree. Continue to cook uncovered until all the liquid has been absorbed this takes about 15 minutes
- 7. Taste and add salt and more tomato puree if the mixture needs a little sweetness

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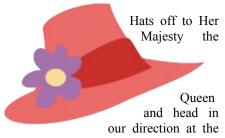
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EVERTON LADIES EVENING GROUP - LEGS

Our programme continues with the usual mix of serious and amusing talks, a quiz, an outing and, hopefully, lots of food!

"May the Force be with us" is the motto and by this I mean the Hampshire Fire and Rescue Service who are sending Community Safety Officer Jim Wilson to talk to us on **Monday 14th May**. So if you have any burning questions for him please bring them along with you!



Everton Diamond Jubilee Celebrations where some of our members will be displaying wonderfully decorated hats during the afternoon of **Monday 4**th **June**.

Do come and admire our hair-raising handiwork.

June is busting out all over and we are off for a daytrip to Sir Harold Hillier Gardens in Romsey on **Monday 11th June**. As well as the Gardens there will be Sculpture and an Exhibition to enjoy. There could be a few spare seats on the coach so if you are interested call me to book a place (01590 644252). £18 covers travel and entry to the Gardens.

From hair-raising in June to fund-raising in July. **Monday 2nd July** will be Quiz Night, coupled with a Sale of Cakes, and all money raised will go to this year's chosen charity – Oakwood Bird Rescue. Nothing too cerebral – just enough to stir up the grey cells a little (and the cakes are always good!).

And back to hair-raising in September when Roger and Sandra Downton will be talking about their adventures "In the Wake of the Cockleshell Heroes"; an all-action account of their perilous journey by canoe in tribute to the original wartime Heroes. This will be on **Monday** 3rd September.

Remember, LEGS meets once a month, usually on the first Monday evening, at St Mary's Church Hall in Old Christchurch Road, from 7.30 to 9.00pm. and £2 covers entry and refreshment. A warm welcome awaits ALL ladies from Everton and area, whatever their age, shape or size. Please do join us if you haven't already found us — in the last couple of months

you have missed a wonderful cookery demonstration by Splinters Restaurant of Christchurch and a yummy fish and chips evening – what are you waiting for?

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Diary Dates

May 16th A.G.M. Preceded by lunch
June 20th Granny Goes Back to India Mrs. J. Rose
July 18th Cream Tea
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Sept. 19th Who was Mary Quite Contrary?

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Alan.



J Class Yachts and The Solent Regatta

The Legend Lives'

Here's a date to book in your diary...Wednesday July 18 to Saturday the 21st for along this part of the coastline we are in for a treat, as the nearby waters of the Solent play host to the fabulous and spectacular J Class Yachts as they assemble for the Solent Regatta. These yachts compete in three to four major events each year and occasionally in other local events. This year, the Regatta is to be hosted by the Royal Southampton Yacht Club(RSYC)and is being organised with the direction and expertise of one Everton resident, who comments how 'delighted he is that the RSYC is hosting the 2012 Solent Regatta and is looking forward to spectacular, close racing.'

During the Regatta, the fleet will be berthed at Solent Refit, south of Hythe Pier, the only deep water facility that has the capability of berthing up to eight J Class Yachts, these yachts measure around 140 feet in length and each draws about 16 feet of water!

Historically, the waters of the Solent are the home waters of the famous J Class Yacht Races of the 1930's, slim, graceful and powerful yachts that were owned by such folk as the Liptons and the Vanderbjilts. J Class was without doubt the greatest sailing class of yachts ever created. During the 1930's this fleet consisted of just 10 yachts, but sadly by the Second World War only three remained, with these three being left to quietly rot away until they were finally rescued, rebuilt and reborn in the year 2000. This restoration was due to the formation of the J Class Association (JCA, and it's the Association secretary who is a resident of Everton...). Replicas of these historic vessels are now being built to race again, and the creation of this fleet of the biggest, finest racing yachts that the world has ever seen, is expected to be completed by 2012.

In July the J Class Yachts are scheduled to race three short races in the Solent Regatta, and ending in one long race on the 21st July (75 miles) for the Hundred Guinea Cup. This race will be sailed over the original America's Cup Course of 1851. Six to eight J Class yachts are expected to take part and will assemble on the RYS line off Cowes for a start time of 10:00 a.m. The course which travels clockwise around the Isle of Wight, is seen by many to capture the true spirit of the J Class racing. This is due to the varied weather and tidal conditions which call for great navigational skills and will test the crew's abilities to the full. It is expected to attract many thousands of spectators...how fortunate we are in Everton to have access to Hurst Spit and Castle, quoted on the website as an excellent vantage point to view this spectacular fleet! There's more information about the yachts themselves on the website, www.jclassyachts.com

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Although we are close to the 2012 Olympic Sailing Regatta based at Portland & Weymouth, this is also a bumper Solent Year for viewing classic keel yachts, 8m & 12 metre yachts, J-Class Yachts (may be 6 0 or more at Cowes) and even Mega and Superyachts! Many of these yachts have arrived from the Mediterranean and some from the East Coast of the USA.

These beautiful yachts are visiting the Solent to race and join in Regatta events throughout the Summer. Keen sailing fans and amateur camera enthusiasts will be able to view most of these events from wonderful coastal viewpoints along the shores of the Solent and the Isle of Wight.

Anyone may look at a Regatta website by going into 'Google' with the Club/Regatta name and date. Find daily start times and entry lists, as well as lovely photographs of these yachts!

A summary of the events and best places to view these yachts...

25-27th May The Yarmouth Old Gaffers Festival - 120 entries likely, all sizes. View from Yarmouth Pier or the harbour where all moor up with flags aloft! Also the beach West of Yarmouth Harbour is just ½ mile walk over the swing bridge access via path.

30th June the 1SC Round the Island race (one of the largest race fleets in Europe) Yachts of every design and size. An early Cowes start, racing west about, passing Yarmouth between 8 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. The big yachts start first, with the large catamarans and trimarans., speeds 10-20 knots possible!!

Best views from the South of Hurst Castle, also from Yarmouth Pier, Fort Victoria and by taking a bus from Yarmouth to Needles battery, with spectacular views as the fleet passes Hurst narrows and Alum Bay and rounds the Needles Lighthouse. At least 3 hours viewing!

7-14th July The British Classic Yacht Club run the annual Panerai British Classic Week, with a race eastward around the Isle of Wight. May be over 70 yachts of all sizes.

Best views along Cowes Green and from Cowes promenade near the many yacht clubs

18-21st July J-Class Regatta run by Royal Southampton Yacht Club with 6 or more, the largest fleet ever seen. Each day they race in different areas of the Solent, and they will also be racing in Christchurch Bay, across to Swanage and return to Cowes past Hurst Castle. On this day, Milford cliff car parks will have fine views. Their course for each day and glorious photos and videos of these spectacular yachts may be found on their website: jclassyachts.com

2012 Solent Sailing Events & Regattas By Richard Bagnall

Views from Cowes (as above) and on the maniland from Lepe Country park, upper Car park with views across the Solent to Cowes.

22nd - 25th July Royal Yacht Squadron, the Superyacht Regatta and the popular 23rd-27th July Cowes Classics week with a range of Metre boats, Classic keelboats and yachts. Cowes Green and beach and also Lepe Country Park upper car park, will have fine views of this fleet.

27th-29th July Royal Solent Yacht Club/Taittinger Regatta at Yarmouth, with a combined fleet of the popular Solent racing keel yachts, including Gaffers, Swan, IRC racers, Dragons, 6-Ms, Folkboats, XOD and YOD Dayboats. Wonderful views from Yarmouth Pier and the East Green(1/4 mile walk from the Square) also from Yarmouth Beach, 1/4 West of the Swing

28thJuly -11th August 2012 London Olympic Sailing Regatta, Portland and Weymouth Races in portland Harbour and set in Olympic Triangles around Weymouth Bay.

11th-18th August. Cowes week (cowesweek.co.uk). Over 30 classes race from the RYS Start line at the western entrance to Cowes. Spectacular views from the old promenade and along the seafront and the Green to Egypt Hill and beyong to Gurnard. 1500-1750 yachts and dayboats race each day. Races take the yachts

as far east as rRde and to the west, past Hurst Castle, Lepe Country Park upper Car park, also has great cliff views.

Take Binoculars, folding chair and warm clothing with a raincoat! Look out for notices in the Lymington Times of a catamaran Blue Funnel special ferry service from lymington Town pontoon, (opp.the Lymington baths) direct to West Cowes. A great day out, with early start and late voyages too! View the racing on the later boats, mid morning, en route for Cowes



EVERTON RAMBLING CLUB

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT FOR 2012

I am glad to report that once again the club has had a very good year, we have 23 new walkers signed on for the coming year. Total membership now 95.

Last year started on a high note on 15th April with a social evening, following the AGM business session, to celebrate the clubs quarter Century.

Wendy Fowler, who's husband was the founder of the club, joined us and cut the anniversary cake which she donated for the festivities.

60 stayed on for an American Supper, there was a display board showing a montage of photographs of the 25 years and display of the development of the programme front covers and Photo albums for browsing through, we also had musical entertainment of saxophone duets by John Reid and a colleague, Carolyn, who both play in a quartet. Dave Miller was our Photographer for the evening one of his pictures, showing Wendy cutting the cake appeared in the local paper. Thanks to the ladies who organised the evening, Ann Venn

Eileen Bunn, Carol Wing & Ena Milcoy.

On the walks front, the weather has been quite kind to us, only one walk being called off due to bad conditions.

Our leaders have done well, leading us, at times, if not through 'Hell and high water' but through 'Mud and Shallow water'.

I was very pleased to see 30 members turn up for the 25th Anniversary walk last May, and 15 for the most distant walk at Abbotsbury and Chesil beach, Well done to all of you.

On the down side, the experiments of a short afternoon walk and a Saturday walk did not get go down too well, only 7 turning up for each walk, but the cream teas at the halfway point of the short walk had plenty of support.

We have now completed our 2011/2012 programme.

So the statistics are :- 28 walks completed, total distance approx. 160 Miles, Average turn out 15.

Last October the club provided leaders for the 10. 6. & 3 mile walks at the Oakhaven Charity Bike & Hike Day. Thanks to Margaret & Alan who led the 3 mile, Mervyn & Jane the 6 mile, John & David the 10 mile.

In January 54 attended the club annual luncheon held at South Lawns Hotel. We enjoyed a good meal and good company and afterwards had a chance to meet and chat with other members over coffee in the lounge.

In February our Leaders met and prepared the walks programme for the coming year, 2012/2013, which has 25 walks scheduled, this programme is available to all who join the club, (annual membership fee is £5). Contact the Membership Secretary John Evans on 01590642848.

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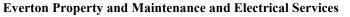
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St John's Ambulance HQ on the Gordleton Industrial Estate.

We are also pleased to support Hordle CE Primary School with their 'Grandhordles' project. As a result of a grant from the Hampshire and Isle of Wight Community Foundation we can offer free transport to any older person with travel or mobility problems who wish to attend the school events

All you need to do is call our Coordinator, Margaret, on 0845 388 9063. Please leave a message if she is not available to answer the phone and she will get back to you. Please give as much notice as possible as this is more likely to enable us to find a driver for you.

Can you spare a little time and assist us with driving?

If you have some spare time, however little, and you would be interested in becoming one of our drivers, then please give the secretary Ian Chislett-Bruce a call on 01425 614174 or email hordle.care@btinternet.com for further information.

On Tuesday 27 March 2012 our coordinator, Margart Maggs attended the Good Neighbours Award ceremony at the Great Hall, Winchester hosted by Hampshire County Council. Margaret was presented with a certificate and a pair of crystal glass tumblers in recognition of her work with HVCG since joining us 2 years ago. In that time Margaret has seen an increase of 60% in requests from clients and works extremely hard to ensure that drivers are found. Many thanks Margaret for all your hard work and your award is very well deserved.



Margaret Maggs receiving her Good Neighbours Award in Winchester

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'THE PARTY IN THE PARK'

Monday June 4th 2012 1.00 p.m- 4.30 ish (or later...)



.....and it's back to the 1950's with an 'al fresco' afternoon, that kicks off as you follow a parade of vintage vehicles from the 'Triangle' to the Everton Recreation Ground to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee with a hog roast, beer tent and light refreshments, (or you are invited to bring your own picnic). After cheering BBC's Chris Coneybeer on as he opens the celebrations, you'll be listening to the celebrated music of the Total Voice Choir and the Windmill Swing Band, who'll be singing and swinging through songs from the '50's...there's dance displays to watch too or you can jive along yourself to Steve Adams with the popular 'Out of the Woods' band as they rock and roll their way through the era and on into the 60's...there'll be free bouncy entertainment for the children, a treasure hunt, magic show, penalty shoot outs, balloon modelling and all that stuff...and remember Hula Hoops...Space hoppers...the Goons? Well they'll be there too ... and there's craft displays, a vintage fashion show, and a hat parade, and Gill's glamour girls to wow you...and on top of all that there's the chance to win a great Raffle Prize...or even better you can scoop first prize in the fancy dress competition as you dress up for the day in your 'costume of the 50's'! (You'll never get a better chance to wear a frothy net underskirt...) Raffle tickets will be on sale on the day itself but they are already available at the Everton Post Office.

Competition forms for the Fancy Dress and cake competitions will be available on the day or from the Post Office.

Anything else you'd like to know then just contact Sandra or Cheryl at the Everton Post

Total Voice Choir

This contemporary and choral choir is based in Milford on Sea ,and was started one snowy nightin January 2010, by a very enthusiastic Christine Mulgrew.

The choir quickly grew in number, and now boasts a regular group of 60 singers. They perform at many local events and festivals and , their popularity is assured by their relaxed style, boundless energy and enthusiasm. Their wide repertoire is drawn from music of the last thirty years but on June 4th they will be featuring music from the 1950's.

Christine has now been joined by Victoria Hopkins and together they have expanded Total Voice into a company that offers a range of workshops, courses and events. More information can be found on their website www.totalvoice.co.uk

Party in the Park Grand Raffle



Raffle tickets for the Party in the Park are on sale at the Post Office until the day itself, June 4th! They'll be on sale at the event itself as well, so don't miss out on your chance of winning a great prize! As you will have read elsewhere in the Newsletter the Party in the Park is being funded by this Raffle so please support the organisers in this venture!

'Party in the Park' Competitions (forms available at the Post Office or at the Event)



The Cake Competition ...o*rganised and judged by the Everton WI...bake a* cake...

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The Victoria Sandwich Cake is to be baked to your own recipe and presented on the day. A table will be set up at the back of the Pavilion on which the cakes will be displayed and where they will be judged during the afternoon.

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The Diamond Jubilee Fancy Dress Competition.

Classes (to be judged on the day)

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Tents/Gazebos

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Windmill Swing Band

This saxophone and rhythm group, are based in Milford on Sea and have been playing for eight years now, they regularly perform at the popular jazz/swing nights held at the Milford on Sea Community Centre and the South Lawns Hotel. They rehearse Fridays evenings and anyone wanting to join or find out more can contact Penny Bishop 01590 645572.



Looking Back to...

1953 and the children of Everton celebrate the Coronation in fancy dress outside Everton & Lymore Social Club



St Mary's Church

Having only just celebrated Easter, it came as a big surprise that the editor was calling for our submission for the summer edition of the Everton Newsletter. So, before we look forward to the summer, just a moment or two to look back on two great services held at St. Mary's. Firstly Palm Sunday, the 1st April. This was made extra special with the inclusion of the baptism of an eleven year old young lady who has been part of our congregation since joining Satellite as a small child. As has become customary, Morris the donkey arrived at around 11am just as the service was ending. This as always proved to be very exciting for the children, and dare I say, for the adults as well. Most able members of the congregation led by Morris processed around the Church car park then off into the Village.

The second service was held on Easter day the 8th April. Again our Church was well attended for the traditional sung communion and in addition a goodly number worshipped in a more informal manner at Family Praise in the Hall. As always it is so nice to welcome additional worshippers to these special services. If only every Sunday was considered special we would have to think towards enlarging our little Church.

Looking forwards. On Sunday 3 June we will be marking the Queen's Diamond Jubilee with a Songs of Praise preceded by a Cream Tea in the Church Hall.

On that afternoon there is the pageant on the Thames, so to enable people to watch that spectacle on their televisions the Cream Tea will be from 5.30pm up to and including 6.30pm. This will give people time to enjoy the tea before the Songs of Praise at 7pm.

We hope many, many people will join us on this special occasion and to give us just an idea of how many might come there will be tickets (free) available for at least 2 weeks prior to the Diamond Jubilee week-end. There will be a donation bowl and after expenses have been covered, any extra will be given to a Diamond Jubilee charity.

Linda Bettle and Peter Leech Church Wardens

Everton's St. Mary's Church Social Committee



Our musical afternoon in February, with the 'Forest bells' was a great success with several of the audience 'having a go' with the bells during the afternoon. We all enjoyed the theatre outing in March to see 'Carousel' - a rather sad story but with wonderful songs and music.

Future Dates for your Diary

On Saturday April 28th we are holding a Bingo with Fish & Chips Evening at the Church Hall ---all are very welcome.

On Wednesday May 16th, we are planning a coach trip to the Isle of Wight. Tickets can be obtained from Ann

Wigglesworth, Mary Norris or Vera Peters. The cost is £16.50 inclusive of coach and ferry charges...should be a good outing!

John Wigglesworth

St Mary's Church Clubs Friendship Lunch Club and groups. (Gillian Peard)

After School Club.

At the time of writing we are just about to begin our summer term. During this term the highlight is always our Forest Picnic. We welcome all 7-11 year olds to the Club which meets on Tuesday afternoons in St Mary's Church hall from 3.30pm till 4.45pm. Do give Gillian a ring 644739 if you want to know more or come along one Tuesday afternoon in term time.

Junior Table Tennis

The Junior table Tennis Club will be finishing the season at the end of May. If you are aged 11-16 and would like a game of Table Tennis do come to the Church Hall on a Friday evening between 6-15pm and 7-15pm. We close for June , July and August and will reopen when the schools return in September.

Pop-In

If you are out and about on a Tuesday morning do Pop in to the Church hall for a cup of coffee or tea, If you come for the first time we will try and make sure you meet some new people. If you cannot get to the Pop-In because you need transport we may be able to help you on some occasions so please ring Gillian 644739

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Cilla and her team continue to cook wonderful meals on the third Tuesday of each month. The meal is preceded by a short service in the Church which begins at 11.45am. Anyone is welcome to join us for the service even if you do not come to the lunch.

Each month some people are unable to come to the lunch so we have spare places. If you would like to be part of the Friendship lunches do ring Gillian 644739 and she will include you when we have spaces.

Toddler Group

The Toddler group meets in the Church Hall on Wednesday mornings from 9.30-11.30am. The group follows school terms so we are not there during school holidays. if you have a baby/toddler and live in the village do come along to the group one Wednesday morning and make yourself known. Due to parents returning to work and children starting pre-school we do find there are spaces in the group so do come along and meet other parents with babies and toddlers. We have playing with toys, puzzles and bikes from 9.30am -10.30am, then snack time followed by craft and the morning ends with a time of music and singing. At present Gillian is looking after the group, with a number of other helpers, while we await the appointment of a new family worker. We hope to be involved in the Party in the Park so look for us there!



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A Word from Dingle Dell

their colourful voices, and the sun

rises on a world well tried and old. Blackthorn blossom can be seen in the cold wind and the sage will say, the 'blackthorn winter' is upon us, there are several types of blackthorn all of which bear sloes other than the double flowered variety which does not and the leaves are the food of the caterpillars of the brown hairstreak butterfly.

In the Woodlands, badgers will have had their cubs by now and soon they will be ready to emerge. There is great debate at present on the fate of the badger. In Wales, The National Badger Trust has staged a legal challenge against the decision to cull badgers in an effort to stem the tide of Bovine T.B. The challenge has been successful and has resulted in a plan to vaccinate instead, which seems to me a better choice. In the U.K. however the English have said they are going to start the badger cull in Somerset and Gloucestershire later in the year. This has resulted in another legal challenge being brought against the British Government. For those interested in this topic there is a very informative document entitled 'BTB the common sense approach' written by the Bow Group, all people of some note in their respective fields and it lays out the position in a very readable way.

May, and the brassy wood-pigeons bubble Blakbirds are now rearing a first or second brood, though, as rain has not been as frequent as is usual for this time of year, worms for new chicks may be hard to come by, blackbirds are searching the lawns long and hard for those lob, or indeed any worms they can find in order to satisfy hungry chicks. Before long if we are lucky we may hear the cuckoo, they are less in number each year and it will be a sad spring when those early still mornings do not echo the magical call so quintessential of a late spring morning. The British Trust for Ornithology fitted tiny transmitters to a small number of cuckoos last year and their trip to Africa was then logged all the way down to the Congo and now their return via west Africa and north over Europe.

We note that the 'way through the woods' has now been firmed and outlined in no uncertain terms, in order for there to be no excuse for being, shall we say astray of the path! In recent weeks many trees have been felled between the footpath and the track and the recreation ground, it is said this is because of the danger to the power cables above, however we wonder if there is more to this story? Two small oaks have appeared in the recreation ground and let us hope their slender frames will be left to mature and give shade or shelter to those who seek it in years

May your Summr days be long and content.

'Hedgegrub'

POETRY CORNER

Midsummer

Coming down from the cobbles to wander the path beside the ancient bridge where the river slips away to drift through slats of sunlight that play the scented air powdery with rose and lavender on this sultry summer's day

And sunshine flickers fireflies for the boy, balanced awkward on the fence who whips his line above his head with arrogance touching skimming kissing the river with a sigh

And they sleepy as the day step across the gleaming stones to wade the emerald waterweed that threads soft skeins between their questing toes and wraps cool, enamelled anklets about their skimmed milk bones (anon.)

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Village Grapevine

There has been great enthusiasm shown with the preparations for Everton's Party in the Park on Monday June 4th.

Dresses are being made, or ordered to go with the 1950's themenet underskirts will be in abundance (remember the sugar water?) and even 9 Year old George Dunsdon has been busy with the sewing machine, making bunting to decorate his house. It seems like the whole village is pulling together to make it a special day for our Community.

Tickets for the draw are available at the Shop/P.O and this is one way to show your support, as the money raised from this Raffle goes to help fund the expenses involved.

Gill Rowlands will be running the popular Bottle Stall and will be pleased to receive any bottles for it...anything(she tells us), from squash to champagne!

Sisters in law, Pat Chaffey and Doris Rowe moved into their Saunders built bungalows in 1947 and are

believed to be two of the residents who have lived in the village the longest. They have seen many changes and remember the celebrations for the Queen's

Coronation which were held in the field behind the Club, now Firmount Close.

On a nagging note...it's a shame that those who covertly sling plastic bags of dog poo into the hedges don't leave us their address as well. Then we'd be able to return to sender! Everton doesn't need these sort of decorations!

Grapevine wishes all resident and visitors a lovely Summer, and hopes that everyone enjoys the Party in the Park.

'Grapevine'

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Villagers Viewpoint



A Walk in The Woods

Iane Rose

Well, as my 21yr. old daughter would say, "I'm LOVING the new path through the woods".

For over 40 years our family have been lucky enough to have access to the woods at the bottom of Wainsford Road. We have rambled, dog walked and even ridden through them - it

was only a pony and I was only 11 and I promise I didn't make any jumps up or gallop through!!

We have marvelled at the Bluebells, oohed and aaahed at the Primrose lined hedgerows, found the best Blackberrying stick, with a hook on the end to get at all the best ones, listened to Woodpeckers and watched Buzzards circling and mewing. Observed, at a safe distance, Wasp nests, Adders sunbathing and Deer fawning. On the way home, the childrens' job was to pick up small twigs to act as kindling to light the woodburner (this was in the days before we had central heating/hot water) which meant we could all have a bath and keep warm.

I credit those woods with teaching my children an awful lot about Nature and how to respect the countryside whilst at the same time **really** having fun.

It has therefore been sad to restrict our walking during the wet months of the year due to the really muddy conditions – I'm sure we have irretrievably lost at least 3 wellies to the 'bog of eternal stench' and over the years it has got worse. Other people have had the same problem and gradually the original Bridleway has expanded and gained many tributary paths in an attempt to avoid the mud. In times of dire need we have even taken to walking through the private land on the farm track – but please don't tell anyone!!.

Sadly it is the few that spoil things for the many and dogs have been caught harassing the livestock in the fields and the pheasants bred for the shoot. Some people have even stolen the newly planted ornamental trees lining parts of the farm track. A chap was caught red-handed walking up the private farm track with a spade – apparently he was going to dig up some Bluebells which of course is also illegal!

SO I am going to bravely and nervously say that I thoroughly approve of the new improved access through the woods and 'hats off' to the landowner. It means that this wonderful resource (goodness I sound like a tour guide) is now accessible by all and even my mum, who lives with us and is disabled, can hobble the first few hundred yards to see the stream and the Rhododendrons etc. If people feel encouraged to stick to the path then the Bluebells will grow back again without being trampled and nature will take over again.

I know what you're going to say and that is that the first bit of decent rain and a few horses and goodbye thousands of pounds of hard work, which is exactly what I thought.

SO (another 'so') I had a chat to Geoff the gamekeeper. He assures me that the work has been undertaken as a joint enterprise between the landowner, the council and the horse owners in Broadmead. The deal being that any deterioration over time will result in repairs being made and shared jointly by these three groups – hooray!!!

Meantime I am going to make the most of not having to bath my dogs after each walk and to look forward to next Winter.

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St Barbe Local History Newsletter

After the success of the recent exhibition about life on the local country estates St. Barbe Museum is devoting 2012 to food, a subject close to many of our hearts. In a series of events, workshops and exhibitions throughout the year, culminating in an exhibition at St. Barbe Museum in October, people will have an opportunity to explore the changes to our diet, eating and cooking habits as well as farming and shopping

practices over the centuries.

Now many of us may feel ourselves very divorced from the production of food as it arrives on our doorstep, but food, the way we farm, shop, cook and eat, has always told us much about our lives.

In the Iron Age we were totally reliant on the food we could grow, gather or hunt in the area we lived. However, as explorers opened up the world, so new ingredients were introduced and now form part of our staple diet. Before the invention of canning and refrigeration, food could only be eaten in season or preserved by salting, curing and drying (giving rise to the salt industry at Lymington). While the effects of the agricultural and industrial revolutions had an enormous effect on our lives and our diets. As well as their inevitable involvement in consumption of food, the vast majority of people would, until recently, also have spent their lives engaged in the production of food. William Retford who was born in New Milton in 1875 described how local people were involved in agricultural life – the men working on the large estates, women working part-time in dairies or 'cutting out thistles with a spud', cottagers growing their own vegetables, keeping pigs and chickens and supementing their diet by poaching rabbits. For centuries lives would have been played out to the rhythm of the seasons and the farming year.

Children gleaning on the Ashley Clinton estate

A Taste of History

Events Programme April - June

Saturday 21st April, 10am-4pm

Food in the 1950s

Find out how rationing, ingredients and kitchen technology changed the way we ate in the 50s

This mini-exhibition is on for one day only, drop in to find out more and share your memories.

Event included in the normal admission price

Friday 18th May, 6.00-8.00pm

The Big Bake (part of 'Museums at Night')

Bring along your favourite home baked sweet treats to share at this special after hours event. Choose a recipe from childhood or a classic family favourite, bake it, write it down and bring it along for others to share and enjoy.

An event for the whole family and free to all.

Tuesday 12th June, 2.30pm

Talk on the Women's Land Army

by Dr Gill Clarke MBE

The Women's Land Army made a vital contribution to keeping the nation fed during the First and Second World Wars. Land Girls dressed in their distinctive uniforms became an iconic image, symbolising Britain's triumph in winning the domestic battle to raise food production. This illustrated talk examines artists' portrayals of the vital work of the Women's Land Army.

Talk at Lymington Community Centre, contact the museum for more information and to book your place.

More dates to come...

Keep an eye out for our next newsletter or find us on Facebook for the latest news and events.

For more information on the exhibitions and events, or to share information and memories contact the museum on 01590 676969



Land Army Girls at Ashley Road Nursery during WWII

If you are interesting in helping to organise or staff any of our events, or if you have memories about food you would like to share, please contact Sarah or Lianne at the museum.

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The New Forest & Hampshire County Show 24th – 26th July Best of British at The New Forest Show



In keeping with the Jubilee celebrations this year, the New Forest & Hampshire County Show (NFHCS) theme this year is 'The Best of British'. They already highlight local goods and produce but this will be extended to encompass every part of Britain, and will include a brand new 'Best of British' Pavilion dedicated to demonstrations and interactive events. We are also delighted to announce that Alan Titchmarsh is our president this year and will be touring around the Showground on all three days.

If anyone has any agricultural memorabilia please get in touch with the Press Officer, Jackie Neylon now on Jackie@neylon.co.uk or ring 07767 252531

Agricultural Shows are famous for their livestock and rural activities and of course this remains the central attraction, especially as the Show is particularly famous for its horse competitions including international showjumping. Over 3000 animals will be at the Show, 75 traditional crafts shown and cooking demonstrations and wine tasting 'live' on the showground.

This Show's aims are so much more than just agriculture, offering the opportunity to learn about everything in the countryside but also to provide entertainment for all ages. Attractions this year will include the exciting Shetland Grand National, Solent Dog Agility displays, Sheepdog herding and much more. Remember there are also over 600 trade stands providing one of the most varied and unusual goods and produce—definitely the place to get that special purchase.

20% off advance tickets are available online until July 11th at www.newforestshow.co.uk. Or on 10590 622409

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HORDLE GARDENING CLUB SUNFLOWER COMPETITION

Prize for the TALLEST SUNFLOWER and the BIGGEST & BEST BLOOM

Entries will be checked and measured on Thursday 30th / Friday 31st August, the winners will be presented with a PRIZE at the Hordle Village Fair 1st September

TO ENTER PURCHASE A PACKET OF 5 SEEDS FOR

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Hordle Parish Council Meeting dates/venues/surgeries

The parish council have reviewed and agreed meeting dates for the coming year. From February 20th onwards all meetings are to be held at the Pavilion, off Vaggs Lane, Hordle. It is hoped to setup parish surgeries at different venues across the parish area to try and reach as many people as possible and make the council accessible to all. Also where certain events affect a certain area of the parish it will be possible to hold a public meeting in that area to address the issue. Please feel free to contact the council with any suggestion for venues or topics for consideration.

Hordle Parish Council Meeting Dates:

Meetings to start at @ 7.30p.m. The meeting at Everton to be held in the Pavilion, Frys Lane All other meetings to be held in the Pavilion, Vaggs Lane, Hordle

May 16th June 6th & 20th July 4th (Tiptoe)&18th August 1st & 15th September 6th (Everton)& 19th October 3rd & 17th November 5th & 19th

Activities in Everton

Please note that all the Everton contact numbers are prefixed with the area code 01590

Acorn Pre-School Pavilion	Mon-Fri a.m	644648
Alzheimer's Group	. Church Hall, 1st Thurs, lunch	David High 644649
Bridge Club	Church Hall, Tues 6.40.pm	David Bryett 643809
Church Flower Guild	All welcome to joinAnne	e Wigglesworth 642556
Church Social Cttee	Johr	n Wigglesworth 642556
Contemporary Dance	. Church Hall, Thurs p.mValerio	e Farrant 01425 613979
Call and Go		
Everton Community Association Bob Cockburn 645460	All villagers are automatically members	Vera Peters 644729
Everton&Lymore Club	Old Christchurch Road	John May 643865
Friendship Lunch	Church Hall	Gillian Peard 644379
Hordle Voluntary Group	lan Chisle	ett-Bruce 01425 614174
Ladies Evening Group	Church Hall 1st Monday 7.30 p.m	Sandie Davies 645599
Multiple Sclerosis	.Church Hall 3 rd Monday p.m	Sophy Knight 623118
Music & Movement	.Church Hall	Cynthia Wilson 622488
Pilates	Church HallDi	ana Steer 01425 610756
Pop-In Coffee	.Church Hall	Gillian Peard 644379
Ramblers		Alan Paice 644901
Table Tennis Club	.Church Hall	Gillian Peard 644379
W.I	Church Hall , 3rd Wed. 2.30 p.m	Pat Day 642519

If there are any corrections or additions to the above list please let me know - Editor

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