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Community News & Events

May to July 2023



Chairman: Cllr. Edward Hicklin, **Vice Chair:** Cllr. Tom Green, Cllr. Catherine Alberts, Cllr. Dean Blood, Cllr. Sharon Bowler, Cllr. Bill Fereday, Cllr. Jean Longley, Cllr. Ken Raynor, Cllr. Mike Selby

The PC convenes monthly in the War Memorial Hall. All visitors are welcome. Next meeting: Tuesday 16th May 2023 at 7.30pm

The Council's current term of office ends on 9th May 2023, following the local elections (4 May 2023). At that point, a new term of office begins for the refreshed Committee. The Parish Council would like to thank all of our elected and co-opted councillors who have served over the last four years, and have seen a number of projects to fruition, including improved parish infrastructure, celebratory events, and support for local interest groups.

Annual Parish Meeting & Excellence in the Community Award: Cllr. Hicklin chaired the meeting with a comprehensive list of gratitude to many members of the community for their hard work and input over the last 12 months. This popular event covered reports and updates from many village groups, as well as the District and County Council. Cllr. Hicklin hosted the annual *Excellence in the Community Award* and announced the nominees. Our Panel's short-list included Debbie Hoddinott, Chairperson of the War Memorial Hall Committee and Treasurer for several village organisations, Mary Day, Parochial Church Council for outstanding efforts maintaining the *Books in the Belfry*, Lindsay Pilkington, Chairperson of Recreation in Aston and Richard Coates & Carole Bagnall of Aston on Trent's Local History Group. Well done to all! Richard Coates & Carole Bagnall were confirmed as the award winners by the selection panel. They received congratulations from everyone and were presented with a Certificate of Achievement. Their names have been added to the *Honours Board* situated in The War Memorial Hall.

Alvaston Medical Centre (inc Aston On Trent Branch): The recruitment drive continues to bring staff levels to budget, with information posted on social media and in local public buildings. Cllr. Mike Selby was re-elected as Chairman, Hadyn Wheeler, Vice Chairman and Alicia Mitchell, Secretary of the *Patient's Participation Group* for the next year.

NOTSA: We welcome the management team and staff to the village and wish them well in their new venture.

Looking ahead: Aston In Bloom: Do you have an eye for a great picture? Look out for a new Parish Photography competition. Details to follow shortly on Parish Council social media and our noticeboard.

Summer holidays: Leisure activities are confirmed and will be advertised on the Parish Council website and Facebook page soon.

Village parking: The Parish Council is aware of an increase in central village parking and the traffic problems this causes. We will be discussing and inviting input as to what could be done.

Weston On Trent Bowling Green Area Surrounds Development: The Parish Council has received feedback on development proposals, and continue to work with our near neighbours.

Recreation in Aston

To book the Recreation Centre go to: **aston-on-trent.co.uk/the-recreation-centre** or email **contact@therecreationcentre.co.uk** with any enquiries.

We have a fantastic, ground-floor space for parties and events, that will hold up to 70 seated and 150 standing. We also have a 26 seated meeting room upstairs, with lovely views of the park and ample parking space. Please note that this space can only accessed by stairs. *WIFI is included in the price of all bookings.*

MONDAY	10.30am -11.30am	Strength and Balance	Lindsay Robins: 07874 862287
	4pm - 7pm	Escapade Dance	Helen: escapadedanceacademy@outlook.com
	7.30pm - 9.30pm	Table Tennis	Joy Forrow: 01332 792138
TUESDAY	9.30am - 11.30am	Aston Tots Group	Julia Stott:
	12noon - 4pm	Tea Dance	Dave Neal:07896 702473
	5.10pm - 6.10pm	ADS Fitness HIIT Class	Andy Sproson: 07551 979955
	6.30pm - 7.30pm	Jungle Body Konga	Cat Hind: 07734 947751
	7.45pm - 8.45pm	Yoga	Amanda Supple: 07775 866435
WEDNESDAY	2pm - 2.30pm 4pm - 6pm	Escapade Dance for Tots Escapade Dance	Helen: escapadedanceacademy@outlook.com
THURSDAY	10am - 12noon	Table Tennis	Joy Forrow: 01332 792138
	4pm - 7.30pm	Derbyshire Dragons	Tim Watkins: 07779 789134
FRIDAY	10am - 11am	Zumba	Natalie McCaul: 07850 346702
	4pm - 8pm	Derbyshire Dragons	Tim Watkins: 07779 789134
SATURDAY	9am - 11.30am	Escapade Dance	escapadedanceacademy@outlook.com

Aston on Trent Village Football Club and Aston Village Cricket Club have returned to the park for training sessions. Contact James Winfield on 07850 235528 or email astonvillagefootballclub@gmail.com and contact Ian Dunn 07825 756218 or email enquiries@aotvcc.co.uk.

New Village Website

We are launching a new village website this year. It is currently in the early stages and will replace the Recreation in Aston site you have used previously. The old domain *therecreationcentre.co.uk* still exists, but will now direct you to **aston-on-trent.co.uk**.

We would like to provide a digital home for all villages groups, either offering a direct link to your own site or pages for smaller groups, who would like an online space to share their information.

There is also a link to sign up for a new regular **Village News Bulletin**. Please sign up to receive this via our homepage or use the QR code on the right. You will not be spammed, this bulletin will only include details about local events, groups and businesses, including a digital copy of the ACORN, to ensure you're kept in the loop with the busy village schedule. If you would like to share your information via this bulletin, please email details to **info@aston-on-trent.co.uk** and we will be in touch.



Thank you to Chris Selleck, who has managed aston-on-trent.co.uk for many years and has very kindly allowed us to use the domain in this new capacity. All his hard work is not lost, the site has been saved and many of the photos and information will continue to be available on the new platform.

Aston on Trent History Group Archive Mondays are getting popular! Over the past few weeks we've been delighted to welcome an increasing number of people to our openaccess drop-in sessions at the Heritage Centre, from 10am to 12noon. Some just pop in for a chat to see what we're doing with our archive material, others ask questions about village history or do research about Aston family connections. We're also pleased to accept photos, documents or artefacts that are linked to the village. Barrie Evans is still offering free support if you're struggling to understand your mobile phone or tablet capabilities. Just pop in to the Heritage Centre with your device.

One of the areas of village history we're struggling to find information about is the brickyard operations, that were working up to the mid -1960s. Now our Local Nature Reserve, there are still bits of rusting metal and *Aston* bricks lying about. If you or your family have memories of working on-site or photos of the brickyard we're very interested to hear from you. For details of our monthly speaker meetings look for the notice boards around the village and on *Spotted in Aston*. **www.astonontrenthistory.org.uk**

Aston & Weston Bowls Club

Bowling is back after the winter break with a rather chilly, well-

attended opening session on Sunday 26th March. A busy schedule lies ahead with the Club holding an Open Day on Saturday 20th May. Anyone of any age who wants to have a go, or thinks that they might like to take up the game can come along and enjoy the afternoon - bowls, tuition, games, drinks and prizes will be available. Look out for posters in the village nearer the time. We will also be supporting the Village Yard Sale on the Saturday 13th May operating our usual stall, together with delicious refreshments. Thriving membership has allowed the Club to continue participating in the South Derbyshire Monday evening singles league and two Belper & District leagues. Club sessions continue on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays and Sundays - so bowling opportunities exist aplenty! In addition to welcoming prospective new members the Club is also happy to host other village organisations for social bowling events. Please contact the Club Secretary Ken Raynor via email at: kencherril.raynor@gmail.com.

Friends of Aston Brickyard

A big thank you to all the dog walkers who visit the Nature Reserve and keep their dogs on a lead or close control. The request is to protect both wildlife and the many species of flora which make our site special. Visit our Facebook page to reveal some stunning photos over the past few months, many of which have been taken by our keen and talented FAB member Jerry. Photos from visitors are always welcome too and there are a large diversity of flowers now emerging in both wooded and grassland areas. A bit of patience might be required to capture photos of some of the animals, birds, aquatics and insects that call the nature reserve home. FAB volunteers continue to manage the site on the second Tuesday of each month and have been undertaking some tree felling, live hedging, trail maintenance and hazel coppicing. The tasks vary with the seasons but the core objective remains; to provide a safe haven for wildlife and a beautiful location for visitors to enjoy nature in all its glory. astonbrickyard@gmail.com

The War Memorial Hall

Aston on Trent War Memorial Hall is available for private hire, parties & events. The building has two halls, a meeting room and a large garden to the rear of the building. It is regularly used for exercise classes, community groups and our local Preschool. Please go to the *What's On* page of our website for more dates, times and contact information. To book the hall please go to: **www.thewarmemorialhall.co.uk/book** Or contact us on: (e): aotwarmemorialhall@hotmail.com *The Memorial Hall is run and managed by local trustees. Registered Charity No: 520407*

All Saints' Parish Church

One of the Trent and Derwent Parish Churches, serving Aston on Trent, Barrow on Trent, Elvaston, Shardlow, Swarkestone, Twyford and Weston on Trent.



Rector: The Rev'd Tony Luke (t): 01332 792658 (e): theramsrev@gmail.com Assistant Priest: The Rev'd Paul Hygate (t): 01332 770574

SUNDAY SERVICES

Family Worship every Sunday at 10.30am Communion on the 2nd and 4th Sundays

Richmond Village Service at 3pm on the 2nd Sunday of the month

WEDNESDAY SERVICES

Holy Communion at 9.30am 1st and 3rd Wednesday of every month

Compline Night Prayer 6.45pm every week

COMING UP

Astonbury Music Concert Friday 28th April from 7pm, All Saints Church

May Fair

Saturday 20th May from 11.30am in the War Memorial Hall

Well Dressing Festival Exhibition

Saturday 1st & Sunday 2nd July Groups have been asked to respond to the theme of Literature

Books in the Belfry

All Saints' Community Library Open for everyone in Aston to use, free of charge. Please place any returned books into the plastic tub, so that our librarian can sort them. We now have a children's section too. We are grateful for gifts of books for the library, **but please do not bring non-fiction.**



The 200 CLUB

We welcome parishioners to join our 200 Club to raise money on a regular basis towards the continuing maintenance of our beautiful, ancient Church building. It costs £5 per month and the 1st prize is 20% of the month's takings. Contact Alison Wheeler on 01332 793492 for further information.

Lots more information on our website: www.astonontrentchurch.org

f and give us a follow on Facebook

The complete refurbishment of the pipe organ is continuing at a pace. We apologise that we are having to keep the church locked whilst this work is being undertaken. The church is open, however, on Mondays and Wednesdays between 10am and 12 noon for people to access the library or for personal prayer.

Wednesday Hub at the Heritage Centre

It is open to everyone, on any Wednesday you wish to come. The monthly pattern is as follows:

1st Wednesday: 10.00am: Open Café - Social time 2nd Wednesday: 10.30am: Open Book: Bible exploration 3rd Wednesday: 10.00am: Open Café - Social time 4th Wednesday: 10.30am: Open Discussion

CAMEO (an informal group of Women) 7.30pm on 1st Wednesday of the Month, in the Heritage Centre

Mother's Union 2.30pm on 4th Thursday of the Month, in the Heritage Centre

Bellringers Meet to practise on Mondays at 8pm

The Aston Community Choir

Practise on Monday evenings at 7pm, in the Church

The Royal British Legion

The Aston and Weston Branch are looking forward to the Coronation of King Charles III in May. The Royal British Legion was proud to have had Queen Elizabeth II as our patron, and to have had a royal patron since its founding in 1921. The *Royal* appellation was given to the Legion in 1971, on its golden anniversary. Her Royal Highness Princess Anne is President of the Women's Section of the RBL, and we look forward to seeing if we will have a new royal patron of the whole Legion in due course.

Due to the upcoming Bank Holidays that fall on our usual meeting dates, our normal April and May meetings have been consolidated into one on the 24th April. At this meeting, we will be presenting our long service awards to our very hard working door to door poppy collectors. Congratulations and thank you for all your hard work over the years!

If you would like to join the RBL, new members are always welcome at The Malt, on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7.30pm. Any enquiries, please contact Katie on 07809201624.

Aston on Trent Golf Society

25th Anniversary 1998 - 2023

New members always welcome Please contact Matt Feeney or Clive Bowler to be added to our email contact list or take a look at our notice board in the Malt.

Fixtures

Friday 19th May	WOLLATON	12.00
Sunday and Monday	HAWKSTONE PARK GC	
4th & 5th June	(Away Trip)	
Friday 7th July	ASHBOURNE GC	12.00
Friday 18th August	WILLESLEY PARK	
Friday 22nd Septembe	12.00	
Friday 6th October	LINGDALE (18+9 HOLES)	8.30am

Aston on Trent Women's Institute

The Coronation of The King & The Queen Consort will take place on the 6th May. Aston on Trent WI will be marking the occasion at our meeting on Tuesday May 9th - God save The King! Our members are busy socialising this year, we have already enjoyed a night playing Skittles at The Royal Oak and we are off to the Nottingham Greyhound track in April. We are also planning a trip to Sudbury Prison!

Apart from our social events, we are also busy fundraising for this year's chosen charity which is the *Derby Women's Centre*. The Soup & Pud lunch was very successful raising over £400, however our regular Coffee & Chat morning wasn't as busy as we had hoped for. Please support our fundraising events to help raise much needed funds for this charity.

Dates for your diary: Please see the back page

We meet at the Memorial Hall on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30PM. New members and guests are always welcome and it's free for your first 3 meetings.

> Our members Craft and Dabble meetings are the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month in the Heritage Centre.



From early May, AOTVCC return to the park in anticipation of another successful season. Many of the players have enjoyed nets sessions at Chellaston School over the winter, including some of the junior players who have had a go at their first hardball sessions. A big thank you to our chairman, Robin Quinn and our Treasurer Chris Jones for making this possible.

Along with our men's side, we also see the return of Allstars, Dynamos and *new* junior hardball to the park for Summer 2023. We meet on Thursday evenings from May 11th and the sessions run for 8-10 weeks, depending on the weather. Children aged 5+ are welcome to participate. Go to **ecb.co.uk/play** to sign up and join in the fun!

We are also always on the lookout for adults to join our men's team and women to join our ladies' softball team. If you would like to be involved in any way whatsoever, be it playing, coaching or helping out with the grounds then please get in touch by calling Ian Dunn on 01332 799948, visiting our Facebook page or going to our website: **www.aotvillagecc.play-cricket.com**

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Neighbourhood Watch Helping Aston Stay Safe



AGM and Committee: We will hold our AGM later in the year. We continue to need new committee members to enable *the Watch* to continue. Particularly we need a Chair. The Watch has always been strong in the Village but needs some fresh faces to ensure viability in the long term. Anyone interested can ring Tony on 792114. Unfortunately this is a repeated request, but necessary.

Membership: Our membership is always open. The formal renewal process runs every 2 years and your ongoing support is appreciated. Thanks to all the co-ordinators, who put in their time to ensure the process works well. If you are not a member and would like to be, please contact us and we will put you in touch with your local co-ordinator.

Co-ordinators: We desperately need co-ordinators for Mulberry Way, Shirley Park and Derby Road (Derby end). The role is not onerous. **Could you help?** You would need to pass on our messages to your neighbours, most easily done via email via a secure group and collect subscription every 2 years. If you are interested in becoming more involved as a co-ordinator elsewhere that would also be welcome as some existing co-ordinators have large areas or are supporting households away from their own close neighbours.

Messaging and Communication: Messages coming in to our communication officer are checked regularly. Please remember that only crime or incident details passed to members that come from the police, the victim or your co-ordinator will be circulated. Whilst we do keep an eye on social media, we will not take what's written as permission to circulate to members. We are signed up to all the Alerts from the police. However, it's often the case we don't get told because people see it on social media and think we are aware when maybe we aren't?

Burglary Update: Unfortunately in March we had a dwelling Burglary in the village. These are traumatic events and thankfully rare for our village. It reminds us all that we never really know who may be out and about, searching out our vulnerabilities. If someone looks out of place or suspicious please be prepared to report what makes you feel uncomfortable. If you have alarms and CCTV it is sensible to check them and have them properly serviced, they may come in handy.

Scams on the increase: Please be aware that scams are a real threat and come in many guises. Please check authenticity of anyone you don't know and never provide banking details to unknown sources. If you are in any doubt about a caller, visitor or emails please seek out a family member, neighbour or friend. If it does not feel right, simply, it won't be. If you have vulnerable family members please have a chat with them about how to deal with people they don't know. Allow them to be confident they can call someone without feeling *silly*. Our crime and anti-social behaviour issues remain low, we live in a safe place and working together we can keep it that way. **Please keep us informed**.

If you are a victim of crime don't forget to **report the incident to your co-ordinator**. Emergency calls 999 and non-urgent calls 101 (101 calls are now free) Anonymous reporting to Crime Stoppers 0800 555 111 **Above all, stay safe.**



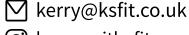
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Aston Well Dressers

We have a busy few months ahead of us on the run up to the Well Dressing Festival. Thank you to all of those who attended Astonbury at the end of April, we are very grateful for all your support. The planning and execution of the main festival now begins in earnest!

We have booked an array of stalls and entertainment that will appeal to the whole family, including our ever popular Eat Street! Please follow us on Facebook for further details and updates in the run up to July **f**/astonontrentwelldressing

Message Harvey on: 07818 524008 Contact us via Facebook messenger Email: info@astonwelldressers.co.uk

For us to have a successful festival again this year we need YOUR help in the run up to the weekend. There are several main tasks that we have to complete including soaking the boards, puddling the clay and erecting the main well. Please let us know if you would like to be involved and in what



capacity. We welcome any support, just let us know how much or little you are able to do, and we can let you know what we need help with via our whatsapp group.

Petalling dates & times

25th - 30th June

Aston on Trent War Memorial Hall Session Times: 9am – 12pm, 1pm – 5pm or 6pm - 9pm

This is open to everyone, no experience needed! It's a great way to spend some time being creative and not just for adults, the kids love doing it too. We will be opening the War Memorial Hall daily, where at least one of the team will be there to guide and support you. Email us for further details or if you have any questions: info@astonwelldressers.co.uk

We look forward to your support and seeing you at the Well Dressing Festival, Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd July 2023. Harvey Badwal, Chair - Aston Well Dressers

Aston on Trent Parent's Association

Hello from ASPA! After a few days of lovely sunshine we have turned our thoughts to the busy summer term and all the great things we have planned for the children in school. We would like to say a big thank you for all your

support in helping with our fundraising efforts since Christmas. We had a very exciting *Neon Disco* just before the February half term, which was well attended and all the children had lots of fun with their glo sticks and neon face paint! We also hope all the mums, grandmas and other *special ladies* enjoyed their gifts, bought at the *Someone Special* afternoon in March. The money that you have helped us raise has been used for some great projects in school. The resources room has now been completely refurbished and is being used by staff and pupils who have given us some lovely feedback; everyone is very pleased with how welcoming the new space is. We have also helped school purchase a lovely rug for the reception classroom, a new behaviour support system and some multi-sports kits. As school budgets are increasingly tightening, it is really great to be able to help provide these extras, that so many other schools are having to do without. We really couldn't do it without your continued support. Next stop is planning for ASPA Day and the annual well dressing event!

As always please feel free to reach out and join us. We love new members with new ideas, and you can add us on Easyfundraising to help us earn extra pennies on your purchases!

Aston on Trent **Primary School**



It has been a busy Spring term at Aston on Trent Primary School, with many events happening in school to enrich our children's learning opportunities. They continue to enjoy a wide range of experiences in school, including a fantastic book week where the children enjoyed a visit from an illustrator, story time with parents and a visit from a professional storyteller. Our children continue to enjoy sporting success in girls' and boys' football in addition to netball matches starting in the Summer term. We capped off the term with a wonderful Easter service at All Saints church, led by Father Tony. Thank you to the wonderful ASPA team and to you all for your continuted support. Mr Moore - *Headteacher.* **www.aston-on-trent.derbyshire.sch.uk**



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107th Derby Scouts and Trent Explorers

Now that spring has sprung, please put a date the your diary for our **ANNUAL PLANT SALE**. Saturday 20th May, from 9am to 12noon in The White Hart car park. We'll once more be selling beautiful quality hanging baskets, bedding plants and patio vegetables at bargain prices. Come and choose your favourites or, if you can't make the date or are housebound, order in advance and scouts will deliver to your door. To pre-order or find out more call Jo Cooke on 01332 700197.

Ready Steady Cook Success. Two teams of Aston & Weston scouts travelled to Matlock to compete against others from all over Derbyshire, in the final of the County *Ready Steady Cook* competition. They only went and came first AND second, producing a 3 course meal for two, on a camping stove, with a budget of £12, on the theme of *Asia on a Budget*. A big well done to winners; Yumi, Fliss and Josh and runners up; Melody, Abigail and Freya.

Monopoly LIVE! Meanwhile, from Mayfair to Old Kent Road, 25 of our Explorers enjoyed a day loose in London at *Monopoly Live*, with around 5,000 other Scouts & Explorers from across the country!

Could you help? If you can spare a couple of hours a week we're always looking for new volunteers to help with the activities we offer to over 160 young people. No experience is necessary and you're guaranteed fun, friendship & fulfilment! **To find out more please call Craig on 07368 294046.**

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We will be launching our new Food Menu soon and this will also be available for takeaway.

TAPAS TUESDAYS are back... Please book to avoid disappointment.
Saturday 30th April: LIVE ACOUSTIC NIGHT with Claire L Shaw
Saturday 20th May: Rock the night away with THE FOUR MUPPETEERS
Don't forget we will have all the sporting action live on our SKY SPORTS screens.

Food Opening Hours: Tapas Tuesday: 5pm-8pm Weds & Thurs: 12-2pm & 5-8pm Friday: 12-2pm & 4-8.30pm Saturday: 12-8.30pm Sunday: 12-5pm

Looking to host a function? Please get in touch to discuss our buffet options available, to eat in or takeaway. (e): llbenterprisesltd@btinternet.com \cdot (t): 01332 799116 \cdot www.themaltataston.co.uk

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Dates for the Diary

MONDAYS:

Indoor Bowls: 9.45am -12noon at The War Memorial Hall - Contact Jill Dibble on 751347 Archive Mondays with the History Group, from 10am to 12noon at The Heritage Centre Aston Community Choir from 7pm and Bellringers from 8pm at All Saints' Parish Church Cubs (8-10 yrs): 6.30pm - 8pm and Explorers (14-18 yrs): 8pm - 9.30pm at The War Memorial Hall

TUESDAYS:

Beavers (6-8 yrs): 6pm-7pm and Scouts (10-14 yrs): 7.15pm - 9pm at The War Memorial Hall TAPAS Tuesdays at The Malt - *please book to avoid disappointment*

WEDNESDAYS:

HUB from 10am at The Heritage Centre (see page 5 for more details) Aston Ukulele Group from 1pm to 3pm at The Heritage Centre Compline Night Prayer from 6.45pm at All Saints' Parish Church Indoor Bowls: from 6.45pm at The War Memorial Hall - Contact Jill Dibble on 751347

FRIDAYS: Scouts (10-14 yrs): 7.30pm - 9pm at The War Memorial Hall

SUNDAYS: Sunday Service from 10.30am at All Saints' Parish Church

Friday 28th April:	ASTONBURY
Saturday 30th April:	LIVE ACOUSTIC NIGHT with Claire L Shaw at The Malt
Saturday 13th May:	YARD SALE, from 10am. Inflatable fun and Maps at the Bowls Club
Tuesday 16th May:	PARISH COUNCIL MEETING, from 7.30pm at The War Memorial Hall
Saturday 20th May:	BOWLS CLUB OPEN DAY
	SCOUTS PLANT SALE, from 9am to 12noon in The White Hart car park
	MAY FAIR, from 11.30am at The War Memorial Hall
	ROCK THE NIGHT AWAY with THE FOUR MUPPETEERS at The Malt
Tuesday 6th June:	WI COFFEE AND CHAT, 10.30am to 12noon in the Heritage Centre
Monday 12th June:	ROYAL BRITISH LEGION MEETING, from 7.30pm in The Malt
Thursday 15th June:	WI TOUR OF DENBY POTTERY AND AFTERNOON TEA
Mon 25th - Fri 30th June:	WELL DRESSING PETALLING at The War Memorial Hall
Sat 1st & Sun 2ndJuly:	WELL DRESSING FESTIVAL
Weds 12th July:	WI TRIP TO HIGHCLERE CASTLE, places still available
Tues 8th August:	WI GARDEN PARTY
Fri 8th – Sun 10th Sept:	WI Holiday to Kent

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