

First things first. If you've children or grandkids to hand, the Bushcraft Fun Friday seems a great idea but it's on JUNE 1ST so don't miss it!!

There's more time to prepare for "Ride & Stride" a September event where you can get sponsored to bike, walk, horse ride from church to church in support of Historic Churches.

For the less energetic there is May 27th Gin & BBQ evening at the pub or save vourself for the Beer Festival on June 30th..

Good to have a named PCSO for Sevenhampton. We all wish Charlie Symes all the best in his new role and hope we can all get to know him.

Also useful - hopefully - the Community Alerts. Best to register to receive them on www.yourcommunityalerts.co.uk.

Items for the next Issue (August/ September) by 20th. July Please. Bill & Anne Jenkin: 820338 email: villive@sevenhampton.info



Bill & I have been considering our future with Village Live and so intend to stop editing it after May 1919.

Since we began, methods of communication have expanded exponentially and it maybe is time for local news delivery to have a rethink.

With an amazingly loyal and reliable group of volunteer distributors, the newssheet has survived for 20 years and we've been very grateful for their support. Would anyone be interested in continuing a newssheet? Or in creating some electronic system, subject to privacy protection rules and Parish Council approval.

If you've any suggestions please email: Bill & Anne at this email address: villive@sevenhampton.info or ring 01242 820338 or 07977 221876.

### Parish Council

The next meeting of Sevenhampton Parish Council will be

> On Wednesday 18th July at 7.30pm

in The Reading Room, Rhodes Memorial Hall, Brockhampton. GL54 5XH.

The press and public are most welcome to attend. There will be a short question and answer session at the start of the meeting.



# Family Fun Friday -**Bushcraft in Wardens** Wood Friday 1st June, 2pm

Dens and campfires! £3.50 (+booking fee) per person. Booking Essential

Join us for an afternoon of bushcraft and nature exploration. See if you can survive in the wilds with your family by identifying trees from their leaves, building a den and toasting marshmallows on a campfire All equipment will be provided. Feel free to bring a picnic or refreshments to enjoy around the campfire too. We will stay together as a group throughout, so please arrive for a prompt 2pm start.

Please book a ticket for every member of your group using the Eventbrite link as numbers are limited. £3.50 per person. Suitable for children aged 5 years and

To book click on this link to the Eventbrite.co.uk website.



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The Show this year will take place on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August from 1.00 to 4.30pm. There is a Caribbean hampton theme and you

should have received the recipe for the upside down Caribbean Cake along with the Schedule of Classes, Rules, Entry Form, Dog Show Categories and Show Programme. If they have not arrived or you have mislaid them further copies may be obtained from the show secretary (Ray Oldham 820423).

However, in due course, you will also be able to download these from the show pages of the village website

sevenhampton.org/clubs/brockhampton-show/ Or from the Facebook page.

www.facebook.com/theshowatbrockhampton/

## Friends of the Show

Details about becoming a 'Friend of the Show' have also been contained in the paperwork which should have arrived through your door. Further information about this can be sought from John Bashford, 01242 821123 or 07774 210 989.



As part of the new Neighbourhood Policing offer for Gloucestershire Constabulary, Chief Constable Rod Hansen along with Police and Crime Commissioner Martin Surl has pledged that each area will have a named Police Community support officer.

The local Police Community Support Officer for Sevenhampton is PCSO Charlie Symes, who is supported by colleagues in the local policing team, they can be contacted in a number of ways including our website

www.gloucestershire.police.uk/neighbourhood-policing/ and enter your postcode in the box. You can also use the 01452 907200 number for Cotswold District and leave a message or contact 101 with your concern and it will sent to the officer via our control room.

Over the coming months you may see the officers out in the parish. Please look on our website for the advertised dates for the community engagement vehicle. You can visit the vehicle and speak with local officers about any community concerns you may have or for advice on crime prevention.



Your Community Alerts is Gloucestershire Con-▶ YOUR Community stabulary's new, free messaging system that enables ALERTS Gloucestershire residents, businesses and community groups to participate in a two-way exchange of information

about what is happening throughout the county. Wherever you live in Gloucestershire you can receive up-to-date messaging about incidents that may affect you and your community. You won't be bombarded with information - you can choose exactly the type of alert you wish to receive. For example, you can help tackle crime by registering for witness appeals or keep ahead of those traffic jams by registering for road closure alerts. The aim is to send relevant information which is chosen by you and together we can make a greater impact on the prevention and detection of crime and anti-social behaviour in our com-

The service is entirely free and you can receive the messages in a way that suits you. You may subscribe to alerts via text, email, voicemail or mobile app. To register for Your Community Alerts go to www.yourcommunityalerts.co.uk

# Village Diary

including **†**Church Services

RMH = Rhodes Memorial Hall

RR = Reading Room, Rhodes Memorial Hall

CA = 'Craven Arms'

**†**Ch'A. = St Martin's Church, Charlton Abbotts ♥S'h. = St Andrew's Church, Sevenhampton

♥H = St. Edward's Church, Hawling

Every Thursday

10.30 - 11.30am in the Reading Rom - Coffee Club.

June

Fri 1st 2.00 pm Warden's Wood - Bushcraft Mon 4th WI Garden Visit

Wed 6th Garden Club Evening Outing

Thu 7th 7.30pm CA - Quiz Night 11.00am & Ch'A - Morning Prayer Sun 10th

Tue 12th 3.00pm RMH

Century Club Open Meeting

Sun 17th 11.00am ⊕S'h - Family Service

11.00am ⊕S'h - Holy Communion Sat 30th Craven Arms Beer & Cider Festival

July

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> 7.30pm *WI* 

Thu 5th Garden Club Outing

7.30pm CA - Quiz Night

Sun 8th 11.00am ⊕Ch'A - Holy Communion Tue 10th **Century Club** 

**Outing to the Aston Pottery** 

Sun 15th 11.00am ⊕S'h - Family Service

Wed 18th 7:30pm RR - Parish Council

Sun 22th 11.00am ⊕S'h - Holv Communion

Sun 29th 10.00am ⊕H - Holy Communion

**Advance Notice** 

# 'raft fayre

In Brockhampton Village Hall on Saturday 17th November in aid of

#### Children in Need.

If you want a table it's £10 for a large table, £5 for a small one. If you are interested contact Georgina on 01242 820423



#### Meetings

# Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> June

Private evening visit to Miserden Gardens & pub supper.

Thursday 5th July Coach Trip to



A horticultural tour of the gardens is included & a 10% discount is offered in their café. Alternatively picnics in the grounds are permitted.

The Cathedral is immediately adjacent to the Gardens.

Non-members welcome (although members have priority booking).

**Further details from Annie** (01242820718)



#### **Draw Results**

March 2018 - Blue : 4 : 4 - Win £100 April 2018 - Red : 5 : 3 - Rollover The May & June results will be published in the next edition and online.

More information

www.sevenhampton.org/village-hall. or from Harry Boyd tel 820327



# **SEVENHAMPTON** & DISTRICT Women's Institute

#### Meetings

Monday 4th June Garden Visit

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July Graham Downie -The Fairground Calendar - A description of the fairground year through a selection of slides taken at Britain's historic fairs, giving the history of each of the fairs illustrated & how they contribute to the yearly pattern of fairs.

7.30 p.m. in the Rhodes Memorial Hall If you aren't a member come along anyway and give it a go.

> Further information from Wendy Benson 820960

The annual RIDE & STRIDE for the Gloucestershire Historic Churches Trust takes place on Saturday, September 3th. (Half sponsorship proceeds go to the Trust and half to your local church). We should be delighted to have some representatives from our parishes to join those from the other parishes in the Coln River Group Benefice as we have had no participants in the last few years. It is open to anyone.

For full information, please contact Bryan Taylor of Andoversford on 01242.820436.

You can also find more details about the Ride and Stride scheme on the Gloucestershire Historic Churches Trust website: ghct.org.uk/ride-and-stride/



Tuesday June 12th at 3.0 0pm in Rhodes Memorial Hall OPEN MEETING, ALL WELCOME

Irene Tyak talks about

July 10<sup>th</sup> - Summer Outing to the Aston Potterv

For further information contact Sheila Bartlett on 01242 820457

# Good Neighbourhood Scheme



If you need help with transport etc ring a coordinator

- Sheila Agius 820102
- Di Brown 820271 **Æ**
- Lynne Jackson 820408

**ANNUAL** R & CIDER F SATURDAY 30TH JUNE **All Day BBQ Farmers & Craft Market 12 noon - 4pm Live Music 7pm onwards Camping available** Brockhampton, Nr. Cheltenham, Glos. GL54 5XQ Tel: (01242) 820410. www.thecravenarms.co.u

**Quiz nights** 

Thursdays 7<sup>th</sup> June & 5<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm

All bookings & enquiries 01242 820410



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