

COMMUNITY NEWS

Harvest Festival time is approaching, the successful Art Fair returns to Grafton, Heritage Open Day promises to be another packed event at the Windmill and Autumn is just around the corner.

All eyes will be on Grafton when the route of the UK's most prestigious cycle race – the Tour of Britain – passes through the parish on 12 September. More than 100 elite international cyclists will race through the Pewsey Vale. The A342 will be closed from around 11.10am and the A345 from 11.25am.

In Pewsey Salisbury Road and Church Street will be closed from around 11.30am. The A338 will be shut for a time as the competitors ride on to Hungerford. Tour of Britain organisers said "Roads would be opened again as soon as was possible after the racers and their support vehicles had passed through". The A338 should be reopened by around 12.40pm.

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- * 13 September (evening event)
- * 27/28 September (Steam Gala)

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Nina Boyer has toured extensively & sung with several prestigious big bands, and has worked as a lead vocalist in TV, film & commercial work. Colin Green (guitar) has appeared as a soloist with the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra and worked with Georgie Fame & the Blue Flames & Shirley Bassey. Mick Allport (saxophone) has appeared on Friday Night is Music Night on Radio 2 & played with Craig Douglas & Thunderclap Newman. Dave Richmond (bass) was a founding member of Manfred Mann & has worked with the Shadows & Elton John.

Charlie's Charity is delighted to have helped sponsor Alicia, (Nina's daughter) who is an incredibly talented ice skater.



27th and 28th September

11am to 5pm

The Coronation Hall, East Grafton

Art fair

Showcasing a vast range of stunning work by accomplished artists from Wiltshire and surrounding counties.

Café by

Down From Town, Vintage Tea Party Company

Children's painting competition

Bring a painting to enter into our competition and to be displayed during the art fair. Age categories 5-8 and 9-12 years.
A prize for first place in each category. £1 entry fee. See our website for full details.

Admission and parking is free.

For more information visit www.graftonartfair.co.uk, or scan:



THE DOCTOR WRITES

My name is Dr Caroline Ward and I have been a registrar (in other words, a GP in training) at Great Bedwyn for the last 9 months, and am due to complete my time here in December 2015. As part of our training, registrars do regular shifts in the "Out of Hours" service. Most illnesses can be, and are dealt with, very effectively in general practice, and GPs see over 90% of all the patients who come into contact with the NHS each year (despite receiving less than 8.4% of the entire NHS budget). Other than A&E, are you aware of the medical services available to you locally when the surgery is closed?

Wiltshire medical services operate an emergency GP service in the evenings, overnight and all weekend. This means that if you are ill, you don't need to wait until the surgery reopens to gain access to medical advice and treatment. You can access this Out-of-Hours (OOH) service by dialling **111** and several things may happen as a result. You may be given medical advice over the telephone, or invited to see a GP or nurse at the OOH base at Savernake hospital by appointment. Occasionally if the call involves a frail or housebound person, they may even be offered a home visit.

Please do be aware that the doctor or nurse will have no access to your medical records so if possible, do try to have a list of any current medication to hand as you are likely to be asked about this. The OOH service will always contact us and give us a summary of any treatment or advice you have been given, although this may take up to 48 hours to reach us.

The OOH GP service does not replace the ambulance service so if someone is seriously ill or injured, always call **999**. Examples of when you might dial **999** include (but are not limited to) chest pain, difficulty breathing, unconsciousness, severe blood loss, severe burns or scalds, choking, fitting, drowning or severe allergic reactions.

So don't suffer in silence when the surgery is closed, just dial **111**



Wilton Windmill

HERITAGE OPEN DAY

SUNDAY 14TH

SEPTEMBER

12 noon - 5pm

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Refreshments

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The Heritage Open Days National Partnership



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ENGLISH HERITAGE

News in Brief

Barardo's collection in Wexcombe

Robin Arkell writes to ask the Community News to thank the people of Wexcombe for the £100 collected in the hamlet recently.

Marlborough area Bridge lessons for intermediate and beginners

Local lessons and you do not need to have a partner to enrol! Please contact Andy Hill for further details and availability **01380 724725** andyjbridge@btinternet.com or <http://www.bridgewebs.com/bfamarlborough/>

Hare Coursing

Males with lurcher dogs have been seen coursing on fields at the A338 in Marten. The police ask us to please be mindful of this type of activity and call **112** to report anything suspicious.

Recycling consultation - closing date 1 September

The proposed changes involve suspending the garden waste collection during a selection of winter months or charging for all garden waste collections. Residents are asked to pick the one option which best meets their needs. Consultation documents and information is available at www.wiltshire.gov.uk/council/consultations

Learn how to maximise internet effectiveness for free

Wiltshire Online in conjunction with the Wiltshire Business Support Service is running free workshops specifically aimed at hobbyists and sole traders who would like to take their hobby or small business to the next level by learning how to maximise their presence on the internet.

These free workshops are open to anyone. So if you have a hobby that you would like to promote far and wide or have friends or family who run their own small businesses that may need help with getting their business noticed using the power of the internet and social media then please tell them about these workshops. For more information please contact Marie Nash, Wiltshire Online project officer on **01225 712617**.

Wilton Cricket Club – 2014 Season Update.

Wilton CC has had 16 games so far this season. Of those only 2 have been called off by rain and out of the remaining 13 we have won 5 and lost 8. Unfortunately this record doesn't do the team justice. Almost all of our games this year have been incredibly close with most games going down to the wire! We have had 30 different people represent the club this year ranging from 15 – 72 yrs old!

Highlight of the year so far has been Wilton CC retaining the Chute 6 aside completion without losing a game (the trophy for which is proudly on display in the Swan Inn!). In addition we made it to the final of the Aldbourne 20/20 competition, but unfortunately this year we did lose the Shalbourne Test Match for the first time in 4 years. We will have to win it back next year!!

We have had numerous excellent individual performances, specifically Nick Hebden who is averaging over 80 runs. We still have 3 games remaining this season and are always happy to see new faces at games or practice (nets are opposite the Swan and held most Fridays from 6pm).

Anyone who wishes to play cricket in a fun and friendly environment please contact Ben Fleckney on **07545 619431**

St Nicholas' news

Harvest Festival and supper

Harvest festival is at 11am in Sunday 21 September and the harvest supper is at 7.30pm on Monday 22 September. Tickets are £18 each. Contact Millie Lemon **07803 032273** to reserve tickets

Church flowers and cleaning

Perhaps arranging produce for Harvest festival or assembling Christmas decorations will tempt you to offer an hour or two to help? Call Patricia on **810072** to find out more.

All those baptised or thinking of getting baptised - all ages!

Join us for a special Baptism Tea

St Nicholas on Sunday 12 October at 4pm

Contact Millie Lemon **01672 870 266** or camilla.lemon@btinternet.com

WINTER WARMER PARISH LUNCHES

Are having a Summer Get Together

Wednesday 20 August 12.30pm at Wexcombe Manor

Weather Permitting in the garden

£5 per head for Summer Lunch to include

a glass of Pimms or beer plus a raffle ticket!

To book and for any questions call Liz Hosier **01264 731242**

For a lift call: Ronnie Pearson **01672 811997** or Jenny Hatfield **01264 731415**

Mobile library dates

27 August, 10 and 24 September Coronation Hall 11.30 to 12.00

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Service of Remembrance and Commemoration

On Sunday 3 August, the Church of St Nicholas in East Grafton was attended by approximately 350 people to commemorate the Centenary of the start of the First World War and to pay tribute to those who went forth from the Pewsey Vale and did not return.

The service was magnificent, with music provided by a brass quintet from the Band of 'The Rifles' and singing led by the wonderful voices of The Bedwyn Millennium Choir. Tributes to the 'Fallen' were made as the congregation gathered around the War Memorial. Following the Last Post, traditional period of silence and Reveille, children from all parts of the Deanery, expertly and very reverently laid flowers in remembrance. The event was concluded by a short concert provided by The Band and Bugles of 'The Rifles' which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Michael Walsh and the organising committee wish to thank everyone for their most generous donations in support of The Rifles charity CARE FOR CASUALTIES which finally totalled £3425.

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Dates for your diary

All events take place in the Coronation Hall unless otherwise specified. St N refers to St Nicholas' Church.

Bookings **01672 810406** or hall@graftonparish.com
Please leave landline contact numbers wherever possible

AUGUST

17	11.00	Holy Communion	St N
20	12.30	Parish lunch	Wexcombe Farm
24	11.00	Family Worship	St N
31	16.00	Team Service	Tidcombe

SEPTEMBER

05	20.00	Jazz & hog roast	The Swan
07	11.00	Holy Communion	St N
12		Tour of Britain cycle race	A338
13		Evening event	Crofton Beam
14	12.00	Heritage Open Day	Wilton Windmill
14	18.00	Evensong	St N
21	11.00	Harvest Festival	St N
22	19.30	Harvest Festival supper	
27-28	11.00	Grafton Art Fair	
27-28		Steam Gala	Crofton Beam
28	11.00	Café church	Burbage
28		Last day of the season	Wilton Windmill

Regular weekly dates for your diary

Please check for full details with the relevant organiser.
Contact details are on page 4.

MONDAY

CIRCUIT & FITNESS  09.30 to 10.30 Monday

YOGA  11.00 to 12.30 Monday

Bingo  19.00 to 20.30 Monday

TUESDAY

ZUMBA  09.15 to 10.30 Tuesday

Marlborough Multiples 15.00 to 16.30
Alternate Tuesdays

YOGA  19.30 to 21.00 Tuesday

WEDNESDAY

CIRCUIT & FITNESS  09.15 to 10.15 Wednesday

C.A.P Dance & Fitness  Various classes for all ages between 15.30 and 19.00

THURSDAY

GRAFTON GOSSLINGS  Baby and toddler group
10.00 to 11.30 Thursday

YOGA  19.30 to 21.00 Thursday

FRIDAY

pilates  09.30 to 10.30 Friday

CIRCUIT & FITNESS  13.45 to 14.15 Friday

KARATE CLASS Children only 16.30 to 17.00

Useful contacts

Societies/Clubs/Organisations: 1 line free entry
Email news@graftonparish.com to be listed below.

Bingo	hall@graftonparish.com
Church flowers/clean	01672 810072 Patricia Knowles
Circuit/fitness Training	01672 810266 Hen Mackinnon
Community News	news@graftonparish.com
Coronation Hall	01672 810406 hall@graftonparish.com
County Councillor	01672 810285 Stuart Wheeler
Cricket Club	pack.andy@googlemail.com
Dance and Fitness	07746 479345 Charlotte Price
Grafton Goslings	graftongoslings@yahoo.co.uk
Horticultural Society	01672 810364 Marijke Craig
Karate	07775 510143 Darren Pettifer
Link Scheme	0771 7006787
Marlborough Multiples	07967 835831 Amber
Member of Parliament	01380 729358 Claire Perry
Parish Council	clerk@graftonparish.com
PCC Secretary	01672 870266 Millie Lemon
Pilates	07796 225942 Tracey Rich
Police emergency	999 or 112
Police non emergency	101 ext 745818 M Camilleri
Sunflowers at Grafton	01672 810478 Lyndsey Turner
Wiltshire Good Neighbours	07557 110418 Mary Soellner
Windmill Society	secretary@wiltonwindmill.co.uk
Yoga	01672 841553 Lizzy Hawnt
Zumba	01672 484464 Joanna Bury

Local commercial listing

B&B West Grafton	Angie Orsich	01672 810339
Baby sitting/odd jobs	Tom Nield	01672 870196
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Builder	Sam Sanchez	07887 991249
Car washing	wiltonwashers@gmail.com	
Disco and Karaoke	Pete Vallis	01672 811326
Disco and Party	Steve	01672 811109
Dog training/walking	Carrie Holborow	07546 941709
Double glazing repairs	David Willcocks	01672 811979
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Gardening	Sue Upham	01672 810526
Grafton Garage	Tony Gilbert	07845 006890
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Hat Hire	Victoria Frost	01672 810386
Kindling	Jo Harman	01672 810673
Logs/tree surgeon	Jeremy Hawkins	07980 536156
Odd jobs/gardening	Dan Oakey	07783 644405
Painting & Decorating	Neil Anderson	01264 731362
Pest Control	Julie Wilson	01672 811479
Printing clothing/signs	www.SCSigns.co.uk	
Swan Inn	Bill Clemence	01672 870274
Usborne Books	Trish Highnett	07775 941646

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1/12 page £5 1/6 page £10 1/4 page £15

✂ email news@graftonparish.com with contributions for the Community News.
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[www.wiltshire.gov.uk/planninganddevelopment/
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