



KINGSLEY NEWS

SEPTEMBER 2009

The news and voice of your village
Community

Kingsley Community Association is a Registered Charity



Kingsley Local Produce Market
Saturday 12th September 10am - 1pm
In the Horseshoe Pub beer garden



KINGSLEY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION
OFFICERS 2009/2010

Chairman	Mike Butler	788125
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Bar Team Co-Ordinator	Janet Lynch	787432
Bookings Secretary	Elizabeth Batey	788788

(Available from 12.30-7.30pm)

COUNCIL MEMBERS (elected)

Della Bunney, Sue Elliott, David Fletcher, Carol Rowlands,

COUNCIL MEMBERS (not elected)

**One representative from each of the affiliated groups and clubs
(NB. This is a condition of affiliation).**

KINGSLEY PRAYER DIARY

Each week of the year Christians in Kingsley pray specially for people in a different area of the village and its surroundings. During September we think of, and pray for people living in: -

W/c Sep 6th Helsby, Alvanley and Manley

W/c Sep 13th Crowton

W/c Sep 20th Norley

W/c Sep 27th Blakelees

We invite you to add your own prayers

EDITORIAL NEWS AND VIEWS

Dear Readers

I hope everyone had a good summer. It doesn't seem long since I was writing my last editorial, but here we go again.

I recently visited the Lower Moss Wood Wildlife Hospital, just beyond Knutsford, where they care for a great variety of sick and injured birds and wildlife that the public have taken in. Many people will be unaware of its existence, but if you find an injured bird or animal they will do their best to nurse it back to full health. Full details are given later in the magazine.

On Saturday 12th September Kingsley will have its first local produce market, to be held at the Horseshoe Pub. This is a wonderful step forward in the Kingsley Transition Initiative (KTI) and I am looking forward to buying some good locally produced food.

See you there.

Elizabeth

**Articles for the magazine to be sent to the Editor
either by email to - ewilsonsecretarial@yahoo.co.uk
or posted to Badgers Rake, Hillfoot Lane, Newton, WA6 6SY
Tel: 01928 787678**

Copy deadline is the 21st of each month

www.kingsleyvillage.co.uk



**IMPORTANT PUBLIC CONSULTATION EVENT – THE
ERECTION OF RENTED AFFORDABLE DWELLINGS
FOR LOCAL RESIDENTS – 23rd SEPTEMBER 2009**

Plus Dane Housing Group, McInerney Homes and Kingsley Parish Council have been working on proposals to deliver high quality affordable homes within the village of Kingsley

3 sites have been identified as being suitable for the construction of affordable housing. One off Pike Lane, which has been identified as the preferred site by Kingsley Parish Council, and others off Chapel Lane and Westbrook Road. There is a need to deliver affordable accommodation in order to address the identified and pressing accommodation requirements for local people.

The development will address clearly identified and supported housing needs in the village of Kingsley. It is vital that this opportunity to provide valuable affordable housing is not missed.

The purpose of the consultation is to engage with the residents of Kingsley, taking comments on board about the scheme, and answering questions as well as addressing any concerns. There will be an opportunity to comment directly on the layout of the new housing site, and the developer is keen to take on board any design ideas which may be put forward.

The event will take place on the 23rd September at 3pm – 6pm in the Kingsley Community Centre at the end of Smithy Lane.

Members of the Parish Council will be present, along with representatives from Plus Dane Housing Group, McInerney Homes, Mosaic Town Planning as well as the Rural Housing Enabler, Phil Addison.

We hope that residents of Kingsley will support the event, and our proposals. Your involvement is essential in delivering the best possible development for Kingsley.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'A. Garnett', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Mr. A Garnett

On Behalf of McInerney Homes

Our next training course starts in Sept 2009

Kingsley Transition Initiative

We are a group of Kingsley residents who have a common interest in the environment and our community. The idea of forming a group was initially conceived by a resident after reading about the Transition Town movement and attending a conference in Bristol. Kingsley Transition Initiative (KTI) was formed with the aim of raising awareness of sustainable living and local resilience.

Supported by Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council and the Energy Saving Trust we have several projects underway. Firstly, our energy group is looking at methods to reduce domestic energy usage and is looking into solar water heating. As shown overleaf, we are organising the Kingsley Local Produce Market to promote the idea of "Food feet, not food miles" and we are holding a Sustainable Kingsley event in the community centre on Saturday 3rd October. Where we hope to stimulate discussion on sustainability, the environment, and the future of the Kingsley community.

Central to the Transition Town movement is the idea that a life without oil could in fact be far more enjoyable and fulfilling than the present: 'by shifting our mind-set we can actually recognise the coming post-cheap oil era as an opportunity rather than a threat, and design the future low carbon age to be thriving, resilient and abundant.'

Saturday 12th September

Local Produce Market

Horseshoe Pub beer garden 10am - 1pm

Saturday 3rd October

Sustainable Kingsley

Kingsley Community Centre 10am - 1pm

**Please come along to the events and
help make them a success.**

If you would like find out more about KTI visit the village website,
call Allan on 01928 788335 or Simon on 01928 787813.

www.kingsleyvillage.co.uk

COMMUNITY CENTRE BAR

Over the years many people have enjoyed parties, dinner dances, plays and social events at the Community Centre. Central to that has been the provision of a well stocked bar staffed by volunteers. Over the last 5 years that has been made possible by the enormous effort put in by Janet Lynch. Janet has organised stock, deliveries and arranged staff to cover all the events that have gone on. Janet has decided she wishes to step down and I would like to say a massive thank you to her for all the time and effort she has put in.

We are now looking for people from within the village who would be prepared to help to run the bar. Ideally we would like to form a team of people to help minimise the commitment involved. The bar has been run in its present form for many years, but we are aware times change and people have many other commitments. As a committee we are open to any ideas including possible paid positions. Hopefully new people will have ideas on how we can do things differently whilst still providing what I am sure you agree is an outstanding facility in the village.

Without new people being involved the bar will not be viable and the funds it raises will not be available to help minimise costs for those groups using the centre on a regular basis.

If you would like to be involved in any way; paid or unpaid, managing organising or just helping out please give me a call on 01928 788125.

Mike Butler
KCA Chairman



HOMEWATCH NEWS 01 Jul – 27 Jul 06
To Report an Incident: **0845 458 0000**
Western Rural Community Policing Area
0845 458 6393



The following has been received from Trading Standards

It has become apparent recently that there has been a number of distraction burglaries reported to Cheshire Police. Trading Standards would like to pass on this information in order that the public keep vigilant at all times.

On each occasion callers posing as Water Board Officials have tried to gain access to properties on the pretence of needing to check water pressure. One resident who allowed the bogus caller entry to her property has since found a substantial amount of money missing.

Please be on your guard against this type of crime. Use your door chain and ask to see photographic identification. You can check the callers validity by contacting United Utilities on 0845 7462200. (Dee Valley Water 01978 846946) No genuine caller will mind waiting while you do this.

If you have any doubts whatsoever do not allow access and contact the Police immediately. If in any doubt **KEEP THEM OUT.**

Please share this advice with friends, relatives and neighbours and anyone you know who may be vulnerable. If you have any information regarding similar incidents or circumstances please contact the Police on 0845 458 0000

For general consumer advice contact Consumer Direct on 08454 040506

How much **energy** are you wasting?

The Energy Saving Trust is working with Kingsley Transition Initiative (KTI) to provide Kingsley residents with a free home energy report. The report will give your home an energy rating A-G and provide ways in which you could reduce your homes fuel bills and carbon emissions.

Please complete the questionnaire in this edition of the Kingsley News and return it to FREEPOST RRXX-TJAR-LGXX, Wirral Environment Centre, Falkland Road, Wallasey CH44 8ER or alternatively you can complete it online at www.energysavingtrust.org.uk/check.

Reports and advice will be available at the Kingsley Local Produce Market (or through the post if requested) on Saturday 12th September at the Horseshoe Pub.
For more information call 0800 512 012.

Mothers' Union

Kingsley, Norley and Crowton

At the end of July, Hilary took us for an outing to North Wales. We stopped in Rhos on Sea for coffee and visited the smallest chapel in Britain (a six-seater) before going to Bodnant Gardens where we had a guided tour round the beautiful grounds, sampled the food in the cafeteria and purchased a few items from the shop. We then had a mystery tour and ended up in Beaumaris on Anglesey. The weather was glorious, the views stunning and we had a really enjoyable end to our day sitting on a wall overlooking the Menai Straits and eating our butties. Thank you, Hilary, you did us proud.

As we don't have a regular meeting in August we met at Janet's home for a Coffee Evening and chat, proceeds from the evening going towards the Worldwide Fund of the Mothers' Union.

The next meeting takes place on 1 September at the Bickerton Poacher when we shall be testing our skills in the skittle alley and having a hotpot supper.

We usually meet monthly in the Church Room, Kingsley, on the first Tuesday in the month and anyone is welcome to join us.

LOWER MOSS WOOD
EDUCATIONAL NATURE RESERVE & WILDLIFE HOSPITAL



HELP US TO HELP THEM

Tel. 01565 755082 

www.lowermosswood.org.uk

Reg. stated charity No. 1078209



Above one of the many casualties admitted to the Lower Moss Wood Wildlife Hospital each year. An estimated 2000 animals and birds will be cared for this year alone. By becoming a friend you can help us to continue saving Britain's wildlife

INFORMATION

If you discover a fledgling or young animal on the ground, leave it well alone as it's parents will more than likely still be around to feed it. However if you are sure it is in distress or abandoned call the wildlife hospital for advice.

Below an albino blackbird, one of our more unusual admissions



Lower Moss Wood has been an educational nature reserve and wildlife hospital for over 20 years.

In 2006 Ray Jackson was awarded the MBE for his commitment to environmental education and animal welfare. Ray, with help from his band of volunteers has been providing a place for schools, disabled, environmental groups and many others to come and enjoy the countryside and to learn about conservation and the environment.

Lower Moss Wood also provides a place where injured animals and birds can recover and rehabilitate before returning to the wild.

42nd Street

@ The Brindley, Runcorn, Cheshire
15th - 19th September 2009

42ND STREET is a great big smiling, sparkling, tapping, back-flipping production. And those songs! "Lullaby of Broadway," "We're in the Money," "You're Getting to Be a Habit With Me," "Dames," and the spectacular title number. This stunning production will transport you to the Golden Age of Broadway.

There are three Kingsley residents amongst the cast
Neil & Lesley Silcock and Mary Carpenter

Tickets available from 0151 907 8360 or via www.thebrindley.org.uk

Litter Pick Update

On Saturday 11th July 10 of our litter pick team cleared the village of 11 bags of litter.

Thank you to the team and also to those who collect litter as they walk around the village.

The next litter picks will be on **Saturday 5th September and Saturday 3rd October**. We will start at 10.00 am at the Community Centre.

New helpers are always welcome.

We provide all the equipment needed.

Eila Birtwistle -

Litter pick co-ordinator.

KINGSLEY CRICKET CLUB



Founded 1971

- ❖ Good news on the First XI. Since their early season stumble they have had a series of good results and are now lying mid-table with the threat of relegation almost certainly avoided. The Second XI continues to have a good season and the Sunday XI has produced some great cricket with some exciting performances from many of the younger members. The junior sides continue to have some great results with excellent performances in their various Cup matches.
- ❖ Particular congratulations to the century makers Jamie Moores and George Waring, who have both hit Sunday centuries over recent weeks. Hopefully the first of many to come.
- ❖ The Newton and Kingsley Scouts and Kingsley Cricket Club barbecue was a great success inspite of the awful weather. The Club would like to thank all who attended and for the great support from the Village for this event.
- ❖ The Presentation Evening/End of Season do has been fixed for 3rd October 2009. Tickets are very good value at £15 per adult and £7 for under 16 juniors with a family ticket at £40.
- ❖ The Club is able to serve alcohol to Club members and guests of members or guests of the Club collectively under the terms of the Club Premises Certificate granted under the Licencing Act 2003.
- ❖ As always the Club welcomes anyone in joining whether as a player, social member, sponsor, coach, scorer or in any other way which will encourage and support cricket in the community.
- ❖ For all contact details and more about the Clubs activities, statistics and all other information, please visit the Club's website: www.kingsley-play-cricket.com. Club secretary Keith Trenell can be contacted on : 01928 788465

DOES ANYONE KNOW?

A gentleman approached me at a Beeston Auction wanting an item from the batch I had just bid for...this was a dark wood cabinet cover into which he wished to put/house a radio. He then fell very ill, I believe, and never contacted me again...I have subsequently lost the trail, and never seen him again.

The only two pointers I have are that I remember that he was from Acton Bridge, and that he had an old A40, complete with wooden braces, and a Union Jack on the roof!!

If you know of him I should be grateful if you could contact me as I have kept the cabinet a long time, hoping it may eventually get to him!!

Best wishes
Chris
07810487186

Warrington Cine & Video Society

Every Mouday (except Bank Hols) at 8pm-10pm

Venue: Silver Band Hall



Loushers Lane, Warrington, WA4 2RH

If you have a cine or video camera and you are interested in movie making, script writing or acting; why not come along.

For more information:

Telephone: 01925 480822

Email: wcvss@belton5656.freemove.co.uk

Website: www.wcvss.net

Kingsley's First Local Produce Market

The Horseshoe Pub
Saturday 12 September
10am - 1pm

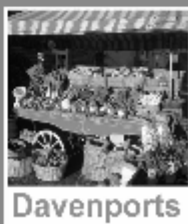
The market will include the following local producers:



Ball Lane
Produce



Devonshire Bakery
for Quality



Organised for the community by the community as part of the Kingsley Transition Initiative (KTI)

KCA Collection

Every year a village collection has been made to help support the Kingsley Community Association and Kingsley News, which is delivered, free of charge, to homes in Kingsley. Last year this raised approximately £850- for which we would like to say thank you.

The suggested donation is £5 per household, and £3 for pensioners or those on low income. Although we would very much appreciate it if anyone were able and willing to donate more than this.

In previous years we have made door to door visits in order to pick up donations. However this is a major burden on our volunteers and we would therefore like to change our collection process.

Also a number of people have asked whether it would be possible to donate online, or pay directly into the bank.

This year we would like to offer a number of ways to donate:

1. To pay directly into the KCA bank account, our details are;

Bank : - Natwest;

Account name : – Kingsley Community Association

Sort code : - 53-70-21

Account no. : – 60177683

Payment Reference : - KCA donation

Payment can be via a single payment or, if you prefer, you can set up an annual standing order with your bank.

2. Donations can also be placed in the collection box at the community centre or handed in at Holland's Pharmacy, who I would like to thank for offering to do this.

3. They can also be posted to 58 Beechview Road, Kingsley WA6 8DG

Please make cheques payable to “Kingsley Community Association”.

GIFT AID – Please note that due administrative requirements of the Gift Aid scheme and the small size of most of the donations, we will NOT be claiming gift aid on these donations. Should however anyone wish to donate more than £100, then arrangements can be made for gift aid to apply. Please contact Paul Atkinson (our Treasurer) on 01928 787971 for details.

Please note that on behalf of the KCA, I would like to thank everyone for any donations.

Mike Butler
KCA Chairman

Kingsley  Players

Proudly present



“THE GOVERNMENT INSPECTOR”

By Nikolai Gogol

Fast, funny and bitingly relevant! This hilarious political satire is one of the most famous comedies in world theatre. In a new translation by award-winning playwright, Alistair Beaton (“Drop the Dead Donkey”), this is a classic Russian tale of corruption and greed with a modern twist.

Directed by Lynn Pegler

Wed 14th – Sat 17th October 2009, 7.30pm
Kingsley Community Centre

*Tickets £5/£6 (£4 concessions) in advance from Kingsley Chemist,
Box Office Tel 07925 516760*

Or Book Online at www.kingsleyplayers.co.uk

By permission of Samuel French

Make a Difference become a Home Start Volunteer



Do you have parenting experience?

Could you spare 3 hours a week of your time?

Could you be a Home-Start Volunteer and help a Mum or Dad who needs someone to talk to, someone to listen or someone just to lend a hand?

We offer training, expenses and lots of support.

Our next training course starts in Sept 2009

Call Christine or Joyce on 01606 46688

Or email joycehomestart@aol.com or chrisbhomestart@aol.com

KINGSLEY CRICKET CLUB

WANTED!

VACUUM CLEANER

Does anyone have an unwanted/spare/redundant vacuum cleaner that they are prepared to donate?

If so the Cricket Club can offer it a good home, and would be most grateful.

Please contact Club Secretary Keith Trenellon 01928 788465

Frodsham and District Roundtable

has recently come to the aid of a local Autistic child living in Kingsley. Jack Armstrong regressed at 3.5 years old and previous to that Jack was delayed in speech. When Jack regressed he lost all his speech, stopped making eye contact and no longer played with any of his toys. Nor did he want to be near others, including other children - all Jack wanted to do was shut himself off in his own world.

In October last year, Jack's mother, Natalie, found out about the Sonrise programme in America which provides intensive therapy and training with proven results. Several volunteers currently assist Mum and Dad, Natalie and Mark, in following the initial Sonrise programme with Jack and since January Jack has gained some single words and his eye-contact has greatly improved, as has his interaction both with the volunteers and family members.

Natalie and Mark have also converted a room at home to specifically work with and play with Jack.

To continue the progress made so far Natalie and Mark are organising fund raising events to secure a place for Jack at the Sonrise Treatment Centre in America, so he can continue to move forward to a normal life.

The cost for a one week Intensive Program is \$18,400, with an immediate deposit of \$3000.00 to secure a place for Jack. This is when Frodsham Roundtable came to Jack's aid – Chairman Martin Sadler – ‘In terms of our charity work, this is exactly what Roundtabling is all about, assisting local good causes within our community. We felt so strongly about Natalie and Mark's dilemma that we agreed to donate £2,200 to ensure that Jack is able to secure a place/date for the Sonrise treatment. In addition to this, members have also agreed to try to assist further in the future by organising a special 'coast to coast' cycle ride to raise funds specifically for Jack's cause - this will take place mid year 2010’

If anybody is interested in making a personal donation, or would like to consider volunteering to help Jack, they can contact Natalie via email at natalienell@aol.com, or details can be found on the Roundtable web site - www.rt940.co.uk on the charity page.

SEPTEMBER 2009

CTCKN exists to promote co-operation between all Christian denominations active in Crowton, Kingsley and Norley. Our meetings are open to anyone who would like to be involved. If you would like more information, please contact Jonathan & Janet Batey, 788706.

CTCKN is affiliated to Churches Together in England

CHURCHES

Anglican

St. John the Evangelist, Kingsley
Kingsley

St. John the Evangelist, Norley
Christ Church, Crowton.

Methodist

The Hurst Methodist Church,

Blakelees Chapel, Kingsley
Norley Methodist Church

Roman Catholic

St Luke's Church, Frodsham

Clergy

Anglican Vicar: Rev Peter Rugen 787180

Methodist Minister: Rev Steve Santry 722102

Superintendent Minister: Rev Pat Christopher 733180

Roman Catholic Priest: Mgr Canon Peter O'Neill 733127

Church Services

The nearest Roman Catholic Church is St Luke's, Frodsham. Services are:

Sunday Mass 9.00AM, 11.00 AM

Weekdays 9:30 AM (Tuesdays 7:15 PM)

Saturday 6:00 PM

Thursday 3rd September

10:00 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley

Sunday 6th September

9:30 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley

10:00 AM Morning Worship The Hurst

6:30 PM Songs of Praise (*JS: see note 1*) Blakelees

Thursday 10th September

10:00 AM Holy Communion Christ Church, Crowton

Sunday 13th September

8:15 AM Holy Communion (with St John's) The Hurst

9:30 AM Morning Worship St John, Kingsley

10:00 AM Family Praise The Hurst

6:30 PM Evening Worship (*JS: see note 1*) Blakelees

Thursday 17th September

10:00 AM Holy Communion St John, Norley

Sunday 20th September

9:30 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley

10:00 AM Holy Communion The Hurst

11:15 AM All Age Service St John, Kingsley

6:30 PM Evening Worship (*JS: see note 1*) Blakelees

Thursday 24th September

10:00 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley

Sunday 27th September (Back to Church Sunday)

10:00 AM Harvest Festival The Hurst

10:00 AM Celebrating Together Cuddington Hall Farm

5:00 PM Harvest Festival (*JS: see note 2*) The Hurst

Note 1: Joint Service - Blakelees, The Hurst

Note 2: Joint Service - Blakelees, The Hurst, Norley Methodist

Services vary in format from traditional liturgy to informal worship. We offer services especially suitable for families and young people, such as Family Praise (normally 2nd Sunday each month at the Hurst) and All Age Worship and Celebrating Together at the Anglican Churches.

Prayer & Study

Kingsley Bible Study Group: Monday evening.

CTCKN Ecumenical discussion group meets alternate Thursday evenings:

3 Sep, 17 Sep, 1 Oct, 15 Oct...

Kingsley Prayer Group: Friday morning.

Other events

The Hurst Soup Lunches : two per month

The Hurst Womens' Group : monthly

The Hurst Ladies' Fellowship: monthly (Wednesday afternoon)

The Hurst Creche

Norley Ecumenical Ladies' Group: 3rd Thursday

Norley Walking Group: 1st Wednesday

Norley Craft Club: Tuesday 10:00 – 12:00

Hurst Guild: 2nd Tuesday evening

Norley St John : Crazy Friday Fun Club

Wheelchairs

These are available on short term loan to the residents of Kingsley.

Contact Brian Moores 787442

**KINGSLEY NEWSLETTERS ARE AVAILABLE
AT THE PHARMACY AND THE
POST OFFICE COUNTER**

THANK YOU

Gillian and Peter Dean would like to thank all who supported their Open Garden event on 31 July 2009. A grand total of £487 was taken on the day and has been made up to £500 which will go to the Hurst Methodist Church Pump Aid project and buildings fund. We were able to sit out until after 11 p.m. and everyone who came seemed to have enjoyed the afternoon and evening. Thanks.

FAMILY PRAISE

10 am on SUNDAY 13th SEPTEMBER

at The Hurst Methodist Church

Led by Revd Steve Santry.

We welcome you to our family-friendly service, with lively music and activities for children.

ACTION FOR CHILDREN (formerly NCH)

The July collection in Kingsley raised £ 750, despite the fact that some areas could not be covered for various reasons. This total is approx 6% down on last year's result. In addition, those tax payers who were kind enough to fill in the declaration raised an extra £ 68 approx in tax-back from Gift Aid, at no extra cost to themselves.

Action for Children continues to put the Child at the Centre. Grateful thanks to all the collectors and to all who gave so generously during July.

Sylvia Robinson

ASH-WORTH TIME BANK UPDATE:

Ash-worth Time Bank have now completed their village update. A copy will be sent to all Time Bank members. If you wish to reserve a regular copy, please email Susan on ash-worthtime@hotmail.co.uk

KINGSLEY SOCIAL GROUP: Tuesday 15th September 2pm
Kingsley Community Centre. Guest Speaker to be announced.
If you wish to come along – please call Caroline on 01829 751398.

The Kingsley Social Group usually meet 3rd Tuesday in the month. If you would like to come along meet new friends, have a cup of tea and a chat – please join us.

PILATES When? Tuesdays, 2.00 - 3.00 pm
KINGSLEY Where? Kingsley Village Institute
Start date: 8th September

ALL LEVELS WELCOME

These classes are priced at £30 for a 10 week course. A minimum of 12 participants is required in order for the course to run. Please call Susan or Caroline on (01829) 751398 to arrange a trial session. Lifts can be provided to members living in neighbouring villages.

If for any reason you miss a class in one village, please feel free to come along to the other class. No further payment will be due, but please let us know when you will be attending a different class.

REMEMBER WHEN GROUPS

Grosvenor Museum - Local workshops and museum visit. All welcome

Kate Riddington will be running craft workshops in Ashton Hayes as part of a forthcoming museum exhibition about the early history of the

museum. We will be looking at wild life images and then creating our own stuffed birds to be hung from the museum ceiling.

Local workshops When? Wed. 7th October 10.30 - 12.30

Wed. 14th October 10.30 - 12.20

Where? Ashton Hayes Parish Rooms

Lifts available from neighbouring villages.

Museum visit and workshop

When? Wed. 28th October 10.30 - 3.00pm

Where? Grosvenor Museum, Chester

Part of the day will be a craft workshop making stuffed wildlife. We will also have a tour of the exhibition 'My Favourite Outfit'. Tea and coffee will be provided. Everyone will make their own lunch arrangements. If you would like to attend any or all of these events, Please phone Time Bank office by 25th September – 01829 751398

TABLE TOP SALE DELAMERE COMMUNITY CENTRE

When? Saturday, 10th October - 10am – 12.00

This is now a regular event and is becoming very well attended. Please reserve tables early - only £6.00 each. The event will receive widespread coverage nearer the date.

FRODSHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE

**Telephone: 01928 732222. e.mail info@frodshamcc.co.uk
www.frodshamcc.co.uk**

THE ROCKSAVAGE POWER DOWNHILL RUN will take place on Saturday 12th September in conjunction with the Ruby Anniversary of Frodsham Community Centre.

It is anticipated that 200 runners will tackle the 1.5 mile downhill course from the top of Frodsham Hill to the Community Centre. The run is open to all ages and every runner will receive a certificate and t-shirt. Entry forms are available from www.frodshamcc.co.uk, the Community Centre, Forest Hills Leisure Club and Frodsham Town Council.

FRODSHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE RUBY OPEN DAY will be held on **Saturday 12th September** from 12 noon – 5.00pm. Some of the eighty affiliated groups belonging to the Community Centre will have displays and stalls, plus a display of photographs and memorabilia from the first 40 years of the Community Centre.

There will also be entertainment and refreshments during the afternoon.

‘COME TO THE CEILIDH’ with the **ACME BAND** on **Saturday 12th September** from 7.30pm. An experienced caller will guide the dancers in what will be a lively evening for all the family. The bar will be open from 7.00pm and you are welcome to bring a picnic supper.

Tickets are available in advance from The Centre or on the door.

Adults £5.00 and under 12s £2.50

THE FCA AUTUMN QUIZ NIGHT on **Tuesday 8th September** starting at 7.30pm. Teams of 6 can enter and there is a charge of £18 per table, which includes refreshments. Telephone 01928 732222 to book in your team.

(ALL PROCEEDS IN AID OF FRODSHAM COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION. Registered Charity no 520051)

For further information or details contact:

Sue Thomson

Mob. 07971 907 669

Email: events@frodshamcc.co.uk

sootee@btinternet.com

KINGSLEY GARDEN CLUB

DID YOU PLANT YOUR

SUNFLOWER

SEEDS?

Have they grown?

If they are tall, do you want to enter

The **COMPETITION** for **THE TALLEST?**

LATEST DATE of entry is SEPT 9TH

Please complete the following details and either send them to:

DODGSLEY GATE FARM

BEECH LANE

KINGSLEY

WA6 6LL

Or give them on the phone: 01928 788 077

Name.....

Age.....

Address.....

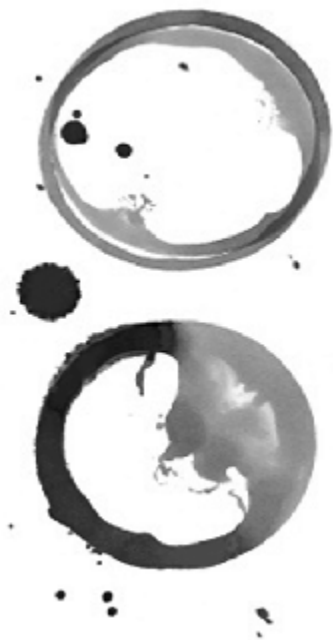
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Phone No.....

HEIGHT of SUNFLOWER.....

After measuring, please leave your sunflower in the ground!





WINE TASTING EVENING

at
Kingsley
Community Centre

on Friday
18th September 2009

at 7.30pm

Tickets £10

Contact Lesley Speed on
01928 788574 or 0772 7058487

All proceeds will go
St Luke's Care Home, Runc



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DATES IN SEPTEMBER

Sat 5 Sep – 10.00 am from KCC: Village litter pick

Sun 13 Sep - 8.15 am: United Holy Communion at The Hurst

- 10.00 am: Hurst Family Praise. Revd Steve Santry

Mon 14 Sep – Noon to 1.00 pm:

Hurst Soup Lunch followed by “Thought for the Day”

Sat 19 Sep - at KCC: Good food and music by 'The Gatecrashers'

in aid of the charity “KRDP” - working with projects in Uganda

Mon 21 Sep - Noon onwards at The Hurst:

Young Family Soup Lunch and “Puppet Praise”

Sun 27 Sep Hurst Harvest Thanksgiving

- 10.00 am: Revd Ian Rigby - 5.00 pm: Revd Peter Rugen

OCTOBER DATES

Sat 3 Oct – 10.00 am from KCC: Village litter pick

Sun 4 Oct - 10.00 am: Hurst Family Praise. Revd Steve Santry

Sun 11 Oct - 8.15 am: United Holy Communion at St John's

Mon 12 Oct - Noon to 1.00 pm:

Hurst Soup Lunch followed by “Thought for the Day”

14 to 17 Oct: Kingsley Players production

Fri 23 Oct Schools half term holiday

Sun 25 Oct Clocks go back 1 hour

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The regular July walk, from Llanferres, followed an undulating route taking in the charming village of Llanarmon. The terrain varied from open hillside with distant views, to meadowland, and woodland, with the odd stream-crossing thrown in. Our lunches were supplemented by the wild bilberries which were growing in abundance on the hillside. Rain clouds were in evidence, but passed us by. The leader told us that the distance was 9 miles – others thought it to be more, especially as we walked up the final gradient back to Llanferres.

On 11 August we enjoyed a conducted tour of the beautiful lakes and wooded countryside above Bety-s-y-coed, following a labyrinth of paths, wide and narrow, of which our guides had expert knowledge. Distance just under 9 miles. It was a brilliantly sunny day – some people (not us) were even swimming in the river in Bety-s. Brrr!

Kingsley Walking Group have two walks each month, meeting at the Community Centre at 9.30am. On the second Tuesday there is a long walk, bring a packed lunch. On the last Wednesday a short walk with a coffee break and a pub lunch. We are a friendly group. For more information tel. 787055



WI

The monthly meeting of Kingsley WI was held in the Community centre on July 1st.

The President, Joan Barker, congratulated all who were involved with the Cheshire Show exhibit which came second, a great achievement. The exhibit was on display for members to see and admire.

The Institute continues to be busy in July, dates were arranged for the Luncheon Club, the Walking Group, Lively Hands and the Scrabble Club.

The speaker was Barbara Rouse a retired Biology teacher who spoke with passion and enthusiasm about polar bears and the general flora and fauna she had seen on her trip to Spitsbergen. The photographs which accompanied her talk were amazing and gave an insight into the great variety of life in the very cold Tundra region. The highlight of the trip was seeing polar bears in a family group at fairly close quarters.

There will be no formal meeting in August but there will be afternoon tea for members on August 5th at the home of John and Chris Woulds.

The next meeting will be on September 2nd when there will be a watercolour demonstration by Susan Cartwright.

The Hurst Souperstars'

*** SOUP LUNCH ***

Monday 14th September

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KINGSLEY GARDEN CLUB

THE NEW SESSION: 2009-2010

The new session of the Garden Club starts on 8th September. We have a varied programme for the year. The details are:-

Sep 14 th 2009	PRACTICAL VEGETABLE GROWING Derek Jones, Lecturer, Reaseheath College
Oct 12 th 2009*	HEDGES AROUND EDGES Hugh Beggs
Nov 9 th 2009	SO MANY PLANTS, SO LITTLE SPACE! Bob Brown, Cotswold Garden Flowers <i>Elaine Jones Memorial Lecture</i>
Dec 14 th 2009	DESIGN ASPECTS FOR YOUR GARDEN Jane Allison, Mayfield Plant Nursery
Jan 2010	NO MEETING
Feb 8 th 2010	GARDENER'S QUESTION TIME Steve Roberts, Morrey's Nursery Kelsall
Mar 8 th 2010	BEAUTY FOR MORE THAN A DAY- DAY LILIES IN THE GARDEN Martin Blow, Special Perennials Nursery
Apr 12 th 2010	AGM AND MEMBERS' NIGHT

*All meetings of the Garden Club will be held at The Kingsley Community Centre at 8 p.m, **with the exception of the October meeting, which will be in the Hurst Chapel Room.**

We do hope that you will join us or, if you are already a member, continue your membership and we look forward to seeing you during the session. Subscriptions for the coming year are unchanged at £7 per person. Visitors are welcome for any meeting, at £2 at the door "on the night". If you would like to enrol in advance, please let us have your subscription and the form below.

Yours sincerely,

Alan Jones

TO: Chris Woulds, Membership Secretary, Kingsley Garden Club, Mount Pleasant, 9 Top Road, Kingsley, Frodsham, WA6 8DU

Please enrol as members for the session 2009/10

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Soup lunch and Puppet Praise

Are you a parent or carer of pre-school children?
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At 1pm you have the option to stay for Puppet Praise in the
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Come to the lunch, come to Puppet Praise or come to both!

Harvest Thanksgiving

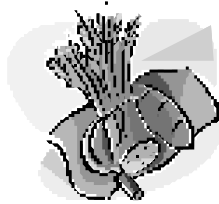
Sunday 27th September

Hurst Methodist Church, Kingsley

Services

10am - Rev Ian Rigby

5pm – Rev Peter Rugen, Vicar of St John's



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We look forward to seeing you.

27 September is also 'Back to Church' Sunday, part of a national initiative.

   **Back to Church Sunday**

Kingsley Parent and Toddler Group



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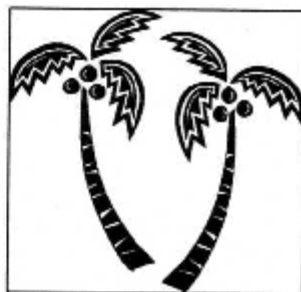
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