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THE FORERUNNER

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**WELCOME to the
October edition of
The Forerunner.**

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In this month's edition – a reminder to book your tickets and check out the auction of promises items for the Harvest Supper and Autumn Fete, to be held at Home Farm Barn on 16th October, from 5-8pm.

There is also news of bridge classes and film nights restarting in the village hall.

All copy for the next edition should be [sent to Elin Tattersall](#) by the 20th of the month (01453 860182).

[Sign up here](#) to get your name onto the [mailing list](#) for the parish website e-alerts.

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VICAR'S LETTER

I don't know what the weather will be like as you read this letter, but as I type this letter, I am still enjoying the sunshine coming through the Vicarage study window – it is a beautiful autumn day! It is still September and the sun is shining from a clear blue sky, there is just the hint of breeze and the trees around are still covered in leaves and green. We read in the first book of the bible in Genesis, that after God created the earth he said 'It is good', and this beautiful day is so good.

The change in season and weather is of course on its way, (although we all know how unpredictable the weather can be!) If you are a gardener, October also brings our mind to tidying the garden in preparation for 'putting it to bed' for the winter months. We may be looking forward to long winter evenings or maybe feeling that these are just the long evenings that we find difficult; this is also the time to particularly remember those who live alone and would value a phone call or a visit.

October sees the season of Harvest and Harvest festival celebrations in our churches.

This year Harvest Festival will be celebrated with a Harvest Supper and Autumn fete on Saturday 16th October and our Harvest Festival celebration at St John the Baptist, will be on Sunday 17th October, 9.30am.

Following the Harvest season, we look towards November, the month of remembrance. The remembrance service will begin at the war memorial at St John the Baptist on November 14th at 10.50am.

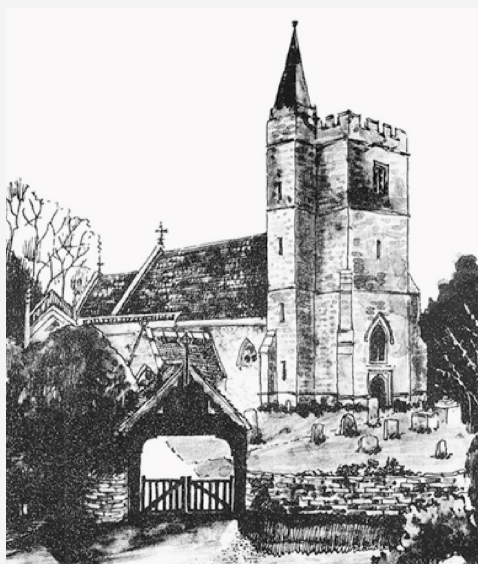
The church seasons reflect every emotion, Harvest, the joy of celebration of what God has made and sadness of remembering those we have loved and lost.

There will also be a 'Remembering loved ones' benefice service at St George's Church, Nailsworth on Sunday 31st October, at 3pm.

This will be a short reflective service, and there will be an opportunity to light a candle as we remember those we love and have lost and also an opportunity to join for refreshments following this service.

If you are able to celebrate Harvest, join in the act of remembrance or come to remember your loved ones on 31st October, it would be lovely to see you.

With blessings
Rev'd Caroline



KEY DATES

SERVICES AT THE CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST, KINGSCOTE

3rd October 2021 at 9.30am - Communion Service

17th October at 9.30am - Harvest Festival- All Age Service

In line with government guidance we ask people to continue to wear face masks inside the church (unless they are exempt). People are also asked to use the hand sanitiser provided and to continue to observe social distancing. The church is now open every day- with thanks to our team of people who open up and lock it up daily.

CHURCH FLOWERS

The rota for October and November is:

3rd and 10th October - Vivienne Ainsworth
17th and 24th October - Harvest Festival- The Flowers Team

31st October and 7th November Elin Tattersall
14th November- Remembrance Sunday - The Flowers Team

21st November - Lorna Reynolds
28th November- Advent -Soffi Bond

If you are able to join the rota to supply one flower arrangement in the church per year, please contact Lorna Reynolds 01453 860231.

BOOK CLUB

Wednesday 20th October at 2.30pm, at Angela's, to discuss 'The Doll Factory' by Elizabeth MacNeal.

Wednesday 17th November at 2.30pm at Louise's, to discuss 'The Dutch House' by Ann Patchett.

KERBSIDE WASTE & RECYCLING COLLECTIONS

Waste collection calendar

The calendar for kerbside collection is available when you [key in your postcode on this web page](#).

Food waste

Every Thursday

Recycling and garden waste

30th September, 14th and 28th October 2021

RECYCLING CENTRE

Pyke Quarry (Horsley tip) is open from 9am to 5pm on all days except Wednesdays, but only for pre-booked appointments. Book your visit here. Phone bookings are possible only for those without internet access - phone 01452 596 626.

POST OFFICE

The mobile post office will be at Kingscote Village Hall every Monday and Thursday from 9am to 10am.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

At time of publishing there were no current planning applications on the Cotswold District Council (CDC) website which were applicable to the parish of Kingscote with deadline dates for consultation responses during October 2021.

Note: Only applications classed by CDC as 'current' and with relevant consultation expiry dates are included in The Forerunner each month. The standard consultation expiry date seems to be around 21 days after validation of the application by CDC although there are exceptions and sometimes applications do not seem to be listed on the website immediately after validation. Applications may not feature in the Forerunner if both the validation date and the expiry date fall in between Forerunner publications.

If you are keen to keep abreast of all new planning applications it is recommended that you check the CDC website regularly and/or [register to receive email alerts direct from CDC.](#)

PARISH COUNCIL UPDATE

Next Parish Council Meeting

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Thursday 7th October at 8pm in the village hall. We will be welcoming our new Parish Clerk, Elizabeth Oakley, who took on this role from 1 September. Any parishioners are welcome to attend.

Kingscote Parish Council



By kind invitation of the Nichols family

HARVEST SUPPER AND AUTUMN FETE

Saturday 16th October 2021

5 to 8pm

at Home Farm Barn, Kingscote

Open to residents of Newington, Bagpath and Kingscote, their families and friends

**Proceeds to the church safety rail project,
Bagpath churchyard Ash tree removal, and village hall**



***Fun for all
the family***

Food and bar; Music from Steel Appeal, Splat the rat, Skittles, Coconut shy, Fishing game; Produce and bric a brac stall; Craft activities; Raffle, with prizes including a food hamper and magnum of wine.

***Mini promises
auction***

Promises include Italian meal for up to 10; Cattle Country tickets; Classic car chauffeur ride; Hunter's Hall Gift voucher; Event taxi service; Paintings by local artist Teresa Day. Contact Elin Tattersall (elin.tattersall@yahoo.com) with any new promises ASAP. Look out for the list in early October.

***Produce & Bric
a brac stall***

Bring your donations of food, plants, bric a brac etc to the village hall on 15th October from 5 to 7pm (no clothes please). Fresh cakes etc can be brought to the event on the 16th. Contact Soffi Bond (bondsoffi@icloud.com).

TICKETS, including supper:
Adults - £10
Children 5-16y - £5
Under 5s - Free

RESERVE YOUR TICKETS
by contacting Elin Tattersall:
elin.tattersall@yahoo.com
01453 860182
(please leave your name and
phone number)

COMMUNITY CORNER

We welcome your contributions to this, our parish newsletter, in whatever format - photographs, puzzles, recipes, poems and stories and will try to publish a selection each month. Please send them to Elin Tattersall (01453 860182).

VILLAGE HALL NEWS

Coffee Morning

Wednesday 13 October, 10.30 - 11.30 a.m.

Home-made cake and coffee, £2.00

All Welcome

Film Night

Tuesday 19 October, in the Main Hall. 7.30 - 9.30 p.m.

Midnight in Paris

Romantic comedy which won Oscar for Best Original Screenplay

Entry Free. Pay Bar

Bridge Classes recommence from 30

September

Thursdays, 7.30 - 9.30 p.m.

For details [please contact Brian McTear](#) or phone 01453 861311

Royal British Legion

Subject to the rules at the time, we are planning on re-instating door to door collections for the Poppy Appeal. I thought I would let you know that the usual team of kind people will be coming with their tins, for cash donations, between 30th October and 13th November.

If you would like to volunteer and help us over the above period that would be marvellous. Please call me.

Annabella Lucy 860617

Woodland friends

Fairies have been spotted in locations around the parish. Have you seen any more?

In places like Bristol and the Isle of Mann tiny houses and doorways have been popping up too. We have not spotted any of these in our neighbourhood yet, but perhaps you know better.



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