# Chippenham & Snailwell News

December-January 2011/12

Diary Dates December 3rd/4th La Hogue Christmas Fayre Weekend

7th MU meeting - 'Christmas Decorations'

9th - Mums plus+ at La Hogue

17th - Quiz The Tharp Arms 20th - 3 Rivers Quiet Christmas service. Fordham 7pm

January 21st Burns Supper and Celidh

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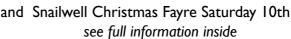
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# Surprises, Services and Song....

Events are in seasonal full swing, come and support fundraising and find tempting Christmas treats at our village Christmas Markets and Fayres.

Chippenham Candlelit Market December 2nd,



Enjoy our traditional Carol Services at: St Peter's Snailwell, Sunday 18th December 6pm

Carols by candlelight at St Margaret's Chippenham at 6pm on Christmas Eve including the cherubs group singing

Wishing all residents and their families a happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year .



# Three Rivers Mothers Union



It had been another busy year with our Lent Lunches, coffee mornings and visits. The Coffee Morning in September was most successful raising approximately £70. Our Group AGM was well attended and reports were given by the Branch Leader, Secretary and Treasurer.

In particular, the 'Celebration of Marriage' event had been a great success. Well over £300 had been raised during the year and all monies donated to MU charitable projects.

The profile of the MU nationally had been raised during the year with the launch of it's 'Bye Bye Childhood' campaign against the commercialisation and sexualisation of children and the subsequent review carried out by Reg Bailey on behalf of the Government.

The formal business completed, Gaynor Ryan gave a short demonstration on flower arrangements in teacups, following which we all decorated our own teacups. A very successful and enjoyable evening.

#### **FUTURE EVENTS**

Wednesday, 7 December- 2.30 p.m. Chippenham Village Hall.

# Christmas decorations and Preparations, Gaynor Ryan.

Bring & Buy and Raffle.

At the time of writing our January 2012 programme has still to be finalised. Please see the Church Notice Board for meetings.

For any further information on the above please contact either Helen (721616)or Jenny (720820).

# Burns Supper and Ceilidh Chippenham Village Hall, Saturday 21st January 2011, From 7.30pm

Tickets will be available from the Friday the 6th of January

Further details to follow or contact Yvonne Lomas 01638 721676

## **Scottish Country Dancing**

Wednesdays from  $7.30-8.30 pm\ \pounds 1$  entrance fee For further details contact Yvonne as above at Chippenham Village Hall , All Ages and All Levels Welcome



Come Along and Have Fun



# The Parish Churches of

An amazing date this November, as we remembered, on the 11th November 2011 at 11 am, the final cessation of hostilities in the First World War some 93 years ago, following the senseless slaughter of so many in Europe, marking the ending of an era. And the Second World War too, ending over 66 years ago, means that there are every fewer around us who actually fought for their country and are still with us today. And in case we forget, since 1945, over 3,500 UK troops have died in conflicts around the world, from Korea to Palestine, from Afghanistan to Kenya. A huge sacrifice. Essential to remember. And to pledge ourselves afresh to peace in our hearts, our families, our communities and between the nations of the world. In all the economic turmoil which both threatens to engulf us and affects so many in different ways, with protestors around the steps of St Paul's and testing times for Christians, we are reminded of the rapid passing of time, as we look forward to that great moment of our salvation at Christmas, and the chance of new beginnings in a new year. Amid all the carols, all the parties, the eating and drinking, all the busy-ness, all the fuss, all the fun, perhaps we all need some time to reflect on what is truly important in our lives, what matters to us, and how we respond and live our lives with one another in community.

Jesus shows us the way, for he too loved a party, and many of his most important sayings were uttered at meal times around the table. He makes sure that no one is left out, that justice and mercy and above all love are at the heart of our lives together. So join us as we seek His will for us, His guidance in our lives, and the amazing gift of God's own very self at Christmas and every day.

God Bless.

### Mike

# Chippenham & Snailwell

#### The Snailwell Church Parochial Church Council (PCC):

Thank you to all who managed this mid week Cheese and Wine Party on November. 16th

This was especially to let all in the parish of Snailwell know that the church is there for you, whether you are a church goer or not, the building is there for everyone.

We are trying to bring this wonderful listed building into the 21st century by adding a Toilet and Kitchenette, to make the South aisle into a community room so that it can function not just as church but as a welcoming comfortable meeting place that can be used for many other purposes by everyone in the village.as it has done for hundreds of years

We hoped to show you what we would like to do. How we are going about it, what we have done so far, the pitfalls and obstacles that have to be negotiated. Ideas that different people have, and just hearing other peoples views was and is still so useful, like heating, flooring, and lighting.

As you can imagine the list is endless. But, it is not impossible. If you have seen work of this kind done somewhere and thought it looked good please let us know. Several churches in Suffolk and Cambridgeshire have been visited to see how they have approached their need to update their churches and it has been enlightening and helpful.

# SNAILWELL CHRISTMAS FAYRE Saturday 10th December 2pm - 4.30 ish

Articles for stalls still required please, Cakes and Produce, Decorations, Toiletries, Jewellery, Toys/ Games, Books and of course the Grand Raffle. Helpers/Volunteers to run or help on a stall always needed. Contact Maureen 577456. Donations of goods and items gratefully received. Items can be collected.

May I take this opportunity to wish everyone a Christmas full of Love and Hope, and a New Year of Happiness and Good Health. And a prayer for all those people the world over, who will just be struggling to survive into the coming year. May they find what they long for.

y	Sun 27th November ADVENT SUNDAY (P) I Corinthians I:3-9 Mark I3: 24 – 27 or 37? Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am ADVENT CAROL SERVICE CHIPPENHAM 6.30 pm
H	Sun 4th December Advent 2 (P) 2 Peter 3: 8-15a Mark 1: 1-8 Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Family Service Chippenham 11 am
ಡ	Sun IIth Advent 3 (P) Thessalonians 5: 16-24 John I: 6-8, 19-28 Evensong Snailwell 4.00 pm Sung Eucharist Chippenham II am
•=	Sun 18th Advent 4 (P) Romans 16: 25-end Luke 1: 26-38 Carol Service Snailwell 6.00 pm Sung Eucharist Chippenham 11 am
	Tues. 20th Quiet Christmas 7 pm FORDHAM
Ω	Sat 24th CHRISTMAS EVE (W) Hebrews I: I - 4 John I: I - I4 Carol Service Chippenham 6.00 pm
	Sun 25th CHRISTMAS DAY (W) Titus 2: I I - I4 Luke 2: I - I4 Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Sung Eucharist Chippenham I I am
h	Sun 1st January 2012 (W) Galatians 4: 4-7 Luke 2: 15-21 Group Service @ Fordham 10.30 Ride and Stride and Carols Epiphany Carol Service Isleham 6.30 pm No services at Snailwell and Chippenham
	Sun 8th EPIPHANY (W) Acts 19: 1 - 7 Mark 1: 4 - 11  Evensong Snailwell 4.00 pm  Family Service Chippenham 11 am
I	Sun 15th Second Sunday of Epiphany (W) Revelation 5: 1-10 John 1: 43-end Family Service Snailwell 9.30 am
	Sung Eucharist Chippenham II am
h	Sun 22nd Third Sunday of Epiphany (W) Revelation 19: 6-10 John 2: 1-11 Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Evensong Chippenham 6.30 pm
ပ	Sun 29th Candlemas (W) Hebrews 2: 14 – end Luke 2: 22 - 40 Holy Communion Snailwell 9.30 am Sung Eucharist Chippenham II am

Chippenham Church Rota								
	Sidesmen	Reader	Wine	Flowers	Cleaning	Coffee		
Dec 4th	Tony & Eileen	Young Person	Paul & Isobel	Advent No Flowers	Eileen & Mary	Helen		
Dec 11th	Jennifer	Eileen	Jennifer	Advent No Flowers	Fiona & Lucy	Fiona		
Dec 18th	John Bridges	Monica	Kevin & Linda	Advent No Flowers	Jan & Yvette	Lucy		
Dec 25th	Tony & Eileen	Chris Coldrey	Peter & Fiona	All help	James & Paul	Helen		
Jan 1st	Jennifer	Young Person	Terry & Isabel	Christmas decorations	Eileen & Mary	Fiona		
Jan 8th	John Bridges	Terry	John Bridges	Wendy	Fiona & Lucy	Lucy		
Jan 15th	Tony & Eileen	Helen	Paul & Isobel	Jean	Jan & Yvette	Helen		
Jan 22nd	Jennifer	Eileen	Jennifer	Jean	James & Paul	Fiona		
Jan 29th	John Bridges	Monica	Kevin & Linda	Helen	Eileen & Mary	Lucy		
Feb 5th	Tony & Eileen	Young Person	Peter & Fiona	Helen	Fiona & Lucy	Helen		

### For both Churches if dates do not suit please swap

St Peter's, Snailwell Church Rota								
	Reader/Sidesman	Flowers/Cleaning						
Dec 4th	Michael	Advent No Flowers Gaynor - Sue						
Dec 11th	Muriel Evensong 4pm	Hannah - Jean						
Dec 18th	Readers for lessons &carols 6pm	Flowers everyone please						
Dec 25th	Maureen Christmas Day	Muriel - Maureen						
Jan 1st	Charles	Muriel - Maureen						
Jan 8th	Gaynor	Gaynor - Sue						
Jan 15th	Michael	Gaynor - Sue						
Jan 22nd	Muriel	Hannah						
Jan 29th	Maureen	Hannah						
Feb 5th	Charles	Muriel - Maureen						

In 2012 could you take a turn on the Church cleaning/Flower Rota just once a year? This involves cleaning and doing the flowers for just a 2 week period. Non- flower arrangers welcome! We will team you up with someone. Or volunteer with a friend. Contact Gaynor 577703 or Maureen 577456. On 17th December the church will be decorated for the Carol Service and Christmas. Youngsters are very welcome to come and help decorate the tree, and do a flower arrangement if they would like to.

# The Tharp Arms

46 High Street, Chippenham Tel : 01638 720234 – www.thetharparms.com

Join us at The Tharp Arms this December for a fun filled Festive Season!

Sunday 4th December - Pub Quiz Night

Saturday 17th December - Village Christmas Quiz & Draw Night

Saturday 24th December - Join us after Christmas Carols at the Church for a Mince Pie & stay to enjoy Live Music from Sam Brown

Saturday 31st December - Come along & celebrate the New Year with us, with live music from Phil Crawford

Plus dine with us in December in our festive dining room & enjoy our Christmas Season Menu, then receive a voucher to use against a meal in the New Year \*

On behalf of all the staff at The Tharp Arms
We look forward to seeing you over
the Festive Season
and wish you a
Very Merry Christmas
And a Jolly New Year!

\* = Terms & conditions apply



### CHIPPENHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Your Councillors:

James Broad (Chair) - 8 Badlingham, 720973

Jennifer Wilson (Vice Chair) - 5 Manor Farm Barns, 720649

Fiona Maxwell – 49 High Street, 720677

Lucinda Wright – Badlingham Manor, 720043

Nick Parsons - 18 Scotland End, 721791

Linda Porter-Cohen – Coach House Stables, 720415

Hugo Nicolle - Hare Hall, 721619

Clerk: Sally Hughes - 44b High Street, Chippenham,

720915

Email: <a href="mailto:chippenhamparishcouncil@hotmail.com">chippenhamparishcouncil@hotmail.com</a>

### News in brief:-

- A new dog bin has been installed on the corner of Parkside.
- The can bank has been re-instated at the village hall car park.
- Snow shovels are available for loan. Please contact the Parish Clerk on 720915.

### PLANNING NOTICE:

11/00868/FUL - New House, Chippenham Lodge Stud, Parkside. - Extension

### Chippenham by Email

Have you subscribed to receive news and details of events in Chippenham by email? You can also get this newsletter e-mailed to you before it lands in your postbox. Choose what you receive with news items sent out weekly so you can keep up to date.

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www.facebook.com/pages/Chippenham-Village-News/272302866579?ref=mf/

On behalf of the Newmarket Macmillan Cancer Support Committee a big thank you for the wonderful coffee morning held at the Park.

We were enormously grateful for all the amazing cakes and tombola gifts that were so very kindly

donatedI Thanks to generosity we raised a fantastic £2274.00 for Macmillan



# Oil Buying Co-operative for CHIPPENHAM & SNAILWELL

## Deadline for ordering midnight THURSDAY Dec 8th 2011 In order to allow for delivery BEFORE Christmas Target Order 10,000 litres.

# James.hurst@winkhaus.co.uk or a card to 47 High Street

- Any orders left by email will always be acknowledged; if you do not get a reply, I haven't received your order.
- Any orders left by card will always be acknowledged by a card; if you do not get a reply, I haven't received your order.
- I will keep a note of any special requirements, such as access requirements; please let me know if you wish to change these.
- The minimum delivery is 500 litres; this is a Trading Standards ruling because of the accuracy of lorry gauges. To get the minimum ask for 500 litres; do not ask for a" top up" because you might get a "fill up".

#### Please note the following:-

- I. The price will not be known until the order has been placed.
- 2. The supplier may ring for payment prior to delivery or bill you directly after delivery.
- 3.Be aware that most suppliers add 2% to the invoice for credit card payments (debit cards or cheques attract no surcharge)
- 4. James will confirm that he has received your order. If you receive no confirmation please re-contact him as he will not have received your order.

Thank you to the 20 people who joined up to buy 14,000 litres in October. We saved £22each on a 1,000 litre fill. Let's see how we go this time!

**NEW:** Snailwell residents can join in the co-operative too.! Snailwell residents should inform James Hurst by giving the following details. Name:

Phone Number:

Address including postcode:

Number of litres required (min 500): Any special info (tank behind shed etc):

After 3 bulk orders I am pleased to say that 40 Chippenham and 3 Snailwell households are involved so far.

After December the next order will be placed in late January /early February 2012

# **NOTICE BOARD**

# Village Hall Activities PILATES:

Monday: -6pm-7pm & 7pm- 8pm Contact Ros 01353 720094

Thursday: 2pm - 3 pm Contact Ros as above

#### **WOMEN'S INSTITUTE:**

3rd Wed of month - 7.00pm onwards - Contact Ginette Hawes 01638 781127

#### **CHIPMUNKS:**

Mother and Toddler Group:
Thursday - 10.00am to 11.00am - over 2 years.
Tel: Ruth 07775911033 and Lucy 07768874081

### **CARPET BOWLS:**

Thursday 7.30 to 10.00 pm Contact : Hazel Martin 01638 717000

#### **SCOTTISH DANCING**

Wednesdays at 7.30pm It will a small fee to cover Hall costs will depends on numbers

# Christmas Babysitting

My name is Francesca Follis, I am 18 and live in Chippenham Park.



I am a well-experienced and responsible babysitter. I am back from university on December 9th so please contact me anytime after that for the festive season!

It's always a busy one!

For more information, don't hesitate to call, I love children and would be happy to look after and entertain yours.

Home: 01638 721772 Mobile: 07948 291391

&Email: fgfollis@ hotmail.com

#### THE VILLAGE BOOK SWOP



1st Wednesday each month, Chippenham Village Hall. 2.30 - 3.30pm

Enjoy tea and browse through second hand books.
Bring your unwanted books to raise funds for Charity.
Refreshments 50p
Paperbacks 25p Hardbacks 40p,

Contact Betty Evans, Eileen Smalley or Helen Banyard Tel:721616

# **NOTICE BOARD**

My name is Mia Clark, I am 14 years old, and I live in Chippenham. I have experience, as I regularly babysit for people I know . I would love to look after your children.

If you are interested, or want more information please call me on 07557819869 or 01638 720851



# Babysitting and Petsitting

Emily Barrow, High Street, Chippenham

I love looking after small children and small pets too!

I will be 15 in November.

Contact me on: 07759306466

or 01638 721745

Hi, my name is Mollie Kerr and I live in Chippenham.

I am 15 and available for babysitting duties. I love children and would be happy to entertain yours should you want to go out.



Please call to arrange Tel: NKT 721934 / 07943 322 883 / 07778 796 505



# Mobile Library

The mobile library will now be calling once a month, on the first Thursday of each month, times as follows:

Snailwell - Roman Way -10.00 - 10.20am Chippenham - Village Hall -11.05 - 11.35am

Free to Join Service Video/DVD rental - £2.50 for 2 weeks

Enquires Call - 0845 045 5225

#### TEXTILE BANK

There is now a textile recycling bank in the village hall car park. Using this bank will help raise funds for Barnardo's children's charity. You can donate: clothes, bed linen, towels, curtains, shoes.

### SNAILWELL PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

#### **SNAILWELL PARISH COUNCILLORS:**

Joe Pattison (Chair) - 22 The Green, 577077 Virginia Richmond - 7 The Green 578296

Melanie Hood - The Flint Barn, 39 The Street 578366

Nathan Snow - 10 The Street

Craig Dunnett - 12 The Street, 577626

Nicole Langstaff - Phantom Cottage 720499

Clerk: Mrs Juliette Chappell, 6 Petingo Close, Newmarket,

Suffolk, CB8 7RU, 661460.

Email: snailwellparishcouncil@hotmail.com

### YOUR VILLAGE NEEDS YOU!!

#### I PARISH COUNCILLOR POSITION STILL AVAILABLE

Snailwell village Parish Council should contain 7 Parish Councillors and we UR-GENTLY require additional members to ensure decisions and meeting can still be made at a village level.

The role of the Parish Council is to be the first tier of local government and represent the views of the local community. Because the Parish Council are closer to the community they have the greatest potential for identifying, understanding and addressing the needs of the community.

The main role of a Parish Councillor is to represent the views of all residents within your parish. The Government policy is to devolve more decision making to local councils so it is a great opportunity to make a difference and successfully tackle village issues.

Council meetings normally last between 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  and 2 hours and happen once every other month. If you are interested in joining your Local Council contact us by the end of Dec 2011.Mrs Juliette Chappell on 01638 661460 or snailwellparishcouncil@hotmail.com.

#### SNAILWELL VILLAGE PROTECTED ROAD VERGES

Cambridgeshire County Council has informed all Parish Councils that they will no longer be carrying out any verge cutting of the protected road verges. Their current grass cutting regime is that they carry out 3 visibility cuts per season. A visibility cut includes cutting at bends, junctions and a single swathe cut adjacent to the carriageway edges. All Parishes' have been informed they no longer intend to carry out a full cut of any road verges. The verge affected in Snailwell Parish is south of the Snailwell Stud to the railway bridge (Short Road).

### **VILLAGE TREES**

On the 26th October 2011 the "The Wild Service Tree" was planted. This was kindly donated by Sophie Waddilove and her brother Jake in memory of their mother, Jane Waddilove, who loved the village so much. The Parish Council are very grateful to Sophie and Jake for their very generous gift which will be a lasting memory to Jane.

Having gained one new tree we are sadly loosing another as the Red Horse Chestnut on the verge by the lower green in Church Lane will have to be felled due to disease This was confirmed by the Tree Officer, Cathy White from ECDC Oner branch has fallen in high winds and Cathy was concerned that other branches could follow.

The remaining Red Chestnuts will be reviewed by Highways but the Parish are hopeful that these will only require pruning. The replacements for the Red Chestnut and the 2 Sorbus trees that have died will be discussed at the next Parish meeting at the end of November. Further details to follow.

Picture: Newmarket Journal



#### WINTER GRITTING

ECDC recently informed us that any resident choosing to clear snow or ice from outside their, or anyone else's property or the road would be liable for any incidents, if their efforts were deemed to actually make the pavement less safe than it was with the snow and ice undisturbed. Following this Cambs County Council has organised training sessions providing equipment to villages and guidance to ensure any gritting/or snow and ice clearing can be taken upon in the most safe and effective manner possible. Snailwell Parish Council are happy to inform residents that two Parish Councillors have already completed the training courses but we are looking for further residents who are willing to attend future courses.



# Your top six tips for keeping Warm and Well

- Heat your home well. By setting your heating to the right temperature, 21c during the day and 18c at night, you can keep your home warm and your bills as low as possible
- **Get financial support.** There are grants, benefits and sources of advice available to make your home more energy efficient, improve your heating or help with bills. It's worthwhile claiming all the benefits you are entitled to.
- **Bat well.** Food is a vital source of energy, which helps to keep your body warm. Try to make sure that you have hot meals and drinks regularly throughout the day.
- **Get a flu jab.** You can get a free jab from your GP to protect against seasonal flu if you are over 65, have a long-term health condition or are pregnant.
- 5 Look after yourself. Keeping active is important for your health. But if you do go out in cold weather it is important that you wear extra clothes to make sure that you wrapped up warmly. During very cold and icy weather conditions it is safer for older people, very young children and anyone with health problems to avoid going out.
- **Look after your family and neighbours.** If you have an older relative or neighbour look out for them during winter to ensure that they are well, warm and able to have hot meals and drinks.

Further information about how to heat your home can be found on the home heat helpline website at www.homeheathelpline.org.uk or call 0800 33 66 99

For information about services call NHS Cambridgeshire's Patient Advice & Liaison Service on 01223 725588 or FREEPHONE 0800 279 2535





#### SNAILWELL VILLAGE PARISH COUNCIL

CONSULTATION ON REVIEW OF THE DECISION FOR CAMBS
COUNTY COUNCIL TO REMOVE SUBSIDISED BUS SERVICE
FUNDING

Snailwell PC has been contacted by Cambs County Council regarding the possibility of removing funding for subsidised bus service funding for bus services which bus operators are unable to operate on a commercial basis.

THIS COULD EFFECT BUS ROUTE 203 AND 204
ROUTE FROM ISLEHAM TO NEWMARKET
VIA SNAILWELL

The County Council welcomes comments regarding the proposals before 16:00 ON FRIDAY 9TH DECEMBER 2011.

By email: bus.tenders@cambridgeshire.gov.uk By telephone: 0345 045 0675

By Post: Cambridgeshire County Council, CC1301, Castle Court, Shire Hall, Cambridge, CB3 0AP

Please do not hesitate to contact the PC with any questions or concerns. Mrs Juliette Chappell on 01638 661460 or snailwellparishcouncil@hotmail

# Chippenham 100 Club, join today!

September Winners: 1st Pat Shipp £20 2nd Trevor Nottage £10, 3rd Nicola Heather £5

October Winners: 1st Brian Doyle £20 2nd Julie Gillett £10, 3rd Paul Tuli £5

Bonus winners: Roger Brown £30 Paul Fishpool £30

It costs £12 per year to join the club and you keep the same number throughout. Prizes are drawn monthly when three winners are chosen at random from all the participating numbers. The monthly prizes are £20, £10 and £5 and in addition two bonus prizes of £30 each are drawn in February, June and October. All profits raised go towards the Village Hall. There are still some spare numbers available, so for more details contact Chris Mason on 720427.

# Chippenham **Challenge**

formally the "Quiz"

Will be held on

# Friday February 17th,

Teams of Four people, A fun village evening

Any ideas for games and of-

fers of help always

welcome. Linda (01638

720415)

# Chippenham Women's Institute



We meet the third

Wednesday of each Month

• at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

It is only £2.50 per meeting

for non- members who will

be made most welcome.

## Re-ablement

# Being independent following an operation or illness

If you or someone you care for requires social care support following an illness or operation, this would traditionally have been provided by a care assistant providing direct care to the person in need.

Since September 2010 a new service, re-ablement, has been providing support to enable older people who have poor physical or mental health following illness or an operation to live in their own homes.

Re-ablement programmes can last for as little as a few days and generally don't exceed six weeks. The ethos of re-ablement is to encourage people to do things for themselves rather than having things done for them. There is no charge to the individual as long as they are participating in the programme.

Re-ablement is now being offered to a wider client group including new service users with a physical disability and new occupational therapy referrals. Future development of the service will look at assisting older people who already have a care package but due to illness or physical issues may now require a higher level of support.

> You can find out more about re-ablement at www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/social

### News from

# COACH HOUSE RIDING

**SCHOOL** 

Bambi our 'mascot' has had a very busy couple of months; after the La Hogue open weekend, she was in popular demand, she was invited to Newmarket races, where she had her photograph taken with Frankie Dettori, just before he won the Cesarewitch, so she was his lucky mascot too! She was an "artists model" at the National Horse Racing Museum and had more than 100 drawings done





of her, including one of her being the rearing horse on the July roundabout! She also dressed up for Halloween and got lots of treats, so she is keeping us all on our toes making sure she doesn't get into too much mischief! Her next appointment is at the Christmas Chippenham Church Market on Friday Dec 2nd so she hopes to see you all there.

www.coachhouseriding.co.uk



# Soham and East Area Neighbourhood Panel Update

Neighbourhood Panels are your opportunity to tell agencies working in your area what you would like to see improved and will ultimately make your locality a better place to live. The last Panel meeting on Tuesday 4th October reported back on what we've been doing to address your concerns:

Reducing Inconsiderate and Obstructive Parking throughout Panel area

- •110 non-endorsable penalty tickets issued for various offences, obstruction, parking on double yellow lines, parking without disabled permit overstaying in limited waiting bays.
- •24 reports to the DVLA for out of date tax discs.
- •Speed enforcement- 2 endorsable penalty tickets issued.
- •1 drink driver arrested.
- •2 endorsable penalty tickets for mobile phone use, I reported for no MOT certificate, 1 reported for incorrect index plates, 2 section 59 warnings given

Some of the issues you have asked us to address next

- •Provide information about enforcement action that can be taken for fly tipping.
- •Write to schools in the Panel area about parking issues and encourage walking to school where possible.
- Take action against people breaking the speed limit across the panell area

For further up-to-date information on the East Cambs Neighbourhood Panels use N in the A-Z section of the East Cambridgeshire District Council website: www. eastcambs.gov.uk

# STEVE MAYNARD

PAINTER & DECORATOR
No job too small
Free Estimates
01638 781776

# Stables & Grazing Wanted

To rent in or around Chippenham for two horses and two ponies.

Please contact Caroline, 07748637315 carrot2001@talk21.com

# **Avon Calling**

My name is Jane and I am an Independent Sales Representative for Avon covering Chippenham. If I haven't put a brochure through you door yet and you would like one please contact me using the details below.

07935 339510

01638 721107

purplejane@email.com
www.facebook.com/jane.

# **PLUMBER**



Plumbing
Heating
Kitchen Installations
Bathroom Installations

# **Call Tony Jullion**



Your local plumber on 01638 715966 or 07850 839615

# **New Residents**

If you are new to the village and would like to know more about what is going on please contact Fiona Maxwell on 720677 for a welcome pack.



### A Tailor Made Service for Family Carers

Are you struggling to look after a family member or friend who is ill, frail or disabled? Maybe you are worried about someone who is finding it hard to manage alone? If so Crossroads Care West Suffolk is here to help.

We want to make sure that Family Carers in the Chippenham area are able to obtain the services they require so we have set up our Tailor Made Service especially to meet the needs of those who would like a wider choice of options including companionship, personal care and home help.

Crossroads Care is a charity and has 35 years of experience of providing care. We are well known for the quality of our service and try hard to fit into your life not the other way round. We know that reliability, flexibility and continuity are important to you so you will have the same support worker or support worker team so that you can get to know and trust them.

If you would like to find out more about our Tailor Made Service please do contact us at:

Crossroads Care West Suffolk, 4 Bunting Road, Bury St Edmunds Suffolk IP327BX T: 01284 748811 E: info@westsuffolkcrossroads.org.uk W: www.westsuffolkcrossroads.org.uk

### Getting In the News......

Have you got an interesting event of activity to promote? Then we'd like to hear from you and especially from young people - so let the editor know if you have ideas for 'Chippenham Chat' about your village at <a href="mailto:newsletter@chippenhamcambs.info">newsletter@chippenhamcambs.info</a>

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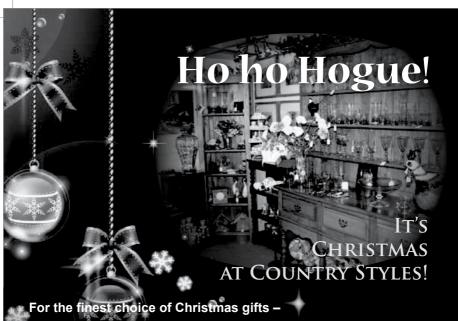
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