



CHURCH & VILLAGE CRAWLEY DOWN



FEBRUARY / MARCH 2019

FREE TO ALL

Join us at The Glebe Centre for

a pancake party

with optional
wine tasting!



A fun event for the whole family!

Tuesday 5th March | 5:30 – 8:30 PM

PHONE 01342 718741 for TICKETS

or email office@allsaintscrawleydown.org

PANCAKES

Adults & Children Over 3: £4

Under 3s: £2

[Children must be accompanied by an adult]

FAMILY TICKETS

1 Adult + 2 Children: £11

1 Adult + 3 Children: £13

[does not include adult wine tasting]

www.allsaintscrawleydown.org

The Glebe Centre, All Saints' Church, Vicarage Road, Crawley Down RH10 4JJ

All Saints' Church is a Registered Charity No. 1148157

MINIBUS DRIVER NEEDED

The Crawley Down Monday Club urgently need someone to drive their minibus - picking up and dropping off members takes approx 1½ hrs at 10am and 2.30pm on **one Monday** each month.

We also need someone to help us put out/away tables & chairs. This takes approx 45mins at 9am and 2.30pm.



We are a friendly group of volunteers and you would be made very welcome. If you could help with either of these tasks please phone Marion Welchman on 01342 458559 or pop along to Monday Club at the Haven Centre and meet us.

8760 HOURS

"The hour has come for you to wake up from your slumber, because our salvation is nearer now than when we first believed. The night is nearly over; the day is almost here." Romans 13:11-12

Some very challenging words from the letter to the Romans... Each year almost all the major news magazines put out an issue with special pictorial sections recalling people & events that made news during the previous year. Many magazines also include articles by experts predicting what they expect to see happening in the years ahead. Some even go so far as to make predictions covering 10, 20, or more years in the future. In the past, a few of these predictions have proven amazingly accurate, while others couldn't have been more wrong.

For example, in 1967, some experts predicted that by the turn of the century technology would have taken over so much of the work we do that the average work week would be only 22 hours long, & that we would work only 27 weeks a year. As a result, one of our biggest problems would be in deciding what to do with all our leisure time!

So here we are, at the beginning of 2019. When this year is over, what will we say about how it went? In his letter to the Romans, St Paul is reminding us we can miss out on the good things because we can possibly forget, in the hurly burley of everything, to focus on the things that really matter. Another year has come & gone and a new year stretches before us. May we use the 8,760 hours of this year in the best way we can to bring peace and hope to others and try to make the world a better place in all that we do.

Have a happy new year!

Christine

quiz night

Date Saturday 2nd February 2019
Time 7pm (for a prompt 7.15pm start)
Cost £10 adults / £5 children (under 12)
Includes Ploughman's Supper
Venue Felbridge Village Hall
Teams Maximum 6 per team

INCLUDES: Dessert Auction and "Heads n Tails" game

Please bring your own drinks, glasses and a pudding for the "dessert auction"

TICKETS from Kris 07780 883822
or email 15parsonss@mysackville.co.uk

All funds raised will go towards helping Sam attend the 2019 World Scout Jamboree in the USA

Trivia Quiz Night

Friday 1st March 2019

7.15pm for 7.45pm start

Crawley Down Village C of E School Hall

£6.00 per person - Maximum 8 per team

(Limited tables available – book early)

TICKETS FROM Gill on 07889 020792

or email cdschoolfundraisingteam@gmail.com

Entries accepted up to Monday 25th February

Please bring your own refreshments and glasses



RAFFLE

EASTER LILIES

All Saints' Church Flower Guild will be running the **Easter Lilies Remembrance Scheme** this year.

If you would like to make a donation towards the **Easter flowers in memory of someone**, envelopes should be returned **by 1st April** & are available from:

- the Haven Centre
- the Glebe Centre (Tue to Thu mornings)
- All Saints' Church (Sundays)

or you can phone Margaret Atkins on 01342 718683.

LIKE FATHER LIKE SON!



Gavin Twinn and Alice Dix were married at All Saints' Church on 6th October 2018. In 1965, Gavin's father Michael Twinn married Kathleen Maynard exactly 53 years and 1 week prior to Gavin and Alice's wedding day. Michael & Kathleen were also married at All Saints' and signed the Registers on the very same table in the Vestry!

**SATURDAY
31ST MARCH
2019**

The Glebe Centre
Crawley Down

COFFEE MORNING

with children's crafts for Mothering Sunday

10am to 12noon

The Glebe Centre, All Saints' Church,
Vicarage Road, Crawley Down, West Sussex RH10 4JJ

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JOIN
Crawley Down
RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION
on an

Easter Egg Hunt

on **GOOD FRIDAY, 19th APRIL 2019**
Registration from 10am
Hunt from 10.30 am to 12 noon

ALL WELCOME

Register at the CDRA start point by the Village Shops

**Find the Eggs and win
extra prizes if you
find the Silver Eggs!**

YOUTH CLUB

The Youth Club is for the children of Crawley Down who are in Year 6, 7 and 8 and meets on Fridays during term time from 6.45pm to 8.15pm in The Glebe Centre at All Saints' Church.

1st February 15th February 1st March 15th March
29th March 12th April 3rd May

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE LEADER TEAM OR AN EMERGENCY HELPER please ask a Youth Club leader or phone Sarah Hamilton on 01342 718632 or email sarahhamilton160@hotmail.com.

CRANIAL OSTEOPATHY FOR BABIES

The body has a subtle rhythm present in all tissues. Tension can put this rhythm out of balance. Osteopaths have been trained to feel this movement and can work with the body to regain its rhythm. A gentle treatment, it is appropriate for all patients and can have a beneficial effect on all types of symptoms.

A difficult birth can result in tension in the cranium and face of the baby as well as stress from the trauma. An early cranial osteopathy treatment can release the pressures in the tissues before the bones and fascia become set in a distorted pattern thus preventing life-long issues.

As well as releasing tension in the head and face, the treatment restores motion through the shoulders and the chest thus helping baby to breathe and swallow more rhythmically which may result in the reduction of gas and colic symptoms. Problems with feeding may be helped by removing restrictions. Compressed palettes and narrow arches can be assessed during treatment to help prevent future dental problems.

Without treatment, compressive strains can be the cause of future health problems such as ear infections, chest infections and learning or behavioural problems. Osteopathy can sometimes provide the missing link to treat symptoms which have not been treated successfully by other healthcare professionals.

At Nature's Medicine Osteopathy clinic, we have also treated babies with sleeping problems, reflux, digestive pain and flat head syndrome.

Pregnant women and mothers have also benefitted from the easing of tension and realignment of the pelvic area.

For expert advice and treatment, call Jo Barber on 01342 712266.

Her clinic is at The Ark, Mount Lane, Turner's Hill RH10 4RA.



CUBS & SCOUTS JOINT CHRISTMAS CAMP

On 7th December, 16 Cubs, 9 Scouts, 2 Explorers, 2 Parents and 5 Leaders headed to the Scout Activity Centre in Downe for the weekend. A Christmas tree and decorations were put up in the main hall and after a noisy first night a cooked breakfast and plenty of cups of tea were most welcome. The young people then enjoyed Grass Sledging, Aerial Runway, Tomahawk Throwing, Jacobs Ladder and Climbing together with other indoor activities.

On the Saturday evening we had a Christmas dinner for all 34 of us which included turkey, sausage/bacon wraps, stuffing, roast potatoes, parsnips, sprouts, peas and carrots followed by trifle and Christmas pudding. We then settled down to watch a film, eat more cake and wash it all down with hot chocolate before going to bed.

A **BIG THANK YOU** goes to the Parent helpers and Leaders for a great weekend and well done to all of the young people who also added to their "Nights Away" and "Challenge" badges.

For more information on
1st Turners Hill and Crawley Down
Scouts please contact
John Marsh on 01342 714243
or email gsl@thcdscouts.org.uk



1st Turners Hill & Crawley Down Scout Group

CRAWLEY DOWN VILLAGE C of E SCHOOL YEAR R (RECEPTION)

Classes 1 and 2 put on a Nativity Play called "Shine Star, Shine". It told the story of Baby Jesus from the viewpoint of the big star shining above the stable in Bethlehem.

*"So shine, Star, shine
- all you have to do is shine!"*



*"We were learning about
Baby Jesus and
when he was born"*
Max G

"Baby Jesus was special"
Reuben N

*"The angels sang in the sky
because Baby Jesus was
so special. He was
born in Bethlehem"*
William B

*"The angels had to see the
shepherds to say:
'You must go to Bethlehem'"*

*"Baby Jesus has been
born in a stable!"*



*"There is a new-born king to see,
Halleluiah!"*



*"He has to be
born at Christmas"*
Amelia R

"He was the Son of God"
Luca C



YOUR VILLAGE CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS', CRAWLEY DOWN



CHURCHYARD WORKDAY - Saturday 23rd February

Volunteers have continued to work on tidying up the churchyard throughout the autumn, and we would like to thank all those who helped during the last year. **There will be another Churchyard Workday from 9am-12noon on SATURDAY 23rd FEBRUARY. ALL WELCOME, not just Church Members.** Tools, hot drinks & biscuits provided!

YOU ARE MOST WELCOME TO JOIN US FOR SERVICES AT ALL SAINTS'

The 10am Sunday Service is followed by Refreshments in the Glebe Centre.

During term time "Smilers" Sunday School runs crafts/activities alongside the 10am service for younger members of the congregation to share with us later in the service.

All Saints' Church is located at the Turners Hill Road end of Vicarage Road, RH10 4JJ.

Services for February and March are :	Morning	Morning / Afternoon	Afternoon / Evening
Sunday 3 rd February <i>4th Sunday after Epiphany</i>	8am Holy Communion	10.30am Worship Together Note: a later start, followed by a Farewell Lunch to Rev Jill Alderton	6pm - Choral Evensong
Sunday 10 th February <i>5th Sunday after Epiphany</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Parish Communion (traditional Eucharist)	
Sunday 17 th February <i>6th Sunday after Epiphany</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Worship Together with Communion (a family service with Communion)	
Sunday 24 th February <i>7th Sunday after Epiphany</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Parish Communion (traditional Eucharist)	
Sunday 3 rd March <i>Last Sunday after Epiphany</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Worship Together (a shorter family service)	6pm - Choral Evensong
Sunday 10 th March <i>1st Sunday in Lent</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Parish Communion (traditional Eucharist)	
Sunday 17 th March <i>2nd Sunday in Lent</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Worship Together with Communion (a family service with Communion)	
Sunday 24 th March <i>3rd Sunday in Lent</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Parish Communion (traditional Eucharist)	
Sunday 31 st March <i>Mothering Sunday</i>	8am Holy Communion	10am Worship Together (a family service for Mothering Sunday)	

	Please pray for:		
	Roads in Crawley Down	Organisations in and around Crawley Down	All Saints' Tithe Organisations
3 rd February	Beech Holme	Crawley Down Village Hall	Link to Hope Shoe Box Appeal
10 th February	Birch Close	Members of Parliament and the European Parliament	The Torch Trust
17 th February	Bowers Place & Brickyard Lane	Crawley Down Residents' Association	Bible Society
24 th February	Bramble Way	Local police officers, Neighbourhood Watch and emergency services	Care for the Family
3 rd March	Bricklands	Crawley Down Scouts Association	Christian Aid
10 th March	Brookside	Guides movement in Crawley Down	Church Army
17 th March	Buckley Place & Sunnyhill Close	Crawley Down Allotments & Gardens Assoc	Family Support Work (Chichester Diocese)
24 th March	Burleigh Close & Copse Close	Crawley Down Royal British Legion	Happy Home Orphanage, India
31 st March	Burleigh Lane	St Catherine's Hospice and its support groups	Mothers' Union

BAPTISM AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

**Baptism marks the beginning
of a journey with God ...**

... which continues for the rest of our lives; the first step in response to God's love. It is also a chance to celebrate with family and friends. It takes place within the worship of the Church as a part of the family of God, who promise to support and help you discover the love of God.

All Saints' Church welcomes enquiries from young & old

**Baptisms usually take place during the
10am Worship Together service on the first Sunday of the month**

If you are considering Baptism, please contact the Parish Administrator on 01342 718741 or by email at office@allsaintscrawleydown.org.

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ON THE WEB :

www.allsaintscrawleydown.org

ON FACEBOOK :

@AllSaintsChurchCD

@GlebeCentreCD

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Crawley Down, RH10 4JJ**

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**Any member of the Ministry Team
may be contacted on 01342 704449**

Vicar: The Revd Christine Keyte

Assistant Priest: The Revd Liz Logan

Chair of the Parochial Church Council:

Revd Christine Keyte

Churchwardens:

Kerry Scott and John Wells

Deputy Churchwarden:

Zenon Wozniakowski

Honorary Church Treasurer:

Kerry Scott

Parish Administrator:

Jane Summers

The Glebe Centre :

Tel : 01342 718741 / 07971 782799

Email : glebecentre@allsaintscrawleydown.org

Honorary Glebe Centre Treasurer:

Gill Crook

THE CRAWLEY DOWN CHURCHES

All Saints' Church (Church of England)

- see above

The Roman Catholic Church

Mass at Worth Abbey and St Dunstan's,
West Hoathly. Priest: Father Paul Fleetwood
Tel : 01342 710313. www.worthabbey.net

**The Community of the Servants of the Will
of God at Crawley Down Monastery**

Copthorne Chapel

Mrs Celia Smart (Secretary) 01342 713172
www.copthornechapel.org.uk

WORTH ABBEY NEWS

CRAWLEY DOWN COMMUNITY

FEBRUARY - MARCH 2019

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Alpha : a chance to explore life and the Christian faith, continues to run in the parish offering great food, even better conversation and talks that make you think. If you are interested visit the website, worthabbeyparish.co.uk/alpha or call Father Paul on 01342 710313.

Eucharistic Healing Services (Mass with prayers for healing) : from 2-5pm on Sunday 10th February, Wednesday 13th March and Sunday 14th April. If you are interested please contact Fr. Rod on 01342 710308.

Flame 2019 : join 10,000 Catholic young people at Wembley Arena on 2nd March. Further details at cymfed.org.uk/flame2019.

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE PARISH

Adoration, Friday evenings 7.00 - 8.00pm in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. **Confessions**, Sunday 9.10 - 9.30am before Mass. **Marian Prayer Group**, 2nd/4th Monday, 7.30pm, Lady Chapel. **Lectio Divina**, Tuesdays 8.20pm for 30 minutes, Parlour 3 (entry from the Narthex) then Compline. **Christian Meditation Group**, Blessed Sacrament Chapel, 7.45pm for 8pm start to 8.45pm followed by Compline. Contact Gabrielle 01342 326118 / Catrina 01243 554001. **Bereavement Support**, Marian & Clare are available

to meet you either at St. Benedict's or to visit you at home. Contact the team via the Parish Office. **Vigil for Vocations**, 1st Friday of the month, 9pm to midnight, in the Abbey Church. **Children's Mass** 1st Saturday of the month at 5pm. **Mothers' Prayer Group**, in Balcombe, every Tuesday at 12 noon. Call Marie on 07860 845658 if interested.

SPECIAL FEASTS

February : 2nd Presentation of the Lord.
March : 1st St David, 6th Ash Wednesday, 10th First Sunday of Lent, 19th St Joseph

MASS TIMES (all at the Abbey unless otherwise stated)

Weekday Masses are at 8am and 5.30pm, a concelebrated Mass. On Saturday morning Mass is at 9am. Sunday Masses, First Mass of Sunday, Saturday at 5pm, Sunday 9.30am (concelebrated) and 11.30am at St Dunstan's, West Hoathly. Holidays of Obligation: 8am, 5.30pm, 7.30pm. (Vigil Mass)

CONTACT POINTS

Priest : Fr. Paul Fleetwood (01342 710313)
Secretary : Maria Stribbling
Email address : parish@worth.org.uk
Web : www.worthabbeyparish.co.uk



COPTHORNE CHAPEL

Chapel Lane, Copthorne, West Sussex, RH10 3ET

We all had a good Christmas starting with our popular Carol Service on the 17th December at 3pm with 36 attending, followed by tea, mince pies, sausage rolls and Stollen. We are now looking forward to Spring with our usual services each Sunday at 10.30am. The service on the 17th February will be a Songs of Praise with the fellowship choosing our hymns and readings. Bible study is on Tuesday evenings at 7pm.

Do join us - you will be made very welcome! For more details, please phone 01342 713172 or visit our website www.copthornechapel.org.uk.

Celia Smart, Secretary

CRAWLEY DOWN

Lawn Tennis Club

Junior drop-in sessions are running every Saturday (weather permitting). Just turn up on the day and pay £5 for a session, times as follows:

Up to 8 years : 10.30-11.15am

8-9 years : 11.15am-12 noon

10+ years : 12noon-1pm

Email : crawleydowntennis@mail.com

www.crawleydowntennis.org.uk / Facebook : @CDTennisClub



CRAWLEY DOWN GOLF SOCIETY

On Friday 23rd November 2018 we played our final match of the year at The Dyke Golf Club. It was a cold and windy day but we managed to finish the round without getting wet.

The results were - Winner: Pete Stevenson (38 points) who won the Coors Brewers Trophy; Division 1 Runner-up: Mike Bedford (37 points); Division 2 Runner-up: Gareth King (35 points).

At our AGM on 3rd December 2018 the Player of the Year was named as Grahame Rowe (80 points). The runner-up was Paul Sagoo (79 points) and third place went to Pete Stevenson (76 points).

The Fixtures for 2019 are:

29 Mar	Copthorne GC	30 Aug	Rookwood GC
26 Apr	West Hove GC	27 Sep	Gatton Manor GC
31 May	Tilgate Forest GC	25 Oct	Bletchingley GC
28 Jun	Hill Barn GC	22 Nov	Westerham GC
26 Jul	Woldingham GC		

Our Society is open to male and female members. All you need is enthusiasm for golf (whatever your standard of play) and a desire for a fun day out in friendly company. If you wish to join we would be pleased to welcome you.

NO JOINING FEE FOR NEW MEMBERS!

Further information from:

Gareth King on garethking@btinternet.com

or Paul Sagoo on rps.sagoo@googlemail.com

TURNERS HILL TWINNING ASSOCIATION

We are holding our AGM on Friday 15th February at The Ark, Turners Hill at 7pm. Complimentary wine and nibbles with a raffle.

Many of our members come from CRAWLEY DOWN, why not come along, meet us and find out what we do.

Our main fundraiser of the year is our French Dinner, which is on **Saturday 16th March** at The Ark, Turners Hill. The cost is £25 per head for a 4 course meal with coffee and wine on the table.

Our chosen charity for our raffle this year is The Air Ambulance for Kent, Sussex and Surrey. Tables of 8 available, open to non members.

Contact Thelma on 01342 714858 for tickets.

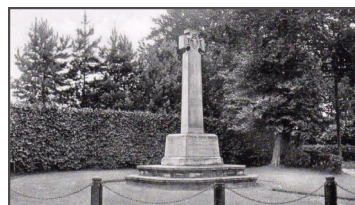
www.turnershilltwinning.org.uk



CRAWLEY DOWN ARCHIVE

If anyone has memories, stories, photographs, or postcards etc that could be included in the Crawley Down Village Archive, please contact Roger Webb on 01342 719029 or email roger.webb@worth-pc.gov.uk.

Roger is happy to meet you and record any information that you have. Photographs/postcards etc will be copied so that you retain the originals.



CRAWLEY DOWN VILLAGE WEBSITE ASSOCIATION

The website has been on the internet for 13 years. As most readers know, we take in sponsorship from local businesses and these sponsors each have a page on our site. We then use this sponsorship money to give grants to local groups. At the end of 2018 we invited any groups to apply for a grant and we received five applications. A small panel of people with no connection to any of these groups met to make the important decisions - which group or groups would receive a grant and the value of each grant.

The groups who applied were : 1st Turners Hill and Crawley Down Scouts, Crawley Down Camera Club, Crawley Down Christmas Lights Association, Crawley Down Youth Club and The Fundraising Team at the village school.

Unfortunately, at the time of writing we are unable to reveal the details of the grants. This is simply because some copies of this edition of Church and Village will have been delivered before the applicants know the details and we want them to be the first to know! The final details will be published in the April/May edition of Church & Village, but if you want to know earlier please visit our website after the 1st February.

We can reveal that the total being given this time is £1,500. The total to date is £21,905.

www.crawleydownvillage.co.uk

CHRISTMAS WORD JUMBLE

ANSWERS : 1 - Silent Night, 2 - Away in a manger, 3 - Jingle Bells, 4 - O come all ye faithful, 5 - While shepherds watched, 6 - On the first day of Christmas, 7 - Do they know its Christmas, 8 - Mary's Boy Child, 9 - Good King Wenceslas, 10 - We wish you a Merry Christmas.



WORTH HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Founded 1882
www.whsociety.co.uk



SPRING SHOW & TABLE TOP SALE

Sunday 24th March at The Haven Centre

Exhibitors : 9-10.30am / Public Entry : 2pm

Visit the show to see the wonderful displays of fragrant Spring flowers on exhibition. There are also table top sales as well as refreshments available to keep you going during the afternoon. FREE ENTRY.

For more information about our historic society, please contact Martyn Mason (Chairman) on 01342 714858.

To hire a table for just £5 contact Shirley Donaldson (Membership Secretary) on 01342 713423.

CRAWLEY DOWN ALLOTMENT & GARDENS ASSOCIATION

February and March 2019

The Annual General Meeting of the Crawley Down Allotment & Gardens Association was held on Friday 30th November at The Haven Centre.

At the meeting, reports were given by our Chairman and Treasurer and these were followed by the Election of Officers and Committee for the next 12 months. Officers elected were as follows:-

Chairman – Alex Cruickshank (acting)

Secretary – Malcolm Lee

Treasurer – Andy Marshman



The Allotment Shop : from 12th January until 9th February will open on Saturdays only from 10am to 12noon. Thereafter it will revert to opening on both Saturdays & Sundays from 10am-12noon.

On sale will be a wide range of products including Potatoes, Shallots and Onion Sets all at competitive prices.

1st Earlies : Arran Pilot, Pentland Javelin, Rocket.

2nd Earlies : Kestrel, Estima

Salad : Charlotte salad

Main Crop : Desiree, Maris Piper, Picasso

Prices : £1.50 per kg - available in 1, 2 & 3 kg bags

Onion Sets: Stuttgarter, Sturon, Red Karmen, Rumba

Shallots: Golden Gourmet, Red Sun

Prices: £4 - 500g bag (Onion Sets & Shallots)

Our next **Social Evening** is on **Friday 15th March at the Haven Centre** and our guest speaker will be Jeremy Hodgkinson who will give a talk entitled "The History of Crawley Down." There will also be a raffle, refreshments etc. All members and their guests are welcomed.

If you are not a member of the Association, why not join? It only costs £3 per year and anyone can be a member. For full details, call at the Allotment Hut which is at the "shops end" of the allotments.

Gerry Power



CRAWLEY DOWN POND ENVIRONMENTAL GROUP

The Crawley Down Pond Environment Group (CDPEG) have been taking care of Crawley Down Pond for over 18 years.

We meet for a couple of hours every month on a Sunday Morning and carry out practical conservation work, usually with the help of The West Sussex County Council Ranger Sara Piggott.

Safety equipment tools and training are all provided, as is a Welcome cup of tea mid morning. If you would like to come and join our friendly group here is a list of the tasks we will be carrying out over the next few months.

13th January	Fence repairs
10th February	Coppicing
10th March	Water Lily planting and fences
14th April	Spring Clean
19th May	OPAL water condition survey

We meet by the pond at 10am and we finish by 12noon.

More details from Sue Kipps on 01342 718289 or Countryside Ranger Sara Piggott on 01293 542088.



EAST GRINSTEAD BEEKEEPERS ASSOCIATION

"Taster Day"



**Saturday 4th May from 9am to 5pm
at the Glebe Centre, Crawley Down**

EGBKA are running a one day session in Crawley Down that will give new and aspiring beekeepers a good knowledge of both the theory and practice of honeybees and beekeeping.

Weather permitting, the day will include an opportunity to look through a honeybee colony at our nearby apiary in Turners Hill.

The Taster Day provides an ideal opportunity to see if the wonderful world of beekeeping is for you and a chance to ask experienced beekeepers all the questions you can think of, before making any investment in equipment or bees.

The fee includes all course materials, refreshments and lunch. £70 + (+VAT charged by Eventbrite) and a £10 discount if you sign up for full East Grinstead Beekeepers Association (£90 in total + VAT charged by Eventbrite) when booking. We welcome Taster Day attendees from outside of the East Grinstead area.

If you are under 18 years you are welcome to join, but you must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

**Bookings can be made at
www.egbkatasterday2019.eventbrite.co.uk**

C&V APRIL / MAY 2019

The next edition of Church & Village will be the **April/May 2019** issue. **All material for publication should be either emailed to office@allsaintscrawleydown.org by Wednesday 7th March** or posted at The Glebe Centre (NOT the Vicarage) either on paper or on disc/stick.

CHURCH & VILLAGE PUBLICATION

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CRAWLEY DOWN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

AFTERNOON WI

Here we are starting another year, the last in this decade; we hope that 2019 will be a good one for you all.

November was time for our AGM again. We started the afternoon with a very nice "Soup & Sandwich" lunch. Thank you to everyone who contributed.

We are glad to say that our Committee will be staying the same - Kay Webb (President), Jean Cole (Treasurer) and Jean Wakeling (Secretary); a great job being done by everyone.

Following lunch we had a fun competition to "Fill a small Matchbox" with as many items as possible. The winner managed to achieve 62 items!

Our Christmas lunch venue was Dunning's Mill. Both food and service were excellent and an enjoyable time was had by all in the lead up to Christmas.

Our February speaker is Joy Madgwick who will be telling us about the "History of the Fountain Pen" and bringing along some of her rare pens for us to see.

More fun in March when there will be a Social Afternoon, a Ploughman's Lunch and a game of Room 101 - that could prove interesting!

Why not come along and meet our friendly WI? You will find a very warm welcome.

We meet at 2pm on the 4th Wednesday in every month at Crawley Down Village Hall. If you would like more information please contact Kay Webb 01342 719029 or Jean Wakeling 01342 712834.

Jackie Kaldenberg, CD Afternoon WI

EVENING WI

A belated Happy New Year to everyone!

Our Christmas Party on 6th December went with a real swing. The cold buffet was excellent and thanks were extended to our President, Jan Albury and her husband David for all their hard work in preparing it. When supper had finished, the committee provided each table with colourful craft material and a small branch from a tree. Each table was challenged to decorate it within a set time scale and this brought out members' competitive streak. There was much hilarity while six people on each table added colourful decorations to their branch. Eventually a clear winner was identified. It was a really good meeting to end what had been a year packed with interesting speakers, group activities and social outings.

Now into the New Year, our first meeting was held a week later than usual on 10th January. A members' social evening was organised and a Beetle Drive kicked off the event. This provided much laughter and some confusion when half the membership had to move around from table to table. However, this only added to the enjoyment and it provided a talking point for members. Carol Napper was congratulated as the clear winner. Following tea and cakes, Belinda Watson presented this year's proposed Resolutions for discussion and vote.

We meet at 7.30pm on the 1st Thursday of the month in the Glebe Centre and visitors will be made very welcome when they come along to our meetings. On 6th February Buntly Dann will talk to us about "The wonder and importance of sleep" and on 7th March Clive and Sue Fennell's presentation is entitled "An idle around Ironbridge". For further information, please contact Jan Albury on 01342 713926.

Jean Ford, CD Evening WI

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INSPIRING WOMEN

BLUE PLAQUE UNVEILING IN ROWFANT

The Crawley Down Memorial Association (CDMA) was formed in 2013 by two members of the Crawley Down & Turners Hill Royal British Legion to reuse a roll of honour that had been homeless for many years after its home in a Methodist Chapel was deconsecrated and sold, the RBL being unable to undertake the roll as it fell outside of the terms of the Royal Charter.

Since then the group have been raising money to install blue plaques on the former homes of the fallen on the Crawley Down Roll of Honour. Seven plaques have been installed so far with a further six to take place in the near future; further plaques are planned for later in the year.

On Saturday 12th January the latest plaque was installed and unveiled. The plaque is on Brickyard Cottage which lies on the road leading to Rowfant Business Park - this is the former home of Stanley Terry who died 12th November 1916.

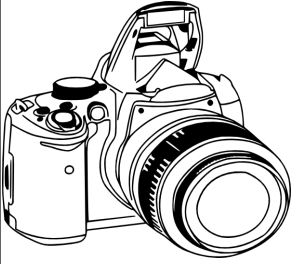


The unveiling was performed by Thelma Mason, Madam Chairman of Turners Hill Parish Council and Canon David Tickner of St Leonard's Church led the assembly in prayers.

Photo - Left to right : Richard Scott, Phillip Coote (Chairman of the CDMA), Jeremy Quin MP, Thelma Mason, Roger Webb (President of the CDMA) Linda Furzer, Peter Hay, Nicholas & Timothy Rice (the current residents of Brickyard Cottage) and Ann Hay. The photograph was taken by Kay Webb (Secretary of the CDMA).

CRAWLEY DOWN CAMERA CLUB

Do you like taking photographs? Then come and visit Crawley Down Camera Club!



We are now back to our regular meetings after the short Christmas break and for our first meeting in January we invited an external judge to pass comment on some of our photographs. The judge was very complimentary about the standard of the Club and the wide variety of subjects shown.

During March & April our meetings will include a competition with the theme of "Silhouettes, Shadows and Shapes" that will be judged by our own members, and a visit from a guest speaker Rosemary Wilman FRPS. Our visiting speakers are always excellent and informative; even our most experienced members can all learn something new from our visitors.

We are very easy going and are happy to see new members regardless of their ability and equipment. **Our meetings are held at the Haven Centre in Crawley Down on the second and fourth Thursdays of the month** with a few weeks break in the Summer.

If you are interested in joining us you can just turn up at one of our meetings or you can contact our Membership Secretary on 01342 715269 or email her at membership@cdcamclub.org. **For more information about our club and to see some of our members' photographs please visit www.cdcamclub.org.**

CAKE & COMPANY



Would you like to meet socially for an afternoon?

**Cake & Company is held on the second Tuesday of the month
in the Glebe Centre from 2-4pm**

The next dates are 12th February and 12th March

Cake & Company is for you if you are getting on in years and would enjoy some company over a cup of tea with jigsaws, board games, knitting, magazines and lots of cake & chat!

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OPEN DOOR GROUP

"Open Door" is open to anyone who perhaps through bereavement or loneliness, would welcome the opportunity to meet once a month with a friendly group of people for different social events

We would like to invite you to the following meetings.

Thursday 21st February at 2.30pm in the Oak Room at the Haven Centre - Brian Moore will present "Open Door Group Ancient and Modern - an Illustrated Review of our Group in 2018 and Before".

Thursday 21st March at 2.30pm in the Oak Room at the Haven Centre - Heidi Acraman and the Music Theatre Performance Group from the Orpheus Centre in Godstone will talk to us about their work and give us a musical afternoon. The Orpheus Centre is a specialist college focusing on developing independence skills for disabled students.

Thursday 11th April there will be a lunch at the Shipley Bridge Inn, near Horley. If you would like to join us, please phone Janet Longhurst on 01342 714402 (before the 15th March). Transport can be provided if required.

Friends, relatives and new members are always most welcome and on your first visit we can arrange for someone to accompany you.

For more information please contact:

**Brian Moore (Chairman) on 01342 74359 or email brianjmoore@binternet.com
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