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Scene in Baydon

..a bi-monthly digest of what's going on in Baydon: Jun 16



Beacon for the Queens 90th Birthday

Hello All...

Thanks to Mike Mears for the cover photo of the Baydon Beacon lit on the Queens birthday.

It is fete-time in the village again. Let's hope for good weather and a great turn out. See the centre pages for things you can donate - bric-a-brac, plants, cakes etc

The village has recently lost a life long resident, Dorothy Newman. Obituary inside.

Jo Cooling

Since the last Scene Muttley has....

Attempted, unsuccessfully, to get a job behind the bar at the Red Lion. Whilst having a post-ride drink with the Baydon Flyers one Thurday evening, he took advantage of a dropped lead and headed off to see what life is like behind the bar. He decided it was not the job for him after failing to locate the pork scratchings......



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Jun/Jul SERVICES

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12th June	9.30am	Morning Prayer (Common Worship)
19th June	9.30am	Pet Service
26th June	9.30am	Holy Communion (Common Worship)
3rd July	10am	Team Service at St Michael's, Aldbourne
10th July	9.30am	Morning Prayer (BCP)
	4pm	Prayer and Praise
17th July	9.30am	Morning Worship (all age)
24th July	9.30am	Holy Communion (CW)
31st July	9.30am	Team Holy Communion at Ramsbury

(Keep an eye on the Whitton Team website - http://whittonteam.org.uk)

URGENT St Nicholas Church essential repairs -

Thank you to everyone who has made donations already, they are making a big difference and we have now done the Electrical circuit test and the Lightning conductor repairs. Also, we now have sufficient funds for the Vestry roof and wall repointing which will be done shortly.

Our next job is to clean, strip, patch the lime wash inside the building. We have received an estimate of £6,000 for this job and we do not have the funds for this.

It would be lovely if you would consider becoming a Steward of St Nicholas church and commit to making a regular donation by standing order of perhaps £10 per month, but £5, £3 or £2 would really help too. And if you could gift aid it, your donation would increase by 25%.

If you would like to donate towards these repairs or set up a standing order, please get in touch: Rowan at Church@baydon.org or the Church Wardens: Margaret Hill 540789 and Mike Ball 540117 or any other church member you know.

From the Minister...

During this month we have the chance to vote in the referendum on Europe. So far the majority of people with whom I have spoken seem undecided – and that goes right across the age ranges. I am not surprised. The issues are far from straightforward.



Some of the information supplied by both camps is frankly contradictory. There has also been a good deal of scaremongering from both sides of the debate.

How do we decide? It is easy to be swayed by fear because of the vast population movements across Europe, or to be driven by a desire to make a stronger richer Britain. But there are other motives that should concern Christian people. Christians are called to be peace-makers and to share all they have with those in need. How should this impact our thinking about Europe? There are no easy answers, and you will find Christian folk on both sides of the debate.

There are many places in our world where democratic freedom does not exist. There are also places where the freedom to vote exists, but is dangerous to exercise. We are blessed by having no such barriers. For this reason I hope that the turnout for the referendum is high despite the difficulty of coming to grips with the issues. This is perhaps the biggest political decision of our lifetime.

At this time, all Christian people need God's wisdom and guidance. May God help you as you grapple with the issues and cast your vote.

Jackie Hollander Licensed Lay Minister Whitton Team

Carers Week 6th-12th June



Caring is part of being human and at the heart of family life. As our population ages and people live longer, often with complex health conditions, more and more of us will find ourselves caring with 3 in 5 of us becoming carers at some point in our lives.

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"All Stars" - aft -school club for Years 1-6; Thursday 3.15 - 4.15

NEW Saturday Club – for 5-11 year olds (with a parent or carer) from 10 am – 11.30 am Saturday 25 June – Church Rooms, Ramsbury. Games, quizzes, crafts and bible teaching more information please contact Judith Weeden 01672 520235 judith@weeden.plus.c

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For Adults ...

Saturday Home Group 1st Saturday of each month from 9.00-10.30am. Good coffee, bacon butties and discussion. Newcomers welcome. For catering purposes, please let us know will be joining us. Please contact Paul Trickey on 520630 or email paul@thetrickeys.com.

*NEW*Women's Group - A new women's group meeting across the Benefice churches o 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month from 7.30 – 9.30 pm. We hope this will be fun but a bit challenging as we look at what Christianity is about and what it means in a very practica in our everyday life – excellent for those exploring the idea of faith or growing in their faith. Please come and join us or contact Jenny Quadrat - Tel: 540675, jennyquadrat@gofast.co.uk or Lesley Whelan - Tel: 541022, jesley_whelan@yahoo.co.uk for more informatio



CONGRATULATIONS to

Adam Butcher, whose balloon flew all the way from Baydon to Devon and won Baydon Pre-school balloon race. Enjoy spending your winnings!!!!

Helen Lawrence

Heads Up!

Term Six is an extremely busy one in school with plans under way for Money Week, Musical Week and Sports Week.

Elite Sports have been coaching us in a number of team sports including basketball, rounders and cricket. We have also worked with Swindon Town Football Club, PK Tennis and Fitness for Fun during after school clubs. We are also very excited about planning our stalls for the Church and School Fete on 11th June. Any donations of good quality bric-a-brac, books, toys etc are very welcome.

We have welcomed to school Mrs Blackwell and Mrs Wigglesworth who are covering Miss Hayhoe's maternity leave. Both teachers bring with them a wealth of experience gained through many years of teaching.

In school our Year 2 and Year 6 children have undertaken their SATS. Whilst the whole school have been looking at the present Royal Family and past Kings and Queens.



We will be welcoming our new Reception children to school for their induction mornings in June and saying a fond farewell to our Year 6 students at the end of term in July.

P N Chambers **Headteacher**

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If you are a Facebook user, do you know there is a public group called the Baydon Notice Board?

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Celebrating the Queens 90th Birthday



On the evening of the Queen's 90th birthday a chain of over 900 beacons were lit across the country in celebration. Villagers gathered on the cricket field to watch the Baydon Beacon being lit and to celebrate together. Here are a few pictures of the evening from Mike Mears





Parish Council Corner



A personal note from the new Chairman / Chairwoman! – Tamsin W

As many people will already know, Andy Knowles resigned as Chairman of Baydon Parish Council in May, due to his family's move to Marlborough. Baydon PC would like to thank Andy for all his hard work and great leadership and we wish him all the best in Marlborough (I think he's going to miss Baydon!)

After some consideration, some very supportive comments from residents (and some persuasion!), I decided to put myself forward for the Chairman role following 8 + years as a ClIr. I'm likely to have a different style to my gentlemen predecessors, but I hope to lead the team through our workload just as well. For those who don't know, we also have a relatively new Cler Charlotte Booth and a brand new ClIr, Amy Bryan so a very warm welcome to the Now in the role as Chair, Baydon's Village Plan 2009 will continue to be my guide, because a households in the village were given a questionnaire and results clearly showed that the to priorities for the village wer

- Address road safety, speeding traffic and bad parking
- Build a play area and/ or all weather surface in the village
- Improve the BYPA Hall or build a new village hall
- Support the local facilities so we don't lose then the shop and the Post Office, pub, church and school

I look forward to the challenge and I ask for everyone's support in making Baydon an even bett place for us all to live!

Playground Update

It's very exciting to report that some new equipment was installed in our existing playground April. Baydon PC have added:

- Traditional toddler swing
- Traditional junior swing
- Roundabout
- See-saw

Feedback from Baydon parents and children is that they absolutely love it and are making very good use of it! The play items were mostly paid for with the remaining S106 money allocated to Baydon by the developers of the Newton's Walk. The project was managed by Baydon PC.

Litter Picking Updat



On Saturday 23 April, Baydon PC arranged another litter pick an were jolly pleased when some lovely volunteers arrived to help!

Again, we collected a staggering amount of litter from around the village, including 5 black sacks from Aldbourne Road alone - which makes me think two things: Who is dropping all this litter??? Any what would Baydon look like, if we didn't have a regular littingick??!?

Anyway, please consider giving up an hour of your time for the next litter pi — I assure you that it's strangely satisfying to do



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The Village Green

It was brought to our attention recently that the village green was in need of a bit of TLC. In fithe wooden bench opposite the pub was falling apart and the box trees were looking very scruffy. I'm happy to report that the bench has now been replaced and trimming of the box tree hedging has been added as an annual task to the village grass cutting contract. Therefore t green should be in a good state to host the next village event.

Map of Baydon Footpaths

We have recently organised for a clear map of Baydon's footpaths to be produced, plus installed a new display notice board outside the shop to house the map and PC documents. Please take a look and if the map inspires or intrigues you, take a stroll!

Traffic Calming in Baydon



Speeding has been a big issue, for a very long time in Baydo and the PC has been working over many years to introduce measures to try and combat the problem.

Speed Indicator Device

Baydon PC's latest attempt to reduce traffic speed is Speed Indicator Device (SID), which displays the speed of passing cars, with the aim of making drivers more aware of what they are doing. There is evidence to show that the effectiveness of the SID reduces after approximately weeks, but we are now in the great position of having a SID, solely for our use in Baydon, so w will be able to move it to various locations around the village on a regular basis. SIDs are normally very expensive, but Wiltshire Council have decommissioned all of theirs and Baydon PC was quick to request one. There will be a slight delay whilst a Cllr goes on a training course and learns all the rules and regulations of exactly where it can be displayed, but watch this space...

Chicanes

Statistics have shown that the chicanes installed in 2014, near the playground have reduced the average speed of traffic and are helping residents to cross the road more safely to get to the playground and allotments. However, they are just the first phase of the traffic calming project and more obstacles are needed along Ermin Street to reduce speeds to an acceptable level. Please see separate notice on this topic. If you'd like more information and to express your opir ion, please attend the next Parish Council meeting on Monday 4 Jul

So, in summary, a lot has been achieved already. However, there's still plenty to do! Thank y for reading this,

Tamsin W Chairman, Baydon Parish Council

PARISH ASSEMBLY



Monday 27 June 7.30pm School Hall



This is NOT a Parish Council Meeting, but a VILLAGE MEETING!

Please come along to hear an update from all the different groups in the village and maybe make some new connections!



2016 Parish Council Dates are:

- Monday 4 July including traffic calming update
- Monday 12 September
- Monday 17 October
- Monday 28 November

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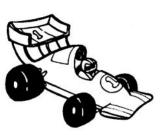
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Traffic calming in Baydon

The chicanes installed on Ermin Street in 2014 near the playground, have proved to be successful, reducing what was the highest speeds in the village, from an 85th percentile* of 44.3mph to the lower figure of 39.8mph. However, these chicanes will be even more effective in conjunction with additional traffic calming measures.

Since 2013, Baydon Parish Council has been planning for the next phase of traffic calming and considering further obstacles for Ermin Street, with road safety outside the school being the highest priority.



After consultation with Wiltshire Highways, a draft proposal has been designed, which will slow traffic approaching the primary school from both directions. A single obstacle near the Ermin Close entrance is proposed, which means that westbound traffic would need to give way. Another single obstacle, near the flashing 30mph sign at the western end of Ermin Street, would mean that eastbound cars must give way. These obstacles would be similar to those at Wanborough and Shrivenham.

Baydon Parish Council have agreed to contribute £6,000 towards the £18,000 cost, have already secured £3,000 from CATG** and have been awarded £9,000 central government funding. Work is scheduled to commence in October 2016, but likely to be delayed.

Our existing chicanes near the playground cost £31,000, of which Baydon Parish Council contributed £3,000, with the remainder being paid for by a very generous donation of £3,000 from a local resident, £3,000 from CATG and £22,000 from central government funding.*** Therefore, of the £49,000 costs of the traffic calming project as a whole, Baydon Parish Council will have contributed £9,000.

Update: The proposed buildouts will be on the agenda again, at the Parish Council Meeting on Monday 4 July. During this meeting we will provide information on the traffic calming plans and give residents an opportunity to give their feedback.

Further information can be found on www.baydon.org, on the Parish Council notice board outside the shop and of course, future Parish Council meetings

Baydon Parish Council

^{*} A Metrocount measures the number of passing cars and the speed of the free flowing traffic. (The 85th percentile is the speed at which 85% of cars were travelling at, or under.)
**Marlborough Community Area Transport Group, which a Baydon Parish Cllr attends

^{***}The cost of the chicanes near the playground were higher because there was no existing power supply for the lighting

Baby and Toddler Group

Baydon baby and toddler group is a lovely, friendly group held in the BYPA hall on Mondays during term time from 9am to 11am, and welcome any adult who accompanies a child or children aged from 0 years to school age. There are lots of lovely toys to play with and a garden to use when the weather is nice enough. We also have a craft activity



every week. There is a hot drink for the adults when you arrive and snack time for the little ones is around 10am. We end the session with a song time where all the children can choose their favourite nursery rhyme to sing. Everyone is very welcome to join us and it would be great to see any new families who would like to come along. For further details please contact Ali Jones on 01672 540608 or e-mailtoddlers@baydon.org

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Obituary: Dorothy Jean Newman

The funeral of Dorothy Jean Newman was held in St Nicholas Church Baydon on Saturday 21st May 2016.

Dorothy had lived nearby the church all her married life, she was born, went to school, married and lived her 90 years in the village until she died in April this year.

The service was conducted by the Rev. Simon Weedon, the scriptures were read by Messrs Ball and Newman, the organist was Francis Lofthouse.

Robert Miles, Dorothy's nephew gave a brief history of Dorothy's life from, he said, jottings that she had written on scraps of paper over the past year.

Dorothy was born in 1925 the youngest of four children, after a 14 year gap, so the rest were all out to work by the time she was born. At 14 years of age Dorothy worked in the village shop and later became their milk delivery maid and entrusted with a bicycle. Having never learned to ride a bike, she pushed it everywhere on the delivery.

At 27 years of age she went into domestic service at Russley until her marriage to George in 1956.

As a child she was taught by the vicar's wife to play the organ which she continued faithfully to play at St Nicholas Church for 75 years,

Dorothy knew about commitment, said Robert Miles. She was a member of the WI for 75 years, sold Poppies for 50 years and was married to George for 51 years.

She had a passion for the church and would be cleaning, serving its needs when she wasn't at home.

Her last few months were spent at the Aldbourne Nursing Home where everyone treated her like family calling her Aunt Dorothy.

Rev Weedon said that Dorothy had a long and contented life. Her faith was very important to her and she knew true contentment "what will be, will be".

Dorothy was laid to rest in the church graveyard with her husband George.

The packed church's congregation then joined the family in the School Hall for refreshments and journeys down "memory lane".

Donations were requested for Ramsbury Surgery.

Barbara Furber

Meet your CAM!

Andrew Jack, Marlborough's Community Area Manager, will be working in Marlborough Library from approximately 12.00pm until 5.00pm on most Wednesdays. Andrew is available to chat concerning Area Board matters, such as Community Area Grant funding and consultations as well as signposting other Wiltshire Council services. Andrew can be reached on 01225 713109 or email: andrew.jack@wiltshire.gov.uk

Marlborough Area Board

Next meeting is: Tuesday 19 Jul 2016

Marlborough Town Hall, High Street, Marlborough, SN8 1AA

6.30 pm for a 7pm start

More news: The publication 'Just a Minute' is a summary of the official minutes for the Marlborough Area Board and is available in full on Baydon's Website. Parish News from the Council also available on the website.

Marlborough CAN Newsletter

Marlborough CAN helps you keep in touch with things that are happening locally. With regular news from the Council, Police, NHS and many other local community groups and organisations, you can be the first to know what is happening. With opportunities to have a say on important issues and to take part in local events and activities, Marlborough CAN will put you in the picture.

See the latest CAN at Baydon.org or go to http://marlborough.ourcommunitymatters.org.uk/

Visit www.baydon.org for up-to-date village news & events, weather and features, Parish Council minutes & agendas



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Community Beat Manager



The community beat manager for Marlborough rural, which covers areas such as Ramsbury, Aldbourne, Baydon and Chilton Foliat is Anthony Boardman.

He can be contacted either by email address which is NPTMarlborough@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk or at Marlborough police station via the 101 non emergency number using extension number 77430352.

Any crime reports should go through the proper channels and be reported through the 101 or 999 systems.

PC 352 Anthony Boardman Marlborough police station Neighbourhood police team Wiltshire Police

Non emergency number - 101 extension number 77430352





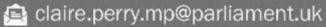
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General maintenance Including carpentry, fencing, paths and garden clearance.

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To be eligible for this service, you must be aged 60 or more, or at least 18 and with a disability.

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Aldbourne & Baydon Aid in Sickness Fund

The Fund benefits the sick or those in financial difficulty because of sickness. Small grants are offered to residents of the two parishes plus loans of medical equipment (to parishioners and visitors)

All bona fide enquiries welcome and those from friends and neighbours

Contact

Debbie Moxon (Baydon) on 540266 Jocelyn Evans (Aldbourne) on 540206





'Community Lunch at the Red Lion'

Baydon

12pm THURSDAY 9th June

Chicken Salad
or
Choice of Chicken & Leek Pie or
Peppered Mushroom & Stilton Pie with
chips or mash and green beans
Only £7.50

Join us for a relaxed lunch and light conversation

To book your place or to discuss any dietary requirements please call

Julie on 01672 541224 prior to the event

Next lunch: Thursday 14th Jul, 2016

Wiltshire Good Neighbours can put you in touch with the people & services who can really help you to improve living your independent life.

By visiting you and talking with you we can identify the services that will make the most difference to your day to day living. We can then refer you to these services, and follow up to ensure they are delivered accordingly.

We can provide information on a variety of topics & these may include:

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- Advice on benefits
- Healthcare needs
- Transport





If you think we can help you to find the services you need then give us a call on 07557 922030 www.wiltsgn.org.uk

The service is free and confidential

Funded by Wiltshire Council and provided by Community First in partnership with Age UK Wiltshire and Age UK Salisbury



Season Eleven Valley Film Society

June 7th 2016



Wild Tales Argentina/Spair Cert 15 122mins

Director: Damian Szifron

Stars: Darío Grandinetti, María Marull, Mónica Vistantia Six short stories involving distressed people.

"Wickedly hilarious and delightfully deranged Wild Tales is a

subversive satire that doubles as a uniformly entertainin anthology film" Quote from review in Rotten Tomato

Doors & bar open at 7pm Raised seating Wide scree Opportunity to order Nippy Chippy meal for the interval by 7.20 please.

East Garston Village Hall.

Cost for whole season: £30 (unwaged £29) 2 Guests per film: £5 Guests & new members welcome to join for Season Eleven.

For more details contact: Penny Brewer on 01488 72305 or Penny Locke at

pennylocke64 @gmail.com

The Merchant's House Trust is pleased to announce details of its

Annual Summer Lunch fundraiser

held in the beautiful grounds of Marlborough College.

Join us on 31st July, 12-3pm, for a delicious buffet meal plus family-friendly entertainment: we'll be learning about the history of one's of Britain's favourite pastimes – Punch & Judy – complete with a live performance and games for the children.

Tickets on sale next month, from The Merchant's House, 132 High Street, Marlborough. Put the date in your diary, now!

Scene View

Where anyone can review books, pubs, restaurants, events, special places or pretty much anything including your own view (keep it clean!). Send your (review to Editor at baydonscene@email.com

Reasons to Stay Alive - Matt Haig

This is an open, frank, hopeful book about what it feels like to be attacked by depression, and ways of managing and even getting the better of it. One afternoon, without warning, Matt Haig was plunged into anxiety and depression. His account of his



journey through it and out the other side, the experience of living with the joys of the highs and the crushing, all-consuming pain of the lows – his ongoing daily encounter with life – includes observations of what helps him to feel better (from exercise, reading and focusing on others, to foods) and what doesn't; the range of other people's reactions, and where to get professional help, if needed. There is no psycho-babble, no pull-yourself-together – this is Haig's heartfelt, personal account, tinged with humour here and there, and written with positivity. The insight and hope are all the more inspiring, for having been lived out. Little victories become bigger victories; experience turns into strategies for dealing with life day to day. No matter how big the depression might feel, it is not as big as you, and you are never alone. I value this little gem. I recommend it to anyone and everyone, whether or not we know someone who has suffered depression, or we've struggled with it ourselves. It has helped me understand a little bit, however small that little bit is, of what depression can be like, and so, hopefully, helped me be a better friend, should anyone I know be going through something like this.

Tamzin grew up in Baydon and comes back from time to time to visit her Dad. After some gadding about, she currently lives in the beautiful north east of England, working for a start-up exploiting a new X-ray imaging technique.

Dog Mess

All dog owners are responsible for their own dog's mess. It should never be left where others can tread in it, nor on areas of land that are mown (for example by the Alpaca farm).



Here are words from Wiltshire Council's web-site:

"Dog owners must, by law, pick up any mess made by their pets in public places such as roads, footpaths, school playing fields, sports fields and parks.

What if there is not a bin near when my dog messes?



Dog waste suitably wrapped in a plastic bag or similar can be disposed of in any litterbin or dog waste bin. If none are available nearby, you should be prepared to carry the waste home where it can be disposed of with your normal household waste.

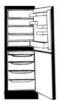
Please enjoy walking with your dog in our beautiful country-side, but

Leave only paw-prints



Replacing your washing machine, tumble dryer, fridge or electric cooker?









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Mobile Library

The Mobile Library will be outside the school on the following dates:

- 23 Jun

10:50 - 11:40

Mobile Library times can be found at http://services.wiltshire.gov.uk/MobileLibrary/Library/Stop/78

Aldbourne Library Opening Hours

- Monday from 2:00pm till 5:00pm & from 6:00pm till 8:00pm
- Tuesday from 10:00am till 12:00pm*
- Thursday from 2:00pm till 5:00pm & from 6:00pm till 8:00pm

Aldbourne & Baydon Link Scheme

(Reg Charity 1112698)

Help is available for: Transport for:

Medical, dental or other similar appointments
Visiting a friend or relation in hospital
Collecting shopping, library books etc

Help at home

Small tasks, visiting for a chat or a game of cards
Occasionally caring for pets
Helping with post or paperwork
Small gardening jobs

There's no charge but the Link Scheme welcomes donations from those who use the service

Phone: 07767 116 895



The Red Lion FREEHOUSE

Ermin Street, Baydon, Wiltshire SN8 2JP 01672-541224

OPENING TIMES

Mon Closed all day
Tues Closed all day
Wed, Thurs 4.30pm to 10.30pm
Fri 4.30pm to 11pm
Sat 12 noon to11pm
Sunday 12 noon to 7pm (except quiz night)

FOOD TIMES:

Weds to Fri: 5pm to 9pm (Last order 8.30pm) Sat: 12 – 2pm & 5pm to 9pm (Last order 8.30pm) Sunday: 12pm to 4pm (Last order 3.30pm) Home cooked Sunday Roast from £9.50 / Senior Citizens 6.50 / Children £5.00

Coffee & tea available: Cappuccino, latte, expresso, americano, mocha, earl grey and a selection of fruit teas.

Guinness Quality award.

We are in CAMRA's Good Beer Guide 2016, UK's Best Selling Beer & Pub Guide.

Baydon Bikers (motorbike club) - Meet regularly throughout the month for rides and social gatherings. Check out their website baydonbikers.co.uk for more details and contact numbers.

Baydon Bicycle Club - Every Thursday - Departure is from the Red Lion car park at 6.30pm and again anyone wishing to join them just turn up.

Cribb Club – The league starts again in September, come along to play or learn the game in a friendly and relaxed atmosphere on a Wednesday evening. Contact Tanya Brown on 07986730470.

Quiz Night- First Sunday of the month at 7pm. Teams of 4 at £2.00 per person.

Open Music Nights – Every other Wednesday – 1^{st} , 15^{th} , 29^{th} June and 13^{th} , 27^{th} July from 8pm

Weds to Sat – Steak Deal – Two 8oz Sirloin steaks with all the trimmings and a bottle of house red or white wine £35.00 Full menu also available.

We will be open to show all the Euro 2016 England matches.

Events:

Wednesday 1st June 6.30pm-9pm — Sue's Handmade Candles Sale
Sunday 5th June 7pm - Quiz Night Raising for the Great Western Special Care Baby Unit
Thursday 9th June — Wiltshire Good Neighbour Community Lunch.
Saturday 11th June 8pm — England v Russia in Euro 2016
Thursday 16th June 2pm — England v Wales in Euro 2016
Sunday 19th June - Fathers Day — Book at table and dad gets a free pint.
Monday 20th June 8pm — Slovakia v England in Euro 2016
Tuesday 28th June 7.30pm-9.30pm Exclusive Clinique Pamper Party -Limited Ticketed Event fundraising for Macmillan.

Friday 1st – Sunday 3rd July – Red Lion Beer Festival. Live music Friday and Saturday, Treasure Hunt Saturday afternoon, BBQ Sunday afternoon ending with fundraising quiz Sunday night in aid of Wiltshire Air Ambulance. Please see posters and websites for full details.

Remember you can book the pub or dining area for a Corporate event, private function, party or workshop. We can cater for a sit down meal or a buffet. Please do not hesitate to contact us and we will do our best to make your event as pleasant and stress free as possible. I thank you for your ongoing support.

Julie

^{*} staffed by volunteers



The Baydon St Nicholas Fete poster

Can you help?

Please come and support this event for your Village Church & School for a fun filled afternoon.

You can help by donating items for the Garden Produce stall, cakes to sell or for refreshments, Bottles for Tombola Stall, items for Nearly New, Good Quality Bric-A-Brac & Raffle Prizes. Items can be brought to the school on the week of the fete, or to 20, Ermin Close after the 1th June.

We need lots of help to set up from 9.30am on the morning of the fete & also to clear up after 3.30pm, also if you have a gazebo, please bring it along to the paddock on the 11th June.

For more details call Kate Buckingham 541120 or Pauline & Tony Topp 541171

The Baydon Church & School Fete

Saturday 11[™] June 2016 12-2pm St Nicholas School and Paddock.



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Coconut Shy

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All money raised is split between the Church and the school