

Chailey News

Free



August 2013

The Church of St Peter Parish of Chailey



WEEKDAYS

Monday 8pm Bell Ringing Practice

Friday 6.45pm Choir Practice

New ringers and choir members always welcome.

Transport to services can be arranged: please contact the churchwardens. The Church is open during daylight hours.

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CHAILEY FREE CHURCH, SOUTH CHAILEY

Please see details of services and weekday activities later in magazine

Contacts: Mr Charlie Hill 01444 471600
Mr Roger Nutley 01273 890114

ROMAN CATHOLIC MASS

Herons Ghyll: Wednesday 9.30am Sunday 11.30am Holy Days 12 noon

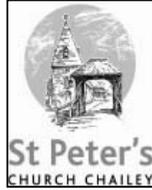
Haywards Heath: Sunday 8.30am 10.30am 5pm

Uckfield: Saturday 5.30pm Sunday 9.30am

Lewes: Sunday 9am 10.30am

For further information about Roman Catholic services and activities, please contact Mrs Mary Butterfield, 01825 724003

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AUGUST SERVICES 2013

Sunday 4th August *Tenth Sunday after Trinity*

8am Holy Communion

10am All age Family Service followed by Pete's Pantry

Sunday 11th August *Eleventh Sunday after Trinity*

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Communion with

Sunday 18th August *Twelfth Sunday after Trinity*

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Communion

Sunday 25th August *Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity*

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am Parish Communion

Sunday 1st September *Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity*

8am Holy Communion (BCP)

10am All age family service with Pete's Puppets

BCP is the Book of Common Prayer (1662). All other Eucharistic Services are from Common Worship: Order One. We welcome everyone warmly and families and children are always welcome at all our services.



I Will Not Live An Unlived Life

I will not live an unlived life
I will not live in fear of falling
Or of catching fire
I choose to inhabit my days
To allow my living to open me
Making me less afraid
More accessible
To loosen my heart
So that it becomes a wing, a torch, a promise
I choose to risk my significance.
To live so that that which comes to me as seed
Goes to the next as blossom
And that which comes to me as blossom
Goes on as fruit.

Blessings

From John and all at the Rectory

Lay Parish Pastoral Care Team

We have a pastoral care team who are available to visit anyone who wishes an informal visit, for a chat. If you or anyone you know (with their permission) would like us to visit please contact the parish office (01825 722286) or fill in your details below and hand in at the Rectory. This will be in treated with strict confidence.

Name:

Home Address:

Telephone Number:

August Parish Register

Baptisms: Henry Shaw 4th August 2013
Interment of Ashes Barbara Mary Hipperson 20th June 2013

Stained Glass Window Dedicated To The Revd Eddie Matthias

After a long haul we have now been given permission (known as a faculty) to have a stained glass window (as seen right) installed in the east window of St John's chapel, in memory of the Revd Eddie Matthias. A number of people have spoken of their desire to donate towards this. If this is your wish, donations (which can be gift aided) can be made via Chailey PCC stating it is for the window. If you are in contact with others who knew Eddie, who might like to be included, please give them details or show them this article. On completion, there will be a dedication of the window, held during a concert on Sunday 27th October 6pm. More information will follow when we have an idea of the completion date.

Thank you.

Eddie's daughters.



Chailey WI

The WI **meeting of Tuesday 6th August** will be held in the Village Hall ***not*** as given on the written programme. On that evening Sally Varlow will give a presentation on the life and work of Marjorie Davies. Marjorie Davies was a resident of Chailey for many years and for a great number of those illustrated the front cover of 'Chailey News'. She also illustrated a number of short stories for Enid Blyton. Later in August there will be a "garden" lunch - should any members not have details of this please contact a committee member.

Members' meeting on 2nd July was a wine tasting affair, but also a brief history of wine and the better growing areas were explained by Mike Godley, before members sampled a (very) few of the types and grades of wine now available. Hopefully we now know a little more to make better informed choices when filling the shopping shopping basket.

Friends of Chailey Windmill

The Mill and Rural Life Museum will be open on Sunday 28th July from 3 - 5 pm

John Smith 01825 723519



Chailey Free Church

For details and more news

www.chaileyfreechurch.com

Having been sent to Sunday school each week as a child, and not liking it much, I wanted as a teenager to have nothing to do with church.

On starting my first job I met a girl who was a Christian. We became good friends and she took me to church with her. I felt like a fish out of water, not a good feeling for a teenager!

After several Sundays we went to a young people's meeting after the evening service. The town was close to the docks and several of the lads worked on the boats. A rough lot, whom my parents would have been horrified had they known I was mixing with them socially.

These lads obviously had an inner joy and peace which I did not possess. I was a bad tempered teenager, I knew I wanted their happiness. Jesus was the cause of their difference, they had given their hearts and lives to God. That night at home in my room I too gave my heart and life to Jesus. It didn't make me a sweet good natured teenager, but He was there to help and guide me. He loves me and has never left me although at times I have left Him, He never fails me, He is my strength and my rock.

Coffee Stop

Fridays 10.00—12.00

Everyone welcome

Bring your friends

All free

Sunday Services 10.30am

and

6.15pm

CONTACT

01444 471600

01273 890114

Wednesdays 10.00am

Prayer Meeting

Thursdays 7.30pm

Bible Study & prayer

Monthly Night Sky Guide – August 2013

New Moon: 6th August (22:51 BST) First Quarter: 14th August (11:57 BST)
Full Moon: 21st August (02:45 BST) Last Quarter: 28th August (09:36 BST)

This month, I want to talk a little bit about our Moon. The bright light from the Moon that we see is the reflected light from the Sun. As the Moon travels round our planet Earth, the part of the Moon we see as illuminated varies, depending on its position relative to the Earth and Sun. Half of the Moon is always in sunlight, unless during a Lunar Eclipse when the Earth gets in the way between the Sun and Moon.

New Moon is when the Sun is illuminating the other side of the Moon. We cannot see the reflection from Earth, as no light from the Moon is being reflected in our direction.

Full Moon is the opposite, where the Earth is in line with the Sun. The light is reflected back towards the Sun, and the Earth. First Quarter and Last Quarter are when exactly half the Moon is visible. The Sun is still illuminating 50% of the Moon, but we are seeing the Moon to one side or the other of the Earth, and so only see the nearest half of the Moon brightly.

This leads me neatly onto the Ashen Light, or Earthshine. Because our own planet is also reflecting light from the Sun, some of that light hits the Moon, and is reflected back to us. It is most obvious around the time of the New Moon, when the Earth is nearly fully lit by the Sun as viewed from the Moon.

So have a look at the Moon around the time of the New Moon, and see if you can see the 'dark side' of the Moon in the sky. The light you are seeing has been reflected from the Earth to the Moon and back again to your eyes!

Incidentally, you may wonder why the Earth does not block out the light from the Sun from reaching the Moon. The answer is that it does, but only at special times. The distance between the Earth and Moon is so great, and size of the Earth and Moon so small that the Earth only casts a shadow on the Moon a couple of times a year, when the Sun, Earth and Moon are lined up.

Another thing to look out for this month is the Perseid Meteor Shower. This shower is caused by the dust from the comet Swift-Tuttle which has been left behind as it orbits the Sun. The Earth hits this stream of dust orbiting the Sun, and as the dust burns up in our atmosphere, we see beautiful meteors. The dust particles are very small, so there is no danger of anything actually reaching the ground.

You can see Perseid Meteors from 17th July all the way through to 24th August, but the peak this year is on the evening of the 12th August, which is good, as the light from the Moon will not be around to spoil the view. The peak of the shower is expected to reach 60 meteors per hour, but this assumes that the sky is completely dark, so don't expect to see that many!

Don't forget that you can learn more about South Common Observatory, see the pictures I have taken from Chailey, or order my Astronomical Greetings cards from my website: <http://nebul.ae>.

Richie Jarvis - South Common Observatory Email: richie@nebul.ae Website: <http://nebul.ae> Twitter: <http://twitter.com/richiedeepsky> Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/richiedeepsky>

Magazine Co-ordinator

Once again required for Chailey Parish Magazine. The person before could not take up the post. We are looking to refresh our village magazine and need a co-ordinator with some spare time, enthusiasm and IT experience, to assist in editing our monthly issues, with the collaboration of CHEC. Please contact the parish office.

Chailey Commons Society

Summer has arrived and everything is doing its best to catch up. On recent walks the butterflies are still to show themselves but it is all looking good for them. I think that the good blossom indicates a heavy fruit yield this year, responding to the early rains and now the warmth.

Our nightjar walk went ahead on Red House Common and, after much patience, we heard one in the distance. It was a perfect night but, like everything else, they must be delayed.

Our coach outing to Rye was enjoyed despite the very strong wind from the south west. We were glad of the hides for shelter and eating our picnics. We saw many chicks on the reserve and a good selection of sea birds.

Thank you to Jacqui for leading such an interesting botanical walk around Plumpton Green. We were impressed by all the work going on for nature in the village including the station where there is a lovely display of wild flowers.

We will be holding our Parents' and Children's Bug Hunt on Memorial Common on Wednesday August 14th from 10.00 until 12.00. Do come along and see what can be found and we will try to identify them for you.

Later in August, on Thursday 29th at 7.00.p.m. from the Sports Clubs' car park, I will be doing a summer evening stroll around the commons to take a leisurely look at the beauty of the commons.

For further information visit our website – www.chaileycommons.org.uk

William Coleman 01444 831098

Chailey Youth Group 2013

Chailey youth group has celebrated a fun and action packed summer. We have held a range of fun events, graffiti workshops, cookery projects, fajitas Friday and quiz night.

We held a fantastic summer camp at Brook farm in Mayfield for CYG members where young people faced fears, took opportunities and made many friends. They took part in zip wire, camp craft, create challenge, big swing, obstacle courses, camp fire building and team building games, a whole weekend in the wilderness with no TV's, computers or distractions... it was a fantastic weekend!

We had our last CYG night for before the summer break on 26th July- We had an outing for all at Laser Hub in Crawley. A fun action based team building challenge where fun was had by all! Enjoy your summer everyone and we look forward to meeting new members in September 2013.

Gemma Kybert

Chailey Police Report



Incidents - 1317 - 12/06 - Vehicle damage St Johns bank, South Chailey

A vehicle parked in St Johns bank suffered some damage between 23:55 - 11/06 and 08:30 - 12/06.

1140 - 13/06 - 2 vehicle RTC A275 near Mccolls

There was a collision involving 2 vehicles at about 17:40 on the 13/06. This resulted in minor injuries.

1122 - 01/07 - Theft from vehicle Chailey common

A vehicle parked in Chailey common had some items stolen from it between 16:30 and 16:55 on the 01/07.

1214 - 08/07 - Theft from vehicle Banks road

A vehicle parked in Banks road had some items stolen from it at about 16:30 on the 08/07.

Grazing animals

There have been a large number of calls to police recently regarding cows and sheep on Beggars wood road and North common road. These animals are grazing and will often be seen on the road. Drivers are encouraged to use caution when driving along these roads and avoid further calls to police regarding this matter.

Sussex Police Website - The Sussex Police Website has recently had a makeover and has many new functions available to the public. One of these functions is the ability to see what crimes have occurred in the local area and where they happened. This is a simple function and helps to keep residents updated with what's happening. If you do not have internet access please speak with PCSO Knowles for more information.

Burglary - Across the district the top priority remains burglary and theft of garden equipment and tools. We encourage everyone who owns high value items such as lawnmowers, chainsaws etc to see that they are well secured and out of site. Take down the serial number on your items as a precaution and take photos where possible.

If you have items of value and you would like some crime prevention advice please contact PCSO Steve Knowles.

Vehicle crime - Vehicle crime unfortunately continues to be a problem across the district. Please remove all valuables from your vehicle when it is not in use. Never leave anything of value on display even for a short period of time and always secure your vehicle. Sat Navs, Hand bags, Money etc are all examples of items offenders might be tempted by. Please report anyone who looks like they are closely looking at or tampering with a vehicle.

Cold callers - We continue to receive a number of calls across the district regarding cold callers. Please be vigilant about who comes to your property. Never allow a cold caller in to your property unless they have a reason to enter i.e. meter reader and always check for ID. A certified caller will always carry ID. If you have suspicions please call police. Please note that the same goes for callers by phone. Never give personal information over the phone. If you receive a call that you believe to be a scam always hang up.

Oil theft - We are receiving a number of calls relating to the theft of heating oil. If you have a heating oil tank please take measures to secure it and protect it against possible tampering. If you would like advice on how to do this please contact PCSO Knowles direct.

Community messaging - Community messaging is a new communication method which has been put in place to update members of the community on what is happening in your local area. Regular emails are sent out to members of this service. If you would be interested in this service please contact PCSO Knowles for more information.

Op Crackdown - Op Crackdown has been put in place to allow members of the public to report Anti-social driving or abandoned vehicles easily without having to use the switchboard. This method has proven to be very reliable with a number of drivers being dealt with accordingly thanks to the reports made on Op Crackdown. To make a report on Crackdown simply visit www.operationcrackdown.org. Each report will take about 5 minutes.

Local officer contact

To contact your local officer you can email to steven.knowles@sussex.pnn.police.uk
Or call **07787685708** or **101 (ext 40526)**. If you have any info regarding the above reports please call - 101

Please note that if you are reporting an incident all calls should go through the police switchboard. Non emergency 101; Emergency 999.

Choristers Wanted

We are looking for enthusiastic and dedicated people to join the choir of St. Peter's! We meet every Friday evening in the church at 6:45pm where we practice for our 10am Sunday service and learn new musical works. No experience is necessary – just a love for singing and a sense of fun! We envisage organising a number of events in the near future, so why not get involved?

We are especially looking to increase numbers in our alto, tenor and bass sections. For more information on what is involved, contact the Organist and Director of Music, Timothy Guntrip on 07580 681322 or by e-mail at timothy_guntrip@yahoo.co.uk.



**COUNCILLOR'S
CORNER** *By
Sharon Davy*

PETITION – A272 STATION ROAD, NORTH CHAILEY

On Monday 22nd July I will have (at the time of writing 15th July) attended the Economy, Transport and Environment meeting at County Hall. I, together with Jim Sheppard presented a petition on the 26th March, representing the views of petitioners and families living on the A272 in North Chailey – many of whom find crossing this piece of road hazardous, especially for children and the elderly.

Our Parish Council considers the improvement of pedestrian facilities at this location as a high priority for local people and at their meeting on June 18th set-aside up to £10,000 for a future scheme. This generous contribution has been welcomed by the County Council.

The Director for Economy, Transport and Environment is arranging for initial design work on a scheme to be undertaken to determine an accurate cost for the provision of a traffic island. However, our request is not considered a priority within the County.

Recent speed surveys on the A272 at North Chailey have shown that the current speed limit regime is appropriate which, I know will disappoint local residents.

'The Lead Member is recommended to inform the petitioners that the County Council will continue to work with the Parish Council to identify a suitable scheme and help them to identify any additional funding needed that could make a scheme achievable'.

In the interim, 'Children Crossing' warning signs will be provided to highlight the presence of this crossing point to drivers; this work is in progress and the signs will be place before the beginning of the autumn term.

*Cllr. Sharon Davy (Chailey and Wivelsfield) – Telephone: 01444 831 336
email@sharon.davy@lewes.gov.uk*

Letter from Chailey School



Hard as it is to believe we are coming to the end of yet another school year. This academic year has been busy, productive and successful with students achieving both in school and in their activities outside of Chailey better than they ever thought they could. Our students continue to impress us with their innovation and perseverance. Perhaps most impressive is the tolerance and kindness that our students show to others, making the environment here nurturing and supportive. Our system of fully trained Peer Mentors means that no student will be without someone to turn to should there be the need and our Student Support Managers do a fabulous job supporting students and their families. Chailey School is intimate enough that all the students are known to the staff and a "family" atmosphere pervades the school.

We have now said farewell to our Year 11 students having sat their GCSE examinations, attended a wonderful Prom to celebrate them moving on and are welcoming Year 6 students into school in preparation for starting here this September. Everything in school is cyclical and we are always looking forward to the next cohort of students who will be joining us. We would therefore like to invite you and your children to our Open Evening on Thursday 26th September from 6.30 –8.30 pm. We are also running Open Mornings from Monday 30th September – Thursday 3rd October 9 -11 am when you can see the school in action. You are, of course, welcome to visit the school at any other time by appointment.

Hoping you have a restful summer and that we will be blessed with some sunshine!

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lesley Young', written over a white background.

*Lesley Young
Headteacher*

Chairman: Cllr. Don Cranfield (01825 722651)

Clerk: Mrs Vera Grainger (Tel 01825 740409)

For Reading Room bookings contact the Clerk.

Village Information Point

The Village Information Point sessions are held on Friday mornings at the Coffee Stop, Free Church, South Chailey. In August sessions will be held on Friday 16th August and Friday 30th August between 10.00 am and 12.00.

Meeting with ESCC Highways: The Parish Council met with Highways on June 18.

- Residents should note that during July and August maintenance works are planned for Mill Lane leading through Honeypot Lane which will result in a road closure. The contractor will inform residents of the detail. There are also likely to be works at Plumtree X-roads and along North Common Road to make permanent the temporary chicanes.
- Highways have now set September 1 (or the start of the School Year) as the date by which warning notices will be erected near to the Lower Station Road bus-stop where students, in particular, cross to catch School coaches. The Parish Council has agreed to contribute £10,000 to encourage the eventual installation of a pedestrian refuge.
- The Highways Steward agreed to inspect the road surface of Warrs Hill which has deteriorated seriously, especially at the edges. There is no further news on the project to build a footpath on Common land alongside Warrs Hill.
- The meeting took note of plans, put out for consultation, to make permanent the chicanes at or close to Plumtree X-roads. These were to be considered by the Parish Council. Highways confirmed that meetings had been proposed to the three residences closest to the chicanes to discuss their concerns.
- Highways confirmed their intention to install before March 31 the new 40mph limit on the A275 North of the King's Head. The proposed limit along the A272 from Pellingbridge remained the object of discussion with West Sussex CC because of its intimate link with the steep hill leading to the County border.
- Highways are to inform the Parish Council of the procedures necessary to pursue installation of a crossing-point approximate to South Chailey Mill Lane.

Roeheath in the Summer: A reminder to parents during the summer holidays that this useful open space exists as a play area. The Parish Council deliberately arranges for Roeheath to be mown more frequently to provide a pleasant leisure area. We also remind dog-owners that this is both a play-area and also set up as a small football pitch: **please will you pick up after your dog.** The area is not policed and we rely on users to treat it well.

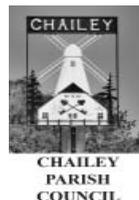
Grazing: 5 Exmoor ponies are grazing on the combined or Southern Common (Memorial, Romany Ridge and Pound) and are likely to remain on site until September.

In case of emergency, please call the grazier on 07917 420296.

Bin collections in August: there will be no collection on Bank Holiday Monday, August 26. Please note that bin collections will be one day later than usual in that week. More information at www.lewes.gov.uk

Diary Reminder: A Planning & Environs Committee Meeting (Urgent Planning Matters) will be held on Tuesday 20th August (if required) there will be no Full Council Meeting held during August.

Chailey Parish Council



Chailey Bonfire Society

The 100 club in July was won by C Riggs, who had number 64. Congratulations, we at Chailey Bonfire Society hope you find something suitable to spend your £50 on!

The Grand Prize of £1000 was drawn on the 13 July at the Horns Lodge Beer Festival. The winning number was 61, and was won by John Smith - congratulations John!

Renewal forms have already been posted to existing 100 club members. If you wish to become a 100 club member please contact Chris Farrow via email chris.farrow@ddicks.co.uk. You will be in with a chance of winning £50 a month if your number is drawn. The grand prize of £1000 is drawn once a year. All for just £26 a year!

We are pleased to announce that we will be holding the first Chailey Beer & Music Festival on the 14th September 14:00 to midnight. There will be music for all ages, a hog roast, beer tent and kids fun entertainment in the afternoon.

Entry tickets are available now through the CBS website. Local bands who are interested in joining us should contact Tom Stovold via email: tom@southernevents.co.uk, or call 07795 007760.

If you would like to have a stall at the Festival, please contact Ron Sheridan on 07572793342 or email ronuk@ugc-hq.co.uk.

We are also holding a Jumble Sale on the 21st September from 11am onwards at Chailey Village Hall.

Of course, the pinnacle of the Chailey Bonfire Society is Bonfire Night. This year, we will be holding our celebrations on the 9th November. If you would like to enter a float, please contact Trevor Smith on 01273 891008 or email trevandmo@btinternet.com.

Chailey Bonfire Society is pleased to be able to offer a licensed bar facility for special occasions, parties, discos, etc. If you would like more information, please contact Stuart Marden on 07904226439, or email contact@chaileybonfire.co.uk.

It is still not too late to become a member of Chailey Bonfire Society. Membership costs just £2 per person, and you get a free badge! You can contact Gini Jarvis on 01273 400989 or email gini@helkit.com to become a member.

You can follow all our exploits and events on the Chailey Bonfire Society website <http://www.chaileybonfire.co.uk>, or our Facebook group – just search for 'Chailey Bonfire Society', or enter this address: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/ChaileyBonfireSociety> and ask to join.

Chailey Bonfire Society

Email: contact@chaileybonfire.co.uk

St Peter's The school year has ended but although the school is now closed to staff and pupils the next few weeks will see the site occupied by builders and decorators and it falls to the lot of poor old Jeremy, our site manager to co-ordinate all the work and make sure the school is ready to open again in September. I'm glad it's not down to me anymore.



School I had a letter from the Police Commissioner's office stating that the police will continue to assist with crossing the children for church services and true to their word the recent leaver's service was attended by an officer. Our thanks to the police for this valuable service.

The last few weeks of the year are always very busy. The weather was fine for Sports' Day. We have had music concerts, the leavers have been to visit the secondary school and our new starters came into school for a taster visit. The Friends held a disco for the leavers and staff are organising a barbecue for the leavers, too. There is the graduation assembly when year six pupils are presented with certificates and a dictionary.

My favourite event is the Junior Production. The children show a degree of confidence and self assurance that is second to none as well as obviously enjoying the experience. This year's play with music was Alice in Wonderland, a play with lots of characters so that many pupils get the chance to perform. I sometimes think that Lewis Carroll, as a clerk in holy orders was not a suitable candidate for his calling. The sad little dormouse suffers at the hands of the Mad Hatter, flamingoes are used as croquet mallets and hedgehogs used as balls. And although we are spared seeing the Queen of Hearts sentences carried out there are screams and chopping sounds, off.

I'm sure someone will look after the gardens that have been a delight all term. I'm ready now for a summer of wine and exhibition onions, I don't do roses.

Bill Clarke. Tel. 01273 400131. c.william131@btinternet.com.



OTHER LOCAL NEWS

Newick Country Market

Newick Country Market is held every Friday from 10am until 11am In Newick Village Hall on the A272

We have a good selection of locally grown vegetables and some soft fruits, also homemade cakes and savoury items which are always popular with customers, as well as eggs and preserves. Greetings cards, paintings, animal portraits and knitted items, as well as plants and floral arrangements are also available, and can be ordered in advance.

Locally produced and award-winning cheeses from Say Cheese of Sussex are proving to be quite popular as well as butter.

It is advisable to come along early as many items sell out fast, and you can then stay for a cup of tea or coffee and chat with friends if you wish to.

Information and orders 01825 768544

An Invitation to Sing with Ardingly Choral Society

Ardingly Choral Society welcomes new singers of all ages and Experience. Our new term starts on September 5th at 7.30pm, in the Recital room at Ardingly College. We will be singing Mozart's Requiem this term for the Remembrance Concert, and the St John Passion for the Easter 2014 concert. Simply come along to a rehearsal!

Barbara Torry - On behalf of Ardingly Choral Society

Newick Youth Theatre (NYT) Summer Production

NYT's summer production this year is **Fantastic Mr Fox** written by Roald Dahl and adapted for stage by David Wood.

This exciting tale follows some of Roald Dahl's best loved characters. Boggis, Bunce and Bean are three of the most scheming and nasty farmers in the area. Mr Fox is a loveable rogue, who steals food from the farmers for his family to survive. The scene is set for an exciting adventure - a game of cat and mouse ensues as the farmers try to catch him, and all of Mr Fox's skill is needed to prevail.

The show will take place outside in the lovely venue at WoWo Camp-site, Wapsbourne Farm, Sheffield Park, TN22 3QT.

Face-painting for children and the chance to spread out and have a picnic for the family.

Show Dates: August 24th and August 25th

Performance: 3:00pm.

Tickets: **Free but** Please contact Alex or Anita to reserve your ticket.

Please note there is limited spaces for non campers so book early.

Box Office: Alex 01825 722468 or Anita 01825 722802

Email: info@newickyouththeatre.org

WWW: newickyouththeatre.org

Newick Amateur Dramatic Society

Presents a

Murder / Mystery Evening

The Curse of the Willoughby Diamond

at The Newick Village Hall
on Saturday 7th September
doors open 7.15 for 8.00pm

Ever since they unearthed the famous Willoughby Diamond in a village in Egypt, the Willoughby brothers, Royston and Montgomery, have been estranged. When Royston dies in mysterious circumstances and his brother Montgomery makes an unexpected visit, it would appear that the ominous spectre of death which has haunted the diamond through the years is not over....

It is 1929, and you are invited to Willoughby Hall, where the famous Willoughby Diamond is being auctioned by the recently widowed Lady Constance Willoughby

Tickets £25.00

To include a three course meal for your gastronomical enjoyment.
A bottle only bar will also be available

To book your tickets and menu choice
Phone: 01825 722493

Or email Marie_Palmer@btinternet.com

NADS looks forward to welcoming you and in the tradition of a NADS' Murder Mystery evening feel free to dress up in all the glitz and style of the 1920s.

Carriages at midnight

Heart of Sussex Sponsored Horse Ride

Sunday 8th September 2013

This year the British Heart Foundation will again be holding their very popular sponsored ride at St Helena Farm in Plumpton Green. The course will be 10 miles over beautiful Sussex countryside with optional cross country jumps and suitable for all levels of rider and horse or pony. New this year is the leading rein course for younger riders and dog walk course which is ideal for those waiting for a rider to complete the main course. All riders, horses and dogs are invited to wear something red on the day!

Last year over 100 horses took part coming from all over Sussex on a blisteringly hot day, riding through woodland and across open farmland with stunning views of the South Downs, raising around £3,500 to help fund vital research into heart disease. This year let's hope the weather will be as kind and even more can be raised for this vital cause.

For further details please contact Debbie Medicott
medicott@btinternet.com, 01825 790397, 07801 103527
facebook page Heart of Sussex Sponsored Ride

Chailey News - September Issue

The deadline for the September issue of Chailey News is 6th August. To avoid problems due to the necessity to filter e-mails for spam please:

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