

Chailey News

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Scott Chailey

Tree in Hedgefow with Wild Rose

W. H. Chailey

August 2015

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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Please see details of services and weekday activities later in magazine

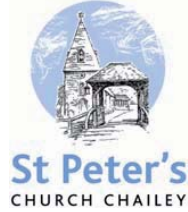
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ROMAN CATHOLIC MASS

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 2015

- Sunday 2nd August** *The ninth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am All age family service with Pete's Puppets
- Sunday 9th August** *The tenth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion
- Sunday 16th August** *The eleventh Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion
3-5pm Church afternoon teas.
- Sunday 23rd August** *The twelfth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion
- Sunday 30th August** *The thirteenth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion
- Sunday 6th September** *The fourteenth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am All age family service with Holy Baptism

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.

News From St. Peter's Church

Despite the somewhat grey sky, Jazz on the Green was a great success and raised over £2400. Ploughman's lunches and teas were popular, and although ice-cream sales were down, people were happy to linger with a pint or a Pimms and enjoy the entertainment. It was, as always, an enjoyable day, a great community event for Chailey. Thanks to everyone who contributed to its success.

Our Car Boot Sale the following weekend was not so well-attended, but the sun shone and we still managed to raise almost £300.

Do you know of anyone who would enjoy a delicious, freshly cooked meal at our regular lunch club, taking place on August 13th and 27th?

We are happy to provide transport, and it is a great chance for people who live alone to spend a couple of hours in friendly company.

Please phone Fiona Pearl on 01825 723135 for further information or to arrange transport.

Afternoon Teas this month take place on August 16th. Do tell your friends and come along to the church for traditional cream teas and the most amazing selection of cakes!

Over the weekend of August 22nd and 23rd an Art Exhibition will be taking place in the church. There will be a display of pictures by William Hobday, who has been producing the wonderful pen and ink pieces that have appeared on the covers of Chailey News over recent months. William's love of nature is the inspiration for most of his work, and this exhibition will give people the opportunity to see more of his detailed drawings, many of which feature the local area.

There will be two other local artists' work on display, and light refreshments will be available throughout the weekend.



August Parish Register 2015

Marriages

29th August

Henry Shelford and Sally Eyden

Chailey Commons Society

What a difference the sunshine makes and summer really arrived ensuring that the outdoor events could go ahead successfully. Our afternoon river walk at Isfield, with the legendary Jim Smith, was well attended and we were able to stroll along the banks of the river and hear all about the features and history of this unspoilt area.

Once again the Nightjar Walk turned up trumps as they say and a large group of us set out from Pound Common on a lovely fine evening to seek out these remarkable birds. We crossed over to Memorial Common and just as we arrived in the approaching dusk, they obliged and we saw them in their familiar flight pattern and heard them churring from the tree tops.

Our coach outing took us over to the Broadwater Down RSPB Reserve near Tunbridge Wells and the Warden guided us around a 3 mile walk and explained all the different areas of conservation and restoration. We took a picnic and then, on the way back, called in to the Barnsgate Tea Rooms for a cream tea – lovely !

Our activities for August include a Bug Hunt on Wednesday 19th starting at 10.00.a.m. from the Romany Ridge car park – all welcome, and, as part of the ' Campaign for Drawing' www.thebigdraw.org. we are holding our own 'Big Draw' on Thursday 20th August on Romany Ridge Common. All welcome to join Linda, Anna and helpers to come along and create your own masterpiece. Use your own materials or ours. Info. on 01825 722945.

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

William Coleman - 01444 831098

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:

Chailey Free Church



www.chaileyfreechurch.com



Regular Sunday Services
10:30am and 6:30pm.

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7:15pm

Chailey Free Church, A275, South Chailey, BN8 4AN
Contact us for details on 01444 471600 or 01273 890114



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Reading Room bookings: please contact the Clerk to book the Reading Room.

Chailey Common – bruising the bracken: Jo Heading, our Ranger, has said that the Working Horse Trust will be visiting the Common for a second time during August – the exact dates are dependent on how fast the bracken is growing and whether it is at the correct stage of growth to maximise the weakening.

The van has a large “Working Horse Trust” logo, and many residents will know that the process is always worth including in a walk on the Common. When and where will be found on the Parish Council website, once we are informed of the exact details, and East Sussex CC usually put out a Press release to the Sussex Express.

Exceptional activity by Brown’s heavy lorries: The Council has been in touch with Wealden District Council and with Brown’s in regard to the heavy lorry traffic along the A272 and A275 to the Fletching turning by Trading Boundaries (formerly the Sheffield Arms). Brown’s in particular sympathise with those affected by this route but explain that, on this particular scheme, they are not able to vary the routing which was decided by Wealden District Council at the planning stage.

The somewhat grandiose Fletching project sees earth bunds being created at Northall Farm from spoil brought from excavated sites elsewhere rather than being disposed as landfill. To that extent the project is dependent on there being sites which are creating excavating spoil and need to have it cleared.

The good news is that the project (or at least the transport side) is due to be completed by early October, subject to sufficient material continuing to be available. East Sussex Highways is monitoring any damage to the roads and the developer will be required to make good this damage when the contract is complete.

Please contact the Clerk if you have concerns about this project.

Highways: The Council met with Highways on July 6th. Among other matters, we stressed the need for a significant effort to free up the walkway between the Brickworks and South Chailey Stores. We emphasised that pedestrians can feel threatened by the fact that the walkway rises high above the road, leaving little margin for slipping or mistaking one’s way. We asked Highways to attack not only the so-called ‘sidings’ which grow across the tarmac but also the overhanging and advancing shrub and tree growth, all of which push the pedestrian towards the edge. We asked for the white lining to be renewed before the autumn evenings close in.

We also discussed speed limits where Highways have discussed with Chailey Heritage, in particular, the expected introduction of a 50mph speed limit along the A272 (Pellingbridge-North Chailey). This project has been agreed and comprehensive signage will be introduced under the scheme, designed to flag up the Heritage's access and crossing areas and to refresh signage at the dangerous corners. There may be some delay to completion while the additional signage is committed, and there is as yet no decision on the other side of the 'border' (with West Sussex) which has delayed the project in the past.

The building of a footpath along Warrs Hill remains in the current year's programme but without specific dates.



**CHAILEY CHILDREN TRAVELLING TO
UCKFIELD COMMUNITY TECHNICAL
COLLEGE**

Although UCTC is not the nearest school for Chailey residents, many children and parents feel that UCTC offers more scope and opportunities than Chailey Secondary School – it's a matter of choice and preference. We are lucky to have two excellent schools to choose from.

There will be insufficient space on the Sussex Bus service 31 bus at school times, between Newick and Uckfield, from the new school year in September 2015. Uckfield Community Technology College has now provided the bus company with their estimate of likely numbers and they are working together to try to find a solution.

Representing Chailey residents, I have spoken with Officers at East Sussex County Council and the bus company to try and find a solution to transporting more children to school and the outcome looks positive:

The Principal of UCTC met with a member of the County Council's Passenger Transport Team, together with Heritage Coaches on 22nd June. The suggestion is that UCTC subsidise Heritage Coaches to provide a second bus. This is the practice with schools elsewhere in the country, including the service they (Heritage Coaches) provide to Steyning School in West Sussex. UCTC are now waiting to receive a formal proposal from the bus company. All parties are keen to resolve these travel concerns as soon as possible, so that UCTC can inform parents before the end of the academic year.

This decision will be welcomed by families in Chailey and Newick.

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

*Newick & Chailey Support Group for
St Peter & St James Hospice*



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Summer
Evening*

*Wed 23rd Sept at
Newick Tandoori*

£25 per head

*To include-
Welcome drink,
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Dancing Cabaret!

Bring your own wine plus licenced bar.

All net proceeds to St Peter & St James Hospice.

Tickets from Glenda (722607) or Ian (722957).

**Kindly sponsored by Shamsul of Newick Tandoori*

Chailey Horticultural Society

August is the month for reaping the benefit of all your work earlier in the year. Second early and early main crop potatoes should be ready and dug before blight strikes. I plant leeks where my early potatoes were grown. Although August may seem a little late to plant leeks, it is useful to have them in the late winter months. They can withstand whatever weather is thrown at them and they will not grow too large. Use a dibber to make a hole in the soil that will cover three quarters of the leek seedling. If the ground is dry, water first to prevent the sides of the hole falling in. A leek seedling, whether bought or from your own seed bed, should be the size of a pencil. Lift the seedling, dip its roots in water, then place it in the ready prepared hole so that three quarters of it is covered, then water in by filling the hole with water, bringing a little of the sides down to cover the roots. Although prone to the same diseases as onions and garlic, nevertheless they are relatively disease free.

Water courgettes and cucumbers regularly and keep picking them. If left to develop seeds, they will stop producing new fruit. Keep cucumber plants moist with a fine spray to discourage aphids and red spider mite.

Most summer fruit will be over by now. Cut down the fruiting canes of summer raspberries, tie in the new raspberry canes and remove the fruiting branches of currant bushes. Autumn raspberries are well worth growing. They are relatively free of disease and have a longer cropping period than summer varieties. I think they have a better flavour, too.

Continue watering runner and French beans in dry weather. French beans set well, but you may need to help runner beans by spraying them with a fine mist of water in the evening. Another way to encourage setting is to grow two or three different varieties and a few climbing French beans on the plot. Pick regularly to encourage repeated cropping. Remember that any pods that have developed seeds by the end of the season can be used. Dry the seeds and use them in casseroles or as home made baked beans.

This is the time to think of autumn planting. Over wintering lettuce such as winter density or Valda can be started. Also autumn onion sets, garlic and shallots.

More next month.

The autumn show is on 12 September at Chailey Village Hall.

Peter Estcourt



For our July Members' meeting we were delighted to welcome some local talent when Lee Duyvesteyn came to talk to us about her Bees. We learnt that Beekeeping is not just a summer hobby, as many of us had thought, but one that needs attention throughout the year. We were able to sample some honey from one of the honeycomb drawers and see pictures of the bees working to produce the honey. We also heard members talking about their attendance at the special WI Garden Party at Buckingham Palace and also an account of the WI Centenary Annual Meeting at the Royal Albert Hall.

In August we are having a trip on the Wey & Arun Canal so there will be no meeting in the Village Hall. However, we shall be in the Hall twice, once when a Disabled Group from Hailsham come and we provide them with lunch and again when another party from East Grinstead come for tea.

Our meeting on 1st September will be a talk by Sian Trevellion on the Maharaja of Bexhill. We are pleased to welcome prospective members or guests at any of our meetings for a small charge of £2. We meet in the Village Hall on the first Tuesday of each month at 7.45 pm.

Margaret Smith
01825 723519

Newick – Chailey Healthy walks update

A small and enthusiast team of volunteer walk leaders was trained up at the end of June for the new healthy walks in the Chaileys and Newick area. We are still looking for more walk leaders, especially from the Chaileys. For those who missed the training in Newick, there will be another training day on 2 September in Lewes. Mileage costs will be reimbursed.

Healthy Walks are part of the nationwide Walking for Health project, which aims to make people healthier and happier by offering free short led walks.

No previous experience of walk leading is required just a friendly nature and the availability to lead the new healthy walks on a regular basis. The minimum commitment would be to lead a walk once per month. For more info about volunteering as a walk leader or to book a place at the training contact Paula Hubens on 07740 899559/ p.hubens@tcv.org.uk

Friends Of Chailey Windmill

The Windmill and Rural Life Museum will be open on Sunday 30th August from 3pm to 5 pm. Entry is £1 for adults and 50p for children aged 10-16.

John Smith
01825 723519



It is with a heavy heart that I am writing this email to you.

After setting up Chailey Youth Group in 2005, I am stepping down from Chair and lead Youth worker.

In the years that I have been running the club alongside my amazing volunteers and parent helpers the time has come to accept that "You cant do everything" and having had to prioritise, I sadly battled with this decision.

I had a devastating experience in November last year which has left an empty space in my heart. The reason that I can longer run CYG is because I have decided to set up a charity called Oscar's Wish Foundation to support other bereaved parents. Since February I have been running CYG alongside setting up the charity which has been hard work. It was never my intention ever "Give up" CYG but circumstances sadly forced me to re-evaluate life.

In working hard to find a new committee and panicking that the club would close, I was fortunately approached by three amazing people. They are going to re open the club, scale it back and build it up between October and December 2015.

I intended to offer support and a smooth Handover to ensure that they feel fully supported and that the young people build an understanding of new ethos and boundaries within a new committee.

The website and contact details of the new youth workers will change slightly and all parents/carers and supporters will be informed of these in due course. Lovely Ken is continuing as a volunteer but sadly my lovely Mummy. Tracey is stepping down with me. Tracey is coming on board with Oscar's Wish Foundation as a trustee.

The date that CYG will re open will be **October 3rd 2015**. Times TBC.

Chailey News and the CYG website will be a great source of information letting you know what is coming up etc.

I will still be very much involved in making Chailey more accessible for young people and working in conjunction with Cllr Olbrich and some local residents. So you cant get rid of me that easily!

I would like to take this opportunity to thank every person that I have met along the way, throughout the years in whatever capacity. It is the end of an era for me but I look forward to watching CYG grow and develop.

Thank you for believing in CYG.

With love and best wishes.

Kind Regards

Gemma Kybert

St Peter's



School

We have received the results of the Standard Attainment Tests (SATS) in English and Mathematics and again this year they are excellent. Not only have the children achieved the required two levels progress but many have exceeded that score. However maths and English are not the be all and end all of learning, though important, our pupils receive a well-rounded education that has that has given them the confidence and enthusiasm with which to advance to secondary education. The results are also a measure of the high standard of teaching at St. Peter's.

One of our governors sponsors an annual story writing competition and I was asked to judge the entries this year. I had to choose the best three but any of the entries could have won. The theme was mystery and suspense and I was impressed by the originality and imagination that the pupils put into their work. Better than some of the fiction we see on television.

Sporting success came at the recent swimming gala when we scored higher than the other nine schools taking part. This week we are saying good bye to Mrs. Zuniga and welcome Mr. Luckhurst to the teaching team.

During the holiday the school will be taken over by workmen installing a new heating system in the Victorian part of the school. I don't envy the job that Jeremy the site manager will have in getting the building ready for the new term in September. There are times when I regret being retired but this isn't one of them.

Bill Clarke Tel. 01273 400131

Chailey School - An outstanding year

Chailey School has had an outstanding year and is rated as Grade 1 Outstanding by our Local Authority (East Sussex County Council) which rates schools between Ofsted inspections. The School's 2014 GCSE results were the second best of any state school in the county with 82% of students achieving the Government's benchmark A*-C in Maths and 84% achieving it in English.

The School's English department has been chosen to be the English Hub Centre of Excellence for all schools in the County and the Maths team is heavily involved in the Government-led Shanghai Maths Project as part of its role as a strategic partner with Newick Teaching School. Chailey has also been chosen as the Modern Foreign Language Hub for all schools in the County because of its excellent teaching of languages.

This year the School was awarded two Educational Outcomes Awards for being in the top 10% of schools nationally for progress made by pupils between key stage 2 results (the end of primary school) and GCSE results at age 16, and in the top 20% nationally for high attainment. Most recently, Chailey became the first secondary school in the County to be awarded a national Learning Outside the Classroom (LOtC) Mark (silver) for its commitment to learning outside the classroom.

Chailey Bonfire Society

August Report

July - 100 Club winner – with No 33 – Pera Millichip. Congratulations Pera and thank you for your continued support.

£1000.00 Annual Draw winner was No 92 – Jeanette Bates. Congratulations Jeanette.

Dates for your diary

Jumble Sale – 26th September 2015 at Chailey Village Hall. Unfortunately we no longer have the space to store any items prior to the jumble. Collections will only be available from 19th September or you can drop off the evening before or on the day. More details next month. We need people willing to provide a couple of hours on the day to man stalls, it is great way to meet other villagers and bonfire members, if you think you could assist then please contact Diane on *01273 401900*.

Bonfire Night

Floats

If there are any organisations who would like to enter a float into this years procession please contact Diane on *01273 401900* or by email at secretary@chaileybonfire.co.uk

Bonfire Programme

We are currently putting this years Bonfire Programme together. If you would be interested in advertising this year please email your advert to info@chaileybonfire.co.uk
We are selling space at the following prices:

£15 - 1/4 - 1/3 page

£25 - 1/2 page

£40 - full page

Assistance Required

Torch Making will take place on the bank holiday weekend in August. In order for this to go ahead we require wood for torches (3ft long 1inch x1inch approx wide), hessian, and people to put them together. If you think you could offer any off the above or a couple of hours to assist in this vital part of bonfire night then please contact richie by email at richie@nebul.ae. If you have gloves, pliers, and a staple gun please bring them with you but we do have some you can use if not. We are looking for donations of wood as if we have to buy any it will come out of the fireworks fund!

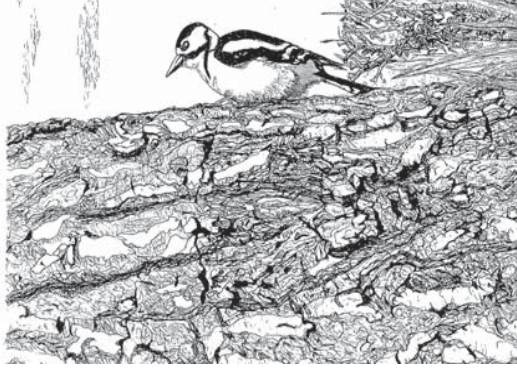
Other business

Chailey Bonfire Society can provide a no cost bar for any occasion. We can take away all the hassle from you having to provide drinks for your guests. If you would like more information then please contact Diane on *01273 401900* or email secretary@chaileybonfire.co.uk.

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>

ART EXHIBITION



Saturday

22nd August 10-5.00

Sunday

23rd August 11.30-5.00

[St Peter's Church Chailey](#)

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 fruit, home baked cakes and savoury items which are always popular with customers, as well as eggs, preserves, locally produced cheeses and charcuterie. Handmade greetings cards and knitted items, paintings, animal portraits and plants are also available. Orders can be taken for any of the above.

Come along early as many items sell out fast, and, if you wish to, when you have finished shopping stay for a cup of tea or coffee and chat with friends.

Information and orders 01825 768544

Royal British Legion, Newick Branch

There will be no meeting in August, so the next time we meet will be on Wednesday 2nd of September. As this will be a Speaker meeting(details later on the notice Board outside the Baker's Shop in the village)

We shall meet as usual at the Community Centre, from 7pm for a 7.30 start.

ALL VILLAGERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND.

Arrangements for the installation of the Centenary Memorial Stone on the Green are proceeding apace and we shall be keeping you informed as to the Unveiling Ceremony. This will be carried out by Rosemary Begbie, widow of the late Brigadier DLG Begbie OBE. MC. who was our former Branch President and whose idea it was that those who died in two World Wars should be remembered by a Memorial on the Green.

All villagers will have been notified by letter about the project and we should very much like to thank all (some anonymously)who have so far contributed to the raising of funds to meet the cost, estimated at £6500. To recap, we shall be most grateful for further donations, both large and small. Cheques payable to Royal British Legion, Newick Branch should be sent to our Branch Treasurer , Mr J.B.Hay,81A Allington Road ,Newick, BN8 4ND. There will be a full size model of the Stone in situ on the Green near the baker's shop on Sat 1st August from 9.30.a.m together with an Information centre. The total of funds raised for this project at the time of writing , amounted to £2700

D.S.Baker

Chailey News - September Issue

The deadline for the September issue of Chailey News is Tuesday 11th August. To avoid problems due to the necessity to filter e-mails for spam please:

1. Send items to chaileynews@chec.co.uk
2. Include "Chailey News" in Subject section of the e mail.
3. If a new subscriber or sending from an e mail address for the first time please phone us on 01825 724376 so we are aware and able to look out for it.

Best wishes from everyone at CHEC