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Carolyn Ludlam

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EVENING**

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WINSTER DIARY

AUGUST & SEPTEMBER

Fri	25	Aug			Mobile Police 10am to 12.30pm	MH
Fri	1	Sept		*	Methodist Chapel Coffee Evening 6.30pm	BI
Mon	4	Sep			Winster Parish Council 7.30pm	BI
Sat	9	Sep			Skip Lorry in Elton	
Mon	18	Sep			Village Magazine Copy Date	
Mon	25	Sept		*	Winster History Group 7.30pm	BI
Fri	29	Sept		*	Winster Quiz 7.30pm	BI
Sat	30	Sept		*	Winster Post Office Closed	

Key to Venues:

BI=Burton Institute, JR=Jubilee Room, CH=Church

MH=Market House, MS=Miners Standard, BG=Bowling Green

** Further info elsewhere in the Magazine*

This diary (with extra details of events in future months) also appears on the Winster Website at www.winster.org

To add an event to the diary, email the details to diary@winster.org or hand in a note to the Post Office.

The views expressed in the Winster Village Mag are those of individual contributors

Answers to Puzzle Page

Blue. White. Black. Fawn. Sage. Green. Heather. Silver. Rust. Cream.

Secret Gardens

Brian Long

The 'profit' for this years Secret Gardens was £8849.44, another fantastic achievement. Although the income was increased from the previous year so to were our costs. Amongst the additional overheads this year were the provision of essential first aid cover for the event and the requirement for licences to cover the sale of alcohol and entertainment.

The winner of the sweepstake for forecasting the 'profit' for Secret Gardens was Mat Adlam - Stiles. Mat's prize was £100 and his estimate was within £25 of the final figure.

Thanks to everyone who contributed to once again making Secret Gardens such a success.

Plates Trays & tins

Wendy & Cynthia

Thanks to everyone who supplied yummy cakes, scones, biscuits etc for Secret Gardens. Have you collected, or had returned to you, the plates, trays or tins on, or in, which you supplied your food? We have a selection of plastic, ceramic & tin items but don't know who they belong to.

Please contact us at 'Ashlea', Woodhouse Lane. 650497

ALSO we have 'lost' some plates. If you were running one of the venues who had cakes etc. supplied from the B.I. stock, and still have 'unidentified' plates, please give us a ring. Thanks

More Bowls & Plates

Sue Coates

If you left your bowls and plates at the Vicarage after the Secret Gardens Barbecue please ring Sue Coates on 650706

Thanks

Les & Grace Bacon

Many thanks to family, friends and neighbours for all the cards, kind thoughts and offers of help. It was a great support.

Wedding thanks

Mary & Roy Witham

Mary & Roy Witham would like to thank everyone who helped to make Helen and John's wedding such a wonderful day. Mr. Hilton, the Morris Dancers, Terry & Larissa, the Choir, Jean Gladwin – to name just a few.

Thanks again.

What a fabulous month

As a new family in the village we would like to extend our thanks to all those who worked so hard throughout the year to make July such a fun month to be living in Winster - the Carnival and Secret Gardens weekends were hard work but such great fun. There was a lot of good humour and despite the usual village banter there was certainly an entertaining time to be had by everyone.

Well done and thank you for showing that there is still a great big heart to be found in the countryside.

Bangs & Wallops

Justin & Francine Salisbury will be celebrating Saturday 16 September and apologise in advance for any noise. No fireworks planned.



The Winster Quiz is back!
Come and give it a try

**FRIDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2006
7.30PM**

in the Burton Institute

Questions asked by
MARG & GEOFF LESTER

- No need to be part of a team
- Bring some drink and nibbles
 - It's light hearted fun

PROCEEDS TO THE PRE-SCHOOL GROUP

Winster Parish Council

Veronica Kemble

The noticeboard at the bottom of East Bank is being replaced soon. If there's a delay between the old one being taken down and the new one put up, statutory Parish Council notices will be displayed in Bill Slaney's window on Main Street.

Work on levelling the right hand side of the Cemetery will start on 18 September 2006. It is not anticipated that this will cause any inconvenience to visitors to the Cemetery, although everyone is asked to take extra care during the work.

Stuff the Sunday papers—a plea for help

Veronica Kemble

Is there anyone out there at a loose end on the odd Sunday morning from 7.30 am to about 8.15 am?

“**What** time? On a **Sunday** morning? You must be **joking!**”, I hear you say.

No, not joking, just asking for help - not for me, you understand, but for **your Village Shop**.

Have you ever wondered how all those magazines, supplements and additional bits and pieces get into the Sunday newspapers? No, it isn't done by machine or cheap labour in Asia, it's done in the Shop every Sunday morning.

Who by? Usually me and whoever is working in the Shop ...

... but occasionally I need to be elsewhere. Generally Anthea has stepped out of bed early and into the breach, but we are looking for others who I can call on, just occasionally. No particular skills or experience required, just the ability to lug the bundles from the back door to the freezers and then try to work out which insert goes with which paper.

If you can help or would like more information, please call Veronica Kemble on 650530.

Google Search

John Geddes

Did you know that the Google search engine can search for "missing words"?

Imagine you were trying to find out the capital of Morocco. Just type in "capital of Morocco is *" (including the quotes) and Google will return a list of pages that contain the phrase "The Capital of Morocco is Rabat".

Getting more ambitious, if you wanted to find out where the OTHER Winster was, you could use the missing-word feature along with the minus sign (which instructs Google to ignore pages with a specified term). Entering "Winster in *" - Derbyshire (again - include the quotes) will quickly identify the answer by highlighting links to pages that contain the phrase "Winster

Twinning Visit was a fantastic success!

Of course the sunny Italian weather, the extra friendliness of the Italian people, the beautiful hill top village of Monterubbiano and the warm sea close by were all contributory factors to this success but the main praise goes to the 56 people from Winster who went on this adventure. They were the best group of people that anyone could ever choose to go away with, children and adults alike.

This account sums it all up, from a 15 year old, Tom Geddes

And so there it is. Probably one of the best weeks of my life over. A perfect holiday. No, in fact, this was more than a holiday. I've been to some beautiful places in my time, but I have never returned from them feeling as I did on the trip back from Monterubbiano. This was not down to the lovely weather and fantastic views; there was something deeper than that. It was the friendships I had built, not just with the people of Monterubbiano, but also with the people of Winster.

Looking back to that Thursday afternoon, when the adventure began, I remember having mixed feelings about what was in store. When I first saw the programme of events I shivered, wishing I had never put my name down. I could not have been more wrong! Any doubts I had were soon blown away, probably by the time we reached East Midlands airport. The atmosphere had already picked up and everyone was in good spirit. Things continued in this way throughout the flight and onto the coach. Thanks to some crazy driving from the coach driver we reached Monterubbiano 2 hours ahead of schedule, giving us time to settle in with our hosts and get some sleep. The next day we had with our hosts, which for most of us probably meant a trip to the beach, a 10-minute drive down the road. Dinner was our first chance to catch up with everyone from last years visit; to my surprise they all remembered us. I was hoping for an early night, to catch up with the sleep I lost the night before, but oh no, we were off to the park! By half midnight we declared the day over, and although tired, I had loved every single second of it. Will tomorrow be as good?

As it happens, the following day was better. Actually, this was to be the best day of the week. A trip to the water-park and then to the beach, this was really a child orientated day, but try telling the adults that! They appeared to be having as much fun as the kids, trying every slide, racing one another. This was a real eye-opener to me; it is so easy to get tied down with health and safety in this day and age, so I think a big thank you needs to be given to the adults who adapted so well! The rest of the week followed in a similar pattern. Thursday morning came far too quickly; before we knew it we were saying our final goodbyes and scrambling aboard the coach. It didn't sink in until we were half way down the motorway that we weren't going to see those faces for another 2 years!

Winster Village Shop

David Mitchell



Shop sales year 2 April to July are well up on last year and we are making a profit. Thanks to all our customers for your continuing support.

As customers you are understandably frustrated when products are not available or we stop selling lines that we have previously stocked. These are some of the reasons:-

We often get the opportunity to buy a product/s at a special price and we pass this on to you. However at the end of the promotion it may be too expensive to continue or our supplier may withdraw it.

- We buy in products on request and they sell well enough for a week or two but then interest dries up and if it is fresh or a short life product we have wastage so we discontinue.
- Very short shelf life product, bread, milk, fresh fruit and some veg are bought daily or three or four times a week. This way we try to keep stocked without wastage but sometimes we run out and sometimes we do have wastage. Hopefully we are getting better at judging demand but sometimes a customer comes and buys half our stock for a special event or party (see below).
- Fruit and veg is very seasonal and highly price sensitive so we buy what is best at the best prices. Recently we have stopped buying strawberries because the price to us went up threefold in a week.

I hope this helps you to understand how we try to keep stocked of as big a range of goods as possible to meet your every need. If you have a problem do please speak to Steve or myself and we will try to find a solution. In particular if you are planning a special event or need a special product please let us know in advance so we can buy in accordingly and put it aside for you to collect.

Winster History Group

Geoff Lester

Winster Local History Group 2006-2007

This is our programme of talks for next year.

Monday 25 September at 7.30 in the Burton Institute. The Changing Face of Winster, an illustrated presentation and discussion of some of the ways the village has changed in the last thirty years. For instance, photos and videos show how buildings and the surroundings have altered. Some social events no longer happen, while new ones have sprung up. Then there are the people, some of whom have passed on but live in the memory. And what about the Winster Playing Fields and the refurbished Burton Institute? How did all that happen? Come along and listen to those who remember and were involved, and perhaps join in with ideas of your own.

Monday 16 October at 8 pm. Party and AGM in the Burton Institute

Monday 27 November at 7.30 in the Burton Institute. The Anglo-Saxon Fort at Bakewell, by Jan Stetka

Monday 26 February 2007 at 7.30 in the Burton Institute. Voices: Women of a White Peak Village, by Gillian Radcliffe

Monday 26 March at 7.30 in the Burton Institute. Winster Underground, by Anthony Wood

Monday 23 April. How Winster got its Rights of Way, by Rob Greatorex.

Monday 18 June. Guided Walk. Details later

Our Other Activities

Archive of photographs and documents; Publications (newsletter, book, postcards and prints); Field Study Project; Oral History Project.

Please will you become a member?

Your annual subscription of £5 can be left c/o David Jones, Buxton House, East Bank (next to the Bowling Green) along with a note of your name, address and telephone number, or paid at one of our meetings. Everyone is welcome at meetings (non-members are invited to make a contribution to expenses).

Free Weight Management

A new 20 week course will be starting in your area in September 2006. Change for Life, which is run by the North Derbyshire Health Promotion Service will commence in Chesterfield, Staveley, Bolsover, Clay Cross, Dronfield, South Normanton, Shirebrook , Doe Lea ,Clowne and Buxton .

This is a 20-week course aimed at supporting women to make gradual changes, which will improve their health and help reduce weight. The course aims to share information (rather than tell people what to do) on topics such as dieting myths, eating for life and fat content of foods.

Change for life lasts for two hours per week and is split into two parts:

A gentle exercise class which is designed to suit the needs of everyone. The class can include exercising in chairs for people who find it difficult to stand.

Cup of tea/coffee, followed by an information sharing session, where people learn about different topics to do with health, food and activity.

Change for Life is most definitely not a diet and weigh-in course; it aims to help support people to make small changes, which can be maintained for the rest of their lives. We explore the reality about dieting and what it does to your body and learn that being more active can be fun as well as improving your health. Change for Life seems to work for many women because they feel comfortable being in a group of other women who share similar concerns and experiences about their weight and health.

To find out if you qualify or for more information telephone: 01246 231255 to talk to one of the Physical Activity and Obesity Advisors, or contact your practice nurse at your G.P surgery.

Thanks to Derbyshire Wildlife Trust for this Info

Most people know the benefits of a clump of nettles for butterfly larvae to feed on. It is also a favoured food of snails. They congregate around the nettles and hopefully leave other flowers and vegetables alone!!

The social wasp is a great benefit to the garden! The grubs of the wasp are fed almost entirely on caterpillars and other insects. By the end of the summer a nest may have consumed up to 250,000 insects.

Credit Card Scam

The scam works like this: Person calling says “this is (name), and I’m calling from the Security and Fraud department at VISA. My badge number is 12460. Your card has been flagged for an unusual purchase pattern, and I’m calling to verify. This would be on your VISA card that was issued by (name of bank). Did you purchase an Anti-Telemarketing Device for £249.99 from a Marketing Company based in (name of any town or city)”

When you say “no” the caller continues with, “Then we will be issuing a credit to your account. This is a company we have been watching and the charges range from £150 to £249, just under the £250 purchase pattern that flags most cards. Before your next statement, the credit will be sent to (gives you your address), is that correct?”

You say “yes”. The caller continues – “I will be starting a Fraud Investigation. If you have any questions, you should call the 0800 number listed on the back of your card and ask for security. The caller then says, “I need to verify you are in possession of your card“. He’ll ask you to “turn your card over and look for some numbers”. There are 7 numbers; the first 4 are part of your card number, the next 3 are the security numbers that verify you are the possessor of the card. These are the number you sometimes use to make Internet Purchases to prove you have the card. The caller will ask you to read the 3 numbers to him.

What the scammers want is the 3-digit pin number on the back of the card. Don’t give it them!!

Instead, tell them you’ll call VISA or MASTERCARD directly for verification of their conversation. The real VISA will never ask for anything on the card, as they already know the information since they issued the card! If you give the scammers your 3-digit pin you think you are receiving a credit. However, by the time you get your statement you’ll see charges for purchases you didn’t make, and by then it’s almost too late and/or more difficult to actually file a fraud report.

Computer Tip for Measurement Conversion

Want to convert miles into km, or gallons into teaspoons? If you have The Internet, then simply type the conversion (in plain English) into a Google search, and press enter. So type in “4.7 miles in inches” and get the Answer (“297 792 inches” as it happens). For volumes, you need to specify “UK” - i.e. “6 UK gallons in UK teaspoons” - otherwise it assumes US measures.

Church Services

9.30am every Sunday:

Parish Communion

Winsters Methodist Church

Please see the notice board

Wesley Reform

Please see the notice board

More Handy Tips

Bicarbonate of Soda. Use to clean the inside of your fridge. Put a small amount on a damp cloth & wipe the fridge lining (don't forget the door seal). Then wipe again with a clean cloth. It cleans surfaces & will remove marks & smells. It is cheap, safe & odourless.

Toothpaste (plain). Great for cleaning traffic film from vehicle wind screens. Put a small blob on a damp cloth & rub the problem area not forgetting the wiper blades. Then swill with clean water. Keep a tube of toothpaste in your vehicle. This is a very cheap answer to a common problem.

Soda Crystals. Excellent for cleaning grease, soap, grime, stains etc from sinks, baths, floors, patios, crockery, glassware, clothes, paintwork etc. It is especially good for cleaning & clearing blockages in waste pipes & drains (tip 2 cupfuls into a plughole & pour on hot water). Done regularly, will keep waste pipes & drains clear and no smells. A 1kg packet costs about 60p.

Thanks to Wendy & Cynthia.

The answers to the following questions are all the names of colours.

1. Are you feeling sad.
2. Mary's little lamb.
3. Is this confection magic.
4. Baby deer.
5. A wise herb.
6. Frankie Vaughan's entrance.
7. Moor land Erica.
8. Old internet surfer.
9. Oxidised metal.
10. Goes with strawberries.

Do take care. More next month. Joyce.

For answers please turn to page 3

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General Merchants Steel Fabrication	Dale Road, Matlock	
<i>Jocelyn Marsh Driving School</i>		07879
First lesson free	Based in Elton	268738
<i>Matlock Glass Co Ltd</i>		582043
Replacement windows & doors, double glazing. Safety glass		
<i>Thomas Greatorex & Sons Roger Jepson</i>		582470
Complete & Personal Funeral Service	The Green Matlock	
<i>Dryad Tree Services</i>		650145
Tree Services & Woodland management		
<i>Designate—Creative Interior Accessories</i>		650508
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<i>Salisbury & Wood</i>		582772
Builders Merchants	Old Coach Road, Tansley	
<i>Derbyshire Dales Funeral Service</i>		733548
Warney Road, Two Dales		
<i>Bowling Green Inn</i>		650219
Good home cooking. East Bank, Winster		

Space here for your business!!

Winster Business Directory

<i>All Sewn Up</i>	650528
Curtains, blinds, loose covers, alterations—call Joanna Noble	
<i>Bed & Breakfast</i>	650778
No room for your relatives and friends? Try Jean's B&B	
<i>R Stone Joinery</i>	0797
Main Street, Elton. All types of Joinery Work undertaken	181 5683
<i>Leacroft Garage and Car Sales</i>	650253
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<i>L & JM Webster Milk Retailers</i>	584797
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<i>Steve Salfield</i> <i>steve@stevesalfield.com</i>	650183
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<i>Stone Heritage</i>	650647
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<i>BRM Solicitors – Rod Shiers</i>	01246
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