

NETHERAVON, HAXTON & FITTLETON NEWSLETTER

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

June 2023

3 rd	10am-1pm	Monthly Market	Phoenix Hall, Netheravon
4 th	2:00pm	Monthly Prize Bingo	Phoenix Hall, Netheravon
8 th	7:00pm	Netheravon Parish Council Meeting	Phoenix Hall, Netheravon
9 th	6:45pm	A Man Called Otto – Film	Durrington Village Hall
25 th	2:00pm	Monthly Prize Bingo	Phoenix Hall, Netheravon

July 2023

1 st	10am – 1pm	Monthly Market	Phoenix Hall, Netheravon
11 th	7:30pm	Fittleton cum Haxton Parish Council Mtg	All Saints Church, Fittleton
30 th	2:00pm	Monthly Prize Bingo	Phoenix Hall, Netheravon

MINI DIRECTORY

(01980 unless otherwise stated)

Phoenix Hall Bookings (Pam/Steve Perry)	670021
Day Centre (Caroline A-F)	670364
Rev. Gale Hunt, Avon River Team	670326
Rev. Barry Davis, Amesbury Baptist Centre	622355
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Rev. Rosemary Fletcher, Amesbury Methodist Church	01722 703045
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Durrington & District Link Scheme	07484 533559
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Scout Group for Boys & Girls	07768 579314
Enford Football Club, Children's Coaching Club	670634
Wiltshire Councillor, Ian Blair-Pilling	07518 942216
Rainbows, Brownies, Guides and Rangers contact	girlguiding.org.uk/joinus

Avon River Team Services for June 2023

Parish\Date	June 4	June 11	June 18	June 25
Bulford	11.00 HC CW		10.30 Family Service	11.00 HC CW
Durrington	9.30 Fun Church		9.30 HC CW	9.30 Informal HC
Enford	9.30 HC CW		9.30 Breakfast Church	6.00 Evensong
Figheldean	11.00 Morning Worship	10.30 Team Service	11.00 HC CW	10.45 Breakfast Church
Fittleton	With Netheravon		6.00 Evensong	
Milston	9.30 HC BCP		9.30 HC BCP	9.30 Matins
Netheravon	11.00 HC CW		With Fittleton	11.00 Morning Worship

Each Wednesday at 10.00 HC at Bulford

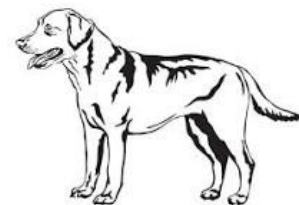
Each Thursday at 10.30 HC at Durrington

For details of Sunday ZOOM Service see the Avon River Team web site.

HC – Holy Communion; BCP – Book of Common Prayer

The Variety

Lately, five more dogs have arrived in Netheravon. We welcome them all and hope they will enjoy their new homes and "caring companions"



You can find this newsletter and previous issues on the local parish council websites:

<https://www.netheravonparishcouncil.co.uk>

<https://www.fittletoncumhaxton.co.uk>

Trinity and Community

As we enter the month of June, the church turns our focus to the mystery of the Holy Trinity, which is celebrated on Trinity Sunday. The Holy Trinity - Father, Son, and Holy Spirit - is the central doctrine of the Christian faith and one of the most profound mysteries of our belief.

The Holy Trinity reveals to us the inner nature of God, who is three distinct persons in one divine being. It teaches us that God is a loving and relational God who desires to be in relationship with us. As we consider this mystery, we are invited to enter a deeper bond with the Triune God and to contemplate the ways in which we can live out this relationship in our daily lives.

The Holy Trinity reminds us of the importance of community and relationship. Just as the three persons of the Holy Trinity are distinct yet united, so too are we called to live in communion with one another. Joined together in unity, yet not conformity, celebrating our differences yet flourishing together.

As we journey together as a community, let us strive to build relationships of mutual love and support, reflecting the love and unity of the Holy Trinity.

I have enjoyed my first year in this community, my family warmly welcomed by so many. I am thoroughly thankful for all of you! I look forward to deepening those relationships and continuing in mutual love and support over the years ahead.

Every blessing, Rev Simon Pope (Team Curate)

Website: www.avonriverteam.org.uk

VACANCY

Fittleton cum Haxton Parish Council currently has a vacancy for a **Parish Councillor**. The vacancy will be filled by co-option at the next meeting of the Parish Council at 7:30pm on 11 July 2023 at All Saints' Church, Fittleton.

The Council meets every two months to discuss current issues affecting our community, and Councillors deal with a wide variety of matters from community events through to upkeep of our facilities and shaping the local budget and policies.

DO YOU:

- Have the available time and expertise?
- Want to make a difference to those around you?
- Want to serve the community as a part of local government?
- Want to represent the views of locals and "get things sorted"?

Note: This role is voluntary and unpaid, and eligibility criteria apply, chiefly that candidates must: be 18 years or over, have significant ties to the parish (living or working here), and not be disqualified from standing. Full legal details available on application to the Clerk.

If this sounds like something you would like to do, please get in touch with the Parish Clerk by 1 July 2023 to progress your application:

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PHOENIX HALL NETHERAVON



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Thinking of having a party? The Phoenix Hall is a great venue to hold and celebrate a Wedding Reception, Anniversary or Birthday.

A large car park is available and an outside patio area.

The Phoenix Hall has a main hall which has table and chairs for 80+ people and looks really smart when dressed up. There is also a full commercial kitchen fully equipped including crockery, glassware, cutlery and tablecloths.

There is a committee room if you wish to have a smaller gathering. Both the main hall and committee room have a small kitchen.

The heart of our hall is our local community who use it daily and we have a number of regular users covering a wide range of interests including the weekly Cheerful Cuppa a chance for a chat with a cup of tea and slice of cake, an older person lunch club, exercise classes, band practices, youth club, art group, monthly prize bingo and pop-up market.

The hall is also used for religious gatherings, sport events, walking groups and craft fairs.

The front door and portable ramp give full disable access.

The committee of volunteers that runs and manages the hall continues to ask villagers to come forward and offer their time to help support the committee running the hall. If you have a little time to give to your community (4 evening meetings a year), why not consider joining our committee? We need people with ideas of how to best develop our hall, who are connected with our community. We are really keen to get new people involved in shaping our community asset so that it can continue to provide relevant services for our villages.

If you would like to visit the hall or would like to have more information or just a chat about the hall, then just ask our booking clerk, Pam Perry (07826262306) or our Chairperson Steve Perry (07774818106), and then can organize someone to show you around at a convenient time.

The hall's availability is visible to anyone by going to www.phoenixhall.org and clicking on "book hall".

Pam Perry is our booking clerk and can be contacted on phoenixhall@live.co.uk or on 07826 262306, we look forward to receiving your booking. Bookings can be made for the hall via phoenixhall@live.co.uk or 07826 262306, or www.phoenixhall.org.

COMMUNITY LARDER - Queensway, Netheravon

COMMUNITY EVENT with a free snack

SUNDAY, 28 MAY 2023 - NOON to 4PM

With thanks to Netheravon Parish Council & Fittleton cum Haxton Parish Council

for their financial support and to Art Group for design work

COME ALONG - PUT YOUR HANDPRINT ON THE LARDER

We will use acrylic art paint which will easily wash off your hand

GIFTS FOR THE LARDER WELCOME ON THE DAY - AND IN THE FUTURE

NETHERAVON IN BLOOM

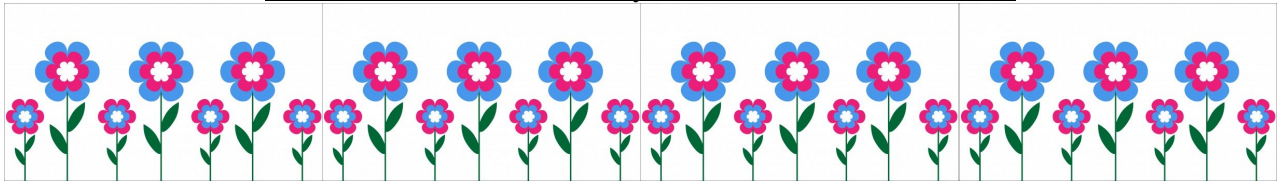
We are running Netheravon in Bloom once again and the Parish Council would like to encourage everyone to keep their front gardens spick and span and plant a lovely display which will be judged early August.

Also, there will be a 'Best Hanging Basket' category which will be judged at the same time.

Allotments will be judged in July before the crops are harvested.

If you have any queries please contact

clerk@netheravonparishcouncil.co.uk



NETHERAVON PARISH COUNCIL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Election of Chairman for the year 2023/2024

Cllr Richie Ayling was elected as Chairman for a second term with Cllr. David Burke as Vice-Chairman.

End of Year Accounts

The Council approved the Annual Governance Statement and approved the accounts for the year 2022/23. The Clerk reported that she will be sending the accounts to the External Auditor before the end of June. The full accounts will be on the website www.netheravonparishcouncil.co.uk and on the Netheravon Parish Council noticeboard, together with an explanation of Electors' Rights.

Village Tubs

It was agreed that compost will be purchased for the village tubs and a sum of money be given to buy plants for a summer display. The tubs will be judged at the same time as Front Gardens and Hanging Baskets.

Allotments

The Clerk reported that there is an allotment vacant at the Pigott Close Allotments. This will be divided into two and cultivated if the Council can find two people who would like to take them on.

If anyone is interested in taking on an allotment, please contact the Clerk at clerk@netheravonparishcouncil.co.uk or 01980 670748.

Community Allotment

Cllr. Ayling reported that the Community Allotment project is going well. If anyone would like to join the group, they meet every Sunday morning from 10-12noon at the allotment in the Pigott Close Allotments. You would be very welcome.

Netheravon All Saints School Ofsted Report

The Parish Council would like to congratulate the School on their Ofsted Report. They were classed as 'Good' in all categories which is a great achievement. Especial thanks go to the Headteacher, Gillian Durans, who is leaving at the end of the term, for all her hard work over the last 4 years to make the school so successful. Also, thanks to the Governors who work in the background to ensure the smooth running of the school.

Next Meeting: The next meeting of Netheravon Parish Council will be on **Thursday, 8th June, 2023 at 7.00pm in the Phoenix Hall.** Everyone is welcome to attend.

Mary Towle, clerk@netheravonparishcouncil.co.uk 01980 670748

ENFORD GARDENING CLUB

Garden Visit

In aid of the National Gardens Scheme

Friday 23rd June 2023

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Wanted

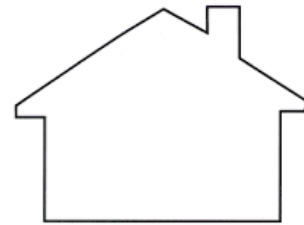
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Friday 9th June 2023

At 7:15pm in Durrington Village Hall

Doors open at 6:45pm. Refreshments available on arrival. Tickets £7 at the door

Netheravon Working Mens Club

Truly Buble', what a fantastic evening. Hope everyone enjoyed him as much as I did. Big "Thank you" to the Jubilee Committee for part-sponsoring the evening.

We had a visit from Salisbury CAMRA. We were presented with the Best Local Club Award. We now go through to the Regional Area Award. We will let you know how we get on.

Saturday 3rd June Quiz
Saturday 10th June Abba Night /Disco Birthday Party
Saturday 17th June Quiz



Hopefully our Wednesday Skittles League will be up and running by now. Not Forgetting our Bingo on Thursday. Golden Key on Friday (Well done Stu !!)

Pop to the Club and enjoy our Beer Garden on a lovely Summer's Evening.



As coordinator of the music in the park, I would like to thank the brilliant team for giving up their time over the last 6 months to help put on the most enjoyable event. With special thanks also to RGV, both Parish councils, Netheravon Working Men's club, Tesco's and all the contributors of the raffle.

The weather was on our side and, overall, the whole event was cost neutral. Thanks must also go to those involved who kindly gave us a donation that will go back in the pot for future events.

These are :

- * Netheravon Working Men's Club,
- * The church, for the sale of teas and cake,
- * H's ices
- * Parish councils from the sale of the mugs.

Special congratulations must go to Nigel Miles the winner of the lucky programme 118. Nigel won £50.

Thanks to the musicians for keeping us entertained and for all the helpers on the day for all their hard work and Ian Barnard for the use of his lorry.

Thanks also to the Stonehenge Area board, Netheravon and Fittleton cum Haxton parish councils for the donations of funds that has allowed the jubilee committee to purchase our own generators which we will now have for future events.

Lastly thank you to you all for supporting us and making it a wonderful afternoon. Best wishes

Debbie Corbett

Wiltshire PCC Philip Wilkinson's Message:

Wiltshire Police has faced low points in the last year but it is becoming clear some of the improvements put in place are starting to deliver - and with a new leader at the helm, the Force is in safe, steady, hands.

Chief Constable Catherine Roper's drive and commitment to delivering a quality policing service to Wiltshire residents, which is contributing significantly to Making Wiltshire Safer, has been apparent since she took the role.

Focused strategic direction introduced immediately looked to answer the criticisms in the HMICFRS PEEL report with Chief Constable Roper leading her officers, staff and volunteers from the front and with the implementation of clear priorities for the Force: Safer Public Spaces, Violence and Burglary.

Communities have been seeing focused operational work to tackle serious violence through increased engagement, highly-visible, and proactive, policing. This is alongside a commitment to attend 100% of residential burglaries. Currently, the Force detection rate for burglaries is 9.7%, which is a significant improvement, but I will always challenge for more.

I know residents want safer roads, safer communities with more police officers – this hasn't been lost on the new Chief. Significant focus has been given to consistent proactive roads policing stop checks, continued speeding enforcement in hotspots across our communities and increased engagement with all communities.

With support being given to our fantastic Community Speed Watch volunteers by the Force's Speed Enforcement Officers, and the work of the Roads Policing Unit, notices of speed awareness courses, fines and court summons have increased from 192 in 2021 to over 2,000 in 2023's first five months.

In addition, the Force recently hit government's officer recruitment targets, achieving the highest number of officers since 2010. It has also introduced a quicker, non-degree, route to get police officers through training in 20 weeks and on to our streets.

Wiltshire Police remains in the Engage process but I am confident reforms and improvements put in place by Chief will improve in those specific PEEL report areas of focus, for example: victims' service, 101 and 999 improvements, increases in justice outcomes for rape and serious sexual assault.

All of this is really promising, and excellent delivery of my police and crime plan, but I, and my office, will continue to support and challenge Chief Constable Roper to deliver on behalf of Wiltshire's residents

SPTA NEWS

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