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July 2021

News Views Editorial

Hello all, it's glorious British summer time once more, and that means its Tennis Time. It's those two weeks of the year when we all find a sudden interest in Tennis and sit glued to our TV screens watching Wimbledon once more (and no doubt the endless rain delays...) We decided to keep up the sporting theme up this month but turn to the smaller Tennis ball variety and theme ourselves on the most famous tennis competition of them all, The Wimbledon Championships! See Page 20 for a potted history of the event. Wimbledon itself starts on 28th June, around which time you should hopefully have this edition through your letterboxes.

Keeping the sporting news going with Euro 2020, at the time of going to print (Sunday 20th June), Wales have progressed to the Group of 16 round and England look set to join them, while Scotland will need something from their last group game to have any chance.

For some local good news, see page 11 for booking details for Caythorpe Village Hall, set to re-open for bookings from September.

This months deadline seems to have come around so quickly and by the time next months edition goes to print, we'll have broken up for the Summer Holidays...where did that school year go to? I don't know about you but we've got GCSE and A Level results this year for the older two. I know our Teachers have been working so hard throughout May and June assessing the students grades and a shout out must go to them, your time and expertise are very much appreciated.

We have just finished Father's Day celebrations and I for one have eaten way more than is recommended for the average hippo, let alone man. Summer is here, must get out on one of those many fantastic walks we are lucky to have round here and burn off those slices of cake...well, maybe after just one more slice...

Until next month when we'll be bringing you lots of information about this years Gala and, fingers crossed, we may be out of lockdown... hopefully...

Stay savvy and keep safe! Laura & Pete

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Caythorpe Primary School



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BIG BANGS!

At Caythorpe we begin each of our new topics with a "BIG BANG!" A Big Bang is an event to spark curiosity of a topic in the children and offers a hook and a memorable experience to base the children's learning on.

Enchanted Forest and Neverland had a beach day to kick start their topic of "Do you want to live beside the seaside!?" They created imaginary seaside resorts of

Lincolnshire Lagoon, Caythorpe Sea and Neverland Island where children never grow up. Jack and Shannon had a "whale" of a time! Or is it a dolphin

Scarecrow Competition Winners

Mr and Mrs Almond would like me to express their thanks to all for the entries for the scarecrow competition. The children had great fun planning and making them drawing on their collaborating skills.



The scarecrows were placed around the gardens and visitors invited to vote for a winner. All scarecrows received votes which reflects the high standard of entries. The winner was Mr Knight by Neverland class with the Hungry Caterpillar coming a close second place. Neverland class have received £25 to spend on whatever they wish for their classroom. The event raised

£700 for National Gardening Scheme charities. Maybe, The Queen by Narnia could open next year's event.

Break Times

Since the full re-opening of school, we have been working on helping the children play collaboratively during their breaktimes.

The school council surveyed which equipment the pupils enjoyed playing with. Because we have to clean equipment between bubbles, they devised a weekly rota to share the equipment fairly across the school.

Each class also have a game of the week. Staff have been teaching children new games to



play and helping them develop skills to instigate and set up games.

This is Bronte (the dinosaur!) made by pupils in Narnia. They are certainly demonstrating our school values of enjoyment, friendship and teamwork!

Year 6 Hoodies

Many thanks to Liz James for organising the Year 6 leavers hoodies. The hoodies are a lovely reminder for the children's

time at Caythorpe and they are so proud of them. Pupils had a choice of colour; jade green, apple green, lavender blue, turquoise, lavender, grey, black, royal blue, light blue to name but a few.



Emily C and Millie put persuasive their writing skills to good use by writing a letter Mrs Hunt to persuade her to allow the Year 6s to wear hoodies to their school. Year 6 have permission to wear their hoodies with pride for their last term with us at Caythorpe.

LOCAL EVENTS

July 2021

Caythorpe Gala 2021

Saturday 4th September

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

To help on the day and in advance

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New Brownie Leader Sought



1st Caythorpe Brownies needs a new leader to run the unit on a voluntary basis. The unit meets on a Thursday night 6-7:30pm. It is a good opportunity for someone to learn new skills and get involved in the community. It's rewarding to watch the Brownies grow and learn and to able to give the girls opportunities for fun, friendship, challenge and adventure. Training will of course will be provided. If you're interested in taking on the role or want to know more please contact Denise Lyon

in the evenings on 01400 273391 or email denise-lyon@hotmail.co.uk.

CAYTHORPE AND FRIESTON NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN IT'S TIME TO HAVE YOUR SAY!

Residents of Caythorpe and Frieston will have found a survey for the Neighbourhood Plan with this edition of News and Views. It is important that we, the working party and the Parish Council, get as many responses as possible in order for the plan to truly represent the wishes of the parish for future development.

We have sent out one copy of the survey to each house, but we would like everyone to have their say, not just one person per household. Extra paper copies are located with the collection boxes in the Spar shop, the GP surgery waiting room, the porch at the church and the Red Lion. Better still, do it online, using the web address on the survey booklet or on the Caythorpe & Frieston Parish Council website. We really want to get your opinion.

Neighbourhood Plan Working Party, on behalf of Caythorpe and Frieston Parish Council.



Now St Vincent's is again open each day, the church's collection point for Grantham Food Bank will resume.

This will of course run in conjunction with the collection point in Frieston.

Many thanks, John Scott

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Garden Society Annual Open Show Saturday 21 August

Sadly the show had to be cancelled last year due to the Coronavirus restrictions but planning is well advanced to make the 2021 event a great success.

In addition to the Flower and Vegetable classes there are sections for Floral Art (Flower Arranging), Photography, Cookery, and Handicrafts. Indeed, something for everyone. So, look out for the posters and schedules in the Spa Shop from July.

At the time of writing the future Covid situation remains unclear but we are hopeful that restrictions will be lifted by August. However, in the event that some remain we will follow the recommended guidelines.

The show, which will be held in the Caythorpe Village Hall, is now in its 25th year and is an open show – so you don't have to be a member to enter. So start selecting your entries and make up for last year's disappointment, and let's make 2021 a record show.

Enquiries to Gary Greenhalgh 01400 272880



Caythorpe Open Gardens

We are looking forward to August 22nd Several village gardens will be open for you to explore between 2pm - 5pm

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Dear All,

It's hard to believe we have reached the final half term of this academic year and what an unusual year to say the least! Thankfully life is returning to something nearer to normal for most of us, in particular our children who can once again play

in the summer weather together.



We are continuing with our learning about nature and the environment and have been visited by Floss's Gosling named Gary and his friends the Pekin Chicks. We have looked at the varying sizes and colours of the eggs that are laid by different birds.

The Stick insect and Giant flower beetle also made an appearance!

At Pre-School we consider it to be important for children to begin to learn about where our food comes from before it arrives in the Supermarkets! Living in the countryside makes it a little easier for our children to relate to and understand the concepts of milk coming from a cow, eggs from the hens and bread from the crops grown in the fields.

The potatoes, carrots and beans we planted are now growing in leaps and bounds and will be ready for digging up and eating at Pre-School before we finish for the summer holidays.

We have been talking about keeping our countryside and the wider world clean and safe for the animals and creatures who live there by throwing away our rubbish in bins and recycling.

We have enjoyed painting, making frogs, ladybirds and butterflies. Lots of play outside and particularly in the sand and water seeing what items sink and float, pouring and filling.

In July as always we say goodbye to our Pre-School children who will







start "Big School" in September. We will miss them but we wish them much happiness and success as they take their next step and continue on their learning journey.

We have places in September for 2, 3, and 4 year olds, please get in touch if you are interested in having a look around our setting.

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The Wimbledon Championships are the oldest Tennis Championships in the world, being played (World Wars and Covid aside) every year since 1877. It is one of the four 'Grand Slam' events on the tennis calendar alongside the French, US and Australian Opens and is the only one still played on grass.

Wimbledon traditions include a strict all-white dress code for competitors and royal patronage. Strawberries and cream are traditionally consumed at the tournament. In 2017, fans consumed 34,000 kg (33 imperial tons) of English strawberries and 10,000 litres (2,200 imperial gallons) of cream.

The Original Men's prize money was 12 Guineas (£12.60) in 1877, compared with £2.35m in 2019!

Until 1922 the reigning Champion only had to return for the final to compete against whichever challenger had won through the tournament to face them.

A familiar sight are the Ball Boys and Girls, who prior to 1969 were recruited from nearby Children's Homes such as Bernado's and Shaftebury's. Since 1969 they are recruited from local schools. Up to around 250 are required per day at the busiest periods.

Wimbledon is notable for the longest running sponsorship in sports history due to its association with Slazenger who have supplied all tennis balls for the tournament since 1902. Wimbledon has had a sponsorship deal with the Robinsons fruit drink brand since 1935.

At the northern end of the grounds is a giant television screen on which important matches are broadcast. Fans watch from an area of grass officially known as the Aorangi Terrace, also nicknamed 'Henman Hill' or 'Murrayfield' in recent years.

Timeline 1877 - 1940

1877 First Men's Championships held at Worple Road, Wimbledon

1884 First Women's Championship

1905 First Non British Ladies Champion, May Sutton of USA

1907 First Non British Men's Champion, Norman Brooks of Australia

1908 Olympic Tennis Championships

1913 First Complete Championships (Men's Singles and Doubles, Women's Singles and Doubles and Mixed Doubles)

1922 Moves to Church Road, Wimbledon (where it has remained ever since)

1924 No. 1 Court Opened

1926 Duke of York (later to become King George VI) competes in Men's Doubles

1937 First Televised

1940 - Centre Court hit by German Bomb in WWII

Timeline 1940 - Present

1948 Olympic Tennis Returns

1968 First 'Open' Championships

1977 Virginia Wade becomes Last British Women's Champion

1977 - Wimbledon Museum Opened to C o m m e m o r a t e Centenary

1985 Boris Becker becomes first unseeded player to win Men's Singles

1997 New No. 1 Court opens. (Roof added 2019)

2007 'Hawk-Eye' deployed for the first time

2007 Prize Money Equality introduced

2009 Centre Court roof unveiled

2012 Olympics Returns for a third time

2013 Andy Murray first British Men's Champion for 77 years





Roger Federer, Most Successful Male Singles Player

12 times Finalist, 8 Times Winner, 5 Wins on the trot 2003-07

Martina Navratilova, Most Successful Female Singles Player

12 Times Finalist, 9 Times Winner, 6 Wins on the trot 1982-87

7 Women's Doubles Championships 4 Mixed Doubles Championships



Current reigning Champions, Novak Djokovic & Simona Halep



In & Around The Garden

The rain in May has resulted in a massive burst of growth in the garden, and very little bare soil remains. Of course, under the garden plants the weeds are having a good time. I try to get them out before they seed every year, but there always seems to be just as many the following year. Out in the countryside, 'weeds' are the order of the day. The verges of the new eastern bypass around Lincoln are covered in wild flowers at the moment, and look wonderful. It isn't quite a re-creation of the meadows that have been lost, but with sensitive maintenance they should be a reasonable substitute in time.



The real beneficiaries of wildflowers are the insects and other creatures that feed on them. Several plants of dame's violet (Hesperis matronalis) have self seeded in our flower beds and are currently covered in pale mauve flowers. They are one of the food plants of the orange-tip butterfly, which I have seen visiting them. Some are in an area where few plants grow well, so they can stay. I've also allowed dog violets to proliferate in the shadiest part of the garden, having once read that they are food for butterflies. Further reading has revealed that the butterflies in question are comparatively rare fritillaries that don't occur in Lincolnshire, but other insects like the nectar.

Two insect species that are new to the garden have appeared in the last week. A hairy shield bug, which is pink in colour instead of the usual green, and a cinnabar moth, one of the few day-flying moths. The moth's bright red and black colouring is a warning to birds that they are toxic – the caterpillars, which are yellow and black, feed on ragwort and store the plant's poison. There isn't any ragwort in the garden, so it must just have been passing through.



I was somewhat concerned about the lack of newts earlier in the year, but there are at least eight in the pond at the moment. There are no frogs or spawn, but I did find a young frog in some long grass, so perhaps they will return in the future. There are a lot of damsel flies, both red and turquoise, mating above the water, and I have seen several dragonflies as well. Blanket weed has not been a problem before, but this year the water has been full of it, with slimy, green, bubble-filled mats floating on

the surface. I have pulled out as much as possible in the hope of lowering the nutrient content of the water eventually, but it is a back-breaking job. According to gardening books, the best place for a pond is away from trees and in shade for part of the day. Mine fails on both counts, but it was here when we moved in, so I'll have to live with it. **JA**





WE DID MEET AGAIN!

At last, twenty two of our thirty two members got together for our first meeting this year! The 10th June was a gloriously hot, dry day making it perfect for meeting outdoors in Caythorpe village hall garden. The occasional cloud drifted over making the heat less intense as we all sat apart from each other (following social distancing rules) and chatted with our much missed friends.

The meeting began with Pauline Dorey welcoming us all and updating us as far as she was able. The eagle eyed amongst us had spotted some trays of cake and she

informed us that Caroline of The School Run Café had donated these to us as a welcome gift. It was a very kind gesture, appreciated by all as we tucked in, we will be sure to give Caroline our support as she continues to provide us with her delicious fayre at The Red Lion on Monday mornings each week. Thank you.



The Arnhem/Village Gala Committee have asked members to bake a cake for the veterans in September. A list will be available at the next meeting for us to add our name and type of cake we would like to donate.

The meeting planned for 8th July at 7:30pm, our Annual meeting, will hopefully go ahead. If we are still unable to meet indoors and weather permitting, it will be held outside as the June meeting was. Pauline will keep us updated about that as time progresses. There will be



no August outing this year but there will be a meeting on 12th August details will be in August edition of News and Views and we will be kept informed via email, as usual.

Pauline gave out birthday cards to those whose birthdays were imminent and told us of our lovely and much missed member and friend, Robina Heald. Her illness has required her to move to Kettering to be closer to her daughter. We all send our best wishes to you Robina.

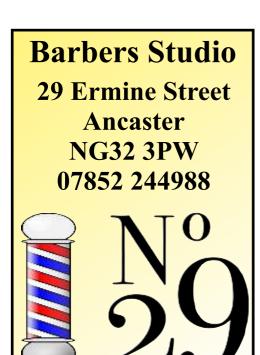
Finally, a vote of thanks was given to the committee by Mavis Coxon which we could hear clearly now that the nearby lawnmower had finished its job!

We all returned home carrying our Welcome Back Goody bags containing a dianthus in a pot, chocolate treats, notepad and much more, a lovely surprise for us. A much needed and enjoyable get together was had by all. Sue Case (Press & Publicity)

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Cricket News

A spell of hot, sunny weather has seen numerous games played by our various Junior and Senior Teams after the wet May.

Last month as we were going to press we reported that Caythorpe Seniors had beaten Hykeham. In a rain-shortened game Caythorpe scored 149 for 8 wickets, Joe Attewll being top scorer with 47 runs and Captain James Jing adding 31. Hykeham were then bowled out for just 78, Theo Mussell being the stand-out bowler. Off 7 Overs Theo captured 4 wickets for just 28 runs. Other wickets were shared by youngsters Alex Dickinson, Jack Butler and (slightly) older Chris Wharmby.

The following Sunday Caythorpe had a huge victory over Lindum, the winning margin being 165 runs. Our opening batsmen put on 133 runs for the first wicket, Joe Dickinson being the first out, for 71 runs. Chris Wharmby carried his bat through the whole innings, scoring exactly 100. Replying to the Caythorpe total of 245 for 5 wickets, Lincoln Lindum managed only 80 runs. Jamie Watson bowled 8 Overs and took 4 wickets for 22 runs, whilst Alex Dickinson took 3 wickets for only 6 runs of his 5 Overs, three of which were maidens. Quite remarkable for an Under 15 Player!

A week later Caythorpe played Sleaford, who, batting first, scored a lowly 108 runs. This week Chris Wharmby was the star bowler, taking 4 wickets for 19 runs, ably assisted Jack Butler, Jamie Watson and Dan Pinfold, who bowled 10 Overs for a miserly 14 runs, taking 2 wickets. Caythorpe replied with 109 for 2 wickets in only 21 Overs, Sandy Ireland hitting 50 not out and Joe Attewll scoring 38.

Unfortunately, in the first match of June, our run of success was halted by Blankney. Batting first the opposition accumulated 176 runs for 6 wickets, and in response Caythorpe were bowled out for 142 runs. Sandy Ireland scored 56 and Dan Pinfold 27 but they had little support. However, Caythorpe remained well clear at the head of the table.

In the last game of this period, the opposition, Old Lincolnians, conceded, not being able to raise a Team. Caythorpe received maximum points, so remain in first place, but it was frustrating to have a beautiful sunny and hot Sunday without Cricket to watch.

The Junior Teams have had mixed fortunes, but both the Under 9's (against first Collingham and then Hartsholme) and the Under 13's (against Collingham) registered their first victories of the year. Our Under 15's defeated Woodhall Spa, leaving the Under 10's and Under 11's still to find a winning formula - but their performances improve as each week goes by.

At those age-groups there is much to learn and not being able to have indoor coaching sessions through the winter due to Covid has meant the learning curve is especially steep this year.

David Cree (Hon. Pres. Caythorpe C.C.)





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Upcoming Fixtures

Sunday 27th June 10am Caythorpe U9 v. Collingham

Sunday 27th June 1pm Lincs U 13 Ladies Nottinghamshire U13 Ladies

Sunday 4th July 10am Caythorpe U10 v. Sleaford

Monday 5th July 6pm Caythorpe U15 v. Grantham

Tuesday 6th July 9pm Caythorpe U13 v. Woodhall Spa

Sunday 11th July 10am Caythorpe U9 v. Nettleham

Sunday 11th July 1pm Caythorpe Seniors v. Barkston

Monday 12th July 6pm Caythorpe U15 v. Sleaford

Wednesday 14th July Caythorpe U11 v. Collingham

Saturday 17th July 1pm Claypole v. Hucknall

Sunday 25th July 10am Caythorpe U9 v. Grantham

Sunday 25th July 1pm Caythorpe Seniors v. Blankney

There are a few Junior games to be re-arranged because of postponements due to rain but unfortunately the dates are not yet confirmed

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Annual Parish Meeting: All Residents were invited to the Annual Parish Meeting at the Village Hall on 17 May. The main item on the agenda was a review of the Parish Plan. There has been a good response from residents of both villages to the questionnaire circulated to all households in the Parish. The Parish Council will now use those responses to develop a new plan for the Parish and it is hoped that residents will get involved in implementing the new Plan. Reports were also received in respect of the two Churches, Normanton Churchyard Fund, the Parish Charities, the Village Hall Committee and the Social Club.

Parish Council: The Parish Council resumed its face to face meetings on 17 May commencing with the Annual Parish Council Meeting. Alan Thomas was elected Chairman and Johnston Calder was elected Vice-Chairman for the coming year. Jack Baines has been co-opted onto the Council for the remainder of this term. Councillor Alexander Maughan provided an update on County Council matters following the recent elections and stated that a new pot-hole repairing machine would be making its debut in the area soon!

The Parish Council approved the Financial Accounts for the previous financial year and noted the positive internal audit report. The Council's finances were considered to be in a healthy state.

Community Speed Watch Scheme: The Parish Council has agreed to join the Lincolnshire Community Speed Watch Scheme and will be purchasing a speed radar gun and other equipment to monitor traffic speeds through both villages. More volunteers are required to help with the scheme, which will involve an hour's training, currently via zoom. Please contact Alan Thomas on 07966 451956 or email alanthomas1953@outlook.com if you would be prepared to help.

Highway Matters: The Council, with the help of County Councillor Alexander Maughan, is to continue to press for a footpath between Carlton Scroop and its adjacent villages and also a reduction in the speed limit through Carlton Scroop to 30mph. However, there is a considerable backlog of requests for speed limit reviews throughout the county.

Carlton Scroop Parish Charities: The Parish Charities continues to support local residents in need. A donation of £500 has also recently been made to the Caythorpe & Ancaster Medical Equipment Trust which provides much needed support to residents in the Parish. If you are aware of any resident in the Parish that needs support or you would like to get involved with the Charities as a Trustee, please contact Alan Thomas on 07966 451956 or email alanthomas1953@outlook.com

Village Hall: The Village Hall is cautiously reopening in line with Government restrictions and guidelines, and has full 'hands, face & space' safety procedures in place. However, due to a core committee member leaving the area, there is a vacancy and urgent need for a new Chair of the committee. The village hall is in excellent condition and in a healthy financial state, with exciting plans for a new entrance terrace. The existing committee members would welcome another volunteer to help them steer the village hall through this next post-COVID stage. Please contact Jim Arnott on 07734 072516.

Carlton Scroop & Normanton On Cliffe Parish Councillors

Alan Thomas (Chairman), Johnston Calder (Vice-Chairman) / Richard Rainthorpe Scott Baker-Browne / Bridget Hankinson / Simon Hutton / Jack Baines

Not from the Rectory

A month in which the Rector learns the value of digging

When considering alternative work, the dishonest steward in St Luke chapter 16 decided he was not strong enough to dig – and so missed a wonderful opportunity to discover the hidden treasure which can so often lie beneath our feet:

The jigsaw – a 500 piece Gibson jigsaw depicts a famous scene at Woodbridge in Suffolk at the quayside on the River Deben with its 16th century houses, its tall and ancient weatherboarded tide-mill with sheds and old tiled roofs. It was here in the 7th century where the burial ship of a great



warrior king [believed to be Raedwald] was brought before being hauled up the steep hill and laid to rest in the heath land high above the River Deben at Sutton Hoo.

The story has been re-told in the recently released Netflix film 'The Dig' with Ralph Fiennes playing the local amateur archaeologist Basil Brown engaged by Edith Pretty, the owner at that time of Sutton Hoo, to open up mysterious mounds which lay across her land. The story was brought to life for us when we visited the property and paid the additional fee to be taken around by a National Trust guide: not only were Basil Brown and Edith Pretty to discover the 90 foot long burial ship and the extraordinary wealth of treasure in and around it but the whole enterprise was undertaken as the clouds of approaching war in 1938 and 1939 darkened and the site as well as the finds secured in the weeks and days immediately preceding the declaration of war on 3rd September 1939.

As the land owner all the treasure was declared to belong to Edith Pretty who gave it to the nation and today it may be seen in the British Museum with a replica ship on site at Sutton Hoo – here you benefit from looking down to Woodbridge below and imagining in your mind's eye the enormous effort required to drag such a ship from the Deben to its final resting place For good measure some readers will recall the reported sightings in 1980 of unexplained lights at nearby Rendlesham Forest [formerly RAF Woodbridge] and which became linked to claims of UFO landings and I hope to report more on Suffolk later this year and in particular on the spit of land which sits between the Orwell and the Stour – the Shotley Peninsula.

With every good wish as we emerge from lockdown and once again enjoy meeting with friends and family and resume holidays and time away from home.

Stuart Hadley [Rector of the Southcliff Benefice]

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News & Views Shout-Out

Dear News & Views,

I'd like to give a shout out to Debbie Knowles and Emily (not sure of the surname) from Caythorpe who came to the aid of a couple of young men who had had a collision on their cycles on the High Street outside the Spar Shop on Friday 28th May. Emily as a student Nurse stopped to help on her way off shift and Debbie had just been to the shop. Both ladies were outstanding in dealing with the emergency. One of the chaps had a broken femur and the other cuts and bruises. The first responders arrived after two hours and the ambulance after two and a half and throughout Debbie was making sure everything was ok and providing first aid. Both ladies are a credit to the Village. (Name and Address Supplied)

Key Holder Vacancy

Mr Dorey has decided, that after his many years of dedicated service to the school to hang up his keys. Mr and Mrs Dorey have both served the schools for many years, but now they will be able to spend more time together. For this reason, we are seeking someone to continue his role.

Wanted: Key Holder

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Appointments to visit the school can be booked by contacting enquiries@caythorpe-cit.co.uk

Closing date for applications: 12 noon on Wednesday 30th June 2021 Interviews taking place: Friday 2nd July 2021

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CHURCH Mouse News





<u>Church Flower Rota</u> July - Mrs H Green



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Belton	10.30 HC/SH			
Brandon	10.00 MP/CB			
Carlton & Normanton			09.00 HC/SH	
Caythorpe				10.30 HC/SH
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Honington				
Hough		09.00 HC/SH		10.00 MSW/JK
Hougham	17.00 EP/CB			09.00 HC/SH
Marston	09.00 HC/SH		10.00 MP/CS	
Syston				

In addition, for those unable to return to church because they are shielding or in some way vulnerable we offer the Sunday Eucharist on our Facebook site at https://www.facebook.com/Southcliff-Benefice-100279404991720/

PETE'S PUZZLES

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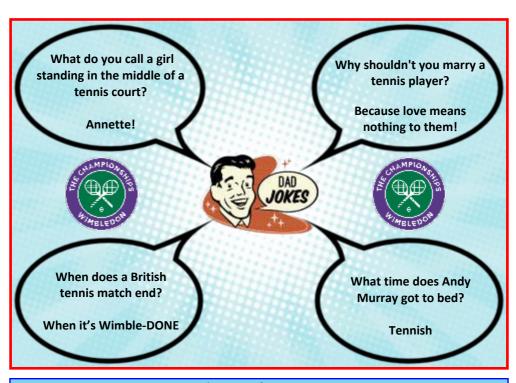
- 1) Which religious organisation was founded by George Fox in 1650?
- 2) Who was Prime Minister immediately before Margaret Thatcher?
- 3) The collective noun for Starlings is what?
- 4) In mythology who was the Greek Goddess of Love?
- 5) How did the 70's Scottish group Bay City Rollers choose their name?
- 6) Verbo is a phobia about what?
- 7) The Zambezi river forms one of the borders between which two countries in Africa? (Clue, the letter Z)
- 8) Daniel Day Lewis, 3 times winner of the Best Actor Oscar is the son-in-law of which famous American playwright, author of 'The Crucible'?
- 9) What is the name of the medieval fortress in Gwynedd used for the investitures of the Prince of Wales?
- 10) In which city is Barlinnie prison?
- 11) In Football, If you are watching The Magpies play The Mackems, which derby game are you watching?

<u>Dingbats</u> School Edition

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- 3. France Test Canada

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Pete's Puzzles Answers

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