

# KINGSLEY NEWS

## NOVEMBER 2009

The news and voice of your village Community

Kingsley Community Association is a Registered Charity

#### KINGSLEY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION OFFICERS 2009/2010

Chairman	Mike Butler	788125
Vice Chairman	<b>Steve Easton</b>	788050
Treasurer	Paul Atkinson	
Secretary	Vacant	
Kingsley News Editor	Elizabeth Wilson	787678
<b>Bar Team Co-Ordinator</b>	Janet Lynch	787432
<b>Bookings Secretary</b>	Elizabeth Batey	788788
(Available from 12.30-7.30pm)		

<u>COUNCIL MEMBERS (elected)</u> Della Bunney, Sue Elliott, David Fletcher, Carol Rowlands,

**COUNCIL MEMBERS (not elected)** 

One representative from each of the affiliated groups and clubs (NB. This is a condition of affiliation).

### KINGSLEY PRAYER DIARY

**Each week of the year** Christians in Kingsley pray specially for people in a different area of the village and its surroundings. During November we think of, and pray for people living in: -

- W/c Nov 1st Depmore Lane
- W/c Nov 8th The Cross
- W/c Nov 15th Highbank Road Top Road
- W/c Nov 22nd Hollow Lane and St John's School
- W/c Nov 29th Mansefield Road

We invite you to add your own prayers

## EDITORIAL NEWS AND VIEWS

**Dear Readers** 

Time flies and here we are already in November, in the run-up to Christmas. I will be making my Christmas cake in the next couple of weeks. Yet October was such a pleasant month that it really doesn't seem like winter is almost upon us.

It is the time of year when we have lots of lovely Craft Fayres to browse around and buy gifts, whilst helping good causes to raise funds. You will find adverts for quite a number of local events in November.

I have received a request from Joan Dodd in New Zealand who is trying to trace members of the Antwiss family who came from Kingsley. If anyone thinks they may be able to help please see the details later in the magazine.

Finally I must apologise to PR for accidentally missing the end off his Litterpicker's Lament poem last month. I have re-printed the full version this month.

Elizabeth

Articles for the magazine to be sent to the Editor either by email to - *ewilsonsecretarial@yahoo.co.uk* or posted to Badgers Rake, Hillfoot Lane, Newton, WA6 6SY Tel: 01928 787678 Copy deadline is the 21st of each month

www.kingsleyvillage.co.uk

## **Kingsley Carnival 2010**

The date for the 2010 Carnival has been set for Saturday the 26<sup>th</sup> of June. In a break from tradition, the Carnival will be held at the heart of the village between the Community Centre and St John's school.

The theme for the Carnival will be "The Circus" and we have booked a big top for the day. There will be two performances by the professionals and two circus workshops for anyone who wants to join in. This year's scarecrow competition will also be on the circus theme.

There will be a bar at the Community Centre and the WI will be providing teas at the school. This year we will also have a produce show for jam makers, bakers and gardeners. The classic cars will be there too and the Transition Initiative will be supporting us with another local market.

We have a website for the Carnival. Have a look on <u>www.kingsley-carnival.co.uk</u>. We will be putting information on the website on a regular basis. Entry forms for the various competitions will be on the website as well. The first meeting of the Carnival Committee will be held at the Red Bull on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> November at 8pm. Everyone is welcome.

Vony Gwillim 01928 789098

## AWARD WINNER

This year Kingsley won the Cheshire Constabulary Safety Award. This award is concerned with things that the community does to address issues that can make people feel unsafe. They reviewed our successes and things that we continue to worry about.

Kingsley's entry focused on two areas and how we deal with them. The first was problems around the community field and at the centre of the village with teenagers and others causing a nuisance. The creation and ongoing support of KU17s has been an important factor in providing teenagers with somewhere to go. The redesign of the play area to make the car park more visible was also seen as a key factor in reducing problems on the field.

The other area that we are working on is road safety, especially the lack of a pavement around the Scotland Lane area and the B5152 at the bottom of Hillfoot Lane where there are frequent accidents. The Parish Council have kept both of these on Cheshire County Council's agenda and they continue to work to find ways to overcome funding problems and raise awareness.

The theme of these activities has been that we find ways to work on problems of safety which affect everyone in our community and are usually seen as being insurmountable. While KU17s and the redesigned play area are examples of initiatives that helped make people feel safer, the road safety issues are "work in progress". It was great to have our efforts recognized by Cheshire Constabulary.

#### KINGSLEY & NEWTON VILLAGE INSTITUTE Top Road, Kingsley

Bingo	Monday Xmas Bingo -	November 2nd, 16th & 30th December 14th	7.30pm 7.30pm
Quiz	Wednesday	November 11th & 25th December 9th	8.30pm 8.30pm
Spanish L	essons	Tuesdays Wednesdays	09.30am 10.00am
Bridge		Fridays	10.00am
Pilates		Tuesdays	1.30pm
Line Danc	cing	Tuesdays	8.00pm

Xmas Village Hotpot - 13th December

Tickets kindly being sold at the Village Pharmacy. Everyone welcome to come. Thanks to Mr & Mrs George Killip for once again organising this popular event.

We would like to thank Mr & Mrs Gordon Haines of Heath Insurance for once again sponsoring our end of season Bowling Competition. It is very much appreciated.

We are always looking for new members of all ages to join us for snooker, darts, tennis, bowls and social events.

Our room is for hire for parties etc at reasonable prices. Please contact 01928 788505.



#### KINGSLEY COMMUNITY PRIMARY & NURSERY SCHOOL

Middle Lane Kingsley Frodsham Cheshire WA6 6TZ Tel. 01928 788436

email: admin@kingsleycp.cheshire.sch.uk Headteacher: Mrs F Rimmer B.Ed Hons, NPQH

#### Dear Readers

We have had a busy half term since we started the new academic year.



At the end of September, our Year 5 and Year 6 children visited **PGL** in Shropshire for 3 days to take part in outdoor adventure activities.

The visit was a huge success where many

children (and staff) overcame their fear of heights as they took part in rock climbing, raft building and the giant swing.



#### For more

photographs, please see our website: www.kingsleycp.cheshire.sch.uk

#### Fun Food Chef

We began the year with a day of cookery for children in classes 1, 2 and 5. The children had the chance to do some cooking with the Fun Food Chef. They designed and made a healthy meal including milkshakes, pizzas from

scratch and granola yoghurts. They have been sharing their new knowledge and skills with their families at home.



This initiative has been part of our education to encourage the children to eat healthily.

#### Life Education Caravan

At the beginning of the term, the children had great fun learning about

healthy living, healthy bodies and keeping safe in the Life Education Caravan. This is partly sponsored



by the Rotary Club and we appreciate their support.

#### Gardening

Before the summer, our gardening club planted some beans, potatoes, tomatoes and pumpkins which have been growing well. We are looking forward to harvesting the pumpkins very soon and to eating the pumpkin soup we will make.

F Rimmer (Headteacher)

### KINGSLEY CRICKET CLUB



Centuries



Founded 1971



At the Cricket Club annual dinner and presentation evening Club President Les Trotter and the Junior Team Coaches Russ Cook, Ed Leneghan and Neil Rowlands made the following awards:



<u>Club Trophies</u> Midweek Player of the Year Sunday Player of the Year Most Improved Player Les Oultram Outstanding Contribution

Ian Cooper Memorial Trophy

1<sup>st</sup> XI Trophies 1<sup>st</sup> XI Batting Award 1<sup>st</sup> XI Bowling Award 1<sup>st</sup> XI Allround Contribution 1<sup>st</sup> XI Players' Player

2<sup>nd</sup> XI Trophies 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Batting Award 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Bowling Award 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Allround Contribution 2<sup>nd</sup> XI Players' Player

Under 15 Team Best Bowler Best Batter Coach's Player Players' Player Travis Martin George Waring Lee Tasker Keith Trenell James Moores and George Waring Travis Martin

Mark Butcher Adrian Burden James Hendry Travis Martin

Andrew Ainsworth Matt Storey Steve Kitchen Matt Storey

Ben Stoddart George Waring Josh Rugen Owen Rowlands

- ۲ Under 13 Team Best Bowler Max Butler Best Batter Angus Hayward Ancus Havward Coach's Player Players' Player Tom Waring ٠ Under 11 Team **Best Bowler** Will Gill Rest Batter Haris Yassin UII Coach's Player Ollie Hale
- The Cricket Club AGM is set for Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2009 7 pm at the Cricket Club. A full report will appear in the next issue.
- As always the Club welcomes anyone in joining whether as a player, social member, sponsor, coach, scorer or in any other way which will encourage and support cricket in the community
- For all contact details and much more about the Club's activities, statistics and other information please visit the Club's website : kingsley.playcricket.com. Club Secretary Keith Trenell can be contacted on: 01928 788465.

#### VILLAGE CHRISTMAS HOTPOT LUNCH

Sunday 13th December The Village Institute At 12.30pm

Tickets £4.50 Available from The Pharmacy From 20th November

# Jo Jingles is Here!

Fun Music, Singing & Movement Classes for children aged 3 months to 5 years



Develop your child's

- Social Skills
- Language
- Confidence
- Listening Skills
- Co-ordination
- Imagination

FREE TRIAL FOR ALL NEW CUSTOMERS

NO JOINING FEE!



For details on classes in Helsby, Frodsham, Kelsall, Northwich & surrounding areas Call Eve on 01928 739966 evekay007@yahoo.co.uk www.jojingles.com/midcheshire2nwales

## A message of thanks

I would like to convey my sincere thanks to all friends and neighbours who have been so kind following the death of my wife, Kath Wood of Top Road, Kingsley.

Sincere thanks for your support and messages of sympathy. I am also very grateful to everyone who donated money in lieu of flowers and to those of you who attended Kath's funeral on 18 September 2009. A total of £800 was raised for Macmillan Nurses.

Your kindness has meant so much to me and my family at this difficult and sad time.

Roy Wood

### Mothers' Union Kingsley, Norley and Crowton

On one of the wettest evenings in October we welcomed our Prayer Partners from St Mary's Church, Lymm. After a short Harvest Service our visitors looked round the church before adjourning to the Church Room for a recital by our Mothers' Union Platebell Ringers. We then let our visitors have a go, which they thoroughly enjoyed.

The November meeting will be a craft evening – needles at the ready! We meet monthly in the Church Room, Kingsley, on the first Tuesday in the month at 7.30 p.m. and anyone is welcome to join us.



## **ITEMS FREE TO GOOD HOME**

Marshall Cavendish Good Cooking - 8 volume set Marshall Cavendish Golden Homes - 7 volume set. Tel: 787402

1 Ladies Apollo bicycle and 2 Raleigh children's bicycles. All in need of some repair, brakes, tyres etc. Tel: 01928 787687





## Pantomime Auditions

The Wicked Witch & The Magic Shop



#### Sunday 1st November 6.00pm Kingsley Community Centre

On a street, in a town, where nobody goes, stands a Toy & Magic Shop. The shop is run by strange twins, with a remarkable resemblance to Tommy Cooper! However, the shop holds a dark secret, for the dolls on view in the showcases resemble people who have had dealings with a Wicked Witch by the name of Graveling.

All is about to be revealed when Alison and her two children get lost in their town and find themselves outside this strange shop. They are thrown into the world of Witchcraft and MAGIC.

The cast is 16 characters, as well as a chorus who play the parts of Gnomes and Toy Soldiers. Chorus members must be aged 6 or over.

If you are interested in being involved in this production, then come along to the auditions at Kingsley Community Centre at 6.00pm on Sunday 1st November. A list of characters is on the website. (If you are unable to attend the audition, but are interested in being considered, please contact the director, Lesley Silcock - lesleyandneil@hotmail.com)

If you are a little shy of being on stage and would like to be involved in the work which supports a production like this, such as stage building, scenery painting, costume making, make up, front of house etc then please contact one of the committee members. (Panto dates 27-30 Jan 2010)

www.kingsleyplayers.co.uk



# THE WICKED WITCH AND THE MAGIC SHOP

#### Wednesday 27th - Saturday 30th January 2010 Kingsley Community Centre



On a street, in a town, where nobody goes, stands a Toy & Magic Shop. The shop is run by strange twins, with a remarkable resemblance to Tommy Cooper! However, the shop holds a dark secret, for the dolls on view in the showcases resemble people who have had dealings with a Wicked Witch by the name of Graveling.

All is about to be revealed when Alison and her two children get lost in their town and find themselves outside this strange shop. They are thrown into the world of Witchcraft and MARCE.



Weds 27th7.30pm£5 adults, £4 concessions\*Thurs 28th7.30pm£5 adults, £4 concessionsFri 29th7.30pm£6 all ticketsSat 30th2.30pm£4 all ticketsSat 30th7.30pm£6 all tickets

\* Group discount available for 10 or more on Weds 27th



Tickets are available from our online box office, or Kingsley Chemist, or our box office 07925 516760



www.kingsleyplayers.co.uk

#### **November In The Garden**

Surprisingly, there are still jobs to do in the garden in November. The lawn may still need cutting, but raise the blade. Fallen leaves need to be collected and composted. If you don't have a compost heap the collected leaves can be put into black bin sacks to form a leaf mould. Make sure you fork holes into the bags and leave for about a year. Turf can still be laid and lawn repairs can be done.

The whole garden needs to be checked over to make sure it is up to the rigours of winter. Wind can cause damage, so check fences, gates, sheds and greenhouse glass and doors to make sure they are sound. Heavy rain and snow can damage plants, so make sure plants are secure. Check drainage so that plants don't get waterlogged. Plants can be grown in pots and moved to drier parts of the garden for the winter. Check containers and plants and put them close to the house for protection. A container planted now with evergreens and shrubs can give colour in the gloomy days of winter.

Tulips, Hyacinth and Crocus can still be planted – a bit late for Daffodils now.

Dahlias can be lifted and stored. The foliage should have turned black after a frost and cut back to about 15cm. Shake off soil and clean the tubers. Tubers need to be stored upside down with good air circulation. It is a good time to move plants in the garden because the plants are preparing for winter dormancy and the soil conditions encourage new root growth. November is the time to buy and plant bare root plants, this includes roses and trees. Prepare the soil before planting, dig a hole wide enough for the roots to spread out and then cover with soil. Plant to the depth of the soil mark on the plant, water well and your new plant should thrive. Heel plants in if you are unable to plant immediately. This is temporary planting, but the roots are covered and they will not dry out. Hedges can also be planted because Beech and Hawthorn can be bought as bare root plants.

Herbs can be grown on windowsills at this time of year. Pot up chives and mint for regular use and a reminder of summer.

Why not join us at the November Gardening Club meeting. It is a very special occasion as we remember Elaine Jones a former President and Treasurer. Our speaker is Bob Brown, a plant collector renowned for his collection of hardy perennials and well known in gardening circles. He categorises plants on a scale of ten and this reflects his view of their garden worthiness. He will be bringing plants that can be ordered from his web site at <u>www.cgf.net</u> Make your order direct and you can refer to the Kingsley Gardening Club talk. It sounds like a treat is in store for all of us! Guests and new members always welcome at the meetings.

#### **ELAINE JONES MEMORIAL LECTURE**

#### 'SO MANY PLANTS, SO LITTLE SPACE'

#### **BOB BROWN** - COTSWOLD GARDEN FLOWERS

NOVEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup> – 8 P.M. – KINGSLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE

### **CAN ANYONE HELP?**

"My Interest is in the ANTWIS family of Kingsley/Cheshire area. I wiil reply to any replies..

My DODD family (originally from Warrington) all moved to Liverpool. Three of these DODD brothers Samuel, Thomas and James Dodd married 3 ANTWIS girls from Kingsley, Samuel DODD married Mary ANTWIS b.1812 who was the daughter of Peter ANTWIS and Betty of Kingsley. The other 2 ANTWIS girls who married my DODD brothers were Harriet and Alice, neices of Mary ( now also their sisters in law).

As well, my Kingsley John ANTWIS b 1802 married a Lydia DODD of Barrow and Lydia's brother Samuel DODD of Barrow married Betty ANTWIS of Kingsley. Is there some direct blood connection between the DODD families of Barrow and Warrington or this just coincidence? "

Joan Dodd joan.dodd@xtra.co.nz

## FRODSHAM COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

@ The Centre, Fluin Lane, Frodsham WA6 7QN 01928 732222 www.frodshamcc.co.uk

# CHRISTMAS QUIZ

Where?	@ The Centre, Fluin Lane.	
When?	Tuesday 8th December 2009	
	Doors open 7pm.	
	Quiz starts 7.30pm	
Who?	Teams of 6. £3 a head.	
What?	Bar. Refreshments. Raffle. Prizes.	
How?	Send us the slip below or contact	
	us - events@frodshamcc.co.uk	
Why?	For fu n.	

All proceeds in aid of Frodsham Community Association. Reg. Charity No. 520051

How the quiz works Doors open 7pm. Quiz starts 7.30pm. Teams of up to 6. Entrance fee £3 a head, collected at the interval.

20 rounds of 5 questions, answered by the team in writing.

1st, 2nd, booby & spot prizes (6 per team). Raffle Prizes Trophy for the winning team to be displayed at the Centre.

Bar open 7.00pm to 10.30pm. Sandwiches *etc* at the interval; tea and coffee also on sale.

This information should be sent to the Community Centre by 5th December

Name of team

Name of contact

Address

Phone

#### **NOVEMBER 2009**

CTCKN exists to promote co-operation between all Christian denominations active in Crowton, Kingsley and Norley. Our meetings are open to anyone who would like to be involved. If you would like more information, please contact Jonathan & Janet Batey, 788706.

CTCKN is affiliated to Churches Together in England

### **CHURCHES**

### Anglican Methodist

St. John the Evangelist, Kingsley The Hurst Methodist Church, Kingsley St. John the Evangelist, Norley Blakelees Chapel, Kingsley Christ Church, Crowton. Norley Methodist Church

#### **Roman Catholic**

St Luke's Church, Frodsham

## Clergy

#### Anglican Vicar: Rev Peter Rugen 787180

Methodist Minister: Rev Steve Santry 722102 Superintendent Minister: Rev Pat Christopher 733180

Roman Catholic Priest: Mgr Canon Peter O'Neill 733127

#### **Church Services**

The nearest Roman Catholic Church is St Luke's, Frodsham. Services are:

Sunday Mass 9.00AM, 11:00 AM Weekdays 9:30 AM (Tuesdays 7:15 PM) Saturday 6:00 PM

#### **Sunday 1st November**

9:30 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley10:00 AM Morning Worship The Hurst6:30 PM Holy Communion (*JS: see note 1*) Blakelees

#### **Thursday 5th November**

10:00 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley

#### Sunday 8th November (Remembrance Sunday)

8:15 AMHoly Communion (with St John's)The Hurst, Kingsley9:30 AMHoly Communion St John, Kingsley10:00 AMRemembrance Sunday Service (1)St John, Kingsley6:30 PMEvening Worship(2)Blakelees

#### **Thursday 12th November**

10:00 AM Holy Communion St John, Norley

#### Sunday 15th November

9:30 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley
10:00 AM Holy Communion The Hurst
11:15 AM All Age Service St John, Kingsley
6:30 PM Evening Worship (2) Blakelees

#### **Thursday 19th November**

10:00 AM Holy Communion Christ Church, Crowton

#### Sunday 22nd November

9:30 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley
10:00 AM Morning Worship The Hurst
10:00 AM Celebrating Together Christ Church, Crowton
6:30 PM Evening Worship (2) Blakelees

#### Thursday 26th November

10:00 AM Holy Communion St John, Kingsley

Sunday 29th November (Advent Sunday)10:00 AM Morning Worship The Hurst10:00 AM Aspects of Worship(3) St6:30 PM Evening Worship(2) Bl

(3) St John, Norley(2) Blakelees

Note (1): United Service – with Kingsley Methodists Note (2): Joint Service - Blakelees, The Hurst Note (3): United Service – with Norley Methodists

Services vary in format from traditional liturgy to informal worship. We offer services especially suitable for families and young people, such as Family Praise (normally 2nd Sunday each month at the Hurst) and All Age Worship and Celebrating Together at the Anglican Churches.

#### Prayer & Study

Kingsley Bible Study Group: Monday evening. CTCKN Ecumenical discussion group meets Thursday evenings: 5 Nov, 12 Nov, 19 Nov. NB no meeting on 26 Nov Kingsley Prayer Group: Friday morning.

#### Other events

The Hurst Soup Lunches : two per month The Hurst Womens' Group : monthly The Hurst Ladies' Fellowship: monthly (Wednesday afternoon) The Hurst Creche Norley Ecumenical Ladies' Group: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday Norley Walking Group: 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday Norley Craft Club: Tuesday 10:00 – 12:00 Hurst Guild: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday evening Norley St John : Crazy Friday Fun Club

#### Wheelchairs

These are available on short term loan to the residents of Kingsley. Contact Brian Moores 787442 The Hurst Souperstars'

SOUP LUNCH

Monday 9th November

Noon to 1.00pm

\*\*\*\*\*

Home-made Soups, Dessert,

Tea or Coffee - only £2.50 all in.

In aid of RNIB

\*\*\*\*

Everyone warmly welcomed to the lunch -

and to "Thought for the Day" which follows !

ANNUAL CAROL SERVICE

The Hurst Methodist Church will be holding its

Christmas Carol Service at 4.30 pm on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> December. Please note the date – and the time !!

KINGSLEY NEWSLETTERS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE PHARMACY AND THE POST OFFICE COUNTER

#### WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Joan Barker presided at the October meeting. She reported that the visit to 42nd St at the Brindley Theatre had been very much enjoyed and that the participation in the Local Produce Market had made £100 for WI funds. Members had served teas at the Transition Initiative meeting and monies raised had been sent to Save The Family.

Forthcoming events included the Carol Service in Chester Cathedral on 9th December, the trip to White Christmas at the Lowrie on November 30th, WI Christmas lunch on December 11th at Forest Hills and a visit to the home of WI member Pauline Bate just before Christmas to have afternoon tea. Members were invited to join in the scrabble evenings which are proving popular.

The speaker, Gavin Hunter, gave a wonderfully illustrated talk about Port Sunlight from the beginning to the present day, and showed how the two Lever brothers had progressed from selling soap to manufacturing it and building a "village" with all amenities for the employees of the factory.

The next meeting on November 4th will be the AGM followed by Ruby Porter speaking on the subject of Sreepur Village Orphanage.

#### THANK YOU

Kerry Turner and Dave Linkman, and all their family would like to thank everyone for their cards, gifts, best wishes and even prayers, on the birth of Alana Jade. After a difficult birth Mum and baby are doing well.

Thanks once again!

## Kingsley Transition Initiative

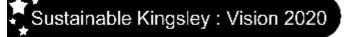




#### Saturday 28th November : 10am-1pm : Horseshoe Pub

Following on from the success of Kingsleys first local produce market, organised by Kingsley Transition Initiative (KTI), we are pleased to announce we are back with a Christmas themed market. It will again be held at the Horseshoe Pub with indoor and outdoor stalls including locally made crafts, gifts and more yummie locally produced consumables.

Along with the School and Church Fayre we hope that this day will signal the start of the festive season. So come along and enjoy some roast chestnuts, a glass of mulled wine and some great local produce.



Thanks to everyone who came to our Sustainable Kingsley event on October 3rd. It was a lovely moming full of community spirit and enthusiasm for all things sustainable. From Wiggly Worms to re-usable nappies to saving energy and growing your own food we covered it all. Children from both schools drew us wonderful pictures of what they wanted Kingsley to be like in 2020, and the drawings decorated the Community Centre beatifully. And finally a big thanks to Kingsley WI for providing the refreshments.

#### Please come along to the events and help make them a success.

If you would like find out more about KTI visit the village website, call Allian on 01928 788335 or Simon on 01928 787813.

🖈 www.kingsleyvillage.co.uk 🖈



TEEFFEREEREEREERE

## ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, KINGSLEY Christmas Fair

## SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

#### KINGSLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE OPEN AT 10.30 a.m

Musical Entertainment from St. John's School

Stalls & Sideshows includingSpecial St. John's School StallsToysBric-a-BracStationeryCakesProduceBooksSweetsBran TubGames & Competitions





VISIT FROM FATHER CHRISTMAS

COFFEE & BISCUITS Followed by DELICIOUS LUNCHES

## DATES IN NOVEMBER

Mon 2 Nov Schools back Wed 4 Nov - reminder to retune your TV ! Sat 7 Nov – 10.00 am from KCC: Village litter pick

Sun 8 Nov Remembrance Sunday

- 8.15 am: United Holy Communion at The Hurst

- 10.00 am at St John's: Family orientated Remembrance Service . Mon 9 Nov - Noon to 1.00 pm: Hurst Soup Lunch in aid of RNIB Sun 15 Nov - 11.00 am to 3.00 pm: Helsby High School Craft Fair *Sun 29 Nov Advent Sunday* 

Mon 30 Nov - Noon onwards at The Hurst:

Young Family Soup Lunch and "Puppet Praise"

#### **DECEMBER DATES**

Wed 2 Dec - retune your TV again !
Sun 13 Dec - 10 am: Hurst Family Praise, Parade and Gift Service

12.30 pm at KNVI: Christmas Village Hotpot Lunch
Fri 18 Dec School Christmas holiday

Fri 18 and Sat 19 Dec – at The Hurst: "Too Busy to Stop?" Relax and experience the real meaning of Christmas
Sun 20 Dec - 4.30 pm: Hurst Carol Service
Wed 23 Dec at KCC: - 10.00 am Children's crafts morning

6.00 pm: Hurst and St John's Christingle Service

Thu 24 Dec – 11.30 pm: Hurst Christmas Eve Communion
Fri 25 Dec - 10.00 am: Hurst Family Worship.
Bring along a Christmas present to show us!

## **ROOM AT THE TOP**

-----

Rooms with kitchen facilities available for hire at The Hurst Methodist Church. Ideal for children's parties etc. Moderate charges. Contact Brian Moores on 787442



#### **KINGSLEY WALKING GROUP**

Five of us enjoyed a 7.5 mile walk on a lovely sunny day on 13 October, walking in glorious and varied undulating countryside in the vicinity of Maeshafen, and taking in Moel Findeg which afforded us distant views.

#### NOTICE:

It has been suggested that the regular walks should be shortened next year to perhaps 6-7 miles. If you have felt that the walks are currently too long for you, but would like to come on a slightly shorter walk, or have alternative views, please let the regular walks co-ordinator, Chris Goy (tel 788068), know so that we can assess the level of interest. (The short walks will continue as before).

18 walkers commenced the Kingsley Short Walk on 30<sup>th</sup> September from Kennel Lane, off the A556. We proceeded along the lane passing Kennel Wood on the way and turned left to cross fields, eventually to cross Dalefords Lane to enter Petty Pool Wood. After walking about a mile we crossed Dalefords Lane again to head towards Newchurch Common. Then turning left towards the Dairy Farm and right to join up with the Whitegate Way. A mile or so brought us to the Kennel Bridge, where we turned to make our way back to our transport. Refreshments had been pre-ordered at the Vale Royal Abbey Arms, and were enjoyed by all the walkers

Kingsley Walking Group have two walks each month, meeting at the Community Centre at 9.30am. On the second Tuesday there is a long walk, bring a packed lunch. On the last Wednesday a short walk with a coffee break and a pub lunch. We are a friendly group. For more information tel. 787055 or visit our website at <u>www.kingsley.walkers.btinternet.co.uk</u>

### FRODSHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE FLUIN LANE, FRODSHAM. WA6 7QN

## Dance to THE BLUE MAGNOLIA JASS ORCHESTRA Friday 27th November 7.30pm

## Tickets £10.00 Light Supper Bar

Dai

Raffle

Tickets from the Centre or telephone 01928 732222

www.frodshamcc.co.uk

Telephone 01928 732222

All Proceeds In Aid of Frodsham Community Association Reg. P@harrity?Nov 520051

## FRODSHAM & DISTRICT CHORAL SOCIETY

The choir's Autumn Concert in St Laurence Church is on Saturday 14th November at 7.30pm. The programme is Handel's 'Dettingen Te Deum' and Mendelssohn's 'Hymn of Praise'. A very special part of the evening will be the premiere of 'Frodsham 800 - We Live Here Still', composed by Matt Baker with words by Andrew Rudd.

Tickets are priced at £8 (concessions £6) For more details please contact Nikki on 01928 718246 Or Margaret on 01606 852863

**University Tutor offers** 

## **MATHEMATICS TUITION**

#### All levels to GCSE

Well qualified former headteacher with over 30 years teaching experience

**Full CRB clearance** 

**References available** 

Tel 01928 733941 or 07724 152927

#### A LITTER PICKER'S LAMENT

We've picked and picked this last few months

And still there's more to find: An oddball mix of things you drop -Just trash of every kind.

Regular things among this stuff Bestrew the Kingsley lanes. There's sweetie packs and ciggy wraps To pick up for our pains. To those who smoke in sheltered spots And chuck their butts away: Why not use the rubbish bin So close to your doorway?

A plea to all who drop this trash: Your litter makes me scream! Just pick it up - and you'll be part Of Kingsley's clean-up team.

PR

But more disgusting objects seen Are dog-ends of both sorts -(The canine and the nicotine Are what's now in my thoughts).



### Litter Pick Update

On Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 14 of our litter pick team cleared the village of 14 bags of litter.

Thank you to the team and also to those who collect litter as they walk around the village.

The next litter picks will be on Saturday 7th November and

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> December. We will start at 10.00 am at the Community Centre.

New helpers are always welcome.

We provide all the equipment needed.

Eila Birtwistle – Litter pick co-ordinator.

#### FRODSHAM FOOT CLINIC

Difficult vertices, bunions, come, hard skin or toe nails?

Expert and friendly caring service from fully qualified. Chiropodist:

#### LESLEY MATHIESON

Clinic Dates: Tuesday: 9:30am - 1.30pm

For appointments contact Millmark Foods: 81928 735151



## **Elegance Health & Beauty**

Hollow Lane Kingsley WA8 6EF <u>www.elegancehealthandbeauty.com</u> Tel. 01928 787870

#### JOIN US

For an inspiring Christmas Shopping experience Solve all your gift needs this year with our exclusive shopping events. Unique ESPA gifts and Gift Vouchers available. All Beautifully wrapped for you. Ladies and Gentlemen welcome Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> November 6.00pm – 8pm Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> November 6.00pm – 8pm *Special Taster Treatments on the night Nails, Massage and Makeup ideas. Refreshments Available plus special Discounts at the Events. Please phone to confirm the evening you would like to attend.* 

## **Kingsley Parent and Toddler Group**

Every Wednesday (term time) 9:30 to 11:30 am Kingsley Community Centre



Everyone welcome - come along and join us for a brew & a chat whilst the children play.

Open to parents/carers with children aged 0 to 5. £2 per family (refreshments for all and craft session for children included)

For further information contact Beth 01928 788338 or Jacq 01928 788470



May 2009





Painter and Decorator Competitive Rates

Interior and Exterior

Fully insued

"No Job to small"

Call Mark now for your free estimates

Phone: 01606 781765 Mobile: 07719535493

E-mail: mkwood@sky.com

## Learn 2 Drive 01606 79843 – 07704 036 765

Intensive Courses Student Discounts High Pass Rate Competitive Prices Nervous Pupils Welcome Pass Plus Fully Qualified Instructor

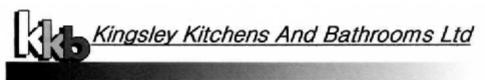
Air conditioned Car

Friendly & Patient

Flexible

Block Bookings

Pass For Less



## Your local kitchen and bathroom specialists

Complete renovations from start to finish!

We take care of everything

Plumbing

Tiling

Plastering

Electrical work

Joinery and work top jointing

All work guaranteed Fully insured Experienced tradesmen Part 'P' registered

## **Kitchens**





Full planning and Cad design Rigid carcase kitchens (not flatpack) Massive choice of door styles Laminate, wood or granite work tops Appliances at TRADE price Free design and estimate!!

## Bathrooms

Design help and planning Suppliers of quality suites at trade price Specialists in WET ROOMS and walk-in showers Natural stone and mosaic at trade price

Free estimates Call us now for a no obligation quote

01928 788661 or 07760 387710

www.kingsleykitchensandbathrooms.com





## **PORTUGESE SILVER COAST**

Modern 3 bed, 3 bath town house 8 minutes stroll to the beach Excellent base for walking, golf and sight seeing holidays

Please see ownersdirect.co.uk Ref P7242 for more details or if preferred please telephone local Crowton owners on 07831 847679



# HAPPY BEEF



Thank you to everyone who purchased our beef and pies at the last Kingsley Local Produce Market. We hope you enjoyed the beef.

The meat of cows fed naturally on grass has omega-3 in it but intensively reared grain cattle have higher levels of saturated fats and little omega-3. Moreover some of the vital trace elements and vitamins needed to metabolize essential fatty acids and other foods are being depleted – so says Felicity Lawrence author of the book 'Not on the Label'.

Therefore by purchasing Happy Beef and enabling cows to be reared the real way you are also benefiting your own health.

There will be fresh Happy Beef from  $26^{th}$  November and we will be back at the Kingsley Local Produce Market on the  $28^{th}$  November.

If there are any special cuts required such as rib of beef on the bone, sirloin joints (or even if you just require a smaller cut of beef), please don't hesitate to contact us using the details below.

Phone. 01928 788020 07871450460 Email. alison.happybeef@gmail.co.uk

Newsflash! : Our brand new steak and minced steak pies can now be ordered ......

# **Pipe Dream Plumbing Services**

All types of domestic plumbing Bathroom installations No job too small Fully insured Free Estimates

#### Finding a local plumber needn't be just a pipe dream

Give Mark a call: 01928 724097 / 07922 053 696

e-mail bazrathbone@aol.com







## Kingsley & District Nursery

St. Johns CoE Primary School, Hollow Lane, Kingsley, Cheshire. WA6 8EF 01928 787903 Registered Charity No. 1026418



# Complete nursery care centrally located in Kingsley.

Fully-qualified and experienced staff NNEB, NVQ 3

**Children from age 2.5 welcome** Free to children aged 3 to pre-school (subject to Surestart funding)

> **Good staff- child ratio** 2-3yrs 1:4 3 to pre-school 1:8

**Open 5 days a week (term time)** Sessions : 9.15am-11.45am 12.30pm - 3.00pm With lunchtime care option Pre-school and after school care from the age of 3yrs, to 6.00pm by arrangement

> Self-contained premises Annexed to Kingsley St.John's Primary School

"Provision is good. Children are settled and happy due to calm, positive interaction from staff who follow good effective procedures and practices which meet the children's physical, nutritional and health needs" (OFSTED 2006 – Kingsley and District Nursery)

> For further information contact the Nursery (Wendy) on 01928 787903

http://www.kingsleyanddistrictnursery.co.uk

# HAIR BY HELEN WWW.HAIRBYHELEN.COM 07871024285



For Helsby, Kingsley, Norley and surrounding villages.

- Cuts
- Colours
- Perms
- Shampoo/sets
- Blow-dry
- Styling

Please call to book an appointment



20% off when booking a set of five regular services, or buy 4 get the 5<sup>th</sup> Free. {New clients}

Quality and affordable services of a salon in your own home

# **Riley IT Services**

# IT Services to the home & small busines

- Internet & email connection problems
- Upgrades
- Virus, Spam & Spy-ware removal & prevention
- Hardware & Software problems
- Wired & Wireless networks
- Available 7 days a week. No Fix No Fee
- Fully insured

Jeremy Riley B.Eng(Hons) 18 years IT industry experience

0797 386 4465 or 01928 726525 riley.it.services@gmail.com

# MIKE KAY

## **PROPERTY REPAIRS - NORLEY**

### 01928 787292

Local, reliable, established for over 25 years. Prompt attention for all your property repairs and maintenance

ROOFING, GUTTERING, BLOCKED DRAIN ETC. NO JOB TOO SMALL NON VATABLE VERY COMPETITIVE PRICES





#### LUXURY HOLIDAY APARTMENT FOR RENT EL SOTO DE MARBELLA, COSTA DEL SOL, SPAIN



5 STAR SPECIFICATION. SET IN A BEAUTIFUL, PEACEFUL LOCATION WITH STUNNING VIEWS, AND ONLY MINUTES FROM SOME OF THE BEST BEACHES AND GOLF COURSES ON THE COAST.

EL SOTO BOASTS ITS OWN 9 HOLE GOLF COURSE, TENNIS COURTS, GYM WITH SAUNA, JACUZZI, STEAM ROOM ETC, AND A FRIENDLY. NFORMAL CLUB HOUSE SERVING HRST CLASS FOOD.

THE APARTMENT OFFERS THE HIGHEST STANDARD OF ACCOMMODATION AND FURNISHING, MARBLE FLOORS THROUGHOUT, AIR CONDITIONING, SOFT LEATHER COUCHES, TWO BEDROOMS AND BATHROOMS, GOOD SIZED TERRACE, AND FULLY EQUIPPED KITCHEN.

RENT £300 - £600 PER WEEK.

TO RENT THIS LITTLE PIECE OF PARADISE, CONTACT THE KINGSLEY BASED OWNER ON:

> 01928 787224 or 07944 126001 EMAIL: gra1@gra1.freeserve.co.uk

# Holland Pharmacy- Kingsley

#### **NHS Services For The Community**

#### Free Prescription Collection Service From Your GP Surgery

We can order and collect your prescriptions from your GP surgery and deliver to your door free of charge each month. **YES, ITS FREE**. We collect from THE ROCK, THE KNOLL, HELSBY, WEAVERHAM, DANEBRIDGE, FIRDALE, SANDIWAY, WATLING, RIVERSIDE and all other local surgeries.

#### Minor Ailment Service

Improved access and choice for the treatment of minor ailments. We can offer advice and, if necessary, prescribe medication to treat certain minor health conditions, some of which could previously only be treated by your doctor.

#### No Smoking Service

We have undertaken specialist training in order to help people stop smoking. Join our no smoking service and together we can help you kick the habit.

Call us on 01928 788559 if you have any questions or just pop in and we can explain these and all our other NHS services.

#### Please Support Your Local Pharmacy

# **Event Insurance:** don't be caught out without cover

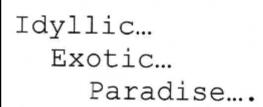
Weddings from £55Exhibitors from £50One Off Events from £55Multiple Events from £105Prize Indemnity from £50Christmas Lights from £200Firework Displays from £105Tel: 01928 787676 or go onlinewww.barkerrobb.co.ukmake the right choice

Barker Robb Insurance Solutions is a trading name of Marlborough Insurance Services Limited who is authorised and regulated by the Financial Services Authority Registered address 3 Myddelton Gardens, London N21 2PA Registered in England number 4869102

# **Stephen Ford**

Local joiner / carpenter (time served tradesman) Based in Kingsley

Telephone - 07940 106 295





Visit our web-site to find out how you could be spending your dream holiday in Barbados. From as little as £40 pp/pn Quote NEWS for reduced rates Tel. 07917030960

www.gibbeshouse.com

# DAVENPORTS FARM SHOP FLORISTS & TEA ROOM Great Tasting Organic and Local Food



#### Range includes:

Seasonal home grown flowers & veg Organic & locally grown fruit & veg Home-made cakes, Katja's Kupeakes Wines & locally brewed beer Wide range of great tasting food Eco-friendly washing products Fabulous flower arrangements, cut flowers & plants

Quaint Old English Tea Room Now Open -Wide range of tea & coffee, home-made cakes For Light lunches /Afternoon Tea please call in advance

Bridge Farm, Warrington Rd. Bartington, Northwich, Cheshire CW8 4QU www.davenportsfarmshop.co.uk Tel: 01606 853241



## Frodsham Music and Arts Club

Community Centre, Fluin Lane, Frodsham at 7.45pm

#### 66<sup>TH</sup> SEASON 2009 - 2010

FRIDAY	<i>Music from the Age of Elegance</i> - with the Telemann Baroque Quartet.		
25 September A styli	sh season-opening with 17th and 18th century music from expert players		
FRIDAY	<i>Sight and Sound Spectacular</i> - Orlyk Ukrainian Folk Dance Ensemble.		
16 October	A warm welcome in their sixtieth anniversary year for the dynamic company of prize-winning dancers, singers and musicians who perform in full costume.		
FRIDAY 13 November	<i>Mary Taylor Memorial Concert</i> - the Manchester Light Orchestra Prom. Typical of her longstanding support for the Club, funding for this professional orchestra's Frodsham début comes from our late former Honorary Treasurer.		
FRIDAY 7.00pm	<i>Members Christmas Special</i> -party food, jolly atmosphere, musical features		
11 December	Kick-start the festive season with stunning performances and a great night out!		
FRIDAY	<i>Twenty Five Paintings You Should See Before You Die</i> - Derek De Maine.		
22 January	An illustrated presentation on some fine works from a charismatic art historian.		
FRIDAY	<i>Tap Your Feet, Swing the Night Away</i> - Booth Street West jazz sextet.		
19 February	After their earlier wonderful event these classical musicians just have to return.		
FRIDAY	<i>Soloists in Performance</i> - spend an evening with Eva Warren and Friends.		
19 March	Sparkling recital event featuring young performers of rare talent introduced and presented by the well known accompanist and teacher par excellence.		
THURSDAY	<b>Fund Raising Coffee Morning</b> , Church Hall, Church Street - 10.00 to 12.00.		
25 March	Paper back books, cakes, bric-a-brac needed for sale. Please support this event.		
FRIDAY 23 April	Steinway Concert Grand Celebrity Recital - STEVEN OSBORNE, piano. He has worked with top international orchestras, played at the world's greatest venues, and at the Proms and Edinburgh Festival. In another Club coup the renowned British virtuoso performs Beethoven, Debussy and Rachmaninov.		
FRIDAY 21 May	<i>Classical Re-discovery</i> - Jonathan Aasgaard, cello and Ian Buckle, piano. A lost Dvorák cello concerto unveiled by two leading musicians from the great Royal Liverpool Philharmonic Orchestra: music making in a class of its own.		
FRIDAY 18 June	Annual General Meeting, then a chance to meet the officers and committee informally at a Social Evening with refreshments; all members are welcome.		
Annual Membership	- £15.00 for admission to the whole season of events - available at the door.		
Guests Welcome	- children under 16 admitted free if accompanied by a member or adult guest.		

**Club Secretary** - Margaret Dodd, tel. 01928 722282. The Club is grateful for support by Vale Royal Borough & Arts Councils, NW Arts (piano loan), Frodsham Town Council, and benefactors.

#### **DIARY OF NOVEMBER EVENTS**

Sun 1st	Panto auditions	Comm Centre	6.00pm
Sat 7th	Litter pick	Comm Centre	10.00am
Tues 10th	Kingsley Walkers	Comm Centre	9.30am
Thurs 12th	Coffee Day	Jean's Home	See ad
Sat 14th	Frodsham Choral Soc.	St Laurence Chc.	7.30pm
Sun 15th	Craft Fayre	Helsby High	11-3pm
Wed 25th	Kingsley Walkers	Comm Centre	9.30am
Sat 28th	Christmas Fair	St Johns Chc.	10.30am
Sat 28th	Christmas Market	Horseshoe Pub	10-1pm

# CASTLE PARK ARTS CENTRE

# • EXHIBITION GALLERIES • UNIQUE PICTURE GATES & GARDENS • COFFEE SHOP • GIFT SHOP

Monday - Saturday 10.00am - 12.30noon & 2pm - 4pm Sunday 2pm - 4pm

#### ADMISSION FREE

"Every town should have a place like this" - Southern Visitor Come and see why!