



Willoughby Monthly

Volume 5: September 2012

Welcome to the September edition of the WM. I hope you have all enjoyed the break in village activities and managed to dodge the worst of the 'showers'.

The London 2012 was a great success not least because of the volunteers who were amongst the stars of the show. Inspired to have a go? go to Willoughby Cricket Club's Open day on the 2nd September they would love to welcome you, young or old - more details inside. Village life relies upon volunteers to run organisations and work to maintain and improve the village. Get involved and help keep our village a good place to live .

Amazingly the first Willoughby Monthly was delivered in September 2008 so this is the 5th Birthday edition. A time to take stock and see what needs to be changed. Take a minute or two and tell me what could be done better, write a short article, volunteer to help producing or delivering it... One surprising fact is that no one has ever requested a large print edition !! must be a good supply of magnifying glasses in the village !!

Richard Jackson

Stop Press:- Friday 28th September, 10:30 am. 'Macmillan Coffee Morning' at Manor Farm. Home-made cakes, Bring and Buy stall, raffle for a home produced joint of beef.

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01-Sep-12	5:00 PM	Church	Family Communion	Church
2 Sep 12		W.C.C.	Open Day & Four Pubs Challenge	The Green
8 Sep 12	04:00 PM	Village Hall	Produce Show	Village Hall
09-Sep-12	11:00 AM	Church	Family Service	Church
13-Sep-12	2:30 PM	Thursday Club	Social Afternoon	Village Hall
15-Sep-12	10:00 AM	Women's Institute	Coffee Morning	Leam View
16-Sep-12	6:00 PM	Church	Evensong with Organ Recital	Church
18-Sep-12	7:30 PM	Church	Healing Service	Broadwell Church
19-Sep-12	7:00 PM	Willoughby Society	Annual Dinner	Draycote Hotel
20-Sep-12	12:30 PM	Thursday Club	Pub Lunch 'The Folly'	Napton
20-Sep-12	7:30 PM	Women's Institute	Laughter is the Best Medicine Mr. Howe	Village Hall
23-Sep-12	11:00 AM	Church	Holy Communion	Church
24-Sep-12	6:45 PM	Women's Institute	Calendar Girls (bus from Village Hall)	Rugby Theatre
26-Sep-12	7:30 PM	Willoughby Society	Food & Drink in Tudor Times	Village Hall
30-Sep-12	6:00 PM	Church	Harvest Service	Church

Thursday Club

Our summer break is over [hopefully the summer will arrive later this year] and Club activities will restart on Thursday September 13th when we hope you will all come along to enjoy a social afternoon of tea and chat.

Our pub lunch on September 20th will be at The Folly at Napton and signup sheets will be available at the meeting on the 13th or you can call Norman on 890623.

In October we are looking forward to a presentation about the work of the Land Army in World War Two and seeing our volunteers modelling the uniforms. We also hope to have with us a lovely lady who actually was a Land Army Girl, and she has promised to bring along her medal, and to share her memories with us.

Once again at the Christmas Fair in November the Thursday Club will run a Chutney stall. If any member can make 4 jars of chutney to help stock the stall it would be very much appreciated, and they can obtain the jars we wish used from Dorothy Ogle.

Willoughby Women's Institute

Our September meeting is on Thursday 20th at 7:30pm in the Village Hall. Mr. Howe will be telling us 'Laughter is the best Medicine'. The competition is for a humorous picture of any sort. Visitors are most welcome.

Members who have booked tickets for our outing on Monday 24th September are reminded that the bus will leave from the village hall at 6:45pm and that a contribution toward the cost of the bus may be required.

Coffee Morning

Saturday 15th September 10:00 to 12:00 Regardless of the weather !!

at Leam View, Sawbridge Road

Coffee, Cake/Biscuits, Bring & Buy, & Raffle

Entry £1

Everyone Welcome

All Change in Lower Street!!

Charisma, the hairdressers, have moved to the metropolis of Braunston. Jackie Hall at B Beautiful, the beauty salon next door, is expanding into the vacated premises and will be offering hair salon services in September.

It's a busy time for Jackie as she will soon be on maternity leave. However, the salon will be open as usual. Beauty Therapist Steph has joined the salon - 20% discount on your first visit with Steph!!

Willoughby Cricket Club

We are hoping that at last the weather will relent so that we can hold our postponed:

Open Day on Sunday 2nd September

Morning: Children's Single Wicket Competition

Afternoon: The Four Pubs Challenge
(The Rose - Willoughby, The Royal Oak - Crick, The Old Olive Bush - Flecknoe, & The Shoulder of Mutton - Grandborough)

All Day BBQ and Bar for members and guests

Come along and support your village cricket club

Willoughby Society 1962-2012

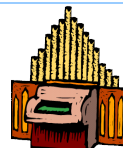
Our annual dinner takes place on the 19th September at the Draycote Hotel, 7:00pm for 7:30pm. The closing date to get your menu choices and payments to Joyce Jackson is 4th September.

The first meeting of the autumn is on the 26th September at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall. Jenny Sarton will be talking to us about 'Food and Drink' in Tudor Times'. Everybody is welcome to come along.

Church

Organ Recital

16th Sept our 6.00pm Our Evensong Service will have a celebration with an organ recital by Brian Sunderland to mark his 60 years of playing the organ



Harvest Service and Supper

Harvest Service will be at 6.00pm on Sunday 30th September with our Harvest supper the next evening Monday 1st October 7.00pm in the Village Hall.



Willoughby Village Hall

'Murder Most Foul'

Murder Mystery Evening

Friday 12th October 7.30pm

Don't miss your chance to put your sleuthing skills to the test and solve the crime!

The play will be performed by our very own Willoughby Stars and will be a night to remember.

Tickets, including supper, £10 (please bring your own drinks and glasses).

From: Karen Duggan 3 White Barn Close tel: 890049 or

Nick Hodges, Rohan, Main St tel: 890791.

(in aid of St Nicholas Church)



Willoughby Village Hall

Produce Show

Saturday 8th September, 4pm

Entries: must reach the Show Secretary, Will Hewitt, Worrall House, Lower Street. Tel 891439, by 9:00pm Friday 7th September accompanied by the fee of **20p** per for each class.

Staging: must be completed by 12 Noon.

Schedules: have been delivered to every house in the village additional copies available from the Show Secretary.

Queries: to the Show Secretary

Willoughby Parish Council

In last month's Willoughby Monthly there was a flyer and an article on Superfast Broadband asking you to complete an online survey at www.cswbroadband.org.uk. This survey will show broadband suppliers the potential in our area and if it is worth them investing to provide better facilities to us.



Thank you if you have already completed the survey, but if not, please take a few minutes to do so as this could help provide a much needed upgrade to our internet speed in the Village.

Police & Neighbourhood Watch

Care – don't leave valuables in your car and make sure that your home is secure. If you see anything suspicious do let the Police know.

There are still regular reports from around the area of catalytic converters being stolen, especially from 4 x4s.

Crime prevention: Smart water, a means of uniquely marking your property can be obtained via Rachel Settle. As well as being a deterrent to burglars, items that have been stolen are much more likely to be returned if they are marked with Smart Water.

Contacts:

Our Police Community Support Officer is PCSO 6149 Helena Steadman and our Police Constable is PC 1534 Lee Maughan. They can be contacted on 01788 853851 this is the Safer Neighbourhood Team number so will reach a team member on duty quickly.

Neighbourhood Watch: Rachel Settle (Co-ordinator) can be contacted by telephone on 01788 823823 (daytime) or 01788 890724 (evening & answerphone) or e-mail neighbourhood.watch@willoughbyweb.net.

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Copies of the WM can be sent by e-mail or produced with large print on request.

Do let me have your ideas for improving the WM and, of course, any articles/notices you have for your fellow villagers. The deadline for submission of items for publication in the next edition is the 15th of the month. Send them to:

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Village web site: www.willoughbyweb.net

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11-Nov-12	Church	Remembrance Service	Grandborough Church
15/11/12	Women's Institute	A.G.M	Village Hall
28/11/12	Willoughby Society	A.G.M.	Village Hall