



NORTH CURRY NEWSLETTER

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North Curry Parish Council

A BIG THANK YOU! As time progresses and limitations have been lifted our continued thanks to everybody for keeping to the requirements. As we ease out of lockdown and on to the next phase 17th May 2021, it is important everyone adhere to the current amended safety requirements. Thank you for the continuation to all the community and the volunteers and to Noel and Alison our valuable shop and post office keepers. Keep safe everyone.

CORONAVIRUS HELPLINE: A reminder if you need any help or have any questions regarding Coronavirus Somerset County Council have a dedicated helpline call 0300 790 6275 or click on the following link <https://www.somerset.gov.uk/coronavirus/get-help/>. To access the details.

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING: Due to the continued coronavirus limitations, our Annual Parish Meeting (APM), usually held in May, has been rescheduled for later in the year, the date to be announced and anticipating with relaxing COVID rules to be held in the village hall adhering to government guidelines.

VANDALISM: There have been several acts of Vandalism which have taken place throughout the Parish recently, particularly on the Playing Fields, play equipment has been broken, at the Allotments and Village Hall where windows have been smashed and sheds broken into and at North Curry Sports Field nets have been damaged etc. this has resulted the need for CCTV to be installed. All the acts of vandalism have been reported to the Police and the Parish Council have requested extra police patrols within the Parish to try to catch the offenders. May we ask Parishioners to stay vigilant and report any suspicious behaviour/vandalism immediately to the Police. Thank you.

Due to the coronavirus, The Parish Council Office is closed. Please contact the Clerk by email, post or telephone.

Parish Council Diary for June 2021 – Please see the website and parish notice board for any updates. Contact the Parish Council: 01823 490136 or parishcouncil@northcurry.com

Note from the Editor:

We're really looking forward to returning to the normal service of paper copies of the Pinksheet delivered to every door in the Parish, but would like to let you know that this will happen with the July issue – not as previously announced.

All this does depend on our volunteer workforce of people who go to deliver each month, to each dwelling on their round.

We are still looking for someone to step forward to deliver to houses from Wrantage to the bottom of Rock Hill, so unless someone volunteers, those residents will not get their copy. Please help if you can!

Contact me, Barbara Drakeford [details at the top of this publication] to find out more.



Last month in the parish magazine the North Curry Society published the County questions from an on-line quiz. There was an additional winner - Charles Henderson, whose entry accidentally found its way into our spam folder but would have otherwise taken first prize. We hope to publish the Village questions in the magazine this month: you might find it entertaining to tackle them.

As restrictions are lifted, we are hopeful of starting our programme of talks again in September.

Helen Kittermaster

It is with sadness that we record the death of Helen Kittermaster, as she was one of the group of parishioners who spearheaded the campaign to build the new village hall in Greenway.

Helen remained a staunch supporter of the Hall, all her life, always attending the Annual General Meeting when her health allowed.

She was also a powerhouse behind the North Curry branch of Save the Children, which consistently raised more funds than any other group in the area.

Thank you, Helen, for your massive contribution to the life of the village.

North Curry Baby and Toddler Group

The North Curry Baby and Toddler Group has restarted. We meet on a Monday morning (term time only) 9am-11am in the Village Hall. Parents, Grandparents and all carers are well welcome to join us for a chat and cuppa whilst children play. A healthy snack for the children is served around 10am.

For further details please contact Anna on 07793021072.

The Baby and Toddler Group are fundraising to cover running costs, please visit our fundraising page at for more information.

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfundin g/north-curry-toddler-group>

Worship at SS Peter and Paul, North Curry - June 2021



6th June	1st Sunday after Trinity	
8:00am	BCP Eucharist	Vicar
10:00am	Eucharist	Revd Martin Mudie
13th June	2nd Sunday after Trinity	
10:00am	United Benefice Eucharist <i>at Lyng</i>	Vicar
20th June	3rd Sunday after Trinity	
8:00am	BCP Eucharist	Vicar
6:00pm	Evensong	Vicar
27th June	4th Sunday after Trinity	
10:00am	Eucharist	Vicar
4th July	Peter and Paul, Apostles (transferred)	
8:00am	BCP Eucharist	Vicar
10:00am	Patronal Festival Eucharist	Vicar

There will be **coffee mornings** in the church again this summer (on Wednesdays) starting 9th June until 29th September. Drop in 10am to 12noon, for walkers with dogs, cyclists passing through, parents with toddlers, or just to chat with friends. Enjoy the company! Please use the access ramp outside the west door – avoiding the steps inside the south porch.

The autumn concert series starts up on the evening of 21st August with Fenella Humphreys and Friends and her re-imagined version of Vivaldi's **Four Seasons** for four players, in aid of the Bells Appeal. Tickets from the village Post Office, price £15.

North Curry Village Hall

To hire the hall, go to

www.hallbookings.northcurry.com

no internet? then phone 07967 139636

For issues **other than hiring**
villagehall@northcurry.com

NORTH CURRY PAVILION
& PLAYING FIELD

Available to hire as a venue for parties (children's and adults), meetings and celebrations. With a large outdoor area ideal for bouncy castles and games, in addition a multi-use games area (MUGA) for children and young people to have fun and let off steam.

To book see calendar and booking form at
www.ncpavilion.co.uk
or email pavilion@northcurry.com

<http://en-gb.facebook.com/NorthCurryPavilion>