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JUNE LETTER

From our clerav

Hello there!

more. In last year's June Parish Mag I said that this was a guiet month for the church and as I wrote this year's letter I pondered if it was a much quiet month in general.....after a few minutes on the internet I soon found out that it actually is a really significant month for the world as events and a whole. There are naturally many birthdays with Marilyn Monroe, Jacques Cousteau, Anne Frank, Stan Laurel and Prince William being the most notable ones. Other keys things that happened were Visit the village website: www.northwoodvillage.org.uk for the latest local news and the first color TV broadcast happened in the US in 1953. Charles Duryea patented a gasoline powered automobile in 1895, the donut was invented in 1847. Robert F. Kennedy was shot and mortally wounded while leaving the Hotel Ambassador in Los Angeles in 1968. The Duke of Windsor married Wallis Simpson in 1937 and most notable in my living memory, the massacre of protesters in Tiananmen Square, Beijing in 1989 and the return of Hong Kong to Chinese rule in 1997.

However what shocked me the most, as an ex-Military Officer, was that so many significant military days happened in June - the Battle of Waterloo in 1815, in 1939 WW1 was initiated with the assassination of Archduke Francis Ferdinand. Crown Prince of Austria and his wife and 5 years later, again in June, the signing of the Treaty of Versailles formally ended the same Great War. And then there was the momentous D Day Landings in 1944....the largest amphibious landing in history, involving 1.527,000 soldiers. 4,400 ships and landing craft, and 11,000 aircraft. By the end of the day 150,000 Allied soldiers had landed with 15,000 killed and wounded. There are many commemorative events happening this year for the centenary of WWI and similarly for the 70th Anniversary of this pivotal event in WWII and so there are many reason to be patriotic in the best sense (and that's before we start talking about the Football World Cup!) this June!

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The world has seen so much heartache, too much in my eyes, of people suffering in their own countries because of their leaders 'patriotism' to their country, cause, tribe, religion or state. It seems the world has turned on its head since the two World Wars – no longer does the world work together to right the wrongs: countries only get involved if it is beneficial for them. And our society has also gone that way too – how many of us have turned a blind eye to bad behaviour or poor language we have witnessed or heard, because we just don't want to get involved. Now I know we have to take out personal safety seriously, but we should at least try and do something.

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RTHWOO The 'younger' readers (I'm in denial of turning 40 this month!) of this magazine will know of a pop singer called Heather Small who released a song in 2000 called 'What have you done today to make 2 vou feel proud?' - its title line is used regularly in the sitcom Miranda by her childhood friend Stevie (complete with a Heather Small .⊆ E mask!).....I am singing the song as I am typing! So I am going to ž set you all a challenge - try and do something good each day! So if saw I approach you and sing 'What have you done today to make you feel proud?' you would be able to give me a great answer....but Non don't worry, it doesn't have to be something huge, just something that that makes a difference to someone - saying hello to the neighbour you have never spoken to, ringing 'Great Auntie Betty' who just never stops moaning to see how she is, buying some flowers for vour Mum/wife/daughter, cooking a great unhealthy steak for your Dad/husband/son, smiling at your strict boss....anything to make JNO this world a better place.

 $\overline{\underline{a}}$ With so many, many men dying for us over a hundred years ago to give us the freedom to do just this, surely we should honour their memory and do the best we can!

With every blessing for a proud and life changing month! Rev'd Amanda

NORTHWOOD PARISH CHURCH OFFICERS Priest in Charge: Rev'd AMANDA COLLINSON The Rectory, Chawton Lane, Northwood PO31 8PR Tel: 01983 294913 Email: revamandacollinson@virginmedia.com Assistant Curate: The Rev'd DIANA NETHERWAY 138 Bellevue Road, Cowes PO31 7LD Tel: 01983 298505 Churchwarden: PETER LAMBERT 9 Forest Hills, Gunville, Newport PO30 5NG Tel: 01983 526385 Churchwarden: ANNE BROOKER 28 Uplands Road, Northwood PO31 8AL Tel: 01983 296958 PCC Treasurer: CAROL OGILVIE 400 Newport Road, Cowes PO31 8PP Tel: 01983 291570 PCC Secretary: to be appointed

MESSAGE FROM THE PRIEST IN CHARGE

Do you know of someone who would appreciate a visit by the church? Or would you, yourself, like to meet and talk with someone from the church? Please contact Rev'd Amanda Collinson whose details are given above. Amanda is happy to meet with you, to bring communion to you if you cannot come to church - or to explore with you if you just want to know more about the Christian faith. I am always here for you – because that's what the church is about!

From the Parish Church Registers:

Baptisms

Christopher Hayden 27th April 2014 River Hayden 27th April 2014 Dexter Hayden 27th April 2014

Marriages

Len Gardiner and Trish Bolan 25th April 2014

Died

Andrew James Gustar 27th April 2014

For Baptism, Wedding, Funeral and other enquiries please contact Rev'd Amanda Collinson

FLOWER ROTA FOR JUNE 2014



1st Jill Fry 8th Volunteers required 15th Volunteers required 22nd Pat Lambert 29th Volunteers required

PRAYER GROUP MEETING

No prayer group this month







NORTHWOOD PARISH CHURCH SERVICES in St John the Baptist Church, Chawton Lane, Northwood June 2014 7th Sunday after Easter 11.15am Holy Communion (BCP) 1 Peter 4:12-14, 5:6-11 John 17:1-11 Acts 1:6-14 8th PENTECOST 8.00am Holy Communion (BCP) 11.15am All age worship Acts 2:1-21 1 Corinthian 12:3b-13 John 20:19-23 **TRINITY SUNDAY** 11.15am Morning Prayer (BCP) 12.15am Holy Communion (said) Isaiah 40:12-17. 27-end Psalm 8 2 Corinthians 13:11-end Matthew 28:16-20 PATRONAL FESTIVAL OF ST JOHN **10.30am Holy Communion (NOTE DIFFERENT TIME!)** Isaiah 40:1-11 Galatians 3:23-end Luke 1: 57-66. 80 29th FEAST OF ST PETER AND ST PAUL 11.15am Holy Communion Ezekiel 3:22-27 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18 Matthew 16:13-19 **CHURCH CLEANING ROTA FOR JUNE 2014** DATE **CHURCH** BRASS Volunteers Required

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COWES METHODIST CHURCH, Birmingham Road, Cowes **SERVICES FOR JUNE 2014**

Sunday 1st 10.30am Mrs Alison Geddes

Sunday 8th 10.30am CHURCH ANNIVERSARY Holy Communion **Rev Malcolm Stinton**

This is the annual GIFT DAY and is followed by lunch 6.30pm Circuit Service at Binstead Methodist Church

Sunday 15th 10.30am Mr Peter Tilley

Sunday 22nd 10.30am Miss Margaret Potts

Sunday 29th 10.30am Local Arrangement

Tea & coffee is served after the Services

The LADIES' SISTERHOOD meets every Tuesday at 2.30pm All ladies would be very welcome to join in our fellowship

The FELLOWSHIP GROUP will meet at 2.30pm on Monday 2nd June at 8 Pallance Road, Northwood and on Monday 30th June at 82 Wyatts Lane, Northwood

All Saints' Church: Gurnard

SOLENT SINGERS with guests Island Instrumentalists QUINTISLE for 'A Relaxing Evening of Music and Song' FRIDAY, JUNE 20th at 7.30pm. Entry free. Retiring collection in aid of Choir and Church funds Interval refreshments.

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Art & Craft Exhibition

Northwood Church will be holding an exhibition and sale of art and crafts on Friday 18th to Saturday 19th July from 10am - 4pm.

Do you have items that you have made but not shared with others? or do you have an excess of items you've made that you'd like to sell? We could help.

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We would like to exhibit all kinds of art and hobby craft: knitting, sewing, wood turning, embroidery, crochet and any other craft. This exhibition is intended for amateurs and hobbyists so if you have some items you would like to put on show or sell please contact

Sarah or Den on 293884 to book your free limited space.

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Plant Sale In Church on 10th May 2014

Thanks to everyone who donated plants, who helped out on the day to make everything run smoothly, and of course to everyone who came along and supported us on the day. A grand total of £294.44 for the Organ fund was raised.

THANK YOU!

All Saints' Church: Gurnard YOUNG MUSICIANS' CHAMBER CONCERT Featuring many of the Island's most talented young musicians. Senior County Music Award and Bursary Holders with Guests. Thursday June 26th at 7.00pm **Entry Free Retiring Collection** All Welcome

All Saints' Church: Gurnard

Why not come and join us for a Community Coffee and Chat in the Garden Room at Church on Thursday, JUNE 26th at 10.15am (and bring a friend?)? You will be most welcome!

St John the Baptist Church Keys

Church keys are now available from

NORTHWOOD STORES

Mon-Sat 5:30am - 7:00pm Sun 6:30am - 6:00pm

Please note keys are NOT available outside of shop hours. Keys must be signed for and returned the same day.

1st NORTHWOOD SCOUT GROUP - SCOUT H.Q. Wvatts Lane Beavers Thursday 5.45pm to 6:50pm Scouts Monday 7.00pm to 9.00pm Cubs Friday 6.45pm to 8.15pm For more information contact Derek Finch on 292904

2nd NORTHWOOD BROWNIES meet on WEDNESDAYS in the SCOUT HUT, WYATTS LANE from 6.00pm to 7.15pm. Brownies is for airls aged 7 to 10 years. Please contact JANE PEAKALL on 01983 521274. WAITING LIST IN OPERATION

Give us a call on 01983 289717 Or email northwoodplaygroup@onwight.net Places available for 21/2 to 5 years Flexible sessions AVAILABLE NOW Funded places for 3 &4 year olds Mornings: 8 or 9am - 11:30am Committed and caring staff Lunchtime: 11:30 - 12:30 A fun place to learn Afternoons: 12:30 - 3:00pm **OFSTED** registered Full day: 8 or 9am-3:00pm Term time only Northwood Playgroup, Northwood County Primary School, Wyatts Lane PO31 8PU Northwood Playgroup is a registered charity (No: 1086436) **CREEA - COWES RADAR EX-EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION** Wednesday 4th June—Lunch (TBC) The next event is on Tuesday 17th June at 2.30pm in Isle of Wight Community Club, Park Road, Cowes The Wessex Cancer Trust and the Isle of Wight-Claire Tuckett For membership details contact Mary Mead on 01983 298154 or visit the **CREEA** webpage in the **Local Groups** section of the village website where you can also download a copy of our 2014 Programme and view photos of past events. New Members are always Welcome NORTHWOOD FLORAL ART GROUP The next meeting is on Monday 23rd June Title: Fun with Phormium at 7.30pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall. Tea/Coffee and Cake £1.00 Membership is £18.00 per year Visitors & New Members are always Welcome Please contact Sally Martin on 01983 295416 **COWES-DEAUVILLE TWINNING ASSOCIATION** This Association was formed in 1964 with a view to furthering social, cultural and sporting exchanges between the citizens of both towns. Anyone with an interest in France and the French and who have, or have had, some connection with Cowes, Gurnard, Northwood, East Cowes and

Whippingham are very welcome to apply for membership. New members are always welcome Chairman: Barrie Clarke 882334 Secretary: Barry Bates 296303

NORTHWOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP

Chairman: Ron Willis, 3. Uplands Road, Northwood, Tel: 01983 200452 Vice Chairman: Alan Chick, 75 Pallance Road, Northwood, Tel: 01983 296020 Secretary: Eileen Turner-Palmerton, 40 Greenways, Northwood. Tel: 01983 282242 - Email: whitecross@onwight.net

NORTHWOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP REPORT (Eileen Turner-Palmerton)

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As stated in our last report, we had a very interesting and enjoyable visit from Debbie Flux and Angel, from Canine Partners, showing us all how a lovely dog can transform a person's life. Debbie demonstrated how the NORTHWOOD dogs are trained to do many, many things, such as unload the washing machine, get items from a cupboard, take off a person's hat and gloves, bring their shoes to them and many other jobs. It was so lovely to be able to make a fuss of Angel and she enjoyed every minute. This training takes many months to enable the dog to be of immense help and bring back some form of independence to a person.

At the present moment we are waiting to hear if we have been given a grant to enable us to carry on with these events. Hopefully we will have some news in the near future.

Our next Residents Event will be on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18th 2014, 2.30 PM AT THE W. I. HALL, NORTHWOOD

As always, if you require transport, please phone any of the above numbers.

tell our Everyone is very welcome to come and enjoy the afternoon with friendly people.

Please t The Northwood Village Produce Association's Annual Show is on SATURDAY 23RD AUGUST, 2014, at the W. I. Hall, Northwood. Free Schedules can be obtained from 3 Uplands Road.

PLANNING

latest local news and events and much more Among the planning applications, was, Land fronting Place Road, including land to the side and rear of 47 - 11A Place Road and to the rear of The Heritage to Shephards Hay, Tuttons Hill and access off Place Road, Cowes - Outline for 90 dwellings, formation of vehicular access and associated works off Place Road (Revised Plan showing reduction from 99 dwellings)(Re-advertised application) This in fact just in Gurnard, but on Northwood's boundary After discussion, it decided, that the Parish Council reaffirms its original representations against the application.

WORKING PARTIES

The following appointments to Committees/Working Parties were made: Planning Committee - All councillors of the Parish Council, with the exception of Cllr Fuller, due to his appointment as the Chairman of the IW Council's Planning Committee. Cllr Jaggar to be appointed as Chairman for the ensuing year.

Northwood in Bloom Working Party – Cllr Pullen (lead councillor), with Cllr $\stackrel{\text{@}}{=}$ Smith and any willing volunteers. Traffic and Transport Issues Working E Party - Cllr Riddet (lead councillor), with Cllr M Nicholson; Parish Plan H

Party – Cllr Riddet (lead councillor), with Cllr M Nicholson; Parish Plan Update Working Party – Cllr Pullen (lead councillor), with Cllrs J Nicholson and Jaggar and the clerk. NORTHWOOD IN BLOOM Cllr Pullen reported that Northwood had been allocated a grant of £200 under the Wight in Bloom scheme, to be spent at the Jubilee Garden Centre. It was planned for the tubs and planters to be cleared shortly, to enable the summer planting. Volunteers would be very welcome.

NORTHWOOD WOMEN'S INSTITUTE The next event is on Thursday 5th June at 2pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall. SPEAKER: Mike Arnell **SUBJECT:** Apollo Theatre **COMPETITIONS:** 6 Ginger Biscuits, Best Garden Bloom HALL IS AVAILABLE FOR HIRING To hire the Hall please contact Mary Chick on 01983 296020 Visitors & New Members are always Welcome **MEDHAM WOMEN'S INSTITUTE** The next event is on Monday 9th June at 7.30pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall. **GUEST SPEAKER:** Lynn New **TOPIC:** Rhyme and Reason **COMPETITIONS:** A favourite Poem **REFRESHMENTS:** Tea & biscuits (Jill & Valerie W) Bring & Buy Best Garden bloom Annual General Meeting in Leeds June 7th Visitors & New Members are always Welcome NORTHWOOD VILLAGE PRODUCE ASSOCIATION The next meeting is on FRIDAY 13TH JUNE. 2014 7.30 pm in the W. I. Hall, Northwood. Speakers: Carol Flux & Claire Hamilton **On Aliens & Invaders** Competition: 4 Cheese Scones. You do not require any Gardening knowledge to attend this event. Just come along and enjoy a friendly evening. Free Schedules for the Annual Show are available at 3 Uplands Road. Visitors & New Members are always very Welcome - Contact 01983 248287 **COWES AMATEUR OPERATIC & DRAMATIC SOCIETY**

TRINITY THEATRE

The season of Thursday night film shows continues at Trinity Theatre in Cowes. Forthcoming film is: The Full Monty 12th June Doors open at 6:45pm, film starts at 7:30pm.

Stepping Out by Richard Harris 19th, 20th, 26th, 27th, 28th June at 7:30pm

All My Sons by Arthur Miller 16th.17th. 18th.19th July at 7:30pm

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MEETINGS

Meetings of the Parish Council are held on the first Tuesday of the month, commencing at 6.30pm.

The meeting of the Planning Committee, if required, is held on the third Tuesday of the month, commencing at 6.30pm.

ALL MEETINGS ARE HELD AT NORTHWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL, WYATTS LANE, NORTHWOOD.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND THE PRESS ARE VERY WELCOME TO ATTEND

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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Cllr John Pullin was re-elected as Chairman, and Cllr. Chris Riddet as Vice Chairman, at the Annual meeting of the Council. Malcolm Nicholson of Nodes Rd, was co-opted onto the Council.

POLICE REPORT

In the absence of a representative from the Local Safety Neighbourhood INEWS (LSN) team, the clerk circulated a copy of the police report she had received.

Particular mention had been provided with the following, reduction of total crimes by 7% on the previous year, covering the Northwood and Gurnard area combined

NORTHWOOD Beat surgeries are to be reduced to one per month, on the 2nd Thursday of the month commencing from June 12th, between 6pm - 8pm, at Cowes Police Station. School presentations, ongoing aimed at year aroups 5&6. .⊆

them Speedwatch scheme, ten volunteers from the local community have come forward, it is hoped to expand the scheme to the wider Cowes area sawi in due course.

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advertisers that The Clerk advised that she had not received a response from Paul Herbert, Managing Director of Island Roads to her letter or to her reminder email. Rebecca Tuck had telephoned apologising for Malcom Smith's non-attendance at the last meeting. Island Roads now considered that the best option was for councillors to attend an Asset our Management workshop, when several of the heads of service would be available to take any questions and could provide detailed answers. A tell further workshop was to be organised, but no details could be currently Φ Please provided. However, it was noted that an Island Roads representative was due to attend meetings of other local councils. Councillors considered it to be very discourteous of Mr Herbert to not respond. The Clerk was instructed to be rather firm in her approach to request a representative to attend a future meeting and to make contact with Mr Tony Toynton, the IW Council's Contract Manager to seek his assistance.