
WALTON-IN-GORDANO INFORMATION SHEET

Walton-in-Gordano - Walton Down - Walton Bay

JULY 2014

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| DIARY | 10 | Cow-patting for the Fete |
| | 11 | Setting up the Fete |
| | 12 | THE FETE!! THE STEVE DOIG CONCERT!! |
| | 14 | 7.30pm Parish Council Meeting. |
| | 16 | 2.30pm Gardening Club |
| | 19 | 12.30pm W I |

PARISH COUNCIL

The meeting for June was not quorate so could not be held. The May minutes will be approved and circulated to the e-mail list after the next meeting on July 14th. The external audit of the Parish Council accounts has been completed and the accounts were posted to the notice boards for the required two weeks, during June. Cllr Morgan has travelled the new 88 bus route to Portishead and to Clevedon. Bar a few possible tweaks to the route, she has found the service good. At the risk of repetition, her message from last month still goes... "Use it or lose it".

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on **July 14th 2014, at 7.30pm**, in the Village Hall. There will, as usual, be no Parish Council meeting in August. The September meeting will be on **Monday 8th**, again, at 7.30 in the Village Hall.

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SOCIAL COMMITTEE

SWING EVENING. THE STEVE DOIG BAND. 19.45pm Saturday 12th July. Come along to the marquee for great 1940's music to listen and dance to. Bring your own food and drink. Tickets only £5 from Emma at the shop. Everyone welcome to dress up and come in 1940's costume. You'll love it!

VILLAGE FETE

YOUR FETE NEEDS YOU! We need help on **Thursday 10th July** from 7pm to remove cow pats from the field next to the Village Hall! The marquee needs to be cow-pat free. Please come along with suitable footwear, spade/fork, bucket/wheelbarrow. Thanks.

We also need help on **Friday 11th July** from 1pm to set up tables, put raffle tickets on tombola prizes, sort raffle prizes, bric-a-brac, bottles, books etc. Thanks.

Advance notice. There will be an open meeting on **Tuesday 5th August** at St Paul's Church, 7.30 to discuss the events and organisation of the fete. Everyone welcome

GARDENING CLUB

Lovely weather made the Manor House garden a beautiful and serene venue, and as usual there were splendid plants to admire. Roses were fully open, including a shade-loving white climber, called Shakespeare's Musk. that trailed gracefully down a descending wall. At the side of the drive, Himalayan Musk had tackled the shrubs and tall trees behind it, and was still waving at the top, looking for another mountain. David Austin English Tea roses by the pools were in beautiful shades of creamy white and various pinks – Munstead Wood, Princess Alexandra of Kent, William and Catherine, and Eglantine. Auguste Gervais' climbing rose (planted by Simon and Philippa) hung directly over a seat set into the yew hedge. Spotted orchids (volunteers!), and yellow rattle were growing well in the long grass of the wild meadow.

Our next meeting will be on **July 16**, 2.30, at Maureen and Gordon's. A Hollingsworth.

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This month we do not have a meeting in the village hall. We meet at Jacqui's home for her luncheon party on **Saturday 19th July**, 12-30 for 1pm. There will be a raffle and bring and buy. If you did not buy a ticket at last month's meeting please let Jacqui or me know as soon as possible if you are coming. Thank you. Do not forget we are serving teas at the village fete this year and will need cakes etc. We are also serving spam and corned beef sandwiches at lunch time. This is on **Saturday 12th July**. See you there. R.Tucker

ST PAUL'S CHURCH

Services for July

Sunday 6th 11.15 am Morning Prayer
Sunday 13th 11.15 am Holy Communion
Sunday 20th 11.15 am Morning Prayer
Sunday 27th 11.15 am Holy Communion

OPEN MEETING

Thank you everyone who came along to our previous meeting. We have now collected together all the ideas written down and put them into a sensible order so we can carry on our discussion. Trying to get everyone together who wants to be there for our next meeting is proving to be very tricky so just **keep a look out for news of the next date**. Please come and join us to share the ideas we have been looking at. This is truly an open meeting. Please join us to voice your opinion on the future of our church. I know some were unable to get to the previous meeting; you are welcome to join us for this second meeting.

FLOWER FESTIVAL AUGUST BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND 23rd, 24th and 25th August.

Our theme this year is 'All Creatures Great and Small' If you haven't had a go at flower arranging for our festival before you are very welcome to join us. It is always a very supportive atmosphere with everyone helping each other out – why not join in? Give Sue a ring on 848645 for more information.

As well as our usual Festival Service on Sunday 24th we are also holding a Pet Blessing service on Saturday 23rd at 1.30 – all animals welcome both great and small!

Don't forget the Summer Fete – see you there!

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SPRING HEAD COTTAGE BY FRIDAY 25 JULY, PLEASE.**