
WALTON-IN-GORDANO INFORMATION SHEET

Walton-in-Gordano - Walton Down - Walton Bay

OCTOBER 2015

DIARY

OCTOBER	7th	Gardening Club
	9th	Crime Prevention
	12th	Parish Council
	15th	WI

PARISH COUNCIL

Gordano Greenway: Cllr Ralston was recently misquoted (and his name also misspelt) in the North Somerset Times and Portishead Town Council August 9th Minutes. Walton-in-Gordano PC has not currently set aside any of its precept for the Greenway project. Applications for funding to Walton-in-Gordano PC are not to be considered until the December PC meeting.

The next meeting will be **on Monday October 12th**, in the Village Hall, at 7.30pm.

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WI NEWS

What a wonderful celebration we had last month to commemorate our 85th birthday, Avon Federation's 40th birthday, and 100 years of the W.I. Thirty three of us with our guests enjoyed a lovely lunch at the golf club and we were all given the centenary badge - a fitting reminder of this special year. Our October meeting in the village hall is on **Thursday 15th** at 2-30 pm. Our speaker will be Wendy Pinker telling us of her work with children in Nepal. The competition is for a plate of 6 biscuits or cookies. We look forward to see you all there.

Submitted by Rosemary Tucker

WALTON-IN-GORDANO SOCIAL CLUB

The Walton-in-Gordano Social club had their AGM on Tuesday 15th September. The following were elected to the committee: Brenda Mathews – Chair, Andrew Francis – Secretary, Sue Betts – Treasurer. Rachel Francis, Tom Chown, Celia Lovell, Graham Mathews, Emma Edwards, Tracey Clamp as committee members. Deb Tovey remains as The Village Hall committee representative on the Social Club Committee. There is one vacant position on the committee and anyone who may be interested in helping us to organise village events and generally support the village social life should contact Andrew Francis on 01275 316970 to discuss the role.

The Social Club accounts appear at the end of this Information Sheet.

GARDENING CLUB

Our next meeting will be at 2.30, at The Chapel, Rosemary's, on **Wednesday October 7th**

SCARECROW FESTIVAL

Well done to all the scarecrows especially the winner, Little Miss Muffet, made by Ruth Long. What a spider! Second was Doctor Foster (Deb Tovey) and third Humpty Dumpty (Rene and Bob Truby) Rene and Bob also won the £21 lottery! The £265 profit goes to the Village Hall and St. Paul's Church. A special thank you to Sue and Roy Betts and Deb Tovey for all their hard work. Thanks for these comments from visitors:-

- Always a warm welcome... Great Day... Lovely idea of festival trail...made for interesting walk around village... Absolutely lovely afternoon.... Wish there had been more scarecrows. Good fun and excellent cake... Don't stop this event!..

Submitted by Floss Morgan

VILLAGE AGENT CRIME PREVENTION TALK

(Being safe in our villages)

Everyone is welcome to join me on Friday 9th October at Walton-in-Gordano Village Hall or Friday 16th October at Weston-in-Gordano Village Hall. 2.30pm. This is a FREE event provided by your Village Agent, Emma and Parish Council. Refreshments provided. I look forward to welcoming you. Further details EMMA 07967 344661.

GORDANO VALLEY ART GROUP

We meet every Saturday 1.30pm in the Village Hall. Everyone is welcome £3 includes equipment and refreshments – further details from Brenda or Emma 07967 344661- transport difficulties - just ask.

VILLAGE COOK BOOK

In conjunction with the 80th celebrations of our Village Fete, we will be producing the 3rd edition of the Village Cookbook next year. I would love your family favourites, jam/chutney recipe or homemade gin! Please send me the recipes, email crosstreestores@talktalk.net or 217560 or just pop in, 2 Sandstone Cottages. All proceeds will go to the hall and church

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

What's on in October

Saturday 3rd	10.30am	Welcome In Come for coffee, cake and chat! This month we prepare the church for our Harvest Festival. We are going to decorate our church with food cans, packs and boxes full of flowers so bring along any clean food container and we will do something imaginative with it—it doesn't even have to hold water, we have a trick....
Saturday 4th	3.00 pm	TRADITIONAL HARVEST FESTIVAL It will include our favourite harvest hymns followed by harvest tea with apple pie.
Sunday 11th	11.15	Holy Communion
Sunday 18th	11.15	Morning Prayer
Sunday 25th	11.15	Ho;y Communion

Come and join the Crafty Crew - Thursday 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th at 2pm in the church.

WANTED: Any fruit and veg—especially cooking apples—that can be made into jams and pickles to sell at our Christmas Festival on Saturday 28th November. Contact Sue 848645

MORE WANTED: Old, clean tights to stuff draught excluders we are making. Please put in the back of the church.

COMING SOON: Grand Christmas Hamper Raffle Tickets £1 supporting Refugee Charities. Contact Brodie for more details.

Walton-in-Gordano Social Club Accounts (£)

Balance Brought Forward		2769.88
Plus Income		
12.12.14	Cheese and Wine	70.00
16.01.15	Tea Dance	24.00
	Concert	80.00
	Coffee Morning	21.43
14.07.15	Summer Fete	4526.00
31.07.15	Donation	25.00
Minus Expenses		
14.03.15	Coffee Morning	17.50
12.05.15	Village Hall	70.00
30.06.15	Art Club	119.64
	Fete Expenses	2236.67
29.07.15	St Paul's Church Donation	1000.00
29.07.15	Village Hall Donation	1000/00
Balance Carried Forward		3072.50

COPY FOR THE NOVEMBER INFORMATION SHEET TO AUDREY HOLLINGSWORTH AT SPRING HEAD COTTAGE BY MONDAY OCTOBER 25TH, PLEASE.