

What's Happening This Month

Cherwell District Council Local Elections at St Mary's House
Thursday, 2nd May

VIG Film Night at Bishop Carpenter School, North Newington
Friday, 3rd May. Showing the film "Bohemian Rhapsody". Biopic of singer and songwriter Freddie Mercury. Doors open at 7.00 p.m. for 7.30 start. Take along your own refreshments.

Friendship Club at St Mary's House
Tuesday, 7th May at 2.30 p.m. Please bring along a small raffle prize.

Broughton & North Newington Thursday Group (open to all)
Thursday, 23rd May at Bishop Carpenter School, North Newington. A talk by Jane Gower who is a professional celebrant and performs at wedding ceremonies, funerals, naming ceremonies, vow renewals and hand fasting. (Changed from last month). Also, AGM. Cost for members is £2.00, non-members £2.50, to include refreshments and a raffle,

Elections (Provisional) at St Mary's House
Thursday, 23rd May

Parish Council Meeting at St Mary's House
Tuesday, 28th May at 7.00 p.m.

Regular Events in St Mary's House

Pilates: Every Wednesday morning. 9.15 a.m. to 10.15 a.m.

Calligraphy: Every Thursday. 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m.

See the Broughton Village Website: www.broughton-oxon.uk

A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

SUMMER BARBECUE AT ST MARY'S HOUSE

SUNDAY, 7TH JULY- 12.00 to 3.00 p.m.

Bouncy Castle/Tombola/Pimms



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BROUGHTON CASTLE FETE

Saturday, 8th June 2019 - 2.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m.

Admission: Adults £2.00. Under 16 Free



The Sealed Knot are again the main attraction this year at the fete held at Broughton Castle.

Sue Leech and Steve Cocks will be selling raffle tickets in the evening on Monday, 13th May, Tuesday, 14th May and Wednesday, 15th May.

Raffle Prizes: 1st Prize: £100 Cash

2nd Prize: Hamper worth £100

3rd Prize: 3 Course Meal for 2 at The Saye & Sele Arms

Please get in touch if you would like to volunteer on the day, donate a raffle or tombola prize, make a cake or have some bric-a-brac, please contact Steve or Sarah Cocks on 01295 268516.

The fete is kindly sponsored by West Bar Veterinary Hospital.

See inside for more information.



Broughton Castle Fete

Apart from the Sealed Knot, some of the other attractions at the fete will be:

- Maypole Dance
- Gun Dog Display
- Tug O' War
- Sheep Shearing/Bee Hives
- Guess the Weight of the Lambs
- Teddy Parachute
- Broughton & North Newington Cricket Club and 7th Banbury Scouts will be organising assorted games, e.g. Welly Wanging/Football/Cradle of Death/Golf
- Face Painting
- Aunt Sally
- Pimms Tent/Teas/Ice Cream
- Barbecue
- Raffle/Tombola
- Jazz Band
- Plant stall/Bric-a-brac stall/Jewellery Stall/Handicrafts Stall/Book Stall/Cake Stall
- Classic Cars

Keith Westcott talk about the Roman Villa

Thank you to everyone who came along to listen to the very interesting talk by Keith about the Roman Villa and the Broughton Castle Hoard. The hall was full to capacity and it was really nice to see so many people.

The Field Opposite the Village next to the Main Road

James Taylor as politely asked that people do not walk across this field while there are sheep and lambs in there. He has noticed an increase in people with several dogs off the lead and the only way to stop this is to ask everyone to keep to the footpaths. The gate to the field will be padlocked shortly. Thank you for your co-operation.

Overgrown Hedges

It has been reported to the Parish Council that there are some hedges on the perimeter of houses in the village that are overgrown and are obstructing the public footpaths. Please ensure hedges are cut back clear of the footpaths. Thank you for your co-operation.

Art Exhibition at Swalcliffe

EXHIBITION

A new exhibition of over 50 paintings by Nigel Fletcher
SWALCLIFFE VILLAGE HALL

12th to 27th May

10 to 5pm each day

Tea & cakes! more info:

www.nigelfletcher.co.uk

07792 657 248

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Speed Watch

Thank you to all the people who helped the Parish Council with speed watch. We will be forwarding our results to our local PCSO who will be sending letters to those over the limit. Maximum speed recorded was 45mph and 180 people were over 33 mph.



First Aid Course

Paul from Oxford College of First Aid came along and took the course and was very entertaining and humorous.

14 people were trained and they will tell friends, relatives and neighbours that they have completed the course. The Parish Council have agreed to run another course later in the year if there is enough interest.

