

Mary Leech Obituary

Mary passed away peacefully at Highmarket House Care Home on Thursday 20th August.

Many of you will remember Mary Leech who used to join in with Social Group events with her friend Fred Ward. They are pictured below at our Games Evening in 2018.

Mary and Fred met at least 13 years ago at the Saye and Sele one Christmas Day. They used to see each other most weekends and Fred took Mary on her first foreign holiday when she



was 80 years old. They went to Bulgaria and it was Mary's first trip in an aeroplane. Fred says it was a good job her eyesight wasn't that good as the plane was a complete rust bucket!

Mary was born in County Durham but in her teens moved down to Leamington to live with an Aunt. From there she joined the Land

Army and met her husband William Leech in Long Compton.

They lived in Charlbury and had two sons Clive and Michael. When Clive and Sue moved to Broughton they were regular visitors. When grandson Simon came along Mary would often help out. Mary also loved her Great Grandson Felix and they would play cards together, Rummy being her favourite game. About a year ago she moved into Highmarket House Care home and they looked after her very, very well until the end. **Sue Leech**



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Speed Watch took place again at the end of August. Many thanks to our helpers who were Tim, Roger, Eoin, Eunice and Christine. There were five sessions of one-hour duration.

By a strange coincidence there were 97 vehicles exceeding 35mph which is exactly the same as last month.

Results of the August 100 Club draw

1 st	60	Alan & Sue Wolstencroft	(61)
2 nd	£40	Simon Leech	(80)



HOG ROAST AT THE SAYE & SELE



Thanks to all at the Saye & Sele for arranging the hog roast. Fortunately, the weather was kind and allowed everyone to be socially distanced outside.

