

This month we should have asked for the payment of subscriptions but because we forgot to advise readers in our last issue, we will defer until next month the collection of 15p to cover the April-September copies of this Newsletter.

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Nominations for Parish and District Council Elections on 5th May. Nomination forms for the Parish Council Elections can be obtained from the Parish Clerk, Mr.H.Austin, The Mead, and for the District Council Elections from Mr. Guest, Electoral Office, A.V.D.C., The Mall, Friars Square, Aylesbury to whom completed forms for both elections, together with written consents, must be sent as soon as possible after 28th March and before noon 9th April.

Traffic in Soulbury. At the Parish Meeting concern was expressed at the increase in heavy traffic through the village since the recent railway accident and also at the delay in erecting the weight restriction signs outside the village. It was suggested that an un official group of volunteers would be willing to assist in logging the amount of heavy traffic through the village before the erection of the signs, which we understand will not be before the middle of April. There is therefore a certain amount of urgency about the project, and anyone who is prepared to give even an hour or so of their time to assist with this work is asked to contact Mr.P. Twyman at Bury Cottage, Chapel Hill or phone him on Soulbury 204.

The Green. Concern was also expressed at the Parish Meeting about vehicles still driving over and parking on The Green. The Council have been asked actively to pursue this matter but we hope this reminder may obviate the necessity of any further action by the Council.

Edith Szostek Memorial Competition. This year's competition will take the form of a drawing, painting or collage of flowers, grasses, leaves etc. There will be two age groups; for children up to 10 years of age and aged 11 but under 16 on the 2nd July 1983. Children may submit more than one entry if they wish, but all entries must be submitted to Mrs. Liz Miller at Lovett House, Chapel Hill by Saturday 18th June. Entries will be judged by the Women's Fellowship and prizes will be awarded at the Church Fete which will be held on 2nd July 1983.

Royal National Mission to Deep Sea Fishermen. The total collected for this fund was £18.76. Thanks are expressed to all who donated.

Church Sale. The total amount raised for the Church Repair Fund by the recent sale was \$99. The P.C.C. thank all who contributed to this.

Buckinghamshire Village Ventures Competition. This competition which is designed to encourage and support voluntary projects in villages, is for people who join together to work on a project which adds in some way to village life. There will be cash prizes and entry forms must be submitted before 31st July and a report on the project by 31st October 1983. Judges will be looking for imaginative use of resources, community effort, quality of workmanship, lasting benefit to the community. If anyone is interested in this further details may be obtained from Miss D.Booth 7 Chapel Hill, Soulbury 322.

D.I.A.L. Bucks. The Bucks. Disablement Information and Advice Line has been established to give a free, impartial and confidential service of information, advice, and, in some cases practical help provided by people with a direct experience of disability. It can be used by anyone with a query or problem connected with any aspect of disability; for instance - disabled people, their family and friends, professionals-doctors, social workers, architect, voluntary and statutory agencies and students and researchers. For further information please contact Miss D.Booth 7 Chapel Hill, Soulbury 322.

The Council for the Protection of Rural England, invites membership from all who value their rural inheritance and seek to protect it by opposing unwarranted planning intrusions upon the countryside, villages etc., for airports, motorways, new towns and the like. Your support could help protect your heritage and that of future generations. Please phone Pat Twyman, Soulbury 204 for more information.

Women's Institute. At the March meeting of the W.I. three new members were welcomed; the speaker was Mr. Victor Scott the Naturalist. He was warmly thanked for his interesting talk on 'Spring in Crete,' illustrated by slides of some of the beautiful flowers which grow wild in many parts of the country.

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We extend a warm welcome to Mrs. Barbara Maudlin who has moved to Laburnham Cottages.

Babysitter available - please ring Soulbury 284.

Car Sharing to Leighton Buzzard. Is there anyone who would like to share school or playgroup journeys to Linslade? If so please telephone Soulbury 545.

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Methodist Church

Saturday 2nd April 7.00 p.m.

Sunday 3rd April 3.00 p.m.

Sunday 10th April 6.00 p.m.

Sunday 17th April 3.00 p.m.

Sunday 24th April 6.00 p.m.

Minister: The Rev. Alan Creber,  
The Manse, Stewkley. Tel:251.

Songs of Praise. Everyone is welcome. Refreshments.

The Rev. Alan Creber.

Mr. R. P. Edwards.

Mrs. C. Holliday with 'New Life Group.'

Circuit Service at Trinity Methodist Church, Leighton Buzzard.

Sunday School: Every Sunday at 10.30 a.m.

Fellowship Meetings: Mondays at 2.00 p.m.

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All Saints Church

Good Friday 1st April 12-1.00 p.m.

Easter Day 3rd April 8.00 a.m.

11.30 a.m.

Sunday 10th April 11.30 a.m.

Sunday 17th April 11.30 a.m.

Sunday 24th April 11.30 a.m.

Vicar: The Rev. Paul Drake,  
The Vicarage, Stewkley. Tel:287.

Watch of the Passion.

Holy Eucharist.

Sung Eucharist, Procession with short address.

Sung Eucharist and Sermon.

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Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 12th April 8.00 p.m.

Wednesday 13th April 2.30 p.m.

Wednesday 20th April 8.00 p.m.

Monday 25th April 8.00 p.m.

W.I. Mrs. Pam Murphy. Talk on India.  
Social Circle.

Women's Fellowship at the home of Mrs. Amy, The Green. Talk by Mr. Amy.

Parish Council Meeting.

All meetings in the Clubroom unless otherwise stated.

Diary Date

Saturday 2nd July

Church Fete at the Old Vicarage, by kind invitation of Dr. and Mrs. Owen.

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