

Soulbury Playground

At the public meeting held on 29th March those present were advised that the Parish Council had been able to obtain a lease on the Mount Pleasant area of open ground for a term of five years in the first instance. There are various conditions attached to the lease but the Council are certain that they have secured the best possible terms given all the difficulties.

A committee was formed consisting of:

Mr. J. Edwards - Chairman
 Mr. C Bryan - Secretary/Treasurer
 Mr. J. Rowe - Soulbury Parish Council
 Mr. L. Brazier - " " "
 Mrs. D. Edwards
 Miss H. Rowe
 Mr. M. Elding
 Mr. B. Rolls.

At the Annual Parish Meeting the lease was duly signed. The first objectives are to clean the site and erect fencing. The Parish Council expressed the hope that once the ground was in use parents would co-operate with members of the Play Ground Committee in seeing that children enjoy its amenities whilst respecting the rights of those living in the vicinity and maintaining the ground in a good condition.

Annual Parish Meeting.

There were about a dozen members of the public present at the meeting to hear the Council report on the various business affairs of the Parish and the state of sundry parish accounts.

Particular topics raised were the condition of The Green, the possible marking of bridle paths, in particular between the village and the Three Locks, the trimming of the hedge and clearance of excess water in the High Road.

In addition, Councillor Reg Keen spoke of the proposed Wing/Milton Keynes relief road and said that a public announcement would be made shortly of possible routes. He suggested that a committee of all the affected villages might then be formed to discuss the effect of the numerous proposals on the whole area. He was still pressing for a weight restriction on the Wing/Soulbury/Three Locks road. A decision about this would be made shortly.

Collection for National Children's Homes.

The total of this house-to-house collection was £44.82 and this sum has now been forwarded. All those who contributed are thanked and in particular Miss Jayne Norman, Mrs. M. Rowe, Mrs. F. Norman and Mrs. G. Kirk, who did the collecting.

Meals on Wheels.

Soulbury WI in conjunction with the WRVS are trying to start a Meals-on-Wheels service in the village. Help is needed for distributing the meals (½ hour once a fortnight if four drivers can be found). Anyone willing to help in this venture please contact Mrs. Rowe. Soulbury 355).

We are sorry to learn that Mrs Colin Kimble has to enter hospital for an eye operation. We wish her a speedy recovery.

WANTED:

Stair-gate, fireguard and toys for 2 year old girl, wanted by childminder at reasonable price. Mrs. Maher, 17 The Green.

Methodist Chapel

Sunday 2nd May 10.30 am
Sunday 9th May 6.00 pm
Sunday 16th May 3.00 pm
Sunday 23rd May 6.00 pm

Sunday 30th May 3.00 pm

Sunday School: Every Sunday at 10.30 am.

Fellowship Meeting: Mondays at 2.00 pm.

Young Searchers: Fridays from 7-9.00 pm.

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

Mr. D. Morton. Family Service.
Mr. R.F. Edwards.
Mrs. Heffer.

United Service - Trinity Methodist,
Leighton Buzzard. Rev. A. Kingsley-
Turner.

Rev. A. Creber.

All Saints Church.

Sunday 2nd May 11.30 am
Sunday 9th May 11.30 am
Sunday 16th May 10.30 am

Sunday 23rd May 11.30 am
4.00 pm

Sunday 30th May 11.30 am (Whitsunday)
6.00 pm

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

Sung Eucharist & Sermon.
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Rogationtide Eucharist & Procession
St. Michael's, Stewkley.

Sung Eucharist & Sermon.
Choral Evensong with choir of St. Giles
Cheddington.

Sung Eucharist & Sermon.
Deanery service in St. Mary. Gt. Brickhill

Advance Notice.

Sunday 6th June 9.30 am (Trinity Sunday) Patronal Festival at Drayton
Parslow.

Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 11th May 8.00 pm

Wednesday 12th May 2.30 pm

Wednesday 19th May 8.00 pm

Thursday 27th May

WI: Resolutions & Knit-in for
Arthritis & Rheumatism Council. Please
bring size 9 needles and DK Wool.
Social Circle; and Bring and Buy Stall
Women's Fellowship; at the home of
Mrs. O. Fountain, 21 The Green.
Soulbury WI and Leighton Linslade
Operatic Society; Gilbert & Sullivan
Concert at Overstone Combined School,
Wing. Tickets £1. from Mrs. Hammond.
Soulbury 318

All meetings in the Clubroom unless otherwise stated.

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