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NEWSPAPER AND MAGAZINE COLLECTION

A.V.D.C. have given us further information about their door-to-door collection of newspapers and magazines, junk mail and phone books for recycling.

The new scheme forms part of the Council's commitment to the "Save Aylesbury Vale's Environment" initiative or SAVE.

The aim of the Scheme is to reduce the 50,000 tonnes of household waste which is currently transported by road each year to landfill sites in the Vale. Paper waste accounts for about 30% by weight of this waste material.

Blue bags will be delivered during the weeks 9th September to 20th September together with a leaflet which will explain what is required and when to put the blue bag out for collection. Collections will be fortnightly and will start on Thursday 26th September. These fortnightly collections will be on the same day as our current refuse collection (although because collections are made using a different vehicle, not necessarily at the same time).

Initially the scheme will be subsidised but it is hoped that it will become self-supporting. The scheme will be heavily dependent on public participation not only to ensure a sustainable success, but also to encourage the Council to increase the range of other materials collected for recycling like plastic or glass. We really should give it our full support. The future collection of cans and bottles will depend on the success of this paper collection.

The present collectors of our paper and cardboard waste have been consulted. They have done an excellent job and deserve credit for starting a service which was badly needed.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH NEWS

RESTORATION NEWS.

a) BUILDING WORK. Phase 1 work is now complete including redecoration of the South Porch and South Aisle. We await the final bills and also English Heritage's Phase 2 proposals.

b) **FUND RAISING** The result of the Golf Day and Tug-O-War was the same as last year - Soulbury won the golf but Great Brickhill won the Tug-O-War in a keenly fought contest.

The last of the year's Concerts in the Church will be on the 22nd or 29th September. Details will be on the Church Notice Board and in a leaflet nearer the time.

It is hoped to arrange another Safari Supper on the 12th October. If anyone is interested in hosting a starter or a main course, or just in attending, please contact Jane Luxton on 270493.

On Saturday 9th November there will be a Barn Dance in Stewkley Village Hall. Further details will be given next month.

GENERAL NEWS

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY CLUB Our joint project with the Methodist Chapel will be launched on 8th September at a joint Family Service in the Chapel at 10.30am. Children and parents are invited to join the Church/Chapel congregations to meet the leaders and helpers, and to hear about the project and how it will work.

Family services alternating between Church and Chapel will be held once a month and on the other Sundays the Club will meet from approximately 11.15am to 12.15pm in the Chapel/School Room to allow parents who wish to do so to attend the 11.30am service at All Saints and also take their children to and from the Club. Further details are available from Kate Jungius (270166), Christine Shepherd (270377), Susie Whittaker (270448) and Margaret Harris (376492).

CHEESE & WINE EVENING IN AID OF THE PARKINSON'S DISEASE SOCIETY.

On Monday 12th August some 60 people attended a Cheese and Wine evening held in the Clubroom in aid of the Parkinson's Disease Society. During this very enjoyable evening Alf Peacock handed over £2,009.28, the result of sales of his book. Another £445. was raised from the Cheese and Wine evening. Mary Baker, International Director of Welfare for the Society gave thanks to all those who helped and gave support and in a letter just received she has said the response from everyone was amazing and repeated her thanks.

ROGER DEE

We are very sorry to report the untimely death of Roger Dee from Chapel Hill. Roger and Ann have lived in Soulbury for about 12 years and have only recently retired. It is very sad that they have had so little time to enjoy their retirement. Chapel Hill will miss his friendly manner and good neighbour qualities. We extend our sympathy to Ann and the family.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

Once again Mrs Sheila Morgan has said that we may use her home (the Old School) for this annual event which takes place on FRIDAY 4TH OCTOBER. This year, as well as a Raffle, we are proposing to include a Bring and Buy stall and are particularly asking for gifts of home-made cakes, preserves and garden produce.

It is expected that we shall again be selling Christmas Cards for Florence Nightingale House. Please spread the word among your friends so that we get the maximum support for this very worthwhile cause.

DOMESTIC HELP

Domestic help required locally for about 3 hours a week, flexible days. Please telephone 270755 for further details.

CRICKET FIXTURES

Sun Sept 1st	Newport Pagnell	(Home)	Sun Sept 15th	Cublington	(Home)
Sat Sept 7th	Leighton Town 3rds	(Home)	Sun Sept 22nd	Linslade	(Home)
Sun Sept 8th	Ebury Strollers	(Away)	Sun Sept 29th	Milton Keynes P.O.	(Home)

GARDEN MACHINERY SERVICE. Repairs and sales by R.G.C. Machinery, Rock Lane Farm. Most leading makes supplied. Free local collection & delivery. Re-conditioned mowers usually available. Also suppliers of A.T.Vs. & farm machinery. Tel 01296 681007 (daytime) 681286 (evenings).

ALL SAINTS CHURCH

	Vicar. Rev. Norman Cotton, The Vicarage, Stewkley, 240287
Sept 1st	Sung Eucharist at 11.30am
Sept 8th	Holy Communion (Prayer Book) at 8am Sunday Club Family Service at 10.30am in the Chapel NO 11.30am SERVICE AT ALL SAINTS.
Sept 15th	Sung Eucharist at 11.30am
Sept 17th	Guild of the Servers of the Sanctuary Sung Communion Service at 8pm All Welcome.
Sept 22nd	Sung Eucharist at 11.30am
Sept 29th	Benefice Service at St. Michaels, Stewkley - Patronal Festival & Communion at 10.15am.
Oct 6th	Holy Communion (Prayer Book) at 8am. Harvest Festival - Family Service at 11.30am

METHODIST CHURCH

	Minister: Rev. J Hustler. Tel 240251, The Manse, Stewkley.
Sept 1st	10.30am Mr P. North
Sept 8th	10.30am Combined Service with All Saints Circuit Service at Stewkley
Sept 15th	6pm Rev. Ian Banks
Sept 22nd	6pm Mr M. Owens
Sept 29th	6pm Harvest Festival - Mr A. Waite.

Mother & Toddler Group - every Tuesday 10.30am - 11.45am

The Chapel Youth Group does not meet so regularly now that some of the members are at University. However, we do welcome new members. Please phone (01525) 374040 for details of meetings.

Forthcoming Events (In the Clubroom unless otherwise stated)

Tue.	Sept. 10th	W.I.	8pm
Wed.	Sept 11th	Social Circle	2.30pm
Wed	Sept 4th & 18th	Mobile Library at the Stone	11.35am-11.55am
Wed	Sept 4th & 18th	Waste Paper Collection Service	
Tues & Thurs	Sept 10,12,17,19,24,26	Keep Fit	10. am
Wed	Sept 18th	Women's Fellowship at 21 The Green	7.45pm
Thurs	Sept 5,12,19,26	Bowls Evening	7.30pm
Thurs	Sept 26th	AVDC Waste Paper collection	

Diary Dates

Oct 4th	Macmillan Coffee Morning
Oct 7th	Harvest Supper
Nov 16th	Coffee Morning

Items for next issue by 20th Sept. to: Mrs Miller. 270545. Mrs Bunyan 270461.
Mrs Norman 270483. Mrs Fairbairn 270674.
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