



Wot's On in Witcham

October 2011

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Services in St Martin's

- 2 Oct 10:30 Harvest Festival, — followed by Coffee and Cake**
9 Oct 09:00 Parish Eucharist
16 Oct 09:00 Morning Prayer
23 Oct 09:00 Parish Eucharist
30 Oct TBA

Saturday 22nd October

Fish Supper/Quiz in the Village Hall at 19:00

Please let Pat Youngman (777179) or Kate Steen (777178) have your orders for fish, chicken or sausages (all with chips of course)
Cost of tickets: £5 per adult; £2:00 per child or £15 per family, please bring your own drinks.

Pilates Class at The Hall, High Street, Witcham every Tuesday 6.30-7.30 pm £5 pay as you go. Contact Hannah for more information on 07793942893.

The Village Hall can now be booked via Judy Phillips on 07880 778278

Village Hall Annual Dinner/Dance

Friday 25th November

7:00 for 7:30pm

Dancing to Leigh Murfet

Bar

Raffle

Tickets from Judy Phillips £15:00 a head. Please ring 778363 for more information.

Witcham Wives ~ Thursday 6th October

8:00pm in the Village Hall

A talk by Tracy Thompson, who works for Addaction as a counsellor and family lead on dealing with drug and alcohol addition.

The sponsored walk from Witcham to Mepal (and back!) with dokey provided in the village hall afterwards raised £597.00 for St Martin's Church funds. Thank you to everyone who took part, or who made a donation and especially thank you to Judy and John Phillips for their generosity in organising the event.

Grunty Fen Recycling Centre

From **Thursday 3 November** the recycling centre is moving to a new facility at Witchford Recycling Centre, Witchford Road, Witchford near Ely. The new site is bigger, covered and designed so there are no steps to climb to deposit waste. **Grunty Fen will be closed from mid-day on 2 November.** For more information please ring :0345 045 5207

Treasure Hunt around Witcham

Sunday 16th October

2:00pm from No. 4 The Slade

Entry £3 per adult; £1:00 per child.

Call in for coffee

Tuesday 4th October

11am – 12 noon



Meet up with others in our community of Witcham. Call in for a free cup of coffee/tea in the informal setting of St Martin's Church.

All ages are welcome and anyone requiring a lift please contact June Wells 778945 or Martin Pate 778359.

If you have any ideas for website content please e-mail: webmaster@witcham.org.uk or ring 0135 3 778945. Content for the Wot's On should be e-mailed to whatson@witcham.org.uk or junew@witcham.org.uk no later than the 19th of the month to be published.

WITCHAM CRICKET CLUB 240 CLUB WINNERS						
Week	1st no.	Amount	Name	2nd No	Amount	Name
1	70	£15	E Freer	98	£5	L Spencer
2	175	£15	V Ralph	61	£5	M Ward
3	192	£15	F Taylor	141	£5	S Drury
4	27	£15	M Yah	14	£5	V Lambert
5	171	£15	P Coleman	14	£5	V Lambert
6	73	£15	H Pate	99	£5	L Spencer
7	94	£15	G Brand	3	£5	M Hook
8	42	£15	M Housden	121	£5	T Robinson
9	114	£15	H Irwin	182	£5	K Alsop
	33	£100	Deb Jones			
	138	£50	C Dorrington			
	95	£30	V Duncan			

Veolia Environmental Services will be round on:

Tuesday 4th and 18th October for all your recyclable garden and household rubbish.

In the event of any complaints about Veolia's service please contact their Customer Helpline on 01353 665555.

WORRIED ABOUT YOUR MEMORY?

WHY NOT COME ALONG TO OUR ELY DROP-IN SESSION

The Alzheimer's Society are offering a weekly Drop-in service held at the Cathedral Visitor Centre in Ely every Thursday between 10 – 1pm.

This service offers support and information to people living with dementia , their carers and families. We offer help to people with any kind of memory problem, even without a diagnosis.

Staff are available to provide practical and emotional support and relevant information. We can also help with completion of Carers Assessments and Emergency Plans.

There is also a chance to meet and talk to other people in a similar situation, we always ensure everyone is made welcome and refreshments are available at all times.

If you feel this service may be able to help you or someone you know please feel free to drop-in at any time during the session. Alternatively if you would prefer to talk with a staff member before attending please contact Sheila Burgess on 01353 699 422 or 07795663901.

The Alzheimer's Society works with those who are confused or forgetful, their carers, family and friends. We are here to provide information, support and help with understanding the difficulties that arise during the journey. We help people develop coping strategies to deal with those difficulties and create opportunities for people to meet others in similar situations.

We are currently running a peer support group in Littleport and are looking for more volunteers as the group expands. If you feel could spare a couple of hours a week and would like more information you can contact us on Alzheimer's Society, Cambridge and Ely Office, 01223 863854.