

**TATTENHALL HANDLEY
BURWARDSLEY
PARISH NEWS
October/November 2022**



HM King Charles III

Tribute to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II Head of Commonwealth and Defender of the Faith

It is with the greatest sorrow and sadness that we mourn the passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. After a long life of faith, duty and service, a great light has gone out. Her Majesty was an extraordinary person, who lived an extraordinary life: a constant presence and example for each of us, guiding and serving us all for as long as any of us can remember.

Throughout her reign, and seven decades of extraordinary change and challenge, Her Majesty was the epitome of duty, stability, wisdom and grace.

Today, our three Churches of Tattenhall, Handley and Burwardsley join the nation, the Commonwealth and the world at large in mourning the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and praying for her eternal rest. We join with many throughout our country and beyond as we mourn the death of Her Majesty The Queen.

In Her Majesty's first Christmas broadcast, ahead of her Coronation she asked the nation, whatever their religion, to pray that God would give her wisdom and strength to carry out the solemn promise she would be making and to faithfully serve God and us all the days of her life. As a nation, we have witnessed her faith during her reign as our Queen. In 2014, Her Majesty remarked, "Christ's example has taught me to seek, to respect and value all

people of whatever faith or none.

The Queen's gift to engage with everyone whom she met and the ability to make them feel at ease was a remarkable skill and one which showed a deep connection to the people she served and a desire to live out Jesus' teaching. But most of all, it was the resolute reality of her faith that struck me powerfully. She was never shy in speaking of her faith and the hope and strength she found in Jesus Christ. Today, she leaves a remarkable legacy which not only lives on in this country, but stretches across the Commonwealth and the rest of the global world.

We also pray for His Majesty King Charles III as he assumes his new office even as he mourns his dear mother. God save the King.

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not

let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. [John 14:27]



Prayer

We remember with thanksgiving the life of Elizabeth, Your servant and our Queen, that she may rest from her labours and rejoice in the One whom she worshipped as King of Kings and Lord of Lords. Rest eternal grant unto her O, Lord. And let light perpetual shine upon her.

May she rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen



From Father Lameck

HARVEST FESTIVAL 2022

You have probably heard it many times that God loves you. He indeed does love you. As we look into Matthew's Gospel; 9:35-10:4, we see the compassion of Jesus as He looks upon the crowds of people. This is truly the nature of who Jesus is coming out. Jesus sees the peoples' condition now but even greater their eternal condition without Him. This same compassion is what Jesus longed for His disciples to have as He calls them to pray concerning these crowds of people who are hurting. Jesus calls the twelve not only to pray, but also to get involved and join Jesus in this mission.

Be encouraged today to join Jesus as well in this great mission of compassion. When we look around the world, we see that there are millions of people suffering from starvation and lack of basic needs such as clothing shelter and water. Sometimes these places seem far away from us hence we can easily see or hear and then forget. How would you feel if it were you in that position and you know that there is someone out there who is capable of changing my life?

As usual during the first week of October, our community will be celebrating and thanking God through sharing with others who are less fortunate. All the proceeds from our harvest this year will go to our local food bank at Park School. The things that will be most appreciated will be, dry goods, such as pasta and rice, tinned foods and toiletries. We invite you to come and celebrate with us on Sunday; 2nd October at Tattenhall Church. We all look forward to receiving a gift from those dear to us but there are others who are waiting patiently to receive from those known only to God.

The psalmist writes; "Blessed are those who have regard for the weak; the LORD delivers them in times of trouble. The LORD protects and preserves them they are counted among the blessed in the land he does not give them over to the desire of their foes. The LORD sustains them on their sickbed and restores them from their bed of illness."

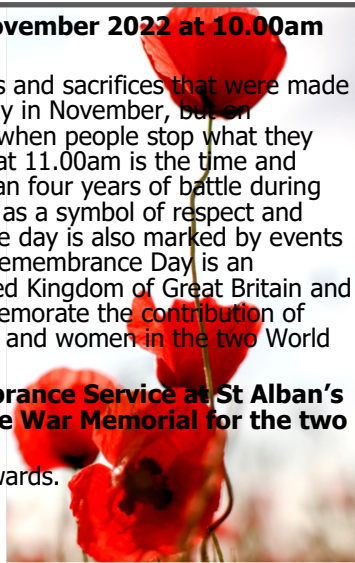
Thank you in advance for your precious gift to those in need.

Remembrance Sunday in Tattenhall Church- 13th November 2022 at 10.00am

Remembrance Day honors the heroic efforts, achievements and sacrifices that were made in past wars. The main observance is on the second Sunday in November, but on November 11 two minutes silence is also held at 11.00am when people stop what they are doing to observe respect for the fallen. November 11 at 11.00am is the time and date when hostilities formally ended in 1918 after more than four years of battle during World War I and is called Armistice Day. Poppies are worn as a symbol of respect and tribute on Remembrance Sunday and on November 11. The day is also marked by events such as memorial services, church services and parades. Remembrance Day is an observance and not a public holiday in the UK. In the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland **Remembrance Sunday** is a day "to commemorate the contribution of British and Commonwealth military and civilian servicemen and women in the two World Wars and later conflicts.

In Tattenhall Community, we will have the Remembrance Service at St Alban's Church at 10.00am after which we will parade to the War Memorial for the two minutes silence, followed by the laying of wreaths.

Refreshments will be served in the Barbour Institute afterwards.



HARVEST FESTIVAL WEEKEND 1ST and 2ND OCTOBER



St Alban's has stood at the spiritual heart of Tattenhall for many hundreds of years. Keeping up with the huge task of looking after the fabric of the church is reliant on financial donations – there is no direct funding available. A healthy response to our Harvest

Appeal will help to ensure St Alban's can continue to be there for us and for future generations providing for life's events – weddings, baptisms, funerals and Services to help us remember Christmas, Easter, Harvest and Remembrance Day.

***The Church will be open until 5.00 pm
On SUNDAY 2ND OCTOBER***

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For Harvest Lunch to be held in the Church Community Room on Sunday 2nd October at 12.30 pm

£5 a ticket. No breakfast that day.

COME TO THE HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE

On Sunday 2nd October at 10.30 am – refreshments after the Service

The Village Surgeries Group

The surgeries will close at 1.00pm on 20th October and 22nd November for staff training.

During this time, please ring 111 for urgent advice or in case of emergency, dial 999. The surgery phone lines will re-open at 5.00pm

PARISH NEWS DEADLINES 2022

Please remember that if you miss the deadline your item may not be published.

The Parish News will now be published every second month. The last deadlines for 2022 is: 11th November. This will be a December/January edition.

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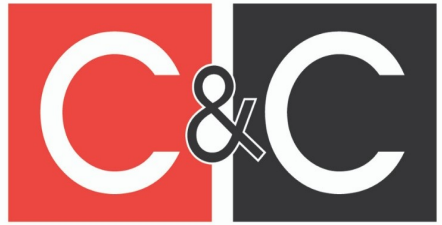
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ST ALBAN'S CHURCH welcomes all gifts left in Wills – large or small. Our policy is to use the gift wisely and it would almost certainly go towards maintaining the fabric of the church building thus ensuring it will remain in a stable and safe condition for generations to come.

YOUR WILL is of course a very private matter and you do not need to disclose anything about what you leave or to whom. There are plenty of Solicitors who can guide and help you write it.

If you would like a general no obligation chat with us before deciding or would like information about what will happen to your gift should you leave one, please contact the Rector (Lameck Mutute 770345) or the Treasurer (Jane Richards 770482).



The Royal British Legion has been supporting Service men and women, ex-serving personnel and their families since 1921.

The British Legion was formed on 15 May 1921, bringing together four national organisations of ex-Servicemen that had established themselves after the First World War:

The amalgamation of these organisations was due to two men: Field Marshal Earl Haig and Tom Lister who lived in Birkenhead. There is still a building, Lister House, used by the Royal British Legion in Birkenhead, which was also used in those days.

By 1921 the tradition of a Two Minute Silence held on the 11th hour of the 11th month had been established and the first ever Poppy Appeal was held which raised £160,000 In 2021, £5,200 was raised in Tattenhall alone!

The adoption of red poppies for Remembrance started following recognition by an American, Moina Michael and a French woman, Anna Guérin of lines in a famous poem written

in 1915 by Lt Col John McCrae following the death of a friend in Ypres entitled "In Flanders Field" which contains the lines "In Flanders' fields the poppies blow Between the crosses, row on row, That mark our place"

Earl Haig, our founder, was persuaded to adopt the poppy as our emblem in the UK. The Royal British Legion, which had been formed in 1921, ordered nine million poppies and sold them on 11 November that year.

Today the work of the Royal British Legion continues with welfare and financial support to serving and retired service men and women, and their families. Much of the funding required comes from that raised during the annual Poppy Appeal which takes place in the two weeks leading up to Remembrance Day.

This year, we will again be remembering those who have suffered as a result of conflict on both 11th November and at our Remembrance service on Sunday 13th November, when will be able to return to our village War Memorial for the Last Post, Reveille and the laying of wreaths.

David Bish

Ken's Korner

Jottings from the crevices of his memory



Now for a bit of advice, not a story this time: Many of you are interested in our family history, and have photo albums,

and some inherited ones, or pictures stored on electronic 'devices'. There is nothing more frustrating than having one passed to you after someone dies, with absolutely no wording in it whatsoever.

Is yours like that – probably; because you know who everybody is, don't you? Of course you do. When your album passes to your children, or near relative, do they have that information? – almost certainly not. If it was Granny's album, things are even worse. I know it's a chore but, and I'm right: take time to go through your

album and make sure each photo has this information on it, or with it: Who, Where, When, Why, or What – five 'W's. You need the 'What' when it's not a person but a 'thing'. Here's the tricky bit. Don't write on the back in ball-point pen. If you do, the indentation you make will show at the front. Worse, the gel ink will slowly soak through as well. Use pen and ink if you can or, write the information on a piece of paper with the photo.

Don't keep photos on your 'device'. It's the most insecure place for them. Download them and get them printed out. Label them at the same time. Lose your device, or it fails, and you might as well not have taken them at all!

End of lesson.



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Diocesan News

Lambeth Conference welcomes bishops from around the world

The three bishops of the Diocese of Chester joined their peers from across the Anglican Communion during summer for the Lambeth Conference 2022. This year's theme was *"God's Church for God's World - walking, listening and witnessing together"*, the conference explored what it means for the Anglican Communion to be responsive to the needs of a 21st Century world. Over six hundred bishops and their spouses will travel to the conference, including those from our link dioceses in the Democratic Republic of Congo and Melanesia. Together the bishops will represent dioceses and Christian communities from around 165 countries of the Anglican Communion - one of the largest Christian communities in the world.



Deanery News

Our next Deanery Chapter meeting will be held at St Alban's Tattenhall. There will be a Communion Service at 10am followed by a chapter meeting of clergy

OUR THREE CHURCHES TOGETHER



ST. ALBAN'S, TATTENHALL



Sunday school

St Alban's Church now runs a Sunday school on the first Sunday of each month. All children are most welcome with their parents. The Sunday school is run in the Community Room (The Vault) every first Sunday at 10.30am where the children enjoy a Bible story and craft activities.

If you feel that you can help in running the Sunday school, please get in touch with the Churchwarden; Ruth Morgan or the Rector; Father Lameck.





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Every first Sunday, we have a family 'Songs of Praise with Breakfast Service'. On the 2nd October, we are having our annual Harvest celebration in church and there will be a special 'Harvest Family Songs of Praise with Breakfast'. This Breakfast takes place in the Community Hall at 9.15am and at 10.30am, we have our Family Songs of praise in church. After the service, there will be a continuation of the breakfast to accommodate those who may not have made it before the service. All are welcome even if you have never been in church; let this be your first time to come and fellowship with us.

"Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without cost".
 (Isaiah 55:1)



Weddings and Baptisms

if you live in the parish and you are planning for a baptism of your child or planning a wedding, please get in touch with the Rector, Churchwardens or send a message on our website.

Church Calendar

Autumn Bible Study

Our next Autumn Bible Study in the community room started on the 21st September and takes place every Wednesday until the end of November. Time 6pm. We will be looking at the book of the Prophet Daniel from chapter 7 onwards. All are welcome even if you have not attended a session before. We are all here to learn from each other.

From the Registers

Weddings

13th August 2022 Scott Robert Ratcliffe and Claire Elizabeth Madley
 (Mr & Mrs Ratcliffe)



Baptism

30th July 2022 Nathan Isaac Jenkins
 31st July 2022 Seren June Browen
 21st August Charlotte (Lottie) Selby

Burial of Remains

2nd September 2022 Jean Patricia Waddington

ALL SAINTS CHURCH, HANDLEY



Services

At Harvest, we declare our generosity by giving freely to those who do not have what we do. The food that we gather will be handed on to those who need it. But this cannot be a once-a-year offering to atone for our guilt. Generosity must become a way of life for the follower of Jesus. Our next Family service in October will be the Harvest service. It is that time of the year when we think of the less fortunate and we urge all those who would like to give to bring non perishables which will be distributed to 'Save the Family' in Chester'. Save the Family in Chester provides residential accommodation and support for families that are homeless (or at risk of becoming homeless) and who have multiple and complex needs.

ST JOHN'S CHURCH, BURWARDSLEY



Service Times

Sunday Songs of Praise 9th October @ 4.30pm

Harvest Service

Sunday Songs of Praise November 13th @ 4.30pm

Remembrance Service

Harvest Songs of Praise Service

This is a service full of joy, fellowship and spiritual feeling. Do you have your favorite harvest hymn or song that you would like to sing along with others? The 2nd Sunday of every month offers you that wonderful spiritual opportunity to sing along with all those who will have chosen their own favorite Songs of Praise. We have about eight spiritually filled Songs of Praise, sung in between some prayers in the service and we conclude with some refreshments as a way of fellowship. Please come and join us on 2nd October on our Harvest Songs of Praise.

We are collecting for the local foodbank to help those in crisis: please bring all donations to the service. We appreciate this is a difficult time for us all so whatever you can give will be very much appreciated.

Join us for our **Remembrance Service** to remember all who went to war and didn't return to the families who suffered waiting for them.

Refreshments will be served after the service and we look forward to seeing you

Date for the Diary

Carol Service

This year, St Johns Carol Service will take place on Saturday 10th December at 4.30pm

There will be a Burwardsley Village Hall Christmas Party after the Service organised by the Village Hall Team . Food, drinks live music raffle all to get you in the festive spirit.

The profit will be split between the Village Hall restoration and St Johns Church.

This will be an evening of fun and laughter to look forward to so please support us.



Tattenhall kind has been set up to support anyone in need in the village. The 3 principles are donating items to those in need, sharing things and helping out.

In the first 2 months we have seen

- 100+ items donated to our Ukrainian and Tattenhall neighbours, including furniture, bikes, gardening tools, toiletries, nappies, clothing and shoes.
- The School Uniform Swap shop which ran during the summer holidays has resulted in huge amounts of uniform being provided for Tattenhall Park and Bishop Heber children of all ages and Kids Bank Chester.
- Tattenhall residents have helped out by lending gardening equipment, planning a winter veg patch, offering help

printing paperwork, helping with lifts and doing DIY.

You can request items/ help by emailing tattenhallkind@outlook.com or filling in a form at the Barbour Institute or at ASTAR Homecare on the High Street.

On the Tattenhall kind Facebook page you can see what items are requested each week, also in the photo albums you can see pictures of 'Kind donations' and items offered 'Free to a good home'.

How can you help?

By joining the Tattenhall kind Facebook group. By telling your friends and neighbours. By thinking before taking items to the tip or charity shop 'might someone in the Village be able to make use of this?'. By donating items. By being kind:)

Thank you for your support and kindness.



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A note from the Treasurer about Harvest Festival

Harvest Festival and Harvest Appeal are on 1st and 2nd OCTOBER. Please look out for posters, check the website and Tattenhall.org for relevant information.

As you will see from the information elsewhere in this magazine there are several ways you can contribute. Many people in the village don't attend church but take an interest in its upkeep and are keen to see it is cared for and well maintained. If YOU fit into this category the Harvest Appeal is perfect for you.

The Appeal Target is £5,000. If we can reach this sum the disparity between income and expenditure could be further reduced allowing us to concentrate on the fabric of the church. LET'S SEE IF WE CAN DUMP THE DEFICIT!

ST ALBAN'S CHURCH WEBSITE

If you use this facility you will have noticed how shockingly out of date some of it is! Fingers crossed this will be remedied in the near future. Watch this space or better still the website!

TATTENHALL and DISTRICT PARISH COUNCIL



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This month's Parish Council meeting was held at the Barbour Institute on Monday 5th September at 7.30pm.

A suggestion had been made regarding an additional bus stop to be placed outside the doctors surgery. It was highlighted the Doctor's practice had not been consulted on the proposal. It was stated that the Surgery would prefer (if funds were available) for monies to be spent on the increasing the size of the surgery as due to increased village population, this would be beneficial.

A further planning application from Gifford Lea Retirement Village was met with strong objection from the Parish Council, partly due to the fact that the development was already larger than originally planned, and there were a significant amount of properties still available.

Concerns arose regarding the absence of the **PCSO** recently. This coincides with a large amount of litter being left around the area of the sports club on the Flacca.

It was highlighted that new bigger and more robust rubbish bins were due to be delivered and placed around the village.

New Christmas lights were being considered for the village and a resident asked that these were in keeping with the Victorian style of the village.

A request for funds was granted to start a new toddler group in the village.

Restoration on the **War Memorial** has been agreed and works would be carried out shortly. It was agreed the working group would now consider if changes could be made to make the memorial more accessible. Any plans developed would be subject to public consultation.

The removal of the dogwood hedging that has started to affect the wall surround the site was agreed.

Public Rights of Way

It was agreed to replace five stiles with kissing gates out of the Parish Council budget. More stiles would be replaced in the same way in due course.

A community Glebe Meadow hedge laying session would be held along Chester Road, and professional hedge layers would be on hand to give instruction to volunteers.

A **Speed Watch Awareness** training session had taken place and another one was arranged for September. Volunteers would be welcome.

The next Parish Council meeting will take place at 7.30pm on Monday 7th November in the Barbour Institute. All residents are invited to attend.

Cllr. Christine Griffiths

Predatory marriage – Protecting yourself and your family?

Ask Our Expert is back!

Rebecca has had a lot of questions sent in over the Summer – here she answers one that is currently very topical:

A rise in so called “predatory” marriages in the UK has prompted a call for vigilance among family members with vulnerable relatives.

A predatory marriage is defined as the practice of marrying an individual who does not have the requisite mental capacity required for marriage, exclusively for the purpose of gaining access to that person’s estate on death.

Current English law states that marriage revokes a Will. Therefore, if an individual lacking capacity is persuaded into marriage, the new spouse will legally become entitled to a significant proportion if not all of the deceased’s estate.

A further problem is that, as the law currently stands, lack of capacity does not render a marriage invalid, only voidable (i.e. the marriage is valid but is capable of becoming annulled on the application of one of the spouses), rather than void (i.e. a marriage that does not comply with the requisite legal requirements and is therefore invalid from the beginning).

Even if the marriage is set aside as voidable, any Will made before the marriage will remain revoked and once an individual has died, the marriage can no longer be set aside for any reason, meaning that the legal rules that apply when someone dies without making a Will (intestacy rules) will prevail, meaning that the spouse inherits.

The problem often stems from the fact that Registrars (often used to facilitate a marriage) are often not trained to ascertain mental capacity from a medical or legal perspective. Capacity to marry is assumed, but for making or changing a Will, the capacity threshold is much higher.

There is currently a large-scale campaign which seeks to change the law to better safeguard vulnerable individuals.

If you have concerns about predatory marriage please contact our Rebecca Robinson on 01829 700 333 to discuss what may be done to prevent it.



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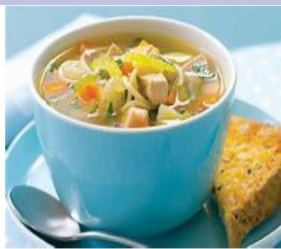


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JANE'S JOTTINGS

A LOT OF SITTING AND THINKING!

I was sitting at my computer the other day with a completely blank mind. It was more than writer's block – I had no subject! I eventually just typed something or other but I was busy with other jobs to do and I didn't read it through to see if it made any sense. When I went back to it I couldn't find it. I am having a particularly busy time at the moment and can ill afford the time wasted on searching for it. My IT world is a strange place and I am never completely at home there. The introduction of a thing called Dropbox has turned it into a nightmare!

I was sitting at my computer yesterday with a completely blank mind wishing I could find what I couldn't find! Eventually I got to thinking about how long I have been sending in Jane's Jottings to the Parish News and realised it must be over a year because I remember asking what it was about autumn that made everyone wax lyrical – except me! As I thought about this what struck me was the

certainly that 99% of those jottings mentioned volunteering! I could be seen as being obsessed with it.

This got me thinking! In spite of me laying it on thick about the lack of volunteers, there are a lot of people in Tattenhall who do a tremendous amount for the Community. These good people do their best but can find themselves open to criticism. We all have different ideas and would possibly do things differently. If we have no intention of taking up the mantle and doing the job ourselves, perhaps we should keep our thoughts to ourselves. Perhaps then more volunteers will come forward safe in the knowledge they can get on with their job their way.

You see – I just can't get away from volunteering!

I was sitting at my computer today and heard the news the Queen (my constant and only monarch for all my life) had died. This got me thinking – but that's another story.

Jane Richards

Help Needed!

Could you volunteer in any of these areas?

- We need help with mowing sections of the Churchyard. All equipment is provided.
- Painting the gates and metalwork.
- Can you use Wix website builder? We need someone to update our website (1-2 hours per month).
- The Holy Dusters!
Some light dusting and cleaning either on a rota or a one off.

Please contact George on 01829 770482

Autumn/Winter2022 is once again proving to be a busy season, with lots going on sports wise and socially.

First and foremost, each section of the Club welcomes new members. Please do visit our website www.sporttattenhall.co.uk for more information or to arrange a tour round the facilities! So, a quick round up of the winter sports going on at the moment:

Football: Under new manager Ollie Sayles, AFC Tattenhall has made a positive start in the Chester & District Sunday Morning League; the junior teams are also thriving, with teams from U7s to U10s, and a girls' team, all involved in the leagues.

Squash: Squash is also expanding. Following the success of three of our juniors being selected to represent Cheshire at an Inter-County Tournament back in April, a third League Team, giving these players league match practice, has been formed. Social clubnights, coaching and League play are all part of the club!

Racket Ball: For those that prefer a gentler version of squash, Racketball is your answer. Not sure about it? ... then

come along Mondays or Thursdays from 4pm to have a look!

Running: Tuesday and Thursday evening training runs are back on the roads for the winter now; interspersed with North Wales Cross Country events and the Boarders League Road Race Events, there's plenty of variety for everyone.

Gym: Monthly and annual membership packages, online advance booking, personal trainers, free compulsory induction and the most stunning view, makes our gym a very appealing training environment!

Social: Social membership is available for non-sports' members (all sports' members automatically get social membership); and with a busy and varied events' calendar the fully licensed Club Bar, with pool table, large screen TV with Sky Sports and BT Total Sports, has become the hub of the Club again! Please note that social membership only becomes active 48 hours after registration.

Further details on any of the above can be found on our website: www.sporttattenhall.co.uk.

Loss Café/Forget-me-not



This Cafe is not all doom and gloom nor does it focus solely on death or losing someone dear. This Loss café is similar to what was known as 'Forget-me-not'. There are many aspects around loss and coming to the cafe gives a chance to explore them. A time to reflect, think, listen, laugh and offer any experiences you may have to help others. Sharing can help and time spent at the Cafe can be a comfort. You do not have to bring anything. Tea and coffee is served at the beginning of our session. All our meetings are held on the last Friday of the month unless stated. The next meeting will be held on Friday 30th September in the Church Community Room. If you would like to know more about the 'Loss Café/Forget-me not', please contact the Rector on 01829 770245. All are welcome.

"Sometimes the best medicine is just a good chat in friendly company"



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Autumn events at the Barbour Institute



Weds 29th Sept, 7 for 7.30pm start—Film Night at the Barbour returns with Downton—A New Era, £5 entry, refreshments and BYO, all welcome

NHS Booster Clinics at the Barbour October 1st, 2nd, 14th, 15th, 22nd 23rd. and December the 17th. More details as we receive them

Sat 8th Oct, 7pm— Wrestling Returns to the Barbour, tickets available from ticketsource.co.uk/basixwrestling

Weds 26th Oct, 7 for 7.30pm, Film Night presents Elvis, £5 all welcome

Sat 29th Oct, 10am—diddi dance Halloween Spook-tacular. Tickets available from www.diddidance.com suitable for 8yrs + under

Sat 29th Oct, 7.30-11pm—Elvis Returns to Tattenhall, £15 in aid of DEC Ukraine

Sun 30th Oct, 10—12midday—Tattenhall Repair Café, all welcome

NHS Booster Clinic at the Barbour November 11th. More details to follow.

Sun 13th Nov—Remembrance Sunday

24th, 25th, 26th Nov—TADS present Keep it in the Family, performances 7pm.

Weds 30th Nov, 7 for 7.30pm, Film Night at the Barbour film TBC

Sun 4th Dec, 2pm, Barbour Christmas Market. A selection of local sellers and Christmas specialities. Contact the office to book your table

Sat 10th Dec, Parish Council Christmas Parties at the Barbour

Sun 11th Dec, Tattenhall Village Christmas Market

NHS Booster Clinic at the Barbour Dec 17th. More details to follow

**200
CLUB**

October is the month for the Grand Draw when one lucky member will win **£1500**. Look out for details of when this will take place.

If you are not yet a member but would like to take this easy way of supporting the Barbour Institute, please contact the office for details. The first draw of the new membership year will be in November so there's still time to get involved.

TATTENHALL OVER FIFTIES (TOFs)
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Tattenhall Over Fifties began their August meeting with the AGM. Chairman Noel Atkinson read his report and officer elections took place. Noel remains Chairman, Katherine Bosley Vice-Chairman, Keith Gelling Treasurer and Carol Spencer Secretary. Jean Williams, Joyce Gelling and Josie Lloyd remained on the committee but we welcome new members Doreen Parkin, Chris Leviston and Jean Boughey. Thanks were given to the retiring committee members

The remainder of the afternoon was a fascinating magic show from Peter Turner. In September Tony Bostock gave an interesting talk on the pub signs of Cheshire.

At the meeting on Thursday October 6th we will be entertained by Jon and Pam singing "Songs from the 1950's and 1960's".

On Thursday November 3rd we are holding our Christmas Market. Stalls will include Usborne Books, Josies Xmas Decorations, Dab Hand Puzzles, Eileens Decoupage, Doreens Knitted Toys and David Bish with

poppies and Remembrance items.

This is an open afternoon and everyone is welcome to join us

Our year will end on Thursday 1st December with Christmas Lunch at the Barbour Institute. The meal will be provided by Harvey's and entertainment will be local singer Nathan Turner.

The weather let us down a little on the Llandudno trip as there were a couple of showers but it didn't dampen peoples spirits as they wandered around the shops and prom and enjoyed fish and chips and ice cream.

The final trip of the year was to the Llyn Peninsula We travelled through some lovely Autumn scenery and enjoyed time in Caernarfon, Pwllheli and Portmadog.

The committee are already discussing items for next years meetings and places for coach trips.

The weather may be cooling but a warm welcome awaits on the first Thursday of every month so come along and be a TOF.

TATTENHALL BRIDGE CLUB
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We meet on Fridays at 7.00 p.m. in the Community Room at St Albans Church, Tattenhall



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
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It's been another exciting two months for Transition Tattenhall. We launched the Repair Café after a successful period of fundraising and have so far held events at the end of

July and end of August. These have both been well attended and our fantastic Repairers have fixed equipment, mended clothes, sharpened knives and tools, and repaired tables and chairs (along with many other things). The next Repair Café will be 30th October so do come along and check it out. There's a review of the first event on our website if you'd like to find out more.

We'll be holding our next member's event on Sunday 9th October. This will be an opportunity to get deciding and planning on the next group of projects to be undertaken addressing all our key themes of carbon neutrality, biodiversity, community resilience and reducing consumption.

More information on this event is available on our website where you can also find out about our current projects and the project ideas generated at our last members meeting in July.

Our weekly Meditation sessions continue each Tuesday 6:15 – 7pm in St Alban's Church. This peaceful venue is ideal for quiet contemplation, helping mental health and building personal resilience. Join us next Tuesday to find out what it's all about.

Membership is open to everybody and you can join at any of our events, or at any time via our website. As always, you can find out more about Transition Tattenhall and what we're doing at

www.transitiontattenhall.co.uk and you can contact us on

transition.tattenhall@gmail.com



Tattenhall Music Society begins its season on **Sunday, October 9th at 6.30pm** in St. Alban's

Parish Church, Tattenhall.

Doors open 5.45pm, and we start with an amazing Ensemble.

Pianist, Viv McClean, will be joined by a talented group of friends ... violinist, Zoe Beyers, (who is leader of the BBC Philharmonic Orchestra) and will be performing Schubert's 'Trout Quintet' with fellow orchestra players Gemma Dunne, viola, (Halle Orchestra) and cellist Jessica Schaeffer and playing double bass, Ronan Dunne, both from the BBC Philharmonic Orchestra. Quite an amazing group of musicians and an exciting start to the season! All tickets will be £12 and can be purchased in advance from both Tattenhall News and Tattenhall Post Office or you can just pay on the door.

The second concert on **Sunday, November 13th at 6.30pm**, Remembrance Sunday, also at St.Alban's Parish Church welcomes back **'Metropolitan Brass'** who made a massive impact last time they were in Tattenhall. The musicians are Tim Barber and Matt Palmer, trumpets, Andrew Maher, French Horn, Simon Powell, trombone and Conall Gormley, tuba. A guaranteed evening of rousing and fabulous music.

Again tickets, £12, from the two Tattenhall outlets or pay on the door. Any enquiries about either of these two concerts don't hesitate to get in touch. Anne McGrath Tel: 01829 770932 or

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Neil passed away on 3 July after a short illness. A very special person with a dry sense of humour he is sorely missed by his family and friends.



The speaker at the West Cheshire Rural u3a monthly meeting on 20th October is Rosemarie Lee with a talk titled " The Reluctant Shepherdess". The speaker on 17th November is Rob Huxley who will talk about " The Huxley Hoard".

Meetings are held at the Barbour Institute in Tattenhall, from 2pm. For membership information please contact our membership secretary Dorothy Turpy via the contact page on our website <https://u3asites.org.uk/west-cheshire/home>

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