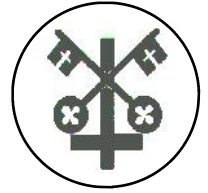




ST MARY & ST PETER NEWSLETTER



July & August 2012

A free newsletter published by the Church for every home in Boxted and Langham

PARISH DIARY – JULY

Church services

1st	St Mary's	8.30	Eucharist (BCP)
	St Peter's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service
		3.00	Band Service
8th	St Mary's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	St Peter's	6.00	Evensong
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service
15th	St Mary's	8.30	Eucharist (BCP)
	St Peter's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
		6.00	Connect (Contemporary worship)
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service with Holy Communion
22nd	St Mary's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	St Peter's	6.00	Evensong with prayer for healing
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service
29th	St Mary's	8.30	Eucharist (BCP)
	St Peter's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service

Other events

Boxted Parish Council	11th	7.30	Boxted Village Hall
Boxted Footpath Walk			Walks resume in October
Boxted Coffee Café	Tuesday	10.30–12	Boxted Village Hall
Boxted Evergreen Club	12th & 26th	2.30	Boxted Village Hall
Boxted WI	10th	6.00	Visit to Layer Marney
Boxted History Group	28th		Visit to Boxted Airfield Museum
Boxted Art & Craft Club			Sessions resume in September
Boxted Bingo	25th	7.30	Boxted Village Hall
The Point, Boxted	12th	5–6.30	Boxted Village Hall
	19th		Adventureland
			(joint session with Langham members)
Boxted Carpet Bowls	Monday	2.00 & Friday 7.00	Boxted Village Hall
Boxted Lodgers FC	Wednesday	7.00	King George Playing Field
Little Owls Pre-School (Boxted)	Monday–Friday	In school term	
		9.15–12.15 & 12.15–3.15 (9.15–3.15 also available)	King George Playing Field
Boxted Methodist Silver Band	Wednesday	7.30	Boxted Methodist Schoolroom
		(Monday in term-time, 7.30: Training Band)	
Langham Parish Council	2nd	7.30	Langham Community Centre
Langham Footpath Walk			Walks resume in October
Langham WI			Outing: particulars to be notified
Crafty Ladies	3rd	10.00–4.00	Langham Community Centre
100 Club Coffee Morning	27th	10.00	Draw at Community Shop
			(Next Coffee Morning in September)
Boxted Airfield Historical Group	17th	7.30	Museum, Langham Lane
			(Krys Lanowski: "Withold Lanowski")
Patchwork Pals, Langham	18th	10.00–3.00	Langham Community Centre
The Point, Langham	5th	5–6.30	Langham Community Centre
	19th		Adventureland
			(joint session with Boxted members)
Langham Carpet Bowls	Tuesday	2.00 & Friday 7.30	L'm Community Centre
Langham Bridge Club	Monday	7.15	Langham Community Centre
Langham Pre-School	Mon. & Thur	9.15–11.45; Tue, Wed & Fri	9.15–2.30
		In school term	Langham Community Centre
2nd Langham Scout Group	Wednesday	(times vary)	Langham Community Centre
Langham Baby/Toddler Group	Monday	In school term	
		9.45–11.15	Langham Community Centre
Langham Tennis Club Coaching Sessions			Langham Recreation Ground
	Sundays – Pay & Play:	10.15–11.15 (age 5–10); 11.15–12.30 (age 11–17)	

PARISH DIARY – AUGUST

Church services

5th	St Mary's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	St Peter's		No service
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service
12th	St Mary's		No service
	St Peter's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service with Holy Communion
19th	St Mary's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	St Peter's		No service
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service
26th	St Mary's		No service
	St Peter's	10.00	Sung Eucharist
	Methodist Chapel	10.30	Morning Service

Other events

Boxted Parish Council			Next meeting 12 September
Boxted Footpath Walk			Walks resume in October
Boxted Coffee Café	Tuesday	10.30–12	Boxted Village Hall
Boxted Evergreen Club	9th & 23rd	2.30	Boxted Village Hall
Boxted WI	14th		Outing: particulars to be notified
Boxted History Group	15th		Boxted Village Hall
			(Sarah Dolg & Tony Schreuegger: "Ancestral Voices")
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Langham Parish Council			Next meeting 4 September
Langham Footpath Walk			Walks resume in October
Langham WI	9th	7.30	Langham Community Centre
			(Jane Pearson: "Women's Lives & Work")
Crafty Ladies	7th	10.00–4.00	Langham Community Centre
100 Club Coffee Morning	31st	10.00	Draw at Community Shop
			(Next Coffee Morning in September)
Boxted Airfield Historical Group	5th, 26th & 27th		Museum, Langham Lane
			(Museum open to public 10.00–4.00)
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SATURDAY 30 JUNE

BOXTED STRAWBERRY FAIR
An afternoon of
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Teddy Bear Parachute Jumps

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BOXTED

DIAMOND JUBILEE MUGS

There are still some of Boxted's Diamond Jubilee mugs available. They are £2 each and may be obtained from Anne Newman. If you'd like one, please phone her on 272351.

REFUSE FREIGHTER

A Borough Council refuse freighter will call at Boxted and Langham on Saturday 4 August for you to dispose of those unwanted items that are unsuitable or too big to put in the weekly collections. It will be at Langham Community Centre from 8 am to 9.15 am and at Boxted Playing Field car park from 10 am to 12 md.

From the Parish Registers

Marriage

Christopher Edwards & Trudy Cock

Paul Tage & Tracy Everett

Blessing of Civil Marriage

Gary Wheeler & Carol Norman

Burial

Adrian Harold Grant

In Memoriam

Marie Parker

Saturday
7 JULY

MUSIC FOR A SUMMER'S EVENING

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BOXTED VILLAGE HALL SNOWBALL

June Winners

£25 Mrs H Graves

£10 Mr & Mrs Sadler

£ 6 Gill Pullen

£ 4 Ros Freeland

*If you would like to join the Snowball,
ring Chris Tadman on 273216.*

JOHN JACKSON

After twelve years of organising the Boxted Village Hall Snowball and collecting on its behalf, John Jackson has decided to retire. The Village Hall Management Committee and everyone else concerned are most grateful for John's steadfast and successful efforts to raise funds for the Village Hall. He is succeeded as Snowball promoter by Christopher Tadman (273216).

BOXTED EVERGREEN CLUB

Forty-one Evergreens greatly enjoyed their expedition to Shotley, where they partook of excellent fish and chip lunches. On 31 May, members tackled a magnificent spread in celebration of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee.



Three who recall King George V's Silver Jubilee: (left) Laura Smerdon opening the Langham Jubilee Fete and (right) Gwen Gant and Douglas Carter enjoying the festivities in Boxted Churchyard



Boxted Green Lane: Knobbly Knees competition



Langham Fete: Tug o' War

BOXTED WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

With Union Flags in abundance and wearing red, white and blue, members at the June meeting enjoyed Norman Jacob's account, enlivened by images and recordings, of Butlin's Holiday Camp at Clacton. Instead of an ordinary meeting, in July there will be a tour of Layer Marney Tower, followed by a Ploughman's Supper.

LANGHAM WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Members were entertained at the June meeting by an illustrated talk about the diary of a young man in Victoria's reign. The Garden Party on 29 July will be at the President's home, the afternoon tea having an Olympic theme. The WI's pole-vaulting and beach volley-ball teams will give a bikini-clad demonstration.

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LANGHAM 100 CLUB

May Winners

£40 Mrs Banham
£25 D Winter
£15 Langham Tennis Club
£10 Mrs Smerdon

If you would like to join the 100 Club, ring Sue Armstrong on 271127.

CRAFTY LADIES AT LANGHAM

The Crafty Ladies, meeting monthly in Langham Community Centre (see the Parish Diary on P1), go from strength to strength. Their first meeting saw six attending but by May that number had tripled to eighteen. This is really not surprising, for everyone is very friendly and enjoys the social side of sessions as well as working on the various projects. If you go along just to see what it's like, you can be sure of a good welcome.

THE QUEEN'S DIAMOND JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS IN BOXTED AND LANGHAM

The two villages celebrated Her Majesty's Diamond Jubilee in different styles but with equal enthusiasm and similar determination to surmount all the British Summer could drop on them. At Boxted the emphasis was on spontaneous localised events, while at Langham the Parish Council promoted the formation of a steering committee to organise events concentrated on the Community Centre.

Boxted

The Jubilee Tea Party at St Peter's School, for which the children had made bunting and invited parents and WI members, was spoilt by awful weather. However, the people of Windmill Close held a traditional street party on the Sunday afternoon. Despite the wet, everyone (many dressed in red, white and blue) had a great time, with games for the children and competitions for the best-decorated house and the best home-made hat. Church Road and Church Street residents with some from other parts of Boxted, gathered in St Peter's churchyard on Monday afternoon, the Union Flag flying from the church tower with further colour from yards of red, white and blue bunting. There was a well-patronised barbeque and music was provided by the Butler family and the Parish's Youth Worker, David Valchar. Corks popped, the Loyal Toast was drunk and "God Save the Queen" sung lustily. On Monday afternoon also, the Royal British Legion put on a disco for young people with a fancy dress "Prince & Princess" competition; for adults, the festivities continued into the evening, with much merrymaking. The residents of Workhouse Hill, Wet Lane and Green Lane got together to organise their own party on Tuesday afternoon and evening at Elmcroft, Green Lane. People, many of them in Union Flag attire, brought food and drink for themselves and others and there were games and competitions of various sorts. Rain in the evening prevented the planned firework display but did not prevent the Loyal Toast from being drunk in champagne.

Langham

Celebrations opened with a tennis tournament on the Saturday morning; it was followed by a brilliantly organised and very well attended Fête on the Recreation Ground, which, although traditional in concept, had many novel features such as a parade of classic cars, some dating from before the Queen's reign, and, to the huge delight of the crowd, three low-level "passes" by Lancaster PA474 of the Battle of Britain Memorial Flight. The Community Centre hall was a riot of red, white and blue for the Saturday evening Talent Show, when an audience of 160 enjoyed entertainment by amazingly talented villagers of all ages. The evening ended with the loudest possible singing of "Land of Hope & Glory", "Rule Britannia" and the National Anthem, followed by three tremendous cheers for Her Majesty. Heavy rain forced the Village Picnic on the Sunday to take cover, with reduced numbers, in the Community Centre hall, but everyone had a very good time. The Rounders Tournament had to be postponed but will take place soon.

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8 JULY

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