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Local Police Officers or PCSO's	01695 566444
Street Lighting Fault Reporting Line	0300 1236701
Fire Safety Helpline	0800 169 1125

THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST.CUTHBERT, HALSALL

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Church Lane

Lydiate

L31 4HL

Phone: 0151 526 0512

Parish Mobile: 07518 926086

Email: paulrobinson407@gmail.com

Parish Surgery: Anyone wishing to arrange a Baptism or Wedding should ring the Rector's Secretary to make an appointment. The phone number of the office is 0151 526 2292 and the office is staffed Monday-Wednesday 9.00am—1.00pm or you can email at:

stthomassteph@btinternet.com

The Sick: This parish is committed to the care of the sick. Names of those in need of this ministry, either at home or in hospital, should be given to Paul. The Blessed Sacrament (Holy Communion) is reserved in church and can be taken to the housebound or ill. Holy Oil is also kept for the anointing of the sick.

The Dying: Paul can be contacted at any time of the day or night in order to minister to the dying.

Halsall St Cuthbert Hub website

The website for the St Cuthbert Church community can be viewed at

www.halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk

The website contains information about services and events, archive material including school reports, Halsall Parish Magazines dating from now and back to the 1800's, information and other general news updates.

It also provides a link to *Virginmoneygiving.com* where it is possible to donate to us online. On the spot updates are also available via the Facebook page.

We would love to hear from anyone who may wish to suggest other content that would be relevant and of interest to the community.

General enquiries about the site can be directed by e-mail to:

info@halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk

Your Reader Writes

I really like and value the time of intercessions in church.

In church, the intercessions often focus on the world (creation, nations at war, natural disasters, refugees etc.); our communities and nation (school “families”, our politicians, the government and the Queen – as Supreme Governor of Church of England); the church (world wide - especially those who face persecution in practising their faith; and for those who guide us in our faith - including our Rector and Bishops); and those in need (especially those who are ill and the bereaved).

I like the simplicity of the hymn “What a friend we have in Jesus”. It includes the line “what a privilege to carry everything to God in prayer”. I really value that time in Church partly because my personal prayers tends to focus on my individual concerns - to things and people closer to home. That’s partly why I cherish that time in church; that and praying together with the gathered community of people of faith.

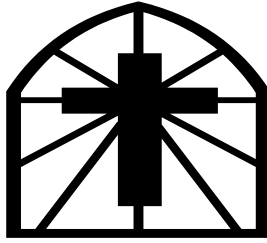
There was recent controversy in America over politicians saying (in response to yet another mass shooting), “my prayers are with you and your community” whilst refusing to do anything to limit the availability of the 393 million firearms that American civilians own - about 46% of the civilian firearms owned globally.

I have increasingly felt challenged about prayer. If I’m honest, I find it all too easy to pray for those who are lonely (for example) then feel as if I’ve done something about the lonely; I’ve met my obligations to them. It is great to remember those in need before God, to pray for our communities, our politicians etc BUT we must then do what we can to live out those values and to help bring about the kind of world we pray for.

If we really want God’s Kingdom to come - to give the good news - we have to LIVE the good news, SHARE the good news, even BE the good news.

So, we should be careful what we pray for because God may be asking YOU AND ME to get our hands dirty.

With very best wishes. David Walker



SUNDAY SERVICES IN THE UNITED BENEFICE FOR JUNE

Sunday 2nd June – Easter 7

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	BCP Holy Communion	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

Sunday 9th June – Pentecost

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	Parade	St Thomas'

Sunday 16th June – Trinity Sunday

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	BCP Holy Communion	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

Sunday 23rd June – Trinity 1

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	Family Eucharist	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

Sunday 30th June – Trinity 2

10.30am	United Benefice Eucharist	St Thomas'
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MID-WEEK SERVICES IN THE UNITED BENEFICE

Wednesday 5 th June	10.00am	St Thomas' Church
Wednesday 12 th June	10.00am	St Thomas' Church
Wednesday 19 th June	10.00am	St Thomas' Church
Wednesday 26 th June	10.00am	St Thomas' Church



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On

Sunday 23rd JUNE 2019

At

9.30am

(Refreshments available from 9.15am)

A Great Celebration for ALL the Family



Halsall Scarecrows Update

Please put your Scarecrows out from June 1st. Everyone is invited to make a Scarecrow and display it outside their house or in one of the public areas around the village. There is no theme, just use your imagination.



If you need inspiration or a reminder of the Scarecrows from 2018 go to halsallscarecrows2018.weebly.com

There are lots of people looking forward to seeing them all.

**It's not a competition
It's just for fun!**

For further information and ideas see our Facebook page -
Halsall Scarecrows
or contact Eleanor Wroe - elliwroe@hotmail.com or 01704
841216

CHALICE ROTA

June 2019



2 nd June	Elaine Ayre	Ann Cushion
9 th June	Gwyn Williams	Lynda Bramwell
16 th June	Sarah Mitchell	Lynda Bramwell
23 rd June	Angela Banks	Lynda Bramwell
30 th June	Diane Comfort	Lynda Bramwell

SANCTUARY LIGHTS

JUNE

1st James Edward Cheetham (Anniversary)
 2nd Dorothy Cheetham (Birthday)
 3rd Cissie Balshaw (Birthday)
 3rd Ann Huyton (Birthday)
 6th Elizabeth J Ball
 9th Michael James Yule (Anniversary)
 12th Norman Rhodes
 13th Margaret Dutton
 16th Margaret Balshaw
 25th Mary Kenyon
 25th John Banks (Anniversary)
 27th John Stopforth
 27th George Balshaw (Birthday)
 28th Ken Mawdsley (Birthday)
 29th John Prescott (Anniversary)
 30th Peter Bradshaw (Birthday)



WARDENS AND SIDEPERSONS

June 2019



2nd	Stephen Henders	Anne Grimshaw	Beryl Sephton Tara Kenyon
9th	Lynda Bramwell	Angela Webster	Ann Cushion Rebecca Ridley
16th	Stephen Henders	Elaine Ayre	Elaine Ayre Carol Banks
23rd	Lynda Bramwell	Colin Throp	Eileen Houlgrave Ann Critchley
30th	Stephen Henders	Anne Grimshaw	Eleanor Wroe Enid Banks

CHURCH CLEANING ROTA

June 2019



9th June	E Wroe	J Wroe B Knowles	K Mudd	J Rawsthorne
23rd June	E Banks	N Donaldson S Roberts	M Webster	L Wilkinson

Notre Dame de Paris

On the evening of Monday 15th April 2019 French TV news channels supplied the world with pictures of the Cathedral of Notre Dames de Paris, one of the most famous Christian buildings in the world, being decimated by fire. The sense of national shock was palpable. One leading personality who is strongly associated with heritage issues was quoted as saying that it was 'like watching a much loved relative slip away'. There was no sense of surprise that President Macron cancelled an important television address to the nation that evening at 30 minutes notice. It is important to appreciate however, that the relationship between the French state and religion is very different from that in the UK, with a strict division being maintained between civil matters and religious activities. For example, the church I attend in Virey is welcome to use the local community 'Salle' for coffee after a service, but it would actually be illegal to have any sort of prayer or Bible study there as it is a civic building. Nevertheless, the state at both national and local levels contributes much money to the upkeep of church buildings, as this seen as important in maintaining the French heritage. It was this concern for history and heritage which underlay the sense of national sadness expressed in the media. This led me to reflect upon what precisely had been lost in the fire? History and heritage are important, but the Church is the people! I am pleased that no fire fighters were seriously hurt in fighting this blaze, as their lives are worth more than any building or 'relic'. When I reflect criticisms regarding the ease with which such huge sums of money have been pledged to restore an old building, but not to alleviate the problems of poverty and social injustice, I find myself asking 'where would the priorities of Jesus lie: restoring an old building or alleviating human need?'

Philip Murphy

Halsall Football Club 1919 -2019



This year Halsall Football Club celebrate their centenary and are celebrating this with a special occasion on June 9th 2019.

All are welcome to come along and join us at the Memorial Field, Halsall from 1pm.

There will be a football match followed by refreshments where people can catch up with old footie team mates and family, look at photos etc. and hopefully past trophies will be there to view.

If you have any photos or football memorabilia to share, please bring them with you on the day or call numbers below to arrange getting them.

Please contact Ian Goldstraw 07817250526 or Paul Williams on 07810448136 if you're interested or would like more info.



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THE FUTURE OF SHIRDLEY HILL VILLAGE GREEN

The village green has for the past three years been maintained by a voluntary group of men and women. The men maintain the green, the pond, woods and wildflower beds whilst the women maintain the raised flower beds and boxes. Originally there were 5 male volunteers but after sterling service two have had to withdraw because of health issues and, of the remaining two are in their late seventies. They work a minimum of 7 hours per week spread over 2 days normally on Tuesdays and Fridays. They work in all weather conditions with the exception of torrential rain when they adjourn to the bus shelter until it stops. Therefore, we need more volunteers prepared to give up some of their time to keep the green looking neat, tidy and in good condition. The area of the green is approximately one and a half acres containing a pond, woods, wildflower beds, fruit bushes, apple and plum trees and large areas of lawn and grass and is encircled by a hedge that needs to be cut at least twice a year as if not it becomes a hazard to motorists who cannot see what is coming on the blind bend when turning right from Heathey Lane. The circular pathway on the green needs to be trimmed every two years to stop encroachment of turf from the centre. At present we cut that turf and lay it in clear parts of the wood with excellent results. Nothing is wasted. If there are more volunteers, then it would not be necessary to work the 7 hours per week as at present.

We mainly use our own equipment and sometimes adapt tools for particular jobs, so if anybody has some spare gardening tools that they want to get rid of then they will be of great help. Unfortunately, as there is no electricity supply on the green should anybody wish to donate power tools, they would have to be petrol or battery driven. At the moment we use a sit on mower kindly donated to us by a local lady resident and another owned by one of the volunteers. These are a necessity and can be expensive to maintain, also some of our equipment needs to be replaced. For example, when volunteers wearing waders remove reeds, algae and now a weekly problem of green slime on the surface the waders are beginning to leak.

Consequently, the last request is for cash donations. We have been refused by major charities purely because we don't own the land and having tried other charities, they appear to have the same provision. We now feel that without help, better maintained equipment and a financial reserve that we can't improve the green, particularly if an occasion arises where money is required that SHREW cannot finance due to other commitments.

Anybody wishing to make a donation specifically for the upkeep of the green or to talk to us about volunteering can see us every Tuesday and Friday between 9.30am and at least 1pm and you will be more than welcome. Also, you can donate to SHREW via David Corfield on 840705. The future of the green is in the hands of residents so, if you can help, please do so.

NEWS FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL

PLANNING

019/0164/FUL – 235 Carr Moss Lane – Installation of new septic tank to replace existing cesspit.

2019/0299/FUL – 235 Carr Moss Lane – Proposed single and two storey extension to rear of dwelling and internal alterations, existing garage to side to be demolished upon completion and prior to occupation of extended dwelling.

2019/0384/FUL - Land Off Carr Moss Lane – Temporary access from Carr Moss Lane to facilitate working area within private land.

PARKING ALONG SUMMERWOOD LANE

Cars parking either side of Summerwood Lane at school times and when funerals and weddings are taking place at St Cuthbert's are causing an obstruction and prevent large vehicles, including the emergency services from passing through.

Please use the Memorial Hall car park whenever possible.

PARKING ON NEW STREET NEAR TO THE JUNCTION WITH CARR MOSS LANE

This is creating a dangerous situation for cars trying to turn out of Carr Moss Lane because their line of sight is obstructed and we would ask that people refrain from parking so close to the junction before a serious accident occurs.

PARKING ON CARR MOSS LANE NEAR TO THE JUNCTION WITH LINEKAR DRIVE

Once again the Parish Council would ask people to use some common sense when parking their cars and not to park so close to the junction as to restrict residents of Linekar Drive from being able to see oncoming cars approaching from both directions when exiting the drive.

PARKING ALONG SEGARS LANE

Cars double parking and parking on pavements are causing problems along Segars Lane. Can residents please park in their driveways if possible and leave enough room when parking on pavements to allow prams and wheelchairs to get through.

NEWS FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL continued

Parish Council Meetings

The next Parish Council Meeting will take place on Wednesday 12th June 2019 at 7.30 p.m. at The Memorial Hall, Halsall Road, Halsall.

Please note: If you wish to make audio or video recording, or take photographs of the meeting please phone Dave Bond, Parish Clerk on 01704 534090 or email davebondhpc@aol.com in advance of the meeting so that this can be arranged in an organised manner in order to minimise any disruption.

A full list of Councillors and contact numbers can be found toward the front of the magazine.

The Parish Council Website www.halsallparish.com includes agendas and minutes of previous meetings.

For information:

BUS SERVICE - 315 ROUTE DESCRIPTION

From ORMSKIRK Bus Station via Moor Street, St Helens Road, Park Road, Aughton Street, Prescott Road, TOWN GREEN, Town Green Lane, Winifred Lane, AUGHTON, Turnpike Road, Formby Lane, Birches Brow, Broad Lane, DOWNHOLLAND CROSS, Delf Lane, Altcar Lane, Black-a-Moor Lane, School Lane, HASKAYNE, Wanisar Lane, Southport Road, BARTON, Hill Brow, New Street, HALSALL, Halsall Road,

Renacres Lane, SHIRDLEY HILL, Heathey Lane, Birkdale Cop, Moss Road, SOUTHPORT, Bentham's Way, Town Lane, Scarisbrick New Road, Eastbank Street and Lord Street to SOUTHPORT Lord Street (Leicester Street Stop).

Returning from SOUTHPORT Lord Street (Union Street Stop) via Lord Street, Eastbank Street, then outward route reversed to ORMSKIRK Bus Station.

*Hail and Ride applies on these and all rural roads.

USE IT OR LOSE IT

The Parish Council

The very name Parish Council suffers on two counts, firstly it's redolent of the Victorian era and secondly it can give rise to the misconception it's in some way connected with the church. Whilst the latter is definitely not the case, it was Gladstone as Prime Minister in 1894 who introduced a Local Government Act establishing Parish Councils as the first tier of Local Government.

There have of course been many changes since then but the basic concept remains the same and up and down the country some 10,000 Parish Councils see as their prime function the safeguarding of residents rights and the improving of conditions and services at a local level.

To be an effective tier of local government, the commitment, skills and contribution of individuals serving as either elected or co-opted Parish Councillors is required. The good news is that these are non-political posts, by and large Parish Councils are apolitical, preferring to simply act in the best interests of the residents. Halsall Parish Council has a long and distinguished history and to ensure that continues, we need to expand the existing team.

Key Responsibilities of a Parish Councillor

Councillors, acting together as the Parish Council, have responsibility for running certain local services such as public open spaces, play areas, village halls, community car schemes and potentially many more depending on the area.

Deciding how much to raise through the precept in order to deliver services for which the Parish Council's is responsible.

Influencing and shaping long term development policies for the Parish, and as part of the overall planning process, commenting on planning applications made within the Parish.

Improving the quality of life and the environment in the local area.

Working to identify issues which are important to the lives of the residents you represent, traffic, street lighting and drainage are examples

Working to bring about improvements through local projects, lobbying other service providers and working in partnership with other Parishes, local authorities and agencies.

A Councillor agrees to attend insofar as is possible all meetings to which she or he is summoned, normally 11 or so per year.

Councillors acting as a team are responsible for the financial decisions made. In addition, as individuals, a key task is to bring local issues to the attention of the Council, participate in debate and help the Council to make decisions on behalf of the local community.

Halsall Parish Council has 2 vacancies at present.

If you wish to apply to be co-opted onto the Council please contact Dave Bond, Parish Clerk on 01704 534090
Email: davebondhpc@aol.com

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Halsall Village Proud & Tidy Group



We would like to say a **very big thank you to Brian Lloyd** who has done a tremendous amount of work around the village recently. The Churchyard in particular has benefitted from his efforts and many people have commented on how good it looks. Our little band of helpers have really appreciated his extra hard work. Well done Brian!!!

The Best Kept Village Judging starts on 8th June and we are hoping to have things as shipshape as possible by then and throughout the summer.

We especially ask everyone who has residential or commercial property in the village to take a look at the front of their properties to ensure things are in good order.



Litter is a problem at times, so, if you see a bit, please pick it up and bin it.

We're proud of our village! Let's all do the best we can!

For further information please post on our Facebook site (Halsall Village Proud & Tidy Group), or contact Eleanor Wroe (elliwroe@hotmail.com or 01704 841216) or Enid Banks (enidbanks@aol.com or 01704 567654)

Halsall Summer Carnival



This year our theme
is Holidays!

Halsall St Cuthbert's
School
Sat 6th July
2019

Come and join us for a
great family day out!

Bouncy Castles, Craft stalls, Beer/Pimms Tent, Face
Painting,
Coconut Shy, BBQ, Ice- cream, Brass Band, Tombola,
Raffle,
Traditional games
Refreshments...
and lots more!!



Itinerary

12 pm: Parade
12.30pm: Children's
Shows
1pm: Stalls open
4pm: Stalls Close



If you are interested in a stall please call Sarah on 07713 629307

Summer Term at Halsall School.

Admissions

We have 20 pupils arriving in the reception year in September 19. At present we have a few spaces in selected year groups and we hope to fill these in the next few weeks. If you know anyone who is interested in bringing their child to Halsall, please encourage them to contact school asap before all final positions are taken. Many thanks.

Class Structure

We will be revising our school structure and setting the classes in the next few weeks. As normal, we'll be using the summer assessments and our pupil-progress measures, as the basis of splitting year groups when needed. Staffing at the school will mirror that of this year, with the same 2 teaching assistants providing support in each class. This continuity enhances children's learning, progress and attainment.

Comment on Social Media

It has been brought to the attention of governors and staff that negative comments about Halsall St Cuthbert's have recently been posted on social media. The school actually prides itself on being a very inclusive school. It has a very high ratio of teaching assistants (2 in every class) in order to offer quality support to pupils of **all** abilities and **all** needs. Additional support often takes the form of structured intervention, small group work and bespoke programmes of study including one to one tuition where appropriate. The school has high expectations and this coupled with strong encouragement and consistent, parental support with homework, leads to outstanding results year after year.

Year 4 PGL

The Year 4 group went to Boreatton Park in Shropshire last weekend and had a brilliant time canoeing on a river, completing an assault course, testing their nerves on a high-ropes course, driving quad bikes, zip wire, etc. Thanks to Mrs Kendal, Miss Hampson, Mrs King and Mrs Neale for looking after the children and giving up time with their family and friends, to provide this wonderful life-skill opportunity. The children are now busy writing reports about their adventures. These will be on-display in school soon and there will be photos on the website.

Strawberry Teas

Thursday 23rd May. Doors open at 1-15pm.

Performances from 2-00pm.

Each class will be singing and dancing to keep everyone entertained. There'll be a few individual performances and a whole-school finale. Please come along and support the children. Admission is free and refreshments are generously provided by the school's PTFA.

Iceland Expedition

Mr Bedwell has now commenced his voyage and is heading north to Iceland. We pray that the sea remains calm. If you want to follow Mr Bedwell's progress, go to his Facebook page '**arb offshore sailing**' You can also donate using the link as well.

The train and carriages that this sponsored event is raising money towards, have proved a big hit with the children especially in key stage 1.

"It's a great place to sit and chat with my best friend," one girl said.

School Trips

The PTFA kindly funds a broad range of school trips for the children at Halsall St Cuthbert's.

We've had our 2 PGL camps already and the year 6 head off on the Scarborough Holiday in June.

Also in the diary, we have a Viking Experience Day at Tatton Park, a day out at Chester Zoo, possible trips to the beach, a tour of the recycling plant in Kirkby, a visit to Speke Hall and a wonderful day planned at Martin Mere Wildlife Centre.

There's always something to look forward to and it should be great fun for the children.

Doug Scholes (Head Teacher)

Halsall St Cuthbert's Sunday School



In June we will be meeting on the 9th at 9.30am in St Cuthbert's Church. The Family Service is on the 23rd with refreshments served from 9.15am. It would be a pleasure to see lots of young families at this enjoyable service.

Our last Sunday school before the summer break will take place on the 14th July. Weather permitting we hope to have a picnic either in the gardens or at the playing field.

Tara Kenyon and Ann Cushion

What's On!

Club/Group	Meetings	Contact
Archery Club	Sunday 2-4pm St Cuthbert's School Winter months.	Andy Yarnell 01704 870143
Badminton Club Over 16's	Thursday 7.30pm Halsall School	Margaret 01704 840305 Jim 01704 840908
Halsall Community Group	Various	E mail jomas- sam@hotmail.com
Halsall West End Cricket Club Boys and Girls Year 3 to Year 6	From April	Gary Southworth (Junior Players Co-ordinator) 07957731796
Crown Green Bowling Club All ages	Saracen's Head Halsall Monday/Tuesday Thursday/Friday	Linda Hodge 01695 575875
Halsall Village Proud & Tidy Group	Various working parties around the village.	Eleanor Wroe 01704 841216 Or Enid Banks 01704 567654
Shirdley Hill Environment Group	Various See Halsall News	Dave Corfield 01704 840705
Luncheon Club	St Aiden's Hall Shirdley Hill	Sylvia Corfield 01704 840705
Meditation Monthly Meetings	Contact Jenny for details	Jenny Pearce 01704 840117

Club/Group	Meetings	Contact
Shirdley Hill Residents Association	Various See Halsall News	Dave Corfield 01704 840705
St Cuthbert's Snooker Club	Halsall Memorial Hall Practice night— Monday	Gerald Neale 01704 841275 Or Jason Neale 07968228173
Scouting		
Beavers	Tuesday 6.-7pm St Cuthbert's School	Barbara Threlfall
Cub Scouts	Monday 6-7.30pm St Cuthbert's School	Sarah Coventry 07584 2337755
Scouts Age 10-13	Monday 7.30-9pm St Cuthbert's School	Charles Coventry 07887 685219
Ferrets Explorer Scouts Age 14-18	Monday 7.30 –9.00pm St Cuthbert's School	Sarah Coventry 07584 2337755

This list is for guidance only please contact the organisers for more detailed information.

There is a charge to attend some groups or clubs.



 Do you run a community group or sports club in Barton,
 Halsall or Shirdley Hill?
 If you would like it to be included in the 'What's On' list
 e-mail the brief details of the group and contact details to
 susanroberts2805@aol.com



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Best Kept Village Competition 2019

Can you help us keep on top of litter, ask if you wish to borrow gloves, bags and litter pickers otherwise be careful when you pick it up and please put it in your own bin or give me a call if there is too much Thanks.

The work has now been completed on the new sensory garden we are getting ready to plant out with recommended sensory plants. We are very happy with the sturdy construction work.

The rest of the Green is looking great thanks to the hard work carried out by the Tuesday / Friday gang.

Enquiries ring Dave on 840705

Scarecrow Treasure Hunt

22nd & 23rd June 1pm to 4pm

Come along and join in the fun! Walk the trail to find answers to the questions, and, this year, as an extra little challenge, you also need to spot the little mice hidden amongst the scarecrows!



Great activity for families with little ones!



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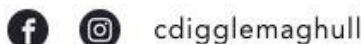
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June at-a-glance

June is the month when the weather improves in leaps and bounds and so does the garden. Summer flowers make their first appearance; roses are in full bloom and powerful with scent. There`s still lots to keep on top of in June – but don`t forget to leave time to sit and enjoy the view.

Happy gardening.

General Garden Tasks

Water & deadhead plants regularly.

Remove perennial weeds.

Propagate roses & shrubs by taking softwood cuttings

Keep on top off training climbing & rambling roses & tie in clematis.

Layer clematis.

Prune Clematis Montana if necessary.

Continue to clip privet & other fast growing hedges.

Dig up tulip & hyacinth bulbs when foliage dies off & store dry bulbs in a cool dry, dark dry place ready to replant in autumn.

Plant out summer bedding plants.

Sow winter & early spring plants in trays under glass.

Water & feed containers & hanging baskets regularly.

Continue planting green-house grown frost-tender vegetables outside.

Transplant leek & brassica seedlings.

Keep all fruit trees well watered in dry weather.

Thin heavy crops of plums, apples, & pears.

Prune fan-trained apple or pear trees if necessary.

Harvest rhubarb & strawberries.

Continue to pot up rooted cuttings.

Take cuttings from fuchsias & pelargoniums.

Continue pollinating melons & remove male flowers from cucumbers.

Watch out for

Lily beetle.

Blackspot, powdery mildew & rust on roses.

Blackfly on broad beans.

Moles.

Plants in their Prime

Roses. Clematis. Potentilla. Philadelphus. Geranium (hardy). Hostas. Bearded iris. Alstromeria. Convolvulus. Cytisus. Cornus. Deutzia. Sambucus. Spirea. Hebe. Achillea. Anthmis. Campanula. Centurea. Corydalis. Delphinium. Lamium. Nepeta. Persicaria. Tiarella. Veronica. Verbascum. Aquilegia. Dianthus. Lathyrus.

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