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Seer Green
& Jordans
March 2019



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From the Editors

Nothing these days ever get any cheaper and unfortunately this also applies to the cost of producing the parish magazine so we have had to increase the annual cost to subscribers to £10 per year. We feel this still represents extremely good value and we do hope you agree. On this page in the February issue the information about the price for subscribers was out of date, for which we apologise.

Meanwhile we bring you another colourful edition full of lively contributions from our community. Allotment bee-keeper Jonathan Lee has written a fascinating item about bees and David Tryon has provided us with another inspiring walk, this time at Winter Hill near Cookham

By the time this issue lands on your doormat we hope there will be a tangible sense of Spring in the air.

Fliss Coombs and Sue Puttergill

Next Month's Magazine

Please send all contributions for the **April** issue to:

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Thoughts for the Month



It is a bit of a joke in my family that if they do not tell me what they want for their birthday or Christmas I will probably give them 'an improving book'. In fact, I may well give them an improving book anyway and last Christmas I gave both my sons a copy of Jonathan Sacks' book 'Lessons in Leadership', figuring that these are lessons profoundly worth learning and the earlier the better.

We should not imagine, writes Sacks, that leaders are any different from other people. They, like us, need the courage to live with the challenges, mistakes and mishaps which litter their lives. It is not endless victories that make people leaders but the way they cope with their defeats; the way they recover and grow through them. "Success is going from failure to failure without loss of enthusiasm" as Winston Churchill put it.

Each of us is called to lead in our own sphere and what makes us leaders is the willingness to notice what is going on, to take responsibility and to shape the future by our actions rather than allowing things to happen as they will.

We do not need to be in positions of authority to exercise leadership, indeed those in authority may well not provide the leadership that is needed (I think of climate change as an example).

Judaism (and Christianity following it) dares to believe that together, and with heaven's help we can change the world. God has dignified us with responsibility to do so.

Jenny Tebboth



Church Events | News

Our charity for March - The Church Urban Fund

CUF was set up by the Church of England in 1987 as a practical response to the ground-breaking report 'Faith in the City'. Its vision is to see people and communities all over England flourish and enjoy life in all its fullness. Working through local parish networks and alongside other faith-based and secular organisations it seeks to bring about positive change by building trust, empowering local people to have a go at addressing the areas of greatest need in their communities, and speaking out against injustice.

CUF is committed to working through relational partnerships which bring about long-term, sustainable change by mobilising local people to be the source of the change they want to see and to use the assets already available in their community.

For example, through the Archbishop of Canterbury's Mustard Seed Appeal CUF helps people find ways out of financial distress by building their financial capability, providing relevant debt advice and budgeting support and sign-posting to services such as

credit unions. At the same time it acts to influence and re-shape national and local structures and systems so that they better reflect the needs and interests of low-income households.

Contributions to CUF can be made during March by using one of the blue envelopes available in church whether at a service or at any time placing it in the offerings box. If you can Giftaid your contribution please fill in the details on the envelope – otherwise this is not necessary.

Our appeal in January for Kisiizi Hospital and School in Uganda raised £430.67. Thank you on their behalf.

Geoffrey Brand



Contact us

Holy Trinity website www.seergreenandjordanscofe.org
Cassa Messervy - vicar cassamesservy@gmail.com or 01494 672496

Church News

Ash Wednesday

The day after Pancake Day or Shrove Tuesday is Ash Wednesday and this year it falls on 6 March. It is the official start of Lent when Christians traditionally fast and give to charity. There are many ways to keep Lent. How about fasting from using plastic over the period or giving up coffee and giving the money you save to Wycombe Homeless Connection? If you would like to mark the start of Lent you are warmly welcome to one of our services 12.30pm at Holy Trinity or 8pm in Chalfont St Giles Church.

Baptism/Christening and Confirmation

In the Christian Church Lent has traditionally been the time when people would be prepared for Baptism or Confirmation.

Baptism is the start of a journey through life with God which we do with other Christians through attending worship together and meeting together to read the Bible and to pray. If you were baptised as a baby you had promises made on your behalf by your parents and godparents, this means you can be confirmed, which gives you the opportunity to 'confirm' the promises made at your baptism for yourself. Do speak to Cassa if you would like to be baptised or you would like your child to be baptised or you would like to be confirmed.

Lent Groups

We are running day and evening Lent groups with our other churches again this year. Please contact Cassa for details.

Cassa Messervy

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Church Calendar - March 2019

Holy Trinity has some regular services, which are the same every week and some services which are different each week or special services and events. Our aim is to provide variety in our service styles.

Every Sunday 8-8.40am: Book of Common Prayer Communion Service.

This is a traditional language service which is quiet and reflective. Suits the early risers.

Every Wednesday 12.30-1.00pm: Midweek Communion. This is a contemporary language midweek service which has a prayerful focus.

Sundays at 10am in March

- 3 Mar *Family Service:* Suitable for all ages. There are toys and books for young children available at the back of the church.
- 10 Mar *Holy Communion:* Continuing with 'Holy Habits' sermon series. Suitable for adults and older children. There are toys and books at the back of church for young children to use.
- 17 Mar *All-age Praise Service:* Toys and books for young children are available at the back of the church.
- 24 Mar *Holy Communion.* Suitable for adults and older children. There are toys and books at the back of church for young children to use.
- 31 Mar *All-age Communion on Mothering Sunday.* Suitable for all ages. There are toys and books for young children available at the back of the church.

This Month

Evening Prayer, Sunday 3 March, 6pm

Ash Wednesday, 6 March, 12.30 Midweek Communion service at Holy Trinity and 8pm Benefice Service at Chalfont Giles

Engage pop-up church, Sunday 24 March, 3.30pm. Jordans Village Hall

Lent groups, both daytime and evening. Ask Cassa for further details.

Regular and continuing events:

Thursday 7 March 9-11am - Community Coffee Morning in Church.

Thursday 28 March 3.00-4.30pm - T Club in Church

Flowers for Mum

This year Mothering Sunday, now more widely known as Mothers' Day, falls on Sunday 31 March but you won't have to go far to buy flowers for your Mum.

On Saturday 30 March local florist Rachel Gibson will be selling bunches of spring flowers, hand-tied bouquets and bulbs in planters, on the Green outside the shops in Orchard Road.

All profits will go towards the cost of Seer Green Scouts representing the UK at the World Scout Jamboree USA 2019.



Rachel's flowers are likely to be in high demand so to be sure you're not disappointed, you are advised to order in advance: rachel@rachelgibson.org or call her on 07957 684109.

Baptisms, weddings and funerals

Baptism

13 Jan Thomas McLardy

Funeral

18 Jan Christine Mikhai

A colorful poster for an Easter Egg Hunt. The title 'The Great Seer Green' is written in a decorative font at the top. Below it, 'EASTER EGG HUNT' is written in large, colorful letters. To the right, 'Easter Saturday 20th April 2019' is written. The poster includes details about the hunt, such as the time (10am - 3.30pm) and instructions for participants. It also mentions prizes and refreshments. At the bottom, there are several colorful Easter eggs and contact information for Janna Holder. The logo 'SGKIDS' is in the bottom right corner.

The Great Seer Green

EASTER EGG HUNT

Easter Saturday 20th April 2019

Join in with our Easter Egg Hunt around the village any time between **10am - 3.30pm.** (It takes approx 1 hour.)

Pick up your instruction sheet from SG Baptist Church and have fun following the clues, finding eggs, answering questions and spotting the cheeky chick.

Between **3-4.30pm** drop into the Baptist Church with your completed answer sheet to receive prizes and enjoy activities and refreshments.

In the event of extreme weather it may not be possible to complete the Easter Egg Hunt however please still join us for activities and refreshments. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult. There is no set charge for this activity but donations welcome.

For further details contact Janna Holder
07764490960 / janna@sgkids.co.uk

This event is sponsored and supported by SG Baptist Church & Holy Trinity Church

SGKIDS

Dates for Your Diary

March 2019

- Friday 1 The Jolly Quaker pop-up pub, Jordans Village Hall
- Thursday 7 Eight O'Clock Club, "Shrove Tuesday, much more than pancakes". Baptist Church 8pm
- Friday 8 Seer Green Gardening Society, Village Supper
Film Stars Don't Die in Liverpool, JPH, see page 19
- Sunday 10 Molly's Game, JPH, see page 19
- Sunday 17 Local Vocals, Wycombe Swan Theatre see page 12
- Saturday 23 Jordans Village Concert

April 2019

- Thursday 4 Eight O'Clock Club, The Crop Circle Mystery, Baptist Church, 8pm
- Friday 5 The Jolly Quaker pop-up pub, Jordans Village Hall
- Saturday 6 Spring Flower and Produce Show
- Friday 12 Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri, JPH, see page 19
- Sunday 28 Village Service with Village Voices choir, 10am

May 2019

- Saturday 11 Spring Plant Sale, Baptist Church
- Sunday 12 Start of Chalfont St Giles Literary Festival. Runs until 24 May

June 2019

- Saturday 22 Centenary Party on the Green

Village Events | News

It's all about purple

Once again in early spring the village will be full of jewel-like crocus flowers that have fought their way through snow, frost and mud to brighten up our verges and green areas.

The flowers have been planted by the Seer Green Gardening Society and you may notice that the majority are purple. The planting was done as part of the Rotary Club scheme Purple4Polio to raise awareness of polio and eradicate the world of this terrible disease.

The colour purple was chosen for this campaign because in countries where mass immunisation is carried out, children have their little fingers dipped in purple dye to show that they have received their life-saving vaccine.



Crocus facts

The crocus flower belongs to the iris family.

Crocus lives in alpine meadows, rocky mountainsides, scrublands and woodlands.



People started cultivating crocus 500 years BC as a spice, medicine and a dye.

The flower has both male and female reproductive organs. Each flower has three red stigmas (female sex organs) and three yellow anthers (male sex organs).

Saffron is a spice derived from the dried female reproductive organs or red stigmas. Saffron is often used in Mediterranean and Middle Eastern cuisine.

Saffron is the most expensive spice in the world because one ounce of saffron requires 80 000 plants.

All plants are harvested manually. 90% of the world's saffron is produced in Iran.



Saffron based pigment was used in the cave art 50 000 years ago and it is still used to dye textiles.

Saffron is also used in perfumes and medicine. It has antibacterial properties and possible anti-tumor effects.

It can improve memory and alleviate cough, bronchitis and stomach ache. There is even some evidence that it can improve eyesight.

Next time you see the crocus flowers in Seer Green blooming you may pause to think just how much this little plant has contributed to the world, and continues to do so today.

Fliss Coombs

Local Vocals



Three choirs from Seer Green are coming together to perform a unique concert at the Wycombe Swan Theatre on Sunday 17 March at 5pm.

Village Voices ladies' choir will be joined by men's choir Seer Green Singers and the children's choir from SGCE School, all led by the inspirational musical director and Seer Green resident Jane Smith.

The programme will be an uplifting and eclectic mix of musical styles showcasing the ambitious nature of all three choirs and the joy that singing in a choir brings, to choir members and audiences alike.

Tickets for Local Vocals – A Celebration of Song still available via the Wycombe Swan website.

Please come along to show your support for all three choirs on what promises to be a very special night for Seer Green.

www.wycombeswan.co.uk

Fliss Coombs

Honey bees in winter and the buzz of spring

It's not just people who are coming out of hibernation in March. If you've ever wondered what happens to our pollinators in winter, Jonathan Lee, beekeeper from the Seer Green Allotment Society, explains:

I am often asked how bees survive during the winter months. The simple answer is that, like humans, they stay inside and cluster together to conserve energy and heat.

The honey bee has evolved to enable it to survive outside temperatures from +50°C down to -50°C. Hence, they can thrive from the inhospitable areas of central Africa, up to the sub-arctic regions. However the individual worker bee is unable to move at -7°C and at -4°C they start to die.

In order to survive extremes of temperature, the bees form a large cluster which expands or contracts, depending on the outside temperature. They can thus achieve a fairly constant temperature between 20 and 30°C.

When this temperature can't be maintained simply through clustering, they then start to generate heat by exercising their wing flight muscles.

Towards the end of January, the colony senses the lengthening hours of daylight and the Queen is encouraged to start laying eggs for the colony's rapid expansion towards spring and summer.

The worker bees increase the temperature within the cluster to a staggering 33°C by consuming their stores from the previous season. So, as we sit inside and survey the cold weather outside, consider the bees who are also sitting in their snug hive, just waiting for the weather to improve.

As the outside temperature increases, the cluster will start to break up, the worker bees will emerge from the hive and appear in your gardens, ready to start a new season of collecting nectar and pollinating our plants.

Jonathan Lee



Kiss Me Kate

Music by Cole Porter

Book by Bella and Samuel Spewack

March 2019



Local theatre in Beaconsfield

Beaconsfield Musical and Operatic Society will be performing Kiss Me Kate, the wonderful musical based on The Taming of the Shrew, with great songs such as Another Opening Another Show, Too Darn Hot, So In Love and Brush Up Your Shakespeare with wonderful lyrics by the inimitable Cole Porter.

Kiss Me Kate will be performed at the Curzon Centre, Maxwell Road, Beaconsfield from Wednesday 27 to Saturday 30 March at 7.45pm.

Ticket information on website: bmos.org.uk or on 01494 813518.

Ann Wyllie

News from The Jolly Cricketers

Every Sunday at 8.30pm we hold a quiz led by legendary village quiz master Sean O'Flanagan.

All proceeds are donated to Wycome Homeless Connection, a charity set up specifically to tackle homelessness in High Wycombe, offering support, resettlement and a winter night shelter. Why not come along for a fun-packed evening which also supports a great cause?

We love a bit of Irish craic at the Cricketers and on 17 March, otherwise known as St Patricks Day, we have live music from 4.30pm with Reeve.

Over the Easter Weekend in April we will be hosting a Cornish Real Ale and Gin Festival. Make a note in your diaries now.

Amanda Lillitou - Landlady



Amersham Festival of Music - Spring Festival



For more than thirty years, the Amersham Festival of Music has been one of the top annual music events in South Bucks.

The festival has grown steadily in that time and now runs for 3 or more weeks each spring and also includes a winter season of concerts featuring our own Festival Orchestra.

Works are performed both by our own Festival Orchestra and also by a wide variety of visiting guest performers including both professional musicians and talented amateurs.

Iain Ledingham, the musical director who lives in Chalfont St Peter, is a professor at The Royal Academy of Music.

For further details and booking information please go to the website: www.amershamfestival.org or call 03336 663366.

All profits towards 1st Seer Green Scouts representing UK at World Scout Jamboree USA 2019

Mother's Day sorted and you haven't even left Seer Green!

Mother's Day Flowers

**Saturday 30th March
9.30am onwards**

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Outside shops on Orchard Road**

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Rachel Gibson rachel@rachelgibson.org / 07957684109



News from Jordans

It's March - a vibrant month in Jordans with hi-viz yellow everywhere in the form of daffodils and such brilliant activities happening in our community.

Firstly we have the sale of 100 Jordans special edition centenary mugs in the Village Shop, all made by village resident Julius Weinberg. It will be a privilege to own one or more of these commemorative mugs, all marked with the centenary date and the number of each mug. We cannot thank Julius enough for his enthusiasm to celebrate the Jordans centenary.



Saturday 23 March and a concert! How much these concerts are being enjoyed by villagers and friends from Seer Green. A wonderful addition to our village calendar and our new Yamaha grand piano, an extremely generous bequest in Mel Nash's will, is an immeasurable bonus.

The success of the monthly pop-up pub in Jordans Village Hall is proof of the strong community spirit we enjoy in Jordans. On the first Friday of each month The Jolly Quaker opens its doors with all the atmosphere of a great village pub. We have Alec or Richard on the piano, darts up on the stage and a wide range of drinks and delicious snacks, all at great prices. We look forward to seeing you on Friday 1 March!

Ali Cork



Jordans Village Concert

The next Jordans Village Concert, on **Saturday 23 March**, will be different.

We are featuring a talk about "Franz Schubert – the piano and the power of friendship", and our speaker, Dr Graham Griffiths, will also play some of Schubert's music on the new Jordans Yamaha grand piano. It promises to be an informative, stimulating and enjoyable evening.

The concert will take place in Jordans Village Hall at 7.30pm. Entry is free, refreshments will be available at the start and end of the event, and everyone is welcome.

There will be a box for donations, and the proceeds will be given to Quaker Homeless Action.

Bob Hall - 01494 873186

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Friday Screenings - Doors Open at 7.15pm / Programme Starts at 8.00pm

Sunday Screenings - Doors Open at 3.15pm / Programme Starts at 4.00pm

The hall is accessible to wheelchair users and parking is generally available nearby.

Friday 8 March at 8pm:

Film Stars Don't Die in Liverpool (2017)

Sunday 10 March at 4pm:

Molly's Game (2015)

Friday 12 April at 8pm:

Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri (2017)

How to buy tickets (cost £8)

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Jordans Box Office:

Lorraine Bristow

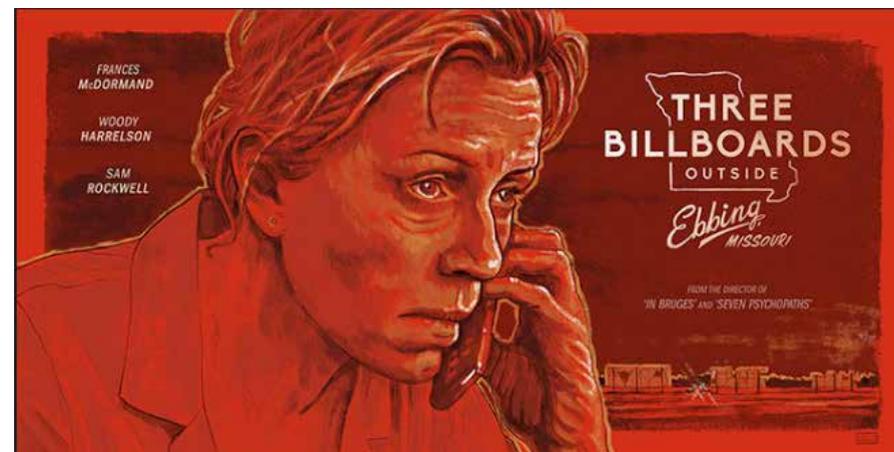
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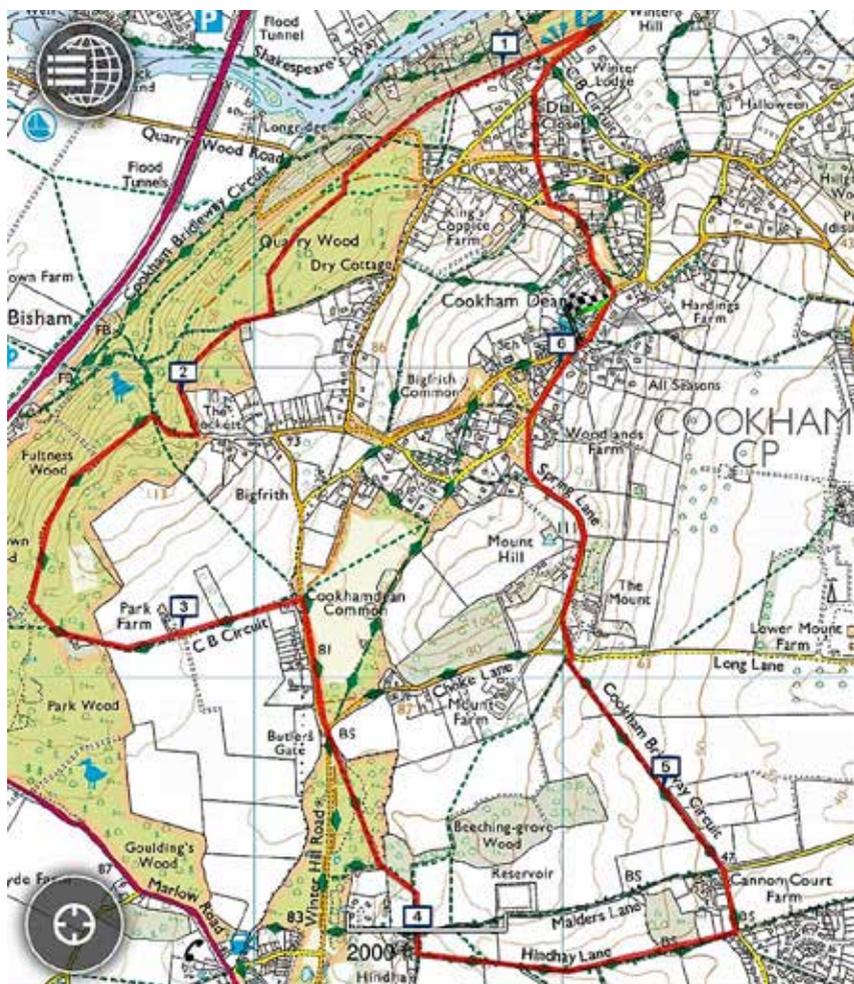
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Lorraine Bristow



Cookham Dean and Winter Hill Walk



A relatively flat walk at a decent height so with some great views across the Thames.

Length: 6 miles

Start point: Jolly Farmer, Cookham Dean

Difficulty: Moderate

This is what I would call a very efficient walk - it starts quite high and, after an initial undulation, stays that way!

Start from the Jolly Farmer pub in Cookham Dean (good pizzas!) and walk back down the road towards Cookham turning left after about 150 metres onto a track. Follow this down the hill and in the valley turn right and immediately left and on up the footpath. Cross the road and carry on up the hill until you reach a lane. Turn right to reach the top of Winter Hill with fabulous views over the Thames and beyond. Turn left and down a driveway, find the path that skirts below the houses and near the top of the escarpment. Follow this path, bearing right after about 200 metres, until you reach Quarry Wood Road.

Cross the road and head SW looking for a parallel path running on your left on the other side of light vegetation. Cross to this and follow it to a path junction with a field in front of you. Turn right and at the corner of the field bear left, keeping your height, until you reach a path junction. Turn right to another path junction then left again (but effectively across the junction). The path is a little indistinct here but if you stay at the same contour height you will eventually see a more distinct track to take.

Keep bearing left and leave the woods on a path/drive which you follow to a road. Turn right and at the junction take the path opposite through the woods which joins another path on a field edge. Follow this through some buildings and then turn left onto Hindhay Lane. Follow this for ¾ mile then turn left on a lane and at the bend go straight ahead onto a path through open fields. To your right are views over to Cliveden and the Thames. Walk up the hill to the lane then straight across and follow the lane all the way back to the Jolly Farmer.

David Tryon

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Seer Green Allotment Association

Our Allotment Association is going from strength to strength with our first event of the year, the AGM in the first week of February, being well attended.

March is the time when, depending on the weather, we start to think about starting to work outdoors on our plots. It's an exciting time of the year as we begin outdoor sowings of garlic and shallots (before the middle of the month) and onion sets at the end of the month.

It's a good idea to put a cloche or something similar down to raise the soil temperature, to keep it warm for early sowings of seeds. This is also recommended if you are planting out the first early seed potatoes as they don't like the cold. It's also the perfect time to feed the allotment with a general fertiliser and another consignment of manure is already on order for this purpose.

Our allotment's very own apiarist Jonathan Lee has kindly written a fascinating article on page 13 about how bees survive the winter and emerge again in spring, a lesson for us all!

Coming dates for Allotmenters' diaries:

Saturday 6 April	Seer Green Spring Show.
Saturday 11 May	Coffee, cake and plant sale to run in conjunction with the Seer Green Gardeners Plant Sale.

Bronwen Collins



Seer Green Gardeners

Geranium-in-a-pot Competition



After two years of our grow-a-fuschia competition, we're now changing to grow-a-geranium. This costs £1 for which you will receive a geranium plug plant. You grow the geranium and then enter it in the autumn show on 14 September contributing to the wonderful display of flowers in the Jubilee Hall for the Show.

Full details of this competition, as well as the annual spud-in-a-bucket contest, are on the website: www.seergreengardeners.org.uk or contact me directly.

Both competitions are open to everyone, even if you have no gardening experience. And the funds raised go towards the work of the society and planting of more bulbs and plants in the village. We'll be organising a day for you to collect your geranium plug and potato to grow.

Spring Show 6 April, Baptist Church

If you wish to enter anything, please see our website: www.seergreengardeners.org.uk. The online entry form will be available from 10 March.

Craft at the Spring Show

Following the successful introduction of a Craft category last year, it's back for 2019.

The categories are:

- A candle or tea light holder made of wood
- A stitched self-portrait in fabric eg. patchwork, embroidery – no larger than A4
- A sculpture in any medium, no taller than 30cm
- A necklace in any medium

Now is the time to get those green fingers busy in the garden and get creative to produce something crafty for the show.

Philip Newton - Chairman

seergreengardeners@gmail.com 07941 215433

Jordans and District Rotary Club News



At our meeting on Monday 28 January we were very pleased to present to the charity Medical Detection Dogs a cheque for £2,500. This was the result of 18 months of work collecting including a quiz night, a film night and some of the proceeds of our Christmas collections. We shall continue to collect on their behalf for the rest of this presidential year. Also from our Christmas collections we have donated £400 to Seer Green School and another £382 to top up our contribution to 1st Seer Green Scouts to £5,000.



Four years ago we sponsored Lottie Wells from Stoke Poges to attend a Rotary Youth Leadership Award scheme of outward bound challenges in Brecon Wales. She has returned to us with the news she is going to Africa this summer to join a charity cycle ride to raise money for underprivileged women's health and empowerment and will come back to tell us all about her efforts.



Lottie told us that she would never have been confident enough to attempt this challenge without the confidence she gained from our Leadership course.

If there are any young people aged 18-26 in Seer Green or Jordans who would be interested in finding out more about this RYLA scheme please contact Jenny Owen on 01494 677571.

Jenny Owen

Eight O'Clock Club

Buckinghamshire, home to a number of iron-age hillforts, can boast one in the Gerrards Cross area, said to be the largest in the county. On part of it, the mansion "Bulstrode" has sat for many centuries in one form or another, all but hidden from the busy A40.

The original plateau, sloping down to the Rivers Misbourne and Alderbourne, was an excellent vantage point from which to view intended cattle-rustlers and provide temporary shelter and rest to our ancient forefathers.

Legend suggests that the name "Bulstrode" is derived from the endeavours of the Saxon Shobbington family, who took their fight to the Normans, riding on the backs of bulls. A bull stands proudly on top of the current house.

Five different mansions have stood on the plot, housing a variety of families that inspired our talk by local author Denise Beddows, (D.J. Kelly), "Splendour & Scandals of a Buckinghamshire Mansion".

Owned at one time by Bisham Abbey, its early incumbents were well-known judges. The first was Ambrose Bennett, swiftly followed by the infamous "Hanging Judge", George Jeffreys.

Jeffreys re-built the house as a red-brick mansion, with the estate then bought by the 1st Earl of Portland. The 2nd duchess, well educated in flora & fauna, developed the gardens and housed a huge menagerie, so Bulstrode had its own zoo!

In the 19th century, the house was owned by the 11th Duke of Somerset, whose son married a daughter of Sheridan the playwright. The 13th duke ran away with a gypsy girl, and their story was possibly the inspiration for Shaw's "Pygmalion".

The mansion has housed a military hospital, a training school for the WAAF, been home to a Bruderhof community, and more recently WEC International. The current Grade II Listed property is now expected to be transformed into a luxury hotel.

Colin Oaks returns for our meeting on 7th March, "Shrove Tuesday: more than Pancakes!" All welcome - £3 to include tea/coffee.

Our thanks to members of the Baptist Church, David, Barry and Will who kindly operate the audio / visual equipment for our meetings.

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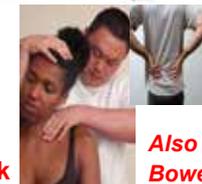
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