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Simon Colbeck & Julie Young. Coordinators for this edition.

Stephen's Letter

Passed to us

"I want to remind you of the Gospel I preached to you, which you received and on which you have taken your stand...for what I received, I passed on to you as of first importance, that Christ died for our sins...was buried and raised on the third day, according to the Scriptures" – 1 Cor 15v1,3,4

An important undercurrent of the Easter message – the message that Christ transformed the world through his death and resurrection – is that, just as we have received this Gospel message, we should faithfully pass it on to the next generation. This will ensure that future generations will hear the truth of the Gospel, and that their lives will be blessed and transformed by it too.

This is important because the message of the resurrection – Jesus' greatest miracle – is not an easy one for people to hear, in the rationalist and pessimistic world in which we live. Yet the resurrection is the very foundation of Christian faith – if Jesus did not rise from the dead, then his death on the cross was ineffective against human sin... and Christianity offers no hope!

This is why Paul says that the truth of the Gospel message, as described in the words of scripture (the Bible) is "of first importance". And why Paul says that it is upon this Gospel message that his Corinthian readers "have taken their

stand" – against ridicule, unbelief and opposition.

In a world plagued with short-termism and a desire for instant gratification, we would be wise to take a longer and more measured view. Ultimately, the Christian faith and its values are not ours alone, for us to accept or ignore as we wish – they are God's gift to us and we are, in a real sense, no more than stewards and guardians, as we are of other goods in life that God entrusts us with.

We should pass that faith and those values on to the next generation. Not only will this be the means by which the lives of our descendents will be blessed and enriched, it will be the best and most lasting legacy for us and our lives too. We all want the best for our children - so let's make sure we live the message of faith well, and pass it on when the time is right.

Wishing you all a happy Ascensiontide and Pentecost season.

Stephen



Church Briefing

Services for May 2018

Sunday 6th May - Rogation

Rogation Service

Evensong

10.30 am – Calcot Barn

6 pm – Coln Rogers

Thursday 10th May – Ascension Day

Holy Communion

7pm - Chedworth

Sunday 13th May – Easter 7

Holy Communion (BCP)

Holy Communion

Tea Time Service

9 am - Chedworth

0.30 am – Coln Rogers

4 pm – Chedworth

Sunday 20th May – Pentecost/Whit Sunday

Holy Communion (BCP)

Family Service

Animal Service

9 am - Stowell

10.30 am - Chedworth

3pm – Coln Valley Village Hall

Sunday 27th May – Trinity Sunday

Family Communion

Holy Communion

9 am - Yanworth

10.30 am – Chedworth

Sunday 3rd June – Trinity 1

Holy Communion

10.30 am – Coln St Dennis

Rogation Service

Our **Rogation Service** this year will take place on **Sunday 6th May** at the Barn, Calcot, courtesy of Nicky Talbot Rice. Please do join us for an opportunity to ask for God's blessing on our land, and our work this year.

Animal Services

Following the success of last year's Animal Service at Coln Rogers, there will be not one, but two, open air **Animal Services** in our parishes in 2018:

Church Briefing

- **Sunday May 20th** – Coln Valley Village Hall, **Coln Rogers**, at **3pm**
- **Sunday June 10th** – Venue TBC, **Chedworth**, at **4pm**

All animals - and their owners! – welcome! This is an opportunity to gather as all of God's creatures together, to thank God for our animals, and to pray for animal welfare. Refreshments will be served afterwards.

Chedworth Community Land Charity

The Chedworth Community Land Charity is a charity whose objective is to provide assistance to people in Chedworth parish facing particular urgent health or welfare needs or financial hardship. The Trustees consist of the Rector and two parish council nominees. The Chedworth Community Land Charity has helped various parishioners over the last few years, and invites applications from individuals in Chedworth facing urgent need or hardship. To apply, please contact Rev'd Stephen Goundrey-Smith (720392) or Bryan Bowley (720369). All applications are dealt with in the strictest confidence.

Stowell Park Open Gardens – 20th May

Open Gardens at Stowell Park will take place on **Sunday 20th May**. All welcome. A share of the proceeds from the Open Gardens at Stowell Park in 2018 will be donated to Yanwoth & Stowell Churches.

Chedworth Games 2018

After the success of previous years, the Chedworth Games will be run again this year on **Saturday 21st July**. All the events you love, with some new twists for 2018!



Stowell Park Open Garden



GARDENS OPEN

SUNDAY 18 MAY (Plant Sale)
and

SUNDAY 24 JUNE

All proceeds to National Garden Scheme,
Yanworth & Stowell Churches,
Royal British Legion (Chedworth and District)
and
Macmillan Nurses

Cream Teas in the Ballroom

Entrance: Adults £6. Admittance free for children under 16.
Please – No Dogs

Please see www.stowellpark.com for more details.



Dates for your Diary

Day	Time	Event	Venue
05-May	10:00-15:00	Plant Sale	Cowslip Corner, Chedworth
05-May	13:00	Cricket League matches start against Churchdown	Chedworth Cricket Club, Beeches Walk
09-May	19:15	WI - discussion about WI Resolutions	Village Hall
11-May	19:30	Back Row Club "Their Finest"	Village Hall
15-May	10:15-11:45	Mobile Library	Village Hall car park
15-May		WI Group Meeting	Andoversford
16-May	14:30-16:30	Elderberries - The Bard of Barnwood	Village Hall
19-May	19:30	"The Best of British" Concert by Chedworth Singers	Village Hall
20-May	14:00-17:00	Stowell Park Open Gardens & Plant Sale	Stowell Park, Yanworth
21-May	19:30	Parish Council Meeting	Village Hall
25-May	10:30	HortSoc Garden Visit to East Lambrook Manor Gardens, South Petherton, Somerset	Village Hall car park
25-May	19:30	Back Row Club "Hacksaw Ridge" film	Seven Tuns
04-Jun	19:00	Village Hall AGM	Village Hall
08-Jun	19:30	Back Row Club "United Kingdom"	Village Hall
09-Jun		Coln Valley Mixed Doubles Tennis Tournament	
11-Jun	19:30	Parish Council Meeting	Village Hall
12-Jun	10:15-11:45	Mobile Library	Village Hall car park
12-16 Jun		"Much Ado About Nothing"	Chedworth Manor Gardens
13-Jun	19:15	WI - visit to village gardens	Village Hall
20-Jun	14:30-16:30	Elderberries - All Your Own Social Time	Village Hall
21-Jun	19:00	Cricket Club's "Chedworth Midsummer Run-Out"	Chedworth Cricket Club, Beechwalk
23-Jun	18:00	Fifth Anniversary of FoStA Summer Drinks Party	Chedworth Manor gardens
24-Jun	14:00-17:00	Stowell Park Open Gardens	Stowell Park, Yanworth
28-Jun	17:15	HortSoc Garden Visit to Greywalls, Chadlington, Oxfordshire	Village Hall car park
09-Jul	19:30	Parish Council Meeting	Village Hall
10-Jul	10:15-11:45	Mobile Library	Village Hall car park

See www.hillandvalley.co.uk for more dates of events

Recycling Dates

Domestic Waste & Recycling

Chedworth Area,
Fossebridge,
Coln St Dennis,
Coln Rogers

Yanworth



May 2018						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

June 2018						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

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Sullivan*

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19th May**

*Flanders
& Swan*

7.30pm Village Hall

**Tickets £10 available from Neil Irving 01285 720403
(Under 16's £5) or any member of the Singers.
Refreshments included**

New Heating for St Andrews

CAN YOU HELP?

The heating crisis...

As you may have heard, or found out the hard way at a cold service, the Church's 150 year old heating system has finally failed completely. There is a major leak in the underfloor piping which cannot be mended. The truth is that for many years the system has been held together with a wing, several prayers and many, many buckets of water (no joke with no water supply in the church). Eventually we had to give up when no amount of water could quench its thirst.

We are extremely fortunate to have, in our village, energy expert Matt Fulford, who happens to be the adviser to the diocese on energy matters (when he is not too busy dealing with our snow!). The Parochial Church Council ("PCC") have accepted his advice to install an electric heating system, with state of the art, under pew, heaters. Rather than trying to heat the whole space (realistically impossible in an historic building, where double-glazing and ceiling lowering is out of the question) the greener, energy saving, approach

is to have a system that creates instant warmth, at floor to human head height, for just the period needed. Matt is undertaking the project management, getting quotes and applying for the permissions required, and even though this is normally his "day job", he is charging a nominal fee only.

The electricity provision will need to be upgraded, which means installing a three phase electricity supply from the pole in the church verge. The opportunity will be seized to use the same trench to provide the church with a long overdue water supply.

We cannot say that the structure of the church building itself will suffer without heating. It survived reasonably well for some thousand years before heating was installed! The problem is that the building would simply cease to function, for a large part of the year, without heating. The PCC is keen to see that the Church remains warm and alive as a building for the community for its religious and other purposes.

In broad terms, it looks as though the PCC is looking at a bill of around £55,000 to see this project through (without all the follow up making good

and redecorating that will be needed in due course). There is a determination to achieve a working heating system, at least, before next winter. Getting a project of this magnitude, involving an ancient building, through all the bureaucratic requirements of the diocese and listed building consent, in such a time scale will be challenge enough, to say nothing of raising the funds, getting equipment sourced and having the contractors to install it, all on time.

The PCC has already received donations in excess of £6,000 and the Church Lands Charity is providing £20,000. The Friends of St Andrews ("FoStA") are contributing £10,000 and plan to raise further funds through voluntary donations at their 5th Anniversary Event which is a Summer Drinks Party in the Manor Garden at 6pm on Saturday 23rd June 2018 (all villagers will be invited and more

details will be in next month's Hill & Valley). We still have some way to go to raise the necessary funds and will be grateful if the community can contribute as generously as they feel able. Donations can be made by cheque to Chedworth Parochial Church Council c/o Jeannie Hamilton at the Manor, Chedworth, GL54 4AA (jeannie@tdhamilton.com) or by direct bank payment to sort code 60-05-41 and account number 04477200, quoting "Warmpew" please. Do please ask for a Gift Aid Form if appropriate.

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Church Wardens and the PCC



Chedworth Fun Run

The Annual Chedworth 5km Trail & 2.5 km Fun Run 2018

**Sunday 16 September
2018**



This ever
popular
occasion will
again feature

TWO events that have
something for everyone.

In a year of The
Commonwealth Games,
Matt Shone, a sub 4 minute
mile athlete who has
competed in past
Commonwealth Games and
represented GB in the
Europa Cup will again be
leading the field.

Refreshments, Cakes, a
BBQ and lots of fun for all
the family. All net profits in
support of St Andrew's C
of E School and
Chedworth Cricket Club.

More information will be
published on the School
and Cricket Club websites
soon. Also look out for
further news in Hill &
Valley, Chedworth Next
Door, Chedworth
Neighbours Facebook
Page and the Chedworth
Village Website.

**Please make a
note in your diary
now!**

Chedworth Midsummer Run-Out

THE CHEDWORTH MIDSUMMER RUN-OUT

7.00pm on Thursday 21st June 2018
Starting at Chedworth Cricket Club

A picturesque run of approximately 10km to raise funds for the Chedworth Cricket Club across beautiful Cotswold countryside, through Withington Woods and returning through Chedworth Woods.



£12.00 Club Entry £14.00 Unaffiliated Entry

Prizes: 1st, 2nd, 3rd Men and Women

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Planning Enforcement Training

Two Councillors recently attended training on Planning Enforcement, in order to better understand how this process works. Slides from the presentation are on the PC website. Most interesting was it is not illegal to develop without planning, but you do risk enforcement action which means potentially being told to remove something or put it right. It is an offence though not to comply with an enforcement notice.

CDC Enforcement department do not monitor developments after planning has been approved, but only respond

to complaints. (This is separate from Building Regs.)

If you become aware of any breach of planning rules you can complain to CDC and they will consider what action to take. If it is a breach of planning rules and it is causing harm they may take action. They will endeavour to keep identity of complainant confidential. The results of enforcement action is not online but only kept in a paper register at CDC and there is no formal feedback to Parish Council, but only to the Ward Councillor (Jenny Forde). If you do complain it may be worthwhile involving the PC so we can consider whether to add our weight.

Councillors

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Ian Morgan 720885
Clive Poulton 720690
Iain Robertson 720683

To contact the Council, email the clerk, Elizabeth Broad (clerk@chedworth-pc.org.uk), or call her on 720313, or get in touch with any of the councillors directly.

For more information check out our website <http://chedworthpc.org.uk>

Proposed Footpath Diversion at Hartshill

Gloucestershire County Council has asked for the Parish Council's views on a revised plan for diverting footpaths at Hartshill.

The plan is to divert footpath KH 17 that currently runs along the drive and around the property, A – B – C – D – E to A – I – E inside the adjacent field and following the fence to re-join the

Chedworth Parish Council

path at point E. There is an existing gate at point A which can be utilised to allow access to the path into field should the diversion go ahead.

Footpath KCH 18 diverted from G – D to G – E meeting footpath KCH 17 at point E.

A small diversion of footpath KCH 19 that on the definitive map is obstructed by a garage (and has been for a considerable time) from Points F – B to F – H. This is the route currently used.



The proposal will also extinguish a small length approximately 15 metres of footpath KCH 15 to prevent a cul-de-sac path being created should the diversion go ahead. See Map.

Mobile Phone Pole

The Mobile Phone pole in the Parish Council's Grass Keep field has now

gone live with a great improvement to Vodafone and 02 reception in the Chedworth Valley. Many thanks to all who helped to make this great improvement possible. The Parish Council is working to restore the site and a list of necessary works has been sent

Telelink who did the installation.

Review of Charities

The Parish Council is to carry out a review of the two Chedworth charities in order to:

- Have clarity over the charitable objects of the charities.
- Understand the relevance of the charitable objects in the light of the time that has passed since the charities were first established.
- Understand the differences that the charities have in approach and giving and the relevance of these in Chedworth in the 21st century.
- Hear from the trustees their views on the operation and relevance of the charities including the basis of their approach to the investments held by the charities.
- Hear views about the charities from members of the community.

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- Understand the process of electing trustees and co-opted trustees including the period for which such trustees are appointed.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be in the Village Hall at 7.30pm on Monday the 21st of May, this is one week later than the usual 2nd Monday of the month meeting date.

David Broad
Vice Chairman

Leveller Martyrs

The Leveller Martyrs of 1649

On 17th May 1649 three soldiers of Cromwell's New Model Army were taken out of their temporary prison – the church in Burford and executed by firing squad.

The three men: Cornet Thompson, Private Perkins and Corporal Church had been identified as ringleaders in a Leveller revolt against Oliver Cromwell and, on his orders, were made examples of to discourage further unrest.

The Levellers were a short lived socialist movement that sought liberty

and justice for all men and had generated breakthrough thinking in their day about how to form an equal and fair society.

Each year they are remembered and Levellers' Day 2018 will take place in Burford on Saturday 19 May 2018.

To anyone interested in this subject I highly recommend downloading this free booklet:

<https://levellersday.files.wordpress.com/2013/03/the-levellers-movement.pdf>

Mike Tovey

Maggie's Poem

Rain or Shine

*Sunshine sunshine where have you
gone*

*Snow and rain all winter long
Spring has slipped us sadly by
Easter holiday wet not dry*

*Will our Whitsun be the same
With more water down the drain
Planting potatoes still too wet
With some sun not too late yet*

*Some lovely plants killed off by frost
Trees shoot again so all not lost
Nice warm sun to dry the land
Hope for warmth when holidays*

Maggie Scdrivens

Hill and Valley Tennis Club

Chairman's note

The tennis season is now in full swing! Sunday mornings are a friendly way to get started and meet other members for social tennis. While Monday evenings tend to be more competitive while Friday afternoons are another way to enjoy some tennis in convivial surroundings with tea and biscuits.

I am informed that one or two of have not paid your membership for this season. Until you do you will not have the new access code for the court gate or the new password for the court booking system. Please contact Fred Shaftoe (01285-720074) for membership and joining instructions.

Graham Stock (Chairman)

Saturday 9th June 2018 - Coln Valley Mixed Doubles Tournament

Have you sent in your entry form?

Why not do it now? If you've not received an entry form by email, then you can always find one at www.chedworth.org.uk/tennis/coln-valley-tournament/

The entry deadline for the discounted price of £28 is **Sunday 20th May**,

otherwise it is £35 with the closing deadline of Sunday 3rd June. If you would like to know more about the tournament, then please contact Fred Shaftoe on 01285-720074 or fredshaftoe@gmail.com

Summer Leagues

The Ladies and Mens Teams began their matches in April and will continue until the start of August. We wish all the teams both good luck and enjoyable tennis throughout the season. If you are interested in playing, please contact Hilary Swan or John Boughey.

Club Coaching

Adult coaching with Hilary is continuing during the school term. Contact Hilary Swan on 01242-890213. Our junior coach, David Ayala, is on court on Sunday afternoons. For further information on junior coaching please go to the Chedworth Tennis Academy website.

<http://www.chedworthtennisacademy.co.uk/home.html>

Month of May

May is a month of spring in the Northern Hemisphere. The month May was named for the Greek Goddess Maia, who was associated with the Roman era goddess of fertility, Bona Dea, whose festival was held in May. Special devotions to the Virgin Mary take place in May. May's birthstone is the emerald, which is emblematic of love and success. The



May birth flower is the Lily of the Valley and the Common Hawthorn, known as "May".

May is a month of profuse growth in vegetation as plants and trees respond to increased daylight, temperatures and moisture. The resultant riot of colour, especially the variety of greens, the yellow of oilseed rape, the white of hawthorn blossom and cow parsley and the hues of lilac and flowers is a delight. It is a time of great activity in the fields with the first cut of silage and in the garden, the joy of harvesting asparagus and early strawberries.



The importance of crops is reflected in Rogationtide, a custom based on the

Roman festival of Robigalia celebrating the fertility of the spring that was introduced to England from Gaul in the eighth century.

Rogationtide was a time to fast and bless the fields, crops, livestock and community of the parish. In some parishes, the custom of "beating the bounds", by the parishioners led by the minister and churchwardens, walking the parish boundary to bless the crops and livestock is still observed.

May Day is an important Northern hemisphere spring festival and a traditional spring holiday in many cultures celebrating springtime fertility of the soil and livestock. Spring sowing had usually been completed by this date and it was the custom to give farm labourers a day off. Dancing, singing and cake are usually part of the festivities. In the late 19th Century, May Day was chosen as the date for International Workers Day by Socialists and Communists.

Traditional English May Day rites and celebrations include crowning a May Queen and maypole and



morris dancing. Well known local traditions include the Obby-Oss day of festivities in Padstow and the 6am singing of traditional madrigals by the choir of Magdalen College below the Great Tower. The lighting of bonfires on May 1st in some parishes, is a remnant of the ritual lighting of fires to protect the cattle as they moved to new grass and also marked the beginning of the dairy season. May features frequently in literature, including this extract from Shakespeare's Sonnet 18 :-

“ Shall I compare thee to a summers day ?
Thou art more lovely and more temperate
Rough winds do shake the darling buds of May
And summer's lease hath all too short a date”

Robert Young

Sunday Club



Finding out more about God in creative ways.
For 4-11 year olds
Every 4th Sunday of the month
10.15-11.30 am
In Parish Room at The Vicarage, Chedworth
Phone Sally on 720285 to book a place
sally.smith237@yahoo.co.uk

At the April meeting it was a full house to hear Sylvia Colbeck Chair the Business meeting. The Jumble sale in March had been successful with over £300 raised, it was suggested that next year a cake and produce sale would be in the corner to boost funds.

The August Outing was discussed but not finalized, at the head of the list is a visit to The Mini Factory in Oxford to watch the Robots at work followed by an afternoon visit to Broughton Castle for tea.

A date for the Diary is The Group meeting in Andoversford for a Victorian evening on May 15th, tickets from the Secretary Mick Marsh at £8 each. The Group meetings are fun and they always spring surprises. The Spring Bulb scheme was described and encouraged as a very good fundraiser for Denman. order bulbs through

our WI Representative, Mick Marsh, email for details.

The talk was given by Barbara Hudson who, in promoting her book 'Timed Out', delivered amusing stories of her adventures in retirement, on belonging to Dating agencies.

It wasn't all doom and gloom, a few gentlemen were friendly companions and she has made new friends, one of which she described as Captain Perfect who encouraged her to write a book. 'Timed Out' is a novel based on her experiences which no doubt enhanced her retirement. The audience enjoyed her honest description of the successes and failures of the Dating world, plenty of laughter was heard amongst the audience.

The next meeting is at Chedworth Village Hall on Wednesday May 9th 7.15pm.

Subject - Resolutions.

Carol Bailey.

Plant Sale

Saturday 5th May 10am - 3 pm

Cowslip Corner (below the Tennis Club Courts)
Chedworth

Chedworth Horticultural Society is unable to hold its very popular Plant Sale this spring due to prior commitments.

Instead, Lyn Mitchell and Venetia Champniss will be holding a Plant Sale on Saturday 5th May on the drive at Cowslip Corner.

If you have plants for sale, feel free to come and join us. Contact Lyn on 01285 720450 or Venetia on 01285 720548.



All proceeds will be donated to Chedworth Pre-School's Gardening Project.

PLEASE PUT SATURDAY 5TH MAY IN YOUR DIARY AND SUPPORT US

Elderberries

Dulcie Jones who comes from South Cerney was our guest at our March meeting. She runs her own home business, giving others life



guidance through *cooking* and chatting with an aim to help with issues such as bereavement, stress and anxiety. She gave a most interesting cooking demonstration called Cooking with an Easter

Flavour and provided so many cakes and goodies that we could not eat them all as well as commentary on Easter eating customs in countries around the world.

Our April meeting was our AGM when we should have not only reviewed the last year but also made some decisions about possible outings in the year ahead. All that and a mystery topic as well.

We are always pleased to welcome anyone who would like to join us on the third Wednesday of each month and if you would like to know more please ring Helen Taylor on 720702 or Carol on 720074.

Sow Grow and Show



Sow Grow Show. Sarah Raven seeds still available

Thank you to all who came to our Sow, Grow, Show at the Farm Shop on the 7th April. We hope that the new layout of the Hort. Soc. Section of the Chedworth Show will encourage more of you to enter your produce. Hopefully you have all received your show schedule now. We still have seeds for sale as per the booklet so please contact me if you would like to buy some as not too late to get growing.

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Coln Valley Tennis Tournament

THE 2018 COLN VALLEY MIXED DOUBLES ANNUAL TENNIS TOURNAMENT



SATURDAY 9 JUNE 2018

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HORTSOC Garden Visits- 2018

Chedworth & District Horticultural Society Garden Visits 2018

Friday 25th May 10.30a.m. – East Lambrook Manor Gardens, South Petherton, Somerset. TA13 5HH

The iconic quintessentially English Cottage garden created by 20th century plantswoman Margery Fish. A garden of immense beauty and charm.

An opportunity to buy plants too from their nursery.

£10 for garden and afternoon tea and cake and

£7 picnic lunch by Claire Booth

And coach will be kindly paid for by Hort. Soc.

Meet at Village Hall at 10.30 a.m. for coach. **Booking only limited to 30**

Please note we only have 3 places left at time of going to press

Thursday 28th June – 6.00p.m. Greywalls, Chadlington

The private garden of the great nephew of Sir Harold Peto. Well stocked borders for inspiration for your own. This garden was revamped only last year

by Nick's new wife Katie and a little help by Sue

By kind permission of Mr & Mrs Nicholas Peto

£5 to include glass of wine for St Nicholas Church. Chadlington

Meet at Village Hall to car share at 5.15p.m.

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Your Gardening Tips for May

Time to get sowing those seeds in the ground, and planting out potted on seedlings, but keep tender plants



protected from late frosts. Let's hope that the apple blossom is not damaged by frost. Use your 'Sow Grow and Show' leaflet to prepare your crops for the

Chedworth Show!

If you have not already made provision to collect as much rain water as possible, do so, because we may well have a dry summer!

Put summer bedding plants into the ground at the end of the month

Keep weeding! Hoe out most annual and newly germinated weeds on a sunny day so that any left on the ground dry out and die, but perennial weeds such as ground elder, bindweed and dandelions, if not dug out should be left to develop leaf growth and then zapped with a good weed killer such as glyphosate. If you are uncertain what to weed out there are two good sources of information on the web. 'gardenwithoutdoors.org.uk/weed

guide' and

'downgardenservices.org.uk'.

Otherwise, Alan Titchmarsh has an illustrated chapter in his book 'How to be a Gardener' which may be helpful.

Check for nesting birds before clipping hedges. The nesting period is officially from February to August.

Lift and divide any overcrowding clumps of daffodils, once they have died back. Apply liquid fertilizer to encourage next year's growth.

Watch out for viburnum and lily beetle grubs as well as aphids and other pests.

Pick up fallen leaves and debris, and pick off dead leaves from plants to reduce the risk of pests and disease spreading.

Tie in the leading shoots of greenhouse crops such as tomatoes, peppers and aubergines as they grow, to avoid stems breaking or growing in undesired directions. Pinch out the side shoots of tomatoes, to strengthen the crop.

Sow winter bedding plants, and spring bedding plants **such as**

Your Gardening Tips for May

wallflowers and pansies between now and July.

Harden off plants raised from seed gradually exposing them to cooler conditions, but protect from frost.

Thin out direct sowings of vegetables, in stages to obtain good sized crops. Sow seeds such as lettuce and rocket in small numbers sequentially so avoid a glut. Plan to keep space available for this.

Tie in rambling roses as near to horizontal as possible to encourage side shoots to grow along the stems.

Take softwood cuttings of deciduous shrubs

Top dress alpine plants with grit or gravel to protect from rotting around the neck and show them off.

There is still time to grow potatoes in a bag. Have a go!



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Back Row Club - 11 May

7.30 pm Chedworth Village Hall

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Please note that unpaid membership fees for 2018 will be Requested.

Simon Colbeck



Back Row Club - 25 May

The Back Row Club has been showing films in Chedworth Village Hall, once a month that we feel will appeal to our loyal, discerning and generally appreciative membership.

I has been suggested, however, that to meet the requests of some members who would like to see more gritty films not generally considered suitable for our usual viewing members, we should occasionally show these type of films in the 7 Tuns.

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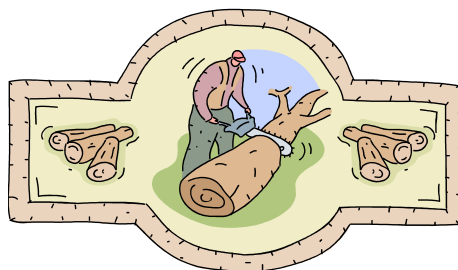
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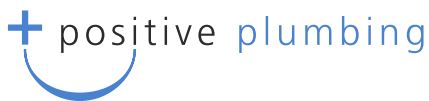
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