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Thought for June 1998

**"In a broken nest, there are no whole eggs."
Chinese Proverb**

Dear Friends,

Recently I heard that a leading toy manufacturer is marketing a doll that is the most lifelike ever made, especially with a surface that feels like human skin.

The reason for this particular doll, says the company, is that many young children feel deprived of real loving affection and touch from their parents and are looking increasingly to dolls (and animals) for affection.

Then I read about some children who were asked to complete a sentence that began with the words "I wish". Twenty out of thirty made reference to their home and family problems with sentences like these :-

" I wish my parents wouldn't fight, and I wish my father would come back."

" I wish my mother didn't have a boy friend."

" I wish I could do well at school so my father would love me."

" I wish I had one mum and one dad so people wouldn't make fun of me. I have three mums and three dads and they make a mess of my life."

We all know that the family is under attack today, but isn't it heart-breaking to hear and read young children like these struggling with such chaos at a time when simply growing up is a major task.

The causes? Many men have given up their role as father and husband. They are either too busy, too bored or too tired. Mothers and wives have done likewise!

The cure? If families put God first and have a depth of relationship and security with Him, then that will bring forgiveness, openness, sensitivity and trust as they apply His Truths.

When God comes first then everything else falls into place. Taking time with God will mean having time for one another in the family, having the right values in the home, and laying the right foundation for our children.

Remember – the family that prays together – stays.

By the way, welcome to our new format magazine. We hope you will like the new cover and contents. We are grateful to Derek Miller for his enthusiasm and hard work in giving birth to it. However we are so thankful to Pat Williams (and Ray) for her dedicated editorship over these many years, fortunately she will still be keeping her ear to the ground and making her very valuable contributions month by month.

Yours sincerely

John Postill

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Sunday Services

**Full details of these and any other services are set out in the
Calendar for the month of the body of the magazine**

Other Information

- Several Home Groups meet regularly, usually on the second and fourth Wednesday evenings in the month, at various locations. Further information from the Churchwardens or the Curate.
- The Women's Fellowship meets on the fourth Wednesday in the month at 3.00 pm.
- Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals should be arranged in consultation with the curate.
- Where there is sickness or where a visit would be valued, the Curate would like to hear as soon as possible.
- The Priest-in-Charge is normally off duty on Thursdays.

CHURCH CALENDAR

June 1998

1st 8.00pm Missionary Committee Tigbourne Wood, New Road, Wormley

3rd 8.00pm Discipleship Course Village Hall

7th TRINITY SUNDAY

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30am Family Service and Baptism – with crèche and coffee

NO EVENING SERVICE – JOINT SERVICE AT BUSBRIDGE – (HOLY SPIRIT 2)

10th 8.00pm Discipleship Course Village Hall

14th TRINITY 1

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30am Holy Communion (BCP)

NO EVENING SERVICE – JOINT SERVICE AT BUSBRIDGE – (HOLY SPIRIT 3)

17th 8.00pm Discipleship Course Village Hall

21st TRINITY 2

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30am Morning Worship (ASB)
6.30pm Evening Worship

24th 8.00am Discipleship Course Village Hall

26th 4.00pm Blessing of Marriage Richard Batten & Melanie Brandon

27th 1.30 – 4.30 Village Fête Cricket Green

28th TRINITY 3

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30am Morning Prayer (BCP) followed by shortened Holy Communion
6.30pm Evening Worship

CHURCH REGISTERS

Baptism

June 7th Louise Diana Eleanor Jordan

May 22nd Thanksgiving Service (followed by cremation at Woking) for the life of :-
Richard Nathan Nagioff

May 19th Burial of Ashes – Roland Hornsby



Curates Summer Holiday

John and Jeannie will be away from June 2nd to June 16th.



St Peter's Covenant Secretary

Due to the retirement of John Taylor, the PCC need someone urgently to fill this position. If there is anyone who thinks they might be able to help, please contact either John Taylor on 01428 682738, or John Postill on 01483 420639. This is an important "background" post as much of our income is from covenanted giving in one form or another. There need be no commitment until the job has been explained to any interested party.



Freewill Offering Scheme

Planned giving in April totalled £1,778.45

Church Flower Rota for June

7 th and 14 th	- Ann Smith
21 st	- Elizabeth Waring
28 th	- Muriel Campbell

Church Cleaning Rota for June

5/6 th	- Pippa Ayres
12/13 th	- Pat Williams
19/20 th	- Elizabeth Secrett
26/27 th	- Pat Williams

The Guildford Summer Festival

On Saturday 4th July at 7.30 p.m. there will be a performance of **Stanford Requiem** in Guildford Cathedral.

The concert is held every July, *Don and Ann Smith have been singing in it for years.*

Angharad Gruffydd Jones (Soprano)
Lucy Taylor (Mezzo Soprano)
Mark Wilde (Tenor)
Christopher Dixon (Bass)

**Surrey Festival Choir
And Festival Orchestra**
Leader: Chika Robertson

Conductor: Peter Wright

Tickets available from choir members – Don and Ann !

**Coffee Morning
Cakes, Bring and Buy
Wednesday 17th June 10.00 – 12 noon**

Please come and enjoy meeting local people and help to raise money for those suffering trauma abroad through war and famine.

Venue: Nigel and Shirley Pollock
Brackenwood
Brook Road
Wormley
Tel: 01428 682116

Please bring your friends.

**A Bolivian Evening
Friday 12th June, 7.30 p.m.
At 6, Quartermile Road, Godalming**

A chance to find out more about Fiona and Ivan Androde – Brown's work in Cochabamba, Bolivia.

All are welcome. Soup and salads in the garden, followed by a video

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HAMBLEDON NURSERY SCHOOL

The Trustees have pleasure in announcing the appointment of Barbara Beadle to succeed Mrs Brenda Stansfield as headmistress of the Nursery School from September 1998.

Brenda is retiring. She made a significant contribution to the success of the school since it's inception fifteen years ago when we had fourteen children and opened three mornings a week. With her leadership the school has grown to it's present size of seventy to seventy-six pupils, and has an excellent reputation.

Mrs Beadle lives locally and will bring a wealth of Nursery School experience with her. The Trustees are confident that the school will continue to flourish under her guidance.

Mary Caroe

Chairman of the Nursery School Trustees



Sponsoring a Bosnian Child for one week at Camp Rio could change his life for ever !

For three and a half years the children of Bosnia endured the terror of war, sleeping in cellars, not knowing if dawn would come. Two years on from the end of the conflict those same young people are starting to look forward with hope to a better future. Many bear the physical scars of war and carry emotional wounds capable of disabling their development. It is vital that they have the opportunity to feel the healing touch of Jesus and allow Him to shape their lives.

Sponsor a Child

You now have the opportunity to sponsor a child from Bosnia to attend one of the ten week – long events at Camp Rio in 1998. Your £30 will pay the food and accommodation costs for one child whose family is unable to pay. You will receive a postcard from the child you sponsor, direct from Camp Rio, and a full report on the camp project after it has finished.

Cheques payable to :-

**“Novi Most” International
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Chesham
Bucks. HP5 1EG**

(Any further details from Shirley Pollock – Tel: 01428 8682116)

HAMBLEDON PARISH COUNCIL



The Annual Parish Assembly, attended by some sixty villagers was held on Friday April 24th in the Village Hall.

The evening started with a presentation by Southern Water on the subject of Mains Drainage. Following a survey by their consulting engineers (Oscar Faber) some areas of pollution had been identified in and around Hambledon together with the properties likely to be the main source of pollution. Mr Hughes of Southern Water explained their obligations under section 101A of the Water Industry Act 1991.

An indicative route for a mains drainage system was displayed. Lively discussion followed with comment and some expression of concern from the floor of the meeting.

A likely connection charge for individual house-holders would be in the region of £500/£1,000. The timetable for the scheme was a full detailed survey during 1998/99, which would involve consultation with all potential house-holds, with the scheme being implemented during 1999/00

There is no knowledge of any similar scheme for that part of the village served by Thames Water.

The Chairman's Report was presented by Mr Ion Campbell. He commented on the disruption caused by the various excavations during the previous year remarking that some were more beneficial to the village than others.

Discussions had taken place during the year on 'speeding' particularly on the A283 and further debate was planned with neighbouring Parish Councils.

Several planning applications had been dealt with and there had been on-going discussion with Berkley Homes over details of the development of 'Hambledon Park'. Agreement had been reached over the development of Hydestyle Hospital.

Discussion had taken place with local interested parties regarding the future of Nutbourne Brickworks.

Several meetings had been held to discuss potential plans/events to mark the Millennium.

A Financial Report was presented followed by reports from representatives of the various organisations.

Village Clean Up

Many thanks to everyone who helped with the village clean up. Those who returned to the hall on Saturday morning reported that there was little to collect. This must reflect on the continuous efforts of the Hambledon residents throughout the year. **Please keep this going!**

Ion Campbell

Conserving Hambledon's Heritage

Photographs, postcards, water colours, pencil drawings, fine art prints, souvenir programmes, invitations, commemorative pieces and newspapers cuttings which between them record over a century of life in Hambledon - no wonder the conservators of the village scrapbook ended their report by saying "Thank you for allowing us to see such a wonderful album - a unique record of the life and characters of Hambldeon and something to treasure."

It was the head of paper conservation in the prints and drawings department at the Victoria and Albert Museum who got the Mary Parker Memorial Fund thinking that, unless something were done to conserve the scrapbook, it would not be around for much longer for everyone to enjoy. To quote from the conservation report: "The pages and artefacts are dog-eared and soiled; ... many of the artefacts are only partly attached; ... there is one loose page and many others are split; ... Adhesive tapes such as British Gum and Sellotape have caused severe staining to both artefacts and pages; ...". In other words, remedial action was needed - and fast.

The Fund drafted a specification for remedial work and sought estimates from professional conservators, as a result of which the Centre for Photographic Conservation was invited to carry out the work. The album and its contents were cleaned using a combination of paper and photographic dry cleaning techniques to remove surface and ingrained dust and dirt and fatty amino acid secretions of the skin (which is why anyone handling the conserved scrapbook now has to wear gloves). The artefacts were further cleaned to remove the "silver mirroring" on a lot of the older photographs and the residues from adhesive tape which had been transferred on to them from facing pages. Great care was needed in removing these residues so as to avoid further damaging the actual artefacts. The loose and partially loose pages were reattached using a linen hinge. Where the corners and edges of pages and their artefacts had become dog-eared these were repaired and strengthened. Page tears were repaired with toned heavy Japanese paper. adhesive tapes and their residue were removed as far as practicable and the artefacts reattached, as were those where original adhesives had become so brittle as to cause the artefacts to lift. Gluten free wheat starch paste was the only adhesive used throughout the conservation process. The album cover was cleaned and refurbished and a dedication to Mary Parker was attached to the front end paper.

The conserved album will be kept in a specially constructed box to protect it from dirt and from fluctuations in temperature and humidity changes. Finally, a laser copy was made of the conserved album: this is available for anyone to borrow (from Hambledon Village Shop), at a small charge which will go towards conserving some of the other albums of photographs of Hambledon. But hopefully not to all of them, providing we all remember to throw away our Sellotape and buy a large bottle of gluten free wheat starch paste. To quote again from the conservation report: "The use of pressure sensitive adhesive tape makeshift repairs to loose artefacts, tears and spine damage is wide-spread throughout the album. The characteristic brown discoloration and insoluble adhesive residues are salutary reminders of the unsuitability of this type of synthetic adhesive for any kind of long term repair."

The conservation work could have been undertaken without the generosity of the many people in Hambldeon who contributed to its cost, either through donations direct to the Mary Parker Memorial Fund or through their support for the Hambledon Heritage week end at the end of February. Conserving the album was an expensive project - but a five-star album deserves five-star treatment.

Jane Woolley

The Cellar

The Cellar team would like to thank all of us who brought home and garden produce that were for sale after the service on two Sundays running. A total of £87 was collected and will contribute to much needed funds for the Cellar.

Auction of Promises : 17 October, at Godalming United Church, at 7.30 pm.

The Cellar team is now collecting promises of goods and services that anybody feels they can give: Offers such as gardening, babysitting, car washing, cake baking, manicure, hairdressing, taxiing, a meal for a group or individuals, holiday accommodation, new goods (e.g. unneeded presents). Anything will be gratefully welcomed. Please phone Debbie at the Cellar on 01483 417097 or me on 01483 860219.

Jacqueline Hindley



Church Missionary Stall at the Fête

We shall be selling African, Asian and South American objects of any kind. Could you have a look around in your house/attic and give us a ring if you have any ornaments or pictures you could donate. The money collected will go to the Mary Parker Memorial Fund.

Also for sale will be South American crafts in aid of the charity "Toy Box" who work with Street children in Guatamala.

And we shall have a display of Missionary Work to give you an idea bout the Missions we support.

Jacky Hodson (01483 425504)

John & Jacqueline Hindley (01483 860219)

Wednesday Afternoon Group

Lovely weather, a beautiful garden and a warm welcome from Muriel, when we visited Feathercombe. It was a good afternoon!

Roz. Mason entertained us with song and verse. Playing the guitar she sang and we joined in the popular ballads. Songs she had written and composed herself, inspired by the beauty and simplicity of childhood in the country when things seemed more peaceful and unhurried.

Muriel provided a splendid tea (no need for any supper!), then we wandered round the garden, a blaze of colour, quite beautiful. Thanks to Muriel and Roz.

Wednesday June 10th in the Village Hall 2.30. A Waverley Ranger, Mr Ian Baldwin will tell us about the work in keeping the commons for our pleasure.

Joan Hardy



THE GUIDE ASSOCIATION

1st HAMBLEDON BROWNIES

Do you like working with children ? If so you are just the person we are looking to take over the running of the village Brownie Pack.

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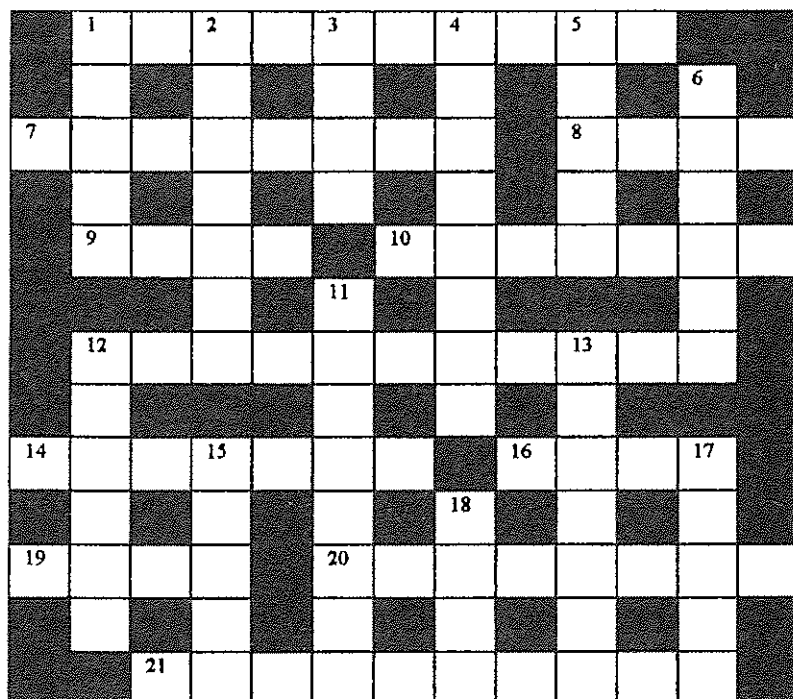
So if you and a friend feel that this rewarding voluntary work is worth considering then give us a ring.

Leonie Thomas 01428 643791

Or

Sarah Mason 01483 200823

An Easy Crossword



DOWN

- 1 Graph (5)
- 2 Butlins entertainer (7)
- 3 Lasting sweet (4)
- 4 Dr Who actor (3, 5)
- 5 Cuban dance (5)
- 6 Left at the alter (6)
- 11 Rowing event (4, 4)
- 12 Lace hole (6)
- 13 Juvenile (7)
- 15 Greek 'A' (5)
- 17 Swallow (a liquid) (5)
- 18 Explosive device (4)

ACROSS

- 1 Distorted portrait (10)
- 7 Pleasant fantasy (8)
- 8 Post, letters (4)
- 9 Utensil (4)
- 10 Card game played with two packs. (7)
- 12 Outgoing (11)
- 14 Rent payers (7)
- 16 Honey drink (4)
- 19 Assist (4)
- 20 Fragrant (8)
- 21 Have a rest (4, 1, 5)

Solution in July issue

A Test for our Yorkshire Curate !

Being a Yorkshire in exile myself, and knowing how easy it is to forget one's local vernacular, I thought it not inappropriate to set this test, not only for John but any other 'Northerners' who might chance to see this. (Special lessons available for those unable to decipher this foreign language).

As a parallel development to the SATs in Welsh, SEAC have developed regional reading tests for each LEA. Through secret sources we have been able to gain access to a copy of the reading test for areas of West Yorkshire

e.g. THAMUN GERRIT LERNT means You must get it learned.

EE DERNT PURRIZEEAD UNDERWATTER
WIV GORRAGERRUZ IMBUX
WIV GORRA GERRUM REIGHT
PURRAMINEER
EESEZITINTIS BURRABERRITIS

Just five examples to be going on with. Answers on a postcard !

Number Quiz

Example:- 20 N on a D B

Answer:- 20 numbers on a dart board

1. 7 D in a W
2. 26 L in the A
3. 88 P K on a K B
4. 18 H on a G C
5. 9 P in the S S
6. 57 H V
7. 29 D in F in a L Y
8. 76 T in the B P
9. 90 D in the R A
10. 8 S F is C an O

Answers next month.

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PARISH & PEOPLE

We send our loving sympathy to Nigel Pollock and his family on the death of Nigel's mother in her 90th year.

Sue and Ginger Blackman have safely taken delivery of a new grandson – their first ! Many congratulations to Vicki and Richard Page on the arrival of George Alexander and to Megan, the proud owner of a new brother!

Archie Hutchins will be 94 during this month. A wonderful man who puts us all to shame when it comes to keeping an orderly garden – although he says he cannot do justice to his gardening profession as once he could!

Kathleen Lockwood is following close on Archie's heels – with a 92nd birthday also in June. We send our love and many congratulations to these two elderly Hambledon residents.

Paul and Clare Ridsdale-Smith now have a daughter (Sophie). Paul and Clare were at one time members of Hambledon Youth Fellowship and were in fact married at St. Peter's before moving to Farncombe. It is good to have news of them.

Mrs Nora Phillips is now resident at The Mount in Witley where Miss Faith Fenny is also resident. For those visiting The Mount we now have two friends to look out for.

A successful evening was held in the Village Hall on Friday 22nd May when Martin Bellamy and Mark Mortimer came to speak about their achievement in rowing the Atlantic. The proceeds from the evening amounted to something over £200 which was held in aid of the R.N.L.I. Many thanks to Mary Caroe for arranging this event.

Sue May's brother has recently died – we send to Sue and to her family our loving sympathy in their loss.

During June Oliver Caroe and Carole are to be married. We send our love to them both for a very happy day.

Peter Todd is expected home from hospital shortly. Please remember Peter in your prayers also Sarah.

Please get in touch with Roger and Avril Mitchell if you are planning to visit them on June 13th. There are some maps available in church to help you to find their house and you can discuss any details with Roger or Avril by ringing them on 012243 583656. We are looking forward to some of this wonderful weather that Roger assures us is available on their side of the South Downs!

We extend our loving sympathy to the family of Barbara Crow who has recently died – especially to her sister, Sally Schulp, who worships with us regularly at the 8 00am Holy Communion service each Sunday. Both Barbara and Sally were members of the St Peter's congregation at one time until Barbara joined with the church at Milford where she was living. Barbara and her husband, Ken Crow, lived in Witley for many years, Ken being a consultant dermatologist. They moved to Wiltshire, where Ken eventually died and Barbara returned to live again in this area to be nearer to her two sisters. She was a close neighbour of Ted and Eileen Elton in Ockfields, Milford.

Amanda Harrison and Nigel Little were recently married at Busbridge church and we send to them both our good wishes for their future happiness.

A successful walk was undertaken by Joan Hardy and Peter and Margaret Tatlow on Saturday 9th May in support of the work undertaken by Christian Aid. Joan raised something over £80 but we haven't been able to ask Tatlow's as they have gone on holiday! We look forward to hearing how much was raised in Godalming area as a whole. Well done to the three of them!

Richard Nagioff, a good friend to many at St Peter's, died in hospital in Midhurst on Sunday 17th. Richard had struggled on against all odds over many years and we are pleased that he has now gained the peace that he so richly deserves. To Jean, Clare, Stephen, Andrew and Emma we extend our loving sympathy – we are all full of admiration in the fortitude that they have shown.

Paul Atkins and his two companions successfully completed their 1998 challenge during April in cycling, canoeing and running from Notre Dame to St Paul's in 60 hours in order to raise money to buy a minibus for a Romanian orphanage. We have promised some feedback and look forward to hearing just how much they have been able to raise towards the required total of £10,000.

Mrs Thalia Dean has recently suffered a double bereavement in the death of a brother and a sister within a short time of each other. We send to Thalia our love and pray for her and her family in their sadness.

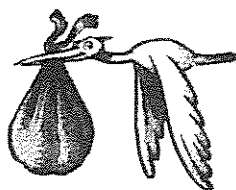
Bobbie Allen moved from Wormley at the end of May. She is planning to stay initially at Sandgate in Kent but is uncertain what the future will hold. We shall miss her for all that she has one in and for the village and hope that she will eventually settle not too far away from us; in any event we are sure she will come back to stay from time to time. Our good wishes go with Bobbie.

Ray Taylor is doing remarkably well and we have seen her out and about again following her spell of some 9 weeks in hospital. Good news indeed and well done!

Brenda MacLachlan we hear is in King Edward VII hospital, Norfolk Ward, for further hip surgery and all her friends in Hambledon wish her a speedy recovery and send their love.

And finally.....if, on the day you remember that you have completely forgotten a very important family birthday Spare a thought for Mrs Hannah Reeves whose obituary appeared recently in the national press:

she was the beloved wife of Herbert John
and dearly loved mother of 12 children
grandmother of 32,
great-grandmother of 53
and great-great-grandmother of 20!!!





Oakhurst Cottage

We are fortunate in Hambledon to have a delightful National Trust property, Oakhurst Cottage. Meaning cottage by the oak wood, Oakhurst, situated on the edge of the village green, dates from the late 16th century and is of timber frame construction.

It is open to the public, by appointment, on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday afternoon from March until October, and visitors come from far afield, frequently from Japan and the United States. It is often the case that we visit places of interest far from home and neglect the places near to home, so if you have not visited, do come, you will enjoy the guided tour and the charming cottage garden.

Alternatively, if you would like to become a steward yourself or would enjoy helping in the garden - **Ring 01428 683207 – you would be most welcome !**

Jill Hubsch

"BYWAYS"

An Occassional Column Around Our Plot

" Lets go out for Sunday lunch", my other half suggested a couple of weeks ago. "But where ?" I said knowing full well we had completely different ideas of the right venue.

To keep the peace we went somewhere neither of us had been before. To "The Stag" at Balls Cross. To reach it, drive along the main road, through Chiddingfold up past the Rams Nest, over Cripplecrutch Hill (yes really!) until you get to North Chapel. Turn left at the village green beside the Deepwell Inn and follow a narrow lane for about 5 miles on a very pleasant trip across country to a "T" junction. The Stag is over on your right.

It is a nice old unspoilt pub around 300 years old, with two small bars and a little restaurant. It keeps all the King & Barnes ales (very well) and a fair selection of wines. The Landlord "Haimish" is very friendly and gave me a taste of various brews, "what a nice man".

We filed into the restaurant and although the Sunday Lunch Menu only had around five choices it all looked good. We plumped for the roast beef at £6.95 and when it arrived it was so huge we only just managed to eat it all, washed down with a glass of House red and finished off with some local icecream.

So if you want to "keep the peace" try it! The phone number is 01403 820241.

Magpie



Wanted - a Rector

A VACANCY OCCURRED in an American parish and a new incumbent was required . In due course, the following letter was received by the Senior Warden:

"GENTLEMEN: Understanding that your parish is vacant, I should like to apply for the position. I have many qualifications that I think you would appreciate. I have been blessed to preach with power and have had some success as a writer. Some say that I am a good organiser. I have been a leader in most places where I have gone.

"SOME FOLKS, however , have somethings against me. I AM OVER FIFTY YEARS OF AGE. I have never preached in one place more than three years at a time. In some places I have left town, after my work caused riots and disturbances. I have to admit that I have been in jail three or four times, but not because of any real wrong-doing. My health is not too good, although I still get a good deal done. I have had to work at my trade to help pay my way. The churches I have preached in have been small, though located in several large cities.

" I DID NOT GET ON TOO WELL with the religious leaders in different towns where I preached. In fact, some of them have threatened me, taken me to court and even attacked me physically.

" I AM NOT TOO GOOD at keeping records. I have even been known to forget whom I baptised. However, if you can use me, I shall do my best for you, even if I have to work to help with my support."

THE SENIOR WARDEN read this letter to the vestry and asked them if they were interested in the applicant. The Vestry replied that he would never do for the church. They were not interested in any unhealthy, contentious, trouble-making, absent minded ex jailbird; in fact they felt insulted that his application had been presented. Also, he was too old.

THE VESTRY asked the name of the applicant. The Senior Warden answered: "THE APOSTLE PAUL".



LILY MAY LUXFORD died peacefully at Milford hospital on the 2nd May.

She was 88 years old and lived in the village for most of her life , 67 years, 54 years of these married to George Luxford.

Lily and George had three sons and one daughter. Our sympathy goes to them and all their family.

Welcome to "The Best" Cookery Corner in the South East

In each issue of the magazine I shall be giving a recipe from different locations of the globe.

This dish was very similar to one I ate in a small back-street diner in Guangzhou, China,

Guy Lemieux



Chicken Breasts with Pineapple (Serves 4)

4	Skinned Chicken Breasts
2	Dessertspoons flour
** 1	Small tin diced Pineapple Rings in natural juice
3	Dessertspoons Cooking Oil
2	Dessertspoons Soya Sauce
1	Dessertspoon Cornflour
1	Tablespoon White Wine Vinegar
½	Teaspoon Salt / Plus Pinch Pepper
½	Carrot per person
¼	Green Pepper per person
Parsley for Garnish (Finely Chopped)	

Remove any skin from chicken and cut into narrow strips about 1½ inches long - * Coat in seasoned flour and brown in hot oil for 5 minutes turning regularly. Add ** Pineapple and cook gently for a further 3 minutes.

Meanwhile in a bowl, make a paste of cornflour and soya sauce, then add the vinegar and pineapple juice. Then cut carrots and pepper into very thin strips and add chicken and cook for a further 2 minutes. Lastly pour sauce over chicken, stir well with a wooden spoon until sauce thickens. Serve at once and garnish with chopped parsley.

Cookery Tip * = Put seasoned flour in a small food bag and add chicken until all covered – saves washing up !!

** = Once you have opened the tin of pineapple use a sharp knife and cut the pineapple rings in the tin. Alternatively buy a tin of pineapple chunks, but make sure they are in juice, syrup is not the same !!

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June! Flaming or otherwise still June. The Queen of the Meadow all out along the banks (unless the council mower has torn it all out!) and the house martins, back in the roofs.

We now have Sussex Spring water for sale in The Village Shop, still or sparkling, very refreshing especially when chilled. Along with all the other goodies, all you need for your Barbeque, picnic or afternoon tea. The strawberry season will soon be here and Guy can ensure that you have a plentiful supply at Hambledon prices, not Wimbledon! So please make sure that you let him know your requirements during the week for collection on Saturday morning – don't forget the cream and why not make it an occasion with a bottle of Pimm's.

We still urgently need some help in the shop so if you can spare a two hours per week or even every two weeks please contact Uncle Guy at the above number or Cynthia Miller at 01428 684362.

Local Names II

Leeper = Robert Le Lepere 1185 (Warwickshire)

Henry Leeper – 1200 (Nottinghamshire)

William de Leapere 1299 (Kent)

Either OE (Original or Old English) for Leaper – Dancer – Runner – Courier or a derivative of O.E. Leap "Basket" – Basket Maker" i.e. John le Lepmaker 1338 (Norfolk)

June Birthdays

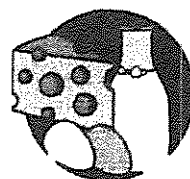
Marilyn Munroe	1 st 1926
Cole Porter	8 th 1893 – 1964
Prince Phillip	10 th 1921
Beryl Reid	17 th 1920
Paul M ^c Cartney	18 th 1942

Summer Solstice

Longest Day	21 st
Custer's Last Stand	25 th 1876

Don't forget The Hambledon Village Fete on Sunday 27th June with the "Fab" Cup Hill Morris Men. *I'm the one with the bells.....*

Ross Kilsby



HAMBLEDON CRICKET CLUB



1st XI

Sunday April 26	Lindford	Cancelled due to rain
Sunday May 3	Abinger - league Abinger 194 for 5	Drawn game Hambledon 156 for 9
Saturday May 9	Grafham Grafham 130	Lost Hambledon 55
Sunday May 10	Shackleford Hambledon 103 for 9	Lost on last ball ! Shackleford 104 for 9
Saturday May 16	Holmbury St Mary - league Hambledon 154 all out	Lost Holmbury 155 for 5
Sunday May 17	Farncombe Wanderers Farncombe 102 for 7	Won Hambledon 105 for 0 <i>Tom Silvey 58 not out, Andy Jones 32 not out</i>

2 XI

Sun. 6 April Hale – Cancelled due to weather.
Sat. 9 May Charterhouse Maniacs –Cancelled.

Sat. 16 May Wellington College –Cancelled

N.B. Both above games cancelled for lack of players !

Colts – 13 to 14 year old match

Wed Evening 20 May - Plaistow - **Win**
Plaistow 83 for 9
Hambledon 84 for 3

Colts 10 – 12 Saturday Morning
13 – 14 Monday Evening on the Green

Matches for June as Fixture

We need players. Can you play or do you know someone who wants to play ?

Contact Tony Studwick : 01483 428564

Fixtures June

1st XI

Sat 6 2.00	Hascombe	H
Sun 7 2.00	Alfold	H
Sun 14 2.30	Cranleigh St Andrews	H
Sat 20 2.30	The Blues	H
Sun 21 2.00	Hascombe	A
Sat 27	Village Fête Day	
Sun 28	Club Day	

League matches in **Bold**

2nd XI

Sat 6	Holmbury St Mary	H 2.30
Sat 13	Shalford	A 2.30

HAMBLEDON VILLAGE FÊTE

Saturday 27th June

On the Village Green 1.30 to 4.30 p.m.

Two years have flown by and once again we approach the weekend of the Village Fête. Previous fêtes have been highly successful and we are sure that this year will be no exception. The ultimate success depends on support of course, not only on the day, but in the few weeks left before the actual event.

All but one of the last few occasions have bathed in glorious sunshine, not always a blessing as a certain two ladies could testify. (Fishnet tights when worn on a hot sunny day can and do leave a pattern that takes several weeks to fade).

Even the one fête that proved to be "a little damp" was a resounding success demonstrating the resolve of Hambledonians to enjoy themselves come what may.

This year the main object of the Fête, apart from enjoying ourselves is to raise money for the Mary Parker Memorial Fund who will be given a quarter of any profit – the other three-quarters will go to the various village groups organising particular events – i.e. Village Hall, Cricket Club, Missionary Society, Church, The Natural Child Birth Trust, St Dominic's School, the Nursery School and probably a few others.

Help can be given from now until the fête by collecting for the various stalls. Items should be taken to the Village Hall on the Friday June 26 or any Tuesday morning between 10 and 12 noon, where they will be sorted for the appropriate stall. (Cakes on the day please!) Mic Coleman is also willing to collect – Tel: 01428 682977)

Items required include :-

Books, Bric a brac, Cakes, Accessories, Bottles - not only alcoholic.

It is also the intention to hold a "Deadline" Auction and items are required that will attract a series of bids throughout the afternoon. This particular attraction has been highly successful in the past and can provide a great deal of activity and excitement as the time to close the auction draws near.

All the usual events and attractions will be at the fête including :-

**Plants – B.B.Q. – Refreshments - Childrens' races - Games and a variety of stalls.
Children's Fancy Dress Competition – Novelty Dog Show**

Entertainment by the Cup Hill Morris Men

Grand Draw – Tickets available, now in the shop and from almost anybody !



Comment

New does not necessarily mean better and therefore comments are invited regarding the presentation and content of this "New Format" magazine. Every effort will be made to produce an informative, interesting and "newsy" edition every month but this is very much dependent on contributors. We are already able to include several new items and it is hoped to expand the coverage of topics in the coming months.

A current matter of interest and concern in the village is the provision of "Mains Drainage" for one section of Hambledon. Since this is likely to be a subject of considerable debate for some time your views would be welcomed using the magazine as a medium to air the various opinions.

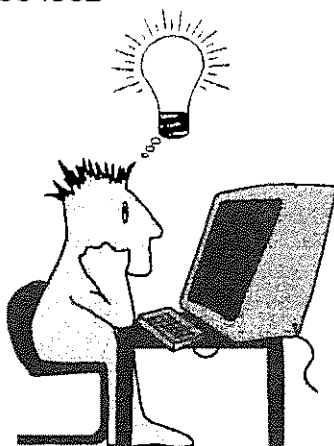
Likewise any comments on matters of interest within Hambledon could be published in the form of correspondence or highlighted in a column such as this one.

Advertising revenue has been significantly increased but there is still space for more. If you know of anybody who would like to avail themselves of the opportunity to advertise their service or business locally, this magazine provides that chance.

Comments, letters, articles or advertising enquiries should be sent to :-

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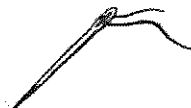
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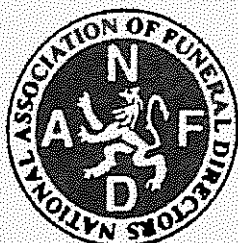
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