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**Watch out for Nick Fresson's talk on November 7th at the WI Open Evening.** The Dower House has a forgotten and surprising history rediscovered during his 4 years of work on the house including archaeological and archive research. This talk gives us a chance to learn its place in village history from Pre-Roman settlement through to recent times.

**What are you doing next June 3rd?** No, I didn't know either but time to put it in your diary so we can all share part of the Diamond Jubilee together.

*Music & catering are getting booked up by others more organised than us so we need to know everyone will be there to enjoy our Big Late Lunch which is like a street party with music & rain protection!*

**Items for the next Issue (Dec 2011/ Jan 2012) by 20th. December Please.**

**Bill & Anne Jenkin: 820338**

*email: removed to prevent spam*

## Brockhampton Amateur Dramatic Society

will present at 7.30 on December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> at Rhodes Memorial Hall



BADS' new production of this Classic Comedy of Family Life at Christmas is our first in 5 years and so we would welcome your support.

Tickets will be available shortly so look out for flyers and our webpage.

More information:

*Penny Fresson on 820678*

*www.sevenhampton.org/bads*



*The Colin Rosser memorial bench and tree in Brockhampton*

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## Put Your Name Down Now for Next Year's DIAMOND JUBILEE BIG LATE LUNCH

**ON SUNDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> JUNE 2012**

As announced by Buckingham Palace, The Big Jubilee Lunch will be a part of the main programme of events over the central weekend of Diamond Jubilee celebrations in June 2012. For our villages a "Big LATE Lunch" is being planned under canvas in the Show Field at about 5pm.

A band has already been booked and the food will be provided. It will be free for children under 7 but there will be a charge for adults, how much will depend on the numbers attending and the type of food supplied but it will be as low as possible (the event is partly being subsidised by the Parish Council).

The organisers need to know now how many people will want to attend in order to plan suitable catering and calculate costs etc. So although it may seem a long way ahead it would be very useful to tell them now. **So please, if you and or your family will want to be there get in touch with Annie Weatherley on 01242 820718 (email removed to prevent spam), giving numbers of adults/children likely to attend.**

There will also be a page on the village website ([www.sevenhampton.org/jubilee](http://www.sevenhampton.org/jubilee)).

## Produce Show raises £1,750

*but what improvements would you like to see?*

*from Malcolm Bell, Show Chairman -*

First of all a huge "Thank you" to the 60 plus people who gave up part of the afternoon to help out with making the show the success it was. I am grateful in particular to those who volunteered for the first time.

Although entries were a little down on last year you again showed the great array of talent that we have in the parishes. Thank you for making the effort to participate.

Financially the show was another success and at our AGM on 8<sup>th</sup> November we will make an allocation of the surplus of about £1,750 to projects in the community.

If you have thoughts on how we can make the show better for you please email me (email removed to prevent spam) or telephone me (01242 821397) with any feedback you would like us to consider.

Also if you have photographs from the day I would like you to let me have a copy of them; again by email would be a great help.

*Malcolm Bell*

## Parish Council

- Another **grit bin** has been purchased and will be placed half way up 'The Quarry'.
- The **Colin Rosser Memorial Bench**, brass plaque and tree are now in place on the green in Brockhampton.
- Although Philip Box has kindly offered to paint the **telephone kiosk** in Lower Sevenhampton at his own expense the council is offering the sum of £60 to cover some of the cost.
- An initial sum of £1,000 has been set aside towards the cost of the **Diamond Jubilee Big Lunch** to be held in 2012.
- The **next Parish Council meeting** will be held on **Wednesday 16th November** at 7.30pm in the Reading Room, a short question and answer session will precede the formal meeting.

**101** is now the number to call when you want to contact the local police for non-urgent matters.

However, if you suspect a crime is being committed, someone suspected of a crime is nearby, there is danger to life or when violence is being used or threatened always call 999.



## Good Neighbourhood Scheme



If you need help with transport etc  
*ring a coordinator*

- ☎ **Sheila Agius 820102**
- ☎ **Di Brown 820271**
- ☎ **Thora Corris 820242**

## Village Diary

including Church Services

### Every Thursday

10.30 - 11.30am in the Reading Room - Coffee Club,  
10.00 - 12.00 am Reading Room - Village Agent.

### October

Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> 9.00am Church - *Holy Cmn.*  
Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> 7.30pm RMH - *WI*  
Thu 6<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm CA - *Quiz Night*  
Sun 9<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Church - *Harvest Festival*  
6.00pm Church - *Evening Service*  
Tue 11<sup>th</sup> 'The Royal' - *Century Club Lunch*  
Thu 13<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm RMH - *Water for Elephants*  
Sun 16<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Church - *Holy Communion*  
11 - 4 Manor Farm - *Engine Day*  
Fri 21<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm RMH - *Garden Club*  
Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> 2.15pm RMH - *Jumble Sale*  
Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> 11.00am Church - *Family Service*  
6.00pm Church - *Family Service*  
6.30pm CA - *Whisky Tasting*  
Sun 30<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Church - *Holy Communion*

### November

Thu 3<sup>rd</sup> 7.30pm CA - *Quiz Night*  
Sat 5<sup>th</sup> 2 - 4pm RMH - *Xmas Fundraiser*  
Sun 6<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm Church - *Evensong*  
Mon 7<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm RMH - *WI*  
Tue 8<sup>th</sup> 3.00pm RMH - *Century Club*  
7.30pm RMH - *Produce Show AGM*  
Thu 10<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm RMH - *Film Show*  
Sun 13<sup>th</sup> 10.45am Church - *Holy Communion*  
Wed 16<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm RR - *Parish Council*  
Fri 18<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm RMH - *Garden Club*  
Sat 19<sup>th</sup> 10 to 4 RMH - *Craft Fayre*  
Sun 20<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Church - *Holy Communion*  
Sun 27<sup>th</sup> 11.00am Church - *Family Service*  
6.00pm Church - *Family Service*  
Key:  
RMH = Rhodes Memorial Hall  
RR = Reading Room, Rhodes Memorial Hall  
CA = 'Craven Arms'  
Church = St Martin's Church, Charlton Abbotts  
S'h. = St Andrew's Church, Sevenhampton  
H = St. Edward's Church, Hawling  
Hm = Hawling Methodist Chapel.

**the Craven Arms** all bookings  
01242 820410

**Sunday 23rd October**  
**Whisky Tasting Evening**  
In association with  
**the Scottish Malt Whisky Society**  
6.30 to 8.30pm  
Join us in the bar for  
a heart warming tasting with  
a selection of cheese and biscuits.  
Cost £20

**Locals night this year is on**  
**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December**

The **New Year's Eve Party** theme  
is "**Heroes and Villains**"  
And don't forget the regular  
**Quiz nights**  
Thursdays 6<sup>th</sup> Oct. & 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov.

## JUMBLE SALE

Saturday 22nd October 2.15pm  
Rhodes Memorial Hall



**COBALT**  
(Registered Charity No.1090790)

Research  
Education  
Prevention  
Screening  
Diagnosis

## CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER

for the Heart Mind & Body - Scanner Appeal\*  
Rhodes Memorial Hall  
Saturday 5 November 2011  
2 - 4 p.m.  
Christmas cards  
and a range of gifts for sale  
including stained glass decorations,  
stoneware, hand and finger puppets,  
vintage candles...  
Raffle  
Tea and cakes

**All donations or contributions  
would be most welcome**

For further information please contact  
Cherrie 820355 or Carol 820649

\*Heart Mind & Body Appeal. launched August 2011 Revolutionising the diagnosis and treatment of cardiac, stroke and oncology patients at Cheltenham General Hospital. Providing a new CT service with a multi-slice cardiac CT Scanner for the Radiology Department at Cheltenham General Hospital.

## CRAFT FAYRE

**Saturday 19th November**  
Rhodes Memorial Hall  
10am to 4pm  
Proceeds to



**The BBC Children In Need Appeal.**

a great opportunity to do some Christmas shopping without the hassle and **FREE PARKING!**

*Choose from stained glass, jewellery, pottery, cards, bags, Christmas cakes and preserves and much more.*

**delicious refreshments all day  
including lunches.**



## ROBERT'S ENGINE OPEN DAY

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> October**  
**11.00am to 4.00pm**

Stationary Engines, Tractors,  
Museum and Displays.  
Cart Horse Working.  
Motor cycles

**If possible please bring an exhibit.**  
Manor Farm, Sevenhampton  
01242 820408.



**WATER FOR  
ELEPHANTS**



**SEVENHAMPTON  
& DISTRICT  
WOMEN'S  
INSTITUTE**

### Meetings

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October**

Mrs Di Alexander  
*Pen and Polisher*

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November**  
**OPEN MEETING (from 8.00pm)**  
Mr. Nick Fresson  
**'The Dower House  
and its Place in Village History'**

Further information from  
Georgina Oldham 820423



of Sevenhampton & District

### Meetings

**Friday 21st October**

John Todd - *The Wonders of Westonbirt*

**Friday 18th November**

Roger Umpleby - *Butterflies in Britain*

7.30pm in Rhodes Memorial Hall  
Non-members are welcome to attend our  
meetings for a fee of £4

Further information from the Secretary,  
Cindy Haines 820914

## CENTURY CLUB

In September we were treated to a talk by a remarkable lady named Janet Margrie, who told us of a career of creativity and showed us a large selection of her creations. Although having studied at art college she claimed not to be an artist yet her work suggested that she was more of an artist than many of today's so called exponents. Her talk covered a lot of ground (most of her long life) and it is difficult to remember all the detail, but it was greatly appreciated by all her audience.

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October**

*Lunch at 'The Royal', Charlton Kings.*

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> November**

Liz Suckling - *The history of Crickley Hill and the Rollright Stones*

Anyone of retirement age is welcome to join the club.

For further information  
contact Iris Young 01242 583098

## Thursday 13th October

Rhodes Memorial Hall, Brockhampton.

**Doors open 7.00 for 7.30 pm**

Reese Witherspoon, Robert Pattinson & Christopher Waltz star in the film adaptation of Sara Gruen's best selling novel.

A love story set in 1930s America amidst the world of the big top.

**All tickets £3.00 available on the door  
or from Julia Chandler 01242 820629.**  
There will be another film on 10th Nov.  
details - [www.sevenhampton.org/films](http://www.sevenhampton.org/films)