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Dear Friends

It's February and love is in the air! It's a leap year and traditionally on the 29th February women can propose to their partner and ask them to marry them.



Valentine's Day is on Wednesday 14th February this year which is also the first day of the season of Lent where Christians prepare themselves for the joy of Easter.

The couples that I am planning to marry this year will be getting themselves ready for their 'Big Day' and I'm sure if you have ever had this experience you will know of all the heartache and joy that goes into the planning for a wedding. The anxiety and hopes for getting the occasion just right.



The most popular Bible verse that is read at weddings is taken from St Paul's first letter to the 1^{st} century church in Corinth.

1 Corinthians chapter 13 verses 4 to 7

Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, and endures all things.



If we reflect on these words and put love into practice in our daily lives whether we believe or not we can all work to help make the world a better and more loving place to live in.

Every Blessing Revd Caren

All Saints' Church, Clifton From the Registers



Funeral, followed by burial in the graveyard

29th November 2023 Jessie Currie Allan 18th December 2023 Pauline Lucy Wright

Café Church for Lent

Tuesdays at 12 noon - 1.30 pm in the Church



Come and find out more about Lent from the Bible and have a Frugal Lent Lunch (soup and bread) where donations will go to the Need Project for their work in this community.

If you would like to come along, please email the Rector at:

rector4clifton@gmail.com

February: 20th and 27th

March: 5th, 12th, 19th March



Ash Wednesday 14th February

10.00 am Communion with Imposition of Ashes

7.30 pm Taizé Service



All Saints' Church Clifton Services

Sundays:

11.00 am Parish Communion 1st, 3rd

Family Service, 2nd Morning Prayer, 4th

10.30 am Messy Church 4th Sunday (Church Hall)

6.30 pm Evensong, 3rd Sunday

10.00 am Benefice Service 5th Sunday at Clifton, Haynes or Southill

Wednesdays:

10.00 am Holy Communion or Morning Prayer

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Samuel Whitbread Academy

OPPORTUNITY · ACHIEVEMENT · EXCELLENCE

It's certainly been an eventful autumn term, finishing with a fantastic pantomime and the Performing Arts Showcase. I would like to thank Miss Major for all her hard work directing the panto this year. Organising such a big production, including over 60 cast members and tech crew, as well as costumes, staging, lights and sound, is a massive undertaking. The audience certainly seemed to enjoy it - with a standing ovation on the final night.

At the annual Sixth Form World Food Festival, each tutor group prepared food from a particular country around the world. They sold their creations to the whole school to raise money for charity. The event raised over £780 for Methodist Junior High School in Kwahu-Tafo, Ghana, with 12A raising the most money, £151.55. We have supported the school for over a decade and these funds will be put towards a new computer lab. We also had our first ever Christmas Bake Off take place, organised by two members of our Student Leadership Team, Ella and Megan, along with help from our Food Department. We had entries from all year groups and the winning entry went to Megan W.

Following last term's debating final for Y12, this time it was the turn of Y9 & Y10 who debated 'The house believes zoos are unethical'. It was a tightly fought contest with Sims House being crowned the winners. The debating competition was organised by Rebecca, another member of our student leadership team.

We have four members of staff leaving us for pastures new this Christmas, including Mrs Robson and Mrs Lock, who have been with us since September, and Mrs Turner, who joined us last year. They have all done a sterling job supporting our students in Languages, Philosophy, Religion & Ethics and Pastoral, and we thank them for everything they have done for the school.

We also say goodbye to Mr Rhodes, Director of Rugby, who has been with us for nine years and is moving on to coach a professional rugby team. Mr Rhodes has transformed Rugby at SWA with finals at Twickenham and national success in the Vase at U15 and U18. These memories will stay with us for many years to come and for that, we are deeply thankful. We wish him every success in his new role.

From all of us at SWA, we would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year!

Nick Martin, Principal

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Not published	With thanks and appreciation for all the volunteers and supporters of All Saints' Church, who bring light to the community with their generosity and dedication.	

Messy Church—February 25th Church Hall, 10:30 am

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Commemorative Peal Board Dedication

Chronicles' readers may recall an article in the July 2023 edition (page 22) about a peal rung in memory of long standing All Saints bell ringers Stan and Sheila Ashton and Jim Peacock. The peal of 5040 changes of plain bob triples took just over three hours to ring.

Stan's daughter, Ros, suggested that the occasion should be recorded on a specially made peal board to hang in the ringing room and this was readily agreed by all the ringers and Jean Peacock.



The new peal board was on show and dedicated by Rev Caren during the morning service on Sunday 3rd December. The board still needs to be framed and hung; we'll get this done as soon as possible. The picture shows Rev Caren, Ros, Jean Peacock and some of the ringers with the board.



Terry Brown, All Saints Tower Secretary



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Thank you all so much, Denise Panton



Clifton WI

Hello everyone, it is hard to believe we are already one month into a New Year.





At our third of January meeting, we had a very competitive Beetle Drive, won by Pat Kemp, which made for a fun afternoon, after the serious business of the vote for the W I campaign for 2024. The vote was unanimous for CLEAN RIVERS. This result will go forward to our Executive Committee.

We have a Theatre trip planned, to Milton Keynes, to see Pretty Woman. We are also organising a trip to Van Hage's Garden Centre in April/May, hopefully with other outings to follow.

7th February, we have an interesting talk from the East Anglian Air Ambulance. They will be telling us about Saving Lives and the vital service they provide. Tea ladies Sue Whiffen, Chris Byers and Maureen Gravell.



6th March we would love your support for our AGM. I will update you in our next issue of the Chronicles re activities on the day. Tea ladies Pat Wisby, Pat Thorogood and Jenny Sandler.

Our Meetings take place on the first Wednesday of the month, 2-4 pm in the Community Hall. Why not try us out, visitors are always welcome.

CLIFTON GOOD NEIGHBOUR SCHEME

HAPPY NEW YEAR

The greeting maybe a bit late but the sentiment is genuine. Our aim for 2024 is to continue to provide as good as service as we can and continue to respond to requests for help in a timely and sympathetic fashion. Our first Tea & Chat session got off to a splendid start despite the efforts of a mysterious phone caller who rang a few of our regulars, including a Committee member, and told them that the session had been cancelled? Thankfully folk checked that the message was false and despite the cold over 25 locals turned up for an interesting presentation from a representative of Central Beds Council about recycling. It proved to be a challenging session for the speaker! It was clear from the talk that there is still a lot of mixed messages and confusion about what can and cannot be recycled. The CGNS intends to have more speakers at future Tea & Chat sessions to keep them fresh and entertaining.

If folk do receive anonymous calls about the Tea & Chat sessions then please check with the 'phone holder on the number below as they will be able to advise you about the situation. Or if anyone has any issues about the operation of the Tea & Chat sessions then again please contact the number below and we will do our best to resolve the matter to our mutual satisfaction.

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CGNS Tea & Chat on Wednesdays

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- * 14th February
- * 28th February
- * 13th March

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CLIFTON PARISH COUNCIL

Permissive Paths

For almost 30 years now Clifton residents have benefited from access to several miles of countryside walks at the Northern end of Church Street, known locally as "The Baulk", thanks to the generosity of the land owner Don Brace. These delightful country walks provide pedestrian access to Stamford Lock, Stamford village and Langford with expansive views across the Ivel Valley.

Last year the permissive pathway support scheme expired which created a challenge with regard the funding of grass-cutting and maintenance of these pathways and footbridges. Clifton Parish Council worked with the landowner and CBC in an effort to find solutions. Unfortunately despite the efforts of our Ward Councillors CBC were unable to help.

At this point, after all other options had failed, Clifton Parish Council agreed to provide limited financial support to keep these pathways open. We were also able to gain a commitment to equal financial support from the adjoining Parish Councils of Langford and Henlow whose residents also enjoy this facility.

We have subsequently been advised that a new Government Scheme could shortly be introduced that may remove the need for us to provide support in future.

We are of course most fortunate that the Brace family continue to allow public access and would ask that all villagers treat this land with the care they would if it were their own and follow the guidance as signposted. This land is used for food production and the Landowner is responsible for ensuring compliance with strict DEFRA regulations.

Steve Langton, Chair, Clifton Parish Council



Clifton All Saints Academy Spiritual Garden Blessing

We hosted our Spiritual Garden Blessing this week, led by Reverend Caren. Our Spiritual Garden has been a wonderful addition to our school, it is a quiet space that children and adults alike can access throughout the school day for a moment of calm and peace. Mrs Swain did a wonderful job of bringing the vision of the garden to life.

We were joined at the blessing by members of the Parochial Church Council, Mr and Mrs Blackmore and Mrs Peacock who kindly donated £500 to our Garden, and Mrs Howe and Miss Howe who donated £.75 in

memory of Peter Howe. We were also joined by our Vice Chair of Trustees Mrs Weller.

Mrs Lines also applied for a £750 community life fund grant from St Albans Diocese which prompted the idea for the garden.

Children shared prayers and read thank you pieces to our visitors, Reverend Caren blessed our garden and we had a moment of



reflection for the space. It was a truly wonderful afternoon and I would like to extend my thanks to Mrs Lines for her support in organising this event.

I would also like to thank those who attended the blessing and contributed to our garden for the valuable contribution they have made to our school.

Clifton All Saints Academy (CASA)



Clifton All Saints Academy, was delighted to welcome The Bishop of Bedford to the school on Tuesday 10th January.

The Bishop joined the children for a Collective Worship and spent about forty minutes with a small group of children from across the school. The children learnt about the Bishop's role and the differences between the duties of a Vicar and a Bishop. He also spent some time with the Chair of Trustees (Mr Milton Guffogg) and Vice Chair of Trustees (Mrs Carol Weller) and the Headteacher (Miss Rebecca Byrne) to discuss the developments at the Academy going forward.

It was a wonderful morning and we were delighted with Bishop Richard's feedback from the day. He commented on the well led Collective Worship and the excellent behaviour of pupils and their insightful questions and way of interacting. He also thanked the team for the good work that continues to go in on the school.





Hitchin & Letchworth RSPB Local Group

Hitchin & Letchworth RSPB Group have a great events coming up:

Friday 2nd February 7.30pm

'Farming for Nature, Climate & for the Future'

A talk by Georgina Bray, Farm Manager at RSPB's Hope Farm. We will hear how the farm has developed since its purchase in 2000 and how it shows the difference that nature friendly farming can make for wildlife.

At The Settlement, Letchworth SG6 4UB, 7.30pm, visitors very welcome £4.

Sunday February 18th

All-day coach trip to Brandon Marsh

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Lions Jumble Sale Saturday 23rd March Doors open 1.30 pm

Entrance £1 per adult

Community Centre,
Whiston Crescent, Clifton



Clifton Planning Applications Update

Central Beds Decisions at 13th January 2024

CB/23/00018FULL – 5th January – 32, Clifton Road SG175AE. 2 storey side extension, single store front extension with loft conversion. Conservatory alteration. **Consultation Period.**

CB/23/0401/FULL 19th December – 55, Stockbridge Road SG17 5HA. Single storey side extension and front canopy. **Consultation Period**.

CB/23/03962/FULL – 11th December – 33a, Hitchin Lane SG17 5RS. 2 storey side and rear extensions. **Awaiting Decision.**

CB/23/03735/FULL 20th November – 32, Church Street SG17 5EY. Demolition of existing garage and store. Construction of new. **Awaiting Decision.**

CB/23/03567/FULL 15th November – 39, Shefford Road SG17 5RQ. Erection of new 2 bed bungalow. **Awaiting Decision.**

CB/23/03562/FULL – 6th November – 10, Stockbridge Road SG17 5HA Replace extensions roofing. Installation of roof lights and patio doors. **Decided.**

CB/23/02987/FULL – 17th October – Clifton Park Homes, New Road. Erection of 29 new residential units. **Awaiting Decision.**

CB/23/03091/FULL – 16th October – 28, Church Street SG17 5ET. Demolition of buildings. Erection of single storey dwelling. **Decided**.

CB/23/02982/RM – 83/8, Broad Street SG17 5RP. Demolition of rear building. Erection of 2 single storey dwellings. **Decided.**

CB/23/02831/FULL – 28th August – 32, Clifton Road, SG17 5AE. New storage building and parking layout. **Decided.**

CB/23/01344/FULL – 26th April – 39, Shefford Road, SG17 5RO. New bungalow at rear of land. **Decided.**

Tony Hyde - Clifton Residents Association

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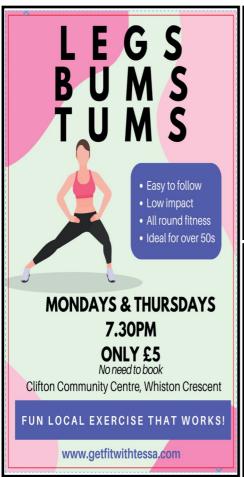
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Village Events 2024

Month	Date	Event	
March	23	Lions Jumble Sale	
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May	18	Plant Swap	
June	6	D-Day Beacon Lighting Event	
July	5	Field Good Friday	
July	12	Duck Race	
	2	Field Good Friday	
August	4, 11, 18, 25	Sunday Afternoon Teas	
6 Field Good Friday		Field Good Friday	
September	14/15	Scarecrow Festival	
	29	Farm Run	
October			
November	10	Remembrance Sunday	
December	7	Light Up Clifton	

If you are organising a Village Event let us know and we will add you to our Calendar.

Clifton Crime Statistics for December 2024

CRIMINAL DAMAGE - RESIDENTIAL

01/12/2023 Harwood Lane

STALKING

01/12/2023 Undisclosed

PUBLIC FEAR ALARM OR DISTRESS

02/12/2023 Haycock Gardens

ASSAULT WITHOUT INJURY

04/12/2023 Harwood Lane 09/12/2023 Harwood Lane

ASSAULT WITH INJURY

10/12/2023 Harwood Lane

TRAFFICKING OF DRUGS

13/12/2023 New Road

INTERFERING WITH A MOTOR VEHICLE

24/12/2023 Clifton Road

STATE OR PUBLIC ORDER

27/12/2023 Earl Close

ATTEMPTED RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY-HOME

31/12/2023 Brickle Place



Do you enjoy SINGING? If you do, there is a welcome for you in Clifton Church Choir

There are vacancies for singers of all voices, particularly sopranos and altos.

We sing primarily at the 11.00 am service on the 1st, 3rd and 4th. Sundays of the month and choir practices are held in church, during school term time, on Thursdays from 7.30 to 8.45 pm.

We'd love to see you there!

Please contact the Choirmaster/Organist Peter Maundrell on 01767 314621 or peterdmaundrell@hotmail.co.uk



Do you enjoy SINGING? All Saints' Church has a JUNIOR CHOIR



Junior Choir is open to boys and girls of Year 2 and above.

Junior Choir Practice takes place on Tuesdays during school term time from 4 00 to 4 30 pm, and Junior Choir members are invited to sing with the Senior Choir at the 11.00 am service on 1st and 3rd Sundays of the month (again, during school term time).

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Whilst the Garden Sleeps.....

Whilst the Garden sleeps don't despair still visit it for a wander, with a cuppa in hand. Get some fresh air and look for signs of life. I did a tidy up the other day and some shoots of spring bulbs were just poking through. It won't be long now and Snowdrops will be



out with their carpets of white adorning gardens and the countryside.

Use this time to plan your garden out. Have exactly what you want in it, for your garden is your haven. Your little piece of tranquillity. There are lots of gardening programmes telling us what we should and shouldn't be doing in our gardens. Lots of people find this overwhelming and then are scared to do anything. The main thing is to enjoy your garden and be out in the fresh air relaxing. Yes there are certain dos and don'ts, it is a massive subject and lots of knowledge comes from experience and trial and error, getting to know your garden and its soil etc.

Don't think you have to be regimented into the latest fashions of gardens. Have what style you like. If there is something in your garden you don't like take it out and replace it with something you do like. Visit gardens to get inspiration.

As long as you keep in mind important factors to make your garden thrive such as direction of the sun, right plant right place and soil type, where you like sitting or eating then you can build you own garden of Eden up from that and the sky's the limit. Use it as if it were another room. Have zones for relaxing, entertaining, growing veg, kids to play etc

So don't be scared. Make plans and go for it. I can assure you, you will love watching plants grow and flower and bulbs pop up and wildlife buzz by. Food for the soul. It will make you slow down from busy modern life and appreciate what's under our noses.

Happy New Year!
By Donna Cameron, Donna's Garden Designs, 07833670934



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*10.30 a.m. and 6.00 p.m. A warm welcome is assured to all. Communion is held during the 6.00 p.m. service on the 3rd Sunday in the month.

*The 10.30 a.m. Sunday morning service will continue to held at the Community Centre, Whiston Crescent, Clifton.

Mondays (term time)

Mums & Tots 10 a.m. – 11.30 a.m. at the Church Explorers 5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. (for Reception to Year 4) at Church

Wednesdays (term time)

Coffeepot 12.00 noon - 1.30 pm at the Church

Fridays (term time)

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Sunday Services

St Francis 9.00 am 5.15 pm

Saturday Service

St Francis 11.00 am

Shefford Methodist Church

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Sunday Service

9.30 am Worship for all, plus Junior Church, crèche facilities & refreshments afterwards.

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Salvation Army, Stotfold

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Sunday Services: 10.30 am

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