

November 2016

Wed 2 nd	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
Sun 6 th	Edith, Elizabeth and I	The Village Hall	19:30
Mon 7 th	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 9 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
Thu 10 th	Craft & Chat	The Village Hall	14:00-16:00
Fri 11 th	Games Night	The Village Hall	19:45
Sat 12 th	Calendar Launch	The Village Hall	20:00
Sun 13 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	11:00-16:00
Mon 14 th	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 16 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
Fri 18 th	Messy Church	The Village Hall	16:30-18:00
	Games Night	The Village Hall	19:45
Sun 20 th	Fulking Christmas Fair	The Village Hall	15:00-16:00
	Christmas Choir Rehearsal	The Keep, The Street	18:30
	Macbeth	St. Andrew's, Edburton	19:30
Mon 21 st	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 23 rd	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
	Christmas Choir Rehearsal	The Keep, The Street	18:30
Thu 24 th	Craft & Chat	The Village Hall	14:00-16:00
Fri 25 th	St. Andrew's Day Quiz	Preston Nomads	19:00
	A Year in Wildlife Photography	Henfield Hall	19:30
Mon 28 th	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 30 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30

Games-man-ship

No ocean-going vessels are involved, just games for men or women, such as table tennis... at the Village Hall on Friday 11th and 18th November at 7:45pm. Recover afterwards at the Shepherd & Dog.

Bobobservation No 25. Village Calendar

It is with a sense of wonderment that for the first time in my memory a Fulking village calendar has been produced at all and indeed to an incredibly high professional standard...

The calendar launch will be in the village hall on Saturday 12th November at 8pm. There will be a slide show of some of the excellent photos that did not make the last 12 and a welcoming glass of wine.

The Downland Calendar 2017 features a variety of stunning images celebrating different aspects of the surrounding countryside and villages, with photographs taken by local residents. It makes an ideal Christmas present. They are shrink wrapped, A4 sized (unfolded) and only cost £6.

The aim is to raise funds for the maintenance of the Village Hall. It's on sale at Rushfields Plant Centre, Shepherd and Dog Pub, Design, Copy Print in Henfield and Swains Farm Shop. More information or copies from Jen Green (552) or jengreenuk@yahoo.co.uk

I do urge you to buy copies for family and friends and encourage them to sell as many as they can. You will not see a more attractive calendar anywhere this Christmas.

Many thanks to the photographers and sponsors, but special mention should be made of the marketing expertise of Richard Rawlings, and Jen Green for driving the project. We can be really proud to add this to the many achievements of Fulking over the last few years

Christmas Party already...

While more or less on the subject of Christmas (gifts). Bob reminds us that it's never too early to put the Village Christmas Party in your diary. It's also because Tombola prizes are needed, and should be delivered to Louise at 13 Clappers Lane.

The party is in the village hall on Friday December 9th from 6.30 till 8.30pm. Children are welcome. Entrance is free as is the mulled, red and white wine and the soft

drinks but please bring a plate of savoury nibbles and some cash for the Tombola.

We'd love to really pack the hall out, so please try to come. If you have recently arrived in the village, it's a great way to meet other villagers. We need you!

Fair enough, then...

By November 20th you may be worrying that there's not enough time left to buy those all important unique Christmas gifts. Fear not, for that's the day of the Fulking Xmas Fair, at the Village Hall 11am to 3pm. In addition to "*The Calendar*" all manner of wooden and woollen crafts, textiles, cards and prints as well as jewellery, decorations and stocking fillers are available. That's Xmas sorted...and its not December yet.

Heat for Health

Several charities and councils have banded together to offer free advice over the phone or arrange home visits to anyone in Mid Sussex facing fuel poverty and living with someone either over 65 or under 5.

This service helps to keep energy bills affordable, provides funding for energy efficiency measures such as boiler replacements, insulation or secondary glazing and supports with applying for further help. The project runs until March 2017.

Just call 01444 477191 or email heat@midsussex.gov.uk

School's Out

Older villagers will recall how some of our youngest residents made a 'Good Start' to their school experience at the Village Hall pre-school. A similar pre-school in Albourne has just changed hands and the new owners are alerting this service to locals. See www.albourneunder5s.com for details.

Choristers needed

Anyone who would like to join the Christmas Choir for the carol service on 18th December should contact Alison (705).

There are only four rehearsals - all held at 6.30pm at The Keep on the following dates:

Sun 20th, Wed 23rd Nov, and Sun 4th, Sun 11th Dec.

