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July 2017

Mon 3 rd	Yoga Drop-in Session	The Village Hall	09:30-10:30
	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 5 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
Fri 7 th	Parking in Clappers Lane	The Village Hall	19:30-20:30
Sun 9 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	11:00-16:00
Mon 10 th	Yoga Drop-in Session	The Village Hall	09:30-10:30
	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 12 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
Thur 13 th	Craft & Chat	The Village Hall	14:00-16:00
	Parish Council Meeting	The Village Hall	19:30-21-30
Sat 15 th	Larry – (Play – Keith Drinkel)	The Village Hall	19:00
Mon 17 th	Yoga Drop-in Session	The Village Hall	09:30-10:30
	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 19 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
Fri 21 st	Messy Church	The Village Hall	16:30-18:00
Sun 23 rd	Butterflying with Matthew Oates	Newtimber Hill	11:00-14:30
Mon 24 th	Yoga Drop-in Session	The Village Hall	09:30-10:30
	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30
Wed 26 th	Book Nook	Fulking Chapel	10:00-11:30
	Toddlers/Family Coffee	The Village Hall	10:00-11:30
	Wild Art & Campfires	Newtimber Hill	10:30-14:30
Thur 27 th	Craft & Chat	The Village Hall	14:00-16:00
Fri 28 th	Call my Bluff Wine Quiz	North Town Field	19:00-late
Sun 30 th	Fulking Fair	North Town Field	12:00-17:00
Mon 31 st	Yoga Drop-in Session	The Village Hall	09:30-10:30
	Yoga	The Village Hall	18:30-19:30

Trustworthy

You can always trust The National Trust to put on some interesting activities in the summer – though they do get booked up fast. On Sunday 23rd July one of the leading Butterfly experts, Matthew Oates, will be on Newtimber Hill 11:00-14:30 and on Wednesday 26th you can learn about outdoor art and campfire cooking with Andy Goldsworthy, 10:30-14:30. Also on Newtimber Hill

Bobservation No 32: Fulking Fair 2017

Depending on the weather, this year's fair on Sunday 30th July from 12 till 5pm has all of the attractions necessary to make it one of the best yet. We might even repeat our 2014 Argus award of the 'best community event in Sussex'. Parking and admission are both free. The various attractions include:

Music from various local bands including the highly successful 'Sold as Seen'.

Food: Punjabi Street Food, Rushfields' pies, Fish Story fish & chips. There will be teas and cakes in the village hall and garden. Ice cream will be available in The Street and the field.

Games: Bouncy castle for those kids who will not sit still, Stocks to torture dads, Pony Rides for budding equestrian stars.

Drinks: The Shepherd & Dog will be running a bar in the marquee which they have generously donated.

Demonstrations: HART, National Trust, Sussex Wildlife, Henfield Spinners and Knitters and Twineham Timber will all be there.

Games: Tug of War, including a challenge from Poynings, and two Tombolas including one for children. We need prizes for both of these; please be generous and deliver a bottle or other prize to Louise at 13 Clappers Lane or Bob at Furzefield.

The Teas Team have agreed to repeat last year's enterprise... So once again they are desperate for cakes. Please let Pam (271) or Tricia (255) know if you are able to donate. All cakes can be dropped off (not literally!) in the hall after 10.30 on the day or given to Pam or Tricia by prior arrangement.

Mother's Ruin

Although it taken a couple of centuries for gin to become uber-fashionable again, it's now bang on trend. So why not join the Gin & Jazz festival at the Shepherd & Dog on 14th to 16th July. 20 Gins will be paired with a range of tonics and garnishes. Live music Saturday 1-3pm, 6-8pm & Sunday 1-3pm.

Clappers Lane Parking

It can't have escaped villagers' notice that one of our parking issues occurs at the narrow southern end of Clappers Lane, especially for those houses without off-road parking.

There'll be a public meeting to discuss this on Friday 7th July in the Village Hall at 7:30pm – all are welcome.

Fayre Enough?

Don't forget the Henfield Summer Fayre & Show on Henfield Common on Saturday 22nd July from 1pm. Amongst the many attractions will be a display of duck herding.

Just the event to get you in the right frame of mind for the main event of the summer – the Fulking Fair.

The 77

The 77 bus is running all summer from the Dyke Pub to a circular route in the centre of Brighton. Primarily aimed at getting city dwellers out in to the countryside, it works well as a day out in town for us country bumpkins. It seems that the walk up the hill is a small price to pay for an open topped bus and avoiding outrageous parking fees in Brighton & Hove (actually...)

Call My Bluff Wine Quiz

Reserve a table for this epic quiz, which is under canvas this year. It's on Friday 28^{th} July at 7pm in the North Town Field. Places are £15 or £100 for a table of 8. Pay on the night but book through Bob (271) or Emily at the Shepherd & Dog.

Larry!

Larry is the acclaimed new play by Mark Burgess and directed by Daniel Finlaystarring Keith Drinkel as Sir Laurence Olivier. It has been performed in London and the Brighton Festival. and tells the story of Olivier in his declining years making a new

career for himself in film and television.

Saturday 15th July, 7pm, Village Hall. Tickets £8 on the door, £5 concessions.

