



# KINGSLEY NEWS

MARCH 2016

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Community

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**KINGSLEY PRAYER DIARY**

**Each week of the year** Christians in Kingsley pray specially for people in a different area of the village and its surroundings. During March we think of, and pray for people living in: -

**W/c Mar 6th Newton/Hillfoot and Old Hall Lane**

**W/c Mar 13th Kingswood**

**W/c Mar 20th Meeting House Lane/Offalpits Lane**

**W/c Mar 27th Norley Road**

***We invite you to add your own prayers***

# EDITORIAL NEWS AND VIEWS

Dear Readers

Kingsley is a clean and pleasant place to live with a good community spirit. However, some individuals are not being very neighbourly, especially in the Top Road, Highbank areas. Certain individual(s) are allowing their dog(s) to foul the footpath and not picking up the mess. This is the second month in a row that I have received a complaint about dog poo on the pavements in this area. As it is an offence to allow a dog to foul the pavement if you see anyone committing this offence then either speak to them or report it at the Community Police drop-in meeting on 9<sup>th</sup> March. We all have a right to a clean village without having to put up with dirty pavements caused by the thoughtlessness of a few individuals.

On a brighter note don't forget the clocks go forward 1 hour on Easter Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March.

HAPPY EASTER

Elizabeth



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**Tel: 01928 787678**

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## KINGSLEY & NEWTON VILLAGE INSTITUTE (KNVI)

**Great news!! The funding has now been raised to pay for the refurbishment of the two tennis courts at KNVI, with help secured principally from grants from Cheshire West & Chester Council's Rural Support Programme, Kingsley Parish Council, Frodsham and District Round Table, an anonymous donation, and Tesco's "Bags of Help" initiative – more on this below!**

The target is for both courts to be resurfaced, relined and repainted, and for new fencing to be erected around both courts. One of the courts will also allow for disabled access.

**We're hoping that both courts will be ready for play by early Summer.**

**Quite a few people have already expressed interest in joining the tennis section of KNVI, so if you are interested, don't delay – get in touch with Elizabeth Batey (phone 01928 788788, or email [embatey@msn.com](mailto:embatey@msn.com)).**

We are very grateful to all our funders, especially our support from Kingsley Parish Council and CW&CC.

Also, Tesco is providing a minimum grant of £8000 from its recently launched Bags of Help initiative (in conjunction with Groundwork) covering hundreds of regions across England and Wales. This grant will fund most of the costs of refurbishing one of our tennis courts.

**The Tesco grant could be higher, with your support!**

Bags of Help offers community groups and projects in each of Tesco's 390 regions across the UK a share of revenue generated from the five pence charge levied on single-use carrier bags. The scheme will see three community groups and projects in each of these regions awarded grants of £12,000, £10,000 and £8,000 – all raised from the 5p bag charge.

**Our project is one of the three community groups in our local area and you now have the opportunity to vote in our local Tesco stores from 27 February until 6 March on who should receive the £12,000, £10,000 and £8,000 awards.**

**Please vote for our project to increase our grant from £8000 to £10000, or even £12000!!**



## THANK YOU

I would like to publicly thank the couple, who finding my saturated purse in the roadway where it had fallen from my bag the night before, returned it to me completely intact. It contained cash, notes & all my credit cards. They would take nothing in return. How lucky we are to live in such a place where people are trustworthy & honest.

Sheila Hardy



### *Your Local Community Market*

*Saturday 19th March*

*9.30am until 1.00pm*

*Kingsley Community Centre,  
Smithy Lane, WA6 8ED*

*Variety of produce, meat, bread, cheese,  
cakes, jams, fresh vegetables, plus a range of  
crafts - Jewellery, Cards and Bags*

*All from Local Producers - you can talk to!*





## **Come along and meet us!**

If you're not sure what our organisation is all about we shall be having a table at **"Love your Streets – Love Kingsley – your Rural Life"** event. It would be good to meet some new faces so if you have an interest in helping your community become more self-sufficient, learn about Transition and Permaculture, energy conservation & generation, composting, buying local and supporting local businesses then please drop-in to the event any time on

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March between 1pm and 5pm  
at Kingsley Community Centre**

or contact us directly for more details.

The first of our popular markets is on: **19<sup>th</sup> March** starting at 9.30am in Kingsley Community Centre - many products sell out quickly – so get down early to avoid disappointment!

Apart from our existing projects, our plans also include greater interaction with our Parish Council, more engagement with youth and a Transition event. We are keen to meet with other North West Transition and Permaculture groups and are already promoting a get-together to meet **other TI groups in Liverpool on Wed. 8th June.**

You would be very welcome to join us and help to build a more sustainable and resilient future for Kingsley.

Further detailed information for the year's market dates and other KTI events dates can be found on our website.

Contact [simon@sherlock.co.uk](mailto:simon@sherlock.co.uk)

or via

<http://www.kingsleytransition.org.uk>



## **KCA AGM Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March at 7.30pm**

The Community Centre is 40 years old this year. Come along to see how we plan to celebrate the community spirit and work that went into the building of the centre. Also if anyone has any ideas for ways to mark this event then please let us know.

New ideas and events are always welcome; if you would like to get involved with a single event or on a longer term basis then please get in touch.

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Monday	14 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Kingsley Garden Club</b>	8pm
Tuesday	1 <sup>st</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 22 <sup>nd</sup> , 29 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Yoga Classes</b>	6pm-7.30pm; 7.30-9pm
Wednesday	2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Kingsley W I</b>	7.30pm
Wednesday	9 <sup>th</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup> , 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Latin Flow Dance Class</b>	7-8pm
Wednesday	2 <sup>nd</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup> , 30 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Alzheimer's Society</b>	11am-12.30
Thursday	3 <sup>rd</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> , 24 <sup>th</sup> , 31 <sup>st</sup>	<b>KU17's</b>	

**Kingsley Players put on their wonderful and popular performances throughout the year. The Centre now has a scintillating dance floor – it's a fabulous venue for a party, be it Birthday, Anniversary, Retirement or Wedding Celebrations. Children's Parties are particularly popular!**

**The next K.T.I. Market will be on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> March 2016  
There is potentially something there of interest for everyone : it is truly a Centre for the Community**

Rooms are available for hire at the Centre from as little as £20. We can also hire at an hourly rate where appropriate.

Contact Elizabeth Batey, Booking Secretary, 788788 or [embatey@msn.com](mailto:embatey@msn.com)

## FREE TO GOOD HOME

Chest Freezer in good working order. 73cm long x 60cm wide x 82cm high. Elizabeth 787678

17 inch LCD Computer Monitor available free to be collected from Mary 01928 787095

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## St Lukes Parish, Frodsham

Diocese of Shrewsbury



### WELCOME FROM ST. LUKE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH FRODSHAM

**Parish Priest: Fr. James Kenny**

**Mass times:**

Saturday (Vigil) 6.00 pm

Sunday 10 am

Week days 9.30 am (Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri)

Morning Prayer is said before each Mass at 9.15 am

6.15 pm (Tuesday)

**On Thursdays in Lent (3<sup>rd</sup>.10<sup>th</sup> &17<sup>th</sup> March) at 11.30am** there will be Stations of the Cross and Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, followed by Mass at Noon. All are invited to Soup Lunches in the Parish Centre afterwards, in aid of CAFOD.

Holy Week services:

**Passion Sunday 20<sup>th</sup>. (Palm Sunday) Mass at 10am**

**Holy Thursday 24<sup>th</sup>. (Mass of The Lord's Supper): 7.30pm**

**Good Friday: 25<sup>th</sup>. (Passion of The Lord): 3pm**

**Holy Saturday: 26<sup>th</sup>. (Easter Vigil): 7.30pm**

**Easter Sunday: 27<sup>th</sup>. Mass at 9am&11am**

**HAPPY EASTER TO ALL**

**See the parish web page for further details: [stlukesparish.org.uk](http://stlukesparish.org.uk)**



Urban Trendz Theatre presents  
"In the Company of Women"

Ed Green, the Director of the hugely successful "Bite Sized Shakespeare" has set up a new theatre company which will be putting on contemporary drama across Cheshire and beyond. The first production will be at Davenham Theatre, home of the Davenham Players. The cast includes a few familiar Kingsley Players.

The show is called "In the Company of Women" : it is all about women and their lot in life, their struggles and fight for identity. It consists of three short plays.

"Medea" by Dario Fo & Franca Rame is based on the mythic story of Jason & Medea. (with Vanessa Duffy, Denise Barry, Sue Elliott, Andrea Scott and Jo Oultram).

"Rise & Shine" by Dario Fo & Franca Rame is about a factory worker with a child and sleeping partner trying to get ready for work in her crowded life. (stars Kelly Cowley)

"Where do little birds go" by Camilla Whitehill. This is a play about Lucy who gets caught up in 60s London as a teenager and is used by the Kray twins as a woman to "amuse" mad axeman Frank Mitchell while he is holed up in a London flat after being broken out of prison by the Krays. (starring Laura Elizabeth Bason).

*Tickets are £10 and available on-line [www.danarts.org](http://www.danarts.org) (Development of the Arts in Northwich) or phone 01606 259596.*

## Litter Pick Update

The February litter pick had 11 of our team collected 11 bags of litter. Thank you to those who pick up litter and help to keep our village tidy. The next litter picks will be on Saturday 5th March and Saturday 2nd April. A million people give a royal wave goodbye to litter! Friday 4 to Sunday 6th March 2016. As part of the 90th birthday celebrations, the Clean for the Queen campaign aims to make the places where they live more beautiful by removing litter. Can you be part of this campaign by helping in Kingsley Could you give an hour once a month to help keep our village clean and tidy?

We will start at 10.00 am at the Community Centre.

New helpers are always welcome. We provide all the equipment needed.

Eila Birtwistle – Litter pick co-ordinator.

## **Kingsley Walking Group**



We had a 7.5 mile walk on 9 February, from Plumley, following the 'Plumley Rail Trail Route'. The terrain was mainly flat, across farmland and by several small woods. After heading south to Plumley Moor we turn northward to skirt the Royal Wood by Tabley Mere. Continuing, we crossed the Peover Eye trout stream and passed the moated Holford Hall built in 1620 for Mary Cholmondeley. We finally circled back via Trouthall Lane and Holly Tree Farm to the station car park. Conditions were wet under foot after recent heavy rain, but the weather remained dry until towards the end of the walk. 10 of us took part

Bright weather greeted the twenty seven walkers who assembled at the Boot Inn at Willington for the Short Walk on 24 February. We climbed through 'Little Switzerland' to reach King's Gate and followed a good dry path along the southern edge of Primrose Wood to arrive at Tirley Farm. We took the footpath along the west side of Tirley Garth, to 'The Willingtons', then west to join the Sandstone Trail, and north to Summer-trees. Finally, we turned back to the south to Gooseberry Lane to return to the Boot. Just over 5 miles.

Kingsley Walking Group have two walks each month: on the second Tuesday there is a long walk of 7 - 8.5 miles (bring a packed lunch); on the last Wednesday a short walk of approximately 5 miles with a coffee break and pub lunch. We meet at the Community Centre at 9.30am for the short walks and for the long walks in January and February. Note however an earlier start time of 9.00am for the long walks from March to November.

Information on the walks programme may be found on the Walking Club page of the Kingsley Village website. For more information tel. 788132 (short walks), 788068 (long walks).



ARE YOU 7-18 YEARS OLD?  
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[hayestom@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:hayestom@hotmail.co.uk)

### **Mothers Union Report**

When I looked up about 'Faith Journalling' for our February meeting most references related to the written word but Jo Whittall's version of 'Faith Journalling' was so different. This must rate as one of the most inspirational meetings we have had. Her 'diary' of thoughts and feelings through different phases of her life were all pictorial. I must add here that she is an extremely creative person and so the use of design and colour made each page of her journal incredibly beautiful. We felt privileged that she was prepared to explain thought processes behind each of her designs including the use of her chosen colours. The afternoon concluded by Jo giving us the opportunity to make a card or bookmark which provided a memento of our afternoon.

Please note our March meeting (on the 1st) is returning to 7:30 on Tuesday evenings and will be loosely termed a 'Poems evening'. Members are invited to bring a poem along if they wish as of course are any visitors who wish to join us.



**TLC (tea, laughter and company)  
BREAKFAST CLUB at the HORSESHOE INN, Hollow Lane,  
Kingsley**

Beat those mid-week blues and join us for some morning company, fun and laughter. The TLC group meets regularly on a Wednesday morning at the Horseshoe Inn in Kingsley from 10am to 12pm. Everyone is welcome to join us for a cuppa and breakfast or just a chat and a tea cake. If you would like any more details or support to get there, please call Eula on 01928 733020.

**Alzheimer's Training and Dementia Family Workshop**

This free session will provide people with the awareness and information about dementia and focus on improving the inclusion and quality of life for people with dementia.

The workshop will also include an Introduction to Alzheimer's disease and Other Dementias; Activities to Encourage Engagement; Techniques to Manage Behaviour and the skills, knowledge and tools to support people to help individuals, with dementia, to live well in the community.

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April, 2016 Home Instead, Office 5, Fraser House, Bridge Lane, Frodsham, WA6 7HD (opposite Chinese Delight Restaurant) 5pm – 7pm

**Refreshments will be provided.**

Limited spaces available - if you would like to book a place, or have any further questions, **please call Eula on 01928 733020 / 07825913168**

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## ***On Stage Near You***

### ***Not already enjoying local shows? You really ought to get out more.***

It's a brave move for a small village amdram group to attempt a major musical production like *Oliver*. Kingsley Players did it with their usual panache and it was a superb production. The feedback we have received has all been positive with many saying it was the best show they have ever done (where have you heard that before). Well done to director Lynne Pegler and her company. For further action of some Kingsley Players see Urban Tendz below.

Those of you who travelled further afield praised Nantwich Players *Playhouse Creatures* and Centenary's *Educating Rita* at the Brindley. Lots for March and in chronological order we have:

**4th - 5th Stockton Heath Methodist Drama Society** - John Chapman's hilarious farce *Kindly Leave the Stage*. We have seen this at Kingsley, followed last year at Harlequins so its proving a local popular choice.

**8th - 12th Zodiacs Amateur Operatic society** - *Boogie Nights* at The Brindley, Runcorn and directed by **Neil Silcock** (Fagin in **KP's Oliver** and also director of Avenue Q and played *Scrooge* both latter for Zodiacs ). Bound to be a great show from this much acclaimed local group and a must for all you musical lovers.

**8th - 12th Moulton Drama Group** - *Haywire* by **Eric Chappell's** acclaimed comedy. Do book as it's a small hall and they tend to sell out.

**12th - 19th Chester Theatre Club** - *Merely Players* by Damian Trasler and directed by Mark Townsend. An unusual comedy thriller, a recommended evening to see this talented group at Chester Little Theatre.

**13th - 19th Altrincham Little Theatre** - Veronica's Room by Ira Levin. Pre war American high drama.

**15th - 19th Urban Trendz Theatre** present *In the Company of Women* at Davenham Theatre. Directed by **Ed Green (director of Bite Sized Shakespeare in Kingsley last year)** and in the cast from Kingsley Players are **Sue Elliott** and **Jo Oultram**.

**16th - 18th March** - Harlequin Theatre - Belle (The Ballad of Dr Crippen) - A Music Hall musical in 2 acts by Wolf Mankowitz from a play by Beverley Cross. Music and lyrics by Monty Norman.

**16th - 19th Nantwich Players Youth Theatre** - The Witches - Roald Dahl - directed by David Wood. Great trip out for the kids.

**17th - 19th Tarpорley ADS** - Dial M for Murder - Frederick Knott. Enjoy the stage version of the Hitchcock classic 1950's thriller.

**20th March Barnton Memorial hall** - Little Pixie Productions will present The Lost Red Shoes Cabaret.

and don't miss at the beginning of April Frodsham Players production of The Secret Garden from 5th to 8th.

I should be pleased to receive any feedback about shows you have seen or if you wish to add items to next month's list by email [cheshireonstage@btinternet.com](mailto:cheshireonstage@btinternet.com)

John Doe

## **Kingsley Bookworms – Next meeting 3rd March 2016**

A group of 10 met at the beginning of February to talk about *Old Filth* by Jane Gardam. We liked it and scored it 4.2 out of 5. The main character was born in Malaya and was a child of the Empire. The book led us to a lively discussion about the role of fathers 80 years ago as compared to today. We also talked about the trend for overseas families to send children off to England when they were 5. They were known as Raj orphans.

In March we will be discussing "Toxic" by Jamie Doward, a thriller set in the world of investment banking. We are sure to have a lively discussion about the book.

We also decided on our books for the next few months. As ever, we ask for suggestions from one and all. We try to choose books that vary in style and help us to try new books and genres. This approach has been great for getting everyone to move slightly away from their comfort zone from time to time.

In March we will read "Notwithstanding" by Louis de Bernieres. The book is subtitled "Stories from an English village". We will talk about the book on April 7th.

In April we will be reading *Ted Hughes: The Unauthorised Life* by Jonathon Bate. This was shortlisted for the 2015 Samuel Johnson prize. We will talk about it on May 5th.

Our June book is "The Lie Tree" by Frances Hardinge, describes as "a deliciously creepy novel". We will talk about it at our June meeting.

For July we plan to read "Life after Life" by Karen Atkinson.

Our next meeting is on Thursday 3rd of March at the Red Bull. We start at 7.30pm and everyone is welcome.

If you want more information, please contact me on [vgwillim@coachwork.co.uk](mailto:vgwillim@coachwork.co.uk) or call me on 07799 067 457. We have also got our own Facebook page called Kingsley Bookworms. Join us to see what's going on.



Hollow Lane, Kingsley (Next to the Horseshoe Inn)

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Cheshire West & Chester Council



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**streets**

# *Love* **Kingsley**

**Wednesday**  
**9<sup>th</sup> March 2016**

Drop-in anytime between  
1pm – 5pm

**Kingsley Community  
Centre,  
Smithy Lane, Kingsley**

**Pop along to meet people  
from your community and  
pick up advice and  
information from partners  
and organisations that  
operate in Kingsley.**

**Attending:** PCSO, Community Safety  
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Cheshire West  
and Chester

## THANK YOU

Rob's family would like to say a huge thank you to all the old pupils of Kingsley County Primary School for creating the memory book on Facebook and sharing their memories with us. It means so much and has given us great comfort. Something which will stay with us forever.

We would also like to express our sincere thank you to everyone for the kind expressions shown to us and also for any donations received for Halton Haven Hospice.

June, Claire and family.

## WORSHIP AT THE HURST METHODIST Chapel

**Minister: Revd Steve Santry**

### **Sunday 6th March- 4<sup>th</sup> in Lent**

10.00am-Morning Worship: Mr J.Hufton

6.30 pm at Blakelees Chapel : Dr J.Ford

### **Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> March -5<sup>th</sup> in Lent**

8.15am at The Hurst-Communion Rev S.Santry

10.00am –Morning Service:Rev S.Santry

6.30pm at Blakelees Chapel: Dr R.Lane

### **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> March-Palm Sunday**

10:00am Morning Worship : Rev S.Santry

6.30pm at Blakelees Chapel: Revd.D.Harding

### **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> March-Easter Sunday**

8.15am at The Hurst-Communion Revd S.Santry

10:00am-Morning Worship: -Mr J.K.Jackson

\*2.30pm at Blakelees Chapel : Revd S.Santry

All are very welcome, please do come and join us and please bring the children! There is a Sunday school for children, which those who presently attend, really do enjoy!

# LATEST NEWS FROM KINGSLEY ST JOHN'S SCHOOL

March 2016

## Kingsley & John!

It certainly feels like Spring has begun at Kingsley St John's in recent weeks as the school welcomes some new arrivals into the school family.

The new school pets, Kingsley and John arrived just before half term. They are rabbits and the school staff are hoping that their addition will help develop pupils responsibilities and respect in caring for animals. Class 3 pupils helped to build the hutch and each class will have half a term looking after the bunnies.

The rabbits will also support pupils with special educational needs by giving identified pupils sensory input support, if and when needed.



They have already proved to be a hit, receiving cuddles every morning and after school. Some pupils are even arriving at school early in order to spend time with the rabbits before lessons start.



## Welcome ...

Other arrivals are new siblings arriving into the world. There are a number of school families awaiting new arrivals. A huge welcome to Daisy Kent and William Unsworth who arrived safely in recent weeks.

We are looking forward to some more new arrivals and pray for the safe arrival of the babies still expected over the next few weeks. It is certainly an exciting time for Kingsley St John's.



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## CAN YOU HELP?

1960-61 - Kingsley School

Can you name the members of staff in the second picture on the next page?

I can remember many of the faces in the Year 1 photo, but I cannot put names to them. Can you help? If so, do you know where they live and what they do? I'm the one in the middle. After leaving Kingsley, I taught at Runcorn for 7 years, then in Canada, then in the Hope Valley of Derbyshire. I left teaching in 1986 to go into business and now run my own company (Education Planning Books). I still have friends and relatives in the Frodsham area and would love to hear from you.

Kingsley was my first teaching post and I was totally inexperienced. Despite the many mistakes I made, I thoroughly enjoyed my year at Kingsley - all the staff and pupils were wonderful and I often think of you all.

Neville Garner  
01433 650678

PS: As the reproduction quality of the photos may not too clear, if you do have any information and would like to see the originals please contact the Editor on 787678.

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**BBC RADIO PRESENTER**

**TERRY WALTON**

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**Is speaking at**

**KINGSLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE**

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2016 at 8pm**

**Hosted by**

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## The Hurst Souperstars

Soup lunch

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> March

Noon to 1.00pm

\*\*\*\*\*

Home-made Soups, Puddings

Tea and coffee

- only £2.50 all in.

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All proceeds this month in aid of 'CRY' Cardiac Risk in the Young. If you have not been before you will be warmly welcomed and enjoy a friendly chat whilst eating delicious home-made food.

We make a plea for as many men as possible to come along, as it is not just for ladies who lunch but for men who would enjoy a hearty soup and pudding



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# TheWI

## News from Kingsley WI

Our next meeting is to be held at the Kingsley Community Centre on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> March at 7-30 pm when our Speaker will be Linda Hornsby who will talk on "Amatsu Therapy". Visitors as usual will receive a warm welcome.

Another date for your diaries is the Group Meeting of local W.I.s at the Frodsham Community Centre on the 18<sup>th</sup> May when **Tracy Martin**, TV presenter (of "Flog It" fame), an expert on 20 Century Collectables and Antiques will give a talk entitled "From Car Boot Princess to Collectables Queen" ! This promises to be a very entertaining evening and it is open to both members and non-members.

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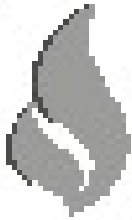
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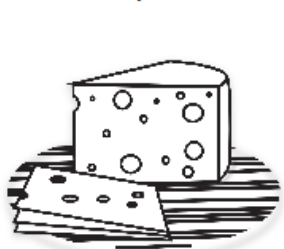


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Wed 2 <sup>nd</sup>	WI Meeting at 7.30 at KCC - Amatsu Therapy - Speaker Linda Jackson
Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup>	4.30pm Messy Church at The Hurst, fun, games and food
Sat 5 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am from KCC: Village Litter Pick-Clean for the Queen.
Sun 6 <sup>th</sup>	"Mothering Sunday" Celebrating Women"
Tues 8 <sup>th</sup>	Kingsley Walking Group long walk 9.00am at KCC
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup>	Commonwealth Day
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup>	12 noon -1pm Hurst Soup lunch . All are welcome.
Mon 14 <sup>th</sup>	8pm at KCC-Kingsley Garden Club. "Plantagogo"-A passion for Heucharas
Tues 15 <sup>th</sup>	7.45 for 8.00 pm : Guild at The Hurst: "Revd S. Santry on the road to Santiago de Compostela"
Wed 16 <sup>th</sup> :	8pm at The Hurst : Café Church- Freedom of Speech All are welcome
Sat 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am –KTI local produce market at KCC
Sun 20 <sup>th</sup>	Palm Sunday
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Lantern Reflection and Music at The Hurst
Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup> -	2.30pm at The Wyches :Tea at 2.30
Fri 25 <sup>th</sup>	Good Friday Bank Holiday
Sun 27 <sup>th</sup>	Easter Day - clocks go forward 1 hour
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup>	Bank Holiday
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