



# KINGSLEY NEWS

SEPTEMBER 2008

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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 September we think of, and pray for people living in: -

<b>W/c Sep 7th</b>	<b>Helsby, Alvanley and Manley</b>
<b>W/c Sep 14th</b>	<b>Crowton</b>
<b>W/c Sep 21st</b>	<b>Norley</b>
<b>W/c Sep 28th</b>	<b>Blakelees</b>

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

# *EDITORIAL NEWS AND VIEWS*

Dear Readers

Welcome back after the summer holidays. I hope everyone had a good time. We had a lovely holiday in Cornwall mid July, when the sun shone for the best part of the week. August has been a washout, so I can only hope that we have an indian summer to make up for it.

I was away for the Carnival, but I hear that after a wet and windy start t in the morning, the sun shone for the rest of the day. I missed a good day out as it seems that everyone had a great time. Well done and thank you to the Carnival organisers.

Best wishes to James Merrington and Andy Field for a successful journey on the Crumball Rally. They will be raising money for Claire House Children's Hospice. To find out more about their trip read the article later in the magazine.

*Elizabeth*

**Articles for the magazine to be sent to the Editor  
either by email to - [ewilsonsecretarial@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ewilsonsecretarial@yahoo.co.uk)  
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# Thanks to one and all!

July 12<sup>th</sup> 2008 finally arrived. It was Carnival day! Happily it went off without a hitch, although there were some worries about the weather.

We started the day with a team of litter pickers who made sure that the whole field was clean, Keith Sutton had done great work earlier in the week cutting the grass and strimming around the edges. Thanks to Eila and her team for great work before and after the carnival. Thanks also to the stall holders for leaving the field litter free.

The gazebo building team were challenged by the weather. The wind and horizontal rain nearly beat us, but Abelines found some giant stakes which we used to keep the gazebos in place. Then, just as it was time to get ready for the procession, the sun came out.

The procession left Top Road at 1pm and stopped along the route to make music and dance. By the time they reached Highbank, there were more than 100 children in the procession. At the same time, Nick Parker was driving through the village in Michelle-Louise, his beautiful traction engine. The classic cars arrived throughout the morning making a final total of more than 60 cars. Thanks to Malcolm and Joan Barker for organising this.

In the meantime, Ralph Oultram was touring the village to check out the 20 scarecrows all around the village. Well done to all the people who made such a great display. The winning display was at the Red Bull. Thanks to Ralph for taking on the onerous task of deciding on a winner.

In the marquee, the WI dispensed tea, sandwiches and cake. This, and the photo displays proved to be very popular. As ever, the hog roast was extremely popular. Special thanks to Bett & Reg Crowther and their family for their time and help. They donated more than £600 to the Carnival funds.

We had lots of displays and there were many stalls with games and things to buy. A special favourite with the children was the bouncy slide.

It was great to see the field full of people for the whole afternoon. The money raised will be split between KU17s, and both primary schools in the village.

# HAPPY DAYS ARE HERE AGAIN!

Following our summer break after a very successful year with  
Gardeners' Question Time and the Garden Trail

## **KINGSLEY GARDEN CLUB**

will be starting the new session in September.

The programme for the year is:-

Sep 8 <sup>th</sup> 2008	<b>"BBC GARDENER OF THE YEAR AND AFTER"</b> Sue Beasley, Lodge Lane Nursery, Dutton
Oct 13 <sup>th</sup> 2008	<b>"THE CHESHIRE COUNTRY PARK"</b> David James, Ranger, Marbury Country Park
Nov 10 <sup>th</sup> 2008	<b>"AURICULAS AND PRIMULAS"</b> Ingrid Millington, Hillview Hardy Plants, Bridgenorth
Dec 8 <sup>th</sup> 2008	<b>"VEGETABLE GROWING"</b> David Hampsey
Jan 2009	<b>NO MEETING</b>
Feb 9 <sup>th</sup> 2009	<b>"EUPHORBIAS"</b> Don Witton, Holder, National collection of Euphorbias
Mar 9 <sup>th</sup> 2009	<b>"OPENING A GARDEN IN THE YELLOW BOOK SCHEME"</b> Nicola Reynolds
Apr 20 <sup>th</sup> 2009	<b>AGM AND MEMBERS' NIGHT</b>

All meetings of the Garden Club will be held at  
The Kingsley Community Centre at 8 p.m.

Subscriptions for the coming year are unchanged at £7 per person.

Visitors are welcome for any meeting, at £2 at the door "on the night".

If you would like to enrol in advance, please contact Chris Woulds, our  
Membership Secretary (788616) otherwise enrol at our first meeting.

**For all those with an interest in Gardens and  
Gardening**

Do come and join us !

## **Crumball Rally “The Italian Job” 2008**

The Challenge is simply to take an old car costing not more than £200, through France , Switzerland, Italy and back into France over a 3 day period without breaking down, losing your way, licence or your team mates en-route, and to make the final checkpoint in Nice. The weekend is not a race it's just simply getting there and back, there are no prize winners. The route is the same as seen in the Italian Job and takes you over the St. Bernard Pass!!

James Merrington and Andy Field from Kingsley have taken up this challenge and leave for France on 3<sup>rd</sup> September. They are doing the rally in an old mini bus. Having raised the money for the cost of the trip they would like to use the challenge to fund raise for a charity and have chosen Claire House Children's Hospice.

Claire House is a centre of excellence providing 24 hour respite, palliative, and terminal care for children and young people from 0 – 23 years of age with a life threatening or life limiting illness, and their families. They rely on charitable giving and have the support from many local famous people, so every little helps.

If you would like to help them raise some money for this very worth while cause by sponsoring them please contact us – details below.

James and Andy will be willing to give talks on their adventure on their return – hopefully complete with bus.

Thank you in anticipation

Hilary Merrington 01928 788087

[hilary@cheshirescouts.org.uk](mailto:hilary@cheshirescouts.org.uk)

Checkout the website: [www.crumballrally.com/c\\_p2/event2.htm](http://www.crumballrally.com/c_p2/event2.htm)

There are 96 teams so far and they are Team 55

# **KINGSLEY PLAYERS**

## **Newsletter**

We are now well into rehearsals for our next production, which will be presented from Wednesday 22nd to Saturday 25th October. Our next play is called 'Bone Chiller' by Monk Ferris. The play is described as 'A Comedic Mystery Thriller' and that's exactly what it is. There is a little of everything, especially the mystery part and we hope that those of you who come to see the play will try to solve our puzzle.

We are also pleased to announce that we now have not only our own web site, but for the next production you will be able to book your seats on [www.kingsleyplayers.co.uk](http://www.kingsleyplayers.co.uk), but tickets will still be available at the Red Bull, \holland Pharmacy and also on our Box Office phone line 07925 516760.

After many requests we are also presenting another 'ALLO 'ALLO, which will be at the Centre on the 15th November, more information to follow.

We look forward to seeing you.

Audrey Boyle

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# KU17's

KU17's Youth Club would like to thank everyone who gave us prizes for our Tombola stall at the Carnival.

We raised £357 from the stall, which will be put towards activities for the youngsters.

We would also like to thank Holland's Pharmacy for being a drop off point for us, and John Hatchard who helped us on the morning of the Carnival and also gave us some equipment for our PS2



**KINGSLEY WALKING GROUP**

The long walk of August 12th. was cancelled due to heavy rain.

Kingsley Walking Group have two walks each month, meeting at the Community Centre at 9.30am. On the second Tuesday there is a long walk, bring a packed lunch. On the last Wednesday a short walk with a coffee break and a pub lunch. We are a friendly group. For more information tel. 787055



## **FREE PAGE**

**Items advertised on this page are offered free of charge to other people in the community, helping to recycle goods no longer required. If several people apply for the same item it is up to the donor to decide who they wish to give it to.**

6 surplus unopened rolls of embossed white wallpaper, suitable for over-painting. Ring 788794

**Camping items:** Small tent Campari Capri Mark 2 in good condition, complete with flysheet and poles; but pegs are missing.

Two-ring gas camping stove (minus the supply pipe and regulator)

Camping Gaz 'Baby R' tent heater for a frame tent

Ring 788794 if interested

2 gazebos, size 9m x 3m, complete  
1 windsurfer, fully equipped with sails and mast  
3 fibreglass canoes  
Peter Storey 788789

Demijohns for wine making  
Contact 787678

To advertise on this page contact the Editor either by email, telephone or post.

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## **KINGSLEY TIME BANK EVENTS UPDATE:**

### **Holistic Taster Session: Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September, Kingsley Community Centre**

Come along and sample some Holistic Therapies: Reiki, Reflexology, Indian Head Massage and Deep Relaxation Techniques. This session will run from 2pm until 5pm.

All therapies are £5 each and there will be refreshments and a raffle. Please phone Susan on 01829 751398 to reserve your therapy and a place.

### **Remember When Reminiscing Group: Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September – Kingsley Community Centre:**

This is a new group discussing all sorts of topics from different decades. Hannah Crowdy, The Keeper of Social History, Grosvenor Museum, will be bringing artefacts with her to stimulate discussion. Hopefully the group will develop over the coming months and there will be museum, heritage centre visits etc.

**2pm-4pm.** Phone Susan or Caroline on 01829 751398 for further information.

### **Kingsley Time Bank Inter Village Quiz: Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October, Kingsley Community Centre 7pm-10.30pm:**

This is our 3<sup>rd</sup> Time Bank Quiz – we are hoping to get a good selection of people from our Time Bank villages – a trophy will be awarded to the winning team – will it be Kingsley, the host village? Hope you want to put a team together (5 to 8 people per team – why not get some friends together?). There will be a hot pot supper, prize raffle and a fully licensed bar. Phone Caroline on 01829 751398 to book tickets.

### **Table Top Sale/Coffee Morning, Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> October, 10.30am-12.30, Kingsley Village Institute, Top Road:**

Tables £5 each and are going fast! To reserve a

table or help on the day (bake a cake? etc.) Contact our office or return the sheet.

**NEW CRAFT COURSE IN KINGSLEY:** We now have a tutor who will organise a Craft Class covering: Feltmaking, Textiles, Embroidery (including machine), Silk Painting & Handmade Books. If you would like to attend such a course in Kingsley (we need a minimum of 10 people), please contact our office on 01829 751398 to register your interest.

**KINGSLEY KEEP FIT:** Resumes at Kingsley Village Institute in September – contact **Maureen Chesmore** on 01928 787055 to register your interest.

## "FAMILY PRAISE"

AT THE HURST, 10am on

Sunday 14th September

Conducted by

REVD STEVE SANTRY



Worship for all the family  
Children most welcome -  
Parents also allowed!

# The Hurst Souperstars'

## SOUP LUNCH

Monday 8th September

Noon - 1.00pm

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Home-made Soups & Dessert plus  
Tea or Coffee - only £ 2.50 all in.

In aid of Church funds

Supporting our community work

Everyone warmly welcomed

### NCH - THE CHILDREN'S CHARITY

The July collection in Kingsley raised £800 (approx 12% up on last year's result). Well done Kingsley!

In addition to this total, those tax payers who were kind enough to fill in the tax declaration raised an extra £65 approx from Gift Aid at no extra cost to themselves.

NCH continues to put the Child at the Centre. Grateful thanks to all the collectors and to all who gave during July.

Sylvia Robinson

□ **St John the Evangelist Parish Church  
Kingsley**



**Presents**



# **Serenade**

**Performing a Programme of  
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**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30 p.m**

**In St. John's Church, Kingsley**

**Admission £7.00  
including refreshments**

**Tickets available in advance from Church  
members, at the door  
or phone 788314**

**Come and Join in  
Audience Participation Welcome !**

# Come Dancing

To  
The Dave Dunne Quartet  
with lady vocalist.

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> September  
8.00pm—midnight

The Community Centre, Fluin Lane, Frodsham

Light Refreshments & Bar

Tickets £7.50

available from:

The Community Centre,

Tel. 01928 732222

Or call Sue on 01928 732257

**FRODSHAM COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**

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# 2008 Downhill Run

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> September

A Fun Run for all the Family, and it's still

## ALL DOWNHILL!

(from the Memorial on Frodsham Hill to the  
Community Centre on Fluin Lane)

Start time - 1.00 pm

Registration from 12.00 pm to 12.45 pm

Entry fees - Adults (18+ yrs) £4.00

Junior\* (under 18 yrs) £2.00

Family\*\* £10.00

\* Juniors under 10 yrs must run with an adult.

\*\* Families must have 2 adults and no more than 3 children

There is a run limit, and places on the day cannot be guaranteed,  
so get your form in **NOW!** (Available at Frodsham Community Centre,  
Forest Hills Hotel and Frodsham Town Council)

Please send completed entry form and fee to:  
Silcock's Fair, Stalls, Food & entertainment at the finish  
Presentation of Certificates at 4.00 pm

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Certificate & T-shirt for all entrants

# KINGSLEY CRICKET CLUB



Founded 1971



- ❖ The First XI have had an excellent season to date and are top of the league. At the time of going to press they are 10 points clear of the second club (Stockport) and 49 points clear of the third club (Stretton) and so have a great chance of promotion.
- ❖ The Second XI are also doing very well lying 5<sup>th</sup> in their league and still in with a chance of promotion.
- ❖ The Kingsley Knights mid-week 20/20 team have won their division of the Chester & District mid-week league and have gained promotion.
- ❖ Many congratulations to Club stalwart John Elliott. The evergreen opener has reached 10,000 runs in league and cup cricket for Kingsley, the first Kingsley Cricket Club batsman to achieve this.
- ❖ Looking back over the summer the Party in the Pavilion and the Scout Summer Barbecue were both great successes. The Cricket Clubs thanks to all who supported these social events which were highly enjoyable but also vital in raising funds for the Club activities.
- ❖ The Junior sections of the Club have been highly successful throughout the summer with many junior members coming through into Sunday, Second XI and even First XI involvement. This is a very healthy sign for the Club.
- ❖ As always the Club welcomes anyone interested in joining whether as player or social member, sponsor, coach or in any other way which will encourage and support cricket in the community.
- ❖ For all contact details and much more about the Clubs activities, statistics and all other information, please visit the Club's website: [www.kingsley.play-cricket.com](http://www.kingsley.play-cricket.com). Club secretary Keith Trenell can be contacted on : 01928 788465



## **Mothers' Union Kingsley Branch**

Thank you to everyone who attended the Coffee Evening at Margaret Ogg's home in August, a most enjoyable evening was had by all. It is always a pleasure to wander round Margaret's garden.

On September 2<sup>nd</sup> John Maddock from Claire House Children's Hospice is talking to us about the hospice. He will be showing us a short DVD about the happy environment they work in. Do come and join us in the Church Room at 7.30pm.

For more details contact our Branch Leader:-

Margaret Ogg 01928 788315

Or the Branch Secretary:-

Hilary Merrington 01928 788087

[hilary@cheshirescouts.org.uk](mailto:hilary@cheshirescouts.org.uk)

### **Parish Church Open Day / Ride and Stride 13<sup>th</sup> September 2008**

Ride and Stride is organised by "The Historic Cheshire Churches Preservation Trust". Participants get sponsorship for visiting as many of the Churches in Cheshire as possible. They can walk between the churches, go by car, ride a bike or even a horse.

Kingsley Parish Church is taking part in this and will be open from 10am to 4 pm on the day. We would like to invite anyone to come and have a look around the Church on that day. There will be some old photographs on display from the Church Archives and some of the old Church records.

Refreshments will be available all day so come and join us, have a look around the Church, and then watch the Boules Tournament which is on the same day.  
Further details from the Church Wardens



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Sarah Kucharska on 01928 787497  
or  
the Nursery direct on 01928 787903

<http://www.kingsleyanddistrictnursery.co.uk>

# FCA AUTUMN QUIZ

- Where** **Frodsham Community Centre**  
Fluin Lane, Frodsham WA6 7QN
- When** **Tuesday—2nd September 2008**  
Doors open 7pm.  
Quiz starts 7.30pm
- Who** **Teams of 6. £3 a head.**
- What** **Bar. Refreshments. Raffle. Prizes.**
- How** **Entry forms at The Centre.**
- Why** **For fun.**

To enter please send the following information to Frodsham Community Centre by 30<sup>th</sup> August

NAME OF TEAM \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Frodsham Community Centre **OPEN DAY**

**Saturday 6th September**  
**12 noon—4.30pm**

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and  
Meet Some of the Groups

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Entertainment and Refreshments.

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## **Downhill Run**

Run Finish (*approx 1.10pm*)  
Presentations at 4.00pm

Run entry forms in The Centre NOW.

## **Silcock's Fair**

(Thursday 4th—Saturday 6th September)

### JOIN IN

The Community Centre Open Day  
is an ideal showcase opportunity for groups and clubs.  
All Frodsham Groups are very welcome.

If you would like to bring a display or stall to the OPEN DAY  
please contact Sue on 01928 732257 or email [sootee@btinternet.com](mailto:sootee@btinternet.com).

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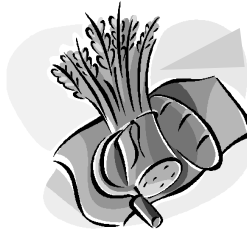
## **Harvest Thanksgiving**

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September**

**Hurst Methodist Church, Kingsley**

**Services at 10am and 5pm**

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# SEPTEMBER 2008

## Christians Together in Crowton, Kingsley, and Norley (CTCKN).

A new Anglican priest-in-charge has been appointed to the “three villages” of Crowton, Kingsley and Norley. Rev. Peter Rugen will be licensed at a special service at Norley on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September. Peter and his wife Catherine will live in Kingsley Vicarage together with their children Hannah, Bethany, Joshua and Elias. We welcome them to Kingsley, and hope they will be very happy here.

CTCKN exists to promote co-operation between all Christian denominations active in Crowton, Kingsley and Norley. Our meetings are open to anyone who would like to be involved. The next meeting is at The Hurst on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> September at 7:30 PM. If you would like more information, please contact Jonathan & Janet Batey, 788706 or Joan Loukes, 788874.

CTCKN is affiliated to Churches Together in England

## CHURCHES

### Anglican

St. John the Evangelist, Kingsley  
St. John the Evangelist, Norley  
Christ Church, Crowton.

### Methodist

The Hurst Methodist Church, Kingsley  
Blakelees Chapel, Kingsley  
Norley Methodist Church

### Roman Catholic

St Luke's Church, Frodsham

## Clergy

Anglican      *Priest-in-Charge: Rev Peter Rugen (from Sep 16<sup>th</sup>)*

Please continue to direct enquiries to one of the churchwardens:

Cliff Peartree 788314      Graham Merrington 788087

### Methodist

Minister: Rev Steve Santry 722102  
Superintendent Minister: Rev Pat Christopher 733180

Roman Catholic      Priest: Mgr Canon Peter O'Neill 733127

Church Services

The nearest Roman Catholic Church is St Luke's, Frodsham. Services are:

**Sunday Mass** 9.00AM, 11:00 AM

Weekdays 9:30 AM (Tuesdays 7:15 PM)

**Saturday** 6:00 PM

**Thursday 4th September**

10:00AM Holy Communion St John Norley

**Sunday 7th September**

8:00 AM Holy Communion The Hurst  
8:15 AM Holy Communion Christ Church, Crowton  
10:00 AM Morning Worship The Hurst  
10:15 AM Celebrating Together St John Kingsley  
10:45 AM Morning Worship Norley Methodist  
6:30 PM Songs of Praise (with The Hurst) Blakelees  
6:30 PM Evening Prayer (with Methodists) St John Norley

**Thursday 11th September**

10:00AM Holy Communion Christ Church, Crowton

**Sunday 14th September (Racial Justice)**

8:15 AM Holy Communion St John Kingsley  
10:00 AM Family Praise & Holy Communion The Hurst  
10:15 AM Celebrating Together St John Norley  
10:45 AM Morning Worship Norley Methodist  
6:30 PM Evening Worship Blakelees  
6:30 PM Evening Worship The Hurst  
6:30 PM Service of Wholeness and Healing Christ Church, Crowton  
6:30 PM Evening Worship Norley Methodist

**Tuesday 16th September**

7:30PM Licensing of Rev Peter Rugen St John Norley

**Thursday 18th September**

10:00 AM Holy Communion St John Kingsley

**Sunday 21st September**

9:00 AM Norley @ 9 Norley Methodist  
10:00 AM Morning Worship The Hurst  
10:15 AM Celebrating Together St John Norley  
10:45 AM Morning Worship Norley Methodist  
6:30 PM Holy Communion (with The Hurst & Norley Methodists)  
Blakeless

## **Thursday 25th September**

10:00 AM          Holy Communion                  St John Norley

## **Sunday 28th September**

8:15 AM          Holy Communion                  St John Norley  
10:00 AM          Harvest Festival    The Hurst  
10:15 AM          Celebrating Harvest Together          Christ Church, Crowton  
10:45 AM          Harvest Festival & Holy Communion          Norley Methodist  
5:00 PM          Harvest Festival (with Blakelees)    The Hurst  
6:30 PM          Harvest Festival & Holy Communion          Norley Methodist

Services vary in format from traditional liturgy to informal worship. We offer services especially suitable for families and young people, such as Norley @ 9, Family Praise (normally 2nd Sunday each month at the Hurst) and Celebrating Together at the Anglican Churches.

## **Prayer & Study**

Kingsley Bible Study Group: Monday evening.  
CTCKN Ecumenical discussion group: alternate Thursday evenings  
(11 Sep, 25 Sep, 9 Oct, 23 Oct) contact 788706  
Kingsley Prayer Group: Friday morning.

## **Other events**

CTCKN meeting: The Hurst, Thursday 18th September 7:30 PM  
The Hurst Soup Lunches : two per month  
The Hurst Womens' Group : monthly  
The Hurst Ladies' Fellowship : monthly (Wednesday afternoon)  
The Hurst Creche  
Youth Group: Friday evening (now at Frodsham Methodist Church). Contact Barry Watkin 724811  
Methodist Circuit Youth Fellowship: 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays, 6:30 – 8:30 at Helsby Manse.  
Contact Steve Santry 722102  
Norley Ecumenical Ladies' Group: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday  
Norley Walking Group: 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday  
Norley Craft Club: Tuesday 10:00 – 12:00  
Hurst Guild: 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday evening  
Norley St John : Crazy Friday Fun Club

## **Wheelchairs**

These are available on short term loan to the residents of Kingsley. Contact Brian Moores 787442



## **STARTS AGAIN ON 18<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER**

**KEEP FIT FOR THE OVER 50's**  
*For men and women*



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787055**

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## **DATES IN SEPTEMBER**

*Wed 3 Sep Schools are back*

Thu 4 Sep Hurst Crèche resumes

Mon 8 Sep - Noon to 1.00 pm:

Hurst Soup Lunch, supporting our work in this community

Sat 13 Sep at CottonHall Farm - 'Save the Family' "It's a Knockout"

Sun 14 Sep Racial Justice Sunday

- 10.00 am: Hurst Family Praise

Mon 15 Sep - Noon at The Hurst: Family Lunch and Puppet Praise

*21 Sept International Day of Prayer for Peace*

Fri 26 Sep - 7.30 pm at St John Kingsley: "Serenade" concert

Sun 28 Sep Hurst Harvest Thanksgiving

- 10.00 am: Mr Mike Ridley - 5.00 pm: Mr Edgar Gregory (note the time)

## **LOOKING AHEAD TO OCTOBER**

Sun 5 Oct - 6.30 pm at Blakelees: Harvest Thanksgiving

Fri 10 Oct - 7.00 pm at KCC: Timebank Annual Quiz

Sun 12 Oct - 10.00 am: Hurst Family Praise with drama group from Team Oasis

Mon 13 Oct – Noon to 1.00 pm: Hurst Soup Lunch

Tue 13 Oct - 7.45 for 8.00 pm at The Hurst: Team Oasis revealed

*19-26 Oct One World week*

*20-27 Oct Week of Prayer for World Peace*

*Fri 24 Oct Autumn half term school holiday*

Sat 25 Oct - 10.00 am at KNVI: Ashworth Time Bank table-top sale

Mon 27 Oct - Noon: Hurst Family Lunch and Puppet Praise

## **FOUND**

A Forest Hills 'Centre Master' card in the name of James Clow. Ring 788794 to recover it.

Finally, thanks to everyone who helped on the day and behind the scenes. On the day there was a team of more than 150 people helping out, and many people gave a lot of time during the weeks running up to the event. Without their help, the event could never have happened.

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## Litter Pick Update

Thank you to all who helped with the July litter pick and the clean up of the field both before and after the carnival.

The next litter pick will be on **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> September**.  
October pick will be **Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> October**. Both 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.

## **St John's Parish Church Harvest Festival Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2008**

At this service we will be welcoming the Revd Peter Rugen the new Vicar of the United Benefice of Crowton Norley and Kingsley. This will be Peter's first service with us here in Kingsley.

We warmly welcome everyone to come and join us, to meet Peter and celebrate Harvest at our 10.15 am service.

On this day the Church will be open all day until 4 pm.  
Further details from the Church Wardens

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The president read a report of the AGM held in Liverpool attended on our behalf by Jenny Beresford from Crowton WI. It had been a very full day covering a number of topics and the Resolutions as well as speakers. We were interested to learn that the WI had been awarded the BBC Fruit and Farming award as a result of the Great Milk Debate and that Marks and Spencers are supporting the Carbon Challenge, 10,000 members have joined up.

The longest serving member , Ivy Starkey, who is recovering at home after a spell in hospital after suffering a broken leg, will be 90 next week. Members signed a card to accompany a gift of a standard rose.

Our speaker was Sonia from the Pin Project (People In Need). This group is based in the eastern region of South Africa and aims to help grandmothers who have to look after their grandchildren alone after their parents have died from Aids. This has led to great hardship as there is no state aid for education or medicine. Most of the existing charities help the infected not the affected. Over the years the charity has moved on from providing pure basics such as food to promoting and helping to fund education and jobs. The grandmothers are helping with the funds by doing crafts, particularly beadwork ,which they are able to sell abroad.The emphasis now is promoting sustainable projects but everything takes time.

There is no meeting in August but Kingsley WI does not go on holiday, there are 2 outings planned and a charity walk. Members will be busy at the Carnival selling teas and light refreshments.

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No previous experience necessary as training will be given. For more information please contact Janet Lynch, Bar Staff Co-Ordinator on 787432.

## **Kingsley Play Area – Work begins at last**

Work started on the new play area at the end of August. It is expected that the work will be finished at the end of October.

The first stage of the development will be to prepare the ground for a boulder area and to level the area for the new play equipment. The next stage will be to install the equipment which will be sited in two main areas. The teen shelter and wall will be on the top of the field backing on to farmland, while the children's area will be located near the car park.

The work is being managed by Groundwork Cheshire. If you need to speak to someone about the work, either contact a member of the Parish Council, or the project manager who is Beth Brockett on 01606 723173.

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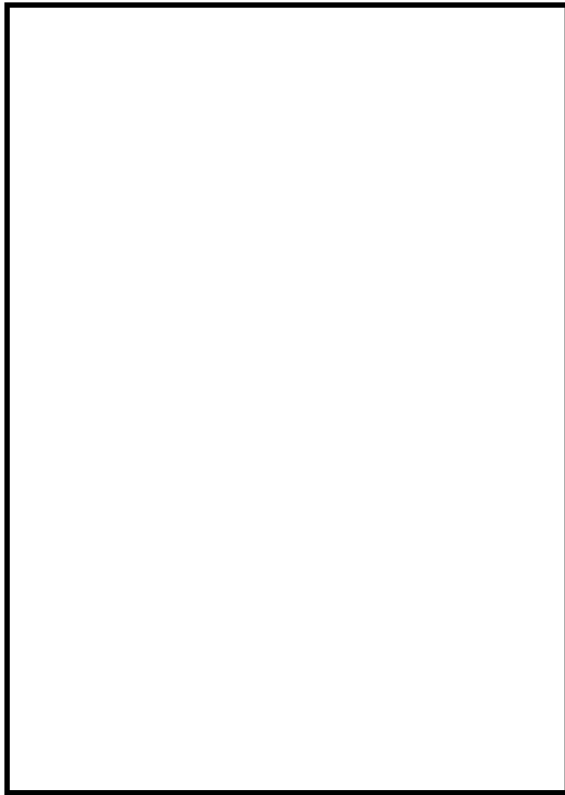
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6th	2008 Downhill Run	Frodsham Hill	1.00pm
6th	Litter pick	Comm Centre	10.00am
8th	Garden Club	Comm Centre	8.00pm
9th	Walking Group	Comm Centre	9.30am
12th	Holistic Taster Session	Comm Centre	2-5pm
23rd	Remember When Reminiscing Group	Comm Centre	2-4pm
24th	Walking Group	Comm Centre	9.30am
26th	Serenade	St John's Church	7.30pm
26th	Come Dancing	Frodsham Comm Ctr	8.00pm
28th	Harvest Thanksgiving	Hurst Methodist	10.00am & 5pm

### **October**

10th	Timebank Quiz	Comm Centre	7.00pm
25th	Tabletop sale/Coffee morning	Institute	10.30am

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