



# KINGSLEY NEWS

NOVEMBER 2016

The news and voice of your village  
Community

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**KINGSLEY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**  
**OFFICERS 2015/16**

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(Available from 12.30-7.30pm)

**COUNCIL MEMBERS (elected)**

**Carol Rowlands, Vic Wodhams**

**COUNCIL MEMBERS (not elected)**

**One representative from each of the affiliated groups and clubs (NB. This is a condition of affiliation).**

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

**W/c Nov 6th The Cross**  
**W/c Nov 13th Highbank Road**  
**W/c Nov 20th Top Road**  
**W/c Nov 27th Mansfield Road**

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

**NCK MOTHERS UNION**

Our October meeting was particularly enjoyable, Pete Atkins from the Iona Community came and gave us an insight into life on Iona. He explained that they have many visitors, some are ferried across to the Island just for a day, while others spend a week or more there. However long these visitors stay, he was confident that they return to the mainland inspired by what they had experienced; be it the natural environment of the Island, the ecumenical worship or the camaraderie of their fellow visitors. May be a visit to Iona should be on our "Bucket List."

The MU started in 1876 and as part of the 140 years celebration members were invited to a cheese and wine evening at Eaton Hall, Chester; those members who were able to attend found it a most enjoyable evening and honoured to have a brief insight into this magnificent estate.

# EDITORIAL NEWS AND VIEWS

Dear Readers

Due to popular demand this month will see the first ever film shown at the community centre. Tickets for Mamma Mia are now on sale for 12<sup>th</sup> November. Let's hope this becomes a regular monthly occasion.

On 7<sup>th</sup> November Kingsley and Newton Village Institute will be holding their AGM. They are looking to elect some new members to the committee. Come along and see how the Institute has been operating over the last 12 months and the plans for the future.

There have been more instances of dog fouling in Top Road and Mansefield Road. There is no excuse for not cleaning up after your dog, it doesn't take much effort. Let's keep Kingsley's footpaths clean and tidy.

There are 5 tickets left to see the musical Billy Elliott at the Palace Theatre in Manchester on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2017. Transport is included.

*Elizabeth*

## **ROOM AT THE TOP**

***Rooms with kitchen facilities for hire at The Hurst Methodist Church.***

***Ideal for children's parties etc. Moderate charges.***

**Contact Brian Moores on 787442**

**Articles for the magazine to be sent to the Editor  
by email to - [kingsleynewseditor@gmail.com](mailto:kingsleynewseditor@gmail.com)**

**Tel: 01928 787678**

**Copy deadline is the 21st of each month**

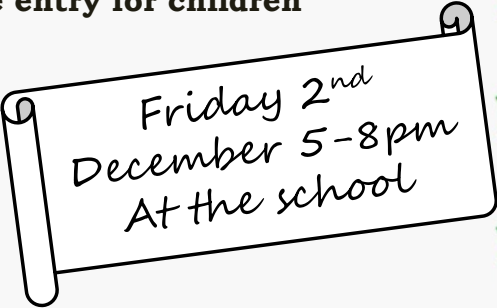
**[www.kingsleyvillage.co.uk](http://www.kingsleyvillage.co.uk)**



# Kingsley CP School Christmas Fair

Grand Prize Draw  
Artisan Gift Stalls  
Festive Food and Drink  
Children's Christmas Craft  
Children's Choirs  
Santa's Grotto

**Everyone welcome adult entry £3  
including hot drink and mince pie  
Free entry for children**



Friday 2<sup>nd</sup>  
December 5-8pm  
At the school

To book a stall please contact Caroline on 07734909855

## WI MEETING

Wed 2nd Nov WI meeting & AGM, speaker Jean Finney  
On Origin of Nursery Rhymes



HEALTH & INNOVATION  
PROGRAMME



## Interactive “Energy in the Home” workshop

Tuesday 15th November 2.00pm to 4.30pm  
Frodsham Community Centre WA6 7QN

You are invited to join us for an interactive ‘Energy in the Home’ workshop which aims to provide residents with a basic understanding of how to stay warm and save money on their energy bills.



- Informative quiz to test just how much you know
- Higher or lower - which appliances use the most electricity?
- Best use of heating and hot water controls
- Gas and electricity bills/payment issues
- The effects of living in a cold home
- Condensation and dampness problems
- Heat loss in the home
- Low cost measures to help keep the home warm
- Getting the best energy deal – being on the right payment method and tariff

Find out about Frodsham Transition Initiative’s purposes and projects including orchard planting, care for the elderly, cycling, volunteering, mind and body energy and Frodsham’s children’s garden.

**Tea, coffee and refreshments provided**

To secure your place please contact:  
Christine Webber on 07952 599811  
Or Allan Arthur on 07785 341361



Cheshire West  
and Chester

## KINGSLEY ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST PARISH CHURCH

Vicar. Revd. Pete. Rugen. 01928 787180  
Curate. Revd. Hilary Merrington 01928 788087

November 6 <sup>th</sup>	10:00	Holy Communion
November 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY</b>	
	10:00	Remembrance Service
November 17 <sup>th</sup>	10:00	Holy Communion
November 20 <sup>th</sup>	10:00	Family Service (with Communion)
November 27 <sup>th</sup>	10:00	Holy Communion (at Norley)
	18:30	Encounter

**ALL ARE VERY WELCOME**

## KINGSLEY AND NEWTON VILLAGE INSTITUTE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**NOTICE is hereby given that an Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday 7 November 2016 at 7.30pm at Kingsley and Newton Village Institute, Top Road, Kingsley**

Under the Institute's constitution, all residents aged 18 and above who live within the parishes of Kingsley and Newton are welcome to vote.

This is your community building, which is a charity for the benefit of the residents of Kingsley. At the AGM you can find out about how the Institute has operated over the last 12 months and hear about its plans for the future. It is also important that you attend in order to elect a sound management structure for the next year. We will have a vacancy for at least one new trustee.

The constitution requires that, once elected (at its first meeting) the new management committee will elect from its number a Chairman and Vice Chairman. A Treasurer and Secretary will also be chosen at that first meeting. We are specifically seeking a new Secretary.

**Nominations** for election to the management committee to be sent to Claire Jones (Secretary) at the address or e-mail below, to be received by **5:00pm on 1 November 2016**:

Claire Jones, 9 Hunters Hill, Kingsley, Frodsham, Cheshire,  
WA6 8DE or e-mail [clairelisajones@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:clairelisajones@yahoo.co.uk)

Nominations must meet the following conditions:

1. You must provide your full name and address
2. You (the person nominating) must live in the Parish of Kingsley
3. You must provide the full name and address of the person you are nominating. (The person you are nominating is not required to live in the Parish of Kingsley)
4. You must ensure that the person you nominate agrees to the nomination and confirm that in your nomination
5. The person nominated must be over the age of 18 years



Hollow Lane, Kingsley (Next to the Horseshoe Inn)  
www.elegancehealthandbeauty.com

## NOVEMBER WELLBEING OFFERS

### Hot Stone Back, Neck and Shoulder Massage £25

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### Indian Head Massage £25

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\* offers can be booked separately or together. Cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer.

## FRODSHAM & DISTRICT CHORAL SOCIETY Present

### Festival of Britten

Saturday, 3rd December  
St. Laurence's Church,  
Frodsham  
at 7.30pm.

Tickets £10 from  
Dandelion 19 Church  
Street, Frodsham or  
Morag Bragger 07845  
730061 or June Ross  
01928 89073

## Calling All Seniors!

### All our Yesterdays

The Parish Churches of Norley, Crowton and Kingsley invite you to a social afternoon focusing on the 1940s and 1950s.

Afternoon Tea will be served  
On Tuesday 8th November, 2016  
1.30pm to 3.30pm

Venue: The NCK Centre (next to Norley Church)  
Norley Road, WA6 8NE  
Transport can be arranged

Please contact: Audrey Griffiths for further details

Telephone Number 01928 788535  
Email [audrey.griffiths1@btinternet.com](mailto:audrey.griffiths1@btinternet.com)

This is a free event but if you wish to make a donation it will be very welcome and will go towards our next seniors' event



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# Allo Allo

*Cheese & Wine Evening*

*performed by*

**Kingsley Players**

**12<sup>th</sup> November 2016**

*"Listen very carefully,  
I shall say it only once"*



**at Norley Village Hall, High Street, Norley. WA6 8JS**  
**Doors open – 7pm**

**Tickets £20 (including cheese, wine & performance)**

*French / German attire will be welcome*

*For tickets - contact - 01928 788949 / 07850 582967*

**KINGSLEY THEATRE GROUP**

**BILLY ELLIOTT**

**The Musical**

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

**At The Palace Theatre, Manchester**

**Discounted ticket price £50.00 Transport £13.00**

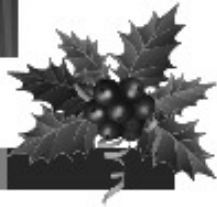
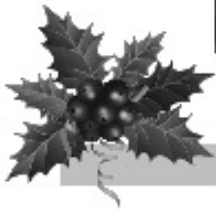
**A FEW TICKETS REMAINING**

**Full payment with order**

**Ray Wilson on 01928 787678**



**Kingsley  
Transition  
Initiative**



# **Christmas Market**

**Sat 10<sup>th</sup> December 9.30am to 1pm**

**Kingsley Community Centre WA6 8ED**

**A range of local produce, bread, cakes, jams, vegetables,  
crafts and gift ideas**

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

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LIKE us on Facebook  
Follow @kingsleykti**

**Drop-In  
for a  
Cuppa!**



**[www.KingsleyTransition.org.uk](http://www.KingsleyTransition.org.uk)**

## **LITTER PICK UPDATE**

The September litter pick had 13 of us collecting 15 bags of litter. Thank you to our new member, the team and all who collect litter as they walk around the village.

The Next litter pick will be on Saturday November 12th. There will be no December litter pick.

New help is always welcome. We meet at the community centre at 10.00 with all equipment provided

## **RAISING FUNDS TO KEEP THE NORTH WEST AIR AMBULANCE FLYING**

Last November when Reg had a heart attack we were incredibly fortunate to be helped by the North West Air Ambulance who landed on the playing fields in Kingsley and transported Reg to Broadgreen where he underwent an immediate procedure to fit a stent.

Many people do not realise that the NWAA rely on charitable donations to operate. Our daughters Ruth and Rebecca ran the Manchester Half Marathon on 16 October 2016 and decided to use the opportunity to try and raise a few pounds to help ensure that other families can benefit from the amazing work the air ambulance team do. The girls had a wonderful day, and so far have raised over £400 for this worthy cause.

If anyone would be interested in making a donation, however small, you can donate on line at <https://www.justgiving.com/Ruth-Chesmore1> You can also see photos of the helicopter on the playing fields when it came to the rescue for Reg as well as the girls and their medals. We would also be happy to accept donations on their behalf.

Maureen and Reg Chesmore

### **Kingsley Parish Council Meeting 18 October 2016**

**Planning applications.** Two planning applications were received and discussed at the meeting.

**Playing Field** Kingsley Parish Council members tidied the playing field hedges and bushes and moved some young trees to a more suitable position. Two further pieces of mini gym equipment have been ordered.

**Village Enhancements** Members of the Kingsley Parish Council spent time tidying the garden outside St John's school and planted the final tree and Mr & Mrs Tweedie kindly planted spring bulbs. Several benches are to be refurbished over the next few weeks and a few trees are to be planted on roadside verges. Cheshire West and Chester have been informed of the dead trees on Top Road.

**Highways** Town Farm Quarry is being monitored with regard to its activities and the number of lorry movements. Cheshire West and Chester have been consulted with regard to preventing parking outside the Co-operative Store which would include loading and unloading.

**Grasscutting.** Tender documents for 2017/2018 regarding grass cutting of the playing field, cemetery and foot paths will be available from the 1<sup>st</sup> of November.

**Remembrance Day Service 13 November.** Councillor Moores (Kingsley Parish Council Chairman) will represent the Parish Council at the Remembrance Day Service.

## FREE TO GOOD HOME

One electric reclining chair  
One small Maclaren pushchair  
One old photographic enlarger.  
One old wooden rocking horse.  
Tel: Berra on 01928 788516

### FREE WINTER TYRES

Set of 5 steel wheels and winter tyres, size & rating:- 195 65 15 91T with snowflake logo.

They fitted my Mazda 6, but will not fit my new car due to a change in the brake profiles. Free offer to help me clear out my garage!

Contact Peter Robinson on 788794

Cloverleaf 'Peaches and Cream' dinner plates, salad plates, side plates, gravy boat, milk jug, cups and saucers available for free.

Please contact Rosemary Weeks on 01928 788130 if interested

Pair of black Goliath steel toe workboots size 11.

Tel: Elizabeth on 01928 787678



@ The Hurst Methodist Church,  
4.30pm-6.30pm on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November  
#Note change of date

Messy Church  
Fun and Games

We have some very messy things for you to do!!!!

An evening meal is provided, with food liked by all ages. A vegetarian option will always be available.

Suggested donations of £1 per child, £2 per adult or £5 per family are welcome to help cover costs.

**It's messy! It's Church – but not as you know it!**

**Create, celebrate & eat together.**

It's happening in Kingsley – come & join in the fun.

**Messy Church is your Church!!!**

**Please come promptly at 4.30pm**

**If you have not been before-come and see what fun it is**

**\*Please note that the next Messy Church will be a special Messy Advent on Thurs 1<sup>st</sup> December.**

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

We were delighted to welcome 2 new members to our October meeting as well as many regular faces. We talked about “Memory Man” by David Baldacci. Most people enjoyed the book and were happy to have been introduced to a new author. We scored the book 3.4 out of 5. All in all it was an enjoyable and non controversial book. We had quite a few suggestions for next year’s books which means that we have now got our list for 2013. If you’d like a copy, get in touch and we’ll share it with you.

Kingsley Bookworms enjoy an outing. This year we decided that our visit to the Chester Literary Festival would be the poetry pub crawl. Writer Molly Naylor and indie-fold legend Gavin Osborn entertained us as we visited three pubs in Chester. It was a brilliant evening. We also had a group visit to see the Kingsley Players production “Some of my Best Friends are Women” which was about a book club.

Our next book is “The President’s Hat” by Antoine Laurain. This is a quirky book about the way people are affected by wearing an eminent person’s hat. The discussion promises to be lively.

At our meeting on December 1st we will be talking about “The Bees” by Laline Paull.

Our next meeting will be on **Thursday 3rd November** at the Red Bull. Meetings start at 7.30pm and everyone is welcome.

If you want more information, or to join in any of our events please contact me on [vgwillim@coach-work.co.uk](mailto:vgwillim@coach-work.co.uk) or call me on 07799 067 457. We have also got our own Facebook page called Kingsley Bookworms.

## **The Hurst Souperstars**

### **Soup lunch**

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> November - Noon to 1.00pm**

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**Home-made Soups, Puddings  
Tea and coffee - - only £2.50 all in.**

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**All proceeds this month in aid of the Son-Rise Programme  
If you have not been before you will be warmly welcomed and enjoy a  
friendly chat whilst eating delicious home-made soup and pudding.  
Really good selection of soups and puds !!!  
There is even a small raffle with many small prizes to be won!!!**



## KU17s, Kingsley Youth Club

Meets every Thursday in term-time at Kingsley Community Centre.

5:30 to 7:30 pm for school years 4 to 7

7:30 to 9pm for school years 7 and above.

Tuck, hot dogs and drinks for sale.

It's a great chance to meet up with friends and we have lots of activities including table tennis, table football and X-box games

We've also got a great program of events lined up for the next few weeks: tennis with coach, Bill Connell; Skating with Jenna Downing (British champion); Boxing with Courtney Fry (Commonwealth gold medallist); Arts and Crafts with Andy and a session on Digital Citizenship to help people stay safe on-line. And we'll finish on Dec 22nd with a Christmas Party.

Sessions cost just £1.

We welcome new members: just turn up on a Thursday, with an adult to fill in our contacts form, and join the fun!

## BUSES

X2 bus from Frodsham Monday to Saturday.

To M and S, Cheshire Oaks, Ellesmere Port Town Centre and Countess of Chester Hospital, Chester.

9.16am every hour until 4.16pm

Before and after times vary. Returns by the same route.  
Timetables available at Frodsham Library or on line.

**SUNDAY BUS RUNS EVERY HOUR FRODSHAM TO  
CHESTER TO FRODSHAM.**

## Breakfast and Crafts at The Hurst

The above event will take place on Saturday 5 November 10.00 till 12 noon.

Breakfast (or early lunch) £5 for 4 items plus toast and drink. Extra items 50p each. There will also be craft stalls. Tickets available from Julie Clark, Janet Batey, Jean Moores, Jill Andrew.

Proceeds to Buzz Youth Activity Group for disabled young people in Chester, the current Hurst project.

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age?**

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## **OUR KCA FIRST FILM NIGHT PRESENTS 'MAMMA MIA' !!**

For all those who wanted a film club and special film nights, at 8pm on 12th November we will be holding our first ever film night at the community centre. Tickets cost just £4 and are available from Mike Butler on 788125 or [mrpb\\_kca@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:mrpb_kca@yahoo.co.uk). Come along and enjoy the night, the bar will be open from 7.30 to enjoy a glass of fizz, wine or beer, tell us what other films you want and we'll see what we can do. Let's try and make this a regular thing.

Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> November	<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> Nov	<b>Yoga Class</b>	6.30pm–8pm
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	<b>Kingsley W I</b>	7.30pm
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> , 23 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	<b>Alzheimer's Society</b>	11am-12.30pm
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> , 17 <sup>th</sup> , 24 <sup>th</sup>	<b>KU17's</b>	

**Watch out for information about Whalebone, a trio of musicians playing on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December at the Centre.**

**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 10<sup>th</sup> December 2016**

**The Knoll Surgery will be holding its annual Flu Clinic at the Centre on the morning of Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2016**

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)

## **DOG FOULING**

Top Road and Mansefield Road. Big problem with dog poo in the last month. Owners please clear up after your dogs even when it is dark.

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

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

The October report got lost somewhere between editing and printing but we hoped you were able to get to see some of the local shows. We were pleased to hear that some of you picked up the earliest show, the Zodiac's ***Hot Flush*** at The Brindley and the small cast included Kingsley Players Jo Oultram and Rachel Kirkbride, (both in the KP's touring show ***Allo Allo***). We received a number of very positive reports – a super night of total entertainment.

We are too early to press for ***Some of My Best Friends Are Women*** at Kingsley and ***The Last Stop*** at Harlequins so perhaps as many of you as possible who saw those shows would let us have your comments. Both plays were treated to full page articles in the Northwich Guardian.

An October treat was served up by Davenham Players with the Memory of Water by Shelagh Stephenson. A well told tale about three daughters returning home on the death of their mother and the ghost of mother coming to one of them. Well acted and a credit to the director.

Kingsley Players will be touring their ever popular charity show, ***Allo Allo***, with venues at Norley, Rossett, Chester and Melling - <http://www.kingsleyplayers.co.uk/productions/allo-allo/> . Other Kingsley Players, ***Fran Hamer (Calendar Girls)*** and ***Ellie Hamer (Time of My Life)*** can be seen in Ashton Hayes Theatre Club's ***Daisy Pulls it Off*** by Denise Deegan on 17<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> November. A great play which should be well worth seeing and directed by ***Yvette Owen***, an award winning director, her last work directing ***And Then There Were None*** at Harlequins in June. <http://www.ashtonhayestheatreclub.co.uk/>

Other shows to see.

1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Altrincham Garrick – ***The History Boys*** – another chance of more Alan Bennett. <http://www.altrinchamgarrick.co.uk/shows/>

9<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> Knutsford Little Theatre – ***Life Begins Again*** by David Muncaster. A romantic comedy of infidelity set in the 1980's. <http://www.knutsfordlittletheatre.com/>

16<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> Guilden Sutton Players – another revival by Guilden Sutton, ***Separate Table***'s by Terence Rattigan. <http://www.guildensuttonplayers.org/>

16 to 19<sup>th</sup> Moulton Drama Group – Laugh Out Loud. A collection of short plays which combine to make up an evening of light hearted fun and to send you home smiling. <https://www.mdg.org.uk/>



21<sup>st</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> Altrincham Garrick – ***The Last of the Summer Wine*** by Ray Clarke, the stage version of that popular evergreen TV series and a must for fans of Compo and Co. <http://www.altrinchamgarrick.co.uk/>

31<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> December Frodsham Players have beaten Kingsley to that heart warming tale, ***Goodnight Mr Tom*** by David Wood, about a boy evacuated to the country from London and being billeted with a grumpy old man who becomes his saviour in the end. Scheduled for Kingsley next October. <http://www.frodshamplayers.com/>

If your production or a play you have seen did not appear here then please email us and tell us about it. Who is John Doe, you might ask. Well we will come clean. He does not exist in the real world but is a small team dedicated to local theatre and you are welcome to join just by emailing [cheshireonstage@btinternet.com](mailto:cheshireonstage@btinternet.com). Your identity will not be disclosed.

John Doe

## **2016 POPPY APPEAL**

The 2016 Poppy Appeal is underway. Poppies are available in many shops, schools and businesses in Kingsley. Remembrance Sunday is 13th November. The generous support of the residents of Kingsley raised £2000 last year. Your continuing support is very much appreciated.

Fiona Crane  
Kingsley Poppy Appeal Coordinator



## **MacMillan Coffee Morning.**

Our annual coffee morning was held at Kingsley Community Centre in September.

We managed to raise the magnificent sum of £1,650.

A big thank you to all the local businesses who donated raffle prizes, pupils, staff and parents from St John's School, everyone who donated cakes and goods plus Kirsty and Beryl.

We had so many people to help set up the room, serve tea and cake, man the stalls and provide the tombola, too many to thank personally but a big thanks to all.

Finally thanks to everyone who attended, you made the effort worthwhile.

Mary and Lynne  
See you next year!



## Whalebone: Seasons Tour

Kingsley Community Centre

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2016

Concert starts 7.30pm (doors at 7.00pm)

Admission £8.00 (£5.00 children)

Tickets from Elizabeth on 01928 788788 or online at

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/whalebone](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/whalebone)

Refreshments available

For more information, or to see and hear the band in action, see

[www.whalebone-music.com](http://www.whalebone-music.com)

KINGSLEY ST JOHN'S CE AIDED PRIMARY SCHOOL

Love: Learn: Aspire: Achieve



The children of Kingsley St John's CE Aided Primary School shone like stars as they supported the Highfield Male Voice Choir. The event happened at Kingsley Community Centre to a standing-room-only audience. With each song sung the singing got better and better and the audience were left with high, positive emotion.

One member of the public said "It is absolutely glorious watching the young children join together with the older generations and they have produced such a beautiful sound."

It is not the first time that the school choir has joined with the Highfield Male Voice Choir. They produced a performance a couple of years ago, once again to a sell-out crowd.



Headteacher, Rachel Jones, said "It is so important that our children have such real and wonderful opportunities to work with members of the local community and beyond in such occasions as these. It can't be under-estimated just how much a young child's confidence and self-esteem blossom through these events."

It is hoped that the collaboratively sung tracks will be available to see on the school website in the near future and there are also hopes that the entire concert can be available to purchase from the school office.

Rachel Jones, Headteacher

***LOVE: LEARN: ASPIRE: ACHIEVE***

***Tel: 01928 788536***

***www.kingsley-st-johns.cheshire.sch.uk***

## **WORSHIP AT THE HURST METHODIST Chapel**

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November

10:00 am- Morning Worship at The Hurst: Dr J.Hufton  
6.30 pm- Blakelees Chapel : Mr P.Morrey

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November

8.15am- At The Hurst :Holy Communion :Revd A. Gibson  
10:00am – United Service at St.John's.  
6.30pm- At Blakelees Chapel :Revd I. Rigby: Communion

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November - Sunday before Advent

10:00am- At The Hurst- Communion : Revd I.Rigby  
6.00pm At Blakelees Chapel: Revd Dr N.Wright

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November - 1<sup>st</sup> of Advent

10:00am- At The Hurst: Morning Worship -Mr B.Moores  
4:00pm : Advent Carols at Vicars Cross URC  
No Service at Blakelees Chapel

All are very welcome, please do come and join us and please bring the children!  
There is a Sunday school for children (apart from the month of August), and those who presently attend, really do enjoy!

## **MANY THANKYOUS FROM KU17s**

The last few weeks have been incredibly successful in fund-raising for KU17s, Kingsley Youth Club, and we have several organisations and individuals to thank.....

Frodsham Charity Music Festival gave us an incredible donation of £1000. Their next festival will be June 24th 2017.

The Autumn Ball attracted over 90 attendees and raised almost £3000. Many thanks to all who attended and to the organisers: Caroline and Dennis Crosby, Darrell and Karen Jacobs, Lucy and Abelines Geldenhuis, Cynthia and John Carson. We were very fortunate in the quality and quantity of auction and raffle prizes and we'd like to thank Nigel Woodger (Popup Products), Delamere Golf Club, florists Fresh of Hartford, Forresters, Kingsley Players, Forest Hills and Darryl and Sue Riley for their kind donations. Thanks also to the band, Covers, who had us all up and dancing, and to everyone who turned up the next morning to clear up. These funds are a great boost to our finances and enable us to employ professional youth workers and buy new equipment. Thanks again, to all our donors, helpers and people who attended the Autumn Ball.

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**We are currently seeking tenders for the following grass cutting works in 2017/2018:**

- Kingsley Playing Field (off Westbrook Road)
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- Kingsley various Public Rights of Way

For further information and details on this work, then please contact the Parish Clerk at the above address.

The closing date for quotations will be Friday 9 December 2016.

Jo Preston  
Kingsley Parish Clerk

## **KINGSLEY PLAYERS**

We are planning to hold a play reading meeting on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November at 19.30 hours in Kingsley Community Centre. Everyone is welcome to attend and light refreshments will be provided. The play selected to read will probably be a thriller.

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## **Kingsley Walking Group**



The September short walk began at Netherton Hall where we had our lunch after the walk. We headed up Carriage Drive and up the steps by Jacobs Ladder. One young man scrambling up the rocks before we crossed the golf course and zig zagged on paths and quiet lanes to Bradley. We followed a track to the river which we followed to Frodsham Bridge. Turning left we crossed Ellis Lane to a path up to Townfield Lane , eventually following Middle Walk on the hill and completing our circuit. Only twelve walkers today.

On 11 October, we struck new ground again, with a trip to The Wrekin in Shropshire, a prominence rising to 1337 ft, dominating the Shropshire plain. We parked in the grounds of a National Trust property, Sunnycroft, on the edge of Wellington to the north of The Wrekin. Passing under the M54 we soon entered woodland, gradually rising until we emerged to the final steep ascent. The weather was initially misty, but this largely cleared to give us distant views in all directions, though it was difficult to make out the individual hills to the south and west. Seven of us took the 8.5 mile walk. Another good day out!

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).

## **Breakfast and Craft Sale**

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- Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> WI meeting and AGM
- Sat 5<sup>th</sup> 10am-Noon at the Hurst :Big Breakfast and Craft sale {in aid of Buzz Group, for disabled young people}
- Sun 6<sup>h</sup> 10,00am the Hurst Service, then at 11am there will be a cake sale in aid of Buzz Group.
- Mon 7<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm at KNVI : the AGM for KNVI.
- Tues 8<sup>th</sup> Kingsley Walkinng Group. Meet at KCC 9.00am
- Tues 8<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm at The Hurst: Guild; Speaker Pastor Nic Willis
- Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> Messy Church at The Hurst 4.30pm-6.30pm.
- Sat 12<sup>th</sup>- at 10:00am From KCC –Village Litter Pick.
- Sun 13<sup>th</sup> Remembrance Sunday**
- 10am at St.John's Church: United Service
- Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Noon to 1pm Hurst Soup lunch in aid of the Son-Rise programme.
- Wed 16<sup>th</sup> 20.00pm: At The Hurst Chapel: Café Church.
- Sat 17<sup>th</sup> 10.am –Noon at Frodsham Parish Hall: Christian aid Coffee Morning.
- Sun 20<sup>th</sup> Women Against Violence Sunday
- Thurs 24<sup>th</sup>- 2.30pm at The Wyches : Tea at 2.30.
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