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Editorial for Spring 2016

With very many thanks to everyone for the continued splendid support you give to Roundabout in whatever capacity, for without your contributions and advertisements it would not exist! The Wistaston Community Council is also very appreciative of the support you give to all the events organised over the year.
Please send in your articles, photographs etc for our Summer edition, due out in early June, by 15 April.

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At the Wistaston Community Council's AGM in January the Wistonian of the Year was announced for 2015 and we are delighted to reveal that it is Roger Woodward. Please read on page 15 why he has won this very prestigious award and why he is such a worhty winner. Very many congratulations, Roger.

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Donations In Year 2015	
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St Mary's Church Hall	100.00
Wistaston Athletic F C	150.00
Scout Hut	300.00
Matty Astbury	250.00
Total Donations	2,204.00

Dates for your 2016 Diary of Wistaston Events

Thursday 31 March:
Memorial Hall Management Committee AGM.
Saturday 18 June:
Village Fete
Saturday 20 August:
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WISTASTON PARISH COUNCIL - CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

1. Budgets

Our Budget plan for the year commencing 1st April 2016 has been finalised and submitted to Cheshire East. One additional new item is a provision to support the Neighbourhood Plan (NP) for which we have included a sum of £3,000. This represents an increase of 1.5p/week, 78p/year per household. We are planning to apply for grant support to cover NP costs, however our provision will only be used if exceptional needs arise.

2. Neighbourhood Plan www.wistaston-np.org.uk

Our steering group are now meeting monthly with progress in establishing the Scope, Vision and Aims of our plan. Three key steps complete are:-

- Application for our 1st stage grant support up to 31st March 2016 in the sum of £3,590 was approved.
- Setting up our Neighbourhood Plan website, is complete and will go live shortly.
- Initial survey to gauge resident views resulted in 125 replies. Whilst disappointingly low it nevertheless provided many constructive comments.

An essential part of the plan is to prepare policies to cover, for example, Housing, Natural Environment, Transport Roads and Infrastructure. To complete these we will use professional consultants help as advised by Cheshire East Council.

3. Keep Wistaston Tidy

Our first 'clean up team' has made a significant difference and they are regularly seen out and about. They have gradually broadened their area to patrol and now cover almost all parts of our Parish. Litter collections on occasions are high, filling up to 8 large sacks in one outing. If residents can help in any way more support would be welcomed and if anyone is interested in joining a new team please contact our Clerk.

4. Speedwatch

Our new PCSO Nigel Hobbs has had a good response to his appeal for new speed watch volunteers. Training is to start shortly and if enough people apply we hope to establish several teams to cover the key roads within the Parish. Interested? Please contact our PCSO via email Nigel.Hobbs@pnn.police.uk or telephone our Clerk.

5. Councillor Vacancies

We have 3 vacancies in Wistaston Green Ward, interested residents should first contact our Clerk in writing with a brief résumé.

6. Future Meeting Dates

Residents are welcome to attend Parish Council meetings at 7.30 p.m. at Wistaston Memorial. Next meetings are on 17th March, the Annual Parish Meeting on 14th April (8pm) and 19th May 2016.

Cllr. J. Moore, Chairman

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Betty Cooke	**25 Westfield Drive, Wistaston, CW2 8EU**	**569676**
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Derrick Millington	**9 Chesterton Drive, Wistaston, CW2 8EA**	**664471**
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Ray Westwood	**550 Crewe Road, Wistaston, CW2 6PP**	**569844**
	WELLS GREEN WARD	
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Clerk to the Council		
Mrs. Andrea Cross	**4 Arundel Close, Wistaston. CW2 8EY**	**652098**

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Wistaston Community Council 100 Club

A big thank you to all who took part in the 100 club during 2015. The total gross fund raised by the four weekly draws was £2626.00. Total prize monies to the winners of all 2015 draws was £1315.00 leaving £1266.50 after deduction of Lottery running expenses and registration fee to be used for donations/presenting events by Wistaston Community Council.

Major prize winning numbers in 2015

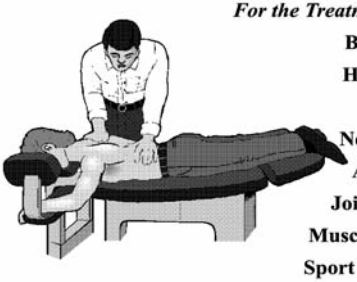
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£200													13
£100						43							
£50			89						13				
£25	53	52		33	25		13	78		10	65	80	

In addition to the above, five £10 winners drawn for draws 1 – 12 and ten at draw 13.
I also wish to send a big thank you to the five collectors who work very hard collecting and handing out prizes throughout the year.
There are vacancies for 15 more people to join the club. Please express interest to any collector and/or Community Council member, otherwise contact me on 01270 669794. Please leave a contact number and I will get back to you if I am not available.
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Wistaston Village Cricket Club.

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At the time of compiling this latest editorial, the **2016** cricket season is barely three months away and if we have too much more rain, the chances of producing a bumper rice crop could be on the cards at "The Brittles". Seriously, the weather has not been kind to us so far this year, however I am certain that an overuse of prayer mats, believing in the "tooth fairy" and a reasonable period of clement weather should see the usual end results of perfect wickets and outfields to enable the cricket club to enjoy another successful season from April to September.

The **2015** cricket season was as previously reported in the Winter edition of "Roundabout" a pretty successful campaign on several fronts and I know that all players are itching to emulate their successes during **2016.** By the time my latest editorial wings its way through countless letter boxes, the cricket season will only be barely a month away from commencing (first fixtures for the **First and Second Elevens** due to begin in **mid-April.**

Winter Nets:-

Senior/under 18's Nets:- Start Wednesday 3rd February 2016 6.00pm-7.30pm, **Brine Leas School Nantwich** and thereafter on each Wednesday.

Under 13's will be the same as the Senior Nets, because of the under 13's availability on Friday, so it was decided that they would be on a Wednesday night.

Juniors 9's, 11's Nets:- Start Friday 5th February 2016 6.00pm-7.30pm, **Malbank School Nantwich** and thereafter on each Friday.

Cost of nets for the above will be £3.00 per session.

Ladies :- Start Thursday 28th January 2016, Nantwich,7.30pm - 9.00pm, cost of nets will be £4.00 per session and thereafter on each Thursday.

For updates on information related above please contact K. Jobbins on 01270 663699 in the first instance.

Wistaston Village Cricket Club will be competing in the following divisions during **2016**:-

First Eleven:- **The Cheshire Alliance Division 1**
Second Eleven:- The UK Fast League (Division to be announced)
Third Eleven (Sundays):- Cheshire County League
Women's First Eleven:- Cheshire Ladies Cricket League
Wombats (Sundays):- Friendlies
Under 9,11,13:- The South Cheshire Junior Cricket League

In addition Wistaston Cricket Club have entered a team in a Mid-week League. Fuller details are available from Mr K.Jobbins 01270663699.

At the cricket club's **Annual General Meeting** held last **November,** the following members were elected: President - R Titus. Chairman/development - K.Jobbins. Vice Chairman- K Thornhill. Secretary - M.Stokes. Treasurer – to be announced.

1st XI Capt- M.Chesters Vice Capt Jack Stokes. 2nd XI Capt - J.Allwood.

Vice Capt:-Nathan Hobson. 3rd Xl Capt Mark Bourne. Vice Captain: Chris Blackledge. Ladies Xl Captain - Alison Smith. Vice Captain - Hannah Thornhill.
Club Capt. - S Collins. Junior Co-ordinator - P Brookfield. General/ Publicity- J.Avery.

Stop Press: Would all followers of our Cricket Club make a special note in diaries?

On May 1st at the Brittles, there will be a fixture involving our ladies cricket team. LADIES CHESHIRE XI V OXFORDSHIRE XI - commencing at about 11am . Fuller details will be available from Pauline or Kevin Jobbins on 01270663699.

PLAYERS REQUIRED FOR FORTHCOMING 2016 CRICKET SEASON

Following the excellent season by Wistaston Village Cricket Club's women's senior eleven, the cricket club would like to build on their initial successes and would very much welcome new players irrespective of age or ability, who have harboured the idea of playing cricket but have neither had the opportunity nor self-belief of taking the next step. We have always offered cricket to juniors and adults of all standards, so if you really would like to take the next important step towards playing cricket, please contact either **Pauline or Kevin Jobbins** on **01270663699**, for more details on what our cricket club can offer you. The cricket club holds Bingo evenings every **third Friday** of each month at the **Wistaston Pavilion Lounge** to raise funds and a warm welcome is extended to anyone wishing to join us.

We offer cricket to adults and junior of all standards and we are proud on being very much a child friendly club and we have been re-credited with the **EC.B Club Mark originally awarded in May 2005**. Interested in joining W.V.C.C? Please contact **Kevin Jobbins: - 01270663699** in the first instance.

For more details of our Bingo evenings please contact either **Kevin or Pauline Jobbins 01270663699.**

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Memorial Hall, Church Lane, Wistaston
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9 February	Harry Delaney: Lawn Care and Maintenance
8 March	A.G.M. and Supper
12 April	Anthony Norman – Propagation
3 May	Graham Shillabeer: Fruit for the small Garden
7 June	Jane Allison: Banquets for Bees and Butterflies
12 July	Summer Social Evening & Barry Walker Trophy: Rose Competition
9 August	Anita Wright: The Changing Garden & Beryl Fentem Trophy: Pot Plant Competition.
13 Sept.	Marcus Chilton-Jones: Garden Management 'Not Just Marigolds'
4 October	Ray Rush: Country Customs
8 November	Anne Harrison: Autumn Colour
13 December	Christmas Party

New Members and Visitors welcome
For further information ring 01270 662672 or 01270 665974

Easter Services at Wells Green:-

Good Friday-25th March at 10am Service of worship and reflection (Rev.Steve Ingrouille)

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Easter Sunday-27th March at 7.30am Service of Holy Communion at Joey the Swan (Rev.Steve Ingrouille)

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10.30 am Easter worship and Holy Communion (Rev.Gordon Ryder)
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Easter Services are listed below for

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24 March 7.30pm Maundy Thursday Holy Communion at St Luke's

25 March Good Friday: 11am All Age Worship
2pm An Hour at the Cross

27 March Easter Sunday:
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Roger Woodward - Wistonian of the Year for 2015

Roger Woodward, Wistonian of the Year for 2015 receiving his award at the Wistaston Community Council's AGM from Ian Gould in January and he is a very worthy and deserving winner.
Roger was born in Crewe, moved to Wistaston in 1978 and has been extremely active in Wistaston village affairs for the last 25 years.

He has been Secretary of the Wistaston in Bloom Committee since its formation in 1996. This involves yearly negotiation with contractors. He has designed and constructed three timber flower beds – two at Wells Green and one at Beech Drive all capable of showing off wonderful displays and all to Wistaston's advantage.



When our symbol for the village of Wistaston, the Joey the Swan sign, showed signs of serious timber rot Roger strengthened the foundations with reinforced concrete which prolonged its life span and ensured that Wistaston's signature mark would continue well into the future.

Roger has always been very active in the development of our village amenities. He prepared the initial design plans for a new Brittles Pavilion and then the extension of the original building which was completed and re-opened in October by Edward Timpson.
Roger plays an invaluable part in the presentation of the Wistaston Community Council's Flower and Produce Show which is held annually in August.
He is a distributor and a deliverer of the Wistaston Roundabout thus ensuring that the Roundabout magazine is delivered regularly to the residents in his area. This is important for the community and he does this willingly giving up his own time and effort in all weathers to do so.

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Roundabout Deliverers

Do you have one or two hours to spare four times a year?
We are in need of Roundabout deliverers in several areas of Wistaston and if you can help please contact Eileen on 01270 569126

TripAdvisor Report

Congratulations to Jonathan White who has recently received an exceptional award from TripAdvisor. He received the Travel Photographer of the Year for the UK after he posted an incredible 3,700 pictures of his travels around the globe on his page http://www.tripadvisor.co.uk/members/jonotennis

Jonathan is a Wistonian and works at South Cheshire College. He has been a member of TripAdvisor since February 2011.
In 2015 he visited Romania (Bucharest/Transylvania) Greece (Corfu), Australia (Perth, Fremantle, Katherine, Darwin), Thailand (Phuket Island), UAE (Dubai, Abu Dhabi), Belgium (Ghent, Brussels), plus locations in the UK including London and the Lake District.

Jonathan said that he had been very fortunate to visit so many amazing places in the UK and around the world in 2015. He said that he always tried to carry a camera and he hoped that his photos help people in their choice of hotel, restaurant and attraction.

Jonathan earned the honour in the company's annual awards dubbed "The Ollies". 'The Ollies' are given to top contributors from more than 90 million members.
Jonathan is a regular contributor to the Nantwichnews and an extremely invaluable contributor to the Wistaston Roundabout. His photographs are so refreshingly alive and capture the moment.
Jonathan is pictured below in Phuket, Thailand and across the page in Romania.





Laurie Twiss Award 2016

Calling all Wistaston's budding writers! Write a story or article in under 200 words. The competition is open to young people in our area aged from 9 - 16. **The winner will b**e able to keep for one Year the Laurie Twiss Trophy plus an additional prize. It's your choice of material – real or imaginary, fact or fiction, so do get into writing mode now. **Please include the following** information with your entry: Name and address, Telephone number, Age, school attended and title of story.

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Report of Wistaston Jubilee Tennis Club – January 2016

The AGM of Wistaston Jubilee Tennis Club was held recently and events of 2015 were discussed. The Club sessions have been well-attended on Monday and Wednesday evenings, Sunday afternoons and Senior mornings Tuesday/Thursday. John White, Memorial Hall Representative gave his report outlining the future plans for improvements and maintenance of the hall.
Jack Crisp, a member of the Tennis Club, has for many years been the Auditor of the Accounts but has now decided to hand over this very important service to member, Mick Green. Jack was thanked for taking on this necessary part of dealing with the Club's Finances.
For the past two years the Tennis fees have not increased but as the time has now arrived when some repairs are needed to maintain the high standard of the Club there will be slight increases to most groups of membership.
Thank you again to everyone who supported the events which raised money for the Marie Curie and Bloodwise funds which are so important to carry out the necessary work to help people who rely on the generosities of the public.
Here's hoping the weather is kind to us in 2016 to enjoy another great tennis season.

Happy Tennis Everyone, ***Alice Chalwin***

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The tension of the Olympics comes through in an excerpt from Daisy Williams' second prize winning entry for the Laurie Twiss Award. Watch out for Emilymay Stockton's winning entry in the Summer edition

Daisy's Devastated face

Daisy Williams (now 18) loses Olympic Gold for team GB London 2024. England's awful loss happened at the Sprint Zone in London. We don't know how this happened; this girl had broken the world record before!

The Girl who won Gold before
The newspaper reporters don't know how the girl lost the 100m sprint final because she has won Gold before! Even Williams was shocked that she hadn't won.

The Race!!
All the athletes walked up to the starting line, 5…4…3....2…1 Bang!! The gun goes off and the athletes are sprinting and Williams had a terrific start. She had the lead. Could she keep it? She didn't! Williams tripped up because her lace came undone on the last few steps!!

The Devastated face of Williams!
At the end of the race Williams stood by the score board staring at the screen knowing she had not won. She fell to the floor crying with disappointment – she had discovered she had come in seventh place!

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Wistaston Green Lane Allotments

The Wistaston Green Lane Allotment has 40 plots on its site but for a variety of reasons it got into a state of disrepair. When the Federation was formed in Crewe we couldn't become members as we were in Wistaston. We then decided to try to raise awareness of this site in the local community.



These two photographs show the amazing transformation of one plot from March 2015 when it was taken over by Mr and Mrs Boult to September 2015 when the dilapidated plot became a haven full of vegetables and flowers and their hard work has paid off. They love being there in the fresh air and sunshine and having a brew and a natter with fellow allotment growers.

I am delighted to say that we have managed to virtually fill the site with people who have a genuine interest in growing both flowers and vegetables.

We now have a Cheshire East representative with experience and interest in allotments and a friendly group of gardeners whom we are hoping will help to make us the friendliest and most sociable allotment in Cheshire.



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Hands Off Wistaston Update

As many of you will have heard, Gladman decided to go to appeal with their second application to build on Witters Field. If you cast your mind back, Gladman had submitted a second application, very similar to their first, while the appeal to their first application was still ongoing.

Thank you to everyone who wrote in to Cheshire East Council and the Planning Inspector to object to this proposal. Cheshire East Council had refused planning permission for the second application, however Gladman went to appeal.

The appeal hearing took place on 4th and 5th February; with local residents, Wistaston Parish Councillors and our local Cheshire East Councillors speaking against the proposed development. Hands Off Wistaston are also trying to secure a meeting with our local MP, Edward Timpson, to ask him to fight our corner and press our case within Westminster.

The Planning Inspector is now considering the appeal and we expect to hear an outcome soon.

Since the last update we also learned that the Planning Inspector had given approval for the Harlequin development off Wistaston Green Road. Cheshire East Council are challenging this and have sought a judicial review into the decision. The review will begin at the High Court on 23rd February. Hopefully by the next issue there will be a final conclusion and – fingers crossed – it will be good news for everyone who has fought against this development.

Thank you for your continuing support and we'll post further updates in Roundabout as they occur. If you are online then you can also check out our *Hands Off Wistaston* Facebook page for more updates.



Sunset at Witters Field by Jonathan White.

Hoping it stays like this - free to wander.

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Nature article for Roundabout, Issue 141

October brought a sparrowhawk through our garden in Sandylands Park, swiftly shearing the ground. The enviable alacrity with which these birds scythe through the air leaves us in no doubt of their ability to make a quick kill and we need a split second of good fortune to glimpse the bird at all. In spite of this, the alarm calls of the imminent prey act as an effective warning, thus a tree one moment filled with birds is empty the next.

We wonder if global warming is bamboozling our common garden birds. We were surprised at the number seen in pairs during the exceptionally mild lead-up to Christmas. Coal, great and blue tits, along with nuthatch, all fit this category, and the courtship rituals of the wood pigeon, the bird that can breed all year, never really ceased. With so few cold days we hope the birds are not being fooled into thinking it's already spring. However, the only song we have heard is the jerky thin dirge of dunnock, frequent in December and into January. Fast repeats of 'Kek, kek, kek' betray the presence of a great spotted woodpecker somewhere in hedgerow trees, and the bird may visit our feeders for a few days over a two weeks' period.

Warm October revealed a scalloped comma butterfly (*Polygonia c-album*) on bean leaves, a species which hibernates as an adult in autumn, and when wings are together the 'crumpled leaf' effect makes for good camouflage. Seeing only the top side we missed the 'punctuation mark' which gives the insect its name.

Late November and the familiar 'pee-oo' of a buzzard somewhere high in the cloud over Church Lane. A goldcrest, our smallest bird, at only three and a half inches long, is seen, like the woodpecker, in fits and starts, busying through the branches of our crab-apple tree. Like the coal tit it is essentially a bird of conifers.

On Sunday, 13 December, a bike ride to the local shops, around 8 am, revealed a large number of blackbirds on the stretch between Sandylands Park and King's Drive. Presumably a roost had just broken up, blackbirds tolerant of each other's company overnight. A crow with blobs of white on upper wings has begun to infiltrate the dozen or so jackdaws that land on our lawn for droppings off the feeders, but, as before stated, this bird is a rare appearance in the garden.

On 4 January a delightful siskin came briefly to our feeders. It reminded us of our first sight of this bird the day before on the towpath of the Llangollen Canal between the driveway to the Chain Bridge Hotel and Pentrefelin, a particularly wooded section. Three siskins pecked about in front of us, keeping mere feet away. Reluctant to fly they occasionally flew into surrounding low branches, then were back ahead of us again. We seldom see wild birds so tame.

Jackdaws are still the predominant birds of Wistaston; a large flock foraging in Church Lane in January, inclusive of another beautifully mottled individual, but a male bullfinch, 7 January, on a feeder, was the icing on our personal cake.

Our thanks to all contributors.

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Wistaston Memorial Hall & Community Centre
Chairman's Report

The eighteen members of the hall's management committee have worked so well in maintaining the building opened on 26th March 1949 in memory of the sixteen men from Wistaston who perished during the Second World War.

Our activities include:

The **20th Annual Duck Race and Children's Model Boat Race** on 5th September 2015 raised £554 for the hall's funds. The 21st Duck Race will be held on Saturday 3rd September 2016.

The **Annual Hall Quiz** on 30th October 2015 was won by a team named 'Treble Chance' with 48 points, who were presented with the 'Fred Lorimer Memorial shield'. The proceeds raised £103.

The **Service of Remembrance** on Sunday 8th November 2015 raised £287 for the Royal British Legion. At this service, a tribute was given in memory of **Lieutenant Ronald Arthur Hulse**. He had lived at 'Oaklands', Manor Avenue, Wistaston, and attended Nantwich & Acton Grammar School (now Malbank High School). He was the only son of John and Nellie Hulse and had a sister. He married Sybil Mary Barlow, from Lerwick on 1st March 1941 and they lived at a house called 'Glen Helen', Wells Green, Crewe Road, Wistaston, Crewe – please can anybody identify this property for me? Lieutenant Hulse died on 17th June 1944 at Tel El Kebir, Egypt, whilst serving with the 91st Heavy Anti Aircraft regiment. I was contacted by the family who currently live at 'Oaklands'. I would now like to contact any surviving relatives of this Wistaston hero. He attended NAGS from 1926-31. **"We will remember them…"**

Recently the Memorial Hall has been maintained and improved by:

- Decorating the outside of the hall
- Decorating large sections of the interior
- Setting up a Wi-Fi system
- Placing two new display noticeboards in the main hall.

Future plans include:

- Replacing the kitchen
- Modernising the unisex toilet.

The hall's Annual General Meeting will be held in the Dudley room on Thursday 31 March starting at 7.30pm.

We are grateful for the support and co-operation of the Wistaston Parish Council, who are the custodial trustees of the hall.

John C White Chairman Tel. 01270 661484

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Ladies Fashion Exchange - Tickets £4
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Wistaston Young Drama Group

The children performed *James and the Giant Peach* to a packed audience. This was the first time many of them had performed in public and everyone did very well and all thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

The children were also invited to participate in the Holly Holy Day celebrations performing scenelets at designated locations in Nantwich, and accompanied Esra around the town.
Wistaston Young Drama Group, based in the Memorial Hall, Church Lane, Wistaston provide drama activities for children aged 6 - 18. We provide a fun and safe environment with an opportunity to make new friends. Classes are run by professionally trained drama leaders and lessons include creative movement, structured improvisation, drama games, language development and voice coaching which aims to build confidence, improve concentration and creativity. We are an inclusive community group.

We meet on Saturdays from 10.30am to 12.45pm. Places are available. Why not give us a try? The first session is free.
For further information regarding the classes contact Margaret 01270 668233 or Judy 01270 650341, or by email wydg@hotmail.co.uk
Further information and updates can be found on our website www.wistastonyoungdramagroup.weebly.com



Wistaston Conservation Group

A lot of our work during these last months has hardly been conservation, mainly clearing paths, cutting back overgrowth, and generally making our paths more usable, but we still enjoy doing it.

Readers may remember that in the last issue I noted that we had been asked by the Wistaston Parish Council to erect two new kissing gates. These have now been completed, *see photos of gates and new paths on next page.*

The paths in our woodlands take a lot of maintenance, with the overgrowth of the edges, falling branches, leaves, etc., and we have spent several weeks checking and clearing the paths in Woodside Covert, Hinging Bank Covert, Rookery Covert, and have had a lot of positive feedback on completion of these tasks.

We have also recently done a lot of clearing and cleaning of the Beech Drive and Wistaston Green Road carparks. The latter seems recently to have become a dumping ground for people's rubbish, especially empty lager cans and cigarette packets, just thrown into the hedges, or even into the private land owned by Magpie Manor. Wistaston is a great place to live, but is spoiled by such actions. Last time the Group carried out a litter pick, in 2 hours, along the main pathway from Wistaston Green Road to the Rising Sun, we filled the back of a car. PLEASE, use the litter bins provided, take your rubbish to the designated waste places, or TAKE IT HOME.



Two jobs we have completed in the vicinity of the children's play area are a new short path up the slope, so that, hopefully, people will use it rather than trampling the area where wild flowers and spring bulbs have been planted. The other job in this area has been the cutting back and replanting of the woodland edge parallel to the path through Woodside Covert, and the building of the natural hedge, with the cut timber, along the path edge. We are indebted to the Wistaston Parish Council for funding of the trees for this project. A new bird box has also been installed in this area.

As I write this in early February, our big job is on the main path from Wistaston Green Road towards Joey-the-Swan. The path edges had become badly overgrown, and the trees and shrubs were encroaching on the path. Hopefully, by the time you read this we will have completed cutting back the path edges, and also cleared at least 1 metre back from the path edges. *(See above photo)*. This will not only give better visibility for path users, but will also allow more wild flowers to grow, especially Knapweed, which will entice the White Letter Hairstreak butterfly back to the area. A very few were seen last summer, but the species is in serious decline, so the more we can do to help its numbers, the better.

A task we have recently been asked to look at by the Wistaston Parish Council is the designation of all the paths in Wistaston. I am sure that most of the local residents would not like it if one or more of our paths, which they regularly used, were to be gated or permanently closed. Without official designation, this is always a possibility. The Group have agreed to look at all the paths in our area, bring to the attention of the Cheshire East Authority any path which is not on the Definitive Map, and obtain the necessary information to ensure that this is put right. If any resident is concerned about the designation of any path in Wistaston, please let one of the Group know, and we will check it out. Your help will be much appreciated in this matter.

Photos to the right show the new kissing gates mentioned on previous page.

As usual, if you have any conservation concerns, or you would like to know what we get up to, come along any Monday morning, 0930, whereabouts on our website, at www.wistastonconservationgroup.org.uk

John M Wood, Chairman



2016 Events taking place at Union Street Baptist Church Crewe CW2 7DJ

Saturday 19 March, 7.30pm. The augmented choir presents Roger Jones' 'Jailbreak'. It was last performed by the choir in 2005 and tells the story of the apostle Paul's visit to Macedonia in the Book of Acts. Listen out for group numbers, solos and an earthquake thrown. Free entry – don't miss it!

Saturday 16 April, 7.30pm. An extra concert by the Kipling Singers to raise funds for roof repairs to the upper schoolroom. Ticket price £7 which includes tea and cake and some enjoyable music too …

Saturday 25 June, time tbc. The choir presents a brand new work by Roger Jones – 'Barnabas'. Only recently premiered, the choir will be one of the first in the UK to perform the work – do come if you can.

Saturday 8 October, 7.30pm. Once again we shall be entertained by the Lions Youth Brass bands. Expect an amazing array of talent, from very beginners to accomplished soloists.

Saturday 26 November, time tbc. The traditional charity fundraiser by the Kipling Singers, including delicious food and the famous Dutch Auction.

We look forward to seeing you at some of the above events this year. In the meantime do take a look at our website: www.crewebaptist.co.uk

Report from Persephone in Columbia

I'm back in the UK now and I'm settling in to real life back home. It's been a funny period of adjustment for me coming back home; falling back into the old rhythms of being in the UK and living with my family again. Right now, I have the distance from Colombia to properly assess my volunteering and really give you my honest opinion about my time over there.

One thing that struck me in the final few weeks was the fact that my fellow volunteers and travellers were waxing lyrical about Colombia and the people. Yes, Colombia is a stunning place - I don't think I've ever been to a place where I've had my breath taken away by the sheer beauty and the variety of landscapes like Colombia – but it is also a cruel, harsh place that is not an easy place to live.

It is easy to romanticise the way of life in Colombia as a foreigner. Tourism is still a relatively new thing for the country and foreigners, their generally pale skin and light hair, are still something of a novelty and are thus treated as such. Everybody wants to get to know you, they want to hear you speak Spanish (and are excessively complimentary when you do), and they tell you how beautiful your eyes are. In the UK, Germany, Sweden etc, we are all rather average. It's easy to feel flattered and special being in a place like Colombia. Add to that the fact that life out there is completely different to life in our native countries; the opportunity to travel, the cultural norms, the weather. It's easy to see how they can hold Colombia up on a pedestal.

But Colombia is not some kind of magical land. It is violent, machismo is prevalent, racism is embedded in everyday life, there is little to no public infrastructure in places to support those in society with the greatest needs. Whilst I love Colombia, I can't sugar-coat it. To be a hit-man is a viable career choice, corruption is rife, indigenous and black communities are largely forgotten by the government. And who can forget the civil war? It is a difficult place to live for the vast majority of its inhabitants; it is a developing country, after all.

What about the work? In the end, I did enjoy the work that I did. It was not the most stimulating work ever and at times I wasn't doing anything, as in there was no work, but the people that I worked with were incredibly warm and welcoming and patient with me. The children were also a joy; the social workers would tell me stories, or a bit of background about some of the children and knowing about the struggles they and their families have had, it still amazes me how most of the kids were so loving and happy.



The next edition will conclude Persephone's report with more photographs showing the contrasts of Columbia.

Wistaston's 34th Annual Flower and Produce Show Saturday 20 August 2016

Now the seed merchants' catalogues are dropping through people's letter boxes it is time to display the schedule for 2016's show so that exhibitors can decide what classes to enter. The Show Committee wish you all well and hope to see a heap of entries .

Section 1 - Flower Classes

1. Bowl of Sweet Peas, mixed colours, 15 stems minimum.
2. A specimen Rose in a vase.
3. Three Large Gladioli, any variety or varieties.
4. Three Small Gladioli, any variety or varieties.
5. Three Pom Pom Dahlias, any variety or varieties.
6. Three Cactus or Semi-Cactus Dahlias, any variety or
7. Three Decorative Dahlias, any variety or varieties.
8. A Single Stem of Any Flowering Plant (not on schedule) in a vase.
9. Six Asters, any variety or varieties.
10. A Single Geranium Head in a vase.
11. Six French Marigolds, any variety or varieties
12. A Shallow Bowl of Floating Flower Heads – arranged for effect.
13. A Vase of Mixed Flowers – home grown.
14. A Cactus.
15. A Succulent
16. A Geranium in a Pot – with saucer.
17. A Begonia in a Pot – with saucer.
18. A Flowering Plant in a Pot - with saucer – excluding plants from Classes 21 & 22.
19. A Foliage Plant in a Pot – with saucer.
20. Six Fuchsia Heads on a board.
21. A Fuchsia in a 9cms Pot – with saucer – any variety.
22. A Fuchsia in a 14cms Pot – with saucer – any variety.
23. Alpine Garden – 25cm x 25cm. maximum

Section 2 - Vegetable Classes

24. A Vegetable not on Schedule – please specify on entry form.
25. Five White Potatoes on a Plate – any variety.
26. Five Coloured Potatoes on a Plate – any variety.
27. Six Potatoes on a Plate – two varieties - three of each colour.
28. Six Pods of Peas with some stalk.
29. Three Onions – roots shown – see rules.
30. Three Onions – roots shown – not to exceed 225 grams each: see rules.
31. Six Carrots – tops trimmed to 8cms.
32. Five Ripe Tomatoes- not cherry variety - on a Plate.
33. Nine Shallots – Large.
34. Nine Shallots – Small - not exceeding 30mm in diameter
35. Three Round Beetroot – tops trimmed to 8cms.
36. One Vegetable Marrow – with stalk
37. One Lettuce – roots shown.
38. One Cucumber – with stalk.
39. A truss of Tomatoes – not cherry variety - some ripe.
40. A truss of a Named Variety of Cherry Tomatoes on a plate - some ripe.
41. One White Cabbage – roots shown.
42. Five Ripe Cherry Tomatoes on a plate: variety to be named.
43. Six Runner Beans – with some stalk.
44. Six Dwarf Beans – with some stalk.
45. Three Courgettes – each with some stalk.

Section 3 - Wistaston Parish Vegetable Display

46. A Collection of Five Different Classes of Vegetables.
47. A Display of Salad Items - home grown - on a round dinner plate.

Section 4 - Flower Arrangements

48. Titles for this section will be in the Schedule
49. As above
50. As above
51. As above

Section 5 : Harvest Basket

52. A Basket Containing Fruit, Flowers & Produce: not to exceed 46cms in width & length; height not restricted.

Section 6 : Children's Classes

53. Pre-school year - To be decided.
54. Year 1 Children) To be decided by Church Lane
55. Year 5 Children) Academy in June

Section 7 - House Craft Classes

56. A Jar of Homemade Strawberry Jam) Cellophane
57. A Jar of Homemade Marmalade) covers
58. A Jar of Homemade Lemon Curd) only.
59. Three pieces of Shortbread.
60. Five Square Flapjacks.
61. Five Jam Tarts.
62. A Plate of Five Chocolate Butterfly Cakes.
63. Carrot Cake.
64. A Date and Walnut Cake - baked in a Bun Loaf tin.
65. A Victoria Sponge Cake - please read Rule 20 **carefully.**
66. Five Cheese Scones.
67. A Quiche approx. 20cms in diameter: presented on a plate.
68. An Apple Pie - approx. 20cms in diameter - shortcrust pastry top and bottom - presented on a plate.
69. Five Decorated Cup Cakes.

Section 8 - Hobby Crafts

70. A Cross Stitch Picture 15cm x 20cm maximum.
71. A Painting. Own original work: A4 Size max: Unframed.

Parish Council Photographic Competition

Class 1. A typical Snapshot.
Class 2. A Cardboard Framed Enlargement.

Prize money will be £5, £3 and £2 in both classes.
Entries to be with the Show Secretary by 15 August 2016

All entries for this competition are free.

For 2016 it is agreed that people who work in Wistaston or are first year Domestic Science students at Dane Bank College or are plot holders on either of the Willaston or Wistaston Allotments and all members of Wistaston U3A Groups may enter the show.

Please read the schedule and the rules very carefully to make sure your entries are in the correct class, are trimmed as directed, are the correct size, contain the right amount of ingredients. No judge likes to place a N.A.S. (Not As Schedule) ticket against an entry. Ours is not a cut throat show. In fact it is renowned for its friendliness and help between one competitor and another but there have to be rules or the whole thing would be chaotic. Let us all hope for good growing conditions.

The Committee wish to thank The Peacock Nurseries, The Fireplace Warehouse and Wistaston Gardeners Society for their support again in 2015.

Gwyneth Brown, President *Bernard Moores*, Hon. Secretar

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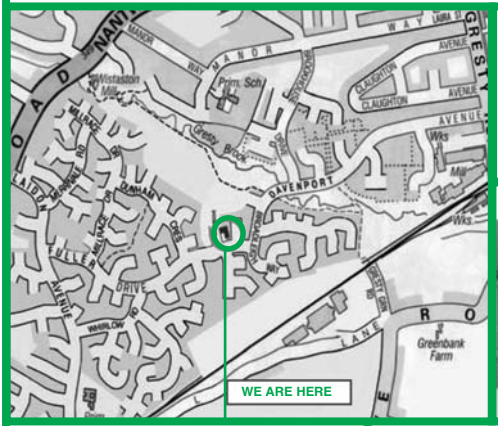
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