

Notice Board

Village Events and Activities

Next Village Association Meeting: Friday 23rd November, 7:30pm at the Community Hall (upstairs).

Nine lessons and Carols: Sunday 9th December, 3:00pm at the Community Hall.

Drop in market: 10 a.m till 12 noon on the first Wednesday of every month except January (when there's no market). A wide range of local produce, crafts and other wares as well as the usual Wednesday coffee and chat. As the name says, just drop in.

Westbury Folk Dancing Club: Eileen Dredge 822469

Westbury Playford (Country Dancing): Susan Swann 01985 212556

Bingo (Popular sessions – First Friday of the Month): Beryl Drake 823971

Yoga Classes: Allan Oakman (Tuesday evenings) 859313
Fiona Fallen (Wednesday evenings) 01985 846133

French and Spanish Classes: Sara Starbuck 825959

French Conversation Classes: Lynne Bohana 864294

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Websites

Community Hall Website:
www.westbury-leigh-community-hall.org.uk

Westbury Leigh Village Association Website:
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Westbury Leigh Village Association Newsletter

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WE ARE OFFICIAL!

Westbury Leigh Village Association is now a recognised body, at least as far as Lloyds Bank is concerned. Thanks to a very generous donation from the Community Hall we now have a bank account. This sum will easily cover the hall rental and printing costs for a whole year, so keep on reading the newsletters, there are many more to come!

Thank you to Steve Brewer for funding and hosting a village barbecue at the Hollies, which was very well attended.

HISTORY GROUP

If you would like to share your memories of Westbury Leigh or the history of your house, come to the History Group meeting - 7.30pm 10th December in the upper room at the Community Hall. If you are interested in joining the Group but can't make the meeting, please let Angela Graham-Leigh know (303941 or email jandagrahamleigh@blueyonder.co.uk).

GENERAL/LOCAL KNOWLEDGE QUIZ

Do you have a good general knowledge or know the Westbury area well? Or do you just enjoy quizzes or a pleasant evening out? Then join us for the Quiz at the Community Hall at 7.30pm 1st December. No need to buy tickets in advance, just turn up. The entry price is £10 for a table (maximum 4 people). There will be light refreshments, a raffle and an opportunity to win a cash prize!

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ASSOCIATION MATTERS

At the June meeting of the Village Association we elected a chairman, secretary and treasurer for 6 months, putting the Association on a semi formal footing. We are now approaching the end of the 6 months, so to move forward we need to re-elect these officers or elect new ones at the next meeting. As this is YOUR Association now is the opportunity to have YOUR say by coming to the meeting with nominations for our officers and voting for them.

In the meantime we would like to thank Nick, Angela and Sue for their work as chair, secretary and treasurer for the last 6 months and being very instrumental in getting the Village Association up and running – good on you!

Obviously we hope that they will be willing to continue in office and stand for re-election, if not we need some nominations! See you at the next meeting.

VILLAGE SUPPER

The annual Village Supper on 6 October was attended by over a hundred people. We enjoyed an excellent meal and then a varied entertainment including dancing, songs, a recitation and a highly original fashion show - all local talent. Make a note in your diary for next year's supper!

VILLAGE OPEN DAY

Would anyone be interested in joining a working group to organize a Village open day next year? We could maybe produce a village plan with a little of the history of the homes in the village, have a couple of larger gardens open to visitors, then finish at the Community Hall for a craft fair and afternoon tea.

Logo Competition

At the last Village Association meeting we considered three entries. Two were thought to be almost equally as good as each other and just needed a bit more work. The final decision will be made at the next meeting and the 1st and 2nd prizewinners will receive book tokens for £10 and £5 respectively.

LIVING IN A CUL DE SAC

Following our temporary experience of living in a cul de sac (when The Spur was closed), a proposal was made for a permanent closure. The County Council has offered to help the Village Association to prepare a questionnaire to find out if there is local support for the proposal. After lively debate at the last meeting of the Village Association, the decision was taken to accept this help. The Village Association is now working with the County Council and the questionnaire should be ready for distribution early in the New Year.

Festive Season

As this will be the last newsletter before Christmas, the Association would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!



Christmas Word Search



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e	q	t	c	c	l	s	t	a	r	k	r
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r	o	m	s	e	r	g	q	m	j	c	s
y	l	l	c	a	e	i	p	i	p	i	e
p	l	r	a	j	u	v	s	s	h	v	n
j	y	k	r	u	w	x	e	t	y	v	t
g	k	i	o	h	r	w	u	l	m	c	s
x	n	z	l	p	e	e	y	e	j	a	a
l	v	r	s	g	a	o	l	t	n	s	s
s	a	n	t	a	t	v	z	o	h	i	m
v	w	t	x	h	h	b	g	e	m	z	t

merry
christmas
carols
holly
santa
presents
tree
star
mistletoe
wreath

