

CHURCH DIARY

1st June,	10.00am,	Family Service
8th June,	8.30am,	Holy Communion (BCP)
15th June,	10.30am,	Benefice Communion with the Bishop of Ramsbury, The Rt Revd Edward Condry
22nd June,	6.00pm,	Evensong
29th June,	10.30am,	Benefice Communion in Chiseldon

Marlborough Open Studios

Everyone is invited to visit Jeannette Therrien and Claire Petworth during Marlborough Open Studio.

At The Clay and Glass Studio (opposite the village Hall)

Open 11am - 5pm. June 28/29, July 5/6, 12/13 and 19/20.

Come and see Jeannette's beautiful colourful glass. She makes plates, splash-backs, jewellery and unique glass sculpture.

Claire is currently studying Creative Arts & Design Practice. She will have examples of her work in a variety of media including drawing and print making.

Please call in and have a look.

See www.marlboroughopenstudio.com

Christian Aid Week 2014

Hey! We raised £394 for Christian Aid Week from the house-to-house collection, and we are still counting as some donations are still to come in. That is a great total. Thanks to all who contributed; and double thanks to the collecting team.

100 Club Winners

April - 1st Tim Ormond, 2nd Bethany Knibb and 3rd Chris Allen

May - 1st Richenda George, 2nd Zoe Wardley and 3rd Ruth Fraser

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Thank You

A huge thank you to Earthline Ltd on behalf of my family for naming one of their new lorries after my nephew, Connor, who died last July whilst in the care of the NHS. Connor had a real passion for lorries, trucks and buses and would have been chuffed to bits.

Church Working Party

Thank you to the small group of volunteers who turned up to help with the spring clean.

We managed to complete lots of the tasks from the jobs list.

We will meet again later in the year.

Library Bus

The mobile library will be near or outside Ogbourne School on Thursday 5th and 19th June from 10.00 - 10.30am.

Coffee Morning

Saturday June 7th from 10am Until 12 noon

The Jubilee Centre, High Street, Marlborough.

Marlborough & District Link are holding a Coffee Morning to promote the scheme and recruit new drivers & coordinators. Please tell your clients / friends / neighbours and spread the word. Come & join us for coffee & cakes

**POOLES YARD, OGBOURNE ST GEORGE
NEW AFFORDABLE RENTED HOMES FOR LOCAL PEOPLE**



Wiltshire Rural Housing Association has acquired 6 homes on the new development off The High Street in Ogbourne St George.

We will be letting the 3 x 2 bedroom and 3 x 3 bedroom homes to local people at affordable rents. The

homes will be ready around October 2014 and we are looking for local people in need of an affordable home to contact us. The homes will be advertised through Wiltshire Council's Homes 4 Wiltshire service and it is important that you are registered with Homes 4 Wiltshire in order to apply for one of these homes. If you contact us we will be able to advise you when the properties will be advertised through Homes 4 Wiltshire and what you need to do to be considered.

A local connection to Ogbourne St George is required and means that you may already be living in the village, you may have close family in the village, you may work in the village or you may have spent a long time in the past living in the village and wish to return. In the first instance we will only consider households who have local connections like this to the village before looking further afield to households with connections to neighbouring parishes.

If you are interested in living in one of these beautiful homes in Ogbourne St George please contact Wiltshire Rural Housing Association for more details. Tel 01380 850 916.

Naming the properties

Some of the 6 homes will front the high street and as such will not have numbers but will have names. In order to decide on names for the properties we would like ideas and suggestions from local people. The names might relate to historic figures from the village, wildlife in the area or something specific to Ogbourne St George. Please e-mail your suggestions to info@wrha.co.uk.

Chiseldon Local History Group

We have a topical subject for our meeting on Wednesday 18th June, as it is 70 years since the Normandy landings. Malcolm Holland will talk about a rather unusual aspect of the D-Day Story uncovered by an industrial archaeological dig in Royal Wootton Bassett.

Visitors are always welcome to our meetings – they start at 7.30pm in the Church Hall, Butts Road and there is a £2 entry fee for non-members.

Chiseldon Museum in Butts Road is open every Saturday from 2.00 to 4.00 pm. Admission is free and our publications are on sale including those about Chiseldon Camp and the Iron Age Cauldrons. We are displaying the cauldron replica, and we are remembering those from Chiseldon who fell in the Great War, as well as some other WW1 stories.

We would love to hear from you if your Chiseldon, Hodson and Badbury ancestors had stories to tell about their experiences.

If any village groups would like a special visit to the museum - daytime or evening - we would be very happy to open up for you.

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Marlborough Open Gardens

Takes place on Sunday 29 June this year from 2pm to 6pm. Spend a lovely afternoon strolling around a dozen gardens in Marlborough. Tickets £5 from The Merchant's House Shop (or £6 on the day). Afternoon tea will be served from 3pm to 6pm for and additional £3.