SEPTEMBER 2019

TOCKUS 'TALK'

Tockholes Village Newsletter

WELCOME....

Welcome to the September edition of the Tockus Talk.

Please don't forget to visit the pop-up cafe on 7th September to enjoy a lovely choice of sandwiches and homemade cakes.

CPR training for the defibrillator organised by the Royal Arms has been arranged on a range of dates. Please see the link in the Village Hall Group section below and the poster on page 4 if you would like to book.

Please continue to encourage people to sign up by reminding them to email tockustalk@outlook.com to receive a copy. If you know anyone unable to access a copy, please let us know or print a copy for them.

PARISH COUNCIL.....

If you have any issues that you would like to bring to the attention of the PC, please contact myself or any Parish Councillor.

I am intending to retire as parish clerk therefore we will be seeking a new clerk as soon as possible.

Please see the attachment, which will also be displayed in the village notice boards.

Glynn Woon (Chair) Alan Robins (Vice Chair) George Swanton Chris Tobin Jane Whittam Geraldine Walmsley, Clerk.

The next two meetings of the Parish Council will be held on:

Monday 2nd September Monday 18th November

Both meetings will be held in the village hall commencing at 6.30 pm.

Clerk: Geraldine Walmsley 01254 701441 / 07518122144 email geraldine.walmsley@outlook.com

Tockholes Village Hall Diary

Tuesday 3rd - Pilates am
Tuesday 3rd - Garden Club 7pm
Wednesday 4th - Tai Chi - 10am - 11am
Thursday 5th - Pilates pm
Friday 9th - Cookstars - 9:30 - 11am

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Tuesday 10th - Pilates am Wednesday 11th - Tai Chi -10 - 11am Thursday 12th - Craft & Chat - 10:30am - 12 Thursday 12th - Pilates pm

Tuesday 17th - Pilates am Tuesday 17th - W.I. - 7:15pm Wednesday 18th - Tai Chi - 10 - 11am Thursday 19th - Pilates pm

Tuesday 24th - Pilates am Wednesday 25th - Tai Chi - 10am - 11am Thursday 26th - Pilates pm Thursday 26th - Craft & Chat - 10:30am - 12

To book the Village Hall contact Chris on 07889 105969



www.facebook.com/tockholes



VILLAGE HALL GROUP....

<u>Everybody welcome at the next meeting</u> Please come along to the next Village Group Meeting at 7pm on Monday 9th September. The organisation of Xmas events will be discussed so come along and have your say or if you can't be there send your views through the contact form on the Tockholes Village website.

The new website is now in place Tockholes Village.co.uk providing information on upcoming events, local groups, a calendar for the use of the Village Hall and contact details which include an automated form for submitting your questions and suggestions.

Book now to be sure of tickets for the band Iron Bell -the music of Pink Floyd Sat 26th October a <u>fundraiser for the Village Hall and Xmas celebrations</u>.

Iron Bell Tickets 29th

https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/booking/t-geovkp

First Aid Form and link for CPR Training

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=4OkuN-CcM0CmSsBwc6kezcFbbWUVT6pLrOhghWShTLRUODZNSEo2NFM4U1oxSTVXT05HT1A3OUtWRS4u

Scrooge Tickets

https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/booking/t-mayxgg

For Village Hall events or bookings, please contact the booking secretary Chris Tobin on 07889 105969
If you have any item of news, comments or advertising you would like to appear in the next issue, please contact Linda Kennish and
Pat Willis - email: tockustalk@outlook.com

TOCKHOLES AND DISTRICT GARDEN CLUB....

Hello everyone and welcome to the first news letter following the summer break.

It has been an incredibly mixed growing season with just about every kind of weather thrown at us. There have been amazing results with most of my trees shrubs and flowers and disaster with all my vegetables. I hope you have had bette results than me.

We also had mixed weather at the BBQ which this year was held at Judith's lovely house and garden. We all had a memorable afternoon and the food was delicious. Thanks to all who provided additional salads and sweets.

The next meeting is on Tuesday 3 September at 7.30 in the village hall. Debbie from Ewood Flowers will be giving a display and we will be expected to get involved. Please bring a pair of scissors and we will provide the rest including refreshments for the entry fee of £3 members and £4 others, Everyone is welcome.

l look forward to seeing you all for a fun evening. Joan.

Any queries please call or email me. joan.foxx@btinternet.com

01254 771756/ 07926 078769

BOOK CLUB....

Last months book was Tina Turner's Autobiography

Most of the group enjoyed Tina Turner's book and we scored it 7 overall. We all learnt something about Tina Turner that we weren't aware of and everyone was impressed with her strength to escape the abusive relationship with her first husband lke even though it meant walking away with nothing.

It was good to read that after a becoming very successful she remarried and shared a happy and contented life with her second husband Erwin in Switzerland.

This months book is The Lost Man by Jane Harper.

Next months meeting is 10th September 2019

New members welcome please contact Judith Finney on 07969 633997.



ST. STEPHEN'S....



St Stephen's Church

Parish Priest The Reverend Nicholas Davis

01254 701360 Parish website

www.stcuthbertwithststephen.org

Services are held on the first, third and fifth Sundays of the month at 9.15am, unless otherwise announced. Every-one is welcome, with coffee and juice served after the service, so why not stay and have a chat?

Please contact Father Nick to arrange weddings, baptisms, funerals and other occasional services.

UNITED REFORMED CHURCH....



Sunday Services at 2.00 pm. Every Week

1st Sunday in the Month:

Family Friendly Service

3rd Sunday in the Month:

Communion Service

Sunday September 8th will be the Harvest Service @ 2pm Conducted by Mr. Derek Estill, General Assembly Moderator. Fruit & Flowers will be accept during the service. We give a warm welcome & look forward to seeing you @ this Service.

Saturday the church will be open between 2 & 4pm for the decorating & to receive gifts of fruit & flowers.

Everybody welcome. Play area available. Available for weddings & baptisms





VILLAGE HALL NEWS....



Tai Chi classes Tockholes Village Hall Wednesday Mornings 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. £4.00

Beginners Welcome

If you are interested in 30 minutes of gentle exercise to help with joint flexibility and balance our warm-up is ideal

£2.00 Contact: Lyn 704424 or Judith 771367





PILATES...

Jackie Garner from Zest Pilates currently holds classes on Tuesday mornings and Thursday evenings in the Village Hall. These are currently fully booked but if anyone is interested on classes on other days, please contact her on 07756 032913 to discuss.

POP-UP CAFE DATES FOR 2019....



Pop-up Cafe - St Stephen's

Our volunteers are busy searching their recipe books for more delightful varieties of cakes to delight our customers for the last two events in 2019

Our opening dates for 2019 are:

Saturday 7th September Saturday 5th October



We are open from 11am to 3pm

We look forward to welcoming friends old and new in 2019.

TOCKHOLES CHATTY CRAFT GROUP....

The group meets every 2nd and 4th Thursday each month, from 9:30am till 12 noon.

If you enjoy a natter, a brew and want to share your interests of knitting, jewellery, cross stitch, crochet or whatever, you are very welcome to join us at TOCKHOLES VILLAGE HALL



COOK STARS...

Thank you to everyone who attended our Around the World Summer workshops! We made everything from Spring rolls to Strawberry Mille Fiuelle and the children were brilliant.

Lots of parents commented that the recipes were delicious and relatively easy so the children could get really involved in the making and tasting! If you have and children/Grandchildren/Nieces /nephews who are 2-11, look out for details of our Halloween workshop coming soon!

Contact details Carrie-Ann: 07765 235 497

Email: carrieann@cookstars.co.uk

https://cook-stars-rossendale-and-blackburn.class4kids.co.uk/

WI - WOMEN'S INSTITUTE...



We are taking a short break for the summer and shall meet again at the Village Hall on Tuesday 17th September. We look forward to seeing you then as we go into the autumn after what we hope is a good few weeks of decent summer weather.

If any ladies would like to come along and see what else we get up to, our next meeting is at 7.15pm in the Village Hall on Tuesday 17th September.

VILLAGE HALL FUTURE EVENTS







COUNCILLOR ADVICE SURGERIES....

Councillor Advice Surgeries in Tockholes

Surgeries are being held at the Rock Inn, Tockholes Road on the following dates and times:

Saturday October 19th (2019) 12 - 1pm

Saturday January 18th (2020) 12 - 1pm

Saturday April 18th (2020) 12 - 1pm

Please don't hesitate to go along if you wish to see the councillors about any Council related issue, policy or if you have any queries or problems.

All welcome - no appointment necessary.

Alternatively, please contact the councillors directly: Cllr Stephanie Brookfield, 3 Haldane Road, Darwen stephanie.brookfield@blackburn.gov.uk Tel: 07795 087 577

Cllr Dave Smith, 18b Woodbank Avenue, Darwen david.smith@blackburn.gov.uk Tel: 01254 773470

Cllr Brian Taylor, 22 Sunnyhurst Lane, Darwen brian.taylor@blackburn.gov.uk 01254 702204

Darwen West Ward Councillors - working for you all tear round

AND FINALLY....

We would like to thank all the groups who send in their information each month so that we can keep you up to date on events.

Please feedback to tockustalk@outlook.com with comments on the newsletter and send us any articles or items for inclusion in next month's issue by the 15th of the month so that we can provide timely information in the next edition.

And don't forget all we need is an email to tockustalk@outlook.com which states that you give consent for use of your email address for receipt of Tockus Talk and other relevant information if you wish to receive your electronic copy. Many thanks from Pat Willis and Linda Kennish.