



**Service of Light - Sunday 1st December
St John's Lockerley at 6.00 pm**

Please join us as we prepare for the coming Christmas season with a service of Advent readings, hymns and anthems led by the choir. The service begins in darkness and the light is gradually spread through the church as the candles are lit. (If you need more light it would be advisable to bring a small torch.) The church will be warm and the service will last no more than an hour!

**Friends of Bentley Wood Christmas Party
Thursday 5th December at 7.30pm**

Held at Grimstead Reading Room. Good food, wine and company; Margaret Baskerville presents 'Past Times in Bentley Wood'.

**Lockerley Primary School Christmas Fair
Friday 6th December 3.30 - 5.30pm**

Grand raffle and hamper raffle, tombola, children's games and crafts, face painting, produce stall, refreshments and someone special reading a story. Everyone in the community is welcome to come and join us for a fun afternoon.

Over 60's Lunch Club

Sunday 8th December. Please arrive at 12.15pm for 12.30pm at Lockerley and East Dean War Memorial Hall. Call 340159 for details.

Carol Concert at St Peter's Church West Tytherley 18 December 2019, 6pm

We are offering a fabulous concert opportunity for you to enjoy the wonderful and immensely talented Soprano voices of Jacqueline Foan and Poppy Neame who will perform alongside the newly formed West Tytherley School Choir and we are proud to be hosting this event in our very own West Tytherley Church. They will be performing popular Christmas songs and carols, and you will be invited to join in with some numbers, so bring along those singing voices. Drinks and

mince pies can be purchased during the interval. Tickets are limited and available from the School / Shop / Nikki_p58@hotmail.com Tickets £7.50 and £2 for children under 12 years. Under 5s go Free.

Bumblefly Theatre with Forest Forge Little Red Riding Hood

The Deep Dark Wood is a place of mystery. The path will guide you safely through but beyond the path is where the magic begins.....Join the travelling players in their next adventure! King Edwards Hall, West Tytherley on Tuesday 24th December 1:30 Adults £12 - Children £6 Tickets from Cynthia 342432 cmsherlock@hotmail.co.uk, West Tytherley School 340338 and Village shop 340313

Lockerley Garden Club AGM

This will be held on January 23rd 2020 in Lockerley Memorial Hall at 7.30pm. The speaker will be Ben Cross on the subject of "British Alstromerias." There will be drinks and finger food available.

All welcome

Lockerley Safari Supper - Saturday 25th January 2020

We really hope you can join us as the new organisers of the Safari Supper in what has always proved to be a great evening! For those of you unfamiliar with the event, it involves visiting a home for your starter and then another home for your main course – being welcomed by the host and other guests – the identity of the host/guests is only revealed once you arrive at each venue! Dessert and coffee is served for all at the Village Hall at the end of the evening! We are also looking for people to host either a starter or a main course, please let us know if you are interested. Cost:- £15 per person/£5 per host. Raising money for Perlins Community Project. <https://www.perlinscommunityproject.co.uk/> Please book your places by 16th December! Contact: Ant Davidson and James McIntyre Brown (Mac) Email: lockerleysafari@gmail.com Tel: 01794 340032

Donations welcome for a sponsored walk of 25 km around Stockbridge, raising funds for 3 local veterinary clinics, Mainstone Romsey, Southern Counties Veterinary Services Ringwood, VetsNow at Mildmay Winchester. All these supported my dog Roo who was diagnosed with canine auto-immune disease in 2016 and died last year aged 4 1/2. Details and donations: https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/julia-brigdale?utm_term=y3DpkDZbr or contact Julia Brigdale 07929 219 334. Thank you.

Lockerley Oilbuying Group

If you would like to take part in the group check out the entry on the Lockerley website at <http://www.lockerley.org.uk/social-groups/oilbuying/oilbuying-info>. It's easy and it will cost you nothing. If you think you have been forgotten by oilbuying then do recall that your email program may be treating messages from oilbuying as spam or junk. How you "teach" your email program not to do this depends on the email program you use but it may be as simple as looking in the junk or spam folder and moving the message into your in-box. Any other problems please email oilbuying.

Marilyn and Nigel Hind would like to thank all those who took part and supported the Village Quiz in November. The proceeds of £530 have been split between village hall funds and Jane Scarth House, Romsey.

200 Club Winners

The winners for October were

Mrs Rosie Tugwell £20

Ms Caroline Bowyer £20.

This popular village draw is organised for the Memorial Hall by Carole Woolley, Willingale House, Butts Green, Lockerley (Tel:01794 340867) or E-mail roywoolley@btinternet.com

A big thank you to all those members who steadfastly pay their subs by standing order. It helps so much. Thank you to all members.

Your contributions help our Hall considerably.

Now is the time for existing members, and NEW members, to join for 2020. The annual cost is still £12 and a projected total prize fund for the year of £800 in 34 prizes: Every month except June & December 2x£20, 1x£50 in June & December, an extra 2x£25 each quarter end and a pre-Christmas bonus of 4x£25 in

November. However, the prize pot DOES depend on membership numbers. All members or couples may have more than one entry. Everyone must be over 16. All profit goes to the Memorial Hall funds. Please let Carole have your subscription by 31st January at the very latest if you want to be in the January draw. Cheques are better than cash, or best of all, STANDING ORDERS which must be at your bank before January 1st and ring Carole - or send an e-mail - right now for a form and your number. Cheques should be written to "Lockerley & East Dean Memorial Hall" and posted or delivered to the above address which is behind Richmond at the Dunbridge corner of the Green. Please try and help to make Carole's job that much easier. It is a very big task for one person. In 2019, 2018 and 2017, we had our full complement of 200 members, but we have had removals during the year. *We need new entrants and more standing orders PLEASE - so as to get more done to the Village Hall.* Good luck to everyone. I am required to tell you that your details are held on my computer and available upon request – but you probably realise this!

Lockerley School Governor

We are currently looking for a Governor to join our friendly and experienced team at Lockerley Primary School. Governing Body meetings generally take place outside of school hours, however having the flexibility to occasionally be in school during the day would be beneficial. The Governing body aim to meet three times a term. The role is enjoyable, engaging, challenging and rewarding, offering you an opportunity to meet and work with varied individuals of different skills, training courses to help you develop as a governor, a unique opportunity to take on a strategic role which will help to shape the education of young people. If you are interested in applying for the role please call the school on 01794 340485.

Broughton announces a new volunteer-run **Community Shop**, with Post Office and Coffee Shop. Opening Monday 2nd December 2019
Opening Hours : Monday – Friday: 8.00am - 5.30pm, Saturday: 8.30am - 12.30pm, Sunday: 9.30am – 12.30pm

Thorngate Village Care Group

If you need support, help, or transport in the Lockerley/East Dean, East or West Tytherley area please call Fiona 341098, Peggy 340084 Julie 340850 or Liz 340993

Welcome folder copies may be obtained from:

Lockerley : Bob Stileman 01794 340452

East Dean: Tony 341228, East Tytherley, Rob Scoones 341269 West Tytherley : Julie Neilson 340850

Lockerley Baptist Church

Our Sunday Morning Worship is at 10.30am.

The 4C 's Coffee Stop is held on the third Wednesday of each month 10am to 1pm

You are also invited to a coffee morning on Saturday 7th December 10am to 12 noon.

Our Carol Service will be held on Sunday 16 December at 3pm. Come and sing your favourite carols and stay for tea. A warm welcome to everyone at any of these events.

For further information please phone Brian or Marion on 01794 340695.

All contributions for future editions of The Newsletter should be sent to newsletter@lockerley.org.uk or, if by hand, to Caroline McClintock, The Old Vicarage, Lockerley by 12 noon on the 15th of the preceding month.

DIARY OF EVENTS

Visit the website www.lockerley.org.uk for up to date diary and news entries.

Date	Time	What	Where	Information
Sun 1 st Dec	6.00pm	Service of Light	St John's Lockerley	
Thurs 5 th Dec	7.30pm	FOBW Christmas Party	Grimstead Reading Room	Myra 341308
Fri 6 th Dec	3.30pm	Christmas Fair	Lockerley School	Mrs Black 340485
Sun 8 th Dec	12.15pm	Over 60's Lunch Club	Lockerley Memorial Hall	340159
Wed 18 th Dec	6pm	Carol Concert	West Tytherley Church	School and Shop
Tues 24 th Dec	1.30pm	Little Red Riding Hood	King Edwards Hall	Cynthia 342432
Looking Ahead				
Thurs 23 rd Jan	7.30pm	Garden Club AGM	Lockerley Memorial Hall	
Sat 25 th Jan		Safari super	Various	lockerleysafari@gmail.com

Allotments available in Houghton – please email erobgas@aol.com for details