



 **Lockerley Walking Group – walks**

1 : Saturday 2nd April - *note the change of date* - Meet at Lockerley village hall to co-ordinate transport to Broughton school. The walk will lunch at the Five Bells Nether Wallop. Overall it's about 13km and easy going. Contact Dot 017 94 34 10 20.

2 : A leisurely 5 mile walk with a few stiles on Monday 18 April. We will be walking in the Lockerley and East Tytherley area and through woodland at times. Meet at 1000 at Lockerley Memorial Hall on Butts Green. For further details please contact Di Buttfield on 017 94 34 13 42.

 **FairTrade - Coffee Morning**

Saturday 30th April 0930 to 1230 at Cyclops Cottage, Lockerley Green. Bring your friends or family along for a coffee and a chance to browse and try on some summer fashions (ladies/men and children) and buy crafts, toys, foods and snacks knowing that you are making a difference to small producers and farmers in developing countries. Adult entrance £1 and raffle proceeds to Lockerley church. All sales profits to Traidcraft.

Further details please call Andy or Liz Holton 017 94 34 09 93

 **Star Book Club - read all about it!**

The inaugural meeting of the Star Book Club was very well attended. The group agreed the list of books for the next few months. You can read the full list at www.star-inn.co.uk/activities/book-club or www.lockerley.org.uk/groups. The group will meet next on Monday 11th April at 1830 (meetings every second Monday of the month) and it welcomes all new comers.

11th April meeting - Jonathan Livingstone Seagull by Richard Bach,

9th May meeting - Ferney by James Long,

13th June meeting - Fingersmith by Sarah Waters,

11th July meeting -The Long Song by Andrea Levy

 **Garden Club**

The organised visit to Chiff Chaffs on Saturday April 16th has been cancelled. If you would like to go privately, they are open on Weds, Thurs and 1st Sun in the month. Proposed new date for organised visit is Wed Aug 3rd. Further details – Jill Edwards – 017 94 34 02 09.

 **Lockerley and East Dean WI**

26th April at 1400 Lockerley Memorial Hall: The Singer Family- Dr D Parrott.

 **Norman Court - Wedding Fayre**

Sunday 10th April 2011. 1100 until 1600 - free entry. Come and enjoy a complimentary glass of bubbly and a selection of scrumptious canapes.

Meet the suppliers in a relaxed environment. Sample some treats. Be inspired! We have carefully selected friendly, experienced professionals to help you create your special day. Lots of goodies on offer, mini makeovers and a fashion show at midday. Refreshments available throughout the day.

 **Bluebell and Cream Tea Walks**

There are two opportunities to walk in Lockerley's lovely bluebell woods and have a cream tea afterwards. The first is on Saturday 30th April at 1400 starting and finishing at Harvesters, Top Green, Derek and Barbara Needham's house. The second walk, organised by Awbridge evening WI is on the following day, Sunday 1st May, starting from Critchells Green at 1400 and returning to Lockerley Memorial Hall for the tea.

Both walks are about 5 miles long. The cost £5 includes the tea and both are in aid of Brain Tumour Research UK and Marie Curie Cancer Care respectively. If you plan to come please phone Barbara and Derek (017 94 34 06 06) for Saturday's walk or Yvonne Goodridge for the Sunday walk (34 06 03) - we don't want to run out of scones and cream!

 **East Tytherley parish council**

East Tytherley Parish Council Annual General Meeting will be held on the 12th May at 1830 at the church. Parish Council elections are being held on the 5th May. If you are interested in becoming a councillor, the Test Valley Borough Councillor's Returning Officer must receive nominations by noon on the 4th April.

 **Mid Thorngate Society**

The West Tytherley service men killed in world wars I and II with Colonel Robin Garrett on Wednesday 20th April, King Edward's Hall, West Tytherley, 1945. Cost £2.00 to include refreshments. All are welcome.

 **Royal Wedding Mugs**

China commemorative mugs to celebrate the Royal Wedding on April 29th will be given to the children (4 to 14 yrs) of Lockerley and East Dean parishes. Please collect your mug(s) from the Parish Room (next to the Old Vicarage driveway) on Good Friday, April 22nd, between 0900 and 1630. If you cannot come then, please let the McClintocks (017 94 34 09 02) or the Bowyers (017 94 34 06 40) know if you want one reserved. Spare mugs will subsequently be sold at £4 each on a first come first served basis.

 **Lent Lunches**

Come for a soup, bread and cheese lunch on Saturdays in Lent between 1200 and 1400. Donations to UNICEF are asked for- no set amount! The money goes into a 'Jar of Grace' which UNICEF use to provide lifesaving supplies to ensure children have access to clean water, medical care, adequate nutrition, protection and education. This year the focus is on Guyana in South America. Each week the lunch is in a different home.

2 April	Tudor House East Dean (Tony and Nicky Bell)
9 April	64 Red Lane, West Tytherley (John and Jo Guy- 017 94 34 09 46) and The Old Vicarage, Lockerley (Bill and Caroline Mc Clintock- 017 94 34 09 02)
16 April	Cyclops Cottage, Lockerley Green (Andy and Liz Holton- 017 94 34 09 93)

Garden Club - Annual Plant Sale

Will be held at Little Dean Saturday May 14th. 1000 - 1200 (on Lockerley Green, opposite the shop). Contributions of plants etc. in pots/containers **clearly labelled please**. Some plants can be taken in advance – Details from Dot Mornington-West 017 94 34 10 20 or Elizabeth Heap 017 94 34 04 43.

Great Dixter - Garden Club trip

East Sussex is on Sat June 18th. Seats still available open to all. Details from Jill Edwards 017 94 34 02 09.

200 Club winners for February 2011

Mr Terry Cole £20

Mr John Spicer £20.

We are pleased to have achieved 180 members.

West Tytherley Fete

Saturday 18th June 1230 to 1600. This family fun day will have all the old favourites as well as some fantastic new events making it a great day out for the whole family. If you would like further information or can spare any time to get involved please contact either Shona Blackmore <shona.paul@btinternet.com> or Lucilla Carr <lucillacarr@btinternet>.

Caring families for international students

Interstudies, a Cambridge based educational organization, is seeking to add an international dimension to the local community through provision of an exchange programme for foreign students in the UK. Students come from all over the world to experience everyday British life, living with a host family and attending local schools alongside British students.

The idea of student exchanges originated in the US after the Second World War, where student exchange programmes were encouraged in order to increase understanding and tolerance between cultures as well as improving the participants language skills and broadening their horizons. Anyone can apply to join the programme.

The most important criteria for a host family is that they have a warm and welcoming home, and a genuine desire to welcome a foreign student into their family and, of course, an extra room! Families receive a monthly fee to compensate for the cost of an extra family member. If you are interesting in becoming a host family please visit www.interstudies.com or call Nicola French, on 017 94 34 17 18.

Safari supper

In support of Lockerley School PTA and Piggy Bank Fund on Saturday 14th May. Tickets £12.50 per person, £5 per person for hosting couples. If you would like tickets or would be interested in hosting a starter or main course please contact Collette Biggs 017 94 34 08 56 or Claire Ward 34 18 89.

Village care group

AGM will be held at 1930 in the Parish Room Lockerley on Monday 9th May. Everyone is welcome and, if you think you would like to become a volunteer for the occasional driving job, please come along and find out more about us, or ring Jo Guy on 017 94 34 09 46 for more information.

East Tytherley Country Fayre

Saturday June 11th 12noon. Book and bric-a-brac stall. Any unwanted books or items - especially soft toys - in a reasonable condition for sale can be cleared away and sold at the Fayre. Please ring 017 94 34 21 21 to arrange drop off/ collection (sorry but no clothing).

The Broughton Pre-School

Annual jumble sale Saturday 2nd April 1400 to 1700 Broughton Village Hall, entrance 50p. We are taking donations of jumble (clothes, shoes, bedding), bric-a-brac, toys and books on Friday 1st April 1800 to 2000 and Saturday 2nd April 0900 to 1300 at Broughton village hall. For any earlier donations of jumble please call Ginny Sherriff on 017 94 38 81 02. We are raising money for the utilities and rent of the building for Broughton Pre-School to ensure high quality early years education for local children under 5 years of age.

Coffee for Comic Relief

On Saturday 12th March, we held a coffee and cake sale at Nutshell Cottage in West Tytherley in aid of Comic Relief. We raised £138.12! A big thank you from Ella Carr and Isabella Goulding to everyone who came to support us.

Thank you ...

Joyce Collins would like to thank West Tytherley members of the Care Group for transporting her to and from hospital whilst her husband was a patient and she was poorly herself.

Mobile Police Office

will be at the Lockerley coffee shop on Thursday 21 April. Please continue to report crime and suspicious incidents. This should be done through the control room via the 101 or 0845 045 45 45 number (unless a real emergency in which case use 999). This will mean that full details will be recorded immediately and any lines of enquiry will be actioned at the appropriate time.

Macmillan Cancer Support

invites you to don your walking boots and join in this year's 100th birthday celebrations. The charity has adopted the Wayfarer's Walk, a 70 mile trail that runs through stunning countryside from Inkpen in Berkshire to Emsworth in Hampshire.

Walkers can register on the website www.wayfarerswalk.org.uk and receive a package of discount vouchers plus a wealth of information about the walk, including a variety of maps and route details. They can then complete part or all of the walk, at their own pace and in their own time. People without access to a computer can register via the charity's Hampshire office at Crown Chambers, South Street, Andover SP10 2BN, telephone 012 64 34 38 13.

There will be various associated activities along the route such as painting days, circular walks and a children's activity.

Macmillan is also hoping that businesses and organisations along or near the route will hold a fund-raiser of their own such as a fun day, a concert or a sporting event, a raffle, taking a collection tin or joining in the Biggest Coffee Morning in the World. The charity relies on donations for 99% of its income so please do whatever you can to help.

LOCKERLEY BAPTIST CHURCH

A warm welcome to everyone

Sunday services

1030 : Morning worship. 1830 : Evening worship

Tuesday – 2nd in the month

1930 : Prayer meeting and Bible study

Wednesday – last in the month 1030 : Coffee morning

Call 017 94 34 06 95 for more details

THORNGATE CARE GROUP

If you need any help, including transport, call:

Jo 017 94 34 09 46

Rosemary 017 94 34 01 33

Patsy 017 94 34 20 99

Peggy 017 94 34 00 84

Jean 017 94 34 03 10

Patsy 017 94 34 20 99

THE WELCOME FOLDER

Lockerley : Margaret Coward 017 94 34 06 52

Bob Stileman 017 94 34 04 52

East Dean : Tony Bell 017 94 34 12 28

East Tytherley : Helen Chick 017 94 34 07 42

West Tytherley : Sue Clayton 019 80 86 21 31

April happenings

when	time	organiser	where	some more information and contacts
Fri 1 Apr	0930 - 1230	Walking group	meet at Lockerley village hall	Morning walk organized by David and Bobbie Smith 017 94 34 22 74.
Sat 2 Apr	1000 - 1630	Walking group	meet at Lockerley village hall	Day walk organized by Dot and Allen Mornington-West - 017 94 34 10 20. Meet at the village hall to co-ordinate transport to the start - Broughton school. Note changed date
Sat 2 Apr	1400 - 1700	Broughton pre school	Broughton village hall	Jumble sale.
Sun 10 Apr	1230 - 1430	Over 60s lunch group	Lockerley village hall	Over 60s lunch
Sun 10 Apr	1100 - 1600	Norman Court	Norman Court	Wedding fayre
Mon 11 Apr	1900 - 2300	West Tytherley	West Tytherley Village hall	Meeting to discuss affordable homes in King Edwards
Mon 11 Apr	1830 - 2300	Star book club	Star Inn	Discuss Jonathan Seagull by Richard Bach. Open to all comers - just come in.
Tue 12 Apr	various	Mobile Library	various	Typically Lockerley Green 0930 - 1200
Sat 16 Apr	1800 - 2200	Awbridge evening WI	Awbridge village hall	Jumble sale.
Sun 17 Apr	1630 - 2230	Classic Cars	Star Inn	Classic car rally
Mon 18 Apr	0930 - 1230	Walking group	meet at Lockerley village hall	Morning walk organized by Ed and Di Buttfield contact 017 94 34 13 42.
Tue 19 Apr	2000 - 2300	Folk at the Star	Star Inn	If you play anything acoustic bring it and join in. Sometimes there are dots to follow! Any skill level.
Wed 20 Apr	1945 - 2300	Mid Thorngate	King Edwards hall	Service men killed in WWII.
Thu 21 Apr	0900 - 1300	Mobile Police service	Lockerley village hall	In attendance at Lockerley coffee shop
Fri 22 Apr	0900 - 1630	Mug collection	parish Rooms	Mug collection
Sat 23 May	1000 - 1530	Garden Club	Chiff Chaffs	Garden visit - check date this is provisional
Tue 26 Apr	various	Mobile Library	various	Typically Lockerley Green 0930 - 1200
Tue 26 Apr	1400 - 1630	Lockerley and East Dean WI	Lockerley village hall	A meeting - The Singer family (used to own the Norman Court estate after Barings)
Fri 29 Apr	1200 - 2330	Lockerley	Lockerley Green	Street party re royle wedding
Sat 30 Apr	1400 - 1630	Walking group	Harvesters	Fundraising walk and cream tea organized by Derek and Barbara Needham 017 94 34 06 06.
Sat 30 Apr	1000 - 1230	TraidCraft	Cyclops Cottage	Coffee morning for TraidCraft





United Benefice of Lockerley, East Dean, East Tytherley and West Tytherley

This year, Easter Day is on Sunday 24th April. Before then we continue with a Lent Course and Lent Lunches – please try to get along to some of these, even if you missed them in March! Here are the Lent Course Details:

	Sat 10-1130am at Lockerley Vicarage Learning with Refreshments	Weds 7pm at East Dean Learning with a Service
Sat 2 April	The Word of God – explore the place of Scripture in worship	
Wed 6 April		Marriage
Sat 9 April	Beyond Words – look at the way music, architecture and the senses contribute to worship	
Wed 13 April		Funerals
Sat 16 April	What's Missing? – Filling the gaps in our knowledge and experience	

Easter Day starts at Dawn (well just before – 5.30am in West Tytherley). The Service, which includes a bonfire, will end with a champagne breakfast – definitely a great way to start the celebration. Before then, on Good Friday, the 3-hour Vigil (Noon to 3pm at East Tytherley) remembers the time that Christ spent on the cross – come for some, or all of that. There is also a service of hymns and readings at 6pm in Lockerley.

	Lockerley	East dean	West Tytherley	East Tytherley
3 Apr	1030 Mothering Sunday Eucharist	1030 matins (BCP)	0800 Communion (BCP)	0900 Eucharist (CW)
10 Apr	1030 Eucharist	1800 Evensong (BCP)	0900 Communion (BCP)	
17 Apr	0800 Communion (BCP)	0900 Communion (BCP)	0900 Morning Prayer	1030 Eucharist (CW)
18 – 21 Apr	Mon 18 April 1900 Holy Week Eucharist	Tue 19 April 1900 Eucharist	Wed 20 April 1900 Holy Week Eucharist	Thu 21 April 1900 Last Supper Eucharist
22 Apr	1800 Cross of Christ service	1200 – 1500 vigil		
24 Apr	1030 Family Eucharist	0900 Communion (BCP)	0530 Dawn Eucharist	1030 Eucharist

Notes: BCP – Traditional services from the Book of Common Prayer : CW – Modern language services from Common Worship

There are mid-week Communion Services every Wednesday in Lockerley at 0900 and 1900 at East Dean.

The churches are open every day for prayer and quiet reflection.

Church contacts		Items for the next Newsletter to be sent or given to:
Vicar: Rev James Pitkin, The Vicarage, The Street, Lockerley SO51 0JF Tel: 017 94- 34 06 35 e-mail jamespitkin@priest.com Associate priest : Revd Nick Flood 017 94 32 37 31 Reader: John Niblett 017 94 34 05 87		Joanne Nash joannenash@mhcltd.net and, also for web content and photos: admin@lockerley.org.uk Allen Mornington-West -017 94 34 10 20 <i>By 12 Noon Latest, 15 April 2011</i>
Churchwardens		
Lockerley Sally Masters 017 94-34 02 15 Hilary Thompson 017 94 34 14 624	East Dean Kate Clark 017 94- 51 41 83 Trevor Rawlings 017 94-34 11 07	
West Tytherley Tommy Grieves 019 80-86 22 07 John Coggan 017 94 34 02 24	East Tytherley Jane Munro 017 94 34	