



Winster Village Magazine

Distributed free to homes in Winster
40p for non-residents

August 2008

ELECTRICITY OFF MON 28 JULY 9AM–5PM

Most of the village will be without electricity.

Winster Village shop will be OPEN at 7.30 am until the lights go off at 9.00 so you can get your papers and other essentials. There will be no bread delivery that day. The shop will be closed for the rest of the day.

Winster Post Office will not be open at all.

- Fridges & Freezers—turn up high 12 hours beforehand and minimise opening the doors.
- Switch off sensitive appliances like computers, DVD players, TVs, satellite receivers.
- Telephones—cordless will not work so keep a corded telephone or mobile handy
- Central heating & hot water—unlikely to work
- Gas fires & gas hobs—should be OK
- Make a flask for hot drinks

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WINSTER DIARY

Key to Venues:

*BI=Burton Institute, JR=Jubilee Room, CH=Church, MH=Market House, MS=Miners Standard, BG=Bowling Green, PO=Post Office PF=Playing Fields
SD =South Darley Village Hall, WMC=Winster Methodist Chapel
WR=Wensley Reading Room EVH=Elton Village Hall*

Thur	24	Jul		*	Winster Village Shop Assoc. AGM 8pm	BI
Mon	18	Aug			MAGAZINE COPY DATE	
Mon	15	Sep		*	Magazine AGM 8pm	JR

** Further info elsewhere in the Magazine*

This diary (with extra details of events in future months) also appears on the Winster Website at **www.winster.org**

To add an event to the diary, email the details to diary@winster.org or hand in a note to the Post Office.

Village Mag AGM

*8.00pm Jubilee Room
Monday 15 September 2008*

*Love it or loathe it—come along and let
the committee know!*

The mobile police station will be in The mobile police unit will be in Winster EVERY WEEK on a Thursday between 9.00 and 10.00 AM.

Citizen Advice Bureau visits Winster Surgery 2nd Thursday of every month

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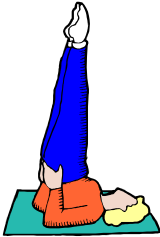
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Answers to Puzzle Page—see page 17

Roland, James, George, Dean, Ryan, Ian, Percy, Andrew.



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SECOND YEAR

**THE TWO CLASSES ARE CONTINUING IN
SEPTEMBER BUT.....
PLEASE BOOK YOUR PLACE AS SOON AS POSSI-
BLE TO MAKE SURE THE CLASSES WILL TAKE
PLACE**

BEGINNING WHEN Tuesday 16 September

NUMBER OF CLASSES 12

TIME 6.30PM AND 8.00PM

WHERE Burton Institute

FOR WHOM MEN AND WOMEN

COST £50 term, £25 half term

Marg Lester 650090

RING VERY SOON TO MAKE IT EASY FOR ME

THANKS

Anything information wrong? Let me know on mag@winster.org.

Tel 650480 or leave a note at the Post office.

Complaints are passed onto the Village Mag Committee for action.

WINSTER CALENDAR AND CHRISTMAS CARDS

The calendar group are looking for sponsors for each month of the calendar and the Christmas cards.

Local businesses are being approached, but it would be good to have individuals being sponsors, in memory of someone, or for any reason. If you would be interested please telephone Marg Lester 650090 or Lynne Armitt 650 187.

Calendar months are £100 and cards £2000.

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO LOCAL GROUPS

HELP WANTED FOR AN HOUR A WEEK

For the last 18 months I've been emptying the plastic recycling bin beside the shop, packing up the contents and taking them to Sainsbury's for recycling. Now, because of my house move out of the village (yes, I know, how could we?) I won't be able to continue with this beyond the end of July.

So, is there anyone out there with an hour a week to spare to take this on? It's been hugely successful enterprise: as a village we've sent easily 150kg of plastic wrapping off for recycling and it would be a real pity to see it come to an end.

All you need is an hour a week to collect, sort and pack the plastic tightly into cardboard boxes (kindly supplied by John Wood). The sorting and packing is ideal in-front-of-telly activity. You also need to be able to get the boxes down to Sainsbury's.

If interested in this wholly worthwhile activity, phone Jo on 650530

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WINSTER NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Despite extensive publicity the attendance at the open meeting on 25 June in the Burton Institute was very disappointing. However the small gathering was enlightened by Sgt. Andy Wordsworth and P.C. Sandra Whetton from Bakewell Police on the new Community Policing Strategy. This would involve some re-organisation of responsibilities and will be completed by October.

Points raised from the floor about the strategy and other concerns were dealt with. Traffic and parking issues in the village remain a prime priority with no easy solution other than current traffic regulations being enforced.

Winsters was fortunate in being in an area of little crime and since February only one offence, involving car damage, had been REPORTED. Unfortunately only days after the above meeting, a vehicle parked in Main Street incurred a broken side window in an attempted theft of contents.

Residents are reminded of the attendance at the Market House of the mobile police station between 9.00 and 10.00 each Thursday. In addition to the 999 telephone number for emergency calls, other numbers are as follows:

Non – emergency Derbyshire Constabulary

0845 123 33 33

East Midland Crime Stoppers

0800 555 111

The above numbers may be called anonymously.

Any resident who is not a member of Neighbourhood Watch and would like to join please contact Brian Long (650780) or Jack Hession 650535).

Jack Hession Brian Long

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An example of the latest scam email reads:

"Your debit/cash card might receive a refund worth £289.40 as a result of points accumulated through online payments. Please submit the reward request immediately and allow us 2 - 3 business days in order to process it and the money clear into your account."

Another email scam requests that people carry out "customer data verification" and asks them to login via a link on the page.

Derbyshire County Council's cabinet member for community safety Clive Moesby said: "There are lots of scams circulating at any one time and they are getting more and more sophisticated. "If you receive an e-mail similar to these do not respond and do not click on the link. By opening or viewing a preview of the email, or by clicking on the link within the email, your computer may download things that can be harmful. Our advice is to delete the email immediately or forward it onto trading standards."

If you are concerned about something you have received on line or think you have been a victim of a scam you can call Consumer Direct on 08454 040506 or visit www.consumerdirect.gov.uk (opens in a new window).

You can forward any suspicious emails to scams@oft.gsi.gov.uk.

Do you use an old version of Microsoft Word or Office?

If, like me, you are quite happy to stick with an old version of a software program, it can be a real pain when new versions come out and people start sending you files that your old version cannot handle.

Microsoft's Office 2007 uses new file formats - a Word 2007 document will be in "docx" rather than "doc" format, for example. But help is at hand: there is a free converter pack to solve the problem - a file that you run once, and from then onwards your old version will be able to convert the new formats. See the Links page at www.winstor.org for details of how to get the file.

John Geddes

Shop Development Feedback

A positive and informative discussion on July 14th produced a plan of action for the improvement of the shop front. The shop will be painted a shade of sage over the coming weeks to improve the appearance over the summer. An awning to the front, fruit and veg rack, electric safety blinds, removal of the bars, hanging baskets, tables and chairs and signage are all being priced and investigated – any help with this would be appreciated (contact Oona on 040 or John on 549). We aim to have at least one proposal on display in the shop by early September.

The questions at the meeting were many and various; it was a good chance for people to ask members of the Board about funding, layout, the building work, roofing the blockwork and the post office move. Thank you to those who came for the frank discussion

The Shop Development Group will continue to work through the suggestions made at the May meeting and work with the new Trading Committee – the next meeting will be in early

VILLAGE FUNDRAISING EVENT

We don't have a pot of gold for the frontage revamp
please put October 11th in YOUR diary

Shop Annual General Meeting takes places
Thursday 24 July
8.00pm at the Burton Institute.

Cut out and keep

Winster Shop Deliveries

- Milk and Bread every day Monday to Saturday
- Fruit and Veg mainly Tuesdays and Fridays but we top up any time during the week.
- Fresh cream and Yoghurts Friday.
- Sausages, bacon and ham as required but again usually Tuesdays and Fridays.
- Critchlows meat pies, sausage rolls and pasties come Thursdays.
- Wrights from Stoke pies & filled rolls Satur-

Winster vegetable plots are now coming into full production so if you have a surplus do please donate your produce to the shop. If you can let us know what you have available a day or two in advance it helps us to avoid ordering the same.

We will have a Winster grown Veg and Fruit section for our customers.

Wrights are a 'local' Stoke family firm with an excellent range of freshly made products. They come pre-packed for us to help with display and shelf life, do try them.

Fresh meats for BBQ's etc. We will be stocking fresh burgers, lamb chops, pork chops etc over the next few weeks particularly when the weather is good. They are locally supplied and good quality. If you are having a party we can pre-order for you.

Meanwhile work is continuing on the new service area which we hope to have in full use by the end of August.

Steve Flitter.

GARDENING NOTES

I went to Rome on June 8th this year and had a wonderful holiday but I shall never go away in summer again. The garden looked superb when I arrived home. The roses were wonderful, the mock orange in full flower and the clematis were in flower, giving the impression of Nature run wild. But the weeds had also taken hold. Now that the redcurrants, white currants and blackcurrants have been pruned, I feel a bit more in control.

Prune the wisteria as soon as possible, keeping the long growth for Christmas wreaths. They go a beautiful golden colour and can be easily trained into circles.

Look out for slugs and caterpillars on calabrese, winter cabbage and seedlings.

If you like growing lilies, I had a tip for growing them. Collect green bracken, cut it up finely and place in a plastic bag with drainage holes. Fill up the bag and tie securely and it will soon rot down and is a marvellous soil improver to mix with compost for growing lilies.

If you grow the regal lily (*lilium regale*), remember it likes a bit of shelter from the wind. Try growing it next to southernwood or *Artemisia* Ladbrook silver. Both these semi-shrubs will provide protection from wind and winter frosts.

If you like growing Madonna lilies, August is the month for planting. These lilies differ from their relatives in that they are shallow planted with the 'nose' just above the surface. They like humus and plenty of grit. Remember slugs when planting lilies, mixing pellets in the compost.

POULTRY NOTES

The mother hen has done a fine job rearing her eight chicks. I am letting her out, under supervision, so that the young can have plenty of exercise.

Remember all poultry must have plenty of grit. Grit acts as the hen's teeth and so aids digestion. The grit is stored in the gizzard and must be replenished frequently. I try to supplement the layers' mash with washed potato peelings mixed into the mash. I also cut up bacon rinds to add. Nothing in my kitchen gets wasted!

E.B.

Notes from Alun Thomas

My time in Walton Hospital

For the last seven weeks I have been at Speedwell Rehabilitation Unit, at the mercy of our local NHS Trust and its staff. I have to tell you that it has been a very revealing and rewarding experience. The nursing staff have been excellent, dealing with their patients with compassion and humour. The food has been very acceptable, and the cleanliness of the rooms has been exemplary. My treatment has been at the hands of physio- and occupational therapists, who have been very professional. I have undergone a great deal of often quite painful manipulation of my left arm and leg by the head physio, whose understanding of anatomy is of a very high level. He has given me back my shoulder and much of the use of my elbow. The puny muscles of my arm are beginning to regain their strength, but there will be months of work to come at home with community therapists from Bakewell. I had a high opinion of the NHS before my stroke arrived, and now it is higher still.

Winster – what a place to live!

There are so many thankyou's I need to give, for so many cards, and a great many visits. How can I ever repay friends and neighbours who have done washing and ironing, gardening, driven me around, and have shopped to bring me in all kinds of things to make life more pleasant. Then there are the people who kept me so well in touch with the Look Sharp weekend, bringing in the Sharp actor to visit me, and showing me pictures on lap-tops and cameras, so that I almost feel that I was there. And finally to two groups of people who are jointly making a very

Internet users wanting to look up the definition of a word can make use of one of the less well-known features of the Google search system. Simply type "Define: " and the word (or phrase) that interests you, and Google will return one or more definitions from online dictionaries (often with links to online information). So typing in "Define: trouser role" will inform you that it means "a role in which an actress appears in male clothes".

Another useful tool on the Google page is to click image on the top left corner. Great for when you need pictures of flowers for say the water saving event at Secret Gardens.

WINSTER WAKES CARNIVAL 2008

The Wakes Carnival Committee would like to say a big 'Thank You' to everyone who played a part in making this year's Wakes a great success. We don't send out individual letters, but rest assured that *everyone* is appreciated for what they do.

We've had our feedback meeting and noted some things we need to organise a bit better, but people have been very complimentary and enthusiastic, so we're sure we're doing most things right.

It was good to see the new events doing so well - the Storytelling Cafe, which over thirty people came to, and the Cream Teas and Dance Display at school, where pupils were able to show off the skills they had learned from the Cecil Sharp Centenary three weeks earlier.

The traditional events did well, too, such as the Pet Show, with the abandoned baby deer Bambi carrying off 'Best in Show', and the Hill Race, under the new management of Allan Stone, which was run in a great spirit and produced some thrilling finishes by Winster runners.

Special mention should go to Winster Night. We on the Committee see this as pivotal to the success of the whole of Wakes, since we need a big event to go with the Family and Rock Night to make best use of our marquee. Also, Winster Night is one of the most typically 'village events', in which people show an amazing willingness to let their hair down. Well, this year's show was, by all accounts, a huge success. It seems that even the most reluctant performers were prepared to have a go. For instance, did *you* spot Roy Witham in the 'Flabba' lineup? So don't forget, start thinking up your own act for next year!

Well done Winster.



Photograph by John Cook

CHRIS'S CAFÉ

A great big "scrumptious" thank you to everyone who made such wonderful cakes for Carnival Day. Also a big thanks to the many hard-working people who helped on the day.

The Café was very successful and the monies raised will split between local charities.

Thanks everyone and hope to see you next year.

Chris

Winster Hill Race

The Hill race this year was once again very popular with runners and spectators alike.

70 competitors took part and results are as follows:

1- Josh Moody 25mins 02sec.
2-Ian Phillips
3-Richard Snowden

Winster adults

1-Chris Wheeldon 27 mins 44sec.
2-Julian Grant
3-Simon Percival

Winster Juniors

1-Ben Harrison 31 mins 54 sec.
2-Jack Harrison
3-Henry Dronfield

Thanks to all who took part and helped in the organisation of the race.
Next year we could do with more local female entrants to challenge the men.

Fancy Dress

What a fantastic turnout this year and an abundance of pairs, triples and groups so we may split this into 2 categories next year.

Just a reminder that it is fairer if you just enter one category, be it individual , group or float.

Thanks to all who made such an effort and to our marvellous judges.

Clive and Anthea

Wanted upright piano

our 11 year old niece would like to have lessons
but they need a piano

please call if you know someone wanting to pass theirs on?
650 040

Church Services—John Marshall

Every Sunday Parish Communion at 9.30am

Winsters Methodist Church

27 July 2.30pm Rev A. Dawson

Please see noticeboard for August services

Puzzle Page

Joyce Fletcher

Hidden in the following sentences are eight male names.

Enrol and volunteer for the army the large poster stated.

I like jam especially strawberry.

"You pay for the damage or get out," snarled the landlord.

I've put potatoes, carrots, swede and peas in this vegetable stew.

My parents were very angry and threatened to report the robbery.

The cookery teacher told me coriander was the best herb to use.

"Super cycle you've got there," said Anita looking at the shiny machine.

"Switch off those plugs and rewire them, they're dangerous."

Do take care.

More next month. Joyce.

For answers please see page 4

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