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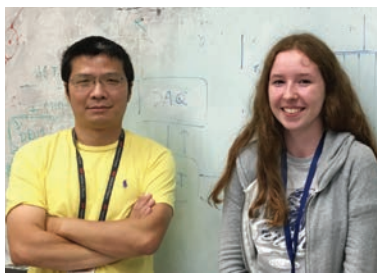
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New look for Nene Valley News

Stop the press, Nene Valley News has a new look. From this issue the paper will be printed at a standard tabloid size. We will still bring you the latest news and events every fortnight but on a slightly smaller page size. We hope you all enjoy the new look, and if you would like to send us your thoughts you can email news@nenevalleynews.co.uk

Kids' Nearly New Sale and Craft Fair in Raunds

Rainbow Craft Events have been holding successful monthly Craft & Vintage Fairs at the Working Men's Club in Higham Ferrers during the Farmers' Markets on the last Saturday of each month. This month will be the first of a new type of event – a Kids' Nearly New Sale and Craft Fair. It will be held at Saxon Hall, Thorpe Street, Raunds NN9 6LT on Saturday 15th October 1-4pm.

Fly tipping frustration in East Northants

Investigations by East Northamptonshire Council (ENC) resulted in two fly tippers being fined hundreds in court this month.

On 5th September, Richard Johnson of Stanwick was found guilty of fly tipping in Midland Road, Rushden.

ENC's waste team found rubbish scattered along the street in February 2016, with evidence pointing to Mr Johnson who had allowed it

to fall from an unsecured skip.

Mr Johnson had the chance to pay a fixed penalty notice for the offence, but declined, so was ordered to pay nearly £500 at Northampton Magistrates' Court instead.

The next day Corby's Laura Ramaj was ordered to

pay over £700 after she was found guilty of fly tipping in the north of the district.

In February 2016, ENC officers found household waste and furniture dumped on the Gretton Brook Road in Deene.

Evidence led to Ms Ramaj, who was contacted by the

waste team to find out how the material came to be left at the location.

Ms Ramaj failed to return the request for information, committing a further offence, and was formally prosecuted by Northampton Magistrates' Court on 6th September.

Leader of ENC, Steven North, is concerned that people still think it's acceptable to fly tip in East Northamptonshire and beyond. "Fly tipping is completely unnecessary and costs us all," he said.

"Not only does it blight

our district, items left on the roadside could contain any number of unknown hazards to passing vehicles, pedestrians or animals.

"Our waste team works tirelessly to ensure any incidents are dealt with as quickly and efficiently as possible, but it is frustrating that their time and taxpayers' money is having to be spent clearing up other people's mess.

"We hope the recent increase in on-the-spot fines will help further reduce fly tipping."

You can help in the fight against flytipping by reporting any offences online at www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/flytipping or by calling 01832 742026.

To get rid of unwanted waste responsibly, please visit one of Northamptonshire County Council's Household Waste Recycling Centres, or visit www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/bulkywaste to find out about ENC's bulky waste collection service.



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Editor's notes

We have a little longer than usual on British Summer Time, or Daylight Saving Time, this year since we don't change the clocks until the last Sunday in the month, when we revert to Greenwich Mean Time, and that's not until 30th October.

This year is notable with regards to the clock-changing process because it's 100 years since the system was introduced. A man called William Willett, a builder, first introduced the idea of British Summer Time in 1907 because he wanted to prevent people from wasting valuable hours of light during summer mornings. He proposed that the clocks should be advanced by 80 minutes in four incremental steps during April and reversed the same way during September. Willett then spent the rest of his life trying to convince people that his scheme was a good one; sadly, he died of flu in 1915 at the age of 58, just a year before Germany adopted his clock-changing plan on 30th April 1916. Britain followed suit a month later on 21st May. We can only wonder at the problems caused by the change in the middle of the Great War.

The advent of autumn is perhaps being resisted by a low-key Indian Summer but there is a very definite chill in the air at the end of the day. In the garden, it's time to get the more delicate plants under cover if they are to have a chance of surviving

the early frosts. Then there needs to be a more concerted effort to tidy the gardens and the allotments generally and mow the lawn, although there seems to be a constant need to keep grass under control almost throughout the winter. There's more to do about the house, too; particularly ensuring that gutters remain free after the last fall of leaves and making sure that outside lighting is functioning properly.

This time of the year sees a procession of 'remembrance' events beginning with Halloween, which it seems originated in Ireland as a festival to mark the end of the harvest rather than (as popular belief would have it) the USA – though there is no doubt that the latter has been responsible for popularising the date, with a range of activities which now seem to be incorporated into each child's growing up.

Next comes bonfire night, to celebrate the failure of Guy Fawkes and his team, then Armistice Day on 11th November, and then Christmas itself. The more cynical can but wonder at how each of these has become more and more commercialised, with more and more inventive ways of getting us to part with our money. Nonetheless, there is much to look forward to at this back-end of the year and of course once we are into January the days begin to lengthen again and we can look forward to the spring.

Genealogy jottings

Many of us rely upon births, marriages and deaths to help us map out the lives of our ancestors. But there is another area that can also throw up some interesting information: divorces.

In England prior to the 20th century, divorce was by and large only for adultery or desertion for a period of seven years or more. However, this was really only available to men and, because of the high cost and the rules surrounding it, bigamy was more common than one might think. As you can imagine, obtaining a divorce was not always easy and was still very expensive but remained the status quo until 1923. A Private Members' Bill, which became part of the Matrimonial Causes Act, made adultery by either husband or wife the sole grounds for divorce, which meant that the wife no longer had to prove additional reasons against her husband, but both spouses still had to prove the adultery.

A further amendment to the Matrimonial Causes Act came along in 1937 when, in addition to adultery, grounds could also be cruelty, desertion and incurable insanity. As before, each allegation needed to be proved. Also, at this time, Parliament introduced a bar to divorcing in the first three years of marriage.

By Jan Pearson

Genealogy Specialists, Tracing Our Past, Discovering Our Genes (TOP DOG)
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My Gran divorced her first husband back in 1926, one of the first women in England to have done so. I have a copy of her divorce papers, which I obtained from the National Archives (TNA) where Divorce Case Files from 1858 to 1937 may be seen in department/code J77. It shows the name of the person (Dorothy) with whom her first husband (Arthur) committed adultery and also states that Arthur and Dorothy lived together from October 1924. Now, Gran and Arthur only married in the September of the previous year, so that shows how shortlived the marriage was. The papers also provide addresses for everyone, details that I would not have known had I not seen the records.

It is possible to undertake an online search for divorce records at the National Archives Discovery website: <http://discovery.nationalarchives.gov.uk/> There you will be able to search the catalogue by name of petitioner, respondent or co-respondent for divorce suits in England and Wales, both successful and unsuccessful, in J 77.

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The Project provides a complete approach to tackling the problems people have in meeting their fuel bills through the provision of debt, welfare benefits, housing and energy advice including access to grants, discounts and energy efficiency measures.

The service is available in Northampton, Wellingborough and East Northamptonshire and is for all energy supplier customers and not just those with British Gas. Advisors are working in partnership with Community Mental Health Teams and promoting referrals from GP practices and other health services. Outreach services

are available in a number of health settings including GP practices.

Sarah Hayle, Advice Services Manager said: "Anyone with health problems who is worried about affording their energy bills in the winter ahead can get in touch to see if we can help. Our service goes beyond simply giving energy advice and helps people to deal with the range of financial problems they often face and helps with debt management."

"People are often missing out on benefit income and grants and there are a number of ways to help reduce the cost of fuel bills. We would like to see more GP practices engaging with the Project as the services have proved to be of significant benefits to patients with 83% of people we have helped reporting an improvement in their health and wellbeing."

To date the Project has helped over 2,200 people to

better afford their fuel costs through assistance with the management of over

£2.5 million debt and the securing of over £4.2 million of additional income.

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Make time for tea

'Time for Tea' is Arthritis Care's tea party to mark World Arthritis Day on Wednesday 12th October. What better way to highlight the issue of isolation amongst people with arthritis than to hold a great big tea party across the UK.

The Rushden and Higham branch of Arthritis Care invites you to join them by bringing together your family, friends, neighbours and colleagues to make time for tea and have fun (whilst raising

much-needed funds to support the amazing services of Arthritis Care UK). The tea party will take place at St Peter's Catholic Church Hall, Higham Road, Rushden from 2pm and entrance of £2 includes tea and a piece of cake. Various stalls and a raffle will be held which will include a 'Bring 'n' Buy'.

Arthritis is the biggest cause of pain and physical disability in the United Kingdom. Arthritis means inflammation of the joints and most with the condition will experience

pain and difficulty moving around. Sixty-five per cent of people with arthritis have difficulty making a cup of tea when pain is at its most severe. There are around 10 million people with arthritis and 15,000 of those are children and young people. It is not clear what causes arthritis

and there is no cure at present but there is plenty that can be done to help sufferers manage their condition and lead a full and active life. Further information can be obtained from the website www.arthritiscare.org.uk or from the free telephone helpline 0808 800 4050.

The Rushden & Higham branch meets on the second Monday of each month at St Peter's Catholic Church Hall and the contact telephone number for membership is 01933 357429.

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Volunteer action celebrates 21 years supporting the local community

Local charity Volunteer Action is celebrating 21 years supporting Oundle, Thrapston and 45 surrounding villages this year. Offering a community car scheme, a befriending service and an enhanced referral service, Volunteer Action provides a range of support to older people and those with other vulnerabilities to reduce isolation.

A dedicated team of almost 120 volunteers, co-ordinated from the Oundle office, supports around 800 members. John & Margaret Melhuish were recognised at the recent 21st birthday party for their 20 years volunteering service. A bouquet of flowers and a bottle of wine were presented by long-standing Chair of Trustees, Val Chesser – also a much appreciated volunteer. Pins celebrating volunteers who have been driving or befriending for 5, 10 and 15 years were also awarded.

An evening event sponsored and hosted by Oundle School was attended by The Lord Lieutenant of Northamptonshire, the mayors of Oundle and Thrapston, donors and supporters.

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From the ENC Chairman

VA (full name Volunteer Action – Driving for the Community), based in Oundle and linked to SERVE, provides a car service, by volunteer drivers, for people with no access to other transport. This could be door to door travel for medical appointments or other activities. VA also operates a befriending service. VA is a registered charity, the Trustees live in Oundle. Having served as East Northamptonshire Council's observer for relations with VA for many years, I know VA to be a very competent and dedicated organisation.

On 30th September, VA celebrated its 21st anniversary and I was a guest at the reception at the SciTec (Science & Technical) Building, Oundle School – who sponsored the event. The guest of honour was David Laing, Her Majesty's Lord Lieutenant of Northamptonshire. This marked the esteem in which VA is justly held for its outstanding work for our communities.

On 5th October I was the guest of the Chairman of the Governors, Julian Tregoning, and the Head, Sarah Kerr-Dineen, of Oundle School at the official opening of Oundle School's completed SciTec facilities. These comprise extensive science learning opportunities of considerable value to education in a very modern and environmentally-friendly

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*Rupert Reichhold
Cllr & Chairman, ENC*



Tastes of India in Rushden

A quiet square in Rushden, off Grangeway adjacent to the Viking pub, is becoming the town's takeaway centre. With a Chinese and a fish and chip shop already located there, now a new Indian takeaway has been added at number 165. Raaja's Grill, specialising in grilled food, opened recently, and we were lucky enough to have a preview of what's on offer along with the town's Mayor.

The food is excellent, with the accent on healthy eating and fresh preparation of local ingredients where possible. The Rajaa's team have considerable experience in the trade, having run another outlet in Bedford and on behalf of the new Rushden venture Javed Akhtar said their specialist chefs are eager to showcase their talent. So get down to Grangeway and try it.

Let there be lights!

Oundle Tennis Club is thrilled to announce that it has successfully secured a £20,000 grant to install new floodlights to two of the five courts at the club.

Thanks to the generosity of the Augean Community Fund, following a positive recommendation from the Kings Cliffe and Thornhaugh Environmental Association, the club will be able to replace floodlights that had been removed last winter after 30 years of use.

The club will install LED lights this November just as the nights are drawing in to ensure year-round play. Oundle Tennis Club has been working within the local community to bring tennis to

a wider range of people and this grant will allow them to continue this outreach programme offering five floodlit courts for all to enjoy seven days a week from 9am to 9.30pm.

The grant monies and club funds together mean that the club is able to install higher quality lights and the new LED lights will offer a better pattern of light, lower energy costs and will reduce light pollution in the local residential area.

The Committee and members of Oundle Tennis Club would like to extend their thanks to Augean PLC and the Kings Cliffe and Thornhaugh Environmental Associations for their continued investment in local community facilities.

November valuation events

Some special antiques and collectables valuation events will be taking place soon in your area. The experts of Lockdales Auctioneers will be providing free valuations on Tuesday 1st November, 10.30am to 2.30pm at The Bridge Hotel, Bridge Street, Thrapston, Northamptonshire NN14 4JP (free car parking subject to availability).

Wednesday 2nd November, 10.30am to 2.30pm at Stilton Memorial Hall, North Street, Stilton, Peterborough, Cambridgeshire PE7 3RP.

Thursday 3rd November, 10.30am to 2.30pm at Fletton House, Fletton Way, Oundle, Peterborough, Cambridgeshire PE8 4JA (free car parking subject to availability at rear).

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Notice is given that the following applications have been received together with the last date for making representations:

Ashton
16/01813/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Installation of Modular Wall system acoustic fence to a height of 3.3m at the existing residential curtilage of the property to reduce the excessive noise pollution experienced from the A605 at Oundle roundabout. Replacement of the existing wooden fence at 8 Laxton Drive Oundle

Barnwell
16/01820/VAR (29/10/2016) (Art8) Variation of condition 4 Plans pursuant to application 14/00675/OUT Outline: Redevelopment to provide a mixed use scheme to include improved marina facilities, residential moorings, permanent floating accommodation (C3), 2 x pub / restaurant (A3 / A4), retail (A1), business accommodation (B1), workshop units (B2), holiday accommodation (C3), boatyard, boat clubhouse, parking and associated infrastructure (all matters reserved) dated 24.07.14 at Oundle Marina Village Barnwell Road Oundle PE8 5PB

Benefield
16/01828/FUL and 16/01830/LBC (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) (LBRegs) Formation of new pedestrian gateway and pedestrian access at Middle Farm House Main Street Upper Benefield PE8 5AN

Brigstock
16/01777/LBC (29/10/2016) (LBRegs) Create opening between front and rear sitting rooms at 7 Church Street Brigstock NN14 3EX

Chelveston-cum-Caldecott
16/01783/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) New extraction system (air handling) for kitchen area at The Star And Garter The Green Chelveston NN9 6AJ

Duddington With Fineshade
16/01852/FUL and 16/01853/LBC (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) (LBRegs) Alterations and rebuilding of existing wall and new gates and gate piers at The Manor High Street Duddington PE9 3QE

Easton-on-the-Hill
16/01833/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) To construct 9 dwellings with a mix of semi-detached and terraced properties on an area of land to the rear of Nos 25, 27, 29 & 31 Westfields and to the rear of 26, 28, 30 & 32 Western Avenue. The site was last used as a residential garden within the curtilage of 32 Western Avenue. An access road would be created between 29 & 31 Westfields to adoptable standards, with private / shared driveways further into the site together

with visitor parking bays at land rear of 28 30 and 32 Western Avenue Easton On The Hill

Fotheringhay
16/01784/FUL (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) Raising height of chimney to be compliant with current regulation regards the safe operation of a multi-fuel flue in a thatched property at 14 Main Street Fotheringhay
16/01787/LBC (29/10/2016) (LBRegs) Raising height of chimney to be compliant with current regulation regards the safe operation of a multi-fuel flue in a thatched property and associated works at 14 Main Street Fotheringhay Peterborough PE8 5HZ

Glaphthorn
16/01734/OUT (22/10/2016) (Info) Outline: Erection of up to four dwellings (resubmission of 16/00621/OUT) (All matters reserved) at Land Rear of 3 Main Street Glaphthorn

Irthlingborough
16/01802/VAR (29/10/2016) (Art8) Variation of Condition 17 on Planning Application 15/01191/ FUL: The applicant wishes the retail store to trade normally on bank holidays, and would like reference to public holidays in relation to the retail store to be omitted. So that the condition reads as follows: The hours of opening of the retail store shall be restricted to the following times: Monday-Saturday 0800-2200hrs, Sunday 10-1600hrs. The hours of opening of the day care centre shall be restricted to the following times: Monday-Saturday 0700-1800hrs and shall not open on Sundays and Public Holidays at Nene Business Park Diamond Way Irthlingborough

Islip
16/00818/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Installation of dropped kerb and driveway to property at 53 Kettering Road Islip NN14 3JT

Kings Cliffe
16/01870/FUL (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) Replacement of existing painted timber windows in like for like appearance with new sealed double glazed units at 21 West Street Kings Cliffe PE8 6XB

Lutton
16/01670/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Rear single storey extension to dwelling at The Elms Oundle Road Lutton PE8 5ND

Nassington
16/00875/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Enclose existing porch and replace door at 1 Prebendal Close Nassington PE8
16/01838/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Proposed external alterations and addition of external covered entrance canopy at Cricket Pavilion

Fotheringhay Road Nassington
16/01893/FUL (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) New detached dwelling at 38A Church Street Nassington PE8 6QG

Oundle
16/01729/LBC (29/10/2016) (LBRegs) Restore front door to number 11 Benefield Road, from the window which replaced the original front door at Cherry Orchard Yard 11-17 Benefield Road Oundle
16/01750/FUL (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) Erection of first floor extension to front elevation over existing garage, a two storey side extension and conversion of existing double garage to habitable room at 5 St Anns Court Oundle PE8 4DS
16/01768/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Change of use (retrospective) of (C3) domestic garage to (D2) Yoga studio at The Old Hospital Wood Lane Oundle PE8 5TP
16/01801/LBC (29/10/2016) (LBRegs) Internal refurbishment, alterations to internal partitions, replacement of external doors, new access from passageway and alterations to rear boundary wall at 56 North Street Oundle PE8 4AL
16/01823/LBC (29/10/2016) (LBRegs) (LB/CA) Forming a Disability Discrimination Act compliant access into an interview room in Banking Hall at Barclays Bank New Street Oundle PE8 4EA
16/01824/FUL (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) Proposed boundary wall alterations at 8 Drumming Well Lane Oundle PE8 4AA
16/01837/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Erection of two storey front and side extension, single storey rear extension and partial garage conversion at 1 Seymour Place Oundle PE8 4QB
16/01844/LBC (29/10/2016) (LBRegs) Removal of unstable chimney at rear of property at 8 Stoke Hill Oundle PE8 4BH
16/01851/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) First and second floor extension on top of existing single storey rear extension at 6 Rock Road Oundle PE8 4LL
16/01896/LBC (29/10/2016) (LBRegs) Installation of new condensing boiler with new external balanced flue to the rear of the property at 12 North Street Oundle PE8 4AL

Raunds
16/01761/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) To install wheelchair friendly access ramp with handrails at 9 Spencer Street Raunds NN9 6JS
16/01794/REM (29/10/2016) (Art8) (Info) Reserved matters: construction of hotel with access and car parking pursuant to planning permission 11/00700/OUT dated 22.3.12 Demolition of existing buildings and development of employment park with A3/4/5, B1b and c, B8,C1, D1, and D2 uses at land off

A45 London Road Raunds NN9 6EG
16/01827/OUT (22/10/2016) (Info) Outline: Erection of five detached residential dwellings (all matters reserved) at land between Brook Farm and Edgemere Brooks Road

Raunds
16/01845/OUT (22/10/2016) (Info) Erection of two additional dwellings - All matters reserved. At Crossways 1 Chelveston Road Raunds NN9 6DA
16/01881/ADV (22/10/2016) (Info) Fascia sign and opening times board at 42 Brook Street Raunds NN9 6LP

Rushden
16/01758/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) To replace use of Garage to a Beauty Therapy Room, to remove the up and over garage door and replace with double glazed window and personal door - Brickwork built around window and door with bricks to match existing brickwork at 86 Coltsfoot Road Rushden NN10
16/01774/OUT (22/10/2016) (Info) Outline application: Erection of single storey dwelling (all matters reserved except access) at 55 Rushmere Way Rushden NN10 6YB
16/01790/VAR (22/10/2016) (Info) Variation of condition 3 - to add PV panels to Plot 2 pursuant to planning permission 16/01270/REM dated 17.8.16 Reserved matters - layout, scale and appearance of dwelling and the landscaping of site pursuant to planning permission 15/02264/ OUT dated 18.2.16 - Three/Four bedroom 1.5 storey detached dwelling - Plot 2 at The Croft Alexandra Road Rushden
16/01797/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Demolition of existing side, rear and Garage extension, new single storey rear and side extension at 36 Manor Road Rushden NN10 9EY
16/01842/OUT (22/10/2016) (Info) Outline: Two semi detached dwellings with off road parking and garden land (all matters reserved except access) at 109 Newton Road Rushden NN10 0HJ

Stanwick
16/01856/VAR (22/10/2016) (Info) Removal of condition 1 on application EN/99/00682/RTN to allow the tennis court facility to be retained in perpetuity at 4 Marks Close Stanwick NN9 6UB

Thorpe Achurch
16/01821/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Single storey side extension, incorporating existing wall. Resubmission of 15/02045/FUL at Thorpe Castle House Aldwincle Road Thorpe Waterville NN14 3ED

Thrapston
16/01668/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Single storey link between rear of dwelling and existing outbuilding; First floor front extension;

Demolition of storage shed at 141 Huntingdon Road Thrapston NN14

Titchmarsh
16/01786/REM (22/10/2016) (Info) Reserved matters - Approval of the details of the access, siting, scale and appearance of the dwelling and the landscaping of the site pursuant to planning permission 15/00635/OUT dated 9th October 2015 - Outline: One dwelling in the grounds (all matters reserved) at 35 Polopit Titchmarsh NN14 3DL
16/01800/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Replacement doors and windows at 27 St Andrews Lane Titchmarsh
16/01841/FUL (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) Installation of new oil tank and to construct a concrete base at 26 North Street Titchmarsh NN14 3DH

Woodford
16/01765/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Single storey extension to the rear, partial loft conversion with dormers and refurbishment of existing dwelling at Pump House Addington Road Woodford NN14 4ES
16/01819/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Double storey rear extension at 25 Mill Road Woodford NN14 4HH

Woodnewton
16/01717/FUL (29/10/2016) (LB/CA) Demolition of existing single storey side attached garage/utility room and front lobby. Erection of two storey side extension (comprising garage,workshop,utility room and master bedroom with ensuite and balcony terrace) a new front lobby and single storey rear extension(forming kitchen/dining/living space) at 69 Main Street Woodnewton PE8
16/01810/FUL (22/10/2016) (Info) Erection of a single storey side extension and a first floor extension above the garage and hall, with a single storey extension to the front of the dwelling to increase the size of the existing garage and hall at 1 St Marys Close Woodnewton PE8 5EQ

The reason for applications being advertised is as follows:
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LBRegs – Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990.
Paul Bland, Head Of Planning Services Dated 8 October 2016

Consultation deadlines will differ for each application. Please go to www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/planningapplications for details.

National Adoption Week: 17th–23rd October

Anyone interested in finding out more about adoption is invited to an information evening, to be held on Wednesday 19th October, from 6.15pm to 8.30pm, at Borough Hall in Bedford.

In 2015, Bedford Borough Council placed 12 children and young people with adoptive families. However, there are still a significant number who are looking for adoptive parents. In fact, 18 children and babies in Bedford Borough are currently waiting to be adopted.

Bedford Borough Council also has sibling groups waiting for permanent homes.

National Adoption Week will aim to

encompass all aspects of adoption, to demystify and clarify the adoption process, reflect the challenges of adoptive parenting, share individual



stories, showcase and signpost to best practice and invite anyone whose life or heart is touched by it.

Cllr Shan Hunt, Portfolio Holder for Children's Social Care at Bedford

Borough Council, said: “If anyone over 21 could provide a child with a loving home, we would be keen to have a chat with them to outline the support we offer every step of the way. Prospective adoptive parents simply need to provide love, time and lifetime commitment to a child.”

An Adoptive Parent, who has been through the process with Bedford Borough Council, said: “We already have a biological child of our own and always wanted a second biological child, but it just didn’t happen, so we went down the adoption route. I looked into it and went to an open evening at the Council and then just took it from there. When

our child moved in with us in February this year, it literally brought ‘life’ to our home; he is such a character and he has made our family feel complete. There are challenges in becoming an adoptive parent, but when the child actually moves in, and you watch them thrive, it gives you a huge sense of joy.”

If you are interested in finding out more about adoption, please get in touch with the Adoption Team on 01234 718718 or email adoptionandfoster@bedford.gov.uk Follow Adoption Week on twitter at #SupportAdoption.

Old Oundelians commemorated at Somme

Since 1st September 2014 Oundle School staff and pupils have gathered in the Cloisters on the 100th Anniversary of the death of every Old Oundelian (former pupil) killed during WW1, to remember the sacrifice they made on our behalf.

Over the weekend of 24th-26th September, the School's Combined Cadet Force (CCF) continued the theme of Remembrance, taking the whole Fourth Form (Year 10) and the CCF Marching Band to the Somme battlefields.

The Battle of the Somme was fought from 1st July to 19th November 1916 at an almost unimaginable cost in human lives. Five Old Oundelians (OOs) lost their lives on 1st July and a further 27 made the ultimate sacrifice during the battle. Many are buried in cemeteries on the Somme and 17 are remembered on the Thiepval Memorial. Overall more than 420,000 British soldiers were casualties of the battle.

Two hundred and forty-three cadets and 42 members of staff left Oundle on Saturday morning, in 20 different vehicles, aiming for the lunchtime ferry from Dover.

Commander of the School's Combined Cadet Force, Major

Andrew Mansergh, Royal Marines commented: "Separated from their phones and the internet for the weekend, the sound of cheerful voices and card games quickly rose in the minibuses as children discovered how much fun it was to be children just 10 years ago."

After a smooth crossing the convoy headed northeast into Belgium aiming for the city of Ypres, where the CCF Band would play in the daily Last Post ceremony. As the sun set the band formed up and marched under the arch of the Menin Gate, halting at the western entrance in front of a crowd of more than 3,000 people.

After the Last Post was sounded, Cadet Sergeant Thea Smith (17) marched to the centre of the Menin Gate, and in front of a silent crowd that included her parents, faultlessly recited words of Laurence Binyon's poem, 'For the Fallen'.

Andrew added: "It was a performance of calm assurance

that will stay with Thea for years to come. As the wreath laying started the band played 'Nimrod', 'Abide with Me', and 'The Day Thou Gavest', transforming a sombre ceremony into a moving and memorable occasion."

After an evening journey and a night in two hostels in Albert and Amiens, the group set off in different directions, visiting battlefield sites, memorials and cemeteries across the Somme Battlefields. Two ceremonies marked the most sombre and moving moments of the trip. The first occurred in 17 different cemeteries between Serre and Mametz, where each group laid a wreath on the grave of an OO. Their citation was read and during the silence many pondered the similarities between their time



at Oundle and that of the OOs: games of rugby for the 1st XV, plays, choirs and a place at a good university. But for 100

years it could have been them lying beneath the headstones.

At the end of the day the group gathered again at the Thiepval Memorial, the largest British War Memorial anywhere in the world, with 72,000 names upon it. With the cadets and the band forming a hollow square between the memorial and the cemetery, and a Drumhead altar built by the Corps of Drums at the centre, cadets

gathered to remember all 256 OOs killed in WW1.

Andrew concluded: "Once again it was the presence of the CCF Marching Band that transformed the experience for all. It was a moving ceremony and a scene of tranquil beauty which none who were there will forget."

The pupils were accompanied by Oundle Head, Sarah Kerr-Dineen, who found the trip "unforgettable".

The group returned to Calais via Vimy Ridge, the site of successful Canadian attack in 1917, during which many of the lessons of the Somme were employed. It was a positive but sombre end to an emotional and memorable weekend.



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STAR Oundle pupil at the cutting edge

Over the summer, Oundle School pupil Rebecca Siddall (16) enjoyed a placement at Brookhaven National Laboratory, a multipurpose 5,000 acre research institution funded primarily by the US Department of Energy's Office of Science.

Rebecca said: "I originally met my Brookhaven mentor at the 2011 Rutherford Centennial Conference at Manchester University. Dr Aihong Tang – a world expert on antimatter physics – delivered a lecture about how he and his team had recently detected the first ever antihelium-4 nuclei. This was a historic discovery, achieved despite both the rarity of antihelium and the large amount of data needed to identify it. Over the next few years we stayed in touch, and this summer Dr Tang suggested I apply to Brookhaven for the High School Research Program."

Located on Long Island, New York, Brookhaven brings world-class facilities and expertise to the most exciting and important questions in basic and applied science – from the birth of our universe to the sustainable energy technology of tomorrow. At Brookhaven, scientists operate cutting-edge large-scale facilities for studies in physics, chemistry, biology, medicine, applied science, and a wide range of advanced technologies. The Laboratory's

almost 3,000 scientists, engineers, and support staff are joined each year by more than 4,000 visiting researchers from around the world. Its award-winning history stretches back to 1947, as its staff continue to unravel mysteries from the nanoscale to the cosmic scale, and everything in between.

In July, Rebecca joined Dr Tang's team at STAR, the solenoidal tracker at Brookhaven. This plays a crucial part in particle detection for the Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider, Brookhaven's particle accelerator. Following ten days' tuition by STAR's computer programmer, Dr Hongwei Ke, Rebecca was introduced to ROOT: a computer sub-language shared with Europe's Large Hadron Collider. Her main role was to help streamline the collision data processing used by 400 physicists globally who belong to the STAR collaboration.

Rebecca said: "Nothing can prepare you for your first encounter with STAR. Although it resembles a cross between Stargate and the spacecraft in Alien, those two are just science fiction: STAR is science fact. Each and every component is engineered for one aim: to explore the fabric of reality by tearing open its subatomic building blocks, revealing what has previously – often since the birth of the universe – been undetectable, and therefore undiscoverable. Yet what I also discovered throughout my placement is that even



though particle physics at STAR is of course necessarily technical, it is simultaneously a very human quest which demands inspiration and imagination... together with a steadfast patience over decades."

To complete her placement, Dr Tang asked Rebecca to create a research poster which summarised and showcased her work, and also to write an article about the numerous antimatter discoveries at STAR over the past few years, for public viewing on STAR's own website.

Rebecca added: "Each of these assignments presented a different challenge. A research poster demands methodical science, whereas the article needed accessible writing, suitable to engage

general site visitors when they browse online. Luckily – as well as all the required research papers, I had Dr Tang and Dr Ke on hand for advice. It was an honour to represent Brookhaven in these ways.

"I am also glad that my month spent acquiring the vital computing skills with which to perform my main task – to help improve STAR's data processing – has been successful. Flying back home over Long Island, I reflected upon the brilliant people I had met, the memories I will keep close, and the knowledge that in my time at STAR I have made my own small contribution to its future."

Rebecca's article can be read here: <http://www.star.bnl.gov/lite/antimatter.php>

Barnwell Country Park seeks your views

The Friends of Barnwell Country Park have not been able to convince the Duke of Gloucester's Trustees to give them the chance to purchase the 'Island', so for the foreseeable future there will be no opportunity to expand the Park beyond its existing confines. This has led to a discussion about what other options might be pursued.

If the Duke's Trustees had agreed to give the Friends encouragement to raise the funds to make the purchase, the intention had been to create a masterplan for an enlarged Park; specifically encompassing the perspective of the community of users of Barnwell Country Park. All other considerations had been put in abeyance until a decision was made and this has now happened – with a thumbs down.

Northamptonshire County Council (First for Wellbeing) created a 10-year plan for the Park in the past which, combined with the original Management Plan prepared in 1976, continues to form the general guidance and direction for the management of the Park. However, these were not specifically prepared from the perspective of the users' views and there is now an opportunity to correct that.

Numerous initiatives might be taken

to improve the Park for all users thereby ensuring its long-term survival. However, only some of these can be taken forward because of limited funding and a finite 'fundraising pot'. There have been some resounding triumphs in the recent past, not least the implementation of the Kingfisher Café and the completion of the North Lake Path Appeal.

So, the Friends would like to have your views on what should be done: leave it as it is; add more attractions; or something in between? Over the course of the next few months, the Friends need to collect users' views in order to create a medium to long-term User Viewpoint which will enable them to prioritise the most important initiatives. They are also seeking the views of local voluntary organisations and commerce, as well as Town and Parish councillors. One thing that has become very apparent over the course of the last couple of years is that the Park's catchment area is much larger than might be imagined. Obviously, the end product will be shared with First for Wellbeing the aim being to produce a shared set of ideas between users and management.

The Friends would be really grateful for any ideas you would like to share. Please pass your views to the Secretary by email at secretary@barnwellcountryparkfriends.org.uk

Keep Navy in your life

Rushden's Royal Naval Association is looking for new members. We are open to ex-Royal Navy and Royal Marines, but if you just have an interest in nautical matters you are still welcome. Colin Goff, the Social Secretary said: "This summer the walking group has really taken off, with trips to Ypres in

Belgium and the Help for Heroes walks as well as our busy Social Calendar."

So are you interested? Pop along to see us, we meet every second Thursday of the months at Griffiths St Workingman's Club, from 7pm. Or contact us through our website www.rnarushden.com or call 07933640971.

Barnwell Country Park half-term activities

There are a number of activities at Barnwell Country Park over the next half-term holiday period (22 to 31 October). The Rangers have organised the following events already and there may be more to follow:

- Halloween Trail 22nd–30th October.
- Make a Bird Feeder in the Visitor Centre 22nd October.
- Pumpkin Carving in the Visitor Centre 24th, 26th, 28th and 30th October.
- Decorate Biscuits in the Kingfisher Café 25th and 26th October.

For further information please contact Georgina Flower – Park Ranger, telephone 0300 126 5931 or mobile 07850854390; email: Georgina.Flower@firstforwellbeing.co.uk

Other possible activities under consideration are face painting, apple bobbing and guess the weight of the pumpkin.



Calling all local bakers

The ladies behind Ria's Rosy Lee are seeking the assistance of bakers with local knowledge. Ria's Rosy Lee is a specialist heritage baking business which can provide you with cake orders inspired by the good old days, including special occasion cakes.

The team also give talks to groups and schools, and provide displays and stalls at events and fairs where a slice of history can be brought to take home with you. Their knowledge ranges from Victorian times to the modern day with a focus mainly on wartime baking and Northamptonshire bakes. Due to their increasing demand they are now researching more local recipes pertaining to Northamptonshire to provide more variety to the public.

Ria from Ria's Rosy Lee explains: "I am already known for providing such



local delicacies as Northants seed cake and catterns, and for our Mick Mannock Afternoon Tea menu amongst many more, but am looking to expand what I can offer. Many recipes get passed down through the generations on handwritten bits of paper so never get published or archived in the wider public domain.

"These are what I would love to collect so that I can

bake them and explain our rich local baking history to all so it is not lost forever."

If you could help please get in touch with Ria on 07771 884120, email riarosy@outlook.com, or message her via the Ria's Rosy Lee pages on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram. More information can be found on www.riarosylee.com

Woodford Club receives welcome donation from local company

Woodford Community and Sports Club have received a donation from local Islip business Dodson & Horrell of £500 towards improvements to the club.

The cheque was presented by Mr Sam Horrell, pictured with committee members Mark Chapman and Kevin Kidman and the new club stewardess Madeline Kidman.

Mr Chapman said: "The money is a welcome donation to the club and we are planning to spend it on improvements to the entrance area and a new notice board."

He added that the club was in an exciting stage of redevelopment and had plans to improve the facility and playing field which can only benefit the local community.

Mr Horrell said:

"Woodford Community and Sports Club is a fantastic asset for the local community to have on its doorstep and we are delighted to be able to support them with their plans for the future."



Leave your bins out

East Northamptonshire Council (ENC) has organised 12-hour bin collections to make sure residents continue to receive an excellent service.

Due to growth in the district, ENC and its waste contractors Kier are maximising existing collection rounds by providing a service that operates from 7 in the morning through to 7 at night. Residents are advised to leave their bins out on their usual collection

day, 7am-7pm, or until empty. This applies to refuse, recycling, food and garden waste.

On the rare occasion your bin is missed, please tell ENC the day after your usual collection day, at www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/missedbin

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Oundle cricketer plays at Lord's Cricket Ground



Oundle School cricketer, Simon Fernandes (16) was recently selected by Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC) Schools, from a pool of over 2,500 schoolboys, to represent them in their annual match against England Schools Cricket Association at Lord's Cricket Ground.

The MCC Schools team consisted of schoolboys who had played against MCC during the 2016 cricket season and whose names had been put forward by MCC Match Managers as good cricketers, in addition to being players who would make good representatives of the club.

After a briefing, participants received a tour

of the ground followed by net sessions with the MCC Team Manager and Coach before the 50 over game on 6th September.

The match was won by ECSA who scored 260 runs, with MCC falling short by about 50 runs.

Simon commented: "It was an honour to play at Lord's and the whole experience was amazing. We had two full-on days at Lord's including training and I loved every moment of it. Even playing as 12th man I would like to think I made some contribution taking a catch and I would like to thank Oundle's Head of Cricket, Mr Crawley for applying and helping me get this great opportunity."

Warmington fireworks event

Warmington Fun Fields Annual Fireworks Event will be held on the 4th November.

Gates open at 6pm, when the fire will be lit, with the fireworks display at 7pm. Tickets will be on sale in advance at the Village Shop and on the night at the gate.

Prices are the same as last year: £10 for a family of four (2 adults and 2 children – up to the age of 16) and on the gate £4 adults and £2 for children – again up to the age of 16. Children under the age of 16 are not permitted to purchase tickets unless with an adult.

There will be burgers, hot dogs, soup

hot and soft drinks on sale and the Warmington Play Group will have a stall selling confectionery.

Combustibles for the bonfire can be delivered to the field on Saturday 22nd & 29th October (1pm–3pm) and Sunday 23rd to 30th (1pm–5pm). Only dry combustible material will be allowed.

The Steward for delivery materials is David Short on 01832 280372 or 07971255630 and should be contacted for other arrangements.

The FF Committee hopes all visitors will enjoy the spectacle. Please obey any instructions from the volunteer marshals on site.



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Monday 10th October
Oundle U3A Monthly Meeting
 Queen Victoria Hall, West Street, Oundle
 Doors open 2pm
 Members £1, Non-members £2
 'The Peregrines of Lincoln Cathedral'. Community Talks Officer for the RSPB, Steve Lovell, gives a personal insight into the combination of avian activity and Medieval Architecture.

Painting Garden Corner
 Ringstead Village Social Club
 10am-4pm
 £26 booking essential
 01933 460676
 The cost includes painting project book and is not for first time painters, subject Pumpkin.

Tuesday 11th – Sunday 16th October
Wool Week @ Oundle Library
 Oundle Library
 Crafts and activities throughout the week. Drop in and have a go!

Wednesday 12th October
Bridge of Grace Food Bank
 Thrapston Baptist Church
 1.30pm to 2.30pm
 Help for any who are in desperate need of food.

Oundle School – A talk by Elspeth Langsdale (New Venue)
 Oundle Suite, Fletton House
 Oundle
 7.30pm
 Members Free/Non Members £2
 01832 272061 www.northants-fhs.org
 Dip into the School Archives with the school archivist.

Watercolour Painting Class
 Ringstead Village Social Club
 10am to 2pm
 £18 booking essential
 01933 460676
 Subject is 'Evening Water' using watercolours for first time painters.

Thursday 13th October
Raunds WI
 The Saxon Hall, Raunds
 7.30pm
 £3.50
 Mary Harber 01933 624271
 AGM & Refreshments

Tiddlers Group for 0 to 3 year olds
 Thrapston Baptist Church
 9.30am-11.30am
 Friendly and welcoming with lots of toys and play equipment for the little ones to enjoy. £1 per carer – as many toddlers as you like!!

Lunchtime Concert – Strings on tour performing Vivaldi's 'Four Seasons'
 St Peter's Church, Oundle
 1.15pm
 Free / Lunch can be purchased
 Concerts in this beautiful church setting in Oundle. Lunch is provided for £3.

Frankenstein
 The Stahl
 7.45pm
 £12 Adults, £10 Concessions
 A brand new adaptation of Mary Shelly's gothic horror performed by Blackeyed Theatre.

Friday 14th October
Fusion for 7 to 11 year olds
 Thrapston Baptist Church
 6.30pm-8pm
 £1 per child
 Lively and fun group with games, songs and bible based illustrations.

Charity Fashion Show in aid of Stand Up 2 Cancer
 Rushden Bowls Club
 7pm for 7.30pm start
 By Ticket £5 (incl free drink)
 Jo Armstrong 01933 353148
 Fashion Show, Raffle, Stalls.
 Tickets only available from the Cancer Research Shop in Rushden.

Saturday 15th October
Autumn Dance
 Park Road Baptist Church Hall, Rushden
 7.45pm-11pm
 £7
 Carol Hewson with the Ivel Valley band. Tea/coffee included, please bring a plate of food to share.

Shabby Chic Painted Furniture Workshop
 Ringstead Village Hall
 9.30am-4.30pm
 £55 or £35 half day – booking essential
 01933 460676
 Come and upcycle your boring piece of furniture and take away a masterpiece to be proud of.

Concert by Thrapston Town Band
 All Saints Church Sudborough
 7.30pm
 £10 to include a glass of wine at the interval
 Prue Follitt-Vaughan 01832 732739 or pruefv@sudborough-partners.co.uk
 Thrapston Town Band will perform a medley of songs, old and new.

Sunday 16th October
Morning Service
 Thrapston Baptist Church
 10.30am
 Preacher: Allan Pope
 Believe in the Lord Jesus, Acts 16:16-40.

Whitefriars Church – Morning Worship
 Whitefriars Church at Whitefriars Junior School, Boughton Drive, Rushden NN10 9HX
 10.15am
 Chris Youngman 01933 551769
 An informal church service open to all.

Ringstead Shared Church
 10.30am Morning Service, Revd Robert Shehane
 6pm Communion Service, Dr Keith Helliwell www.ringsteadsharedchurch.org.uk

Rushden & Higham Ferrers Churches Together in Prayer and Praise
 Highfield Community Baptist Church, Highfield Road, Rushden
 7.30pm
 Andrew Presland 01933 316927
 An informal time of prayer and praise, open to all.

Higham Ferrers Footpath Group
 Saffron Road car park Higham Ferrers for car sharing
 9.10am
 01933 663603
 6 mile walk from Hanslope.

Monday 17th October
Thrapston District Historical Society – Family History: History of Christian Names
 St James' Church Hall, Thrapston
 7.30pm
 Visitors £2.50
 01832 731047 or email tdhs40@yahoo.co.uk
 A humorous and informative talk with Susan Copperwheat.

Garage Sale around Town Thrapston
 Between 9am-3pm
 Come and get a bargain and support the Grenadier Guards Col's Fund.

Lecture by Dr Julian Onions on 'Aperture Fever – does my mirror look big in this?'
 Chelveston Village Hall, Caldecott Road, Chelveston NN9 6AT
 8pm
 Visitors and Members welcome.
 £3 per person including tea/coffee and biscuits.
 Steve Williams 01933 650331 or email chilternastro@yahoo.co.uk or Mrs Peta Jellis on 01933 356914 or email pej@petaj26.me.uk
 Julian's lecture will cover current astronomical telescopes and those planned and what they will see.

Higham Ferrers WI Meeting
 Adult School, Westfield Terrace, Higham Ferrers
 Olga Earl 01933 412848
 This meeting is our AGM so we are hoping for a good turnout. This month competition will be "plate of savouries". We will also have a Table Top Sale.

Tuesday 18th October
Painted Christmas Cards
 Stanwick Lakes
 10.30am-2pm
 £18 booking essential
 01933 460676
 Paint a selection of Christmas Cards, ideal for first time painters.

Wednesday 19th October
Acrylic Painting
 Ringstead Village Social Club
 10am-2pm
 £18 booking essential
 01933 460676
 End of the Road – landscape acrylic painting for first time painters.

Thursday 20th October
Thrapston District Historical Society – Local History Education Locally
 St James' Church Hall, Thrapston
 7.30pm
 Visitors £2.50
 01832 731047 or email tdhs40@yahoo.co.uk
 A look at the provision of local Education from the 18th century onwards.

RSPB Mid-Nene Local Group Indoor Meeting
 Saxon Hall Raunds
 7.30pm
 Penny 01933 350404

Tiddlers Group for 0 to 3 year olds
 Thrapston Baptist Church
 9.30am-11.30am
 Friendly and welcoming with lots of toys and play equipment for the little ones to enjoy. £1 per carer – as many toddlers as you like!!

Thursday Club – 'Agriculture in Ringstead'
 Ringstead Shared Church
 2.30pm-4pm
 £1, including tea and cakes
 All are welcome.

Friday 21st October
Fusion for 7 to 11 year olds
 Thrapston Baptist Church
 6.30pm-8pm
 £1 per child
 Lively and fun group with games, songs and bible based illustrations.

Rushden & District History Society
 South End Junior School, Wymington Road, Rushden NN10 9JU
 7.30pm
 Members £1.50, non-members £2.50
 01933 350038 for more information
 Mike Muncaster on 'The History of Beekeeping'.

Thrapston and District U3A Monthly Meeting
 The Plaza, Cosy Nook, Thrapston, NN14 4PS
 10am-12noon
 £1 for non-members
 'Thrapston Miscellany' with Eric Franklin & John Dawkins: an illustrated exploration of old Thrapston.

Saturday 22nd October
The Fantastic Marshall King's Elvis Tribute Show and disco
 Rushden Bowls Club Northampton Road NN10 6AN
 8pm
 Tickets £15 and can be bought online at www.swivelclub.org.uk or tel. 07738080470 or the Bowls Club 01933 312680. The Swivel Club Charity presents Marshall King, one of UK's best Elvis tribute acts, with his own handmade costumes.

Saturday 22nd & Sunday 23rd October
Patchwork & Quilting Exhibition
 Yarrow Gallery, Oundle School, Glapthorne Road, Oundle PE8 4EE
 Saturday 10am-4pm, Sunday 11am-3.30pm
 Admission £3
 Jenny Browning 07515 776377 nennybr@gmail.com
 Quilting demos, free refreshments, raffle and tombola all proceeds to charity.

Sunday 23rd October
Morning Service
 Thrapston Baptist Church
 10.30am
 Preacher: Mat Hussain
 Believe in the Lord Jesus, Acts 16:16-40.

Ringstead Shared Church
 10.30am Morning Service, 6pm Evening Meeting
 Both led by Revd Robert Shehane
www.ringsteadsharedchurch.org.uk
 You are warmly invited to share with us.

By Appointment
Counselling and Listening Service
 No 1 St Osyth's Lane, Oundle, Northants PE8 4BG
 These services are free
 Marilyn 07936015965

Every Weekend
Until 30th October
What's In Store – Exhibition
 Oundle Museum, at The Courthouse, Mill Road PE8
 Sat 11am-5pm, Sun 2pm-5pm

Half-Term
All-age Touch Typing Club
 9.30am-10.30am Mon-Fri
 Diane Gifford 07432 123 438
 Learn or Refresh your skill £15 course intro with coffee refreshment.

Every Monday
Titchmarsh Folk Dance Club
 The Club Room, High Street, Titchmarsh NN14 3DF
 8pm-10pm, £1 inc tea/coffee
 Kev Prigmore 01536 514023/titchmarshfdc@gmail.com



Oundle Ladies Running Group
 Oundle pool car park
 6.45pm
 Jane Walker 01832 272898/janewalkercakes@icloud.com

Baggypannts Yoga
 Studio 2, Pemberton Centre, HE Bates Way, Rushden
 10am-11am
 01933 382837/07873 743256/carole.wyatt@virginmedia.com
 £5 per session.

Every Monday (term time)
Praise and Play
 St James' Church Thrapston
 1.30pm-2.45pm,
 refreshments available
 Anita 735443

Aqua Aerobic Classes
 Oundle School Swimming Pool, Milton Road, Oundle
 8.45-9.30am, £25 for 5 sessions
 01832 277208/277195

Every Monday, Friday & Saturday (term time)
Otters Swim School Lessons
 Oundle School Swimming Pool, Milton Road Oundle
 Mondays 3.55pm-6.10pm,
 Fridays 3.55pm-6.10pm,
 Saturdays 8.30am-12noon
 Booked in advance as a block (£5.50 per lesson)
 01832 277208/277195

1st Monday of the month
Oundle Wives
 Methodist Church, Oundle
 7.45pm, £3 refreshments/raffle
 01832 272178

Oundle & District Royal British Legion Meeting
 The Ship Inn, Oundle
 7pm
 Les Mallory-Starks 07745 996428

Every 2nd Monday (except January & August)
Thrapston & District Royal British Legion Branch Meeting
 The Thrapston Centre, High Street, Thrapston
 7.30pm
 Veronica McCurdy 01832 735206

2nd Monday of the month
Royal British Legion Rushden Branch Monthly Meeting
 Rushden Football & Social Club, Hayden Road, Rushden
 7.15pm, annual fee £15
 Jake Baker 07525 441267

2nd & 4th Mondays of the month
StitChat
 No 1 St Osyth's Lane, Oundle
 1.30pm-3.30pm
 01832 770010/office@oundlebaptist.org.uk

Monday once a month
Woodturning Club
 Hardwick Village, Nr Wellingborough NN9 5AL
 7pm-10pm
 Paul Lawman 01933 674260

Every Monday & Thursday
Oundle Bridge Club
 Fletton House, Fletton Way, Oundle PE8 4JA
 7pm start
 01832 273044

Every Tuesday
Coffee Stop
 Rushden Mission Church, Wellingborough Road NN10 9TA
 10am-12.30pm
 Alan Richardson 01933 355302

East Northants Classic Motorcycle Club
 New Inn Public House, Wymington
 Meet around 7.30pm

Sling Walk
 11am
 01933 410112
 First Tuesday of the month there will be Sling Library at 10am prior to the walk. Second Tuesday meet at Rushden CC Hayway instead of Higham Ferrers.

Rushden Mission Training Band
 Mission Church, Wellingborough Road, Rushden
 7.30pm-8.45pm
 Alan Richardson 01933 355302

Short Mat Bowls
 Saxon Hall, Raunds
 1.45pm-4pm, £3
 01933 624545

Yoga Class
 Whitefriars Infant School, Boughton Drive, Rushden
 7.15pm-8.15pm
 £5 per session
 Carole 07873743256 or email carole.wyatt@virginmedia.com

Every Tuesday (term time)
Open House for Babies, Toddlers and their Carers
 No. 1 St Osyths Lane, Oundle
 9am-11am

Tuesday Toddlers

No 1 St Osyth's Lane,
Oundle, PE8 4BG
9.15am, free
Judith Brashaw on 01832 770010

1st Tuesday of every month**Great Companions
(single people 55+)**

Rushden Bowls Club,
Northampton Road
7-9pm, yearly membership £6
Pat Bazeley 07931 964360

**2nd Tuesday of the month
Tea Dance**

Pemberton Centre, Rushden
Dancing to 'Music Box'
2pm-4pm, £3 per person
including tea/coffee & cake

Higham Ferrers Guided Tour

Groups of 6-24 people. Trained
guides. Tea & cakes, optional.
01933 411191

Wildlife Trust Little Bugs Club

10am-11.30am, £1 per child
(adults are free)
Louise Tuffin 01604 774043/louise.
tuffin@wildlifebcn.org

50+ Adventure Club

For further information
01536 505548/www.fiftyplus
northants adventureclub.org.uk

**Every Tuesday & Thursday
Health Walks Stanwick Lakes**

10am-11am, free – car park
charges apply.
01933 625522
www.stanwicklakes.org.uk

Short Mat Bowls

Saxon Hall, Raunds
1.45pm-4pm
£3
01933 614545

**Every Tuesday, Thursday & Friday
Whist Drive**

Rushden Bowls Club
Northampton Road, Rushden
7.30pm, £2
01933 313714

**Every Tuesday & Saturday
Coffee Mornings**

St James Church Thrapston
10am-12noon
01832 730019

Every Wednesday**Dog Training and
Socialisation and Ringcraft**

Halefield, Woodnewton,
near Oundle
Classes from 6.45pm
01832 293432/oundledogs@aol.
com/www.oundledogs.co.uk

Rainbow Cafe for Tots

(aimed up to 5 and their adults)
Stanwick Lakes
10.30am-12noon, £2.50 per child
– car park charges apply.
01933 625522
www.stanwicklakes.org.uk

Club Night

Apethorpe Tennis Club
From 6pm

Returners to Work

No.1 St. Osyth's Lane
10am-12noon
01832 770011

Art & Craft Class

Oundle Rural Mind, 1 Herne Park,
East Road, Oundle PE8 4BZ
Irene Issitt – Manager
01832 275020

Inflatable Fun Session (Times
may vary during school holidays)

Oundle School Swimming Pool,
Milton Road Oundle
5-6pm, £3 Adult & £2.25 Child
01832 277208/277195

**Cambridge First
Certificate in English**

The Old Town Hall,
Market Place, Oundle
9.30am-12.30pm, £25 per week
01832 776336/
info@antlerlanguages.co.uk

French Tuition

The Old Town Hall,
Market Place, Oundle
From 6pm, £25 per week
01832 776336/
info@antlerlanguages.co.uk

Every Wednesday (term time)**Community ICT Classes**

Needham Building, Oundle
School SciTec, Glapthorn Road,
Oundle
2.30pm-4pm

Yr 7 & 8 Sports Club

Sports Hall, Milton Rd, Oundle
7.45pm-8.45pm

660 Club

Two Acre Club, off Milton Road
2.15pm-3.45pm
Afternoon tea and entertainment
for over 60s hosted by Oundle
pupils.

Community ITC Classes

Needham Building, Oundle
School SciTec, Glapthorn Road,
Oundle
2.30pm-4pm

Allegra Singers –**Three-part ladies choir**

Music room at Sports Pavilion, Islip
7.30-9.30pm, £3 per session
Veronica 01832 732611/
07753 472225

1st Wednesday of the month**Raunds Ladies Group**

The Saxon Hall, Raunds
8pm-10pm, Visitors £3.50

**1st & 3rd Wednesday
of the month****Thrapston Country Dancers**

St Johns Ambulance Hall
2pm-3.30pm
G Hearnden 01933 622827/
ghearnden@tiscali.co.uk

**2nd Wednesday of the month
Coffee Morning**

Raunds Methodist Church
10am-12noon
01933 383378

**2nd & 4th Wednesday
of the month****Northants Model Makers**

Windmill Primary School,
Raunds NN9 6LA
Main meeting starts 7.30ish
First couple of meetings free
Bob Humpage 07960 054405/
modelmaker@tiscali.co.uk

3rd Wednesday of the month**Wellingborough Flower**

Arrangement Society
St Mary's Church Hall, Knox Road,
Wellingborough NN8 1HU
7.30pm, £5
Chairman 01933 222326/
Secretary 01604 870275

Higham and Rushden U3A

Pemberton Centre, Rushden
2pm-4pm, £2 for visitors
Membership Secretary
01933 418653

4th Wednesday of the month**Rushden Pensioners Forum**

St Peters Church Hall,
Midland Road, Rushden
2pm-4pm
Mary Morby 01933 312476/
e.m.m@btinternet.com

**Wednesday & Thursday
Free Counselling**

No.1 St. Osyth's Lane Oundle
By appointment 0793 6015965

Wednesday & Saturday**East Northants Athletics Club**

– 'Getting Kids Into Athletics'
The Ferrers School, Higham
Ferrers
Wed 6-7pm, Sat 9-10am, £4 per
session or Wed & Sat £7
Graham Bufton 07788 698883/
grahambufton.ena@gmail.com

Every Thursday**Rushden Folk Dance Club**

St Mary's Church Hall, Rushden
8-10pm, first visit free, £2 thereafter
Val 01933 387327

The Silverfox Turners Club

Dale End Scout Headquarters,
Croyland Rd, Wellingborough
10am-1pm, £2 all members
Secretary Trevor Rhodes 01933
382790

Move for Health

No 1 St Osyth's Lane, Oundle
2.15pm-3pm
office@oundlebaptist.org.uk/
01832 770010

Thursday Drop-In

No 1 St Osyth's Lane, Oundle
10am-2pm
office@oundlebaptist.org.uk/
01832 770010

Enjoy Yoga

Whitefriars Infant School, Rushden
7pm-8.30pm, £5 per session.
Gill Hughes 01933 313494/
Hughes-G17@sky.com

**Little Ducklings Pre-School Stay
and Play 'Tea and Tots' Sessions**

1.30pm-3pm, £1.50 per family.
01832 358085

Short Mat Bowls

Wymington Memorial Hall
1.45pm-4pm, £2 admission
Mrs Smith 01933 355960

Every Thursday (term time)**Music Makers**

Titchmarsh Pavilion
9.30am-10.15am, £4 per child,
£2 for siblings
Naomi Cooper on
musicmakersnorthants@gmail.
com

Music Makers

Joan Strong Centre, Oundle
11.15am-12noon, £4 per child,
£2 for siblings
Naomi Cooper on
musicmakersnorthants@gmail.com

Little Treasures Tots Group

St Laurence's Church, Stanwick
9.30am-11am,
donations to cover costs
Nicki 01933 625658

Music Makers

Stanwick Village Hall
2pm-2.45pm, £4 per child,
£2 for siblings
Naomi Cooper on
musicmakersnorthants@gmail.com

Community Art Classes

Oundle School Art Department
7.30pm-8.30pm, free classes for
people with a physical or learning
disability.

**Coffee/Tea and Biscuits in the
Bede House**

St Mary's Church, Higham Ferrers
10am-12noon, no charge just a
donation to cover costs.

Adult & Child Swim Sessions

Oundle School Swimming Pool,
Milton Road Oundle
9.15-9.45am, booked in advance
as a block (£4.75 per lesson)
01832 277208/277195

3rd Thursday of the month**Painting Class with Nick Baldwin**

Chelveston Village Hall,
10am-4pm, £17 per session
Kathy Gyngell 01933 389936

Ise & Nene Valley Turners

Counties Community Centre,

Hertford Rd, Kettering NN15 6LG
7pm, members free, visitors £7
Peter Bond 01933 741835/
peterjbond@btinternet.com

Thursday Market Day**No.1 Cafe - Free Drop-In**

No.1 St, Osyth's Lane
10am-2pm
01832 770011

Every Friday**Walk and Chat**

Rushden Hall Park, Under Flag
Pole
10am
Sue Mckay 07739 327022/
sue.mckay@groundwotrk.org.uk

Music Makers

Nene Centre, Thrapston
12.45-1.30pm & 1.45-2.30pm,
£4 per child, £2 for siblings
Naomi Cooper 07815 293893/
musicmakersnorthants@gmail.
com

Every Friday (term time)**Over 60s FREE swim**

Oundle School Swimming Pool,
Milton Road, Oundle
3pm-3.45pm
01832 277208/277195

Pre-School Swimming Lessons

Oundle School Swimming Pool,
Milton Road, Oundle
1.55-2.25pm & 2.30-3pm
Booked in advance as a block
(£6.75 per lesson)
01832 277208/277195

**1st Friday of the month
(Checking before travelling)****Craft Cafe**

Stanwick Lakes
10.30am-1pm, modest charge
for some materials – car park
charges apply.
01933 625522/
www.stanwicklakes.org.uk

Oundle Evergreen Club

2.30pm in the Victoria Hall for tea
and cakes plus entertainment.
Just turn up or ring 01832
273826 or 272340 for further
details.

3rd Friday of the month**Raunds Tea Dance**

Saxon Hall, Raunds
2-4.15pm, £3 (50p for raffle)
Mrs Wicks 01933 312623

U3A Branch Meeting

The Plaza, Cosy Nook,
Thrapston NN14 4PS
10am-12noon, £2 (visitors), £1
(members) includes
refreshments

Former Carers Group

No 1 St Osyth's Lane, Oundle,
PE8 4BG
2pm-3.30pm
Free
01832 770010 or office@
oundlebaptist.org.uk
Coffee, tea, cake, sharing
memories, cares and concerns.

**3rd Friday of the month
(Checking before travelling)****Stanwick Stitches**

Stanwick Lakes
10.30am, free – car park
charges apply.
01933 625522 or Pauline on
01933 229817/www.
stanwicklakes.org.uk

1st Saturday of the month**Coffee Morning**

St Mary's Church, Ringstead
10am-12noon
01933 624262

Thrapston Farmers' Market

Thrapston High Street
9am-1pm
www.thrapstonfarmersmarket.
moonfruit.com

**2nd Saturday of the month
(Same Saturday as Oundle
Farmers' Market)****Coffee 'n' Cakes**

Oundle Methodist Church,
Drummingwell Lane
(behind the Talbot Hotel)
10am-12noon
John Hewitson 01832 272209

2nd Saturday of the month**WE Watch**

Stanwick Lakes
01933 625522/
wewatchstanwick@hotmail.
co.uk

Oundle Farmers' Market

Market Place, Oundle
8am-1.30pm
Oundle Town Council
01832 272055

3rd Saturday of the month**Phoenix Group**

Stanwick Lakes
01933 625522/
wewatchstanwick@hotmail.
co.uk

3rd Saturday of the month**Messy Church**

Rushden Salvation Army,
Church Street, Rushden
4pm
Gill Valentine 01933 353528

**Last Saturday of the month
except December****Farmers' Market**

Market Square, Higham Ferrers
9am-1pm
danielle@highamferrers-tc.gov.uk

Every Sunday**Morning Worship****Rushden Mission Church**

Wellingborough Road
10.45am
Alan 01933 355302

Morning Church Service

Rushden Heritage Chapel Hall,
Park Road, Rushden NN10 0RG
10.30am

Church Service

The Heritage Chapel and Halls,
Park Rd, Rushden NN10 0RW
10.30am
Cheryl 07969 603958/
cheze49@gmail.com

Ringstead Shared Church

10.30am
Angela Davis 01933 622316
or rbc-rsc@angeladavis.net
Service for All (Communion first
Sunday each month) led by
Revd Robert Shehane

1st Sunday of the month**Priceless – for young children****and their families**

St Laurence's Church,
Stanwick
9.30am-10.15am

3rd Sunday of the month**All Age Worship**

St Laurence's Church,
Stanwick
9.30am

Leisurely, Sociable Strolls

Pub start – if not lunching do
not use pub car park
10am for 10.30am start.
Guests £2 or join for year £8
secretary@northamptonshire
shamblers.org.uk



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information, 15 word
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Invites you to our Open Evening and our Open Days



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Thursday 13th October 2016, 6.30pm-9pm

For current Year 6 students

Open Day Tours

Monday 17th and Tuesday

18th October 2016, 10am

Please email Mrs C Byrne at
cbyrne@princewilliamschool.co.uk
to book a place on these tours



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Prince William School, Herne Road, Oundle PE8 4BS

For Further Details Tel: 01832 272881 email: reception@princewilliamschool.co.uk
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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (LILFORD ROAD, PILTON)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Lilford Road, Pilton as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES:
That length of Lilford Road, Pilton from Oundle Road to Wadenhoe Road.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during the installation of traffic lights.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 7th November 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted until 25th November.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Oundle Road, Barnwell Road and Stoke Doyle Road.

Dated this 8th day of October 2016
QUENTIN BAKER
Director of Law & Governance
PKG/T16/405

If you require any further information please contact Gary Thorp on 01604 883400.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (CARLOW ROAD, RINGSTEAD)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Carlow Road, Ringstead as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES:
That length of Carlow Road, Ringstead from the junction of Carlow Street to Brook Walk.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during gas connection works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 17th October 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

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ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use High Street, Chapel Street, Church Street and Carlow Road.

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (BACK LANE, COLLYWESTON)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Back Lane, Collyweston as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES:
That length of Back Lane, Collyweston from outside 35 Pond Yard.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during new gas connection.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 31st October 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted until 3rd November 2016.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use A43, A427, Stamford Road, A6121, Church Road, Station Road, Geeston Road and Ketton Road.

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NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (KETTON ROAD, COLLYWESTON)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2016

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LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES:
That length of Ketton Road, Collyweston from outside of no. 35.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during a gas connection.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 31st October 2016 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for four days.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Ketton Road, Barrowden Road and Uppingham Road.

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Chess Corner

This year's Silver King League (SKL) started with a bang as all three Rushden teams were playing. This is the first time that Rushden Chess Club (RCC) has fielded 15 players in the league at the same time and demonstrates the progress the club has made in recent years. The fact that we played two ladies in the C team – and it could have been three if Sarah Collins had been available – shows how inclusive the club has become. The games were all at home, even the away game, as Rushden C were pitted against Rushden B who were licking their wounds after demotion from the top flight last season.

In League I Rushden A were up against Chess Mates A, who they shared second place with last year. The chips were down for Rushden's finest who found themselves outgraded on every board. Chess Mates had an average grade advantage of more than 12 points which didn't auger well for the home team. Despite this Hugh, James and Saj played solid performances to produce drawn games on the top three boards.

Hugh was up against top blind player Chris Ross on board 1 and produced a good opening against the Northampton player who defended accurately to force a draw. Meanwhile things were not looking good for former captain Alan Lewis on board 4 who found himself outgunned by Northampton's Timothy Lawson with a massive 26 point grade advantage. This proved too great a hurdle to overcome and after a courageous battle

Alan finally succumbed to the inevitable. This just left Richard up against the talented Eva Ressel on board 5. Eva managed to gain an advantage earlier on when she captured one of Richard's pawns. She gradually increased the pressure initiating another round of exchanges leaving Richard a full exchange down. Despite her advantage Eva had taken too long over her moves and with time running out she made an error and allowed Richard to gain the exchange back. In the end Richard had two passed pawns and more time. With promotion of one of the pawns inevitable Eva resigned.

This meant that the two teams found themselves with equal points from the match, exactly as they ended last season. With hardly a fag paper between the two teams it looks like another closely fought competition in prospect at the top of the SKL.

It was interesting to see Hugh and Chris chatting in the bar afterwards; as usual the post-mortem was carried out without a board with both players able to reproduce the game from memory. Chris was also updating Hugh on his recent hazardous trip to Azerbaijan via Turkey at the beginning of September. Chris was playing for the International Braille Chess Association (IBCA) in the World Chess

Olympiad in Baku. Chris is a Candidate Master which means that he has a FIDE rating greater than 2200 and he was rated at 2209 during the competition.

Northants SKL Division I Match

Monday 19th September

Rushden A 2½ - 2½ Chess Mates A

Bd1: Hugh Murphy (194) ½ Chris Ross (200)

Bd2: James Gardner (167) ½

Frank Kamau (172)

Bd3: Sajan Ganger (134) ½

Peter Tibbert (149)

Bd4: Alan Lewis (131) 0-1

Timothy Lawson (157)

Bd5: Richard Ellis (129) 1-0 Eva Ressel (139)

Meanwhile in League II Rushden C were facing Rushden B for the first time in the SKL as the B team competed in League I last year. Boards 3 and 4 saw Barbara and Nagenthini (Nancy) competing in their first league games. Barbara played an excellent game to hold old-hand Jeff Owen to a draw. Nancy also acquitted herself well but finally lost against experienced player James Wicks. Captain Tom Murts on board 1 managed an unexpected draw against the much higher graded Keith Bristow. The match was finally lost for Rushden C when Eddie Francolini was beaten by Rushden B Captain Bob Ellam. This was no surprise with Bob sitting on a



By Derrick Sims

69 point grade advantage. There was a nice consolation for the C team when Nigel Wren was victorious against me in the last game to finish. This was somewhat assisted when I missed a certain checkmate and Nigel went on to play a clinical endgame after promoting his surviving pawn to a Queen.

Northants SKL Division II Match

Mon 19th Sep Rushden C 2 - 3 Rushden B

Bd1: Tom Murts (60) ½ Keith Bristow (113)

Bd2: Eddie Francolini (39) 0-1

Bob Ellam (108)

Bd3: Barbara Gray (U) ½ Jeff Owen (105)

Bd4: Nagenthini Jeffrey (U) 0-1

James Wicks (72)

Bd5: Nigel Wren (U) 1-0 Derrick Sims (45)

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