

# The Voice

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## WELL DRESSINGS 2018

This year we were blessed with good weather throughout the well dressing event. It was wonderful to see so many folks helping (around 50 in total) - from moving boards into and out of the river, making the dressings, serving teas, baking cakes and making cards and DVDs. The teas, cards and DVDs had record sales on Saturday and over the week we took over £1,000.

This year's charities are Village Aid, Ashgate Hospice and the RSPCA Sheffield. .

The main board was, as always, stunning. This year it depicted a Sampler, designed by Tricia Gillies. The verse reads "To everything there is a season and a time" As school exams were looming at the time of planning the junior board, Pat Thurlby rose to the challenge and suggested the theme celebrating 100 years of the RAF. The design was by Pat & family. "Per Ardua ad Astra".

A big thank you to everyone who helped to make the weekend a success.. Long may Well Dressing continue in Over Haddon!

**Christine Chresta**

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### CAR TREASURE HUNT

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**To everything there is a season  
and a time**



**Pat Thurlby and Bob Whitworth,  
both ex RAF. Per Ardua ad Astra**

## **CAR TREASURE HUNT devised by Pat Thurlby**

**Saturday August 11th. £5 per person**

**Leave the village hall at 6pm, return by 8pm for hot dog supper.**

**Please book your tickets asap with Jill 810169/ Jen 812133**

### **I REMEMBER**

I remember when we were kids in summers like we had in June that most of our time would be spent outdoors, possibly up the dale. About 50 yards through the second gate, where the trees start, there were two large spoil heaps that the lead miners had left. These two heaps were unusual as they were mostly pure white spa. Some pieces were quite large so if you have any spa in your garden then this is probably where it came from. Another unusual thing about the area was that it was covered in wild strawberries. Very sweet but not much of a mouthful as they were very small.

Another area which has now also disappeared was Primrose Knob, this was an area straight up the bank on your right, a very steep climb but we used to approach across the fields from Monyash road. In spring this area was smothered in primroses, hence its name, which as children we might pick for our mothers possibly as a sop for being out so late. I remember one day we popped over the wall onto the knob to find a local couple, who shall be nameless, doing things we should not have known about but did. They seemed to be really enjoying themselves. The primroses have all disappeared now and it is my belief the reason for this is there are no longer many rabbits. After myxomatosis all the rabbits disappeared, the grass grew long smothering the primroses so they couldn't regenerate each year. The last few I saw were on the steep bank where you might climb up to primrose knob, they looked as if they may have slipped from the top of the bank almost to the bottom.

**Patrick Thurlby**

### **Notes from the Parish Clerk**

Over Haddon Parish Council met on 9th July to consider responses regarding the DDDC postcode letter and the further confusion it has caused in being notified to households who are unaffected. Council has asked DDDC to only proceed on an individual request basis and to leave all other households unchanged.

If you wish to change Postcode, and received the offer letter directly from DDDC, please contact [address.management@derbyshiredales.gov.uk](mailto:address.management@derbyshiredales.gov.uk) by 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018.

Our newly registered walled copse at the junction of Wellgate Lane needs a name and this will be discussed with the Historical Society. Councillors are meeting with the PDNPA Tree Officer to get advice on management and will welcome volunteers to assist in the reclamation of our community space and ideas for its future. Council was pleased to be involved in the school transport walking route meeting and its resultant recommendation that the route was unsafe which makes the village eligible for free school bus travel. Confirmation is expected from DCC shortly.

The Public Enquiry into the BOAT Claim for Over Haddon and Conksbury via Meadow Place farm will take place at the Memorial Hall in Ashford in the Water **10am – 5pm, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> September.**

**Anyone can attend but anyone who might want to give oral evidence at the inquiry is asked to contact Patricia Stubbs on 0114 2309311.**

**Matthew Lovell, Parish Clerk**

## GET SNAPPING FOR THE VILLAGE SHOW

The Village Show committee has finalised the schedule for 2018, and would like to send out a message to encourage us all to take plenty of photos over the summer holidays with a view to entering them in the show on September 8th. Schedules will be available, both paper copies and online, during August.

To give you a head start, the categories are:

Adults—Landscape/seascape, Funniest (including caption), Buildings/monuments, Flora & fauna, Gardens, Black & white, Weather, Special occasions, Over Haddon Village Life, A sporting event, Bridges, Human or animal.

Junior—My holiday, A family photo, Funniest, Pets, A selfie, My hobby/pastime.

Photos no larger than 7 by 5

Good luck!

## St Anne's Church

The hot dry Summer has lasted now, amazingly, for over six weeks. The kind of weather we go to the Mediterranean to enjoy is happening right here! Wonderful as it is we – or some of us – begin to feel uneasy at the yellowing landscape and shrivelling plants in the garden.....but we shouldn't worry unduly – rain comes eventually!

The cream tea that we held at the church – or rather, mainly outside on the flat grassy area, with tables and chairs laid out, overlooking a verdant churchyard and Lathkill Dale – on the 13<sup>th</sup> of May marked the beginning of this exceptional spell of warm sunny weather and was a great success, attracting many people and raising over £300 for the “**Friends of St Anne's.**”

We still hope to welcome new supporters who would become regular donors to the Friends to help pay for the maintenance of our beautiful church and churchyard.

The annual **Patronal Festival** takes place on the nearest Sunday to **St Anne's Day**, which this year is the **29<sup>th</sup> of July**. This is also a Benefice service, being a fifth Sunday of the month, so the other four churches in the Bakewell benefice are invited to join us. Certainly the Bakewell choir and the organist, Neil Clarke, will be here. The church will be decorated with flowers and everyone is welcome to join us for refreshments after the service. Do come and join us and help to celebrate your church's birthday.

The church was opened nearly 140 years ago, on St Anne's Day 1880. There is a scattering of St Anne's churches around the country – at Baslow and Buxton for example – and although she is mentioned in the bible not a great deal is known about the original St Anne. She was, of course, Jesus' grandmother, the mother of Mary and she would have undoubtedly played a very important part in the early years of Jesus' life. Mary, it must be remembered, was an unmarried pregnant teenager before Joseph married her and took her to Bethlehem where Jesus was born. They then returned to Nazareth where he was brought up surrounded by his extended family.

His grandmother Anne, who was probably herself only her late 30's at the time, clearly supported Mary and would have actively helped in the upbringing of Jesus and his brothers and sisters.

We can easily imagine, therefore, how important she must have been in helping him to develop his character and values.

**Roger Truscott**

To find out more about ‘**Friends of St Anne's**’ please speak to Roger, Dick Foxon, Mary Hall, Zena Hawley or Christine Chresta. Leaflets available in church.

## FILM CLUB

Once again there will be no increase in subscriptions for the 2018/19 season--  
the cost for 8 films is £18 pp  
(cash, or chqs made to 'OHVH', can be dropped at South View, Main St )  
Those of you who would like to just pop in occasionally  
can opt to use guest membership £3 per film.

Film nights are very friendly, crisps and nibbles are supplied and the bar is open...  
a relaxing way to round off the weekend, or a kick start for the week ahead.

Everyone is welcome, invite your visitors and friends

- Sept 16: **'The Greatest Showman'** pg 105mins. Hugh Jackman, Michelle Williams and cast .  
The start of Barnum's career and his extraordinary travelling circus.
- Oct 21: **'Maudie'** 12a 115mins. Sally Hawkins, Ethan Hawke. An arthritic Nova Scotia woman  
works as a housekeeper while she hones her skills as an artist.
- Nov 18: **'Darkest Hour'** pg 125mins. Gary Oldman, Kristin Scott Thomas. Set in May 1944,  
Churchill must decide whether to negotiate with Hitler or fight on knowing it could lead to  
humiliating defeat for Britain and it's empire.
- Dec 9: **'Finding your Feet'** 12a 11mins. Comedy, romance with Imelda Staunton, Celia Imrie,  
Timothy Spall, Joanna Lumley. A middle class, judgemental snob is forced to live with  
her bohemian sister on an inner city council estate.
- Jan 20: **'Goodbye Christopher Robin'** pg 110mins. Domhnall Gleeson, Margot Robbie.  
A behind the scenes look at the life of author AA Milne
- Feb 17: tba
- Mar 17: **'My Left Foot'** 15 105mins. Celebrating 30 years since it's release. Daniel Day Lewis,  
Brenda Fricker. Born with cerebral palsy, Christy Brown learns to paint and write with  
his only controllable limb...his left foot.
- Apr 21: Members choice

**AN EXTRA FILM "JOURNEY'S END" WILL BE SHOWN ON NOVEMBER 11th  
TO ACKNOWLEDGE 100 YEARS SINCE THE END OF WW1.  
THIS WILL BE A FREE FILM FOR THE COMMUNITY.**

### ART EXHIBITION AT EYAM PARISH CHURCH

LAURENCE PUSEY ART EXHIBITION, AUGUST 24 - SEPTEMBER 9 2018.

9.30am, last entry 5pm      Laurencepusey.co.uk

### NEW SUPPORT GROUP IN MATLOCK

Since Oct 2017 a support group for those with a diagnosis, or traits, of Borderline Personality Disorder has  
been meeting in Chesterfield twice a month. The group offers information, support and a place for people  
to feel welcome and included. On July 9th, a group will be opening in Matlock and the meetings will take  
place on the second Monday of every month, 1-3pm. Both venues have disabled access and parking nearby.  
If you would like to know more please email Sue on [derbyshireborderlinepd@gmail.com](mailto:derbyshireborderlinepd@gmail.com)  
or phone/text 07597644558

## OVER HADDON HISTORY GROUP

It's pleasing to see that 4 months after the inaugural meeting, Over Haddon Haddon History Group is going from strength to strength.

The March event featuring village stalwart Pat Thurlby who allowed himself to be put in the hot seat and quizzed about Over Haddon and its past proved a sure fire hit and since then 2 evenings of chat and 'research' have helped to cement the membership and have also seen it grown.

Both the April and May events gave members and non-members a chance to come along and chat about things they are particularly interested in regarding the history of the village and surrounding areas.

Some people already have substantial documents, which have whetted their appetites to find out more, such as house deeds, birth, death and marriage certificates and also business rates ledgers.

But it also emerged that beyond their own family connections with the village, a number of people are keen to find out more about Over Haddon further back in time than that--they would like to find out more about the time when an old hall stood at the far end of the village--whose stone is contained in many of the walls and buildings around today--and also how a settlement came to be here in this remote but strategic location in the first place.

It is hoped that everyone will find a way to pursue their own individual interests, using existing and yet to be discovered materials in our own homes, record offices and even further afield.

The plan is still to pull together the research that has already been done, and to add to this in the coming months and years, to create a comprehensive record of the village and its people through the ages for generations to come.

A thought-provoking talk, by group member and well-known village personality Sally Mosley, on the many boundary stones that are lying around Over Haddon was well received at the June meeting and prompted another line of enquiry about local history that some members look likely to pursue

An interest expressed in the role that the various mineral workings down in Lathkill Dale have had on the village and its development led a small party to visit the former workings and caves recently and it is likely some group members will take on this aspect of research in the longer term.

A walk round the village to spot some of the more interesting historic sites and sites, and return to the village hall for a picnic is due to take place on July 26, starting at 6.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

So, four meetings in - and more to come - and the history group is starting to establish itself as a regular event on the fourth Thursday of each month.

The remainder of 2018 will see a specialist talk by a guest speaker in September, more research and chat meetings and also a nostalgia evening planned for November when we hope to pop down memory lane regarding winters and Christmasses past in the village to name but a couple of topics.

It is also hoped that the history group members will get involved with some events being planned by the Over Haddon Village Hall committee regarding the 100th anniversary of the ending of the First World War-- more information to come on that.

So, if you haven't been to a meeting yet but would like to come along, you will find that they are very informal and we welcome anyone to pop in and out as they wish.

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## HISTORY GROUP

Membership is £10 a year, then £2 per meeting, or just come along on the night and pay £4 entry. Don't forget we would love to see your documents, photographs or mementos so bring them along. Also if you have any unusual historic features associated with your home— such as foundation stones, fireplaces, dates etched in eaves etc - then make sure you take a photograph and capture it for all-time..we can then use them in our records with your permission.

The next meeting is on Thursday, August 23, when we are holding a "research and find out more evening" in the village hall from 7.30pm— free tea and coffee available.

For more information you can access 01629 813425, email [overhaddonhistory@gmail.com](mailto:overhaddonhistory@gmail.com) or follow Over Haddon History Group on Facebook

**Zena Hawley**

### POPPY MAKING WORKSHOP

To commemorate 100 years since the end of WW1, St Anne's church, the Village Hall committee and the History Group are combining an event, to take place on Sunday November 11th. The day will include the Service of Remembrance at the village war memorial, plus a free film show in the evening depicting life in the trenches - 'Journey's End'.

Other events may include an exhibition of historical interest with information of the people who are named on the memorial, and afternoon tea.

The Village Hall committee has an idea to decorate the war memorial with a cascade of poppies and everyone (yes... men, women and children) is invited to a **free workshop** in the hall on **Saturday Oct 13th 10-12, and Sunday Oct 14th 2-4pm** to make as many felt poppies as material will allow.

Please do come along, everyone will be welcome!

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Sat Aug 11: A car **treasure hunt** devised by Pat Thurlby. Meet at the village hall at 6pm and return by 8pm for a hot dog supper. £5 per person. **Please book places** with Jill 810169/ Jen 812133
- Thur Aug 23: Over Haddon History Group 'research and find out more' meeting. Call 813425
- Sat Sept 1: BATS—a talk and walk with Diane Gould. Details on p2
- Sat Sept 8: Over Haddon Village Show
- Fri/Sat Sept 14/15: Lathkil Hotel Gin and Beer Festival
- Sun Sept 16: Film Night
- Thur Sept 27: History Group. A guest speaker, tba
- Thur Oct 11: "Brown Hares in the Derbyshire Dales" a talk by well known writer/artist/photographer Christine Gregory. Tickets £8 from Jill 810169, Christine 814177
- Sat/Sun Oct 13/14: Poppy making workshop
- Sun Oct 21: Film Night
- Thur Oct 25: History Group Research update

**Further dates will be in the November edition. Keep December 1st free for PAT'S BIG QUIZ.**

## What goes on at the Village Hall?

### MONDAYS:

**PARISH COUNCIL** normally meet 2nd Monday every 2nd month, 8pm.

See notice board in Main St. Clerk: Matthew Lovell 01629 636151 [parishclerk@overhaddonparish.org.uk](mailto:parishclerk@overhaddonparish.org.uk)

Your Parish Councillors are: Kay Staniforth, Penny Aitken, Zena Hawley, Roger Truscott and Dick Foxon

**VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE** meet monthly, 8pm.

Admin: Zena Hawley 01629 [ohvh.org.uk](http://ohvh.org.uk) Facebook [www.facebook.com/OverHaddonVillageHall/](http://www.facebook.com/OverHaddonVillageHall/)

Bkg sec: Jen Foxon 01629 812133

**PILATES** weekly, 6.30-7.30pm Teece 07904353040 [thannanpilates@gmail.com](mailto:thannanpilates@gmail.com)

**BOWLS GROUP** weekly from Oct-April, 7.30pm. Everyone welcome, no experience needed.

**BOOK GROUP** last Monday, every 2nd month, 7.30pm. Marian 01629 813001 Tricia 812781

### TUESDAYS:

**KEEP FIT** weekly, 11.30am. Beccy 07539649165 [simplybfit@outlook.com](mailto:simplybfit@outlook.com)

**TABLE TENNIS** weekly Oct-April, 7pm. Bernie 07540667293

### WEDNESDAYS:

**HATHA YOGA** weekly, 10.30am. Michele 01629 815168

### THURSDAYS:

**HATHA YOGA** weekly, 2 sessions between 9am-1pm. Denise 01629 580757 [deniseingman@aol.co.uk](mailto:deniseingman@aol.co.uk)

**PHOTO WORKSHOP** weekly 1.30pm, except summer months. Jim 01629 812025

### FRIDAYS:

**OPEN COFFEE MORNING** weekly 11am. All adults welcome, just pop along.

### SUNDAYS:

**FILM NIGHT** monthly Sept-April, 7.30pm. Jen 01629 812133

The hall is also regularly used for private and commercial bookings.

To enquire about booking the hall please contact the booking sec 01629 812133

View the website: [ohvh.org.uk](http://ohvh.org.uk)

follow us on [www.facebook.com/OverHaddonVillageHall/](http://www.facebook.com/OverHaddonVillageHall/)

### BATTY ABOUT BATS?

Please join us on Saturday September 1st when villager Diane Gould will give a short talk on Bats, followed by a walk round the dale to try and spot some.

The talk will be at 8.30pm in the Village Hall, with an estimated finish time of around 10.30pm. A suggested donation of £2 per person, in aid of Derbyshire Wildlife Trust. All welcome.

### BAKEWELL & EYAM COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

Relief and Part Time (morning or afternoon available) Drivers needed, to start as soon as possible. £8.30 ph.

Experience of driving a 16 seater minibus for 1 yr is required. PCV desirable but not essential. Full training for MIDAS will be provided. Full details from Andy Coxon 01629 641920.

ALSO Volunteer bus drivers required. A full driving licence must be held for at least 3 years, a D1 classification on your licence and a MIDAS certificate must be held. Full details Sandra Naylor 01629 641920

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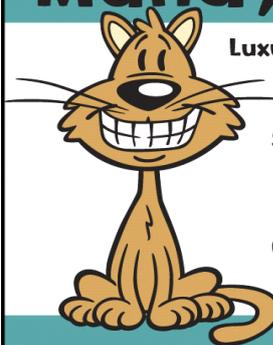
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