

# WINSHAM

## E-LETTER

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Hi All,

Let's start by wishing all our readers a happy and healthy Easter. It has been a pretty tough twelve months, in all sorts of ways, for many since last Easter. Let's all hope and pray for an escape from the Covid virus, not only for the UK but also the rest of the world. It seems, with the vaccines coming on stream, that this is possible.

Details of Easter Church services can be found on the link below.

The April edition of the Joint Parish Magazine is online from the link below. It is an interesting issue and includes a table which gives a summary of the 'roadmap' for the removal of lockdown regulations. A really useful bit of work. Well-done, whoever did it.

It also tells us of the loss of Mary Hebditch, wife of Michael, of Street Farm. I know I speak for our readers when we send our condolences to all the family.

The opportunity to buy a Jubilee Hall Lottery ticket from Winsham Shop ends tomorrow-Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> March. Ticket sales are a bit down on last year-about thirty-not many when one considers the situation we have been in, with the hall mostly closed, but it is the last few tickets sold that really influences the amount of money going into Jubilee Hall funds. You have effectively one day left if you wish to support the facility which means so much to the village and parish.

While on this topic the Jubilee Hall Management Committee is currently studying some twenty pages of closely typed information from Acre and the Community Council for Somerset, giving guidance on re-opening of town and village community halls, etc. Of course, these facilities vary greatly in size and pattern of use, and 'one size does not fit all'. We are currently working through it all, and we will decide policy very soon. Watch this space, and the Jubilee Hall area on the Parish web site.

Winsham Shop hours change a little over the Easter holiday weekend. Information is on the web site. Check on the link below.

Sadly, more news of scams-online and otherwise, in the Neighbourhood Watch area of the Parish Web Site. According to the 'Daily Telegraph' there is a nationwide epidemic of these despicable activities which prey on the old and disadvantaged. PLEASE BE CAREFUL AND VIGILANT.

Janet Smart has asked if I would publish the following appeal for help:

***On Monday afternoon (22<sup>nd</sup> March) whilst I was having my first speech therapy session, a very kind person brought me a lovely bunch of lilies. My daughter thought she had heard the name correctly but apparently hadn't and I'm still searching among my friends to find the donor. Please can someone enlighten me as I am very embarrassed at not having said thank you and Lucy feels very guilty at having got it wrong. They look lovely in the hall and are just starting to open.***

***Janet Smart***

Happy Easter everyone, Stay safe,


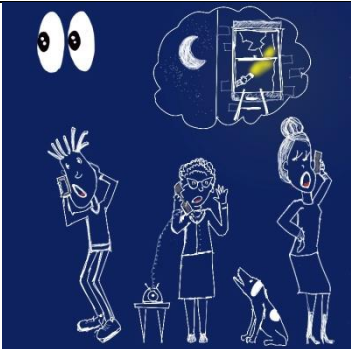
John





*Being short of a picture for this edition, I went into the garden, and found that out flowering cherry tree was just started into bloom. I hope it cheers you as it did me.*

<b>NEW!</b>	<b>Henk Beentje's Winsham botany walks</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>
<b>NEW!</b>	<b>'Welcome to Winsham' An online guide for visitors and people new to the parish</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>
<b>Winsham Recreational Trust</b>	<b>Winsham Community Club- a new facility is on its way-people needed to help</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>
<b>Winsham Primary School and pre-school</b>	<b>New link to Winsham school web site</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>
<b>Winsham United Charities</b>	<b>WUC are inviting applications for small grants to children and young people to help with educational and training needs.</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE for details</a>
<b>Current and future roadworks</b>	<b>Useful detail in some local roadworks</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE for details</a>
<b>Winsham Street Fair</b>	<b>Postponed until 2022</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>

<b>Joint Parish Magazine April edition</b>	<b>Read for free via Winsham Parish Web site-including ads</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE for April edition</a>
<b>Winsham Web Museum</b>	<b>Nature Diary 2020 Plus, butterfly sightings</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>
<b>Jubilee Hall Lottery 2021</b>	<b>Tickets now on sale at Winsham Shop</b>	<a href="#">Click Here for full information</a>
<b>WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL</b>	<b>Winsham Parish Survey 2021 On -line summary</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>
<b>WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL One month to go!</b>	<b>Introducing THE NEW WINSHAM GRAND CHALLENGE 2021 'Beat those winter Lockdown blues!'</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE For more information</a>
<b>Winsham Shop and Post Office</b>	<b>VIEW NEW UPDATE Easter Holiday Shopping Hours *** Shop &amp; Post Office Hours of Opening *** ON-LINE SHOPPING WEB SITE Try it! Let it help you with your shopping list. *** The History of Winsham Shop and Post Office from 1850</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a> for more information, and link to the new site
<b>Winsham United Football Club</b>	<b>No fixtures at present due to Lockdown 3</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE for all information</a>
<b>Jubilee Hall</b>	<b>All activities cancelled until further notice.  Jubilee Hall Lottery 2020 Results -Last Quarter Draw</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>  <a href="#">Click HERE</a>
<b>Winsham Web Museum</b>	<b>Further updates to the history of Winsham Shop.</b>	<a href="#">Click HERE</a>

	<b>2016 until present</b>	
<p><b>Community Matters</b> Now carries a lot more items</p>	<p><b>January 2021</b> <b>Latest Somerset Waste Partnership Bulletin</b></p> <p>.....</p> <p><b>Henk Beentje's botany walks</b></p> <p>.....</p> <p><b>'Welcome to Winsham'</b> <b>A guide for visitors and people coming to live in the parish</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p> <p>When page loads, scroll down to find topic</p>
<p><b>Somerset Waste Partnership</b></p>	<p><b>Chard Re-cycling Centre remains open-normal opening hours.</b></p> <p><b>January 2021</b> <b>Latest Somerset Waste Partnership Bulletin</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p>
<p><b>Street Fair Committee</b></p>	<p><b>Latest news-two bulletins</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p>
	<p><b>Latest In formation</b></p> <p>***</p> <p><b>Take-away services continue during Lockdown 3.</b></p> <p>***</p>	<p><a href="#">Click here for web page and Facebook link</a></p>
 <p><b>NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH EXTENDED TO COVER COVID-19</b></p>	<p><b>BE ON YOUR GUARD!</b> <b>THERE ARE A LOT OF THEIVES OUT THERE</b> <b>SEE LATEST TIPS TO BEAT THE E- MAIL SCAMMERS</b></p> <p>***</p> <p>Protect your pet dog.</p> <p>***</p> <p>Important Government information about Covid-19 scams.</p> <p>***</p>	<p><b>UPDATED 30<sup>th</sup> March</b></p> <p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p>
<p><b>St. Stephen's Church</b></p>	<p>.</p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p>

	<p>Latest information on LOCKDOWN 3</p>	
<p><b>WINSHAM PARISH COUNCIL</b></p>	<p><b>February 2021 Meeting summary</b>  <b>Follow SCC Covid reports from Linda Vjeh and Unitary Council proposal.</b></p> <hr style="border-top: 1px dashed black;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">.</p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE- Scroll down as necessary</a></p>
<p><b>The NEW Winsham Market Place</b></p>	<p>Support your local suppliers! See details of locally based businesses! <b>MORE IMPORTANT THAN EVER!</b></p>	<p>Click <a href="#">HERE</a>  </p>
<p><b>Your essential Guide to Winsham Parish Web Site Content UPDATED</b></p>	<p><b>Please read to get the most from the Winsham Parish Web Site</b></p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p>
<p><b><u>For all newcomers to the Parish</u></b></p>	<p>WINSHAM'S 'WELCOME PACK'</p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p>
<p>Somerset Museums UPDATED-a really useful web site.</p>	<p>Gives you details of most of the Museums in Somerset. <b>LOCKDOWN 3 RESTRICTIONS WILL APPLY</b></p> <p>Closures likely due to Corona Virus Emergency</p>	<p><a href="#">Click HERE</a></p>



**Take a picture of your pet-you never know when you will wish you had!**

**The Winsham e- letter will always help find missing pets.**

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