

## DIARY DATES FOR MAY 2023

4th		Prescription rota – John Feilding 678390  Local election voting in the Village Hall. Take photo ID in order to vote.
	7.30 pm	Book club meets at Rose and Crown in Ratley
7th	8.30 am	Holy Communion in St Peter's Church with a Coronation theme.
	2.40 pm	Church bells will be rung.
9th	12.25-12.45	Mobile Library at the bus shelter
21 <sup>st</sup>	10.30 am	Holy Communion in St Peter's Church
16 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	Annual Church Meeting in the Village Hall
18 <sup>th</sup>		Prescription rota – Sandra Wilkins 670229
	11.00 am	Quarter peal of bells rung for Ascension Day
	7.30 pm	Parish Council Meeting incorporating the AGM. Everyone welcome.
30 <sup>th</sup>	12.25-12.45	Mobile Library at the bus shelter

### Save the Dates!

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June** - Table Top Sale from 11 am to 2.00 pm on the Rec., tables will be charged at £5 each. We already know that there will be a kayak and a toddler's rocking horse for sale!! So bring all your unwanted goods and sell/donate to others. (No electrical items may be sold.)

If you want to reserve a table, please contact Jackie 07785 992928, Penny 07976 179834, or Lilian.

Please remember though, that there will be a bric a brac stall at the fête as well.

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> September** – Radway's bi-annual Fête and Fun Dog Show



## His Majesty King Charles' Coronation Celebratory Afternoon Tea Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2022 3.00pm onwards Recreation Ground

Hopefully by the time you read this, someone from REG will already have asked you if you would like to join in the celebration. If not, and you are still in need of a ticket, then contact Guy, Clare or Tim as below.

Guy - Fairfax House The Old Stableyard 07720 775266

Clare - Hemp Cottage, Langdon Lane 07976 286037

Tim - The Hermitage, Westend 07899 902608

Tickets £7.50

Adults 75 years and over free

Family ticket 2 adults, up to 2 children under 12 years £20.00

Dress - red, white and blue with decorative crowns

Licensed bar - Music - Games



Tickets can be paid for online quoting your name to:  
Radway Events Group, Sort Code 60-12-35, Acc No. 41679539

**RADWAY VILLAGE NEWSLETTER**  
**MAY 2023**

**Parish Council News**

**Uncontested Parish Election**

A Parish Council Election was scheduled for Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May. However, as there are 5 nominations for the five posts an election is not needed.

After being on the Council for many years Peter Wilkins will step down and Colin Mathews will take his place. Peter has generously given his time to serve the Council and his contribution has been much appreciated. Colin will bring new skills and interests to the Council.

**AGM and Parish Assembly**

The Parish Council's Annual General Meeting will take place on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm in the village hall, following by an ordinary meeting.

The Parish Assembly is an informal meeting for villagers to discuss ideas and issues about the village and will take place in June. Date to be agreed.

**Highways**

Various pots holes on Farnborough have been circled in yellow paint. These are scheduled to be "cow patched" in the next four weeks.

The 30mph repeater sign on Langdon Lane, which has fallen over, will be replaced shortly.

**Heating Oil Payment**

Every household using oil fired heating should have had a £200.00 payment paid directly to their electricity provider. If this payment hasn't been received, you can still apply by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2023 – details are available on Martin Lewis' MSE Money Tips website. You need to provide proof of a recent oil invoice. Or alternatively contact your electricity provider directly to ask why the payment hasn't been received.

**The Big Help Out - 8 May**

The Big Help Out is taking place on the Bank Holiday Monday of the Coronation weekend. Volunteers are invited to meet at the village hall at 10.00am and opt for one of the following :

Clearing the steps on Jacob's Ladder; Spring cleaning St Peter's Church; Spreading wood chippings on footpaths or Litter picking around the village-grabbers and bags will be provided

At 12.00 noon all volunteers will reassemble in the village hall for tea and butties! So please, if you can help and are planning to join in, let Tim know so we can cater for all.

**Radway Events Group (REG)**

**Coronation Celebratory Tea - Help is Required**

Part of the fun of a community event is the collective preparation, and with this in mind, help is required in many ways.

Food preparation – both before the day and on the day.

If you can help with baking scones or cakes beforehand, please contact Rosamund on 678384.

On the day help, 7<sup>th</sup> May 10-12 in the village hall, sandwich making, table setting, waiting on and washing up. Contact Lilian on 07786 325196.

Decorations : any ideas and table flowers, please contact Sandra on 670229

Outdoor preparation, marquee erection etc. please contact Guy.

**Radway Village Hall**

The Trustees are pleased to announce that thanks to a Government scheme to improve connectivity in community hubs, and Voneus' installation, the hall now has the benefit of Full Fibre Wi-fi.

This service is provided free, initially for 2 years. Password details available in the hall.

**Photography Competition**

Whilst the January competition received record entries for 'A winter scene', February and March were quiet months for photos being entered into our village competition. After discussion at the REG meeting it was decided that we revert to an open format, so that any photo taken in Radway can be entered for any month. Please send your photos in on WhatsApp to the group or direct to Jim McCartan on 07890 181085.

Also, Jim will need a variety of photos so that we can choose a selection in the summer for merchandise to be sold at the fête in September. So please get snapping!