

DIARY DATES FOR JULY and AUGUST 2025

JULY

1 st	11.30 - 11.50	Mobile Library at the bus stop
3 rd	7.30 pm	Book Club : In the Blink of an Eye – Jo Callaghan
6 th	8.30 am	Holy Communion at St Peter’s Church
10 ^t h		Prescription Rota – Babs Grenet 670978
17 th	7.30 pm	Parish Council meeting in the Village Hall
20 th	10.30 am	Holy Communion at St Peter’s Church
24 th		Prescription Rota — Mish Dunne 670391
29 ^t h	11.30 to 11.50	Mobile Library at the bus stop

AUGUST

3 rd		REG Summer Walk. Meet 11 am at Village Hall
7 th	7.30 pm	Book Club : A Single Thread – Tracy Chevalier Prescription Rota Sandra Wilkins 670229
17 th	10.30 am	Benefice Holy Communion at St Peter’s Church
21 st		Prescription Rota – John Feilding 07718 037132

26 th	11.30 – 11.50	Mobile Library at the bus stop
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RADWAY VILLAGE NEWSLETTER JULY and AUGUST 2025

Parish Council News

Streetlight - West End

As I write this practically on the longest and warmest day of the year, it is hard to imagine walking through the village on a cold, dark winter’s night! However, for those of you that have the imagination to do that please could you also consider the non-functioning streetlight at the bottom of West End. To date the Parish Council have had very little feedback about its replacement. To install a new pole (the current one is rotten) and have it connected to the National Grid power supply will cost money and there is no point in doing this if it is not wanted or needed. If you do have any thoughts on this matter please do share them with any member of the Parish Council.

Next Parish Council Meeting

The next Parish Council meeting will be on Thursday 17th July at 7:30 in the Village Hall.

Village Hall News

Our thanks to Jackie Dobbs who for many years has been managing the bookings for the hall. She is passing the mantle on to Nicola Steddy, who recently joined the Hall Trustees.

Please contact Nicola on 07766 417303

or nicola@nicolajarvisstudio.co.uk to book the hall.

Church News

A Quarter Peal of the church bells will be rung between 4.15pm and 5.15pm on the 15th July by the Gloucestershire Golden Oldies.

Tea, Chat and Play is run in the village every Wednesday afternoon, between 3.00 and 4.30 pm. Everyone is very welcome to come to share good company and delicious home made cake for a small contribution to help us cover our costs.

Our **Church Fête** is fast approaching, and planning is well underway! Please keep Sunday 14th September free and come along to enjoy all the usual stalls, fun dog show and of course the wonderful teas and cakes! We will be contacting those who helped at the fête 2 years ago, but we will be need of some new volunteers, so if you would like to join the team, please contact us.

And could we encourage all bakers and gardeners to be thinking about cakes and plants that you might like to contribute? We will be repeating our now famous wheelbarrow push through the village the week before the fête, collecting generous bottle donations towards the tombola. We are kindly lent gazebos for the event, but if there any further ones available, again please do contact us.

And finally, we pride ourselves on being a traditional village fête, but are there any ideas for stalls or activities that you think might be a great addition to the afternoon? Or do you have an event or activity you would like to promote in the Community Hub? If so, we would love to hear from you.

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Radway Events Group (REG) News

There is not a lot to report on from a REG perspective this month. By the time you read this the Progressive Supper will have been and gone, although it is still to come as I write! There are over thirty people attending the event and the weather is blessing us with a warm evening to stroll around the village between courses. A big thank you to all those who have helped with the organisation of the event, especially to all the wonderful chefs!

At the REG Meeting on 12th June we picked a date for a village walk – **Sunday 3rd August**. We felt a circular walk in the countryside surrounding the village would work best, particularly if the route happens to take us past The Castle at the top of the hill!. For those wishing to come on the walk please meet outside the Village Hall at 11:00am on that Sunday.

The next REG meeting will be on Thursday 18th September in the Village Hall at 7:30pm, everyone welcome

Editor's note

Traditionally, there is no separate newsletter for August in order to give a holiday to your editor and the trusty distributors. We hope you all have a happy holiday too.