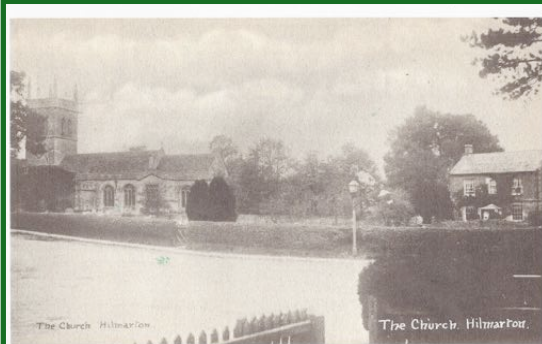


# NEIGHBOURHOOD NEWS FROM HILMARTON PARISH

BEVERSBROOK - CATCOMBE - CLEVANCY - CORTON  
GOATACRE - HIGHWAY - HILMARTON  
HOPPINGSTONES - UPPER & LOWER LITTLECOT  
NEW ZEALAND - RODWELL - WITCOMB

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The Parish Council - St. Laurence Church - The School - Goatacre Sports & Social Club - The Chapel - Moviola  
- Phoenix Group - Smile - Gardening Club - Pre-School & Toddlers - Bell Ringers - The Village Crafters -  
Goatacre Cricket Club

## WHAT'S ON IN SEPTEMBER

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**Goatfest at Goatacre 7th &  
8th September**

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**Wiltshire Churches Ride 8th  
September**

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**Bingo in the Community  
Room 14th September  
6:45pm**

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**CAMEO at Clyffe Pypard  
2pm -4pm 22nd September**

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**Moviola in the Church Hall  
at 7:00pm on 22nd  
September**

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**Circle Dancing in the Church  
Hall 10:00am on 27th  
September**

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**Contact a Councillor,  
read Parish Council  
minutes  
[www.hilmartonparish.co.uk](http://www.hilmartonparish.co.uk)**

**Advertise your future  
events on the Hilmarton  
website - send details to  
[jacquie88@btinternet.com](mailto:jacquie88@btinternet.com)  
Parish Council Clerk  
Jacquie Henly  
Jays Cottage, Compton  
Road, Hilmarton, Calne,  
Wiltshire SN11 8SG  
01249 760401**

**WILTSHIRE MOVIOLA**  
in association with  
**ST LAURENCE PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL**  
proudly presents  
**THE**

# GUERNSEY

## LITERARY & POTATO PEEL PIE SOCIETY

(12A)

In the aftermath of World War 2, Juliet Ashton (Lily James)  
forms an unexpected bond with the residents of Guernsey  
when she decides to write a book about their experiences  
during the Nazi occupation.  
With Matthew Goode and Penelope Wilton


**In Hilmarton Parish Church Hall**  
on the A3102 between Calne and Lyneham and on the 55 Bus Route  
**Saturday 22 September at 7.30pm**  
Doors open 7.00 pm

**75 comfy seats, refreshments and a wine sale licence**

**Tickets: £6.00 from:**  
Breda Cottage, 34 Church Road, Hilmarton 760312 (opposite chapel)  
or email [hilmartonmoviola@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:hilmartonmoviola@hotmail.co.uk)  
Hilmarton Moviola also has a FACEBOOK page

For more info call Geoff Procter on 01249 760312

Visit our website at: [www.moviola.org](http://www.moviola.org)



## GOATFEST AT GOATACRE CRICKET GROUND

7th & 8th SEPTEMBER

A fantastic selection ales, ciders and spirits

Friday line-up - Jenny Bracey / The Chaos Brothers / The Shadow  
Monkeys

Saturday line-up - Leon Daye / Six O'Clock Circus / The Ukey Dukes /  
Spidasense / Ruff Diamond / Manhattan Nights / Clark & The Kryptonites /  
Mick O'Toole / Catholic Action

The printed copies are kindly sponsored by Wilkins Builders Ltd - 01249 822433

### WILTSHIRE CHURCHES SPONSORED RIDE & STRIDE

This is on 8th September. Is there anyone in the Parish prepared to undertake the challenge for St Laurence Church? If so, please contact Mair on 760308 for more information and a sponsor form.

If you would like to help by "Church sitting" on the day, please contact Trish on 760638. Thank you.

### TEN SCORE CLUB WINNERS FOR THE JUNE DRAW

- 1st No.28 Doug Miller - 2nd No.116 Phil Davis  
3rd No.32 Paul Doust- 4th No.99 Ron Jacomb  
5th No.35 Piers Maynard - 6th No.36 Mair Morgan  
7th No.24 Cilla Moxey - 8th No.125 Mair Morgan  
You too can have a chance to win every month - buy a number or numbers for £1 per month per number -£12 enters your number in 12 monthly draws.  
Contact Mel Wilkins on 760572, 07443940367  
email - [melwilkins@live.com](mailto:melwilkins@live.com)

### The Duke Hotel, Hilmarton

August saw a month of Sunday live music, which seems to have gone down quite well. In September, we intend to have live music a couple of times. Including at the Beer and Cider festival on the weekend of the 28<sup>th</sup>. Keep an eye out on facebook for further details.

Opening Times: Mon - Thurs: 12:00 – 15:00 & 18:00 – 22:30 / Friday – Saturday: 12:00 – 22:30 / Sunday 12:00 – 18:00

A full menu will be available Both Lunch & Dinner Monday to Saturday 12:00 – 14:30 and 18:00 – 20:30.

Sunday Lunch is served 12:00 14:30

In addition, we offer Private dining and functions anytime by arrangement.

Each month we hold a Supper club, a three course set menu at a fixed price. Keep an eye on our face book page for details.

Contact us through facebook [thedukehotelhilmarton](https://www.facebook.com/thedukehotelhilmarton) or email us on

[hello@thedukehotelhilmarton.co.uk](mailto:hello@thedukehotelhilmarton.co.uk) or Call Gary or Carol 01249 760634

## AFTERNOON

2pm to 4pm  
Saturday  
22<sup>nd</sup> September

The Vicarage  
Clyffe Pypard  
SN4 7PY



Relax and chat

## TEA

Come  
And  
Meet  
Each  
Other



ALL WELCOME

### Neighbourhood News from Hilmarton Parish

Is there anyone in the Parish who would be prepared to produce the Neighbourhood News each month.

Having recently been involved in a serious accident which has made the production of this newsletter extremely difficult and painful, I would be really appreciative If you would consider taking on this widely received informative newsletter, please contact Mel on 760572, 07443 940 367 or email [melwilkins@live.com](mailto:melwilkins@live.com)

### ADVANCE NOTICE

Paul Hill's Astronomy talk at Goatacre Village Hall this year is on 20th October.

Tickets will be available from mid September, either from the Club Bar or from Trish on 01249 760 638

### CHURCH WALL

Very many thanks to those people who have so generously donated toward the re-building of the Church Wall.

Quotes received amounted to £5500 which means we have just about reached the half-way stage - Thank you again - Hilmarton PCC.

This is a polite reminder to everyone out walking to please stay on footpaths across private land and to keep dogs under control at all times.

Last month, an incident occurred in which our young cattle escaped through a broken fence into the woods (by the village) and ended up on our neighbours' land amongst their cattle. This caused a considerable amount of distress to everyone involved- animals and humans alike- with it taking hours to sort, contain and return the cattle back home. A special thank you must be given to everyone who helped and stopped the cattle from getting on to the main road.

On inspection the barbed wire fencing, that runs alongside the woods in question, had been cut in order to gain access into the woods away from the footpath. Thus , please stay on the official footpath that runs along the end of the woods rather than using unofficial access points.

If you see any damage to fencing, please let Moxeys know on 01249 760 380

### MOBILE LIBRARY

The Library Bus will be at the School Hall carpark in Poynder Place on Monday 3rd September at 10:15am

This Newsletter is produced for Hilmarton Parish Council

Private entries may be accepted for inclusion, subject to available space.

Donations are suggested. The donation can go to your chosen Parish Group.

Copy and donation please to Jacquie Henly 760401, Jays Cottage, Compton Road, Hilmarton.



**EVERY LITTLE HELPS**

😊 **PGS** 😊

## A BIG THANK YOU

Earlier in the year we hand delivered around the Parish a letter and leaflet explaining the **Parish Giving Scheme (PGS)**.

We would like to thank everyone who has helped in meeting our ongoing financial obligations and those who have helped in other ways too.

20 people to date have joined the PGS; this is really encouraging and an enormous help with the running and upkeep of St Laurence Church, an outstanding Grade I listed building.

If you would like to find out more about the Parish Giving Scheme or receive a copy of the original letter and leaflet, please contact John Henly on **01249 760401** or e-mail [pmoxey05@aol.com](mailto:pmoxey05@aol.com)

Thank you.

**Circle Dancing**  
**At the Smile group**

You are invited to a special morning at the Smile group, with  
**Circle Dancing, tea and cake!**

Circle dance draws on traditions from around the world; dances  
are adapted for both standing and seated possibilities.

**All abilities welcome and we have lots of fun!**

**At:** Hilmarton Village Hall  
**On:** Thurs 27 Sept  
**Time:** 10.00—12.00  
**Cost:** £1 (includes tea & cake)

**To book or find out more call Val: 01249 760312**

Celebrating Age: bringing live music, theatre, dance & art to your local community

**Hilmarton Gardening Club**  
**St Laurence Church Hall**

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> August 2018**  
**7.00pm for 7.30pm**

## AUTUMN PROPAGATION

**Aldetha Raymond**

Enjoy wine for £1.50 per glass 125 cl.

**Free refreshments and raffle (tickets £1)**

**Entrance fee: Members £3 Visitors £6\***

**For more information please call:**  
**Gillian on 07954350589**

\* Entry fee refunded if you join HGC

THE CHAPEL IN SEPTEMBER		
Sunday 2nd	Family Service with tea	4:00pm
Sunday 9th	Trevor Brain representing SAT7	6:00pm
Sunday 16th	Communion with Rev. Stephen West	6:00pm
Sunday 23rd	TBA	6:00pm
Sunday 30th	Mark Goodspeed	6:00pm
Wednesday 5th	Worship in the Week in Church	2:00pm
Wednesday 12th	Ladies Meeting with Hazel Furze	2:00pm
Friday 7th/14th/21st/28th	Prayer Meeting	2:15pm
Saturday 8th	Chapel open for Open Churches Day	





### Christmas with a difference!

Can you make some room for an international student to learn what true British Festive hospitality can mean? Should you like to add that international element to your Christmas, learning another countries traditions and enjoying the connection and friendship that such sharing brings?

HOST UK arranges for international students to enjoy brief homestays with UK hosts, one day, a weekend or, over the festive period-a three day visit. We need more hosts so that a smile such as Marine's can spread across many more faces...and across our fragile world.

If you should like to know more, please go to our website [www.hostuk.org](http://www.hostuk.org) or leave us a message on

<http://visits.hostuk.org/Public/ApplyToBecomeAHost>

### Hilmarton Village Summer Fayre

Thanks to everyone's hard work the Hilmarton School Association (HSA) made a Profit of £1336!

We hope that you all had a fantastic day and thoroughly enjoyed this joint School & Village event.

Many thanks to EVERYONE INVOLVED, including those who endured the Stocks which proved to be very popular!! No matter how big or small your contribution it made the Fayre possible and such a success!!

Rev'd. Rachma Abbott, The Vicarage, Clyffe Pypard, Swindon, Wiltshire, SN4 7PY For Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals or other special services Contact Rev'd Abbott(01793 731134), our Lay Pastoral Assistant, Val Procter (01249 760312), or the Churchwarden John Henly (01249 760401)

Produce Show On September 8<sup>th</sup> Bushton and Clyffe Pypard W I are holding their annual Produce Show in the Village Hall in Bushton (SN4 7PX).The Show is open to all. As always, there are plenty of different classes to enter as well as special ones for children. Full details are in the Schedule, for your copy contact Jan (01249 890726 / [jan\\_hargrave@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:jan_hargrave@yahoo.co.uk)). Even if you don't want to take part this year, do come and have a look at all the wonderful entries, and stay for a cup of tea and a slice of homemade cake. The Show is open from 3.00 and there's no charge for visitors.

**News from the Bell Tower.** Half-muffled ringing to mark the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of people connected with Hilmarton Parish who died as a result of the First World War continues this month. Just one anniversary in September and we will aim to continue our pattern of ringing from 6.30pm to 7.15pm  
27/9/19 - William Draper

Our open invitation to anyone who has ever wondered what bell ringing is about continues this month - come along to a practice and watch. If the bells are ringing between 7:30pm and 9:00pm any Monday just turn up, if you would like to check beforehand ring Elaine on 01249 760537.  
Elaine Leighton (Tower correspondent)

DATE	ST.LAURENCE - HILMARTON	OTHER BENEFICE CHURCHES
<b>Sunday 2nd September</b>	<b>8:00pm Act of Remembrance and Reflection for 100 Years, 100 days</b>	10:30am Benefice Communion - Tockenham
<b>Wednesday 5th September</b>	<b>2:00pm Communion in the Church, followed by tea &amp; coffee</b>	
<b>Sunday 9th September</b>	<b>10:30am All Age Service for Education Sunday</b>	10:30am Family Communion - Tockenham 6:00pm Evening Prayer with Act of Remembrance and Reflection for 100 Years, 100 days Broad Town
<b>Sunday 16th September</b>	<b>10:30am Communion</b>	8:00am Said Communion - Broad Town 6:00pm Evening Prayer & Act of Remembrance & Reflection- for 100yrs, 100 days - Clyffe Pypard
<b>Sunday 23rd September</b>		8:00am Said Communion - Clyffe Pypard 10:30am Communion - Broad Town 6:00pm Evening Prayer & Act of Remembrance & Reflection- for 100yrs, 100 days - Clyffe Tockenham
<b>Sunday 30th September</b>	<b>8:00pm Act of Remembrance and Reflection for 100 Years, 100 days</b>	10:30am Communion - Lyneham

**ITEMS FOR INCLUSION IN THE SEPTEMBER EDITION BY 16th AUGUST PLEASE** To [melwilkins@live.com](mailto:melwilkins@live.com) - 760572  
Jacquie Henly, Jays Cottage, Compton Road, Hilmarton. 760401 - [jacque88@btinternet.com](mailto:jacque88@btinternet.com) or Geoff Procter Breda Cottage, Church Road, Hilmarton 760312 - [geoffphilmarton@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:geoffphilmarton@hotmail.co.uk) ALL ENTRIES IN 'WORD' Format please.

**MORE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED IN WILTSHIRE TO LISTEN TO  
CHILDREN READ IN PRIMARY SCHOOLS**

Can you spare an hour or two a week to listen to children read in a primary school? The reading charity Schoolreaders is looking for volunteers to carry out this important role.

Reading time for many children at home and at school is often insufficient and one in four children are now leaving primary school unable to read to the required standard. This can have a lifelong consequence. No qualifications are necessary, just a good command of spoken and written English.

Schoolreaders is flexible and matches your availability to the closest local school needing this help. Our volunteers find the scheme incredibly rewarding, knowing that a few hours helping a child learn to read each week can have such a great impact on their life chances.

Please visit the website [www.schoolreaders.org](http://www.schoolreaders.org) to join or call 01234 924111 for further information.

**POLITE NOTICE**

PLEASE KEEP CALM

**NEXT BINGO**

**FRIDAY 14<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2018**

**The next Bingo will be on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> September and NOT Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September.**  
Our normal first Friday clashes with GOATFEST, also highly recommended.



**In the community Room poynder place, Hilmarton**

**6:45PM for eyes down at 7:00PM**

**All Welcome – all cash prizes – raffle**

**THE Snowball rEMAINS AT £70.00!**

**+ The full House - £80.00 WIN**

**draw for the ten-score club will also take place**

**ALL WELCOME**

**THE SNOWBALL will remain at £70.00 throughout 2018.**

**To play the monthly snowball we have introduced an annual bingo membership fee of £5.00 for the year.**

**This can be paid at any time and has enabled us to keep the snowball at its maximum Every MONTH**

