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Newsletter for the villages of Buckland and Chipping No.64

ANNUAL MEETINGS!!!! COME AND JOIN US

The Annual Parish meeting, Annual PC meeting and PC meeting 254 will all take place **from 1930 on Monday 19 May at St Andrews Church, Buckland**. This your chance to have your say in what the PC does in the coming year, your concerns, thoughts, ambitions and hopes for what we should work towards. Please come along and join in, the PC want to hear what you think. Ed

WITH THANKS

Regrettably the PC recently accepted the resignation of Mr John Noades as Chair of the PC. John has served as Chair brilliantly in recent years, using his skills and experience as a Town Cllr to guide the PC through some tricky issues. The PC (and I'm certain all villagers) would like t thank John for his service to our community and wish him well in his endeavours in the future. Cllr D Hall.

The Countryman takes a knock, but bounces back!



As reported in the Mercury in March, there was unexpected drama at our local pub when a truck smashed into it after losing control. Landlord and Landlady, Brian and Lorraine were in the building at the time of the crash but thankfully neither of them, or indeed anyone else was seriously hurt. The pub was open for business the same weekend (after some sweeping up and minus a porch!) and it has been business as usual since.

Dumping of Garden Waste in Chipping

Garden waste has been dumped at the start of the bridleway to Brook Cottage and Capon Wood in Chipping. This is to remind all villagers that this waste should always be disposed of in the proper way. Brown bins are supplied by East Herts to every household for that purpose. The bridleway is there for all to enjoy and is not a dumping ground. Such actions can be treated as fly tipping and individuals responsible liable to prosecution. Plese be considerate and use the bins provided. Ed

One from the Archive

1957 BUCKLAND SHOW

"A VARIETY SHOW WAS GIVEN AT THE VILLAGE HALL, BUCKLAND ON FRIDAY LAST PRODUCED BY MRS S COXALL AND MR W J NOADES. A COMPETITION TOOK PLACE DURING THE INTERVAL AND THE TOTAL PROCEEDS, AFTER EXPENSES, WERE £10 14S 2D OF WHICH £3 3S WAS GIVEN TO THE CHURCH REPAIR FUND AND THE BALANCE TO THE VILLAGE HALL FUND." Even way back our villages held events and raising funds. The PC plan to maintain the trend with events planned this year. Ed



Beds and Herts Historic Churches Trust



The 2013 Bike 'n' Hike raised a magnificent £117,736 easily beating the previous record. This is a worthy and fun event and well done to all those villagers who supported and took part. Ed

Macmillan Tribute Funds

Do something memorable this Father's Day. Remember. Celebrate. Change lives.

A leading cancer charity has created a special place where people can remember and celebrate the lives of loved ones they have lost to cancer. Losing someone you love can leave you feeling lost, particularly with Father's Day approaching. So, Macmillan Cancer Support have created a permanent place where friends and family can come together, share memories and even change lives.

*Local fundraising manager, Kerry Cunnane says "The website allows you to create a lasting legacy for your loved one – a legacy that will help Macmillan support more people with cancer and their families, if someone close to you dies from cancer, Macmillan are here for you. Call the support line on **0808 808 00 00** to help you cope with grief, give you all the practical information you need, and when you're ready, offer ways to celebrate the life of your loved one.*

To find out more about Macmillan tribute funds, visit www.macmillan.tributefunds.com, or contact Kerry Cunnane, Fundraising Manager, Herts & Essex at fundraising@macmillan.org.uk

Date of next PC meeting – No 254, St Andrews Church, Buckland from 1930, Monday 19 May

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