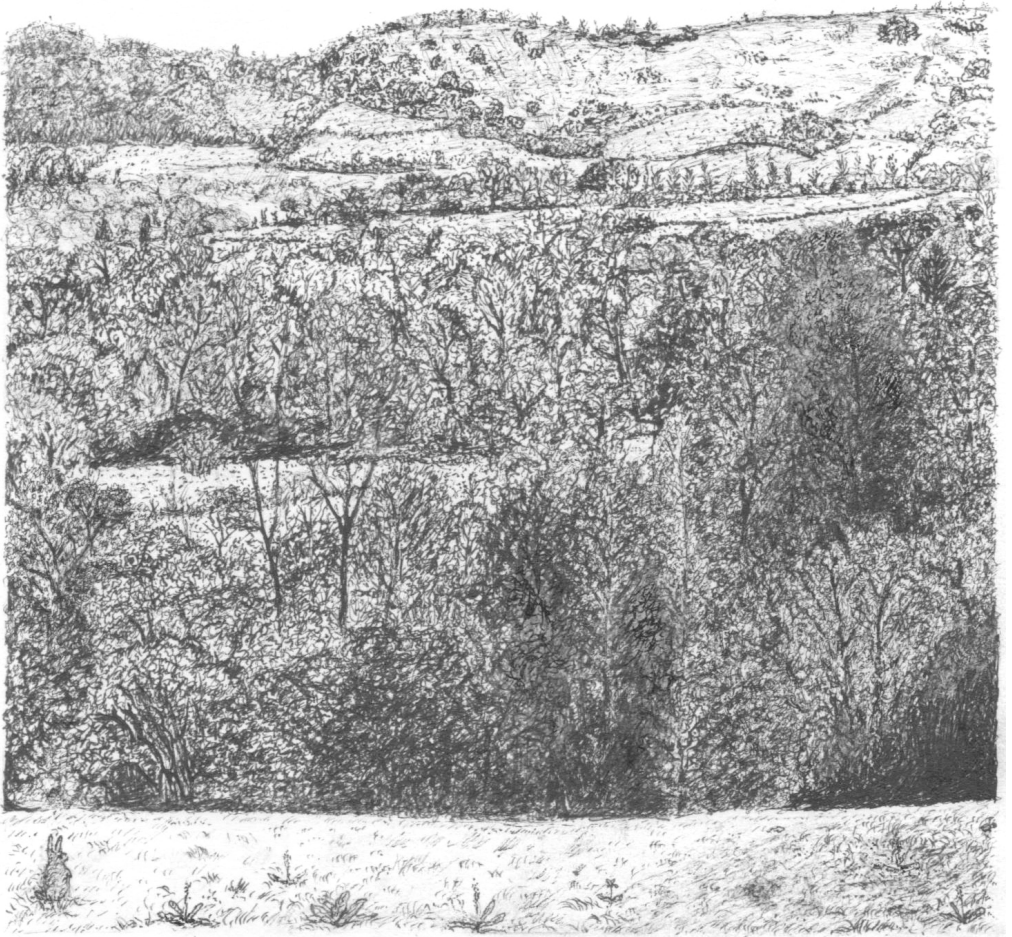


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The Church of St Peter Parish of Chailey



WEEKDAYS

Monday 8pm Bell Ringing Practice
Friday 5pm Choir Practice

New ringers and choir members always welcome.

Transport to services can be arranged: please contact the churchwardens. The Church is open during daylight hours.

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ROMAN CATHOLIC MASS

Herons Ghyll: Wednesday 9.30am Sunday 11.30am Holy Days 12 noon
Haywards Heath: Sunday 8.30am 10.30am 5pm
Uckfield: Saturday 5.30pm Sunday 9.30am
Lewes: Sunday 9am 10.30am

For further information about Roman Catholic services and activities, please contact Mrs Mary Butterfield, 01825 724003

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St Peter's
CHURCH CHAILEY

JULY SERVICES 2026

Sunday 5th July *The fifth Sunday after Trinity*
10am Morning Worship

Sunday 12th July *The sixth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion

Sunday 19th July *The seventh Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion

Sunday 26th July *The eighth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion with Bishop Will

Sunday 2nd August *The ninth Sunday after Trinity*
8am Holy Communion (BCP)
10am Parish Communion

BCP is the Book of Common Prayer (1662). All other Eucharistic Services are from Common Worship: Order One. We welcome everyone warmly and families and children are always welcome at all our services.

Rectors Ramble

"The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine upon you and be gracious to you."

(Numbers 6:24–25)

Dear friends,

Welcome to the July edition of the St Peter's Chailey's Church & Community Magazine. As I write this, the hedgerows are full, gardens are bursting with colour, and the long evenings invite us outdoors to enjoy the beauty of God's creation.

July has a different rhythm from the rest of the year. Schools break up for the summer holidays, families head away on holiday, village events fill the calendar, and many of us take the opportunity to slow down, rest, and spend time with those we love.

Rest is something that our modern world often undervalues. We live in an age of constant activity, where emails arrive around the clock, news is available every minute of the day, and many people feel under pressure to be continually productive. Yet from the very beginning of creation, God built rest into the pattern of life. In the book of Genesis, after six days of creation, God rested on the seventh day. Later, the commandment to keep the Sabbath reminds God's people that rest is not a luxury but a gift.

Jesus himself understood the importance of stepping away from the demands of daily life. Throughout the Gospels we read of him withdrawing to quiet places to pray, reflect, and spend time with his Heavenly Father. On one occasion, after the disciples had returned from a busy period of ministry, Jesus said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while" (Mark 6:31).

Summer offers many of us an opportunity to do just that. Whether we are travelling far afield, enjoying a day at the seaside, tending the garden, walking the South Downs, or simply sitting with a cup of tea in the sunshine, these moments of rest can refresh both body and soul. They remind us that life is about more than busyness and achievement. They remind us that we are human beings, not human doings.

Yet rest does not mean disengaging from God. In fact, some of our deepest encounters with God happen when we finally stop rushing. The beauty of a Sussex sunset, the laughter of grandchildren playing in the garden, the sound of birdsong on an early morning walk, (We have a wonderful Song Thrush with us at the moment) or the quiet of the prayer-soaked walls of our ancient church buildings, can all become moments when we become aware of God's presence.

The summer months also bring change. For some young people, exam results will determine the next stage of their education or career. Others may be moving home, changing jobs, beginning retirement, or facing new challenges and opportunities. Times of transition can be exciting, but they can also bring uncertainty.

It is reassuring to remember that God walks with us through every season of life.

The writer of Ecclesiastes reminds us that there is "a time for everything, and a season for every activity under heaven." Just as the natural world moves through the seasons, so do our lives. Some seasons are busy and demanding; others are quieter and reflective. Some are marked by joy and celebration, others by difficulty and loss. Through them all, God's faithfulness remains constant.

As a church community, summer often sees a mixture of activity and quietness. While some regular groups take a break, concerts, weddings, baptisms, village events and visitors bring new faces through our doors.

We are reminded that St Peter's is not simply a building, but a living community of people seeking to know, love and follow Jesus in Chailey, so why not come & see what it means to be a loving, encouraging community together.

Our church remains open throughout the summer, for prayer and reflection, and I encourage you, whether you are a regular worshipper or an occasional visitor, to make use of this peaceful space during the summer months. Many people tell us that simply sitting quietly in church for a few minutes brings a sense of calm and perspective that can be hard to find elsewhere.

As we enjoy the gifts of summer, let us also remember those for whom this season may be difficult: those who are lonely, unwell, grieving, or struggling with life's burdens. A phone call, a visit, or a simple act of kindness can make an enormous difference.

The love of Christ is often experienced through the care and compassion we show one another.

Whatever your plans for the coming months, may you find time for rest, renewal and thanksgiving.

May you discover afresh the beauty of God's world, the support of family and friends, and the peace that comes from knowing that God is with us in every season.

On behalf of everyone at St Peter's, I wish you a happy, safe and blessed summer, have a great month, be joyful, keep the faith and keep doing the little things that make a difference to those you love and those in need.

Rev Paul x

Prayer for the end of the school year

God of Wisdom and hope, we praise and thank you for the gift of this school year, a time filled with grace and blessings, opportunities and this past year more challenges than usual.

With the fulfilment of our summer hopes and dreams, watch over us in the weeks of rest ahead.

Guide us each day and help us to return to school with a new refreshed spirit and energy to continue in our journey of enjoyment, achievement friendship and learning.

Amen



July Diary

Thursday 2nd - Craft & Chat 6.30pm-8.30pm

Join us for our monthly meet-up at the church.
Bring along a craft you are working on or join in with our 'craft of the month'.
All are welcome but under 18s must be accompanied by an adult.

Monday 13th - Messy Church 4.30pm-6.30pm

For the whole family (children must be accompanied by an adult)
Crafts, games and activities, singing and stories. Finishes with a meal together.
Suggested donation £2 per family.

**Advance Notice - Saturday 8th August - Family Craft Day
10am-1pm**

Come and join us for a fun filled time, trying out different craft activities. Free entry.

Wednesdays - Open Doors 11am-3pm.

Come along for chat, cake and a cuppa! All ages welcome.

Sundays - We meet at 10.30am for a time of worship and we warmly invite you to join us.

Chailey Free Church, South Chailey, BN8 4AN

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Amen

Pastoral Care Fund

St Peter's church has set up a specific fund to help families in Chailey who are suffering from hardship and difficult circumstances. Help is available to anyone in the village, not just to church members. If you know of anyone who needs financial or material help and who would benefit from access to this fund, please contact Rev'd Paul Mundy, one of the Church Wardens, or email 'stpeterschurch12@hotmail.co.uk'. This fund is ongoing and if you feel you can contribute, however little, it would be very much appreciated.

Donations can be made at any time to the Treasurer or directly to the bank. (Chailey P C C, Sort Code 09-01-55 Account 06923088. Please state 'Pastoral Care Fund'). Cheques can be posted in the letterbox outside St Peter's bell tower or handed to a Church Warden.

If you are able to gift aid your donation, please include a note with your name, address and postcode, or you can email a note to the Treasurer via: 'stpeterschurch12@hotmail.co.uk'.

Chailey Bonfire Society

Thank you to everyone who supported our Bingo Night. It was a fun evening, and everyone had a good time. We were really pleased to have raised £831. Money will go towards our annual running costs and our bonfire celebrations on 7th November.

Our next fundraising event is a **Burger and Brains Quiz Night** at the Village Hall. Doors open at 6.30pm for a 7pm start. If you would like a ticket, please contact us by email or via Facebook (search Chailey Bonfire Society) to reserve your seats - £12 per person, maximum of 6 people per team. We will be running a bar and food will be available to order.

We are still looking for someone to join us, taking on the role of Secretary. It is an ideal opportunity to become involved in the bonfire society. If you are interested and would like further information, or meet us to have a chat, please contact us secretarychaileybonfire@gmail.com

Dates for your diary:

4 th July	Quiz Night at Chailey Village Hall
5 th Sept	Jumble Sale at Chailey Village Hall
19 th Sept	Badge/Membership Night at The Five Bells
7 th Nov	Bonfire Night
5 th Dec	Christmas Party

The winner of our June 100 Club draw was number 57 – James Pearson. Congratulations, and thank you for your support.

There is still time to get involved and help with our fundraising events, if you would like further information, please contact secretarychaileybonfire@gmail.com.

Or you can find us on Facebook – just search Chailey Bonfire Society.

Chailey Horticultural Society

On the 6th of June we held a very successful themed tea party in the village hall. As it was the anniversary of the D. Day landings the dress code was 1940s. We had a wonderful singer who sang all the old songs and a great time was had by all.

Our next event is the Summer Show on Saturday 25th July in the village hall. Doors open at 2 pm and the prize giving is at 4 pm. So please come and enjoy a lovely social occasion with a great tea available. Better still why not enter? Schedules and entry forms are available from committee members and at The Five Bells.

In my last article I predicted a hot summer with a prolonged drought. This assertion seems to have provoked torrential downpours , blustery winds and a cold spell! However the weather is now warming up again and we have had an appeal from South East Water to help conserve supplies.

July is a month when everything seems to be in full production.

Harvest overwintering onions and garlic. With onions let the foliage die down naturally. Do not bend it over as this may let disease in to infect the bulb. When the foliage has died down gently loosen the bulb with a fork about a week before lifting. Overwintering onions don't generally keep as well as those sown in the spring so use them straight away. It is quite difficult to tell when a garlic bulb is ripe because nothing much changes above ground especially in the case of hard neck varieties. However by late June and early July they will be ready. Lift them with the aid of a hand fork and clean and let them dry off in a warm dry place. I think when it is fresh garlic is at its best as the cloves are rich and moist and have the best flavour. Eventually store in a cool dry place.

Runner beans will be starting to produce. Keep them well watered and remove the growing tip when they reach the top of the canes and this will encourage more side shoots and a heavier crop. Pick regularly to ensure continuing production. A planting of dwarf French beans in early July will produce a moderate crop in the early autumn.

Plant out winter brassicas and protect them from birds , slugs and caterpillars. I would strongly recommend planting kale in any of its many varieties. As a vegetable it has been out of fashion for many years but is relatively trouble free and crispy kale roasted with a little oil and salt is absolutely delicious.

Also now plant chard for a late winter and spring harvest. Another vegetable that's been out of fashion and is impossible to buy. I favour the all white stem varieties rather than rainbow varieties. It is hardier and the stems provide a mild slightly celery like vegetable good in a cheese sauce.

When summer fruiting raspberries have finished fruiting cut down to ground level and tie in the new growth for next year.

When plums , greengages and cherries have finished fruiting it is a good time to do a bit of pruning and remove old dead wood and shape the tree.

Stop pulling rhubarb and give it a light covering of garden compost to allow the crown to gain strength for next year.

Wisteria will be producing long whispery growths that should be cut back to 3 to 4 leaf spurs Keep those water butts full!

Good Gardening

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From the Parish Leaflet July 1939

A LADY PARISHIONER writes: 'I will add £5 a year to my Freewill Offering and hope nine others will do likewise as a mark of gratitude and encouragement to our new Rector. If we women can raise £50 a year perhaps the men would do their bit to keep the Church out of the heavy debt which seems a stain on a parish such as ours.'

A GARDEN FETE in aid of the Heritage Craft Schools Chailey will be held on July 12th at Bevingdean North Common Chailey. If wet in the Kinnaird Room Heritage Craft Schools, North Common, Chailey. The fete will be opened by Captain Cotesworth at 3.00pm. Hubert Leslie, artist, entertainer and silhouettist will be in attendance. The Stalls are truly of great originality. Admission 6d. Tea 6d. Southdown buses pass the gates of Bevingdean and the Heritage.

Note; Hubert Leslie (1890-1976) was a well known British silhouettist, entertainer and teacher celebrated for cutting over 20,000 portraits across the UK. He is most famous for his seaside studio on the West Pier in Brighton where he offered quick affordable souvenir profiles to the public.

Annette Shelford - annette@shelford.net

Chailey Commons Society

Our outdoor activities have continued with our June flower walk on Red House Common, and it was well attended by an enthusiastic group of all ages keenly looking for the seasonal blooms. For the home brewers there is a good crop of elderflower so the resulting cordial will be delicious for the summer drinks. Lots of usual plants such as Foxgloves, Bramble, Tormentil, Buttercup (creeping) and even late bluebells were showing and a few special ones such as Orchid (common spotted), Violet, Milkwort and Figwort and a special mention of the Sandwort – tiny and quite rare.

Secondly, we did our Nightlife Safari starting at 8.30.p.m. and followed a special mysterious route in the gathering gloom. We were rewarded by a lovely warm evening with a beautiful sunset and as we approached the car park there was a surprise show by the nightjars churring and circling above us silhouetted against the night sky.

The commons have been so dry but early June has brought a change in the weather pattern with the Jet stream blowing in strongly giving wet and windy Low pressure areas across us and much needed rain has been falling.

The marked Wildlife Refuges are hidden now amongst the strong growth of birch and bracken and are providing the much needed safe areas for the ground nesting birds, especially the nightjars and other summer breeding inhabitants of the heathland. Please continue to avoid these for the time being.

As mentioned, the migrating Nightjars have arrived and should be with us until August, and we have been carrying out surveys on each common to monitor the number of nightjar territories and likely nesting activity. Results to follow.

The ponies are looking well in their summer coats so please do not feed the ponies but enjoy them from a distance. Our advice and request continues that if your property borders the commons, please do not be tempted to put any prunings or mowings onto the common. Grass mowings in particular can cause colic in ponies and lead to serious disease and death and prunings may be poisonous. Furthermore, the added nutrients lead to a decline in the heathland wild flowers. Thank you.

Forthcoming Events in 2026

- Saturday July 11th – Butterfly and Bird Walk with Adrian – Red House Common – 2.00.p.m. – 4.00.p.m.- meet at the car park.
- Wednesday August 12th – Family Holiday Discovery Time for accompanied children – Red House Common – 10.00.a.m. – 12.00. midday – meet at the car park.

For further information, visit our website – www.chaileycommons.org.uk or our Facebook page www.facebook.com/chaileycommons/ or friendsofmarkstakescommon.weebly.com

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Chailey Litter Pickers

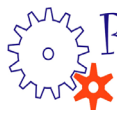
The Chailey Litter Pickers are a friendly and enthusiastic group of people who do their best to keep Chailey as clean and tidy as possible. We have been very busy already this year! You may have seen us in our high-vis jackets doing our regular monthly picks along the roads and verges. Please encourage everyone to help us by taking their litter home with them or using one of the many bins in the area!

The picks take place on different days of the week to enable as many people as possible to take part. In addition, some of the group pick their own areas as and when they are able to. The next group pick will be on Friday 17 July at 10.00am starting from the Sports Ground at North Chailey. Please come along and join us if you are free and would like to help.

We welcome new people to the group who are interested in helping to keep Chailey as clean and tidy as possible. Bin liners will be provided, as well as high-vis vests, gloves, grabbers, and hoops for those that need them. The more the merrier! Children over the age of 11 years are also welcome, but need to have an adult with them.

More information about the Chailey Litter Pickers and future dates can be found on www.facebook.com/chaileyilitterpickers

Sarah Droscher



Repair Café
Chailey

CHAILEY REPAIR CAFÉ – SHAPING UP FOR SUMMER!!!

June and July are always busy months for us at the Repair Café, as you bring all the kit you've just got out of the shed ready for summer! We'll gladly take on broken garden furniture including parasols and loungers, as well as sorting out those lawnmowers and strimmers and sharpening your garden tools. We have been inundated with toasters and vacuum cleaners recently - but please give that toaster a good shake before bringing it in to us to dislodge all those crumbs first! And do check the filters on that vacuum – it's amazing how many folks never clean or change them!! If you've lost the instructions, we'll find a copy online for you.

Our bike repairers will be hard at work sorting out repairs for bikes big and small and all that will be alongside our usual electrical and clothing repairs. There's a huge demand for our service nowadays, and we are always very busy when we open at 1000, with the queue forming by 0930, and then from 1200 as folks arrive later to beat the rush!! It sometime gets a bit quieter (but not much) between 1100 -1200. We'll always see you in order of arrival and as soon as we can, but please be patient – we are all volunteers who have given up a lot of our spare time to offer you this service!!

Chailey Repair Café is part of a world-wide movement where volunteer experts repair things free of charge – although a donation towards running costs is invited. Anyone can bring along broken items or clothing needing repair from home, and have a cuppa and a cake and then watch while your repairs is done in front of you..

You'll find us at St Peter's Church, Chailey on the A275 at Chailey Green on the second Saturday of each month (8th June, 13th July, 10th August and so on) between 1000hrs and 1300hrs where we have a full Café service including our legendary cakes!

Not sure if we can fix your broken item?? Contact us at chaileycr@gmail.com and we'll see what we can do to help.

See you very soon!!

Bryan McAlley and the Chailey Repair Café team

Chailey School Update – Summer Term 2026

It has been another busy and positive half-term here at Chailey School, with students continuing to demonstrate enthusiasm, resilience and a strong commitment to school life. We recently said farewell to our Year 11 students at their leavers' assembly, a moving occasion celebrating their humour, character and achievements. They are now fully focused on their GCSE examinations, and we wish them every success at this important time.

Across the school, students have been involved in a wide range of activities and achievements. We are incredibly proud of those who took part in the Junior UK Maths Challenge, showing excellent problem-solving skills and achieving fantastic results, with some progressing to the next round. In sport, our students continue to excel; Year 7 students represented the school brilliantly at a local athletics meet, while our Year 8 Street Cricket team made a strong start to their season with impressive performances at a local tournament. We are also delighted that several students have received awards from their local rugby club, recognising their dedication and success outside of school.

We have also been pleased to celebrate students who consistently demonstrate our school values, including those recognised through our rewards system for their commitment to learning and positive contributions to school life. During a recent visit from a representative from the Department for Education, it was noted how positively students spoke about the support they receive both academically and personally.

Looking ahead, the final weeks of term bring exciting opportunities. From 29th June, Year 10 students will undertake their work experience placements, supported by local employers, followed by Careers Workshops and Mock Interviews. At the same time, Year 9 will visit Wales for their residential trip, while Years 7 and 8 will take part in a week of Curriculum Enrichment activities. We are also excited to be welcoming the Year 6 students starting Chailey School in September for a two-day transition event during the same week. It's going to be busy!

We are continuing to develop plans for our proposed 3G pitch, which we hope will become a valuable asset for both the school and the wider community. Date for the next Community Meeting to follow.

We are pleased to be organising our annual Careers Fair on 17th September (11.00am–2.30pm) and warmly invite local employers to get involved. If you are interested in attending, please contact gwickens@chaileyschool.org.

See you in September!

Chailey Evening WI

Chailey Evening WI meet on Tuesday 7th July, at 7.30pm, at the village hall.

The speaker will be Chris Peskett and the subject 'A Legacy of Learning; Supporting Education in Rural Zimbabwe'.

Chris, a retired teacher, with others started a charity 'The Friends of St James Mission and School, Zimbabwe' in 1993. This charity supports a rural Anglican mission, pre-school, primary school and girls' boarding secondary school located 80 km (50 miles) northwest of Bulawayo in Matabeleland, Zimbabwe. The charity does three things, the first is funding for salaries for pre-school teachers and educational bursaries for vulnerable girls transitioning from primary to boarding school.

As all secondary school education in Zimbabwe is fee-paying inevitably the costs are usually beyond the financial reach of most people in rural areas. Education bursaries for pupils in Zimbabwe give secondary school girls vital access to a broad and varied education.

The second thing is helping towards the essential supply of a free, nutritious, cooked mid-day meal for roughly 220 pre-school and primary pupils attending the local school who face rural hardship. With many students walking up to eight miles per day to attend school this subsidised meal is vital and for some this is their main meal of the day.

Thirdly the charity helps maintain the local clinic, water supply systems and vehicle/transport equipment.

To learn more about the work of this charity and Chris's visits to the St James Mission and School, where she taught for a while, please do attend the meeting on 7th July.

The first visit to Chailey Evening WI is free and includes refreshments.

For more information about Chailey WI visit the group's Facebook page, email cwichailey@gmail.com or call 07546 592739.

Friends of Chailey Windmill

The Windmill and Rural Life Museum will be open on Sunday 12th and 26th July both days 3 - 5pm .

Admission is free but donations are welcome towards the upkeep of this landmark . Recently the Bolnore cub pack enjoyed a walk across Red House Common followed by a tour of the windmill during which they asked questions about the history of the buiding and showed a real interest in the many and varied exhibits .

The Friends are pleased to display more items which illustrate Chailey past and present

John Smith 01825 723519

Citizens Advice Drop In

Citizens Advice offer a monthly Drop In advice session at Chailey St Peter's Church. The next session will be on Friday 3rd July 10am - 1pm. St Mary's Church Newick is also hosting a session on Tuesday 14th July 12pm -2pm

High quality, impartial and professional advice, support and referrals given on a huge range of topics, including welfare benefits, housing issues, food and energy poverty, debt and much more.

This is a great opportunity to get easy access to advice locally without having to travel long distances for appointments.

Local transport can be provided by Newick Good Neighbours Service from Chailey Newick and Fletching please ring 07933096033

www.Lewesdistrictca.org.uk

Many thanks

Bea Annis (Church Warden Chailey St Peter's Church

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New Season; September 2026 to June 2027

We close for the summer but have an exciting new programme planned for you!

We start the season with several lectures on a musical theme. In December Catherine Tackley will be talking on the Golden Age of British Dance Bands. She is more than qualified for this, an active musician, she directs Dr Jazz and the Cheshire Big Cats Big Band.

In January, Bertie Pierce, a gold star member of the Magic Circle, performer and cabaret artist will be leading us through the wonders of theatre design.

We meet every second Wednesday in the month starting on 9th September in the Civic Hall in Uckfield. Ours lecture begin at 2.30 prompt, but you are welcome to come earlier and enjoy coffee/tea and biscuits. We pride ourselves on being a really friendly society and apart from the lectures also organise visits and, of course, we always have a splendid Christmas lunch at the Cinema Restaurant. If you want to learn a little, smile or even laugh a little, do come and join us, you will be made to feel more than welcome.

Meantime all my best wishes to you all and of course have a wonderful summer.

Annette Shelford
annette@shelford.net

Lewes Flower Club

Thursday 9th JULY 2026 - 1.00 p.m. (doors open at 12.30 p.m.)

Beechwood Community Hall, Cooksbridge BN7 3QG

Demonstrator - Lucinda Knapman - 'Fabulous Flowers'

Visitors- £7.00 to include a cup of tea/coffee and a biscuit followed by a flower demonstration and flower raffle.

The Bevern Trust

Stronger together - Our Community in Action

We are so thankful for the widespread generosity of so many throughout our local communities, from individuals, local businesses and companies, to community groups and organisations - your support is so important to us.

Recently we were delighted to take part in the **Uckfield Lions Fun Fair Day** where we ran a fundraising stall called *How Long Can You Last?* Participants made a donation for the chance to test their endurance by holding buckets of sand. The challenge proved great fun for all involved and the competitor who lasted longest took home a fantastic prize.

We would like to extend our sincere thanks to **Barcombe Stores** for generously donating the winner's prize and for collaborating with us to make the event such a success. Their kindness and ongoing support are greatly appreciated.

We are also extremely grateful to the Uckfield Lions for welcoming us to be part of their fundraising day. Events like these not only raise valuable funds but also strengthen the connections between The Bevern Trust and the wider community.

Thank you to everyone who took part donated, volunteered or continues to support The Bevern Trust.

The Bevern Trust is a disability charity based in Barcombe and Bevern View is its residential home, providing lifelong care for 11 young adults with profound disabilities.

Donate: www.beverntrust.org

Email: info@beverntrust.org

Follow us on social media: [@thebeverntrust](https://www.instagram.com/thebeverntrust)

Thank you for your support!

Chailey News - August Issue

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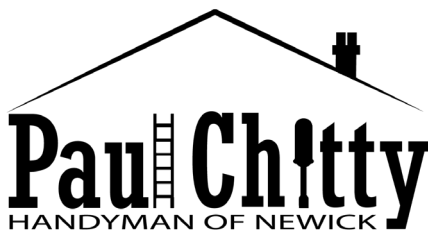
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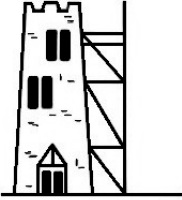
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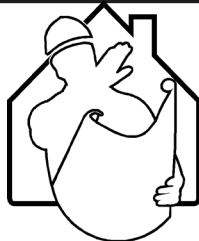
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