



JORDANS VILLAGE COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

February 2023

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Welcome to the February issue of your community newsletter! It's a sad fact of life that so many people's lives are affected by cancer; thankfully the death rate is generally falling [according to Cancer Research UK](#). Some of that is down to advances in medical research and treatment, but being aware of the risk and catching signs of it as early as possible is perhaps just as important to stand a chance of surviving. One form of cancer that affects a lot of men is prostate cancer, and I've come to know several residents who have suffered from it, the most well-known being Bill Turnbull. Bill's daughter Flora announced on what would have been his 67th birthday that she is taking on the London Marathon to promote awareness, and Chiltern Prostate Cancer Support group has been invited to come and give a talk to residents about it at our Village Hall in March. If you are worried about this disease or just want to learn more, then come along - it might be the most important event you attend.

Moving on to cheerier subjects! The February issue is packed full of news about exciting events happening over the coming months, as well as new research published by the Our Living Village team, so read on and enjoy.

Chris Jenkins, Editor

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Pictures of the Month



Above: Zoe on the Jordans WhatsApp group shared this image of an amazing sunset

Below: The resident robin who hangs out at the JVL workshop and keeps a beady eye on us!



Above: Liz Butterworth captured this beautiful image, which sums up the weather in January!



TMC News

The Founders' Supper – Saturday 18th February

Come and join us at the annual Founders' Supper to celebrate the founding of the Village 104 years ago, which takes place in the Village Hall on Saturday 18th February from 7:00pm.

You'll enjoy a 2-course supper, good company and some mystery entertainment. Tickets are priced at £12:50 per person and can be purchased from the TMC desk in the Village Store, which will be manned from 9:00am until 12:00 noon on Sat 4th, Sun 5th, Sat 11th and Sun 12th. Use the QR code to purchase tickets on line at www.jordanstmc.sumupstore.com or phone Pat on 01494 874565. Numbers are limited so please book your tickets early.

TMC Events 2023

Here is the list you've all been waiting for - save the dates in your diaries!

- Founders' Supper - Saturday 18th February
 - Summer Fair - Saturday 10th June
 - Music on the Green - Sunday 2nd July
 - Sports Day - Saturday 9th September
 - Children's Christmas Party & Christmas Tree Lights switch on - Saturday 2nd December
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Jordans Village Community Store News



JORDANS VILLAGE COMMUNITY STORE PRESENTS THE GRAND AUCTION

**TO RAISE FUNDS FOR A SMART LONGER COUNTER AND A MUCH NEEDED
FREEZER**

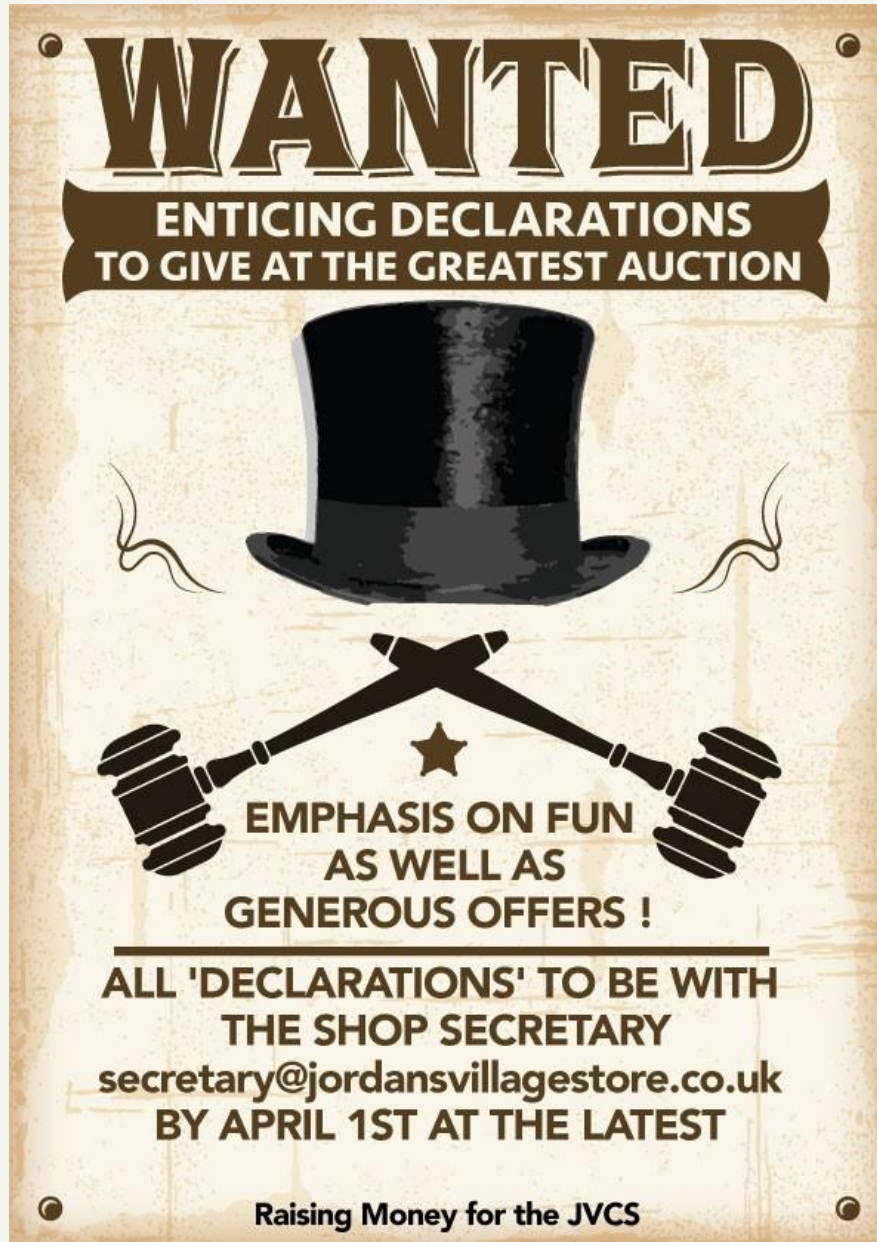
VENUE - JORDANS VILLAGE HALL

DATE - SATURDAY 22nd APRIL

TIME - 8pm

Sign up for an evening guaranteed to be a lot of fun and full of laughter.
You could end up with an adventure / holiday / outing that dreams are made of!

Tickets available at Jordans Village Community Store



WANTED!

Anything you can offer to be auctioned at THE GRAND AUCTION!

A bike ride in the countryside with lunch thrown in; A long weekend in your holiday house; A tour round the ground of your Premiership football team; A day out at Lego Land; Sort out your garden for a morning.

Simply ANYTHING that you can offer however big or small!

All to be with the Jordans Village Community Store Secretary by Saturday 1st April



The Jolly Quaker

The Jolly Quaker is back on Friday, February 3 and we'll have Olivero's Pizza's truck visiting the village hall between 7 and 9 pm!

We will open **exceptionally** at 7 pm this month so that you can get a beer to go with your pizza!

You can order pizza in advance via Olivero's Facebook page (facebook.com/oliveros.uk) or by texting 07958 390780 - or just turn up on the night.

Here's the menu (click images to enlarge - opens in new window):



Francesca Bagneris & Paul Wilson, Publicans



Jordans Concerts

More Village Concerts!

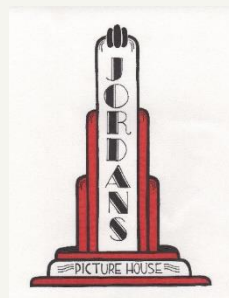
The concert on 21 January was a great success, with our local musicians providing a great range of enjoyable music. Benjamin Taylor and William Taylor started us off with two lively piano pieces, and we finished with a teenage string quartet playing Schubert. In between Nigel Morgan read some poetry, and Jan Davey, a composer from Great Missenden, played one of her own pieces with Esther Cavett and performed a piece specially written for the evening with nine other players! Altogether we had twelve performances, and our thanks go to the performers, to the audience, who clearly enjoyed the evening, and to everyone who helped organise the event.

Our next concert, on Friday 17 March, is also going to be very special. The English Piano Trio will be playing music by Beethoven, Haydn, and Rutland Boughton. Who, you may ask! Rutland was born in Aylesbury in 1878, was a successful composer of opera, choral and orchestral music in the early 20th century, and founded the first Glastonbury Festivals (for opera, not rock music). He had strong connections with Jordans, because of his close friend, Des Newell (whose daughter was Emma Dodd, whom many villagers will remember), and visited the village many times. After his death in 1960, his widow, Kay Boughton, came to live in Jordans, for some time living with the Newell family.

Boughton's music went out of fashion after he joined the Communist Party in the 1920s. The English Piano Trio, wanting to revive his music, has recorded his Piano Trio, and will be launching their CD at our concert. Members of the Boughton and Newell families will be joining us, and we hope that many Jordans residents will come as well. The concert starts at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

And on Friday 23 June, we have another concert, this time with Esther Cavett and Jane Faulkner playing classical music in the first half, and some lively Irish folk music in the second half. Another date for your diary!

Bob Hall



Jordans Picture House

OUR SCREENINGS CONTINUE IN FEBRUARY AND MARCH...



On Friday February 10th we shall screen “The Courier”. Doors open at 7:15 p.m. and the Programme starts at 8:00 p.m.

The Courier (12A) 2020

Awards: 1 Nomination, Rotten Tomatoes Audience Score 95%

Cast: Benedict Cumberbatch; Merab Nididze; Rachel Brosnahan. Director: Dominic Cooke

Based on actual events, Cold War spy Greville Wynne and his Russian source try to put to an end to the Cuban missile crisis.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qeo8qs9xohM>



On Tuesday February 21st we shall screen “After Love”. Doors open at 7:15 p.m. and the Programme starts at 8:00 p.m.

After Love (12A) 2020

Awards: 4 BAFTAs, 11 Wins, 15 Nominations. Rotten Tomatoes Audience Score 86%

Cast: Joanna Scanlan; Natalie Richard; Talid Ariss. Director: Aleem Khan.

Set in the port of Dover, Mary Hussein suddenly finds herself a widow following the unexpected death of her husband. A day after the burial she discovers he has a secret, just 21 miles across the English Channel in Calais.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wUVHzMgbW4I>



On Friday March 10th we shall screen “Promising Young woman”. Doors open at 7:15 p.m. and the Programme starts at 8:00 p.m.

Promising Young Woman (15) 2020

Awards: 1 Oscar, 113 Wins, 138 Nominations.

Rotten Tomatoes Audience Score 87%

Cast: Carey Mulligan; Bo Burnham; Alison Brie. Director: Emerald Fennell.

A young woman, traumatised by a tragic event in her past, seeks out vengeance against those who crossed her path. A gripping psychological thriller!

Carey Mulligan is simply outstanding in the lead role. It was written and directed by Emerald Fennell, who was the executive producer of TV’s “Killing Eve”. This may tell you something about the style of the film.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7i5kiFDunk8>



On Tuesday March 21st we shall screen “Just Mercy”. Doors open at 7:15 p.m. and the Programme starts at 8:00 p.m.

Just Mercy (12A) 2021
Awards: 9 Wins, 19 Nominations. Rotten Tomatoes Audience Score 99%
Cast: Michael B. Jordan; Jamie Foxx; Brie Larson. Director: Destin Daniel Cretton.
World-renowned civil rights defence attorney Bryan Stevenson works to free a wrongly condemned death row prisoner.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GVQbeG5yW78

DON'T FORGET OUR CHRISTMAS PRESENT TO YOU



If you have never been to a screening at Jordans Picture House, we are offering the first ticket free.

If you are a Member of Jordans Picture House, you can claim a free ticket for yourself if you introduce a friend or neighbour who has never been to a screening before and they will get the first ticket free as well.

This offer includes all screenings in January through to Tuesday May 9th, the screening of “The Phantom of the Open” - 12 films.

How it operates: you should buy your ticket from the website in the normal way and then claim your refund when you check in for the film.

We hope to see some new faces enjoying the relaxed and happy community ambience of our screenings.

HOW TO BUY TICKETS (Adults £8.00, U15s £5)

Online:	Go to www.jordanspicturehouse.co.uk
	See “Programme & Buying Tickets”
Jordans Box Office: (Alan Sealy)	Email: alan@janetsealypartnership.com
	Phone: 01494 873205
Seer Green Box Office: (Gill Pettman)	Email: gillyp4@btinternet.com
	Phone: 01494 678050





Chiltern Prostate Cancer Support Group

www.chilternsp prostatecancersupportgroup.co.uk

**YOUR LOCAL PROSTATE CANCER BRIEFING IN
JORDANS VILLAGE HALL ON
FRIDAY MARCH 24th at 18:00**

Organised by the Chilterns Prostate Cancer Support Group to raise awareness with a presentation by Joe Kearney, Advanced Nurse Practitioner at Buckinghamshire Healthcare Trust

Key facts:-

1. Incidence – In males it is the most common cancer with 50K cases diagnosed per year in the UK. (Average 52,254 in 2016-2018).
2. Risks - It mostly affects men aged 50 or over and the risk increases as you get older. You are two and a half times more likely to get it if your father or brother has had it. Black men have double the risk and develop it younger.
3. Most men with early prostate cancer don't have any symptoms. That is why it's important to know about your risk. If it is diagnosed early, before spreading, preventative treatment can be effective.
4. Regular PSA testing is currently recommended for all men over 50. For further information, see: <https://prostatecanceruk.org/for-health-professionals/guidelines/interim-position-on-the-psa-blood-test-in-asymptomatic-men>
5. There is a 78% survival rate (for 10 years) based on England & Wales data for 2013-2017.

(Source *Cancer Research UK* 2016-2018)

If you have already been diagnosed, no doubt you are already "expert". If you have not been diagnosed and/or are blissfully unaware a briefing could save your life.

If you would like to attend the briefing which is FREE please register, in order to avoid disappointment (maximum capacity just 60) using the following link:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/prostate-cancer-briefing-tickets-524645277147>

For further information contact:

George Allison on 01494 725548 or at g.allison@yahoo.co.uk

Or Barry Sarl, Chair of CPCSG at cpcsghw1@gmail.com or on 07885 594010



Bill Turnbull's daughter Flora follows in his footsteps by taking on London Marathon in his memory

On what would've been Bill Turnbull's 67th birthday, Flora Turnbull announces she'll take on epic challenge.

Click here for video:

<https://twitter.com/i/status/1618224336833318912>

Bill Turnbull's warmth as a breakfast show host woke us up each morning. His diagnosis woke up Britain to prostate cancer. And his death sparked an outpouring of love and the biggest ever spike of people checking their risk in a single day.

The much-loved BBC Breakfast broadcaster and journalist inspired millions with his warmth, humour and easy charm. And since he shared the news of his diagnosis in 2018, he pushed prostate cancer up the agenda and saved countless lives.

Now his daughter is continuing that legacy. In his memory, his daughter Flora will run the London Marathon to raise money to save men's lives. A challenge the great man himself took on, no fewer than five times.

[Donate to help Flora save more men like Bill](#)

[On Flora's fundraising page](#) she says, *"My dad ran the London marathon five times during his life and I am hugely honoured to be able to run it in his memory. He will be with me every step of the way. I want to ensure that everyone can keep their dads, partners, brothers, sons, grandads, uncles and friends around for as long as possible"*. **You can** [donate to Flora's fundraising page here](#).



What's in a (road) name?

Have you ever wondered why our roads have such quirky names as Coat Wicks and Wynnswick, where the Manor was, or who Howard might have been?

Our Living Village – On the Street Where You Live

It's a new year, and there's plenty of new information on the Our Living Village website to amuse, inform and delight – www.ourlivingvillage.org.

Firstly, there's an extensive new theme on [The Origin of Our Street Names](#) written by Nigel Rothwell, extending the original research done by Geoffrey Sawyer. Why do our roads have such quirky names as Coat Wicks and Wynnswick, where was the Manor, and who might Howard have been? Have a look to see if your road's included or not, and please give us your feedback.

We've also posted a [Seer Green Heritage Walk](#) which incorporating information from last year's Chiltern Society and Eight O'clock Club village walks. This illustrates a walk through the village of Seer Green and its history that can be used either as a virtual tour of the village, or as a guided tour of the village on a mobile phone or tablet.

And finally, Nigel Morgan continues to enrich the theme of [Music, Literature & the Arts](#) by discovering new local personalities. Please do have a look and find out about the creative endeavours of William Bowyer Honey - formerly of The White House, Copse Lane – the author and curator of the Department of Ceramics at London's Victoria & Albert Museum.

As ever, please do get in touch if you've got information you'd like to provide or you'd like to know more about this exciting local community project.

Alan Kell, Seer Green & Jordans Society

ourlivingvillage@hotmail.com

Buckinghamshire's Local Heritage List

The first entries on to the LHL were ratified by the County Council in early January - a total of 771 sites across the county - so these are now formally adopted as 'Non-Designated Heritage Assets'. You

might have seen some local and national coverage on this.

[Buckinghamshire Council reveals first ever county-wide Local Heritage List | Buckinghamshire Council](#)

[Buckinghamshire model village and rocket test site on heritage list - BBC News](#)

I thought it worth sharing the status of those properties/sites that have so far been submitted for consideration from Seer Green & Jordans - see the table below. 14 out of the county wide total of 771 are ours - 2% of the county so far - so I'm pretty chuffed about that! Though I'm also disappointed about the timber shelter on Jordans Village Green and the 1934 Memorial stone in Crutches Wood - but really it needs someone in Jordans, with a better understanding of their history, to make a more convincing argument for them than I was obviously able to do.

This is a dynamic process, so hopefully there's more to come; and we can continue to submit new candidates (or furnish more info where this is considered lacking). I'm happy to do that on our behalf, if anyone is aware of properties or sites that might have been missed which fit the criteria.

As previously shared (with most of you anyway I think) the Golf Clubhouse has actually been progressed to the National Schedule II Statutory list. I have also questioned whether Rawlings Farm should be considered for Statutory listing - I've been told that there is a willingness for BCC to investigate this IF more information on its history and more photos can be provided. Given that it is still being advertised for sale with full planning consent for demolition and replacement, then I think owner support for this is unlikely! However, note that the planning consent has most likely expired (despite the advertising blurb), as there was a condition attached requiring development to start within a 3 year window (from October 2019).

BCC Local Heritage List project

Candidate	Location	Status (January 2023)
Beaconsfield Golf Clubhouse	Seer Green	Grade II listed
Broom House	Seer Green	Locally listed
East Barn	Seer Green	Locally listed
Gilbert Scott K6 Telephone Box	Jordans	Locally listed
Village Hall	Jordans	Locally listed
Old Baptist Chapel	Seer Green	Locally listed
Old Vicarage	Seer Green	Locally listed
Paul Christian Woodham memorial	Crutches Wood	Locally listed
Pre-Worboys road sign	Jordans	Locally listed
Rawlings Farm	Seer Green	Locally listed
Parish Hall	Seer Green	Locally listed
Estate Office	Jordans	Locally listed
Jolly Cricketers	Seer Green	Locally listed
West Barn	Seer Green	Locally listed
Polish Resettlement Camp monument & plaque	Hodgemoor Woods	For review
War Memorial	Seer Green	For review
West Barn summer house	Seer Green	For review

Aggregate field system	Hodgemoor Woods	Work in progress
Beaconsfield Golf Course	Seer Green	Work in progress
Crutches Wood	Jordans	Work in progress
Curvilinear ditched enclosure	Hodgemoor Woods	Work in progress
Green Meadow	Seer Green	Work in progress
Green Wood	Seer Green	Work in progress
Green Wood Curvilinear Enclosures	Seer Green	Work in progress
Hodgemoor Woods	Hodgemoor Woods	Work in progress
Recreation Ground	Jordans	Work in progress
Ponds House	Seer Green	Work in progress
Possible site of SG manor	Seer Green	Work in progress
Ridge & Furrow field system	Hodgemoor Woods	Work in progress
Roman Road	Hodgemoor Woods	Work in progress
The Shieling	Jordans	Work in progress
Cemetery	Seer Green	Work in progress
Wrought iron railings	Holy Trinity churchyard	Work in progress
Timber shelter	Jordans	Insufficient information
19 Chalfont Road	Seer Green	Rejected
Crutches Wood 1934 Memorial	Jordans	Rejected
Lamp post	Jordans	Rejected
Pollards	Seer Green	Rejected
Railway bridge	Seer Green	Rejected
Rose Cottage	Seer Green	Rejected
School & School house	Seer Green	Rejected
SG Baptist Church (new)	Seer Green	Rejected
Three Horseshoes	Seer Green	Rejected
Vine Cottage	Seer Green	Rejected

Kind regards,

Nigel Rothwell

Jordans Players

The Jordans Players Costumes Give Away - the outcome!

As promised in the January Newsletter, this momentous event took place on 21st January, with literally hundreds of dresses, wigs, 1930s college blazers, military uniforms, an ARP warden's tin hat, top hats and the occasional ballerina's tutu proudly on display, all looking for new homes. I am delighted to say that in large measure (pun intended) this they did, which included the splendid Young Theatre at Beaconsfield. Not that residents of Jordans missed an opportunity either, as we can see from this striking image of David Leutner in the kaftan that he took home. What wasn't gratefully scooped up went to the Rennie Grove Hospice Care shop in Beaconsfield.



Many thanks to all who were involved in setting out the display in the village hall on the evening before, and those who participated on the day itself. Lots of work- but lots of fun too.

Nigel Morgan



Please pick up after your dog

Although this newsletter is strictly not a JVL mouthpiece, several residents have contacted me lately about inconsiderate people walking their dogs around Jordans off the lead, which stray into private driveways and gardens to deposit unwanted gifts. They asked if I could include a reminder about this in the Newsletter, which as its editor I agreed to do.

It should go without saying that dog owners and dog walkers should never leave their dog's mess behind anywhere on the Jordans Estate or elsewhere, and should certainly not leave bags full of waste in bushes along footpaths or anywhere other than in the red bins provided on the Village Green and by Crutches Wood in Beech Lane.

It's disgusting and I am rather fed up with writing about it; I can imagine how frustrating it is to be on the receiving end. If residents see anyone doing this, please direct them to where the bins can be found.

- Ed

Events Calendar

- ***The Jolly Quaker***
 - *Friday 3rd February 2023 from 7:00 pm*
 - Jordans Village Hall
- ***Jordans Picture House***
 - *Friday 10th February 2023 from 7:15pm*
 - *Tuesday 21st February 2023 from 7:15 pm*
 - *Friday 10th March 2023 from 7:15 pm*
 - *Tuesday 21st March 2023 from 7:15 pm*
 - Jordans Village Hall
- ***TMC Founders' Supper***
 - *Saturday 18th February 2023*
 - Jordans Village Hall
- ***Village Concert***
 - *Friday 17th March 2023*
 - Jordans Village Hall
- ***Chiltern Prostate Cancer Support Group***
 - *Friday 24th March 2023 @ 6pm*
 - Jordans Village Hall
- ***Summer Fair***
 - *Saturday 10th June 2023*
 - Jordans Village Green
- ***Music on the Green***
 - *Sunday 2nd July 2023*
 - Jordans Village Green
- ***Cricket Match***
 - *Sunday 30th July 2023*
 - Jordans Village Green
- ***Sports Day***
 - *Saturday 9th September 2023*
 - Jordans Village Green
- ***Children's Christmas Party & Christmas Tree Lights***
 - *Saturday 2nd December 2023*
 - Jordans Village Hall & Green

Regular Events in Jordans

Jordans Meeting House

Welders Lane HP9 2SN

In Person Meetings - Sundays Weekly 10:30 am

Contact Adrienne Midgley

adriennemidgley@hotmail.com | 01753 889581

Junior Jordans Sunday School 10:30 am in the Penn Room

Contact David Matthews

07779 251107

General Enquiries & Reservations

Nina Liebenberg, Manager

office@jordansquakercentre.org | 01753 889581 | www.jordansquakercentre.org

Tai Chi / Qi Gong

Village Hall

Thursdays Weekly 6 pm & 7 pm classes

Contact Keith Fensom

keith.fensom@gmail.com | 07787 224823 | www.yangshengtaichi.com

The Jolly Quaker pop-up Pub

Village Hall

1st Friday Monthly from 7:30pm

Paul or Francesca on 07929 731423

Jordans Picture House

Village Hall

2nd Friday & some Tuesdays and Sundays Monthly (Autumn - Spring)

Contact Alan Sealy

alan@janetsealypartnership.com | 01494 873205 | www.jordanspicturehouse.co.uk

Toddlers in the Woods

Crutches Wood

Fridays weekly from 9:15 am - 10:15 am

Contact Ali Cork

alicork686@gmail.com | 07803 139079

Lunch Club

Thursdays Monthly in the Village Hall

Arrive at 1pm for Lunch at 1:15pm. Cost £8

February 16th - Pat Holdsworth 01494 874565

March 16th - Therese Rogers 01494 874171

April 20th - Pat Holdsworth 01494 874565

May 18th - Pat Holdsworth 01494 874565

June 15th - Therese Rogers 01494 874171

July 20th - Pat Holdsworth 01494 874565

September 14th - Pat Holdsworth 01494 874565

October 19th - Therese Rogers 01494 874171

November 16th - Pat Holdsworth 01494 874565

December 14th - All

Please confirm your place with the hostess by the Monday preceding the Lunch.

Please give 3 days' notice if you wish to cancel. BYO Alcohol

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If there is a subject you'd like to talk about, an event in Jordans you'd like to publicise, or have some other news relating to the Village, please contact Chris Jenkins, the newsletter Editor, on 01494 875177 or via email estateoffice@jordansvillage.co.uk

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