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Happy New Year, and welcome to the January 2019 issue of the Jordans Village Community Newsletter!

We start the first issue of our Centenary year with more details on the festivities being planned, as well as big news from the Village Store and on the Village Hall.

Following the introduction of the new layout last month, we found that users of Apple iPhones / iPads aren't able to use the hyperlinks in the menu, as their devices don't support such modern technology! They will just have to scroll down as before, but everyone else will be able to click the links in the menu on the right to automatically navigate to the article you want to read.

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Have a great 2019!

Chris Jenkins, Editor

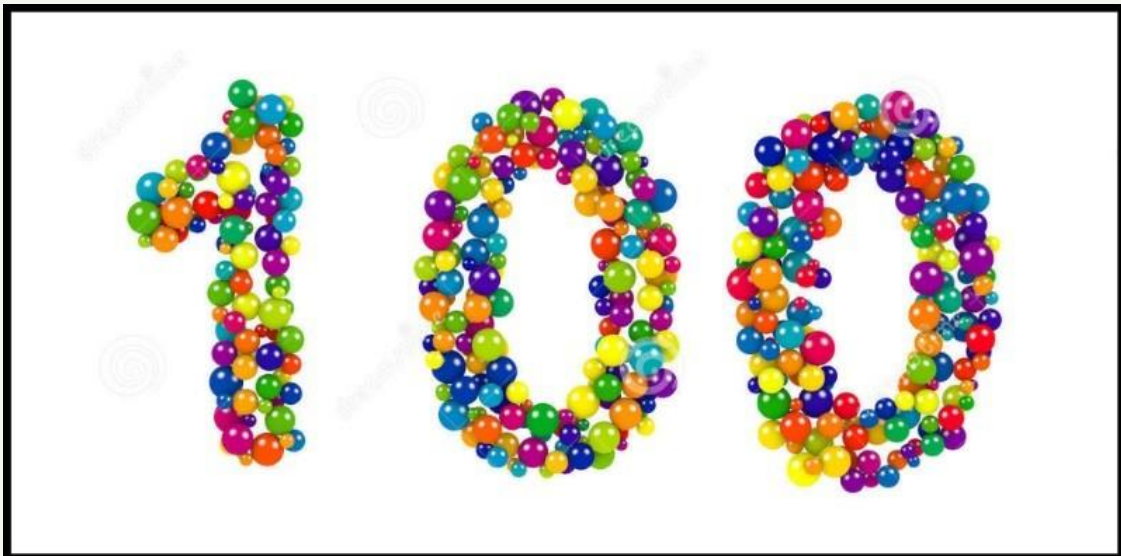
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Jordans Centenary News

Summer Barn Dance - Saturday 22nd June 2019

The Summer Barn Dance takes place on Saturday 22nd June, from 5 o'clock till late, and is all set to be the best celebration ever to hit Jordans. You will be crazy to miss it - very few will still be around to see another!

The programme

- A fantastic hog roast with exciting vegetarian option and a delicious dessert to kick the evening off
- A Bucking Bronco on the Green throughout the evening - more likely to stay in the saddle if you have a go before you hit the bar!
- The cash bar will be open all evening - *Jolly Quaker* prices of course!

- A Barn Dance - very light-hearted and for ALL ages
- A brilliant singer with amazing backing music - he specialises in both cheesy & trendy
- A DJ on hand for when our singer needs lubrication!
- And of course dancing late into the night

It's only one night, so residents round The Green please join in or just be understanding.

Thanks to the amazing support and funds raised at THE GREATEST AUCTION the ticket prices are Jordans style and not what you would expect to pay for such an event elsewhere.

Tickets will be on sale next month priced at £30 per adult, and only £10 for all those between 5 and 15 years old. Under 5's are free. Watch out for full details on how to get your tickets - don't miss out!

TMC Village Supper

The TMC will be hosting the Centenary Founders' Supper in the Village Hall on Saturday 16th February.

The Village Supper is always held on the Saturday closest to the anniversary of the Village; the foundation stone of the first Cottage was officially laid on 15th February 1919.

This year's Founders' Supper will be traditional but extra special for our Centenary year. More news on that below...

Ali Cork

Jordans Centenary Committee

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Jordans Centenary News

TMC Village Supper - Saturday 16th February 2019

A reminder to save Saturday 16th February 2019 in your diaries and on your calendars.

It is the Jordans Village "Centenary" annual TMC village supper.

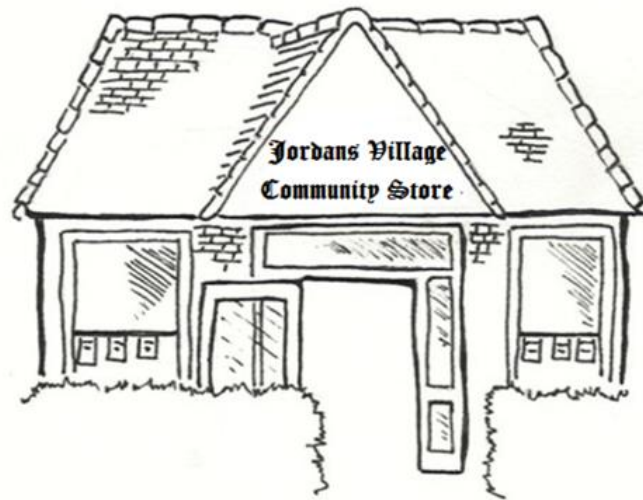
Come along and share this special evening of entertainment, fun and laughter with family and friends.

There will be a three-course meal with a bottle of red and white complementary per table, with coffee, and chocolates compliments of Sebastian Bunce.

**TICKETS £12.50 ON SALE AT THE VILLAGE STORE FROM 26th JANUARY
GET YOUR TICKETS QUICK AS SPACE IS LIMITED!**

Contact Pat Holdsworth 01494 874565 for more information or to reserve tickets

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Jordans Village Centenary 1919-2019

News from the Village Store

Part-Time Store Manager Required

Jordans Village Community Store is an integral part of Jordans Village providing a focal point for the community offering a coffee corner, part-time post office, grocery store and much more. The Store is owned by the village and run by a team of part time staff and volunteers.

An opportunity has arisen for a part-time Store Manager, 4 hours per day Monday to Friday. Duties include stock ordering and control, managing staff, cashing up and banking.

We are looking for someone who is numerate with basic Microsoft Excel skills and ideally retail and EPOS experience - although this is not essential, and full training will be given.

Please apply to Manager@JordansVillageStore.co.uk for further details...

Store Update

Well thanks to the amazing enthusiasm of Sally and Helen who are doing their utmost to learn the skills of a shop manager we are doing well. The time they are putting in is incredible and we as a village should be very grateful. I on behalf of the committee certainly am.

Losing Emma was a mighty blow to our everyday routine as well as all the major things involved in running a business as ours. Emma: we miss you terribly - your cheery smile

and your willingness to help us all regardless whether young or old and regardless of what with - not necessarily something shop-related. You are a much valued member of our community and it is people like you that make our village a real community and not just a collection of houses.

How lucky we are to have had you as our shop manager for so long and how we admire you for recognising that health and family come before everything else.

The wonderful shop party!

A big thank you to all who came to the shop party on the 20th December - quite definitely the best we have had in recent years. A big thank you also to Angela who sorted all the drink and the amazing raffle. Guess who won the hamper - me!! How my family enjoyed all in it over Christmas.

Watch this space for next year's when I have invited the Rotary Club with Father Christmas on his float to join us and do a tour of the village!

Children in Need

A massive thank you for your support - we, along with the help of some ladies at Harewood Downs, raised over £300 - brilliant. One of the ladies - who doesn't have children - won Pudsey Bear - hope she has a spare arm chair!

About the Village Store

Jordans Village Community Store, founded in 1922, is an independent community store, owned, operated and controlled by the Village. It is run by a combination of part-time staff and volunteers from the local community.

It started in a very small way in the front room of one of the early workers' cottages by the Village Green. In 1921, the brick building, now used as the Estate Office, was erected and a proper store opened.

The store is now a general grocers, with green groceries, an off-licence, a sub post office and café. It caters for online orders, and home delivery. The Store also serves as a natural meeting place for many of those living around the village, so why not come in and receive a warm welcome from our friendly staff and team of over 60 Village Store volunteers who are all eager to help you.

Ali Cork

News Editor, Jordans Village Community Store Committee

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Decision time for Jordans Village Hall

Over the last few years there's been plenty of discussion about the future of the Village Hall – is it good enough as it is; should parts of it be renovated; or should it be demolished and rebuilt?

JVL's Management Committee now needs to decide the Hall's long term future, but wants to understand the views of village residents in order to make an informed decision. So early in January we will give each household a pack with a brief explanation of the options for the Hall, a short questionnaire, and a covering letter inviting each resident aged 16 or more to complete and return the questionnaire by 31st January.

We then hope that we can complete the analysis of the answers during February, and that the Management Committee will make its decision at the end of February. This is clearly a very important decision for Jordans Village, and we hope that everyone will participate in this consultation.

Jordans Village Hall Trust is holding a public meeting on Tuesday 22nd January, starting at 8 pm in the Village Hall, when the options for the Hall will be explained and there will be plenty of opportunity for questions and discussion. Please put the date in your diary and come to the meeting!

Bob Hall

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Jordans Village Concerts

The next Jordans Village Concert will take place on Saturday 26 January in the Village Hall, starting at 7.30 pm. It will feature our local amateur musicians playing the music they enjoy and want to share. We hope to have performers of all ages, abilities and instruments, and the pianists will be able to show off the new grand piano.

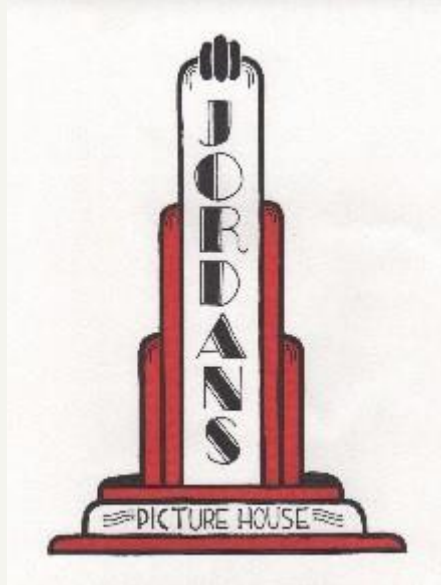
As always, entry is free and refreshments will be available at the start and the end of the concert. There will be a box for donations towards the costs of the evening. It is a friendly and relaxed opportunity to hear a range of music from young and older performers, and everyone is welcome. If you would like to perform at this event, please get in touch with me.

And a date for your diaries – the next Jordans Village Concert will be on Saturday 23 March, when Dr Graham Griffiths will perform piano music by Schubert and talk about “Franz Schubert – the piano and the power of friendship”. There will be a collection in aid of Quaker Homeless Action.

Bob Hall

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Jordans Picture House

OUR SCREENINGS FOR JANUARY & FEBRUARY 2019

PLUS PROGRAMME FOR MARCH TO JUNE

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In January there will be two screenings:

Friday 11th January 2019 “THE POST” (2018) 12A

Director: Steven Spielberg.

Cast: Meryl Streep; Tom Hanks; Sarah Paulson.

Run Time 116 minutes

A cover-up that spanned four U.S. Presidents pushed the country’s first female newspaper publisher and a hard driving editor to join an unprecedented battle between the press and the government.

[Click here for more info on IMDB](#)

Sunday 13th January 2019 “YOUTH” (2016) 15

Director: Paolo Sorrentino

Cast: Michael Caine, Harvey Keitel, Rachel Weisz.

Run Time 124 minutes

A retired orchestra conductor is on holiday with his daughter and his film director best friend in the Alps when he receives an invitation from Queen Elizabeth II to perform for Prince Philip's birthday.

[Click here for more info on IMDB](#)

In February we will be screening:

Friday February 8th “VICTORIA AND ABDUL” (2017) PG

Director: Stephen Frears

Cast: Judi Dench; Ali Fazal; Tim Piggott-Smith

Run Time 111 minutes

Queen Victoria strikes up an unlikely friendship with a young Indian clerk, Abdul Karim.

[Click here for more info on IMDB](#)

Programme from March to June 2019

Friday 8th March: Film stars Don't Die in Liverpool (15)

Sunday 10th March: Molly's Game (15)

Friday 12th April: Three Billboards Outside Ebbing, Missouri (15)

Friday 10th May: The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society (12A)

Sunday 12th May: Breathe (12A)

Friday 14th June: Jordans Picture House A.G.M. + Film T.B.A.

Friday Screenings - Doors Open at 7:15 pm / Programme Starts at 8:00 pm

Sunday Screenings - Doors Open at 3:15 pm / Programme Starts at 4:00 pm

HOW TO BUY TICKETS

Tickets cost £8.

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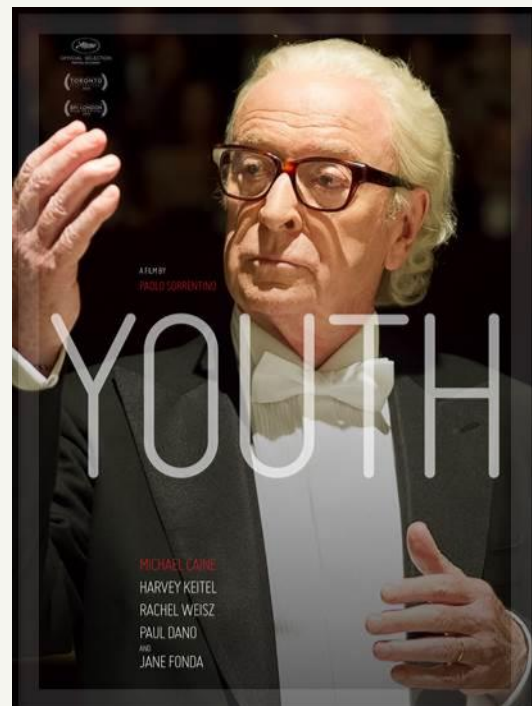
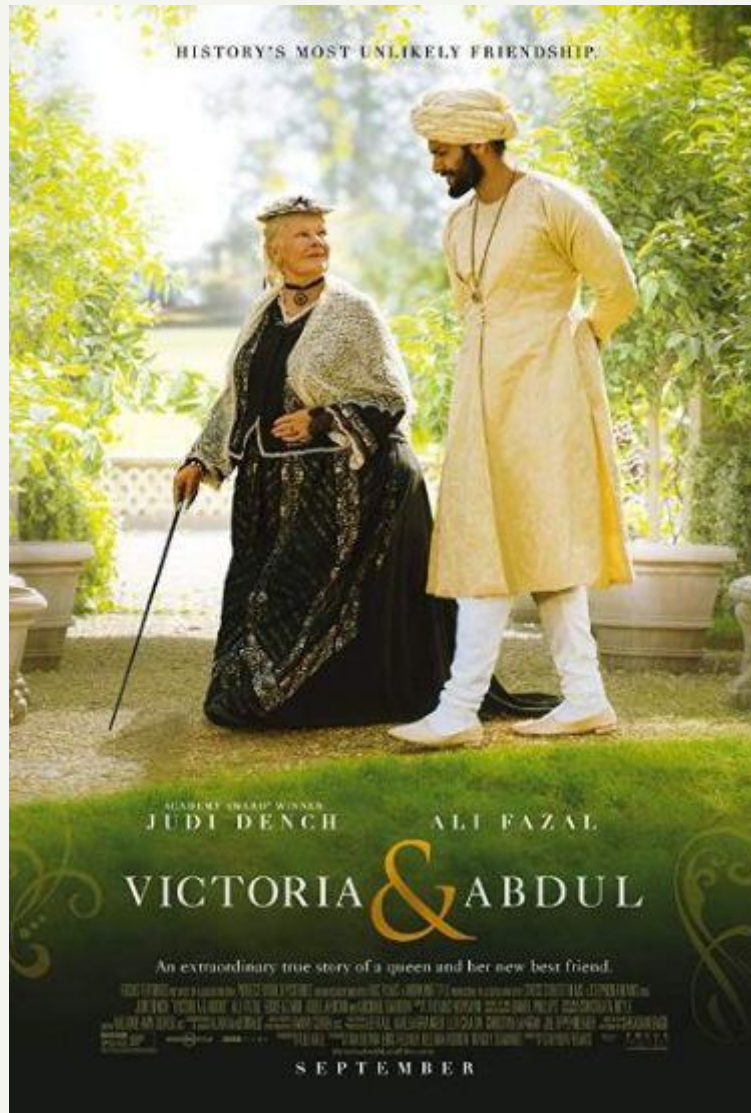
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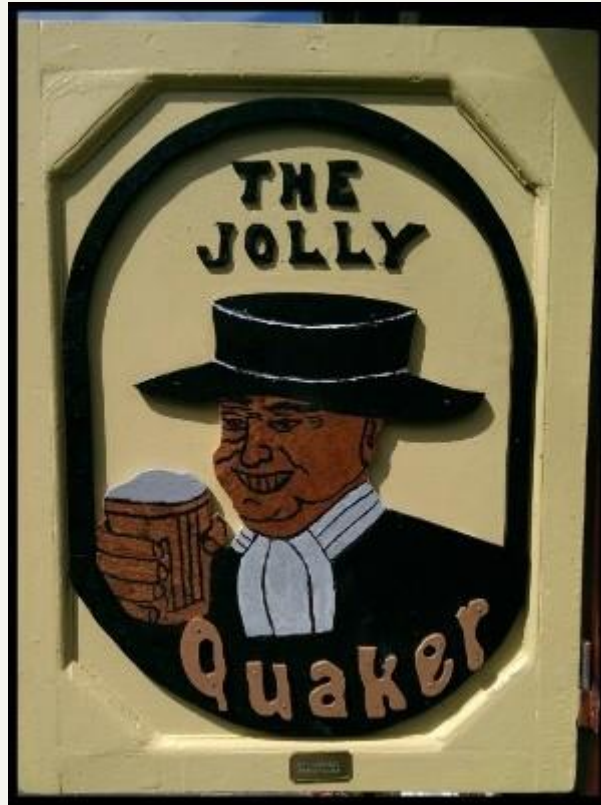
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The Jolly Quaker - Crew Needed!

Firstly, just a reminder – that the JQ took a break in January, following the seasonal festivities!

However, once we're back (on Friday 1st February and ongoing) we would really like to have a few more helpers on board.

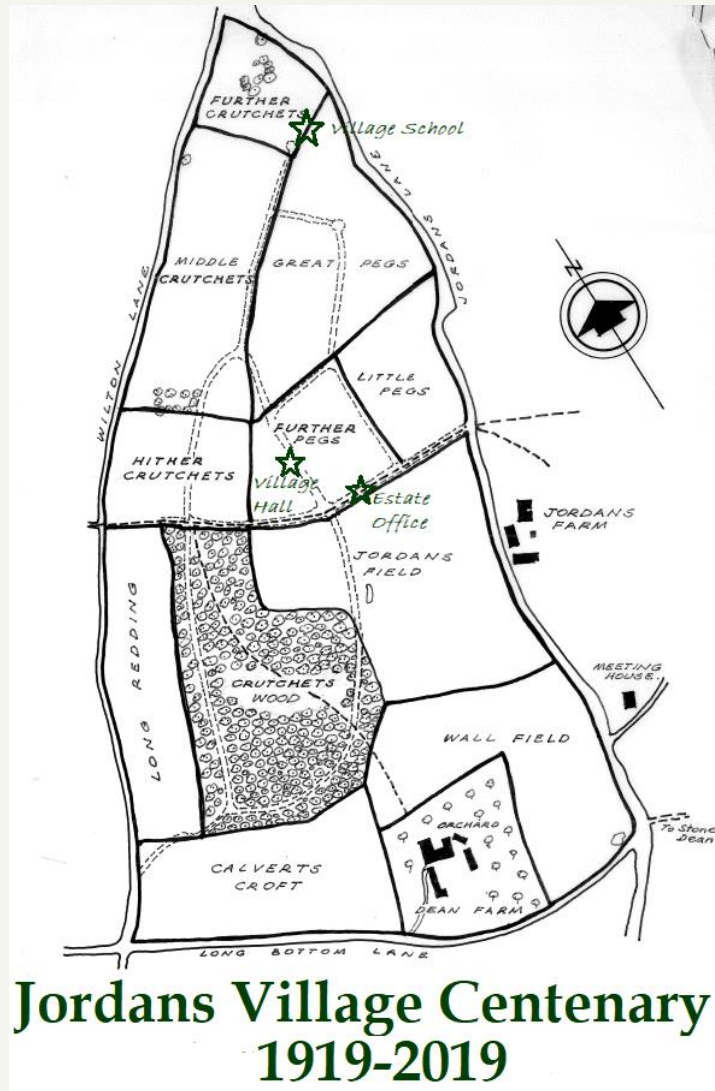
We've been running for three years now with many of the original very loyal crew and it would be great to be able to spread the load a bit, particularly with serving towards the end of the evening and especially with clearing up and closing down.

It's great fun and you don't need any special skills or experience or knowledge of drinks – it's all very straightforward and a lovely way to catch up with old friends and meet new ones. And you get a free drink!

If you're able to join us for an hour or two either regularly or every now and then (all done on an agreed rota basis) please contact me and we can discuss whatever arrangement would work best for you.

Many thanks!

Chris Waymouth, Publican 07831 309379 [Back to top](#)



Centenary T-Shirts & Polo Shirts

To celebrate our Centenary, we have designed some T-Shirts and Polo Shirts which show how the Village has changed in the 100 years since it was built.

Featuring a back-print with a map of the old agricultural fields of Jordans overlaid with a map of the roads as they are today, these white cotton garments also feature the text "Jordans Village Centenary 1919-2019" on the left breast.

We are in the process of fixing prices with our suppliers, but expect to pay £15-£17 for a T Shirt and £25-£27 for a Polo Shirt (depending on sizes). Proceeds will go towards the cost of Centenary celebrations, and the Village Store.

If you are interested in getting one of these exclusive items, please contact me at the Estate Office to express your interest.

Cheers!

Chris Jenkins, Estate Manager

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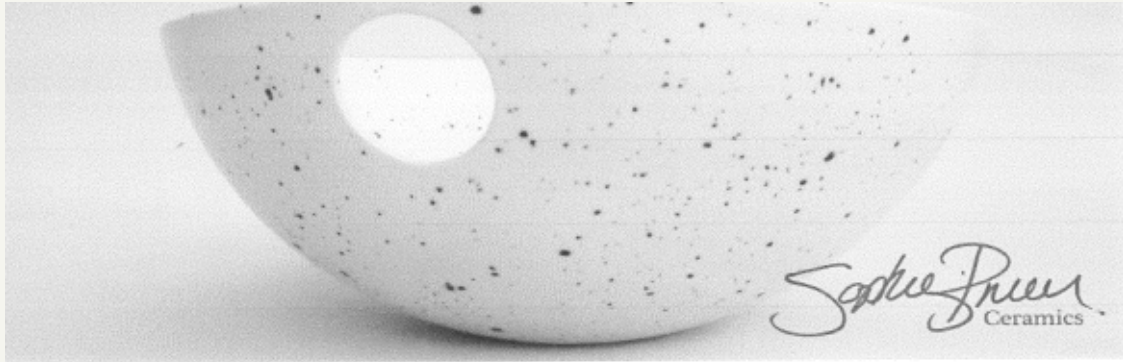
Val MacLeod

8th May 1933 - 29th December 2018

In memory of Val, who was a big advocate for the village and was secretary of the shop throughout the 1980's alongside Mary McClure.

She will be much missed by all who know her, and of course her son Jamie who lives in the Village and is currently a Member of the JVL Management Committee.

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Pottery Course Jordans Village Hall

10 week course Wednesday January 16th – Wednesday 20th March 7-9pm

This evening course introduces all aspects of handbuilding and wheel throwing techniques through practical demonstration and guidance in a friendly relaxed atmosphere.

Set in the beautiful Quaker village of Jordans, Buckinghamshire, HP92ST

These classes are friendly and social and aimed at mixed groups of beginners and intermediates. Be prepared for lots of fun and of course to produce some amazing pieces of work.

Course fees cover your first 12kg bag of clay, tuition and firing costs. All subsequent clay can be purchased from me and guidance will be given on purchasing glazes.

10 week evening pottery course £275 of which a £50 deposit is required prior to the course to secure your place.

Sophie Bruen is an accomplished full time ceramicist and experienced teacher with her own studio in Buckinghamshire.

Please contact Sophie on 07796 877838 through her business page on [facebook.com/SophieBruenCeramics](https://www.facebook.com/SophieBruenCeramics) or via email to sophie.bruen@hotmail.co.uk to book a place on this exciting new course.

Events Calendar

There is so much to do in Jordans, see below for a list of forthcoming events:

January 2019

Monday 7th - Yoga 8 pm - 9:30 pm

Thursday 10th - QiGong @ Village Hall

Friday 11th - Jordans Picture House @ Village Hall doors open 7:15 pm - 8 pm start

Sunday 13th - Jordans Picture House @ Village Hall doors open 3:15 pm - 4 pm start

Monday 14th - Yoga 8 pm - 9:30 pm

Wednesday 16th - Sophie Bruen Ceramics @ Village Hall

Thursday 17th - QiGong @ Village Hall

Monday 21st - Yoga 8 pm - 9:30 pm

Tuesday 22nd - JVHT Village Hall Consultation @ Village Hall 8 pm

Wednesday 23rd - Sophie Bruen Ceramics @ Village Hall

Thursday 24th - QiGong @ Village Hall

Saturday 26th - Concert 7:30 pm

Sunday 27th - Seer Green Church "Engage" @ Village Hall 2 pm - 5 pm

February 2019

Saturday 16th - TMC Village Supper

March 2019

Saturday 23rd - Concert

Lunch Club 2019 (Thursdays in the Village Hall)

No Lunch Club in January

February 21st - Therese Rogers

March 21st - Catherine Robinson

April 18th - Pat Holdsworth

May 16th - Catherine Robinson

June 20th - Therese Rogers

July 18th - Catherine Robinson

No Lunch Club in August

September 19th - Pat Holdsworth

October 17th - Therese Rogers

November 21st - Pat Holdsworth

December 19th - All

Jordans Village Centenary Events

Village Supper - Saturday 16th February 2019

Centenary Weekend - Saturday 22nd June & Sunday 23rd June 2019

Village Cricket Match - Sunday 28th July 2019

Regular Events in the Jordans Village Hall

Yoga - Mondays Weekly 8 pm - 9:30 pm

Contact Georgina Wright

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Ceramics - Wednesdays Weekly 7 pm - 9 pm

Contact Sophie Bruen

sophie.bruen@hotmail.co.uk | 07796 877838 | www.facebook.com/SophieBruenCeramics

Tai Chi / Qi Gong - 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 - 1st Friday Monthly

Contact Chris Waymouth

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Jordans Picture House - 2nd Friday & 2nd Sunday Monthly (Autumn - Spring)

Contact Alan Sealy

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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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