

Produced and published monthly by Caynham Village Hall with listings of the next two months' events in and around Caynham and contact details for the people, groups and organisations that support them.

If you are organising anything and would like it to be listed here, please contact David Faulkner at least one month in advance.

Happy New Year

VILLAGE HALL REFURBISHMENT PROJECT

Work on the first phase of the project begins on January 6th 2016.

This entails removing the stage, creating a new entrance in the west gable end and raising the level of the approach path. The door will be push-button operated and will offer excellent step-free access for wheelchairs, prams and buggies.

The work should produce minimal disruption to Village Hall users.



LOTTERY FUNDED

Jill Bufton writes about the 2015 Christmas Tree Festival 'Around the World': on behalf of Caynham PCC I would like to express thanks to all who helped with decorating the 16 beautiful Christmas trees in the Church, the flowers for the windows, font and porch, providing refreshments, prizes for the tombola or raffle, making Christmas wreaths and items for the craft stall, manning the stalls, transporting and erecting the trees, making Christingles and helping in any way over the weekend. Your help was greatly appreciated. The weather was unkind, but the welcome and the sight in the Church were very rewarding with a lovely atmosphere. The newly knitted Christmas Nativity was greatly admired. The concert with Caroline and Darren was exceptional: superb professional singing enjoyed by 53 people. The Christingle service ended the festival with over 27 children attending plus parents. With over 70 people at the service it was lovely to see the Church full on a joyous occasion. I am pleased to inform you that £1,100 was raised and this will go to help pay for the running costs of our beautiful Church. Once again, thanks to all who came and gave their support. We are planning our 5th festival next year – not sure yet what the theme will be!!

CAYNHAM & DISTRICT GARDENING SOCIETY – OPEN EVENING

Tuesday 2nd February 2016 - 7.30pm

Leila Jackson of T3 Wall End Nursery in Stoke Bliss

talks on her favourite subject

'The Versatile World of Salvias'

Leila is a regular exhibitor and medal winner at RHS Chelsea, Hampton Court, Malvern and Tatton Park shows.

SPECIAL OFFER FOR NEW MEMBERS

Come along to February's meeting and join our Club – you will get the next two meetings free!

You don't need to be an expert gardener to enjoy the meetings.

We meet monthly, in Caynham Village Hall starting at 7.30pm and finishing around 9pm.

Indoor meetings include a talk on a theme of current interest followed by refreshments.

In the summer months visits to interesting gardens are arranged.

Roadworks on the A49: two sets of roadworks on the A49 have already started and will continue into January (but are suspended over Christmas). (1) at Bayston Hill near Shrewsbury involves the construction of a new pedestrian crossing, with temporary traffic lights from Jan 4th until Jan 15th and three overnight road closures (dates not yet known). (2) at Onibury Bridge for repairs to the parapet. The A49 will be totally closed in both directions between the A4113 and the B4368 from 8pm on Jan 15th to 6am on Jan 17th and again from 8pm on Jan 22nd to 6am on Jan 24th. Diversions will be in place along the B4368 for traffic north of the bridge and the B4365 for traffic south of the bridge.