

# CRANSLEY CHRONICLE

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## GREAT CRANSLEY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Last month, the Chairman of Great Cransley Parish Council wrote a detailed article about the importance of this plan to villages. This month, delivered to each house in the Parish, with your Cransley Chronicle, is a questionnaire about your views on the future of this village.

Councillors ask that everyone takes this seriously and returns the questionnaire. To remind you what is entailed, please refer back to the June edition of the Cransley Chronicle.

More questionnaires are available if members of the household wish to give differing opinions when answering the questions.

# Help!

Cransley Village Hall & St Andrews Church, Cransley are asking for donations of **HOMEMADE** cakes for our cake stall at Cransley Summer Fete on 8<sup>th</sup> July.

We have lots of different stalls for you to browse and refreshments available as well as a tombola. Come and see what we have to offer for your family and friends.



If you are able to help by making a cake, please contact any village hall or St Andrews church member or ring Sue on 01536 790227. Thank you for your support.

Donations of tombola prizes would also be gratefully received.

## **AID FOR ARMENIA**

Many thanks to those who have given clothing, bedding, etc for Armenia over the past 13 years, a total of 7,557 bin-liner size bags, plus many other items.

Unfortunately now, the Authorities in Armenia have banned the importing of any such second-hand goods, to the sadness of all associated with Armenian Ministries, since the need remains.

However, new clothes, bedding, shoes, curtains, toys and schoolbags are still permitted, together with used bicycles, wheelchairs and stackable chairs.

To send any of these please contact Eddie Byland as usual on 01536 790707.

Thank you.

**STREET DOCTOR**

For highway advice or to report a fault:

Go online at: [www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/streetdoctor](http://www.northamptonshire.gov.uk/streetdoctor)

Or call: 0300 126 1000.

## **CHURCH ACTIVITIES FOR JULY**

Get your marigolds out and join us in St Andrew's on Saturday July 1 for our big clean! We will gather in church at 10 am and give it a good spruce up! Please do come and help us look after this beautiful, historical, listed building.

Throughout July we will meet every Sunday at 8 am for our Said Communion. We will then meet on Sunday July 9 at 10.30 am for Parish Communion with refreshments afterwards.

Our wonderful Andy's Cafe will be held at the Village Hall on Saturday July 15 from 10 am. We will be serving free bacon rolls, teas and coffees and have the newspapers on hand for you to read.

If you would like any more information about events at St Andrew's, or to find out about marriages or baptisms in the church, please visit our website [www.churchesbmc.org](http://www.churchesbmc.org) or follow us on Facebook.

Cransley Village Hall

**8<sup>th</sup> July 2017**

**Summer Fete**

**10<sub>am</sub> - 4<sub>pm</sub>**

**Stalls Games**

**Teas Refreshments Cakes**

**Tombola Raffle**

Enquiries for a Stall please contact: Sue Cattell on 01536 790227

**CRANSLEY VILLAGE Events 2017**

Venue: **The Village Hall**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sept Annual Open Village Show**

Venue: **Cransley Church**

**10<sup>th</sup> Sept Harvest Festival**

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - JULY 2017

Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> July	10 am clean-up at St Andrews Church
Every Sunday	8.00 am Spoken Holy Communion in St Andrews Church
Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Summer Fete at the Village Hall 10 am – 4 pm
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Parish Communion 10.30 am followed by refreshments
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Mobile Library, Village Hall 3.45 pm - 4.10 pm
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Great Cransley Parish Council meeting 7 pm in the Village Hall
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Andy's Café 10.00 - 11.30 am in the Village Hall with bacon rolls, real coffee and newspapers, all free

July Bus Shelter Cleaning Cllr D Whalley. All volunteers please note that this also involves checking the War Memorial and the bus shelter outside the Village Hall.

**Forthcoming events:** Annual Village Show, 8<sup>th</sup> Sept. in the Village Hall

## REGULAR ACTIVITIES IN GREAT CRANSLEY

The Cransley Bowls Club Village Hall every Wednesday 2 - 4 pm. If you wish to go bowling, please check with Pat Appleby on 790607.

Rainbows, Brownies, Guides Meet each Monday in the Village Hall.

Studio A Patchshe Sewing Group Every Tuesday 10 am - 12.30 pm, and 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm. Also every fortnight on Thursdays 10 am - 1 pm in the Village Hall. For information ring 01536 790699 or [www.modafabricktreasure.co.uk](http://www.modafabricktreasure.co.uk).

### CRANSLEY VILLAGE MEMORIAL HALL

For information and booking the Village Hall, call Pat Appleby on 01536 790607.

### CRANSLEY CHRONICLE DEADLINE

The absolute final date for inclusion in the next month's Cransley Chronicle is at 5 pm on the 24<sup>th</sup> of each month (though December is often earlier due to Christmas shut down).

All articles **MUST** have a title.

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