

**CRANSLEY  
CHRONICLE  
JULY 2023**



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## **PARISH COUNCIL NEWS**

Following the resignation of Kevin Burton, we are pleased to announce that we now have a new Councillor. Emily James was co-opted onto the Parish Council at their meeting on 8 June. At the same meeting Parish Councillor roles were confirmed and vacancies filled:

Internal Control Officer- Cllr Richard Smyth  
Highways - Cllr Amanda Bussey  
Police Liaison Representative - Cllr Colin Spickett  
Footpath warden - Cllr Emily James  
Defibrillator - Cllr Stuart Ablett  
Website - Cllr David Whalley

## **FUTURE OF THE CRANSLEY CHRONICLE**

A reminder that from 1st October we will continue distributing a paper copy **only to those parishioners that requested it** and via email for parishioners who requested an electronic copy. This means if you have not told us which you prefer 'email or paper' you will no longer receive a paper copy of the Chronicle.

## **THE SEPTEMBER EDITION WILL BE THE LAST PAPER COPY FOR THE WHOLE PARISH.**

The Cransley Chronicle will be accessible via the Parish Council website  
[www.greatcransleyparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.greatcransleyparishcouncil.co.uk)

If you haven't responded yet and would like to receive the chronicle by email or paper copy please text 07933434208 and advise the following:

Email or paper  
House number and road name  
Email address (for email copy only)

## ST ANDREW'S CHURCH:

Our service in July:

Sunday 2nd July, 10.30 am, Cransley Praise - with a special visit from a rescue dog and owner. Come along to hear more about the work of dog rescue organisations. If you have a rescue or other dog that you think would enjoy it, you are very welcome to bring them along.

Sunday 16th July, 9.30 am, Holy Communion.

To be added to our email or postal list, please contact Reverend Nicki Hobbs on 01536 799522 or [revnicki@familyhobbs.org.uk](mailto:revnicki@familyhobbs.org.uk). If you would like prayer, a listening ear, or would like to book a Christening, Wedding or Funeral, please get in touch. Find out more [www.churchesbmc.org](http://www.churchesbmc.org).

From Nicki and all at St Andrew's

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY – JULY 2023

Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July	Cransley Praise – 10.30 am
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Thrifty Thursdays second hand clothes sale 6.00 pm - 9.30 pm in the village hall. See poster.
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> July	Blue Train Experience – 11.30 am – 3.30 pm in the village hall. See poster.
Thursday 13 <sup>th</sup> July	Parish Council Meeting – 7.00 pm in the village hall
Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	Andy's Café 10.00 am – 11.30 am in the village hall
Sunday 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Holy Communion Service – 9.30 am
Sat 15 <sup>th</sup> & Sun 16 <sup>th</sup> July	Wimbledon Weekend Event – Three Cranes Inn
12.00 pm until late	
July 2023	Stone Bus Shelter Cleaning – Thelma Lacy
	All helpers please note that this also involves brushing the War Memorial, dealing with the leaves and checking the village hall bus shelter.

## FORTHCOMING DATES

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September – Annual Village Show in the village hall

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September – SOS Fashion Show fundraiser for the village hall

## REGULAR ACTIVITIES IN GREAT CRANSLEY

Bell Ringing Practice in St Andrew's Church 7.00 pm each Tuesday.

## LOTTERY WINNERS JUNE 2023

### SPECIAL PRIZE ANGIE REID

<b>1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE</b>	<b>LYNSEY BUNTING</b>
<b>2<sup>ND</sup> PRIZE</b>	<b>JOYCE &amp; KEVIN BURTON</b>
<b>3<sup>RD</sup> PRIZE</b>	<b>AMANDA BUSSEY</b>

## HOUSEHOLD RURAL SUPPORT FUND

**Are you living in a rural town or village in North Northants and struggling to pay your bills?**

### We can HELP

- Food Vouchers
- Energy saving equipment
- Energy Payments

To apply and for more information contact  
[acre@northantsacre.org.uk](mailto:acre@northantsacre.org.uk)  
01604 825888

criteria apply\*\*



# THRIFTY THURSDAYS

Thursday 6th July  
Cransley Village Hall  
NN14 1PY

BRING A BAG 6pm - 930pm CASH ONLY

## CLOTHES SALE

Sick of waiting for things  
to sell on Vinted?  
DEPOP not doing well?  
Need new clothes but  
the cost of living  
affecting your finances?

If you would like a stall for one  
of our future pop up events

please contact us

[sosocial.studio.uk@gmail.com](mailto:sosocial.studio.uk@gmail.com)

COME ALONG AND SUPPORT  
SUSTAINABLE FASHION

GRAB A BARGAIN

REFRESH YOUR WARDROBE  
AND DONT BREAK THE BANK

# Cransley Village Hall

## Blue Train Experience

Come and join us for an afternoon of trains  
This Event is in aid of Cruise Peterborough  
a Charity who helps bereaved children.  
We are holding this event in memory of  
Logan

His brother Connor & family support this charity  
as it helped them through a very difficult time.  
Why Blue Trains? Logan loved steam trains  
especially the Blue ones.

Exhibition of trains & Memorabilia

The Station Cafe will be serving  
Cream Teas & Refreshments.

The Railway Carriage will be serving  
Afternoon Tea from 1pm to 3pm  
at £15.00 for Two People  
Book your Tickets.

**JULY 9TH 2023**

**11.30 AM TO 3.30PM**

**THE LAST**

**TRAIN LEAVES**

**AT 4.00PM**

To Book your  
Afternoon Tea contact:  
Angie 01536 790742

or E-Mail Sheila at  
liala\_882000@yahoo.co.uk

# CRISIS CAFÉS

If you find yourself in crisis or need support with your mental health in the evening and/or at the weekend we are here to listen and help you in your time of need.

Mind Cafés have professional mental health workers who can offer you a safe space. Our aim is to support people to reduce any immediate crisis and to safety plan; drawing on strengths, resilience, and coping mechanisms to manage their mental health and wellbeing.

There is no need to call, just drop in to find a safe place with hope and comfort and find your pathway to recovery.

CRISIS CAFÉS TIMETABLE	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<b>The Sanctuary @ Corby Mind</b> 18 Argyll St, Corby, NN17 1RU Tel: 01536 267280				12 PM - 10 PM	12 PM - 10 PM		2PM - 8 PM
<b>The Mixing Bowl @ Kettering Mind</b> 49-51 Russell St, Kettering, NN16 0EN Tel: 01536 523216		11AM - 10 PM	11AM - 10 PM	11AM - 10 PM			
<b>Daventry Mind, The Old Gasworks Car Park,</b> Brook Street, Daventry, NN11 4GG Tel: 01327 879416			5 PM - 9 PM				
<b>Anchor House @ Northampton Mind</b> 6/7 Regent Square, Northampton NN1 2NQ Tel: 01604 634310 / 624951	12PM - 10 PM	12PM - 10 PM				2 PM - 10 PM	
<b>The Recovery Café @ Rushden Mind</b> Phoenix House, Skinner's Hill, Rushden, NN10 9YE Tel: 01933 312800	12PM - 10 PM	12PM - 10 PM	12PM - 10 PM				2 PM - 8 PM
<b>Wellingborough Mind</b> 14 Havelock Street, Wellingborough, NN8 4QA Tel: 01933 223591				12 PM - 10 PM	12PM - 10 PM	2PM - 8 PM	



**MAKING A  
 DIFFERENCE  
 FOR YOU,  
 WITH YOU**

## **NORTH NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNCILLORS**

A reminder that your three NNC Councillors are:

Cedwien Brown [cedwien.brown@northnorthants.gov.uk](mailto:cedwien.brown@northnorthants.gov.uk)

Jim Hakewill [jim.hakewill@northnorthants.gov.uk](mailto:jim.hakewill@northnorthants.gov.uk)

Joseph Smyth [joseph.smyth@northnorthants.gov.uk](mailto:joseph.smyth@northnorthants.gov.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 next month's edition of the Cransley Chronicle is:

**5pm on the 24<sup>th</sup> of each month**

Please email your article, if you can, to Jane Mann on the following email:

[greatcransleypc@gmail.com](mailto:greatcransleypc@gmail.com) or if you can't, please ring her on

01536 710525 or 07834 639080.

**All articles must have a Title, and Posters must be A5 size, Portrait.**

## **FIX MY STREET**

**(FORMERLY STREET DOCTOR)**

Don't forget to use Fix My Street on telephone number 0300 126 7000 or [www.fixmystreet.northamptonshire.gov.uk](http://www.fixmystreet.northamptonshire.gov.uk) for any problems with Highways

## **STREET LIGHTING**

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