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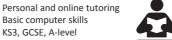
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Please forward any articles, etc to bishopshullcommunitynews@gmail.com by the 13th of the August

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| Mon 1st  | 2-4pm       | Family History                    | FBC |  |
| Wed 3rd  | 2-4pm       | Good Companions                   | FBC |  |
| Mon 8th  | 1-3pm       | Talking Café                      | HUB |  |
| Tue 9th  | 10-3pm      | Parchment                         | FBC |  |
| Sat 13th   | 2pm         | Flower Show                       | HUB |  |
| Wed 17th   | 1.30-4.15pm | University of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Age | HUB |  |
| Thur 18th  | 12.30pm     | Lunch Club                        | FBC |  |
| Mon 22nd   | 1-3pm       | Talking Café                      | HUB |  |
| Wed 24th   | 2-4pm       | Music Appreciation                | FBC |  |
| Thur 25th  | 7.30-10pm   | Women's Institute                 | HUB |  |
| Sat 27th   | 9.00-3.00pm | Craft Fair                        | HUB |  |
| Please note no HUB Café or Craft night in August |             |                                   |     |  |

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600-700pm 7.15-8.45pm THURSDAYS

6.15-7.00am 10.00-12noon 10.00-12noon 2.00-4.00pm 2.00-4.00pm

FRIDAYS 8.30am-1pm 10.00-12noon 4.45-8.15pm

SATURDAYS 6.30-7.15am 9.30-11.30am

Dates below taken from SW&T Website Recycling all areas: Every Tuesday (except Wed 31st) **BISHOPS HULL, SHUTEWATER, UPCOTT & BARR** RUMWELL Refuse: Tue 16th Refuse: Tue 9th & Wed 31st Garden: Wed 3rd & 17th Garden: Mon 8th, & 22nd

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#### lar weekly events

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| Nia<br>Sweaty Mama<br>Painting Group<br>Village Agent Talking Cafe<br>(Fortnightly) | HUB<br>HUB<br>FBC<br>HUB |
| Whist Club  | FBC                      |
| Zumba   | HUB                      |
| Tone Big Band (1st & 3rd Mon)   | HUB                      |
| Group Fitness Training  | HUB                      |
| Tai Chi & Ql  | HUB                      |
| Games   | FBC                      |
| Yoga  | HUB                      |
| Mum and Baby Pilates  | HUB                      |
| Pilate for everyone   | HUB                      |
| Short Mat Bowls   | HUB                      |
| Tae Kwon Do   | HUB                      |
| Tone Guitar Group   | HUB                      |
| Group Fitness Training  | HUB                      |
| Baby Badgers  | HUB                      |
| Bridge Club   | FBC                      |
| Friendly Bridge Club  | HUB                      |
| Croquet   | FBC                      |
| Star Bubs   | HUB                      |
| Frank's Café  | FBC                      |
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#### **Bishops Hull Flower Show**

The Bishops Hull Flower Show will be held on Saturday 13th August at the Hub. Everyone (within a 5 mile radius) can enter this local and friendly show. There are classes ranging from vegetables, fruit, flower arranging, home craft, handicraft to art and photography, plus children's classes. You can enter as many or little number of classes as you want and the closing date is Monday 8th August. The children's classes have no entry fee. Please pick up a schedule from the post office.

#### 30 Year celebration for village preschool

This November Bishops Hull Preschool will be celebrating its 30th anniversary and we're looking forward to another great year. We'll be marking this amazing anniversary with some improvements to our playground and a fun week of activities this autumn. Our children have been having fun, socialising with their friends and learning and exploring in a friendly family environment. Over the last year we've enjoyed picnics, parties and a broad curriculum based on independent play and adult led activities. We have dedicated SEN specialist resource and offer a warm welcome to current families and new applicants. The preschool offers places for up to 12 children a day, to play and learn in a structured, but fun, environment in the heart of the village, based in the grounds of Bishops Hull Primary School. We are pleased to be able to offer vacancies for September. We are eligible for 30 hours funding and are open

9-12 Monday, Wednesday and Friday and 9-3.15 on Tuesdays and Thursdays. You are always welcome to visit, or make an enquiry about care for your child either via our facebook page, or on 07706 732075

#### To All Walkers - Save the date, Sunday 25th September for 'Beating the Bounds'

Following the success of The Platinum Jubilee Trail, the team are working on a new trail within the Parish. To explain, 'Beating the Bounds' is a tradition dating back to Anglo Saxon times and it usually took place every 7 years. The purpose was to ensure that there was local knowledge of the parish boundaries, as well as preventing encroachment from adjoining parishes. The custom was to encourage local children to beat local landmarks and boundary stones with willow or birch branches and to remember where the boundaries stood. Later the Church took over the tradition and it formed part of the Easter celebrations during Rogationtide.

Accurate maps and the loss of boundary markers have made the event far less common. It is now difficult, on foot, to know accurately where the parish boundary exists, especially on arable land. However, the tradition still serves an important purpose. Beating the bounds will strengthen community bonds and knowledge of local paths at the parish boundaries. It will also ensure that access to footpaths, woodland and common land is not lost through lack of use.

The proposed walk is just under 8 miles long, with an option for people to opt for a shorter version if they prefer. This will be the last opportunity to Beat the Bounds of the current Parish boundaries, as they will change under the new Unitary Council.

We plan to have an insert in the September Community News and further details about the organised walk. We are considering finishing with a picnic, so look out for further details next month. - David Gurr

#### **Bishops Hull Hub 100 Club July 2022**

£44.40 - Sheena Bown-Porter, £22.20 - Dr Julie Wooler, £11.10 - Geoff Lloyd Tickets are £2 per month. The next draw will take place at the Flower Show on the 13th August. Join our 100 club today and you could be our next winner! Email bhhub100club@gmail.com for further details

#### Frank Bond Centre

AGM - THURSDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2.00PM at the FBC, 84 Mountway Road, Bishops Hull.

#### Bishops Hull Parish Council News – resolutions made at July meeting:

The new "Happy to Chat" bench has now been installed at Stonegallows (near Sherland Heights) with wonderful views over the local countryside. Thank you to local farmer Mr Venn for giving permission to site the bench on his land

- To purchase a plaque for the new bench at Stonegallows at a cost of £60.00
- To fund a double-sided insert to the cost of up to £250 to advertise the beating the bounds walk
- To defer allotments and EV charging agenda items until September, due to 4 members missing from the meeting on medical grounds.
- To fund an additional cut of a shared footpath with Norton Fitzwarren at a cost of £100.00
- One vacancy still remains, so, if you are interested in joining the Parish Council, please get in contact, or why not pop along to one of our meetings? Full dates on the PC Facebook page or website

Next meeting date: Thursday 8th September at 7pm – Bishops Hull HUB

#### Which John Hunt?

For this month's article, I thought I'd tell you about an amusing phone call that I received, on the morning of Monday 11th July, from a reporter called Chris from the BBC, the conversation went something like this...

Me: "Good morning"

Chris: "Hi, it's Chris from the BBC, is that John Hunt?"

Me: "It is, what can I do for you Chris?"

Chris: "We want to do a piece on the race for the Conservative party leadership and wondered if you're available later today?

Me: "So, you'd just like my opinion on who is likely to become the next PM? I'm not sure why me, as I'm not a Tory party member, but if you'd like my view, I'd be happy to oblige" Chris: "Thank you John. We thought you could run through the betting odds, relating the leadership election to a horse race..."

By now, I was starting to think they may have the wrong John Hunt. Me: "Chris, are you sure you've got the right person? Whilst it would be amusing to comment on the Tory leadership battle as if it were a horse race, I think you may have called the wrong John Hunt" Chris: "I don't think so, I'm reading your details from a card showing your name and number, you're John

Hunt the horse racing commentator, aren't you?"

We both laughed at the mix up, which was of course magnified by me being a politician, so receiving this type of call was nothing unusual.

Take care - John Hunt

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