

Kimble Bell Ringers
St. Nicholas' Church

If anyone is interested in taking up bell ringing and joining the Kimble Bell Ringing group, contact john@boxx.org.uk for more information.

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Pilates
at
The Stewart Hall
Little Kimble

There is a class on
Tuesdays at 10.30 am
and on
Wednesdays at 5 pm.
All levels are welcome.
Contact Kay
07962.172906
for further information

Whist Drives

All welcome to these
friendly evenings,
7.30pm
June
2nd, 9th & 23rd
in The Stewart Hall
Little Kimble
Mary Tate 01296 612481

The Swan Charity
Quiz League
at
The Swan, Great Kimble
Every First Wednesday
of the month
7pm – 10pm
Teams of 6
£5 per team member
(half time nibbles)

THE SWAN
GREAT KIMBLE
FREE HOUSE

*(as featured in the CAMRA good beer
guide 2023)*
01844 275288
CAMRA – we're in it

The Stewart Hall

Station Road, Little Kimble
is available for hire for regular
bookings or one-off events: ample
parking, Large Hall, Small Meeting
Room, Stage, Kitchen
Booking Secretary
07527 595813
kimblestewarthall@gmail.com

The Management Committee would
welcome new members to help
with the mangement of this
important and long-standing
parish facility

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.police.uk](mailto:Princesrisboroughnhpt2@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk)

YARN WANTED BY
KIMBLE KNITTERS .

If anyone has any unwanted wool,
we would love to receive it. We
knit for several local charities,
mainly Scannappeal. Any amount
is acceptable, from oddments to
larger amounts. We will use it all.
Please telephone Gwen on 07801
562535. We can collect.
Thanks in advance.

GWEN'S CHARITY
PLANT STALL

Latest News.....
On May 7th. I reached the £2000
mark on my stall. This is
absolutely amazing this early in
the year.

My heartfelt thanks to all of you
who have bought from me, and as
always, special thanks to all those
of you who have. donated plants,
and/or any garden related items
for me to sell. I never know what
is going to turn up on my doorstep
next, and I have made many new
friends from this.

As you already know, all monies
go to Cancer Research and
Florence Nightingale Hospice. All
monies have been banked, and
cheques sent.

I still have a good supply of
flowering plants, and veggies on
offer, so come and grab
yourselves a bargain. Many
thanks

If you haven't already visited
my stall, which is situated
outside my home, at Haylands,
Kimblewick Road, come and
see what I have to offer.

As always, every penny goes to
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Nightingale Hospice. So come
and grab some bargains, and help
these two wonderful charities at
the same time. Many thanks in
advance

Gwen Nicosia

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GREAT AND LITTLE
KIMBLE cum MARSH
NEWSLETTER
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June 25

ST NICHOLAS' CHURCH
GREAT KIMBLE
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[www.facebook.com/St
NicholasGreatKimble/](http://www.facebook.com/StNicholasGreatKimble/)

St Nicholas' Church
Great Kimble

1st June
10am
Parish communion

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8th June
10am
Morning Worship

*
15th June
10am
Morning Worship

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22nd June
10am
Informal Communion

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There is no service
on 29th June

St Nic's Kids
(currently alternate months)
Save the date and join us at
this fun family service.
We are looking at cool things
animals show us
July 20th
All Welcome
saint.nics.kids@gmail.com

WEDNESDAY WORSHIP
9AM
Wednesdays
St Nicholas' Church
Enjoy coffee and a short
Act of Worship
All are welcome.

Pastoral Care It is the aim and
the privilege of the Pastoral Team
to visit sick, bereaved, lonely or
house-bound members of the
community. We are also happy to
assist with transport for those who
are in need of it. Do get in touch if
you know of anyone who would
value a visit and the support of the
team, it is often the only way we
get to hear of their needs. For
further information contact:
Julia Northway 07979520045

VILLAGE
COFFEE MORNING

at
The Swan, Great Kimble
takes place on the
First Friday of each month
from 10.30am
See you on
6th June

Please note there are no regular
services at All Saints' Church.
The Church is open for visitors.
Many people enjoy the calm as
they view the historic wall
paintings

Remembering
Ian Edward Stone
a
Memorial Service
Thursday 5th June
12 noon
All Saints Church,
Little Kimble

Do check out the
Parish Council Web Site
<https://kimblecouncil.org.uk>
to contact the Parish Council
clerk@kimblecouncil.org

Kimbles and Marsh
Community
Sensory Garden

enhancing our space

Like to get involved?

Lots of people have already
volunteered (thank you!) but
there is always room for more, so
if you would like to help with any
aspect of the work involved with
running a community garden,
from planning to planting, or
have any questions about the
scheme, do please contact Delia
(dburton@kimblecouncil.org.uk)
or Harvey
(halison@kimblecouncil.org.uk).
We'd love to hear from you!

Chiltern Ladies

Would like to welcome new members
to a Ladies Club
held in the Stewart Hall
Little Kimble HP17 0XN
Meetings are held on the first
Wednesday of each month starting at
2pm. We are a group of ladies who
enjoy meeting once a month. We
have speakers on a variety of subjects
and have outings to places of interest,
some by our own transport and some
by coach. We also enjoy a cup of tea
and a biscuit (or cake)
Please come and see if you
would like to join us.

It's been 100 Years of fun at
the Stewart Hall!...

And we will celebrate
The Stewart Hall Centenary
in
November

If you have any memories
of events to share
or photographs
do contact
Sue Howgate
h.howgate167@btinternet.com
07974 690180

**Good News Café
Every Third Wednesday
of the month at 10.30
Kimble free Church**

We have a representative of a charity or organisation speak on their specialist subject.

This always gives us fascinating insights into areas of life that otherwise might be 'under the radar'. Please come along, you will not be disappointed – and the refreshments are always delicious

**Kimble Nature Walks
Moth Trapping
27th July at 10.30am
in
Bridge Street
Contact Dawne for
more information**

dawne.lemmon@btinternet.com

Kimble's Journey
**Read about
Kimble's History and its
place in English History
in.....**

Kimble's Journey

www.kimblesjourney.uk

Interested in the history of our parish and other tales of the area, including Chequers, then you will enjoy Kimble's Journey researched and written by local historian, Roger Howgate. In some 272 pages and 400 illustrations the book tells the history of England from the viewpoint of our rural parish. Available from:

rhowgate@yahoo.com

01844 344680 & The Swan Pub, Cymbeline – Princes Risborough £12 each if you collect- £20 by post (**profits from the sale of the book are shared among village charities**)

**Just Worship
at
Kimble Free Church
Grove Lane
First Friday of the month
6pm - 7pm
An hour of worship songs – the
perfect way to enter the weekend
burden free and refreshed.**

**Kimble & Ellesborough
Horticultural Society**

Our monthly meetings are held at the Stewart Hall at 8 00 pm. If you are not a member but would be interested in coming to any meetings please contact Colin Ells (Chairman)

at colin.kehs@outlook.com. Please see our website for any updates.

***Planting for Late Summer and
Autumn Colour
8 00 pm***

Tuesday 3rd June

Billy Stott from Stotts Nursery, Stokenchurch, will talk about what can be planted to give a range of leaf and flower colour at that time of year. His talk is illustrated with slides covering a wide variety of plants, taken at the nursery and in gardens around the country. A selection of the plants featured will be available for sale.

***Members Garden Visit
Please note change of time
Tuesday 10th June
7-8. 30 pm***

Visit to Professor Sandy Primrose's garden in High Wycombe which contains many interesting and specialist plants. We will have a guided tour and refreshments.

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you have some spare time
to help deliver the
newsletter do let the
editor know. We do need
more deliverers**

**VIOLIN, VIOLA &
CELLO Players –**

Senior Strings Club is a very supportive and friendly group. Whatever level you are, we have music for you!

Why not come along and meet us? The music we play is varied and exciting – from Bach to Beatles and beyond! All the music is arranged for your standard, and you are encouraged to learn to improve on your instrument. No patronising tutor books here, we learn REAL music together.

Give us a go, come along and find out what it's all about.

**Mondays 1.30pm for an hour.
In The Stewart Hall**

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Connect.....

The Great and Little Kimble cum Marsh WhatsApp group provides a place to share local news, talk to and look out for each other and contact neighbours for support. Delia and Harvey moderate the chat if needed but are not in charge, just aiming to provide a useful facility for the community. If you would like to join in please contact Delia - dburton@kimblecouncil.org.uk or Harvey - halison@kimblecouncil.org.uk with your number. We look forward to welcoming you.

**Craft Café:
Every Second Wednesday
of the month at
Kimble Free Church
10am - 12noon**

We come together from the Community and Church for Craft Café in the Church Hall. You can bring your own craft, or not, and enjoy spending time together for a cuppa and a chat.

Do come along

**A Little Bit of
History.....**

Recently Keir Starmer and his family have been seen at Chequers and out and about locally. Long time residents are used to seeing Prime Ministers and their families and are generally discreet over details, following an unspoken code that Prime Ministers and their families are acknowledged politely but not intruded upon. It is interesting to me that local people often have a very different perspective on Prime Ministers to that of historians, since I have a foot in both camps. The first Prime Minister to use Chequers was David Lloyd George who has a high reputation amongst some historians as the originator of the Old Age Pension and a successful war leader in the First World War but who was very unpopular locally – not only for his flagrant affair with his unfortunate secretary – Frances Stevenson – but also for having a very bad-tempered dog and a scarcely less bad-tempered wife who hated Chequers, and some badly-behaved children whose insulting behaviour to the Emperor of Japan cannot have helped Anglo-Japanese relations at a sensitive time. His eldest daughter Megan was an exception, but perhaps it's easy to be well-behaved when you are the favourite. By contrast, Neville Chamberlain has a very low status with historians for his appeasement of Hitler. Yet was very popular locally for his attitude to local people and concern for their welfare

and his concern for the countryside environment [rather unfashionably at the time]. When he found out that he had terminal cancer he expressed a wish to be buried on Beacon Hill – but ended up in Westminster Abbey. Perhaps this was as well since many Chequers dogs are buried on the hill.

Roger Howgate

**The Secret World
of Chequers and its History**

At the
Church of St Peter & St Paul,
Ellesborough
on

Tuesday 3rd June at 7.30pm

You will hear from Emma Paterson (Head Housekeeper) and David McCormick (Collections Manager) Tickets are £10 per person Available from Jackie Rysdale 01296 615109 07780837690

jackie_rysdale@yahoo.co.uk

Kimble Free Baptist Church

invite you to

Songs of Praise & BBQ

with music by

Ellesborough Silver Band

Saturday 7th June

11.30 am

www.kimblefreechurch.org

**Great and Little Kimble
cum Marsh
PARISH COUNCIL**

The Parish Council meets in the committee room of the Stewart Hall on the second Wednesday each month at 7.30pm, except May, when start time is 7pm.

The Parish Council are always willing to consider community projects and welcome any ideas from parish residents.

to contact the Parish Council

clerk@kimblecouncil.org

www.kimblecouncil.org