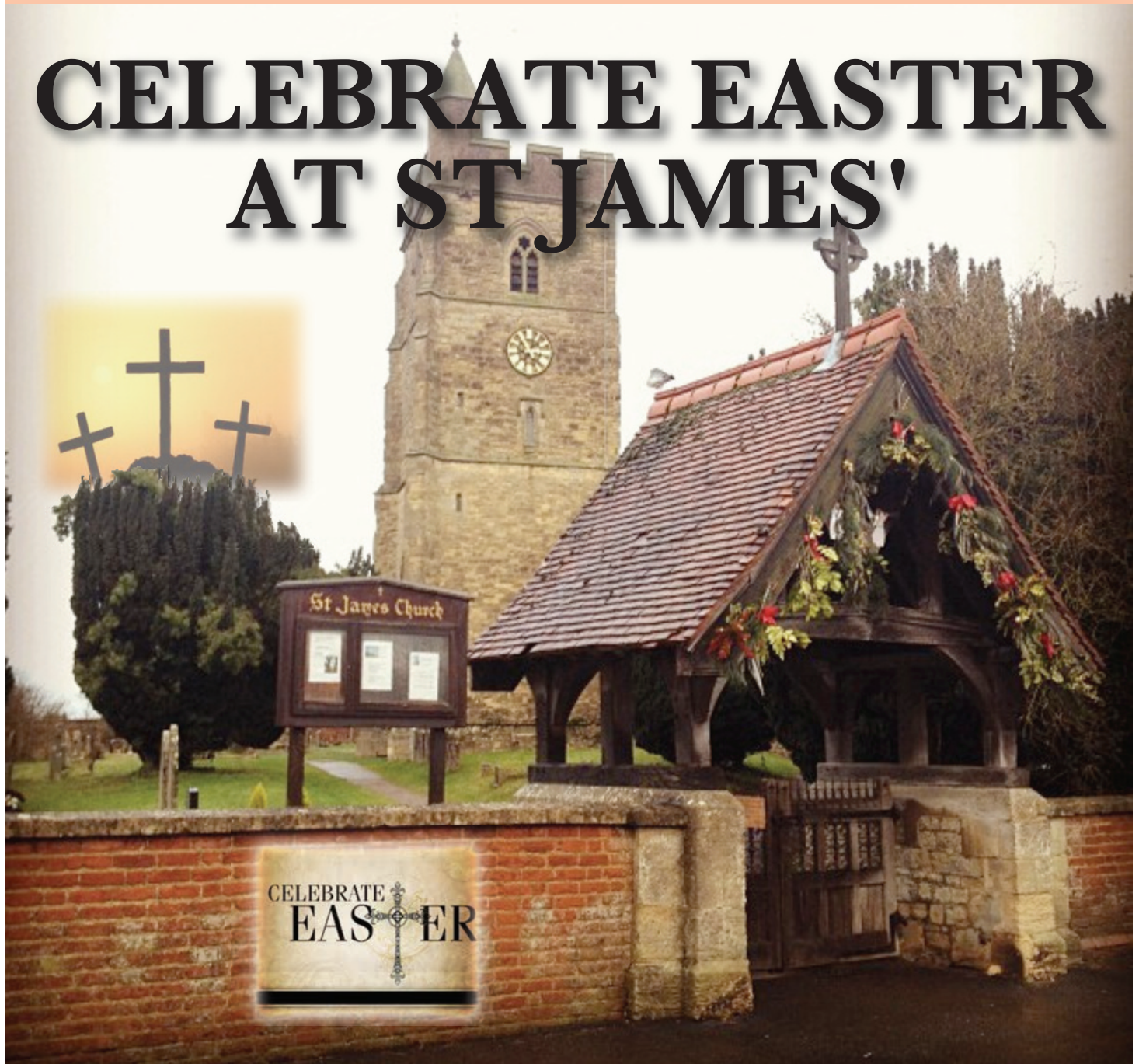


## CELEBRATE EASTER AT ST JAMES'



### St James' Services for April

|                   |                |                       | Sidesmen      | Reader      | Intercessor   |
|-------------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| 6th April         | 11.00am        | Holy Communion        | S Barfoot     | N Weir      | M Gilbey      |
| <b>13th April</b> | <b>11.00am</b> | <b>Palm Sunday</b>    |               |             |               |
|                   |                | Come & Praise         | R Hemphill    | J Hemphill  | D Brazier     |
| 14th April        | 8.00pm         | Stations of the Cross | -             | -           | -             |
| <b>20th April</b> | <b>11.00am</b> | <b>Easter Day</b>     |               |             |               |
|                   |                | Holy Communion        | J Margerrison | I Lamberton | J Margerrison |
| 27th April        | 8.00am         | Holy Communion (1662) | -             | -           | -             |
| 27th April        | 11.00am        | Service of the Word   | D Brazier     | C Finnemore | Clergy        |



**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2014  
Thornborough Village Hall  
10am - 12pm**

**An 'Egg-citing' Easter morning packed with fun for the whole family with Easter egg hunts\*, face painting, crafts, cakes, refreshments and more...**

**\*(Moms, Dads, Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles- we challenge you to do the 'Easter Einstein' hunt)**

*All proceeds go to Thornborough and Nash Preschool  
Registered Charity No. 1031874*



**THE IRON LADY**

IRONING SERVICE

**01908 504080**

(Mobiles: 07733 120741 & 07713 215362)

**Do you REALLY DISLIKE LAUNDRY & IRONING?**

*If so, we have a service to suit you.*

A weeks washing? just a few shirts? or is it the entire package; washing, drying and ironing? You're not alone... At The Iron Lady we offer a service thats daily, weekly, fortnightly, monthly or even just when it gets too much!

*Make your life simpler & call us. Fast, friendly and reliable.*

Washing and /or Drying Service

Ironing Service Clothes Repair

Drop off's  
Welcome



Pick up or delivered to your door Mon-Thurs from 8am

[www.theironladyonline.co.uk](http://www.theironladyonline.co.uk) e: [theironladyunit2@aol.com](mailto:theironladyunit2@aol.com)

Unit 2 • Bacon House Farm • Warren Road • Little Horwood • Milton Keynes • MK17 0PT



**ELECTRICAL**

**CONTRACTORS LTD**



Replacement of old fuse boxes

Additional sockets and lights

Outdoor supplies to sheds, garages, ponds etc

Replacement of faulty fittings

Storage heater replacement

Electrical wiring faults

Landlords' electrical inspections

**Free estimates**

Part P approved electrician



Contact Dean

**Tel: 01296 712776**



**Elizabeth Marks**

**Mobile Hairdresser**

**07920149152**

A professional service in the comfort of your own home.

NVQ Level Two Qualified

15 years experience

CRB checked

Fully Insured

Offering a wide range of services including

Cut and blowdry

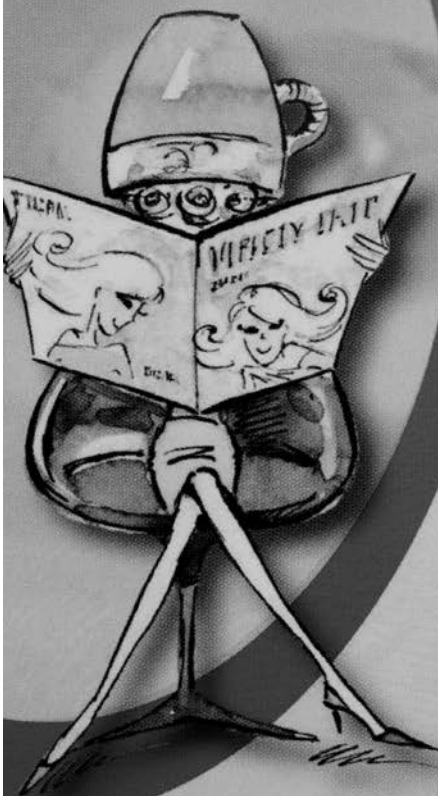
Shampoo & Sets

Colouring including foils, Cap, Spatula and Tints

Perms

And a new introduction to my business:

Gel FX Nails





## Church Key Rota – N Weir tel 713604



## Lent Lunches



Lent lunches will continue in April throughout our time of Lent in St James' Church starting at 12 noon. Come and join us for a delicious home-made lunch, including soup, bread and cake. All welcome.

## Lent Course



The Lent Course continues on Wednesday's at 73 Spring Lane, the home of Mark and Julie Lindsell. Please join us for a quiet time of reflection and prayer. All welcome from 7.30pm for an 8pm start.

## Good Friday Craft Workshop and Service



On Good Friday (18th April) from 2.00 - 4.00pm there will be a craft workshop in Great Horwood Village Hall for 5-11 year-olds. 4 year-olds in Reception are also very welcome too if they bring an adult or teenage helper with them. The children will be able to make Easter decorations and treats. Parents are invited to join us in the Village Hall at 3.45pm for a short service to conclude the event. This is a free activity provided by St James Church, Great Horwood and there is no need to book in advance. If you need further details, please contact me on 01296 712034 or [claremartin71@btinternet.com](mailto:claremartin71@btinternet.com)

*Clare Martin*

## Palm Sunday Service



The Palm Sunday Service will start from the bottom of Willow Road at 10.15am. We process around the village with palms and arrive at St James' for the start of the service at 11.00am. Please join us at any time along the route for hymns and prayers on our way.

## Easter Lilies



As many of you will know, St James' is decorated at Easter time with lilies which can be purchased in memory of a loved one.

The cost this year is £2 per lily or £5 for three lilies. If you would like to do so, please complete the list at the back of the Church and give any monies to Sue Brazier at 17 The Close or June Margerrison at 5 Wigwell Gardens. So that the lilies can be ordered in good time for Easter, please note that the closing date will be **Friday 4th April**.

## Church Fete



It's that time of year again when we start to plan the village Fete which will take place on Saturday 5th July on The Green. There will be a meeting at The Crown to start preparations on Thursday 10th April at 7.30pm. If you would like to help organize the afternoon or be involved in any way at all, please feel free to come along. If you cannot make the meeting but would still like to be involved please contact David Brazier on 714712.

## St James' Annual Church Meeting



The Annual Church Meeting this year will take place on **Sunday 7th April at 12.00 noon**, after the 11am morning service. Please join us for refreshments and listen to what we have achieved this year in terms of fundraising, improvements to the Church building and fun social events. All welcome.

## Great Horwood Toddler Group



We are a small friendly group who meet Monday afternoons (term time only) 1.30pm – 3pm in the Village Hall. Children play safely and we have tea/coffee.

Come along and see what we have to offer. You'll be assured of a warm welcome.

- 1.30pm – 3pm every Monday in the Village Hall
- £1.50 for first child, 50p any additional children
- Includes juice and fruit for the kids

Contact Pippa Theodoulou 07779 638168 for more information

## Horwode Pece



*James Samways*

We are sorry to say that James Samways is leaving the Rec. Check Team after seven years. James was a founding trustee when the Great Horwood & Singleborough Recreation Trust was set up in February 2007 to provide and maintain a recreation ground for the parish. Thank you James for all the hard work you have done.

So we have a vacancy for anyone who can help. We have volunteers who check the field and equipment on Horwode Pece once a week, so if you offer to be on the rota, it works out at once every eight weeks. Lots of people enjoy using the Rec. and if you can help we would be really grateful. Please call 715331 or email [liz.nicholls@lineone.net](mailto:liz.nicholls@lineone.net)

## Dog Poo

It has been brought to our notice that there is an increase in the amount of dog poo not being disposed of at the Rec. The vast majority of dog walkers are extremely responsible and are not only picking up their own dogs' mess but are clearing up after others. If you are a dog walker with multiple dogs it may be hard to keep a watchful eye on all your dogs at the same time and maybe that is where the problem lies. As a suggestion, do not let them off their leash until AFTER they have done their business, then you know where it is and can pick it up.

PLEASE remember as the weather improves, more children will be playing down there now. We are very fortunate as a village that dogs are allowed around playground equipment but this is being spoilt by a very small minority of selfish people.

*John Nicholls*

*Chairman – Horwode Pece Management Committee*

# A B H Landscapes

PATIOS: DECKING: PLANTING: TURFING:  
WATER FEATURES: FENCING: ETC.

FOR A FREE ESTIMATE

PHONE  
ALAN 07843 441010  
OR  
BOB 07951 071175

10 Nash Road Great Horwood  
Milton Keynes MK17 0RA  
01296 713387

*Have a Computer?*  
**NEED  
HELP?**

Help!!  
I've got  
a virus!

How  
do I do  
that?



I think  
I need  
some  
training

Why  
won't it  
work?

Contact Marius  
01296 712 561

[marius.stuart@btopenworld.com](mailto:marius.stuart@btopenworld.com)

*for advice, support and training*

## The Crown at Great Horwood

The Crown, The Green, Great Horwood, Buckinghamshire, MK17 0RH  
Telephone : 01296 714 534



We are open all over the **Easter weekend 18th-21st April**. Serving **Easter Sunday lunch with classic roast turkey and all the trimmings. From 12-3pm**. Easter egg included for the under 12's. **Book now – 01296 714534** - with limited spaces available

Celebrate **St Georges day with us on 23rd April**. Come along and fly the flag for England, we will be serving a Traditional English Menu, alongside some great real ales

The Crown are proud to announce, sponsorship of races at the upcoming Great Horwood Cricket team race night, on **Saturday 5th April**.

**WEB SITE:** [www.thecrowngh.co.uk](http://www.thecrowngh.co.uk)



**twitter:** @CrownGHorwood



**Not even the weather can take away the smiles!**

The Lions Club of Winslow would like to say a big thank you to everyone who attended our Winslow 10k Run. Huge congratulations to Glen Turner of Leighton Buzzard AC & Hannah Turner of Harpenden Arrows, who won their respective races. Despite high winds and rain showers, we had over 300 competitors take part and we were delighted to see so many people completing the course with a smile on their face.

With many competitors personal bests being broken, it proved to a very successful day. One competitor even said 'I had so much fun! Can I do it again?!'

We would not be able to hold our 10km Run without the co-operation of FurzeDown School, who's cakes and cups of tea proved extremely popular before and after the race! Also many thanks to The Winslow Scout Group who handed out water for competitors and Matthew Goss and Steve Rooney from Martin, Nye & Co for the results production.

We have now completed our defibrillator project. The defibrillator box is housed on the front of Winslow Fire Station. The defibrillator project has been close to the heart of many of the members in our club and we are delighted to have completed this. We would like to thank Bucks Fire and Rescue and the South Central Ambulance Service for their cooperation in what has been an important project for the community of Winslow.

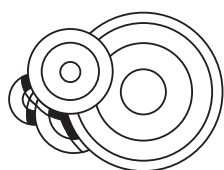
The defibrillator is available for anyone to use. It is accessed by ringing the 999 emergency services and stating the emergency incident. If the defibrillator is needed then they will give the key code for the box on the front of the fire station. The defibrillator can be used by anyone and automatically gives you verbal instructions on how to use it.

**Thank you to everyone who has attended one of our events recently. The money you kindly donate to us has made this project possible. If you think that the Lions Club of Winslow can help you, please contact us on the number below or via our website.**

*Andrew Lowe (Winslow Lions Club)*

'Help us to help local charities'

- Contacts: Website – [winslowlions.org.uk](http://winslowlions.org.uk)
- Lion President Dennis Corben
- Facebook [facebook/WinslowLions](https://www.facebook.com/WinslowLions)
- Tel. 01296 712460
- Twitter @WinslowLions

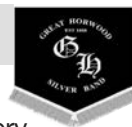


●BLACK BOOK-KEEPING●

- Manual and computerised book-keeping
- Purchase Accounting
- Sales Accounting & Credit Control
- Accounting for Stock
- Cash & Bank reconciliation
- Accounting for VAT

Fixed price and hourly rate packages available – see website for further details

07971 838527/01296 691700 [www.blackbookkeeping.co.uk](http://www.blackbookkeeping.co.uk)



The Band's recent concert in the Buckingham Community Centre was a great success, and very well attended. The Concert began with the training band conducted by Emma Mainwaring. They played "Absolutely Tango'ed," followed by "Vivaldi's Winter" from the "Four Seasons" and finished with "The Toreadors" from Carmen. Emma presented The Frank Wilkes Rose Bowl to Mable Mainwaring and the George Edmans trophy to Holly Knibbs.

The main band, conducted by Musical Director Simon Martin, began with the march "Medallion" followed by "Feelings" with tenor horn soloist Clare Martin. Then came Edelweiss followed by the "Music of the Night" played by euphonium soloist Roy Lack. The first half finished with the catchy piece Take Five .

During the interval, Band President Len Goodwin presented the Sid Mould Trophy to Will Edmundson and the Padbury Sickness benefit Trophy to Tony Hart.

The second half of the programme began with the march "Star Lake" conducted by Bandmaster Tony Hart, followed by cornet solo "Hello" played by soloist Emma Mainwaring. Then came "The Muppets" followed by "The Girl with the Flaxen Hair". The trombone feature "The Swinging Bones" came next, trombone soloists Andrew Cook, Paul Lack, Lauren Cook and Colin Nichols. The Concert finished with "Someone to watch over me" and "The Floral Dance".

The Band's next Concert will be on Saturday 10th May in Waddesdon Village Hall 7.30pm. Entry: £7 and £5 concessions. There will be a raffle and refreshments. All proceeds from this concert will be for the Parkinsons UK charity.

Congratulations to MD Simon Martin and his wife Emma on the birth of their second son Max, a brother for Louis.

*Beryl Lack*

**Village Hall**



Please note change of booking clerk for Great Horwood Village Hall.

The best place to hold a meeting, party or any event. Rates are very reasonable.

To book Great Horwood Village Hall please call Gill Wood on 01296 712165.

*Gill Wood*

**MINI-DIGGER**

FOR HIRE WITH OPERATOR.

DON'T BREAK YOUR BACK TRYING TO DIG YOUR GARDEN, LET ME AND MY DIGGER TAKE THE STRAIN.

IDEAL FOR DIGGING OUT TREE STUMPS, DRIVEWAYS, FOOTINGS, --PATIOS, GARDEN CLEARANCE.

SOIL AND WASTE DISPOSAL SERVICE.

GARAGE FULL? GARDEN FULL?

SAFE AND SECURE INSIDE AND OUTSIDE STORAGE AVAILIABLE.

Tel-Dave Spooner

01296 715059 / 07976 983444

## Ski Apartment Switzerland

Apartment in the very pretty resort of Nendaz which is linked to the resort of Verbier 400ks of piste.

30 second walk from main ski lift.

Fly from Luton to Geneva,  
train from Geneva to Sion.

Suitable for children,  
beginners and  
experienced skiers.

Also great in Summer for  
walking, mountain biking etc

**For more information  
please call Nigel  
07973 171914**

or see our web site  
[www.nendazapartment.co.uk](http://www.nendazapartment.co.uk)



## MICK WOOD

Heating Services Ltd

For service and repair of  
**OIL FIRED BOILERS**

&

**OIL AGA COOKERS**

\* Prompt personal attention

\*Competitive rates

\*OFTEC registered

\*Oil tank gauges fitted



Registered  
Technician

Tel: 01296 730 670

Mobile: 07979 645 472



Call your LOCAL expert, established in 1988

- Aerial Installations for Freeview
- Aerial Repairs
- Radio Aerials
- Distribution Systems
- Freesat and other satellite system installs
- Commercial and multi dwelling systems
- City & Guilds qualified

**TV & SATELLITE LTD**  
Aerial and Satellite System Sales, Installations and Repairs

Tel: 01296 712113

Mob: 07836 204315

[www.tvandsatellite.co.uk](http://www.tvandsatellite.co.uk)

[info@tvandsatellite.co.uk](mailto:info@tvandsatellite.co.uk)

43 Spring Lane, Gt. Horwood, MK17 0QP



Member C718  
[www.cai.org.uk](http://www.cai.org.uk)



As promised in the December issue of Focus, I have planned my 'Have Your Say' sessions for the year in the Village Hall, Great Horwood. I will be there from 10:00am until 11:30 on 9th April, 7th May, 4th June, 2nd July, 27th Aug, 24th Sept, 22nd Oct, 19th Nov, 17th Dec. These coincide with the post office. I look forward to seeing you and discussing any issues I can help with.

Hopefully, we will soon see an improvement in the weather and so be encouraged to get out of the house and go for walks in the beautiful countryside that makes up the Aylesbury Vale. This will probably entail a drive to a beauty spot where the car has to be left unattended for a while. Please do not leave valuables in the vehicle – not even in the glove compartment or boot. They are the first places thieves will look. However, to help combat this type of crime, Operation 'Aim' will commence again in the Spring. The operation has been very successful in the last few years as incidents of theft from vehicles have decreased, but we do not want to get complacent about this and so patrols will continue. Please help us to help you by not leaving your prize possessions in an insecure car.

I suspect a lot of you already receive my monthly newsletter but, if not, and you would like to be included, please call me on 101 so I can take your details. The newsletter is always on the police website: www.thamesvalley.police.uk. Search for Winslow and District in the Neighbourhood section and the last three newsletters are available for reading.

Wendy Taylor



After many years as our local Neighbourhood Watch representative, Ted Hadlow has decided to hand in his keys of office and resign.

Ted has put a lot of thought and effort into his role and devoted a huge amount of time over the years. All for the benefit of the local community. His sage advice will be missed.

On behalf of the people of Great Horwood I would like to thank Ted for carrying out his role in such a professional manner and for all the help he has given to numerous people over the years.

This means there is a **vacancy** as Great Horwood's Neighbourhood watch representative. If you might consider volunteering for the role, and would like to know more of what it involves, please phone Ted on 713716 or call in at 3 Greenway.

Dean White

### W.I News



In March, with a change to our schedule, we welcomed Mary Russell, who told us about her experiences as a navigator in a 2-man microlight. After some interesting technical information, we were shown the layers of clothing necessary to keep warm in an open microlight flying at 1000 feet. We were surprised to learn that maps and features of the landscape are still used to navigate. Then, with a series of slides, we "flew" with Mary on a day trip to Lundy Island in the Bristol Channel. It certainly sounded a super place to visit although most of us felt we would prefer the more conventional mode of transport to get there. A lively Q&A session followed the talk.

The next meeting is our popular annual dinner on **Tuesday 8th April**, held at the cricket club. This year the 3-course menu will have a Commonwealth theme. If you would like a ticket (£12 to non-members) please contact Karen Wilkinson 01296 712933 or Angela Mayne 01296 715400.

Our May meeting will be about Lingerie since WW2, in the Village Hall at 7.30pm

Ann Biggins

## Harwood Cycles Est. 1992

The Bike Shop That Comes To You

### CYCLE SALES & REPAIRS



On all types of bikes by CYTECH accredited mechanic

**All repairs to all cycles including:**

- Routine Maintenance
- Specialist work & upgrades
- Mobile & workshop service
- Wheel building, hub gear repairs
- Antique cycle restoration

**FREE Pick up & delivery service**

- Specialist folding bike dealer (Brompton, Moulton, Aimimal)
- Agent for Pashley Cycles
- Parts, accessories & used bikes for sale

NO JOB TOO SMALL

**Phone 01296 712219**

phil@harwoodcycles.com www.harwoodcycles.com

Office address: Brooklands, West Street, Adstock  
Bucks. MK18 2JQ

Trevor Evans

'Your Personal IT Man'

PC Support, Secure Wireless Broadband and Home Networks,  
Anti-Virus and Anti-Spyware Support

I can help you solve your IT problems and requirements

A Friendly and Professional Service

Call or Email me for a No-obligation Chat

☎ 01296-714413

✉ trevor@trevorevans.me.uk



jazzercise. real Results



Photo not retouched!

# I CRAVE my workout

"I crave Jazzercise because it makes me feel rejuvenated and stress free."  
- Piper, 35

Special Offers for new customers in class!

**BUCKINGHAM**  
**BOURTON MEADOW ACADEMY**  
Tuesday & Thursday 7.30 pm

**WINSLOW**  
**WINSLOW CofE SCHOOL**  
Monday & Wednesday 7.30 pm

**MURSLEY VILLAGE HALL**  
Saturday 9.30 am

07900 987230      www.facebook.com/  
www.jazzercise-uk.com      JazzerciseBucksBedsHerts



Great Horwood  
Parish Council

## ANNUAL PARISH MEETING Tuesday 29th April 7.30pm Village Hall ALL WELCOME

Come along and hear what your Parish Council has been doing in the last 12 months and plans for the next year.

If you have questions, comments or suggestions please contact Karen Francis before the meeting or just come along and have your say.

John Gilbey  
Chairman  
711915

Karen Francis  
Clerk  
712941

**Peploe Williams Academy** of Theatre and Performing Arts

**Me SadieJ**

**SOUND MUSIC**

**Have you got hidden talents?**

Visit us [www.pwacademy.com](http://www.pwacademy.com)





# Chairman's Monthly Report

## Last Meeting – Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2014

Great Horwood  
Parish Council

### Neighbourhood Plan

Our application for additional funding to the value of £4000 was approved and this is being used to pay for the Housing Needs Survey and for 3 additional days work by our consultants.

We have now distributed 2 newsletters to all the households in the parish and had a detailed article in the March edition of Focus explaining the threatening situation with proposed developments in the village.

Depending on the feedback from the community event taking place on the afternoons of Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> March the Neighbourhood Planning Team will present a draft plan for approval by the Parish Council at its meeting on 14<sup>th</sup> April.

In view of legal challenges by developers, there have been concerns that Neighbourhood Plans cannot be produced before plans for the whole district have been approved. However, the Department of Communities and Local Government have issued new guidance on Neighbourhood Plans which contain the following words –

*“Neighbourhood plans, when brought into force, become part of the development plan for the neighbourhood area. They can be developed before or at the same time as the local planning authority is producing its Local Plan”*

Already agreement has now been reached that the examination of the Winslow Town Neighbourhood Development Plan can go ahead after it was initially delayed by a legal challenge by a large scale developer and this is now scheduled to be held in May.

We are very hopeful that this really means that we can have our Neighbourhood Development Plan accepted and approved in the next few months even though the new district plan now being started on by AVDC will not be completed until mid-year 2016.

We will also have the results of the Housing needs Survey by the time this edition of Focus is published and so we will know whether there is enough demand for a Rural Exception Housing Scheme in the village to provide some housing for rent or part ownership which is reserved in perpetuity for people with a connection to the village.

So far we are one of only 12 parishes in Aylesbury Vale (out of more than 100) who are in the process of producing a Neighbourhood Development Plan.

### Annual Parish Meeting

The Annual Parish Meeting will take place on the evening of **Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April** in the village hall at 7.30pm. I will, as usual, be presenting my Chairman's annual report on the activities of the Parish Council over the past year. We will be inviting representatives from all of the voluntary organisations in the parish to attend and each of them will have the opportunity to make a brief presentation

on the activities and plans of their organisation. So please book the date in your diary.

### Great Horwood and Singleborough Youth Club

Cllr. Mayne and I attended the meeting of the Bucks County Council Winslow and District Local Area Forum on Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> March. During the meeting applications from member parishes for grants from the local priorities budget were considered and I am pleased to say that the application for a grant for the youth club was approved by the members of the forum. This will enable the youth club to buy in external services for some of its Monday evenings in the financial year April 2014 to March 2015 based on a detailed schedule drawn up for the whole of the year ahead and included with the application for the grant.

### Footpaths

Robert Deuchar, our footpath monitor, has advised that a new metal gate has been installed on footpath 9 where it meets Nash Road.

### Parish Council Website

For a more comprehensive report of the Parish Council meeting please read the minutes published on the website. (<http://www.bucksvoice.net/greathorwoodpc/>). This website also has updates of items on its latest news page.

If you have any items that you would like to bring to the Council's attention at any time please contact either the Clerk or any Councillor and we are always pleased to welcome residents to our monthly meeting during which we always have a public participation period.

The next meeting is to be held on **Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2014 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall**

*John Gilbey – Chairman Great Horwood Parish Council*  
[john@gilbey98.freeseve.co.uk](mailto:john@gilbey98.freeseve.co.uk)

## GREAT HORWOOD PARISH COUNCIL: - Useful Contact Details

### Members of the Parish Council

|                     |               |   |
|---------------------|---------------|---|
| John Gilbey         | Chairman      | 01296 711915 <a href="mailto:john@gilbey98.freeseve.co.uk">john@gilbey98.freeseve.co.uk</a> |
| John Scholtens      | Vice-Chairman | 01296 712373 <a href="mailto:johnscholtens@hotmail.com">johnscholtens@hotmail.com</a>       |
| Russell Margerrison |               | 01296 714554 <a href="mailto:russmar@tiscali.co.uk">russmar@tiscali.co.uk</a>               |
| Ian Lamberton       |               | 01296 715968 <a href="mailto:ianlamberton@aol.com">ianlamberton@aol.com</a>                 |
| Angela Mayne        |               | 01296 715400 <a href="mailto:angela.mayne@googlemail.com">angela.mayne@googlemail.com</a>   |
| Valerie Porritt     |               | 01296 712997 <a href="mailto:gvjag@tiscali.co.uk">gvjag@tiscali.co.uk</a>                   |
| Marc Bennett-Coles  |               | 01296 712343 <a href="mailto:marc@bennett-coles.com">marc@bennett-coles.com</a>             |

### Clerk to the Council

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Karen Francis          | 01296 712941 <a href="mailto:clerk@greathorwoodpc.org.uk">clerk@greathorwoodpc.org.uk</a> |
| Parish Council Website | <a href="http://www.bucksinfo.net/greathorwoodpc">www.bucksinfo.net/greathorwoodpc</a>    |

|                                    |              |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| Doctors Car Service                | 07704 140110 |
| Village Refuse Freighter Service   | 01296 585510 |
| Winslow and District Community Bus | 01296 715786 |
| Aylesbury Vale Dial-a-Ride         | 01296 330088 |

### Community Police Officer

PCSO Wendy Taylor Tel: 101 (replaces 0845 number)  
[winslowanddistrictnht@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk](mailto:winslowanddistrictnht@thamesvalley.pnn.police.uk)



Great Horwood  
Parish Council

## STARTING YOUR OWN BUSINESS.....?

Would you like **FREE:**

software that anyone can use?  
initial ½ hour meeting & advice?  
Business Start-up Manual?

*I have over 20 years experience & try to make accountancy, book-keeping & tax services understandable.*

**For further information give me a call**



**01296 738668**

**07812 026346**

[www.ajrandco.co.uk](http://www.ajrandco.co.uk)

## V-FIT SALSAROBICS

**Salsa Latino Dance Aerobic workout**  
Tuesday evenings 7.00pm  
Great Horwood School

\*\*\*\*\*  
**Legs Bums & Tums**

Thursday mornings 9.00am  
Great Horwood Village Hall

Suitable for all levels of fitness from the beginner to the advanced ☺  
(All classes are run school term time only)

Contact Vicki Cook Tel: 07955 523428 or Email: v-fit@hotmail.co.uk

## J Clarke Roofing

07870 795964

Tiling

Slating

Leadwork

Repairs

Old & New Roofs

The Old School House • Water Stratford Road • Finmere • MK18 4AT



## JOHN COLLINS ELECTRICAL

ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS  
ELECTRICAL APPLIANCE REPAIRS

ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS  
TO DOMESTIC, COMMERCIAL AND  
INDUSTRIAL PROPERTIES, ALL WORK  
CARRIED OUT TO PART P REGULATIONS

### REPAIRS TO:

**WASHING MACHINES, ELECTRIC  
COOKERS, DISHWASHERS, TUMBLE  
DRIERS, ELECTRIC SHOWERS,  
STORAGE HEATERS AND ELECTRIC  
HEATING SYSTEMS**

**Tel: 01280 814909**

**Fax: 01280 823179**



**email: john@johncollinselectrical.co.uk**



CAPITOL WORKS • STATION ROAD  
WINSLOW • BUCKS • MK18 3RQ

Offering you service and support for all your  
personal and administrative needs

- Book-keeping
- Payroll/CIS
- Diary Management
- Typing
- Meeting Room
- Virtual Office
- Fax Service
- Call minding
- Secretary/P.A. services
- Research

Printing and photocopying at competitive prices

For any further information please contact

Sally Taylor or Helen Hodges

Telephone 01296 716010

Email: mail@paperclip.co.uk

[www.paperclip.co.uk](http://www.paperclip.co.uk)

# Winslow Community Bus

www.winslowbus.com

wdcbenquiries@btconnect.com



Everyone is eligible to come on the bus, we pick up near to your house, please ring Sue for more information.

\*Denotes bus pass accepted.

|          |             |   |
|----------|-------------|---|
| Thursday | 3rd April:  | Local lunch at The Cock in Wing. £4.00 travel   |
| Tuesday  | 8th April:  | Visit St Albans – Verulamium and Cathedral. £10 (travel only)   |
| Thursday | 10th April: | Westcroft Bus*  |
| Monday   | 14th April: | Bicester Garden Centre. £6  |
| Tuesday  | 15th April: | Asheridge Bluebell Woods with lunch in Aldbury. £8 travel   |
| Tuesday  | 22nd April: | Asheridge Bluebell Woods with lunch in Aldbury £8 travel  |
| Monday   | 28th April: | (change of date) – Henley Woods with pub lunch. £8 travel   |
| Tuesday  | 6th May:    | Buckingham Bus. 1 hour Buckingham, 1 hour Tesco*  |
| Thursday | 8th May:    | Westcroft Bus*  |
| Monday   | 19th May:   | Buckingham Garden Centre. Free tea/coffee on arrival; 10% off lunch. Travel £3.00   |
| Thursday | 22nd May:   | Westcroft Bus*  |
| Tuesday  | 27th May:   | Thame Market Day. £4.50   |
| Thursday | 29th May:   | Visit Lichfield National Memorial Arboretum, the UK's year round centre of remembrance with 50,000 maturing trees and over 250 significant memorials. £10 |
| Sunday   | 8th June:   | Cosford Annual Air Show. Over 6 hours flying display, military bands, displays, arena displays, indoor craft, RAF museum. £22 includes entrance           |

## Milton Keynes Theatre

All prices are for tickets in Band A price range (Circle or stalls) and travel. Performances start 2.30pm unless otherwise stated. Door to door service!

|           |                 |   |
|-----------|-----------------|---|
| Wednesday | 9th April -     | - Robin Cousins. Ice – skating as you've never seen it. Circle Row F £23.50 |
| Wednesday | 23rd April      | - Tonight's the Night. Rod Stewart musical. £24.00                          |
| Wednesday | 30th April      | - Black Coffee. Robert Powell as the new Poirot. £29.50 Stalls Row N        |
| Wednesday | 7th May         | - Dance til Dawn. Vincent Simone and Flavia Cacace. Circle Row H £18.50     |
| Wednesday | 14th May        | - Fame. A feel-good triumph. Circle Row J £21.50                            |
| Wednesday | 28th May        | - Pygmalion. Classic British drama. Circle Row D £23.50                     |
| Wednesday | 4th & 11th June | - West Side Story. Greatest musical of all time. £39.00                     |
| Wednesday | 2nd July        | - Singin' in the Rain. A night of sheer delight. Stalls Row D £29.50        |
| Wednesday | 3rd Sept:       | - Top Hat. Circle Row H £34   |
| Wednesday | 24th Sept:      | - The Mousetrap. £24  |
| Wednesday | 26th November:  | - Calamity Jane with Jodi Prenger. £22                                      |

Telephone Sue on 01296 715786

to book your tickets for trips and theatre.

e-mail: wdcbenquiries@btconnect.com

## REGULAR COMMUNITY BUS SERVICES FROM GREAT HORWOOD

**EVERY WEDNESDAY - Winslow Market Day.** Full fare: £3.00 return.

- The bus picks up opposite St James' Church at 10.10am and arrives in Winslow at 10.16.  
The Return journey leaves Vicarage Road, Winslow at 11.45 and arrives back in Great Horwood at 11.51.

**2nd and 4th THURSDAYS in the month - Westcroft Shopping Centre.** Full fare: £3.00 return.

- The bus picks up from St James' Church at 09.50am and arrives at Westcroft at 10.10.  
Return journey leaves Westcroft at 11.45 arriving back in Great Horwood at 12.02.

**EVERY FRIDAY and SATURDAY - Aylesbury Market Day.** Full fare: £4.00 return, £2.80 single.

- The bus picks up from St James' Church at 09.30am and arrives in Aylesbury at 10.10.  
Return journey leaves Aylesbury bus station at 12.15 and arrives back in Great Horwood at 13.00.

All these services are **FREE to over 60's.**

Please note that our drivers can drop you off or pick you up anywhere on route if you have difficulties in getting to a bus stop.

If you require any further information, or have special requirements, please telephone

Sue on: 01296 715786.





Established 1990

**Your Local  
Window and Conservatory  
Specialists**  
Products made to suit in  
UPVC

*From Design thru' to completion ...*

**01296 712151**

Email: [NandGwindows@aol.com](mailto:NandGwindows@aol.com)

*FENSA Registered*

**J & A L E E**  
Est. in 1977

**Your local body repair specialists**

Repairs for all insurance companies

Free courtesy cars

Heated & pressurised spray booth

Full jib facilities

Tyres, all leading brands available

Valeting service

M.V.R.A. Approved

Third Party Insured

Immediate repairs on No Blame cases.

We offer an insurance backed scheme which provides you with a vehicle like your own while yours is off the road

**TINKERS END GARAGE**

Granborough Road, Winslow, MK18 3BU

Tel - 01296 713553 Fax - 01296 715655

Email - [services@tinkers.free-online.co.uk](mailto:services@tinkers.free-online.co.uk)

## Brookside Engineering

Individually hand crafted wrought ironwork and metalwork.

Side Gates

Drive Gates

Iron Railings

Security Grilles

Weather Vanes

Fire Hoods

Fire Baskets

Restoration and Repair

Please visit my website

[www.brookside-engineering.com](http://www.brookside-engineering.com)

01296 715059 / 07976 983444

Dave Spooner, Brookside Farm, Gt Horwood Rd Winslow, Bucks MK18 3LY

**C.T.MOWERS**

## Garden Machinery Service & Repairs

All makes and models of garden  
machinery undertaken

- Lawnmowers (including ride-ons)
- Strimmers, chainsaws,

Contact Chris at  
C.T.Mowers on:  
**07976 980388**



[www.ctmowers.co.uk](http://www.ctmowers.co.uk)

4Beauty is a multi award winning salon based in Whitchurch, Buckinghamshire. Our aim is to treat each and every client as an individual and to meet their expectations every time they visit our salon.



Our Therapists are trained to the highest of standards and professionalism along with technical expertise required for some of our ultimate and advanced facial procedures.

We offer premium brand products and provide quality treatments that undoubtedly make us one, if not the best beauty salon in Buckinghamshire. These include:

- Declor & Guinot Facials
- Declor Body Treatments
- CND Spa Manicures & Pedicures
- CND Shellac Manicures & Pedicures
- CND Minx Pedicures
- Bio Sculpture Natural Nail Enhancements
- OPI Gel Colour Manicures
- Brazilian Waxing with Lycon Wax
- PhD Waxing
- Lash Perfect Individual EyeLash Extensions
- LVL Lift Volume and Length Eyelash Treatment
- Special Occasion Makeup with New CID Cosmetics
- Wedding Packages
- Mother to be Packages

|           |                  |
|-----------|------------------|
| Monday    | 11:00am - 6:00pm |
| Tuesday   | 9:00am - 8:00pm  |
| Wednesday | 9:00am - 6:00pm  |
| Thursday  | 9:00am - 8:00pm  |
| Friday    | 9:00am - 6:00pm  |
| Saturday  | 9:00am - 6:00pm  |
| Sunday    | CLOSED           |

**4beauty**

4Beauty LTD, 56 High Street,  
Whitchurch, Buckinghamshire,  
HP22 4JS  
T. 01296 640644  
[www.4-beauty.com](http://www.4-beauty.com)

# HORWOOD HOUNDS

## *Pet Nanny Services*

Away for the day, off to work or going on holiday?

No one to look after your dog?



Horwood Hounds provides a doggie day care and boarding service within a home environment

Locations in Great Horwood & Singleborough

Licensed with AVDC and fully insured

Gundog training available

Call Edwina or Emma on 0845 634 2155 for further information

## HOLLAND ENGINEERING SERVICES



**MOT TEST STATION**  
Motorcycle servicing & repairs  
Quads & Lawnmowers  
Parts and tyres  
Mig/Tig Welding

Salden Crabtree Farm  
Whaddon Road MURSLEY Milton Keynes MK17 0PR  
Tel: 01296 728693  
Mobile: 07879 427205

# The Trusty Spade

## Gardening Services

for all your gardening needs

*Lawn mowing*

*Hedge trimming*

*Digging and weeding borders*

*Winter tidy-up*

*Driveway or patio cleaning*

*Shed / fence painting*

*Shrub pruning & cutting back*

**Locally based dependable gardeners  
committed to delivering a reliable  
service.**

Please call today for a free and no obligation quote for either regular maintenance or a one-off visit.

**Adrian Plowman - 07934 343512**

**Colin Wakeman - 07921 020781**

# DICKINS

AUCTIONEERS LTD

## ANTIQUE & FINE ART AUCTIONEERS

Monthly Auctions of Antiques &  
Fine Art

Quarterly Picture Auctions

Sporting & Country Pursuits  
Auctions

General Auctions

Partial & Total House Clearances

Insurance, Probate and Family  
Division Valuations

The Claydon Saleroom, Calvert Rd.  
Middle Claydon, Buckingham.  
MK18 2EZ

Tel: 01296 714434 Fax: 01296 714492

[info@dickinsauctioneers.com](mailto:info@dickinsauctioneers.com)

[www.dickinsauctioneers.com](http://www.dickinsauctioneers.com)

# THE CUTTING CORNER

Traditional Barber Shop



Opening times:

Tues-Fri 9am-6pm

Sat 8.30am-5pm

(Closed lunchtime 1pm-2pm)

74 High Street

Winslow

Buckinghamshire

Tel: 01296 714429

- Free Parking
- No Appointment Needed

# GREAT HORWOOD DOCTORS CAR SERVICE



The service is available to be used by anybody living in the village that needs transport to get to the Doctors Surgery in Winslow.

Simply call the following mobile phone number and speak to a member of the volunteer team about your requirement. If you get the answer phone just leave your name, phone number and the date and time of your appointment and somebody will ring you back.

**Doctors Car Service:- 07704 140110**

The drivers are all volunteers who will not be claiming any expenses and so you are only asked to make a voluntary contribution to our running costs. The funds received will be used to cover the cost of the mobile phone and any surplus will be donated to a deserving village cause of our choosing.

If you have any questions or would like to be a volunteer driver please let me know:

John Gilbey 01296 711915 or email to [john@gilbey98.freemove.co.uk](mailto:john@gilbey98.freemove.co.uk)

## Winslow Community Bus



### Needs more volunteer drivers!!

If you are aged between 25 and 70, and have some spare time, please consider becoming a driver for your local community bus. You can do as much or as little as you like, from shorter local runs to some of our longer day trips. We visit all kinds of places, garden centres, stately homes, shopping centres, countryside drives as well as our regular bus services, and the people who use the bus are a very friendly crowd!

We offer certificated training to MIDAS standard, and pay out-of pocket expenses.

If you would like to find out more about the bus, **please telephone Sue** on: 01296 715786 or e-mail: [wdcbenquiries@btconnect.com](mailto:wdcbenquiries@btconnect.com)

## Light up the tower of St James

If you wish to sponsor the tower lights for that special occasion, please help us by using this form for your request

I would like to sponsor the lights on the following date (s):

Date: .....

Commemorating .....

Date: .....

Commemorating .....

The cost is £5 per night.

Cheques payable to: Great Horwood PCC.

Please send to Ian Lamberton

3 The Green, Great Horwood MK17 0RH.

Tel: 01296 715968

## Can you help?

### Full Time Puppy Socialisers & Long Term Dog Foster homes

We need caring homes to look after and socialise our puppies and young dogs during their training as Medical Alert Assistance Dogs for anything up to 18 months, or provide long term foster homes for our Bio-detection dogs. We provide food and equipment for the puppy and cover all veterinary costs whilst the puppy is with you.

No experience is necessary as support and advice is provided however, Puppy Socialisers are required to meet the following criteria:

#### CAN YOU

- Attend regular local puppy training classes?
- Be at home most of the day?
- Follow positive dog training methods?
- Regularly get out and about in all environments and situations socialising a puppy?

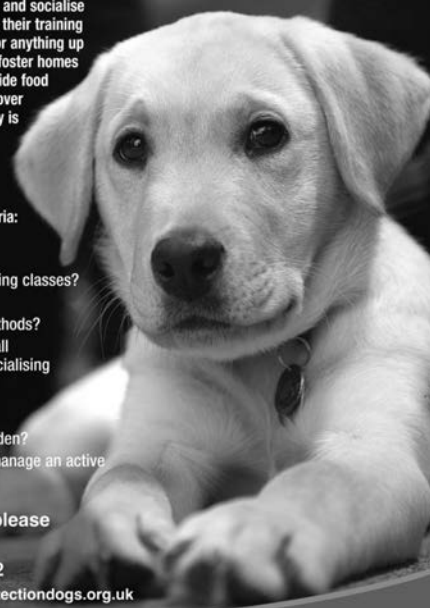
#### DO YOU

- Have a secure, dog-friendly garden?
- Have the time and stamina to manage an active puppy or young dog?

For further information please contact: Pam Jones

Telephone: 01296 711212

Email: [pam.jones@medicaldetectiondogs.org.uk](mailto:pam.jones@medicaldetectiondogs.org.uk)



Dogs saving lives  
[www.medicaldetectiondogs.org.uk](http://www.medicaldetectiondogs.org.uk)

Medical Detection Dogs

Registered charity in England and Wales no: 1124533 and in Scotland no: SC044434



# Precise PVC-u Building Supplies Ltd

- Fascia, Soffit, Cladding, Window Board, Gutter, PVC-u Architrave, Underground Soil and Waste, Pins, Nails, Trims, Silicone, Solvents, Polycarbonate, Tools, Bagged Sand and Cement, Various Door and Window Handles, Letter Boxes, Catflaps, Loft Hatch Covers, Tools of the Trade Available and To Order

- Pop in for a chat and a coffee. Look at our range of products and see the ££££'s we could save you

## FRIENDLY RELIABLE SERVICE

- Find us in Bletchley behind Marshals, off First Avenue to the rear of the carpark on your right hand side



● OUR KEY TO SUCCESS IS GOOD QUALITY PRODUCTS, GREAT CUSTOMER SERVICE AND GOING THAT EXTRA MILE IF WE CAN ●

MK-One Business Centre • Unit B • 12A Romar Court • off First Avenue • Bletchley • Milton Keynes • MK1 1RH

**Telephone: 01908 270994**  
**www.preciseupvc.co.uk**

**Also can be found on Facebook and Twitter**

Trade Counter TONY or PETE  
**01908 270994**



**SPECIALIST SUPPLIER OF BUILDING PLASTICS**





**Great Horwood  
Cricket and Football Clubs  
present**

**'GRAND NATIONAL'  
RACE NIGHT**



**SATURDAY 5th APRIL  
@ CRICKET CLUB**

**DOORS OPEN 7:00pm - 1<sup>st</sup> RACE 7:30pm**

**High Quality DVD presentation**

**8 races plus auction race**

**Full Totebook service & Forecast Tickets**

**Owners & Jockeys for advance sale -**

**£3 each pays £15 win**

**Race sponsorship available: £15 per race - includes two  
FREE tickets and a ride in the auction race.**

**Contact Stacey or Paula (*numbers below*)**

**Tickets £3 each**

**Available from: Stacey on 07931 435327 or Paula 07712 353062  
*Limited space available***

**All welcome, please support your local clubs**