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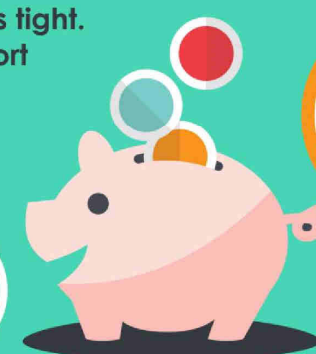
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Hello,

Welcome to the Summer 2022 edition of T & T News.

Inside this edition of your community magazine we have news from all the regular contributors. If your group or organisation is not included then let us know so we can ensure you are included in our next edition. Contact details for T & T News are on page 26.

After a difficult couple of years due to the Covid pandemic we now seem to have moved onto a different crisis with a war in Ukraine and rapidly rising prices across a range of goods and services. No doubt this will put increasing pressure on us all and support organisations. If you have a story to tell then let us know so we can share it with our community in Totteridge & Terriers.

This edition marks 15 years of T & T News and a cause for celebration. We thank you all whether a contributor, advertiser or reader. Without you we would not have made those 15 years! Have a good summer and keep in touch with the latest news and information at www.tandtnews.org.uk

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YOUR LOCAL COMMUNITY FOOTBALL TEAM!

END OF A COVID FREE SEASON is what I am glad to be writing about in this issue. We have gone from September to May without having to stop sessions or cut back on numbers.

There have been two massive successes this season for our U11s and U15s. The U11s reached their division league final between ourselves and Beaconsfield Town Colts in the black league. They played at Meadow View Park in Thame. Sadly they didn't manage to win, but it was an incredible achievement by Carl and the coaching team (Carl's mum and Illyas) to get this far in their first ever season.



Figure 1 - U11's at Meadow View Park in the Black division final

The U15s played at Wilks Park, home to Flackwell Heath, after reaching the U15s Challenge Cup final. This was against one of our division rivals, Naphill FC. As both teams wear yellow and green, we had to bring in a change kit in order to play! It was a large pitch and a very close affair, with Naphill almost going in the lead after winning a penalty but missing from the spot. Two quick goals from us in the second half meant we came out on top. This was especially meaningful to Tak, the manager, as he reached the same final last season but it was cancelled late on because of COVID.



Figure 2 - The U15s celebrating their final victory over Naphill



Young people are being urged to volunteer to help at South Bucks Hospice - because it could increase their chances of landing a great career.

Sumayah Akhtar, a 19-year-old university student, from Totteridge, took up a volunteering role at the hospice about three months ago. She works on reception one day a week, greeting patients, but is surprised not to see lots of other teenagers and young people working in similar roles.

"I would say to other young people to volunteer at the hospice, especially if they want to go into healthcare – it's literally impossible to get a job without any experience. I don't think many people realise that as well as helping others, it can help improve your job prospects by impressing prospective employers," said Sumayah, who studies criminology and security at Birmingham City University.

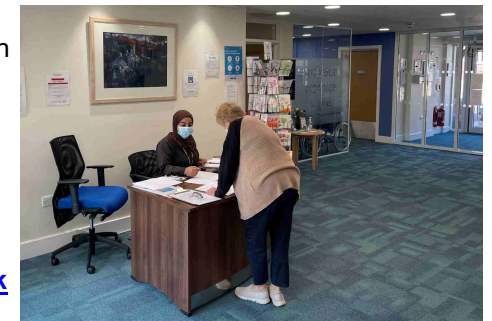
"The volunteering is really nice – I really enjoy it. I think I get more out of it than the people I help. I am the first person patients see when they walk in. People can be very on edge when they come in the first time, so it's nice to be able to help put them at ease and it's interesting learning about the treatments."

Yvette Hockley, Volunteer Co-ordinator at the hospice, echoed Sumayah's message about the value of the unpaid role for younger people. She said: "Did you know that volunteering can help you get into your university of choice? If you have something on your application that makes you stand out such as an amazing volunteering experience or have undertaken a placement that shows you really want to learn and study a subject, that might be enough to put your application to the top of the pile. Sadly, I can't do anything to help with grades!"

Yvette added: "Are you thinking that you might like a career in retail, admin, finance, health, and social care and want to see if it's a good fit for you, why not try volunteering? It's a try before you buy, so don't be bored this summer - come and learn some new skills, meet new people, and test out a career choice."

Roles for young people at the hospice could include retail, social media, catering, administration, reception and volunteer admin to name just a few. Yvette stresses the volunteering can fit in with their schedule and there is no minimum requirement on their time.

To find out more about volunteering opportunities at South Bucks Hospice, based at Butterfly House, Kingswood Park, High Wycombe contact volunteers@sbhospice.org.uk





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Inner Wheel Club of High Wycombe.

The past few months have flown by so quickly. As we continue to meet face to face for our lunch meetings things are beginning to feel normal again.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, we have had to change the venue of our lunch meetings from the Holiday Inn, and we now hold our meetings at High Wycombe Cricket Club.

Our members have resumed some of our activities and recently held a stitch and sew morning making knitted blankets. Some members have done a sponsored walk followed by lunch to raise money for the stroke association. We have many more activities planned over the summer period.

On 3rd May we held our 76th Charter Lunch. We were very pleased to welcome guest from other clubs, Jennie Evans District Chairman, Les Hubbard President of the Rotary club of High Wycombe, and other Guest. A delicious lunch was enjoyed of chicken breast in asparagus sauce followed by baked white chocolate and raspberry brulee tart. Our speaker was John Democratis, who gave a very interesting and informative talk about the history of Spode pottery and his passion for Spode following his many years as a trustee to the Spode Museum. This was followed by a raffle which raised a good amount for the charity we are sporting this year the Rennie Grove Hospice Care.



We welcome new members. If anyone would like to join our club, please contact our membership officer Sue Creed on 07719719636. We meet the first Monday of each month at High Wycombe Cricket Club.

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Firstly, visit your neighbours to see if they would like to see such a scheme. There can be any number of households involved, schemes are generally run for about 15 – 20 flats in the same building, but sometimes more with the help of additional Co-ordinators. Then contact Wycombe District Neighbourhood Watch Association to arrange an informal start-up meeting with all interested households to talk through the benefits and responsibilities. There is, of course, an application form to fill in and you should be a suitable person to represent your community, but, once that is done, you are ready to start.

The responsibilities of a Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator are to share information and to liaise with the neighbourhood policing teams and residents to improve community safety. Basically, this means:

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For more information, please contact us at office@wdnhwatch.plus.com



Wycombe Wenchies WI



With the increasingly warm weather, Wycombe Wenchies have been enjoying the opportunity to spend time together. Our various activity groups have included walks in the local area (even in unseasonal wet weather!), meals out in Marlow and Wycombe, the discussion of a variety of books, a chance to watch films, and regular meet-ups for coffee and chat with friends.

In April, at our monthly meeting at the cricket club, we welcomed a talk from Gemma Green, who was very informative on the subject of recycling in Buckinghamshire, and what can and cannot be recycled. We also held a raffle for some Easter hampers, always a popular event. In May we spent part of the evening discussing the resolution to be voted on at the National Annual Conference in June, with a PowerPoint, video and quiz to give us more information. We then completed the evening with a Beetle Drive, which caused much laughter, a great deal of noise and fierce competition! The resolution is on the subject of the under-diagnosis of autism and ADHD in women and girls, and our meeting in June followed this up with a talk on autism, children and young adults in mainstream schools. Many of us have had some experience with autism or ADHD in our families or working lives, so it was interesting to find out more. In the June meeting we also paid tribute to the Queen's Jubilee, by having a Jubilee themed basket for a raffle, a fancy-dress competition, and Jubilee-themed refreshments.

Apart from the monthly meetings, a large group attended a gin-tasting evening, which went down very well, and an interesting walking tour of Oxford, with time afterwards for lunch, retail therapy or museum visits. Several of us also attended the Bucks Annual Conference in Aylesbury, where we heard two very inspiring and entertaining speakers – the campaigner Julie Siddiqi and the actress and campaigner Baroness Floella Benjamin, who even brought Humpty (from her days on Play School) with her.

Once again, members gladly responded to calls for help, this time for essential items for the refugees in Ukraine, and one of our ladies drove all the way to Poland to deliver them.



Enjoying the Gin!



Sending Essentials to Ukraine

If you are interested in joining our friendly group, please contact us via the website address. We meet on the second Wednesday of each month, at the Cricket Club on London Road, High Wycombe, at 7.30pm.

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Steve Baker MP

The State Opening of Parliament took place on 10th May. I think many people were sad the Queen was not able to make the speech in person this year, but the State Opening of Parliament is the main ceremonial event in the parliamentary calendar. The Queen's Speech set out the Government's policies and proposed legislation for the new parliamentary session. Central this year was the Government's plans to grow the economy, cut the cost of living, make our streets safer and clear the Covid backlogs. It talked about the challenges to level-up opportunities and employment.

I know many people are worried at the moment about rises in the cost of living, particularly the price of food and energy to heat their home. I had a meeting with the Chancellor about this to underline how people living in Wycombe are feeling the pressure on their household budgets. One scheme the Government has funded to help people is called Helping Hands, and more information can be found on the Buckinghamshire Council's website. If you are struggling to afford food, bills, or are in debt please contact the council to get some help.

The Department for Health and Social Care has recently launched a call for evidence to inform the development of a new cross-government 10 Year Plan for Mental Health and Wellbeing. Ministers are keen the new plan responds to the public's priorities, and people are being encouraged to make their views known. Questions range from prevention through to acute mental health care. If you have something you would like contribute to the discussion you can either respond online or by letter. More information can be found here at www.gov.uk The closing date is 5th July.

Six months ago, the 2021 Environment Act came into force. Through powers in the Act, the Government is cleaning up our air, restoring natural habitats, increasing biodiversity, reducing waste and making better use of our country's resources. Saving the planet is the right thing to do, and the scale of the transformation Government intends to deliver through climate change policies is enormous. I think these proposals need debate and scrutiny. I do not think ordinary people will be happy if they are priced out of air travel and car ownership, or have to pay huge sums to replace their boilers and retrofit insulation.

For raising these concerns, some people have wrongly accused me of various things, some of which I regard as defamation. I firmly believe in scientific analysis of climate change. Government must be both clear about the cost of reaching Net Zero and ensure this cost does not fall on those finding it hard to pay their bills. What I am asking for is a sober debate about our options and to make sure radical campaigners do not hijack the debate whilst ignoring the costs to normal households.

If you would like to get in touch with me, please email: steve.baker.mp@parliament.uk. If you would like my help with a particular urgent issue, please phone my constituency office on 01494 448408



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Terriers Evening W.I.

After our somewhat prematurely optimistic report in February the virus finally caught up with Terriers Evening WI with so many members succumbing that we were forced to cancel the April meeting.

In March, we welcomed a return visit from the ever popular Jeff Rozelar who took us on an express ride through the history of the railways, calling at many notable stations around the UK and beyond. In May, members were treated to a demonstration of magic by Clive Pocock who stepped in at short notice after our speaker on old photographs was obliged to cancel.

May is also the time when members select their preferences for resolutions to go forward to the national AGM, in June, when conference delegates will choose the topic which will be adopted as the campaign for the coming year. The two resolutions chosen by Terriers members were for improvement in ASD and ADHD and for increased awareness of the risks of heart disease in women. Currently, 28,000 women a year die from heart disease, many of whom might have been saved by earlier diagnosis and intervention.

Despite the unfortunate interruption by Covid members have also managed to continue with other activities. The quiz team have made it through to the final of the Three Counties Quiz coming third in the heat held in Prestwood in March and look forward to defending their title in June.

Members were invited to join Bookworms, an informal local reading group who meet every few weeks, usually on a Wednesday afternoon, to discuss a book chosen by mutual agreement, over a cup of tea and cake. With diverse individual tastes we find ourselves tackling books that would not, necessarily, appeal but, nevertheless, provide plenty of material for discussion.

Terriers Evening will be meeting again in June when the topic will be "Everything a Woman Should Know", and in July for our annual garden party. We do not normally meet in August.

Monthly meetings of Terriers Evening WI take place at Cedar Park School in Hazlemere on the first Thursday of the month. New members and visitors are warmly welcomed.

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Highcrest Academy

\$3000 boost for tackling food poverty in High Wycombe

Last October, three Sixth Form students from The Highcrest Academy, Amy Ditta, Fatima Hussain and Sammaya Ansari, who are taking part in our annual Bridge to Employment programme with Johnson & Johnson, competed against many other Bridge to Employment sites across the globe in a bid to win funds to design an innovation to help their local community. Their idea was to target food poverty in High Wycombe and they undertook research to gain a better insight into how best to help the community. Their pitch was successful and they won \$3000 to spend on their innovative project. They called their brand FAS Food (using letters derived from the first letter of each of their names) and teamed up with Mark and Trevor from the Wycombe Food Hub, after realising that their aims were closely aligned, opening up a great opportunity for collaborative working.

Some of the funds have been used to build an allotment and greenhouse to grow fruit and vegetables sustainably for those in need within the Highcrest grounds, working with Highcrest's Horticultural Club and Forest School.

Highcrest's Forest School students grow and cook meals outside, teaching the students many new skills. The Forest school works closely with the girls as they are going to be using the allotment and taking care of the sustainability of FAS food. Recently, the Forest School students helped the girls plant some herbs, flowers and fruit in the allotment before the vegetable donations had arrived. This was a new and rewarding experience for all involved, and the Sixth Form students were able to work with students from younger years and see the allotment in use.

FAS Food also initiated a drive in school to collect food stuffs and cans across all the year groups to donate to the Hub and received a large number of donations from students and staff. They are committed to tackling food poverty one step at a time and from a number of different approaches. For more information, visit their website at <https://fasfood.uk/>

Wycombe Food Hub provides an invaluable lifeline for people struggling to make ends meet by making food and essential items accessible for families, find out more at <https://wycombefoodhub.org>

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Bounce and Rhyme sessions are for babies and toddlers and their parents and carers. It's a fun way of sharing nursery rhymes, action songs and simple percussion music.

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What's Going on in Girlguiding?

Rainbows, Brownies and Guides in High Wycombe District have been enjoying the spring and are looking forward the summer.

While the girls are having fun in the weekly meetings, they (Rainbows, Brownies and Guides) also work towards badges which cover 6 themes. These are Know myself, Express myself, Be well, Have adventures, Take action and Skills for my future. The activities which we do in the meetings are appropriate for the age of the girls in the unit.

Last term, we have all enjoyed many activities and badges such as readers badge, aviation badge and local history badges have been earned. One unit has visited the Mayors parlour and another received a visit from the Mayor at their meeting. We are now in our summer term and looking forward to meeting up with other units in our district to have picnic together and celebrate the Queens Platinum Jubilee.

However, we are on the look out for more girls to join us and new leaders to help

We currently have spaces in the 3 sections: Rainbows aged 5-7 years, Brownies 7-10 years and Guides 10 – 14 years.

We always love to welcome new members so if you are interested in your daughter joining one of the units, register your interest using the link.

[https:// www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents/register-your- daughter/](https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents/register-your-daughter/)

You will be able to see the units in the area and find out where they meet. Once you have registered your daughter, one of the local leaders will then contact you with more information.



If you would like to find out more information about becoming a leader or helper. please go to

<https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/get-involved/become-a-volunteer/>

If you would like to find out more about what Girlguiding is all about, do look at the national website.

<https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/>



HELLO FROM JO

Summer 2022

On **Sunday 5th June 2022, at 12 noon, Terriers Community Garden** will be officially opened by the Mayor of High Wycombe. It will launch what is already a fun community project that welcomes everyone to come and potter, plant, natter, and nurture not only the bees, bugs, flowers, and veggies, but friendships too.

As part of the **Queen's Platinum Jubilee**, representatives from across the community will also be planting Jubilee fruit trees, and everyone is welcome to join the celebrations which include a **BBQ & refreshments**.

Once the celebrations conclude, Terriers Community Garden will also offer a lovely space to take some time out in a peaceful oasis, breathing in the scent of lavender and rosemary, as you listen to the hum of the bees, and allow life to just settle for a moment.

Find us at the back of St Francis Church, Amersham Road HP13 5AB

For news and updates join us on Facebook:
www.facebook.com/terrierscommunitygarden
 or contact: Lyn 01628 530402 or Val 01494 473128.
 All are welcome to plant, grow, harvest and relax!

*Blessings,
Jo*

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N.I.B. (News in Brief)

Community Impact Bucks marks a milestone in matching volunteers



The Buckinghamshire Volunteer Matching Service has matched its 1500th volunteer in the county – a great milestone and also something which may encourage other Bucks residents to consider volunteering and registering with the Service.

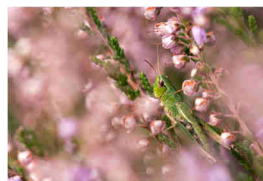
Set up in Spring 2020 in response to the pandemic, the Volunteer Matching Service now matches Bucks residents into non-pandemic volunteer roles in communities across the county - whether that is helping our elderly and our young people, supporting an essential service being delivered in our towns and villages, or helping Ukrainian refugees.

If you would like to find out more then visit the web site at:
www.communityimpactbucks.org.uk



Buckinghamshire Adult Learning runs a number of courses throughout the year. Whether you need to brush up on your basis skills or learn something new to take your career forward they have something for almost everyone. To find out more on the courses available visit:
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Local Wildlife Photography Competition relaunches with new categories and prizes
 NATURE lovers of all ages are invited to enter the 2022 photography competition.

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Local Faith Group information for Totteridge & Terriers



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Office email: churchoffice@terrierschurch.org.uk
Tel: 01494 297933 Office Tel: 01494 462911
Facebook: Friends of St Francis Terriers

Totteridge Baptist Church

Totteridge Baptist Church Located on Hillary Road, High Wycombe, HP13 7RA
Our services are held every Sunday at 10.30am - All are very welcome.
Tel: 07760 651953
E-mail: totteridgebc.secretary@gmail.com
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/totteridgebaptist.church>
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Tel: 01494 - 529668

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Tel: 01494 - 438300

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CHAMELEON SINGLES GROUP



The early part of the year started with attendance at many events increasing as our members started to get out a bit more following the end of Covid restrictions. We are now looking forward to doing many more events this year including the return of our day trips out and perhaps even a few days away on a short holiday.

Coffee Mornings, Walks, Lunch Club and Pub Nights have all been popular events recently and these are run on a regular basis. We will continue to have a social evening via Zoom once a month for those who are unable or do not wish to go out at present. The Friday Lunch Club has now settled into its new second Friday of the month slot. This works better with the calendar where on one or two occasions the Pub Night held on the last Thursday of the month was on the day before the lunch event.

Our programme for March and April offered a variety of regular and new events including a Bus Day Out to Henley suggested by one of our members. Our planning for summer events has already taken place and the first of those will be in our May and June 2022 programme. As always Chameleon members put forward and host all events which gives a variety to suit almost everyone in the bi-monthly programme.

If you are single, 40-60's, looking for a great social life and new friends then why not give us a try? There are no strangers at Chameleon, just new friends to be made. We have several local people from Totteridge, Terriers and the surrounding areas and you would be very welcome too. To find out more call our membership secretaries Terrie on 01494 445816, Trevor on 01494 529067 or e-mail: info@chameleonsingles.org.uk. Visit us on-line at www.chameleonsingles.org.uk for more information and our current programme or connect with us through Facebook.

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