

Grapevine

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Independent Little Leigh Newspaper

Welcome to the Grapevine .Thanks for sending your comments and articles. THANKS TO ALL THE PEOPLE WHO DELIVER GRAPEVINE. **Deadline for next edition: Friday 4th September.** Either email grapevine@littleleigh.net or call Louise on 891356 or Matthew on 891541.

LITTLE LEIGH WI MAY FAIR



The little Leigh WI May Fair was once again a great success and we would like to thank all the children who took part and their parents for their support and their support and look forward to seeing them all again next year.

Maddie and Nina are now busy attending local fetes representing the W.I. and Little Leigh.

ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS CHURCH

July

12th	Holy Communion	9.30am
19th	Family Service.	10.00am
26th	Holy Communion.	9.30am

August

2nd	Said Morning Prayer	10.00am
9th	Holy Communion	9.30am
16th	Family Service.	10.00am
23rd	Holy Communion.	9.30am
30th	United Service, Lower Whitley	11.00am

September

6th	Said Morning Prayer	10.00am
13th	Holy Communion	9.30am
20th	Family Service.	10.00am
27th	Harvest	11.00am

LITTLE LEIGH BAPTIST CHURCH

Ash House Lane, Little Leigh, CW8 4RG

Contact Lis Clarke - 01606 891653

Services each Sunday at 10:45 & 6pm

LLBC@llbc.org.uk <http://www.llbc.org.uk>

Everyone is very welcome to these events

Wednesday Fellowship:

2nd Wednesday of month 2:30pm

180th Chapel Anniversary:

10:45am & 6pm on Sun 19th July

Led by: Michael Forman. Soloist Nancy Coates

Baptism: 6pm on Sunday 12th July

Lights! Camera! Action!! Children's Holiday Club

Last few remaining places left. Contact Lis Clarke

Congratulations to James Clarke who will be ordained at the Chapel on Saturday 11th July. He will be inducted as minister of Disley Baptist Church on 5th September.

Harvest Lunch

in aid of St Michaels

Sunday 27th September
12:30 for 1pm in the Village Hall

4 course meal with wine

£12.50, Primary School Children £5.00

Contact Iris Cockbain 891 639

LITTLE LEIGH YOUTH CLUB

Each Friday
in the Village Hall

6:45pm - 7:45pm
8:00pm - 9:00pm

PLACES AVAILABLE

Contact Jenny Jones on
891649 to register

Little Leigh Pre-School Playgroup

Opening times:

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

9:15AM TO 12PM

All enquiries call Janine
Tours on 07525 236122

Little Leigh Parent & Toddler Group

We meet every Friday,
1:30pm to 3pm in the
Village Hall. Term time only.
Tel Vicki Marsden on
891647

School Term Dates

Summer

Finish 17th July

Return 2nd September

WALL HOLIDAY CLUB

**Lights! Camera! Action!!
Children's Holiday Club**

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Contact Lis Clarke
891 653

LITTLE LEIGH WI NEWS

Members recently enjoyed a day visit to Denman College in Oxfordshire together with Great Budworth W.I. After enjoying a delicious lunch, we toured the college and gardens and hearing how it has developed over the years.

Meetings for the next months - why not come along for a visit - 7:30pm in the Village Hall.

5th August - Member's Night - details later on notice boards

2nd Sept - The world of Beatrix Potter - slide show.

7th October - water colour painting.

BABY SITTING AVAILABLE

Monday – Friday

16:30 – 22:00

Saturday

10:00 - whenever

We can do different times if needed

Lauren Rathbone

07732016928

tidge_eyaa_08@hotmail.co.uk

Jenny Scott

01606 784757

jeni_wren@hotmail.co.uk

£5 per hour

FREE saplings

Bay, Beech, Hawthorn, Hazel,
Holly, Oak, Walnut or Yew.

Phone Bob on 01606 891441

Christian Aid

Together we raised £325.
Thank you for the donations and to
all who collected for us.

Jean Davies.

LITTLE LEIGH AEROBICS

Every Monday 8pm
in Village Hall.

£2.00. Anyone Welcome.

BINS!

10-Jul Recycle

17-Jul Rubbish

24-Jul Recycle

31-Jul Rubbish

07-Aug Recycle

14-Aug Rubbish

21-Aug Recycle

28-Aug Rubbish

04-Sep Recycle

11-Sep Rubbish

TAKE CARE DOWN THE LANES!

There have been a number of
minor traffic accidents around
the village in the last few
weeks. PLEASE TAKE
CARE and WATCH OUT for
others who may not be so
considerate

From 1st April, VALE ROYAL BOROUGH COUNCIL will no longer exist.
CHESHIRE WEST & CHESTER COUNCIL will deliver all council
services. www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk **Tel: 0300 123 8 123**

Many Thanks to Little Leigh Primary School for printing Grapevine

Parish Council Contacts

Parish Council Contact Details

Clerk: Ann Brazier, Woodlands, Hole House Lane
CW8 4RY - 891480
Chair: Matthew Veasey, School House, Church
Road, CW8 4RR - 891541
Vice Chair: Joe Lawless 891691
Bob Screen - 891441
Paul Dalby - 891670
Sue Griffiths - 891562
Jenny Jones - 891649

WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE VILLAGE?

The parish council has introduced a system whereby newcomers to the village can find out what goes on here. This will include details of village events and activities, the work of the Parish Council and information about the area.

The contact for this is Ross Cormick on 891626 or email arcormick@aol.com

SCOTTISH POWER (ELECTRICITY)	0845 2727111
UNITED UTILITIES (Water)	08457462200
NHS DIRECT (HEALTH ADVICE)	08 45 46 47
CHESHIRE WEST & CHESTER HIGHWAYS	0300 123 7036
FLY TIPPING	0800 435 199

Furniture Finders of Winsford
is a social enterprise specialising in furniture re-use and recycling throughout Cheshire.

They collect good quality donated items of household furniture and electrical appliances, clean and refurbish them if necessary, and then redistribute them at very low cost. The showroom in Winsford is open to everyone although some customers have a greater need for help in furnishing their homes than others.

By re-using and recycling the amount of waste going into landfill sites they provide a service for the local community. They provide vocational training, qualifications and opportunities for people with disabilities, ex-offenders and the long-term unemployed.

www.ffow.co.uk 0845 026 4727

LITTLE LEIGH TRAVEL

Arrive at your destination in style

Private and Executive Hire

Telephone Chris on

01606 892781 or **07500 110163**

Handy Hints

Test an egg's freshness - if you are in doubt, add 2 teaspoons of salt to 200ml of water. A fresh egg will sink. An old one floats.

Keep a left over onion fresh - rub butter on the cut surface and wrap the leftover onion in aluminium foil before putting it in the fridge. The butter will keep it fresh for longer.

LITTLE LEIGH OIL BUYER'S INITIATIVE

There are currently 35 people who've signed up to get a discount on their heating oil. This is an additional 15 from just 2 months ago.

There are now regular (every month or so) orders going in. For the last order in February, 8 households requested 5650 litres in total, at only 27.5p + VAT - the cheapest yet.

The next order will be placed when there are sufficient people who need a delivery - but anyone can add their name to the list, and the more people there are, the better the saving.

If you would like more details, either fill in the form on www.littleleigh.net/oil/ email Peter Ford at pete.ford@virgin.net, or call Peter on 07957 148647

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Bio Sculpture: Ultimate Nail Care
International Health & Beauty Council
Qualified Advanced Nail Technician

Tracey Mellor-Savage

Enquiries Tel: 07931 582 939

Rosie Hoyle

BSc. MBAcC. MNINH. Dip HHC. PGCE. ITEC. CthA.

(Mid Cheshire Complementary Medicine)

Acupuncture Herbal Medicine
Hypnotherapy Reiki
Reflexology Aromatherapy

For appointment

01606891864 07730123227

Beauty from the Garden

Fruit and vegetables, herbs and flowers can all be employed in the never-ending quest to make us feel good inside as well as outside.

Here are a few ideas to look good on a budget from the fruit and vegetable counter at the supermarket or even better straight from the garden. *A word of warning before you start, make sure that you don't have an allergy to any of the ingredients mentioned.*

Relaxing and lifting the spirits

Add a tablespoon of vanilla essence to a cup of milk and pour into a warm bath.

Tie a handful of pine needles or some sprigs of rosemary, or thyme, or lemon and orange peel into a nylon stocking or the leg of some old tights (clean ones please) or a muslin bag if you'd prefer it look better. Hang the chosen receptacle under the hot bath tap and allow the hot water to run through the herbs filling the bath and bathroom with the fragrance. Feel it lift your spirits! Discard the herbs and / or peel into the compost. *If you don't have a bath the bag can be hung under the shower head!*

Any questions, or for more information, contact Rosie Hoyle – Medical Herbalist

rosiehoyle@hotmail.com website: www.mccm.co.uk

WIN A CABBAGE!

at the

Antrobus Cabbage Canter

Sunday 20th September 2009

and meet DONNA HARTLEY
400m Olympic and Commonwealth games medallist

10km measured race (UKA registered)
5km & 3km fun runs

All races start 12 noon

5 x £25 prizes
Goody bag, t-shirt and medal for all runners
plus a cabbage

Enter online at www.cabbagecanter.org.uk

Proceeds from the event are donated to local charities:
1st Antrobus and Comberbach Sea Scout Group
St Mark's Primary School, Antrobus

Confirmed sponsors so far:

Vale Royal School Sport Partnership,
Northwich Glass, Rosebank Sports; Antrobus Village shop
Poplars Farm; Unilever, Park Royal LC, Percy's Autos

LITTLE LEIGH BOOK CLUB

This has been running for a couple of months.

If you're interested, email bookclub@littleleigh.net
or call Debbie on 891670 to find out more.

Liam Spruce

Mobile Hairdressing

07772 268648

FOR SALE

Rhino - Boy's Mountain Bike

Used - aged 10-15

Full Suspension, 24" wheels, 21 gears

Good condition

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Tel: 891 532



If you wish to report a crime or see any-
one acting suspiciously – call the POLICE
0845 458 0000



You can leave
information for
the Northwich
Community
Action Team

Little Leigh Homewatch

For more info, or to join the
Little Leigh Homewatch
scheme run by Cheshire
Police, call co-ordinator Liz
Biddle @ Cheshire Police
on 01244 614291 or email
her at the address below:

0845 458 6392
This is an answer phone

Or E Mail:

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