

JUN	IND. BAPTIST	ST JAMES THE GREAT	WANLIP	METHODIST	ST THERESAS
7th	10.45am Community Centre	8am Holy Communion 9.30am Parish Communion 11am Open House	6pm Holy Communion	10.30 Rev Rachel Parkinson 6.00 Birstall Stewards	9.30 Morning Mass
14th	10.45am Community Centre	8am Holy Communion 9.30am Parish Communion 11am Open House	6pm Evensong	10.30 Andy Biggins & Joan Rumball 6.00 Rev Rachel Parkinson	9.30 Morning Mass
21st	10.45am & 6.30pm Mr N Robinson	8am Holy Communion 9.30am Parish Communion 11am Open House	6pm Evensong	10.30 Rev Rachel Parkinson 6.00 Rev Ian Mason	9.30 Morning Mass
28th	No Service	8am Holy Communion 9.30am Ecumenical Service for Birstall Gala Day, School Lane Playing Field	6pm Evensong	10.30 Rev Steve Hoggar 6.00 no evening service	9.30 Morning Mass

REGULAR MEETINGS
NIFTY FIFTIES
 Tues 11.40am to 12.40pm Sibley Parish Community Centre. An exercise class designed for the active 50+ age group. Fun, sociable & very good for you. Fully qualified instructor Kate 2412646

AEROBICS & BODY CONDITIONING
 (RSA Qual. Instructor) Co-op Sports & Social Club Tues 6.30pm Step/Total Body Conditioning; Thurs 6.30pm Aerobics/bums & tums. Tel: Sue 077 396 36650 or try personal training in the privacy of your own home

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION WHIST DRIVE
 Every Thur: 2.30pm Legion Club, Front St.
ROYAL BRITISH LEGION WOMEN'S SECTION
 Meet 3rd Thursday each month, Legion Club, Front Street 8pm. New members welcome. Tel: 2674817

ROYAL BRITISH LEGION BRANCH MEETING
 Members meet on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 8pm. Legion HQ, 19 Front St, Birstall

COFFEE SHOP
 Tues-Sat 10-12noon, Birstall Methodist Centre
BIRSTALL SOCIAL CLUB
 Every Tue: Seq Dancing 8-10.30pm

BIRSTALL SOCIAL EVERGREEN CLUB
 Every Tue: 2.15pm Birstall Soc Club
LITTLE ONES (a group for Mums & Toddlers) at the Methodist Church Hall. 12.30-2.30pm, Fridays from September 1, tel: Liz Panter 0116 2673952

DIANE GROSE SCHOOL OF DANCE & DRAMA
 Dance, Drama & Fitness Classes for Children & Adults Enq 2674775

ROYAL AIR FORCES ASSOCIATION
 Meet Royal British Legion, 4th Wed in every month tel: 2609658
ROYAL ANTEILUVIAN ORDER OF BUFFALOES
 Every Mon: 8pm. The Sir Henry Pearce Lodge No.30. Every Fri: 8.30pm. The Progressive Lodge No.6565. Meet at Birstall Social Club - all members of RAOB, GLE welcome

BIRSTALL CARERS SUPPORT GROUP
 Welcomes all carers. Regular meetings at the St James Day Care Centre, Fridays at 2pm. (Except the last Friday in the month). For further information contact Marlene 2674714

ACORN UNDER FIVES
 Tel: 0116 2672795, Pre school groups: 8.30-11.30am and 12.30-3.30pm, 5 days a week. Toddler group: 1-2.30pm, Mon & Wed. Place: Highcliffe Community Centre, Greengate Lane, Birstall

BIRSTALL QUILTERS
 Every Wed afternoon 1.30-3.30pm Birstall Methodist Church Rooms, Wanlip Lane

RAINBOW CO-OPERATIVE PRE-SCHOOL PLAYGROUP
 (Charity No:1045204) Co-op Sports & Social Ground, Birstall Rd. Open weekdays 9.30am -12noon, also extended care available for a small extra charge. Children from 2yrs - 5 yrs. LEA funding available for all 3+ yrs. Our new play area provides the addition of safe outdoor fun. Enquiries tel Julie 2675264, mobile: 07793630612

HIGHCLIFFE AMATEUR THEATRICAL SOCIETY (HATS)
 Every Wed 7-9.45pm, Greengate Hall, Highcliffe School. New members welcome. Tel: Jenny 0116 2128757

BALLET, TAP, MODERN JAZZ & MUSICAL THEATRE DANCE CLASSES
 Children's Dance and Musical Theatre classes (Dance, Drama and Singing) held weekly at Birstall Methodist Church on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. IDTA exams taken in the above subjects. For further information tel: Sharon Wood on 01509 550 923

BRIGHT HOUR
 Every Tuesday, 2.30pm. Birstall Methodist Centre
BIRSTALL LABOUR PARTY
 Second Thursday 7.30pm Luther King Centre, Longslade Community College. Sec Tel: 2674293

BUSY BEES
 Mother and Toddler Group at Birstall Village Hall. Friday mornings 10-12noon. Contact Jenny 2672072 or Hayley 2209374

THURCASTON EARLY LEARNING PLAYGROUP
 9am-1pm, Thurcaston Memorial Hall, Anstey Lane. Please contact Lisa Sterland on 07904 170 196 for a free prospectus

8TH ARMY VETERANS ASSOCIATION.
 Meet last Thursday of every month at Birstall Royal British Legion Club, Front Street, 8pm. Contact Frank Kerr 2742459

BIRSTALL & WANLIP NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Advice shop every third Saturday of the month at old Council Offices, 10 Sibson Road. Information and help on home security & NHW & postcoding of bicycles. 10am to 12 noon

BIRSTALL INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH
 Sundays 10.45am and 6.30pm (except July/Aug) at Highcliffe School Community Centre, Greengate Lane. For details/enquiries tel: 2214883

WANLIP PRE-SCHOOL
 Wanlip Church Hall Mondays to Fridays 8.30-12.30, 1.30-4.30 Children from 2-5yrs, funding from 3yrs. Ofsted Registered Tel: 2672192

BIRSTALL METHODIST PRE SCHOOL Children from 2. Funding for 3+. Mon & Fri 12.15-3.15pm, Tues, Wed & Thur 9am-12noon. Tel 2675690 session times or Laura Freer 2671910 or Kay Hilton 2207045

BIRSTALL ST JOHN AMBULANCE COMBINED DIVISION
 Badgers First Aid & activities for 5-10 yr olds. Thur 6-7pm Tel: 2209188. Cadets: First Aid & activities for 10 yrs to adult. Thur 7.15-8.45pm Tel: 2106237. Adults: Friday 7.30pm. Phone Eddie Sim on 0116 2719168, mobile 07841 448126

TEA DANCE - every Thursday, 2-4.30pm, Rothley Centre, Mountsorrel Lane. Admission £1.50 contact 2303013

STARLIGHT THEATRE SCHOOL Tuition in Ballet, Tap, Modern Jazz, Lyrical, Drama, Acrobatic, Greek & Modelling. Exams & Medals taken in the above. BTDA Exams are part of the National Curriculum and means they are equivalent to GCSE or A level Dance.

Details ring: 0116 2355495, Mobile 07703 472702

COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY Thursdays, 9.45-11.30am at Birstall Methodist Centre. Peter Molesdale 2929670

BIRSTALL UNITED JUNIORS FC. Football Academy for boys and girls aged 4-6 every Sat 10.30am to noon. All welcome. Bring appropriate clothing, shin guards and football boots.

GENTLE EXERCISE TO MUSIC CLASS Birstall Village Hall, 2-3pm every Tuesday. Open to exercise referral members and non-members. Further details ring Rita at Charwood Borough Council on 01509 634836

SINGING SALLY'S Tuesdays Highcliffe Community Centre, Greengate Lane, 1.45-2.30pm £3 per session. Contact Singing Sally on 01536 772545

GUNNS BOXING GYM The Reading Room, Birstall Road. Mon-Fri & Sun Morning. Contact Carl Gunns 2671494

BIRSTALL RUGBY CLUB Training at Longslade playing fields, Wanlip Lane, Tuesdays 7.15pm, 1st team, Social & Vets Teams for the 08/09 season. Players wanted. Tel: D Bonser 07841584206

BIRSTALL AIR TRAINING CORPS
 Tuesday and Thursday 7.30-9.30pm, 1947 Squadron Headquarters (in grounds of Riverside Primary School). New members aged 13 to 17 welcome. Tel: 0116 267 2868

ST JAMES CHURCH BABY & TODDLER GROUP Birstall Village Hall, Monday 1.30-3.30pm during term-time. Contact Marion 2673817 or Elaine 2673030

CLASH Community Leicester Arthritis Self-Help Group meets on the second Wednesday of each month at Longslade College in the Luther King Centre from 7-9pm. Contact Christine Thomas 2200988, www.leicestershirevillages.com/birstall/clash.html

CAPITAL ARTS CHILDREN'S CHOIR Children aged 6-16, meets Tuesday evenings, Loughborough Town Hall 5-6.30pm, Kathleen Shanks (Musical Director) Tel/Fax 0116 2672035. Phone or email for details: capitalarts@btconnect.com

THE WAY AHEAD group for people with learning difficulties, Highcliffe Primary School, Greengate Lane, Thursdays (term time only), 7-9pm. Enquiries: Deborah 0116 2606309 or Pam 0116 2674818 or Gemma: sportygem19@hotmail.co.uk

1+ BIRSTALL GIRLS' BRIGADE Are you aged between 5 and 18 yrs? Would you like to make new friends, have fun, earn badges and go on camp? The Girls' Brigade is an exciting Christian organisation that meets every Tuesday during term time at Birstall Methodist Church, Wanlip Lane, Birstall. From 6.30pm. For further information ring Susan Wheeler 2209318

INDOOR BOWLING: Tuesdays & Thursdays, from 10am to 12noon. Open to the public. Birstall Village Hall. 0116 2676191

FITNESS CLASSES Gentle Circuit/Body Conditioning, for all ages and abilities. A great way to keep fit. Wednesdays 7.45pm Longslade College, Wanlip Lane, Birstall. 0116 267 0807 for further details

IN B TWEENIES A parent, baby and toddler group run by ADAPT for parents with children who have been on a neo-natal unit. The group meets every Tuesday from 10am to 12noon at Sys-

ton Community Centre, School Street. Tel: Nicky on 07771 718041 www.prembabies.co.uk. ADAPT reg charity 1080112

RED POPPY JIVE
 First & third Wednesdays every month at The Royal British Legion Club, 19 Front Street. Free admission from 8.15pm. Old & new rock'n'rollers welcome. You can phone 2671202 or 2673233 for more information

LEICESTER WINDSURFING AND SAILBOARD CLUB at Watermead Country Park welcomes new members. For more info call Ricky Driver on 0116 2365213 or visit website

www.leicestersailboardclub.co.uk

FACES ARTS Thursdays, Highcliffe School, dance, drama & art. Jody_chesterton@hotmail.com or 07971423201

TICKLED SKINK Children's singing sessions themed around habitats of the world. Exotic animals. For 2-5 yrs old & their younger siblings, Tuesday, 1.45-2.30pm at Pavilion, School Lane, School Lane playing field 07951853204

BIRSTALL WOMEN'S INSTITUTE Monthly meeting plus speaker and much more. New members and visitors welcome. 7.15pm Highcliffe School Community Centre, Greengate Lane

MON 1
BIRSTALL METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP Kids in the Countryside. Mrs Brenda Woodings. Project table.

SAT 6
BIRSTALL METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP Saturday Coffee Shop 10-12noon

MON 8
BIRSTALL METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP A Tiller girl's return to South Africa. Margaret Hudson. Group table

THURS 11
BIRSTALL & DISTRICT LOCAL HISTORY SOCIETY Watermead Park, Dale Osborne. 7.30pm Birstall Village Hall

MON 15
BIRSTALL METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP My life as Matron at Mountsorrel Glenfrith Hospital. Mrs Brenda Chappel

WED 17
BIRSTALL FLOWER CLUB Day outing. York/George Smith

MON 22
BIRSTALL METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP Beekeeping. Mr Roger Partis. Project table

WED 24
BIRSTALL FLOWER CLUB Marilyn Ottewell. Get ahead get a hat. Birstall Village Hall 7.15pm

MON 29
BIRSTALL METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP. Final Fling

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their commitment and perseverance. Gaining accreditation is effective in building self-esteem and confidence, and a great way to celebrate young people's success."

Mandy Gamble, the new Accreditation Worker, said: "I was so pleased and proud of the young people for their efforts to be recognised in this way. We've never done this before and hope to make it an annual event."

Footballer Ashley Chambers said: "I wish there had been things like this for me when I was at school. I think these awards are great, they can put them on their CVs and it will stand them in good stead in the future."

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