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Issue 3

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Chairman's Notes

Hello, welcome to the third issue of our newsletter; again thanks to David for all his work.

We recently had an approach from an Estate Planning Company to see if we would like to arrange a talk on wills, probate etc. It was our view that the company's commercial desires were the prime reason for the approach so we turned it down. However, we are aware that information on the subject may be of interest to a number of people and we are happy to arrange a talk, perhaps by a local solicitor, if there is sufficient interest. Therefore if you would like us to do so, please let us know.

Our Annual General Meeting will take place on 12th November at 7.30pm in the village hall; everyone is welcome to attend to find out what we have been up to (this would also be a good time to register any interest in the above talk). The main purpose of the meeting will be to report on the past year and to elect trustees and officers for the coming year. We always welcome new members so if you feel you would like to get involved in the community please come along.

Despite the fact that I have been moaning about the shops gearing up for Christmas earlier and earlier each year, I find that I too have to talk about the festive season before the clocks go back (at the time of writing). So a note for your diaries: our Christmas Fair will be held on Saturday 29th November and the Carol Singing Extravaganza (can't really call it a carol service) will be on Sunday 14th December from 3 - 4.30pm). Both were very well attended and extremely enjoyable last year and should not be missed this year. As I have already broken my own rules I will take this opportunity to wish you a happy festive season and all the very best for the coming year.

Ray Harper

Christmas in the Village Hall

Saturday 29th November

Christmas fete

The Snailbeach Village Hall Committee will be holding their Christmas Fair from 11am - 3pm. We have a good selection of stall holders hoping to entice you to spend your money and buy your Christmas gifts. There will also be a raffle with proceeds going to the Village Hall. The cafe will be serving a selection of cakes, mince pies, turkey rolls and beverages including mulled wine. It's always a lovely occasion and we look forward to seeing you on the day.



Sunday 14th December

Carol singing

The Village Hall will again be hosting our annual Carol Singing event. David Young will be playing for us and if it's anything like last year, it will be a fun afternoon to get you in the festive spirit. The hall will be open from 2pm, and the singing will commence at 2.30pm, lasting for about an hour. There will be free mince pies and tea or coffee. Mulled wine will be also available to pay for.

Come and join us for a sing along!

Also at 8pm on Christmas Eve there is the usual Carol Service at the Stiperstones Inn; and on Christmas Day there is a communion service in St Luke's church at 9am.

Pam Bickley

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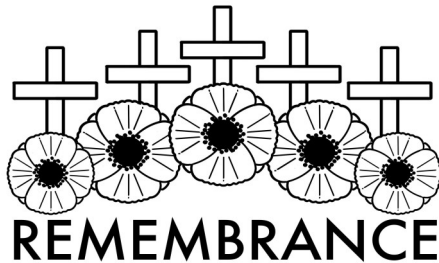
St Luke's church (part of Minsterley Parish)

Sunday services at St Luke's church:

9th Nov 3pm Remembrance service
25th Dec 9am Christmas Day Communion

There are services every Sunday in Holy Trinity church Minsterley.

For details please contact Rev Greg Smith (07902 794653 or email: rectorpontstip@gmail.com) or visit www.stiperstonschurches.org.uk



Snailbeach Methodist Chapel

2.45pm Sunday services

2nd November Local Arrangement
16th November Domini Lucas

21st December Carol Service

We meet in the schoolroom adjacent to the chapel. All are welcome.

See the chapel notice board for details of later dates. For further information please contact
Sue Priddey (01743 790913)

Lord's Hill Chapel

Sunday services:

10.30am and 3.00pm in the schoolroom building.

Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer Meeting:

7.30pm in the schoolroom building.

For further details please contact

Stephen Ford (01743 588407)
stephenford323@hotmail.com



Rea Valley Transport Scheme

The scheme is now fully operational, enabling residents of the area to access medical appointments including Pontesbury & Worthen surgeries, and Shrewsbury, Telford and Oswestry hospitals. The scheme also undertakes whenever we can to get people to opticians, dental and other wellbeing appointments e.g. support groups where possible.

Please note that the scheme is not set up to help with emergency appointments or to assist with other transport requests such as shopping.

Our drivers are all volunteers, but are insured, DBS checked and safely recruited. However, they are not medical professionals. Your driver will collect you from your home address and take you in good time for your appointment. To request transport, please contact our scheme administrator, Emma, at reavalleytransportscheme.info@gmail.com or by calling **07468115939**. If possible please give us a minimum of a week's notice of when and where your appointment is.



Celebrate Christmas!

Sunday 14th December
3pm at Hope Church

Traditional Candlelit Carol Service

Sunday 21st December
4pm at Shelve Church
All-Age Christingle Service

● **Christmas Eve Holy Communion**
● **10am at Hope Church**

Christmas Day Holy Communion
9.30am at Shelve Church.

NATURAL ENGLAND

Notes from the hill

Well, the summer has flown by, and boy it's been a hot one! As you would expect this has been good for some wildlife and bad for others. Those that require wet ground, like snipe that need to probe the ground for food, have not fared well whereas some butterflies have had a bumper year. We have even spotted a clouded yellow this year, which is a migrant butterfly rarely seen up in the Shropshire Hills.

One species that you might expect to do well in the sunshine is the wood ant which build its nests or solariums so as to maximise catching the warmth of the sun. However, the wood ants that we are lucky enough to have within our upland woodlands are a northern species called hairy wood ants. They are on the southern edge of their range, so in the peak of the summer this year there was little activity on their nest mounds as they had retreated to the shade underground. At least half of their nest is usually underground, which like our houses have various rooms or chambers for different purposes.

Wood ants are a very important part of a healthy woodland ecosystem, and they are one of a few key species known as ecosystem engineers. Like earthworms, wood ants shape the environment that they live in and benefit biodiversity. For example, they affect tree growth through their relationship with aphids (they farm aphids and collect the sugary honeydew that the aphids excrete) and their control of other insects such as moth caterpillars, will benefit the trees. Their nests add to nutrients within the soil and host a variety of other species, many of which are only found in wood ant nests. They are also a food source for a variety of creatures including green woodpeckers and they disperse the seeds of various plants such as cow wheat. As each wood ant colony can consume 20,000 prey in a year, with most of their activity being in the woodland canopy, they have a significant impact upon the surrounding woodlands and it could be argued that woodlands without their presence are not in a natural state.

Across Europe wood ants are under threat, and many species ranges are shrinking due to changes in woodland management or fragmentation, urban expansion and human disturbance. The hairy wood ants at Resting Hill seem quite isolated, but it would be good to hear if anyone knows of any wood ant nests in the surrounding area as that would inform us of how best to link up some of their sites. Are there any in Snailbeach or Eastridge for example?



Although the summer seems to have been drawn out rather late this year the hill is showing signs of autumn. This is always the best time of the year for fungi and this year seems to be a bumper year.

Fungi come in a vast variety of colours and forms and are a vitally important part of life on earth. Although they often go unnoticed below ground or within rotting wood, they are essential to ecosystems and to human health. Fungi are the world's natural recycling system, breaking down dead organic matter and releasing nutrients into the soil essential to plant growth and all animals that rely upon it. Their underground mycorrhizae also play a vital part in the absorption of nutrients and water by plants and of course we use fungi for a variety of purposes. What would we do without the yeast that makes our bread rise and our beer brew?

The birch woodlands on the Stiperstones are home to one of the most recognised toadstools, the fly agaric. With its white speckled red cap, it is the toadstool in every fairy story. Its name refers to a traditional use of the dried flesh being sprinkled in milk to kill insects. Most of our mushrooms and toadstools have common names such as jelly ear, rancid bonnet, hairy curtain crust and wood cauliflower. The Stiperstones have some great fungi records not only from its woodlands but also in other habitats such as the scrub and its grasslands.

We have records of two notable fungi that have been found on the grasslands of the Stiperstones. The big blue pinkgill is a rare toadstool which we thought would be easy to identify as there aren't



many blue fungi in the UK, however it has now been split into four distinct species, so who knows which one we have! The olive earthtongue is another rare fungi that also may be a complex of different species. This is a tiny green or brown fungus that as the name suggests emerges from the ground with tongue shaped fruiting bodies

**Simon Cooter
and the Natural England staff at Rigmoroak**



Ffeisty Ffelters



The Ffeisty Ffelters have been enjoying Snailbeach Village Hall for a number of years now. We run a three day workshop twice a year in April and August when we get together for a lovely weekend of friendship and creativity and shared refreshments.

This year, as well as working on individual textile projects towards our annual exhibition at The Bear Steps Gallery, Shrewsbury in November we continued our experiments, begun in April, with Indigo dyeing.

We always appreciate our time at Snailbeach using your facilities and being creative and hope to continue with our workshops as long as you will hire out your village hall to us. Many thanks.

Suzanne Lawler
suzannelawler@btinternet.com



Festive Friends 2025

Will you be on your own this Christmas Day?

Cost: Suggested donation of £7 to help cover costs.

Contact: Linda on 01588 630409 for more information and booking.

If so, you are invited to join us for Christmas Lunch in Norbury!

Transport can be provided.

Arrive for drinks and mince pies.

Enjoy a two-course lunch.

Relax and enjoy some light entertainment and conversation.

All ages welcome

Time: 11:30am - 3pm

Venue: Norbury Village Hall



Several locals from Stiperstones/Snailbeach are involved in this event. If you can offer help or entertainment please contact me for details.

Lorraine Gawlik
 email: lolgawlik52@gmail.com

Funding to help you care for the natural environment.



The Shropshire Hills Conservation Fund has reopened this autumn and applications are invited for projects in spring 2026. Fund priorities are:

- Conserving and enhancing the natural beauty, landscape, wildlife or heritage of the Shropshire Hills National Landscape.
- Educational and awareness-raising activities relating to the area and its conservation, especially involving young people.

We're keen to encourage applications from local groups. Grants are in the range of £500 - £2,000 and can make a real difference in converting great ideas into sustainable action for nature and people. Earlier this year grants totalling just under £15,000 were awarded to nine practical projects with strong community engagement. These include funding the wildlife monitoring efforts of a parish council, creating a publicly accessible wildflower meadow and

supporting a community wildlife group in delivering a programme of events.

If you have an idea in mind, the first step is to complete a short form. We will contact you to discuss your idea and will be able to recommend whether you should progress to an application. The deadline to make an expression of interest to the Fund is 13th February 2026.

For further information and how to apply can be found on: www.shropshirehills-nl.co.uk. Alternatively contact Stephanie Hayes from the Shropshire Hills National Landscape Team, email stephanie.hayes@shropshire.gov.uk or telephone 01743 254746.

Men best show their character in trifles, where they are not on their guard.

- Arthur Schopenhauer

Happiness is not the end of life; character is.

- Henry Ward Beecher

From the editor

Grateful thanks to those additional residents who have offered to assist with distributing the newsletter. We now have a good team of nine delivering around 320 copies.

More adverts this time - please support these local businesses where you can. The income from advertising (see back page) helps meet the cost of this newsletter.

If you or your group are planning something locally please do send it to us for inclusion in the next edition. Likewise if you have news, an announcement or report the you wish to share.

Someone got married and promised to send me a picture - but it never came. I did warn them they would get a mention anyway . . .

David Young

In the examination paper, the professor wanted us to sign a form stating that we had not received any outside assistance. Unsure of whether he should sign the form a student admitted that he had prayed for the assistance of God.

The professor studied the answer page and then replied, "You can sign it with a clear conscience. God did not assist you."



Stuart Carter
at
Habberley Village Hall
7.00pm Friday 7th November
An evening of songs
some old, some new, some to make you
smile, or wonder, or sing along.
Light refreshments will be on sale during the evening
Tickets £8 (in aid of St Mary's Church)
Advance tickets - tel: 07985 719005
or email: scarter5867@hotmail.co.uk



Rea Valley
foodbank

Supporting those in food crisis within the Rea Valley Community

Unbelievably it is one year since Rea Valley Foodbank became independent from Shrewsbury's Foodbank Plus and began running the service on our own. The occasion was marked by a celebration with Councillor Heather Kidd; Mike Kirk, our secretary, welcomed her and we were able to tell her that we have had referrals for over 100 service users, nearly half of which are households with one or more child. As the Foodbank was open at the time it was also an opportunity for her to see how it all works. Cllr. Kidd was keen to hear about the problems faced by people using our Foodbank and invited us to follow up with her and to discuss how Shropshire Council's services could help across our rural area.

To access the Foodbank or find out more:

Call Rev Greg Smith (07902 794653) or Rev Richard Lonsdale (07922 830488) or email reavalleyfoodbank@gmail.com. You can also be referred by a GP, school, nursery, social/health worker, housing provider or other support agency. See our website: <https://reavalleyfoodbank.co.uk/>.

Jean Garner



Craft and Flower Show

The hot dry summer resulted in poor growing conditions so it was encouraging that so many managed to produce such good specimens for our Show on 23rd August. The overall number of entries was lower than in previous years, but the Floral Art (Flower Arranging) class saw an increase and it was good to see some new names among the exhibitors. The Craft side also showed some ups and downs in numbers but there was an impressive number of paintings and photographs on display.

Our President, Bill Neil, commented on the recently re-introduced Beginners' Classes, saying that it was through these that he and his wife started their interest in flower shows and he hoped that others would follow the same route. It is hoped that some of those who visited the show will come back next year to show their gardening or craft skills; some of the winners this year did just that!

The Trading Post is now closed for the winter and reopens on the first Saturday in February.

Rob Dixon

CRIME/INCIDENTS OF NOTE REPORTED
CHIRBURY, WORTHEN, HOPE, SHELVE & STIPERSTONE
16th July - 14th October 2025

CRIME REPORTED	DETAILS	LOCATION	NOTES
Public order offence		Stapeley	
Assault		Chirbury	
Theft	Graham Edwards small stock trailer and red diesel stolen	Marton	overnight 9 th - 10 th Sept
Production or being concerned in production of a controlled drug	Cannabis farm		Two persons arrested
Public nuisance		Marton	
Taking vehicle without permission		Bishop's Castle	Suspect identified
Interfering with mail		Hope	
Stalking		Churchstoke	
Criminal damage	Persons unknown entered field and mutilated a ewe. Sheep have previously been located with missing body parts	Black Marsh	4 th - 7 th August
Harassment		Snailbeach	
Burglary	Tools stolen from property being renovated	Rowley	16:00 - 16:30 21 st July
Criminal damage	Trees chopped down	Snailbeach	
Assault		Marton	
Aggravated vehicle taking	Vehicle taken from property without consent and damage caused to it	Worthen	Suspects arrested, enquires ongoing
Stalking		Marton	
Blackmail		Hope Valley	
Assault		Stiperstones	
Malicious communications		Churchstoke	

It's that time of year again when the darker nights are upon us. Simply leaving a light on in the evening or late at night can significantly reduce the chance of being a victim of a burglary. This time of year there is generally a peak in burglaries. Thankfully we get very few dwelling burglaries in this policing area, but having a light on may help deter any opportunist thieves looking to target outbuildings.

The 'Lighten up' top security tips are:
A well-lit home gives the impression someone is in.

Use timer switches to turn lamps on.

We recommend dusk 'til dawn lighting, which stays on through the dark, switching off at sunrise.

Don't just set a light on a timer in the hall or landing area, try and set the lights up in room.

Consider other types of lighting, such as devices that simulate the light of a TV.

Invest in external lighting such as PIR lights to light up outbuildings and yards.

Always lock windows and doors and keep gates and side entrances well secured.



The Stiperstones Inn *Upcoming Events*

Knitter Natter
10am Every Tuesday!

Big Money Bingo
7.30pm Monday 3rd November

Quiz Night
8.00pm Monday 24th November

Big Money Bingo
7.30pm Monday 1st December

Christmas Quiz Night
8.00pm Monday 15th December

Family Christmas Bingo
6.30pm Monday 22nd December

Christmas Eve Carol Service
Singing starts at 8.00pm

Christmas Day
Open for drinks 12.00pm - 2.00pm

Boxing Day Dash & Dawdle
Registration from 10.00am
Race starts 11.00am

New Year's Eve Quiz
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Christmas Greetings

Paul, Claire, Georgia and Will Corfield would like to wish all our friends, family, neighbours and customers a very Merry Christmas and Best Wishes for a Happy and Healthy 2026!

Happy Christmas and New Year to all my family, friends and neighbours. Thanks to you all for being so good to me. Love to you all.
Joan Purslow X

(Maybe next year we'll have more greetings! Meanwhile, a Happy Christmas to all our readers from the editor and the Village Hall trustees.)

Rea Valley Community Wildlife Group

The RVCWG has been working hard this year to deliver walks and events throughout the Rea Valley to fellow nature enthusiasts. Each month we have a local walk – discovering flora and fauna together. We have explored Snailbeach, Eastridge, Gatton, Brockton, Poles Coppice, Hope and Mitchell's Fold. Each walk is an opportunity to learn more about our incredible landscape and local history, to chat and to see what wildlife we can find together.

We have also hosted a number of specialist events in 2025, looking more in depth into the wildlife found in our area. Each event was led by a local expert lending their time and expertise for free. In January we investigated winter ducks and wildfowl, April saw a wildflower walk at Earl's Hill and Pontesford. In May and June our experts showed us the delights of butterflies and bats – particularly fun using specialist sound equipment that helps people visualise the echolocation of different species of bat. In July we continued looking to the sky with swift walks at both Ford and Hanwood – where several nesting sites were found – particularly important given the nature of the falling population of a bird on the Red List of conservation concern. We were also supported by volunteers from the Severn Rivers Trust helping us to explore various and fascinating pond life – from single cell zooids to dragonflies and newts.

We are so grateful that over 100 people have joined us on these walks, and we have all learned much more about each subject. The specialist events have been supported by Shropshire Hills National Landscape. The equipment and communications support has enabled us to reach more people and enthuse them about nature in the local area. The new programme for specialist events begins in January 2026

The RVCWG also produces an incredible quarterly 'iRecord Report' based on wildlife sightings within the Rea Valley Area submitted to iRecord. This is a fantastic summary of what is being seen throughout the year. Presented in an attractive and easy to understand way, this report is a joy to read and can be found and downloaded from our website.

We have a vibrant and active Whatsapp group which anyone can join, and our Facebook page has grown from strength to strength, with both forums being a place where people can share their own photographs and nature finds and ask for help with species identification. If you would also like to join our e-mail distribution list, you can receive regular updates about our events and other activities taking place throughout the Rea Valley Area.

More information can be found on our website. Membership, walks and events are all free.

REA VALLEY COMMUNITY WILDLIFE GROUP



MONTHLY WALK: NOVEMBER 2025

Saturday 15th November - Monthly Walk

10am - 1pm

Pontesford Hill Car Park - hoot.signed.cobbled

Join our friendly Rea Valley Community Wildlife Group (RVCWG) at our November monthly walk providing an opportunity to discover local flora and fauna together.

Free to attend and no booking required



Please note that there is no designated leader for these monthly walks. A meeting point is listed for each walk and the group will decide together on the day where they would like to walk.

This event is free, but donations are welcome.



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More Information
www.shropscwgs.org.uk/reavalley-wildlife-group/



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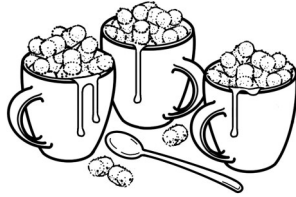
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Snailbeach Table Tennis Club

No expertise or equipment needed (maybe wear trainers). The cost is £2 per week and anyone will be made very welcome. Fridays from 1.30pm in Snailbeach Village Hall. If new to table tennis then we can explain the rules, or at least the ones we know.

Contact me on Snailbeachtt@gmail.com. Let me know if you want any more info.

Andrew Maher



Snailbeach mine visitor centre

Note that Snailbeach visitor centre is now closed until next Easter. Work parties on the mine site will continue to take place on most Thursday afternoons, and potential members can find further information on the Trust website:

www.shropshiremines.org.uk.

Julian Bromhead



Stiperstones Brass Band

Rehearsals take place most Monday evenings during term time at Snailbeach Village Hall. We are always pleased to welcome new brass players. The band are currently finalising Christmas engagements, provisionally as follows:

Saturday 6th December 6.00p.m.

St George's church Pontesbury

Wednesday 17th December (evening time TBC)

Holy Trinity church Minsterley

Sunday 21st December 6.30p.m.

Lydbury North Church

Wed. 24th December 6.00 - 6.30p.m.

School Green, Pontesbury

Julian Bromhead

Snailbeach WI

Be inspired & widen your
circle of friends

Come and see what we have to offer.

Give it a try—
you might be surprised!



We meet in Snailbeach Village Hall, SY5 0NX,
on the second Thursday of the month at 7.30pm
(2pm Dec, & Jan)

For more information contact Sue:

tel: 07375 463536

e-mail: suexjohnson@gmail.com



The WI is a member organisation where visitors who are thinking of joining are without doubt more than welcome, but the meetings are generally not open meetings for anyone to attend.

13th Nov Demo of "Woodworks"
with Jacob Wood

11th Dec Entertainment (t.b.c.)

The Mobile library

We have the benefit of the mobile library every fortnight. To contact the service visit: www.Shropshire.gov.uk/libraries or ring 01743 255024.

The library stops at:

Snailbeach Village Hall	2.00 - 2.20pm
Stiperstones Inn	2.30 - 2.55pm
Tankerville Pottery	3.00 - 3.20pm

Scheduled Wednesdays are:

15th, 29th October
12th, 26th November
10th December

Village Hall who's who

Chairman	Ray Harper	ray156harper@gmail.com		
Deputy Chair	Rodney Burt	rodneymburt@icloud.com or 07397 516631		
Secretary	Pam Bickley	revpambickley@gmail.com		
Hall bookings	Jo Jeays	snailbeachvhbookings@gmail.com or 07815 733730		
Treasurer	Lara Sproson-Jones	treasurer.svhall@gmail.com		
Newsletter	David Young	newsletter.svhall@gmail.com		
Trustees	Julian Bromhead	Anne-Marie Fleming	Carl Fleming	Sharon Hammond
	Caroline Harper	Tarraah Lewis	Maria Marks	Jenny Mix
	Phil Sproson-Jones	Cathy Stahr	Justyna Jones	

In event of emergency contact any of the trustees.

Village Hall events and bookings

Regular bookings:

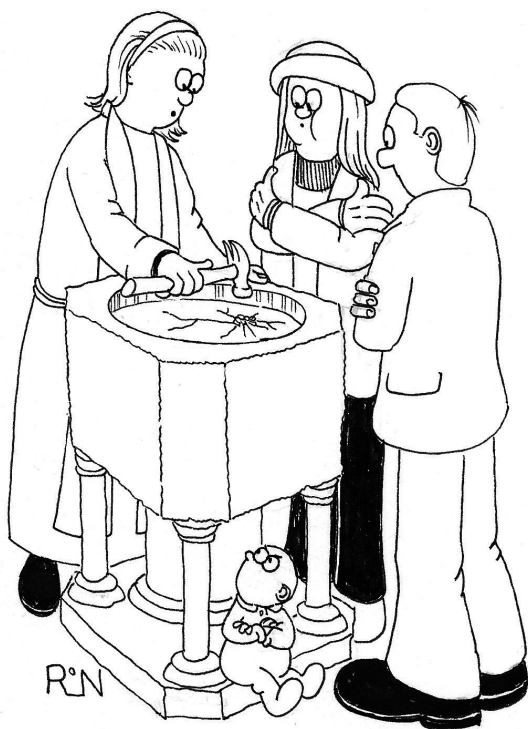
Monday evenings:	Band practice (see page 11)
Tuesday evenings:	Dog training/ puppy classes
Friday afternoons:	Table tennis (see page 11)
2nd Thursday:	WI (see page 11)
Sundays:	early morning exercise class (see advert page 10)

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MP's advice surgery:

- Friday 3rd October - Bridgnorth
- Friday 7th November - Bishops Castle
- Friday 21st November - Craven Arms



Meet the MP:

- Friday 24th October - Cleobury North
- Friday 21st November - Craven Arms