

Monkton Combe Newsletter

August 2017 No.307



Church Services for August

6 th	11:00am	Morning Prayer
13 th	11:00am	Morning Prayer
20 th	11:00am	Morning Prayer
27 th	11:00am	Holy Communion

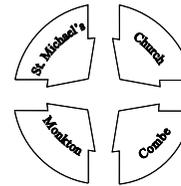
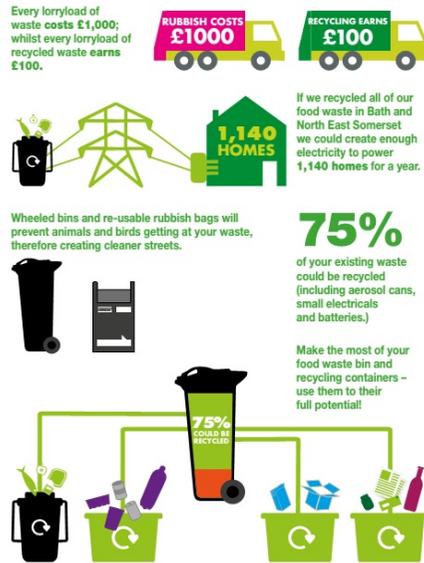
WI : The August meeting will be held at 7:30pm on Tuesday 8th August.

Monkton Combe School: Monkton Minis and Muckers run 12th July - 25th August at the Prep and Pre Prep – please ring 01225 721116 for more details. The Senior School has various summer residential groups staying between 22nd July and 25th August. The Senior School is hosting a wedding on 12th August. Radio Football tournament will be held on Longmead 6th August

Cark Park: from Des Wighton, Parish Council:- could I just remind readers that the car park, in the centre of the village, next to the Hall, is a PUBLIC car park - this means that it can be used by anyone and everyone on a first-come, first-served basis. So it's no good moaning (as has been reported) at users of the Hall for blocking up the car park when you want to park there - it's just the same for them when you're already occupying the space. I know we could do with some more car parking space in the village but until we find some spare land and some resources, let's all just make the best of it - please.

Waste Collection - last chance.....As you may know, BANES are changing the frequency of waste (black bag) collections from November - they're going to be every two weeks and will need to be in either a wheelie bin or a black sack (like the blue cardboard one) which will be delivered by the council from September - do you know what receptacle you've been allocated? Check at www.bathnes.gov.uk/recycle - you've only got until 31st July to change it if you're not happy.

WASTE AND RECYCLING FACTS & FIGURES



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Church Services for September

3 rd	11:00am	Morning Prayer
10 th	11:00am	Morning Prayer
17 th	11:00am	Holy Communion
24 th	11:00am	Morning Prayer

WI : The September meeting will be a talk entitled "Isabella Bird: A Victorian Explorer" given by Deborah Ireland at the Village Hall and will be held at 7:30pm on Tuesday 12th September.

Village Hall: is pleased to announce the date of the next Great Village Barbecue - it's to be held on Saturday, September 2nd, starting at 2pm on the Hall field (or inside if too wet) - make a note in your diary now. This year features a welcome return of the U3A Swing Band 'On the Edge', with their unique blend of toe-tapping tunes, pulsating rhythms and sweet melodies. All this from a battle hardened crew of musicians who are old enough to know better but will still play any tune, any time, anywhere - as long as they're fed and watered!

So get there early before they devour the lot - tickets, covering food and the first drink, are priced at £10 adult, £5 under 12, family £24, under threes go free, and can be obtained from the usual sources - Mike Newton on 837253 or Des on 723060 or from your local Village Hall Committee member

Wellow and District Horticultural Society: organises one of the largest and best shows in the area. This year it is on Saturday 2nd September from 1pm until 5.30. It takes place on the playing fields adjacent to the village hall in the High Street, Wellow, BA2 8QA. We have the traditional marquee with prize vegetables, flowers, art and craft and cookery exhibits with novelty sections such as 'The best weed'. There is a dog agility display and a novelty dog show, For the children there is Punch and Judy, children's craft, roundabout, and goats. Refreshments are provided by a beer tent, pizzas, BBQ, retro ice cream and the best afternoon teas and cakes around. There are also many and varied stalls demonstrating wood turning, skep making etc. and selling interesting items. What's not to like? Hope to see you there. For more info. call Bridget on 01225 835024

Advance Notice: Harvest Festival at St Michael's will be on 1st October followed by lunch in the village hall. Everyone is welcome, so please contact Jane Bradby (janebradby@hotmail.com or 722700 if you would like to come.

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