

# LITTLE HEREFORD NEWS

APRIL 2026



Ten thousand saw I at a glance,  
tossing their heads in sprightly dance

Extract from '*Daffodils*' William Wordsworth 17.04.1770-23.04.1850

Did you know that if you walk from the Scilly Isles, where the first Daffodil blooms appear from as early as September, to John O'Groats, you will be escorted by wonderful varieties of Narcissi on your journey north the whole way.

Daffodil folklore is rich with themes of rebirth, vanity, and magic, rooted in the Greek myth of Narcissus—the vain youth transformed into the flower. Known as "Lent Lilies," they symbolise spring's arrival and the resurrection. While bringing good luck (especially in China), tradition warns that gifting a single bloom brings misfortune, and picking wild daffodils can anger fairies.

## PEWS NEWS

### ROTAS

### KEY

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| 30.03-05.04.26 | Christine  |
| 06.04-12.04.26 | Marg       |
| 13.04-19.04.26 | Pete       |
| 20.04-26.04.26 | Eva        |
| 27.04-03.05.26 | May Andrew |

### FLOWERS

5th April - Kay Denbeigh (windows)  
 12th & 19th - Kay Denbeigh  
 26th April & 3rd May - Jane Ham

### EASTER SUNDAY SERVICE

5th April 09.15am

### HOLY COMMUNION

Sunday 19th April 09.15am



St Mary Magdalene LH at Night  
 By Simon Lusty

### 100 CLUB - MARCH WINNERS

- 1st prize - Di Patrick- £30
- 2nd prize - Catherine Lloyd - £20
- 3rd prize - Chris & Jane Ham - £10

APRIL DRAW - Monday 6th - Art

### SUBSCRIPTION

If you would like additional numbers or to become a member please email Simon Lloyd at [Lloydswb@live.co.uk](mailto:Lloydswb@live.co.uk). the winner prizes values are now - 1st - £30, 2nd - £20 & 3rd - £10





## Little Hereford Parish Hall Appoints New committee

At the LHPH AGM held on 4th March the following people were appointed to the committee.

**Lorraine Love** (Chair) [lorrainelove00@gmail.com](mailto:lorrainelove00@gmail.com)

**Eva Thomas** (Vice-Chair) [evathomas1@gmail.com](mailto:evathomas1@gmail.com)

**Colin Love** (Treasurer)

**Jane Ham** (Secretary)

Kath Morgan

Bill Baxter

Liz Fudge

David Harris

Alex Hayward

Sue Westerman (Maintenance)

[westerman701@btinternet.com](mailto:westerman701@btinternet.com)

Hall Bookings - contact Heather Crowther - [littleherefordvillagehall@gmail.com](mailto:littleherefordvillagehall@gmail.com)

The parish hall and committee exist to serve the community. Ideas, feedback and questions are welcomed and appreciated

St Mary Magdalene

Annual Spring Clean

Saturday 4th April 10am-2pm

Your Church Needs you!

Please spare a couple of sociable hours in helping to make our 11th Century church sparkle either on the day (the more the merrier) or any time during week of 30th March

Constant provision of hot drinks & biscuits on 4th, (What's not to like :)



Photo by Helen (Grahame Knowles visiting friend)

Email Katrina at [katrina.dunkley@big-effort.com](mailto:katrina.dunkley@big-effort.com) to offer your help and agree tasks and dates/times.

Massive thanks to everyone who has willingly volunteered so far



## South Shropshire Riding Club raises £815 for Midland Air Ambulance in 3 hours - WOW!

Over 100 people attended, rifled and purchased pre-loved items that raised £815 for Midlands Air Ambulance. The photos say it all! Well done to everyone who made the event such a success.



Join us for a  
**PLOUGHMANS**  
HALF PINT OF CIDER  
&  
**PUDDINGS**



**SATURDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2026**

AT  
**LITTLE HEREFORD**  
VILLAGE HALL



FROM **12PM**  
FOR 12.30PM START

**£12** PER ADULT | **£5** PER CHILD  
UNDER 8 YEARS OLD

Come on your own or bring the whole gang - just help us by booking your tickets with Cathy on **07958 139388** or **csllloyd@hotmail.co.uk**

ALL PROCEEDS TO  HOME•START HEREFORDSHIRE



# PUB NIGHT



Little Hereford Parish Hall -  
Inaugural Pub Night  
Saturday 2nd May  
4pm-9pm



(Organised & hosted by new LHPH Committee)

## New Life for Prayer Kneelers



### Help yourself - Donations to St Mary Magdalene greatly received

Worshippers rarely kneel to pray today which means the many kneelers in St Mary Magdalene's are unused, gather dust and consume time in cleaning.

In repurposing them for gardening, wheel cleaning, car maintenance, DIY (and many other valuable uses) they will enjoy a new lease of life and all for a good cause. Each kneeler is covered in durable, wipe clean vinyl.

In exchange for contribution to church funds, kneelers can be collected from the church during the day. (stacked behind the baptismal font)

Please place donations in the wall container underneath the lights panel by the Church entrance/exit.

Do you own a small bookcase that's needs a new home?



**Look no further** - LHPH is seeking a bookcase to house our rotating collection of pre-loved books

**Contact** - Lorraine Love - [lorrainelove00@gmail.com](mailto:lorrainelove00@gmail.com)



## WHAT'S ON LITTLE HEREFORD - APRIL

### Regulars

**Mens Club** - Every Monday, 8pm

**Dance Fit** – Every Tuesday 2-3pm, £5 per session. Contact Holly Joynson - 07958-081165

**Tap Dancing** – Every Tuesday, 3-4pm. £5 per session. Contact Holly Joynson 07958-081165

**Table Tennis** - Every Thursday, 10.00am-12.30pm. Contact Jan King 07814-151523

**Little Hereford Voices Choir** - Fridays, 7.30pm . For more information and to join the choir Contact John Leaman at [leamanjohn3@gmail.com](mailto:leamanjohn3@gmail.com) or 07771 513683 07958-081165

### April

**Annual Church Spring Clean** - Saturday 4th April, 10am-2pm St Mary Magdalene

**Easter Sunday Service** - Sunday 5th May, 09.15am St Mary Magdalene

**Little Hereford Art Group** – Monday 6th & 20th April, 10.00am. Contact Eva 01584-711513 - all abilities welcome. A relaxing break.

**WI** - Thursday 9th April, 7.30pm. Speaker - Anita Bradshaw - **Theme** - Cosmetics. Visitors welcome

**Crafty Ladies** - Monday 13th & 27th April, 10.30-12.30pm. To include coffee & biscuits. Bring anything you want to work on, especially anything you have bottom drawered!

**Ploughman's Lunch** - Saturday 18th April, 12.00 for 12.30pm. Fund raising for Home Start Herefordshire

**Holy Communion** - Sunday 19th April, 09.15am St Mary Magdalene,

**Coffee & Catch-up** - Tuesday 21st April, 10.30am, cake, coffee/tea and company for £2

**Public Meeting** - Wednesday 22nd April, 7.00pm - To discuss the potential future of The Temeside Inn after change of use planning has been refused

### Looking Ahead

**Pub Night** - (inaugural event) - Saturday 7th May, 4pm-9pm



## Regular Events

**Skittles league** - Tuesday & Wednesday evenings. To enter a team contact Adrian Allen on 07980 028629 for more information.

**Archery** - Wednesday 1st April - Archery recommences. Club sessions - Wednesdays 4.30pm until dusk & Sundays 2pm-5pm. FMI & beginners courses contact [www.archersofteme.org.uk](http://www.archersofteme.org.uk)

**Bowling Club Open Day** - Sunday 12th April, 2-4pm- Want to try your hand? Free open-day. All equipment provided. flat shoes required. FMI visit [brimfieldandlittleherefordbc.co.uk](http://brimfieldandlittleherefordbc.co.uk)

**Strollers Bowling** - From Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April & every Monday & Thursday 2pm-4.30pm. (First 3 sessions free and include a cup of tea and coaching if required) FMI - contact Susan Northwood - 07739 231 936

**Easter Bingo** - Thursday 2nd April 2026 - FMI contact Sandra Allen on 01584 711 875.

**Pub Night** - Friday 17th April (includes use of dart board, skittles alley & football pitch) BBQ by Andrew Francis Butchers

## Looking ahead

**Pub Night** - Friday 22nd May (includes use of dart board, skittles alley & football pitch) BBQ by Andrew Francis Butchers

**Tractor Run** - Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> May, 09.00 (from clubhouse carpark)

**Future Village Pub Nights** - 19th June, 11th July, 21st Aug, 18th Sept, 23rd Oct.

## Club House For Hire

Partially carpeted clubhouse available to hire for private functions, lunches, celebration dinners, weddings and fund raising events and meetings.

Seating for 80-100 (dependent on layout), well stocked bar, disabled access, ample parking, skittles alley (on request) wooden dance floor.

FMI on availability, hire charges & bookings - Laura Skidmore - [laura@borderscaffolding.co.uk](mailto:laura@borderscaffolding.co.uk)  
T - 07968 768746



# The BRIMFIELD DIARY

## WHAT'S ON IN BRIMFIELD AND WYSON

**COMING UP....** (All events are in **Brimfield Village Hall** unless stated otherwise)

- Mon Apr 6**    **BRIMFIELD FOLK CLUB** 7.30pm £3 entry Bring own drinks and glasses.  
**Wed Apr 1**    **TENBURY PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB** 7.30pm See website link below.  
**Mon Apr 13**   **GARDENING CLUB** 7.30pm Speaker: Rob Edwards "All about salvias"  
**Mon Apr 20**   **BRIMFIELD W.I.** 7.30pm  
**Wed Apr 15**   **TENBURY PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB** 7.30pm See website link below  
**Wed Apr 29**   **TENBURY PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB** 7.30pm See website link below

*NOTE: No Welcome space in April. **Summer Space** starts Monday **May 18<sup>th</sup>** then every 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday.*

### The REGULARS ....

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| <b>Bingo</b>                                  | Every Tuesday. Doors open 7pm. Eyes down 7.30pm  |
| <b>Brimfield + Little Hereford Bowls Club</b> | Strollers Sessions Every Mon & Thurs 2 - 4pm.<br>All welcome   |
| <b>Brimfield Cuppa</b>                        | Every Thursday 10.30 - 12.00 Coffee morning  |
| <b>Brimfield Folk Club</b>                    | 1 <sup>st</sup> Monday of the month 7.30pm £3 Bring own drinks and glasses   |
| <b>Brimfield Gardening Club</b>               | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month. New members always welcome  |
| <b>Brimfield Post Office</b>                  | Every Thursday 9.00am - 5-00pm Blewitt Room  |
| <b>Brimfield Toddlers</b>                     | Every Wednesday during term time 10 - 11.30am  |
| <b>Brimfield W.I.</b>                         | 3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month. New members always welcome.   |
| <b>Tenbury Photographic Club</b>              | Alternate Wednesdays 7.30pm New members welcome.<br>See <a href="http://www.tenburyphotographicclub.co.uk">www.tenburyphotographicclub.co.uk</a> for programme |
| <b>Summer Space</b>                           | Social lunch <b>Starts 18<sup>th</sup> May. Third Monday of the month</b><br>11.00am-2.00pm Wyson Chapel. All welcome  |
| <b>Yoga</b>                                   | Every Thursday from 6pm Wyson Chapel.  |

To include your event or amend an entry in the Diary for please  
 email [roger@penwill.com](mailto:roger@penwill.com) by the 12<sup>th</sup> of the month.  
 To book Brimfield Village Hall please email [booking@brimfieldvillagehall.org.uk](mailto:booking@brimfieldvillagehall.org.uk)  
 or call Pip Carr on 07396 328200

*All entries are, as far as we know, correct at the time of going to print.*

## Key Contacts

**Little Hereford Village Hall** [https://littleherefordvillagehall@gmail.com](mailto:https://littleherefordvillagehall@gmail.com)

Mrs Heather Crowther - 01584-711035

**Little Hereford Voices Community Choir**

<https://lhvoices.wixsite.com/home> (Also on Facebook) **Contact** John Leaman at [leamanjohn3@gmail.com](mailto:leamanjohn3@gmail.com) or 07771 513683

**St Mary Magdalene Church Little Hereford**

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com> (Also on Facebook)

**Brimfield & Little Hereford Parish Council**

<https://brimfieldandlittleherefordgroup-pc.gov.uk/>  
**contact** [clerk@brimfieldandlittleherefordgroup-pc.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@brimfieldandlittleherefordgroup-pc.gov.uk)

**Little Hereford Art Group** <http://lhartgroup.blogspot.co.uk>

**Councillor**

John Stone – 01584-711227

**Tenbury Transport Trust** - [ttrust.org.uk](http://ttrust.org.uk) 01584 - 810491

Do you have friends/neighbours who would like to received the NL by email? Invite them to contact Eva on either 01584 - 711513 or [eva.tob@btinternet.com](mailto:eva.tob@btinternet.com)

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