

DURWESTON VILLAGE HALL PUB Night

**DATES
FOR YOUR
DIARY!!!**

This August Come Join **Friends** and **neighbours** for our Summer Events



August 25th

Quiz Night

Doors open at 7

August 26th

Family Fun Day

BBQ and Family Games

September 29th

Pub Night 7pm-11pm

Family Friendly

Bar open for all events

Cash/card



Please Follow our **Facebook** page for more **Information**

Durweston Village Hall

Newsletter July 2023 Tel 01258 488883



Coronation 2023

We would like to thank everyone that worked really hard to make the coronation a weekend to remember..

If you would like to be involved with events, please do make contact we are always looking for fresh ideas and new energy



We would also like to thank **EVERYONE** that came along to one or more of the events and took part, it was such a wonderful time spent with you all, it is always so lovely seeing the village come together.. We hope you all enjoyed it as much as we did

PLEASE LOOK OUT FOR
OUR SUMMER
EVENTS BEING
ADVERTISED SOON

WE LOOK FORWARD
TO SEEING YOU



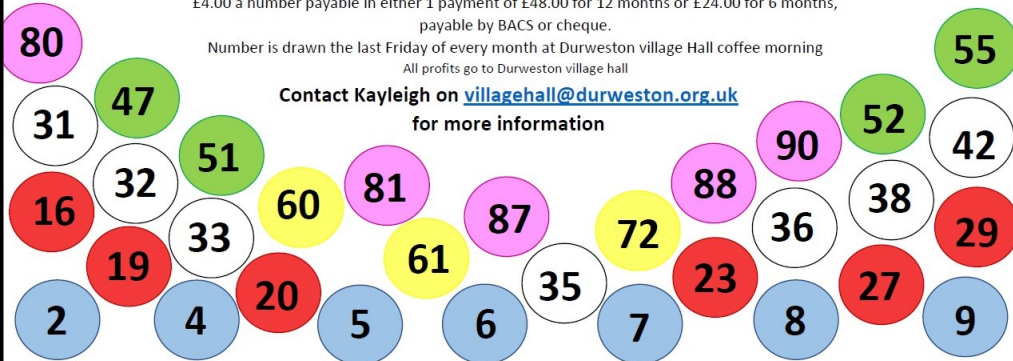
150 CLUB

Give yourself a chance of winning **£100 or £50** each month
by entering into the 150 club

All you have to do is buy a number/s (look below for available numbers)
£4.00 a number payable in either 1 payment of £48.00 for 12 months or £24.00 for 6 months,
payable by BACS or cheque.

Number is drawn the last Friday of every month at Durweston village Hall coffee morning
All profits go to Durweston village hall

Contact Kayleigh on villagehall@durweston.org.uk
for more information



St Nicholas Church

CONTACT for Weddings, Baptisms, funerals and churchyard
memorials

Tel: 01725 516311 or email gill.baverstock@hotmail.co.uk

OUR PRIEST IN CHARGE is now Rev David Miell Tel: 07708
601462 or email dkmiell@gmail.com and our Associate Priest is
Rev Henriët Miell Tel: 07484 675097
email henrietmiell@gmail.com

REGULAR SERVICES AT ST NICHOLAS

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH Holy Communion 11 am

THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH Evensong 6 pm

Moosical Fun for your Little One!

Our action-packed sessions are interactive, multi-sensory,
moosical adventures involving props, instruments, actions,
games, bubbles, and much more.

**We sing and Dance...
We learn and play... We have Fun!**

All staff are DBS checked and experienced with SEN.
To book your place in class or to hire us for events parties, festivals
and other celebrations:
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moomusicdb@gmail.com | bookwhen.com/moomusicdb
moo-music.co.uk

**MOO MUSIC
CENTRAL DORSET
AND BORDERS**

Follow us on

Soul Energy Flow
*Release - Flow - Move
With Karen Payne*

Center your mind

Thursday 3rd August
6:30 - 8pm
£10

*Strengthen Your
Body*
I'll spend the evening
getting the rest to
you

Balance Your Soul

**Soul Energy Flow
Evening**
Healing the Mind

*Durweston Village Hall
Blandford Forum DT11 0QA*

TEDDY 20
Supporting Children with Cancer

**TEDDY BEAR'S
PARACHUTE JUMP
& ZIPLINE!**

SUNDAY 27TH AUGUST
2-5PM AT DURWESTON VILLAGE HALL DT11 0QA

BRAVE TEDDIES WANTED TO PARACHUTE OR ZIPLINE!

**WE PROVIDE THE PARACHUTE, ZIPLINE AND
HARNESSES, YOUR BEAR MAKES THE JUMP**

SIGN YOUR BEAR UP FOR THE JUMP OF THEIR LIFE!

£2 TO JUMP
(PAID ON THE DAY, PER BEAR, REPEAT JUMPERS 50P)

GET YOUR BEAR SPONSORED
(SPONSORED BEARS JUMP FREE)

- CERTIFICATES FOR ALL JUMPING BEARS & OWNERS
- PRIZES FOR BEST DRESSED BEARS
- FACE PAINTING BY SUSANA
- DRINKS & SNACK AVAILABLE TO BUY INSIDE
- ICE CREAM TRUCK
- OUTDOOR PLAY PARK AND LOTS MORE!!

EMAIL SOPHIEFERRY@TEDDY20.ORG TO SIGN UP
YOUR BEAR, OR JUST TURN UP ON THE DAY!

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ages from
3+

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- Lose Weight
- Boost Confidence
- Learn Excellent Self Defence
- Great Fitness & Body Conditioning
- Non Contact & Full Contact

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07985 317289 or 07593 047200

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visit our website
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LESSON**
WHEN YOU PRESENT THIS FLYER

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THE LITTLE PAGE OF HAPPY RECIPES

SO it looks like summer is here to stay...If you are looking for something to take with you to that summer BBQ or just looking for something to enjoy in the garden as you enjoy this nice weather then this pasta salad is for you....

INGREDIENTS

PASTA SALAD:

- pasta noodles (*any shape or size!*)
- white cannellini beans
- avocado
- cherry tomatoes
- red onion
- cucumbers

LEMON HERB DRESSING

- garlic cloves
- fresh herbs (*basil, rosemary, dill, thyme*)
- fresh lemon juice
- dijon mustard
- olive oil
- red pepper, salt and pepper

METHOD

Cook the pasta! According to package instructions for 'al dente'. Drain and rinse in cold water.

Prep the pasta salad. In a large serving bowl, add the cooked pasta noodles, white beans, avocado, cherry tomatoes, red onion and cucumber.

Make the lemon herb dressing. In a small bowl, whisk together garlic, herbs, lemon juice, dijon mustard and olive oil. Add red pepper flakes, salt and pepper to taste.

Toss and Serve! Pour the dressing over the top of the pasta salad and gently toss to coat. Serve at room temperature or refrigerate for 30 minutes to serve cold.

And why not try different shaped pasta, different herbs and different veg each time you make it,
We Hope You Enjoy!!

St Nick's Café

St Nick's Café continues to be a huge success, welcoming those from all around the area and a few visiting from afar. The high quality of food on offer and the cheerful and attentive volunteers who give of their time and talents so generously, combine to make Thursday mornings at St Nicholas' Church warm and inviting, where guests feel comfortable, meet friends and neighbours, and forge new friendships.



St Nick's Café is supported by a much wider group of volunteers than those who weekly cook in the kitchen and serve delicious food and beverages. We couldn't manage without our regular cake and bread bakers, flower arrangers, table cloth and tea towel washers, cleaners, setter-uppers and take-downers – plus our local suppliers of milk, fresh eggs, bacon, ground coffee and all the other ingredients needed every week.

The café is not-for-profit but it meets its running costs, and occasionally has the opportunity to make a donation to a good cause such as, in recent months, Syrian/Turkish earthquake survivors, and 'The Big Yellow Bus Garden Project' in Shillingstone.

Thank you to all our patrons for your wonderful support and to all

the volunteers involved in making St Nick's Café a vital and vibrant component of our community.



**Little City Came to the
Hall
What fun we had
Even Handy Paws Pre
School
Came to join in**



**18th
July**

**19th
September**

**21st
November**

**15th
August**

**17th
October**

**12th
December**

Please book a session by looking at their website

WWW.LITTLECITYUK.COM



Meeting Room

Do you work from home and sometimes have to take part in meetings, whether you're looking for some where quiet to sit for those online meetings or your company or the company you work for are looking for an affordable room to hire, then please get in touch!



Would you or someone you know like to book our stage?

We are very lucky at Durweston Village Hall to have a fantastic Stage, with lighting and sound equipment to hand

If you would like to come and have a look please get in touch, we would be very happy to show you around, it would be fantastic to offer more shows to the locals and to get the stage used more.

If you are interested in visiting our Village Hall to see what we have to offer or to discuss how our space can work for you

**please get in touch via email
villagehall@durweston.org.uk**

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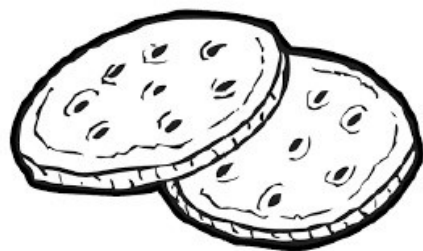
COFFEE MORNING

Every Friday – 10 til 12

Come join us, friends and neighbours, new and old, for a friendly chat

With a hot drink or 2

For only £1.00



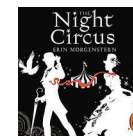
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BOOK



CLUB

Durweston Book Club Book Review: The Night Circus, by Erin Morgenstern 'The circus arrives without warning. It is simply there, when yesterday it was not. The circus is filled with canvas tents of black and white, and within is an utterly unique experience full of breath-taking amaze-ments. It is called Cirque des Reves.

But, behind the scenes, a fierce competition is underway – a duel between two magicians, Celia and Marco, who have been trained since childhood by their mysterious instructors. Unknown to them, this is a game where only one will survive and the circus is the stage for this remarkable battle. However, they fall headfirst in love, but the game must go on and the fates of everyone involved hangs in the balance.'

The book club member who recommended this book, remembered it as a fantastical escape from reality that really took her to another world. The descriptions in the story, especially of the circus and creations within it, were indeed impressive and it was easy to imagine yourself wandering around the tents, which had some incredibly magical scenes.

Sadly, however, only about half of our book club found this an enjoyable book. Some struggled with the plot that felt slow and meandering, and overly convoluted. The magicians' training, given by cruel, loveless father figures takes years and years. During which there is no mention to the students of the impending competition and some "training" that feels rather extreme.

...Plot Spoiler: Imagine having your finger cut off again and again to teach you how to heal yourself! Or perhaps being an orphan "rescued" from an orphanage purposefully selected to take part in a magical duel.

Unfortunately, there isn't really a duel like the blurb describes, (it felt a little like false advertising), the overall feeling from the club was that book never properly climaxed resulting in a potentially underwhelming ending.

Despite my perhaps harsh review, if you're looking to escape into a world of magic and have the patience to bear with the story, I still think you should read it.

Rating 3/5 Review written by Mrs J D Schern (lady of the bookclub)

Durweston schools end of year show 'The Greatest

Show' definitely lived up to it's title, they showed off our stage and hall fantastically, with their brilliant acting, bright smiles and amazing singing. Well done to every single person involved. You should all be very proud.



The head teachers write up

The academic year is rushing towards it's close, and its as busy as ever. Sports day is done and dusted, but we still have the performance, a music celebration assembly, an awards assembly and leavers to go. The performance this year was The Greatest Show. It was wonderful to see some of you from the village attending and we hope you enjoyed it as much as we did.

Porpoises (year 5 and 6) have been working with Anna Bogue at Bry Prep this term creating self portraits in the style of Jean-Michel Basquiat. The children were really pleased with their pictures which were included in Bryanston Prep's end of year art show.

All of our children love visiting the farm. Mr Hosford picked up pre-school and Starfish in his tractor before taking them to see all the kinds of different animals on the farm, from insects to the new bull!

Finally, you may have seen that we are in Tesco! We are raising money for artificial turf in the pre-school garden so that the children can play outside in all weathers, year-round. Please, please put your blue token in our box over the summer if you can.



Congratulations to
Dan and Laura
Who got Married this
month and celebrated here
at
Durweston Village Hall



You made the hall look lovely, we hope you had a wonderful time and we wish you a life time of happiness together. Thankyou for letting us share your photos



Locals get discount when booking the Hall!!!

Locals prices are:

* MAIN HALL	£ 26.00	£ 9.00
* MEETING ROOM	£ 16.00	£ 7.00
CHILDREN'S PARTIES	£ 41.00	N/A
WEDDINGS - ALL DAY	£325.00	N/A
PARTIES/DANCES	£103.00	N/A
Full use of kitchen	£ 25.00	

If you would like to book the hall or have an enquiry for an event you are having please do get in touch, Contact us via

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