

The Overton Oracle

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Don't Forget

The 47th Overton 2019 Village Produce Show will be held in the Village Hall on **Saturday 7th September**. Exhibits are to be staged between 9.00 am and 11.15am. The Show opens at 2.30 pm.



Keep the date

Look out for the invitation in the October edition of the Overton Oracle for St. Mary's Seniors' Christmas Party to be held on Tuesday 3rd December

Flu Vaccination Clinics

BOOK NOW at Overton Medical Practice Tel: 01978 710666 / 780804
Tuesday 24th Sept, age 65 or over (at Bangor)

Saturday 28th Sept, age 65 or over (at Overton)

Saturday 26th Oct, 'At Risk' groups or age 65 or over (at Overton)

Flu is a contagious viral infection that affects people of all ages. Even if you feel healthy, vaccination is important as it will not only protect you, but also those around you. Please help your GP Practice by having your flu vaccination at the Surgery

The next meeting of

Overton-on-Dee W.I. will be held in the Catholic Church Hall on Thursday September 19th at 7.30pm. The speaker will be Mrs. Pannet who will be talking about 'Glorious Gardens of Great Britain and Europe'. All welcome, visitors £4 to include refreshments.



Bingo

Tuesday September 10th at the Rainbow Centre. Doors open 7pm, eyes down at 7.30pm.

Cash prizes - £50 for the Flyer
Tea & coffee available



Celebrating in Style!

They came, they charmed and they have gone off back home. Our French visitors from La Murette were delighted with the reception they received in this 25th anniversary year of Twinning.



Overton on Dee did itself proud. The village was full of blue, white and red banners, flags and flowers and our guests were greeted warmly everywhere they went. The sun shone most of the week, only letting us down on Friday, when the picnic along the canalside in Llangollen was a bit of a washout.

Monday morning's Murder Mystery ended at St Mary's, when the vicar blessed our new banner. Both the war memorials of Overton and La



Murette were attached to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the Liberation of France at the end of the 2nd World War. Ruth Caswell pointed out various pieces of material integrated in the banner which showed links with France, and Lyon in particular which is one hour from La Murette. She mentioned that the image of their church was made from

a scrap of Eric Cantona's doublet when she dressed him for the part of the French Ambassador in the film Elizabeth II!

It was lovely to see so many youngsters join us at the Scout Hut on Monday, when Eddie Caswell organised an afternoon of fun races and games. We hope some of the families who joined in will be tempted to join the Twinning - no pressure. You don't have to be able to speak French - they mostly all speak good enough English. You don't have to put families up - but what an advantage for your French-learning children to have one French teenager to stay for a week or two. You don't have to spend a fortune entertaining - we all contribute to a communal picnic or meal, and we had the best fish and chips in Wales (allegedly) at The Galleon in Rhos on Sea, and a delicious meal, with excellent service, in our very own White Horse.

Visits to Hawkstone Follies, the Copper Mines on the Great Orme (right), Llangollen, Ellesmere and Chester were all enthusiastically embraced, and no event more so than the Barn Dance organised for the last evening. Thanks to all the Overtonians who joined us. As one of the French said, it removed all the barriers of language, age and gender, and Emerald, the Moon Coin caller, made sure everyone understood the steps before each dance got going. So thank you to everyone who got involved in any way to help make a success of the week. It rounded off the first 25 years of the Twinning in grand style.



Lots more colour photos on the Oracle website

Country Beat



by PCSO Lydia Edwards

I have received some questions about my article in last month's Oracle about parking, specifically about Blue Badge holders and parking on double yellow lines. Please see below to clear up unanswered questions. I welcome queries and will do my best to find the answer!

Blue badge holders parking rules.

10.1 Yellow lines

Badge holders may park on single or double yellow lines for up to 3 hours, but in general not where there are restrictions on loading or unloading – indicated by yellow kerb dashes and / or signs on plates. You may wish to [check whether a particular local authority](#) has chosen to exempt Blue Badge holders from this restriction.

Where local schemes apply, such as those that apply in parts of central London, you should check the rules for that area. You are not entitled to park on yellow lines in off-street car parks.

You must display the Blue Badge and the blue parking clock showing the quarter hour period during which you arrived. You must wait for at least one hour after a previous period of parking before you can park the same vehicle in the same road or part of a road on the same day.

12. Places where you cannot park

The Blue Badge is not a license to park anywhere. Like other road users, you must obey the rules of the road, as laid out in the Highway Code. Here is a list of places where you must not park.

- Places where a ban on loading or unloading is in force, as indicated above by kerb markings. You may wish to check whether a [particular local authority](#) has, exceptionally, chosen to allow Blue Badge holders to park where there are loading restrictions.
- Parking places reserved for specific users such as resident's bays or loading bays. You may wish to check whether a [particular local authority](#) has chosen to exempt Blue Badge holders from these restrictions.
- Pedestrian crossings (zebra, pelican, toucan and puffin crossings), including areas marked by zig-zag lines.
- Clearways (no stopping).
- A bus stop clearway during its hours of operation.
- An urban clearway within its hours of operation. You may pick up or drop off passengers. All parking is forbidden.
- School 'keep clear' markings during the hours shown on a yellow no-stopping plate.
- Bus, tram or cycle lanes or cycle tracks. Badge holders are not entitled to drive in bus lanes during their hours of operation.
- Where there are double white lines in the centre of the road, even if one of the lines is broken.
- Suspended meter bays or when use of the meter is not allowed.
- Where temporary parking restrictions are in force, as shown for example by no-waiting cones.

13. Safe and responsible parking

The Blue Badge is not a licence to park anywhere. If you park where it would cause an obstruction or danger to other road users you could be fined or receive a Penalty Charge Notice or have your vehicle removed.

Do not park where it would endanger, inconvenience or obstruct pedestrians or other road users. Examples of dangerous or obstructive parking include the following, although there are others:

- school entrances, bus stops, on a bend, or near the brow of a hill or hump bridge
- parking opposite or within 10 metres (32 feet) of a junction, except in an authorised parking space
- where it would make the road narrow, such as by a traffic island or roadworks
- where it would hold up traffic, such as in narrow stretches of road or blocking vehicle entrances
- where emergency vehicles stop or go in and out, such as hospital entrances
- where the kerb has been lowered or the road raised to help wheelchair users
- on a pavement, unless signs permit it

If you do not drive yourself, you should share the information in this guidance with the person who will be carrying you as a passenger.

You cannot legally be wheelclamped on the public highway ('on-street') for parking offences, provided you correctly display a valid Blue Badge according to the rules of the scheme.

Parking in forbidden areas or where it would endanger or obstruct other road users is an offence, which could result in you receiving a parking fine. You could also be prosecuted, have your car towed away and the badge withdrawn.

Double yellow lines for non-blue badge holders.

Waiting restrictions indicated by yellow lines apply to the carriageway, pavement and verge. You may stop to load or unload (unless there are also loading restrictions) or while passengers board or alight.

Double yellow lines mean no waiting at any time, unless there are signs that specifically indicate seasonal restrictions. The times at which the restrictions apply for other road markings are shown on nearby plates or on entry signs to controlled parking zones. If no days are shown on the signs, the restrictions are in force every day including Sundays and Bank Holidays. White bay markings and upright signs indicate where parking is allowed.

Regards,

Lydia

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Musings from the Manse

by Rev'd Neville Pugh



“Food for Thought”

Jesus said “I am the bread of life”. Bread varies and making ones own bread can be a great idea. If everything works out one can enjoy a new taste, or it can be a disaster!

There are so many different religions today, like there are many different types of bread!

The Christian faith offers an opportunity to know a living God. Jesus has made it possible for us to know the Father God in a personal way.

We can know His forgiveness and a peace and joy in our lives. Being a Christian is a daily walk with God knowing his love and also a realization of how precious we are to Him.

Meeting with others in Worship is a vital part of our lives encouraging each other in our walk. The Holy Spirit’s ministry amongst us includes making God the Father and God the Son known to us, the Father’s gift to us.

I am a trustee of the Bishop Hall Northfield Trust. Each Trustee is allocated £500 per year for the supply of Bibles to Churches or to individuals.

If you would like your own Life Application NIV Study Bible please let me know.

Other Bibles also available.

And finally a short prayer -

Father help me to know and love you.

A curious piece of village history?

Tourists stopping in our lovely village are able to find out a little of the history of our historic yew trees by reading the notice board in the church yard close to the oldest tree.

But how many of you have also read what it says and noticed a surprising historical fact?

To quote -

“There may have been a small Christian Oratory of waffle and daub on the site of the present Church as far back as the 7th century.”



Now would that be waffles with strawberries and cream? Or was the maple syrup used instead of mortar. Or does it refer to the sermons preached in the 7th century.

Cancelled

The Overton Bowling Club Coffee Morning on Saturday September 14th has had to be cancelled.

email: overtonoracle@gmail.com

If your bin isn't emptied, it could be an access issue

Unfortunately, on some occasions – like in the picture below - the WCBC vehicles can't get to where they need to be due to parked cars or vans. When this happens, some of our residents miss their bin and/or recycling collection.

You can help the council avoid this by taking extra care when parking your vehicles on your collection day and checking there's enough room for the large vehicles to safely perform their duties.

Missed bins can be reported by calling **01978 298989**. Report before 3pm and they'll be collected within three working days if WCBC are at fault.



New Bag Dispensers

After a complaint from a resident in Parkside about dog poo on the pavement and in gardens, Pop Bottle Dog Poo Bag Dispensers similar those in Ellesmere have been put up, and others around the village.



There have been lots of other complaints about dog poo in the village including in the cemetery and on graves, with a dog seen off the lead in the cemetery. This is an absolute disgrace. Poo must be picked up no matter where it is deposited. It is an offence for dogs to be off lead in public places and owners who are caught allowing this or not picking up after their dogs, will be reported and prosecuted.

Pene Coles penecoles49@gmail.com or 710598

Wanted: Poppy Appeal Organiser

Colin Bamber has served as the Overton Poppy Appeal Organiser for the last 3 years. For personal reasons he will be resigning from his role in 2020. The Branch is therefore, looking for a new Poppy Appeal Organiser to work with Colin this year and take over this vital voluntary role next year. We are looking for a well organised person who can recruit and motivate volunteer collectors. You must become a member of the Royal British Legion, but contrary to popular myth, you don't have to have served in the armed forces to be a member. In fact as the number of ex-service people is falling (the last National Service Personnel are now over 75!) the number of civilian members is growing. The Royal British Legion spends over £1m a week supporting injured personnel and their dependents mostly funded by The Poppy Appeal. If you are interested please contact Colin on 710612 or Chairman, David Burton on 710631

Overton on Dee Community Growers September Update



Growers' Tallest Sunflower Competition. Submitted entries were measured and verified on the 1st September, too late for us to let you know who the winners are in this edition of the Oracle. Thank you to all those who entered. Winners of the adult class and under 16's will appear in next month's edition. If you didn't enter this year, there's always 2020!

We are still awaiting the results of the RHS 'It's Your Neighbourhood.' However, we have been invited to the 'Wales in Bloom 2019 Awards Ceremony' in Ystradgynlais, near Swansea, on 13th September, so hopefully, that means that there is some good news to come! Will keep you posted in next month's Oracle.

We are pleased to announce that the following will receive their **Overton Growers' Gardening Awards** at the Overton Produce Show on the 7th September. Thank you to David Lock, Head Gardener of National Trust Chirk Castle who visited the village to judge on 14th July. The Winners receive a trophy, sponsored by the Growers, to keep for a year as well as a certificate, and all Highly Commended Winners receive a Certificate. Judging criteria for the winning displays was based on pollinator friendly planting and a good range or variety of healthy, well maintained plants.

Results are as follows:

Best Front Garden: Myra and Vince Worthington.

Highly Commended: Sally and Cliff Green,

Highly Commended: Melanie and Barry Metcalfe

Best Smaller Front Garden: Eddie and Ruth Caswell.

Highly Commended: Claire Williams.

Highly Commended: Angela Loftus

Best Hanging Basket or Tub: Karen Roberts

Highly Commended: Ade Rollaston and Judith Seddon,

Highly Commended: Paula and Richard Croft.

Highly Commended: Barbara Ritchie

Best Business Floral Display: M.E Evans. Butchers.

The Growers have also decided to award an additional discretionary '**Special Recognition Award**' to all residents of Dispensary Row who provided a fantastic floral welcoming display in the village, enjoyed by residents and visitors alike. Each resident has received a Growers' Special Recognition Certificate.

Finally, we are in the middle of preparing for our **2nd Overton Growers' Calendar 2020**. We would really welcome some **seasonal photographs** of Overton events/landmarks to include in it, including any aerial shots of the village. Please let us know in which month they were taken. Additionally, if you are a business who would like to sell the Calendar on our behalf or take an advertisement in it to off-set the costs, we would be really grateful.



Any help with weeding and watering around the village would also be very welcome. The more people we have volunteering to help, the better our village will look. Please get in touch with us as below or via 'The Overton-on-Dee Community Growers' Facebook page.

Please send Digital photographs for Calendar to: daveroberts100@aol.com



Dear Editor,

We are researching a family member Edward Pugh who owned "The Friendly Tavern" in or near Overton or Erbistock in the 1840s.

I wonder if any of your readers have any idea where this was and have any history of the tavern. or of his father Nehemiah Pugh of Maesgwaylod.

Thank you,

Dennis Peacock

Leave any information in the Corner Shop Oracle envelope or email overtonoracle@gmail.com

Fun Day & Dog Show

Friars Field Community Garden in Bangor on Dee will be hosting their fifth annual Fun Day and Dog Show on Saturday 14th Sept at 11.30am. You can register your dog on the day.

Date for the diary

An evening with the Vale Royal Singers (*as heard at Rev'd Peter's licensing service last December*) Sat. 19 October at 7.30pm in St Marys Church. Tickets can be reserved by contacting Revd Peter Mackriell Tel: 01978 710294.

Overton Recreational Club

present
Shayne Prince
on September 28th at
8pm. All welcome.



Date for the diary

Overton-on-Dee W.I. will be hosting an Exhibition and Sale of Work, in the Village Hall, Saturday October 5th, 11am – 4pm.

Crafts of all kinds will be on display, all made by our Members, and some items will be for sale. There will also be home baking and preserves, and refreshments will be available throughout the day. Please come along to support the day, and to help celebrate our W.I. in it's 95th year.

We will have lots of historic articles and photographs, which will highlight the proud history of this fun loving and talented group of ladies.

Garnet Glover, a countryman

This interview began as an idea to learn the secrets of Garnet's success as a fisherman as he is a legend on the river. However, it turned out to be so much more. A rich vein of stories of a life enriched by a knowledge and experience gained from growing up in a country village, Betley on the Staffordshire border and working as an environmental officer for British Rail in the 1970's. When Garnet was a boy, living in a country village meant that your pastimes were ferreting and fishing. He and his friend Tommy Malkin would spend hours fishing and it was something that was "in your blood", if you had the will to stay at the water, catch or no catch for hours on end. Garnet began with course fishing for carp, roach or pike and they would travel to Vyrnwy on a motor bike getting off every 12-15 miles to warm up! They would catch trout and sell it to local restaurants. On one of these expeditions Garnet managed to get a salmon on the line when the ghillie happened to arrive and, not having a licence for salmon had to put his first ever salmon (the first of more than 2,270) back in the water. These days all the salmon are fished on a catch and release basis.



*Garland at Beat 4,
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Garnet was one of the 5 pest control officers for British Rail, responsible for keeping rodents and birds from threatening the health and safety of operations in all its stations nationally. On one occasion he and his colleague travelled to London when the station master asked him to go to a call out from a property bordering the railway line which involved a snake. "It's a python", says the old Colonel with the confidence of a man used to such creatures. Garnet and colleague approached the pile of sacking on the floor armed with the protective clothing issued by British Rail for all eventualities, (ie.none) picked up the sack and sure enough a python wrapped itself around his arm and shoulders with all its natural defences kicking in. Can you imagine the fuss made today? The pair managed to get the creature safely into a sack and caught the train with the snake beneath their seats. Opposite them sat a small boy with his mother who could see the sack moving and with typical curiosity asked what was in there! His mother swept him off to another carriage after Garnet offered to let him have a look at it. Needless to say it was taken in by Chessington Zoo. I do wonder if a lesser person would have just knocked it on the head with a spade, however, Garnet's understanding of animals meant that he felt able to grasp it behind its head, preserving its life. He did say if ever he wakes up in a cold sweat he can still see its beady eyes.

The reality is that peoples lives have changed fundamentally in the last century. Historically if you were born in the countryside, you were likely to work in the countryside and grow up understanding how everything interacted and depended on each other. Now only 17% of the population lives in rural areas and even less earn their living there. The recent example of the withdrawal of the General License needed to control predators at nesting time is a case in point. I have loved listening to Garnet's stories and I would like to think there are more people like him still there to bring common sense, practicality and humanity to our changing world.

Garnet had the lovely experience recently where he was fishing with a friend and his son on the local Dee. Having fixed up the young lad with a fly reel and shown him the flies, off he went. About half an hour later he returned with a brown trout of about a pound.

"What Fly?" asked his father. A shrug of the shoulders was the lad's response.

"Now he knew that I knew," said Garnet, "that he had covered the trout for ages before finding a worm under a clod of soil and the rest is history!" A true fisherman was born.

If you would like to enquire about fishing on The Welsh Dee please see website www.byp-estate.co.uk

"Twisted Blisters" Climb Snowdon

A group of members of the Overton Recreational Club are taking on Mount Snowdon with the aim of raising money. The team is all ladies (+ 1 brave man!) The youngest member is Maisey Edwards from Year 4 of St Mary's School. Most of the group have never been up Snowdon before so this will really be a challenge.



They will be doing the walk on Sunday 15th September and all money raised will go directly to the Club to help pay for essential fire safety works. They are looking for help and support in sponsorship to make the suffering all worthwhile. Any sponsors big or small will be gratefully received. Sponsor forms can be found at the Club and at Overton Surgery. Online donations can be made via their 'Twisted Blisters Snowdon Walk' page on Go Fund Me website. www.gofundme.com/twisted-blisters-snowdon-walk
Look out for next month's Oracle to see how they got on!!

Helpa Gelf As part of the Helpa Gelf trail I will have my studio open on the weekends of the 14th & 15th and 21st & 22nd September. Helpa Gelf is a network of professional Artists and Makers across North Wales.

So come and have a potter round my studio, 1 Maelor Court, have a natter, see the latest creations I am working on, feel inspired, have a go etc!! This year I have exhibited at the Willow Gallery in 2 exhibitions and at the Festival of Quilts in the NEC. So do come along and find out what is next in the pipeline!! Cake, cuppa and chat! *Rachel Harris*

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Overton Scouts are at the 24th World Jamboree

In August 5 Overton Scouts (plus 6 other Scouts and 2 leaders from Wrexham District), travelled to the 24th World



Scout Jamboree at the Summit Bechtel Reserve in the beautiful mountains of West Virginia, USA, attended by 44,000 scouts from all over the world. The oldest of the Overton group was 17 yr old Ifor Harris who joined Overton Beavers as a 7 yr old and then moved through cubs and scouts and is now a member of Bryn-y-Pys Explorer Scouts here in Overton. Rio Smith from Ruabon joined Bryn-y-Pys 2 yrs ago and was selected as a Patrol Leader in the North Wales Jamboree Troop. Katherine Stanley from Cross Lanes also joined Bryn-y-Pys 2 yrs ago and is a Young Leader with Overton Cubs. Megan Sayer with Atlas Explorer Scouts is also a Young Leader with Overton Cubs and Katrina Leeder from Bangor-on-Dee was a scout with Overton, also now with Atlas Explorers in Coedpoeth.

Their first week included sightseeing in New York and Washington

DC, the second was at the Jamboree and the third week was enjoying home hospitality in Canada.

Rio Smith said "The Jamboree was an unforgettable experience that has changed my life so much! I met the most amazing people and took part in the most amazing activities that has made me a more confident, adventurous and educated scout".

Katherine Stanley said "The world scout jamboree was a once in a lifetime opportunity that has helped me build upon my existing skills, and has made me a better person. The experience is one I would recommend to many, as the sights we saw and people we met created memories to last a lifetime, that I will cherish in years to come."

Many thanks to all those in Overton who helped fundraise to give these young people the experience of a lifetime.



Overton Royal British Legion 100 Club

Results of the "100 Club" Bonus Draw for August 100 members entered and the draw was made at the White Horse Lunch Club on Wednesday 14th August by Rev David Child.

Winners -

1st Prize £200.00 No 97 Vicky Jones
2nd Prize £100.00 No 31 David Burton
3rd Prize £ 50.00 No 62 Doreen Jones

Legion Fund: £150

CONGRATULATIONS

Next Draw: Wednesday September 11th 2019

If you wish to join please ring DAVE AUSTIN on
Tel: 01978 710678.

Job Opportunities at The Boat at Erbistock

Front of House Bar/ Waiting Person: Up to £8.50 per hour plus tips

We're looking for keen, enthusiastic individuals to join our team at The Boat in time for an end of September relaunch. Previous experience isn't necessary, but a genuine smile is a must! We can develop your knowledge of fresh food, wine and cask beers but we need you to bring your own personality and a willingness to learn and work hard. We are proud of what we do and the service that we will provide and are looking for likeminded warm, engaging people who feel the same.

If you're out-going, friendly and available to work weeknights and weekends we'd love to hear from you. We're pretty flexible and understand you'll have commitments outside of work so, however you run your life, we're confident you'll enjoy joining our team, as we'll do our bit to work around you. If this all floats your boat, please send us an email with a little about yourself and your work experiences to - skippers@theboataterbistock.co.uk

Full time and part time Cleaner(s): Up to £10 per hour

Flexible, reliable, dedicated. Does that sound like you? The team at The Boat is looking for a morning cleaner with a friendly personality, who is house proud and knows a thing or two about keeping everything 'ship shape'. Your duties will involve cleaning all public areas including the toilets, clearing fire places, laundering bar-towels and cleaning all back of house areas except the kitchen. Typical daily tasks will include vacuuming, mopping, buffing and polishing. Please apply with a CV and a little about yourselves to - skippers@theboataterbistock.co.uk

Full time and part time Kitchen Porter(s): Up to £8.50 per hour plus tips

If you're hardworking, organised and enthusiastic you may be just the person we're looking for to join our team at The Boat as a Kitchen Porter. We need someone who will take pride in keeping all things kitchen spotlessly clean, tidy and in good order. You should enjoy being a team player and be prepared to listen and learn. For those so inclined this could also be a stepping stone to becoming a chef.

Core tasks will be:

- Supporting chefs with kitchen prep
- Washing Pots, Pans, Crockery and Cutlery
- Mopping and cleaning floors and walls

If you're a natural grafter, fancy what we are offering and can keep calm under pressure, then we look forward to hearing from you. Please apply with a CV and a little about yourselves to - skippers@theboataterbistock.co.uk



*Adverts are not included in the on-line archived edition of the Oracle.
This is because the archive of the Oracle is available on-line going back many years and the adverts and contact details would be out of date.*



Royal British Legion Overton Branch "120 Club"

In view of the increasing number of people wishing to join the Royal British Legion, Overton Branch "100 CLUB" it has been decided to increase the number of membership places from 100 to 120.

In doing so it will give those on the Waiting List a chance to become a member, but also it means a larger prize fund and monthly prizes will be adjusted accordingly.

Anyone wishing to join should take this opportunity and ring Dave Austin on 01978 710678 or Jean Williams 01978 710423.

More photos from the 2019 La Murette Twinning visit to Overton



What's On**September Diary for St Mary's Services**

Sunday September 1st 10.00am Morning Prayer
 Sunday September 8th 11.30am Holy Communion
 Sunday September 15th 10.00am Family Communion
 5.00pm Mission Area Evensong at Hanmer
 Sunday September 22nd 11.30am Holy Communion

September Diary for Overton Methodist Chapel

Sunday September 1st 6.30pm Rev Neville Pugh
 Sunday September 8th 6.30pm Rev Richard Parkes
 Sunday September 15th 6.30pm Mrs Meryl Thomas
 Sunday September 22nd 6.30pm Rev Phillip Poole
 Sunday September 29th 6.30pm Mrs Naomi Squire

Harvest Weekend

Friday October 4th 7.00pm Mr David Young
 Sunday October 6th 6.30pm Rev Philip Poole
 Craft Class 1.30pm each Tuesday
 Toddler Group 9.30-11.30am each Friday

Coffee Mornings at the Chapel every Saturday morning 10.30am to 12 noon

Tuesday September 3rd 10.00am-12 noon Post Office at the Village Hall with Community Cafe run by Overton Amateur Dramatics

Thursday September 5th 10.30am - 2.30pm Rainbow Centre Paint, Craft & Create with lunch. 'Making Pop-up Cards'

Saturday September 7th 2.30pm Overton Village Produce Show at the Village Hall. Exhibits to be staged between 9.00 am and 11.15am

Saturday September 7th 10.00am Community Litter Pick, meet by the Corner Shop. All welcome.

Tuesday September 10th 10.00am - 12 noon Post Office at the Village Hall with Community Cafe run by Overton Royal British Legion

Tuesday September 10th 6.50pm Overton Community Council meeting in the Parish Room. Members of the public wishing to speak 6.50pm-7.00pm.

Wednesday September 11th 10.30am Overton British Legion meeting at the Scout Hut. All welcome.

Wednesday September 11th 12.30pm Overton Lunch Club at the White Horse. To book please ring 01978 710672.

Thursday September 12th & 26th Lunch Club at the Rainbow Centre. 2 course meal for £7.50. Tel: 01498 830730

Tuesday September 17th 10.00am - 12 noon Post Office at the Village Hall with Community Cafe run by St Mary's Parish Church

Thursday September 19th Maelor South Adventurers Group visit to Llandudno To book ring 01948 830730

Thursday September 19th 7.30pm Overton WI Meeting at the Catholic Church Hall. Talk on "Glorious Gardens"

Tuesday September 24th 10.00am-12 noon Post Office at the Village Hall with Community Cafe run by St Mary's School PTA

Wednesday September 25th 7.30pm Overton Community Growers meeting in the White Horse

Family Announcements

Congratulations to Charlotte Eve and Alex Lambert on their engagement at Finn Creek, Canada. Much love, John and Catherine Eve.

Congratulations to Raymond and Janine on their Silver Wedding Anniversary on 27th August. All our love from Mum and Family.

Happy September Birthdays to Vince Worthington, Hannah Roberts, Lucas Pimparel, Brian Hamlington, Euan Stevenson, Val Stevenson, Jean Hughes, Ross Morrison, David (Wavy) Williams, Melissa Haynes, Charlotte Eve, Pauline Lynch. Kayleigh Grindley, Haf and Aoife Edwards, Laura Marks, Myra Worthington, Holly Lynch, Pauline Edwards, Dave Austin, Marion Sinclair, Amy Leech, Simon Edwards, Rob Lawrenson, Stephen Evison, and Sarah Fell-Groom. Happy birthday Ian Roberts, love Mum and Dad.

Sincere condolences to the family and friends of Brenda Heighway 18.03.1933 – 23.07.2019

The family of Brenda Heighway would like to thank all friends and neighbours for their support at this sad time. Brenda brightened the lives of all who knew her and will be greatly missed.

Sincere condolences to the family and friends of Lloyd Tyrell-Kenyon, 6th Lord Kenyon, Baron of Gredington, former Wrexham County Councillor for Overton, who died following a short illness.

Sincere condolences to the family and friends of Ron Jones, former member of Overton Football Club.

**Overton Lunch Club**

is on **Wednesday September 11th** at **12.30pm** at the **White Horse**. A choice of a **two-course menu** all for **£8.95**. To book ring **Gwynneth Austin** on **01978 710672**.

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