

# Tetsworth Newsletter



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Dear Editor

Scrumptious, delicious!

What more can we say except a huge thank you to everyone who made the Senior Citizens Christmas lunch such a success.

Maggie and Shona Wing

Dear Editor

A big thank you

We would like to thank all the people involved with the senior citizens Christmas party. An excellent meal was had at the Swan and a very enjoyable afternoon was had by all.

Also to Tetsworth Trust and the people involved with the delivery of the hampers. Thank you all.

Mr & Mrs P Wing

Dear Editor

A BIG THANK YOU to all who provided food and entertainment for us oldies over the Christmas period. We had a lovely Christmas lunch in the Swan thanks to Paul and his gang. Christmas hampers were delivered by the Tetsworth Trust members and we were entertained to the Carols and the Christmas story with mince pies and tea by Tetsworth School. Those who missed this missed a real treat where were you all only 5 of us turned up!! We really appreciate all that is done for us Thank you again to all involved. Heather and Richard Moore

## Saint Giles News

A very Happy New Year to all from Saint Giles Church

We would like to extend a warm welcome to all who may like to visit us in 2013.

We have just finished a busy end to 2012 with a well-attended Carol Service a fun Nativity Service and our Christmas Communion. Unfortunately our vicar Peter and his wife June both went down with flu just before Christmas we hope they will both be better soon, Thank you to Rev. Alan Garrett from Thame who stepped in at short notice.

What a wonderful season Christmas is the church beautifully decorated everyone in good cheer. January and February can feel dull after all the merriment. Life is never dull when you walk it with Jesus he continually walks alongside you cheers you and challenges you. Come along to one of our services or talk to a church member to find out how you can get to know Him more.

## January Services at St Giles

13<sup>th</sup> Morning Worship Jeneva Paul  
20<sup>th</sup> All Age Worship Heather Moore  
27<sup>th</sup> Family Communion Rev. Peter Waterson

## February Services

3<sup>rd</sup> Parish Communion Rev. Peter Waterson  
10<sup>th</sup> Morning Worship Jeneva Paul

17<sup>th</sup> All Age Worship Heather Moore

24<sup>th</sup> Family Communion Rev. Peter Waterson

## Tetsworth Primary School

Tetsworth Primary School finished another great year with a fabulous nativity involving the whole school singing, and with Class 1 acting out the Christmas story. The children had worked really well to learn all their words and as always their singing was delightful. The children got to celebrate the next day with a full Christmas dinner for all the children and staff, hosted by the Old Red Lion and paid for by the TPSA. The children were also involved in a carol concert in Thame, with John Hampden School, and the Festival of Music concert earlier in the month.

The children & staff would like to thank everyone who came to their 'Rock Night' which was a great evening showcasing the children's work in their after school Rock School club and also raised over £113 for Farms for City Children. Also thanks to everyone who supported them for Children in Need day, for which they raised £108.55.

It will be a busy term when we come back after Christmas with the last few weeks of rehearsal for the children's performance live on stage at the O2, as part of the Young Voices performance, at the end of January.

We will also be continuing the hard

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work needed to renew our Green Flag status (which TPS was originally awarded to us in 2007). We have already been looking at litter and energy usage. We now have a new meter for the Key Stage 1 and Pre-School building which collects our energy data every half an hour, so we really can see where it is going and when, so we can see where there may be wastage and savings to be made. Tetworth Pupils have been the first in the County to be trained to log on and use this. A 'no power hour' was held in November so pupils could see the correlation



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between switching off and the dip on the energy data graph. We will also be implementing 'Energy Monitors' in each class and energy spying at lunch and break, amongst other things. Our on-going eco work includes a Fair Trade project and the 'Phil the Bag' fabric recycling. If you have any old clothes or fabrics that you no longer need, please let the school know as we now recycle these regularly and generate income for the school via the Phil the Bag scheme. Our aim is to have an external assessment for a Green Flag in Term 6 and having it flying thereafter.

As always thank you for all your support in 2012 and we look forward to keeping you updated with our news in 2013! Happy new year - from all at Tetsworth Primary School.

### Memorial Hall

Our build has been held up slightly with the wet and windy weather, the extension will be weather proof by the third week of January and weather permitting will be tiled the following week. Work will start on the interior as soon as it is weatherproof. Don't forget the photo diary of the build can be seen on [www.tetsworthparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.tetsworthparishcouncil.co.uk).

Whilst the roof is being worked on the hall is only available to hire during evenings and weekends. Don't forget that you can join Scally Wags Dog Training in the hall on Thursday evenings (0794 450 5916). Zumba classes (0779 959 4106) have moved to Wednesday evenings at 7pm and the Tuck shop will be opening again on 22<sup>nd</sup> January after its Christmas break and will be open every Tuesday evening from 6.30 pm – 8 pm.

Buy a brick will be coming to a close on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March, if you would like a commemorative brick for your family, friends, an event, club or organisation then please complete the form enclosed in this newsletter, the form can



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Sat Jan 26	Bill James Keyboard Entertainer
Sat Feb 2	Football Race night
Sat Feb 9	Four Rivers Band Country and Western Return Visit

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Great news for all you competitive quizzers, we will have our first quiz of the year in the hall at the end of February/ beginning of March, Jane and William Bowers will be your hosts for the evening - will the village men's team be defeated again?

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The Oxfordshire Woodfuel Programme which provides lots of advice on growing, cutting, storing and burning woodfuel: [www.oxonwoodfuel.org.uk](http://www.oxonwoodfuel.org.uk).

I will be running a series of one-day woodfuel-related study visits on 15 April, 13 May and 8 June. They cost £25 each.



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The Oxfordshire Woodland Project is running workshops on woodland management: see [www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/cms/public-site/woodland-workshops](http://www.oxfordshire.gov.uk/cms/public-site/woodland-workshops).

I am hoping to set up some 'logs for labour' matches. If you are a woodland owner who could use some free help with woodland management in return for people taking some firewood (labour for your logs), or a group of people who would like to work outdoors in return for some firewood (logs for your labour), please get in touch with me.

The moisture level of woodfuel is important: a freshly cut log at 50% moisture has only about half the energy content of an equivalent well-seasoned log at 20% moisture. The woodfuel programme has a moisture metre that you are welcome to borrow.

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**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March - Pie & Mash Night £9.95**

### St. Valentines Dinner

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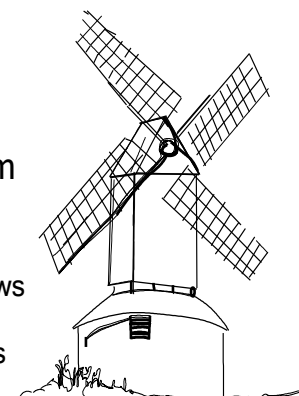


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### Tuesday

2.00 pm - 4.30 pm

### Sunday

7.30 - 10.30

### 2nd Monday of Month

7.30 pm

### Wednesday

7.00 pm—9.00 pm

### The Coffee Shop

Memorial Hall, Tetworth

### Free Pool Table to Members'

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### Parish Council Meeting

Tetworth Memorial Hall

### Youth Tuck Shop

Tetworth Memorial Hall

### Thursday 17th January

10.45 am —11.00 am

### Monday 21st January

9.45 am —11.15 am

### Thursday 31st January

10.45 am —11.00 am

### Monday 4th February

9.45 am —11.15 am

### Thursday 14th February

10.45 am —11.00 am

### Monday 18th February

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### Thursday 28th February

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### Friday 1st March

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## Planning Decisions from SODC

**1st December 2012 - 31st December 2012**

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Erection of 2 bedroom dwelling and creation of access (As amended by Drawing Number TDS 198\_HT 1000 B accompanying email from agent dated 27 November 2012). As amended by drgno TDS 198/HT 1000 Rev C and accompanying letter dated 11 December 2012  
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