



Mawsley Villagers Association

Newsletter

June & July 2009



Hidden Heroes



There are a few names you see repeatedly - too often some might say - through the newsletter each edition; but what about all those people who do things for the village whose names you don't see?

- For example **Richard Hoy** updates us on progress re tree planting, the pond, and the posts around The Centre grasscrete. He leads all this, but who helps him? Answer: **Tom Sanders** and **Ian Yates**, who must have dug hundreds of holes and shovelled tons of earth, sand, cement etc. over the last couple of years.
- There is some progress on completing the cycletrack; mainly thanks to **John Stevenson** who has been pursuing this with great perseverance.
- **Aidan Piper** ran the youth group for over 5 years. **Cheryl Buckle**, Richard Hoy and now **Allan Macdonald** have taken this forward into trying to set up a youth club. And Fun Day in each of the last 2 years was almost entirely down to Cheryl.
- **Kevin Powell** took up the cudgels to get Fireworks Night going.
- There are a team of people who distribute this newsletter to every door in the village.
- **Lizzie Souter** has again taken on the role of the treasurer to the MVA; **Graham Leah** and **Chris Winter** in particular work tirelessly for The Centre and the MVA.
- **Vic Cope** constantly champions community ideas, including the pantomime and the talent show.
- And let's not forget all those people who help on the day of village events; with tickets, running stalls, on the gate, stewarding etc., etc.. And all those who run/help with village groups and clubs.

So it's a great big thank you to all of them; and to everybody else who helps regardless of whether I have mentioned their name or not. But if you think there are enough people to do everything, then I'm afraid that's not the case. Similarly if there are aspects you are not happy about or think you can improve, please come forward and help to do it. There is an almost endless wealth of talent, experience and abilities residing in the village; if only we could grasp hold of it - to do more things, better.

*It's up to you!
Bob Littler*

Here's one way to get involved, meet people and have fun at the same time!

July 19th NATIONAL EAT LUNCH TOGETHER DAY

The Centre at Mawsley



To celebrate this day and to bring the community together we intend on holding the BIGGEST picnic Mawsley has ever seen! You bring the food, your neighbours and the sunshine, - we will erect the beer tent!

Maybe we could have vegetable swapping from the allotment goers, entertainment from budding musicians or face painting. It's all about the community getting together and doing it.

We have a big enough open space here at The Centre so why not!

If you have an idea for making this event even more fun why not email me

penny-tcam@btconnect.com

Or call me on 01536 799528

Check out the Web site www.thebiglunch.com



The Centre at Mawsley

Events for June and July

June 13th TCAM BBQ

Following the Open Gardens we are having a BBQ to compliment the event, all welcome.



July 4th FUN DAY AND TALENT SHOW

Please see posters around the village and additional info in this newsletter.

July 17th SCHOOLS OUT BBQ

Straight from school, last day of term let your hair down, let the children run off steam, save yourself cooking and enjoy our BBQ.



July 19th

NATIONAL EAT LUNCH TOGETHER DAY

June 25th and July 30th

QUIZ NIGHTS

Look out for the summer play schemes!

Mawsley Day Nursery

& out of school club

We may be small but together
we make a BIG difference



Nursery News!

A big hello to everyone! It's been a little while since we have written about what we have been doing in the nursery; it really has been a busy time for us all so there is lots to catch up on.

Right now plans are well under way for the new premises next door!

Since the beginning of the year the nursery children have been experiencing many topics such as 'Ourselves' and 'Growing'. The children really have enjoyed our 'growing' theme and with the help of the nursery's parent helper Darren we are successfully growing a range of fruits, vegetables and herbs such as strawberries, peppers, spinach and peas to name a few.

Our current theme is 'people who help us' and this theme has provided wonderful experiences for the children. We recently arranged a visit from the police service, fire service and local builder. It really is very exciting for the children when we are able to bring our themes to life as the opportunities for learning are endless and they really quite enjoy dressing up in the hats and jackets brought to us by each visitor.

Since we saw the New Year in, work has begun on extending our garden area and the experiences we provide the children. We have had so much fun making obstacle courses using recycled materials such as tyres and crates, I'm sure many of you when passing hear the fun we have in our garden!

As many of you know our garden and looking after the environment is so very important to us all so we really couldn't let the Open Gardens pass us by without being a part of it. Why not come over to see how much fun the children have had with planting and making scarecrows? We will also be having an open day within the nursery and the new premises from 12:00pm until 4:00pm that very same day, so come along and say hello!!!

We are also very pleased to announce that our student Katie Clegg has recently been awarded the title of 'most competent child care student at Tresham Institute!' We really are very proud of her hard work and dedication to the nursery.

Finally we are really looking forward to supporting the Fun Day in July; we will again be providing a craft tent with a variety of resources for those little creative fingers, it promises to be a great day and we look forward to seeing you there!!!

Katrina and the nursery team.

Mawsley Celebrations!

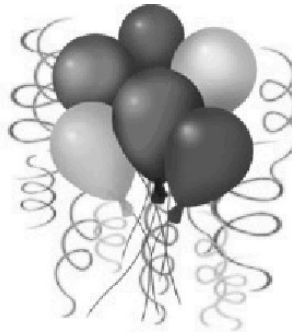
Happy 5th Birthday
Mollie Cumming!

With big hugs and kisses
from William, Madeline,
Phoebe, Emma and Phil!

Congratulations and best wishes
to Adele Botterill and her Fiancé
Stuart Osborne who will be jetting
off to Cancun in Mexico to be
married on 15th June 2009!



'We would like to say a big thank
you to our Best Man Peter Allen
for being the best, Best Man.'
XXX Adele and Stuart



Happy birthday to Ethan
who was 1 on 29th May and
a happy 6th birthday to
Lilly who is 6 on 10th June.

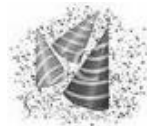
Love you both lots
Mummy and Daddy xxxx

Mia Henson is 8 on the 8th
June.



Happy Birthday from
Mummy, Daddy and Eva

Katie Clegg has been awarded
the title of 'most competent child
care student at Tresham
Institute'!



If you have a celebration
happening between the 18th July
and the 12th September then let
the village know!

Contact Emma Brown at
emma.janebrown@yahoo.co.uk



Congratulations to the Mawsley CP School Cheerleading
Team for making the National Finals in Manchester!

Happy Father's Day
to the Fantastic Fathers of Mawsley.

Have a great day Dads!



Alastair Lauder

Cliff Law

Paul Salisbury

Craig Duncan

Phil Brown

John Balzan

Carl Burlin

Paul Feasey

Steve Buckle

Jon Cumming

Phil Shaw

Peter Simmonite

Tony Bagshaw

...to name but a few!



What's On?

Do you have an event you would like to tell Mawsley about? Send details to emma.janebrown@yahoo.co.uk



Mawsley Village Garage Sale

Sunday 14th June

Noon-4pm

A chance to let someone else benefit from all that great gear which you no longer need but can't face dragging to a car boot sale or selling on eBay!

As a minimum, all you'll need to do is arrange everything on your drive (or in your garage) and wait for the bargain hunters.

If interested, provide the following details:

Name

Address

List of 'star' items (10 max)

To:

emma.janebrown@yahoo.co.uk

Participant's details will then be published on the website and on a flyer, including a map, which will be available from participating Open Gardens on 13th & 14th June.

Closing date for flyer: 10th June

Don't worry, even if you miss the deadline there's nothing to stop you participating. You could even leave a trail of breadcrumbs to your door. Ok, maybe a little sign with an arrow and 'garage sale' might work better ;)

SUMMER PLAYSCHEMES 2009

The Centre at Mawsley
Fridays 10:00 - 11:45

24th July	Supa-Bounce
31st July	Panto with Alterego Theatre Co
7th August	Banana Brain Funshow
14th August	Andy Greaves & Lewis Show

For a full list of playscheme activities across Kettering, please contact Emma Brown at emma.janebrown@yahoo.co.uk

MURDER MYSTERY

Where: St Andrew's Church, Cransley with Mawsley
When: July 4th at 7pm

Tickets £7, includes plated Ploughmans Supper

Tickets available from
Valerie 01536 791543 and Bev 07843 247874

Proceeds to start a fund to provide toilet facilities at our Parish Church.

(Those from Mawsley who have married, or had baptisms at the Church will appreciate the need for this fundraising initiative.)

OPEN GARDENS & SCARECROW FESTIVAL REMINDER!

Please just let me know if you are planning a Scarecrow so I can put you on the map!

Contact Nicky McNeill at nickymcneill@sky.com or Tel 790382 with the name/theme of the scarecrow and the address of the place it will be situated.

CRANSLEY VILLAGE FETE

Saturday 11th July
in the grounds of Cransley Hall
2pm - 5pm

Including...

Canoeing with 'Wild Magic'
Raunds Temperance Band,
Dog Training Display, Charcoal Burning,
Bouncy Castle, Cakes and plenty of stalls!

Come and support us!



MAWSLEY SCHOOL SUMMER SPECTACULAR

Saturday 27th June (12 - 2.30pm)

**featuring *It's a Knockout!*
Very silly and just a little bit soggy —
and all pupils are invited to take part!**

**Stalls and sideshows
Refreshments
Fun for all the family!**

**Help raise money for the new
outdoor shaded seating area**

Raffle

Silent auction

**Beat the
Goalie**

Ice cream

Coconut shy

Marble game

Shopping opportunities!

5th Annual Mawsley Open Gardens and Scarecrow Festival

**Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th June 2009, 12 - 6pm
A great day out for everyone!**

- 'Anything you fancy' kinda Scarecrows
- Garden centre voucher for the winner
- Best Dressed Flower or Vegetable of the Day (ages 0-6, 7 -12)
Judged at The Centre, 6pm both days
Prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and highly commended
- Cream teas at The Centre by the WI , 2 -5pm
- BBQ at The Centre from 6pm



**Visitors from surrounding villages very welcome!
Entrance: £2 per adult - start at any garden**

Mawsley Village FUN DAY

EVENT TIMETABLE

- 13.00 - Gates Open - £1 adults, children 16 years and under free.
Live Band
Delicious Mexican Food, BBQ, Drinks and Ice Cream on sale

HENDERSON CONNELLAN ARENA

- 13.30 - Presentation of the Programme Competition Winners
14.00 - Falconry Display by Icarus Falcons
15.00 - Gun Dog Training Demonstration by Working Gun Dogs
15.45 - Tug of War Final and Trophy Presentation
16.00 - Gun Dog Working Demonstration by Working Gun Dogs
17.15 - It's a Knock Out

RAMSAY HEALTH ARENA

- 14.00 - Tug of War Heats - entry form can be found in this newsletter
15.00 - Family Dog Show – entry form can be found in this newsletter
- Obedience – Judged by Stuart North from Working Gun Dogs
 - Waggiest Tail
 - Veteran Dog
 - Most like owner

OTHER ATTRACTIONS

- 13.00 - Midland Rally Club – Nitro Buggy Track Demonstration
14.00 - Kettering Blue Watch Fire Brigade arrive
14.30 & 15.30 - Free Magic Show followed by Mawsley Mini Talent Show
14.00, 15.30 & 17.00 - Cookery Demonstrations from The Pampered Chef
17.10 - Blades Air Display Team Fly Over
18.00 - Grand Raffle Draw
18.15 - Live Band

EVENING ENTERTAINMENT - TCAM

- 19.00 - MAD Presents 'The Mawsley Talent Show' – followed by a disco

TO ENTER THE TALENT SHOW PLEASE CALL VIC COPE ON 799643

Mawsley Village FUN DAY

AROUND THE SHOWGROUND

- Face Painting - £1.50 per face
- Balloon Modelling - 20p per balloon or just watch how it's done!
- Wellie Wanging - 20p a throw, win a PURE Digital Radio for the longest throw
- Treasure Hunt - Free entry, can you find all 20 characters hidden around the ground?
- Remote Controlled Golf Cart Slalom - 50p, negotiate your cart around our track for the chance to win
- Rodeo Bull - £1 adults / 50p children a go, for however long you can stay on!
- Cake Stall - Delicious cakes on sale
- Veg Box Stall - Run by the **Mawsley Women's Institute**
- C&D Cycles - Bring your bike for a free mini service!
- Kettering Police - With their range of police vehicles and body armour
- 2nd Hand Books - If you have any books to donate to this stall please call **Ann Slade on 791998**

FUN STALLS FOR ALL THE FAMILY.....plus many many more

- Beat the Goalie - 20p for three shots – run by **Walgrave Amber Football Club**
- Bottle Tombola - 50p a go, run by the **Gardening Club** to raise money for the Memorial Garden
- Buzz Wire - 20p a go, run by **Mawsley Cubs** who are working towards gaining their charity badge.
- Splat the Rat - 20p a go, run by **Mawsley Cubs**
- Crazy Cow Milking - 20p a go each, a race to see who can milk their cow faster!
- Hook a Duck - 20p a go, run by **Mums & Tots** to raise money for their group
- Gold Panning - 20p a go, win chocolate gold coins
- Lucky Dip - £1 a go, everyone's a winner!
- Coconut Shy - 20p for three goes, run by **Mawsley Youth Football Club**
- Hoopla - 20p for three throws
- Bouncy Castle - 20p for 5 mins, time slots by age group, including adults (you know you want a go!)
- Target Crossbow - 20p for three shots, run by **Mawsley Youth Group**

Mawsley Day Nursery will be running a free kiddie craft tent – all welcome

TRADE STALLS INCLUDING

- * Colour white Photography * Usborne Books * Peperonicino * Mawsley Dental Clinic
- * Tranquil Bliss * Beauty Callina * Just Gardens by JGS Design *Paradi Massage

.....**Plus much much more!!!**

Group News

We would love to hear about your group!
The next newsletter deadline is July 9th.

You've heard about MADS (Mawsley Amateur Dramatics Society)
You've seen the panto...
NOW IT'S YOUR TURN...

MADS News!

On **Saturday July 4th** (Fun Day at The Centre) MADS will be hosting Mawsley's second **TALENT SHOW**.

Last year was great fun, with impressive acts – but we know there must be more hidden (or not so hidden!) talents out there.



Please put yourself forward and contact Vic Cope NOW!
01536 799643 or do.vic@btinternet.com.

We need your name, age (all ages welcome) and a brief outline of your act.
(N.B under 16's will need written consent from parents – Vic has forms available).

Why watch ITV on a Saturday night, when you can be in the real thing – you know you want to!!!!

PLUS – Are you interested in being part of MADS?

Please come along to the talent show to support the acts and also to register your details with us.

Plans are afoot for the next big idea/production and we welcome new members for front, back and off stage!

See you on the 4th!!

MADS

Mawsley Community Primary School

The school has continued to be a very busy place over the last few weeks. We have just gone through our second Ofsted inspection since the school opened and are awaiting the report to distribute. Our inspectors recognised all the interesting and exciting activities that our children are engaged in.



Recently the children have:

- *Been involved in our "Brain Boost" curriculum extension looking at countries associated with our school family and our talents such as: Ireland/Dancing, India/Writing, Science/Netherlands, Thailand/Art, Caribbean/Geography, Drama/Wales, Africa/Music, USA/History, England/Sports, ICT/Range of countries*
- *Taken part and won a local Cheerleading competition and our team is now going to the national finals in Manchester.*
- *Been learning some maypole dances in Foundation and Key Stage 1 classes to share with their parents.*
- *Been learning about Buildings and Homes in Foundation, Castles in Key Stage 1, Europe and Stadiums in Years 3/4, Aztecs in Year 5 and Slavery in Year 6.*
- *Been linking with schools in Northampton and New Delhi in India to learn about other people and their culture*
- *Been working with a cricket coach to develop skills.*
- *Taken part in residential to Beaumanor Hall and Kingswood Activity Centre in Norfolk and been on trips to the Birmingham Think Tank and Newton Field Centre.*

We look forward to telling you more about what is happening at the school next time.



Mawsley Village WI

This last month has been very busy, as we have had to find a new venue for our meetings. Our June and July meetings are at 'The Sanctuary' and from September we will have to change to a Monday [2nd of the month]. These will be held in the new room at the Nursery, Barnwell Court. This will of course be on our posters.

Our May Fayre wasn't very well attended, but hope those of you who did come along found something nice to buy.

June 9th is our evening with Jo Burbidge showing us her handmade 'Wire and Bead' jewellery, starting at 7.30pm.

Our July meeting is on the 14th and will feature Penny Hazeldine who won the 'Weakest Link' and will be enthralling us with all the backstage gossip!!

As you may have seen on the posters, we are doing the 'cream teas' for the Open Gardens so do come along and support this great village event.

Any information on the above or about the Mawsley WI please feel free to call 01536 799116. Visitors are always welcome.

Brenda Quinn

MAWSLEY ALLOTMENT ASSOCIATION

Thanks to everyone who helped with the laying of the new site path. Hopefully all the effort will prove worthwhile. It should certainly be an improvement on the quagmire we have had to wade through up to now. Though not quite fully completed, the situation is that we bought as much base material as we needed and as much surface stone-chip as we could afford. We are looking into alternative sources of funding to finish things off.

The annual flower and veg show will be held on Sunday September 6th. As in previous years this will be in association with a Harvest Festival service by Mawsley Church. The show is a fun social event open to absolutely anyone (last year we had entries from afar afield as Broughton!) so please plan your harvesting so as to enter something again this year. All produce can be reclaimed otherwise we donate it towards the charitable work of KCU Ltd who provide meals for local unemployed and low waged folk.

The committee of the allotment association hopes that everyone continues to enjoy the use of their plots. Please continue to keep your plot cultivated and as free of weeds as practicable. Overflow parking has been provided by the landowners on the grassed area behind the fenced off substation. Please use these areas so that all paths, tracks and roads are clear. Please also show consideration to other ploholders when it comes to the use of radios etc. Good luck for the months ahead.

For any allotment enquiries please contact Tony on 791162.

Mawsley Watercolour Painting Group

*Small, friendly group.
Beginners very welcome.*

*Thursdays, 10 - 12 noon
Phone Joan on 791661 for more details.*



Mawsley Guides would love to clean your dirty car!

WHEN: Thursday 11th June 7pm to 8.30pm

WHERE: The car park at The Centre

COST: Donations to support the work of
Water Aid in Nepal

Please come along and support us!

1st Mawsley Scout Group



Summer's out...!

1st Mawsley Scout group continues to provide a range of activities and opportunities for young people aged from six to fourteen based on the Scouting programme which includes outdoors, adventure, community, caring and fitness challenges. Members work towards a number of badges and awards, which can be done on their own and, as part of their groups but it's all about having fun and meeting friends really. Beavers, Cubs and Scouts have been out and about as much as possible thanks to the ongoing support of their Leaders, and parents who come along every so often when it's their turn on the 'rota'. The Executive committee organised another well received barn dance at TCAM in May with over 75 people enjoying 'Ock n' dough'. Thanks to all those who supported us by turning out for this. Thanks too to Mary and Yvette!

Our next group social is a **Beetle Drive with a B-B-Q on Sunday June 14th from 4pm to 7pm**. We are combining this with our **annual general meeting, which will be at 4pm on this date**. More information is available from Mary Findlay (Group Chair) on 791228.

Also, a **Car Boot Sale is arranged for Saturday June 27th - TBA**

So a bit about what the young people have been getting up to lately...

Beaver colony:

The Beavers have all entered a competition to design the logo for the group t shirts recently and have made sailing boats out of card and followed a tracking trail in their lodges to the village pond to sail them. Unfortunately the colony mascot 'Beaver' got a bit wet thanks to Hawks' boat building skills! The colony have had a treasure hunt, are working towards their fitness challenge and also their safety badge in coming weeks. Busy Beavers!

Cub pack:

The Cubs too have had lots of fun and are following in the footsteps of Alan Titchmarsh, growing the tallest sunflowers in their own gardens with a prize for the tallest so keep looking after them. The pack has been working towards their caring challenge with the last element to complete being to help run a stall at the village Fun Day in July. A trip to Cransley church last week and a really good quiz from Rev Paul SB helped the cubs with their 'my faith' badge as well as attending St Georges Day parade in Corby in April. Well done to Megan who came second out of all the Glendon District packs in the paper aeroplane competition. The cubs are preparing for County Cub camp in June, which all except one are attending - brilliant! But so much more to fit in before then...

Scout troop:

A slightly more adventurous treasure hunt round the village for the Scouts with clues kindly set by Andy Farr. Thanks too to Andy for all his hard work getting the Scouts through their fitness challenge in one piece last term! The Scouts are set to be out for the rest of the term as they too prepare for a camp, in Leicester in July. A night at John Lowther centre climbing and abseiling lies ahead and we all had a great night at Lazer Zone, Northampton last week. You may see the new camping gear appearing on the field on a Tuesday night too.

For more information on Scouting in Mawsley, or if you have a skill you would like to share with us, please contact: Shaun Thompstone (Group Scout Leader) on 791567 or email: shaun_thompstone@hotmail.com or speak to any of the Leaders. You do not need to have a child in the group to join us!

MAWSLEY BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

We meet at The Centre every Thursday from 9.30am until 11.00am. The cost is £1.50 for the 1st child in the family and 50p per child thereafter.

There are toys, craft activities, and a snack for the children and we finish each week with a singing session.

Come and join us!

For further information, please contact me.



Sarah Hart 790517

BUMPS AND BUGGIES

Come to the family room at The Centre, 9.30am - 11am on Monday mornings. Meet other parents in Mawsley and enjoy a tea or coffee and a chat.

Everyone is welcome, whether you have a bump, newborn or toddler (or all three!)

More info from Holly on 790956

Mawsley church

Looking back, **THANKS** to the 40+ people who took part in the village Litter Pick on 26th April – some 28 bags of rubbish were taken away by Kettering Borough Council afterwards. A good job done.

Looking ahead, we're excited about 5th July, when Catherine Dobson and Richard Priestley will be ordained at Peterborough Cathedral (11am, all welcome). Catherine lives in Broughton and has led worship at Mawsley in the past. Richard and his family will be moving to Mawsley this summer as Paul and Helen and the boys move to pastures new. We'll be celebrating Catherine and Richard's ordination at Broughton village hall in the afternoon of 5th July from 2pm, open to all.

You're welcome to drop by The Centre on Monday mornings, from 9.30am, for **BUMPS & BUGGIES** – a good opportunity to meet other parents in Mawsley. Also, another shared Sunday lunch is on the cards....more details to follow.

Our services over the coming weeks, at Mawsley Church (held at The Centre) or St Andrew's, Cransley, are as follows:

Sunday 7th June Cransley Praise, Cransley (10.30am)

Sunday 14th June Celebration, Mawsley (11am)

Sunday 28th June Communion, Mawsley (11am)

Sunday 12th July Celebration, Mawsley (11am)

We have supervised children's groups during our services at Mawsley:

LITTLE DOVES (up to Year 2) and EAGLES (primary school Years 3-6). Cransley Praise is suitable for all ages.

Revd Paul Seaton-Burn 790140 www.mawsleychurch.net

Ask the Pharmacist

Q. My son suffers badly from hayfever. What can I do to alleviate his symptoms?

In the April newsletter I was guilty of a misnomer. I apologise to Mawsley Medical for using the word Pharmacy in association with their premises. They are of course a 'Dispensing Doctors'. Dispensing Doctors' are allowed to prescribe and dispense medicines for the benefit of their patients from within their surgery. Currently 6000 GP's in England offer this service and so ensure that patients have access to medicines without having to make additional, possibly long journeys to the nearest community Pharmacy. For further clarification please go to www.bma.org.uk

Here is another misnomer for you - HAYFEVER. Hay is not a usual cause of this problem, and it does not cause fever. Allergic rhinitis is the correct term used to describe this allergic reaction suffered by 2 in 10 people. The pattern of symptoms will depend on the particular pollen or spores that an individual is reacting to. The most common symptoms are nasal congestion, a clear runny nose, sneezing, nose, throat and eye itching and excessive tear production.

An allergic reaction occurs if your body attacks a usually harmless substance (the allergen). Believing the allergen to be toxic the immune system in susceptible individuals mounts an unnecessary battle. During the invasion special cells in the body called mast cells become unstable. Chemicals are then released into the tissues and blood, one of which is histamine. This chemical causes the allergic reaction.

There are plenty of things that those of us affected can do to avoid exposure to pollen - here are a few suggestions:

- Watch the pollen count
- Wear sunglasses
- Avoid going outside as much as possible when it is humid or windy or when the pollen count is high
- Don't put washing out if count is high - pollen gets trapped in clothes fibres and bed linen
- Keep windows closed - especially during the night
- Check your car's pollen filter (if one present)
- Plan your garden to include plants which don't trouble you
- Shower before going to bed to get rid of pollen caught on your body and hair
- Don't allow the cat or dog to sleep in your bedroom
- Holiday on the coast - pollen is blown inland by sea breezes



Many people need medicines to help them through the season for example one or more of the following

- Antihistamines
- Steroids
- Sodium cromoglicate
- Homeopathic remedy

Always talk to your Doctor or Pharmacist to diagnose the problem and find out which medication might suit you best.

Letters to the Editor

..and from the Editor!

TAKE CARE!

Taylor Wimpey will be starting work on the development of houses on School Road in early June. They would like to remind villagers to be cautious around this area, in particular, children walking to and from school.

Any other info email
craig.vincent@taylorwimpey.com

Forgotten Hero

All of you who have benefited from the hard work described in Bob's article will agree with his sentiments. I would like to add that he has omitted one very vital 'Hidden Hero' - himself.

Thank you Bob.

Emma Brown, Editor

New Benches

The very smart new benches, partially funded by the County Council, are now in place - thanks to the heavy lifting and digging skills of Richard Hoy, Tom Sanders and Ian Yates. The one on The Green is there temporarily until building is finished at the North end of the village; then the Parish Council will consider where it should be placed there.

Dear Editor

I have a beautiful 15ft Maple tree - it's free to anyone who can dig it out of my garden! I would hate to kill a perfectly good tree but it's just too big for where it is. So if anyone can get it out of the ground it's free to a good home.

The trunk is about 5" in diameter.

This has to be the last summer that it stays in the garden unfortunately.

My contact number is 07973 665821.

Shane

Dates for your diary...

June 11th - Mawsley Guides Car Wash
June 13th - TCAM BBQ
June 13th and 14th - Open Gardens and Scarecrow Festival
June 14th - Mawsley Village Garage Sale
June 27th - Mawsley CP School Summer Spectacular
July 4th - Fun Day and Talent Show
July 17th - TCAM School's Out BBQ
July 19th - TCAM National Eat Lunch Together Day
September 6th - Annual Flower and Veg Show

Next newsletter
deadline -
July 9th!

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