

29 Jul for 2 Aug

Bingo: Tonight, at 7.30pm, in the Village Hall. Cash prizes, raffle and licensed bar. All proceeds to Moggerhanger Village Hall charity. For further information contact Betty 01767 640734, Jackie 01767 640790 or Carolyn 01767 640727. Please note this event is open to all, you don't have to be a Moggerhanger resident to join in.

Summer Garden Party: Tomorrow from 2pm you are invited to a garden party at 64 Blunham Road, by kind invitation of Ken and Mel Ebbage. There will be a BBQ, cakes, ice cream, games, live music and a raffle. Do come along and join in the fun. For tickets at £5 contact Pat Whitworth on 01767 640848. To be held in aid of St John's Church

Coffee Morning: The next St John's Church coffee morning will be held on Tuesday, August 6, at 10am in the Church.

100+ Club Draw: The August draw will take place at 11am during the St John's Church coffee morning

Folk Night: This regular event is held the first Wednesday evening of every month. Calling all musicians and singers. If you want to come along and just listen, you can. If you want to play something, you can. If you want to join in with others, you can. For more information call Chris on 01767 640242.

Our next folk night event will be held in the village hall on Wednesday, August 7. Doors open 7pm.

Social Evenings: Our next social evening event will be held in the village hall on Tuesday, August 13. Doors open 7pm. Come and have a drink and a natter. Held every second Tuesday in the month.

Sing Up Loud: Thursday evenings at 8pm in the Village Hall. This is a choir run by Choirmaster Leigh Smith and will cover many interests from Classic, Pop and Show music. Call Chris on 01767 640242 for more information.

Treasure Hunt: On Sunday, September 1, from 2pm at the village hall. All clues are taken from the surrounding village areas and you should travel approx. 12 miles by car to complete the course. Main roads have been avoided so you should be able to get out of your car to seek some answers. Entrance fee is £2 per person and scoring will be based on correct answers, time taken and mileage readings. There will be a prize for the winning car. Some light refreshment will be available upon your return to the hall and the bar will also be open. Contact Chris for further information 01767 640242.

Split Whiskers: On Saturday, September 21, back by popular demand, this rock and blues band will be playing at the village hall. Doors open at 7pm, 2 course hot supper, licenced bar, raffle and open the box. Tickets available now from Carolyn 01767 640727.

Open Garden: Last weekend, under the National Gardens Scheme (NGS), Jane and Ron opened their garden at 37 Bedford Road, Moggerhanger. The garden was open from 2pm until 5pm both Saturday and Sunday.

Tea and cakes were served and there were also some plants for sale.

The garden features include neat lawns with softly curving edges, herbaceous borders, a lovely Deodara and other interesting trees. There is a large vegetable garden with very productive raised beds and fruit trees. Also some novel statuary (gnome free!)

NGS raises funds for various charities, including Macmillan, Marie Curie and the National Trust. Half the proceeds raised from the refreshment and plant sales has been donated to the Village Hall fund, for which the Trustees send their thanks. Total raised over the

weekend £419.90, £328.60 to NGS and £91.30 to Moggerhanger Village Hall. Jane and Ron send their thanks to the people who worked so hard baking the cakes, manning the event and otherwise helping to make this a success. Also a big thank-you to everyone who visited to enjoy the garden.

Whist: Held last Friday, July 26, with M.C. Mr Ian Collis. Our winners were Snowball, Mrs E Osborne, other winners Mrs A Lattimer, Mrs I Byrne, Ms R Bennett, Mr I Collis, Mrs R Burns, Ms J Leader, Mr T Harper. Our raffle winners were Mr D Lamey, Mr T Harper, Mr R Snell, Mrs I Byrne, Mrs D Campion. The next whist drive will be held on Friday, August 9, in the village hall at 7.30pm.

Village Hall: Future Events. Get the following dates in your diary and watch out for further information. Saturday October 12, Strange World, Progressive Folk band; Saturday, October 19, Cabaret Evening with Regina Dwight.

For further information contact, Carolyn Lister 01767 640727 or Jackie Warren 01767 640790

Church Services: St John the Evangelist, 9am, Sung Communion.