23 Jan 15

Whist:

This takes place tonight at 7.30pm in the village hall with cash prizes and a raffle. Refreshments are included.

Coffee Break:

Don't forget this weekly event for Mums and Dads every Wednesday during term-time from 9am to 10am and longer if wanted (the shop is open until noon). Tea or coffee and biscuits cost just 50p.

Race Night:

This takes place on Saturday February 14 in the village hall. Doors open at 6.30 for a 7pm supper. The first race starts around 8pm. Tickets are £8, available from Pat Whitworth on 01767 640848

Tea Dance:

Every Thursday at 2.30pm in the village hall. This will be a weekly 2 hour event and costs just £5 per person. Contact <u>Nigel@footstepsschoolofdancing.co.uk</u> or call 01462 673895

Knit and Natter:

The next MMPS knit and natter will take place at St John's Church on Tuesday, February 27 at 10am.

Moggerhanger Park:

Valentine's Afternoon Tea for 2 on Saturday or Sunday February 14 and 15. Treat your loved one to a romantic Valentine's Prosecco Afternoon Tea! Book now for either the Saturday or Sunday and you will be treated to specially created cakes as well as our traditional sandwiches and scones. Your loved one will also be presented with an eternal handmade rose. Contact Moggerhanger Park, Park Road, Moggerhanger, Beds MK44 3RW or <u>cafe@mogghangerpark.com</u> or 01767 641007 x 308

100+ Club Membership:

Many thanks to everyone who has already paid for 2015. If you intend to continue your membership time is running out so please contact Carolyn ASAP to ensure you do not miss out on the first draw on February 3. We are keeping subs at £12 so contact Carolyn at 7 Blunham Road, 01767 640727. If paying by cheque please make payable to 'Moggerhanger Village Hall'.

The Children's Society:

The collection taken at the Christingle Service held on Jan 11 amounted to £122.36. Added to this was £97.64 collected at the Lower School Christingle held in December to make a grand total of £220.00. This was forwarded to the Society by the village representative, Mrs Mary Wilson, who wishes to thank everyone who contributed in any way.

St John's Church:

The Rev Fiona Gibson led the songs of praise service held on Sunday last and opened with a welcome and prayers.

The service took the form of an interview with Ken Ebbage questioning the Rev Gillian Orpin about her earlier life in nursing, her missionary work and the road that led her to Moggerhanger. Gillian also chose the hymns for the service.

A reading was given by Jean-Pierre Brun and a duet, "El Shaddai", sung by Alison Cross and Ken Ebbage.

After the blessing the congregation stayed on for further fellowship and refreshments.

The next songs of praise will be held on Sunday, February 15 at 6pm with the theme "Love in all its aspects". All are welcome.

Church Services:

St John the Evangelist, 9am all age communion.