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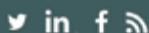
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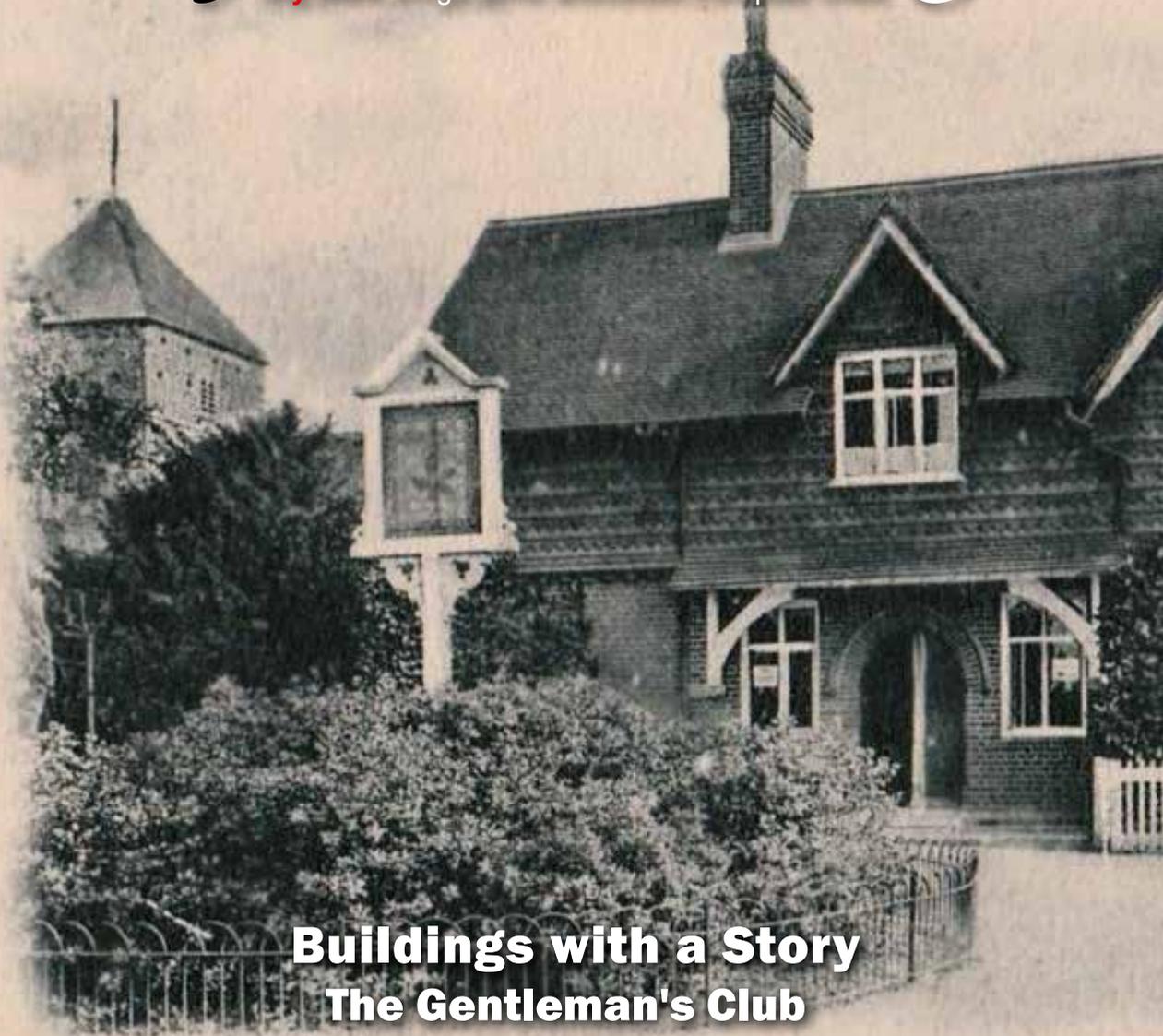
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The Joy of Cranleigh

Joy Horn brings some anecdotes from past times



Buildings with a Story The Gentleman's Club

A postcard of the Lady Peek Institute, post-marked 1904, courtesy of Mrs Vera Wilkinson

Sir Henry William Peek, Bart, a wealthy importer of tea and spices, and MP for Mid-Surrey, founded the Lady Peek Institute in 1885 in memory of his wife Margaret Maria, who had died the previous year. He also funded the building of Cranleigh School's chapel and the rectory (now Moat Lodge). The Institute was built near to the parish church, on the other side of Church Lane, and close to the National School (now the Arts Centre). It is somewhat curious that Lady Peek should be commemorated by an exclusively men's club. The intention was to provide a happy, sociable meeting-place where local

young men could spend their leisure time, with healthy activities and without alcohol. In 1910 it was described as 'a very prominent item in the list of attractions in the village'.

It seems to have been most active in the years before the First World War, although it continued until the 1950s. Open from 10.00am to 10.00pm daily, it had coffee, reading and billiard rooms, a library and bathrooms. Daily papers were available, 'both sides of politics' being represented. The Library had an 'excellent collection' of books. A resident couple acted as caretakers, and the club was





The way it was

served by an honorary secretary, a treasurer and a librarian – all public-spirited worthies of Cranleigh. The annual subscription was half a guinea (10s 6d).

Several 'Smoking Concerts' were held in the 1890s to publicise what the Institute had to offer. One popular group was the Winterfold Handbell Ringers, who were 'loudly applauded'.

In 1890 a cycling club was started in Cranleigh, with its headquarters at the Lady Peek Institute. The safety bicycle had been invented in 1885, and quickly became popular with Cranleigh's labourers and apprentices, who could aspire to save up and buy one, and thereafter had undreamed-of freedom. Bicycles suddenly proliferated in photos of Cranleigh. The club's early outings were to Ockley, Rudgwick and Dunsfold (hardly very adventurous), and nine members cycled to Guildford.



Half a guinea would also have bought the Mad Hatter's hat (John Tenniel, 1865)

On one occasion, the Rector – the formidable Archdeacon John Sapte – entertained the choir boys to tea at the Institute. The account in the Parish Magazine says that 'after a substantial meal, they adjourned to the Rectory meadow for football, Decani v. Cantoris [the two facing sides of the choir], and in spite of the warm weather they kept the game going for about an hour and a half, Cantoris being victorious by 2 goals to 1'.

During the winter of 1901, tournaments were held in billiards, draughts, chess, whist, 'and also in ping-pong, which has recently been added to the attractions of the Institute'. In 1912, the prizes were game, coal, joints, cloth-

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*Sir Henry Peek,
1st Baronet
(1825-98)*

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Learning to ride a safety bicycle in 1894

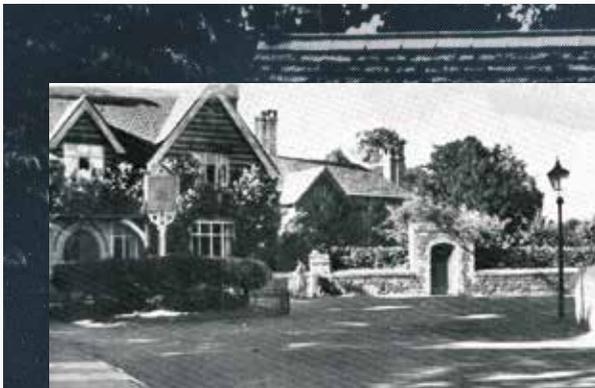
ing and confectionery, donated by the local gentry, farmers and shopkeepers. In 1913, the Institute was so popular that its principal room had to be enlarged so that two billiard tables could be accommodated.

When necessary, inquests were held here. William Holden, 63, died after falling from a hayrick which he was building, on Parsonage Farm. Lottie Forehead, 16, a maid at Snoxhall (as it was then called), died after being severely burnt by the household stove in 1917. Both of these died in the Village Hospital.

Children who attended the Village School in the 1940s recall the homemade 'lardy cakes' that they could buy from the Institute caretakers for one half-penny apiece after school was over.



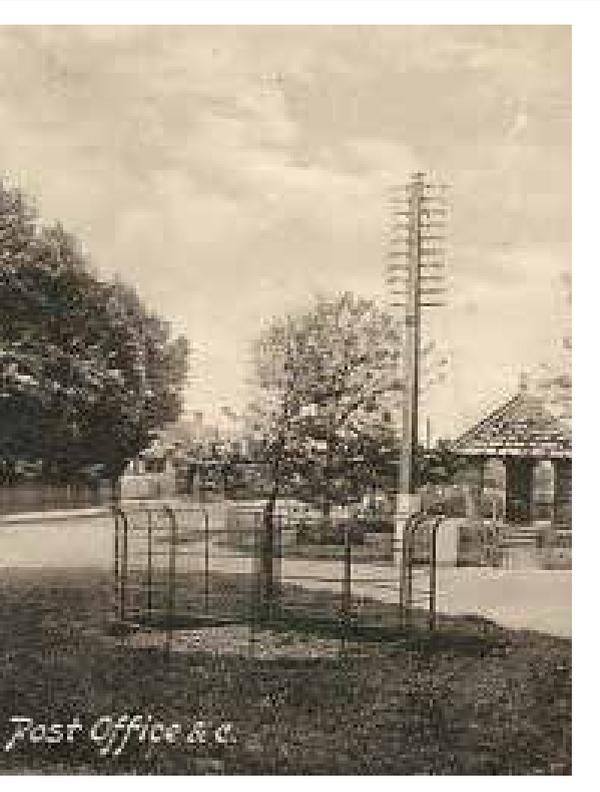
Above: Plenty of bicycles outside the Post Office in about 1910



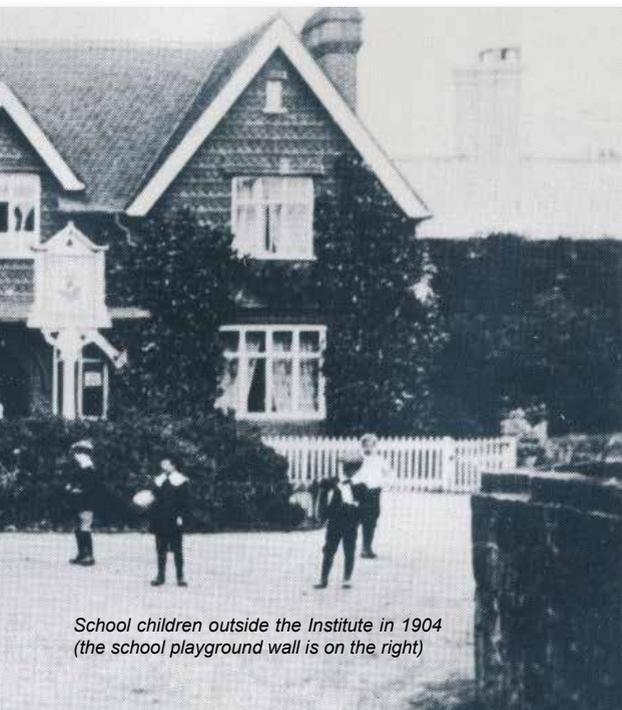
Inset: The Institute, with next-door Belwethers, by local photographer Bernard Grover, in the Cranleigh Guide of 1954



The Lady Peek Institute closed in the 1950s, when its range of activities was found to be too limited. The absence of alcohol may also have been a factor.



(card courtesy of Roy Pobgee)



School children outside the Institute in 1904
(the school playground wall is on the right)



The Institute after redevelopment as Bunbury House, August 2019

The Institute building was used for the County Library from 1959 to 1985. When the new library was built, the Institute became offices, with the name of Bullimore's. It has recently been converted into five flats, called Bunbury House. I like to think this may be an allusion to the alias used by Mr Worthing in Oscar Wilde's *The Importance of Being Earnest*: 'I have invented an invaluable permanent invalid called Bunbury, in order that I may be able to go down into the country whenever I choose.' There is probably a more prosaic explanation! ■

The Cranleigh History Society meets on the second Thursday of each month. The next meeting will be on Thursday March 12th and will be a guided walk around Shamley Green. Meet outside the Red Lion at 2.30pm.

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Crane Spotter:

tales from a Cranleigh birder

March

March Of The Mipits



Meadow Pipit
(*Anthus pratensis*)

Heads up! The troops are on their way and will soon be passing by.

Those in the advance guard this month often travel solo or in pairs. But reinforcements are already on their way and we can expect a steady trickle of the cavalry over the next few weeks in the Surrey Hills.

That is the easiest place to encounter them locally at this time of the year in what I call the 'March Of The Mipits' season.

They'd probably get away without being seen on their tour from southern Europe, or even Morocco, if they were silent. But as they patrol onward their high-pitched calls pierce the air like an army of mice. And this usually gives them away as they fly by in squeaky bounds.

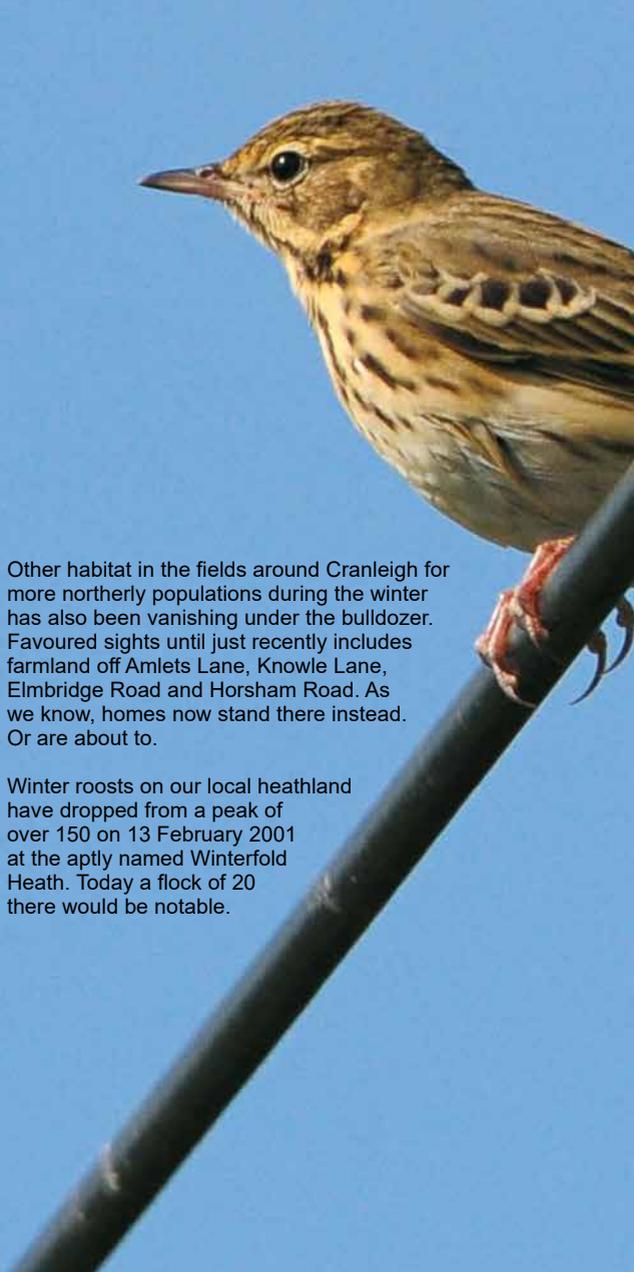
'Mipits' are birding terminology for Meadow Pipits. When you see one it is quicker if you call out 'Mipit' rather than try to utter the full name. By the time you did that, anyone with you could have missed them.

Their increasingly scarcer congeners in Surrey receive similar verbal treatment. Read 'Triipits' for Tree Pipits, Ripits for Rock Pipits, and even 'Wipits' for Water Pipits. If this catches on we could have Lowls, Towls, and Bowls.

The Meadow Pipit bred locally last century but sadly gradually disappeared along with the meadows.

Other habitat in the fields around Cranleigh for more northerly populations during the winter has also been vanishing under the bulldozer. Favoured sights until just recently includes farmland off Amlets Lane, Knowle Lane, Elmbridge Road and Horsham Road. As we know, homes now stand there instead. Or are about to.

Winter roosts on our local heathland have dropped from a peak of over 150 on 13 February 2001 at the aptly named Winterfold Heath. Today a flock of 20 there would be notable.



So how do you count a small species that tends to forage in long grass and last season's flattened bracken?

You have a 'pish'. I have found Meadow Pipits often respond well to this. 'Pishing' is making the sound of 'pish'

Meadow Pipit
(*Anthus pratensis*)

through your clenched teeth. Do it right and the birds react by swirling up from their hiding places and sky dancing in circles around you, calling back excitedly.

The noise makes them curious to find out the cause. Maybe they think it is an intruding owl or a bird in distress. But the technique, very effective with many species in North America, should only be used sparingly and during bird surveys. Never in breeding areas where any sudden flight from cover reveals nest locations to watching predators such as Carrion Crows.

Also it might be best not to pish when other humans are around. Most people will of course think you are nuts if you do.

But I was imitating a warbler once, without success, only to be greeted by an enthusiastic chap with binoculars coming towards me from the other side of a small spinney.

He announced he'd just been listening to 'a very interesting bird' although he'd not managed to see it. What he'd been hearing turned out to be me. Doh!

Anyone who goes summer walking in the wilder areas – Dartmoor, Exmoor, the north of England, Wales, or Scotland - will likely be familiar with 'these little brown jobs' (LBJs).

Breeding season Meadow Pipits arise from the ground to give a 'sit-sit-sit' type of song before floating down vertically like the Hawker Harrier jets once gracing our local Dunsfold Airfield.



Meadow Pipit (Anthus pratensis)

Ironically this site is another Pipit haven destined to lose them as it defies local objection to become a new village for thousands of new inhabitants.

In the early autumn the March of the Pipits will begin again as they head south. Better views are then possible as adults and juveniles rest on telephone wires or fences in the fields. Swallows and House Martins are often with them.

The complex plumage pattern is not a boring brown as some suppose. It varies depending on age and season but think of a mini Song Thrush roughly the size of a Robin.

Then look for streaky rather than spotted black markings on the breast and flanks, a small, thin bill, and grey-brown upperparts with black 'tyre marks' down the back.

Smart camouflage increasingly needed by these little threatened soldiers. ■

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People Profile



Who's who?

John Newlands
Retired Bagpiper

John was born in Tain in Ross-shire in 1936, in Scotland. Tain is a small town (population approx 4,000) in the Ross and Cromarty area, close to the scenic Dornoch Firth and boasts a number of attractions including Glenmorangie distillery and Balblair distillery. Inverness is about a 45 minute drive south.



Tain High Street

I was the second eldest child having two brothers and two sisters. We lived there on a little farm, which in Scotland is known as a croft. My father worked at one of the whisky distilleries and my mother would look after the house and a busy young family. Such was life in those days.

My parents sent me off to the local school which my brothers and sisters all attended but I'm afraid I hated school the whole time I was there. There was nothing I enjoyed about it, not even slightly. The happiest day was the day I left at age 15.

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The call of the .



*Main picture:
This is me aged 16
when I played for the
British Legion Pipe
Band in Invergordon*

■ ■ pipes ■ ■ ■



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I began working on the farm for a few years. Then when I was 18, I went into the army and spent three years with the Seaforth Highlanders. Travelling was a big part of my army life and I ventured to many places; all across Egypt, up into the Yemen Mountains and I finished my time in the army, in Gibraltar. From 1956 to 57.

I quite enjoyed my army experience, but the best part was playing the pipes. I started learning to play when I was 10 years old, but it was all forced upon me at the time. My father was a piper and it is rumoured I was born to the sound of him playing his pipes, can you imagine the sound - me crying and my father's playing? My father found me a teacher who had taught him years ago and he taught me from scratch. Never did I consider at that point, that bag-piping would be my life! I felt I was reborn when I began to play the pipes.

Often when I was very young, I would hear the pipes over the radio, and straight away I felt it in my heart.

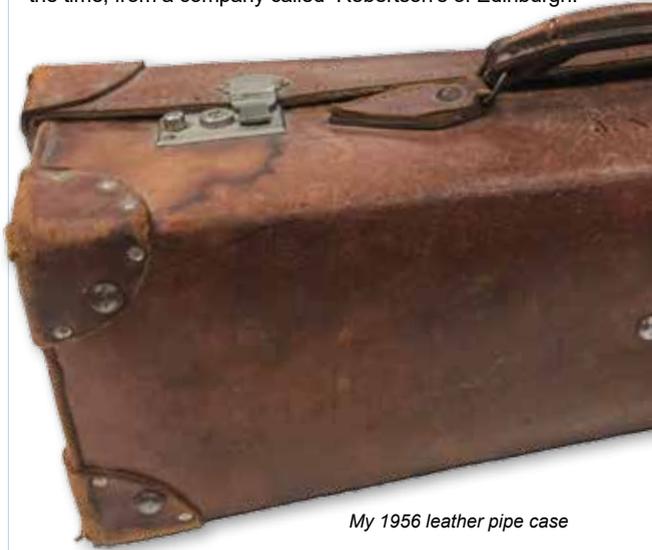
My dad didn't play every single day, but I did!

Learning to read music took me a little while but I gradually learnt to sight read. My father made it look so easy and was patient with me, it really helped my passion to grow. I was 14 when I began to read music. Once you've learnt the music you can memorise it. I used to play for long periods of time up in Scotland. I once took a 20-mile foot march with a fellow piper, playing the tunes as we walked along!



They say it takes about seven years to become a proficient piper, though you continue to learn for the rest of your life. That's the considered opinion from generations of pipers. My seven years began when I was 14, until I reached my very best at 21 years old.

I remember as a young 16-year-old boy, playing in the Invergordon British Legion Pipe Band which was a great learning experience for me, and they gave you a uniform and pipes for free which was an added bonus! However, I did buy my own set of pipes in 1956 for the sum of £63 plus a beautiful leather case for £13, which was a huge sum of money at the time, from a company called Robertson's of Edinburgh.



My 1956 leather pipe case

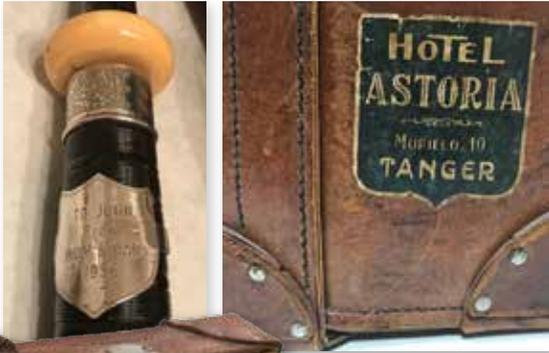
Everything was handmade in ebony wood with ivory and solid silver, engraved attachments. My parents paid most of the money and I put £30 towards it. I still have them today 64 years later!



You can see where I scratched my name on the chanter

... **came**





My engraved present from Mum and Dad left, and my well travelled bag

I often hear good people playing pipes but it doesn't sound right sometimes. It's something you have to feel in your heart. One day at a friend's house in Crawley, I was playing the pipes and the best piper in the world, Donald Macpherson, was present. We all took turns to play and he suddenly said, "There's only one man here who's playing from the heart, and that's you John." I'll never forget that moment, it was a huge compliment to me.

When I first joined the army, I was stationed at Fort George, one of the most outstanding fortifications in Europe. It was built in the wake of the Battle of Culloden (1746) as a secure base for King George II's army.

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Fort George main entrance and drawbridge



Fort George from the air

early for me



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The imposing fort was designed by Lieutenant-General William Skinner and built by the Adam family of architects. Fort George took 22 years to finish, by which time the Jacobite threat had subsided and it has served the British Army for the almost 250 years since. It was here that I learnt my craft of pipe playing no matter what the weather; deep snow, rain, hail, I would get up at 6am and start by playing the piper Reveille, before breakfast. "Reveille" is a bugle call, trumpet call, drum, fife-and-drum or pipes call most often associated with the military; it is chiefly used to wake military personnel at sunrise. The name comes from *réveille*, the French word for "wake up". We certainly did wake the troops up!



Troops on parade at Fort George

After breakfast, everyone else would then head down to practice for a time; learning new pieces. Or teaching music to other recruits, practicing for parades until each one of the musicians in turn was relieved of his duties. However, most days, myself and another soldier would keep playing until lights out, from around 7am till 10pm. We loved playing so much we would only stop for meals and rest breaks. Apart from general soldiering duties this routine continued for the best part of my 3 years in the military. I was always playing or performing.

When I left the army I did various jobs; I first went to work in a shop in Aberdeen because there were no jobs near my home. Times were hard. After a while a new distillery was built nearer home so I went to work there. I started off as a boilerman, helping to maintain all the works to keep it running. Then I became a stillman which was the second-best job in the distillery.

One morning I was working alongside a manager who thought he was God's gift, if you know what I mean and was very difficult to work with. I collected my bag and handed my notice in! In the light of my subsequent discovery I realised it wasn't my best decision. He'd not been very well and got out of his sick bed at 3am to come around and ask me to stay on. I didn't drink and he said he could depend on me to do the work, without being drunk, but I stuck with my decision.

Some weeks later, around Easter time my cousin visited from Edinburgh. He worked as a cooper and assured me there were jobs to be had in Edinburgh. So, I returned with him and got a job at the famous Crawford's Biscuit Factory.



From there I was encouraged to go to London when a chap I met said, "Go down to London, you just have to step across the road and you'll get another job." So, with that comment ringing in my ears, I thought 'let's go to London'. My two brothers came with me. One didn't like it at all and went straight home. The other settled into life down South, got married and moved to Horsham. This was in 1961. He married in 1962. Two to three years afterwards I met my wife Margaret a beautiful English girl and we got married and moved down here to Alfold in 1966, the World Cup year, and we've lived in Alfold ever since. We moved into our present house in 1969, and been in it for 50 years. We have two sons, five granddaughters and a great grandson. I'm now coming up to 84.

My first local job was at the concrete workshop in Cranleigh, which was called Sydney Hill. I left there after a while and worked at the Rudgwick Brickyard for 23 years. I still continued piping, at weddings, birthday parties and New Year do's, (though never any funerals). I once played at seven consecutive Burn's Suppers in one year. Along with other pipers, I would go down to Brighton on breaks to play pipes with the British Caledonian Pipe band. Some members of BCA travelled all around the world, I only went with them once, to Holland though. I preferred to be nearer home with my wife and family.

I just loved playing the pipes and would come home from work, have a quick shower, tune up the pipes and travel up to London to play until midnight, before returning home. I'd only have a few hours' sleep, then get up and go to work. It was a busy life but I really enjoyed it.

My wife was very supportive of me doing this, she knew how much it meant to me. She came along when we played at carnivals or garden centres. We used to enter competitions as well. I had a full-time job and these events were all extra to my hours of work. We'd get a bit of cash for our services, though I never did it for money, it was a pleasure and I would often play for free.

When I was in the army, we only played the pipes at safer places. We played them up in the Yemen Mountains. I always said as soon as I got out the pipes, everyone would settle down.

I do hear people complaining about the noise bag pipes make. I was playing in a nice posh hotel in Kent once, and this gentleman came up to me and said "That's enough of that blinking noise." I replied "Thank you very much, but just listen for a while." He came back an hour later after giving me more air time and said, "You're on to something there mate."

and has never I





Unfortunately, I had to stop playing about 23 years ago when I developed Lymphoma and my lungs gave out. With the first chemotherapy treatment my doctor got it under control, he caught it just in time.

Throughout my life the bag pipes are the only instrument I've wanted to play. I play for everyone to hear. I love to teach others how to play, and have taught a few people but not many have kept it going. I taught my nephew, who won the under 16's competition in Epsom. I taught another boy, Peter Ferguson, who won the under 16's the following year and also the under 16's competition up in Scotland, so I must have taught them well.

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Along with my father, my uncle Tommy also learnt to play the pipes. Unfortunately, he was killed by a German sniper during the 2nd World War in 1940, on the 7th June, two days before my 4th birthday. He was wounded and must've tried to escape, but the sniper spotted him. My grandparents and my whole family tried to find where he was buried, which was miles away from where it took place. I was shown photos of him and decided I wanted to be a piper.



My uncle Tommy, killed in WW2

Even now when I see a piper, I approach them and have a chat, it's very moving and inspirational.

One of my proudest moments was being a Guard of Honour for Field Marshall Montgomery, that was one of the highlights of my life, and we played during the General's salute. There was another time when he came to visit us, he congratulated me as I had bought a brand-new set of pipes which he spotted.

I was the only piper who had bought a new set of bag pipes for the event.



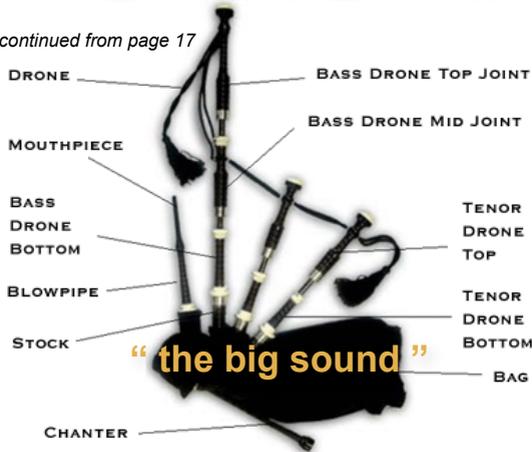
Above left:
Left to right, me, my uncle Tommy, Dad and my uncle Willie, all Photoshoped together in the one picture

Below:
My 1956 set of pipes which I still have to this day

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For anyone embarking on learning to play the bag pipes I would advise them to realise it's a lifetime of practice and commitment, keep at it and push yourself. I can tell if someone's good as soon as I hear them play. My friend Iain Craig was the first one I ever noticed that made the 'big sound'.

Another piper who could produce the 'big sound' Donald MacLeod, was a legend in his own lifetime and studied under a chap called John MacDougal for 25 years. Macleod would play for 2 hours non-stop, never playing the same tune twice.



When playing the pipes, you have to memorise the music of each tune, there's no place to have the sheet in front of you when walking along. It's no good just memorising it either, you have to play it correctly and blow the proper tone. Anyone can play pipes, but only six men I've known in my lifetime that I can recall, and I've heard thousands of pipers, can do what I call 'the big sound', this great powerful sound. I could never quite get it.

We were walking across the desert, when a mate of mine who wasn't a piper, heard these pipes and they were beautiful, it was like God's call, in comparison the rest of them were just a noise. There were 20 others listening and not one of them heard the sound I heard. The Big Sound is the greatest experience I've had. ■

John Newlands, March 2020

Bagpipe History

Up until 1996 the bagpipes were classified as a weapon of war, meaning a physical weapon, like a sword or a musket because of its inspirational effect on the men. This stems back to the Battle of Culloden when a piper named James Reid, was captured by the Duke of Cumberland's men, put on trial and accused of high treason against the English

Crown. James Reid claimed his innocence because he only played the bagpipes and did not have a gun or a sword. The judges however, said that a highland regiment never marched to war without a piper at its head and ruled according to the law, the bagpipe was an instrument of war. James Reid was condemned and subsequently hung, drawn and quartered.

Bagpipes in the WWI Trenches

Did you know the bagpipes played an important role for the British army during World War I? 2500 bagpipe players were in the trenches with their men.

The pipers played the clarion call to arms to the men of the British Expeditionary Forces and thus were usually the first



Above: Piper Daniel Laidlaw, when morale was at rock bottom was ordered to start piping, to pull the shaken soldiers together ready for the assault.

Immediately he mounted the parapet and began to play, marching up and down the length of the trench oblivious to the flying bullets. The effect on the troops was instantaneous and they swarmed over the top into battle. Laidlaw continued playing until he reached the German lines when he was wounded. He was awarded the Victoria Cross and also received the French Croix de Guerre in recognition of his bravery.

ones "over the top." They stood in full view of the German lines, playing their instrument, marching through "no-man's land" without any sort of ammunition but their sound. The bagpipe players carried no cutting devices when they encountered barbed wire. Enemy fire mowed them down just as effectively as they killed advancing troops. 600 pipers were wounded, 500 bagpipe players died while rallying the troops into battle. They received an extra penny a day to play their pipes.



ver in my heart.



For the most part, the bagpipes skirled out the regimental tunes to get the men moving, tunes such as Highland Laddie, Bluebonnets Over the Border, and the Minstrel Boy. You can hear twenty tunes here. Some of the more famous bagpipe rallying tunes, The Battle of the Somme and The Bloody Fields of Flanders were written in the trenches on site. Astonishing.

Last Surviving Bagpiper

The last bagpipe player survivor from World War I was Harry Lunan of the 5th Gordon Highlanders. He took part in the assault on High Wood in July 1916.

He described the experience as an honor: "You were scared, but you just had to do it, they were depending on you. In the first assault, I played the tune Cock o' the North. I played my company over the bloody top, right into the German trenches. It was stupid as hell...Men falling all around me, falling dead...it was bloody horrible. After that, I just played whatever came into my head, but I was worried about tripping on the uneven ground, which interrupted my playing. The enemy fire was murderous, the men were falling all around me. I was lucky to survive. Hearing the pipes gave the troops courage."

Lunan' playing caused a variety of reactions from the non-British troops:

"The French enjoyed the pipes, they couldn't get enough. They would sing French tunes and I would play them. The Germans were scared of the bloody pipes."

Lunan died in Canada in 1994, age 98 years old.

Look closely – he's facing the battle and smoke comes from shells.
© Wikipedia

Bagpipes in the WW2

Bill Millin

Piper William Millin, was the personal piper to Simon Fraser, 15th Lord Lovat, commander of 1st Special Service Brigade. Millin is best remembered for playing the bagpipes during the D-Day landing in Normandy Bill Millin whilst under enemy fire.



D-DAY 6 JUNE 1944.
The British 2nd Army: Commandos of 1st Special Service Brigade landing from an LC(L) (Landing Craft Infantry Small) on 'Queen Red' Beach, SWORD Area, at la Breche, at approximately 8.40 am, 6 June. The brigade commander, Brigadier the Lord Lovat DSO MC, can be seen striding through the water to the right of the column of men. The figure nearest the camera is the brigade's bagpiper, Piper Bill Millin. (Wikipedia)

For further information, or view an excellent one hour film, Pipers of the Trenches at
www.michelleule.com/2016/01/15/wwi-and-bagpipes/



**Ewhurst Horticultural Society
Saturday 4th April 2020
Glebe Centre 8pm.**

The society will be holding its Spring Show in Ewhurst Village Hall, 2.30pm, with the usual high standard exhibits of flowers, floral art, photography, home fare and childrens' classes. Tea and cakes are available; prize presentations, raffle and auction at 4.15pm. If you would like to enter, please see our website for details or contact Lesley Wood (showsec@ewhursthortsoc.org.uk); entries by Thursday 2nd April.

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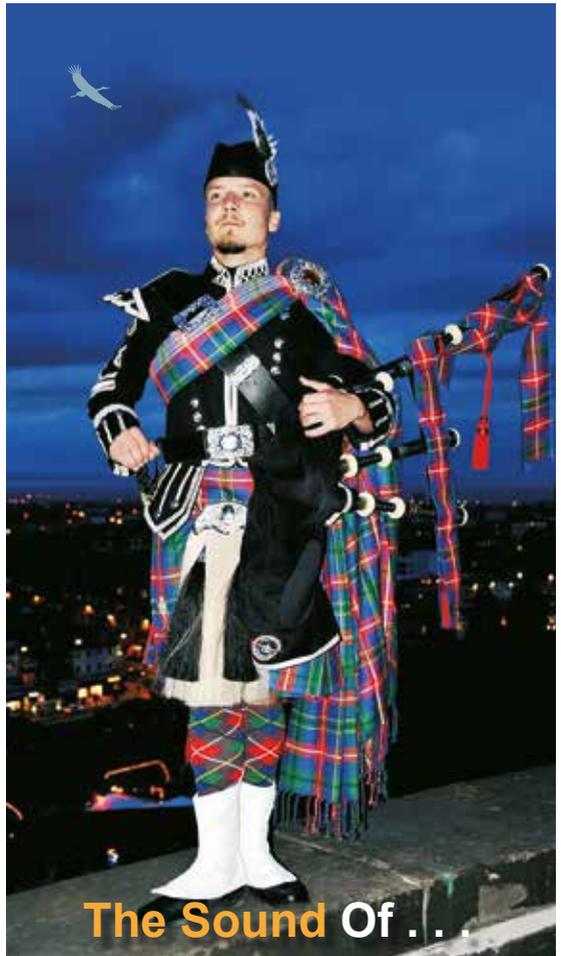


In Cranleigh this year, we are holding a quiz on **Saturday 7th March at 7pm** in the Band Room, Cranleigh. Teams of 6. **£10** each to include supper. Please contact Glenda Sewell on **01483 273037** or glendamsewell@gmail.com.

We are also seeking helpers to assist with both delivering collection envelopes and collecting donation envelopes and also volunteers to help with the count later in May.

If you have some time available to assist in this worthwhile collection, we would be very grateful. For further information please contact Peter Allin **07747 631789** or Jane Briggs on **01483 276100**. Last year we were able to raise over **£3,000**.

If you would like to know more about being involved in Christian Aid within the village, please contact us. ■



The Sound Of . . .

Music can affect us all in many ways; making you feel happy, nostalgic, sad, inspired or take you to another place where you feel you belong - part of one group or community.

It can also be the universal language that joins men, women, children and nations together to sing one song and live in harmony. Now that, is a heavenly sound! ■



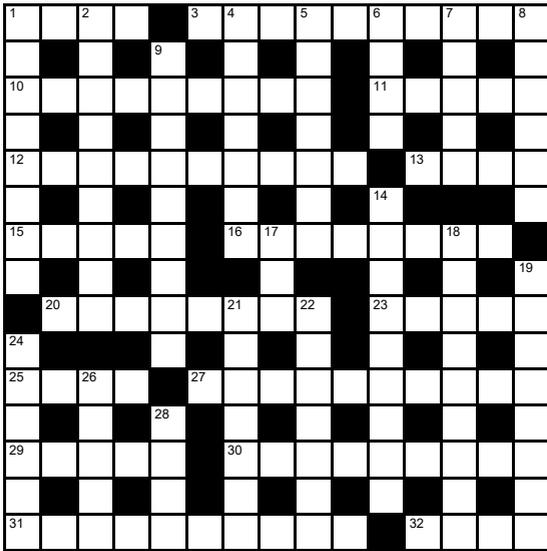
Some say . . .

The sound of water is worth more than all the poets' words

Octavio Paz



March Crossword Puzzle



March Sudoku Puzzle 1 - Easy

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March Sudoku Puzzle 2 - Hard

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Across

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- 1 It preceded the C I S (1,1,1,1)
- 3 Comes before a sentence (10)
- 10 In a higher bracket (9)
- 11 School tool (5)
- 12 Taggers' normal medium (5-5)
- 13 Ore vein (4)
- 15 Mission Impossible's --- Hunt (5)
- 16 Those who change to suit the circumstances (8)
- 20 Eternity is about the whole (8)
- 23 South American ruminant (5)
- 25 One of five on D-Day (4)
- 27 Two-sided (10)
- 29 This Tom had a cabin (5)
- 30 Knock hen out for 25% (3-6)
- 31 Silver lining (6,4)
- 32 Reply request (1,1,1,1)
- 1 Not cleaned (8)
- 2 Spiky customer on the seabed (3,6)
- 4 Site of major WW2 battle in the Pacific (7)
- 5 Roofed open gallery attached to a house (7)
- 6 Known in Eire as "the rebel city" (4)
- 7 Icehouse? (5)
- 8 Turbulent Severn causes anxiety (6)
- 9 Avoiding the outdoors (7,2)
- 14 Small daggers (9)
- 17 Foundation of pointillism (3)
- 18 Comforts (9)
- 19 Operated by 29 Across, perhaps (8)
- 21 Paper cutters, maybe (7)
- 22 Important period for accountants (4-3)
- 24 City satellite (6)
- 26 Plain code for computers (1,1,1,1,1)
- 28 Common term for computer and web programs (4)



Colin the Cranleigh Chameleon, was hiding on page 54 during the month of February. **Did you spot him?** Crossword and Sudoku answers will appear in the next issue.

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February Crossword Solution

February Sudoku Easy Solution

February Sudoku Hard Solution

Tues
every week



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10-14 players at a session. Play for an hour, with at
least one break. Open to all 18:30 - 19:30

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**HAVE-A-GO
NORDIC WALKING**



Join a qualified Nordic Walking instructor for a work-
out in the woods, suitable for a wide range of fitness
levels. 10:00 - 11:15

Winkworth Arboretum, Godalming, GU8 4AD

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**GUILDFORD
FARMERS' MARKET**



Buy High quality fresh local produce directly from
over 50 local farmers and producers at Guildford's
monthly Farmers' Market. 10:30 - 15:30

Guildford, High Street, GU1 3QT

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MAR

**SCIENCE WEEK AT
RHS GARDEN WISLEY**



Join RHS Garden Wisley for a week-long science
extravaganza showcasing their research, with
hands-on tasks, workshops and talks. 10:00 - 15:30

RHS Garden Wisley, Woking, GU23 6QB

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MAR

**PACKING UP
THE NATION**



This is the gripping and sometimes hilarious story of
how heroic curators and eccentric custodians saved
Britain's heritage during our Darkest Hour. 19:30

Onslow Village Hall, The Square, GU2 7QR

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MAR

BONSAI SHOW



This year's show is themed 'The Joys of Spring';
beautiful spring-themed bonsai displays and
demonstrations on growing and care. 10:00 - 16:00

RHS Garden Wisley, Woking, GU23 6QB

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**BROOKLANDS
MINI DAY**



All types of Mini (including the modern BMW) are
invited to this annual event, so expect displays in all
areas of the Museum site. 10:00 - 17:00

Brooklands Museum, Weybridge, KT13 0QN

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volunteers; no need to book, just turn-up at the start. A
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Sat 14 March 10:30am: Walliswood 3½ miles 1¼
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Sat
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**Bruce McKenzie Memorial Field
Knowle Lane, Cranleigh**

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**ED BYRNE:
IF I'M HONEST**



Join Ed as he takes a long hard look at himself and tries to decide if he has ANY traits that are worth passing on to his children. 20:00 - 22:30

New Victoria Theatre, Woking, GU21 6GQ

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**IN CONVERSATION
WITH SOPHIE RYDER**



To coincide with International Women's Day 2020, join renowned sculptor Sophie Ryder for an informal discussion. 19:00 - 20:00

The Lightbox, Woking, Surrey, GU21 4AA

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**SURREY AND
SUSSEX CAT SHOW**



Join them for an afternoon of beautiful cats at our all Breed Championship Cat Show, see so many different breeds! 12:30 - 16:00

Woking Leisure Centre, Surrey, GU22 9BA

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LEVELLERS



Levellers are still going strong after 30 years in the game. They have been, and still are, one of the best live bands around and they're back! 19:30 - 22:30

G Live, London Road, Guildford, GU1 2AA

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**MOTHER'S DAY
AFTERNOON TEA**



Selections of freshly prepared finger sandwiches, homemade scones with jam and clotted cream and a mixture of cakes and desserts. 12:00 - 17:30

Painshill, Portsmouth Road, Surrey KT11 1JE

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**KELLY'S CLANDON
PARK RUN 2020**



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George Abbot School, Guildford, GU1 1XX

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**THE PARROT
EASTER MARKET**



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The Parrot, Forest Green, RH5 5RZ

CLIMATE SCIENCE 101!

How to live a greener life . . .

by Sharon Duggan

Following on from my People Profile in February, I'm now pleased to be writing a monthly article on various aspects of sustainable living as well as straightforward information to help us all get our heads around climate science (don't panic!).

I'm a firm believer that understanding what's going on helps us all to move forwards from a perspective of knowledge – and that's empowering. None of us is perfect but everything we do to change our lifestyles bit by bit (and pressuring for change) helps – so in the coming months I'll be giving you suggestions about how to help your footprint on the Earth to be a little lighter...but first, some of that science...

What's the difference between weather and climate?

First and foremost: weather is not the same as climate! We're all only too familiar with how unpredictable weather is, whereas climate predictions are based on observations and patterns taken over decades, much like we can accurately predict the average lifespan of men and women in the UK.

Isn't the greenhouse effect a natural process?

Well yes - in simple terminology, the temperature of the Earth is (until industrialisation – it had been stable for the past 800,000 years) a balance between energy coming into the Earth (solar radiation) and the energy leaving the Earth and escaping into outer space.

In our atmosphere, not all thermal radiation emitted by the Earth reaches outer space as part of it is absorbed and reflected back to the Earth's surface by greenhouse gas molecules and cloud (much like heat getting trapped within a greenhouse). This is important as without this the planet would be about 30 degrees Celsius cooler! As such, the natural greenhouse effect is part of a balanced transfer of energy at the Earth's surface and in our oceans, however, we have forced this balance to change leading to warming

that's out of balance (even though some of the greenhouse gases are naturally occurring gases eg. carbon dioxide, methane and nitrous oxide). This is the climate change that scientists are referring to.

Which greenhouse gases are causing climate change?

Carbon dioxide: carbon is stored underground, in our oceans and of course in trees and plants – it's never destroyed and before we used it for our energy the carbon cycle was, as I've mentioned above, pretty well balanced and remained constant - but we've removed it from its underground storage, pumped it into the atmosphere – and tipped the balance. Deforestation as well has, and is intensifying this problem.

Methane is the second most important greenhouse gas, approximately 40% of which is emitted into the atmosphere via natural sources like wetlands but about 60% is emitted as a result of cattle breeding (meat and dairy production), rice agriculture, fossil fuel exploitation, landfills and biomass burning. Worryingly, it has 20-30 times the heating effect of carbon dioxide on the planet and it has more than doubled in our atmosphere since pre-industrial times.

Although **Nitrous Oxide** only contributes about 6% to the imbalanced greenhouse effect, it stays in the atmosphere for over a hundred years and is nearly 300 times more potent than carbon dioxide – it's also the gas that's contributing to the destruction of the ozone layer which of course protects us from the harmful rays of the sun.

Finally, we have the **man-made fluorinated gases** which are used in lots of ways including as refrigerants, air conditioning, in solvents, aluminium and magnesium production. Many of them have a huge global warming potential (approximately 23,000 times more potent than carbon dioxide – and they can stay in the atmosphere for up to 50,000 years). ■

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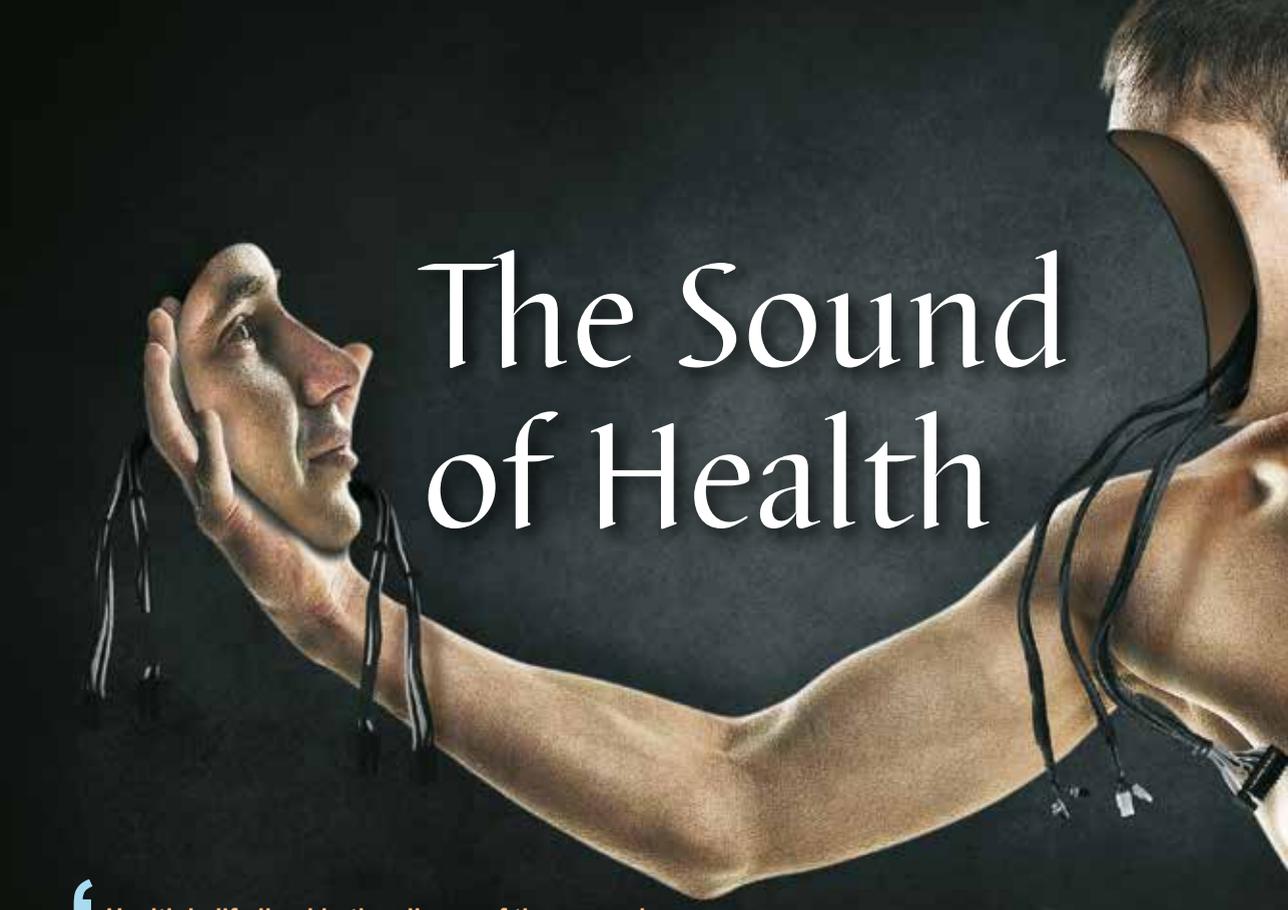
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The Sound of Health

“ Health is life lived in the silence of the organs’ wrote the French surgeon René Leriche in 1936. Disease or ‘dis-ease’ (the absence of ease) usually shouts loudly and makes a lot of noise whereas health is silent. Or is it? ”

A body struggling to cope will send messages of distress, but more often than not the noise of life drowns them out until finally we have to listen. Cells which are under stress, whether from physical, chemical, emotional, metabolic or any other origin, communicate that stress to other cells through complicated signalling pathways. This in turn causes an inflammatory response leading to various chronic diseases such as insulin resistance, digestive issues, autoimmune problems, mental health problems and so much more. The cells in our bodies all have a cell wall that needs to be flexible to allow nutrients in and to let waste matter out. In the presence of inflammation this double layer becomes rigid and inflexible. The transport of nutrients and waste matter is therefore compromised.

A lack of symptoms does not mean, of course, that there is a lack of disease. We often overlook or dismiss the odd ache, twinge or niggle as something and nothing. However, these are the first signs that something is going on. Maybe you are getting more headaches than usual, you’re not sleeping as well, losing weight is harder or you just don’t feel well. It is SO important to acknowledge these niggles. It may be nothing but could be something.

Health, on the other hand, could be defined as unstressed cells with optimal signalling pathways communicating easily and freely; nutrients moving into each cell and waste matter being transported out and then excreted out of the body. In a musical sense we could say that disease is a discordant sound whereas health is a harmonious sound. In fact there is more truth to that than you may realise. Everything on the planet vibrates at a particular frequency and every human organ and its cells also has its own frequency. It is well known that plants vibrate at a higher frequency than other foods, which could be one reason why people who do fresh juice cleanses (with high vegetable content) seem to have an increased awareness of their internal and external environments!

Sound is regularly used in medical departments to diagnose a condition or to help a surgeon ‘see’ better eg. ultrasound uses high frequency sound waves to create an image of part of the inside of the body. Lithotripsy uses focused





by Sue Potgieter

Nutritional Therapist & Naturopath mANP rGNC

radio all compete for our ears. Yet the sound of silence is vital for our mental health. NIHD or noise induced hearing



disorder is increasing amongst adults aged 20-69 years. In the US, 24% of all adults suffer from impaired hearing due to noise induced hearing loss.

So here's a challenge for you! Turn the TV, radio, music or podcast off and sit in silence. Take time to allow your ears to adjust but how many sounds can you hear whilst actively listening? Make a habit of listening to bird song when you are out and about.

Have you heard about the newly formed group for the people of Cranleigh that includes various practitioners, called the Surrey Health Collective? It has been formed to discuss various aspects of health and wellness and to learn from one another. So far we have looked at stress, oral health and had talks from a local chiropractor, a nutritional therapist (me!) and a biohacker! It is open to everyone who has an interest in learning more about health and wellness or who has a particular skill to share. You can find us on Facebook and Instagram and we regularly post on the Cranleigh Community Board page. We will also be advertising the next event with posters around the village. The events are free and we would love to see you. ■

sound waves (also known as high energy shock waves) to destroy hardened masses like kidney/gallstones.



In the field of alternative therapies, sound healing or sound bathing is becoming very popular as a way to deal with stress and anxiety. Various research papers note that listening to natural sounds like flowing water or birdsong significantly reduces the stress response in the body. So many people these days are constantly listening to something. Music, podcasts, books, TV programmes,

Sue



For advice on health issues email me: sue@thegenuinelivingcompany.com or phone me on 07961 990087

Some say . . .
He who is not impressed by sound
advice, lacks faith
Abu Bakr

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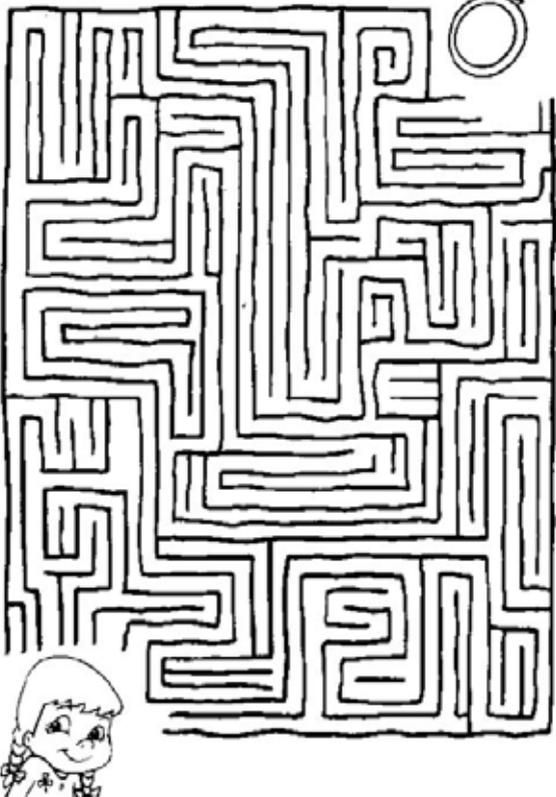
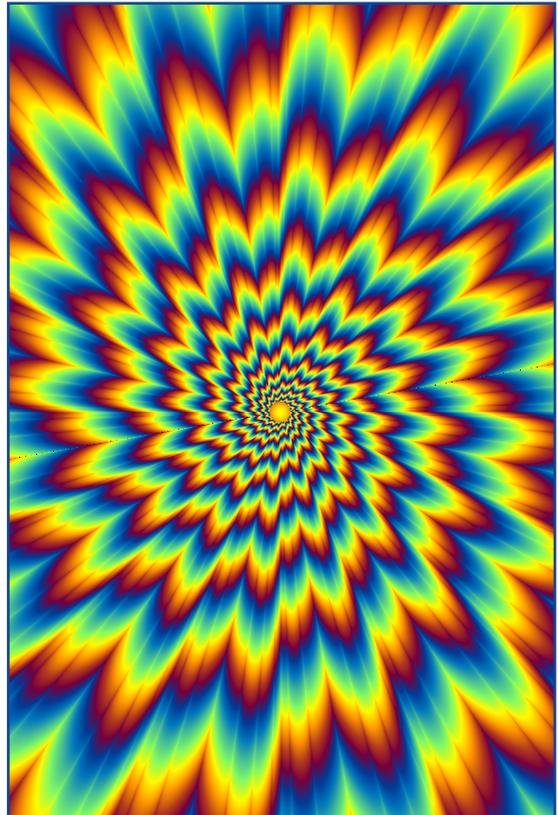
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SHADES Cinderella Review by Clare Stevens



January can be a hard month to get through after all the fun and excitement of Christmas, so SHADES had the perfect antidote with their 2020 offering 'Cinderella' by Clare Snelling. Audiences packed the Arbuthnot Hall in Shamley Green on 23rd, 24th and 2 performances on 25th January 2020.

Magic and mayhem was in the mix in traditional SHADES style with plenty of great musical numbers and dancing. The hideous Ugly Sisters provided some stand out hilarious moments, their 'Two Ladies' song with the King was a particular highlight. The scene at the end of act one was a layer cake of emotion with Cinderella's sad and beautiful song, and the clever transformation, left the audiences wanting more.

Well done to the cast and crew, and especially Carl Harmer who made his debut, directing this fast flowing and very enjoyable production, while Producer Sonia Chapman and Stage Manager Clare Snelling did an excellent job dealing with the special effects and quick scene changes.



SHADES will be giving a donation to the Princess Alice Hospice, and would like to thank the audiences for their support. ■

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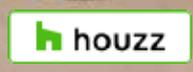
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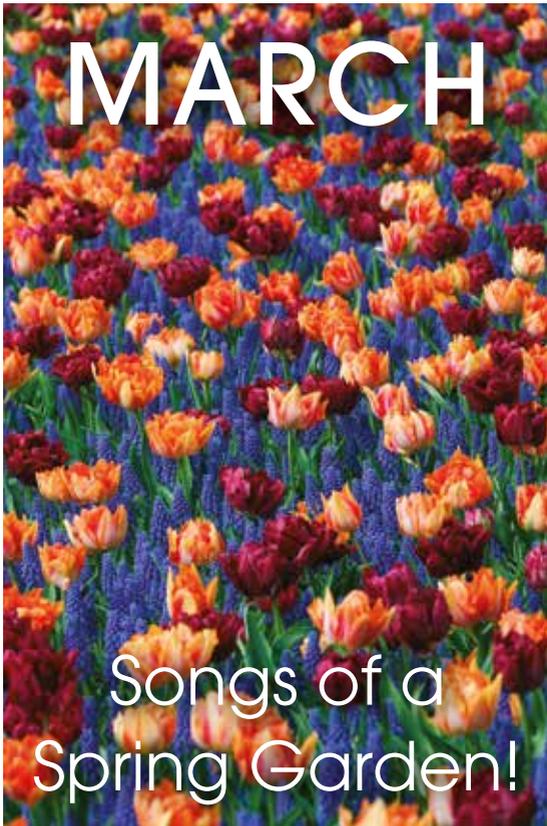


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By March, we're ready to welcome the age of spring, an optimistic, happy time for us gardeners. There's much to be done outdoors, now the winter months have gone by. Bring it on!

Read on to find many important garden jobs for this month:

- Fertilise your beds. Once the soil is feasible, dig a 5cm layer of compost or well-rotted manure into your beds to set up for the budding season ahead.
- Trim winter-flowering heathers as they disappear, to prevent the plants having an excessively long and straggly stem.
- Continue to deadhead winter pansies to prevent them from setting seed. This will embolden flushes of new flowers throughout the spring.
- In the vegetable garden, cover prepped soil with sheets of black plastic to keep it dry and warm in preparation for planting.
- Mulch fruit trees using well-rotted manure or garden compost. Be careful not to mound mulch up around tree trunks.
- Prepare soil for growing brand new lawn from seed. Doing this at this point allows it time to settle before sowing.
- Remove any pond netting left around from autumn and winter. ■



On March 10 Cranleigh Probus A Club will meet for lunch at Cranleigh Golf and Country Club when the annual Annual General Meeting will take place. **A new committee will be elected.** A special secret ballot will also be a feature, to decide on allowing persons of either sex to become members. Any retired person from business or the professions will qualify for applying for membership. At present any person as defined can attend as a guest to be able to hear individual speakers and enjoy a lunch.

For full information on the club, which was one of the first in the UK when founded in 1973, please look at the excellent website. For direct contact Stewart Shepley will be happy to explain how to participate in a first lunch with an interest in joining or sampling. Call: 01483 548488 or email: stewart.shepley@btinternet.com ■

Guildford Art Society Spring Exhibition

The Guildford Art Society will again be holding their annual 2020 Spring Exhibition in **The Pavilion at Guildford Cricket Ground**. Don't miss this opportunity to admire the artwork of talented Surrey artists whilst visiting one of Guildford's most iconic buildings not usually open to the public. Fully accessible, free entry and plenty of parking. #GArtP2020. **The exhibition opens at 12pm on Saturday 21st March, then daily from 10am-5pm until Sunday 29th March, Woodbridge Road, GU1 4RP**

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- Wash your cleaning clothes after each outing as they can harbour germs. This will ensure clean cloths that give a streak free finish.
- Avoid nasty kitchen smells by wiping out your bin each time you empty it. Don't forget the inside of the lid too.
- Another cause for kitchen smells can be food debris left in the dishwasher. It can build up around the door seals and in the filters. Wipe the seals and rinse out the filters on a regular basis to avoid this.
- Wash the blades of your liquidiser and food processor. Don't simply swill it with water and put it away, remove the blades and clean separately to avoid a build up of food underneath.
- Always close the toilet lid before flushing! There's a plume that escapes once it's flushed and you can imagine what escapes in that!
- Wash your reusable grocery bags. Now that we're all remembering to take them shopping with us don't forget to wash them every now and again. Especially if you use them for meat and fish. Be sure to turn them inside out before throwing into the washing machine.
- Clean door handles, remote controls and mobile phones often. They are used more than most things in the home so it makes sense that they will need cleaning more than anything else.
- Take out all the removable parts of your coffee machine and wash separately. Failing to do so just encourages bacteria to grow.
- Use the upholstery attachment on your vacuum cleaner for furniture. Remember that dust accumulates there too.

- Clean from top to bottom so dirt and dust falls onto uncleaned surfaces. Always vacuum floors last. ■

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CRANLEIGH RAIL REVIVAL

Following the good news that the Department for Transport is to pledge **£500m** to reinstate some previously axed local services, this is a golden opportunity to propose the reopening of the line between Guildford and Cranleigh.

The **Midhurst Model Show** is the next occasion for more Middleton Press details to be presented. The show is at the Grange in Midhurst (Sat Nav GU29 9HD) on Sunday 9th February 2020 (10am-4pm). From 2-3pm, Vic Mitchell will be available for questions on the South Downs Light Railway stand. This line is the nearest pleasure railway to the Cranleigh route.



The **Cranleigh Reopening Proposal** scheme was announced at Vic's unveiling of the Blue Plaque at Haslemere Station on 2nd October 2019. All the local councillors present were supportive. Four months later, the following was announced in The Railway Magazine, February 2020 issue.

The National Recovery Plan:

'Transport Minister Baroness Vere of Norbiton said: *"To help communities across the country, we have pledged £500 million to start reopening lines closed following the Beeching report, reconnecting smaller towns, regenerating local economies and improving accessibility to jobs, homes and education."* ■



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Particular thanks are due to the Guides, who turned up in force on Saturday and who gave a great performance of carol singing outside Sainsbury's for a whole hour in the afternoon. This helped to boost the takings for Saturday, which until then had been a quiet day for collecting.

All proceeds will be donated to Rotary charities.

The next fundraising events will be the ever-popular Rotary quiz on Friday, 20 March, and the MABAC run on Sunday, 29 March. More details about how to enter these events will be posted nearer the time. ■

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New concert grand piano at Cranleigh Arts Centre

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Cranleigh Arts Centre has invested in the future with the purchase of a new hand-crafted Shigeru Kawai concert grand piano. The purchase has been made possible by the generous support through donations by Friends of Cranleigh Arts Centre and other local residents who love the fantastic classical music performances at Cranleigh Arts by international professionals.

For the last 16 years Cranleigh Arts has enjoyed the generosity of Barry Fantoni who had donated his fine 1970's Kawai baby grand. Barry, who now lives in Italy, was well known as the cartoonist for Private Eye magazine for many years and also an accomplished jazz musician. The piano was introduced to Cranleigh Arts by the late Dr Catherine Pike who was Chairman of Trustees at our community charity though its major development in the late 1990's.



The new purchase has been guided by professional concert pianists including Ashley Fripp, well known to the Cranleigh audience; Richard Saxel, Director of Music at Cranleigh School who has also performed in the Cranleigh Arts auditorium; and Sacha Grynyuk who represented our international partners in piano performance, The Keyboard Trust. During January, the experts sampled the options available and made their recommendation to Trustees.

A full programme is scheduled for 2020 including on 10 July when BBC Young Musician of the Year 2018, Lauren Zhang, will play Schubert, Liszt and Ravel.

It is planned to celebrate on December 16 2020 the 250th anniversary of the birth of Ludwig van Beethoven with a special concert by Mengyang Pan, a darling of concerts in Cranleigh, who is the professor of Piano at the Royal College of Music.

Commenting on the purchase of the new piano Chairman of Trustees Bob Wild said "The international professional classical concerts at Cranleigh Arts Centre bring something special to our community. Music is a great therapy for the trials of modern life. With this marvellous piano, we will have invested in the long term of brilliant music for Cranleigh and surrounding villages. We deeply thank those who donated and made this possible."

Additionally, supported by local firm Informed Choice Financial Planning, Cranleigh Arts has inaugurated a successful programme of short lunchtime concerts; providing access to enjoy professional performance in the winter months for those who do not wish to travel after dark. The last of these this winter will be pianist Dominic Degavino at 1300 Tuesday 10 March. There will be another programme of lunchtime concerts from October 2020 to March 2021. ■

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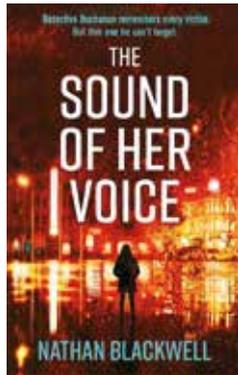
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1 Chickpea and Feta Fritters

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Ingredients

2x 300g cans chickpea, rinsed and drained, 1 Large free range egg, 100ml thick yoghurt, 2 Tablespoons Tahini paste, 1 Teaspoon of salt, 1 Teaspoon baking powder, 2 Tablespoons corn-flour, 150g feta cheese, cut into 1/2 cm cubes or if you prefer roughly crumbled, 4 Spring onion, finely sliced, Oil or butter for frying.

Preparation

1. Place 3/4 of the chickpeas in a food processor with egg, yoghurt, tahini, salt, baking powder and cornflour. Puree to a coarse paste.
2. Place in a bowl and mix in remaining chickpeas, feta and spring onions. Stand for 15 minutes.
3. Heat a little oil or butter in a frying pan and dollop in a spoonful of mixture. Cook over a moderate heat until golden, then gently flip over and cook until just set.
4. Fritters are very soft and can break if flipped too soon, so handle them gently and only flip when almost set.
5. You are now ready to serve our chickpeas fritters either as a starter or (my favourite) for breakfast/brunch with eggs and crispy bacon. The choice is yours Enjoy!

Recommended Wine:
Sauvignon Blanc (New Zealand)



2 Grilled Lamb Loin with Saffron potatoes *Serves 6*

Ingredients

1.2 Kg lamb fillet or short loin, divided in to 6 equal size portion, 2 Tablespoon fresh thyme or 1 if dry, 2 Tablespoon extra virgin olive oil, 1 teaspoon of salt, 1 teaspoon of ground black pepper

For Saffron Potatoes

100ml olive oil, 1 large white onion, peeled and finely diced, 1 Celery stalk, finely diced, 1 Medium carrot, peeled and finely diced or grated, 6 cloves garlic, peeled and sliced, 1 pinch of saffron, 2 tablespoons white vinegar, 300ml semi sweet white wine (I usually use Riesling), 5 large potatoes, about 1kg, skins scrubbed, 200g finely grated parmesan

Preparation

1. Lay a portion of lamb on a chopping board and slice horizontally, keeping the lamb in one piece, then butterfly the lamb open and gently flatten out to a thickness of 1/3 inch with a meat hammer. Do the same to the remaining 5 pieces.
2. Mix thyme, oil, salt and black pepper together and brush over the lamb pieces. Cover and leave to marinate.
3. Now start to prepare the saffron potatoes, preheat the oven to 200c or mark 5.
4. Heat olive oil in a frying pan and add onion, celery, carrots and garlic fry until slightly golden, then stir in saffron and vinegar.
5. Boil until the liquid has almost evaporated, then add the wine, salt and bring back to the boil.
6. Cut potatoes in to 1/4in slices and place half in an 8 inch square ceramic roasting dish. Sprinkle with parmesan and pour on half of the onion mixture prepared before.
7. Spread over the remaining potatoes and pour on the rest of the onion mixture. Cover the dish and bake until cooked, about 1 hour, remove the lid and cook for a further 10 minutes.
8. Now finish to cook the lamb, Heat a frying pan, or even better if you got it a heavy skillet, it has to be really hot. Cook lamb for 30 seconds each side for medium rare or if you prefer well done add 30 seconds for each side.
9. Plate up! Place the lamb on the centre of the plate, then spoon over the potatoes with their cooking juice and serve. Enjoy your delicious Lamb and saffron potatoes.

Recommended Wine: Malbec (Mendoza Argentina)



This simply prepared lamb is delicious when served with the creamy saffron potatoes. The potatoes can be prepared using single cream instead of wine for a richer taste. I learn how to prepare this dish when I was working for Peter Gordon and is a clear example of how simplicity is the key to achieve great flavours.

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3 Creamy Poached Caramel Pears Serves 8

This is a real winter warmer, I love to serve it with some Madeira cake or just a scoop of vanilla ice cream for a great hot/cold contrast.

Ingredients

8 Medium-large pears, remove the core if you wish
500g caster sugar, 80ml water, 1 orange, skin peeled off with a peeler, juiced, 250ml of double cream

Preparation

1. Use a potato peeler to peel the pears in strips to give a striped effect. Place sugar and water into a large deep saucepan and bring to the boil, stirring until the sugar is dissolved.

2. Once it comes to the boil, remove the spoon and don't stir again. When the sugar has cooked to a pale caramel, place the pears in, then the juice and peel from our orange, add 250ml of hot water.
3. Put a lid on the pot and simmer for 15 minutes. Add the cream and continue to cook until the cream has reduced to a caramel sauce.
4. This will take about 20 minutes, so watch carefully to make sure the toffee does not catch or burn.
5. You are now ready to serve. In a serving bowl place the pear standing and pour the hot sauce on top. Serve with a scoop of vanilla ice cream or a slice of Madeira cake as you prefer. All done!

Recommended Wine: Vin Santo (Italy)

Simone Conti ■





Never said I was perfect

by **Raymond Holt**

An ex Cranleigh village Bobby

*Never said I was perfect,
Didn't believe that I was.
Looking over my shoulder,
Saw the end of a job.*

*Gave my heart completely,
Tried to ease all your pain.
But now that I'm hurting,
I need my heart again.*

*Then I held out my hand,
Just tried to be a friend.
Understood all your sorrow,
Thought your world's at an end.*

*And now my job's over,
Where do I belong?
Made to think wrong was right,
And that right was wrong.*

*Never said I was perfect,
Didn't believe that I was.
Looking over my shoulder,
Saw the end of a job.*



An excerpt from the book

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cranleigh arts

Cranleigh Arts Centre - March 2020

This month we launch our Literary Festival which includes a one-woman storytelling performance of Meet Pippi Longstocking from Danyah Miller. Colin Butcher gives a fantastic talk about Molly the Pet Detective Dog and Steve Knightley from Show of Hands performs Pass Notes. Doors open 45 mins before evening events, so why not head down early and pick up a drink before the show? You are welcome to bring refreshments purchased on the premises into the auditorium to enjoy during the performance.



Exhibition:
Nelson Mandela Art Exhibition
Tuesday 3 – Saturday 14 March,
10am-4.30pm

This exhibition, presented by Belgravia Gallery, will display the collection of artwork produced by Nelson Mandela in the early 2000's after his release from prison and time as President of South Africa, based on places he remembered on Robben Island such as The Lighthouse and The Church. **Free Entry**



Community: Literary Festival 2020 Launch & Spoken Word Night
Tuesday 3 March, 7.30pm

Celebrate the opening of the Cranleigh Literary Festival 2020! Get a drink and take a seat. This will be followed by poetry readings from the 1000 Monkeys and Cranleigh Writer's Group with an open mic for readers from the audience. **Free Entry**



Theatre:
Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde
Wednesday 4 March, 7.30pm

First performed in 2006, this is a fast-paced adaptation of Robert Louis Stevenson's classic novel which has enthralled audiences throughout Britain and Ireland and played to packed houses every-where. **£14**



Film:
The 39 Steps
Thursday 5 March, 8pm

Alfred Hitchcock's most celebrated British thriller, adapted from John Buchan's novel. Richard Han-nay (Robert Donat) becomes the victim of mistaken identity when a female corpse is dumped in his flat by a spy ring. He tries to track down the true murderers whilst being pursued by the police. **£8.25**



Talks: Colin Butcher:
Molly the Pet Detective Dog
Friday 6 March, 7.30pm

A former Detective Inspector with Surrey Police turned pet detective, Colin has reunited hundreds of owners with their dogs, but cats were always more elusive. Enter Molly, a cocker spaniel spotted on a rescue website, who became Colin's inseparable companion. **£10**



Arts Workshop:
Make a Hand Stitched Leather Notebook Cover
Saturday 7 March, 10am

Come and learn how to make your very own hand stitched leather notebook cover! You can choose from a range of leather and thread colours and even emboss your cover with initials at the end (if time allows). **£8.25**



Family Show: Meet Astrid Lindgren's Pippi Longstocking
Saturday 7 March, 2pm

In celebration of the 75th birthday of Astrid Lindgren's much-loved Pippi Longstocking, acclaimed storyteller Danyah Miller and award-winning director Helena Middleton have created a quirky one-woman story-telling performance. **£10**





Arts Workshop: Plotting and Pitching – The Road to Publication
Saturday 7 March, 2pm

Join author Suzanne Goldring for a workshop packed with insight and advice on how to develop your novel. In this workshop she talks about her experience acquiring two book deals and publishing best-seller *My Name is Eva* – in the space of less than twelve-months. Come prepared to do an exercise to plan your own best-seller! **£10**



Classical: Lunchtime concert:
Dominic Degavino, piano
Tuesday 10 March, 1pm,
Thursday 20 February, 2pm

Clara Schumann: Variations on a Theme by Robert Schumann, Op. 20 (10') **Robert Schumann:** Fantasiestücke, Op. 111 (10') **Beethoven:** Sonata in Eb Major, Op. 81a 'Les Adieux' (15') **Free Entry, retiring collection.**



Event Cinema:
NT Encore: Cyrano de Bergerac
Thursday 12 March, 7pm

James McAvoy (X-Men, Atonement) returns to the stage in an inventive new adaptation of *Cyrano de Bergerac*, recorded live before an audience in the West End. Fierce with a pen and notorious in combat, Cyrano almost has it all – if only he could win the heart of his true love **£17.50**



Music: Steve Knightley: Pass Notes
Friday 13 March, 8pm

Following the success of last year's one man show, Steve's latest outing is intended for anyone fascinated by the art and craft of song writing. He explores themes and stories that inspire him and shows how music and words can become lyrics and chords and notes can meld to create songs that acquire a life of their own! **£21**



Arts Workshop:
Kids Craft: Handprint Cactus
Saturday 14 March, 2pm

Dress for mess and make your own cactus artwork. These mini-masterpieces are fun to create and make gorgeous Mother's Day Gifts. All materials provided. Suitable for ages 5+. **£6**



Film: The Good Liar
Saturday 14 March, 8pm

Con artist Roy Courtney can hardly believe his luck when he meets well-to-do widow Betty McLeish. As Betty opens her life and home to him, Roy's surprised to find himself caring about her, turning what should be a cut-and-dry swindle into the most treacherous tighrope walk of his life. **£8.25**



Exhibition: Portraits by Maureen Domoney Artist
Tuesday 17 – Saturday 28 March, 10am-4.30pm

An exhibition of portraits by Maureen Domoney, Artist in Residence at Hurtwood House School 2019. The paintings in the exhibit clearly converse with each other yet manage to retain the individuality of each sitter. **Free Entry**



Event Cinema: ROH Live: Fidelio
Tuesday 17 March, 7.15pm

Beethoven's only opera is a masterpiece, an uplifting story of risk and triumph. In this new production, conducted by Antonio Pappano, Jonas Kaufmann plays the political prisoner Florestan, and Lise Davidsen his wife Leonore (disguised as 'Fidelio') who daringly sets out to rescue him. **£19.75**



Classical:
Iyad Sughayer – Piano Recital
Friday 20 March, 7.30pm
W.A. Mozart D major Sonata K. 576 (15') F. Liszt Harmonies poétiques et religieuses

1. Funérailles (12') 2. Miserere, d'après Palestrina (4') 3. (Andante lagrimoso) (8') 4. Cantique d'amour (7')

F. Chopin Four Mazurkas Op. 33 (10')
A. Khachaturian Piano Sonata (26') £19.75



Music: Nursery Cryme...
A Genesis Tribute Band
Saturday 21 March, 7.30pm

Nursery Cryme are a 5-piece Genesis tribute band, playing your favourite Genesis tracks from the albums *Trespass* to *Duke*. The band have received much adulation for re-kindling lost memories. **£16.50**



Theatre: The White Plague
Thursday 26 March, 7.30pm

Following a sell-out international run, Ferodo Bridges present the immersive production, *THE WHITE PLAGUE*, experienced in 'white blindness' for a strictly limited number of audience members. **£15**



Film:
Official Secrets
Friday 27 March, 8pm

Based on world-shaking true events, *Official Secrets* tells the gripping story of Katharine Gun (Keira Knightley), a British intelligence specialist whose job involves routine handling of classified information. **£8.25**



Arts Workshop:
Make a Basket in a Day
Saturday 28 March, 10am-5pm

With local basket maker, Judith Needham. Spend a fun and fascinating day learning the art of basket making. In this one-day class we will make a round willow basket with a flat base using the stake and strand technique. This might be a shallow fruit basket, a waste paper basket or an apple picking basket with a handle, the choice is yours. **£70**

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Cranleigh Film Club

Friday 13 March & Thursday 26 March



www.cranleighfilmclub.org.uk

Cranleigh Film Club is showing *Leave No Trace* (PG) on Friday 13 March 2020 and *Summer 1993* (12A) (Members' choice) on Thursday 26 March. Films start at 7.30pm; doors open at 7.00pm. Our film will be shown in the Band Room, GU6 8AF, and there is ample parking in the adjacent Village Way car park. Refreshments are available.

Leave No Trace (Friday 13 March)

Will, traumatised veteran and daughter Tom live a perfect existence in a nature reserve in Oregon, rarely making contact with the world. A mistake tips them off to the authorities. Tom begins to connect with others and thrive; her father reacts differently. Debra Granik's films deal with personal strength and willpower. Her second feature, *Winter's Bone*, starred the unknown Jennifer Lawrence and won the Grand Jury Prize at Sundance. *Leave No Trace* has been called 'an engaging and touching film that leaves a warm glow.'

Ben Foster (Will) has made nearly 40 feature films over 20 years. A critic said he's 'an actor who makes a bad film worth seeing; sometimes he suggests the film you'd rather watch!' Thomasin McKenzie, (Tom), received two US awards for 'breakthrough performance' in this film and four nominations for Best Young Performer. *Cinecentric* said "she doesn't act; she experiences; she lets the moment come to her."

"A delicate story of two people on the fringe of society that never feels manipulative, and lands with emotional wallop. Rarely have two performers faded into their characters more believably than here. The way these two people clearly love each other is palpable; that connection is the undercurrent that drives the entire narrative," *Roger Ebert*, "I can't wait to see it again, and for the world to see it."

Tim Robey in the *Telegraph*: "the question is whether Tom will seek independence from her restless father, or whether the father will allow her the freedom to go her own way. Ben Foster, often such a livewire, gives one of his gentlest, most introspective performances, but there's a stubborn intractability beneath. Thomasin McKenzie's performance makes it perfectly clear what difficulties Tom has speaking up for herself, all pent-up anxiety and bottled but welling emotion."



Summer 1993 (Thursday 26 March)

Six-year-old Frida looks on in silence as the last objects from her recently deceased mother's apartment in Barcelona are placed in boxes. Although her aunt, uncle and younger cousin Anna welcome her with open arms, Frida finds it hard to forget her mother and adapt to her new home in the Catalan countryside. Carla Simón's 2017 film is partly autobiographical: she herself was sent to live with her uncle and aunt after both parents died. "Frida is in her own little world and we are there with her, so it's for us to catch what's on the fringes of this universe. Simón bypasses most of the sentimentality normally associated with a film like this, opting instead for a mature exploration of grief and its after-effects. One gets the sense that Simón is inspecting her childhood," *Roger Ebert*.

Peter Bradshaw, the *Guardian*: "A stunning drama of a childhood ripped apart. Complex and simple; very moving. *Summer 1993* is about a child's fraught relationship to the adult world, with some of the most miraculous child performances I can remember seeing recently." *Slant* magazine wrote: "the miracle of this film is Simón's desire to inhabit the rhythms of a child who's reckoning with traumatic emotions that are only beginning to emerge in her. Crucial plot points emerge as backdrops to the explicit purpose of a scene."

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The Wey & Arun Canal Trust has updated its essential guide, *Visiting the Wey & Arun Canal*.



The latest publication has been revised to include recent restoration projects such as the £375,000 Gennets Bridge Lock and £375,000 Southland Lock, both near Loxwood, West Sussex, the circular walkway at Birtley in Surrey and the Thriscutt Slipway at Dunsfold on the Surrey/Sussex border.

With handy maps and photos, historical background and practical advice on accessing the canal, the guide is an essential for those who want to

get more out of their exploration of the 23-mile waterway. The guide covers the canal route in detail, with maps and extensive illustrations in full colour. It highlights the unmissable beauty spots, areas of restoration and original features and also explains the next steps needed to bring each section of the canal back into use.

Wey & Arun Canal Trust chairman Sallay Schupke said: "While the Canal Centre at Loxwood, West Sussex, and the public boat cruises offered from there may have helped many people explore one section of the canal, there are many other parts of the waterway that visitors have yet to discover. This guide offers a glimpse into the old and new of the canal, its route through the stunning Sussex and Surrey countryside, and provides a practical guide to getting the most from the Wey & Arun Canal."

The 72-page guide, priced £6, was first printed in 2012 and has been written and edited by volunteers Julian Cheek and Geoff Thomas. It is available from our website: <https://weyaron.org.uk/shop>

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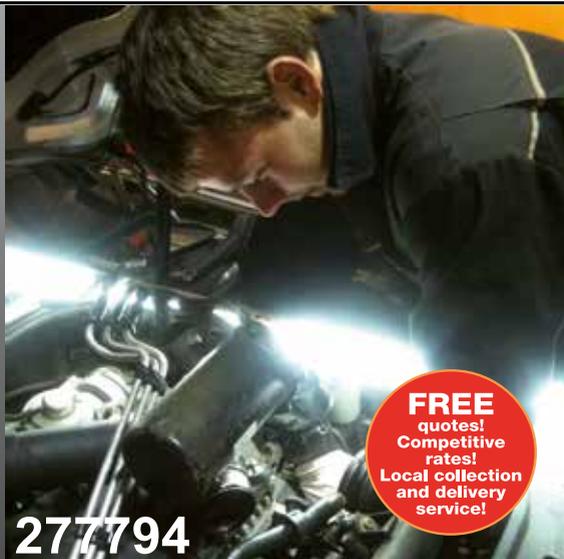
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Lifetime mortgages (the most common type of equity release) will become a mainstream financial planning solution to fund our ever-increasing retirements in our aging population. The market has grown significantly over the past ten years, with more products than ever before available and rates at an all-time low. The average rate is now below 5% while the lowest rates are currently below 3%. There are products where you can, if you wish, pay the interest monthly, make ad-hoc lump sum payments or of course, not pay any interest and allow it to roll up. Every product covered by The Equity Release Council comes with a no negative equity guarantee and most products allow you to move or downsize if you wish.

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The most common uses for equity release are to refinance existing mortgages, help family members onto the housing ladder, holidays and home improvements. Whatever the reason, as a nation of homeowners, we need to start looking at our financial situation more holistically. We all know that credit card debt is best avoided, mortgages should be

repaid and that we should live within our means. We also need to recognise that we are living longer. These should be quality years, not a financial struggle. Therefore, we need to look at how we can afford it. All too often we are staring at the answer without realising it. So many of us approach retirement asset rich but cash poor with a lack of savings for retirement years. Our property can be the answer.

With all of that in mind, please do not sit there wondering if this is right for you. Instead seek independent advice and look carefully at all your options. You may find that you sitting on a gold mine and releasing some of that value, tax free, can make the difference to everyday life or even enable a few additional luxuries or new adventures. ■

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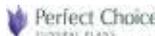
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Updates At The Club

Cranleigh Amateur Swimming Club



Cranleigh County Swimmers

When I wrote for the Cranleigh Magazine last month, I'm pretty sure it was raining. This is not a huge assumption, given that it seems to have rained pretty much ever since. And, unsurprisingly, it is raining right now, as I write. I take solace that one of the advantages of being a member of Cranleigh Swimming Club is that you can swim well. And with all this rain, this might prove to be an increasingly important life skill.

So, assuming you haven't been washed away or blown afar by the recent storms, I'll stop wittering about the weather. Instead, I'll return to the real reason for writing, which is to provide an update of goings-on at the swimming club.

If you are a regular reader of these articles (thanks Mum) you will remember that the focus of the first months of the year are the County Championships. For the majority of swimmers in the higher squads at the club, taking part in this competition is a big target. It is something to work towards during the rest of the season, trying to achieve qualifying times. Qualifying swimmers get to test themselves against the best swimmers in the county.

But now the qualifying window is closed. The hard training has been done. The competition has begun. In fact, we are well and truly in the middle of it. Two weekends out of the three-weekend competition have now taken place. Our swimmers have stood on the blocks, ready to race, knowing that they have prepared as well as possible. And to say that they have acquitted themselves well would be an understatement.

The first weekend, at Surrey Sports Park in late January, set the tone. Out of 28 swims by club members, there were 24 personal bests. Amongst these, four swimmers progressed into the finals, on top of placed finishes in the 200m events

where no finals are swum. It is hard to single out individual swimmers when everyone did so well but notable results were achieved by: Alice Bruce (8th place in under 11 100m breaststroke); Connie Emmett (4th U11 200m breaststroke); Lana Howells-Davies (6th U12 100m backstroke); Chris King (8th U14 100m backstroke); Lizzie King (Bronze U11 100m breaststroke and Silver U11 200m breaststroke); and Sophie Moore (Bronze U15 100m breaststroke and Gold U15 200m breaststroke).

A total of 13 new club records were set, with Lucy Andrews, Thomas Craig, Siena Reilly, and Juliette Small adding to the swimmers listed above. And to top it all off, 4 South East Regional qualifying times were achieved (shared by Lana, Chris and Sophie).

The second weekend at Crystal Palace in early February had fewer swims for the club but the standard did not drop. Personal bests were achieved in every single one of the 8 events swum, with 5 yielding new club records (shared by Sophie, Chris, Lana and Lucy). There were places for Thomas (7th U15 400m freestyle), Lana (Bronze U12 200m backstroke) and Chris (6th U14 200m backstroke). Lana and Chris also added to the events they had regional times for.

So with one weekend of the Championships left, a significant highlight remains. Taking place on the 29th of February, competing swimmers get to race at the London Aquatic Centre. You might know it by a different name. The Olympic Pool at Stratford. The same pool where World Records were set and Olympic Gold Medals were won in 2012.

After that, the galas come thick and fast. First up, in early March, the Atlantis Gala at the K2 pool in Crawley. This is a chance for more of our swimmers to test themselves in a



50m long-course pool, providing a different challenge to the more familiar short-course. The following weekend we host our own Open Meet at the Leisure Centre. This is a popular and important event for the club and local support is always welcome. April then brings a return to K2 for the Crawley Open Meet.

As a finishing note, I wanted to recognise that the swimming club is about much more than competing. Reporting about the competitions is easy because that's where the headlines are. But behind the scenes, on an almost daily basis, there is constant hard work by coaches and swimmers of all levels. This starts with our youngest swimmers starting out around age 7, through to our senior swimmers, some of whom are in their twenties. The goal for everyone is to improve. To build technical skills yes, but also discipline, resilience and commitment. Crucial life skills. These are the foundations upon which everything else is built. ■

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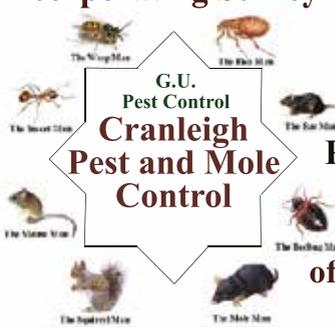


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The exhibition has been running annually for many years, providing an impressively varied, interesting range of colour and monochrome images, both printed and projected on screen. On display will be up to 300 photographs corresponding to a wide range of different subjects, which include an open category allowing free choice (for example, street photography, architecture, sport, or still life), landscape, nature, portraits, and panels grouping several related images together. A category entitled "digital art" covers images constructed with digital software from one or more other photographs as expressions of image-makers' creative imagination.

The exhibition entries will be assessed by Don Morley, a distinguished former photojournalist and action sports photographer with immense experience of judging photographic work. Many of the prints are for sale. Refreshments are available. Parking is easy. Cranleigh's main car park is only a few yards past the Village Hall down Village Way. Come and have a look round. You will enjoy it. You may even feel that you would like to join the Club and take part in the future.

To contact the Club, see:

www.cranleighcameraclub.co.uk

Events in March 2020:

3rd MARCH - 3-way competition at Haslemere,
Don Morely

5th MARCH - Presentation: Motion capture,
Eddie Hyde ARPS

12th MARCH - 4th PDI and mono prints competition:
Set Subject - A chocolate box image, *Graham Johnston*

19th MARCH - Camera techniques - 3 of a kind,
Members' participation

26th MARCH - Match-a-Print competition:
Ladies vs Gents, *Gordon Rae*

28th MARCH - CCC Annual Photographic Exhibition,
Don Morely

**The Club meets most Thursdays at 7:30pm
(September to June) at the Baptist Church Hall,
262 The High Street, Cranleigh, GU6 8RT, Consisting
of talks, demonstrations, competitions and practical
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WE ARE MOVING!

As of March 2020 Surrey Hills Rehab are moving into the heart of the Cranleigh community to Snoxhall. Our team of highly skilled Physiotherapists and Physiotherapy Assistants will be welcoming patients - existing and new – to our new home. This exciting move will give us additional space to grow further and to be able to run our 15 specialist exercise groups per week as well as continue to support 1:1 patients, peer support groups and information workshops.

We know that supporting each other is invaluable when dealing with neurological conditions such as Parkinson's, Stroke and MS and now that we are located in the middle of Cranleigh there are lots of lovely cafes and restaurants to venture to after a group.

Snoxhall Youth Centre has parking and is fully accessible with level access throughout.

Please join us for an open afternoon on **Saturday 18th April 2020 from 1.30-3.30pm** to meet the team and see what we do.

We'd like to thank all our amazing patients for their continued support during this transition and we very much look forward to being a bigger part of the wonderful Cranleigh community.



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