



PITCAIRNGREEN
Village Hall

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

Hello everyone and welcome to the new look Newsletter. Heather has some big shoes to fill and firstly we want to thank her again for her 200 editions and for keeping our community spirit burning brightly.

This edition is somewhat short and sweet but has some important dates for your diary:



Pitcairngreen Autumn Craft Fair

The craft fair will take place on **Saturday 26th October** at the village hall.

£3.50 admission for adults, kids go free. Tea, coffee, and delicious home baking included in price.

Please come along and lets make this years' Craft Fair the best one yet!

We need your help with the Craft Fair. Here's how...

We really need help with the following so please volunteer to make this community event a success. Thank you!

Putting the marquee up outside the hall on Friday 25th October at 4pm.
Contact Andy Young on [07719 453 854](tel:07719453854)

Donations for the tombola - bottles, gifts, chocolates etc. These can be collected in advance or left with Rachel at The Bield. **Contact Rachel Clark on [07909 853 267](tel:07909853267)**

Home baking donations & volunteers for kitchen and serving refreshments if you can spare an hour or two. **Contact Gillian Mowat on [07840 751 629](tel:07840751629)**



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VILLAGE LUNCH

MONDAY 7th OCTOBER

From 12 to 1.30

Pitcairngreen Village Hall

Soup, Filled Rolls, Home Baking, Tea and Coffee.

Voluntary donation and Raffle.

Everyone welcome!

Village Lunches

The ever popular village lunches begin again next week! These are a great way of meeting people we only see going past in their cars, catching up with friends and for new members of our community to get to know everyone. We look forward to seeing you...

Future lunches will be on 4th November and 2nd December 2024.



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Georgina Ballantyne (1889 - 1970)



Mary Tudor (1489 - 1541)

West Stormont Historical Society

WSHS want to publicise our new look website and encourage you to take a look, view our forthcoming season of talks and keep up with all that is going on! www.wshs.org.uk

Our next evening event is our regular topic evening which takes place in **Luncarty Church Centre at 7.30 pm on Monday the 14th of October** – the topic for this week will be ***Prominent Local Women*** and we encourage all interested followers to come along, bring a story or your own suggestion of a notable local woman and join the discussion.

Our regular talk at the end of October will be Bruce Keith returning to WSHS give us a talk on ***Scotland Below the Surface***. Bruce is an entertaining and popular speaker and we look forward to welcoming him back. **This talk is on October 28th, Luncarty Church Centre at 7.30pm.** All welcome.



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Pitcairngreen Inn

The pub is hosting a Halloween party on **Friday 25th October 2024 from 7pm until midnight**, so look out your fangs and face paints and get along for some spooky fun!

Kids welcome 7pm -9pm.



Other Church News

- **The Craft Group meetings** are held every Monday from 2.00pm to 4.00pm in the Church Hall. Everyone welcome
- **There will be no Church Youth space during October.** Please watch Facebook or the Church's notice board for future information.
- **A Ladies Group meeting** will be held on Thursday 3rd October beginning at 2pm.

Almondbank Tibbermore Church

The Services on **6th & 13th October** will be led by our minister, ***Rev Robert Malloch.***

Communion will be served at the service on 6th October.

The Service on 13th October will be a **Harvest Thanksgiving.**

Rev Sandy Gunn will lead the Services on **20th and 27th October.** Any unforeseen changes to this will be posted on the Church's notice board.

All Services in October will begin at 11.30am. Tea and Coffee continues to be served in the hall after the Service every Sunday.



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Other Local Events in the Village Hall

Barre Fitness Classes, Thursday Evenings 7.45pm - 8.45pm

A low impact, high intensity full body workout to music- please see website for more details and to book www.bonniebarre.co.uk

Pause and Paint Mindfulness & Crafts, Friday 1st November

please email lauramtindall19@gmail.com for information and bookings.

Move with Siobhan Inclusive Dance Classes

Get fit and happy through dance! See website for details and bookings - <https://siobhanmarshall.wixsite.com/movewithsiobhan>

Daylight Saving

Don't forget to put your clock back an hour on 27th October!



Would you like to include something in next months' newsletter?

Contributions are most welcome to this newsletter. Any great photos, event info or local stories welcome. Thank you.

Send your contributions by email to: themowats2006@btinternet.com

