It was great to see the bunting and flags out in the village for the period of the Jubilee and fortunately the weather was kind for the first three days at least! Sadly the Sunday proved to be a disaster and the picnic on the green was badly affected. However those that did go enjoyed themselves. Thanks to Richard and Barbara Abels for decorating the green with lights and bunting with permission of Exton Estate. The weather did not affect the childrens party in the village hall however and organiser Kiloran Heckels writes:

Just over 50 children enjoyed the festivities at the children’s platinum jubilee party on a sadly wet Sunday 5th June. The children enjoyed dancing organised by DJ Steve (the paramedic), followed by grace given by The Reverend Anthony Oram and a wonderful tea of sandwiches, Manchets buns from Hambleton Bakery, cupcakes and of course jelly & ice-cream! To top this off, every child was presented with a commemorative mug kindly sponsored by Exton Parish Church.

A huge thank you to the Village hall for kindly waiving their usual fee, Hambleton Bakery for kindly donating Manchets, the Parish Council for their support, Caroline Hodges for her amazing baking skills and of course the organisers (Bernadette Wallace, Polly Holtby, Colleen Ryan, JoJo Steveney and Kiloran Heckels) without all of whom the party wouldn’t have happened!

I am told that there were four generations of the Wallace family attending!

Photos taken with parents authority-
Waking up on Sunday to pouring rain our alternative plan had to be put into action - the large garage at No. 22.

David Healey and Paul Almond prepared and cooked two magnificent paellas, the sharing table/s groaned with wonderful puddings.

Fortunately the rain almost stopped at 12.30 and friends and neighbours mingled inside and out, it turned into a fun occasion.

The ‘Healeys’ and the ‘Almonds’ donated the ingredients for the paellas and the rest of us donated to the Red Cross Ukrainian appeal - £180 was raised. Thanks to everyone for all the hard work and for braving the weather. ..........Judith Whitworth
BLACKSMITHS LANE STREET PARTY Thursday 2\textsuperscript{nd} June
Jo Downton and Paul Taylor organised this and managed to get a good weather day too on Thursday 2\textsuperscript{nd} June – a lovely gathering – lots of chat and good company. Everybody brought their own food for the bbq – chefs were Paul Taylor and John Garner with assistance! Thanks one and all on behalf of everybody for making the afternoon so enjoyable.
We would be happy to publish any other party photos?
Thursday evening approximately 70 residents made the trip to Barnsdale Lodge Hotel where General Manager Warren Browning together with his assistant Hector Ross made us all so welcome. What super hospitality! We were offered prosecco and an array of very tasty cooked snacks. They were so generous coming around on several occasions to top up glasses and food.

Soon after 9 pm we made our way to the rear of the property and Parish Council Chairman Tommy Cooper made a short speech of welcome and supplied a few facts regarding the Jubilee Beacon.

It was the task of David Healey [also a Parish Councillor] to light the Beacon and we were all concerned that he was going to singe his legs in the process! The Beacon finally took light and we were able to give three cheers by way of celebrating the occasion and our good wishes to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

Above David Healey and daughter Emily who was getting married next day enjoying the festivities at Barnsdale.
Below: David getting the party started! Lighting the Beacon.…

Chairman of Parish Council Tommy Cooper welcomed residents with a short speech. Well done everybody involved in the organisation of the event. I am sure I speak for all when I say I am glad I was there as we will never see the like of this event again.
CONGRATULATIONS!
To Emily Jayne Healey and Stephen Wallace on their wedding 3rd June 2022

At last we can announce the ‘tying of the knot’ for Vivinenn Le Grove and Paul Anderson of The Green a few weeks ago after over two decades together

CONGRATULATIONS!
LAST CALL FOR EXTONBURY!
Don't forget Rutland's best charity music festival is happening in our own village on **Saturday 9 July** at the Fox & Hounds. Gates open at 11.30, music from 12.30 with eleven great bands, fantastic food & drink, craft stalls and our fabulous raffle, with all proceeds going to the Rutland Air Ambulance. Come and have a great time with family and friends in a wonderful setting for a very worthy cause. Entrance on the gate is £15 per person with kids 12 and under free. Don't miss it!

EXTON MOVIE NIGHT IS BACK!!
Movie nights are returning to Exton Village Hall post Covid. Entry is £5 per person.
Please buy your tickets in advance - message the Village Hall's Facebook page or email extonvillagehall@gmail.com.
All proceeds over the video license fee will go to village hall improvement funds. The films for 2022 are shown below.
Doors open at 7pm and the show begins at 7.30pm. Bring your own drinks, we’ll bring the popcorn!
**Friday 16 September**
“No Time to Die” – Daniel Craig’s last outing as James Bond
Friday 14 October - “Death on the Nile” – Kenneth Branagh’s version of the Agatha Christie book

Friday 11 November
“Top Gun: Maverick” – the blockbuster sequel to Tom Cruise’s original film from 1986

Friday 9 December
“It’s a Wonderful Life” – Frank Capra’s classic film starring James Stewart, voted by critics as the best Christmas film of all time

EXTON VILLAGE QUIZ

This year’s quiz will take place in the Village Hall off the Green on Friday 23 September. Please come at 7pm to register at a cost of £2 per person.

Make up a team with a maximum of six people - or come and we shall find you a team. The quiz will start at 7.30pm and end by 10pm with a prize for the winning team of a bottle of champagne.

Food and drink will not be served – please bring along your own. There will be a raffle. If you would like to donate a raffle prize, please contact Bernadette at bernie.wallace@btinternet.com or Ed at edward.heckels@gmail.com.

All money raised will go to Exton Church. May the best team win!
Exton Produce & Craft Show 2022

Exton Village Hall Sunday 24th July

Entries 9:30am – 12:30pm, Show Opens 2:00pm – 4:00pm

Reminder: Only a few more weeks until the Show this year, and we’d love to see entries from anyone who lives in the Parish of Exton and Horn plus any child attending the Village School.

In this month’s Newsletter we focus in on Section 4 – Children as we’ve teamed up with the Village School to improve the classes on offer....

Section 4 – Children
NOTE: This Section is open to ALL Children in the Parish and/or at the Village School

16. School Governors’ Class. A painting split into Age Groups: 5-6 years / 7-8 years / 9-11 years
Subject: Jubilee Stamps. Only open to pupils of Exton & Greetham C of E School

17. Highest number of items in a Tesco Seedless Raisin Box, size 47x35x17mm
(baskets available from 1 Old Dairy Yard)
Present: Total number of items and list of contents.

18. A digital photo from Smartphone/Tablet/Camera, Subject: ‘Any Animal(s)’ split into Age Groups: 5-8 years / 9-12 years
emailed to: extonproducecraftshow@outlook.com
19. **Best Handwriting: Poems (below by age)** – Age Groups: 5-6 years / 7-8 years / 9-12 years - WINNER of Age Group Receives £5

20. Six (6) pieces of Rocky Road split into Age Groups: 5-8 years / 9-12 years.

21. A Cress Head - half an eggshell with cress growing inside, split into Age Groups: 5-8 years / 9-12 years

22. Something made out of your Recycle Bin split into Age Groups: 5-8 years / 9-12 years

**BEST HANDWRITING POEMS**

Age Group 5-6

**Tiger**

I’m a tiger
Striped with fur
Don’t come near
Or I might grrrr
Don’t come near
Or I might growl
Don’t come near
Or I might
BITE!

Mary Ann Hoberman

Age Group 7-8

**My Missing Shoe**

I looked for you by the front door,
Under my bed, on the bathroom floor,
Near the back stairs, in the drawer with my socks,
Next to the table, and out in the sandbox,
My mother is calling me, and I’m calling you,
Where have you gone, my missing shoe?

Kate Miller-Wilson
Age Group 9-12

How doth the little crocodile
How doth the little crocodile
Improve his shining tail,
And pour the waters of the Nile,
On every golden scale!
How cheerfully he seems to grin!
How neatly spread his claws,
And welcomes little fishes in
With gently smiling jaws!

Lewis Carroll

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UKRAIN DONATIONS at the Village Hall
[see May issue]

If anyone needs advice or items collected from their home, please contact
LYNNE JONES mobile 07713 624306/ text, phone or whatsapp.

If you can help sort, pack and drive donations to Peterborough your help would be great.

Thank you for your very generous donations..all have been delivered to Peterborough and onward to Poland and Ukraine. Sadly the situation continues to be sure.

There is now an urgent need for the following:
- all dried food (completely run out in Ukraine)
- newborn baby clothes and toiletries
- women and baby toiletries
- all dried baby milk
- women and children underwear..new only please

Please could you continue to gather any of the above you can and spread the word.

Collections restart in July at the Village Hall..with a break in June to gather new supplies.

With thanks to you all, Lynne Cundy Jones

EXTON BOOK CLUB
Meetings will take place at 7pm on the 4th Tuesday of each month, with a Summer Break in July and August and a Christmas Break in December. For more information call Lesley Taylor on 01572 811178

‘T’ FOR TUESDAY TEA PARTY
12th July 2022
2.30-4 pm
Village Hall
All Welcome

Alternatively if you would like a home delivery please do let me know. bernie.wallace@btinternet.com

Bernadette Wallace
18 Vicars Close, Exton ...............Tel: 01572 812956/07858484918
**GET WELL SOON** to Patsy Goodey of Blacksmiths Lane, over the Jubilee period and beyond she has spent some worrying time in hospital but fortunately she is now safely home and back with Dick recovering.

Meanwhile **Alan Manison-Reeve** is very grateful for all the good wishes received after his fall, he is making good progress. He is determined to remain Exton’s oldest resident for a bit longer yet!

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**SUNDAY 29th MAY SALE** Ann Bell held a sale in aid of Exton Church Funds, a grand sum of £550 was raised. Thanks to all who helped in any way.

**N.B.** [We have a ‘Table Top Football’ game for sale in VERY GOOD order only £40 – if you are interested ring Ann on 01572 812594]

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**FRESH PRODUCE**

**WEST END, EXTON**

Facebook or roxburgh246@btinternet.com
Extra-curricular Activities

As we come into the summer months, we are busy with lots of different extra-curricular activities across the school. There have been sporting events, music activities, art events and a writing competition in recent weeks. These activities enhance what the children are learning in the curriculum and help them to apply their skills in different ways. Below are pictures from our African drumming, KS1 RLT Athletics festival, Quadkids competition and an assembly learning all about Passover.

If you would like to find out more about the school, do visit our website—www.extonschool.co.uk. We are always happy to show prospective parents around the school. Please contact the school office on the phone on 01572 812380 or by email at extonoffice@rltschools.com.
Corby Male Voice Choir
is in concert at
Exton Church LE15 8AX
to raise money for church funds
on
Saturday 17th September
at 7.30pm

tickets: - £10 each

From: -
Sally Miller - 01572 811411,
Steve - 01832 734259,
extonchurchrutland@gmail.com,
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pay at the door on the night.
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Participants Fee: £20/£15 (£10/£5) free for government benefit recipients.

All are welcome, regardless of prior experience. Folk-songs settings for a summer’s day, and several of his own choral gems.

John Rutter leads one of his popular Singing Days with a variety of choral music old and new, including some well-loved sacred choruses. A bouquet of Oakham School Chapel, Rutland (LE15 6DT)

Come and sing with John Rutter:
11.00am - 5.00pm on Sunday 10th July

Tickets: £15/£7

Conducted by Festival Director, David Hill, including Charles Villiers Stanford’s Three Latin Motets, Imogen Holst’s Felix Mendelssohn, and Ralph Vaughan Williams’ Seven Poems from London. Perform exquisite works by Bob Chilcott.

The Festival Chamber Choir, composed of eighteen professional singers, performed at St Peter and St Paul’s Exton (LE15 8AX)

Choral Classics: Music for a Summer Evening 7.30pm on Saturday 9th July

Arts for the Heart of England: Summer Festival 2022
It is a shame to need to raise this issue but I have been asked by a couple of people in different parts of the village to mention not only dog fouling - which is an ongoing problem - but dogs left unattended during the day.

Several residents are working from home and others trying to enjoy the summer in the garden or with windows open and find the continued barking of dogs not only annoying but quite distressing when in some cases it goes on for hours. It must be harmful to the pets themselves surely to be left so long and allowed to get so worked up. Please think about it – do you even know what your dog is up to once you are gone? and if you really must leave them then perhaps try and arrange for somebody to be on hand to let them out or keep them company if they suffer from anxiety during your absence. None of the people concerned wish to cause offence by speaking directly to their neighbours.

Thank you again to all of you who contributed towards the bottle collection for the Tombola at the county show this year. The Tombola made £4,315 which greatly helps with so many different needs in Rutland. Another good cause supported by Exton. Many thanks. 

Terry Connolly

A huge thank you to Sheila Koehring who although the family now live in Greetham continues to do her round of prescription deliveries for the folk in Exton.

On behalf of all your ‘patients’ please accept our thanks.
REMINDER:

Six months left to spend your paper £20 and £50 banknotes. The Bank of England will be withdrawing legal tender status of the paper £20 and £50 notes after 30 September 2022.....the new polymer ones will replace them.

Many thanks as usual to the School for printing the newsletter and especially for publishing the June Platinum edition in colour!! A real treat. Thank you!!

There is no newsletter in AUGUST.

Contributions to the September edition need to be with the Editor by 20th August.

Adverts free of charge.

by email to annetteoliver63@gmail.com / Or deliver to 20 Stamford Road.
ST PETER AND ST PAUL PARISH CHURCH,

JULY Services

July

10th 11.15am Morning Service
24th 11.15am Holy Communion
31st 10.30am Holy Communion (Clipsham)

August

7th 10.30am Holy Communion (Stretton)
14th 10.30am Holy Communion (Exton)
21st 10.30am Holy Communion (Cottesmore)
28th 10.30am Holy Communion (Greetham)

Thank you to Ann again for her sale in aid of church funds – where would we be without her!

There is a wedding on July 1st when Christopher Dodgson and Pippa Smith, both from Bourne, will be married.

Two future dates for your diaries: Saturday July 9th when Arts for the Heart of England will be putting on a concert and Saturday September 17th when the Corby Male Voice Choir will be performing in the church. Two treats in store!

There are details of how to book elsewhere in the newsletter. Yes, I know that the first concert clashes with Extonbury but it gives people a choice of music!

General queries can be directed to the cottesmorebenefice.office@gmail.com or to me at sallyrm24@gmail.com or on 811411. Sally Miller [Churchwarden]

ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY – Holy Mass

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