Exton rallied round for the Coronation and despite miserable weather generally all over the country, the spirits of the nation were with the Royal pageantry all the way [maybe one or two exceptions?!]. Several gathered with friends, a few intrepid residents went to the Mall to see the occasion first hand! Thanks to the Exton Village Hall the ceremony was available to view on their smart TV and a number of folk took advantage, sharing snacks and champers! Villagers were joined by a party from the ‘Lanterns and Larks’ glamping site who did not have access to a TV and quickly fitted into the group. Shortly after His Majesty was crowned the corks popped!
'T' FOR TUESDAY TOOK PLACE ON MONDAY 8th MAY AFTER THE CORONATION and was a splendid occasion. Thanks to everybody who helped. I believe around 50 people attended. Below are some of the photos.

Re-creation of the photo in existence in the village hall of the 1953 crowning of Queen Elizabeth II
ELECTION RESULTS
Congratulations to Kiloren Heckels [Conservative] who won the Ward Councillor seat in the recent election. A close result - 209 to 225 and 10 election papers disallowed. Our thanks should go to retiring Ward Councillor June Fox [Independent] who has been involved with several projects affecting the village.

Extonbury 2023

We're getting very close to E-day now on Saturday 1 July. What a wonderful way to spend a day in the company of friends and family, with good food & drink, being entertained by no less that 11 of the best local bands, with our fantastic raffle featuring 30 top class prizes, not forgetting craft & merchandise stalls and all in a beautiful spot in walking distance from home! Tickets are still on sale at the discount price of £10 per person (less than a pound per band!) and kids 12 and under totally free, but hurry as the discount will end during June as we crank up the preparations for the festival. If you miss it it'll be £15 so don't delay buy today from www.extonbury.com!
A friendly, welcoming and supportive group based in Rutland, offering free drop-in sessions and a safe environment to anyone in our local community that is experiencing grief, loss or bereavement.

- We offer access to information
- A place to talk to trained volunteers
- An opportunity to share emotions
- A place to just be.

UPPINGHAM
Every Thursday, 3-5 pm
The Falcon Hotel
7 High St East
Uppingham
LE15 9PY

KETTON
1st and 3rd Wednesday, 10-12 noon
Ketton Library, 67 High Street,
Ketton PE9 3TE
Please come to the Old Consulting Room

OAKHAM
Every Monday 2-4pm excluding bank holidays
Fire station
South street
Oakham LE15 6HD

For more information
call 01733 225927 or email antonia.dowell@sueryder.org
www.bhprutland.com  Bereavement Help Point - Rutland
@thebereavementhelppoint
Cultural Development

At Exton & Greetham CE Primary School we work hard to try and provide a range of experiences for the children as they move through the school to help develop their understanding of the world. These experiences include, amongst other things: trips, visiting workshops, performances, whole school days (such as World Book Day), music and sport activities; art workshops and virtual reality. These experiences not only enhance the children’s learning but can also help develop their mental well-being and confidence.

For the past year we have been tracking these activities under the heading of ‘cultural capital’ – to look at where we add to the basic school curriculum offer to provide more opportunities for the children.

As the restrictions of the pandemic now seem to be behind us, we are hoping to develop more of these opportunities into 2023-24 and create a programme of activities that the children will experience across their time in Exton & Greetham CE Primary School. We are calling this our ‘Cultural Passport’.

It encompasses the activities we hope that children would experience during their time at the school in art, music, drama, history, sports, trips to museums/ theatres/ stately homes/ places of worship and other cultural experiences.

We are interested to know if there is anybody in the local community who would like to come and share their ‘skill’ with us. Please contact the school office if you feel you have something to offer.

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 to arrange a visit.
Summer Festival Weekend
9th – 11th June 2023

Florilegium: Music for the King's Pleasure
7.00pm – 8.15pm, Friday 9th June
All Saints' Church, Oakham

Sung Compline
8.30pm – 9.15pm, Friday 9th June
All Saints' Church, Oakham

Choral Reflections: Allegri's Miserere
7.30pm – 9.00pm, Saturday 10th June
St Peter and St Paul, Exton

Come and Sing Choral Evensong with David Hill
Sunday 11th June
2.00pm – 3.30pm Come and Sing rehearsal
4.00pm – 5.00pm Evensong
St Peter and St Paul, Uppingham

For more information and tickets, please visit:
artsfortheheartofengland.co.uk
PLEASE NOTE ROAD CLOSURE WHICH WILL AFFECT EXTON SUNDAY 25th JUNE

RUTLAND COUNTY COUNCIL DISTRICT COUNCIL
(TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE NOTICE)

Order

Rutland County Council District Council (‘the Council’) has powers under section 16A (2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (‘the Act’) to make traffic regulation orders affecting the adopted highway within the County of Rutland.

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Council now proposes to make an order entitled the Rutland County Council District Council (Temporary Diversion of Vehicular Traffic) Order 2022 as the Council are satisfied that traffic on the road should be restricted because a Dambusters Triathlon is proposed to be held on or near the roads.

The effect of the order will be from 06:45 until 10:00 on 25th June 2023 vehicles will be prohibited from either proceeding along the lengths of road specified below.

• The length of road known as Barnsdale Avenue, Exton for the distance of 4665 metres.
  It is anticipated the works will start on 25th June 2023 and the works will last for 4 hours

• The length of road known as Oakham Road, Exton for the distance of 2433 metres.
  It is anticipated the works will start on 25th June 2023 and the works will last for 4 hours

• The length of road known as Exton Lane, Burley for the distance of 2061 metres.
  It is anticipated the works will start on 25th June 2023 and the works will last for 4 hours

• The length of road known as Bridle Lane, Cottermore for the distance of 1332 metres.
  It is anticipated the works will start on 25th June 2023 and the works will last for 4 hours

Reasonable facilities will be provided to allow access to adjacent premises while the work is being carried out.

Any queries regarding the above please contact Mr B Rush, Network Co-Ordinator, Rutland County Council, Catmose, Oakham, Rutland, LE15 6HP or telephone 01572 722577

Mark Andrews, Chief Executive. Catmose. Oakham
Map on page 9
VACCINES IN USE THIS SPRING [info from Gov website]

You will be given a booster dose of a vaccine made by Pfizer, Moderna or Sanofi and approved in the UK. These vaccines have been updated since the original vaccines and target different COVID-19 variants. For a very small number of people another vaccine product may be advised by your doctor.

These updated vaccines boost protection well, and give slightly higher levels of antibody against the more recent strains of COVID-19 (Omicron) than the vaccines you would have received previously. As we cannot predict which variants of COVID-19 will be circulating this spring and summer, the Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation (JCVI) has concluded that all of these vaccines can be used and that no one should delay vaccination to receive a different vaccine. The Sanofi vaccine contains an adjuvant (a chemical used to improve the immune response to the virus). This vaccine will only be offered to older people, who may respond less well to vaccines. The adjuvant in the COVID-19 vaccine is similar to the one used in the flu vaccine which is routinely given to over 65 year olds. The NHS website has more information about vaccine ingredients.

Please accept the vaccination that is offered to you as soon as you are able to – you will be offered the right vaccine for you at the right time. You will be invited for your booster, your GP may offer you the vaccine or you can book using the NHS app for Apple or Android. You can also find your nearest walk-in vaccination site from the NHS website.
JUNE Services

May 28th 11.15am Holy Communion
June 11th 11.15am Morning Prayer
       25th 11.15am Holy Communion

On May 26th we hosted a group from Stamford U3A who were entertained with a talk on the monuments by Annie Lea and one on the making of the replica banners by Judy Swinfen. Thank you to them both for giving up their time.

Save the Date
Saturday June 10th 7.30 - 9pm. As part of the Arts for the Heart of England Summer Festival there will be a performance of Allegri’s Miserere at Exton Church. Information and tickets at artsfortheheartofengland.co.uk I understand that tickets are selling well for this event. Those who have attended these concerts before will know that they are in for a musical treat.

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
Please note:

Holy Mass will be celebrated only on the first Sunday of each month until further notice, at 9am.
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**REMEMINDER**

Residents mobile Post Office service, at The Green, every Friday from 1.15pm to 2.15pm.

PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES CAN BE FOUND ON www.exton.org
REMINDERS:

RUTLAND COUNTY SHOW
SUNDAY 4th June 2023

SALE IN AID OF
CHURCH FUNDS @
Ann Bell’s, St Mary’s House,
High Street, Exton,
Sunday 28th MAY
9.30 am – 3 pm
Enquiries: 01572 812594

GARDENS

‘NO MOW MAY’
was back this year, bringing another boost of much-needed nectar to
pollinators across gardens, parklands and verges as gardeners
throughout the UK pledged not to mow their lawns for the month. Did
any Exton gardeners take part? The gardens and hedgerows have
really flourished this past month and are a beautiful sight; we are so
lucky to have so many bluebells, cowslips, cow parsley, ox eye daisies,
growing so freely in the area.

One or two residents are on the ‘not on top of my
game’ list at present, get well soon all. I know of Ann Summers, Dan
Howison, Mike and Eileen Smith? I am sure there may be others.
Please ask for help if needed, nobody wants to be a nosey neighbour,
but there is great support in the village. Sheila Koehring continues to
collect prescriptions even though she has moved to Greetham. Ed

Our thanks to the School for printing the
Newsletter
Closing date for contributions to the JULY edition,
adverts, notices, etc ,
20th JUNE
entertainment/news/items for sale/ family announcements,
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