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more information about tickets
inside this newsletter
TREAD LIGHTLY

The delegates at the Paris Conference on Climate Change agreed on 12 December 2015 to keep the temperature rise to below 1.5 degrees C. We can help by using less energy

Lighting accounts for a staggering 19% of global electricity consumption – we can change that by replacing bulbs with LED light bulbs, they are much longer lasting (if well-made!) LEDs for use in ordinary fittings are now on sale – for both bayonet (B22) and screw (E27) and small bayonet (B15) and small screw (E14). It makes good sense to replace standard light bulbs as well as the CFL bulbs (curled tubes as on the picture) with LED ones especially when the CFL bulbs start becoming dim. I saw LEDs on the shelves of Waitrose, Tesco, Sainsbury, Homebase, B&Q, Maplins and Asda. They use about a tenth of the energy of old-fashioned bulbs and about half of the curly CFL bulbs which take such a long time to warm up and contain toxic mercury. LED bulbs for use in the home now tend to give a warm white type of light (WW or 2700 Kelvin on packet). Apparently, the US has used less energy than before because so many people switched to LED light bulbs!

Here’s a guide:

510 lumen bulbs (= 40 Watt equivalent) suitable for background lighting.

800 lumen bulbs (= 60 Watt equivalent or over for light to read by.

900 to 1300 lumen bulbs (= 100 Watt equivalent) for fine work.

Prices from £4.99 to £10.00 for 800+ lumen light bulbs (= 60 Watt equivalent) and from £4.00 to £7.00 for 400-500 lumen light bulbs (= 40 Watt equivalent).

Named brand bulbs (OSRAM, Philips, Luceco, GE Electric, Diall) are under warranty for between 3 and 6 years. Please dispose of the curly toxic CFL bulbs in special bins, e.g. at Sainsbury’s, Selly Oak.

Wiebina Heesterman
When George Cadbury ceremoniously rolled the first wood on that patch of grass in the Parkway in 1928, to give the Bournville community a new Leisure and Exercise Club he really bowled them over! He would probably never have imagined how successful it would be. Weoley Hill Bowling Club has been through many changes over the past 88 years and is continuing to enjoy the fruits of the community endeavours in those years. We continue to be a thriving and successful Bowling Club, year after year, with both friendly and competitive matches with many local Clubs with varying degrees of success.

We have two teams in an ‘Over 60’s League, and this year our “A” team saw off all the opposition to win the Third Division Championship! We shall be trying to emulate that in Division Two, next year! We enjoy a thriving membership, and are very keen to maintain this, but with an effort to lower the average age. We do have some Juniors but would love to expand that area. We try to maintain some association with the local schools and are constantly endeavouring to widen our scope. We also maintain direct links with the local community by both our annual “Open” Bowls Drives and our close season Social activities. The Drives are particularly popular and we celebrated the Queen’s 90th birthday in style in early June this year with over 85 members and friends, who collectively enjoyed some great fun and raised over £650.

Sadly, our recently planned Charity Bowls Drive was rained off, but we shall try again next year. However, our annual “Ladies Day”, which is an opportunity for our Lady members to dress up and play bowls, enjoyed a beautiful sunny day. Finally, (pun intended) we close the season with our “Finals Weekend” in September.

The playing season ends but we continue throughout the close season with a social programme: our Annual Dinner and Presentation night in November; a Whist Drive is planned for early December, a skittles night in early January and we finish the socialising with the ever-popular “Quiz Nite” in February. We then start planning for next year with our AGM!

The bye line in the title of this article is part of the opening paragraph of a report we have just had from a Lawn consultant who visited us recently ‘What a Gem of a Club! The setting is ideal with an open environment and a dedicated team of volunteers, the Club should be praised for the efforts applied.’

We are all proud of our Club. If you want evidence of that, or if you want to know more about us please contact either Chris Pashley (0121 604 5721) or Peter Kinchin (0121 406 9414).

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**WEOLEY HILL BOWLING CLUB - WHAT A GEM!**

Left: Ladies Day

Right: Division 3 Champions

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**WEOLEY HILL WINE CIRCLE**

**2016-7**

**Join us at 7:30pm in Weoley Hill Village Hall**

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Contact: John Wilson 475 3700 or Mick Daniels mick.danels@hotmail.com

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**Weoley Castle Library**

This Library is far more than just a place to borrow books. The very obliging staff organise many events to suit all ages. A Friends’ Group was recently formed and we meet monthly and every other month hold an event where we sell books and craft items, coffee and cake. So far we have raised over £200 and plan to spend it on the much-used children’s section.

In July, the Guide Dog Association came to give a talk and over £100 was raised for their funds. The next events will be at the end of Sept and November. Other activities include a monthly readers’ group, a weekly sewing and knitting afternoon and story and song time for the children. If you are interested in any of these activities or would like to join the Friends’ Group please contact the staff who you will find to be most helpful.

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The Village Hall was erected in 1925 and the opening ceremony was performed by Mr. George Cadbury on 26th September, 1925. It consists of the main hall, 46-ft. by 26-ft., club room, kitchen and cloak rooms. A portable stage and a piano are available and crockery may be hired. The hall is licensed, normally, for singing, music and dancing.

Before the war the building was used extensively and proved a great asset to the social life of the village. During the winter months badminton was played on several nights in the week while Saturday evenings were mainly occupied by dances and whist drives. Other activities included a youths’ club, Sunday School, gardening lectures and, the annual flower show. The Tennis Club use the club room as a pavilion during the summer months and have prior right to this room at that time.

In 1946 an arrangement was made with British Restaurants for hot mid-day meals to be served from the Hall on two days in each week on a "fetch and carry" basis; a service much appreciated by a large number of residents. In 1947 the Hall was deemed suitable for private parties and wedding receptions. Residents could hire the Hall at a rental reduced by 10 per cent. for such functions. The management of the Hall was vested in a committee of seven members appointed by the Village Council, four of whom were members of the Council. The Secretary and Treasurer were also members of the Council.

The playing of games, in any form, for money or gambling or the sale or co-operative distribution of intoxicating liquors, on the premises, was strictly forbidden. A copy of the Weoley Hill Village Handbook was supplied to each house on the Village at a cost of 6d. and this explained the Hall usage. At the time the Hon. Secretary of the Hall Management Committee was Mr. F. Ludford and the Caretaker was Mr. C. Sheward.

Bournville Village Trust invites you to:

**Digi-Fayre 2016**

**Thursday 20th October**

**Bournville Gardens, 49 Bristol Road South, Birmingham, B31 2FR**

Drop in anytime between 11am & 6pm – warm and friendly welcome guaranteed

Whatever your age, whether you’re online or not, come and find out what the exciting world of digital technology can do for you.

For more information, or to register your attendance, please contact the Community team on 0300 333 6540 or email communityadmin@bvt.org.

During the day there will be different zones you can visit covering topics like:

- What gadget might be best for you?
- How do I book a holiday online?
- Can I say money online?
- How do I stay safe?
- I’m a beginner – where do I start?
- How can being online help me – I’ve managed this long without?

ALL THESE DIGITAL QUESTIONS AND MORE ANSWERED IN ONE PLACE
CASTLE ARTS SOCIETY

Castle Art Society is a group of people who enjoy painting in various mediums. We meet on Friday mornings, 10am - 1pm in Weoley Hill Village Hall, Weoley Hill (off Middle Park Road), Selly Oak, Birmingham B29 4AR

Summer exhibition: Our summer exhibition was held from 3rd to 7th September at Selly Manor Museum, Minworth Greaves, Bournville, achieving a pleasing standard of work which exhibiting members should be proud of (see Page 7 for photograph)

What have Castle Art Society been doing? On the 10th June a number of us travelled by coach to Patchings Art Festival near Nottingham. There were plenty of free demos and some demos with such people as David Bellamy for which we paid £2.50 and it was well worth it. There was a vast array of art materials and various artists showing their work in the main shopping tents. Some of us bought little bits and pieces, some came back with arms full of paintings etc. All in all we had a very enjoyable day.

Program for this year
Demonstrations: Oct 7th Stan Kaminski - Wildlife in oils; Nov 4th David George - Portrait in oils
Workshop: Oct 20th Jan Freeman - Pen and Wash.
Change of Chairman: The outgoing Chairman will be travelling later this year so we have appointed a new Chairman for the smooth running of the Society. Our new chairman is Ray Brookes.
Friendly art group: We are recognised as being one of the friendliest art groups around so if you would like to join us please find more information on our website on: www.castleartsociety.co.uk and come along to one of our sessions. (Right: the 2016 Summer Exhibition)

How to Spot Email and Phone Scams

Scams are schemes to con you out of your money. They can arrive by post, phone call, text message or email and can catch you off guard. As we become more expert with computerised systems for emailing and internet shopping then scammers increase the sophistication of their operations. Just take care, read carefully and don't assume all emails and calls are legitimate. Try to remember, if you don't know the caller they are probably after your money – don't believe the call ‘We're not selling anything’ or ‘This will only take a minute of your time’.

Telephone scams can refer to your computer – ‘This is the technical department of Windows’, ‘Microsoft are receiving error messages about viruses on your computer’. Microsoft or any other legitimate computer company will never call you in this manner—just end the call. Golden Rule: don't give a credit card number to a cold call, EVER!

You start out with a fast-moving, fresh computer but within months or years, you notice that it doesn't run or process data as quickly as it once did. Part of the problem is simply data load, the more you put on your computer, the slower it runs. Debris, junk and clutter from the Internet make up another source of slow down. Your computer can collect cookies, spyware and even viruses while online. Of course, with richer content comes larger file sizes. Together these factors can result in noticeable slow-downs.

What's the remedy?
Every computer slows down over time and you can do a basic cleanup yourself. Basic maintenance, routine tune-ups and upgrades can all help your computer perform at top speeds.

PC Tune-Up Tip: Run Disk Cleanup yourself to remove temporary files, get rid of optional components and empty the Recycle Bin. Getting it done yourself: Launch 'Disk Cleanup' from Start Menu> Accessories> System Tools.

Email scams are believable and can also catch you off guard because they look legitimate. Typical of these start as follows: 'Your package has been returned to the FedEx office, click here…'; 'We detect irregular activity on your bank account, click here…'; 'BT Broadband requires attention… click here…'; 'Your Yahoo email account is about to close, click here…'; 'Your PayPal account needs attention, act now…'; 'Auto-confirm your Amazon Service Update… click here…'.

Don't reply to any of these or click on the links or attachments just delete or mark as spam. If you weren't expecting such an email there's a good chance its not real.

When you receive an email telling you about being the recipient of a substantial will, just remember, if it sounds too good to be true – it is!

If you have any scams to share send them to WHVNews at ridgway442@btinternet.com
On a sunny July day Bournville Village Trust showcased, for the first time, six very different gardens as part of the National Gardens Scheme (NGS). One of the gardens opened to the public was that created by Weoley Hill residents Nigel Wood and Vincent Griffith. Refreshments and delicious cakes were provided and the Bournville Clarinet Choir performed twice during the day. The six gardens were visited by 874 local people and gardening enthusiasts from much further a field. A total of £5003 was raised for various charities. Additionally, BVT ran a Gardens Award Scheme which has replaced the annual garden competition. Residents who go ‘above and beyond’ to look after their gardens have been recognised with this new award. Each has been given a plaque to display and two of the five gardens are in Weoley Hill Village. Look out for them in BVT’s In View newspaper and maybe visit them during next year’s NGS event planned for July 9th 2017.

Weoley Hill Street Associations - Small is Beautiful

What is a street association, how do they work and what are they for? It’s an opportunity for the people on a street who’d like to get together at a coffee morning, afternoon tea, an evening book group, a walking group, a quiz night, a talk about the local area, a big children’s party or whatever your street would like to organize. There are myriad ways in which a street association can work. It’s all about what you and the community at your doorstep want to do. Today we have a barbecue for our third of the road. The people who come can almost see all of each other’s houses and smell the beef burgers from the end of their drive. There’s something special about the fact that we’re actually each other’s neighbours. It feels right to spend a little time with each other, be light-hearted, catch-up with each other’s lives and maybe notice if there’s a need you could meet. I asked a couple of neighbours what they thought about having a street association. One who’d moved in three months ago said you can watch out for each other and joined the list of ‘neighbourly hands’ who do things like change a light bulb for the elderly. Another neighbour said street associations are a rarity but that they help maintain community. There are three street associations in Weoley Hill. They are Weoley Hill/Fox Hill Roads, Weoley Park Road and Middle Park Road and Close. If you google www.streetassociations.com and the picture flicks on to Making street associations a friendlier place for family and friends you’ll see us there and if you’d like to start a street association, go into HOW DOES IT START?
BOOK REVIEW:  **HE IS OUR COUSIN, COUSIN**

This is a particularly interesting study by Antony Barlow, of his family origins, which are rooted in the 17th century Quaker movement. Many examples are given of family members, cousins to George Cadbury, whose lives have impacted for the better on the world in which we live. Namely John Henry Barlow, the author’s grandfather; the first director of BVT who is honoured with a blue plaque on the family house, Sunnybrae built by George on Griffins Hill, Selly Oak. Ralph Barlow, John’s son, the author’s father, also became director at BVT retiring in 1972. Ralph and his family lived at Sunnybrae in Swathmore Road. John Henry Barlow is buried at Lodge Hill Cemetery.

**BVT SUMMER GREEN TRAIL**

The Green trail has now finished. BVT received a number of completed maps with all the codes and have two happy winners from the prize draw. Many people seemed to have enjoyed the Trail over the summer and have sent in photos and messages. BVT says a big, enormous, huge ‘thank you’ on behalf of the Community team to all of you who helped check the boxes over the summer – it was very much appreciated.

**GRAND FIREWORKS & BONFIRE NIGHT**

**BONFIRE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

The annual Weoley Hill Fireworks & Bonfire is on Saturday November 5th and a crucial element is recruiting volunteers. An extra pair of hands is always welcome to ensure the event passes off safely and happily so can you help?

We need volunteers on **Saturday morning** to help build the bonfire **Saturday evening** to Marshall the event **Sunday morning** to help clear up

If you feel you can help please email me giving your name, contact telephone number (a mobile that you carry with you would be great) and any preferences you have.

Also feel free to forward this request to anyone you think would want to help.

Take care, Mick Danks  mick_danks@hotmail.com

**Bournville Carillon Events 2016**

Switching on Christmas Tree Lights to the sound of the Carillon. Please watch notice boards for this date

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Carols on the Green
Christmas Eve at 6pm with the Carillon

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Ringing in the New Year
Midnight on New Year’s Eve 31/12/2017
FIRCROFT COLLEGE PREPARING FOR 2017

Fircroft College held its first Open Garden event on 20th August 2016. Unfortunately the weather warnings and morning rain put off many people but those who did attend enjoyed a wander around the main building, croquet on the lawn, a woodland walk, talking with the beekeeper, free seeds and a number of plants and homemade cakes went off to happy homes.

Fircroft has 6 acres of land including woodland area and we are looking to offer short courses and other interesting events in the future so watch this space and if you have any ideas or contacts please let us know.

We are also seeking volunteers to help our gardens come to life so whether it’s an occasional hour, regular help or help with specific projects please let Alex Jarvis know on alex.jarvis@fircroft.ac.uk or call the college on 472 0116 with any ideas or offers.

Fircroft is located in the former home of George Cadbury and is a small 107 year old registered charity college sited down a leafy lane at 1018 Bristol Road.

We deliver a range of low cost personal development and functional skills (maths, English, ICT) courses on a residential basis to anyone aged over 19 in an alcohol free environment. Visit the website at www.fircroft.ac.uk to see if there’s anything to interest you.

BOOK THE DATE: Weoley Hill Village Council AGM
Wednesday 16th November 8.00pm Venue: Weoley Hill Village Hall

WELCOME TO THE NEW SEASON OF PRESENTATIONS WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU
PROGRAMME FOR 2016/2017

Meetings are held in Dame Elizabeth Hall, Firbank Close, off Oak Tree Lane, Bournville, B30 1UA at 7.30 pm unless otherwise stated

5th October 2016: Mark Isgrove, the Centre Manager at Rowheath will be telling us about its history, development and future. The famous Pavilion was opened by the Cadbury family in July 1924 as a changing facility and clubhouse for the many acres of sports playing fields, bowling greens, a fishing lake and lido. Currently at Rowheath the staff strive to be a host to the local community, acting as a venue to a number of varying community groups.

2nd November 2016: Laurence Ince will be presenting the Boulton & Watt’s Soho Works. The famous frontage lay back from Factory Road’s east side on the now-culverted Hockley Brook and the Mint of 1788 lay to the east. The Foundry continued to make engines, including those for the ‘Great Eastern’, until 1896. Of all the buildings associated with the great triumvirate only Murdoch’s terrace house and Boulton’s Soho Hall still stand.

7th December 2016: Norman Bartlam presents Kunzle’s confectionery and details about the Doorstep History Channel which examines everything and anything that happened here in the West Midlands. Christian Kunzle established a bake house in Snow Hill in 1902 and then opened a shop in the Midland Arcade. The family lived in a large house at Ley Hill, Northfield. The business prospered and more shops were opened in the Midlands eventually establishing new headquarters at Five Ways.

1st February 2017: The historical past of Longbridge is also its bridge to the future. The area is intrinsically linked to its impressive heritage and this is something that is celebrated at the new development. With the drive and innovation Longbridge is set to remain an international beacon for creativity and commerce. Michael Murray, Development Director, St Modwen will tell us about further developments at this enormous site.
**BOURNVILLE MODEL YACHT & POWER BOAT CLUB**

We meet on Sunday mornings for sail, Sunday afternoon for power, Wednesday mornings for sail and Thursday for power. Everyone is welcome to visit any time we are here. If you want to know “What’s on When” our calendar is on the Club House door or take a look at our website.

Valley Pool in Bournville Lane 200mtrs from the Bristol Road A38.

www. bournville-mypb-club.org.uk or contact Bill Green on 07780 952083.

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**Bournville Townswomens Guild**

We extend a warm invitation to women of all ages to join our friendly group. We offer many activities as well as our main Guild meeting on the 4th Monday of each month, when we usually have talks given on a wide variety of topics and sometimes a quiz. On the other Monday afternoons we have monthly scrabble, tea and chat, and handicraft groups. During the week we have a lunch club and trips to places of interest. Members have regional activities they can also tend.

Why not give us a try? You can sample 3 meetings before joining the organisation.

We meet on the 4th Monday of each month, 2.00 - 4.00pm at the Bournville Quaker Meeting House, Linden Road, on the famous Village Green.

For more information, ring the local contact: Sue 0121 608 0646

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**Tread Lightly**

**News on plastics recycling**

(see: [http://www.birmingham.gov.uk/recycling#mixedmaterials](http://www.birmingham.gov.uk/recycling#mixedmaterials))

We can help by limiting the amount of plastic items that ends up in landfill - or worse, in the oceans, threatening marine life that ingests them. Most of the three million tonnes of plastic the UK produces each year is thrown out by households. Plastic pots, such as yoghurt pots can now be put into the recycling bin with (PET plastic) bottles. But remove labels please. Soft plastics may contain toxic phthalates, which can affect reproductive health. Some types of plastic are degradable:

1) bio-degradable or oxo-degradable ones (some salts added), which are plant or oil-based, can be consumed by bacteria, so I put my bio-degradable New Scientist wrapper, right at the back of the garden under a bush (they need to be open to the air) to become soil sometime in the future; light polythene now tends to be bio-degradable
2) photo-degradable ones break up in ever smaller bits – *Don’t mix with plastics for recycling!* Small plastic bits in the oceans can be gobbled up by fish and turtles, they mistake plastic globules for tasty fish eggs. Beauty products and toothpastes may contain microscopic plastic particles for greater abrasiveness, so check for ingredients called PP, PE, PET or PMMA, all different types of plastic. Plastic carrier bags can be recycled and some shops like the Co-op accept them. Think of reusing magazine wrappers when food shopping instead of small bags provided by shops for your produce.

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If you require further information regarding any of the above classes or hall booking please contact the caretaker Ann Belsey on 07809 640080

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## Tree Removal

Prior consent from BVT is required before any tree is removed from the front or rear of a property.

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### Parking Matters

A gentle reminder: Please can everyone park sensibly and not park their cars on grass verges and pavements. When vehicles are parked on pavements it causes unnecessary difficulties for wheelchair and pram users.

When possible residents should make an effort to park on their driveways keeping roads clear and encourage visitors to park sensibly too.

Remember you are making a difference!

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE

BOURNVILLE VILLAGE TRUST PERMISSION FOR ALTERATIONS

Please note there have been recent revisions to BVT’s Design Guide all residents are invited to consider the same via www.bvt.org.uk

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### BOURNVILLE FREEHOLDERS AND LEASEHOLDERS ASSOCIATION

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ST. DAVID’S CHURCH, SHENLEY GREEN
We welcome you to our Services:
Thursdays 10.00am Holy Communion
Sundays - 10.00am Holy Communion
First Sunday in the month 9.00am Holy Communion followed by a 10.30am Children’s Service
We also have a Coffee Shop open on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9.30am until 12.00noon.
For a full list of activities held at our Church and Hall please come along and pick up a copy of our Church Magazine.

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WEEKLY ACTIVITIES AT WEOLEY HILL CHURCH

Sundays: 10.30am Morning Worship & Jrn Church (Choir 9.30); Holy Communion 1st Sun each month
2.00pm B’ham Korean Congregation
Mondays: 9.30-11.30am Little Sunshines
5pm-6pm Beavers
6.15pm-7.30 pm Brownies
7.30-9 pm Guides
7.30-8.30pm Prayer Group
Tuesdays: 3.30, 5.30 & 7.30pm Slimming World (3 sessions)
Wednesday: 11.00am Coffee Shop open on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9.30am until 12.00noon.
Lunch Club on Saturday 15 October at 6.30 PM.
Central Birmingham Meals, 2.30-3.30 PM on Wednesdays.
Autumn/pre-Christmas Fair on Saturday 19 November from 2-4 PM.

TOY SERVICE (Donations to Birmingham Crisis Centre), Sunday 11 December at 10.30 AM.

LESSONS AND CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT, SUNDAY 17 DECEMBER AT 5 PM.

Christmas Eve: Family Crib Service at 4 PM; Communion at 11.15 PM.

Christmas Day: Family Worship at 11 AM.

New Year’s Eve: A time for prayer and quiet reflection at 3 PM.

Friendship Group
Wednesday 12 October: Outing to Jinny Ring. Meet at the church carpark at 11.30 AM.
Wednesday 9 November at 2.30 PM: Craft session plus cake. We will make glass candle holders.
Wednesday 14 December at 12 for 12.30 PM: Christmas lunch.

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