

Welcome to summer

Last month was house sale month and saw most of the houses for sale in the village sold, including Ecton House, so welcome to the new people in our village (Andrew Kirkaldy at the chapel, Chris & Natasha at the Old Bakehouse are the ones I have met) and look forward to seeing you at many village events. The village BBQ is advertised for the first time as is THE BIG LUNCH so there's a good start. And I suggest a look at the village website

www.ectonvillage.co.uk

And my usual reminder at this time of year that the next magazine will cover August and September so anything you want included for both months let me have by the date below.

Last month the GREAT ECTON BREAKFAST was again a sellout and enjoyed by all who attended despite the heavy rain throughout the morning, with a steady trickle of people between 8 and mid-day. Our thanks go to all who helped in various ways! It happened to be the same day as my birthday and my thanks to Dean & Nicki Bedford for my surprise birthday cake which was themed for the day.



You will see this month new adverts starting to appear thanks to the hard work of Sally Bresnahan, and if you can help in any way with suggestions I know she will be glad to hear from you. This will all help to fund the magazine with the additional costs we have had this year, but the new printers have improved the looks of the magazine greatly. Many thanks to our regular advertisers, Stones Builders, The Three Horseshoes and The TWE.

In this issue our football reporter Ben Coulter-Brophy gives his end of season views on the sad relegation of 'the cobblers'.

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