

THE ECTON VIEW

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Ecton Church Lottery		
Winners for April 2023		
1 st Prize	£50	Maggie Mulvey
2 nd Prize	£25	Helen & Brian Bond
Winners for May 2023		
1 st Prize	£50	Carol Howard
2 nd Prize	£25	Carol Crossman

Editors Note

Well what a whirlwind May was! With the Coronation celebrations and so many Bank Holidays it was hard to keep up!

Many thanks to all the organisers of the celebrations, too numerous to mention, from bunting hangers to cake bakers, I hope the celebrations were memorable.

In this months magazine we have memories from Phyllis of the Queens Coronation in 1953. Please keep sending in pictures and articles relevant to our lovely village, I will always add in as many as I can,

Enjoy all that June brings, along with the start of summer.

Wendy

Photo below of the Ecton Bell Ringers, taken following the Coronation Ringing on 6th May 2023, for the Coronation of King Charles III, they then went on to ring at Wilby and Gt Doddington Churches.



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Ecton Village News

EGO's

The EGO's next get-together is Friday 9th June for those who are booked on the river outing, then:

Friday 21st July

Friday 18th August

Friday 15th September

These may change but we will always keep you updated as we go along throughout the year. New members are always welcome, all year round, just pop along and have a chat.

CHURCHYARD TIDY

The next regular Churchyard Tidy will be on Saturday 3rd June, then 1st July, anytime in the morning, weather permitting.



Thank you to everyone who came along to the 'Big Help Out' on 8th May. Your help was very much appreciated.

ECTON WALKS 2023

The next Ecton Walks are planned for 14th and 28th June. Details will come out to the mailing list beforehand. If you would like to be included on the email list please let me know - nigelbond@talktalk.net.

ECTON GOLF DAY

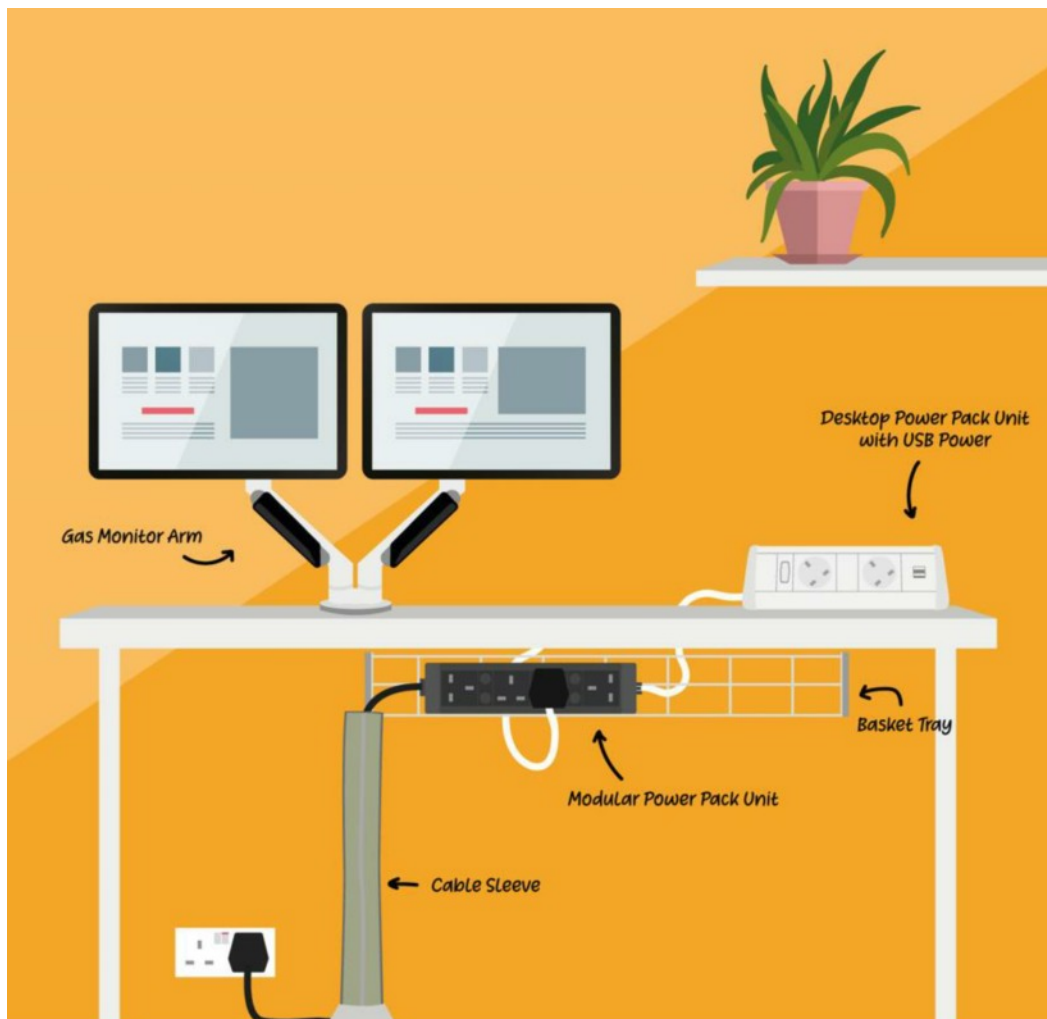
Thank you for the great turnout to the Ecton Golf Day. Many thanks to Steve Wheatman & Wendy Mills for sponsoring the Nick Mills Trophy as well as Keith Edwards for hosting us, and Anita for a wonderful spread. A fun day had by all, see colour pictures of all the team in this magazine.

ECTON PARISH COUNCIL

There are still vacancies for a Parish Councillor at Ecton Parish Council, for all those that are interested, please email the Parish Clerk at clerk@ectonparishcouncil.org.uk. You can obtain a full copy of the latest Parish Council Minutes. Email: clerk@ectonparishcouncil.org.uk
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Ecton Services for June 2023

Sun 4th June

No Morning Services at Ecton

Please join us at one of our other churches

9.30am Holy Communion

11am Holy Communion

Wilby

Gt Doddington

Tues 6th June

10am Holy Communion

Ecton

Sun 11th June

9.30am Holy Communion

Ecton

Sun 18th June

9.30am Holy Communion

Ecton

Sun 25th June

11am Morning Prayer

Ecton

Rector's Letter
June 2023



One of my favourite monthly tasks is choosing the hymns for Sunday services. It is not always easy, but I usually end up singing by the time I have finished! Singing hymns has always been part of Christian worship, with Psalms and spiritual songs being sung by the early church. Today there are thousands of hymns and songs to choose from, with some even being sung in secular settings. One such hymn, *Abide with me*, will be sung on Saturday 3rd June at the FA Cup Final, which this year is between Manchester City and Manchester United. (Some of you will know my husband Derick supports Manchester City!).

This well-loved hymn of comfort and trust was written by Henry Francis Lyte an Anglican clergyman. Lyte, who suffered poor health, wrote religious poetry and hymns throughout his life, including *Praise my soul the king of heaven*. A few weeks before his death, at the age of 54, he preached his last sermon at Brixham. He rested that afternoon, and then took a walk on the beach. He retired to his study and later emerged with his poem, "Abide with me," in his hand.

The poem was put to music and made its debut at Lyte's memorial service in 1847. The hymn has since been popular within many Christian denominations and is reported to have been a favourite of King George V and of Mahatma Gandhi. It was first sung at the FA Cup Final in 1927 as a way of uniting the supporters before the match and giving everyone a moment to reflect on the deeper meaning of life. The hymn has also been sung prior to the kick-off at every Rugby League Challenge Cup Final since 1929.

It may seem odd that a hymn more often sung at funerals could become so popular in the secular world, but this hymn speaks to us, not only about death, but also about life. It assures us of God's presence and help, both in life and in death and reminds us that whoever has the glory of winning the FA Cup, it will be nothing compared to the glory of heaven.

Yours in Christ,

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Floral Feast

I hope you have enjoyed the spring flowers and the tree and hedge blossom of the last couple of months. The May (hawthorn) blossom has been glorious, as have the daffodils and now buttercups on the grass bank/verge by the main road through Ecton.

30 days Wild

The Wildlife Trust are running this again throughout June. You can sign up and get a pack of activities to do, or just look at their website, or think of your own ideas that will connect you with nature and are fun to do. I like the idea of making a mud pie and then doing a mud painting, which as a child I would have painted on the garden path. Listening to birdsong, smelling herbs/flowers and feeling the bark of a tree are on my list too! Do a little thing each day throughout June and if you have/look after children they will love to join the fun.

Charlotte Eley

Recollections of the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II

June 2nd 1953

I was aware of the Coronation weeks before the actual day because I worked at Selfridges in Oxford Street.

My husband had to start work at the Savoy Hotel for 5am on the day, but a few white fivers were being earned so it was worth it.

I hastily ate my breakfast, donned my mackintosh and together with my friend Rose, we excitedly walked down the Edgware Road and turned left at Marble Arch, there we made our way to stand outside Selfridges frontage.

People were waking up, having slept all night in damp conditions and those near us unwrapped Spam sandwiches and hard boiled eggs from grease proof paper parcels.

Everyone was very friendly and jolly with lots of offers of food.

Slowly as the coach drew near the cheering was deafening and I felt honoured amongst all the fanfare to be present at this great occasion.

A shabby little man suddenly stood on top of his stool and the plaintiff sound of a harmonica could be heard playing the National Anthem.

Once the procession had passed he placed his cap on the ground and coins rained in and after a few moments he touched his forehead with his finger and quietly walked away.

Rose and I made our way to as near as we could to Buckingham Palace as we were then able to see the balcony not too far away.

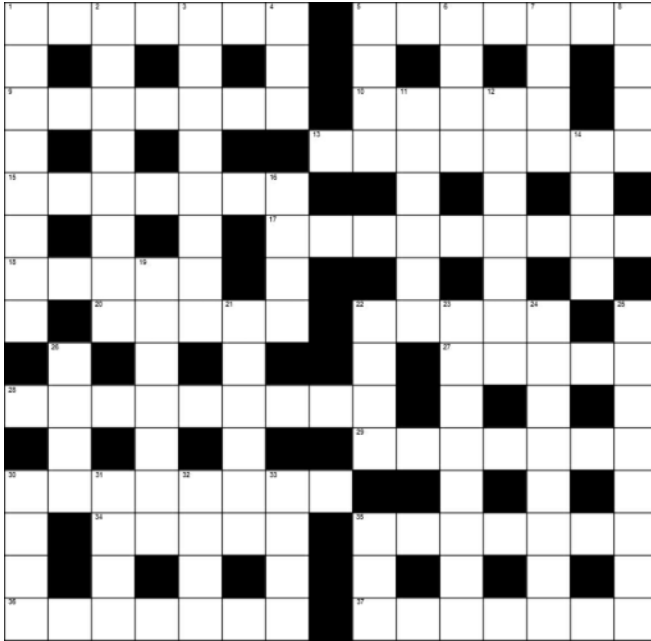
As they all stood around the Queen I noticed the Queen Mother standing aside who had lost a Husband, a Lover and a friend to make this day happen, my thoughts were with her.

A never to be forgotten day.

Tilly

As dictated to Kathy Humphreys on behalf of
her mum, Mrs Phyllis Berrill
(nicknamed Tilly)

Ecton Crossword - June 2023



Clues marked * are anagrams of music events at The Three Horseshoes in June. The rest are normal definition type clues.

Across

- 1 Cape ____, site of a naval battle in 1941 (7)
 5 V shaped line (6)
 9 Capital of Ontario province (7)
 10 Provocative behaviour (5)
 13 & I thro to grin * (8,4)
 7D
 15 Main protagonist in Lee Child novels (7)
 17 Forerunner of the musket (9)
 18 Liquid used to stimulate evacuation (5)
 20 See 30A
 22 Vauxhall model (5)
 27 Make disconcerted (5)
 28 Fourth musketeer (9)
 29 See 35D
 30 & Keeping in moth * (4,4,5)
 20A
 34 Large waterbirds (5)
 35 Traditional brew (4,3)
 36 Fruit used to make healthy syrup (7)
 37 Soft deer leather (7)

Down

- 1 Meet star * (4,4)
 2 Menace (8)
 3 Boxer's training aid (5,3)
 4 Prefic meaning new (3)
 5 Partially burn (4)
 6 Inner Hebridean island (4)
 7 See 13A
 8 Middy (4)
 11 Baroque dance music (6)
 12 Vegetable usually cooked as a fruit (7)
 14 North Yorkshire river (4)
 16 Floating platform (4)
 19 Adjust instrument incorrectly (7)
 21 Scotland's national dish (6)
 22 Parent's sister (4)
 23 Arrange data (8)
 24 Burrowing ant eater (8)
 25 Unlucky number (8)
 26 Temporary accommodation (4)
 30 Six balls (4)
 31 Ova (4)
 32 Fine netting (4)
 33 Fortified enclosure (4)
 35 & Under the Dr * (3,7)
 29A

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Crossword design and construction: Alistair MacRae

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Friday 2 nd June	Black Bin	Friday 7 th July	Green Bin
Friday 9 th June	Green Bin	Friday 14 th July	Black Bin
Friday 16 th June	Black Bin	Friday 21 st July	Green Bin
Friday 23 rd June	Green Bin	Friday 28 th July	Black Bin
Friday 30 th June	Black Bin		

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Message to Ecton - Can we find Tiggs a new home?

Jane Wilson has contacted me to ask if it's possible to help her re-home her Mums cat. Her mum is Joy Wilson, Joy is now in residential care and her property is due to be sold.

The cat is called Tiggs, in good health and is 11 years old. Jane is currently driving over daily to feed Tiggs, but ideally Tiggs is looking for a new home.

There is currently a waiting list with cat charities so any help would be much appreciated.

Jane's contact no is 07881725536.

Thanks

Sue Warnes

Crossword Solution - June 2023

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Date	Time	Event	Location
Fri 2 nd June	06:30-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 2 nd June	10:00-12:30	Ecton Brew Coffee Shop	Ecton Village Hall
Sat 3 rd June	09:00-12:00	Churchyard Tidy	Ecton Church
Wed 7 th June	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 9 th June	06:30-	Green Bin Collection	-----
Sub 11 th June	Afternoon	Live Music - Brighton Riot	Three Horseshoes
Wed 14 th June	TBC	Ecton Walks	Ecton Shrine
Wed 14 th June	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 9 th June	06:30-	Green Bin Collection	-----
Fri 16 th June	06:30-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Wed 21 st June	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 23 rd June	06:30-	Green Bin Collection	-----
Sun 25 th June	Afternoon	Live Music - Red Thunder	Three Horseshoes
Wed 28 th June	TBC	Ecton Walks	Ecton Shrine
Wed 28 th June	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Thur 29 th June	Evening	Open Mike Night	Three Horseshoes
Fri 30 th June	06:30-	Black Bin Collection	-----
July			
Sat 1 st July	09:00-12:00	Churchyard Tidy	Ecton Church
Wed 5 th July	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 7 th July	06:30-	Green Bin Collection	-----
Fri 7 th July	10:00-12:30	Ecton Brew Coffee Shop	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 7 th July	19:30-	Ecton Quiz Night	Ecton Village Hall
Sun 9 th July	Afternoon	Live Music - Jackie Bartrum	Three Horseshoes
Wed 12 th July	TBC	Ecton Walks	Ecton Shrine
Wed 12 th July	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 14 th July	06:30-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Wed 19 th July	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 21 st July	06:30-	Green Bin Collection	-----
Sat 22 nd July	16:00-19:00	Charity Killer Skittles	Three Horseshoes
Wed 26 th July	TBC	Ecton Walks	Ecton Shrine
Wed 26 th July	19:00-20:00	Smart Yoga with Sue	Ecton Village Hall
Thur 27 th July	Evening	Open Mike Night	Three Horseshoes
Fri 28 th July	06:30-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 28 th July	19:15-22:30	Ecton Witches	Ecton Village Hall
Sun 30 th July	Afternoon	Live Music - Family Affair	Three Horseshoes
November			
Sat 25 th Nov	TBC	Ecton Safari Supper	TBC

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