



WHAT'S ON – JULY

Do you have an event locally that you would like to tell people about. The Rabbit reaches over 4000 homes locally so is the perfect way to publicise your event. Just email details to editor@therabbit.biz

Copy date is the 15th of the month preceding publication.

July Events

- 1 July Baptism Service at St Mark's
- 4 July Coach Trip to Strictly Ballroom organised by Hatch Warren Community Centre
- 4 July Lunch at the Café in the Park 12.30-2pm - Soup or a Ploughmans
- 5 July Film Night at Immanuel – 'Finding your feet'
- 5 July Hatch Warren WI – A life under German Rule in Guernsey
- 6 July Quiz Night at Beggarwood Community Centre
- 7 July The Big Litterpick – 10am at Beggarwood Community Centre
- 14 July Summer Festival, Hatch Warren Community Centre
- 14 July Dummer Village 5k Trail Run – see page 6
- 19 July Card & Cuppa at Café in the Park – 1pm-3pm
- 26 July Make a beautiful card & have a regular drink £5 – contact 07884 303557

Future Events

- 12 August Father Michael's last service here and bbq – see page 21
- 1-15 September Basingstoke Camera Club Annual Exhibition – see page 10
- 6 September An introduction to silk painting workshop
- 8 September Beer Festival, Hatch Warren Community Centre
- 13 September Coach trip – Chicago (Book at Hatch Warren Community Centre)
- 23 September Farleigh Wallop Trail Race – see HW Runners article on page 26
- 4 October Motorway thrills and spills and funny bits
- 31 October Halloween
- 1 November Jane Austen
- 3 November Fireworks Spectacular, Hatch Warren Community Centre
- 7 November Dwali
- 22 November Thanksgiving in USA
- 24 November Trip to Bluewater (Book at Hatch Warren Community Centre)
- 25 November Christmas Fayre, 1.00-4.00 pm Hatch Warren Community Centre
- 1 December Trip to Bath Christmas Market (Book at Hatch Warren Community Centre)
- 20 December Carols & Mulled Wine, Community Café in the park

Hampshire Farmers Markets

- Alton – 2nd Saturday of the month
- Winchester – 2nd and last Sunday of the month

DUMMER VILLAGE FETE 5K TRAIL RUN

14 July 2018, 1:30PM

Mark your diaries and plan to join us for the first ever Dummer Village Fete 5K Trail Run. The multi-terrain course begins and ends at Dummer Down Farm and runs through the woods and trails surrounding. There will be custom finisher medals for all participants and awards will be presented to the top 3 male and female overall and to the fastest men and women over age 40.

But you don't have to be fast. The course offers a beautiful trail and walkers are welcome! There will also be a t-shirt and goody bag for all who register in timely fashion and your registration gets you into the Fete afterwards.

All proceeds will benefit the Village of Dummer and All Saints Church; come for the cause and get a bit of exercise before enjoying all that the Fete has to offer.

We also need volunteers to help marshal the course and work the finish line. Ring Tim Hartigan @ 07399 565789 or Email thartigan@att.net for info or to volunteer.

More information available on Dummer Facebook page. Register online: runbritain.com/races Search by date (July 2018), County (Hampshire), & distance (5K).

SWAG MEETING

On 31st May almost 200 local residents attended the South West Action Group (SWAG) meeting, where Councillors, council officers, developers and health care professionals answered questions about some of the future developments that will affect south-west Basingstoke. It became clear the major concerns were; 1. Traffic. 2. Gipsy/traveller provision. 3. Healthcare. 4. Motorway Services. 5. Schools.

Please see www.rabbit.biz for the full article



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REGULAR EVENTS

- Hatch Warren W.I.**, 1st Thursday each month 8.00pm Community Centre (contact Jane Kerry 01256 810255)
- Basingstoke Knit and Natter**, Every Monday 6.30 – 9pm, Waitrose Café
- The Warren Youth Club**, Friday evenings at the Warren attached to the Community Centre
- Aldworth Badminton Club**, Thursday evenings 7.00 – 8.30pm Aldworth Science College
- Cliddesden W.I.**, Cliddesden Village Hall, 7.30pm, third Thursday every month (contact Pat Rampton 01256 461034)
- Old Down & Beggarwood Wildlife Group**, www.olddownandbeggarwood.org.uk email: odandbwd@gmail.com
- Hatch Warren Nature Group**, contact Paul Beevers, hatch.nature@gmail.com
- Cliddesden, Ellisfield and Farleigh Wallop Horticultural Society**, contact Mrs M Smith (01256 462584) for details
- Laughter House**, laughter-housevpweb.co.uk
- Hatch Warren Runners**, meet Monday and Wednesday at 7.15, Portsmouth Arms and at the Co-op Beggarwood. www.hwrnners.co.uk