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THE GULDEN MORDEN VILLAGE NEWSLETTER



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Editorial

If you're planning an event in the forthcoming months, please send me your advert and I'll publish it in the next edition.

October deadline - 25th September.

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(Village Photography Club)

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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Parish Council Meetings

Guilden Morden Parish Council meets approximately every four weeks in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm on the third Monday of each month.

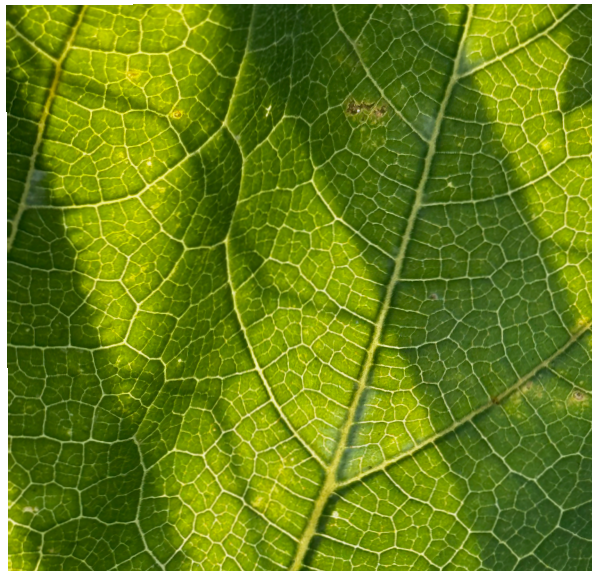
The meetings alternate between full and planning meetings.

The next meetings are:

September 15 - full meeting

October 20 - Planning meeting

If you would like to become a member of the Parish Council, please contact the clerk, Ben Stoehr, at the email address shown on this page.



Food Fayre

Guilden Morden

St. Mary's Church

Saturday

11th October 2025

10am-2pm

'Local produce from local people'

**BREAKFAST ROLLS
FROM 10.00-11.00
LUNCH FROM NOON**



STALL HOLDERS PLEASE
SCAN QR CODE TO REGISTER
INTEREST





We are a small, friendly group of ladies meeting on the third Thursday of the month, usually in Guilden Morden Village Hall at 7.30 pm. We have a wide variety of activities to choose from and interesting speakers throughout the year.

If you would like to join us at any of our meetings, or to know more about The Mordens WI, please contact Joyce on 01763 852087. Transport can be arranged.



Please come to the ...

25th ASHWELL BOOK WEEKEND St Mary's Church, Ashwell

Saturday 4 October from 10 am to 5 pm
Sunday 5 October from 1.30 pm to 4.30 pm

Entrance:£1 - Children Under-16: Free
Tea, Coffee and homemade cakes available

All money raised goes to Friends of St Mary's church

A great selection of secondhand books
available to browse and buy!

Hospice expands trading services to boost charitable income

A local hospice is ramping up its trading activity in a bid to generate maximum income for the charity. As part of their new strategy, they have extended their offering of collecting donated furniture and household items, to entire property clearances.

Garden House Hospice Care launched their new 'house services' in July of this year. They now arrange furniture collections, house clearances, garden clearances, garage clearances, office removals and a man with a van service for customers. Every penny raised in profit directly contributes toward patient care.

House services cover a large area across North Hertfordshire and Central Bedfordshire, including Stevenage, Hitchin, Stotfold, Fairfield, Letchworth, Baldock, Royston, Biggleswade and all the villages in between. There is no maximum or minimum size of collection or clearance and all items will either be resold or refurbished to be sold in Garden House Hospice Care's stores, or sorted, recycled and disposed of in compliance with environmental regulations.

Every Friday at 10.00am in the Chapel you are also welcome to join an informal gathering of those praying for our villages and our world.

- Sunday 7th Sep** **3.00pm** Circuit Songs of Praise service (please note no morning service)
- Monday 8th Sep** **10.30 – 12.00** Men's Guild
9.30 - 11.30am Open Church. Come and have a chat with our minister, Tony
7.00 for 7.30pm Local Vocals sponsored by GMCC
- Tuesday 9th Sep** **2.00 – 4.00pm** COGS
- Wed 10th Sep** **9.00 – 11.30am** Fun4Tots
- Sunday 14th Sep** **11.00am** Joint at Litlington Congregational Church led by Mrs Davina Calbraith
- Monday 15th Sep** **9.30 - 11.30am** Open Church. Come and have a chat with our minister, Tony
7.00 for 7.30pm Local Vocals sponsored by GMCC
- Wed 17th Sep** **9.00 – 11.30am** Fun4Tots
- Sunday 21st Sep** **10.00am** Joint service at St Mary's

Other Group Meetings:

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| Bridge Club | Mondays at 19.30 |
| Community Choir | Mondays at 19.00 for a 19.30 start |
| History Group | First Wednesday of the month, alternating between SM Village Hall and GMCC |
| | Second and fourth Tuesday of the month |
| | 19.00 to 21.00, last Tuesday of the month |
| Knit and Natter | Every second Thursday, 19.30 - 22.00 |
| Photographic Club | |
| Needle Bees | |

Home Group Zoom and face-to-face meetings - Tuesdays at 20.00
Contact Emily for details emilymwilkinson@doctors.org.uk

Anyone wishing to book the rooms for social activities please contact Gina Ferrari ginaferrari57@gmail.com

Foxton Scarecrow Festival

Saturday 4 October, 12 pm to 5 pm

Buy a programme on the day and find all the music-themed scarecrows around the village. Children's and adult's quizzes, tombola, raffle and games. Stop at various venues for refreshments (bacon butties, home-made soup or tea and cakes) and enjoy live music at the Village Hall.

Vote for your favourite scarecrow!

This fun event for all ages will finish with a prize giving and the raffle draw. Fund-raiser for St Laurence Church, Foxton School and Pre-School.

For further information, email foxtonscarecrow@gmail.com or find us on Facebook.



Register now! Scan here

or email steeplechasersrcc@gmail.com



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Steeple Chasers
Quiz
Night

CASH PRIZE!

FRI 17 OCT

RAFFLE

£12 per person, including hot supper

7PM ARRIVAL FOR 7.30PM START
STEEPLE MORDEN VILLAGE HALL

Register now! Individually or teams of up to 6

Proceeds to Young Minds and SCRCC