

HALSALL NEWS

July/August 22



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September 2022 MAGAZINE

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POLICE CONTACT DETAILS

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Darren.Carr@lancashire.pnn.police.uk

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THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST.CUTHBERT, HALSALL

Parish Surgery

Phone: 0151 526 2292

Parish Mobile: 07518 926086

Email: stthomassteph@btinternet.com

Parish Surgery: Anyone wishing to arrange a Baptism or Wedding should ring the Parish Secretary to make an appointment. The phone number of the office is 0151 526 2292 and the office is staffed Monday-Wednesday 9.00am—1.00pm or you can email at:

stthomassteph@btinternet.com

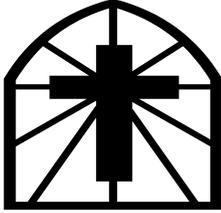
The Sick: This parish is committed to the care of the sick. Names of those in need of this ministry, either at home or in hospital, should be given to the parish office on 07518 926086 or 0151 526 2292. The Blessed Sacrament (Holy Communion) is reserved in church and can be taken to the housebound or ill. Holy Oil is also kept for the anointing of the sick.

Access to St Cuthbert's Church.

If you require the ramps to be put over the steps in order to gain access to church services or to visit the graveyard, please ring one of the wardens to arrange a mutually agreeable time.

Elaine Ayre 07896 301322

Pamela Carr 01695 423817



Sunday Services in the United Benefice for July & August 2022

Sunday 3rd July

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's Communion Service

11.00 am

St Thomas'

Sunday 10th July

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's Communion Service (Children's Messy)

11.00 am

St Thomas'

(Church)

Sunday 17th July

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's Communion Service

11.00 am

St Thomas'

Sunday 24th July

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's Communion Service.

11.00 am

St Thomas'.

Sunday 31st July

10:30 am

United Benefice Service at St Cuthbert's

Sunday 7th August

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's Communion Service

11.00 am

St Thomas'

Sunday 14th August

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's Communion Service

11.00 am

St Thomas'

Sunday 21st August

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's Communion Service

11.00 am

St Thomas'

Sunday 28th August

8.00 am

St Thomas'

9.30 am

St Cuthbert's.

11.00 am

St Thomas' Family Service

Halsall Village Proud & Tidy Group



The new planters which Brian has made out of recycled decking have been planted up. We've gone for a red white & blue theme and they are growing well. If there is a planter near you which you would be willing to water over the summer then please let us know. Likewise - the war memorial.

Your help would be very much appreciated.

Lancashire Best Kept Village Competition 2022

We have a title to defend!!



Following the success of becoming the Best Kept Large Village in Lancashire in 2021, we need to keep up our high standards to compete in the Champions Class.

We ask everyone who has residential or commercial property in the village to take a look at the frontage of their properties to ensure things are looking neat, tidy and well-kept.

Litter is always a problem, so, if you see a bit, please pick it up.

We expect preliminary judges to visit us four times between 1st June and 21st July and if we progress to the next stage we will be informed and then be judged again by more senior judges up until the end of August.

We're proud of our village! Let's all do the best we can!

Please get in touch if you would like to know more about what we do.

Eleanor Wroe (elliwroe@hotmail.com or 01704 841216)

Enid Banks (enidbanks@aol.com or 01704 567654)



SANCTUARY LIGHTS

JULY

- 1st Norman Rhodes (Birthday)
3rd Vivian Osmond Weights (Birthday)
3rd Catherine Bullough
3rd James Edward Cheetham (Birthday)
5th Walter Herbert Bullough
6th Nancy Ainscough (Anniversary)
6th John Prescott (Birthday)
7th Annie Marshall (Birthday)
7th John Huyton
12th Jane Walsh (Birthday)
12th Clarice Hall
14th Michael James Yule (Birthday)
16th David John Cruikshank
18th Mary Serjeant (Birthday)
18th George Henry Porter
19th Jack Williams
19th Sarah Ann Heaton (Birthday)
25th Mrs E Tesseyman

AUGUST

- 4th John Rees Howel
9th Margaret Haldane (Birthday)
11th John Harold Grimshaw (Birthday)
18th Edith Elizabeth Welch (Birthday)
18th Ernest Serjeant
21st Gladys Mary Morris (Birthday)
22nd Sarah Critchley
25th James Balshaw
25th Dennis Knowles
26th James Hilton (Birthday)
27th Ernest Serjeant (Birthday)
29th Robert James Critchley (Birthday)



CHURCH CLEANING ROTA

July / August 2022

10th July	M Mills	K Twist C Moss	N Fish	R Fishlock
24th July	P Carr	J Bond E Carr	A Grimshaw A Webster	J Aynsley
7th August	E Wroe	J Wroe G Williams	J Stone S Richards	S Kierrans
21st August	E Banks	M Webster L Wilkinson	S Roberts	M Cheetham



WARDENS AND SIDESPERSONS

July / August 2022

	Warden	Deputy Warden	Sides persons
3rd July	Elaine Ayre	Anne Grimshaw	Beryl Sephton Len Davidson
10th July	Pam Carr	John Wroe	Bill Banks John Wroe
17th July	Elaine Ayre	Colin Thorp	Eleanor Wroe Enid Banks
24th July	Pam Carr	Angela Webster	Christine Jones Rebecca Ridley
31st July	Elaine Ayre	John Wroe	Bill Banks John Wroe
7th August	Elaine Ayre	Anne Grimshaw	Elaine Ayre Philip Banks
14th August	Pam Carr	John Wroe	Eileen Houlgrave Gwen Williams
21st August	Elaine Ayre	Colin Throp	Eleanor Wroe Enid Banks
28th August	Pam Carr	Angela Webster	Beryl Sephton Len Davidson

Supporting St Cuthbert's Church

The website for St Cuthbert's Church can be viewed at

www.halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk

This website contains information about services and events, archive material including historic school records, up to date Parish Magazines as well as those dating back to the 1800's. On the spot updates are also available via the St Cuthbert's Facebook page through which direct messages can also be sent. There are several ways in which you can support the Church:

Parish Giving Scheme

Regular giving can be set up very easily by searching:

www.parishgiving.org.uk

and look up St Cuthbert's Halsall (there is also a link on our website). You can choose how regularly, how much and whether your donation can be gift aided. Your gift will then be passed directly to St Cuthbert's.

Friends of St Cuthbert's

Donations can be made to our "friends" scheme and the form can be downloaded from our website (Friends link on the home page). All funds raised through this scheme are directed specifically towards the repair and maintenance of the Church and grounds. There is a minimum donation of £20 per year but you can choose how much and how regularly you would like to donate.

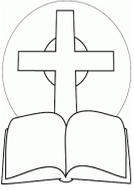
Ad hoc Donations

These can be made via the collection box in Church or by post.

Volunteer Support

If you have a little time to spare you may like to join our team of volunteers who help to keep the Church and its grounds tidy and clean. Please message via our Facebook page or e-mail us for further information on: info@halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk

Thank you!



HALSALL FROM THE REGISTERS

Weddings

21st May	Elijah McCurrie and Jessica Draper
27th May	Edward Webster and Natalie Stephenson
3rd June	Tom Marsden and Helen Beach
4th June	June Thomas Forshaw and Joanne Massam
10th June	Andreas Kasper and Victoria Burrows

A Note From The Retiring Editor

There is a long history of the Halsall Parish Magazine or Halsall News Magazine as it is now known. The first one in the archives (although I'm sure there were earlier editions in some format) is October 1959, 63 years ago. My grandfather Robert Heaton is named on the front page as Church Warden alongside Mr. W Leadbetter.

The first magazine I volunteered to compile alongside Chris Birks and Diane Marsh was in November 2013. A mere 9 years ago it is now time for me to step aside and a new editor, Chris Pyne is taking over the production of the Halsall News Magazine.

I would like to say a big thank you to all the contributors, advertisers, readers, and supporters of the magazine for the last 9 years. I know that Chris will do a great job and I wish him well in his new role.

Susan Roberts

The Barton Mission

Barton lies in the civil parish of Downholland within the ecclesiastical parish of Halsall. The Barton folk were more fortunate than most in the larger Halsall parish to have their church within a mile walk. Nevertheless, in the late 19th century the Count de Casteja gave a parcel of land to the people of Barton for a nominal rent and a mission church was constructed on Station road opposite Rock farm. This meant that the people of Barton could have their own church services. At this time Barton had a larger population than Haskayne. The Reverend Thomas Blundell Hollinshead Blundell the rector was instrumental in its construction.



The mission, constructed of corrugated iron, had an organ and furnishings. It was dedicated to St Oswald, an early Christian King whose head is depicted in the hands of Cuthbert on statues. Legend has it that Cuthbert lived at the same time as King Oswald and worked towards the same objective of spreading Christianity. Sometime after Cuthbert died his remains were taken to a shrine in Durham Cathedral. Legend has it that when the casket was opened the head of Oswald was found in the Saint's remains. The St Oswald's Mission was destroyed by fire on March 6th, 1965. At 11pm a villager noticed smoke and two fire appliances attended and fought for three hours to control the blaze but the interior was entirely destroyed. The Mission churchwarden at the time was Richard Ainscough, who held the view that faulty wiring under the corrugated iron sheets which formed

the base of the building, may have started the fire. The weather had turned to snow and blown in under the wiring.

This meant for church going locals that the centuries old tradition of a milelong trek to St Cuthbert's was renewed, albeit this time by bicycle and motor car. A window on the north side of the parish church depicts a detail of the mission etched in the stain glass. This window confirms the link between this parish outpost and the mother church and the engraving dates the mission from 1870 but there is no record of the mission until 1895. In the priest's vestry of St Cuthbert's, a surviving remnant of the stained glass from the mission survives in the window.

Stephen Henders

1938 Barton Rose Queen Festival

On the field, behind the Barton Mission, Barton held its annual Rose Queen festival beginning with a parade down Station Road from the Bluebell pub shown in the photo. By the 1930's there were three Rose Queen festivals in the parish. Haskayne had their Rose Queen day first, followed by Barton and finally Halsall. It is a wonder that they had enough children to participate but families were larger then and some children from the neighbouring villages would have participated in more than one parade.

Elizabeth Ambrose from Rock Farm was the Rose Queen in 1938. A crowning ceremony of the new Queen Elizabeth took place. John Haslam was the herald and Leonard Blundell the crown bearer. The ladies in waiting were Annie Sephton, Brenda Baybutt, Lily Sephton and Mary Huyton.



As the royal procession arrived eight little girls made an arch way of rose staffs. These were Vera Marshall, Margaret Draper, Betty Baybutt, Jenny Aindow, Edna Blundell, Betty Carr, Doris Draper and Joan Aindow.

The Reverend Mather was in attendance, John Haslam was Master of Ceremony and tribute was paid to the outgoing queen, Miss Betsy Sefton. Music was provided by the Barton jazz band with Harry Huyton as the leader of the group which included, William Haslam, John Ainscough, James Cheetham, Tom Balshaw, Phil Blundell, Leonard Stopforth, Victor Blundell, T Ainscough, George Hick, T Aindow and Harry Aindow.

Afterwards the Ormskirk Advertiser (7/7/38) reported a large crowd in attendance and a parade that included a brass band, a troupe of Morris dancers, a jazz band and several carts pulled by horses all decorated for the occasion.

Stephen Henders

What's On!

Club/Group	Meetings	Contact
Scouts/Cubs Groups Boys & Girls age 6 to 14.	Halsall School Monday 6.30pm—8pm	Karen 07973953651
Halsall Village Proud & Tidy Group	Various working parties around the village.	Eleanor Wroe 01704 841216 Or Enid Banks 01704 567654
Saracen's Head Crown Green Bowling Club	Various. contact Lynda for details.	Lynda Hodge 07435 971762
Ormskirk & District Lions Club	Charity supporting local causes. Looking for new members.	Sylvia Corfield 01704 840705
St Cuthbert's Church	Services 9.30am every Sunday .	Parish office 0151 526 2292
FROG Friends of Shirdley Hill Green	9.30am Tuesdays & Fridays	01704 840607
Jigsaw Library	Its free to join and free to borrow. We just ask for a donation of a jigsaw then you can borrow and return as many jigsaws as often as you like.	Sue Charnock https:// www.facebook.com/ groups/15262672108670 10

If there are any community groups, social groups, sports groups or well being groups starting up again as lockdown eases just let me know and I can add them on to the 'What's On' section.

Chris Pyne 01704 841467 or chrispyne@gmail.com



Update from Halsall School : July 2022

Standards in School

Children in Year 2 and in Year 6 have once again been involved in the national SATS programme. There have also been the Year 1 Phonics tests and the Year 4 National Multiplication Tables Checks.

Results from these, give teachers and parents a clearer idea of the standards in the school and how the school's data compares with other similar schools and the National Average.

Staff are confident that most of the children are performing very well and that any comparisons will be favourable. A big thanks to the teachers and assistants who work so hard to enable each child to attain well and reach their potential.

Llandudno Holiday Year 6

The year 6 children had an amazing time on their residential holiday to North Wales. There were trips to Prestatyn Pontins, Greenwood Forest Park and the Fun Centre in Caernarvon. They walked around the Great Orme, Colwyn Bay Mountain Zoo and explored Conway Castle. On the day out to Anglesey, they had a paddle at Benllech Bay, went crabbing on Beaumaris Pier and visited the spectacular National Trust property, Plas Newydd. A big thanks to Mrs Crane, Mrs Kendall and Mrs Neale for giving the children this wonderful experience.

Platinum Jubilee Party

Due to the inclement weather, our special Jubilee Party had to be held indoors. We set out the hall with all the dining tables and we donned the walls with flags and bunting and pictures of the queen. The children had a fabulous time and really immersed themselves in the spirit of this momentous, royal event. Thanks to the PTFA for funding some extra little treats for lunch and to all those who came along to set things up and clear things away. They worked tirelessly and were a massive help.

Use of School Premises

Through the summer holidays, the school will host a **Camping and Caravan Club** rally, the **Badminton Club** and the **Dance Club**. All provide a valuable

income stream for the school and this helps us to maintain and further improve the school premises. Ultimately, the children benefit.

West Lancs Primary Schools' Cross Country Championships

Our children (nearly 50 of them) competed in the cross-country championships recently in Burscough. It was a very busy event with well over 500 children involved in the races.

Special mention to Ayda Crilly who finished 1st, Lucy Blackhurst who finished 2nd and Poppy Bedwell who finished 6th, all in Y4 girls race. What a team.

Overall team medals went to the :

Year 3+4 girls **GOLD**, Year 3+4 boys **SILVER**, Year 5+6 girls **BRONZE**, Year 5+6 boys **GOLD**.

Well done to Mrs Crane for all her efforts in getting the children fit and ready to compete. They did brilliantly. Thanks to the parents and staff who helped with transport.

New Reception Class

At present we have 28 new reception children starting in September. This will be the first time that we have been able to have a straight, reception-only class. We hope to maintain this in the years to come. Mrs Wilson is doing a fabulous job covering for Mrs Harrison, who is presently on maternity leave. Mrs Harrison is intending to return early in the new year.

We still have a few year group spaces in school, for September. If anyone is interested, please contact us on 01704-840253 or e-mail head@halsall.lancs.sch.uk as soon as possible. Thanks.

School Dates

**The school closes for the summer holidays on Thursday 21st July. (2-00pm)
The school re-opens for the autumn term on Monday 5th September.**

From all at Halsall St Cuthbert's Primary School, have a great summer holiday, stay safe and keep the faith.

Doug Scholes (Head Teacher)

Class G's All About Japan Day: Children having a Karate Lesson



Halsall School Staff on a Race for Life Muddy Challenge



Class G at Night

When everyone goes home,
Class G comes alive...

The knitted granny observes
the sweets as they huddle in their tin,
waiting for the chosen child to choose them!

The clock keeps the beat,
clapping its hands to the rhythm of the night.
The blinds sway to the tune
but the radiator grumbles in the corner.

Display boards proudly present
children's hard work,
while the whiteboard just sits there,
with boredom.
Underneath, no-one knows that the cupboard
holds the art mannequins captive!

The chairs have climbed on the tables,
who provide protection
from the cleaner's mop.
The cushions sigh, recovering from
the pressures of the day
and the books pull over their covers,
settling down with a good story.

Dressed in glossy black,
the mourning bin hides in shame
feeling the disgust of all who look upon him.
Munching mistakes, demolishing drawings,
nibbling notes, licking litter.

As dawn approaches and
the sun reaches through the blinds,
Class G awakens,
ready to greet the challenging children.

A Poem by Class G

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NEWS FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL

New Councillor

The Council are pleased to welcome Keith Wright who was co-opted onto the Council at the meeting held on 8th June 2022.

Parking along Summerwood Lane

Car parking either side of Summerwood Lane at school times and when funerals and weddings are taking place at St Cuthbert's are causing an obstruction and prevent large vehicles, including the emergency services from passing through. Please use the Memorial Hall car park whenever possible.

Parking Along Moss Road

Car parking on pavements is causing problems along Moss Road. Can residents please park in their driveways if possible and leave enough room when parking on pavements to allow prams and wheelchairs to get through.

Updates

The Parish Council were represented at Halsall Parish Jubilee event by Cllrs. Elizabeth Wright (Chair) and Andy Timon who took many photographs.

Funding for volunteers in various environmental groups, who maintain the beauty and tidiness of Halsall was agreed again for this year, as in previous years, at the June meeting of the Council and we thank them for all their hard work.

Earlier this year the Council also donated to the church to help fund replacement of the stolen flagstones.

A pathway, fencing and a gate are being installed on to the side of the Memorial Hall Playing Field running alongside Halsall Road jointly funded by Community Infrastructure Levy and Halsall Memorial Trust which will enable residents to avoid having to walk down Halsall Road on Remembrance Sunday and increase safety for the younger users of our playing field.

A healthy Halsall working group has been formed by your Parish Council to identify how we can help to promote health and wellbeing for us all as a Halsall Community.

Lettering on the plaques by the Memorial Gates are to be painted in time for Remembrance Sunday.

Reports of Dangerous Trees

The Parish Council has received concerns from residents via WLBC Councillor Denise Hirrell that there are dangerous trees on Halsall Memorial Playing Fields.

WLBC Arboricultural Officer Dave Thornber visited the site in April and a specialist contractor has also visited the site. There were no immediate concerns about the condition of any of the trees surrounding the Playing Fields. Neither contractors nor West Lancashire Borough Council have the right to enter neighbouring properties to conduct more detailed inspections but our neighbours assured us that their trees are regularly inspected.

A programme of work to prune trees will commence later this year after planning permission for protected trees has been approved and it is the correct season to prune appropriate tree varieties.

Parish Council Meetings

The next Parish Council Meeting will take place on Wednesday 13th July 2022 at 7.30 p.m. at The Memorial Hall, Halsall Road, Halsall.

A full list of Councillors and contact numbers can be found toward the front of this magazine.

The Parish Council Website has a new website halsallparish.org.uk which includes agendas and minutes of meetings.

Picnic on Shirdley Hill Village Green

Many people expressed a wish that we should repeat the successful Picnic we had recently. With this in mind, friends and neighbours of Shirdley Hill are invited to meet again on Saturday July 9th from 1pm-4pm or Sunday 10th if the weather is inclement

Please bring just enough food for your own picnic and something to sit on. We are very fortunate to have such a beautiful Village Green so lets use it and enjoy it. Come and meet your neighbours and make new friends.

Enquiries to Edna 01704 840183 or mobile 07946 239303

Halsall Jubilee Party & Bake-Off

Prizes presented by Elaine Ayre (Church Warden) and Liz Wright (Chair of Halsall Parish Council.)





Ramble Around Royal Scarecrows





315 Ormskirk to Southport (Mon-Fri)

Southport, Kew Hospital, Moss Road, Shirdley Hill, Renacres Hospital, Halsall, Barton, Haskayne, Town Green, Aughton, Ormskirk

Southport	Shirdley Hill	Halsall	Haskayne	Ormskirk
07:50 (Hospital)	07:56	08:06	08:12	08:34
09:27 (Hospital)	09:33	09:43	09:49	10:08
11:45 (Lord St)	12:03	12:13	12:19	12:38
13:45 (Lord St)	14:03	14:13	14:19	14:38
16:30 (Lord St)	16:48	16:58	17:04	17:23
Ormskirk	Haskayne	Halsall	Shirdley Hill	Southport
08:40	08:59	09:05	09:15	09:22 (Hospital)
10:45	11:04	11:10	11:20	11:40 (Lord St)
12:45	13:04	13:10	13:20	13:40 (Lord St)
15:25	15:44	15:50	16:00	16:20 (Lord St)
17:25	17:44	17:50	18:00	18:07 (Hospital)

WANTED for September's Edition

Anyone have a summer season Halsall photo for September's front page? Please send me one by 10th August.

Anyone want to write articles on local walks, places of interest or local history? A walk is good for the mind and the body.

What about your mother's or your grandmother's favourite recipe featuring local produce and healthy eating?

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Vacancy for Halsall War Memorial Hall and Playing Field Trust Secretary

Applicants for this vacancy are invited to submit a CV for this post no later than the closing date of 12th July 2022. The post is available wef 01/08/2022.

Please send your CV either by post to Cllr Elizabeth Wright, 28 New Cut Lane, Halsall, West Lancs, PR8 3DW or by email to keithandbeth@btinternet.com

The person appointed will be expected to have familiarity with the Charity Commission's guidelines for Trusts, Conservation Area guidelines, skills in IT, using spreadsheets for bookkeeping, online banking procedures, Agenda writing, Minute taking, working to a timetable, have interpersonal skills in liaising with the Public, and be able to work from home.

Salary and conditions

Contracted hours and pay = 7 hours per week pro rata to a Full Time Equivalent of a 37 hour week.

Pro-rata with NJC pay scales (between SCP 24-28 FTE £29,174-£32,798 per annum) £5,519-£6,205, per annum, to be agreed during the interview. National NJC pay awards apply.

Job Description available on request.

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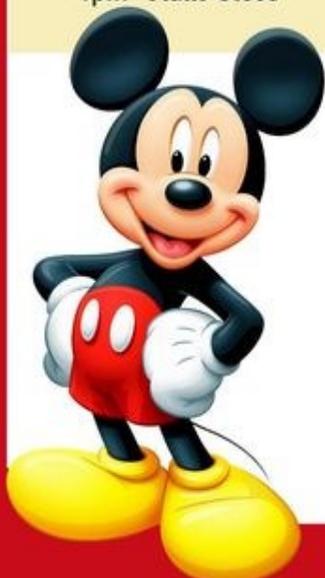
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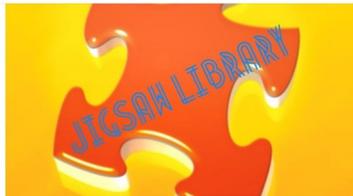
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And if you fancy a change of scene, it`s a great time to go garden visiting.

Summer is here – enjoy. Happy gardening.

General Garden Tasks

Raise the cutting height of the lawn mower blades during hot dry spells.

Avoid watering the lawn, except a new lawn in long dry spells.

Prune & deadhead roses.

Prune philadelphus & wisteria.

Clip privet & other fast-growing hedges.

Continue taking softwood cuttings of shrubs.

Cut lavender for drying.

Keep on top of deadheading plants & perennials.

Divide old clumps of bearded irises & replant.

Plant autumn flowering bulbs.

Sow maincrop carrots, early peas, turnips, lettuce, radishes & spring cabbages.

`Stop` outdoor tomatoes.

Cut & dry or freeze herbs.

Tidy strawberry beds & grow spare plants from runners.

Harvest raspberries, redcurrants, blackcurrants & gooseberries.

Train a standard fuchsia.

Water & feed greenhouse plants more often now the weather is hotter & the containers are filling up with roots.

Provide more oxygen in ponds if necessary by thinning waterweeds or running a fountain.

Divide water iris.

Watch out for

Cabbage white butterflies laying eggs on brassica plants.

Potato blight on potatoes & tomatoes.

Plants in their Prime

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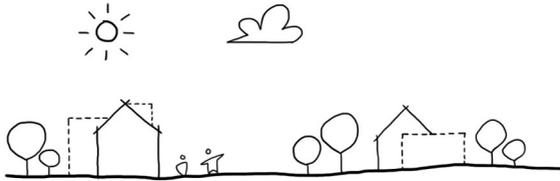
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