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# Busy Bees to offer free places

BUSY Bees pre-school playgroup in Wiveliscombe has for the last six years opted out of the government-run Ofsted education curriculum.

We have until now been very fortunate in having the support of many local parents and securing grants along with actively fundraising to keep ourselves going without the help of large government grants and funding which the government will only give if their ideas on education are followed.

Unfortunately we now find ourselves in the position of having dwindling numbers and so have no alternative but to opt back into the Ofsted education curriculum.

This will enable us to offer free sessions to 3 and 4 year olds and hopefully increase our numbers. The free places should be available in early 2006.

Whilst we do this with regret, we also look forward to having many more children coming to join us and

the emphasis for us at Busy Bees will still be on play.

We have a great team which includes Jacky Bramham (Play Leader) Gill Milton (Assistant Supervisor) and Angela Crump (Play Assistant), who all give the children the time and attention they need whilst guiding them through the best two years of fun and messiness before going off to school.

We now also have a new member joining us - Lisa Bedding will work alongside Jacky, Gill and Angela and take over the running of the playgroup in September 2006 when Jacky will retire (we've tried to talk her out of this but after 20 years she feels it is time to sit back, relax and enjoy the memories of all those children she has cared for).

So please come and visit us at The Scout Hut, Old Brewery Road, Wiveliscombe, or contact Jacky on 01984 629390 or Jamila on 01984 623839.

We look forward to meeting lots of you in the coming months.

## The Jim Laker Fund

At the last meeting of the Jim Laker Fund it was confirmed that three more pub plaques would be made by local artists and in place within the next few months which will bring the total to 15.

They certainly are a talking point. I was walking round the town a week or so ago with a friend, himself an artist, who was most impressed. We ended up doing the plaque trail in full so that he could see them all.

We held a quiz at the Bear Inn recently. Numbers were somewhat down on recent ones but we put that down to the lovely weather and assumed people had better things to do. We still raised over £40 which was a great effort from all concerned and it certainly was a much quieter evening!

In conjunction with The 10 Parishes Festival we are holding another Dinner Draw and proceeds will be split between them both. You will be able to read

more about the festival elsewhere in these pages.

We held a Dinner Draw 2 years ago and it proved very popular. Depending on the establishment you could win dinner for two, breakfast for two or coffee and cake for two. Tickets are available in many of the participating hostelrys and in many outlets in Wivey and the 10 Parishes.

We would like to thank the following for so generously offering to participate in the draw: The Rock Inn at Waterrow, The Three Horseshoes at Langley Marsh, The Martlett Inn at Langford Buddville, The Globe Inn at Appley, The Lowtrow Cross Inn at Upton, The Royal Oak at Hill Common, Bindon House Hotel at Langford Budville and The Bear Inn, The White Hart Hotel, Whelans Cafe, The Chapel Gallery and The Court House, all at Wiveliscombe.

Please take advantage of these generous donations and buy as many tickets as you like. The Draw will be held at the end of August.

## Trafalgar Thanksgiving

ON Sunday 23rd October there will be a Service of Commemoration and Choral Evensong at St. Peter, Huish Champflower, at 3.30pm to mark the 200th anniversary of the Battle of Trafalgar.

The crews on both sides who fought and died will be remembered.

The Rev Nigel Whinney, Rural Dean of Crewkerne and Ilminster and a former naval officer, will be preaching.

A party at the Coach House, Old Rectory, Huish Champflower will follow with light refreshments and sea shanties.

Further details from Ian Hardaker on 01984 623409.

## Wivey Walkers and the 10 Parishes Festival



SEPTEMBER 10th is the first day of the 10 Parishes Festival and The Wivey Walkers will be supporting not only the festival but also the churches and chapels of Somerset with their sponsored walk.

The money raised will be shared equally between The Friends of Somerset Churches and Chapels and the church being sponsored.

The walk will involve visiting as many churches as possible and also the art which will be on display in both the churches and villages.

This will be an exciting day, walking in our beautiful countryside and seeing the work which so many talented people in the area produce, as well as supporting a very worthwhile charity.

Our churches are part of our historic and cultural heritage and also a particular feature of our Somerset landscape. They are expensive to maintain and we would hope that all members of the community would be willing to be involved either as participants or sup-

porters.

Do come and join us on this, slightly different, Wivey Walk.

We plan a walk from mid-morning to mid or late afternoon incorporating the churches and villages of Chipstable, Clatworthy, Huish Champflower, Langley, Raddington and Wiveliscombe

Details will be posted on the notice board in the Square of Wiveliscombe in mid-August.

Further details and sponsor forms from Ann (01984 624075) or Bernadette (01984 623206).

## Wivey Walks update

Wiveliscombe Parish Council have received £2,000 from 'Awards for All' for the publication of 9/10 circular walks from Wiveliscombe Square.

These walks have been written and are currently being checked by the Wiveliscombe Walkers.

This procedure entails close liaison with Somerset County Council, the highway/rights of way department. Further progress will be reported through this medium.

Brenda Boyland (Footpaths)

## Fun, folk and fitness!

YOU are welcome to come along to Wivey Folk Dancing on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, 8pm - 10.30pm, at Wiveliscombe Community Centre, start date Tuesday 13th September 2005.

The emphasis is on fun, friendship and probably fitness (this is the enjoyable way to keep fit).

We dance to reels and jigs played by exciting and dynamic bands accompanied by "well-seasoned" and accomplished callers!

Singles and couples are equally welcome, as we make a practice of changing partners throughout the evening (gives you a chance to catch your breath!)

Our regular dance season runs from September through to May, including a special Christmas and New Year party.

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