

Diary of Events

September

4 th	10.30 to 12	Coffee Morning Little Compton, Village Hall
14 th	11am	Harvest Service, St Mary's, Salford
20 th	9.30 to 11	Saturday Breakfast, Little Compton Village Hall
21 st	9.15am	Sunday Service, Little Rollright
25 th	10.30 to 12	Coffee Morning, Salford, Village Hall
28 th	4pm	Harvest Songs of Praise, St Denys
28 th	5.30pm	Harvest Festival, St Mary's, Chastleton
30 th	6.30 to 7.30pm	Salford Village Hall, AGM

October

5 th	5pm	Cornwell, Harvest Service
2 nd	10.30 to 12	Coffee Morning Little Compton, Village Hall
18 th	9.30 to 11	Saturday Breakfast, Little Compton Village Hall
19 th	11am	Harvest Service, Little Rollright
23 rd	10.30 to 12	Coffee Morning, Salford, Village Hall

November

9 th	10.25am	Remembrance Service, Little Compton
9 th	10.45am	Remembrance Service, Salford
21 st	7pm	Quiz Night, Salford Village Hall
29 th	10am to 1pm	Christmas Wreath Making, Salford Village Hall
29 th		Fish & Chip Quiz, Little Compton, Village Hall

MOVEMENT CLASSES

AT
LANGSTON FARM
LITTLE COMPTON

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FLOW**
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Monday - 9:15 - 10:15am
Thursday - 9:30 - 10:30am
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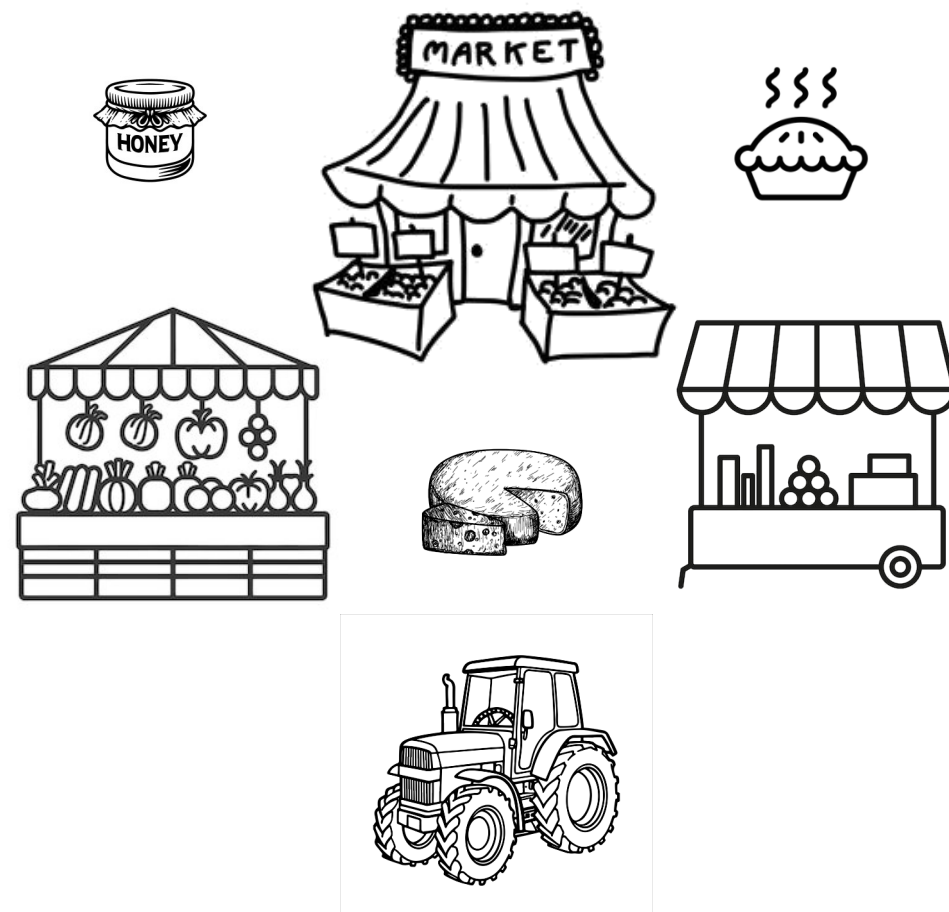
Wednesday - 9:30 - 10:30am
bookwhen.com/sculptmethod

LOCATION DETAILS
CONTACT ALICE
07932611042

You are welcome to email any news, updates, events, for sale items etc to:
centrepoinnews@hotmail.co.uk or text Sharon on **07765 255160** Use the
 same contact details if you would rather receive the e.copy thank you.

All details believed to be correct at the time of printing. We would advise checking with the
 various websites and agencies for the most current information.

Centrepoin September 2025



Farmers Market back in Chippy every 4th Saturday.
Next dates are 27th September & 25th October
8.30am to 2pm

Dear Friends,

I very much hope that you had a good summer with plenty of opportunities to relax! With Autumn now upon us, it got me thinking about how the cycle of the seasons can so often mirror the different seasons of real life. We have the fruitfulness of Autumn representing the abundance of God's blessings in our lives both big and small. Then we face the scarcity and barrenness of Winter representing the realism of loss and hardship. Then we have Spring representing fresh hope and optimism for our future endeavours. Then, finally, we have Summer in which we enjoy the development and maturing of the hope birthed in Spring.

For Christians, the death and resurrection of Christ is deeply mirrored in the seasons: knowing that no matter how bleak things may feel in winter, for example, that hope will eventually emerge when the time is right - and therefore to never give up. And likewise that the gifts and fruitfulness we enjoy in Autumn won't last forever: helping us to focus on what truly matters in life and to acknowledge our dependence on God's kindness for everything we enjoy. Gratitude has even been scientifically shown to make us healthier, live longer, and be more resilient. As you look through these pages you will find plenty of opportunities to come and express gratitude to God: keep an eye out for the benefice harvest services, remembrance services plus the regular cycle of weekly worship, you are so warmly welcome.

Whatever season you find yourself in, and whether it matches the weather outdoors or not, I pray that we will all experience the simple joy of gratitude in this season.

Warm regards,
Matt

Manor Teas

Little Compton Manor opened their lovely gardens again this year as part of the National Garden Scheme raising money for charity.



The combined teams from St.Denys' Church and the Village Hall were supplemented by villagers and friends to bake over fifty cakes and serve tea to 325 people.

The sun shone and the afternoon was a brilliant testament to the joy of comradeship whilst enjoying the splendid cakes and refreshments served in the beautifully kept church grounds.

The Manor gardens were a delight attracting many holiday visitors and we are grateful to Jess and her team from Reed College for all their help and support.

Money raised from the teas totalled **£1622** and this was equally divided between the Village Hall and St.Denys' Church funds.

Village Hall 100 Club

Congratulations to August winners.

1st £35.00 number 84 Gilly Longdon, 2nd £10.00 number 82 Ruth Williams, 3rd £5.00 number 80 Pam Bartlett.

Coffee Mornings

Our next coffee mornings are on Thursdays September 4th, October 2nd and November 6th. All welcome to pop along for some home-made sausage rolls, cake and good cheer between 10.30 and 12.

Saturday Breakfasts

Our next Saturday Breakfasts are on September 20th, October 18th and November 15th. Full English and Breakfast baps are served from 09.30 – 11am. Hope to see many of you there.

Fish and Chip Quiz

Our next Fish and Chip Quiz will be on Saturday 29th November. Please contact Ann Hanks on 07974 831170 to reserve your table. £15 per person for fish and chips and the quiz.

Should you wish to just have fish and chips please order and pay in advance at £10 per person. Please contact Susan Martin 07974 008818 at least 1 week in advance to enable us to pre-order. Many thanks.

Little Compton Village Hall Hire

Includes fully fitted kitchen with two cookers, warming trolley, microwave, dishwasher and fridge. Tableware and seating for 70 people. £15 per hour (excluding electricity)

For further information please contact Clare at clareh26@gmail.com.

Thank you all for supporting our Village Hall events.

Cornwell



Cornwell Harvest Festival
Sunday 5th October at 5pm
The service will be taken by rev David Salter
All welcome



Little Compton News contact 07765 255160

Manor Gardens

A Blooming Success: Open Garden Day for the National Garden Scheme

On August 17th, we welcomed 402 visitors to our Open Garden event in support of the National Garden Scheme charities. With stunning weather and a joyful atmosphere, we raised an incredible **£1855.00**

It was a true collaboration between The Manor and the Church, and that spirit of togetherness made the day so memorable. We loved sharing the gardens with everyone—thank you to all who visited, volunteered, and helped make it such a success. The gardening team at The Manor, Richard, Jess & Heloise



St Denys'

Harvest Festival 28th September 4.00pm at St Denys' Church. We use this opportunity each year to give donations of food to the local Food Bank. Please bring your donations to the Service or leave in the Church or the porch if the Church is not open.

Thank you for your support. Any questions contact Rory Macdonald 07950 652733.



If anyone would be able to help with cleaning the Church please contact the Churchwarden Rory Macdonald 07950 652733

Our luck with beautiful weather has continued for the previous two Chastleton Teas. July and August dates were sunny and busy with £550 and £620 respectively. Our last date is **9th October**, and everyone will be glad that Julia won't be on the prowl for cakes and volunteers again this year!!!!

Upcoming Sunday Services

14 th September	11am	Salford Harvest Service
21 st September	9.15am	Little Rollright Holy Communion (BCP)
28 th September	4pm	Little Compton Harvest Songs of Praise
	5.30pm	Chastleton Harvest Service
5 th October	5pm	Cornwell Harvest Service
12 th October	10.15am	Salford Family Communion
19 th October	11am	Little Rollright Harvest Service
26 th October	4pm	Little Compton Songs of Praise
9 th November	10.25am	Little Compton Remembrance Service
9 th November	10.45am	Salford Remembrance Service

All 5 Villages

FOR SALE

Bosch Rotak 37-14 Ergo Lawnmower. Lightweight electric lawnmower ideal for small lawns. Easily manoeuvrable very good condition.
£50 phone 07778 666274

FOUND

A bracelet has been found in Little Compton. It's engraved 'Happy 50th Tony'. If its yours or you think you know the owner please contact 07765 255160

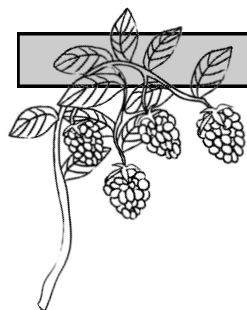
Vacancies - The Red Lion, Little Compton

We have opportunities for Front of House, a Kitchen Assistant & Apprentice Chef
Please phone Jayne 01608 674397 or email jaynebrand@hotmail.com
For further information

This year the Ride+Stride event takes place on Saturday 13th September between 10am and 6pm. Ride+Stride for churches is a sponsored cycle, horse ride, walk or mobility scooter between churches, exploring and enjoying the countryside from Cornwall to Northumberland. It takes place every year on the second Saturday in September. The money raised helps to repair churches, chapels and meeting houses throughout England.

Ride+Stride is the single largest source of income for many Historic Churches Trusts, enabling them to make grants to places of Christian worship.

Visit unique historic buildings, see beautiful countryside, get some exercise and have fun with the family. If you wish to participate and would like more information, including sponsorship forms, please visit www.ohct.org.uk/ride-and-stride



Little Rollright

We have two services upcoming:

21st September 9.15am

19th October 11am will be our Harvest Service

Both services will be taken by James Kennedy

All welcome

Salford News contact Sue 01608 641206

St Mary's Salford

Please join us for Harvest Lunch in the village hall, after the church Harvest service on Sept14th, at 11am. We aim to sit down at 12.45 p.m. for lunch. It will be a brisk service, not communion and we hope Peter Silva and his wife will come to lunch, he is taking the service for us.

**Adults £7.00 children 12 and under free
(All proceeds to Lawrence Home Nursing)**

Phone to book Sally 01608 643969 and Claire 07920 403068

SALFORD VILLAGE HALL

We had an enjoyable summer BBQ in August, despite the forecast sun not making much of an appearance. Nevertheless, those who came had a lovely time sampling fine fare and catching up with fellow villagers. Thank you for your support - we raised a modest sum for the Village Hall, all welcome and much needed.

Dates for your diary:

Tuesday 30th September, 6.30pm

AGM - The Village Hall Annual General Meeting will be held on 30th Sept, not 2nd Sept as announced previously.

Friday 21st November, 7.00pm

Quiz Night - Put the date in your diary for the annual Salford Village Hall quiz night. More information to follow nearer the time.

Date Change for

Drop-in Coffee Mornings - Pop in 10.30am-12noon for a coffee, cake and catch up with fellow villagers. The next one is on 25th September

Monday 15th Sept (2pm) to Sunday 21st Sept

Hall Closed for much needed maintenance.

**'Save the Date' for a Christmas wreath-making
session in Salford Village Hall
on 29th November 10 am to 1 pm
(details in the next copy)**

Chastleton News



Chastleton Harvest Service, St Mary's
5.30pm All welcome

Sunday 28th September

The service will be taken by Rev David Salter



A thank you to whoever replaced the well worn village notice board with a sparkly & impressive new one!