VILLAGE AND CHURCH HALLS

PARTRIDGE GREEN VILLAGE HALL

MEETINGS * PARTIES * DISCOS BUSINESS FUNCTIONS * PRESENTATIONS WEDDINGS * CHRISTENINGS

Large Main Hall with raised stage Bar area with fully equipped kitchen Two adjoining small halls Loo for the disabled Hearing loop and PA system

| All rooms | per hour | £30.00 |
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| Committee Room | per hour | £19.00 |
| Children's party | per hour | £16.00 (up to 11 yrs old) |

Special rate for regular local users. Hirers are responsible for cleaning after use. Please note that the hall is not available for day time bookings on Monday to Friday during school term times.

BOOKINGS: pgvhbookings@gmail.com

| Mr Peter Johnstone (Chairman) | 713719 | panddjohnstone@gmail.com |
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| Mrs Eileen Taylor (Treasurer) | 07752 577933 | eileenmtaylor@hotmail.com |

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH ROOM

Bookings: Mrs Liz Burtenshaw

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St. Michael's Church Room, situated behind the Church, is available for local functions. The newly renovated hall is about 8 metres square and is carpeted. There are kitchen and toilet facilities. The hall is light and is heated in the winter. There is a grass area all around the building.

The Room is available for letting during the day and some evenings for meetings, children's parties and regular classes.

Terms are:-£9.95 per hour for one-off hire £8.50 per hour for regular bookings

VILLAGE AND CHURCH HALLS

DIAL POST VILLAGE HALL

Modern building available for meetings, occasions and sports Full Wedding venue licence

Full kitchen facilities Sprung floor Underfloor heating Facilities for the disabled Separate, smaller meeting room for smaller groups Licensed for music and dancing until 11.30pm Licensed for 200 people Very competitive rates Ample parking No stilettos please

www.dialpostvillagehall.co.uk

METHODIST HALL

High Street, Partridge Green Contact for bookings: Mrs Alison James

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alisonj1230@gmail.com

The Methodist Hall can be hired with use of the kitchen, with or without heating, at competitive rates. It is carpeted and disabled facilities are available. It is ideal for children's parties.

JOLESFIELD ALLOTMENT ASSOCIATION

Contact: Chairman: Mick Coltman

07786 210693 mick.coltman@btinternet.com

A community allotment site at Jolesfield for the residents of West Grinstead Parish. There are 35 half-sized allotment plots, $9.1m \times 13.7m$ each. Please contact Mick if you would like to be added to our waiting list.

ADUR VALLEY ARCHERS

| Contact: | Rod Woodhatch | 250371 |
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| Meets: | Fridays 7-9pm | |
| | Dial Post Village Hall. (Please contact Rod first) | |
| For more informat | tion: adurvalleyarchers@gmail.com or AVarchers.org.uk | |

ASHURST ANTIQUE CLOCK REPAIR CLUB/SUSSEX CLOCK CLUB

| Contact: | Roy Hockley | 01273 846363 |
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| | | ahockleyr@yahoo.co.uk |
| Meets: | Alternate Mondays at Ashurst Village Hal | |
| For more information please contact Roy. | | |

BADMINTON

Contact: Pauline Saunders 710908 pauline93a@gmail.com

Meets: Fridays 10am-12noon Dial Post Village Hall

Everybody is welcome, whether a beginner or an experienced player. Just drop in - \pounds 4 per session.

BEAVERS, CUBS & SCOUTS

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BELL RINGING

Contact: Diane Verrall

07884 474702 dianeverrall@msn.com

Meets: Thurs 7.30pm - 8.30pm, St George's

We ring for about 20 minutes before each service at St George's. New members are always welcome, but unfortunately we are unable to teach at St George's. We can suggest alternative towers that offer teaching nearby for anyone interested in learning.

BIRD CLUB (West Grinstead CBS)

Contact: Steve White (Chairman) 0770 9237993 Dave Padwick (Gen Secretary and Treasurer) 01798 813382 email: davepadwick4@gmail.com Meets: 3rd Friday of month 7.30pm, PG Village Hall. A friendly society open to all types of bird keepers, from pets, aviaries in the garden and the more serious keepers who show. We have Monthly Club Nights, an Annual Show and regular Guest Speakers. Support is offered to anyone who

needs help with their birds. For more information do contact Steve or Dave.

1ST PARTRIDGE GREEN BROWNIES

Contact: Mrs Andrea Wellstead pgbrownies@gmail.com 0771 9703621 Open to girls aged between 7 and 9. Please contact Andrea for up to date information.

VILLAGE CAFÉ

| Contact: | June Fitton | 711270 |
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| | Debbie Holland | 711178 |

The Village Café has regular meetings in the Methodist Hall on the 2nd Thursday of each month, 2-5pm. A warm welcome awaits you.

HENFIELD COMPUTER CLUB

| Contact: | henfieldcomputerclub@gmail.com | |
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| | Dawn Butcher | 01273 758776 |
| | Sue Willis | 01273 494822 |
| Meets: | Wednesdays 10am-12noon, Garden Roo | om, Henfield Village Hall |

The club is for anyone interested in learning or improving the use of a computer device: laptop, tablet, phone; Microsoft, Android or Apple. Annual membership is $\pounds 5$ with $\pounds 2$ charge per session, including refreshments; members get bimonthly newsletters and presentations. New mentors with computer knowledge are very welcome. For further information please see henfieldcomputerclub.org.uk

COUNTRYSIDE RANGER

Contact: 03302 225544;

countryside@westsussex.gov.uk

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The Countryside Rangers are based in Clapham Depot, near Worthing. They look after the Downs Link long-distance bridleway, West Grinstead Old Railway Station, Buchan Country Park and a number of sites on the South Downs including Fairmile Bottom LNR and Burton Mill Pond LNR.

The railway carriage at West Grinstead railway station will remain closed until further notice.

CRAFT GROUP

Contact: Eileen Lock Meets: Tuesdays 2pm - 4pm, St Michael's Church Room

If you are interested in anything craft orientated — be it cards, beading, patchwork, tapestry, knitting, embroidery, toy-making — come along for a sociable chat and a cup of tea while you work at something of your choice.

CRAFT, TEA, SEW AND SEW

Contact:Pauline Saunderspauline93a@gmail.com710908Meets:Tuesdays 10am - 12noon, Dial Post Village Hall710908

Everyone is welcome, and expert advice is available. $\pounds 3$ per session. Just pop in.

CRICKET CLUB

Contact: Mark Fisher (Chairman & Treasurer) 07516 188606 mssjfisher@btinternet.com Antony Eely (Secretary & Fixture Secretary) 07900 984788 anteely@tiscali.co.uk The Partridge Green Cricket Club plays some Sunday friendly games during

the summer. We desperately need new players, so if you would like to play friendlies please contact Mark or Antony (details above).

CUBS, BEAVERS & SCOUTS

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FITNESS PILATES

| Contact: | Emma Bowen | emmajbowen72@gmail.com |
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| Meets: | Monday 7pm Partridge | e Green Village Hall |
| | Wednesday 7pm Meth | odist Hall |

PARTRIDGE GREEN YOUTH FOOTBALL CLUB

Junior Teams



Contact: U7s – Dave White m: 07834 424476 e: dave.white.pgyfc@gmail.com U11s - Scott Percy m: 07973 402325 e: scott.percy.pgyfc@gmail.com U13s – Chris Holland m: 07816 595366

e: chris.holland.pgyfc@gmail.com

For all other PGYFC enquiries please contact pgfc.youth@hotmail.co.uk

PGYFC are running three youth teams this 23/24 season for under 7s/11s/13s playing in the Horsham and District Youth Football League. Home games on Saturday mornings kick off at 9.30 at Jolesfield Common. See our Facebook and website pages for fixture updates. Feel free to join us for a bacon roll and coffee whilst catching some match action.

We are always interested in trialling new players and are running a waiting list in preparation for next season. Please use the above contacts for more information.

FRIENDS OF ST GEORGE'S

Contact:

Susie Jacobsen 711763

susiejacobsen@hotmail.com

The ancient Parish Church of St George's West Grinstead is of Saxon origin with a serene and beautiful interior and delightful rural setting by the Adur. A hidden gem known as the Farmer's Church, its pews are painted with the names of local farms, past and present, and the long tradition of weekly Book of Common Prayer worship continues unbroken from the 1600s. Currently we have a thriving four-part choir and bell-tower team for our peal of six. (Newcomers welcomed)

FoSGs was founded in 1997 to ensure that the church could continue in good repair to serve our community and future generations as a centre of worship, comfort, contemplation and fellowship. Past fundraising has re-shingled the spire, and restored the fine marble monuments, mediaeval wall paintings and wood panelling. More recently St George's has been transformed (not least for our cleaning team!) by the successful project in tandem with 'Bats in Churches' to replace the boarding over the roof beams. So our bat evacuations have been mitigated without evicting the bats, thus allowing our wonderful monuments and special church interior to be appreciated again without protective veils and the risk of sticky residue for our many visitors.

During the church's necessary closure (though services continued throughout) FoSG's was able to contribute to a complete overhaul and update of the heating and lighting, including a system to offset the damaging humidity levels in the church.

Thanks to our kind neighbours the church is open every day to welcome you, please do visit, your interest and support sustains us. Forms to join the Friends are in the church.

FRIENDS OF ST MICHAEL'S

Contacts:Chair: Simon Harvey spharvey45@gmail.com711005Treasurer: Bill Holt710730Secretary: Patrick Letschka713196

Following the coming of the railway, the Church of St Michael and All Angels was built in 1890 to serve the growing village with its farms and brickworks. Friends of St. Michael's was formed in 2002 to help with the maintenance of the Church, which needed a lot of work, and the Church Hall together with the promotion of fellowship between their users. We obtained Charity status in 2015. Although many people are not regular churchgoers they use the Church for important family occasions like weddings, christenings and inevitably funerals. We are always happy to welcome new members to the Friends and hope you will join us, or at least attend some of our functions. A small subscription of \pounds 5 to \pounds 10 is most helpful, and any donations are always welcome. Many members also like to help run our functions and social occasions, which can be great fun, so please come along to some of these occasions.

Over the last couple of years we have refurbished the hall, which has made it much more pleasant to use and we hope will increase lettings, as this provides a small income for both Churches. We have also had the boiler room cleaned out and redecorated, and a new boiler installed. We have also obtained a faculty to provide a small kitchen at the rear of the Church for coffee making after services.

Please contact the Treasurer for membership and we look forward to welcoming you to our next social occasion which will be advertised.

1st PARTRIDGE GREEN GUIDES & RANGERS

Contact: Eileen Blann

1stpartridgegreenguides.rangers@gmail.com We at Guides do lots of varied activities, including canoeing, rock climbing,

camping, craft etc. If you are 10 - 14 come and join the fun. Please see below to register your daughter:

www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-forparents/register-your-daughter Leaders are also required - please contact Eileen.

FRIENDS OF HENFIELD MEDICAL PRACTICE TRUST

Contact: Peter J Bates

peter@bateshouse.freeserve.co.uk

Formed originally in 1995, the Friends Trust is run by a committee of patients for patients. The aims are to promote health education by organising talks, to produce regular newsletters, to be available to assist in public involvement of health matters, and to raise funds for medical equipment and other items not provided by the NHS.

PARTRIDGE GREEN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Contact: Susie Jacobsen (Secretary) 711763 susiejacobsen@hotmail.co.uk

Meets: Seven events throughout the year, usually last Thursday in the month at Partridge Green Village Hall, including summer outing and flower show. Stimulating illustrated talks, outings, village show (not just for the experts!) – always something interesting for the practical or armchair gardener. Really good value – come along and see. For more details contact Susie.

JOLESFIELD SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Contact: Jen Spencer (Chair) jolesfieldjsa@gmail.com

The JSA is the Parent Teacher Association of Jolesfield CE Primary School. We hold regular fundraising events and would welcome new faces and volunteers. If you would like any further information, please speak to any of the committee members or contact the school office on 710546.



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KARATE/KICK BOXING

Contact: Mr George Asargiotakis

07876 617115

Meets: (All ages) Jolesfield School Friday 4.30 – 5.15pm

Karate and kick boxing classes are also available at Steyning and Henfield. See website www.samasoutheast.co.uk for more information. All classes must be prebooked on line.

LEGS, BUMS AND TUMS CLASS

Contact:Emma Bowen0779 983 5847Meets:Mondays, 6pm - 7pmPG Village Hall.The class is fun and effective and can be adapted to all levels.Please contactEmma on emmajbowen72@gmail.comPlease contact

LINE DANCING

Contact:Mrs Sue Langridge07587 156461Meets:Wednesday evenings, PG Village Hall 7.30 - 9.30pm£5 per session.Please contact Sue for further information.

LITTLEWORTH RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Contact: Linda Faux (Honorary Secretary) Ifaux@btinternet.com

The Association seeks to represent the views of the residents of Littleworth and act as an information hub for the local community. It has an elected committee and holds an annual general meeting in April.

TRANSPORT LINK SERVICE

The Henfield Medical Centre Link (or The Link) provides transport to hospital, dental and medical centre appointments for people in Henfield, Partridge Green and the surrounding villages who do not have other transport available to them. It is available to all local patients, whether within or outside NHS treatment, for pre-booked appointments only, Monday to Friday.

Transport is booked by clicking on the Transport Link Service on the Henfield Medical Centre website (www.henfieldmedicalcentre.co.uk). Further information is available at the Medical Centre. Donations are requested to cover fuel costs. New drivers are always welcomed.

MEDITATION CLASSES

| Contact: | Emma Weaver | 0774 861 7867 |
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| | | emmaweavertherapies.co.uk |
| Meets: | Wednesdays 10.30 - 11.30am | |

Mindfulness in Nature and Forest Therapy sessions are available. Contact Emma **via email** or website emmaweavertherapies.co.uk for more information.

PARTRIDGE GREEN PRE-SCHOOL MUNCHKINS

| Contact: | 07880 744240 for up-to-date information |
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| Meets: | St Michael's Church Hall |
| | Thurs 10 – 11.30am |

The Group has been established for many years is run by Partridge Green Pre-School. It provides a safe, fun environment where the under 5s can enjoy and benefit from the large selection of toys and activities provided. These include a different craft activity each week, outdoor play and singing songs with musical instruments. We also organise events and trips such as professional photographers and a trip to the local fire station. The group also provides for the very young, so if you have a baby and/or a young child and wish to meet like-minded people then this is the place for you! (We have bottle warming and baby changing facilities). Entrance £2.50 per family (first session free) to include refreshments.

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Contact: horshamnhw@gmail.com

To find your nearest NHW scheme and contact its coordinator put your postcode into www.ourwatch.org.uk

OPEN DOOR CLUB

Contact: Meets: Judy Stokes PG Methodist Hall,

Alternate Tuesdays, 2.30-4pm.

This is a club where people can meet and make friends while listening to an interesting talk or participating in a sing-song or craft activity, depending on what's on offer on a particular afternoon. There is a varied programme with hopefully something to suit everyone. All are welcome. Do call Judy for more information.

OPEN GARDENS

Contact:Kim Shortkimeshort@gmail.com07505 471119Pauline Dwellypaulinedwelly@hotmail.co.uk07595 916713An annual event where gardens around Partridge Green open in aid of charities.There is a scarecrow trail as well.For dates and details of how to be involvedcontact Kim or Pauline.

PART: Partridge Green Area Response Team

Our Local Life-Saving Initiative

| Contact: | Heather Kingdon | 0788 7537167 |
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| | Craig Daly | 01403 865091 |



PART, your local Community Response Team, is a group of trained volunteers, equipped with emergency medical equipment, particularly Oxygen and Defibrillators, who volunteer their time to co-respond to 999 calls in support of the ambulance service. This ensures that help is at hand within a few minutes, which can be a life saver in certain emergencies such as heart attacks but, whatever the situation, provides support and care to all involved before the arrival of an ambulance. We are always looking for -

Anyone who would like to train and join the team as a responder. Anyone who would like to help us with fund raising.

PILATES

Contact: Lynn Hampshire 01798 812860 lynnhampshire18@gmail.com All classes are held on Zoom. Pilates class for all abilities. For more information contact Lynn.

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PARTRIDGE GREEN PLAYERS

Chairman: Secretary: Liz Ganney Gill Martin



We normally stage two productions each year, in May and November. We are very happy to welcome new members for a variety of roles, from acting, stage management, costumes and makeup, publicity and ticket selling, to helping on the bar! We hold play readings, at the Partridge Pub, on the first Monday evening of each month. We read existing plays and monologues, but it's a great opportunity to develop your own creative writing skills and hear how it sounds. We also hold social occasions. These have included visits to other local drama groups' performances and skittles at a local pub. Membership is £10 per person. If you are interested we would love to hear from you. Email: info@pgplayers.org.

PRE-SCHOOL

Contact:

Becky White or Kelly Wright 07880 744240 (during sessions) Website: www.partridgegreenpreschool.org.uk Meets: Term time only: Partridge Green Village Hall Mondays - Fridays 8.00am - 4.00pm Ages: 2 years to school age

Our highly qualified team provides a safe and happy environment for children to learn while having fun and building relationships with other local children. We have lots of indoor space and a large garden which the children have access to at all times during the session, regardless of the weather. The environment is structured and well planned. The Government Grant, with 30 hours of funding, is available for 3+ year olds, with 15 hours of free funding for eligible 2 year olds.

RAINBOWS

Contact: Eileen Blann 1stpartridgegreenguides.rangers@gmail.com

Rainbows are for 5-7 year olds. We do craft, outside activities, a little bit of cooking etc. Come and join the fun. Please see below to register your daughter:

www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-forparents/register-your-daughter New leaders are always required; please contact Eileen.

PARTRIDGE GREEN REPAIR CAFÉ

Contact:Louise Bond07851039034mustang6@sky.comMeets:2-4pm every 3rd Saturday of the monthThe Repair Café is open to all. You can bring items for repair such as mall electricalappliances, wooden items, bicycles, clothes/textiles, laptops, small pieces offurniture or anything you need sharpening, such as knives, garden secateurs,shears etc. You can also visit the café where you will find an array of home-madecakes.

SCOUTS, CUBS AND BEAVERS

We have joined forces with the Henfield packs, and the group is based in Henfield. It is managed by the Group Scout Leader Mark Williams: gsl@henfieldscouts.co.uk

SQUIRREL SCOUT DREY

Contact:Vickisquirrels@henfieldscouts.co.ukMeets:Thursdays 4.30-5.30pm, St Peter's Primary Schoool, HenfieldSquirrels is for 4 and 5 year olds.For more information contact Vicki or MarkWilliams, Group Scout Leader:gsl@henfieldscouts.co.uk

BEAVER SCOUT COLONY

Contact: Amy (Riversedge Colony) Kalie (Lakeside Colony) Beavers@henfieldscouts.co.uk Meets: Mondays 5.45pm – 6.45pm (Riversedge Colony) Wednesdays 5.45pm- 6.45pm (Lakeside colony) Indoor facilities at Hillside Scout Hut, Scout Campsite, Small Dole

The Beaver colonies are for 6- and 7-year-olds. New members and helpers are always welcome.

CUBS

| Contact: | Gavin (Arun Pack) Ed (Adur Pack) |
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| | Cubs@henfieldscouts.co.uk |
| Meets: | Tuesdays 6.30pm – 8pm (Arun pack) Hillside Scout Campsite, |
| | Small Dole |
| | Thursdays 6.30pm – 8pm (Adur pack) St Peter's Primary |
| | School, Henfield |
| The cub pao | cks are for $8 - 10$ $\frac{1}{2}$ year olds. New members and helpers are always |
| | Small Dole Thursdays 6.30pm – 8pm (Adur pack) St Peter's Primary School, Henfield |

welcome.

SCOUTS

| Contact: | Jeremy (1907 Troop) Rich (2007 Troop) |
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| | Scouts@henfieldscouts.co.uk |
| Meets: | Hillside Scout Camp, Small Dole |
| | Mondays 7 – 9pm (1907 Troop) |
| | Wednesdays 7 – 9pm (2007 Troop) |

We have joined forces with the Henfield packs. The Scout Troops are for 10 - 14-year-olds. New members and helpers are always welcome.

At age 14 Scouts leave the Group to move to the district run Explorer Scout Units. However, there is an opportunity to remain at Henfield serving as Explorer Young leaders. Please contact the GSL for more information.

SELF DEFENCE/KARATE/KICK BOXING

The Kenagi Academy offers a wide range of Martial Arts knowledge for all ages. Lessons are available in Southwater and Horsham. For more information see the website kenagi.co.uk or contact Sensai Brian Redman sensei@kenagi.co.uk

SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB

Contacts:Jodie Harrison (Chair)pgssc@hotmail.com07881 652645Hannah Bullingham (Secretary)07766 655680Dennis James (Steward)711785Mark Fisher (Treasurer)01273 495104

Formed to coordinate the activities of the four Sports Clubs Tennis, Stoolball, Football and Cricket, and to run the bar and pavilion in King George V Playing Fields, Partridge Green. If anyone wants more information about any of the clubs, please contact either of the above. If you are no longer an active player of sport, social membership is available. Please feel free to turn up on a Saturday between 4-7pm.

STOOLBALL CLUB

Contacts:Karen Taylor891595Meets:Tues & Thurs 6.30pm during the season
Juniors (11-16 years) April-July Mon. 6.30pm in the Park, PG

The team plays from May onwards in the Central Sussex Stoolball League, plays tournaments on Sundays, league games on Tues & Thurs and competes in the Village League Tournament. New members always welcome, even if you don't want to play; we are also keen to meet volunteer scorers and umpires.

TABLE TENNIS

Contact: Pauline Saunders

710908 pauline93a@gmail.com

Meets: Tuesdays 6.30 - 8.15pm, Dial Post Village Hall

All equipment provided, just bring a drink and $\pounds 2$ and wear non-slip trainers. We are a group of mixed abilities from league players to gossipers.

PARTRIDGE GREEN LAWN TENNIS CLUB

Contact: Secretary: Carole Eyre carole_eyre@hotmail.com Coach: Alex Manktelow 07342 384037 alexander.manktelow@gmail.com Alex is available for group and individual coaching for both children and adults.

For information about the club, please go to our website: partridgegreentennisclub.com

TRANSPORT REPRESENTATIVE

Contact: Mrs J Smith

WEST GREENSTEAD CLIMATE CHANGE ACTION GROUP

Contact: Ms Jo O'Sullivan

The remit of this group is to take action to reduce our impact on the environment, our carbon footprint and to assist with the increase of biodiversity in our Parish. You will see evidence of our work in the Repair Café, 'wilding' of parts of the village and Terracycling.

ASHURST WI

Contact: Gill Nash

Meets: 2nd Monday of the month, Ashurst Village Hall 7.30pm New members are very welcome to our meetings, where interesting talks, theatre trips or demonstrations take place every month. Contact Gill for further information.

PARTRIDGE GREEN COLVIN WI

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President: Frances Rhodes

Meets: Every 3rd Thurs/month, 7.30pm PG Village Hall PG Colvin WI is a thriving group with members of all ages. A friendly atmosphere - numerous and varied activities, events and challenges, together with speakers on a variety of different topics, as well as competitions and exhibitions. Visitors always most welcome. Come along for a coffee and a chat — we look forward to meeting you.

YOGA

Contact:Kristina Banner0779 6345679Kristina.banner7@gmail.com;www.kristinabanner.co.ukMeets:Mondays 12 noon to 1pm, Methodist HallPlease contact Kristina to book sessions or for more information.

ZUMBA

Contact: Marcella Yeates marzveates@btinternet.com

Meets: Wednesdays 7 - 8pm, Dial Post Village Hall An exhilarating dance class infused with Latin dance rhythms, Salsa, Cumbia, Reggaton and much more. Great all round body work out — we laugh a lot! No need to book; just drop in. £5 per session.

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