

## WHAT'S ON

RA Monthly Council Meetings: 1 May, 5 June, 3 July. 8.00 pm: The Community Room, Bigwood House. VISITORS WELCOME.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Pavilion Children's Centre**, Lyttelton Playfields, re-opens Monday 30 April, closes Thursday 12 July. 0-3 year old: Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays: 10am — 12 noon. 0-1 year old: Wednesdays: 2.45pm — 4.15pm. Enquiries: Nicki Landau 455 8256. **Garden Suburb Ward Councillors** will hold "surgeries" at the Tea House, Northway, N.W.11 from 10am — 12 noon: 14 April, 12 May, 9 June.

- April 19 St. Judes. Maunday Thursday, 8pm Maunday Eucharist.  
 20 St. Judes. Good Friday, 10.30 Children's Service. 12 noon — 3pm The Three Hours (Rev. John Barnett)  
 Free Church. Good Friday Service 11am.  
 21 St. Judes. Easter Eve 6pm Easter Vigil Service.  
 22 St. Judes. Easter Day Holy Communion 8am and 10am.  
 Free Church. Easter Day Services 8.30am Holy Communion, 11am & 6.30pm  
 29 Hampstead Garden Suburb Town Trail, starting outside Freshwater's office (Finchley Road end of Hampstead Way) at 10.15am and finishing approximately 12.30pm at "Hare & Hounds" for pre-lunch drink. Led by Eileen Whelan.
- May 3,4,5 HGS Dramatic Society — Present "THE COCKTAIL PARTY" by T.S. Eliot at The Institute Theatre, 8pm. Directed by Bill Critchley. Tickets: £1.80, from Mrs Ramsey 340 6654.  
 3 St. Judes Church Rooms 8pm, Sister Mary Kelly (Sisters of Zion) "The Place of Christian/Jewish Relations in the Ecumenical Movement".  
 4 HGS Townswomen Guild: St Judes Church Rooms 2 — 4pm talk by Mr M Peach "London Transport Lost Property Service".  
 12 Family Holiday Association: Hill Close Annual Fete. 2pm.  
 12 Harington Scheme Open Day, Cromwell Lodge, Chomley park N.6, 2 — 4pm. Plants and Produce available.  
 15-19 Manor House Hospital Operatic Society, Present "The Merry Widow" at the Institute Theatre nightly from Tuesday 15 May to Saturday 19, at 7.30pm. Tickets £1.50, £3.00, £3.50, £4, £5 advance booking 348 3872.  
 18 WILPF. Campaign against the arms trade CAAT Mrs Lilian Stoddert. 2.15pm 52 Temple Fortune Hill.  
 19 Free Church. Jumble Sale, Free Church Hall 2.15pm.  
 19 Friends of Harington Scheme, Plant and Produce Stall, Pond Square Highgate Village 10am — noon.  
 19 RNLI Car Boot Sale. Watch for posters.  
 21 HGS Antiques Circle. Community Room, Bigwood House. 8pm. "Caring for your Antiques" by Josef Benis. Non-members £1.25  
 22 Henrietta Barnett Memorial Lecture: The Institute Theatre 8pm. "The Brotherhood of Man" by John Enderby.  
 25 Harington Scheme. Trainee's Plant and Produce Stall. 2.15pm — 3.30pm outside the Jacksons Lane Community Centre.  
 31 HGS Floral Arrangement Club. Fellowship House 7.45pm. Mrs Beryl Evans on "Flower Arranger's Garden" Visitors 65p.
- June 4 HGS Townswomen Guild: St Judes Church Rooms 2 — 4pm. Talk by Mrs K. Goode. "Rhodes & Crete".  
 9 St Judes. "Bal de la Rose" Bigwood Hall. 7.30pm Dinner-Dance in aid of St Judes.  
 16 HGS Dramatic Society Presents "The Pied Piper of Hamelin" by Peter Terson at Little Wood Open Air Amphitheatre. 3pm & 7.45pm. 20, 21, 22, at 7.45pm. at 3pm & 7.45pm. Tickets £1.80. Children £1.  
 18 HGS Antiques Circle. Community Room, Bigwood House, 8pm. "Drinking Glasses & Decanters" by Rosalind Pulver. Non members £1.25  
 20 Family Holiday Association (evening) Piloted Glide at Dunstable £15. Details from The Family Holiday Association 455 1777.  
 22 WILPF Nuclear Disarmament and Peace. Mr J. Dieth 2.15pm. 13 Sutcliffe Close.  
 23 Suburb Schools Summer Fair with a Country Life Theme, to be held at The Infant & Junior Schools Childs Way from 1pm admission 25p for adults, 15p for children (at the gate). Lunches will be served.  
 28 HGS Floral Arrangement Club. Fellowship House, 7.45pm. Mrs Valerie Best "It's nice to go travelling". Floral demonstration.  
 30 HGS Horticultural Society. Free Church Hall. "Flower Show" 3pm — 6pm.
- July 2 HGS Townswomen Guild. St Judes Church Rooms 2 — 4pm. Talk by Mrs C. Bowes "71 years of flying experiences of a happy passenger".  
 8 Pavilion Children's Centre: Lyttelton Playing Fields from 2pm: "Summer Festival", celebrities, shows, a band, games and stalls, "A MUST FOR ALL THE FAMILY" come and join in the fun.  
 14 HGS Dramatic Society Presents "A Gala Evening for John Enderby" at The Institute Theatre. Matinee & evening performances. See posters for details.  
 16 HGS Antiques Circle. Community Room, Bigwood House, 8pm. "Collecting Silver Today" by Myrtle Ellis, also AGM. Non members £1.25.
- Please send contributions and letters-to-the-editor to: R.J. Wakefield, 26 Hampstead Way, NW11.  
 Deadline for July Issue of Suburb News, WHAT'S ON, 20 June to A. Lawson, 68 Oakwood Road.  
 JULY 2-7-14 Institute Week followed by Suburb Festival Week. See Institute and Festival Week posters for details.

## TEDDY BEARS PICNIC

If you'd gone down to the woods beside the brook in Lyttelton playing fields on March 29, you would have been in for quite a surprise. If not quite 'all the bears that ever there were' but quite a number of them had taken their owners on a Teddy Bear Picnic.

It was the last day of term for the Pavilion Children's Centre and the field was bright with mothers and 2 or 3 year olds collecting daffodils from the other side and carrying them back to the Pavilion.

Having found the distant daffodils, and one or two found crocuses growing much nearer, the children gathered round the Centre's organisers, Nicki Landau and Sue Hughes and helper, Charlotte Wager, for a sing song before going into the Centre for the actual picnic.

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Jane Campbell and Oliver from Dudley Court



Motoko Takashima and Naoko



At least I don't have to walk about I've got the daffodil, now what? yet.



Thirsty work daffodil hunting.



Kozue Suehito

## MOTHERING SUNDAY

Some 100 or more children stayed for a most unusual service in St. Jude's on Mothering Sunday, instead of going off to Sunday school.

They were entranced by a 'sermon' delivered by 'Jimmy' a ventriloquist's dummy. Manipulating Jimmy was the Reverend Philip Schofield from Edgware United Reformed Church.

During the service, to the strains of an anthem sung by the junior choir, the children came up to collect posies

of Spring flowers for their mothers.

150 posies had been made from donated flowers by some of St. Jude's Girl Guides and Brownies, the day before, in a working party organised by Lorna Page, Margaret Smith and Sophie Woodfield.

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## ANOTHER GREAT SUBURB CLEAN-UP

Readers will remember the Suburb Clean-Up campaign organised a few years ago by the RA in co-operation with Barnet Council.

Arrangements have now been made to repeat this worthwhile exercise which benefits all residents. Barnet are arranging to site rubbish skips at 15 different locations within the Suburb during the weekend of May 12th/13th. Skips will be located at:

**Addison Way, near Finchley Road junction.**

**Willifield Way, near Finchley Road junction.**

**Hampstead Way, near junction with The Orchard.**

**Meadway Gate.**

**Temple Fortune Hill, at entrance to Big Wood.**

**Denman Drive, near to Big Wood.**

**Oakwood Road, at entrance to Little Wood.**

**Central Square, opposite entrance to Institute.**

**Kingsley Way, near junction with Middleway.**

**Holne Chase, at junction with Rowan Walk.**

**Emmott Close, at junction with Kingsley Way.**

**Hampstead Way, at Heathcroft.**

**Widcombe Way, at junction**

**with Lyttelton Road.**

**Hill Rise, at junction with Hill Top.**

**Brim Hill, near junction with Greenhalgh Walk.**

The Residents Association are arranging groups to clear some of the open spaces which have been allowed to accumulate rubbish. The skips will be available for the use of all residents and perhaps you and your neighbours might want to get together to organise your own street cleaning, clearing out the hedge-rows or than open space adjoining you. Refuse sacks will also be available at the skips.

Another way in which the Residents Association is working, in co-operation with Barnet, to improve our environment.

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