



The Village Newsletter

# Mottisfont & Dunbridge ACORN



October 2013

## Mottisfont Football Club

Mottisfont FC have begun their season in the Southampton Sunday League Junior Division 7. After some tough pre-season friendlies, including a win over local rivals Michelmarsh, the season proper began on 1st September.

The two league games have both ended in defeat, although the scorelines (5-3 to Fawley, and 7-5 to Bitterne) point to better defending required. However, the first cup game of the season saw a much improved performance against Gulf Western (a division 4 team), and with a penalty 10 minutes from the end, Mottisfont won 2-1. The game was a real thriller, with 3 penalties, some battling action and superb saves at both ends.

Mottisfont now move on to league action – fixtures are available on the notice boards at Mottisfont, Dunbridge, Mottisfont village hall and the social club. Supporters are more than welcome at the ground. Please feel free to come along and support the team. We will also be in the Social Club after the games if you would like to come down.

A big thank you to everyone who contributed to the Gruck Race. This raised more than £250 for Mottisfont Football Club, which was much appreciated.

Anyone interested in knowing more, playing or helping out should contact Alan Stewart on 340492, or 07808 825941.

Full fixtures and results for the City of Southampton Sunday League are available at [www.cssfl.org.uk](http://www.cssfl.org.uk) (Mottisfont are in Junior Division 7).

## Best ever fete - again!

We made just over £2,043 at this year's fete, slightly more than last year.

I would like to thank everybody who helped to make it all happen, and also people who just attended.

Next year's fete will be on **Sunday, 10th August**, so put it in your diaries now!

We are always looking for new ideas, so if you have any suggestions on how we can develop the fete, please contact me.

Michael Horne, tel. 340105 or email [hornes@btinternet.com](mailto:hornes@btinternet.com)

## Small Ads

**Justin Groves Gardening Services.** Top quality service provided. Tools can be provided, and green waste removed where necessary. Please ring/text 341301 or 07415 137312.

**Free stuff!** I have (free to take away) two Bush televisions (not flat screen), 14" across the diagonal, with built in VHS cassette player (not DVD). Both come with their remotes.

Also free to take away: Bush DVD player, Inspired Set Top Box for Freeview, internal TV aerial, some odds and ends of cables. I cannot guarantee all are in working order, and while I assume they are safe to use, no assurances can be supplied.

Contact Alan Groves on 341301

## Romsey Lantern Parade - Friday, 6th December

For the second year, this early evening lantern parade through the centre of Romsey, coinciding with the late night shopping date, is expected to be bigger and even better than last year's first successful parade.

Would you and your family like to be part of it? Here in the parish we are gathering our own group to take part. Four of us are participating in a lantern making masterclass; we took part last year, and with extra know-how will be able to provide anyone coming along to the workshops with the knowledge to produce

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**The deadline for inclusion of items in the NOVEMBER edition of the Acorn is 16th October.  
Please email items to [acornnews@mandercom.co.uk](mailto:acornnews@mandercom.co.uk).**

# The National Trust Mottisfont

## Invitation to Tenants & Local Villagers



**You are invited to an exclusive viewing  
of the documentary**

**Project Wild Things  
In the Village Hall on October 4<sup>th</sup> at 7pm**

### **What will happen if we raise a generation of children out of touch with nature?**

Filmmaker David Bond thinks Mother Nature needs a helping hand. His children are fascinated by screens but are strangers to the natural world. Childhood is different to when he grew up - so many distractions compete for children's time and attention. As the self appointed Marketing Director for Nature David with the help of marketing experts, he sets out to convince apathetic consumers, and his family, of the benefits of this amazing, free, wonder product. His journey takes him across the world as he attempts to untangle the complex web of agendas, fears, policies and habits that disconnect him and his family from the natural environment.

Project Wild Thing finds hilarity, joy and absurdity in the choices we face as 21st Century humans. What happens when we forget we are natural animals?

**Project Wild Thing is an ambitious, funny, thought provoking feature-length, documentary** made for the international theatrical, TV, film festivals and public screenings.

**The National Trust as one of the supporters of the project have access to a preview of the film and invite you to join us for this social event**

**RSVP to** Lynn Willmott on [lynn.willmott@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:lynn.willmott@nationaltrust.org.uk) or phone **01794 344039**

**There are 50 places available so first come first served**

The film has an international appeal, and will inspire viewers to rethink their own relationship with the natural environment.

### ***October Half Term fun at Mottisfont!***

#### **Fungi Foray: Monday 28 October, 2pm**

Tickets: Adults £5, Child £3. Discover the wonderful world of fungi on our foray around our woods at Sperrywell.

#### **Besom Broom Making: Tuesday 29 October, 11am and 1pm. Tickets: £6.**

Learn all about how to make this traditional broom in a special workshop where you get to keep the broom you have made!

#### **Spooky Zoo: Saturday 2 November, 11am**

A special Halloween themed Spooky Zoo! Hold

scary beasts and creepy crawlies. Test your nerve as you race beetles, feed animals and get to hold a seven foot python!

#### **Conker Competition: Sunday 3 November, 12pm**

Collect brilliant conkers from around our grounds before the competition starts, and then we get to see whose conker is the strongest!

*For our full listings of events, just visit  
[www.nationaltrust.org.uk/mottisfont](http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/mottisfont)*

## **'The Burgundies of Belgium A Tutored Tasting', 16th October**

Forget chocolate, lace, comic strips and surreal art; Belgium's greatest cultural contribution is its amazingly diverse beer. Despite its small size, Belgium boasts the world's greatest variety of beer styles, many of which are so unusual that they would be unrecognisable as beer in the context of our own brewing culture. Citrus, coriander, liquorice, chocolate, orange peel, honey, barley sugar, cloves, cherry, pomegranate, almond, oak and raisins are just some of the aromas recognisable in the nose of classic Belgian ales. Beer to the Belgians is a common passion among young and old, male and female, Flemish and Walloon; it is also fundamental to a unique gastronomic tradition known as 'cuisine à la bière'. The locals proudly know their beers as the 'Burgundies of Belgium', a nod to the affluent times when their lands were part of the Burgundian Empire.

Beginning with a look at Belgium, its brewing tradition and its unique beers, we shall taste examples of 5 or 6 styles with a background on each beer and brewery. Perhaps a lambic, fermented with native yeasts from the Senne Valley; perhaps a sharp, oaky gueuze, or a red Flemish ale. Certainly, a Trappist monastic brew and a kriek, made by steeping a lambic in cherries for up to a year; and maybe a refreshing spicy wheat beer. We might also manage a Scotch (yes, a Belgian style), an abbey beer, a saison, an ambrée or even a hoppy blonde.

Join us at the Village Hall, Broughton at 8pm (doors open at 7:30pm). Price £3 to include snacks and ale samples (or wine for those not tasting). Alcohol consumption should be below the legal limit for driving. Numbers limited to ~60 tasters.  
([nick.lodge@iee.org](mailto:nick.lodge@iee.org))

## **LOCKERLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL OPEN MORNING AND MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING**

Thursday, 17th October, 9.30am to 12 noon

At Lockerley Primary School we are ambitious for all our pupils. We have restructured to deliver an unusually high teacher to pupil ratio, and over the past few years have made substantial changes including investment in iPads, iPods, individual laptops and mobile interactive touchscreens.

We would like to invite the local community and all current and prospective parents to visit our school on Thursday, 17th October. This will be an opportunity to meet the staff, tour the school and see the

## **ROMSEY MALE VOICE CHOIR**

### **MAKING WAVES**

Supporting the Royal National Lifeboat Institution

United Reform Church, Romsey  
Saturday, 12th October at 7.30pm

Special Guests: The Romsey Youth Choir

Advance Tickets £10 available from  
Nigel Charlton on 340911

## **Mottisfont Cricket Club**

The Cricket Club has had a superb 2013 season, starting with a runners-up finish in the Midweek Border League Division 2. Richard Blake finished with an average of 279. The team suffered only one defeat and won promotion to the 1st division.



Our B team reached the semi-final of the Border League Plate K.O. Cup.

But it was even better on Saturdays when we won the Hampshire League Regional Division 1 West Championship, losing only one game and winning fourteen. Ian Bradwell (626), Richard Blake (431) and Danny Husbands (390) scored over 1,400 runs.

The bowlers were also very strong, dismissing eight teams in fifteen matches to give us our 3rd Hampshire League title, after success in County Division 4 in 1987 and 2008.

We thank our supporters for their support through the season. It is very much appreciated by all members of the club.

Tony Stemp

children in their learning environment. You will also be able to see our new Early Years outdoor area which includes a race track, extensive covered area and pirates and islands adventure area.

We are supporting the MacMillan Coffee Morning on this day, and refreshments will be served in the main hall adjacent to our new kitchen.

Please come and see what Lockerley School offers. We look forward to welcoming you.

Online applications for children starting school in September 2014 can be made at: [www.hants.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.hants.gov.uk/admissions).

For further details please contact Julie Black, the School Admin Officer, on 340485 or call into school.

Dear Friends,

We are on a Mission !



When I was a lad (yes, I was young once) one of the programmes I enjoyed was The Man From Uncle. This was a programme some of you will remember with spies and gadgets!

The TV 21 comic was launched in the 1960's and I pestered my Mum to order me a copy, and along with my friend Stephen we both became secret agents! Each month we would get a gadget in the comic and we even had agents badges. Ah such fun!

Well now, as St. Paul says, we are to put away childish things and to be on a mission along with our congregations for the Lord Jesus, and it is a life and death mission to bring people to Jesus.

Just as St. Andrew is known as a missionary saint, so we are to prioritise mission as part of our lives as Christians.

Gill and I are seeking to encourage and help our congregations as we all are called to introduce as many people as we can to Jesus in order that they may also come to know and love him and find in him a wonderful new relationship. You don't have to have a secret agent badge for this to work, you just need to have openness to prayer and a willingness to be open to Christ.

We have a new Bishop of Winchester, and he along with our Diocese and our Deanery and parishes will have mission as our number one agenda in the months and years to come. There will be lots of information yet to come and we will be letting you know of events and resources which will help us in our mission as a church and as individuals.

Blessings,

Ron

You are invited to join in

## **FAMILY FRIDAY**

All ages welcome

Lockerley & East Dean Memorial Hall

Friday, 18 October  
Friday, 15 November

From 3.15pm onwards (snacks at 4pm)  
Afternoon finishes at 5.15pm

Based on Messy Church ideas, we invite children to bring an adult (mum, dad, grandparent – or all!) to join us for creative activities, stories and music. The event is free but donations are welcome.

For further details please contact Christine 341731

### **SUNDAY BENEFICE CHURCH SERVICES FOR OCTOBER**

<b>Time</b>	<b>6th October TRINITY 19</b>	<b>13th October TRINITY 20</b>	<b>20th October TRINITY 21</b>	<b>27th October BIBLE SUNDAY</b>
8.00	<b>Broughton HC CW</b>	<b>Broughton HC (BCP)</b>	-	-
9.30	<b>Bossington Harvest Festival HC (BCP)</b>	<b>Broughton Shoebox Service For all ages</b>	<b>Mottisfont HC (BCP)</b>	<b>Broughton Family Communion (CW) and Sunday Club</b>
		<b>Houghton HC CW</b>		
11.00	<b>Mottisfont Matins</b>	<b>Mottisfont Family Service "Let's Celebrate Baptism"</b>	<b>Broughton HC CW and Coffee Club</b>	<b>Mottisfont Family Communion CW</b>
6.00	<b>Houghton Harvest Festival Songs of Praise</b>	-	<b>Houghton Evensong</b>	<b>Houghton HC (BCP)</b>

Every Wednesday: 9.30am, St. Mary's Church, Broughton - Holy Communion (BCP)  
BCP - Book of Common Prayer CW - Common Worship

## MOTTISFONT & DUNBRIDGE W.I.



At the September meeting we were given an interesting insight into the art of floristry. The talk was given by Hazel Dawson who has been a teacher of floristry for a number of years. We were shown how to prepare flowers and greenery for buttonholes and floral displays. Hazel demonstrated how to arrange a basket of flowers which she later donated as a raffle prize.

The next meeting of the group will be on Tuesday, 8th October at 7.30pm. The speaker will be Anthony Raper on 'The History of Weyhill Fair'. Guests will be very welcome so why not join us for a cup of coffee, a biscuit and a chat.

Mary Batten

### Were you Baptised in Mottisfont Church?

If you were christened in St Andrew's Church we would love to welcome you at our special "Let's Celebrate Baptism" service on 13th October at 11:00am.

This is an all-age service, and will start with a craft activity led by Shelly, followed by a short act of worship. We will conclude with refreshments.

We hope many of you will be able to join us and share your family connections with Mottisfont Church.

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and decorate a wonderful lantern of their own. The lanterns can be of any size, made with willow supports, cling film and tissue paper illuminated by LED torches, and painted and decorated to your own design. They are not difficult to make, and you keep them afterwards.

All materials will be provided. There will be a small cost of around £4 or £5 per lantern.

Come along all you young people, Mums and Dads. We are sure you and your family would love to join the parade on 6th December.

The first workshop to make your lantern will be held in the Village Hall on Saturday, 9th November from 10am - 1pm. A second workshop, to decorate or paint your lantern, will be the following Saturday, 16th November, 10am - 1pm.

For further information, to register your interest or to sign up, contact Shelly, [shellyhm@btinternet.com](mailto:shellyhm@btinternet.com) or 341519, Gordon, [david.gordon@mottisfont.plus.com](mailto:david.gordon@mottisfont.plus.com) or 340129, or Pat or Dave, [pwfrancis@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:pwfrancis@hotmail.co.uk) or 340609.

## BROUGHTON BRIGHT HOUR

Thursdays at 2.30pm in the New Room at St. Mary's Church, Broughton

### Events for October

3rd October: Members Meeting  
10th October: 80th Anniversary Celebration  
(in the Village Hall)  
17th October: Members Meeting  
24th October: School Harvest Festival  
31st October: Mrs. Linda Rowe (Gideons)  
Everyone welcome. Please come and join us.

Barbara Perry, Booking Secretary, 301466

## MUSIC IN ST. ANDREW'S

In addition to normal Services, St Andrew's Church organ has been in demand for several funerals and weddings recently. Our organist, Mrs Cole, plays a variety of specially requested music as well as the common favourites but would prefer that the organ behaved a little better. By that I mean that there are times when the notes simply don't sound and the organ blower is, according to the person who services it, surely the noisiest in Hampshire and beyond.

Does anyone remember the old song 'The lost chord'? We are in competition! We are told that a digital organ could be bought for a 'modest' sum. However, for the quality needed, and for the amplification needed to get the sound around and through the archway, as well as the various legal matters required by the church - not a simple procedure - the cost would be as much, if not more than, the £20,000 needed to overhaul the pipe organ, replace some parts and make a tonal change to enable the congregation - particularly the older people like me - to join in more of the singing.

If anyone in the village wants to see the schedule of the proposed work, I will be pleased to arrange that. In the meantime we are busy trying to raise the required sum by both small and larger events. We have set up a special organ fund and would be delighted if any of our readers would like to let myself or Susan Clutterbuck have a gift to credit to the fund. As usual, if you are in a position to Gift Aid the relevant sum, this will cost you nothing more but will add to the amount we receive.

If you would like to know more about Gift Aid I will gladly talk it over with you, in confidence.

Thank you for reading this information and its begging. It would be good to hear from you.

Valda White - Church Secretary - phone 368346

## GET FIT - KEEP FIT!

Join Mary Grimshaw's weekly (during term time) exercise class to improve your all-round fitness and stamina. This relaxed class is suitable for all ages and stages of fitness and includes elements of Pilates, dance and other exercises.

Place: Lockerley Memorial Hall  
Time: 8pm  
Cost: £3 per session

For more details contact Mary Grimshaw on 340223.



## WALKING GROUP

Our next monthly walks will be:

► Friday, 11th October 10am: Meet outside the Mill Arms. Local easy walk, about 3 hours.

► Friday, 8th Nov. 9.30am: Car share to West Tytherley. Lunch at the Lord Nelson at Winterslow.

Peter Moore leading, approx. 9 - 10 miles.

► Friday, 13th Dec. 9.30am: Car share, pre-Christmas walk. Hinton Ampner, lunch at the Flower Pots, Cheriton.



Our walks are never strenuous.

Why not come and join us?

Gordon, 340129

## MOTTISFONT CRAFT CLUB

We're a lively and fun group who meet every Wednesday in the Village Hall from 1-3.30pm.

Whether you are new or experienced, everyone is welcome. If you're new to crafting and need supplies provided, it's £4, or £2 if you bring your own supplies. Refreshments are included.

To see for yourself how much fun we have, go to [www.mottisfontcraftclub.co.uk](http://www.mottisfontcraftclub.co.uk).

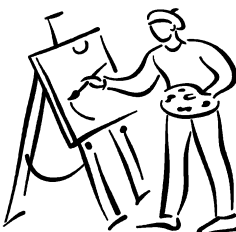
Contact Shelly on 341519, or email me at [shellyhm@btinternet.com](mailto:shellyhm@btinternet.com)



## Art Group at the Village Hall

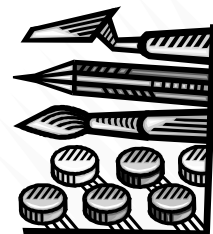
Meets every Thursday, 2pm - 4pm at the Village Hall. We're a self-help group, so it's very easy going.

A masterpiece every time, or maybe just settle for tea and biscuits, and enjoy trying your hand at something you've always wanted to have a go at.



Not sure? Then just give me a ring!

Gordon, 340129



## What's on at the Mill Arms

Saturday, 12th October:

### "Madison Heights"

This incredible high energy, 9 piece band are back with lots more soul, funk and Motown hits.



This is their third show at The Mill Arms. They sell out every time (200 tickets sold last time!!!). Cash and advance ticket sales only – over half the tickets already sold. £5.00pp.

Bring your dancing shoes – you are going to need them! A brilliant night out – stay overnight and receive a special B&B rate. Please call to discuss how many tickets you need...340401.

### "Creative Cow"

are also back – their 7th year at The Mill Arms!

Sunday, 27th October,  
7-10.30/11pm

2 course dinner + Live theatre

Creative Cow in association with Guildford's Yvonne Arnaud Theatre presents The Merry Wives of Windsor

Tickets are limited. Advance reservations only. £30pp, includes 2-course meal and live theatre.

A great night out!

Stay overnight with our special B&B rate.

Please email your interest and for menu pre-selection before 10th October.

Phone or email Lee or Andrea to book!

[millarms@btconnect.com](mailto:millarms@btconnect.com)

01794 340 401

## KIMBRIDGE RESTAURANT

### Baked ham with a cider, spiced quince and orange sauce

#### Ingredients:

2kg gammon  
2 pints cider  
Water  
1 litre apple juice  
1 onion  
1 bay leaf  
8 peppercorns  
50g butter  
100g brown sugar  
5g mustard  
½ teaspoon ground cloves  
½ teaspoon ground cinnamon  
45g quince jelly  
Rind and juice of 3 oranges  
Rind and juice of 1 lemon  
10g wholegrain mustard  
5ml red wine vinegar  
Honey



*Kate Buchan,  
Sous Chef  
at Kimbridge  
Restaurant*

#### How to make it:

Soak the gammon overnight in cold water. Then drain the ham and put it in a large saucepan with the cider and apple juice, and top up with cold water until the gammon is covered. Add the bay leaf, onion and peppercorns, and bring up to the boil. Skim the surface to remove any fat, reduce the heat and simmer for 1½ hours.

Preheat the oven to 220c/200c fan/gas 7. Remove the joint from the pan and peel off the skin. Score the fat with criss-crosses to make diamond shapes. Keep the stock for later.

Stand the gammon in a roasting tray. Mix the butter with the sugar, mustard and spices to create paste, then spread this over the gammon fat and roast in the oven for 20 minutes or until the fat is golden.

In the meantime make the sauce by melting the quince jelly in a saucepan, add the orange and lemon juices with their rinds. Stir well. Mix in the mustard and vinegar and add some honey to taste. Add a little of the cooking stock if needed. To serve, slice the ham and pour over a little of the sauce.

### Whist Drives at the Village Hall

Our season commences again on 27th September, then usually the last Friday of each month until April. The next three are Friday, 25th October. Friday, 29th November. and a special Christmas one on Friday, 20th December. All start at 7.30pm.

Wonderful prizes, Raffle & Refreshments.

John Jenkins, 301614, Gordon Wood, 340129

### What's on In October

- ▶ Wednesday, 2nd: Eat-as-much-as-you-like buffet evening, £7.95
- ▶ Friday, 4th: Fish Fryday, home battered cod and chips, £8.95
- ▶ Friday, 4th: A la carte Hampshire Fayre dining experience
- ▶ Saturday, 5th: Family evening, children's menu free
- ▶ Sunday, 6th: Wedding open day from 11am to 3pm
- ▶ Tuesday, 8th: Silk painting, Studioart. See in store for details.
- ▶ Wednesday, 9th: The Kimbridge Quiz, plus buffet evening, £7.95
- ▶ Friday, 11th: Fish Fryday, home battered cod and chips, £8.95
- ▶ Friday, 11th: A la carte Hampshire Fayre dining experience
- ▶ Saturday, 12th: Family evening, children's menu free
- ▶ Wednesday, 16th: DC Solo Sax & friends + buffet evening, £10.95
- ▶ Friday, 18th: Fish Fryday, home battered cod and chips, £8.95
- ▶ Friday, 18th: A la carte Hampshire Fayre dining experience
- ▶ Saturday, 19th: Evening full
- ▶ Wednesday, 23rd: 1st-time-on-stage acts + buffet evening, £8.95
- ▶ Friday, 25th: Fish Fryday, home battered cod and chips, £8.95
- ▶ Friday, 25th: A la carte Hampshire Fayre dining experience
- ▶ Saturday, 26th: Family evening, children's menu free

Booking required. Available from 6pm, last orders 8.30pm, close 10pm.

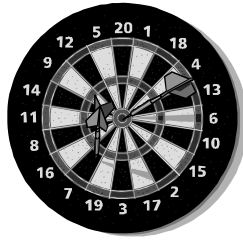
Valid until 31st October with this copy of the *Acorn*:

- ▶ Special for our Wednesday evenings: When ordering a dessert as well as eat-as-much-as-you-like buffet, dessert will be half price, i.e. £2.50.
- ▶ Special for our Friday night a la carte evenings: free bottle of house wine for bookings of 4 or more
- ▶ Special for our Saturday night family evenings: children get a free soft drink as well as their free meal

If you would like to be added to our mailing service, send your email address to [kimbridgerestaurant@gmail.com](mailto:kimbridgerestaurant@gmail.com) or phone 340777 or 340556

## Mottisfont Social Club

The club is very well situated in the heart of the village, welcoming families and offering a friendly face and reasonably priced bar. We have a range of giant games for children, and for the adults there is a choice of a snooker table, pool table, 5 dart boards, skittle alley, adequate parking and a garden for the warmer weather.



Mottisfont Social Club is a good sized venue for all of your celebrations, right on your doorstep. We are free to use to all of our members, and can assist you in organising your parties. Joining is easy: just pop in and introduce yourself!

### What's on

Mondays: Ladies darts, Snooker  
 Tuesdays: Billiards  
 Thursdays: Bingo, Crib  
 Fridays: Men's darts, Thrift Club  
 Saturdays: Chase the Aces and occasional entertainment  
 Sundays: Skittles.

### Club Opening Hours

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat: 7pm till 11pm  
 Wednesday: closed unless pre-booked  
 Sunday: Noon till 2pm, and 7pm till 10.30pm

## Electric Blanket Testing

TVBC are supporting free electric blanket testing sessions where people can take along their electric blankets to be checked for safety and fire risk. Testing will be taking place at Romsey Fire Station on Wednesday, 9th October.

In 2012, of the 120 blankets tested, almost 50% failed and were taken out of use ensuring the owners' safety.

Tests must be booked in advance by calling 01962 833358 (HCC Trading Standards Office).

## ARE YOU UNDER 25 YEARS OF AGE?

If you are, and you live within the ancient parishes of Broughton, Bossington and Mottisfont, you can apply for help with something needed for your education from The Dowse Trust. This could be: a musical instrument, school/college/university study material, a school trip or music lessons.

Grants are normally in the region of £50 to £200. The Trust meets every three months, but applications can be sent in at any time.

To get an application form you need to contact the secretary: Mrs. Christine Hoskins, Fripps, High Street, Broughton, SO20 8AD, or by email to: [hoskins12@btinternet.com](mailto:hoskins12@btinternet.com)

## Who's Who, What's What and Where's Where in Mottisfont and Dunbridge

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<b>Football Club</b>	Secretary	Alan Stewart	340492	<b>Test Valley Councillor</b>		Linda Holmes	340521
<b>Hampshire County Councillor</b>		Andrew Gibson	01264			Neville Whiteley	01264
			861138	<b>Village Bus</b>	Secretary	George Vaughan	301045
<b>Member of Parliament</b>		Caroline Nokes	512132		Bookings	Pam Dawkins	301203
<b>Mill Arms</b>		Andrea & Ian Bentall	340401		Private Hire	Julie Smith	301470
<b>Mottisfont Abbey</b>	Est. Manager	Paul Cook	340757		Operations	Mike Howe	301723
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<b>Parish Council</b>	Clerk	Sue Holder	340130	No. 291629)	Bookings	Tony Stemp	340398
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		Joyce Southwell					

The Acorn is also available at [www.theacorn.org.uk](http://www.theacorn.org.uk) where you will also find links to local schools, pubs, trains, council, church, WI and more.