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Large congregation expected at Church Service

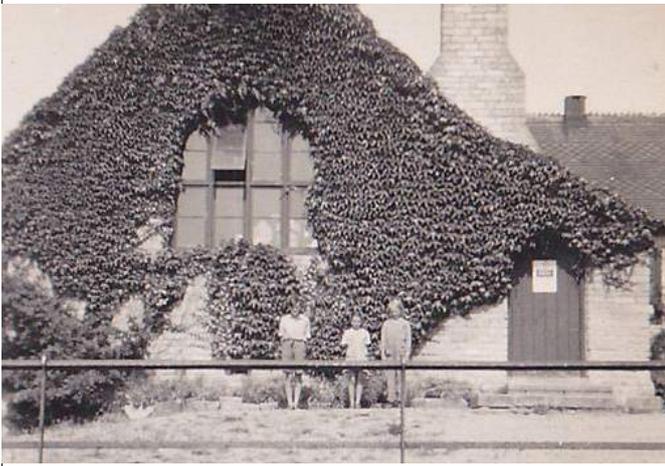
On Sunday 3rd July a service will be held at Kingsdon Church at 11am to celebrate the life of Kingsdon School, which was closed on 31st May. An invitation to old boys / girls, staff and others associated with the school over the years, has been sent out and it is expected that between 150 - 200 will attend. Light refreshments are being served in the village hall afterwards.

If you can make it, and haven't already done so, please contact Freda Curtis (840898), Norma Black (840727) or Penny Simpson (849193) with numbers attending for the arrangement of refreshments.

The village hall will be open from 9.30am when the donations of sandwiches etc. will be gratefully received. There will be an exhibit of old photographs and the village scrap books.

Photographs of Kingsdon School circa 1947

Outside the school are John Marsh (gamekeeper's son), Ruth Taswell? (pub landlord's daughter) & Joanna Neal (granddaughter of the old squire). In the other photo are Ruth & Joanna again and Petrina, Joanna's sister with Queenie their pony - taken in the playing field.



Kingsdon Church Fete

Saturday 11th July and at least there was some sunshine between the Friday showers and the Sunday deluge. Nonetheless an enjoyable afternoon for all who attended. Congratulations to David (*him with the shorts*) Beswick and all who helped with the organisation and manning of the stalls. It was a very pleasant afternoon and an opportunity to have a chat with friends over a cream tea and catch up with the latest gossip. By the end of the day the grand sum of £903 had been raised. The following day however, the continuous rain meant the Songs of Praise in the marquee had to be cancelled (*Wally*)

Many thanks to all of you who through your time, effort, gifts and loans of equipment made the Fete such a success this year. Very special thanks to the stalwart band of helpers who set everything up on the morning and were there again to dismantle everything on the Saturday evening. (*David Beswick*)





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Project Linus

Babs, Jill and I would like to thank everyone who helped produce such wonderful coloured blankets for the above project. We couldn't believe that we had achieved so much in the few short months since we started.

The display in the village hall the morning of the 'Bacon Butties' was amazing and looked so bright and cheerful. A representative from Project Linus came to see what we had done, and she was speechless, she was expecting about 10 blankets, we had a quick count and there were over 40, and they are still coming in. As summer is here (as I write this it is pouring with rain), we have decided not to have another meeting until September. We will let you know the date nearer the time. In the meantime have a lovely summer, and remember...keep knitting... *Linda*

**Kingsdon Sheep and Pony
Breeders Success at the Shows**

At the Devon County Show Jenny Gamblin had the following results in the British Rare Breeds of Sheep class:

- Group of 3 - 2nd
- Ram Shearling - 2nd
- Ewe Lamb - 1st
- Ewe Shearling - 1st
- Adult Ewe - 2nd
- Female Champion 1st
- Champion Pair - RES

In the Standard Shetland 4 years & over class- Barry Gamblin won rosettes for: 3rd with Boxleaze Changers and 5th with Oakgrove Baz-Bee

At the Royal Bath & West Show Jenny brought home 5 rosettes with the following in the 'Any other Native Breed class' of sheep
Group of Three Sheep - 3rd
Ram, 2 shearer and upwards - 4th
Shearing Ram - 3rd
Ewe, 2 shearer and upwards - 2nd
Ewe Lamb - 2nd

There was also success for Barry when his pony came 2nd in the Shetland Pony Stallion & Gelding, 4 year and over class.

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Kingsdon Cricket Club Results

Sunday 5th June away to Witham Friary
No play due to rain.

Sunday 12th June away to Pitney
No play due to rain

Saturday 18th June
Kingsdon 145 (J. Russon 55n.o.)
Carpe Vinum C.C. 47.

Sunday 26th June
Kingsdon 76
Langport 77 - 9

Kingsdon Ladies Club

Lynne Davies welcomed 14 members to the June meeting. The guest speakers, Kay and Bill Wych work 3 days a week at Glastonbury Abbey entertaining visitors. Kay as a kitchen maid and Bill as a nobleman. Their talk was very funny. Lynne gave the vote of thanks. Babs provided refreshments and said there would be no more Linus Project meetings till September. Margaret Hill won the flutter prize.

Next month's speaker will be John Smith, whose talk will be on Military Equipment. He will bring along many artefacts and will be of interest to the gentlemen of the village, so it will be an open evening. Charge to visitors will be only £1, which includes tea and biscuits, so do come and join us on July 12th at 7.30pm in the village hall.

Patricia Edith Green



22nd June 1925 ~ 23rd

may 2011

A service of celebration for the life of Pat Green was held at All Saints' Church, Kingsdon on Friday 10th June, attended by many of her family and friends from Kingsdon. The service was conducted by the Reverend Wendy Griffith. Pat's son, Simon gave the eulogy 'Shared memories', and David Beswick gave the reading.

Refreshments were served afterwards at the village hall.

SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL - PARISH OF KINGSDON

Temporary Closure of Silver Street

TAKE NOTICE that in pursuance of Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulations Act 1984, as amended by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 1991, the County Council of Somerset propose to make an Order PROHIBITING ALL TRAFFIC from proceeding along Silver Street from the junction with Top Street to the junction with Copper Beech Road, a distance of 80 metres.

This order will enable Carillion-Telent to lay new ducting on behalf of Openreach.

The Order becomes effective on 4* July 2011 and will remain in force for eighteen months. The works are expected to last for 5 days. While the closure is in operation, an alternative route will be signed as detailed below,

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For information about the works being carried out please contact Carillion-Telent Helpdesk on 0800526015.

For further details of the alternative route please contact Somerset County Council on 0845 345 9155.

SHEILA WHEELER Chief Executive Dated: 16th June 2011

Avon & Somerset Police Crime warning

There has been an upsurge in the number of thefts from motor vehicles - particularly those parked in beauty spot areas. Over one past weekend reports of offences have occurred in this police area. Most of the victims live locally and will have gone to the areas for fairly short periods of time, walking dogs etc.

In many cases windows of vehicles were broken to gain entry to whatever had been left on display. Attempts had been made with some items to hide them under front seats or elsewhere, but they were still noticed and stolen. Items stolen included a number of bags, handbags and purses, together with their contents and sports equipment. In one instance the vehicle was tipped onto its side and fuel stolen from the tank.

Please remember that vehicle crime is often easily preventable. Whenever you leave a vehicle - whether at home, in a beauty spot or car park - it should be secured and all items taken out wherever possible. Locking items in a covered boot area is better than nothing, but is no guarantee that attempts will not be made to gain entry.

Kingsdon Seniors Club

Douglas welcomed members to the monthly meeting, particularly Donald, after his operation. The guest speaker Janet Maile was then introduced. Her subject was the life and times of Noel Coward, which she accompanied with some of his tunes on an electric organ for all to sing along to. Douglas gave the vote of thanks before refreshments were served by Pat Cypryk and Jean Frost

Next month there would be no meeting but instead we would all be meeting at the home of Donald and Joyce on Wednesday 13th July for our annual summer tea, to which all members are asked to contribute

<p>At a fabric store, a pretty girl spots a nice material for a dress and asks the male clerk: How much does it cost? "Only one kiss per yard," replied the male clerk with a smirk. "That's fine," said the girl. I'll take ten yards." With expectation and anticipation written all over his face, the clerk quickly measured out the cloth, wrapped it up, and then teasingly held it out. The girl took the bag and pointed to the old lady standing beside her, and smiled, "Grandma is paying the bill."</p>	<p>A man and his wife were sitting in the living room discussing a "Living Will" "Just so you know, I never want to live in a vegetative state, dependent on some machine and fluids from a bottle. If that ever happens, just pull the plug." His wife got up, unplugged the TV and threw out all the beer.</p>
	<p>A mate of mine recently admitted to being addicted to brake fluid. When I quizzed him on it he reckoned he could stop any time.....</p>

A farmer decided he wanted to go into town to see a film. At the ticket kiosk he was asked "Sir, what's that on your shoulder?"

The old farmer said "That's my pet rooster Chuck, wherever I go, Chuck goes"

"I'm sorry sir" said the ticket girl, "We can't allow animals into the cinema"

The old farmer went round the corner and stuffed Chuck down his overalls, he then returned to the cinema bought a ticket and went in. He sat next to two old widows named Mildred and Marge.

The film started and Chuck started to squirm. The old farmer unbuttoned his fly so Chuck could stick his head out and watch the film.

"Marge" whispered Mildred. "What" said Marge. "I think the guy next to me is a pervert"

"What makes you think so" asked Marge?

"He undid his pants and he has his thing out", whispered Mildred.

"Well, don't worry about it" said Marge, "at our age we've seen 'em all"

"I thought so to" said Mildred, "but this one's eating my popcorn!"

How to give a cat a pill.

1. Pick up the cat and cradle it in the crook of your left arm as if holding a baby. Position right forefinger and thumb on either side of cat's mouth and gently apply pressure to cheeks while holding pill in right hand. As cat opens mouth pop pill into mouth. Allow cat to close mouth and swallow.
2. Retrieve pill from floor and cat from behind sofa. Cradle cat in left Arm and repeat process.
3. Take new pill from foil wrap, cradle cat in left arm, holding rear paws tightly with left hand. Force jaws open and push pill to back of mouth with right forefinger. Hold mouth shut for a count of ten.
4. Kneel on floor with cat wedged firmly between knees, hold front and rear paws, ignore growls emitted by cat. Get spouse to hold cat's head firmly with one hand while forcing wooden ruler into mouth. Drop pill down ruler and rub cat's throat vigorously.
5. Retrieve cat from curtain rail, get another pill from foil wrap. Make note to buy new ruler and repair curtains. Carefully sweep shattered figurines and vases from hearth and set to one side for gluing later.
6. Wrap cat in a large towel and get spouse to lie on cat with cat's head just visible from below armpit. Put pill in end of a drinking straw, force cat's mouth open with pencil and blow down straw.
7. Check label to make sure pill is not harmful to humans, drink a beer to take away the taste. Apply Band-Aid to spouse's forearm and remove blood from the carpet with soap and water.
8. Tie the little angel's front paws to rear paws with garden twine and bind tightly to leg of the dining table. Find heavy pruning gloves from shed. Push pill into mouth followed by large piece of fillet steak. Be rough about it. Hold head vertical and pour 2 pints of water down cat's throat to wash down pill.
9. Consume remainder of scotch. Get spouse to drive you to the A&E, sit quietly while doctor stitches fingers and forearm and removes pill from your eye. Call furniture shop on way home to order a new table.
10. Arrange for RSPCA to collect the mutant cat from hell and ring local pet shop to see whether they have any hamsters.

A new Middle East crisis erupted last night as Dubai Television was refused permission to broadcast 'The Flintstones'. A spokesman for the channel said. "A claim was made that people in Dubai would not understand the humour, but we know for a fact that people in Abu Dhabi Do."

My daughter asked me for a pet spider for her birthday, so I went to our local pet shop and they were £70! Blow this I thought, I can get one cheaper off the web.

<p>Statistically, 6 out of 7 dwarves are not happy.</p>	<p>I start a new job in Seoul next week. I think it is a good Korea move.</p>
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22nd – NGS. Join the garden team for a tour behind the scenes and information on managing your garden at this time of year. Tours at 12:00 and 2:30pm. Garden admission tickets will be donated to the NGS. *Normal admission applies to the House.*

30th and 31st - Topiary Weekend. Our Gardener in Charge will be leading tours of the garden and focussing on the maintenance of the hedges and topiary at Lytes Cary. Join in with practical demonstrations including cloud box trimming and take away ideas to try at home. Workshops at 11:00-3:00pm. £20.00 per person including buffet lunch. Booking essential.

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The Kingsdon Inn Caribbean Night Friday 22nd July

Rum Punch on arrival or Virgin Pine Colada

Menu

Cream of Pumpkin Soup

Mixed Seafood Creole

Saltfish Fritters

Curried Chicken Rotl

Panfried Limes & Ginger Beef

Crispy Fried Coconut Shrimp

Rice, Peas & Fried Plantain

Tropical Fruit Salad

Mango & Papayalce Ice Cream

£16 per person

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Dem Tune Yuh Playing No The One I Dancing!!!

The Village Field

There is no getting away from it, Kingsdon is a unique village. Very little through traffic, wonderful views, in fact everything that conjures up in the imagination what an English Country Village should be.

So why am I not happy?

It saddened me to learn that the Parish Council asked for the undergrowth, nettles etc to be cut back along the edge of the field running alongside the Estate Yard and the railing going down to the Estate Yard and Gardeners Cottage.

To explain more fully my disappointment with this, I will take you back some 30 years and tell all who are new to the village how the field has evolved.

When we moved here some thirty-one years ago, sheep used to graze in the village field. This made it look very rural, but I have to admit walking through the field was always a hazard as you usually ended up with something unsavoury on your shoes. So when a few years later the sheep were no longer using the field, this gave the village children a chance to take it over and let off steam. The grass was cut some two or three times a year by tractor with cutter on the back, and the children had endless fun piling up the cut grass and jumping in it, making dens out of it, and doing all things children love to do. The edges around the field were left and an array of wild life and plants thrived quite happily in these. Hardly a day went past without our own children and friends bringing in snails, caterpillars, grasshoppers, slow worms, the odd mouse to name a few, back to Gardeners Cottage where they would be examined under a magnifying glass, looked up in

books to find out what habitat they liked, and then with gentle persuasion, returned to the field to carry on with their life.

Yes, children fell into the stinging nettles and were stung, but they were encouraged to look for a dock leaf, or (dare I say) spit on their hand and rub it in the sting. Yes, on more than one occasion they would come home with the seat of their trousers hanging out where they had had an encounter with the brambles, but that's the way children learn to respect nature. All the village children played in the field, rounders, football, cricket, girls and boys of all ages enjoying the freedom the field had to offer.

We are blessed that the village field (and note I say field and not park), is large and this can enable us to have the neatly mowed grass in the middle for village fetes and functions, and whilst I do appreciate that a small area at the bottom is left, I feel we could help our declining wildlife much more just by leaving more of the edges rough to encourage wild life back. Nettles are a very important part of nature, whilst caterpillars are nibbling away at the tender young nettle shoots, they are not on your cabbages!

How long has it been since a Barn Owl has been spotted quartering the field, (please someone prove me wrong) quite a few years I think at one time this was quite a common sight around dusk, but there are no voles living in the field, hence no food source for the Barn Owl and we have been responsible for destroying the voles' habitat. What gives us the right to think that we are the only ones with any claim on the field? I am not saying that the edges should be left to run wild with no control, if cut at the right times of the year, certainly not at the beginning of June as happened when all the wild life are feeding their young; but with care and timing it could be to the advantage and harmony of us all.

So let us take time to reflect why we are living in a country village and not an urban development. Could it be that we like the thought of being closer to nature? If we are not careful we will destroy the uniqueness of Kingsdon and all that it stands for. So, come on people of Kingsdon! Let's embrace what we have whilst it is still there. If managed responsibly we can have something truly wonderful. *Linda Rumbles*

Kingsdon Parish Councillors and their specific topics

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The next Kingsdon Parish Council Meeting will be on Thursday 14th July at 7pm in the village hall

Minutes of the Kingsdon Parish Council Planning Meeting held on Thursday June 2nd 2011 at 7pm in the home of Tony Masters

Present: Mr A Masters (Chairman); Mr D Morris, Mr M Clode, Mr A Colton, Mrs A Saunders and Mrs E Owen (Parish Councillors); Mrs S Smith (Parish Clerk) plus 1 parishioner.

Apologies: R. Hollaway (Parish Councillor).

The minutes of the previous planning meeting were read, agreed and signed. The Clerk said that she had been notified by South Somerset District Council planning department that they had refused planning permission for Application 11.00965/COU, 7 Kingsdon.

It was agreed that the Clerk should write to SSDC stating that further to their refusal of above, Kingsdon Parish Council would like confirmation of any action they would now be taking to address the present rental usage of the ancillary accommodation and also how their decision will be monitored to ensure future adherence to the original conditions.

There were two applications to be considered:

APPLICATION NUMBER: 11/01617/LBC. Officer: Ms Alex Skidmore.

Applicant: Mr David Thomson

Proposal: Refurbishment of stable block to provide ancillary accommodation for the residents of Park Farm.

Location: Park Farmhouse, Lower Road, Kingsdon TA11 7LL.

Parish Councillor Mrs E Owen declared an interest because she lived next door. Mr T Masters outlined the plan commenting on the replacement of the asbestos roof with slate. Mr D Morris said it must be ensured that the property would be used only for ancillary accommodation and not develop into a totally separate property.

It was proposed by Mr D Morris and seconded by Mrs A Saunders that approval for the refurbishment is given on the condition that the building is only used as an ancillary overflow for the use of those living at Park Farmhouse. The Council also stated that they would not be in favour of this refurbishment if there were any future proposals to change the use of the building to a separate residential property.

The motion was carried.

APPLICATION NUMBER: 11/01970/FUL Officer: Ms Alex Skidmore.

Applicant: Mr K Purdy

Proposal: Replacement of existing single storey structure to side of dwellinghouse with a two storey extension, replacement of existing windows and doors and creation of a new window openings to existing gable wall and rear elevation.

Location: 25 North Town, Kingsdon TA11 7LE

There was some general discussion on the fact that the property had been neglected for many years and while it is not listed it is within a conservation village and is opposite listed buildings. Mr D Morris said the original door remains but the bottom quarter appears to be rotten. There was discussion over the plan for PVC and the colour of the windows and that it was important the property was refurbished with relation to the blue lias of the adjoining property.

It was proposed by Mr D Morris and seconded by Mr A Colton that approval be given with the following conditions:

- a) That the colour, materials and the architectural detailing of the windows match as closely as possible the adjoining building.
- b) That the building is completed in accordance with the village design statement, noting that while the property is not listed, it is in a conservation area.

The motion was carried.

Any other business

Mr D Morris drew the Council's attention to the new door on the front of the Old Rectory Cottage on Top Street. It was confirmed that this was not a listed building but it was thought to be in the conservation area. The Clerk was asked to obtain clarification of this point.

The Parish Design Statement is now five years old but there was general agreement it is still a very effective tool. The Clerk agreed to copy the plan onto discs so that everyone could have a copy for further reference.

Parishioner Mr P Leahy outlined the removal of a basketball pole and hoop from outside the village hall and there was some discussion over the history and usage of the facility. The Clerk was asked to write to the Village Hall Committee to ascertain the background to the removal of the pole and hoop and it would be put on the agenda for the next Parish meeting in July.

Mr T Masters said he was still hoping the planned work by Mr Gary Allen and his team to repair the walls around the village field would go ahead in accordance with the overall total maximum cost of £1250 agreed in a previous meeting.

Mrs E Owen mentioned the deterioration of sign posts around the village and Mr A Colton said he would contact the Highways Dept to see if they could offer repairs. Mr D Morris said he knew of a village who had undertaken very successful repairs themselves of local signage and this gave the potential of obtaining nicer signs.

The Clerk agreed to copy the Electoral Roll and provide it to councillors for their own records.

There was no further business and the meeting closed at 8.15pm.

Planning Application Received by SSDC

Application No: 11/02254/FUL

Applicant: LPI Ltd

Agent: Mr David Nurse

Location: Langlands Farm, Frog Lane, Kingsdon, Somerton, Somerset, TA11 7LL

Proposal: Application for a new planning permission to replace extant planning permission 08/02614/FUL for the conversion of disused former barn into a dwelling and the erection of a garage

Status: Pending Consideration

All Saints Church

Priest in Charge

Revd Alan Symonds Tel/Fax 01458 272029 (For arrangement of Baptisms, Weddings and other occasional services)

Assistant Priest

Revd Wendy Griffith Tel 01458 224087

Curate

Revd Bruce Faulkner Tel 01458 270902

Church Warden

David Beswick. Tel 01935 840795

Parochial Church Council

Secretary Sir Donald Limon Tel 01935 840450

Treasurer Alan Carnall Tel 01935 840692

Tower Captain

Jackie Ellis Tel 01935 840344

Church Services for July

Sunday	3rd	11am	Village School Celebration Service
Sunday	10th	11am	Holy Communion
Sunday	17th	11am	Holy Communion 6pm Evensong
Sunday	24th	9.30am	Holy Communion
Sunday	31st	11am	Mattins

Church Rotas for July

Brass: Joyce Limon

Flowers: Freda Curtis & Jackie Ellis

Kingsdon Village Hall

For all information (except bookings) contact: - Martin Singleton, Mountsandel Lodge, Mow Barton Rd. Kingsdon. TA11 7LG Tel. 01935 841162

For bookings contact Marilyn Elliott, 4 Manor Close, Kingsdon, TA11 7LW Tel 01935 841444
Email marilyn.elliott@hotmail.co.uk

Bookings for July 2011

Thai Chi	Mondays 10.30am - 12noon (Term time)
Short Mat Bowls	Mondays 7pm - 9pm, Tuesdays 10am - 12noon
Table Tennis Club	Tuesdays at 7.30pm (Not 12th)
Yeovil District Canine Soc.	Friday 1st, Thursdays 7th, 21st 28th + Every Wednesday @8pm
Art Club	Thursdays 10am - 12noon (Term Time)
Kingsdon Ladies Club	Tuesday 12th at 7.30pm
Kingsdon Seniors Club	Wednesday 13th at 3pm at West Barn
Parish Council Meeting	Thursday 14th 7pm
Practical Study Group	Wednesday 20th 10am - 3pm
School re-union	Sunday 3rd July

Kingsdon Table Tennis Club

The Table Tennis Club play in the Village Hall on Tuesday evenings (apart from the 2nd Tuesday in the month) between 7.30pm and 9.30pm. If you are interested then please contact Shirley or Martin Singleton on 841162 or just come along.

Kingsdon Cricket Club

Secretary: Kathy Jamison

'The Swallows' 43 Kingsdon Tel 01935 841049

President: Wally Elliott, 4 Manor Close, Kingsdon, Somerton, TA11 7LW Tel 01935 841444

Chairman: Ian Birrell, Watersmeet, Huish Episcopi, Langport TA10 9HE Tel 01458 250246

Fixtures for July

3rd July	Sunday	Cotham Porter Stores	Away
10th July	Sunday	Crewkerne	Home
17th July	Sunday	Ditchat	Away
24th July	Sunday	Langport	Away
31st July	Sunday	Draycott	Away

Kingsdon Seniors Club

The Seniors Club meet on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 3pm in the Village Hall. New members are always welcome. For information contact Club Secretary Marilyn Elliott, 4 Manor Close, Kingsdon. Tel 01935 841444

Kingsdon Ladies Club

The Ladies Club meet on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. New members and visitors are always welcome. For information contact Club President Lynne Davies, Holly House, Frog Lane, Kingsdon. TA11 7LL Tel 01935 840660 or Club Secretary Jackie Ellis, Hill House, Rocky Hill, Kingsdon. TA11 7LB Tel 01935 840344

Nina Carlisle will be taking a Vision Aid Overseas team of Optometrists to Zambia again this year. They will spend two weeks from October 28th examining eyes in rural areas, providing spectacles where needed and obtaining treatment for eye disease. In addition they will provide training in refraction so that this work can continue in the future. All VAO team members are volunteers who give their time freely and contribute at least £750 towards project costs. On average, the cost of sending each team member is in excess of £1500 so Nina aims to raise at least a further £750. To make a start there will be a coffee morning at The Estate Yard on Saturday 23rd July where home made preserves, cakes and good quality books will be on sale. Please pop in and have a chat.

Coffee Morning

in aid of

Vision Aid Overseas

Saturday 23rd July

10am - 12.30pm

at

The Estate Yard

Manor Road, Kingsdon

Book Sale - Homemade Preserves

Raffle

