



Quiz Nights

Day of the month has changed from 1st to the last Friday of the month.
25th November & 27th January 2023
£5 to include homemade supper (meat and vegetarian options)
7.30 for an 8pm start.

The bar will be open and supper will be served half way through the evening. You don't need a pre-arranged team – just come along.

Sign up and pay in the shop, to book your place by Wednesday of that week so we know we have enough people to make it viable.



Midgley Saturday Breakfast

2nd Saturday of the month



10th December – Festive Special

14th January 2023

10am to 1pm Community Room

Take Away available

Come and enjoy a freshly made bacon, egg or/and sausage teacake (Veggie and Vegan options available) and a cafetiere of coffee in the village.



BURNS NIGHT

Saturday 21st January 2023

We like to celebrate Robbie Burns's birthday in the time honoured traditional style of good food and drink, but it won't be a proper Burns Night without speeches.

If you would like to give a speech, or would like to know more about what it entails, please contact Sandra Scott on 07775 904474.

Something to look forward to in the middle of Winter – An evening of conviviality, fun and good company. The evening includes a three course meal of Haggis and Neeps starter, Roast Sirloin main course, followed by a delicious dessert and whisky to toast. Vegetarians catered for.

Put your name down and pay in the shop in January.



Village Christmas Carol Singing

Sunday 18th December

Meet at 5.45 in the Chapel Car Park where we will sing the first carol.

Please do not bring your car to the Chapel – Please park it elsewhere in the village

From there we will process through the village, stopping at various points along the way to sing carols. In the meantime, **Santa** will deliver presents to the over 80's and housebound residents.

If you know someone who you think qualifies who hasn't previously, please let Jean know on 07786 702813. **Carol sheets will be provided.**

Please remember to bring a torch!

Keep safe by staying on footpaths, or close to the side of the road when walking. There will be marshalls to help stop and slow the traffic, where appropriate.

The evening will culminate at the Community Room. **Santa** will be there in his Grotto to meet the children while mince pies and mulled wine are being served and a collection taken for a local charity.

Please give generously.

Midgley School and Community Christmas Wreath Making Event



We will be holding a community Christmas Wreath making event in the School Hall on Tuesday 6th December at 6.30pm.

Tickets will be priced at £15 and this will include an alcoholic/non-alcoholic drink, light festive refreshments and materials to produce your own Christmas wreath.

You will need to bring your own secateurs/gloves for ease on the evening. You may also wish to bring your own small decorations to add. Parents/carers and members of Midgley Community are all welcome.

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MIDGLEY FESTIVE WINDOWS 2022



They are here again! Villagers with windows that can be seen easily from the footpath, will decorate their windows for all to enjoy.

This year they will 'open' their windows whenever they like before December 18th - the village carol singing evening.

Please admire their work as you walk round the village after dark, and tell your friends and family to come too.

The festive windows of Midgley have brought much-needed cheer to the village in recent years, so we would be really grateful for as much support as possible.

Thank you to all the people who have volunteered to decorate their windows already but there's still time

If you're interested in taking part, or would like a bit more information, please contact:

Anne Holdsworth tel: 07985 128737 email: stocksfarm55@gmail.com

Look out in the Shop for a map of the windows in December.



CHRISTMAS SHOPPING



Once Halloween and Bonfire Night are over, it seems that everyone is getting ready for Christmas. So we are not left behind, the shop has now included a whole range of Christmas goodies to tempt you.



The ever popular tins of chocolate truffles are already selling well

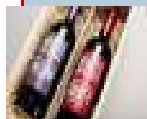
After the success of panattone last year, they are back

*Several rich fruit cakes are in stock *

Triple packs of Little Valley Beers make a great present



Special mince pies and other Lottie Shaw baked goods as well as a range of chocolate stocking fillers



*As well as some Special Wines for Christmas, there will be the usual long lists of wines from our supplier **HOULTS** from which you can hand pick wines to suit you*

*Keep an eye open for the meat order form from **Craggies***

Please note they will not be able to supply Turkeys or Geese this year

*Similarly there will be order forms for **AJ Pies***



Stamps for Christmas Cards, Wrapping Paper and Luddenden Calendars



We wish all our customers a very Happy Christmas and a Peaceful New Year.



We are always on the look out for new volunteers.

What we need is some extra people who would like to serve in the shop on an occasional basis, covering for regular volunteers who are unavailable for their normal shift.

If you would be interested, either leave your name and phone number in the shop

or contact Phil Lockyer on 07973 801142



A big thank you to John Halmshaw Thorney Lane

who has very kindly provided the village with compost and plants so we can refresh the troughs outside the shop.



For items to be included in the next Newsletter, Please contact Sandra 07775 904474 or email sandyscott21@ymail.com