

# The Chishills

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**TRACEY TRIUMPHS**



On 26 April I

was privileged to have a place at the Virgin London Marathon for Walk the Walk, the charity I have been involved with since 2008. This was such a different event from the MoonWalk but both are very special and unique experiences.

It was lovely to walk around London in daylight but more importantly in the warm sunshine! It was the first nice day we have had this year. The heat brought its own problems, blisters being the main one, training had taken place in all the cold, wet, snowy and icy weather during the winter. It was also the first time I was tackling such a challenge on my own but I met a lovely lady called Lucy through the WtW website and we spent months exchanging texts and emails before finally meeting on the start line. We walked in our bras! Obviously this was not a fashion statement but to raise awareness for this breast cancer charity.

Lucy and I managed it in 6 hours 40 mins, my best time to date. We had fantastic support from the crowds and friends. Big thanks to Olli and Simon from the Pheasant for helping me get there in one piece and hugs at mile 25! And Alexis Beeching

from the Red Cow, Chrishall who travelled down and popped up every few miles to urge me on, and got me home, eventually!

I had a **high fundraising target of £2250 to reach**. Thanks to the support of everyone in the village and the surrounding villages who have turned up to the various 'events' I have been involved with, we have well and truly smashed that! Final figures not yet in but **approaching £4000**.

I didn't make the MoonWalk this year, it was 3 weeks after the VLM and my feet hadn't recovered. However, I am doing the **SunWalk on 30th June** with various other village ladies. Watch out for the pink clothing when we are doing our practice walks and give us a wave! Thank you in advance for not running us over!

*Tracey*

[www.justgiving.com/traceygreeman](http://www.justgiving.com/traceygreeman)



\*Teas, bouncy castle, traditional and new fun fete games, raffle, dog show and lots, lots more!

\*For more info or to get involved contact Emily 836257 or Fred 838513

**"Jazz on the Hill" raised £1200!**

**WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MEETING**

Village Hall at 19:30

**18 June. Jane Lynch:**

**Hats and Bags** - A look at what's behind the bags imported through Fair Trade principles from Madagascar

**MELBOURN ELECTION RESULTS**

[electorate: 7360, turnout: 3006 (40.84%)]

Candidate	Party	Votes	%share
D. Bullivant	Con.	440	14.7
D. Kendrick	UKIP	475	15.8
A. Patrick	Labour	207	6.9
<b>S. van de Ven</b>	<b>Lib.Dem.</b>	<b>1,875</b>	<b>62.6</b>

**SOUTH CAMBS ELECTIONS PARTY SEATS**

Party	2005	2009	2013	Seats (+/-)
Conservative	11	8	10	+ 2
Liberal Democrat	5	8	5	- 3
Labour	0	0	0	0
Independent	0	0	1	+ 1

**THE CHISHILL CHIMPS**

**TODDLER GROUP** had a bit of a revamp in January 2012 with a new committee and much appreciated support from the Parish Council. It has since gone from strength to strength and recently hit a record number of **19 parents and 33 children** on one not so peaceful but fun-filled Thursday morning! (continued)

We would like to wish a very warm welcome to all our new members, many bonnie new babies and all the lovely families who have recently moved to Gt Chishill and the surrounding villages.

The Chimps committee is thrilled with the success of this much valued community group but we are finding it quite a juggling act running the session while also looking after our own children. **If you have a couple of hours free on Thursday mornings and would like to help us make the teas and toddler snacks and offer a welcoming smile, we would love to hear from you!**

To get involved or just find out more please contact **Emily 836257 or Islay 838194.**

**GREAT CHISHILL BOWLS CLUB CHAMPIONS**

Trophies were presented by John Crawley to the 2013 champions at the Bowls Club Annual Dinner on 26 April.



Men's champion, Peter Wiseman,



Ladies' Champion, Jean Hatt,



and runner-up, Des Manning

**OPEN GARDEN**  
 The Manor, Little Chishill  
 Sunday, 9th June  
 14:00 - 17:00  
 In aid of St Nicholas Church and Marie Curie Cancer Care.  
 Home-made teas, stalls, plants (gratefully received)  
 All to the music of Barry Tyler's Dixieland Jazz Band

**ROYSTON CHORAL SOCIETY**  
 ❖ JUNE CONCERT ❖  
 "fine music made locally"  
 Great Chishill United Reform Church in Barley Road  
 Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June 19:30  
 Music for all tastes  
 Tickets £10, £8 (concessions) and £1 'still at school'  
 available from choir members and Royston Library  
 Collection to help the church raise money to rebuild part of the flint wall around the graveyard which has collapsed.  
**Further information from** Heather Howard on 01763 249058  
[heather@lemonyellow.org](mailto:heather@lemonyellow.org)

**MOBILE LIBRARY TIMETABLE**  
 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday in the month  
 14 June, 12 July

The Church  
 13.25 - 14.05

**MELBOURN LIBRARY TIMETABLE**

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri: 14.30-16.30  
 Thurs: 17.00- 19.00  
 Saturday: 10.00-12.00

**RECYCLING FOR EAST ANGLIAN CHILDREN'S HOSPICE**

"Computer cartridges can be re-cycled in aid of Milton Hospice which receives 50p for every cartridge for re-cycling. If you have any and want them to go to a good home, please drop them off at 25, May St. Many thanks" *Ann and Chris Martin*

**FROM OUR COUNCILLORS**

**CAMBRIDGE STUDENT RAIL DISCOUNT LINK**  
 From time to time people report difficulties accessing the First Capital Connect web-link for Cambridgeshire's 16-19 year-old student discount fare. This has recently been checked over and refreshed by First Capital Connect. Please visit:  
<https://www.firstcapitalconnect.co.uk/tickets-and-fares/season-tickets/student-connect/cambridge/>

**HEYDON PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE LAUNCH**  
 A new website for Heydon Parish Council has been launched and can be found at:  
<http://www.heydonparishcouncil.com/index.html>

**FOXTON BURGLARIES**  
 Suspects have been apprehended in relation to recent burglaries in Foxton. This follows intensive work by Foxton residents' to start up a new Neighbourhood Watch scheme, and Police work. The Neighbourhood Panel forum was used to disseminate information.

**BIN COLLECTIONS**

	Black	Green & Blue
June	07	01 Sat
	21	14
July	05	28