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WHO'S NEW?

Emma Heath is not really a new resident of Great Chishill as her parents, Angela and Rodney Coxall, are Chishillites who came to live here when she was 2. Emma left the village when she was 17 to marry Paul (a local from Chrishall) who has already featured in our newsletter. Last April he was photographed cutting the tape with local MP Andrew Lansley at the opening ceremony of the affordable housing scheme.

They have lived in Baldock and other towns but have brought their new family to Great Chishill to be near their parents and because they prefer village life. Emma appreciated her rural upbringing and wants her two children to enjoy the same sort of childhood. "People say hello to you in a village and they just ignore you in towns", she said. They enjoy

the outdoor life and walking their friendly German shepherd, Nyla.

Their girls aged 13 and 10 go to schools in Royston. Thanks to the village's new housing scheme, the Heath girls can grow up in close proximity to their four grandparents which is sadly a rare occurrence these days.

Don't miss

An evening with Winston the singing Norfolk Farmer
Sat 11th October

7.30 pm

Great Chishill Village Hall

Rural comedy and song with supper in aid of **Macmillan Cancer support**

Fish or chicken & chip supper + dessert

Bar & Raffle

Tickets £12

from Jenny Leitch

Tel 01763 837073

Jenny.leitch@btinternet.com

6 Colts Croft



SENIOR CITIZENS TEA PARTY

Several of Great and Little Chishill's senior citizens

were treated by the Parish Council to an old fashioned afternoon tea of sandwiches and cakes on a sunny

Thursday afternoon where they could chat and gossip with friends. About forty-two folk were grateful to Janet Crouch who organised the party, ably assisted by Eileen Mole, Sue Price and Liz Parkes.

WI MEETING

21 October
 at 7.45pm

A talk by Carezza Lewis

"From Time Team to a Dig on Your Doorstep"

An 'open meeting' where **all are welcome.**



Quiz Night

SATURDAY 25 OCTOBER

7.30 pm

**GREAT CHISHILL
VILLAGE HALL**

Licensed bar (opens 7.15 pm)

Teams of up to 8 players

**£7 per person including
supper**

Prizes and raffle

**Proceeds to Great Chishill
Playing Fields Association
Great Chishill Cricket
Club & Great Chishill
Football Club**

**Tickets available from:
Simon Coxall
18 Hall Lane
(Tel: 01763 838055)**

**Janet Crouch
14 Heydon Road
(Tel: 01763 838301)**

or email
chishillcc@ukonline.co.uk

SAVE THE CHILDREN

are holding **an
Indian Cookery
Demonstration** in
Great Chishill
village hall
on Tuesday 7
October
starting at 7.30pm.
Tickets £15

to include a welcome drink
and a selection of Indian
nibbles.

Tickets available from
Liz Livingstone on 838172
and Kate Gardiner 838511

SLOE GIN PREPARATION TIME

If you look carefully in the
hedgerows, you may be able
to find a few sloes and
start preparing your tippie
to enter for the annual sloe
gin competition in aid of the
St Swithun's bells fund.
About £2000 is still
needed.

YOUTH CLUB AGM

**Wednesday 29
Cricket Pavilion**

FINAL CRICKET REPORT

The **first eleven**, having
been in and out of the
promotion places for most
of the year, settled in a
very respectable fourth

place and will play at the higher
level again in 2009. Just seven
more points would have seen
them move above Linton, based
on average points gained per
match.

The **second team** staged a
remarkable recovery, four wins
in their last four matches
hauling them well clear of the
relegation zone when all hope

appeared lost going into
August and September.

It looks as though there
will be some keenly
contested games next
season as Great Chishill and
Elmdon are joined by Barley
in the fourth division of the
lower leagues in
Cambridgeshire.

Simon Coxall

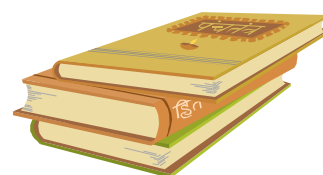
PARISH COUNCIL OPEN SURGERY

**Crosshill House, Gt Chishill
Thursday 9 October
6 - 8 pm**

Bring your concerns, comments
or ideas and speak to Ruth
Dibblee (Gt Chishill) and Janet
Erskine (Lt Chishill)

MOBILE LIBRARY

Waller's Close 10.30 - 10.45
Church 10.50 - 11.05



October 10, 24
November 7, 21

Oct Bin Collections

3 Black
10 Green
(First collection of
plastic bottles)
17 Black
24 Green
31 Black