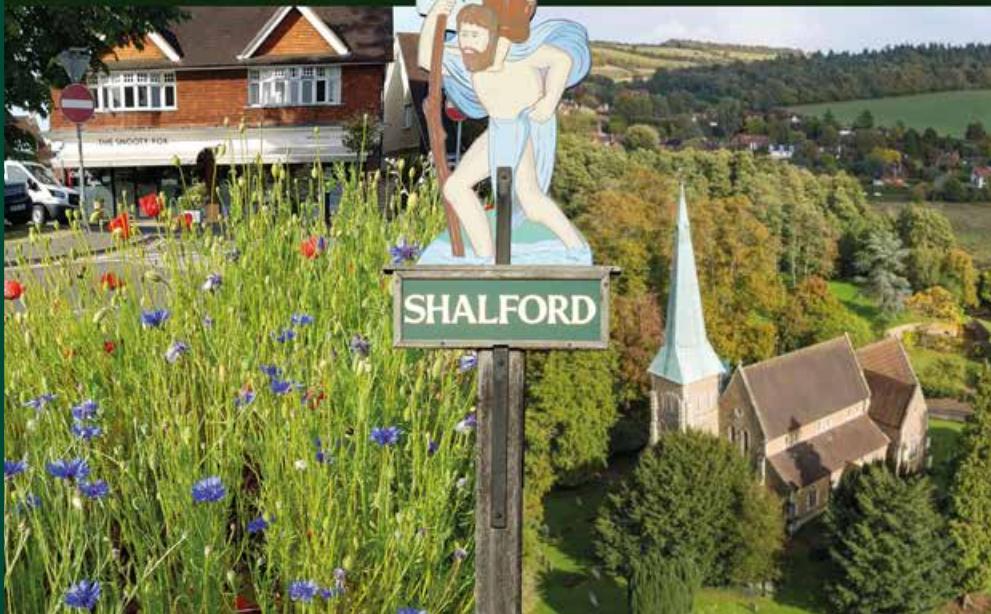




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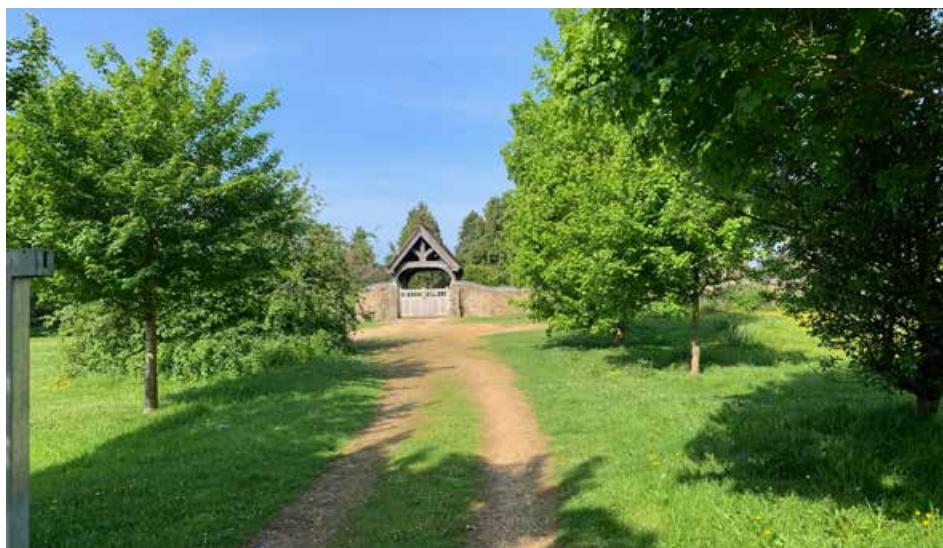


Would you like to be involved in this exciting new project from Shalford, Peasmash and Chilworth Climate Action Group?

We are planning to create a new community orchard in the centre of Shalford village - on the land outside the cemetery, opposite Shalford Infant School and the Queen Vic pub. It will be a resource for everyone of all ages to be involved with and to enjoy the fruits of our labours.

Guildford Borough Council who own and manage the area as part of Shalford Common have given the go-ahead and plans are being made. It's a big site with room for over 30 fruit trees (the existing trees will all be retained). Now is a great time to get involved and share your ideas.

We will then need help with planting, staking, watering and ongoing maintenance of the orchard. Funding applications are in progress and the possibility of crowdfunding is being investigated.



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15th June 11am-4pm



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Please donate cakes, bakes, slices, biscuits etc for buying to take home. Bring to St Mary's the day before or on the morning of the festival. Contact the cake stall coordinators now to let them know you'll be baking to help: **Cake stall:** Naomi Fraser (naomian@hotmail.co.uk), Mary Bowman, Carolynne, Gina



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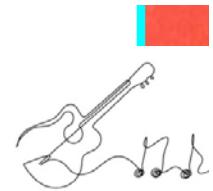
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Shalford, Peasmash and Chilworth Community Council

Annual Meeting: at the annual meeting on 23rd May Cllr Sue Dunford was appointed as Chair of the Council. She has taken over from Cllr David Semple who has held the role for three years. We are very grateful for all his hard work over that period and his commitment to the council and role of Chair. We are pleased that he will continue as Vice Chair for the next 12 months. The Council has been operating with only seven members for the last 12 months instead of the full quota of nine. This means that there is more for everyone to do, and things cannot always be covered. We would welcome anyone who is interested in their local community and has a few hours a week to spare, particularly as we have only two representatives for Chilworth instead of our quota of three. If you would like to find out about our role please do contact Nuala, our Clerk for information or come along to one of our meetings and find out what we do.

Shalford War Memorial: work has started on the preparation of new stone for the repair and restoration of the War Memorial. Since the original memorial was erected in 1921, over the years more names of war dead were discovered and have been included on the lectern alongside the memorial. It is now proving difficult to include this longer list of names on the new memorial due to the amount of space needed. The carving would be so small, and possibly not able to hold being cut into the new stone that the could be difficult to read. We are in discussions with the Guildford BC Conservation officer about how best to resolve this problem. Suggestions have included adding panels to the memorial in a more resilient but sympathetic material, or relying on the existing information on the lectern. We will of course be guided by her advice but would welcome views of residents as well.

Assistant Clerk: the council is looking to recruit an assistant to work with Nuala, our Clerk. The job would be for 20 hours a month, with some flexible hours and possibly one evening a month. You would need good organisational skills, an interest in your local community and be happy to work inside and out around our different facilities in Shalford Peasmash and Chilworth. For more information please do contact Nuala at the office on clerk@shalfordpc.org.uk or 01483 579702.

Allotments: a small number of allotments are now available at our Bradstone Brook site. It is a good time to get started for the summer growing season. Please contact Nuala in the office if you would like to know more - clerk@shalfordpc.org.uk.

Community Councillor surgeries: just a reminder that the council has agreed to make some time available for residents to talk to individual members of the council before the start of our monthly meetings if you have things they would like to discuss in person. From now onwards a member of the council will be available from 6.40pm in the meeting venue. You can of course contact the office at any time to raise issues or arrange a time to meet with a councillor.

Smith's Charity Shalford: if you need financial help for bills and the cost of living or know of anyone, particularly elderly people in our community, who is experiencing hardship the Smith's Charity may be able to provide some support and advice. Please contact us in confidence to discuss your situation.

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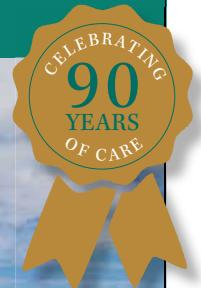
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Can anyone help Shalford bellringers with a historical quest?

On May 27 1905 there was a meeting of Guildford District ringers at Shere. The Bell News and Ringers Record tells us the towers represented included Guildford (St Nicolas and Holy Trinity), Shalford and Cranleigh and most interestingly “The members were ... photographed in a group”. This was obviously quite something as we have now found three framed copies of the photo in different churches, including Shalford.



Bellringers - Guildford (St Nicolas and Holy Trinity), Shalford and Cranleigh - 1905

Wouldn't it be great if we could put names to some of those 70 or more faces?

Well, we have been able to identify a few, including the two clergymen, but right now we are concentrating on what might be the Shalford contingent.



Here we got a head start from a 1911 choir photo in St Mary's Shalford archives.

We think we have a match between the choir gentleman in black (see above), helpfully identified as 'E Lucas' and this individual in the 1905 ringing photo.



Edward Lucas was 50 in 1905. When he died in 1925 he had been verger at St Mary's for 40 years and a bellringer since at least 1888. He lived at no 7, The Street, in Shalford.

Wouldn't it be nice to think that in 1905 Mr Lucas was sitting near to some of his fellow ringers from Shalford? In 1905 the Shalford team of ringers was in a healthy state with 11 members (only six bells at that time). Rather than list them all out, let's concentrate on the key members who gave long service.

Robert Crowhurst – 26 years old in 1905 and a gardener who lived for a long time at Somersbury Cottages. He joined the St Mary's ringers in 1898 but we have no record of him ringing after 1913 – this may have been a result of his war service.

Tom Streeter – 40 years old in 1905. He came originally from Balcombe in Sussex and was a farm worker. He moved around the area and died in Shere in 1950. He is not listed as a Shalford ringer after World War 1.

William Trewin – 24 years old in 1905. His parents moved from Devon to Shalford about the time he was born. His father John is in the 1911 choir photograph. According to the St Mary's album John was the gardener at Debnershe in The Street for 50 years. William was a carpenter who lived in Station Road, Shalford. Soon after the end of World War 1 William married and moved to Monmouthshire where he died in 1961.

Ernest Worsfold (19 in 1905) and Percy Worsfold (27 in 1905). They belonged to different families and I have not found out whether they were related. Ernest lived at Ashley Cottage, Christmas Hill, Shalford, and in 1901 he was a “Garden Boy (Domestic)”. In 1901 Percy lived at Stonebridge, Shalford, with his father Edwin, who I believe was also a ringer. In 1901 Percy was a gardener, as so many Shalford people were; he moved to Alton in about 1907 and took up a job as a postman. From there he joined the Hampshire Regiment and was killed in action in Mesopotamia in January 1916. Ernest lived until 1973. Frederick Worsfold, Ernest's brother, is in the 1911 choir photo along with Edwin's youngest two sons – Patrick and Arthur.

So here's what might just possibly be the Shalford group from Shere in 1905:

The hats and the neckwear tell their own story. The men with flat caps and no ties are clearly workers. A tie and no hat puts you one notch up the scale, like Mr Lucas the verger.

Is there one of your family in the picture? We'd love to know.

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 10-12.30 Women's Fellowship Group; 5.30pm Shalford Brownies; 6.45pm Shalford Guides
 Wednesdays: 3Cs Cafe 10-12am; 12 noon Quiet Holy Communion; Pilates 6.30pm
 Thursdays: 6-7pm St Mary's Choir practice; Fridays: groups include U3A Latin.

If you'd like to book St Mary's please get in touch.

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2nd Sunday 9th June	The 9 O'Clock 9am Holy Communion (Quiet Communion service in chancel inc hymn) 9.30-10 Combined Coffee: congregations can join short refreshment together 10am Cafe Church Contemporary - All Age informal worship Community Cafe 11.30am-1pm 12 Noon Midweek Holy Communion; 7.30pm CWs Visitation Service
Mon 10th June Wed 12th June	
Saturday 15th June	Shalford Summer Festival at St Mary's 11am-4pm
3rd Sunday 16th June	10am Parish Communion 12 Noon Midweek Holy Communion 8.30am Men's Breakfast. Afternoon PTA School Fair at School
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From the start It was decided there would be no charge to attend – just a donation if wished.

Val and Jenny have since retired, but Sheila still organises the morning with help from Mary Bowman and Naomi Fraser, and now here we are preparing to celebrate our 21st Birthday!

Many people help to make 3Cs very enjoyable by contributing home-made cakes and biscuits from time-to-time or simply coming along to join in the chat and laughter. Occasionally our friends from the care home Guildford House also join us. Everyone is very welcome and we hope to see more people than ever this summer to wish us a Happy 21st Birthday.

We are in St Mary's from 10.00 am to 12.00 noon each Wednesday and will be now until our August summer break. Do come along and join us.

The 3Cs Team



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HONEYCOMB MOULD

Earlier this year, my sister and I were thinking back to our childhood and reminiscing about different recipes which our mother used to make. We had fond memories of eating honeycomb mould which was often served with stewed fruit for lunch on Saturdays. It is a very light summery dessert which “on a good day” separates into 3 layers with a jelly top, a creamy centre and a moussey (fluffy) base. I found a copy of the recipe in an old family recipe book and subsequently made it using the original glass “castellated” jelly moulds.

HONEYCOMB MOULD

Ingredients

1 pint (570ml) semi skimmed or whole milk
2oz(50g) caster sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla essence
2 eggs separated
4 teaspoons gelatine powder
4 teaspoons water

Method

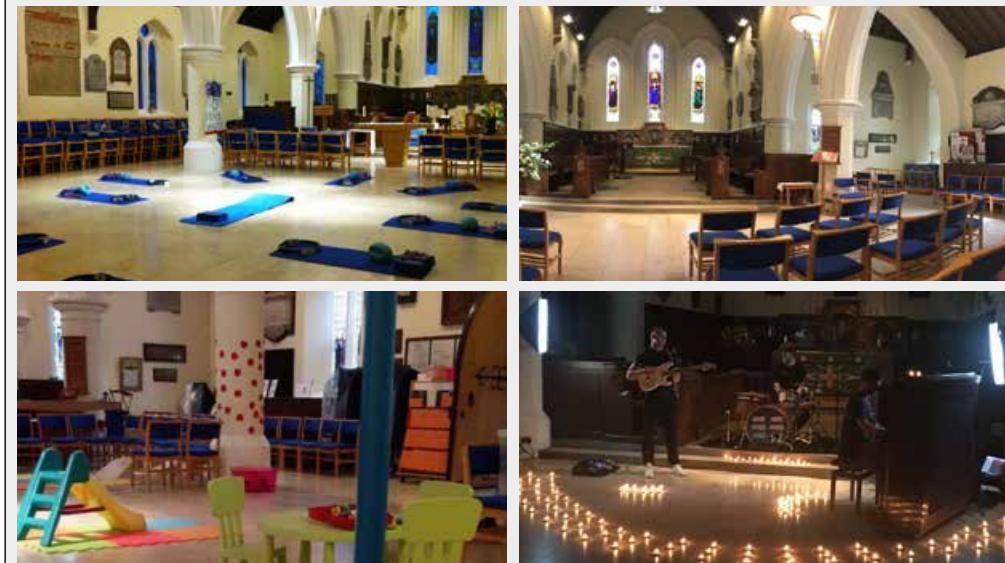
1. Place milk in saucepan and bring slowly to the boil. Remove from heat.
2. Separate eggs and beat egg yolks with sugar until thick.
3. Slowly add milk to egg and sugar mixture whisking all the time.
4. Return the mixture to the saucepan over a medium heat and stir until thickened to a thin custard consistency. Remove from heat.
5. Sprinkle the gelatine into a cup containing the water and leave for a few minutes until gelatine softens. Then place the cup in a small amount of simmering water in a saucepan. Stir until the gelatine dissolves and the liquid is clear.
6. Add vanilla and the dissolved gelatine and stir thoroughly into the cooling custard mix.
7. Whisk the egg whites to a stiff snow and carefully fold into custard mixture.
8. Pour into 2 pint (1.1 litre) jelly mould or basin (rinsed first with cold water) and leave in a cool place to set. Preferably chilling in the fridge overnight.
9. To turn out the honeycomb mould, quickly dip the jelly mould into a bowl of hot water up to the rim. Place a serving plate on top and turn the mould over and with a sharp tap the dessert should slide out onto the plate. The honeycomb mould should have at least 2 or hopefully 3 distinct layers.
10. Serve on its own or with stewed fruit. Enjoy.

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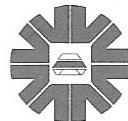
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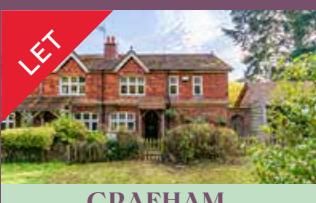
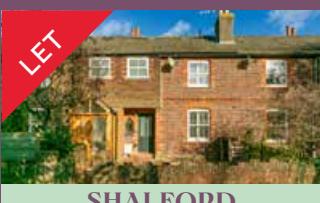
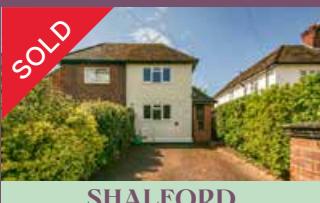
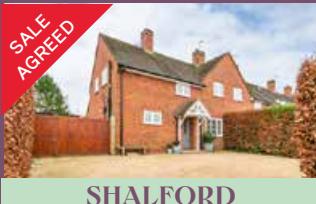
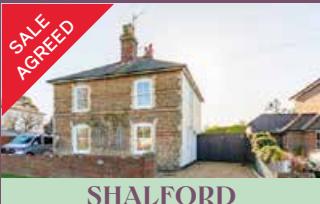
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