



# THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE SPECIAL JUNE 2022



Paintings of the Queen by Years 1&2, Tysoe CofE School

## In this June issue:

- We pay tribute to Her Majesty The Queen's 70 Years of reign
- Revisit how the Queen's Silver Jubilee was celebrated in Tysoe
- Test you with a quiz about British Queens and Queen Elizabeth II
- Provide a run-down of the programme for the Platinum Jubilee Weekend . . . and lots more!

## PLATINUM JUBILEE ISSUE

Welcome to our special Jubilee issue.

The Tysoe & District Record wishes to congratulate Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, for reaching the historic milestone of 70 years on the throne, making her Britain's longest serving monarch.

St Mary's Church has generously made a gift of the souvenir book - 'Our Faithful Queen' by Catherine Butcher - to every household in Tysoe. Before her coronation, in her first Christmas broadcast in 1952, she said:



*"I want to ask you all, whatever your religion may be, to pray for me . . . To pray that God may give me wisdom and strength to carry out the solemn promises I shall be making, and that I may faithfully serve him and you, all the days of my life."*

She was crowned Queen on 2 June 1953 and has upheld those promises ever since. We hope you enjoy reading the poems, trying to answer the quiz and previewing some of the children's paintings from Tysoe CofE School, (the originals and more poems will be on display in the church over the long weekend.) *Happy Jubilee Celebrations!*

Team Record

### JUBILEE

**J**ust imagine a young girl born to enjoy life, unfettered by responsibility?

**U**nderstanding that, as the daughter to the "spare", her role was limited?

**B**ut, then, by reason of a relationship, a love, an affair of the heart,

**I**ntantly she was elevated to Princess and a life devoted to rule.

**L**earning all the intricacies of governing in a very short time, before her father's death,

**E**lizabeth, shell shocked from Kenya, returns our Queen.

**E**lizabeth Regina gives seventy years of conscientious service to the Nation, the Commonwealth, the World.

Jo McGinn

## TRIBUTE TO THE QUEEN

Uppermost in many people's minds on their twenty first birthdays is where to get totalled most quickly/cheaply. Not so Her Majesty! She used the day, whilst on a royal tour to South Africa in 1947 to make the following speech. Ironically she was taken on the tour to try and separate her from the young man, later to become her consort for almost 75 years. Many of those at Court did not approve of Philip Mountbatten!



"I declare before you all that my whole life whether it be long or short shall be devoted to your service and the service of our great imperial family, to which we all belong". Thus she set the stage for the next three quarters of a century. Her work ethic has never failed to amaze. It was only her mobility issues that forced her to step back recently. The oath she took at her Coronation was not taken lightly. For the next 75 years selfless duty and service to others would become her watchword.

As the longest serving Head of State in the world she is universally respected, revered and to many holds an almost God-like position. Many are the countries that would love her as a head of State. But, she is our Queen and although we guard her jealously we are prepared to share her with others. Recently the German equivalent of the Oxford English Dictionary added a new word 'Die Queen'. This was done despite already having a perfectly good word for queen (koenigin). Predictably there is no plural form!

Her influence on many of us, which is largely immeasurable, is best summed up by Enoch Powell "Our monarch is not a crowned President. She is anointed. She represents a super-natural element in the nation.

Long may she reign.

David Sewell

## BRITISH QUEENS QUIZ

1. Who was the mother of Elizabeth I?
2. Which Queen did Elizabeth I place under house arrest in Carlisle Castle in 1568?
3. How many days did Lady Jane Grey stay on the throne?
4. Who was the only Queen of England to rule jointly with her husband?
5. Which of Henry VIII Queens survived him?
6. Who was the mother of the two Princes in the Tower?
7. How old was Queen Victoria when she acceded to the throne?
8. What was the first name shared by 3 of Henry VIII's wives?
9. Where did Queen Victoria die?
10. How many years did Queen Victoria reign?



11. Can you name the Queens?  
(Answers on p22)



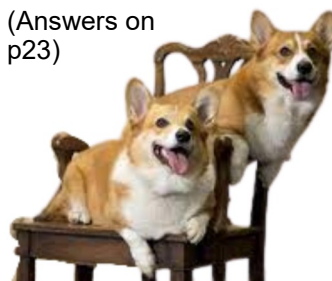


## QUEEN ELIZABETH II QUIZ

1. What year was Elizabeth II's first televised Christmas broadcast?
2. What was the name of the horse Elizabeth II rode for 18 consecutive years at the Trooping of the Colour?
3. What year was Elizabeth II's silver Jubilee?
4. Elizabeth II is famous for her love of corgis. What was the name of her first corgi?
5. What are the middle names of Elizabeth II?
6. How old was Elizabeth II at the time of her coronation?
7. How long had Elizabeth II and Prince Philip been married at the time of his death?
8. Has Elizabeth II ever been the owner of a winning horse at the Derby?
9. How many grandchildren does Elizabeth II have?
10. How many Prime Ministers has Elizabeth II asked to form the Government during her reign (so far)?



(Answers on  
p23)



## DOWN MEMORY LANE . . . .

Silver Jubilee Bank Holiday Tuesday 7th June 1977 dawned cold and wet but the initial inclemency of the weather did not dampen or deter the enthusiasm to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the accession to the throne of Queen Elizabeth II. This day was particularly, although not entirely, devoted to providing the young people with a day to remember.



The first event at 12.15pm in the school playground was the crowning of the Jubilee Queen Miss Yvonne Hirons by Dr K Greenway. Miss Hirons was



attended by Miss Carol Butcher.

In the meantime the school yard was rapidly filling with children who were competitors in the

decorated bicycle and home made crowns competitions. The judges Mr & Mrs T Trought had the unenviable task of selecting the winners.



## SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS



Following these competitions the carnival procession, consisting of three decorated lorries, one decorated mini van and a magnificent crown propelled by members of the playgroup all accompanied by decorated bicycles, moved through the village which had been decorated with bunting for the occasion. The procession went to Poolgate and then back to the Sports Field.



From 3pm onwards sports were held in the sports field for the young (and not so young). Notable among the events was a pram race with the prams filled with some most peculiar babies propelled by some equally strange apparitions of mothers. The morning and afternoon proceedings culminated in the presents of Jubilee Mugs to all Tysoe children under 14 years by My Tom Gardner, Chairman of Tysoe Utilities Estate Trust which had donated the mugs.



. . . so it was felt that all sections of the Community were given opportunity to celebrate the Silver Jubilee . . . There was a great spirit of co-operation throughout.

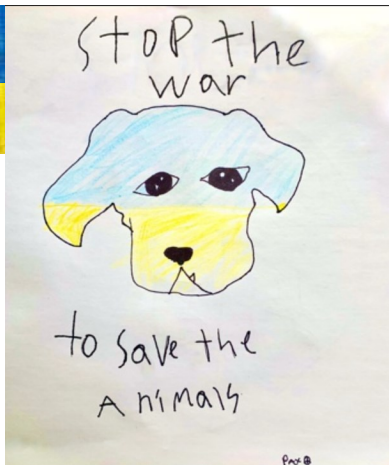
*Tysoe Record August 1977*



## PUDDING PARTY REPORT

**#TysoeSupportsUkraine**

Before the Russian invasion, I'd never given much thought to what happens to animals during a time of conflict. But due to the press, and social media sites, we're now able to see all the distressing images of war and that includes pictures and stories of defenceless animals hurt or lost.



Beloved pets now roam the streets, some with wounds or burns, all looking for food and safety. Animals left in zoos, sanctuaries and shelters with limited supplies. Horses abandoned, left to fend for themselves.

It was whilst following the Ukraine Animal Rescue Information Facebook page, that I realised I wanted to try and help in some way. I tried to think of an event that would be fun for children and that's when the idea for a Pudding Party came to life.

The £1,202 raised by the children back in April was split amongst the following groups:

***War Paws Ltd***

***Breaking The Chains***

***IFAW*** (International Fund for Animal Welfare)

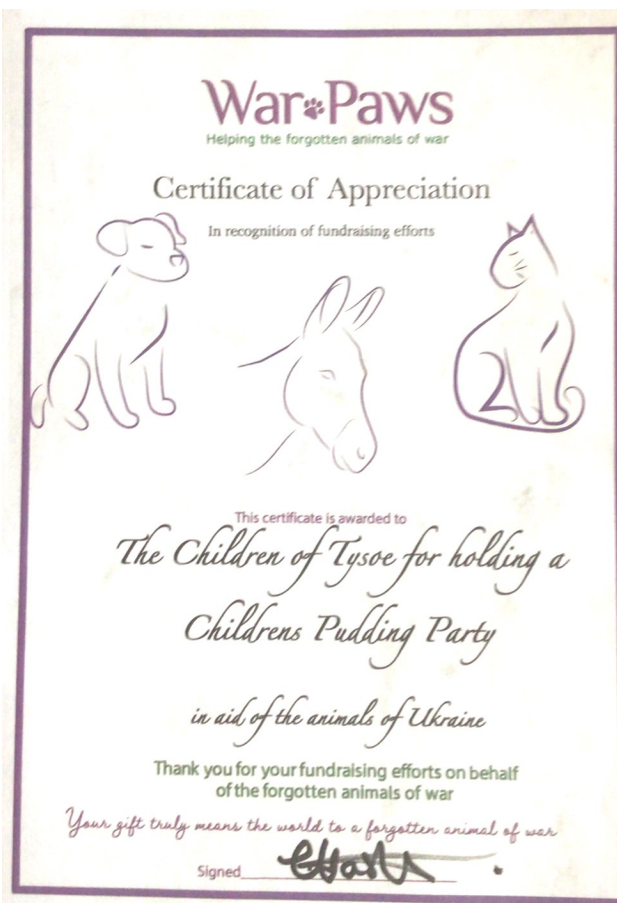
This amount may seem like a drop in the ocean with regards to the needs of the animals that are suffering and who will continue to suffer for the foreseeable future, but do we know that EVERY penny counts. EVERY donation helps.

There are so many charities and rescue groups in Ukraine still desperate for funds to help pay for food, vehicles, fuel, vets bills etc, along with supplies to build the hundreds of shelters that are needed. We are told it is going to be a long war - Let's not give up on them now. *Anyone fancy a party?*



**War Paws Limited's aim is to alleviate the pain and suffering of animals in hostile environments and areas of civil conflict.** Working behind the scenes, they have partnered with Breaking the Chains and other organisations in Ukraine to help rehome and provide food and shelter to the animals that the groups are bringing out of the country. [www.warpaws.org](http://www.warpaws.org)

**Breaking the Chains** is an organisation run by Tom, an ex-military animal lover. Tom decided to mobilise a team to head into the red zones within Ukraine to both rescue animals and bring aid to those who most need it. So far, they have raised £70,727 of the £90,000 target through a JustGiving page. These funds are essential to help as many animals in Ukraine as possible.



**IFAW (International Fund for Animal Welfare)** is a global organisation. It is committed to helping the people and animals impacted by the crisis in Ukraine for as long as necessary. Working with partners in Ukraine to care for animals in shelters, zoos and sanctuaries and helping refugees in Poland coming across the border with their pets by delivering pet food and veterinary supplies.

Beki Benjamin

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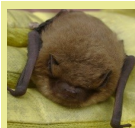
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**Next Wildlife Event: BAT NIGHT** in St Mary's Churchyard  
**Saturday, 28th May – 9.30 pm start**, refreshments in the  
Church from 9 pm. Join us for some thrilling bat detecting!

## YOU'VE GOT TO LOVE A BUG!



May and June are great months to reflect on the importance of 'bugs' (AKA invertebrates). To quote David Attenborough (who's just a couple of weeks younger than the Queen) *'If we and the rest of the backboned animals were to disappear overnight, the rest of the world would get on pretty well. But if they (invertebrates) were to disappear, the land's ecosystems would collapse. The soil would lose its fertility. Many of the plants would no longer be pollinated. Lots of animals, amphibians, reptiles, birds, mammals would have nothing to eat. And our fields and pastures would be covered with dung and carrion.'*

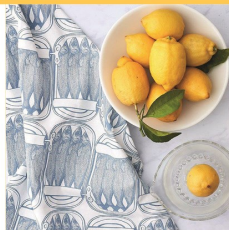
Living in a rural community we've plenty of opportunity to support bugs and, whilst some bugs may be ugly, they all have a role in the ecosystem. At the moment the Parish is home to many hundreds of baby birds and a good proportion of them, and their parents, will depend on 'bugs' as a source of food. Birds time their breeding to exploit the availability of food: earthworms in the case of blackbirds and song thrushes, and caterpillars in the case of tits and chaffinches. Similarly, migrant species such as house martins and swallows time their arrival to coincide with an increase in the numbers of flying insects. Green woodpeckers love ants!

Most insects prefer native plants to complete their lifecycles and trees such as willow, oak and birch support lots of caterpillar species. Both wild and cultivated flowers will attract nectar-feeding insects. A little untidiness helps: log-piles, decaying leaves, and longer grass (such as the verges during 'No Mow May') are all good habitats for bugs, and where there are more invertebrates, there should be more birds, bats and amphibians such as frogs and toads.

Join us for a Bug Hunt and spider and dragonfly craft activities in St Mary's Church and churchyard on **Friday 3rd June for the Jubilee Celebrations**. To learn more about bugs visit: [www.buglife.org.uk](http://www.buglife.org.uk)

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## WOT2Grow COMMUNITY ORCHARD

There's plenty of work to do at the orchard as we move into a proper spring. The last round of hard frosts and very strong cold winds seems to have affected the fruit setting with a much reduced crop now expected.

The soft fruit areas continue to be worked on with groups meeting to weed, strim and tidy up as well as pruning the currants and gooseberries. All the canes and bushes are growing well so another good year is in prospect. Summer pruning is due for the stone fruit and then the apples and pears, a lot of trees to deal with so help would be much appreciated!!

Always lots to do so if you would like to help then do get in touch. Community Orchard behind the allotments, Sherington Road, Tysoe. Liz Atkinson (680045), Paul Sayer (680451), Sue & Mike Sanderson (688080) [www.wot2grow.co.uk](http://www.wot2grow.co.uk)



Tysoe Wildlife is planning a survey of Radway Meadows in June. The first survey was undertaken on 8th June 1996 by the Warwickshire Research in Nature Group (25 recorders). We plan to 're-enact' a survey for this important local habitat (neutral unimproved grassland) and adjoining privately-owned, but similarly managed, meadows. Check **Fb@ Tysoe Wildlife for info.**

## Royal Reception

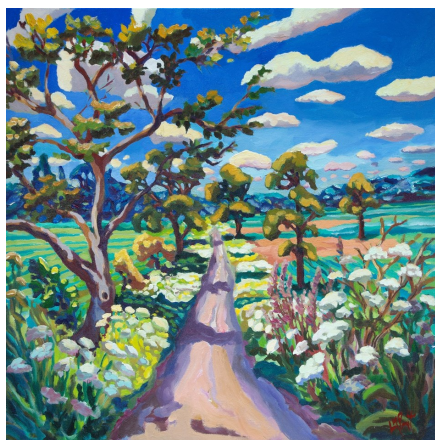
We asked Tysoe illustrator Josh Welsby to come up with a cartoon celebrating the Platinum Jubilee. He's imagined this line-up of farm animals bowing to Her Majesty. . . . *Moovalous!*



## A MOMENT IN COLOUR - PAINTINGS BY LUCY PRATT

Step into summer inside with an exhibition of paintings by Lucy Pratt in the Squash Court Gallery, Upton House and Gardens from 26 June till 4 September. (Normal admission applies).

Born locally, Lucy studied at Banbury School of Art, Loughborough School of Art and Cheltenham School of Art. She worked at MOMA (Oxford) before teaching lifedrawing for Cheltenham School of Art. She has travelled and painted in many parts of the world and currently



lives and works in Oxfordshire. We are delighted to host this exhibition showcasing her recent vibrant work from around the UK; each piece conveys the vitality and spirit of a joyous moment in space and time. The work is for sale, and prices range from £1500 - £12000. Lucy will be onsite on a few dates throughout the exhibition; keep an eye on our social media pages for up-to-date news, [@uptonhouseNT](https://twitter.com/uptonhouseNT)

The exhibition is open daily from 10:30 – 16:00; if you would like to attend the **Private View and meet the artist on Saturday 25 June between 12 and 4pm please email** [uptonhouse@nationaltrust.org.uk](mailto:uptonhouse@nationaltrust.org.uk)

### Tysoe NGS Open Gardens Open on Saturday 16 July 2 - 6pm

Garden Cottage & Walled Kitchen Garden  
Kernel Cottage and 5 Avon Avenue

Combined entry £6 Children free  
Homemade Teas & Plants at Garden Cottage  
*Pre-booking available at [ngs.org.uk](https://ngs.org.uk)*



Last month we had a change of venue and speaker, but managed to come up trumps. Thankfully Wine and nibbles were still in supply! We met in the church and Brian Temple



Brown regaled us with stories of his time in the police force.

Our next meeting on 1st June at 7.30 will again take place in the church, whilst the Village Hall undergoes repairs to the floor. Our speaker will be Rebecca Mawle form Shipston Home Nursing, which is our charity this year. Visitors always welcome £5.

15 of us enjoyed a walking tour around Oxford on Sunday 22nd May. Led by the extremely knowledgeable blue badge guide Roger Bailey, we had a fabulous day. We will be serving tea and cakes at the village Jubilee celebrations on Saturday 2-4pm. Our craft group have also prepared a little something for you all to enjoy.

**For more information email [tysoew.i.1917@icloud.com](mailto:tysoew.i.1917@icloud.com) or visit our FB page..**

*Coffee Morning*

*Everyone Welcome*



**FREE**

**AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH**

**TUESDAY MORNING**

**21st JUNE**

**9.00AM – 12 NOON**

Please call in after dropping-off children at school!

# Party in the Park

**Sunday 17th July - 1-5pm**

**Alscot Park CV37 8BL**



**For more details and to buy tickets, visit:**

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## MESSAGE FROM ST MARY'S - JUNE 2022

This year June kicks off in a big way. To begin with we have not one but two bank holidays, the extra one to celebrate the Queen's Jubilee! Many events will be taking place nationally, and four days of activities in our village. The details on pages 19-22 and there are posters all over the village, so we hope you can all take part.

At 11am on Sunday 5th there will be a double celebration in St Mary's Church. We will not only be celebrating our queen's faithful service but also the festival of Pentecost.

At her coronation the queen asked people to pray for her that she might faithfully serve God and her people all the days of her life. Long before her coronation, on her 21st birthday, she asked for God's help to fulfil her vocation. Her prayer all those years ago is just as meaningful today, not only for her but for all of us:

*Lord Jesus Christ, you are the way, the truth and the life:*

*Keep me from wandering from your ways.*

*Help me to trust you, the truth, and to be filled with your life.*

*May your Holy Spirit teach me to live the right way, to be truthful,  
and to be filled with your life, living to please you.*

*Amen*

It seems especially appropriate that we will be celebrating her reign while also commemorating Pentecost – the birth-day of the church. On that day, nearly 2000 years ago, the disciples of the risen and ascended Jesus were inspired by the Holy Spirit to set out on their missions and ministry. On this Pentecost Sunday, seventy years on from the day when God empowered the queen for her role as sovereign, we can pray once more for the gifts and guidance of the Holy Spirit in her life and in ours.







God bless you

*George*

**Special Jubilee Service is at  
11.00am on Sunday 5th  
June at St Mary's. Do come  
and join us. All are welcome.**

Revd George Heighton  
Email [revgeorgeh@outlook.com](mailto:revgeorgeh@outlook.com)  
Telephone 01295 680 201

## JUNE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

|   |                     |                    |   |
|---|---------------------|--------------------|---|
|  | <b>JUBILEE</b>      | <b>2 –5</b>        | Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations                                     |
|  | <b>Every Friday</b> | <b>3,10, 17,24</b> | 10am-12 <b>TYSOE DEMENTIA CAFE</b> at the Reading Rooms. No need to book. |
|  | <b>Tuesday</b>      | <b>7, 21</b>       | <b>Blue &amp; green</b> bin collection                                    |
|  | <b>Monday</b>       | <b>13</b>          | Parish Council Ordinary Meeting, 7.15 in the Reading Rooms                |
|  | <b>Tuesday</b>      | <b>14, 28</b>      | <b>Black</b> bin collection   |
|  | <b>Tuesday</b>      | <b>21</b>          | Mobile library 1.45pm, parks up outside the Village Hall.                 |
|  | <b>Friday</b>       | <b>24</b>          | <b>Carers4Carers</b> monthly meeting at Kinton Village Hal                |

## CantamuS

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## LET'S CELEBRATE

### ALL WEEKEND

Treasure Hunt and Scavenger Hunt for all ages, route and clue sheet available online on Tysoe Village Noticeboard on Facebook and in the shop and post office

Numerous events in the church – children's art, photo record of church restoration, Making of Tysoe Project, WI crafts, Tysoe natural history and many more attractions.

### THURSDAY 2nd JUNE

The church bells will be rung at 4.00pm

Lighting the beacon on Windmill Hill at 9.45pm.

(Please respect farm crops and livestock if you go up to see the beacon.  
Keep to public footpaths and respect the Countryside Code.)



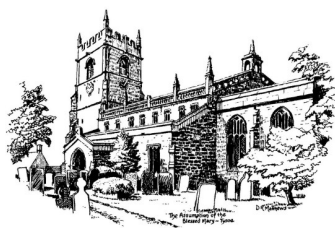
**And make it an occasion to remember!**



# JUBILEE FRIDAY 3rd JUNE

Tysoe Lunch Club Jubilee celebration lunch.

Contact Nicola Rexton or Jackie Thompson.



Join in a packed programme of events  
at St Mary's Church

Open all day and all weekend:

- Children's pictures of the Queen
- Church restoration photos
- Tower history and recording
- Colours of the Queen in flowers



From 10am-12noon, 2-4pm:

- Tower visits every half-hour (up to 8 visitors)
- Tysoe Wildlife bug hunt, spider and dragonfly craft activities, plus games and storytelling
- Teas, coffees and cakes







**2022**  
**TYSOE**  
**WINDMILL**  
**10K RUN**



## **JUBILEE SATURDAY** **4th JUNE**

9.30 A quarter peal will be rung on the church bells to mark the Jubilee.

10.00 Windmill Run starts from recreation field

13.30 Entertainment starts on stage on the recreation field, including a performance from TaDa

Superb acts, novelty football, WI teas and cake, bar, picnic lunch boxes to pre-order [www.cateringangel.co.uk/](http://www.cateringangel.co.uk/) special-offers

Merribells hand-bell ringing, Dutch street organ. Community singing.

Come in fancy-dress, bring a picnic. A real family fun day!



## JUBILEE SUNDAY 5th JUNE



11.00 Pentecost and Jubilee Celebration service in  
St Mary's church

12.30 Judging children's art in the church



Street parties in the village



Continue to watch Tysoe Noticeboard on Facebook  
for more details.

ENJOY AND CELEBRATE THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

### BRITISH QUEENS QUIZ

#### Answers:

1. Anne Boleyn
2. Mary Queen of Scots
3. 9 days
4. Queen Mary II (wife of William III known as William of Orange)
5. Anne of Cleves (1557) and Catherine Parr (1548)
6. Elizabeth Woodville (wife of Edward IV)
7. 18
8. Catherine (Aragon, Howard & Parr)
9. Osborne House on the Isle of Wight
- 10.64 (from 1837 to 1901)
11. Top right Elizabeth 1, middle: Lady Jane Grey, bottom: Queen Victoria.

## TYSOE VILLAGE HALL UPDATE

As many of you will know, the village hall is currently closed and I'm very sorry to have to report that it will remain so, probably, to the end of September.

Our insurers' appointed loss adjusters – Crawford & Company - have handled the claim disastrously, failing to respond to, or heed, our advice and warnings since May 2021 and, only this week realised the seriousness of the claim when they received an initial estimate of over £100,000. Separately, I had also issued a formal complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service and we await the outcome of this.

We met Crawford's "Major & Complex Loss" representatives on Friday and, for the first time, are hopeful that they are now getting a grip on the situation. Unbelievably, Crawford's contractors ripped up the floor before realising structural damage beneath and abandoned work 4 weeks ago, leaving the hall in a dangerous state and un-usable.

For those wishing to access the hall for any items, this is obviously still possible, but please contact a committee member, as you'll need to be accompanied and shown the risk hazards.

We can only apologise for this situation, which is not of our making and out of our hands.

Percy Sewell, on behalf of Tysoe Village Hall Committee

### QUEEN ELIZABETH II Answers:

1. 1957
2. Burmese (given to the Queen by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in 1969)
3. 1977
4. Susan
5. Alexandra Mary
6. 27
7. 73 years
8. No (highest place 2nd at 1953 Derby, 4 days after her coronation). She presented the trophy in 2016 to celebrate her 90th birthday
9. 8 (William & Harry, Zara & Peter, Beatrice & Eugenie, Louise & James)
10. 14

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(Friday's 1.30 - 3.30 weekly)

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## JOSH SAYS FAREWELL



"After almost 13 years of working in Tysoe Village Stores, yesterday (20th May) was my last shift. From a 17 year old school student on a Sunday shift up to now when I'm 30 years old, I feel like now is the time to try something different.

It hasn't been an easy decision, and is a little bittersweet because as much as I'm looking forward to exciting new challenges . . . It's been an absolute pleasure to serve the local community for over a decade and I will miss the faces I get to see everyday."

*The feeling is mutual Josh, we're going to miss you too! (The Editor)*



## #TysoeSupportsUkraine

The visas for Nadiia, Vira and Yeva (who Fred Price met on the Polish border at the Ukrainian consulate - pictured right) have come through, and they were seeking air tickets to travel to Yeovil to stay with their hosts, Anna and Michel and family.

Ranit Katz posted on Facebook that: *“Olya, a 21 year-old refugee, is joining their family. Please say hello if you see us about.”*



The visa process is in train for other individuals to come to the area. The visa application form is now in Ukrainian which makes things easier for those applying to come to the UK.

There are offers of accommodation in the area but with no matched refugees which needs addressing. Numbers arriving in the UK could increase - it is simply not possible to tell what will happen in the months ahead, but we need to be prepared.

### **Preparing for the arrival of refugees**

We need to consider:

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- Extending a warm welcome and showing a smiling face, as well as offering practical help.
- Donating through future fundraising i.e. at the village cricket match - likely to be on 21st August. Also, a pop-up brunch between now and then with a bucket donation.

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## Platinum Jubilee Celebration

Hi Tysoe,

Plans for the Jubilee weekend are ramping up a pace. Most of them are advertised on Facebook @Tysoe Village Noticeboard and @Tysoe Record Events, plus posters and flyers distributed around the village. It is great to see the village coming together to celebrate.

The Parish Council held its **AGM on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> May**, followed by an Ordinary Meeting. Then on **May 12<sup>th</sup> the Annual Parish Assembly** took place. The reports have been uploaded onto [www.tysoe.org.uk/parish-council/meetings-papers-current-2021-22/](http://www.tysoe.org.uk/parish-council/meetings-papers-current-2021-22/) There are some really interesting ideas and activities happening around the village. For me, the Assembly provided an opportunity to meet new people. I hope to visit the Church's June Coffee morning to meet even more.

There's lots going on:

- ☺ As part of the Platinum Jubilee, the Parish Council is planning to plant a beautiful red leaved copper beech tree this autumn, with a bench and tree-guard around it.
- ☺ Steps are being taken to replace and/ or remove unnecessary street lights in the village. With the growing price of energy, this should help to reduce these costs.
- ☺ The Parish Council is also looking at various ways to provide more off-road parking for residents to minimise parking issues.
- ☺ No Mow May is happening in verges and designated areas around the village which we hope will increase the numbers of birds and wild insects.

I look forward to hearing your stories and seeing pictures from the Jubilee weekend. I hope you get out there and have a great time!

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## TYSOE TENNIS CLUB NEWS

**Tysoe Ladies:** The ladies A team having been promoted to Division 3 in the Evesham Summer Tennis League are not disgracing themselves. A win against Moreton A with Jude Canning and Nicki Campbell in the team for the first time winning one rubber which clinched the match. Last weekend playing a strong Shipston team Julie Smart and Lou Kramer excelled themselves by winning two rubbers giving the team a draw.

The ladies B team also had a draw against Inkberrow B in Division 5 with Irene Beever and Elaine Thorne narrowly missing out on a hard-fought game. Nicki Campbell and Alison Sayer also were unlucky losing a very competitive championship tiebreak.

**Tysoe Mens:** The Men's team have started their summer campaign with three wins and a draw. Fantastic performances from all seven players who have contributed so far have placed us top of the league after four games and unbeaten. We've needed to fight, the last match against Moreton finishing at almost 10.00pm. We're looking forward to a very successful season! Second placed Aston Cantlow are the next target this coming Monday..

For more details visit the website or contact Carol Spencer Club Secretary on 07708 412767



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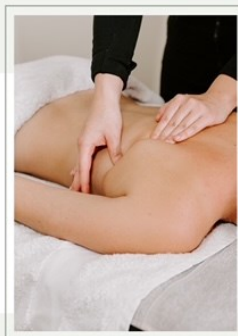
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