



# Old Sarum Newsletter: April 2016: issue 68. *Funded by OSCC.*

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**Old Sarum Easter Egg Hunt:** Old Sarum Easter egg hunt is back for 2017! Sunday April 16<sup>th</sup> meet at the community centre, 2pm to collect your map. £2 per child for entry. Followed by crafts and refreshments at the community centre



## What's new this month?

**Residents Association meeting:** Open to the public. Wednesday 5th April at 7.30pm in the Community Centre.

**Messy Church:** 9<sup>th</sup> April. Join us for craft, activities and food 4-5:30pm @ Old Sarum community centre. For more information please contact Will and Sophie, oldsarum@st-francischurch.org.uk

**The Community Café:** in the Community Centre which is open every Tuesday afternoon during term time between 2.30 - 4 pm is thriving thanks to the home made cakes and biscuits provided by Elizabeth, Laurence and Diana and the crafts provided by April. Help would be appreciated with homemade cakes and biscuits from other residents in the community. Are you able to help, if possible once a month (payment would be made for the ingredients used)? If so please call into the cafe and discuss it with one of the volunteers. Let's make the cafe even better!

## BOOKINGS

If you have a birthday, anniversary, party or any occasion Old Sarum Community Centre is offering a discounted rate of £10 per hour for the main hall to anyone who lives in the Laverstock and Ford parish (includes Old Sarum). If you are interested please contact: 01722 335349 or oldsarumcommunitycentre@gmail.com

## Social

**French classes:** 7 - 8 pm on a Thursday, contact Lisa Calverley e-mail: lisa@languageforfun.org for more information, all abilities welcome.

**The Skies Café:** Open to the public every day from 8:30am-4:30pm (<http://www.oldsarumairfield.co.uk/cafe/>). Look out across the Airfield, and watch the aeroplanes come and go. Contact: 01722 322525. Email Annabel Cook: info@oldsarumairfield.co.uk

**Community café:** Every Tuesday 2.30-4pm in the community centre (term time only). Children's drinks and biscuit free, adults 50p for fresh coffee or delicious cake. Games and craft table. Suitable for everyone.

**Rock Choir:** Thursday Evenings 8-9:30pm. Vouchers can be found at Old Sarum Community Centre for a free taster session worth £10. For more details contact: 01252 714276 email: office@rockchoir.com

**Book Group** for adults. Next meeting 13<sup>th</sup> April at 1 Lark Lane, 7.30pm. New members welcome, Thursdays every 6 weeks. Contact jeanfitness@gmail.com for details.

**Ladies that lunch** next get together will be on the 31<sup>st</sup> March! Meet 11 for walk or, if wet, at 12:00 for lunch. Venue to be confirmed. All welcome, contact jeanfitness@gmail.com for details.

**Quiz Night:** 1st Wednesday in month at The Black Horse at 8.30, come and join the OS team! Details from Malcolm on 01722 416828.

**Blokes Drink Beer** A casual social for blokes. Contact Gareth 07825 667067, garethsull@gmail.com for date and time of next meeting. See Facebook page for info!

**Women Drink Wine** is back- See Facebook group: 'Women Drink Wine!' for updates of the next event.

**Fryer Tuck:** Monday evenings. Fish and chip van 6.30-8.30pm parked near the community centre.

**The Slinky Fox, Artisan Pizza:** Every Friday, 4-9pm, in the Football ground carpark. To avoid disappointment pre-orders can be made via Facebook 'the Slinky Fox' or email theslinkyfox@hotmail.com

**Magnet Sports Bar (Football Ground):** find info on Facebook.

## Children and Young People

**Mini Kickz** Football for 2 - 4 year olds. Wednesdays 10-11am. Contact Paul Matthew on 07407417065. Cost £4.50 per session.

**Beavers and Cubs** meet on a Monday evening 6-7pm.

Contact: oldsarumscouts@outlook.com

**Youth group** meets fortnightly on Mondays from 7.30-8.30pm at the Community centre. Run by Youth Action Wiltshire. Open to Year 7 and above.

**Sarum Cross fit** runs children's exercise activities so do look on their website. [www.sarumcrossfit.co.uk](http://www.sarumcrossfit.co.uk)

**AIR CADETS** 1010 Air Training Corps. Meet Tuesdays and Fridays: 7 - 9.15pm at the TA Centre, in its own base. 12 years and upwards welcome. Contact the Commanding Officer on 01722 320634.

### **After School Garden Club**

Tuesdays from 3.30 to 4.15pm, an after school garden club at the Community Garden for primary school age children. Only criteria is that they live in Old Sarum (don't have to go to school in Old Sarum). Anyone interested should post their details through the Community Centre letter box addressed to Shirley Ayres who will be running the gardening club.

### Babies and Toddlers

**Monday Monkeys** - Toddler group every Monday during term time 9.30 - 11 am. Cost £1 per session

**Health Visitors:** Baby weigh-ins in hall 2A. The 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month, 12.45 - 2.45pm.

**Sling Club:** Monthly on a Wednesday morning in hall 2A @ OSCC. Just turn up! Next meeting 26<sup>th</sup> April 10am - 12 noon.

**Stay and Play** run by Clearbury Children's Centre Friday's 10-11.30pm **FREE**. Tel: 01725 511459 [www.clearbury.childrenscentre.org](http://www.clearbury.childrenscentre.org).

### Health and Wellbeing

**Slimming World:** Every Saturday morning between 9.30 and 11am.

**Fit Steps:** 7.30-8.30pm. Fit Steps is an up-beat dance exercise class. Contact Gemma, [gemma@fitstepssalisbury.co.uk](mailto:gemma@fitstepssalisbury.co.uk), Mobile 07933 722289.

**Ladies Only Kick Boxing:** Tuesday's 8-9pm. Fitness classes for all abilities at Old Sarum Primary School. Contact for more details [info@aspire-martial-arts.co.uk](mailto:info@aspire-martial-arts.co.uk)

### CONTACTS...

*Old Sarum Community Centre:* Office open Mondays 10-12am, Email: [oldsarumcommunitycentre@gmail.com](mailto:oldsarumcommunitycentre@gmail.com) Phone 01722 335349. Web: [oldsarumcommunitycentre.co.uk](http://oldsarumcommunitycentre.co.uk), [www.facebook.com/Oldsarumcommunitycentre](http://www.facebook.com/Oldsarumcommunitycentre)

*Old Sarum Residents Association and Community Management Group:* contact 01722 335349.

*Facebook:* 'Old Sarum Community' is a great place to engage with the community, or just ask which bins are being collected!

'Old Sarum FREE – FOR SALE – WANTED' is a quick way to sell or give away items.

*Neighbourhood Watch:* Co-ordinator Lucinda Hyman. Tel: 01722 322239 Email: [osnw2015@gmail.com](mailto:osnw2015@gmail.com)

*Police PCSO:* Jenny Moss, Phone 101.

*Old Sarum Primary School:* Head John Jones Email: [admin@oldsarum.wilts.sch.uk](mailto:admin@oldsarum.wilts.sch.uk), Tel: 01722 410677.

*Parish Council:* [www.laverstock-ford.co.uk](http://www.laverstock-ford.co.uk) for contact details of councillors. Email: [parish-clerk@laverstock-ford.co.uk](mailto:parish-clerk@laverstock-ford.co.uk)

*Old Sarum Parish Councillors:* Carl Davis, Andy Birkett. Refer to Laverstock and Ford Parish newsletter for contact details.

*Wiltshire Councillor:* Ian McLennan Tel: 01722 332233, Email: [ian@lets-go-show.com](mailto:ian@lets-go-show.com)

*Minister for weddings, baptisms and funerals:* Contact Revd Paul Taylor at St Francis Church email [vicar@stfrancischurch.org.uk](mailto:vicar@stfrancischurch.org.uk) or speak with Will and Sophie who can help put you in touch.

*Community Enablers* - Will and Sophie Burditt: [oldsarum@st-francischurch.org.uk](mailto:oldsarum@st-francischurch.org.uk) or call 01722 237318