

# Chaddleworth News

Included in this November edition of Chaddleworth News:

- Goodbye to Henry,
- reports from the successful Macmillan Tea Party and Harvest Auction,
- a wide variety of Events coming – mark your calendar!
- a seasonal Gardening update
- and regular news from our Local Organisations.

Please provide your letters, suggestions and contributions for the next edition by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the month to [chaddnews@gmail.com](mailto:chaddnews@gmail.com)

Thank you. *Ed.*

## Remembrance Sunday



Please note the Parish Council will lay a wreath at the **Chaddleworth War Memorial** on **Remembrance Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November** at 11:00.

## Defibrillator Use Training

Chaddleworth **Parish Council** are organising a training session for the use of defibrillators on **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November** at **11:00am** in **Chaddleworth Village Hall**. The training will take around 2 hours. Please enrol as it maybe vitally important for your family or friends one day. There are spaces for up to 20 people. Please enrol via the PC clerk [chaddleworth.pc@outlook.com](mailto:chaddleworth.pc@outlook.com)

## Seniors' Christmas Lunch 2022

'The Old Gits' are organising this year's **Seniors' Christmas Lunch** on **Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December** at **The Ibx Inn**.



We have limited seats so please be registered by **Friday 7<sup>th</sup> November**.

Contact **Gary Pounds** on **07799190885** or [g.pounds@btinternet.com](mailto:g.pounds@btinternet.com)

Thank you from *The Old Gits*

## Royal British Legion

### Lest we forget

Please support the 2022 Poppy Appeal when **Sue or Grahame** knocks at your door.



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## Henry Ponsonby

With the death of Henry Ponsonby, age 74, Chaddleworth has lost one of its more ebullient characters. He first moved to the village over 30 years ago, renting a cottage in Upper End, where he continued his business of racehorse syndication and then bought Rosemeirion where he lived with his late partner Kish.

He was a pioneer of racehorse syndicates and for over four decades had many big race successes with over 450 winners on the Flat and National Hunt, including at the big festivals of Cheltenham, Aintree, Royal Ascot, York, Glorious Goodwood etc. He was proud to have had runners in the Grand National and the Derby.

He excelled in selling shares in his horses and many owners came from all walks of life, including novelist Jilly Cooper and former Manchester United manager Sir Alex Ferguson, many of whom visited him at his house in Chaddleworth.

One of his favourite horses in recent times he named *Who Dares Wins* and it was assumed by many of his owners, but not his amused friends, that he had been in the SAS in his military days. Oddly, he never quite got around to denying this rumour.

Henry was the eternal optimist, nothing got him down. He was a loyal friend to many, a great raconteur and good company. He enjoyed living in the village and contributed to many local causes, including the beautiful newly formed war

memorial garden next to his house. Never afraid to express his views and opinions, he could be a scourge of the Parish Council if things were awry.

He would often be seen out walking with his black Labrador, Miller, or dropping in to the Ibex Inn and engaging with anyone for an interesting conversation.

Henry is survived by his daughter, Christine, his ex-wife Jane, his dog Miller and assorted racehorses that will continue to run in his memory – the best of which may prove to be *Boy Browning*.



*Henry and Miller taken earlier in September*

## Grace Greaves

Many in the village remember *Revd Bob Greaves* with great affection. His widow **Grace** has recently died and her funeral will take place in Chaddleworth on **9<sup>th</sup> November at 11.30am**. Note that Bob wasn't vicar of the whole Benefice as it is today. Great Shefford and Welford with Wickham weren't added in until a long time later. **Miri**

## Macmillan Tea Party

On Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October the **Chaddleworth Afternoon Club** held a very successful tea party in the Village Hall in support of Macmillan Cancer Support. The Hall was full and I think everyone had a good time drinking tea, eating cake and chatting to friends and neighbours. We also held a grand raffle and I think most people won something.

We paid into Macmillan the grand sum of **£431.80** (£100 of this was raised at the Platinum Jubilee event). Thank you to everyone who came and of course our helpers **Diane and Hazel, Glen and Phyllis and John Bibbings**. We hope you all had a good time and aided us in raising this grand sum. **Pat Tranter**

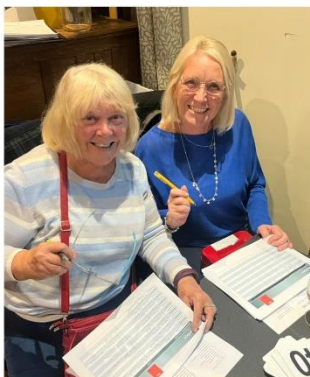
## Chaddleworth Harvest Auction

What an amazing turn out for this year's Harvest Auction at the Ibex Inn on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October.

**Thank you** to everyone who came out to make it the success it was. And thank you to **The Old Gits & The Glamorous Four** for organising the event and to **Mark Slade** for being our auctioneer!

The total raised for the Seniors Christmas Lunch is over **£2,200**

We're already looking forward to next year!





## Downland Gardening Club

How are we gardeners meant to know what season of the year it is? The sun shines, it is really warm and then a sudden change, pelting rain and high winds and we can tell that we need to think of frosts and, oh dear, have I even ordered my bulbs? The answer to this is yes, after my normal happy browsing of nursery websites and catalogues I find myself reordering my favourites, *Ballerina*, *National Velvet* and *Spring Green* – but I have also succumbed to one new tulip *Flaming Purissima* and a little narcissus called *Sailboat*. Perhaps this weekend is tulip planting in my pots and a visit to the Garden Centre to decide what I will plant as cover. Just an excuse for a visit to Yew Tree.

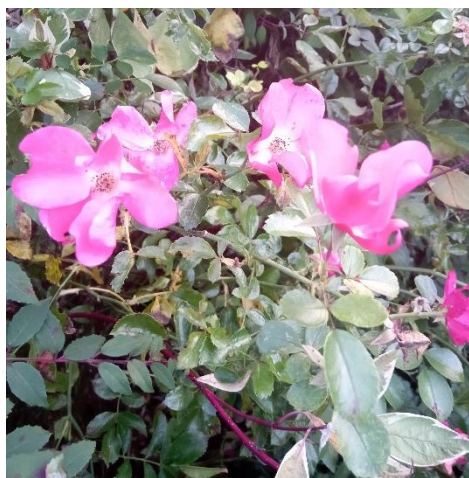


The sweet chestnuts have been raining on my roof, there has been a fantastic Apple and Plum Harvest but, I understand, few Pears. Lots of Blackberries to add to the Apples and those with Fig and Quince Trees went looking for new recipes. On a recent visit to Kent at a fabulous National Trust Property, *Smallhythe*, (well worth a visit if you are near Rye) which was the home of Ellen Terry, and still has and uses the Barn

Theatre where she trod the boards, among an orchard of Kentish Apples there was a *medlar tree* absolutely covered in ripening medlars. I am waiting for the blackbirds to strip my crab apple tree but so far they are obviously too well fed elsewhere. Sadly, at Oak Ash we have had the noise of tree felling recently as the decision was made that the diseased Ash Trees had to be culled. This reminds me of my arrival in Berkshire in the 70s when I kept asking 'where are the trees'. I came from Sussex, the Ashdown Forest was my back garden and that is Oak country. Berkshire was Elm country and had suffered from the terrible devastation of Dutch Elm Disease. Travelling from here to Sussex now, the new devastation of Ash Dieback is obvious and a tragedy.

Cuttings, cuttings, don't forget now is the time for your Salvias, Penstemons, Geraniums, Lavender, Lemon Verbena (lovely to flavour ice cream) and others. Monty Don showed us how, as well as dividing herbaceous plants. Do you have a helpful puppy? Enjoy the sun while it lasts, happy leaf gathering, and possibly the last mow of the season.

**Judy Kelley**



# Great Shefford Pre-School



**Pre-School, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
Thursday 9:15am to 2:45pm**

The Autumn term has flown by. The children have enjoyed the good weather and wonderful activities.

We have welcomed back our music teacher, Anouska, each Tuesday morning and are learning simple songs with different beats. She has commented how well they sit and listen which is a real compliment to any early years setting!

We have received many harvest donations which we took to St. Mary's Church where we met Café Church organiser, Shirley, who listened to the children sing their harvest song. The gifts have now been donated to *The Lambourn Junction* to support needy families along the Lambourn Valley.

The children have enjoyed baking bread, woodland activities and time at our fantastic park throughout a busy half term.

If you have a pre-school child and would like to find out more about the wonderful learning experiences we offer, please log on to our **Learning Diary** on our website [www.greatsheffordunderfives.co.uk](http://www.greatsheffordunderfives.co.uk) or contact us on **07867 934387**.



**Baby and Toddler Group, Monday  
9:30am to 11:15am**

The Baby & Toddler group is open on Monday mornings and is very popular with young families from the local area. If you haven't visited us before, please come along to Great Shefford Village Hall and let our staff, Morven and Debbie, make you most welcome with a cuppa, chat and plenty of activities.

We have a good range of resources and most importantly, are looking forward to meeting parents and their very young children to offer support and friendship.

With best wishes, **Denise**  
[denise.herrington@btinternet.com](mailto:denise.herrington@btinternet.com)



# Chaddleshworth St Andrew's and Shefford C.E.

## Federated Primary Schools



Our pupil led Harvest Festival of thanks was both thoughtful and inspiring. Frankie, our wellbeing champion, challenged us all to think about 5 things that we can be thankful for each day and Owls explained how important our human rights are, including warmth, shelter and food, hence collecting food for the charity *Loose Ends*. We can certainly be thankful to all of our parents and carers who were so generous with their donations.

It was our 'EYFS' Robins first term and what a term it has been! They are definitely, well and truly part of our school community in this short space of time! They have gone on welly walks around the village, picked, peeled and cooked apples for an apple crumble with help from Mrs Liddiard and

taken part in every opportunity offered – well done Robins!

The Owls have loved learning about rocks and have 'wowed' me with their new vocabulary: *sedimentary*, *igneous*, *metamorphic*. Brilliant Owls!

Meanwhile the Kingfishers have been writing to King Charles, asking for him to save the planet. They walked to the Post Office to get stamps and posted them. We are eagerly anticipating replies!

As always, thank you to everyone for their support this term – we have shown **Courage** (our Christian Value), **Not Given Up** (our Learning Power) and are ready to continue '**living life in all its fullness**'!

**Alison Stephenson, Headteacher/DSL,**  
01488 648657, [www.csfschools.org](http://www.csfschools.org)







## Chaddleworth Village Hall

The **Annual General Meeting** will be held in **Chaddleworth Village Hall** on **Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 7 pm** – all welcome.

**Bookings:** Chaddleworth Village Hall is a versatile venue with great facilities, plenty of parking, is freshly decorated and has new, upholstered chairs.

Please contact us to view and book The Hall for your children's parties, family events and any other functions. Contact **07827 309401** or [ChaddleworthHall@gmail.com](mailto:ChaddleworthHall@gmail.com)

## Chaddleworth 100 Club

The latest winners of the 100 Club draw for September are **Margaret Cooper** with her lucky number 15 and **Ben Golob** with his lucky number 85. They both win **£42**. We are now at 84 Members so thank you one and all. **It would be nice to actually get to 100 Members so please consider joining.** This is a really good way of supporting our village. This *Chaddleworth News* is distributed to over 200 addresses so there are many more parishioners that might enjoy supporting the Village Hall via the 100 Club. It is really worthwhile being a member to keep the Hall going and we implore every villager to join.

Please contact **Grahame Murphy** on **01488 638628**

or email [botmoorway@btinternet.com](mailto:botmoorway@btinternet.com)

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**How do I join the 100 Club?** With "internet banking", set up a standing order for £2 per month (one number) or £24 a year. Payable to Recipient '**Chaddleworth 100 Club**', Sort Code **62-28-74**, Account No **00000000** (eight zeros), Reference **2856684010**. Alternatively, you can let me have a cheque or cash just contact me. Email **Grahame Murphy** on [botmoorway@btinternet.com](mailto:botmoorway@btinternet.com) to let me know you have joined and get your allocated lucky number.

## West Berkshire Council



Collections from flats and communal dwellings begin **28 November 2022**

Your new separate weekly food waste collections start from **Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022**. We are making these changes to the way your food waste is collected so that it is collected weekly using a smaller, more secure container to encourage everyone to recycle food waste for a greener West Berkshire.

Collection will take place on the **same day as your black bin and recycling collections**. You will be able to recycle the same types of food waste as our current food waste collection service including: meat and fish; fruit and vegetables; cheese and eggs; bread and pastries; uneaten food from plates; tea bags and coffee grounds.

Please **do not** put bones from red meat, oils, liquids or fats into your caddy. Please do not put any packaging such as plastic wrapping in the food waste bin.

Further details on what can or cannot be included in your separate food waste bin can be found on our website [www.westberks.gov.uk/foodwaste](http://www.westberks.gov.uk/foodwaste)

## Chaddleworth Parish Council

Meetings are in the Chaddleworth Village Hall every other month (TBC) – next on **Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2022 at 7:30pm**. If you have any matters for the Council, please contact the clerk via [chaddleworth.pc@outlook.com](mailto:chaddleworth.pc@outlook.com)

For the minutes from past meetings please visit [www.chaddleworth.net](http://www.chaddleworth.net)

**Blind Spot:** The PC have been told by West Berks Council Highways that we would not be allowed to erect a convex mirror at the junction of School Hill and Main Street. We are disappointed that our request has been refused as we had sought and gained the permission of the landowner.

**20 mile per hour speed limit:** Following our request for this in the village, we have been informed that Kintbury do have such a limit.

**Norris Lane:** The Parish Council are now pursuing the final avenue to prove to Sovereign that they need to accept their responsibility for the footpath and parking area. They have used their usual tactic of obfuscation and denial. This is on-going and the PC has sent photo's to demonstrate the situation and enlisted the help of our MP. WBC Boundaries Officer has now been in touch with the PC but so far we have not had a further response.

**Right to Buy:** We are pursuing this with Sovereign and our MP Laura Farris. There are a number of tenants that would like to buy their homes and we will do our very best to help them.

**Covid 19 Test Kits:** The PC have been supplied with test kits by West Berks Council Healthcare and there are still kits available. Please contact Grahame via **01488 638628** or [botmoorway@btinternet.com](mailto:botmoorway@btinternet.com)

The regular Councillor's Report is available via the West Berkshire website:

[www.westberks.gov.uk/downloadsparishcouncilreport](http://www.westberks.gov.uk/downloadsparishcouncilreport)

Kind regards, **Councillor Clive Hooker**

## Chaddleworth Hardship Fund

The Trustees recognise that energy bills have dramatically increased and are set to go up again in the autumn. All applications are always treated with the utmost confidentiality. If anyone is having difficulty in paying their bills and or are in 'fuel poverty' (spending 10% or more of their income on energy) they are urged to contact the Hardship Fund Trustees via the Parish Clerk/Responsible Finance Officer on [chaddleworth.pc@outlook.com](mailto:chaddleworth.pc@outlook.com)

## Saunders Wynn and Coventry Educational Foundation

The three named benefactors set up the Trust to offer financial help to further the educational needs of the children and students (up to the age of 25) of the Parish of Chaddleworth. The Trustees meet four times a year with the next meeting scheduled for **8<sup>th</sup> November** to consider applications including any relating to the additional costs of home-schooling and remote study for students. Previous contributions have been made towards the cost of school uniforms, books for university courses, specific equipment and kit for courses, and residential courses.

If you wish to apply for funds please contact the Foundation's Clerk, **Heather Murphy**, Tower Hill Cottage, Botmoor Way, Chaddleworth RG20 7EU or email [botmoorway@btinternet.com](mailto:botmoorway@btinternet.com) for an application form. All applications are treated in the strictest confidence. Any applications received after this scheduled meeting will still be considered for awards by the Trustees but there may be a delay before awards are made.

## Patient Participation Group and Patient Panel

**Grahame Murphy** is the Parish Council representative on these two groups including at a meeting on 20<sup>th</sup> October. If you have any concerns regarding the Downland Practice, or any wider NHS concerns, please get in touch with me via email [botmoorway@btinternet.com](mailto:botmoorway@btinternet.com)



## Letters and Announcements

### Chaddleshworth Cricket Club

Our AGM is on the 16<sup>th</sup> December at 7:30pm at Chaddleshworth Village Hall.

All are welcome and refreshments will be provided after the meeting.

Interested in joining Chaddleshworth Cricket Club? Contact **Mr Wilson** via his email [jimmybobwilson@gmail.com](mailto:jimmybobwilson@gmail.com)

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Many thanks to Mr and Mrs Hambro for hosting the West Downland Benefice Harvest Festival at the beacon and to Sue Ridgeway, the PCC and our Patron for their contributions.

Deer and skylarks joined us for the service which was live on Zoom for those unable to attend in person.

Rev. Miri Keen



West Downland Benefice November		
Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> November		
10:00am	United Benefice Service	Leckhampstead
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> November		
9:15am	Remembrance Service	Great Shefford School
10:45am	Remembrance Service at the War Memorial	Brightwalton School
2:30pm	Remembrance Service in the School Hall	Welford & Wickham School
Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> November		
9:30am	Remembrance Service	Great Shefford War Memorial
10:30am	Remembrance Service (lay led)	Welford with Wickham War Memorial
10:30am	Act of Remembrance (lay led)	Chaddleworth War Memorial
10:55am	Act of Remembrance followed by service of hymns and readings in church (starting at approximately 11.15am)	Leckhampstead War Memorial
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> November		
9:00am	BCP Holy Communion	Chaddleworth
10:00am	Café Church	Great Shefford
10:30am	Morning Praise + Holy Communion	Leckhampstead
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> November		
9:00am	BCP Holy Communion	Brightwalton
10:30am	Morning Praise + Holy Communion	Welford

We are pleased to offer Zoom from Church for the services. Please contact the Benefice Office for joining details via [sarah.westdownland@gmail.com](mailto:sarah.westdownland@gmail.com)

Details and Order of Service can be found on the A Church Near You site [www.achurchnearyou.com](http://www.achurchnearyou.com)

To receive updates of church news and information about all services please contact Sarah to subscribe to the West Downland Benefice weekly email via [sarah.westdownland@gmail.com](mailto:sarah.westdownland@gmail.com)



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### **Looking Back on October**

*Oktoberfest* was brilliant for many of us! Lots of German beers tried and tasted and ticked off the list. And our Live Music night with *Nash and The Mac* back by popular demand was superb! Thank you to everyone who joined us. What's coming up...

### **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> Nov // Wine Tasting**

Unforeseen circumstances meant we had to postpone this event. Join us on this new date for only **£25** per person, including 5 glasses of wine and some nibbles.

### **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> Nov // FIFA World Cup**

We will be showing games throughout the World Cup season. Booking is advised!

### **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> Nov // Live Music**

We are being joined for the first time by Rock 'n' Roll band **The Playthings**. We know how much you love our Live Music nights!

### **Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> Nov // Locals Night**

A get together and a chance to catch up with your friends and neighbours! More details coming soon!

We are already thinking about Christmas! We have lots going on so make sure you've got all the dates in your calendars:

### **5<sup>th</sup> Dec // Christmas Wreath Workshop**

Please check Kelly Louise Floral Design on Facebook to book your place!

### **10<sup>th</sup> Dec // Christmas Market**

If you're interested in a stall, please email [nathan@theibex.com](mailto:nathan@theibex.com)



### **1st to 24th Dec // Christmas Menu**

Celebrate with your loved ones this festive season. **£23** for two courses, **£29** for three courses! Please email or check the Facebook page to see the menu.

### **TripAdvisor traveller's choice 2022**

We did it again! We are in the top 10% of restaurants worldwide! Thank you to all of our customers that have left us a review and an even bigger thank you to our wonderful team that work tirelessly to deliver great customer service and smiles. We are so proud of ourselves to get this award! If you have visited us recently, please head over to TripAdvisor and leave us a review!

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**Gavin, Nathan & The Ibex Team**





## Chaddleshworth and Shefford Schools PTFA

Registered Charity 1190914

A new school year saw us planning the first of our "Back to School" BBQs but, sadly, we took the decision to cancel. Whilst we would have loved the opportunity to gather together, it did not feel appropriate during the period of national mourning.



But we have kept busy nonetheless, with the first of the inter-house bake sales and most recently our "Spooky Craft" morning held at the school and open to all. It has been lovely to welcome members of the school community as well as the village.



We look forward to welcoming even more people for our forthcoming **Winter Fete** on **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November**. please join us for seasonal fun and even find some Christmas gifts!

*Chaddleshworth and Shefford Schools Parents, Teachers and Friends Association* (PTFA) comprises parents, staff and community members. We are a small group, but always welcome new members. You do not need to be connected to the school – you may just wish to be involved in a community group.

As a registered Charity, we are always grateful for any donations you may be able to give, whether the company you work for can fund-match or donate a prize, we would love to hear from you. Or maybe you've got a few bits and bobs that we could add to our tombola?

Our aims are simple, working closely with the school to enhance the education of the pupils and engaging in activities both in the school and in the community to raise funds.

If you are interested in becoming involved with the PTFA, we meet monthly and our Chair, **Caroline**, can be contacted via [chad\\_shefford\\_ptfa@mail.com](mailto:chad_shefford_ptfa@mail.com)



## National Animal Welfare Trust Trindledown Farm

It is that wonderful time of year already! The sun is setting earlier and the colder weather is setting in, but there's still plenty of fun going on over here at Trindledown Farm. In the October half term, from 25<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup>, we ran a scavenger style pumpkin hunt, where children (and adults!) could solve a range of riddles and clues to find the hidden pumpkins around site – each marked with a letter. Once all the letters were collected, and the magic word unscrambled, children showed the staff and won a **fang-tastic** prize. There were also arts, crafts and spooky biscuit decorating for a full day of family fun.



Coming up for this Christmas period, we will be hosting another online auction on our Facebook group – **Trindledown Treasures**. There will be a fab array of prizes to help get your Christmas shopping sorted. From wonderful hampers to exciting days out – there will be something that is sure to catch your eye. Starting **7<sup>th</sup> November** and ending on the **21<sup>st</sup>** – keep your eyes peeled and your bidding hats ready.

In rehoming news, we are over the moon to announce **Fred**, our mastiff cross, has been adopted! Fred arrived to our centre in June as a stray and has since worked incredibly hard with staff in his training. Fred has now gone home to the loveliest family, who have helped come along in leaps and bounds. We are so thrilled to see him find a forever home and can't wait to hear all about his new adventures.



We have several animals that are still looking for someone to take a chance on them. The lovely **Luna**, a crossbreed from abroad, is looking for a family to continue her training and give all the cuddles to. There is also the wonderful **Sunny** who is looking for a companion (or two) to retire with. We also have the handsome cat **Jack** who is still looking for a forever home. Although shy, he is a homebody at heart and is desperate for someone to take a chance on him.



We will also be running a Christmas Fayre on **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December**. A fantastic and fun family day out with plenty of stalls featuring local businesses. In addition, we will have live music from **Pandemonium** folk band from Wantage, a Christmas themed dog show and the opportunity for your little-one or favourite four-legged friend to get their photo taken with Santa Claus! Entrance will be **£2** per head and we are still accepting stallholder enquiries if interested.

As always, thank you to everyone for their continuous support. If you'd like to keep up to date on all our events and animal antics, make sure you follow us on Facebook **@nawt.berkshire** to see all the latest news!

**Molly, 01488 567974**



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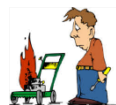
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## Shefford Young Farmers



We have enjoyed some interesting meetings over the last month.

We had an evening of Ferret Racing hosted by Mick Quelch. The ferrets were very well behaved and the children thoroughly enjoyed taking part in some ferret racing.

Some of our members competed in the YFC ploughing competition at the NADAS Ploughing match. Congratulations to **Ed** who came 1<sup>st</sup> and **Ella** who came 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Louisa competed in the NFYFC Floral Art finals and came 9<sup>th</sup> out of 23 competitors.

We also held our Club AGM, welcomed children into new positions within the club and celebrated all their achievements over the past year.

We have a number of exciting meetings coming up over the next few months including Bonfire evening, Machinery Talk, visit to Rooksnest Estate, Christmas Flower Arranging and finishing off at Christmas with our annual Carol Singing Evening.

YFC is open to anyone who is aged 10-28 and you don't have to be from a farming background, just have an enjoyment of being in the Countryside. If you would be interested in joining the club, please contact us on...

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*How hard is it? 8½ miles; easy; field paths*

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