

# Horseman's Green Community Newsletter



June - July  
2025

It's hard to believe this is a summer edition of our newsletter. How time flies when we're enjoying ourselves! I hope you find the planned schedule of socials interesting and enticing.

We look

forward to seeing our regular visitors and hopefully some new visitors to the activities.

Remember you DON'T have to live in HG to join in the fun.



Enjoy a **WINE TASTING** evening which will test both your skill and knowledge



Stretch those legs and join the Green Walkers on a local adventure

We won £1,000!  
**BRILLIANT!** Thanks for saving those blue discs



Support **BLOOD BIKES** talk by a volunteer.  
Open to ALL.



Increasing in popularity – try the  
**Whist Drive**

**YOU are INVITED!**  
Want to contribute to making HG community even better? Then drop into a Trustee or Management meeting to see what's involved.



## Your Activity Groups and Socials for June and July 2025



The **Green Book Club** will meet again on **Mon June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10.00 am.** to discuss '**Better off Dead**' by Lee Child. The next meeting is **Mon July 7<sup>th</sup>.** Only £1.50/session. The Mobile Library sources the books, (whether a member or not), so please don't worry about the cost of accessing the chosen books. Feeling tempted? You can always drop in, have a coffee and see if it's for you. Contact Julie on 07799607367



**Seniors Gentle Exercise Group** every **Tuesday.** Join Rachel for a 45 minute session starting at **1.30pm.** Experience the benefits of regular exercise which will help **keep you mobile** and at **less risk of falls.** It **really does help** make a difference. Newcomers **always welcome.** No gym gear needed just comfy clothes. Only £2 pp which includes tea/coffee and chat after the class. **Contact** Rachel 07717770019 for information



**Green Art Group** will meet on **Tuesday June 3<sup>rd</sup>** with a session by Jenny producing **colourful Zebras** with Acrylic paints. On **Tuesday June 17<sup>th</sup>** join Kim in a watercolour session looking at **Movement of Colour.** **Tues. 1<sup>st</sup> July** will be another Acrylic session with Jenny, this time creating **Fantasy Midnight Tree Silhouettes.** Kim returns with a watercolour session on **Tues. July 15<sup>th</sup>** with **Rural Scenes.** Please note sessions on: **Tuesday June 10<sup>th</sup> and July 8<sup>th</sup>** will be for finishing work or work on **own projects.** Sessions only £3.00 pp from 3.00pm to 5.00pm. Contact Andrea 07936295523



**Chatter and Craft on Thurs. June 5<sup>th</sup>** enjoy creating brightly coloured **crepe paper summer flowers.** Simple to make, but very effective. On **Thurs. July 3<sup>rd</sup>** employ the same skills but use luxury Italian crepe paper to create the flowers. Sessions from 9.30 to 11.30am. All materials provided by Andrea. Fee in June is £3pp, but July £4 pp due to the use of higher quality paper. Don't fancy those? Not a problem - bring your own project and just have a chat and a coffee for £2. Contact Andrea on 07936295523

**The Green Singers** meet the **first three Thursdays in June: 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, and 19<sup>th</sup>,** then in **July: 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>** from 6.30 – 8.00pm. Several newcomers have joined recently, so why not give it a go? You know what they say, "the more the merrier". A brilliant way to spend an evening and improve your health and well being. Just £5 per session. **Contact** Jackie 07887988732



**Fri. June 6<sup>th</sup>** join Brian and Rosemary for a **special Wine Tasting evening.** Test your wine skills and knowledge sampling 4 white and 4 red wines. **Buffet plate with Belton Cheese and other nice nibbles.** This will be a super evening. It certainly was last time! Prize for the most skilled! Doors open 7.00pm for a 7.30pm start. £12.50 pp. Also **200 CLUB MONTHLY DRAW.** Please book by **Weds. 4<sup>th</sup>** – sign sheet in hall or contact Jackie on 07887988732



The **Green Fingers Gardening Club** will meet on **Sat. June 7<sup>th</sup>** at the hall from 10 am until 11.30 and **Sat. July 5<sup>th</sup>** Topics tbc, but do bring along any questions you might have re the garden. Small charge of £1 for T/C. For further information contact Jackie on 07887988732



**Community Arts and Crafts,** will meet on **Thurs. June 12<sup>th</sup>** when Andrea will be taking the session and guiding you through creating **Air Dried Plaques** in pretty floral scenes. On Thurs. **July 10<sup>th</sup>** use **Acrylic paints** under Jenny's guidance to complete the plaques. Sessions 9.30 to 11.30 am. **All materials supplied** so just come along, enjoy and develop your creative side. Only £4 /session including a coffee. For more information contact Andrea on 07936295523

**Weds. June 18<sup>th</sup> and Weds. July 16<sup>th</sup>** the **Wrexham Mobile Library Service (MLS)** will visit the hall **12.00 to 13.00.** If you'd like to use the Library but are house bound, just contact the service. More and more residents are using this service so if interested do contact the ML service, phone 01978 667286.



**Ladies Night – Weds. June 18<sup>th</sup>** come along and enjoy a **Biscuit Club** talk by **Victoria Graham** on her amazing and amusing **experiences as a military nurse.** Session is £4 pp and includes nibbles and Fizz. On **Weds. July 16<sup>th</sup>** is a very special talk by a **Blood Bikes** volunteer. Learn how this volunteer's only charity **supports the NHS** with its **free** service. T/C and biscuits provided. £3pp – with monies raised donated to the Blood Bikes Charity. For both events doors open 7.15 for a 7.30pm start. Keep up to date on the Ladies WhatsApp group. 07799607367



## Inspired To Make

**Inspired to Make** will meet on **Thurs June 19<sup>th</sup>** to create special paper **peonies and confederate roses** with Italian luxury crepe paper. On **Thurs. July 17<sup>th</sup>** try your hand at **Paper Weaving** to create textured and colourful pieces. There are always different skills to learn and different things to create at these crafting sessions. Remember sessions 9.30 to 11.30am. A fee of £4pp covers material costs. Natter whilst you create! Contact Andrea on 07936295523



**Sat. June 21<sup>st</sup> it's Posh Coffee Morning!** Enjoy delightful **homemade cakes and freshly brewed coffee**. The Green Café will be in action from 10.30 am to 12.00 noon. Bakers **please** donate cakes on the day. As much coffee and cake as you want for £3.50pp! Also **Homegrown and Handmade** will have a table top counter of their delicious meats and foods. Enjoy a lovely social morning with the **200 CLUB £100 Summer Draw**. Never been to a Posh Coffee? Then you're missing a treat!



**Lads Night!** Well Lads... it's back the hotly contested – **GO-KARTING** competition at Rednall! **Fri. June 27<sup>th</sup>** is the date. £25 pp for 15 minute session or £45 pp for 30minutes. Meet 3.30 at the HG Community Hall for first race at 4.30pm. Don't be late! After – meal at Whittington. A little quieter and calmer, on **Tues. July 15<sup>th</sup>** visit the **Miners Rescue Project at Maesgwyn Hall**, Wrexham. Explore a fascinating historical overview of the mining industry in Wrexham. Cost £5 - a donation to this special project. After, enjoy a meal at Maesgwyn Hall. Meet at the Community Hall, 5. 00pm. Want more info on this – contact Nigel on 07746788925. Keep up to date on this action packed group led by Gareth on the Lads WhatsApp 07907231064



**Fri. July 11<sup>th</sup>** back by special request a **WHIST DRIVE!** This new venture seems to be going down a treat. Don't worry if you have never played, it's quite easy to pick up and take part. Enjoy a pleasant and sociable evening with a glass of wine, a small plate buffet, T/C AND prizes for winners – ALL just £7.00 pp. Doors open 7.00pm for 7.30 pm start. Please sign sheet in hall, or contact Jackie on 07887988732 by the Wednesday. **200 CLUB MONTHLY DRAW**.

**Sat. July 19<sup>th</sup> it's Posh Coffee** time again with a range of **homemade cakes and freshly brewed coffee**. The Green Café will be in action from 10.30 am to 12.00 noon. Enjoy a lovely social morning. Bakers **please** donate cakes on the day. Never been? You've read it earlier - you are missing a treat of a morning. Let's face it – where else can you go for a relaxing coffee and cake!



**Thurs. July 24<sup>th</sup>** is exercise time with the **Green Walkers**. Explore the local area with Keith and Julie. It could be 'pastures a new'. Start at the HG Community Hall at 10.15 am. Bring a picnic lunch for when we return to the hall. It could be warm so don't forget water, sun screen and hat! Small charge of £1pp for hall hire and T/C - on return. Contact Julie on 07799607367 or Green Walkers WhatsApp.



We appear to be going from strength to strength at the minute. Attendance numbers are increasing at both our socials and Activity Groups. I trust this means we are bringing enjoyment into your lives, but let's not forget this is thanks to the huge efforts of our volunteer helpers and co-coordinators. As special thanks the Trustees have given these people their own event. **QUIZ NIGHT** in March raised £233.50. Huge thanks to Peter as Quiz Master and to Hilary and David for organising. April's **Posh Coffee** was well supported raising £209. The Grand National sweepstake contributed £34. Olive Birch had the winner – hope you treated yourself Olive? As always thanks to our band of bakers – it's not possible without you. **BINGO** was quite literally a full house! Great to see children accompanying their parents - family fun! The evening raised £330. Many thanks to: 'Doddy' the caller, Jackie for the refreshments and Andrea on the door. **VE Day** celebration was a great afternoon with a fabulous buffet and a good array of red, white and blue! Well done for making the effort. Thanks to Vicky for her surprise raffle prize which raised £57. The **Trivia/Fun Quiz** was another excellent night raising £185. Great to see children involved again. Thanks to Helen, the Quiz Master – hope you enjoyed it as much as the attendees.

**Other Bits and Bobs** – IF you've been in the hall recently you will have seen a new ceiling heater, which we are trialing. The Trustees are looking at **upgrading the heating system** and using our **200 CLUB** funds to pay for it. Please feel free to ask questions but - we will keep you updated. Thanks to the '**Secret Gardeners**' for supplying some colourful flowers to the planters with the HG sign and to Steve Mountain for strimming by the boxes. **Haydon** continues to cut the grass at the Community Hall. Thanks Haydon.

**Want to attend something, but don't have transport? Ring any number shown.**

## Your Calendar of Activities

<b>June</b>		<b>July</b>	
<b>1st</b>		<b>1st</b>	<b>Senior Exercise; Green Art Group</b>
<b>2nd</b>	<b>Green Book Club</b>	<b>2nd</b>	
<b>3rd</b>	<b>Senior Exercise; Green Art Group</b>	<b>3rd</b>	<b>Chatter &amp; Craft; Green Singers</b>
<b>4th</b>		<b>4th</b>	
<b>5th</b>	<b>Chatter &amp; Craft; Green Singers</b>	<b>5th</b>	<b>Gardening Club</b>
<b>6th</b>	<b>Wine Tasting Evening; 200</b>	<b>6th</b>	
<b>7th</b>	<b>Gardening Club</b>	<b>7th</b>	<b>Green Book Club</b>
<b>8th</b>		<b>8th</b>	<b>Senior Exercise; Green Art Group</b>
<b>9th</b>		<b>9th</b>	
<b>10th</b>	<b>Senior Exercise; Green Art Group</b>	<b>10th</b>	<b>Community Arts &amp; Crafts; Green Singers</b>
<b>11th</b>		<b>11th</b>	<b>Whist Drive; 200 CLUB</b>
<b>12th</b>	<b>Community Arts &amp; Crafts; Green Singers</b>	<b>12th</b>	
<b>13th</b>		<b>13th</b>	
<b>14th</b>		<b>14th</b>	
<b>15th</b>		<b>15th</b>	<b>Senior Exercise; Green Art Group; Lads Night</b>
<b>16th</b>		<b>16th</b>	<b>Library Service; Ladies Night- Blood Bikers</b>
<b>17th</b>	<b>Senior Exercise; Green Art Group</b>	<b>17th</b>	<b>Inspired to Make Green Singers</b>
<b>18th</b>	<b>Library Service; Ladies Night</b>	<b>18th</b>	
<b>19th</b>	<b>Inspired to Make; Green Singers</b>	<b>19th</b>	<b>Posh Coffee Morning</b>
<b>20th</b>		<b>20th</b>	
<b>21st</b>	<b>Posh Coffee with H &amp; H; 200 Club</b>	<b>21st</b>	
<b>22nd</b>		<b>22nd</b>	<b>Senior Exercise</b>
<b>23rd</b>		<b>23rd</b>	
<b>24th</b>	<b>Senior Exercise</b>	<b>24th</b>	<b>Green Walkers</b>
<b>25th</b>		<b>25th</b>	
<b>26th</b>		<b>26th</b>	
<b>27th</b>	<b>Lads Night – Go-Karting</b>	<b>27th</b>	
<b>28th</b>		<b>28th</b>	
<b>29th</b>		<b>29th</b>	<b>Senior Exercise</b>
<b>30th</b>		<b>30th</b>	<b>Trustees Meeting</b>
		<b>31st</b>	