

A scenic forest landscape. In the foreground, a large, mature pine tree stands prominently on the left. The ground is covered in green grass and ferns. In the background, a dense forest of various trees is visible, with a soft mist or fog hanging between the trees, creating a sense of depth and atmosphere. The sky is a clear, pale blue.

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# The Parish Magazine of Mottram St. Andrew



Produced jointly by the Village Hall Committee and the Parish Council

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Oh yeah it is time for Easter eggs, chocolate, bunnies and holidays. I always end up doing the major jobs that need doing, you know the ones that have been on your list to get done for ages, the ones you keep putting off. Spring cleaning the house, de cluttering all that stuff we seem to possess and have never used! Clearing the garden, a bit of DIY, washing the car all jobs that we truly love doing!

Apologies for the delay in distribution of this issue, work life balance not quite right at the moment but good for the purse strings I suppose. I am grateful that I am lucky enough to really enjoy my job though. We have had a taster of some glorious weather but not quite time to get the flip flops out yet! The surrounding countryside footpaths are drying up nicely which is good news for those of us who love walking.

There are many things to do locally over Easter so get out & have some fun. Hare Hill Gardens is at it's finest at this time of year and a highly recommend stroll out, they do an Easter Egg hunt for the kids over the Easter weekend.

<https://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/hare-hill>

May I take the opportunity to wish you all and your families a very Happy Easter, Enjoy the break with your loved ones.

There are lots of events coming up in the village this year so look out for them and put the dates in your diary. You can also keep up to date with up & coming event via our village website so please take a look & check it out [www.mottramstandrew.com](http://www.mottramstandrew.com)



Got my Easter bonnet! *Claire x*



Front cover image "The foot of Stormy point Alderley Edge"

# Parish Council

By Ron Taylor -Clark

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Nearly a quarter of the year gone already and the Parish Council agenda at the March meeting was full of important issues dealt with in the presence of seven residents. April 24th is the next significant date when the Village Hall will host the Village Meeting, the chance for every resident to have their say on anything affecting our lives here. I hope you will all prove me completely wrong and turn out in droves to support the Community but I suspect you won't. Maybe I am getting too cynical and have been doing this job too long but one evening a year to come to the Village Hall and say hello to your fellow residents seems to me to be the least you could do to give your support to the people who really work very hard for the Community for twelve months of the year. Please prove me wrong and no matter how important, famous or ordinary you might be put something back to the Community that you take so much from. I will see you all there and you can tell me in person how you object to my cynicism and I will be delighted to eat a little humble pie. Come on Mottram St. Andrew be there at 7pm on the 24th April.

The Council did its best to give residents a forum for their grievances under the Planning item on the agenda as under Bill's Chairmanship it always tries to do. Whether the issue of disturbance caused to neighbours can be resolved by the decision to refer the matter to Planning Enforcement only time will tell, but the Council did all it could by passing the matter on to those who have real power to do something in the event of any unlawful activity. With regard to

Cheshire East and their local plan and site allocation policy the Parish Council is dedicated to do all it can to preserve Mottram St. Andrew as we all appreciate it. The consultation documents that the Chairman reads and advises the Council upon make War and Peace seem like a sonnet, well done Bill.

Super Fast Broadband from BT is becoming a very real possibility in the whole of the Village as we have been included in the phase three roll out likely to be completed in the Summer of next year. Councillor Hughes keeps on with the campaign and gives up so much of his time to get the utility available for us all. This facility is vital for the future of our community and I appreciate there will be residents in the Village who don't grasp how important it is but just wait till we have it and see what your grand kids think.

Have you noticed the number of planes flying over the Village has increased over the last year or so, well the Council is doing all it can to protect us from a concentration of flights over our gardens resulting from changes to planes being controlled by satellite navigation. We have to deal with the usual approach that any suggestion which doesn't fit with the airports plans is impossible, impractical or just plain wrong but we won't give up trying to spread the flight paths rather than concentrate them. The Airport development starts this month and the disruption will last for ten years at least, you have been warned. On a similar tack the HS2 plans to stop the London connections from Wilmslow and

# Parish council continued.....

Macclesfield as received a slight dent as a result of the Council and others campaign to get the matter reconsidered. We have been advised that the matter is being looked at again by the Department of Transport with a view to retaining our local connection to London via HS2 rather than having to drive to Crewe to get a train.

The minutes for the Parish Council meetings are posted on the Village Web Site and it would be wonderful if each of you would just take 5 minutes to log in and read them, you will find out so much more about what is happening around here and what the Councillors are trying to do for you. Such interesting topics as Rural Watch, Emergency Plans, Highways improvements, Local Maintenance and such mundane matters as picking up litter. I look forward to seeing you all at the Village Meeting at the Village Hall 24th April 7pm.

## Vintage Mottram St Andrew



Some of you will recognise the old village shop now Store Cottage - Image provided by Melinda Fretwell. If anyone else in the village has any photos of our much loved Village that they wish to share then send them to me at the following email . [gander@goosegreenfarm.com](mailto:gander@goosegreenfarm.com)

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These days the chapel seems to be getting busier and busier which is a great encouragement to us all as we see the doors opening more often and the lights on! Just recently two new initiatives have started with **'Crafty Club'** meeting every second and fourth Tuesday in the month. The Craft Club encourages all sorts of crafts such as knitting, sewing, painting and card making; in fact any craft which you are keen on, all in a friendly atmosphere with refreshments available too. Now well established it is on to its fourth or fifth meeting and is being well supported which is good to see. A WI **Film Club** has its 'premiere' outing on March 29<sup>th</sup> at 1pm as another new venture. Further details of dates and times should be found elsewhere in the Mercury and sufficient to say here that visitors are always welcome to share these events along with our established 'regulars', the singing group and Parish Council meetings and of course, our regular Sunday Services!.

On March 11<sup>th</sup> a Coffee Morning was held in aid of Ronald McDonald House attached to the Alder Hey children's hospital in Liverpool. Several members of our church community have benefited from this facility which provides accommodation on site where family members can stay while their often critically ill child is being cared for in the hospital itself. The accommodation is offered free of charge to anyone who requires it each room costing around £25 per night (and £40 for the larger family apartments), all funded by voluntary contributions. As a result of our morning together we were pleased to be able to forward a cheque for £445 in support of this charity and the good work it does in keeping families together in their most trying of times. Our sincere thanks to all who contributed to the success of the event and this impressive amount gathered together in just two hours.

By the time this is published our Ladies Day service on 26<sup>th</sup> March led this year by Rev Pam Butler will be gone but with Easter being set later this year services for this are still to come. Again we are trying something new and are opening the chapel on **Good Friday** from **9.30am until 12 noon** for a time of prayer and reflection to anyone who wishes to join us. Ben will be leading a short service at 9.30am before heading off down to Alderley Edge for the churches together annual walk of witness. This again is open to all and this acknowledgment of the significance of the day begins in the Alderley Edge Methodist Church at 10.30am before taking to the road to process through Alderley Village to St Peters & St James for a final service.

Saturday gives us a break but **Easter Sunday** calls for an early start for those keen enough (or able!), who meet to share in the uplifting ecumenical **6am 'Sonrise' Service** on Castle Rock on the Edge. Numbers attending this event have been steadily growing these last few years and with Easter being later this year who knows but we might actually see the sun rise on this occasion weather willing!

Our Fellowship Group continues to meet monthly, usually on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month though our next meeting will take place place on **Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May at 1.30pm** due to Easter and other commitments. This time we will be making a start on a new set of studies so a good time to join with us as we begin our discussions. The group is open to all. You don't have to be a Methodist!

Looking forward just that little bit we note our **Strawberry Tea** in the Village Hall on **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> June from 2pm to 4pm**, followed on **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup>** by our annual **Open**

**Air Service at 2.30pm** outside the bungalows on Alderley Road. During the year the Circuit has been following a theme of 'A year of Prayer' with some outdoor events of which the Circuit Prayer Walk in March was part. Our Open Air Service conveniently falls on the Sunday designated for Mottram chapel so this will be theme this year and an opportunity to join with us in a prayer walk around parts of our village following the service. As we have over the last few years we are looking forward to welcoming members of the Over Alderley Band to provide us with musical accompaniment and of course there will refreshments following the service too. Please note there will be no morning service in the chapel on that particular day.

**Ian Wright (Secretary)**  
**Contact: 01625 583704**



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Sunday 26th March 2017 09-30 a.m.

Ladies Sunday.



Friday 14th April 2017 09-30 a.m. to 12-00 noon.

Good Friday at Mottram

There will be a short service at 9-30 a.m. The Church will remain open until 12-00 noon for prayer and quiet reflection. Refreshments will be served.

Saturday 3rd June 2017 2-00 p.m. to 4-00 p.m.

Strawberry Tea in the Village Hall.

In aid of Church funds. Suggested donation of £5-00 for strawberry tea.

Sunday 4th June 2017 2-30 p.m.

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## **Motttram St. Andrew Primary Academy**

### **H**ead Teacher's Report

By Chris Bowen

We have had a very exciting but also very short half term with lots of activities taking place for the children. There seem to have been a lot of performing and creative arts going on recently – we pride ourselves on excelling in the arts as we believe that these subjects give the children a lot of confidence and develop self-esteem.

The annual Artsweek on the theme of “Magic and Mystery” was very successful with lots of creative and performing arts activities going on during the week. All classes used a story as a stimulus for creative work and had at least one workshop from a visiting teacher or artist. Some classes were lucky enough to visit the Manchester Gallery with which we have a close working relationship. The event culminated in a showcase event at The Fallibroome Academy so that all the children and parents from Fallibroome and the partner primary schools could share their learning from the week.

Just before Artsweek our choir sang in the Young Voices concert at the MEN arena. This is a great event with 8400 children across the North West taking part. The effect is magical!



Our Y3 and Y4 children are currently practising for the end of term entertainment. This year they will share their instrumental, singing and dancing talents with parents. Our Y5 children are working with a resident artist who is leading the children on a project entitled “Riots and Rebels” which will examine strong moral issues through art.



We haven't neglected sporting events either. This week alone we have taken part in a football tournament winning one match and narrowly losing the other two to come three in our group which happened to have much bigger schools competing. We came second in a Bocchia tournament against the other Fallibroome Learning Community primary schools. Then we competed with approximately 500 children in the cross-country competition at Macclesfield Athletics track. There were notable performances from several children who came in the top 20 of their age group.

There always seems to be something going on at Motttram in addition to our normal learning. For example, all teachers have been focusing on developing reading for pleasure recently and we have seen our older classes develop into a real community of readers, sharing and recommending

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books to each other in a way they haven't done before.

Our focus at the moment is on ensuring the Year 6 children do as well as possible in the forthcoming SATs. They are working very hard and even have some revision sessions in the holidays arranged!

Do follow us on Twitter - @Mottram\_Academy or visit our website [www.mottramacademy.org.uk](http://www.mottramacademy.org.uk) to ep up to date with our news





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## **Mottam St. Andrew Primary Academy**

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# **COMMUNITY GOVERNORS REQUIRED**

**We currently have vacancies for Community Governors.**

**Community governors are people who live in the area served by the school and who provide a non-parental view on the Governing Body helping to set the strategic direction of the school.**

**Community Governors are appointed by the members of the Governing Body's Trust and the term of office is usually four years.**

**If you know someone who has some time to give to the school on a voluntary basis and who is interested in school governance please contact**

**Mrs Woolley [hwoolley@mottamacademy.org.uk](mailto:hwoolley@mottamacademy.org.uk) or telephone 01625 383000**

# Foundation Nursery School

By Samantha Mason

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Dear Families,

It is with very heavy hearts that I must notify you that Foundation Nursery, Preschool and Holiday club will be closing its doors at Mottram Village Hall for the very last time on Friday 21st July 2017.

Sadly, we are being compelled to shut down because of crippling costs and obstructive government plans and policies.

Foundation Nursery Schools has been running at the hall for more than 20 years and I have managed and run it for nearly 14 years of those years, initially with my business partner Catherine Thornton West and for the last 7 years on my own. We have seen nearly 500 local children attend our small setting during my time here but in these difficult economic times nurseries/preschools up and down the country like ours are now financially struggling because of the Governments so called free funding, national living wage, workplace pension etc. as well as increases in their own running costs.

In this current economic and political climate, continuing at the village hall, we won't be able to maintain the high standards or provide all the learning opportunities that Foundation Nursery Schools has always worked so hard to achieve and maintain. It is simply unacceptable to make any further cuts in the service we provide to our families.

Although we have fought so incredibly hard over the last few years to continue, without our own site (which we have been actively searching for) this just isn't possible. The Government's **'free'** child care entitlement scheme is set to double from 15 hours per week to 30. Sadly, their minimal hourly rate will not cover the running cost for delivery of our high quality childcare and education at the village hall.

We will of course continue to be fully operational and totally professional right up until our very last day. Our focus has been and will always continue to be the children. All nursery events and activities will run as will holidays clubs etc.

Thank you so much to all our families for your support over the years

Yours sincerely

Mrs Samantha Mason

# Foundation Nursery School

By Kate Gilman

Despite a very short term back we most certainly jam packed it full of fabulous activities, fun days and lots of new learning experiences!! We ended our last few weeks of February celebrating Valentine's Day - creating lots of craft inspired by love and friendship, talking about how we can look after each other and what love might be.



Then, it was full swing into February half term holiday Club with a resounding 'yee haw' for Wild, Wild West week. Despite a minor disaster with a broken bouncy castle (!!!) we all enjoyed creating a jail and den role play area, accompanied by life sized cowboys and even the odd cactus! The craft table was super busy as we made "Wanted" posters, bob ties, headdresses and sheriff badges. We managed to squeeze in a spot of cooking making some (very tasty) edible wigwams! To top off a fantastic few days we ended by creating and learning our very own line dancing routine!



At the beginning of this term we changed our role play area to the 'mechanic workshop' - encouraging imagination, team work and creativity, as well as physical development, plus fine and gross motor skills. The children spent time going through the car wash, filling up with petrol, going to the workshop and 'mending' the vehicles. We also had our road set out for the children to create including traffic lights, road signs, cones and a zebra crossing. This sparked a lot of discussion about what certain things mean and what you must do when you are out and about.

Pancake day is always one of our most favourite days of the year and this year was no exception! There were pancakes galore all week!! The children demonstrated their excellent skills to chop a variety of fruits and try our different ingredients and tastes in making their own pancake creation for snack time on Shrove Tuesday.



As a bit of a change from dressing up for World Book Day we decided instead to hold a pyjama day - bringing with you your favourite book and teddy bear. Everyone (staff included) joined in with the spirit and came to nursery in their pyjamas, onesies, slippers, nighties and dressing gowns for a wonderful day of teddy bears picnics and story telling - all 20 plus of them!!!



Still to come this term we are really looking forward to welcoming our mummies and grandmas in to nursery for a very special Mother's Day craft morning. We absolutely love having our families come and play with us for the

morning - showing them some of our favourite activities, the different things we get up to whilst at nursery and making something very special with our very special mummies to keep forever.

Looking forward to our two week Easter break, which is rapidly approaching, we are holding a wonderful Easter Extravaganza of activities. We will be decorating chocolate eggs, making best cakes, chick pictures, making bunny ears, and lots, lots more!! If you would like to join us please drop us a line or collect a booking form from the entrance hall at the Village Hall - spaces are running out fast!!

As I am sure many of you will already be aware now, sadly Foundation Nursery School will be closing in July 2017 at the end of this academic year, please see the letter below from our Manger.





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**W**ednesday Club  
By Joan Williams

**B**owling Club  
By Phillis Kennerley

Hello everyone from all of us at the Wednesday Club. It seems no time at all since we were celebrating Christmas and now we are on the verge of Easter! As yet we have not made any plans for this year's exciting adventures but will be starting to plan some outings soon. At the moment we are carrying on with our quizzes (which are hilarious), playing Bingo and trying to hit a dart board, what a hoot! We also have a raffle where you can win small prizes if you are the lucky one. Come and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee with a biscuit or two along with plenty of chat. Why not stroll down to the village hall and join us every other Wednesday. Our next meet up is on 15<sup>th</sup> April 2pm - 4pm

Contact Pauline Glancy Tel: 01625 262940 / Mob: 07731 483022 or Margaret Potts Tel: 01625 582154

We are always on the look out for new players, whether beginners or seasoned bowlers. We have an indoor Bowls in the Village Hall during the winter on a Tuesday evening 7pm - 9pm. All are welcome and can be a good starting point for anyone wanting to try bowling.



Oh to blow the whistle at the W.I. Quiz night which we hosted! What superb organisation. There were four representatives from all the W.I.s in the area, earnestly competing to go forward. Beryl Lister and I pitted our wits in vain sitting on the side and it just made us more impressed. Still someone has to wash up 130 cups and Pauline kept us happy with her quips in the kitchen.

Our February meeting was well attended on a bleak evening when members were reminded to bring food contributions for the Salvation Army as their work is essential throughout the year. An outing to La La Land proved enjoyable and has prompted the idea of a film club in the village. Barbara Wilkinson of The Herbal Society then told of the use of herbs going back thousands of years. They can improve the taste of food and the oils can lift your mood. Vinegar, lemon, borax, and bicarbonate of soda are effective and cheap and don't release harmful gases. The smallest area, particularly near the back door, is great for a herb garden. Following tradition, members took our March meeting under the chairmanship of Ruth Holland.



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A former member Sheila Etchells and her son Brian were then introduced and the star of the show Poppy, a five month old golden retriever guide dog trainee. Sheila explained that there were 2million blind or partially sighted people in Britain, some of whom are eligible for a guide dog. Sheila was herself an invaluable puppy walker and explained the rigorous system of training. A puppy arrived at 7 weeks and stayed about 12 months being continually assessed before being moved to one of the centres for final training. Margaret Potts thanked Sheila and Brian and Poppy.

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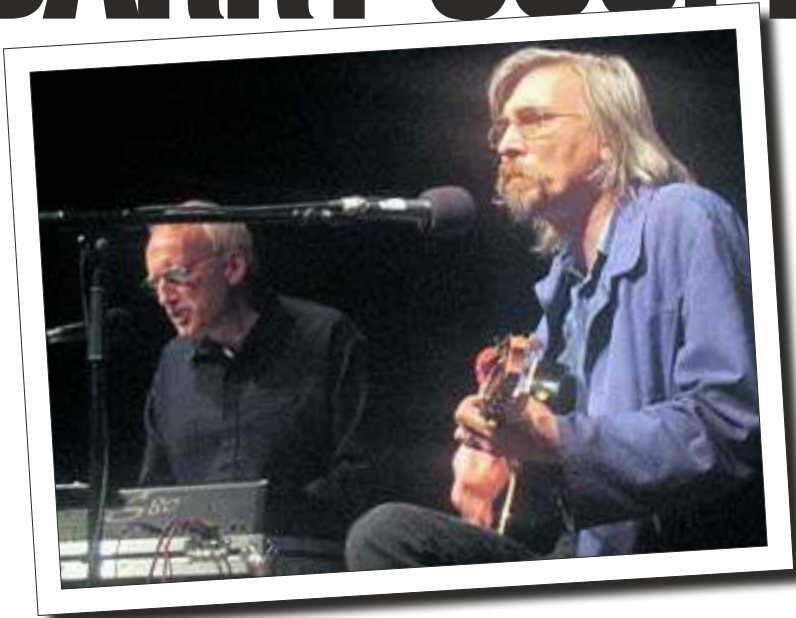
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# Village Hall

By Steve Hatton



All of the various groups got back underway in the New Year , with the hall at the centre of the many and various activities taking place . We have had a lot of new visitors to the hall coming to our events and we receive fantastic feedback about the hall and how good it is for a community of our size to have such an excellent facility . My thanks as always go to the people who give their personal time to provide and maintain the hall for us all to use.



The first concert of the year was Pilgrims Way, who are a talented bunch of local musicians who brought their own following to the hall alongside some of the local and in some case not so local visitors . It was good to see so many new faces attending a lively performance of traditional songs, jigs an reels .Our March concert saw the Oysters3 visit the hall . After 30 years at the top of the British folk scene , these guys certainly know how to put on a show. A mix of stories and a set including many of their biggest songs, we enjoyed a captivating evening. We had people from Lincoln, Dorset and even Germany who are big

## Community - News

fans and made the journey to see their heroes . There was a section of the audience who had never seen the band before but trusted us enough to come along and give it a try . A standing ovation at the end of the night was evidence that we had many new Oysters3 fans in the house.

Next up is the legend that is John Tams along with Barry Coope. We have also just announced 2 concerts in the Autumn . In October we have Holy Moly and the Crackers . Never heard of them? .... Nor had I until I saw them at a big event in December when they stole the show. They are a young , enthusiastic , crazy group who just light up the stage .( check them out on YouTube)

We also have Jim Moray in November . Jim is nominated for the best folk album of 2016 for his latest offering called Upcetera.

We have a new website

( [Musicatmottram.com](http://Musicatmottram.com) ) which includes all information about what we are doing, with dates and even some YouTube clips so please take a look and come along to our concerts.

Happy  
Easter

## Community News continued...

### MSA walkers



The MSA walkers continue to have a walk once a fortnight. We have four new members. Our walks always include a coffee break and sometimes members go for lunch afterwards.

The dates of next walks are;

Friday, 7th April

Tuesday 25th April

Wednesday 10th may

Thursday, 25 th may

Please meet at the village hall at 10a.m.



**Contact: Katy Hatton**

**Tel: 0162559087**



### Toddler group

Our numbers are growing with over 20 children on our register. We start with stretch and grow at 10 a.m. The parents/grandparents have coffee and a chat while the children play.

We meet on Mondays 10-12 noon.

**Contact: Katy Hatton**

**Tel: 0162559087**

### Pilates

We meet in the village hall lounge 12.30-1.30.

Heidi our instructor is excellent and suggests exercises for our many aches and pains. The first session is free so do come along and see if you like it.



**JOSEPH HUBERTUS PILATES**

# Social Club

By Mick Shaw

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It is a quiet time at the moment but at least Spring is here and we can all look forward to warmer and longer days. Chris and Steve are doing a wonderful job in putting on a number of folk bands under the Music at Mottram banner. Recently we had Oysters 3 making a smashing night at The Village Hall.



## Forthcoming Events

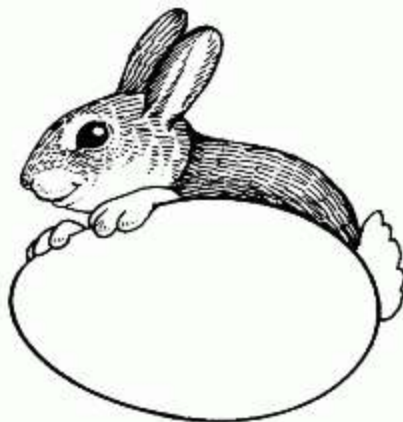
Next Curry Nights will be Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April and Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> May from 7.30pm. Ensure your name is on the list by the Tuesday before to avoid disappointment.

On Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> May we will be organising a trip to Chester races. If you would like to be on this trip please let me know by email or put your name down on the list in the Clubroom.

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April is the next in our themed food events and this time it will be a Chinese night. Get your name on the list in the Clubroom a week beforehand to avoid disappointment.

The Club is open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings from 8pm and you would be most welcome to join us.

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# Guides

By Katy Hatton

## 1st MSA Guides

The guides enjoyed a fun night at the trampoline centre last Friday. We took part in a red nose evening organised by Chelford guides and sold food at a recent music night in the hall ( we are trying to raise £620 to buy another bell tent). We joined the brownies to see Beauty and the Beast and in the swimathon to raise money for the rotary club.

We meet on Fridays 6-7.30 in the village hall.

Katy Hatton (Owl)

Contact Tel: 0162559087



# Brownies

By Katy Hatton

## 1st MSA Brownies

The brownies are working on their speakers badge this term. We had an outing to Manchester by train to see Beauty and the Beast. We raised money for the rotary club by doing a sponsored swim at wilmslow leisure centre.

We meet on Tuesdays 5-6.30 in the village hall.

Katy Hatton Brown owl

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