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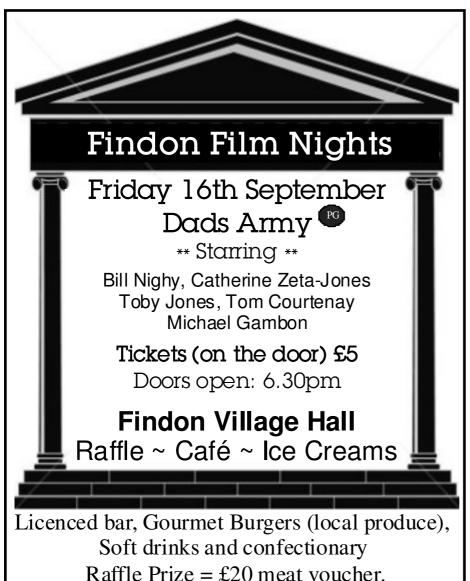
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West Sussex

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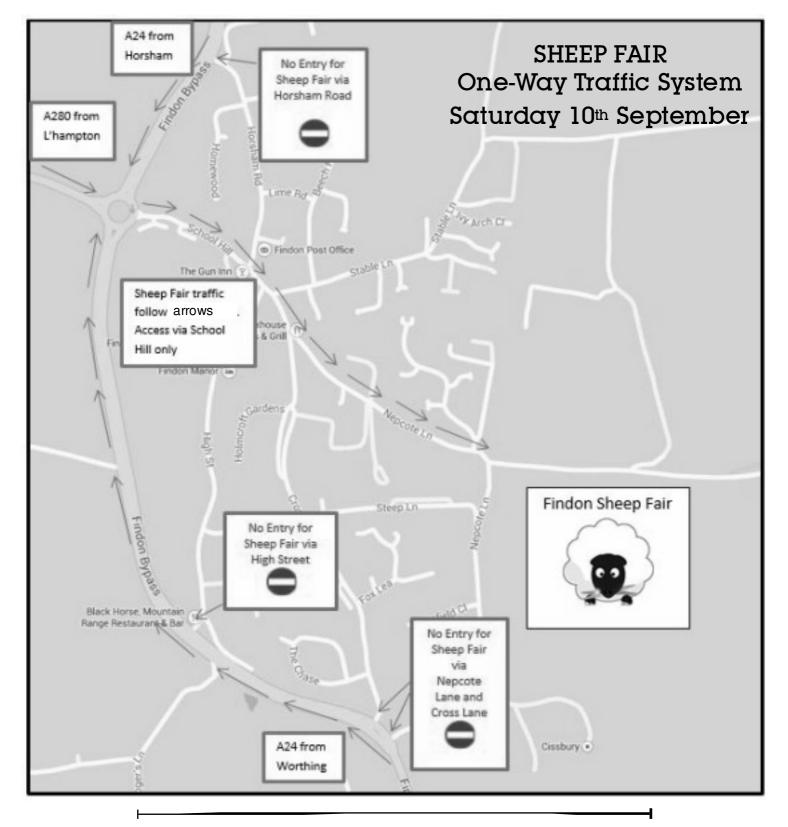
Check out all the latest news and events in the village at www.findonvillage.org

Thanks for all contributions to the website.

If there is anything you want to share with the village we'd like to know. Whether an event; a call for volunteers; some local photos; lost and found items, or even if you have a business you'd like to promote.

This month we have published a further local walk (Around Church Hill).

Please get in touch through the Contact page of the website or via email to findonwebsite@gmail.com





Money Saving Tip

Pet mess

Don't buy specific dog-poo bags for you your four legged friends waste! Instead purchase "nappy bags". Not only do they smell nice, they are quite strong and a fraction of the price.

If you have any tips of your own to pass on to other readers, send them through to the Editor-findonnews@zoho.com or via the Findon News box in the Findon newsagency.



Findon Parish Council Report – August 2016

Councillor Vacancy

The Council will open an application window on Sept.1st for any villagers interested in being considered for cooption to Findon Parish Council. Please let the Parish Clerk know if you wish to have information or register an interest pending the opening of the application period (findonparishcouncil@gmail.com or tel 01903 877225).

FPC is a very active and progressive group of 11 dedicated councillors, continuously managing to improve the infrastructure and condition of Findon.

Neighbourhood Plan (NP) Status

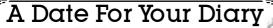
The appointed Examiner delivered his report to the South Downs National Park Authority (SDNPA) on 28th July, and confirmed that the plan met the required 'Basic Conditions', but asked for 32, mainly minor, amendments to the draft plan. The NP Steering group were eventually able to agree to all amendments, and the NP for Findon will now go the SDNPA Planning Committee

on Sept 8th for approval. Thereafter a Referendum date will be set for October, when the village will be asked to vote for its approval. In the interim liaison with SDNPA continues to ensure the meaningful influence of FPC is maintained in all future planning decisions.

The NP has taken 3 years to reach this stage, has involved many councillors and volunteers, thousands of hours of work and great commitment, and will be placed on the website in final form following the approval of SDNPA on Sept.8th. Although we failed to get everything we wanted in the plan, there are very many positive elements and FPC commends it to all villagers.

Police incident on 19th August

Horsham Rd. was briefly closed with a large police presence after a vehicle coming south off the A24 was stopped in the village and the driver arrested. The police confirmed that this incident was not directly related to anyone in the village.





CISSBURY

Geoffrey & Etta Wyatt

will host Christmas Carols At Cissbury, Nepcote

Friday 2nd December 2016

Further details will be announced in October's Findon News

Would You Like To Be A Sheep Owner?

If you would like to own your own flock of sheep as part of a partnership (you do not need to be a land owner).

Please contact:

Hari - 07712 172283 or Graham - 07753 755889

SHEEP FAIR

Saturday 10th September

Please note that Sheep Judging Starts at 9.30am

School children crossing the A24 to St.John's Church

FPC have objected strongly to the Chief Constable after the police confirmed that they will no longer help the school when on 4 specific occasions per year they cross the A24 to attend services at the church, due to budget and staff issues! Copies of our letter have been sent to the Police and Crime Commissioner and Nick Herbert MP.

Planned Surveys for the TEP Group (Traffic, Environment & People)

In preparation for important meetings with West Sussex County Council (WSCC) Highways, the TEP group have commissioned a 1 week speed survey (starting September 12th) using cross road 'tubes' at 8 points in the village. On September 15th a day long parking survey will take place, manned by volunteers, to note and observe parking patterns around the Square, along to Lime Gardens in Horsham Rd., up Nepcote Lane as far as Pond Green, and along the High St. as far as the Village Hall. TEP Chairman Cllr John Havenhand is keen to get volunteers to help the Council, please call him if you

can spare a couple of hours on Thursday 15th September, at any time between 7am and 8pm. (Tel. 873198). A briefing and Hi-Vis tabards will be supplied! Many thanks. [See page 15]

Notice Board on Nepcote Green

The new notice board donated by the Tinner family can be used by any Findon based organisation planning a charitable event locally. The key is kept at the back of the U.S. style mailbox outside my house at 'Coachmans', 2 Nepcote, directly opposite the notice-board. Please use it!

Sheep Fair – September 9th-11th

Everything is now organised for the annual Findon Sheep Fair. All stalls are sold, as are the tickets for the Saturday night dance with 'Murdoch's Crazy Eyes'. There will be more sheep than ever, competing for what is considered to be a premier sheep show for the South of England.

Let's hope for a nice weather day on Saturday 10th September, and we'll see you all there!

> Peter Goldsworthy Chairman, FPC



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872599, 07877 969580, jacadihan@yahoo.com, Bridleways, Stable Lane, Findon

Findon Village WI

At our summer lunch on 11th August we had a really good time. Once again all the ladies brought along delicious plates of food for all to enjoy; the tables looked lovely, and along with a glass of pimms, everyone went home full up!!

The next meeting is Thursday 8th September when our speaker will be talking about Memories of Petworth. All visitors welcome from 7.30pm -9.30pm

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Findon Village Gardens Association

As had been promised the sun shone, the birds sang and all was well in the land on Saturday 6th August when Findon Village Gardens Association held our Summer flower show.

The turnout was excellent with a wide range of entries from 40 members. The sun shone on demand and as always it was very encouraging to see so many visitors. The Pimms rapidly sold out (must order more next year!) and the ice creams proved extremely popular.

As well as the Associations own stalls (plants, cakes, raffle, tombola) visitors included Charlotte Watson with her superb range of preserves and chutneys, Brien Howard with his hand made cards (all unique), the ever popular 'Men in sheds' as well as Nanny Sue's Eggs making a welcome appearance.

200 CLUB

Winner of the August £25 draw!

The raffle as always was well supported by so many local businesses including The Gun, The Village house, The Black Horse, Findon Manor, Tajdar, Sylvan Oak, Railton Ward, Peckhams, Cutting It Fine, The Beauty Salon, 2 The Square (Antique shop), Findon newsagent, Julie's Kitchen, Domestic Heating Services, ANAZ, Colour Nails, Findon Valley Post Office and last but no means least Findon Flowers. We are indebted to all who so willingly support us year upon year – it is really appreciated.

The awards were well spread with trophies going to Norman Allcorn, Sue Bell, Mo Bowen, Brenda Cox, Monica Eastabrook, Graham Gostick, Shirley Hobden, Pauline Holderness, Pam Howard, Betty Lewis, Jill Light, Sue Line, Tessa McCormick, Evelyn Stanford and Morton Woodburn.

Next year's Summer show is on Saturday 5th August so put it in your diary now!

Chris Young



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Suggestions for box fillers can be found on the leaflet (see bottom of page). It's requested that each box includes a hat, scarf, gloves, soap, flannel, toothpaste & toothbrush.

The boxes are collected at the central depot in Eastbourne of a small charity MUSTARD SEED RELIEF MISSIONS
Last year the boxes were driven across Europe to Moldova, the poorest European country & distributed to underprivileged children in orphanages, schools and hospitals. It is likely those boxes were the only presents they received.

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(Instructions on leaflet)

If you would like help to participate, I will fill a box for you for a donation of £20. I will supply you with a list of the contents & a photo of the box and contents.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Visit the Mustard Seed Website www.msrm.org.uk and see a video of children receiving their boxes.

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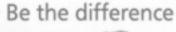
Available mid September from the Post Office or Butchers in Findon or the churches in Findon, Clapham or Patching or call Hilary on 07899 990748 or 872324

Please deliver your filled box to Hilary, or Findon Church by early November. Date tbc

News from PAWS Animal Sanctuary

We have a waiting list of cats waiting to come in. We try to take in the emergency ones if we can: owners being evicted, owners dying or going into hospital/ We get quite a few calls from Vets asking if we can take an animal when owners cannot pay for the treatment- guite a few have been in road accidents. Sometimes we've paid the bills for dogs and cats and then returned them to their owners - many have been elderly owners who struggle to pay for insurance.

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us to take their cats when we are full, they tell us they ring round every Rescue but they are all full too. So many must be put down unnecessarily because there is nowhere to take them. Nowhere for them to go!

We have had worried cat owners ringing to say their cats are missing in the village:

A black 2 year old indoor cat, microchipped very timid.

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A grey tabby male not neutered or microchipped.

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Stacey

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Findon Pre-School supported by Findon Sheep Fair

Over the last couple of years the Sheep Fair have started to contribute surplus funds to worthy Village causes.

In August the Sheep Fair donated £1,000 to the Findon Pre-School to help them purchase new storage systems to allow the children to access their chosen toys etc without help, thus enabling them to develop their own independence.

The picture shows Kim Fessey, Manager of the Pre-School, receiving a cheque from Sheep Fair Committee member, Jan Mackerell.



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Correction to Summer Revels Report

It has been pointed out that the Summer Revels report featurted in both the July & August editions of Findon News incorrectly credited Hannah Greaney as the "May" Princess.

The May Princess was in fact her sister Emma Greaney.

NEXT MESSY CHURCH

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TEP update (Traffic Environment People)

Speed survey and Parking Survey

Starting on Monday 12th September a week long traffic speed survey will be taking place within Findon Village. A further one day parking survey will be held on Thursday 15th September.

The TEP sub-committee of Findon Parish Council have asked West Sussex County Council if they would conduct a speed survey as a first step towards the introduction of a 20mph limit (or zone) within the village.

Various village surveys have shown that a reduction in speed /20mph limit has a high level of acceptability and support and

"Any offer of help will be appreciated and critical if the survey is to happen."

West Sussex County Council have agreed to do this.

In addition the TEP group intend to mount a parking survey as part of their work to try and visually enhance the village and improve the parking within.

This will be required if West Sussex County Council is to approve any changes or modifications to the existing highway proposed by the TEP group /Parish Council.

Cllr John Havenhand has asked for volunteers to help with the parking survey, based on two main areas:

One around Greypoint House/ High St and Pond Green.

The second past the Post Office along Horsham Rd towards Homewood.

Any offer of help will be much appreciated and is critical if the survey is to happen. The survey involves some box ticking and a maximum of three hours commitment. John suggests that it may even be possible to spend a little time sitting reasonably comfortably in a folding/camping chair – but to bring your own flask! In advance John sends his thanks.

To contact Cllr Havenhand telephone 01903 873198 or via the Parish Clerk - findonparish council @gmail.com

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Solving The Mystery Of Ben Blaker

by Valerie Martin

Did you ever go picking blackberries as a child..... and do you remember scrambling about in the bushes trying to reach the best ones? Your hands are stained with the juice (also your lips) and your arms and legs are scratched.

I often think that I must have come to the end of recording historical facts on Findon and its occupants, but I heard something recently that caught my interest.

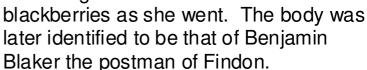
Has anyone come across the name of Benjamin Blaker connected with Findon? He was born in nearby Lancing and walked all the streets and byways of our village and you will not be surprised when I say that he was the postman. The only other thing I could find out about him was that his previous occupation was that of a shoemaker in nearby Worthing.

This is the story I have uncovered of the demise of Benjamin Blaker.

In 1891, a lady was blackberrying at the Lancing Clump when much to her horror the poor soul came across some grisly



remains suspended from the branch of a tree. She was frozen to the spot and could hardly believe her eyes. One can only imagine the haste with which she then flew down the hillside scattering her



An email I received reads, "Benjamin Blaker born in Lancing about 1826 the husband of Elizabeth Attree was my Great Great Great Grandfather. His Daughter Alice Blaker was my great great grandmother. Tim R. Parsons, Bristol".

From this I could now deduce that the postman was about 65 years of age at the time of my story.

I then heard further from Tim Parsons...
"I now have a copy of Ben Blaker's
death certificate that states he
committed suicide due to temporary
insanity or something like that."

So, the mystery of Ben Blaker has been virtually solved.

I cannot put my hands on a photograph of Ben Blaker but pictured right is quite a novel one of his son, Benjamin Baruch Blaker - born in 1849 in Worthing - posing proudly on his Penny-farthing. The photograph was taken c.1880's "somewhere in Worthing".

I cannot help but wonder if he ever made it up country to Findon on his solid wheeled Penny-farthing for a ride in the countryside?

Further stories and revelations about Findon's past can be discovered on Valerie Martin's website www.findonvillage.com

Readers' Dogs Meet Quincy!

Quincy (named after the musician Quincy Jones) is well known on Nepcote Green and pictured here in July celebrating his 13th Birthday with a dip in the pond on Nepcote Green.

Quincy is a working sheep dog born at Honeyhurst Farm and owned by Hari Doman. Hari now co-own's the Nepcote Flock but alas Quincy did not have have a flock of his own as a young dog and therefore has not had the practice



to be a good sheep dog. However, he has led a very exciting life as an agility and flyball dog, competing at many events with the young kennel club and as part of Patching Panthers. Now retired he enjoys a game of ball and the occasional trip to the pub!

Don't forget to submit a picture of your dog to feature in "Readers' Dogs".

Photographs must include a background that is recognisable as having been taken in Findon. Pictures and a short résumé about your canine friend should be sent through to the Findon News email address - findonnews@zoho.com - or hardcopy via the "Findon News" box in the Findon newsagency.

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West Sussex County Council Library Events.

National Poetry Day Celebration with the Roundabout Poets Worthing Library Thursday 6 October 12 noon

Roundabout Poets are delighted to be returning to Worthing Library for a National Poetry Day performance on the theme of 'Messages'. Wendy Greene, Marianne Barber, Marion Sharville, Audrey Lee and Russ Bravo will share some of their own work alongside others on the subject.

Come along and 'jump on the roundabout', either to listen or read something suitable from your own writings.

Free - no need to book, just drop in! Worthing Library, Richmond Road, Worthing BN11 1HD / 01903 704809 / worthing.library@westsussex.gov.uk

A Celebration of Poetry with Clare Best - plus Open Mic Poetry! Chichester Library Thursday 6 October 7.30pm

Celebrate National Poetry Day with acclaimed poet Clare Best reading from her new works CELL and Springlines where she blends words with pictures.

Artist collaborator Michaela Ridgeway will also be present. Live music from Linda Kelsall-Barnett on classical guitar and open mic poetry combine to offer a stimulating mix of words and music.

Readers and listeners equally welcome.

Tickets: £5.00 (to include a glass of wine), available from Chichester library.

Lunchtime Talk: Asperger's, Hypnosis & Me Chichester Library Thursday 27 October 12.10pm

Dan Jones, hypnotherapy trainer and author of Look Into My Eyes, has Asperger's Syndrome. As a child he noticed that he was different to other children. He didn't want to play with them, he struggled with attachments with others, and found the world to be a noisy, stressful and confusing place.

Dan will share how learning and doing meditation and hypnosis as a child has helped him to be able to focus his attention, manage anxiety, and improve social communication skills, enabling him to work in residential care homes with people with behavioural difficulties, autism spectrum disorder, and mental health problems, and in other family support roles. Dan will also share the strengths and challenges of having Asperger's syndrome, and what everyday life is like for him.

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A Gardener's View

September is a busy month in the garden with lots to be getting on with, the tide is turning and Autumn is at our door.

Autumn is my favourite season in the garden, although it comes with the loss of all the beautiful summer flowering perennial.

As the long summer nights are drawn to a close it also brings outstanding colour with the warming reds of the tree leaves and the morning dew covers ornamental grasses like a sugar coating of diamond. It also makes me think of roasted squash, hearty onion soups and roast dinners.

It's a time to celebrate the harvest and we do just that! For many Pagan and Wiccan traditions it is a time of giving thanks for the things we have, whether it is abundant crops or other blessings. Around the 21st of September is the time of the autumn equinox and the harvest is winding down. The fields are nearly empty because the crops have been plucked and stored for the coming winter. Mabon is the harvest festival, and it is when we take a few moments to honour the changing seasons.

You can also honour some of your favourite herbaceous perennials by multiplying them (the best and easiest way at this time of year is by division). let's take a clump of hosta for example: Dig up the plant and once out of the ground take a sharp spade (it must be sharp and clean) and with one quick slice cut right from top to bottom through the plant. Depending on the original clump size you might get 4 to 6 plants from this.

For plants with a more fibrous root system it might be best to insert two garden forks back to back down the middle of the clump, then prize the forks open by the handles to break apart the clump. This will cause least damage to the root system.

This is the time of year I start to take booking for winter tidy-ups and garden clear outs as well as trimming and pruning jobs, so please feel free to call. For work in the cold dark months of November and December I offer a 10% winter discount, and this is a good opportunity to prune apples trees and other deciduous trees and shrubs.

Happy gardening and enjoy September, it really is a wonderful month

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Next Meeting - Tuesday 13th September 2.30pm Findon Village Hall.

Speaker Roger Clark – A light hearted history of Chichester.

Competition - An unusual button.

Social Time - When War broke out - Reminiscences

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Findon Planning Applications

Planning applications for Findon are under the authority of South Downs National Park and listed on the SDNPA website (www.southdowns.gov.uk).

Since the last issue of Findon News the following Planning Applications have been posted on the SDNPA website:

Notification of intension to 1No Lime Tree (T1) to reduce canopy by 40% Open for Comment

Little Hamlets 34 The Chase Findon BN14 0TT Ref. No: SDNP/16/04065/TPO

Notification of intension to 1 No Silver Birch raise canopy to 5m, reduce radial spread of branching at 6m (growing to the south) by 1m. Reduce other branches by maxium of 0.5m. 1No Horse Chestnut raise canopy to 5m Open for Comment

7 Convent Gardens Findon BN14 0RZ Ref. No: SDNP/16/03790/TPO

Certificate of Lawful development for an exisiting ancillary workshop and storage building Open for Comment

Muntham Farm Horsham Road Findon BN14 0RQ Ref. No: SDNP/16/03788/LDE

Certificate of Lawful development on existing class B8 Use of land for storage of vehicles, machinery, equipment with ancillary maintenance of the vehicles, machinery and equipment and ancillary storage and distribution of manure and of road salt. Open for Comment

Muntham Farm Horsham Road Findon BN14 0RQ Ref. No: SDNP/16/03787/LDE

Findon Parish Council (FPC) Planning Committee meetings are scheduled monthly to consider planning applications received from the South Downs National Park Authority (SDNPA). The SDNPA is the planning authority for Findon and FPC is a statutory consultee on such matters. Parish Consultation Letters (PCL) received from the SDNPA are displayed in the Notice Boards outside the newsagents and the Village Hall, and published on the FPC web site (http://findon.arun.gov.uk). Green Planning Committee Agendas are also displayed in the FPC Notice Boards and published on the FPC web site 3 clear working days before each meeting. The schedule of Committee meeting dates is also available to view at these locations and on the web site. Due to the publication deadline for the Findon Village News, receipt of the PCLs from SDNPA, and the scheduled meeting dates of the Committee, there may be instances where an application has already been considered by the Committee by the time an edition of the News has been published. Residents are asked to check the Notice Boards and web site regularly to view Parish Consultation Letter notices, scheduled/additional/cancelled meeting details, and Committee Agendas. FPC Planning Committee meetings are held in Findon Village Hall at 7.30pm and members of the public are always welcome to attend the Committee meetings and take part in the Public Question Time agenda item. The next two meetings are:

22 September - Main Hall
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Sussex Police Crime Report

Don't be a Money Mule!

Students are being recruited, sometimes unwittingly, as "mules" by criminals to transfer illegally obtained money between different bank accounts.

What is a money mule? A money mule is someone who is recruited by those needing to launder money obtained illegally. Criminals advertise fake jobs in newspapers and on the internet in a number of ways, usually offering opportunities to make money quickly, in order to lure potential money mule recruits. These include:

Social media posts, Copying genuine company's websites to create impression of legitimacy, Sending mass emails offering employment, Targeting individuals that have posted their CVs on employment websites

Students are particularly susceptible to adverts of this nature. For someone in full-time education, the opportunity for making money quickly can understandably be an attractive one. The mule will accept money into their bank account, before following further instructions on what to do with the funds. Instructions could include transferring the money into a separate specified account or withdrawing the cash and forwarding it on via money transfer service companies like Western Union or MoneyGram. The mule is generally paid a small percentage of the funds as they pass through their account.

Money Laundering is a criminal offence which can lead to prosecution and a

custodial sentence. Furthermore, it can lead to the mule being unable to obtain credit in the UK and prevented from holding a bank account.

Protect Yourself

Be aware that the offence of money laundering carries a maximum prison sentence, in the UK, of 14 years. Never give the details of your bank account to anyone that you do not trust. No legitimate company will ever ask you to use your own bank account to transfer their money. Don't accept any job offers that ask you to do this.

Be wary of unsolicited emails or social media posts promising ways of earning easy money. If it seems too good to be true, it probably is.

Don't be afraid to question the legitimacy of any businesses that make you a job offer, especially if the recruitment procedure strays from the conventional.

If you have been a victim of fraud you can report it to Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040 or via the following link http://www.actionfraud.police.uk/

You can report other crime and incidents such as anti-social behaviour and vandalism by ringing the 101 telephone number or online at www.sussex.police.uk/reportonline. If

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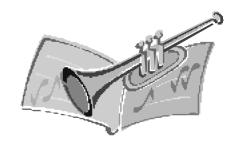
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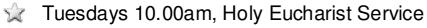
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Sunday 11 th Sept	9.30am 2.45pm	Sung Eucharist, Findon Church Songs of Praise, Nepcote Green with the Salvation Army
Sunday 18 th Sept	8.00am 9.30am	Eucharist, Findon Church Family Communion, Findon Church
Sunday 25 th Sept	9.30am	Sung Eucharist
Sunday 2 nd Oct	8.00am 10.00am	Eucharist, Findon Church Family Service at Village Hall + breakfast from 9.15am



weds/Thurs/Friday 9.00am, Morning Prayer

Wednesdays 10.30am-12.00pm Quiet Time

Thursdays 5.00-7.00pm, Youth Group at The Rectory (Yr 7+)

1st Sunday of month, 9.15am breakfast and 10.00am Family Service in Findon Village Hall

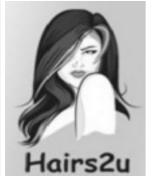
1st Tuesday of month during term time, 3.30-5.45pm, Messy Church in Findon Village Hall.

Last Tuesday of month, Light Lunch @ 1pm, Findon Village Hall. Soup & a pudding with friends for £4.00.

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Fortnightly Circle Dancing	Date Monday 5 th & 19 th	Time 19:10
Monthly Art Class Auction	Date Saturday 17 th Friday 2 nd (goods 2–4pm, viewi	Time 09:00 18:00 ng 4–6pm, Auction 6 pm)
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Other Events Tastevin Film Night St Barnabus Race Night Quiz Night & Mexican	Date Thursday 1 st Friday 16 th Thursday 23 rd Saturday 24 th	Time 18:45 19:00 19:00 19:30

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