

BOXTED

CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday November 22 : Shoebox Sunday: 8.30am Eucharist Service at St Mary's, Langham, 10 am all -age Family Service at St Peter's, Boxted, 10 .30 am service at the Methodist Church led by Mrs Jane Allinson.

MOBILE POLICE OFFICE

At the playing field car park on Monday November 23 from 11.15 – 12 noon.

W.I.

At the November Meeting plans were made for the Christmas Dinner at Leavenheath and for the Christmas Party in the Village Hall. Details were given for those going on the trip to Thursford Christmas Show. Next Year's Programme was discussed with the January Meeting planned as a Games Evening. Darts result and future matches were discussed. A letter of thanks has been received from Macmillan Cancer Support.

The A.G.M followed with a report of the years activities which showed how busy we had been . It was noted that the final total raised at the Help for Heroes Dinner was £3,230 and a large Presentation cheque will be on display at Headley Court. The Committee was re elected with an additional two members and Mary Mould was elected as President for 2010.

DOG FOULING

The hedgerow alongside Footpath 10, which runs from Cooks Hill to Rivers Hall is littered with plastic carrier bags containing dog faeces. The Colchester Borough Council Street Warden for this area is to be contacted to see if the irresponsible dog owners can be dealt with.

AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Letters have been sent to Boxted Parish Council and Essex County Council concerning the lack of suitable bungalows for the over 60's. Residents who wish to stay in the village where they were born when their houses are no longer suitable for their age etc cannot

find any bungalows in their price range. A petition has been placed on the notice board in the village hall. A form can be taken to individuals if they contact Mrs Sycamore on 272551.

WHEELIE BINS

A consultation is to be conducted by the borough council to find out resident's views on wheelie bins for rubbish collection. If you do not receive a copy of The Courier with the survey in then views can be forwarded via the clerk to the parish council, Paul Evans on 01376 570156 or e mail boxtedpc@peke.com

METHODIST CHURCH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday November 28 from 11am to 12.30 pm. Christmas gifts, cakes, tombola, music and seasonal refreshments

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Saturday November 28 from 2.30 pm in the village hall. Items for the stalls, bottles for the celebrated Bottle Bola, prizes for the Grand Draw etc will be gladly welcomed by Penny Carmichael (272218)

.60's NIGHT

On Saturday December 5 at Langham Community Centre. Live music with the popular function band Façade with Rick of 'Rick and Us'. Tickets £8. 60s dress optional. In aid of St Peter's Community Access Appeal. Tickets available from Jos Renouf 272755 or Linda Trelau 272531

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