

What's On in Mepal?

March 2026

The Friends of Mepal & Witcham School

Easter Wonka Eggs - Chocolate eggs to be sold at 3.15pm on the school playground. Find a golden sticker and win a golden ticket which can be used to claim a prize. Prizes to be given out during school assembly on **Friday 27th March**.

Barrow of Eggs Raffle - a must for anyone who likes chocolate! Tickets to be sold at the Village Shop and on the school playground on the following dates:-

Friday 13th March, Friday 20th March and Friday 27th March

Raffle to take place on the school playground on Friday 27th March at 3.25pm. Good Luck!

Just to remind you to start sorting your unwanted stuff to sell at the **Village Yard Sale** on **Saturday 18 April 1pm-3pm**. Enter your house on the map for £5. Buy a map for £1. More information nearer the time.

We would be most grateful if you would consider donating any unwanted gifts, toys, books, booze etc. to the 'Friends' to go towards our Raffles and Tombolas. Please drop off at the school office or email friends@mepalwitcham.cambs.sch.uk to arrange collection. Thank you.

Mepal Events

Join us at The Three Pickerels, Tuesday 10 March 7pm for our A.G.M.

For the group to continue staging community events suitable for all ages, new people are needed to help or to serve on the committee. Presently, we run one summer event and one in winter and meet only occasionally to organize these. So, as you can see, we won't take up too much of your time. Contact Georgina at steve@kingmepal.uk or **01353 778141** for details.

Mepal Parish Council

Road Safety Survey - The Parish Council would like to encourage residents to take a few minutes to complete the road safety survey available on the Parish Council website. Your input is important and will help us better understand local concerns and priorities, contributing to future decisions that aim to improve safety for everyone in the village. Thank you for taking the time to have your say.

Dogs and our Recreational Field - A gentle reminder to dog owners that our recreational field is a wonderful, shared space for everyone to enjoy, including those walking their dogs. To help make sure it stays welcoming for all, we ask that dogs are kept on a lead at all times. Even the friendliest, best-behaved dogs can be unsettling for children or other field users, and everyone deserves to feel comfortable and safe while using the space. We also kindly remind owners to please pick up after their dogs, helping to keep the field clean and pleasant for everyone. Thank you for your understanding and for helping keep the field enjoyable for all.

Green Spaces and Grass Verges - A gentle reminder to residents to please avoid driving or parking on green spaces and verges, particularly during wet conditions. This causes damage to the ground, creates deep ruts, and makes these areas unsightly for everyone. Our green spaces are shared areas for the whole community to enjoy, so we kindly ask everyone to be considerate and help keep them looking their best.

Mepal Village Hall

Prior notice of an exciting event taking place in April to give you time to organize your teams and read a few encyclopedias!

Quiz Night - Saturday 18 April 6.30pm for 7pm in the Village Hall

Teams of up to 6 with a cash prize for the winning team!

£3 per person, bring snacks & drinks. Pre book your seat/table via mepalvh@gmail.com

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Community Hub - every Monday 10.30am –12.30pm in Mepal Village Hall now including Toddler Area. Check out Facebook or look out for posters detailing the 'Special Events'

Mepal Friendship Club– Wednesdays, 10am-12pm at Mepal Village Hall unless otherwise stated

March 4th. Bingo, **March 11th.** Pink Bags (guess what's inside), **March 18th.** Meal at Arbuckles

March 25th. Test Your Picture Knowledge (Name Who or Where from the picture)

Mepal Youth Club - March 12th and March 26th

Mepal Ladies - Fridays March 6th. and March 20th. The Three Pickerels 2.30pm—4pm

Later in the year

Easter Services at St Mary's Church see Church noticeboards for details

Mepal Friendship Club – April 1st. Easter Bonnet or Easter Cake Competition

Mepal Village Hall Management Committee - Quiz Night Saturday 18th. April 6.30pm

Mepal Village Hall Management Committee A.G.M. Wednesday 22nd. April 7.30pm

Friends of Mepal & Witcham School - Yard Sale Saturday April 18th. More details soon!

St Mary's Church - Plant Sale Saturday 16th. May 12.30pm-2.30pm in Village Hall

Friends of Mepal & Witcham School - Summer Fete - Saturday June 20th. 11am-3pm

Mepal Events - Village Summer Picnic & Games Afternoon Sunday 5th. July.

Village Group Contact Details

The Friends of Mepal & Witcham School—

e.mail:Friends@mepalwitcham.cambs.sch.uk

Mepal Youth Club— Emma Harris 07754 035636

Mepal Events—Chair.Georgina King 778141, Sec. Helen Cooper 07739 395386

Mepal Friendship Club—see above for activities. To join, pop along to the Hall

Mepal Makers—e.mail:general@mepalmakers.co.uk

Mepal & Sutton Football Club—e.mail:infosuttonrangers@gmail.com

Mepal Ladies—Hilary Bowcock 01353 774960/Alison Eden

Mepal Men Blue Bin day Club —The Three Pickerels, Blue Bin day (Thurs.) 7pm

St Mary's Church

Sunday services are held every week at 11am - for any changes or extra services please see notices at the church. For enquiries regarding weddings, funerals & baptisms please contact the Churchwarden Elizabeth Stazicker Tel 01353 778129.

Mepal Village Hall

Bookings: Lynne Woodward
LDSWoodward@hotmail.com

To find out more visit-
www.mepalvillagehall.co.uk

Mepal Parish Council

Correspondence:
clerk@mepalparish.org
Latest information, archive entries, meetings can be found on the website:-
www.mepalparish.org

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The Three Pickerels

Tel: 01353 777777
Check out our website:
www.thethreepickerels.co.uk
for details of all the great events we are hosting!

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Please forward via e.mail to: steve@kingmepal.uk or phone 01353 778141