

What's On in Mepal?

June 2026

Mepal & Sutton Football Club

.. is proud to support over 130 local children across 8 youth teams, giving kids in our community the chance to play football, build confidence, make friends and be part of a fantastic team environment. On **6th June**, we'll be hosting our End of Season Tournament & Family Fun Day, a day packed with football, food/drinks, awards and fundraising activities to keep the club running and ensure these children can continue playing the sport they love. ***We're asking our amazing community if you could help by donating:*** A bottle for our Bottle Tombola (any full bottle welcome!) or a raffle prize of any kind. Every donation, big or small, really does make a difference and helps support grassroots football right here in our local area. www.suttonrangersfc.co.uk

Mepal's Festival Fortnight starts on 20 June and runs until 5 July

The Village Scarecrow Display

This is not a competition but a chance to decorate the village with scarecrows of any design. Please display them during the Festival Fortnight outside your house or elsewhere with owners' permission. Please ensure they do not cause harm to people or animals.

Mepal and Witcham Primary School Summer Fete

Saturday 20th. June from 11am - 3pm

This year the Mepal and Witcham Primary School Summer Fete is staging a Fun Dog show!
Dog Show Classes: Loveliest Lady, Handsomest Male, Cutest Puppy, Golden Oldie, Best Rescue, Young Handler and Best in Show. Entries from 11.30am, Show starts at 12.30pm. Entry cost: £3 per class or £12 for 5 classes Rosettes 1st - 3rd and a Best in Show hamper! ***But there are other things going on including:*** Bouncy castle and classic Fete games, Tearoom, Ice-cream, BBQ & Bar, a Variety of stalls, Face Painting, Raffles with amazing prizes, Tombola & Booze Ring Throw and Live music by David Picarra

St Mary's Church

Flower Festival Saturday 27th. & Sunday 28th. June

Come and visit the Church decorated with flower and plant displays all with the theme of 'Gardens'. Open on Saturday from 10am until 5pm and on Sunday from 12noon until 5pm. No charge for entry but donations for the upkeep of St Mary's will be gratefully received

Local garden open in the National Open Garden Scheme

Saturday 27th. and Sunday 28th. June 11am-4pm.

Why not visit the Leisure Land Garden, Engine Bank, Mepal CB6 2AX which will be open on both days? Admission £5, children free

Mepal Village Hall Management Committee

Saturday 27th. June 2pm-4pm Refreshments at The Village Hall

Teas, coffees, cakes etc. will be served including the famous Village Hall Cream Teas which can be booked in advance at bookings@mepalvillagehall.co.uk at a cost of £5 per person

Mepal Events

Sunday 28th. June 2pm-4pm Refreshments at the Village Hall

After visiting the Church Flower Festival and walking the village to see the scarecrows, join us for teas, coffees, cold drinks and homemade cakes in the Hall.

The Three Pickerels

All England's football World Cup games will be shown live throughout the Festival Fortnight and beyond should the team do well! Check the Facebook page for times etc.



A message from Hilary and David Bowcock, Distributors of this newsletter

One of the volunteers who kindly deliver What's On has recently decided to step down; our thanks go to Graham Frost who, with his late wife, delivered the Newsletter for over ten years.

We now need someone to cover the Laurel Close route.

The production of this Newsletter involves some 20 members of the village from families to retired people; would you feel able to help to deliver to Laurel Close, please?

For further information, please contact us on 774960.

What's on In June

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

June 3rd Bingo **June 10th 12pm-2pm** Allen's Spaghetti Bolognese

June 17th Meal Out (TBA) **June 24th** Games Morning inc. Suduko, Word Search and more

Mepal Youth Club Thursdays June 11th & 25th

Mepal Ladies The Fridays of Blue Bin week June 12th & 26th at The Three Pickerels **2.30pm-4pm**

St Mary's Church Coffee & Chat is back at St Mary's every **Monday 10.30am-12.30pm.**

Later in the Year..... Mepal's Festival Fortnight—the last event!

Mepal Events - The Village Summer Picnic & Games Afternoon

Sunday July 5th. 3pm-6pm including the creation of the Community Flower Display Board.

Refreshments and inside seating available at the Pavilion Café!

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, Thursday Blue Bin week 7pm

St Mary's Church

Sunday services are held every week at 11am. For 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

To book the Hall e.mail:

bookings@
mepalvillagehall.co.uk

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

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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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