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FROM THE EDITOR

My thanks to all those willing volunteers who deliver the Clarion V in and around the five ends of the Parish. With out these dedicated individuals our Parish magazine just would not survive. I am always looking for new volunteers to help out, or to step in as reserves - so if you are interested, enjoy walking please do contact me and let me know.

Once more in this issue included are the quizzes and brain teasers that I have been told many times you all enjoy, a twist on an old favourite recipe, and again any contributions for Cooks Corner are always gratefully received.

The Annual Parish meeting will be held at the Youth & Community Centre on 14th May from 7:30 pm wine and refreshments will be provided and it will be an opportunity for you to also see the introduction of the **New Parish Plan**. Come along to find out more and see how you can be involved in driving the Plan forward.

The first of the regenerated Neighbourhood Watch meetings was held in late February, if you missed the opportunity to go along and are still interested in this area I am certain that Mr Geoffrey Pegg, Chairman of Wycombe District Neighbourhood Watch Association, would be pleased to hear from you, so should you wish to get in touch please contact me for his details.

Finally, I trust you will all enjoy a peaceful and contented Easter.

Mandy Dunning

01494 883845

VILLAGE HALL DIARY

Saturday 5 th April	Morning	Twinning Association Coffee Shop
Saturday 19 th April	10 am	Holy Trinity Coffee Shop
Friday 25 th April) Saturday 26 th April) Friday 2 nd May) Saturday 3 rd May		LEP Spring Production “Audacity”
Saturday 3 rd May	Morning	Twinning Association Coffee Shop
Friday 9 th May	7.30 pm	Holy Trinity Beetle Drive
Saturday 10 th May	2 pm	L/E Charity Group Jumble Sale
Saturday 17 th May Saturday 17 th May	10 am Evening	Holy Trinity Coffee Shop Twinning Association Skittles Evening
Friday 30 th May	7.45 pm	Holy Trinity Whist Evening
Saturday 7 th June	Morning	Twinning Association Coffee Shop
Saturday 14th June	1.30 pm	Village Fête
Saturday 21 st June	10 am	Holy Trinity Coffee Shop
Friday 27 th June	7.45 pm	Holy Trinity Whist Evening

Remember there is now the Coffee Stop every Thursday morning in the Sycamore Room at the Village Hall 10 am – noon. All welcome.

LANE END CHARITY GROUP UPDATE

Many thanks to everyone who supported our last event, a jumble sale in aid of the Day Centre which raised an amazing £610.56.

Our next event is another jumble sale on 10th May this time in aid of Wycombe Hospital Scanner Appeal. Donations of jumble can be left on the day at Lane End Village Hall.

Mrs B Hopkins

Little but testing.....

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ACROSS:

- 1: Compare (4)
- 4 Across, 2 Down (Fr) it goes without saying (2,2)
- 5: --non troppo (mus.): but not too much (2)
- 6: Frankincense (4)

DOWN:

- 1: Genuine (4)
- 2: See 4 Across
- 3: Old form of eyes (4)
- 4: Symbol of Micron (2)

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LANE END (EVENING) W.I.

We are looking forward to talks about "Making a Garden" and "Queens Charlotte and Victoria at Frogmore House", an inter W.I. Quiz, a county Ramble, a trip to see the Terracotta Warriors and running our usual tombola at the village Fête.

Visitors are always welcome to join us on the last Monday of the month in the Sycamore Room at the Village Hall. Meetings start at 8 pm

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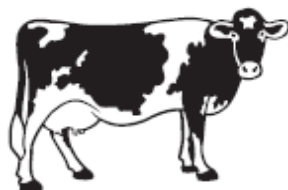
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Bric- a- Brac, sales table and plant sales for you to browse.

A coach trip to Salisbury Flower Festival is arranged for 19th June – the week before our mini show.

27th March – demonstration by Glenis Smith entitled ‘Hint of Spring’ – Members competition ‘Spring has Sprung’

24th April – Demonstration by Ninon Linnell 'Shapes & Spaces' Members competition 'Colours & Textures'

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Our Local Foods and Farming

In the September issue of Clarion V we looked at global warming, the wet summer of 2007, flooding, world supplies of food and the price of bread and milk. What has happened in the last six months?

Firstly the good news, that last September and October were good months for weather with 81 mm (just over 3 inches) of rain in the two months, and with plenty of bright sunny days, and this resulted in ideal soil conditions on all the fields which were being planted with autumn sown wheat ready for harvest in August 2008.

Despite all the modern advances in the design of tractors, such as the size of the 4 wheel drive tractors which have been ploughing the fields near Lane End last September developing 275 horsepower from their 8.1 litre engines, and their sat-nav monitors in the cab to measure the size of the field and to steer the tractor along a line precisely parallel to the previous bout across the field and the right distance away from it, good weather and soil conditions are still the most important factors to make a good seed-bed. And a good seed-bed is just as important on the farm as in the vegetable garden to start a healthy and high yielding crop. So the news on the arable farms, where the milling wheat for bread making is grown, is good news with the crops looking well.

But the livestock farms continue to have difficulties, both with their production costs increasing more than the farmgate price of the food which they produce, and with disease adversely affecting the health of their animals. There is a disease new to Britain called 'Blue Tongue' which is likely to become very serious amongst cattle and sheep when the warmer weather comes. This disease is spread by infected midges which bite the cattle and sheep to suck their blood, but in so doing they infect them with the blue tongue disease. This disease used to be only seen in Africa where the hot climate suited the midges, but last year it spread to Belgium where 90% of the cattle became infected and 11% to 15% of them actually died. Then on 5th August 2007, when the wind blew from Belgium across the Channel taking the midges with it, the cattle and sheep in Norfolk became infected. The English Institute for Animal Health have developed an inactivated vaccine to protect the cattle and sheep, and they hope that 22 million doses of it will be available by May 2008. But they do not know if this will be sufficient or if it will be soon enough.

Bryan Edgley, Kensham Farm.



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Lane End Twinning Association

By the time you read this the Lane End Twinning Association will have passed another AGM, held on 6th March, which I hope many of you will have seen advertised around the Village and been able to attend. Since our last article in the Christmas 2007 issue of the Clarion V, much has happened.

The Twinning Association meets regularly from 8pm on the first Thursday of every calendar month, in the Grouse & Ale, High Street, Lane End. Come and join fellow Twinners from 8pm onwards for chats, updates, socialising and discussion about the many forthcoming events.

The LETA Coffee Morning is scheduled for the first Saturday every month in the Village Hall. This is to raise the profile of Twinning in the community, with a consistent presence and to raise funds on a regular basis. The coffee morning is open for business from 9:30am until 12:30pm, featuring hot freshly brewed coffee, pastries and other treats.

On Saturday 17th May we will be holding a Skittles evening for all the family and friends in the Village Hall. Watch for adverts in and around the Village nearer the time with more details, of what will surely be a fun evening.

The Twinning Association will, again this year, host a stall at the Lane End Village Fete with some tempting culinary morsels, a display of our Twin town St Pierre d'Oleron and details of the Association.

For further details of news and events please visit our web site www.le-ta.co.uk or phone Phil on 07881605121 or Paul on 0777 4408433.

*This recipe is a twist on the Classic
Macaroni Cheese, & goes well with a
crisp green salad.*

Serves Four

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Ingredients:

225 grams short cut
macaroni.
oil
salt 25 grams butter
1 x 15 ml spoon plain
flour
300 ml milk
4 hard boiled eggs,
chopped
freshly ground black
pepper
1 large onion, peeled
& sliced
75 grams grated cheese

Method:

Prep & cooking time approx 30 minutes
Oven 200°C 400°F Gas Mark 6

Put the macaroni in a large pan of boiling
water with 1 x 15 ml spoon of oil a 1 x 5 ml
spoon of salt cook until al dente.

Meanwhile makes the sauce by melting the
butter in a pan, stir in the flour and cook for
about 30 seconds. Remove from heat &
slowly stir in the milk, return to a gentle
heat until thickened. Stir in the chopped
eggs and season with salt & pepper to taste.

Add the drained macaroni to the sauce.
Place in a lightly oiled ovenproof dish. Fry
the sliced onion in a little oil until it starts to
brown, spoon over the macaroni mix and
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Lane End Conservation Group

At the beginning of December nine members of the Lane End Conservation Group gave up one Saturday morning to work on the hedge between the main car park and Botany Brook, first extracting weeds and litter and then pruning the recently planted shrubs on the bank of the brook. At least twice a year this area needs attention.

A local resident had contacted us to ask if we could please clear the footpath off Slayter Road again, where encroaching brambles had almost swallowed up the path, making it difficult for residents to use. Eight of our helpers turned up and set to work. After we finished we received a couple of telephone calls to thank LECG's volunteers.

Another request came from Christine Jennings. She pointed out that unchecked vegetation on the green patch by Black Well was obstructing the view of the road and thus oncoming traffic. We had planned to work on the area surrounding Foundry Pond, winter pruning and litter picking, but our eight helpers instead gave priority to cutting back brambles and other plants thus ensuring the pavement was clear before they got on with other tasks.

Many Lane End residents use Four-Fields footpath (LE 33) and report to us on the state of it. With a length of about $\frac{3}{4}$ mile this path will be cleared by our helpers on the first Saturday in March. We also plan to work in the Harris Garden, spring pruning, litter picking and possibly planting some spring flowers; it always depends on how many helpers turn up.



Following a request from the Simply Walk group, whose walkers (around 50 each week) meet at the Lane End playing fields car park, volunteers of the Lane End Conservation Group and the local Simply Walk group will spend the first Saturday morning in April working on this car park. In May and June last year we pruned the originally planted shrubs along the edge of it and cut back rampant vegetation; we cleared litter, swept up glass and removed fire damaged rubbish. We had hoped to clear all weeds from the

Boules/Petanque square as well, so as to make it useable again, but there were not enough volunteer hours available.

Many hands make light work

Please join us at the Playing Field Car Park for our next **ACTION DAY**, at 10 o'clock on Saturday, 5th April 2008. Whether you use this car park or not, please give us a hand. Just remember, this car park is the access for local children to their playground and playing fields.



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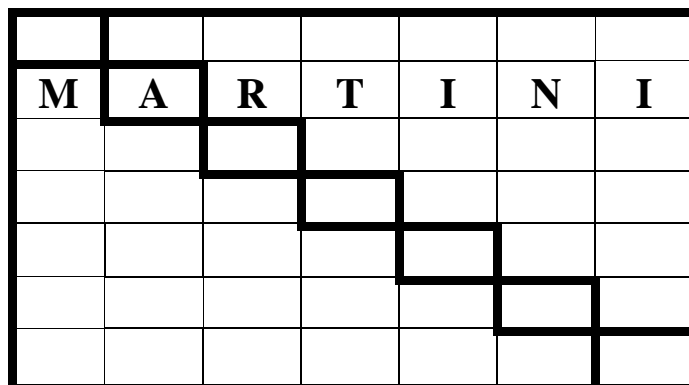
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The church is alive but the building is old and it requires a lot of expensive repair and alteration to comply with necessary access and Health and Safety regulations. Caring for the building has hindered us in effectively caring for the community.

The people who have worshipped in the chapel are the church – not the building – so we have decided to sell the building and embark on a new adventure.

Due to the generosity of our fellow Christians at the Parish Church we have been offered the use of their premises for our Sunday Worship, unconditionally for a year, while the Methodist Church Council, with the assistance of the High Wycombe Circuit, look for an alternative venue for the future.

We have been overwhelmed by the hands of friendship extended to us by the Rev Robert Jennings and the members of the PCC and Holy Trinity congregation, who have helped us with our decisions. We would like to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude and look forward to our association with them all. Jesus often spoke of the importance of unity amongst His followers because he knew how important it was for people to unite to show the face of God to the world. We believe that together we can do this in Lane End. Many other people and organisations in the Village have been very helpful and have helped us find alternative venues for our Outreach activities. We would like to thank them all, in particular the Village Hall committee who have been extremely accommodating.

Methodism is alive and well in Lane End and we will celebrate this on the 30th March 2008 at 3pm with a Service of thanksgiving and celebration for everything that the Chapel building has helped us achieve (followed by a tea in the Village Hall to which everyone is invited.)

On Sunday the 6th April at 11am and again at 6pm we will begin our worship services in Holy Trinity Church – all are welcome. We encourage you all to meet us in Holy Trinity at 10.30 am for coffee with our Parish Church friends before the service.

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MONDAY

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THURSDAY

10.00 – 12.00 COFFEE STOP – SYCAMORE ROOM – VILLAGE HALL

14.30 – 16.00 WIVES GROUP - MONTHLY – COMMUNITY CENTRE

Lane End Parish Council-Activities Update

****** As mentioned in our last report in Clarion V your Council was nearly up to full strength following the co-option of Councillors Callum Stewart and Graham Coulter. We can now report our final vacancy has been filled following the very recent co-option of Councillor Graham Davis

****** We have now undertaken our analysis of the completed questionnaires we received asking your views on virtually every aspect of life in the parish; you may recall that we received a response rate of nearly 40%.

We have initially decided to divide the work into 5 project areas:

Environment

Transport

Communications

Business

Community Issues

In the coming weeks we will agree priorities within each sector and attempt to set up teams comprising Councillors and residents in order to achieve short and long term objectives.

The Council needs the active support of residents to make the improvements you have shown you want made.

****** By the time you read this work will have been completed on Phase One of our long term plan to ensure Moor End Common retains its SSSI status and makes it even more accessible as a leisure facility.

We will have obtained professional advice on the erection bollards in the first lay-by in Church Road to prevent further erosion from vehicles, and have installed a Forestry gate further along Church Road to facilitate access for contractors.

****** Many of you have noticed and indeed remarked on the fact that The Council's notice boards being vandalised. This thoughtless and stupid behaviour by a very small minority is not only a cause of annoyance to residents but of course impacts adversely on our finances.

The most recent vandalism has cost over £2000 which represents a significant percentage of our budget....WHAT A WASTE OF MONEY!!

If you know who these individuals are, who are causing this and other damage please do let our Clerk, Mandy Dunning know.....in strictest confidence.

****** We hope you've noticed the increased level of policing in and around the village. This very welcome development is due in no small part to the work of The Community Safety Forum lead by Councillor Atkins.

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Lane End Methodist Church's Thursday Coffee morning moves to the Village Hall

Lane End Methodist Church's Coffee Stop is now in the Sycamore Room of the Village Hall every Thursday morning from 10.00 until 12.00. Do join us and enjoy a cup of coffee or tea and an opportunity to meet with old friends and make some new ones. We look forward to welcoming you.

THE LANE END PLAYERS

Thank you to everyone who supported our 2008 panto, "Aladdin". As a result of excellent ticket sales we were able to give the Village Hall £4250. The charities we chose to benefit from the raffle – South Bucks Hospice and Desborough Playden (supporting local children with special needs) each received £450, so another thank you for your generosity.

Our next production is "Audacity", by Simon Mawdsley. Three acquaintances devise a scheme to steal the daily takings from a London store. All seems to be going to plan until the wives of two of the plotters start investigating their husbands' odd behaviour! As the Times review said "...crisp dialogue...skilful plotting...gripping and amusing..." It promises to provide a good night out! Production dates are April 25th, 26th, May 2nd, 3rd at 8pm. Tickets cost £7, £5 concessions for the first performance and £10, £7 concessions for the others. Please note that the Box Office details have changed. Fran Sparrowhawk will be taking over as Box Office manager and the 'phone number is now 01494 881981; e-mail is laneendplayers@gmail.com We look forward to seeing you!

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Remedial Actions:

There are three types of remedial actions for dealing with potholes;

Permanent Action – this involves cutting the sides of the pothole square, removing all loose material, applying a tack coat (to act as a bonding agent between the existing road and the new material), then filling the hole with hot material – usually hot rolled asphalt from the quarry, this is then compacted and the edges sealed. This action is carried out on the first visit to all category 2.1 potholes and as many of the category 1 potholes as possible.

Temporary Action – This is only used for category 1 potholes where weather conditions or resources make it too difficult to carry out a permanent repair. This involves sweeping the loose material and any water out of the hole and filling with a temporary emergency patching material. A permanent repair would then be ordered to be carried out within 28 days. The council is currently experimenting with new proprietary materials that will give a semi-permanent first time fix. It is still early in the trials, but the initial results are very encouraging.

Immediate Action – Again this is used only for Category 1 potholes and only in those instances where it is not possible to carry out a more substantial repair e.g. if there is lots of running water. It is likely to take the form of signing and guarding of the area around the pothole.

A potholing gang can carry out between 20 and 30 permanent repairs per day. The controlling factors are the location of the potholes which will determine the amount of traffic control required and also how widespread they are which determines how much travelling time is required between sites.

Remember, you can help us deal with this problem by reporting any pothole that you find by calling Highways on Call on 0845 230 2882 or by email to hoc@buckscc.gov.uk



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LANE END PARISH COUNCIL
ANNUAL PARISH MEETING



7.30 pm WEDNESDAY 14th May 2008

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It has come to my attention that at the February Full Council meeting some people may have considered that I was disrespectful to parishioners. That was not my intention, nor would it ever knowingly be the case and I apologise unreservedly to anyone who feels this was the case.

Additionally it was not my intention to place any discredit on work done by previous Councillors and clerks.

My answer to Mrs. Cripps' question was based on my understanding of the situation, however I have since been advised that being unlawful does not always mean illegal and I therefore again apologise unreservedly.

Susan Wright

Chairman

CADMORE END CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL NEWS

We have been very busy of late achieving an 'outstanding' rating in our Health and Safety inspection, updating the school's uniform, submitting our response to the review of the speed limit on the B482 and we are very pleased to have achieved an 'Activemark' for our school. 'Activemark' has been awarded to 20 out of 23 Primary or Infant schools and to one Secondary school in this area. The award is dependent on the provision of 2 hours PE in the curriculum, having a sports day and having a good number of out of hours clubs.

A 'flipping' good time was had by everyone on Shrove Tuesday when we held our annual inter-house pancake races by the Church. We finished the week with a Year 4 and 5 team taking part in a badminton tournament. They were excellent ambassadors for our school and we were very pleased when they won the tournament! We have also enjoyed a music service led by John Compton from the Music Centre.

The School Council is continuing its fortnightly cake sales to raise money to buy school resources they consider appropriate, starting with games for wet play times.

If you would like to hear about the helicopter visit and what we dressed up as on World Book Day last year, our Yearbook reviewing the 2006-7 academic year is now available – please contact the school to obtain a copy. If you have any queries about Cadmore End Church of England School please contact the school office on (01494) 881460.

Julie Wright
Governor

Four Ends Flower Club:

27th March at 2 pm - Glenis Smith demonstrating "Hint of Spring"

24th April at 2 pm - Ninon Linnell demonstrating "Shapes and Spaces"

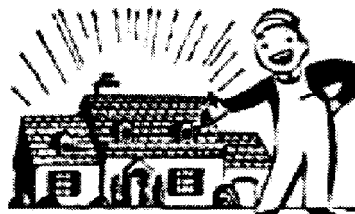
22nd May at 2 pm - Lionel Clark demonstrating "Bargain Hunt"

26th June at 2pm - MINI-SHOW entitled "Sweet Sensations" also Sally

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If you would like to join the fun, come along and give it a go. The next meeting is on 3rd April 2008. Please come about 10 minutes before the dancing starts at 2 p.m.

Admission: £6-00 per person payable at the door. For further information please contact

Mary Williams on 01235 520608



Lane End Youth & Community Centre

Are you looking for a venue to hold a party, function or meeting?

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We give competitive rates for local residents so why not come up and have a look around for yourself. I am around every weekday morning from 9am so you're welcome to come in for a chat.

Look out for our next newsletter which will be delivered shortly with all the details of weekly events.

Coming up we have a Country & Western Music night featuring the 'Silver Bullet Road show disco' on Saturday 5 April 8 'til late including light refreshments for only £5 per ticket. So if you love to dance then this is the event for you and your friends! Please contact me on 01494 883878 or email me at leycc@hotmail.co.uk for further information and to purchase tickets.

Starting from Monday 7 April LEAOPAG will be hosting their weekly coffee pop-in here at the Centre from 10-12am. It's open to anyone of any age so come along for a coffee and a chat.

The Wives group will also be holding their monthly meetings here starting on the 2nd Thursday of the month on Thursday 10 April from 2.30-4.30pm. This is a chance for ladies of all ages to get together and socialise with different activities planned each month. Please contact Judith Hanson on 01494 883436 for further information.

For more details on these or any other activities at the Centre please contact me by phone, email or in person.

Amanda Brackley
Centre Manager

Your Parish Council is now at full strength .

As advised in the Parish Council update piece on page 17, below is the current make up of the Council.

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Our Group represents villages and smaller communities along the ‘old’ section of the M 40, which evolved from the Wycombe Bypass and its extension to Wheatley. We have been working for the past 3 years to reduce the impact of traffic on the lives of 25,000 people who live close to the route between Junction 3 at Loudwater and Junction 7 at Milton Common. Noise levels in particular are already extremely high, night and day, week days and weekends – and will get worse until the issue is resolved.

The M40 is now recognised as one of the highest accident prone stretches of Motorway in the UK. We are backing the Bucks Free Press to address this. The obvious and cheapest solution, to limit the traffic speed on this section, would also significantly reduce noise and pollution – and a reduction in the amount of closures of the motorway due to accidents, would lower the temptation for drivers to use our minor roads in preference to the Motorway.

Throughout our campaign we have enjoyed the support of our 4 local MP’s – Dominic Grieve (Beaconsfield), Paul Goodman (Wycombe), David Liddington (Aylesbury), and Boris Johnson (Henley). As a result, our problems have been debated in the House of Commons and we plan to meet with the responsible Minister shortly. Our campaign is supported by Wycombe and South Oxfordshire District Councils and by our County Councils, and is funded by contributions from the councils of all affected Parishes.

We endeavour to keep residents updated on our progress at occasional open meetings, through the local press and by email. If you would like to find out more about our activities and the latest news, look at our website www.m40-chiltern.org.uk, write to P.O. Box 1240 High Wycombe HP14 3WP, email us at m40cc@btinternet.com or call 01494 881266.

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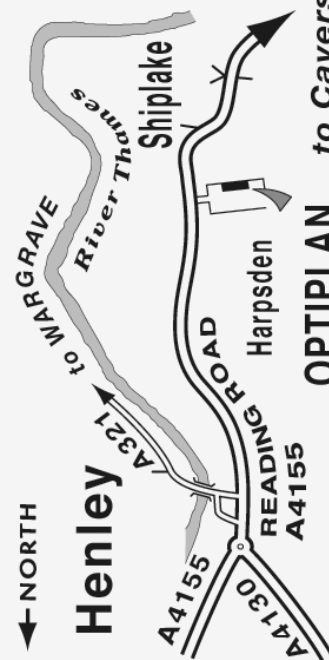
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All the brussels now picked and eaten, stalks lifted, plot dug over and we are ready to go again.

The nurseryman has dispatched most of our ordered seed to us, the Potting Shed is well insulated so we've started to plant out in the cleaned out trays, then the propagators can do their stuff and we are on the way.

With the hours of day-light getting longer and March just a few days away, we are now preparing the ground for sowing our first early potatoes on Good Friday coinciding with the first CLARION of year 08. Come August of this year and our ANNUAL SHOW in mind, now is the time to sow your celery but watch it like a cat as it is prone to heart-rot.

The Snowdrops and Daffodils have been excellent to date with the Tulips promising likewise, everything is once again coming alive. That touch of nature's magic wand, a little helping from ourselves what a picture we create, plus fresh veg on the kitchen table, you can't beat it.

A date for your diary: - COME THE 16th AUGUST IN LANE END VILLAGE HALL. OUR ANNUAL SHOW. We trust we can rely on your support?

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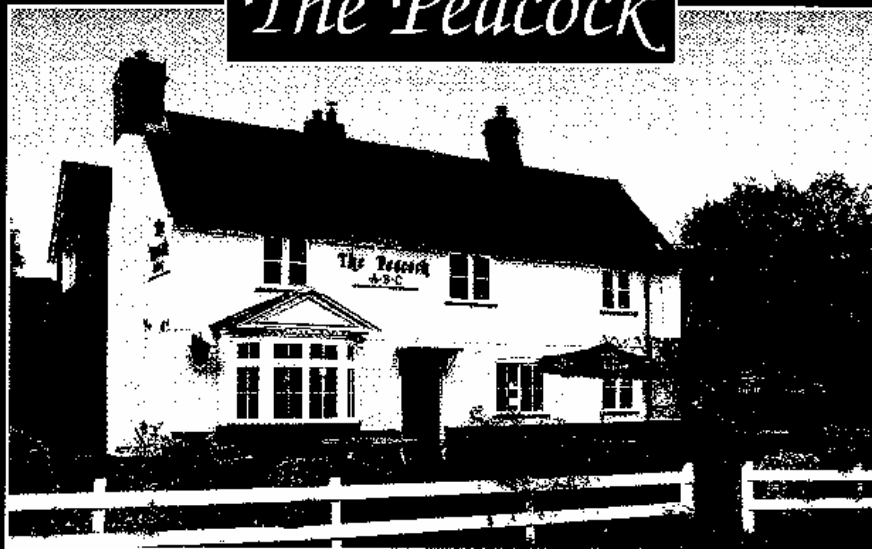
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9	4	7	3	5	1	2	6	8
2	6	5	4	9	8	3	1	7
8	9	3	5	6	4	7	2	1
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