



# June Newsletter

We start this month off with a long holiday weekend to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth. What an amazing achievement for her.

Whatever your plans are this weekend, we hope you are able to take part in some of the many events being organised to mark this anniversary.

Hopefully that will include joining with IVC friends to take part in the events we can share with you.

Later in the month we see another opportunity—to celebrate Midsummer with Richard & Penny.

As we benefit from nice long evenings, it would be great to see more of you at our monthly pub nights, or even suggesting some other evenings out at a pub or in the park.

It is good to see new members joining us and we hope to see more of you over the coming months.

### Colin—Chair

Upcoming	gevents
1 June	Film Club Meet
2 June	Platinum Jubilee Events
2 June	Photography Competition
3 June	Pig Racing at Bishopstone
8 June	Meeting Night at H&W
18 June	Murder Mystery Night
19 June	Midsummer Party
2 July	Cheese & Chilli Festival
5 July	Psychology of Serial Killers
8 July	Rocky Horror Picture Show
10 July	In The Mood
16 July	Buscot Park (NT) Visit
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The Cast of Stage Struck and North Swindon Big Band

#### Swindon IVC

Swindon IVC meet monthly for now at the **H&W pub in Wichelstowe** .

As a group, we organise events ourselves that the whole group is invited to take part in.

This can be as simple as a night out in a pub, walks, visits to National Trust properties or days out. Our upcoming events are listed overleaf.

Sometimes members will hold competitions, such as Bake-off style events.

Membership is just £24 a year. If you organise just 3 events each year, you get a discount of £8 so membership is just £16.

New members — to try out membership it is just £5 for 3 months. If you then take out full membership, your first year will be just £16.

#### **Buscot Park (National Trust)**

#### 16 July 2022

Join Mike and Steph for a walk through this wonderful house & gardens

Meet at 1pm to share a picnic before enjoying the house and grounds.

Refreshments are also available in the tea shop





## Murder Mystery Night

Join us for an evening at Wilton Windmill and try and solve a murder! The night includes a full hog roast and just brilliant entertainment.

Tickets are still available if you want to join us.

#### **Pig Racing**

#### Friday 3rd June 2022

#### The Royal Oak at Bishopstone

The famous organic pigs of Eastbrook farm come down from their happy lives up on the ridgeway to race through the village

(No pigs are hurt )

Bet on your favourite to win!

Beer and food available

Please contact Penny or Richard if you would like to join them

#### The Queen's Platinum Jubilee

Pimms in the Park - Lydiard Free Entry Live music & entertainment World food vendors & bars Funfair & games Trade & Promotion zones Car Club display

We hope that we can all meet up to party and picnic and enjoy the sun on FRIDAY 3rd June. We will have a gazebo in the park—will send out precise location once we have set up but look forward to seeing anyone who wants to pop by and enjoy the festivities.



# Platinum Jubilee Photo Competition

It's been a while since our last photo competition but here's a chance to get snapping with a chance to win!

Just submit up to 3 photos taken over the extended Queens Platinum Jubilee weekend (Thursday 2nd June to Sunday 5th) on any camera or mobile phone so everyone can take part. Members will then be asked to vote for their favourites. Full details on the website about how to enter.



#### **Midsummer Party**

#### **Sunday 19 June**

Join Penny & Richard for a BBQ to

celebrate Midsummer

Salads and Bread Provided

Bring your own drinks & food to throw on the Barbie!

Please contact Penny or Richard if you would like to join them.



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