

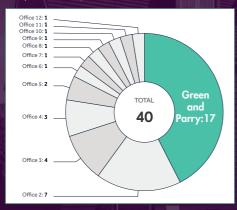


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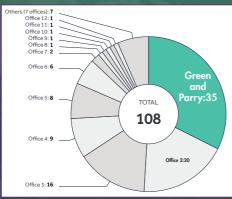
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This year we are celebrating our 157th Byfleet Parish Day

We start with a procession leaving St Mary's Church Hall at 12.20 led by Horse & Carriage carrying the Mayor & the Parish Day Royal Family. There will be various vehicles in the parade which will go down Church Road, Brewery Lane, High Road and Rectory Lane before reaching the Recreation Ground. The Horse and Carriage are kindly sponsored by The Byfleet, West Byfleet and Pyrford Residents Association.

We have arranged nearly 100 stalls, Events, Displays, Rides and Games so there will be lots to do on a great afternoon. There will be plenty to eat and drink at the Food Stalls with a Hog Roast, Burgers & Sausages, Fish & Chips as well as the Real Ale & Cocktail Bars, Beer Tent with Soft Drinks and of course Ice Cream.

Join us for Live Music from our covers band Goldsworth Gerry, the Surrey Pipe Band and the West Byfleet Show Choir. Arena events including the Mini Pony Show and the Susan Robinson School of Ballet, Silvermere Gymnastics and Julie Sianne Theatre Arts.

Meet Matto the clown and Bonnie the Stilt Walker, watch the popular Punch and Judy Show and the Children's Races, visit the Dog Show and the Classic Vehicle Show.

In the Village Hall the Horticultural Show will be taking place with a fantastic array of prize-winning exhibits along with the Homecraft & Handicraft display.

All attractions and stalls are subject to change but are correct at time of print.

Please listen to announcements on the day.

We would like to thank our main sponsors this year Mr Noel Hayden of Byfleet Manor House, Green & Parry and Surrey County Council through the Your Councillor Community Fund.

Esther Watson Green- Chairman, and all the committee members of the Friends of Byfleet Parish Day



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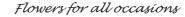
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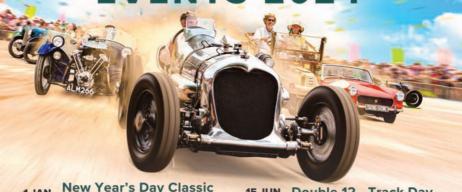
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If you are interested to find out more about how the Residents' Association works on your behalf or to join, please see our website www.the-residents.org

or contact your Byfleet Village Representatives, Eleanor Grady and Jean-Pierre Frossard

vrb@the-residents.org.

Giving to the Community.

The RA, thanks to members' subscriptions, supports local events and community groups through small donations. It promotes events in its newsletter "The Resident" and organises local initiatives such as the RA Garden Seed Share Scheme and the RA Orchard Project.

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Byfleet Village Neighbourhood Plan 2022-2027

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The Plan's purpose

- To protect our village from inappropriate development
- · To ensure that new developments meet design criteria
- To protect our open green spaces
- To enhance our community assets
- To ensure that our village infrastructure is sustainable
- To protect our conservation area and buildings of architectural interest
- To promote a vibrant commercial centre to sustain employment.

Electronic copies are also available on the Byfleet Residents'
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157th Byfleet Parish Day 2024

MAIN ARENA EVENTS

12 noon Gates open to the Recreation Ground

Led by a Horse & Carriage the Parade leaves St Mary's Church in Church 12.20pm

Road with the Mayor of Woking and our own Parish Day 'Royal Family'

12.25pm The Surrey Pipe Band joins the parade at Plough Green

12.50pm Proceedings commence with arrival of the Parade

1.00pm Official opening and announcements by Andrew our MC

1.10pm Susan Robinson School of Ballet

1.30pm The Mini Pony Show

2.10pm Silvermere Gymnastics

2.25pm Julie Sianne Theatre Arts

2.25pm The Mini Pony Show

3.10pm Children's Races

3.40pm Tug of War

The Mini Pony Show 4.10pm

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MUSIC IN THE FOOD AND DRINK AREA

1.15 – 2.00pm Goldsworth Gerry

2.00 - 2.15pm Surrey Pipe Band

2.15 - 3.00pm Goldsworth Gerry

3.15 - 3.45pm West Byfleet Show Choir

4.00 - 4.45pm Goldsworth Gerry

ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE. NOTICES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS WILL BE MADE DURING THE DAY

THANK YOU

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK EVERYBODY WHO HAS SUPPORTED THE 157TH PARISH DAY

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The following people or organisations have given help in some way.

James & Tim at Binfield Print & Design, The St John Ambulance, Bob Holmes for his photographs, Steve Davies for his continued support and preparation of Parish Day accounts, Lynn & Holly Cozens for looking after the 'Royal Family. Our MC Andrew Weiss Juliet Murray at Surrey County Council.

Byfleet, West Byfleet and Pyrford Residents Association for their sponsorship of the Royal Family Horse & Carriage. Pauline Chapples for her sponsorship of Matto the Clown and the Punch and Judy show in memory of her husband Godfrey Chapples, much missed former Vice-Chair of Parish Day.

Surrey County Councillor Amanda Boote for her continued support of Parish Day and this year through the 'Your Councillor Community Fund' also in memory of Godfrey Chapples.

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20 July 2024

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John completed his MA at Trinity College/ Bristol University in 2001, having graduated from St Edmund Hall Oxford in Modern Languages in 1982 (French and German), completing his PhD at Chester University in 2015. John who was ordained in 2001 came to St Mary's in 2006.

John always supported Parish Day and other community events and will be much missed. We hope to see him at this year's show. We wish John and his family, wife Pippa and children Jeremy and Jessica all the best for the future.



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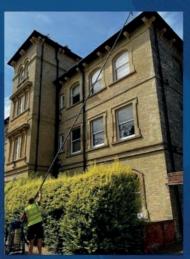
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BYFLEET VILLAGE HALL

Why not visit the Village Hall and have a look at the groups that use it, or even book it for an event? Its history is available to view in the Byfleet Heritage Society room in Byfleet Library.

Not only do we have the main hall, but a large side room complete with kitchen and servery as well as a smaller meeting room.

Capacities are 220, 40 and 15
respectively and the main hall
is fairly unique in having a
sprungdance floor – popular with
various dance formats including tea dances.



The frontage is maintained by the Byfleet
Horticultural Society who also arrange the Parish
Day display and prizes for locally grown produce
from garden and allotments.

We can offer facilities for crafts, exercise classes, birthday parties, meetings and host events such as the Byfleet Players, Christmas Market, Christmas Carols and other community events.

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The main Hall looking at the stage.

Kim Sullivan - Hall Manager Tel: 01932 336236



Byfleet Heritage Society Blue Plaque. Frederick & Agnes Stoop.

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AMONG THE ATTRACTIONS AT PARISH DAY THIS YEAR







BEN'S PUNCH & JUDY

THE SURREY PIPE BAND

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We are exceptionally lucky living in Byfleet, in that we have such lovely walks alongside idyllic waterways. One only has to look at the numerous Facebook Posts with beautiful pictures from local residents enjoying the tow path and river footpaths. One of the things I have noticed from these posts is the apparent confusion between the River Wey and the Wey Navigation, the two waterways that flow on opposite sides of the village. So, I will try to clarify which is the River and which is the Navigation. Firstly, I would say that the differentiation is not helped by Google Maps which refers to both as the River Way.

To understand the difference we must go a few miles. south of Byfleet past The Anchor at Pyrford Lock, the lock at the Anchor places it very definitely on The Wey Navigation. So where is the River Wey itself? If we follow the tow path about a mile toward Ripley we eventually come to the point where the river



Walsham Gates with the river beyond and Walsham Weir round to the left of the cottage

appears on our left hand side but about ten to fifteen feet below the level of the path. A little further on the reason for the difference in level is clear. At Walsham Wier the River Wey spills over the weir and falls some ten to fifteen feet. At the same point part of the river flow diverts into the navigation through Walsham Gates. The Wier controls the flow into the lower reach of the river, whilst the Gates control the water flow at this point into the Navigation.

The river continues on it's way at the lower level keeping close company with the Navigation for some distance until it turns to cross the Wisley Golf course and head for



Walsham Weir

Wisley Bridge. From Wisley Bridge the River Wey flows under the M25 in a diversion created when the M25 was built and on round the back of Byfleet Manor House to Byfleet Mill and Blue Gates Hole dropping a further ten feet or so at the Mill. The river then continues past the back of Grasmere Estate and on to Plough Bridges carrying the A245 then on to Brooklands passing under the original racing circuit and the railway.

Meanwhile on the other side of Byfleet the Wey Navigation drops 8' 6" at Pyrford Lock by the Anchor level on the far side of the M25 past Byfleet Boat Club and on to the lock at the White Hart, where the level drops by 6' 8". Between the Byfleet Boat Club and the White Hart the Navigation passes under the railway and the M25 and through it's junction with the Basingstoke Canal.

The next question is why is the canal referred to as the navigation, when was it built and why? A Navigation is essentially using an existing river and by digging some new channels, locks and dredging and straightening other parts of the river you are able to create a Navigable Channel for the commercial cargo from one place to another. Hence the River Wey is a navigable river, which initially went from Weybridge on the Thames to Guildford and eventually to Godalming. These were the first commercial canals and as a result the labourers became known as Navigators, which was subsequently shortened to Navvies.



Looking upstream from the 'Green Bridge' where the river flows past Byfleet Manor

I hope you will have found these notes interesting and maybe next time you walk down the tow path to the Anchor you will imagine a time when the leisure craft that pass you would have been laden with tons of gunpowder or coal.

Dave Colwell



Blue Gates Hole just downstream of Byfleet Mill

The conversion work started in 1651 and was completed to Guildford in 1653 using a workforce of 200 navvies and a cost of £15,000.

Commercial traffic that the Wey Navigation carried was timber, corn, flour and gunpowder from Chilworth Mills, which was transported to London with return cargo to Guildford of coal, sugar and bark used for tanning leather. The last commercial loads were as late as 1983.



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