



IWERNE MINSTER DIARY

December 2016 Village Diary

Forthcoming events in January 2017

- **Sunday 1 January - New Year's Day.**
- **Monday 2 January - Bank Holiday.**
- **Tuesday 3 January - Parish Council meeting @ Abingdon Hall, 7pm.**
- **Monday 16 January - Ladies PROBUS meeting @ Ashley Wood Golf Club, 12noon for 12.30pm.**
- **Wednesday 18 January - SWIM WI birthday meeting @ Abingdon Hall, 2.30pm.**
- **Wednesday 18 January - Wednesday Dorset Wildlife Trust Meeting @ Fontmell Magna Village Hall, 7.30pm.**
- **Friday 20 & Saturday 21 January - Pantomime @ the Village Club.**
- **Monday 23 January - IMPHA AGM @ Abingdon Hall, 7pm.**
- **Wednesday 25 January - Men's PROBUS meeting @ Crown Hotel, Blandford [Sealy Suite], 11am - 2pm.**

See village notice boards for further details.

If I have missed something out it is because you have not told me about it!!!

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Saturday 3 December - There will be a stream clean in Watery Lane at 9am. Please come and help with your wellies and a fork.

Saturday 3 December - St Mary's Christmas Bazaar at Abingdon Hall from 10.30am to 12noon. Cakes, Goodies, Christmas Gifts, Raffle, coffee and cakes. All proceeds go to Homeless Charity. Make Christmas Happy

Sunday 4 December - Benefice Evensong with Advent Carols (taken by David Marl) in St Mary's IM, at 6.30pm.

Monday 5 December - Parish Council meeting at Abingdon Hall, at 7pm. These meetings are open to all members of the public and start with Public Questions. Minutes and contact numbers can be found on the Parish Notice Boards and web site.

Wednesday 7 December - SWIM WI are holding their traditional Christmas Lunch at Abingdon Hall, 12.30 for 1pm. For further details contact Janet Wall [812632].

Thursday 8 December - IMPHA Christmas Social, at Abingdon Hall, 7pm. Members only, come and enjoy an event filled evening with friends. For further details contact Sue Le Prevost [812173].

Saturday 10 December - Ellie, at the Talbot, is serving a Christmas spread but seats are filling quickly, so contact her on 811269. Live music is also being provided so come along anyway.

Wednesday 14 December - Dorset Moviola is showing 'Absolutely Fabulous'. Shows are in the Fontmell Magna Village Hall and start at 7.30pm with doors opening at 7pm. Tickets: £6 in advance or £6.50 on the door, available from Fontmell Magna Post Office. For more information phone Libby Gendall [811511].

Thursday 15 December - The annual singing of Carols, first at Home Farm starting at 6pm, then moving to the Chalk and then on to The Talbot.

Saturday 17 December - I.V. Walking Club starting from The Stapleton Arms, Buckhorn Weston SP8 5HS. Leaders: Helen English 853472, Clare Martin & Pauline Morphy.

Sunday 18 December - Children's Crib and Carol Service (taken by David John) in St Mary's IM, at 4pm.

Monday 19 December - Ladies' PROBUS Christmas Lunch at the Ashley Wood Golf Club. This meeting is for members and their guests. For further information contact Leslie Evans [811287].

Monday 19 December - George Hewett and his band, Fresco Muy Funky, are playing at the Talbot from 7.30pm.

Wednesday 21 December - Men's PROBUS Christmas Lunch at the Sealy Suite, The Crown Hotel, Blandford, 12noon for 1pm. This meeting is for members and their guests.

Saturday 24 December - Midnight Communion (taken by David John and the Bishop of Sherborne) in St Mary's IM, at 11.30 pm.

Sunday 25 December - Christmas Day with Family Communion (taken by David John) at St Mary's Church at 9.30am.

Monday 26 December - Boxing Day and Fireworks on the Parish Field [check Notice Board for start time], followed by a simple hot food choice, which will be either a chilli or curry with a vegetarian option at the Talbot.

Tuesday 28 December - Bank Holiday.