All Saints Centre Weekly Activities

TechKnow

All Saints Youth Project Monday 4pm Christian Meditation

Monday 7.45-8.45 Joy Cheek 443 4625

Tae Kwan Do

Monday 5.45-8.15pm Toby 07843046221 University of the Third Age Moseley & KH 2nd Tuesday of month 2pm in "enquiries by email to enquiries@mkhdu3a.org.uk"

All Saints Youth Project

Drop-in 3.30-5.30 Tues & Thurs Inclusion+ Wed afternoons & eves. Gateway to Inclusion 6.15-8.15pm Tues & Thurs. 443 1842

The Parent Project

Providing information/ support/ parenting programmes for parents of teenagers

Open 10-5 Mon - Thurs 10-1 Fri 443 1842 Birmingham Careers Service age 16-19

Mondays 1,00 to 4,00 p.m in the Youth Project

Village Square Gardening Club Wed 9.30am-1.30pm

All Saints Elders Lunch Club

Wednesday 12noon, Liz Turner - 604 6086 Tae Kwon Do

Wed 5.45pm till 7.15pm Toby 0784304

Clarion Singers

Weds 7.30-9.30pm for everyone. No aud TRUST

meets the first Wednesday to 8.30pm Youth Project

Badminton

Wed 8 -10 pm Steve Knit & Natter Gup Thursdays 10 300 12 0pm in Cafe Traidcraft

Co-ordinator Gill Parkin 604 6127 Goods are sold in ASC and the Farmers' Market. For times please see the notice in the display cabinet

Fantastic Fledglings Thursdays (term time only) 12.30-2.30pm Youth Project

TCM (Tea, Cake & Music)

Thursdays 2.30pm in the Cafe Kung Fu

Thursday in the hall 8.30pm - 9 07929 262 777 info.playfighter

Zumba Gold Class 40+ Fitnes C £4.50 Friday 10 - 11 m (a) £4.50 Friday 10 - 1 mm (a)

eaturing local musicians.

Football Coaching Sessions ages 4+ Sat10.30-11.30am contact footballfunaticsenquiries@amail.com or 07507 558 022

Families Anonymous

Meetings are held monthly. For further information contact Families Anonymous on 020 7498 4680 or 0845 1200 660 (lo-call rate)

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info@asyp.org.uk The Robin Centre for older people Mon-Fri contact 0121 483 4400 All Saints Café opening times 9.30am-3.30pm Monday - Saturday. And open on Fridays 6pm-9.30pm Tel no 0121 293 1699

All Saints Centre Services & Weekly Church Services

All Saints Medical Centre 444 2005

Feet First Footcare Podiatrist 444 0990

All Saints Dental Clinic

444 0496

Dens of Equality supporting children with special needs 441 2207

CircusMash

www.circusmash.co.uk b121 439 2530

Wed Holy Communion 11.30 am Sun 8.00am Holy Communion !0.00am Parish Communion 6.30pm Evening Prayer Ist Sunday of the month All Age Worship 10.00am

All Saints Outlook

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Good-Bye to Kui

In July All Saints Youth Project said a sad goodbye to Kui Wai Lam as he left Birmingham to move to Sidney, Australia with his wife El and their 3 young children. El is a doctor and wants to gain some experience working abroad for 12 to 18 months before they return to the UK.

Kui has been with the project for 12 years, starting just after he finished university. He has been part-time, full-time, mentoring coordinator and young leaders in the community coordinator. You may well have seen him out and about with a group of young people litter picking (Kiu is 3rd from the right in photo), at Highbury Orchard, on graffiti patrol, supporting activities on the village square or at the short date food sessions. Kui was a quiet, patient worker who built relationships through his ability to listen and trust young people.

He also had a creative side and came up with interesting names for activities and events and also invented imaginative games with a purpose.

Farmers Markets on Kings Heath Village Square Saturdays September 5th & October 3rd 9am—2pm

Message from our Vicar

Dear friends and neighbours, we are delighted that Church services have begun again at All Saints.

We hold a service of Holy Communion at 10am each Sunday

Due to careful spacing of seating, numbers are limited to around fifty people. It is possible that we will have say when the service is full. David will bring Communion to anyone who wishes to receive in the Square at the end of the service.

In Church, as things stand, face masks are worn and, while we eniov live music. congregational singing is not yet allowed. We welcome all ages. but cannot yet provide separate groups or activities for children. We invite children to bring their own aids to reflection, art materials, books or toys if they wish.

The Church is also open on Thursdays 10am-noon for personal prayer.

We continue to pray for our neighbourhood, street by street, and for schools and businesses re-opening around the parish. I look forward to seeing you again. David

All Saints Elders Lunch Club

Since the beginning of lockdown we have kept in contact with Lunch Club members with regular phone calls and these have been much appreciated. It is good to know that they are all coping well with the restrictions.

On the 19th August we delivered 20 afternoon tea boxes, full of sandwiches, cake, pork pie, sausage roll and a little fruit. These were kindly paid for by the Make a Difference fund. run by Brian Clucas, and we are very grateful to him.

All the lunch club members were delighted. We enclosed a little note



explaining, and with the hope that we will be able to meet again one day.

With many thanks to the volunteers who helped to deliver all the boxes. As usual they didn't hesitate to offer their help!

Crocheted Animals

Gill Cole has been spending time replenishing her stock of crocheted animals to sell on the **Farmers Market** and at the Crafters' Fair before Christmas, and now has over 100 awaiting buyers.



She is always happy to make animals on request, so do order early for Christmas or for that special birthday. She can be contacted at gillcole@lineone.net All proceeds from sales go to the Crafters' fund for special church projects.

All Saints Centre The New Normal

All Saints Centre has been closed to the public since the beginning of the lockdown and will remain closed for the foreseeable future. This is because we are unable to guarantee meeting the necessary hygiene standards required to prevent the spreading of the Covid-19 virus.

The most obvious result of this is the closure of the café. We are expecting that the café area will re-open in a different form, which will be run by a new business. Plans are being developed for the re-opening of the All Saints Café in another part of the site some time in the new year.

All Saints Youth Project Still Supporting Young People

Since March ASYP has been supporting young people on-line, telephone including counselling, and through activity packs. This means we have had contact with over 100 young people. We have also offered support to parents. We are very pleased to say that in August we were able to run a summer scheme outside in the back centre car park, in small groups and socially distanced. This has enabled the young people to meet each other and the staff in a safe environment. !5 young people attended in the mornings and 15 in the afternoon for 2 hours over 4 days and 3 weeks. The staff team were very glad to be seeing the young people and the young people were very excited to see each other and to be able to share their experiences and thoughts with evervone.

Due to a small grant from Hall Green Help Micro Fund we were able to provide fruit and personal water bottles. The staff planned a number of activities but the young people were more than happy to talk to each other and play some games and guizzes. They were all very careful about keeping to the rules and could be heard around the site laughing and

enioving themselves, saving "it's great to be back" and "lovely to see friends again". We are all looking forward to being able to re-open some of our sessions in September and will continue to run our on-line and telephone support.

Inclusion+ (our activities for young adults with learning disabilities and additional needs)

Since March we have been contacting our Inclusion+ members online, telephone and through visits. We have also offered support to their parents/carers. In August we were able to offer 2 sessions on a Friday. with 2 groups of 10 for 3 weeks. Socially distancing, following guidelines and outside when possible our members enjoyed karaoke, games, bingo, disco but mostly being together again after so long. As one parent said "this has made such a difference to my son". We are exploring how we can reopen our usual Wednesday sessions in September.

During this difficult time the youth project staff have been working hard in very new circumstances, having to learn new skills and develop new ways of working.

Our main aims were to ensure we kept contact with young people, that we listened to how they were **COMMUNITY** feeling and that we offered support.





