

**DIARY HIGHLIGHTS FOR APRIL**

- ◆ **Classical Guitar Concert—Saturday 24th April** at 7.30pm in Holy Trinity Church. An *Evening of Easy Listening of Music for the Classical Guitar* with Bart Pickford & Gaynor Samms, two very accomplished guitarists. £6 on the door to include light refreshments. All proceeds to Dales Heart Cardiac Support Group.
- ◆ **Tansley Film Club—Tuesday 27 April**—*Looking for Eric*, directed by Ken Loach and starring Eric Cantona. Film starts at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. Non-members welcome (£4 per person).
- ◆ **Tansley Parish Council Meeting— Wednesday 28th April**, 7.30pm at the Fête Field Pavilion.

**WHIST DRIVES & BINGO - WHY NOT COME ALONG AND JOIN IN?**

Do you know that there are whist drives and bingo nights every week in the upstairs room of the village hall? Whist drives are held on Thursdays and Saturdays, starting at 7.45pm, while bingo is played on Tuesdays from 7.30pm. Marjorie Ramwell, who runs both activities, says it would be good to attract some new faces. If you would like to join in either or both of these activities, please contact Marjorie on 01629 583530.

**ONE PLACE LEFT ON PUPPY TRAINING COURSE**

This 4PAWS six-week course, for puppies aged 3-12 months, starts Saturday 3rd April in the Village Hall (9.30-10.30am). Phone Victoria Broomhead on 07886 500 514 for details. As we went to press there was one place left.

**SATURDAY MORNING WASTE COLLECTIONS AT THE GATE  
April 2010-February 2011**

Tom Connor of The Gate has provided details of the council's Saturday waste collection dates in the pub car park through to February 2011. The waste collection lorry will be there from 7.45am to 9am on the following Saturdays:

17th April 2010	21st August 2010	4th December 2010
19th June 2010	16th October 2010	19th February 2011
31st July 2010		

*Do you know about the Tansley Times—available weekly from Holy Trinity Church? Try it! It's a good read—church news and a little extra, served with a dash of humour and humanity. Written by Denys Gaskell.*

**TANSLEY HOTWIRE  
NEWS IN PRINT**



**TANSLEY VILLAGE HALL TO CLOSE FROM 12TH JULY FOR 12 WEEKS**

The main hall will be closed to enable the first part of the restoration project to go ahead—this will comprise the rebuilding of the toilet extension and remodelling of the front entrance. Work should be completed by 3rd October.

The upstairs room will stay open; whist drives and bingo will run as normal.

As well as resolving structural defects, the restoration work will provide three ladies toilets, a toilet for disabled users and a front entrance without steps for access by everyone, including those in wheelchairs. The Village Hall Committee hopes that the closure, planned for the hall's quiet summer period, will not inconvenience people too much.

**TANSLEY PLAYERS PLAN PARTY TO CELEBRATE 30TH BIRTHDAY**

The party will be held in the Village Hall at 7pm, Friday 14th May 2010. Everyone is welcome. The Tansley Players wish to celebrate this milestone with all the people of Tansley and with any past members who are able to attend.



There will be an exhibition of photographs, posters, programmes, scripts and other memorabilia, plus free drinks and light refreshments. The party will provide an opportunity for you to see what goes on during productions of plays and pantomimes. Music and dance mats will be available. If you are interested in finding out about future productions - or have children who wish to get involved - then please don't miss this opportunity to discover more. For further information, please phone Bev Oates on 01629 582154.

## TANSLEY HOTWIRE – NEWS IN PRINT

**Who is it for? What do you think of it?  
Would you like it to continue?**



This first issue of *Tansley Hotwire – News in Print* brings you information issued recently (or soon to be issued) on the *Tansley Hotwire* email service. *News in Print* is specifically for Tansley residents with no Internet access.

Please note, however, that the newsletter is being produced on a trial basis and on less than a shoestring. The plan is to produce three trial issues over the next few months and then reassess the situation in response to demand, funding possibilities, and people's willingness to help. If all the right boxes are ticked, a newsletter like this one could appear regularly throughout the year. Exactly how frequently is yet to be decided.

### Help is required!

Would you (or anyone you know) be willing to

- drop off or pick up items from the printer in Matlock?
- distribute the newsletter to certain outlets in the village? (There will be no door-to-door delivery as most people can receive news via email by contacting [tansleyhotwire@googlemail.com](mailto:tansleyhotwire@googlemail.com))

Even if you can't help produce the newsletter, you can make a difference by letting us know whether you find this first issue useful. Your comments could help determine whether this project makes it past the experimental stage.

**Ring Jane on 01629 580869. Or write to: Tansley Hotwire, Fir Cottages, Church Street, Tansley DE4 5FH**

## ROYAL ASCOT LADIES DAY & KNIGHTSBRIDGE closing date for booking is 6th April

This two-day tour, taking in Royal Ascot Ladies Day & Knightsbridge, is being organised by The Gate Inn and departs on Wednesday 16th June. Please ring Hilary Connor on 01629 583838 if you would like a place. The closing date for booking is Tuesday 6th April, with payment required in full by Tuesday 13th April.



## PRIDE IN TANSLEY GROUP—SUPER SUNFLOWER COMPETITION

This competition, organised by the new *Pride in Tansley* group, is free and is open to everyone. Closing date is 5th September 2010. There will be prizes for the tallest plant, the biggest flower and the best group. Entrant age groups are: up to 7, 8-11, 12-15 and 16+. Entry forms from Tansley Primary School or The Hawthorns, Gold Hill. For details ring Chris Knightley on 01629 584243.

*Pride in Tansley* is looking at ways to improve the village environment. The group, set up initially with a view to improving Tansley's standing in the East Midlands in Bloom competition, now has wider aims. Next meeting: Monday 19th April at 7.30pm at Yew Tree Cottage, The Knoll. If you would like to participate please ring Teanie Dornan on 01629 583862.

## CONGRATULATIONS TO MARJORIE & PETER RAMWELL!

Marjorie & Peter Ramwell recently celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary. On March 16th, Tuesday Club members returned from a mystery outing to find a surprise celebratory tea laid on by Marjorie & Peter in the village hall.

## TANSLEY VILLAGE HALL PIGGY STILL PUTTING ON WEIGHT!

As of 3rd March, the Village Hall Piggy's contents total £57,849, including pledges. New contributions included a £25,000 legacy from Mrs Beryl Uprichard, who also left £30,000 to Holy Trinity Church.

