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Dear Readers,

So far it looks like we're set for a sunny June with temperatures hovering around 20c, just perfect in our opinion! We hope that you plan on making the most of the fine weather and enjoying the great outdoors!

This month we've got tent tips if you're planning on dusting off the ol' canvas and heading out for a weekend get-away. Or if more gentle outdoors pursuits are more appealing, have you thought of taking up fishing with 'Go Fishing Day' to inspire you.

With fairy things to make, doggies at work and playful banana pops to keep you cool, we think that June is going to be a whole heap of fun! We hope that yours is too.

Enjoy our June issue!

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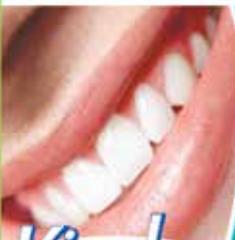
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World Cup Winners?

by Perry Deakin

Well it is almost upon us; the greatest sporting event on the planet – The FIFA World Cup.

We have waited four years since the last one and the opportunity to exorcise those demons (you've forgotten haven't you, blocked out the pain of Luis Suarez making a fool of Gary Cahill and putting us out of the tournament much earlier than should have happened to a country of our football heritage).

Four years of waiting for the newspapers to publish their World Cup charts with every fixture listed so that we can plan our entire lives around the games we want to watch, 4 years of waiting for confirmation of when our BBQ's will need to be, 4 years of waiting for a reasonable excuse not to go to that family in-law gathering 'because England are playing' and 4 years of waiting for even Colombia versus Japan to be the most important thing ever!

The World Cup does strange things to us – we become very patriotic, revel in the failure of Scotland, Wales and both Irish teams to qualify for the tournament and find ourselves earnestly discussing England's chances with friends and family members who normally show no interest whatsoever in the sport. We attach the cross of St George to our cars and

sing those World Cup anthems on-mass as we prepare for the big kick-off and convince ourselves a little more each day that England can win it – we can, cant we?

Talking of football anthems, we all have our favourites. Personally, I think that World in Motion and Three Lions are by far the best football songs ever written but you may have a different opinion – I'm singing them as I write though, so we must be getting close!

Of course, FIFA are doing their best to create mayhem at the tournament – we already have the issues around how Russia won the bid to host the tournament and their on-going problems with football violence, racism and high level corruption (topics for another day), but FIFA have recently announced VAR (Video Assistant Referee) will be used throughout the tournament (despite not being able to tell exactly how it will be used) and that red cards can be issued at half-time and up to an hour after the game if footage reveals red card offences.

Surely the biggest, richest and most prestigious sporting event in the world should not be introducing last minute changes to their laws before they have been tested and wrinkles ironed out – I predict mayhem at some point – there

are referees at the tournament who have never worked with VAR in their domestic leagues so will be learning 'on-the-job' – absolute lunacy!

Also, with the new retrospective red card laws I look forward to fuss caused when a player scores in the first half only to be red-carded at half time for an offence unseen at the time but picked up by cameras – can you imagine the chaos.

But let's look on the positive side – we qualified top of our group, haven't been beaten in an International for a very long time (Think Iceland, now stop thinking about it!) and we have a young, fit and talented squad of players. If we play with pace and passion I believe the semi-finals are possible – and who knows from there, but I will be seriously annoyed if we go out before the quarter-finals – we're better than that.

So; if Harry Kane has his shooting boots on, Raheem Sterling learns how to finish, Dele Alli recaptures his form and Jordan Pickford repays the faith being shown in him – who knows!

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By The Barn *by Angela Sargent*



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Although there is increasing automation and mechanisation in the agricultural industry, it is a clever robot that can decide a strawberry is just at its peak. That is why farming is quite labour intensive – many people come here from overseas to pick fruit and vegetables.

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BANANA POPS

You'll need:

- ripe bananas
- dark, milk or white chocolate
- colourful sprinkles
- chopped nuts
- fruit yogurts
- wooden lollypop sticks
- greaseproof paper
- a baking tray
- space in your freezer to fit the tray!

Method:

- Cover your baking tray with a piece of greaseproof paper.
- Cut your banana in half and gently insert a lollypop stick into each cut end. Do this with as many bananas as you wish.
- Place each half banana on the baking tray and pop into the freezer for at least 3 hours until the bananas are frozen.

● When the bananas are frozen, melt some chocolate and dip each banana into the melted chocolate, or if you prefer, dip the bananas into fruit yogurt instead.

● Rest each coated banana back on the lined baking tray so that they aren't touching and sprinkle each banana with the topping of your choice, sprinkles or nuts... get really creative.

● Put the tray back into the freezer until the chocolate is set or the yogurt coating is fully frozen.

● When fully frozen, the banana pops can be removed from the tray and stored in the freezer in a ziplock freezer bag to save space.

● Try not to eat too many of these delicious treats! But do enjoy the guilt free feeling when you do!

● **TOP TIP:** If you want even more dense coverage for your sprinkles or nuts, put them in a small cup and when you've dipped the bananas in the chocolate or yogurt, dip them straight into the topping and then rest on the tray.

● **BE INVENTIVE:** If you're feeling adventurous, why not try stacking smaller pieces of bananas with strawberries onto the lollypop stick? Or instead of dipping the bananas drizzle the chocolate on with a spoon.



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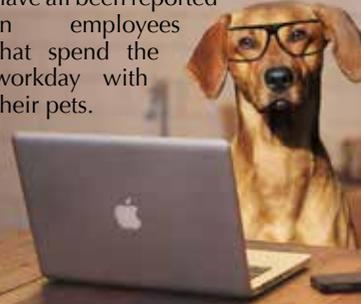
'Bring Your Dog To Work Day' is an annual nationwide event that raises money for charities dedicated to making a difference to the welfare of dogs. On Friday 22nd June,

businesses from across the UK will welcome their dog loving employees into the workplace, along with their loyal four-legged companions, all in the name of charity. It's the fifth national event of its kind.

All proceeds this year go to dog rescue charity 'All Dogs Matter', a charity that rescues and rehomes more than 300 dogs a year and has three members of staff. The dogs in their care are either strays, are relocated from pounds, or simply come from owners who can no longer keep them. A mixture of foster homes and kennel spaces are used to take care of the dogs. Above all, the day promises to be a lot of fun for all those involved. It's time to give your dog a job!

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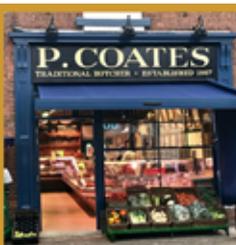
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The closing date for entries is the 17th of July, and the winners will be announced in our August edition.

Good luck to everyone who enters!



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As we head into the summer, a few bumps and scrapes are bound to happen as babies and young children explore the outdoors. It pays to be prepared for any eventuality...

TOP TIPS FOR SAFE OUTDOORS FUN:

- Avoid insects - teach your children to leave insects alone and keep footwear on.
- Check your surroundings - broken glass, nails, sharp corners can be hidden dangers.
- Drink plenty of water - dehydration can be dangerous so keep your children topped up.
- Be water safe - never leave a child unattended near water or near a paddling pool.
- Keep a kit - always carry



plasters, sting relief ointment, sun-cream, a hat and water with you.

- For anything more serious, it pays to familiarise yourself with baby friendly First Aid.

CHOKING:

1. Slap it out. Lay your baby face down on your thigh and support their head. Give up to five back blows between their shoulder blades with the heel of your hand.
2. Check their mouth. Lay your baby on your thigh face up. Carefully pick out any obvious objects with your fingertips
3. Squeeze it out. Using two fingers, give up to five downward chest thrusts. Check the mouth. If the obstruction hasn't cleared call 999/112 for emergency help

4. Call 999/112. Take your baby with you and call 999 or 112. Repeat the above steps 1 to 3 until help arrives.

STOPPED BREATHING:

1. Call 999/112 for emergency help. If you're alone, give one minute of CPR before calling on a speaker phone.
2. Breathe. Open the airway. Put your lips around their mouth and nose and blow steadily for up to one second. Give five initial rescue breaths.
3. Pump. Using two fingers in the centre of the chest, give 30 chest compressions at a rate of 100-120 per minute.
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Art Classes

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WEDNESDAY 20TH JUNE

1st Burton Guides

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THURSDAY 21ST JUNE

New Beginnings

Mature Singles Friendship Group. If you enjoy the theatre, meals out, walks, cinema, activities, holidays/outings and general socialising but don't want to do it on your own, then New Beginnings is for you. Come and join us to make new friends. Meeting each Thursday 8pm at Fradley Arms (on A38) - feel free to just come along or contact Sue for further details Tel No: 07742 801681

FRIDAY 22ND JUNE

Friendly Fridays

Friendly Fridays, aimed at those living well with dementia and their carers. Brewhouse's cosy cinema space at 1.30pm. We enjoy music with low lighting and controlled sound levels with tea and biscuits.

SATURDAY 23RD JUNE

Central Stage Academy

Performing arts class in Barton under Needwood. We will be offering both drama and singing classes for young people as well as performance opportunities, LAMDA speech and drama exams and LCM singing exams. Please contact us to book your child's place on either: 07957 461 569 or info@central-stage.co.uk. For more information please visit www.central-stage.co.uk or find us on Facebook at Central Stage Academy.

SUNDAY 24TH JUNE

Barton Family Festival

From 1pm till 6pm (Last entries to Teddy Rides 5.30pm) Barton Family Festival is a unique event It takes place over the weekend of 23rd and 24th June 2018. There is something for children, parents, grandparents and other adults to enjoy. Come and join in the fun which takes place all around the village.

MONDAY 25TH JUNE

Disco & Street Dance Classes

Fun classes and expert tuition for 8 to 12 year olds in Burton every Monday. Call Pat Miller for more information: 07973 478444

TUESDAY 26TH JUNE

Stretton 60+ Group

Every Tuesday 12.45 to 3.00pm. Social for all aged 60 and over. Join us for a friendly chat, a cuppa, a short game of bingo and occasional trips. Just come along - you will be very welcome. Fresh faces and new ideas needed. Everyone welcome. £1.50 paid weekly. Bingo 25p for 3 games. Contact: Mrs Jane Brooks Tel: 01283 531748

WEDNESDAY 27TH JUNE

Priory Art Group

We are a small friendly group of artists meeting at the Priory Centre, Church Road, Stretton, every Wednesday morning, 9.30 to 12 noon. New members are always welcome, whatever your level of experience, so why not come and have a chat to see what we have to offer. Contact Sandra: 01283 329743

THURSDAY 28TH JUNE

Dance Roulette

An adults only fitness dance class based at alrewas village hall every Thursday evening. Two classes starting at 6:45pm and 8:00pm. 1hr each, £5. Booking at : www.tcidanceschool.com/dancerouletteuk

FRIDAY 29TH JUNE

Friday Friends

Waterside Community Centre, Stapenhill Sequence Tea Dance every Friday at 2pm. Admission £1.50, includes Tea & Biscuits and free raffle. New members welcome in a friendly atmosphere. Contact: 01283 543023

SATURDAY 30TH JUNE

Sloan's Supper Club

3 Course fine dining. £30 per person. 01283 565192. sloanscatering@hotmail.com

Music for a Summers Evening

7.30pm a concert of Choral Music for a Summer's Evening will be performed by Beatus, directed by James Foulds, at St. Helen's Church, Etwail, DE65 6LP. Tickets: £7.50 - including wine and canapes from 01283 813377, 01283 732961, in church or at the door.

Alrewas Open Gardens

Saturday 30 June and Sunday 1st July, from 1pm to 6pm each day, featuring 24 venues with 17 varied and interesting gardens to enjoy, including BBQ (from 12 noon) and Teas, plant stalls, raffle, musical and craft artists, free children's treasure hunt and free car parking! Admission by Programme £5.00 per adult (valid for both days, accompanied children under 16 free), located on the A38 between Lichfield and Burton, near the National Memorial Arboretum.

SUNDAY 1ST JULY

Richard Wakefield Summer Fayre

11am - 2pm. Joining us we have a vintage pop up tea room, ice-cream van, Burton Albion Charitable Trust, stall holders and much, much more. £2.00 entry, under 16s FREE! Contact: richardwakefieldprimarypta@gmail.com

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TUESDAY 3RD JULY

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First Tuesday of every month. £1.00 admission this includes refreshments at half time. Raffle and Tombola available to add to the fun of the evening. All proceeds are directed to Queens Hospital to provide the extras for patients and staff. Contact: Julie Hammond Tel: 07517126935

Bingo

Held on the first Tuesday of every month at Burton Town Hall. Doors open 6pm, Eyes Down 7.30pm. Admission £1, with Tombola and Raffle. Free Refreshments.

WEDNESDAY 4TH JULY

Burton Abbey WI

Meeting at the Brewhouse on the first Wednesday of the month at 10am to 12 noon. Good Speakers, refreshments, also days out organised. New members welcome. For more information contact Pauline Gaskin 01283 565620

Barton-Under-Needwood WI

1st Wednesday of every month at The Village Hall, Crowberry Lane. Meeting 7.30-9.30 with good speakers, refreshments and fun. Organised events and trips throughout the year. New members and visitors always welcome.

Find more events on our website

THURSDAY 5TH JULY

Friendship Circle

Meets at 7.30 pm on the first and third Thursday of every month in the schoolroom at the rear of Stretton Methodist Church. We meet for activities, speakers, trips and friendship. All are most welcome. For further information contact Iris on 01283 546909.

FRIDAY 6TH JULY

Burton Flower Club

We meet at The Priory Centre, Church Road, Stretton, DE13 0HE at 7.30pm. Visitors are welcome £4, for information contact 01283 704180/348754.

SATURDAY 7TH JULY

French With Songs

French with songs, games and fun for children nearly 4 - 9 years, Saturday morning classes in Lichfield at the Tesco community room. Baby and toddler class too - learn to sing 'Wind the Bobbin up' in French! Email juliesfrenchclasses@gmail.com.

SUNDAY 8TH JULY

Rolleston on Dove Open Gardens

From 1pm to 6pm. 12 gardens open around the village, teas, plant stall, raffle. Programmes, to permit entry to all gardens £4, available from Starbuck's News or Church Lychgate and participating gardens on the day. Any queries telephone 01283 813320

MONDAY 9TH JULY

Red & Ginger's Lindy Hop Dance Class

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TUESDAY 10TH JULY

Branston Womens' Institute

Our meetings are held the 2nd Tuesday of each month. We are a friendly group and try to mix our meetings with interesting talks, craft, trips and social events. It is for ladies of any age. Visitors are most welcome. Contact Mrs Barbara Reeves, President, Tel. 01283 546536

Walton-on-Trent WI

Every 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7.15pm Walton - on- Trent WI. We are a small friendly group who meet in Walton Village Hall. Come and join us for fun, friendship, learning and sharing. For more information contact Joan on 01283 713380

Burton Dance & Social Club

We invite and welcome anyone over 18 years of age. We meet every Tuesday Evening 8-11pm at Marstons Sports and Social Club, Shobnall Road, Burton-on-Trent. Activities include sequence, ballroom and line dancing to professional live music, bingo, raffles and food nights. Come along and join us and meet new friends. For more information contact Pauline: 01283 519159

WEDNESDAY 11TH JULY

Stretton & Claymills Women's Institute

From 7.15pm-9.30pm in the Priory Centre in Stretton. We meet on the second Wednesday of the month. First meeting is free and we are a friendly WI which has super trips and events and new members are warmly welcomed.

Quiz

Every Wednesday evening at Rolleston Club. Weekly free quiz, open to members and non members. Prize is six drinks tokens. There is a play your cards right game for £1 entry. Contact: Claire Tel: 01283 01283 812072

Kraftiz

Rosliston Forestry Centre - 10am-12noon - Join Julie for a craft activity including staining and card making. Adults and children welcome. Please call 01283 480272/ 07971 268943 for more details.

THURSDAY 12TH JULY

Burton Belles Women's Institute

From 7.15pm-9.30pm. We meet at the St Chads Centre DE14 2SS on the 2nd Thursday of the month. First timers can visit for free and then you can decide whether to pay £4 a month or £41 a year. Come along, make new friends, try something new and have fun. Contact: Wendy Plant Tel: 07772548230

FRIDAY 13TH JULY

Bingo at Barton Bowls Club

On the 2nd Friday of every month. Members guests and new members always welcome. Eyes down at 8pm followed by Kids Chocolate Bingo. Come and have a laugh! The more there are, the bigger the prize!

Sloan's Spanish Evening

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SATURDAY 14TH JULY

Summer Fair at Abacus Care Home

Abacus care Home on Rolleston Road are holding a summer fair on 14th July 2pm till 4.30 pm 50p entrance fee. On the day there will be lots of stalls including bric a brac, tombola, bottle stall, toy stall, book stall, card stall, Jewellery stall, refreshment stall and many more. There will be lots of fun & games for the children with a bouncy castle, splash for cash, hook a duck, skittles, face painting, splat the rat and many more. We are also having the boxer from Burton on Trent Frazer Clark who will be making an appearance so make sure you come down to Abacus Care Home 42-44 Rolleston Road Burton DE13 0JZ on 14th July 2-4.30pm for a fun day out for all the family.

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Friendly Fairies

The 24th June is Fairy Day! Do you believe in fairies? Most of us have seen or read Peter Pan and remember clapping, to say that we did. Well, here is a fun craft to share your love of fairies with friends and families.

Fairy gardens are charming and a perfect DIY project to do with your children. Many of the materials you need, you likely already have on hand, such as a clay pot or other large container and small plants. Here are some fairy garden ideas for indoors and outdoors!

Tree House

Stick ice-cream sticks together to make a



door! Add a small button for a doorknob and stick the door to the base of a tree trunk to make the tree look like a fairy home! If you're adventurous, you could even have a go at making lollipop stick windows and use scraps of old fabric for curtains!

Teacup Garden

Put some soil and moss in a teacup and plant with the tiniest flowers you can find. Maybe place some dolls furniture in it for the fairies to sit in, and if the weather's sunny, use a cocktail umbrella as fairy shade!



Toadstools

No fairy garden would certainly be complete without a toadstool or seven! Use some modeling clay to make rough bowl shapes and sausage shapes. Let them harden and paint them an array of magical colours. When the paint is dry, stick the sausage part upright in the garden and balance (or glue) the upturned bowl on the top for the mushroom cap. Make these as big or as tiny as you like.



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Camping Clever

Many of us have a tent languishing in the loft or at the back of the garage. Camping can be a really fun and cheap way to have a summer get-away. If you're tempted to get outdoors, here's some tips to set up your temporary home in a super easy jiffy!

Read the instructions...

If you're like us, it's probably been a while since you set up that tent, so familiarise yourself with the 'How To', it'll save your sanity in the long-run.

No instructions!...

Do an Internet search. Many manufacturers' instructions are available online.

Put up the tent at least once...

Don't wait until your camping trip to learn about pitching a tent! Try it in the privacy of your garden. If you don't have a garden, visit the nearest playground or park. Here's what to do:

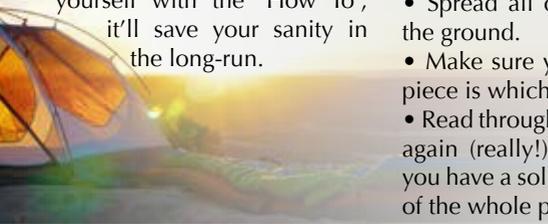
Unpack your tent...

- Spread all of the pieces on the ground.
- Make sure you know which piece is which.
- Read through the instructions again (really!) and make sure you have a solid understanding of the whole process.

- Okay. Now you can begin! Follow the manufacturer's instructions exactly, in the order they are given.

At camp...

- Remember to bring along the instructions - and use them!
- Arrange to arrive at your camping spot early in the day. You don't want to be setting up a tent when you (and the kids!) are tired and hungry. You definitely don't want to be pitching a tent in the dark. (Remember, though, life does happen - and you probably will find yourself setting up camp in the dark someday. That's why you did all that practising at home! You now know your tent so well that you can pitch it in the dark!).



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4			7	9			6	
	2			5	4			8
3		4	5			6		9
1				8	6			
	5		9		7			

Sudoku is a logic puzzle where you follow one simple rule:

Simply fill in the boxes so that the nine rows, the nine columns, and the nine 3x3 squares all contain every digit from 1-9.

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