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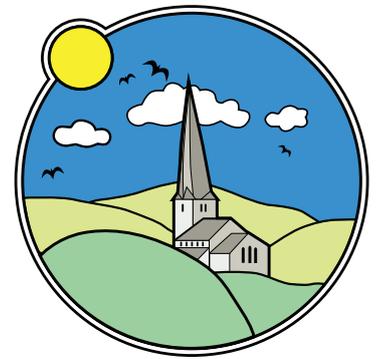
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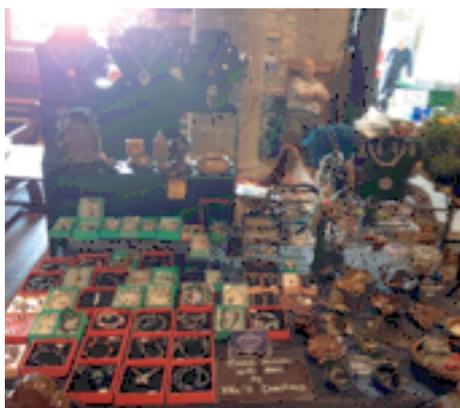
I've been out of action for the majority of August so my report this month will be sketchy! However, "the Girls" have been fantastic in my absence, especially Vicki, who has covered for me and Sam, who needed to go on holiday for some of that time!

I have kept my ear to the ground and I know that the centre has trundled along quite nicely and it was still standing when I returned on Monday... so all good!

We approach September now and look forward to staging quite a few courses (busy time for us now until December!) Emergency First Aid at Work, Food Hygiene, Manual Handling and Sage all ready to roll for September and all virtually full!

The Girls, had to manage the Cleobury Country Farmers Market this month themselves and a great job they did! There were 185 visitors compared with 197 last year, so pretty average in terms of visitors and 18 traders attended compared with only 11 last year! We saw the lovely return of Victorian Farm Butter (Mary!) this month. She is a real crowd puller and entertains everyone superbly! Another returner was the Shropshire Honey lady who has the most delightful local honey, hopefully she'll return next month as I missed buying a jar!

And a warm welcome was given to Ella's Creations, who came along for the first time and will hopefully become a regular!



Lots of ideas for Christmas!

Again in my absence, Sam looked after the Business Networking meeting, which this month was "jolly month", so we visited Cleobury Mortimer Golf Club and sampled some cider and chips! Graham was his usual brilliant host and with Peter along to steer the evening, a great time was had by all! Back to the centre next month as we all knuckle down to a few months of proper work after the ease of the last two because of school holidays!

Cheers

Clare Todd



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Chips & Beer !

Well we had a lovely time at Cleobury Golf Club this month tasting the new Oldfield's Orchard cider from Hobsons and the chips from Graham and the family. A lovely relaxed evening where networking was secondary to friendships.

Except of course that's exactly what networking is about - creating friendships.

Whether business comes from the event or not the list of contacts from such an evening is always the obvious result, but actually creating the atmosphere for people to know you and then happy to refer you is always a slower process, but worth the effort!

Hence it was great to see so many people who have visited the networking event for so many years and have simply a nice evening.

If you haven't been before try our September meeting - you will find a friendly bunch, a relaxed atmosphere and of course free chips!

What more do you want?

See you then

Peter Roper

The Family Business Man

p.s. "And Remember... If I Can Help You In Any Way Just Let Me Know!"

SUMMER DIARY



What's On?

Cleobury Chiropractic Back Class 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Professional Speakers Association

Food & Ale Trail 2015 registration

Cleobury Library Consultation Drop-in Evening 7.30pm

SAGE Level 2 course 9.15am - 12.15pm

Cleobury Chiropractic Back Class 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Business Networking Meeting 6pm - 8pm

SAGE level 2 course 9.15am - 12.15pm

Cleobury Chiropractic Back Class 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Cleobury Country Farmers Market 9.30am - 12.30pm

Food Hygiene L2 9am - 4pm

Emergency First Aid at Work 9am - 4pm

Manual Handling 9am - 1pm

SAGE level 2 course 9.15am - 12.15pm

Cleobury Chiropractic Back Class 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Where is it

Cleobury Country Centre

Cleobury Country Centre for
"Boot Camp"

Cleobury Country Centre

St Marys Church

Cleobury Country Centre

When is it?

4th September

4th September

5th September

10th September

11th September

11th September

16th September

18th September

18th September

19th September

21st September

23rd September

24th September

25th September

25th September

Networking Cleobury Style: 19th August

This month was "Jolly Month" so the regulars at Cleobury Mortimer Golf Club were:-

There was a newbie: Mary Southall from Citibase Ltd.

And the regulars were: William Withers from Crystal Thought, Nigel Dobson-Smyth from Wyre Forest Cottage, Paul Stedman from Cagnet Training, Bill White from Bill White Nurseries, Branson Poyner from Branson Automotive, Dave and Graham Pain from Cleobury Mortimer

Golf Club, Mike Webb from Sun RG and Sue Brown from Cleobury Chiropractic.

Thanks for coming everyone, see you all next month!

CHIPS SPONSORED BY

The chips were kindly sponsored by Cleobury Mortimer Golf Club



Information on Cleobury Mortimer Parish Council can be found on their website: www.cleobury.org.uk, by 'Liking' their facebook page or following them on Twitter.

BUSINESS COURSES

Cleobury Country offers a wide range of courses to suit small businesses....

HSE Emergency First Aid at Work – 25.09.15

This course is suitable for anybody. It's a day course (9am-4pm). At the end of the course successful delegates will be able to:

- Act safely, promptly and effectively in an emergency and administer first aid
- Cardiopulmonary resuscitation promptly and effectively.

Assessment is ongoing throughout the day.

On successful completion of this course delegates will be receive a Certificate valid for 3 x years.

Level 2 Food Hygiene – 21.09.15

This course is suitable for anybody who is, or intends to be food handlers. A food handler is any person who handles food, whether open or packaged. The food can include drinks and ice. It's a day course (9am-4pm).

Assessment is carried out by multiple choice examination. ON successful completion of the course delegates will be certified by the Royal Institute of Public Health.

CIEH Principles of Manual Handling – 24.09.15

This course is suitable for personnel who are required to lift, push, pull, carry or move loads as part of their work activities. It's a half day course (9.00am-1pm).

Assessment is carried out by a multiple choice examination. On successful completion of this course delegates will be certified by the Chartered Institute of Environmental Health.

AAT Level 2 Sage – 10 week course starting in Sept

During the course the learners will learn how to:-

- Enter accounting data at the beginning of an accounting period
- Record customer transactions
- Record supplier transactions
- Record and reconcile bank and cash transactions
- Use journals to enter accounting transactions
- Produce reports
- Maintain the safety and security of data held in the computerised accounting systems.

The Course will be run over 9 x consecutive weeks, 3 x hours per week.

Assessment is carried out by an exam under controlled conditions at an assessment centre in Kidderminster.

Principles of COSHH level 2 – 29.04.15

This course is aimed at those who use substances hazardous to health at work and introduces students to the hazards associated with those substances, the risks and controls available and what to expect from a COSHH assessment. It's a half day course (9am-1pm). Assessment is by means of a 30 question multiple choice examination.



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Invitation to a new networking event!

Peter Roper and I are launching a 4Networking event at the Granary Pub.

The Granary is located: Heath Lane, Shenstone, Kidderminster DY10 4BS, England, on Wednesday 23rd September.

The meetings will be fortnightly, from 8.00am to 10.00am.

Everyone is welcome to come along and see if the 4Networking style is something you might enjoy.

I joined 4N in March of this year, and from the first meeting I was hooked on the structure of the meetings.



Basically each meeting you go to you will get the following structure:

- Meeting Starts 8.00am.
- Bring a roller banner to display.
- Open Networking until 8.30am.
- Breakfast and 40 second round.
- 4Sight speaker, pre-booked slot where a 4N member will speak for 20 minutes about something interesting!
- Book three ten minute one to one meetings with people in the room you want to speak to.
- Meeting comes to a prompt close at 10.00am.
- Feel free to continue networking.

William

We are fully booked for the first meeting on the 23rd September, so if you would like to come along to the next meeting on the 7th October, please get in touch with me and I will book you on!

Breakfast costs £12, which members pay on the day. Choices are Full English, Vegetarian or Continental

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Cleobury Country
presents...

Farmers
Market

Market Dates for 2015

Saturday February 21st
Saturday March 21st
Saturday April 18th
Saturday May 16th
Saturday June 20th
Saturday July 18th
Saturday August 15th
Saturday September 19th
Saturday October 17th
Saturday November 21st
Saturday December 19th

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