



# DONYATT DESPATCH

## Donyatt's Own Newspaper - April 2022

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### Friends of Donyatt Despatch Gathering

A big thank you to the Friends who joined the editorial team on 15<sup>th</sup> March, for a social evening of chat, laughter and a few drinks. Sadly many of our usual attendees were unable to be with us on this occasion, but we hope to see them at our next gathering.

This time the prize drawn was won by:

1<sup>st</sup> prize - garden container planted with spring flowers - Julie Millard

2<sup>nd</sup> prize - chocolates - Cynthia White

The continued support of all those who are part of our Friends scheme is very much appreciated, as they are helping to keep Despatch viable, by contributing to the associated printing costs.

If you wish to join our Friends scheme, please contact one of the Editors - contact details over.

### St Mary's Church Donyatt

#### SERVICES FOR APRIL:

3rd. Service of the Word. 10am. Sylvia

17th. Holy Communion. 11am. Rev Phil\*\*

24th. Holy Communion. 11am. Rev Deborah

#### \*\*EASTER DAY SERVICE:

Our Easter Day service will held at 11am rather than the usual time of 9.30am on Sunday 17th April and officiated by Rev Phil.

#### FLOWERS:

Please could the flower ladies decorate the Church

on Saturday 16th April ready for the Easter Sunday service.

Thank you so much for your continuing support and for making our Church beautiful for celebration services.

#### BOOKS:

We would like to thank all who have donated books at the Church but we cannot accept more at present as we have plenty for the time being. Thank you

#### CLEANING AND ALTAR FLOWER ROTA:

End of April — Lesley Tacon End of May — Trisha Hands

Volunteers are still very much needed please. Contact Trisha if you could help on 01460 249734.

**Thank you so much**

### DONYATT SOCIAL CLUB SKITTLES LEAGUE

Correct on 19<sup>th</sup> March 2022

TEAM	PLAYED	WON	LOST	POINTS
Sea Boys	4	4	0	8
Upper	5	4	1	8
Park	6	3	3	6
Peasmarsh	5	2	3	4
Pound	5	2	3	4
Lower	6	2	4	4
Sea Follies	5	1	4	2

### 100 CLUB WINNERS FOR FEBRUARY

**1st - Phil King**

**2nd - Andrew Watson**

**3rd - David Light**



**EASTER SUNDAY 17<sup>th</sup> APRIL**

### THIS MONTH'S SPONSOR IS

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or call George on 07795 403510

**Donyatt Village Hall Committee**  
**Notice of Annual General Meeting**  
**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April 2022**  
**at Donyatt Village Hall ~ 7.00pm**

### Your Village Hall is Important

Anyone is welcome to join us for the AGM. The village hall is a community resource, which relies on volunteers for its management and upkeep. We have vacancies on the committee and would welcome interest from anyone, but especially women and young adults, who are willing to give a few hours a month to assist with the care of the village hall.

Donyatt Village Hall is a Registered Charity Number 304530

**Lego Club**

Sunday 3rd April ~ 10am to 11am  
Donyatt Village Hall  
£2 per child

Everyone welcome  
Look forward to seeing you

<https://www.facebook.com/LEGOclubDonyatt/>

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♣ Donyatt Social Club ♦  
Whist Drive

♠ Starts again ♣  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April ♠  
Fortnightly at ♠  
Donyatt Village Hall ♠  
7:30pm start ♦  
£3.00

♠ Contact John for more ♠  
details on 52129 ♠

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**Donyatt Despatch  
Sponsorship Scheme**

There are still available sponsorship slots for 2022, so if you have an enterprise to promote, or would just like to support our village 'newspaper', please consider taking sponsorship. The monthly rate is still £20, for a feature on the banner and a 7cm x 8cm text box.

To reserve your slot, please contact one of the Editors - details below.

**PLOUGHMANS LUNCH:**  
Venue: Donyatt Village Hall  
Date: Easter Monday- April 18th  
Time: from 12 - 2pm  
Fee: £8.50 for 2 course lunch & tea/coffee  
\* Also a raffle \*

Volunteers and/or donation of  
a salad dish would be appreciated.  
Please contact Trisha- 01460 249735.  
Thank you very much

**A Thank You From The Editors**

We would like to extend our thanks to a very kind reader, who in March, made a very generous donation of £50 to Donyatt Despatch. This is very helpful and much appreciated.

Although the editors give their time free of charge, we rely on our Friends and Sponsorship schemes and occasional donations like this one, to help cover the running costs, thus keeping our village publication in print.

**THE DONYATT EASTER BINGO  
EGGSTRAVAGANZA IS ALMOST  
HERE!**

**AT DONYATT VILLAGE HALL  
FRIDAY 8th APRIL 2022**

Doors open 6.45pm Eyes down 7.30pm  
Each book of 10 games £1  
Good Prizes for Line and Full House  
Raffle - Light Refreshments Available  
Why not bunny hop along and join us?  
Bring your friends, nibbles and a drink.  
To book a table phone  
Phil on 01460 53861

**Organised by the DVH Committee.  
All proceeds to the Hall Improvement Fund**

**T-Cosy - Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April - 2.30pm  
Donyatt Village Hall**

Why not come along for a cuppa, a nibble of some  
homemade goodies and a good chat. Everyone welcome, so  
hope to see you there.

**GEMINI**  
GENIUS CLUB

**Gemini Big Breakfast**  
Sunday 10th April

9am to 12pm (and every second Sunday  
(last orders 11:30am) of the month)

Takeaway options available  
Donyatt Village Hall, TA19 0RG

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

- Sun 3 April - Lego Club - DVH - 10am
- Fri 8 April - Easter Bingo - DVH - 6.45pm
- Sun 10 April - Big Breakfast - DVH - 9am
- Sun 17 April - Easter Sunday
- Mon 18 April - Ploughman's Lunch - DVH - 12noon
- Tue 19 April - Whist Drive - DVH - 7.30pm
- Wed 27 April - T-Cosy - DVH - 2.30pm
- Thu 28 April - DVH Committee AGM - DVH - 7pm

*Happy Easter!*

To All of Our Readers

Best Wishes From the Donyatt  
Despatch Editors.

**CLOSING DATE:** Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April for the May Edition  
Please email your contributions to **BOTH EDITORS** LISTED BELOW, Thank you  
All contributions welcome

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