We would like to say a big thank you to the Quedgeley Community Trust for the £250 grant which the Trust agreed to give us to finalise a new kit order for our football club; Kingsway Rovers FC.

In terms of background of the club, we were formed by a group of school friends who wanted to offer the community a local alternative football club to Quedgeley Wanderers and offer players an increased opportunity to represent their local community through football. The club currently play its trade in Stroud and League District Division 2 (1st team) and Division 4 (Reserves) and enter the season with brand new kit, partly funded by the Quedgeley Community Trust.

As much as the article is a thank you to Quedgeley Community Trust, we as a grassroots amateur football club rely heavily on the support of our local community, local groups/trusts and the local council. We would not be able to function in the manner we do, as a football club, without the support of the local community in general. Thank you for supporting your local side and we look forward to seeing you down at Kingsway Pavilion for one of our home games!

Please visit our social media pages (Facebook: Kingsway Rovers FC, Twitter:@KingswayRovers, Instagram: @Kingswayroversfc) for regular club news, match reports, general updates and to continue seeing those glamorous kits pictured here!
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Some interesting and varied meetings have also been booked for the rest of the year, including our Christmas Lunch in December, followed later in the month by our Christmas get-together at the Village Hall when we hope to be enjoying mince pies with our tea and being entertained with Christmas carols.

If you are over 60 and would like to become a member, please come along. We meet on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 1.30 p.m. at Quedgeley Village Hall. For further details please contact Terry Prosser (Vice Chairman) - Tel. No. 01452 725331 or Sue Lovell - Tel. No. 01452 724620.

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**Sunday 27 October**
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10.30am to 12.30pm (ish)
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Severnvale WI

At our meeting this month, after the long break in August, we had a Speaker, Paddy Hannigan, who told us all about Suffragettes and the Votes for Women and how it all began.

It was most interesting and he covered a lot in the time allotted.

Our next meeting is on 1st October and thereafter the first Tuesday in each month from 10 am to 12 pm. We have mostly Speakers but on occasion have time to get together for a chat.

We have three outings a year and several Cinema visits and other events. We are a friendly WI group and welcome visitors.

If you would like to join us please contact our President, Lorraine on 721762 for more information.
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We would like to give a special thank you to City Councillors Richard Cook and Jennie Watkins for their generous £300 donation for the set-up costs and for their continued support. We would also like to give a special thank you to Tots ‘n’ Toys for their donation of £50 from their bake sale. This money will be put towards a bat detector for KWSG so more children (and adults alike) can enjoy finding bats on our evening walks through Kingsway.

We even have our own Wild Tots t-shirts available to order. These are great to protect clothes from our wild activities. If you would like to order one please email us (kingswaywsg@gmail.com) or come and see us at an event.

However, we need your help.......  
Currently we store the equipment in our homes and to bring it to the Orchard every week, which takes us a total of 10 hours between us and a rather early start....!  
So firstly we are looking for ways to store our equipment, we are speaking to the Town Council who are trying to help, but there is no guarantee this will happen..... If you are able to help us with storage please do contact us (KingswayWSG@gmail.com)

Secondly, we urgently need volunteers to help set up and pack away, it doesn’t take long (many hands make light work after all!) and it would be greatly appreciated. It doesn’t matter if you have children or not, we set up with our own Wild Tots... it keeps them entertained!

But finally, we’re delighted to announce that the group has been so successful and well supported that we will continue to run through the winter months on a fortnightly basis (weather permitting), our Facebook page (@Kingsway’swildtots) will keep you updated on our plans.

We look forward to seeing you and your Wild Tots at our next session with lots of new and exciting activities.

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At Saint James’ this year we shall be holding our Harvest Festival at our family service on the 6th October at 10.30am.

We shall be asking for Food Donations towards the Gloucester food bank. It is a worthy cause that supports those in our community who are unable to feed themselves. There are many reasons why people are reliant on hand out donations such as these.

We have only to look at the storms recently that have struck in the Caribbean. People and their possessions so easily parted, families torn apart and killed, such is the tragedy. People suddenly find themselves in need, without food or shelter at a blink of an eye. We also should not forget those in some of the war stricken countries of the world where suffering is at its greatest.

As we move towards winter we also need to think not only of those who are on the streets, Gloucester Mission do a terrific job, but those who are elderly, living alone and can’t get out much. We all need to be good neighbours and keep a watch and help in any way we can.

When Jesus was asked by his disciples as to when they had seen him hungry, in need of clothes or sick – his response was sharp and direct ‘Whatever you do to the least of these my brothers you do unto me’
We all reap what we sow and with God's help, let's pray that in some small way we can help and support others in our everyday lives. The rewards of our 'harvest' may not be seen in this life but I do believe the harvest will be brought 'home' to us in life eternal.

With every blessing

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To crochet or not to crochet, that is the question.
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At our last Branch meeting the speaker spoke about the "K" Boats in WW1, It was a very interesting talk.

Several Branch members and the Branch Standard took part in the Gloucester Day Parade through the City Centre. An honour to take part along with other Veterans and various other groups and dignitaries.

The year has gone by so quickly and soon we will be organising the Poppy Appeal for 2019. the theme this year is Remember Together, especially our Commonwealth and other allies. Again we will be collecting in Tesco and Aldi so anyone wishing to help our will be welcomed. Please contract me on 729960 for information.

Again another reminder for our AGM ON Wednesday 9th October 7 30pm at Hardwicke RBL.

The Tuesday Club trip to the dean Forest Railway with a cream tea is now full.

Dates for your Diary

- Tuesday 27th September Tuesday Club
- Wednesday 9th October Branch AGM
- Sunday 27th October Poppy Plod 1100am
- Wednesday 13th November Branch Meeting
- Tuesday 26th November Tuesday Club Christmas Dinner
- Wednesday 11th December Branch Meeting

New members to both the Branch and the Tuesday Club always welcome

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Branch President

Year 1 Class Boys & Girls

Under 6s

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Hello from Wild Hogs.

Well by the time you read this we'll be into Autumn and maybe we'll be slightly less busy in the hospital. We've had the busiest summer ever, and by half way through August had treated as many hedgehogs as we did in the whole of 2018. So many of our patients this year have been orphaned or abandoned babies, often three or four in a litter – very time-consuming for our volunteers. We've had good success rates though, and have released many back into their original locality. Yet still they arrive – second litters now – so the hospital is still almost full to capacity. As the Autumn descends upon us, continue with leaving food and water down for the hedgehogs and please don't panic if you see one out and about in the cold weather, it's much better to leave them out in the wild rather than them live in rescue, although we are more than happy for you to ring us to check. If we do have consecutive frosts however with the ground being continually hard and you see in particular small hedgehogs

We had a wonderfully successful Open Day in August. Strangely we didn't have great expectations as the weather forecast was pretty awful. However, we made arrangements to use the Village Hall rather than only our own driveway, and so many people braved the rain and wind to come and support us. Shortly after 11am when it opened, the hall was packed and people were queuing to get in. Despite the gazebo outside the hospital collapsing in the squally conditions, we calculated that about 250 people took the chance to have a guided tour inside, before returning to the hall for refreshment. As well as a good selection of cakes and the usual tombola and bric-a-brac, we had activities for children and some really lovely craftwork for sale. Many thanks to everyone who came along.
KINGSWAY SHORT MAT BOWLING CLUB

Short Mat Bowling has been at Kingsway Community Centre for almost 2 years and we are always on the lookout for new members.

Our current bowling sessions are on Tuesday afternoons from 1.30pm to 3.30pm and Friday evenings from 7.30pm to 9.30pm. Please feel free to call in during these times to see what it’s all about. We're a very friendly bunch and you would be made very welcome.

Short Mat bowls is a game suitable for all ages from around 8 to 100, so if you've never tried it before come and give it a go. Your first session will be completely free of charge, and if you should decide to join us it will only cost £2.50 per session which includes tea/coffee and biscuits. Where else can you go for 2 hours of fun for £2.50?

If you require any further information please call me on 01452 498078 or 07702 362821

Jan Jennings
Secretary
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Saturday afternoon after 1p.m. is available for bookings until 11p.m.
Also Sunday afternoon 9am - 10pm for party bookings

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Here we are already in October. Where is the year going? This is a busy time of year for your Town Councillors, thinking about projects and initiatives for next year, putting together the finer details for our always very popular Fireworks event and keeping up with normal business. You might remember in last months’ Quedgeley News we talked about Tilly who decided to do some litter picking for her local community. As a result of this we are pleased to provide the following message on behalf of a newly formed litter picking group who have aptly called themselves The Quedgeley Wombles!!

Following a lesson at Beech Green Primary School about caring for the environment, some of the youngest pupils of the school have been inspired to do some litter picking to help protect the wildlife and the planet and look after our community. Their parents and grandparents have been keen to support their enthusiasm. Quedgeley Wombles has formed as a result: a group which will meet on the first Sunday of the month, starting at the Quedgeley Community Centre at 2pm, to spend a happy hour litter picking in the area. The first session on 1st September saw 11 adults and children collect 6 bags of rubbish, mainly from two playgrounds, one on School Lane and the other on Bristol Road. We are grateful to Quedgeley Town Council who lent us their litter picking equipment.

If you would like to join us, we would love to see you. Find us on Facebook under Quedgeley Wombles! https://www.facebook.com/groups/2249431941845752/

The Firework Display will once again take place this year at Fisher’s Meadow. Gates will open at 5.30pm and the display will start promptly at 7pm. We aim to keep you updated by Facebook once we know when we plan on opening the office for ticket sales.
Planning Applications: A Snapshot

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Full minutes for Planning Applications can be found on our website under committees.

Armistice Day – Quedgeley Town Council is holding the Annual Armistice Day Service at the War Memorial in School Lane at 10.45am on Monday November 11th 2019. Everyone is welcome and there is parking available at the nearby Community Centre. Wreaths are welcome. The Service will be conducted by the Reverend Canon John Ward.

And finally, your Town Council could be on the move. We are in talks at the moment of possibly moving premises from School Lane to Unit 8, Quedgeley, by Matalan. Notwithstanding the fact that the council are keen to become far more visible, the current premises is proving not fit for purpose and so your Town Councillors felt that now was the right time to move to a far more central office which will service Quedgeley as a whole and will provide a better working environment for the staff and a better environment for visitors to the office. Cllr G Smith, Chair of the Town Council confirmed Our residents are important to us and we are failing in our duty if they do not know where to find us. We have been at School Lane now for some time, however it is hard to locate and the facilities are not fit for purpose and with the council growing, there is simply not enough space for both the staff and visitors. By moving we are hopeful that we will provide an even better customer experience to all of our residents. We are also keen to highlight the fact that all Kingsway residents fall under the umbrella of Quedgeley and as such can enjoy those services provided by the Town Council.

We would like to confirm that the move is subject to contract at this present time and once details are confirmed we will keep everyone updated. Telephone numbers will remain the same.

Chair, Graham Smith, Quedgeley Town Council

Committee Chairs, Cllr Steve Smith - Recreation & Amenities; Cllr J McAllan – Community Buildings; Cllr G Smith – Finance & General Purposes and Cllr J Powell - Planning & Development.

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There is a growing sense that we may not be alone in the universe. The idea that humans may one day make contact with other intelligent beings is promoted in many books, literatures and films. Believers in this idea are quite excited with the level of advancement in technology and telecommunications which would suggest such contact may not be far-fetched. However the human history is full of records of contacts with intelligent beings. The bible records that the human race was created by God and subsequently Angels have been sent down to earth to deliver messages to humans at various times. There is a record in Genesis 6 about relationships between humans and non-humans (sons of God) which produced offspring. In the pagan world there have also been records of contact between gods and humans. Some records even claimed that some of the gods had relationships with humans that produced offspring. Hence the idea that man may someday make contact with other intelligent beings is not crazy nor new.

The most important contact humans have made with supernatural beings is the contact between man and God. The bible records that after God made man He would often have fellowship with them. Sadly the relationship between humans and God broke down to the point that it became impossible for man to see God and live. This is because God is holy and we humans are sinful. The bible says God made all beings that have life in them whether they are humans, non-humans, animals, Angels, demons, Satan, gods etc and God reign sovereign over all. Out of everything God made he loves the human race so much that He sent His only begotten son, Jesus Christ, into the world. Since man cannot see God and live, Jesus came into our world as man – fully God and fully human. Jesus came to restore the lost relationship between God and man, so that we humans can again see the face of God and live. Jesus lived and taught humans how our creator (God) expects us to live and he revealed to us that God has a wonderful and beautiful plan for humanity and all of creation. Individually we can restore our relationship with God by putting our trust in Jesus.

A day is coming when all of creation, all of the universe will live at peace together. The bible calls it “the Lord’s day”, when Jesus will return to earth with all of God’s Angels and all those who died putting their trust in Jesus ( God will raise them back to life). A day when man and God will physically live together. The bible says “The wolf will live with the lamb, the leopard will lie down with the goat, the calf and the lion and the yearling together; and a little child will lead them.” There will surely be a contact with other intelligent beings at some stage in time but for that contact to be one of joy and not sadness it is important for us to put our trust in the son of God who will establish a kingdom on the earth that will never pass away.

If you want to know more please visit www.gracechurchquedgeley.org or Join us @10:15am every Sunday at Kingsway Community centre, GL2 2GT Gloucester. If you need prayers or want to join others in a prayer group visit us @7pm every Thursday at Kingsway community centre. For immediate conversation please call 07526041611. God bless you!
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### Stroud and District League Division 1 - Reserve Team

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- Good Friends, Quedgeley, Contact Jan, 01452 720889
- Treasure Seekers, Contact Craig Tucker, 01452 228489
- Quedgeley Social Club, 01452 541163
- Severnvale W.I, Contact June, 01452 724137
- Quedgeley W.I, Contact Pat Watts, 01452 502252
- Gloucester Wild Cats (cheerleading), Contact 01452 741711
Update from Quedgeley County Councillor Mark Hawthorne

First up this month, hopefully you will have spotted that the Bus Shelter on Fieldcourt Drive has been upgraded. Thanks to everyone who raised this with me. Let hope it doesn’t get vandalised again!

Talking of successes, as I mentioned last time I have been working with the council and the Canal and Rivers Trust to improve the Canal towpath linking Quedgeley with Hardwicke. Well I’m please to announce that this work was successfully completed last month, and is another great investment to what is a popular route.

I’ve also been contacted by residents regarding the removal of the 30mph speed markings along Bristol road between Aldi and Naas Lane roundabout. Sadly legislation has changed, and the previous markings are now illegal. However the good news is that I’ve got agreement to put some electronic signs up at both ends. These are on order and should be with us soon.

Talking of improvements, many will have spotted that work is well underway on improving the Cross Keys roundabout. This is a welcome investment, and one I’ve been lobbying to get done for a while. I’ll be posting updates on my facebook page as and when I get them, so give me a follow at @mark4quedgeley.

Finally there is a pot of funding available for youth activity in Quedgeley. If you or your organisation wants to place a bid, please get in touch!

As always, any issues or concerns please get in touch at mark.hawthorne@gloucestershire.gov.uk or give me a call at home on 309724. You can also follow me on Facebook @mark4quedgeley, where I regularly update with any news in and around Quedgeley.

Coach Trip to Houses of Parliament

Quedgeley Conservatives are running a coach trip to the Houses of Parliament on Monday 4th November 2019.

Leaving Quedgeley at 07:30 the trip will include a tour of the Houses of Parliament from an experienced tour guide and free time in London prior to the return journey at 17:30.

With Parliament due to temporarily leave the Palace of Westminster for refurbishment, this will be one of the last opportunities to visit Parliament before works commence.

Tickets are £25.00 and can be sourced from Duncan Hall. Tel: 01452 721 062 or Duncan.hall17@btinternet.com
Charlie’s Monthly Schedule (Daily Art Therapy)

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