

KITE FESTIVAL

Last year it was thought it might be the end of the line with the building of the Oasis Academy of Five Acres but we are pleased to hear that it is going ahead on 18/19 June.

We have been asked to take part again in the Kite workshop, which is a lot of fun, and any residents who are interested in joining us will be very welcome

There should be enough space for it in future. The School building work is proceeding and we will be interested to follow it's progress.



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**Next Open Meeting 7.00pm at Rozel Court
Thursday 24 March**

Interested in Family History?

**We will show how you can use the internet to
research and build a family tree,
with illustrated slides**

**All ward councillors and the Police are invited
We have invited the prospective new
councillors to attend, not to give a speech but
to identify themselves and hear about us.**

Free refreshments and Raffle

LANDSCAPING

Bark chippings have been spread around the shrubbery on most of the estate in an effort to keep weeds down.

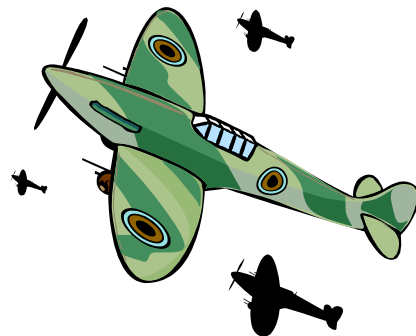
Back in February there was a major burst water main in the service road between Alderney Close and St Martins. It was repaired overnight. The water ran down to Jersey Close, where it went down the grids there. It left a lot of debris and sand. It was obvious that all the grids along the road were not taking the water away.

We have asked that they are cleared out and await action.

MITCHELL'S WINGS

It was well performed at Oaklands with a large cast, outnumbering the audience(?).

A good experience for youngsters to be involved in and maybe a step on the ladder to an Oscar. Did you see the flypast of the Spitfire later?



FAMILY HISTORY

With the 2011 census taking place at the end of this month, possibly the last one, it might be appropriate to hear how the previous ones from 1841 onwards have helped in finding out how you can search for details from the past.

Using our projector and screen Paul Hennessey will show how he has collected from local records and census details a profile of his Shirley Family from the 1900s. Fortunately he has a lot of photos passed down to him.

COACH TRIP



The first one to Stratford-upon-Avon on Sunday 8th May is fully booked.

How does Sidmouth in June sound? Should be sunny then!

More will be arranged through the year. Look out on our web site or contact a committee member.