

## Doxey Day - a real community event

Another Doxey Day is to be held in conjunction with Doxey Primary School PTA's summer fete. This will take place on

**Saturday, 8 July  
from 2.00 p.m.  
at Doxey School  
entry free**

There will be lots of things to do and see, organised by several different groups in Doxey including the PTA. There will be fund-raising stalls - try your luck on the human fruit machine - and a variety of displays. The three-dimensional model of Doxey which Year 4 have made will be on show as a basis for discussion about change in Doxey.

Of special note will be some novel and exciting games put on by the Parish Council. So, come along and enjoy yourselves in a variety of ways. Support the school and celebrate the good things which happen in Doxey.

This event is for everyone in Doxey - not just parents. Come along and make it a real community event.

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## Dance with a difference

This is your opportunity to take part in a workshop on Indian dance. There is no charge for this and all will be welcome, although children under 12 should be accompanied by an adult.

To learn some new dance moves come along to:

**St Thomas and**

**St Andrew's Church hall**

**On Saturday, 15 July**

**From 10.30 a.m. to about 11.30 a.m.**

## “A Novice's Guide to Good”

Through a tangle of ghosts and chips, Barb and Carol ride a roller coaster of emotions - is it worth it for just one lost soul? Who's helping? Who's hindering? Hang on to your Kiss-Me-Quick hats, snatch up your sarnies, grab your gratis wine and plunge headlong into this rollicking comedy.

This gives a flavour of the play in which the Etruria Café Theatre - a professional company from Stoke, perform in cabaret style with the audience seated at tables to which refreshments are served.

**The performance is on:**

**Monday, 10 July**

**at 6.30 p.m.**

**in St Thomas and**

**St Andrew's Church**

Tickets are £5 (concessions £4). Advance booking is essential. Call **Jane on 621453** or **Joan on 251622**.

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## How the pre-school playgroup Can help your child

Doxey Pre-school Playgroup is having an open day

**on Wednesday, 12 July**

**starting at 10.30 a.m.**

**in the hall of St Thomas and**

**St Andrew's Church**

Come along and see what the playgroup has to offer. You can also take the opportunity to book a place in September for your child.

The annual general meeting of the playgroup will take place at 9.30 a.m. on the same day. Parents of children at the playgroup are welcome to attend

# New editorial arrangements for Doxey Times

A change of editor for Doxey Times is planned. Fuller details will be given in future issues. What will happen right away, though, is that a new system for gathering news will be introduced.

If you have something to say or an event to announce you should send the information as soon as you have it and not wait for someone to ask you about it. You can email it to: [press@doxeyca.org.uk](mailto:press@doxeyca.org.uk) or call 251622. A form for use in announcing events will be available on the Community Association website: [www.doxeyca.org.uk](http://www.doxeyca.org.uk).

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## Mikron

Doxey's old friends the Mikron Theatre Company will be back in September with a performance of "Mrs Brunel" which is about the life and work of the great engineer Isambard Kingdom Brunel as seen through his wife's eyes. As usual, there will be the songs, the humour and the pathos.

The performance will take place:  
on Sunday, 24 September  
in the afternoon.

Look out for more information in later issues of Doxey Times or call **Jane on 621453**.

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## Pianists take note

Free to a good home: an upright piano, lovely tone, recipient collects. Ring 604233 for details.

## REMINDERS

**Coffee Morning** Every Monday 10.30 a.m. until 11.30 in the community centre in Sutton Drive. Drop in for a natter and a cuppa.

**Friendship group.** Next meeting Wed. 5th July, 2pm in the parish church hall, come along and make new friends over tea and biscuits.

**Digital photography.** Meet with others to develop your skills, No charge. Call 607771.

**Parish Council.** Next meeting Thursday, 13 July 7.00 p.m. at Doxey Primary School.

**Doxey Community Association.** Next meeting is on Wed. 12th July at 7.00 p.m. in the community centre, Sutton Drive.

**Life support project.** Learn how to save a life with one of our local doctors. Call Joan on 251622 for details, dates and times.

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## Book your trip to Blackpool

The trip to Blackpool has now been fixed for:

Saturday, 2 September  
leaving Stafford at 9.30 a.m. and  
returning by 9.30 p.m.

Prices are: Adults - £14.50; Seniors - £11;  
Children - £9

These prices depend on numbers, if we can fill a coach then the price drops to £10.00 per head and there will be some flexibility about the start and finish times.

Firm bookings must be received by 15 July. Call Dave on 600094. Full payment will be required by mid-August.

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