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**July August 2019**

**HALSALL PARISH COUNCIL**  
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## **THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST.CUTHBERT, HALSALL**

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**Parish Surgery: Anyone wishing to arrange a Baptism or Wedding should ring the Rector's Secretary to make an appointment. The phone number of the office is 0151 526 2292 and the office is staffed Monday-Wednesday 9.00am—1.00pm or you can email at:**

stthomassteph@btinternet.com

**The Sick: This parish is committed to the care of the sick. Names of those in need of this ministry, either at home or in hospital, should be given to Paul. The Blessed Sacrament (Holy Communion) is reserved in church and can be taken to the housebound or ill. Holy Oil is also kept for the anointing of the sick.**

**The Dying: Paul can be contacted at any time of the day or night in order to minister to the dying.**

### **Halsall St Cuthbert Hub website**

The website for the St Cuthbert Church community can be viewed at  
[www.halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk](http://www.halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk)

The website contains information about services and events, archive material including school reports, Halsall Parish Magazines dating from now and back to the 1800's, information and other general news updates.

It also provides a link to *Virginmoneygiving.com* where it is possible to donate to us online. On the spot updates are also available via the Facebook page.

We would love to hear from anyone who may wish to suggest other content that would be relevant and of interest to the community.

General enquiries about the site can be directed by e-mail to:  
[info@halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk](mailto:info@halsallstcuthberthub.co.uk)

The reader writes...

Hurray it will soon be the Summer Holidays! It's something most of us look forward to all year, a time for some free time, relaxation, peace and quiet. Sound like your holidays? No mine neither. We all have an idealised idea of what summertime is going to be like and although it is wonderful to enjoy, hopefully, the balmy days of summer it can become incredibly stressful. For those who have booked a holiday away from home, you can end up after all the saving, packing and cleaning the house from top to bottom before you go, (why do we do this anyway?), thinking to yourself why bother? Easier to stay home. But of course it isn't, and a staycation can be just as much hard work; especially if the weather isn't good and the family get bored!

I love the summer and I love holidays and I'm sure whatever the initial grumbles you will have a great summer. I just hope that in all the fun and bustle you all manage to get some proper rest. We Brits have high ambitions, dreams and goal, we are always striving, in fact we tend to be over worked and under – rested. The Bible tells us that proper rest plays a significant role in our ability to live the life that God intended for us. God has plans for each of us, but we can get so tired we are unable to fulfil our God given potential. In our hectic lifestyles, we, me as well, far too often neglect to take a moment to be still. The scriptures tell us to do so and with good reason.

As far back as the Psalms God speaks to mankind and says (Psalm 46:10), "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations I will be exalted in the earth". The Psalms can be inspiring, but it is the words of Jesus himself in Matthew 11:28-32 that really encourage us to be still and rest in Him. Jesus says, "Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart. And you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light".

My hope and my prayer is that you have a very happy summer holidays and when term or work starts again you will be truly refreshed, and just to remind you our beautiful church doesn't close for the holidays. The ministry team will still be there to worship with you and our contact numbers should you need us can be found in the Parish Magazine.

Best Wishes Glen.

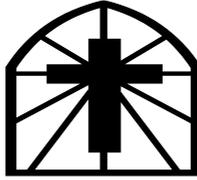
Ps. I have carried this travel prayer in my purse for many years I thought you might like to share it.

Travel Prayer

Lord protect us as we travel  
And lead us safely home.  
Look after all the family  
Wherever they may roam.

The world is so exciting  
And we're rushing  
Here and there,  
Be with us when we're sailing,  
On roads or in the air.





## **Sunday Services in the United Benefice for August**

### **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August – Trinity 7**

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	BCP Holy Communion	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

### **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> August – Trinity 8**

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

### **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August – Trinity 9**

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	BCP Holy Communion	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

### **Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August – Trinity 10**

8.00am	BCP Holy Communion	St Thomas'
9.30am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Cuthbert's
11.00am	CW Sung Eucharist	St Thomas'

### **Mid-Week Communion Services**

Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	St Thomas' Church
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	St Thomas' Church
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> August	10.00am	St Thomas' Church
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> August	10.00am	St Thomas' Church

## WARDENS AND SIDESPERSONS

July / August 2019



7th	Lynda Bramwell	Anne Grimshaw	Jim Critchley Len Davidson
14th	Stephen Henders	Elaine Ayre	Bill Banks John Wroe
21st	Lynda Bramwell	Colin Throp	Beryl Sephton Tara Kenyon
28th	Stephen Henders	Angela Webster	Ann Cushion Rebecca Ridley
4th	Lynda Bramwell	Anne Grimshaw	Elaine Ayre Philip Banks
11th	Stephen Henders	Elaine Ayre	Eileen Houlgrave Ann Critchley
18th	Lynda Bramwell	Colin Throp	Eleanor Wroe Enid Banks
25th	Stephen Henders	Angela Webster	Jim Critchley Len Davidson

## CHURCH CLEANING ROTA

July / August 2019



7th July	<b>A Critchley</b>	P Waterworth C Moss	S Waterworth E Robinson	K Twist M Mills
28th July	<b>P Carr</b>	E Houlgrave A Webster	E Carr J Aynsley	A Grimshaw
11th August	<b>E Wroe</b>	J Wroe B Knowles	K Mudd	J Rawsthorne
25th August	<b>E Banks</b>	N Donaldson S Roberts	M Webster	L Wilkinson

## CHALICE ROTA

July / August 2019



7 <sup>th</sup> July	Ann Cushion	Lynda Bramwell
14 <sup>th</sup> July	Tara Kenyon	Lynda Bramwell
21 <sup>st</sup> July	Elaine Ayre	Lynda Bramwell
28th July	Sarah Mitchell	Beryl Sephton
<b>August 2019</b>		
4 <sup>th</sup> August	Ann Throp	Lynda Bramwell
11 <sup>th</sup> August	Gwyn Williams	Lynda Bramwell
18 <sup>th</sup> August	Beryl Sephton	Lynda Bramwell
25 <sup>th</sup> August	Diane Comfort	Colin Throp

## SANCTUARY LIGHTS



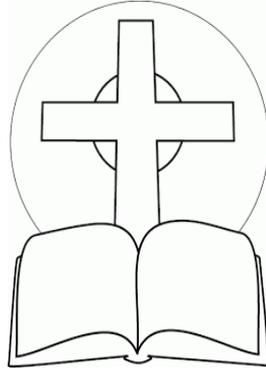
### JULY

- 1st Norman Rhodes (Birthday)  
3rd Vivian Osmond Weights  
(Birthday)  
3rd Catherine Bullough  
3rd James Edward Cheetham  
(Birthday)  
5th Walter Herbert Bullough  
6th Nancy Alnsough  
(Anniversary)  
6th John Prescott (Birthday)  
7th Annie Marshall (Birthday)  
7th John Huyton  
12th Jane Walsh (Birthday)  
12th Clarice Hall  
14th Michael James Yule (Birthday)  
16th David John Cruikshank  
18th Mary Serjeant (Birthday)  
18th George Henry Porter  
19th Jack Williams  
19th Sarah Ann Heaton (Birthday)  
25th Mrs E Tesseyman

### AUGUST

- 4th John Rees Howel  
9th Margaret Haldane (Birthday)  
11th John Harold Grimshaw  
(Birthday)  
18th Edith Elizabeth Welch  
(Birthday)  
18th Ernest Serjeant  
21st Gladys Mary Morris (Birthday)  
22nd Sarah Critchley  
25th James Balshaw  
25th Dennis Knowles  
26th James Hilton (Birthday)  
27th Ernest Serjeant (Birthday)  
29th Roberts James Critchley  
(Birthday)

## HALSALL FROM THE REGISTERS



### BAPTISMS

12th May 2019

Beatrix Eveline Cunningham  
Summer Blossom McConnell Smith  
Orla Skye McConnell-Atkinson  
Arya Star McConnell-Atkinson

### WEDDINGS

25th May 2019

Mark James Kenyon and  
Jayne Hannah Lea

### FUNERAL

13th May

Barbara Berrington

## **NEWS FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL**

### **PLANNING**

2019/0487/FUL - Sports Pavilion And Memorial Playing Field, Halsall Road - Extension of existing play area and installation of new play equipment and fences.

2019/0501/FUL - Land Rear Of North Moor Cottage, North Moor Lane - New boundary fence and site access gate located at the entrance to the new residential development situated on North Moor Lane.

2019/0547/FUL - 30 New Cut Lane - Single storey extension at front, pitched roof to replace flat roof to existing single storey extension at rear and installation of new first floor windows at rear.

### **PARKING ALONG SUMMERWOOD LANE**

Cars parking either side of Summerwood Lane at school times and when funerals and weddings are taking place at St Cuthbert's are causing an obstruction and prevent large vehicles, including the emergency services from passing through.

Please use the Memorial Hall car park whenever possible.

### **PARKING ON NEW STREET NEAR TO THE JUNCTION WITH CARR MOSS LANE**

This is creating a dangerous situation for cars trying to turn out of Carr Moss Lane because their line of sight is obstructed and we would ask that people refrain from parking so close to the junction before a serious accident occurs.

### **PARKING ON CARR MOSS LANE NEAR TO THE JUNCTION WITH LINEKAR DRIVE**

Once again the Parish Council would ask people to use some common sense when parking their cars and not to park so close to the junction as to restrict residents of Linekar Drive from being able to see oncoming cars approaching from both directions when exiting the drive.

### **PARKING ALONG SEGARS LANE**

Cars double parking and parking on pavements are causing problems along Segars Lane. Can residents please park in their driveways if possible and leave enough room when parking on pavements to allow prams and wheelchairs to get through.

## **NEWS FROM YOUR PARISH COUNCIL continued**

### **Parish Council Meetings**

The next Parish Council Meeting will take place on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2019 at 7.30 p.m. at St Aydan's Hall, Renacres Lane, Shirdley Hill, Halsall.

**Please note: If you wish to make audio or video recording, or take photographs of the meeting please phone Dave Bond, Parish Clerk on 01704 534090 or email [davebondhpc@aol.com](mailto:davebondhpc@aol.com) in advance of the meeting so that this can be arranged in an organised manner in order to minimise any disruption.**

A full list of Councillors and contact numbers can be found toward the front of the magazine.

**The Parish Council Website** [www.halsallparish.com](http://www.halsallparish.com) includes agendas and minutes of previous meetings.

**For information:**

### **BUS SERVICE - 315 ROUTE DESCRIPTION**

From ORMSKIRK Bus Station via Moor Street, St Helens Road, Park Road, Aughton Street, Prescott Road, TOWN GREEN, Town Green Lane, Winifred Lane, AUGHTON, Turnpike Road, Formby Lane, Birches Brow, Broad Lane, DOWNHOLLAND CROSS, Delf Lane, Altcar Lane, Black-a-Moor Lane, School Lane, HASKAYNE, Wanisar Lane, Southport Road, BARTON, Hill Brow, New Street, HALSALL, Halsall Road, Renacres Lane, SHIRDLEY HILL, Heathey Lane, Birkdale Cop, Moss Road, SOUTHPORT, Bentham's Way, Town Lane, Scarisbrick New Road, Eastbank Street and Lord Street to SOUTHPORT Lord Street (Leicester Street Stop).

Returning from SOUTHPORT Lord Street (Union Street Stop) via Lord Street, Eastbank Street, then outward route reversed to ORMSKIRK Bus Station.

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**USE IT OR LOSE IT**

## **The Parish Council**

The very name Parish Council suffers on two counts, firstly it's redolent of the Victorian era and secondly it can give rise to the misconception it's in some way connected with the church. Whilst the latter is definitely not the case, it was Gladstone as Prime Minister in 1894 who introduced a Local Government Act establishing Parish Councils as the first tier of Local Government.

There have of course been many changes since then but the basic concept remains the same and up and down the country some 10,000 Parish Councils see as their prime function the safeguarding of residents rights and the improving of conditions and services at a local level.

To be an effective tier of local government, the commitment, skills and contribution of individuals serving as either elected or co-opted Parish Councillors is required. The good news is that these are non-political posts, by and large Parish Councils are apolitical, preferring to simply act in the best interests of the residents. Halsall Parish Council has a long and distinguished history and to ensure that continues, we need to expand the existing team.

### **Key Responsibilities of a Parish Councillor**

Councillors, acting together as the Parish Council, have responsibility for running certain local services such as public open spaces, play areas, village halls, community car schemes and potentially many more depending on the area.

Deciding how much to raise through the precept in order to deliver services for which the Parish Council's is responsible.

Influencing and shaping long term development policies for the Parish, and as part of the overall planning process, commenting on planning applications made within the Parish.

Improving the quality of life and the environment in the local area.

Working to identify issues which are important to the lives of the residents you represent, traffic, street lighting and drainage are examples

Working to bring about improvements through local projects, lobbying other service providers and working in partnership with other Parishes, local authorities and agencies.

A Councillor agrees to attend insofar as is possible all meetings to which she or he is summoned, normally 11 or so per year.

Councillors acting as a team are responsible for the financial decisions made. In addition, as individuals, a key task is to bring local issues to the attention of the Council, participate in debate and help the Council to make decisions on behalf of the local community.

Halsall Parish Council has 2 vacancies at present.

If you wish to apply to be co-opted onto the Council please contact Dave Bond, Parish Clerk on 01704 534090

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School  
Sat 6th July  
2019

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and lots more!!



## Itinerary

12 pm: Parade  
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## Halsall St Cuthbert's Sunday School



Our last Sunday school before the summer break will take place on the 14<sup>th</sup> July. Weather permitting we hope to have a picnic either in the gardens or at the playing field.

Tara Kenyon and Ann Cushion

# What's On!

<b>Club/Group</b>	<b>Meetings</b>	<b>Contact</b>
<b>Archery Club</b>	Sunday 2-4pm St Cuthbert's School Winter months.	Andy Yarnell 01704 870143
<b>Badminton Club</b> Over 16's	Thursday 7.30pm Halsall School	Margaret 01704 840305 Jim 01704 840908
<b>Halsall Community Group</b>	Various	E mail jomas- sam@hotmail.com
<b>Halsall West End Cricket Club</b> Boys and Girls Year 3 to Year 6	From April	Gary Southworth (Junior Players Co-ordinator) 07957731796
<b>Crown Green Bowling Club</b> All ages	Saracen's Head Halsall Monday/Tuesday Thursday/Friday	Linda Hodge  01695 575875
<b>Halsall Village Proud &amp; Tidy Group</b>	Various working parties around the village.	Eleanor Wroe 01704 841216 Or Enid Banks 01704 567654
<b>Shirdley Hill Environment Group</b>	Various See Halsall News	Dave Corfield 01704 840705
<b>Luncheon Club</b>	St Aiden's Hall Shirdley Hill	Sylvia Corfield 01704 840705
<b>Meditation</b> Monthly Meetings	Contact Jenny for details	Jenny Pearce 01704 840117

<b>Club/Group</b>	<b>Meetings</b>	<b>Contact</b>
<b>Shirdley Hill Residents Association</b>	Various See Halsall News	Dave Corfield 01704 840705
<b>St Cuthbert's Snooker Club</b>	Halsall Memorial Hall  Practice night— Monday	Gerald Neale 01704 841275 Or Jason Neale 07968228173
<b>Scouting</b>		
<b>Beavers</b>	Tuesday 6.-7pm St Cuthbert's School	Barbara Threlfall
<b>Cub Scouts</b>	Monday 6-7.30pm St Cuthbert's School	Sarah Coventry 07584 2337755
<b>Scouts Age 10-13</b>	Monday 7.30-9pm St Cuthbert's School	Charles Coventry 07887 685219
<b>Ferrets Explorer Scouts Age 14-18</b>	Monday 7.30 –9.00pm St Cuthbert's School	Sarah Coventry 07584 2337755

**This list is for guidance only please contact the organisers for more detailed information.**

**There is a charge to attend some groups or clubs.**


  
 Do you run a community group or sports club in Barton,  
 Halsall or Shirdley Hill?  
 If you would like it to be included in the 'What's On' list  
 e-mail the brief details of the group and contact details to  
 susanroberts2805@aol.com

## THE FUTURE OF SHIRDLEY HILL VILLAGE GREEN

The village green has for the past three years been maintained by a voluntary group of men and women. The men maintain the green, the pond, woods and wildflower beds whilst the women maintain the raised flower beds and boxes. Originally there were 5 male volunteers but after sterling service two have had to withdraw because of health issues and, of the remaining two are in their late seventies. They work a minimum of 7 hours per week spread over 2 days normally on Tuesdays and Fridays. They work in all weather conditions with the exception of torrential rain when they adjourn to the bus shelter until it stops. Therefore, we need more volunteers prepared to give up some of their time to keep the green looking neat, tidy and in good condition. The area of the green is approximately one and a half acres containing a pond, woods, wildflower beds, fruit bushes, apple and plum trees and large areas of lawn and grass and is encircled by a hedge that needs to be cut at least twice a year as if not it becomes a hazard to motorists who cannot see what is coming on the blind bend when turning right from Heathey Lane. The circular pathway on the green needs to be trimmed every two years to stop encroachment of turf from the centre. At present we cut that turf and lay it in clear parts of the wood with excellent results. Nothing is wasted. If there are more volunteers, then it would not be necessary to work the 7 hours per week as at present.

We mainly use our own equipment and sometimes adapt tools for particular jobs, so if anybody has some spare gardening tools that they want to get rid of then they will be of great help. Unfortunately, as there is no electricity supply on the green should anybody wish to donate power tools, they would have to be petrol or battery driven. At the moment we use a sit on mower kindly donated to us by a local lady resident and another owned by one of the volunteers. These are a necessity and can be expensive to maintain, also some of our equipment needs to be replaced. For example, when volunteers wearing waders remove reeds, algae and now a weekly problem of green slime on the surface the waders are beginning to leak.

Consequently, the last request is for cash donations. We have been refused by major charities purely because we don't own the land and having tried other charities, they appear to have the same provision. We now feel that without help, better maintained equipment and a financial reserve that we can't improve the green, particularly if an occasion arises where money is required that SHREW cannot finance due to other commitments.

**Anybody wishing to make a donation specifically for the upkeep of the green or to talk to us about volunteering can see us every Tuesday and Friday between 9.30am and at least 1pm and you will be more than welcome. Also, you can donate to SHREW via David Corfield on 840705. The future of the green is in the hands of residents so, if you can help, please do so.**



# **SHREW** SHIRDLEY HILL RESIDENTS ENVIRONMENT WORKERS

## **Best Kept Village Competition 2019**

Can you help us keep on top of litter, ask if you wish to borrow gloves, bags and litter pickers otherwise be careful when you pick it up and please put it in your own bin or give me a call if there is too much Thanks.

The work has now been completed on the new sensory garden we are getting ready to plant out with recommended sensory plants. We are very happy with the sturdy construction work.

The rest of the Green is looking great thanks to the hard work carried out by the Tuesday / Friday gang.

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## **Update from Halsall St Cuthbert's Primary**

### **Scarborough Holiday Year 6**

Despite the cloud and drizzle and wind, the year 6 had a really brilliant time on the residential holiday to the Grand Hotel in Scarborough.

They were scared out of their wits at the York Dungeon, they visited York Minster, walked the castle walls, spent an amazing day in Flamingo Land Park and Zoo, journeyed north to Whitby, visited the Whitby Abbey and the museum, watched Aladdin at the cinema (it was raining heavily then!) and did lots of shopping. As well as that, the group played on the beach most nights, went for a paddle, visited the fabulous York Air Museum, spent a morning on the slides at Bridlington's tropical fun pool, took a trip to Flamborough Head lighthouse and explored the incredible Bondville model village.

The children were brilliantly well-behaved and it was so nice to receive praise from people in the hotel, on our visits and from the public in general. They were consistently saying that the children were polite and well-mannered, pleasant to talk to, well-behaved and looked lovely in their red hats. We were so proud of them.

It was an exhausting but memorable week, full memories the year 6 will cherish forever. A big thanks to Mrs Tyas, Mrs Crane and Miss Hampson for their commitment to the holiday, for all their hard work and for looking after the children so well.

### **Iceland Expedition**

After having his mast damaged by several trawling vessels north of Iceland, Mr Bedwell's voyage was suspended for a short while. He is hoping to have his boat repaired quite soon and complete his round trip eventually landing in Whitehaven in late June/early July.

Well done to Mr Bedwell.

Due to the generosity of parents and friends, he has managed to raise about £2,700. This money will help to further improve the children's play equipment around the school premises.

## Classes in September 2019

When we return to school in September the class structure will be as follows :

Class L - Teacher Mrs Harrison

TAs Mrs King and Mrs Wilson

Class H - Teacher Miss Hampson

TAs Mrs Tyas and Mrs Strefford

Class K - Teacher Mrs Floweth

TAs Mrs Neale and Mrs Stevens

Class C - Teacher Mrs Crane

TAs Mrs McElhinney,  
Mrs Massam/Mrs Rees

Class G - Teacher Mrs Galley

TAs Mrs Green and Mrs Kendall

## Term-Time

School breaks up for the summer on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July at 2-00pm

School re-opens on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September at 8-55am (Breakfast Club from 8-00am)

D Scholes (Head Teacher)

Year 6 by Whitby Abbey





**The Silver Line**

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Summer is here – enjoy. Happy gardening.

### General Garden Tasks

Raise the cutting height of the lawn mower blades during hot dry spells.

Avoid watering the lawn, except a new lawn in long dry spells.

Prune & deadhead roses.

Prune philadelphus & wisteria.

Clip privet & other fast-growing hedges.

Continue taking softwood cuttings of shrubs.

Cut lavender for drying.

Keep on top of deadheading plants & perennials.

Divide old clumps of bearded irises & replant.

Plant autumn flowering bulbs.

Sow maincrop carrots, early peas, turnips, lettuce, radishes & spring cabbages.

`Stop` outdoor tomatoes.

Cut & dry or freeze herbs.

Tidy strawberry beds & grow spare plants from runners.

Harvest raspberries, redcurrants, blackcurrants & gooseberries.

Train a standard fuchsia.

Water & feed greenhouse plants more often now the weather is hotter & the containers are filling up with roots.

Provide more oxygen in ponds if necessary by thinning waterweeds or running a fountain.

Divide water iris.

### Watch out for

Cabbage white butterflies laying eggs on brassica plants.

Potato blight on potatoes & tomatoes.

### Plants in their Prime

Cornus Kousa. Cytisus. Deutzia. Phygelius. Spiraea. Yucca. Crocosmia.

Echinops. Lychnis. Agapanthus. Anchusa. Liliium regale. Penstemon.

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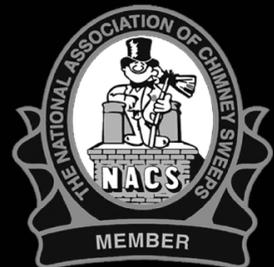
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