

Beckley & Area Community Benefit Society
The Abingdon Arms, Beckley

‘More than a Pub’ programme, provisional – November 2019

As new tenants will take on The Abingdon Arms in November, the programme remains provisional.
 Updates will be issued as arrangements are confirmed, and will be displayed on the BACBS website at
<https://bacbs.org/>

‘More than a Pub’ events		
Sunday 3 rd November	POETRY EVENING	6.00 for 6.30-8.30pm ‘Season of Mists’ – An evening of poems with the Next Step Poetry Group, guests John Daniel and Jane Spiro, and local contributors. Free entry.
Wednesday 6 th November	MEN OF BECKLEY LUNCH	12.30pm - first Wednesday of each month Contact Steve Smith for more information: barkbeetles@gmail.com
Thursday 7 th November	WOMEN OF BECKLEY LUNCH	12.30pm - first Thursday of each month for now Contact Sarah Smith for more information: beckleysarah@gmail.com
Friday 8 th November	COMMUNITY COFFEE MORNING	10.00–11.30am - second Friday of each month Coffee & cake £3.50. Come along, meet old and make new friends.
Sunday 17 th November	JAZZ SESSION	6.30-8.30pm - third Sunday of each month Band Frank Harrison (keyboard), Mark Hodgson (bass), guest soloist tbc - please check website link below Free entry, raffle. Cool sounds and a warm welcome.....
Sunday 24 th November	COMMUNITY WALK	2.00-4.00pm Meet at front of pub, returning for drinks afterwards. Walk leader Chris White. 4-5 miles, Noke circular route. Expect some gentle descents and ascents, maybe mud too! Dogs welcome.
Sunday 24 th November	LITERARY TALK	6.45 for 7.00-8.30pm ‘ <i>Littlemore Hospital: from Pauper Lunatic Asylum (1840s) to Mental Health Facility (1990s)</i> ’ – Prof John Stewart, Emeritus Professor of Health History, Glasgow Caledonian University
Wednesday 27 th November	COMMUNITY AFTERNOON TEA	4.00-5.30pm - last Wednesday of each month Afternoon tea with family, friends, neighbours.... Tea / coffee, home-made cake, biscuits £3.50. Table games available too.
OTHER EVENTS AT THE ABINGDON ARMS		
Wednesday 6 th November	Pub Quiz: 7.30pm – to be confirmed	
At our jazz partner pub -	The Butcher’s Arms, Wilberforce Street, Headington – Sharktown Jazz: first Monday of each month	
Monday 4 th November	8.30 for 8.45-11.00pm Joy Ellis, singer & pianist, with her trio	
KEY-		
Food & Drink	Music	Literature
		Activities

More information about MtaP activities at: www.bacbs.org

The Abingdon Arms - information, including table reservations, at: <http://theabingdonarms.co.uk/>