



VILLAGE DAY JULY 2017

The Preston Trust

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Treasured

Summer may not have blazed this year, but one sunny day to be treasured was Village Day, organised by the Preston Trust. A Treasure Hunt was added to the usual array of fabulous cars, stalls, dog show, and village band in the evening, with one Super Sleuth claiming the top prize.

Have Your Say

Much as Village Day was a success, we are considering a number of options for changing it next year including moving it to early Autumn or perhaps even giving it a sabbatical for a year. What do you think? Please email us with thoughts and suggestions. We know, for example, that the scarecrows were missed but if you'd like to see them back, can you commit to creating one?

Pick-up

We arrange two litter picks per year when we can come together as a community to blitz the whole village. Your next opportunity to do this is coming up fast - on **Saturday 21st October** meeting at The Green at 10am. Please do come along to make our village great again!

Free Cheese and Wine

Yes, you read that right, cheese and wine will be included as part of a short talk on the work of the Campaign For Rural England which takes place in the village hall this **Thursday 12th October** at 7:45pm. Do drop in to hear how the CPRE can help us as a village protect our wonderful surrounding countryside.

Turning Over A New Leaf

Preston Primary have completely refurbished their library so that students have a great new space to encourage them to leaf through lots of new books. This was a costly but worthwhile project as you can see from the picture below, so The Trust have made a significant contribution to enable this to be completed.



Chairs

Just in time for the new school term, The Trust contributed to some new chairs for the Village Hall since the old ones were showing how well used they'd been over the years - see picture of the bright new shiny chairs below.



Thanks for reading, and as ever, please do send us suggestions for anything you'd like The Preston Trust to consider helping with for the benefit of our treasured community.

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