

## A letter from the editor

Welcome to the autumn edition of your news letter. It has not been too bad a summer weather wise, at home we managed to get the barbeque out a few times and it was nice to enjoy the sunshine after such a harsh winter. I hope that you have all enjoyed the good weather and hopefully there is still more to come. It has been an action packed summer for our community. The Good Companions organised a wonderful day out for our older residents to Bridlington. It was a really hot day and all those that went had a lovely time. My mum and dad went and thoroughly enjoyed it; they walked for miles on the headland ending their day with some fish and chips, a perfect end to a day at the seaside.

We also had Rock in the Rec, the March and Hymn Contest and the Flower Festival. The Flower Festival was lovely, I went on the Monday night which was a glorious evening and I loved seeing so many flower displays in such a magnificent setting. I hope you all managed to see it. It was also a pleasure to see the new East Window, it is truly wonderful. I was stunned by its beauty and I simply stood for a while and admired it, the sun was streaming through it and the colours lit up the church. It was also poignant to see every name of those poor children who perished in the Huskar Pit disaster etched on it. I stood and read every name and thought of each child whose lives were so cruelly ended 171 years ago. It is unbelievable that the window was actually made in the church by volunteers who learned the art of glass making and design. Congratulations to all those involved, you must be deservedly very proud of yourselves. Jim Travis who organises the Flower Festivals retired as Church Warden in July. Included in this edition is an article dedicated to him and his achievements in his 22 years of office. The office of churchwarden has many responsibilities and Jim has discharged these with great care and affection.

I was sad to hear about the death of Hilda Woodward, for those Sheffield United supporters in the community, and I know there are a few! Hilda is Alan Woodward's mum, Alan was a right wing legend and played in the 1960's and 70's for the Blades. Hilda used to drive the bakery van around Silkstone and Silkstone Common. When Hilda drove into our close all the children would shout Hilda's here, can I have a bun! Even after Hilda retired it was still called Hilda's van to the bemusement of the younger ladies who took over Hilda's job.

Can you please put the Christmas Bazaar in your diaries, it will be held in the Parish Church starting at 2 p.m on Saturday November 20<sup>th</sup>. It's always a treat with many stalls, last year I bought some lovely old sherry glasses from the bric-a-brac stall. I also recommend the home made cakes and chutneys from the food stuffs stall they are a

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good purchase and I always make sure I buy some for Christmas. The chutneys and pickles are delicious with cold meats particularly turkey, I am not that bothered about turkey but it's not Christmas without it!

I hope that you enjoy this edition and remember this is your newsletter and if you have any local news please let me know.

Warmest wishes to you all and have a good autumn, the nights will start drawing in soon and then it will be Christmas! Doesn't time fly!

### **Silkstone Church Designer/ Makers Exhibition—Winter 2010**

This year the church is hosting a new and exciting 3 day designer/makers exhibition. In the church there will be local artists and crafts people demonstrating, teaching, exhibiting and selling a wide range of goods to suit all tastes—the perfect way to do your Christmas present shopping in a relaxed environment.

Disciplines include painting, sculpture, glass, woodwork, textiles, ceramics, metalwork and jewellery.

The exhibition will be open as follows:

- Wednesday 3rd November 7-10pm **Private Preview Evening**
- Thursday 4th November 10-7 **Open to public**
- Thursday 4th November 7-10.30 **Evening concert by Loxley Silver Band**
- Friday 5th November 10-7 **Open to public**
- Friday 5th November 7-10.30 **Evening concert by Worrall Male Voice Choir & guests**
- Saturday 6th November 10-5 **Open to the public plus children's workshops and activities**

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## Silkstone United U16

The team have had a terrific season, although not winning any silverware, arguably their most successful.

They reached the final of the Sheffield District cup. A keenly contested match held at the Hallam football ground (the oldest football venue in the country) saw their opponents Upperthong take a 3 goal lead midway through the second half. Silkstone mounted a terrific fight back scoring twice but time ran out and they lost 3 -2.

A month later Silkstone reached the final of the Huddersfield league cup having beaten the top four teams in the league to get there. Silkstone took a 1 goal lead into halftime but were caught out twice when Warley Rangers launched two long free kicks into the box and two headers gave them a 2 - 1 victory.

That left the team chasing the league title. However a slip up against the bottom team allowed Golcar to clinch the title and left Silkstone in a frustrated second place.

A hat-trick of runners up titles is still a magnificent achievement for a team that by and large have played together from U8 level. The team is to carry on but they will compete in the Sheffield and district u18 league next season.

Well done and thank you to the players Hamish Harrison, Tim Brooke, Sam Boswell, Will Hunter, Joel Matthews, Will Denton, Sam French, Ben Armitage, Jordan Painter, Jonny Roberts, Sam Askey, Perry Daulton, Tom Cocker, Nick Thompson, Alex Cook, Alex Rovira-Wilde, Lewis White.

## DEMENTED DENIZENS

by Brian Zaikowski



## **Retirement of Jim Travis – Church Warden of the Ancient Parish Church of All Saints and St. James the Greater Silkstone with Stainborough**

Jim Travis has recently retired from being the Church Warden after 22 years of dedicated service to the church and our community. He has been an important part of many of the projects within the church which have resulted in a lasting legacy for the community. Jim has seen five vicars since 1955 and served two vicars the Reverends Derek Birch and Simon Moor and has enjoyed this time enormously. He also dealt with the Interregnum which is the time between one vicar leaving the parish and another starting. Between Derek leaving and Simon starting there was a period of nine months and Jim's role as churchwarden was important in ensuring that the community was served. We still have children, get married and die, so in this time Jim arranged the baptisms, marriages and funerals and thanks to him this continued until Simon was appointed as our new vicar.

In Jim's 22 years of service he has been involved with many worthwhile projects skilfully completed. These included the creation of St James Chapel; there was a need for a dedicated area within the church for the people of Stainborough following the closure of Stainborough Church 25 years ago. There was also the church roof project which took six years to complete. There was also the construction of the tower room which gives the church both toilet and kitchen facilities and really opens the building to the community. Jim passionately believes that the church should be the heart of the community and not a sterile building only open on Sundays. Jim also was a key driver in introducing the raised wooden platform above the original stone floor of the north and south aisles and the crossing in front of the screen; it involved re-siting the pulpit to its current site. This resulted in producing much needed space for community activities such as the Flower Festivals, pantomimes, Sunday school presentations and space for the UZ kids group. Jim started to co-ordinate the flower festivals in 1988 and each year I am sure you will agree that they get better and are a joy to behold. Not many of us were about but in 1644 Cromwell had a military outpost at Silkstone, his army camped in Pack Horse Green and as a desecration to the church put their animals in there. They also

smashed every window in the church. This was the reason why for so many years there has been plain glass in many of the windows. Many years later we have a lovely new East Window in St James Chapel dedicated to the memory of the Huskar children drowned in the pit disaster. Jim, Simon and Rachel Poole helped the innovative process of using local creativity to produce this wondrous window. I cannot imagine anywhere else in the country where a church stained glass window is actually made in the church by local people who had to learn the various glass making processes in order to complete it. Well done to all those involved.

Another of Jim's achievements is the memorial memorabilia cabinet of oak and glass to our mining heritage. Until recently the only reminder of our mining heritage was a single miner's lamp suspended in the chancel and this did not reflect the history of our area. The memorial cabinet has changed this and if you have not seen it yet then you are missing a treat. It is a lasting tribute to all miners past and present.

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With Jim we also get Dorothy his lovely wife and they are a smashing couple devoted to each other and the church. Jim has achieved so much for the church and has done so with the unfailing support of Dorothy. One thing that Dorothy is not happy with is the gargoyle of Jim on the outside of the church on the south side; he is there complete with his glasses askew! Have a look up next time you are outside the church, I do agree with Dorothy though he is much better looking in real life!

Although Jim is retiring from being the churchwarden he is not retiring from church life and he will remain a constant and lively influence within our community. Jim is a surrogate granddad for all the children, his face lights up when he speaks of the particular joy children bring to the church, and its productions. As he says children are our future, they are precious and we should treasure childhood and the joy children bring to our lives.

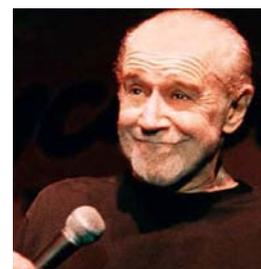
Jim is justifiably proud of his citation from the Bishop of Wakefield which was recently presented to him, it reads *“The Rt Revd Stephen Platten The Bishop of Wakefield through his Commisionary The Rt Revd Anthony Robinson Bishop Suffragan of Pontefract did invest in honour with dignity the Title of Churchman Emeritus, which title is retained for life, set by this hand 4<sup>th</sup> July 2010”*.

Jim is very modest man and says that he is simply a team member but we who know him know that without his drive and vigour many of the projects mentioned would not have been successful. Jim is grateful to the Vicar, PCC and the community for the award, and to all who have helped him in any way during his time as churchwarden.

We have a lot to thank Jim for, so a grateful thanks to you Jim, you are a true gentleman and we wish you and Dorothy all the best for the future.

### **Quote for the season!!**

***Weather forecast for tonight: dark. Continued dark overnight, with widely scattered light by morning.***



George Carlin (1937-2008)

## Country File – It's hard growing grass!

Gardeners in our community may be surprised to learn that grass production is down this year due to the lack of rain. I am sure it does not feel like it, when every week you are getting your lawn mowers out to dutifully mow your lawns. It can be a bit of a bind to keep our lawns nice and tidy. But this is the case and this has a profound effect on our farmers. Believe it or not livestock farmers grow grass as a crop, some of those in our community may not realise this and wonder why farmers are leaving their fields to grass.

Farmers grow grass for silage production. Silage is a form of conserved grass that is made by farmers during the summer months when the grass supply is plentiful and not required for grazing. Silage is fed to cattle during the winter months and is made by preserving the grass under naturally produced acidic conditions which effectively pickle the crop. Silage is quite moist and usually preferred by livestock to hay as it is more palatable and of higher food value. It often forms the bulk of the livestock diet for six months of the year through the winter months. Grass silage is usually produced by farmers two to three times a year, however it's the first cut of grass in late May that is the most important as at this time of year grass growth is at its most vigorous. Many farmers have their own special recipes for silage which is passed down the generations of farming families however we can't ask the tasters on their views but it's generally accepted that cows enjoy it!

As you can imagine grass therefore is a very important crop for our farmers and they ask that you keep to the Countryside Code, keep to footpaths and don't trespass on their land. Although the fields look very inviting to play in for our children and for exercising dogs they are an important part of the farmer's livelihood.

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## Barnsley Schwäbisch-Gmünd Twin Town Society

Barnsley has been officially twinned with the Baden-Württemberg town of Schwäbisch-Gmünd since June 1971 and the twin town society was founded in March 1978. The society is open to any resident of the Barnsley Borough and the surrounding district and is always anxious to recruit new members. Of particular interest to residents of Silkstone and Silkstone Common is the fact that the society meets at Silkstone Lodge in Cone Lane. Except for the month of August, the meetings are held at 7-30pm on the second Monday of the month. At most meetings we have a speaker and you are warmly invited to sample any of our meetings with no obligation to join the society.

One of the highlights of our year is in the running of our stall at the annual Christmas Market in Barnsley Town centre, which many of you will have visited. This is our main fund raising activity. However, our principal function is to organise exchange visits with our friends in Schwäbisch-Gmünd. On these visits we are accommodated, free of charge, in the homes of German friends. Language is not a serious problem as most of our twin town friends speak excellent English. The home visits are often extended to include an hotel stay in another part of Germany. When members of the German society visit Barnsley we reciprocate the hospitality and use our funds to provide an interesting programme for them. The next planned visit is to Germany in the summer of 2011, when we will mark the 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the twinning.

If you require further information, please contact our Secretary, Mr David Horsfall (Tel: 0114 2883684 or email [david@oberwald.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:david@oberwald.fsnet.co.uk))

## Silkstone In Bloom

**Thank you to individuals who look after certain boxes and beds and people who litter pick around the village as well.**

For more information contact Janet Barrett on 790994

For Silkstone contact Jean Morrison on 790036

## Chairman's letter: The Big Society

This has been talked about in the press following the change of government at the general election. It is the Prime Minister's idea about how communities can be empowered to look after themselves instead of relying on principle authorities and other agencies.

You can read about the Prime Minister's idea at: [www.conservatives.com/News/Speeches/2010/07/David\\_Cameron\\_Our\\_Big\\_Society\\_Agenda.aspx](http://www.conservatives.com/News/Speeches/2010/07/David_Cameron_Our_Big_Society_Agenda.aspx). If you don't have access to the Internet, please contact the Parish Council and we can arrange a visit to Penistone Library or get a printed copy of his speech for you.

The most striking omission in the speech is nowhere does he mention Parish Councils! There are three strands to his agenda:

1. Social action – to encourage “voluntarism, philanthropy, social action” – this is what Parish Councils are doing all the time through the diligent use of funds to our community groups.
2. Public Service Reform – One of the main obstacles to the development of Parish Councils has been other agencies not wanting to relinquish their “powers” to elected bodies. Parish Councils, through their representative organisations have been fighting this for years.
3. Community Empowerment – Where Parish Councils exist, the community is naturally engaged and empowered.

In principle the Big Society is a good idea. It is not a new idea. The model to achieve its objectives already exists and the government could miss out on an opportunity to develop the Big Society if it doesn't support and encourage the creation and development of Parish Councils as a national objective.

I hope to develop this theme over the next few newsletters and would welcome any input, comments, criticisms or otherwise to fuel the debate.

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Leading on from the Big Society, I see Parish Councils will get more say in planning applications

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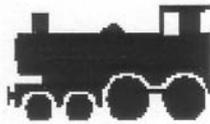
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for their Parish. I'm going to watch this one with lots of interest. Will we be able to decide whether to have a development that is in line with central government guidelines but not required or wanted in our Parish? Or will it just be to decide if you can put up a conservatory on the back of your house? Watch this space.....

## Pets – Cats and Dogs

I will continue the battle with those dog owners who don't clear up after their pets. The part of the Dove Valley Trail between Black Horse Drive and Moor End Lane is another particularly bad spot. Just because it is not a pavement doesn't mean the mess can be left there. Please clean it up! It has also, not surprisingly, been mentioned that cat owners also have a responsibility to ensure their pets don't foul other people's properties. If your cat is causing problems for someone else, it is your responsibility to do something about it not your neighbours.

## Drains

I had a problem recently with a blocked drain. Part of the problem was half a house brick that must have been there for years but had caused the blockage to build up over time. This prompted me to ask what are the most common causes of blocked drains. The biggest offender of all is FAT. Liquid fat will congeal as it travels through the system and once it starts to gather it can quickly restrict the flow and cause a block. Other items include paper products that are not designed to break up in water such as kitchen roll or face wipes. Fixing a blockage can be unpleasant and expensive so think about what you are putting into the drains the next time you pull that plug or flush that loo!

## Silkstone in Bloom

On behalf of the Parish Council I would like to thank everyone who has been involved in Silkstone in Bloom. Their work makes our two villages much brighter places.

## Cycling and Sustrans

Sustrans began life in July 1977 and since then has developed a large network of cycle routes on trails and quiet roads that continues to increase. The Trans Pennine Trail passing through Silkstone Common is part of this network. Visit their website for more information about cycle routes near you.

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**Parish Council meetings for 2010**

Day	Date	Meeting	Location
Mon	06 Sep	PC	Silkstone Primary School
Tues	05 Oct	PC	Methodist Chapel, Silkstone Common
Mon	01 Nov	PC	Silkstone Primary School
Tues	07 Dec	PC	Methodist Chapel, Silkstone Common

All Parish Council meetings commence at 6.45pm with public question time which lasts for a maximum of 15 minutes.

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*"If you want happiness for an hour -- take a nap. If you want happiness for a day -- go fishing. If you want happiness for a month -- get married. If you want happiness for a year -- inherit a fortune. If you want happiness for a lifetime -- help someone else." Chinese Proverb*

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## Music

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### Silkstone Common Ladies Choir

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### Old Silkstone Band

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**Contact:** David O'Connor on 790689 or Tracey Bostwick on 211071

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### Silkstone Bell Ringers

Meet every Monday Silkstone Church 7:30pm-9:00pm

**Contact:** Caroline Charlesworth

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### Shake Rattle and Roll Children's Music Group

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**Contact** Tracy for further details on 01226 790240

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### Millhouse Green Male Voice Choir.

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## Sports/Activities

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### Silkstone United Football Club

**Contact:** Andy Horsfield 791929

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### Silkstone United Junior Football Club

Under 11's (year 6) - Steve High – tel. 07970249411

Under 12's (year 7) - John Ward – tel. 07786 525000

Under 13's year 8) - Kevin Grimshaw – tel. 01226 791613

Under 14's (year 9) - Shane Jackson – tel. 01226 390769

Under 16's (year 11) - Alan French – tel. 07816076396

Under 17's (year 12) - Mark Pearson – tel. 01226 766777

Please phone the relevant manager for details.

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### Silkstone United Cricket Club :

Headquarters: Ring o' Bells, Silkstone

Coaching / Practice night

7 - 13 year old, Mondays 6-8pm

U15's / U17's / Adults Tuesday's 6-8pm

Contacts:

U11's Kevin Taylor 790703 / 07771 940 733

U13's Owen Dyson 790956 / 07950 267 678

U15's & Club Secretary Stephen Chambers 387412 / 07836 733 852

U17's / 1st XI Darron Walker 791203 / 07887 518 980

2nd XI Daniel Walker 791203 / 07885 772 298

Website: [www.silkstoneutd.play-cricket.com](http://www.silkstoneutd.play-cricket.com) .

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### Silkstone Lodge Bowling Club

Secretary David Harris on Barnsley 790051

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## Environment/Local Interest

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### Silkstone – St Florent Association

The Parish of Silkstone is twinned with St Florent des Bois in the Vendee in France. Exchange visits are organised along with a variety of social and fund-raising events throughout the year.

**Contact:** Yvonne Dinsdale 790583

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### Silkstone Parish CARE Group

Aims to improve the natural environment. Activities include planting hedges, trees, bulbs. Carries out litter-picks. Tools available on loan to volunteer groups. Promotes caring for the environment.

**Contact:** Graham Wells 790732

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### Silkstone in bloom

Add floral colour for public enjoyment.

**Contact:** Jean Morrison 790036 (Silkstone) or Janet Barrett 790994 (Silkstone Common)

Donations gratefully accepted.

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### Heritage Silkstone

**Contact:** Colin Bower 790 416 or [colin@i-online.co.uk](mailto:colin@i-online.co.uk)

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### Hadrian's Drystone Walling

Drystone Walling in South Yorkshire

<http://hadriansdsw.blogspot.com/>

[www.southyorkshiredswa.org.uk](http://www.southyorkshiredswa.org.uk)

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## Schools

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### Silkstone Common Junior & Infant School

Moorend Lane, Silkstone Common. Educates children 4-11 yrs

**Contact:** Mr Evans 790471

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### Silkstone Primary School

Educates children 4-11 yrs. The school is interested in developing the use of the school outside normal school hours.

**Contact:** Mr Simon Barber 790333

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### Little giants out of school & holiday club

Silkstone Primary School for children aged between 4 and 11 years. Monday to Friday  
Phone 0785 4710299

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### Community Learning Programme

A wide range of courses and events —more being offered all the time. Contact Esther Parnham, via the PGS main switchboard 01226 762114 or by mobile: 07985 725634 or by email [e.parnham2@barnsley.org](mailto:e.parnham2@barnsley.org)

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## General

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### Silkstone Common Good Companions

Provides companionship, entertainment and recreation for the senior citizens of the village. Meets fortnightly on Wednesdays 2-4pm in the Methodist Church Hall. New members are very welcome

Annual subscription £3, refreshments 50p

Varied programme including theatre trips, visits, entertainments, Helpers welcome

**Contact:** Mrs Brayshaw 790196, Terry Daniel 386755

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### Royal British Legion Silkstone Branch

Meets on the second Friday in each month at 7:30pm  
Branch HQ Silkstone Lodge

**Contact:** J.D. Mathews, 16 Stanhope Avenue Cawthorne

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### Silkstone Common W.I.

Meets second Friday each month at 7:15pm Silkstone Common Methodist Church

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### Silkstone Luncheon Club for the over 60s

Meets every Monday at 12 o'clock in the Ring O'Bells.

New members always welcome. Please call **791670**

Please contact the Parish Clerk on 391343 or [silkstoneclerk@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:silkstoneclerk@tiscali.co.uk) if you wish to add your group to this list or amend any details of your local group on these pages

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## Children

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### Silkstone Pre-School Playgroup

Ofsted registered and Pre-School Learning Alliance Accredited setting. Offers term-time sessional care from 2 years onwards. Fully qualified caring staff. Lunch club available. Childcare vouchers accepted.

**Contact** Kathryn Gouling, Manager on 01226 792294 or email [kg@silkstonepreschool.co.uk](mailto:kg@silkstonepreschool.co.uk).

Visit us at [www.silkstonepreschool.co.uk](http://www.silkstonepreschool.co.uk)

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### Edward Bear Baby & Toddler Group

The playgroup meets at the Methodist Church, Silkstone Common on Monday & Wednesday Mornings 9am to 11.30am

£2 per parent/carer includes refreshments children free.

Under 4's and their parents/carers welcome

#### Contacts

Tracey 791067

Emma 790551

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### Silkstone Scouts, Guides and Brownies

Headquarters Silkstone Rec.

**Cubs:** youngsters 8-11 yrs, 6:30am-8pm Tuesdays

**Scouts:** boys and girls 10 ½ - 15 ½ yrs 7pm-9pm

Mark Slater: Group Scout Leader 29th Barnsley (Silkstone) 01226 767546 [Markj121@hotmail.com](mailto:Markj121@hotmail.com)

**Guides:** girls 10-15 yrs

Tel Freda Hope 01226 282645

**Brownies:** girls 7-10 yrs

Tel: Maxine Barrett 01226 790158

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### Childminders

For details of registered childminders please ring Childcare Information Service on:

0800 345340

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## Churches

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### All Saints Parish Church

Morning service and Eucharist 9:15am 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday, 10:45am 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday. Evening Service 6:45pm 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday

**Contact** Rev Simon A. Moor 790232

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### Silkstone Common Methodist Church

Morning Service and LIGHT group (young people) – Sundays at 10-30am

Thursday LIGHT group (5-11 year olds) Alternate Thursdays from 3-45pm to 5-00pm

Sale of "Fairtrade" produce and coffee morning – second Saturday in the month from 10-30am to 12 noon

Contact for Methodist Church bookings Tel: 790461.

