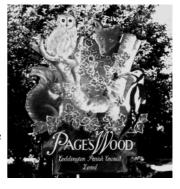


# Community News September 2005

#### **PAGE'S WOOD**

Two issues ago it was reported that the Parish Council had taken over Pages Wood
This is a small area of land on the right hand side of Balderton Lane as you leave the village
Graham and June Page moved to Coddington in 1974 and noticed that just in front of their house was a small area of scrub land which had previously been a gravel pit.



Keen conservationists they saw not only the fact

that it was valuable habitat for ever decreasing species of Butterflies and Birds but also its potential as an area of natural wild land unspoilt by pesticides To commemorate the jubilee celebrations and deter people from dumping their rubbish there the Pages decided to have a go at transforming it into the villages own conservation area

After gaining the approval of the Parish Council they started out on the project



and planted more than 30 trees and over 100 shrubs, this resulted in butterflies and rare birds returning to the area.

Sadly both Graham and June Page have died in the last two years and the Parish Council has taken over the land which they have renamed PAGE'S WOOD .A new sign has been made and erected by Mr Barry King of Main St. The wood now stands as a tribute to Graham and June Page for all the hard work they put in over many years

#### CODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

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Mrs Pamela Hemphill

DATE:

2 Randall Close, Beacon Heights, Newark NG24 2LF Tel: 686317

#### **CODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL**

#### **MEETINGS DATES FOR 2005**

Thursday, 1 September 2005

Coddington Village Hall

Thursday, 6 October 2005

Coddington Village Hall

Please notee all meetings to commence at 7.30 pm unless otherwise stated.

#### **CODDINGTON VILLAGE HALL**

If you would like to book the Village Hall for any event or would like any further details.

**VENUE:** 

Please contact: Clerk Mrs P Hemphill

2 Randall Close, Newark, NG24 2LF or Tel: 01636 686317

#### Dear Readers

If you have just moved into the village and are reading our COMMUNITY NEWS for the first time

WELCOME TO CODDINGTON

This newsletter is sponsored by

CODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL and is circulated to every household in the village (at present approximately 600 and growing). If you are running any activities in Coddington I would welcome any contributions. Adverts of a local nature can be taken at a small charge. I can be contacted on 01636 671424 or by email frankelliott1@hotmail.com

You can also send your contributions to

Frank Elliott, Rest and be Thankful, Parklands Close,

Coddington, NG24 2RE

## PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

A report at this time of year is difficult in that there's little happening and people are on holiday! However here goes.

The various problems with the drains are being attended to and I hope will be resolved soon. Anything new please tell us.

Work has been carried out on the Millennium Garden and it is planned that there will be steady progress with planting etc. Thanks must go to Jane Hedge, Wendy Parrett and Faith & Malcolm Humphries who are the driving force but are busy people who give time and energy to the task.

The Community Centre is still on course for a September start of building and completion around Easter next year.

There has been an increase in heavy traffic, with A1 road works along with developments in Balderton proposed, any letters to the press will help our campaign for a weight restriction sooner rather than later.

Thanks to the District Council and others for the new play area on the Thorpe Oaks, it is being fully utilised. I have noted that the waste bin is not big enough or emptied often enough and will be asking for the problem to be addressed. I will be asking for the Basketball net to be returned as soon as possible. The 11 year olds and upwards have little to do and need something to occupy them.

#### **Dave Hedge Chairman**

#### **CODDINGTON POST OFFICE AND STORES**

As some of you may have noticed we have had a major new shop refit. This has been done in conjunction with "MACE"- a major retail symbol group. This allows us to maintain our independence but avail ourselves of all the benefits retail groups offer

We are endeavouring to provide a retail service commensurate with the changing face of Coddington. It allows us to provide a comprehensive range of products and When available, the" Special Offers" through the "Mace" group

We hope you are pleased with the "new look store" as we are, albeit that the transformation was somewhat painful. It will see us through the foreseeable future and you are guaranteed the usual warm welcome

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#### **ALL SAINTS' CHURCH**

#### **SUMMER FAIR 16th JULY**

The Summer Fair, which was opened by the Rev'd Tony Tucker, was a great success and raised £790 for All Saints'.

The PCC would like to say a big thank you to everyone who helped in any way and to those who generously supported us on this occasion and at our recent coffee mornings. We hope you enjoyed yourselves and look forward to meeting you again at future services and events.

## GIVING THANKS FOR THE PAST AND PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE OF ALL SAINTS

Our church has been a focus for Christianity in Coddington for the many generations who have worshipped here. If we are to keep this beautiful place, with its windows displaying the artistry of William Morris and his associates, the Bodley screen and other treasured features, and to continue the Mothering Sunday tradition fostered by Constance Penswick Smith, we have to raise more money year on year. That is why, during September and October, we will be holding a Regular Promise Programme at All Saints'. To launch the new programme we are planning to invite everyone in the parish to some special events during September when we shall have an opportunity to say thank you to those who have supported us in the past, to welcome new friends and to explain how we need to plan for the future.

We hope we have included everyone but you will realise that this is a huge task and mistakes can happen so if you have not received an invitation by 4th September please let one of the churchwardens know.

#### NORMAL SERVICE DURING INTERREGNUM

We do not have our own resident priest at present. During this difficult time for our church we will do our utmost to ensure the continued smooth running of services, baptisms, weddings and funerals. Enquiries about these should be addressed to Rev'd Tony Tucker at Balderton Vicarage (01636 704811).

The Balderton Parish Surgery is open each Tuesday from 6pm to 7pm at St. Giles', when a member of Coddington PCC will be on hand to help with any arrangements you wish to make.

Any concerns or enquiries with regard to Coddington Vicarage should be addressed to the Diocesan Offices at Dunham House, Southwell, which deals with its administration.

#### NOTES FOR YOUR DIARY

Forthcoming Services and Events

September 3<sup>rd</sup> Coffee Morning and Quiz Results - 10am to 11am.

September 10<sup>th</sup> Church Open - 2pm to 6pm. October 9<sup>th</sup> Harvest Thanksgiving - 6pm.

October  $15^{th}$  Prayer – A – Maze.

October 29<sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving and Remembrance Service - 6pm.

November 13<sup>th</sup> Remembrance Sunday Service - 6pm. November 19<sup>th</sup> Christmas Fair from - 2pm to 4pm.

December 18<sup>th</sup> Traditional Service of Lessons and Carols - 6pm.

December 24<sup>th</sup> Midnight Communion starting at 11:30pm.

During the Autumn Term there will be special services for members of Coddington School.

If anyone is interested in helping to organise events or giving a hand at church cleaning, altar flowers, or acting as church guides etc. etc. please get in touch - We need you!

#### **REGULAR SERVICES AT ALL SAINTS'**

First Sunday Holy Communion 10:30am
Second Sunday Evensong 6:00pm
Third Sunday Holy Communion 6:00pm
Fourth / Fifth Sunday Evensong 6:00pm

#### CODDINGTON CHURCH

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# AN OPEN LETTER From Chief Superintendent Richard Johnson

#### **NEWARK AND SHERWOOD EDITION**

SEPTEMBER 2005

FIRSTLY, I must thank you for the feedback received following the first edition of my open letter.

This month I have taken on board a suggestion that I separate the content of my letters into Newark and Sherwood and Bassetlaw.

This way you receive news specifically about your area. I welcome your views and ideas so please keep them coming in.

This month I would like to share news about burglary reductions, violent crime and a deception scam.

#### **Burglary reductions**

We have recently seen some excellent results on the division.

Following our summer security campaign, shed burglaries dropped by a quarter compared with last year and from April to July there were 21% less house break-ins.

This is thanks to everyone working together to stop crime. Every person who locks their shed, uses an alarm and security lighting is making it more difficult for thieves to commit crime.

Information you have supplied to us about crime is also leading to more and more criminals being arrested.

In July we saw 757 prisoners through our custody system. This was our highest ever number of prisoners within a month.

The division was also acclaimed best in the force for acting on Crimestoppers information.

One in four calls to Crimestoppers from people in Bassetlaw, Newark and Sherwood result in an arrest.

In the first five months of the year we received 80 calls, which directly led to 19 arrests.

These offenders may not have been caught if you had not supplied information to us.

You will not be asked to give your name, make a statement or appear in court so please be assured that you won't be pressured into doing anything more than telling us what you know. The Crimestoppers number is 0800 555 111.

#### **Violent crime**

You may have read some recent articles in the local media about a rise in violent crime in Newark and Sherwood.

Yes, we are seeing more violence now than say six years ago but each year we are seeing fewer incidents. Newark and Sherwood is showing excellent performance in arresting offenders and most violence cases result in somebody being charged.

We recently attended a dispute in the Old Post Office Public House in Newark. Many people were charged with assault and public disorder following this and I would like to reassure you that, like many violent incidents, this was an isolated incident between two rival factions.

Most assaults occur between people who know one another and often involve alcohol – it is very rare for somebody to be the victim of a random attack.

The last thing I want is for people to stop enjoying nights out in Newark or visiting the town because they fear for their safety.

You can take simple steps to stay safe such as walking in a group, keeping to well-lit streets and carrying a personal alarm. More information is available on our website <a href="https://www.nottinghamshire.police.uk">www.nottinghamshire.police.uk</a>.

If you are suffering from domestic violence and need advice please call the 24 hour Domestic Violence help line on 0808 800 0340 (run by Women's Aid). Since the tragic events of 7 July in London, officers have been carrying out extra patrols at Newark train station.

I am mindful that people want to feel safe and protected on public transport and hope the police presence will reassure visitors to Newark.

#### **Deception scam**

Four Polish people committing scams in and around Dunham-on-Trent and Southwell were arrested in Newark this month.

They were part of an organised crime team operating all over the country. These people pose as students whose family is dead and sell sketches for £10. This is a scam and the individuals have been charged with deception and remanded into custody.

Please check that all callers at your door are genuine by asking for identification and verifying it with the company they claim to be from.

These people were caught thanks to a call from a member of the public, another example that your information helps to stop crime.

Divisional Commander for Bassetlaw, Newark and Sherwood Chief Superintendent Richard Johnson

#### WELL GREEN COMMUNITY CLUB

Our year is half over and so far we have enjoyed four trips out .Lunch at the Durham Ox Wellow Tea at Rufford Park. Tea at Thorsbey Craft Centre, Lunch at the Plough at Caunton.

August sees us off to Woodthorpe Garden Centre for lunch followed by a run to Maplethorpe

This year the club has made donations of £100 to the Tsunami flood disaster and £100 is being donated to the ongoing fund for the African Food appeal

Looking forward to the next half of the year, we have another four trips booked bringing us up to our Christmas Dinner at the Golden Fleece Congratulations to two of our members Bert and Vera Thompson who celebrated their Diamond Wedding on July 28th with a party for family and friends in the Wellgreen Community Centre

#### Isobel Allan. Social Secretary

#### A NEW ACTIVITY IN THE VILLAGE

A new Kickboxing class has commenced in the village hall on Tuesday evenings from 6-7pm.

It is run by Colin Muress, a qualified and insured instructor who is the current World Champion in Wuma Freestyle Kickboxing. Come along and train for fitness, sport, self defence or simply for fun.

Contact Colin Muress on 01636 676052 or 07743 702943.

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#### **Coddington History Group**

Our third exhibition in June went well with lots of visitors to both the Scout Hall and Village Hall. With having both halls there was much more space and people also enjoyed the church being open for coffee etc in the morning.

Several people kindly searched out old photographs and documents and brought them along for us to copy for the archives with subjects ranging from letters regarding the new road past the Plough, through "Great Grandma" in typical Victorian dress to a postcard showing the Red Lion and children playing in the street outside. John Lukehurst brought his model traction engine and threshing machine, his grandfather used to live at Brownlow's House and had several engines.

We now have 10 sets of display boards which we revamped for the occasion, topics included the changes that came about with the opening of the A1, the Thorpe family of Coddington Hall and Ardbrecknish, oral histories, the old school and the Scout troop.

We had several visitors looking for family history and we were able to furnish one with a photo of his ancestor. Two sets of visitors looking for the Smalley family - they did not know each other so we were able to introduce them which was nice.

Irene Bell is leading the group's oral history project in which we are interviewing, recording and documenting various aspects of village life in the past, suggestions for more people to interview would be welcomed.

Thanks to our member Glyn Jones we have a very interesting winter programe of visiting speakers planned, hopefully a list is elsewhere in CCN. All are welcome, they are at the village hall, usually on the third Thursday of the month at 7:30pm.

Our member's meetings, when we plan our activities and discover what everyone has been doing, are on the second Thursday of the month also at the village hall at 7:30pm.

**Ilsobel Turner Chairman, Tel 708781** 

#### **CODDINGTON HISTORY GROUP**

Programme 2005-06

Sep 15th. Fred Coupland 'Roman Britain'.

Oct. 20th. Margaret Harrison 'Bess of Hardwick'.

Nov. 17th. John Kirton 'A Coddington Farmer Remembers'.

Jan. 19th. Kevin Harrison 'Market Towns of Lincolnshire'.

Feb. 16th. Nigel Panting 'King John's Last Journey'.

Mar. 16<sup>th</sup>. Jackie Fisher 'As Poor as a a Stockinger – Framework Knitting in South Notts.'

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Apr. 20th. Adrian Henstock. 'Nottinghamshire in the Civil War'

May 18th. David Marcombe 'The Battle of East Stoke'.

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#### **OVER 55's LEISURE GROUP**

The over 55's celebrated their tenth anniversary this July with a party. All past members of the club were invited and everyone had a great afternoon. Four of our past members have rejoined which is marvelous for the club

Our Chairman, John Kirton, after 7 years of wonderful service, decided not to stand for the 2005-2006 year, our new chairman is Mr Reg Dickinson.

We now have a membership of 26, still growing and new members are always welcome.

I'm sure you know the venue, The Village Hall, 2.00pm. to 4.00pm every Friday

#### **James Bell Secretary**

#### **CODDINGTON UNITED CHARITY**

Money and land has been left in the past to be used for the benefit of Coddington residents in need .Local trustees administer this charity, and are always pleased to consider request for financial help, in strictest confidence, from Coddington residents of any age group who may need help because of illness, lack of mobility, paying for school uniforms or outings or books or with household repairs or replacements, etc. They should apply in writing to the Clerk, Mr Alasdair Morrison, Kirkgate, Newark, or any Trustee

Trustees

Mrs M Molloson Mrs I Allen Mr J Bartley Mrs P Bartley
Mrs P Mumby (Chairman) Mr M Clark

#### AN INVITATION TO THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF CODDINGTON

Now that the new play area has been completed on Thorp Oaks, The Parish Council would like to hear from young people who may consider themselves to old for the equipment but would like to see something for their age group in the village .If you have any ideas you are always welcome to put your views at the Parish Council meeting or write to the Parish Clerk, alternatively you can speak to any Parish Councilor who is on the list on page 2 of this Newsletter

#### **CODDINGTON W I**

We have had a very active and interesting summer, with talks on Paleography, Nottingham Goose Fair and several outings.

A coach load of members had a lovely day exploring Kew Gardens, and a visit to Tolethorpe Hall to see The Merry Wives of Windsor, with a picnic, when the weather was not as kind!

The walking group has had a walk each month, with several husbands included, and a pub lunch afterwards. In June 16 of them went to Yorkshire, staying overnight at Pately Bridge and had a walk each day in beautiful countryside

The August meeting is always held away from the village hall, and this year a visit was made to Gainsborough Old Hall. Everyone was impressed with the size and history of this beautiful old building

We are repeating the very successful Quiz this autumn on October 29th, and an article appears elsewhere in this newsletter giving details, so we hope it will be well supported. Lots of interesting speakers are planned for autumn, and any new members would be warmly welcomed. Please contact our President Mrs Gill Southgate, tel: 677393

#### Mrs P A Mumby

#### **CODDINGTON W.I.**

Fun Quiz Night 7.30 pm 29<sup>th</sup> October 2005

Come along to the village Hall with a team of six for a fun general knowledge quiz

A plated supper including tea or coffer is provided But feel free to bring a bottle of your choice

Tickets £3.00 available from

Gill Southgate 01636 677393 Or Sylvia Aslin 01636 678511

#### A PLEA TO ALL DOG OWNERS IN CODDINGTON

There has been a number of complaints about the increase of dog fouling that has not been cleared up by dog owners. In odd cases the mess has been collected and the plastic bag put on the side of the road. Could all dog owners please respect the law and pick up and place any dog mess in the bins provided.

There is within all the parishes in Newark and Sherwood District a byelaw dated 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1986 - made under Section 235 of the Local Government Act 1972. This makes it illegal for any person in charge of a dog to allow the dog to foul a footway or grass verge. It is as simple and clear as that with the only exception being the usual provision for guide dogs accompanying a registered blind person.

Please be a responsible owner.

#### **NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH**

The ringmaster scheme is well up and running, and the communication between the control centre and the co-ordinators is good, but to get the maximum benefit from the scheme we could make use of email technology to get information around the village fast.

To enable this to be done it would make sense for anyone with an email address to contact by email any co-ordinator in the village and ask to be put on their list of contacts. This would mean that information could be passed around quickly

Anyone who is not on the Internet will be contacted by Fax ,Phone or personal contact

We still require coordinators in the following areas, BALDERTON LANE and Coddington residents in the NEWBURY RD AREA. If you would like to become a co-ordinators please contact Mrs Wendy Parrett Tell: 672687

Will all co-ordinators please check that your details opposite are correct and notify Wendy of any changes i.e email addresses etc.

#### **Neighbourhood Watch**

The ringmaster scheme is now operating and we are being notified of any burglaries or devious activities in Coddington that have been reported to the police

All the co-ordinators are listed below

#### PENSWICK CLOSE

Margaret Jones Tel. 646714 e mail keith-jones@amserve.com

Mrs M Freemann Tel. 707119

#### **NEWARK RD**

Wendy Parrett Tel. 01636 672687 e mail chris@cptnewark.fsnet.co.uk Tim Ward e mail tim-ward@ukonline.co.uk

#### OLD HALL GARDENS

John Rollins Tel. 01636 671233

David Beck Tel. 677324 Email dabeck@tiscali.co.uk

#### PARKLANDS CLOSE

Micheal Richardson e mail micheal@richardson898.fsnet.co.uk Frank Elliott Tel. 01636 671424 e mail frankelliott1@hotmail.com

#### **VALLEY VIEW**

Jackie Hart Tel. 672122 e mail j.a-c kie@tiscali.co.uk

#### MORGANS CLOSE

Nancy Sleight Tel. 01636 707686 **THE GREEN** 

Isabel Allen H.A.Bungalows Tel. 01636 613642 Joan Gray L.A.Bungalows Tel. 01636 706723

#### **DROVE LANE (Village end)**

Hilda Page Tel. 01636 704800 email janetadkin@aol.com

#### BEACONSFIELD DRIVE

Glynn Jones e mail glynphoto@btinternet.com

#### LANCASTER RD

David Hedge e mail davehedge@f2s.com Sarah Parsons e mail leeandsal@wallington14.freeserve.co

#### VICARAGE COURT

Diana Jones Tel. 706266

#### STAPLEFORD LANE

Graham Collyer Tel 702912 Peter Brown Tel .707836

#### HENTON CLOSE

Alison Bedford

#### WELLGREEN HOUSE

Mr & Mrs N Raikes Tel.676861

I am informed by Mrs Wendy Parrett that we still need co-ordinators in some areas

IF YOUR AREA IS NOT LISTED AND YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE A CO-ORDINATOR PLEASE CON-TACT WENDY PARRETT

If you are out walking or driving in the village and see anyone suspicious or an unfamiliar vehicle please make a note and report to Wendy (01636 672687) or your co-ordinator

#### **1st CODDINTON BROWNIES**

This term we are holding a sponsored fundraiser. This will be a Nature Hunt at Whisby .The Brownies are raising money for Children with Leukaemia and Brownies. The Brownies who participate will receive a Certificate and also cheeky monkey prizes are awarded by children with Leukaemia to each child depending on how much they raise. I hope you will all agree that this is a very worthwhile cause.

We took the Brownies on a trip out in July We went to the Seal Sanctuary at Mablethorpe, went on the sand train. had a paddle in the sea and spent some money in the amusements

Every year we have our Brownie of the year and this year we had Jenny M who got the most points, Charlotte K was Second and Tamara G was third. Well done to all the Brownies who tried hard and were very kind and helpful. All part of being a good Brownie

If anyone would like any information on Brownies you can contact us at **Brown Owl- Karen Gill 706456** or

Tawny - 708572

#### Parish Council Notice Boards

The Parish council provide notice board at the following locations

Corner Newark R/Lancaster Rd

The Village Hall

Well Green

If you want to advertise an event in the village please contact The parish Clerk

THE NEXT NEWSLETTER WILL BE PUBLISHED IN DECEMBER. COULD YOU PLEASE LET ME HAVE YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS BY MONDAY 21st NOVEMBER AT THE LATEST

IF ANY PARISHIONER WOULD LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE AN ARTICLE OF LOCAL INTEREST FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODDINGTON COMMUNITY NEWS WOULD YOU PLEASE CONTACT ME

Frank Elliott (Editor) Tel.671424 or email frankelliott1@hotmail.com

#### Mum builds natural health business from home

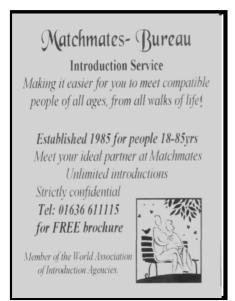
Mother of three, Catherine James, decided that being at home with her three children was top priority but she still wished to find an income opportunity that would fit in with her family. It was (quite literally) by accident that she stumbled upon the business which she is now running very successfully from home, alongside caring for 5 year old Oliver, 3 year old Chloe and 1 year old Louis.

Catherine had a fall and badly cut her knee. Fate stepped in at that moment. The person who attended to her injury used pure aloe vera gelly to cleanse, soothe and heal the wound. She was amazed at the speed of healing and later discovered that repetitive strain injury, a condition with which she had struggled for several years (legacy of her pre-motherhood office job) can also be very effectively treated with aloe vera preparation. She then learned that the Company who produced these products also offered a very good business opportunity for people who wished to work from home.

Catherine now runs her own business helping many people to find freedom from the pain of conditions such as arthritis, irritable bowel syndrome, colitis, eczema, psoriasis to name but a few. "I would not have believed that in just a few months I could have built such a profitable and rewarding business. It's a great feeling to know that I play a part in someone's recovery from a painful and often chronic condition", she said.

Because Catherine fully understands the dilemma of those needing an income but also facing the heart-breaking decision of separation from young children in order to achieve it, she is offering to send information to anyone interested in finding out more about what she is doing.

#### Call Catherine James on 0115 841 1682





#### **WINTHORPE & CODDINGTON TIGERS F C**

#### The Phoenix is rising - again!

The rollercoaster world of Project Phoenix continues – since the project was halted by the builders going in to administration there has been a lot of work behind the scenes trying to secure additional funding and to seek help from builders and suppliers. The response from local building firms and suppliers of building materials has been fantastic and we are now very close to completing the building and the outstanding groundwork's – at least 2 of the 4 changing rooms will be operational before the end of September which is great news for Tigers FC and Coddington FC.

One slightly sour note — we have had yet another break-in although fortunately this time nothing was taken and nothing was damaged. As the site is so isolated this is probably inevitable until we have the security system installed but if anyone sees or hears anything please let me know. We will not let these low lifes spoil what we are so close to achieving.

#### Colin Jackson 01636 703728

#### **CODDINGTON COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH**

Coddington Community Speed Watch is still operating

The effect upon local traffic seeing volunteers in fluorescent yellow jackets, holding a radar gun is immediate. The average speed of traffic drops and many of the heavy goods vehicles return to the A17 bypass, where the belong!!

More volunteers are needed, the more we have the more we can influence the traffic and make Coddington a safer place .Training takes approx. 45 minutes .So if you can spare a little of your time please contact Mike Clark Tel. 706785