

Spring is officially here! And it brings with it the **Parish Annual Assembly**, on Monday 19th April, at 7pm, in the Village Hall.

This event is hosted by the Parish Council, rather than being a Parish Council meeting, and is an opportunity to come and listen to what village societies have been doing over the last year, and their plans for the coming year – and, who knows, maybe you will join one! We will also have a report from Albury Estate.

This year we are also to have a presentation on the work of the Surrey Hills Society from Ken Bare, who serves on the Surrey Hills Society Management Committee. This will be well worth coming to, as the Society has been doing great things in the last few years, and is of particular interest to our Parish, set as it is right in the middle of the Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty and beset with the challenges of landfill and gas exploration.

The evening will start with a reception at 7pm, and we look forward to seeing you.

Following its popularity over the last two years, the Parish Council will host a **Village Day** on the following Saturday, the 24th April, from 10.30 am to 12.30pm. This will be held in conjunction with the Produce Association's Spring Plant Sale and will be a wonderful opportunity to stock up the garden as well as another chance to look at what local societies do, and talk to their members.

Please put these dates in your diaries now – and don't forget that the monthly Parish Council meeting is held on the first Monday of each month, except when that is a bank holiday, when it moves to the second Monday, at 7.30pm, in the Memorial Library. There are two opportunities during the meeting for members of the public to ask questions and make requests, and a number of interesting topics and issues debated throughout the evening.

Best wishes for a happy and productive spring.

Joanna