

# The Downley Information Pack

*Welcome* to the first edition of what the Parish Council hopes will be a regularly updated source of information about community facilities for both new and existing residents of Downley.

As this is still “work in progress”, the Parish Council would welcome corrections, comments and additional information which you think should be included.

Please contact the Clerk to the Council, Chris Hamilton in the first instance.

## *A few key facts about Downley:*

- The Civil parish was extended in 2004, and now has nearly 4000 inhabitants.
- Downley Parish Council is one of several parish councils within Wycombe District. It is funded by a precept from your Council tax. Councillors serve for a fouryear period, and if sufficient candidates put themselves forward, are chosen by election. The four year term of the present Council will end in May 2011.
- The Parish Council has a number of responsibilities including lighting, maintenance of some open spaces including Gosling Grove, Jubilee Green and Downley Common (in conjunction with the Downley Common Preservation Society and the West Wycombe Estate). It is also consulted by Wycombe District Council on all planning applications relating to the Parish. For further information about the work of the Parish Council, contact the Clerk Chris Hamilton (details below).
- A Village Design Statement contains details of what local residents regard as distinctive about Downley in respect of design within the village, and these views are taken into consideration when planning decisions are taken by the planning authority Wycombe District Council. A copy of the VDS is available in the Community Library.
- Community initiatives in recent years have included the establishment of the Downley Community Orchard, and the Downley Community Library which is housed in the Downley Old School Community Centre.
- Part of the village is within the Chilterns Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty designated Green Belt, and the Chilterns Conservation Area.
- Downley Common adjoins National Trust land at Hughenden.

## How you can get involved in Downley

If you enjoy living in Downley, you may want to participate more actively in the life of the community, by joining one of the many voluntary organisations and interest groups in Downley. Some of them are mentioned here, and they are always delighted to welcome new members and supporters. For any further information, please contact the Parish Clerk or Downley Community Library. For contact details, see below.

### Some useful contacts:

Downley Parish Council                      [www.downleypc.org](http://www.downleypc.org)

Parish Councillors: -

	Barry Gay (Chairman)	
	Anthea Worsdall (Vice Chairman)	
Steve Ludlow	John Willson	
Bob Mawson	Kristina Frydberg	
Pamela Brooks	Grahame Brown	
John Gowen	Patrick Myles	
Brian Gilbert		

Parish Clerk	Chris Hamilton	01494462195
Email: -	<a href="mailto:downley_pc@tiscali.co.uk">downley_pc@tiscali.co.uk</a>	

Wycombe District Council: -	<a href="http://www.wycombe.gov.uk">www.wycombe.gov.uk</a>	01494 461000
Queen Victoria Road,		
High Wycombe, HP11 1BB	<i>Emergencies - out of hours</i>	01494 463690

District Councillors: -	Wendy Mallen	01494 442367
	Audrey Jones	01494 563435

Buckinghamshire County Council:                      [www.bucks.gov.uk/bcc/](http://www.bucks.gov.uk/bcc/)

County Councillors: -	Wendy Mallen	01494 442367
	Zahir Mohammed	01494 529023

Member of Parliament: -	Steven Baker MP	0207 219 3547
for Wycombe Office	for London Office	01494 448408
150A West Wycombe Road,	House of Common,	
High Wycombe,	London.	
Buckinghamshire HP11 3AE	SW1A 0AA	
Email:	<a href="mailto:steve@stevebaker.info">steve@stevebaker.info</a>	
Web:	<a href="http://www.stevebaker.info">www.stevebaker.info</a>	

## Local Services:

Trains	Chiltern Trains	0845 6005165
Bus Services	Carousel Buses	01494 533436
	Arriva	01924 360000
	Dial a Ride	01494 441818
Citizens Advice Bureau		08701 264045
Electricity 24 hour helpline	Southern Electricity	0800 300999
Gas Emergency	Transco	0800 111999
Fire Service		01494 521345
Water	Thames Water	01793 366011
Hospitals	Wycombe General Hospital	01494 526161
	Stoke Mandeville Hospital	01296 315000
Pharmacy Nearest to Downley - The Victoria Pharmacy		01494 532781
Police		0845 8505505

# Downley Community Facilities

- **Downley Allotments**

Contact: Parish Clerk, **Chris Hamilton**

Tel: 01494 462195

- **The Downley After School Club**

Downley Old School Community Centre, School Close, Downley

The Downley After School Club is an OFSTED registered Child Care Provider which has been in operation since 2003. It is an independent charitable (non-profit making) organisation run by a voluntary management committee. The Club provides after school care for The Downley School children age 4-11 with working parents. The club is open on school days from 3pm until 6 pm.

Contact: **Pari Dickson** (Secretary)

Email: [thedownleyasc@hotmail.com](mailto:thedownleyasc@hotmail.com)

- **The Downley Common Preservation Society**

Meets at the Memorial Hall, High Street, Downley on the first Thursday of April, September and October.

Contact: **Bill Thompson** (Hon.Sec)

The Cottage, The Common, Downley HP13 5YJ

Tel: 01494 520648

- **The Downley Old School Community Association**

**Downley Old School Community Centre, School Close, Downley, HP13 5TR**

Downley Old School Community Centre is a popular local community facility. It is managed by a volunteer management committee called DOSCA. This picturesque Victorian building comprises two large meeting rooms, a community library and kitchen. There is ample parking outside. The building is available for hire and is ideal as a children's party venue.

As well as providing a meeting place for many local clubs and groups, it also houses the Downley Community Library (see below for opening times), a Mother and Toddler Group on Mondays, and the daily After School Club on weekday afternoons during term time.

Contacts:

Chairman: **David Worsdall**      [worsdall@compuserve.com](mailto:worsdall@compuserve.com)

Secretary: **Claire Garrity**      [claire.garrity@googlemail.com](mailto:claire.garrity@googlemail.com)

Bookings: **Anna Braisher**      Tel: 01494 442719

- **Downley Community Library**

Downley Old School Community Centre, School Close, Downley

The Downley Community Library was set up in 2004 under the umbrella of Downley Old School Community Association. At present the library is open on the following days:

Monday	10:00am	to 12:00pm
Thursday	3:00pm	to 5:00pm
Saturday	10:00am	to 12:00pm

We have an exceptional range of children's plus a full range of adult books, both fiction and non-fiction. In addition we have full broadband connection to the Internet with two computers available for use by the public. Other items that may be of interest is a small stock of audio tapes and jigsaws. We also run a "Story Time" for the Mother & Toddlers group on Monday morning.

Our charges for each book loan is 20p per book and for the Internet it is £1.00 for half an hours use.

Contacts:

Tel: 01494 528133  
during library open times  
[enquiries@downleylibrary.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@downleylibrary.org.uk)  
[johnmorris4@ntlworld.com](mailto:johnmorris4@ntlworld.com)

or the Secretary on:

Out of library hours you may also contact:

The Chairperson **Joan Miles**

Tel: 01494 532311

Or

The Secretary **John Morris**

Tel:01494 528683

- **Downley Coffee Stop**

**St James Church Hall, Plomer Hill, Downley**

Open every Monday throughout the year except Bank Holidays from 11a.m. to 1.30p.m. The Winter menu includes homemade soup and Jacket Potatoes; Summer menu offers Ploughman's Lunches, as well as homemade cakes and snacks. Special events in February, at Easter, Harvest Lunch and Christmas. Run by a twenty strong team of jolly volunteers! Any proceeds donated twice yearly to local good causes.

A warm welcome to all ages - a great place to come if you are new to Downley!

Coordinator: **Anne Buxton**

10 Woodcote Green, Downley HP13 5UN

Email: [pabuxton@hotmail.com](mailto:pabuxton@hotmail.com)

- **Downley Community Orchard**

The Community Orchard is situated north of the Jubilee Allotments. There are no regular scheduled meetings, please make contact to be included on the mailing list for information.

Contact: 4 Moor Lane, Downley, HP13 5YP

Email: [johhnygreyhound@waitrose.com](mailto:johhnygreyhound@waitrose.com)

- **Downley Day**

Downley Day is held on Downley Common on the third Saturday in June each year. It is an opportunity for local groups, schools and Art and Crafts to get together, raise funds and be accessible to the residents of the community. Together with the children's Disco the night before, it brings the majority of the community together over a two day period.

Contacts: Chairman: **Bill Thompson**

Secretary: **David Stagg**

email:

Tel: 01494 530736

Treasurer: **Helen Emery**

- **Downley Neighbourhood Watch Association**

The Association meets every four months at St James Hall, Plomer Hill, 7.30 for 8.00pm. There is usually a speaker and when possible one of the local Beat Officers and/or PCSOs are encouraged to be present.

The Association is an independent body of accredited neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinators within the Downley Beat Area. The aim of the association is to provide an additional dimension to traditional Neighbourhood Watch duties, including mutual support for Co-ordinators and deputies, to work with Thames Valley Police and other authorities, and to foster a caring and active community.

Contacts: Chairman: **Roger Lawson**

39 Sunnycroft Downley, HP13 5UQ

Secretary: **Margaret Williams**

Email: m-williams26@sky.com

Tel: 01494 528047

Tel: 01494 527629

- **Downley Parish Council**

The Parish Council meets on the second Tuesday of each month at the Memorial Hall, High Street, Downley. The meetings are open to the public.

For contact details see the Useful Contacts section.

- **Safer Routes to School**

**c/o The Downley School, Faulkner Way, High Wycombe, Bucks HP13 5AL**

The Safer Routes to School Group meet monthly to discuss how to raise awareness of the benefits of walking to school we also discuss ways to improve the quality and safety of the routes used by both pedestrians and cyclists within Downley. The SRS Group in conjunction with Bucks County Council organises the Go For Gold Scheme at The Downley School as well as organising the Walk to School Initiatives twice a year and maintaining the School Travel Plan. Some of our other aims are to reduce traffic congestion around the school as well as improve road safety within the village.

Our usual start time is 8pm and meetings are held at the beginning of every month in members' homes. Please contact us for details of the next meeting.

Contact:

Tel: 01494 527033

email: office@downley.bucks.sch.uk please put Safer Routes to School in the subject line.

- **Downley War Memorial Hall**  
**High Street, Downley**

The Downley War Memorial Hall was built by Downley villagers themselves just after the First World War and was completed in 1924. An annual Memorial Service and wreath laying takes place there on Remembrance Sunday in November.

The Hall meeting facilities are used by the community within a three mile radius, and many local organisations meet there regularly. It can be hired for other events such as birthday parties.

It is managed by a Committee of Trustees made up of elected and nominated members. It is a registered charity. There are monthly meetings, and an Annual General Meeting in April each year to which members of the public are welcome.

Contact: **Pam Brooks**,

Tel: 01494 436161

Email: [pbrooks.dpc@googlemail.com](mailto:pbrooks.dpc@googlemail.com)

- **Downley Village News**

The Downley Village News is a quarterly magazine. Deadlines for articles are 31<sup>st</sup> March, 30<sup>th</sup> June, 30<sup>th</sup> September, and 31<sup>st</sup> December.

Contact: **William and Joanna Basterfield**

Tel: 01494 446058

Email: [downleynews@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:downleynews@hotmail.co.uk)

# Downley Groups and Clubs

## ❖ Downley Art Group

Meets Thursday 9.30 – 12.00 St James Hall, Plomer Hill. A friendly group who set their own agenda, learn from each other and sometimes use a professional. Please check for terms times and availability of places.

Contact: **Lorna Murray**

Tel 01494 638236

or

Contact: **Bob Hawtin**

Tel 01494 445801

## ❖ Downley Bridge Club

Meets Thursday 7.00 - 9.45 p.m. at Downley Old School Community Centre  
Everyone welcome.

Contact: **Margaret Stagg**

Tel. 01494 530736

Email: [margaret.stagg@tesco.net](mailto:margaret.stagg@tesco.net)

## ❖ Downley Gardening Club

Meets October - May, third Monday of the month at St James Church Hall, Plomer Hill.

A visiting speaker gives a presentation on one of a variety of topics associated with gardening. Refreshments are available at meetings and visitors are always welcome. Other benefits of membership include a free monthly newsletter delivered to the door, evening visit and summer trips, discounted admission of Wisley RHS Garden, Autumn Show, free cheese and wine (November), free homemade mince pies (December).

Membership enquiries see contact below, or come along to a meeting.

Contact: **DGC Membership – Ken Thompson**

Tel. 01494 524622

## ❖ Downley Wine & Beer Club

The Club is for making new friends who just happen to share a common interest in tasting wine, beer, liqueurs and other specialist drinks including cider, fruit beers, organic wines, ports and sheries. Some meetings are themed around food as well. With a centrally sited venue within staggering distance of so many Downley residents you are most welcome to come along for a relaxing evening of chat, drinking and socialising.

Meetings on the second Wednesday of each month, 8.00 pm at the Downley Old School Community Centre, School Close, Downley.

Contact: **Andy Ashton**

Tel 01494 443618

Email: [ashtonsathome@talktalk.net](mailto:ashtonsathome@talktalk.net)

❖ **Downley Evening WI**

**C/o The Bucks Federation of Women's Institutes, Stuart Lodge, Stuart Road  
High Wycombe HP13 5LA**

Meets every second Tuesday, 7.45 pm, The Pastures Free Methodist Church.

“We've been together now for forty years...and it don't seem a day too much...”

Most months we have a speaker, talking on a wide variety of topics, every one interesting in its own particular way. In between we have social evenings and trips out.

Contacts: **Pat Trunkfield** (President)

Tel 01494 525882

Email: petertrunkfield@sky.com

**Christine Podesta** (Secretary)

Tel 01494 449460

Email: paddy\_chris@msn.com

❖ **Downley Village Evening WI**

We are thriving W.I. who meet in the Community Centre, School Close on the **1<sup>ST</sup> Tuesday in the month at 7.45 p.m.** We hold interesting and informative meetings with guest speakers. Social events are held most months and take the form of coffee evenings, outings, walks and visit to the Swan Theatre in High Wycombe. We are part of a much wider organisations and the County Office arrange Outings, Day Schools and Residential Courses in Bucks and beyond. Later this year (2010) we shall celebrate our 40<sup>th</sup> Birthday. Do come for a visit and enjoy our lively and friendly W.I. who will ensure that new residents to the village will soon settle into the community.

Contacts: **Mrs. P Heath**

Tel: 01494 535998

**BFWI office**

Tel: 01494 526685

Stuart Lodge

Stuart Road – High Wycombe

❖ **Downley Theatre Group**

Downley Theatre Group offers trips to popular West End musicals and occasional days out including coach travel from Cross Court. For full details contact Alan and Claire Barker

Contact: For further information

**Claire or Alan Baker** 82 Littleworth Road

Tel. 01494 437552.

Email: clairebaker55@btinternet.com

Or

**Parish Council Website**

## ❖ Scouts & Guides

1<sup>st</sup> Downley Guides      Meets Mondays.  
Contact: **Mrs. Cathy Piercy**

Tel: 01494 521953

2<sup>nd</sup> Downley Guides      Meets Tuesdays  
Contact: **Carole Burslem**

1<sup>st</sup> Downley Rainbows      Meets Thursdays.  
Contact: **Mrs. Cathy Piercy**

Tel: 01494 521899

1<sup>st</sup> Downley Brownies  
3<sup>rd</sup> Downley Brownies  
Downley Rangers  
Chepping Wycombe Trefoil Guide

3<sup>rd</sup> High Wycombe (Downley) Scout Group Gemini Cubs

If you are new to the area and you have children from 1 year old onwards, and you want them to join when they are older, it is best to get your name on the waiting list NOW.

Beavers Scouts 6-8, Cubs 8-10½, Scouts 10½ -14 all very full with waiting lists. Leaders are needed for all sections. We need another Beaver Colony and Cub Pack to cope with demand. We can offer a full programme of activities for Cub Scouts, including Scoutcraft, camping, firelighting, sporting activities, lots of fun and many badges to be earned.

Meets Fridays.

Contact: (for all groups) **James Milur** 64 Southfield Road, High Wycombe, HP13 5LA

Tel: 07876681787

## Downley Schools

### ✓ **The Downley School**

**Faulkner Way, Downley, Bucks, HP13 5AL**

The Downley School is a community primary school which caters for children from 4 – 11. If you would like to know more about us, please log on to our school website where you will find our school prospectus and lots more useful information. If you do not have access to the Internet please contact the school on the number listed below.

See also Downley After School Club and Safer Routes to School in the Community Activities section.

Contact: **Mrs Sue Webb** Headteacher

Tel: 01494 527033

Fax: 01494 474485

Email:- [office@downley.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:office@downley.bucks.sch.uk)

Website: [www.downley.bucks.sch.uk](http://www.downley.bucks.sch.uk)

### ✓ **The Disraeli School**

**The Pastures, High Wycombe, HP13 5JS**

The Disraeli School and Children's Centre is an exciting, challenging, larger than average primary school, serving children from 0 to 11. It is an extended school with a Children's Centre; the rationale behind this was to enable the school to work with families from birth. The school has three specialist SEN ARP's, two for social communication difficulties and one for language.

We offer wraparound care, breakfast, after school, holiday club and Adult Education.

We do really believe every child matters and we want our children to enjoy school. This is why we offer over 60 free extra curricular clubs per week to give our children opportunities, skill and experiences they may not otherwise be able to access.

Over the last few years in recognition of good practice we have achieved national awards including Quality mark three times, National Healthy School five years ago; Art mark Gold in Summer 2009, Sport mark, ICT mark, Investors in people, Active mark and Investors in Families for the second time. We are also proud to be a flagship school in the Southern Region for Food For Life so this is a really exciting time for our school community in terms of gardening, growing and healthy living.

The School hires its facilities to local groups, and at present Brownies, a dance group and two martial arts groups are held here.

Contact: **Jatinder Virk** Headteacher

Tel: 01494 445177

Email: [office@disraeli.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:office@disraeli.bucks.sch.uk)

✓ **Maplewood School Downley**

[www.maplewood.bucks.sch.uk](http://www.maplewood.bucks.sch.uk)

Contact Office: 01494 525728

Email:- [office@maplewood.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:office@maplewood.bucks.sch.uk)

Head Teacher **John Rumble**

Email: [office@maplewood.bucks.sch.uk](mailto:office@maplewood.bucks.sch.uk)

✓ **Moor Lane Playgroup (age 2 ½ years to School age)**

**Sunnybank Methodist Church, Moor Lane, Downley**

Takes children from 2½ yrs to school age

Time from 9.15 -12.00 noon Monday to Friday.

Contact: **Mrs. Cathy Piercy** (Supervisor)

Tel: 07767361909 (mobile at playgroup)

✓ **Sunshine Montessori Pre School**

**20 Commonsides, Downley, High Wycombe, Bucks HP13 5XG**

A popular village nursery school providing pre-school education based on the Montessori Method for children aged 2-5 years from the local area and further afield. Ofsted validated and able to provide free government funded places. Interested enquirers are welcome to visit so that we can show you our happy, vibrant community. Information packs are available on request. A word of warning - we generally have long waiting lists. In 2008 our full Day Care Nursery opened in Lane End (10 minutes drive away)

Morning & Afternoon Pre-school sessions Monday to Friday term time only, 9am-12pm and 12.15-2.45pm at Downley Memorial Hall, High Street, Downley HP13 5XJ.

Contact: **Virginia Roden**

Tel: 01494 442057

Email: [roden-sunshine@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:roden-sunshine@tiscali.co.uk)

[www.sunshinemontessori.com](http://www.sunshinemontessori.com)

✓ **The Woodland Pre-School**

The Guide and Scout Centre, Coates Lane, Downley

Woodlands is a registered charity which believes in learning through play. Young children enjoy playing with other children where willing adults provide help, warmth and security. We add to this through a carefully thought out curriculum that ensures the holistic development of all our children. We aim to ensure that when children go to school they are happy, sociable individuals eager to continue the learning process begun at Woodlands. We welcome children of all abilities and commit to helping everyone develop and grow to their full potential.

Morning sessions 9.15 – 12.00, 36 weeks per year.

Contact: **Chair of Committee**

Tel: 01494521953 Term time 8.30-1.00 pm

## Downley Places of Worship

### **St James the Great Church**

Plomer Hill, Downley

Anglican - The main service of the week takes place at 11.15 am at St James Church. There is a Sunday School and a crèche and all are welcome. The service on the first Sunday of each month is a family service. There is also a quiet weekday Eucharist service every Wednesday at 9.30 am. For baptisms and weddings please contact the church office on 01494 471545

Contact : **Rev. Nicky Skipworth**

Tel: 01494 526896.

email [nicky.skipworth@btinternet.com](mailto:nicky.skipworth@btinternet.com)

### **St James' RC Community**

St James' RC Congregation are a small but thriving community of all ages, well known for their friendliness and welcoming of newcomers and visitors.

We celebrate Mass on **Saturday** evening at **5 p.m.** (having lost our Sunday mass in September 2009 due to lack of available clergy in the diocese). The last Saturday of every month is a Family Mass that concentrates on the children, and is followed by coffee and biscuits.

### **Christmas Day Mass will be celebrated at 9.15 a.m.**

St. James is attached to St. Augustine's RC Church, High Wycombe and our parish priest there is Fr. Willie Strain. Fr. Innocent Abonyi MSP comes up to say our Saturday Mass, he now has his own parishes of St. Wulstan's in Totteridge and Our Lady of Grace in Booker but continues to serve our community at St. James to assist Fr. Strain.

### **Activities:**

**Choir:** *We have an excellent organist Louise Child and enthusiastic choir and congregation of singers.*

**Children's Liturgy:** *Every Saturday evening Mass*

**The Slough Run:** *Bi-Weekly we help the homeless in Slough by providing food, cloths, blankets and toiletries.*

**Fundraising:** *May Fayre, Bank Holiday Monday on The Rye.  
We support various overseas charities.*

**Joint Managing Committee:** *With the Anglican community.*

Contact: **Gill or Peter Palin**

Tel: 01494 526911

## **The Methodist Church in Downley**

### **Downley Methodist Church Moor Lane, Downley**

The Methodist church in Downley “Sunnybank”, is a fellowship of Christian people committed to worshipping God and serving Him in the Church and the world.

We do this by loving our neighbours, promoting Christian values, and looking for signs of God’s Kingdom in the community.

After more than 180 years and a major fire in 1998, the fellowship is alive and kicking!

Most meetings are held at the church:-

Sunday worship at 0930

Monthly Sunday Craft Club at 1000 for school age children.

The Wednesday Fellowship fortnightly at 14.30

Downley Wives Group the evening of the first Monday every month.

There is an informal home Fellowship Group which meets during the week to discuss current issues, for prayer and Bible study.

Contacts: Minister - **Rev. Mike Hill**

Tel 01494 562860

Steward: **Mr. C Knapman**

Tel 01494 437791

Bookings: **Mrs. M Stagg**

Tel 01494 530736

**The Pastures Church**  
**207 The Pastures, High Wycombe, HP13 5RR**

Services are held at the Church:  
Sunday morning worship service 10.45 am  
Sunday evening service 6.00 pm

Monday evening Girls' Brigade. For details  
Contact **Lyn**

Tel 01494 639525

Tuesday and Thursday mornings "Toddlers"/ Saturdays "Dad & Me" for Dads and Toddlers  
Contact **Sue**

Tel 01494 438084

Wednesday evening Beavers and Cubs  
Contact **Ian**

Tel 01494 530158

Thursday evening Prayer Meeting 6.30 pm  
Thursday evening Youth Club 7.30 pm  
Friday evening Scouts  
Contact **Tony**

Tel 01494 443445

Fellowship Groups/ Men's Breakfast on Saturday mornings  
contact **David**

Tel 01494 636694

Friendship Groups/Positive Parenting Course  
Contact **Anita Turner**

Tel 01494 521967

Contact: **Minister – Rev. Trevor Lewis**  
Secretary: **Penny Gerrard**

Tel 01494 521967

Tel 01494 437765

## Sport

### ❑ **Downley Albion Football Club**

#### **Downley Sports Club, The Pavilion, Downley Common, HP13 5YN**

Downley Albion currently plays in the Aylesbury & District League. First team in the senior section and Reserves in the Premier Division. The team play on Manning's Field behind the Sports Pavilion. The Club have recently formed with the youth teams of Downley Dynamos to bring these under 10 – under 18s team back into the village. Football and Cricket training for all ages are currently being rearranged for midweek sessions between February and May.

Meeting first Monday in every month May – September inclusive at The Pavilion.

Contacts:

Treasurer: **Paul Lenton**

Tel: 07710764872

Secretary: **Ray Manka**

Tel: 07679 744662 or 01494 524545

- All Football and Cricket teams in Downley now come under the umbrella of the Downley Sport Association although retaining their own identities.

### ❑ **Downley Dynamos**

Founded in 1994, Downley Dynamos JFC is a successful village football club which is run, organised and managed by parents of playing members.

We welcome both boys and girls to join our fun training sessions, regardless of ability. Our teams range from the Under 6 year age group to Under 18 Youth and, apart from the U6's, all play matches regularly. Meets in and around Downley – please see our website for information on both training and match venues or to contact the Club.

For more information and to join your friendly, local football club, visit our website:

[www.downleydynamos.co.uk](http://www.downleydynamos.co.uk)

Contact : **Moyra Lazenby**, (Secretary)

13 Ford Way, Downley HP13 5XW

Tel: 01494 472008

Email: [enquiries@downleydynamos.com](mailto:enquiries@downleydynamos.com)

## ❑ **Downley Cricket Club**

During the cricket season there are weekly team meetings held at the cricket club house on Downley Common. The committee usually meet on a monthly basis again at the club house (or the Le De Spencers Arms). Start times vary.

The club have two adult teams competing in the Saturday Mid Bucks League. There are also occasional Sunday fixtures. We have a Colt academy that helps to encourage and develop the playing skills of local children of all ages.

The Colts are coached by qualified coaches on Wednesday evenings on the common, start time 6pm. Both the adults and Colts are able to make use of the outdoor net facility in Mannings field.

Contacts: (Club finances) **Graeme Aitken** - 54 Westover Road, Downley, High Wycombe Bucks HP13 5HX. (Administration) - Secretary **Tony Brown**, 171 Hithercroft Road, High Wycombe. Bucks HP13.