

Firstly, a massive Thank-you for the overwhelming response to our pie & pea night! We did a record breaking 140 pies!! We're so exhilarated by this we have decided to match the money raised by this & would like to donate a total of £300 towards the church Christmas lights 🎄

After getting the shocking news of tier 3!!! 😱 yesterday [Thursday 26<sup>th</sup>], our reopening plans are now on hold! 😞 I hope everyone is keeping safe & well at this very unpredictable & trying time, especially feeling it more at Christmas time, when usually the pub is brimming with festive cheer & jollity 😊

We have decided to run Takeout Thursday Nights 5.30-7.30 starting 3<sup>rd</sup> December, with pre orders. (We can arrange delivery for those that prefer.)

### **Menu**

- Festive Trio of Sausages on Cheesy Mash topped with a rich red onion gravy
- Scampi, Chips and Garden Peas
- Breaded Plaice, Chips and Mushy Peas
- Giant Yorkie filled with Beef in Guinness Chips or Mash
- Chilli Con Carne (Hot 🔥) with Rice & Cheesy Spicy Wedges
- Lasagne with Chips or Garlic Bread
- Cheddar and Onion Quiche

All £10, with orders by Wednesday. We can cope with same day orders but do prefer the day before.

Also, Takeaway Christmas Turkey Dinners on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> December, served 12:30-2:30.

Homemade Christmas Pudding available too. Again, please pre order 🍷

£12/£15.50 with orders by Saturday. We can cope with same day orders, but much prefer Saturday.

Peak Ales will be available on Thursdays and Sundays, as we did on Pie&Peas night.

Caroline Jiggins has organised an advent windows event in the Village this year to keep alive the festive spirit.

So watch the different, participating households illuminate a window each new day of Advent.

The Village Christmas tree is also going up on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 🎄

Charlotte Roebuck has also organised Christmas carol night, singing around the tree on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December, 6 pm. This was influenced by the strong Village support on Remembrance Sunday with a big turnout & social distancing adhered to. Bring your voice & let's join together 😊 & we'll provide the mulled wine 🍷 & mince pies 🥧

And lastly for the time being! Just to regrettably inform you now (it's been a very hard decision) that sadly we won't be opening our doors on Christmas Day 😞 especially with the uncertainty.

As a family we have shared Christmas Day with you for the past 30 years, this year as we can't share it with you in the usual Bulls Head way with a drink, a hug & a kiss ...it wouldn't be the same! 😞

Maybe the villagers could come up with an idea on Christmas Day ie standing on our doorsteps & raising a glass to our fellow villagers?

Let's see what the 16<sup>th</sup> brings! In the meantime, Keep Smiling 😊

Miss you All

❤️ Shaz & the team 🍷🍷 xxx