

Knebworth Festival June 6th - 14th 2009

It's back with exciting new events as well as your old favourites.
Here is a foretaste of some of our plans with dates for your diary.

Show the Village what your Organisation does: Sat 6th June, 10am–3pm, St Martin's Green. For a small fee, you can hire space for a stall - for an exhibition about your organisation or to raise money by selling plants, cakes, handicrafts etc or running a game. Live music, entertainment and refreshments will be available. **Please call Brian Worthington on 816010 for further details.**

'60s Tribute Night: featuring Neil Diamond, Buddy Holly, Frank Sinatra among others. Organised by and for St Martin's Church. '60s/'70s dress optional, but very welcome!

- **Saturday** June 6th 7.30pm. Tickets £12.50 including supper. Village Hall.

Walk: Approximately 4 miles, suitable for all ages and dogs!

- **Sunday** June 7th 11.30am. Starts opposite Lytton Arms Public House.

Talk "Lawrence of Arabia - discovering the man behind the legend": An outline of Lawrence's extraordinary life and achievements, his complex personality and why his fame and legend have endured. The talk will also reveal one important Lawrence connection with Hertfordshire. The Speaker, Pieter Shipster, graduated in Middle Eastern History at the School of Oriental & African Studies, University of London. He is currently the Vice-Chairman and Journal Editor of The T. E. Lawrence Society. Organised by Stevenage and Knebworth Arts Group. Tickets £6, including light refreshments.

- **Monday** June 8th 7.30pm. Trinity Church Hall

Afternoon Tea-Dance: Includes Ballroom and Sequence Dancing.

- **Tuesday** June 9th 2–4.30pm. Tickets £5 including refreshments. Village Hall

Concert: Welwyn Garden City Male Voice Choir and Andrew Lewis, Organist at St. Martin's.

- **Tuesday** June 9th 8.00 pm in St Martin's Church. Tickets £6, two for £10. Proceeds to St. Mary's and St. Martin's

Wine tasting: Sample a selection of fine wines presented by Connoisseur Tim Creighton, of Hedley-Wright Wine Merchants, sponsored by KTA.

- **Thursday** June 11th 7.30pm. Supper, raffle and an opportunity to socialise. Village Hall

Knebworth School Gala Day: Fun for all the Family!

- **Saturday** June 13th Knebworth School

Comedy Night: Proceeds to charity

- **Saturday** June 13th evening. 8pm Tickets £10. Licensed Bar, Village Hall

Songs of Praise: Knebworth Family of Churches invite you to a "Songs of Praise" Service. Songs can be chosen and even introduced by filling in and returning one of the forms available from any of the four churches. Alternatively you might just like to come for a good sing song!

- **Sunday** June 14th from 5pm in St. Mary's Church, Knebworth Park

Festival Finale: Music by **Quintessimo** and drinks on the terrace followed by a Concert in the Banqueting Hall. Refreshments.

- **Sunday** June 14th evening Knebworth House

This is just a selection – details are still to be finalised for a number of other events.

Watch this space! Tickets will be on sale from April.

If you have any ideas or suggestions, please contact Brian Worthington on 816010

All offers of help will be gratefully received!