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# Editorial



**W**here does the time go? No sooner am I saying 'Hello, I'm Back', to saying 'Goodbye!' for another 9 months.

Now that it is December I feel that it is quite OK to start planning for the Happy Holiday Season. I hope that like me, you are looking forward to the break, some relaxing days and family time. Many of us will also enjoy some lovely Christmas services celebrating the birth of Jesus in our local churches.

I hope you like the Christmas cover. What a super community minded little Elf this little girl is! More about her inside on page 21. I'm also really pleased to include a report about The Scarecrow Trail that took place around Halloween (seems a long time ago now). It is always good to hear about a local person winning recognition, so do look for news about Judith Collins inside this issue – and if you want a Christmas wreath, you need look no further. With all the usual reports from clubs and societies around and about, I hope you will enjoy this issue.

So its 'Goodbye from Me' and 'Hello to Abbie' in January. Have a wonderful – and safe–time this Christmas.

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# East Woodhay Women's Institute



**October 2021** It was our first meeting back in the hall but not quite what we were expecting. Our meeting was run by the non-committee members and the speaker had been booked. Unfortunately, Covid struck and she was unable to come, but promised to come in the future.

Adrian Little, the husband of one of our members was persuaded to come and talk about their business of buying & selling toys instead – his special interest being soldiers. It soon became apparent that he was a real enthusiast. This he put over to his audience, who judging by their faces were really engaged. Thank you Adrian!

We had two new members and two guests and although we were not at full strength – we felt uplifted. *June Milsom*

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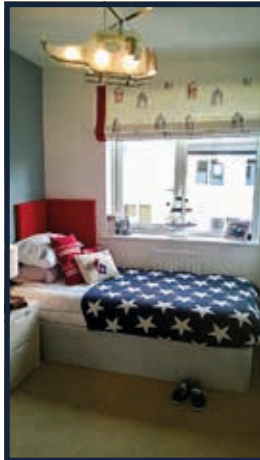
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## National Women's Register



**Our first meeting in October covered a very eclectic range of topics on orange.** Sainsbury's orange logo developed in the 1960's as orange was seen to have connotations of confidence, cheerfulness and warmth; Orange County in California is named after the citrus fruits that used to grow there; Orangeries were first built in the seventeenth century for merchants who imported exotic plants that needed heat and sunlight. Tigers hunt mainly in the dark as their prey cannot easily distinguish between orange and green, therefore the tiger can pounce before the prey can escape.

The House of Orange, is the current reigning house of the Netherlands with a long history in European politics. They are strongly protestant and instrumental in securing the independence of the Dutch state from Spanish Catholic rule. The Orange order in Northern Ireland strongly supports the British union and is associated with marches, most notably on July 12<sup>th</sup> to celebrate the Battle of the Boyne when the protestants defeated their catholic rulers.

Orange pumpkin lanterns are associated with Halloween which derives its name from All Hallows Eve, and is associated with death, ghosts and ghoulies. This tradition dates back centuries and is derived from an Irish myth about Stingy Jack and his pact with the devil. Orange marmalade originated in Portugal. In 1797 the Keiller family started making marmalade in Dundee followed by James Robertson who developed Golden Shred in 1864. Paddington bear was an avid fan of marmalade with his love of marmalade sandwiches!

**Children's books and hobbies, our second meeting in October,** was introduced with the history of Board games which can be traced back to the Babylonians, Egyptians, Greeks and Romans. Wooden toys such as soldiers, animals, dolls, spinning tops and hoops changed little through the centuries until the Industrial Revolution allowed toys to be mass produced, with the later invention of plastic making toys more common and often cheaper.

Our own favourite toys were those which allowed us to use our imagination or be creative: building bricks, Lego, farmyards with animals, tea sets, spirograph, jigsaws, dinky cars and the dressing up box, while board and card games which involved family and friends were loved by all of us and gave us many treasured memories. Group play like skipping, tag and hide-and-seek were all enjoyed.

We acknowledged the importance of being read to, and reading, as youngsters. This has provided a lasting legacy as children's literature continues to grow, entertain and educate in the cultural and ethical values of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century.

In conclusion we agreed that our childhoods had mainly been a happy time and were grateful for the family time we had enjoyed.

# Woolton Hill & District Gardeners' Club



## Plants for Shady Places: a talk by Geoff Hodge, writer and broadcaster.

One of my earliest memories, aged about six, is of walking through a canopy of trees into a grassy clearing where anemones had naturalised and were poking their heads up towards the sun. This shady place with just a pool of light in the centre, dappling towards the edge of the clearing has been a clear influence on my gardening style as an adult, so Geoff Hodge's talk about plants for the shade felt like the story of my life in the garden.

For those of us who live locally, the 'woodland' conditions, which Geoff described, will be very familiar. But further analysis is always welcome, so where else to begin,

but with the soil. "Rubbish soil will grow rubbish" – a quote from Geoff, and perfectly true, so out with those stones and in with the organic matter (manure, compost or leaf mould). Also, ascertain the type of shade you have, then track the movement of the sun across your garden and the amount of moisture in the soil at different times. Geoff's tip to add water retention gel to the soil is one to remember for next summer.

That well-known phrase 'a plant for every situation' with which I am now so familiar and wish I had known 35 years ago, forms the basis of Geoff's list of suitable plants for shady places and has also informed my choice of plants. One of my favourites for deep shade is *Viburnum tinus*, which has a long flowering period through winter and into spring. For those difficult north-facing borders, the beautiful shrub *Sarcococca humilis*, another winter-flowering plant, will provide the sweetest scent imaginable. Put one in a pot beside the front door to welcome you home. For dappled shade beneath deciduous trees, there are many smaller plants to choose for a mixed border – foxgloves, lamium, cyclamen, snowdrops, but my favourite has to be *Dicentra eximia* or bleeding heart. The foliage on this plant will turn brown and shrivel up if the situation is too sunny which is a shame as the leaves are so delicate, almost transparent and the most gorgeous shade of green. "Don't talk



Photo from my shady garden.

# Woolton Hill & District Gardeners' Club

to your plants, listen to them instead" – Geoff's quote again, although the 'listening' here is really 'looking'. Finally, partial shade, and this is where perennial geraniums will fill the border in no time. Although Geoff did not mention these, two good varieties for shade are *Geranium sylvaticum* 'Mayflower' and *Geranium phaeum* 'Samobor'. Ferns will be happy here

also and are now back in fashion!!  
Lorna Rains

**Please note the dates of our next two meetings at our venue, in Woolton Hill Church Hall at 8.00pm**

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**M**any of you will know Judith Collins and I'm sure will be delighted with her success as she tells us here. If you are looking for a Christmas Wreath – then you need look no further! Many Congratulations Judith!

"I entered the annual wreath competition (as I have done for the last 10years) run by the British Christmas Tree Growers National Competition.



There are 2 categories; 1 for a Decorated Wreath, of which the winning wreath is hung on the famous black door of No.10 Downing Street! and 1 for a Foliage Wreath. This year 26 wreaths were entered and I won 1st prize with-in the foliage category and a member of my team based at Newbury Christmas Tree Farm in Bagnor came 2nd. I first won the foliage wreath back in 2014.

I have been making wreaths for over 20 years starting with making 20-30 per Christmas Season. Now my team has grown by 2 very good friends and we make between 350 and 400. Which makes an extremely busy November and December. Seeing the wreaths being chosen and knowing they are going off to be hung on peoples' doors/walls or placed in memory of loved ones, along with winning the award again makes this busy time all the more worthwhile."

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During the 10 day period that the SID unit was located in Trade Street, there were 2,650 vehicle movements with around 323 vehicles per weekday and 274 at weekends. Top speed was registered by one vehicle at 40 mph, however, the majority of the drivers were well within the speed limit of 30 mph with only 1% on average exceeding it. This is a very different picture to Church Road (reported in Spectrum in November) where 25% of the drivers were exceeding the 30 limit.

However, this pales into insignificance when looking at the figures for Woolton Hill Road where 32% of the drivers exceed the 30 mph, 11% travel at over 40 mph and one was recorded at 60 mph. Bear in mind that the unit was positioned just below the entrance to the Sports club where there are no pavements but many cars entering and exiting the club together with youngsters on bicycles.

The next location will be Tile Barn Row followed by Ball Hill Road in early December. We will then be analysing the data and making recommendations for the next steps.

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# St Martin's CE Primary School



## Christmas at St Martin's Primary School

As is the same with most families, the St Martin's school family have various Christmas traditions that we love to do each year. Unfortunately due to Coronavirus many of these had to be adapted or even cancelled last year – we are really looking forward to being able to run them again this year.

To get us in the festive mood, the Year 6 children decorate a Christmas tree, which is proudly displayed in the school hall for the whole school to enjoy. During the festive period, there is a school post box where children are encouraged to decorate and write cards to their friends. The 'post' is collected and delivered to the classrooms, causing great excitement.

As part of the school family, the School Association, have a big part to play at Christmas. They organise many events which not only help to raise funds towards our Playground Project, but also show just how community minded St Martin's is. The first event is our 'Secret Santa' stall, where the children can shop for presents for their family and secretly choose, wrap and label their own gifts. The Year 6 children are head elves and help with the wrapping to ensure no one can peak at the gifts before the big day! The SA are also organising Wreath making evenings, a raffle and a Christmas Hamper draw. If you, or anyone you know, may be able to help with donations for any of these events, then please do contact the school office.

Traditionally they organise a Christmas fair, but due to COVID restrictions this isn't possible this year, so they are having to be creative with ways of continuing to raise funds.

We also have a whole school trip to the Watermill Theatre to look forward to which is partially funded by the SA. We will be watching their performance of *The Jungle Book*. There is always much excitement when the whole school get to go out all together!

St Martin's has a very active school choir, with over half the children regularly attending rehearsals. This year, as well as singing at school and church services, they have been invited to sing at the Winchester Christmas Market on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December. They are already practising songs and auditioning for the solo parts. This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to gain confidence and work as a team.

Our Cherry class and Lower School children are looking forward to our Christmas nativity. We are hopeful that we will be able to perform this to friends and family again this year, which is always a real treat.

COINS (Christian Organisations in Newbury Schools) are coming into school to run a workshop for our Year 6 pupils, focussed on understanding the true meaning of Christmas. Last year their workshops, had to be led

# St Martin's CE Primary School

virtually and we are really looking forward to welcoming them back into school again this year.

During the last week of the term, the whole school come together to celebrate with a Christmas worship and Christmas lunch. On the last day of term, the whole school community will come together to sing Christmas

Carols around the tree before they all leave for the Christmas break.

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**A Note from The Christmas Elf's Mum**

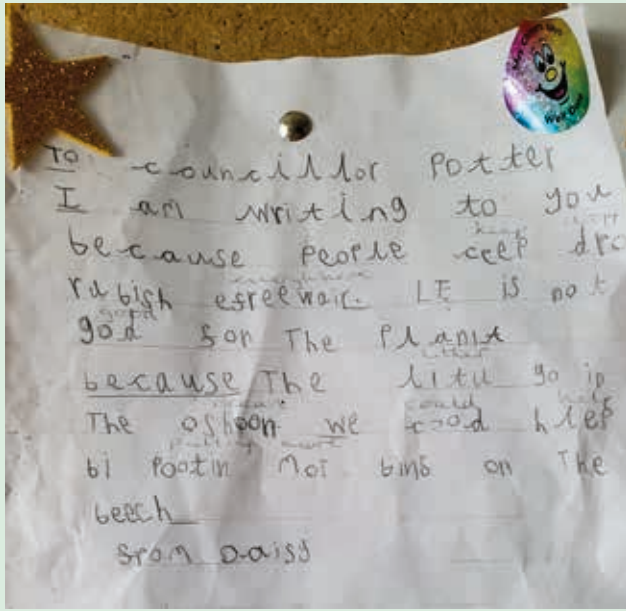
**Thank you**, Spectrum, for running this little piece on our Daisy, we are so proud of her. For a while now she has been so conscientious about our planet and the littering that for her recent 6th birthday we bought her a litter picker. This was, in her own words, 'the best present ever'. Daisy often goes out for a walk picking up litter, and also does it on the way to school. To show her compassion and determination on the matter, she was given a certificate at school for a wonderful letter she wrote to Councillor Potter! (See picture).

Well done Daisy, we are so proud of you. Keep up the good work and compassion you have for your home, whether it be Woolton Hill or the Planet Earth.

If you see Daisy out and about litter picking, please wave and say Hi, it will make her day.

A quick word from Daisy herself ... " **please don't put litter on the floor if there is a bin next to you, because we are trying to keep the planet safe and litter is not good for the planet, so please help us**".

From the Editor: *Thank you Daisy, for your kind and thoughtful acts, perhaps there will be a few more litter pickers given as presents this Christmas! Have a really lovely Christmas and we look forward to seeing you out and about litter picker in hand, soon.*





# St. Thomas' Infant School PTA



During the week of October half term 2021, St Thomas' Infant School PTA organised a Halloween / scarecrow trail around the village of Woolton Hill.

There were 27 scarecrows in total dotted around the village, with entries from local families as well as some local businesses (The Rampant Cat, Woolton Hill stores, Daisy Days Gardening, Broadmead Rest Home and Gainsborough Stud).

The event was a huge success, with overwhelming participation and feedback from not just locals but also families who travelled in especially. The children had so much fun (which is what it's all about) and the event raised almost £500 for the school which is amazing (if anybody involved is able to match fund this event then please get in touch with Rachel Ryan PTA-07833 767793).

A huge thank you from the PTA to all those that supported the event either making a scarecrow, buying a

map and doing the trail, or both !!

A big thank you has also been given to Raj & Sue at the shop who kindly gave out maps and collected donations.

There was a vote for the favourite scarecrow, with the winner yet to be announced. They were all fantastic.

We hope to make this an annual event so please watch this space next year if you would like to get involved!



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Dear Friends,

As a small child I can remember so clearly the wait for Christmas Day, my patience was short in those days! I remember listening out for Father Christmas. I never heard him of course, but every Christmas Day my sister and I were fortunate in finding small presents (always including a satsuma!) had mysteriously appeared in our hopefully placed pillowcases! Then more patience was needed as we waited again to enter the locked living room where presents from family had been placed. For me these are happy family memories... apart from that waiting!!

For the Church 'Advent' is a time of waiting. The Christian year does not begin with the birth of Jesus at Christmas but with these four weeks of Advent. It is a time of waiting in which we recall how people in Old Testament times waited in prayer and faith and their hope grew for the Messiah to liberate them, to recall how John the Baptist heralded the imminent arrival of Christ, and the faithfulness of Mary and Joseph as the familiar nativity stories begin to unfold as the festival of Christmas approaches.

Advent has taught me to appreciate the waiting time, and that waiting, of any sort, is not a passive occupation. The secret of waiting is to be active, either in the preparation for whatever we are waiting for or in simply living our day to day lives as best we can now. This time last year we seemed to be waiting all the time as another lockdown loomed. For some of us this period of the pandemic feels rather like lost time for so much stopped happening, life seemed on hold. Even now as restrictions have eased, the vaccination programme rolls on and much in society has re-opened there still seem to be many uncertainties. The reality is of course that daily life has continued, but there has been change and for some people life will never quite be the same again.

My prayer is that as we re-adjust to the changes that have come about, we may resist the temptation to think we are waiting for it all to be over. Instead may we be open to embrace the new challenges now and to recognise and give thanks for moments of blessing in each new day: especially, in this season which celebrates peace may we notice, and indeed practise, those small acts of kindness which are gifts beyond measure and strengthen the connections between us all.

With every blessing to you all in this season of hope and peace,

Canon Christine

**From the Church Registers: October 2021**

**Baptism: we ask God's blessing on the life of....**

24th October	Finley Paul Mark Andrews	Woolton Hill
31st October	Alana Mae Oldcorn	Woolton Hill

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<b>SUN 5<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Advent 2</i>	Parish Communion Matins Christingle Service Evensong	East Woodhay Highclere Woolton Hill Ashmansworth	11.00am 11.00am 3.30pm 6.00pm
<b>SUN 12<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Advent 3</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Family Communion+Baptism Holy Communion Matins	East Woodhay Woolton Hill Ashmansworth Highclere	8.00am 9.30am 11.00am 11.00am
<b>SUN 19<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Advent 4</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Christmas Carol Service Christmas Carol Service Christmas Carol Service Evensong with Carols Christmas Carol Service	Highclere East Woodhay Highclere Ashmansworth Crux Easton Woolton Hill	8.00am 11.00am 11.00am 4.00pm 5.00pm 6.00pm
<b>FRI 24<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Christmas Eve</i>	Crib Service Crib Service Midnight Mass Midnight Mass	Highclere Woolton Hill Highclere East Woodhay	3.30pm 3.30pm 11.30pm 11.30pm
<b>SAT 25<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Christmas Day</i>	Holy Communion (BCP) Christmas Communion Christmas Communion Christmas Communion Christmas Communion	East Woodhay Woolton Hill Crux Easton Highclere Ashmansworth	8.00am 9.30am 9.30am 11.00am 11.00am
<b>SUN 26<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Christmas 1</i>	Benefice Communion	East Woodhay	10.00am
WED 1 <sup>st</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 22 <sup>nd</sup> Dec (no service on 29 <sup>th</sup> ) Holy Communion Woolton Hill 10.00am			
<b>Rector: Revd Canon Christine Dale</b> (Rest day: Friday) 253323 <b>Associate Priest: Revd Canon Marvin Bamforth</b> 254718 <b>Readers: Horace Mitchell</b> 254677, <b>Mike Sarson</b> 07913 943504 <b>Reader Emeritus: Rosemary Cahill</b> 253306 <b>Lay preacher: Angela Myers</b> 254559			



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## Advent Activities

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We wonder what will be revealed behind each opened door. A candle; toy; a Christmas hat; some crackers and much more. For tiny tots- a cheeky face of pixie, fairy, sprite. Meanwhile, the older children, plan their party nights.

A calendar might sometimes give a chocolate each day. Fantastic! but "I'm dieting" I sadly hear you say! While parents strive to make long lists of Christmas cards and food, Excited children wrap up gifts - still trying to be good!

The final door, when opened, shows a baby in the straw. Reminds us of the story-heard so many times before. By Christmas Eve the pace slows down and all is calm it seems. The candles fade; the household sleeps - immersed in happy dreams.

*Moyra Harkness*

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# East Woodhay Society



## December and Christmas Walks

Please see the separate note in this Spectrum advertising the Christmas walk on 27th December. After not being able to hold this last year, we are pleased that this popular event, in association with Highclere Society, is back on. Just meet at The Highclere Red House at 10.30am for a 11.00am prompt start. It is a circular walk lasting approximately 2hrs. No need to book but wear sturdy footwear or wellies.

The regular Friday Walking for Health walks are on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> December. So, if you fancy a local walk with others just put come with some suitable footwear and join us at 10.30am.

## Pétanque/Boules

We are delighted that, following ideas put forward by East Woodhay Society, the Parish Council have built the Pétanque Piste in the Woolton Hill Recreation Ground. The dimension of construction (9m by 12m) means it is tournament size and three lanes of 3m wide can play at the same time.

EWS are setting up a team to be part of a local league and are looking for players—Would you like to be part of a team in 2022? It's a fun game and can be played by all ages. Just send me a note that you are interested.

Mark Rand – Chair EWS

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**EWPC note** -The Parish Council has also installed exercise equipment aimed at teenagers and adults. This is a Full Body Multi Gym: Leg Press, Cross Trainer, Lat Pull Down/Shoulder Press and Single Pull-Up Bar. Both the Pétanque and Exercise equipment have been paid for with money coming to the community which has been specified as for 'play' use following the Meadowbrook development. The PC will also be putting in more benches and picnic tables into the area and hopes we all have fun enjoying these new facilities.



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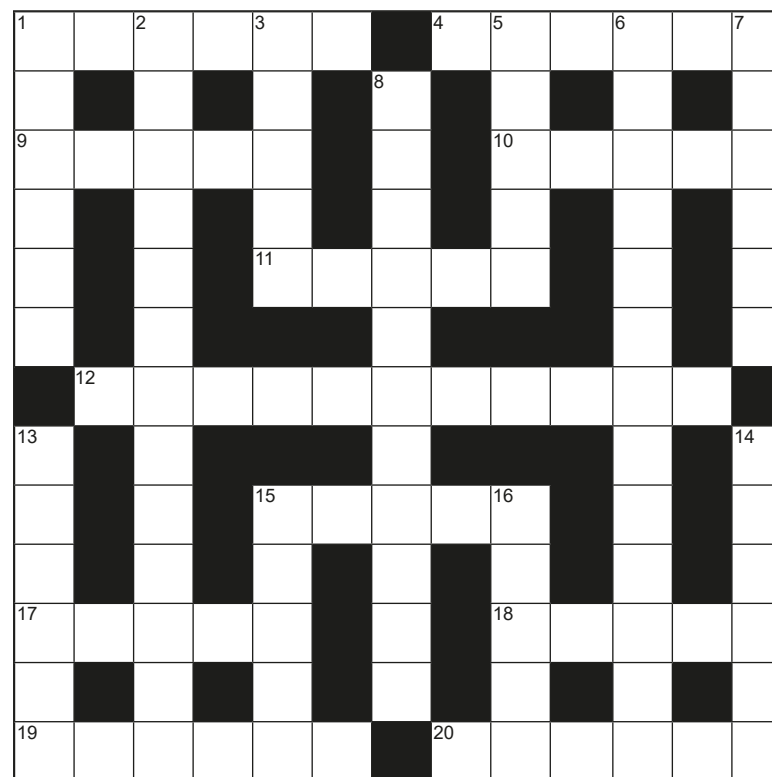
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# 226

Answers crossword no 225  
Across: 1 Magpie, 4 Diesel, 9 Cargo, 10 Short, 11 Yearn, 12 Sensational, 15 Palsy, 17 Polyp, 18 Cover, 19 Embryo, 20 Raisin  
Down: 1 Mockup, 2 Gardeners' Club, 3 Irony, 5 Ibsen, 6 Short mat bowls, 7 Loton, 8 Breastplate, 13 Dimple, 14 Florin, 15 Poppy, 16 Yucca

### Across

- Country bird for Christmas (6)
- Provides light for five hundred and fifty inside cane (6)
- Grass like plant around edges (5)
- Although confused, Rob is on it, taking a curved path around the planet (5)
- I left tail on claw (5)
- When pulling Bill's leg she was surprised that it jingled (11)
- Leader to keep everything up straight and in line (5)
- Is there even time for this party? (5)
- Note chat about goods produced at one time (5)
- Toot at military performance (6)
- Dreadful drones sounded as if they were asleep (6)

### Down

- Slates with a tufted head can be decorative (6)
- Build temple over den? (13)
- Choose the French etc (5)
- Ambassador naturally would add beauty from within (5)
- Do collect Bert before this chap demands money from him (4,9)
- Need extra wide tray to carry all the food from here (6)
- Could Harold smell the little farm he owned? (13)
- Dreadful van Ted drove on the run up to Christmas (6)
- Searched for his supper? (6)
- One in relation to another? What first class rot is this? (5)
- Probing revealed that heartless pig had stuffed himself with a bird (5)



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