

CHEMISTS' OPENING

TELFORD

Lloyds Pharmacy, 6 The Parade, Donnington, Monday to Friday 8.30am to 6pm, Saturday 9am to 5pm.
Donnington Pharmacy, Donnington Medical Practice, Wrekin Drive, Monday to Friday 8am to 11pm, Saturday 8am to 10pm, Sunday 9am to 8pm.
Jhoats Pharmacy, 32 Market Street, Oakengates, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday, 9am to 5pm.
Lloyds Chemist, Lion Street, Oakengates, Monday to Friday 8.30am to 6pm.
A S Kitching Ltd, Limes Street, Oakengates, Monday to Friday, 8.30am to 5.30pm, Saturday, 8.30am to 2.30pm.
Shires Pharmacy, The Shops, Teagues Crescent, Trench, Monday to Friday, 8.45am to 6pm.
Muxton Pharmacy, 9C Fieldhouse Drive, Muxton, Monday to Friday 8.45am to 6pm (Friday closed 12.45pm to 2.15pm), Saturday, 9am to 1pm.
Asda Pharmacy, St Georges Road, Donnington Wood, Monday 8am to 11pm, Tuesday to Friday 7am to 11pm, Saturday, 7am to 10pm, Sunday 11am to 5pm.
Boots The Chemist, 21 New Street, Wellington, Monday to Saturday 9am to 5.30pm (Saturday closed 1pm to 2pm).
Lloyds Pharmacy, Chapel Lane, Wellington, Monday to Friday 8.30am to 6.30pm, Saturday, 9am to 12.30pm.
Lloyds Pharmacy, 15a Market Square, Wellington, Monday to Saturday 9am to 5.30pm.
Morrisons Instore Pharmacy, Springhill, Wellington, Monday 9am to 6pm, Tuesday to Wednesday 9am to 7pm, Thursday to Friday 9am to 8pm, Saturday 9am to 6pm, Sunday 10am to 4pm.
Wellington Pharmacy, Wellington Medical Centre, Chapel Lane, Monday to Thursday 8am to 11.30pm, Friday to Saturday 8am to 11pm, Sunday 9am to 8pm.
Tesco Instore Pharmacy, Wrekin Retail Park, Monday to Saturday 8am to 9pm (Monday closed 2pm to 3pm, Tuesday to Friday closed 1pm to 2pm, Saturday closed 2pm to 3pm) Sunday 10am to 4pm.
Boots The Chemist, 4-10 North Sherwood Street, open Monday to Saturday 9am to 6pm (Thursday 9am to 8pm), open Sunday 10.30am to 4.30pm.
Asda Pharmacy, Telford Superstore, 100-110 The Border, Monday 8am to 11pm, Tuesday to Friday 7am to 11pm, Saturday 7am to 10pm, Sunday 10am-4pm.
Boots, Forge Retail Park, Monday to Friday 9am to 8pm, Saturday 9am to 7pm, Sunday 10.30am to 4.30pm.
Sainsbury's Instore Pharmacy, Monday to Wednesday 8am to 8pm, Thursday to Friday 8am to 9pm, Sunday 10.30am to 4.30pm.

NEWPORT

Boots The Chemist, 52 High Street, Monday to Thursday 9am to 6pm, Friday 8.30am to 6pm, Saturday 8.30am to 5.30pm, (closed daily 1pm to 2pm).
M R Clarke, 76 Upper Bar, Monday to Friday 9am to 5.30pm (closed 1pm to 1.30pm), Saturday 9am to 1pm.

SHREWSBURY

Your Local Boots Pharmacy, Mytton Oak Road, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday, 9am to 1pm.
Your Local Boots Pharmacy, 129 Longden Coleham, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday, 9am to 1pm.
Conway Pharmacy, 238 Monkmoor Road, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday 9am to 1pm.
Lunts Pharmacies, 1-3 Hereford Road, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday 9am to 12pm.
S C Rhodes, 28 Claremont Hill, Monday to Friday 9am to 5.30pm, Saturday, 9am to 1pm.
Rowlands Pharmacy, Severn Fields Health Village, Sundorne Road, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday, 9am to 5.30pm, (closed 1pm to 1.20pm).
Rowlands Marden Medical Practice, 25 Sutton Road, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday, 9am to 1pm.
Taylors Chemists, Radbrook Green Shopping Centre, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm (closed 1pm to 2pm), Saturday 9am to 1pm.
Co-op Pharmacy, 101 Mount Pleasant Road, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday 9am to 1pm.
Asda Pharmacy, Old Potts Way, Monday to Saturday 8am to 10pm, Sunday 10am to 4pm.
Boots, 7-9 Pride Hill, Monday to Saturday 8.30am to 5.30pm (closed 2pm to 2.30pm), Sunday 10.30am to 4.30pm.
Boots, Meole Brace Retail Park, Monday to Friday 9am to 8pm (closed 1.30pm to 2.30pm), Saturday 9am to 6pm (closed 1.30pm to 2.30pm), Sunday 10.30am to 4.30pm.
Sainsbury's, Meole Brace Retail Park, Monday to Friday 7am to 11pm, Saturday 7am to 10pm, Sunday 10am to 4pm.
Tesco Pharmacy, Cattle Market, Battlefield Road, Monday 8am to 10.30pm, Tuesday to Friday 6.30am to 10.30pm, Saturday 6.30am to 10pm, Sunday 10am to 4pm.

BRIDGNORTH

Murrays Healthcare, Northgate Health Centre, Northgate, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm, Saturday 9am to 1pm, open Sunday 11am to 12 noon.
Boots The Chemists, 30-31 High Street, Monday to Saturday 8.45am to 5.30pm (closed 1.30pm to 2pm).

OSWESTRY

Boots The Chemist, 5 Church Street, Monday to Saturday 9am to 5.30pm, Sunday 10am to 4pm.
Station Pharmacy, The Old Station Building, Monday to Wednesday 8am to 8pm, Thursday 8am to 6am (Friday morning), Friday 8am to 8pm, Saturday 9am to Midnight, Sunday Midnight to 4.30pm (continuous).
Cambrian Pharmacy, Cambrian Health Centre, Monday to Friday 7am to 11pm, Saturday and Sunday 9am to 7pm.

WHITCHURCH

Boots UK Ltd, 10-14 Watergate Street, Monday to Friday 9am to 5.30pm, Saturday 9am to 5.30pm.
Rowlands Pharmacy, 11 High Street, Monday to Friday 9am to 5.30pm, Saturday 9am to 5pm.
Green End Pharmacy, 11-13 Green End, Monday to Friday 8.45am to 6.30pm, Saturday 8.45am to 5pm.

LUDLOW

Boots, 34 Bull Ring, Monday to Saturday 9am to 5.30pm.
Brown & Francis, 49 Bull Ring, Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5.30pm, Saturday 9am to 5pm.
Lloyds Pharmacy, 1 & 2 Upper Galdeford, Monday to Friday 9am to 6.30pm, Saturday 9am to 5.30pm.

CHURCH STRETTON

Rowlands Pharmacy, 40 Sandford Avenue, Monday to Friday 9am to 6pm (closed 1.30pm to 2pm), Saturday 9am to 5pm.
RE & CO Alman, 18 Sandford Avenue, Monday to Friday 9am to 5.30pm, Saturday 9am to 5pm.

MARKET DRAYTON

Murrays Pharmacy, Maer Lane, Monday to Friday, 8.45am to 6pm, Saturday 8.45am to 1pm.
Boots The Chemist, 48-50 Cheshire Street, Monday to Saturday, 9am to 5.30pm, Sunday 12 noon to 1pm.

Cash boost for church redevelopment project

A project to redevelop a Shrewsbury Methodist church and hall has received a funding boost.

The Veolia Environmental Trust has awarded the Greenfields Methodist Church a grant of £7,000. The work will include improving the wood block flooring, new heating and insulation and redecorating.

Work to the building's stonework and doors will also be carried out.
Reverend Sarah Wood, from Greenfields

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Methodist Church, said: "This grant is brilliant news. It means we can push the project forward and start work on the much-needed improvements."

The grant was one of 77 totalling almost £2.5m which were awarded to community and environmental projects across the UK.
A spokesman for Veolia said: "The grant

total is a record amount for us since we were set up in 1997.

"It represents our commitment to helping as many compliant projects as possible, in turn improving the quality of life for tens of thousands of people of all ages and backgrounds, as well as the environment. We award grants through the Landfill Communities Fund and, in the last five years, have awarded £450,238 to projects in Shropshire."
Paul Taylor, executive director of The

Veolia Environmental Trust, said: "This is a great start to 2014, both for us and the projects we have awarded grants to. This scheme will give the hall a new lease of life, benefiting the local community and I look forward to seeing it start and take shape."

Veolia manages the household waste recycling centres in Shrewsbury, Telford, Bridgnorth, Craven Arms, Oswestry and Whitchurch. It is also responsible for waste collections across the county.

Highly-respected musician worked at county school and royal college

Retired director of music dies, age 98

Report by Chris Burn
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A HIGHLY-RESPECTED Shropshire musician who was honoured by the Queen has died a few weeks before his 99th birthday.

John Randal Stainer, OBE, FRCM, FRCO, Hon RAM, was director of music at Shrewsbury School in the 1950s and spent almost 20 years as registrar for the Royal College of Music (RCM) in London.

He retired with wife Thea to Worthen in the mid-1970s after his time at the RCM and served as the village's church organist until he was 92.

He conducted the Ludlow Symphony Orchestra for almost 20 years up until 1995. He also travelled widely in retirement as a senior examiner for the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music.

Mr Stainer died on January 9 and his funeral will take place at All Saints' Church, Worthen, on Monday at noon.

Mr Stainer was born on February 15, 1915, in London to a family with a considerable musical pedigree.

Scholarship

His grandfather was Sir John Stainer, writer of The Crucifixion, the popular Easter oratorio.

Mr Stainer attended Cambridge University from 1934 to 1937, winning an organ scholarship to Christ's College. He subsequently spent a year as a student at the Royal College of Music, where he was taught by Ralph Vaughan Williams among others.

He also met his future wife, the oboist Thea Cecil, at the RCM where she was a fellow student, with the pair getting married in 1939 in Buckinghamshire.

Before coming to Shropshire, he was director of music at Dover College but, during World War Two, he worked in the War Office where he attained the rank of major after not being able to serve on the front-line because of an eye problem.

He moved to Shrewsbury School in 1950, remaining at the school until 1958. While there, he composed the music for a special Masque in 1952 to celebrate the school's 400th anniversary which was later broadcast on the BBC.

Mr Stainer was then appointed as registrar at the RCM where he worked until his retirement in 1976. He was awarded an OBE for his services to music in 1973.

He had two children, Gareth and Juliet, as well as five grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. He celebrated his diamond wedding anniversary with Thea in 1999, with his wife passing away in 2006.

His son Gareth said his father had shown musical ability from a very early age.

"A baby book kept by his mum recorded when he was 14 months old, before he could talk, his older sister sang him nursery rhymes and he sang them back," he said.

He said as well as playing the organ, piano and viola, his father was also an accomplished composer, with several of his pieces played by professional ensembles.



A photograph of John Stainer, a highly-respected Shropshire musician, playing the piano just five days before his death



John and Thea Stainer pictured at Worthen Church



A much earlier photograph of Thea and John

He was also an excellent reader of music. "You could put a score up on the piano stand which might have four or five lines of stringed instruments and all the wind instruments, some playing in different keys, and he could condense it to a piano part in real time."

He said his parents had enjoyed their retirement to rural Shropshire, given their links with Shrewsbury School.

"They had kept a lot of friends from the school and thought it was a nice place to retire to."

"He loved fishing and gardening and walking and their house had a lovely view to the Stiperstones," he said.

The family has received many tributes to Mr Stainer, including from past students at the RCM who had spoken of their admiration for him.

"In a quiet way, he did them all sorts of favours over and above the call of duty," Gareth said.

Mr Stainer's musical talents have passed down to his children and grandchildren. Juliet's eldest son, Edward Dusinberre leads the international Takacs String Quartet and Gareth's eldest, Dickon Stainer, is president of Decca, the record company.

Chance for young to learn lifesaving skills

Young first aiders are being sought by two youth groups.

St John Ambulance runs Badger units for five to 10-year-olds in Madeley and Shrewsbury.

Both units meet on a Tuesday evening to learn first aid, as well as other skills such as communication and team work. They also take part in camping and outdoor activities.

Carolyn Zivoder, regional youth co-ordinator for St John Ambulance, said: "Bad-

gers learn the lifesaving skills which could one day be the difference between a life lost and a life saved.

"However, becoming a Badger isn't only about learning first aid. It's a great way to make new friends and, most importantly, have fun in a safe environment."

"Many St John Ambulance volunteers who start as Badgers end up working in the medical profession."

St John Ambulance is also looking for a

youth leader to head up its Madeley Cadet unit for 11 to 18-year-olds.

Cadets work towards first aid and other qualifications and take part in social activities. No previous first aid or youth leading experience is required for a cadet leader as full training will be given.

Any would-be leader will be required to undertake an enhanced Criminal Records Bureau disclosure and also complete a mandatory working with young people

safety course. To join the Badgers or volunteer contact Carolyn on (0121) 236 6660 or email carolyn.zivoder@sja.org.uk

For more information about St John Ambulance go to www.sja.org.uk

Recent research carried out by St John Ambulance showed that less than one in seven West Midlands residents (14 per cent) know even the basic skills that could be the difference between a life lost and a life saved.