

## Village Day volunteers save the day

At the eleventh hour Bunbury Village Day 2009 has been saved, with a new chairman and committee stepping forward to co-ordinate this year's event. Steve Mort (pictured right), from Haughton, has bravely taken the chairman's hot seat: 'We are going to make this year's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Village Day a spectacular event, full of interesting and exciting things to see and do. Thanks to all those who have volunteered to help this year – but we still need lots more volunteers to help both before the event and on the day. If you have ever come along to Village Day and enjoyed this fantastic family event, please consider giving us just a



few hours of your time. We need help setting up the night before, help with stalls on the day and clearing up afterwards. You don't have to make a long term commitment.' If you want to part of this great village tradition, please contact Steve on 262473.

**Bunbury Village Day June 20<sup>th</sup> 2009.**

## Alec gets time off for good behaviour

Saturday January 21<sup>st</sup> marked the end of an era at Burrows Butchers, when 'honorary Burrows' Alec Hughes finished his final week as a full-time member of staff after an amazing 50 years' service. Tony Burrows writes: 'Alec was born in the village and even before becoming a butcher with us worked as our Saturday boy for several years, delivering orders on a bike and helping with the Christmas dressing of poultry. During all those years he has been a loyal, conscientious, courteous, punctual and happy worker, with a great sense of humour. He has been like a member of the family and it has been a great privilege to work with him. We hope you have a long happy and very well-deserved retirement, Alec. Thank you.'

Alec will continue to work on Tuesdays and Wednesdays, despite the long list of jobs he says his wife Margaret has ready for his retirement.



**Mrs Greenbury's Year 3 class at Bunbury School dressed for the weather. Sadly we haven't got a photograph of the giant snowman built on the school field during the "Great Freeze". More school photos on page 5.**



## Community news

Pictured here are **Alexander Scott** whose birth we announced last month and his mum, **Helen (nee Parker)**.



Congratulations to **Hannah (nee Morrey) and Mark Simpson** on the birth of **Sophia** on 15th January in London. Sophia is **David Morrey's** first grandchild (below).



We are sad to have to report several recent deaths: **Florence Roberts, Violet Griffiths, Eric Jones and Anna Mossay**.

**Correction:** We made mention in last month's Link of the sterling job the **Good Companions** have done for the past 20 years providing mulled wine and mince pies after the Christmas Eve Carol Singing. We may have inadvertently given the impression that they were also responsible for organising the carol singing itself.

**Councillor Brian Dykes writes:** "The Parish Council have always been responsible for the village Christmas tree, Tarporley Brass Band, Father Christmas, sweets for the children, requesting the Vicar to give the Blessing, - and one year we organised two donkeys with Joseph and Mary riding through the village. For the last few years we have taken a collection on Christmas Eve which after expenses, is donated to charities including St Luke's Hospice.

A big thank you to long-time supporter of our churches, **Walter Williamson** for distributing the Link for many years. Sadly, Walter is no longer able to continue as he has had to give up driving. He and Mary, who live in Wistaston, nevertheless hope to keep in touch with their friends here. Walter was also a contributor to the Link for many years and co-edited it for a time with fellow Lay Reader Emeritus, Eric Wallington.

Well done **Sophie Caldwell** who recently took part in the annual British Schoolgirls ski races in Flaine, France. She brought two trophies home, winning both the slalom and the combined (slalom and giant slalom) competitions for her age.

We hear that the **Good Companions** are planning a pantomime later this year (Oh yes they are!).

**Tarporley High School** is holding its famous annual **Family Quiz Night** on Friday 13th March (tickets, to include supper, from the school) and a **Hog Roast and Dance** is planned for 16th May. (Dancing to Chester-based band, **The Front Room**, who played to great acclaim at the last School Ball in 2006) Details to follow.

**Bon Voyage** to **Katie Crotty, Clare Jones and Joanna and Michaela McLaughlin** who are setting out soon on a trip taking them to the other side of the world, including trekking across parts of Asia.

It isn't too late to contribute to the retirement collection for local **postman John** in appreciation of his cheerful contribution to Bunbury life over the years. Please leave your donation, with a card or message in a clearly marked envelope at Bunbury School or at Elaine's house, Sunnybank Cottage, School Lane, by March 20th at the latest. Everyone is warmly invited to come and wish John all the best in his retirement at the presentation at the Dysart Arms on March 25th at 8pm. **This is to be a surprise for John, so please get to the Dysart before 7.45pm - and please don't let John see a copy of the Link! Many thanks.**

**Liz Morton** is thinking of starting a new reading group. If you are interested please phone Liz on **261676** or email **liz@pamorton.myzen.co.uk**

## Church news

**Easter Holiday Childrens workshop** 7th - 8th April. Crafts, music and drama for primary school aged children. Registration forms available mid-March from church or contact **Debbie Shears 260707** or if you would like to help please call **Sarah Tomlins 730814**

This month please pray especially for **Mary Large, Walter and Mary Williamson and Pam Thomas** and the families of **Florence Roberts, Violet Griffiths, Eric Jones and Anna Mossay**.

**Stop press!** We are pleased to announce that a **new part time Youth Worker** for St Boniface has been appointed and we hope to be able to welcome the successful candidate to the family service on 1st March. Much more news about this next month.

Very sadly, we will soon be saying a very fond farewell to **Jane Stephenson** who will be leaving us to take up a new position as priest-in-charge of **Shocklach and Tilston**. Jane will be leading the **Mothering Sunday** service at St. Boniface on March 22nd at 10am.

Congratulations and many thanks to **John Batchelor**, who has just passed the **40th anniversary** of his becoming organist at St. Boniface. He was also choirmaster 1969-1981. These days he is more often found playing in Calveley and Malpas.

**Bunbury Guides** are once again organising their popular ladies-only **Crocus Walk**, this year on Sunday March 29th. The walk, an easy couple of miles over the fields around the village, starts from the Pavilion car park at 12 noon and ends back at the Pavilion with a delicious lunch of home-made soup and cakes served by the Guides. A collection is taken in aid of Breast Cancer Care. Mothers, grannies, sisters, aunties and friends (and their dogs) are all most welcome to join us.

The **April edition** of the magazine will be available in St. Boniface from Sunday March 29th. Our deadline for material to be included is 15th March.

# What shape are we in for Easter?

What are you giving up for Lent? Loads of people are giving up loads of things – some are really noble, such as giving up chocolate and alcohol. Others are less worthy; my sister gives up ironing and exercise. Some people take something **on** for Lent; more time in prayer, or something practical for a neighbour.

I'm always fascinated by what children give up – often it's sweets. This isn't always connected to church-going, or even an awareness of Lent being the period before Jesus died on the cross for us. It's just something people do at this time of year. So what makes it so appealing to give something up?

Maybe it's for one of two reasons. Firstly, anticipation is a lovely thing! We do it at Christmas, saving goodies in the larder and looking forward to people opening the gifts we've chosen for them. We wait excitedly to see family and friends again, Father Christmas and, earlier, the Bunbury YCs Pantomime! It's much the same at Easter, when we anticipate a chocolate splurge after all the self-denial.

The other reason might be because a bit of self-denial (or toughening up) is good for us. I'm not advocating wearing

a hair-shirt (see picture!) or taking cold showers – they don't appeal in the slightest – but sometimes, particularly after the excesses of Christmas and a long winter of staying in by the fire, it feels right to take stock, sharpen up a bit and make plans to change things. This might take the form of losing weight, or taking more exercise, reading something more serious than a magazine, or getting out and enjoying the countryside round about.



**“No need for hair shirts”**

For Christians at Lent, both these reasons apply. Firstly, we are looking forward to Christ's resurrection on

Easter Sunday, showing us that He has overcome suffering and death itself, and is alive for evermore. Lent is a significant, dramatic time of waiting because, before we can celebrate Easter, we follow Jesus' path through rejection, betrayal, torture, abandonment and a cruel death – a roller-coaster of a journey, taking us low on Good Friday before the joy of Easter Day.

And this is where the other reason, the self-denial, comes in. As Jesus prepares to die for us, we prepare ourselves to be fitter to meet Him, more worthy of Him. Lent is a time to clear out old baggage, bad habits, the things that detract from us being healthy, whole people of God. And in making things a bit tougher for ourselves, we remind ourselves that Jesus took on worse things for our sake. So let's all remember that Lent can be a cleansing time, preparing us to be able to celebrate Easter Day with joy as well as with chocolate.

**Alex Sanders**

## Kingdom Kids - a welcome for children

Many Link readers may remember being taken to church as children by their parents - perhaps going to Sunday School during the service. Today's young church-goers have the opportunity to take part in some very different activities at St. Boniface, thanks to an enthusiastic group of adult helpers. Three Kingdom Kids groups, divided by age, are open to all children in church on Sundays - visitors as well as 'regulars'.

The **711 Art Group** is for everyone in years 7 through to 11 (age 11-16). We do all kinds of art, but it's really about creativity and inventiveness, not about skill or artistic talent. We also chat about stuff – sometimes related to the theme of the sermon – sometimes nothing at all to do with it! It's relaxed and informal and no-one has to show

what they've done (unless they want to). We've been fortunate in having the input of several different adults; Helen Jones, Cathy Dewson-Smyth and Stephen Broadbent, sculptor and artist from the Harthill Arts Trust. Anyone from years 7 to 11 is welcome to come and join us anytime.



**KK3/4** is for all those children in Key Stage 2 (once known as the Juniors). Johnny Gillett, John Mason, Sarah Tomlins and Debbie Shears take turns in leading this group. Each week is

different. One week we may watch a video, another we may listen to or act out a story. Then there's the games, craft, painting and discussions, and we've even been known to rap occasionally! Whatever we do, we try to help children understand a little bit more about God's Love, the Bible and what it means to be at Church.

**Kingdom Kids 1&2** is for Reception-age children, as well as Years 1 and 2 and pre-schoolers. The number and age of the children varies each week but we plan various activities, using Kidzone (Children's ministry) during our 20 minutes, which include bible stories, talking about how they relate to everyday life, simple prayers, colouring and making things. The younger ones can listen to the story as they play with toys, play dough or colour. Parents are welcome to stay with the little ones. Leaders are Sarah Tomlin, Sue Melia and Fiona Holbrook.

Kingdom Kids runs every Sunday except the third Sunday of the month, when St Boniface holds its All-Age service. We'd be delighted to see you there!

# Good news for Scout hut fundraisers

Just as the Link went to print last month we had some really good news about the grant application which we made in early January to Crewe & Nantwich Borough Council, through Bunbury Parish Council. The maximum application was for £50,000 per project, and we had decided to apply for the full amount. We are delighted that we were awarded £47,000 and see it as a strong endorsement for the project itself.

We still have a few anxious weeks to wait for the results of our application to WREN (Waste Recycling Environmental Limited) for a further £50,000 grant - the decision will be made in-March.

## A time to give

It has been the custom –or maybe the fashion, to give something up for Lent, the chocolate, perhaps, or the glass or two of relaxing wine. That way, we have the feel –good factor, and at some level we can persuade ourselves that we are cleansing our bodies and our souls.

How much more difficult would it be not to give up, but to give, of ourselves, our time, our money. Now that is a real sacrifice.

The Haberdashers have also most generously donated £2,000, reinforcing their association with the village through Bunbury School and St. Boniface and their continued support for our young people.

Future fundraising plans include an enjoyable family event in the Pavilion on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May, hosted by the Explorers. More details to follow.

Our aim is to lay the foundations of the new Scout hut during the summer, with completion by the end of the year. Obviously this will be dependent on fundraising and grants.

If anyone has any suggestions, requires any further information on the project, or can help in any way, then please contact either David Stockman (260714) or Phil Elsegood (260507).

**David Stockman**

Lord, I make you a present of myself.  
I do not know what to do with myself,  
So I will place myself entirely  
in your hands.

Teach me to be generous,  
To give and not to count the cost;  
To walk that extra mile,  
To give my time, freely,  
To listen and to comfort,  
Especially when it is not convenient,  
To brighten someone's day  
With a smile, a word, a prayer.

**Amen**

**Pat Edgley**

## Midnight walk

St Luke's Hospice has opened applications for their 5<sup>th</sup> Midnight Walk. The ladies-only half marathon starts at Midnight on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> June and winds its way through Nantwich and Crewe, returning to Reaseheath College for breakfast. There will be an increase in places this year to accommodate 1750 walkers. St Luke's welcomes ladies who would like to train to walk the demanding but achievable distance whilst raising funds for a good cause.

A form can be downloaded from the website [www.midnightwalk.co.uk](http://www.midnightwalk.co.uk) or details can be obtained by calling **Jane Thompson** on **01606 555688**.

## Hilary just goes on running



Hilary Watson of Peckforton writes to tell us that having run the Race for Life (10k) in Tatton Park last September she has really got the running bug and

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is now in training for the London Marathon in April.

She only took up running a year ago for health reasons and has enjoyed exploring the beauty of the area around Beeston Castle. She says if she can improve her health, raise money for **Cancer Research** (and prove that 60 is just a number!) then she is happy. She runs twice a week with Tattenhall Runners in the dark with a miners' lamp. "I know some think I am mad doing it but my best friends know that I **am** mad!"

Hilary says if she can do it, so can anyone. Please sponsor Hilary: her website is [www.justgiving.com/hilary-andrewwatson](http://www.justgiving.com/hilary-andrewwatson)

# Fun at Bunbury School

For quite a high proportion of Bunbury School pupils, the snow that fell in the early part of February was almost the first they had ever experienced – certainly the minor snowfalls of the past few years have not hung around so long, or allowed them to build the spectacular snowmen that sprang up around the village. Mr Harley's Year 5 class had arranged two visits to Sadlers Wells Woods for some maths work, and the falling flakes made their visits even more memorable, even though there were a lot of frozen fingers and toes. The picture, right, shows Joe Walker, age 10, who just couldn't resist rolling in the snow.

There was another treat in February when, for a whole week, the school library was transformed by a special story tent, and classes took it in turns to hear some storytelling – shown

below is Johnny Gillett keeping his Year 6 audience spellbound

Well done to Zoë Green and friends (below), also Year 5, for organising a cake sale which raised £100 for Tarporley Hospital. Fellow pupils, parents, teachers and builders carrying out renovations were all encouraged to buy some of the girls' delicious home-baking. Mrs Crotty bought extra supplies to sustain the Key Stage 1 staff, due to babysit all their pupils at a fundraising sleepover that evening. (We hear it was a great success with nearly all the pupils, if not the teachers, getting a good night's sleep).

The school parents association is organising some grown-up fun: join them at a **'Sing-along-a-Mamma Mia Night'** on Saturday March 28th. Tickets £7.50 to include food.



## Sebastian for Laureate?

Many Bunbury readers will know Sebastian Burrows, eldest of Derek and Melody Burrows' children. Sebastian is now the proud editor of an anthology of poetry – and one of the contributors.

Sebastian took a dual-honours degree in English and Geography at Keele University and, after teacher training at Oxford Brooks, he is now in his first year teaching Geography and environmental science at Ousedale School, Newport Pagnell.



In August, Sebastian will be 23 but there will be another big celebration before that, in July, when he marries

his fiancée Jennifer in Milton Keynes, her home town.

They have just completed on a flat purchase and move into their first home at the end of the month.

We hope both book sales and wedding go well and look forward to publishing a photo of the happy couple.

## Get set for the Sandstone run

The 2009 Sandstone Run, again organised by the local NSPCC committee, which supports Rainbow House in Nantwich, will start from Beeston Market car park at 10am on Sunday 5th April.

For further information and advance entry forms, please call

**Andrea Beaumont**, Race Organiser, on 732994 or e-mail [sandstonerun@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:sandstonerun@yahoo.co.uk)

# Where have all the sparrows gone?

Liz Jones writes

The worldwide decline of the sparrow continues without a sign of recovery. This could be that the sparrow population is dwindling because there are fewer traditional nesting sites such as free-growing weeds around farmlands and dilapidated buildings in built up areas. The increasing use of insecticides has been blamed because they destroy the aphids on which young birds feed. Surprisingly the introduction of unleaded petrol has been cited as a culprit since emissions are regarded as highly toxic for small insects that are one of the ingredients of the staple diet of sparrows. To look at a sparrow is unremarkable. The male has a streaked brown plumage and white cheeks with a bib that is black in summer and turns grey in winter. The female is more of a uniform brown colour and does not have the patterned head or bib. Cheerful and noisy, sparrows have been regarded by many as a pest and are usually loved or hated when they gather in numbers. They are found in town and countryside and nest in colonies in eaves, masonry, ivy, bushes, banks, in holes or sea cliffs. They have even been

known to rest 165 feet up in Nelson's column.

Many gardeners have a love-hate relationship with sparrows. On the one hand they do gardeners a favour by eating small bugs off the plants. On the other hand they seem to have a penchant for eating yellow flowers, notably primroses. They have the sometimes upsetting habit of taking dust baths in seed beds.

Little birds they may be but they are quite aggressive when usurping the nesting sites of other birds. It could be that this behaviour has made house sparrows the most widely distributed wild bird on the planet. Wherever people build there they will congregate. Sparrows have been the subject of some unusual facts. Did you know that sparrow pie was a common supper dish served in rural Britain up until the 1st World War with a reputation for making the diner sharp witted? That they have been bred and fed in Yorkshire collieries by miners 700 feet below the ground to test gas emissions? That in the Memorial Gallery of Lords Cricket

Ground a sparrow is preserved for posterity mounted on a cricket ball having been "bowled out" in 1936 by Jehangir Khan. Now sadly these birds are rapidly disappearing. I think their extinction would be a tragedy on a par with that of the dodo and great auk.



No, not a sparrow but a large heron seen perching in a small tree on School Lane during recent snowy weather.

# Planning ahead for the St. Boniface building

The St. Boniface Church architect has developed the following proposals to deal with the various problems that were identified at the building's recent five-yearly inspection:

1. Rebuilding the tower's west pinnacle, opening a chute to the stair turret roof, re-weathering the lower stair roof, renewing flashings and re-pointing, sundry areas of re-pointing to the nave clerestory walls and parapets.
2. Removing the existing tower roof flagpole stays and re-siting the pole next to the north parapet.
3. Clearing debris from the south porch, relocating the stone grave slabs into the churchyard store; providing storage shelving and cupboards.
4. Re-ordering of the font area, new carpet and glazing, remounting display boards.

More details will be included in the Link when the PCC has considered the projects and agreed to seek a Faculty for the work.

**The Restoration Trust** has now been wound up. Though few people in the parish were aware of its existence the Trust had played a significant role in securing the fabric of our beautiful church. It was established by trust deed in 1981 at a time when there were



specific restoration needs. Significant sums were raised and major work, particularly on the church tower, was undertaken. In 2007 the trust contributed some £26,000 towards the work on the north wall. In recent years the separate legal existence of the

Trust and the PCC has been complex and difficult to justify, and in 2007 the Diocesan Registrar (Lawyer) advised that the Trust be wound up and that the remaining sums revert to the PCC. This has now been done and all appropriate final accounts lodged with the Charity Commission. The sums transferred to the PCC will be identifiable in the church accounts, available in April.

## Thanks to John

Particular mention must be made of John Elsworth, who since 1986 has been a trustee and for many recent years was Trust Treasurer. At their final meeting the trustees recorded their thanks to John for his dedicated service. John was also a PCC member from 1976 to 2002, Chorister from 1976 to 1992, PCC Treasurer from 1985 to 2000, Tower Captain from 1980 to 2002 and Church Warden from 1992 to 2001. The whole church has much to thank John for. "Well done, thou good and faithful servant."

**Walter Done, Churchwarden**

# The amazingly good news

'God so loved the world that he gave his only son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life' (St. John 3, 16)

In the 1960s Michael Caine movie 'Alfie', the selfish character only begins to look into himself at the end. During the closing credits a song is heard, 'What's it all about, Alfie?' - it's a question we all need to ask ourselves. What's our life about? What are we here for? And the answer is there in those words from St John's Gospel where the story is related of the visit of Nicodemus to Jesus. Nicodemus, a Pharisee, comes to Jesus under the cover of darkness, raising the same sort of questions. And the answers Jesus gives are summed up in those amazing words, 'God so loved the



world that he gave his only son so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but have eternal life.'

The word 'gospel' means, of course, quite simply, 'good news' - and the good news is 'God loves you' - you and me. The Creator of the Universe, the controller of our destiny, loves us unreservedly. That's amazingly good news if ever anything was!

Young lovers are perhaps sometimes astonished to discover that they are not only lovable, but to one other person they are life itself. If that's true for human love, how amazing it is to discover that God himself loves you!

But why should we believe such an amazing statement? Human lovers may well ask each other, 'How can you prove that you love me?' And, of course,

there's no answer to that: the only way you can prove that you love is by loving. Gifts and presents may be a sign of love, but no more than that. So how can God prove that he loves you? - by giving. He gives you a beautiful world and people to care for. But above all else, God gives himself. 'God so loved the world that he gave his only Son'. Jesus was, and is, part of God, just as two lovers are part of each other. When Jesus left his father's side to come to earth, and then died on the cross, God was sacrificing a part of himself - for you and me!

Billy Graham focused his great evangelistic rallies on the good news that 'God loves you' and Desmond Tutu gave a series of mission addresses at which he repeated over and over again the same theme. As many did, at these gatherings, let's fully take the amazingly good news on board today.

**Eric Wallington**

## John Telford Phillips - a twinkle in his eye

John was born in Liverpool in 1925, the youngest of three brothers and with a younger sister Margy - and only five years between all four. His mischievous streak emerged early, and there are tales of his tormenting the gardener, and locking the housekeeper in the shed!

All the boys went to Ellesmere College, where John excelled at sports, particularly rugby, tennis and cricket. He joined the Navy at 17 during the war and served on HMS Implacable as a radar operator. After the war, he returned to Liverpool to join his father in the family butchers business.

He met his wife-to-be, Anne, at the local tennis club. They married in 1952, John learning early on that the secret of this very happy marriage was to do everything that Anne told him to. They had three children, David, Elizabeth and Peter, who became and remained the most important thing in their lives.

Times were hard; John had to work very long hours but never grumbled. And despite hard times, there were advantages to being the children of a butcher: where most children were fed 'meat and two veg', the Phillips children had 'veg and two meat'.



A patient and kind dad, he devoted his Sundays to playing with his children, teaching them to win (by any means possible) at cricket, football and poker.

In 1987 John and Anne moved to Tarporley in preparation for retirement and to be nearer the family. During this time they became grandparents to an ever-increasing brood of grandchildren, 11 in all. John adored his grandchildren as they did him: there was never a dull moment with Grandpa around.

He retired in 1991 when he was able to spend more time at the golf club and indulging in his other two passions (gin and chocolate!) but the family remained the most important thing to him.

John's world fell apart in 2002 when his

beloved wife died after 49 years of marriage. He had lovingly cared for her during her long illness and was lost without her. Sadly, after Anne's death, John's own health began to deteriorate. Despite his tragic illness, and all the difficulties it brought, he never lost his sense of humour and love of being a joker. He always kept his beautiful manners and that mischievous twinkle in his eye.

**Liz Mulcahy, John's daughter**

### Age Concern

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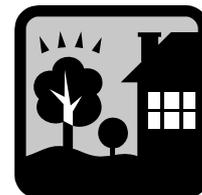
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4	10.00am 7.30pm	Holy Communion Compline	St. Boniface St. Boniface
8	9.30am 10.00am 4.30pm	Family Service Family Communion Evensong	St. Jude's St. Boniface St. Boniface
11	10.00am 7.30pm	Holy Communion Compline	St. Boniface St. Boniface
15	8.00am 9.30am 10.00am 11.00am	Holy Communion Holy Communion All Age Family Worship Family Worship	St. Boniface St. Jude's St. Boniface Calveley
18	10.00am 7.30pm	Holy Communion Compline	St. Boniface St. Boniface
22	9.30am 10.00am	<b>Mothering Sunday</b> Holy Communion Family Communion	St. Jude's St. Boniface
25	10.00am 7.30pm	Holy Communion Compline	St. Boniface St. Boniface
29	9.30am 10.00am	Holy Communion Family Communion Preacher: Donald Marr	St. Jude's St. Boniface
<b>April</b>			
1	10.00am 7.30pm	Holy Communion Compline	St. Boniface St. Boniface
5	8.00am 9.30am 10.00am	<b>Palm Sunday</b> Holy Communion Holy Communion Family Worship	St. Boniface St. Jude's St. Boniface
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