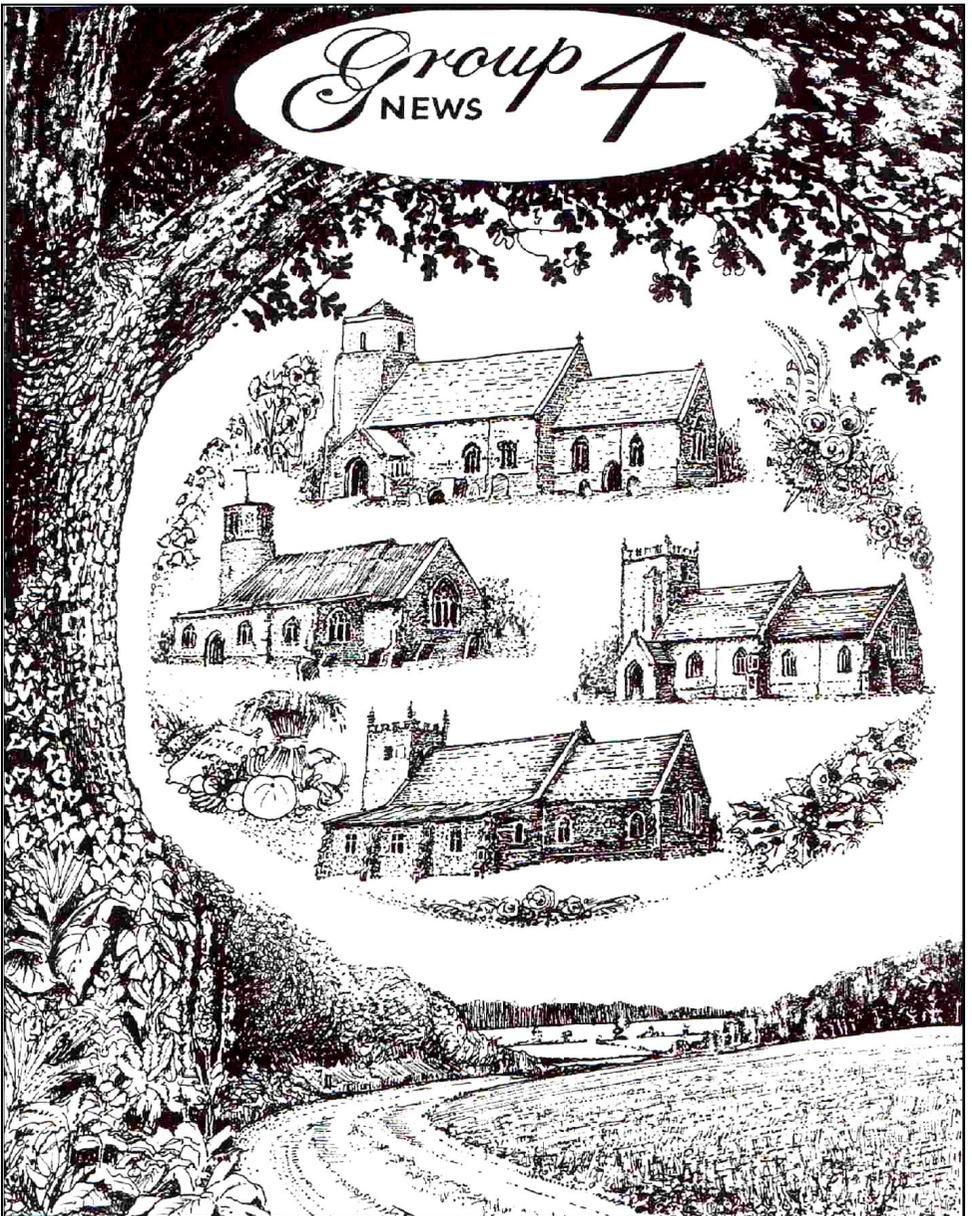


Group 4
NEWS



The Parishes of Barton Bendish & Eastmoor; Beachamwell, Shingham & Drymere;
Boughton; Wereham

June 2012

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WELCOME



Another packed edition for you to read at your leisure.

Once again, there are so many events happening in the villages and surrounding area we are spoilt for choice.

If you are able to attend any of those advertised the organisers will be more than pleased and appreciate your support.

Hopefully we will have some sunshine soon.....

‘Happy Reading ‘
The Editorial Team
Eileen and Pam

Thanks to all contributors and apologies to any whose work has not been shown in this issue.

We promise to include your articles wherever and whenever possible. Please do keep them coming.

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‘FROM THE RECTORY’



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Dear All,

This month we celebrate Her Majesty the Queen's Diamond Jubilee, the 60th anniversary of her accession to the throne on that cold day in early 1952. Before she came to the throne the Queen, on her 21st birthday, made a solemn promise to serve her people. She dedicated her life to them, certain that her deep Christian faith would sustain her. The Queen has remained faithful to her promise and has served our nation and the Commonwealth with integrity for 60 years. Faithfulness is not seen as much of a virtue these days. The habit of faithfulness is being lost – in families, amongst churchgoers and in many other spheres of life – and so to reflect on the Queen's life of unflinching loyalty and faithfulness is truly inspiring. She has been upheld and supported by Prince Philip who has been steadfast in his role as her Consort, putting the Queen, and her duties, before everything else. Let us remember both of them in our prayers, and may we, like them, be always faithful to God, our families and our Church. May God bless them both.

Barbara

BENEFICE NEWS

We must be barking mad – Only kidding

Just a normal Sunday morning in St. Martin at Shouldham School. Reverend Barbara Burton welcomes the congregation to the service. “It’s good to see your nose so shiny Laddie. Oh and your coat is so smooth Honey. Loretta – stop kidding about and Blackie, please don’t bleat until the chorus. Well done Sliddey



for not dribbling your slime around too much, mooove along there Buttercup. Sooty do retract your claws before oh dear.”

Yes you’ve guessed it. A special service to give thanks for working and companion animals.

Way back at the planning stage it seemed like a good idea. April would be sunny, animals could be penned outside, children could hold each other’s pets and parents could relax in the knowledge that all were safe. In reality the Met office declared it was the wettest April on record and that particular Sunday was deemed the wettest and stormiest in April!

Have you ever tried to sing all five verses of “All things bright and beautiful” accompanied by growling, bleating, hissing and spitting? Three bags full we thought. The children behaved beautifully, well apart from the ones gambolling between the chairs trying to rescue lassoed dogs. And the parents gamely sang along, glaring at growling dogs and wriggling offspring. The Reverend Barbara got the bit between her teeth and with good grace and a glint in her eye she led us in prayer, supported by pupils from school. As tails wagged, ears twitched



and coats steamed we sang our final hymn and gave thanks that no animal (or human) was harmed during the service. Gratefully we all sat down to enjoy our lunch until Reverend Barbara said “When we do this again next year shall we?” The School Bursar and I took out mops and buckets and began to clean the floor admitting defeat.

Marika Mears

P.S. Would anyone like any giant African land snail eggs?

P.P.S. And the little dog laughed to see such fun.



Special Group Service of Holy Communion

Celebrating the Queen's
Diamond Jubilee

St Martin's Church
Fincham

Sunday June 3rd

10.30



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COUNTRYSIDE NOTES

Last month I wrote about research being carried out with woodcock by the GWCT. The British Trust for Ornithology (BTO), a much respected non-political organisation based at Thetford, has been conducting a similar experiment with cuckoos, a bird of which very little is known. The development of tiny satellite tags powered by batteries charged from a solar panel is revolutionising research of our smaller migratory birds. These tags transmit for about ten hours and then go into 'sleep mode' for 48 hours while they recharge.

Five cuckoos were caught last May here in Norfolk and fitted with a tag each weighing only 5g. They were given the names of **Clement**, **Martin**, **Lyster**, **Kasper** and **Chris**. **Clement** was the first to leave Norfolk on June 5th and **Lyster** the last on July 22nd. They all finished up in the Congo rainforest although two, the first and last to depart, followed a different route to the other three. They both took a route through Spain where they rested a while before crossing the Mediterranean. The pair then flew down the Western side of Africa via Senegal and Gambia. By doing this they avoided such a lengthy desert crossing although overall they had to fly a greater distance. The other three crossed to Italy where they rested for a month or so before heading directly to the Congo flying over the vast Sahara Desert for a distance of 1,243 miles. **Clement** has not been heard from since February 25th and is believed to have perished in the Cameroon. On March 18th **Martin** was tracked on the Ivory Coast and data received on April 2nd showed him flying across the desert from Mali to Algiers at an average speed of 62mph! Four days later he had crossed the Mediterranean to the Murcia region of Spain. However since April 6th no further data has been received. **Lyster** was at Lake Volta in Ghana on March 14th and on April 2nd was still in Ghana. By the 16th he had reached north Algeria and on April 27th was recorded as having reached France being just south of Paris. From there he arrived back in the Norfolk Broads on May 1st having covered 1,170 miles in less than five days. **Kasper** was also at Lake Volta on March 18th but on April 7th had almost completed crossing the desert to north Algeria. He was last heard of in Algeria on April 11th. **Chris** was recorded as being in southern Ghana on March 14th and was tracked crossing the Sahara on April 4th. By April 10th he was in north-west Italy and on the 29th was close to Milan, probably delayed by bad weather. However data received on May 1st showed he was near Epping in Essex having completed 592 miles in 48 hours and on 4th May had arrived back in Thetford Forest close to where he was tagged. In 11 months he had flown 10,000 miles!

Recoveries of leg rings from any species of bird should be reported to the BTO. Their website is www.bto.org **Jill Mason**

GARDENING TIPS

When I wrote the article for the May issue of Group Four, I never dreamed we should have the amount of rain in April that we had. I have barely put a foot on the garden throughout the whole month! When weather permitted I managed to keep the lawns to a reasonable length and dead head plants as necessary. Many plants are well behind their normal growth for the time of year. The various species of narcissi came and went early, partly I am sure, because the ground was so dry, but since then the lack of sunshine has really delayed the growth of many subjects. However, don't despair, when the weather warms up everything will catch up quite quickly. All except the odd plants that were frosted back in February when on one night we had a very low temperature. I lost two subjects that had been growing quite happily for many years in what is a fairly sheltered garden. I suspect that the unusually warm weather in January may have had some effect. It probably started the plants into the early stages of growth far too early and they were just that bit too tender for the extreme cold that ensued.

Normally we gardeners can start to relax a little in June as the really hard work is done. This year, dependent upon the weather conditions in May, we may not be so fortunate. I personally believe that the above average rainfalls may continue through May, and possibly even into June, in which case work throughout all areas of the garden will be delayed. It is no good trying to work on the garden when the ground is so wet. I do not have enough ground any more to grow vegetables but from my past experience I suspect that some vegetable planting will be well behind schedule. If the wet conditions continue then it is simply a case of doing a bit when we can. Put a plank of wood on the garden and work from that and when the job is finished loosen the compressed soil to allow it to breath and dry out when conditions change for the better. In such wet conditions when putting plants out in the open ground, do not put quite so much pressure on the soil round the plant otherwise the plant's roots may not be able to penetrate into the ground as they should do, and then if the ground suddenly dries out with a change in the weather the plant may well fail completely.

Despite the inclement conditions I hope you have been able to keep up with the garden essentials like pricking out seedlings and potting-on other subjects. It is very important that neither of these activities is delayed otherwise growth can irreparably be retarded. Conditions allowing, any summer bedding still to be planted out should be done as soon as possible. If, as I hope, some of you are trying to grow some quality Sweet Peas, then you have my sympathies, as this

GARDENING TIPS

cultivar just doesn't do well under the conditions experienced in April. They will probably have made a lot of soft growth that entails almost daily work in keeping them tied in. They certainly won't be short of water but they need sunshine to bring on the flower buds. Unfortunately there is little or nothing you can do about it, other than hope for a change to warmer conditions, which will, hopefully, be with us by the time this article, is published.

I have made this point before, but I ask again that you do not cut your lawns too short. I know that the weather conditions we are experiencing, as I write this morning, will make the grass grow very quickly, but it is better to cut the lawns more often than to cut them too short.

Whilst we need the rain, do remember, that continued heavy rainfall leeches out the soil, so it may well be that your lawns and other plants, once the latter get into full growth, may need an extra feed later this year. One good thing about all the rain that has fallen is that we don't need to do any watering other than for plants that are under cover!

Keep your eyes open for aphids. So far this year I have seen literally none to speak of, but as soon as the weather warms up and the incessant rain stops, they will surely be about. I referred to the different ways of dealing with these pests in an earlier article.

I think you can now quite safely put out your most tender plants like dahlias, fuchsias and zinnias, and any others that have been kept under cover through the inclement months. Let us hope that we shall be able to relax once this month is out and that Mother Nature will return to something more seasonal

Roy Coughrey



PUNS - FOR THOSE WHO ENJOY LANGUAGE (OR SEVERE DISTORTIONS THEREOF)

1. He often broke into song because he couldn't find the key.
2. Every calendar's days are numbered.
3. A lot of money is tainted. It taint yours and it taint mine.
4. A boiled egg in the morning is hard to beat.
5. He had a photographic memory that was never developed.
6. The short fortuneteller who escaped from prison was a small medium at large.
7. Once you've seen one shopping centre you've seen a mall.
8. Those who jump off a Paris bridge are in Seine.
9. When an actress saw her first strands of gray hair, she thought she'd dye.
10. Bakers trade bread recipes on a knead-to-know basis.
11. Santa's helpers are subordinate clauses.
12. Acupuncture is a jab well done.
13. She was engaged to a boyfriend with a wooden leg but broke it off.

FIVE 'BEST' SENTENCES

1. You cannot legislate the poor into prosperity, by legislating the wealth out of prosperity.
2. What one person receives without working for...another person must work for without receiving.
3. The government cannot give to anybody anything that the government does not first take from somebody else.
4. You cannot multiply wealth by dividing it.
5. When half of the people get the idea that they do not have to work, because the other half is going to take care of them and when the other half gets the idea that it does no good to work because somebody else is going to get what they work for, that is the beginning of the end of any nation!

PROOFREADING IS A DYING ART

1. Man Kills Self Before Shooting Wife and Daughter
2. Something Went Wrong in Jet Crash, Expert Says
3. Miners Refuse to Work after Death
4. Juvenile Court to Try Shooting Defendant
5. War Dims Hope for Peace
6. If Strike Isn't Settled Quickly, It May Last Awhile
7. Cold Wave Linked to Temperatures
8. Enfield (London) Couple Slain; Police Suspect Homicide
9. Red Tape Holds Up New Bridges
10. Man Struck By Lightning: Faces Battery Charge
11. New Study of Obesity Looks for Larger Test Group
12. Astronaut Takes Blame for Gas in Spacecraft
13. Kids Make Nutritious Snacks
14. Local High School Dropouts Cut in Half
15. Hospitals are Sued by 7 Foot Doctors

....and the winner is....

16. Typhoon Rips Through Cemetery; Hundreds Dead

WHERE I HAVE AND HAVE NOT BEEN

I have been in many places but I've never been in Cahoots. Apparently, you can't go alone, you have to be in Cahoots with someone. I've also never been in Cognito I hear no one recognizes you there. I have, however, been in Sane. They don't have an airport; you have to be driven there. I have made several trips there, thanks to my friends, family and work. I would like to go to Conclusions but you have to jump and I'm not too much on physical activity anymore. I have also been in Doubt. That is a sad place to go, and I try not to visit there too often. I've been in Flexible but only when it was very important to stand firm. Sometimes I'm in Capable and I go there more often as I'm getting older. I hope to avoid Incontinent and Incoherent; I've heard they aren't the best places to visit. One of my favorite places to be is in Suspense! It really gets the adrenalin flowing and pumps up the old heart! At my age I need all the stimuli I can get!

YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE!

WANTED – COMMUNITY GOVERNOR FOR NARBOROUGH C OF E VC PRIMARY SCHOOL

As volunteers, school governors carry out one of the most important and satisfying jobs in the education sector.

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You will need to be:

Enthusiastic, Willing to learn, Willing to make a difference

Committed to supporting children and young people, 18 years or over

Together with your fellow governors you will:

Decide what the school needs to achieve

Act together on both short and long term decisions for the future of the school whilst allowing the head teacher to conduct its day to day running.

Hold the school accountable for providing the best education possible

What commitment will I have to give?

Attend full governors meetings 6 times a year, participate in committee meetings giving between 8-12 hours per term.

Read the papers you receive to prepare for meetings

Visit the school occasionally to see it at work

What can I expect in return?

Training and support from Governor Services

True satisfaction of being a member of a team within the school working together to make a difference to the lives of young people

If this interests you and you would like to know more please contact: Mr. Malcolm Brockway, HeadTeacher, Narborough C o E VC Primary School on 01760 338048 or email head@narborough.norfolk.sch.uk

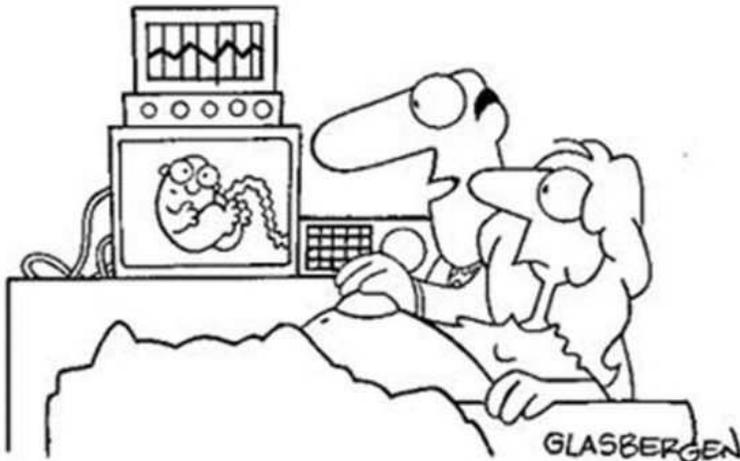
The recent AGM took place at the Assembly rooms in Swaffham. The chairman welcomed everyone and thanked them for attending. The Chair reported that very little had happened over the last year & expected little change in the next year in these times of economic turmoil. He thanked the committee for their continued support before handing over to the Treasurer who reported little change to funds & the committee had invested an amount into a new account which would at last give them some interest, with the remainder being held in the N&P for any cost incurred in the coming year. It was also agreed to suspend member's contributions till further notice, with a couple of small changes to the constitution (a copy of which is available via the committee). The election of officers took place with the Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary & Treasurer all agreeing to stand for another year, the remainder of the committee agreed to continue also with the exception of Ivan Bubbear who stood down at the meeting. The Chair thanked Ivan for his contribution & wished him well.



Swimming Pool Association

The meeting then closed with a date for next year to be advised.

Stuart Clapton (Chairman)



**“Your baby is developing very nicely.
Would you like to send him an e-mail?”**

REGISTER OF ELECTORS

The Government is requiring all Electoral Registration Officers in England & Wales, except London, to publish a revised Register of Electors on 16th October this year instead of 1st December. This is in readiness for the Police & Crime Commissioner elections scheduled for 15th November. As a result, the annual electoral registration process needs to take place earlier than usual. A form and reply paid return envelope will therefore begin to be personally delivered to every property in West Norfolk from early July. Completion and return of the form is both obligatory and important because the Register is used not just for electoral purposes but also by many financial service providers dealing with, for example, mortgages, loans or new accounts. Anyone whose name is not on the Register will not only be unable to vote on November 15th and at next year's County Council elections but will also be likely to have problems using any service that involves a check of the Register.

The form is intended for the present occupiers of an address. The name of anyone aged 16 or over who is expected to be resident at the address on 15th October needs to be on the form and the names of anyone no longer at the address crossed out. The date of birth of anyone aged 16 or 17 will also be required. **If any changes to your household occur after the form has been completed but on or before 15th October please contact the Helpline immediately. The number is 01553 616773.**

Forms received by owners of properties that are expected to be empty on 15th October simply need the "Property empty on 15th October" box ticking and returning. This will avoid the issue of reminders.

In the event of any queries when the form arrives, householders can telephone the Helpline and any of the electoral staff will be glad to assist.

Due to the much earlier Register publication date, prompt return of the form or, better still, confirmation by freephone, internet or SMS (details on the form) would be very helpful. It will also of course avoid the need for reminders and help to keep costs down.

M. Colangelo (Electoral Services Manager)
Borough Council of King's Lynn and West Norfolk

RECIPE OF THE MONTH

Sweet Potato and Lentil Soup

Ingredients:

4 big sweet potatoes

Big mugful of yellow or red lentils

1 large onion

2/3 dried chillies or a very small one chopped (be careful with them, add bit by bit and taste regularly) or you could just add some black pepper)

Tin chopped tomatoes

Seasoning

Greek yogurt/crème fraiche for topping (optional)

Chopped parsley (optional)

Method:

Peel and chop the sweet potatoes into very small pieces and boil until fairly soft.

Meanwhile chop and fry the onion in a large separate saucepan until soft.

Add a pint of water, add washed lentils, bring to the boil and leave to cook on a low flame.

When the sweet potatoes are ready mash them and add to the lentils when they are nearly cooked.

Keep the liquid from the sweet potatoes to top up the soup if it becomes too thick.

Stir it all in and watch over it, giving it a stir every so often.

When it is thickening and the lentils are soft add some of the very finely chopped chilli (optional), some salt and the tin of tomatoes.

Add water or potato juice if needed.

Add Greek yogurt/crème fraiche for topping and some chopped parsley

Eileen Powell

BRECKLAND PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION 2012

CELEBRATING RURAL LIFE

Calling all Breckland Photographers

We want residents in the district to get snapping this Spring and Summer to capture rural life in Breckland.

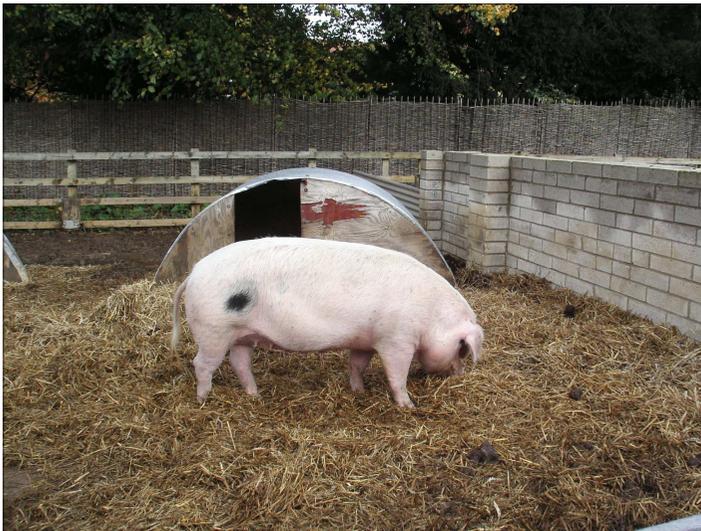
You don't have to be an experienced photographer and we encourage the use of any type of camera.

The four categories for the competition that celebrates rural life are:-

1. Community Life
2. Landscapes
3. Working animals/livestock
4. Young Snapper (anyone 16 and under on the closing date)

Entries for Young Snapper should include one of the three categories above.

For full terms and conditions please see Breckland Council website.



Rules of the competition

1. The photography competition is only open to Breckland residents.
2. All photographs should be taken in Breckland.
3. Only one photograph per category can be entered into the competition.
4. No photograph can be entered into more than one category.
5. Black and white photographs can be entered into any category.
6. By entering your images into the competition, you grant permission to Breckland Council and partner agencies in Breckland to reproduce the images for the Breckland Council website, newsletters, and other promotional material.
7. All entries are sent at the photographer's risk. Breckland Council and the partner agencies regret that they cannot accept liability for any loss or damage of any images entered in the competition.
8. No photographs can be accepted after the deadline of 5pm on Friday 14th September 2012.

How to enter

9. Photographs must be submitted in a digital format only. You can email pictures to leisure@breckland.gov.uk or send on a CD to Breckland Council, Elizabeth House, Walpole Loke, Dereham NR19 1EE no later than 5pm on Friday 14th September 2012.
10. Please write your surname and the category the attached picture(s) is being entered for in the subject line of every email you send.
Then, in the body of the email, be sure to include your full name, your address and a daytime phone number. Please include all of this information if sending in a CD too.
11. Digital pictures need to be a reasonable size – so each one should be no smaller than 500kB, but no one picture should be bigger than 3MB.

View the entries

All photographs will be displayed online for everyone to view at www.flickr.com/brecklandphotographycompetition.

Short listing: Each category may be shortlisted if we have a high number of entries. This will be carried out by representatives on the steering group for the competition this year.

Judging: Photographs will be judged by Councillor Lynda Turner and a professional photographer.

Prizes: Each of the category winners will receive £100.

Touring exhibition of the winning photographs

1st– 5th October	Dereham Library
8th – 12th October	Swaffham Community Centre
15th – 19th October	Dragonfly Gallery, Watton
22nd – 26th October	Thetford Library
29th Oct – 2nd November	Attleborough Library



NATIONAL TRUST



Oxburgh Hall

Tel: 01366 328258

June

Saturday 2 – Wednesday 13 June
(open every day), 11am – 4.30pm

Jubilee Exhibition

Normal admission

Sunday 3 June, 12noon – 3pm

The Big Lunch – picnic style

In celebration of the Queen's Jubilee.

Please bring your own chairs or rugs and lunch.

Picnic-style food and drinks are available to buy on-site from The Pantry.

Normal admission

Friday 8 June

7 – 9.30pm (Gates open 6pm)

Norfolk Dixieland Jazz Band

Please bring rugs or chairs. BBQ refreshments and ice-cream available.

£10 (£5 for under 16s). Booking essential

Saturday 9 & Sunday 10 June

12noon – 4pm

Bee Aware at Oxburgh

Live demonstration using an observation hive. Suitable for all the family. Bee trail in the house and garden for younger children.

Normal admission

Sat 16 & Sun 17 June 11am - 4pm

Boys & Their Toys Weekend

National Gardens Scheme

Bittern Amateur Radio Club will be broadcasting from Oxburgh Hall.

Normal admission

Thursday 21 June, 7.30pm

(Gates open at 6pm)

Macbeth

Bring rugs or chairs and a picnic.

Barbecue (burgers and sausages), beverages and ice creams available.

Booking essential

Adult £12, child £9. Group rates available.

Prices on the day (if available) £13, £10

Boughton
Coffee Morning
Saturday

June 2nd

10am -12 noon

Table Tennis Demonstration
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Enquiries:

Paul Coulten 01366 500315

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'PICNIC ON THE GREEN'

In celebration of the
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Judging for the Boughton Challenge
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Afternoon Tea

Tombola, Bowling for a Pig, Music
and more

Please bring your own Picnic

Marham

Saturday June 9th

Holy Trinity Church

**Strawberry Cream
Tea**

2pm - 4.30pm

Enquiries:

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Boughton

Open Gardens

Sunday June 10th

12 noon – 5pm

At least 10 gardens to visit

Stroll by our village pond

Lunches/teas in the newly reordered

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Plant stall

Adults £3.50 Children free

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In aid of All Saints' Church

Beachamwell

Book Group

Tuesday June 12th

7.00 - 9.00pm

Beachamwell Memorial Hall

Book to be discussed at this meeting

**'The Book Thief'
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£2.00 + Bring & Buy Bookstall

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Fincham

Coffee Morning

Wednesday

June 13th

10 -12 noon

St Martin's Church

Enquiries:

May Pinches 01366 347228

Beachamwell

Scrabble

**Wednesday
June 13th
2 - 4pm**

Orchard House,
The Street
Beachamwell

Enquiries:
Sonia Williams 01366 328774

Barton Bendish Film Club

Kindly Sponsored by Rev Barbara Burton



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'My Week With Marilyn'

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Village Hall

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Fincham

**Village Fete
June 16th**

Village Memorial Grounds & Hall

There will be:-

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Bowling for a Pig, Cake stalls,
Church & W.I., Car Boot and even
Donkey Rides - a first for this year
Refreshments will be served

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Wereham

**Village Open Gardens
Sunday June 17th**

1pm - 5.30pm

Lunches from 12 noon

Teas

Plant stall

Raffle

Tombola

Adults £3.50 children free

Enquiries:

Lizzie Baddock 01366 500233

Proceeds to St Margaret's Church

**Beachamwell
Afternoon Tea and
a Chat**

**Wednesday
June 20th
2 - 4pm**

**Beachamwell
Memorial Hall**

Enquiries
Graham & Sonia Williams
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**Barton Bendish
Village Open Gardens**

**Sunday 24th June
1pm - 5pm**

Ploughmans' Lunches
Afternoon Teas (from 2pm)
Cake Stall, Plant Stall & Raffle.

Adults £3, Children free.
Enquiries: 01366 347432

In aid of St. Andrew's Church.



Beachamwell WI

**Thursday July 5th
7.30pm**

**Beachamwell
Memorial Hall**

**'Running the Wildlife
Centre at East Winch'**

Enquiries:
Jenny Gabrielsen 01366 328 297

**Downham Market &
District Horticultural
Society**

**Saturday 7th July
Town Hall Downham Market
Show opens to public at 11 am
Admission 50p Children 30p**

Schedules available from

- ◆ Nigel Brunn (01366 383006)
- ◆ Downham Country Store
- ◆ Downham Garden Centre
- ◆ Tourist Information Priory Centre
- ◆ Laina's Crafts (High Street, DM)
- ◆ Town Hall Downham Market

Boughton

Coffee Morning

Arranged by Project Committee

Saturday July 7th

10am -12 noon

Enquiries:

Paul Coulten 01366 500315

Fincham

Coffee Morning

Wednesday July 11th

10.00 - 12 noon

St Martin's Fincham

Enquiries

May Pinches 01366 347228

Marham

**Hilgay Brass Band
in Concert**

Holy Trinity Church

**Saturday July 14th
7pm**

Enquiries:

Norma Hayter 01760 339093

Barton Bendish

**Jazz Picnic & Classic Car
Display**

Sunday July 15th

12 noon – 3pm

(Gates open at 11.30am)

Tickets in advance £5 per person or
£6 on the day

(16 years and under free)

Bring a picnic and enjoy Jazz music
Beer, Summer Punch and Ice cream
being served

POSH PICNICS available from
The Berney Arms – 347 995

For more details or tickets contact
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 or

Linda Webster 01366 347563

Proceeds to St Andrew's Church,

Boughton

Jazz Festival

Saturday July 21st

Rectory House, Oxborough Road,
Boughton, PE33 9AH

**Featuring Barry Tyler's
Dixieland Jazz Band**

Please bring your own chairs and
picnic and join us on the lawn for a
relaxing afternoon of Jazz.

Real Ale and Jive Floor

Admission £6 (Children Free)

Enquiries:Paul Coulten 01366 500315

In aid of Help for Heroes

BARTON BENDISH & BEACHAMWELL

JOINT FLOWER FESTIVAL 21st 22nd & 23rd JULY 2012 ST MARY'S CHURCH, BEACHAMWELL (next year St Andrew's Church, Barton Bendish)



After last year's very successful joint Flower Festival in Barton Bendish we are now making plans for this year's joint event which will be held in St Mary's in Beachamwell and we are hoping to have another enjoyable and successful event.

We are inviting everyone who enjoys flowers and flower arranging to take part. St Mary's is another lovely church and, like St Andrew's last year, it will look absolutely beautiful with either formal displays or simple arrangements of country flowers and we would love to see both on display. The arrangements can be purely flowers and foliage or a lot of "props" and a few flowers – all variations on the theme will be very welcome and enjoyed by everyone.

We hope that people of all ages will take part and have deliberately chosen the theme "Showtime" as it offers a huge range of ideas from massive Broadway productions to pantomimes. (For example since announcing this year's theme we have already had offers to do floral arrangements with the titles, Phantom of the Opera, The Lion King, My Fair Lady and The Mousetrap, Les Miserables and Hairspray) We were delighted that a number of young people made floral arrangements last year and hope that even more will join us this year.

As well as Flower Displays in the Church there will be refreshments, a raffle and, to date, a plant stall, book stall, decorative ironwork stall and hand-made jewelry stall are planned. Profits will again be shared equally between the two parishes. Both villages are planning fund-raising events to raise money to help pay for the flowers. With the money raised we again plan to offer an equal sum for each arrangement to help defray its cost.

If you are able to do a flower arrangement or help in any other way please contact one of the following:-

Barton Bendish:

Linda Webster (01366 347563)

linntim@btinternet.com

Mhari Blanchfield (01366347849)

mhari.blanchfield@btinternet.com

Beachamwell:

Sonia Williams (01366328774)

williamsoldies@gmail.com

Gill Sanderson (01366328818)

jsh.sanderson@virgin.com

Wereham Village Festival

Sunday July 22nd

11-3.30



Traditional stalls and attractions including BBQ, tombola, cakes, plants, hoopla, bowls, horseshoes, produce and children's sweet stall

New for 2012

Archery



Jubilee Exhibition in the Church
Raffle drawn at 3pm
Proceeds to St Margaret's Church
Enquiries – Lynda 01366 501308

Beachamwell

Sunday, July 29th

'Jubilympics' Street Party

Traditional Games

Bring your own Picnic

Enquiries:

Susie Davis 01366 328249

Nar Valley Ornithological Society (NarVOS)

There is NO NarVOS public meeting in June, but here is early notification of the July meeting:

Tuesday 31st July 2012, 7.30pm

The Barn Theatre, Sacred Heart Convent School, Swaffham.

Access & parking from Sporle Road.

Come along to this illustrated talk by Dr Tony Leech, entitled:

Witches and Devils – The Darker Side of Fungi

For a change, this NarVOS talk is not about birds, but about fungi.

Enjoy an evening with Norfolk's authority on fungi – Tony Leech.

Visitors most welcome.

Admission £2 on the night if you are not a NarVOS member.

For more information about this meeting or NarVOS call Ian Black on 01760 724092

FESTIVAL ON THE FARM

SUNDAY 29 JULY 2012

10AM - 5PM

GRESSENHALL FARM AND WORKHOUSE

Gressenhall, Dereham NR20 4DR (Follow brown signs from Dereham and A47)

A family festival celebrating art, sport and nature in Breckland on the opening weekend of London 2012.

Nature walks, children's theatre, art and sport activities, a climbing wall and much more! Bring a picnic or enjoy the delicious food available on the day.

PRICES:

Adults: £6

Concessions: £5

Young People (4-16): £3

Family (2 adults + 2 children): £15

Under 4s: FREE

Friends of Gressenhall: FREE

Museums Pass holders: FREE

CONTACT DETAILS:

Sustainable Communities

t: 01362 656870

e: community@breckland.gov.uk



DIARY DATES

01. **July 11th** Wednesday Scrabble 2 - 4pm Orchard House
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
02. **July 18th** Wednesday Afternoon Tea & a Chat 2 - 4pm Memorial Hall
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
03. **August 8th** Wednesday Coffee Morning 10 -12 St Martin's Church Fincham
May Pinches 01366 347228
04. **August 8th** Wednesday Scrabble 2 - 4pm Orchard House
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
05. **August 15th** Wednesday Afternoon Tea & a Chat 2 - 4pm Memorial Hall
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
06. **August 16th** Thursday Coffee Morning 10-12 Holy Trinity Church Marham
Norma Hayter 01760 339093
07. **August 19th** Sunday Beachamwell Horticultural Show Memorial Hall
Dave Guild 01366 328525 & Carole Wilson 01366 328628
08. **August tbc** Boughton Challenge
09. **September 2nd** Sunday Beachamwell Village & Country Fete
Caroline Sanderson 01366 328244
10. **September 12th** Wednesday Coffee Morning 10-12 St Martin's, Fincham
May Pinches 01366 347228
11. **September 12th Wednesday** Scrabble 2 - 4pm Orchard House
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
12. **September Saturday 15th and Sunday 16th** Arts & Crafts Exhibition
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563
13. **September 19th** Wednesday Afternoon Tea & a Chat 2 - 4pm Memorial Hall
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
14. **September 21st** Friday 7.30 Village Screen 'Salmon Fishing in the Yemen'
Anthony Blanchfield 01366 347849
15. **September 21st** Friday 7pm Harvest Supper Marham Village Hall
Norma Hayter 01760 339093
16. **October 4th** Thursday 7.30 WI 'Textiles at Oxburgh Hall'
Jenny Gabrielsen 01366 328297
17. **October 6th Saturday** Seed Exchange Boughton All Saints' Centre 10 - 12
Peter Agate 01366 500 044

DIARY DATES

18. **October 10th** Wednesday Coffee Morning 10 -12 St Martin's, Fincham
May Pinches 01366 347228
19. **October 10th** Wednesday Scrabble 2 - 4pm Orchard House
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
20. **October 17th** Wednesday Afternoon Tea & a Chat 2 - 4pm Memorial Hall
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
21. **October 26th** Friday Bingo Marham Village Hall
Norma Hayter 01760 339093
22. **October 26th** Friday 'Wild Breckland' a talk by David Mason Beachamwell
Graham Williams 01366 328774
23. **October tbc** Harvest Supper Barton Bendish
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563
- 24 **October tbc** Quiz Night Barton Bendish
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563
25. **November 14th** Wednesday Coffee Morning 10 -12 St Martin's, Fincham
May Pinches 01366 347228
26. **November 15th** Thursday Coffee Morning 10-12 Holy Trinity, Marham
Norma Hayter 01760 339093
27. **November 21st** Wednesday Afternoon Tea & a Chat 2 - 4pm Memorial Hall
Sonia Williams 01366 328774
28. **November 22nd & 23rd** Barton Bendish Village Hall Christmas Wreath Making Workshops
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563
29. **December 6th** Thursday 7.30 WI 'Homemade Chocolates'
Jenny Gabrielsen 01366 328297
30. **November tbc** Bonfire Barton Bendish
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563
31. **December 8th** Saturday Hall of Stalls / **8th and 9th** Saturday & Sunday Christmas Tree Festival
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563
32. **December 15th** pm Saturday Christmas Entertainment & Carol Service
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563
33. **January 26th 2013** Saturday Burns Night Supper
Mhari Blanchfield 01366 347849 & Linda Webster 01366 347563

BARTON BENDISH QUIZ

St Andrew's Church:

Television Programmes Past and Present Quiz Answers

- 1 Saturday's contest (5 2 3 3): Match of the Day
- 2 You can't teach an old dog these (3 6): New Tricks
- 3 Floors (8 10): Upstairs, Downstairs
- 4 Totally wonderful (10 8): Absolutely fabulous
- 5 Grand vista (8): Panorama
- 6 Fourth, fifth or sixth (3 4): Top Gear
- 7 Ostentatious plans (5 7): Grand Designs
- 8 Not florizel (10 6): Coronation Street
- 9 Place for 20 hundredweight of feathers (7 5): Downton Abbey
- 10 Moderately diverting (1 1): QI
- 11 Stars in the dark (3 3 2 5): The Sky at Night
- 12 Tiered seating (10): Grandstand
- 13 The bang of a opening (11 6): Opportunity Knocks
- 14 Pals (7): Friends
- 15 Man from a coloured harbour (5 2 4 5): Dixon of Dock Green
- 16 French wine region (8): Bergerac
- 17 Accident and emergency (8): Casualty
- 18 Medical question (6 3): Doctor Who
- 19 One for sorrow (6): Magpie
- 20 Classy birthright (2 3 5 4): To the Manor Born
- 21 Travelling bunch of oldies (8 8): Antiques Roadshow
- 22 Ideal for the Sunday roast (8 3 5): Rosemary and Thyme
- 23 Six legs between them (3 3 3 3 3): One man and his dog
- 24 Extricate me I think I'm famous (2 1 9 3 2 3 2 4): I'm a celebrity get me out of here
- 25 Feline sack (7): Bagpuss
- 26 Nice to see you...(3 10 4): The Generation Game
- 27 Pugh, Pugh, Barney McGrew (8): Trumpton
- 28 Angry streets (10): Crossroads
- 29 Who shot him? (6): Dallas
- 30 Nothing to do with Wallis (3 8): The Simpsons
- 31 Always good fundraisers (6): Raffles
- 32 Tread like this twice to prevent disturbance (6 6): Softly Softly
- 33 Another surname for thee two very common ones (5 5 3 5): Alias Smith and Jones
- 34 More of them than us (11): Outnumbered
- 35 Two trees (9): Hollyoaks

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- 36 Mislaid (4): Lost
- 37 Biggs and Reagan (3 3 7): The Two Ronnies
- 38 Reducing spheres (4 10 7): Ever Decreasing Circles
- 39 Painted by Landseer (7 2 3 4): Monarch of the Glen
- 40 Dots and dashes (5): Morse
- 41 Cleans vigorously (6): Scrubs
- 42 Formal invitation to waltz (8 4 7): Strictly come dancing
- 43 Hint of ice (1 5 2 5): A Touch of Frost
- 44 Friend of Gordon and Percy (6 3 4 6): Thomas the Tank Engine
- 45 I have started so... (10): Mastermind
- 46 An American state with a digit and a letter (6 4 1): Hawaii Five O
- 47 That certain "je ne sais quoi" (3 1 6): The X Factor
- 48 Seattle shrink (7): Frasier
- 49 Enchanted carousel (5 10): Magic Roundabout
- 50 Summit of a small explosion (3 2 3 4): Top of the Pops
- 51 Bottoms Up! (6): Cheers
- 52 A problem if you drop them (8): Clangers/Eggheads
- 53 Torquay's finest! (6 6): Fawltly Towers
- 54 To an American it is called "College Bowl" (10 9): University Challenge
- 55 Sad Andre (4 5): Blue Peter
- 56 Horticulturalist's realm (9 5): Gardener's World
- 57 Before f and s (1 1): ER
- 58 4077th (4): MASH
- 59 Almost Bruce's drama (3 7 4): The Forsyte Saga
- 60 Can I tell you what has happened? (4 1 3 4 3 3): Have I got news for you

Thank you to all those people who took part, about 140 sheets were sold with responses received from as far afield as the Orkneys, the West Country and Kent. There were thirteen people who scored 60 out of 60. Their names were put into a draw and the winner was Margaret Carter from Barton Bendish. Many thanks as always to the people who sell the quiz sheets on our behalf. The next quiz sheet with the theme of "Down the Garden Path" will be available at the end of May. Proceeds from the next quiz sheet will go towards funding the flowers for the joint Barton Bendish and Beachamwell Flower Festival which this year takes place at St Mary's Beachamwell on 21st, 22nd and 23rd July. If you would like a copy sent to you, please send a SAE with £1 to: Linda Webster, Rowan House, Church Road, Barton Bendish, King's Lynn PE33 9GF.

BARTON BENDISH & EASTMOOR VILLAGE NEWS

May was a very quiet month regarding events in Barton but it doesn't mean to say that everyone has been taking it easy – far from it. A team braved the weather on May 6th to tidy up the churchyard and you can certainly see the results of their hard work. The Diamond Jubilee Committee has been busy finalising their plans to celebrate this unique event. Bearing in mind that our Garden's Open is only a few weeks away others of us are becoming increasingly frustrated with not being able to get on in our gardens. Cold nights and the wettest drought on record are making it difficult to get stuff planted out. By the way it is not too late to make the offer of having yours open – the more the merrier.

We'll just have to keep our fingers crossed for fine weekends throughout the summer when so many events are being held. ***Jill Mason***

Congratulations

While all the talk has been about the Queen's Diamond Jubilee a Barton family has been quietly holding their own Diamond celebrations. Eddie and Marje Riches, shopkeepers in the village for more than twenty years, celebrated their Diamond Wedding Anniversary on May 10th with a few friends at the Berney Arms. Celebrations with the family continued a few days afterwards.

For one reason or another few couples get to celebrate 60 years of marriage so hearty congratulations to them both.

Working Party at St Andrew's Church

A very big thank you goes out to the group of volunteers who came to St Andrews on Sunday 6th of May. The main task of the day was to reduce the height of the laurel hedge on the north side of the church. Derek, Ron, Jack, Ollie, Ernie and Anthony all worked extremely hard and had the hedge reduced to 5' before lunchtime! After a hearty lunch they began the clearing up of debris and branches until rain stopped play about 3pm. Meanwhile the girls were working on the church building. Jocelyn and Tiv did a super job painting railings and doors while the old oak doors had some long over due attention with bees wax and turpentine which they soaked up very quickly! Many thanks to all of you who gave up your Sunday to help, your hard work is very, very much appreciated and without you these jobs could not have been done. Thank you!

Mhari Blanchfield & Linda Webster

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Programme for the Jubilee Weekend

Our Jubilee Celebrations welcomes all residents of Barton Bendish and Eastmoor, also ex-residents and anyone with close connections with the villages.

Our plans and activities involve optional dress themes - on Sunday there will be prizes for the best children's costumes.

Saturday 2nd June: We are all invited as guests of Lt. Col. Ian Berchem at Holly House, Fincham Road at 12 noon to raise the flag and drink a toast to our Queen. Dress theme: Derby Day or Royal Garden Party. Drinks and nibbles courtesy of our host.

Sunday 3rd June: Pot-Luck Picnic. Dress theme: Royalty [prizes for the children]. Royalty – this can be historical or fiction e.g. Princess Fiona from Shreck, Prince Charming or even Boadicea.

12 noon – Please bring your contributions for the picnic.

12 30 - The Picnic

2.00 - Those who have not joined in the picnic are welcome for the fun and games which include: face painting, wheelbarrow races (heavier wheelbarrows will get a start, bring your own or use one of ours), ride-on lawnmower race (you need your own or borrow one), egg and spoon races for all ages, Splat the Rat, Bopit, under tens bring bikes or trikes for a cycle race.

Monday 4th June: Dress theme “the fifties”. The Berney Arms will be offering a specially priced B.B.Q in the late afternoon (see their website).

6.30 for 7.00 Diamond Jubilee Social Evening with a varied programme of entertainment provide by our talented villagers under the direction of Lissa Kinsey with welcome drink and nibbles.

9.15 depart for the Beacon site which will be set alight at 10.15.

The Barton Bendish Jubilee Committee would like to thank the following for their financial support:-

Norfolk Community Foundation, Borough Council of King's Lynn and West Norfolk Jubilee Celebration Fund, Norfolk's Year of Celebrations Grant Fund, Barton Bendish Parish Council and Jill & David Mason's Easter Coffee Morning.

Our thanks also go to Lt.Col I.R. Berchem for Hosting the Flag Raising opener on Sat 2nd and Barton Bendish Farms and Albanwise Ltd. for hosting the Jubilee Beacon Lighting Ceremony. ***The Diamond Jubilee Committee***

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Quiz Sheet

Look out for the next quiz sheet which will be available at the end of May. Proceeds from this will go towards funding the cost of the flowers for our joint Flower Festival with Beachamwell in July.

Barton Bendish Film Club

The next presentation is 'My Week with Marilyn' on Friday 15th June, Barton Bendish Village Hall, 7:30pm Tickets £4 in advance £5 on the door. Refreshments included. Email bookings taken at cinemabarton@gmail.com. Alternatively telephone, 01366 347849. Details of future showings are available at the club website at: www.bartonbendishfilmclub.btck.co.uk'.

'My Week with Marilyn' stars Michelle Williams, Kenneth Brannagh, Judi Dench and a host of other big names. It is a film about Marilyn Munro and Lawrence Olivier, which is similar in tone to the King's Speech.

Barton Bendish Gardens Open - Sunday 24th June

The Gardens will be open from 11am - 5pm. Ploughmans' Lunches will be served again this year in the Village Hall from noon. Afternoon teas will be served from 2pm. Maureen Buck will have the cake stall and I will have the Plant Stall. There will also be a Raffle.

Donations of Cakes, Plants & Raffle prizes will be greatly appreciated All Proceeds from the day will go to St. Andrew's Church. Please let me know if you are able to help on the day, and/or willing to have your garden open.

Maureen Tasker 01366 347432

Jazz Picnic and Classic Car Display—Sunday 15th July

Gates open at 11.30am Music from 12 noon until 3pm

Come and join us in the grounds of Barton Bendish Hall and enjoy your picnic to the wonderful music played by the Jazz Band!!

This year we are also delighted to announce that we shall be joined by the Rolls Royce Enthusiasts Club who will be bringing a display of approximately 20 cars. For those of you who would like to make this a treat event for someone special, you can take the stress of organising the picnic away by booking a 'Posh Picnic' from the Berney Arms. There will be a range of options available and it will be delivered to you at the Jazz Picnic – please contact them for more details.

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Draught beer and an alcoholic summer punch as well as soft drinks and ice creams will also be available at the venue this year.

Our thanks as always go to Luca and Carolyn Padulli for allowing us to use their field and their beautiful gardens as a backdrop and to the Berney Arms for organising the 'bar' and the picnics.

Tickets are £5 in advance and £6 on the gate, under 16s are free, and are available from

Mhari 01366 347849, Linda 01366 347849 and from The Berney Arms 01366 347995 Proceeds to St Andrew's Church Funds.

Joint Flower Festival 21st, 22nd and 23rd July

If you are interested in arranging flowers (the theme is 'Showtime'), helping at this event or would be prepared to provide a cake for the refreshments please contact Linda 01366 347563 or Mhari 347849 who will be delighted to hear from you!

Barton — Boughton Bake Off. Sunday 19th August at 2pm

As winners of last year's inter village challenge (the Bucket Challenge) the challenge this year will be held in Barton Bendish. We are challenging Boughton to a cake 'bake off'. There will be three sections - one for under 16s, one for 'normal cakes' and one for novelty cakes. The event is still in the planning stages so more details to follow but having experienced the wonderful cakes people produce for our village events we are hopeful that we will do well! Please put the date in your diary.

People from Barton and beyond will also be needed to help with the tasting / judging! *Mhari & Linda*

Art, Photography and Craft Exhibition

15th and 16th September (Preview evening of 14th September)

The organising committee have started to meet once again to plan our fourth annual exhibition. If you are interested in taking part either by exhibiting art, photography or craftwork either for sale or exhibition or by helping at the event (last year we had 33 volunteers who made the Exhibition possible to run) we would be very pleased to hear from you.

Please contact Linda 01366 347563 or Mhari 01366 347849 for further details.

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St. Mary's Church

First of all I would like to thank Carole and Brian Wilson for once again organising the **Beachamwell Half-Marathon** on Sunday 6th May and, on behalf of the Churchwardens and PCC, I would like to thank all those who made the 2012 Beachamwell Half-Marathon so very successful. At the time of writing the sponsor money, not including Gift Aid, amounts to £1,100 which is a superb result. As you all probably know the money made by the Half-Marathon has played a major part in paying for the Bells Restoration and the associated work on the Church Tower. The newly restored bells were rung for ten minutes before the start of this year's Half-Marathon so that everyone involved could hear the result of all their generosity over a number of years.

The **Coffee Morning** held at Orchard House on 28th April to raise money to help fund the floral arrangements for the Festival of Flowers which we are jointly organising with Barton Bendish on 21st, 22nd and 23rd July was very well supported and I would like to thank everyone who came and had coffee, donated plants, cakes and raffle prizes. Despite the really terrible weather lots of people came and supported this event and we had a very enjoyable morning and raised £208.01. The rain became torrential at times and it was difficult for people to spend time looking at the plants for sale. Despite this a lot of plants were sold and the rest were on sale in our front garden for a week so there is a further £4.00 to add to the total. The remaining few plants will be put on sale at the Open Gardens on 27th May.

By the time the June magazine reaches you our **Open Gardens' Day on 27th May** will be almost upon us and I do hope the sun finds its way back to us after all the dismal weather so that we have a stunning early summer day. A lot of people are already working very hard indeed to ensure the event is a success and I hope everyone will come along and have a really enjoyable afternoon. Tickets can be obtained in the Church Porch and on the Village Green. The Novinka Folskaband will be playing on the Green from about 12.30 p.m. for an hour and then from about 2 p.m. in The Old Rectory Garden. There will be organ recitals in the church at 2.30 p.m. and 3.30 p.m.. Ploughman's lunches will be available in the Hall and Afternoon Teas at The Old Rectory. You will find a cake stall and plant stalls as you wander through the gardens and books to browse through in the Village Hall as well as a raffle and tombola in the marquee

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on the Village Green – so lots of things to interest visitors. Hope to see you there.

The next big event will be the **Festival of Flowers** being jointly organised with Barton Bendish and being held in Beachamwell this year on **21st, 22nd and 23rd July**. If you are able to help in any way please contact the organisers. There is a lot of information and contact details on page 23 of this magazine. Please support this event by either making a flower arrangement or by offering to help with the refreshments, stewarding, selling raffle tickets etc. The Festival of Flowers is open for 3 days between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. and if you can spare an hour or two on any of these days the organisers will be really pleased to hear from you.

A date for your diary - David Mason will be giving a talk on “Wild Breckland” on Friday 26th October in Beachamwell Memorial Hall. This is something to look forward to and I will let you know the time in next month’s magazine.

Graham Williams (Churchwarden)

Flower Rota for June

3rd Sarah Richardson; 10th Mary Riches; 17th Sonia Sandell [*Father’s Day*];
24th Gill Sanderson

If anyone would like to join or have more information about this Rota, please let me know.

Eileen Powell

Beachamwell Half Marathon 2012

More people than usual turned out for the annual Half Marathon, lots more runners, walkers and children. It was good to see more children out in the fresh air and enjoying the exercise and countryside. We welcomed Vic and Sue Frances from Boughton and visitors from London and Cambridge. Brian gave his usual health and safety talk and the “off”. The going was rough especially for the children, there were lots of deep sand, mud, puddles and rough grass, but at least it stayed dry and we saw no rain at all (a miracle) and it was good fun. People saw lots of deer, hares, a marsh harrier, an owl and skylarks. When returning to the village hall to collect certificates there was tea and cakes to enjoy.

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Our Councillor Ian Monson presented the awards to:-



Les Scott – 1st Runner Male

Frankie Upton – 1st Runner Female

Jason King – 1st Cyclist

Doug Sanderson - Junior Cyclist

Ian congratulated everybody who took part and thanked them for coming to support the event. He did promise to take part next year!!

Brian and I also thank everybody who supported the event by sponsoring

and cheering us on our way. Very special thanks to the Marshals who gave up their Sunday morning to stand in the cold. Without their support the event could never happen.

Nevin Ranner, Di Lambert, Sue Gunnell, Julie and Martin Ive, Eileen Powell, Graham Johnson, Sonia and Graham Williams, Marie Rich, Donna Smith, Val and Dave Sidey.

Drinks Station. Alan and Karen Butler, Peggy English, Katya and Saffi Brown, Di Lambert.

Registration and Certificate scribe - Verena Hartley

Time Keeper - Jim White

Refreshments Jenny Gabrielsen and Sue and Peter Gunnell

Special mention must go to our Tail End Charlie, Dave Tonks who cycled the event. 6 months ago Dave was seriously ill with a heart defect. A quad by-pass and a defibulator and Dave is back at work and living a normal healthy life. Well done Dave we all think we were the STAR of the event.

Our target was £1000 to complete the Bells and Clock project. This I am delighted to report has been achieved and the final figure should be well in excess of this. Thank you to everybody who helped achieve this.

I leave you with the following that was written in my visitors book by Peter Gunnell

I cycled lonely as a cloud under Norfolk's missing sun!

All I have to show for it is a bruised and battered b..

What a fantastic event. **Carole Wilson**

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Sheila acted as President as Jenny was visiting Eigel in hospital. The May meeting is traditionally Resolution Meeting. This year the Resolution was to try to get more midwives. This was passed by Members. Pat and Maureen organised an auction and members bid against each other for some interesting objects. This raised £21.46p. Refreshments and then a really good quiz. A most enjoyable evening.

Members discussed the possibility of a Craft Day.

A trip to Stody Gardens has been organised and on 21st June a tour around Aviva in Norwich. The show Madam Butterfly is the theme for the Flower Festival in July. Next Meeting is the Birthday Supper to be held at George and Dragon, Newton by Castle Acre. New Members are always welcome.

Carole Wilson

Thought for the Month

It's a heap of satisfaction

When a helping hand I lend

Just to know someone's happier

Because I paused to be a friend

Provided by Sheila Smith and taken from 'A Day of Grace'

Mobile Post Office

Monday, Wednesday and Friday: 11.35 - 12.20

Tuesday and Thursday: 11.35 -12.35

Parish Council

The following people will serve on Beachamwell Parish Council as councillors:-

(a) John Adcock (Chairman) 01760 337058 (b) Matthew Adcock 01366 328848

(c) Pat Clarke 01366 328983 (d) Brian Cockerill 01366 328218

(e) Diana Lambert (Vice Chair) 01366 328353 (f) Mark Powell 01366 328648

(g) Tom Sanderson 01366 328244

The Parish Council Meetings for 2012 - 2013 will take place

2012 July 9th, September 10th, November 12th

2013 January 10th, March 14th, May 9th plus Annual Parish Meeting

As always, everyone is welcome to attend. ***Eileen Powell (Parish Clerk)***

COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD

MOBILE LIBRARY VISITS - Please note changed days/times

DATE	VILLAGE	LOCATION	TIME
Thursday 7th June	Beachamwell	Post Office	10:05 am
	Drymere	Telephone Box	10:40 am
5th July	Boughton	Sycamore House Mill Road	15:20 pm 15:35 pm
	Barton Bendish	Hatherley Gardens	9:40 pm
Thursday 21st June 5th July, 19th July	Wereham	The Pond Queen's Close	9:30 am 16:20 pm

For services to all 'Group 4' villages ring Mobile Library Information on 01603 222267 or look at the website - www.norfolk.gov.uk/Leisure_and_culture/Libraries/Mobile_libraries

VILLAGE BUS SERVICES

FROM	ROUTE	OPERATOR	DESTINATION
Barton Bendish	31 (Saturday)	Lewis Coaches	Swaffham
Beachamwell	31 (Saturday) 18 (Tuesday)	Lewis Coaches Eagles Coaches	Swaffham King's Lynn & Swaffham
Boughton	18 (Tuesday)	Eagles Coaches	King's Lynn & Swaffham
Wereham	28 (Mon to Sat) 40 (Mon to Sat)	Coach Services Coach Services	King's Lynn Thetford/Downham

Timetable requests:- (01603) 228888, Traveline (08706) 082608 (www.traveline.org.uk)

FARMERS' MARKETS

Ely	Second and Fourth Saturday 8:00-2:00pm (9th and 23rd)
Fakenham	Fourth Saturday 8.30am to 12:00pm (23rd)
RAF Marham	Third Friday 9:00am to 2:00pm (15th)
Swaffham	First and Third Sunday (3rd and 17th)
Watton	First Saturday in each month, 8:30am to 12:30pm (2nd)

For information:- www.farmersmarkets.net or your local Tourist Information Office

VILLAGE AND PARISH HALL BOOKINGS

Barton Bendish	Bill Tasker	01366 347432	(Village Hall)
Beachamwell	Caroline Sanderson	01366 328244	(Memorial Hall)
Boughton	Pam Wakeling	01366 500429	(All Saints' Centre)
Wereham	Doreen Rolph	01366 500218	(Village Hall)

CHURCH SERVICES

June 2012

Date	Time	Location	Service
Sunday June 3rd	10.30 am	Fincham	Group Service of Holy Communion for the Jubilee
	10.30 am	Marham	United Morning Service (HT)
Sunday June 10th	9.30 am	Shouldham Thorpe	Holy Communion
	10.30 am	Marham	United Morning Service (MC)
	6.00 pm	Fincham	Evensong
	6.30 pm	Boughton	Evensong for Open Gardens Day
Sunday June 17th	9.45 am	Shouldham	Holy Communion
	10.30 am	Marham	Holy Communion
	11.00 am	Beachamwell	Family Service
	6.00 pm	Wereham	Songs of Praise for Open Gardens Day
Sunday June 24th	9.30 am	Fincham	Holy Communion (said)
	11.00 am	Boughton	Holy Communion
	6.00 pm	Barton Bendish	Holy Communion
	6.00 pm	Marham	Evensong

THURSDAY COMMUNIONS

7th, 21st and 28th are at Fincham. 14th is at Boughton.

10am Short service lasting approx. half an hour. All Welcome – tea, coffee, biscuits and good company to follow!

CHURCHWARDENS

Barton Bendish	Mhari Blanchfield	01366 347849
	Linda Webster	01366 347563
Beachamwell	John Sanderson	01366 328818
	Graham Williams	01366 328774
Boughton	Pam Wakeling	01366 500429
Wereham	Sheila Smith	01366 858165

BAPTISMS AND WEDDINGS

Please contact the Rev'd. Barbara Burton 01366 348079 or the Churchwarden in your parish.

BOUGHTON VILLAGE NEWS

Parish Council

Hello there from your Parish Council in Boughton.

At the AGM and regular council meetings held on 4th May we can report that Frank Reid was again elected Chairman for the next year. Councillors were pleased that Frank agreed to accept the nomination as he is a sterling Council leader and does a great deal around the village, much of it unseen. Geoff Proctor was elected Vice Chairman for the next year.

Other councillors took on duties as follows:

- (a) Tim Madgwick – Planning (b) David Cooper – Highways
(c) Mark Pogmore – Fen matters (d) Geoff Proctor – Dykes & Ditches
(e) Peter Agate – Signs, Noticeboards and Furniture. Publicity (pro-tem)

The Council also agreed on a series of initiatives for the coming year which will be in the minutes and which will be advertised in G4 from time to time. For a copy of the minutes see the Noticeboard and G4 on line.

The turnout at the well-publicised AGM was poor with only a handful of parishioners attending the meeting. These meetings are an opportunity for you see what your Council are doing and to influence what goes on in your village.

We were pleased to have our District Councillor and Mayor of Lynn, Colin Sampson attend the meeting also.

Please note the following for your diaries:-

Parish Council Meetings for coming year:

- (a) Friday 10th August 2012, 7.00pm (b) Friday 9th November 2012, 7.00pm
(c) Friday 15th February 2013, 7.00pm (d) Friday 3rd May 2013, 7.00pm

If there are any matters you would like to bring to the attention of the Parish Council please contact any councillor. **Councillor Peter Agate**

Vacancy

Boughton Parish Council normally consists of seven members, but there are currently only six. There is therefore a vacancy, which we would like to fill.

Having just completed an election we are advised by N.A.L.C. to do this by Co-option.

If you are interested in serving your community, becoming part of a vibrant and active Parish Council then we would welcome a declaration of interest in joining Boughton Parish Council from you.

Please advise Mr David Horkan, Parish Clerk (01366 347890)

BOUGHTON VILLAGE NEWS

Boughton Wishing Bucket

At the Parish Council Meeting held on 4th May it was decided that the proceeds of the Wishing Bucket would go to The East Anglian Children's Hospice. A magnificent sum of £50 has been raised from the Bucket and the PCC thanks all who have generously donated, and we hope your wishes came true!

Even better news is that Andy Beeston was shortly to take part in a sponsored 10km run, for which funds raised were also going to E.A.C.H. The fantastic news is that all monies raised were being matched by another sponsor! So the Bucket collection, via sponsorship through Andy will donate £100 to E.A.C.H. The PCC wishes to give thanks to Andy for suggesting the sponsorship and for successfully running the race dressed as a tomato! Well done Andy, well done Boughton!

Councillor Peter Agate - Boughton Parish Council

Sidney Walter Clarke 1899-1987

I was interested to read the piece last month from Ann and Ralph Proctor about Bustler Clarke and the War Horse link.

By coincidence I had that week received a letter from Richard Clarke, brother of the late Doris Clarke, and Bustler's grandson, telling the story of his father Sidney, son of Bustler. Richard recalls his grandfather's name was Walter and was aged about 40 when Sidney was born.

Sidney, also known as Walter, was born in 1899, went to school in Boughton and saw service in the latter part of the Great War and received the British War medal. He served in the 9th Tank Battalion, possibly as a tank driver.

After the war he returned to Boughton and in 1924 married Annie Rix (another long standing Boughton family) Annie already had a daughter, Greta, and soon Doris joined them. At the time of their marriage Sidney was a Husbandman, which was the usual description for a farm labourer. Richard describes his memories of Sidney working as a farm worker, and during Richard's younger life for R G Robinson. Sidney passed away in 1987 aged 88 and is interred in All Saints churchyard next to his wife Annie.

I hope to reproduce the information Richard sent me on the G4 Website, and if anyone would like to read the piece I will gladly pass a copy over.

Peter Agate

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Boughton Fen

Report to Parish Council Meeting 04.05.2012

Since my last report, great progress has been made with the Boughton Fen Wildlife Walk.

We have installed over 150 metres of boardwalk during February and March with over twenty different people helping along the way. Volunteers turned up almost every weekend over this period, with the exception of the big freeze, bringing their own tools and a willingness to pitch in with whatever was necessary. Everyone enjoyed these working parties, and they did develop the teamwork and community effort that was one of the aims of the original Lottery bid. Special thanks go to Geoff Proctor for bringing his teleporter down to the fen each time we needed timber unloading. This not only saved us a great deal of time, but also cut down considerably on the distance we had to carry this very heavy timber to its final destination.

It is also worth noting that most of the materials came from our two very local suppliers, namely Stoke Ferry Timber, who were extremely helpful with their deliveries, enabling us to keep a minimum of spare material on site; and Bonnets from whom we had everything from small staples to purpose made steel driving caps, even if we did clean them right out of five inch nails one week. So that you can now find your way around the walk, we have put up posts around the walk, with Boughton Fen Wildlife Walk direction arrows showing where to go. Each marker has a silhouette of one of our very own Marsh Harriers within it.

As well as helping erect these posts, Community Payback did a litter pick for us in March. Sad to say this, but they collected two loads full of my garden trailer.

Our contractor, Lee Roberts has continued work, with more areas of scrub clearance and cut some areas of reed, so we have been active on many points over the autumn and winter.

Apart from a few small bits of work, and the installation of our interpretation signs, we will leave the fen to the wildlife and walkers.

And now the legal bit – You are welcome to take your dog for a walk around the fen, but as it is a SSSI, you need to have it on a lead no longer than two metres. That's about six foot in old money, and, if your dog leaves a calling card, please pick it up and dispose of it appropriately.

Quite a number of birds and animals have been seen or heard in the last few

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weeks including a nightingale near the boardwalk, otters in stringside, cuckoos, cetti's warbler, roe deer and many others.

Is this because more people are visiting the fen, or has word gone round the animal kingdom that you can now watch these strange humans walking around on a lot of planks? I'll leave you to decide.

Mark Pogmore

Three weeks ago my stepson, dog and I walked the entire boardwalk and non boarded areas. The workmanship for this is excellent, so too the signage. At what ever part of the route, one was never out of sight of a directional marker. Well done to all those involved, it can only get better as the year wears on.

Regards Bill and Diana Beeson

New Church Signs - The Green

Boughton now have the long needed direction signs for our Church. Very nicely fabricated by Stewart Mann for the Parish Council.

It was great that just after we had positioned them on the green that a couple of cars came through, pointed at the sign and turned right to drive round to Church Lane. Thank you Stewart for your work.

Frank Reid - Chairman Boughton Parish Council

Trees for the Queen's Jubilee

The Woodland Trust has a current project, planting 6 million trees in the UK this year, to celebrate the Queens Jubilee. In a much more modest way, Boughton has also contributed by planting 6 trees, donated by Tim and Edwina Madgwick, along the grass headland at the end of Church Lane, by kind permission of Albanwise Limited, who own the land. There are 5 Scots Pine trees, which represent integrity and longevity, and an English Oak which is associated with strength and durability, as well as royalty. The trees were potted up by the Madgwicks several years ago, from seedlings which grew up in their garden (Edwina couldn't just simply throw them out), and they got to a size that demanded open space. With tree guards donated by Albanwise, Tim and Frank (Reid) carted the trees to the spot and proudly planted them, to now hopefully grow into true specimens, and to be enjoyed by Boughton parishioners for many years to come.

Tim Madgwick

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Boughton Village Sale - May 12th

On the evening of Friday 11th, despite the cool and blustery weather, willing hands kindly assisted with the marquee erection, seating arrangements and general preparation for the event. On the Saturday morning we were blessed with good weather, Frank had done a great job cutting the churchyard grass and the stall holders set out their sale items and were inundated with a throng of customers all wanting to view and purchase the wares well before the scheduled start time. Tea, Coffee and Cakes were available, the cakes having been kindly donated, the Tombola stall proved to be a major success and Peter was doing an excellent job keeping the crowd fed with BBQ sausages and bacon kindly donated by Geoff.

By early afternoon the crowds had abated and stall holders started to pack their now much reduced stock. The team sprung into action and took down the marquee and packed it ready for the next village event on June 3rd.

The BVC would like to sincerely thank all of those who helped on the day and the stall holders for joining us, it is really much appreciated and it would not be the success it was without your help and kind donations.

Boughton Village Caravan

Open Gardens

Angela Faherty at Tapestry Cottage is running our plant stall and would be



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grateful for any donations of plants or garden related items. They can be left at her house in Chapel Road. We'd also be grateful for cakes and offers of help on the day.

See page 19 for advert.

Pam Wakeling

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Boughton Cricket Club

Gear 10K Race May 2012

On Sunday 6th May Chloe and Steve Short took part in the Great East Anglian 10K Run.

Many of you would have seen Chloe and Steve training prior to the race. Both runners completed the circuit even with one of them obtaining an injury on the day, both were adamant they were going to complete the race.

On behalf of the Cricket Club we would like to say thank you to both Chloe and Steve for taking part and raising such a fantastic amount of money £550.00 for our club, thank you to those of you who sponsored both runners.

Thank you to Dawn and Georgia Reardon who came to support them on the day. Well done

Karen Short



WEREHAM VILLAGE NEWS

Parish Council

Draft and ABRIDGED Minutes of the PC meeting held on 8th May

Present: 7 Councillors **Members of the public:** 20

Chairman's update:

A reply has been received from the insurance company confirming the situation relating to volunteer workers.

Anglian water has confirmed that they have no objection to the planting of a new Willow tree in the chosen location.

Council have confirmed that they will plant a Salix Caprea Perdula.

A tree preservation order is not required as the trees around the pond are in a conservation area.

Confirmation has been received from Bennett's homes stating that any damage which they cause to existing grass road verges will be reinstated to their former condition.

Financial standing orders and standing orders need to be discussed and adopted by Council at the next meeting.

Quotes for new salt bin received. Review of requirement to take place.

Mrs B Stubbins has been appointed as the internal auditor.

The Council discussed the insurance cover and quotes received. Clerk was given permission to pay this once third quote has been obtained.

Proposer: Cllr G Koopowitz, 2nd: Cllr G Key

The Council discussed reviewing the burial fees. Cllr K Newell proposed that they stay the same as 2011, as Council have had to increase the precept this year. Proposer: Cllr K Newell, 2nd: Cllr C Humphries

Cllr K Newell and Cllr C Humphries will carry out a safety check/inspection of the grave stones.

Correspondence:

Received concerns from parishioners with regards to the Old Post office and concerns over the safety of the structure. Building control officer Karl Gay from Borough Council of KLWN has inspected the building and it is not thought to be immediately dangerous, therefore no further action can be taken at this time. Although the loose roof tiles are cause for immediate concern and Mr Gay is dealing with this. Clerk has written to Maxey Grounds to request that the area at

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the front of the structure is cleared of weeds and kept tidy.

Big Jubilee Lunch Sunday 3rd June 2012. For more information and what is involved in organising one go to www.thebiglunch.com or call 08458508181

The playing field – Norfolk playing field association newsletter is available to read from the clerk.

Anglian water have announced a hosepipe ban for Anglian water customers, this will take effect from Thursday 5th April 2012.

Letter received from Mr Mrs Rye with regards to tree issues and draft minutes, this was discussed with Mr Rye and the Councillors. Mr Rye confirmed that he was satisfied with the decision made of planting the Salix Caprea Perdula tree, providing that it is a small tree.

Mr Rye was concerned that not everything was recorded from the previous meeting, Cllr G Key informed public that the minutes do not record everything said but must record decisions made and actions taken.

Mr Rye also requested that the Council reply to a letter sent to the Council from Mrs Roberts, Mr & Mrs Bliss, Mr & Mrs Vout.

Planning applications:

Conservatory extension at Windy Willows Cavenham Road, no objections noted by Parish Council.

Payments for approval/Resolutions:

BCKLWN election costs, Hodson office supplies ink, St Margrets Church hire, Norfolk playing field association, Norfolk association of local councils, Haward horological ltd, Norfolk Parish training partnership, West Dereham village hall hire, Clerk wages and expenses, Insurance premium to be paid once third quote received, Mrs B Stubbins Internal audit, Norfolk Rural Community Council, Wereham Village Hall Hire

Total payments: £1886.65

All payments approved by Council Propser: Cllr G Koopowitz, 2nd: Cllr G Key

Matters requiring attention:

Cllr K Newell will discuss Neighbourhood Planning at the next meeting of the Council.

Cllr K Newell gave thanks to Mr Pickston for painting the memorial bench

Cllr K Newell reported that the footpath alongside the playing field is overgrown with brambles Clerk will report to Highways.

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Cllr K Newell has 4 wooden footpath/bridlepath signs.

Cllr G Koopowitz discussed section 106 development money. Information regarding this is available on the BCKLWN website.

A sign is required at the play area to state that the Parish Council maintain this area. Cllr G Koopowitz will give the Clerk the correct wording required and Clerk will obtain quote.

Cllr P Norris reported following heavy rainfall water lying on the footpath on the approach to Wereham/A134 pedestrian railings close to Flegg Green. Reported to Highways.

Norfolk Rural Community Council membership is due, Council agreed to continue with membership. Proposer: Cllr G Koopowitz, 2nd: Cllr J Bruce

Public comments/ question time:

Public requested that copies of previous months minutes and agendas be provided at the start of the meetings.

Public voiced concerns that decisions made by the Council regarding the choice of tree purchased were changed.

Public requested that the Councillors sit more openly so that the public can hear.

A Jubilee lunch is being organised by the after school club.

Public reported a tree in the post office yard which is dangerous and the post office windows are fully of dead wasps/bees. Clerk will write to the relevant parties.

Pot holes reported between Queens Close and A134, and also near the bus stop east bound towards Stoke Ferry. Clerk will again report to Highways.

The trees in the church yard are being trimmed soon by CGM.

Village Hall

Bingo every Wednesday 7.30 pm at the Village Hall - Cash prizes.

Village 'Fit Camp'

The Village 'Fit Camp' is held in the Village Hall on Monday and Friday 6.30pm to 7.30pm. The sessions are motivational, fun and designed to help weight loss, toning, general health and fitness.

Booking is essential as there is limited space. The cost is £5.00 per session or block book 6 weeks for £24.00.

Contact Shaun on 07878770230 or 01366 501130

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Wereham Primary School Youth Club

Just a note to say thank you to everyone for attending the Village Youth Club on Mondays after school - although we are ALWAYS looking for new friends to come along. As we are getting established and, let's not forget, we are coming into the summer months and we are adding new things each week, we have outdoor games available too. The children get juice and a biscuit and we have introduced healthy eating options too. This is a GREAT way for the children of the village to get to know one another and have a good old-fashioned play and run-a-round after school. Come on mums and dads, it's only for an hour and it's great fun for the children - there may also be a cuppa tea and biscuit for you!!!

We have had to have a slight price increase, from Monday 21st May the first child will be £1.00 and other subsequent children will remain at 50p. It's still GREAT value. Again, kind donations of juice, biscuits and games are gratefully received.

July Village Yard Sale

In aid of raising money for the Wereham Village Fighting Fund, Wereham will hold a Village Yard Sale - along the same lines as our ever popular open gardens. More details to follow but the date is looking to be Sunday 8th July. It's a lot easier than lugging all your things back and forth to boot sales, getting up at the crack of sparrows and you can always pop home for a cuppa tea.... Please if you are interested in having a yard sale and wish to be included in the village map for the day please contact **Jacqueline on 500880**

A reminder from the Festival Committee

Although we may not all be involved in the nuts and bolts and organisation of the Festival, its success depends so very much on the generosity and interest of everyone in the village - supplemented, of course, we hope, by generous donations from various commercial enterprises. So once more, good people, we are appealing for:-

Home grown garden produce and home-made jams for the Fresh Produce Stall

Homemade cakes and teatime treats for the cake stall

A large number of small gift items for various stalls such as the tombola and white elephant stalls, hoopla, games of skill and so on

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Plants for Ronnie's plant stall

So please put your thinking caps on and don't forget we are hoping to have some interesting local material and photographs for the Jubilee Exhibition in the Church Hall.

We thought it would also be interesting to have a special section for local sporting triumphs and special achievements to honour the many talented people associated with our village over the years. If you know of some - please let us know!

Lynda 501308, Karen 501373 and Chandra 500005

Coronation Memorabilia

The Queen's Jubilee year provides us with a great opportunity to gather the special photographs and memorabilia of the Queen's coronation 60 years ago which might be your family archives in Wereham! So please ask your parents and grandparents (and great grandparents if you have any) to dig into their cupboards and photograph albums and any other treasures they might have among their collections of china (don't forget dolls too) or in fact any treasure large or small kept in memory of that very special day.

We assure you that everything will be very carefully stored and cared for. And look forward to hearing from you.. Let's see what we can do!

If you have anything at all you would like to be included in the display please will you contact:

Lynda 501308, Karen 501373, Chandra 500005 or Pammie 500408

Wereham Big Jubilee Lunch, Sunday 3rd June, 11.30-3.30 pm at Wereham Village Field

Bring a Royal picnic for your family and join in the Jubilee celebrations! Family games, inflatable slide, music from yesteryear, Jubilee quiz, and lots more.

Prizes for the best dressed 'mini' King and Queen!

If you are able to offer assistance in **ANY** way - donations of cakes / help to set up and clear away on the day / manning of stalls etc.

All help will be greatly appreciated. Thanks!

Look forward to seeing you there!

Victoria 501277 / Nicki 500527 / Jacqueline 500880 / Helen 500174

WEREHAM VILLAGE NEWS

Open Gardens

It's not too late to open your garden on **June 17th!** Just contact *Lizzie 500233*.



Saint Margaret's – Wereham

If you could make a few buns or a cake for Open Gardens teas I would be grateful.

If any one would like to help serve the lunches we could do with some help for a couple of hours!!

Please let me know if you are willing or would like to help in any way to on the number above.

See page 20 for advert. **Lizzie Baddock**

Church Pew For Sale:

approx. 8ft x 10ins long. £100 ono. Buyer to collect.

Sheila Smith Church Warden on 01366 858165

Calling all youngsters.....up to High School age (or older if you would like to take part!)

We would like to have a display of your painting, models or art work in the church on Festival Day which is July 22nd 2012. The theme is 'Royalty and the Jubilee'. If you can't paint perhaps you could make a Lego model of a throne or castle or dress a doll as a queen. Bet you will have some good ideas and we would love to see what you do! With school holidays coming up soon you could perhaps make something then. If you would like more details see or contact **Angela 500115, Lizzie 500233, Jaqueline 500880 or Nicki 500527.**

Karaoke

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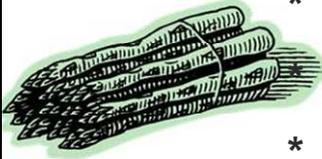
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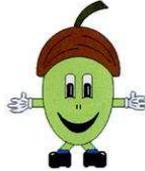
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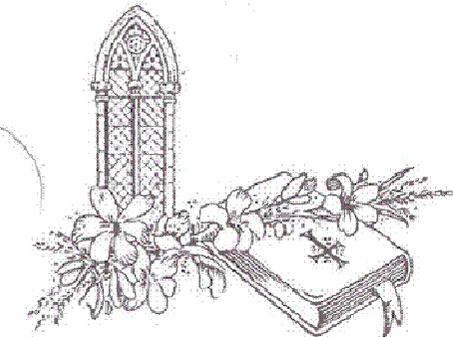
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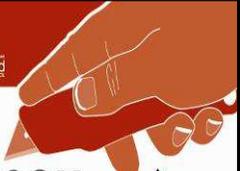
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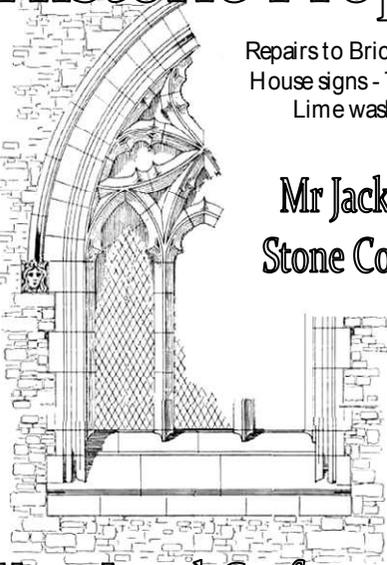
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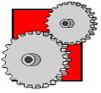
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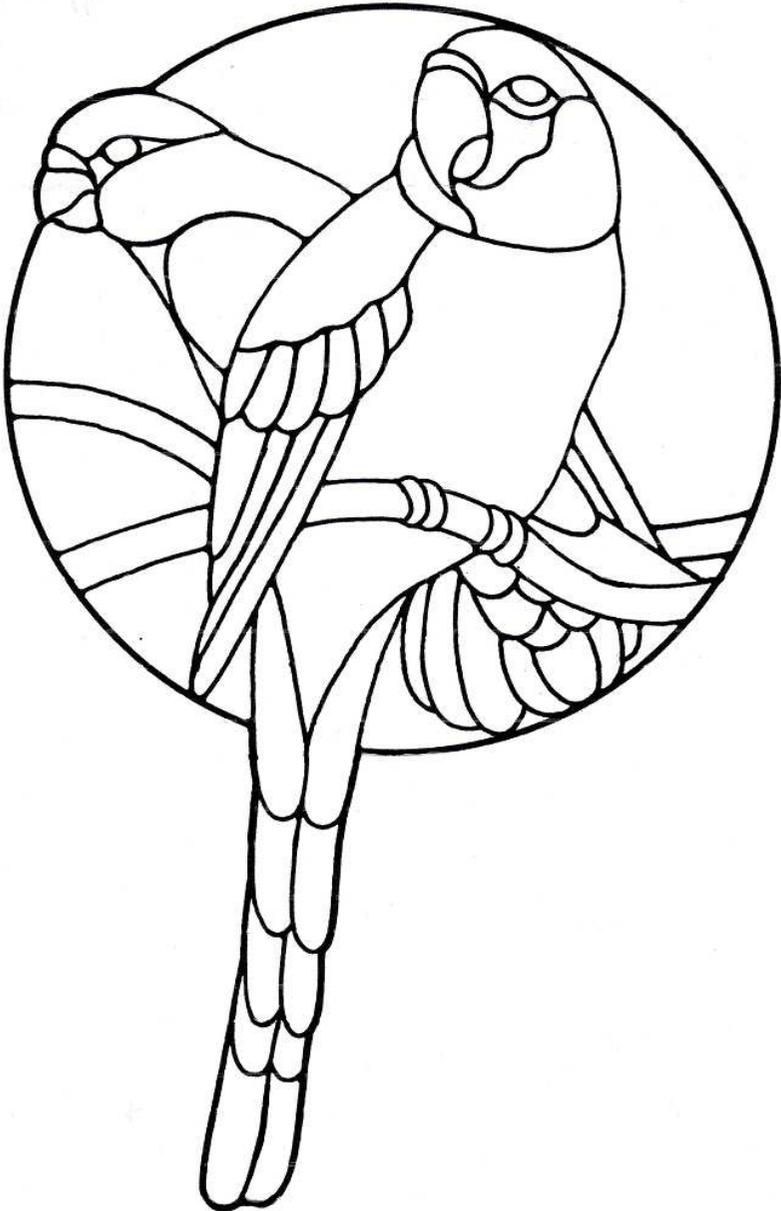
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