

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

November 2018

WELCOME

There are so many things happening over the next month or so that we haven't enough room for all the separate posters! However, a careful reading of the village pages will usually yield all the information.

This month we have tried to gather information about the young men whose names are read out at Remembrance services every year. If any reader can provide more information, the village historians will be delighted to receive it. Just looking at so many names, many not more than boys, is very moving. Some fifteen and a half thousand died in Norfolk in the first World War.

As always, '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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NOTES FROM THE RECTORY

I've always thought that I had a wide taste in music and over the last month this has really been highlighted. The music playing while I am writing this is really heavy blues, a song called 'Black Snake Moan' with the actor Samuel L Jackson singing, which he makes a good job of. Just as a comparison, at one of the Harvest Festival services I slipped in one of my favourite hymns, 'Lord of the Dance', (you know the one that goes....dance, dance, wherever you may be, I am the Lord of the dance said he), even though it's not a traditional harvest song. Although we did also have fun with 'We plough the fields and scatter' by bringing the words up to date with 'We plough the fields with tractors' and other 'subtle' changes. I really like music and I'm always sad that I'm not blessed with the gift of a good singing voice or the ability to play an instrument. I have tried over the years to learn to play the guitar, but always after a short period of time was told I was wasting my money and my teachers time! I think God just looks down on me with a smile and thinks 'I like a trier, but use the gifts I've given you rather than the gifts you want! I also like a guy called Fernando Ortega. He has a beautiful voice and sings both traditional hymns like 'Be Thou My Vision' and modern worship songs. One in particular is called 'Jesus, King of Angels', which makes my whole body tingle when I hear it. It's a song that is a prayer for the end of the day and I can highly recommend it. For those of you with the internet go to www.youtube.com and enter his name and listen. Thank goodness my wife Wendy also likes a wide variety of music too, although we did have a disagreement once – she was a Rolling Stones fan and I was for The Beatles – but because we both liked Motown we overcame the differences. Music has always played a large part in the worship of God and I'm sure that he too has a wide taste in music. Thank goodness he is forgiving too, as I love our hymns that we sing during our services; but I always feel sorry for those standing close to me as I cannot hold a tune for love nor money but that doesn't stop me singing with gusto! Come and join me if you can't sing either – we could start an 'alternative choir'. God loves noisy (out of tune) worship too!

God Bless.

Ken Waters

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REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 2018 Do this in remembrance of me. On the night before he died Jesus had supper with his friends. And taking bread and wine he prayed, blessed them and said Do this in remembrance of me. And it was at the same supper, this last supper with his friends that he also said Greater Love has no man than to lay down his life for his friends. The central act of Xian worship is an act of remembrance. Remembering is not only what Christians do, it is a very human need,, the need to recall, remember, to honour the past and those who have gone before us. Some of you may have read that the Student Union at an august seat of learning not too far from here has allegedly proscribed the Act of Remembrance in this the year we commemorate the one hundredth anniversary of the end of the First World War. If this report of the condemnation of Remembrance Sunday is accurate then those involved are denying an essential aspect of what it is to be human. In all places and times people have felt the need to honour the dead, especially those killed in defence of their nation or people. One of the central stories in the Illiad is King Priam's need to bury his son Hector with honour, his son Hector's body having been kept by Achilles.

We do well to remember those killed in war and give thanks for their lives. .Remembrance is a very human need, but remembrance is also a divine duty. We also remember those whose lives have been damaged, destroyed or other wise broken. As we recall those who died in the First World War we also remember those today who will grieve for the rest of their lives for their children killed in the prime of their life, and we remember the widows and the orphans in our service families and the men and women themselves who come back with broken bodies and broken minds.

St James Brother of the Lord write in his beautiful epistle in the NT, faith without works is nothing worth. I quote: 14 What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? 15 If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, 16 and one of you says to them, 'Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill,' and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? 17 So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

The same applies I feel to remembrance. It is not enough to be here, sadly and reflectively once a year. We also have to be pro-active on behalf of these young men and women who were sent to war and on behalf of their families. And we also have to try and ensure that our people in this land, our politicians uphold those values of love for their fellows that these young men and women gave up their lives for their friends. Remembering is more than political platitudes and posturing. We recall that Jesus said Do this in remembrance of me. It is not just something we think or say. remembering should also be something we do.
William Burke

WE WILL REMEMBER THEM

We all listen to the names read out at Remembrance Day services every year. This year is the hundredth anniversary of the end of World War 1 and I've tried to pull together more information than the bare names, so that they are real people to us. Thank you to the people who responded to my request. I'm sure the village historians would appreciate it if you have any further information to add to what is available. Pam Wakeling

WEREHAM THE GREAT WAR 1914-1918

BARLEY George Lance Corporal 3/5032. 14th Battalion Hampshire Regiment. Killed in action in France & Flanders on 26th September 1917. Born Wereham. Lived Portsea, Hampshire. Enlisted Portsmouth.

BENDELL Robert Private 28167. 6th Battalion Bedfordshire Regiment. Died of wounds in France & Flanders on 24th July 1917. Born and lived Wereham. Enlisted Norwich.

CULLEN William Private 12043. 7th Battalion Norfolk Regiment. Died in France & Flanders on 12th August 1916. Aged 22. Born Wretton, Norfolk. Enlisted Norwich. Son of William and Elizabeth Mary Cullen, of Wereham, King's Lynn, Norfolk.

ENGLISH Fred(erick) Private 20767. 9th Battalion Essex Regiment. Formerly 13898 Norfolk Regiment. Killed in action in France & Flanders on 8th July 1916. Born and lived Dereham, Norfolk (possibly a typo for Wereham). Enlisted Norwich.

ENGLISH Edward James Private 103841. 164th Battalion Machine Gun Corps (Infantry). Died of wounds in France & Flanders on 2nd December 1917. Aged 19. Born Holme, Norfolk. Lived Wereham. Enlisted Attleborough, Norfolk. Son of Albert and Martha English, of Wereham, Stoke Ferry, Norfolk.

GRIGGS Robert Private 4763. 8th Battalion East Surrey Regiment. Killed in action in France & Flanders on 1st July 1916. Born Wereham. Enlisted Norwich.

LAUD (Isaac) Albert Probably: Private 13983. "A Company, 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment. Killed in action in France & Flanders on 9th August 1915. Aged 16. Born Whittlesea, Cambridgeshire. Enlisted Norwich. Son of Isaac and Ada Elizabeth Laud, of Myrtle Villa, New Rd., Sutton Bridge, Wisbech.

MATTHEWS Harry Possibly: Private 63195. 5th Battalion King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry. Died of wounds in France & Flanders on 27th August 1918. Enlisted Norwich.

MEEKS Walter No further information.

PILGRIM Jabez Sapper 84718. 209th Field Company, Royal Engineers. Killed in action in France & Flanders on 17th July 1916. Born and lived Wereham. Enlisted Norwich.

ROBERSON Percy [John] [On memorial as ROBERTSON] Private 18561, 7th

Battalion, Norfolk Regiment. Killed in action 12th October 1916. Aged 20. Born Crimbleham, enlisted Ilford, Essex. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roberson, of Wereham, Norfolk.

WICK William Private 7604. 2nd Battalion Norfolk Regiment. Killed in action in Mesopotamia on 14th April 1915. Born Denver, Norfolk. Enlisted Downham. **TILLBROOK Herbert James** Private L/10879. 4th Battalion Royal Fusiliers. Killed in action in France & Flanders on 29th October 1914. Aged 34. Born and enlisted Downham, Norfolk. Lived Wereham. Son of Mrs. K. Tillbrook, of Wereham King's Lynn.

TILLBROOK Frank Serjeant 50719. 9th Squadron, Machine Gun Corps (Cavalry). Formerly 1662. 19th Hussars. Killed in action in France and Flanders on 25th March 1918. Born and lived Wereham. Enlisted Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk. **TILLBROOK Gilbert** Private 4809. 8th Battalion East Surrey Regiment. Killed in action in France & Flanders on 22nd March 1918. Born Downham. Enlisted Norwich.

WORLD WAR TWO

MATTHEWS Dennis Clarence Private 5774246. 2nd Battalion Dorsetshire Regiment. Died on 27th April 1944. Aged 22. Nephew of Mrs. L. Rowe, of Wereham, Norfolk.

BELLAMY Alexander Herbert Probably: Colour Serjeant 5771374. 7th Battalion Royal Norfolk Regiment. Died on 12th June 1940. Aged 30. Son of Richard S. and Ellen Bellamy, of Hunstanton, Norfolk.

BARTON BENDISH – SOLDIERS

There are 27 names on the war memorial which stands in St Andrew's church yard, 23 of which are of men from Barton Bendish and Eastmoor who died in the First World War.

Three brothers, Robert, William and Sidney Button all lost their lives in WW1. Robert was killed in the Balkans, William in Flanders and Sidney, who served in the Royal Navy, died when the ship he was on was wrecked off the Orkney Islands. A nephew of theirs perished in the Second World War.

David and Anne Jackson lost two of their sons; both Arthur and Edward were killed in France.

Tragically George Brunton and Clement Hawes died only a few days before the First World War ended.

There is a Remembrance book in St Andrew's providing details of all the 26 men and one woman whose names appear on Barton Bendish war memorial

FINCHAM DEAD

This is on the Bacon family grave in Fincham churchyard.

"God knows how much we loved them
He counts the tears we shed
And whispers hush they only sleep
Your loved ones are not dead"

Lily Bell of Fincham had her fair share of tragedy.

The Rev Chase of Fincham wrote this touching letter to Lily Bell (nee Bacon) in 1918. She had lost her brother Sidney in 1914 at Kemmel, Her mother Sarah in 1916 and her husband, Bert Bell, in 1917 at Arras. In March 1918 two further brothers were killed in action, Ralph Bacon near Baupame and Percy Bacon near Ypres. Lily was left a widow at the age of 23 with a three year old son, Bertie. There was further tragedy in 1940 when a German airplane bombed the Reading Room in Fincham killing Alfred Bacon, Lily's brother. Relatives of the family still live in Fincham.

BACON, Sidney R

Farm worker, Son of Mathew and Sarah Bacon of 39 Main Road Fincham. One of 5 children. Service number 7310 Lance Corporal 1st Bn. Norfolk Regiment. Killed at Kemmel 19 Dec 1914 aged 27. His memorial is on panel 4 of the Ypres Menin Gate

SCULPHER, Isaac Farm Worker, son of John and Eliza Schulpher of 91 Swaffham Road (nr Fincham Hall) Fincham. The oldest of 4 boys, the family also lost their youngest son Bertie in 1917. Service number 6378 Private 1st Battalion Coldstream Guards. Wounded at La Bassee, died as a prisoner 16 Jan 1915, aged 32. Buried at XII. B. 5. Cabaret-Rouge British Cemetary, Souchez

5 April 1918 3 Chapel Field North
Norwich

Dear Lily

I was so very sorry to hear the sad news that has come to you & your Father. You have indeed had some heavy blows since the beginning of this terrible war and you have my deepest sympathy in this last terrible loss. May God help you both in this bereavement and give you His comfort & strength to bear it.

I am afraid that this last cruel push of the Germans will cost us many of those who

SCULPHER, Bertie William The youngest of 4 boys, the family also lost their eldest son Isaac in 1915. Service Number 138523 Gunner, 322nd Seige Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery Died in Italy 18 Jul 1917,

BLY, Albert George Son of Thomas(Harness Maker) and Emma Bly, of 42 Main Road Fincham. Youngest of 4 children. Service Number 16422 Private 1st Battalion Norfolk Regiment, died at Etaples 16 July 1915, aged 27. Buried the Military cemetery in Etaples.

SECKER, Robert Son of Robert and Alice Secker, of Outwell, Wisbech. Died 13 August 1915, aged 18.

BYWATER, Jotham (Jonathan Augustus in military record) Bricklayers Labourer of 161 The Common Fincham. Killed at Loos, 26th September 1915 aged 39.

WILDING, Charles Robert Son of Robert and Martha Wilding, of New Barn, Fincham One of 4 children. Private in 8th Battalion, Norfolk Regiment. Accidentally killed, 5th December 1915, aged 32.

LAWES, Jack Gamekeeper. One of 8 children, son of William and Laura Lawes of 134 Stradsett Road. **JOHNSON, John** Son of Mrs Mary Jane Lock, of Swan Lane, Fincham, killed 13th July 1916 aged 21.

BELL, Bert Son of William and Lucy Bell, Publicans of The New Inn, 137 The Common Fincham. Husband of Lily Mary Bell, of Fincham, Downham Market, Norfolk. Service Number 40193 Private 7th battalion Norfolk Regiment Killed near Arras 22 Jul 1917, aged 23. Buried at V. A. 25 Duisans British Cemetery, Etrun.

LANKFER Ernest Son of Fred and Maud Lankfer (Baker Farmer) of Station Road, Downham Market. Killed 26th October 1917 aged 19.

CRANE, William Henry Son of Mrs. Ann Mary Crane; husband of Ellen Crane, of Midway Villa, Fincham. Lieutenant of the General List died in England 13 Mar 1918, aged 50. Buried in Stradsett St Mary Churchyard SW of Church.

SHOULDHAM WAR DEAD

Privates Thomas and Lister Box were brothers. Thomas died aged 20 on October 2nd 1915 and Lister on November 2nd 1914.

Privates William and Charles Muffett are both listed as being 19 when they died, but William died on October 17th 1918 and Charles on May 7th 1915.

The Plaice family lost five members. Arthur 1917, Frank 1916, Harold 1915, Bertie 1915, Albert 2017. They are buried in Ljissenhoek, Gaza, Cyprus, Gallipoli, Thiepval.

Edward Porter and William Porter may be brothers, but it's not shown on the list. Edward died on August 28th, 1916 and William on August 22nd 1914.

The Prestons also lost more than one son: Stanley on April 29th 1918 and

Frederick on 15th November 1916. Verney Preston had been listed as the butcher in the thirties. Was he their father? Or another brother.

Twenty seven names are listed on the table of Shouldham dead. I've simply highlighted the families who lost more than one, but young men from the Brown, Buckenham, Button, Callaby, Carter, Dane, Green, Grief, Mace, Patterson, Trundle and Wright families were also lost.

Boughton War Dead WWI

Walter William Veal was killed in action in Flanders on the 4th September 1918. He was 28. His brother Frederick had died there on 5th April 1918, aged 21.

George Seymour died, from wounds received in Palestine, on 3rd January 1918, at home in Boughton, where he had been born. He was the son of William Seymour, living in Church Lane. He was 31 when he died. He had married Ethel Carter in 1913 and they had two children, who were four and two at the time of his death, and he was buried in Boughton churchyard on 6th January. He has a Commonwealth War Graves headstone, with a plaque placed at the churchyard gate.

John Gerrard Bray died in Flanders on 14th April 1917. He was 23. He is listed as living in Filla Barn, Boughton, Stoke Ferry. He was the oldest of the four children of Henry and Elizabeth Bray. He is buried in the Aubigny communal cemetery extension.

James William Rix died in France on 30th November 1917. He was 29. He was the son of Mr H and Mrs MA Rix, of Church Lane, Boughton. His grave is at Souchez, in France.

In World War II Edgar John Hoskins was only 20 when he died on 12th July 1944, in the battle of Normandy. He was a Royal Marine.

William Angus Arnold was also 20, dying in the Middle East Theatre at Athens on 18th April 1945. He had been born in Fife, but at the time of his death his parents were living in King's Lynn. He is buried in the Phaleron War Cemetery.

Percy William Shepherd, was a Leading Aircraftman in the RAF, dying in Israel on 4th October 1943, again in the Middle East Theatre of war. He left effects of £167.4s 5d, awarded to John Robert Shepherd, a vermin killer. Not clear about the relationship, whether brother or father, and no information about Percy's age when he was killed.



COUNTRYSIDE NOTES NOVEMBER 2018 WINNIE THE POOH

Andrew Stephen has been working on a book of villagers' stories about family members who served in the Great War but there's one character he hasn't mentioned who, for generations of children became part of their family, also played a part in WW1. I spent my youth living close to Ashdown Forest, an unspoilt sandy ridge stretching between the North and South Downs of Kent and Sussex, from whence stories of my hero originated. Yes, you've guessed – its Winnie the Pooh, first written about by A A Milne in 1926 and brought to life by E H Shepard and Disney! On the edge of Ashdown Forest, in the village of Hartfield, there is a Pooh Bear shop which attracts people, young and old, from around the world. Pooh's books have been translated into 33 languages including Latin! In 2002 the bear, described as having 'little brain' and addicted to 'hunny', became Japan's best-selling character supposedly helping the Japanese to learn English (not sure about helping with the spelling though!)

Winnie began life in Canada. An English born Canadian soldier was being transported by train across the country for training in preparation to serve in WW1. The train stopped briefly at the small town of White River, Ontario. The soldier's name was Lieutenant Harry Colebourn, a qualified veterinary officer. While taking the opportunity to stretch his legs he noticed a fur trapper trying to sell an orphaned six month old black bear cub. Colebourn proved to be a willing customer, purchased the female cub for \$20 and promptly named her 'Winnie' after his home town of Winnipeg. So it was that the bear accompanied him during several months of training, the trip by sea across to England followed by several more weeks training on Salisbury Plain. Eventually, in 1915, Colebourn was summoned to fight on the Western Front. He reluctantly accepted it was impossible to take Winnie with him so he left her in the care of London Zoo. Whenever he returned to England on leave he visited Winnie in her new home.

She was described as being the tamest and best behaved bear the zoo had ever had and children were allowed to ride on her back. When the war finally ended in November 1918 Colebourn realised there was no way he could take the fully grown bear back to Canada. Besides, his pet no longer belonged to him; she belonged to the people of London with whom she'd become so popular. It was a huge wrench for him to leave her behind when he returned home. A A Milne frequently took his young son Christopher Robin to London Zoo where he fell in love with Winnie and named his own toy bear, originally called Edward, after her which then became the subject for so many delightful stories. In them the name of a swan called Pooh was added. I'm not sure though when Winnie turned yellow or the reason he acquired his red shirt in 1932. Colebourn's Winnie died in 1934. Jill Mason

ORANGE ALMOND CAKE

150gr Ground Almonds

3 Eggs separated

150gr Caster Sugar

60gr Rice or Potato flour

1 1/2 Oranges

Whisk the egg whites till stiff.

In a separate bowl whisk the egg yolks with the sugar until pale and creamy.

Add the flour and ground almonds with juice of 1 1/2 oranges (bare 100ml) and the grated rind of 1 orange.

Mix until well incorporated.

GENTLY fold in the egg whites.

Put the mixture into 8 inch tin lined with baking parchment.

Bake 160degrees. Gas mark 3 for about 50 minutes.

Leave in tin for a few minutes before cooling on a wire rack.

Will freeze well (cut in slices).

Iris Delderfield

2018 is the hundredth anniversary of the first women being given the right to vote in the UK.

1. The Equal Pay Act was the first piece of UK legislation designed to protect women from discrimination in the workplace. But when was it passed?
2. Who was the first woman to found a university or college? In 1637, Amye Everard became the first woman to be granted a patent in Britain.
3. What was the patent for?
4. Who was the first woman to become UK Foreign Secretary?
5. In 1831, Mary Prince became the first black woman to write and publish an autobiography. She was also the first woman to do what?
6. In what year did Diane Abbott become the UK's first black woman MP?
7. When was the last woman ducked in a pond in England for the crime of being a "common scold"?
8. Bhikaji Cama was a prominent Indian suffragette, socialist and anti-colonialist, who joined the struggle for women's voting rights upon moving to London in the early 1900s. She is most famous for which quote?
9. Marie Curie was the first woman to win the Nobel Prize. But what year did she win?
10. The Parliament (Qualification of Women) Act 1918 gave women in Great Britain and Ireland the right to be elected to Parliament for the first time. But who was the first woman MP?
11. When was abortion legalised in the UK?
12. In 2017, Marjorie Hale became the first woman to be:
13. The Sex Discrimination Act made it illegal to discriminate against women when providing goods, facilities or services to the public in the UK. When was it passed?
14. What changed after the introduction of the Matrimonial Causes Act 1923?
15. When did US astronaut Mae Jemison – the first woman of colour to go into space – take off?
16. The contraceptive pill was introduced on the NHS in 1961 – but saw a huge surge in uptake in 1974. Why?
17. When did the House of Lords conclusively rule that it was illegal for a man to rape his wife?
18. How many British Cabinet positions have never been held by a woman?
19. Where did property owning women first win the right to vote ?

Lily has changed!

From 1 July 2018, our Lily service expanded to include everyone over 18, not just those in later years.

Lily provides a comprehensive range of support in west Norfolk to combat loneliness and social isolation in adults of all ages. The project is linked to the 'No Lonely Day' initiative and encourages our residents to develop friendships and engage in their local communities.

The Lily online directory lists organisations, services and activities that help people to live healthy, active and independent lives. It includes information relevant to adults of all ages. If you would like your event or organisation to be included in the directory, get in touch ask-lily.org.uk

Lily Advisors from local charities are available to offer one-to-one support to people at home or in community locations.

Lily has a strong focus on community development, by helping groups to arrange activities and encouraging volunteering, and by providing community events, onsite information sessions, and support for employers, schools, and colleges.

1.	1970	Fatima al-Fihri Morocco 859	12.	In 2017, Marjorie Hale became the first woman to be President of the UK Supreme Court	13.	1975?	Equal rights to file for divorce	14.	1992	Changes to the NHS meant access was available regardless of age or marital status.	17.	1991	4	Isle of Man
2.														
3.		A method for making tinctures												
4.		Margaret Beckett												
5.		Present an anti-slavery petition												
6.		1987												
7.		1809 Jenny Piper from Leominster												
8.		The hand that rocks the cradle is the hand that moulds the nation												
9.		1903 and also in 1911												
10.		Constance Markievicz, a Sinn Féin MP for St Patrick's Dub-												
11.		in 1967												
		1967												

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SWAFFHAM & LITCHAM HOME HOSPICE SUPPORT



On the 6th October, we held a concert at the Assembly Rooms in Swaffham featuring the Marham Military Wives Choir and Kings Lynn Male Voice Choir. Our thanks to both choirs who provided a wonderful evening for those present. Thanks also to Claire Dunne at Ceres Bookshop who sold tickets for the concert on our behalf. £700 was raised for Home Hospice Funds.



Should you wish to see either choir again in the near future, then the Marham Military Wives Choir have a concert at Kings Lynn Town Hall on the 30th November (7 for 7.30pm - £15 per head to include glass of wine and mince pie) and Kings Lynn

Male Voice Choir have their Christmas Concert at Kings Lynn Minster on the 13th December

Each year, we organise a Christmas Draw and this year it will take place at Tesco, Swaffham at 5pm on the 8th December. We will be in Tesco selling tickets from the 20th to the 25 November and will also be selling them at the Rotary Christmas Fayre in the Assembly Rooms, Swaffham on 1st December. They are also available from our office at 19 Brocks Road, Swaffham. First prize is £250, second prize is £150 and third prize is £100.

Have you ever thought about volunteering? We need volunteers to help us to provide the wide range of services that we offer – our most pressing need at the moment is for drivers to cover transporting our patients to hospital appointments as necessary. If you are interested then please ring our co-ordinator, Wendy Martin, on 01760 722937

WEST NORFOLK AVIATION SOCIETY



Once again Fred Miller stood, nay sat, in the firing line of an audience at the Mundford Bowls Club where the West Norfolk Aviation Society held its Tuesday meeting on 2nd October. Fred, who is not only a relatively new member to the club he has also aspired to the

rank of group technician and has rescued many previous would-be speakers encountering problems with their own support equipment. On this occasion, however, Fred demonstrated how he had been able to take his technical ability to a limit that few in the audience could have imaged. Gone are the days of Airfix and Keil Kraft aeroplane modelling, gone are the days of balsa wood, balsa cement and tissue paper; here was an insight into the technology surrounding the next generation aeroplane modeller; in a nutshell: 3D printing. Fred has been able to construct various aeroplane sections using an apparatus with an extruder nozzle which draws a molten plastic thread onto a horizontal surface. Further deposits are created on a succession of planes in the vertical direction. The continuing process eventually creates a three dimensional body which can be solid or hollow. Although he is capable of writing a computer programme which controls the printer Fred has used proprietary software to construct his first aeroplane model: an eighth scale model of a pre-war Boeing Stearman biplane which incorporates an electric simulation of a seven-cylinder air-cooled radial engine. Piece parts were on display at the meeting.

Sometimes one gets the impression that a few diehard members of the society prefer to receive talks about the real thing and models are only bodies that move along catwalks. Well, Fred certainly expelled any such notion with this audience.

When one considers how much the dice has been loaded against him, with the mobility problems that have beset him and a workshop occupying practically all of his kitchen/diner area, his achievements are nothing short of a miracle. Well done, Fred, there was every excuse for sitting this one out.

The meeting ended with a nosh-up, courtesy of our favourite caterers, Val and Len.

More info at www.westnorfolkaviationsociety.org.uk

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**The dates for the rest of the
year are , Oct 28th and Nov 25th**

Free magazine inspires families to get active this summer

Together with Active Norfolk, NCC Public Health has launched a free magazine which aims to inspire families in Norfolk get more active this summer.

Packed with ideas for cheap, fun activities and days out, **Get into Summer** aims to support cash-strapped families struggling to keep kids entertained during the summer holidays.

From free outdoor gyms and guided cycle rides, to park theatre and pond dipping, the magazine features activities to suit all ages, abilities and budgets.

Pick up your copy to find out more about a FREE six-week programme of family activities, starting this summer, with courses like Family Dance at The Garage, Norwich; Cycle Confidence on the Great Yarmouth seafront; and Swimming at St James, King's Lynn.

There's also a chance to win Halfords bikes for a family of four and a glamping holiday in West Norfolk courtesy of West Lexham, as well as money-saving vouchers to help you cut the cost of keeping your family active.

Launched in the Eastern Daily Press and some of Archant's weekly titles on June 26, copies of the free magazine are also available at Norfolk libraries and children's centres.

Part of a joint campaign by Norfolk County Council Public Health and Active Norfolk, **Get into Summer** is being launched in response to the falling levels of activity in Norfolk among adults and children and the impact of this on their health and wellbeing – now and in the future.

You can find out more and view the magazine online at www.norfolk.gov.uk/getinto

Free home assessments on offer

Older, disabled or vulnerable residents of West Norfolk are being encouraged to book an appointment for a free home assessment from Careline Community Services.

The assessments, which are carried out by a team of qualified staff, will help residents, who may be living with a disability or dementia, or who are simply older and less mobile, to identify concerns in their property which may be affecting their day-to-day life.

The assessor, trained by the Disabled Living Foundation, will inspect the home to see whether measures could be introduced that would reduce the possibility of slips, trips and falls and generally make it easier for people to live safely and independently in their own homes.

Measures that could be considered include installation of a Careline personal alarm, improved lighting arrangements, heating checks, draught proofing, smoke detectors and easy-to-use taps along with recommendations for other adaptations that may reduce any potential risk to the resident. Practical solutions for those living with dementia are also available, this includes signage or colour differentiation for those who suffer with memory loss and are visually impaired.

The assessors will also be able to advise whether any grant funding is available for any works required.

To book an appointment call the Careline Community Team on 01553 760671 .



Swaffham Museum 2018

Although our doors did not open to the public until February 12, we had a flurry of interest in late January following the broadcasting of an episode of **Antiques Road Trip** which featured Swaffham Museum. Raj Bisram came to explore the connection between Swaffham and Howard Carter who discovered the tomb of Tutankhamun in 1922. This episode is available to view on YouTube. We have one large room dedicated to Egyptology and Howard Carter.

One of our new displays '**From Beginning to End**' is also very exciting as we celebrate the Swaffham Railway. This opened in 1847 and closed under the Beeching cuts in 1968. Some of you may remember catching the train to the coast for a day out, or using it to travel to work or school. Whatever your memories, you will enjoy our displays of photographs and memorabilia, and the model rolling stock.

We have also delved into our store rooms and have a room of art work. All are by local artists and include a number by Ben Ripper. There is also a digital display of some of the museum's photographs of old(er) Swaffham.

Also new to the museum this year is the 16th century Communion Chalice, with its 19th century paten, from the ancient church at Houghton-on-the-Hill near North Pickenham. The church itself has a latest date of 1090 and its remarkable wall paintings system of the same date is world renowned.

The Houghton display includes a Roman ring found in the hedgerow by the church and a mourning ring to Robert Say. Reverend Say was vicar at Swaffham and then Rector at Houghton-on-the-Hill in the 18th century. The ring was found on Campingland and subsequently sold on Ebay. Luck, or otherwise, brought it back home. The museum tells the story.

There are children's activities, take home information sheets and family museum trails as well as a Museum Shop which also houses the Tourist Information Centre.

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Volunteer Mentors provide one to one support to a young person to help them develop a personal profile of their skills and interests, their likes and dislikes and their future goals. The Mentor can then support the young person to start working towards these; this can include accessing work experience and training opportunities plus the chance to try out volunteering and new social activities.

CSV needs volunteers who can offer a couple of hours of their time each week to mentor the young people as they make choices about their futures, raising aspirations by exploring together the young person's skills, interests and abilities.

We are looking for people ages 16+ - Mentors can come from all walks of life and no experience is needed but patience, the ability to listen and a sense of humour are all useful skills. Mentors receive full training and support and out of pocket expenses are paid.

If you would like to find out more about becoming a Volunteer Mentor for the CSV Futures Project please contact Vicki Howling, the project co-ordinator for an informal chat. Telephone 01366 386972 or 07926 044845 or email vhowling@csv.org.uk

CSV (Community Service Volunteers) is the UK's leading volunteering charity. Social justice is at the heart of what we do; empowering people to have a positive stake in society and tackle barriers to community participation through creating volunteering and learning opportunities.

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ALL SAINTS', SHOULDHAM

Armistice Exhibition – Tim Peers has been researching the names of the Shouldham men who are commemorated on the war memorial in the churchyard. He has assembled a considerable amount of information, as well as personal photographs and details of the village at the time of the First World War.

To mark the Armistice of 1918, it is planned to hold an exhibition of these researches in church over the **week-end of 10th-11th November**, ie: to correspond with Remembrance Day itself and the other events being held to mark the centenary of that terrible conflict's conclusion. Pupils from Shouldham Primary Academy have working on a parallel project and their work will be included with this exhibition. After much hard work, the whole display promises to be extremely interesting.

TRUSTEES NEEDED FOR MAGPIE CENTRE

Owing to recent resignations, the Magpie Centre, home of West Norfolk Riding for the Disabled Association, is in urgent need of some new trustees, with the roles of Treasurer, Secretary (who need not be a trustee), Child Protection Officer and Fundraiser (Grant Appeals) all up for grabs.

Volunteering for the Magpie Centre is very worthwhile, as we provide 120 riding/carriage driving lessons each week to people of all ages, and with all levels of physical and learning disability. Seeing the difference that equestrian activities bring to their lives is incredibly rewarding.

Experience with horses and/or people with disabilities is not essential, so if you'd like to find out more about joining our friendly team, please call the Magpie Centre on 01553 810202 or our Chairwoman, Rosie O'Grady, on 01366 500104 for an informal chat.

Sadly, the recent Open Day, scheduled for Sep 23 had to be cancelled at the last minute, owing to the inclement weather which had been forecast. However, watch this space for an Open Day date in spring 2019.

Next up is the Art and Craft Fair, Sat Nov 17 at Stowbridge Village Hall, Downham Road, Stowbridge, PE34 3PE, from 10 00 am to 4.00 pm.



Baroque Season

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Sunday November 18th

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Tutor: David Prynn

Saturday 24th November

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Community Centre, Swaffham

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Beachamwell

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Saturday 15th December

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Village Hall

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Wereham Village Hall



Sat 17th November

Bar 7.30 - 11.30pm Raffle
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Beachamwell WI East Anglian Children's Hospice

A talk by Tina Burdett

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Thursday November 1st

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Beachamwell Book Group

Tuesday 6th November

7.30

Beachamwell Village Hall

Book to be discussed over a glass of
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‘Flight Behaviour’

Barbara Kingsolver

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New members welcome

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Remembrance Day

11th November 2018

**Gather on The Green for
10.45**

**Followed by a service of
Remembrance
at 10.55**

**St. Mary’s Church
Beachamwell**



Beachamwell Local History Group Tuesday 13th November 7.30pm

Beachamwell Village Hall

**“The Life and Hard Times
of Mary Caney,
1790- 1878”**

A talk by Jill Mason

Tickets £3 on the door

Beachamwell & Fincham Family History Group

Tuesday 20th November

2pm

**Beachamwell Village
Hall**

**Enquiries: 01366 347694
or 01366 328536**

BARTON BENDISH NEWS

Marjorie Riches RIP

It is with great sadness that we learned that Marge, as she was known to everyone, passed away in her sleep on October 7th at home in Downham Market.

She and husband Eddie moved there two or three years ago after having lived in either Barton or Fincham for more than six decades. They were married for 66 years and for the 30 years between 1947 and 1977 kept the shop in Barton. Marge had many tales to tell about what village life was like in those days.

Marge and Eddie were our next door neighbours and we couldn't have wished for better. Each week, by tradition, Thursday afternoons were set aside for tea, a slice of cake and a chat and every now and then we'd take them for a fish and chip supper at Collins in Brandon. Marge celebrated her ninetieth birthday at the end of June but her health had been deteriorating during the last few weeks and she had recently had a spell in hospital.

Our thoughts are with Eddie and the family. Jill and David

Macmillan Coffee Morning.

Once again our annual Macmillan Coffee Morning on October 11th was a great success raising in the region of £450. While this didn't quite break our previous record it was still an excellent result. This was thanks to everyone who contributed produce, cakes and the many raffle prizes; to the people who came not only from Barton but also those from several of the surrounding villages and to the donations made by those who weren't able to come but wanted to show their support for this deserving cause.

Many thanks to one and all for your generosity and also to those who helped.
Jill

Barton Bendish Hall Bonfire 9th November 2018 - 6:30pm-9:30pm

All are invited to enjoy an informal bonfire at Barton Bendish Hall on Friday the 9th of November 6:30pm-9:30pm. Suggested donation of £6 per adult to include a sausage, bun and a glass of wine. Free for accompanied and supervised children. All proceeds to St Andrews Church and the Village Hall. As the event will be in darkness, on uneven ground in November; stout footwear, a warm coat and torch are recommended. No on site car parking available.

Anthony

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Remembrance Service 11th November at 10.30am

Barton Bendish will be taking part in the act of Remembrance on Sunday 11th of November at 10.30am at St Andrews Church. A wreath will be laid at the village war memorial during the service. The names of those from the village, who gave their lives, will be read out accompanied by a little information about each one. Refreshments will be served afterwards. Should there be someone whom you wish to be remembered at this time and have their names read out please contact either Churchwarden and we will include them. It would be wonderful to know a brief history about them if it was possible.

Contact either Linda 347563 or Mhari 347849.

**BATTLE'S
OVER**

**Commemorating the Centenary of
the Ending of WWI**

**6.30pm Sunday 11th November
2018 Barton Bendish Village Hall**



A NATION'S TRIBUTE

11TH NOVEMBER 2018

100 YEARS OF REMEMBRANCE

This will be a Social Evening of Remembrance and Thanksgiving which will include several readings, music, light snacks and a Toast to a peaceful future.

There will no charge but please let us know by noon on Wednesday 7th November if you are coming as we need to know the numbers we will be catering for.

Call Maureen Buck 347703 or Lissa Kinsey 347682

Wreath Making Workshops November 22nd – 24th

Due to the popularity of the wreath making workshops, this year being held at 7.30pm on the evenings of Thursday November 22nd, Friday November 23rd and Saturday November 24th, plus an additional workshop on the Saturday at 10am, it is important to book early. Tickets are £15 each with everything needed being supplied although a pair of secateurs will be required. Please bring your own special decorations or ribbon for the finishing touches and dress for mess! Refreshments are provided. Please contact either Linda 347563 or Mhari

347849 ASAP to book your place.

Christingle Sunday 9th December at 3pm

The Christingle service will be held in St Andrews Church on Sunday 9th December at 3pm. Everyone will be most welcome. Festive refreshments will be served after the service.

Victorian Evening Saturday 15th December at 6pm

The Victorian Evening of Christmas Entertainment is being held in the Village Hall on Saturday 15th December at 6pm. Entrance is free, refreshments will be served and everyone is very welcome. To avoid disappointment you can book your place with Mhari (347849) or Linda (347563) Anyone who would like to tread the boards and perform please contact us. Don't be shy - new acts are always very welcome. Variety is the spice of life as they say!

Calendars

David Mason is once again selling wildlife wall calendars, complete with envelopes, for £5 each. This year they are in aid of the local charity The Norfolk Hospice, Tapping House. They are available at village events but are selling out quickly. You can place your order with David on 07884411619 or email masons.sandmere@btinternet.com

RAF Marham Christmas Lunch Citizens' Christmas Lunch at RAF Marham, which is normally held on the first Wednesday of December. If you are a senior citizen, who would be interested in attending and have not attended since 2015 please contact Ann Parker on 01366 348258, who is taking names, or contact the Parish Council Clerk on the details shown below. The Parish Council can nominate 15 residents to attend, so if there is insufficient space for everyone to attend this year your name will be carried forward to next year.

Barton Bendish Ordinary Parish Council Meeting 24th September 2018

The Chairman, Cllr Will Chapman, presided over the meeting and five members of the public were in attendance.

The Parish Council were very sad to hear of the loss of Cllr Bill Tasker, who had dedicated a lot of his time to helping the village and especially the Village Hall. The casual vacancy created by his loss had been advertised by the Borough Council and as there had been no call for an election the Parish Council is now able to co-opt to fill this vacancy. If you would be interest in becoming a Parish Councillor or would like further information on the role please contact the Clerk on the details below before 12th November 2018.

It was reported that members of the Parish Council had met with a representative from Anglian Water to discuss the ongoing issue of sewerage odour on Buttlands Lane. Anglian Water had advised on the action they had already taken on this issue and residents had been asked to complete a log so that action taken could be monitored in order to provide a long-term solution.

Cllr McAlister is collecting a list of nominees to attend the next Senior Citizens' Christmas Lunch at RAF Marham, which is normally held in the first week of December. If you are a senior citizen, who would be interested in attending and have not attended since 2015, please contact 01366 348258 or contact the Clerk on the details shown below. The Parish Council can nominate 15 residents to attend, so if there is insufficient space for everyone to attend this year your name will be carried forward to next year.

Please see the Parish Council website for the draft minutes from the last meeting which show details of all items discussed.

The next meeting will take place on Wednesday 14th November 2018. This will be an Ordinary Parish Council Meeting starting at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall.

Miss Sarah Thorpe, Parish Clerk Telephone number: 01945 430930

Email: bartonbendishparishcouncil@aol.co.uk Further information is available on the Parish Council website at bartonbendishparishcouncil.norfolkparishes.gov.uk

Extract from the Norwich Mercury 09 December 1871

Barton Bendish

The Dedication Festival of the parish church of St. Andrew was held on Thursday (St. Andrew's Day). The bells rang out a cheerful peal at five o'clock in the morning, and at intervals during the day. Notwithstanding the very inclement state of the weather there was a good congregation. The service used for the occasion (Tallis) was most creditably rendered by the choir who also sang an anthem in a manner which showed that great pains must have been taken to make it so effective. The sermon was preached by the Rev. S. Hooke, curate of Wimbotsham, from St. John 1, 40th verse. The choir were entertained to an excellent supper by the rector and his brother, G. Read, Esq, of the Hall. The church was tastefully decorated.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 9th Bonfire at Barton Bendish Hall 6.30pm see advert

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 10th Film 'Journey's End' 7.00pm see advert

SUNDAY NOVEMBER 11th Remembrance Service 10.30 am St Andrew's

100th Anniversary of the end of WWI 6.30pm Village Hall
see advert NOVEMBER 22nd – 24th Wreath Making Workshops see advert

SUNDAY DECEMBER 9th Christingle Service 3.00 pm St Andrew's

SATURDAY DECEMBER 15th Victorian Evening 6.00pm Village Hall see
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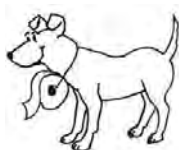
Parish Council



The Royal Air Force Marham Senior Citizens Christmas Lunch is to be held on Wednesday 5th December. We have been asked to nominate a number of residents so if you are interested and would like to be considered please let me have your name asap. The names will be presented at the next Parish Council meeting which will be held on November 12th at

7.30pm.

Dog Fouling:



This complaint was received by the Parish Council recently *"I've just walked along Old Hall Lane from All Saints' Way corner on the road opposite The Old Rectory towards the pub. There are several places where someone has allowed their dog/dogs to foul the pavement – apparently this is a common happening. The pavement on either side of the road has been fouled. Please could this be mentioned at a parish council meeting and perhaps notices be placed so that dog owners are more aware of their responsibilities. Really it is not nice for any of us for the pavements to be used like this"*.

If you have any items for the agenda please give them to me in writing at least a week beforehand.

As always, if you have a query or a problem, you can consult the Councillors at any time – they are more than willing to listen and help if they can.

The Parish Council website is beachamwell-pc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk

Eileen Powell (Parish Clerk)

St Mary's Church

At 11am on the 11th of November, there will be a special service of remembrance in St. Mary's to mark the centenary of the ending of the First World War. A poppy wreath will be laid and then there will be the traditional two minutes of silence when each member of the congregation will have the opportunity to think of all those who gave their lives for their country. The

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will be read, along with the names of those who survived the war. Like every village in the country, the residents of Beachamwell were indelibly affected by the war with the loss or wounding, both physically and psychologically, of many relatives or friends. There will be prayers, Bible readings, hymns, songs and poems. The finest British poet of World War 1, Wilfred Owen, who was killed just one week before Armistice was declared, wrote that: *My theme is war and the pity of war*. Although a service of remembrance is an occasion in which to mourn, it should also be an occasion of hope that the world might one day be built on the sure foundation of peace and reconciliation. In the Book of Genesis, we read: *After the great flood, Noah sent out a white dove in search of land. The dove returned with an olive branch, telling that it had found land*. It is only fitting that the service will end in the sharing of the sign of peace, followed by a hymn of hope: *Morning has broken*.

James Knox Whittet

Flower and Brass Cleaning Rota for November

4th Susie Rix, 11th Several People for Remembrance Day, 18th Sonia Williams
25th Carole Wilson

The Friends of St Mary's



Beachamwell Calendar 2019

Don't miss out on the opportunity to buy a beautiful Beachamwell calendar. It costs £7.50 and would make an ideal Christmas gift! Each month features a photograph taken in the village by a group of talented local photographers. It is being sold in aid of the Friends of St Mary and all proceeds will go towards restoration work on our historic church. To order a calendar ring

Leah Spencer 01366 328536

The Churches of Beachamwell Event (see Local History Group Report)

£420 from the sale of refreshment, calendars and poetry books, together with donations has been forwarded to the Friends of St Mary's. **Philip Spencer**

The Third Quiz

68 people enjoyed another fun quiz and £294 was raised for the Friends of St Mary's. Thank you to everyone who came and those who helped in any way, we really do appreciate your support. **Peggy English and Eileen Powell**

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Village Hall

Fete Evaluation Meeting

There was an encouraging turnout of 19 people at the fete evaluation meeting on Friday 21 September. The 2018 fete and country fair, which raised over £4000.00 this year, was discussed, including the many strengths and suggested areas of improvement. All this information has been recorded and another meeting will be held in early summer 2019 to start planning for the next fete in 2020.

This biennial event is a vital fundraiser for the village hall. Let's make the next one a real village event with lots of people involved and lots of new ideas. Watch this space! **Alice Blatchford and Leah Spencer**

Beachamwell's Countryfile Ramble

The children of Beachamwell, their parents, other grown-ups and Monty the dog, completed a Countryfile Ramble for *Children in Need* on Sunday 7th October 2018.

The two and a half mile circular route took ramblers across fields, through woods and along the quiet road to Shingham and back to Beachamwell. We passed pigs and horses in their fields; saw an owl box and tree trunks with holes made by woodpeckers.

It was discovered that it took nine children holding hands to measure the girth of a five hundred year-old oak. At Laundry Cottage we met the washer-woman with her pile of newly washed sheets. Back at the village hall, squash and biscuits brought the ramble to a close.

Thank you to everyone who rambled – and donated their pocket money – you are all stars.

£63.75 (includes Gift Aid) for raised for *Children in Need*.

(Photograph: Philip Spencer)



BEACHAMWELL, SHINGHAM & DRYMERE VILLAGE NEWS

Beachamwell Local History Group

The Churches of Beachamwell event, September 23rd: Following weeks (indeed months) of preparation, heavy rain greeted the morning of The Churches of Beachamwell event. Would anyone want to turn out on such miserable day? Indeed they would and, as the rain eased at lunchtime and eventually the sun itself was glimpsed, the various venues were filled with visitors enjoying the exhibitions and events. In St Mary's Church a display focusing on the history of the religious buildings in our parish attracted attention and interest. Meanwhile a group of hardy walkers braved the rain to follow a guided walk to St Botolph's Church at Shingham.

Remote and tucked away at the end of a long lane apparently to nowhere, St Botolph's is normally locked to passers-by, so visitors were delighted to have the chance to see inside this ancient building and experience the charm of its simple interior.

Beachamwell Village Hall staged an art exhibition of the local church buildings as seen in paintings, drawings and photographs. Also on view was the archive of local history photographs. And the Village Hall was a welcome destination after the damp morning to enjoy a bowl of soup, a bacon roll and delicious cakes.



In the afternoon the medieval benches of St Botolph's were filled by an audience for a short programme of poetry and song. Poems inspired by our churches were read by their authors; the unaccompanied voices of the singers drifted in the venerable air. Many agreed it was the highlight of the day.

(Photograph: Eileen Powell)

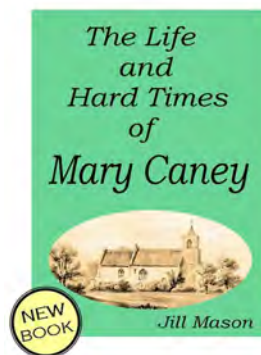
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beautiful poetry books were available to buy. We were able to reflect on the meaningful words and know that we were helping towards The Friends of St Mary's Church. We were able to enjoy ourselves and feel good too.

The tea and cake served with smiles and great generosity of spirit in the Village Hall were a delicious finale to a mood enhancing day. All our senses were engaged at the Beachamwell Event. Huge thanks to you all and huge thanks for allowing us to sing in the beautiful church of St. Botolph's.

Carol Bleiker and Anna McCrae

The Life and Hard Times of Mary Caney, 1790-1878



The Beachamwell Local History Group next event will be a talk by local author, Jill Mason. Her latest book features the true life story of Mary Caney, who lived in Barton Bendish. On Tuesday, 13th November at 7.30, Jill will be talking about the real history behind her novel and the research she did in preparation for it. Tickets will be on sale on the door. £3 for non-members including refreshments. This promises to be a most interesting evening.

Everyone is welcome

Maggie Mackenzie

Wednesday Walkers

The October walk began outside St Botolph's at Shingham. The Wednesday Walkers went east towards the Cockley Cley Road and to the forest. The big question was should we try and find the invisible public footpath that crossed a field, or should we trespass along the side of Larch Wood? It was decided to blaze a trail across the field so that other walkers would see our footprints and so know where they could legally walk.

Once on the Cley Road we towards the forest and did a circular route along grassy rides to return the way we had come to St Botolph's.

We walk again on Wednesday 7th November, leaving Beachamwell village hall at 10.00 am. Do come and join us – we should love to welcome you. See advert elsewhere in the magazine.

BEACHAMWELL, SHINGHAM & DRYMERE VILLAGE NEWS

Beachamwell WI



In October, Beachamwell WI celebrated 100 years of women's suffrage, with a dramatic presentation about the long campaign to get votes for women. Written and performed by members of the group and illustrated by a backdrop of photos, pictures and cartoons from the time, the presentation explored the story of these remarkable women, using the testimony of both ordinary and famous suffragists who bravely dared to break free from the expectations of their times. The audience even sang some of the suffragist anthems, the last of which, sung for the first time at a meeting in London to celebrate women over 30 getting the vote in 1918, was "Jerusalem"! We were delighted to welcome a number of visitors, who all enjoyed an entertaining and thought-provoking evening.

In November, we have our Annual Meeting, but it will not be all business, as first there will be a talk from Tina Burdett about the East Anglian Children's Hospice. Looking ahead, we are hoping that more visitors will join us for a Christmas special event on 6th December, as we will be entertained by the music and comedy of the "West End Waiters". More details next month.

The WI's popular Christmas Fayre will be held this year on Saturday, 1st December, at Beachamwell Village Hall, at the new times of 11.30 - 2.00. As usual, there will be our pop up café, with soups, rolls and mulled wine, plus many items on sale: hand crafted gifts, decorations, cakes and preserves.

Visitors are always welcome to come along to WI meetings. *Any enquiries to Maggie Mackenzie 01366 327023 or Helen Ranger 01366 328589*

Nar Valley Ornithological Society (Narvos)

Blue Cows and Orange Cats; The Wildlife of Northern India

Paul Fuller (NarVOS)

Tuesday November 27th, 2018

Please come along and find out more

7.30pm, at the Barn Theatre, Sacred Heart School, Swaffham,

PE37 7QW (Enter from Sporle Road)

CHURCH SERVICES IN NOVEMBER **(Priory/Northern group)**

Sunday 4th November All Saints' Sunday

10.00 am Fincham Family Communion
10.00 am Shouldham Morning Prayer
10.30 am Marham United Worship (Methodist Chapel)
10.30 am Stow Bardolph Holy Communion
11.00 am Runcton Holme Holy Communion

Sunday 11th November Remembrance Sunday

10.00 am Shouldham Thorpe Wreath laying at the War Memorial
10.30 am Stow Bridge Holy Communion
10.45 am Fincham Group Remembrance Service
10.50 am Watlington Remembrance Service

Sunday 18th November The Second Sunday before Advent

10.00 am Shouldham Holy Communion
10.30 am Marham United Worship (Methodist Chapel)
10.30 am Nordelph Holy Communion in the Village Hall
11.00 am Tottenhill Holy Communion

Sunday 25th November Christ the King

9.30 am Fincham Holy Communion (said BCP)
10.30 am Marham Holy Communion (Holy Trinity)
10.30 am Wimbotsham Holy Communion
11.00 am Watlington Holy Communion

THURSDAY SERVICES at 10am

HOLY COMMUNION **Fincham** 1st, 15th and 29th.

MORNING SERVICE **Watlington** 1st.

BAPTISMS AND WEDDINGS Please contact the Churchwarden in your parish:

Barton Bendish	Mhari Blanchfield	01366 347849
	Linda Webster	01366 347563
Beachamwell	Vesna Hudson	(01366) 327030
Boughton	Pam Wakeling	01366 500429
Wereham	Sheila Smith	01366 858165

CHURCH SERVICES IN NOVEMBER **(Wissey Valley/Southern Group)**

Sunday 4th November

9.30 am
11.00am
11.00am
3.00 pm
6.00 pm

All Saints' Sunday

Whittington Holy Communion
Beachamwell Holy Communion
West Dereham Family Service
Methwold All Souls Service
Wereham Evensong

Sunday 11th November

10.00 am
10.30 am
service
10.30 am
service
10.45 am
10.50 am
service
10.50 am

Remembrance Sunday

Methwold Remembrance service
Barton Bendish Remembrance

Beachamwell Remembrance

Wereham Remembrance service
West Dereham Remembrance

Whittington Remembrance service

Sunday 18th November

9.30 am
Methodists
9.30am
11.00am
11.00 am
6.00 pm

The Second Sunday before Advent

Methwold Joint service with

West Dereham Service of the Word
Beachamwell Service of the Word
Wereham Holy Communion
Wretton with Stoke Ferry
Evensong

Sunday 25th November

9.30am
9.30 am
10.00 am
11.00 am
6.00 pm

Christ the King

West Dereham Service of the Word
Methwold Holy Communion
Whittington All Age Service
Boughton Holy Communion
Barton Bendish Evensong

COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD

MOBILE LIBRARY VISITS - Please note changed days/times

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

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
Fakenham	Fourth Saturday 8.30am to 12:00pm
RAF Marham	First Thursday 12.00pm to 5.00pm
Swaffham	Second Saturday

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

VILLAGE, COMMUNITY and PARISH HALL BOOKINGS

Barton Bendish	Maureen Tasker	01366 347432
Beachamwell	Leah Spencer	01366 328536
Boughton	Pam Wakeling	01366 500429
Wereham	Doreen Rolph	01366 500218

BOUGHTON VILLAGE NEWS

BVC Social Evening

On Saturday 8th September the BVC hosted a casual social evening at All Saints' Church for all residents to meet up with friends, catch up with neighbours and to welcome new residents to the village. It was good to see some new faces and, as in other years you all excelled in providing a plate of food which produced an excellent spread for us all to enjoy. Over 40 people attended the event and were most generous in supporting the raffle which raised £113. Many thanks to everyone who contributed to make the evening enjoyable and successful.

The Boughton Village Caravan

Autumn Garden Jumble

Thank you so much to all who supported this event, your donations of plants and garden related equipment raised £96 for church funds.

Andrew & Angela on behalf of Boughton PCC

Boughton Fen Report for Parish Council Meeting 02.10..2018 The formalities of the Countryside Stewardship application are still ongoing. More information, forms, maps and so on have been submitted, and we hope to hear the final outcome of all this very soon. Nothing is certain until it has been confirmed, but if this is successful it should allow for a further ten years of continuous funding to ensure the future of the fen, which I trust that the PC supports.

In the meantime, our first working party has taken place on the wildlife walk, to make it more accessible after the rain and warmth caused everything to run amok. This was a small group who bravely tackled the brambles and nettles, after our cutting contractor had mown the entire path. Obviously no other work was permissible until 1st October – and the first proper working party is to take place this coming Sunday, 7th October. We need to get on in the areas that will quickly become waterlogged before that happens, and worry about working in the drier parts later in the season when those places have become inaccessible. Some new volunteers have come to join us, and any one else interested in taking part over the winter can contact Mark on 01366 500461; mark@pogmore.myzen.co.uk

RAF MARHAM – an update

Some parishioners have mentioned the increase in aircraft activity and noise levels from planes based at RAF Marham; there have also been some concerns about vehicles thought to be travelling to and from RAF Marham. Following from that I was recently able to meet with the Station Engagement Officer at RAF

Marham (many thanks to Warrant Officer Mo Howard for arranging this) to discuss these issues and I give below a short update.

The RAF has as I think most local people will know been carrying out extensive upgrades to RAF Marham (some £550 million committed). One aspect of this work is the runways. The main runway is currently being rebuilt / refurbished and they hope work will be finished by the end of 2018. There is then a full and comprehensive certification requirement which the RAF advise makes it difficult to predict when the runway will be available for use. This could range from immediate certification to flaws being found that may result in remediation work. In the meanwhile work on the secondary runway has been completed and currently all planes take off from it. Because the take-off (and landing) direction is different (and towards Boughton) is the reason why we hear and see more planes. This will change once the main runway is fully operational when around 75% of planes will revert to using the main runway.

There are currently nine F35's at Marham with more due. Interestingly the last Tornado flight will be in March 2019 when doubtless there will be much interest from aviation enthusiasts.

Separately there have been a number of instances (often early morning / early evening) with small commercial vehicles speeding through Boughton. If you can get details (company names or registration marks) please do let me or any other councillors have them and we will pass them to RAF Marham. The RAF will take very strong action if they are found to be contractors not adhering to the law.

Tom Roberts Boughton Parish Council

Smith Churchill Boughton Rector (1853 to 1897)

Smith Churchill was the Rector of Boughton for some 44 years and was an important person in the history of the village. He oversaw the building of the new Rectory in 1857 and the rebuilding of All Saints' after part of it burned down in 1872. A memorial dedicated to these facts is located on the north side of the Chancel.

He was also renowned for having the tragic misfortune of seeing his first wife, his daughter, two sons and their nanny all succumb to scarlet fever in the third week of January 1862.



Harriet Catherine, aged 11, died on the 14th; Fleetwood, aged 6 and the nanny Louisa Black, aged 23, both died on the 18th and his wife Harriet and Wolstan Dixie, aged 5, both died on the 22nd.

The often told story that Smith Churchill had the new rectory built after this tragic event as he thought the water from the pond caused the illness cannot really hold true if the memorial is factually correct in stating he had the new Rectory built in 1857.

Other children of theirs had died in infancy, Eliza (5 months) on 18th April 1854, Eleanor Rees (1 year) on 22nd April 1859 and Susannah Jane (infant) on 2nd June 1859. Another child of theirs, Alexander Beaumont born in 1860, appears to have survived as there is no burial record. Times were certainly tough and unforgiving.

Shortly after this tragedy, Smith Churchill married Mary Neal Carter and they soon had children of their own, Fleetwood Henry (1864), Mary St. Barbe (1865), Smith (1866), Wolstan Dixie (1867) and Willoughby Dixie (1869). As you can see, it was quite common at this time for new children to be named in remembrance of recently departed loved ones.

On Friday 14th September 2018, Boughton was particularly fortunate to be visited by Susan Churchill and her son Ivaan who are direct descendants, Great Grand-Daughter and Great-Great Grandson respectively, of Smith Churchill. Susan and Ivaan were able to see first hand the memorial and gravestones of their ancestors and made a short tour of the village seeing the old and new Rectories. Susan was born in Adelphi Terrace in Crimplysham and there are family connections still resident in the immediate local area.

Susan and Ivaan in front of the Churchill Gravestones

Susan's lineage has a fascinating past, her father Smith Churchill (what else!) was instrumental in the transformation of the Silverstone RAF wartime airfield into a motor racing circuit and resided at Luffield Abbey Farm within the grounds of Silverstone in the late 1940's. Silverstone was the first British motor racing circuit to host an International Grand Prix in 1948. He was also a keen and successful speedway rider, grass track racer and had a pre-war hobby of racing boats. Motorsport skills run throughout the family. Susan and Ivaan are lovely people and were very complimentary about our Church and village. It



was an honour and delight to meet with them.

Maryse Golds

Sadly, Maryse died in hospital earlier in October after a short period in hospital. Her funeral was on 22nd October at All Saints' Church. She is buried next to her daughter Janine. Our sympathies go to Tony, Lisa , Piers and all the family.

WEREHAM VILLAGE NEWS

Wereham Craft Group. By the time you all get to read this we will have had our craft fair. We hope everyone who visited liked what they saw and were able to do some early Christmas shopping. We have been busy sewing and knitting Poppies for Ian's world war one display on 10th November. As well as fund raising for the village hall we continue with knitting baby blankets for Project Linus. Please contact me if you would like information on anything that we do. Rosemary.

Tel 01366501330, or 07749240606. Email rosemary.pease@btinternet.com.

Short Mat Bowls. The group continues to flourish. We now play on a Thursday afternoon 2pm until 4pm. We will always welcome new players, no experience needed as we will show you what to do. Just come along and enjoy yourself. For further details Contact Philip on 01366 501330 or 07759033492 e-mail rosemary.pease@btinternet.com.

Car Boot and Cafe. The car boot on 25th November will be the last one for 2018; we then take a short break over Christmas and start up again on Sunday 27th January 2019. We would like to say thank you very much for your continued support during 2018 and we look forward to seeing you all again in 2019. For further details please contact Philip on 01366 501330, or 07759033492, e-mail rosemary.pease @btinternet.com.

Wissey Valley Players is an exciting new drama group that has recently been set up for residents of Wereham and all of the surrounding villages. It is already proving to be very popular, but we are keen to attract new members from across the local community. The group meet every Thursday evening from 7.30pm to 9.30pm at Wereham Village Hall. The group is open to all ages, and is a great way to meet new people and enjoy play reading in a relaxed and fun way. We are not only looking for people who enjoy acting and singing, but also those who would like to try their hand at directing, stage management or set design. Can you help to make sets and costumes or props? Or perhaps you have skills in lighting and sound which would be invaluable to us. Why not come along to one of our meetings to find out more and join in. For more information please contact

Keith or Chris Murray on 01366 500976 or email: stagestruck_37@hotmail.com

THE BATTLE'S OVER

Wereham is taking part in this national tribute to the millions of people who lost their lives or returned home dreadfully wounded from the Great War. Over 1000 pipers will be playing at war memorials across the country and across the world.

Dominic Rye, will be playing "The Battles O'er" on the bagpipes at 6am on November 11th at the Wereham War Memorial outside the church.

Please come and support and commemorate the armistice which was signed 100 years ago at 6am on November 11th 1918. He will also be playing at the WW1 commemoration event Saturday 10th November 6.45 pm starting at Wereham War Memorial and then in the New Wereham Village Hall. (Tickets, £5 adults, children free required for village hall available from Wereham Village Hall any weekday between 10am and 4 pm). He will also be playing at the Remembrance service November 11th starting 10.45 am at St. Margaret's church Wereham. All welcome. Please join in with this nationwide day of Commemorative events marking the Centenary of the end of the First World War and paying tribute to the millions killed or wounded in battle and those on the home front who struggled amidst pain and loss to ensure freedom survived.

LIVE BAND

Live music from Gravel Road, featuring Rock and Pop, covers on Saturday 17th November, 7.30pm to 11.30pm. Raffle and bar, in Wereham Village Hall.

Tickets £7.50 available from Wereham Village Hall and website or contact Angela 07535399883 or Dianne 07786407950. Proceeds to Wereham Village Hall.

MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING

A BIG thank you to everyone who helped make our coffee morning such a good success, we raised over £800 (some further donations still to come in). What a wonderful selection of donated cakes/pastries to choose from, and a warm and friendly atmosphere to enjoy this in. My thanks to you all for supporting such a worthy cause. *Angela*

Christmas Lunch in Wereham Village Hall, on December 9th.

We are pleased to say that there has been a lot of interestonly a few places left.....contact Angela 500415 or Pauline 501484 soon to secure your booking.

October Update from the Wereham Village Hall Committee

Our new hall really is 'up and running' now with regular groups meeting every day of the week as well as numerous weekend bookings. As we start heading ever closer to Christmas, things are only likely to get busier!

At the beginning of October, almost 40 people enjoyed a stroll around the village solving a range of clues set by our resident Quiz master John Eastgate. It was a beautiful sunny afternoon to explore the village and learn some interesting local (and less local) facts. And if that wasn't taxing enough, our next event will see John in action again at the Halloween quiz night on Saturday 27th October, starting at 7.30pm. Tickets are £5 including supper but please bring your own drinks, glasses and snacks. Tickets available by contacting either Doreen Rolph ([01366 500218](tel:01366500218)) or John Eastgate ([01366 500766](tel:01366500766)). We are also very excited to be launching the new **Village Cinema**. Our first screening will be The Greatest Showman (PG) on Friday 23rd November. Doors open at 7pm with the film starting at 7.45pm. There will be a bar open before and after the screening and a raffle. Tickets are £5 for adults and £3 for juniors (under 15) and can be bought via our online booking system, direct from the hall during normal weekday opening hours (10am-4pm), or on the door.

Wereham Village Hall Bonus Ball Club The lucky winners of £60 each in September were June Banham and Sandra Amiss – congratulations to you both. *Helen Richardson, Secretary.*

Events list Bingo - Wereham Village Hall "Cash Prize" Bingo every Wednesday, doors open 6.45, eyes down 7.30pm. Teas/coffees available with complimentary biscuits. For enquiries contact Angela ([01366 500115](tel:01366500115)) or Diane ([01366500798](tel:01366500798)).

Pop up Café – first and third Tuesday of the month, 10.30-1pm. Join us for a slice of homemade cake, a hot drink, a natter and a read of the daily papers all for just £1.50. Light lunches also available – look out for our monthly specials! Cake donations/queries to Doreen on [01366 500218](tel:01366500218). Next dates are Tuesday 6th and Tuesday 20th November.

Car boot and Café – last Sunday of the month, 9am-1pm (café opens at 8am). Next dates are Sunday 28th October and Sunday 25th November. Café serving bacon butties, hot dogs and hot drinks. £5 per pitch. Contact Philip on [07759033492](tel:07759033492)/01366 501330 e-mail rosemary.pease@btinternet.com.

Halloween Quiz Night – Saturday 27th October, 7.30pm. Contact Doreen on [01366 500218](tel:01366500218) or John on [01366 500766](tel:01366500766).

Craft Fair – Saturday 3rd November, 10am – 4pm. Contact Rosemary on [01366 501330](tel:01366501330).

Live Band – Saturday 17th November, 7.30 – 11.30 pm. Contact Angela on [01366 500115](tel:01366500115).

Village Cinema – Friday 23rd November, 7 for 7.45 screening, The Greatest Showman.

Village Christmas Lunch – Sunday 9th December, more details next month. Visit our website, www.werehamvillagehall.co.uk or log onto www.facebook.com/werehamvillagehall to stay up to date with what's on, or call Lyn, Sara or Sure on 07497 430005 between 10am and 4pm Monday to Friday for more information.

Wereham Parish Council

Next Meeting Dates_Tuesday 13 November 2018 at 7.00 pm in the Wereham Village Hall Agenda items must be received before the end of the month prior to each meeting, items received after this time will not be possible to discuss. Please send to the Parish Clerk at werehampc@gmail.com. The Agendas for meetings are always published on the Wereham Village Notice Board three clear days before the meeting, on the Wereham Parish Council Facebook Page and on the website www.werehamparishcouncil.co.uk You will also find minutes of all meetings here too.

Public: Notice Dated 07.10.18 regarding Flies. *Please note that by the time you read this there may be further updates available on the Wereham PC Website.*

Dear residents and surrounding areas you will be aware that there had been an increase in flies. As before we can confirm that this is from the Glazewing site. The summers of 2016 and 2017 we suffered from this issue and after investigating and intervention from the Environment Agency, who is the appropriate authority for this issue, they discovered that animal feed wasn't being processed quick enough. Since this time the site no longer processes animal feed waste but the machine that processes other waste had broken down, we now understand, at the beginning of September. The Parish Council after being advised this was to be fixed, has however contacted the Environment Agency to report. They advised that they had already had communications from members of the public who reported it, which was excellent, which meant they have decided to intervene and pay a visit to the site. They have advised that they will issue a newsletter for the public after their visit via the Parish Council. The newsletter will be issued as soon as possible. On Facebook and as before the Wereham Parish Council. The previous newsletter of 2017 is still on the Wereham Parish Council news section. Should there be further updates we will let you know otherwise please share this with the Public.

The Environment Agency have emailed the Wereham Parish Council and advised: "We are aware of the increase in fly activity at the Glazewing site and have had numerous reports from other residents in the village. My colleagues have been attending site at least once each week to assess the situation and are working with the site to get the offending waste cleared. Where you have

fly activity at your property that is causing a nuisance, please report the issue to our incident hotline in the first instance: 0800 80 70 60. Your report is then passed to an available member of my team to be assessed and responded to accordingly. Given the increase in problems and reports again this year, I believe my colleagues will be drafting another update newsletter to send round the village to make residents aware of the situation and what intervention the EA are taking."A newsletter was issued by them and is available to view on the website.

Wereham Cemetery Memorial Safety - The Parish Council are trying to trace relatives or those responsible for memorials. The Wereham Parish Council have recently reviewed its responsibilities for health and safety within the Wereham Cemetery and commissioned a report with a registered qualified inspector of all memorials. The inspector advised the Parish Council of 17 memorials in the cemetery that they classify as 'dangerous' to public safety and therefore in order to remedy they recommend fitting what is called a 'naam bar' for the current memorial to remain in use, these 17 are memorials that we would like to hear from people about. Please contact the Clerk if you are responsible for a memorial in the cemetery. These memorials have now been laid down by the Parish Council as agreed at their meeting in July 2018 in line with their health and safety responsibilities because no contact had been received. All of the memorials effected can be reinstated by the owners as long as within safety guidelines. The Parish Council recommends that purchasing records are checked for any guarantee of workmanship which it may be possible to claim from. The inspecting company is able to provide costs of fitting a 'naam' bar. If you are the person responsible, relative or have knowledge of contact, a response would really be appreciated, as you will have realised, this is a health and safety issue which the Parish Council are obliged to resolve as soon as possible.

New Dog Waste Bins – Two new dog bins have now been installed in the village by the Wereham Parish Council. The new places are at the junction of Back Lane/Church Road and at the junction of Wretton Row and The Row. There are three others are located at the end of Lamas Lane (Flegg Green end); along Cavenham Road towards the public footpath (field end); and on the playing field near the village hall entrance.

These dog bins have been purchased using precept funds, and the costs of emptying them is also paid for in the same way. Please could we all be encouraged to use these bins and keep are village a pleasant place to live.

All are welcome to attend meetings in 2018, if there are topics or ideas that you wish to share or be discussed with the Parish Council at any time during 2018, please email me on werehampc@gmail.com.

Helen Richardson Wereham Parish Clerk and Finance Responsible
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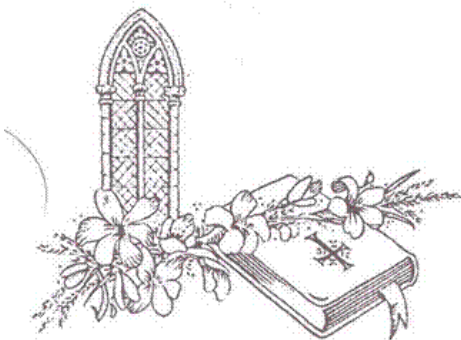
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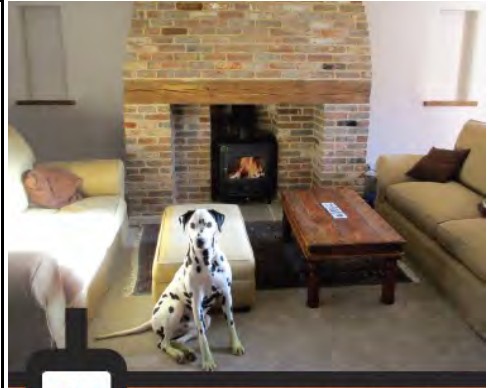
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