



# NAYLAND<sup>WITH</sup>WISSINGTON

## COMMUNITY TIMES

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## VILLAGE CALENDAR 2010

The lovely poster advertising the photographic competition to select pictures for a calendar of Nayland for 2010 was produced by CT Editor, Lorraine Brooks and has hopefully inspired entries. Lorraine will be on the judging team so cannot herself enter. It is hoped to have some autumn shots amongst those pictures submitted.

Village dates of interest in 2010 will be printed in the calendar such as school term dates, the Church Fete, Open Gardens, etc. Societies, please let a committee member know, or email [naylandcc@yahoo.com](mailto:naylandcc@yahoo.com), if you wish to promote a certain date.

The Nayland-with-Wissington Community Council hope for a good entry into the competition and an interesting exhibition in the Church Hall on 4th May from 2pm to 4.30pm. Calendars will be on sale at the Flower Show on 1st August and at other events.

Full details of the competition and an application form can be found on page 6

*Hazel Gardiner, Secretary, Nayland Community Council*

## COMMUNITY COUNCIL AGM

### CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

The first event was the Nayland Quiz with questions set by the previous year's winners. Again a full house enjoyed an excellent evening and the winning team was called "Special Cuddles".

Although not the first event, planning had already started on the Village Festival. The Community Council made the right decision to postpone the Street Fayre and to have a weekend event made up of the village societies for the enjoyment of the whole village. Started off by Dr Ronald Blythe with the showing of Akenfield and ending with a Music Hall, it lived up to expectations thanks to the efforts of all the organising committee. Who could forget a full Fen Street for a duck race that lasted less than five minutes, but created such excitement.

At the same time, many members of the Community Council attended the opening of Woodland Corner, a marvellous achievement by the committee that took a vision to reality. The village should be really proud of the success of that facility, and the Community Council is also proud of the part it played in facilitating financially how the Woodland Corner was funded.

July was a busy month for another reason – a rather unwelcome guest arrived. On our doorsteps was slapped the LSPN in direct competition to the Community Times. It is a tribute to the Community Times that it was able to withstand the challenge of the paper and the Council is grateful to the contributors and advertisers who kept pace with the Times.

November saw for the fifth time a lovely evening for a bonfire. The fireworks were better than ever, the hotdogs just lasted and everyone went home safe.

The Christmas Bazaar was different this year – held in the morning, it lacked the noise and verve of previous years, although stallholders, apart from Father Christmas, reported reasonable business. The Council has reverted to the afternoon, but we need to rethink the format and entertainment. Firstly, we need to know that the village would like the event, and would be interested to hear from members here.

In no time at all one Sunday morning, Court Street was transformed by the usual Christmas tree, but with white lights on account of the blue ones confusing Police cars. Carols round the tree once again discovered previous unheard voices that needed to be unheard again. But fortunately the Silver Band and our choir built the Christmas spirit in the run up to the special day.

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### SPECIAL INTEREST

**St James' Church Fete**

**Nayland Village Calendar  
Competition & Exhibition**

**May Day Walk**

**Cinema: 'Rabbit-  
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**Cinema: 'The Singer**

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# NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting: 11th February 2009

## STREET LIGHTING

Concern over Nayland's village street lights has prompted the parish council to request a site meeting. With several currently out of action, including two in the High Street, the council agreed at its February meeting the situation was getting worse and repairs were taking far too long. Clerk Debbie Hattrell said she reported all faulty lights but the European safety rule meant there was a holdup when EDF was involved as it was the only company authorised to do the repair work. Chairman Gerry Battye said the parish council had provided street lamps in the village and as the lighting authority needed to show it was doing its utmost to prevent risk. It was agreed the lights needed to be tabulated and a spreadsheet will be prepared before the next council meeting. A site meeting to inspect them all will then be arranged with EDF, contractors Carillion, Suffolk County Council and parish councillors.

## PARKING

In a discussion on the ongoing parking problem around the school and doctors' surgery Chris Hunt said double yellow lines on the surgery side of the Harpers Estate corner, previously backed by the council, would do away with the danger for drivers turning into Bear Street. But villagers were stuck with the problem at busy times and it was up to motorists to be courteous and not to park across driveways. He added: "We have to accept it has to be tolerated and a bit of patience is needed. We are sympathetic but have done all we can." The council is to write to county highways senior engineer Karen Smith asking her to clarify the situation over the suggested yellow lines and informing her the council was in favour.

## AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Reporting on progress of the proposed affordable housing site in Wiston Road, Tricia Fuller said details of the changes the council wanted were included by the architect and discussed at the working party's January meeting but the planner had now come back saying Babergh's conservation officer disagreed with the changes. Mrs Fuller said it was vital the planner was present at the meetings as the parish council had to get it right. "We thought we were making progress but now we're back to square one," she added. It was agreed to write to the Flagship Housing Group asking for a public consultation display in the village hall to be postponed until after the next council meeting so members could see the plans first.

## VILLAGE HALL

Rosemary Knox reported various issues had been raised at the village hall's annual meeting and the committee was looking into them. The flooding problem at the front continued after heavy rain because soakaways could not cope. The committee did not consider it was worth spending money on an expensive scheme which involved digging up a chunk of the playing field and might not work.

A letter from hall treasurer Andrew Gowen said he was against setting up a separate trust fund for the hall's future. The parish council could still exert control over the hall's endowment fund if it was one of the cheque signatories and starting a separate fund would not give any further security. It was agreed Mr Battye should talk to Mr Gowen again and report back.

## FINANCE

The council agreed to make three charity donations to Suffolk Accident and Rescue Service, the local Citizens' Advice Bureau and Babergh Homestart. It will give 25 per cent of the £375 allocated to each charity and retain the rest for possible future use. Tibby Mimpriss disagreed with the principle of parish councils donating to charity but was outvoted 7-1. Councillors felt it was worthwhile supporting charities which would directly benefit villagers.

It was agreed Selwyn Pryor's £1,424 locality budget should be used to pay for the new street light on the corner of Newlands Lane/Church Lane.

## LITTER-PICKING

Councillors decided a fresh start was needed over litter-picking in the village and this could involve drawing up a new specification and seeking quotations.

## FOOTPATHS

Members heard from Mrs Mimpriss a donation had been offered towards paying for a public notice in the local press advertising the council's intention to divert the Wiston Mill footpath. The council had originally voted £400 towards the administration costs but hesitated last month when it heard the advertisement would cost £650. Following the offer members agreed to ask Babergh Council to proceed with the diversion.

## DEAD LANE, WISTON

It was reported Dead Lane, Wiston, was in a bad state and four-wheel drive vehicles were suspected of using the byway despite a traffic order restricting its use during winter months. Anybody with information was asked to inform the council.

## PLANNING

Reviewing recent planning applications Mr Battye said those granted included a plan for a two-storey house and demolition of the existing dwelling in Farthing Lane and the conversion of a stable to a workshop at 3 Fox Cottages.

The council had no objection to plans for a two-storey rear extension and garden room at 5 Fen Street, a rear extension at 60 Bear Street and a first floor rear extension at 8 Wiston Road.

## DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

District councillor Richard Cave said the Boundary Committee's report on local government changes had been delayed until July 15 following a judicial review requested by East Devon District Council. The delay meant the report would not go through parliament until after the end of August and many people believed the changes would not happen at all, making it very difficult to plan.

Meanwhile Suffolk County Council had a proposed a 2.45 per cent council tax increase for 2009/10, its lowest ever.

He said the question of a village bottle bank was still ongoing and contractors had been asked to check if their vehicle could negotiate the route from the High Street to the village hall car park.

## CRIME

It was reported the only crime last month was an assault involving actual bodily harm in Gravel Hill on January 31

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# NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting: 11th March 2009

## HORKESLEY PARK HERITAGE CENTRE

Faced with sifting through boxes of documents and files concerning the new plans for Buntings' proposed heritage and conservation centre at Great Horkesley, Nayland parish councillors are to hold a special meeting so they can study every aspect of the development.

Buntings' revised application has been submitted to Colchester Borough Council and members want to be fully informed in preparation for the council's response to be decided at its next meeting on April 8 which will be held in the Church Hall.

Chairman Gerry Battye told the March meeting the revised plans showed Buntings had attempted to answer some of the points previously made by the council when the last application was submitted in 2005.

## AFFORDABLE HOUSING

Reporting on the proposed Wiston Road affordable housing site, Patricia Fuller said drawings had been given temporary approval by Babergh planning and conservation officers. She had stressed the plans had to be agreed by the entire parish council. Once the legal agreement over the land was in place a public display would be arranged a few days before the annual parish assembly. If any sound points were put forward they would be noted and if approved, included in the scheme. She said a footpath to the A134 was discussed and it was up to the parish council to follow it up. Mr Battye said county councillor Selwyn Pryor had been contacted and the council would seek support from Suffolk County Council.

## VILLAGE HALL

Rosemary Knox, in her village hall report, said the corners of the playing field were to be tidied up and the probation service was being contacted to provide workers. The next village hall cinema show would be *Rabbit-Proof Fence* on April 3 and profits from the next village lunch on April 29 would go towards buying a projector. She added Babergh was holding a festival of French films and *The Singer* starring Gerard Depardieu would be shown on April 27 at 3pm.

## BABERGH'S RECREATION GRANT

Mr Battye said Babergh was giving grants to villages for recreational use and Nayland would receive £2,000. It was suggested the money could be used to upgrade fencing in the recreation ground and councillors will inspect the site. Ray Spencer felt a barrier should at least be provided at the lower end.

## STREET LIGHTING

Clerk Debbie Hattrell reported only four out of 35 street lights were not working. She had obtained quotes for two new lights in the High Street and Court Street which would cost £1,072 each including the administration fee. It was agreed to go ahead with the work which involved EDF carrying out same-day disconnection and re-connection. Mrs Hattrell said Nayland was not the only village that had experienced problems with the new street lamp repair rules and the Suffolk Association of Local Councils was taking this up with EDF.

## HIGHWAYS

Members agreed to send a letter of thanks to the county highways department for its speedy repair of dangerous potholes in Bures Road, Wiston.

The council heard from Karen Smith, county highways senior engineer, that proposed double yellow lines would run from the new bus stop marking in Bear Street and in front of the doctors' surgery for 20 metres. It would be necessary to extend them into Harpers Estate as far as the garages and the surgery car park.

Mr Battye said Nayland with Wissington Conservation Society had contacted Selwyn Pryor with specific questions about the new road surfaces in Horkesley Road, Court Street

and Gravel Hill, asking whether there was any timetable for the contractor to remedy the defects.

Mary George reported a heavy lorry had hit a house in Birch Street tearing off guttering and a witness had noted the number. Mr Battye said in the last month two HGVs had created chaos on the Mill Street/Birch Street corner.

## PLANNING

Reviewing recent planning applications, he said those approved included a single-storey side extension at 2 Larch Grove, first floor rear extension at 8 Wiston Road and single-storey side extension and replacement of a pitched roof at 60 Bear Street.

An application for a two-storey rear extension and single-storey garden room at 5 Fen Street was refused.

Mr Battye said the council had objected to a single-storey rear extension at 58 Bear Street because it would reduce off road parking at the rear of the property.

After lengthy discussion the council objected to a retrospective application for a toilet block at Rushbanks Farm caravan site until a technical report had been received from the Environment Agency. Members also objected to a retrospective application for a landing stage on the grounds of its size.

## BURIAL GROUND

Mrs George who had done a litter-pick in the burial ground collecting numerous bottles and other rubbish, said it needed to be inspected regularly. It was agreed to obtain quotes to replace fencing damaged during the winter. Funeral directors are to be asked not to heap spoil against the fence.

**Please Note:** The venue for the next Parish Council meeting to be held on **Wednesday 8th April at 7.30pm** will be the **Church Hall, Bear Street, Nayland.**

The Chairman of  
Nayland with Wissington Parish Council  
invites all residents to the Annual

## PARISH ASSEMBLY

**Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> April 2009**

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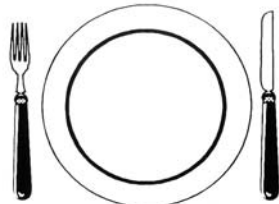
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# Nayland with Wissington Calendar

## Photographic Competition



Set out below are the competition rules for photographs submitted for the 2010 Nayland with Wissington calendar. In order to match modern scenes with pictures of the past, photographs of Street Scenes, the River, Horkesley Lock, the Weir, Anchor Bridge, Churches, Mills, the School and a Social Event are suggested. Attempts will certainly be made to match any other location.

It is necessary to remember that photographs of children must have parental knowledge and consent and whilst it is fine to photograph people participating in a public event, any bystanders must be agreeable to publication.

Sponsorship has been sought from local businesses but is open to businesses and individuals alike. If you can help in this way please contact Chris Hunt (via Kathy at the PO) on 262014 or Hazel Gardiner on 262582.

The Community Council look forward to your participation in the presentation of our first 'own' calendar. There is no age limit, the aim is to make it an enjoyable community project.

### Rules of Entry:

- The competition is open to residents of the Nayland with Wissington parish only.
- A maximum of 5 photographs per household may be entered.
- Photographs should be 7" x 5" in size and of landscape orientation. They must be colour prints of scenes captured in Nayland or Wissington.
- The entrants name and address should be included on the reverse of the photograph.
- Photographs should be placed in an envelope with a completed application form.
- If you require your photographs to be returned to you a stamped addressed envelope should be enclosed.
- Photographs must not be digitally enhanced.
- If photographs include children parental consent must be obtained by the entrant.
- Entries may be submitted to the Community Times box in the Post Office from the beginning of April. The closing date for entries is **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April**
- Judging will take place on Bank Holiday **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May** in the Church Hall. The display of photographs will be on public show from 2pm-4.30pm.
- The judge's decision will be final.

**Closing date for entries is Saturday 25th April.**

Additional entry forms are available on the website [www.naylandandwiston.net](http://www.naylandandwiston.net) or in the Community Times Box in the Post Office

### Application for Nayland Calendar 2010 Photography Competition

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No. of Photos: \_\_\_\_\_

Digital: Yes / No

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

*(may be required if digital photographs)*

Exact Location of Photograph

Name of Entrant

Scene 1:	
Scene 2:	
Scene 3:	
Scene 4:	
Scene 5:	

During the year, we gave birth to three initiatives – the Village Festival already discussed; the Nayland Calendar has had to put up with the usual jokes of naked postman, but is being progressed and the 500 copies will sell out quickly; the Transition movement is also coming to Nayland – discussed in the Autumn, the organising committee has really moved forward with a meeting planned in the Village Hall to launch and inform.

The Community Council was delighted in the past year to support many Societies and an individual with grants to the Over 60's Club, the Village Hall, and the Youth Club, in addition to Woodland Corner.

Throughout the year, the Executive of the Community Council has always been in place to support the activities of the Council. Too numerous and weighty to mention individually, I would like to thank them all for their unstinting contribution and support in delivering brilliant events for the village. However a couple of individuals need special mention:- Lorraine Brooks has again this year produced a quality

Community Times that has repelled other marauding publications, not only being editor, but doing half the Advertising Manager's job. Bryan Smith does the other half, but as Treasurer, he has produced accounts so much on time, he can tell the profit almost before he's counted the money! I thank him for his attention to detail and timeliness. Hazel Gardiner retires as Secretary after three years of trying to work with her computer and a Chairman who takes last minute to an art form! We thank her for her contribution and patience. If anyone would like to become Secretary, please get in contact; it really is fun. Finally, I again would like to thank our President, Ken Willingale, whose words of friendly advice have always been so to the mark.

And so the Council looks forward to a new programme of activity, calendarised and with new thinking; it could be an interesting year of transition.

*Alan Hodges, Chairman, Community Council*

## Community Council

## COMMUNITY COUNCIL REPORT

AGM: 9th March 2009

Chairman: Alan Hodges 263982

### TREASURER'S REPORT

The Community Council accounts, shown on page 8, were adopted at the meeting. Bryan Smith expressed thanks for Richard Cave's diligence in examining the accounts.

The President, Ken Willingale, on behalf of all members, expressed gratitude to Alan Hodges for his enthusiastic chairmanship.

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Alan Hodges thanked Hazel Gardiner, who was standing down as Secretary, for her immense enthusiasm and support. Alan said he would be unable to continue as Chariman for a full term but if required was willing to continue until the autumn.

The following Officers were re-elected: **President** Ken Willingale; **Vice-President** Roy Evans; **Chairman** Alan Hodges; **Vice-Chairman** Jenny Smith; **Treasurer** Bryan Smith; **Executive:** David George, Tricia Hall, Claire Prescott, Barry Wakefield, Hazel Gardiner, Lorraine Brooks, Andrew Gowen; Steve Mcguire, Will Hitchcock **Individual:** Iain Wright

### MEETING DATES 2009/10

Community Council meetings will be held on 11 May, 15 July, 14 September, 9 November, 11 January 2010 and the AGM on 8 March. They will be held in the Church Hall at 8pm, with the Executive Committee meeting at 7.30pm.

### ANY OTHER BUSINESS:

### VILLAGE CALENDAR

The printers have said they are able to offer smaller print-runs at no additional cost. They will also include any dates that are of village interest, such as the Church Fete, Open Gardens, Flower Show and School term dates. If societies have dates they wish to be included please let a committee member know, or email: naylandcc@yahoo.com.

It is hoped there will be a good number of entries for the photographic competition to provide an interesting exhibition in the Church Hall on 4th May from 2pm-4.30pm. Calendars will be on sale at the Flower Show on 1st August and at other events.

### COMMUNITY TIMES

As suggested a 'small ad' section has been introduced this issue. Items valued at under £50 may be advertised free – valued £50 and over would cost £5. Copy to be sent to naylandcc@yahoo.com or left in the Community Times box in the Post Office.

### TRANSITION INITIATIVE

Will Hitchcock said the website [www.transitionnayland.co.uk](http://www.transitionnayland.co.uk) has been built and a film evening to introduce and raise

awareness of the Transition Movement was being organised which would be held on 15th May at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

The Community Council agreed to support the event by paying for the hire of the hall and the cost of pens.

### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Following disappointing attendance at the last Bazaar it was felt that the Community Council should continue with the tradition of a Christmas Bazaar which gave village societies the opportunity of generating income. It was agreed that Steve Mcguire would lead a team to regenerate the event, which may also involve giving it a new name. The Village Hall has been booked for 5th December and efforts would be made to liaise with the School and other groups to gain their support.

### VILLAGE QUIZ

After discussion on the Annual Village Quiz members agreed it may be worth changing the date, to avoid the local 'quiz season' in spring. A themed event was also suggested and comment made that the questions were a little too difficult and should be more fun. The Village Hall has been booked to hold the quiz on Friday 2nd October.

## VILLAGE QUIZ

## RESULTS

Although there were fewer teams than usual taking part, competition was still keen at Nayland Community Council's annual village quiz on March 6.

Chairman Alan Hodges said last year's winners, *Special Cuddles*, had devised a superb set of questions with a particularly challenging final music round.

Winners were *Four Square* from Great Horkesley, with the *Fen Street Four* second and *Angels of the North* third. The event raised about £250 for council funds.

1st	Four Square	203		
2nd	Fen Street 4	202		
3rd	Angels of the North	191		
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**NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

Registered Charity No. 304926

**Income and Expenditure statement for the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2008**

<b>INCOME</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
Nov. 5 <sup>th</sup>	£1,491.78	£1,803.56
Christmas Bazaar	£ 214.38	£ 190.00
Community Times	£3,520.00	£3,623.38
Interest from CCLA act.	£ 730.29	£ 653.78
Quiz	£ 350.91	£ 342.00
1 <sup>st</sup> Response	£1,232.02	£1,756.64
Misc.	£ 109.16	£ 38.98
Village Festival		£1,753.20
Loss to balance sheet	<u>£ 904.11</u>	
<b>Total</b>	<b>£8,552.65</b>	<b>£10,161.54</b>
<b>EXPENDITURE</b>		
Grants		
Village Hall	£2,298.38	£1,000.00
1 <sup>st</sup> Response	£ 336.47	
Over 60's	£ 750.00	
Playgroup/Woodland	£2,000.00	£3,000.00
Youth Club		£ 700.00
Daisy Warren		<u>£ 400.00</u>
<b>Total Grants</b>	<b>£5,384.85</b>	<b>£5,100.00</b>
Community Times	£ 999.86	£1,349.04
Quiz	£ 68.62	£ 141.75
Nov.5 <sup>th</sup>	£ 884.66	£1,012.59
Insurance	£ 151.00	£ 139.00
Village Hall	£ 372.50	£ 58.00
Christmas Bazaar	£ 81.95	£ 20.50
Christmas Tree/Decs.	£ 138.57	
1 <sup>st</sup> Response	£ 420.65	£ 982.40
Misc.	£ 49.99	£ 178.52
Village Festival		£1,128.70
Total	£ 8,552.65	£10,110.50
Surplus to balance sheet		<u>£ 51.04</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£8,552.65</b>	<b>£10,161.54</b>

**Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2008**

<b>Accumulated surplus</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
As at beginning of the financial year	£15,989.59	£15,085.48
Add/deduct surplus (deficit)	£ (904.11)	£ 51.04
Deduct reduction of loan to P.C. £35.00 for 2008 and £35 for 2007		<u>(£ 70.00)</u>
<b>Balance carried forward</b>	<b>£15,085.48</b>	<b>£15,066.52</b>
Represented by:		
CCLA Charities deposit fund	£12,696.13	£11,349.91
NatWest current account	£ 1,443.10	£ 2,912.38
Cash in Hand	£ 106.25	£ 34.23
Loan to Parish Council	<u>£ 840.00</u>	<u>£ 770.00</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>£15,085.48</b>	<b>£15,066.52</b>

Current liabilities: None. Future commitments £500.00 is reserved specifically for the Conservation Society for the book on medieval buildings being written by Leigh Alston.

The Community Council manage the accounts for the 1<sup>st</sup> Response Team we hold £1,685.61 in our accounts on their behalf (The 1<sup>st</sup> Response Team made a surplus of £774.24 this financial year).

Income/expenditure for this year is displayed on the analysis sheet.

TREASURER *Bryan Smith*CHAIRMAN *Alan Hodges*

I have examined the books of The Nayland with Wissington Community Council (without carrying out an audit) and, in my opinion, the accounts for 2008 represent a true and fair record of the Society's financial affairs.

*Richard Cave*



# NAYLAND ST. JAMES' CHURCH FETE

**Monday 25th May 2009**

**Webb's Meadow 2pm – 4.30pm**

Plans for this year's fete are well under way and again feature our successful blend of traditional stalls, sideshows, sports and the Victory Jazz Band providing entertainment for all the family.

Do get in touch if you are around on Fete Day and would like to be involved.

We would particularly appreciate help with the following:

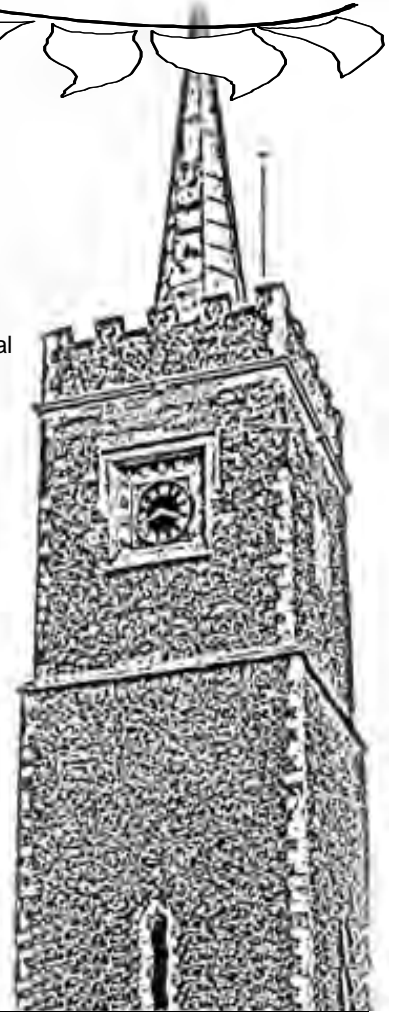
Setting up the field on Sunday afternoon/Monday morning	Will Hitchcock	Tel: 263169
Gates	Anna Mann	Tel: 262830
Stalls - helpers always welcome	Annie Elston	Tel: 262364
Sideshows - helpers always welcome	Will Hitchcock	Tel: 263169
Teas in the Village Hall (join the rota)	Pam Baker	Tel: 262518

Please don't wait to be asked, we really do appreciate all offers of help for however long you can spare.

We are always very pleased to receive items to sell at the fete and these can be left at the Carvers' Barn, Mill Street, from April 1st onwards. We are unable to take clothes, shoes, large furniture, luggage, old computers or electrical items. However we would be grateful for books, china and glass, bric a brac, kitchenware, pictures and mirrors, soft furnishings and decorative items for the home, children's books and toys, and anything to do with Diet and Fitness.

Thanks to everyone for the wonderful support we receive at the Fete year after year. We are very grateful to all those who worked so hard to make last year's fete such a success, in spite of bad weather for the second year running.

*Andora Carver, Fete Chairman*



## OVER 60s CLUB

ask for your continuing support  
at our main money raising event

## Coffee Morning Saturday 23rd May

10am – 12 noon Church Hall

Cakes, Raffle  
Books, Jigsaws, Bric-a-brac, Clothes, etc

## St James' Church KNEELER PROJECT



We are delighted to tell you that 60 kneelers have been completed in 3 years. The left hand side of the knave is finished and we are now working our way up the right hand side of the knave.

There are 20 kneelers out in the community and being worked on (we hope!!!) When they are finished we need to do another 20 to complete the project.

So ladies, keep stitching please; if anybody in the village would like to do a kneeler, we would be very pleased to help you get started.

P.S. If there are any kneelers not being worked on for various reasons we are happy to complete them.

**Pip Neave 263258**

**Jeannette Finch 262993**

Nayland with Wissington Conservation Society

## "Wildlife on the River Stour"

Speaker: Darren Tansley,  
Essex Water for Wildlife Officer

**23rd June 2009**

Nayland Village Hall –  
7.40pm for 8pm (speaker 8.30pm approx).

**All welcome**

# HORTSOC A.G.M. & FUN QUIZ EVENING

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April**

**8pm • Church Hall**

All welcome

Come along and see what a friendly bunch we are!

For those interested in becoming a member, membership is just £1.50 or £2 for joint membership

## MORNING MARKET

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May**

**9.30am - 12 noon • Church Hall**

- ★ Bedding plants ★ Home-made cakes and preserves ★ Craft items ★
- ★ Books ★ Coffee ★ Raffle ★

Flower Show schedules will be available

This event helps raise funds to stage the Annual Flower Show in August

Donations of items for sale or for raffle prizes would be very welcome and may be brought to the Hall from 8.30am on the Saturday Morning or left with Mr and Mrs Spencer at 60 Bear Street during the week leading up to the event



NAYLAND VILLAGE HALL CINEMA

# FRIDAY 3rd APRIL

Starts 8pm  
Bar opens  
at 7.30pm  
Ice cream  
available

Tickets £4  
(includes  
tea/coffee  
and biscuits)  
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the Post Office  
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# RABBIT- PROOF FENCE

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**MONDAY**  
**4<sup>TH</sup> MAY**  
**THE FOOTPATHS**  
**WALK**  
**2.15**  
GUIDED WALKS  
ON PUBLIC  
FOOTPATHS  
MEET AT FIRE STATION  
CARS NOT NEEDED



## The Village Lunch

**Wednesday 29th April 2009**

11.45 am for 12 noon, Lunch at 1pm  
Nayland Village Hall

An illustrated talk  
**'East Anglian Air Ambulance  
Charity and Service'**

**by Nicola Wright**

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# NAYLAND OPEN GARDENS

SUNDAY  
JUNE 14<sup>th</sup>

2-6 pm

If anyone would like to  
include their garden on  
the list, please contact  
Andora Carver  
on 262970 or any  
committee member



NAYLAND VILLAGE HALL  
SAT JULY 18<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm

Bar from 7pm

Tickets £5.00

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Proceeds to the Village Hall Endowment Fund



NAYLAND VILLAGE HALL CINEMA

# MONDAY 27<sup>th</sup> APRIL

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starts 3pm  
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The Nayland Fundraising Committee  
invite you to a

## **Coffee Morning**

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### **REPORT FROM DISTRICT COUNCILLOR**

Although it has been 'business as usual' at Babergh the last twelve months have been dominated by the forthcoming Unitary Authority proposals. It has become a long and costly process and, even now, we shall not know until the end of August what the Secretary of State has decided. As you will probably be aware the latest proposals by the Boundary Committee for consultation is the alternative of a 'One Suffolk' Unitary Authority to include Lowestoft or two Unitaries being North Haven (Ipswich and its hinterland) and the rest under the title of 'Rural Suffolk'. The latter include Lowestoft this time.

If there was any doubt as whether the County Council elections were to go ahead this year they have now been removed by the number of postponements sought by the Boundary Committee before submitting their proposals to the Secretary of State. Hence they will go ahead on the 4<sup>th</sup> of June to coincide with the European Parliamentary Elections on the same day. You will be interested to know that James Finch has been selected as the Conservative candidate for the County Council following the decision of Selwyn Pryor to stand down after serving the community so well for thirty-two years. A remarkable record.

I shall be presenting Babergh's achievements over last year at the Parish Assembly next month but some of the key points are as follows:-

- Council Tax increase well within the rate of inflation – once again.
- Efficiency savings with more resources directed towards priority services
- Exceeding its target of 700 new affordable houses built or to be built by 2010
- Working with others to provide additional leisure facilities and activities for young people and children
- Additional environmental activities to improve the cleanliness of towns, villages and countryside.

*Richard Cave*

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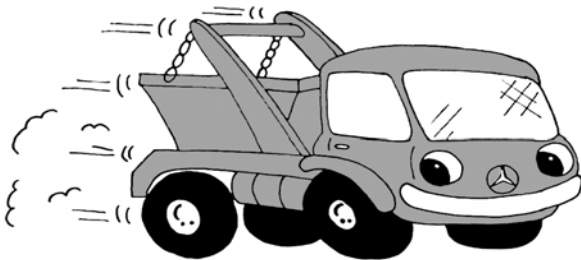
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Does it make sense to move to a more resilient, more sustainable, and more localised way of life by moderating consumption, shopping locally and recycling more – thereby safeguarding our natural resources for future generations? Lots of us think so but don't necessarily think that 'doing our bit' in this way really makes a difference in the face of such global issues as increasing energy prices, dwindling oil supplies, climate change and world-wide economic crisis.

Transition initiatives across the country, however, are proof that communities of people making these sorts of small changes can make a difference. Change needn't be overwhelmingly radical, horribly controversial or even particularly difficult to be worthwhile. You don't have to be an eco-warrior or a green guru - many of the things that you can do just make sense in the face of a changing world that doesn't have the natural resources to sustain our lifestyle as it is at the moment.

And Nayland is just the sort of place that a transition initiative can be a real success. It is a beautiful village with a strong sense of community. It is an environment that is well worth protecting for future generations – and if, at the same time we can influence others to do the same, then that is an added bonus.

*"Throughout history, the really fundamental changes in societies have come about not from the dictates of governments and the results of battles, but through vast numbers of people, changing their minds, sometimes only a little bit."* – Willis Harman

**Please come and join us at our film night on May 15<sup>th</sup>, 7.30pm and the Village Hall.**

www.transitionnayland.co.uk - E: info@transitionnayland.co.uk

## FIRE FIGHTERS' CAR WASH

On Saturday 7th March, Nayland Fire Station took part in the national car wash day for 'The Fire Fighters Charity'.

The crew of Nayland station would like to thank all those who brought their dirty cars along including, for the first time, mobile camper vans. The range of vehicles was quite varied, We had a great response of customers throughout the day, all whom joined in the fun of the day. A total amount of £238.60 was donated on the day for the charity.

**Kevin Tarrier, Fire Fighter, Nayland Station**

## VILLAGE HALL GARDEN



## WORKING PARTY

**Saturday 18 April  
from 9am**

Please come along and join us and make it a social occasion.

It will be useful to bring tools, gloves, wheel barrows and if you have any surplus plants please bring them to fill in the gaps.

*Donations of plants for the stall outside 43 Bear Street would also be appreciated – see page 22 for more details*

## *Class Acts – Rhythms and Blues at the Village Hall – Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> July*

Last autumn's spectacular show, *Beauty and the Deep* contained some splendid music from 1960s onwards. Leading on from this, a summer evening's R&B entertainment at the Village Hall is being planned. This will feature some of the stars of *Beauty and the Deep* plus new acts and bands. Our compere is Alan Hodges – a Class Act in himself – and we'll be raising money for the Village Hall Endowment Fund.

**Class Acts** is an opportunity to showcase what we can do with voice, guitars, drums, keyboard and the rest. It's not an opportunity for rampant thrash metal or for playing so loudly that no-one can hear what's going on - sorry if that's your thing. But it is a chance to hear live R&B and watch first class dance in our own Village Hall.

Just think - it could well be a balmy summer's evening, doors open onto the green field, great music and a lot of fun.....

**The line-up** already includes:

**The Arctic Monkfish**...the *Beauty and the Deep* band

**Homework**....a cracking local band with original music

**David Knight**

**Robin Silcock**

**Dawn and Keith Youngs** ... National Dance Award champions

**Plus individual exceptional musicians**....names yet to be revealed.....

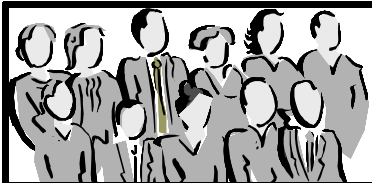
If you would like to take part in/help with Class Acts please contact:

**Music:** Mandy Cook: 01206 263210

[havens@naylandcooks.wanadoo.co.uk](mailto:havens@naylandcooks.wanadoo.co.uk)

**Setting up/Front of house:** Deborah Hodges: 01206 263982 [debalho@aol.com](mailto:debalho@aol.com)

***Class Acts: Rhythm and Blues at the Village Hall on Saturday 18 July 7.30pm  
Bar from 7pm – Tickets £5.00***



# Nayland with Wissington Society News

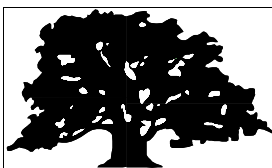


## ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

Secretary: Andrew Gowen 262534 Chairman: Bill Martin 262168

The Community Times deadline is too early to include the outcome of our meeting on 23 March where we shall be discussing our future relationship with the Stoke by Nayland Branch and a revision of the Remembrance Day Service.

Please note that our future meetings will be held in the Anchor Pub on **18 May; 20 July; 7 September and 18 January with the AGM in the Church Hall on 2 November.**



## NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON CONSERVATION SOCIETY

Hon. Secretary: Andora Carver 262970 Chairman: Mr J Alexander 262676

"By the end of the century Suffolk will be required to build another 300,000 houses which is the same number as exist at present" the Society was warned at our recent AGM. About 60 members and friends heard Richard Ward, Director of the Suffolk Preservation Society give a very informative and interesting talk about affordable housing in general and the Elmswell Housing Project in particular. This is unique in the use of natural and, where possible, locally sourced materials. Great emphasis was placed on insulation and orientating the buildings to obtain maximum benefit from sunlight, particularly in winter. Richard stated he would be happy to arrange a visit to the site and if anyone is interested, please contact a Committee member or the Hon. Secretary. The visit is likely to be sometime in July.

The Officers and Committee for 2009/10 were proposed, seconded and unanimously approved. They are: Chairman John Alexander, Vice Chairman Martin Wright, Hon. Treasurer Richard Cave, Hon. Secretary Andora Carver, Committee Members, Prue Hardy, Pauline Heigham, Jill Badman, Margaret Dowding and Andrew Eldridge. Jock Neighbour remains our President.

The Chairman highlighted last year's activities which included continuing care of the Nayland Meadow and maintenance of the wildflower belt beside the river, and a full programme of village walks and meetings. We have also helped with village efforts to reduce the number of HGVs taking short cuts through the village.

Our next event will be the **Bank Holiday Walk on May 4<sup>th</sup>**. Meet at the Fire Station 2.15pm. Please see the notice board and posters for further information or contact the Hon. Secretary.

**On June 14<sup>th</sup> it will be the 32nd Annual Nayland Open Gardens**, so please contact any committee member if you would like your garden to be included on this year's list.

Our speaker on **23rd June** will be Darren Tansley, Essex Water for Wildlife Officer on "**Wildlife on the River Stour**". All welcome, at the Village Hall 7.40pm for 8pm (speaker 8.30pm approx).

In order to keep our members up to date with events and items of news and interest we would like to build a list of members' email addresses. If you would like to be updated on an occasional basis with Conservation Society news please email your name and email address to:-

Andora Carver on [carversnayland@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:carversnayland@tiscali.co.uk) or Jill Badman on [jill@badman-consulting.co.uk](mailto:jill@badman-consulting.co.uk)

*Thank you.*



## OVER 60s CLUB

Secretary: Daphne Berry Tel: 262641

We have only had two meetings so far this year, the last being our AGM held on the 12th March. Our officers and committee were proposed, seconded and re-elected en bloc.

It was agreed to have two outings again this year: on **Thursday 18th June we will visit Wroxham** and its various attractions and on **Thursday 10th September a Mystery Tour** to include a lunch stop. Anyone interested in joining us please ring Daphne on the above number.

Our main money raising event, our **Coffee Morning will be held on Saturday 23rd May** at the Church Hall 10am – 12 noon and we ask for your continuing support.



## HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Sec: Lorraine Brooks 262807

Chair: Mrs Sylvia Bond 262529

HortSoc is springing back to life after its winter dormancy!

Our schedule begins with the **Annual General Meeting and Fun Quiz** on the evening of **Tuesday 21st April** in the Church Hall at 8pm. If anyone would be interested in joining the committee we would be delighted to hear from you, likewise if members have any ideas for future activities please let us know. We hope members and prospective members will come along for the short meeting followed by refreshments and to participate in the fun (and we have been promised easy) quiz. For those who do not realise HortSoc membership is available for just £1.50 or £2 for joint membership – available at our events or from Pauline Horrell, Membership Secretary. on 265188.

The **Morning Market will be held on Saturday 16th May** in the Church Hall from 9.30am. Donations for the raffle and items for sale would be much appreciated. These can be brought along to the Church Hall from 8.30am on the morning of the Market or they can be left at 60 Bear Street during the week leading up to the event. The Flower Show Schedule, priced 10p will be available.

Our Summer Garden Party, for HortSoc members only, will be held on 17th July and we are very grateful to Mr and Mrs Hussey's kind invitation to hold it in their beautiful garden at The Butts.

**Saturday 1st August is the date for this year's Flower Show.** Let's hope the weather this year will be more favourable for growing produce than last year's cold wet summer. Please look carefully at the schedules to observe a few changes and this includes a completely new section for families. Mr and Mrs Spencer are kindly giving a 'Spencer Family Cup' for the winners of this section. Our judges are looking forward to returning to the Nayland Show.

HortSoc will be hosting the **Joint Meeting with the Conservation Society on 11th November.**

We hope we can look forward to your support in the coming year and look forward to seeing you soon.



## NAYLAND AND DISTRICT WOMENS INSTITUTE

Secretary: Jeanette Finch 262993

On 19<sup>th</sup> January our speaker was Frances Lamb from Josephine – A World of Interiors. The show table looked so attractive, covered with a turquoise throw, on which were table lamps, cushions, vases, candles, soaps, etc. Frances had worked in curtain making for 20 years and interior design in the village for 5 years. She passed around curtain samples of rich velvets, embroidered linens, paisley and floral patterns. We were then shown sample books of metallic wallpapers which are the present fashion. We all enjoyed the evening and the speaker was thanked by Pamela Baker. Flower of the month was won by Barbara Osborne and Olive Noakes was the raffle winner.

At our meeting on 16<sup>th</sup> February Mick Inkpen talked to us about Children's Picture Books which was most interesting. It all began after he attended a master class in graphic design at Edinburgh. Mick brought a large selection of beautifully illustrated books for children aged from 3-6 years, but even younger children would enjoy turning the pages and following the characters through to the end. His first published book was 'The Blue Balloon', followed by 'Threadbare' and 'Hullabaloo'. Afterwards we all looked through the books and Mick signed copies for us.

The speaker was thanked by Pamela Baker. The raffle prize was won by Sibil Wade and Elizabeth Wakefield won flower of the month.

On 3rd March eighteen W.I. Members went to 'The Case' in Assington, at 7.30pm for the Annual Dinner. The menu had been selected weeks before and everyone enjoyed the three-course dinner which was very good. The atmosphere was very relaxed and the staff looked after our every need.

In 6th March eight members enjoyed a visit to a Food Festival at Linton near Cambridge. There were a great many stalls with farm produce, cheeses, breads, cakes, meats, several types of rare sausages, jams, chutneys, sauces, wines, beers, etc. Food and drinks were available in the Bistro.

We had a very enjoyable evening on 16th March when Fiona Stewart explained about the history of Tai Chi, how it works and what it does for the body and health. Fiona brought some volunteers with her who kindly gave a demonstration for the audience. Two of these volunteers, Olive Martin and Shirley Williams, belong to our W.I. The audience were then shown simple movements for beginners to try themselves. Fiona brought leaflets and took names of people who may wish to join in September. Our speaker was thanked by Mary Hussey.

As this was the 52nd birthday celebration delicious food and drinks, made by members, were then served.

The next meeting is on 20th April and the speaker will be Margaret Geater on 'Running a Bed and Breakfast'.

**Mona Gaunt**





## NAYLAND ART GROUP

Daphne Berry 262641

Unfortunately our tutor Keith has been unable to visit recently due to family commitments, but hopefully we will see him in the summer months and weather permitting we may be able to work outside. We would welcome more gardens to paint in!

Six members joined Sudbury Art Group on Friday 13th March for a demonstration by local artist Reg Siger which was very informative.



## VILLAGE PLAYERS

Chair: Deborah Hodges 263982 Sec: John McCarroll, 01473 822251

What a great show! I hope you all enjoyed Party Piece: such a technical and creative challenge, but a whole lot of fun for the audience. Many congratulations to Nick Moriarty and his cast and crew. Nick deserves special thanks, not only for directing the play, but also for designing the set and managing its construction.

After a brief respite, we will all focus our attention on Oliver, directed by Mary Moriarty and Mandy Cook. The production dates are: 26, 27 and 28 November. It seems a long way off at the moment, but please make a note of the production dates and the audition dates which are Wednesday 8 July and Sunday 19 July in the Church Hall. More details will follow in the next Community Times.

Last but not least, our AGM will be on Wednesday 29 April in the Church Hall at 7.30 for 8.00pm. Please come and join us if you are interested in what we do!

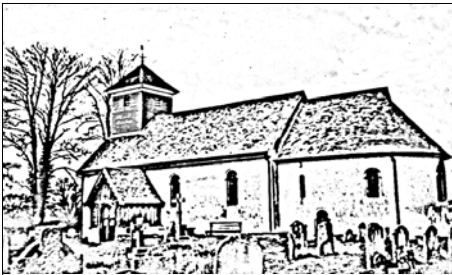


## NAYLAND OVER 60S LUNCHEON CLUB

A Monthly Lunch for Senior Citizens ~ Church Hall ~ 12.00 noon for 12.30pm ~ £3

The dates of the next luncheons are 21st April, 19th May and 23rd June in the Church Hall 12 noon for 12.30pm. The Summer Tea Party at Little Bulmer Farm will be on 9th July.

For more information or if you have booked and are unable to attend on the day please telephone Olga Alexander on 01206 263923.



## THE FRIENDS OF ST. MARY'S CHURCH , WISTON

Secretary: Val Hopkins 01206 263580 e-mail: [valjhopkins@aol.com](mailto:valjhopkins@aol.com)  
Chairman: Bill Starling 01206 262397 e-mail: [billstarling@hotmail.com](mailto:billstarling@hotmail.com)

To the congratulations and compliments of those who attended, the Friends of St Mary's held a highly successful Quiz Night on 27th February. The event, which is becoming a stalwart of the charity's calendar, was extremely well attended and raised approximately £2,400 for the fund to support repairs and restoration to Wissington's delightful church.

Quizmaster Charlie Ross-Stewart was in top form and particular praise was forthcoming for the professionalism of the organisation and the excellent standard of the food provided. Above all, it was deemed an evening of great fun! Take a bow, all those concerned!!

We are grateful to everyone who played a part; all who came along on the night and those who made other contributions to the success of the event. And, not least, to the volunteers who made it happen.



## NAYLAND CHOIR

Secretary Elspeth Leahy  
Tel 263284

The Community Times goes to print just before our concert on 21st March. The choir are planning a summer concert this year and it is likely to be a concert performance of The Mikado on 27th June. Full details will be available in the next issue.



## THE VILLAGE LUNCH

The next lunch will be held on on 29th April at the Village Hall, 11.45 for 12 noon with lunch at 1pm. Nicola Wright will give an illustrated talk on 'East Anglian Air Ambulance Charity and Service'. Tickets, priced at £8 will be available at Nayland Post Office from 26th March.

*Jo Murrison*



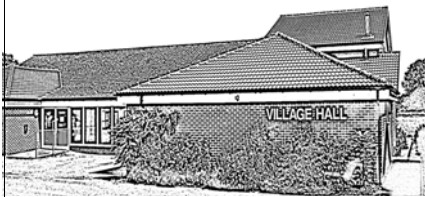
## NAYLAND CINEMA

Chris Thompson (*Secretary V.H.M.C.*)

The Grand Relaunch of the Nayland Cinema was a great success with over sixty people enjoying "Mamma Mia" and returning home singing the Abba songs. "Shakespeare in Love" had a smaller audience but was nonetheless enjoyed by those who attended.

Our next film will be "**Rabbit Proof Fence**" (12A) on **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April** at 8pm; a film about three aborigine children, who are taken from their mother, given to a white family and who then try to find their way home following the fence. This interesting and thought provoking film (it is based on a true story) was suggested by a member of our audience.

On **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> April**, we are taking part in the Babergh Wider Picture Project by showing the French film "**The Singer**", (12A) starring Gerard Depardieu as a dance hall crooner, who falls in love with a younger woman. This charming French film is subtitled and is being shown at 3pm in the afternoon. The ticket price for this film is only £3.50 as this film festival is being supported by Babergh Council. Please try and support your Village Hall in this venture.



## NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON VILLAGE HALL

Chairman: Iain Wright 262657

Treasurer: Andrew Gowen 262534

We are organising a working **party in the Village Hall garden from 9am on Saturday 18 April**. Please come and join us and make it a social and gossipy occasion. Also bring any unwanted plants to fill in the gaps. Tools, gloves and wheel barrows will be useful.

Andrew has set up his plant stall outside Parkers to raise money to help pay for the running of the hall. In addition to buying plants why not sell off your redundant plants in aid of the Village hall. Add them to the stall with a label saying what they are and a price. Andrew finds it difficult to keep the stall stocked throughout the spring and summer and would welcome help.



## Nayland Youth Club

Sec: Kate Bunting Chair: Brian Kennedy 263207

Leader: Stephanie Lay Tel: 07985 520380

Nayland Youth Club is held every week during term time between 7pm and 9pm on Tuesday evenings in Nayland Village Hall. We do lots of activities at youth club such as free drumming lessons which are available every week this term for anyone who wants to have a go.

There are also occasional trips out to places such as Roller World, the Kingfisher swimming pool and Leisure World. We are also all looking forward to ten weeks of free football coaching next term and hopefully some free snowboarding lessons at the Ipswich outdoor slope in January 2010.

Feel free to come along if you are aged between 10 -18 years old.

**Callum Kennedy (12)**





## NAYLAND TODDLER GROUP

Leaders: Katy Blanchette 07748 935843, Liz Huggins 01206 263438  
Every Friday in term time 9.30-11.30, Nayland Village Hall

### Nayland Toddler Group needs your support!

We are a small but friendly group offering a wide range of toys and activities for all ages from 0 to school age. Come and join in with our parachute games and singing sessions.

It costs £2 per child, then 50p for additional children which includes drinks and a snack. First session is FREE!!! We look forward to seeing you. Venue - Nayland Village Hall - Time - Fridays 9:30 - 11:30am

For further details, contact: Katy Blanchette 07748 935843 or Liz Huggins 01206 263438



## NAYLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL CHOIR

*Jayne Kennedy*

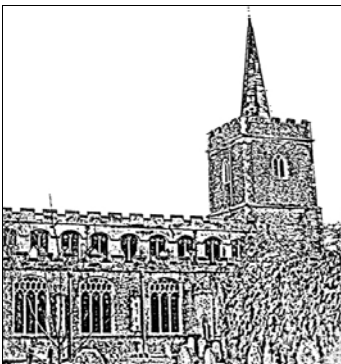
The children started learning new songs this term for their participation in the Sudbury Festival of Music, Speech and Drama. Performing in such a formal event is a great experience for the choir who range in age from just 7 to 9 years old. As usual they rose to the challenge.

The children were well prepared and very excited for their performance at the Delphi in Sudbury. Although a little nervous at being on such a big stage, the children remembered what they had learned and performed beautifully. The adjudicator was thrilled with their performance citing their ability to sing in parts so tunefully as great testament to their hard work. She also passed on a few useful markers to help improve future performances. The children were thrilled with their certificate and the Commendation they were awarded.

### Nayland School Ukulele Orchestra

The Ukulele Orchestra is a relatively new venture for Nayland School having been in existence for only 3 school terms. Nevertheless they have already performed at school events such as our Summer Concert and in school assemblies. Performing at the Sudbury Festival therefore, was a big 'step up' for the orchestra.

The children were keen to extend their after school UKE CLUB time in order to be better prepared for the event. They performed two traditional songs, Scarborough Fair and Drunken Sailor. The adjudicator was impressed by their tuneful playing and the fact that they sang so beautifully as well! The children were rightly very proud of their Commendation Certificate and are keen to build on this success.



## THE FRIENDS OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH, NAYLAND

Registered Charity Number 1052641  
Chairman: Alan Edwards 262800

The Gourmet Coffee Morning in February raised nearly £500. Our thanks to Hazel Gardiner and all her helpers for their hard work and, of course, to all those who turned out to support the event.

Work will shortly be starting on the repair and restoration of the wrought iron gates in The Churchyard. The gates themselves will be taken away for welding and general repair - so don't think they have been stolen!!

While the Church Organ is in thousands of pieces, do take the opportunity of going to see the work in progress. It is quite fascinating to see just how complicated it is!!!

**Alan Edwards**

The sum raised by the Friends' coffee morning is as amazing as it is gratifying. Appreciation and thanks to all that made or bought, set out the hall or helped in any way. A real team effort. We sold out in record time and must apologise to unlucky customers. Next year we hope to have a wider range of edible delights and the date to insert in your diary is 27 February 2010.

**Hazel Gardiner**



## Woodland Corner

INCORPORATING: NAYLAND PLAYGROUP AND EXTENDED SCHOOLS SERVICES

Administrator: Caroline Keep 263054  
e-mail: enquiries\_wc1@btconnect.com

Playgroup Leader: Sue Clark 263054  
www.woodlandcorner.btik.com

Woodland Corner continues to be much in demand by local children and parents alike. We would like to once again thank everyone for their continued support.

Elaine Muskett and friend Clare Morgan from Leavenheath very kindly ran the Norwich Half Marathon in aid of Nayland Playgroup at Woodland Corner. They both hit the finish line in 2 hours 29 minutes – within their 2 hours 30 minutes target. We would firstly like to say well done!! And also a big thank you for putting in the effort to raise £170.00 – a brilliant total – and much appreciated contribution to playgroup funds.

Thanks too to Ray Piper, father of Elaine Piper-Hunter who works at Woodland Corner. Ray has been more than generous with his time and has not only helped with many a diy task but also donned his red suit at Christmas to play Father Christmas at the children's Christmas Party – an extremely important job we're sure you'll agree!

### ANNOUNCING WOODLAND CORNER'S NEW HOLIDAY CLUB

We are delighted to announce that we will be offering a holiday club for the first time for two days during the Easter Holidays:

<b>Tues 7 April</b>	<b>Easter theme</b>	
<b>Fri 17 April</b>	<b>Magic/Arts and crafts theme</b>	
<b>Full day:</b>	<b>8.30 am – 5.30 pm</b>	<b>£30.00</b>
<b>Short day:</b>	<b>9.30 am – 3.30 pm</b>	<b>£20.00</b>

### FUN-PACKED ACTIVITY DAYS FOR CHILDREN AGED 5 TO 11 DURING THE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

Please also let us know of your interest in our summer holiday club so that we can plan ahead to meet demand.

*Woodland Corner provides morning and afternoon playgroup sessions and lunch club as well extended schools services before and after school for older children. For further information, please contact Woodland Corner, Nayland Primary School, Bear Street, Nayland.*

## POPP'S BRIDGE

In the last issue of the Community Times we featured the anniversary of Popp's Bridge being swept away in the floods and are very grateful for the responses received.

I remember very clearly the night the bridge collapsed.

Coming home from work that evening I saw a notice saying road impassable, so I turned off and came home via Wormingford, as the water was lower at Smallbridge.

After tea several of decided to walk over the bridge to see how many motorists ignored the sign and got stuck in the water. As the footpath was considerably higher than the road level we were able to walk the length of the flood water.

The water under the bridge was running very fast, and after a while Janet Free suddenly said "If the bridge washes away how are we going to get home?" We then decided to beat a hasty retreat!

You can imagine our surprise the next morning to hear that is exactly what happened later that night.

**Margaret Roberts**

PS Who remembers the rattle of the Bailey Bridge echoing around the village every time a vehicle crossed it?



*The photo shows a vehicle which was swept away with Nayland residents looking on. Courtesy of the Rogers family and their grandson George.*



# Garden Notes

by *The Old Muckspreader*



Opinion is divided on whether spring starts on March 1<sup>st</sup>, or the equinox, March 21<sup>st</sup>. For the OM/S it began on Saturday March 14<sup>th</sup>, which was a beautiful day with several Brimstone butterflies flying around in his garden; they are the harbingers of Spring. Let us hope that we get a better butterfly year than 2008, though it may well take more than one decent summer to restore their numbers.

Last year's wet summer, however, does seem to have benefited the spring bulbs, especially snowdrops which have been magnificent. If you want to increase your stock now is the time to split up large clumps and replant in groups of two or three bulbs. This is the best time of year to prune or clip the non-flowering evergreen shrubs and hedges; with flowering species the operation should of course be deferred until after they have bloomed.

Whilst on this subject, Wisterias are unusual among flowering shrubs in that they should be pruned twice yearly. The first cut can be done now, by cutting back any long shoots. The same procedure should be carried out again in late summer, when they will have produced more growth, which can often be a nuisance by blocking gutters. Although not often seen in this form Wisterias can be grown as standards; when young they need support and careful training, but in a few years the effect can be spectacular.

This month's value plant is the Hellebore. There are two main species. The first to flower is *H. Niger*, the so-called Christmas Rose, though the name is a misnomer, and it rarely flowers before February; at the moment the only survivor of several planted here some years ago is blooming now. It's not easy to grow, with the foliage looking untidy and the flowers rather distorted. Some years ago a neighbour of the OM/S used to grow them successfully with flowers on long straight stems, but he had to use cloches to achieve this result, and they were hardly ornamental.

The Lenten Hellebore, *H. Orientalis* is a much better plant. The flowers in various colours from white to deep purple, some with markings inside the petals stand up well clear of the foliage. Some gardeners cut off all the leaves when the flowers appear, but the OM/S prefers the natural look. Hellebores usually set large amounts of seed, and if you are prepared to be patient after a few years you can produce a colony of these plants.

There are some other species of Hellebore; *H. Foetidus*, a rare native has small greenish flowers. *H. Argutifolius* has larger green flowers and toothed leaves. Various hybrids have been produced, but they are expensive and not readily available.

P.S. In last month's article the quotation should have read: *Caveat Emptor. Apologies, Ed.*

## WORDSEARCH

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*Solutions on page 38*

## THE REVEREND JOHN DURBIN GRAY



*The Victorian vicarage built in 1887 and now Nayland House Care Home*

Once again Nayland's old vicarage in the High Street has new owners. For most of the twentieth century this lovely fourteenth century house was the home and surgery of several doctors, the last being Dr John McMichael who lived and practised in Nayland for 28 years until the 1970s. Nayland's well-known historian, Dr Slade, also lived there from 1911 until he left Nayland in 1937. Prior to 1911 Dr Ernest Syrett lived there with his family.

During the nineteenth century, before the doctors came, the house had been the vicarage and the last vicar to live there was the Rev John Durbin Gray. Rev Gray came to Nayland in 1880 and this year is the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his retirement in 1909 when he left the village.

For a few years he lived in the vicarage at the heart of the village, close to the church, with his wife Harriet and young family but he was concerned for the health of his children because he thought the old house was too damp. He therefore instigated the building of a new vicarage in 1887 (now Nayland House Care Home). At that time the area behind Bear Street was only fields and the new house stood alone in an isolated spot. In the same year, however, the adjoining cemetery was opened on land given to the parish by Sir Charles Rowley, Bart, of Tendring Hall, Stoke-by-Nayland.

Several clergy following the Rev Gray lived in the Victorian vicarage until the 1960s when the new vicarage was built next door. The old Victorian vicarage was then a private house called Rattenshaws for a few years and then became the Rattenshaw Nursing Home. Since then it has changed hands several times and has been greatly extended and much altered but the core of the building retains some of its Victorian features.

Amongst other interests the Rev Gray was a keen amateur archaeologist and Dr Slade tells us in his history of Nayland that Rev Gray found "The Nayland Figure Stone" a Paleolithic stone on which was cut the figure of a goat in the act of climbing. This stone is in the Fitzwilliam Museum in Cambridge and only one other example of this art has been found in England. He was also involved with the discovery of

a Bronze Age cinerary urn when the vicarage was built in 1887 and this is in the Colchester Museum.

The Rev and Mrs Gray had several children and one of their daughters, Maud, married the village doctor, Ernest Syrett. It must have seemed strange for Maud to return to the old vicarage in the High Street, when she became the doctor's wife, as she had lived in it as a young child with her family before her father moved them all up to the new vicarage.

The Rev Gray's most well-known grandson was Vice-Admiral Sir John Gray who had a highly distinguished career in the Royal Navy. He graduated from Dartmouth in 1931 and served all over the world during war and peacetime. He was finally promoted to Vice-Admiral in 1965 and was appointed OBE in 1950, CB in 1964 and KBE in 1966.

It was clear that when Rev Gray left the village in 1909 he was a great loss to the village. A printed account of his farewell gathering in the Mission Room is in the church records. He was presented with an "Illuminated Address, a Set of Meteorological Instruments, a Chair, Book and Cheque". W Le G Dudgeon, Churchwarden, on behalf of the whole parish spoke movingly of the affection and high esteem in which their vicar was held and described his going as "the turning over of another page in Nayland's history." Rev Gray in reply expressed his thanks and said that the kind words spoken encouraged him to believe that the thirty years he had spent in Nayland had not been spent in vain. On the following day the vicar preached his farewell sermon in a crowded church and soon after left for his new home in St Leonard's-on-Sea. Fourteen years later greetings were sent to Rev and Mrs Gray from Nayland congratulating them on their Golden Wedding and the letter was signed by over 150 parishioners. It was clear that John Gray was well respected and he and his wife were later buried in Nayland cemetery next to their old home in 1925 and 1945 respectively.

The Gray family owned Stourfields in Stoke Road for many years but after Sir John's death in 1998 the house was sold thus ending the Gray family's link with the village for about 130 years.

*Wendy Sparrow*

# MARATHON MAYHEM!!

You may have seen me in my glamorous running gear early in the mornings sedately (or not...) running through Nayland. Curious villagers often asking if I was training for anything in particular, to which the answer was usually 'no, I'm just doing it for fun!' Not any more. I am now training in earnest for the London Marathon which is on April 26<sup>th</sup>. Fortunately I have been joined by a singing friend, Sean Moriarty, which is a great motivation on those long training runs (runners out there you know what I mean!).

Sean and I would like to raise money and awareness for The Parkinson's Disease Society. Should you like to know more about the charity's work or our run please go to the link below where you may also make a donation. Alternatively look out for sponsorship forms around the village.

Thanks in advance for any sponsorship.

**Jayne Kennedy**

[www.justgiving.com/jayneandsean](http://www.justgiving.com/jayneandsean)

## VILLAGE HALL AGM by Pat Bray

Villagers were urged not to "badmouth" the Nayland youth club at the village hall management committee's annual meeting on February 2.

Speaking on the club's behalf, Andrew Gowen said adult volunteers were being put off and withdrawing their names following criticism of members' behaviour. The club was good for the community and its young people and residents should support it. He added children of that age could be boisterous but were better off spending an evening at the club rather than running round the streets.

Mr Gowen was responding to John Spooner who asked if anything could be done about club members vandalising the village hall. Committee chairman Iain Wright said it was accepted there would be wear and tear but the club had apologised and paid for some damage caused. Members were naturally high-spirited and it was a difficult balance to achieve.

Other issues raised included the problem of flooding at the front of the hall after heavy rain. Mr Gowen said flash floods

occurred all the time and the committee did not feel it was worth spending money on an expensive drainage scheme which might not work. Diana Whiting pointed out other doors into the hall could be used instead of the front entrance.

It was agreed to hold a maintenance day to repair a number of faulty chairs, arrange a new storage place for the piano and look at the hall's outside lighting.

In his treasurer's report Mr Gowen said the hall had a £2,800 deficit last year due to one-off maintenance repairs to the roof and floor, replacement of lights and internal decoration to the foyer. The hall could not pay its way without special fundraising such as the plant stall, cinema, lottery and village lunches. Donations had also been received from the community council, bowls club and country and western club. He said the endowment fund for the hall's future development had increased to £6,101 and he hoped to establish it as a separate trust fund to meet parish council concerns. The hall's assets totalled just under £20,000.

Paying tribute to his whole team, Mr Wright also thanked everyone who had raised money to help the hall survive and said any fundraising events on the hall's behalf would be welcomed. The committee was re-elected en bloc.

## CONSERVATION SOCIETY AGM by Pat Bray

Despite objections from two members, revised plans for a new £20 million heritage and conservation centre at Great Horkesley are being firmly opposed by Nayland with Wissington Conservation Society.

Chairman John Alexander told Tuesday's annual meeting the society felt the proposed Horkesley Park planned by Bunting and Sons was in reality a retail scheme which would terminally destroy the character of the Dedham Vale Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty with traffic having a major impact on the surrounding area.

A fenced and hedged pathway linking Horkesley Park with the Anchor Inn Heritage Farm would extend Buntings' "theme park" right to the edge of Nayland.

Urging people to send their views to Colchester Council by April 17, Mr Alexander said the effect on both landscape and quality of life for people living in Nayland would be severe and wholly negative.

But two members, Rod Pawsey and Alex Murrison, objected to the statement being made on the society's behalf saying it did not reflect the views of all members. They supported the heritage centre plan believing it would have little effect on Nayland and would be a good thing for Colchester.

Mr Murrison suggested the emphasis in the statement had been "mooted by a pressure group within the committee" opposed to the development.

Mr Alexander said everyone was entitled to their own opinion, for or against, and should write to the council accordingly. He added the committee and other organisations had studied

Buntings' fourth application in detail and believed it was not in the interests of Nayland that the development should take place.

In his annual report Mr Alexander said 2008 was a year of consolidation with an encouraging increase in membership to 242. Open gardens was very successful with a near record surplus and the three open meetings had been well attended. Planning had taken up a lot of committee time and the main concern continued to be with the enlargement of the Bugg's skip enterprise, which the committee felt had outgrown the rural site on land above the Stour Valley and should be re-located to an industrial park. HGV movements in the village would continue to be monitored.

He said the society supported the new affordable housing scheme on Wiston Road and looked forward to giving constructive comments. The meadow continued to give pleasure to walkers with the wildflower belt making a spectacular show last summer.

This year's open gardens event would be on June 14 and anyone willing to take part should contact Andora Carver.

Treasurer Richard Cave said this year's expenditure appeared to show a deficit, mainly due to grants and another payment, but the balance carried forward was £11,341.

Officers re-elected were: chairman, John Alexander; vice-chairman Martin Knight, treasurer Richard Cave, secretary Andora Carver. Committee: Pauline Heigham, Andrew Eldridge, Pru Hardy, Margaret Dowding and Jill Badman. The business meeting was followed by an interesting talk by Richard Ward, director of Suffolk Preservation Society, on sustainable and affordable housing for Suffolk.

**CHURCH SERVICES: APRIL & MAY 2009****St. James Nayland****St. Mary's Wiston**

<u><b>April 5<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>PALM SUNDAY</b>	<b>9.00am</b>	United Procession from the Carvers' Barn*	
	<b>9.15am</b>	Family Communion	6.30pm Evensong
<b>Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup></b>	7.30pm	Stations of the Cross (in St. James Church)	
<b>Maundy Thursday</b>	7.30pm	Holy Communion, Vigil & Watch	
<b>Good Friday</b>	10.00am	Family Service	
	2.00pm	One Hour at the Cross (Rev. Brian Watling)	
<b>Holy Saturday</b>	10–	Easter Workshop in church**	
	12noon	Easter Liturgy	
<u><b>April 12<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>EASTER DAY</b>	9.45am	Family Communion	11.15am Family Communion
<u><b>April 19<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>Easter 2</b>	9.45am	Parish Communion	
	6.30pm	Evensong	
<u><b>April 26<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>Easter 3</b>	9.45am	Parish Communion	11.15am Family Communion
<u><b>May 3<sup>rd</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>Easter 4</b>	9.45am	Matins and Holy Communion	6.30pm Evensong
<b>May 10 – 16</b>	<b>Christian Aid Week</b>		
<u><b>May 10<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>Easter 5</b>	9.45am	Parish Communion	11.15am Holy Communion
<u><b>Thursday 14<sup>th</sup></b></u>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>Archdeacon's Visitation at Stoke by Nayland</b>	
<u><b>May 17<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>ROGATION</b>	9.45am	Family Communion	
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>3.00pm</b>	<b>Rogation Procession to Wiston</b> followed by tea	
<u><b>Thursday 21<sup>st</sup></b></u>	10.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>Ascension Day</b>	7.30pm	Holy Communion at <b>St. Mary's Hadleigh</b>	
<u><b>May 24<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>Easter 7</b>	9.45am	Parish Communion	11.15am Family Communion
<u><b>May 31<sup>st</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>PENTECOST</b>	9.45am	Parish Communion	
<u><b>June 7<sup>th</sup></b></u>	8.00am	Holy Communion	
<b>Trinity Sunday</b>	9.45am	Matins and Holy Communion	6.30pm Evensong

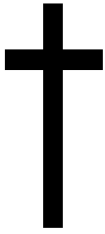
\* Do bring small 'branches' for the procession

\*\* Moss and small flowers welcome for the Easter Garden

**EASTER FLOWERS**

Olive Noakes for Nayland, and Fiona Storey for Wiston, are happy to receive contributions towards the cost of Easter flowers and lilies.





## *Who can we blame ? . . . . .*

It is often noted that we now live in a blame culture. We cannot allow anything to go wrong without seeking to find a culprit. This has been true to a certain extent throughout time. Religious people have always argued over whom to blame for the miscarriage of justice surrounding the Crucifixion.

Many have blamed the Jewish leaders, and because of them all Jews. Were they jealous of Jesus because of his popularity, or genuinely concerned about the crowds causing trouble with the Romans? Did they want to silence a blasphemer or protect their own position and the status quo ?

Then there was Pilate. Pilloried as an indecisive coward, was he protecting his back, cornered into denying his conscience, or just bored with the religious wrangling ?

But what about the crowd? So supportive on Palm Sunday, so silent on Good Friday! Were they caught out by a dawn assembly, or were they indeed fair weather friends – quick to gather for handouts and miracles, but melting away in the face of trouble ? If Jesus wasn't going to use his powers to save himself and them, then he was nothing more than a laughing stock. We can't even be sure about the disciples. Some ran away at the arrest of Jesus, but some were at the foot of the cross, feeling helpless and hopeless as they watched him die.

These are amongst the attitudes we see today. We want our prophets and heroes, we want more honesty in politics. Some people want to believe in God. But nothing comes without a cost. We have to be prepared for change; we have to be committed, to get involved, and to face the realities of suffering and injustice in our world. But we can also take heart from the Easter message of resurrection. We have a God who brings life out of death, and good out of evil who comforts the sorrowing and rewards those who fight for justice.

Happy Easter !

*Kit Gray*

### **Weekday Services**

Parkers Way	3pm Weds April 1 <sup>st</sup> , May 6 <sup>th</sup> , Jun 3 <sup>rd</sup>
Midweek Communion	10.00am St. James Every Weds ( <b>except May 20<sup>th</sup></b> )
Nayland House	Every Weds 10.45am Holy Communion
Pram & Toddler Service	Thurs 9.30am April 9 <sup>th</sup> , May 14 <sup>th</sup>
Bible Study	Mons 7.30pm, 18 Laburnum Way Apr. 6 <sup>th</sup> & 20 <sup>th</sup> , May 4 <sup>th</sup> & 18 <sup>th</sup> , Jun 1 <sup>st</sup>
SAMS Prayer Meeting	Mon 7.30pm, 18 Laburnum Way Mon May 11 <sup>th</sup>

### **Other Dates for your Diary**

**Saturday April 4<sup>th</sup>** **CHURCHYARD WORKING PARTY 9 – 12 All Welcome !!**

**Sat. April 11<sup>th</sup>** **EASTER WORKSHOP** and making of the Easter Garden. **10 – 12 noon.** Please bring some moss and small flowers if you can.

**EASTER OFFERINGS** This year, we will again be supporting our Link Diocese of Kagera in Tanzania. The money we send helps to pay for the education of the Pastors' children, who are poorly paid. However during Lent we have also been given the opportunity of supporting the people of **Zimbabwe** through the churches there. This money will also be collected at Easter. Gift Aid forms for both will be available in church. Please think prayerfully about what you can give.

**CHURCH ANNUAL MEETINGS** Nayland Wednesday 22nd April 7.00 for 7.20pm in Church Hall  
Wiston Thursday 23rd April 7.00 for 7.20pm at Newton's Farm, Wiston

**ROGATION SUNDAY** . . . *is the day when we pray for our farmers and their work. We will be meeting at Nayland Church at 3pm to go on a tractor and trailer ride [or follow in cars] through Nayland and Wiston, stopping at various places to pray and sing. We finish up at Wiston for tea. Why not come along and join us.*  
**May 17<sup>th</sup> . . . .**

**ANNUAL CHURCH FETE** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2 – 4.30pm Webb's Meadow



## Hadleigh Catholic Parish

**Parish Priest: Fr Michael Vulliamy (01473 810095)**

**Deacon: Rev. Andy Morton (01206 263367)**

### **Sunday:**

Sacred Heart, Nayland: 9.15 am Mass  
St Joseph's, Hadleigh 11 am Mass  
followed by tea and coffee

### **Monday:**

St Joseph's, Hadleigh 9.25 am Mass  
(includes Morning Prayer)

### **Tuesday:**

Sacred Heart, Nayland 9.30 am Mass

### **Wednesday:**

No Mass

### **Thursday:**

St Joseph's, Hadleigh 9.25 am Mass  
(includes Morning Prayer)

### **Friday:**

St Joseph's, Hadleigh 9.25 am Mass  
(includes Morning Prayer)

### **Saturday:**

Sacred Heart, Nayland 9.30 am Latin Mass

For any changes to the times of week-day Masses please consult the Parish Newsletter, or contact Father Michael or Deacon Andy.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) is available after week-day Masses, or by arrangement with Father Michael.

## Special Arrangements for Easter St. Joseph's, Hadleigh

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> April 7.30pm Lenten Penitential Service  
Thu 9<sup>th</sup> April 8pm Evening Mass of the Lord's Supper  
Fri 10<sup>th</sup> April 3pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion  
Fri 10<sup>th</sup> April 4.30pm Stations of the Cross for Children  
Fri 10<sup>th</sup> April 7.30pm Stations of the Cross  
Sat 11<sup>th</sup> April 8.30pm Easter Vigil Mass  
Sun 12<sup>th</sup> April 11am Easter Sunday Mass  
at Sacred Heart, Nayland  
Tue 7<sup>th</sup> April 7.30pm Stations of the Cross  
Fri 10<sup>th</sup> April 11am Good Friday Stations of the Cross  
**Sun 12<sup>th</sup> April 9.15am Easter Sunday Mass**

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*Jo Murrison*

## New "Lakes" Restaurant launched at the Stoke by Nayland Hotel, Golf & Spa

Stoke by Nayland Hotel, Golf & Spa is delighted to announce the opening of its fabulous new restaurant, The Lakes, which forms part of a recent £5 million extensive refurbishment and expansion programme. Overlooking the floodlit lake and with stunning views across the picturesque golf course, the restaurant is the perfect place for relaxing with delicious food and wine, and the added benefit of a stunning Constable Country backdrop.

The interior of the Lakes Restaurant has a very stylish feel, with warm, smoked oak flooring, contemporary dark wood tables and comfortable high-backed, chocolate leather chairs. The walls are adorned with atmospheric black and white photos which capture snapshots of days gone by and local places of interest. Diners are greeted with a fresh new look which is modern and tasteful.

Executive Head Chef Nigel Taverner is very enthusiastic about the challenge, "My whole team is really excited about this new venture at the Stoke by Nayland Hotel; the Lakes Restaurant will provide a good selection of top quality dishes – all created in our kitchens using fresh, seasonal ingredients which are, wherever possible, produced locally." Nigel had a glittering career in London before deciding to move to Suffolk; he has catered for most of the Royal family on different occasions as well as several Prime Ministers. He has also worked with Gordon Ramsey.

For dinner at the Lakes there is always a delicious set 3 course menu offered as well as an extensive a la carte menu to suit every taste. There is also a good selection of wines from all over the world.

Traditional Sunday lunches have always been popular at the hotel and are offered in the Lakes Restaurant at £16.95 for 3 courses, coffee and mints, or 2 courses for £13.95. The cost for children under 12 is £10.50. A special lunch menu is also available every day of the week.

A new adjoining lounge bar has also just been completed featuring a central welcoming open fire place. Here you can enjoy a scrumptious full afternoon tea, including a selection of sandwiches, cakes and home-made scones with cream and jam and a pot of tea – all for just £9.95 per person.

Everyone is welcome to come along and sample the delights of this exciting new venue, and booking is recommended for lunch and dinner; just call 01206 265843 or 01206 262836.

## BABERGH COMMUNITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS



On Wednesday 4th March Mrs Olive Noakes was at the Babergh District Council Awards evening held at the Stoke by Nayland Club Hotel sponsored by Prolog the Sudbury Company.

The award for her dedicated work in the village was among many awards presented by The Chairman of Babergh District Council together with the Managing Director of Prolog.

Olive richly deserved her award and thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

## WOODLAND CORNER BUILDING PROJECT ABACUS BUILD & NAYLAND COMMUNITY - WORKING TOGETHER

Woodland Corner has been operational for 6 months and is something the whole community should be proud of. Already, the new childcare sessions are proving to be very popular and the Extended Schools element of the Woodland Corner offering is holding its own. Nayland Playgroup continues to be as successful as ever.

The building is complete and as those responsible for the construction project, we have left the Woodland Corner Committee. We want to take this opportunity to thank Nayland Primary School, the Community Council and all those individuals and organisations from Nayland, who have supported the Woodland Corner Building project.

Special thanks must go to Abacus Build (UK) Ltd, our local building contractors, who recognised immediately that this was a community project and supported and contributed to the building well beyond the terms of their contract. It has been a pleasure to work with them.

We would like to offer our best wishes to the new Woodland Corner Management Committee. With their guidance and commitment going forward, Woodland Corner can achieve its potential and become a centre that offers a service to the community which is second to none.

*Teresa Moriarty & Nik Joplin*

## CHURCHYARD SPRING WORKING PARTY



**Saturday 4th April**  
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the fun!*

## Pro Am Team places now available for the PGA EuroPro Tour at Stoke by Nayland – 28th June

Stoke by Nayland Hotel, Golf Club and Spa is delighted to announce that the televised PGA EuroPro Tour Championship will be held at the venue for the 8<sup>th</sup> year running from Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> June to Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. This will be preceded as before with their popular Pro Am and Gala Dinner, featuring celebrity players, on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> June.

"We are delighted to welcome back the PGA EuroPro Tour to Stoke by Nayland," said Susanna Rendall, the managing director of the Stoke by Nayland Hotel, Golf Club and Spa. "It is always a pleasure to see the young pros tackle our course and we're looking forward to opening our doors to them once again."

"Stoke by Nayland has been a key feature on the PGA EuroPro Tour schedule for the last eight years and we are pleased to be returning there in June," said Danny Nickless, operations manager for the PGA EuroPro Tour. "Susanna and her team have a first class venue both on and off the course and it is always a pleasure for the players to visit."



*Steve Davis putting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> green at Stoke by Nayland Euro-pro Tour Pro Am last year*

More details will be given in the next issue. The cost of a Pro Am team will be held at the same level as last year, and if anyone is interested in entering the Pro Am on 28<sup>th</sup> June please contact Mary Saward at Stoke by Nayland Hotel, Golf & Spa on 01206 265827 or email [mary.saward@stokebynayland.com](mailto:mary.saward@stokebynayland.com)

## 'ICE' (In Case of Emergency) Campaign

We all carry our mobile phones with names & numbers stored in its memory. If we were to be involved in an accident or were taken ill, the people attending us would have our mobile phone but wouldn't know who to call. Yes, there are hundreds of numbers stored but which one is the contact person in case of an emergency? Hence this 'ICE' (In Case of Emergency) Campaign.

The concept of 'ICE' is catching on quickly. It is a method of contact during emergency situations. As mobile phones are carried by the majority of the population, all you need to do is store the number of a contact person or persons who should be contacted during emergency under the name 'ICE' (In Case Of Emergency). The idea was thought up by a paramedic who found that when he went to the scenes of accidents there were always mobile phones with patients but they didn't know which number to call.

He therefore thought that it would be a good idea if there was a nationally recognised name for this purpose.

In an emergency situation, Emergency Service personnel and hospital Staff would be able to quickly contact the right person by simply dialling the number you have stored as 'ICE'.

Please forward this. It won't take too many 'forwards' before everybody will know about this. It really could save your life, or put a loved one's mind at rest.

For more than one contact name simply enter ICE1, ICE2 and ICE3 etc.

PLEASE PASS THIS AROUND AS MANY PEOPLE AS POSSIBLE AS THIS CAN HELP IN AN EMERGENCY

## **NHS** Come along to **Suffolk** the consultation

People in Suffolk are being invited to attend open meetings to find out more about GP and dentist services available outside normal surgery times, at 'out of hours' consultation sessions across the county.

The full public consultation, which is being held by NHS Suffolk is running until 22 May to give people the chance to air their views of the current service and what improvements they think could be made.

Tracy Dowling, director of strategic commissioning at NHS Suffolk, said: "We want to make sure that out of hours services provided by doctors and dentists are clinically effective and responsive to patients' needs.

"We also want to make sure that the standard and quality of out of hours services are the same for everyone – wherever they may live in Suffolk – and we also think that the current service could be improved using the same amount of money."

If you'd like to go along to one of the events anyone is welcome:

- **25 March 09** Wednesday 2 - 4pm The Lounge, Athenaeum, **Bury St. Edmunds**
- **28 March 09** Saturday 10am 12pm Gibson Centre, Newmarket Hospital, **Newmarket**
- **22 April 09** Wednesday 6.30pm - 8.30pm St. Johns Methodist Church Hall, **Sudbury**
- **23 April 09** Thursday 6.30pm - 8.30pm St. Felix Church Hall, Gainsborough Rd, **Felixstowe**
- **07 May 09** Thursday 6.30pm - 8.30pm Council Chamber, Corn Exchange, **Ipswich**

The consultation and questionnaire are available online NOW at [www.suffolk.nhs.uk](http://www.suffolk.nhs.uk) and in print from the NHS Suffolk communications team, telephone 01473 770014 or by e-mail to [comms@suffolkpct.nhs.uk](mailto:comms@suffolkpct.nhs.uk).



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**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March 10am to 1pm**

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Approx. 5 miles – Moderate

### **ALPHAMSTONE BLUEBELL BLISS!**

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April 10am to 12.30pm**

John McGlashen of Coppins Farm, Alphamstone, welcomes us to a morning wandering the wildflower meadows of and around his farm, and tells us about the conservation work he has been undertaking. We also explore the area around Clees Hall and Parkhill Wood on our walk. Approx. 3½ miles – Moderate.

### **THE WORMINGFORD DIG**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May 7pm to 9pm**

A fascinating opportunity to see the work of the Colchester Archaeology Group as they reveal a Tudor Hunting Lodge in Wormingford, and learn how archaeology shapes our landscape. We will enjoy an evening stroll around the area and take in the views across the Stour Valley.

Approx. 3½ miles – Moderate

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## **NHS** Celebrating 150 years **Suffolk** of our district nurses

This year is the 150<sup>th</sup> year of district nursing, and to celebrate the Queen's Nursing Institute has launched its own fascinating archive material on a new website.

The website offers a treasure trove of information on district nursing, such as a gallery of old photographs, old recipes for a healthy constitution, exam questions taken from the old Queen's Nurse magazine, wartime stories and tales of district nursing over key periods during its 150-year history.

The Queen's Nursing Institute has also published a new report this year, called *20/20 Vision – Focusing on the Future of District Nursing*. It takes a closer look at the values and purpose of district nursing today, focusing on how the skills required to nurse patients in the home are very different from those needed in hospitals or clinics.

John Such, chief operating officer at Suffolk Community Healthcare, said: "District nursing continues to provide a complex and holistic service alongside other healthcare professions. One hundred and fifty years on, we're keen to celebrate and continue to support people living in their own home. District nurses embody the specialist knowledge and practical skills necessary to nurse in the home."

Issued by NHS Suffolk Communications Team on 01473 770014. For more information about NHS Suffolk visit [www.suffolk.nhs.uk](http://www.suffolk.nhs.uk)

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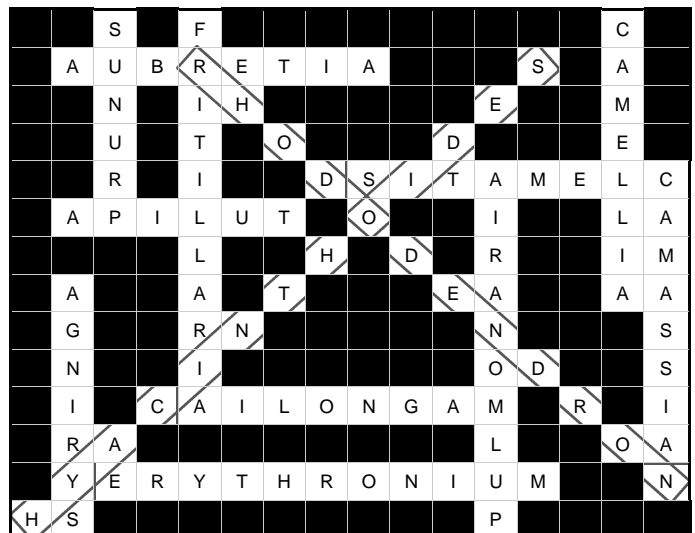
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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

<b>April</b>	
3rd	Village Cinema: 'Rabbit-Proof Fence' 8pm Village Hall <i>page 10 &amp; 22</i>
4th	St James' Churchyard Spring Working Party 9am-12noon <i>page 29</i>
6th	Village Hall Management Committee Meeting 7.30pm Village Hall
8th	Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm <u>Church Hall, Bear Street</u> <i>page 3</i>
10th	Anchor Inn: Easter Egg Hunt 11.30am-1pm <i>page 5</i>
18th	Village Hall Garden Working Party from 9am <i>page 18 &amp; 22</i>
20th	WI: Margaret Geater <i>'Running a Bed &amp; Breakfast'</i> <i>page 20</i>
21st	Luncheon Club for over 60s: 12 for 12.30 Church Hall <i>page 13 &amp; 19</i>
21st	HortSoc AGM & Fun Quiz 8pm Church Hall <i>page 10 &amp; 20</i>
22nd	St James' Annual Parochial Church Meeting 7pm for 7.20 Church Hall, Bear Street <i>page 29</i>
23rd	St Mary's Annual Parochial Church Meeting 7pm for 7.20 Newton's Farm, Wiston <i>page 29</i>
25th	Nayland Calendar Competition: closing date for entries <i>page 6</i>
26th	Country Music Club: <i>'Dane Stevens'</i> 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 11</i>
27th	Nayland Parish Assembly 8pm Village Hall <i>page 3</i>
27th	Village Cinema: 'The Singer' afternoon showing at 3pm Village Hall <i>page 10 &amp; 22</i>
29th	The Village Lunch: <i>'East Anglian Air Ambulance Charity &amp; Service'</i> <i>page 11 &amp; 22</i>
29th	Village Players' AGM 7.30 for 8pm Village Hall <i>page 21</i>
<b>May</b>	
4th	Nayland Calendar Competition: Exhibition of entries 2pm-4.30pm Church Hall <i>page 6</i>
4th	Conservation Society: May Day Walk 2.15pm from Fire Station <i>page 11</i>
9th	Nayland Fundraising Committee: Coffee Morning 10am Bridge House, Horkesley Road <i>page 13</i>
11th	Village Hall Management Committee Meeting 7.30pm Village Hall
11th	Community Council meeting 8pm Church Hall ( <i>Exec 7.30</i> ) <i>page 7</i>
13th	Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm Village Hall Committee Room
15th	Nayland Transition: Introductory film night Village Hall 7.30pm <i>page 18</i>
16th	HortSoc Morning Market 9.30-12noon Church Hall <i>page 10 &amp; 20</i>
18th	WI: <i>Resolutions and 'In House' Entertainment</i> <i>page 20</i>
18th	RBL: meeting Anchor Inn 8pm <i>page 19</i>
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23rd	Over 60s: Coffee Morning & Sale 10am-12noon Church Hall <i>page 9 &amp; 19</i>
25th	St James' Church Fete <i>page 11</i>
31st	Country Music Club: <i>'New West'</i> 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 11</i>
<b>June</b>	
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14th	Open Gardens 2-6pm Teas in Village Hall <i>page 12</i>
15th	WI: Chris Hunt <i>'From Jam to Concrete'</i> <i>page 20</i>
18th	Over 60s: Outing to Wroxham <i>page 19</i>
23rd	Luncheon Club for over 60s: 12 for 12.30 Church Hall <i>page 13 &amp; 19</i>
23rd	Conservation Society: Darren Tansley <i>'Wildlife on the River Stour'</i> Village Hall <i>page 9</i>
27th	Choir Concert <i>page 21</i>
28th	Country Music Club: <i>'Steve Chase'</i> 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 11</i>

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