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25th ANNIVERSARY ISSUE

The Times strikes 25 years with a splash of colour and shares the celebration with other village groups for which 2014 has been special. See centre pages.

Remember October 1989... when the first issue of the Community Times dropped on your doormat? I can, and no doubt many others can too.

The Community Times was established to "keep the residents of the Nayland and Wissington community informed about the activities of the local clubs, associations and organisations in the village" and to "help promote the objectives of the Community Council". In the early days it was not expected to generate any income, in fact proceeds from a grand draw at the annual fete were dedicated each year to funding the Community Times. Advertising was later introduced and the CT gradually became self-financing; it now generates a profit for the Community Council.

The Community Times has had three editors in its 25 year history. The first editor, Keith Worricker, established the newsletter which became a successful publication. Upon his retirement in October 2002 Sarah Fogarty took the reins until February 2004 when they were passed on to the present editor, Lorraine Brooks. Since this time the magazine has been produced digitally.

Of course, the Community Times has a team of other volunteers behind it. The regular contributors of articles, reports and copy and advertisers are vital to make the magazine of interest to readers and the team of proof-readers ensure copy has no errors. The CT would not reach residents' doors without the loyal team of distributors, currently led by Colin Ramsell, but for many years led by Roy and Jean Evans. The Community Council is grateful to everyone involved over the years.

It is completely coincidental, but perhaps quite timely, to announce in this issue that the Community Council have just taken a leap into the world wide web by publishing their own website still with the aim to "help promote the objectives of the Community Council". The address is **www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk** - do take a peek and see the news, events, archives and other information about the CC.

The first issue of the Community Times can be viewed, which may bring back some fond memories and it is hoped the archives included will grow as the CC approaches it's diamond anniversary!



NO WASTE ON VILLAGE BONFIRE

It is with regret that we must insist that no garden waste or any other material is put on the bonfire this year. **THERE ARE TO BE NO EXCEPTIONS.** This is due to non combustible and potentially dangerous items being put on in previous years. We are obliged, by our Insurance Company, to take appropriate action if anyone ignores this notice. Mr Bugg has again kindly offered to construct the bonfire for us and only materials supplied by him will be used.

Community Council

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL DONATIONS FOR RAFFLES

Donations of prizes for the Community Council's raffles - at the Village Quiz on 3rd October or the Christmas Family Fayre on Sunday 7th December - would be very much appreciated and can be left at 20 Fen Street or Star Cottage 81 Bear Street or brought along on the day.

OCTOBER 2014

No: 151

SPECIAL INTEREST

The Village Quiz

Cinema: 'The Book Thief' & 'Boyhood'

Village Lunch

Harvest Supper

Firework Night

Choir : Quiz & Concert

Woodland Corner Cake Stall
& Ladies Shopping Evening

'Around the Flower Shows' Talk

Panto 'Jack & the Beanstalk'

'The River Stour' Talk

THIS ISSUE

Nayland Flower Show

1914 Remembered

Over 60s Luncheon Club

Country Music Club

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View the CT in colour on the **COMMUNITY WEBSITE: www.naylandandwiston.net**

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Planning Meeting: 13th August 2014

PLANNING

Reviewing recent planning applications, Mary George reported that permission had been granted for listed building application at Alston Court for the installation of a ground floor partition and door. Councillors had no objection. An application to reduce a maple tree and an oak tree at Lower Courtwood, 13a Court Street, was granted as was the application to erect a single storey extension to the rear of Chatsworth House, Wissington Uplands. The application for the replacement of a roof and single-storey rear and front porch extensions at Ricklands Cottage, Cawley Road following a fire was granted on condition that no work should start until samples of the proposed roof tiles had been approved by the local authority. Applications for the pollarding of a lime tree and a plane tree at 100 Birch Street, Nayland were granted subject to usual Tree Protection Order conditions.

Councillors had no objections to an application for the erection at Parsons Pyghtle, Wiston Hall Lane of single storey side extension (following demolition of existing conservatory); the erection of two storey rear extension; and the erection of double cartlodge/garage but concerns were expressed about the appropriateness of proposed materials.

Councillors raised no objection to the application for listed building consent for the replacement of existing single glazed windows with slimline double glazed units at 5 Jane Walker Park provided consent conditions were met.

There were no objections to the amended application for the erection at Ricklands Farm, Cawley Road of a two-storey detached dwelling following demolition of existing dwelling but councillors expressed concern about the implications of the plan for neighbours by which their garden would be overlooked by windows to be installed in the north elevation of the dwelling.

NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT

Amended layout plans for additional equipment on Fairfield recreation ground were displayed in the meeting room to enable members of the Parish Council and any members of the public who had attended to view them. Having considered a revised plan that took into account the views of residents living adjacent to the Fairfield playing field, councillors decided to approve it. The plan is health and safety compliant. Information about the scheme will be communicated to the public. Work will commence subject to the confirmation of the necessary grant and other income. Council approved the quotes of £350 for additional safety surfacing and £60 for relocation of pedestrian gate. Mary George thanked Rachel Hitchcock and Project Group for all their hard work on the project.

OPEN SPACES

It was reported that cars being offered for sale were being parked on triangular green at the end of Bear Street. This had prevented proper grass cutting and limited vision of drivers approaching the area. Gerry Battye had dealt with this issue before and Mary George said she would make enquiries.

Nayland Over 60s

LUNCHEON CLUB

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

Tuesday 4 November 2014
(October lunch)

Tuesday 25 November 2014

Tuesday 9 December 2014

Christmas Lunch at Longwood Barn

Come along and join the friendly atmosphere for a chat with friends, old and new.

If you would like to join us for lunch just come along. If transport down to the Church Hall is difficult telephone Olga Alexander on 263923 to see if we can collect you.

VILLAGE CALENDAR

Copies of the 2015 calendar, with new photographic views illustrating Nayland past and present accompanied with historical captions, are now on sale at local shops will be available at various village events.

An album of this year's entries for the calendar competition can be viewed at www.naylandandcommunitycouncil.org.uk.

Now is your opportunity to go out and record something you find beautiful and memorable for the 2016 calendar. Do it while the remnants of summer are with us and the good light and colour make for delightful images. It would be nice to have new and more entrants in the next competition. The closing date for this will be towards the end of April 2015 - more details in later issues of the CT. Entries by children are very welcome.

Calendar Team, Community Council

The history of the Community Council,

1966 to present, is being collated to
celebrate its 50th Anniversary.

**Do you have any information
that could be included?**

We would love to hear from you with
information, memories, or if you have any
documents or photographs of events held
which we could copy.

Please contact Lorraine Brooks on 262807
or lorraine.nayland@btinternet.com

LET'S SUPPORT OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES USE THEM OR LOSE THEM

We all enjoy being able to use our local shops, businesses and facilities in Nayland but changing times have meant that many are struggling financially. For example, the expansion of supermarkets into online shopping with home delivery has affected local shops.

Our shops, pub, garage etc all rely on the people of Nayland and the surrounding area.

Now the bus services has seen reductions in the frequency and could be at risk in the future if it isn't used by enough people.

We would all be disappointed to lose them – so let's use them before it's too late.

Neil Barbrook, Chairman, Community Council

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Annual Meeting: 10th September 2014

Vice Chair Matthew Pescott-Frost chaired the meeting.

POLICE REPORT

PCSO Melissa Cohen reported three incidents in July and August: the theft of diesel fuel from Harper's Hill, damage to a car's tyres in Parker's Way and an assault in Bear Street.

There is an increase in daytime burglaries of outbuildings and sheds, a rise in the theft of catalytic converters and in private vehicles being unlawfully entered. Please report anything unusual to the Police concerning your car or neighbourhood.

PLANNING

The following three applications have been approved by Babergh District Council:

Nag's Corner The erection of a detached office building, car parking, landscaping, external lighting, signage and new vehicular and pedestrian access onto Harper's Hill. Consent conditions include detailed points regarding the new access.

33 Bear Street Erection of a single storey extension with conditions relating to materials and the proposed levels of the patio to protect the neighbours' amenities and the character of the area.

Ricklands Farm To demolish an existing dwelling (considered to be of special architectural and historical interest) and construct a two-storey detached dwelling. Conditions include using materials from the existing building wherever possible.

Five planning applications have been received to which the Council raised no objections:

52-54 Bear street Erection of a summer-house; **30 Bear Street** Erection of part single-storey, part two-storey side extension and erection of front porch; **Sargents Farm, Bures road** Erection of rear and side extension to existing outbuilding and erection of outbuilding (following demolition of existing outbuilding); **1 The Studios, Harpers Hill** Erection of workshop building, attached to existing workshop and office building (following demolition of portion of existing building) and **Longwood House, Stoke Road** Erection of a wood burning furnace in the rear garden. This last application provoked discussion among Councillors as it is the first regarding this type of heating within the parish. There were two abstentions.

Looking at the proposals for Parish Councils to deal with planning applications online, Gerry Battye suggested consideration should be given to developing some kind of secure intranet system through which Councillors could add and view comments. It was agreed to ask Will Hitchcock to explore and advise the Council and to include the issue on the next Agenda.

STREET LIGHTING

There has been little action on the first tranche of improvements due to ongoing consultation with building owners and lack of communication from Suffolk County Council.

HIGHWAYS

Bures Road Flooding has been investigated and resolved by Suffolk County Council.

Fen Street Mary George provided a report regarding the recent work by Suffolk County Council to repair the mill lane wall.

Nearby residents were not happy with the standard of work: the wall has been secured with concrete-filled sandbags and a rough-wood fence erected along the edge of the millstream. Mary thought that it might be a Health and Safety issue and suggested that fencing that matched the existing white post and rail barrier might be preferable.

Enquiries were made to Suffolk County Council regarding this issue and when the unstable white picket fence over the millstream to Socket Alley would be replaced.

Suffolk County Council replied that while the picket fence would be replaced in October, it was uneconomic to reconstruct the wall and the concrete-filled sandbags were adequate. The fence was a H&S legislation requirement. Councillors were not reassured by the response and will request a site meeting with Suffolk CC. Ian Harris commented that 'the mill lane should be maintained or our history crumbles'.

RECREATION AND OPEN SPACES

New playground equipment Debbie Hattrell advised that the project was poised to start, dependent on grant confirmation. Nearby residents are pleased to see that the playground designs are now on the High Street noticeboard.

Horsewatering The Parish Council was concerned as weed-killer had been used on the Horsewatering which destroyed a bees' nest. The PC gave an assurance that a maintenance plan is in place.

Litter on Harpers Hill Ian asked about removing the litter accumulating on Harper's Hill from the verge at Brunning's Farm southwards. It was agreed to instruct the Parishes' litter-picking company to quote for a one-off clear-up and review its success.

Ash Trees on Caley Green Ian Harris suggested the PC should implement tree planting on Caley Green as most of the ash trees will perish in the next few years. Tom Gardiner remarked on people parking on the green and then canoeing up the river. Gerry Battye commented on the number of geese, swans and ducks making it unpleasant to sit on the benches near the river and for people using the wheelchair-accessible path. It was agreed to add all this to the next Agenda.

FOOTPATHS

Three residents have raised the problem of disintegrating stiles on public rights of way. Landowners will not repair the stiles themselves but have no objection to the stiles being replaced by kissing-gates. Suffolk County Council has responsibility for maintaining Rights of Way but there is no action plan. The Council is to ask Sally Bartram, Footpath Warden to follow up.

Path from Wiston Hall Bridge to Nags Corner Tom Gardiner advised of a missing tread on the river footbridge.

ALLOTMENTS

There are two people waiting for an allotment.

VILLAGE HALL

Rosemary Knox reported that bookings were going well with several fitness courses available.

Rosemary advised that the Chair of the Village Hall Management Committee requested that weedkiller was used on nettles round the perimeter of the playing field including around the Chestnut tree in the east corner. Rosemary thought it could be expensive to carry out, pointing out that there are many wild flowers and shrubs in amongst the nettles and asked for the PC's view. Councillors agreed that it was not necessary to have every corner cleared but perhaps there could be an annual cut. Cllrs would check out the issue.

BURIAL GROUND

Babergh District Council had cleared a fallen tree and removed two elms, a silver birch and a holly that were obscuring graves. Care is being taken not to spoil the natural and rural aspect of the burial ground.

A request to add an inscription to an existing gravestone was approved.

IN BRIEF

Archeological dig Mary George had written to ask if the old burial ground could be mowed before the dig on 20/21 September.

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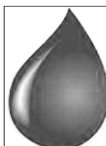
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Neil Barbrook welcomed members to the meeting.

MATTERS ARISING

Executive Committee: It was stressed a new Treasurer will be required for next year. This is an important role - Bryan Smith would show them the ropes.

Fundraising Activities: It was decided hold a grand draw at the Christmas Fayre but due to the timescale those leading on its organisation feel it would prudent to postpone until next year.

Other ideas for fundraising would be welcome.

Nayland Post Office: Members are not aware of any news regarding the future of the PO.

Babergh Achievement Award: It is hoped the framed certificate will be fixed on the wall of the Village Hall. The glass award has been placed in the trophy cabinet.

Community Council Records: Lorraine Brooks said she is continuing to collect information relating to the history of the CC. The timeline of activities and those involved is progressing and is very interesting. Further information, photos or memorabilia which could be photographed or copied would be welcome.

Village Hall Garden: The next session of maintaining the garden will be on 18th October from 9am. All welcome to help.

Picnic in the Park: The event was cancelled due to lack of volunteers. It was just as well as the weather on the day turned out to be dreadful!

Grants & Donations:

The CC were grateful for £50 donation from Mrs Neighbour who enjoys watching the fireworks from her home.

Village Stiles: The need for better access on footpaths off Bear Street and Fen Street was discussed. Neil Barbrook had been in contact with the SCC, the footpath warden, Stour Valley Project. Grants are available towards the cost of replacing the current stiles which are in poor condition with kissing gates. In places they are impassable for some people and all but small dogs. Grants and permissions are being investigated and the CC agreed to contribute up to £1,000 towards the cost.

Luncheon Club for the Over 60s: Nine lunches in the Church Hall, a Summer Tea Party and a special Christmas Lunch for elderly residents are organised each year by volunteers. It was agreed to support the next Christmas Lunch with a grant of £300.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Bryan Smith gave his report as follows for the period 2nd July to 11th September. Income included: Community Times £490, Calendar £340, Donation £50. Expenditure included: Fireworks £1,000, CT Print £195, Calendar Print £522, Insurance £141, Church Hall Hire £60. Grants agreed but not yet paid include: Conservation Society Book £500 and Dig £500, Parish Council Playground Project £1,000. The Community Council's unencumbered assets are £16,120.14p.

COMMUNITY TIMES: The August and September Parish Council meetings were covered by new volunteers and it is hoped they will continue to share the task of writing the reports.

For the CT's 25th anniversary issue the four centre pages will be in colour.

VILLAGE CALENDAR: Lorraine Brooks said calendars are on sale at local shops and events. Suggestions for additional sales opportunities or offers to sell them at local events would be welcome - please let Lorraine know.

Enlarged prints of photos featured in past calendars can be purchased for £10 and this will be advertised in the CT and on www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk

FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES

Fun Village Quiz - Friday 3rd October: Rachel Hitchcock is kindly leading with help from Woodland Corner.

The quiz will include a music round and quirky themes for three rounds. Those who wish to come but haven't got a 'four' are welcome and will be teamed up. It is bring your own refreshments. There will be a raffle - donations are welcome.

Bonfire Night - Wednesday 5th November:

NO DUMPING ON THE BONFIRE SITE signs will be put out. Hot Dogs, drinks, sparkler and glo-necklaces will be available from 6.30, the display will start at 7pm

Claire will lead on the BBQ and hot chocolate, Jenny & Tricia on mulled wine, Iain on fireworks, Bryan and Colin on the gate.

More helpers are required for the gate (from about 6pm - 7pm) and for a litter pick the next morning.

Christmas Fayre - Sunday 7th December 12-2.30pm: Neil Barbrook is co-ordinator. The School Choir and the Fangando School of Dance Drama & Music will perform, Father Christmas will be in attendance. Claire Buller will lead on bunting, Christmas tree, hot chocolate and soft drinks.

It is hoped village groups will apply to have stalls by 4th November - booking form on page 8.

Street Fayre - July 2016: This will celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Community Council and is likely to have a 1960s theme. Claire Buller will lead with a sub-committee. Village groups will be invited to participate.

AOB:

Nayland Forum: Neil Barbrook raised the idea of an online parish forum. It was suggested that if someone was willing to organise such a forum or Facebook page it would need monitoring and checking for misuse. There was also some doubt whether it would be used.

CC Website: In light the forum suggestion Lorraine had produced a draft website, specifically to help promote the CC and its activities. She added the information is just sitting on her computer and it is a shame others don't have access to it.

It was agreed to go ahead and the website is now functioning at www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk. This links to and from the naylandandwiston.net community website which it is hoped parish organisations will continue to support.

It is hoped the new CC website will encourage residents to send in their photos taken at our events for inclusion.

Supporting Local Businesses: Neil Barbrook highlighted the need to support our local shops.

Community Council Assets: It was suggested that the CC has various assets spread round the village and as the committee changes we lose track of what is available. It was agreed a record of assets could be kept.

Bus Service: It was noted there have been complaints about the changes in the bus services, in particular the confusing and restrictive promotion of the timetables; they have not been accurate locally or on their website. Lack of printed copies also denies many bus users access to the information.

SOCIETY REPORTS

Art Group: Colin Ramsell said their autumn term has begun and they are planning outings and having visiting tutors. The group is at full compliment for the size of the Church Hall.

Conservation Society: John Partridge said the second test pit dig takes place on 20/21 September. More volunteers to help with digging would be welcome. Spectators can come along to watch. The new permissive path to Stoke is being well used.

Royal British Legion: John Partridge said they have spaces on the coach trip to Kelvedon Hatch Secret Nuclear Bunker on 22 October. The cost will be less than £30 each and will include a snack lunch at a local pub. Contact John 263733 if interested.

Woodland Corner: Rachel Hitchcock said they had a successful summer holiday club and numbers attending this term are good. They have some exciting activities planned. Their fundraisers are the Cake Stall outside Kerridge's on 4th October and Ladies Shopping Evening on 21st November.

Book Club: The club run by Stephanie Deering have read a variety of books; the current book is 'The Casual Vacancy' by JK Rowling.

HortSoc: Lorraine Brooks said they have had a good summer; the Garden Party at Parkers and the Flower Show went very well. The weather was glorious for their coach outing to Peter Beales and Bressingham Gardens recently. On 21st October Richard Ford's talk is entitled 'Around the Flower Shows' and at the joint meeting with Conservation Society on 10th November Matt Holden is talking about 'The River Stour'. They will have a stall selling seasonal gifts at the Christmas Fayre and would be grateful for donations for the stall.

Village Players: Jenny Smith said they enjoyed their summer BBQ. Rehearsals have started for the pantomime 'Jack and the Beanstalk', directed by Nick Moriarty; performances are on 5th/6th/12th/13th December. They had several nominations at the North Essex Theatre Guild Awards and won two awards.

Choir: Rehearsals have started for their concert 'Brilliant Baroque' on 29 November in St James' Church.

Women's Institute: Wendy Sparrow said they enjoyed a Garden Party and a cruise on the River Orwell. The History of Colchester Zoo will be the subject of the talk on 15th September.

Table Tennis Group: Neil Barbrook said between 6-12 members are attending regularly in the village hall on Mondays at 2-3.30pm. A few more players would be welcome.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: will be **Wednesday 29th October** in the Church Hall at 8pm with Exec at 7.30pm.

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Rosemary Knox

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Monday 10th November

Nayland Village Hall - 7.40 for 8pm

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Friday 24th October

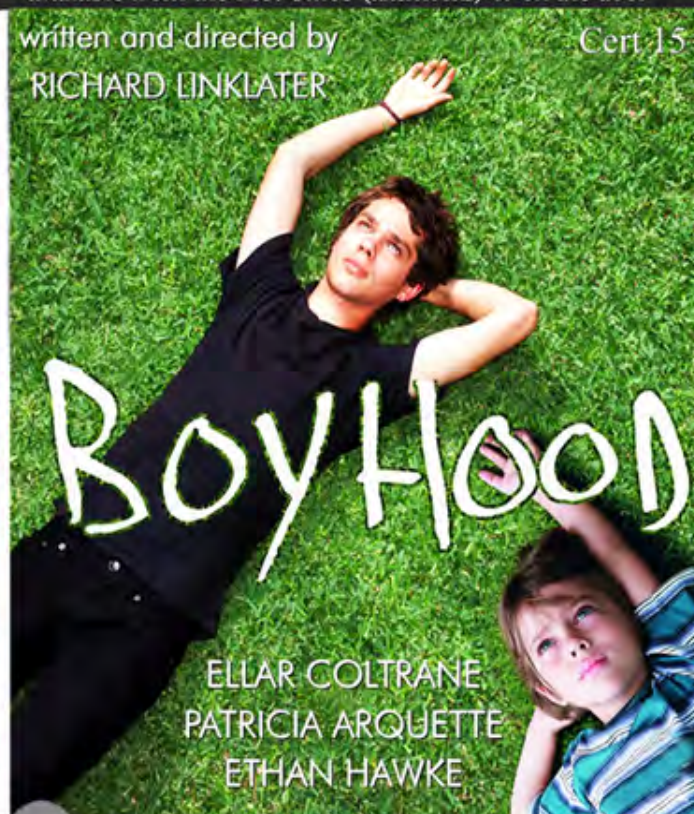


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Friday 28th November

Nayland - with - Wissington Conservation Society
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Open Meeting

Nayland Timber Framed Buildings

A talk by Leigh Alston
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Monday 13th October

Nayland Village Hall

7.40 for 8pm

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The Village Lunch

Wednesday 29th October

11.45 am for 12 noon, Lunch at 1pm
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Autumn speaker

Richard Ford
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Tuesday 21st October

7.40 for 8pm

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If you have a snapshot taken in the parish to feature in a future issue please send it to lorraine.nayland@btinternet.com

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Saturday 18th October
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St James Church
Sunday 21st December
at 6.30pm

Following the candlelit Service,
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before the journey home!



CAROLS AROUND THE VILLAGE CHRISTMAS TREE

Wednesday 17th December
at 7.30pm
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Nayland with Wissington Society News



Christmas Flowers in St James' Church

Jo Murrison 262369

Donations would be gratefully received for decorating the church for Christmas.

Donations can be given to Jo Murrison at 11 Fen Street or Jeannette Finch at 5 Fen Street.



NAYLAND CINEMA

Chris Thompson Secretary V.H.M.C.

On Friday 24th **October** we will be showing **The Book Thief**. This film stars Geoffrey Rush and Emily Watson and is about a young girl who finds solace from the Second World War by stealing books.

On **November 28th** we will be showing **Boyhood**. This Richard Linklater film is about a boy growing up in the USA and was filmed in real time. The actors were first filmed as children and then every year subsequently.

All films start at 8pm. We have a bar from 7.30pm and an interval for tea and coffee. Tickets cost £5 either from the Post Office or on the door. All profits go towards the maintenance of the Village Hall.



NAYLAND OVER 60S LUNCHEON CLUB

A Monthly Lunch for Senior Citizens ~ Church Hall ~ 12.00 noon for 12.30pm ~ £3
Olga Alexander on 263923

The October lunch will be held a little later than usual, on Tuesday 4th November. Then things return to normal with the November lunch on 25th November. The Christmas Lunch held at Longwood Barn will be held on 9th December.

Make a note of these dates in your diaries and come along and join the friendly atmosphere for a chat with friends, old and new. If you would like to join us for lunch just come along to the Church Hall. If transport is difficult telephone Olga Alexander on 263923 to see if we can collect you.



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

Secretary: Andrew Gowen 262534 parkersag@yahoo.co.uk Chairman: Ken Willingale 262531

The Branch was overwhelmed by the support it had from village and other villages in the benefice for the First World War Commemoration that took place at the War Memorial and in the Church. The event was best summed up by our Chairman's Poem which he read at the War Memorial during the end of 'Lights Out' campaign at 10.30. It was a poem from the 'Song of Hiawatha' by Longfellow in which Hiawatha castigated his sons, who had everything, for being so selfish and causing disharmony and War; it seemed to sum up so well the terrible event that we were commemorating. We are so grateful to the many people who were involved. Our Chairman has written below thanking all those who did so much to make it a success. We should now start thinking about a celebration to commemorate the end of the War in 4 years time!!

Our trip to the Nuclear Bunker (no connection with the above) at Kelvedon Hatch near Brentwood on 22nd October still has vacancies. We leave the surgery at 9am and will be returning from the Bunker no later than 3pm. The cost will be less than £30 each and will include a snack lunch at a local pub. Contact John Partridge on 01206 263733 soonest if you are interested. Look it up on the Web if you want more information.

It is being proposed that the Branch should sponsor a St George's Day 'Roast Beef' Lunch at a local pub on Thursday 23rd April 2015. It will NOT be restricted to Legion Members and will include ladies. Something to think about and pencil into your diaries.

We are holding our AGM at the Church Hall at 8pm on Monday 27th October and we look forward to seeing as many of our members as possible. We shall start with a few refreshments and if anybody has a burning desire to become secretary please let me know!!

1914 Remembered

I would like to record on behalf of the Nayland branch of the Royal British Legion our thanks to those who contributed to the event Remembering 1914. To Mary George for her historical research, Emma Bishton and the Nayland Choir for their musical items, to John McCarroll and members of the Village Players for the reading of letters and poetry. To Chris Hunt not only for his talk on our War Memorials but also for his efforts at retrieving and refurbishment of the memorial plaque to Alfred Norfolk. We must also thank Ed Oakes for designing and providing the pictorial display which vividly brought back to life our village and residents of 1914. We also thank Revd Adrian Mason and St James Church for their part in our Remembrance. The poster designed by Jeremy Hughes set the scene and evoked the past life of Nayland. I must also mention Ernie Smith for the War Memorial decorations and David George for cleaning the brasses on the seat. Also to Kathy Hunt for her thought provoking flower arrangement inside church.

But finally our thanks to all of you who attended at the War Memorial and later packed the church which made the occasion an important milestone in the life of our village.

Ken Willingale, Chairman



NAYLAND ART GROUP

Daphne Berry 262641

At the start of our post Summer session it was good to see the return of so many regulars to the Church Hall although a few were missing enjoying the last of their holidays.

The Art Group had two successes in the Art section of the Hortsoc Summer Flower Show, Jim Scarlett's water colour gaining first prize and Colin Ramsell's pen and ink drawing taking third prize. Numerous other entries by the Art Group were entered in this section but on this occasion were unsuccessful but we will hopefully try again next year.

We are now engaged in the process of contacting our tutors to agree dates this session to come along to the group and also contacting our friends in Community Transport to agree dates for visits. Suggestions at the moment are for a trip to Munnings Gallery / House in Dedham and Gainsborough's House in Sudbury.

Colin Ramsell



NAYLAND FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

Secretary: Caroline Lowe 263852

FASHION SHOW EXTRAVAGANZA

Our fun day for "just us girls" on October 2nd in Nayland Village hall includes volunteers modelling Stylish French clothes suitable for all ages with the opportunity to try and buy along with hats, fascinators, jewellery and a make up demonstration. Bubbles and Lunch are included in the price.

The event is in aid of Great Ormond Street Hospital Children's Charity and will have either just have taken place or be just about to by the time this magazine is published. Thank you to everyone who has bought tickets for the event or given donations.

There may be a possibility of last minute tickets so if interested please contact Caroline Lowe. Tickets £25.00



HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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Show day on 2nd August saw a steady flow of visitors coming along to the 33rd annual Flower Show – as reported on page 24. We can already reveal that the subjects for the photography class at the 2015 show will be 'Herbaceous Border' and 'Horsepower' so get out and about with your cameras soon to capture some colourful shots. And photos taken in Nayland and Wiston could perhaps be entered in the next calendar competition.

The weather was glorious for our coach outing to Peter Beales Roses and Bressingham Steam and Gardens recently.

Having worked at Peter Beales Roses in Attleborough for over 30 years, Simon White gave a fascinating and knowledgeable tour of the inspirational three-acre garden which has 1100 varieties of roses.

Simon said growing roses is not difficult; the right variety for the right aspect and some simple husbandry is all that is required. He said, contrary to belief, pruning need not be done at specific time but performing the task during frost should be avoided. He also defied the school of thought that a new rose could not be planted where a roses had previously been growing. He explained that by planting the rose in the garden protected inside a cardboard box filled with good compost it would not be exposed to disease and by the time the roots extended the confines of the box, which would have rotted down, the rose would be strong. He continued providing useful and amusing cultivation tips throughout the tour.

At Bressingham Gardens near Diss we enjoyed strolling round 17 acres of delightful sweeping lawns with impressive island beds brimming with swaths of colourful herbaceous plants and punctuated with established trees and conifers.

The gardens were established by Alan Bloom MBE, a plant expert with international renown, at Bressingham Hall and his son, Adrian, has since developed the garden further. The gardens are planted to give dramatic year-round seasonal colour and interest and show off the innumerable contrasts of form, colour, texture and shape between different cultivars. It is a very impressive garden!

We also had a ride on the railway, visited the Steam museum with it's mighty locomotives, popped into Walmington-on-Sea to see the National Dad's Army collection and then let our hair down on the gallopers! All in all it was a lovely day out with something for everyone.

As autumn beckons our activities will retreat indoors; our autumn speaker on **Tuesday 21st October** will be Richard Ford who will give an illustrated talk on '**Around the Flower Shows**'. This will be at the Church Hall, Bear Street, Nayland.

On **Monday 10th November** at our joint meeting with the Nayland with Wissington Conservation Society Matt Holden, River Stour Officer, Dedham Vale & Stour Valley Project, will be speaking about '**The River Stour**' at Nayland Village Hall. Both talks take place at 7.40 for 8pm and non-members are very welcome to come along.

We will be having a stall at the Community Council's **Christmas Family Fayre** on Sunday 7th December, 12 noon to 2.30pm in the Village Hall. As usual, donations of seasonal items for sale on the Hortsoc stall, or for our raffle, would be very much appreciated and can be brought along on the day or left with a committee member.

The committee has been busy planning the calendar of events for 2015 including the **Spring Show** which will be held on 21st March, so bear this in mind when planting your bulbs this autumn. The schedule is now available and shown on page 35 and on the website.

There will be more news on activities for 2015 in the next issue and the website is being updated as plans progress.

1914 REMEMBERED



Top: Nayland marked the centenary of the start of the First World War with a short service at the war memorial, before moving to St James Church for a programme of readings and music.

Clockwise from above left: the Village Players gave readings of letters from the front line and poetry, Mary George described how the war affected Nayland, Rev Adrian Mason conducted the re-dedication of a memorial plaque to Alfred Edward Norfolk, the congregation accompanied by Nayland Choir singing Jerusalem in St James. See the 1914 Remembered article on page 31.



NAYLAND CELEBRATES 2014

More than 150 children, parents and staff celebrated Nayland Playgroup's 40th anniversary. Many faces from the past joined current playgroup members to enjoy tea and cakes as well as lots of fun activities.

Below: Sue Clarke and Tricia Hall with a display of photographs spanning 40 years.



The Parish Council's nomination of the Community Council for a 2014 Babergh Achievement award was successful.

Pictured: The CC were represented at the ceremony by Bryan and Jenny Smith, Tricia Hall and Claire Buller. They received the award from BDC chairman Nick Ridley and Robert Audley, chairman of sponsor Prolog.

Nayland with Wissington Conservation Society have been enjoying a very busy year celebrating their 40th Anniversary.

Photos: the opening of the new permissive path to Stoke by Nayland by Hector Wykes-Sneyd; the Reminiscences meeting where Chris Hunt, Valerie Munson, Shirley Scarlet, Roy Norfolk and Rosemary Knox shared tales of a bygone era.



Nayland Choir have been celebrating their 20th anniversary season with a series of concerts: 'The Sacred in Song', 'Old, new, borrowed and blue'.



Celebrating another successful year, with their productions *Murdered to Death* and *The Miracle Worker*, the Village Players received nine nominations at his year's North Essex Theatre Guild awards.

Pictured left: Vhari Lane, Bryan Smith, Kate Edwards and Jenny Smith, inset Kate Edwards as Annie with Vhari Lane as Helen Keller in *The Miracle Worker*.



Nayland Flower Show 2014

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON COMMUNITY TIMES



CUP WINNERS

BERT HALLS MEMORIAL CUP - Trevor Smy

Highest points, Section 1 Vegetables (resident)

KENT BLAXILL CUP - Jo Reed

Highest points, Section 1 Vegetables (non-resident)

GEORGE GARDINER CUP - Trevor Smy

Best collection of vegetables

OLIVE WILLINGALE CUP - Rob Sherriff

Highest points in Section 3 Flowers

WILLIAMS & GRIFFIN ROSE BOWL - Elizabeth Thorne & Hazel Gardiner

Highest points in Section 5 Flower arranging

NORAH OWEN CUP - Rob Sherriff

Best Dahlia in show

JOHN OAKES CUP - Jo Reed

Highest points in Section 6 Cookery

PETER SINGLETON TROPHY - Jenny Smith

Best rose in show

HUSSEY CUP - Colin Ramsell

Best Scented Rose in show

ELLEN DAWE CUP - Rebecca Ennion

Best photograph in Section 10 Photography

JOHN DYBLE MEMORIAL CUP - Lorraine Brooks

Best Fuchsia in show

KERRIDGE CUP - Tom Gibbons

Biggest home-grown disaster in the show

RHS BANKSIAN MEDAL - Jo Reed

Highest points in horticultural classes

CREEMS CUP - Rob Sherriff

Highest number of points in the show

SPENCER FAMILY CUP - Gladwell Family

Highest points in the family section

GENT CUP - Chloe Hitchcock

Highest points in the children's 8 & under section

SAWYER CUP - Sarah Gladwell

Highest points in the children's 9-14 section



Show day on 2nd August saw a steady flow of visitors coming along to the 33rd annual Flower Show. It was good to see a number of new exhibitors, taking numbers over our previous record of 55. Many of them, very happy with their success and the good atmosphere of the day, say they look forward to returning next year. The number of entries, at 366, was much the same but the number of children entering was down.

The horticultural judges were impressed with the quality of exhibits. The weather never fails to throw up challenges; this year the high temperatures shortened the life of some flowers but was of benefit to some produce, such as tomatoes which ripened earlier.

Competition was very tight for the Creems Cup for the highest number of points in the show; Rob Sherriff from Leavenheath, with 56 points, was just one point ahead of Jo Reed on 55 points. For the third year running Trevor Smy won the Bert Halls Cup, for highest points in the vegetable classes by a resident.

Section 1 (Open) Vegetables – (1st, 2nd, 3rd)

Five potatoes, white	Rob Sherriff, Hazel Gardiner, Trevor Smy
Five potatoes, colour	Trevor Smy, Jackie Grant, Tom Gardiner
Five carrots	Jo Reed, Jackie Grant, Rob Sherriff
Five carrots, short	Mike Hunter, Jackie Grant, Robert Freeth
Three beetroot	Rob Sherriff, Trevor Smy, Tom Gardiner
Six runner beans	Trevor Smy, Jo Reed, Rob Sherriff
Six French beans	Jo Reed, Will Hitchcock, Trevor Smy
Five onions, seed	Mike Hunter, Jo Reed, Jackie Grant
Five onions, sets	Trevor Smy, Jo Reed, Tom Gibbons
Nine shallots	Rob Sherriff, Hazel Gardiner, Trevor Smy
Two cabbage lettuce	Tom Gibbons, - , Mike Hunter
Two cos lettuce	Tom Gardiner
Two marrows	Rob Sherriff, Mike Hunter, Jo Reed
Two cabbages	Mike Hunter, Trevor Smy
Three courgettes	Jo Reed, Will Hitchcock, Mike Hunter
Four tomatoes	Rob Sherriff, Robert Freeth
Six tomatoes, small	Jo Reed, Robert Freeth, Tom Gardiner
Cucumbers, ridge	Rob Sherriff, Trevor Smy, Mike Hunter
Cucumbers, frame	Jo Reed, -
Any other vegetable	Tom Gardiner, Will Hitchcock, -
Longest Runner	Bryan Smith, Jo Reed & Sheila Wildish (equal
Bean	2nd)
Vegetable collection	Trevor Smy, Tom Gardiner, Douglas Pike

Section 2 (Open) Fruit

Dish of soft fruit	Jo Reed, Elizabeth Thorne, Douglas Pike
Dish of stone fruit	Jo Reed, Tom Gibbons, -
Dish of four apples	Colin Ramsell, Robert Freeth, Rob Sherriff
Any other fruit	Douglas Pike, -
Fruit collection	Jo Reed, -

Flowers

Roses, 3 hybrid tea	Jenny Smith, -
Roses, 1 specimen	Jenny Smith, Sandra Gibbons, -
Roses, floribunda	Rob Sherriff, Jenny Smith, -
Single rose, for scent	Colin Ramsell, Rob Sherriff, Dorothy Bishop
Perennials	Rob Sherriff, Jackie Grant, Sandra Gibbons
Annuals, 3 varieties	Rob Sherriff, Vivien Turnbull, -
Annuals, 1 variety	Rob Sherriff, Elizabeth Thorne, -
Pot plant, non-flowering	Sheila Sessions, -
Pot plant, flowering	Hazel Gardiner, Vivien Turnbull, Sheila Sessions
Orchid, flowering	Jean Evans, Ann Channon, Jenny Smith
Fuchsia, bush	Lorraine Brooks, Jenny Smith, Antony Day
Sweet Peas	Rob Sherriff, Mike Hunter, Jackie Grant
Gladioli	Rob Sherriff, Hazel Gardiner, -
Asters	<i>no entries</i>
Cactus or succulent	Jean Evans, Sheila Sessions, John Jervois

Family & Children's Section

Family Section: Animal/person made from Vegetables/Fruit Gladwell Family

8 years & under

'I grew this myself':	<i>No entries</i>
Cardboard creation:	<i>No entries</i>
Jar named wild flowers:	<i>No entries</i>
Decorated Cresshead:	<i>No entries</i>
Garden on a Plate:	<i>No entries</i>
Decorated Fairy Cakes:	Chloe Hitchcock, -

The Hitchcock family's flowerpot man was the winner of the scarecrow competition. Sylvia Bond won the hanging basket competition, ahead of Colin Ramsell, second, and Mick Bond.

Mary George presented to the winners of the Parish Council's best kept allotments competition; Tom Gardiner, followed by Hazel Gardiner and Trevor Smy and for the half plot Jim Baird and Julie Wooding shared first place. There was a 'Pride of the Allotments' display and delightful array of produce grown by the allotmenters.

Our thanks go to Terry Bannister, who very kindly came along to present the trophies. We are grateful to all our judges and everyone who helped; Hazel Gardiner and Denise Drury for providing the teas, Margaret Dowding who was very busy on the raffle, Sheila Sessions, Laura and Sarah Gladwell for manning the produce stall, and of course all the entrants who take the time and effort to take part and those coming along to support the show.

We like to thank the following local businesses for generously donating prizes for the raffle: *Anchor Inn, Anglia Bulb Company, Assington Country Kitchen, Blue Owl, Country Roses, Little Barn Cakes, Lower Dairy Farm, Melissa's Hair Salon, The Place For Plants, The Wine Company, The Yew Tree.*

Dahlias

Cactus	Rob Sherriff, Jenny Smith, Elizabeth Thorne
Ball or pom-pom	Rob Sherriff, -
Decorative blooms	Rob Sherriff, -
Any varieties	Rob Sherriff, Stephanie Deering, Elizabeth Thorne
Collection of veg, fruit & flowers	Rob Sherriff, Jo Reed, Hazel Gardiner

Floral Arrangements

Small arrangement	Elizabeth Thorne, Vivien Turnbull, Tess Scott-Adams
Candlestick	Peggy Shreeve, -
Unusual container	Hazel Gardiner, Sandra Gibbons, Elizabeth Thorne
Herbs	Susan Gowen, Angela Colclough, Jeannette Finch
Dried flowers	Hazel Gardiner, -
Foliage	Jeannette Finch, Elizabeth Thorne, Tess Scott-Adams

Cookery

Marmalade	Sheila Wildish, Jo Reed, Hazel Gardiner
Jam	Susan Gowen, Hazel Gardiner, Mike Almond
Fruit jelly	Hazel Gardiner, Tess Scott-Adams, Jo Reed
Chutney	Jo Reed, Tess Scott-Adams, Hazel Gardiner
Boiled fruit cake	Wendy Sparrow, Jo Reed, Tom Gardiner
Cherry/almond cake	Fay Bradshaw, Jo Reed, Tom Gardiner
Chocolate Sponge	Jo Reed, Tess Scott-Adams, Hannah Reed
Biscuits	Tess Scott-Adams, Kathrine Maguire
Jam tarts	Jo Reed, Laura Gladwell, Tess Scott-Adams
Home-made sweets	Hazel Gardiner, Jo Reed, Tess Scott-Adams
Cheese scones	Hazel Gardiner, Jo Reed, Sandra Gibbons
White loaf	Tom Gardiner, Hannah Reed, Tess Scott-Adams
Naughty but nice	Fay Bradshaw, Tess Scott-Adams, Sarah Gladwell

Crafts

Hand-knitting	Paula Gormley, Daphne Berry, -
Stitchcraft	Angela Colclough, Vivien Turnbull, Sheila Sessions
Greeting card	Vivien Turnbull, Daphne Berry, -
Drawing / painting	James Scarlett, Vivien Turnbull, Colin Ramsell

Photography

'A Bridge'	Tom Gardiner, Anne Spencer, Lorraine Brooks
'Transport'	Rebecca Ennion, Lorraine Brooks, Hannah Reed

Fruit Liqueur

Trevor Smy, Margaret Smy, Jackie Grant

Disasters

Tom Gibbons, Sarah Gladwell, Jackie Grant

9 – 14 years

'I grew this myself':	Sarah Gladwell, Laura Gladwell, -
Cardboard creation:	Evie Hughes, -
Jar named wild flowers:	Sarah Gladwell, Laura Gladwell, -
Decorated Cresshead:	Laura Gladwell, Sarah Gladwell, -
Garden on a Plate:	Evie Hughes, Rosie Maguire, -
Photo:	Sarah Gladwell, Rosie Maguire, James Maguire



NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON CONSERVATION SOCIETY

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Chairman: Mr J Alexander 262676

The Timber Framed Buildings of Nayland is the subject of Leigh Alston's talk at our Open Meeting on 13th October. Leigh is one of our most popular speakers and this promises to be a fascinating evening.

Our 40th Anniversary Reminiscences were professionally recorded and there are a few spare copies of the DVD for sale at £5 each from the Hon. Secretary. We hope it will also shortly be available to view on our website.

There has been a spectacular display of flowers this year, on the eastern section of the wildflower belt beside the Nayland Meadow. Almost all of them have now seeded and the belt has been cut. With a bit of luck in this good weather, some plants may re-grow and give us another show of wildflowers.

The new permissive path to Stoke is becoming a well-used route and we are attempting to keep the path clear without too much disturbance to the rich natural habitat which has been created following the reduction of the hedge.

The speaker at our Joint Meeting with Nayland Hortsoc on November 10th will be Matt Holden, River Stour Officer, Dedham Vale AONB & Stour Valley Project.

We are considering reverting to Tuesdays for our open meetings from 2015 but this depends on the Village Hall and pre-booked speakers being available. Further information on our website.

We have an interesting line up of speakers for 2015, including a talk on Sir Alfred Munnings and the Nayland connection.

And finally, the Nayland Follow-Up Test Pit Dig of 16 sites takes place on 20-21 September, so the results will not be available until the December issue of the Community Times.

However, news of the Dig will be regularly included on the Society's website.

Grateful thanks are due to all those who volunteered to help both from the village and the wider area without whose commitment the whole event would not have been possible.



THE VILLAGE LUNCH

Jo Murrison 262369

The next lunch is planned for Wednesday 29th October when Dr Patrick Thompson will give a talk on '**Catering The Royal Way**'. The lunch will be held in the Village Hall, 11.45 am for 12 noon, with lunch at 1pm.

Tickets: £10 available from 1st October to 25th October at Nayland Post Office (afternoons only) unless previously sold. Tickets are limited.

Thank you for your continuing support.



THE FRIENDS OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH, NAYLAND

Registered Charity Number 1052641

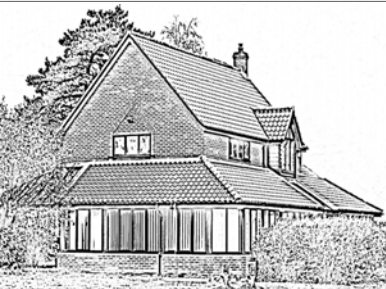
Chairman: Alan Edwards 262800

Over 50 people attended the open air finger buffet before the talk in St. James' by Roy Tricker. He gave a fascinating and precise account of the politicking, arguments and lengthy discussions to do with the founding of our Diocese in 1914. Presented in his highly amusing and relaxed style, he was an absolute master of his subject, so much so that, as he said himself "No one has gone to sleep yet"!!

David Heigham thanked him on behalf of the Friends, and unusually, he thanked us and, in particular, the "Girls" who had prepared the Buffet, for asking him. An enjoyable time was had by all. We hope to stage another Talk next year.

The Marenzio Singers are coming to entertain us again in St. James' on Saturday 11th October. There will be tea and cake as well... see page 12. Tickets available from the Post Office.

Finally, a date for your diary. The Annual Candlelit Carol Service of Carols and Lessons on Sunday 21st December at 6.30pm in St James' Church. Following the candlelit service enjoy a glass of wine and a mince pie before the journey home.



NAYLAND SURGERY NEWS

www.northhillsurgery.co.uk

Rachel Beales, Practice Manager 578070

We would like to welcome Dr Maria Lubeiro to Nayland Surgery. Dr Lubeiro is a qualified GP who is returning to healthcare after a career break. Dr Lubeiro will be at Nayland Surgery for the next 12 months.

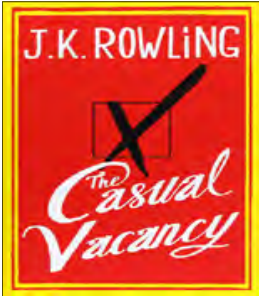
We would also like to welcome Ellena Hicks who is our new apprentice in the Dispensary. She will be undergoing on site training with our Dispensary Team in order to become a fully qualified Dispenser of medication.

Flu Clinics:

This years flu vaccination clinics will be held at West Bergholt on the 27th September, Nayland on the 4th October and North Hill on the 11th October. Those patients eligible for a vaccine will receive an invite in the post over the next few weeks.

This year we will also be vaccinating all children aged 2, 3 and 4 years old along with all under 18's with a chronic disease. These vaccination clinics will be held Monday – Friday and again, eligible patients will be written to.

A reminder from the dispensary team to allow 48 hours notice for all prescription requests.



BOOK CLUB

Stephanie Deering 264126 slouisethorne@aol.com

During August we have been reading a book with the most interesting title of *The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society* by Mary Ann Shaffer and Annie Barrows. It was enjoyed by most of the group and was a fitting story for us to read in the centenary of the first war world.

We are now reading *The Casual Vacancy* by JK Rowling and will be meeting in October.



OVER 60s CLUB

Secretary: Barbara Smith 501492

President: Eva Rolfe 263151

Our outing to Barn Plants was not very well attended. Those who went enjoyed their meal.

Our meeting on 11th September which Eva took on her own as Barbara and I were away also had a very disappointing attendance. We hope for better attendance at the next meeting.

We continue to meet at the Community Centre at Parkers Way. More members would be very welcome. We meet on the second Thursday of the month at 2.30pm; the next meeting will be 9th October.

Diana Whiting



NAYLAND FIRE STATION

Watch Commander Tony Gardner, Suffolk Fire and Rescue Service, Fire Station, Bear Street, Nayland

The Fire Service raised £140.00 with their Car Wash on September the 13th in Aid of the Fire Fighters Charity. I would like to Thank Everyone who Came to the Car Wash and The Crew at Nayland Fire Station who helped on the Day.



THE FRIENDS OF WISTON CHURCH

Registered Charity No 1158565

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Chairman: Bill Starling 262397 billstarling@hotmail.com

I am delighted to announce that the Charity Commission has recognized the **Friends of Wiston Church** which has been entered onto the Register of Charities with the Registered Charity Number 1158565.

The new, independent body has been created to continue and expand fundraising efforts previously championed by the 'Friends of St Mary's Wiston', a sub-committee of St Mary's Parochial Church Council with no formal standing.

The **Friends of Wiston Church** will be run by a board of Trustees who warmly invite you to help celebrate the launch of the new charity at a **concert at St Mary's on 14th November**. We are privileged to have the gifted guitarist Zane Maertens and superb vocalist Gavin Skeggs giving a performance of jazz standards with a few surprises thrown in for good measure. Posters will be put up around the village over the next few weeks giving more details of the event.

We shall be contacting all members of the 'old Friends' inviting them to continue their valued support and will welcome anyone who appreciates the importance of preserving this beautiful and historic building for the enjoyment and wonder of future generations. There will be much more information on the new charity in the next issues of the Community Times.



NAYLAND CHOIR

www.naylandchoir.org

Secretary Cathy Allen
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Chair: Ian McKay 01206 242223
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Nayland Choir focus on the Baroque

Nayland Choir have begun rehearsals for what will be the final concert of their twentieth anniversary season. The choir has so far this year tackled music from the sixteenth century right up to 2012, but this autumn sees a focus on Handel, Bach and Vivaldi: the 'Brilliant Baroque'!

Although musical director Jeremy Hughes is keeping a few surprises up his sleeve, the programme as so far announced includes Handel's Dixit Dominus plus the Hallelujah Chorus from *Messiah*, and the *Chorus* from Bach's *St John Passion*. The concert will conclude with Vivaldi's Gloria – the first music performed by Nayland Choir back in 1994.

Choir chairman Ian McKay said, 'It's exciting to round off our anniversary year with such an excellent programme. We're sure it will be an occasion to remember – as well as bringing back some happy memories too!'

The concert takes place at 7.00pm on Saturday 29 November in St James' Church, Nayland. Tickets are priced at adults £10/U16s free. More information is available at naylandchoir.org



VILLAGE PLAYERS

www.villageplayers.co.uk

Chair: Gale Scott 01206 262061

Membership: Emma Wallis 01206 271366

On Friday 12th September members of the Village Players attended the NETG Awards night in Clacton. We were armed with nine nominations: Costume for *Murdered to Death*, Set for *Murdered to Death* and *The Miracle Worker*, Best Young Actor - Samuel Pentney in *Murdered to Death* and *The Miracle Worker*, Best Young Actress - Kate Edwards and Vahri Lane in *The Miracle Worker*, Adjudicator's award - John McCarroll and Lucinda Bartlett in *Murdered to Death*, Best Production - *The Miracle Worker* directed by Bryan Smith.

In the event we returned home with two trophies. Kate Edwards received joint best young actress for her role as Annie in *The Miracle Worker* - a well deserved accolade for her excellent performance. We also received joint best costume award for *Murdered to Death*, so very well done to the costume team. Many congratulations to all the nominees because it is a very competitive arena.

The VP Barbeque was good fun with delicious meats cooked by Bryan and Nick. Even the weather was kind after a few spots in the morning - a good time had by all.

Rehearsals for **Jack and the Beanstalk** have started and are going well. The performances will be 5th/6th/12th/13th December with matinees on the Saturdays as well as evenings - see page 11 for details.

Photo: Kate Edwards with her award at the North Essex Theatre Guild award ceremony



NAYLAND AND DISTRICT WOMENS INSTITUTE

Secretary: Lorna Rumsey 01787 211975

President: Jeannette Finch 262993

Our August Garden Party held in the lovely garden of our President Jeannette Finch was a great success everybody enjoyed the delicious food supplied by our members and despite the mixed weather it was very enjoyable.

Our September meeting was a talk by Andy Moore on the history of Colchester Zoo. Andy was born at Bristol Zoo where his Father was Head Keeper so it was inevitable that he should follow in his Fathers footsteps. It was a most interesting talk, he told us Colchester had always been a private zoo and now was the largest private zoo in the UK.

Our October meeting on Monday 20th will be a talk by Jane Walker on *African Safaris* and on 17th November David Smyth will talk about *Coppella*. Guests are always welcome so do please come along to the Village Hall at 7.30pm.



Woodland Corner

HIGH QUALITY CHILDCARE ON YOUR DOORSTEP

In the grounds of Nayland Primary School, Bear Street, Nayland, Colchester, CO6 4HY

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Playgroup Leader: Sue Clarke 263054

<http://woodlandcornernayland.blogspot.com>

Registered Charity
No. 1035330

PLAYGROUP

Nayland Playgroup is delighted to welcome so many new families to Woodland Corner this term. As well as the important job of settling in our new children, we will be following the rhythm of the seasons and learning about and celebrating Harvest, for the first half of this Autumn Term. We are very fortunate to be surrounded by the beautiful local countryside and farming community and we will be inviting the Woodland Corner families to join us for our own harvest celebration of singing and storytelling.

We are also looking for a volunteer to help at our Friday morning Playgroup session. Although we maintain a high staff ratio, our volunteers are very important to us as they support and enhance our playgroup sessions. If you enjoy being with children and think this is for you please do get in touch. No specific experience is necessary although you will obviously need to complete a DBS form. Other than that we just require your enthusiasm!

BREAKFAST AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

With the departure of lots of our older children to secondary school we now have availability at both Breakfast and After School Club. We offer a range of flexible and affordable sessions to suit your and your child's needs. And don't forget we take ad hoc bookings too when we have space available.

HOLIDAY CLUB

Children attending our summer Holiday Club enjoyed lots of fun activities including visits to the seaside and Highwoods Country Park as well as a very WET AND MESSY day and craft activities.

THANK YOU

Our trikes, tractors and push chairs have a lovely new home! So important to keep them safe and make sure they remain in good condition for lots of children to enjoy. Many thanks to our local Councillor, James Finch, who secured funding for our new storage from the Suffolk County Council Locality Budget.

Woodland Corner offers daily Playgroup sessions for children from age two as well as Breakfast and After School and Holiday Clubs for school age children in its own purpose built building in the grounds of Nayland Primary School.



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION Women's Section

Secretary: Kath Hunt 262014

This year the annual coffee morning for the Poppy Appeal will be held on **Saturday 25th October** from 10am to 12 noon in the Church Hall.



NAYLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL HOME SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

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Vice chairman: Drina May 01206 262464 E: drinamay41@gmail.com

WHAT IS THE HSA?

All new parents to Nayland School are welcome to join the School H.S.A. For those parents that are not sure who we are and what we do.... we are a small group of parents that get together every 6 weeks or so and plan events for all the children at Nayland Primary School. Things like film nights and the Christmas and Summer Fayre. All profits made from these events then help towards various projects in school to benefit all the children.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

The Christmas Fayre will be held on the 12th December. Further details in next article - in the meantime put the date in your diaries.



NAYLAND MOTHER & TODDLER GROUP

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Nayland Mother and Toddler Group meet every Friday in term time at Nayland Village Hall from 9:45 till 11:45. Its a friendly group with lots of toys for your little ones to enjoy. Tea and coffee is available to mums, dads and carers and juice and biscuits for the children. Its a great place for new mums to meet people and make friends! First visit to us is free! Then its £2.50 per mother and child(ren).



MESSY CHURCH

Churches of Nayland, Wiston, Leavenheath, Polstead, Stoke by Nayland
For children and parents: Activities, crafts, worship followed by afternoon tea.

For young families, we hold Messy Church every two months, rotating around the churches, for children and their parents and/or grandparents. The children can do crafts and other activities along with their parents. The adults can get as much pleasure out of making things like Noah's ark, shields, bishops hats, beautifully decorated boxes and many other ideas.

Next Messy Church is on 30th November at Leavenheath Village Hall from 4pm until 6pm. All children, parents and grandparents are very welcome to join us.



Suffolk County Council



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At its meeting on 9th June 2014 the governing body of Nayland School made the very difficult decision to consult on a proposal to close our school nursery class, Ducklings.

The proposal document gave details behind the reasons for this consultation, an address and e-mail was provided for comments and questions and a public meeting was held at the school on 9th July 2014.

All comments, questions and suggestions received by letter, e-mail and at the public meeting were carefully considered by the governors at an extraordinary full governing body meeting held on 21st July 2014. The governors sincerely appreciated the depth of positive feeling for the Nursery (Duckling) Class by the school community. Consideration of local pre-school needs and provision and long term sustainability of the Nursery Class, as well as the governing body's accountability for the effectiveness of the school as a whole, brought them to the difficult decision to move ahead with the closure of the school Nursery Class from September 2014.

The governors understand that this will be very disappointing for some families in the school community and they have urged, along with the Early Years Advisory Service, those affected to consider the range of pre-school provision on offer both nearby in Suffolk and across the border into Essex.

We thank everyone for their thoughtful questions and comments and their support in this matter.

Raegan Delaney (Head teacher), Teresa Moriarty (Chair of Governors)



BOWLS CLUB

Secretary: Eva Rolfe 263151

Our first match in August was Sproughton away, one of the teams very close to us at the top of the division. In the first half one team won and one team lost on the last end. In the second half one team lost again on the last end, but the other lost so heavily, meaning we only scored two points. This put Sproughton one point in front of us. We then played Bramford at home, a match we won 7 points to 3.

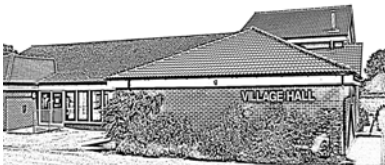
A week later it was Burstal at home, this match was a lot closer and in the end it was 5 points each. We now had one match to play, the same as Sproughton and they were still one point in front of us.

The last match was Hadleigh at home. The first two teams both managed to win, which meant the pressure was on the second teams who also needed to win. One team took an early lead and carried it through to a win. The second team had a very close game and were 9-10 down going into the last end, with just a wood to go the Nayland team held one shot, enough for a draw the Nayland team skip bowled an absolutely perfect wood, finishing beside the jack giving him a win, enough for 10 points. The next day we got a text message to say Sproughton dropped two points in their match so we had beaten them by one point, which meant we won our division and had to go to the play-off two weeks later.

Last year we also qualified for the play-off and finished second, sadly a few shots short of Brockley, the winners. Our first two games were against Old Newton, and Knodishal. The team playing Old Newton took early control and carried that through to a 15 shots to 7 win. The Knodishal game was much tighter and Nayland was one shot down with one end to play. They played well, holding their nerve, scored two shots and our second win. At this halfway point Nayland were the only club to have won both their games. In the second half one team played Barking and the second played Belstead. Both teams got off to a good start, the team playing Barking never wavered and won 11-6. The team playing Belstead had a slight wobble in the middle but carried their lead to a 14-8 win.

The Nayland team suddenly realised they had won all four of their games giving them 8 points, meaning they were the Summer League Champions! Congratulations to you all and thank you for your commitment. Now we have to look forward to the Winter League, and a new competition for us, the Joe Rice Cup.

Sylvia Bond



VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Registered Charity No 304 928

Chairman: Iain Wright 263646

Secretary: Christine Thompson 262825



SEPTEMBER COMMITTEE MEETING

MATTERS ARISING AND HOUSEKEEPING BOOK

- There were no new comments in the housekeeping book.
- A cubicle is needed for the referees' shower. Details of a quotation will be circulated. The lock on the referee's room will be changed.
- The VHMC notices have been replaced with laminated ones; those in the kitchen will be replaced.
- The monthly fire check was carried out.
- The whereabouts of all the keys were added to the manual.
- A quote is awaited for new curtain tracks and the rehang of the existing curtains.

TREASURER'S REPORT

- COIF Endowment £11450, COIF £10837, Debtors £850, Bank £10824, Cash £81, Assets £5957
- The senior footballers have paid their bookings, the under 11 team have not yet paid.
- The Youth Club will be asked for payment within 14 days of outstanding hire charges.
- Arrangements for paying for cutting the grass will be checked with the Parish Clerk.
- The Parish Council contractors would be asked for a price to add clearing of the nettles around the perimeter of the field when they next cut the grass. Areas where this was needed and where wildlife habitats should be left would be established.

BOOKINGS

- The comments book has disappeared - a replacement will be organised
- Advertising copy for promoting the Hall in the LSPN news will be produced.

- Printed thank you cards will be printed for regular hall users
- A different password for deleting bookings is needed.
- From November, The Farmers Market will be taken over by the team who run the Sudbury and Lavenham markets.
- There are two new classes starting: Pilates on Thursdays 1-2pm and Yoga from 14th October at 10-11.30am.

LICENSING

- One license was signed.

CINEMA

- Dates for 2014 are: 24th October *The Book Thief* and 28th November *Boyhood*

MAINTENANCE

- The firm of Edward Hyde will be asked to repair the flooring where it is lifting.
- Quotes will be obtained for replacing the barge boards.
- It was agreed to buy a small electrical pump to remove surface water.
- The quarterly inspection was carried out on 30th August. It was agreed to look into the possibility of replacing paper towels with airblade hand dryers. The cost for 2 would be £800
- Maintenance work will be carried out on Saturday 18th October including: cleaning the fridge-freezer, cleaning the shower heads, steam-cleaning the changing rooms. The Health and Safety Check will be also be carried out.
- The next VHMC garden party will be on Saturday 18th October at 9am
- The environmental report on the Hall's energy use will be discussed at the next meeting

NEXT MEETING: Monday 6th October at 7.45 pm.

1914 REMEMBERED

Nayland villagers turned out in force on August 4 for 1914 Remembered, an event marking the centenary of the start of World War 1.

The commemoration started with a short service at the war memorial led by the Rev Adrian Mason at which the names of servicemen from Nayland, Wiston, Leavenheath, Stoke by Nayland and Polstead who lost their lives were read out.

Bugler Bill Slark sounded Last Post and Reveille and the exhortation was spoken by Ken Willingale.

The congregation then moved to St James's Church for a programme of readings and music. Parish council chairman and local historian Mary George gave a detailed description of how the war affected Nayland and the surrounding area.

In 1914 she said gas lamps were taken down and locked away. By the time war was declared the school was closed and when it re-opened in September half a million young people had enlisted including 43 from Nayland and Wiston. In October Zeppelins were heard overhead and explosions in Colchester and Sudbury shook the windows of village houses.

Several thousand soldiers had marched through the village and 200 were billeted locally before being sent to France. By November 1918 197 former Nayland school pupils had served in the war with 46 fatalities.

Members of Nayland Choir presented musical items and John McCarroll joined fellow Village Players to read a selection of letters and poetry. Chris Hunt gave a talk on the five local war memorials.

A highlight of the event was the re-dedication of a memorial plaque to Alfred Edward Norfolk, who died aged 26 in hospital at Versailles after being wounded at the second battle for Ypres in 1915. The plaque was found in the grounds of the former chapel in Stoke Road.

The church also featured a display of photographs and narrative illustrating the impact of the Great War on Nayland and Wiston and the families of the men who died.

Finally an hour-long candlelit vigil was held at the war memorial for a shared moment of reflection. Poems were read by Roy Chapman, Malcolm Lukey, James Carver, Alex Murrison, Gerald Knox, David Heigham, Andrew Gowen, Chris Hunt and Ken Willingale.

Photographs of the commemoration are featured on page 21

Transforming Nayland Playground: the final chapter

We are delighted to announce that the Transforming Nayland Playground project has now received confirmation of Big Lottery funding which means that we now have the £25,000 needed to update Nayland playground with the fabulous new equipment described in the last issue of the Community Times. A lot of hard work has gone into reaching this stage but it now feels that it has all been worthwhile!

Huge thanks to the Big Lottery Fund, Babergh District Council, Nayland with Wissington Parish Council and The Community Council who provided funding as well as those who made individual donations and enabled us to raise this marvellous sum of money. And huge thanks too, to all those who contributed to the consultation.

With winter fast approaching we do not want to delay getting the equipment in and ready for play so please bear with us when the installers move in in about two to three weeks. The playground will obviously be out of action for a little while (no more than two or three weeks) this is unavoidable. But the end result will be well worth it!

See below for what the playground will look like once the equipment has been installed. The equipment and layout have been approved by the Parish Council and take account of the extensive feedback received as part of this community project. Thank you again and we look forward to seeing the community using our new and improved playground soon.

For further information or enquiries about the project, please contact the Parish Council by emailing pc@naylandwithwissington.suffolk.gov.uk.



Garden Notes

by The Old Muckspreader



Cosmos Sulphureus



Cosmos Bipinnatus



Cosmos Atrosanguineus

The OM/S has never been a great enthusiast for long-winded lectures (he has vivid memories of a slide lecture on Hemeracallis Day Lilies - a pretty boring plant at the best of times - which lasted nearly two hours) so his heart sank when on a recent HortSoc visit to Peter Beales Roses the sales director announced he would give us a talk lasting about ¾ hour. His fears, however, were ill-founded for here was an experienced rose-grower and master of his subject which he put over during a tour of the nursery with clarity and he dealt with a number of questions as well.

We subsequently visited Bressingham. One had heard views expressed that it was not what it had once been; sadly the nursery had closed, and empty greenhouses and sheds are evidence, but the gardens are as good as ever and the island beds, an idea really invented by the late Alan Bloom, were flourishing.

At a time of the year when most perennials have finished flowering and present a rather sorry sight with scruffy foliage and dead flowers or seed capsules many of the half-hardy annuals, especially those that were sown or planted a bit late are still going strong and with luck should continue until the first frosts.

Here we have two kinds of Cosmos; the tall white C. Bipinnatus which is covered in bloom with more to come, and C. Sulphureus, which the OM/S bought as a tray of seedlings at the HortSoc Spring Market. Its foliage resembles that of Tagetes (without its smell) and the flowers are a brilliant orange/red. He didn't believe the label but curiosity prevailed and he was subsequently obliged to apologise to the grower! While on the subject there is also an interesting perennial species C. Atrosanguineus, the so-called Chocolate Cosmos, sometimes offered for sale as Bidens Atropurpureus. This is not really hardy and should be treated like a Dahlia, or overwintered in a greenhouse. The flowers are a really dark purple and in warm weather do give off a distinct aroma of chocolate.

Despite being generally and excellent year for all kinds of fruit our Horse Chestnut trees have not produced their usual large crop of conkers, perhaps due to attack by the larvae of the tiny Leaf-Mining Moth which discolours the leaves, or the depredations of grey squirrels. However, the OM/S has collected enough to restock the bags in his clothes cupboard, our bathrooms (no spiders in our baths) and most importantly the greenhouse; we have as a result never had a problem with whitefly.

This is a good tie of year for repairing damaged lawns. If the bare parts are not too large the best method is to find weeds of the same type of grass (there's no shortage of raw material at M/S Hall), plant in the spaces and keep watered if the weather is still dry. Gardening books usually suggest re-seeding the bare patches but this usually produces different coloured patches. Try our method - it really does work.

WORDSEARCH: Perennials

ANAGRAMS: Migrating/Visiting Birds

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Solutions on page 42

THE NAYLAND PEST HOUSE

Millions of people worldwide have been victims of the two highly contagious diseases of Smallpox and Typhoid which originated many centuries ago. During the eighteenth century epidemics swept through England but thanks to the pioneering work of people such as Edward Jenner (1749-1823), an English physician who invented vaccination, smallpox was eventually eradicated by the 1970s. Typhoid also declined but has never been completely eradicated.

In response to the eighteenth century epidemics, isolation hospitals were set up and here in Nayland we had our own "Pest House" built in an isolated location to the north of the village off Gravel Hill. Dr Slade, Nayland's historian in the 1920s and 30s, wrote that the Pest House was built by the Nayland Feoffees [charity trustees] for £64 16s 6½d in 1756. In one of the Feoffee books he also found a minute for 28 July 1757: "Order to pull down a messe near the Church gates and out of the material to erect ... a lean-to for a Bakehouse at the south end of the Pest House and an oven with a little house adjoining the said building".

Some years ago Rosemary Knox looked at the Nayland Feoffees' account books from 1553 to 1782 in the Suffolk Record Office. She found that from 1772 there was a steady flow of entries about the Pest House, for example, in July 1773, 2s 0d was paid for 6 bushels of lime to the Pest House; in July 1775 Beer for the Pest House was 11s 1d, and on the 19th July, Bread for Margaret Hart was 1s 0d. A bill dated 12 July 1775 from J Smith contained a long list of various amounts of cheese, butter, soap, salt and stockings, totalling 7s 8½d, and another one for 11th July from Mr Holton [the Nayland butcher] for neck of mutton, beef, breast of lamb and loyn (sic) of lamb, totalling 10s 11d.

From Rosemary's study of the Wiston Overseers' books in the eighteenth century it appears that Wiston, then a separate parish, had its own house for sufferers of smallpox, although, according to entries she found in the accounts, Doctors Leah and Fairclough, who were employed to inoculate and care for them, came from Nayland. Inoculation made people infectious for six weeks so that they had to be isolated for that time but when vaccination was invented isolation was not required.

It seems, however, that the Nayland Pest House did take in people from neighbouring parishes. Gerry Smith of Stoke-by-Nayland has kindly given me a copy of a list of payments made by the "Parishioners of Stoke to the Parishioners of Nayland for Ann Simpson during the time she had the Small Pox" [and was living in the Nayland Pest House]. The list runs from 11th September to 19th October 1768. The first entry reads: To Wine – 8d, To Faggots of Wood and tobacco – 11d and To Beer - 1s 5¾d. It appears Ann was well provided for by her fellow parishioners in her illness as Beer was listed for every day, wine and milk most days, and occasionally gin, eggs, bread and wood!

The same list showed the Nurse's pay for 3 weeks' visits was 19s 0d and 7s 6d was paid for 10 bushels of coals on October 15th. The "Attendance Man" was paid amounts varying from 2s 11d to 5s 7d for his weekly visits. There was a payment of 3s 9d for going with a horse and cart to the Pest House 5 times and the "Man in the Pest House" was paid 10s 9d. Mr Holton's bill [the butcher] was 10s 2½d and £1 0s 0d was paid for bringing Ann's family from Nayland to Stoke.

Writing in the 1930s, Dr Slade said that "The Pest House was still in use in 1874 and today stands a ruin in a field to the west of the lane at the top of Gravel Hill. (With the sale of Town Land Farm this house was sold and has since been restored)." However, I wonder if the 1874 date is accurate as the Pest House is listed in the 1851 Census as being occupied



by 2 families. The fathers were described as Agricultural workers and the children included two daughters aged 10 and 12 described as silk winders, no doubt working at the silk throwsting mill in Fen Street. In the 1881 Census one of the families was still there but in the 1901 Census the Pest House was unoccupied.

The 1838 Tithe Map of Nayland confirms the Pest House was owned by the Nayland Feoffees and at that time was occupied by "Hooker and others" who were probably sufferers of smallpox but the later Census returns seem to indicate that the Feoffees had rented the cottage out to poor families.

Probably around the time Dr Slade said the Pest House was a ruin, the following statement in a local newspaper of unknown date appeared: "Those wishing to see this, one of the very few remaining relics of public health, as practised in the reign of George II, should visit the old Pest House at Nayland before it collapses, as it is now in a very dilapidated state of repair. It was used as an isolation hospital, chiefly for small pox until the comparatively recent date of 1872. It is frequently mentioned in the parish records"

Who renovated the Pest House is not known but one owner of the cottage was Harry Edward Sawdy who lived there before moving to a cottage at the bottom of Gravel Hill. He was the son of the Rev Edward Sawdy, Minister of the United Reformed Church in the 1920s, who lived at the Manse in Bear Street. Another resident was Bertha Harrison who lived there in the 1940s. She was from an old Nayland family and her father was a bargeman during the time of the navigation of the Stour.

The old Pest House was originally just a small cottage and though much changed and enlarged in recent years it still stands alone in its remote location. It will always be an important part of Nayland's history and further study of the Nayland Feoffee books in the Suffolk Record Office may reveal more.

With many thanks to Rosemary Knox and Gerry Smith for their contributions.

Wendy Sparrow, Parish Recorder

THE MYSTERY OF THE AMERICAN AIRMAN

Is there anyone in the village who can remember anything about the American Airman who was buried in the garden of Stourbank (now Bear House) during the time that Mrs Walsh lived there? A few people remember seeing a gravestone in the garden but so far no one has come up with any dates or names so it seems impossible to find out more. If you were living in Nayland during the Second World War and have any information which could help us solve this mystery please contact either Shirley Scarlett (262072) or Wendy Sparrow (262820).

KENNY'S OCTOBER NEWS FROM SESAW

Now it is time to prepare the garden for winter, remember to check the bonfire for hedgehogs before you light it. They will be looking for a good place to sleep and they are becoming very scarce so please keep these creatures safe.

It's lovely when another animal leaves us for a new home but sad that some are left "on the shelf". Feline pals, Ace (black) and Bella (tabby), are a friendly, loving pair that have been overlooked for seven months. I really hope someone comes for them soon and for Tabby and white mother and daughter, Sally and Socks who have waited even longer.

Thanks to those who attend our sales and donate cat and dog food in our various collection bins in shops and offices. Still to come is our big sale at The Old School, Long Melford on 12th October (call 01206 263269 to book a table) and our Christmas Fair at Leavenheath Village Hall on 23rd November.

Contact: Stoke Rd., Leavenheath, CO6 4PP, 01787 210888

ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Catholic Church in Nayland closed about 3 years ago and is now a private house, Nayland and Wiston are still part of the Hadleigh Parish. This is now amalgamated with Sudbury.

Details are:

Roman Catholic Church

Catholic Church of Our Lady and St John,

20 The Croft, Sudbury CO10 1HW

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Nayland & District Horticultural Society Spring Flower Show

on Saturday 21st March 2015 in the Church Hall

- Classes:**
1. Pot of spring bulbs, corms or tubers (other than Daffodil/Narcissus)
 2. Pot of 5 Daffodil/Narcissus bulbs any colour or variety
 3. Flower arrangement: Daffodils/Narcissus (min 12 of 1 variety, no foliage) - moss, pebbles, etc, but not leaves, may be used to camouflage the oasis
 4. Pot miniature Daffodil/Narcissus bulbs
 5. Pot of Polyanthus or Primula (Primroses)
 6. Flowering Houseplant
 7. 3 blooms (any one variety) floating in a dish of water
 8. Flower arranging: 'Spring Fever' (max size 12" overall)
 9. Vase with 3 stems of hyacinths
 10. Vase of mixed flowers and/or flowering shrubs
 11. Vase of one kind of flowering shrub or tree
 12. Vase of 3 Tulips (any variety/varieties)
 13. Vase with 1 bloom Camellia
 14. Vase of 6 assorted Daffodil/Narcissus
 15. Vase of 6 Miniature Daffodil/Narcissus
 16. 3 specimen Daffodil/Narcissus blooms (any one variety)
 17. Rhubarb: 3 stalks, leaves trimmed, but if forced foliage should remain

This is an advance notice to enable you to plant up your entries!
More information will be available in later issues of the Community Times, or
www.naylandhortsoc.org.uk or Lorraine 262807 lorraine.nayland@btinternet.com

Feedback from James Finch - Your Stour Valley County Councillor

SUFFOLK SEES RISE IN GCSE RESULTS

More of Suffolk's 16 year-olds achieved expected levels of GCSE attainment this year. Provisional results collated from four out of five secondary schools suggest a 1% rise in the number of students getting five or more A*-C grades, including English and maths. It means 56 per cent of Suffolk's year 11s got the expected level of attainment. In 2013, it was 55 per cent. Some schools have made significant gains on last year. For example, at Hadleigh High School, 69% of students achieved five or more A*-C grades (including English and maths), up 25 per cent on last year. At St Benedict's Catholic School, 71% achieved five or more A*-C grades (including English and maths), up 18% on last year. Meanwhile, at Westbourne Academy, 52% achieved five or more A*-C grades (including English and maths). This is up from 31 per cent last year.

CASHLESS PAYMENTS - THE ENDEAVOUR CARD

Young people aged 16-19 can now use cashless payments with their Endeavour Card when they pay for a single or return fare on Ipswich Buses.

To get started cardholders are asked to register their card first on the Endeavour Card website. Please have your 18 digit card number and postcode available. After they have registered they can start to top-up their card in a similar way to the Oyster Card used in London. The Endeavour Card, launched in 2013, is for any person aged 16-19. It is valid for any single or return adult journey, 7 days a week, on participating bus operators. Cardholders receive a minimum discount of 25% off full price adult bus fares only. Young people can apply up to 1 month before your 16th birthday and no less than 1 month before your 20th birthday. There is no fee.

PUPILS BENEFIT FROM INSPIRATIONAL LOCAL EMPLOYERS

In the past year over 450 employers have volunteered their time to reach 5,400 pupils in Suffolk schools, raising the aspiration and skill levels of our future workforce. The 'Work Inspiration

Employer Brokerage Service' is a pilot project in which SCC has worked in partnership with primary and secondary schools and local businesses, to bridge the gap between education and employment, helping young people understand and develop the skills employers need and broaden their horizons. Owing to its success, the service will now be rolled out to other areas.

MISSING THE GREEN DEAL? SUFFOLK ENERGY ACTION IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS

The Home Improvement Fund may be closed to new applications but if you are a Suffolk resident you can still get up to £6000 of funding for home improvements.

The government's Green Deal Home Improvement Fund, which offered grants to make homes more energy-efficient, closed last month after the £120m allocated for it ran out in six weeks due to a surge of applications. But, Suffolk residents can still get funding for home improvements thanks to a successful bid to the government of £5.7million for the Suffolk Energy Action scheme. This scheme will provide funding and advice for the installation of energy efficiency improvements to help Suffolk homeowners and private-renting tenants save money. A local roadshow to help raise awareness about the scheme is taking place on 16th October on Sudbury Market 08.30 - 1600. For more information about funding go to www.suffolkenergyaction.org e-mail: info@suffolkenergyaction.org or call 0800 840 90 90.

Suffolk Energy Action is part of our ambition to create the Greenest County and support the growth of a green economy in Suffolk. Insulating your home could save you hundreds of pounds each year in reduced energy bills, and as summer is nearly over, now is the time to start planning.

James Finch - Suffolk County Councillor - Stour Valley Division

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CHURCH SERVICES: OCTOBER & NOVEMBER 2014

Nayland, Wiston, Leavenheath, Stoke by Nayland & Polstead

Date	Time	Venue	Service	Priest / Leader	Time	Venue	Service	Priest / Leader
28 th September <i>Trinity 15</i>	8.00am	Nayland	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason	9.30am	Nayland	MP	D Pryor/K Hunt
	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Revd John Fowler	11.00am	Polstead	Harvest	Revd Adrian Mason
	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 1	Revd Jackie Sephton	5.30pm	Wiston	Harvest	Revd Adrian Mason
5 th October <i>Trinity 16</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Polstead	MW	Revd Jackie Sephton
	9.30am	Nayland	HC 1	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Wiston	FS	Revd Adrian Mason
	10.00am	Leavenheath	First Sunday	Revd Val Armstrong	6.30pm	Stoke	Evensong	Jan Addis
12 th October <i>Trinity 17</i>	9.30am	Leavenheath	MP	David Rowe	11.00am	Stoke	MP	David Rowe
	9.30am	Nayland	HC 1	Revd Adrian Mason	6.30pm	Nayland	Evensong	David Pryor
	11.00am	Polstead	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason				
19 th October <i>Trinity 18</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Revd Val Armstrong	11.00am	Polstead	FS	Revd Adrian Mason
	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Stoke	HC 1	Revd Val Armstrong
	9.30am	Nayland	HC 1	Revd Val Armstrong	11.00am	Wiston	HC 1tr	Revd Adrian Mason
					6.30pm	Leavenheath	EP	Jim Sephton
<i>Clocks fall back (British Summer Time ends)</i>								
26 th October <i>Bible Sunday</i>	8.00am	Nayland	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Polstead	HC 1	Revd Adrian Mason
	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 1	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Stoke	HC 2 by ext	David Rowe
	9.30am	Nayland	MP	David Pryor	5.30pm	Wiston	Evensong	D Pryor/K Hunt
2 nd November <i>All Saints/ All Souls</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Polstead	MW	Revd Jackie Sephton
	9.30am	Nayland	HC 1	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Wiston	FS	Revd Adrian Mason
	10.00am	Leavenheath	First Sunday	Revd Val Armstrong	4.00pm	Stoke	Annual Memorial	Revd Adrian Mason
9 th November <i>Remembrance</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason	10.45am	Polstead	Remembrance	Revd Adrian Mason
	9.30am	Leavenheath	Remembrance	Revd Val Armstrong	10.50am	Nayland	Remembrance	Revd Val Armstrong
	10.00am	Wiston	Remembrance	David Pryor				
16 th November <i>2 before Advent</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Revd Val Armstrong	11.00am	Stoke	HC 1	Revd Val Armstrong
	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 2	Revd Val Armstrong	11.00am	Wiston	HC 1tr	Revd Adrian Mason
	9.30am	Nayland	HC1+baptism	Revd Adrian Mason	4.00pm	Nayland	Deanery Conf	Bp
	11.00am	Polstead	FS	Jim Sephton	6.30pm	Leavenheath	EP	Revd Adrian Mason
23 rd November <i>Christ the King</i>	8.00am	Nayland	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Polstead	HC 1	Jim Sephton
	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 1	Revd Adrian Mason	11.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Revd Adrian Mason
	9.30am	Nayland	MP	David Pryor	5.30pm	Wiston	Evensong	D Pryor/K Hunt
30 th November <i>Advent 1</i>	8.00am	Leavenheath	HC2	Revd Adrian Mason	10.30am	Polstead VH	Advent SOP/Carols	Presentation

Key: FS : Family Service, FC : Family Communion, HC 1 / 2 : Holy Communion 1 or 2 , PC : Parish Communion, MP : Morning Prayer, MW : Morning Worship, EP : Evening Prayer, EPraise : Evening Praise, B : Baptism, *Worship leaders are subject to change.*

Other Dates for your Diary

Sunday 28 September Harvest Festival - St Mary's Wiston at 5.30pm

Friday 10 October Harvest Supper Nayland Village Hall at 7pm for 7.30pm

Sunday 12 October Harvest Festival - St James' Nayland at 9.30am

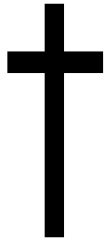
Saturday 25 October Churchyard Gardening Party at St James' Church 9am onwards [see page 18]

Sunday 2nd November **Service for All Souls** : The special service this year is in **St Mary's Church Stoke by Nayland** at 4pm
During the service we mention the names of all those who have died in our parishes during the last year or so, together with any others you would like included. For this purpose there will be lists in all churches. Please enter clearly the names of your loved ones and we will include them, whether or not you are able to attend the service. After the service there will be the opportunity for a cup of tea and a chat. Please let someone know if you will need a lift, and tell others about this service.

Saturday 15th November Men's Prayer Breakfast Hare and Hounds Speaker from East Anglian Children's Hospice

Wednesday 17 December Carols Around The Christmas Tree with the Boxted Silver Band at 7.30pm [see page 18]

Sunday 21 December Candlelit Carol Service in St James at 6.30pm [see page 18]



Dear All,

What a wonderful summer we have had. As we move into autumn, the weather is still sunny and mild, though the nights are drawing in. For many farmers and growers, this year has seen bumper crops over the longer season and there is still much to be harvested. From time immemorial, autumn has been a time of harvest thanksgiving; a celebration of the earth's bounty and the hard work of those who produce the food for our table.

Traditionally, as people gave thanks for all their blessings, they remembered those in their community who were less fortunate, the poor, the sick, and the elderly. Baskets of fruit and veg, tins and packets of food were brought to the church and distributed to the needy in the village or neighbourhood. In more recent times, the harvest gifts have been given to local hospices and to the food banks. All our churches provide year round support for our local food bank and on behalf of the recipients, we thank all those who pop into church and fill up the collecting boxes, week in and week out.

Sometimes, we look further afield and remember those in need in faraway places. This year we have seen the terrible suffering caused by the conflicts in Syria, Iraq and Gaza and parts of Africa. In June this year, the UN refugee agency reported that the number of refugees, asylum-seekers and internally displaced people worldwide has, for the first time in the post-World War II era, exceeded 50 million people. Their Global Trends report, shows 51.2 million people were forcibly displaced at the end of 2013, 6 million more than the 45.2 million reported in 2012. War remains the major cause for the displacement, adding that 55 per cent of all refugees listed in the report come from just five war-affected countries: Afghanistan, Somalia, Iraq, Syria and Sudan.

The disasters emergency committee have been overwhelmed by the scale of the refugee crises and desperately need more funds. So in Leavenheath, following the Harvest Thanksgiving service in the village hall, on 5th October, there will be a Soup Aid lunch with all donations going to the DEC. All are welcome and it would be helpful, if you intend to support this lifesaving work, if you could let me know in advance.

Looking further ahead in this season of mists and mellow fruitfulness, we hold a service of Thanksgiving and Remembrance every year, on the first Sunday in November. Invitations are sent out to those who we know have been bereaved in the last three years but the service is open to all who would like to remember a loved one and acknowledge the sense of loss that remains.

For our churches are there for everyone, wherever you are on your spiritual journey. For the happy times and the sad times, for those have faith and those who have more questions than answers. The Christian faith is not a destination but a pilgrimage of discovery, in fact the first Christians were called the followers of the Way. Come and see, said Jesus, to those who became his first followers and that invitation still stands. Come and see.

Every Blessing, Val Armstrong

Church News

ST MARY'S WISTON FAMILY SERVICE

Commencing in October, St Mary's Wiston will be holding a Family Service on the first Sunday in the month with refreshments served afterwards. Requests for this type of service have been received from non-regular churchgoers and we look forward to welcoming them and many others thus making it a successful and popular event once a month.

ST JAMES GIFT DAY

This year we are holding our gift day on October 11 from 10.00 am to noon. For various reasons this did not happen when it usually happens near to St James' day in July. We are associating it this year with our Harvest Festival and collecting for Water Aid. We hope you will visit the collecting table on October 11 and give generously for this charity who do great work ensuring good drinking water gets to those who otherwise have none.

DEANERY CONFIRMATION

Please come and support those who are being confirmed in St James, Nayland at 4pm on Sunday 16th November.

100TH ANNIVERSARY OF WW1

Remembrance Services are being held in the benefice on Sunday 9th November - see diary for times of services.

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ADVENT CEREMONIES

Our cathedral in Bury St Edmunds hosts a very moving ceremony every year on Advent Sunday as part of the church's preparation for Christmas.

This year it will be on November 30 at 6.30 pm. If you are interested in going please let Adrian know and we will try to arrange sharing of transport.

Weekday Services

Monday

Morning Prayer	9.00 am	Nayland
Evening Prayer	5.00 pm	Nayland

Tuesday

Morning Prayer	8.30 am	Leavenheath
Evening Prayer	5.00 pm	Nayland

Wednesday

Morning Prayer	9.00 am	Polstead
Evening Prayer	5.00 pm	Wiston

Thursday

Morning Prayer	9.00 am	Stoke
Evening Prayer	5.00 pm	Nayland

Weekday Services and Groups

Bible Study	18 Laburnum Way (Rita Dibble 262580): Mondays 7.30pm 29th September, 6th & 20th October, 3rd & 17th November
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Parkers Way	Prayer & Praise Service: Wednesdays 3pm 1st October, 5th November, 3rd December (1 st Wednesday of month)
Nayland House	Holy Communion: Every Wednesday 10.45am
Messy Church	Sunday 30th November at Leavenheath Village Hall 4pm until 6pm



Welcome to this month's Police news item.

HELP DISRUPT FRAUDSTERS BY REPORTING SCAM EMAILS, LETTERS OR TEXT MESSAGES THAT YOU RECEIVE

People receiving scam emails and other communications are urged to report them to Action Fraud. The reports received by Action Fraud will be forwarded to the National Fraud Intelligence Bureau run by the City of London Police for collation and analysis. This will enable crucial intelligence to be gathered and preventative action to be taken. The activity will seek to disrupt the fraudsters and close down the links between them and the victim.

What should you do if you've received a scam email?

- Do not click on any links in the scam email.
- Do not reply to the email or contact the senders in any way.
- If you have clicked on a link in the email, do not supply any information on the website that may open.
- Do not open any attachments that arrive with the email.

Why should you be reporting phishing or malicious software?

A key element to tackling cyber-crime is information - please take 5 minutes to fill in the Action Fraud reporting tool with your online fraud experience.

What are we looking for?

- **Phishing** - any email/call/message which has been received claiming to be an official body and asking for personal details, has promised rewards, prizes or shares of fortunes for small fees.
- **Malware** - this is unwanted software which has adversely affected your computer, phone or computer device. It may have been downloaded when you were visiting a website or via an email link.

The reporting tool is only if you have experienced phishing or malware approaches but have NOT lost any money or exposed your personal details. If you think you may have compromised the safety of your bank details and/or have lost money due to fraudulent misuse of your cards, you should immediately contact your bank. If you have lost money report a crime at www.actionfraud.police.uk if you've been a victim of fraud, report it to Action Fraud.

Fake emails often (but not always) display some of the following characteristics:

- the sender's email address doesn't tally with the trusted organisation's website address
- the email is sent from a completely different address or a free web mail address
- the email does not use your proper name, but uses a non-specific greeting like "dear customer"
- a sense of urgency; for example the threat that unless you act immediately your account may be closed
- a prominent website link. These can be forged or seem very similar to the proper address, but even a single character's difference means a different website

- a request for personal information such as user name, password or bank details
- the email contains spelling and grammatical errors
- you weren't expecting to get an email from the company that appears to have sent it
- the entire text of the email is contained within an image rather than the usual text format
- the image contains an embedded hyperlink to a bogus site

Over the phone, fraudsters will often:

- Claim that they're from your bank, and ask you to go through security with them.
- Offer you a product or service from a company you've never heard of, but which seems to be a great deal.
- Offer you something from a company or organisation you have heard of.
- Misrepresent what's being offered (for example, offering too good to be true mobile phone contracts or insurance).
- Make it very hard to say no, or suggest that agreeing to what they're saying is the only option you have.

Through the post, fraudsters will often:

- Offer get rich quick schemes, fake lotteries and prize draws along with bogus health cures, investment scams and pyramid selling schemes.
- It's important to note there is a difference between scam mail and legitimate mail sent by companies to advertise lawful services or the sale of genuine goods. Scam mail is sent for the sole intention of obtaining money through deception and/or fraud.
- Remember – if it sounds too good to be true it is almost 100% guaranteed to be an attempt to swindle you out of your money.

If you think you or a family member is receiving scam mail, you can report it to the Royal Mail. Click here for more information

STAY S.A.F.E.

Suspect anything or anyone you don't know – no matter what or who they claim to be.

Ask questions. Whatever a fraudster tries, you have the power to stay in control.

Find out for certain who you're dealing with. Challenge anything that seems suspect.

End situations that make you feel uncomfortable. If you feel threatened, contact the police.

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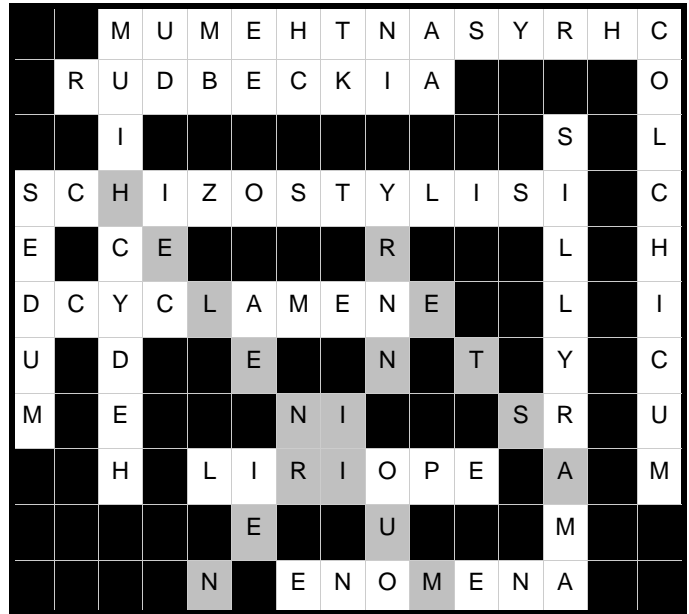
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Monday to Saturday	Sch	NS	Sch						SHol	Sch	
Norman Way Schools	1545
Colchester Stanwell St	0735	0755	0755	0850	1020	1150	1320	1510	1510	1610
St Helena School	1520
Colchester General Hospital	0748	0808	0903	1033	1203	1333	1523	1533	1623
Nayland, Doctors Surgery	0801	0819	0916	1046	1216	1346	1536	1546	1636
Thomas Gainsborough School	0840	0840
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28th	St Mary's Wiston: Harvest Festival 5.30pm <i>page 36</i>
28th	Country Music Club: 'Spinning Wheel' 7.30pm Village Hall <i>page 13</i>
October	
2nd	Fundraising Committee: 'Just Us Girls' Fashion Show Extravaganza 11am Village Hall <i>page 19</i>
3rd	Community Council: Fun Village Quiz 7.30pm sharp Village Hall <i>page 6 & 7</i>
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