



NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON COMMUNITY TIMES

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Nayland Street Fayre 2016



The planning is now well under way for the Village Street Fayre on Sunday 17th July 2016 11-4pm. The Committee has now had two very constructive meetings with some exciting ideas developing. The theme for the Street Fayre is the 1960's celebrating the decade in which the Community Council was founded. As well as the traditional street fayre stalls, the High Street will be alive with activities throughout the afternoon including sets by an excellent 1960s band, Village players, punch and Judy, Nayland Primary School choir, mosaic building, fancy dress parade, bouncy castle and much more still to be confirmed. The registration form for all village societies to be involved in this commemorative event are on page 8 of this issue. Please return by 31st October 2015 so the stalls can be discussed and collated at the next Street Fayre Committee meeting on Monday 30th November 2015.

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SPECIAL INTEREST

- The Village Quiz
- Bonfire & Fireworks
- Village Players' *'Woman in White'*
- Choir: Quiz & Concert
- Poppy Appeal Coffee Morning
- Nayland Cinema *'A Royal Night Out'* & *'Woman in Gold'*
- Village Lunch
- 'Why Study Wiston?'* Talk
- 'Gardeners' Delight'* Talk
- 'Police Wildlife Crime'* Talk
- Christmas Family Fayre
- Marenzio Singers Concert

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BUS TIMETABLES

At the time of going to print timetables for the 84 bus service which was revised in September are not available on buses. Details of services coming through Nayland are included on page 42 times or can be downloaded from www.chamberscoaches.co.uk.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE RAFFLE

This year's first prize at the raffle will be £50 so don't miss the opportunity to have a flutter..... tickets will be on sale in advance of the Fayre at Farmers Market on 10th October and 14th November. Nayland with Wissington calendars will also be on sale so do pop along to see us in the Village Hall Foyer.

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. **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.

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON COMMUNITY COUNCIL DONATIONS FOR RAFFLES

Donations of prizes for the Community Council's raffles - at the Village Quiz on 2nd October or the Christmas Family Fayre on Sunday 6th 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.

THIS ISSUE

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NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Summer Meeting: 12th August 2015

(Minutes available on PC notice board in High Street or www.naylandandwiston.net after the next meeting)

COUNCILLORS

Martyn Booth was welcomed to the meeting and he confirmed his willingness to be formally co-opted onto the Parish Council.

PLANNING

Councillors had no objections to an application at Clover Cottage 4 Bear Street for listed building consent for repairs/improvements to a garage subject to the timber used in the construction being oak and this should be a condition of

consent and that the Heritage Planning Officer is convinced that the Heritage Asset is not compromised and this must be done through imposed conditions.

ALLOTMENTS

Mary George reported the Best Kept Allotment prizes were presented at the Flower Show and suggested that the same judges are booked for next year. There has been a request from the Conservation Society that a technical archaeological survey is carried out on the Allotment Field.

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Number 4 Wiston Road has been empty for some time and two other council houses and one privately-owned property are on the same site. Built in the 1930s, it is of single brick construction and requires about £30,000 of renovation work. As it appears that Babergh are reluctant to spend on 4 Bures road, Councillors were concerned to know if council tenants in adjacent properties were living in substandard conditions. Councillors queried whether a housing association might be involved in the necessary upgrade of 4 Bures road if finance is an issue.

District councillor Melanie Barrett said that Babergh officers considered the property 'remote' with a lack of interest from people on the Housing Register and this is why it was put up for sale. Councillors challenged the 'remote' label as it is one mile from Nayland (as indeed the estate agents point out in

their description). Councillor Barrett confirmed that Babergh has a policy of disposing of remote properties.

It was not clear when 4 Bures Road was last available for bidding through the Housing Register. Had they been aware of the situation, councillors agreed that though interested persons might not have been on the Housing Register, the Parish Council could have alerted local families into action.

Mary George expressed the outrage of all councillors saying that it was very difficult to believe that of the thirty people who showed an interest in the houses built on Wiston Road six years ago, not one was interested in this particular property. Within a period of only 12 hours, councillor Martyn Booth had found three families who were interested in renting the house. They had contacted Babergh only to be told that the property was 'now scheduled for disposal'.

All councillors were confident that once the community is aware of the situation, there will be great local interest as council accommodation is scarce in the parish.

The Parish Council resolved to write immediately to Babergh's Head of Housing and Chief Executive to express their opposition to selling 4 Bures Road, to ask for the sale to be halted.

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Do You Know Someone Eligible For The Walsh Trust Christmas Bonus?

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So please let us know if you are going to be eighty or know someone who will be by Christmas. Contact Mr Battye, Mrs Rolfe, Mrs Mig Knight, Miss Kath Hunt or me, Mrs Knox. My number is 262224. If you already have the bonus and are still living in Nayland you will of course continue to get it and don't need to inform us. But because our income is so small once we have paid out for the year we simply do not have any money left to give late-comers so PLEASE let us know by the 1ST OF DECEMBER.

Rosemary Knox

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

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PUBLIC FORUM

Andora Carver reported that a geophysical survey of the Allotment field might be run as part of a practical course run by Colchester Archaeological Trust. It is believed that evidence of an older settlement may lie under the Allotment field and in Bell Meadow too.

DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

District Cllr Melanie Barrett reported that Cllr Jennie Jenkins is chairing Babergh, Ipswich and other councils' discussions on the Government's proposals for English devolution.

Babergh's senior officers coordinated emergency services' response to the recent major fire in Sudbury. Sudbury Town Councillors were impressed by their work and had felt that 'no one was left to themselves'.

FOOTPATH WARDEN

Sally Bartram said that repairs to Merles Bridge would start on 14 September when both sets of steps would be replaced. There is a missing disc on Footpath 4 which leads past the scout hut. Leavenheath Parish Council has produced a leaflet about their local walks perhaps a similar leaflet could be published for this parish.

COUNCILLORS

Cathleen Cannings was welcomed to the meeting as a new Parish Councillor. Russell Badrick has also joined the PC.

FINANCE REPORT

External auditors recommended changes to how the Council's Risk Management policy is recorded.

LANDSCAPING AND MAINTENANCE

The PC is seeking quotations for: 1) the landscaping and maintenance of Caley Green, 2) the refurbishment of all public seats in Nayland, 3) the old part of the Playground area.

The boundary of the recreation field, vegetation beside the river and on the verge turning onto the A134 all need cutting. The PC approved a new insurance policy through Hiscox.

PLANNING

Reviewing recent planning applications Mary George said no decision has been reached on the appeal at **Little Firmins** to lift the Agricultural Condition attached to the property.

Discussing new applications councillors had no objections to an application at **Highlands, Champion's Hill** for a first floor extension, two storey extension on south side of building, new porch, and erection of garage/garden store building or at **Gladwin's Farm** for a part two-storey, part single-storey, side/rear extensions.

They had no objections to an application to replace undersized roof members at **Dresden Cottage**, Nayland.

Councillors supported the Heritage Officer's objections to proposed plans at **Bridge House**, Nayland. The main concerns were regarding the installation of roof-lights and the conversion in the existing garage into additional living space.

The Parish Council was extremely dismayed to hear that Babergh District Council is selling a Council property at 4 Bures Road. *Report on page 2*

RECREATION AND OPEN SPACES

A request from a resident to convert a willow stump on Caley Green into a seat was not approved as Suffolk County Council's conditions included the PC indemnifying Suffolk CC against any claims made by members of the public.

ADVERTISING BANNERS

The Parish Council will set up a working party to regulate the permission, siting and size of banners. At present, some organisations erect banners without asking permission. Councillors noted that there are rules to follow when installing adverts beside highways. The Village Hall website will carry a note advising hirers that they need permission to install a banner on Caley Green.

HIGHWAYS

Of the five illegible wooden street signs reported to Babergh in February, one (in Mill Street) has been replaced. Two pot holes in Mill Street have been filled. Two new leaks erupted following a repaired water main on Champion's Hill; it is hoped that warning will be given of the necessary road closure when the mains pipe is repaired again.

STREET LIGHTING

Evidence of contracts and easements concerning a street-light attached to a dwelling have been requested for insurance purposes. This streetlight has been lighting villagers' way since before 1874 when gas lighting was introduced. Most of the new lighting planned for this year has been installed with Church Street, Fen Street, Newlands Lane and Church Lane scheduled next.

ALLOTMENTS

It was agreed that the geophysical survey can go ahead at the end of October. The PC will develop a four-year management plan for the allotment field on which the Dedham Vale and Stour Valley Project will be consulted.

VILLAGE HALL

Councillor Ian Harris is dealing with the field gate repairs.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Mary reported that the First Response team gave a demonstration of a defibrillator. The PC was positive towards the idea of having a publicly available defibrillator sited in the village. These are usable by a novice (audible guidance is provided by the defibrillator) and could save lives.



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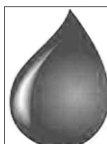
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COMMUNITY COUNCIL REPORT

Meeting: 2nd September 2015

Chairman: Neil Barbrook

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Neil Barbrook welcomed members to the meeting.

Executive Committee: Members voted unanimously in favour when Rachel Hitchcock agreed to join the Executive Committee.

Neil Barbrook said we should encourage any potential new members to come along and also encourage representatives of village groups to support CC meetings.

Fundraising Activities: Julie Clark and Rachel Hitchcock volunteered to sell advance raffle tickets for the Quiz at the September Farmers' Market from 9.30am-1pm. Volunteers are needed for markets on 10th October and 14th November.

Ideas for fundraising are always welcome.

CC History & Website: Lorraine Brooks said further information relating to the history of the CC would be welcome especially as the 50th anniversary is fast approaching; this could be any details, memorabilia or photos which could be copied or photographed.

Please get in the habit of taking photos of CC events, etc for inclusion on www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk

CC Asset List: Claire Buller confirmed the School will store the Father Christmas costume; we should let them know when it is required for the Christmas Fayre.

Correspondence: The Women's Institute has invited members to their coffee morning to celebrate the Centenary of the National WI on 18th September.

RECENT ACTIVITIES:

Picnic in the Park: Neil thanked Iain Wright and Mandy Cook for organising the event and all those who helped make it an enjoyable day. Iain said the invoice for the Village Hall hire hadn't come in yet but the event was likely result in a small profit.

GRANTS & DONATIONS:

Village Stiles: Neil Barbrook said there is no news currently on the possibility of replacing another stile, located after the footbridge turning right towards Gravel Hill.

Amy Napper Charity Trip: The grant of £250 supporting the cost of Amy's trip to Malawi with other midwifery students from Southampton University has been paid. Rachel Hitchcock said Amy gave a talk about her trip to school children before she left and Neil said Amy would attend a CC meeting to let us know how the trip went.

Village Hall Kitchen Refurbishment: Information had been circulated prior to the meeting and Iain Wright answered queries at the start of the meeting. It was noted that considerable expenditure would be required next year for repairs to the village hall roof and the CC would be approached for a grant again. For the kitchen refurb the cost to upgrade the electrical supply (£3,708), alter the kitchen layout and purchase a new cooker and hot cupboard would total £7,116.43.

After some discussion members highlighted concerns and would not support the application as it stood. If the VHMCC submits a revised scheme taking on board some of our comments the CC would consider awarding a £3,500 grant at its next meeting.

The concerns were: that further grants, particularly Community Action Suffolk and the Lottery, have not been investigated; that consultation with other users of the kitchen (the CC executive, Fete, Open Gardens, Flower Show, Harvest Supper, etc) had not taken place; that the proposed plan includes loss of worktop. Feedback has identified considerable concern over the loss of worktop space. Replacing the existing cooker instead of having an additional cooker was the majority opinion. It was suggested a hot cupboard on wheels should be considered and could provide more options for use.

Voting Policy: Iain Wright was not present for this item. Following discussions regarding clarifying the voting policy it was agreed that: in order to vote on proposals/grants Executive members should be present at meetings or submit their votes in writing or by email to the Chairman prior to the meeting; those with a vested interest are excluded from voting and from being present during discussions.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Income to date includes: Community Times £2493.80, Calendar £301.30. Expenditure includes: Community Times £603, Calendar £547, Fireworks £1020.72, Grants £1853.92. Monies received at the meeting totalled £262.50 (£87.50 CT, £175 Calendar). We hold £794.67 for First Response, £270 for the Services Fund and a grant of £500 for the Conservation Society Book. Therefore unencumbered assets are £18,019.03.

COMMUNITY TIMES: Lorraine Brooks said a volunteer to write reports on alternate Parish Council meetings is still required; the meetings are on the second Wednesday of the month.

Photos of village activities are nice to include so please email them through after your society events, including CC activities, etc as Lorraine is no longer able to attend many events to take photographs.

VILLAGE CALENDAR: Lorraine Brooks said calendars are on sale in local shops; the Post Office, Blue Owl Hatten's Village Stores and Forget Me Not. Suggestions to help boost sales are welcome and if anyone is able to assist by selling calendars at events please let Lorraine know.

Neil reminded everyone to take photos for next year's calendar competition.

FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Fun Village Quiz - Friday 2nd October: Rachel Hitchcock said preparations are in hand and posters are out. Iain Wright previously volunteered to step in to help if required. Claire Buller and Vicki Sargent will organise the raffle - first prize will be £50.

Quiz applications forms are available at Forget Me Not, at www.communitycouncil.org.uk or from Rachel.

Bonfire & Fireworks - Thursday 5th November: Neil said the fireworks have been ordered. Neil will email round with the list of tasks and volunteers. Those at the meeting said they would be able to help again. Anyone else who could volunteer to help with manning the gates, clearing up the next morning, etc should contact Neil.

Christmas Fayre - 6th December: ideas and preparations will be discussed next meeting. Jayne Kennedy has confirmed that the School Choir and Ukuleles will perform again. Rachel will check whether soup will be available. It was agreed the 2016 Fayre will be held on Saturday 3rd December as the village hall was already booked by someone else on Sunday 4th.

Street Fayre - Sunday 17th July 2016, 11am-4pm: Claire Buller is leading an enthusiastic sub-committee, including Julie Clark, Jenny & Gary Napper, Mandy Cook and Gail Scott. Their next meeting is Monday 30th November, 7.30pm at 107 Bear Street.

The theme will be the 1960s. The Village Players, Nayland Choir and Nayland School choir are all going to contribute to the day. Punch and Judy, a 60s band and some side stalls are booked. They will be applying for any grants available from Community Action Suffolk. Street closure is being applied for; this will entail someone attending a traffic management session but no fee will be charged as the event is a community activity. Enquiries are being made regarding parking on Court Knoll.

A letter will be sent to all the village organisations asking them to commit to holding a stall/activity. They will not be required to pay for their pitches/tables.

The next Street Fayre meeting will be on Monday 30th November, 7.30pm at 107 Bear Street.

SOCIETY REPORTS

Art Group: Colin Ramsell said they had just begun their autumn term.

Conservation Society: John Partridge said Rosemary Knox will be talking about 'Aspects and personalities of Wiston' at their meeting on 13th October. They have complained to Essex CC about the time it is taking them to undertake repairs to Merle's footbridge.

Parish Council: Mary George said the footpath warden has made some progress regarding the footbridge with Essex CC who estimate work is likely to commence on 14th September. They are creating a 4-year management plan for the allotment field but there are dog fouling problems on the field which contaminates the hay. Pot holes and incidents of SatNav directing HGV along inappropriate routes can be more efficiently reported online. There remains one vacancy on the PC; Martyn Booth, Russell Badrick and Kathleen Cannings have joined the PC.

Village Players: Bryan Smith said rehearsals begin this week for their production 'The Woman in White' by Constance Cox'. Performances will be on 19th-21st November.

Women's Institute: Lorna Rumsey said the Nayland branch are holding a celebration Coffee Morning on 18th September to mark the centenary of the National WI. All are welcome from 10am-12 noon. Penny Allen, a Nayland branch member, has created a banner which will be included in a celebration parade in Bury St Edmunds.

HortSoc: Lorraine Brooks said they've had a busy year. The summer garden party at Parkers went very well as did the Flower Show. Entries were very good and the show was well supported for which they are grateful. But their efforts to encourage more children and families to enter weren't as successful.

The pace is more leisurely for a while with an outing to Hatfield House in Hertfordshire on 8th September. For autumn they retreat inside; on 20th October Michael Warren will talk on 'Gardeners Delight: vegetable gardens, mine and others' and on 9th November, at the joint meeting with the Conservation Society, Barry Kaufmann-Wright will talk on his 'Role of a Police Wildlife Crime Officer'.

Royal British Legion: Alex Murrison said they enjoyed their outing to Bletchley Park which had been an establishment of importance during WW2 for its enemy communication interception and code breaking. A visit is planned to some local Solar Farms for explanations on the pros and cons of this form of energy production followed by lunch. This is open to all, contact Andrew Gowen on 262534 if interested. Their next branch meeting is

on 14th September at the Anchor Inn.

Alex also advised the meeting that the funeral of Betty Townsend would be held on 9th September in St James. Betty had lived in Fen Street and had been one of the flower arrangers in the church and a member of the RBL.

Village Hall: Iain Wright said they continue with general hall maintenance. Recent films at their cinema evenings have been well received. Any recommendations of films to be included should be passed onto Christine Thompson.

Table Tennis Group: Neil Barbrook said they are continuing to play each week and are still hoping to arrange friendly matches with other local clubs.

Woodland Corner & Playgroup: Rachel Hitchcock said there have been some changes and new faces; Ruth Richardson has stepped into her shoes as chair and there is a new committee. Sue Clark has retired after 22 years with the Playgroup and Cheryl Leeks has joined the team.

Tricia Hall said their popular Cake Stall would be held on 19th September outside Kerridge's from 8.30am.

Fire Service: Karen Elliott said the date of the Firefighters Charity Car Wash would now be 19th September.

AOB:

Village Hall Gardening Morning: The next gardening morning will be Saturday 7th November from 9am.

VHMC Defibrillator & First Response: Carl Carrington, Training Officer for the East of England Ambulance Service, and Karen Elliott, First Response Coordinator for Nayland, gave a very interesting account of what joining the local FR volunteer team involves, the training needed, how the call-out system works, how the equipment works and advice on the proposal of having a community defibrillator in Nayland. Members felt the possibility of siting a defibrillator at the Fire Station, which is central village location with easy access should be pursued as a joint project between the CC, the Parish Council and the First Responders.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: will be Wednesday 28th October in the Church Hall at 8pm with Exec at 7.30pm.



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As this is celebrating 50 years of the Nayland Community Council the Street Fayre Committee would appreciate every village society getting involved in this event by organising a village society stall. The theme will be the 1960's to commemorate the decade of the founding of the Nayland Community Council. There will be no fee for your stall and any proceeds you make will go to your organisation.

Activities will be similar to Nayland's previous street fayres and consist of: Street entertainment, Punch and Judy shows, Nayland Choir, School Choir recitals, Playlets from the village players, Craft Stalls, Food Stalls, Plant Stalls, Village Society Stalls, Children's games etc, 60's Fancy Dress competition. **More details can be obtained from Claire Buller, 107 Bear Street, Nayland CO6 4LR. Tel: 01206 263344 Email: clairejbuller@gmail.com**

Please discuss your societies involvement in this celebratory event at your next committee meeting and return the attached registration form to me at the above address or via email by 31st October 2015. Committee ideas include: Food stalls (hot dog, local produce), 1960 board game stall, 1960 memorabilia etc

Any suggestions for the fayre would be most welcome by the Street Fayre Committee. Please contact us as above.

REGISTRATION FORM

Village Society:

Contact Name:

Email:

Telephone:

Type of Stall:

Number of Tables:

Number of Chairs:

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Type of Stall

Cash/Cheque £.....

Signed

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Wednesday 21st October

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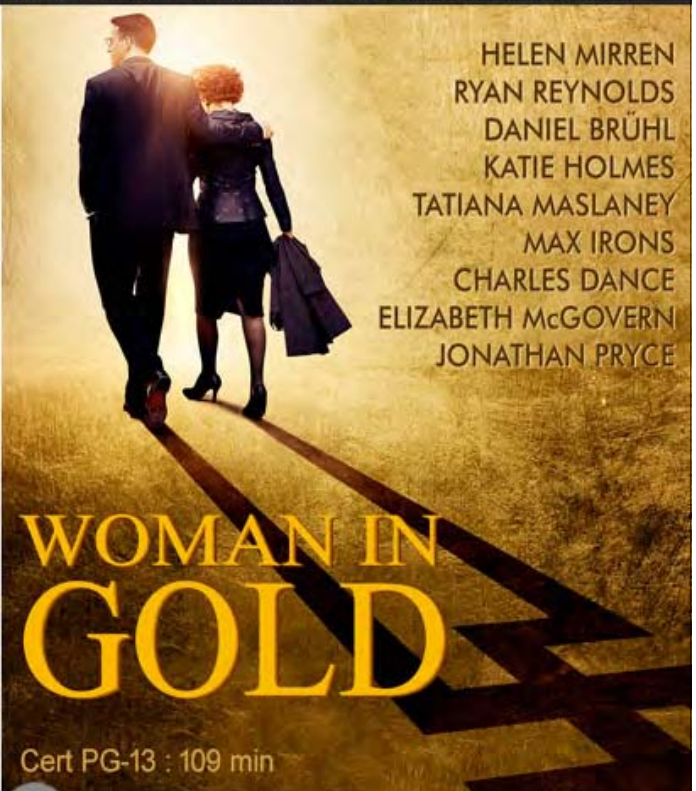
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WOMAN IN GOLD

Cert PG-13 : 109 min

Friday 27th November

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Nayland & District Horticultural Society

'The Role of a Police Wildlife Crime Officer'

A talk by

Barry Kaufmann-Wright

which relates to his period with Essex Police in this role. The presentation will illustrate numerous cases and problems regularly encountered and includes current legislation and its associated issues.

Monday 9th November

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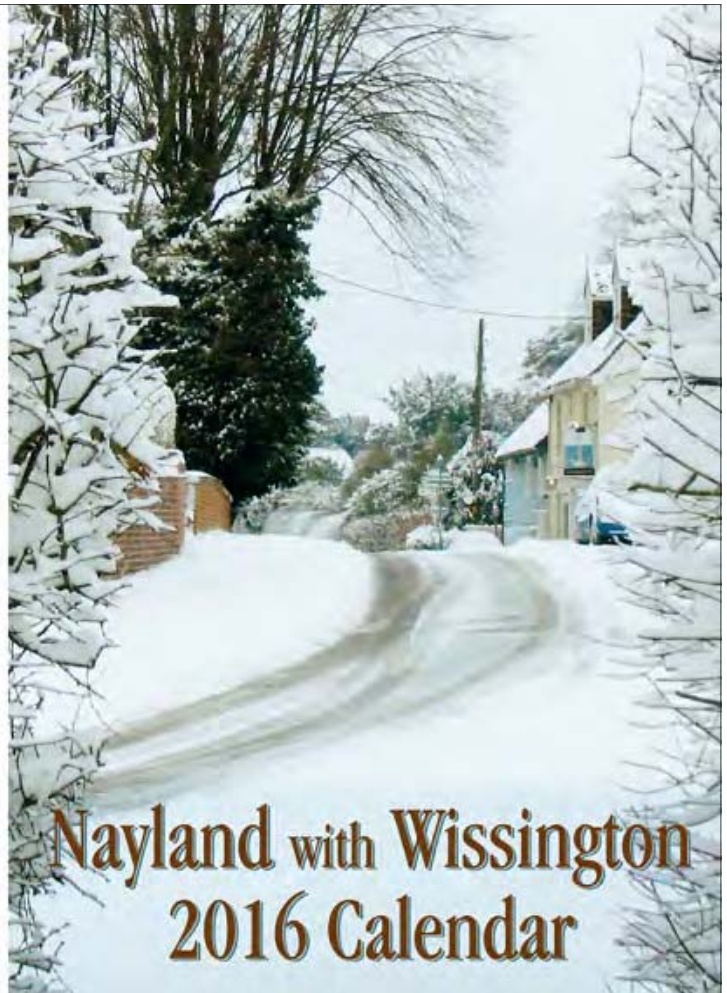
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HOLLYHOCK HIGHS

The displays of Hollyhocks scattered around Nayland during the height of summer have once again been delightful.

Last issue Neil and Jane Barbrook laid down a fun challenge to find some of the tallest Hollyhocks in the parish and they set the bar with one at Star Cottage in Bear Street measuring about 2.85 metres (that's about 9' 4").

Sandra Gibbons sent in a photo of her impressive Hollyhock at Greenacres in Wiston which measured 2.6 metres, but a Hollyhock outside Malcolm Lukey's house in Fen Street put these in the shade, measuring in at a whopping 3.2 metres (10'3").

Thank you for sending these photographs in to capture the scene; being biannual plants they will not flower next year... but their relatives will no doubt provide us with another wonderful display; we can look forward to that.



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.

Now is your opportunity to go out and record something you find beautiful and memorable for the 2017 calendar. Do it

while the remnants of summer are with us and the good light and autumn 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 2016 - more details will be in coming issues of the Community Times. Entries by children and members of village groups are very welcome.

Calendar Team, Community Council

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BEST KEPT ALLOTMENT COMPETITION



Congratulations to the winners; 1st Tom Gardiner (centre), 2nd Hazel Gardiner (left), 3rd Mike Hunter (right). Prizes were presented at the Nayland flower Show on 8th August.



Nayland with Wissington Society News



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

Secretary: Andrew Gowen 262534 parkersag@yahoo.co.uk Chairman: Alex Murrison 262369

The Branch is keen to get fully involved in the Village Street Fayre on 17th July 2016 and has already had its first planning meeting. Apart from providing some entertainment we see it as an opportunity to recruit members from adjacent villages who no longer have a Royal British Legion Branch.

We currently have 32 members and enjoy interesting meetings often with speakers and arrange numerous visits each year. Our recent visit to the newly refurbished Bletchley Park was a great success, we are shortly to visit a local Solar Farm to improve our understanding of a new important energy source and we are well ahead with planning our visits in 2016. That is in addition to organising the annual Remembrance Day Services in Nayland and Wiston.

We have finally had permission from the PCC to install our Ceramic Poppies, from the Tower of London Display, in a display cabinet placed in the World Wars Remembrance Corner of St James Church. We hope to have them dedicated on Remembrance Day on 8 November.

The Branch will be participating in the Village Quiz on 2nd October and in the Village Hall garden working Party on 7th November.

Our AGM will be at the Church Hall on 26th October, starting with drinks and small eats at 7.30pm. After a speedy formal meeting we will be having a talk on horse racing. We look forward to seeing you all there and anybody else who wants to join us.



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION Women's Section

Secretary: Kath Hunt 262014

Our next fundraiser will be the Poppy Appeal Coffee Morning on Saturday 7th November in the Church Hall, Bear Street from 9am to 12 noon. Do call in for refreshments and a chat.

New members are welcome, contact me on 262014 for more details.



NAYLAND CINEMA

Chris Thompson Secretary V.H.M.C.

Recent films have included the very popular *What We Did On Our Holidays* which was a hilarious and up-lifting comedy drama and the romantic drama *Far from the Madding Crowd*.

On Friday 30th October we will be showing *A Royal Night Out*, a film about how Princess Elizabeth and Princess Margaret celebrated VE night in London.

On Friday 27th November we will be showing *Woman in Gold*. This film stars Helen Mirren and is the quest of a Jewish woman to reclaim for her family art that was stolen by the Nazis. The title is a reference to Klimt's beautiful golden paintings.

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

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Saturday 24 October

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Rosemary Knox is giving the talk at our next Open Meeting on Tuesday 13th October. The title is "Why Study Wiston?" and it will be a fascinating insight into two aspects of Wiston life as revealed by manorial records from 1351 – 1451 and the life of the Rev Charles Birch (1832 -1889)

"*The Role of a Police Wildlife Officer*" is the title of Barry Kaufman-Wright's talk at the Joint Meeting with Hortsoc on Monday 9th November.

Everyone is most welcome to all our meetings which are at 7.40pm for 8pm in the Village Hall.

For further information on the above talks and on all the activities of the Society, please look at our website

www.naylandconservation.org.uk

We currently have about 250 members of the Society and if you would like to join, please contact the Hon. Secretary or any committee member, whose details are on the Society's noticeboard in the High Street and they will give you a membership form.

Rates are currently: Annual: Single £8 Double £12. Life membership: Single £30 Double £45



HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Sec: Lorraine Brooks 262807
lorraine.nayland@btinternet.com

www.naylandhortsoc.org.uk
Chair: Trevor Smy 262022



Show day on 8th August saw a steady flow of visitors coming along to the 34th annual Flower Show – as reported on page 30. We can already reveal that the subjects for the photography class at the 2016 show will be 'Country Lane' and 'An Interesting Building' so get out and about with your cameras soon to capture some colourful shots. And don't forget photos taken in Nayland and Wiston could perhaps be entered in the next calendar competition.

Amid the recent unsettled weather HortSoc has been very lucky; the sun beamed down on us for a very enjoyable coach outing to Hatfield House and Gardens in Hertfordshire during September. Set in beautiful gardens and parkland the impressive Jacobean house was built in 1611 by Robert Cecil, 1st Earl of Salisbury and chief minister to King James, on the site adjoining the Old Palace of Hatfield where Elizabeth I spent most of her childhood. It was splendidly decorated for entertaining the Royal Court, with rooms rich in paintings, fine furniture and tapestries and has been splendidly preserved.

Superb examples of Jacobean craftsmanship can be seen throughout, including the grand staircase with its fine carving and the rare stained glass window in the private chapel. The two-storeyed marble hall has oak panelling and a minstrels' gallery. The armoury displays historic armour including some taken from the men of the Spanish Armada. The kitchens and basement rooms have been restored back to 1846, the time Queen Victoria first visited. Displayed throughout the House are many historic mementos collected over the centuries by the Cecil family and many reminders of Elizabeth I scattered throughout. Among these are the 'Ermine Portrait' by Nicholas Hilliard and the impressive and iconic 'Rainbow Portrait' of the Queen, which was painted by Isaac Oliver around 1600.

The 42 acres of formal and woodland gardens were first designed in the early 17th century by Salomon de Caus and developed by John Tradescant the Elder who went to Europe to bring back trees, bulbs, plants, and fruit trees which had never previously been grown in England. During the 18th century the gardens declined as the marchioness preferred hunting to gardening, but her son began their restoration, which continued in earnest in Victorian times. Today, they are delightfully restored with the inclusion of some modern features marking each generation of the Cecil family.

During World War I, parts of the grounds were used to test the first British tanks; an area was dug with trenches and craters and covered with barbed-wire to represent no man's land and German trench lines on the Western Front and during WW2 the house was offered for use as an army hospital. Portions of the house and exterior have been used in film television productions.

Hatfield House provided a delightful and interesting day out with something for everyone.

As autumn beckons our activities will retreat indoors; our autumn speaker 20th October will be Michael Warren who will give an illustrated talk on '*Gardeners Delight: Vegetable gardens, mine and others*'. This is open to non-members and will be held at the Church Hall, Bear Street, Nayland at 7.40 for 8pm.

At our joint meeting with the Conservation Society on **Monday 9th November** Barry Kaufmann-Wright, will be speaking about his former career, '*The Role of a Police Wildlife Crime Officer*' at Nayland Village Hall 7.40 for 8pm. All are very welcome.

We will be having a stall at the Community Council's **Christmas Family Fayre** on Sunday 6th 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 2016 including the **Spring Show** which will be held on 19th March, so bear this in mind when planting your bulbs this autumn. The schedule is shown on page 34 and on the website. There will be more news on activities for 2016 in the next issue and the website is being updated as plans progress.



The interior of Hatfield House



VILLAGE PLAYERS

www.villageplayers.co.uk

Chair: Gale Scott 01206 262061

Membership: Jill Fernandez jillyfern@gmail.com

Rehearsals are now well underway for our upcoming production of *'The Woman in White'*, directed by Mary Moriarty. Performances will be on November 19, 20 and 21 at 8pm, with tickets available at the Post Office from mid-October, or at any time from our website at villageplayers.co.uk/tickets.

On Friday, September 18th, Village Players members attended the annual awards night for NETG (the North Essex Theatre Guild) in Clacton. It was good to see that the Village Players were nominated eight times: set design/construction and costumes for *Jack and the Beanstalk*, and six acting awards for *Jack and the Beanstalk / Dead Ringer*.

In the end, the Village Players came away with one award for Best Actor in a Full Length Play: Justin Dowding in *'Dead Ringer'*. Justin is pictured here with Michael Poole, director of *'Dead Ringer'*.

Also in September, members enjoyed the annual barbecue at Wissington House. Our thanks go to Gale for hosting the event, and to Bryan and Nick for their splendid barbecuing!

The Village Players are always on the lookout for new members who would like to become involved in future productions. Whether your interest lies in set building, lighting, sound or being on stage, please do get in touch! Our contact details can be found on our website, or by calling 01206 262217.



NAYLAND AND DISTRICT WOMENS INSTITUTE

Secretary: Jeannette Finch 262993

We had an interesting and enjoyable talk by Bryan Thurlow, *The Perennial Mr Potter* at our July meeting.

During the summer our members have enjoyed going to other members' gardens for coffee mornings and garden parties. The committee and members are pictured (*top*) enjoying the August garden party at Jeannette Finch's home.

Four members went to St Mary's Church Bury St Edmunds for the West Suffolk Federation 95th Anniversary celebration in September. All the Federation WIs paraded their banners, some of which were very old, through the Abbey Gardens to the church. We felt like Suffragettes!! It was a memorable occasion.

Our branch celebrated the National WI's centenary year with a coffee morning at the village hall on September 18. As can be seen in the photograph visitors and members enjoyed delicious refreshments and reminiscing over a display of archives and photographs of the Nayland branch which was formed 58 years ago.

The speaker for our meeting on 21st September are Richard and Julie Ivory from *Assington Barn*. On 19th October Jan Derbyshire will be talking about *Shelley Centre for Therapeutic Riding* and on 16th November Sue Butcher's subject is *Workboards Workshop* and on we will enjoy some *Country Dancing* with Keith Wright.





NAYLAND ART GROUP

Daphne Berry 262641

At our second session of the term, chaired by Liz Thorne and Daphne Berry, Liz announced that the date agreed for the Christmas Lunch this year would be 16th December. The location of the event was expected to be a return to the Newton Green Golf Club but as yet this date has to be confirmed with the catering side at the golf club.

Our friendly tutor the locally well known Vernon Lever will be returning on Wednesday 21st October to guide us through the watercolour painting of a Winter Landscape.

At the meeting a suggestion of a trip to Pin Mill was raised by Daphne and Ann Spencer was investigating the idea of putting on an Art Group exhibition at some time in the Church Hall.

Colin Ramsell

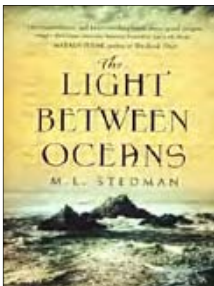


NAYLAND LUNCHEON CLUB FOR OVER 60S

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

The next luncheons will be on Tuesday 29th September, Tuesday 20th October and Tuesday 24th November. The Christmas Party at Longwood Barn will be on Tuesday 8th December. Make a note of the dates in your diary 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. If transport down to the Church Hall is difficult telephone Olga Alexander on 263923 to see if we can collect you.



BOOK CLUB

Stephanie Deering 264126 slouisethorne@aol.com

Our book club has been reading a variety of books including *A Thousand Splendid Suns* by Khaled Hosseini and *The Handsom Man's Deluxe Café* by Alexander McCall Smith. Our current book is *The Light Between Oceans* by ML Stedman.

Some of us are looking forward to going to see Agatha Christie's *The Mousetrap* at the Mercury Theatre on 24th October and on 21st December we will enjoy a Christmas Lunch at The Crown at Stoke.



THE VILLAGE LUNCH

Jo Murrison 262369

The next Village Lunch will be held on Wednesday 21st October when our speaker will be Martyn Roper on *'The History of the Printed Cartoon'* which will look at the history of cartoons from the 18th Century to the Present Day

The lunch will be held in the Village Hall, 11.45 am for 12 noon, with lunch at 1pm. Tickets, priced £10, will be available at the Post Office (afternoons only) from 21st September until 16th October unless previously sold out. Tickets are limited.

Thank you for your continuing support.

Advance Notice: A **Curry Supper** will be held on Saturday 23rd January in the Village Hall. This will be an authentic curry made by an ex Gurkha with all the trimmings. More details next issue.

Proceeds for the update and maintenance of the Village Hall.



BOWLS CLUB

Secretary: Eva Rolfe 263151

On August 6th we went to Stratford St Mary, where the first two games were one win each, although one team only won by one shot, the other team lost heavily. The second session just saw a repeat of the first so for the first time in several years we lost 4-6, something that really surprised the home team. On August 12th we went to Polstead this time we all played well. The first two games were both good wins and resulted in us being 27 shots ahead. The second session saw one team take an early lead which they capitalised on. The second team were having a much tougher game which was very close all the way through, but a superb last wood from the Nayland skip turned a one shot deficit into a draw giving us a 9-1 win which guaranteed our second position in the league.

Our first game in the winter league is on 30th September at home to Martlesham, lets hope we can improve on our form from last winter.

Fixtures - October: 7th Bramford home, 28th Stutton away

November: 2nd Burstall away, 11th Hintlesham home, 24th Bentley away, 30th Brantham away

Sylvia Bond



NAYLAND BELL RINGERS

Chris Hunt, Tower Captain 262 014

For Whom The Bell Tolls

On Thursday 9th September Nayland Bellringers rang during the evening, ringing 63 rounds of 'Queens' Peal to celebrate the reign of Queen Elizabeth II. Apparently the 'Queens Peal' was the favourite ringing sound of Queen Elizabeth I.

If anyone is interested in joining our small friendly band and learning bell ringing or would like to know more about us please get in touch with Chris Hunt on 262014



OVER 60s CLUB

Secretary: Barbara Smith 501492

President: Eva Rolfe 263151

In July some of our members joined the Nayland Over Sixties Luncheon Club for their Summer Tea Party at Longwood Barn and had a very enjoyable afternoon.

We meet on the second Thursday of each month, our next meetings will be on 8th October and 12th November at the Community Centre in Parkers Way at 2 30pm.

New members are always very welcome to come along.

Diana Whiting



THE FRIENDS OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH, NAYLAND

Registered Charity Number 1052641

Chairman: Alan Edwards 262800 alan@edwards-online.net

Our Parochial Church Council has now agreed, unanimously, to the Friends suggestion that a Lavatory and Servery is built within St. James'. Initial consultation with the Diocesan Advisory Committee seems to have their support also. The Friends have now instructed a local Architect to draw up some initial, outline plans for the consideration of our P.C.C. and the D.A.C. It is hoped these will be available for consideration within the next month.

As we no longer will have a Priest resident in Nayland after the re-organisation of the 5 Parishes into 7, all the various documents which were held at the Vicarage are now looking for a home. Both the Friends and the P.C.C. think it sensible to build a gallery over the new facilities - as an extension to the Organ Loft - where these important Parish Records can be safely stored and possibly displayed or be available for research.

This will be an expensive project to achieve - although too early to give more than a general cost, we think that it will be unlikely that, in the end, the project will be much less than £20k and possibly more. Fortunately, we are in a position to fund this, thanks to the continuing support of all our members.

The project will take time, lots of it, as there are many special interest groups who will want to have their fingers in the pie! We will publish, in this magazine, all important developments as they occur.

But above all, thank you for the contributions over the years which make this important project possible.

Finally, a date for your diary. The Annual Candlelit Carol Service of Carols and Lessons on Sunday 20th 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

It's that time of year again when we start thinking about the annual flu vaccination clinics. If you are eligible for the flu vaccination you will receive a letter from the practice giving the dates and times of the flu clinics across all 3 practices.

You may have noticed some new faces within the practice, Dr Caroline Atkinson and Dr Muhammad Nazeer have both joined us as GP Registrars. Dr Atkinson will be with us for 6 months working at West Bergholt and Nayland Surgery and Dr Nazeer will be with us for a year working at North Hill and Nayland Surgery. Dr Jeevarani Joseph has also joined our clinical team and will be working from our West Bergholt Surgery.

With all the changes it is probably useful to note which GPs work from which surgery.

- North Hill – Dr Hochstein, Dr Cooper, Dr Gunawardena and Dr Nazeer (part time)
- West Bergholt – Dr Milne, Dr Arkley, Dr Daniel, Dr Roberts, Dr Atkinson (part time)
- Nayland – Dr Polak, Dr Hickling, Dr Pettitt, Dr Lubeiro, Dr Atkinson (part time) and Dr Nazeer (part time)

Dr van der Hoek is also working with us across all 3 surgeries.

Please remember that you can access appointments across all 3 surgeries to see any member of our clinical team.



NAYLAND CHOIR

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There are two events for your diary in November.

- Friday 6 November – Nayland Choir Quiz. Nayland Village Hall. Bar open 7.30pm for 8.00pm start. £5 per head. Teams of 4.
- Sunday 29 November – Schumann and Bruckner. Church of St James, Nayland. 7.00pm. Tickets £10 (U16s free)

Our 'Jazz Age' concert in the spring was one of our most successful yet with a large audience enjoying the much loved music. We would like to encourage everyone to come also to our autumn concert where we offer music of widely different heritage but offering equal enjoyment and satisfaction: Schumann's Mass in C minor is a rarely-performed gem and it is accompanied by five motets by Bruckner included Locus Iste. Indeed, you may not be satisfied with just listening. As always, we welcome new members with open arms (and without audition). So, take a deep breath and give choral singing a try.

Visit naylandchoir.org or follow us on Twitter @naylandchoir for more information



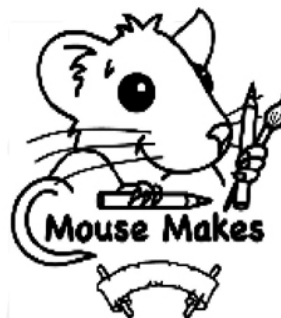
MESSY CHURCH AT PENTACORD BENEFICE

Churches of Nayland, Wiston, Leavenheath, Polstead, Stoke by Nayland
For children and parents: Activities, crafts, worship followed by afternoon tea.
For further information: 01206 262719.



As I write this autumn is very definitely in the air and by the time the Community Times reaches you we will have held our September Messy Church following the theme of Harvest with activities including potato and sponge printing, fruit baskets, corn dollies, decorating plant pots and planting bulbs for Spring, lavender bags and more..... The theme for October is yet to be confirmed but rest assured there will not be a shortage of activities!

Please come along and join in the fun – all members of the family welcome. The next Messy Churches are - Sundays, 27th September and 25th October at St Mary's Church, Stoke by Nayland and 29th November at Stoke by Nayland Village Hall at 4pm-6pm. More fun art and craft activities and games for children and families based around informal worship and afternoon tea. For further information: 01206 262719.



The Lord's teachings are perfect
They give strength to his people.
The Lord's rules can be trusted.
They help even the foolish become wise.
The Lord's laws are right.
They make people happy.
The Lord's commands are good.
They show people the right way to live.

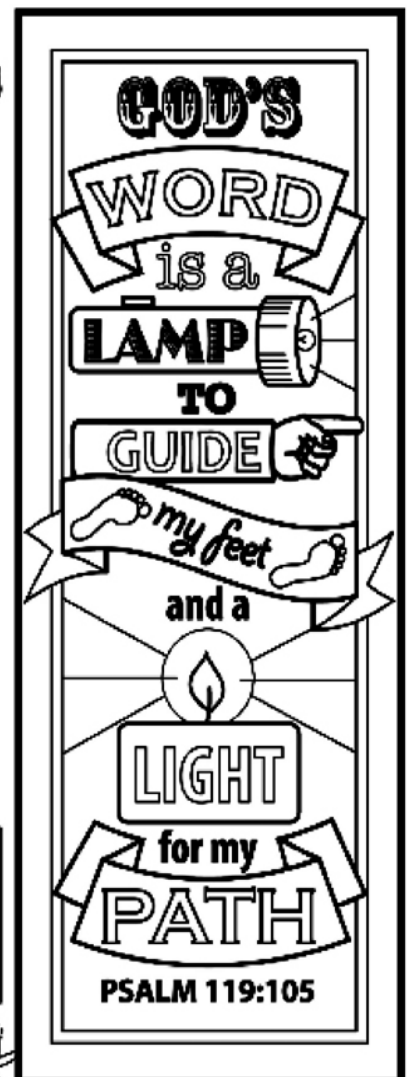


from Psalm 119:7-8

Do you have a favourite bible verse? Write it here:

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Colour in the illustrated bible verse, cut out and use as a bookmark in your bible.



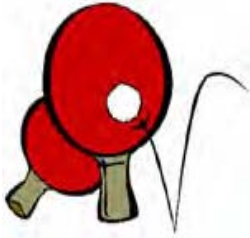


TABLE TENNIS CLUB

Neil Barbrook 263619 or 07817 449920 nbarbrook@hotmail.com

We continue to play each week and are still hoping to arrange friendly matches with other local clubs.

Nayland Table Tennis Club meets on Monday afternoons at the Village Hall from 2pm-3.30pm. New members are welcome and should contact Neil Barbrook .



NAYLAND MOTHER & TODDLER GROUP

Leaders: Michelle Plumb 264116 michelleplumb11@gmail.com
Alice Palmer 263629 alice_brown42@hotmail.com

Mother and baby / toddler group returns on 11th September. Alice and I wish you all a lovely summer holiday. See you in September.

We meet every Friday in term time at Nayland Village Hall from 9:45 til 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. It's a great place for new mums to meet people and make friends! First visit to us is free! Then it's £3 per mother and child(ren).



Woodland Corner

Administrator: Caroline Keep 263054
e-mail: woodlandcorner@outlook.com

Manager: Sue Clarke 263054
http://woodlandcornernayland.blogspot.com

behind Nayland Primary School, Bear Street,
Nayland, Colchester, CO6 4HY

Registered Charity
No. 1035330

Woodland Corner has now welcomed back our existing children and their parents from the summer holidays and would like to give a special welcome to our all of our new joiners!

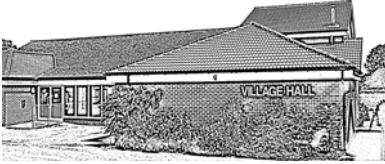
A warm welcome to Heidi who has joined our Early Years and After School Club team. #

We would also like to congratulate Cheryl Leeks on her appointment as Manager of Woodland Corner, Alison Pfander who is our new Extended Schools Leader and Mel Hieatt who becomes Deputy Manager.

This half term, we will be exploring our local environment and learning about the Harvest. We will be finding out about Harvest celebrations around the World including the Jewish festival Sukkot and we look forward to inviting our Pre-School parents to join our own Harvest Celebration on 30th September 2015.

Over the Summer there has been some major upgrading to our After School and Breakfast Club resources and we are now the proud owners of two new football goals and footballs, a volley ball net and some new Wii games and a Hudl for when the weather gets colder. We have also developed our Lego and construction areas.





VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Registered Charity No 304 928

Chairman: Iain Wright 263646

Secretary: Christine Thompson 262825



AUGUST COMMITTEE MEETING

Mary Knapp has resigned from the VHMC.

MATTERS ARISING & HOUSEKEEPING BOOK

- A sketch plan of the alterations to the kitchen was provided. The VHMC agreed to approve the plans subject to the funding being found.
- More dishwasher salt has been placed in the kitchen.
- It was agreed that the amount of refuse from the Hall should be monitored to see if another dustbin is required.
- The firm of Edward Hyde has repaired the surface coating of the flooring. However they will be asked to check the floor under the stage as some of the boards are stuck together.
- The Parish Council have been asked about Village Hall signage from the A134. We have contacted Suffolk County Council Highways requesting both this sign and another in the centre indicating Church Lane and will request a site inspection. James Finch has been informed of our request.
- A fire check was carried out. Users must make sure that they reset the fire alarm correctly.
- Edward Hyde will be asked to carry out the August floor inspection.

MAINTENANCE

- Gary Napper has painted the barge boards.
- David Hewitt will be asked to fix loose sink tops.
- A loose handrail on the stairs behind the stage has been fixed.
- A missing button from the oven will be replaced.

TREASURER'S REPORT

- Andrew Gowen will be asked what information is required by the Charity Commissioners for the Trustees Report.

BOOKINGS

- A fee has been negotiated with Stoke by Nayland FC to hire the field and changing rooms. They are going to share the pitch with Riverbank. It was agreed that Stoke could have a key to access the storage area provided they pay a £25 deposit.
- Instead of the booking forms being sent to the Booking Secretary's address, it was suggested that a PO box number be applied for. This was found to be too expensive. A post box to be attached to the VH was suggested.
- The additional premium to cover the hirers of the Hall for public liability is £41.87. It was agreed to go ahead. However this only covers non commercial events. It is assumed that businesses will have their own cover. The Terms and Conditions will be reworded accordingly.
- Event organisers have been informed they need to ask permission from the PC to place banners on Caley Green.
- A centrally placed notice board for the V.H. was discussed but at the moment there is no site available
- One licence was signed.
- A review of the booking webpages has been carried out. A tick box for hirers to agree they have read the T&C's, more up to date photos of the interior and exterior of the hall and retaining the calendar were suggested.

CINEMA

- Spingold Graphics have produced an advertising banner for the cinema.

SEPTEMBER COMMITTEE MEETING

TREASURER'S REPORT

- COIF Endowment £13,515, COIF £13,900, Bank £9,679, Cash £260, Debtors £0, Assets £4,832.

MATTERS ARISING & HOUSEKEEPING BOOK

- Kitchen refurbishment: a grant request was turned down by the Community Council. James Finch said that a grant of between £500-£1000 would be available from Suffolk CC. It

was decided to go ahead with the refurbishment. The first phase of the electrical work to be carried out by Locks will be paid for out of VH funds. The new equipment will be installed in the second phase and paid for by having an extra village lunch event and by a grant from Suffolk CC. The third phase will be the alterations to the kitchen cupboards to be carried out by David Hewitt.

- It was agreed that a Post Box will be obtained and placed on the wall of the Hall so that booking forms can be posted there rather than to the Booking Secretary's home address. The booking forms and website will be amended once the box is in place.
- The number of refuse bins is adequate for the moment. This situation will be reviewed.
- The quarterly inspection of the Hall will be carried out.
- Requirements for the Fire Risk Assessment will be investigated.
- A Nayland defibrillator is likely to be located at the Fire Station, not the Village Hall.

MAINTENANCE

- A quotation will be sought for the repainting of some of the interior around the foyer.
- The toilet seats in the Ladies were inspected. It was agreed that they do need to be replaced.
- The date of the autumn working garden party needs to be agreed in June.
- The roof tiles will need replacing in 2017. Provisional quotes for the work will be sought in Feb/March 2016.
- Jim Brown will be asked to service the boiler.
- Lock Electrical will be asked to look at the timing of the light sensors in the Ladies Toilets.
- Following notes in the comments book: plasters will be replaced in the first aid box, a kettle lead will be replaced, a kettle will be replaced.

BOOKINGS

- Clarification regarding fees for the football teams and regarding a bivouac they have built on the field will be sought. Both teams will be contacted about the amount of rubbish that was left on the pitch recently. The changing rooms will be checked.
- Hire guidance notes on the website will remind hirers that permission is required from the Parish Council to place banners on Caley Green.
- Website: Proposals for the update of the web pages will be circulated for approval. Photos of the key facilities in the Hall will be found.
- The Terms and Conditions have been reworded regarding hirer's insurance.
- The W.I. were thanked for their invitation to a coffee morning. Three members of the VHMC are able to attend.
- A booking for a ballroom dance class on a Thursday evening is being discussed.

CINEMA

- Dates for 2015: 25 September *Far From The Madding Crowd*, 30 October *A Royal Night Out*, 27 November *Woman in Gold*.
- It is hoped to find a site to display the cinema banner in Bear Street.

AOB

- Representatives from Carpet Bowls asked if two carpets which had become wet due to a leak in the storage cupboard could be left out to dry in the Hall. This was agreed.
- The next meeting will be **Monday 5th October** at 7.45pm.
- **The date of the autumn working garden party is 7th November from 9am.**

SAVE THE DATE!
Sunday 6th December
 at 6pm

The Friends of Wiston Church
 are delighted to invite you kick off the
 Christmas festivities by enjoying a
 seasonal concert by the incredible

Marenzio Singers

in the beautiful church of St Mary's, Wiston.

Expect the programme to include madrigals,
 traditional and modern tunes and your first slice of
 Christmas! Mince pies, mulled wine and beautiful
 music, what more could be needed to get into the
 Christmas mood?

Tickets cost £15;
 please apply at wistonfriends@gmail.com.
 More details to follow...

Registered Charity No 1158565

NAYLAND CHOIR PRESENTS

Schumann
 Mass in C minor
Bruckner
 Five motets

**St James' Church,
 Nayland**
29 November 2015

Concert starts 7.00pm

Tickets £10 (U16s free)
 available from **choir members**
 or from **Nayland Post Office**

For more details visit naylandchoir.org
 Follow us on Twitter @[naylandchoir](https://twitter.com/naylandchoir)

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE CENTENARY COFFEE MORNING

Members of Nayland and District Women's Institute celebrated the WI's national centenary with a coffee morning at the village hall on September 18. They were joined by representatives of various village societies.

President Jeannette Finch said: "The Nayland branch was formed 58 years ago and everyone enjoyed looking at our archives which were put together by Jean Dryden and Pam Baker. Our WI adviser Brenda Dyer was also there.

"It was a very successful morning and we donated the cakes we had over to Woodland Corner for their cake sale. We welcomed several people from other village organisations to our celebration."



Gardening Talk: Friday 16th October

Winter Colour in the Garden - Beating the Winter Blues!

Renowned garden writer, broadcaster and professional gardener Geoff Hodge, will give an illustrated and give many suggestions for plants which can add colour, scent and interest to winter borders. 7.30pm at the Constable Hall, Gandish Road, East Bergholt, CO7 6TP. East Bergholt Garden Club members £3, non-members £5. Tickets from The Fountain House Tea Room, East Bergholt or on the door.

BOXFORD COMMUNITY COUNCIL
 In association with
 Boxford Parish Council
 presents

BOXFORD FIREWORKS

**Sat. 31ST
 Oct. 2015**

Halloween
 Lantern Parade
 6.30 from the Village

Fireworks 7.45 on
 The Playing Fields

Tickets:
 Adults £5
 Children £3
 in advance
 From Boxford Shops

Adults £6
 Children £4
 on the gate
 3yrs & under
 FREE

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Boxford Fireworks Saturday 31 October 2015

Halloween Lantern Parade
 6.30 from Boxford Village

Fireworks 7.45 on
 The Playing Field
 Marching Band
 Barbecue
 Children's Inflatables

Tickets:
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Garden Notes

by The Old Muckspreader



Anemone Hupehensis



Hydrangea macrophylla



Aster Amellus

A September garden is usually one that is well past its best; most of the flowering shrubs have done their stuff, the annuals with one or two exceptions are over, and the herbaceous perennials still in flower are the exception rather than the rule. There are however a few, and here is a selection.

Among annuals Cosmos starts flowering late and if regularly dead-headed will go on flowering well into autumn. That is, of course, if it hasn't been attacked by rabbits, as happened here. Diascia is another, though it's probably really a tender perennial; here it survived the mild winter.

Of the true perennials the Asters (Michaelmas Daisies) are about to flower here, and so are the Japanese Anemones, Anemone Hupehensis. The latter take a year or two to settle down if moved, but afterwards will spread themselves, sometimes a bit too much. Another plant, a bulbous one, is the Toad Lily (Tricyrtis) with its small spotted flowers.

Sedums are in full flower, and when there are some around a great attraction for butterflies. Not often seen, but good value, is Physostegia the so-called Obedient Plant; the flowers have hinged stalks and remain in position once they have been moved around.

What about Chrysanthemums? Not those with flowers almost the size of a football (OK for exhibiting if you want to) but the spray type with single flowers.

We're back into shrubs now with Hydrangeas. Their only drawback is that as indicated by their name they like water, and if planted in dry old East Anglia they need a regular watering in summer to produce a decent show of flower.

On a recent visit to Helmingham Hall, which stages plant fairs twice a year, the OM/S noticed large plantations of Dahlias in their walled garden. They were very popular in the 1930s when the tubers were dug up as winter approached, wrapped in sacking and stored in sheds or indoors. Now most gardeners seems to leave them in the ground, protected by a good covering of soil, leafmould, or whatever. This has certainly sufficed in our recent mild winters, but might not if we got a really cold one.

It's not too late to plant bulbs for next spring, though Colchicums (often wrongly called Autumn Crocuses) are both for sale and in flower.

It is worth keeping an eye on the Wyevale Garden Centre at Newton Green; there are usually excellent bargains to be had with unsold bulbs in a few weeks time.

Our Swallows produced two broods this year (eight young in all), but there is always the doubt whether the second lot are sufficiently mature to make the journey to South Africa.

WORDSEARCH: Autumn Harvest

ANAGRAMS: Autumn Harvest Recipes

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- 3 KROCBEBRUDE
- 4 PEARSCABPLACUE
- 5 RAMQUAMDIALENCE
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- 8 DAWNSTILLPUCKE
- 9 SORIHCMERHADSARE
- 10 RPALKEIY&LPBAPBECRE *

All 2 words but * denotes more

BLACKBERRY	CRABAPPLE	HORSERADISH	ROSEHIP
BLEWIT	DEWBERRY	INKCAP	SLOE
BULLACE	ELDERBERRY	PUFFBALL	SWEETCHESTNUT
BURDOCK	HAZEL	QUINCE	WALNUT
CHERRY	HOP		

Wordsearch words may be horizontal, vertical, or diagonal and forward or backwards

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THE STANNARD'S, MILLERS OF WISTON AND NAYLAND

A few years ago I corresponded with a descendant of the Stannard family which played an important part in Wiston and Nayland's history during the 19th century. Mr John Dudin who lives in Hampshire is the great, great, grandson of Jeremiah Stannard who was born in 1817. Mr Dudin has researched his family's history and a mutual exchange of information has added to our knowledge of his family's connections with Wiston and Nayland.

The Stannard family owned the mill in Wiston from about 1800 and then later the Nayland mill. This was a time of considerable activity on the River Stour as a result of the Navigation Act of 1705 and milling was an important industry, creating a lot of employment for local people. Horse drawn barges or 'lighters' collected flour from the various mills along the river from Sudbury to Mistley. Once a year the Stannards also arranged a barge trip along the river for the children of the village who stopped off for a picnic along the way. Vivid childhood memories of these outings have been recorded.

Jeremiah Stannard was married to Mary Ann with whom he had 11 children. After Mary Ann died Jeremiah remarried. He died in 1899 and he and both his wives were buried in Nayland churchyard, together with some of their children. Other members of the family were buried at Wiston. A conveyance shows that Jeremiah the younger acquired the Nayland mill on the corner of Fen Street and other property from William Stammers in 1846. He lived in the house adjoining the mill with his young family and the 1851 Census described him as a miller, corn and coal merchant employing 22 men. In later life he became one of Nayland's first Parish Councillors when the Council was created in 1894.

Not long after taking over the Nayland mill Jeremiah and his wife tragically lost one of their sons. In 1851 their second son Walter had an accident in the mill which resulted in his death. Aged six he was amusing himself with the millers and went too near the machinery. He was dragged into the machinery by his clothes and was crushed to death. The accident and his injuries were graphically described in a press report which stated that a verdict of Accidental Death was returned by the inquest. The report also said that a few years earlier Walter's brother had been drowned in the mill pool, presumably at Wiston.

1851 seems to have been an eventful year for Jeremiah Stannard. Another press report appeared in *The Spectator*, headed **Honesty, and Munificent Reward**: "While Mr Stannard of Nayland Mill was driving in his chaise to Hadleigh he lost a bag containing eleven hundred sovereigns. After his return to Nayland he was delighted by a small farmer bringing him the treasure which he had found on the road. Mr Stannard presented the farmer with one hundred of the sovereigns."

Twenty years later in 1874 Jeremiah Stannard was once again in the news. A press report headed **Daring Burglary at Nayland** described how "a burglary, which for daring was never equalled in this neighbourhood was committed on the premises of Mr Jeremiah Stannard, miller". The raid took place at 2 o'clock on the Sunday morning. The mill foreman heard noises coming from the office and roused Mr Stannard and his two sons, Edward and Henry. With three bludgeons and a revolver between them the four men attacked the intruders and captured one of them. The others got away but the brave actions of the miller and his comrades aroused the public spirit. In April 1877 Mr Stannard was presented with a Testimonial at a public luncheon at the Cups Hotel in Colchester with the names of 400 subscribers for the "public spirit and high sense of social duty displayed in his exertions to discover and bring to justice the offenders engaged in 'The Nayland Burglary' of the 15th February 1874". The names included many local dignitaries such as Sir Charles Rowley Bart, JP, and prominent residents of Nayland and Wiston.



Jeremiah Stannard

Jeremiah and Mary Ann's fourth son, Henry, who helped his father in the famous burglary, was born in Nayland in 1850. He married Katherine Holton of the Wiston farming family and they had one daughter, Alice Muriel, who was born in 1879 and was John Dudin's grandmother.

Alice, known as Muriel Stannard, was a distinguished soprano in the early years of 20th century. Mr Dudin has a poster dated 25 May 1909 advertising an evening concert, at which Muriel sang, in the Steinway Hall in Lower Seymour Street, West London. Reviews by the Daily Telegraph and several other newspapers reported that the large audience enjoyed the pleasing quality of her voice and her refined taste and artistic style of singing.

Another member of the family, Frank Stannard, enjoyed painting and Mr Dudin has a picture of Wiston Mill painted by Frank with an inscription on the back: "Wiston Mill Colchester. Painted by F Stannard. Presented to ? Holton on her birthday August 2nd 1912". Interestingly another picture painted by F Stannard, this time of "J Stannard's Mill at Nayland 1850" came to light in 2013 and is now in Nayland.

Mr Dudin also has another unique and interesting artefact in his possession. This is a Police Constable's truncheon which has "Wiston Suffolk" painted on a scroll with a King's crown and marked GIIIR. King George III reigned from 1738 until 1820 by which time the Stannard family were at Wiston mill. Whilst Nayland and Wiston are now one civil parish they each had their own manor courts centuries ago and would have appointed their own constables.

After nearly a century of corn milling at Wiston and Nayland mills the Stannard family's ownership came to an end around the end of the 19th century when a bank failure in Colchester caused their bankruptcy. Wiston Mill continued as a working mill into the 20th century but Nayland mill stood empty for several years before it was partly dismantled and adapted for other uses.

My thanks to Mr John Dudin for telling me about his family.

Wendy Sparrow, Parish Recorder

Nayland Flower Show 2015

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON COMMUNITY TIMES



CUP WINNERS

BERT HALLS MEMORIAL CUP - Mike Hunter
Highest points in Section 1 Vegetables (resident)

KENT BLAXILL CUP - Jo Reed
Highest points in Section 1 Vegetables (non-resident)

GEORGE GARDINER CUP - Jo Reed
Best collection of vegetables

OLIVE WILLINGALE CUP - Roger Cook & Lorraine Brooks
Highest points in Section 3 Flowers

WILLIAMS & GRIFFIN ROSE BOWL - Elizabeth Thorne & Penny Allen
Highest points in Section 5 Flower arranging

NORAH OWEN CUP - Roger Cook
Best Dahlia in show

JOHN OAKES CUP - Jo Reed
Highest points in Section 6 Cookery

PETER SINGLETON TROPHY - Dorothy Bishop
Best Rose in show

HUSSEY CUP - Colin Ramsell
Best Scented Rose in show

ELLEN DAWE CUP - Lorraine Brooks
Best photograph in Show

JOHN DYBLE MEMORIAL CUP - Elizabeth Thorne
Best Fuchsia in show

KERRIDGE CUP - Sheila Wildish
Biggest home-grown disaster in the show

RHS BANKSIAN MEDAL - Roger Cook
Highest number of points in horticultural classes

CREEMS CUP - Jo Reed
Highest number of points in the show

SPENCER FAMILY CUP - No Entries - family section

GENT CUP - Isabel Hayter - 8 years & under

SAWYER CUP - Michael Fryer - 9-14 years

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

Five potatoes, white	Jo Reed, Mick Bond, Trevor Smy
Five potatoes, colour	Roger Cook, Trevor Smy, Shirley Whitnell
Five carrots	Jo Reed, Tom Gardiner, Jackie Grant
Five carrots, short	Mike Hunter, Jo Reed, Robert Freeth
Three beetroot	Jo Reed, Roger Cook, Trevor Smy
Six runner beans	Mike Hunter, Trevor Smy, Roger
Six French beans	Mick Bond, Tom Gardiner, Hazel Gardiner
Five onions, seed	Mike Hunter, Jo Reed, Roger Cook
Five onions, sets	Robert Freeth, Elizabeth Thorne, Hazel Gardiner
Nine shallots	Roger Cook, Hazel Gardiner, Tom Gardiner
Two cabbage lettuce	Mike Hunter, Jo Reed, -
Two cos lettuce	- , Mike Hunter, Jo Reed
Two marrows	Jo Reed, Roger Cook, -
Two cabbages	Mike Hunter, - , Trevor Smy
Three courgettes	Mike Hunter, Jo Reed, Roger Cook
Four tomatoes	Mike Hunter, Shirley Whitnell, Robert Freeth
Six tomatoes, small	Jo Reed, Shirley Whitnell, Mike Hunter
Cucumbers, ridge	Jo Reed, Roger Cook, Robert Freeth
Cucumbers, frame	Jo Reed, -
Any other vegetable	Roger, Jo Reed, Robert Freeth
Longest Runner Bean	Jo Reed, Mike Hunter, Trevor Smy
Vegetable collection	Jo Reed, Trevor Smy, Tom Gardiner

Section 2 (Open) Fruit

Dish of soft fruit	Elizabeth Thorne, Jo Reed, Mick Bond
Dish of stone fruit	Jo Reed, Jenny Smith, -
Dish of four apples	Robert Freeth, -
Any other fruit	Colin Ramsell, -
Fruit collection	Jo Reed, -

Flowers

Roses, 3 hybrid tea	Dorothy Bishop, -
Roses, 1 specimen	- , Jenny Smith, -
Roses, floribunda	- , Jenny Smith, -
Single rose, for scent	Colin Ramsell, Dorothy Bishop, Sheila Sessions
Perennials	Jackie Grant, Mick Bond, -
Annuals, 3 varieties	no entries
Annuals, 1 variety	no entries
Pot plant, non-flowering	- , Lorraine Brooks, Sheila Sessions
Pot plant, flowering	Mick Bond, Jenny Smith, Sheila Sessions
Orchid, flowering	Pamela Grant, Lorraine Brooks, Jo Reed

Show day on 8th August saw a steady flow of visitors coming along to the 34th annual Flower Show.

It was good to see a number of new exhibitors and 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, totalling 330 provided an attractive display for visitors who also came along to enjoy refreshments and have a flutter on the raffle.

The weather never fails to throw up challenges to the horticultural exhibitors; this year the spell of high temperatures shortened the life of some flowers but was of benefit to some produce, such as tomatoes and peaches, which ripened earlier. The perennial problem of pests did not deter exhibitors either and the judges were impressed with the quality of the exhibits. In the culinary and craft sections judges felt the overall standard

of the entries was high; the drawings and paintings were particularly good and therefore very difficult to judge.

The Creems Cup for the highest number of points in the show went to Jo Reed of Leavenheath with an incredible 76 points gained in the horticulture and cookery classes and the RHS Banksian Medal for the highest points in the horticultural classes went to Roger Cook, a new exhibitor from Wivenhoe who excelled in the Dahlia classes.

Mike Hunter beat off the local competition to win the Bert Halls Cup, for highest points in the vegetable classes by a parish resident, with an impressive 26 points. For non-residents, the Kent Blaxill Cup for highest points in the vegetable classes went to Jo Reed (Leavenheath) on 50 points, with Roger Cook (Wivenhoe) on 35 points.

The competition for best hanging basket received some good

Flowers

Fuchsia, bush	Elizabeth Thorne, Jenny Smith, Lorraine Brooks
Sweet Peas	Sheila Sessions, Hazel Gardiner, Jackie Grant
Gladioli	Roger Cook, -
Asters	Margaret Smy, -
Cactus or succulent	Jean Evans, Lorraine Brooks, Sheila Sessions

Dahlias

Cactus	Lorraine Brooks, -
Ball or pom-pom	Roger Cook, Elizabeth Thorne
Decorative blooms	Roger Cook, Lorraine Brooks, Hazel Gardiner
Any varieties	Roger Cook, Margaret Smy, Hazel Gardiner
Collection of veg, fruit & flowers	Roger Cook, Jo Reed, Jackie Grant

Floral Arrangements

Small arrangement	Elizabeth Thorne, -
Candlestick	Elizabeth Thorne, Penny Allen, -
Unusual container	Hazel Gardiner, Penny Allen, Jackie Grant, Jeannette Finch HC
Herbs	Penny Allen, Jeannette Finch, -
Dried flowers	no entries
Foliage	Jeannette Finch, Sheila Sessions, Elizabeth Thorne

Cookery

Marmalade	Shirley Whitnell, Hazel Gardiner, Penny Allen, Emma Bishton HC
Jam	Jeannette Finch, Sheila Wildish, Hazel Gardiner
Fruit jelly	Hazel Gardiner, Jackie Grant, Shirley Whitnell
Chutney	Shirley Whitnell, Jo Reed, Robert Freeth
Any Other Preserve	Jo Reed, Jackie Grant, Robert Freeth
Boiled fruit cake	Jackie Grant, Anne Spencer, Wendy Sparrow, Tom Gardiner HC
Cherry/almond cake	Jo Reed, Anne Spencer, Tom Gardiner
Chocolate Sponge	Jo Reed, Jeannette Finch, Anne Spencer
Biscuits	Gill Boardman & Hazel Gardiner (equal 1st), -
Jam tarts	Jo Reed, -
Home-made sweets	Gill Boardman, Jo Reed, -
Cheese scones	Jo Reed, Wendy Sparrow, -
White loaf	Jo Reed, Tom Gardiner, -
Naughty but nice	Hazel Gardiner, -

Crafts

Hand-knitting	Hazel Gardiner, Elizabeth Thorne, -
Stitchcraft	Sheila Sessions, Penny Allen, -
Greeting card	Elizabeth Thorne, Vivien Turnbull, -
Drawing / painting	Dorothy Bishop, John Parsonson, Joyce Fullbrook

Photography

'Herbaceous Border'	Antony Day, Trevor Smy, Hazel Gardiner
'Horsepower'	Lorraine Brooks, Anne Spencer, Mike Hunter

Fruit Liqueur

Non-alcoholic Drink	Jackie Grant, Hazel Gardiner, Pamela Grant
	Pamela Grant, Jo Reed, Hazel Gardiner, Jackie Grant HC

Home Grown Disasters

Sheila Wildish, Jo Reed, Colin Ramsell



entries but Sylvia Bond won for the third year running, ahead of Hazel Gardiner.

Mary George presented prizes to the winners of the Parish Council's best kept allotments competition; winner Tom Gardiner, followed by Hazel Gardiner and Mike Hunter.

Our thanks go to Terry Bannister, who very kindly came along to present the trophies. We are grateful to all our judges for returning once again and everyone who helped; Denise Drury for helping with refreshments which were in great demand, Margaret Dowding who was very busy on the raffle, Sheila Sessions, Laura and Sarah Gladwell for manning the produce stall, all those that helped with setting up. The show wouldn't be possible without all the entrants who take up the challenge of preparing their entries and all the visitors for coming along to the show - we are very grateful for their support.

We would also like to thank the following local businesses for generously donating prizes for the raffle: *Anchor Inn, Nayland, Anglia Bulb Company, Boxted, Blue Owl, Mill Street, Nayland, English Country Roses, Little Horkesley, Lower Dairy Farm, Nayland, Wheeler's Wine Cellar, Dedham & Wyevale Garden Centre, Sudbury.*

Family & Children's Section

Animal/person made from Veg/Fruit *No entries*

8 years & under

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

9 - 14 years

'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:	Michael Fryer, Evie Hughes, -
Photo: <i>I Took This Myself</i>	<i>No entries</i>

Photos: children's cardboard creations and decorated fairy cakes



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KENNY'S SESAW NEWS

Oh dear! Kenny is so dog tired after a day out with his friend Pixie that he missed his deadline. Never mind, it's Ollie to the rescue again with our news this month. By the time you read this, the winners of our Facebook Photo Competition will be known. Everyone is looking forward to seeing our 2016 calendar which will feature the best entries. The judges had a difficult job, naturally I was not entered to give the others a fair chance!

Back at the Sanctuary we have lots of black and black/white kittens this year, one poor girl had SEVEN! Mother thinks herself quite the big game hunter. Went out trapping and guess what? Returned with more black cats! Nobody wants us but please do not pass by. Look beyond our colour to discover our personalities.

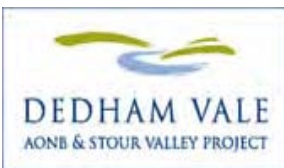
Now the bonfire season is upon us please check for hibernating hedgehogs before you light up. There are so few of our prickly friends left to help in our gardens that each one is precious.

The fundraisers are holding an Autumn Sale with a Christmas flavour, 11-4pm on 25th October at Great Bentley Village Hall.

Our big Christmas Fair and Annual Draw will be held on 15th November, 10-3pm at The Old School in Long Melford.

I hope my cat's eye view has been of interest. Kenneth may well fret over my little exposés but I'll save them for another time. Mother is in need of my company on her evening rounds, then it will be back to a nice warm hay barn for another 80 winks for me, **Ollie (the Black) Cat!**

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The Dedham Vale Youth Rangers

The Dedham Vale Youth Rangers are looking for new recruits aged 13-18 years of age who are keen to learn about nature on their doorstep, do practical conservation work, bush craft activities and recreational activities. They meet every first Sunday of the month from 10am to 1pm in Flatford.

The scheme is run by the National Trust, Flatford Mill Field Studies Centre, RSPB and the Dedham Vale Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty and Stour Valley Project.

If you would like to be involved with this group of young people please contact Emma Black, Countryside Officer, Dedham Vale AONB and Stour Valley Project T: 01394 445225 E: emma.black@suffolk.gov.uk



Welcome to this month's Police news item.

Halloween is coming up at the end of the month as well as bonfire night at the beginning of November; please consider others on both of these nights and all can have a good time.

Suffolk Police are urging you to consider the effect your actions may have on others this Halloween and Bonfire Night – and to respect those may not want to take part in the festivities.

Traditionally both Halloween and Bonfire nights are busy for police with a large number of calls during the end of October and beginning of November relating to anti-social behaviour by a minority who take trick or treating too far and firework-related incidents.

We want people to enjoy their Halloween and Bonfire night celebrations but we also want those taking part to have consideration for others.

There is a need for everyone taking part to behave responsibly. We would ask parents to ensure they supervise their children, for their own safety and to ensure they do not call at addresses where the occupants do not want to take part and that anyone trick or treating only visits homes where they know the residents.

Most residents that do like to take part normally have some form of Halloween gimmick outside their property. Halloween and Bonfire night can be genuinely scary for many older residents - please don't cause them any unnecessary distress. There is a line between high spirits and anti-social behaviour and we are well aware there are small minorities who will ignore our appeals and we will be out trying to cause trouble.

A series of posters has been produced which address the issues surrounding Halloween. One is designed for those who do not want to take part while another asks parents if they would normally let their children call on a stranger's home unsupervised. These posters will be put up around the county and are being widely distributed to schools and businesses, (look out for these nearer the time in your local shops, also at Hadleigh police station).

Don't forget the clocks will go back at the end of the month.

This is a little reminder I use to remember which way and when to change the clocks: - spring forward (one hour forward in the spring time) and fall back (one hour back in the fall/autumn).

Mandy, PCSO 3108 Coleman,

Email: babergheast.snt@suffolk.pnn.police.uk





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. Pot miniature Daffodil/Narcissus bulbs
 4. Pot of Polyanthus or Primula (Primroses)
 5. Flowering Houseplant
 6. 3 blooms (any one variety) floating in a dish of water
 7. Flower arrangement: 'A Host of Daffodils'
 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

KEY STAGE 2 RESULTS SHOW SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENTS FOR SUFFOLK SCHOOLS

The percentage of pupils achieving the expected levels in reading, writing and maths in primary schools in Suffolk is continuing to rise.

Data released by the Department for Education this last month show that 77% of 11-year-olds achieved level 4 or higher in their SAT tests in the three subjects in 2015 – up from 73% in 2014. The Suffolk figure of 77% closes the gap to the national average, which stands at 80%. These results mean that Suffolk has improved on its ranking against all authorities, moving up 22 places to 118th and is now 118 out of 150. This is an improvement of 22 places from last year. Another positive figure emerging for Suffolk is the progress in writing between Key Stages 1 and 2. The percentage of pupils making the expected progress went up from 89% in 2014 to 91% this year. The percentage of children making expected progress from key stage 1 to 2 in Reading and Maths also increased. Both areas seeing a one percentage point rise. (NB: All results at this stage are provisional. The validated figures will be published in October.)

Driving up educational attainment levels remains our top priority. These results are a real vindication of the work being put in by everyone involved. In the past few weeks we have received very encouraging A-Level and GCSE results; the Key Stage 2 grades today continue that trend and show definitive progress is being made.

SUFFOLK'S BROADBAND PROGRAMME GETS NEW CASH INJECTION AS TAKE UP PASSES 20 PER CENT

Around £3.9 million is being made available to extend further the reach of high-speed fibre broadband across Suffolk as part of the Better Broadband for Suffolk Programme.

This additional amount is funding that BT is making available to extend Broadband Delivery UK (BDUK) projects as a result of the success of the projects in achieving higher than expected take-up levels so far. The money is for SCC to re-invest in further superfast broadband coverage to more homes and businesses, earlier than originally planned. This cash injection into the roll-out programme is great news as we pass the 20% take-up rate. It will help us to maintain our current momentum in getting communities across Suffolk switched on. We are on course to hit our target of reaching 100,000 properties by the end of this year and entering our second agreed contract with BT to deliver even more coverage in 2016 and beyond. We are committed to reaching 100% of all properties by 2020. *It is important for all residents and businesses to understand that where high speed broadband service is available, they must contact their service provider to make the switch. It is not an automatic process.*

The roll-out of broadband across Suffolk is one of the most profound infrastructure projects we have seen for decades. We are committed to supporting this project through to completion: generating economic growth and jobs, but also having a major positive impact on the quality of life for people across the county.

James Finch, Suffolk County Councillor, Stour Valley Division

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Nayland Farmers' Market

Saturday October 10th
Saturday November 14th
9.30am – 1pm

Nayland Village Hall

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<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Priest / Leader</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Venue</i>	<i>Service</i>	<i>Priest / Leader</i>
27 th September <i>Trinity 17</i>	8.00am	Nayland	HC 2	Rev'd John Fowler	11.00am	Polstead	Harvest FS	Rev'd Jackie Sephton
	9.30am	Leavenheath	Harvest HC2	Rev'd Val Armstrong	11.00am	Stoke	HC 1	Rev'd John Fowler
	9.30am	Nayland	MP	Kathy Hunt/David Pryor	5.30pm	Wiston	Harvest Even	Rev'd David Stranack
4 th October <i>Trinity 18</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Rev'd John Fowler	10.00am	Leavenheath	First Sunday	Jim Bond /Jane Addis
	9.30am	Nayland	Harvest HC 1	Rev'd Val Armstrong	11.00am	Polstead	HC 2	Rev'd Val Armstrong
11 th October <i>Trinity 19</i>	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 1	Rev'd Val Armstrong	11.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Rev'd Val Armstrong
	9.30am	Nayland	Café Church	Congregation	11.00am	Wiston	MS	David Rowe
	11.00am	Polstead	MW	L Bartlett/BW	6.30pm	Nayland	Evensong	David Pryor
18 th October <i>Trinity 20</i>	9.30am	Leavenheath	MP	David Rowe	11.00am	Stoke	MP	David Rowe
	9.30am	Nayland	HC1	Rev'd Jackie Sephton	11.00am	Wiston	HC 1 tr	David Pryor/Kathy Hunt
	11.00am	Polstead	HC1	Rev'd Jackie Sephton	6.30pm	Leavenheath	EP	TBA
Clocks 'fall' back								
25 th October <i>Trinity 21</i>	8.00am	Nayland	HC 2	Rev'd John Fowler	11.00am	Polstead	FS	Rev'd Jackie Sephton
	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 2	Rev'd Jackie Sephton	11.00am	Stoke	HC 1	Rev'd John Fowler
	9.30am	Nayland	MP	Kathy Hunt/David Pryor	5.30pm	Wiston	Evensong	Kathy Hunt/David Pryor
1 st November <i>All Saints Day</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	Rev'd John Fowler	11.00am	Polstead	HC 2	Rev'd Jackie Sephton
	9.30am	Nayland	HC 1	Rev'd Jackie Sephton	4.00pm	Stoke	All Souls	V Armstrong & J Sephton
	10.00am	Leavenheath	First Sunday	V Armstrong & Team				
8 th November <i>Remembrance Sunday</i>	9.30am	Leavenheath	Remembrance	Rev'd Valri Armstrong	10.45am	Stoke (Polstead)	Remembrance	Rev'd John Fowler
	10.00am	Wiston	Remembrance	D Pryor & D Johns	10.50am	Nayland	Remembrance	Rev'd Valri Armstrong
	TBA	TBA	HC	TBA				
15 th November <i>Trinity 24</i>	9.30am	Leavenheath	MP	Jim Bond/David Rowe	11.00am	Stoke	MP	David Rowe
	9.30am	Nayland	HC 1	Rev'd Jackie Sephton	11.00am	Wiston	HC 1 tr	TBA
	11.00am	Polstead	HC 1	Rev'd Jackie Sephton	6.30pm	Leavenheath	EP	V Armstrong & Team
22 nd November <i>Christ The King</i>	8.00am	Nayland	HC 2	Rev'd John Fowler	11.00am	Polstead	FS	Jim Sephton/L Bartlett
	9.30am	Leavenheath	HC 2	Rev'd Jackie Sephton	11.00am	Stoke	HC 1	Rev'd Jackie Sephton
	9.30am	Nayland	MP	Kathy Hunt/David Pryor	5.30pm	Wiston	Evensong	Kathy Hunt/David Pryor
29 th November <i>Advent Sunday</i>	10.30am	Stoke	Benefice	Rev'd Valri Armstrong & Rev'd Jackie Sephton				
6 th December <i>Advent 2</i>	8.00am	Stoke	HC 2	John fowler	10.00am	Leavenheath	First Sunday	Va: team
	9.30am	Nayland	Harvest HC 1	TBA	11.00am	Polstead	HC 2	TBA

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, Ev Praise : Evening Praise, B : Baptism, *Worship leaders are subject to change.*

Weekday Services and Groups

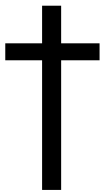
Bible Study	18 Laburnum Way (<i>Rita Dibble 262580</i>): Mondays 11am 5 th & 19 th October, 2 nd & 16 th November, 7 th & 21 st December
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Parkers Way	Prayer & Praise Service: Wednesdays 3pm 7 th October, 4 th November & 2 nd December (<i>1st Wednesday of month</i>)
Nayland House	Holy Communion: Every Wednesday 10.45am
Messy Church	Sundays 4pm-6pm: 27 th September, 25 th October & 29 th November at St Mary's Stoke by Nayland (<i>last Sunday of month</i>)

Other Dates for your Diary

Sunday 27 th Sept	Wiston Harvest Festival at 5.30pm at St Mary's
Sunday 4 th October	Nayland Harvest Festival at 9.30am at St James'
Saturday 24 th October	St James Churchyard Working Party 9am-12 noon <i>page 12</i>
Sunday 1 st November	Service for All Souls at St Mary's Church Stoke by Nayland 4pm
Wednesday 16 th Dec	Carols Around the Christmas Tree with the Boxted Silver Band
Sunday 20 th December	Candlelit Carol Service at St James at 6.30pm

Weekday Prayer

<u>Monday</u>			
Morning Prayer	9.00 am		Nayland
<u>Tuesday</u>			
Morning Prayer	8.30 am		Leavenheath



Dear All,

By the time you read this most of our churches will have held their Harvest services. Farmers will have "safely gathered in, ere the winter storms begin" and it will soon be time to batten down the hatches.

What an abundance of fruit and vegetables there has been. I think the berries this year have been extra delicious especially the blackberries I was given! No doubt where apple tree branches overhang footpaths, there will have been some scrumping going on. The seasonal change is showing with no more runner beans but we can look forward to Brussel sprouts – well a lot of us will.

So as we move from one season to another we can thank God for this part of his world where we have seasons and a generous harvest. While we can be thankful we remember those less fortunate. The places in the world where harvests fail, where wars ruin crops and those who do not have fresh water. We can support those people by donating to charities such as Water Aid or the Red Cross. More locally by giving food to the food banks. Many of our supermarkets have places in store to collect items and items can also be donated via our churches. Why not donate your free item from the B.O.G.O.F.'S that are on offer. As well as tinned and dried food including pasta, toiletries such as toilet rolls and toothpaste are also gratefully received. A very big thank you to those who already give on a regular basis.

As I write this another harvest hymn comes to mind - "All good gifts around us are sent from heaven above; than thank the Lord, O thank the Lord, for all his love" As autumn is around us we can enjoy all the colours on the trees, the misty mornings when the sun burns off the moisture and the mellowness of the days.

Val Watling

Church News

NEW PARISH PRIEST

The five parishes have completed their Parish Profiles which will be included in the Benefice Profile containing information from the Deanery and the Diocese. A meeting is being held with Bishop Martin and the position will be advertised soon.

SUFFOLK HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST SPONSORED BIKE RIDE

Chris Hunt for St James Nayland and Nicola Thorogood for St Mary's Wiston cycled last Saturday for their respective churches.

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PUMKINS for sale in Wiston!

Different varieties of pumpkins, all shapes and sizes, are on sale again at Wiston Church.

Stock up for those warming autumn soups, or roasted, or baked in the oven with cheese - savoury and sweet recipes abound on the internet or in your recipe books! Delicious and nutritious winter fare! All proceeds to St Mary's Wiston.

SERVICE FOR ALL SOULS: Thanksgiving and Remembrance Service

During the period following bereavement, many people find that they are so distressed that they remember little of the funeral service. For some it may be helpful to have a further opportunity to give thanks for the death of a loved one and to remember them.

We would like to invite you to this special service which this year is on **Sunday 1st November at 4pm in St Mary's Church, Stoke by Nayland**. It will last approximately 45 minutes and will be followed with refreshments. 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 or contact Revd Valri Armstrong 01206 262814 or Revd Jackie Sephton 01473 810072. Please enter clearly the names of your loved ones and we will include them, whether or not you are able to attend the service. Do come with any family and friends who would like to support you.

MY LITTLE PRINCE SAMUEL

This poem was written by a young British woman who had volunteered to work in an orphanage in Africa.

I can't put into words how much you meant to me, it's hard to accept you've gone, your face I'll no longer see
You've spread your wings and flown away, but you're presence is forever near.

I take comfort knowing you are in the arms of the Lord, that I need not to fear.

You were my little prince, I longed to hold and touch, to hold you close and whisper, "I love you so much".

I will cherish the times that you looked up at me and smiled, it filled me with joy and happiness so mild.

The short time you were in my life, God's blessings did pour out, filling me with overwhelming love, I can now shout:

Thank you for the life of Samuel, hold him close in your hand, for when my day comes I will join him in your land.

CHURCH CONTACT DETAILS ON PAGE 43

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ANAGRAM SOLUTION

1 Sloe Gin, 2 Rosehip Soup, 3 Burdock Beer, 4 Crabapple Sauce, 5 Quince Marmalade, 6 Autumn Pudding, 7 Bramble Jelly, 8 Pickled Walnuts, 9 Horseradish Cream, Apple & Blackberry Pie



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Colchester General Hospital	0728	0800	0808	1033	1233	1433	1518	1610	1610	1733	1833
Colchester North Station	0733	0805	0813	1038	1238	1438	1523	1615	1615	1738	1838
Colchester Stanwell Street	0740	0820	1045	1245	1445	1530	1622	1622	1745	1845
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Monday to Saturday	NS	NS Hol						Sch	SHol		
Norman Way Schools	1550
Colchester Stanwell Street	0725	0755	0855	1055	1255	1455	1605	1605	1605	1655	1755
Colchester North Station	0734	0803	0903	1103	1303	1503	1613	1613	1613	1703	1803
Colchester General Hospital	0740	0809	0909	1109	1309	1509	1619	1619	1619	1709	1809
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VILLAGE DIARY

September		
27th	St Mary's Wiston: Harvest Festival 6.30pm	
27th	Country Music Club: <i>'Best Of Friends'</i> 7pm for 7.30 Village Hall	
29th	Luncheon Club for over 60s: Church Hall <i>page 13 & 22</i>	
October		
2nd	Community Council: Village Fun Quiz 7.30pm sharp start Village Hall <i>page 6 & 7</i>	
4th	St James' Nayland: Harvest Festival 9.30pm <i>page 36</i>	
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8th	Over 60s: meeting 2.30pm Parkers Way Communtiy Centre <i>page 23</i>	
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13th	Conservation Society: Rosemary Knox <i>'Why Study Wiston?'</i> 7.40 for 8pm Village Hall <i>page 10 & 20</i>	
14th	Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm Village Hall Committee Room <i>page 43</i>	
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20th	Hortsoc: <i>'Gardeners Delight'</i> Michael Warren 7.40 for 8pm Church Hall <i>page 11 & 20</i>	
21st	Village Lunch: Martyn Roper 'The History of the Printed Cartoon 11.45am Village Hall <i>page 10 & 22</i>	
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25th	Country Music Club: <i>'Kalibre'</i> 7pm for 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 11</i>	
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28th	Community Council: meeting 8pm Church Hall (<i>Exec 7.30</i>) <i>page 6 & 43</i>	
30th	Village Cinema: <i>'A Royal Night Out'</i> 8pm doors open 7.30pm Village Hall <i>page 10 & 19</i>	
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2nd	Village Hall Management Committee AGM 8pm Village Hall <i>page 26 & 43</i>	
5th	Community Council: Bonfire & Fireworks Night 6.30 for 7pm Village Hall Playing Field <i>page 8</i>	
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7th	RBL: Poppy Appeal Coffee Morning 10am-2 noon Church Hall <i>page 11 & 19</i>	
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16th	Women's Institute: Sue Butcher <i>Workboards Workshops</i> 7.30pm Village Hall <i>page 21</i>	
19th-21st	Village Players: <i>'The Woman in White'</i> Village Hall 7.30 for 8pm <i>page 13 & 21</i>	
22nd	Country Music Club: <i>'Bob Keeley'</i> 7pm for 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 11</i>	
24th	Luncheon Club for over 60s: Church Hall <i>page 13 & 22</i>	
27th	Village Cinema: <i>'Woman in Gold'</i> 8pm doors open 7.30pm Village Hall <i>page 10 & 19</i>	
29th	Nayland Choir: Concert in St James 7pm <i>page 27</i>	
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8th	Luncheon Club for over 60s: Christmas Party Longwood Barn <i>page 13 & 22</i>	
13th	Country Music Club: <i>'Double Barrell'</i> 7pm for 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 11</i>	
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