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Further details and an update is given on page 8 with details on the variety of services available at the Post Office on page 7.

**We are intending to hold an Open Meeting
at the Anchor Inn on Wednesday 20th July
at 7.45 for 8pm where we will give an update of where we are.**

VANDALISM IN THE VILLAGE

Unfortunately Nayland has recently been suffering from a sustained period of vandalism. Last November a youth was caught causing damage to a facility on the playing field by a resident and was reported to the police. This year there have been many acts of vandalism, including theft and criminal damage, in the village and on the allotment field.

The identity of some of the youths has become known to a number of residents. On one occasion a resident was able to film one of the youths causing damage to his front garden. He has reported the incident to the police and it is to be hoped that firm action will be taken.

Sadly this anti-social conduct has spilled onto the public highway. There have been two reported occasions of youths riding small motorbikes or scooters, two abreast at slow speeds on the A134 from Harpers Hill up to Assington with the intention of causing traffic jams.

In all these cases, residents should take the opportunity to use the cameras on their mobile phones to record the activity and present the evidence to the police. In any event the police should be contacted no matter how small the value of the damage in the hope that in due course the offending youths will be dissuaded from such anti-social behaviour.

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SPECIAL INTEREST

Nayland Open Gardens

Nayland Cinema: *A Bigger Splash*
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Woodland Corner Barn Dance

School Summer Fete

Village Reminiscences

HortSoc Garden Party

St James History Talk

Nayland Flower Show

Village Players Auditions

HortSoc Outing: Wrest Park

Induction of New Vicar

THIS ISSUE

Nayland Art Group Exhibition

Calendar Photo Competition

Village Players: *Blithe Spirit*

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NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting: 13th April 2016

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

PUBLIC FORUM

Mrs Carver thanked the Parish Council for sending a thank you letter in respect of the successful litter picking. Another community initiative is planned for the autumn and fly tipping has been reported.

PLANNING

Reviewing planning applications Mary George said permission had been granted at **34 Bear Street** for conversion and alteration of existing shed and pagoda to form additional living accommodation and at **4 Fox Cottages, Bures Road** for a single storey detached annexe.

Discussing new applications councillors had no objections to listed building consent to replace single glazed glass with slimline double glazing (existing wooden window frames to be repainted) at **5 Jane Walker Park** or at **Westwood, Harpers Hill** for a replacement two storey dwelling and cartlodge subject to a condition that ties the cartlodge to residential use ancillary to the main building. Councillors had no objections to the erection of ancillary outbuilding and boiler room including listed building consent at **The Manse, 27 Bear Street** or tree works at **8 Jane Walker Park** including crown clean T1 Ash, T3 Plane, T4 Birch, T5 Poplar, T6 Cherry & T9 Sycamore trees; Crown lift to T2 Sycamore; Crown reduction to T7 Walnut & T8 Willow - covered by Tree Preservation Order BT 217.

Colchester Borough Council have been contacted to ensure Nayland PC is consulted on the application for **Land adjoining Church of All Saints London Road, Great Horkesley** (the glasshouse site) - CBC Application No 160906.

Gerry Battye had reviewed the SALC document on Planning Consultation and shared his findings. The response issued by Suffolk Association of Local Councils was praised. Mary George and Gerry Battye will be attending an informal meeting with neighbouring Parish Councils to discuss Planning.

HOUSING NEEDS SURVEY

The Parish Council had notified Babergh District Council of the intention to go ahead with a Housing Needs Survey along with neighbouring parishes. Concern was been raised regarding the future of sheltered accommodation at Parkers Way when they become vacant. The Chairman had written for information.

ALLOTMENTS

During the recent allotment holders meeting Graham Walker outlined the glebe land initiative and positive responses were gained. Field gates, signage and no parking on the field were also discussed. All were pleased to see sheep had returned. Graham Walker had taken the opportunity to speak to the farmer about the proposals for the field.

Councillors discussed the glebe land initiative and adoption of the scheme out-lined in the report from the working group which was agreed.

Graham Walker will discuss creating a permissive path around the edge of the field with Sally Bartrum, Footpath Warden. A grant from Tesco's was being pursued. The Allotment Field will be discussed at the Annual Parish Assembly.

STREET LIGHTING

The location of the new light was discussed. Prompted by a request for the homeowner to cut back their hedge to make way for the new light, residents in the vicinity have asked for the proposed light to be re-located. Those who had attended the original site meeting with lighting engineers felt the possibility of re-location was unlikely due to the availability of the power supply and also the spacing of the lighting units in the vicinity. It was agreed for the county councillor, James Finch, and Gerry Battye to visit the homeowner to understand their concerns with the suggested location. It was agreed to chase up the outstanding street-lighting upgrades.

RECREATION AND OPEN SPACES

The spate of vandalism in the village was discussed including to private property, trees, at the allotments and the recreation

ground. The incidents have been reported to the Police. A date is being organised for the two yearly tree inspection.

The maintenance regime for Caley Green had been discussed informally between meetings and Mary George explained some of the history and explained where only thistles grew until the regime was changed some years ago. Mary George suggested that a councillor might like to consider what has been done in the past, out-line options available now and report to Council. Mrs Fuller asked if a yellow advertising sign could be removed by our contractors from the give way sign at the A134/Bear Street junction.

HIGHWAYS

Between meetings, potholes had been reported in Wiston and Bear Street. Concern was expressed that the roads are not sufficiently cleared of mud - the Chairman and Clerk would take this further.

Patricia Fuller updated councillors following her meeting with County Highways regarding the sign pointing towards the Village Hall at the Mill Street junction; councillors were happy for the Church and Village Hall to be included on the sign.

The location of a new noticeboard and a cycle rack was discussed. Gerry Battye agreed to investigate the idea of a new noticeboard on the back of the bus shelter at the entrance to Heycroft Way with contractors. The Clerk will contact Babergh DC regarding the possibility of obtaining permission to locate a cycle rack on their grass verge by the junction with Bear Street.

VILLAGE HALL

Patricia Fuller reported that the routine fire inspection at the hall led to some changes to the doors.

BURIAL GROUND

The maintenance priorities agreed with our grounds maintenance contractors had been finished. These included fencing repairs and clearance. The border fencing with the Nursing Home will need attention in the next couple of years.

ANNUAL PARISH ASSEMBLY

It was agreed to ask Inspector Danny Cooper if he could attend the Parish Assembly on 17th May.

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NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Annual Meeting: 11th May 2016

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

PUBLIC FORUM

Stuart Davis of John Davis and Partners, owners on the Nags Corner development, said although they gained planning permission for developing their site for offices and access from Harper's Hill in 2014 the project is not looking financially viable. Rather than exploring alternative uses he suggested the site may be of interest for affordable and social housing.

Mike Hunter raised the issue of recent vandalism around the village and advised of two incidents where a pair of mopeds riding abreast along the A134 very slowly from Nayland to Assington deliberately obstructing traffic. He asked if a representative of Suffolk Police would be at the AGM to discuss this.

Mary George said the police would not be sending a representative but a written report would be available. The police had been informed of incidents to council property and residents had reported incidents. The Parish Clerk has been advised that the police are investigating and the case is a priority.

DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

Melanie Barrett said Babergh and Mid-Suffolk District Councils are looking at the possibility of operating under one roof as a cost cutting measure. Councillors were concerned this was progression to full amalgamation of both councils to become one district council and pointed out this was rejected on a democratic basis by residents as they were concerned about representation at a local level. Councillors expressed dismay that decision making is moving further away from local level.

ELECTION OF PARISH COUNCILLORS

Mary George was elected as chair, election of vice-chair was deferred. Village Hall and Community Council representatives are Tricia Fuller and Martyn Booth respectively.

PLANNING

Reviewing planning applications Mary George said permission had been granted by Babergh at **10 Heycroft Way** for erection of ground and first floor rear extensions and alterations with conditions regarding facing materials and that the double casement window in the bathroom at first floor level shall be glazed in obscured glass and at **8 Jane Walker Park** for tree work to crown clean T1 Ash, T3 Plane, T4 Birch, T5 Poplar, T6 Cherry & T9 Sycamore trees; Crown lift to T2 Sycamore; Crown reduction to T7 Walnut & T8 Willow covered by Tree Preservation Order BT 217.

Permission had been refused at **Park House, Wissington Uplands** to reduce 4 lime trees by up to 50% and 7 holm oak trees covered by Tree Preservation Order BT 217 on the grounds; The trees in question are large prominent specimens that have high amenity value contributing to the attractiveness and character of the locality. They considerably pre-date the adjacent residential development and are important natural features providing wildlife habitat and screening. The application to reduce the trees is not supported by any evidence identifying the necessity of the work. Such pruning would have a detrimental impact upon the character and appearance of the local area and is likely to compromise the health of the trees.

Discussing new applications councillors had no objections to a listed building consent for internal alterations and installation of French doors at **Pound House, Bures Road** or listed building consent at **8 Jane Walker Park** for installation of garage door to existing garage and installation of a wood burning stove and chimney pot to existing chimney or listed building consent at **Star Cottage, 81 Bear Street** for erection of single-storey rear extension with roof light and new flat roof covering.

Councillors had mixed views on listed building consent at **84 Bear Street** for erection of garden building but it was agreed to object on the grounds it was inappropriate in the setting in a conservation area close to the river and a public footpath.

Applications at **Vine House, 1 Court Street** for erection of a two-storey double garage with bedroom accommodation above, following demolition of existing single storey garage and listed building consent at **Old Maltings, 17 Birch Street** for replacement

of windows and the plastering of front and side elevations will be further discussed between meetings.

Councillors discussed the application for **land adjoining Church of All Saints, London Road, Great Horkesley** (site of formerly proposed **Horkesley Park**), CBC Application No 160906, for removal of the existing glasshouses and ancillary buildings; change of use and replacement with a new residential scheme comprising of 18 private dwellings and 4 affordable dwellings. Councillors noted it was no longer viable for the site to return to agricultural use. Their recommendation would be confined to how it affected Nayland with Wissington residents. It was agreed that concerns would be registered including footpaths, safety concerns relating to increased traffic in the narrow London Road, access at the junction with the A134, pedestrians crossing the A134 to the bus stop.

ALLOTMENTS

Graham Walker reported on progress. If the proposed permissive path around the edge of the field is to go ahead the advice of the Dedham Vale Project will be sought. It is necessary that a notice of ownership is displayed for one year. A possible grant from Tesco was being pursued; this entailed submitting a very comprehensive on-line form.

A plan for Glebe Lands will be displayed at the Parish Assembly and Graham will provide a presentation.

RECREATION AND OPEN SPACES

The spate of vandalism around the village is continuing. The PC, the Nayland Land Company and individuals have reported incidents to the Police. Any future incidents should also be reported.

A balance beam on the recently installed play equipment has been damaged. Gerry Battye agreed to make enquiries with contractors regarding repair. Kathleen Cannings advised of vandalism to a bench at Pop's Piece.

An application to place a banner for Open Gardens on Caley Green was approved. Kathleen Cannings has volunteered to research the maintenance history of Caley Green with a view to looking at options for its future maintenance regime.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Martyn Booth reported that following a grant application from the Village Hall Management Committee the Community Council would like confirmation that their grants are always paid into the Endowment Fund and that access to this fund requires the authority of the Parish Council and Community Council.

The Save Our Post Office Campaign are currently not proposing fund raising but want to increase awareness of the services the Post Office offers as all transactions generate income.

IN BRIEF:

Reporting on the burial ground Mary George said that fence panels have been replaced, the five year plan has been updated.

The Parish Council had registered our interest with Babergh District Council to go ahead with a Housing Needs Survey along with neighbouring parishes.

The outstanding upgrades to streetlights were discussed and site meetings are being arranged to resolve the issues.

Gravel Hill will be closed from 31 May to 10 June; UK Power Networks will work alongside BT to replace telegraph poles and associated overhead lines.

A large Oak tree at the end of Fen Street which is leaning will be reported to Highways and pot holes in Bear Street and Stoke Road will be reported. A Tree on Webb's Meadow has been damaged.

CANCER RESEARCH CAKE STALL

Many thanks to all who bought cakes outside Kerridge's on 30th April. We made £100 towards Cancer Research from the sale. Many thanks too to Mr Kerridge for allowing us to use his facilities.

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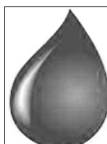
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COMMUNITY COUNCIL REPORT

Meeting: 4th May 2016 Chairman: Neil Barbrook 263619

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Executive Committee: Neil Barbrook said we are very pleased to have Maggie Ryan as Treasurer. She has been kept extremely busy with CC business and Save Our Post Office campaign.

Fundraising Activities: The annual fundraisers of the CC are held in October to December. Ideas for a Spring/Summer fundraiser were briefly discussed. A Valentine's event or Barn Dance were mentioned, but further ideas are requested.

Community Council History & Website: Lorraine Brooks said a new page for 'Grants' has been added to the website. It also now hosts the Save Our Post Office Campaign website.

Progress continues on the CC's history which will be on display in St James' during the Street Fayre.

Village Hall Gardening Morning: Neil Barbrook said the majority of members were unable to attend on 19th March. This was the same morning as the Spring Flower Show. Neil added the CC's section of garden is in reasonable order.

Community Defibrillator: Neil Barbrook recapped on the proposal of having a community defibrillator sited at the Fire Station, which had been given approval by the Fire Service. Iain Wright had agreed to take this project forward in conjunction with the Parish Council. He is liaising with the British Heart Foundation to establish if there are likely to be any future grant opportunities.

Save Our Post Office Campaign: Neil Barbrook and Maggie Ryan reported on the situation since a public meeting on 22nd March to establish if there was support within the village to safeguard the future of our Post Office. A SOPO committee was formed; members include Roy Chapman, Neil Barbrook, Maggie Ryan and Bryan Smith.

Meetings have been held with the postmistress, Patsie Ford, and a Post Office Authorities representative. SOPO have been analysing the accounts and will prepare projections for any possible future scenarios that are identified. This may involve an opportunity for community franchise or PO Local status. PO Limited no longer appear to be promoting the franchise of this PO.

SOPO are currently not proposing to undertake any fund raising but want to increase awareness of the various over the counter services the Post Office offers in the hope that people will use these services more, as all transactions generate income. Promotion is displayed around the village and in the Community Times - please encourage others to support the PO.

SOPO updates can be found on <http://www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk/PostOffice.html> or the [Nayland: Save Our Post Office Campaign](#) Facebook page - please help spread the word.

Donation of '50' Sign: Iris Sebba has kindly offered a carved wooden 50 sign. Members were grateful; this would be useful for the CC anniversary celebrations.

New Scout Group: Sara Strover has advised of the possibility of a new Scout Group being established and that a grant application to help with setting up costs may be submitted.

GRANTS & DONATIONS

Village Hall Endowment Fund: The VHMFC have asked for £1,000 towards this fund, which was set up: *"to secure the future and to safeguard against unexpected emergencies"*.

It was pointed out that a grant of £3,500 has already been awarded to the VH this year; although a grant towards the Endowment Fund has been awarded every year since 2007, in 2010 when they received a large grant of £2,916 they waived an additional request for the Endowment Fund. Several members thought they should do so again.

Taking the grant request to the vote there were 5 for and 5 against. Rather than the chairman making a casting vote it was agreed to defer a decision to the next meeting when more members will have the opportunity to vote - either by attendance or in writing in accordance with the voting policy.

Conservation Society: The grant of £500 towards historical investigation work at Court Knoll is being held by the CC until

required for the project. Andora Carver thanked the CC for their generosity and said it is hoped work will take place in September.

Mother & Toddler Group: A grant of £150 towards a shortfall in current running costs due to fluctuating attendance has been paid. The group have been promoting themselves to boost attendance. New leaders are being sought to take over from September.

Grant Application Guidelines: Since the last meeting the draft grant guidelines and application form had progressed taking on board previous feedback. The Grant Guidelines and application form was adopted. This is available to download on <http://www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk/Grants.html> or from the chairman or secretary. Copies will also be placed in the Post Office.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Maggie Ryan extended thanks to all the members who have helped in her new role as Treasurer.

Main income includes: Community Times £1582.50, Calendar £565, Donation £135. Main expenditure includes: Community Times £419, Grants £3650 (Village Hall Kitchen £3,500, Mother & Toddler Group £150). We hold £414 for First Response, £270 for the Services Fund and the following grants; £150 for the Local History Exhibition and £500 for the Conservation Society Court Knoll. Therefore **unencumbered assets are £18,221.20**.

Maggie suggested online banking would offer greater efficiency and this was agreed.

The meeting thanked Maggie for her hard work and achievements with the CC's financial matters.

Community Times: Lorraine Brooks she would be grateful to receive photos of the Street Fayre - the more the merrier - for the CT and the CC's website.

Village Calendar: Lorraine Brooks expressed thanks to all who entered the competition; there were several new photographers and some very good photos entered. There were 138 photographs displayed and it was a pleasant afternoon with visitors stopping to chat and have refreshments. Thanks were due to the calendar team and helpers for their commitment and Hazel Gardiner for supplying the refreshments.

The calendar is now coming together and will be available in time for the Street Fayre. Authorisation of expenditure for printing was agreed; Spingold has provided an excellent service. The CC thanked the Calendar Team for their hard work.

FORTHCOMING ACTIVITIES:

Street Fayre - Sunday 17th July 2016: [See report on page 8.](#)

2016 Dates: Calendar Competition Monday 2nd May, Fun Quiz Friday 7th October, Fireworks Saturday 5th November, Christmas Fayre Saturday 4th December.

SOCIETY REPORTS

Art Group: Colin Ramsell said they will be transforming the Church Hall into an art gallery for an exhibition of their work on 14th May. There will be refreshments and a raffle. Their work will also be on display in St James' during the Street Fayre. They are planning an outing to Pin Mill. The group continues to meet on Wednesday afternoons at 2-4pm.

Royal British Legion: Alex Murrison said there has been a national consultation regarding the future of the Women's Section and it is proposed they fully integrate with the men - developments for branch participation are awaited.

Today 21 members and friends enjoyed a visit to the Imperial War Museum and Duxford Airfield. The next outing on 8th June is to Debach Airfield near Woodbridge - contact Andrew Gowen 262534 if interested. Further visits proposed are to Brightlingsea Museum and Sizewell Power Station. At the next meeting members will present reminiscences of the 1916 Battle of the Somme - at the Anchor, 7.30 for 8pm.

Parish Council: Martyn Booth reminded the meeting of the Parish Assembly on 17th May which would discuss future management of the Allotment Field. He added there is still a vacancy for a councillor on the PC. He advised that the PC has decided



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- **Pay most of your utility bills;** electricity, gas, telephone, (there is a charge for water), council tax by arrangement
- **Collect your pension or benefits payments**
- **Withdraw money from most current accounts** (not business)
- **Pay cheques into current accounts:** Barclays, Lloyds, TSB, NatWest, RBS, Co-op, Smile, Cahoot, HSBC, First Direct, M&S Bank
- **Pay cash into current accounts:** Lloyds and NatWest via your normal deposit slip, or you can arrange for your bank to pay in cash at the Post Office and they add the facility to your bank card
- **Santander transactions:** business or personal cheque deposit and cash is available with prior arrangement with them
- **Foreign currency:** Euros available on demand, other currencies by order (before 4pm for next day)
- **Collection mail items:** for online shopping or for missed deliveries
- **Home shopping returns** via Royal Mail can be made
- **Purchase postal orders or One4all Gift Cards**
- **Buy your Environment Agency Fishing Rod Licence**
- **Arrange to have your mail redirected** if you are moving house or **Keepsafe™** if you are going on holiday
- **And of course, you can buy stamps, post letters and parcels,** whether first or second class, by air, or recorded/registered delivery. You can also get **advice** on the best way to send your mail and get free proof of postage certificates.

So save your time, your fuel and beat the queues at banks.....

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to conduct a Housing Needs Survey (the last being carried out about 10 years ago). They are still considering sites for a cycle rack and how the old bust shelter could be put to better use.

Conservation Society: Andora Carver thanked the CC for their grant. Open Gardens will be on 12th June and anyone willing to open their garden should contact Andora on 262970. At the open meeting on 27th June Chris Hunt will compere *'Further Reminiscences of Nayland and Wiston Village Life'*.

Nayland Choir: Rob Swan said they are currently practising for a spring concert on 15th May. They are hoping to participate in a large event with Bury Choir at Bury Cathedral. They recently purchased an amplifier/speaker /microphone system with a grant from the County Councillor, James Finch. This is available for other groups to use.

HortSoc: Lorraine Brooks said the Church Hall was bursting at the seams for a very interesting talk by Andrew Sankey on *'A Year in the Life of a Cottage Garden'*. The Spring Show was a very colourful, fragrant occasion with lots of visitors calling in for refreshments and a chat. The AGM and Fun Quiz went well.

Their main fundraiser, the Morning Market is on 21st May; plants including bedding and vegetables, cakes & preserves will be on sale, there will be refreshments and raffle. The June outing to the Hindringham Hall Garden & Oxburgh Hall is fully booked. The summer Garden Party will be on 8th July, we will have a stall at the Street Fayre on 17th July and the Flower Show is on 6th August.

Village Players: They are currently rehearsing for Noel Coward's much-loved ghostly comedy *'Blithe Spirit'*. Performances will be on 12th-14th May at 8pm (bar open 7.30pm).

Women's Institute: Wendy Sparrow said they had a talk about The Associated Country Women of the World in April. This month they will discuss Resolutions to put forward to the

National Annual Meeting and on 20th June Martyn Roper will be talking about East Anglian place names..

Woodland Corner: Tricia Hall said they are very busy at the moment and they have a good number of bookings for September when some children will move up to school. Their next fund-raising event is the very popular Barn Dance on 11th June.

Book Club: About 8-9 members meet monthly and they read a variety of books; their last book was *Leaving Time* by Jodi Picoult, the current book is *Firefight* by Chris Ryan which they will discuss at their next meeting in early June. Anyone interested in joining them should contact Jane Barbrook.

Table Tennis Group: Neil Barbrook said they had a visit from the Table Tennis England London and South East Development Manager who gave us a coaching session. They continue to play each Monday afternoons 2pm-3.30pm, new players would be welcome.

Village Hall: Additional committee members are required. There was a record attendance of 105 for April's film, 'The Lady in The Van', but attendance was poor for May's film 'Brooklyn'.

St James' Church: Andora reminded members of the Fete on 30th May and asked for volunteers to help out. The new vicar, Revd Mark Woodrow, will be moving into Nayland vicarage and licensing will take place on 21st July at St Mary's Stoke by Nayland.

AOB: Vandalism: Colin Moule raised the issue of recent vandalism in the village. It was noted incidents had occurred all over the village; from the allotments to High Street, Richard's Wood and up to The Heights. Martyn Booth said the Parish Council have passed this on to the police.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING: will be **Wednesday 6th July** in the Church Hall at 8pm with Exec at 7.30pm

NAYLAND STREET FAYRE

Sunday 17th July 2016, 11am-4pm:

After nearly a year of planning the Nayland Community Council Street Fayre Committee have created a fun family day out to celebrate 50 years of the Community Council. The 1960s themed event will start at 11am with the official opening by President Ken Willingale and a medley of 1960s songs from the Nayland school choir. Throughout the day there will be scheduled performances on staging outside the dentist from various performers including the Village Players, Nayland Choir and The Caverners (1960s band).

The street will be alive with activities for you all to enjoy: vintage car rides to Stoke by Nayland, a shooting range, children's roundabout, face painting, community art project, photo booth, plant/produce stalls, Pimms bar, jewellery/upholstery stalls, table tennis, quizzes, punch and Judy, baguette stall and much, much more.

The church will be open to house an art exhibition and display the 50 year history of the Community Council kindly researched and put together by Lorraine Brooks. Within the church there will also be an opportunity to win a spectacular flower display created by Jo Murrison on behalf of the church flower arrangers.

We hope that as many of the village as possible will engage in celebrating this 50 year achievement of the Community Council by entering one of the competitions. Either by entering the dress the doll competition (see the separate sheet in this issue of the Community Times or download from www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk) and/or entering the 60s themed fancy dress competition. There will be prizes in

the fancy dress in the following categories under 7 years, 8-11 years, 12-17 years, adult and there will also be a prize for the best group entry which could be a family or stall entry. So let us see you all start getting your 1960s wardrobes together to make this a street fayre to remember. All entries for the fancy dress to meet at the church porch at 12.50 ready for the parade to start from the church at 1pm.

As well as all these street activities the Blue Owl will be open for business and the Anchor will be open late into the evening for family games, barbeque and more live 1960s music.

This is an event not to be missed. Due to a generous Community Council grant, entry is free, so put the date in your diary and come along and enjoy this village family day out. Parking for the day will be limited to the Anchor field so we please request that village residents walk into the village wherever possible.

Look forward to seeing you all on 17th July.

*Claire Buller – Street Fayre Committee organiser
on behalf of Nayland Community Council.*

1960s MEMORABILIA TABLE WHAT DO YOU HAVE TUCKED AWAY?

We are planning on having a 1960s memorabilia table at the Street Fayre and would like to hear from anyone who has any iconic 1960s item/s that they would be prepared to loan for the day. If so please contact Claire Buller at clairejbuller@gmail.com or 263344.



Since the Public Meeting on March 22nd we have been in discussions with the Postmistress regarding the current situation and the future, including her own plans.

We are not currently proposing any fund raising, although we may need to do some at some future point. Instead we are trying to increase awareness of the various services available over the counter at the Post Office as the income generated will help produce a more sustainable future.

The possible future scenarios are as follows:-

- Someone comes forward to take it on as a commercial venture.
- The Post Office remains as it is now and when the Postmistress retires it ceases trading.
- It is taken on in some form by the Community.

We have met with the Post Office Authorities, and are currently in dialogue with them to ascertain what the future possibilities are regarding community involvement, and it appears there may be two options. Either of these would no doubt mean a lengthy and detailed application process where we would have to demonstrate that we have the financial capability and the ability to run it successfully, the level of community support, and being able to meet various criteria, including evidence that no other business is interested in taking it on, etc. etc. We would also need a Business Plan and the compilation of a fairly lengthy document as a Presentation Document.

If in the future the village decides on proceeding with a form of community Post Office, there are certain things to consider.

Primarily, we would need to have a strong team in place both during the application stage and also - if we were to be successful - for the running of it, where everyone would be expected to play a role.

We are investigating the financial implications of running a community branch under both available options. We are also gathering information from business stakeholders to see whether they wish to register an interest in running the Post Office business.

We need to speak to possible funding sources and are already in contact with an organisation who provide practical assistance in going down a 'Community Route'. We have also started speaking to other villages who have gone down a similar route.

In order to move forward, and to ensure we have all the facts and figures etc. we really need some more people to join us who would be prepared to get involved with the many aspects, including doing research, making contact with others, establishing the pros and cons of various scenarios, so that we can all make an informed decision about how we move forward.

At some point in the near future the community of Nayland will have a big decision to make regarding the Post Office, and which route, if any, we go down and we need to be happy that we not only have the support of the village but that we also have the team in place at all stages.

In the meantime flyers have been distributed to make everyone aware of the services available at the Post Office, so please use it whenever you can.

We are intending to hold an Open Meeting at the Anchor on Wednesday 20th July at 7.45 for 8pm where we will give an update of where we are.

But we do need your help so if you would like to join us please get in touch as soon as possible with one of the following team members:

Neil Barbrook	263619 nbarbrook@hotmail.com
Roy Chapman	262628
Bryan Smith	262430
Maggie Ryan	262837

Nayland Post Office Campaign Team

Live 60s Band

Family Fun

1960s NAYLAND STREET FAYRE

Sunday 17 July

11am-4pm Free Entry

Fancy Dress Parade/Competition
www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk

Street Entertainment

Stalls

Food & Drink

TAKE A STEP BACK IN TIME WITH US - COME IN 1960s THEME DRESS



All entries for the fancy dress competition should meet at the church porch at 12.50 ready for the parade to start from the church at 1pm.

There will be prizes in the fancy dress in the following categories under 7 years, 8-11 years, 12-17 years, adult and there will also be a prize for the best group entry which could be a family or stall entry.

Fashion in the 1960s was an extreme style and attitude from the start of the decade to the end. It was a time that featured a number of diverse trends and broke many fashion traditions, mirroring social and cultural movements during the time. It was the era of the Hippie, flower power, bellbottoms, miniskirts, the Beehive, psychedelic rock, mods and rockers, Twiggy, Mary Quant, The Beatles, Elvis Presley, Rolling Stones, Andy Warhol, Jimi Hendrix, James Bond 007 and much, much more.. so there's plenty of scope!



Nayland-with-Wissington Conservation Society
Registered Charity No 268104

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SUNDAY
JUNE 12th

2-6 pm

£5

Children free

Tickets from Gardens & Hall

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FOR MEMBERS

Friday 17th July

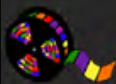
7.30pm at Parkers, Bear Street

For your free ticket please contact Lorraine
01206 262807 or lorraine.nayland@btinternet.com

In case of inclement weather we need to restrict numbers
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- Tour of the lovely gardens
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HUGH JACKMAN

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Friday 29th July

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MEMORIES OF NAYLAND & WISTON

Further Reminiscences
of village life

compered by Chris Hunt



MONDAY 27th JUNE

7.40 for 8pm

Nayland Village Hall

All are most welcome

www.naylandconservation.org.uk

WOODLAND CORNER PRESENTS

BARN DANCE

FAMILY TICKET £35

SATURDAY 11TH JUNE 2016

£15 includes BBQ

NAYLAND VILLAGE HALL

5.30PM – 9.30PM

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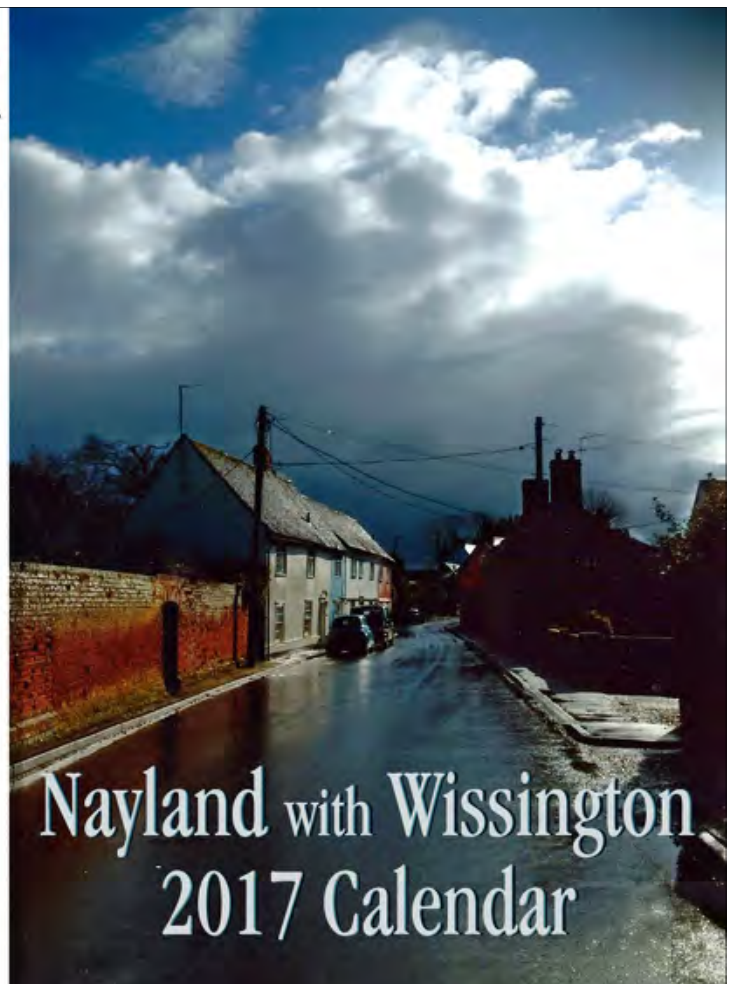
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Calendars will be on sale from
17th July at the Street Fayre
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Nayland Flower Show

After this they will be on sale at various village events,
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THE VILLAGE PLAYERS OPEN AUDITIONS

for our forthcoming production of

Cinderella

1-3 DECEMBER 2016

CHILDREN'S CHORUS AUDITION

Sunday 10 July 5-6pm, Nayland Church Hall

We are looking for 12 performers to make up our children's chorus, ideally aged 9-14 years. Some singing required, enthusiasm and ability to concentrate and work as part of a group essential.

ADULT & YOUNG ADULT AUDITIONS

Sunday 10 July 6-7pm, Wednesday 13 July 7pm

Nayland Church Hall

Ugly sisters, a wicked stepmother, faithful Buttons, Cinderella... There are some great parts for all ages, come along and get involved in this fun production.

If you are interested in helping backstage we would love to hear from you!

For further details, contact Emma Wallis 07942 778536,
emmawallis1@btinternet.com



Nayland & District
Horticultural Society

SUMMER FLOWER SHOW

Saturday 6th August
2pm-5pm Nayland Village Hall - Admission 50p
Produce Stall, Teas, Raffle, Nayland Calendar 2017



Classes for: Vegetables, Fruit, Flowers, Flower Arranging, Cookery, Preserves, Art & Craft, Photography, plus Children's & Family's Sections - open to non-members - entries by 3rd August
Show schedules available at Nayland shops, Lorraine 262807 or www.naylandhortsoc.org.uk

HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW NAYLAND CHURCH?



St James Church has been at the heart of Nayland for over 500 years, but how much do you know about it?

Why is it here? Who built and paid for it?

What was the fashion in church building at the time?

What are the signs and symbols to look for?

If you have any questions, and more, a history and tour of the church by Mr Clive Payne will take place on FRIDAY 17TH JUNE, starting at 7pm.

Cost will be £6 per person and will include refreshments after.

Clive has studied Suffolk history for many years. He regularly lectures on the subject, particularly churches, and brings groups of students to visit St James. He also has a number of books published. This event is held on behalf of the Historic Churches Trust. Please support this worthwhile event.



Nayland & District
Horticultural Society

Hanging Basket Competition

Why not join the friendly rivalry?

Open to HortSoc members
(within 5 miles)

Winner receives £10

Entry costs just 10p

Closing date for entries

Saturday 23rd July

Judging takes place in situ on

Saturday 30th July

Prizes presented at the Flower Show on 6th August

Entry forms are available in the Show schedules

or from the Post Office or Kerridges

on www.naylandhortsoc.org.uk/SummerShow

or from Lorraine 262807

or Trevor 262022

www.naylandhortsoc.org.uk



NAYLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL HSA

Summer Fete

Saturday 25th June 2016

11am-1pm

TUCK SHOP • RAFFLE • BOUNCY CASTLE

TOMBOLA • HUMAN FOOTBALL

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FACE PAINTING AND TATTOOS

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All proceeds to Nayland Primary School HSA



STOUR BORDER Country Music Club

Nayland Village Hall 7.30 - 10.30

Admission, usually £5, doors open 7pm

No bar – please bring your own drinks.

Tea/coffee & light refreshments available

SUNDAY 19TH JUNE

‘Spinning Wheel’

A welcome return for this popular duo

First time here for this popular duo

SUNDAY 24TH JULY

‘Declan Gaynor’

A welcome return for this crowd pulling artist from Ireland

SUNDAY 21ST AUGUST

‘Jonny & Lynnette’

A welcome return for this popular duo



Nayland & District Horticultural Society CHILDREN'S & FAMILY'S CLASSES NAYLAND FLOWER SHOW

Saturday 6th August
2pm-5pm Nayland Village Hall

An animal or person made from vegetables and/or fruit
Cardboard Creation
'I grew this myself'
Jar of named wild flowers
Decorated cresshead
Garden-on-a-plate
Photo: 'I took this photo myself'
Decorated fairy cakes



Entries in by 3 August. Children's classes are free to enter. Youngsters can also enter other classes for: Vegetables, Fruit, Flowers, Flower Arranging, Cookery, Preserves, Art, Craft & Photography
Show schedules available at local shops, Lorraine 262807 or www.naylandhortsoc.org.uk



Nayland Primary School HSA
invites you to their

Summer Ball

at Le Talbooth, Dedham
Friday 1st July 2016

Reception Drinks
Three Course Dinner
Disco
Auction & Grand Raffle
Photographer
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Dress: Formal/Black Tie

For more information contact:
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MONDAY 30th MAY 2016
NAYLAND PLAYING FIELD
STALLS OPEN AT 2pm

A huge thank you to everyone who helped at this year's Church Fete on 30thth May, especially to those who had not been involved before. It is wonderful that so many people rally round, come rain or shine, to make this such a special afternoon. The success of the Fete is dependent on what we have to sell, how many visitors turn up and the weather, which we can do nothing about. It is lovely to welcome our loyal supporters who come year after year. This year we are particularly grateful to everyone who so generously donated such a lot of splendid items to sell.

Thanks to our new sponsors, Stoke by Nayland Hotel Golf Spa, and our regular supporters, David Burr, Reeman Dansie, Buggs Skips and Gladwins Farm as well as to the generous providers of raffle prizes, including, The Anchor, Blue Owl, David Burr, Colchester Wine Company, The Crown, Melissa's hairdresser. The Lion, Leavenheath also generously donated a sideshow prize. Once again Arthritis Research, Colchester, kindly took the left over items and some of the books have also been given to the NSPCC.

The Classic Cars made another spectacular display thanks to all the owners who brought along their precious vehicles. We much appreciate having the Nayland Fire Service in attendance once again. Last but not least I would like to give my special thanks to the Fete Committee who worked extremely hard over several months to ensure everything ran smoothly on the day.

Next year's fete will be on Monday 29th May 2017. If you have ideas for improvements and different stalls or sideshows, please let us know.

Andora Carver, Chairman, Fete Committee

NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT FOR THE PARISH ASSEMBLY - MAY 2016

Five councillors were elected in May 2015 and three more were co-opted during the Summer. There is still one vacancy for a co-opted councillor. Please contact the Parish Clerk if you are interested in becoming a Parish Councillor.

FINANCE

Finance is increasingly challenging within the constraints of government capping of council tax, continuing phasing out of grants paid to parishes by the District and discontinuation of DEFRA stewardship income for the Allotment Field. The precept budget for 2016-2017 was increased by 1.5%. We are being expected to pick up the costs of services cut by Suffolk and Babergh.

We are working on a five year asset management plan so that we can forecast income and expenditure accurately. We continue to use our capital investment fund for long term projects and the village hall building. Council accounts are going through the annual independent audit process and will be available to the public as usual. The end of year balance includes sums for work planned or ordered before April but not yet invoiced.

Unfortunately the recent spate of vandalism on parish property will cost several hundred pounds for fence and seat repairs, removal of damaged trees and a replacement beam on play equipment installed two years ago. All incidents have been reported and we urge residents to give any information they have to the police.

POLICE COVER

Councillors were shocked to receive a letter from Police Commissioner Tim Passmore the week before Christmas telling us that in future there would be no PCSO covering our villages. Parish and Town Councils were asked to cover the cost of future PCSO provision – a charge of approx £33,000 per year per officer or we could choose to share the cost of one PCSO to cover several parishes. That figure is similar to our entire precept income for the year. Even half a day's PCSO time per week would have meant a ten per cent increase beyond the capped limit to be paid by each household, something that councils are not allowed to do without triggering a costly referendum. We were unable to take up this 'offer' and there was disbelief amongst parish and town councils that the request came after budgets for 2016 to 2017 had been approved at council meetings in public as required by law to meet the January deadline. We wrote a letter of complaint to the Police Commissioner and Chief Constable, who appear to have no understanding the restrictions on council budget timescales or the limited funds available to parishes.

STREETLIGHTING

This five year capital project will be completed by 2018. Most of the lights have been changed to energy efficient LED lanterns, with Gravel Hill, Fen Street and other lights in the next group. There are already savings on electricity costs and light pollution has decreased.

ALLOTMENTS

The Parish Council is in the process of creating a new management plan for the field and allotments to protect this agricultural land for the future use as grazing and hay crop or allotment extension. There are 4 people on the waiting list but tenancies can come up unexpectedly. Allotment provision can be increased if there is enough viable interest. Allotments are only available to residents of Nayland or Wiston.

CALEY GREEN

We will be reviewing plans that were tried about fifteen years ago regarding the maintenance regime for the green. Suffolk CC owns the land and is responsible for the trees, but they have no plans for any replanting in the event of ash dieback or storm damage. As you know, we lost a couple of willows and a mature ash from the Green over past couple of years.

LOCAL HOUSING SURVEY

In 2015 one of the few remaining council houses was sold on the open market in Wiston without it being made available to local people when it became vacant. The Parish Council protested at the sale, but we were advised that it is now government policy to sell council houses in 'high value' areas, and that the house itself was too costly to bring it up to modern standards. It was galling to see the house being marketed as in a desirable and convenient location, while Babergh decided that it was 'too remote', despite the fact that it is within a mile of school, shops and public transport. The proceeds of the sale will go into the general Babergh housing budget rather than directly benefiting residents of this parish. In Nayland, two bedroomed houses are being advertised for private rental of between £850 and £1,200 a month, and some smaller houses are now only available as holiday lettings. This does nothing to help young people, or lower income families or elderly people downsizing, who are unable to stay within the parish where they will have family support. It is now several years since nine local needs housing units were built in Harpers Way and Wiston Road so the Parish Council has registered the decision to undertake another full housing needs survey. We will combine forces with adjoining parishes that suffer from similar housing problems in an increasingly expensive area. Recent Government legislation years requires this to include private as well as social development needs.

PLANNING

Between May 2015 and April 2016 Parish Councillors discussed thirty planning applications mainly for alterations or small extensions or tree work.

FIRE SERVICE REVIEW AND CONSULTATION

The parish council objected to the proposed reduction of cover in Sudbury as this would have a knock-on effect for our station. Unfortunately, Sudbury campaigners called for the closure of Nayland instead. We made a successful case for supporting Sudbury but not at Nayland's expense and we now have a full crew at Nayland.

HIGHWAYS AND LITTER

The proposed speed limit on A134 was welcomed after thirty years of asking for this anomaly of an unlimited road with a high accident rate cutting through a residential area to be remedied.

The Parish Council has complained to Babergh and Suffolk about the quality of quarterly roadsweeping, delays in removing debris from roads and verges and blocked drains.

Volunteers of all ages took part in a community litterpick in April while our own contractors concentrated on A134 and Wiston verges which should be done regularly by Babergh. Together they collected almost forty sacks of rubbish but these volunteers had been working for months on footpaths and on the allotment field clearing rubbish and dog poo bags by less responsible walkers who seem to expect others to clear up after them.

I would like to thank all community volunteers, fellow councillors and our Parish Clerk for all their support and their hard work during the year. We were very pleased that both our nominations for Community Service Awards, Rosemary Knox and Wendy Sparrow, were successful.

Nayland Over 60s

LUNCHEON CLUB

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

Tuesday 28 June

**Tuesday 19 July Summer Tea Party
at Longwood Barn
(August : No Lunch)**

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.

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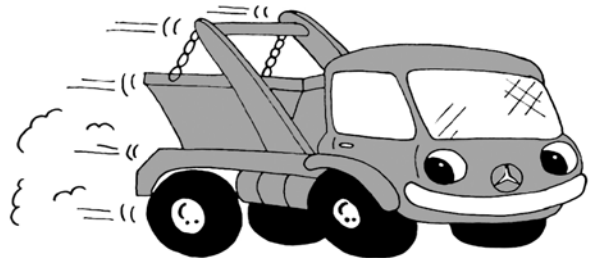
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MAY DAY WALK

The Conservation Society guided footpath walk on the early May Bank Holiday saw 24 intrepid walkers set out from Court Knoll and cross the newly restored Merles footbridge as part of a circular route to reach Little Horkesley Hall the beautiful home of Johnny and Polly Eddis.

Polly and her gardener Glenn Deering gave the walkers a tour of her delightful gardens rounded off with tea and cake.

The return route to Nayland was slightly curtailed due to the advancing black clouds and rain but the party managed to avoid the heavy downpour that arrived soon after reaching the village.



Nayland & District Horticultural Society

Coach outing to

Wrest Park and Hopleys Plants & Gardens

Sunday 4th September

Coach leaving Nayland 8.30am, return from Hopleys Plants 5pm. The cost will be £30 (£21 *English Heritage* members) to include travel, entry to both venues and a tour of Hopleys Gardens. Open to non-members.

These are popular venues so please book early to avoid disappointment. Please complete the booking form below and send, with your payment to:

L Brooks, 50 Gravel Hill, Nayland CO6 4JB or place in the Community Times box in the Post Office.

Cheques payable to *Nayland & District Horticultural Society*.

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At Wrest Park discover over 90 acres of beautiful gardens showcasing French, Dutch, Italian and English styles side by side and on the ground floor of the Mansion House learn about the story of the estate and the de Grey family who lived there for over 600 years. The gardens and Dairy Sculpture Gallery contain a remarkable collection of 18th- and 19th-century statues.

Hopleys in Much Hadham has a fine four-acre garden with some excellent plants, and the nursery, now one of the finest perennial nurseries, was established in 1968. The nursery offers an extensive choice of hardy shrubs and perennials, with many half-hardy plants too.

Wrest Park and Hopley's Plants & Gardens Booking Form

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Thanks to Anne Spencer for capturing this amusing scene of Goosey waiting for the number 84. Goosey goosey gander has stopped wandering for a while and taken up residence by the bus stop in Bear Street which has charmed local residents. He is obviously no fool as passers by have been stopping off to provide him with plenty of tasty treats. View this in the colour version of the CT at www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk/CommunityTimes.html

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

ROGATION SUNDAY & PALM SUNDAY PROCESSION



On Sunday 1st May, parishioners and children marked Rogation Sunday by taking part in the annual trailer ride around the village to Wiston. On the way we blessed the crops and animals, and gave thanks for our villages and communities. The service was led by David Pryor, Lay Elder. We finished at Wiston Mill for a wonderful tea laid on by Suki Cohen and her team.



Easter Holy Week included a traditional procession from Carver's Barn to St James', led by Adrian Coley and the Churchwardens, to the Benefice Communion conducted by Revd Jackie Sephton with members of Nayland Choir [Palm Sunday photos David Rowe]



Nayland with Wissington Society News



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

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

We had a very enjoyable visit to Duxford helped by perfect weather and we hope that people will join us on our trip to Debach airfield museum on 8 June (we have 3 spaces), our trip to Brightlingsea on 14 September which includes a boat trip, and our visit to Sizewell Nuclear Power station on 26 October. All are welcome and membership of the Branch is not required. Let Andrew Gowen know soonest if you are interested.

Andrew Gowen led in a presentation of the Somme Offensive 1916, with John Partridge outlining some of his father's experiences in the war and Chris Hunt bringing us down to earth with some of the realities of that terrible battle. We meet in the Anchor for a few pre meeting drinks and are finding that combining our meetings with a talk is going down well. We are open to others who might like to join us ; you do not have to have a service connection.

We intend using the Street Fayre as an opportunity to recruit more members. We shall provide details of all our activities in the hope that others might join us; we do try to make Branch membership interesting. Branches in Great Horkesley and Stoke have all closed and we hope to recruit from these villages. Do not worry we are doing other things – plant stall; games for the children, Quiz and a veteran car ride to Stoke!

Our next meeting is in the Anchor, downstairs in the garden room, at 8pm on Monday 18th July which will include a talk on the Landmark Trust. We shall meet at 7.30 for pre-meeting drinks.



NAYLAND CINEMA

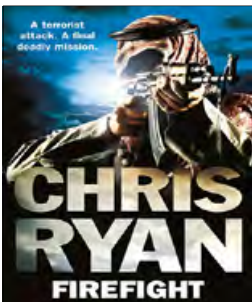
Chris Thompson Secretary V.H.M.C.

The film on 27th May, just as this issue of the CT is being distributed, will be **'Bridge of Spies'** with Tom Hanks and Mark Rylance and directed by Steven Spielberg.

We will be showing **A Bigger Splash** on Friday 24th June. This film is beautifully filmed on an Italian island and explores the relationships when rock star (Tilda Swinton) who is vacationing with her boyfriend (Matthias Schoenaerts) is unexpectedly visited by an old flame (Ralph Fiennes) and his seductive daughter (Dakota Johnson).

Eddie the Eagle on Friday 29th July is a feel-good true story about Michael "Eddie" Edwards (Taron Egerton), an unlikely but courageous British ski-jumper who never stopped believing in himself. With the help of a rebellious and charismatic coach (played by Hugh Jackman), Eddie wins the hearts of sports fans around the world by making an improbable and historic showing at the 1988 Calgary Winter Olympics.

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.



BOOK CLUB

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The book club has about 7-8 members meeting monthly. Anyone interested in joining is welcome to contact Jane Barbrook.

We have been reading a variety of books; the last book was *Leaving Time* by Jodi Picoult and the current book, which we will meet to review on 14th June, is *Firefight* by Chris Ryan.



TABLE TENNIS CLUB

Neil Barbrook 263619 or 07817 449920 nbarbrook@hotmail.com

The Nayland Table Tennis Club continues to meet on Mondays at 2-3.30pm at the Village Hall. New members are very welcome so just come along to the Village Hall to see us or ring Neil Barbrook.

We had a visit from the Table Tennis England Development Manager, who gave us an interesting coaching session, and has promised to return.

Playing with four tables, we have plenty of room for everyone, and new members are still very welcome so just come along to the Village Hall to see us or ring Neil Barbrook on 263619. No previous experience necessary !

The group will be taking part in the Nayland Street Fayre on July 17th.



NAYLAND LUNCHEON CLUB FOR OVER 60S

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The next luncheon will be on Tuesday 28th June. The Summer Tea Party at Longwood Barn will be on 19th July. There will be no luncheon in August but they will resume again on Tuesday 27th September. 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.



HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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Chair: Trevor Smy 262022



Trevor Smy welcomed 34 members to the **Annual General Meeting and Fun Quiz** evening on 19th April. He said 2015 had been another good year for HortSoc and its enthusiastic committee. He thanked Ken Willingale for auditing the accounts, Pat Bray for her press coverage, Andrew and Sue Gowen for hosting the summer party and the committee for their support. He expressed thanks to those who are not on the committee but offer invaluable help with various tasks during the year and those who donate plants, produce, cakes, raffle prizes for events. Last but certainly not least he thanked all our members for their support in making our activities so successful and enjoyable.

Officers re-elected were Trevor Smy (chair), Lorraine Brooks (sec), Margaret Smy (treasurer), Hazel Gardiner, Colin Ramsell, Sheila Wildish and Sylvia Bond, Shirley Whitnell and Jane Barbrook (committee). Anne Spencer has resigned from the committee, but hopefully may be back when she has more free time. Presenting her with an orchid, Trevor said Anne first joined the committee in 1997, so has been involved almost 20 years, including a spell as Treasurer. We will miss her wicked sense of humour, amusing stories, delicious cakes as well as her valuable support.

Following the fairly brief formalities members settled down to find the solutions to the fun quiz with horticulture in mind. The identity of a very nutritious plant often used in salads with the botanical name *Nasturtium officinale* caught most teams out (*the answer was Watercress*) and the name of the group who had a 1968 hit with 'Build Me Up Buttercup' (*answer was the Foundations*) produced a variety of answers! The winners were 'The Roses' on 60 points followed by 'Thornbirds and Another' on 57½ points, and 'Red Roses' on 54 points.

The **Morning Market** held on Saturday 21st May was very busy as visitors snapped up the array of bedding, vegetable and perennial plants, delicious cakes and preserves or had a flutter on the raffle. As usual there was a very happy atmosphere to relax and enjoy refreshments with friends. We are very grateful to everyone who supported the market by donating items for sale or for the raffle, helping us man the stalls or coming along on the day. This is our main fundraising event which helps generate funds for our activities.

We are hoping for good weather for our next activities. If you are interested in coming on the coach outing to **Hindringham Hall Garden and Oxburgh Hall & Garden** in Norfolk on 15th June do let Lorraine know on 262807. Free tickets are now available for our annual **Summer Garden Party** on 8th July by kind invitation of Andrew and Sue Gowen - again let Lorraine know if you would like tickets. We will be having a stall at the Nayland Street Fayre on 17th July to support the Community Council's 50th anniversary - do pop along to see us. We will be selling plants, and tasty biscuits, cakes and preserves and the 2017 Nayland with Wissington calendar - us usual donations for our stall would be much appreciated.

Our annual **Flower Show** is fast approaching..... on **6th August** and will be preceded by the Hanging Basket competition which will be judged in situ with results revealed at the show. Schedules are available from the Post Office, Kerridge's, Blue Owl, the Village Stores, Forget Me Not, on our website or from Lorraine or Trevor. Non-members are welcome to entry classes.

Subjects for the **photography** section will be '**An Interesting Building**' and '**A Country Lane**', and in the children's section '**I took this photograph myself**' so don't forget to get out and about with your cameras soon to capture some colourful shots.

We are starting to take bookings for the coach outing on Monday 4th September to to **Wrest Park and Hopley's Plants & Gardens** in Hertfordshire; there is a booking form on page 20 and more details available on our website or from the secretary. This is open to non-members and the cost is £30, to include travel, entrance at both venues and a tour of Hopley's Garden.



Thinking caps on at HortSoc's AGM & Fun Quiz



NAYLAND WITH WISSINGTON CONSERVATION SOCIETY

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Annual Footpath Walk

This year our annual footpath walk took on yet another new format when a group of about twenty four members and friends walked from Court Street to Little Horkesley Hall, where they were treated to a tour of the garden by Mrs Polly Eddies and Glen Deering who looks after the gardens. Some more members joined us at the Hall and after a delicious tea, we walked back to Nayland via the public footpath and Water Lane. Thanks to Mike Hunter for organising such an enjoyable afternoon.

Visit to Crows Hall

On 17th May 25 members enjoyed a delightful afternoon at the Elizabethan Crows Hall near Debenham. The owner, Caroline Spurrier, the great granddaughter of the fifth Earl of Warwick, who acquired the property approximately 10 years ago, gave a most enjoyable and informative tour of the house, gardens and barns. Her personal insight into the restoration of the building and her own family history gave an added dimension to the afternoon. If you are interested in visiting the property contact "Invitation to View" on 01284 827087 to find dates when the Hall is open to the public.

Open Gardens

Preparations for Open Gardens on Sunday 12th June are well under way. Please contact Jill Slater (262145) with offers of cakes, and help on the teas in the Village Hall, or if you would like to open your garden as a late entry. It is never too late to put out a notice on the day.

Chris Hunt will compere a return evening of reminiscences at our Open Meeting on Monday 27th June, when we will hear more stories from Nayland's past and see some interesting footage of the Jane Walker Hospital entertainments. 7.40pm for 8pm in the Village hall, as usual.

We have just published a revised version of the Society's leaflet *Living in a Conservation Area – a Guide for Listed Building owners*. We hope this will be a useful point of reference for Society members and village residents. It is obtainable free of charge from Committee members.

Finally, thank you to all our members who have recently renewed their annual membership, become life members and to those who have joined the Society.



Meeting at Court Knoll for the Footpath Walk



Arriving at Crow's Hall, Debenham near Stowmarket



BOWLS CLUB

Secretary: Eva Rolfe 263151

I know you have all been waiting to see how we got on with our last two matches. The penultimate match was away at Burstall; the first two matches were not a good start with one team losing 8-16 and the other team just losing 7-9. The second session just had to be an improvement; one team took control from the start and never looked back winning 17-7. The second team, three members of whom were drawn for a second game from the first games, were hoping for a better result than their first. Half way through it was a very tight game and they were just one shot in front, they then won the next two ends with one end to go two shots in front, somehow on the last end they managed to score 5 shots. These two wins were enough to give us the extra two points for most shots winning 6-4.

The second game was away to Somersham. In the first session one team lost heavily 4-17 and the other team managed a draw. So once again it was up to the second teams. One team got off to a slow start but half way through took control and won the last 6 ends winning 11-4. The second team got off to a good start, wobbled a bit in the middle and then carried on to win 12-5. This just gave us a 1 shot advantage so we won 7-3.

These two results sealed our 6th position in the division so we are still in the second division for next winter.

Our summer league starts on May 18th with a home match against Polstead lets hope it is better than the winter.

Fixtures: June - 1st Polstead away, 8th Burstall home, 16th Stratford St Mary away, 29th Bramford away
July - 6th Sproughton away, 13 Hintlesham home, 20th Bramford home.

Sylvia Bond



NAYLAND BELL RINGERS

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BIRTHDAY COMPLIMENT TO HAZEL GARDINER

On Monday 16th May a Quarter Peal of Grandsire Doubles (consisting of 1240 changes) was rung on the bells of St James' in 46 minutes as an 80th birthday compliment to Hazel for her recent birthday.

The ringers were: Treble Vicky DeVries, 2nd Margaret Roberts 3rd Valerie Banwell, 4th Barry Gibbons, 5th Brian Lord – Conductor, Tenor Tom Gardiner.

Hazel is a regular Sunday service ringer at both Nayland and Stoke Churches.

Unbeknown to the ringers, as it was a pleasant evening, Hazel cycled down and sat in the churchyard to listen to the bells, on completion of the Quarter she came into the tower with appropriate refreshments. Thank you Hazel.



THE VILLAGE LUNCH

Jo Murrison 262369

The speaker at the lunch on Wednesday 20th April was Barry Kaufmann Wright who spoke on the Beautiful Landscapes of Britain, this was followed by a delicious lunch and a sum of £519 was made for the Village Hall.

The next Village Lunch is on Wednesday 19th October 11.45 for 12noon followed by lunch. The speaker is Mark Mitchels, a very experienced speaker, who will give an illustrated talk on The Lost City of Dunwich. This should be a very interesting talk so please get your tickets early.

Many thanks for all your support and also thanks to all our helpers



NAYLAND AND DISTRICT WOMENS INSTITUTE

President: Jeannette Finch 262993

Secretary: Lorna Rumsey 01787 211975

May brings the Annual General Meeting, which was well supported. We decided not to have a Beetle Drive, and enjoyed talking to each other with a cup of tea and a piece of home made cake, which the WI is famous for !!!!!

We are planning a couple of outings to take place in the Summer, but they are only in draft form so far.

On 20th June Martyn Roper will be talking about East Anglian Place Names, on 18th July Jane Gaunt will give us an insight into St Nicholas Hospice Charity Shop, on 15th August we will be holding our Afternoon Garden Tea Party and on 19th September Jayne Lawson and Alison Bradshaw will be giving us a Flower Arranging Demonstration.

If you are interested in joining the WI or would like to be a guest, come along to any meetings, which are held in the Village Hall at 7.30 pm on the 3rd Monday of the month.

We look forward to seeing you, and making you welcome.



BABERGH ACHIEVEMENT AWARD WINNERS

Congratulations to Nayland with Wissington's 2016 Babergh Achievement Award winners: **Wendy Sparrow and Rosemary Knox**. They are pictured at the first-ever joint Babergh and Mid Suffolk awards ceremony on Thursday 21 April with Minnie Moll, Joint Chief Executive of the East of England Coop, sponsors of the awards with support from the Landscape Group and SERCO, and Councillor Nick Ridley, Chairman of Babergh District Council.



NAYLAND ART GROUP

Daphne Berry 262641

Regarding the recent Art Group Exhibition I would like to thank Anne Spencer for her organisational skills in helping me make it happen, Ray Spencer and John Parsonson help in hanging 70 plus pieces of the Group's artworks around the Church Hall on Friday afternoon / evening before the Saturday opening. Wendy Sparrow for the loan of her banner, Pat Bray for bringing in the press for photos on Saturday morning and all the people who turned up and supported us.

On the 1st June Daphne has organised a trip to Pin Mill a favourite subject of artists so remember to take your sketch pads / paints, etc plus cameras to help capture the location on the day or for use at a later date.

The group continues to thrive and meets on Wednesday afternoons at 2-4pm.

Colin Ramsell

Being a fairly new member of the Nayland Art Group I was delighted to be asked to organize our Art Exhibition. It would not have been possible without the dedicated help of Colin Ramsell, assisted by John Parsonson. I am very grateful to you both.

Between them they managed to hang 77 pictures - resulting in a magnificent display in the Church Hall.

It was lovely to see Daphne Berry encouraging our local children to develop their artistic talents with chalks and coloured paper. They were so proud of their pictures.

Many thanks also go to Jane Barbrook and Dorothy Bishop who served the refreshments, and Diane Dent and Shirley Scarlett, helped by Sheila Sessions who all did such a grand job on the raffle.

The Church Hall was full of people with many comments overheard praising the quality of the pictures. What a great day we all had. Many thanks to all who supported us.

Anne Spencer

Liz and I would like to say a big 'THANK YOU' to Anne Spencer and Colin Ramsell for organising the recent Art Exhibition in the church Hall on Saturday 14th May and to the other members who helped out.

We had around 100 visitors and 77 exhibits, with some sales. The raffle and refreshments were a great success. Well done everyone.

Daphne Berry



Clockwise from top right: visitors to the exhibition and children enjoying being creative, artworks by Wendy Sparrow and Dorothy Bishop





VILLAGE PLAYERS

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It's been a busy spring for the Village Players, and many of you will have seen our most recent production, *Blithe Spirit*, which was performed in mid-May. Jim Bond directed us with aplomb, despite having to switch plays at short notice.

Noel Coward is always a popular choice with our audience, we are grateful to everyone who came to watch. As always, these productions are very much an ensemble effort, but I would like to add a special mention not just to the director, but also to everyone backstage – be it props, set design and production, stage management, sound and lighting, front of house, teas/coffee and (of course) the bar.

Our AGM was held at the Church Hall on April 12th. Our chairman, Gale Scott, stood down after four years in the post, and I have taken over, albeit with trepidation. Our thanks go to Gale for her dedication to all things to do with the Village Players, and (on a personal note) for being a very calming force on performance nights when I am flapping around backstage! We are delighted that Gale has agreed to remain on the Village Players committee, which is being boosted by the addition of Sharon Pentney. Mary Moriarty has also stood down after many years of hard work on the committee, and we will greatly miss around the table.

If you would like to be involved in our December pantomime, auditions for *Cinderella*, directed by Emma Wallis, will be held at the Church Hall on Sunday July 10th (5pm) and Wednesday July 13th (7pm). Everyone is welcome!

As always, for all things to do with the Village Players, including photos of *Blithe Spirit*, please head to our website at villageplayers.co.uk.



Emma Wallis, Justin Dowding and Jackie Grant in *Blithe Spirit*



OVER 60s CLUB

Secretary: Barbara Smith 501492

President: Eva Rolfe 263151

Our April meeting took the form of an outing to Perrywood Garden Centre at Inworth near Kelvedon where we had a delicious lunch and treated ourselves to some plants and gifts which was enjoyed by all.

In May our meeting included the AGM before enjoying our usual refreshments, a game of bingo and a raffle.

Our next meeting will be on 9th June and in July, in place of our usual meeting, we will join the Luncheon Club for Over 60s for the Tea Party at Longwood Barn.

We meet on the second Thursday of each month; at the Community Centre in Parkers Way at 2 30pm. New members are always very welcome to come along.

Diana Whiting



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NAYLAND CHOIR'S CONCERT IS A HIT WITH COMPOSER

'A great concert and a colourful performance of my Pictures of Night.' That was composer Alan Bullard's review of Nayland Choir's spring presentation, *Songs of fireworks and fables*.

The concert's centrepieces were three recently-written choral arrangements. Bullard's *Pictures of Night* set to music five poems about different aspects of night from menace to celebration. In what was possibly a first for Nayland Choir, Eric Whitacre's arrangements of Hila Plitmann's love songs were performed in Hebrew. And the concert closed with Bob Chilcott's very modern settings of Aesop's timeless fables.

In between the main items were a number of treats: Vaughan Williams' song cycle *Along the Field* based on the poems of A E Housman. Sung and spoken comic poetry by Ogden Nash. And Peter Drew had the audience rapt with readings by Spike Milligan, among others.

'We were delighted that so many people enjoyed the concert,' said choir chairman Rob Swan. *'And to have Alan's positive review is very encouraging.'*

NAYLAND CHOIR'S NEWS

The choir will be performing at the summer street fayre in July, before beginning rehearsals in the autumn for a performance of Puccini's *Messa di Gloria*.

We will be doing a set of 1960s songs at the Nayland Summer Street Fayre on 17 July. This is ideal for people who would like to give singing a try. Rehearsals will take place at Nayland School on the four Thursdays before the fayre, starting at 7.50pm on 23 June.

Rehearsals will start in September for our autumn concert – Puccini's *Messa di Gloria* – which will be performed on Saturday 26 November in St James' Church.



NAYLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL HOME SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

Chair: Drina May 01206 262464 drinamay41@gmail.com

The HSA are busy organising **A SUMMER BALL** on Friday 1st July at Le Talbooth, Dedham. Tickets at £55 include a reception drink, three course dinner, disco, auction and raffle. They are available from Nayland Primary School.

We also have the **ANNUAL SUMMER FETE** on Saturday 25th June from 11am to 1pm at Nayland Primary School. We have lots of fun activities including bouncy castle and the much loved Human Football which was a great success last year - adults played alongside the children. All are welcome, especially any new children and parents due to start in September 2016.

All proceeds from events go to Nayland Primary School HSA. Our next meeting will be Monday 13th June at The Anchor in Nayland, at 8pm. All are welcome to come along.



Woodland Corner

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PRESCHOOL

As we welcome in the summer months, a lot of our learning is happening outside this term, and we are getting up close and personal with pets of all shapes and sizes. We have had some lovely furry (and not so furry!) visitors including guinea pigs, a tortoise and a bearded dragon! The children are learning how to be responsible pet owners and are discovering the different needs animals have to grow and be happy and healthy.

We have been finding out the difference between wild and domestic animals, as well as having a vet visit to explain how to care for sick and injured animals.

We are also delighted to have welcomed two guinea pigs, named by the children as Ginger Max and Flip Flop, to our Woodland Corner Family. And the children are relishing in the opportunity to take it in turns to care for our new furry friends over the weekends and during the holidays.

News

It is with great sadness that we say goodbye to our fantastic administrator and dear friend, Caroline, who is leaving Woodland Corner at the end of May after being an integral part of our team for 10 years (9 as staff, 1 as a committee member). We wish Caroline all the happiness and success in her future endeavours as she embarks on studying accountancy. With the departure of Caroline, we welcome Nicola Peachey and Shelley Bunting who will be taking over her roles here at Woodland Corner.

We have also recently adopted a spider monkey called Chekaboo at Colchester Zoo and we will be taking the children to visit him on our first ever trip to the zoo on Wednesday 8th June.

Fundraising

A massive thanks goes out to everyone who supported our first ever Easter Party Fundraiser in Stoke By Nayland Village Hall. It was a huge success and plans are already afoot for next year's event!

Upcoming Events

We encourage you and your friends and family to join us for our next fundraising event, a Barn Dance at Nayland Village Hall on Saturday 11th June from 5:30pm-9:30pm. Children are, of course, very welcome. Tickets are available from Woodland Corner, Blue Owl and the Post Office.





NAYLAND SURGERY NEWS

www.northhillsurgery.co.uk

Rachel Beales, Practice Manager 578070

Please remember to ensure that you allow 3 working days for any repeat prescription requests to be processed, particularly with the forthcoming May Bank Holiday. Please also remember to order any medication in time for any summer holidays you may have planned.

Dr Opute, our newest trainee GP, has now settled in at our North Hill and West Bergholt Surgeries.

Do you know that you can now order medication and book/cancel appointments online? Please call in to any of our surgeries, with a form of photo ID, and our receptionists will be able to set this system up for you.



NAYLAND MOTHER & TODDLER GROUP

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YOUR LOCAL TODDLER GROUP NEEDS YOU!!

Mums, Dads, Grand Parents, Nannies.....etc

We're a non profit group at risk of closing if we don't get enough bums on seats each week.

We meet every Friday in term time at Nayland Village Hall from 9:45 till 11:45. Its a friendly group with lots of toys for your little ones to enjoy. Tea and coffee is available for the adults 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).

We are looking for someone to take over running the group from September as our boy's will be starting school so no longer need the group. Anyone interested can speak to us anytime using the above contact details.

The last day of the group before the summer holidays is 15th July returning on 9th September 2016.
Have a fabulous summer everyone!



NAYLAND SCHOOL YOUTH CHOIR & CHILDREN'S CHOIR

Jayne Kennedy

Both choirs have been busy preparing for their contributions to both the school's end of year Summer Concert on 8th July, which is held in the Village Hall at 7pm, and Nayland Community Council's Street Fayre on 17th July. This term the choirs have been fortunate to have the skills and experience of Mandy Cook, Emma Bishton and Laura Tuck as guest conductors with Frances Barker as accompanist. Mrs Kennedy will also contribute to the conducting of both choirs in the Summer Term. Classics from the 1960s are among some of the repertoire this term.



NAYLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL : YEAR SIX, THE EAGLES

Mrs Kennedy, Year 6 class teacher

It's been a busy start to the term for Eagle Class. The first part of the term was largely dedicated to preparation for the Key Stage 2 Statutory Tests and Assessments (the now infamous SATs!) The children were well prepared for their subjunctive moods and subordinate conjunctions, and had some fun on the way using drama as an aid to revision.



Mascots were thrown in the air in celebration after the SAT exams

Alongside SAT preparation, the children started their new topic for the term: Central and South America. Thus far they have enjoyed learning about the tropical rainforests in the region; tasting and classifying chocolate and extending their map-making skills. A trip to Colchester Zoo was a great way to encounter animals and habitats from Central and South America and the children were able to fully engage in a lecture (pictured), given by the zoo's staff, about tropical rainforests.

As well as continuing their learning about Central and South America (including the history of the Maya tribes) the Eagles will also begin preparation for their end of year musical and end of year dance routine.



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.



By the time the Community Times goes to print we will have held our May Messy Church on the theme of The Good Shepherd with face painting, sheep pencil holders and edible sheep!!

The theme for June is Who Let the Dads out! This gives those Dads who don't normally attend, the opportunity to come along and see what Messy Church is all about and join in lots of fun and messy activities. In place of afternoon tea we are planning a barbecue - cooked by a Dad of course! and as part of our worship we will think about what being a father means in all its different forms. Don't worry if you are not a Dad and Grandad, however, all members of the family are welcome so do come and join us.

June's Messy Church will take place on Sunday 26th June, St Mary's Church, Stoke by Nayland at 4pm-6pm. Come and join the fun; as usual there will be fun art and craft activities and games for children and families based around informal worship and afternoon tea. For further information: 01206 262719.

For further information: 01206 262719. Please note there will be no Messy Church in July and August.

Bible Bite

A short story from the Bible

It can be read in the Bible in
Luke chapter 2 verses 41 to 51

Every year Joseph and Mary went to Jerusalem for the Passover festival with their family and friends. This year Jesus was twelve.

The women and children went in front to set the pace



Next year, Jesus, you'll be walking at the back with the men.

The Passover feasting lasted eight days...



...and then they set off for home again



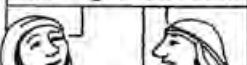
but without Jesus.

Mary and Joseph didn't find out until the evening



I thought he was with you!

So they walked back to Jerusalem and started searching for Jesus...



Sorry, I haven't seen him.

...and the next day,



Jesus! then on the third day

they went to the temple



Look!

He was talking with the teachers.



You must be very proud of your clever son



But Mary was not happy

How could you treat your father and I like this?



Didn't you know I'd be here?

I needed to be where my birth father, God, is working.



Mary thought about this all the way home.



...and all her life.



Justin was invested as a Royal Chaplain



NAYLAND FARMERS' MARKET

Saturday 9th July

from 9.30am until 2pm

Nayland Village Hall

In November 2014 Justine Paul, owner of Suffolk Market Events, stepped in to save Nayland Farmers' Market from closure and with vital funds made available from the Dedham Vale AONB Sustainable Development Fund, the Farmers' Market was successfully re launched and on July 9th a special event is being held to celebrate the farmers' market and all the amazing local produce in the area.

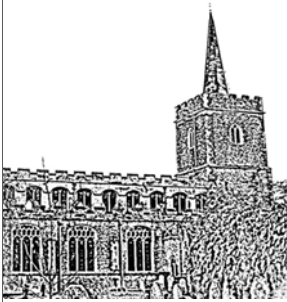
With the help of Transition Sudbury, a Smoothie Bike will be

joining us at Nayland Village Hall; a stationary bike fitted with special blenders that spin as you pedal, mixing up delicious fruit smoothies in an instant.

So come along, fill up the blender with gorgeous local fruit and Polstead apple juice, pedal away for a minute or two, and have yourself a healthy pedalpowered fruit smoothie! It's a great way of celebrating the farmers' market and our fabulous local producers whilst learning a bit about the brilliant work Transition groups do. The event is totally free of charge and every smoothie maker gets a free cotton shopping bag – go on, get pedalling at the farmers' market on July 9th!

If you would like more information then please contact

Justine on 07704627973 or email
justine@suffolkmarketevents.co.uk



THE FRIENDS OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH, NAYLAND

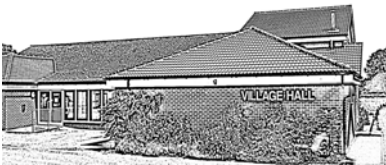
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THE LAVATORY/SERVERY/STORAGE IN ST. JAMES'

Once the Fabric Committee had received the delayed but corrected plans for the LSS, it was decided within the PCC that, rather than pursue an informal meeting with the Diocesan Advisory Committee - the DAC - to check that all is well, the plans would be submitted, along with the Statement of Need and Significance. The Fabric Committee has been unable to establish when this application will be considered. The DAC meets every other month, so, as the part plans were submitted in April, it is to be hoped that we will hear some news in the next few weeks.

We are now facing a dilemma: as the plans submitted were without the necessary supporting technical plans - covering both design and structural elements - there is no doubt that this information will be required by the DAC before work can commence. However, as we are, even informally, unsure what approach the DAC will take, it is a high risk strategy to get our architect working on detailed builder's plans before we have the benefit of the DAC opinion. The Friends do not believe that our funds should be risked in any way so, sadly, everything now goes on hold until we have some response from the Fabric Committee.



VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Registered Charity No 304 928

Chairman: Iain Wright 263646

Secretary: Christine Thompson 262825



APRIL COMMITTEE MEETING

TREASURER'S REPORT

- COIF Endowment £13,546, COIF £13,932, Bank £7,941 Cash £125, Debtors £45, Assets £9,203
- Insurance, council tax and performing rights licence all paid.
- Letter sent to Chairman of the Community Council requesting £1000 for the Endowment Fund.

MATTERS ARISING & HOUSEKEEPING BOOK

- Housekeeping and Comments books: no new entries.
- The calendar was read out.
- A quotation will be sought for the repainting of some of the interior around the foyer.
- The firm of Edward Hyde inspected the floor. It was felt that their last treatment of the floor was inadequate. They will fix the floor shortly at no charge.
- A list of tradesmen used by the VHMC has been compiled and circulated.
- It was agreed to order 12 photos (cost £120), framing at a cost of £10 each, and some paint to brighten up the bar. The photos have now been framed. A letter of thanks will be sent to Foster Jones as he did not charge for his time.
- The monthly Fire Safety Check was carried out; no problems were found.
- Firepower carried out a fire risk assessment of the Hall. There are some inaccuracies in the report which have been queried. A meeting has been arranged with Firepower.
- Recommendations which remain to be carried out; signage to fire escape routes to be improved - new signs have been obtained, the doors to fire escape routes should open in the direction of escape (magnetic release mechanism for some doors will be researched and prices obtained for those only. It was decided that only the doors surrounding the main body of the Hall would need these mechanisms. However the cost of this is considerable and it will not be possible to do this immediately), an assembly point to be marked in the car park, distress alarms to be placed in the disabled toilets.
- The Village Hall Action Plan is continuing.

MAINTENANCE

- Taps in toilets to be looked at by plumber. They may need replacing.
- David Hewitt has been asked to repair the soffits once the weather has improved.

- The flap in the reception area needs to be fixed.
- Quotes have been obtained for relaying paving at the rear of the Hall. An additional another 2 rows of paving have been suggested.

CINEMA

- A Public Systems sound engineer will be contacted to find a permanent solution to the sound quality in the Hall.
- The process for placing an advertising banner on Caley Green will be confirmed and permission sought.
- We have investigated further National Theatre Live. Picture-houses Cinema Ltd is the company in charge. However, our equipment would need upgrading at considerable expense.
- The Lady in the Van had a record breaking audience of 105.
- Dates for 2016: 27 May **Bridge of Spies**, 24 June **A Bigger Splash**, 29 July **Eddie the Eagle**, 26 August, 30 September, 28 October and 25 November .

BOOKINGS

- Webpages: The system is working well.
- There is a new Ballroom Dancing Class starting on Thursdays 7pm-9pm.
- A fee of £25 for the bookings secretary to attend a meeting about Village Halls was agreed.
- It was agreed that the bookings secretary could have some business cards made.
- One licence has been requested by Nayland Choir.

AOB

- Loaning out the pool table will be investigated.
- A report from the VHMC will be required at the Parish Assembly on 17th May.
- Patricia Fuller will be attending a SALC meeting about village halls and playing fields and will report back to the VHMC.

NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be **Monday 6th June** at 7.45pm in the Meeting Room.

CLASSES & GROUPS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

- Mondays: 9.30 Acrylic Painting, 2pm Table Tennis
- Tuesdays: 10am Yoga, 4pm Pilates
- Wednesdays: 10am Dance-a-cise, 7pm Carpet Bowls
- Thursdays: 10am Fitness Class, 7pm Ballroom Dancing

Garden Notes

by The Old Muckspreader



One result of the unusually mild winter has been the exceptional growth of everything, including of course weeds. Here the situation is more or less out of control, with Ground Elder spreading for yards (there are no such things as metres at M/S Hall) in every direction, including the centres of plants, whence it's almost impossible to remove it. Ground Elder was introduced into this country by the Romans who ate it in the mistaken belief that it would cure Gout; they would have done better by cutting their consumption of red wine.

Gravel paths are becoming grassy walks, and here is a cautionary tale.... We are heavily infected with the Lesser Celandine, a ferocious spreader at the best of times, and it had extended into a sort of grass walk that leads from the cultivated part of the garden into what remains of the orchard. The OM/S intended to use a selective weedkiller here, but picked up a Roundup packet by mistake, and killed the grass as well as the Celandines. Fortunately we have plenty of spare areas of turf and weed grass which can be used to patch up the mess, given some rain.

This month's plant, which has just finished flowering is Lathyrus Vernus, the Spring Pea. It's very easy to grow and self seeds freely. It comes with two kinds of foliage; with fine or larger leaved foliage; surprisingly it can produce offspring of either kind. The type is a good deep purple; the variety "Alboreus" has pink and white flowers. When young, the plant disappears during winter so needs to be marked. There will be (or will have been, by the time the NwWCT is distributed) a few small plants at the Church Fete plant stall; however being (a) very small and (b) without flowers they probably won't have sold. If anyone cares to phone they can come and collect some without charge -the phone number is 01787 210309.

It's a strange season in that some shrubs seem to be going to flower later than usual; and some have died for no obvious reason, among them a Kolkwitzia (Beauty Bush - well named) and a Trachelospermum which used to disguise the rotting timber facade of an outbuilding. Honey fungus, perhaps, may be the cause, but the toadstools don't appear until after it's done its dirty work. They will be sadly missed.

Any moment now our Tulipa Sprengerii will be a blaze of red all over the place. It has been described in these pages several times over the years, and is the OM/S' standard horticultural gift.

A final tip:- if you want to dig up a plant in dry weather, give it a good watering first; this will help to minimise root damage.

Aegopodium podagraria (Ground Elder, or Gout Weed) was mentioned several years ago by the Ed, as being cultivated throughout the middle ages and used as a spinach-like vegetable, pot-herb and medicinal plant. The plant spreads by its tough creeping roots and those who suffer from this pernicious weed in their gardens may get some comfort that this pest can be eaten! It is best to harvest when the shoots are young and about 6" high. Wash the young leaves and leaf stems well and cook in a teaspoon of butter and very little water. Season and cook very gently for 10 minutes, stirring frequently, drain well and toss in butter to serve.

WORDSEARCH: Herbs and Spices

ANAGRAMS: Hanging Basket Plants

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THE FAIERS FAMILY

At the recent history exhibition in the Church Hall I was given a photograph of Mr Alec Faiers and his family which was probably taken in the late 1920s or early thirties. Long standing residents still fondly remember Alec and his sister Olive in their shop in Bear Street, one of several grocery shops still trading in Nayland in the 1960s. Sadly, when they both died in 1971, as well as bringing to an end another of Nayland's businesses, it was also the end of their family's connection with Nayland which began when their great grandparents, John and Elizabeth Faiers, arrived in the 1780s.

John Faiers married Elizabeth at Hadleigh in 1755 and sometime after this they came to Nayland. The first known record of the family here was the baptism of their daughter Harriet in 1789 and from then on there were Faiers in Nayland for over 180 years. John and Elizabeth had 10 children, the last being Henry baptised in 1802.

Pigotts Trade Directory of 1830 shows members of the Faiers family as Coopers (makers of casks for beer and wine) in several villages and towns in the area and when John came to Nayland he carried on the family trade. After John's death in 1833 his sons, Henry and Robert, carried on the business and in White's Suffolk 1844 were described as Coopers and also Basket Makers. Their shop was at what is now 7 Bear Street with the workshop in the yard behind.

Robert Faiers married the daughter of William Barker, Plumber and Glazier in Nayland in 1834. Their son George was orphaned by the deaths of his parents when he was only 10. He lived with his grandparents in Birch Street and by the 1861 census he was a Seedsman living with his wife and family in his parents-in-laws' house, now Butchers, next door to the Faiers' house and shop.



In the 1871 census George was described as a Farmer of 20 acres and also surprisingly as a Gas manufacturer. The Parish Council records include a Gas Account book dating from 1866 (now in the Bury Record Office) with the opening entry that the gas made at the newly opened works of the Ipswich Gas Company in Newlands Lane was used to light the streets and that "Mr Faiers", the lessee and manager, began the supply on 24th December in that year. This was George Faiers.

In the meantime George's uncle Henry carried on as a Cooper and Basket Maker in Bear Street, according to census returns and directories between 1851 and 1874. Charles Gowing recorded in his Recollections that Henry Faiers was a Cooper and maker of hampers, skeps and other types of baskets, assisted by workers Peck and Joseph Marsh, in Bear Street.

Henry Faiers died in 1877 aged 75. It seems he must have retired from cooping as the Post Office directory for 1875 shows him as a Furniture Dealer. His son, Henry, was shown as a Cooper aged 14 in the 1851 census but by the time of the next census he was an Ironmonger in the High Street. After his father's death Henry took over the furniture dealing.

Henry junior was non conformist like his parents. In 1860 he married Emily Green whose father was Thomas Green, a Maltster at "Walters Farm" (almost certainly the present Maltings Farm in Bures Road). On their marriage Henry and Emily were admitted to Nayland Congregational Church from Bures Baptist Church where Henry later became a deacon.

As well as his furniture and ironmongery shop Henry was one of Nayland's earliest professional photographers and many of his photographs still exist. Despite his photography, however, he was not too successful in business and died at 59 in a London hospital in 1895. His estate was insolvent and the family renounced in favour of a creditor, a Colchester ironmonger.

Henry's younger brother, Thomas, had taken on their father's cooping business and he and his wife Bertha continued to live in Bear Street. They had two children, Olive and Alec born in 1887 and 1888 respectively. Sometime after 1881 Thomas gave up cooping and became a grocer. After his death in 1926 at 79, his widow ran the business for a while and when she died, it was run by Alec and Olive. Alec had earlier worked in London for a watch and clockmaker and no doubt continued this work in Nayland as some of his tools are still in the village.

In May 1968 the *Colchester Express* published an article on Nayland which included a picture of Alec Faiers. He recalled that his father used to employ several women to do basket-work and the workshop where the baskets were made was still standing behind the shop when the article was written. Soon after, in 1971, both Alec and Olive died, thus ending the Faiers' connection with Nayland. The shop became an antiques shop for a while and later a private house.

Wendy Sparrow, Parish Recorder

[Sources: *The Descent and Issue of John Green Faiers* by John Parsloe; Parish Council records]



Alec and Olive Faiers standing, their mother on the left and an aunt centre

Calendar

The photographic competition to generate images for the 2017 Nayland with Wissington Calendar took place on 2nd May. There were 138 beautiful scenes submitted, making selection of just twelve scenes and a cover very difficult indeed.

The judge, Geoff Meadowcroft, was impressed by the marvellous variety of village activities and picturesque views that had been represented and the interesting compositions captured.

The photographs selected were submitted by Graham Wiles, Anna Boon, Anne Spencer, Hazel Gardiner, Mike Hunter, Sybil Wade, Lorraine Brooks, Sandra Gibbons, Wendy Sparrow, Julian Baker and Mandy Cook.

You will have to wait for the calendar to see the selected entries but shown here are an example of the other delightful images submitted and on show at the exhibition. As hoped entries represented the different seasons with our range of weather conditions, from glorious sunshine to mist and flood. Locations ranged from village activities and events such as the Church Fete, Open Gardens, Flower Show and Remembrance services, to parish landmarks, such as St James' and St Mary's churches and the Pound House. There were a variety of street scenes, views of the meandering river Stour, the countryside and farming views and some interesting architectural and natural features including the horseshoe weir and Anchor bridge. Several people managed to capture spur of the moment scenes, such as a helicopter visiting the Anchor Inn, harvesting the crops and scenes of traffic negotiating floods on the by-pass. The goose who has taken up residence by Bear Street bus stop was also a popular subject.



The display of photographs in the Church Hall



Birds Eye of Bear Street, Andrew Gowen



Goose at Caley Green, Rebecca Gladwell



Mute Swans at Caley Green, Helen Walder



Clean for the Queen, Andora Carver



Oak tree near Horkesley Lock, Maggie Green

Competition

The images selected for inclusion in the calendar have been matched up with interesting old images of the village and historic detail is being added by Wendy Sparrow. The village calendar will be on sale at the Street Fayre on 17th July and the Flower Show on 8th August. Enlargements of photographs featured in the calendars will also be available.

In the meantime, don't forget to keep your cameras to hand to capture scenes for next year's competition.

View these images in the colour version of the Community Times at www.naylandcommunitycouncil.org.uk on the Community Times page.



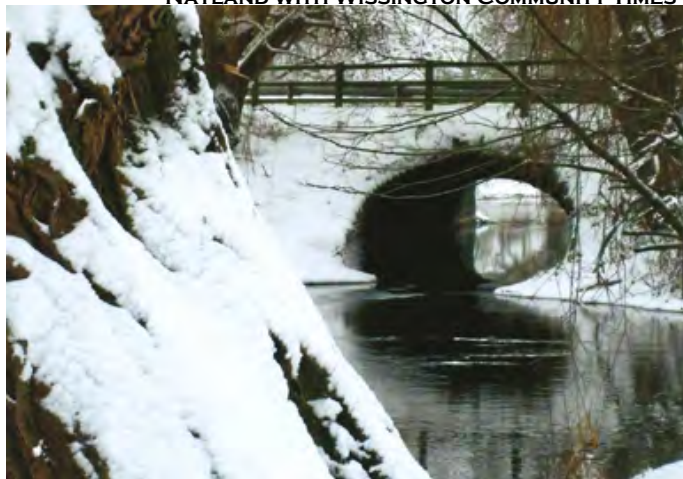
Horseshoe Weir, Philip Border



Fog at Caley Green, Claire Buller



Footpath North of Bear Street, David Negus



Tunnel at Caley Green, Jan Verrall



Swans in Mill Stream, Malcolm Lukey



Mill Lade, Steve Carter



Helicopter near the Anchor, Mike Almond

VILLAGE PLAYERS' BLITHE SPIRIT

Nayland Village Players performed the ghost farce *Blithe Spirit* to healthy audiences on 12-14 May. Jim Bond's production was the first time the society had presented the Noel Coward classic since 1987.

Blithe Spirit is described as an improbable farce. When writer Charles Condomine arranges a séance as research for a forthcoming novel, he unwittingly unleashes forces that lead to the summoning of his late wife, Elvira, with disastrous effects on his present marriage. Coward's style is to make the main characters amuse us even as we gasp at their appalling natures. Cynical quips about the *Times*, or the vicar, or the stupidity of the servant classes depict a world with great wit but no heart.

Jackie Grant as Elvira had many of the best lines, taking delight in tormenting second wife Ruth, herself played to straight-faced perfection by Emma Wallis. Justin Dowding revelled in Charles' bad behaviour, openly playing wife and ex-wife against each other and relishing the 'freedom' that the situation provided. John McCarroll and Sharon Pentney were suitably urbane as the sophisticated Dr and Mrs Bradman: the worldly doctor happily divulging patient histories and overshadowing his wife – who, in turn, would make awful remarks about servants.

The two characters from outside the spoiled social circle provide considerable contrast. Mary Moriarty's Madame Arcati was quirky and concerned, serious without being po-faced. And Jilly Fernandez was delightfully scatty as Edith, the maid. A special mention to Evie Hughes as the voice of the spirit conduit Daphne.

The actors were supported by a fine and well-appointed set which really came alive in the final moments as the unseen Elvira and Ruth destroyed the Condomine home, egged on by the liberated libertine Charles. In all, this was a confident production that straddled the serious, sublime and silly nature of Coward's classic.



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French and Spanish for conversation,
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FIVE YEARS LATER

The children at Nayland Primary School celebrated five years of solar power at the school this week.

Green Energy Nayland was set up in 2011 to install 15.5 kW of solar PV on Nayland Primary School roof as part of a groundbreaking community energy project. The scheme raised £37,900 of community funding through a share issue open to local residents and was the first in the UK to set up a solar energy community enterprise of this type.

The scheme uses revenue from the Government's Feed in Tariff programme to pay members an annual dividend. Any additional revenue is used to fund other related community projects linked to energy and sustainability.

Since its installation, the children learnt that the solar panels have:

- saved the school £8000 in electricity bills
- saved 56 tonnes of CO2 from being released into the atmosphere; and
- raised £5600 for community projects.

Will Hitchcock, Director of Green Energy Nayland, marked the occasion by going into the Year 4 class at the school and demonstrating how the different renewable technologies – solar, wind and hydro – work through small scale experiments.

He was extremely impressed by the children's insight and enthusiasm: "The children asked many challenging and thoughtful questions about renewable energy, its benefits and the technology behind it. They did not just accept the technologies but wanted to properly understand how they worked. I think there may well be a number of budding engineers in the class!"

Mrs Karen Symons, Year 4 teacher at Nayland Primary School said: "It has been great to recapture some of the excitement and enthusiasm we felt when the solar panels were first installed on the school roof. It is a fantastic way of teaching children about renewable technology and sustainability and feeds into many different areas of learning."



Children remembering the commissioning celebrations 5 years ago

Feedback from James Finch - Your Stour Valley County Councillor

This is a summary of some of the key achievements of the County Council.

SCC FREEZES GENERAL COUNCIL TAX FOR SIXTH YEAR

The council has made savings in excess of £170million since the Government's deficit reduction programme began in 2011/2012 and faces the need to make further savings of over £80million during the next two years. The budget passed in April saw a ZERO% increase in base Council Tax. The Administration decided to implement the 2% National Adult Social Care Levy to support the implementation of the National Living Wage.

SUFFOLK SCHOOLS' ASCENT OF LEAGUE TABLES

Figures out last month confirmed the trend of improvement in Suffolk's relative position in educational attainment. In data released by the government in January, Suffolk has climbed 18 places in the national league table for GCSE results since the previous year; from 125th to 107th. This means we are now at the national average. Since then, 80% of Suffolk's schools have now been rated Good or Outstanding by Ofsted in April 2016.

SUFFOLK'S CHILDREN'S SERVICES

SCC's Children's Services have been inspected and rated GOOD by Ofsted following the publication of its inspection report on 15th February 2016. The report praises the work of the council in protecting and looking after children and young people, with some areas of outstanding practice highlighted in the report. The inspection was carried out between 23 November and 17 December 2015.

Suffolk now sits in the top 22% of local authorities in the country. 78 councils have been inspected so far under Ofsted's new framework. No authority has been judged outstanding and of the last 17 inspections across the country, just one authority had been judged GOOD, until Suffolk's rating was given.

SUFFOLK'S BETTER BROADBAND BDUK PROGRAMME

Work had been completed on the 1st Contract of the Broadband rollout the 2nd contract of the Superfast Extension Programme (is progressing which is planned to enable 95% of properties in Suffolk

are connected. The first phase of this rollout will be shared onto a map on the SCC website, and the second phase will be added within the next couple of months. To date, we have enabled 35 cabinets, and reached over 3,000 premises under the Superfast Extension Programme.

£1BN DEVOLUTION DEAL ANNOUNCED FOR EAST ANGLIA

A deal worth over £1bn for East Anglia has been announced by the Chancellor of the Exchequer in his Budget Speech on 16 March.

As part of the deal East Anglia would receive:

- £900m (£30m a year for the next 30 years) to invest in infrastructure
- £175m to invest in housing

The Deal was negotiated by Leaders from councils across Suffolk, Norfolk, Cambridgeshire and Peterborough and the New Anglia and Greater Cambridgeshire and Greater Peterborough LEPs.

If ratified the Deal would see decisions currently being made by Government on such things as infrastructure, growth, employment and skills being made locally in East Anglia in the future.

The Deal requires the creation of a Combined Authority and directly elected Mayor and it is proposed that the first mayoral elections would be in May 2017 alongside the county council elections.

The directly elected Mayor would act as Chairman to the East Anglia Combined Authority and would exercise the following powers and functions devolved from Government:

- Responsibility for a multi-year, consolidated and, devolved local transport budget.
- Responsibility for a new Key Route Network of local authority roads that will be managed and maintained by the Combined Authority on behalf of the Mayor.
- Powers over strategic planning and housing, including £175m ring-fenced funding to deliver an ambitious target of new homes.

James Finch, Suffolk County Councillor, Stour Valley Division

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CHURCH SERVICES: JUNE & JULY

Nayland, Wiston, Leavenheath, Stoke by Nayland & Polstead

<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>
29th May <i>Trinity 1</i>	11.00am 4.30pm	Hadleigh Stoke	Deanery HC Evensong	Dean Frances Ward & Revd John Fowler				
5th June <i>Trinity 2</i>	8.00am 9.30am 10.00am	Stoke Nayland Leavenheath	HC 2 HC 1 by ext First Sunday	Revd John Fowler D Pryor/K Hunt Revd Valri Armstrong	11.00am 6.30pm 6.30pm	Polstead Stoke Wiston	HC 2 Evensong Evensong	Revd Jackie Sephton Jane Addis/tba Kathy Hunt
12th June <i>Trinity 3</i>	9.30am 9.30am 11.00am	Leavenheath Nayland Polstead	HC 2 Café Church MW	Revd Valri Armstrong Congregation Congregation	11.00am 11.00am 6.30pm	Stoke Wiston Nayland	HC 2 MS Evensong	Revd John Fowler Derek Johns David Pryor
19th June <i>Trinity 4</i>	9.30am 9.30am 11.00am	Leavenheath Nayland Polstead	MP HC 1 HC 1	Jim Bond Revd Jackie Sephton Revd Jackie Sephton	11.00am 11.00am 6.30pm	Stoke Wiston Leavenheath	MP HC 1 by ext Ev Praise	David Rowe D Pryor/K Hunt David Rowe
26th June <i>Trinity 5</i>	8.00am 10.30am	Nayland Stoke	HC 2 Benefice	Revd John Fowler tbc				
3rd July <i>Trinity 6</i>	8.00am 9.30am 10.00am	Stoke Nayland Leavenheath	HC 2 HC 1 First Sunday	Revd John Fowler Revd Valri Armstrong Revd Jackie Sephton	11.00am 6.30pm 6.30pm	Polstead Stoke Wiston	HC 2 Evensong Evensong	Revd Valri Armstrong Jane Addis/tba David Pryor
10th July <i>Trinity 7</i>	9.30am 9.30am 11.00am	Leavenheath Nayland Polstead	HC 1 Café Church MW	Revd Valri Armstrong Congregation Congregation	11.00am 11.00am 6.30pm	Stoke Wiston Nayland	HC 2 MS Evensong	Revd John Fowler Derek Johns David Pryor
17th July <i>Trinity 8</i>	9.30am 9.30am 11.00am	Leavenheath Nayland Polstead	MP HC 1 HC 1	tbc Revd Valri Armstrong Revd Jackie Sephton	11.00am 11.00am 6.30pm	Stoke Wiston Leavenheath	MP HC 1 tr Ev Praise	D Rowe/J Addis Revd Valri Armstrong Revd Valri Armstrong
21st July	7.30pm	Stoke	Induction of Mark Woodrow as Priest in Charge - All Ministry					

The following are provisional:

24th July <i>Trinity 9</i>	8.00am 10.30am	Nayland Polstead	HC 2 Gospel Oak B.	Revd Mark Woodrow Revd Mark Woodrow
31st July <i>Trinity 10</i>	8.00am 11.00am	Nayland Hadleigh	HC 2 Benefice	Revd Mark Woodrow Revd Mark Woodrow

Key: FS : Family Service, FC : Family Communion, HC 1 / 2 : Holy Communion 1 or 2, PC : Parish Communion, MP : Morning Prayer, MW : Morning Worship, MS : Morning Service, EP : Evening Prayer, Ev Praise : Evening Praise, CC Café Church, B : Baptism, Worship leaders shown may be subject to change.

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 Parkers Way Prayer & Praise Service: Wednesdays 3pm 1st June, 6th July & 3rd August (*1st Wednesday of month*)
 Nayland House Holy Communion: Every Wednesday 10.45am
 Messy Church Sundays 4pm-6pm: 26th June (no meeting in July, Aug) at St Mary's Church, Stoke by Nayland (*usually last Sunday of month*)

Other Dates for your Diary

Monday 30 May

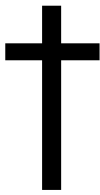
Nayland Church Fete 2-4pm Webb's Meadow

Weekday Prayer

Monday
Morning Prayer 9.00 am Nayland
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Dear All,

Saints Alive?

This month on June 22nd we celebrate St Alban's Day, the first English martyr. He stood in the place of a priest condemned for professing Christianity and about to be beheaded by the Roman Emperor Diocletian's soldiers. Thus he became our first martyr and is buried at St Albans. What of our national saints?

Much of what we "know" is doubtful, manipulated through years of history. Taking them in calendar order, on March 1st we celebrate St David as patron saint of Wales. Born around 600AD the only one born in his "own" country! He was a Christian missionary and died in his bed aged 100 and is buried in St David's Cathedral. March 17th is St Patrick's Day. Born around 400AD he was a Roman Briton, taken to Ireland at 16 as a slave. Having been converted to Christianity by his master, after 6 years he escaped to his home. He had a vision telling him to return to Ireland where he spent the rest of his life as a missionary, (as well as expelling all snakes so we are told). April 23rd is St George's Day. Born around 280AD in Turkey he was a Roman soldier, he converted to Christianity, protected Christians and so was beheaded under Diocletian. The Crusaders took up his emblem a red cross on white and later Edward III made him England's patron saint. November 30th is St Andrew's Day. In AD 832 the Scots were fighting the Angles and the Scots' leader vowed to make apostle Andrew their Saint if he won. He did, and amazingly there also was a white X shaped cloud in a blue sky. Thus the Scots gained a patron saint and flag in one go!

These are all examples of exemplary Christian lives given for others, whose stories need to be better known. The other three countries enthusiastically celebrate their patron saints, the English seem reluctant, perhaps an opportunity to proclaim Christian commitment is being missed?

David Rowe, Reader

Church News

PRIEST IN CHARGE

As announced last issue, the **Revd Mark Woodrow** has been appointed by the Bishop to be the next Priest in Charge of Stoke by Nayland with Leavenheath and Polstead and Nayland with Wissington. Mark is presently the curate of Lavenham with Preston St Mary.

Mark's licensing service which will take place on Thursday 21st July at St Mary's Stoke at 7.30pm. All welcome. Mark will be living in The Vicarage in Nayland.

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*The Benefice is now in interregnum.
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the clergy named on page 43 or the Rural
Dean, Revd Martin Thrower at St Mary's
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ARCHDEACON'S VISITATION SERVICE

At the **Archdeacon's Visitation Service** on 5 May the four existing churchwardens, James Carver and Kath Hunt for St James Nayland and Gerald Knox and Nicola Thorogood for St Mary's Wiston, made their declaration once again to serve for another year as churchwardens for their appropriate churches.

FROM THE REGISTERS



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The total of the amount collected will be announced in the next issue.

Nicola Thorogood, Local Organiser



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If you wish for a copy please ring the contact person for your parish (see below),

NB: bookings will open on Saturday 5th June and not before. (NB please ring only between 9am-6pm) The books can be collected at the end of your church's service on Sunday, 12th June, or by arrangement.

We understand the books will continue to be available for a while after the Queen's birthday weekend. Anyone wishing to purchase further copies at a special price of £1.50 should give an envelope to their contact person clearly marked with their name, address, telephone number, number of copies and containing the correct purchase money.

The contact people for booking your copy are:

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Stoke by Nayland: Jane Addis 01787 210834

ST JAMES' PCC ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of parishioners and annual parochial church meeting took place in the Church Meeting Room on 29th March, chaired by the Rural Dean, the Very Revd Martin Thrower. At the meeting of parishioners, Kathy Hunt and James Carver were re-elected as the churchwardens for the forth-coming year. They were sworn in at the Archdeacon's visitation on Ascension Day, 5th April.

At the APCM reports were received about the fabric, goods and ornaments of the church, about its activities during the year, its finances and from the various organisations within the church. All is in good order. The PCC was elected, welcoming Helen and Gustaf Schalin as new members. Helen agreed to be a parish representative on the Deanery Synod.

After the APCM there was a brief meeting of the newly elected PCC at which John Baker was elected Lay Chair and Deputy Churchwarden, James Carver was elected treasurer, Michael George was elected Secretary. A standing committee was elected in case of emergencies.

The Rural Dean thanked everyone for their efforts during the interregnum and asked for all to support our new Priest, Revd Mark Woodrow, as he prepares to join us in late July.

David Pryor, Lay Elder

JAM MAKING CLASS

Transition Sudbury have a fruit preserving class at the Stevenson Centre, Great Cornard, Suffolk on Saturday, 2nd July at 10am. Libby Laurence owner of The Jam Shed will give a talk on preserving whilst showing how to make strawberry conserve and strawberry jam, there is a difference! Everyone in the class will get a 8oz jar to take away with them. The class will cost £5 per person. For more info and to book: Joanne Main 01787 310476 or www.transitionsudbury.co.uk.

ST Mary's PCC ANNUAL MEETING

The Vestry Meeting of St Mary the Virgin, Wiston on 31st March, re-elected Gerald Knox and Nicola Thorogood as churchwardens for the coming year. The Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) which followed received a statement of the annual accounts and various reports, including one concerning the work of the Deanery Synod. The parish electoral roll currently stands at thirty-three entries. Church accounts stood at a balance of £19,777 at 31 December 2015 and the meeting thanked Gerald Knox for his work as Treasurer. Rosemary Knox and John Branfield were re-elected as Deanery Synod representatives and Peter Mimpriss was re-appointed as Independent Examiner of the accounts. The Council expressed its thanks to The Very Reverend Martin Thrower, Rural Dean, for chairing the meeting.

The Chair of the Friends of Wiston Church, Bill Starling, provided a written summary of recent fund-raising events and outline plans for an expanded programme in 2016-17. The meeting expressed thanks to the Friends and especially to its committee members for their much valued work and enthusiastic support of the church in the local community.

In the Parochial Church Council (PCC) meeting which followed the APCM, the existing Council was re-elected unopposed and all PCC officers similarly re-elected, with Derek Johns taking up the role of Safeguarding Officer.

John Branfield, Secretary St Marys PCC

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KENNY'S SESAW NEWS

Kenneth is busy promoting dog chipping which became law last month, leaving me to tell you about two feline families that arrived at SESAW recently.

A kind gentleman rescued Chilli, who had been living rough on an industrial estate, just before she gave birth to a litter of kittens. Sadly another pregnant puss lost some of her kittens due to a viral infection. By the time you read this I hope our remaining kittens will be fully recovered. We are also expecting babies in the garden since the blue tits starting laying eggs in Ron's new bird box. Fear not dear reader, my interest in our feather residents extends only to bird watching from behind the ivy or in the comfort of a sunny windowsill.

One of our SESAW friends, local wildlife guru George Millens, was on hand to offer advice at our Spring Sale in the Old School, Long Melford in April. Over £3200 was raised thanks to more than 200 visitors and our wonderful volunteers who helped make the event such a success. Another enjoyable day for all participants, we hope you will all return for the Christmas Fair on 20th November!

Barbara also had a good day at her Bonanza Sale in Stratford St. Mary last month. The village gave us a warm welcome and £445 was raised.

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Early booking is recommended.

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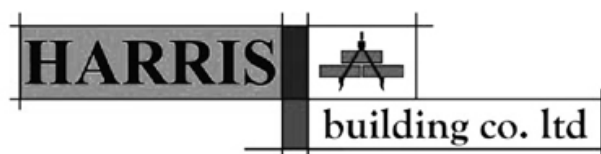
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Bowls Club	Sec: Mrs Eva Rolfe 263151
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VILLAGE DIARY

May		
27th	Village Cinema: <i>'Bridge Of Spies'</i> 8pm doors open 7.30pm Village Hall	
29th	Country Music Club: <i>'Double Barrel'</i> 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 13</i>	
30th	Nayland Church Fete 2-4pm Webb's Meadow	
June		
1st	Art Group: outing to Pin Mill <i>page 26</i>	
6th	Village Hall Management Committee meeting 8pm Village Hall <i>page 31 & 47</i>	
8th	Royal British Legion: outing to Debach Airfield near Woodbridge <i>page 22</i>	
8th	Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm Village Hall Committee Room <i>page 47</i>	
9th	Over 60s: meeting at Parker's Way Community Centre 2.30pm <i>page 27</i>	
11th	Farmers' Market: 9.30am-1pm Village Hall <i>page 40</i>	
11th	Woodland Corner: Barn Dance 5.30pm Village Hall <i>page 11 & 28</i>	
12th	Conservation Society: Open Gardens 2-6pm <i>page 10 & 24</i>	
15th	HortSoc coach outing to Hindringham Hall Gardens & Oxburgh Hall <i>page 23</i>	
17th	How Well Do You Know Nayland Church? Talk by Clive Payne 7pm <i>page 13</i>	
19th	Country Music Club: <i>'Spinning Wheel'</i> 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 13</i>	
20th	Women's Institute: <i>East Anglian Place Names</i> Martyn Roper 7.30pm Village Hall	
24th	Village Cinema: <i>'A Bigger Splash'</i> 8pm doors open 7.30pm Village Hall <i>page 10 & 22</i>	
25th	Home School Association: School Fete 11am-1pm <i>page 13 & 28</i>	
27th	Conservation Society: <i>'Memories of Nayland & Wiston: Further Reminiscences'</i> 7.30pm Village Hall <i>page 11 & 24</i>	
28th	Luncheon Club for over 60s: Church Hall <i>page 15 & 23</i>	
July		
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6th	Community Council: meeting 8pm Church Hall (<i>Exec 7.30</i>) <i>page 6 & 47</i>	
8th	Nayland School: Summer Concert 7pm Village Hall <i>page 29</i>	
8th	HortSoc Summer Garden Party at Parkers 7.30pm <i>pages 10 & 23</i>	
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10th	Village Players: Auditions for 'Cinderella' 5pm Church Hall <i>page 12 & 27</i>	
13th	Village Players: Auditions for 'Cinderella' 7pm Church Hall <i>page 12 & 27</i>	
13th	Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm Village Hall Committee Room <i>page 47</i>	
17th	Community Council: 50th Anniversary 1960s Street Fayre 11am-4pm <i>pages 8 & 9</i>	
18th	Royal British Legion: meeting Anchor Inn 7.30pm for pre meeting drinks <i>page 22</i>	
18th	Women's Institute: <i>St Nicholas Hospice Charity Shop</i> Jane Gaunt 7.30pm Village Hall	
19th	Luncheon Club for over 60s: Summer Tea Party at Longwood Barn <i>page 15 & 23</i>	
20th	Save Our Post Office Campaign: Open Meeting , 7.45 for 8pm Anchor Inn <i>pages 1 & 8</i>	
21st	Induction of Mark Woodrow as Priest in Charge 7.30pm St Mary's Stoke by Nayland <i>page 38</i>	
24th	Country Music Club: <i>'Declan Gaynor'</i> 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 13</i>	
29th	Village Cinema: <i>'Eddie the Eagle'</i> 8pm doors open 7.30pm Village Hall <i>page 10 & 22</i>	
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6th	Nayland Flower Show 2-5pm Village Hall <i>page 12 , 13 & 23</i>	
13th	Farmers' Market: 9.30am-1pm Village Hall <i>page 40</i>	
21st	Country Music Club: <i>'Jonny & Lynnette'</i> 7.30 Village Hall <i>page 13</i>	
Forward Planner	4 September	HortSoc coach outing to Wrest Park & Hopleys Plnts & Garden <i>page 20 & 23</i>
	16 September	Race Night for Cancer Research UK 7pm Nayland Village Hall <i>page 6</i>
	7th October	Community Council: Fun Village Quiz 7.30pm Nayland Village Hall
	19th October	Village Lunch: <i>The Lost City of Dunwich</i> Mark Mitchels <i>page 25</i>
	22 October	Scottish Dancing Evening 6-9pm Village Hall

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