

OUTLOOK

August 2016



Wherry Albion at Cantley Staithe

Acle & Bure to Yare Benefice

*Parishes of Reedham, Freethorpe, Wickhampton, Cantley,
Limpenhoe with Southwood & Halvergate with Tunstall
together with Acle & Beighton with Moulton*

From the (Reedham) Rectory

Driving along the flooded road from Lingwood yesterday, I was not sure that we would actually get home. I was reminded that, at the beginning of the year, walking on the Halvergate road from the Rectory and seeing how the trees were growing in the Spring I had been heartened by the old rhyme:

If the ash comes out before the oak, there will be a summer soak.

If the oak comes out before the ash, there will be a summer splash

But it seems that the trees didn't get it right this year. There was no doubt that the oak beat the ash in April, each day the oaks along the road were greener and the ash stood by doing nothing. Wonderful, I thought, and saw before me the promise of a beautiful, balmy summer of long warm days. As I write this we have had days, or is it weeks, of heavy and consistent rain. Did the trees get it wrong this year?

The one thing we can say is that the weather is unpredictable and has an enormous effect on many people. Our farmers depend on the weather and the unseasonal rain showers have frustrated the efforts of our region's arable farmers this week, delaying the final completion of the harvest.

However, we do seem to have been blessed with a few providential sunny spells. At the Reedham Village Fete there were some splashes but lots of sunshine. It was good to see Reedham School children performing their songs and dances. It seemed to be an ideal Village Fete with everyone enjoying themselves. But whatever you are doing or planning, the weather can make such a difference.

We are planning our Passion Play for Good Friday 2017, April 14th, and there is certainly no way of predicting the weather for that particular day. The play will take place in various locations around Reedham village and we are hoping that we will be blessed with good weather. It seems a long time off but already planning is well under way and you will see our invitation for people to take part later in this issue.

One of my favourite stories in the Bible about weather concerns the prophet Elijah. He was afraid and ran for his life and ended up in a cave. The Lord said to him: "Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by." Then a great and powerful wind tore the mountains apart and shattered the rocks, but the Lord was not in the wind. After the wind there was an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake. After the earthquake came a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire and, after the fire, came a sound of sheer silence. When Elijah heard it he went out and stood at the mouth of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said: "What are you doing here Elijah, return to the wilderness of Damascus." Elijah heard the voice of God in the silence and returned full of courage.

Let's hope that our summer weather improves and that the oak and ash trees were right after all. There is another tradition worth checking too. I am writing this on 14th July and tomorrow is St. Swithin's day – what will the weather be like I wonder!

With every good wish to you all.

Lorna Allies

Confirmation

Preparing for confirmation is an opportunity to affirm the Christian faith in which we have been baptised and, for adults and young people, the pathway to being admitted to receive communion. If you are aged 11 or over and would like to join a group preparing to be confirmed, please speak to Revd Martin Greenland or Revd Lorna Allies.

Baptism

On 19th June at Freethorpe – Andrea Rowlands

Wedding

2nd July at Acle – Jason Jones and Alice Pettegree

Funerals

24th May at Reedham - Doris St George, aged 94

1st June at Acle – Anthony (Tony) Gilbert, of Brundall, aged 80

13th June at St Faith's Crematorium - Harold (Snowy) Cooper, of Acle, aged 95

16th June at St Faith's Crematorium - Irene Arnott, of Acle, aged 91

5th July at Acle – Archibald (Archie) Buckell, of Acle, aged 98

7th July at Reedham – Paul White, aged 84

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of the above.

Clive Cable – Funeral

Please note that Mr Cable's funeral will take place at Reedham Church on Friday 5th August at 2pm.

Benefice Quiet Day

This will be on Saturday 20th August from 10.30am to 3.30pm at the St Lawrence Centre, South Walsham, led by the Revd. Philip Young. There will be a Bring and Share lunch. It would be helpful, but not essential, if you could let Kati Cowen (01493 700915 or kncowen@tiscali.co.uk) know that you hope to come.

ACTORS and TEAM MEMBERS WANTED!

You may know that a Passion Play is going to be staged in Reedham on Good Friday 14th April 2017.

This will be an open air production, moving between five venues in the village, covering events from Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem to his crucifixion.

The production team has been in place for some time and we are now in the position to invite anyone interested in acting in the play to attend Reedham Church on one of two evenings –

Tuesday 16th August or Wednesday 17th August, 7-9pm.

We are looking for principals, ensemble and children.

If you want to be part of this venture, then please contact Lorna Allies lorna.allies@gmail.com 01493 296321 or Diana Gilder degilder@yahoo.co.uk 01493 700105 by 7th August and tell us which evening you will be attending.



If you feel you have other skills or enthusiasms and would like to be part of the team, or just want to know more, then do contact us.

(Reedham Church has toilet and refreshment facilities.)

Website & E-Outlook!

We now have a Benefice Website up and running - all sorts of useful information on it, so do take a look: abychurches.co.uk. What is more, Outlook magazine can be accessed from it, so if you no longer live in our area, or don't get a magazine delivered at present, you can still read it! Tell your friends and neighbours, particularly if they don't get a paper copy, but would like to keep up to date with the news and events in our area. Many thanks to Peter Allies for setting this up.

Kati Cowen

Our Bus

As well as the regular services of Our Bus – 730,73C calling at Reedham, Freethorpe, Acle and Gt Yarmouth, 73A calling at Reedham, Freethorpe and Acle and 737 (first Friday of the month) calling at Halvergate, Freethorpe, Reedham and Norwich - there is also a flexible prebooked service from Monday to Friday when other services are not scheduled. Bookings are taken until 5pm the day before travel, Monday to Friday. English National Concessionary Bus Passes are accepted as per scheme rules. For further details of these services please see the timetables (on notices board) or contact 01493 752223.

Reedham Village Show – Sunday 21st August 2016

Please note the change of date. As the Village Hall unexpectedly became available on Sunday 21st August, we thought this more convenient for most people. There will be flowers, fruit, vegetables, cookery, craft and photography exhibited and also a good display of children's work – plenty to see and games, raffle and refreshments. Exhibits, which do not have to be perfect, accepted from 8.30am. The Show opens to the public at 2.30pm and prizes presented at 3.30pm. Any queries to Amanda on 01493 701685. Hope to see you there.

Reedham Gardening Club

Following the heavy rain, flowers will revive if dead-headed and fed with tomato fertilizer. We can now enjoy our hard work and harvest our vegetables. Beans, especially, need picking frequently so they continue to produce. The spaces can be filled with lettuce, radish and Autumn and Winter vegetables, such as sprouts, cauliflowers, cabbage and leeks.

Janet

Pathfinder Puzzle

Starting at the 8th letter across on the 6th row down, move up, down or sideways (but NOT diagonally) to find the path through 29 herbs and flowers. (These are all mentioned in the Chronicles of Brother Cadfael by Ellis Peters.) Answer in next month's Outlook.

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Lyndsay Fisher

Cantley Flower Show

This year's Show is on Saturday 3rd September at 2pm at Cantley Village Hall. Please support us by entering. You are also welcome to come along on the day and enjoy

tea and coffee; browse all the flowers, fruit, vegetable, cooking, photos and handcraft etc; take part in the raffle, tombola and auction of produce and also the excitement of the prize giving. Andrew Proctor, the local Norfolk County and Broadland District councillor for Cantley, has kindly agreed to present the prizes. Full details are on the web at www.cantley.org.

The new Cantley Poster Competition reaches its climax with the announcement of the winners and the presentation of their prizes. The children of Cantley School have been busy producing poster for this competition. All the posters will be on display at the Show.

If you live in Cantley, Limpenhoe or Southwood then you may have already received your schedule. If you would like to enter but have not received a schedule then please either contact me or go to www.cantley.org/flowershow.

Robert 01493 701231

Mothers' Union

A very interesting talk was held at the coffee morning in Reedham Church on 16th July. Two representatives from AFIA (Away From it All), one of the Mothers Union projects, came to tell us how needy families were referred by Welfare Workers, Police and other charities for a holiday at one of the caravan coastal sites in Norfolk. Some sad stories were related and the follow-up how much the week's holiday had helped them. It was a shame that not more people were there to hear about it.

A big thank you for anyone who knitted jumpers, baby hats and blankets for another of Mothers Union Projects.

Tess Truman

All Saints Beighton – Heritage Day Saturday 10 September 2016, 10am – 5pm

Saturday 10 September 2016 is the Norfolk Churches Trust annual Ride, Stride and Drive. On the same day All Saints, Beighton will also be holding a Heritage Day at the church as part of the Heritage Lottery Funded project when everyone is invited to come along to learn more about the history of the building and the work being planned to restore and improve it. There will also be a display of local treasures residents of Beighton and Moulton may have dug up in their garden or have hidden away in the attic or outbuildings. Contact Suzanne Peek on 01493 751011 if you are interested in displaying items. A selection of parish records from the Archive Centre in Norwich, a special trail for young and not-so-young people to discover the many interesting features of All Saints and hopefully the chance to record your memories of Beighton and Moulton – church, school, village etc – will also feature on the day. And of course, no event at the church would be complete without our amazing refreshments which on this occasion will be delicious cream teas. We hope to see you all there on the day.

Kate, Claire, Giles, Suzanne, Carolyn and Alison – The Project Team

St Andrew's, Wickhampton, News

We've had 2 visits by Ace Cultural Tours, one in June and one in July. There were two groups of people led by Imogen Corrigan, who is a medieval and Anglo-Saxon Art Historian, and Michaela Rowland Hall and Alison Marshall, the tour managers. Peter and Elizabeth Ledward met with them and organised refreshments – thank you. Gemma Walker, who is a member of the Norfolk Wildlife Trust, has carried out a wildlife survey in our churchyard with a view to next year leaving a small section for nature conservation.

Records of the wildflowers and wildlife have been recorded this year although we have been strimming the grass since the spring. We will receive a written report and guidance on management of a proposed area as from next year, which will be left to grow flower and seed until July when we can then cut and rake away.

St Andrew's Church Wickhampton

will be open on

SUNDAY 14th August 10.30am – 4pm
Serving Refreshments of Morning Coffee,
Ploughman's Lunches and Cream Teas
New and Nearly New Stall

Bric-a-Brac Books

Raffle Sideshows

ALL WELCOME

Short act of Worship following the lunch.

News from Limpenhoe

Limpenhoe Village Hall hosted a street banquet to celebrate the Queen's 90th Birthday on Sunday 26th June. Thankfully the weather was favourable and the afternoon was spent playing old fashioned parlour games in the sunshine. Everyone entered into the a patriotic spirit and dressed in a Red, White and Blue theme.

- Best made crown awarded to Hugh Hewitt
- Best dressed child – Erin Wright
- Best dressed adult – Brenda Pawsey

These were judged by Revd. Martin Greenland

The marquee and tables were decorated with Union Jack flags and delicious home made food, including sausage meat and corned beef pies, various quiches and salads, followed by fresh cream scones, jelly and ice-cream. Thanks to who made this such a successful occasion.

AUGUST CALENDAR

Reedham Charity: The Leprosy Mission

Monday 1st 7.30pm Whist Drive – Cantley Village Hall

Tuesday 2nd MOBILE LIBRARY DAY

7.30pm Reedham W.I. – Reedham Village Hall

SUNDAY 7th 11th after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion – Acle

9.30am Holy Communion – Beighton

9.30am Matins - Halvergate

11.00am Morning Prayer – Acle

11.00am Holy Communion – Freethorpe

11.00am Morning Prayer (said) – Reedham

No First@4/Messy Church for families

Saturday 13th 9.00am Farmers' Market – Acle Parish Hall

SUNDAY 14th 12th after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion – Acle

10.30am - 4pm Wickhampton Open Church Event with
short act of worship after lunch.

11.00am Holy Communion - Acle

11.00am Morning Prayer – Freethorpe

11.00am Holy Communion – Reedham

3.00pm Evening Prayer – Limpenhoe

Monday 15th 7.00pm Cash Bingo – Reedham Village Hall

7.30pm Whist Drive – Cantley Village Hall

Tuesday 16th OUTLOOK COPY DATE

7.00pm Passion Play Meeting – Reedham Church

Wednesday 17th 7.00pm Passion Play Meeting – Reedham Church

Friday 19th 7.30pm Nice n Easy Dance Night – Reedham Village Hall

Saturday 20th 10.30am Benefice Quiet Day – St Lawrence, S. Walsham

SUNDAY 21st 13th after Trinity

9.30am Holy Communion – Halvergate

9.30am Morning Prayer – Beighton

11.00am Holy Communion - Acle

11.00am Morning Prayer – Freethorpe

11.00am Morning Prayer – Reedham

6.30pm Evening Prayer – Cantley

2.30pm Reedham Village Show – Village Hall

Tuesday 23rd 7.30pm Whist Drive – Reedham Village Hall

SUNDAY 28th 14th after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion – Acle

9.30am Morning Prayer – Halvergate

9.30am Holy Communion - Limpenhoe

11.00am Morning Prayer – Reedham

11.00am Holy Communion – Acle

11.00am Morning Prayer – Freethorpe

Monday 29th 7.30pm Whist Drive – Cantley Village Hall

Tuesday 30th MOBILE LIBRARY DAY

Looking forward into September :-

Friday 2nd 8.30pm Karaoke – Reedham Vikings

Saturday 3rd 2.00pm Cantley Flower Show – Cantley Village Hall

7.00pm Film Night – Reedham Village Hall

SUNDAY 4th 15th after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion – Acle

9.30am Morning Prayer – Beighton

9.30am Matins - Halvergate

11.00am Morning Prayer – Acle

11.00am Holy Communion – Freethorpe

11.00am Morning Prayer (said) – Reedham

4.00pm First@4/Messy Church for families - Reedham

Weekly - Tuesdays 9.30am – 11.30am Music group in Reedham Village hall

Tuesdays 2pm – Senior Residents Club, Glover Lounge, Reedham Village hall

Wednesday 10.30am -12.30 noon - New Age Kurling in Reedham Village hall.

Thursday 10am – 12 noon – Badminton Club, Reedham Village Hall

7pm – 9pm – Table Tennis, Reedham Church

Fridays 9.30am – 11.30 am – Stay and Play Reedham Village Hall

Saturday 9.00am - 10.00am - Aerobics, Reedham Village Hall

Sundays 6.30pm Meeting Reedham Gospel Hall

NOTE: Reedham surgery will not be open on Wednesdays during August.

Reedham Community Association

Diary Dates for August:-

Monday 15th August is our monthly cash bingo. Doors open at 7.00pm with eyes down at 7.30pm. There will also be a fully licensed bar and kitchen refreshments available – the raffle will be drawn at the interval. Look out for the posters that will tell you what the snowball jackpot is. Hope to see you there!

Friday 19th August is Nice 'n Easy Dance Night – 7.30pm start. New members are always welcome. For more information please call Chris on 01493 701107.

Tuesday 23rd August is the evening for the monthly Whist Drive – starting at 7.30pm. If you have never been but would like to go then please do go along – all new members are made very welcome indeed.

Wednesday mornings are the time for the weekly New Age Kurling group. Sessions are from 10.30am – 12.30pm and are £1.50 per person. This does include a cuppa and a biscuit at half time. This game is suited to all ages and abilities and the group is always happy to welcome new members along.

Saturday mornings are when the weekly aerobics with Amanda take place – 9.00am – 10.00am. If you are interested in going along then please call Amanda first on 01493 701685. It is £1.50 per session and you will be made to feel very welcome.

Looking ahead into September:-

Monday 19th September is our monthly cash bingo.

If you wish to book the hall at any time please call our Booking Clerk, Angie Woolsey, who will be pleased to advise and help in any way. Her contact number is 07585 504199.

As always, thank you to everyone who continues to support the village hall by attending and helping out at events – it is much appreciated!

Reedham Community Association Committee

Reedham Vikings

On Friday 2nd September Reedham Vikings will be holding a Karaoke night with Andy from Knight Moves, 8.30pm start. On Saturday 24th September Knight Moves return to the Vikings 8.45pm start. Free entry to both. All welcome

Saturday July 30th Quiz Night 8pm start, £5 per team Max 6 in team – all welcome.

David Brister

REEDHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting held on Monday 6th June 2016

There were 8 Councillors present plus County Councillor Iles and District Councillor Nurden and 5 members of the public.

The Chairman said that Norfolk County Council (NCC) Highways Department have written to say they are looking into the situation on Pottles Lane. Cllr Rushbrook asked about Mill Road and the Chairman said that this was being considered too.

The Chairman announced that he had received a letter from the Parish Clerk which tendered her resignation due to health matters. She intends to maintain her duties until a replacement is appointed.

County Cllr Iles said that a letter of appreciation should be sent to the Clerk, which he would endorse. He then went on to brief the meeting on NCC matters. The new political leadership is bedding down and there are not too many changes. Devolution was very topical and he hoped that the Parish Council would have input into the debate. The main digging for the Northern Distributor Road is well-advanced. In respect of local issues, he still believes public funding for the footpath near Brit House is unlikely and that a local initiative would be best; Acle is seen as a 'crossroads' for rural transport – NCC is promoting the flexi-bus for cost reasons.

The Vice Chairman asked if the cost of re-instating the footpath had been clarified as this had been discussed at the last meeting, especially in respect of financing public liability insurance cover. Cllr Iles felt this was more of a local matter. The issue of NCC selling off land was also discussed. Cllr Iles felt that NCC selling strips of land to generate income was acceptable in the right circumstances, but not wholesale disposals.

The Vice Chairman questioned NCC's commitment to bus services to and from Reedham. Cllr Thompson said that there were services most days and that her experience of using them, including the flexi-bus, was good. County Cllr Iles said that rural bus services were subject to competitive tendering and that it was a case of use it or lose the service. Cllr Rushbrook said she would ensure the services were publicised in the village Outlook magazine.

C Bradbury, presented the Reedham Community Association report to the meeting. The principal points were that there are no issues with the play equipment after the monthly inspection, BT are still vacillating on providing adequate broadband to the hall, the committee are looking to appoint new treasurer due to the current incumbent standing down, fund raising is going well and the annual village fete is on 10th July. It was acknowledged that the playing field grass needs to be cut and arrangements were in hand. Cllr Bilverstone enquired about the Football Club. C Bradbury said that the cheque held against any deterioration in the changing rooms had been cashed-in after discussion with club officials.

District Cllr Nurden gave his report. He wished to draw attention to 2 points: the Street Scene Service and the Conservation Team in the Planning Department. In respect of the former, additional leaf clearance is being phased out after a trial in 2015/16, reduced road and footway sweeping is being introduced after a successful trial, dog and litter bins are to be provided by developers on new sites, the public convenience in Reedham is to be maintained and the Council plans to use recycled plastic posts for repairs to street signs. Potential reduced staffing in the Conservation Team is only a

temporary matter which will be resolved in a few weeks, according to the Head of Planning. Finally, maintenance work on the quay will start on 11th July.

Cllr Bilverstone informed the meeting about an arson attack on the public conveniences. District Cllr Nurden said he would check out the insurance implications.

C Mutton, updated the meeting on his planning application. It was discussed at the Planning Committee meeting on 25th May. The vote was 10 to 2 in favour of the development (24 houses off Station Road). Cllr Rushbrook was dissatisfied with the behaviour of some Council officials who talked to each other whilst others were speaking. Vice Chairman Mills deputised for the Chairman in attending the meeting.

Cllr Bilverstone said that the 'wild flower' part of Middle Hill is rampant. The Chairman said he that he would inform the Tree Warden with a view to sending a letter to the person responsible.

Cllr Rushbrook informed the meeting that she had written to the Practice Manager for Reedham Surgery about inconsistent opening hours. The Chairman said that he would follow this matter up with the surgery. It was agreed that the Parish Council should write a formal letter to the surgery.

A concern was raised by N Bagshaw that a hardwood tree (and possibly more) had been felled at the front of the house opposite the Witton Close entrance. The Chairman said he would ask the Tree Warden to look into this matter.

Cllr Ward conveyed N Bagshaw's position in his absence. N Bagshaw believes he has done all he can to raise public awareness and galvanise action to reinstate the footpath. His expectation is that the Parish Council will represent the petitioners' interests in seeking to have the footpath reinstated. The Parish Clerk has been given copies of all relevant documentation and anything further of relevance will be forwarded too. The NCC Countryside Manager – Trails and Projects has taken the matter up and has been very positive. With respect to the Broads Authority's behaviour in the matter, N Bagshaw will pursue the issue personally; he has already written to the Information Commissioner.

Meeting held on Monday 4th July 2016

There were 11 Councillors present including the Clerk. Also present was District Cllr Nurden. 6 members of the public were present. Council meeting commenced at 7.30 pm District Cllr Nurden informed the meeting that Norfolk were against a public consultation with regard to devolution and Suffolk were in favour. Apparently the public toilets were closed due to fire to give time to clean. The Tree Warden Officer has left the post but will be replaced.

Clerk informed the meeting on behalf of County Cllr Iles that it had been agreed that a public consultation would take place within the next few days.

The Chairman of the Village Hall Committee Chris Bradbury gave the following report: Repairs had taken place on the pavilion as brickwork was coming away. There are no issues with the play equipment following the inspection in June. Still waiting to hear regarding the installation of fibre optic broadband with BT. Chris is carrying out the accounts function as a replacement treasurer still has not been found.

Fund raising:

June bingo jackpot was won therefore now stands at £210.

The film on 6th July Yarmouth in the Sixties and Crabs and Shannocks.

The Village Fete is on 10th July from 1-4pm.

On 30th July there will be a showing of the 1966 FIFA World Cup Final. With free entry.

On 3rd August the film will be "Eddie the Eagle".

Further comments:

Resident of Pottles Lane complained about the state of the road. The bank is gradually diminishing and the size of the pot holes nearly causes an accident due to vehicles swerving to avoid the deep pot holes. He also suggested that the speed limit be reduced to 30mph. The Chair informed the gentleman that this had previously been reported but NCC decided no action would be taken. Clerk to write again and the gentleman urged to also write.

Councillor also reported the continued passage of tankers to the sewage pit and was informed that this is to be expected in July. Following on from this remark Cllr Mills had attended the planning meeting with regard to Station Road and reported that Anglia Water had been asked about the sewage problem once the 24 properties had been built and they responded that it was adequate. It was agreed to obtain a price to have the football pitch cut.

Cllr Lester informed the meeting that she would be attending a meeting shortly. The HLF grant hasn't got far as they have been too busy will check again in 2 months. Apparently there will be a re-enactment in Reedham in approx 3 years time. Queries with regard to the Conservation Area on Middle Hill should be cut in July. Cllr Lester will monitor to ensure it is done.

Cllr Bilverstone informed the meeting that Mr Brister had been extremely helpful on the allotment to assist him, as he is presently incapacitated and requested a letter of thanks be sent to him from the Parish Council. The manure had been tipped for all to use. The cut trees on Mill Road might offer some mulch for the pathways.

Cllr Mills had been interviewed by B.D.C. with regard to the swing bridge. It is in need of repair and the decision to keep it or replace it is being discussed. Apparently there will be a public consultation.

It was agreed to discuss the Permissive Footpath next time that County Cllr Iles and Mr Mutten are in attendance.

Time and Date of Next Meeting.

Monday 5th September 2016 at 7.30pm

Dog walkers are reminded that dog fouling is an offence. Please clear up after your dog and place in bins provided or take home with you.

Reedham School Ben Nevis attempt

My daughter and I are climbing Ben Nevis to raise funds for Reedham Primary school. By the time you read this we will probably have climbed it. I have made a giving page where people can donate whatever they can, anything however small will be appreciated. The page is open until October so please give what you can to support our local school. Thank you. Lisa Sole. The website address <http://crowdfunding.justgiving.com/lisa-sole>

IT'S NOT TOO LATE!

... to book a slot for the
24 HOUR BIBLETHON AT WICKHAMPTON
 8.30 am Saturday September 10th to 8.30 am Sunday 11th

There are several daytime and evening slots still available. If you prefer to read in front of a smaller audience, we also have some holes remaining in our overnight schedule.

WHAT WOULD I BE SIGNING UP TO?



1. Coming to Wickhampton St Andrew's Church at your agreed time
2. Reading out loud from the bible, starting from where the previous reader left off, for half an hour
3. Agreeing to appear in the booklet we will produce to commemorate the event
4. If you could also raise some sponsorship money for our

Tower Restoration Project, that would be most helpful

Contact Peter Allies, The Rectory, Reedham, to book your slot and get a sponsorship form. Tel 01493 296321 or email peter@gullmeadow.com

Reedham Senior Residents Club

Our bingo lottery was won this time by Mrs Elsie Mace, her prize money was £223.20.

This bingo lottery is for anyone to join, you have to be in it to win it. Please call Angie on 07585504199 for details. It helps to support the Senior Residents Club whilst giving the winner a cash prize.

The Club meets every Tuesday in the village hall at 2pm, if you are over 50 do come along you will be made most welcome. If you cannot get to the hall ring Angie and we will pick you up. Don't be shy spend an afternoon with us, make new friends and have a cuppa and a natter. We have luncheons during the year and a Christmas party.

Reedham Senior Residents Committee

CSA lottery June 2016

1st P Howes
 3rd G Godrum

2nd A Wrench
 4th K Jenner

Next draw will be Friday 9th September in school assembly.

Barbara Tuck

St Botolph's Church, Limpenhoe - Sea Sunday

A Special Service to celebrate Sea Sunday was held on 10th July, and attended by village and church members and members of the Royal Navy representing their support for the Mission to Seafarers. This year Sea Sunday celebrated 160 years of caring for seafarers. Revd. Martin Greenland led the worship which was an opportunity to remember and offer prayers for the 1.5 million brave men and women who go to work at sea around the world to make sure we receive our essential items. They are often in dangerous and lonely conditions, not seeing their families for months at a time. Churches all over the world were asked to join a global celebration of the enduring and vital work of the Maritime Christian Mission to Seafarers (1856 – 2016). Following the service, the congregation enjoyed refreshments of tots of rum! and cheese straws provided by Christine Fisk and Simon Ash.

Brenda Pawsey

Royal British Legion (Women's Section) – Reedham & District

Monday August 15th is the date of the Summer Lunch and Grand Raffle.

Freethorpe Women's Night Out

Our annual outing will take place on Wednesday August 3rd when we will be visiting the Museum of Memories on King Street in Great Yarmouth for a conducted tour led by Rosie, as Valerie Hawkins is recovering from an operation on her hip. This will be followed by a fish and chip supper at the Regent Restaurant and then on to watch the fireworks display on the seafront. All members welcome – contact Brenda Pawsey on 01493 700068 or Pat Carter 01493 700777.

Our speaker in July was unable to attend so we were so grateful to Ian Hytch who stepped in at the last minute and gave us a delightful and entertaining evening with 'His love of Music'. He spoke about his childhood with his father who introduced him to Beethoven and encouraged his family to attend concerts of classical music. His musical career eventually brought him to Wymondham College where he was Head of Music and he now lives in Freethorpe from where he teaches the pupils at Freethorpe School. We listened to many orchestral extracts and performances he had conducted and composed. Thank you, Ian.

Brenda Pawsey

Dates for the Diary

6th – 14th is Open Churches Week across the Diocese of Norwich: look out for special open days and events.

Mon 8th – Fri 12th Light lunches served 12 – 2pm in St. Edmund's Church.

Sat 13th *Farmers' Market* 9.00am-12.30pm at Acle Parish Hall

Wed 17th 2.30pm St. Edmund's *Link Group* meets.

Sep Thu 8th *Church Coffee Morning* at St. Edmund's Parish Hall.

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