THE GLAVEN VALLEY NEWSLETTER



'Juno' - On an Evening's Walk

Photo taken by Barry Howes

October 2022

APPEAL FOR HELP

ST NICHOLAS' CHURCH HAS SET UP A PROGRAMME OF SUPPORT FOR PEOPLE IN THE BENEFICE AND HAS SET ASIDE £5000 TO HELP FAMILIES AND THE ELDERLY IN OUR VILLAGES THROUGH THESE DIFFICULT TIMES

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DONATIONS CAN BE MADE ONLINE THROUGH THE CHURCH WEBSITE:

glavenvalleychurches.org.uk

Click on the 'donate' button, then scroll down the page and click on Blakeney Church

OR BY CONTACTING THE TREASURER, <u>malcolm.jardine@icloud.com</u> FOR ACCOUNT DETAILS

THANK YOU FOR YOUR KINDNESS

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Treasurer's Report

Donations can be made by:

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- By making an online transfer or setting up a standing order to us (Sort Code 30-94-34 Account 00897099)
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Many thanks for your support Martin Tyler Treasurer, Glaven Valley Newsletter

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TO BE HELD ON THE CARNSER CAR PARK, **BLAKENEY QUAY.** FREE PARKING AT THE **VILLAGE HALL CAR PARK**

PROFESSIONAL FIRE-

WORKS DISPLAY by the company responsible for the Cromer Carnival Displays;
'TITANIUM FIREWORKS' Burgers, Hot Dogs, Hog Roast (tbc) Drinks, Soup, Hot Doughnuts, Toffee Apples, Candy Floss, Kiddies Rides, Tombola (Glaven Caring), Glow Sticks, Ruby Flames & Musical Organ from Thursford to add to the atmosphere, & much more besides.....

ITEMS FOR TOMBOLA ACCEPTED AT: GLAVEN **CARING, PARISH OFFICE, WESTON'S FISH SHOP or VIA OUR CAR PARK ATTENDANTS**

BLAKENEY PARISH COUNCIL Proudly presents this Annual End of Season Event

This annual end of season Bonfire & Fireworks Event, will once again be held on the Carnser Car Park, Blakeney Quayside.

5pm BBQ and various attractions, 6.15pm 'Ruby Flames', 6.45pm Bonfire Lit, 7.30pm Fireworks



Photo Credit: BRAD DAMMS

The event historically benefits the COMMUNITY FUND which local groups apply to each December for a grant, such as the Primary School, Duckpond, Coastal Rowing Assoc, Village Hall Trust, Historical Society, etc & also our PUBLIC EVENTS. Donation buckets will be doing the rounds, please do give generously as the event itself remains FREE!

For further information please contact: Tracey Bayfield (Parish Clerk) Blakeney Parish Council, The Parish Office

Langham Road, Blakeney

Nr Holt, Norfolk

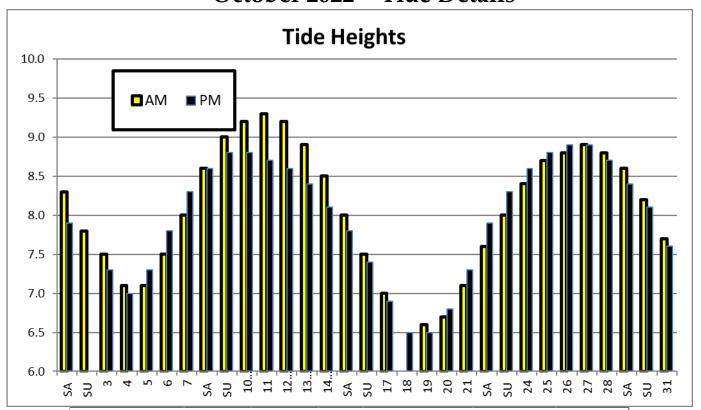
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Phone: 01263 741106

Email: clerk@blakeneyparishcouncil.org.uk www.blakeneyparishcouncil.org.uk

FIND US ON FACEBOOK - In event of bad weather, reserve date is Saturday 29th Oct.

October 2022 - Tide Details



Tide Times

	AM	PM		AM	PM
Sat 01 October	10:50	23:11			
Sun 02 October	11:40	00:00			
Mon 03 October	00:01	12:44	Mon 17 October	11:57	23:58
Tue 04 October	01:11	14:27	Tue 18 October	00:00	13:04
Wed 05 October	02:54	16:06	Wed 19 October	01:14	14:58
Thu 06 October	04:13	17:16	Thu 20 October	03:29	16:12
Fri 07 October	05:13	18:11	Fri 21 October	04:31	17:06
Sat 08 October	06:03	18:57	Sat 22 October	05:18	17:50
Sun 09 October	06:48	19:37	Sun 23 October	05:57	18:28
Mon 10 October	07:31	20:13	Mon 24 October	06:34	19:05
Tue 11 October	08:11	20:45	Tue 25 October	07:11	19:41
Wed 12 October	08:50	21:14	Wed 26 October	07:49	20:17
Thu 13 October	09:26	21:42	Thu 27 October	08:28	20:53
Fri 14 October	10:01	22:11	Fri 28 October	09:09	21:30
Sat 15 October	10:36	22:40	Sat 29 October	09:52	22:09
Sun 16 October	11:12	23:14	Sun 30 October	09:39	21:52
			Mon 31 October	10:34	22:54
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REMEMBER BST ENDS SUNDAY 30 OCTOBER

Saturday 8th October 2022, 6pm St Margaret's Church, Cley NR25 7TT



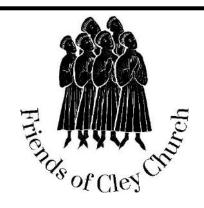
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Blakeney

News from the Methodist Church

Hello everyone,

Firstly, I offer an apology that there wasn't any news from the Methodist Church last month, there was, in fact, a lot of news to share but with a busy schedule and two weeks of annual leave, I simply ran out of time!

Our second mindful colouring session went well and we're planning our next one for the 3rd October (at 10am) on the theme of autumn. We have a lovely time together, with the first half of the session colouring quietly and then, after some nice refreshments we colour whilst chatting. Everybody is welcome to come along, everything you need is included and there is no charge. Our Tea in the Garden event in August also went well, we raised £137 for the church funds. Finally, at the end of our summer programme, our flower arranging workshop was a success, being fully booked and producing some wonderful arrangements! We will be planning a further one in winter, so do keep an eye out for it. A big thank you to everyone who has supported us these past few months by volunteering, or coming along to one of the events, it has been great to see the chapel full of people once more:-)

We continue to collect items for the local Cromer and District Foodbank, with every donation making a difference in these times of rising costs of living. Our donation point is open at the following times;

> Thursdays 10am-11am Sundays 9.30am - 11.30am

Our weekly Sunday services for October are as follows;

Sunday 2nd October 10am - Traditional Service Sunday 9th October 10am - Cafe Church Sunday 16th October 10am - Celtic style service Sunday 23rd October 10am - Garden Church

Sunday 30th October 10.30am - Big Sunday

Our mid-week prayer time; Thursdays 9.30am - 10am

Our weekly coffee morning continues on Thursdays 10am - 11am. It's a great place to come and have a chat over refreshments in our warm and cosy lounge area.

You are always very welcome to come and join us at the Chapel. If you would like to talk to someone about coming, please give me a call on 07725 077810. We're a really friendly bunch and enjoy drinking coffee, eating, worshipping and laughing together:-)

Love and blessings

Sam Parfitt

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From Clearances

When all the others were away at Mass
I was all hers as we peeled potatoes.
They broke the silence, let fall one by one
Like solder weeping off the soldering iron:
Cold comforts set between us, things to share
Gleaming in a bucket of clean water.
And again, let fall. Little pleasant splashes
From each other's work would bring us to our
senses.

So, while the parish priest at her bedside Went hammer and tongs at the prayers for the dying

And some were responding and some crying I remembered her head bent towards my head, Her breath in mine, our fluent dipping knives—Never closer the whole rest of our lives.

Seamus Heaney

Blakeney Regatta 2022

We, the committee, wish to thank you all for supporting the water and rural sports events we put on in August. It was always going to be controversial, and there were many who were not enjoying the shift we had to make from 'evening greasy pole' to 'mid-morning greasy pole', ourselves included, due to the coordinating of the time and height of tide, along with the man power needed to put the event on. We were prepared for the attendance to be lower and had suffered the wrath of those who could not make it due to work commitments. However, in true Blakeney style, the regatta excelled as never before! It was truly amazing to see the huge crowds as normal, and the number of competitors were through the roof! The change worked – and indeed worked very well! We had the weather on our side, and of course the determination of the local community to support us no matter what. Some managed a couple of hours break, some were lucky to get the day off, and one local business closed his workshop for the day to give his staff the day off to come to the event!

Huge thanks to all those that could attend, and huge thanks to all the helpers that we could not do without. There are many names we could list who pitched in and helped on the day to assist with the many jobs that putting on the regatta requires. Without them we could not do what we do – sell raffle tickets, help sign competitors in, ferry people across the quay, help competitors out of the water, operate safety boats, collect donations, commentate throughout the day (Tom Curtis – brilliant job on the rural sports, ALL day!), make announcements (Derek – who gave him a megaphone? He really didn't need it!), help set up events and help put them away, judging various activities, and so it goes on. Thank you, we are indebted to you all.

Our future planning will be down to the tides as always, but we are fully intending to look at the morning tides again, with the ideal scenario being on a weekend to enable all those that couldn't attend due to work have a better chance. The one person who springs to mind is Sam Watts, our regular entrant for the 100yds men swimming race. His is the only name on the trophy, and he is rightly very proud of this. Unfortunately, he was unable to attend this year, so a new name is being engraved for 2022!! Well done Tom Bowden – this can only mean a very competitive 2023!

The Regatta committee are very happy to welcome new faces to join. We don't have many meetings as the pattern stays the same which keeps it simpler, but as time moves forward, we need the younger generations learning the ropes, in order to keep the traditions running. Anyone wishing to get involved, either on the committee or as a helper, please get in touch with Louise Donohoe (07703974199) or Jane Temple (07841162010).

Lastly a huge thank you to all the regatta competitors! What an amazing display you gave us, and from a spectator's point of view, so much entertainment! It was a fantastic year, with so many joining in, giving us many winners polishing up their trophies. We definitely had two full days of record number competitors — well done to you all and thank you.

Jane Temple

Coastal Rowing Association of Blakeney

This year's Great River Race, held on Saturday 10th September 2022 on the Thames, was organised differently to provide a fitting tribute to our late Queen. The event became The Queen Elizabeth Memorial Row. Humphrey Borgnis, Blakeney Rowing Club Captain, gives a clear description of rowing from Millwall in the Isle of Dogs to Ham near Richmond some 22 miles upstream:

"This year it was decided that the event would be a memorial procession and not a race, and the atmosphere was memorable. All boats attached a black ribbon to their flag. The rowing was a much less aggressive than usual. We passed all the London landmarks: Tower Bridge, Westminster, up to Putney, Kew and then Richmond before arriving at Ham about 3 and a bit hours later. It was a moving experience and new friends were made especially with the Dutch St Ayles Gig crowd with their 5 boats. Hopefully we will be able to visit them next year. Well rowed Adrian, Tom, Helen, Anna and Carol."

The Great River Race is an annual event not to be missed! Next year's race is on the 16th September, 2023. It's truly an amazing gathering of all sorts of traditional rowing boats. Special thanks to Humphrey who towed the skiff *Bluejacket* to London before rowing the course as part of a crew comprising rowers from Blakeney and King's Lynn. See pictures of the Memorial Row on the club web site at crablakeney.wordpress.co as well as on Instagram and Facebook. If you want to become a member of your local rowing club then contact hborgnis@icloud.com.

Barry Howes

Blakeney Harbour Room Events

The Harbour welcomed back some great music during September.

'Egypt' (who are all ex-members of The Groundhogs) showed their pedigree on September 2nd and bought with them a local support band 'Cold Sweat' who were also excellent. Both bands will be returning in 2023.

On September 16th 'Free at Last' really demonstrated how good some tribute bands are by performing all the hits and more from Free and Bad Company.

September 24th 'The After-Hours Band' returned and gave us a master class in how to play the blues. Tremendous talent on stage that night.

October 7th 8.30 Chasing Mumford.

The Harbour Room welcomes the countries top tribute act who will be performing their new show "The Mumford & Son Experience" UK based tribute band Chasing Mumford are 5 full time musicians who are all massive fans and committed to recreating the sound and songs of **Mumford & Sons** as faithfully as possible. All multi-instrumentalists and with beautifully 4-part vocal harmonies, they capture the spirit, image and vibe of the original band in their new show.

Chasing Mumford have toured with the likes of Scouting for Girls, The Hoosiers, Pixie Lott and Mungo Jerry.

Sure to be loved by Mumford fans and Indie-folk lovers alike.

Sunday 9th October 3 - 6pm Folk Club (no amplification)

Open to everyone to perform or just listen. Individuals, duos or bands welcome. Traditional and world style is fine, as long as you can hear the story in the words! Protest and love songs, a capella or accompanied. Push your boundaries being different is great, being trad. is great.

Bar open and food at half time.

Thursday 13th October 7pm - Open Mic night.

Held in The Top Bar on the second Thursday of every month Our goal for Open Mic Night is to provide a platform primarily for local musicians in the community, or just visiting, to come together and perform in public. We encourage all levels of performers from novice to expert, to sharpen their skills in front of an audience who are keen to listen to your talent. It's always a great evening, and we never quite know who might turn up on the night! If performing isn't your thing, just come along and enjoy the entertainment.

Thursday 27th October - Quiz night.

A well-attended and popular event on the fourth Thursday of every month.

Sunday 30th October - Folk Club open mic.

A new amplified open mic session for the evening folk club. Always held on the last Sunday of the month. Food at half time.

During the Winter months come and enjoy our regular culinary delights!

Home cooked Curry every Thursday evening Fish and Chips every Friday evening Sunday Roast every week

George Crawley

BLAKENEY FILM NIGHT VILLAGE HALL

"Downton Abbey: A New Era" (PG)

Friday 21st October £5 on the door

With plenty of surprises and an iconic moment to savour, this is Downton at its lavishly entertaining best. Set in the late-1920s, it takes place in dual locations. While Lady Mary stays home to oversee filming of a silent movie, a necessary indignity to pay for a leaking roof, other family members go on a grand adventure to uncover a mysterious legacy connected to the Dowager Countess's past.

It has real style & atmosphere as it moves from bustling Downton to the French Riviera with much excitement, humour, sadness & joy along the way. A charming romp with fabulous costumes & production, wonderful performances & the magnetic presence of Maggie Smith. Cinematic escapism at its finest.

Doors open at 6.30 for a 7pm start. Refreshments available. All profits for BVH refurbishment.

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A film about FGM, courage and hope



Holt Community Centre Kerridge Way, Holt NR25 6DN



Friday, October 28th – 14.00-16.00 Free entry – donations welcome

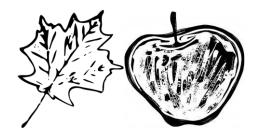
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Autumn Mindful Colouring Monday 3rd October 10am



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Blakeney Methodist Church

Refreshments at 3.50pm



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Starting Monday 10th October

and then every second Monday of the month

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Acupuncture at Holt Holistic Centre Alison Courtney BScHon Ac

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SAVE THE DATE(S) 2022:

END OF SEASON BONFIRE & FIREWORKS – Plan 'A' is for Saturday 22nd October and if the weather lets us down, the Plan 'B' is Saturday 29th October. There is no Plan 'C'.

THANK YOU! The Party on The Pastures 2022 was our most successful yet!

What a team! Huge thanks to everyone that helped make this community summer event possible, from the volunteer committee members who undertook the months of planning and all who physically helped over that weekend. And of course, to all the stalls and entertainers that joined us, and the members of the public that flocked to join us, thank you!

Special thanks have to go to the local businesses* that very kindly donated wonderful pledges for our hugely successful 'Auction of Promises' which was wonderfully compered by the fun Derek Dewson, what an event he made it...

*Massy's Gym, Judy Pegden, The Harbour Room, Samantha Rose Florist, Blakeney Parish Council, Kay Thompson, The Blakeney Cottage Company, By The Quayside Seafood, Glaven Valley Newsletter, Made in Cley Pottery, The Two Magpies Bakery, Birdy's Bakehouse, Bayfield Catering, Temple's Seal Trips, Cley Windmill, Clare & David Marris & The Blakeney Hotel.

It was the best P.O.P. yet, and will take some beating, I think! We received a great amount of positive feedback which sets us nicely on our course for 2023.

On another note, we still have money left in our Community Covid Support Fund from the grant we received, and so if you or someone you know needs financial/hardship support, then please contact the Parish Clerk. Your enquiry will be dealt with in the strictest of confidence. We can help with supermarket vouchers, food parcels for those in isolation and possibly other items, please do get in touch. (Call 01263 741106 or email: clerk@blakeneyparishcouncil.org.uk)

Extracts from the 5th September 2022 Full Parish Council Meeting...

Chairman's Announcements -

Reports from Police, County & District Councillors -

Report read on behalf of the *Wells Safer Neighbourhood Police Team* – Crime and police incidents in Blakeney remain very low, despite the increased number of visitors. Since the last meeting we have attended; 1 x highway disruption (deer in road), 1 x missing person, thankfully found safe and well. Called to the marsh opposite The Manor Hotel, following the discovery of 2 x WW2 anti-aircraft shells, one was found to still be live and dangerous and the Army bomb disposal team carried out a controlled explosion in a field close to where they had been found.

County Councillor – Michael Dalby had circulated his report in advance. To note; an improvement plan to make Norfolk's fire and rescue service fit for the future will be considered by Cabinet, which will include more funding, investing in equipment and facilities, new fire engines, new training towers across the county and recruiting more staff.

District Councillor – Victoria Holliday had circulated her report in advance and this will be contained elsewhere within the pages of the GVN.

Planning – PF = Full Planning Permission, PM = Planning Permission – Reserved Matters, LA = Alteration to Listed Building.

PF/22/1734 — Proposal; Demolition of porch, rear conservatory, garage and outbuildings; construction of single storey side extension and two storey rear extension, single storey building to rear to provide annexe at, **46 Langham Road, Blakeney.** Resolved - No objection, subject to the annex not being used for any purpose other than as ancillary to the main accommodation, i.e., not to be used independently as a 'let'. (We note concerns raised with regard the potential loss of amenity light with the neighbouring properties, and trust that NNDC will consider the application in line with appropriate policies.)

PF/22/1841 & LA/22/1842 — Proposal; Loft conversion including insertion of rooflights and internal and external alterations to main dwelling and erection of sailing storage outbuilding at, **Dolphin Cottage**, **37 High Street**, **Blakeney**. **Resolved** — No objection.

RV/22/1618 – Proposal; Variation of condition 2 (approved plans) of planning permission PF/21/1937 to allow increase to wall space for the bed, create room for a more satisfactory bathroom and address issues with building regulations compliance with regard to the staircase dimensions, at **The Blakeney Hotel.** Resolved – No objection.

PF/22/1937 & LA/22/1938 – Proposal; Installation of replacement windows at, 12 Westgate Street, Blakeney. *Resolved* - No objection.

FINANCE -

Resolved that the **Accounts** totalling £13,649.95 are to be paid.

Clerk/RFO Report – Brief update on Carnser Car Park income to date and also presented the comparative figures for 2019/20 which shows that Covid aside, the income for the current year is higher than that pre-covid.

Parish Partnership Funding 2023/24 (Highways have confirmed as follows);

Coronation Lane – not suitable for scheme, as no real improvement to the public highway, what it really needed is the first 10m of private road.

The Pastures driveway – not suitable for scheme, no improvement to public highway, the potholes are on a private road.

Bournes Corner – These parking spaces appear to be within the highway and so it is certainly feasible.

New Trod on Langham Road – This work will be undertaken in the coming winter months, when the verge should be more stable.

Members noted the receipt of the satisfactory completion of **External Audit 2021/22** and that we must ensure that our Sole Charitable Trust funds (The Pastures) have been seen by the Internal Auditor and signed accordingly.

Resolved not to opt out of the **SAAA Central External Auditor** appointment arrangements for the next 5-year period.

Reports from Representatives on Other Committees/Groups which have met recently;

- **BPC & National Trust** (Nigel Sutcliffe/Willie Weston) No closer to having the contactless pilot machine installed, this is an N/T Head Office issue. We will be obtaining lead times from Parkeon, re. the installation of a second P&D machine, be it new or refurbished, with a view to having this resolved before 1st April 2023. Local contractor to be contacted, re. short term repairs to concrete corner area. 2023 tariff needs to be discussed at our next quarterly meeting in November and brought back to BPC for consideration.
- Events Committee Party on The Pastures (Samantha Arlow). Clerk updated meeting; A great community event, our best yet, with a record number of people joining us for the evening's entertainment. This event is extremely grateful to the local businesses, volunteers and supporters, and we project that not only have we met the remit of being 'cost neutral', but will have made a profit in excess of £2,000 which can be ploughed back in to our events.

CORRESPONDENCE -

Resolved that we are happy to sign up to the NNDC **Motorhome & Campervan** signage to use in our village, at the following car parks; The Carnser, Village Hall & overflow on Langham Road.

Resolved that the owners of 39 New Road, are asked to present us with an itemised account of their costs, which we will then consider, regarding the retention of the chestnut paling fencing along the **Sheila's Way Footpath.**

The Chairman summarised where we are in terms of what action had taken place and any further action in relation to the retention/opening hours of **Blakeney Surgery**. **Resolved** that; i) we write to Holt Medical Practice (HMP) and ask when it will reopen, ie. when will other patient consultations restart, now that Covid is receding, ii) NS will do a draft letter, which we will then use to encourage individuals to write to Holt Medical Practice, iii) Ask our MP what he can do to help us, iv) Ask other neighbouring councils to support us, by putting a piece in their newsletter asking their residents to also contact HMP. The Community Right to Bid application was

submitted and NNDC have now requested Land Registry details which the Clerk will seek.

Members noted correspondence from a member of public with regard the annual visit of **Gray's Funfair**, i.e., a complaint about loud music, and that the author had been advised to contact Mr Gray direct and/or NNDC, as the local authority responsible for noise complaints.

For information only; NNDC Planning Decisions or Updates, or any Planning Inspectorate Appeals since our last meeting; most available on NNDC website.

Resumption of BPC Meetings – We continue to use The Scout Hut for our Parish Council meetings for the time-being, as it is more spacious than the Parish Office. However, in order to manage numbers, we continue to ask that if you do wish to join us at a meeting, if you could please let The Clerk know in advance that you plan to attend (a quick phone call or an email), that would be helpful and we will set the room out accordingly.

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741106
or clerk@blakeneyparishcouncil.org.uk

YOUR SERVING PARISH COUNCILLORS ARE: -

Rosemary Thew – (Chairman) – 740555 – Moonraker, Back Lane
Jenny Girling (Vice-Chairman) – 740792 – 11 Queens Close Samantha Arlow – 741297 – 40 Langham Road
Jane Armstrong – 741355 – 39 New Road
Alban Donohoe – 741741 – Ivy House, Back Lane
Shirley Everett – 740819 – Southside, 87 Morston Road
Barry Girling – 740792 – 11 Queens Close
Edward Hackford – 740616 – Spring Cottage, Langham Road
Nigel Sutcliffe – 741714 – Dallinga, 71 Morston Road
Willie Weston – 740910 – 27 Queens Close
Iain Wolfe

Those interested in planning matters, should keep an eye on the NNDC website at the moment as a first resort and respond direct to NNDC with any objections/comments/support but by all means copy the Parish Council in, but please do note the deadlines.

Next Full Council meeting; Tuesday 4th October 2022.

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PRESS RELEASE

Thursford Village launches with its film night

Thursford is aiming to encourage more people to use its lovely medieval church, St Andrews, as a community hub.

A small team of villagers have set up regular coffee mornings at the Church and this has now been followed by a Film Club. A private showing was recently given to the organising team.

The 2020 film featured "The Duke" starring Helen Mirren and Jim Broadbent. The film project has been funded by a grant from the Norfolk Community Foundation. The evening's entertainment was topped with wine, popcorn and choc ice creams. Discerning viewers came from across the age range and the verdict was "brilliant"!

There will be an official public launch of the Film Club, starting on Thursday 29th September when people will be encouraged to wear "Oscar" outfits and they will be able to walk the red carpet into the Church. If you are interested in coming along, please contact the Village Cinema Box Office on 01328 878196.

Other community events coming up soon are a Coffee Morning on Saturday 3rd September. On 1st October a Coffee Morning in aid of Macmillan, and on Friday 22nd October an evening with Mark Lynton Wines – an opportunity to taste some of Mark's own labelled wines from across the world.

Film Night at St Andrews, Thursford Contact: Di Dann T 01328 878196 <u>didann@outlook.com</u> 24th August 2022

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Thoughts from the Rectory for October 2022

Dear Friends,

I'm writing this just a few days after the death of the Queen. I hope that by the time you read this, you will have recovered from the sadness and shock of her death. But we will all, I'm sure, continue to give thanks for her remarkable life, witness and dedication. The outpouring of grief and gratitude says so much about the respect and admiration in which she was held. We thank God for all she meant to so many people.

Meanwhile, at this time, our thoughts also turn to Harvest and its significance. This year's harvest-time comes at the end of a strange summer, with record-breaking temperatures and endless weeks of drought. It's certainly been tough for our farmers, as we're all aware. And of course, it's not just crops and farmers who are feeling the pressure. As we all know, there are all sorts of economic, geo-political, and social factors that are making life very difficult for many people. And this is all before the winter has set in. Sadly, we're anticipating hard times for many people already struggling to make ends meet.

Harvest is always a season for thanksgiving for creation and the earth's produce, and it's always a time also to think about the importance of caring and sharing. I dare say the need to encourage a fairer sharing of the world's resources has rarely, if ever, been this acute. In our churches, we're hoping to help at least a little with the situation. In the churches of our benefice, at Harvest, we tend to respond to different needs in different ways, including supporting the Glaven Centre for example. Right now, the food banks in this country generally are in great need of special support.

This year, Blakeney Church is again organising a collection for the Cromer Food Bank. The harvest collection there this year will mostly go to the Food Bank, and all contributions would be gratefully received. If anyone would like to donate any (non-perishable) food items to the Food Bank, we'll happily accept them at Blakeney Church (or any other in the benefice), and get them with the rest of the collection over to Cromer afterwards. Our churches are celebrating Harvest on different dates. Blakeney and Letheringsett are having their Harvest focus on 9th October, so anytime during the week leading up to that date would be fine for food bank donations (thanks in anticipation!). Do join us for any of our services that day or any other time (details below). As always, we'll look forward to welcoming you!

Wishing you all a blessed Harvest time, Richard.

NB: Do check our benefice website for any last-minute changes: www.glavenvalleychurches.org.uk The What's On page will give you up-to-date information, and other details. You may find you need to click "refresh" when returning to the website, to be sure of the latest information. Or please contact me on revrichardlawry@gmail.com or by phone on 740686, if you need information, advice or help.

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Funerals:

We are sad to report the recent deaths of Elisabeth Buckley. Her funeral was on 13th September at Blakeney Church.

Weddings:

In September, we celebrated the weddings in Blakeney of Ellie Starman & Martin Marshall and Jeanie Martin & Billy Canty; in Cley of Dale Starling & Alice Raney; and in Wiveton of David Veitch & Alice Chamberlain.

October sees the wedding of Haydn Walker & Ellie Smith on Saturday 22nd in Cley. Our congratulations to all of them!

Baptisms:

Mabel James was baptised in our monthly Café Church service in Cley by the Bishop of Lynn on 18th September, as part of her visit to the benefice that day). Congratulations to her and her parents Jason and Ruth, as we welcome Mabel into the Church family.

St Peter's Catholic Church Back Lane, Blakeney, NR25 7NP

Mass Sunday - 11am
Wednesday - 9.30am
Holyday of Obligation 9.30am
www.catholicparishofwalsingham.org

Services

The service schedule for our churches in the Glaven Valley Benefice in October is as follows:



OCTOBER 2022 SERVICE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY 2 nd	Trinity 16			
8.00	Holy Communion (BCP)	Wiveton		
9.30	Holy Communion (CW) [& live-streamed]	Blakeney		
11.15	Holy Communion (BCP)	Letheringsett		
6.00	Sacred Space	Cley		
Wed 5 th	Holy Communion (BCP) 10.00am	Cley		
SUNDAY 9 th	Trinity 17			
11.00	Harvest Service (followed by ecumenical lunch)	Blakeney		
11.15	Holy Communion (BCP)	Glandford		
4.00	Harvest Choral Evensong	Letheringsett		
6.00	Service of Meditation	Wiveton		
SUNDAY 16 th	Trinity 18			
9.30	Celtic HC & Healing [& live-streamed]	Blakeney		
9.30	Morning Prayer (CW)	Letheringsett		
11.15	Café Church	Cley		
6.30	Evensong (BCP)	Wiveton		
Wed 19 th	Holy Communion (BCP) 10.00am	Cley		
SUNDAY 23 rd	Last after Trinity / Bible Sunday			
8.00	Holy Communion (BCP)	Cley		
9.30	Holy Communion (CW) [& live-streamed]	Blakeney		
11.15	Family Service (All-Age)	Wiveton		
3.30	Evensong (BCP)	Glandford		
SUNDAY 30 th	4 before Advent			
11.00	Benefice Communion [& live-streamed]	Blakeney		
6.00	Glaven Sings Gospel	Blakeney		

CW = Common Worship; BCP = Book of Common Prayer (1662)

Cley

Thursdays @ Three

(Half an hour of relaxing music in Cley church at 3pm)

Thursday October 6th

Autumn: A programme in words and music celebrating the season with Jayne Jones (soprano), Brenda Blewett (piano), Wyatt Earp (flute) and Paul Hands (narrator). Music is by Vivaldi, Webber, Kosma, Wesley, Weil. Chaminade, Weil, Tournier and Strauss; words are by Hood, Keats, Houseman, DH Lawrence, Shakespeare, Hesse and Eichendorff

Thursday October 13th

Folk Songs from Britten, Muriel, Moeran and Shield with Des Holmes (tenor), Wyatt Earp (flute) and Graham Hoskins (piano)

Thursday October 20th

Some of Angela's singer- friends entertain with a mixture of part-songs and folksong arrangements by Sargent, Holst, Wilkinson, Wood, Dugdale, Stone and Robertson.

Thursday October 29th

A programme of music featuring English composers with Jo Fawcett (clarinet) and Alexander (piano)

Wyatt Earp

Cley Village Hall News

New heating

Definitely worth a mention: the upgrade on the village hall heating system was completed last week, just in time for the colder weather and without too much disruption of ongoing classes, we hope. Apologies to those who were affected. We have replaced 3 of the oldest and noisiest culprits in the main hall and in the clubroom. The noise level has been reduced to 40 decibels (comparable to a whispered conversation) during the "turbo boost", and will be even less during the maintaining heat phase. After long debates and deliberations, we have decided to keep the oil-firing system. This heating system is very suitable for premises that are not in constant use and need to be heated quickly. And with prices for electricity going through the roof this may turn out to be a good decision.

The AGM has been and gone, and we are grateful for the trust that the village has shown in the present committee: not a single person felt the need to attend and keep an eye on activities and proceedings. We thoroughly enjoyed our refreshments afterwards and had a little social among ourselves. This could have been a good party!

On a more serious note: A lot of maintenance work was done during the year. The hall is now 40 years old and repairs and the need for renewals come apace. The new swings are the most obvious item, plumbing and drains and whatever else are not quite so glamorous and visible, but extremely important nonetheless! Next year's focus will be on the playing field: it is such a popular site, yet most of the equipment is seriously dated and needs replacing. No doubt more will be written about this.

The village hall has become - and I can only bang on about it again and again - a very popular venue, a real community asset for cultural, educational and entertainment events and organisations, thereby fulfilling its role as a registered charity. Many people in Cley may not be aware of the relevance the hall has for the community and the amount of favourable reviews it gets from its users regarding equipment, facilities, cleanliness, versatility of rooms. Have a look on our Instagram and Facebook pages! The hall may not be the most attractive building; however, the plain exterior belies the importance of its position in the life of our village.

Saturday 22 October:

a date for your diary: come and join our working party and help with tidying around the village hall grounds. Superb refreshments will be served. We usually get a great team together with amazing results. A very enjoyable and rewarding effort. From 9am to 1pm. Just show up!

Cley Christmas Market

And last but not least: the traditional Cley Village Hall Christmas Market is on Saturday, December 3. Please have a look at the separate ad in the GVN. The Fair is a lovely, popular family event and a great fund-raiser to boot. Do make a note in your diary!

Gunhild E.

CLEY WI Melanie Hilton Georgian Stagecoach Travel

Melanie gave a fascinating talk on Georgian Stagecoach Travel which covered the period from the 1700's to around 1850.

The journey in 1720 from Norwich to London by stagecoach would have taken about 5 days as the horses only went at a walking pace and with no suspension and cramped conditions, it was obviously extremely uncomfortable. Apart from paying the fare, you had to have enough money to pay for lodgings, food and you were expected to tip the coachman and the guard. There were also many dangers too in the form of heavy snow, torrential rain which could cause four-footdeep ruts and the dreaded Highwaymen. However, in the 1800's the roads improved and the coaches were better designed and the journey reduced to 12 hours. Unfortunately, the introduction of springs caused some people to feel extremely seasick. Interestingly by this time a lot of travelling was done at night to save on the cost of lodgings and often using blind horses. So, who was travelling? Certainly not the poor, but governesses, merchants, businessmen, doctors, etc. As time went on tourists used the stagecoach to visit the seaside resorts of the likes of Brighton. The coachman became a very important person and Melanie likened him to having the status of a Formula 1 driver! Indeed, by now coaches travelling at speed were a great danger as were overloaded coaches.

The introduction of the railway in the 1840's saw the demise of the stagecoach and the end of an era.

Amanda Allen

Cley Parish Council's Chairman's Report September 2022

The incredibly sad news of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth's passing broke just after we began our scheduled Parish Council meeting on September 8th. That moment will be forever etched on our memories. We mourn a dearly beloved monarch who has devoted her life in service to our country. All our thoughts and prayers are with a family suddenly bereaved, and with the King as he takes on the mantle of state office.

The Flood Wardens in Cley have recently been round with a leaflet asking for contact details so they can better manage major flooding events. These local volunteers provide critical warnings and advice to save lives. They will contact you only if your property and area in Cley is directly at risk of a serious emergency. They need contact details for residents and second home/holiday let owners (who are required to inform guests if there is a serious flood expected).

We would be very grateful if those who haven't already been in touch could contact Andy Gonzalez, 07952185995/andy.shelagh@btinternet.com, or Calum Meadows on 07368263003 or calum.meadows1@gmail.com. With respect to the Hangs, the Highways Officer has to wait until the High Court period ends on October 4th and

subsequently the legal orders are processed by Norfolk County Council to programme finger posts and other way marking for the footpaths.

We are still discussing the possibility of a loo on the beach. We had been making some progress with Norfolk Wildlife Trust, but unfortunately our contact has left so we will need to start again. We hope we will succeed.

We've had lots of power cuts recently: if you need extra support or additional care during a power cut (for example, if you are a pensioner or have children under 5) you can sign up to the Priority Services Register with UK Power Networks by calling 08001699970, or online via ukpowernetworks.co.uk (under power cuts-emergency services).

Several of you have asked what has happened with the traffic management consultation we undertook a while ago. We have passed the outcome to Highways, who are coming up with proposals for us to review. There will be further consultation with the village to make sure that whatever solution is suggested to ease traffic problems is acceptable. This is taking some time.

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered to be part of our toad patrol next spring. If anyone else would like to join us, please could you contact the clerk on clerk.cley@gmail.com.

The next meeting is Thursday October 13th in the Village Hall at 6.30pm. The agenda will be published on the Notice Board and on the website www.cleypc.info. Please comment on or ask general questions about Agenda items before the meeting by getting in touch with the clerk or myself, or come along and participate. Minutes are posted as usual on the noticeboard and website.

Dr Victoria Holliday, Chair avictoriaholliday@icloud.com <u>victoria.holliday@north-norfolk.gov.uk</u>, 07557054629



NWT North Norfolk Group and Cley Bird Club October meeting



NWT Conservation Work in the Wider Countryside Helen Baczkowska, Acting Conservation Manager for NWT, will talk about NWT's conservation work in the wider countryside, outside its own reserves. Although nature reserves are important means of ensuring the survival of species, it is essential that efforts are directed also at the wider landscape, where there are well-documented declines of birds and insects.

This joint event between the North Norfolk Group of the Norfolk Wildlife Trust and Cley Bird Club is on Thursday 20th October 2022 at 7.30 p.m. in Cley Village Hall. Entry is free but donations welcome. The meeting is kindly sponsored by Picnic Fayre.

Angela Batten



Our popular Thursdays @ 3 Music in the Afternoons run though till Christmas. Many thanks to Wyatt Earp, Angela Dugdale and their fellow musicians who have created a wonderful season of music for us to enjoy.

Our Cheese and Wine tasting on Saturday October 8th at 6pm features Mrs Temple's handmade Wighton farmhouses cheese from their sustainably grown Brown Swiss and Holstein herd, and Master of Wine Mark Lynton's well-chosen wines. Mrs Temple will talk you through her 5 delicious cheeses (served with artisan sourdough), and Mark will pair the perfect wines to accompany each one. If you came to the last one you will remember what a delightful and intoxicating evening it was!

Tickets (£20) are available via Eventbrite, cleychurchwineandcheese.eventbrite.co.uk. Numbers are limited so best to book your place early! There will be a small number of tickets available at the door (cash or card).

Charlie Ward's presents Tales of a Barge Skipper on Friday October 28th at 6.30. Charlie has been captaining sailing barge Juno, familiar to us all from Blakeney Quay in winter, and the Pit in summer, for many years, and will regale us with the more unusual and exciting situations in which he has found himself. Charlie is a very amusing speaker so come along and prepare to be entertained. Tickets (£15 or £12.50 for Friends of Cley Church) will be available at the door, cash or card. This event is kindly sponsored by Neil Thompson Boats.

Our church book stall continues to thrive: thank you so much Hanne and Klausbernd for all the effort you put into this. Donations of books are very welcome; they can go in the box near the stall in the church or contact us for collection. Thank you very much indeed.

Victoria Holliday, Chair, Friends of Cley Church

Wiveton

BRIDGE QUARTET IN CONCERT

From Bulgaria to Kenya via USA and across central Europe, the members of the Bridge Quartet have enjoyed introducing audiences to chamber music repertoire especially that of their namesake Frank Bridge and his contemporaries. Based in West London, they have performed live for BBC radio and continental music stations and in many prestigious concert halls. Their acclaimed recordings continue to receive airings on BBC Radio 3 including the viola Quintets by Bridge and Hubert Parry. Their latest recording 'Blue Remembered Hills' with baritone Roderick Williams and pianist Michael Dussekwas released in 2020. "this brilliant performance by Williams, Dussek and the Bridge Quartet, make this disc an absolute must-have, not just for Gurney aficionados but for all lovers of English song, indeed all song" Opera Today June 2020. This will be a magical evening featuring music from Haydn, Holst, Beethoven and Arnold Cooke - Don't miss it!

Wiveton Church
Thursday October 20th 7pm
Tickets £15 on the door.
Pre-concert (from 6.30) and interval bar.

Don't miss it!

Wiveton Church 200 Club

Wyatt and Marketta Earp are September's 1st Prize winners in the 200 Club Draw. The 1st prize stands at £65.

If you would like to join, please email <u>antheadeloynes@aol.com</u>, call <u>07746 018310</u> or pick up a leaflet from Wiveton Church.

Anthea de Loynes Chair of the Friends of Wiveton Church

Khoros Choir at St Mary's Wiveton

On Saturday 10th September, Khoros, a London based choir who gave their first concert at Wiveton 4 years ago, returned to delight us once again with their musicality and repertoire.

So soon after the death of Her Majesty the Queen, we wondered if we should postpone the concert as a mark of respect. Sacred music from among others Byrd, Tavener and Hildegard of Bingen influenced our decision to honour and reflect Her Majesty's deep faith, thus, holding the concert became in itself a mark of respect as we mourn her loss. The choir stood amongst us to support the large audience singing the National Anthem full heartedly. There followed a few minutes of quiet reflection before the exquisite harmonies of the singers, conducted by Patrick Allies filled the church with William Byrd's Ave verum corpus.

Friends of Wiveton Church are deeply grateful to Khoros for their generosity in lending their voices to support the Church's repairs. To those who provided hospitality to the choir the Friends are also very grateful.

Frances Emeleus



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There will also be a raffle.

If anyone wishes to donate a raffle prize, it would be greatly appreciated.

You are welcome to bring any refreshments of your own.

We look forward to seeing you. **Booking: Gillian Sands on 01263 713561**

"Tales of a Harbour Master"



A talk and Question and Answer Session by

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at the Harbour Rooms, Blakeney on Saturday 15th October

TICKETS: £45.00 each.

From: Peter Tibbetts on 01263-741082 or petetibbetts@aol.com

Community News

District councillors report

From NNDC:

'Planning:

Nutrient neutrality - the government will require water companies to upgrade wastewater treatment works to the highest technically achievable limits by 2030 to tackle the pollution in the catchments of habitats sites. Natural England will establish a Nutrient Mitigation Scheme, identifying mitigation projects which will be pump primed by government. This will enable local authorities to grant permission subject to securing mitigation.

NNDC's consultants, Royal Haskoning, are in the process of developing a bespoke nutrient calculator and short-, medium- and long-term local mitigation schemes.

The majority of applications within the sensitive catchment areas can still be determined, i.e., householder applications and most forms of commercial development; it's only new housing and tourism development that is restricted till mitigation is developed.

The planning director is working on the planning Service Improvement Plan, with a Customer Satisfaction Survey, Developers Forum and Town and Parish Liaison meetings scheduled.

Sustainable growth:

NNDC has submitted bids for a new swimming pool in Fakenham and improvements to the cliff top gardens and North Lodge Park as part of the Levelling Up Round 2. North Norfolk's share of the UK Shared Prosperity Fund is £1.2 million - planning is underway as to how to best spend this. NNDC welcomes camping, campervan and caravan tourism but wild camping is not permitted in North Norfolk. This is to protect the amenity of residents and communities and the businesses who offer campsite facilities. There are plenty of approved and authorised camping destinations which include facilities such as waste disposal and water refilling. Campervan overnight parking is not allowed outside of registered and authorised sites, or in NNDC car parks, and campervan toilet waste is not permitted in public toilets.

Environment:

Greenbuild, NNDC s environmental festival, was held on 10th September. Check the NNDC website to see if the online events are still available.

Waste and recycling pick up routes changed on 5th September to reflect recent housing growth in different locations, and to become more efficient by reducing mileage and carbon emissions. The change should also improve service for householders (e.g., reduce missed collections). Any teething problems should be short lived, but if not, please contact myself or Serco on 0330109220.

Democratic Services:

Make sure you're registered to vote in next May's parish and district elections by taking part in the annual canvass! If you have any questions about your registration status, do contact electoralservices@north-norfolk.gov.uk.

NNDC is establishing a Youth Council; if you're interested in helping to shape this, and are 11-18, the closing date to join the Steering Group is 30th September. You will need to attend a full day workshop on Monday October 24th. Contact Emma Denny, Emma.denny@north-norfolk.gov.uk.'

Ambulance response times and CFR recruitment:

Ambulance response times are still unacceptably long, much of which is due to handover delays at the NNUH and QEH. Luckily, the paramedic in a car in Fakenham will remain till next April, at least.

Re CFRs, the recruitment campaign was successful and there is now one recruit going through training in both Sheringham and Holt, 4 in Fakenham, and 5 are being recruited in Wells. The ambulance trust has just agreed to reimburse CFR training and mileage expenses which is very positive move. I am talking to the trust about maintaining the momentum of the recruitment drive.

Kelling Hospital:

I have been asked if Kelling Hospital is closing. I have been told there are no plans to close it at this time.

The Coast Resilience Grant scheme offers grants of £250-£2500 to communities across the AONB for local nature recovery work. Projects should balance local community engagement with environmental improvement work and be completed by January 2023. This grant is designed to be simple to apply for, and quick to receive a funding decision. Projects that have successfully received funding this year include native-species gardens, pond restorations, citizen science monitoring schemes and invasive species removal. Other ideas might be workshops, artwork, leaflets, signage. We encourage anyone with an idea for a project benefitting both environment and community to apply or email Project Officer Sydney Jacus at sydney.jacus@norfolk.gov.uk for more information.

Cllr Victoria Holliday, Coastal Ward 07557054629

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in St Nicholas' Church, Blakeney

The Blakeney Lunch will be held on Wednesday 19th October 12noon to 2.00pm.

Now that the Autumn days are with us and winter is fast approaching, we will be serving delicious homemade soup followed by a choice of homemade desserts.

Visitors to Blakeney are also most welcome. Donations welcome.

CLEY WI

Programme

Oct 6th Langham Dome

The Dome's history and exhibits – a guided visit

(members & guests only)

Nov 3rd Suffragettes & Suffragists of

Norfolk

Who they were, including the first Lady Mayor of Norwich.

Unless otherwise stated, all meetings take place

Cley Village Hall, NR25 7RJ, at 2.30pm

Members Free Visitors Welcome - £5.00 (includes afternoon tea) Further details 01263 740225

THE GREAT BLAKENEY BREAKFAST! in St Nicholas' Church, Blakeney will be held on Wednesday 5th October 8am to 11am

Please do come and join us for cereal, croissants, bacon and eggs, scrambled eggs on toast, and of course, great bacon rolls. It's a great place to bring friends and to make new ones. Visitors to Blakeney are also most welcome.

Donations welcome.



<u>Langham Dome Museum</u> <u>ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNNERY TRAINING SITE</u>

Hello again! LANGHAM DOME is always looking for volunteers. If you can spare even a few hours a month we would love to have you join our happy crew! Just get in touch at manager@langhamdome.org Thank you

After the unbearably hot weather in early August, we then had to cope with the torrential downpours later in the month. You can see why us Brits are obsessed with the weather! I'm sure many of us had floods to cope with in one way or another, so hopefully not too much damage was sustained.

The weather regained its composure for the Langham Street Fayre on Saturday 20th August. It was a bright sunny day, with just a gentle breeze, ideal for wandering around the many interesting stalls and displays. Langham Dome had our display there, manned by our Museum Assistant, Ian Jarvis and Volunteer, Alex Scott. A big thank you to those two gentlemen for their time. The evening was topped off by travelling back in time to 1970's and we were entertained by the wonderfully colourful Glam-Rock Band "The Glamtastics"! Well done to Debi McIntosh and her team for organising such a lovely day.

We were THRILLED to hear that Langham Dome has been awarded the <u>Trip Advisor Travellers Choice</u>

<u>Award 2022</u>, making us <u>one of the top 10% of attractions in the WORLD!!!!</u> It has made us very happy and is a big nod to the hard work put in by our wonderful volunteers.

We shall be attending the North Norfolk Railways1940's weekend on the field at Kelling again this year. Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th September, so if you're passing, please come and say "Hello" and buy some raffle tickets for our Grand Draw on 1st October

We shall be holding our Grand Draw Day on Saturday 1st October at The Dome. We are thrilled that General, The Lord, Richard Dannatt (former Head of the British Army) and his wife, Lady Dannatt have agreed to draw the winning tickets. There will be music, dancing and refreshments so don't forget to buy your Raffle Tickets.

Tickets are £1 each and First prize is £500, 2nd-£250, 3rd-£100, 4th & 5th-£50.

Thank you and Good Luck on the Raffle!

Deborah Wilson

Manager, Langham Dome Museum.

(Photos to view online at https://glavenvalleynewsletterweebly.com/)

Letters & Articles

THE LATE GAIL HIGH - As a family we would like to thank everybody who attended Gail's funeral, it was so very special to see so many people there saying their goodbyes to her. But some special thanks to G Suttons Funerals, Rev Richard, for a lovely service, Jane & Will Carter, also The Blakeney Harbour rooms team for providing the wake. Apologies if we've forgotten anybody,

All the best Richard (Bruno), Sheri and family xx P.S The lovely cards and messages of support have been very comforting

Jess and Nigel's Wedding on 19th August 2022

Wow! What a weekend! We would both like to thank absolutely everyone who made our wedding day such an amazing, special occasion. We imagined the day so many times in our minds and it turned out to be so much more. It is a day neither of us will ever forget, and there are so many people that have done so much for us to make the day the incredible day that it was....

- -Bev Lubbock along with Chris and Graham and Marilyn for transforming Mariner's hill into the most beautiful ceremony venue.
- -Sarah Baker from Norfolk Bluebells Celebrant, who was professional from the start, and just so wonderful. She embraced our slightly crazy idea of our wedding location and made it magical
- -Blakeney parish council who allowed us to close off Mariner's hill for a couple of hours for the set up and the ceremony to take place.
- -Mark Davenport for the use of his Bentley to take us back to the reception
- -Samantha Rose for the most gorgeous flowers
- Lisa Lipscomb for working her magic on Jess' hair
- -Samantha Duncan and Harriet for stepping in last minute to meet and greet our guests with prosecco as they arrived at the reception tent, also to Sam's mum, Jackie who kindly did Jess' dress alterations
- -Emma Louise Boubaker from Bayfield catering and her amazing team (Bex Barden) who made sure we had the most wonderful and delicious buffet for our guests
- -Howell's butcher for the hog roast and Terry Daynes and Heather Daynes for making this their wedding present to us
- -Marty Ferrel and Lynette from circus ferrel for the use of the big top for the night. Having timed their visit to coincide with the Party on the Pastures, they came a few days early in order to be there for our wedding

- -Rachael Firmage for being our photographer for the day. Her photos captured the day perfectly
- -Becky Tutt, Jess' mum for arranging the most beautiful horse and carriage to take Jess to the wedding, and of course thank you to the horses and team as well!
- -Janet Allen for our wedding cake. Having given her only a very vague idea of what I wanted; she pulled off a masterpiece
- -John and Jen Climpson for music. A wedding reception is not a party without music and John stepped up to create the best party atmosphere
- -Blakeney players for learning a dance routine to uptown funk as a surprise especially for us!
- -Gray's funfair for stopping the music on the quay so as not to scare the horses and also allow us to have our ceremony uninterrupted
- -And finally, everyone who came along to help us celebrate. It would not have been the wedding it was without all of you coming along to share it with us. You have all made it a day to remember and we are so grateful

Jess and Nigel Daynes





Saturday 3 December 10:00am - 4:00pm Cley Village Hall

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WHAT'S ON

Blakeney Craft Group

Blakeney Village Hall
Enquiries & Bookings
Please contact: der740@btinternet.com

Dates for 2022

October 15th & 16th

November 19th & 20th

October at the Museum of the Broads

From Thursday 20 October to Sunday 30 October, enjoy a special Hallowe'en Trail for families. Discover the ghosts of the Broads, see where and when they haunt, and watch out for the Museum's own witch hiding in the shadows! If you are brave enough to find the clues and complete the trail, you can earn a spooky prize too.

You can also take a river trip on board our steam launch, Falcon, or Marsh Harrier, our accessible electric boat, and spot even more wildlife from this unique and quiet launch.

The Museum is open on Sundays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and some Wednesdays until 30 October. See our website for prices, availability and full details.

The Museum of the Broads, Poor's Staithe, Stalham, NR12 9DA, 01692 581681

<u>www.museumofthebroads.org.uk</u> on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram

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NORTH NORFOLK ASTRONOMY SOCIETY EVENTS SRUPPORTING THE DARK SKIES INITATIVE

2nd October

Public observing evening on Wiveton Downs at 7.30pm

12th October

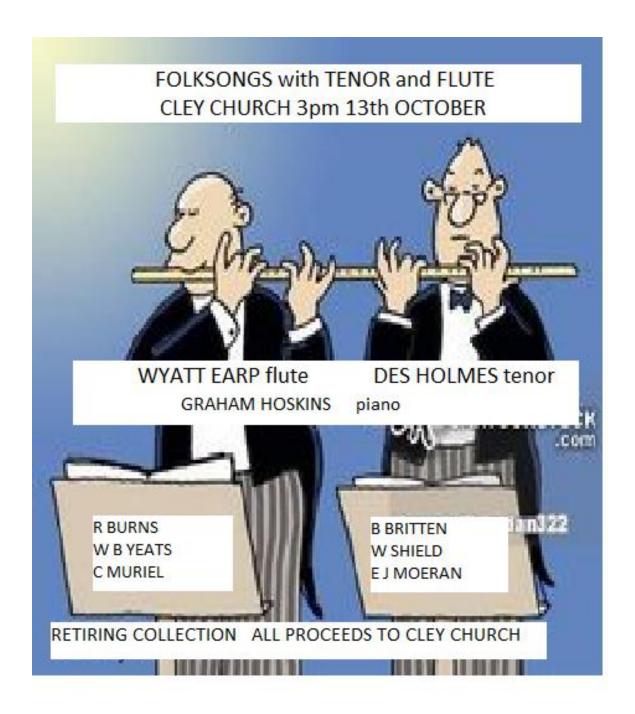
Norfolk Coast Partnership Launch of the 2022 Dark Skies Imitative, 6.30pm at St Margaret's Church, Cley with public observing, among other activities during the evening

20th October

7.30pm at Binham Hall: Talk & Observing

£4 non-members, non-adults free For more info, go to: info@nnas.org

With all events observing will be weather dependant



'QUOTABLE QUOTES' of Oscar Wilde...

A bore is someone who deprives you of solitude without providing you with company

I can resist anything except temptation

Work is the curse of the drinking classes

Some cause happiness wherever they go: others whenever they go

This wallpaper will be the death of me. One of us will have to go



NWT North Norfolk Group and Cley Bird Club



NWT Conservation Work in the Wider Countryside

An illustrated talk by Helen Baczkowska

Thursday 20th October 2022

Cley Village Hall at 7.30pm

Entry is free but donations welcome.

Kindly sponsored by Picnic Fayre

CLEY WI

<u>Programme</u> <u>October -December 2022</u>

Oct 6th Langham Dome

The Dome's history and exhibits – a guided visit (members & guests only)

Nov 3rd Suffragettes **& Suffragists of Norfolk**Who they were, including the first Lady
Mayor of Norwich

Dec 1st Christmas Lunch

Members only - starting at 12.30pm

Unless otherwise stated, meetings take place in

Cley Village Hall, NR25 7RJ, at 2.30pm

Members Free Visitors Welcome - £5.00 (includes afternoon tea)

For further details and membership information, please call 01263 740225

Blakeney Area Historical Society

Tuesday 25th October 7:30pm

Cley Village Hall & Zoom

19th century industrial activity in Norfolk and its market towns

Adrian O'dell

Tuesday 29th November 7:30pm

Cley Village Hall & Zoom

Norfolk Born: the development of the tank and the outstanding role of Elliot Hotblack in WW1

Caroline Holland & Eric Hotblack

Free Entry

To receive Zoom invite, join the BAHS or sign-up for information emails at www.bahs.uk/information-emails

Further Information & Updates **www.bahs.uk**

October Sudoku: Easy

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Happy Birthday RVW!

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Vaughan Williams 'Songs of Travel', George Butterworth 'A Shropshire Lad' (in new arrangements for voice, cello and piano) Songs by Quilter and Gurney Works for cello & piano by Vaughan Williams & Frank Bridge

> Julian Godlee – bass Ivan McCready – cello Brenda Blewett – piano

Friday 7 October, 7pm St Nicholas' Church, Blakeney

Tickets £12.50

BlakeneyRVW.eventbrite.co.uk or on the door

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Wyatt Earp - flute

Brenda Lawry – piano

BLAKENEY CHURCHSunday 30 October 6pm



Friday October 28th 6.30pm TALES OF A NORTH NORFOLK BARGE SKIPPER: SAILING BARGE JUNO by Charlie Ward

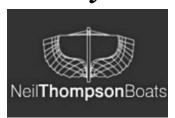


St Margaret's Church, Cley, NR25 7TT

TICKETS £15 (£12.50 for Friends of Cley Church)

Tickets available at the door, cash or card

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Charity Supper Quiz Night at 7.00pm on Friday 11th November 2022 in St Nicholas' Church Blakeney.

Supper of homemade Shepherd's Pie
Teams of 6 or come along and join others to
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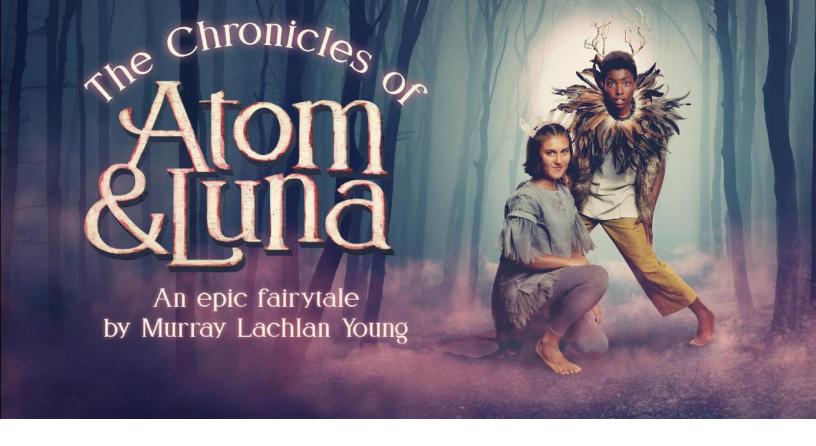
The War in Ukraine, COVID, Financial pressures – these are just a few of the stresses and anxieties facing our Armed Forces, Emergency Services, Carers and Local Communities.

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Epic fantasy The Chronicles of Atom & Luna heads on tour

September - November 2022

Epic fantasy tale *The Chronicles of Atom & Luna* is heading on tour this autumn. The magical children's adventure from Funnelwick Limb, by poet, writer and broadcaster Murray Lachlan Young (BBC 6 Music), follows young heroes Atom and Luna on a fantastical journey through nature and time.

When Atom and Luna, who have been left home alone, are saved from starvation by an unexpected visitor Iffley Sney, it leads to a series of magical events. When Iffley falls terribly ill, only the twins can save him, and on a journey that will change their lives forever, they must head into the forbidden forest to seek out Old Mother Redbeard.

Writer, Murray Lachlan Young, comments, I'm so excited we are going to be bringing Atom and Luna to life, a project the team and I have been working on since lockdown! It's a wonderful, epic fairy tale – it's got heart, it's got soul, it's got strange characters and above all else it takes you on a magical adventure. It's been such fun imagining and writing the show, so I can't wait to see it realised live on stage.

This production stars Becca Bindang (*Get Happy*, UK Tour), Farrell Cox (*Ambivalence*, All in the Mind Festival), Alex Scott Fairley (*Nothello*, Coventry Belgrade Theatre) and Fran Burgoyne (*Lemons, Lemons, Lemons, Lemons, Lemons*, Southwark Playhouse). Nina Hajiyianni (Artistic Director, Theatre Porto) directs, with illustrations and design by Bek Palmer (Oliviernominated *What the Ladybird Heard*, West End and UK tour). Matthew Linley (*The Ballad of Maria Marten*, UK tour) is the producer, co-produced by Theatre Porto and Eastern Angles Theatre Company.

Ahead of the tour, audiences can start getting inside the world of Atom and Luna with innovative free digital content available from Funnelwick Limb's website. Six audio tales (performed by Murray, with music by Orbital's Paul Hartnoll) delve into the world of the show and a unique, playable augmented reality storybook game gives players the chance to enter the forbidden wood themselves and seek out Old Mother Redbeard.

The production and digital wrap around has been made possible thanks to funding from Arts Council England using public money raised via the National Lottery.

Notes to Editors

Titl	e	The	Chroni	cles	of i	Atom	&	Luna

Dates

30th September – 1st October Wells Maltings

5th – 6th October Carn to Cove Rural Touring (Launceston and

Mousehole)

8th – 9th October The Egg, Bath

12th October The Quay, Sudbury

13th – 14th October The Sir John Mills Theatre, at The Eastern Angles

Centre, Ipswich

15th – 16th October Stage 2, Theatre Royal Norwich

19th - 21st and 23rd October Action Transport Theatre, Ellsmere Port

22nd October Z Arts, Manchester

25th – 26th October Stephen Joseph Theatre, Scarborough

28th – 29th October Theatre by the Lake, Keswick

2nd November Richard Burton Theatre, RWCMD

3rd - 4th November CRTA Rural Touring (Chester and Tarvin)

5th November Unity Theatre, Liverpool

6th November Waterman Arts, London

14th – 16th November Schools Touring

19th – 20th November Mercury Colchester

Cast Becca Bindang

Farrell Cox

Alex Scott Fairley Fran Burgoyne

Writer Murray Lachlan Young

Director Nina Hajiyianni
Designer Bek Palmer
Music Chris Warner
Producer Matthew Linley

Running time 90 min including interval

Age Guidance Ages 7+

Website https://funnelwicklimb.com/the-chronicles-of-atom-luna

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Funnelwick Limb

Funnelwick Limb Ltd grew out of the success of The Mystery of the Raddlesham Mumps which was launched in April 2019 to considerable critical acclaim – as a book, as an audio drama, as a tablet game, as a VR experience and as a live show.

Funnelwick Limb exists to develop cross platform storytelling work, primarily but not exclusively, for family audiences. We combine live performance with family-friendly VR experiences, games and audio content with good old school books. We want to inspire and enable digitally-savvy young people to get lost in language, learn how to create their own stories using different mediums and develop a live performance habit. We want to nurture a new generation of cultural creators and consumers, equipped and hungry for words and the kinds of cultural experiences we can't yet imagine, unhindered by the barriers to engagement that exist for many today.

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Rossini: Fine tunes and glittering young soloists

Sheringham and Cromer Choral Society kick off their 2022-23 season in St Peter's Parish Church, Sheringham on Saturday 12 November at 7.00 pm with a fine example of Rossini's choral music: *Petite Messe Solennelle*.

Despite its title this work is neither "petite" or "solemn"! What it does have is many fine tunes brought to you by the choir with two accompanists and a glittering cast of early-career professionals. The soloists will be Rebecca Kaznowski (soprano), Maria Willis (mezzo-soprano), James Beddoe (tenor) and Alex Bower-Brown (bass).

The performance will be conducted by David Ballard and accompanied by Philip Adams (organ) and William Falconer (piano).

The mass was written in 1863, possibly at the request of Count Alexis Pillet-Will for his wife Louise to whom it is dedicated. The composer, who had retired from composing operas more than 30 years before, described it as "the last of my péchés de vieillesse" (sins of my old age).



Maria Willis - Mezzo-soprano

This is the Society's 90th Anniversary season having been formed in 1933. The choir will mark its Emerald Anniversary in April 2023 with a concert celebrating the changes in choral music over the last 90 years.

Booking Information: Tickets cost £14 (advance), £16 on the door, under 18's free from the box office at Sheringham Little Theatre.

Telephone 01263 822347 or online at sheringhamlittletheatre.com

For more information about this concert and the choral society please visit www.sheringhamandcromerchoral.org.uk

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St Peter's Church Sheringham

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