

SUTTON NEWSLETTER NO 133 JULY 2017

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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

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SUTTON PARISH COUNCIL next meeting will be at 7pm on Tuesday 19 September. Members of the public and press are welcome to attend. In the meantime if you have a matter you wish to bring to the attention of the Parish Council the Clerk can be contacted on suttonparishcouncil@gmail.com.

MARY WARNER`S EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION The Charity is empowered to make grants to students who are under the age of 25 and who live (or whose parents live) in the Parishes of Boyton, Butley, Capel St Andrew, Shottisham, Sutton, Bawdsey, Alderton and Hollesley and who may be in need of financial assistance.

The monies must be used for `promoting education` and can include:-

1. Awarding to eligible students scholarships, exhibitions, bursaries, maintenance allowances or grants tenable at any school, university, college of education, or other institution of further (including professional and technical) education approved for the purpose by the Trustees.

2. Providing financial assistance, outfits, clothing, tools, instruments or books to assist such persons to pursue their education (including the study of music and other arts), to undertake travel in furtherance thereof, or to prepare for or enter a profession, trade or service on leaving school, university, or other educational establishment.

The Trustees will be looking to make a fresh set of grants to such students at their next meeting in late September.

If you would benefit from a grant, then please contact Cross Ram and Co., Solicitors on 01986 873636 so that they can send an application form. Preferably applications should be submitted after examination results are known and (if applicable) a college place has been confirmed.

BROADBAND IN SUTTON VILLAGE As some of you know, we had a well attended meeting in the village hall in April that was attended by Gary Disley of Fibrewifi

A number of you expressed interest in taking up his service when it became available. He suggested that anyone who wanted to do so should apply for a voucher from Better broadband to reduce the cost. A number of people have done so.

The plan now is to install a new larger pole at the village hall which will improve connections for the Southern end of the village. This should happen shortly. We then intend to put up a pole at the Northern end of the village which will be able to serve most people there. I hope to have some news on that for the next newsletter

Nothing has been heard from BT either about the green box supposedly to be installed in September or the `white space` service which went offline for 2 weeks in June but is now running again. It appears to be impossible to find anyone at BT to talk to about either of these subjects.

HEDGES if you have a hedge on the boundary of your property and it is growing over the public footpath/pavement can be ask that you trim back the hedging to allow full access of the footway, also to improve visibility on any junctions. Thank you.



Telephone: Alderton 01394 411 641 & Orford 01394 450 315

www.thepeninsulapractice.co.uk

DAY	ALDERTON	ORFORD	HOLLESLEY
Monday	8.00am to 2.30pm	8.00am to 6.30pm	1.30pm to 5.30pm
Tuesday	8.00am to 2.30pm	CLOSED	
Wednesday	8.00am to 6.30pm	8.00am to 1.00pm	
Thursday	8.00am to 6.30pm	8.00am to 1.00pm	
Friday	8.00am to 6.30pm	8.00am to 1.00pm	

Please note when a surgery is closed during the day, your call will be automatically transferred to the other site without the need to re-dial.

NEW REGISTRATIONS We are delighted to announce that we can accept patients of all ages from your address to our surgery. The Peninsula Practice is proud to offer you the full range of general practice services including full contraceptive services and minor surgical procedures and dispensing of medication on site. We have had a recent CQC inspection and we have been awarded the rating of being **OUTSTANDING**.

Appointments can be booked with male or female GPs. We look forward to looking after your health needs.

SURGERY CLOSURES GP Training Closure – 13TH July 2017

A quick phone call is all it takes...

We at the PPG were shocked to read that 94 surgery appointments were missed between 1st January and 31st March. That is **one EVERY day** and equates to nearly 22 hours of consultation time. We were also disappointed to learn that the numbers have been increasing over recent months. With ever mounting demand on doctors' surgeries this is a serious problem.

To address this situation other surgeries in East Suffolk use the football referee system, i.e. two yellow cards as warnings and a red card as a sending off meaning removal from the patient list. Locally this would mean registering with a doctor in Woodbridge so, whilst not considering this action at the moment, any missed appointments are noted on patient records for future reference.

Our surgery sends out reminders to mobile phones for forthcoming appointments. If you have a mobile phone please could you ensure the number is given to the receptionist.

Unused appointments are one of the reasons you cannot always get an appointment where and when you want one. If you cannot attend for any reason please let the surgery know.

Alderton: 01394 411641 or **Orford:** 01394 4350315. **Patient Participation Group**
peninsulapracticeppg@gmail.com

COFFEE AND CHAT on Thursday 6 July from 9.30am. As work is being carried out to the roof of the Memorial Hall, it will be held in the Bowls Pavilion.

MOBILE LIBRARY visits Sutton on Tuesday 25 July at the lay-by by Old Baptist Chapel, Woodbridge Road at 3.30pm

OUTREACH POST OFFICE VAN visits the Memorial Hall on a Thursday morning from 9.30-10.30 all the usual post office facilities available.

MEMORIAL HALL NEWS Daphne Menear and Judith Andrews will be on meet and greet for July and can be contacted on 01394 384659 or 411632. To book the Memorial Hall and its facilities please contact Daphne on 01394 384659.

SUTTON SUMMER FETE will be held on Sunday 13 August from 1pm on the Memorial Hall Recreation Ground. Planning is well under way but we do still require help with manning the bric a brac stall. We would be very grateful to receive donations of cakes and bakes which can be brought to the hall the morning of the Fete. Any items of bric a brac, toys and puzzles can be left in the car port at Redlands Old Post Office Lane. We also require items for the tombola and raffle and we can arrange collection of items if required.

TEDDY TOMBOLA Kelly is collecting teddy bears, soft toys and beanies for prizes for the childrens tombola at the Fete. If you have any new or nearly new toys in this category that you would like to donate please contact Kelly on 01394 412035.

CHILDREN'S COMPETITION if your child wishes to enter this competition could they design an invitation for the OAP's Christmas Afternoon Tea. It is an invitation for the residents of Sutton and Shottisham and the date of the event will be Monday 4 December in Sutton Memorial Hall, at 2pm. There will be two classes KS1 children and KS2 children. Please bring entry to Memorial Hall on morning of Fete.

CHILDS COAT a yellow water proof rain coat aged 2 was left on the seat by the play equipment together with a green boys cap. If this belongs to your child please contact Kelly on 01394 412035.

SUTTON LADIES CLUB meets on the second Thursday of the month in the Memorial Hall at 7.30pm. The July meeting will be our yearly Picnic. For further details please contact Jacki on 01394 411530 or Dawn on 410331.

ALL SAINTS SUTTON FLOWER FESTIVAL may we pass on a huge thank you to all who helped in any way with the Flower Festival, whether it be the arrangers themselves, people who donated greenery and flowers, those who made and donated cakes and bakes, all who manned the rota both for catering and stewarding in church and lastly those that visited the church over the weekend. We raised the magnificent sum of £1149.

CHURCH NEWS Dear Friends

Particularly at this time of year, we are reminded of the amazing variety in the natural world. Just the number of different species of plants, flowers and creatures we can find in our local environment is truly mind-boggling. On our recent bird-watching retreat, Michael and I helped identify 49 different species of bird – a relatively small number but a reminder of the wonderful diversity of creation. Since our return we have paid more attention to the birds in our garden and been thrilled to discover the variety even within each species – for example, identifying the juvenile goldfinches and robins.

In recent weeks, there have also been many opportunities to admire flowers and plants and the talents of our community in arranging them for our delight in gardens and flower festivals. And, of course, the variety we see around us and experience is just a small fraction of the diversity of the universe where we are told there are yet more organisms waiting to be discovered by human beings, for example in the depths of the ocean. It is surely our responsibility as human beings to preserve and celebrate this variety by protecting endangered species and not thoughtlessly destroying them.

If God is the creator of the universe, then God clearly loves diversity. In all creation, is there any evidence to show that God is into uniformity? Christians believe that there is a diversity within God which we call the Trinity – God as Father, Son and Holy Spirit. If God is love and goodness, then there is variety within love and goodness. Goodness is not sameness. Goodness needs contrast and tension, not perfect uniformity.

God's goal, it seems to me, is the same in creation. It is the making of unique individuals, which means there is clear diversity and 'open-endedness' in all of nature. Let us enjoy and celebrate our wonderful world and the fact that we are all different and have different opinions, skills and talents.

Wishing you every blessing

Ruth Hatfield

DEBEN CHURCHES July 2017

1 st July	11.00	Hollesley, Baptism of Elsie-May Brown	Revd Ruth
^d July	8.00	Alderton, Holy Communion (BCP)	Revd Ruth
Sea Sunday / Third Sunday after Trinity	9.30	Hollesley, Sung Eucharist (CW)	Revd Ruth
	9.30	Sutton Heath, Sea Sunday service	Revd Michael
	11.00	Boyton, Holy Communion (CW)	Revd Michael
	11.00	Shottisham, Holy Communion	Revd Ruth
Thursday 6 th July	2.30pm	Glebe House, Hollesley, Evensong	Pat S/Mel
9 th July	8.00	Alderton, Holy Communion (BCP)	Revd Ruth
Sea Sunday / Fourth Sunday after Trinity / Bawdsey	9.30	Hollesley, Family Communion for Sea Sunday	Revd Michael
Flower Festival	9.30	Sutton, Morning Praise for Sea Sunday	Revd Ruth
	11.00	Ramsholt, Matins	Roy Tricker
	6.00	Hollesley, Reflection & Song	Helen Lewis
	6.30	Bawdsey, Songs of Praise	Revd Michael
Saturday 15 th July	12-2pm	Hollesley, Messy Church	
	2.00	Sutton, wedding of Charlie Ward & Jemma King	Revd Ruth
16 th July	8.00	Alderton, Holy Communion (BCP)	Revd Michael
Fifth Sunday after Trinity	9.30	Hollesley, Café Sundae	Judy Foulger/Revd Ruth
	11.00	Sutton, Holy Communion (CW)	Revd Michael
	6.30	Hollesley, Evensong	Revd Ruth
Thursday 20 th July	10.30	Glebe House, Hollesley, Holy Communion	Revd Ruth
Saturday 22 nd July	2.00	Sutton, wedding of Toby Chapman & Lesley Paternoster	
			Revd Ruth
23 rd July	8.00	Boyton, Holy Communion (BCP)	Revd Michael
Sixth Sunday after Trinity	9.30	Hollesley, Sung Eucharist	Revd Ruth
	9.30	Shottisham, Family Communion	Revd Michael
	11.00	Bawdsey, Morning Praise	Lydia/Joy
	11.00	Ramsholt, Holy Communion (BCP)	Revd Ruth
	6.30	Sutton, Evensong	Revd Judith
30th July	11.00	Ramsholt, Holy Communion (BCP)	Revd Ruth
Seventh Sunday after Trinity		for all the Deben Churches	

FRIENDSHIP LUNCH CLUB the next meal will be on **Thursday 20 July** and will be held as usual in the Memorial Hall at 12 for 12.30. The price of the meal is £5 per person. **If you wish to attend you must book your place by phoning Sue on 411793 or Daphne on 384659.** If you require transport please contact Sue or Daphne. If you are housebound and would like to have a meal delivered again contact Sue or Daphne. For anyone who has not attended before this is a good social occasion for anyone who is alone, lonely or find it difficult to cook and would like to enjoy a hot cooked meal and a couple of hours in the company of other residents of Sutton.

GIRLS NIGHT OUT is an event held every other month by the Girls from All Saints Church, Sutton and held in the Memorial Hall, girls from the age of 16 to 80plus are welcome to join us. Tickets are £6 each and it is a bring your own drink event. The next evening will be Friday 4 August on a Summer Holiday theme. **Tickets must be booked by Monday 31 July, due to shopping for event and catering this date cannot be extended and we are also limited to 40 places.** To book please phone Sue on 411793 or email susancollins@keme.co.uk, or Mel on 420398. To avoid disappointment book early!!

PILATES CLASSES at Sutton Heath and Hollesley, daytime and evening classes. For more details contact Sandy Renton Green on 01394 410530.

SUTTON HEATH CHILDCARE CENTRE, Easton Road, Sutton Heath. If you would like further information please either call in or contact Maria Owen on 01394 461090 or suttonheathcc@aol.com. The proceeds from the day will be divided between various Village Groups and Projects.

THE SUTTON HEATH SINGERS present 'Showtime' an evening of variety including songs from the shows you know and love at Hollesley Village Hall on Saturday July 15 at 7.30pm. Refreshments, raffle, tickets £5 in advance, please call Sylvia on 01394 411526. All proceeds to Suffolk Animal Rescue.

BAWDSEY SCHOOL In the finals of the Suffolk Farming School of the year competition Diogo, Matilda, Amelie, Lucas and Finley from Bawdsey School received a highly commended award for their final presentation at the Suffolk show. They eloquently spoke the words they had learnt, sang a beautiful song and demonstrated their knowledge of the development of tractors through time. We could not be more proud of their achievement and the work of the year 3 and 4 pupils to get to the finals.

We had a great charity run at school and raised lots of money for the Young Minds Charity. The children dressed up in their wackiest outfits and ran up to a mile around the sea wall and back to school. There were 49 children running from 24 months old to our year 6 pupils: dressed as fairies, clowns, unicorns and a multitude of other characters.

We would like to extend an invitation to everyone to a tea party on Wednesday 19th July from 3.30, at Bawdsey School. This leavers tea party is for Mrs Feakes, Mrs Osmanski and Mr Sealy (who is relocating to Cornwall).

We are also having a collection in school for these amazing people, who have been such supportive members of Bawdsey school staff for over 60 years between them. If you would like to come and join us in wishing them well for the future, then please join us for the community tea party. If you have any photographs of past times at Bawdsey school with Mrs Feakes, Mrs Osmanski or Mr Sealy we would appreciate it if you could bring them into school for us to copy. We hope to see you at the tea party.

HAVERGATE ADVENTURE 2017 RSPB Woodbridge Group is running the Havergate Adventure again this year. It will run over three days from Saturday August 12 to Monday August 14.

We welcome families, individuals, those new to bird watching and those with experience to see what birds and other wildlife you can find on our guided tour of Suffolk's only island.

Boats depart from Orford Quay hourly from 9.30am to 1.30pm and tours last 2 hours 40 minutes.

Tickets: Adults £12.00, under 16's £ 3.00.

Free binocular hire and homemade refreshments available to purchase.

To book and for more information: call Minsmere on 01728 648301.

CELEBRATE THE HEROES IN YOUR COMMUNITY! (also available online here:

<http://www.communityactionsuffolk.org.uk/2017/05/22/celebrate-the-heroes-in-your-community/>)

Nominations are now open for the Community Action Suffolk Awards 2017 (supported by Birketts Solicitors), which recognise the volunteers, communities and young people making an impact on the lives of people in Suffolk.

Eight awards will be presented to individuals and organisations in Suffolk, from Village Hall or Community Building of the Year to the Outstanding Contribution to Volunteering award. If you know of someone, or an organisation making a real difference, you have until Friday 21 July 2017 to make your nomination via the CAS website

www.communityactionsuffolk.org.uk/awards.

The eight CAS Awards are:

- The Anne Dunford OBE award for Youth Participation
- The Roddy Macleod award for Youth Club of the Year
- The Andrew Towers award for Young Person of the Year
- The Colonel Probert award for Community Initiative
- The Ian Campbell MBE award for Individual Initiative
- The Village Hall / Community Building award (supported by CAS Insurance Services)
- Outstanding Contribution to Volunteering (supported by My CharityGuard)
- Event Organiser of the Year (supported by Larking Gowen)

Awards will be presented at CAS's Annual Celebration event on 26 September 2017 at the Museum of East Anglian Life. Visit www.communityactionsuffolk.org.uk/awards for more information and to make your nominations.

FIREWORKS/CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING DISPLAY NOTICE Woodhall Manor will be holding fireworks on Thursday 6 July. Clay pigeon shooting is starting at 10.30am and the fireworks are due to start at 9.00pm.

HOLLESLEY PLAYERS 2017 PANTO AUDITIONS The Hollesley Players are preparing to put on another panto. This year it is going to be The Wizard of Oz. We are always looking for new members to join our cast, over 7 years old. Whatever your talent, if you have the time and commitment, come and join us. We usually rehearse on a Friday night and Sunday afternoon.

Auditions will be held on Friday 7 July for adults and Sunday 16 July afternoon for Juniors, with a pre audition on Friday evening 30 June for anyone wishing to come along to learn the dance, get song words or extracts from the script in preparation for the audition. These will be held at Hollesley Village Hall.

The show dates are Thursday 7 December to Sunday 10 December. If you are interested please email Hollesley Players on hollesleyplayers@hotmail.co.uk for further information.

HOLLESLEY PLAYERS 2017 PANTO - KEYBOARD PLAYER NEEDED As some of you will know the Hollesley Players' Band have been going for a number of years, but at last year's pantomime we lost our Keyboard Player (And before anyone asks, No he wasn't behind us!), so we had to re-write all the musical arrangements for our remaining trio of Drums, Bass and Guitar. Although our arrangements of all the songs were very successful we lacked that unmistakeable "fullness of sound" you get with a Keyboard in the mix.

Who are the current band members? Well, there is Mike the Drummer (Tall, dark, handsome and young), Conrad the Bass Player (Tall, not dark, not so handsome and not so young), and Paul the Guitar Player (Let's just say older and wiser).

For this year's panto we will begin rehearsing from early October every Sunday morning at The Angel Dance Studio on the old Bentwaters Airbase. The Pantomime dates this year are 7th – 10th December 2017, with technical/dress rehearsals with the cast on possibly the 3rd and 6th December. Obviously you must be able to commit to most of these rehearsals (we all need to miss an occasional rehearsal of course), performances are mandatory of course.

As per last year, the music will be a mixture of old and modern, covering the generations, pop and rock, something for everyone.

So if you, or if you know of anyone, who would like to audition to play in this year's "Panto Band" for the Wizard of Oz, and have your own portable keyboard of course, then please let one of us know as soon as possible. We want to hear from you.

You may be a bit nervous and apprehensive about auditioning to play in our band. Don't worry; we will email you snippets of three keyboard music scores beforehand from songs in this year's panto. If you can play them then you could be "The One That We Want, Ooh Ooh Ooh".

Paul Foster (Music Director) – pwf@pwfoster.co.uk Stuart Aldridge (Producer) – stuart.aldridge2@btinternet.com

ST PETER'S FESTIVAL AT BLAXHALL (IP12 2DW) on Saturday 1 and Sunday 2 July 11am-4pm.
flowers and music in the church, art exhibition in the village hall, all-day refreshments (lunches and teas), children's activities, local interest displays, plant and produce stall, free entry .

WHAT`S ON

8/9 July St Marys Bawdsey Flower Festival `Books on Bloom' open 12noon – 6pm Saturday 11-5pm Sunday
Songs of Praise Sunday at 6.30pm
15 July Bawdsey Market 2-4pm Village Hall
20 July Jazz Society 7.30pm Village Hall
22 July Community garden Hollesley 2-4pm Teas etc.

If you would like to include anything in the newsletter please contact Sue on 01394 411793 or email susancollins@keme.co.uk by 23 of month. Likewise if you wish to receive newsletter via email please contact Sue. Occasionally we are asked to forward urgent/important information around the village, by signing up for an electronic version of the newsletter it does enable information to be forwarded on quickly. Thank you.