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WISSETT VILLAGE CALENDAR

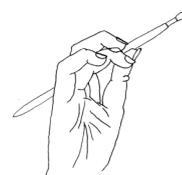
To raise money for the village, through the Community Council, we are planning to create a Village Calendar for 2016, to go on sale from October this year.

The calendar will include pictures created by anyone living in the village who would like to contribute. We are looking for original work such as paintings, drawings or photographs that have some link to life in Wissett and the surrounding area. Subjects might include, for example, village events, wild animals, farming activities, flowers, trees and shrubs (either wild or in your garden), village scenes etc.



We need at least 13 pictures (1 for the cover and 12 for the months of the year) but could include more by reducing their size further to fit several pictures to a page.

We can accept pictures of almost any size, as they will be photographed and reduced for printing. Photographic submissions can be scanned from a hard copy or printed directly from a memory card, if you are using a digital camera.



You can submit more than one picture if you wish and we would like to receive all the pictures by the 1st July. Please deliver them, by arrangement, to:

Hetty van Wijk, Woodville, Buntings Lane. E-Mail: hettyvw@hotmail.com

If you would like any further information phone Hetty on 872211 or Symon on 835936

WISSETT PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Wissett Parish Council met on Thursday 19th March in Wissett Village Hall.

Matters dealt with were:

Dog waste bin

To be provided near the Mill Road bridge.

Electricity

Now installed on the Village Field. The Chairman, with Julian Harris and Matthew Wetmore to decide details of the motion-activated lamp to be bought.

Vehicle-activated speed signs

These had been ordered (their use to be shared with other parishes) and it was hoped would be seen in Wissett soon.

Damage to Village Hall verge

The water company had accepted responsibility and would repair the damage.

Requests for charitable donations

Will be dealt with annually at the precept meeting in November. (This does not apply to churchyard maintenance and the Wissett Web.)

Parish Council Elections

If you would like to stand for election at the forthcoming elections please contact Bill Simpson for a form. All nominations must be in before 9th April. Phone on 835721 or

wissettparishclerk@btinternet.com

Date of next meeting

Thursday, 21st May 2015 at 7.30 pm.

WISSETT VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE

St. George's Day Dinner Saturday 25th April 2015.

7.00 for 7.30pm

Wissett Village Hall

Raffle

Tickets £8.00 each includes a glass of wine

Tickets : John Young: 01986 872450
or Kath Witherby: 01986 73339

Proceeds to the upkeep of Wissett Village Hall



St Andrew's Parish Church Wissett TAPAS AND WINE TASTING

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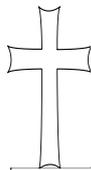
SATURDAY 9th MAY

At 6.30 for 7

HILL HOUSE BARN

Evening led by Rob Chase of Adnams

TICKETS £20 from Camilla Prior: 873418
or Anne Andrews: 873121



ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, WISSETT



APRIL SERVICES

3rd - UP THE GREEN HILL 9.30
5th - EASTER SUNDAY 9.30
12th - Parish Eucharist 9.30
19th - Parish Eucharist 9.30
26th - ROGATION WALK at 2 o'clock. Walk from Wissett to Spexhall, blessing the crops. Then Tea at Spexhall.

TUESDAY PRAYERS & COFFEE BREAK

First Tuesday of every month in the church at 10 am: prayer meetings with a focus on prayer board requests.

Coffee Break, from 10.30 to 11.30.

Just come for the coffee and a natter if you want.

APRIL 7th & MAY 5th.

FUN AND FRIENDSHIP AFTERNOONS

Third Wednesday in every month 2 pm - 4.30 Lovely teas and lots of games; ludo, snakes and ladders, whist, scrabble, jigsaws, dominos, boggle etc, are played. The tea is free, provided by the ladies and gentlemen of the PCC and friends. You don't have to play games, just come for tea. It's in the Village Hall. Everybody welcome! APRIL 16th & MAY 20th.

FOOD BANK

Donations of food can be left in the church box or at Fun and Friendship afternoons. The box in the church is emptied every day. Dry and tinned goods are best. If you would like to use the food bank, please contact Claire Kiddy at Wissett Lodge, Lodge Lane or 01986 873173 for a voucher. Vouchers can be exchanged for a food parcel in St Mary's Church, Halesworth on Wednesdays. 10.30 - 12 noon.

PRE-LOVED CLOTHES SALE

BRIC-A-BRAC & BOOKS

Saturday, May 30th

10.00 am to midday

MANOR FARM,

WISSETT

Raising money for St Andrew's Church



Thank you Alan!

For picking up bagfuls of litter round the village and along the roads.

BOOKS

We are collecting books for our Giant Book Sale in St James South Elmham (26/27 September 2015) in aid of the church. If you have any you don't need please contact me Rachel Ritchie on 01986 783889 I may be able to collect.

MAY SERVICES

3rd - No service in Wissett
10th - Parish Eucharist 9.30
17th - Morning Worship 9.30
24th & 31st - No service in Wissett

News from St. Andrew's Church

At the Parochial Church Council on 10th March we had time to talk about the service and mission of the church, as well as the practical matters of building and churchyard, in the last year before the next 5-yearly inspection is due. Julian has been working in the church, and made his own helpful inspection and comments, concluding that while money inevitably needs to be raised, see below, the fabric is in a better state than most of the churches that he goes into. The Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be held in the church at 7.00 p.m. on Tuesday 21st April. This is a legal requirement connected with the establishment of the Church of England, but the meeting is open to everyone in the parish, and we will genuinely welcome any opinions on what we are doing and might be doing.

Good Friday is 3rd April. The service, starting at 9.30 a.m., is followed by carrying the cross up the 'Green Hill' and through the meadow to Hill House, where Valerie will welcome us with buttery hot cross buns. On Saturday 4th from 10.00 a.m. to midday there will be another Children's Workshop in the church, plenty of making and doing, and refreshments, while the church is being decorated: everyone welcome. The Easter Eucharist is at 9.30 a.m. on 5th April.

Rogation Sunday is 10th May and in the afternoon we walk through the fields to Spexhall, for tea, starting at 2.30 in Wissett, thinking about the natural world and the work on the land that feeds us. A traditional informal event for all.

Now fund-raising gathers momentum. The Plant Sale is in the Village Hall from 10 a.m. to midday on Bank Holiday Monday, 4th May, always a good and jolly occasion. Then on Saturday 9th May Jeremy and Camilla Prior are putting on a special evening of wine tasting with food, led by Rob Chase from Adnams, in their new converted barn. Tickets are £20 from Camilla or Anne Andrews. Finally on Saturday 30th May, 10.00 a.m. to midday there will be a sale of bric-a-brac, books, clothes, etc., at Manor Farm: contributions of stuff are needed please, and we can collect. Then please come and buy.

Maggie and Nick Evans

The Wissett Plough



Opening hours:

Monday - Saturday
11.30am - 3pm 6.30pm - 11.30pm.
Sunday
12noon - 7pm

Food served:

Monday - Saturday
12am - 2.30pm and 6.30pm - 9pm
Sunday
12noon - 3pm Roast dinner and Menu
Seniors' lunches every Tuesday.

Two courses for £6.95

Traditional food, locally bought.
Specials board. Guest beers.
Takeaway menu

Phone number: 01986 469201

PUB NEWS

Buskers night

Monday, 20th April 8pm start, - lots of singing along and clapping.

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22nd April, - reserve your table early as bookings are already being taken.

Pie and a Pint night:

One of our delicious homemade pie dinners with a pint of bitter for just £10.95

Charity Raffle

Win an Eater Egg (a massive, massive egg!) and support the Halesworth Lions! Come and have a crack!! £1 a square.

A Visitation!

We had 40 visitors from Ipswich Camra on Saturday!!! They liked all the beers, - particularly Chocwork Orange. They also said it was the best sausage and mash they had ever had!

New beer

Arriving Friday so should be on for the weekend is Lacons Legacy @ 4.4% - Light blonde, aromas of lemon and grapefruit, with a deep flavour of lemon and lime, as recommended by Ipswich Camra.

WISSETT THROUGH THE AGES

A new exhibition of "Wissett through the ages" is opening in the Halesworth and District Museum on April 11th. Items that some of you have been kind enough to lend for the exhibition will be on show. From flint implements and Roman pottery to clay pipes and bottles. From mediaeval shoe to photographs to Blacksmith's forge. Come and see!

WISSETT CARPET BOWLS



The Carpet Bowls league season will soon be ending; there are two more matches to be played, these are Sizewell A and Saxmundham, which are home matches.

We have had a successful season so far. On Sunday March 8th Andy, Mick, Derek and Janice took part in the Heritage coast 4s competition at the Leiston Sports Centre.

We are looking forward to having Mary and John back playing with us soon.

We have three good players from Rumburgh and Bill from the Village and so we have full teams now.

Wissett Village Shop

Opening times are:

Weekdays: 8 am to 6 pm

Saturdays: 9 am to 5 pm

Staffed by Virginia and Jan

Rumburgh Garden Club

APRIL 1st - Wednesday 5.00pm - Holton Road Garden Centre, Holton. Tel: 01986 872761

By popular request this will now become an annual event. Terry and Neil will be able to answer any questions about the plants and growing mediums.

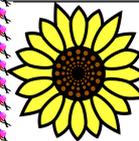
10% discount on all purchases

Tea may be purchased afterwards from Sue Edwards in the Café.

MAY 6TH - Wednesday 6.00pm - Rydal Mount Wissett. 01986 873339

Plant Sale 'bring and buy' or 'plant swap' There will be a plant stall.

Followed by a talk on garden butterflies with specimens and how we can help these beautiful insects in our gardens. Followed by, and not to be missed, the AGM.



DON'T FORGET!
2015 IS THE YEAR OF THE SUNFLOWER! Sow some now!

YOGA

In the Village Hall on Monday afternoons, 1.30 - 3 and Friday evenings, 7 - 8. Angie leads us calmly through the positions. Beautifully relaxing and stretching, your suppleness will amaze you!

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Beavers, Cubs and Scouts

Meetings on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
Contact Brian Howard at 1 Brickhill Cottages Wissett
01986 875551
or brian@iminter.co.uk
Scout HQ is in Chediston Street, Halesworth.



HETTY'S NEEDLES

Knitting and sewing classes in Wissett: knitting: Monday a.m. Sewing: Tuesday evening.
For details visit www.hettysneedles.com

April 4th & May 2nd

Painting and drawing workshops with Ian Read, Artist and tutor. Mixed media. Mixed ability. BYO materials. 10-3 including lunch. £25. half day possible.

Telephone Hetty 872211

BOND'S FARM SHOP, WISSETT

Local produce

Derek and Cynthia Nunn offer you home grown fruit and vegetables in season at competitive prices.

VILLAGE TENT

rates for the hire of the village tent:

Wissett residents.....£35 Non-residents.....£70

Phone David Ball if you want to hire it: 874599

Help sometimes needed on the day if possible.

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3-PLUMBING & OIL-FIRED BOILER MAINTENANCE

Kevin Hawes 874708

AVON TOILETRIES

Hannah Pretty, 3, Brickhill Cottages, Wissett 835780

Alice Mitchell, Spexhall 781659

BUILDING CONSULTANT:

Al Campbell. Design and Build. 874976

DOG GROOMING/BOARDING

Byebrue 785264

ELECTRICAL

Darren Alden. 8 Brickhill Cottages 07880791116

Chris Calver 07777675204 or 874046

GARDEN PLANTS

For sale outside 20 The Street and 9 The Street

LANDSCAPE GARDENING

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POLICE OFFICER:

Simon Green 835300

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Wissett Wines 07867009967

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ALCOHOLICS-ANONIMOUS

at The Harmony Centre Walpole 0207 40 30 888

Any news, views or comments for inclusion in the Wissett Web to Jenny Ball, Editor, Birches, Wash Lane, Wissett. 01986 874599

BEFORE 20th MAY

Please note: The editor's decision is always final.