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PLATINUM JUBILEE EVENTS IN WISSETT!

Thursday, 2nd June 2022 7.30pm

BEACON, BEER AND BURGERS!

BEACON LIGHTING ON THE VILLAGE FIELD

The UK's long tradition of celebrating Royal jubilees, Weddings and Coronations with the lighting of beacons will be continued to mark the Platinum Jubilee. Over 1,500 beacons will be lit throughout the United Kingdom, Channel Islands, Isle of Man and UK territories overseas.

OUR BEACON WILL BE LIT SOON AFTER 9.PM.

THE WISSETT PLOUGH WILL BE THERE FOR THE SALE OF **DRINKS AND BURGERS**

Saturday, 11th June from 2.00 pm

Let's celebrate as a village! Bring a picnic to the Village Field

VILLAGE PICNIC

FREE

JUBILEE CUPCAKES

FREE TRIPS

BY ARMY JEEP TO OUR NEARBY TANK MUSEUM Courtesy Bruce Crompton of Combat Dealers

FREE

ONSITE ENTERTAINMENT **DURING THE AFTERNOON**

& **FREE** Wissett Jubilee Mugs for all resident Wissett Children.

*mugs also available for purchase.



PEAR TREE FUND

OPEN GARDEN

at **BROOK HALL FARM**

Gray's Lane Wissett. IP19 0JT **SUNDAY 19TH JUNE** 2 - 5pm

Stalls, cream teas, cakes and refreshments

Admission £5 children under 16 free

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St. Andrew's Church, Wissett.

PLANT SALE AND COFFEE **MORNING**

WISSETT VILLAGE HALL JUNE 4th 10.00 until 12.30

Coffee and Cakes



Interesting Plants

Come and ioin us

GRAYS LANE SOLAR FACTORY

We have been criticised in the most offensive terms by someone in the village. Accused of spreading "fake news" and being "like Putin" for the stance the Wissett Web has taken against the Solar Factory. The country needs all the green energy it can get to attempt to combat global warming but Grays Lane is not the place for it. A beautiful area, of rolling fields, copses and hedgerows, full of wildlife and peace. 83% of the huge area under consideration is prime agricultural land and, heaven knows, we need to grow our own food in the wake of Brexit and the war in Ukraine. There is overwhelming opposition to the scheme in Wissett, Rumburgh and Spexhall.

We hear that the storage batteries give off 100 decibels of noise and are prone to catching fire. With no water available at the site and no access for fire engines the potential for a catastrophic accident is very possible. Crowd funding is under way to help to fight the Solar Factory proposition. If you would like to contribute to a coherent, cohesive and robust objection to help pay for assessments, legal advice, reports and administration please go to https://savegrayslane.org/?page id=284> to make your donation.

Anne Andrews

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH WISSETT

JUNE SERVICES

12th at 10am Morning Prayer JUBILEE SERVICE. Gini 26th at 10am HOLY COMMUNION Anna

and: JUBILEE HYMNS IN THE PARK on Saturday 4th June at 2.30 in Halesworth Town Park.

and: CHURCHES TOGETHER JUBILEE WORSHIP on Sunday 5th June at 3pm. Halesworth URC.

JULY SERVICES

We have no information about the July services at the time of going to press.

Services will be displayed on the church notice board and in the Blyth Valley Times.







Over the bank holiday weekend Wissett Church hosted a 'different' kind of flower festival:

 $\frac{\pi}{4}$ It was the idea of Susan Fitch, who organised the event. As well as looking for something out of the $\frac{\pi}{4}$ erdinary, Susan wanted to include local schools and children. The church looked very springlike with $\frac{\pi}{4}$ flowers everywhere. Holton School and Ilketshall St Lawrence School took part with beautifully deco- $\frac{\pi}{4}$ rated jam jars and imaginative flowers in them. Entry was free and refreshments available for a dona- $\frac{\pi}{4}$

* tion. Tea, coffee and cake were provided with generous bakers supplying cakes throughout * the weekend. Another stall was stocked with very healthy plants for sale. There was just one * raffle prize - a large well-provisioned hamper.

* This event raised more than £2000 for the church. Grateful thanks must go to all those who * gave their time and efforts to making it such a success. Most of all we thank Susan Fitch * for bringing off such a joyous weekend.

Susan Fitch says"I want to say a huge thank you to everyone who supported me throughout the week of staging this event and over the weekend. Especially friends and family who baked wonderful delights for visitors to enjoy"

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The Annual Parish Meeting was held on 19th May 2022. The Chairman's report in full is on the village website. The Chairman, Frank Burton, thanked all members of the Council for their help and support over the last year.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The Parish Council Meeting followed on from the Annual Parish Meeting.

Frank Burton and Matthew Wetmore were unanimously re-elected as Chairman and Vice-Chairman.

<u>VAS</u> had been in use during March.

Trial of A.N.P.R. system (Speed camera photos)

Of the 1358 recordings about a third were doing more than 35mph - the fastest was 60 mph.It is hoped the scheme will be in regular use from July.

Road flooding outside Valley Farm Vineyards.

Despite four formal requests to Suffolk County Council no action has been taken

Jubilee celebrations in Wissett.

The arrangements made are reported elsewhere in the Wissett Web. Any financial losses up to £500 will be covered

Grass cutting between the Village Hall and the road.

To be considered at the next meeting. A recent cut has been thought too severe.

The Jubilee Oak

Has been planted on the Village Field.

Lodge Lane Bridge railings

These have been painted by Mrs Julie Wing

NEWS FROM ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

At the Annual Meetings on 23rd April the churchwardens, officers and PCC were re-elected, with the welcome addition of Henry Kiddy and Gill Bailey.

Services for June are as in the BVT: it will be good to welcome Gini Williams for her first appearance here, and also good to see Anna Wright back; of July we cannot speak.

Jubilee ringing throughout the team on 2nd June, Wissett's turn is at 4.00 p.m..

Anne Andrews is holding a Plant Sale and Coffee Morning for the church in the Village hall from 10 a.m. to 12.30 on Saturday 4th June -

Nick Evans. Churchwarden.

THANK YOU

Mary Pester thanks all who came to and helped with her sale and open garden on 2nd April. £400 was raised for the upkeep of Wissett Church.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING continued

There have been 3 applications to rent the land owned by the Council near Rumburgh. They are being considered by the Council. Grays Lane proposed Solar Farm.

PACE had presented to Rumburgh Parish Council who also objected to the project and there is a further presentation to Spexhall Parish Council on 23rd May. The size of the site had been reduced slightly. No planning request has yet been made. A barrister has been appointed by the steering group who is opposing the project.

There have been 2 applications for the vacant seat on Wissett Parish Council. Both will be invited to a meeting to present their case and answer questions.

Date of next meeting

Thursday, 21st July at 7.30 pm.

THE WISSETT PLOUGH







Opening hours:
Wednesday to Friday 12 - 2.30 5 pm - 10 pm
Saturday 12 noon - 10 pm
Sunday 12 noon - 5 pm
Harry, Sue and Dave welcome you to the Wissett Plough.

On Thursday 2nd June at 7.30 we will be at the Village Field serving Burgers and drinks prior to the lighting of the beacon.











Sunday 19th June - Father's day - Book now for Lunch

Saturday 9th July - **Charity Dog Walk** for the Dog's Trust.











Bring your dog and enjoy a walk round Wissett and Spexhall. Start the day with a hearty breakfast at the Plough or come back for a lunch. Ring for details.

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Book on 01986 873047 or enquiries@wissettplough.co.uk

WISSETT VILLAGE HALL

If you wish to book the Village Hall please send us an email with the date(s) and time(s) you want the hall. Allow time for setting up and clearing away.

If you are holding an event in the village and wish to use the facilities in the village hall, please also make sure you book the hall in advance to ensure it is available and to secure access.

Crockery, cutlery and some chairs and tables are available for use at outside events in the village. Please make sure you book them in advance. There is a small hire charge but usage is free if the event is a fund-raiser.

wissettvillagehall@gmail.com

WISSETT CARPET BOWLS



With regret we have to wind up the Wissett Bowls Club.

If anyone is interested in starting the club again for roll-ups, friendly matches, league matches, if the league starts again. Contact Andy on 01986 872905 before 30th June this year.

A TRIBUTE TO HAROLD LEGGETT

The late Harold Leggett, formally of Brick Hill Bungalow, was definitely a native of Wissett. He only moved a few miles up the road from Homersfield, where he was born, to settle in his beloved Wissett in the late 1950's, and to fully participate in village life.

In his younger years Harold was a member of the local cricket team and also goal keeper for the football team. He was also a very keen gardener and enjoyed growing plenty of vegetables to share among neighbours and friends. The village life suited Harold wholeheartedly, as he knew almost everyone and enjoyed nothing more than a chat over the garden fence.

In his later life Harold, with his partner Peggy, continued to embrace the village life, by attending many activities organised by the Wissett community, including barbecues, treasure hunts, social evenings in the village hall and carol services in the church.

Harold was involved with recovering the hotair balloon belonging to his friend and neighbour, Ernie Woolnough, for a few years.

Sadly, as Harold's health deteriorated and his partner, Peggy, passed away, it became increasingly difficult for him to socialise. But he was fortunate to have such loyal and caring neighbours, who would visit him at home and keep him updated on village life.

It had always been Harold's wish to be laid to rest in Wissett churchyard, and it was Peggy's too. They both appreciated the serenity of the area.

The family of Harold and Peggy would like to take this opportunity to thank all residents of Wissett, past and present, for welcoming them into the community and giving them their friendship support and care.

Brian Stokes.

PLANTS AT RICKYARDS

Lyn and David Elliott are still selling plants outside the Rickyards, Mill Road in aid of brain tumour research, They are also open to any requests for specific plants or cuttings from their garden. They are short of 4½" pots. If anyone has any to spare please donate them.

https://www.braintumourresearch.org/

WISSETT VILLAGE HALL

The hall costs £6 per hour for the duration of the event and includes all tables, chairs, crockery, cutlery etc. These are included in the hire charge. Heating is by a £1 or £2 slot meter. There is a returnable deposit of £50. Please book online at wissettvillagehall@gmail.com

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

Phone Roy Stoddard if you want to hire it: 875797 Help sometimes needed on the day if possible.



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or brian@iminter.co.uk Scout HQ is in Chediston Street, Halesworth.

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AVON TOILETRIES

Hannah Pretty, 3, Brickhill Cottages, Wissett 835780

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Al Campbell. Design and Build. 874976

DOG GROOMING/BOARDING

Byebrue 785264

ELÉCTRICAL

Chris Calver 07777675204 or 874046

FOOT CARE PRACTIONER

Susan Fitch. Home visits 01986 872067 or 07497371073 <u>GARDEN PLANTS</u>

For sale outside 20 The Street, Rickyards, Mill Road and 9 The Street

MILK

WILL's LOCAL Marybelle Milk and cream. 0800 434 6212 MOBILE LIBRARY.

The mobile library is still calling in Wissett, every 4 weeks on Thursdays and stops in the VILLAGE CAR PARK from around 2:05pm until 2:25pm. June 2nd, 30th and July 28th 2022 <u>ALCOHOLICS-ANONYMOUS</u>

at The Harmony Centre Walpole 0207 40 30 888

If you would like to advertise in the Wissett Web, please phone the Editor on 01986 469611 or 07549190004 Any news, views or comments for inclusion in the Wissett Web to Jenny Ball, Editor, Birches, Wash Lane, Wissett. 01986 469611 OR 07549190004

BEFORE 20th JULY

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