

# THE WISSETT WEB

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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**

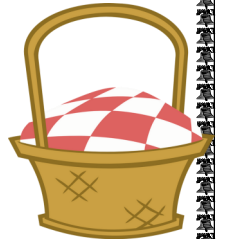
BY ARMY JEEP TO OUR NEARBY TANK MUSEUM.  
Courtesy Bruce Crompton of Combat Dealers

**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

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 join us

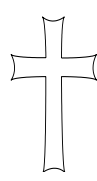


### GRAYS LANE SOLAR FACTORY

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](https://savegrayslane.org/?page_id=284) to make your donation.



# 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.



## THE JAM JAR SPECTACULAR WAS TRULY SPECTACULAR!

**Over the bank holiday weekend Wissett Church hosted a 'different' kind of flower festival:**  
 It was the idea of Susan Fitch, who organised the event. As well as looking for something out of the  
 ordinary, Susan wanted to include local schools and children. The church looked very springlike with  
 flowers everywhere. Holton School and Ilketshall St Lawrence School took part with beautifully deco-  
 rated jam jars and imaginative flowers in them. Entry was free and refreshments available for a dona-  
 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.



*Anne Andrews*

**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 Annu-  
 al Parish Meeting.  
 Frank Burton and Matthew Wetmore were unanimously  
 re-elected as Chairman and Vice-Chairman.

VAS 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 Kid-  
 dy 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 up-  
 keep 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 object-  
 ed to the project and there is a further presentation to Spexhall Par-  
 ish 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 Par-  
 ish 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.



## 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](mailto:wissettvillagehall@gmail.com)

**MIKE KING. 07710984663 or 01986 875974**

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### **BOND'S FARM SHOP, WISSETT**

**Local produce**

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

**VILLAGE TENT. 10 METRES X 4 METRES.**

**Rates for the hire of the village tent:**

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

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

### **IAN WOOD**



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## LOCAL SCOUT ASSOCIATION

**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](mailto:brian@iminter.co.uk)**

**Scout HQ is in Chediston Street, Halesworth.**

## **WISSETT FARM HOLIDAYS**

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Email: [enquiries@wissettfarmholidays.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@wissettfarmholidays.co.uk)

### **RARE BREED NORFOLK HORN LAMB**

From the Wissett Flock

Whole or half lambs available to order  
A selection of frozen joints, chops etc are available  
from Wissett Lodge  
Phone Geoffrey or Claire Kiddy 01986 873173



**HAPPY FEET! By Susan Fitch.**

General foot health care...ingrown toenails,  
Corns, calluses, verrucas, painful hard skin,  
Deep tissue massage, thick nails trimmed.

Home visits. Phone 01986 872067 or 07497371073

### **USEFUL INFORMATION**

#### DOCTOR

Cutlers Hill Surgery, Halesworth 874618

#### PLUMBING & OIL-FIRED BOILER MAINTENANCE

Kevin Hawes 874708

#### AVON TOILETRIES

Hannah Pretty, 3, Brickhill Cottages, Wissett 835780

#### BUILDING CONSULTANT:

Al Campbell. Design and Build. 874976

#### DOG GROOMING/BOARDING

Byebrue 785264

#### ELECTRICAL

Chris Calver 07777675204 or 874046

#### FOOT CARE PRACTITIONER

Susan Fitch. Home visits 01986 872067 or 07497371073

#### GARDEN PLANTS

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

#### ALCOHOLICS-ANONYMOUS

at The Harmony Centre Walpole 0207 40 30 888

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phone the Editor on 01986 469611 or 07549190004

Any news, views or comments for inclusion in the Wis-  
sett Web to Jenny Ball, Editor, Birches, Wash Lane, Wis-  
sett. 01986 469611 OR 07549190004

**BEFORE 20th JULY**

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