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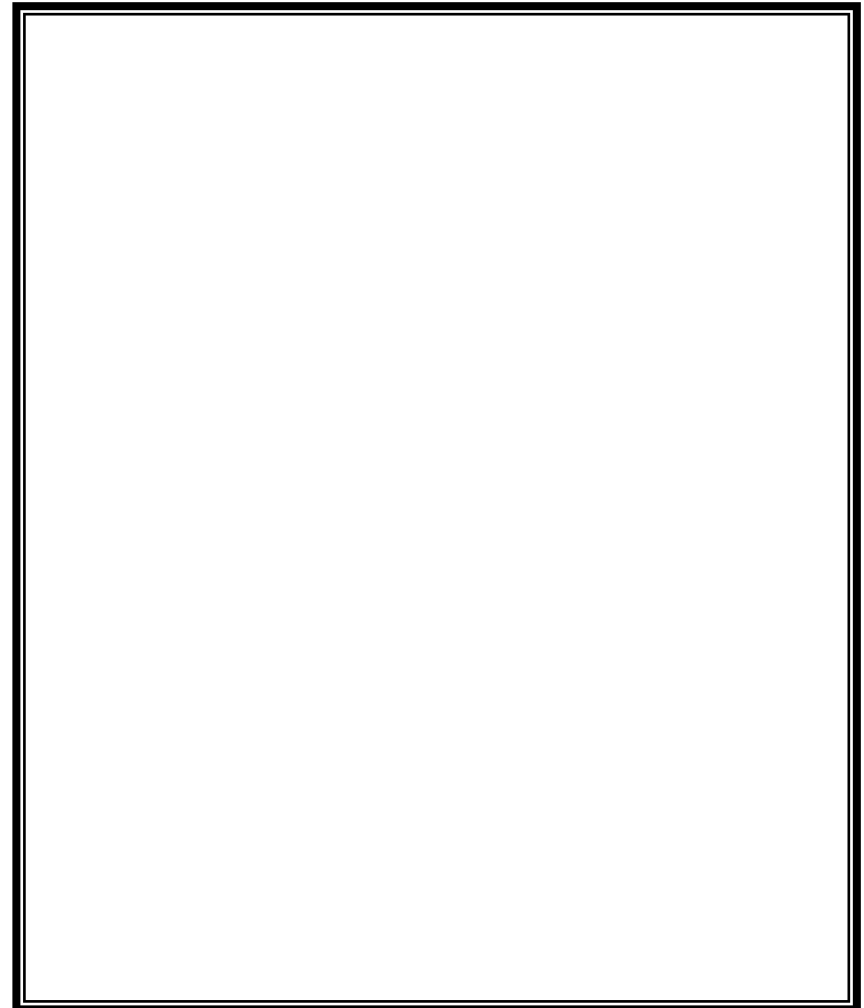
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7F	ASHBOCKING	THE GREEN	1215-1235
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7H	FRAMSDEN	VILLAGE HALL	1400-1415
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7J	BRANDESTON	THE QUEEN PH	1450-1510
7K	KETTLEBURGH	CHURCH RD	1515-1530

# BRANDESTON AND KETTLEBURGH AUGUST PARISH NEWS 2018



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To arrange a Funeral, Wedding, or Baptism or for pastoral emergencies please contact Graham Hedger.



Thank you to Janet Weston who is providing regular drawings for our magazine cover. If anyone else would like to draw a cover sometime, you are welcome too.

## HISTORY CORNER



### The Wickham Market Cycle Race

I have always been a hoarder and for many years have been storing articles of local interest cut from local newspapers. I was recently going through one of my folders containing pieces cut from the much missed 'Woodbridge Reporter', when I saw a headline saying, "Pioneers of Wickham Market cycling". Apparently, the newly formed cycle club decided on a novel way of choosing their first captain in 1879. It was a race from the White Hart to the Woodbridge Sun pub and back! This event was under 10 years from the invention of the two wheeled machine, known as the bicycle and these brave men were riding PENNY FARTHINGS! Right at the start of the race the machine, ridden by Mr A. White collapsed and he fell heavily. A number of other riders gave up, having had enough by the time they reached Pettistree (less than a mile!) where they found the pull of The Three Tuns, too much! The Dale brothers and one Reuben Whitehead kept going until Frank Dale took a tumble at Melton, near the old toll booth, but the other pair carried on. Reuben completed the 9- mile course in 42 minutes, a speed of 13 miles an hour on dirt roads, and I assume was duly made captain.

Earlier that century, a local doctor, Mr Thomas Harsant did his rounds on what was called a "dandy" otherwise known as a "Hobby horse". This was invented by a London coachbuilder named John Denis who called it a "Pedestrian curricle" (a bit of a mouthful!) The rider sat on a seat suspended between the wheels and propelled the machine with his feet pushing on the ground.

I recently saw a very young child on a small modern version of this machine, with pneumatic tyres, going at quite a pace around Framlingham football field, and I was surprised by how fast he was going.

Please don't worry, I do not intend to take up the sport, so you are quite safe!

**Peter Driver.**

### **BRANDESTON 100+ CLUB**

**June**            **1st -No. 21 Pat Peck**  
                      **2nd-No. 81 Michael Cousens**

**July**             **1st –No. 106 Jane Mitchell**  
                      **2nd- No. 1 Peter Arbon**

### **The KGT LOTTERY**

**1st Prize - E. Davies**  
**2nd Prize - Caroline Wheeler-Rowe**

### **Your solar panels could cost less than you think!**



If you've been thinking about installing solar panels for your home, a new scheme will make the process easier for you. "Solar Together Suffolk" is a scheme backed by councils across Suffolk using the power of bulk-buying – where approved suppliers can offer you a discounted price as they receive a large number of orders. All you need to do is register your details at [www.solartogethersuffolk.co.uk](http://www.solartogethersuffolk.co.uk). There is NO obligation to buy and you will reduce your electricity bills and help Suffolk to become the Greenest County. Don't delay, you only have until 21st August 2018 to register your details at **[www.solartogethersuffolk.co.uk](http://www.solartogethersuffolk.co.uk)**

**Steff Jones** (Environment Strategy Officer Strategic Development Growth, Highways and Infrastructure)

## **From the Rev'd Graham Hedger**

In July the news was dominated by a small group of stories: the progress of the England football team and the dramatic search and rescue of 12 boys and their coach from a cave in Thailand. For over two weeks the world held its breath as divers searched for, and then attempted to rescue the 13 trapped people. The daily and hourly news fed our appetite as many willed them on, hoping against hope that the boys would be found and rescued. We sat in admiration as divers risked their lives (with one sadly losing his life in the attempt) working their way through narrow openings to reach the boys. We became aware of the problems of the race against time, to rescue them before the monsoon season struck in full force. Cave divers and experts from around the world came to offer their support and expertise. It was a truly magnificent effort, and one which ended with the successful rescue of all 13 people. We rejoiced with the crowds as the final boys and their coach were airlifted to hospital.

Just occasionally we get glimpses of a better world. Where people look beyond themselves, their background, their nation and their political or religious creed to a shared humanity and have a desire to make the world a better place. This is a sign of God's nature within us. The Bible tells us that each one of us is made in the image of God, yet that image is marred by our wilfulness to turn from God but is marvellously restored when we turn to Christ. We have great potential, but we need to make that decision to turn to Him as Saviour to realise that potential.

### **Prayer in the benefice**

For many years a group of people have met once a month on the Friday preceding the Benefice Service to pray in the church where the service will be held. From August 31st this will become a weekly occurrence. We will continue to meet in the church where the first Sunday of the month Benefice service is held. We will continue to meet in that church for the following weeks up to the Friday before the next Benefice service. The time of prayer will be at 4pm on Fridays, for about 15 minutes and be a very simple format. All are welcome to come and join us.

### **In Memory of Rev'd Roger Dixon of Brandeston**

At the end of June, we held a memorial service in Brandeston for the life and ministry of the Rev'd Roger Dixon. He was both a dedicated priest, friend to all and also a great teacher. For those who had the privilege to share their lives with him, the joy of knowing him and now the sorrow, we rejoice that Roger had a great faith and believed that death is not the end but a passing into the greater presence of God.

## **RIDE AND STRIDE**

This is the sponsored cycle ride on **September 8<sup>th</sup>**  
(always the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday in September.)

Calling all cyclists and walkers to take part. You need a form to collect sponsors and a list of churches, so you can plot your route and maybe see some historic buildings at the same time. You don't have to be a church goer. You can walk round Ipswich or any other town you might be visiting that day. Cambridge is good as there are lots of college chapels close together. You can get lists of other counties by googling 'Churches Bike Ride'. It's a

lovely excuse for a day out riding or walking round the countryside. If you can't go yourself, can you sponsor someone who can?

Everything you need, you can get from:

Ruth Garrett at Brandeston Tel: 01728 685233 and Pat Peck at Kettleburgh Tel: 01728 621144.



## **ADVANCED NOTICES**

### **PAWS WITH A CAUSE**

**Sunday 30th September 10am -3pm.**

A fundraising country walk for all the family.

All proceeds in aid of East Anglian Air Ambulance (EAAA).

**At Glemham Hall Woodbridge, Suffolk, IP13 0BT**

A unique opportunity to walk around the beautiful area surrounding Glemham Hall in support of EAAA. One, three or five, mile walking routes available.

Paws of Parham will be holding regular agility displays during the day. Perhaps your dog would like to test their agility?

Enjoy a hot drink and a bacon butty before your walk and a freshly cooked burger or hot dog afterwards from Beefed Up Catering. Or why not treat yourself to a glass of prosecco, wine, beer or a soft drink from The Stable Arms!

**Register now! You can register online or by calling us. For more details visit [www.eaaa.org.uk](http://www.eaaa.org.uk) or call 03450 669 999.**

Paws with a Cause is kindly sponsored by Ufford Park, Yarmouth Road, Melton, Woodbridge, Suffolk Tel: 01394 383555  
[www.uffordpark.co.uk](http://www.uffordpark.co.uk)



### **MAGAZINE ARTICLES**

Please send, deliver or e-mail any contributions for the magazine by 15<sup>th</sup> of each month to: Mrs Jan Baldwin or email [jan\\_baldwin123@hotmail.com](mailto:jan_baldwin123@hotmail.com)

Please send e-mails in Microsoft Word format, or jpg for pictures/scans. Thank you to Janet Weston who is providing fabulous, regular drawings for our magazine. If you would like to draw a cover for our magazine, please get in touch with Jan Baldwin.

## ADVANCED NOTICES

### Kettleburgh Village Show

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018**



The glorious weather we have been enjoying has been challenging for gardeners, but I hope we will still see a fine collection of fruit, flowers and vegetables in this year's show. If you are not a gardener or if the weather has beaten you this year please don't despair but enter the cookery, craft or photography classes instead. Also, please encourage your children, grandchildren or any other young people you know to have a go in either the children's or adult classes. Schedules are now available from myself or to download from the Kettleburgh website.

This month we list the children's classes:-

1. A drawing of myself.
2. The best photograph I have taken this year.
3. 4 pieces of a no-baked cake e.g. chocolate crunch, rocky road, rice krispie cake.
4. A small cake (eg cupcake, butterfly cake etc – one only).
5. A vegetable (one).
6. A flower (or flowers on a single stem).

The photographs:-

1. Snow.
  2. A close-up of an animal, bird or insect.
  3. Oops!
  4. "Where did you get that hat, where did you get that hat?"
- If you'd like to enter but have any questions please do get in touch and we'll do our best to help. If anyone would like to help in any way on the day I'd be pleased to hear from them.

Claire Norman Kettleburgh Village Produce Association  
Tel: 01728 724372 / email: auntclaire@btinternet.com

## Church Cleaning and Flower Rotas

Cleaning	Brandeston	Kettleburgh
Aug 5th	Christine and Colin	Jane O'Leary
Aug 12th	Julia and Kelly	Fay Clarke
Aug 19th	Jane and Louise	Claire Norman
Aug 26th	Helen and Karen	Anne Bater
Sept 2nd	Ruth and Mary	Pat Peck

Flower Date	Brandeston	Kettleburgh
Aug 5th	Marion	Claire Norman
Aug 12th	Alison	Claire Norman
Aug 19th	Ruth	Fay Clarke
Aug 26th	Eve	Fay Clarke
Sept 2nd	Helen	

## **Brandeston Memorial to benefit from Hopkins Homes' fund**

Brandeston war memorial has been awarded a grant from the Hopkins Homes War Memorials fund to support repair and conservation work. As part of the **£500,000 Hopkins Charitable Fund** announced last year, the award-winning developer committed to supporting the repair and conservation of East Anglia's war memorials through a £10,000 a year donation to War Memorials Trust. James Hopkins, Executive Chairman of Hopkins Homes said: "The Brandeston war memorial is important to local heritage, and particularly so this year as the nation commemorates the centenary of the end of World War I. Hopkins Homes is proud to support this conservation work as part of our ongoing commitment to community projects. "Brandeston's war memorial, located in the churchyard of the village's Grade I listed All Saints Church was erected in 1920 following donations from the public and now commemorates the fallen of both World Wars. The memorial is a Latin cross made of red granite fixed onto a York stone base. The front face of the cross carries a World War I inscription with names sited on the plinth. The war memorial was identified as in need of repair and conservation works as the names have become very difficult to read. The £850 grant has been offered through War Memorials Trust Grants scheme, supported by Hopkins Homes, towards works which include cleaning the stone by hand, re-painting some of the raised lead lettering to match the original design, and removing rust from the ironwork railings followed by priming and re-painting. Frances Moreton, Director of War Memorials Trust said: "Hopkins Homes' generous donation is helping to support war memorials in East Anglia and make sure that works undertaken follow best conservation practice. To find out more about War Memorials Trust and how to apply for a grant please visit [www.warmemorials.org](http://www.warmemorials.org) War Memorials Online is seeking to create a greater understanding of the condition of war memorials across the UK. Communities are invited to register on the site, upload photographs and share condition details.

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## **BRANDESTON COFFEE MORNING**



**EVERY THURSDAY IN THE VILLAGE HALL  
THROUGHOUT THE YEAR**

10:00- 12:00 TEA, COFFEE, BISCUITS

There is a good selection of second-hand books for sale and we also take orders for fresh bread and eggs, along with the mobile Post Office which has an excellent selection of cards.

PROCEEDS TO VILLAGE HALL FUNDS

## **KETTLEBURGH MONTHLY CRAFT CLUB**

**FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH**

**KETTLEBURGH VILLAGE HALL 7PM-9PM**

Angela 01728 621447

or email [angela.wright17@btinternet.com](mailto:angela.wright17@btinternet.com)

## **KETTLEBURGH COFFEE MORNING**



**FIRST FRIDAY**

**EACH MONTH FROM 10:30- 12:00 NOON**

SAUSAGE ROLLS, TEA/COFFEE (DONATIONS)

PROCEEDS TO VILLAGE HALL FUNDS

## Tea party in Brandeston for Eileen Leach

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> August at 3pm**

We will be holding an open tea party in Brandeston village hall.

We are taking this opportunity to say a big "Thank you" to Eileen for all her work over many years in our community, but particularly for her long service to All Saints' church.

Everyone who has had connections with Eileen is invited to join us. Instead of a gift to Eileen there will be a voluntary collection which will be donated to one of her favourite charitable organisations.

For catering purposes, it would be helpful if we have a rough idea of how many people will be there, so please could you let one of us know if you are planning to come. We are looking forward to seeing lots of Eileen's friends from the village and beyond.

From the Brandeston Churchwardens.

Mary Baker 685807

Alison Molyneux 685244



## **Brandeston Fete 2018 Report**

T'was a glorious summer's afternoon in Brandeston when our fete raised **£5241.74** comprising £4936 from the fete and £305 from the Village Feast thanks to The Queen. The money will be split equally between the village hall and All Saints.

There were 26 stalls at the fete and around 80 people helped in some way or other by running the stalls, erecting and dismantling the marquees, providing trailers, moving equipment, competing, taking photos and generally tidying up afterwards. On top of this we had the team from the Queen and help from the school. Altogether it was a big community effort involving the village hall, the church, the pub, the school and the people of Brandeston.

Taking into account the Open Gardens and Kettleburgh Fete on 9 June, the two villages have raised over £10,000 in two weeks - quite amazing for two small, rural communities.

Thanks to everyone for supporting this year's fete in whatever way you contributed.

Darryl Morgan

**On behalf of the church**, a very big thank you to all those who worked so hard to make the fete a great success. The combined events of Open Gardens and then the fete showed the great community spirit that exists in the village.

From the Rev'd Graham Hedger





## What's going on in August?

### Brandeston Village Hall Friday Film Club

Held on the second Friday of each month at 7.30pm



Organised by Richard and Mary Mitson-Woods

(01728 684026)

**August 10th is showing...**

#### **All the Money in the World**

The story of the kidnapping of 16-year-old John Paul Getty III and the desperate attempt by his devoted mother to convince his billionaire grandfather Jean Paul Getty to pay the ransom.

Dir: Ridley Scott. Writers: David Scarpa, John Pearson (based on the book by)

Stars: Michelle Williams, Christopher Plummer, Mark Wahlberg

Editor's note:

Hi,

I hope you like the 'New Look' for the Brandeston and Kettleburgh parish magazine. It's a look which is 'in-line' with the other parish magazines but evolving. If you have a comment about the layout and/or would like to suggest what could be included, please get in touch. This is your parish magazine. Jan Baldwin

# TEAMBUILDERS



## HOLIDAY CLUB BACK AGAIN THIS YEAR



The Teambuilders will be at Charsfield Primary School

**August 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup>**

9.30 am to 1.30pm

The local churches invite all primary school age children to join the holiday club.

**Get in touch with one of us NOW so you don't miss out on three days of fun. You are welcome to come for 1, 2 or all 3 days.**

**£3 per day for first child & £1 for each extra sibling**

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