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**SUMMER EDITION 2017**

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If you would like to advertise in the next issue it will be just £2.50 for a black and white advert or if you would like your advert in colour then the price will be £5. I will need your advert and money by 26<sup>th</sup> August 2017 at the **LATEST!** The same deadline applies for articles, anything received after the deadline will not be included. Preferably if the document was NOT a PDF that would be better as I've been having some trouble working with that format with my processer! I am once again looking for a photo for the front cover of the next issue with an autumn theme or if any Graphics or Photography students have a piece of work they would like to send in that would be great! The prize? Your photo on the front of our village magazine and your name in print! It's a great starting point to get your work out there! Any pieces submitted need to be in JPEG format with a resolution of at least 72 pixels.

Happy Summer!  
Emelie, Magazine Editor

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**Village Hall** - 01603 754570

**Village Hall booking Clerk - Caroline Medler** – 01603 755355

**Youth Group: Taylor Ramsbottom** – 01603 755448

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**<http://hevinghampc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk>**

## **HERBERT PHILIP ALLOTMENTS – PLOTS STILL AVAILABLE FOR RENT!**

The Parish Council still has one allotment available to rent, opposite the School in New Road. These allotments were intended to help bring an income into the village and therefore the Parish Council do not wish to leave them unallocated. The allotments are ready for use with water available from a central tap. Sheds are permitted on individual plots with prior permission. The allotment area is fenced to prevent rabbits stealing the produce! Rent is currently £30.00 per annum and due in September. Manure is occasionally provided for tenants use at no additional cost. If anyone is interested in taking on the last remaining allotment please contact the Clerk.

**HEVINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL**  
**AGREED MEETING DATES FOR 2017**  
6<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2017  
4<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2017  
AUGUST – NO MEETING  
5<sup>TH</sup> SEPT 2017  
3<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER 2017  
NOVEMBER – NO MEETING  
5<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2017



**Photo courtesy of Selwyn Goldsmith of the Short Mat Bowls Association.  
Photo is of the Bure Triples Champions – Steve Hall, Betty Cox and David Sharpe of Hevingham**



The wife's club are organising a trip to Springfield's shopping centre on Wednesday 18th October and have seats available. The coach will leave Hevingham Village Hall at 9.00am and return 6.00pm the cost is £11.00. please contact Jill Walker on 01603 754447 or mobile 07786 889353 if you are interested in going.

Felthorpe W.I would like to invite ladies from Hevingham to join Felthorpe + District W.I at Felthorpe Pavilion on a Thursday evening once a month, for a friendly, fun, social, entertaining evening. Visitors free.

Do come and try us out.

For further information please contact Janet on 01603 754434 or Wendy on 01603 754683



### **Inside the mind of a chess player!**

#### **Broadland Chess Club**

Have you ever wondered what goes on inside the mind of a chess player? Are you like me you and do not play and just see the pieces on the board, and perhaps you are able to move them around a bit? You may know that the Bishop moves diagonally and that the Queen is the strongest piece on the board as she can move in many directions. A chess player however sees things very differently, each piece has its own character, its own role to play as the battle between black and white begins! Tony Arnold, captain of the Broadland Harriers has provided this insight as to how a game may develop from a players point of view. (The match is Harriers v Lowestoft B)

*"The game on board 2 was another in which pawn formations again proved decisive. Bob Grindrod was playing the closely matched Steve Sanders from Lowestoft for the second time in a month. The away player gained his revenge for his earlier defeat by gaining a pawn in a highly complex central pawn push in the opening, which enabled him to continue to advance his extra central pawn to eventually open up the white player's defence.*

*On board 3 Harriers Trevor Denniss and the visiting captain, Craig Robertson were also closely matched. Trevor established a slight early advantage, which tempted Craig into a risky attempt at a combination on move 17 which looked deadly but was refuted by a forced simplification and an exchange of queens which ended with Trevor winning a bishop for 2 pawns. This gave him a positional advantage in the end game with a rook, a bishop and 2 pawns against a rook and 4 pawns but, with much less time on his clock, he eventually agreed a draw."*

Broadland Chess Club continues to be very strong this season, on Tues March 5<sup>th</sup> they travelled to Fakenham to play in the Norfolk and Suffolk Cup, Broadland struggled initially but eventually managed to pull off a win against a strong team. This means that they will now face Ipswich in the final sometime in May!

We welcome all visitors to the club and usually meet on Monday and Wednesday nights 19.30 at the Kings Head, Coltishall. We can also be found on Facebook and Twitter. Please contact us for more information.

The photo shows Broadland v Fakenham teams at their match in the Norfolk and Suffolk cup, taken by Roy Hughes.



## **PRECIS MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF HEVINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL**

**HELD ON 7<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2017 AT THE VILLAGE HALL**

(Full minutes are available online)

### **1. APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from Councillor D Fox-Willis.

### **3. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING**

Minutes of the meeting held on the 10<sup>th</sup> January 2017 were agreed by all and signed by the Chairman following a correction under items 5a and 6c: Mr R Bowes should read Mr R Barnes. Apologies were given for the error.

### **4. MATTERS ARISING**

#### Minutes from December 2016

For clarification purposes, it should be noted that under item 6d of these minutes, Sarah Balls was not the complainant.

### **5. MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION AND ACTION**

#### **a. Herbert Phillip Fund**

##### Trod Path

Section 2 – The Chairman advised he visited the landowner along with Cllr T Palmer and he is prepared to grant the Parish Council a 50 year lease on the strip of land required so the path can go ahead on this section. It may be necessary to remove some hedging and the landowner has asked that this is replaced at the Parish Council's cost. The landowner has suggested a written agreement is prepared and signed by him and the Clerk to avoid incurring any legal costs. All agreed this was very generous of the landowner and the Clerk and Chairman should proceed to put the agreement in place.

#### **b. Planning**

The following plan was considered:

20170320 – Garden Cottage, New Road - No objections

#### **c. Grant funding given to the Hevingivers in 2014**

Following discussions, it was agreed the group could retain the remaining £264.00 which they still hold and have ring fenced for hall hire. There are 3 events planned for this year so far. The committee agreed to update the Clerk with expenditure of the funds again in March 2018.

#### **e. Village Allotments**

The Clerk advised one of the tenants has asked if it would be possible to keep some bees on their plot. Following discussions and considering information provided by the Clerk, a vote was taken with 8 against, 1 in favour and 1 abstention.

#### **g. CPRE Pledge**

Following discussions, a vote was taken with 6 in favour of signing the pledge and 4 against. During the discussions

Cllr D Roper was asked about possible alterations to the catchment area for Aylsham High School and District boundary changes. Cllr D Roper agreed to look into further and advise.

#### **h. Finance**

##### Accounts for payment

The following accounts had already been paid and were approved:

Anglian Water (Allotments)	£73.03
Zak Branch Tree Services (Footpath hedge cutting)	£300.00
Caloo Ltd (Play area fencing)	£2371.98
Eibe (See Saw for play area)	£2839.80
Barriers Direct (Cycle racks x2)	£42.07

The following accounts were presented for payment and were approved:

Mrs K Medler (Expenses)	£41.20
Eco Colour Print (Magazine printing)	£250.00
Miss E Medler (Magazine production)	£50.00
Felthorpe Forest Nursery (Trees for orchard)	£152.00
Information Commissioner (Data protection registration renewal)	£35.00
Mr D Seppings (Labour to install fencing at VH and remove trees)	£310.00
J Medler Ltd (Cement for play area fencing)	£70.56

The Clerks standing order was paid on the 5<sup>th</sup> February and 5<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

The following receipts were noted:

Allotment rent	£20.00
CBS interest	£97.43

Balance at the bank now stands at £49,233.82.

## **6. MATTERS TO REPORT**

### **a. Clerks report**

The Clerk has been made aware of the state of the forest footpath (PROW5) which is virtually impassable and has reported this to NCC who have said they were already aware of the problem and action has been identified to resolve it.

The Rangers will be visiting the Village again soon and requests for work need to be in to them by 9<sup>th</sup> March 2017. Two requests were suggested: the path areas along the edge of the A140 Cromer Road where the grass has been depleted leaving just mud and the land between the road and the defibrillator on The Heath which is being worn away by vehicles.

BDC are running an initiative to keep play areas smoke free. The Clerk has spoken to Caroline Medler and Cllr Jacqui Norton and agreed to sign up to this. Signs will be erected once available.

The Clerk has met with the new vicar and the Church will be using the £1000.00 they currently hold on repairing the Church roof.

### **d. Police Report**

Full details for December are on the website but 2 crimes were recorded.

### **e. County Councillors Report**

Following the Budget meeting, it was agreed Council Tax will be increased by 4.8%: 3% will be ringfenced for adult social care with the remaining 1.8% being used for other services. The Council are still having to make £47million worth of cuts over the year which means £3million less will be spent on Highways this year than last.

Highways have advised that they will not put in white lines to stop overtaking along the stretch from Town Corner to the Church as the road doesn't meet their criteria for doing so and they are insisting the camber of the road has not been altered where the recent accidents occurred. Cllr D Roper agreed to refer back to Highways.

#### e. County Councillors Report (cont...)

Highways have said they will consider a consultation on the speed limits once the full impact of the housing in Aylsham and the NDR is known.

Highways are not prepared to replace the damaged sign on The Heath which indicates the entrance to Buxton Heath car park as it doesn't meet their criteria and they have no record of installing it in the first place. Should the Parish Council wish to pay to have it replaced they can do so. All agreed to leave.

#### **7. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

The issue of litter in the Church layby and adjoining field on the A140 Cromer Road was raised but the Clerk advised this has been looked into before and regrettably it seems there is nothing that can be done. BDC are responsible for litter and have checked the layby on various occasions following complaints and found no significant litter – they are also satisfied it is not coming from the snack van. BDC will not install a litter bin as they say bins in lay-bys are notoriously abused. The area is litter picked fortnightly. If there is a particularly bad issue with litter at any time, it can be reported to [environ.protection@broadland.gov.uk..](mailto:environ.protection@broadland.gov.uk..)

A resident asked what the recent notices mean that have been put up regarding land belonging to Mr & Mrs Shaw and A Lakin as it suggests the footpaths are going to be closed. The Clerk advised the notices are saying that 'deposits' (documents) have been submitted to NCC to prevent new PROW's (Public Right of Ways) being added to the land in question. All current legally registered PROW's are still valid and these deposits will not affect these. The Clerk will put a link on the Parish Councils website to NCC's website which shows all of the legally registered PROW's in the village.

A question was also asked about housing on the Ripon Hall land and Cllr P Carrick advised the land has been put in under BDC's 'Call for Sites'. This is still at a very early stage and if the land is accepted it will go out to public consultation. There are no guarantees it will be approved.

**The meeting closed at 21:10**



*(Draft)*

**MINUTES OF THE HEVINGHAM ANNUAL PARISH MEETING**  
**HELD ON 4<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2017 AT THE VILLAGE HALL**

**PRESENT**

Cllrs D Bunn (Chairman), J Norton, A Bunn, G Crane, A Coldham, P Carrick, M Williamson, S Medler, T Palmer, A Ramsbottom, D Fox-Willis, K Medler (Clerk) and 15 parishioners.

**IN ATTENDANCE**

Revd M McPhee.

**APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from PC G Shepherd and Mr S Watts of Saffron Housing.

**MINUTES**

Minutes of the meeting held on 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2016 were agreed by all and signed by the Chairman.

**CHAIRMANS REPORT**

This year has been a quiet year with just one or two projects being completed.

Work has recently begun on section 1 of the Trod Path and Mr T Seales has now signed an agreement to allow the Parish Council to lease a section of his land along Brick Kiln Road for 50 years, to enable section 2 to be completed.

The Village Hall play area has undergone some improvements and these should all be completed by mid-April with the installation of the see saw.

Lights have been installed in the Herbert Phillipo car park to further ensure the safety of those using it.

The allotments are going well with only 2 now left available for rent.

Thank you to all on the Parish Council for their work during the year, it is much appreciated.

**ANNUAL POLICE REPORT**

This item will be carried forward to the May Parish Council meeting.

**PRESENTATION BY SAFFRON HOUSING**

In the absence of Mr S Watts, discussions on this were deferred to the Parish Council meeting.

**MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION BY PARISHIONNERS**

A resident asked why the Trod Path has been split so pedestrians have to cross the road near the bend. It was confirmed that the path was dictated by Highways based on what land was available. The path does go some way around the bend so crossing should not be an issue.

The Council were also asked why the residents on the right hand side of Brick Kiln Road were not consulted in the same way as those on the left. It was advised that initially the plan was to have the path on the left but Highways then altered this. This was discussed by the Parish Council and their subsequent decisions were all minuted, with the minutes being available to view on the notice boards, in the village magazine and via the website. All meetings are open to the public to attend to find out what is happening in the village. Sections 3 and 4 of the path are not currently proceeding as Highways need to confirm the boundaries along section 3.

A resident asked the Council if anything can be done about the large tractors coming through the village, which are cutting the corners and damaging the verges. There is also a safety concern as some children play on the roads. Following discussions, it was agreed the Clerk will contact Highways to see if there is any possibility of having a weight limit through the village and /or a reduction in the speed limit on Brick Kiln Road to 50 mph, from the Holt Road to the 30mph limit.

**The meeting closed at 20:00**



**PRECIS MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF HEVINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL**  
**HELD ON 4<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2017 AT THE VILLAGE HALL**

**1. APOLOGIES**

Apologies were received from PC G Shepherd.

**2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND DISPENSATION REQUESTS**

There were no declarations of interest or dispensation requests.

**3. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING**

Minutes of the meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> March 2017 were agreed by all and signed by the Chairman following a correction under item 5h: Balance at the bank should read £49,203.82.

**4. MATTERS ARISING**

Minutes from March 2017

Whilst the minutes correctly reflected what was reported by the Clerk in relation to the Village Hall play area costs, these were reported incorrectly. The final cost of the play area to the Parish Council was in fact £23,881.61 excluding VAT which means only £7,381.61 was used from the New Homes Bonus. The remaining figures quoted were correct. The clerk apologised for the error.

County Councillors Report

NCC Admissions have confirmed 'The Local Authority is not aware of any proposed changes to catchment areas for Aylsham at this time'.

**5. MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION AND ACTION**

**a. Saffron Housing**

In the absence of Mr S Watts, the Clerk read out a statement from Saffron which outlined their intentions for the land on Westgate and provided those present with drawings of the proposed layout. The Clerk reminded the meeting that the site is still classed as an Exception Site and therefore should benefit the village – affordable homes are considered a 'benefit'. The Housing List does not provide evidence of need for home ownership, only rented accommodation. Shared ownership homes do not necessarily go to 'local' people, but BDC residents, however BDC do usually look to the village first. The Clerk was asked to re-read to the meeting a resident's letter dated 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2016, which she did.

Following much discussion, it was noted that those parishioners present are concerned about: further flooding issues, extra traffic along a narrow road, there will be no benefit to the village from the housing, School places, the street scene (on the opposite side of the road they could only build bungalows), no 'need' has been shown for additional houses and Saffron are not sticking to what they said back in October 2013. Parish Councillors were unhappy that the electricity pole was moved after Saffron advised the cost of doing so was prohibitive. It was then agreed that the residents letter dated 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2016 should be sent to Saffron, with all the concerns raised above and a request that they defer putting in their planning application until a representative attends a Parish Council meeting to answer the issues raised. County Cllr D Roper advised that when the planning application is submitted he will ensure it is called in to Planning Committee. Twelve of the resident's present wanted it recorded that in their opinion 'the whole thing stinks'.

**b. Finance**

i) Accounts for payment

The following accounts were presented for payment and were approved:

Mrs K Medler (Expenses)	£77.25
HMR&C (PAYE)	£143.60
NALC (Annual subscription)	£224.74
TT Jones Electrical (Street lighting maintenance)	£40.16

The Clerks standing order will be paid on the 5<sup>th</sup> April 2017.

It was noted that with effect from the 1st April 2017 the Clerks salary will increase in line with the agreement made by the National Joint Council in May 2016.

The following receipts were noted:

Allotment rent	£65.00
Laurel Club refund of grant	£173.00

Balance at the bank now stands at £48,606.07.

ii) Financial Regulations

These were reviewed and amendments agreed.

**c. Parish Partnership Bid**

The Clerk advised the Councils bid was partially successful in that only one SAM2 sign has been approved. This is because the sign can only be in the same place for four weeks and not be put back there again for eight weeks. As we only have two sites we wish to cover one is enough. Stratton Strawless Parish Council no longer wish to share the signs so ideally, we need another site to cover the twelve week period so the sign is not sitting around idle for four weeks. The Clerk suggested The Heath and this was agreed (subject to Highways consent). Before signing the acceptance and sending a cheque we need to set up a team to manage the sign. Cllrs P Carrick and M Williamson agreed to be responsible for The Heath and Cllr G Crane agreed to cover The Street. Cllr A Ramsbottom will see if she can secure someone to cover Brick Kiln Road and report back at the next meeting.

**6. MATTERS TO REPORT**

**a. Correspondence**

The Clerk has received a letter from a resident concerning FP2 which runs from The Heath to the back of the School. As NCC are responsible for the footpaths, this has been forwarded onto them. The Chairman commented that he has looked at the path and feels just the hedge needs trimming back to allow clear access for walkers.

**b. Youth Advocate Report**

The Youth Group will be closed over Easter but they are looking at opening over the Summer again as it was so successful last year. The Chairman thanked Cllr A Ramsbottom for all her hard work with this.

**c. Village Hall Report**

The Hall is having a lot of trouble with dog fouling and as a result they have contacted Environmental Health. Posters will initially be put up but if they do not help BDC have said they will look at installing CCTV. Residents may have seen on Facebook that a few weeks ago, the Youth Group picked up a whole bin bag full of dog poo before allowing the children out. This is not acceptable and all residents are encouraged to report this behaviour to BDC, wherever in the village it occurs. To stop dogs using the Hall grounds would require a Public Space Order.

**d. Police Report**

Full details for January are on the website but four crimes were recorded. February and March figures are not yet available but PC G Shepherd has confirmed that the 'Police.uk' website will run two months behind. Our local PCSO is currently off on long term sick and is not being replaced so PC G Shepherd is covering things on his own.

#### e. County Councillors Report

The County Council is winding down leading up to the Elections. After the Elections, County Councillors will be given a £6000 budget for Highways in their areas – at present it is not clear how this will work. There is talk that this may be merged with the Parish Partnership Scheme in the future but with some County Councillors covering more Parishes than others, it is again unclear how this will work.

The sign on Town Corner has been raised as a visibility issue and whilst Highways have stated this sign has been in that position for many years, they are happy to move it onto the wall if the landowner agrees. The Clerk advised when she raised this with Highways she was referred to BDC. Cllr G Crane believes the sign has been moved back as it has new posts. Cllr D Roper asked that the Parish Council liaise with the land owner and highways to resolve.

#### 7. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Residents believe that speeding along the A140 is still an issue however as stated in the minutes from March 2017 'Highways have said they will consider a consultation on the speed limits once the full impact of the housing in Aylsham and the NDR is known'. For now, it seems, nothing more can be done.

**The meeting closed at 21:30**



HEVINGIVERS

**COFFEE MORNING**

BING AND BUY - CAKE SALE

TOMBOLA - RAFFLE

**WEDNESDAY 14 JUNE 9 - 12**

**AT 4 WESTGATE, HEVINGHAM**

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:  
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Are you in receipt of disability allowance?

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Please make a written application in confidence, by 15th November 2017 to any of the trustees below:

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David Faulkner, Barley Corn House, Halls Corner Lane, Hevingham, Norwich NR10 5NQ

Susan Jarvis, The Old Rectory, Cromer Road, Hevingham, Norwich NR10 5QU

Rev Margaret McPhee, The Rectory, 1b Gordon Godfrey Way, Horsford, Norwich NR10 3SG

Mervyn Williamson, Common Farm, The Heath, Hevingham, Norwich NR10 5QL



Secretary: Mrs Anthea Coldham, 4 Westgate, Hevingham, Norwich NR10 5NH  
Tel/Fax: 01603 754211-email [arcoldham@aol.com](mailto:arcoldham@aol.com)

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Hevingham Laurel Luncheon Club volunteers not only prepare and serve a hot lunch every last Wednesday of each month but also serve a hot meal twice weekly to your own home. If you know anyone requiring our service or would like to join our happy band of volunteers, please contact:  
Ann Medler 01603755224 – Anthea 754211 or Patsy 765753.

During a spot health / hygiene check by BDC Environment officer, I am pleased to report we once again we retained Grade 5 status for our services and the village hall kitchen. Thanks to Loral and Ann for their work and guidance, it is very much appreciated. Also, village hall committee / community chest grant for refurbishing the loop system.

**May 31. Laurel Big Lunch 2017** volunteers will hang bunting in celebration of bringing as we are expecting a magnificent turn out - our maximum of 60 members. On behalf of all the members I say in a BIG thank you to all OUR community volunteers, who put up and set tables, prepare, cook, serve and wash-up this celebration lunch. Rosie Wilks is booked for our entertainment. A grand raffle organised by Pat, Jan and Chris with profit going to Hevingivers for the new community project. (To be agreed at AGM Tuesday May 30.)

Looking forward to seeing you all at 4 Westgate for Hevingivers Bring and Buy coffee morning Wednesday 14 June 9-12 and Table top sale at the village hall on the morning Saturday 17 June.

#### **Village Hall Committee**

We join the community in thanking the retiring village hall committee and welcoming the new committee, we look forward to working and maintaining our very good relationship. Best wishes from Anthea and All at the Laurel Club.

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#### **Coffee Morning**

**Bring and buy – Cakes – Raffle – Tombola - Books**

**14th June 9 - 12**

**4 Westgate, Hevingham**

**All contributions received**

## **HEVINGHAM VILLAGE HALL**

It is with great pleasure that I can start this report by announcing that after the threats of closure to the Hall were addressed to the village in the last edition, we now have new people who are about to be voted onto the Committee at our AGM which takes place on Monday June 5<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm. This means the new positions of Chairman, Secretary and Booking Clerk will be taken up plus two new members. The meeting that was called in response to this which was held on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March was so disappointing with only one member of the community turning up, in desperation the word was put out on social media the next day which sparked much interest with people saying they did not know anything about the situation etc, well I have only been asking for these positions to be filled over the last 3 editions of the magazine!!!! Hevingham People Face book Page is obviously the way to go in the future as it turns out not many bother to read the Village Magazine, so if you are reading this then I do thank you very much. Much appreciation for the people who did come forward anyway and thanks to Anita and Abbi for helping get this off the ground.

Well Spring as passed by so quick and here comes Summer.....The Hall is very busy during the month of June with various fund-raising events, private Parties, a Wedding and the Polling Station and so on. It continues to be very popular and running smoothly.

Turning to the outside play area the result is so great to see, all complete now with the extra fencing done and the See Saw in place, think the youngsters are all HAPPY!!!. The Table Tennis Table from the Youth Group is still to be erected near the teen shelter.

But the big debate on dogs mess is still an on-going problem; this has been addressed with BDC on what best measures we can take. Posters were received about dog fouling stating that offending dog walkers were liable to prosecution and a maximum penalty of £1000 fine, these were put up but unfortunately they were ripped down, more discussion will take place at the next meeting.

Inside the hall the new automatic sensor lights have been fitted to the toilets and new ceiling fans which are lots better. A spring-clean of the kitchen has taken place and other area still need to be done. The Hall shall be closed for two weeks commencing 7<sup>th</sup> August for the main hall to be redecorated.

Finally, I would like to finish my last report by saying a huge big thank you to my colleague Jacqui who has been invaluable to the Committee and everyone that has been involved with us both throughout our many dedicated years. We wish the new Committee Members and the Hall all the best for the future.

Wishing you all a very happy summer time.

C. Medler

(Chairman to Hevingham Village Hall) 755355(still at present)

**FROM JULY NEW BOOKING CLERK SHALL BE JULIE ELIA... TEL: 01603 754660**

## **HEVINGHAM LADIES CLUB**

Hevingham Ladies Club meet the third Wednesday of the month in the best room of the Village Hall at 7.30pm. We are not a W.I. as people label us but a small friendly group who get together as a social fun gathering. Each month members take it in turn to stage their night and produce whatever they choose and provide refreshments and raffle. The number is usually between 15 and 20 ladies. The evenings vary from speakers got in, quiz nights, bingo, crafts or even a visit to the Theatre or any other outside adventure.

Anyone wishing to join our little club is most welcome to come along and do so. If you would like to attend any of the monthly meetings at any time as a guest then you are most welcome at a charge of £2.50 which includes refreshments. As we don't actually have anyone as our leader and you require further information then Caroline on 01603 755355 would be willing to speak to you. In January we arranged our monthly events for the year, these are written below. We have just held the February meeting which was Bingo and a most enjoyable night was had by the 19 who attended. In *March we attended the performance of Guys & Dolls at Aylsham High Show, yet another thrilling evening. In April we were given a slide show and talk on how Norwich Union started, it was so interesting and lovely to see all the nostalgic photographs of how Norwich used to look. We have just had a May meeting at the Debut Restaurant at the City College where the catering students are trained; the 3 courses were all delicious.* So join our friendly little Club, a chance for you ladies that wish to get more social and have little more to look forward to in your lives.

Wishing you all a very Happy Summertime.

### **FUTURE MEETINGS**

June 21st - TBC  
July 19<sup>th</sup> – Peggy's Pickles  
Sep 20<sup>th</sup> – Photo Show  
Oct 18<sup>th</sup> – Trip to Springfield's Shopping Outlet  
Nov 15<sup>th</sup> – Quiz Night  
Dec 7<sup>th</sup> – Xmas Dinner

### **HOPE TO SEE SOME NEW FACES**



### **Hevingham Gospel Hall**

Sunday Services 6:30 pm

When I look at the flowers in our garden I am amazed at the colours, shapes and sizes and how they all grow because they have life; something we can't give them. Man has done wonderful things in the last 100 years - putting people on the moon, the advance in aeroplanes, computers, mobile phones and emails. All this has happened in my lifetime, the Bible says in the last days' man's knowledge will increase greatly but man cannot give life to anything, we can set the seed but if God hadn't given it life it wouldn't grow and we cannot make it grow. Jesus fed 5000 people with 5 loaves of bread and 2 small fish, something his disciples could not do but he told them to do what they could do by giving it out to people. Jesus died on the cross to bring us forgiveness, something we couldn't do for ourselves, but we must do our part if we want to be forgiven we must repent and ask God to forgive us and trust in what Jesus did when he paid the penalty for our sins on the cross. The question is, have we sincerely asked God to forgive us? He will not turn us away, if we have there won't be anyone in heaven who hasn't been forgiven.

God bless,  
Keith & Ann Medler

## Rector's Ramblings! Summer Experiment!

! Bright sunshine, hot weather, Barbeques and generally a time to get out and enjoy the weather. It certainly brings a smile and a chance to see the new grow. I've spent 7 months seeing new things, asking the "why" question and asking people to think about things in a new light. This has led to a new pattern of services which we're trailing for 4 months from the 4 June, with the PCC reviewing this all in September. Services will be every week at 11 am other than the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month when the Hevingham Congregation will join with Felthorpe and Horsford for a Benefice (parishes together) service at one of the churches at 10.30am. There will also be occasional Benefice services for special occasions. We have a special celebration on the 18 June at 10.30am when we celebrate St Botolph, one of the saints the church is named after. Come and hear all about him and what we can learn from the example of his life.

**June:** 4<sup>th</sup> All Age worship, informal style

11<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, Communion service

18<sup>th</sup> Celebrating St Botolph, including Communion

**July:** 2<sup>nd</sup>, All Age Worship

9<sup>th</sup> Communion

16<sup>th</sup>, celebrating Rural Ministry: Morning Praise

23<sup>rd</sup> Benefice Service at Felthorpe Church, celebrating St Margaret of Antioch

30<sup>th</sup>, Benefice Service at Horsford, with a speaker from Mission Aviation Fellowship

**August:** 6<sup>th</sup>, All Age Worship

13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>, Communion

20<sup>th</sup> Morning Praise

The church will also be open for a **Hevingham History exhibition** on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August and Saturday 12 to Sunday 13 August. Saturday open 10am to 4pm and Sunday 12 noon to 4pm. Do come along and take a look. Refreshments will be available.

**Easter:** We had a great time at Easter. Easter Saturday was good fun with Revds. Penny and Garry organising with help from the congregation an Easter Experience. Families attended to walk the Easter story, take part in an Easter Egg hunt and made a beautiful Easter garden. Photos are on the Hevingham Parish News Facebook page if you want take a look. For the harder we had a Sonrise service at sunrise, 6.30pm! It was followed by Hot Cross Buns. We then had a celebration of new life with a baptism at our main Easter Sunday service. It was a wonderful day of celebration.

### **What's happening about the church roof?**

You may be asking. Well, there is much happening behind the scenes with grant applications continuing. I am delighted to say we received another £1000 grant towards the installation of the roof alarm which means £2,000 of the cost of the £5,500 of installing the alarm has been covered.

I mentioned in the last magazine we were seeking 3 quotes from contractors to repair the roof. We're still waiting for a final quote before the PCC can make the decision on who to move ahead with. It is still looking like a £35,000 bill but I will update on the Hevingham Parish Facebook page as we get the specifics. This leaves £15,500 for us to raise. We continue to pray and give thanks for the money received and hopefully to come in.

### **Website: [www.horsfordbenefice.co.uk](http://www.horsfordbenefice.co.uk) is coming soon!**

The Benefice will be launching a website on the 10 June at the Cheese and Wine evening (non-alcoholic drinks and pate available) being held in Horsford Village Hall. If you like to come along, tickets are £10, in advance from Pat Wright 9898634), Carolyn Giles (710737) or Rosemary Frost (483133). Do look at it; we'll be keeping our news up to date on it.

Looking afresh at ourselves and what we do always helps us to move on. God is there in the middle of it all, encouraging us and being alongside us, whatever is happening. Where there is new life, so there is growth. I pray you have a great summer and I look forward to seeing you around the village.

Every blessing,  
Revd Margaret



# Norfolk County Council

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4	CAWSTON	10:30	11:00	NORWICH ROAD (Opp No.7)	NR10 4ER
6	CAWSTON	11:05	11:30	MARKET PLACE	NR10 4BG
8	CAWSTON	11:35	11:55	GAYFORD ROAD	NR10 4AU
10	FELTHORPE	12:05	12:20	HOLT ROAD - No.28	NR10 4DD
12	STRATTON STRAWLESS	12:30	12:45	WOODLAND FARM DEVELOPMENT CAR PARK	NR10 5NU
14	HEVINGHAM	14:00	14:10	HEATHFIELD	NR10 5QL
16	HEVINGHAM	14:15	14:35	MALT & HOPS EX PUB	NR10 5QW
18	HEVINGHAM	14:40	14:50	NELSON WAY	NR10 5PB
20	HEVINGHAM	14:55	15:05	HALL CORNER	NR10 5NQ
22	HEVINGHAM	15:10	15:20	POUND ROAD	NR10 5NB
24	MARSHAM	15:30	15:45	LE-NEVE ROAD	NR10 5PY
26	MARSHAM	15:50	16:05	WATHEN WAY	NR10 5PZ

#### Date of Next Visit

19-Dec-16		03-Jul-17
16-Jan-17	x8	31-Jul-17
13-Feb-17		25-Sep-17
13-Mar-17		23-Oct-17
<b>x6</b>	10-Apr-17	20-Nov-17
<b>x6</b>	22-May-17	18-Dec-17

## Hevingham Youth Group

The youth group has been open now for nearly 2 years in September with 50-60 children coming every week. So I thought I would ask them to write down what they like about the youth group, and here are their comments and some photos of them enjoying the new equipment they absolutely love the new swing and witches hat that have been installed and the safety with the new fencing all around the play area, so a thank-you to the parish council for helping with the funding and a massive thank-you to Jackie Norton who has worked really hard working with me, Taylar and Dani to make it all happen. Where would we be without our fantastic volunteers, Ally, Sarah, Jane in the kitchen. Dawn, Esther and Louise keeping a watchful eye and a listening ear as they walk around, and of course our step in volunteers Jo, Steph, Rachel who always help at last minute requests, we are very lucky and grateful to have you all.



Many thanks Taylar, Anita and Dani



I like coming here because there's lots of stuff to play on

Kizzi....age 7

I like playing with my friends

Harriet....age 6

I like the playground outside because I can spend private time with my friends

Ruby....age 8

I think it is very cool and is a great youth group

Evan....age 7

I love coming because I get to play with my friends and make new ones and I don't dislike anything

Elise....age 10

I think its AWSOME!

Seamus....age 10

The activities

Alesha....age 12

I think youth club should have more zorbs but apart from that youth club is great fun.

Josh....age 11

It's a great place to make friends

Charlie....age 11

Make cheaper food but keep all of it. Have a bouncy castle

Alex....age 11

It's a nice and fun place to go on a Thursday night

Georgina....age 11

I like it because you get to do lots of fun things and you get food

Freya....age 9

I really like it because it's a place where we can not think of school

Maisie....age 11

Tickets are available from Karen 07826 554781.  
All Proceeds will be donated to charity

**Glamtastics...**

**A2D..**

**Agent Orange...**

**Lithium ...**

**Enigma ...**

**Pirate Radio...**

**Desperados...**

**Jessie & Helen...**

**Renedeans... What's up...**

**Mighty Guevaras ...**

**midnite flyers country rock band**

**SATURDAY  
5TH  
AUGUST**

at Hevingham Village Hall  
Gates Open at 11.30am and Bands start at 12pm

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