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AUGUST 2017



## HOLIDAY CLUB

Monday 7th – Friday 11th August

10.00am – 12.30pm

Hintlesham Community Hall

*Come with your friends and have lots of fun at  
our annual Holiday Club*

*We are returning to the City of Ancora this year  
as Treasure Seekers*

**Family picnic on playing field 12.30pm on Friday 11th**

**Celebration service at Hintlesham Church  
9.30am on Sunday 13th**

Daily: £4, Week £18, Family week (3 or more) £40  
(cheques made payable to Hint & Chatt PCC)

To save time, registration forms can be downloaded in advance  
from the village website.

Any offers of help to  
Cris Langton (652357) or Cathy Leney (652123)



Hintlesham & Chattisham Community Hall  
To book the Hall or Meeting Room  
'phone Richard on 652662

To arrange a wedding, baptism or funeral  
please contact Jenny Cox 652466.

**Parish Clergy:**

The Revds Tim and Trish French

**Tel: 658803. Email: [revsff@gmail.com](mailto:revsff@gmail.com)**

Facebook:

Hintlesham and Chattisham Churches



**DOUBLE WHAMMY!**

A Very Happy Birthday to Jenny Cox who  
celebrates a significant decade this month  
*and ...*

Many congratulations to Jenny and Mac  
on their Golden Wedding Anniversary

**Music For A Summer Evening -  
16th June**

A big thank you on behalf of The Friends  
of Hintlesham & Chattisham Churches to  
all those who helped make the Hadleigh  
Choral Society's summer concert a big  
success. The weather was perfect and when  
combined with a lovely program of modern  
and traditional music made the evening go  
with a swing.

Thank you especially to Julia Woolley,  
Julia Faulds, Jill Warner and Angela Belli  
and many others for all their help with food  
preparation, and Jenny Cox and Richard  
for all their assistance in the build up at the  
Church and the Hall.

The Concert raised over £500 towards the  
Churches Restoration Fund.

Finally thank you to the Hadleigh Choral  
Society and their singers for all their hard  
work and for producing a great performance  
on the night.

**Peter Hollis**



***From the Registers***

Hintlesham Baptism: Joni Wil Brown

**ROOF TILES NEEDED FOR  
ST NICHOLAS CHURCH,  
HINTLESHAM**

We are pleased to be able to welcome  
everyone to our lovely medieval church. It  
is a particular joy to welcome those of you  
who choose to marry here, to have your  
children baptised or return family members  
to rest in our peaceful churchyard.

Unfortunately these opportunities are at risk  
because the roof is in need of repair. We  
are close to our target for the repair work  
but need your help to cover a shortfall of  
£10,000.

Please would you buy a roof tile (or more  
than one!), at £10 each, to help save this  
historic building which holds so many  
memories of village life.

Cheques should be made payable to:  
**Hintlesham and Chattisham Church  
Restoration Fund** and if you wish to gift  
aid, please ask us for a form.

**Churchwardens:**

Jenny Cox 652466 / Cathy Leney 652123

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## NOTES FROM THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE COMMUNITY HALL ON THURSDAY 13<sup>th</sup> July 2017 at 7.30 pm

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Present at the meeting were 10 Parish Councillors, County Councillor Christopher Hudson, District Councillors Barry Gasper and Nick Ridley and 4 members of the public. Apologies for absence were received from Chris Leney.

**Babergh Association of Parish & Town Councils;** This group was formed 12 months ago due to a general dissatisfaction with the decisions taken by Babergh District Council's officers and members, and the adverse effect they were having on local residents. A local example would be a recent planning application that was described in a submission by Ward Councillor Barry Gasper as against every national and local planning policy, and yet was still passed by the Case Officer and the Planning Committee. Now that over 20 Councils, including the major population centres of Lavenham, East Bergholt and Hadleigh, have joined the group, it was felt that a constitution should be drawn up to formalise its aims and powers.

The Parish Council voted unanimously to approve the Constitution, which will be available to view on the village website in due course.

**Babergh District Council** is still on target to move to Endeavour House, in Ipswich, later in the year. Their new single contact landline number is 0300 1234000, then select any of the 7 options available to you. Good luck with that!

Both the **Annual Church Fete and the School Strawberry Fayre** were held recently, and unlike previous years, the sun shone and oilskins and sou'westers were definitely not required. As is usual, our community turned out in numbers to support and enjoy these events, and just over £5300 was jointly raised to benefit local good causes.

The Minutes of the July Parish Council Meeting will be available on our excellent Village website: [www.hintleshamandchattisham.onesuffolk.net](http://www.hintleshamandchattisham.onesuffolk.net)

**Peter Eaton 19th July 2017**

There will be no regular Parish Council meeting in August, although a provisional date of 24th August has been set should a meeting be required to discuss the MUGA (see below) and/or planning applications.



### 200 CLUB – JULY

£40	D Pearce, Hintlesham	226
£30	P Archer, Chattisham	243
£20	N Hunting, Hintlesham	209
£15	A Martin, Hintlesham	154
£15	M Downes Martin, Hintlesham	464



### MUGA – Release of S106 funds and progress report

A successful application to Viridor has resulted in £30k being granted. The planning application has been approved with conditions on lights and cycle stands. Altogether there is £75,000 available in funds. The project needs to be started within six months otherwise the grant from Viridor will be lost. There was a discussion regarding the project, the business plan and revenue streams were all talked about.

The ongoing maintenance costs and long-term costs were also discussed. The next step will be the MUGA committee getting back together and putting a business plan in place and referring to the parish council at a possible extraordinary meeting in August. If a meeting is held it will be posted on website and notice boards.

# Hintlesham Community Council

I feel it might be timely to give everyone an update on what is happening under the umbrella of the Hintlesham Community Council.

We want our community to shape what we offer, benefit from what is provided, and, if ability and time permits, contribute to sustain and develop what we have. Before becoming Chairman of the Community Council, I must confess that, despite living in the village for over thirty years, I hadn't given it much consideration. My new role has made me think much more about our facilities and we are now working on numerous new initiatives.

Let's start with what the Community Council manages on your behalf of the villages:

## **Woodland area**

Bordered by the A1071, Timperleys and the Community Hall, there is a lovely Woodland Area, managed and maintained by a Woodland Group, chaired by Ali Martin.

The Group are holding an event on 6th August to promote the Woodland Area, and we would be delighted if you could come along. There is an article in the Link with more detail.

## **Hintlesham Community Hall**

The Hall comprises a meeting room, an events/sports hall, a kitchen and a bar, and there is free Wi-Fi. We host many clubs including yoga, darts, bowls, badminton, through to offering a bundled service for weddings. However, we recognise that the events room has its limitations. e.g. the acoustics are poor, and the high ceiling (for badminton) does not provide an intimate atmosphere. If anyone has any acoustic engineering skills/interest, please get in touch; we are very keen to engage with you!

The Bar area is quite small but footings for an extension were put in place when the hall was built; we are considering extending the bar area, to upgrade and improve facilities and the general ambience. We are very keen for any budding architects, designers, furnishers to help with this initiative.

We should also like to improve the Hall externally, looking at the planting and fencing, opening up the area to make the Hall more visible, with a better image.

Outside the hall we have ample parking, benches, and a children's play area. The car park houses bottle and paper banks which generate an annual income in excess of £1,000 for us; so please keep - or start - using them.

## **Playing Fields**

We maintain a playing field in each village. Sadly, village football is no longer played at Hintlesham, although the changing room hut still exists and we are looking at its future purpose. Recently we were delighted that the School hosted its sports day on the playing field, and we should like to see how we can increase the usage of this excellent facility.

Hopefully you are aware of the plans to put a Multi User Games Area (MUGA) on the Hintlesham playing field. This will provide additional sports facilities for us; the funding is largely in place, and planning permission has been approved. The working group, chaired by John Whyman, are progressing this initiative and if you are interested in getting involved, or want to know more, John would be delighted to hear from you, just email [info@hc17rd20.plus.com](mailto:info@hc17rd20.plus.com).

As you can imagine it takes a lot of effort to keep our facilities in good shape and to additionally improve them. This is undertaken both by volunteers and paid help and we are always looking for people to get involved and participate.

### **How can you help?**

One of our key objectives is to improve communication between ourselves and the community. We would like to make more use of the internet, so if you would like to receive emails about events and general updates, please email me @ [info@hc17rd20.plus.com](mailto:info@hc17rd20.plus.com) and we will include you in our communications. This will only be used to keep you informed about village events, and will not be provided to anyone else.

- Helen Rogerson and I have spoken about possible improvements to the current website and she is very happy for new blood to come in to revamp, and possibly manage the website. Please let me know if you are interested in helping.
- Are there any budding designers, graphic artist in our midst? Again, I'd love to hear from you.
- Any media students wanting to help promote what we do would be most welcome.
- Let me know if you are happy to give up some time, or you have a skill we can utilise. We have a range of projects on the go, requiring lots of help, and enthusiastic volunteers. We could do with electricians, plumbers, general handy people, gardeners, project managers, book keepers, painters, architects, designers, tea makers, cake makers – we can find a job for anyone, believe me! It would be a great way to contribute and be involved in the community so please don't be shy, come and help.
- Join the 200 Club which gives you a chance to win a cash prize, simply email [info@hc17rd20.plus.com](mailto:info@hc17rd20.plus.com) for more details
- Join the Social Club, the annual subscription for a single member is £5, and for a family £12.

We would love to hear your suggestions as to what we should be doing, what we should offer. As I said earlier we are very keen for you to help and be involved in any way you can.

## **IT'S OUR COMMUNITY – LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO IMPROVE IT**

Tym Moore

Chairperson of Hintlesham Community Council

Tel: 01473 652605

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## Bowls Club



### AGM

24th August, 8.00pm, Meeting Room  
Would like to see you. **JM**

### Summer Bowls

Our season continues to be successful with good results:

Nayland	8	Hint & Chatt	2
Hint & Chatt	8	Sproughton	2
Hint & Chatt	8	Stratford St Mary	2
Hint & Chatt	6	Polstead	4
Sproughton	8	Hint & Chatt	2
Bramford	7	Hint & Chatt	3



**HALL LUNCH at The George**  
**Thursday August 17th,**  
**12-12.30pm - John 652560**

## Tuesday Circle



"Didn't we have a lovely time the day we went to Bangor?" Well, we didn't get to Bangor, but we had a really "lovely" time the evening we all went to Felixstowe.

It was perfect summer weather, the fish and chips were delicious, we had a very original quiz, which provoked a lot of discussion and laughter, and then some of us enjoyed a walk along the front and in the gardens. A memorable evening. Many thanks to all involved in organising it.

The title for next month's talk is "There is nothing like a Dame!" when speakers Horry and Sue Parsons will talk about their experiences from a life in amateur dramatics. This is on the 1st August.

NO WALK THIS MONTH! Hope you are all having a great Summer, we will meet up again in September.

## Walking Group



## DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) Duke Street, Hintlesham



I am very pleased to inform everyone that we have managed to raise enough money to purchase an AED for the telephone box in Duke Street, Hintlesham. Many thanks to the following businesses and clubs for supporting this project - without their help we would still be fund raising.

The George, Hintlesham

Atlantic Springs

Tuesday Circle

Hadleigh Thrift Shop

Hadleigh & Boxford Medical Practice Charitable Trust

Hintlesham & Chattisham Community Council

Forge Garage, Hintlesham

Hintlesham Golf Club

Hintlesham Bowls Club

Hintlesham Garden Club

**Thank you ALL once again.**



**Stephanie Coupland, Chair Parish Council**

# WOODLAND PLAY DAY

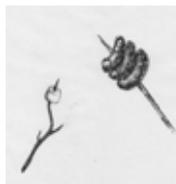
In the Community Woodland (*opposite the Church*)  
Hintlesham

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August – 3pm onwards**

(Free parking in Community Hall car park, just off A1071)

Families and friends are invited  
for an afternoon of den building and camp-fire cooking,  
Hot dogs and Marshmallows will be provided!  
Children under the age of 14 must be accompanied by an adult.

Please let Ali Martin know if you would like to come  
on 01473 652552; email: [alice.martin61@btinternet.com](mailto:alice.martin61@btinternet.com)



If you want to have a go at stick sharpening to cook sausages, bring a penknife. Potato peelers will be provided for little ones; and if you prefer to sit on something other than a log, please bring a chair!

*We look forward to welcoming you to see what's happening  
down in the woods!* □

## COFFEE STOP and DISCOVERY GROUP CHANGES ARE AFOOT!

After 2 happy years of meeting together on alternate Friday mornings there will be changes in September to Coffee Stop & Discovery Group.

Coffee Stop will move to 2nd & 4th Wednesday mornings. Discovery Group is broadening its outreach to a wider after-school age group which will meet from 3:30-5.00pm every Friday afternoon during term time starting on 8th of September. More information will be in September Link so watch this space.

## SOCIAL CLUB – EVENTS

**BINGO – 7.30pm, Community Hall**

August 25th, September 29th, October 20th, November 24th  
and December 22nd Christmas Bingo



**HORSE RACING AT CHELMSFORD**

**Thursday 31st August**

Names please to Neville at bar in Social Club by August 11th

## WHAT'S ON - AUGUST 2017

Tuesday 1st	Tuesday Circle, 7.30pm, Community Hall
Sunday 6th	Woodland Play Day, from 3.00pm, Community Hall
Mon 7th-Fri 11th	Holiday Club, 10.00am-12.30pm, Community Hall
Friday 11th	Holiday Club family picnic, 12.30pm, Playing Field
Sunday 13th	Holiday Club Celebration service, 9.30am, St Nicholas
Thursday 17th	Hall lunch, 12.00-12.30pm, The George
Thursday 24th	Parish Council meeting (prov), 7.30pm. Community Hall
Thursday 24th	Bowls Club AGM, 8.00pm, Community Hall
Friday 25th	Bingo, 7.30pm, Community Hall

### CHURCH SERVICES FOR AUGUST

<u>Trinity 8</u> (Proper 13) 9.30 a.m.	<u>Parish Eucharist</u> OT: Isaiah 55: 1-5 NT: Romans 9: 1-5 Gosp: Matthew 14: 13-21	6 August Chattisham
<u>Trinity 9</u> (Proper 14) 9.30 a.m.	<u>Holiday Club Family Service</u> Gosp: Matthew 14: 22-33	13 August Hintlesham
<u>Trinity 10</u> (Proper 15) 10.00 a.m.	<u>Family Communion</u> OT: Isaiah 56: 1, 6-8 NT: Romans 11: 1-2a; 29-32 Gosp: Matthew 15: (10-20) 21-28	20 August Kersey
<u>Trinity 11</u> (Proper 16) 9.30 a.m.	<u>Morning Worship</u> OT: Isaiah 51: 1-6 NT: Romans 12: 1-8 Gosp: Matthew 16: 13-20	27 August Hintlesham

### AND NEXT MONTH:

<u>Trinity 12</u> (Proper 17) 9.30 a.m.	<u>Parish Eucharist</u> OT: Jeremiah 15: 15-21 NT: Romans 12: 9 to end Gosp: Matthew 16: 21 to end	3 September Chattisham
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