



Hintlesham & Chattisham

THE VILLAGE LINK

JANUARY 2022



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NEW NAME! -- NEW NIGHT! -- NEW VENUE!

The Same Friendly Community Group

Born from WI 19 Years Ago

Informal Evening Meetings

on the First Thursday of the Month

in H&C Community Centre Main Hall

Varied Speakers - Charity Fund Raising Events-Visits – Suppers - Friendship - Cake too!

Membership £20 per year or £3.50 for guests

Come and Join Us and Make New Friends

For more information contact:-

Hilary- 652109 Wendy - 652585

Annie - 07845 940533



Hintlesham & Chattisham Community Hall
To book the Hall or Meeting Room 'phone
Richard on 07497 292699 (9.00am – 9.00pm only)

To talk about a
wedding, baptism or funeral,
please contact the
Vicar, Rev Jackson,
at rev@kind.church
01473 657349
www.kind.church/handc

The village website address is: www.hintleshamandchattisham.onesuffolk.net



Advent Boxes

Thank you so much for
preparing Advent Boxes for FIND
Please would you deliver yours to 39
Timperleys on January 11th or 12th.
I can collect 652466
Jenny

Friends of Hintlesham & Chattisham Churches Golf Day

Peter Hollis writes...

Next year's Charity Golf Day is to take place
at Hintlesham Golf Club on Monday 28th
March. This friendly day of golf is open
to golfers of all standards and abilities
competing in teams of four.

For entry forms please contact
Peter Hollis pjhollis20@gmail.com -
01473 652566



Chattisham Church maintenance

The Chattisham churchwardens would like
to thank everyone who has contributed to
maintaining the church throughout the year.
Mowing, strimming, cleaning and flower
arranging is all done by volunteers and we
are very grateful to them.

On Saturday 5th February we will be
holding an open day working party both
inside and outside the church. We want
to ... peel flaking paint off the walls, clean
cobwebs from the awkward corners, clean
the windows, clear up the area behind the
organ, etc etc ... as well as tidying up the
graveyard. If you could give up even an hour
or two between 9am and 4pm we would love
to see you. Please bring any tools you can,
but if you can't we will have some equipment
there that you can use.

A little help goes a long way!

Many thanks, Mark Walters & Margaret Engle

Chattisham animal and bird world throughout November

By Pat & Bryan Sandford

Very little has changed during November in the Animal World. We have been reminded about grey squirrels and they can be a pest in any garden. They do love walnuts and we have trees to prove it. One of our squirrels is nearly an albino – almost white.



The bird feeding tables are full and sparrows have made a good comeback. We hardly ever see a woodpecker but counted fourteen blue tits roosting in one spot.

We are overrun by starlings at present but a very poor year for breeding swallows, house martins and swifts. However, we still hear our favourite bird, the owl. Loss of habitat and no improvement on numbers but we still hear the little owls calling every night. Have been asked to mention a large wasps' nest, as they are about very late this year.

Just breaking away, we have a lot of dogs on leads, walkers making their way through this very long village, plus horse riders and cyclists along the designated route. To all vehicles travelling through, please keep to the 30 mph speed limit to protect us and our wildlife.

BOWLS CLUB

Frank Wilkin reports...

Another year gone but better than the last. Bowls going very well at the moment with two excellent wins over Belstead and Bentley, putting us top of the league at present. Let us hope we can complete the league matches this season but it is not looking very good at present time.

The results of last matches:-
Hintlesham & Chattisham 8 - 2 Belstead;
Hintlesham & Chattisham 8 - 2 Bentley



T Circle

The December Meeting was our long-awaited Christmas Meal at Hintlesham Golf Club. Whilst happily wearing our Santa party hats, we enjoyed a very sociable evening with excellent food and Secret Santa gifts.

We start the New Year with the Soup and Sweet lunch at 1.00pm on Thursday, 6th January 2022 in the Community Hall. Dieting can commence after this annual event.

Membership Subscriptions of £20 for 2022 will be collected at our meeting on Thursday, 3rd February at 7.30pm.

The February meeting is an 'Open Meeting', with Justin Kett of Fork Deli in Hadleigh, demonstrating and speaking on his cookery inspirations. Feel free to bring along friends and neighbours to join us, guests £3.50.

Looking forward to seeing you all and welcoming new members in 2022.

Contact Hilary 652109 Annie 07845 940533



Calendar for January:
Club nights start on 5th January 2022
every Wednesday evening at Hintlesham
Community Centre.

13th January Chelmondiston Home

20th January Harkstead Home

Happy Christmas and New Year everybody.

Contact Frank 652506

SESAW NEWS

Christmas may be over but here's a true story, worthy of the Panto season.

Once upon a time, two little dogs named Gypsy and Sam arrived at SESA. Years passed, Gypsy became arthritic and the volunteers despaired of them ever being rehomed because the duo disliked all other dogs.

Fortunately, the reprobates won the heart of one lady who succumbed to their dubious charms. The two little girls did go for the ball when Rachel took them home to play with her dogs including one that was equally reactive to other mutts. She also gave Gypsy a new lease of life with a set of Winston's Wheels which enabled her to walk, run and frolic with the pack. (There are photos and videos of them on our website and Facebook pages.)

Winston's Wheels is a registered charity and Rachel's canine wheelchairs enhance the lives of hundreds of other dogs. Email rachelcansell@icloud.com for more information.

Rachel will join us at our Easter Fair in Long Melford on Sunday 3rd April, Covid restrictions permitting. Unwanted Christmas presents gladly received, to sell or use as Raffle prizes. Please leave donations at SESA, clearly marked "For Easter Fair" or phone to arrange collection.

We welcome enquires from anyone looking for a new four legged friend. If you can bring some magic into a difficult dog's life, please leave a phone message or email.

Suffolk & Essex Small Animal Welfare, Registered Charity No.1124029, Stoke Road, Leavenheath, CO6 4PP. Tel: 01787 210888 www.sesaw.co.uk



BABY SITTING
By Amelia May
Text or Call
Trained in First Aid
Tel: 07547 922570

Hintlesham & Chattisham Community Council Events 2022



2022 UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY
COMMUNITY BREAKFAST
SUNDAY 16TH
GAMES NIGHT
SATURDAY 29TH

FEBRUARY
CASH BINGO
SATURDAY 12TH
COMMUNITY BREAKFAST
SUNDAY 20TH

MARCH
GREEK NIGHT
SATURDAY 5TH

APRIL
GRAND NATIONAL 'LIVE' EVENT
SATURDAY 9TH
EASTER CELEBRATION
SATURDAY 16TH

MAY
FAMILY QUIZ
SATURDAY 7TH

JUNE
QUEEN'S JUBILEE CELEBRATION
FRIDAY 3RD

JULY
NO EVENTS CURRENTLY
FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK TO KEEP UPDATED

AUGUST
NO EVENTS CURRENTLY
FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK TO KEEP UPDATED

SEPTEMBER
BARN DANCE
DATE TBC

OCTOBER
OKTOBERFEST
SATURDAY 8TH
HALLOWEEN PARTY
SATURDAY 29TH

NOVEMBER
QUIZ NIGHT
SATURDAY 12TH
WORLD CUP EVENTS
DATE(S) TBC

DECEMBER
CHRISTMAS DRAW
FRIDAY 23RD

MORE EVENTS MAY BE ADDED THROUGH THE YEAR

IT IS POSSIBLE THAT DATES MAY BE CHANGED NEARER THE TIME IF CIRCUMSTANCES FORCE RESCHEDULING

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/1364886073658>
HINTLESHAM AND CHATTISHAM COMMUNITY COUNCIL FACEBOOK PAGE

Notes from the Hintlesham and Chattisham Parish council meeting held on Thursday 11th November 2021

The meeting was opened by the Chair Mr Les Cole at 7.30pm, the previous minutes were approved.

Councillor Busby's Report

The virtual High Street initiative is proving very successful with some 350 local businesses advertising their products. Discounts are available and this site can be found at www.virtualhighstreet.uk

The consultation on the proposed Capel interchange is happening now. Information can be found at

<https://highwaysengland.citizenspace.com/he/a14-j55-copdock-public-consultation>

This site shows the proposals, when and where public meetings are taking place and how to provide comment.

Planning

DC/21/05767 Tree Works

It was unanimously agreed to approve the application for tree work on an Ash tree with a preservation order, this work includes the removal of lower branches encroaching on power lines.

DC/21/05755

Erection of one dwelling and vehicular access within the grounds of Red House Farm Duke Street. The parish council objects to this application on the grounds that it considers it to be "Backfill" and over development of the site.

DC/21/05756

No objection was raised to this application to change the use of farmland into a tennis court, gardens and the building of a cart lodge.

Other matters

A new defibrillator has been purchased for the community hall. This new piece of equipment is suitable to be used on all age groups. The council thought it was imperative with all the activity around the community centre that a multi age defibrillator was essential. The existing equipment will be sited elsewhere in the village.

The issue of foliage growing over footpaths was raised causing restrictions on the pavement leading adults and children to have to step onto a busy road to avoid it.

These notes, written by Jim Hammond, are his personal interpretation of the meeting. Full minutes will be published on the Village website.

Chattisham and Hintlesham Parish Council Meeting held Thursday 9th December 2021 at 7.30pm in the Meeting Room at Community Hall

There were 12 Parish Councillors and 2 members of the public present.

Apologies had been received from Cllr David Busby.

A member of the public reported that here had not been a Police speed check in the village since our last meeting. He is to check why this has not been done.

Another member asked who was responsible for cutting the verges opposite Red House Farm, Duke Street. Following a discussion regarding this matter, Mr. J. Bostock offered to clear the edges. (This was done the next day)

The Chairman and Mr Peter Eaton had attended the consultation in Hadleigh regarding proposed planning for 350 houses in the Hook Lane area. This is a very large development which would affect the traffic in Pond Hall Road and Duke Street.

This has not gone to planning as yet, if and when it does the Parish Council will be making a strong objection, especially regarding the traffic problem.

Police Forum

Mrs Diane Chase had attended the Police Forum,

where Parishes can voice their concerns. She reported the following figures to the meeting which we found very interesting.

During October Suffolk had 31,000 calls including:

9,500 emergencies

16 gun deployments

11,000 domestic violence etc.

500 mental health issues.

In the west Ipswich/Hadleigh area there has been a 29% reduction in neighbourhood crime including a 13% reduction of domestic issues and 8.5% reduction in sexual crimes.

Precept for 2022/23

The Clerk presented a draft account for this year's Precept request.

It was agreed once again to pay grants to the Community Council for grass cutting of Hintlesham Playing Field and a grant to go towards paying for the hire of the Community Hall for the Hall Lunch. Other items such as the Village Link, Insurance and several other items which the PC agree to every year. The final Precept amount will be agreed at the January 2022 meeting.

National Grid Update

Mr Peter Eaton gave the following report:

Bramford to Twinstead Update:

Chris Leney, who has had several recent meetings with National Grid in his role as representative of local landowners, reports that National Grid intend to start their Statutory Consultation on January 25th 2022.

At the same time, they will release details of what they call the "soft" route of the 3rd pylon line to come out of the Bramford sub station.

Sizewell C Update:

Further to my recent report on the proposed Sizewell C Nuclear Reactor, it has been announced that the cause of the reactor in Taisin, China, which has recently been taken out of service, is due to a design flaw in the reactor pressure vessel.

This is the same design as the reactor currently under construction at Hinkley Point and as the proposed reactor at Sizewell C.

Insurance

The Chairman and 3 other Councillors met to look at the Parish Council's Insurance.

They discussed all the assets the Council has and made sure everything was well covered.

Planning

DC/21/05992 - Erection of 5no. dwellings following demolition of 5no barns, Red House Farm, Duke Street IP8 3PW

The Parish Council objected to this application as it is back fill development and not now permitted development as previously approved. There are now no affordable housing options within the new plan and therefore not meeting a need within the village.

DC/21/06186 Householder application - erection of 3 bay cart lodge with study above, including alterations to driveway - Street Farm, George Street, IP8 3NH.

No objections

DC/21/06349 Change of use of agricultural land to equestrian use, erection of hay store, construction of extension to main house, swimming pool and landscaping - Thorpe Farm, Washbrook Road, IP8 3NW

No objections

DC/21/06539 Application for Outline Planning Permission, (access to be considered) Erection of 5no dwellings with associated cart lodges and parking. - Land East of Clay Hill, Hintlesham, IP8 The Parish Council objected to this application for the following reasons:

The proposed site is located directly under electricity pylons, it is outside the Village envelope and not an allocated site. Babergh District Council has already met its 5 year housing supply commitment, so there are no further housing needs.

DC/21/06619 Householder Application - Erection of rear Porch and replace windows with timber framed slimline double glazed widows - Street Farm, George Street, IP8 3 NH

No objections

DC/21/06620 application for Listed Building Consent for DC/21/06619.

No objections

These notes are written by Stephanie Coupland and are her personal interpretation of the meeting. Full minutes can be found on the Village website.



COFFEE STOP

Welcome to Coffee Stop on

2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month

Drop in between 10-12

on Wednesday 12th and 26th January
at the Community Hall

Come and meet your friends or
bring a neighbour and enjoy
a cup of coffee and cake.

Unlimited coffee, tea £1

Homemade cake, cheese scones 50p

More info from Margaret Langton 652210

Please check the Village website
or Facebook notice page the day before
for any changes due to Covid rules.

CHATTISHAM CHURCH

Margaret Engle writes...

Coffee Caravan, Chattisham Church, Tuesday
18th January, 10 am-12 noon

Discussion Group, Chattisham Church,
Wednesday 19th January, 3 pm

Craft and Chat Session in Chattisham Church
on Tuesday 25th January from 10 a.m. to 4
p.m. Drop in when you can and bring your
Craft work with you – or simply come along
for a chat. All very welcome. Enquiries to
Margaret Engle on 652646 (evenings only)

Advance Notice We hope to have a
Dedication Service for the **Chattisham
Church Kneelers** sometime in April, which
will give us plenty of time to get our kneelers
completed. A date will be announced in due
course.

**H&CCC MONTHLY DRAW-
THE COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER**

The January 2022 Monthly Draw will take place on Friday 28th January in the Community Hall at 7pm after ‘Happy Hour’ in the bar. Everybody welcome!

Membership of the Draw is only £12 a year and the money raised is given out in prizes and supports the work of the Community Council. If you are not already a member of the Draw and would like to join please email liz.stones3@gmail.com

There is an additional prize of £100 for the January draw only. If your annual membership renewal is due in January please ensure the payment is made before the 28th to guarantee inclusion in the draw. The simplest way to pay is directly into the ‘H&CCC Lottery’ bank account, sort code 77-68-36 account number 01231760 giving your membership number as reference.

Prize	Name	No
£40	Teresa Wilding	106
£30	Kris Byrska	295
£20	R Plumb	312
£15	Nicola Hall	490
£15	I Whitmore	135

A MESSAGE FROM JENNY COX....

It's January!!

I will be collecting the 200 Club subscriptions in my area this month.

Timperleys, George Street and others. If you would like to join, let me know.

If you wish to pop yours through my letter box, give me a clue as to who you are!

Jenny 652466

WALKING GROUP

Barry Williams writes...

Thursday 13th January. Meet at 10a.m. at the Community Centre for a 2 hour walk on familiar paths. Further information from Barry on 652632.

HALL LUNCH

THURSDAY 20th January 2022, 12.30pm at the Community Hall.

Contact Stephanie 652297 for further details.



A vibrant purple poster for 'Family Game Night'. At the top, a green tag says 'HCCC EVENTS PRESENTS'. The title 'Family GAME NIGHT' is in large, stylized orange and white letters. Below it, a black box contains the date 'January 29th', location 'at Hintlesham Village Hall', time 'FROM 6PM-11PM', and 'EVERYONE WELCOME'. A list of games includes 'BOARD GAMES - CARD GAMES - DOMINOS - DARTS - POOL - PUZZLES - WORD GAMES - AND MORE!'. At the bottom, it says 'SOCIAL CLUB BAR WILL BE OPEN PLUS SNACKS AVAILABLE' and 'FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK: HINTLESHAM AND CHATTISHAM COMMUNITY COUNCIL'. The background features illustrations of playing cards, dice, and chess pieces.



A poster for 'Full English Breakfast' at Hintlesham and Chattisham Community. It features a large image of a full English breakfast with sausages, eggs, beans, and toast. The text 'Full English Breakfast' is in large, red, cursive letters. Below it, a black banner says '£5 per person inc. tea/coffee'. The date 'Sunday 16th January' is listed, along with the time 'From 9am to 12pm In the Community Hall'. Contact information for Lauren is provided: 'Contact Lauren: 07539172064 to book'. The bottom right corner shows a smaller image of the breakfast.

CHURCH CLEANING

If you would like to help, we clean at 9.30am on the 2nd Wednesday of each month, meeting in church. It usually takes about an hour.
Chris 652464



CHURCH SERVICES JANUARY 2022

2 January 2022	Morning Service	9.30 am	Chattisham
9 January	Morning Service	9.30 am	Hintlesham
16 January	Holy Communion	9.30 am	Chattisham
23 January	Family Service	9.30 am	Hintlesham
30 January	Benefice Evensong	6.00 pm	Chattisham

These services are subject to alteration. Notification will be given.

Click www.kind.church/handc for the latest church news, events and service times.

The deadline for the February edition of The Village Link:
10am Wednesday 26th January 2022 – but the earlier the better please!

The magazine welcomes contributions, but reserves the right to amend, shorten or reject any article or advertisement submitted for publication. Any views expressed by contributors are not necessarily shared by the magazine's committee.

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Final Words

***Tomorrow is the first blank page
of a 365 page book.***

Write a good one!

Brad Paisley

Country music singer & songwriter

