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Welcome to the April 2021 issue of your Newsletter

Spring flowers, warmer days, lighter evenings and the anticipation of easing out of this lock down and returning to a level of pre-pandemic life... so much

to look forward towe can deal with a few April showers !

Lots of interesting articles in this month's issue including the invitation to win a £25 book token with a short story writing competition—kindly sponsored by Brockford Services, (for all your lawn mower needs). Details on p.20

I have an apology to make— there were some problems with last months issue of the newsletter which resulted in the final line of print in many articles and some adverts being lost. So if you felt something you read didn't seem quite right, wellyou were right! I'm truly sorry this happened and steps have been taken!

Enjoy April and stay safe

Cally (Editor)

Newsletter Distribution



Do you live in the village of Wetheringsett? If so, could you help with the distribution of the newsletter to houses around the school/church area. This is a compact round of 22 newsletters, but there are some steps and slopes to negotiate.

Delivery takes place one a month, for 11 months of the year. The newsletters would be delivered to you for distribution.

If you think you can help please contact

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Many thanks.

Children ~ The things they say !

My 5 year old great nephew asked his grandma

“Are you going to get the Asda-vinegar injection?”

Do you have any memories of your children's childhood that you would be happy to share?

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Wetheringsett Wildlife

You are never far from a reference to deer in Britain – “The Buck’s Head” being a prime example of the numerous pub names that reflect the place of deer in our culture. There are also place names, paintings, forests, Morris dances and items such as walking stick handles that reflect our long association with deer.



There are seven species of deer in Britain of which only two are truly native. Locally two are common – Muntjac (an introduction) and Roe (a native). Centuries of hunting have made deer cautious animals but the recent wet weather has provided plenty of evidence of their

presence in the form of footprints or “slots”. Occasionally I also see droppings but also I see deer themselves, albeit in the distance. Muntjac are originally from South-East Asia but were brought to Woburn in 1894. After escaping they have become widespread southwards from the Midlands. Unlike other deer they do not gather in herds. You are most likely to see ones or twos. Armed with tusks they are capable of inflicting some damage if cornered despite their small size.

Roe deer are slightly bigger and they do gather in small herds. They are the most numerous species in Britain. They will often graze with other animals such as sheep where these are present. In common with most deer Roe are timid creatures, using their senses of sight, hearing and smell to avoid us. However, if surprised they have the ability to remain motionless.

Cont. over



Wetheringsett Wildlife cont.

Thus I was greatly surprised recently to come across this deer in one of the paths leading from Station Road. I was downwind and behind the deer but it clearly saw me and stayed where it was but not stock still. It moved its head to watch me. I wondered if it was ill but upon my return some 48 hours later it was gone.

The BBC news recently featured a white deer in Rendlesham Forest. Pure white deer are caused by albinism, a congenital condition defined by the absence of pigment, resulting in an all-white appearance and pink eyes. True albino deer are rarely reported. Instead, most white deer exhibit a condition commonly known as leucism, a recessive genetic trait found in about one percent of all white-tails. As with albinism, leucism can be found in nearly all mammals. Leucistic animals lack pigment over all or part of their bodies. Leucistic deer can be varying levels of white – some contain white splotches, some are half brown and half white, some appear nearly all white. I have seen lighter coloured Roe in one of the local herds and last year saw a lighter coloured fawn with them.

Happy spotting and slotting!
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GREEN MAN

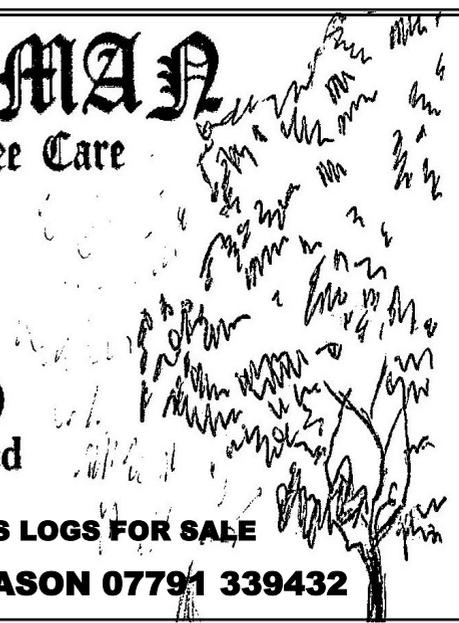
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Neighbourhood Plan

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The process of writing the Neighbourhood Plan continues and we are now starting to look at gathering information from the villagers. We would be really grateful if you could answer the questions so we can ensure your opinions are included.

Many thanks

What are the **5 best things** about living in Wetheringsett cum Brockford?

What are the **5 things** about Wetheringsett cum Brockford that you **would like to keep/protect or maintain?**

What are the **5 things** about Wetheringsett cum Brockford that you **would like to change?**

What are the **5 things** that make Wetheringsett cum Brockford **different to anywhere else / different to anywhere else that you have lived?**

What is the most important thing that the Neighbourhood Plan must achieve?

Please send your responses to
robert.townshend@townshendla.com

Snippets from The Village History this month is an extract describing (in part) The Village Design Statement ,of 1997, — the precursor of our current Neighbourhood Plan

Snippets from the Village History:

CHANGES IN LIFESTYLE

The Village Economy

(With extracts from the VILLAGE DESIGN STATEMENT)

In May 1997, the Countryside Commission gave a presentation about the Village Design Statement scheme at the Annual Parish Meeting. The Scheme was aimed at encouraging the village community to produce a statement about the nature of the village and how it would like to see it develop. The final statement would be offered to Mid Suffolk District Council as supplementary guidelines for planning permission.

The scheme included: -

- Guidelines on the rural economy and roads*
- Settlement guidelines and code of practice for developers*
- Landscape and wildlife development*
- Guidelines for community development*

RURAL ECONOMY AND ROADS

Small businesses have emerged as the major source of employment within the village. Many are sole traders or partnerships which tend to employ only a small number of people. A substantial proportion of village residents either work within the village or are retired. The remainder work outside, principally in Ipswich.

The narrow roads do not facilitate larger businesses and the retail facilities within the village are limited.

The existing road pastern is mainly country lanes, except for the main one (A140). This adds to the particularly rural character of the village which we wish to maintain.

There is very little street furniture in existence, and what exists is well integrated.

The further prosperity of the village could be encouraged by making it easier and more attractive for small businesses to start.

More next month

EXERCISE

We like to see horse riders off the roads and on our fields, but not on the public foot-paths.

We would also like to see some good weather to encourage our Croquet league to get started.

Those with a mean streak are welcome!

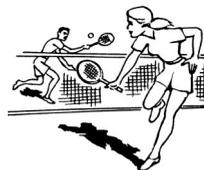


Swimming and Tennis



We are now taking 2021 Registrations for the Cedars swimming pool, available for anybody living in the Parish, or working in one of our light industrial units. Swimming, once registered, is free, as is the use of the adjacent tennis court.

We hope that all are appreciative of the use of our pool.



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On Easter Monday one hundred years ago, villagers turned out to celebrate the opening of their Village Hall. Since that date many people, young and old, have passed through its doors, and over the years funds have been raised to repair, restore and improve the fabric of the building.

It is sad that the present pandemic means we cannot meet to celebrate the centenary in March, but while it has been closed, work has been underway to ensure the Village Hall is ready to open again when regulations permit. Thanks are due to Jamie for all his work on the building and we wish him a speedy recovery from his recent health issues. Thanks, are also due to the work undertaken by the Village Hall Committee who have prepared a Covid 19 Risk Assessment for the Hall. This was approved by the Parish Council at the beginning of March. When you next enter the Hall, you will see the familiar red and yellow signs, along with guidance aimed at keeping users safe.

So, dig out those old photos and memories and we look forwards to a village celebration before the year is out.

As well as looking back we have some exciting news for the future. There has been an anonymous offer of matched funding of a substantial amount for the existing hall to be completely refurbished and parts rebuilt. Over the next few weeks this will be further explored, and we will hope to involve villagers in making this a reality.

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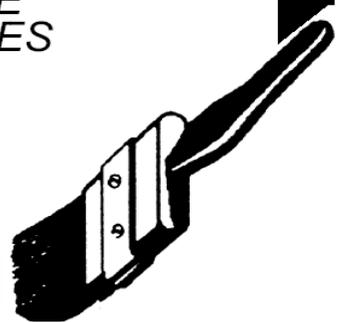
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BITTER LITTER

Even the harsh winds and snow of February did not stop the increasing number of people from getting out and walking the paths and lanes around us.



Whilst the continuing pandemic has reduced our choices overall, for many a stroll in the countryside has brought much pleasure and a re-engagement with the beauty that is on our doorstep. And with spring upon us there will be even more to come.



What a pity then that amongst the beauty lurks” The Beast”litter. Why do people choose to make litter? Laziness? Selfishness? Whatever, at the end, if we care for about our immediate environment, we are left with the problem of what to do with it.

Past organised Litter Picks in the village have seen volunteers addressing the problem and hopefully such events can again be possible in the future when Covid 19 permits. Picking up an item of litter to bring home may not seem that attractive, and sometimes not practical; but nevertheless it can be a positive statement to make.



However, litter does not only rear its ugly head with small items; pieces of furniture, bulging black bin bags etc etc. are also just as likely to appear in hedgerows and fields around the village. Unfortunately, ‘fly tipping’ is clearly a litter problem on a bigger scale. However, help is at hand through the local council where reports of litter can be left and acted upon (midsuffolk.gov.uk). The advice given on the site is worth consulting, particularly that which warns **that it is important not to confront anyone leaving litter if you think your personal safety might be at risk.**

Also, the reporting of incidents to the council achieves something else: like almost everything else these days it creates data! This data then gets passed on to central government which triggers a response to deal with the problem through associated funding. In other words unless the problem is recognised, (through reporting it), in effect it does not exist and will not get dealt with!



In any event, Spring is on its way, so let’s continue to enjoy our local walks. E.P.

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Police – notification had been received from Suffolk Constabulary that the area has been the target of thefts of tools from trade vans. Suffolk Police ask vehicle owners to be vigilant and to ensure their vans are safely locked and parked securely.

Mid Suffolk Light Railway – notification had been received from the Middy that maintenance work would be taking place during March involving the temporary closure of Footpath 46 where it crosses the line extension – the closure would probably last for 2 weeks.

Dog Waste Bins – two further dog bins will be purchased and installed over the next few weeks, one for the Park Lane area, near the Town Lane junction and the other in Church Street opposite the Manor drive.

Village Hall sound system - thanks had been recorded to District Cllr Andrew Stringer for the grant of £2893 for the purchase of a sound system for the village hall. This facility will help all manner of events when the village hall is able to re-open to the public including the village fete and Curtains Up productions as well as being a facility available to individuals hiring the hall for events.

Footpath Only signs – following the report in last month's magazine of horses and bikes using local footpaths resulting in damage to the surface, making it difficult for those on foot, signs have been purchased as a reminder to everyone using the footpath network.

Trees – Cllr Mrs Aldred reported the Suffolk Tree Warden scheme would be producing an orchard pack of trees for autumn planting.

Neighbourhood Plan – members commended the new working group on their work to date, this was very encouraging news for the village enabling parishioners to be involved in decision making, particularly planning applications, and shaping in the future of the village.

Town Lane – Cllr Stringer was unable to give any further news on the container stacking at present. A progress report would be available for the next meeting. It was noted there had been an increase in lorry movement to the site.

Date of next meeting – TUESDAY 6 APRIL 2021 at 7pm via video call.

South Hartismere Benefice

April Newsletter 2021



As we look forward to April, and hopefully the lifting of the next layer of restrictions, it feels like hope is in the air. The days are lengthening and getting warmer, and we have hope that summer is just around the corner. As the vaccine programme continues we have hope that we may finally be coming towards the end of COVID restrictions, and

we have hope that we may be able to get back to that thing we want most – a family hug, a haircut, a pint in the pub or getting away for a few days.

Many of us have found it hard to have hope through this crisis, so to see it begin to return to our nation is a heart-warming and powerful thing – but what is it that we are hoping for? For many of us it may be the protection of a vaccine, the slowing of transmission rates or things returning to normal– and these are good things. For others, there will be the hope of finding work again, recovering from the effects of the virus or being reunited with family and friends.

After this long year of Covid-19 it feels as if we are emerging slowly from a long hibernation into a world we don't quite recognise. In the Easter story that our churches and schools will be retelling, we remember the emergence of hope on that first Easter morning, and how the world was changed by the death and resurrection of Jesus.

After a year of COVID we need hope to come alive within our communities and our lives. We need to be gentle with ourselves and one another, and we need to gather, to talk and to share our experiences of the last year. We need to reflect on what was good about our time in lockdown, and how communities came together to help one another, and we need to work together to build on that for the future.

So, although our Easter celebration may be quieter than usual this year, may it bring you joy, may it bring you peace, and most of all, may it renew your hope.

Blessings: *Julia*

News from our Parishes:

In loving Memory – Mick Cain, Thorndon





South Hartismere Benefice Recovery Worship Rota

(subject to change due to government guidance)

April 2021

Telephone Church 10.00am

On-line Maundy Thursday Holy Communion at 7pm

Online Stations of the Cross at 9.00am

Thursday 1st April
Maundy Thursday

Friday 2nd April
Good Friday

Saturday 3rd April
Easter Eve

Thorndon (*outside*) 10.30am CONNECT Easter Trail

Week 1

Sunday 4th April
Easter Day



On-line	9.00am	Worship for All
Thorndon	9.00am	Holy Communion
Gislingham	10.30am	Holy Communion
Wetheringsett	10.30am	Worship for All & Holy Communion
Mellis	10.30am	Worship for All

Wednesday 7th April
Thursday 8th April

Mid-week Worship On-line 7.00pm
Telephone Church 11.00am

Week 2

Sunday 11th April
The 2nd Sunday of Easter

On-line	9.00am	Worship for All
Thornham Parva	10.30am	Holy Communion
Yaxley	10.30am	Worship for All
Thorndon (<i>outside</i>)	4.00pm	CONNECT

Wednesday 14th April
Thursday 15th April

Mid-week Worship On-line 7.00pm
Telephone Church 11.00am

Week 3

Sunday 18th April
The 3rd Sunday of Easter

On-line	9.00am	Worship for All
Mellis	10.30am	Holy Communion
Stoke Ash	10.30am	Worship for All
Thorndon (<i>outside</i>)	4.00pm	CONNECT

Wednesday 21st April
Thursday 22nd April

Mid-week Worship On-line 7.00pm
Telephone Church 11.00am

Week 4

Sunday 25th April
The 4th Sunday of Easter

On-line	9.00am	Worship for All
Thornham Magna	10.30am	Benefice Holy Communion
Thorndon (<i>outside</i>)	4.00pm	CONNECT

Wednesday 28th April
Thursday 29th April

Mid-week Worship On-line 7.00pm
Telephone Church 11.00am

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April 2021

Hello,

It has been wonderful having the children back! It has been lovely to see their smiling faces and the enjoyment of seeing each other. We are very excited to be welcoming 5 new pupils after Easter and look forward to welcoming three new families into the community.



Science week

We had great fun during science week carrying out a range of different experiments. The children enjoyed learning about colour.



How school is coping with the COVID pandemic.

The new normal. Even in a rural setting the risk of infection from COVID-19 was always a real and ever present possibility. The school had to take action to close the two classes recently due to positive cases within the school community. The DFE guidance states that pupils and staff who have had close contact with positive cases must self-isolate for 10 days. The staff and parents did this immediately and as a result only one further positive case was reported.

The school has a remote learning provision called Google Classroom and throughout the lockdowns and during the 10 day period have maintained a good on-line learning provision.

We are hopeful that now there have been cases within the community that as a school we are more resilient to further infection and that there is a 'normality' back for the Summer term.



If national events cause further school closure or local infections occur again however we are well prepared and education of our pupils will continue in whichever way is required. Education in our local community, uninterrupted since 1859. Quite a legacy!

Playground developments

After the tyre donation we were also donated lots of top soil from the help of a local farmer Patrick Hitchcock. We have started to make the flower beds ready for the children to start planting on their return from Easter. We are very thankful to all the parents and local residents who have donated materials, seeds and bulbs.

Continued over...



It's a Dog's Life

Hello everyone, seems that Spring is here at last!
I've already found a few sunny spots in the garden for a bit of sunbathing... the back step is quite a favourite.
However we have a visitor to the garden, a pheasant. He's very noisy and seems to

think the garden belongs to him! I have news for him...

The other day he was hiding behind the summer house and gave me quite a turn when he shot out, squawking and flapping about. I'm keeping a close eye from now on.

I actually quite like watching the birds on the bird feeder from the comfort of the sofa. Mum's always putting food out...wish I could wangle treats as easily! They don't seem to mind me watching them...I've tried a few exploratory barks just to see what happens but annoyingly, they don't do anything...oh well.

Mum's started digging and putting plants in the garden and for some reason my assistance isn't required...apparently me walking over newly planted areas isn't helpful...I think she forgets that it's my job to investigate everything!

Must dash...postman has just delivered a parcel so I need to see if it's for me...

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Children's University challenge

The school is excited about joining the Children's University challenge. This provides opportunities for all children to take part in a range of extra-curricular challenges that are fun and practical. Each challenge the children complete will earn them credits to go towards their passports. At the end of the year children will have the opportunity to graduate.

Yours sincerely,
Mrs Sheeran

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Cup Final Day

Still nil-nil with three minutes to go. The cup final. Suddenly Gill broke down the right. The ball fizzed across the area, behind the full back, past the keeper. Julie was running goalward at full speed, full stretch, the crowd was deafening...

Julie awoke and stared down at her knee. The bandages were tight and the throbbing was almost unbearable. A tear slid down her cheek. The road back to fitness was long and hard. Days rolled into weeks and weeks into months.

Francine, the new signing was doing really well. Younger, stronger, fitter and imbued with the ability to lose her marker at the crucial moment and go on to score. The opponents feared her.

Sarah was playing really well in the reserves too, ready to step into Francine's shoes should the need arise.

The team was doing just fine without Julie – through to the final for a second year running.

Julie consoled herself with the fact that she was at least back on the training field and it was there that the boss strode across the field towards her on the day before the final.

"Francine's gone down with a stomach bug so Sarah will start tomorrow but you will be on the bench. Any questions?"

Julie was dumbstruck.

Twenty minutes to go. Nil-nil.

"Warm up" barked the boss.

With 10 minutes to go Julie took the field. From the off it was obvious that she was not her old self. The speed, the deftness of touch that had marked her out was now gone. She just hadn't had enough games to get back to her old self. The thought that she might never be able to cross her mind.

The clock ticked on. Extra time loomed large. Anyone's game and it all to play for.

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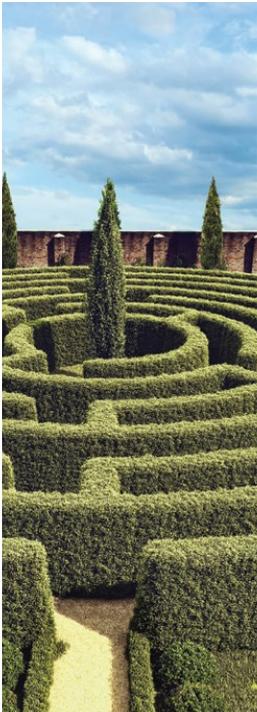
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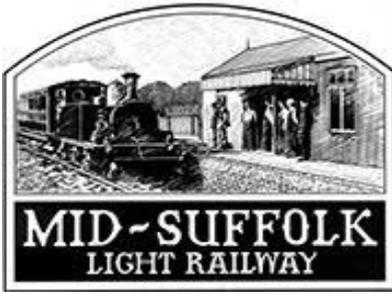


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NEWS FROM THE MIDDY

Middy in the War Years

Sunday & Monday 30th, 31st May 2021

The Middy's celebration of its part in WW2 serving the USAF air bases on the route of the line has been one of the major events of the Middy calendar for many years. We had a great show planned for the 75th anniversary of VE Day in 2020 and, subject to coronavirus conditions prevailing this time around, we hope to be able to present much of what was scheduled before.

This year the emphasis will be on the homecoming celebrations with music of the period, but plenty of military kit and, weather permitting a flypast from the Battle of Britain Memorial Flight. (T.B.C.)



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A Celebration of Nature

Woodlands

In the English language, we have many words that describe areas of trees. 'Wood' and 'forest' being the most common. A copse, however, is a thicket (meaning growing closely together) of bushes, or a small island of trees. A copse of trees can provide a good hiding place for wild animals in an arable landscape. In fact, last Autumn, when a field was being ploughed, I watched three dislodged & fearful deer, disturbed by the tractor, wander out of the copse at its centre. Copse (also known as a coppice) derives from Latin meaning 'having the quality of being cut'. It consists of underwood and small trees grown for periodical cutting. Once this is understood it cannot be confused with a forest nor wood. In addition, a spinney is a small copse planted as shelter for game birds.

A small group of trees with minimal or no undergrowth is a grove, or a small orchard planted for the cultivation of fruits or nuts. On 12th night, some people in Britain still practise the tradition of 'Wassailing'. A practice with its roots in a pagan custom of visiting orchards to sing to the trees and spirits in the hope of ensuring a good harvest the following season. The link between trees and humans is not entirely lost. Groups of trees are rich, diverse habitats supporting more invertebrates than any other. From lush temperate forests to orchards and old hunting grounds, like that of Hatfield Forest, which is the best preserved medieval hunting forest in Europe. There you will see hundreds of ancient pollards (trees that have had their upper branches pruned to prevent cattle and deer from eating regrowth.)

Each wooded area is varied and complex, shaped by geology, soils, climate and people over generations. With special and often spectacular wildlife, they are magical places. We should look to them for their reassuring presence in these times of uncertainty.

In areas of Suffolk we still have wet woodlands. Wild, transient, boggy and rare. Wet woodlands are now our least common wooded habitats. Trees like alder, willows and birch dominate on wet soils, whilst sedges, ferns and mosses flourish beneath. There is a wet woodland at Dunwich supporting such biodiversity.

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