



Hintlesham & Chattisham

THE VILLAGE LINK

NOVEMBER 2021



It's time to win your Christmas Tree!

For your chance to win a beautiful, green,
fresh Christmas Tree, just answer this question...

How many trees do Raydon Christmas Trees
have available this year at their site in Raydon?
See page 6

Send your answer to VillageLink2020@gmail.com
Put 'Xmas Tree' in the subject bar
Include your name, address and phone number

Closing date: Saturday 20th November 2021





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

Reasons to be thankful!

As the villages' social life begins to return to the pre-pandemic level, now seems an appropriate time to express gratitude to all those organisers of our clubs and societies for all their hard work, allowing us to catch up with our friends and neighbours from time to time.

The Link would also like to thank Jean Sanders who, for many years, has distributed copies of The Link to her neighbours in The Street in Chattisham. Sadly, Jean is no longer available to make her monthly deliveries, so we are looking for a new volunteer to cover the section of The Street near the telephone box. Please contact VillageLink2020@gmail.com

Finally, thank you to all those who have contributed to the View from Here column over the last 2 years. The Link continues to look for volunteers who could write up to 350 words on a theme of their own choosing. It could be a rant, something you want to get off your chest or simply something you feel passionate about. If you would like to have a go at writing the column, please email Gerald Main, the editor, who will gladly guide you through the process. There are no age limits and the Link particularly welcomes contributions from our younger readers.

Macmillan Tea Party

Many thanks to everyone who came to our tea party and gave so generously.

Special thanks to the "bakers" from the school who made flapjacks and cookies. Delicious!

We made over £300.00 on the day and with generous donations I have sent £850 to Macmillan Cancer Support.

Thank you again!

Chris Banyard, Margaret Spraggons & Anne Thomas

Tuesday Afternoon Bowlers

Kath and Colin Tee write... On behalf of all the Tuesday Afternoon bowlers, we would like to give a big thank you to Jenny Bensley for all the hard work she did to make our Tuesday afternoons so special over many years. We all made new friends and we have such happy memories of our times together.

Celebrations

The Link loves to report your big family events and celebrations. Do please let us know about those special birthdays, anniversaries, qualifications or retirements. If the day merits a cake or the popping of a cork, it deserves marking in the Link. A photo always adds to the story. Please send your contributions to VillageLink2020@gmail.com

GENTS' BREAKFAST

(aka Chaps 'n' Baps*)

Saturday 6th November
 9-10am Community Hall

CALLING ALL MEN! **

*Come and have
 a coffee and a rasher...*

...and a good old-fashioned natter.

Contact:

Roger Luxmoore-Styles 652423

*Errr....that'll be **bacon baps!** ☺

**Other genders are available (...and welcome)



ADVENT BOXES

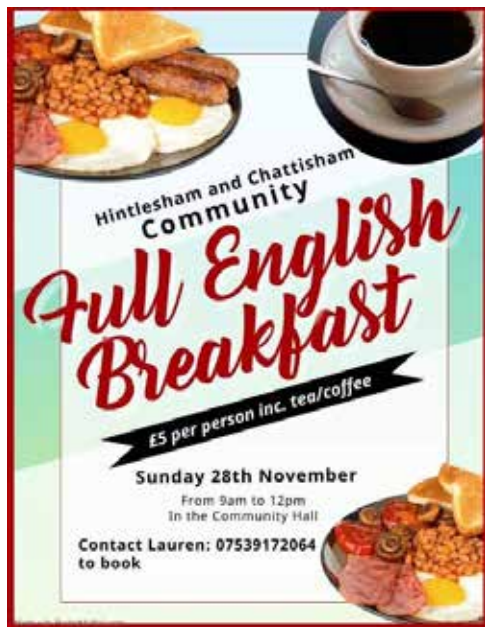


In light of the fact that so many families are struggling – reduction in universal credit, rising heating and food costs etc. and in light of the fantastic response we have had to this appeal in the past, we thought we would do Advent Boxes again this year to help the work of FIND.

The idea is that for the 24 days of Advent, starting on December 1st, you place a food item per day in a box, which we will then take to FIND. We will not be taking the boxes until January – so no fresh items!

Meals in a tin are welcome, often people have only one pan in which to heat food. Big soup, beans and sausages, biscuits, microwaveable rice, cereals, coffee, tea and toiletries – or if you would prefer vouchers (£5) from any of the supermarkets.

Thank you – Jenny 652466



Hintlesham & Chattisham Community Council Events All at the Community Hall



30th October

Halloween Party



13th November

Quiz Night



4th December

Cash Bingo



18th December

Xmas Draw Celebrations

Draw tickets are required to be purchased before hand either from the Social Club or from Cecelia, Michaela, Lauren and Glen

For more details please check the Hintlesham & Chattisham Community Council Facebook Page

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SESAW News

Pat Ferdinando writes...

It was good to welcome a big work party from the Ipswich office of Axa Insurance last month. They tackled many jobs that have fallen by the wayside since Covid 19. We send them a big thank you and hope they were as glad to see us as we were to see them.

Whilst enjoying a steaming hot cuppa recently, the volunteers were aware of being closely watched, prompting the question, "Why don't dogs blink?" Apparently they do blink, those long, soulful stares are communication methods inherited from their ancestors, wolves. We certainly got the message as we ate our biscuits!

SESAW volunteers are attending two festive events in November. Jeanette is back with her Terrific Tombola, 10-4pm on Saturday 13th at Bridge Farm Barns, Monks Eleigh, IP7 7AY. Sheila will have another classy selection of gifts at the Long Melford Christmas Community Market, 10-1pm on Thursday 25th at the Old School, CO10 9DX. Both ladies take great care with presentation and value for money so please call in if you are able.

Must close now to fight off Kenny and Daisy, our resident tea drinking little dogs that put the chai in Chihuahua!



Suffolk & Essex Small Animal Welfare Tel: 01787 210888 www.sesaw.co.uk

Vouchers for Schools

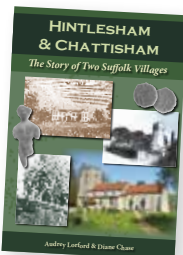
Hintlesham & Chattisham C of E Primary School are collecting Books for Schools vouchers. The East Anglian Daily Times and Ipswich Star are giving away £20,000 worth of books to primary schools in a hope of fostering a love of reading among Suffolk's youngsters. If a school collects 1,000 tokens, they will receive £100 worth of books.

Tokens will appear in the East Anglian Daily Times from October 16 until Friday, December 31. They will also appear in the Ipswich Star from Monday, October 18 until Friday, December 31. Bonus tokens will be published throughout the promotion with the first ones appearing on October 25, 26 & 27.

Please drop off any collected vouchers into the school letter box. Thank you.

Village History Book

After a reprint, we have more copies of our local history book: 'Hintlesham and Chattisham – the Story of Two Suffolk Villages'.



With 380 well illustrated pages for £20, this would make the ideal Christmas gift.

If you would like a copy please phone Diane Chase on 652359 or email r.d.chase@uwclub.net



COFFEE STOP

Welcome back on 2nd & 4th Wednesdays of the month

Drop in between 10-12

on Wednesdays 10th & 24th November

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

H&C Parish Council Meeting Notes -

Notes from the meeting of the Parish Council held on Thursday 14th October 2021

Present at the meeting

10 Parish Councillors,
1 District Councillor – David Busby

Apologies for absence

received from 2 Councillors and
County Councillor Cristopher Hudson

District Councillor report

The Careeriosity Festival is being held in Stowmarket between the 25 and 28 October. The festival showcases opportunities available to young people and is aimed at children between 9 and 19 years old. It aims to encourage them to think about their futures and what careers they may want to pursue. More information can be found at www.Careeriosity.co.uk

Babergh car parks are set to have new tariffs. There will still be one hour's free parking but the new tariffs are now due to come into effect in January 2022.

Cllr Busby reported on several imminent lane closures on the A14. Most of the closure dates were for short periods on 18 & 19 October. The A14 westbound between junctions J1 Welford and M1 Catthorpe interchange will have one lane closed between 20:00 and 06:00 from 19 to 23 October 2021.

Cllr Busby reported changes within the Heritage Planning team and Dr Duck had now left the department. He also said he would be chasing up the livery situation on Duke Street with the Enforcement Department.

Cllr Busby took questions from Parish Councillors.

Planning

DC/21/05134 Single storey rear extension for annex, two storey side extension and front porch extension, Duke Street. No objections.

MOBILE LIBRARY

Mobile library van visits Timperleys

at 3.05pm until 4.00pm

each month on the following dates:

3rd November

29th December

Update on National Grid – Bramford to Twinstead

A new group, OFFSET, is comprised of 11 MPs who will assist with helping communities and other groups when dealing with National Grids pylons and windfarms.

There are currently no further updates on the Bramford to Twinstead project.

Policies

The Parish council agreed and adopted the following policies:

GDPR Policy

Filming and Recording Policy

Subject Access Request (SAR) Policy

Subject Access Request (SAR) Procedure

- A £50 million bid to transform bus services in Suffolk, including Hadleigh and surrounding areas has been made by Suffolk County Council.
 - Parish defibrillators will be serviced to ensure they are in full working order. An additional paediatric enabled new machine to service the community centre and the neighbouring MUGA was considered. A quote for costs is to be discussed at the next parish council meeting.
 - A spokesperson at the Police Forum meeting reported high volumes of calls during July 2021 relating to anti-social behaviour, 'boy racers' in the Hadleigh area and County Lines (Ipswich).
 - Parish councillors agreed it would be a good idea to compile an 'accident' database detailing accidents that had happened on the village roads.
 - Jamie Bostock was thanked for his work in maintaining several local footpaths recently.
 - Following incidents of animals wandering astray, the owner of the Livery on Duke Street is planning to make the area more secure to prevent horses/ponies from getting out onto the land behind the site.
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VOLUNTEER NEEDED

We are looking for a volunteer to restore the phone box in Chattisham.

Please contact Les Cole or any of the Parish Councillors if you are interested in undertaking this project.

Raydon Christmas Trees

We have around 7,000 Nordmann Fir and Norway Spruce trees available.

Put your wellies on and come along to choose your tree.

Tag-it in Oct/Nov for collection/delivery at a later date.

Potted trees and wreaths available.

Find us on Facebook
fb.me/Raydonchristmastrees



**From £6
per ft**



Opening Times

October 2021							November 2021							December 2021						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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■ OPEN 10-4

● OPEN 9-4

W : raydonagricultural.co.uk
E : christmas@raydonagricultural.co.uk
M : 07515472742

A : Blackstump Cottage, Woodlands Road,
Raydon, IP7 5QD
Near Raydon Railway Walk

H&CCC MONTHLY DRAW- THE COMMUNITY FUNDRAISER

The next H&CCC Monthly Draw will take place in the Bar at the Community Hall on Friday 26th November at 7pm after 'Happy Hour'. Everybody welcome!!

If you are not already a member of the draw, you can join using the NEW online membership form at <https://bit.ly/2XsWWUR> alternatively email liz.stones3@gmail.com If you are already a member, please use the same link to provide your email address, view the rules and agree the GDPR policy.

Membership is only £12 and this is a valuable fundraiser that helps the Community Council, a registered charity, provide facilities for the community.

Prize Money	SEPTEMBER 2021 Draw Winners	Member No
£50	Sonya Hinton	219
£40	A. Porter	105
£30	Jean Main	304
£20	Kim Anderson	184
£15	Emma Leney	382
£15	Barry Williams	372

Winners of the October Draw will appear in the December edition of The Link.

WALKING GROUP

Barry Williams writes...

Thursday 11th November.
Meet at the Railway car park on the Raydon Road at 10am for a 2 hour walk on familiar paths. All Welcome. Further information from Barry on 652632.



HALL LUNCH

THURSDAY 18th November, 12.30pm at the Community Hall.

If you have not been before and would like to come, please contact Stephanie (652297) to book your place.

Look forward to seeing you.

T. CIRCLE

T. Circle's October Fish and chips supper with Quiz was well supported.

18 members and guests were hosted by Richard Lewis on the 14th to an interesting and informative tour of Sterling Suffolk's tomato greenhouses at Bramford. Increased heating costs are severely affecting salad production in the UK.

Next meeting 4th Nov 7.30, Community Hall with Lisa Kelley (author) speaking. Christmas menus and monies to be collected.

Looking forward to seeing you all.

Contact Hilary 652109



BOWLS CLUB

Frank Wilkin reports...

We had our first two matches against Offton and Willisham and Burstall after the covid break, winning both matches. Felt good to be playing again with everybody enjoying it. We have two more friendly matches arranged, then if things go alright, we will start playing league matches starting November through to April. Club nights every Wednesday evening at Community Hall starting 7.30 pm.

Stay safe and well.

Contact Frank 652506



RURAL COFFEE CARAVAN

Tuesday 16th November 2021

Chattisham

Church Farm Barn/Church 10 - 12noon
Hintlesham

The Green, Timperleys/Community Hall 2 - 4pm venue depending on weather!!!

Please come along for a chat and a cup of coffee and cake.

Everyone welcome

Further details about the Rural Coffee Caravan can be found at www.ruralcoffeecaravan.org.uk

CHURCH CLEANING

It is lovely that the churches are open and that services are happening – See below!

But this means that the St. Nicholas cleaning group has had to dust off its brooms. 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



REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

This will be on **November 14th at 10.30am**, at St. Nicholas, Hintlesham, a change of time for us.

The service will be outside, around the memorial and will include the laying of wreaths and the reading of the names on the memorial and the playing of the Last Post. A collection will be taken in support of the work of the British Legion.

Jenny 652466

CHURCH SERVICES NOVEMBER 2021

7 November	Communion by Extension (Rev Adrian Waller)	9.30 am	Chattisham
	Time to Remember	3 pm	Hintlesham
14 November	Remembrance Sunday Service	10.30 am	Hintlesham
21 November	Holy Communion (Rev Jackson)	9.30 am	Chattisham
28 November	Family Service (Rev Jackson)	9.30 am	Hintlesham
NEXT MONTH:			
5 December	Communion by Extension (Rev Adrian Waller)	9.30 am	Chattisham

Services liable to change, notification will be given

Discussion Group, Chattisham Church, 3 p.m. Wednesday 17 November. Topics to discuss will be chosen by 'Lucky Dip' so do come with plenty of ideas! Light refreshments provided. More information from Margaret Engle 652646 (eves only)

We hope to hold another **Craft and Chat** session on Tuesday 23 November at Chattisham Church, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. but drop in when you're free. Bring your craft with you or just come along for a chat. Tea and coffee provided. More details: phone Margaret Engle on 652646 (eves only).

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

The deadline for the December edition of The Village Link:
10am Wednesday 24th November 2021 – 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

Adele - Easy on Me October 2021

There ain't no room for things to change
When we are both so deeply stuck in our ways
You can't deny how hard I have tried
I changed who I was to put you both first
But now I give up...

