



ICKLINGHAM VILLAGER

September 2018



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The next Project St James event will be on
Sunday 9th September 3pm - 6pm
The Lakenheath Silver Band will be playing & Afternoon Cream Teas will be served there will a Cake stall, Hamper raffle & Tombola

Tickets are available £6.50 each on the door (to include a delicious Cream Tea)

If anyone can bake a cake or two for the cake stall or has a gift for the Tombola that would be a real help

In October there will be a Harvest Service at 3.00pm on Sunday 7th October in St James Church



Please come along and join us for a

Family Harvest Service with refreshments afterwards.

If any children would like to bring along some harvest produce, we will be including this in the service, and then donating the produce to charity.



Any questions please call Claire on 07798 790609 Sue Marston 713801, Dorothy Handford 712439, or Hazel Russell 714097

ICKLINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL

The next meeting will be 25th September

This meeting will start at 7.30pm

If you would like an item included on the agenda for the next meeting please email the clerk on

IcklinghamPC@gmail.com

Every meeting has a Public Forum for ten minutes at the start of each meeting.

Everyone is welcome to attend

Dates for your Diary

Sept 25th PC MEETING

Sept 29th COFFEE MORNING

Oct 6th PC OPEN SURGERY 12-2pm

TBC Church Tidy Up Day

TBC December Carol Singing !!

More information about all of these events to follow in The Icklingham Villager in the coming months.

If you have any event you would like to advertise please email bac@talk21.com

Icklingham Community Group

The Village walk

Icklingham to West Stow

On September 15th

We will meet at the village green in front of All Saints Church at 10.30am walk to West Stow Country Park, enjoy some refreshment and walk back !

All welcome, please come and join us

Bring your children and dogs

LAKENHEATH SILVER BAND

The original band of Lakenheath was called The Band of Hope and was run by the Methodist Church. The survivors of the 1st World War took over the assets and debts of the band and renamed it Lakenheath Brass Band. Fourteen instruments were bought at this time costing £235.00.

In 1935 Silver instruments were purchased and the name was changed to The Lakenheath Silver Band. This lasted until 1960. Then in the 1970's Mr Wally Hebdon, who was Headmaster of Lakenheath Primary School reformed the band with Mr Charlie Morley as conductor.

To date all of the people who have conducted our band are either playing members or able to help playing for us when ever they are free to do so. We are a very happy band and at this present time we have 16 members. If you are looking for a fantastic and fun band to play for your special event, why not head over to the website contact page -

<http://lakenheathband.weebly.com> - and leave your details with us so we can get back to you.

We are available for Fetes, Fairs, Concerts, Church Services, Garden Parties and so much more, whatever you needs may be..... !



LIBRARY VAN - The Library

Van has a good selection of adult and children's books on board & they will order any books in for you. The Library van will visit on 22nd September, 20th October, 17th November calling at West Street at 2.40pm, The Hall Close at 3.10pm & The Village Green at 3.25pm. Your Mobile Manager is Kevin Lambert 07884422762

Open Afternoon

Come & Meet the Icklingham Parish Council Members

on the 6th October, between 12pm-2pm in the Old School Hall.

Please come along to our open afternoon to meet your local village council members.

We look forward to meeting you & hearing your ideas about how you think we could improve our village.

We have already made some headway with improvements and we have other projects in progress but we want to hear from you.

Drinks and nibbles will be provided - so come along and meet us.

We look forward to seeing you.

SAVE THE DATE !!

Project St James Harvest Talk & Buffet, 27th October, 7pm, at St James Church "An evening with Joyce Grenfell" by Gillian Grinham - Tickets £7.00each

Call Claire for more details on 07798 790609

THE FLOWER CLUB

We will meet on Saturday 8th September at 11.00am - 1.00pm to decorate the Church for the next days event with the Lakenheath Silver Band Afternoon Tea. Come along and make an Afternoon tea arrangement, Flowers in tea pots, arrangements on cake stands, anything you fancy !

Decorate church for Sunday ! (you don't have to leave it in the church if you would like to take it home, please do). Everyone is welcome. Please bring your own flowers etc.

We hope you will be able to come to the Sunday afternoon listen to the Silver Band and enjoy a cream tea.

The next meeting will be Saturday 6th October, 11.00am 1.00pm to decorate the church for the Family Harvest service on Sunday at 3.00pm. (again you don't have to leave it in the church if you would like to take it home, that's fine.)

It can be arrangement of your choice, maybe using fruits & vegetables alongside flowers. Please bring all your own flowers, containers etc.

Everyone welcome.

Safe Online Christmas Shopping !

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- ⊕ Don't access links through unsolicited emails
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- ⊕ Keep you receipts and check them against your statements. If you spot a suspicious transaction report it to the card issuer immediately and to Action Fraud
- ⊕ Be wary of low prices for branded goods as the items for sale may not exist or be counterfeitand if it looks too good to be true, it usually is!

Gingery Plum Cake/Pudding

For the cake

175g Butter
175g dark muscovado sugar
140g golden syrup
2 eggs, beaten
200ml milk
300g self-raising flour
½ tsp bicarbonate of soda

butter, for greasing
2 tbsp Demerara sugar
500gms Plums

Heat oven to 180C/160C fan/gas 4.

Grease and line the base of a 23cm square cake tin with baking parchment. Butter the paper generously and sprinkle with the demerara sugar. Halve the plums and arrange in the base of the tin in 1 layer, cut-sides down. When cooked and cooled you can cut in cubes - each with a plum in !

For the cake, melt the butter, muscovado sugar and syrup in a large pan over a low heat, stirring until smooth. Cool for 10 mins, then stir in the eggs and milk. Sift in the flour, bicarbonate of soda and spices, then mix to a smooth batter.

Pour the batter into the tin, over the plums, and bake for 45-55 mins until firm to the touch. Cool in the tin for 10 mins, then turn out onto a wire rack and leave to cool. Will keep in the fridge, wrapped in baking parchment and foil, for up to 5 days.

Serve this hearty fruit sponge with a dollop of something creamy- it would also work with raspberries instead of plums.

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September Gardening Tips : This is generally a cooler, gustier month than August & the days are noticeably shorter. While there's not as much to do in the ornamental garden at this time of the year, if you have a fruit or vegetable patch, you'll be busy reaping the rewards of harvest. It's also time to get out and start planting spring-flowering bulbs for next year and you can collect seeds for next summer's colour too. Make the most of the remaining warmth while you can!

Divide herbaceous perennials

Pick autumn raspberries

Collect and sow seed from perennials and hardy annuals

Dig up remaining potatoes before slug damage spoils them

Keep up with watering of new plants, using rain or grey water if possible

Start to reduce the frequency of houseplant watering

Clean out cold frames and greenhouses so that they are ready for use in the autumn

Cover leafy vegetable crops with bird-proof netting

Plant spring flowering bulbs

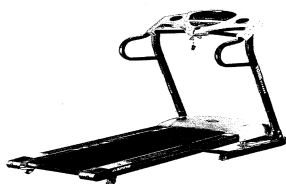
It's the ideal time to order trees and shrubs. They will grow vigorously next spring if planted this autumn.

Dead-head your flowers

Clear pond weeds and net your pond

Perennial weeds are more vulnerable to weedkillers in the autumn to kill both the leaves and roots.

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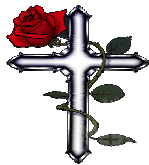
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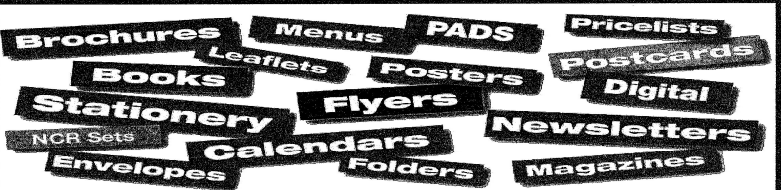


For Church services please check the notice board
at St James Church or contact the Church
Wardens for more information Sue Marston 713801
or Dorothy Handford 712439

THE NEXT COFFEE MORNING
is on Saturday 29th September
at 10.30am in

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LAST BUT NOT LEASThave you a special person you want to Thank, wish Good Luck, Happy Birthday, Getting Married, say get well soon or a new arrival? Well this is the space for you - just email bac@talk21.com or phone 01638 719055 and let me know your special message and it will appear here free of charge..

St James Church are looking for more volunteers to help cut the church yard grass. If anybody is able to spare some time, have their own mower or strimmer & would be willing to help cut the grass, we would be most grateful. Please call the Church Wardens Dorothy Handford on 01638 712439 or Sue Marston on 01638 713801 for more details.

Thank you to those of you in the village who already volunteer

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO JACOB CURTIS
who will be 10 years old on the
21st September
Love & hugs from Granma & Granpa



A friend is someone we turn to,
When our spirits need a lift,
A friend is someone we treasure,
For true friendship is a gift.

A friend is someone we laugh with,
Over little personal things,
A friend is someone we're serious with,
In facing whatever life brings.

A friend is someone who fills our lives,
With beauty and joy and grace.
And makes the world that we live in
A better and happier place!

by Jean Kyler McManus