



ICKLINGHAM VILLAGER



SUMMER 2021

Help Needed at All Saints Church

The wall around All Saints is becoming increasingly covered by ivy which needs the stems to be cut at the base to allow them to die off over a few months before it can be removed.

If anyone is interested in cutting the ivy or interested in getting involved in helping at All Saints in anyway, please contact Jane Hatton on 07501 005411 or email jhatton@theccct.org.uk

Thanks Jane
Local Community Officer
Churches Conservation Trust

BARLEYCORN in Mildenhall

Is an independent cafe, tea rooms and deli, offering freshly made food from local ingredients.

Vegan, vegetarian and healthy options available.

they have outdoor and indoor seating, highchairs available.

Pretty Courtyard with flowering climbers and friendly, welcoming service.

Definitely a place to go with friends and family.

Table service, takeout, and reservations

This café has been recommended by Karen Nolan

Mildenhall Library is now open in the new Mildenhall Hub on Sheldrick Way

The library will be the first service to open in the new building. Once fully open, as well as being the exciting new home of the library, the Mildenhall Hub will bring together a new school, leisure facilities, a health centre, advice functions, a children's centre, and will also house desk space for Suffolk Police, West Suffolk Council, Suffolk County Council and the NHS, including Public Health England.

The library will initially be open Monday to Saturday 10am to 3pm. Once the hub is fully open from 14 June, library opening times will be increasing significantly to over 100 hours a week and it will be open every day.

The final stages of the work have been delayed slightly but West Suffolk Council have now confirmed the public opening dates for the new facilities at the multi-million-pound Mildenhall Hub.

Bruce Leeke, CEO of Suffolk Libraries, said: "We're very excited about moving to the Mildenhall Hub. You can't miss us as the library sits at the heart of the development, offering a flexible and contemporary space. We take pride in our strong roots in the local community and look forward to working with other Hub partners to make the library even more than the sum of its parts. Libraries are a gateway to so much and we want to take this opportunity to encourage even more people to use our services and enjoy our diverse range of activities.

The Summer Reading Challenge is back !

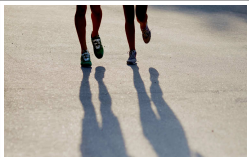
This gets children reading over the long summer which helps to maintain their literacy skills. This year's theme is Wild World Heroes, a group of friends making their town even better for the people and animals that live there. The challenge is open to all children aged 4 - 11. They can sign up for free, read six books over the summer holidays and collect a prize for each one from the library. If they complete the challenge, they'll collect a certificate.

The challenge will start on 17th July.

Much more information available on the Library website - www.mildenhallhub.info

Don't forget you can order books online and collect them from your mobile Library van !

SUPPORT HAYLEY RUNNING FOR PROSTATE CANCER UK



Villager Hayley Hayes, who you may have seen in training around Icklingham lately, is running in the London half marathon on August 22nd. Hayley is running with a team from West Suffolk Hospital, the Urology nurses are fundraising for PROSTATE CANCER UK, and they would really appreciate your support.

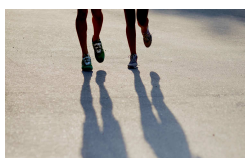
The JustGiving link is below if you would like to support Hayley and her team in this very worthwhile cause.

You can donate to their JustGiving at

[https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/hayley-hayes6?](https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/hayley-hayes6?utm_source=sharethis&utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=hayley-hayes6&utm_campaign=ppf-email&utm_term=a508daad22a44b7a84db710458a225fa)

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Donating through JustGiving is simple, fast and totally secure. Once you donate, they'll send your money directly to PROSTATE CANCER UK, so it's the most efficient way to give, saving time and cutting costs for the charity.



GOOD LUCK HAYLEY !

**COFFEE MORNINGS
AT ST. JAMES CHURCH**
are starting again this month,
please see Church Notice
Board for more
information. All welcome.
If you have a mower and would
like to help the cut the grass in
the graveyard please contact
the Church wardens
Dorothy Handford 712439
And Sue Marston 713801
Any help, will be much
appreciated.

EASY STRAWBERRY RIPPLE ICECREAM
600ml double cream, 395g can condensed milk
½ tsp vanilla extract, ½ lemon, zested & juiced
200g soft-set strawberry jam
*Method: Beat the double cream with an
electric whisk until it holds its shape. Keep
beating on a lower speed & gradually pour in the
condensed milk & vanilla extract, then slowly
add the lemon zest & juice. Put mixture in a
baking tin or container that will fit in freezer.
Drop jam over the ice-cream in little blobs using
a teaspoon, drag a skewer through blobs to
make the ripple effect. Some jam will disappear
but that's okay. Cover & put in freezer for at
least 3 hrs. This is soft-set ice cream, so you
don't need to take it out of the freezer too far
ahead of serving. Will keep for up to 3 months in
freezer !! ENJOY Thanks to Hope for recipe !*

A view from St James Church

The 1st November 2020 was a significant date for churches in and around Mildenhall, with the joining of 17 parishes into the brand new "Forest Heath Team Benefice".

Such a large group of churches, working collaboratively together now means that 4 Team Vicars, 1 Team Curate; plus numerous willing retired clergy and lay ministers will be serving those 17 churches.

St James at Icklingham are part of a sub-group of 7 churches within Forest Heath now known as "The Brecks Group". This group has been without a Vicar of its own for just over 4 years.

On 11th February 2021 a Licensing Service took place, installing ministers into the area. The service took place in the virtual arena, on Zoom! (Who knew what that was 12 months ago?)

The result for Icklingham; along with Herringswell, Red Lodge, Tuddenham with Cavenham, Eriswell and Beck Row is that all have newly installed, permanent and full-time ministers.

We are Revd David Butcher as Team Vicar and Revd Caroline Butcher as Assistant Curate, a husband and wife team, living in Mildenhall and covering those 7 churches.

We are looking forward to working locally to support ministry in the villages. Our churches are cautiously reopening for 'in church' worship with Icklingham meeting at 9.30am on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month. Since March 2020 we have held a weekly online 'Zoom' worship service every Sunday at 11am, which has proved to be very popular.

You can even sing to your hearts content in the comfort of your own home!

We invite you to visit us, as we would love to meet you in church, but if you're not yet ready to meet in groups like that but you would like to join us on 'Zoom' just email me and I will send the link.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any church based enquiries, such as funerals, weddings of baptisms, in fact anything at all really!

We look forward to meeting everyone soon!

Revd David Butcher and Revd Caroline Butcher

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MINUTES of the ANNUAL VILLAGE MEETING

Held on Wednesday 5 May 021 at 7.00 pm Virtually Via Microsoft Teams

Present: Cllr D Baugh (DB) - Chair, Cllr K Baugh (KB), Cllr V Halford (VH) – Vice Chair, Cllr R Moss (RM)

Also Present: Mrs Vikki Austin

AVM 21/22.1 ICKLINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL ACCOUNTS FOR YEAR ENDING 31ST MARCH 2019

The Clerk provided all those present with a copy of the summary of the income and expenditure for the financial year ending 31st March 2020. This will be duly signed by the Chairman and the Parish Clerk at the next face to face meeting.

AVM 21/22.2 REPORT OF THE PARISH COUNCIL CHAIRMAN

The Chairman firstly thanked members of the Parish Council for their support in what had been a very unusual year and looking forward to being back to normal with face-to-face meetings. Followed by a brief overview of what had been achieved.

- ◆ Anti-social behaviour West Stow / Hall Close – This is ongoing, and the Parish Council are working together with partner organisations to address this issue. And the Police are aware and working alongside and as part of this they quite a successful weekend issuing fines for various breaches eg. Covid Restrictions, Drugs.
- ◆ Quite Lanes – our application had been accepted so we are expecting the signs to be installed in the next few weeks
- ◆ Play Area – Replaced the damaged fencing and resurfaced the play area and basket ball court as well as changing the direction of play on the court to reduce the impact on near by residents
- ◆ MVAS – currently awaiting delivery of this to help reduce speeding in the village
- ◆ Bus Shelter - Refurbishment will be taking place as soon as the weather is permitting.
- ◆ Benches – replaced 2

AVM 21/22.3 MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC ISSUES - No public issues raised

2021-2022 MEETING DATES

27th July 2021

28th September 2021

30th November 2021

25th January 2022

29th March 2022

A full copy of all the Parish Councils Minutes can be viewed on the PC notice Board by The Guinness Arms

THERE 2 VACANCIES FOR PARISH COUNCILLORS

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED PLEASE CONTACT DARREN ON
darrenbaugh@aol. TEL : 01638 510449 or Tel: 01842 861748 FOR
VICKI AUSTIN THE PC CLERK IcklinghamPC@gmail.com**

CRAFT CORNER - MAKE EASY TILE COASTERS

You will need small Ceramic Tiles, Patterned Scrapbook or decoupage Paper, Mod Podge and a Foam brush
Clear acrylic sealer and a piece Felt (or small adhesive cork pads)

- Trace around the tile onto a piece of the paper. Cut out.
- Add a thin layer of Mod Podge to the top of the tile with a foam brush. Position the paper on top of the tile. Gently smooth down.
- Add a layer of Mod Podge on top of the paper. Let dry for 15 minutes and then add another layer.
- Repeat one more time. (3 layers in total)
- Once the Mod Podge is dry seal with a clear acrylic sealant spray.
- Cut a square out of felt and glue it to the bottom of the tile (or use small cork pads) so it won't scratch your table surface.
- For other ideas you could try paint sample/chips or paper lace doilies, newspaper, old maps or paper napkins.

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Hello, my name is Haley and I have recently moved in to the village. I am a Hairdresser and I would like to offer a Mobile Hairdressing Service.

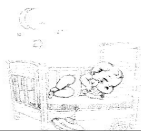
Dry cuts - £12.00 Children - £10.00
Cut & Blow-dry - £22.00
Blow-dry or set from £12.00

Please feel free to call me on **07929 031 965**



Hello, I am Erin, and I am Haley's daughter. I am 17 years old and I would like to offer a Dog Walking Service and a Babysitting Service while I am studying at college.

If you are interested, please call or text: **07542 790 325**



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LIBRARY VAN DATES FOR 2021

The Mobile Library will call on
26th June, 24th July, 21st August, 18th
September, 16th October, 13th November,
11th December.



Calling at West Street at 2.40pm,

The Hall Close at 3.10pm

& The Village Green at 3.25pm

The Mobile Manager is Kevin Lambert

0788 442 2762

LAST BUT NOT LEAST have 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 !

**A BIG HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO
CLAIRE MARSTON - FOR THE 25th JUNE
& PHIL HALFORD - FOR THE 26th JUNE
BEST WISHES FROM ALL YOUR FRIENDS
IN THE VILLAGE XX**

IF YOU HAVE ANY IDEAS FOR THE CRAFT CORNER OR ANY RECIPES YOU WOULD LIKE TO PASS ON, ANY BIRTHDAY WISHES, CONGRATULATIONS OR GET WELL MESSAGES PLEASE
email baC@talk21.com

Don't forget the Village Notice Board which you can use to advertise or put local events & information in !

PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG - ESPECIALLY IN THE CHILDRENS PLAYING AREAS !
Unfortunately some dog owners are letting their dogs foul the playing field and the small gated play area.

If you are a dog owner or walker then you must pick up your dog's mess if it fouls in public places. This is a legal requirement as described in The Dog Fouling Act 1996. If you do not then you may be issued with a Fixed Penalty Notice. If you do not pay the Notice then you could be taken to court and fined up to £1000. FHDC.

THERE ARE TWO DOG POO BINS IN THE STREET
(one near All Saints Church and the other by the Telephone box near The Guinness Arms)
& TWO BINS IN WEST STREET (one by the playing field and one at the far end of West Street).
Please do NOT just bag the mess up and leave the bag for someone else to dispose of ! **THANK YOU**



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