

# THE ICKLINGHAM VILLAGER.

SUMMER 2023



The Project St James Flower Club
theme for this year's Flower Festival is
"Countries in Flowers"
Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> & Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July
11.00am to 4.00pm at St James Church
There will be a Games, Refreshments, Cakes

Please come along and enjoy the many different flower arrangements from around the world.

If you would like to get involved, make a cake or a donation for the tombola please contact

Claire on 07798 790609

All Welcome - put the date in your diary



BARBERSHOP CONCERT
& AFTERNOON TEA
3pm AT ST JAMES CHURCH
£8.00 A TICKET

SAVE THE DATE
DECEMBER 3rd
CHRISTMAS CONCERT
BACK BY
POPULAR DEMAND
WITH SOHAM BRASS BAND
3.00pm £8.00 A TICKET

CELEBRATIONS Big thanks to Ronnie Halford for arranging the decorations for the Coronation. Thank you to the ladies who helped her & to all of you who decorated your homes. you have a outside your home with ribbons on and would like to help by taking them down that would be much appreciated.

Hope you all had a great time over The Bank Holidays!

HARVEST TALK AND BUFFET IN OCTOBER-Date to be confirmed. All these events will be held in St. James Church and hosted by Project St. James for more info please call Claire on 07798 790609

#### What's Shake It Out all about?

Suffolk Waste Partnership's new #ShakeItOut campaign aims to reduce spoiled recycling across the county by encouraging residents to keep their recycling <u>clean</u>, <u>dry</u> and <u>loose</u> when adding it to their Blue wheelie bins, without the use of black sacks and plastic bags. Why are black sacks and plastic bags a problem? The recycling handlers can't see what's inside them and they are often full of rubbish or other non-recyclable items. Items that contributed to spoiled recycling collections included:

- Materials that were not clean and dry, or contained food and drink residue
- Rubbish sacks or plastic bags containing recycling
- Non-recyclable items, such as nappies and food waste

We know that recycling can be confusing but we try to make it as easy as possible by collecting it all in one bin without the need for sorting. Recycling should always be placed loose into recycling bins - no bags please!

They are one of the main causes of spoiled recycling. Last year 26% of the contents of Suffolk's recycling bins was unable to be processed. As it is impossible to know what bags placed in recycling bins contain, they are removed from recycling at the sorting facility and won't get recycled. But sometimes the bags can split before they are removed and their contents can spill out and spoil good recycling, and that is simply a wastel #ShakeItOut will be popping up on social media, at advertising sites across Suffolk and on the radio. Find out more about the campaign http://www.suffolkrecycling.org.uk/shake-it-out and don't forget to check out the catchy campaign video with a very well known tune.....feel free to sing along when you are doing your recycling! Don't forget - Clean - Dry - Loose!

USEFUL TELEPHONE NUMBERS EMERGENCY 999 Suffolk Police (non-urgent) 101 NHS 111

Crime Stoppers UK 0800 555 111 GAS EMERGENCY 0800 111 999

Electricity Emergency 105 (including Powercuts)
ANGLIAN WATER EMERGENCY 0800 771 881

**Dental Emergency 111** 

West Suffolk Councillor Susan Glossop 07473041394 West Suffolk council 01284 763233

St James Church Wardens Dorothy Handford 01638 712439 and Sue Marston 01638 713801

All Saints CCT 0845 303 2760 Jane Hatton

Market Cross Surgery 01638 713109 Guildhall & Barrow Surgery 01284 812510

Milk Delivery Plumbs Dairy 01223 893033 Window Cleaner Rise & Shine 0771 055 7898

#### **Church Services at St James**

11<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am Holy Communion 25<sup>th</sup> June 9.30am Service of the Word 9<sup>th</sup> July 9.30am Holy Communion

23<sup>rd</sup> July 9.30am Flower Festival Service 13<sup>th</sup> August 9.30am Holy Communion

13<sup>th</sup> August 9.30am Holy Communion 27<sup>th</sup> August 9.30am Service of Word

10<sup>th</sup> September 9.30am Holy Communion

24<sup>th</sup> September 9.30am Harvest Service

#### **ALL WELCOME**

#### Community Public Access Defibrillator – VOLUNTEER NEEDED!

The Parish Council supplies a Community Defibrillator, which is located in the telephone kiosk outside the pub by the wooden shelter.

We are looking for a volunteer or two, to take on the responsibility of checking the Defibrillator monthly, to ensure it is in working order. This person will enter the weekly checks onto the Webnos website and will also act as contact for the Ambulance Service, if the Defibrillator is used, in order for it to be collected and returned and cleaned and re-set. Full training will be given on how to check and set up the Defibrillator. Please be assured that you will not be required to attend any emergency or administer First Aid or use the Defibrillator, should you volunteer.

If you are interested, please contact the Clerk icklinghampc@gmail.com or telephone 07712 232920.

#### **Icklingham Community Group**

The Parish Council has had enquiries about trying to re-start the Icklingham Community Group, to perhaps offer support, advice and help to single, elderly or vulnerable residents. If you would be interested in becoming a volunteer on the group, please contact the Clerk icklinghampc@gmail.com or telephone 07712 232920.

#### ICKLINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL S.137 DONATIONS FOR COMMUNITY GROUPS

The Parish Council has a pot of funds that allows them to give donations to Community Groups/Organisations, to assist them with their running costs etc. Due to the Pandemic, we realise that many groups have been unable to meet for some time, therefore if your group is now in a position to meet again and you need assistance with any running costs associated with this, please contact the Clerk (address and email details on page 3) to apply for a donation.

#### Les & Esther Cooke

Kevin & Jackie, Danny & Tracey and Paul would just like to thank our family and friends from the village and beyond who offered their love, condolences and support during the last difficult year.

It made such a difference knowing you were there for us.

Also to let you know that the donations made to the two chosen charities were fantastic.

For Dad, The Royal British Legion, Bury St Edmunds branch collection came to £565.00

For Mum, The Stroke Association collection came to £416.95

Both amazing amounts, Les and Esther would have been overwhelmed.

A very big thank you to you all.

The Cooke Family

#### STOWMARKET CHORALE SINGS ROYAL ANTHEMS BY HANDEL

Following the Coronation of King Charles III and Queen Camilla, Stowmarket Chorale will take you on another journey of pomp and majesty through a performance of 'Handel's Monarchs'. The venue is St. Mary's Church, Brettenham Rd, Buxhall, IP14 3DJ at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday, 17<sup>th</sup> June. The programme will be three of Handel's 'Four Coronation Anthems' and the anthem for Queen Caroline, 'The Ways of Zion Do Mourn'.

Handel's *Coronation Anthems* were composed for the Coronation of King George II and Queen Caroline in 1727 at Westminster Abbey. The most famous of these, *Zadok The Priest*, has been heard at each successive coronation of every British monarch, at the Anointing. The music may be familiar from the Coronation of King Charles III and through its use as the theme tune of the Champions League anthem. Its biblical text is drawn from the first chapter of 1 Kings. Zadok was High Priest to King David and anointed Solomon on his accession to the throne.

Tickets are £18 via tickets@stowmarketchorale.org.uk or 07972 668180

#### **Icklingham Parish Council**

Clerk: Vicky Bright, CiLCA Tel: 07712 232920

Email: icklinghampc@gmail.com

Any parishioners wishing to raise an issue should contact the Parish Clerk

Monday - Friday 9:30am to 2:30pm.

Monday & Thursday evenings 6-7pm.

Parish Office: 3 Scott Avenue, Mildenhall, Suffolk IP28

7LT (Appointment only)

The Parish Council Meetings are held on the third Monday, bi-monthly in January, March, May, July, September and November at 7:30pm in the Old School Hall. The minutes of the meetings are available on the PC notice board. Please come along and share your views and comments in the public forum.

All are welcome to attend.

There are vacancies for Parish
Councillors, if you are interested & want to get
more involved in your village please
contact the clerk or Chairman Darren Baugh
darrenbaugh@aol.com or come along to the
next meeting.

#### LIBRARY VAN DATES

The Mobile Library will visit on the 24 June, 22 July, 19 August, 16 September, 14 October, 11 November & 9 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.





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The PSJ Quiz which was held on April 15th in St James Church, quiz set by resident quiz master Phil Halford, was a great success with over 35 people taking part, it was won by Team 'Universally Very Challenged' in a tie break finish!

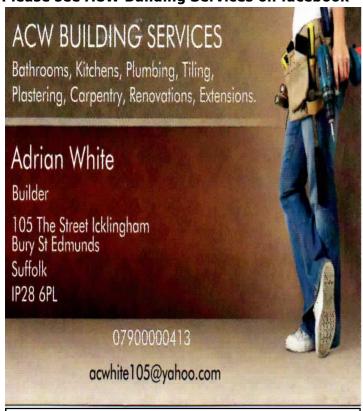
A good fun evening enjoyed by all. Special thanks go to Phil for great quiz questions and to everyone who supported the event.

The Coronation Coffee Morning was a great success too with fun, games and delicious cakes. For those of you pondering on Karen's Quiz objects they were :- Butter pats, Vesta match-case, Inkwell, a Pie Funnel, Herb Chopper, Military Kit bag pin and a pair of Row locks!

Thanks to everyone who attended

The Old School Hall
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## **COFFEE MORNINGS AT ST. JAMES CHURCH** Cake stall, Refreshments, Raffle

10am - 12noon 24<sup>TH</sup> June, 29<sup>TH</sup> July, 26<sup>TH</sup> August, 30<sup>TH</sup> September & 28<sup>TH</sup> October



Coffee - Cakes - Raffle Come along and meet friends & neighbours - all welcome

for more info see the Church notice board or call Dorothy 712439, Sue 713801 or Hazel 714097

THERE WILL NOT BE A COFFEE MORNING IN NOVEMBER

### Lift needed urgently - can anyone help?

Due to unforeseen circumstances, I need a lift on week days from Icklingham to Thetford and back, arriving around 08.30 in Thetford and leaving after 17.00.

I would of course happily contribute to fuel costs. If you can help, please text/message me on 07982 843990.

> Many thanks Delia Smith (sadly, not the famous one)!