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Foxley Litter Pick	Sat 5th Nov	Foxley Village Hall; 11.00am
Bawdeswell Parish Council	Mon 7th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.30pm
Flower Arranging	Tues 8th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
FOBS	Tues 8th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 6.00pm
Ladies' Craft Club	Thurs 10th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Bawdeswell Village Cinema	Sat 12th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.00pm
Foxley Coffee Morning	Wed 16th Nov	Foxley Village Hall; 10.30am
Flower Arranging	Tues 22nd Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Ladies' Craft Club	Thurs 24th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Advent Carol Service	Sun 27th Nov	Bawdeswell Church; 6.00pm
Flower Arranging	Tues 29th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm

### Other Local Events

Event	Time/Date	Description
Lyng History Group: Lecture	Tues. 8th Nov, Lyng Village Hall, 7.30pm	Charles Lewis will be telling us about the craze in the 17th Century for tulips and the overheated market in bulbs which led to the final financial crash. Entrance £3.50 includes coffee and biscuits. There will be a raffle.
Christmas Fayre to raise funds for Tabitha Street's trip to volunteer in Borneo	Fri. 18th Nov, Northgate High School, Dereham, 7.00-9.00pm	There will be homeware, gifts, skincare, jewellery, decorations, prints, chocolates, chutneys, candles and more. £2 per person, under 5s FREE. For more info: tabithastreet@hotmail.com
Sparham Village Cinema at Sparham Old School Room	Fri. 25th Nov.: Money Monsters	Doors will be open at 7.00pm with the film starting at 7.30pm. Tickets £5 on the door. Drinks and snacks available. Reserve your seat by contacting Janet Bolderston 01362 688984 or Adam/Judith Pryke 01362 688426



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### Regular Events

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Slimming World	Mon. 5.00pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Pilates	Mon. 6.15pm and 7.15pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Table Tennis	Mon. 7.30pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Beck WI	2nd Mon. of each month 7.30pm	Old Schoolroom, Sparham
Short Mat bowls	Mon. 7pm - 9pm & Fri 7pm- 9pm	Foxley Village Hall
Hub Cafe	Tues. 9.30am - 12pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Dog Training	Tues. 7.00pm (from 18th)	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Bridge	Tues. 7.15pm, Friday 2.00pm	Tues: Foxley Village Hall, Friday: Bawdeswell VH
Yoga	Wed. 1.30pm (from 12th)	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Countrysiders	Wed. 7.00pm alternate weeks	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Table Tennis	Wed. evening	Foxley Village Hall
Kettlebells with Lucy	Thurs. 6.30pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Little Monkeys	Fri. (term time) 9.30 - 11.30am	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Fitness Class with Val	Sat. 9.30am - 10.30am Thurs. 10am - 11am	Foxley Village Hall Foxley Village Hall
Games Afternoon	Sat. 1.00pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall

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## Letters

### Thank you

I live on The Street in Bawdeswell and on 14/9 I went to London for my granddaughter's 1st birthday. My dog sitter had an accident on 14/9 after picking my dog up, so I had to come back home because when he lost control of his car and ended up in a field (car on its roof) he had my dog in the car. Blu (my dog's name) got out and went missing. Scared, injured, scared of the dark and not knowing where he was I called on friends in the village to help. Everyone knows what Blu means to me and helped me so much. Looking, getting friends to post on social media, asking people they knew, calling in on me, and helping search in person was such a help to me. After two days Blu found his way home. Recovering now, I just want to say a huge thank you to all who helped me. Really big thank you.

*Bell*

### Coffee Morning Thanks

A big Thank You to all who supported my MacMillan Coffee morning in Bawdeswell Village Hall. We raised a staggering £420 for this wonderful cause. We were one of four in the village so a tremendous support from Bawdeswell.

*Jo Porter*

### Help required

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### Broadband

Have there been any changes to the village broadband? It seems to have fallen off a cliff since October 1st! Is anyone else having problems?

*Peter Seaman*

### Foxley Bowl's Club

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*Dennis Barrett (Chair)*





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## Letters

### Dog fouling

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Perhaps a notice in the Reeves Tale MIGHT prevent this happening again?

*Anon*

### Antisocial behaviour

Unfortunately, the weekend of October 8/9th saw the return of mindless vandalism in Bawdeswell. At Adams Pit, the waste bin and its contents were thrown into the water, along with the lifebuoy and other items. If a child had fallen into the water whilst the lifebuoy was missing who knows what might have happened. Such a shame to see a local beauty spot in such a state. The matter has been reported to Police who are investigating it as an offence of criminal damage. When sufficient evidence is available those responsible will be prosecuted.

Whilst on the subject of unacceptable behaviour, there have been many complaints recently of dog owners not clearing up after their dogs have fouled on the footway. The Street and Hall Road areas receive the most complaints. It's a great shame that a small number of dog owners are spoiling it for the vast majority of owners who do the right thing. The Dog Warden at Dereham has promised to take appropriate action.

*Bill Cunliffe*

*Chairman - Bawdeswell Parish Council*

### Men's Breakfast

26 men came to the FLEBBS men's breakfast on 15th October at Elsing Village Hall. As ever a cheerful time was enjoyed and a tasty breakfast eaten! £242 was sent to Nelson's Journey - with Gift Aid this will be over £300. THANK YOU for your generosity. Many thanks to the lady helpers.

*Fran Neale*

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## Village News

### The Children's Society

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The Children's Society continues to change lives every day by providing vital services including drop-in centres for young runaways and case workers to protect those already on the streets who are at risk of drug abuse and sexual exploitation.

I will be at the Christmas Wreath, Craft and Season Fair at Bawdeswell Church on Saturday 10th December from 10am to 2pm. If you can either get your box to me before then or bring it along to the church fair I will endeavour to get it emptied, counted and returned to you as soon as possible.

If anyone is interested in having a money box to help support such a worthy cause or has a query about getting their box to me, please do get in touch.

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*Jane Ewing*

### St Thomas, Foxley

Our Harvest Thanksgiving service was held on Sunday 25th September. It was a special occasion as we met to celebrate God's gifts to us in this years harvest. The church was decorated with beautiful flowers, gifts of fruit, vegetables and other foods. Thank you to everyone who contributed with their time and gifts to make this possible. The gifts, together with our collection of £120.55, were donated to the St. Martin's Trust in Norwich.

This was also the last service in Foxley church taken by the Revd. Lyn Page. It was good to have many friends present in recognition of Lyn's contribution to the lives of many of us during the past two years.





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## Village News

### Bawdeswell Village Hall



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The previous Village Sign has been refurbished by Ailsa McColville and will be hung in pride of place in the Village Hall. It was replaced by the current sign in 2011 but had been standing on the village green for nearly 30 years, since 1982. A competition with a £5 prize was run to design it, which was won by 15 year old Mark Fairhurst, a pupil at Reepham High School. It was carved by Harry Carter of Swaffham and was the last of a number of similar signs he produced. We're delighted that it is being retained in the village where it can be seen by all and protected from the weather.

The recent successful Tony's Trosh donated £570 to the Village Hall in memory of Chris Hood who was a worker for the new building and a wonderful supporter and fundraiser. It is planned to purchase something special. We are also holding a donation in memory of Les Beach who worked tirelessly as a volunteer Caretaker for several years and there are plans afoot to put those funds to good use also. At our October meeting we discussed the possibility of helping to fund floodlighting for the Children's football out of residue BAG money.

Our Treasurer, William Mason, who has done the most fantastic job setting up the accounting system that helps manage the Hall is stepping down. He has been Treasurer of the Village Hall since July 2012 and before that of Project Bawdeswell. Without William making sense of the financial requirements of the Lottery we would never have got through the rigours of that process. He has worked tirelessly and given hours of his time to make the new Hall a reality. He can never be thanked enough. BVH is extremely fortunate to have Jason Waller willing to take over the Treasurer's role and we are very grateful to him. Our Annual Report and Accounts have been lodged with the Charity Commission for the year to 31st March 2016.

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All staff hold the mandatory Paediatric First Aid Certificate, DBS checks, Current Safeguarding Award and Food Hygiene Certificate. We have 2 Lead Safeguarding Officers on the premises, one of which is always on site. We are planning to have a qualified teacher on site within the next 2 years in keeping with government recommendations for Early Years Childcare.

**Debbie Williams** is the owner and manager of the preschool. She holds a BA (Hons) in Inclusive Practice and Integrated working and a FdA in Children's Care, Learning and Development. She also has other training such as: Supporting Children who are Bereaved, Physical Harm, Child Sexual Exploitation training, Domestic Abuse & its impact on families, Autism Awareness, Special Educational Needs and more. Previously Debbie worked in a male prison supporting the prisoner's children and families and teaching prisoners a 6 week parenting programme. From this Deborah took on a new role as a lead Pastoral Learning Mentor in a school, where she supported children and their families in all different areas. Following on from this Scribbles Pre-school was created.

**Anna Moody** is the Deputy Manager of the pre-school. She has gained her qualifications and experience working with children through volunteering in a local primary school. She has been at Scribbles Preschool since it opened in April 2015. Anna holds a Level 3 in Early Years and Level 4 in Preparing to Teach in the Lifelong Learning Sector. She also has completed other training such as: Safeguarding Lead Practitioner, promoting positive behaviour, developing & supporting sustained shared thinking & promoting social stories. Anna will be completing her Special Educational Needs training and her Level 5 in Children's Care, Learning & Development in Autumn 2016.

**Wendy Cottrell** is our trainee nursery nurse who is completing her Level 2 in Childcare. Wendy started off at Scribbles as a Parent helper, but with increasing knowledge of caring for children, she decided on working with children as a career.

We'd like to welcome back **Lauren Catchpole**. Lauren is our apprentice who is gaining her Early Years qualification. Lauren started as a student placement with us back in 2015 and showed fabulous qualities for caring for children.



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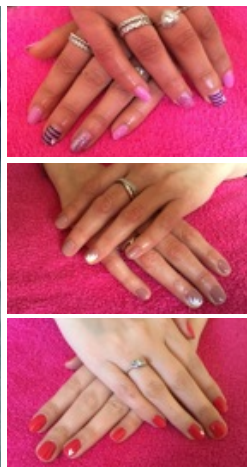
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## Clubs and Societies



### Book Club

"Go Set a Watchman" by Harper Lee



*Go Set a Watchman* is the novel Harper Lee originally submitted to her publishers before *To Kill a Mockingbird*. It was written in the mid 1950s and re-visits Jean Louise (Scout), Atticus Finch and the town of Maycome in Alabama. In this novel Jean Louise is twenty six, living and working in New York, and returning to Maycombe for her annual two week visit to her family and friends.

We find Atticus aged seventy-two, still working as a lawyer but suffering badly from arthritis, Jem has died and Scout rather diffidently resumes her romance with Hank, her father's young partner, who she thinks she might marry some day. One night she discovers that both Hank and her father are part of an organisation dedicated to preserving racial segregation. The hero of her childhood, who has taught her all she knows about fairness and equality, seems to be revealed as a racist and a bigot.

It is difficult to separate this book from its prequel (sequel?) and many of the parts within it resonate with *Mockingbird*, in particular the passages about Jean Louise's childhood, but perhaps that is what one must do to enjoy it. Those group members who had not read *To Kill a Mockingbird* seemed to enjoy it most.

The dialogue is clunky at times and the ending is a little rushed as though Harper Lee had lost faith in it. As one member said you can almost hear the publisher saying 'I think there's a story here, perhaps you could do more about the children and this case he defended'. There was a story there and this wasn't quite it but it can still be enjoyed for its insights, wit and humour.

*The Book Club meets in the Workhouse Bar on the first Thursday of every month at 8pm. We mostly obtain books from the library so there is not the expense of buying new books each month. We are currently reading "Mr. Mac and Me" by Emma Freud for discussion at our meeting on the 3rd November 2016. We will read "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens and "Hotel du Lac" By Anita Bruckner for discussion at our meeting on 1st December. New members always welcome. Enquiries: Marietta Menzies 01362 688 400.*



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## Clubs and Societies



### Bawdeswell Ladies' Craft Club

The photo is of the work we have produced in the last few months for Norfolk Knitters to distribute to various charities.

We also had a table at the Macmillan Coffee Morning held in the Hall on the 30th September and raised £25 from the sale of our goods for that charity.



We enjoy our afternoons together and are pleased to support charities from the work we do. New members are always welcome. Our November dates are the 10th and 24th at 2 pm in the Committee Room at the Village Hall.

Enquiries: Marietta Menzies 01362 688400



### Bridge Club

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The JayCee Bridge Club holds two weekly sessions. We meet every Tuesday evening at 7.15pm for a 7.30pm start at the Foxley Village Hall, and every Friday afternoon at 2.15pm for a 2.30pm start at the Bawdeswell Village Hall in the Meeting Room. Please contact Roger or Patsy for information, or to confirm a session is to take place. Whilst we aspire to play well, our range of bridge playing abilities means that it's really bridge for fun! No regular partners are needed.

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### Bawdeswell Bowls Club

This season has been enjoyable as well as successful. The green was playing to a very high standard, gaining high praise from both home and away teams. Bintree, Foulsham and Lakeside have all had good seasons playing on the Bawdeswell green. Finally the new village hall has been a great asset this season.

Contact **Paul** on **01362 688615** for further information.



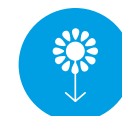
### Short Mat Bowls

Foxley Village Hall

Every Monday 7pm - 9pm and Friday 7pm - 9pm.

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To find out more, call **Dennis** on **01362 688099** or **Carole** on **688567**.



### Flower arranging

2pm, Bawdeswell Village Hall, £7.50 per person, including refreshments.

Nov. 8th, Nov. 22nd, Nov. 29th, Dec. 13th.

Wreath Day: Thursday 8th December, 10.30am to 3.30pm at Bawdeswell Village Hall.

Wreath Day Sale at Bawdeswell Church: Saturday 10th December 10.00am - 2.00pm.

Contact **Sue Lilwall** on **01362 688240** for further information.



### Foxley Village Hall Coffee Morning

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## **Foxley Village Hall**

**Wednesday 2nd November at 10.30am**

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**Hope to see you there!**

## **Clubs and Societies**



### **The Friends of Bawdeswell School**

We meet every second Tuesday of the month at Bawdeswell Village Hall Meeting Room, 6pm. New members always welcome. Help as little or as much as you like.



### **Beck WI**

The Beck is an enthusiastic group which meets on the second Monday of each month at 7.30pm in the Old School Room, Sparham. We continue to run a very varied programme and guests are always welcome to join us.

This month we invited back Sarah Phillipson who gave us another wonderful presentation on her travels in warmer parts of the world. Her close up photographs of wildlife in the Galapagos, Brazil, Peru and Mexico (to name but a few places Sarah has visited) were beautifully composed and accompanied by an informative narrative. We were all left feeling extremely envious of both her experiences and her skills with a camera!

It's also worth mentioning that several of our members are walking from Sparham to Elsing to raise money for Denman College – the first course is at the start of the walk and there is a well-earned pudding at the end!

**Next meeting November 14th – Annual Meeting followed by a Social Evening**

We are always looking to recruit new members. Please contact **Christine Woor** on **01603 872427** or **Liz Waddy** on **01362 688910** for further information.



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### Fifty and Beyond (FAB)

FAB meets on the first Wednesday of every other month at 10.30am - 12pm at Foxley Village Hall. Our next meeting on Wednesday 2nd November will include a talk with illustrations on 'Old Dereham', by Gordon Olley which should be really interesting. We will have the usual good company, home made refreshments, jigsaw swap and our famous raffle. This will also be our last meeting before our Christmas Party which is on Thursday 1st December at Bawdeswell Village Hall. Tickets for this event will be on sale (£3) at the November meeting and this is usually a sell out so please get your tickets early.

If getting there is a problem we can arrange transport. For this or any other enquiries, ring Bill and Jackie Cunliffe on **688956** or Janet Cockburn on **688749**.



### Little Monkeys Parent and Toddler Group

Come along to our friendly group for parents, grandparents and their 0-4 year olds. Have a cuppa and a chat while your little one plays, or maybe join your child for fun craft activities and messy play. Best of all, your home gets to stay nice and tidy...for a morning anyway!

Find us at Bawdeswell Village Hall every Friday morning during term time, 9.15-11.30am. Only £2 for you and your 'little monkey' (50p for each additional monkey). Includes snacks.

For more information, contact Kate on **(01362) 688911** or Anne on **688447**.



### Bawdeswell Table Tennis Club

Do come along and join us on Monday evenings. All levels of experience are welcome. We have a keen 14 year old who enjoys playing with the 'more mature' players! It would be even more fun if there were other young adults playing too. Under 16s must be accompanied by an adult. It is great fun and some of us pop into the pub after for a well earned drink!

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To book a community car, please ring Sylvia McColville on **01362 688189**, and should she be unavailable to take your call, Angela Shannon (**688111**) will make the arrangements. If you leave a message, please leave your name, address and telephone number clearly so that your call may be returned at the earliest opportunity.

*Angela Shannon – CCS Co-ordinator*



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Opening hours and locations

Weekday	Location	Opening Times
Monday	Lenwade, Bridge Inn	8.30am - 10.30am
Monday	Attlebridge Church	10.45am - 12.45pm
Tuesday	Bawdeswell Church	9.00am - 12.00pm
Tuesday	Foulsham, New Frost Hall	12.30pm - 3.30pm
Wednesday	Bintree Church	8.30am - 10.30am
Thursday	Foulsham, New Frost Hall	8.30am - 11.30am
Thursday	Lenwade, Bridge Inn	12.00pm - 2.00pm
Friday	Bawdeswell Church	9.00am - 12.00pm
Friday	Bintree Church	12.30pm - 2.30pm



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## **Christmas Buffet Lunch**

**Thursday 1st December**

**12.30pm for 1.00pm start  
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Come and start your Christmas celebrations with us at our FAB Christmas Buffet Lunch. There will be a raffle with great prizes including luxury Christmas hampers plus a free Lucky Ticket draw - not to mention lots of festive food and entertainment!

The tickets are only £3 each and will be on sale at the next FAB meeting on 2nd November at Foxley Village Hall. You can also call one of the numbers below and we will arrange to deliver your tickets. Admission is by ticket only and numbers are limited. Transport can be arranged if necessary.

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## Parish Councils

### Bawdeswell Parish Council Meeting 3rd October 2016

Present: B. Cunliffe (Chair), D. Shannon, J. Mallen, J. Lilwall, T. Smith and R. Read  
District Councillor G. Bambridge  
Mrs. J Boxall (Clerk)

Members of the public - 5

#### PC Matters

Cllr John Mallen was nominated and approved as Vice Chair.

A grant of £500 has been awarded from the Geoffrey Watling Trust towards the driveway refurbishment. Thanks were extended to Cllr Lilwall for his work in applying for the grant.

BT confirmed that the phone box on The Street is scheduled to be repainted by the end of October.

It was proposed and agreed that the £443.08 recycling money should be awarded to Bawdeswell Youth Football Club subject to confirmation of their status. The PC agreed that if in any doubt, they would review and may purchase floodlighting directly for use by Football Club. It was confirmed that the funding bid for the concreting of the recycling area has been withdrawn.

#### THANK YOU!

Thanks to all those who helped with recreation ground maintenance in October. You have done an amazing job! And thank you again to all those who contributed and helped with the grant funding/organisation of the driveway and car park repairs.

#### Dog Fouling

Fouling is an ongoing problem which affects the cleanliness of the village. Many pet owners dispose of their pet's waste responsibly, but unfortunately this is not done by all owners and cases of dog fouling in the village have been reported.

A person in charge of a dog must remove the faeces straight away if the dog has fouled, otherwise they are breaking the law and could be fined up to £1,000. Residents are encouraged to report any incidents of dog fouling using the online form at <https://www.breckland.gov.uk/litter-and-dog-fouling>.

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### Local Plan

Feedback from residents indicated they are not in support of Bawdeswell becoming a Local Service Centre (LSC). Concern was raised that further development could still be a possibility, even after the Two Fields Way application approval. It was accepted that the Local Plan was still a draft document and further adjustment to housing allocation figures may be necessary. A copy of the submission can be viewed on the Council website under planning.

### Section 106

The Council formulated a list of projects for submission to Breckland DC for future 106 section funding.

The next Parish Council meeting will be held on **Monday 7th November** in the Village Hall starting at 7.30pm.

If you have any concerns please contact the Parish Clerk Jo Boxall, White House, Pettywell, Reepham, NR10 4RN, Tel: 01603 879480  
Email: [bawdeswellpc@hotmail.com](mailto:bawdeswellpc@hotmail.com)

Full draft minutes from this meeting and minutes from previous meetings, including financial/audit information and policies can be found on the Parish Council website: <http://bawdeswell.norfolkparishes.gov.uk>

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## Church News

### The Friends of Bawdeswell Church

Thank you to everyone who came and supported our harvest supper, it was a great night with over 100 in attendance. The food was all seasonal and delicious, especially the ham! Everyone enjoyed the 'lighthearted' quiz, although some found the questions a little more difficult than perhaps they might have thought. The picture table quizzes went down particularly well and at the end of the evening we had a winner, it was close. Lots of fun! We hope to have made an excellent profit which we'll report on next month. Thanks to everyone who made the evening such a great success, it was a lovely community evening!



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Our attention now turns to our last remaining event of the year, the popular Wreath Fair, with stalls selling crafts and seasonal produce, the hamper raffle and a new addition, good quality books and 'nearly' new gifts. Do pop in, refreshments will be served and you will be guaranteed a warm, seasonal welcome.

**December 10th:** 'Christmas Wreaths, Crafts & Seasonal Produce Stalls' – Church  
10am – 2pm

We have been planning our 2017 programme of events and these are now all booked, make a note of them in your diary:

**Jan Sat 21st:** 'Friends 100 Club' thank you Reception – 7pm Village Hall

**March 25th:** 'Bingo Night with Supper' – 7pm Village Hall

**May Sat 6th:** 'Spring Barn Dance' – 7pm Village Hall

**July Sun 23rd:** 'Festival Players – Shakespeare's Merry Wives of Windsor' 6.30pm  
Church (if wet we will use the church)

**Sept 22nd-24th:** 'Harvest Flower Festival Weekend' – Harvest Supper Sat 23rd 7pm  
– Village Hall

**Dec 16th:** 'Christmas Fair with Wreaths' – 10am – 2pm Church

All ticket information: **01362 688499**.

James Lilwall – Chairman; Susan Ward – Secretary; David Shannon – Treasurer; Peter Jervis – 100 Club Secretary; Committee Members – Robin Taylor, Sandi Taylor, Angela Shannon, Nicholas Ward and Susan Lilwall.



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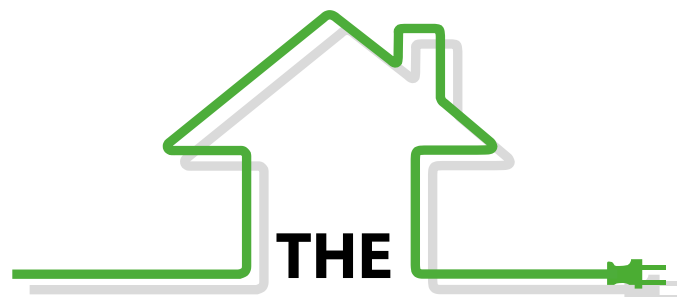
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### All Saints, Bawdeswell

During October we said goodbye to Lyn Page at a Benefice Eucharist held in Bawdeswell church, followed by a bring and share lunch at the village hall. We presented her with a Mulberry tree and a grape vine to remember us by. Soon we will be part of the Heart of Norfolk Churches Team, part of a larger group of churches lead by the Revd Sally Kimmis from North Elmham.

We also said farewell to William and Karin Mason who have been very much involved in village life, William as treasurer of the Parish Council, the Village Hall, our church and Sparham church, Karin as a school governor and leader of many children's holiday activities in the past. We will miss them all.

At our 10.30 service on October 16th Lyn baptised Tracy Herring and Lucas Finlay Harper.

Congratulations to Ken and Jane Ewing, and also William Mason, for raising record amounts by taking part again in the annual Norfolk Churches Trust sponsored cycle ride/walk. Between them they raised £715 on what was a very wet Saturday. Thank you everyone who sponsored them so generously. Half the money will be returned to us for our fabric fund. The other half will help the Trust to make grants to historic churches in urgent need of repairs.

A special service is to be held in our church on Thursday 10th November at 7.30pm at which the Revd Sally Kimmis, Team Rector designate, will be licensed by the Bishop of Lynn as Priest in Charge of Bawdeswell and Foxley.

On 13th November we are hosting the Remembrance Day service at 11.45am, for Foxley, Lyng, Elsing, Bawdeswell, Bylaugh and Sparham. The Festival Choir will sing an anthem during the laying of the wreath/s.

On 27th November there will be an Advent Carol Service at 6pm at which the Festival Choir will also be present. We are very grateful to James Lilwall and kind members of the ICENI choir who form the Festival Choir for these special occasions.

We look forward to welcoming new faces in church this November and December. Please join us for one or more of the services if you can.

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## Church News

### Letter from Sally

Remember, remember...

By some strange coincidence, November has become the month for remembering – even its name seems to be a clue.

We begin the month with the season of All Saints (1st) and All Souls (2nd). It is my intention in future years to hold a service of remembrance for our loved ones, who have died, around All Souls' Day – a time of quiet reflection when we can once again give thanks for all they have meant to us. It can be both a poignant and comforting experience for those who have been bereaved.

And then our attention turns to All Saints: many of us have our favourites (mine is St Francis, but he's a hard role-model to follow!). Three of our churches in the Heart of Norfolk Team have the dedication All Saints, and Stibbard Church celebrates its re-opening, following restoration works, on 30th October, with joy and thanks-giving all-round. But the 'saints' of the Church are not just those who have died and been consecrated by the Church, but the living saints who work tirelessly for the Church today. And to those, I would also like to give my heartfelt thanks.

13th November is Remembrance Sunday, when we will once again honour all those who have died in the service of our country and bring before God all those who serve in our Armed Forces today, and their families. I'm sure all our hearts are breaking when we look at some of the situations in the world today and feel so completely helpless. As we will hear in the Gospel-reading on Remembrance Sunday: "Nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom". Man's inhumanity towards man doesn't change across the centuries; we can only pray for peace and that God's kingdom will come and his will be done.

Before I forget – Guy Fawkes Night! Of course, it reminds us of past tensions between the Catholic Church and the (then) relatively new Church of England. Hopefully, those days are long-gone and we now enjoy and celebrate our common faith and heritage. Do make the most of this season of remembrance and bring to God your most treasured memories.

Yours, in Christ,

*Revd Sally Kimmis*





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## **Foxley Litter Pick**



**When:**

**Saturday 5th  
November at  
11:00**

**Where:** Meet at Foxley Village Hall

All equipment provided with coffee and cake  
to follow for all litter pickers.

More information from

Linda: [foxleyparishclerk@outlook.com](mailto:foxleyparishclerk@outlook.com) or

Gillian: 688450



All Saints  
Bawdeswell

# ADVENT CAROL SERVICE

With the  
All Saints Festival Choir  
Directed by James Lilwall

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November

6pm

music starts at 5.50pm  
refreshments follow the service

## Church Services

### November Church Services

Date	06/11	13/11	20/11	27/11
Season	Third Sunday before Advent	Remembrance Sunday	Christ the King	Advent Sunday
Colour	R or G	R or G	R or W	P
Foxley	09.00 HC PB RH1		10.30 HC1 RH2	18.00 EP PB CW
Lyng	09.00 HC 1 RH2		15.30 EP PB CW	10.20 W & P CW
Elsing	10.30 HC1 RH1		10.30 W & P CW	09.00 HC1 TD
Bawdeswell	10.30 Patronal Festival HC1 RH2	10.45 Rem TD	The 10.30 CW	6pm Advent Carols CW
Bylaugh		09.00 HC PB OF		09.00 MP PB CW
Sparham	10.30 OASIS	09.00 Laying of Wreath	09.00 HC PB TD	10.30 HC PB RH2

RH1: The Reverend Canon Richard Hanmer  
RH2: The Reverend Canon Robin Hewetson  
TD: The Reverend Tim Dean  
OF: The Reverend Oliver Folkard

Key:  
W&P: Words and Praise  
Oasis: Café Service  
HC: Holy Communion  
HC 1: Holy Communion Order 1

The 10.30: Informal all-age worship  
OMS: One More Step  
EP: Evening Prayer  
PB: Prayer Book





# Sunday Carvery

12 noon – 2pm

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**Chicken Liver & Brandy Pâté** red onion marmalade, melba toast

**Mushroom & Binham Blue Cheese Macaroni** topped with herb crumb (V)

**Smoked Salmon & Prawn Fish Mousse** horseradish crème fraîche, granary bread & butter

## Main

**Roast Breast of Norfolk Turkey**

smoked bacon & sausage meat stuffing, duck fat roasties, gravy

**Medallions of Pork Fillet**

duck fat roasties, roast shallots, wild mushroom & masala sauce

**Grilled Fillet of Sea Bass**

chive crushed new potatoes, braised fennel, lemon & white wine cream sauce

**Roast Med Veg & Chestnut Puff Pastry Plait (V)**

crushed new potatoes, port, orange & fresh cranberry sauce

All served with traditional seasonal vegetables

## Desserts

**Homemade Christmas Pudding** mulled plums, brandy sauce (contains nuts)

**Old English Raspberry & Sherry Trifle**

**Dark & White Chocolate Mousse** Chantilly cream, chocolate pencil, vanilla ice cream

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