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It seems impossible to be mentioning this now (where does the time go?), but the next edition of The Reeve's Tale is a double edition which covers December and January. So if you have any announcements or events in January, please make sure you send them in to us before the 15th November.

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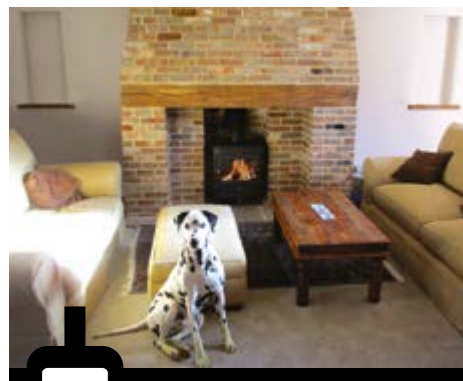
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### November Events

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Book Club	Thurs 1st Nov	The Old Workhouse; 8.00pm
Foxley Litter Pick	Sat 3rd Nov	Foxley Village Hall; 10.30am
Flower Arranging	Tues 6th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Knit and Natter	Thurs 8th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Bawdeswell Parish Council	Thurs 8th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.30pm
Cafe Philosophique	Thurs 8th Nov	The Old Workhouse; 7.30pm
Bawdeswell Village Cinema	Sat 10th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.30pm
FOBS Children's Book Sale	Fri 16th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 9.30am
Bingo	Sat 17th Nov	Foxley Village Hall; 7.30pm
Mobile Library	Tues 20th Nov	From 10.45am
Flower Arranging	Tues 20th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Foxley Coffee Morning	Wed 21st Nov	Foxley Village Hall; 10.30am
Knit and Natter	Thurs 22nd Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
FOBS Quiz Night	Sat 24th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.00pm
Flower Arranging	Tues 27th Nov	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm

### Other local events

Event	Date	Location(s) & Details
Elsing Village Hall Charity Remembrance Dinner 2018	Saturday 3rd November	Five course culinary extravaganza, with choir, raffle and auction. Tickets £25. Contact Alan: 01362 638445.
Lady-Birds, Gt Witchingham, Ceilidh	Saturday 10th November 7pm - 11pm	With Barley Mow, tickets are £12 which includes a 2 course dinner (ploughmans + Ice-cream), Bar available. Tickets can be reserved by calling Kay Skelton on 07979 085231.
Reepham Gardening Club: David Boulton, photographer: Images of Gardens Great and Small	Tuesday 20th November, 7.45pm	Reepham Town Hall. More info: Jeff Johnson 01362 680066 or reephamgardenclub.org.uk



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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
Pilates	Tues. 6.15pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Bridge	Tues. 6.45pm, Friday 2.15pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Zumba Gold	Wed. 9am to 10am	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Yoga	Wed. 10.30am to 11.30am	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Youth Football Club	Wed. 6.00pm - 8.00pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Weight Watchers	Wed. 6.00pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Little Monkeys	Fri. (term time) 9.15 - 11.30am	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Games Afternoon	Sat. 1.30pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall



## Ceilidh Night

Traditional folk music provided by Barley Mow

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Our Ceilidh night last year was so successful, we are doing it again this year!

**Ticket Price: £12.00**  
**Date: Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November 18**  
**Venue: Great Witchingham Village Hall**  
**Time: 7pm-11pm**  
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## LETTERS

### Janet Stewart 1922-2018

Sandi and Robin Taylor would like to thank all those who sent them cards and messages of condolence on the death of Sandi's mother, Janet Stewart, on 28th September. Janet moved to Bawdeswell eight years ago from Scotland to be near family. She was made to feel very welcome and very much at home by everyone around her. The last year and a half she has lived at Hill Barn in Sparham where she has been looked after lovingly and caringly by the staff there. Thank you all.

### Proposed New Town

There has been much press coverage, rumour and speculation regarding plans to build a new town consisting of 10,000 dwellings in and around the North Elmham area. This has already caused worry to many people living in the areas affected, including Bawdeswell and Foxley. The situation at present is that the decision to agree to this proposed development will be made by Central Government in Westminster, this is unlike a normal planning application. However, current rules are that Central Government will not consent to the proposed 10,000 dwellings without the agreement of the local authority, in this case Breckland Council.

By the time this edition of The Reeve's Tale is published, Breckland Council will have debated the matter on October 25th, and they may possibly have come to a decision. However, we understand that the applicants - Landpro - will attempt to convince Central Government that, in this particular case, Breckland's consent is not necessary.

Bawdeswell Parish Council has three of its councillors, Ken Ewing, Anni Hartley-Walder and myself on an action group comprising of all Parish Councils in the area. Together, Campaign Against the New Town (CANT) will do all in its power to fight this totally unacceptable development in our countryside.

I am grateful to all those who have written letters of objection to Breckland regarding this development and to all who have signed the online petition.

I will keep you informed of developments.

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## VILLAGE NEWS

### WW1 Commemoration

In order to commemorate the ending of WW1, this seat has been purchased on behalf of the people of Bawdeswell. At present, the plan is to situate the seat on the green in the churchyard. There is already a plaque inside the church bearing the names of the fallen of Bawdeswell during WW1 and it is hoped that this metal seat will serve as a long lasting memorial. It is hoped to take delivery of the seat during November.

Bawdeswell Parish Council is very grateful to the parishioners both present and past who have very kindly and generously donated nearly £800 towards the cost of the seat.



### The Children's Society Money Boxes

Please can you return any money boxes at the Wreath Fair at All Saint's Church Bawdeswell on Saturday Dec 15th 10am -2pm.

Alternatively contact me either on 01362 688582 or via email - [jane@ewings.co.uk](mailto:jane@ewings.co.uk) - to arrange collection. Thank you!

*Jane Ewing*



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### Foxley Bells

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### Macmillan Coffee Morning - September 2018

The Macmillan coffee morning held at the Foxley Village Coffee Morning raised £260. Thank you to all those of you who attended the coffee morning and made it so enjoyable. A particularly huge thank you to all of you who made cakes.

### Book Sale: Friday 16th November 2018

9.30-11.30am at Bawdeswell Village Hall

The Friends of Bawdeswell School are holding a book sale of children's books - all proceeds will go towards providing a modern, well-stocked and inspiring new library space for pupils and staff at the school.

### St Thomas's Church, Foxley – future services

The church looked lovely for the Harvest Festival Service on 14th October, our thanks to the ladies who decorated the church. The produce and collection was given to the local food bank.

There will be no service in Foxley for November as we will join Bawdeswell for the joint Remembrance Service on Sunday 11th November at 10.45am. There will be a Carol Service at Foxley which is planned for 16th December at 3.30pm.

There will not be any regular services in January and February, but we hope to restart the normal rota of services in March.



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Bawdeswell Entertainments Group presents:

## VILLAGE NEWS

### Bawdeswell Village Hall



We're already at the tail end of autumn. I'm not sure that we're looking forward to winter, but it is definitely a time when we really appreciate our heating system. We pride ourselves on the warm welcome we give our users and are pleased that they tell us they enjoy walking into a warm building. However we are aware that on hot days some people find it too warm. So we're exploring ideas around how we might be able to create open patio-style doors. An attempt to bring the outside in.

It's true that our Hall is being well used, although sometimes users report they have difficulty finding a parking space. Consequently we're very grateful that the Parish Council is looking at the current drive and carpark area, with possible options to create overflow carpark spaces.

We are re-working our storage spaces now that we have our Beach Hut back at our disposal. It's amazing how much furniture and equipment we have. And we're adding to it again. We're thrilled to be investing in a moveable, collapsible stage system, which really widens the options our Hall offers to hirers.

A little less exciting than a new stage, but training is important. Our Trustees took part in a session that looked at the roles and responsibilities we all have in being a Trustee of a charitable organisation. We're aware that we have a big resource to look after for our community and for the generations following us.

Hopefully we can firm up arrangements to have a named handy-person to help look after the building and its maintenance. If you could add your skills to this role, we'd love to hear from you.

Bawdeswell Entertainments Group (BEG) is a group of volunteers who have come together, under this wonderful title, with an aim of working together to host some special events. So far we have promoted special dining evenings, filmed opera nights, even a gin tasting evening, and we are looking at continuing to bring different events to our Hall. We will advertise these as we plan them and let you know how and who you can buy tickets from, so that you can add them into your diary.

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### Book Club

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The book flits between the present day and the post-war period, where a mystery is eventually unravelled concerning the disappearance of her newly married sister, Sukey.

Because of Maud's persistence, Sukey's remains are finally discovered buried in Elizabeth's garden. But, how did they get there and who caused her death?

The author really gets into Maud's mind, accurately describing her frustrations in dealing with this terrible condition, the effects on her daily life and that of her family.

The members found it an interesting read on a distressing subject and a long discussion took place about this illness, of which a couple of members had personal experience.

The Book Club meets in the 'Lounge' outside 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 "Exposure" by Helen Dunmore for discussion at our meeting on 1st November and will read "Fingersmith" by Sarah Waters for discussion on 6th December. Happy reading! New members are always welcome. **Enquiries: Carolyn Good 01362 688944**

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### Bawdeswell Knit and Natter

We have completed our "Poppy Marathon". We're in the process of assembling them for our display in the church. We're now concentrating on producing items which will be for sale at the Christmas Wreath sale.

Our meetings for November are the 8th and 22nd, 2.00pm - 4.00pm. New members are always welcome. **Enquiries: Josie Beach 01362 688 869.**



### Bridge Club

Sponsored by Bawdeswell Village Hall (Registered Charity No 800970)

The JayCee Bridge Club holds two weekly sessions. We meet every Tuesday evening at 6.45pm for a 7.00pm start, and every Friday afternoon at 2.15pm for 2.30pm. Both sessions take place at 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.

Roger Fryatt: 01362 688627 or Patsy Catchpole: 01362 688352.



### Short Mat Bowls

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#### Cawston league k o cup

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Our presentation on the Cheapside hoard (jewellery from the 16th and 17th centuries) this month was an excellent overview of the extent of the hoard itself along with possible explanations about its source. The talk contained lots of lovely historical tidbits to give context to the history of its discovery in 1912. Interestingly it was exhibited at the Museum of London in 1914 and was felt to be so valuable that it was impossible to insure!

The museum continues to hold most of the pieces although some are housed at the V&A and the British Museum and our speaker highly recommended a visit to see them.

**Our November meeting on the 12th is a Social Evening with lots of chat, food and drink!**

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We always advertise on the Notice Boards outside Bawdeswell Stores and in The Reeve's Tale with details of who our speaker/entertainer will be. This is nearly always lighthearted and informal.

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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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## PARISH COUNCILS

### Bawdeswell Parish Council Meeting held on 4th October

Present: B.Cunliffe (Chair), J. Lilwall, A. Toomey, A. Hartley-Walder and District Cllr G. Bambridge, Mrs. J Boxall (Clerk), Members of the public: 2

#### Options to provide additional car parking space

It was reported that residents responsible for the funding and planning of the basketball court were happy for the court to be used for additional parking. Three quotes were obtained for the work. Clerk reported on the meeting she had earlier in the week with Sovereign Playgrounds re refurbishing deteriorating play equipment which included advice re refurbishing basketball court to maximise recreational use.

Other options to provide additional parking were suggested and financial constraints acknowledged. Clerk highlighted annual budget allocation for driveway and current lack of financial provision for the proposed scheme. It was agreed by majority that the car park be extended in principle to join basketball court subject to further financial consideration.

#### To receive information re Mile Stone and approve further action

The Mile Stone Appreciation Society contacted the Council re Bawdeswell Mile Stone refurbishment. A contribution from the PC of £150 was suggested. Following a site meeting, the offer to refurbish was withdrawn. Letter to be sent to Norfolk County Council highlighting damaged Mile Stone and enquiring about repair/consider carrying out repairs locally. The historical importance was recognised.

#### Maintenance of Church yard and approval of tree survey quote

Church wall – for repointing and replacing worn bricks it was estimated to cost around £2,000. Further quotes/information to be obtained. PC accepted quote of £245 for tree survey which was agreed unanimously.

#### Project for Parish Partnership Funding

An email was sent to Highways requesting response/costing for extension to 20MPH zone outside the school. Clerk to chase as no response received.

#### Street lighting proposal - Two Fields Way

It was confirmed that the PC do not want street lighting in Two Fields Way and are not willing to cover the cost of any additional street lighting.

#### Garden Town Development

First meeting of CANT (Campaign against New Town) to be held on 9th October. PC have written to all 49 Breckland Councillors and to MP George Freeman highlighting their objections. Correspondence has been widely circulated. Please see Council website for further information.

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### Finance

The balance of the Parish Council's Community account after invoices for September were paid is £18,555.83 and the balance of the Business money manager was £2,250.80. Project Bawdeswell account remained as £1,894.28. A generous donation of £1,270 was received for future recreation ground play area projects. A massive thank you to them and all those who have contributed to the World War 1 commemorative bench.

**Next meeting: 8th November 2018 at 7.30pm. Meeting to be held in the Village Hall. The December meeting is scheduled to be held on the 6th December 2018.**

For 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>

### Foxley Parish Council Meeting held on 11th October

Present: Mr N Mears (Chairman), Mr N Hatch, Mr M Watson, Mrs G Blyth, Mrs H Hemingray, Mrs L Rose (clerk) and 15 parishioners.

**Foxley Wood** Steve Collin, Reserves Manager for Woods and Heaths for Norfolk Wildlife Trust, addressed the meeting about possible future developments at Foxley Wood. The Trust wants to put inert stone chippings on the nature trail to keep people on the track and avoid them trampling the vegetation and compacting the soil. The trust also wants to harden the top of the seasonal car park, renew the information panel and improve signage within the site and at the entry and exit points. Natural England has been consulted and approve. The Trust will apply for funding to BIFFA, but want a letter of support from the Parish Council.

All in agreement: clerk to write letter to BIFFA outlining the council's support.

**Bus Shelters:** They have been erected and in use. Westcotec were able to install them ahead of schedule because of the very dry, hot summer. The provision of a disabled access point at the bus stop on the east side of the road is an ongoing issue. Robert Pratt, Senior Travel & Transport Officer (Information & Infrastructure), Travel & Transport Services, came out to inspect the site in August and has agreed to provide the disabled access point when funding becomes available. Clerk to provide a basic timetable for the shelter on the west side of the A1067. No decision was made about what is to happen to the old bus shelter. Clerk to consult the school transport providers who use that site.



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A vote of thanks was given to clerk for her hard work in organising the bus shelters.

**Barking dog.** Clerk contacted the dog warden who said it was a matter for environmental services as it was a noise nuisance. Fortunately, the barking has lessened considerably and is no longer such a problem. No further action.

### Planning applications

- 7 dwellings with garages – land adjacent to Lawrence Place; undecided
- Change of use for Edwards Barn, Themelthorpe Rd; Dismissed
- Safari tents at The Hawthorns, Billingford Rd; Undecided
- Application for Fishing Lodge at Moor Farm; Approved
- Outline permission for 7 dwellings with garages – adjacent to Chalet Poultry Farm, Old Fakenham Rd; Undecided

There was some confusion about whether the original application for 18 dwellings on the site had been withdrawn. Many expressed concern about the future of the land at the back of the site and whether it would at some stage be used for development. It was suggested that the land could be left for grazing or given to the village as an open space for the village to be administered by the council and used for allotments or a play area for local children.

**Garden Town:** Proposed development of 10,000 houses by Lanpro on the North Elmham, Billingford, Bintree site. HH gave a report on the recent CANT meeting and urged everyone to sign the petition (paper and online version), write to Breckland council (by email and letter) and lobby government by writing to George Freeman and Kit Malthouse. A protest group is planning to attend the Council Meeting on 25th October at Elizabeth House, Dereham, when we believe it will be discussed. Clerk to send a letter from the Parish Council to Kit Malthouse.

**Finance.** The Summary of Accounts for the period from 19 July to 10 October 2018 were approved and signed. Payments to clerk for salary and expenses, village hall and St Thomas's church for upkeep of churchyard were approved. Financial Plan for 2018 -19 was discussed. Precept to remain at level of 2017-18.

To receive and consider any items raised by members of the public, including "highways" matters. Resident concerned about parking for the recent FAB meeting that blocked the road. GB has contacted FAB organiser.

**Next meeting dates: December 13th 2018 and 21st February 2019 both in Foxley Village Hall at 7.30 pm.**

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The weather was perfect and we welcomed lots of stall holders and buyers on the day. Chaucer House drive and barn made the perfect venue for us. Our thanks must go to Nicholas and Susan Ward and all those that helped during the day; the bacon rolls went down very well!

The annual Harvest Supper with quiz was again very well supported and a great evening was had by all. The food, wine, company and quiz made for a perfect evening. Our thanks must go to all those that helped with food, setting up and more importantly the clearing up! Anne, you are a master at the kitchen dishwasher – thank you!

These two events made us a healthy £1,400 – thank you for all your continued support!



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## CHURCH NEWS

### Church Letter

Dear Friends,

By the time you read this I will have been with my wife and friends to see a performer called Ralph Mctell at the Princess theatre in Hunstanton. Those of you of mature years like myself may recall the name. At his shows he invariably says that he has made a nearly 50 year career from one hit song. That song was called "The Streets of London".

The song is among other things a series of questions such as one that starts "Have you seen the old man in a closed down market?" and its chorus, "So how can you tell me you're lonely,  
Don't say for you that the sun don't shine.  
Let me take you by the hand and lead you through the streets of London  
I'll show you something to make you change your mind.

To me it is an indictment of a society that fails to look outside itself and take note of what is happening around it. Not noticing those who are less fortunate. It is, of course, set in a big city but I wonder how many of us even in our smaller communities are aware of those same type of people. It also says to me that when I feel I've been dealt a bad hand, I need to look about me.

November is the last month of autumn and also the last month of the Christian year. It gives us a chance to take stock of where we are in our understanding of others' needs and then start preparing for that big event in December commemorating God coming to earth in Jesus and eventually showing his great compassion for the human race by suffering on the cross.

It may be a bit early but may I take the opportunity of wishing you a Happy Christmas and ask you to think at this time, how can you help others less fortunate than you?

*Norman Johnson  
(Reader, Heart of Norfolk Benefice)*



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## CHURCH SERVICES

### Bawdeswell & Foxley Church Services

November 2018

Date	04 Nov	11 <sup>th</sup> Nov	18 <sup>th</sup> Nov	25 <sup>th</sup> Nov
Season	All Saints Day	3 <sup>rd</sup> before Advent	2 <sup>nd</sup> before Advent	Christ the King
Colour	W	R	R	R
Bawdeswell	10.30 HC(1)	Remembrance 1045	The 10:30	10.30 Words and Praise
Foxley	-	with Bawdeswell	-	-

HC1: Holy Communion, Common Worship Order 1  
 HC(PB): Holy Communion, Book of Common Prayer  
 10:30 Harvest Festival with Music Group  
 Words and Praise: New Expressions

#### Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November, 4pm, St Mary's North Elmham

Service of Light and Remembrance to remember those who have died. An opportunity for coming together for prayers and to light a candle in memory of a departed loved-one.

Other services within the Benefice are detailed in Pews News  
[www.heartofnorfolkchurches.org.uk](http://www.heartofnorfolkchurches.org.uk)

**Revd Sally Kimmis Team Rector:** usual day off is Friday.  
 48 Holt Road, North Elmham NR20 5JQ  
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