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Here comes June!

June is bringing our lives back to near normal again with the re-starting of events.

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Though maybe not until after the Village BBQ, hope to see many of you there.

Anne and team

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June Events

Event	Date	Location/Time
Mobile Library	Tues 1 st June	From 11.15am
Knit and Natter	Thurs 10 th June	Bawdeswell Village Hall 2-4pm
Bawdeswell Parish Council Meeting	Thurs 3 rd June	Bawdeswell Village Hall 7.30pm
Foxley Coffee Morning	Wed 16 th June	Foxley Village Hall 10.30am
Knit and Natter	Thurs 24 th June	Bawdeswell Village Hall 2-4pm
Mobile Library	Tues 29 th June	From 11.15am
Bawdeswell Parish Council Meeting	Thurs 1 st July	Bawdeswell Village Hall 7.30pm

Other Local Events

Event	Date	Location/Time
Reepham Gardening Club	Tues 22 nd June	2pm Visit to Blickling Lodge Garden. See Letters page for more information.
Reepham WI	Thurs 24 th June	2.30pm Members Garden Party See Letters page for more information



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Hub Cafe	Tues. 10am – 12pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
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LETTERS

REEPHAM GARDENING CLUB

Tuesday, 22nd June, 2.00pm

Visit to Blickling Lodge Garden

We hope you have enjoyed our online meetings which have worked well to keep us in touch over the last few months. We now feel that we can safely meet together outside so have arranged garden visits for our June and July meetings which will take place in the afternoons.

Our June meeting will be on Tuesday 22 at 2pm at Blickling Lodge near Aylsham. Booking details will be available nearer the time so keep an eye on our website or facebook page

For more information call Jeff Johnson on [01362 680066](tel:01362680066), visit our website: www.reephامجardenclub.org.uk .

Or find us on facebook: Reephام Gardening Club

REEPHAM WI

Thursday 24th June 2.30pm

Garden Party

Reephام WI are resuming face to face meetings with a Garden Party in the presence of 'Her Knitted Majesty' in the Bircham Centre Garden in Reephام on 24 June. All Reephام WI members are invited.

If anyone is interested in becoming a member of the WI, please contact Christine Smith, Reephام WI Secretary, at williamsmith110@btinternet.com.

Diary Date:- Calling all Crafters - Reephام WI Sale

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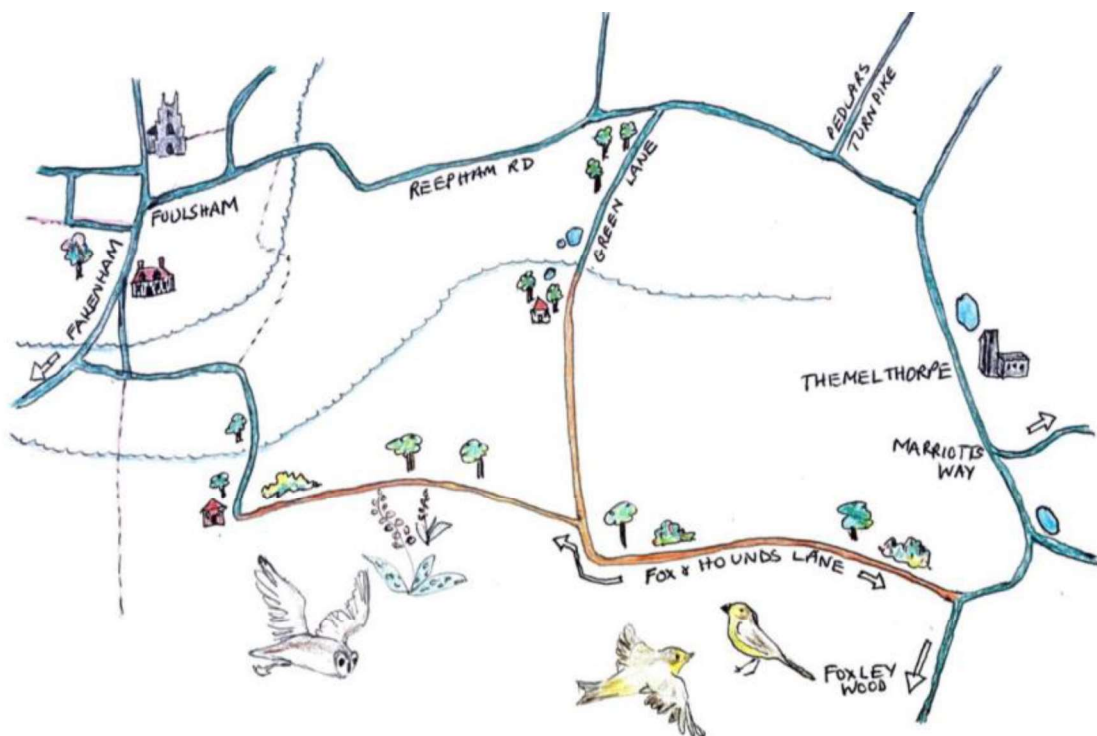
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Fox and Hounds Lane between Foulsham and Themelthorpe

As near neighbours of Foulsham and Themelthorpe you might be interested in a community initiative called 'Reclaim the Lane', that is aiming to address the destruction of the above unsurfaced County Council maintained road by applying to have it reclassified to exclude motorised vehicles. During the various lockdowns, when we all explored the countryside more from our doorsteps, many people noticed how quickly the surface of this green lane deteriorated when it was used by motorised vehicles. We also noticed more how important it is for the people who live here.



Our initial approach was to speak to Norfolk Highways who closed the lane for a year under emergency procedures because its surface was (and is) dangerous. This will give them an opportunity to repair it and they have already deposited 180 tonnes of crushed concrete on a stretch of only about 100m at the Themelthorpe end. They are currently waiting for it to dry out sufficiently before they continue. Unfortunately, the road closure has not deterred some green laners from using it illegally and the surface has deteriorated further. Particularly when it has rained the lane is not usable by walkers, cyclists and horse riders at all. 4x4 vehicles have made water filled ruts that are over 50cm deep in places and motorbikes have created narrow, uneven tracks in the middle.

In addition, water mixed with clay makes for a very slippery surface, so hopping from good spot to good spot really isn't an option. The Green Party candidate in the last local election, Sarah Morgan, said she was saddened by the destruction when she visited last month, as are many other local people. Please take a look for yourself if you think this description must be an exaggeration. We want to reclaim the lane for the 3/4 of potential users who are currently unfairly excluded from it and are supported in this attempt by our MP Jerome Mayhew, County and District Councillor Greg Peck and the new Police and Crime Commissioner Giles Orpen-Smellie. It will cost us £8500 and the outcome is not guaranteed to go in our favour. Despite this, and despite lockdowns and social distancing, over 60 people have raised enough money in only six weeks to bring us within £3000 of the total. The strength of feeling for this lane in the community is huge.

If you would like to support the efforts of Reclaim the Lane you can donate via our crowdfunding page (<https://gofund.me/32fa9923>) where you can also find more pictures and information about our campaign. You could also save the 11th July in your diaries and come to our exciting in-person event, for which there is an advert elsewhere in this magazine.

Thanks for your interest and reading this article!

Birgit Griem

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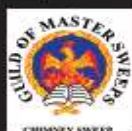
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VILLAGE NEWS

Bawdeswell Village Hall



Look what we've got!!
Our new awning really enhances the patio area of the Hall.

Grateful thanks to the Norfolk Community Foundation for helping financing the new awning. They have agreed that it will help by keeping the fresh air circulating inside the building as well as providing shade. Although the Covid restrictions are easing, we want to continue being as safe as we can. And fresh air is getting top-news billing.



Thanks also go to Breckland Council for their final grant of £8,000, towards our re-opening costs, following the Hall's closure due to the government's Covid-19 restrictions.

We're delighted to welcome back our hirers. It's really good to have so many different groups restarting after the long closure.

Don't forget, you can book the Hall for your next event.

The Trustees continue to meet (now in person), to manage the charity by overseeing the finances and operational running of the Hall. Following some damage, we have agreed to upgrade our CCTV system, to help us safeguard the building and surrounding areas. Beware, we will be able to identify people much more clearly!

To help the Trustees focus on the charity's aims, the group who previously promoted different events in the Hall, will continue to function, but under their name of Bawdeswell Entertainments Group. They have met, formed a committee and agreed their programme for the future, which you will find in the following section.

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Bawdeswell Entertainments Group – “BEG”

BEG is now the name of the 14 group members who have come together and planned a programme of different events, co-ordinating them alongside other groups and events in the local area. BEG will hire the Hall and, supported by Volunteers, run the different events.

- **Tuesday's Coffee and Take Away Hub is now open from 10:00-11:30.**

Each Tuesday BEG will, with our Volunteers' support, open the Coffee Hub.

We will of course continue to follow the government's advice, hopefully being able to offer some indoor homemade refreshments as well as the outdoor Take Away.

- **Bawdeswell's Family 'Getting-Back-Together' BBQ
Come and celebrate with us all from 4:00 p.m. Saturday 5 June.**

Bring your chairs and picnic rugs so that you can be in a “family bubble” and don't forget to **Bring Your Own drinks.**

Current government guidelines say we must be groups of less than 30, so we can spread groups into different parts of the recreation ground.

Please remember to help us all by social distancing.

(We're hoping for good weather but if it's wet, the BBQ will then take place on Sunday 6th June)

The Burgers (with veggie-burger option), Sausages, Gateaux and Ice-lollies are on us!

To help us prepare please

Ring Rob and Rita on 688875 or email on robreet@btinternet.com

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- **Future Dates for your diary:**

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23rd October – Family Bingo Night

27th November – Ballet Screening

5th December – Christmas Family Carvery Lunch



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Fri 4 th June	Southwold Day at Seaside	9.30am	£22
Sat 5 th June	Dover Castle	7.30am	£52 (EH £31)
Tues 8 th June	Kew Gardens & Kew Palace	8am	£45
Wed 9 th June	Bury St Edmunds & Market	9am	£20
Thurs 10 th June	North Norfolk & East Ruston	9am	£35
	Old Vicarage Gardens		
Fri 11 th June	Jimmy's Farm & Wildlife Park	8.30am	£38
Mon 14 th June	Devon & Cornwall 5 Day Break	7am	from £495
To Fri 18 th June			
Wed 23 rd June	Derbyshire Lunch Canal Cruise & Bakewell	7am	£60
Thurs 24 th June	Lavenham & Beth Chatto Gardens	8.30am	£30
Fri 25 th June	Blenheim Palace Flower Show	7.30am	£50
Sat 26 th June	Creative Crafts – NEC	7.30am	£42
Sat 26 th June	Houses of Parliament/Westminster Abbey	7.30am	from £66
	£28 + 2 Attractions		
Sun 27 th June	London Classic Car Show	8am	£52
Sun 27 th June	Windsor 2 Day Break	7.30am	from £210
To Mon 28 th June	with Afternoon Tea		
Wed 30 th June	Stratford Gin & Fish & Chip Cruise	7.30am	£70

July 2021

Thurs 1 st July	Vintage Essex with Lunch & Afternoon Tea	8.30am	£65
Sat 3 rd July	Mrs Brown's Boys - NEC	8am	£80
Sun 4 th July	Capel Manor Gardens & Tour (Enfield)	9.00am	£38
Thurs 8 th July	Newmarket Races Ladies Day	9.30am	£45 Grandstand £60 Premier
Fri 9 th July	Hampton Court Flower Show	7am	£60
Fri 9 th July	Hampton Court Flower Show	8am	from £200
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Bawdeswell Village Hall now has a defibrillator and are looking for people to form a volunteer group that, in an emergency, will collect the defibrillator, and will offer support and assistance until the ambulance arrives.

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Bawdeswell Bowls Club

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For information, please contact **Paul on 01362 688615, Mob 07769694574**

E-mail: paul.digby5@hotmail.co.uk



Bawdeswell Knit and Natter

Dates for June are **10th** and **24th**

2 - 4 pm at the Village Hall.

Come along and join us. New and current members welcome.

Refreshments will be available.

Enquiries: **Josie Beach 01362 688869.**



Book Club

Book Club Gatherings

Presuming that the Government's Roadmap continues as planned, we can reconvene on Thursday 1st July!!

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Bintree Bowls Club

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2. Car sharing, spectators and indoor hospitality will be permitted.

Step 4 is effective from 17 June when all restrictions are expected to be lifted. All of this, however, is dependent on the continuing control of the virus.

Our first competitive game took place on 10 May 2021 in the Elmham League which resulted in an excellent 10-0 away win against Swanton Morley Angels. This was our first competitive game since August 2019 and a very welcome return to league bowls. We also had a good start to the Cawston League season with a 9-1 away win at Horsford.

All fixtures and results for the Cawston, Elmham and Age UK leagues are shown on our website bintreebowlsclub.co.uk. Club roll-ups take place at 14.00 each Tuesday throughout the summer season and new members are always welcome to join.



Bridge Club

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The JayCee Bridge Club is now meeting online, until they are able to return to the village hall. 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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JUNE QUIZ

1. Trooping the Colour is held in London annually on a Saturday in June, on which parade ground?
2. June has two zodiac signs, name both?
3. What in the UK is celebrated on the third Sunday of June?
4. Which historical novel begins in 1815 and culminates with the 1832 June Rebellion in Paris?
5. The longest day of the year/summer solstice is on what day in June?
6. What takes place near Pilton, Somerset in the last week of June, each year?
7. The Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II took place in June of which year?
8. The Royal Norfolk Show is usually held in June. Which year did it start? 1847 or 1887 or 1907?
9. Television licences were first issued on 1 June 1946. How much did they cost?
10. On 6 June 1944, Allied forces landed in Normandy. What is this date generally known as?
11. June Brown starred in EastEnders for many years. What was the name of her character?
12. In which Shakespeare play is Malvolio thought to be suffering from midsummer madness?
13. June Whitfield famously starred with Terry Scott in the sitcom Terry and June, but in which sitcom did she play Julia Sawalha's grandmother?

(Answers on page 36)

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Fifty and Beyond (**FAB**)

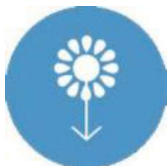
Foxley Village Hall Committee would love to restart a programme of events for **FAB**, however at this present moment of time we do not feel that we can socially distance people sufficiently at Foxley Village Hall. We will therefore be delaying the restart of **FAB** until August or October, when hopefully all government Covid restrictions will have been lifted.



Foxley Village Hall Coffee Morning

Foxley Village Hall committee are looking forward to welcoming everyone to the Foxley Coffee morning on **WEDNESDAY 16th JUNE at 10:30** am. There will be the usual mix of coffee, cakes and chat with all tables socially distanced, but no raffle this time.

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Iceni Choir

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Little Monkeys Parent and Toddler Group

Bawdeswell Village Hall every Friday morning during term time, 9.15-11.30am. £2 for you and your child, 50p for each additional child. Includes snacks.

Opening to be reviewed after Lockdown ends.

For more information, contact Tara on **01362 688826**.

Find us on Facebook: Bawdeswell Little Monkeys.



Short Mat Bowls

Foxley Village Hall Every Monday and Friday 7pm – 9pm

Short mat bowls is suspended until restrictions allow.

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



Wensum Valley Birdwatching Society

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PARISH COUNCILS

ANNUAL MEETINGS OF BAWDESWELL PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 6th MAY 2021 AT 7.30pm HELD VIRTUALLY BY ZOOM

Present: B.Cunliffe (Chair), J. Mallen, J.Lilwall, A. Toomey, A Hartley-Walder, K. Ewing, R. Reed and Mrs. J Boxall (Clerk). **Members of the public – 0**
County Councillor B. Borrett, District Councillor G. Bambridge and the Police were not in attendance

The Chairman gave a report at the Annual Parish Meeting (held on the same evening).

Residents are encouraged to read this report which gives an insight into the work of the Parish Council, their future goals and their commitment to the community. It can be viewed on the Parish Council website (under minutes).

‘Bawdeswell is a great village occupied by good people who can rest assured that their Parish Council will continue to work tirelessly to make Bawdeswell the village we all want it to be.’ Cllr Cunliffe

Election of Chair & Vice Chair

Councillor B. Cunliffe was approved as Chairman and Cllr J. Mallen as Vice Chairman.

Speeding concerns

No response had yet been received from Highways regarding the possibility of installing a permanent flashing sign just past 40mph sign on the Reepham Road and whether Parish Partnership funding would be available for this. County Councillor Borrett had offered £1000 from his budget towards the scheme. The Council agreed to progress the scheme subject to the Parish Council contributing a maximum of £2500. The Council have requested that a Highways Officer attend the next meeting to offer their suggestions for traffic calming measures.

Planning applications

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Finance

The balance of the Community account as at end of April 2021 was confirmed as £29,824.63, Business Money Manager was £2258.88, Project Bawdeswell account (earmarked reserves) was confirmed as £5006.64.

The Clerk reported that the annual gross income for the year 2020/21 was £28145.16 and annual gross expenditure was £26055.65. The Internal Auditor's report was received and noted. No concerns were raised. The Council approved Section 1 of the Annual Governance Statement, Section 2 of the Accounting Statements 2020/21 and the period for the exercise of public rights as 14th June 2021 to 23rd July 2021. All documentation will be published on the website. The accounts would now be submitted to the external auditor.

The next meetings of the Parish Council will be held on Thursday 3rd June and Thursday 1st July starting at 7.30pm. It is hoped these meetings will be held at the Village Hall with social distancing measures in place. Members of the public are warmly invited to attend. Please contact the Clerk for joining instructions or see website.

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

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

The Foxley Parish Council Meeting was delayed until 24th May, report of which will be in the July issue.

A date for the diary: The Annual Parish Meeting and Annual Parish Council Meeting will now take place on Thursday 15th July in Foxley Village Hall at 7:30 pm.

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| 2. Gemini and Cancer | 9. 1847 |
| 3. Father's Day | 10. £2 |
| 4. Les Misérables | 11. D-Day |
| 5. 21 st June | 12. Dot Cotton |
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Oct 2 nd	7pm for 7.30pm	Harvest Lunch/Supper	Village Hall
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CHURCH NEWS

Bawdeswell Church News



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Thank you everyone for your support in turning up to church during the various lockdowns. The attendance in Bawdeswell has gone up recently due to fewer services being held in other churches. We have been pleased to welcome the entire Foxley contingent and visitors from several other villages in the Benefice.

We have also benefitted from the occasional choir or Music Group filling the gap of the ban on congregational singing. Thank you all of you.

Hopefully after June we will get some news of being able to resume normal church services once again.

On Sunday 2nd May we welcomed the Revd Trudie Morris as guest preacher. Trudie is a retired minister who has moved to Dereham and has offered her help in our Benefice which we will look forward to.

Bishop Graham has announced the next Bishop of Lynn, The Venerable Dr Jane Steen, who will be living in Dereham also.

And Bishop Graham himself is going to visit Bawdeswell on Sunday 7th November to preach. He will also Confirm anyone wishing to be Confirmed on that occasion. Please pass your names on to our own Father Christopher Davies soon if that is you.

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CHURCH NEWS

Church Letter

Dear Friends.

As I write in the first few days of May, outside it is raining, it is cold and we have had the coldest April for 60 years. The thought of warm sunny June days seems to be a long way off. But then June is the first month of summer, when the promise of spring comes to fruition. Our gardens and the countryside are coming into their best.

Over the last fifteen months since the first lockdown began those same gardens and the world of nature, that some have found for the first time, have helped to ease the stress and strain of these strange times.

We must remember though, that living in our rural communities has meant that we are the lucky ones and have in, and our thoughts must be with, those who have been isolated, perhaps in high rise flats and not able to experience the joys of nature.

In Matthew chapter 6 verse 26 Jesus tells us to 'look at the birds of the air'. Looking at birds is one of my interests and this spring I have had the pleasure of watching a blue tit, wren and blackbird building nests around our garden. It has been so relaxing and enjoyable. Perhaps some of you have experienced the same.

As we are slowly released from the restrictions of the last year, I sincerely hope that the benefits of communing with the world of nature will not be quickly lost, as we return to some sense of normality.

I hope you will continue to enjoy the countryside around you. If you are able to take a holiday, I hope the sun will shine on you and refresh and relax you.

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