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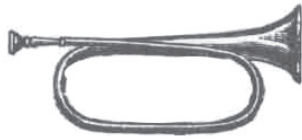
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# ED'S COMMENT

It was only a couple of issues ago the Bugle highlighted the delights of living in Bildeston and now we get the news that not one, but two significant housing developments are proposed! This has prompted a huge amount of interest and, in some places, concern in the village. The Parish Council's **July** meeting held a question and answer session with an invited District Council Officer to help deal with the issues and concerns about the possible developments. The Parish Council's Draft Minutes for that meeting on potential developments in our village made interesting reading. For example, what do the following terms in the minutes actually mean?

## ***Core village; Spatial plan; Place shaping framework; Core strategy***

There are two main reasons why such bureaucratic phrases are bandied about. The first is that it is an attempt to make a dull and insignificant issue sound very important; but the second is to make a significant issue more difficult to understand, so us ordinary folk give up and leave it to those 'in the know'. Pity, because local politics in particular should be open and clear to everyone.

If the whole process to establish a Neighbourhood Plan can take between 18 and 30 months why has the Parish Council not had this as an agenda item since 2011, 3 years after completion of the last Local Plan in 2008? Shouldn't this be an on-going process resulting in a regularly updated Local Plan? Lavenham Parish Council, for example, last did one in 2010 and are now working on their update for 2014.

It is worth remembering the relevant outcomes from the last time we were asked for our views on Bildeston's future back in 2007. The survey showed there was a majority view that Bildeston couldn't accommodate more housing. In fact 45% said No, 32% Yes and 23% don't know. Of those who wanted more housing, the clear preference was for semi-detached and terraced houses, bungalows and flats. Most people wanted Bildeston to stay as it is or develop as a working community, with only a very small proportion in favour of a commuter or retirement community or for second homes. In all stages of the 2008 Parish Plan process, traffic was the most discussed and contentious issue. Traffic management, or the lack of it, was a very emotive subject with a large majority citing it as the "*worst thing about the village*". It was no surprise, then, that the same issue was again brought up at the July meeting. Clearly traffic management through the village remains a contentious issue, with a worry it could only get worse.

Change is inevitable, it is the extent to which we feel we have a say in that change that remains so important, so it is a positive step to read that the August Parish Council meeting agreed to establish a Working Group and members of the public attending put themselves forward to be included. Well done them, and well done our Parish Council acting to establish a new Neighbourhood Plan. Let's hope we are not too late in influencing the current potential developments.

Meanwhile we have our B Natural Music Festival! We look forward to another superb weekend of wandering around our delightful village, listening to music that caters for all tastes and all ages. It's an amazing event and another example of an organisational triumph of which Bildeston can be so proud.

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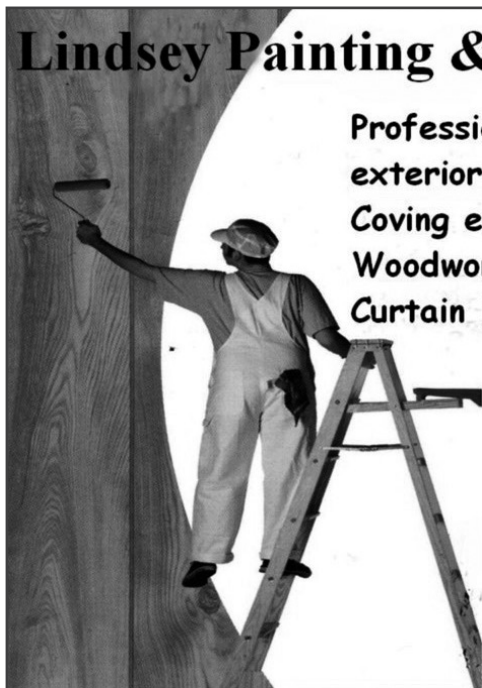
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Last month I reported on the successful hatching of five poultry chicks. All continue to grow and six weeks later their change is remarkable. They have lost their down and proper feathers are coming through. Still no idea what we have by way of hens or cocks. We were awoken early one morning at around 5-30 to the most incredible commotion and squawking from the run. Something had clearly upset them, all nine hens and five chicks were huddled tight in the hen house as far away as possible from the door. The scent of fox was clearly evident in the still morning air. I refer to our hen run "Chicken Knox" with eight foot high posts and chicken wire, any fox that gets in by my reckoning will have earned a meal!!

The only thing hen keepers loathe about foxes is the blood lust displayed if and when one manages to enter an insecure hen house. Not content with one bird and a quick exit a fox will slaughter the whole flock in a frenzy before exiting. Now I know the fox is around we will have to be even more vigilant, especially when the birds are free ranging. A crafty fox will lie in wait concealed for a hen to get close enough, and before you know it the hen is caught, the fox racing for its den and hungry cubs. I witnessed exactly this driving through Buxhall. A large dog fox, with a fine plump black hen in its mouth, shot out from a farmyard making for the woods, the hen still very much alive and doomed.



I think we may be in for a bumper hedgerow harvest. My predictions are based (loosely) on the wet winter, warm spring and by UK standards good summer so far. Our Victoria plum tree managed a miserly four plums in 2013, this year we have over one hundred all at the stage where they should continue to full term. Blackberries are in abundance, I have noted damsons and wild bullace (small yellow like damson) all looking good. Sloe berries last year were few and far between, again I think a good crop beckons.

The Swift along with Swallows and House Martins are a sure sign summer has come as they wheel high in the sky looking for insects to feed their young. The Swift looks black against the sky but in fact its feathers are a dark brown. Its flight is characterised by rapid wing beating followed by long glides and plummets. It's a sad fact that in the past 20 years Swift numbers have dropped by over 40%. Research has concluded this is due to the loss of suitable building and nest sites with modern structures affording little in the way of nooks and crannies where they like to build. Architects have been asked to include nest boxes and shelves below roof lines to encourage birds to nest, thus hopefully increasing their numbers.

## DR FAIRWEATHER'S RETIREMENT

Thank you all who sent messages of encouragement on my recent retirement, also those of you who have handed in gifts, and contributions to my collection. In addition, thank you to those who took time to come to my tea party and say a personal farewell, I hope I managed to get round and say a few words to you all, it was much appreciated. I am in the process of writing to people, please accept my apologies if it takes a bit of time as there are so many. Apologies if anyone is missed, if this happens it will be an oversight for which I can only claim human fallibility, of which I have plenty. I am totally humbled by everyone's generosity and kind words and am left with very warm memories of my time serving the community of Bildeston and surroundings. Thank you all for your wishes and gifts, but most of all for allowing me the privilege of caring for you all for 29 years. Please stop and say hello if you see me about.

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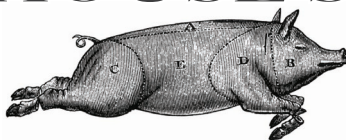




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There are only two more competitions to go until Aaron could possibly be crowned with the ultimate overall Suffolk Junior Championship. Aaron considers his best achievement to date beating all of the top professional ABT (automatic ball trap) shooters and being crowned the Suffolk County Champion as well as winning the Junior title. As a result Aaron has been selected to represent our regional team this August. Aaron told the Bugle, "I shot my personal best on sporting at my local ground Barrow Heath where I shot 93 out of 100 clays. I have gone from unclassified class to A and AA class in just two years of shooting, which is such an achievement and I am very proud and pleased with myself for meeting this goal." We are proud of you too, Aaron and wish you all the success your training and dedication deserve. Who knows, we could be watching Aaron on our screens shooting for Great Britain at the Olympics in Brazil in two years time!



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# THE BUGLE INTERVIEW

In 2006 Reverend Barbara Stanton moved to the Bildeston Rectory in Chamberlin Close and became our Parish Priest at St. Mary Magdalene. Sadly, for us, Revd. Stanton is leaving us in September moving to Somerset. Despite all the upheaval and fitting in a well deserved holiday Revd. Stanton found time for this month's Bugle interview.

## ***What was it that made you want to become a minister of the Church?***

It is something that took a number of years. Perhaps the best way to describe it is two silent voices whispering in each ear. One, the call to be a priest and the other me, saying, 'No, not me. I can never stand up in front of people and take services or attempt sermons.' You also have to remember that way back then there were no women priests let alone Bishops. In the end the call was made quite clear within one week. I heard a sermon about calling. It was quite unnerving as I felt clearly it was me being spoken to. Someone after a Bible Study mentioned it and finally the parish priest suggested it. When he said, 'have you never thought about it?' I am a bad liar, and could not say that I had not.

## ***What has been special or different being the parish priest for Bildeston?***

This is a hard one! Being here is only my second appointment. Wherever you go people are different and special. Having a Church way outside of the village in the middle of nowhere with no facilities is different. Hopefully now I am going, something will happen over this.

## ***What do you remember of your first few days at St. Mary Magdalene?***

Moving into the Rectory in 2006 was a wonderful experience. I arrived with the car loaded up to the gunnels with cleaning equipment etc. not to mention the cat! Entering the Rectory I found it to have been cleaned from top to toe and a box of delights left in the kitchen containing cake, tea and all sorts you would just need but have no idea where to find in the packed boxes. The oil tank had been filled too. As it was February, and I quickly learned about the 'lazy Suffolk wind', I thought what a lovely place with wonderful people I must be coming to.

## ***What do you believe is the place of the Church and your ministry in the 21st century?***

I think the Church should be a focus for good in the community. 21st century life is very individualistic and money centred. Many places no longer have anywhere to go to meet people with a loss of shops and pubs. More and more people live on their own. Church buildings should be open for quiet and meditation. Church activities need to

be centred on the worship of God, but also on the people in providing something for all, whatever their beliefs.

***What has been your link with other Churches and faiths in the area?***

Sadly, I have not had any links with other faiths in Suffolk, although if I lived in Ipswich this might be very different. We are fortunate to have Bildeston Baptist Church here. The Friday Community Centre is a wonderful opportunity for people to meet. This year during Lent we shared an Alpha Course explaining the Christian faith. In Whatfield there is a United Reformed Church and the Salvation Army and all three Ministers and some people used to meet for a monthly Bilbe Study until the URC Minister moved on. We have some joint services too, notably the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity, Remembrance and Christmas. All the Ministers in the area, whatever their denomination, also meet usually for breakfast about every six weeks. You could even have found them en route for Chamberlin Close. The Baptist minister at Hadleigh and I jointly took a funeral service and on a happier note while I was away this August their Youth Worker took part in a wedding at Whatfield. I have also had close links with St. Mary Hadleigh as during their interregnum I helped out with baptisms, weddings and the Friday morning toddlers' service, amongst other things.

***What is your favourite memory as Reverend for St. mary Magdalene?***

It is difficult to choose a favourite memory. I do remember the Bishop Nigel came once for the 'Swearing in of Church Wardens' and him saying how difficult it is to communicate faith even to one's own family and how he was staying with his son and by chance, looking for his coat, found his son's with Church Wardens keys in the pocket!

***What are you most proud of as a result of your time at Bildeston?***

I can't say I am proud of anything as a result of being here. Interregnums, the time parishes are without a priest, can be opportunities for not just keeping going but finding new gifts and people willing to serve the community.

***What message would you like to share with the community, Church Warden and helpers and parishioners of Bildeston?***

My message to the village, helpers, Church Warden and PCC would be to keep going, be open to God's loving Spirit. Who knows where it will lead.

***The Bugle, on behalf of all Bildeston villagers, extends our very best wishes to Revd. Barbara and appreciation for the way in which she has touched so many lives, especially those of which she may not even be aware.***

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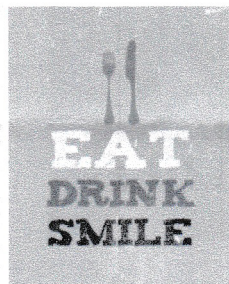
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Salt causes water retention leading to bloating, perhaps use oregano instead.

Drink water 30 minutes before a meal – A fuller feeling, so fewer calories eaten.

Always carry emergency snacks to avoid scoffing extra calories. Almonds are a great choice and a low carbohydrate snack.

Hard boiled eggs are a great snack too. Protein takes longer for your body to digest so it will keep hunger pangs at bay for longer.

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## *Recipe of the Month*



### **Trout Papillote**

**Trout en Papillot is very quick and easy, this method can be used with lots of other fish**

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#### **Ingredients**

- 2 tbsp olive oil
  - 1 quarter fennel bulb, finely sliced
  - half an onion finely sliced
  - salt and freshly ground pepper
  - 1 medium tomato sliced
  - 2 trout fillets, each weighing approx 175g
  - Olive oil to drizzle
  - Lemon juice to squeeze
  - 1 tbsp chopped dill
  - 1 tsp capers (optional)
  - 2-3 tbsp white wine
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#### **Method**

1. Preheat the oven to 200C/400F/Gas6
2. Cut out two squares each of baking paper and silver foil approx. 40cm/16in square. Lay the baking paper on top of the foil.
3. Heat a frying pan and add the olive oil. Add the sliced fennel and onion, season with salt and freshly ground black pepper and fry for about 2-3 minutes until softened.
4. Divide the fennel and onions between the two squares of baking paper and layer the sliced tomatoes on top of each heap.
5. Place a trout fillet on top of each pile of tomatoes, onions and fennel. Drizzle over some olive oil, a squeeze of lemon juice, the chopped dill and season with salt and black pepper. Sprinkle over a few capers, if using.
6. Fold the foil and paper over the fish
- and double-fold each edge to make a sealed parce, leaving a gap at the top to pour in a few tablespoons of white wine. Pour in the wine, then fully seal. The parcel should not be too tight, as steam will puff it up in the oven.
7. Place the parcels on a baking tray and bake for 12-14 minutes, or until the fish is just opaque and cooked through.
8. Serve the parcels on each plate so they can be opened at the table.





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Well aware of this, and with no funds available for improvements, we are endeavouring to raise enough funds to remodel the Oncology department and update the environment. We hope to make the area as comfortable as possible and also address some of the pressing capacity issues. The target amount of £800,000 is our long term goal, but we hope to make small but significant improvements as the fund raising progresses.

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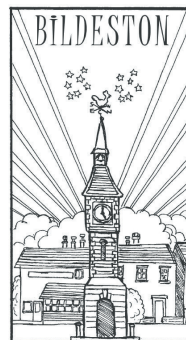
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# BILDESTON PARISH COUNCIL

## DRAFT Minutes of the meeting of Bildeston Parish Council

held on 11th August, 2014 in Chamberlin Hall at 7.30 pm



### In attendance:

**Councillors:** R Taylor (Vice-Chairman) P Bullen, D Drury, A Hubbard, R Lester

**Also Present:** County Councillor Jenny Antill District Councillor Desmond Keane, Mrs S Brown, temporary clerk took the minutes, 18 members of the public.

Councillor R Taylor, Vice-Chair opened the meeting and welcomed everyone present.

### C64/14/15 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Councillors Guttridge (Chairman) Cousins and Lindsey

### C65/14/15 DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS

Councillors Lester and Taylor declared a non-pecuniary interest by reason of being members of the Kings Pightle Management Committee and Sportsfield Management Committee.

### C66/14/15 DISPENSATIONS IN RESPECT OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS

There were none.

### C67/14/15 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Cllr Lester proposed, seconded by Cllr Drury to accept with amendments: £34 to read £34.03 item C61/14/15 Cllr Lester to read Cllr Taylor.

**It was AGREED:** That the minutes of the meeting held on 14th July, 2014 be signed by the Chairman as a correct record.

### C68/14/15 POLICE REPORT

A report was sent and read to Council covering the period 13/7/14 to 8/8/14.

A property in Newberry Road has had a property stolen on the 18th July between 0600 and 0715. A person is helping police with their enquiries.

Between 1400 on the 19th July and 2044 on the 20th July a vehicle parked on the High Street has had damage done to its tyres. There are no suspects for this crime.

The next priority setting meeting is Tuesday 16th September 2014 between 11am-12pm at Stanstead Community Centre, The Hill, Stanstead CO10 9AP

No feedback has been received in the matter of enforcement of parking in the High Street, clerk to chase. A resident advised he and his dog had been attacked by another dog the Police had been informed and an incident number given.

## **C69/14/15     SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL**

Councillor Antill attended and gave her report this included:

Tobacco and the Suffolk Pension Fund at its last Full Council meeting the Council resolved to urge the Pension Fund Trustees not to invest in the shares of Tobacco companies.

Children's Centre Consultation is set to run for a twelve-week period.

Waste Deal with Norfolk, the new energy from waste plant at Great Blakenham is now at its commissioning stage, all is going according to plan. SCC to take 40,000 tonnes per annum of residential household waste from Norfolk to feed the waste plant. Both councils will save about £1m over two years by working together. Once the plant is up and running Suffolk will only send about 3% of all waste to landfill.

Bildeston - Cllr Antill will be meeting Steve Merry, Highways engineer, in September and will request an update on the traffic calming measures. Cllr Antill was very pleased to be invited to Bildeston School to say goodbye to the head, who has been there for sixteen years. Cllr Antill looks forward to visiting and offering support to Mrs Golding, the new head, in the future.

## **C70/14/15     BABERGH DISTRICT COUNCIL**

Councillor Keane reported the amalgamation with Mid-Suffolk was going smoothly saving both Councils considerable monies. It was asked where the centre was to be for the new amalgamated Council. It was still under discussion the matter was being debated at the moment.

## **C71/14/15     TO ESTABLISH A WORKING GROUP IN THE FIRST INSTANCE TO EXPLORE FROM A COMMUNITY PERSPECTIVE, THE DEVELOPMENT NEEDS OF BILDESTON INCLUDING HOUSING NEED. TO ALSO CONSIDER INVITING MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC TO JOIN THE WORKING GROUP IF THOUGHT NECESSARY**

Council discussed the setting up of a working group and its remit, including the need to engage with the whole community, to try to have a consensus, to contact Mr Free from Babergh District Council to attend or ask for advice if thought necessary. Members of the public attending the meeting were asked if they had any comments. These included the need to understand all the community, caution to be taken if using outside companies to carry out survey on 'housing needs', infrastructure needs to be considered. Five members of the public expressed interest in joining the working group and gave their names to the clerk.

**It was AGREED:** The first meeting of the working group to take place on Wednesday, 13th August at 7.30pm in the Chamberlin Hall. The Vice-Chairman to check availability, this will not be able to be advertised, if needed, further members will be invited to attend at a later date.

## **C72/14/15     CORONATION PLAYGROUND AND SKATEPARK**

Cllr Hubbard reported the banking on one of the ramps will need work also litter is not being put in the bins.

**It was AGREED:** Cllr Guttridge to be asked to organise the annual inspection and organise any repairs. Cllr Hubbard to put up a sign asking for litter to be placed in the bin.

## **C73/14/15     TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES**

There was nothing to report

## **C74/14/15     VILLAGE GROUND MAINTENANCE ARRANGEMENTS**

EFMS had now been stood down, Bildeston's own equipment was now being used and Kings Pightle was now getting back into shape. All maintenance is on a needs basis rather than on a calendar basis.

## **C75/14/15 VILLAGE AMENITIES**

Kings Pightle: There was nothing to report

Sportsfield: Questions had been asked at the last meeting, two items of correspondence had been sent to the Parish Council. These had been replied to advising that they had been passed to the Sportsfield Committee. The Sportsfield Committee had received two complaints from residents and these had been formally replied to. The camping is going well and is manned 24/7. It had been noticed a lot of dogs are being walked on the Sportsfield, this was a matter for the Sportsfield Committee.

## **C76/14/15 MARKET PLACE**

There was nothing to report.

## **C77/14/15 CLERK'S UPDATE**

No update

## **C78/14/15 AUTHORISATION OF PAYMENTS**

It was **AGREED**: That the following payments be approved:

<b>Payee</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
S Brown	Clerk's Expenses	£91.20
EFMS	Grounds Maintenance	£661.37
A Gutteridge	Fuel	£24.73

## **C79/14/15 PLANNING MATTERS**

### **Planning Appendix A: Planning Applications Consultation**

B/14/00297 Tankard farm, Wattisham Road, IP7 7EG - Erection of 9 No. single-storey dwellings (2 No. affordable) and construction of shared vehicular access (following demolition of existing buildings on the site)

Council studied the plans and discussed the proposal. Cllr Lester proposed objecting to the Proposal, seconded by Cllr Hubbard with comments.

### **Objection with the comments:**

### **Over development and density of the development**

### **Questions re infrastructure**

### **Moves the line of the footpath**

B/14/00822 134, High Street - Change of use from 2 No. self-contained residential flats to Single dwelling house.

### **No Objection**

B/14/00878 Baptist Church, Duke Street - Erection of single-storey rear extension.

Council studied the plans and discussed the application. A member of the public expressed concern over possible increased usage.

### **No Objection as long as it does not encroach on common land.**

### **Planning Appendix B: Determined by Babergh District Council**

None

## **C80/14/15 MATTERS TO BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE COUNCIL**

A salt bin was requested for the corner of Rotherham Road and Smock Meadow. Cllr Drury



proposed purchase of a salt bin seconded by Cllr Hubbard.

**It was AGREED:** The purchase of a salt bin.

It was noted a wheelie bin of salt was also filled with dog waste. Cllr Taylor to make good. Cllr Drury advised she had contacted Orbit housing and is waiting for them to come back to her. Cllr Hubbard advised he had contacted Anglian Water re infrastructure but had not as yet received a reply. Cllr Keane to try to find a more effective contact at Anglian Water.

### **C81/14/15 PUBLIC SESSION**

It was advised the road closure for the B-Natural event letters had been circulated with only three issues coming back which had been dealt with. A member of the public expressed concern that Christmas Hall may be exceeding planning restrictions with regard to events. They were advised to contact the planning enforcement department at Babergh District Council.

### **C82/14/15 EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC**

**It was AGREED:** That by virtue of the provision of Section1(2) of the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960, the public be excluded from the remainder of the meeting on the grounds that publicity would be prejudicial to the public interest because of the confidential nature of the business to be transacted.

### **C83/14/15 LOCAL PARISHIONER'S ESTATE**

Nothing further to report

The meeting closed at 8.50pm.

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# BILDESTON RANGERS FOOTBALL CLUB

We hope you have enjoyed the Summer. Both teams have been Boot Camp Training and playing Pre-season friendlies in preparation for the forthcoming season and I am pleased to publish the fixtures for the first three months for your information and continued support. It is anticipated that the two teams will do well in their respective Cup competitions and in the event of progress to subsequent rounds clashing with a League fixture, the League fixture will be rearranged.

6/9/14 First Team Away v Cedars Park Reserves Away v Sizewell Associates

13/9/14 First Team Home v Stowupland Falcons Reserves Away v Stowupland Falcons Reserves

20/9/14 First Team Away v Saxmundham Sports Reserves Home v Somersham Reserves (Primary Cup)

27/9/14 First Team Home v AFC Hoxne Reserves Away v Halesworth Town Res.

4/10/14 First Team Away v Exning United (Junior Cup) Reserves Home v Bramford Rd OB Reserves

11/10/14 First Team Away v Stonham Aspel Reserves Home v Kesgrave Kestrels ( or Primary Cup)

18/10/14 First Team Home v Ransome Sports (Bob Coleman Cup) Reserves Away Felixstowe Harpers United A

25/10/14 First Team Junior Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> round TBA Reserves Home v Old Newton United A (Club Colours Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> rd)

1/11/14 First Team Away v Aldeburgh Town Reserves Home v Halesworth Town Reserves (or Primary Cup)

8/11/14 First Team Away v Kesgrave or Salvation Army (Bob Coleman Cup 2<sup>nd</sup> rd) Res. Home v Stradbroke United

15/11/14 First Team Home v Bacton Untd 89 Res. Away v Bramford Rd OB Res

22/11/14 First Team Juniouir Cup 3<sup>rd</sup> round Reserve Home v Sizewell Associates (or Primary Cup)

29/11/14 First Team Away v Bartons Reserves Home v Chantry Grasshoppers

Both teams will be using Red and Black home kits which were purchased last season thanks to very helpful donations from Vice Presidents and fund raising. The continued sponsorship by The Crown is also much appreciated and I am pleased to report the First Team after home match hospitality will continue to be held there. Here's hoping for a good season and a pitch that stands the test of time and weather !! Please come along and support the Club and you will be made most welcome.

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**9am to 1pm**

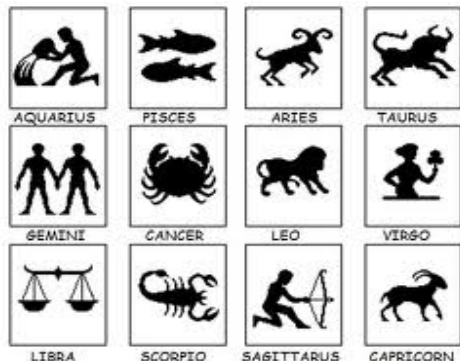
**Barbecue - Weather permitting  
Refreshments Available**

For further details and pitches contact

June on 01449 740995

Or

Lyn on 01449 741253



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## VIRGO

23rd Aug-22nd Sept

Symbol - The Maiden

Birthstone - Opal or Sapphire

Element - Earth

Virgo is the sign of work and service. Virgo people are practical and down to earth, they enjoy problem solving, and helping others with their problems too.

At times they can be quite unsocial, and spend too much time worrying, they can also be very critical, particularly of themselves. They are sensitive and caring, and can be quite shy.

Virgos like things to be tidy and organized, and are often "clean freaks". Virgos are usually very intelligent, and like to be constantly learning new things. They are meticulous, and pay great attention to detail, and are very reliable and good to have as a friend. Famous Virgos include:

Rupert Grint ( actor ). August 24th      Beyoncé Knowles September 4th

Freddie Mercury September 5th      Pippa Middleton. September 6th

Prince Harry September 15th

Happy birthday to all our Virgos!!

The Suffolk County Councillor for Cosford,  
which includes Bildeston, is Jenny Antill.

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# September 2014

## Church Services & Events in Bildeston

### St Mary Magdalene

<b>7th September</b>	9.30am Holy Communion	Bildeston
<b>14th September</b>	11.00am Morning Prayer	Bildeston
<b>21st September</b>	<b>6pm Benefice Evensong</b> <b>Rev'd Barbara's last service</b>	<b>Bildeston</b>
<b>28th September</b>	11am Harvest Festival followed by Bring and Share Lunch & Auction of Produce	Bildeston
<b>5th October</b>	11am Benefice Communion	Naughton

For more information, contact Revd Barbara Stanton  
Tel: 01449 744190 Email: b.stanton150@btinternet.com

**If anyone has any difficulty in coming to Church, please contact the Rector  
and transport can be arranged.**

For all services across the Benefice please refer to *Roundabout*,  
available in St Mary Magdalene Church

### Baptist Church, Duke Street, Bildeston

Jim Haley tel: 01449 740716 email: bildestonbc@gmail.com

**Service every Sunday morning at 10:45**

**Lunch Club: at 12:30** on the **first Wednesday** of each month –  
Anyone in the village is most welcome

**Community Coffee Centre:** Every Friday from **09:15** to **11:30**

Enjoy meeting old and new friends at these events!

**'Craft it Together' - Mondays at 7pm**

**'Men's Breakfast' - last Saturday of each month at 8am**



### **Bildeston Community Coffee Centre**

Baptist Church 9:15-11:30 ..... **Every Friday**

### **Craft it Together**

Baptist Church 19:00 ..... **Every Monday**

### **Strollers & Striders**

Baptist Church Car Park 10:00 ..... **Every Monday**

### **Baby & Toddler Group**

Baptist Church 9:45-11:45 ..... **Every Tuesday**

### **Bildeston Ladies Club**

Flower Arranging Workshop at Chamberlin Hall 7.45 ..... **Thursday 4th**

### **Bildeston Bowls Club**

Bingo Evening at Sports Pavilion 7.00pm ..... **Friday 5th**

### **'B' Natural Music Festival**

Bildeston village ..... **Sat & Sun 6th and 7th**

### **Historic Churches Trust**

Sponsored Bike Ride 9.00-5.00pm ..... **Sat 13th**

### **Chamberlin Hall**

Car Boot/Table Top sale 9.00-1.00pm ..... **Sun 14th**

Dance with Barbecue 8.00-11.45pm ..... **Sat 20th**

### **Kings Pightle AGM**

Sports Field Pavilion 7.30pm ..... **Mon 22nd**

### **'Flu' Clinic**

Bildeston Health Centre 9.00-12.00 ..... **Sat 27th**

### **Men's Breakfast**

Baptist Church 8:00 ..... **Last Saturday of the Month**



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