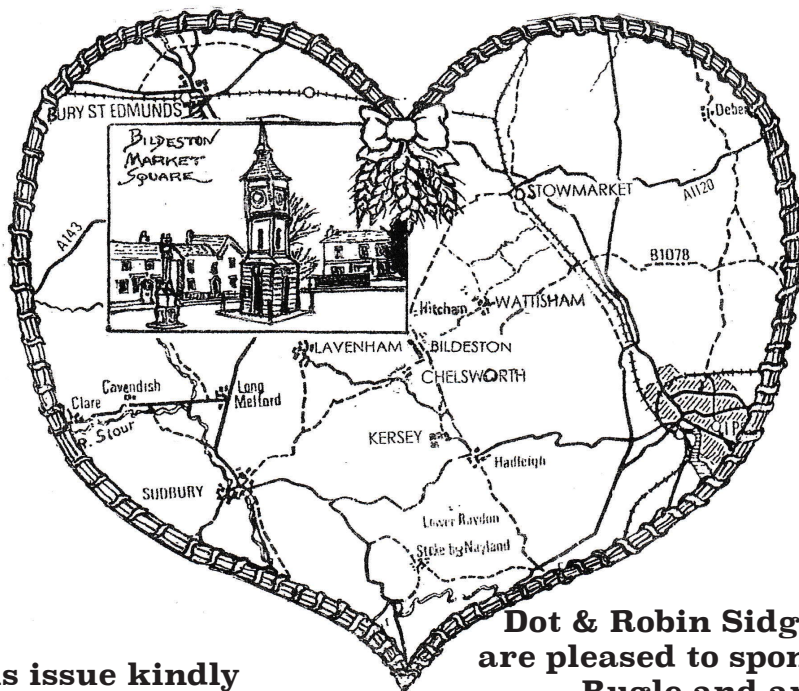
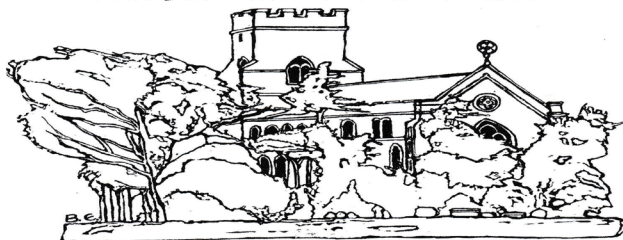


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BILDESTON PRODUCE SHOW

The Day looked set to be wet and windy, but as I drove up the hill, carefully, with my boot full of flowers and some of Steve's allotment produce, to the church I was surprised to see quite a number of entrants also with their exhibits, turning up for our annual village produce show. It turned out quite nice though.

The church was prepared the night before by the committee [who we must thank for all their hard work and weeks of planning]. Tables were laid, numbered and categorised for each class of produce, craft/handiwork, floral art, preserves, photography and baking. There was also a scarecrow competition and entries for tallest sunflower. I was a steward for the morning so helped entrants to find their class numbers in the floral categories.

When the judging was over, the church was open to the general public for viewing and many residents and their friends climbed the hill to be met with a great display of entries some with their award winning certificates.

I opened the church door with anticipation and I couldn't wait to see if I had won anything for my flower arranging and my garden flowers entries. I was splendidly surprised I had won 2 Gold, 3 Silver and 1 Bronze medals!! Steve's entries in the vegetable and pickles sections brought him 1 gold, 2 Silver and 1 Bronze! It could be you next year. It was great fun. Outside you could stop and chat over a cup of tea and cake or take a glass of wine or beer at the bar.

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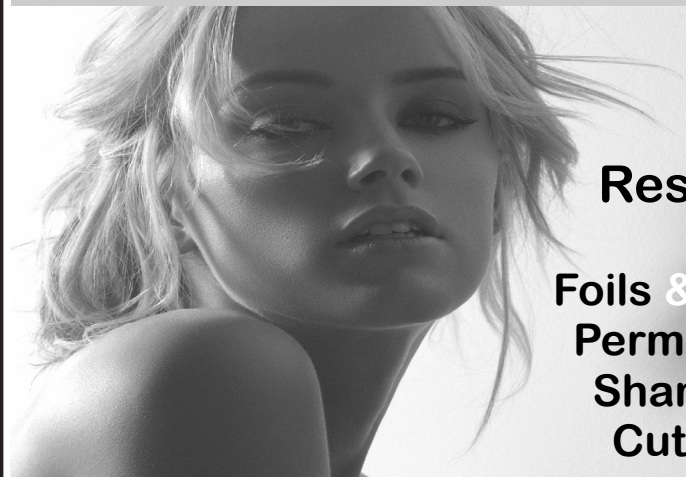


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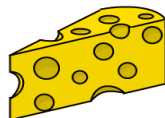
At our first meeting we were given a very informative talk by Keith and Mary Marshall about their work as unpaid volunteer Community First Responders.



Keith gave us all the background information on how the scheme is managed and how they work with the emergency services to give valuable life-saving treatment to any of us in need. Amazingly, between them they had been on call for an astonishing 380 hours last month alone – such dedication to our community is certainly praise worthy. They were able to go through the actions we need to take in an emergency and showed us the basis of CPR using one of the “Annie” dummies. Keith also gave us a valuable demonstration of the Defibrillator, which we would all have access to if needed. We were all reassured to see how the machine gives clear step by step instructions and enables anyone to use it to try to save a life, but causing considerable laughter when he explained that you do need to shave the chest hair off any hairy male first !! For those of you who don't know –the Defibrillator is housed at the health Centre and you would be given details of how to access it by the call handler during an emergency call.

Next month we will be treated to a cheese tasting and opportunity to buy delicious, locally made cheeses following a talk from Jason Salisbury of Suffolk Cheeses.

Why not come along and join us – we are a growing band of Ladies with 7 new members arriving this month alone and we were especially pleased to welcome Margy, who had travelled from Australia !!



Suffolk Cheeses - Thurs Oct 1st at 7:45 p.m. Chamberlin Hall
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Another month gone, consigned to history with just memories as we move from summer into autumn. August despite our hopes turned out to be one of the coolest on record with little in the way of sunshine. A promise of an Indian Summer is forecast. I wondered where the saying Indian summer originated. The most probable origin goes back to the very early settlers in New England. Each year they would welcome the arrival of cold wintry weather in late October when they could leave their stockades unarmed. But then came a time when it would suddenly turn warm again, and the native Americans would

decide to have one more go at the settlers. "Indian summer," the settlers called it. Sounds plausible (just) !!! It's around this time of year thoughts turn to the rich pickings available to us in the surrounding hedgerows. Sloe berries are around but still a little early to pick. Blackberries are in abundance, damsons and wild bullace are all there for the taking. Our home brew this year is a rich wild garden berry liquor consisting of blackberry, raspberry, black and red currants. These fruits are mashed with a fork to break and release the juices then put inside a sterilised demijohn. A goodly quantity of gin is added along with sugar, a cinnamon stick, pinch of cloves and you're done. Turing the bottle daily and giving a good shake dissolves the sugar, the drink should be ready to decanter and strain for Christmas. If it survives the 'tastes'!

The main hedgerow crop seems to be blackthorn (*Prunus spinosa*) covered this year with sloes only on trees that face west (the eastside catches the early morning sun that dispels spring frosts too quickly and destroys the earliest off-white fluffy blossom). These tiny rock-hard fruits with their blue-black bloom will stay on the boughs until the frosts, but can be picked with the cold spell replicated in the freezer, then steeped in gin and sugar with a twist of lemon peel in time for Christmas. The strained fruit pulp can be set in slabs of chocolate for post-festivity dental kamikaze. Put on the compost heap can result in black birds staggering around high on the alcohol content! Ancestor of the cultivated plum, blackthorn makes an efficient hedge, its spiny branches will keep out all creatures great and small, while attracting many others, but its peripheries need to be regularly clipped to keep suckers at bay. One size up is the cherry plum (*Prunus cerasifera*) and the French mirabelle (*Prunus insititia*). Varieties including 'Ruby', 'Golden sphere' and 'Mirabelle de Nancy' are delicious in jams, and make a mean plum brandy. While I was on one of my foraging walks in the Bildeston area I caught a glimpse of something in the corner of my eye. It was a large, light-colored orb in a tree. My first thought was oak galls, which can be found on some of the oaks around here. I stopped and looked. This was no oak tree, and those were not galls! They were wild plums and the tree was loaded with them. How this tree got there is a mystery. Maybe it is the result of a long forgotten autumn picnic where a plum stone was tossed into the hedgerow. These plums are very different from the cherry-plums in suburbia. The wildlings taste, well, wilder. More tannic, coated in a pretty bloom like a white wine grape. Tart like the cherry plums, but not as sugary, my kind of fruit. And they are all mine. No one else knows about this tree. It is well off the beaten path, and even though the tree is loaded and the fruit is ripe, not one had been picked. It is my secret treasure! Mike Biddulph

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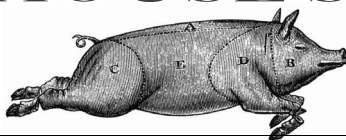
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- Our monthly **charity quiz night** is on **Thursday 29th October** at 8:30pm, please arrive by 8pm. To book a table telephone Sue or Nigel on 01449 741 434. Thanks to August's teams who raised **£232** for B Natural.
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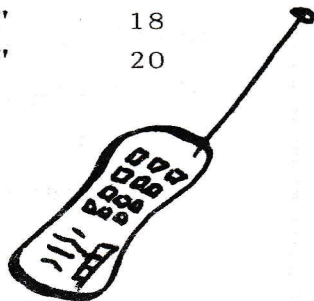
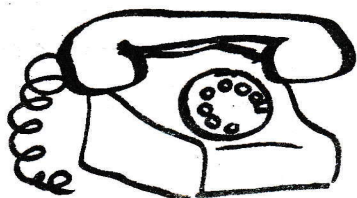
BUGLE'S 25TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR

This instalment from the Bugle archives comes from October 1995, a real trip down memory lane! Another item from Henry Morphew recalling the 1929 telephone directory for Bildeston. Wasn't life more simple then? Let us know what memories it stirs with you!

H E N R Y M O R P H E W W R I T E S . . .

Today most people are on the telephone and each one has a telephone number of six digits to remember. For most people this has been so as long as they can remember. However, there are older villagers who no doubt can recall when things were much simpler. Below is the Bildeston telephone directory of 1929.

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The weather was good and approximately 28 people came and looked around the BIFFA bird hide and used the new tables for a picnic lunch.

Children had fun completing the challenge of the nature trails and activities supplied by Suffolk Wildlife Trust. Hopefully everyone enjoyed walking through the reserve. Several people signed up to a new bird feeding rota and volunteered to join the working parties needed to maintain this valuable village asset. If you would like to join an enthusiastic and cheerful group of people on the committee or as part of the ongoing work on the reserve please come along to our AGM (see details in this month's Bugle) or contact anyone of the committee members at elainetalbott@hotmail.co.uk or tricia@triciabaldwin.wanadoo.co.uk

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THE BUGLE INTERVIEW

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What sailing class do you compete in, what type of boat and competitions?

Until very recently I raced in the RS Tera class, a youth single handed sailing boat, but I have now moved on to Racing an RS Feva, another youth class, this time double handed. The RS Tera has one sail and is a relatively new type of boat, providing competitive, high performance racing for young people. The RS Feva has three sails, this is why lots of people start in a single sailed boat like the RS Tera and then move onto a boat with more technical aspects. I race people around my age, some a bit younger some a bit older, there is an age limit on the youth classes of 18, so some people can be up to 3 years older than me. Although most tend to be my age. I race in all kind of events, ranging from local zone championships, National Championships to International events.

Tell us about your recent success in Holland?

I went for the RS Tera World Championships, in Bruinisse, Holland. I had a really great event and managed to come back with third after the week's racing. It came after lots of hard work and training, I spent lots of hours with my coaches whenever possible, and when I couldn't get out training in the boat I was out running, cycling or doing circuit training and exercises set by my coaches. I couldn't have come back with the result if it wasn't for all the support from my coaches, parents and sponsor.

Sailing is such a technical sport, how did you first learn what to do?

The first time I went out sailing I was ten and some of my friends already did it. They offered to take me and my brother Dom out in their boat, and after a taste we both wanted to continue, so we did a beginners' course at Alton Water, where I now work as an Assistant Instructor. It was fun and great to learn in but after a while we decided we wanted to start racing, so we joined Alton Water's 'Sailing Academy'. After a couple of years I got my own boat. That year lots of people started taking up RS Teras at Alton Water so an Eastern Squad was put together, based at Alton. I have now been in the squad nearly four years, and am now leaving as I move on to sail other classes. However at the end of last season I was offered a place in the National Squad, the team trained by the class to represent the country at national and international events. So last winter as well as training with the Eastern Squad I trained with the National Squad, to try and improve my sailing as much as possible.

Who are your sailing heroes and how do they inspire you?

One of my heroes has to be Sir Ben Ainslie. What inspires me about him is how he shows that there are transferrable skills across all the disciplines of sailing. He started off dinghy racing, then yacht racing, and now one of the best skippers in the America's Cup. What inspires me is his motivation and work ethic. Another Hero is Paul Larsen, the man who holds the sail powered water speed record, whom I was lucky enough to meet last year. My last inspiration in sailing is Steve Cockerill, the owner of my sponsor, Rooster. He is a very skilled sailor who holds multiple National and world titles in various different classes. I have extremely supportive parents who drive me to events, I am very grateful for that and understand that without them I would have had nowhere near the amount of success I have had.

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Here are the fixtures for the first few months and as always you will be made very welcome should you want to come along and support the team.

5/9/15	Cedars Park A
12/9/15	Sproughton Sports A
26/9/15	No fixture
3/10/15	Stowupland falcons A Junior Cup 1 st round
10/10/15	Trimley Red devils H
17/10/15	Stonham Aspel A
24/10/15	Bramford Road Old Boys H or Junior Cup 2 nd round
31/10/15	Witnesham Wasps H
7/11/15	Somersham A Bob Coleman Cup 2 nd round
14/11/15	Stowupland Falcons A
21/11/15	Salvation Army H or Junior Cup 3 rd round
28/11/15	Cedars Park A



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Ruth Finbow (Secretary)

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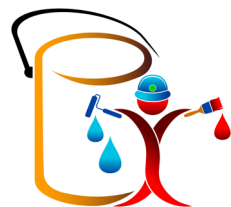
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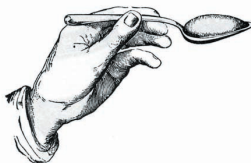
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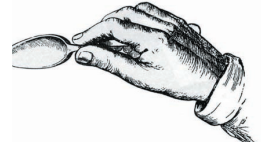
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Recipe of the Month

Salted Caramel and Apple Rolls



Ingredients

For the filling

- 200g caster sugar
- 1 tbsp water
- 200ml whipping cream
- 3 cooking apples peeled, cored, chopped into small cubes
- 3/4 tsp sea salt

For the dough

- 250 ml milk
 - 25 g butter
 - 500g strong white flour
 - 1 tsp salt
 - 1 x 7g sachet fast-action dried yeast
 - vegetable oil for greasing
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Method

1. For the filling, heat the sugar and water in a large saucepan set over a medium heat until the sugar forms a caramel. (Do not stir the caramel)
2. Meanwhile gently warm the cream in a saucepan. Carefully add one third of the cream to the caramel and once bubbling has subsided, whisk in the remaining cream and sea salt. Pour the mixture in a bowl and set aside until completely cooked.
3. For the dough, warm the milk and butter in a saucepan until the butter has melted and the mixture is lukewarm.
4. Sift the flour and salt into a large bowl. Make a well in the centre and add the yeast.
5. Stir the milk mixture into the flour mixture until the contents of the bowl comes together as a dough.
6. Turn the dough out onto a lightly floured surface and knead for five minutes, or until the dough is smooth and elastic.
7. Lightly oil a bowl with a little of the vegetable oil. Place the dough into the bowl and turn until it is covered in the oil. Cover the bowl with cling film and set aside in a warm place for one hour, or until the dough has doubled in size.
8. Lightly grease two baking trays and line with greaseproof paper.
9. Knock the dough back to its original size and turn out onto a lightly floured work surface. Roll the dough out into a large rectangle.
10. Drizzle half of the caramel over the dough then scatter with the chopped apples. Roll the dough into a tight cylinder and cut twelve 4cm slices from it.
11. Place the rolls, cut side facing upwards, onto the baking trays. Cover with a tea towel and set aside to rise for 30 minutes.
12. Preheat the oven to 200C/400F/Gas 6
13. Bake the rolls in the oven for 25-35 minutes, or until risen and golden brown. Remove the rolls from the oven and set aside to cool. Drizzle with the remaining caramel.

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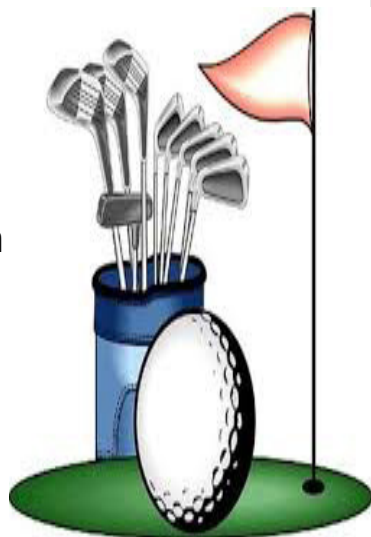
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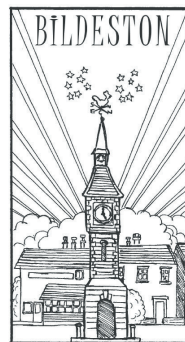
DRAFT Minutes of the meeting of Bildeston Parish Council

held on 14th, September, 2015 in Chamberlin Hall at 7.30 pm

In attendance:

Councillors: A Guttridge (Chairman) P Bullen, D Drury, A Hubbard,
D Dempsey, R Taylor

Also Present: County Councillor Mrs J Antill, District Councillor M
Creffield, Representatives of Strutt & Parker, Representatives of the
Neighbourhood Planning Group, Representatives of Keep Bildeston



Beautiful, D Blackburn (Clerk) 3 local residents of High Street

C74/15/16 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies for absence had been received from Councillors Hubbard and Lester.

C75/15/16 DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY AND NON-PECUNIARY INTERESTS

Councillors Councillor Taylor declared a non-pecuniary interest as a member of the Kings Pightle Management Committee and Sportsfield Management Committee. Councillor Drury declared a non-pecuniary interest by reason of being a member of the Sportsfield Management Committee. Councillor Guttridge declared a non-pecuniary interest by reason of being a member of the Chamberlin Hall Management Committee.

C76/15/16 DISPENSATIONS IN RESPECT OF PECUNIARY INTERESTS

There were none.

C78/15/16 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

It was AGREED: That the minutes of the meeting held on 10th August, 2015 be signed by the Vice-Chair as a correct record.

Councillor A Guttridge, the Chair of the Parish Council, referred to the BNatural Music Festival which had been held in the village during the previous weekend and congratulated the organisers for arranging such a successful event. He welcomed the attendance of representatives of the Neighbourhood Planning Working Group at BNatural and their significant efforts to re-invigorate community interest in the development of a neighbourhood plan for the village. The visit of the Tour of Britain cycle tour to Bildeston had been enjoyed by local people and the Chair referred to an article that had appeared in a recent edition of "Motorhomes" magazine on Suffolk which featured an extended section on Bildeston. Given the healthy attendance at the meeting, Councillor Guttridge took the opportunity to identify that there were two vacancies on the Parish Council and invited anyone who was interested to attend one or two meetings to find out more about the role of Parish Councillor.

C78/15/16 FORMER TAYLOR'S GARAGE SITE

Mr Will Nicholls of Strutt and Parker gave a presentation on outline proposals for residential development of the brown field site at the former Taylor's Garage site and the green field to the rear. A mixed development of approximately 45 properties was proposed containing a range of 3 and 4 bed family homes with possibly two, five-bedroomed homes. In the region of 35% of the development would be affordable homes in accordance with the District Council's planning policies. Planting around the edge of the site would be retained and there was an opportunity to help the local community through, for example, easing congestion near to the school by the creation of a new drop off arrangement with access from the new development or the implementation of other measures to alleviate the problem. Mr Nicholls indicated his wish to engage with the Parish Council, the Neighbourhood Plan Working Group and the Keep Bildeston Beautiful Group in

developing proposals for the site. However, he indicated that the extent of the development would need to take into account the viability of the site and its attractiveness to potential developers in terms of size and scale.

The Chair of the Parish Council indicated that the Parish Council would wish to reserve its position until a formal planning application was submitted, when it would be able to examine the full proposals in detail. In providing some feedback to the developer at this stage, it was suggested that the scheme should integrate effectively with the rest of the village with direct pedestrian access provided to the centre of the village. It was also suggested that the developer might wish to consider the results of the community survey that had been undertaken for the neighbourhood planning process in assessing the local demand for bungalows and the extent to which they might be incorporated within the proposals.

Mr J Target and Mr S Moffat of the Neighbourhood Plan Working Group expressed a strong wish that the growth of the village should be achieved through phased development. It was essential that any new residential developments should deliver proportionate and sustainable growth which was well-integrated with the existing village and preserved its integrity. The position of the District Council on the replacement of commercial premises with residential premises might also be ascertained by the developer.

Mr J Beales of Keep Bildeston Beautiful recognised that Bildeston was a core village within the Babergh Local Plan and that growth was planned. However, he suggested that growth had to be sustainable and must be appropriate and complimentary to the existing village. Mr Beales referred to the results of the neighbourhood planning consultation in which villagers had expressed their clear preference for smaller, rather than larger new residential developments, comprising 2 and 3 bed properties. He suggested that the developer might wish to be aware of the views that had been expressed in the residents' survey.

A local resident, Mr D Hudson, highlighted the risk of flooding in the area which was evidenced by the fact that the field to the rear of the garage had flooded in two of the past four years. It was suggested that extending the built area of the village through green field development would exacerbate this problem. The green field formed part of the flood plain and any proposed development on the land was likely to be viewed with serious concern by local residents.

Mr Nicholls indicated that the views of the local community would be considered in determining the size and scale of development and in response to the risk of flooding, he indicated that a flood risk assessment would be conducted and measures could be introduced to address any problems that were identified.

In response to a proposal by Mr Nicholls, the Chair indicated that the Parish Council would be willing to accept a further presentation at a later date on more detailed proposals for the site prior to the submission of a planning application.

In closing the item, the Chair thanked local residents and representatives of the Neighbourhood Planning group and Keep Bildeston Beautiful for their contributions to the discussion.

C79/15/16 POLICE REPORT

During the period 1st to 30th August 2015, it was noted that there had been two crimes committed in the village. In both cases, the victims had requested that there should be no publicity of the details.

C80/15/16 DISTRICT COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

Councillor M Creffield referred to the government's agenda for growth in terms of the provision of new housing, a recent visit from the Police and Crime Commissioner and Acting Chief Constable and actions he had taken to call-in for consideration by committee, planning applications where objections had been made by the Parish Council.

C81/15/16 COUNTY COUNCILLOR'S REPORT

Councillor Mrs Antill reported on the following:

- Councils across Suffolk had submitted a joint expression of interest to government about the devolution of powers from central to local government.
- The impact of the government's decision that employers must pay the living wage to their employees which could have a significant effect upon the County Council's finances where suppliers and contractors sought to pass on their additional staff costs to customers.
- Exam results across the county had improved with Suffolk ranked 118th out of 150 education authorities nationally.
- The Suffolk Waste Partnership had announced that aluminium screw tops could be recycled under a new process if the top was screwed back on to the bottle.
- It had been identified that the risk of contracting meningitis was most acute amongst 17 and 18 year olds. Therefore, free vaccines were now being offered at GP surgeries which local people were encouraged to have.
- Further to Minute 72/1516, the sign which had been removed at the junction of Hadleigh Road and Chelsworth Road would be replaced. This would be a smaller sign as suggested by a Parish Council in place of the motorway sized sign that had been in place previously in some parts of the village. It had been clarified that finger sized pointers would not be acceptable to the County Council.

C82/15/16 CLERK'S REPORT

The Clerk raised no new issues.

C83/15/16 RESPONSIBLE FINANCIAL OFFICER'S UPDATE AND AUTHORISATION OF PAYMENTS

The Parish Council noted that there had not been any substantive issues raised by the external auditor concerning the Parish Council's financial and governance arrangements for 2014/15.

It was AGREED:

- That the external auditor's report and comments be received and noted.
- That the following payments be authorised:

Payee	Description	Budget Category	Amount (incl. VAT)
David Blackburn	Clerk's Pay	Salaries & Expenses	173.09
Adrian Chinery	Grounds Maintenance	Salaries & Expenses	649.91
Adrian Chinery	Expenses relating to mowing equipment	Playgrounds & Open Spaces	384.26
BDO	External Audit	Audit	240.00

(Note: All items of expenditure to be met from the General Fund).

C84/15/16 PLANNING APPLICATIONS

Planning Appendix A: Planning Applications Consultation

Reference	B/15/01110
Address	Redwick House, High Street, Bildeston, IPSWICH, IP7 7EX
Proposal	Erection of 1 No. two-storey dwelling following demolition of existing buildings & structures

Response	<p>Objection on the following grounds:</p> <p>a. That the proposal to increase the height of the boundary wall to the roadside is unnecessary and would be detrimental to the street scene;</p> <p>b. That the orientation of the proposed building is inappropriate and would be detrimental the amenity of the neighbouring property by reason of causing overlooking of that property;</p> <p>c. That the design of the building in terms of its style and appearance is out of character with residential properties in the area.</p> <p>(The Parish Council notes that this particular planning application is not well presented making the intentions of the developer difficult to interpret.)</p>
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Reference	B/15/01105
Address	The Crown Inn, High Street, Bildeston, IPSWICH, IP7 7EB
Proposal	Fell 4 No. Sycamore trees, 4 No. fruit trees, 1 No. Cherry tree, 1 No. Rowan tree & 1 No.,. Walnut tree.
Response	No objection

Reference	B/15/01061
Address	Church Farm, Church Road, Bildeston, IPSWICH, IP7 7EE
Proposal	Change of use from agricultural to 2 No. dwellings.
Response	No objection subject to existing public rights of way being preserved and conditions being applied to safeguard the pond as it is a valuable wildlife habitat

Reference	B/15/01018
Address	Wheatear and Rowans (1&2 Church Cottages), Church Farm, Church Road, Bildeston, IPSWICH, IP7 7EE
Proposal	Application for Certificate of Lawfulness of an Existing Use-Use of cottages as single dwelling houses without compliance with restricted occupancy of condition 2 of planning permission S/72/663/C
Response	No objection (ratification of action taken by Clerk since the previous meeting)

Reference	B/15/00982
Address	Land south of Fen Farm, Fen Lane, Hitcham
Proposal	The development of a shared electronic communications base station comprising a 25m lattice tower, six antennae, two 0.6m DIA dishes and six ground based radio equipment cabinets installed within a fenced compound.
Response	No objection

Reference	B/15/01227
Address	9-11 Duke Street, Bildeston, IPSWICH, IP7 7EW
Proposal	Fell 1 no. Ash tree and reduce 1 no Sycamore tree by 30%
Response	No objection

Planning Appendix B: Determined by Babergh District Council

Reference	B/15/00851
Address	34 High Street, Bildeston, IPSWICH, IP7 7EY
Proposal	Reduce 1 no. eucalyptus tree (T1) by 40% and fell 1 no. hawthorn tree (T2)
Decision	Granted

Planning Appendix C: Miscellaneous Matters

Reference	Babergh District Council (Bildeston Footpath No. 3 (part) Public Path Diversion Order 2015
Address	Tankard farm, Wattisham Road, Bildeston, IPSWICH, IP7 7EG
Decision	Order confirmed

C85/15/16 VILLAGE AMENITIES AND OPEN SPACES

Councillor Drury reported that three steel doors had been ordered for the Sportsfield pavilion. There would be a fundraising dance for the Sportsfield at the Village Hall on Saturday, 14th November 2015. It was noted that there would be two rather than one football team playing at the Sportsfield during the 2015/16 season. Interested persons were encouraged to come forward to help run football sessions for young people.

There were no new issues relating to the Kings Pightle.

The sign at the Skate Park had been vandalised for a second time. The Grounds Maintenance Operative had taken it into storage and it would be re-erected on a backing board shortly.

The role of the Parish Council with regard to local amenities was considered following an editorial that had appeared in the most recent edition of "The Bugle". It was noted that the Parish Council appointed representatives to serve on the management committees of Chamberlin Hall, Kings Pightle and the Sportsfield and reports were submitted regularly to Parish Council meetings, especially where funding from the Parish Council was involved. The editorial in "the Bugle" had made specific reference to the management of the Chamberlin Hall being delegated by the Parish Council. The Chair indicated that the Chamberlin Hall was a separate charity which was managed in accordance with its constitution by a Management Committee. Hence, it was a separate legal entity from the Parish Council with powers and responsibilities in its own right, rather than delegated from the Parish Council. The Parish Council's formal role was limited to that of custodian trustee holding the title to the property asset. However, the Parish Council would continue to be engaged in operational aspects through its representation on the Chamberlin Hall Management Committee.

C86/15/16 MATTERS TO BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE COUNCIL

Councillor Drury reported that further to the problems discussed with County Highways about congestion along Newberry Road, a vehicle had been seen parking fully on the pavement. Councillor Dempsey indicated that the oak posts were due to be erected when re-surfacing took place.

Councillor Drury indicated that local residents had raised with her the hazards caused by two bollards when the streetlights went out at night. It was noted that the bollards were probably painted black because they were situated in the conservation area. The Chair and Vice-Chair undertook to investigate the matter.

It was noted that Councillor Lester had received an approach from a local resident about cows being in a field which had a public footpath through it.

C87/15/16 PUBLIC SESSION

There were no items raised.

C88/15/16 CONFIDENTIAL SESSION

Following the exclusion of the public in accordance with the Public Bodies (Admissions to Meetings) Act 1960, Councillor Dempsey reported upon the current legal advice received in connection with the position of the Kings Pightle Management Committee as a benefactor of Henry Morphew's legacy.

The meeting closed at 10.02pm

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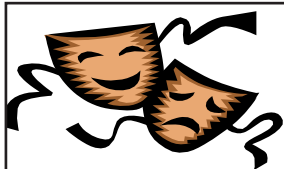


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A meeting to form this new choir, singing upbeat and contemporary music will be held
at Bildeston Primary School
on Tuesday 10th November from 7-8pm.
You can find out more about it, meet Andrea and even enrol.



C.H.A.P.S

(Chamberlin Hall Amateur Players)



It's that time of the year again for our annual pantomime preparations.

"Oh yes it is"

Would you like to be a member of C.H.A.P.S?

Although there are not enough main parts for all, there will be smaller parts available and we could always do with extra help behind the scenes, with costumes, sound, music and scenery etc.

Please come along to our meeting at

**Chamberlin Hall, Bildeston
Monday 5th October at 7.30pm**

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private view – please call 01449 741370

SPORTSFIELD NEEDS A COOKER!

The Sportsfield pavilion cooker is getting old and tired so if anyone has one which they are throwing out when they are updating their kitchen we would be ever so grateful! I am getting quite a few baby shower/party enquiries and would dearly love to have a more modern cooker to offer people but we have no spare money at the moment. Thank you in advance. Diane

PROPOSED WI FOR BILDESTON

Several of us in the village are interested in starting a WI in Bildeston.

This year the WI celebrates its centenary, so what better time to start in Bildeston.

The WI has 200,000 members, and is the largest voluntary women's organisation in the UK, this means that there is a lot of help and support to help us become established, and a lot of opportunities to learn new skills, and make new friends in the WI.

The WI has come a long way from its jam and Jerusalem image.

We are hoping to have an information evening, with the local federation representatives in November (details in November Bugle) If you are at all interested please contact me either by email: angiebiddulph@yahoo.co.uk

WANTED

Bricett Business wants gardener to cut 400 metres of thorn dwarf hedge 3/4 times a year, strim verges on a pond and business park entrance ditches embankments, and cut verges the grass with our ride on mower optional, we could that ourselves, all tools supplied. We also need to cut and tops out of Leylandi trees about 200 metres long and 16 ft high.

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Bildeston Carpet Bowls Club.

The summer league finished on the 1st Of September with the club winning section E, one place better than last year.

GROUP E	Pl W D L For Agst Pts Avg
1 Bildeston	14 7 0 7 650 491 83 5.93
2 Somersham	14 7 1 6 570 520 79 5.64
3 Old Newton	14 8 0 6 583 528 74 5.29
4 Whatfield	14 8 0 6 596 560 68 4.86
5 Hitcham	14 6 1 7 542 568 68 4.86
6 Offton & Willisham	14 7 0 7 515 576 68 4.86
7 Elmsett	14 6 1 7 572 616 66 4.71
8 Hadleigh	14 5 1 8 470 639 54 4.71

On the 2nd of September the winning teams from each of the 5 sections gathered at Needham Market for a finals competition and trophy presentation. Teams from Knodishall, Barking, Sroughton & Chelmondiston joined Bildeston in a series of games where each club played one game against each of the other clubs. Resulting in Knodishall being the overall winners.

Knodishall	8	53	25
Barking	4	54	28
Sroughton	4	22	46
Bildeston	2	38	40
Chelmondiston	2	33	61

The clubs winter season starts on the 21st of September playing in division 2 West. Home games are played on Tuesday evenings and away games on the home team's club night. The club plays friendly games and also enters the county cup & plate competitions.

Anybody interested in finding out more about carpet bowls & the club should contact Paul on 01449744360 or David on 01449740479.

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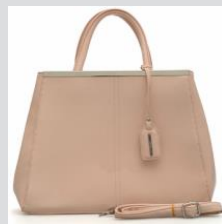
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A letter from Bildeston Rectory

I once worked with a very good minister who said at a clergy meeting that a toilet is the beginning of mission in the church. It was such an outrageous statement when we were all expecting holy and pious things, that it stuck in my mind. I didn't really appreciate it fully then, but I do now. The sooner we get a toilet and kitchen at Bildeston Church the better. And I know many of you have contributed at all sorts of fundraising events to help it happen. So you will be glad to hear we just about have the money we need and we have put in a planning application, complete with plans. You can call in to the church any day and look at them. I have pinned them on the board inside the church over on the far side opposite the door for you to see. By the time you read this we may have heard whether we can go ahead or not.

And elsewhere in this magazine you will see we are moving ahead with a community choir. We can't use the church to practise in yet (no toilet!) and it will be a bit cold over the winter, but we have asked to use the school hall for now. I do hope you will consider coming along to find our more.

And finally, by the time you read this Stuart and I will have moved I hope, so it will soon be a 'Letter from 15 Manor Road'. I expect the Rectory will be let for now, while the powers that be decide what to do next with it. We are looking forward to our warm and newly decorated bungalow. God Bless, *Yours, Rev Liz*

For Your Diary:

All Souls falls on 1st November and there will be a service at St Mary Magdalene Church, Bildeston on behalf of all of the churches in our group. It is a beautiful service where we light candles and remember those we have loved and lost, who have gone to be with God.

Sunday 1st November at 3pm with tea afterwards.

All are very welcome.

If you would like the name of your loved ones read out in this service, there will be a list to write names on at the back of the church during October.



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SERVICE SCHEDULE –October 2015

September 2015 NB – Services in bold are Benefice Services			
Oct 4th Trinity 18 Proper 22	11.00	Sunday Service	Bildeston
Oct 11th Trinity 19 Proper 23	9.30am	Holy Communion	Bildeston
Oct 18th St Luke	11.00am 4.00pm	Morning Prayer CW Deanery Healing Service	Bildeston Polstead
Oct 25th Bible Sunday	11.00am	Benefice Holy Communion	Nedging

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 –

All are 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’ - Every Monday at 7pm.

Bring along your craft activities and join us for an informal, relaxed evening -
share ideas, gain new skills or just enjoy doing your own thing.

Cost **£1.50** - drinks provided. Contact **Elaine on 01449 740716** for information

‘Men’s Breakfast’ - last Saturday of each month at 8am



Bildeston Community Coffee Centre

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

Lunch club 12.30pm.....**1st Wednesday each month**

Craft it Together

01449 740716 for details.....**Every Monday**

Strollers & Striders

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

Baby & Toddler Group

Baptist Church 9:15-11:30 **Every Tuesday**

Tuesday Evening Bike Rides

6.45pm Market Square.....**Every Tuesday**

Ladies Club

7.45pm Chamberlin Hall 'Suffolk Cheeses' **Thurs 1st**

Flu Clinic

Bildeston Health Centre 9.00 to 12.00.....**3rd and 17th**

Kings Pightle

AGM Sports Pavilion 8.00pm.....**Mon 26th**

Chamberlin Hall

Craft and Food Fair 10.00 to 4.00pm **24th & 25th**

A Night at the Races 7.30pm.....**Sat 31st**

Men's Breakfast

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

More details on events inside.

Please tell us about your events in November - 25th anniversary edition

email: editor@bildestonbugle.co.uk



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