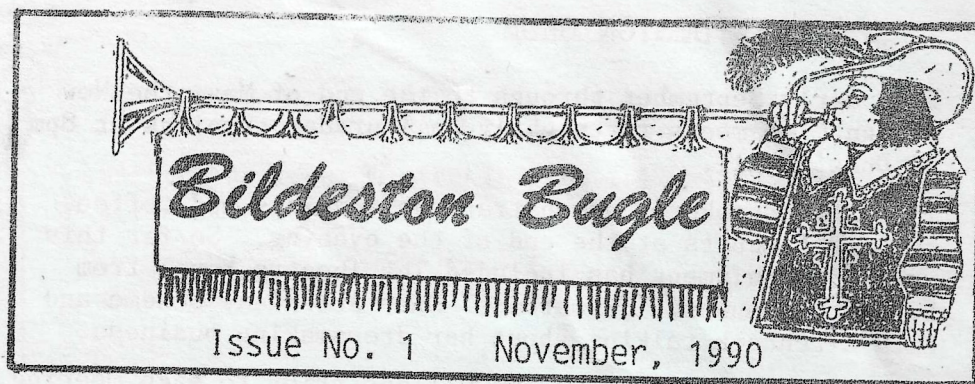




HELLO EVERYONE!

This is the first edition of your very own Bildeston Village Newsletter. There was sufficient interest and enthusiasm at the recent meeting for us to decide to go ahead with this. It is hoped that we shall be able to deliver a copy of the Bildeston Bugle free to you at the beginning of each month.

What we need to make this a successful venture is your co-operation in providing news and views about your organisation, your club or society or, indeed, your own personal thoughts on issues relating to the life of our village. Any item for the next issue, which is due the beginning of December, may be left at Tankard House, Wattisham Road, before the 20th November.

Do you have any event taking place before Christmas? If so, please let us know and we will gladly publicise it for you.

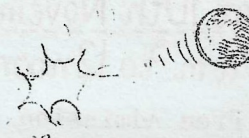
We are looking for sponsorship or advertisers to help cover costs. Potential advertisers, don't forget that the Bildeston Bugle should reach every household in Bildeston.

Many thanks to those people who have supplied reports for this first issue!

Sponsorship for this issue:

BILDESTON CRICKET CLUB

Many thanks!



NEW DESIGN CLUB

From early September through to the end of May, the New Design Club meets fortnightly on Thursday evenings at 8pm at Duke's Hall.

There are speakers, demonstrations, outings and coffee, tea and biscuits at the end of the evening. So far this year entertainment has included The Theatre Royal from Bury St. Edmunds, 'Crossroads' Care Attendant Scheme and Ruth Hitchcock talking about her dressmaking business.

Posters are displayed in the village prior to each meeting, and there are, occasionally, open meetings. Membership is £1, with a subscription of 30p at each meeting. New members are always welcome.

BILDESTON RANGERS FOOTBALL CLUB

The new season started in September. The first team play in Division 3 of the Suffolk and Ipswich League, the second team in Division 6.

The Club are hoping to continue the success of last season when both teams gained promotion. The first team, managed by John Long, have had a fine start, with 5 wins and 1 loss.

The second team, managed by Richie Brown have won 4 and lost 2, and both teams are well placed in their respective divisions.

The Club have new sponsors for the new season and wish to thank Jack and Jackie of the King's Head for their support and generosity.

Sue's Craft Stalls

Crafts by Local People
for sale at
Dukes Hall, BILDESTON
on Sat. 10th November
10a.m. to 12 noon.

Free Admission



CHURCH CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

The Christmas Bazaar in aid of Church funds will be held in Dukes Hall on Saturday, 24th November, 10am - 12 noon.

Contributions towards stocking the following stalls would be greatly appreciated:

- * Cakes
- * Groceries & Provisions
- * Fancy Goods
- * Toys & Children's Books
- * Books & Jigsaws
- * Bottle Tombola

Any small contributions towards gifts for a children's BRan Tub would also be welcome. These can be left with Rita Atkinson, Judith Cleve or Cathy Croome.

CRICKET CLUB WHIST DRIVES

The second Whist Drive of the new season will take place at The Duke's Hall, Bildeston, on Monday, 12th November, starting at 7.30pm. Admission is 50p. and this includes tea or coffee and biscuits.

During the evening a raffle is arranged for really worthwhile prizes. At the end of the evening, there are cash prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Highest Half and Miniature for both ladies and gents.

We look forward to meeting our old friends and are always ready to welcome any newcomers who would like to join us.

RESULTS—RESULTS—RESULTS

The Car Boot Sale on Sunday, 30th September, organised by the Bildeston Children's Playground Committee, raised £90. (sorry about the rain!)

Editors' Note: This will be a regular feature. Please Take this opportunity to let your supporters know how they helped!



BILDESTON YOUTH CLUB

The Youth Club will be starting up again on FRIDAY, 2nd NOVEMBER.

This is the result of a meeting held in October to try and enlist more parental help. As usual, enough parents volunteered to go on a rota for the early session, but there is still a shortfall for the late session.

The older group, in particular, need to be adequately supervised, and **UNLESS ENOUGH ADULTS TURN UP EACH WEEK, THE LATE SESSION IS UNLIKELY TO CONTINUE BEYOND CHRISTMAS.**

The Club meets each Friday in term time at Duke's Hall and new members are always welcome.

7 - 11 years 6.30 - 7.45pm.
11 - 16 years 8.00 - 10pm.

MOTHER & TODDLER GROUP

Calling all Mums (or Dads) with babies and pre-school children

DON'T JUST SIT THERE.....

Come along and join us on **TUESDAY** afternoons from 2.00pm. - 3.30pm. in **DUKE'S HALL.** Share a cup of tea and a chat - encourage the youngsters to play together - New members will be **VERY WELCOME.** 60p. per session.

Community Education ...

A reminder that **CAKE DECORATING** starts 7th November, 2pm - 4pm. for 5 weeks at Duke's Hall - it's the time to throw away the plastic robin, and show your talents!

During our recent visit to Bildeston, much interest was expressed in Children's Dance ... but as yet, there has been very few young people enrolling.... there's still time or come on the first night. Starts 1st November.

CAKES, PLEASE!

Donations of cakes will be gratefully received at 135, High Street and 9, Chapel Street for the Cake Stall and Stocking Fillers event on 8th December, 10am on the Market Square. This event has been organised by the Bildeston Children's Playground Committee.

ADVERTISING.....

Would YOUR business benefit from advertising in the Bugle, which is distributed to every house in Bildeston? Contact the Editors to discuss your copy ...

BILDESTON BOUNDERS

The Club was started in November, 1978 by a small group interested in jogging for fitness.

There are many events throughout the year from Two Miles to Ultra Races. We also take part in the Sunday Times Fun Run that takes place in Hyde Park, London, at the end of September.

Many Club members have run a marathon, some in quite creditable times, and large amounts of money has been raised for charity. We also run cross country, taking in the Norfolk and Suffolk League.

The Club organises two road races each year, the Bildeston 10Km in March and the Bounders Ten Mile in July. There are also social events during the year - bicycle rides, barbecues, treasure hunts, social evenings and 'chip and dip' (swim and eat out).

Anyone interested in joining the club should come and meet us Sunday mornings, 9.30am on the Market Square.



BILDESTON CRICKET CLUB RESULTS, 1990

Fixture	Result	Notable Performances
Chelsworth	Won	A. Wignall-21 runs N. Bolton-26
Needham Lions	Lost	
Milden	Lost	B. Quinton-28
Sudbury Institute	Won	J. Halls-27
Leavenheath (ladies)	Won	M. Bolton-3 wicks. S. Hines-18, S. Parker-18
" (men)	Won	J. Orchard-5 wicks. J. Orchard-41, N. Bolton-24
Sudbury Police	Lost	
Lavenham	Lost	
Brettenham	Lost	
Holbrook	Lost	
Rattlesden	Lost	
Gestingthorpe	Lost	
Milden	Won	
Harkstead	Won	
Sudbury Police	Lost	
Holbrook	Lost	B. Halls-47
Leavenheath(ladies)	Lost	
" (men)	Drawn	
Lavenham	Won	J. Orchard-56, A. Russell-46
Needham Lions	Won	
Brettenham	Drawn	N. Bolton-39
British Sugar	Won	N. Bolton-50 n.o.
Newton Green	Won	A. Wignall-5 wicks.
Rattlesden	Won	
Harkstead	Lost	



Anyone interested in playing for the Club is extremely welcome. Although victory is the ultimate aim during matches, the result is not really important; we try to remain a social club.

If you are interested, please contact Phil or Neil Bolton on Bildeston 741090 or Bob Halls on 740034.

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J. Halls.

A Harvest Festival Service was held at school with a theme of helping those less able to help themselves. Children's songs, mime, poetry and hymns celebrated Autumn and the Harvest. We filled our hall with people of all ages, who very kindly donated produce, which was later sold by Rev. Dedman in aid of Dr. Barnardo's, raising £55.70.



Our second target was Rumania, where the degrading scenes of orphan children and their needs have moved many to organise specific help to hospitals, orphanages etc. in that country. We collected many basic toiletries for young children. These are being collected by a Suffolk group who have adopted a Maternity Hospital and an Orphanage and have already made four trips to Rumania with aid.

This Autumn, schools in the Hadleigh area, including Bildeston, are taking part in a Christian Education Programme, linking many local churches. A team called Saltmine will be visiting school to highlight religious education in a dramatic and entertaining manner.

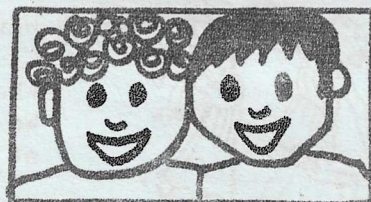
Lastly, we are taking part in the recycling business. Aluminium cans are our target.

If anyone has aluminium (non-magnetic!) cans, we have the sacks for their collection at school. These will be collected termly and should provide some income for the school, while at the same time removing ugly litter from our countryside.



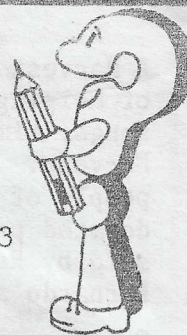
BILDESTON PLAYGROUP

Thanks to all who gave to and helped at the Annual Mimi Market in October. Nearly £250 was raised towards Playgroup funds.



Sessions are held Monday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings, 9.30 - 12 noon in Dukes Hall, for children 3 - 5 years. Newcomers welcome. Contact Sue Sadler (741166)

Dates for your Diary



NOVEMBER

- 1st Children's Dance Scene classes. 6.30pm. 8-13
7.45pm. 13+. Bildeston Primary School
- 2nd Bildeston Children's Playground A.G.M.
7.30pm. King's Head
- 5th Good Companions. 7.30pm. Duke's Hall.
- 7th Cake Decoration course. 5weeks. 2pm. - 4pm. Dukes
Hall.
- 10th Sue's Craft Stalls. 10am - 12 noon. Dukes Hall.
- 12th Bildeston Cricket Club Whist Drive. 7.30pm. Dukes Hall.
- 19th Good Companions. Talk by Police.
- 24th Parish Church Bazaar. 10am. Duke's Hall.

DECEMBER

- 3rd Good Companions Christmas Dinner
- 8th Bildeston Children's Playground Cake Stall & Stocking
Fillers. 10am. Market Square.

JANUARY, 1991

- 12th Bildeston Christmas Leftovers Auction.

GOOD COMPANIONS .. Are you 60 or over?



Why not join the Good Companions Club. Your partner can also join, whether or not they are over 60. We meet at Dukes Hall fortnightly at 7.30pm. on Mondays.

Club functions include Whist, Bingo, Card Games, Speakers, Outings, visiting other Clubs etc. See the calendar for meetings for the rest of the year.