



WINTERTON ON SEA PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER - APRIL 2010



The **Parish Council meeting** was held on **Thursday 15 April** in the Church Room and twelve residents were welcomed to the meeting.

Public discussion – concerns were raised about the potholes in the road surface on the “S bend” by Mill Farm. These are going to be repaired and the banks that have slipped will be cut back soon by NCC Highways who will be completing the work.

Borough Cllr Weymouth reported that GYBC are prosecuting two people for letting their dogs foul.

The **PCSO** reported nine crimes this month; 5 domestics, a person left a guest house without paying and three criminal damages.

The following Planning Applications and Planning decisions were reviewed:

Planning Applications:

06/10/0193F – Proposed single storey side extension at Spring Cottage, Bush Road. Winterton Parish Council had no objections.

06/10/0197/F – Addition of a conservatory to rear of previously approved detached bungalow (06/08/000/F) at Seaview (adjacent) Bush Road. Winterton Parish Council had no objections.

Planning Decisions:

06/10/0053/F – Proposed replacement dwelling at 47 Long Beach Estate. GYBC Refused.

06/10/0035/F – Provision of externally sited air source heat pumps to each of the seven dwellings previously approved under Application Nos 06/02/0606/F and 06/05/0868/F at the former Hales House site in King Street. GYBC Refused.

06/10/0018/F – New brick wall to road frontage, installation of oil tanks. Reinstatement of grass verge, amend siting of garage unit to NW Corner at former Thermaglow site, North Market Road. GYBC Approved.

Updates on Councillors responsibilities were given.

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held on Thursday 6 May in the Church Room from 7.30 pm so please come along. This is your chance to meet your Councillors, to hear from the various Clubs and Groups within the Village and to have your say about Winterton during an informal evening with coffee and biscuits.

***Next Parish Council meeting is the AGM which will be held on Thursday 20 May at 7.30 pm in the Village Hall with the election of a new Chairperson and Vice Chairperson and, as every month, all residents are welcome to attend; there is always 15 minutes allowed for public discussion.
Parish Council Surgery – Saturday 22 May 10 am – 11 am in the Village Hall***

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It was the last meeting for David Neve as both a Parish Councillor and Chairman as he is retiring after seven years with the Parish Council.

We all offer our very best wishes to David in his retirement.
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Contact details for your Parish Councillors

Michael Blake - 393749

Lynda Sharples - 393832

Richard Blayney - 394955

Chris Barlow - 393674

Di Jones - 393656

Bev Kay - 394954

Keith Harrison - 393975

Alan Hodds - 393827

Parish Clerk - Pam Winter - 393306



COME ON EVERYONE THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO CLEAR YOUR LOFTS/GARAGES!!

The Village Hall Committee is pleased to announce that there will be a Village garage/yard sale on Sunday 25 July 2010 from 10.30am – 4pm.

For anyone who has not been involved in one of these events before – this is how it works:-

Anyone in the village can choose to be included on the Village Sale Map showing all those selling from their garage/yard/garden or you can reserve a table in the village hall to sell your goods. There is a one-off **non-refundable fee of £5 for all sellers** which goes to Village Hall funds. The Sale Map will be drawn up to show the addresses of all those who will be selling from their garage or yard.

Copies of the map will be on sale from the Village Hall on the day of the sale. Light refreshments will be on sale in the Hall.

We intend to advertise this event widely – with adverts being placed in the local press and posters being displayed in shops in Winterton and neighbouring villages.

So for all of us who have items to sell – bric-a-brac, furniture, books, clothes, garden tools, baby equipment, toys etc, etc – this is the ideal opportunity to clear out your loft, garden shed, cupboards and garage and turn those excess items into cash without having to move more than a few feet from your own front door. Please ensure you put up signs if you are off the main roads so that visitors know where you are.

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To apply for inclusion in this event please complete the slip below and return it, with your non returnable entrance fee of £5 to Pam Winter, 11 Hill View Drive, Winterton on Sea, NR29 4BT (cheques payable to Winterton on Sea Village Hall Fund) – Tel: 393306. **BOOKINGS CLOSE 19 JULY**

- I would like to reserve a table in the village hall to sell my goods, OR
- I wish to participate in the Village garage/yard sale. Address from which I will be selling (this will be included on the map; please include name of house/bungalow if applicable)

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PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

The details below will **NOT** be included in the map.

Name:

Tel No.:

I enclose the non-returnable fee of £5

Signature:

Date:.....

A receipt will be issued



Ex-Chairman's Mardle - April 2010

This is it then, my Mardling days are over. At least they will be when I finish this missive. I'm sitting in my eyrie looking at an empty screen, occasionally looking across to the Fishermans, desperate for inspiration. I was quietly enjoying a glass of wine when Bev rang to enquire if I had "done a piece" for the newsletter. It will be fine if I have it tomorrow!! So as your Ex Chairman here we go.

The village this Easter was crowded with visitors enjoying the delights of the pub and the beach café even if the beach was a tad too cold. Father Adrian braved the weather along with a hardy bunch warmed by a fire on the beach – and subsequently bacon butties and buck fizz. Times have changed from when we used to freeze during the services at Norwich on Sunday morning. As our son, Harvey, was a chorister we just about lived at the Cathedral during Easter.

I hear from various friends that the Winterton Marine Cadets were likewise very busy adding their touch of ceremonial to events in the Borough. They are a great troop and do the Village proud in lots of ways that are not always seen. Thanks Guys for the support you gave me over the years.

In many ways I was sad to stand down from the Parish Council but I certainly do not get any younger and I figured after seven years on the Council, six as Chairman, it was time to have a rest and, more importantly, make way for a younger person. There will be a vacancy on the PC now and surely there is a person in Winterton that feels enough about the village to want to help in the running of this beautiful, well organised, quintessential English Village? Where are all you Chitterrunners? There is an experienced Council and I know you would be made welcome.

One thing I must bring up and that is the lack of use of the Newsletter by the various Groups and Organisations in the village. You seem happy to let the Mercury know and the new Yarmouth booklet, name of which escapes me. Our Newsletter goes out to close on 700 houses. It's free, all you have to do is let Bev or Pam have your copy for inclusion. At the back there is a calendar of forthcoming events, providing you tell them. It helps to let people know well in advance so they can put it in their diaries and it also stops two or three events happening on the same day! Give your Newsletter your support

Well there is no dog fouling moans this month (it still occurs), no moans about the youngsters on school holidays. I am at peace with the world? The Village looks incredibly beautiful with all the spring and summer flowers bursting through and the beer at the Fishermans is in pristine condition. I can even walk there without my walking stick sometimes.

Thank you for the privilege of being your Chairman. Jean joins me in wishing you all the best for the future.

David



Your Parish Council needs **YOU**

Are you willing to become a Parish Councillor as there is now a vacancy?
If so, please contact Pam Winter, Parish Clerk, on 393306 and let her know?

WHAT'S ON

Pye Hill & District Male Voice Choir

Present a Concert
at Winterton Parish Church
on Saturday 1st May, 7.30pm
Tickets: £5.00 from Sandra 01493 393480
Refreshments & toilet available.

The Choir will sing a range of popular songs including: When the Saints Go Marching In, Love Changes Everything, Gas Man Cometh, Let There Be Peace On Earth & You'll Never Walk Alone.

All welcome

Please all come along for a highly entertaining evening to help raise funds for the repair of the Church

Methodist Chapel

24/25 July - 10.30 – 4 pm

Exhibition of old photos, parish magazines etc from Winterton and surrounding villages. No entry charge but a donation would be much appreciated.

To find out more or if you can help please contact Glenda Took on 01493 740755

Go Wild at Barton Broad Sunday 23 May 11am – 5pm Barton Turf Adventure Centre Staithe Road, Barton Turf

Celebrate International Biodiversity Day learning about the special wildlife of the Broads. For a great family day out why not 'Go Wild at Barton Broad' joining in with the Norfolk Wildlife Trust and Broads Authority fun-packed day at Barton Broad? Get the lowdown on Norfolk's wildlife from the experts and get close to nature on wildlife trails. Try pond dipping and watch what you've caught on video microscope or get creative with art and craft activities. You can make mini beast homes, bird or butterfly feeders or bat boxes. Refreshments will be available. Listen to storytellers and see a Nutmeg Puppet Show, 'Pip's Wildlife Garden'. There will also be opportunities to try out canoeing or take a boat trip on the Broad.

Free entry (small charge for some activities e.g. boat and canoe trips).



5th June at 7.30 p.m. in the grounds of The Village Centre, Ormesby St Margaret

An evening of engaging entertainment performing one of the greatest comedies of all time - Oscar Wilde's classic comedy of manners, morals and morality: *The Importance of Being Earnest!* When two Victorian gentlemen assume the name of 'Ernest', to win the affections of two ladies determined to marry a man of that name, the scene is set for a classic comedy of manners and triviality. We invite you into the world of handbags, perambulators, cucumber sandwiches, muffins, butlers, the English upper class, and of course, that theatrical tour de force – Lady Bracknell! Bring your own banquet to eat in the grounds before the performance, a seat to sit on and warm clothing to guard against whatever the weather might throw at us. Doors open at 6.00 p.m. for a 7.30 performance.

Tickets: £12 adults and £6 children call 01493 730178 or 01493 731438.

Does anyone fancy a day out?

On **Saturday 12 June** a trip has been arranged to Anglesey Abbey which has Lord Fairhaven's House and beautiful gardens. The cost is £19 – includes admission and coach fare. The coach will leave the village green at 9.30am.

Contact Barbara 393862 to book

**2010 is International Year of Biodiversity.
To celebrate Natural England is hosting guided
walks at Winterton Dunes National Nature Reserve.**

Saturday 22nd May – 10.00am-12.00pm.

**“Life on the Edge – little terns and other coastal
wildlife”**

A guided walk with Natural England warden to discover the wonderful wildlife found on the coast at Winterton. Discover the issues faced by our very own little tern colony and the vast array of other wildlife that lives on the dunes.

Saturday 5th June – 10.00am-12.00pm

Walk with the warden on Winterton Dunes

Join the Natural England warden on a gentle stroll around the nature reserve to discover the variety of birds, butterflies and other wildlife. Ideal for families with children.

Walks are free. No booking required. Dogs welcome. Please wear appropriate footwear and clothing.

For more info: 07899 901566



From Winterton Parish Church

From the registers:

The funeral of the late Peter Tripp of Winterton who died on 16 February 2010 aged 77 took place at Horsey Methodist Chapel, followed by internment in Winterton churchyard on Monday 1 March.

The funeral of the late Brenda Jean Lubbock of Winterton who died on 12 March 2010 aged 74 took place at Winterton Parish Church on Tuesday 23 March.

We send our condolences to their families.

You may have noticed the new flag flying on Winterton church tower during Easter week. It is the flag of the Diocese of Norwich, which is the St George's Cross with a shield in the top-left corner of three gold mitres against a light-blue background. It was purchased with money given in memory of the late Mildred Moss.

Faith Matters: A twelve week course for those wishing to deepen their understanding of the Christian faith. Open to all. Thursdays at 7pm. Beginning on 30 April. Please speak to Fr Adrian for more details (393227)



The Friends of Winterton Primary School would like to thank everyone who attended or helped in any way at our Easter Fayre. It was a fabulous afternoon and we raised a staggering £817 for the children in our school. We really appreciate the support that you all give, it makes such a lot of difference to our children, Thank you again. We will be grateful for your donations of clothes etc for our **Bag 2 School collection** on **27th April**, please drop them off to school anytime that day before 2.30pm. We will be holding a Bingo night sometime in May (date to follow) and our **Summer Fete** is planned for **Friday 25th June** so put those dates in your diaries.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

A van selling fruit and vegetables will be in the village every Monday from 3pm – 3.30pm.

This is organised by the NHS.

The van will be parked between the Village Green and Empsons Loke.



GARDENING CLUB

Our next meeting is on **12th May** in the Church Rooms at 7.30p.m. when Tony Smith will be telling us 'All about Soil'. In August we are planning an evening trip to Hoecroft Gardens and Nursery. New members and visitors are always welcome.



Great British Fish and Chip Supper – Friday 21st May 2010

“Hold a Fish and Chip Supper to help spinal cord injured people live full and independent lives.”

Want to do something different? Want to raise money where you live or work? Want to eat Fish and Chips, while raising money for charity? Hold a fish and chip supper on Friday 21st May 2010 whilst raising awareness of spinal cord injury and supporting SIA’s information and support services. You can hold a fish and chip supper in your own home, at work or hold a larger supper at your local community centre. SIA will provide a fundraising pack containing hints and tips, recipes, invitations and donation envelopes. By inviting 7 friends and asking them to donate an additional £5.00 means you will raise at least £35.00 from your supper but we will also give you additional fundraising ideas to raise even more money for SIA. Last year we had over 80 suppers taking part in England and Wales. In 2010 we want to double that figure and ensure we can provide more support to spinal cord injured people. The money raised from the suppers will help the Spinal Injuries Association offer support to individuals who become paralysed and their families from the moment a spinal injury occurs and for the rest of their lives by providing services and publications which enable and encourage paralysed people to lead independent lives. Every year in the UK over 1,000 people experience a spinal cord injury and there are an estimated 40,000 spinal cord injured people in the UK alone. Community Fundraising Officer, Elizabeth Wright, says, “The Fish and Chip Supper is a wonderful opportunity for a great evening with friends and family. We are also encouraging people who work to hold a Fish and Chip Lunch in their work places to raise even more funds. You may be even a local community group wanting to run a fun evening with your group. Be a part of something special and make a real difference to help spinal cord injured people gain access to the information and support they need to enable them to live full and independent lives.”

For more information or request a fundraising pack call Elizabeth Wright on 0845 678 6633 xtn 229 or email fishandchips@spinal.co.uk or visit www.spinal.co.uk

Putting local wildlife on the map

A wildlife recording workshop for volunteers, parish projects, and community groups on recording wildlife in your local area, organised by Norfolk Wildlife Trust.

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| When? | Saturday 15 May 10am – 1pm | When? | Sunday 16 May 10am – 1pm |
| Where? | Holt Hall Field Study Centre | Where? | Saxlingham Nethergate |
| When? | Tuesday 25 May 10am – 1pm | When? | Wednesday 2 June 7 – 9pm |
| Where? | Barton Turf Adventure Centre | Where? | The Green Quay, King’s Lynn |
| When? | Thursday 3 June 10am – 1pm | When? | Tuesday 8 June 10am – 1pm |
| Where? | The Assembly House, | Where? | Ecotech Centre, Swaffham |

These workshops are free and include a copy of the 200 page parish wildlife survey toolkit. However, booking is essential and will work on a first come, first served basis.

To book or for further information contact Norfolk Wildlife Trust:
email wild@norfolkwildlifetrust.org.uk or phone 01603 598333.

Bookings to be made by Monday 10 May 2010.



We are starting a collection of suitable items for Servicemen abroad - anything you consider suitable such as books/pens/razor blades/biscuits/sweets/cakes in date. Sorry no aerosols accepted. They love receiving gifts from home so please do what you can. There will be an outing to Anglesey Abbey on **June 12th** with a 9.30am coach pick-up. Next meeting is **Tuesday 18 May 7.30 pm Church Room - RESOLUTIONS.**



WINTERTON IN BLOOM

At last spring has arrived and the village is alive with colour. The In Bloom Team have been out and about putting a great deal of effort into ensuring that everywhere is neat and tidy. Some new planting has taken place and plans are already in hand for Summer Planting. Work is just about to begin on the new Planters for placement under more of the Road Name Signs and we hope that these will be ready to be planted at the end of May.

This week the Team will be at Duffles Pond clearing the paths and strimming so as to make the area ready for the Summer. If you have not been to visit this lovely quiet area of the village why not take a picnic and sit and watch the birds and enjoy the peace.

However, there has been one incident that has undermined the enthusiasm of the Team. Whilst it is generally appreciated that the In Bloom work for the benefit of the all the residents and visitors, we were greatly saddened to discover that some plants had been stolen from the long perennial bed on the North side of the village hall. There was evidence of a spade being used so this was a deliberately planned act. We would be grateful if anyone saw anything untoward they would let us know. In the meantime, do please keep an eye out and report any incidents you see to either Pam or Jean. Plants cost money and we have to fundraise in order to keep the village looking as it does. All the Team work on a voluntary basis and are very proud of what we have achieved over the past eight years and actions such as this are not appreciated.

Winterton In Bloom is a very happy social group of people and we always need new members so even if you can only spare an hour or two do come and join us. It is a great way to meet new friends and enjoy the fresh air at the same time. We also hold social events during the year which raise money at the same time as being relaxing and enjoyable. For more information please do call either Pam on 01493 394365 or Jean on 01493 393682.

Crusaders Youth Club

The club is going from strength to strength with an average of 15 coming each week and others wanting to join. This success puts a strain on the Leaders and as we have two leaving us for health reasons, we are somewhat stretched. PLEASE if there is anyone over eighteen years of age who is willing to be police checked and loves playing with kids, can you volunteer. The times are 6pm to 7.30pm for juniors and 8pm until 9.30pm for the senior group on Wednesday. You will be helping to shape the future of the village. Give either of the administrators a call on:

Peter – 393983 or Sandra - 393480

If you are not sure come and have a look at the above times during term time.

See you there

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Call for a quote - 01493 394029

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Village Calendar

| Date | Time | Location | Event | Contact |
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| Tues 27 April | Before 2.30 pm | School | Bag to School Collection drop-off | See page 5 |
| Sat 1 May | 7.30 pm | Church | Pye Hill Male Voice Choir | Tickets £5 from Sandra on 393480 |
| Thurs 6 May | 7.30 pm | Church Room | Annual Parish Meeting | All residents very welcome. See page 1 for more information. |
| Wed 12 May | 7.30 pm | Church Room | Garden Club | "All about Soil" from Tony Smith |
| Tues 18 May | 7.30 pm | Church Room | WI | Resolutions |
| Thur 20 May | 7.30 pm | Village Hall | Parish Council AGM | All welcome |
| Sat 22 May | 10 -12 | Meet at Beach Car Park | Natural England Coastal Walk | See page 4 for details. |
| Sat 22 May | 10 – 11 am | Village Hall | Parish Council Surgery | Come along to see a Councillor if you have any Village concerns. |
| Sat 5 June | 10 am – 12 | Meet at Beach Car Park | Natural England Walk on Nature Reserve | See page 4 for details |
| Sat 12 June | 9.30 am | Coach from Village Green | Trip to Anglesey Abbey | Tickets £19 – call Barbara on 393862 |
| Fri 25 June | t.b.c. | School | Summer Fete | More details next month |
| Sat 24 & Sun 25 July | | Church | Flower Festival | More details coming soon |
| Sun 25 July | 10.30 – 4.30 | All round the Village | Garage Sale | See page 2 for your booking form |
| Sat 24/Sun 25 July | 10.30 – 4.30 | Exhibition of old photos & parish magazines | Methodist Chapel | For more info call Glenda Took on 01493 740755 |
| 27 – 30 Aug BH Weekend | | Pub | Beer Festival | Saturday night entertainment from Lionel Ritchie tribute act from BBC's One & Only Show. |

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES FOR NEXT NEWSLETTER IS 15TH MAY.

e-m: wintertonnewsletter@yahoo.co.uk or call Pam 393306 or Bev 394954

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