

# WINTERTON ON SEA

## Village Newsletter

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## What's on in Winterton

Event	Date	Time	Location	Details
Job Club	Tues 13 Sept	10am-12	Hemsby	See page 3
Film Show – Exploring the Past	Thurs 15 Sept	7.30 pm	Somerton V. Hall	Tickets £2 Tel: 393579
Harvest Supper	Fri 30 Sept	7 pm	Church Room	Tickets £5 Tel: 393755
Last Night of the Proms Concert	Fri 14 Oct	7.30 pm	Hermanus	Tickets £7 Tel: 393480

PLEASE SEE CLUB CORNER FOR DETAILS OF VILLAGE GROUPS ACTIVITIES

## Welcome to Winterton



- ❖ Christine and Keith Hornel from Upminster have moved into Market Place with dog Ossie.

*If you're new to the Village and we've missed you  
and you would like to be listed here please let us know  
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[www.wellbeingnorfolk.co.uk](http://www.wellbeingnorfolk.co.uk)

If you have access to the internet, this website contains links to physical and mental healthcare news, lifestyle advice and information on other services such as directories of self-help support groups and voluntary agencies as well as local services contact guides and links to the NHS Norfolk website.

# Club Corner

Organisation When & where	What we've been up to	Coming Up
<b>Garden Club</b> <b>Michael/Valerie</b> <b>393749</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Weds monthly 7.30 Church Room	In August, we had a trip to visit "The Garden in the Orchard" of Bill and June Boardman in Bergh Apton. A delightful garden where we had the opportunity to buy apples from the orchard as well as plants and enjoyed coffee and biscuits too. <b>NEW MEMBERS NEEDED – PLEASE CONTACT VALERIE OR MICHAEL IF YOU ARE INTERESTED.</b>	<b>Weds 14 Sept</b> Perry Fairman on "The flora and fauna of NWT Hickling Broad National Nature Reserve".
<b>In Bloom</b> <b>Pam Allen 394365</b> <b>Jean Neve 393682</b>	The In Bloom Team have worked extremely hard this Summer, despite reduced manpower, to keep the Village looking at its best. The weather has been a problem with prolonged dry and hot weather followed by cold, wet and windy. This, as many will know, makes hard work particularly with bedding and basket plants. However, the Village has looked lovely and we have had many appreciative comments from visitors and residents. The village has been judged by Yarmouth in Bloom and we are awaiting the results evening in September. We do need more members to help with planting, watering, weeding and general tidying. Anyone with just an hour or two to spare will be made very welcome. If you are new to the Village it is a great way to meet people and make new friends and the team look forward to meeting you. To quote the modern job advert 'No experience needed - just a willingness to help'. For any further information on Winterton in Bloom please contact Pam or Jean. We also have a web site - <a href="http://wintertononseainbloom.com">wintertononseainbloom.com</a> .	
<b>Quiz Nights</b> <b>Mark Cox – 393302</b>	The August Quiz Night raised £125 and the money was split between the Cricket Club and Winterton Primary School. The money raised by each monthly Quiz is donated to local Village groups so why not come along and join in the fun at the next Quiz.	<b>Thurs 8 September</b> <b>8pm at Hermanus</b>
<b>WI</b> <b>Joyce Pitchford</b> <b>393415</b> 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday monthly 7.30 pm – Church Room	At our August meeting, Members had an entertaining evening from Mr Neil Storey. Wells to Winterton was the subject with a wonderful display of old photographs including Blakeney and Cromer Pier from the 1870's. It was stated that in Cromer "gentlemen must be covered from neck to knee" whilst on the beach. Slides of Mundeseley Station were also very impressive. The WI table at the Garage sale was a great success and £140 was raised for our funds. Please think of a venue for our Christmas meal this year. Menus are being obtained from The Highwaymans at Hermanus and the Falgate Inn at Potter Heigham. We would like your suggestions please.	<b>Thursday 15 September - Cromer Pier Show</b> - For those booked on the outing the coach leaves the Village green at 9.30 am. <b>Tues 20 September – "Hand Made Chocolates Demonstration"</b> from Margaret Furness. Barbara will be booking for "Hello Dolly" at the Theatre Royal, Norwich for 23 January 2012 and will need numbers, please, as soon as possible.
<b>Bowls Club</b> Saturdays 2 pm Val Green 393544	The Bowls Club are now open for the 2011 season and always welcome new members, whether experienced or complete beginner, please come along - you will certainly be sure of a warm welcome.	
<b>Cricket Club</b> Geoff Roper 393857		<b>September Home Fixtures</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> Team – Start time 1.00 pm 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept – Norwich & Coltishall A. <u>Winterton Ladies</u> 4 <sup>th</sup> Sept – Norwich 11 <sup>th</sup> Sept – Garboldisham. <u>Sunday Friendlies</u> 4 <sup>th</sup> Sept - Buxton

## WHO KILLED COCK ROBIN?

Well, he's not exactly dead and his name wasn't Cock Robin, we all knew him as the Mencap Rooster. Poor old Rooster has had to move home, he's left behind his wives and babies (we're hoping they are all Roosters) to fend for themselves. No more will we see him strutting his stuff with his girls following dutifully behind. No more will we hear his melodious tones telling us he's glad to be alive. We in Somerton Road, or at least most of us, will miss him dreadfully. Did he ask to be moved – certainly not. Did we ask for him to be moved – certainly not. So, who did? Shame on you. If you are lucky enough to live in a village in the country you must appreciate it; warts and all.

SHEILA WHISKER



**Film Show at Somerton - Exploring The Past**

Geoff and Sue Osborne will be returning to Somerton Village Hall on Thursday 15th September at 7.30 pm to present their second film show using films from the East Anglian Film Archive. The show will include 1959 FA Cup football from Carrow Road, farming in the 1960s and one of the earliest films shot in East Anglia – trawlers leaving Yarmouth harbour in 1896 plus another showing of the ever popular Horsey Mail and lots more interesting clips.

Tickets £2 each from Gary Burckitt (01493 393579)

**WINTERTON IN BLOOM**

Following a summer working extremely hard and having to deal with the many adverse weather conditions we have had this year to keep the Village looking at its best, the In Bloom Team are extremely upset that mindless vandals have again damaged some areas of the village.

The two planters beside the seat near the childrens' bed on the Village Green have been sat in and many of the plants broken.

Three young girls were seen taking plants out of the planter by the bus stop and throwing them onto the grass. They were reprimanded by a member of the public but not before the damage had been done.

Several plants have been taken from the boat and thrown on the ground, and also plants have been taken from the planter by the village shop and nearby road sign planter.

These incidents have all been reported to the police but any information would be appreciated.

Please Call Pam on 01493 394365

**Norfolk RCC is setting up a Job Club**

Starting Tuesday 13 September 2011  
and every Tuesday (term time only)  
**10am-12noon at The Community Hub,  
The Pavillion, Waters Lane, Hemsby**  
Relaxed, welcoming atmosphere  
with coffee, tea and biscuits!

- Hear about work opportunities
- Benefits advice
- Help with job applications
- Access to the internet
- Mutual support and friendly advice
- Meet like-minded people
- Get involved, have a say and get a job!

For further information contact:  
**Charlotte Stannard, NRCC** - 01493 722783  
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**The Village Garage Sale held at the end of July was a great success once again, raising a total of £700 for Village Hall funds. Grateful thanks must go to all those who helped - selling maps, making cakes, selling refreshments, etc etc and without whose help this annual event would not be such a fantastic fundraiser for the Village Hall.**

**WE ARE  
MACMILLAN.  
CANCER SUPPORT**

**Make Your Cuppa Count For Our Centenary!  
World's Biggest Coffee Morning  
30 September 2011**

The number of people living with cancer in the UK is increasing all the time and one in three of us will be affected by cancer at some point during our lifetime. We offer support, help and advice throughout the personal journeys of every cancer patient we can

Macmillan Cancer Support is 100 years old this year and we're looking to make a huge difference to the lives of people living with cancer across the region.

One of our most popular events is the World's Biggest Coffee Morning. In 2010, the event raised a magnificent £261,000 in Norfolk & Suffolk for people living with cancer. 2011 is our centenary year, so we are pushing to beat our records across the board to really make our hundredth year of service one to remember.

Macmillan is most famous for its nurses, but we do provide other support including a free phone line for anyone affected by cancer, financial support for things like hospital trips and we also campaign for better cancer care. So every cup of coffee on 30 September really will count.

For further information, please contact Helen Chapman on 01603 724360  
email: [hchapman@macmillan.org.uk](mailto:hchapman@macmillan.org.uk)

### **The Atrium - North Walsham School**

The Atrium, a brand new state of the art building is opening at North Walsham High School on Spenser Avenue in October this year. This had been funded as part of a £200m cross-Government initiative for projects which locate services together in significant or innovative ways, responding to local need, enabling better service delivery and leading to improved outcomes for children, young people, families and communities. Some of the things the centre will have on offer are:

- Community Cinema - programme to be finalised
- Theatre - programme to be finalised
- Purpose built Dance Studio with a fully sprung floor for delivery of dance and fitness classes such as Pilate's or Yoga
- Music Practice Rooms and a fully equipped Recording Studio available to hire
- Food Technology Suite for the delivery of a wide range of cookery classes
- Conference Space
- Consultancy Rooms for community support and health care providers.

All of these facilities will be open for the community to use, some within and others outside of school hours.

### ***100 CLUB***

Last month's winners were:

1<sup>st</sup> - Mr T Baker

2<sup>nd</sup> - Mrs P Ling

3<sup>rd</sup> - Mrs T Divine

If you would like to join the 100 Club (monies raised go towards Church Restoration Fund) please contact Margaret Browning on 393755.



The Quilters met for a group lunch on 27<sup>th</sup> July when Debbie Jones presented a cheque for £600 to East Anglia Air Ambulance which was the profit raised from the Village's Quilters Exhibition raffle. The lucky winner of the quilt resides in Wymondham.



**MARTHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE**, Playingfield Lane, off Rollesby Rd

## **COMMUNITY GYM NOW OPEN**

Please come along and try out the new gym equipment. Sessions last 45 minutes, cost £2 per person per session and must be pre-booked. Instruction and support provided by Great Yarmouth & Waveney NHS.

For information or to book a place please contact Julie Beales on 01493 748547

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Dick King, the son of Ivan King, visited the village to see the plaque honouring his father which has been cleaned and refurbished. Many Village residents may remember Ivan King who was Clerk to the Parish Council for 30 years and whom Kings Corner is, of course, named after. Dick, who now lives in Gorleston, brought along several family members to see the plaque and photos will now be sent off to family as far away as Australia.



It's September and this seems to be an excellent year for blackberry picking so here's a simple and delicious recipe to try.

### **BLACKBERRY & COCONUT SQUARES**

- 250g self-raising flour
- 25g oats
- 280g soft brown sugar
- 200g cold butter, cut into pieces
- 75g desiccated coconut
- 2 medium eggs, beaten
- 350g frozen or fresh blackberries

1. Heat oven to 180C/160C fan/gas 4. Tip the flour, oats and sugar into a large bowl. Rub the butter into the flour mixture using your fingertips until only small pea-size pieces remain. Stir through the coconut, then fill a teacup with the mixture and set this aside.
2. Stir the eggs into the bowl of mixture, then spread over the bottom of a lined baking tin (31 x 17cm), or a 21cm square tin. Smooth the surface with the back of a spoon, then scatter over the blackberries. Scatter over the reserved teacup mixture and bake for 1 hr-1 hr 15 mins until golden and cooked through (if you poke a skewer in, it should come out with moist crumbs but no wet mixture). Leave to cool, then remove from the tin and cut into squares. Serve with some extra berries, if you like. Great for teatime or to pop into a lunchbox.

## **WINTERTON PARISH CHURCH**

July was a busy month for us at Winterton Church, with events on most weekends.

Fr Michael McLean had us rocking with laughter as he told the story of Fr Colin Stephenson for our Heroes of the Faith Festival. Fr Colin was the administrator of the shrine at Walsingham, and during the war he lost a leg after falling down a disused well in Ceylon. He had an indomitable spirit, showing how much fun the Christian religion could be and how important it is to retain a good sense of humour. The choir of Eye Parish Church sang beautifully at this service of Evensong and Benediction.

We were blessed with another fine choral performance as The Chorus of St Cecilia returned to give a Summer Concert at Winterton Church for Sea Weekend, with a wide programme of songs from the shows, and light classics. Charlotte Bullen performed *I dreamed a dream* from Les Miserables and *I could have danced all night* from The King and I. A few days later Charlotte sang alongside the Broadway singer Ruthie Henshall on John Barrowman's BBC programme *Tonight's the Night*. Philip Pearson performed 'Lost at Sea', his own composition recalling fishermen lost at sea at Horsey.

The night before David Higgins gave an excellent illustrated talk on the links between the old fishing crews and Beachmen of Winterton and Caister. His book *Caister: The Sea Story*, is a companion volume to our own *Winterton Story*, both of which are still available from Sandra Laws (393480)

Sea Sunday was itself celebrated with a terrific Mass, with the Marine cadets and the crew of the Hemsby lifeboat in attendance. A cheque for £150 was given to the cadets on their tenth anniversary year, the proceeds of a quiz and raffle held on our recent coach trip to St Albans. Our preacher Fr Derek Lloyd had journeyed over from Newcastle-under-Lyme in the Potteries, about as far from the sea as you can get. He gave us a lively sermon, memorable for his reference to his grandmother with a heaving bosom,

hauling him out of the sea as a youngster. The events of Sea Weekend raised over £1010 for the restoration fund.

Flower arrangers showed their talents and rose to the theme of Shakespeare with great ingenuity at our Flower Festival. The event was rounded off with a rousing Songs of Praise and the recitation of some of the Bard of Avon's most noted pieces. The Shakespeare quiz was won by Geoff and Gerry Roper. The Flower Festival raised £1025 for the Restoration Fund.

### *From the Registers:*

The wedding of Tony Hughes and Louise Reilly was celebrated at the Parish Church on Friday 12 August. Tony is the grandson of churchwarden Phyllis Smith.

### **Harvest Supper**

Friday 30 September at 7pm  
Church Room

*Tickets £5 from Margaret Browning. (393755)*

### **Harvest Festival Service**

Sunday 2 October at 9am at church.

### **Last Night of the Proms Concert**

Friday 14 October at 7.30pm  
at The Hermanus, Winterton

*Tickets £7 from Sandra Laws (393480)*

### **Messy Church for Kids**

Thursday 22 September, Barn Room, Hemsby  
from 3.30pm.

## Winterton on Sea Parish Council

Eleven residents were welcomed to the Parish Council meeting which took place on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> August 2011 in the Church Rooms.

### 1. Public discussion:

- Mr & Mrs Oxford expressed concern because signs advertising the Craft Fayres had been taken down, apparently because a sign had been attached to an electricity pole. However, some of the signs had been placed on BT posts on private land and with the permission of the landowners and, therefore, should not have been removed. Cllr Barlow confirmed that, in fact, the Parish Council had given permission for the signs to be displayed. It should be noted that, although BT would not allow commercial signage to be placed on their property, the Company would allow signs advertising local village events and it was this village's common practice that signs could be displayed for 2 weeks prior to an event and taken down within 2 days after the event. Unfortunately, as a result of the behaviour of some residents in removing these signs, Mr & Mrs Oxford no longer wished to organise the Craft Fayres and it was noted that this would be a great loss to the village, particularly in light of the fact that it brings in many visitors. Cllr Barlow thanked Mr & Mrs Oxford on behalf of the Parish Council for all their hard work over many years and hoped that someone would take over the organisation of this important event, particularly as it raised significant funds for the Village Hall.
- Concern was expressed that the Bush Road sign had been removed twice and it was noted that, since the first sign was on private land and had been erected with the permission of the landowner, this action constituted theft and, therefore, was a criminal offence. A temporary replacement sign had also been stolen. In both instances the police had been informed. Cllr Weymouth expressed great concern over this since Out of Hours doctors and other Emergency Services might not be able to find an address without the sign and this could potentially put lives at risk where time was of the essence. It was also noted that Satellite Navigation often sent traffic down The Holway instead of Bush Road and this compounded the problem. Cllr Weymouth agreed to contact GYBC to see if arrows could be painted onto the existing Bush Road sign to make it clear to visitors that Bush Road runs both left and right and also that she would meet with an officer from Norfolk County Council to determine whether there was anywhere else that the Bush Road sign in question could be placed.

### 2. To Receive a report from Borough/County Councillors

- Cllr Weymouth noted that a new Emergency Planning Officer had been appointed at GYBC and she would pass Cllr Barlow the phone number.
- Cllr Jermany noted that the "Northern Parishes Committee" was open to all residents, and not just Parish Councillors, and notices to this effect would be placed on the notice board and in the newsletter.
- Cllr Shrimplin reported back on his investigation concerning the Caister Tip. He noted that, following a traffic survey carried out several years ago to determine how many people used the tip between 6 and 8 p.m. it was found that only 6% used the facility during these hours and that it cost £200,000 per year to keep it open the extra 2 hours so it was decided that the facility would close at 6.00 p.m. Cllr Shrimplin also noted that there were plans to alter the layout so that one side of the road could be kept open whilst skips were being moved to avoid the traffic congestion. He anticipated that this work would be completed by August/September 2012 provided planning permission and funding were forthcoming.

### 3. To consider planning Applications and review planning permissions:

#### Applications:

- **06/11/0418/F** Air sourced heat pumps to be located externally to units 1 - 7 Marram Court. Rejected due to noise if all 7 pumps were operating at the same time. It was noted that one unit would emit a noise level of 49 decibels which was the level of a domestic refrigerator.
- **06/11/0500/F** Single storey rear extension 12, Long Beach Estate. No objections.
- Query re development at the Fisherman's Return. The Chairman noted that the height of the building, according to the plans, should be 7.1m and a letter would be written to the Planning Office to confirm that this height would not be exceeded. It was also noted that the Planning Permission had specified the retention of certain trees but that these had subsequently been cut down, one of which had contained nesting birds. It was agreed that this should be reported to the RSPB and brought up with the Planning Department.

#### Decisions:

**06/11/0288/F.** Retrospective application for child's play fort. 7 James Gray Close. **GYBC Refused.**

**Next Meeting is on Thursday 18 August at 7.30 pm in the Church Room.**

**Parish Council Surgery – Saturday 20 August 10 am – 11 am in the Village Hall**

#### **Contact details for your Parish Councillors**

Chairman: Michael Blake – 393749  
Chris Barlow – 393674  
Keith Harrison – 393975

Vice Chairman: Bev Kay – 394954  
Di Jones – 393656  
Julian Simms – 393253  
Carmel Shiggins – 394937

Parish Clerk: Gill Lack - 393306  
Lynda Sharples – 393832  
Bruce Greenall - 393497

**NORTHERN PARISHES AREA FORUM**

Residents of all the Northern Parishes are welcome to come along and find out how Great Yarmouth Borough Council can work in partnership with the residents to find solutions to problems and concerns in your community.

**Thursday 8 September  
7 pm  
Ormesby Village Hall, Station Road, Ormesby St Margaret**

For more information, please contact Christina Webb, Senior Member Services Officer  
Tel: 01493 846306 or e-m: [clw@great-yarmouth.gov.uk](mailto:clw@great-yarmouth.gov.uk)

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