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# RENDHAM

### **VILLAGE NEWSLETTER**



### **OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2019**

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#### RENDHAM MUMMERS RAISE £1,233 FOR CHARITY







**EBENEZER SCROOGE!** For one night only on **Saturday 30th November**, **Rendham Village Hall** will become a theatre, staging a production by a professional dramatic art company. The characters in the play will be performed by two actors on a set with costumes. The play is the seasonal adaptation of the Dickens classic story and is called Ebenezer Scrooge. The evening will consist of pre-theatre bar, one hour performance

followed by a two-course meal. £13 per ticket. Further information via the box office (Denis Moore), by email at d.moore003@btinternet.com or call 663 446.

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### JUNIPER BARN NEWS

We are grateful for so much support, both of the shop and cafe during the summer.



Taking a Break: We are closing for a week from Thursday 3rd October, reopening Monday 14th October.

Pop-up Evenings: Continuing our successful pop-up evenings in conjunction with The Crown at Glemham, on Tuesday 22nd October and Tuesday 26th November from 7:00pm. Great new menus, music, good wine - come in to find out more and book.

2nd Birthday Party, Saturday 6th October - please come and celebrate with us and enjoy a free hot or soft drink for every customer.

Juniper Barn Christmas Fair: Thursday 14th and Friday 15th November, 6pm - 8pm. Repeating our Christmas Shopping evenings offering you the chance to browse our Christmas stock, glass of mulled wine in hand, meet some of our suppliers and relax with friends.

Celebrating Christmas with our popular brunches on Saturday 21st and Monday 23rd December from 9:30am - 2:00pm, and Tuesday 24th December from 9:30am - 1:00pm.

No plans for Christmas Day? Join us for lunch in Juniper Barn from 12:30pm. All welcome, booking essential. No charge but contributions gratefully accepted.

Christmas Closing Closing at 2:00pm on 24th December and re-opening on Friday 3rd January 2020!

**The Chldren's Society** - I will be collecting the house collection boxes towards the end of November in order to get the monies banked well before Christmas. Thank you very much to all those people who are happy to support this. The Society does essential / diverse work with children and young people and our support is vital. Please consider **Gift Aiding** your contribution - I have the forms. Contact Lesley Bennion (663 737)



### **RENDHAM CHRISTMAS MARKET & COFFEE**

MORNING Saturday 7th December, 9:30am - 12 noon, Rendham Village Hall. Christmas stalls, gifts, refreshments, Tombola. Christmas cakes and Christmas door / memorial wreaths can be pre-ordered. Call Lesley (663 737) or Frances (664 021). Proceeds to St Michael's Church. Come join the fun - all welcome.



CHRISTMAS SHOPPING BUS TO NORWICH - Friday 29th November. Leaves Rendham White Horse 9am, Bruisyard approx. 9.10am, Sweffling Church approx. 9:20am. Returns from Norwich approx. 4pm. Ring Lynda (663 325) to reserve.

RIDE & STRIDE 2019 Once again riding for Rendham, Helen Payne, Albert Lain and Richard Shattock made 109 church visits on Saturday 14 September during this year's sponsored bicycle event in support of Suffolk Historic Churches Trust. During the day, 35 cyclists came to St Michael's Church, Rendham and thanks to Frances Hill, Anne Hounsell, Terry Titmus and Jenny Shattock for recording visiting cyclists.

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH / VILLAGE HAPPENINGS EMAIL

If you wish to receive the Neighbourhood Watch / Village Happenings email please email <a href="mailto:Trev.salmon@btinternet.com">Trev.salmon@btinternet.com</a>

### RENDHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

DOG POO BINS - There are concerns about dog waste not being picked up. There are Health & Safety issues around this, especially for children. It is important that we keep Rendham as clean as possible. Everyone needs to be aware that dog poo bags can be put in the grey bins for collection by Refuse. There is one dog poo bin currently at the bottom of the Cancer by the B1119, almost opposite the church. However, it was decided at the cost of £191+VAT to purchase another bin from the Amenity Fund. It has now been installed at the bottom of Rendham Green, past Hill Farm Road by the footpath sign onto the Peasenhall Road to Sandy Lane (Footpath 13). This area is well used as a circular walk both by residents and holiday makers.

CARLTON MERES - Two representatives from Kelsale cum Carlton came to the PC Meeting to inform the council about the development at Carlton Meres where they intend to place another 50 caravans. They are technically allowed to open 11.5 months a year, but it is unclear whether this is monitored, or whether people are living there full time. The land where they intend to place these caravans is actually within the Rendham Parish boundary, very close to Rendham Barns Farm. The Parish Council was not informed in the usual way. Four Councillors paid a visit to the site and will send their comments to planning by 18th September. You may have seen some detals that were sent round on the village email that Trevor Salmon received from David Robbie. Several people have objected already to the over development.

RENDHAM PARK - It was decided to rename P.A.R.K Play area for Rendham Kids to just Rendham Park to highlight that, in future, the area will be used by various groups, not just children. Cllr. Field is looking into removing the old noticed on the gate / No Dogs signs and replacing these with new signs.

PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCIES - Unfortunately both Clirs. Emma Strachan and Martin Croucher have resigned, so therefore there are two vacancies on the Parish Council. If you are interested and want to know more please contact the Parish Clerk Chris Salmon on 664 199 or email <a href="mailto:rendhampc@gmail.com">rendhampc@gmail.com</a>

### COUNTY COUNCILLOR STEPHEN BURROUGHES' REPORT - Full report on the website:

- Suffolk schools get improved results
- The Hold preserving Suffolk's history gets new home for records office in Ipswich
- Suffolk bucks national trend for vaccine rates MMR
- Unsafe goods totalling £23million stopped at Port of Felixstowe
- Suffok is on lorry watch
- Bus services to continue despite funding challenge

DISTRICT COUNCILLOR COOK was unable to attend but sent the following report which can be read in full on the website:

- East Suffolk to battle climate change
- Funding is available for community projects
- Accommodation to be provided for rough sleepers
- . Framlingham goes digital with official launch of a FREE public WiFi system
- Sprinkler system completed at St Peter's Court, Lowestoft
- Leiston Leisure Centre is open for business
- Residents reminded that only rain goes down the drains
- Funding boost for new Community Centre
- 'Bin the butt' and help keep East Suffolk tidy
- Childen celebrate re-opening of play areas in Felixstowe
- Money saved from fraudulent activity
- Ipswich Northern Route exhibitions attract over 2,000 people

For information about the Parish Council contact Chair David Willett or the Parish Clerk, Chris Salmon, on rendhampc@gmail.com

CHURCH SERVICES RENDHAM & SWEFFLING - OCT/NOV 19					
	OCT 6	OCT 13	OCT 20	OCT 27	
RENDHAM		9:30AM MATINS		9:30AM BCP HOLY COMMUNION	Clocks go
SWEFFLING	9:30AM HARVEST FESTIVAL		9:30AM BCP HOLY COMMUNION		back 27 Oct.
	NOV 3	NOV 10	NOV 17	NOV 24	DEC 1
RENDHAM		10:55AM REMEMBRANCE SERVICE		9:30AM BCP HOLY COMMUNION	
SWEFFLING	9:30AM BCP HOLY COMMUNION		9:30AM FAMILY SERVICE		9:30AM BCP HOLY COMMUNION

ALL OUR YESTERDAYS - Rendham Village Hall. Around this time back in 1972, the management committee were discussing how the village hall should be heated as part of the then rebuilding works. Oil heating was rejected in favour of electricity. The current management committee is once again looking into more up-to-date heating systems and insulation in order to improve the environment for users. The life cycle goes on! *Denis Moore, Chairman, RVH Management Committee* 



SMALL CHANGES
MAKE A BIG
DIFFERENCE This is
the message as
Suffolk County
Council launches a
new campaign looking
at our relationship
with alcohol. Find out
more at
www.healthsuffolk.org
.uk/tellyboxtrish



Harvest Festival + Harvest Lunch. Sunday 6th October, 11am festival followed by Harvest Lunch in Badingham

Village Hall (12:30 for 1pm) Tickets for Harvest Lunch (drinks on arrival, main course, pudding and coffee) £12 adults, no charge for school age children. Contact Ann (638 288) or Badingham Cafe. All welcome.

Badingham Christmas Sale And Coffee Morning Saturday 16th November. United Free Church, Framlingham (opposite the Co-op) 9:30 - 12 noon. Coffee, Bacon Rolls, Mince Pies, Christmas Gifts, Cakes, Tombola, Plants, Toffee Apples and more. Please come along and support if you can! If you can help, have items suitable for gifts, or would like more information, please contact Ann (638 288).



Christmas Brunch and Market Saturday 30th November, 10:00 - 12:00 noon. Sweffling Hut. Bacon (and egg) rolls, freshly brewed coffee. All invited - come and join with

friends for breakfast. Proceeds to Church Funds.



Annual Christmas Brass Concert Friday 6th December, 7:30pm. St. Mary's Church. Leiston Royal British Legion Brass

Band will play a selection of popular band and Christmas music, including Carols. Just the event to start the Christmas season!
Admission £8 from Diana (663 578) or Shelia (663 518) - includes interval refreshments.
Book now to avoid disappointment!

**Rendham Dog Agility!** Contact Gina (663 785) to get involved and find out more! All welcome.

### ST, MICHAEL'S CHURCH, RENDHAM - CHURCHWARDEN'S REPORT



Our Harvest Evensong service was on Sunday 29 September followed by the Harvest Supper with proceeds going to the Gambian school's water bore hole project. On Sunday 10 November our Service of Remembrance will take place just before 11am, as it has done for so many years. The service will be conducted by Professor John Tesh, and the collection will be for the Royal British Legion. We would like to thank Cam, Paul and the other volunteers who have so valiantly strimmed

and cut back the undergrowth and grass in the churchyard. Very many thanks to all those who took part in the Ride and Stride event on Saturday 14 September. Their efforts always contribute much to all six parishes in our Benefice.

We will be holding our Christmas Market in Rendham Village Hall on Saturday 7th December from 9:30am - 12:00 noon with Christmas stalls, gifts, refreshments, Tombola and much more. All proceeds in aid of St Michael's Church.

\*\*Charles & Frances\*\*

A Paul Jackson Production: In Conversation With...

Tom Pilgrim on Africa, South America and China + Kate Morris on being a Paramedic + Roger Lintott on farming.

There will be a band providing music, a musical montage and comedy. Light refreshments provided at the interval. Tickets cost £7.50 - all proceeds to Village Hall repairs. Rendham Village Hall, Saturday 16 November, 7:30pm. Tickets on sale now. Please help us fill the Village Hall to maximum capacity. The

entertainment will be in line with a Graham Norton chat show. Contact Paul Jackson for tickets.



RINGING NEWS August saw the practice suspended in Rendham for the first time. We usually go to great lengths to keep our ringing regular - same days, same times. This is a courtesy to our neighbours and is good for other ringers, either our friends from Suffolk towers, visitors calling in whilst on their holiday, or when working in the area. We just couldn't manage to guarantee a presence in sufficient numbers to provide a proper welcome so we sadly chose to leave the bells silent. We missed a couple of Sundays too which, for this Preacher's kid, is upsetting.

We did welcome a visiting peel band though, who made good use of our eight bells ringing Yorkshire Surprise Major on August 11th. On

September 23rd a different group of visitors rang a quarter peal of Morning Dew Surprise Major. The 'Major' bit means it is an eight-bell method. Doubles is five bells, Minor is six, Triples is seven, Major you know, Caters is nine, Royal is ten, Cinques is eleven and Maximus is a method rung on twelve bells.

Some methods can only be rung on even numbers and some only on odds. There are some methods that extend happily from Minor to Maximus but some extensions end up quite different so have to have a new name. Yet others have a number of routes. So we have three different London Royals and in Maximus they have different names e.g. Londinium.

Jonathan Stevens (664 074)

**All Aboard!** Travelling to Woodbridge, Framlingham or Wickham Market? Jump on the 62 bus every Wednesday. Timetable at <u>www.suffolkonboard.com</u> THE FREE HOME LIBRARY SERVICE - If getting to the library, or mobile library, is a struggle volunteers from Suffolk Library Home Service could help. Contact Saxmundham Library on 01728 652 440.

### RENDHAM MUMMERS' TOUR RAISES £1,233.60 FOR CHARITY



Much to the amusement of the gathered crowd and bewilderment of passing motorists, a motley colourful crew of entertainers gave a final performance of their play outside the Rendham White Horse on August Bank Holiday Monday.

The play was set in the times when the Roman Empire extended much across Europe and resistance to rule was quickly quashed. The Mummers and their musicians recalled how the Head of Claudius came to be found in the River Alde, near Rendham, Sadly, for The Speaker.

Head of Claudius came to be found in the River Alde, near Rendham. Sadly, for The Speaker, having lost his head, it was to be his last play - leaving those left behind to continue the tradition. The Speaker, who founded the Mummers in 2010, will remain a cast member.



It has been a great tour and we hope we have brought fun and joy to you all. However, none of this would have been possible without the support of you, and your generosity. A cheque for £1,233.60 from the Hat Collection, was recently presented to Lighthouse Women's Aid, which we feel sure will make such a real difference to the work that they do locally for victims of domestic abuse and their families. Our thanks also go to the Publicans, and their staff, for making us welcome and

keeping us supplied with beer.



We will be taking a short break now before returning for one night only to celebrate the Winter Solstice, from 6;45pm, Sunday 22nd December, on the Knoll at Rendham. Our new play, 'Death Stole the Sun' will be performed under the Sacred Oak at 7:30pm. A date for your diary! For more information and photos see the Rendham Mummers' Facebook page. *The Green Man - Spiritual Leader of the Mummers Clan* 



#### COMEDY NIGHT WITH CHARLIE HAYCOCK at

Bruisyard Village Hall, Saturday 16th November, 7pm for 7:30pm. An evening of humorous entertainment with Suffolk's own country comedian, writer and

raconteur. Bookings now being taken. Tickets £10 - pay on door - includes Ploughman's Supper. Capacity is only 69 so pre-booking essential. Call Albert Lain (663 567) or Teresa McKee (663 515).



# 2020 - SAVE THE DATE! Saturday 8th February 2020, Bruisvard Village Hall A satirica

Bruisyard Village Hall. A satirical and comic evening looking at

events, world leaders and political figures portrayed using realistic handmade puppets. Full details later this year!



Bank Holiday Monday, or National Dog Day to some, was celebrated by 6 local dogs enjoying a beautiful walk in the countryside. We asked for donations to Smokey Paws (a charity raising money to kit out fire stations in East Anglia with breathing apparatus for pets) and through generous donations from dog owners, non-dog owners, locals and visitors, we raised £70. Well done and thank you Rendham and friends. *Gina Purvis* 

Next concert: 7.00 PM Saturday, 14 December 2019, at Framlingham College

### **Phoenix Singers BENJAMIN BRITTEN** St Nicolas

and other Christmas music

Tickets: £15, under 18s, £7.50, available from Hall Farm Butchers, 25, Market Hill, Framlingham, Juniper Barn, Rendham, William Glasse william@glasse.org.uk.



members, and at the door. charity no. 1076549

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### Autumn Interlude with Suffolk Singers

Enjoy a concert from the Suffolk Singers in St Mary's Church, Woodbridge, 7:30pm, Saturday 12th October, Tickets £12 online. www.suffolksingers.co.uk



Friday 8th November - The Dish. Programmes start at 7:45pm. Doors open 7:15pm.

Refreshments available. Entry by donation. For further details call 663 511.



**SWEFFLING DATES:** Sunday 17 November, 9:30am. Stir-Up Sunday. Family Service - come and help to make, then eat A Christmas Puddina.



Have you ever thoughts about being a First Responder? It might be something vou'd like to do! Contact Ken Goddard on 663 609 to find out more.

### Sweffling Harvest Lunch and Auction Sunday 6th



October, Sweffling Hut, 1pm (following the Sweffling Harvest Festival service at 9:30am), Lunch will comprise two courses plus tea / coffee - £10 for adults, £5 for children. Tickets available from Sheila Tesh (663 518) or Diana

Smith (663 578). All proceeds from the lunch, the auction of Harvest produce and from the Draw will be sent to TEAR Fund to aid in famine / disaster relief.

**SWEFFLING ANNUAL CHRISTMAS** 

MARKET United Free Church Room, Framlingham, 9:30am - 12 noon, 23rd November. Free entry, refreshments and Christmas-themed stalls. Proceeds to Church Funds.



### The Great Framlingham Sausage Festival. 13th October. Taste a range of

sausages from local producers, and vote for your favourite!



**Bonfire** Night Friday 8 Nov. Bruisyard Village Hall. Free

Entry. Bonfire will be lit at 6:30pm. Fireworks 7pm. Please bring a large firework per family to the Hall around 6pm. Hot dogs and soup for sale. The bar will be open.



ALDEBURGH MUSIC CLUB Verdi 'Requiem', 7:30pm, Saturday 23rd November. Snape Maltings.

Real Ale and Music Festival The Long Shop Museum Leiston. Friday 11th -Sunday 13th October. Choose from 15 different ales, ciders and wines selected by the Ipswich branch of CAMRA whilst enjoying engines in steam and toe-taping music. 11am onwards on all days. www.longshopmuseum.co.uk



Suffolk Otters: Film & Talk An informative talk and film by members of the Suffolk Otter Group at Leiston

United Church. Tuesday 8th October. 7:30pm. Entry £3 on the door. www.suffolkwildlifetrust.org

Snape Malting - Britten Weekend: Britten & Russia 18th -20th October. Celebrating the friendships of Britten with Shostakovich and Rostropovich in September 1960. www.snapemaltings.co.uk/season/britten-weekend

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Donations of clothes, toys, household items gratefully accepted.

# St Elizabeth Hospice Bellringing Practice 7:30 8:30pm every Friday,

No plans for Christmas Day? Join Geoff and Katie at Juniper Barn from 12:30pm. All welcome.

### Dates for your Diary OCTOBER

- **5** Phoenix Jazz, Rendham White Horse, 7:30pm
- 6 Juniper Barn 2nd Birthday Party
- 6 Harvest Festival & Lunch, Badingham, 11:00am
- **6** Sweffling Harvest Lunch & Auction, Sweffling Hut, 1:00pm
- 7 Charity Quiz Night, Rendham White Horse, 7:30pm
- 12 John Parker's VIP Jazz, Rendham White Horse, 7:30pm
- **19** Jonathan Stephenson piano, Rendham White Horse, 7:30pm
- 22 Pop-up evening, The Crown, Glemham, 7pm onwards
- John Parker's VIP Jazz, Rendham White Horse, 7:30pm
- 27 British Summertime ends clocks go back

MOBILE LIBRARY Sweffling White Horse on 22nd Oct + 19th Nov 9:35-9:50hrs.

#### **NOVEMBER**

- 4 Charity Quiz Night, Rendham White Horse, 7:30pm
- 8 Bonfire Night, Bruisyard Village Hall, 6:30pm
- 8 Great Glemham Village Hall Cinema, 7:15pm
- 10 Remembrance Day Service, Rendham, 10:55am
- 14-15 Juniper Barn Christmas Fair, 6pm-8pm
- **16** Badingham Christmas Sale & Coffee Morning, Framlingham, 9:30am
- 16 Comedy Night with Charlie Haycock, Bruisyard Village Hall, 7:00pm
- **16** A Paul Jackson Production, RVH 7:30pm
- 17 Stir Up Sunday, Sweffling Family Service, St Mary's
- 26 Pop-up evening, The Crown, Glemham, 7pm onwards
- 23 St Mary's Christmas Market, Framlingham, 9:30am
- 24 Sweffling Christmas Market, Framlingham, 9:30am midday
- 29 Christmas Shopping Bus to Norwich, Rendham White Horse, 9:00am
- 30 Christmas Brunch and Market, Sweffling Hut, 10:00am
- 30 Ebenezer Scrooge, RVH,

### SAVE THE DATE Rendham 25th Fete, 4th

July 2020

Rendham's Christmas Market, 7th December, RVH, 9:30am

### DEADLINE FOR DEC 18 / JAN 2020 STREET': 17 NOVEMBER 2019

Email Helen Greenburgh: <a href="https://hpaygre@aol.com">hpaygre@aol.com</a> (07775 894146) AND Judith Mellor: <a href="mailto:rendhamstreet@gmail.com">rendhamstreet@gmail.com</a> (hard copy can be sent to Gables Farm, Sandy Lane, Rendham) <a href="mailto:PLEASE NOTE: IT IS ESSENTIAL TO EMAIL BOTH EDITORS">PLEASE NOTE: IT IS ESSENTIAL TO EMAIL BOTH EDITORS</a>. The Street welcomes items for publication, but we reserve the right to edit. It is the responsibility of contributors to provide accurate details, PRIOR TO THE DEADLINE. We are limited to 8 pages so may not be able to publish everything we receive for each issue. Priority is given to dated village events. All items submitted for publication must carry a name & contact no / email address.