

***BRANDESTON AND KETTLEBURGH
PARISH NEWS
JUNE 2017***

PARISHES OF BRANDESTON AND KETTLEBURGH

Dear Friends

The Church celebrates Pentecost on 4th June. For Christians, Whitsun (or Pentecost) is an important day, very much a day to celebrate, as many see it as the birthday of the Church. This is because of the way in which, as vividly described in the Bible, the Spirit of God filled Jesus's followers as they were locked together in an upstairs room in Jerusalem. The spirit drove them outside into the streets to tell the crowds of foreign pilgrims about what Jesus had done by his death and resurrection, and what this would mean for the future of the world! The inspirational energy of God's Spirit fired them with such power that they were able to communicate the joy, the confidence and the love of God which they knew to be theirs. It was a message that transformed all who heard it, and one which continues to transform people's lives today.

Another significant date following soon after this, is one personal to me, Sunday July 16th which will mark the conclusion of a ten year period during which I studied for a BA in Christian Theology, learned the skills required of a minister, and waited impatiently for God's direction for my ministry to become clear. A decade has gone in a flash! I have never worked so hard, nor so many long hours in my entire life, and these last four years as Priest in Charge of the seven unique and different parishes of Brandeston, Campsea Ashe, Easton, Hacheston, Kettleburgh, Marlesford and Parham, have been the icing on what has been a truly amazing scrumptious 'cake'!

I do however, feel extremely sad as this exciting phase of life comes to an end, but I await with great interest the next challenge our Lord has in mind for me, as I feel quite sure he isn't planning the 'scrap heap' quite yet. So, in this month of Pentecost, let's all be open to the transforming power of God's Spirit; and let his gifts work within us, transform and inspire us, and through us the world in which we live. With love in Christ, **Deirdre**

Priest in Charge: The Reverend Deirdre West 01728 688340

Brandeston

Elders:	Miss Eileen Leach	01728 685298
	Mrs Mary Baker	01728 685807
Church Wardens:	Alison Molyneux	01728 685244
	Mrs Mary Baker	01728 685807

Kettleburgh

Elders:	Mrs Jackie Clark	01728 723623
Church Warden:	Mr John Bater	01728 723532



The Orebeck Party

Saturday 4th June
Hacheston Village Hall
7.30 ~10pm

(some people have to work the next day!)

Everyone and anybody is invited –
bring a friend or two
and a sharing plate of food

Cash Bar open – first drink on Deirdre!
(though this is not her leaving do!)

Just an excuse to meet and mingle with friends from other
parishes
on a summer's evening
the open- air terrace is sure to be popular
if the weather is kind

Kettleburgh Monthly Craft Club

**First Tuesday of the month 7pm to 9pm
Kettleburgh Village Hall**

If you have considered popping in but not got round to it yet please do get in touch - it would be great to see you!

Bring along any project you are working on & enjoy a sociable evening with like-minded people. We are a friendly bunch of all ages and have worked on lots of different projects throughout the year including; scrapbooking, card making, knitting, lace making, drawing, sewing, fabric painting, crochet and colouring in!

It has been a great way of making new friends, swapping ideas, sharing knowledge and being inspired!

If you would like any more information please do not hesitate to get in touch.

Angela 01728 621447 or email me angela.wright17@btinternet.com

Future dates – 6th June & 4th July

Cost £2 to cover hall hire. Tea, coffee and biscuits provided.

Hope to see you there!

DIARY FOR JUNE 2017

Saturday 4 th June The Orebeck Party 7.30 - 10pm	Hacheston Village Hall	The Orebeck Party An excuse to meet and mingle with friend from other parishes on a summer's evening on an open- air terrace.
Friday June 9 th The annual coffee morning 10:30am to 12:00 .	Manly, Kettleburgh	CATS PROTECTION COFFEE MORNING (charity no. 203644) Guest: Dr Daniel Poulter MP. Mr Bill Clark will entertain again with his street organ which is much enjoyed.
Friday June 9 th Film Club 7.30pm At Brandeston Village Hall. Organised by Richard and Mary Mitson- Woods (01728 684026)	Sully Replaces 'Girl on a train' shown earlier in the year.	The story of Chesley Sullenberger, an American pilot who became a hero after landing his damaged plane on the Hudson River in order to save the flight's passengers and crew. Director: Clint Eastwood Writers: Todd Komarnicki (screenplay), Chesley Sullenberger (book) (as Chesley 'Sully' Sullenberger) Stars: Tom Hanks, Aaron Eckhart, Laura Linney
Saturday 10 th June	The Chequers Pub garden	Kettleburgh Village Fete 4-6 pm
Saturday 17 th June	The Queen, Brandeston	Brandeston Village Fete from 1pm

BRANDESTON COFFEE MORNING



**EVERY THURSDAY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR
10:00- 12:00 TEA, COFFEE, BISCUITS**

There is a good selection of second-hand books for sale and we also take orders for fresh bread and eggs, along with the mobile Post Office which has an excellent selection of cards.



PROCEEDS TO VILLAGE HALL FUNDS



KETTLEBURGH COFFEE MORNING



**FIRST FRIDAY EACH MONTH
10:30- 12:00 NOON**



**SAUSAGE ROLLS
TEA/COFFEE (DONATIONS)**

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OPEN GARDEN

**'TREETOPS', CEMETERY LANE, EAST BERGHOLT
CO7 6RZ**

*'A small but interesting garden packed with plants and
with no lawn to mow'*

**For ST ELIZABETH HOSPICE
AND
SUFFOLK BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT
SUNDAY 4TH JUNE 11AM-5PM**

**HOSPICE PLANT AND CRAFT
STALL**

REFRESHMENTS

**ENTRY £5 - CHILDREN FREE
FREE PARKING ON VILLAGE
CARPARK**

www.stelizabethhospice.org.uk www.suffolkbereavement.org.uk



PICTURE: 'House sparrow'

Laura Beardsell-Moore: The World Unfolding

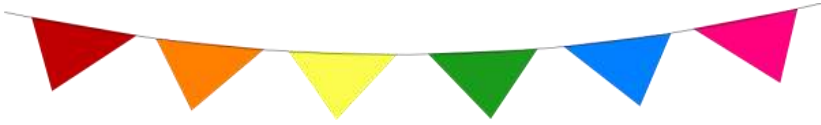
**7-13 June in 'Carousel', a new exhibition space in Bridge Street,
Framlingham.**

Suffolk artist, Laura Beardsell-Moore, will be exhibiting a new collection of oil paintings inspired by the natural world. The exhibition, **entitled, 'The world unfolding' showcases a range of work celebrating and exploring the sometimes-overlooked details of the world around us. From small garden birds, new flowers opening or the fascinating textures of tree bark, Laura's paintings** investigate the small things that matter all around us. With a keen interest in the environment, Laura draws attention to the beauty and importance of local flora and fauna, whether in the Suffolk countryside or in our own gardens. Laura will also be exhibiting a range of her animal portraits, and you can commission a portrait in oil paint of your pet from one of your own photographs.

Laura Beardsell-Moore 07534 424591 laura@lbm-art.com www.lbm-art.com



The exhibition coincides with the ever-popular Suffolk Open Studios, which has a trail around Framlingham. For more information, please visit www.lbm-art.com/events.



KETTLEBURGH VILLAGE FETE

**Saturday 10th June 4-6 pm
The Chequers Garden**

**Traditional games, bric-a-brac, produce
stalls, fun dog show,
refreshments, cream teas, and BBQ**

**Proceeds in aid of Kettleburgh Village Hall
and the St Andrew's Church Fabric Fund**

**For more information, or to offer help, please contact
John or Rowena on 01728 723124, or Graham Mooney
on 01728 723121.**



Brandeston Fete 2017



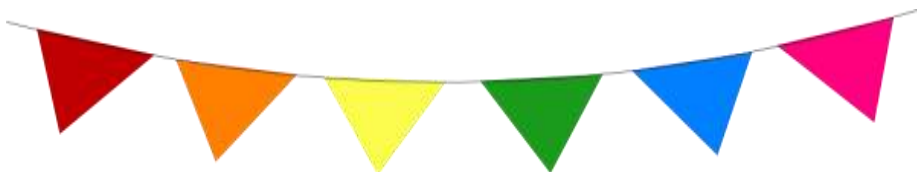
Brandeston Fete, Farmers Market and Beer Festival

There are big things planned for this year's fete. As well as the usual stalls, there will be a Farmers' Market running on Saturday and Sunday, a Beer Festival running over the whole weekend and for the first time, a Village Feast from 6:30 after the fete followed by a dance.

The Fete will be on **Saturday, 17 June from 1:00** in the gardens of The Queen; the Beer Festival will start on Friday and the Farmers' Market will run on Saturday and Sunday.

Full details of the Village Feast will be available in June by email, posters, the web site and from The Queen.

Let's hope the weather will be good and that we have a successful fete weekend. Darryl Morgan and Paul Baker





Framlingham Medical Practice

GP+ Appointments

**now available at Wickham Market
6.30pm to 9.00pm Weekdays &
9.00am to 1.00pm Saturdays Past**

- Suffolk GP+ is for people who urgently need a doctor's appointment or are unable to see their GP on a weekday, Saturday morning or during normal GP hours.
- There are no self-referrals and appointments can only be made via Reception at your own GP Practice (*Framlingham Medical Practice*)
- THIS IS NOT A WALK- IN SERVICE
- Appointments are available at the following times
Weekdays: 6:30pm – 9.00pm
Saturday: 9:00am – 13.00pm
Bank Holidays: 9:00am – 13:00pm
- The service will be manned by local Suffolk GPs and Nurse Practitioners
- The GP+ is running for a 6 month pilot at Wickham Market Medical Centre.

Suffolk GP+ is a NHS service delivered by the Suffolk GP Federation.

BRANDESTON 100+ CLUB

MAY DRAW

£25 No 85 LORD CUNLIFFE
£10 No77 PHIL BAYS

KETTLEBURGH GREEN TRUST LOTTERY

MAY DRAW

^{1ST} PRIZE: MR AND MRS De VENNY
^{2ND} PRIZE: TREVOR AND DIAND SMITH

ONLINE SHOPPING?

Did you know that whenever you shop online, be it for a hat or a holiday, packed lunches or pencil cases, you could be raising a free donation for Kettleburgh Green Trust at no extra cost to you? Simply sign up for free at easyfundraising.org.uk - it's as easy as 1, 2, 3! All you have to do is:

1. **Go to** <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/kgt>
2. **Sign up** for free
3. **Get shopping** - your donations will be collected by easyfundraising and automatically sent to Kettleburgh Green Trust. It couldn't be easier!

There are no catches or hidden charges and Kettleburgh Green Trust will be really grateful for your donations. Thank you for your support. Keep in touch with us by liking us on Facebook, following us on Twitter kgtchair.

Caroline Wheeler-Rowe Treasurer and Fundraising Committee Chair
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News from the village green

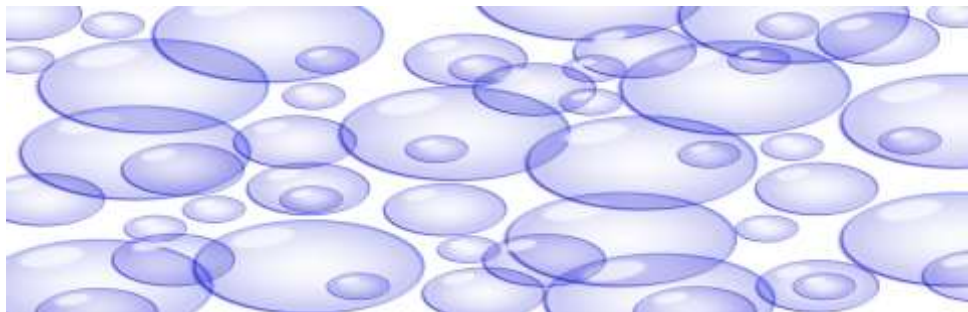
This month, the 1st Deben Valley Beaver colony have been digging and planting over on the village green working towards their gardening badge. A patch of ground was dug over (which was tough going in dry, hard conditions) and fenced off. The beavers spent a happy, muddy hour planting a range of colourful annuals. Thanks to one of the green's neighbours we have been able to fill a large upcycled plastic drum with water and site it next to the bed so the annuals can be watered regularly.

In the longer term, the Trust plans to harvest rain water from the Green shed to enable us to provide water for new plants, shrubs or trees while they're settling in.

If you have any spare plants that can survive a dry, sunny spot we'd like to fill in the gaps in the bed near the Church Road entrance. Contact Caroline Wheeler-Rowe, Heidi Finbow or Hannah Barton or email kgchair@wheeler-rowe.com.

Sadly, the village breakfast planned for the start of May had to be cancelled due to low bookings. It would not have been viable to run and as it's a fundraising activity for the Trust, it has to run at a profit to make it worthwhile. Not to worry though, we'll be back later in the year. Watch this space.





Hospice's big, bubbly event is back for 2017

After last year's success, St Elizabeth Hospice is bringing back its highly popular family event, Bubble Rush, this August.

Bubble Rush is a fun-filled, foamy 5k walk or run that will see people of all ages getting covered in colourful bubbles this summer in aid of the local charity.

On **Sunday 13 August**, hundreds of people will run, walk, dance or skip around a 5km route **at Christchurch Park**. The route will feature four 'bubble stations' which each have different coloured bubble cannons, covering you in safe, frothy foam!

Catherine Sheppard, St Elizabeth Hospice's events and challenges fundraiser, said: "Last year was the hospice's first ever Bubble Rush and the event was a huge success, with more than 1,500 local people taking part and getting covered in colourful bubbles all for a good cause!

"Bubble Rush is an ideal event to take part in with your family, friends or co-workers as it's fantastically frothy and fun for people of all ages – whether you're six or sixty!"

Registration is now open and this year there is the option to get the cost of registration back if you fundraise £100 or more St Elizabeth Hospice. All the money raised from St Elizabeth Hospice's event will go towards improving life for people living with a progressive illness such as cancer, motor neurone disease and heart failure.

To sign up to be part of the fantastic frothy fun, visit

www.stelizabethhospice.org.uk/bubblerush or call 01473 723600.

Kettleburgh Village Produce Show

Saturday 2nd September 2017

This year has so far proved a challenging one for gardeners with late frosts and little rain. However, I hope this will change and that people are busy planting flowers and vegetables with our show in mind. There is still time to plant quick maturing crops such as lettuces, beetroot, beans and annual flowers. Even if you are not a keen gardener many of you will have a herb patch, a selection of shrubs and some perennial flowers or a pot plant. All of these can be entered in the show. And if you can't grow five matching fruit or vegetables how about aiming for the longest runner bean or the heaviest potato or marrow where you just need one supersized specimen?

This year in consultation with the Kettleburgh Craft Group we are introducing an adult class for a hand- made card suitable for any occasion, so if you are not a gardener or a cook why not get crafting and enter this class instead.

Schedules with details of all the classes - vegetables, fruit, flowers, cookery, wine, photography, craft and children's entries will be available in July.

Many thanks, Claire Norman



MOBILE LIBRARY SERVICE

Your mobile library will be visiting you every 4 weeks on the day and time indicated below. These details can also be found on the Suffolk Libraries website at www.suffolklibraries.co.uk

Saxmundham mobile library route 7

Stop	Village	Location	Time
7A	Dallinghoo	Village hall	0945-1000
7B	Charsfield	South View, The Street	1005-1030
7C	Monewden	Church	1040-1050
7D	Otley	Spring Park	1100-1125
7E	Otley	Village Stores	1130-1205
7F	Ashbocking	The Green	1215-1235
7G	Helmingham	Forge	1240-1250
7H	Framsden	Village hall	1400-1415
7I	Cretingham	New Bell PH	1430-1445
7J	Brandeston	Queen's Head PH	1450-1510
7K	Kettleburgh	Church Rd	1515-1530

Calling every 4 weeks on Thursdays **2017 dates**

8 Jun, 6 Jul, 3 Aug, 31 Aug, 28 Sept, 26 Oct, 23 Nov, 21 Dec

MAGAZINE ARTICLES

Please send, deliver or e-mail any contributions for the magazine by 15th of each month to: Mrs Jan Baldwin, Priory Barn, Brandeston, IP13 7AU

Or e-mail jan_baldwin123@hotmail.com, tel: 684449

Please send e-mails in Microsoft Word format, or jpg for pictures/scans.

MAGAZINE COVER

Thank you very much to Janet Weston who is providing regular drawings for our magazine cover. If anyone else would like to draw a cover sometime, you are very welcome too.



JUNE CHURCH CLEANING

BRANDESTON

4th Ruth Garratt and Mary Baker
11th Christine and Colin Matthews
18th Julia Elson and Kelly Jeffery
25th Jane Mitchell and Louise Pagett

KETTLEBURGH

Anne Bater
Pat Peck
Val Butcher
Margaret Meadows

JUNE CHURCH FLOWERS

4th Alison Molyneux
11th Alison Molyneux
18th Marion Kirton
25th Marion Kirton

Irene Dick
Claire Norman
Claire Norman
Pat Peck



BRANDESTON:

Thank you all for your continuing commitment to keep our lovely church looking so clean and welcoming. As you can see the rota has been reduced with 'turns' coming around more frequently. We are actively trying to recruit more volunteers

Regards

Kelly Jeffery (01728) 685117 and Christine Matthews (01728) 685589

KETTLEBURGH:

If the altar flowers are still in good condition when it is your turn, please either use them or put them in a vase elsewhere in the church. Thank you.

If you have any problems with dates please swap with someone else or contact Pat Peck on 01728 621144 or contact Claire Norman 01728 724372/ email auntclaire@btinternet.com

