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## WELCOME

### Next one's a double

A quick reminder that the next edition covers two months - August and September. It's a tradition that we've been happy to carry forward to give all the people who contribute each month a little summer holiday!

So, if you have any events going on in September, please remember to get the details to us before the 15th July so ensure it goes in the next edition.

And if there is anyone out there interested in talking to us about taking on The Reeve's Tale, we're still on the look out!

Many thanks,

Emma and Gavin

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### July Events

Event	Date	Location(s)
Mobile Library	Tues 2nd July	From 11.55am
Bawdeswell Parish Council	Thurs 4th July	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.30pm
Book Club	Thurs 4th July	The Old Workhouse; 8.00pm
Summer Fete	Sat 6th July	Bawdeswell Primary School, 11am
Knit and Natter	Thurs 11th July	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Cafe Philosophique	Thurs 11th July	The Old Workhouse; 7.30pm
Bawdeswell Village Cinema	Fri 12th July	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.30pm
Foxley Coffee Morning	Wed 17th July	Foxley Village Hall; 10.30am
Extraordinary meeting of Board of Trustees of Bawdeswell Village Hall	Mon 22nd July	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 7.30pm
Foxley Parish Council	Tues 23rd July	Foxley Village Hall; 7.30pm
Knit and Natter	Thurs 25th July	Bawdeswell Village Hall; 2.00pm
Mobile Library	Tues 30 July	From 11.55am

### Other local events

Event	When	Details
Bylaugh Church Fete	Saturday 6th July, 2.30pm - 4pm	Park Farm, Bylaugh
Reepham Gardening Club: Tales of the Lady Mole Catcher	Tuesday 16th July, 7.45pm	Reepham Town Hall. More info Jeff Johnson 01362 680066
Dog Show and Family Fun Day in aid of Wells Community Hospital Trust	Sunday 14th July, 10am - 4pm	Fun day for all the family at the East Park, Holkham Estate. Free entry, parking £3 per car.
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### Regular Events

Event	Time/Date	Location
Slimming World	Mon. 5.30pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Beck WI	2nd Mon. of each month 7.30pm	Old Schoolroom, Sparham
Short Mat bowls	Mon. 7pm - 9pm & Fri 7pm- 9pm	Foxley Village Hall
Hub Cafe	Tues. 9.30am - 12pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Pilates	Tues. 6.15pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Bridge	Tues. 6.45pm, Friday 2.15pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Zumba Gold	Wed. 9am to 10am	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Yoga	Wed. 10.30am to 11.30am	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Youth Football Club	Wed. 6.00pm - 8.00pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Weight Watchers	Wed. 6.00pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Little Monkeys	Fri. (term time) 9.15 - 11.30am	Bawdeswell Village Hall
Games Afternoon	Sat. 1.30pm	Bawdeswell Village Hall

### Forthcoming Foxley Village Hall Events

Event	Date
Harvest Meal	October
Foxley Litter Pick & War Memorial Clean	2nd November
Bingo	23rd November

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## LETTERS

### June Mary Vince

June Mary Vince died on Thursday 30th May aged 87 years. A memorial was held at Foxley church where she was a faithful member.

June led a wonderful and interesting life. She was born in Romford moving to Norfolk after the war. She taught French and Italian in Italy and Zambia but later settled back in Norfolk where she carried on her teaching career. June married Norman Vince and they spent many happy years at Wood Farm in Bawdeswell, when Norman passed away June moved to Foxley.

June loved to travel and was in Spain and Italy just last year. She had a number of hobbies including Pilates, singing and flower arranging she shared with great friends. June will be sorely missed...may her soul rest in peace.

*Chloe Oakley*

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## VILLAGE NEWS

### Change of date for Foxley Parish Council meeting

Note change of date for the next meeting of Foxley Parish Council, which will now be on **Tuesday 23rd July 2019** at 7.30pm in Foxley Village Hall.

All Welcome - Come and have your say!

### Update from Bawdeswell School

We have had another very busy half term with the children.

The Y6 very much enjoyed having a professional photographer visit the school. We were busy updating our website and the Y6 children had the opportunity to plan and take the photos for our website.

The Y4/5/6 children were lucky enough to travel by coach to Harry Potter World only yesterday. This was an amazing experience for all the children and adults who were lucky enough to go!

Looking ahead we have the Y6 leavers trip to Wells beach, a tennis competition, a netball competition, Sports Day, Summer Fayre (6th July), and the finale - a trip to BewilderWood.

A big thank you to all the Friends of Bawdeswell School who organised a very successful Bingo night at the Village Hall. We really appreciate all their hard work and time they put into the school. The funds they give us are vital to help us organise trips and extra-curricular activities.

Another thank you - this time to Bawdeswell Garden Centre who kindly donated a huge box of bulbs for us to plant in our garden.

Best wishes

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### Beer and hymns in North Elmham

Beer & Hymns at The King's Head in North Elmham welcomed Bishop Jonathan to its Eastertide evening on 23rd May (as part of his visitation to the Heart of Norfolk Benefice).



Now in its third year, Beer & Hymns goes from strength-to-strength. It came to life during a conversation between Team Rector, Sally Kimmis, and local resident Jenny Cunningham.

Sally says: "The idea for Beer & Hymns came from a very creative fellow-ordinand when I was training for ministry. Jenny and I put our idea to the Landlord of The King's Head, Marcus Gillies. He was totally on-board with it and he and his staff are wonderfully supportive. Jenny quickly found a great accompanist, Teresa Williams, so we held our first event in June 2017.

"The format is quite simple: three 'sets' of hymns, with comfort breaks and hot snacks provided by the pub. We've held two events each year, with hymns themed to the season – the next one will be on 31st October, celebrating All Souls and All Saints. I'd love to recruit our pub congregation as a choir – they sing with such gusto and enthusiasm! And, as they do so, they're praising God!"

Bishop Jonathan has promised to come again and, next time, to bring Bishop Graham Usher with him! And, yes, he was invited to sing a solo – The Bee Gees' 'Words', explaining, he felt, a deeply theological underpinning of that song. 'Words are all I have, to take your heart away'.

*Revd Sally Kimmis, Team Rector, Heart of Norfolk Benefice*





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### Bawdeswell Village Hall



Hopefully a warm and sunny summer is on its way and we're really looking forward to it, because as at the time of writing this in June, we've all been dodging the heavy rain and some of us have even been turning the heating on.

The school holidays are around the corner and we're hoping we can encourage volunteers to help us keep our summer café open. The more volunteers we have, the more days we can open. We serve hot and cold drinks and snacks between 2-4pm. We would love to hear from you if you could join our rota.

Our Extraordinary Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Bawdeswell Village Hall is on Monday 22nd July 2019 starting at 7.30pm.

The Board of Trustees of Bawdeswell Village Hall wish to change the charitable status of the Hall from Unincorporated Charity to Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO). Whilst Trustee responsibilities and the objects of the charity will remain the same, there would be two main benefits:

- the level of personal financial risk to volunteer trustees would reduce (although trustees must continue to act responsibly)
- to be able to employ people as necessary and enter into contracts.

All residents of Bawdeswell, over the age of 18, are invited to attend and vote on this Special Resolution. We look forward to welcoming you to the meeting

Don't forget that you can keep up to date with what's happening at the Hall by looking at our website [bawdeswellvillagehall.co.uk](http://bawdeswellvillagehall.co.uk) and our Facebook page. Our photos are there, as are details of our events and minutes of our Trustee meetings. Thanks go to Rebecca Ledbury for keeping everything up-to-date.

#### Regular events:

Coffee Hub: Open every Tuesday 10am to 12pm for coffee, cake and chat (we offer tea and biscuits too!). Donations welcome.

Soup 'n' Roll Lunches (with puddings too): Last Thursday of the month (except August) 12.30pm to 2.00pm. Donations welcome.

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### Book Club

“The Dead Lake” by Hamid Ismailov



“A fairy-tale lake, right there in the middle of the flat, level steppe, a stretch of emerald-green water, reflecting the rare, stray cloud. No movement, no waves, no ripples, no trembling - a bottle-green, glassy surface with only cautious reflections of the boys' and girls' faces as they peeped at its bottom by the shore. Could there possibly be some fairy-tale fish or monster of the deep to be found in this static, dense water?”

A young boy enters it and will be changed forever.

“The Dead Lake” takes the reader to Kazakhstan and a culture that has always interwoven reality with fantasy. It is a fairytale against the backdrop of a nuclear test site.

We follow Yerzhan through his childhood as he becomes a gifted musician and falls in love with a girl. As the story unfolds, the brutal facts of living next to ‘the zone’ become clear. The story is condensed into a thin book and yet so rich in poetic detail. It makes a haunting read but it is also a story of human resilience.

There was criticism that the book lacked in substance describing Yerzhan’s family members, all of which have secrets to reveal. It made a perfect book to be discussed with fellow readers since it was so easy to miss important details.

The Book Club meets in the ‘Lounge’ outside the Workhouse Bar on the first Thursday of every month at 8pm. We mostly obtain books from the library so there is not the expense of buying new books each month. We are currently reading “The Colour of Milk” by Nell Leyshon for discussion at our meeting on 4th July. Our next book will be “Tigers in Red Weather” by Lisa Klaussman, for discussion on 1st August. New members are always welcome. **Enquiries: Carolyn Good 01362 688944**

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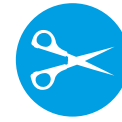
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To find out more, call **Dennis** on **01362 688099** or **Carole** on **688567**.



### Foxley Village Hall Coffee Morning

17th July at 10.30am

A warm welcome to all. On the third Wednesday of each month. Come along for a coffee and chat with neighbours and friends.



### Bawdeswell Bowls Club

Bawdeswell Bowls Club results so far in 2019:

**Cawston league:** Played 5; Won 5; Draw 0; Lost 1

**County league:** Played 4; Won 3; Draw 0, Lost 1

**Dereham league:** Played 3; Won 2; Draw 0; Lost 1

**County Cup results:**

Martham away (84) (71) win

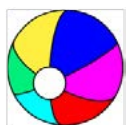
Caster home (81) (50) win

**Cawston KO Cup:**

Reepham Nomads (71) (60) win

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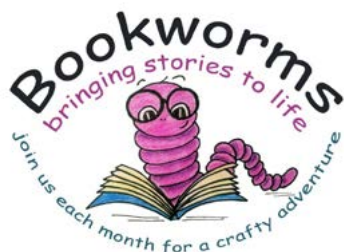
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17th May - Superworm

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## CLUBS AND SOCIETIES



### Beck WI

The Beck is an enthusiastic group which meets on the second Monday of each month at 7.30pm in the Old School Room at Sparham.

This month we had a fascinating and insightful presentation from Hazel Gillingham (suitably dressed in costume) on Millicent Garrett Fawcett, one of the leading suffragists. Millicent was born in Aldeburgh and was one of ten children. Her sister was Elizabeth Garrett Anderson, one of the first female doctors in this country.

Suffragists took a more moderate line than suffragettes regarding women's rights but were equally successful in helping women gain the right to vote.

**On July 8th we have Juyna Lewis coming to talk about Easy Picnic Dishes.**

We will continue to run a very varied programme in 2019 and non-members are always welcome to join us. We are always looking to recruit new members. Please contact Liz Waddy on 01362 688910 for further information.



### Wensum Valley Birdwatching Society

Indoor meetings at Great Witchingham Village Hall, 7.30pm. All welcome. (There is a £2.00 charge for non-members)

Thursday 18th July – Our Place by Mark Cocker. Tickets available - see the website.  
Thursday 8th August – Members social evening - although visitors welcome  
Thursday 19th September – "Oz" by Allan Hale.

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Saturday 24th August – Frampton Marsh RSPB  
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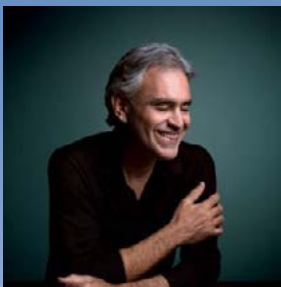
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Donations to 'Cupcakes for Alzheimer's Society raised £100, our thanks to everyone who donated and a particular thanks to all who made cakes or cupcakes.



Our next FAB meeting is Wednesday 7th August, in Foxley Village Hall when we will have a talk on 'The History of the Norfolk Broads' we look forward to seeing you all there.

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*Jackie Cunliffe, Co-ordinator*



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Tuesday	Bawdeswell Church	9.00am - 12.00pm
Tuesday	Foulsham, New Frost Hall	12.30pm - 3.30pm
Wednesday	Bintree Church	8.30am - 10.30am
Thursday	Foulsham, New Frost Hall	8.30am - 11.30am
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## PARISH COUNCILS

### **Bawdeswell Parish Council Meeting held on 6th June**

Present: B.Cunliffe (Chair), A. Toomey, A Hartley-Walder and R. Read  
Mrs. J Boxall (Clerk)  
Members of the public: 0

County Councillor B. Borrett and the Police were not in attendance, no apologies were received. District Cllr G. Bambridge updated the Council on matters at Breckland following the elections.

#### **Matters Arising**

Following concern raised regarding speeding on the Reepham Road and Fakenham Road, Cllr Cunliffe agreed to attend a meeting in Billingford of local Parish Councils to formulate a combined plan of action.

The Friends of Bawdeswell Church have agreed to help fund the repair of the church wall. As the quote received was £1600 plus VAT the Friends will fund £600 with the Parish Council having already committed to spending £1000. It was unanimously agreed to go ahead with the work.

#### **Planning and development**

A property development firm have approached Breckland regarding a proposed development off Reepham Road for 25 houses. Cllr Cunliffe to attend a meeting with the developer at Breckland DC. The PC expressed concern over the proposal given the additional 40 houses on Two Fields Way and agreed to object to the proposal. Cllr Cunliffe to provide an update following the meeting and the PC to take further action as appropriate. District Cllr Bambridge advised PC to fully prepare any objections.

The Parish Council agreed that they had no comment or objection to make with regards to the planning application 3PL/2019/0509/HOU - Two storey rear extension at Barwick House, The Street, Bawdeswell.

#### **Finance**

The balance of the community account after May payments is £ 18,091.85. The balance of the business money manager was £2,254.14, Project Bawdeswell account was confirmed as £1,894.28. A generous donation of £750 was received for future play equipment.

The Notice of Public Rights and Publication of Annual Governance and Accountability Return (Exempt Authority) was published on the 14th June. Members of the public have the right to inspect the accounting records for the year ended

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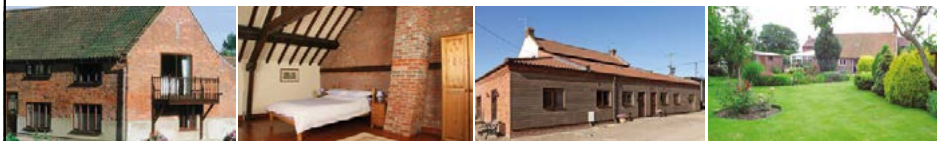
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## PARISH COUNCILS

31st March 2019 during the period 17th June to 26th July 2019. Please see the website or contact the Clerk for further information.

Local groups are reminded that the Parish Council has money in reserve allocated for community grants. Applications are invited from community groups needing funding. A copy of the grant funding terms and conditions can be viewed on the website. Grants are considered at Council Meetings following receipt of application.

**The next Parish Council meeting will be held on Thursday 4th July 2019 starting at 7.30pm. There will be no meeting held in August. Members of the public are warmly invited to attend. Meeting to be held in the Village Hall.**

For any concerns please contact the Parish Clerk Jo Boxall, White House, Pettywell, Reepham, NR10 4RN

Tel: 01603 879480

Email: [bawdeswellpc@hotmail.com](mailto:bawdeswellpc@hotmail.com)

Full draft minutes from this meeting and minutes from previous meetings, including financial / audit information and policies can be found on the Parish Council website. <http://bawdeswell.norfolkparishes.gov.uk>

**Note change of date for the next meeting of Foxley Parish Council, which will now be on Tuesday 23rd July 2019 at 7.30pm in Foxley Village Hall.**

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## CHURCH NEWS

### Church Letter

Dear Friends,

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In the days between Ascension (30th May) and Pentecost (9th June), the churches were engaged in a global prayer initiative called Thy Kingdom Come, based on the Lord's Prayer. It started with the Archbishops of Canterbury and York three years ago, but has now become world-wide, in at least 114 countries and across many Christian denominations.

The idea is to pray for God's Holy Spirit to work powerfully in our communities, so that people would come to know the love God has for them in their own lives.

In the Heart of Norfolk Group, we met for prayer on eight of those nine days in different churches across the Group. Some of these prayer meetings were between just two people; one of them involved a whole School gathering, with the children 'mapping' their village and making prayer-bunting to pray for their friends, families and neighbours.

Co-incidentally, as these prayer-meetings were taking place, Pope Francis raised the question of the wording in the Lord's Prayer: Lead us not into temptation. He was suggesting that this petition suggests that God might indeed lead us into temptation, yet that is the work of the Devil! The Pope's alternative wording is Do not let us fall into temptation, which he feels is closer to the original text.

Spending time looking at each phrase of the Lord's Prayer and thinking about what they may mean to us and how we live our lives, is a richly-rewarding experience.

Forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us is both a beautiful and powerful challenge. True forgiveness can be really hard when we've been badly hurt, but holding onto feelings of bitterness works against us in the end.

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## CHURCH NEWS

### Bawdeswell Church News

Thank you all of you who generously donated to the appeal fund to buy more hymn books, and the Friends of the Church who helped too. We also bought some large print copies. We now have enough hymn books for those occasions when the church is full. Let's work towards that happening more often!

We are grateful to the support of Foxley residents who regularly attend our Sunday services, and also grateful for the regular attendance every Sunday of Father Christopher Davies who, though technically retired, has become to us our own Vicar, joining us every Sunday, visiting the sick in hospital and the housebound, and being there at the weekly Village Hall Hub. We are very fortunate compared to most rural parishes.

The Bishop of Lynn visited us on the day of the European Elections. He visits each church in his patch once every four years to interview the clergy and separately the churchwardens, to check up on us. He seemed pleased to hear that all was doing so well in Bawdeswell and the congregation was growing. We took him to the Village Hall after the churchwarden's meeting, and the Thursday Craft Group gave us tea and cake. Thank you ladies.

We participated in the "Thy Kingdom Come" mission to encourage more people to come to know Jesus, and held a short service at noon on Thursday 6th June. Twelve people attended. Similar services were held around the Heart of Norfolk Benefice each day of the week.

In support of the Guestwick church "Recycle used Toothpaste Tubes" initiative, we have placed boxes in our church and the village hall for your empty toothpaste tubes. Millions of empty toothpaste tubes are going into landfill. Now someone has found a way to recycle them, so don't throw them away adding to the world plastic problem.

### Dereham Food Bank

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*Robin Taylor, Churchwarden*



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### Bawdeswell & Foxley Church Services – July 2019

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Season	3rd Sunday after Trinity	4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity	5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity	6 <sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity
Colour	G	G	G	G
Bawdeswell	10.30 HC(A)	The 10:30	10.30 HC(A)	10.30 Words and Praise
Foxley	-	-	-	9.30 HC (BCP)

HC(A): Holy Communion, Common Worship Order 1 (Modern language)  
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