

# VILLAGE VOICE

BRINKLEY..BURROUGH GREEN..CARLTON..WESTLEY WATERLESS

NOVEMBER 2015

## SCRABBLE and MAHJONG

We meet in November on **Mondays 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>** at 7.30pm in the Community Room at Sheriff's Court. Do come and join us in a game.. £2 includes refreshments.  
*Trish 01638 507495*

## BURROUGH GREEN PLAYGROUP

Unfortunately we have had to postpone the Dog Show which was booked in on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September. We are planning on holding this event next Spring and hope you will be able to support it then.

## PLEASE JOIN US FOR BINGO!

**Burrough Green Reading Room**  
**Saturday 14th November**  
Doors open 7:30pm - Eyes down at 8pm



Bring along your own drinks and nibbles  
Raffle

Raising funds for Burrough Green Playgroup

## WINTER FAIR

**SATURDAY 14<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER**

**Brinkley Memorial Hall**

**12noon to 2pm**

Come along and have a tasty lunch of  
Homemade Soup or  
sausage in a bun followed by one of the  
delicious puddings on offer.  
Browse the stalls, buy a cake, and enjoy  
having time to chat and meet the neighbours.



## Raising much needed funds for Brinkley Church

**BURROUGH GREEN READING ROOM**

**WINTER FAIR**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 21<sup>st</sup> 12 - 3PM**

Cake stall, Crafts, Tombola, Raffle, Games  
Card making for children



'Bake off' competition :

Adults: Mince pies (your own  
favourite recipe)

Children: Gingerbread man  
(Ring Marilyn for details 50817)



Come and enjoy a hearty lunch  
of Homemade soup and roll. Hot dogs for kids  
and a choice of puddings

Proceeds for the Reading Room

## WHAT'S ON AT THE RED LION BRINKLEY



As most of you will now know Guy left the Lion in the middle of October. Guy achieved what he set out to do - rapidly turn around the pub from its Winter 2014 closure, make good the issues left behind, upgrade the kitchen, safety and hygiene standards and make the Red Lion a warm and welcoming village pub. He opened the pub in 5 weeks from scratch, introduced pub quizzes and also foody nights. We are very grateful to Guy and disappointed that he was lured back to a great opportunity in London. We wish him the best in his next venture. Guy introduced us to Morris and Gwynne, the new chefs, do introduce yourselves and go and see George.

## November Events:

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> - Coffee Morning

These continue to be a good community event, growing in numbers every time. We will of course honour two minutes silence this time for those who would like to.

### Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> - Pub Quiz

The quizzes remain popular, with Trish Bull's team winning October's. We advise booking for this event.

### Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> - Themed Evening: Thanksgiving

Morris and Gwyn have lots of American experience so are keen to use Thanksgiving as an opportunity to share their knowledge with you all for our latest themed evening.

### Friday 27<sup>th</sup> - Steak Night

Steak nights have been a great success since they began, our chefs are keen to bring you a selection of steaks, including some cuts you are likely to have not tried before!

Many Thanks for your continued support, it is all much appreciated, and any feedback gratefully received. Keep us informed as to what you would like to see.

*George and all at the Red Lion.*

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## NEWS FROM THE ELLESMERE CENTRE

For full details about classes at the Centre this term please see our website.

New Classes are marked with an\*. Please contact the tutors for more details and to register.

**Monday** Pilates 9.30-10.30am Alison Wilson  
01638 507784 / 07752 360839

Carpet Bowls 7.30-9.30pm  
John Puddick 01638 507636

**Tuesday** Zumba Tone 9.30-10.30am Alison Wilson  
01638 507784 / 07752 360839

Pilates 10.30-11.30am Alison Wilson  
01638 507784 / 07752 360839

Bridge 10.00am-12.00pm  
Dennis Miller 01638 508212

Art 1.00-3.00pm Chris Winch  
01638 508212

**Wednesday** Aerobic Body Toning 7.00-8.00pm  
Sharon Tapner 01638 730177

\* Fitsteps 9.30-10.30am  
Anne 07799 644053

Dog Training 6-10pm Lucy Baybrook  
lucy@baybrook.co.uk

Tennis Club 7.00-9.00pm Rob Algar  
01638 507997

**Thursday** Pilates 7.00-8.00pm Alison Wilson  
01638 507784 / 07752 360839

\* Circuits/Kick Boxing 7.00-8.00pm  
Arijana 07564 536688

**Friday** Yoga 9.30-10.30am Lisa Lovell  
07402 655556

Salsa 7.30-9.00pm Louise Martin  
07795161100

Badminton 7.30-9.30pm Bob Cooke  
01638 508138

### **SIXTIES DANCE Saturday 14th November.**



In aid of Alzheimer's Society and the  
Ellesmere Centre.

**Dancing to the great 6T's Band.**

Fancy Dress optional but fun!

Ticket £8 from the office.

### **Open Mic Night on Saturday 21st November.**

Fully booked for acts but please come along for a great night of music. Guest band 'Fred's House'.

### **'The Unbearable Pleasure of Being a Woman'**

"Put in your diaries, mark on your calendars! - a show destined for the Brighton Fringe and the Edinburgh Festival next year, is coming to the Ellesmere Centre on Friday 12th February, 2016! Look out for further announcements and information!"

*The centre is currently undergoing major changes which will incorporate new greener energy whilst lowering the utility bills and improving the facilities.*

*Please come along any morning and Julie or Andrea will be happy to show you around.*

The Ellesmere Centre. Stetchworth, CB8 9TS.

[www.ellesmerecentre.org.uk](http://www.ellesmerecentre.org.uk)

Tel 01638 508212. Email

[office@ellesmerecentre.org.uk](mailto:office@ellesmerecentre.org.uk).

## BETTY CLARKE

Very sadly my mum Sylvia (Betty) Clarke who lived in Brinkley passed away aged 89 on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2015. She lived in the village for over 50 years and will be greatly missed by those who knew her.

**For those who would like to attend her funeral, the service will be held at the Cambridge City Crematorium on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> October at 2.15pm followed by afternoon tea at The Golden Ball, Boxworth. All are welcome. We will be celebrating her life so please wear something of colour as she hated black.**

Should you not be able attend and wish to, donations to The Stroke Association and The Wood Green Animal Shelter can be sent c/o H J Paintin, 43 High Street, Linton, Cambridge CB21 4HS.

Joy Clarke

## BABY & TODDLER GROUP

Calling all babies and toddlers, come and play at the Reading Room in Burrough Green on Wednesday mornings, while mum/dad/grandparent/etc enjoy a cuppa and a bit of cake. Variety of toys to play with including ride ons, books, puzzles and a playmat. And if you use all your energy playing with all your new friends, there will be healthy snacks to munch on. Wednesdays from 9am, £2 per family. Find us on Facebook for more information and updates.



## BURROUGH GREEN PLAYGROUP

### **Position of Manager**



Our Ofsted "outstanding" rated Playgroup seeks an innovative Manager to lead a small team of experienced professionals delivering exceptional provision to pre-school children. The applicant must be qualified to at least Level 3 and be enthusiastic, experienced at delivering EYFS and an excellent communicator.

This is a flexible role of about 35 hrs per week during term time. Remuneration will be discussed at interview. This role is subject to an enhanced DBS check and references. Closing date 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2015.

For further information, please see our website:

[www.burroughgreenplaygroup.weebly.com](http://www.burroughgreenplaygroup.weebly.com)

**SPEEDING THROUGH BURROUGH GREEN**

**30mph** it is, but many don't!

With Speeding becoming a real issue in Burrough Green and accidents becoming more frequent, the safety of our residents and especially our children is at risk, **action is needed!** We are therefore re-starting our Speed Watch Scheme. If you want to do something about it, please join the Burrough Green Speed Watch Team. Time commitment is as little or as much as you like. Training and equipment will be provided.



For info please contact: Jo Batting - 07502 430211 :  
Angela Harris - 07884 478825 :  
Ansa Khan - [ansa911@hotmail.com](mailto:ansa911@hotmail.com)

**FOURWINDS MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING**

Once again what a wonderful morning of laughter, with coffee, cakes and a raffle. A BIG Thank You to all who came and contributed so generously to this worthwhile cause. With a special thanks to Heather Carpenter for donating the proceeds from her Flower Class, this made it a grand total collected an amazing £500.



Congratulations and thanks to everyone.  
*Bena and Helen*

**1ST DULLINGHAM AND STETCHWORTH B-P**

**SCOUTS 1DS Kingfishers**

Dullingham Wolf Cubs would like to invite you to their

**CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISING EVENING**

**ON WEDS 18<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER, 6-9pm  
at the Taylor Hall, Dullingham,**



We have some lovely stalls for you to browse and start your Christmas shopping, to include children's toy & clothes, Phoenix cards & gifts, beauty, food & much more.

The Cubs will be running some stalls to keep the children entertained, along with a Grand Draw with some great prizes to be won.

There will also be some hot food from Triangle Farm and refreshments to keep you refreshed.

Please support this event and bring along your family and friends.

Yours in Traditional Scouting

*Mark Burton*

The Baden-Powell Scouts' Association

*Group Scout Master. 1DS Kingfisher B-P Scouts*

**CHILDREN IN NEED CONCERT**

You are invited to a concert in Stetchworth United Reformed Church on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November at 7.00pm, Kitchen Choir and Friends performing,** £5 at the door includes a glass of wine.  
**In aid of 'Children in Need'.**

**RABBIT NEEDS A NEW HOME**

Would anyone be able to offer a good home to an adorable black tan buck rabbit? He is 7 years old and has his own hutch and run. His owners are moving, so sadly, will be unable to keep him. He has a lovely temperament, and is very well. Please call 07921 095141 if you would like more information.



**CLIC SARGENT for children with cancer  
CHRISTMAS(ish) FAIR  
Erskine Centre  
Chedburgh. IP29 4UL  
Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> November 11.00 - 4.00pm.**

Get your Christmas presents here! The hall will be packed with local crafters: slate jewellery and gifts, pinnies, superhero masks, hair accessories, jams, crystal jewellery, personalised gifts, fairy doors, wooden toys, Aloe Vera, an assortment of cards, wood turned gifts, scented candles, crocheted gifts, Christmas decorations, painted furniture - the list is endless.

While the shoppers shop, everyone else can have a cup of tea, have their face painted and have great fun in the games room.

Entry is by donation, in addition all money taken for refreshments and games goes straight to CLIC Sargent.

**BURNS SUPPER**

**Brinkley Memorial Hall**

**22<sup>nd</sup> January 2016**

**7:00pm for 7:30pm start**



Haggis; Neeps and Tatties : The Immortal Memory : Toast to the Lassies : The Response from the Lassies : The Piper.

What's not to Like?

Booking Essential with Donation of £20 per head

Contact Mike now on 01638 507896 to ensure your seat as tickets are going fast.

**DULLINGHAM FLOWER CLUB**

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2015 at 8.00pm**

The Taylor Hall, Dullingham

**Come & Enjoy A Demonstration**

Entitled

**'A Celebration of Xmas' By Ann Colby**

Entrance £5 including refreshments

Raffle - Accessories

**Date for your diary - Thursday 10 December**

Christmas Supper & Festive Demonstrations

Please contact Lesley Bird for further information

01638 507658 or 07786 817154

## ROBIN HOOD - WHAT A LEGEND!

A new legend will be born at the Ellesmere Centre in January 2016 with the arrival of our spectacular family pantomime Robin Hood.

Packed full of comedy and adventure with heroes and villains aplenty!

Can Robin Hood outsmart the Sheriff and save the day in time to win the hand of Lady Marian or will the Sheriff's evil plans ruin everything for the good people of Sherwood Forest forever?

Get ready for an arrow-shooting, tights-wearing extravaganza!

Come and join in with the fun - boo the baddies, cheer the heroes, sing along with the chorus and PLEASE.....laugh at the jokes!

Tickets are available from

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/edps](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/edps) or can be bought from the Ellesmere Centre Stetchworth. Please call 01638 508212 or our ticket hotline 07513 346381

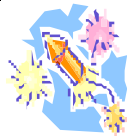
Visit

<http://www.ellesmeredevilsantomimesociety.co.uk/> for more information and find us on Facebook and Twitter for all the backstage news.

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## NOVEMBER BULLETIN FROM CAMBRIDGESHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE

FIREWORKS and bonfires can be plenty of fun for all the family to enjoy. The fire service recommends going to an organised firework display instead of holding one at home. However, if you do use fireworks or light a bonfire at home, we would ask residents to take on board our safety advice to ensure it is just their fireworks that go off with a bang:



- Keep fireworks in a closed box and always follow the instructions.
- Light them at arms length using a taper and stand well back.
- Never go back to a lit firework.
- Never put fireworks in your pocket or throw them.
- Don't light bonfires in unsuitable weather, particularly in windy conditions.
- Don't leave bonfires unattended.
- Build bonfires well clear of buildings, fences and hedge.
- Never use flammable liquids to start the fire, and never burn dangerous rubbish such as aerosols, paint, foam furniture, rubber tyres, and batteries.
- Before you light the bonfire, check that children and animals are not hiding inside and are a safe distance away.



Follow us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. To find out if you are eligible for a free home fire safety check, call 0800 917 99 94.

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## DERBYSHIRE POST

Our new College Principal was appointed in September and I am delighted that Helena Marsh has been the choice of the Trustees: I have known Helena for three years, have worked with her since 2014 and have had the pleasure of witnessing an intelligent, caring and very energetic leader going about her current role as Deputy Principal in charge of teaching and learning at LVC. It's a great choice for the school and the community and it means that I can leave at the end of term knowing that both the College and the Meadow School are in safe hands.

Since September I have found it difficult to take my eye off my emails in the hope that I would see another one from Jenny Pullin. Jenny is our Examinations Officer, a job which she does with her usual vigour and efficiency, and since the beginning of term she has been returning exam paper after exam paper to the Boards because our staff have been most unhappy with the standard of marking we have seen. In total we have sent back 111 papers - an unprecedented number and over a third of those we have returned have been marked up; when this happens, Jenny sends me an email. I think you will agree that the number of errors made is a little shocking and I have made my thoughts on this known.

The upgrades, particularly those in English have had a significant impact on our headline figure of 5 A\* - C, taking it up to 75% which is a figure that is not bettered by our local schools and much more in line with what we expected. It is disappointing for the class of 2015 that so many hardworking students were kept on tenterhooks for so long and their places on chosen courses were in jeopardy. However, it has all come right in the end and we can celebrate the results as a tremendous success a little belatedly.

*Caroline Derbyshire  
Principal*

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## ELLESMERE GARDEN CLUB

For our talk in November we welcome again Rodney Tibbs, who will give his talk "**Vegetables for value**". Rodney is a very informative and entertaining speaker so be sure not to miss him. This meeting is on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> November**, 8pm in the Ellesmere Centre.

Then of course, the following month is December, which means the Christmas Party! Members will receive a separate invitation in due course, and watch this space for more details next month - but for now keep **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> December** free.

Come and join us for one or both of these evenings - you always have the option of coming as a visitor, or at any time we'd be glad to welcome you as a member of the club. Contact Sandie on 507542 for any further information.

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## SCHEME GIVES VICTIMS A CHANCE TO MEET OFFENDERS

ALL victims of crime now have the opportunity to meet those who have offended against them as part of a re-launched scheme.



Restorative Justice (RJ) was introduced in Cambridgeshire in April 2011 as a method of dealing with low-level crime, often young, first-time offenders.

This way of dealing with a crime, as an alternative to formal prosecution, is still available to officers and is called "community remedy".

However, RJ is no longer an alternative to prosecution. It can now be offered to victims of any type of crime and at any point in the legal process, including after sentence.

RJ gives a victim the chance to meet an offender in a controlled and safe environment, to talk about the harm that has been caused and to find a way to repair that harm. It is completely voluntary for both parties. RJ lets victims have their say, allowing them to ask questions and helps them to move on with their lives. On the other side it can help offenders recognise the impact of what they have done and allow them to make amends.

RJ is an entitlement under the Code of Practice for Victims of Crime and is managed by the police-led Victims' Hub, which has just celebrated its first birthday.

Detective Chief Inspector Dominic Human said: "Restorative Justice is part of the force's commitment to putting victims at the heart of everything it does.

"Many victims may feel it is not for them but others may welcome the opportunity speak to the person who has offended against them.

"Statistics show that 85 per cent of victims who participate in RJ feel it is a positive experience and are more likely to be able to move on, while offenders are less likely to offend again - so it's a win-win situation.

"It can be used for any crime and at any stage but it is entirely the victim's decision and the offender must accept guilt."

Police and Crime Commissioner Sir Graham Bright said: "It is important that the victims of crime are offered a range of support options to help them cope and recover from their experience.

"For some, the chance to meet the offender can be a great benefit as they struggle to answer the question "Why me?"

"It can also have a big effect on the offender as they come to realise the full impact their crime has had on another person. I have been moved by the stories of where Restorative Justice meetings have taken place and the benefits that have resulted on both sides."

Other statistics include:

- Confidence in local policing increases from 55 per cent to 72 per cent as a result of using RJ
- Reduction in re-offending by up to 27 per cent
- There was 33 per cent less repeat offending among offenders coming out of prison after restorative justice than without it, and 55 per cent less offending among violent offenders supervised in the community
- For every £1 spent on delivering RJ, up to £8 can be saved in lowering costs of re-offending

There are various different forms of RJ which can be used to suit the particular circumstances. These range from a meeting between the victim and offender to conferences involving family, partner agencies and the wider community.

Anyone who would like to inquire about RJ should call 0800 7816818 or email

[restorativejustice@cambs.pnn.police.uk](mailto:restorativejustice@cambs.pnn.police.uk)

There is also more information, including online videos and the different models of RJ, on the force website at <http://www.cambs-police.co.uk/victims/rj/>

**GET CLOSER  
AND SUPPORT THE FORCE!**

## RECYCLING

**Carlton - Tuesdays** : Black bin - 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> November.  
Blue & Green - 10<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> November.

Green bin collection changes this winter. Don't forget, green bin collections change to monthly during winter when far less garden waste is put out for collection. Monthly collections will start at the end of November and will return to fortnightly in March for the rest of the year. Collection dates can be found on page 24 of the autumn South Cambs Magazine or online at [www.scambs.gov.uk/bins-by-parish](http://www.scambs.gov.uk/bins-by-parish)

For more information visit [www.scambs.gov.uk/content/changes-green-bin-collections-over-winter](http://www.scambs.gov.uk/content/changes-green-bin-collections-over-winter)

**Brinkley, Burrough Green, Westley Waterless - Thursdays** : Black sacks weekly. Blue Lid - 5<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> November. Green Lid - 1<sup>st</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>.

**Ink Cartridges** The Opportunity Group which meets at the Ellesmere Centre would be very grateful for your old ink cartridges to help with fund raising. Please drop them in the box on the gate at White Hart Cottage, High Street Brinkley or in the box at the Ellesmere Centre. Thank you.

(The Opportunity Group provides one to one care for children with special needs and their siblings, also provides respite for their parents/guardians.)

### FREE FISH TANK

1 FOOT CUBE TANK with 2 x Ansisterous bottom feeders and a number of Guppies. Heater, filter and ship wreck all included. Interested party would need to collect. 01638 507092 (Brinkley)

**BRINKLEY PARISH COUNCIL NEWS**

Firstly I would like to take the opportunity to introduce myself as the clerk for Brinkley Parish council. I have been in the role now for 5 months and am enjoying getting to know the people of Brinkley. If I can be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at [brinkleyclerk@gmail.com](mailto:brinkleyclerk@gmail.com).

As you may have seen works have been carried out on the bus stop, village sign and Beechcroft play area over the summer. Further work is planned for the play area in Spring 2016. To ensure that everybody in the village can enjoy the play area we would like to ask that when taking dogs onto the play area (or elsewhere) you are considerate of small children playing and that dogs are kept on a lead. We appreciate your co-operation in this matter.

As you will be aware speeding is of great concern to the residents of Brinkley. Residents living close to the roads should now have been issued with bin stickers to remind motorists of the speed limit; please let me know if you have not had them. The Parish Council have agreed to make available a substantial part of the accumulated reserves to part fund further initiatives. We are now working with Cambridgeshire County Council to try to address the issue and will be submitting a bid to the Local Highways Initiative for traffic calming works to be installed in the village. If you wish to help us with this, please do write with suggestions/comments/experiences to your County Councillor, Mathew Shuter, also a Parish Councillor at [mshuter@btinternet.com](mailto:mshuter@btinternet.com) and he will pass this on to the decision makers at the Highways Department.

We are very pleased to hear that Speedwatch is up and running again and are grateful to those residents who are volunteering their time for this initiative. This is giving the evidence we need to show that the 30Mph limit is not being followed. We would like to ask that if you live on the High Street and have off road parking available that you please do not leave your vehicle parked on the High Street where it could be dangerous to others. We are anxious not to increase the risk of accidents because vehicles have to pull out into the path of oncoming vehicles and in particular where there is a bend this is a potential problem.

The village is looking for volunteers to work with Cambridgeshire County Council to grit the footpaths. The County Council's Community Gritting scheme allows volunteers to step in during extended periods of freezing weather to clear routes in your area that are not part of the County Council's gritting program. If you are interested in helping please let me know.

Future Parish council meeting dates are: 11<sup>th</sup> November 2015; February 24<sup>th</sup> 2016; May 4<sup>th</sup> 2016; June 29<sup>th</sup> 2016; 7<sup>th</sup> September 2016 and 9<sup>th</sup> November 2016. All starting at 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall, Brinkley. Everybody is welcome to attend and we hope to see you there.

*Hayley Livermore : Brinkley Parish Clerk*

**CHURCH ORGAN PLAYING - Brinkley**

From January 1<sup>st</sup> Brinkley Church will require an organist for, normally, one service a month. The organ is scarcely more complicated than a standard piano and a small payment is made for each service. Please call John on 01638 507484 for more details.

**CATHOLIC SERVICES**

**NEWMARKET & KIRTLING.**

Mass Times		
Saturday	6.30pm	Newmarket
Sunday	9.00am	Kirtling
	10.30am	Newmarket
Holy Days	9.00am	Newmarket
	12noon	Kirtling
	7.30pm	Newmarket

Our Lady with St. Etheldreda, Exeter Road, Newmarket: Our Lady & St Philip Neri, Kirtling  
**Main Address:** 14 Exeter Road, Newmarket, CB8 8LT. **Telephone:** 01638 662492

**Email:** [office@olise.co.uk](mailto:office@olise.co.uk)  
Brinkley contact, John Conti 01638 508304

**MOBILE LIBRARY**

The Mobile Library will be at Brinkley Memorial Hall on the 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month between 3.15-4.30pm; **25<sup>th</sup> November**. Westley Waterless by the telephone kiosk on 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month - **12<sup>th</sup> November** at 4.10-4.25pm The Westley Waterless library bus is a different one from the Brinkley bus so you can get a really good choice of books.

**BURROUGH GREEN READING ROOM.**

We are licensed to cater for 100 people and are available on various days of the week.

The charges are £8.00 per hour for village and £10.00 for outside.

To hire the Reading Room,  
Please contact Marilyn Field 01638 508177

**ALLOTMENT**

Brinkley Parish council has an allotment available to rent. Can be taken as one whole plot (£12.50 per year) or two half plots (£6.25 per year). Please contact the parish clerk if interested at [brinkleyclerk@gmail.com](mailto:brinkleyclerk@gmail.com)

**AUTUMN SUPPER AND QUIZ - Brinkley**

We had a great evening on the 16<sup>th</sup> October at the annual Autumn Supper, this time including a short autumn themed quiz. 10 teams of 6 competed over 5 rounds with the lucky winners being rewarded with a bottle of wine each. Cottage Pie and Apple Crumble mid evening seemed to satisfy most appetites. Thank you to all the helpers who made it happen especially Trish for the quiz questions and of course the Attendees. Together we raised nearly £850 for the Memorial Hall. Good effort.

**NOVEMBER SERVICES**

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November All Saints Day**  
9.00am Holy Communion Brinkley  
Revnd Julia Popp  
10.30am Harvest Festival Burrough Green  
*Wisdom 3: 1 – 9 Revelation 21: 1 – 6a John 11: 32 - 44*

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**  
**Remembrance Services**  
10.55am Stetchworth Canon Michael Soulsby  
10.55am Burrough Green Canon Chris Barber  
3.00pm Carlton

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> November 2nd Sunday before Advent**  
9.00am Holy Communion Burrough Green  
Canon Dr. Malcolm Brown  
10.30am Morning Prayer Brinkley  
Canon Dr. Malcolm Brown  
*Daniel 12: 1 – 3 Hebrews 10: 11 – 14 (15 – 18) 19 – 25*

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> November Christ the King**  
10.30am Holy Communion Dullingham  
Revnd Robert van de Weyer  
3.00pm Evensong Stetchworth  
Dr. Gina Radford  
*Daniel 7: 9 – 10, 13 – 14 Revelation 1: 4b – 8 John 18: 33 - 37*

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> November 1st Sunday of Advent**  
**5.00pm Benefice Christingle Service**  
**Westley Waterless**  
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During the Interregnum please contact your Churchwarden if you need the services of a minister. They will be able to advise you of the person to call.

**Burrough Green:** Lucy Talbot Tel: 01638 507060, email: [peterandlucyt@btinternet.com](mailto:peterandlucyt@btinternet.com)

**Westley Waterless:** Ms. Deborah O'Riordan, Tel: 01638 507741, email [d.a.oriordan@btinternet.com](mailto:d.a.oriordan@btinternet.com) and Mrs Liz Gibson, Tel: 01638 508600, [lizgibson@me.com](mailto:lizgibson@me.com)

**Brinkley:** John Robertson Tel. 01638 507484

**Carlton:** Stephen Roberts 01223 290372 or [Stephen.roberts28@btopenworld.com](mailto:Stephen.roberts28@btopenworld.com).

**Rural Dean:** Rev'd Michael Banyard tel: 01638 721616 e-mail: [banyardmg1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:banyardmg1@yahoo.co.uk)  
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**BURROUGH GREEN HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE**

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> November 10.30am**  
**Burrough Green Church**  
**Mr Alfred Arunkumar of the Kasam Agricultural Institute, Diocese of Vellore, South India will give a short talk about small farmers in India and the work of the Agricultural Institute.**  
Followed by refreshments  
All Welcome



Burrough Green Reading Room  
**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> December 2015**  
4.00 - 5.30 pm

**MESSY ADVENT ALL WELCOME**  
Come and join us - have a go at various crafts (adults too!)  
Refreshments available

If you would like to help with this event please contact:  
Lily Whymer 01638 50-7576 - [lilywhymer@btinternet.com](mailto:lilywhymer@btinternet.com)  
Or Sheena Brusell 01638 508908 [sheena.brusell@sky.com](mailto:sheena.brusell@sky.com)

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**CHRISTMAS LIGHTS SWITCH ON**

Burrough Green Playgroup would like to invite you to join us for some festive fun on the 1<sup>st</sup> December at our annual Christmas lights switch on from 3.30pm onwards. Join us for mince pies, mulled wine, BBQ, cakes and biscuits. Elsa from the Disney hit 'Frozen' will also be there as will the big man in red himself Father Christmas. Face painting, stalls, raffle and lots more. Please come along and join the fun.

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**MACMILLAN COFFEE MORNING**

**Burrough Green - Friday 25<sup>th</sup> September**  
A magnificent £450 was raised for this wonderful cause so THANK YOU to all who helped and contributed in any way. So many people attended and stayed to enjoy the coffee and atmosphere and of course the cakes.

**THANK YOU**  
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**BRINKLEY MEMORIAL HALL**

If you wish to hire the hall, please contact  
Susie Shuter on 01638 508729

The charges to hire the Memorial Hall are £8.00 per hour for VV cluster and £11.00/ hour for outside. We cater for one off parties and Groups looking for a venue. The Hall can cater for 80 people.

**SHANNON, EXPERIENCED LOCAL BABYSITTER**

17 years old, 4th year of studying Health & Social Care and in the process of applying to study Child Nursing. A local, very experienced babysitter, who has looked after children from a variety of ages. I have my own car and my hourly rate is £7 per hour and £10 after midnight.

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[johndanfranca.holden@gmail.com](mailto:johndanfranca.holden@gmail.com) for further details and photos



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**VILLAGE WEBSITES**

[www.burroughgreen.com](http://www.burroughgreen.com)  
<http://www.parish-council.com/Brinkley/>  
[www.carlton-cambridgeshire.org.uk](http://www.carlton-cambridgeshire.org.uk)

Do have a look at the websites which contain lots of information about the villages and the school and have links to archive material. The Village Voice newsletter is available on Burrough Green & Brinkley sites for the current month and several previous issues.

**New to Burrough Green?** Burrough Green website now has a Welcome Pack for new residents.

**FOR SALE**

Embroidered Indian silk duvet cover and 2 square cushion covers. Brown with yellow and beige design  
£50.00

3 white Ikea wall cupboards 42" h x 15½" w x 12" d  
£40.00 each

2 wooden folding garden chairs £10.00 each  
Electric strimmer £10.00

Terracotta cookware:

Large casserole £10.00

1 jug £2.00

6 soup bowls £6.00

7 dishes with handles £7.00

3 ramekins £3.00

10 small dishes £10.00

8 side plates £8.00

7 large dishes £7.00

4 butter dishes £2.00

2 clipboard picture frames 27 ½" x 19 ½" £1.00

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by 21<sup>st</sup> November 2015 please