

St Mary's, Wilby  
St Lawrence's, Brundish



Newsletter - November 2015

## NOVEMBER SERVICES in our EIGHT PARISHES

	<b>1st Nov</b> <b>All Saints'</b>	<b>8th Nov</b> <b>3rd b Advent</b>	<b>15th Nov</b> <b>2nd b Advent</b>	<b>22nd Nov</b> <b>Sun b Advent</b>	<b>29th Nov</b> <b>Advent Sunday</b>
	<i>Isaiah 25:6-9 Revel 21:1-6a John 11:32-44</i>	<i>Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Hebrews 9:24-end Mark 1:14-20</i>	<i>Daniel 12:1-3 Hebs 10:11-14, 19-25 Mark 13:1-8</i>	<i>Dan 7:9, 10, 13-14 Revelations 1:4b-8 John 18:33-37</i>	<i>Jeremiah 33:14- 1 Thess 3:9-13 Luke 21:25-36</i>
<b>St Lawrence Brundish</b>	<b>6.30pm</b> <i>Evensong</i> Lay Elder	<b>9.15am</b> <i>Remembrance</i> DB		<b>11am</b> <i>Holy Communion</i> DB	
<i>Readers</i>	<i>Susan Moyle</i>	<i>Gill Self</i>		<i>Jill Graham</i>	
<b>St Mary Wilby</b>	<b>11am</b> <i>Holy Comm</i> DB	<b>10.45am</b> <i>Remembrance</i> Lay Elder	<b>11am</b> <i>Morning Prayer</i> Lay Elder	<b>9.30am</b> <i>Village Worship</i> Lay Elder	
<i>Readers</i>	<i>Ian Williamson</i>		<i>Andrew Pilling</i>		
<b>St Nicholas Bedfield</b>		<i>See Monk Soham</i>		<b>9.30am</b> <i>Holy Communion</i> RO	
<b>St Mary Cratfield</b>	<b>9.45am</b> <i>Café church</i> Lay Elder	<b>6.30pm</b> <i>Evensong</i> DB		<b>8am</b> <i>Holy Communion</i> DB	
<b>All Saints Laxfield</b>	<b>9.30am</b> <i>Morning Prayer</i> Lay Elder	<b>10.45am</b> <i>Remembrance</i> DB	<b>8am HC DB</b> <i>6pm Evening Serv</i> Hart Hse DB	<b>9.30am</b> <i>Family Service</i> Lay Elder	<b>4pm</b> <i>Benefice</i> Christingle
<b>St Peter Monk Soham</b>	<b>11am</b> <i>Family Service</i> Lay Elder	<b>10.45am</b> <i>Remembrance</i> RO	<b>11am</b> <i>Holy Communion</i> RO	<b>11am</b> <i>Morning Prayer</i> Lay Elder	
<b>St Ethelbert Tannington</b>	<b>9.30am HC</b> DB				
<b>St Mary Worlingworth</b>	<b>6pm</b> <i>Souls &amp; Saints</i> Taize Style LE	<i>Monk Soham</i> <b>then 12.15pm</b> <i>W/w war mem</i>	<b>11am</b> <i>Holy Communion</i> DB	<b>11am</b> <i>Morning Prayer</i> Lay Elder	
<p><b>Services:</b> <i>VW = Village Worship; HC = Holy Communion; MP = Morning Prayers; FS = Family Service; FC = Family Communion; CS = Carol Service; BC = Benefice Communion; TBA = To be announced</i>  <b>Priest/Presiding:</b> DB = David Burrell; RO = Ron Orams; AV = Andrew Vessey; SL = Susan Loxton;</p>					

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November 2015

Dear Friends,

I have recently read a book written by the Bishop of Oxford, John Pritchard; one phrase in the introduction caught my attention:

*“The Church is a wonderful and absorbing gift, but it shouldn’t be the main focus of our concern.”*

I’m sure most of us recognise the truth in this statement, but also recognise how difficult the execution of this ethos is, with an ever-decreasing number of people trying to keep our churches open and maintained and raising all the funds we need, taking up more and more of our time.

If we look at the earliest followers of Christ, they had none of these problems, or at least so it seems, so they were more focussed on mission and evangelism than making sure that there were enough funds available to pay the electricity bill.

However, Bishop John points to a huge number of practices that Christians engage in throughout their lives: giving to charity, voluntary work, donating to the homeless, giving blood, helping a neighbour, courtesy on the road, offering up your seat to a stranger and being active in local civil life and many, many more.

The good news is that we can still live our lives in this way without it impinging on the work we do for the Church. Bishop John said:

*“Christianity should be a verb, before it is a noun.”*

Christianity should be more about doing than just being.

Finally, he pointed to our failure to hold our faith open to public scrutiny, maybe because we get embarrassed easily:

*“...most British Christians go to church as they go to the bathroom-with the minimum of fuss and with no explanation...”*

I have just heard the sad news of the death of Reverend David Streeter, one of the brighter characters in ministry in my experience. If anyone ever held their faith open to public scrutiny, it was David. May he rest in peace, his work is done.

With my prayers and best wishes,

*Ron*

Front cover picture, ahead of Remembrance Day, features an ad for BVH (see page 13).  
Future front covers will feature the “winning image” from topical local events or adverts.  
Please send your favourite pics to [brunbynewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:brunbynewsletter@gmail.com)

## Regular events . . .

*Please contact Ron Orams for more details*



### **MEN'S AND LADIES GROUPS.**

I have had several enquiries about when and where we meet. We meet on the first Tuesday of the month in the Cratfield Poacher at 7.30pm, and on the second and fourth Tuesdays in the Laxfield Low House, also at 7pm. The third Tuesday of the month is a Ladies Group in the Cratfield Poacher. If you would like to know more, please call me on 01986-798901.

*Ron Orams*

### **OPEN THE BOOK.**

Open the book is a project to offer Bible stories in schools, churches and other places where children meet. Teams of between four and seven volunteers use a variety of visual aids to present stories in a lively and compelling way. We are establishing a team in this benefice so if you would like to know more then please let me know, but be warned: you must be prepared to have fun.

## **Brundish & Wilby Diaries**

Wednesday, 4th November, 7.30pm	Wilby Parish Council Meeting, WCH (p7)
Thursday, 5th November, 12 noon	Brundish Baristas, BVH (p12)
Sunday, 8th November, 9.15am	Remembrance Service, BVG (p12)
Tuesday, 10th November, 9.45am	Emerg'cy Planning Grp - First Aid Course (p15)
Tuesday, 10th November, 12.45pm	Wilby Village Lunch, WCH (p 8)
Thursday, 12th November, 7.00pm	Brundish Film Night (p12)
Tuesday, 17th November, 7.45pm	Brundish Parish Council Meeting, BVH (p13)
Saturday, 21st November, 7 for 7.30pm	Autumn Supper iao Wilby Church, WCH
Tuesday, 24th November, 12.45pm	Wilby Village Lunch, WCH (p 8)
Thursday, 26th November, 7.30pm	WGDC Meeting, BVH (p7)
Saturday, 28th November, 2.00pm	Brundish Christmas Fair, BVH (p11)
Thursday, 3rd December, 12 noon	Brundish Christmas Coffee Shop, BVH (p12)
Friday, 4th December, tbc	Race Night, WCH (p8)
Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> December, 11.30am	Wilby School, Christmas Fayre (p5, 6)
Thursday, 10th December, 7.00pm	Brundish Christmas Film Night (p12)
Wednesday, 16th December, 8.00pm	Carols at The Crown, Brundish (p10)
Saturday, 30th January, 7.00pm	Brundish Burns Night (p15)

## AUTUMN SUPPER

on  
Saturday 21st November 2015

at  
Wilby Coronation Hall  
7 for 7.30pm

**BAR**

**RAFFLE**

Tickets – Adults £12.50, Children £6

**available from:** Priscilla 01379 388034, Sally 01379 388653,  
Barbara 01379 384589

**In aid of St. Mary's Church, Wilby**

**A VERY WARM WELCOME TO EVERYONE**

### NEW DEVELOPMENT

You will have noticed the new development of houses that Orwell Housing Association will be providing in the village.

The development includes a mixture of flats and houses which will be available from October, with priority being given to local people and families (conditions apply).

Orwell Housing Association is also pleased to be providing three shared ownership houses.

If you are interested in these properties you will need to register as soon as possible with Mid-Suffolk District Council via [www.gatewaytohomechoice.org.uk](http://www.gatewaytohomechoice.org.uk).

Properties will be advertised shortly.

*If you are interested in the shared ownership houses or for further information on these properties please contact : Karen Suddes at Orwell Housing Association on 01473 228604.*

### WILBY SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAYRE

**Saturday, 5th December**

*11.30am - 2.00pm*



**BBQ, refreshments, games, tombolas,  
crafts, stall, Santa's grotto and more.**

**If anyone is interesting in having a stall,  
please contact the school on 01379 384708**

## NEWS FROM WILBY SCHOOL

Firstly a huge thank you and a very fond farewell to Mrs Dawn Jolly who will be leaving the school at the end of this half term. Dawn has been a teaching assistant at the school since 1998, and as a parent was one of the founding members of the Friends of Wilby School Association (FOWSA). We wish her all the very best!

We also bid farewell to Mr Todd Strehlow who stepped down from his role as a school governor at the end of October. Todd has contributed greatly to the school, serving as a governor for five years which included periods as both Chair and Vice Chair.

The School would like to say a huge “thank-you” to Todd and to send him every good wish for the future.

The school would like to extend a warm welcome to new families locally that have chosen to send their children to Wilby School.

Over the past month the school has seen the circus visit our field (for two performances as well as workshops), Beech class saw Macbeth in Ipswich, we had a visit from a photographer with the East Anglian Daily Times, and our cross country runners sped around lovely Mellis Common.

Many thanks to the Stradbroke Fire Station, which hosted a visit from Chestnut class as part of their study of the Great Fire of London.

From 5th to 16th October the school took part in Enterprise Fortnight. Among many other activities our Chestnut class visited the Framlingham Co-op while our Willow and Beech classes visited the Diss Morrisons. Children were examining marketing, pricing and advertising; they also purchased some items which were used to make others to sell at the school gate. Profits from this (£92!!) will go towards new playground games.

The school’s toddler playgroup (*‘Tea & Toys’*) is a weekly event – Thursdays from 9 til 10:30am. Any parents (and grandparents / carers) and children (up to age 5) from the local area are welcome. *Come for a cuppa!*

Please note the date of the school’s Christmas Fayre which is on **Saturday, 5th December**, from 11:30am to 2pm.

If any local businesses or organisations would like to book a stall, please contact the school office.

*Please feel free to contact Mrs Coleman and her team if you have any questions about Wilby School.*

**Wilby Church of England Primary School**  
**Mrs Philippa Coleman, Headteacher / Mrs Kim Palmer, Chair of Governors**  
Brundish Road, Wilby IP21 5LR  
01379 384708  
[www.wilbyprimary.org.uk](http://www.wilbyprimary.org.uk)

## NEWS FROM WILBY PARISH COUNCIL

November 2015

### **Village Survey**

More than half the Village Survey forms issued have been returned completed. This is an excellent response rate for a survey of this kind. The Parish Council and the other sponsors of the survey are most grateful to those residents who took the time and trouble to let us know their views on the questions posed. The answers given in the survey will now be evaluated and made public in due course.

Fewer residents opted to join the proposed e-mail register as a means of receiving information from the Parish Council. It is still not too late to do so. Anyone wishing to join the register should contact the Clerk, **Julie Collett** on 01986 798258 or email [j.collett5@btinternet.com](mailto:j.collett5@btinternet.com).

### **Council Vacancies**

There still remain two vacancies on the Parish Council. It is important that the Council should represent the community as a whole. The Council meets six times each year with meetings held every other month at 7.30 pm on Wednesdays in the Village Hall. If you are interested and are willing to represent your community by serving on the Parish Council please contact the Chairman (**Ian Williamson**, on 01379 388034) or the Clerk (**Julie Collett**, on 01986 798258).

### **Defibrillator**

Also distributed with the Village Survey was a leaflet with some information about the proposed defibrillator, and a request for anyone interested in attending training/demonstration sessions to contact **Todd Strehlow** on 07985 411289 or [toddstrehlow@yahoo.com](mailto:toddstrehlow@yahoo.com). So far we have had just a small response to this request; before deciding to proceed with the project the Parish Council would like to build a larger pool of support and awareness.

*Please contact Todd if you are interested in being involved in this project.*

### **Next meeting**

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be held at 7.30 pm on **Wednesday, 4th November 2015** in the Village Hall.

## **Wingfield and District Gardening Club**

**Thursday, 26 November in BVH at 7.30pm**

The next meeting will be on **Thursday, 26 November** in BVH at 7.30 when the speaker will be Lucinda from Woottens of Wenhaston and her subject will be the propagation of plants.

Juice and wine available. Non-members always welcome £3 - pay at the door.

For further information email [priscillaawilliamson@gmail.com](mailto:priscillaawilliamson@gmail.com) or ring 01379 388034

## NEWS FROM WILBY CORONATION HALL

*“Striving for something for everyone”*

A big thank you to everyone who attended the Blackheart Concert at the beginning of October. We had an entertaining night and managed to raise £250 towards the running costs of the hall. Blackheart have promised to return next year.

Our Annual General Meeting took place earlier on in the month and I am pleased to say that all committee members were re-elected for another year. I would like to express my thanks to both our committee and non committee members for their continued enthusiasm and commitment in working together to ensure the future of the hall. We are always looking to welcome other people to join us or help out at any of our events.

### **Under starters orders!**

And they're off.....Plans for our forthcoming Race Night on the **4th December** are well under way. Our thanks go out to our eight race sponsors: *Les Cotton Drainage and Treatment Plants; Peter Johnson Agricultural Engineers Ltd.; Spurling & Remblance Ltd. Motor Engineers; Barley Green Garage; T.G. Askew; Plinth 2000.; D.G. Contracts, Peasenhall and Station 1-1-9 Brewery.* Doors will open at 7pm for 7.30 start. Admission will be £1 on the door which will include your racing programme. The bar will be open and there will be hotdogs for sale. We will be selling the horses and jockeys for the first seven races prior to the event. £5 to own a race horse (winning owner receives £25) and £1 to be a jockey (winning jockey receives a bottle of wine).

If anyone is interested in purchasing a horse or being a jockey for one of the races please contact **Ian** on 07787542288 or **Alison** on 01379 388112. The horses and jockeys for the last race will be raffled off on the night. We hope you will join us in the launch of our new event and if you are unable to attend, even in your absence, you could still have a flutter by being one of the owners or jockeys.

### **Ladybird Lunches**

#### **TUESDAY 10th NOVEMBER**

COTTAGE PIE, 3 VEGETABLES, GRAVY

APPLE SPONGE and CUSTARD

#### **TUESDAY 24TH NOVEMBER**

ROAST CHICKEN WITH STUFFING, ROAST AND NEW POTATOES

YORKSHIRE PUDDINGS, THREE VEGETABLES AND GRAVY

CHOCOLATE SPONGE AND CHOCOLATE CUSTARD

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DIETARY NEEDS CATERED FOR (IF PRE-BOOKED)

PLEASE TELEPHONE MARIAN WARD ON 01379 384358

For popular dances and other events/bookings, contact Gwen on: Tel: 01728 638 357 or email [suffolkmicrowaves@btinternet.com](mailto:suffolkmicrowaves@btinternet.com)

My contact details are: [alisonemmataylor@gmail.com](mailto:alisonemmataylor@gmail.com) or ring me on 01379 388112.

For further information or suggestions for how you would like to see your village hall used contact **Les** or **Carol** on: Tel: 01379 388 548 or email: [lescrap@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:lescrap@hotmail.co.uk)

## What's on at WILBY CORONATION HALL

*The following are the public bookings for November 2015 in Wilby Coronation Hall:*

<b>Zumba:</b>	2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th, start 7.30pm
<b>Village Lunch:</b>	Tuesdays 10th & 24th
<b>Parish Council Meeting:</b>	Wednesday 4th
<b>Sequence Dance Practice:</b>	Wednesday 18th & 25th : Start at 7.30 - 9.30pm <i>Open to all. Details from Gwen 01728 638357</i>
<b>Pub Night:</b>	Friday 13th
<b>W.I.</b>	Thursday 19th
<b>Art workshop:</b>	Saturday & Sunday 14th & 15th
<b>Church Supper:</b>	Saturday 21st
<b>Line Dance Social:</b>	Friday 27th
<b>Social Dances:</b>	In Aid of the Hall : Newcomers welcome. <i>Details from Gwen 01728 638357</i> Saturday 7th : Start 8.00pm : David Last

*Bookings for the hall can be made through Gwen on 01728 638357*

*To receive an Eletter about your Hall:*

*Email your Email address to [suffolkmicrowaves@btinternet.com](mailto:suffolkmicrowaves@btinternet.com)*

*See the Coronation Hall Eletter on  
the Wilby Website:- <http://wilby.onesuffolk.net/coronation-hall-wilby/>*

*or have sent direct to your computer by Emailing a request to  
[suffolkmicrowaves@btinternet.com](mailto:suffolkmicrowaves@btinternet.com)*

## ST LAWRENCE'S CHURCH, BRUNDISH

### **Remembrance Service**

9.15 a.m. **Sunday, 8th November** on the Village Green

This is the time when we pay our respects to those Brundish men who gave their lives for our nation in two world wars. We do hope that many of you will be able to make this special occasion in the yearly life of our village. The main service will take place on the village green beside our new war memorial. A wreath of poppies will be laid alongside the church's memorial on the day as well. Please do what you can to join us. Thank you.

### **Advent Carol Service by Candlelight**

6.30 p.m. **Sunday, 6th December** at St. Lawrence's Church.

This service has become somewhat of a tradition in Brundish now, bringing together The Chantry Singers, The Brundish Musical Ensemble and a full throated congregation in a lovely, candlelit atmosphere of expectancy that our beautiful church does best. Director of Music, Michael Spencer has picked some beautiful pieces which The Chantry Singers have been busy rehearsing. The start of Advent is such a mellow time of the year; the "*calm before the storm*", some have called it! *Do come along and join us.*

### **Carols at The Crown**

8 p.m. **Wednesday, 16th December** at The Crown.

Now firmly established on the Brundish social calendar is this very enjoyable evening at our much-loved old pub. As a community, we are very lucky to have a place to meet friends and have a meal or a drink together, where many places have lost theirs. Do come along to join in - you don't have to be good at singing! Some lubrication will loosen the vocal chords! *Don't miss a great night out.*

### **A Service of Lessons and Carols for the Eve of Christmas**

**6.30 p.m. Christmas Eve** at St. Lawrence's Church.

Conceived in 2013 as a shorter version of the traditional service held at King's College Chapel several hours before, this wonderful service touches the souls of many and is now considered to be a very important part of most villagers' Christmas celebrations. The Chantry Singers will be out in force in their very smart new robes acquired this year and our church will receive its flock, just as it has for nearly a thousand years, to celebrate the birth of the Holy Child. A very warm and festive welcome awaits you on this most sacred of nights.

### **Christmas Midnight Communion**

**11.30 p.m. Christmas Eve** at St. Lawrence's Church.

People from all over the benefice will unite in Brundish to celebrate the first Communion of Christmas, conducted by our Rector, Reverend David Burrell.

The Chantry Singers will be there along with Director of Music, Michael Spencer. This is an important and uplifting service and whether you are a communicant or not, you are most welcome to join us.

## ST LAWRENCE'S CHURCH, BRUNDISH - RESTORATION

### Harvest Celebrations

The church service attendance was well down this year. This was disappointing, as in years gone by it was considered to be a must for an agricultural parish like ours and a very great deal of work goes into it. However, the Harvest Supper pulled in a "*capacity crowd*" at the village hall for what was a lovely occasion. A big thank you to everyone who was involved in the cooking, serving and decorating. It is always very well appreciated.

### New website for the church

Do take a look at the church's new website at [www.stlawrencebrundish.co.uk](http://www.stlawrencebrundish.co.uk) It gives details about the church's history, events, contacts, services and, in the fullness of time, updates regarding the church's extensive renovation works.



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### Brundish Christmas Fair 2015

2 p.m. **Saturday, 28th November** at Brundish Village Hall.

#### *DON'T MISS IT*

It's nearly that time again! A flyer asking you all for any donations of home produce, cakes, mince pies and raffle/tombola prizes will be distributed around the village sometime in November. Please do what you can as the fair's success depends upon your much appreciated generosity and attendance. All the traditional stalls and games will be there wrapped up in that special festive atmosphere for which Brundish is famous. See you there!

Please do get in touch with either Sandra Apps or David Mulrenan if you would be prepared to put a few hours aside.

We do hope you can. *Thank you.*

## BRUNDISH BARISTAS

will be on 'sparkling' form on  
**Thursday 5 November 2015**  
10-12 noon at Brundish Village Hall  
and on **Thursday 3 December** it's the  
**Christmas Coffee Shop**

With festive cakes, decorations, produce  
in addition to the excellent bacon buns, Todd's  
juices and butters, and **terrific company**

*Come and join us*

**Bring on the Yuletide!**

### **Brundish Film Programme – Autumn 2015**

Our next film in Brundish Village Hall showing on **Thursday 12 November 2015** is the drama *Still Alice*. This is an emotional story of the effect on a gifted individual, a linguistics professor, and her family when she is diagnosed with Early-onset Alzheimer's Disease. As she and her family face the harrowing challenge of this terminal degenerative neurological disease, Alice Howland struggles to fight the inner decay and to make the most of her remaining time to find the love and peace to make simply living worthwhile. Depicting a situation that sadly is becoming more prevalent in our own lives, as family and friends succumb to either dementia or Alzheimer's disease, this film is strongly recommended.

Despite the difficult subject matter it is both moving and uplifting.

Julianne Moore provides a stunning performance in the lead role for which she has been awarded an Oscar, a Golden Globe, a Bafta and numerous other awards. The supporting cast includes Alec Baldwin and Kristen Stewart. Certificate 12A, doors open at 7 for 7.30 pm. Tickets are £5 for adults and £4.50 for under 18s and as usual wine and juice will be on sale from the bar.

To reserve your place please contact **Priscilla Williamson** on 01379 388034 or by e-mail at [priscillaawilliamson@gmail.com](mailto:priscillaawilliamson@gmail.com)

#### **Next film: Thursday 10 December 2015 - *The Second Best Marigold Hotel***

Another pleasure filled journey populated by a wonderful ensemble of English character actors augmented this time by Richard Gere and Tamsin Greig. India looks ravishing, albeit sanitized with locals still deferring to the Raj. The colour and the music are lovely. Hopefully a fitting film for the start of the festive season.

*Further details will be given nearer the show date.*



WE WOULD LIKE ONE OR TWO MORE PEOPLE  
TO JOIN US ON **BRUNDISH VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE**  
FOR IDEAS ON GETTING THE BEST FROM OUR LOVELY HALL.

CURRENT REGULAR BOOKINGS FOR THE HALL INCLUDE  
ZUMBA, PILATES  
GARDENING CLUB  
CINEMA EVENINGS  
AND  
COFFEE SHOP

WE MEET EVERY FEW MONTHS TO DISCUSS AND PLAN.

PLEASE RING **JANE LEE** ON 01728 628095  
TO FIND OUT MORE - AND COME ALONG TO OUR NEXT MEETING.

## BRUNDISH VILLAGE HALL

*See main notices and advertisements in this Newsletter for details*

**BRUNDISH TRAINING CENTRE:** For all courses, it is important to book in advance. Please ring 01728-627174 or email admin@brundishtrainingcentre.co.uk Thank you.

Venue	Course	Dates	Time
<b>Brundish</b>	Monday Computer Club	Alternate Monday mornings	1000 – 1200 hours
	Tuesday Computer Club	Every Tuesday	1000 – 1200
	Wednesday Computer Club	Every Wednesday	1000 – 1200
	iPad for Improvers	Monday	1300 - 1500
	iPad Improvers- Workshop	Third Thursday of each month (dates may vary)	1030 – 1230
	ditto	ditto	1330 - 1530
<b>Aldeburgh</b>	Tuesday Computer Club	Every Tuesday fortnight	1400 - 1600
	iPad Improvers- Workshop	Second Thursday of each month	1030 – 1230
	ditto	ditto	1330 - 1530
<b>Southwold</b>	Computer Club	Every Monday	1400 - 1600

**ZUMBA:** Eileen Torosian-Tinney. Text or telephone: 0781 385 4255 or email: Zumba-eileen@hotmail.co.uk  
*6 to 7 p.m. each school term Tuesday.*

**PILATES:** Fiona Palmer. Telephone: 07767384983.  
*9.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. each Monday.*

**BRUNDISH COFFEE SHOP:** Next date: Thursday, 5th November. *Please see p 12.*  
Sue Sharples. Telephone: 01728 628631.

**CINEMA NIGHTS:** Next date: Thursday, 12th November. *Please see page 12.*  
Priscilla Williamson. Telephone: 01379 388034.

**BRUNDISH PARISH COUNCIL:**  
Parish Clerk, Dina Bedwell. Telephone: 01473 788510.  
Next meeting: 7.45 p.m. Tuesday, 17th November. *Please see page 13.*

**WINGFIELD AND DISTRICT GARDENING CLUB:**  
Next meeting: 7.45pm, Thursday, 26th November. *Please see page 9.*  
Priscilla Williamson. Telephone: 01379 388034. *Please see details in main advert.*

## FITNESS AND WELL-BEING

### DEFIBRILLATORS ARE COMING TO BRUNDISH, LAXFIELD AND WILBY

The Brundish defibrillator is located in our Telephone Box at Crown Corner and will be fully commissioned shortly, with the kind assistance of BT.

We are currently arranging a series of informal awareness courses on the use of the defibrillator with the Community HeartBeat Trust in Brundish Village Hall, and additional courses with the Emergency Planning Group (“EPG”) - to bring us all up to speed with the latest first aid techniques.

The next (**free**) first aid course, run by EPG, is on

**Tuesday, 10th November**

These short courses are exceptionally good as well as being most enjoyable - **and** include an excellent lunch and first aid certificates!

*If you are interested in either of these courses,  
please contact Tim Gillingham at [brunbynewsletter@gmail.com](mailto:brunbynewsletter@gmail.com)  
See you at the Brundish Christmas Fair on Saturday, 28th November!*

### 34th Sponsored Bike Ride and Walk

Well, the morning rain seemed to dampen the enthusiasm of cyclists and walkers on 12th September, and unfortunately, there were none from Brundish this year.

However, we have £70 in donations for the Suffolk Historic Churches Trust, of which we at St Lawrence, receive half.

There were several visitors in the afternoon, fourteen keen cyclists, and everyone appeared to enjoy their day.

Thank you to all the volunteers who manned the church from 9am - 5pm; you are always a willing team and it is very much appreciated. Let's hope next year we can rustle up some eager cyclists from Brundish to enable more funds to come our way.

*Anne St Quinton*

### Remembrance Day

Diane Palmer will be visiting people in the village soon with Royal British Legion poppies for sale.

### **Work on the Village Green**

You may have seen the signs up at the entrances to the village green asking for it not to be used for a while.

This is to keep it safe during some much needed repairs to the children's play area and to the gates which have become dilapidated.

The work is expensive and grants have been obtained to finance completion which is expected around the end of November.

The Parish Council apologise for the inconvenience, especially to our young ones.



Registered childminder.

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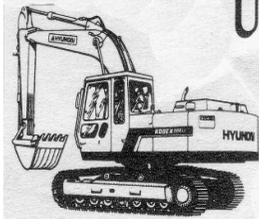
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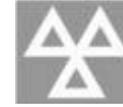
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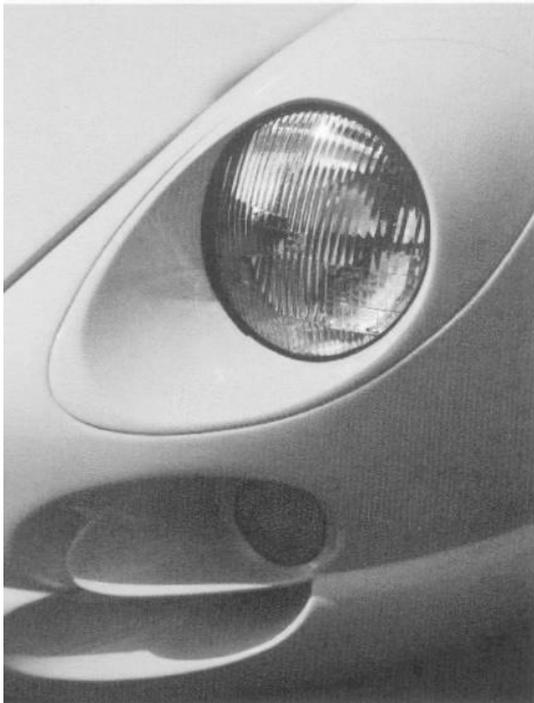
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