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**CHURCH SERVICES**

5<sup>th</sup> May 8am BCP Holy Communion Barnham Church and facebook  
9.15 church Breakfast Barnham  
10am All Age Service Barnham

12<sup>th</sup> May 3pm Songs of Praise followed by BCP Holy Communion Fakenham Magna

19<sup>th</sup> May 10am Parish Communion Barnham

Daily services continue on the Blackbourne Ministry Facebook page. Should you not wish to subscribe to Facebook, just enter Blackbourne Team Ministry in your browser

15<sup>th</sup> May return of the **weekly Coffee Morning to Barnham Church** 10.30am to include the Burial of the Ashes of Gwen Davey at 10.45

16 May the **Blackbourne Team' joint Annual Parochial Church Meeting** for all 11 churches. This is a great opportunity to meet together, enjoy a glass of wine and some cheese and hear what is going on around the Team. Anyone who lives in Barnham, Euston or Fakenham is invited and those from other parishes outside the Team who regularly worship in any of our churches. Do come – you will be pleasantly surprised! 7 for 7.30 at Sapiston Village Hall where there is plenty of parking.

There is a quantity of **free food** just inside the church for anyone who is finding the cost of living particularly difficult. Perhaps you may know someone who does? Please feel free to take some and give away to them.

We welcome you to **BURY TOWN PASTORS WEBSITE**. <https://burytownpastors.org.uk>

We hope you find the information on our website useful and that you enjoy browsing and finding out more about Bury Town Pastors.

Town Pastors are Christian volunteers from local churches who are out in the town centre of Bury St Edmunds on Saturday nights, being a positive influence on the streets and providing help and support to vulnerable people.

Town Pastors have been patrolling the streets of Bury St Edmunds since May 2008 and are well known for their bottled water, foil blankets and Freddos!

For further information please contact:

Mrs Jo Copsey BEM, Co-ordinator of Bury Town Pastors Tel: 07594 334215 or

Email: [jocopsey@burytownpastors.org.uk](mailto:jocopsey@burytownpastors.org.uk)

**THE LOCAL MOBILE LIBRARY** will be visiting on the following dates: 9 May, 6 June, 4 July, 1 August, 29 August, 26 September, 24 October, 21 November, 19 December

12I Barnham Mill Lane Green 12:40–13:00

12J Euston The Old School 14:15–14:35

12K Fakenham Magna Church 14:40–14:55

**D-DAY COMMEMORATION – THURSDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> JUNE**

There will be a range of activities in the village to commemorate the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the D Day landings on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June and over the following weekend. Barnham School Children will be producing an exciting exhibition of the events of D Day including artefacts pertaining to local people.

**LIGHTING OF THE BEACON**

**School Gates will open at 18:30** so please come along to join this event. 6<sup>th</sup> June 2024 is also national fish and chip day, celebrating a national favourite which has stood the test of time. With the kind support of Barnham Parish Council and Barnham School we are pleased to be able to offer small portions of fish and chips as part of the evening. Numbers are limited to 100 so this will be on a first come first served basis. We will be **lighting of the Barnham village Beacon at 20:15** in the field behind the school, co-ordinating with many other beacons across the UK and internationally. This will be followed by a reading of an international tribute to those who gave so much during the second world war and specifically as part of the D Day landings.

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June Farmers Market 10:00-13:00 in Barnham Churchyard.** Stalls to include Woosters' Bread, Edie's pork Pies, plants, Artefact beer, refreshments and much more. Items can be reserved by ringing Sue Nutt on 07818670124/890409.

**Come and see the knitted soldiers** throughout the church which will be open all day on the Saturday and Sunday. And thank you to all the many people who have knitted!

**Sunday 9 June 10 am a short service of commemoration in Barnham Church,**

**BARNHAM VILLAGE HALL** – For bookings/enquiries please call (answer machine) or text 07931 104122. [www.barnhamvillagehall.org](http://www.barnhamvillagehall.org)

Please note that the village hall car park is a private car park and is solely for the use of those using the hall and for dropping and collecting children from school or visiting the school.

**DAFFODIL TEAS**

The Daffodil teas held in March made a wonderful total of £1500.

Thanks go to everyone who came along to support this event, and special thanks to the helpers Andrea, Denise, Helen, Katherine, Mel, Paula, as well as the cake makers, and to my family for their help and support. Well done everyone!

Judy Jordan

**BARNHAM SOCIAL NIGHT**

Barnham village hall

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 7-11pm Over 18yrs Cash and card accepted

## BARNHAM CARPET BOWLS

Why not come and join us on Thursday afternoons, 2.00pm to 4.00pm, at Barnham Village Hall?

We play on indoor mats and all the bowls are provided. It's £3 per person per session and includes refreshments. We are all amateurs and play for fun. You will be made very welcome Contact Tony on 01842 766064

## EUSTON CHURCH FLOWER FESTIVAL AND CONCERT.

Saturday and Sunday 8th and 9th June. The church will be holding the flower festival on both days. On the evening of Saturday 8th June the Blackbourne singers will be giving a concert in the church. Further details of this in the June Link. On Sunday 9th June we have a special service at 11am. Also on Sunday Matthew Hawthorne and the Euston estate will offer tractor and trailer tours to look at the Euston estate farming operations. Refreshments will be available on both days.

## BARNHAM PARISH COUNCIL

**Barnham Spring Litter pick: Saturday 6th April 2024.** Thank you to the wonderful volunteers who collected a very significant amount of rubbish during the morning of our litter pick. We are extremely grateful to you all.

**Biodiversity Policy:** The parish council now has a biodiversity policy which is available to read on our website. This will evolve over time, and we will be pleased to receive feedback and suggestions from interested residents and businesses on an ongoing basis.

**Village Clock Dial Refurbishment Project:** Great News! The Faculty has been granted and we are now in the fundraising process. Visit the parish council's website for more information or contact the clerk.

**Next Parish Council Meeting: Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> May** at 7pm, in Barnham Village Hall, Mill Lane, Barnham IP24 2NG. This will be immediately followed by the **Annual Barnham Village Meeting**. Village organisations are invited to submit a report of their activities to the parish clerk (no later than 1<sup>st</sup> May please), which will be collated and made available to read/download in advance at [www.barnham.onesuffolk.net](http://www.barnham.onesuffolk.net).

Residents are welcome to attend.

**Further information,** agendas and minutes can be found on the parish council's website: [www.barnham.onesuffolk.net](http://www.barnham.onesuffolk.net)

**To contact the Clerk (Pauline Smith)** please email: [barnhampc@btinternet.com](mailto:barnhampc@btinternet.com) or phone: 01359 221934.

## FAKENHAM MAGNA PARISH COUNCIL

Fakenham Magna Parish Council meets bi-monthly. Our next meeting will be the AGM on **Tuesday 7th May, 2024** at Honington & Sapiston Village Hall commencing at 7:30pm. Public and Press welcome to attend.

For further information on dates and times please see the Notice Board.

**The Parish Meeting will take place on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May, 2024**

Come and meet for a social evening to find out what's been happening in the village and what it is hoped to achieve in the coming year.

Further information to follow.

Church Field, Fakenham Magna is available to use by prior arrangement with Cllr. Ray Johnston, email him at [fakenhammagnapc@live.co.uk](mailto:fakenhammagnapc@live.co.uk).

## LOCAL TRADES PEOPLE

**EDGES TO EAVES:** Property Maintenance Services. Got a problem? Better call Paul! No job too small. No obligation – free quotes. Tel: 07576 617676 / 01842 898420.

**THE HAT HOUSE OF EUSTON** – Country gifts, handmade local crafts, home décor & much more!

Pop in for a **Take Away Coffee and Cake** whilst you browse this perfect little shop the local villages needed.

**Opening hours - Tuesday to Friday 9am – 2pm, Saturdays 9am – 12pm (some hours may vary from time to time)**

Well behaved dogs welcome. **Shop small and support many of your local business all under one roof.**

**EB BEAUTY** - Located at The Hat House of Euston. Monday 12pm-8pm; Tuesday CLOSED; Wednesday 9am-5pm; Thursday 9am-5pm; Friday 5pm-8pm; Saturday 3pm-6pm; Sunday CLOSED.

All beauty treatments available. Facebook - EB Beauty Instagram - eb.beauty19. Phone Number - 07948486125

**THE COMPLETE GARDEN SERVICE:** From trees and hedges, shrubs and lawns. Fences too. Big or small, we do it all. Tel: 01842 890075/07811 321262.

**E&P WINDOW CLEANING:** Solar panel cleaning, conservatory, fascia & soffits, & gutter clearing. 07939966235

**SWEET STITCHES OF BARNHAM:** Alterations taken. Contact Angie on 07879994251 or 01842890660

**BARNHAM HORSE RUG WASH AND REPAIR SERVICE:** Contact Angie 07879994251 or 01842890660

**GORDON SADLER TRAVEL - YOUR LOCAL TRAVEL AGENT BASED IN EUSTON:** All holidays catered for, from exclusive cruises to family package holidays - we offer great deals with a friendly, professional, and personalised touch. Rest easy with full ABTA and ATOL protection. Call or message me at 07730 799299

**R G LANDSCAPES** - We are a local company based in Barnham which cover all aspects of hard & soft landscaping, brickwork, groundworks, fencing and garden maintenance. ***Garden Maintenance can be adapted to suit your needs whether it is weekly, fortnightly or monthly, we charge by the hour to suit those who may need a little help keeping on top of the garden jobs throughout those summer months.***

Mobile - 07557347598 or 01842 890302 Email - [enquiries@rglandscapes.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@rglandscapes.co.uk) Website - [www.rglandscapes.co.uk](http://www.rglandscapes.co.uk).

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