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CHURCH SERVICES

1st October 8am BCP Holy Communion Barnham Church and facebook

9.15 Special Breakfast Barnham

10am All Age Service Barnham

8th October 3pm Harvest Festival Fakenham

15th October 10am Harvest Thanksgiving Barnham. Suitable for all ages, Offerings of tins and packets of food for the Church Pantry will be greatly appreciated.

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.

The Church Coffee Mornings continue on Wednesdays 10-30 -12:00

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.

Update on the louvres for the St Gregory's Church tower. These are presently being constructed using Euston oak and we look forward to them being installed. The church council is very grateful to all the kind people who have donated or raised funds to complete this work. A BIG thank you to you all.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES:

14th October A grand clean of Barnham Church 10:00-12:00 Everyone is invited to undertake a variety of jobs viz knock down spiders' webs, Hoover, polish pews with wax polish, clean the brasses etc etc. And to decorate the window sills with tins and packets ready for our Harvest Thanksgiving the following day. Afterwards the food will go into our Church food pantry for anyone going through a tough time.

21st October 12:00 a short concert by our friends from Thetford Singers in Barnham Church, followed by a Ploughman's Lunch £5. This was a great success last year and we are thrilled they can return.

12th November Remembrance Sunday 10.45 at the Wat Memorial 11 am Barnham Church

9th December The Farmers Christmas Market

17th December Candlelit Carol Service Barnham 6pm

27th October Quiz Night at Barnham Village Hall in aid of Barnham Church.

Doors open at 7pm for 7.30 start. Tables of 4, £7.50 per person (cash only) payable at the door.

Homemade soup and bread (veggie and gluten free). Please bring your preferred drinks/ glasses.

Raffle during the interval.

Booking in advance is essential as tables are limited! For availability please contact Catriona Belsham via text/ WhatsApp or email. 07793742974 irishcatseyes@yahoo.co.uk

Don't miss out on a great night.....Book early!

As this is a charity event please let Catriona know asap if you are no longer able to attend to allow release of your table.

BARNHAM VILLAGE HALL – For bookings/enquiries please call (answer machine) or text 07931 104122.

www.barnhamvillagehall.org

BARNHAM VILLAGE HALL CRAFT FAIRS

Sunday October 8th and Sunday November 26th 11am-3pm

Hot and cold refreshments available

If you would like to hire a table the fee is £12.00/Large and £8.00/Small. Space is now limited

For more information or to book a table contact Jane on 01842 890718 Or e-mail: Barnhamvh.sfk@btinternet.com

BARNHAM COMMUNITY PUB NIGHTS

6th October 7.00 pm - 11.00 pm over 18 yrs only Octoberfest themed evening

3rd November 7.00 pm - 11.00 pm over 18 yrs only

THE OVER 60'S FORTHCOMING INTERESTING EVENTS AT THE VILLAGE HALL, BARNHAM.

October 19th at 2.15p.m. Speaker - Jennine from Karens Hedge Hogspital will be giving a talk. There will also be Hedgehog related items for sale.

November 16th at 2.15p.m. Afternoon social gathering

Please do come along for an afternoon of fun- Everyone is welcome. Any queries - contact Rose Goddard 01842 890 565

BARNHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Next Meeting: Tuesday 14th November, commencing at 7pm in Barnham Village Hall,

Residents are always welcome to attend meetings of the parish council. During the "Public Participation" item, residents have the opportunity to raise questions about items on the agenda or to raise any concerns or suggestions relating to village matters.

For further information visit www.barnham.onesuffolk.net, or contact the clerk via email on barnhampc@btinternet.com tel:

01359 221934

BARNHAM COMMUNITY SPEEDWATCH COORDINATOR: URGENTLY REQUIRED: Would you like to join our dedicated voluntary Speedwatch Team as their coordinator? As an essential part of the team, you would provide an admin role, scheduling sessions and uploading the data to Suffolk Police afterwards. You won't be required to participate in the roadside sessions, unless you wish to, in which case relevant training will be provided. Speeding through the village is a regular complaint raised by residents and Speedwatch is important to the community for its role in raising awareness and monitoring this issue. Unfortunately, without a coordinator, Speedwatch cannot operate. For further information please contact John Bauer on 01842 890093 or email barnhampc@btinternet.com

For an overview of Community Speedwatch and how it operates visit: <https://www.suffolk.police.uk/services/community-speed-watch>

FAKENHAM MAGNA PARISH COUNCIL

Fakenham Magna Parish Council meets bi-monthly. Our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 10th October 2023 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.

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

EUSTON PARISH MEETING

The next Parish Meeting will be held at 7.00pm on Thursday 26th October, in the Old Kitchens at Euston Hall. If you have any items you would like added to the agenda please contact Gordon Sadler on 01842 766021 or email to gordysadler@gmail.com.

Euston Autumn Litter Pick: The Autumn litter pick will take place on Saturday, 21st October - could anyone willing to help please meet inside the park gates at 10.00am.

NEWS FROM EUSTON ESTATE Hello all and welcome to the Euston Farms update. This month is all about clearing crops that are currently in fields that need planting in the autumn. Potatoes, onions, parsnips, and maize are all in their harvest season. Please forgive us for any inconvenience that you may experience in this busy time. We do make all the practical modifications to the logistics that we can, but it is a very busy time none the less. Cereals will be starting to be planted as we come to the end of September and into October.

The sugar beet factory has opened already so we will soon start beet harvest too. Near the end of September, we have some VIPs coming to see us from British Sugar to learn all about the current issues with growing the crop and managing all the effects from its position in our rotation. From the moment Beet emerges there is something wanting to eat it or infect it and we are losing chemistry all the time in a climate of more attacks. We welcome everyone who asks to come and see us at the farm as this is the best platform to tell our story and make our issues understood.

Best wishes from everyone at Euston Farms.

LOCAL TRADES PEOPLE

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The Hat House of Euston: Country Gifts, handmade local crafts, home décor & much more! Pop in for a **takeaway coffee and cake** whilst you browse this perfect little shop the villages needed.

Opening Hours – Tuesday- Friday 9am-2pm, Saturdays 9 am-12pm (some hours may vary from time to time). Well behaved dogs welcome. Shop small and support many of your local businesses all under one roof.

EB Beauty - Located at The Hat House of Euston. Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. All beauty treatments available.

Facebook - EB Beauty Instagram - eb.beauty19 Phone Number – 07948486125

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Sweet Stitches of Barnham. Alterations taken. Contact Angie on 07879994251 or 01842890660

Barnham Horse Rug Wash and Repair service. Contact Angie 07879994251 or 01842890660

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Do keep in touch – email: barnhamlink@btinternet.com with any items or contact Sue Nutt.