

What's on in Bucklesham?

Autumn 2016

Carpet Bowls	Monday Evenings Village Hall	Derek Barrett 01473 659821
Bucklesham Players	Tuesday Evenings Pantomime and Variety Show Annually	Valerie Smith 01473 659619
Bucklesham Football Team	Sunday Mornings	Alan Scrutton 01473 659772
Gardening Club	1 st Wednesday evening of month Village Hall	Anne Ramsey 01473 659440
Ladies Group	2 nd Thursday evening of month Various Venues	Trudi Woollard 01473 659654
Church Lunch	Every 4 th Tuesday Monthly Village Hall	Elizabeth Fern 01473 659457
Community Council	Various fundraising events throughout the year	Roly Burrows 01473 659722
Village Choir	Meet in Church or Village Hall	musicmanbetts@googlemail .com
Whist Drives	2 nd and 4 th Thursday Evenings most months Village Hall	Evelyn Bloomfield 01473 659504
Women's Institute	3 rd Wednesday Evening monthly Village Hall	Sue Brown 01473 736519
Knit and Natter	1 st and 3 rd Tuesdays of month Village Hall	Kath Scarf 01473 659447
Parish Council	6 public Meetings a year	Angie Buggs Parish Clerk 01473 635341 angiebuggs@yahoo.co.uk

The Bucklesham Bugle



The Bucklesham Parish Newsletter

A Welcome from the Bucklesham Parish Council...

The Parish Council are delighted to bring you the very first edition of

The Bucklesham Bugle

We envisage there will be four editions every year to enable us to keep you informed of everything going on in our village.

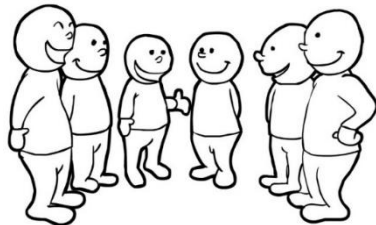
Whether you are new to the village, or you've lived here all of your life, we want to assure you that your Parish Council is here to act in the best interests of all of us. You will see there is plenty going on, and lots of things to join in with.

The next meeting of Parish Council will take place on Thursday 3rd November at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. Members of the Parish are always welcome to attend and there is a 'Question Time' from the floor to allow for public participation. If you have a concern which you would like to make the Parish Councillors aware of, then please do come along. It may not be that we are able to provide an answer immediately, but the matter can be put on the agenda for the following meeting.

Please remember to keep your doors and windows locked as the nights draw in and stay safe and warm this Winter Season.

Heather Owen

Parish Council Chairman



To advertise your event in the next edition contact Ruth Johnson
54 Levington Lane 01473 655149 lee4ruth.johnson@btinternet.com

Parish Council Website ~ buckleshamparish.onesuffolk.net

Bucklesham & Foxhall

Village Hall

Newly refurbished large hall available for
bookings

Weddings~Parties~Dances~Exhibitions~Wakes~Meetings

Suitable for all Social and Professional Functions

Contact ~ Evelyn Bloomfield Bookings Secretary
11 Levington Lane, Bucklesham 01473 659504



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Future editions are planned for

January 2017 (adverts needed by 1st Dec 2016)

April 2017 (adverts needed by 1st March 2017)

July 2017 (adverts needed by 1st June 2017)

and October 2017 (adverts needed by 1st Sept 2017)

We would love this Newsletter to be the Grapevine for the village. If you would like to advertise your event or group in future editions, please make sure you send us the details one month before the publishing date to ensure their inclusion.

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The Bucklesham & Foxhall Community Council

Your Community Council is always busy working hard for the village of Bucklesham. Our main fundraising event is a concert which has taken place each December for the past 18 years, raising around £1000 annually. We put on regular Barn Dances, Family Nights and Karaoke Evenings to raise funds. Other non-profit making events are run such as Village Walks in the local countryside with a quiz and guide, a Scarecrow Competition in the Autumn, Photography Competitions, and an Art Exhibition was held in conjunction with the church.

We have previously run Self Defence and First Aid Classes and are looking for people interested in a Walking Group and Keep Fit. The aim is to provide events of interest to all sectors of the community. In the last year your Community Council has contributed £2,500 to the Village Hall Renovation Project, supported the local Cubs and Scouts and contributed to the Children's & Senior Citizens' Christmas Parties.

For any more information on what we have to offer contact Chairman Roly Burrows 01473 659722.

Community Council's Autumn Dance

'60s & '70s Dance

Featuring 'Shoot The Drummer'

At Bucklesham Village Hall

Saturday 8th October doors open 7.30pm

Tickets £7 available from Gloria Rockliff 01473 655112

Bring your own drinks



Scarecrow Competition Sunday 16th October 2016

Your Scarecrow doesn't have to be made of straw, indeed we have had some amazing creations over the years made of all kinds of household 'rubbish' and bric-a-brac ~ just use your imagination.

Make sure your scarecrow is in a prominent place e.g. front garden, hanging out of a window, up a ladder, on the roof, and ready for judging which will take place between approximately
12 noon and 1pm.

Prizes will be awarded to the winners.

Please contact rosemary.watson717@btinternet.com 01473 659505 if you are joining in so that no scarecrow is missed

Community Council Christmas Show

Bucklesham Village Hall

Friday 2nd & Saturday 3rd Dec at 7pm

Singing, Dancing, Comedy



Local people showing Bucklesham's definitely Got Talent!

Senior Citizens' Christmas Party

Wednesday 14th December 6.00pm for 6.30pm

Bucklesham Village Hall

Everyone in Bucklesham and Foxhall over 60 invited to attend
Booking essential ~ Please contact Evelyn Bloomfield 01473 659504

ST MARY'S CHURCH

We are thrilled to tell you about the arrival of our new parish priest, the Reverend Ian Wilson, who commenced his Ministry with us on 1st September.

He will face a very challenging time as the benefice has seen an increase to eight churches with the addition of Waldringfield, Newbourne and Hemley to the original five parishes which Canon Geoffrey Grant served as minister for so long. However, Reverend Ian is well aware of the needs of a rural benefice having been Rector of five parishes around Elmsett for three years until 2003. Reverend Ian was officially installed as our parish priest by Bishop Martin, Bishop of St Edmundsbury, at a special service in St Martin's Church, Nacton on 5th September.

David Wardle

Churchwarden

St Marys Church Harvest Supper

Saturday 22nd October at 7 for 7.30pm

Bucklesham Village Hall

Tickets from Sally Voelcker 01473 659572

Christmas Fayre

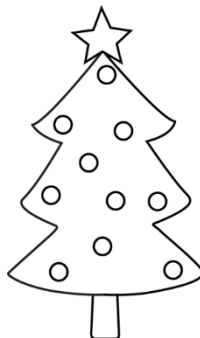
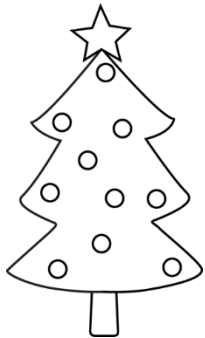
St Mary's Church Bucklesham

Saturday 29th November

10.00am ~ 12.00 noon

crafts, food, stalls

Please bring all your family



The Bucklesham Players are hosting a MacMillan Coffee Morning

Friday 30th September ~ from 10 am til noon
Bucklesham Village Hall

"a cuppa is the perfect way to catch up. As one in 3 of us will face cancer, supporting this cause will ensure no one has to face it alone"

Vintage Tractor Plough Day and Suffolk Horse Society Ploughing Match 2016

Sunday 2nd October 10.00am - 4.00pm

The Bungalow, Red House Farm, Bucklesham IP10 0BP

Adults £5 Under 15's Free

Vintage Tractors, Working Suffolk Horses, Morris Dancers, BBQ,
Refreshments, Trade and Craft Stalls.

All proceeds to St Mary's Church, Bucklesham
and The Suffolk Horse Society.

For further details contact 01473 659486

Bucklesham Playing Field

The Playing Field is open daily from dawn until dusk. Our four legged friends are always welcome but please ensure you always clean up after them. There is an extensive children's play area and large picnic benches for big family groups to gather. The Bucklesham Wanderers, our Village football team play on Sunday Mornings. Please see the notice board for dates. When using the field please ensure you behave in a socially acceptable manner and use the litter bins provided. For any information about the field, contact the Field Manager David Riddleston 01473 659760