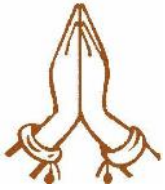


WOODNESBOROUGH VILLAGE NEWS

AUGUST -
SEPTEMBER 2023





Welcome

A big welcome to all our readers!

August is upon us - a harvest month which brings the bounty of the season. August was named after a major figure of the ancient Roman World, Augustus Caesar (63 B.C.–A.D. 14). He was the first Roman emperor (though he never claimed the title) and the great nephew of the previous ruler Julius Caesar (who named July after himself).

It starts with an old harvest holiday, Lammas Day. This observance, traditionally observed on August 1, marked the beginning of the harvest, and especially celebrated the first wheat crop, or that of corn. On Lammas Day, loaves of bread were baked from the first-ripened grain and brought to the churches to be consecrated. Much folklore is associated with this day, including this proverb: “After Lammas Day, corn ripens as much by night as by day.”

An upcoming event for your diary, organised by St Mary’s Church Woodnesborough, is the Sixties Night on **Saturday 7th October**. Please see the poster on the back cover - phone or text to book your tickets. It’s sure to be popular! If you are interested in ecology and/or gardening and would like to help maintain Woodnesborough churchyard, including the wild area in the middle, there will be a Churchyard Tidy-up on **Saturday 2nd September** from 10am-1pm. Refreshments will be available in the church as part of the Coffee Cake and Chat which is held every Saturday and all helpers are very welcome! Just come along and maybe bring some small garden tools with you.

The following **Saturday 9th September** is the Ride and Stride for Kent Churches, where people get sponsored to cycle or walk between as many churches in Kent as possible. St Mary’s Woodnesborough will be one of the hundreds of churches open for people to visit on their route. Please contact Alison Hilton on 07460 839319 if you would like more information and a sponsor form. Forms will be available at the back of the church for you to take if you would like to take part – why not set yourself (and maybe a cycling or walking pal) a bit of a challenge and explore some of the beautiful churches in our local area and beyond.

We hope you enjoy reading the magazine and find it useful.



Please send in any contributions for the next magazine - articles, poems, shared memories, recipes, photos, upcoming events etc - by the 15th September to:

woodnesboroughnotesandnews@gmail.com



Woodnesborough Village Hall

Monday

09:00 - 12:00 am Little Kickers Group
2:00 - 4:00 pm Worth Art Class
3:30 - 6:00 pm KAT Study Club



Tuesday

08.30 - 09:30 am Tai Chi (Adults only)
10:00 - 11:30 am Coffee Pot
10:30 - 12:00 am The Phoenix Singers
3:45 - 5:00 pm Heather's Dance Club - Atrium
4:15 - 6:30 pm Heather's Dance Club - Main Hall
6:30 - 7:00 pm Heather's Dance Club - Atrium
7:00 - 8:30 pm Yoga
7:30 - 9:00 pm Parish Council (4th Tuesday of the month)



Wednesday

09:30 - 12:30 am Sandwich Art Group
09:30 - 10:15 am Toddler Dance Group
6:30 - 7:30 pm Tai Chi (Adults only)
7.30 - 8.30 pm Sandwich Fit Club (2nd week of the month on Friday)
7:15 - 9:15 pm Women's Institute (2nd Wednesday of the month)

Thursday

09:30 - 11:30 am St Mary's Woodnesborough Baby & Toddler Group
7:00 - 8:30 pm Yoga Class
7:15 - 9:30 pm Gardeners' Club (3rd Thursday of the month)

Friday

09:30 - 11:00 am Yoga
3:45 - 5:45 pm KAT Club
6:30 - 7:30 pm Karate Class (Adults)
7:30 - 8:30pm Sandwich Fit Club (2nd week of the month)





Notes from St Mary's



What a way to start the month we have had: spectacular sunshine and the sweet smell of flowers in the air! Truly a beautiful beginning to the Summer.

On the 4th July I was officially Rector of Eastry and Woodnesborough Benefice for a year, and I can honestly say that I would not have changed a thing. Getting to know each of our five wonderful villages has been a real privilege and honour. As we enter our second year together, I hope we can continue to explore how best our church can continue to serve its community.

This month marks the end of the school year and the beginning of the summer holidays. It's a time of transition for some of our school children preparing to start new classes and new schools. It's a time that families can spend together enjoying what I hope will be a wonderful holiday. But, more than that, it marks the beginning of so many exciting community events - both in our villages and across the local area. There will be fetes, summer socials and so much more; those wonderful occasions when we as a community can gather together to celebrate with those around us.

So, as we enter this summer, I encourage you to come along to all the events that are being advertised. Join in and get stuck in! If you happen to see me at one of the many summer fairs on offer, please do come and introduce yourself - it is always lovely to meet more members of our community.

Lastly, as the weather gets hotter, please remember that our churches across the villages are always open and are one of the coolest places to be during warm days. So please do feel welcome to stop by if you are passing, and rest a while before heading back into the heat of the sun.

As I bring this month's article to a close, I would just like to say a big thank you to all the hardworking churchwardens across our Benefice. At the end of June, many of us travelled up to Canterbury Cathedral, and together the wardens were sworn in special ceremonies conducted by the Archdeacons of Ashford and Canterbury. At these very special events it was a real joy to see so many of them both starting and continuing in this much-valued role. Thank you so much for all you do to keep our churches going.

Rev Andrew Brown

Rector's September Ramblings

As we approach the beginning of the new school year, I wanted to write a little bit about starting a new chapter of life. Many of our children will be moving either into their next class or starting at a new school and I wanted to take this opportunity to wish them the best of luck! It may feel a bit strange being in a new classroom or new school, but this will be an exciting new year for you with lots of opportunities! So, embrace those wonderful experiences, make new friends and try new things. Wishing you God's blessings in this time of transition.

Revd. Andrew Brown



Eco Church

After a concerted effort among the congregation and PCC, Woodnesborough Church achieved a **Bronze Eco Church** award earlier this year. The overall aim of the Eco Church award scheme is to celebrate the ways that church communities have been engaging with caring for the earth as a key part of our Christian faith.

Some of the things we are doing to encourage bees and pollinators include:

- Planting of plants that attract insects such as lavender and other herbs, sowing of wildflowers seeds and sunflower seeds as well as planting of blossom bearing trees including fruit bearing trees.
- Allowing the natural propagation of plants including nettles.
- The use of ceramic plant pots to try and encourage solitary bees to form nests inside.

We aim to promote as much biodiversity as possible. If you are passing, please feel free to wander around the grounds to enjoy the calming atmosphere.

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'Coffee, Cake and Chat' takes place from 10am to 12 midday every Saturday morning in the lovely new social area in our village church.

Everyone is welcome to come and relax, chat, meet new people over a mug of coffee or tea; an informal time for all. Coffee and cake is free. (though there is a tin for donations if you think the cake deserves it!)

You will also find a book in church where you may write a prayer request for yourself, a family member or friend, or a situation.

All our helpers are DBS checked and have Safeguarding training to level 2. I have safeguarding to level 3.



Coffee Pot - Woodnesborough Village Hall

'Coffee Pot' takes place between 10am and 11.30am on Tuesday mornings in the Village Hall. We provide the coffee and biscuits and company - **a warm space and a friendly face**. We ask for £1.50 towards the cost of hiring the hall. The men often enjoy Dominoes, whilst some ladies bring their sewing/tapestry work to occupy their hands as they talk. We are building up a collection of 2nd hand books and jigsaw puzzles for people to use.

Further information for Coffee, Cake and Chat and Coffee Pot is available from Hilary Baldwin on 01304 - 613346.



Woodnesborough Football Club



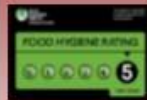


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19th- Pirates Themed Fun Day (Sand & Water Play, Ice Cream Stall, Rum cocktails, Face painting, BBQ, Live Music with the Shanty Men, Fancy dress! Raffle, win a barrow of drinks, proceeds to NSPCC. 12:30-5pm



Curry Night £10pp, all you can eat. Fri 25th August

Macmillan Afternoon Tea Fri 29th Sept 3-5pm

Family Friendly KARAOKE Sat 5th Aug 7-9pm



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Quiz Nights on the following Fridays at the Village Hall

29th September - 20th October - 17th November



Doors open at 7.15pm and quiz will start 7.30pm - Come along and join a team
- Please bring your own drinks and snacks - £3.00 per person.



Macmillan Cancer Coffee Morning

Coffee Pot being held on **Tuesday 15th August** at the Village Hall between 10:00 – 11:30 will be supporting Macmillan Cancer.

There will be Cakes, Handicraft, Tea and Coffee - Please do come along to support this very worthwhile cause. We look forward to seeing you.



St Mary's Church Social Committee presents: Sixties Night- Saturday 7th October at 7pm Woodnesborough Village Hall

Dig out your 60s gear and practice your moves and grooves ready to dance the night away to the sounds of the Sixties - more details on back page.

Bring your own drinks, snacks and nibbles.



Woodnesborough Churchyard Tidy Up



Are you interested in ecology and/or gardening? Would you like to lend a hand to help maintain Woodnesborough churchyard?

There will be a Churchyard Tidy-up on **Saturday 2nd September** from 10am-1pm. Refreshments will be provided in the church, as part of the Coffee Cake and Chat, which is held every Saturday morning.

Just come along -all helpers are very welcome!

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Woodnesborough Parish Council

The Parish Council met on 16th May and 27th June, the earlier date due to the fact that we had to hold our Annual Meeting within 14 days of the election. The Annual meeting was one at which we appointed our Officers and I would like to thank the members of the council for voting me to the position of Chair again and also for voting Cllr Alastair Boniface as my Vice Chair. We discussed the fact that as both Cllrs Doug Smith and Alison Hilton were not standing this year we have two vacancies to which can co-opt two people. One person had expressed an interest and they were advised to contact the Clerk.

At the meeting in May we nominated members for our committees and appointments were made to various roles. After the minutes had been read and signed and any actions dealt with at each meeting, we discussed the planning applications on the agenda and we noted any planning decisions. Planning correspondence and other correspondence was noted by the council. The consultation documents were noted by the Council and we had reports from our County Cllr prior to the meetings.

Correspondence was discussed including the continued breach of planning at land south of Summerfield and at Hollyoak. We also were aware of anti-social behaviour at the Hall as well as continued dog fouling where owners fail to pick up their waste. We had also received an email from a member of the public with several issues highlighted but this was received too late for the May meeting and so was discussed at the June meeting. The Clerk has written to the parishioner in response.

At our meeting in June we learned that 4 parishioners had expressed an interest in being co-opted to the Council and so Jo our Clerk will arrange for interviews to be held and will contact them with dates and times.

We were also advised at the June meeting that a new flagpole has been delivered and installed near the village green. A big thank you to Cllr Anthony Hilton for doing so much work to get it there and for flying the flag earlier this month.

On a wider note the Council continues to work with our District and County Councillors to try to make sure that the Richborough refuse and recycling centre remains open and that KCC do not act arbitrarily to close it.

Thank you to all of you who come to our meetings and for taking an interest in your council. Don't forget that you can come along to any of our meetings as we are here to ensure our parishioners are our priority and it's always good to have members of the public at our meetings. If you have any issues you wish to raise please contact our Clerk, Jo, on the email address in the magazine.

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Letting your heir down?

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However, not knowing what does or does not form part of an estate could result in their families paying more IHT than they need to.

Another way to reduce the impact of IHT is to take out a ‘whole of life’ insurance policy. This pays a lump sum on death, and when the policy is written in trust, the pay-out can help offset or eliminate an IHT bill. Whilst inertia and ignorance of estate planning is good news for the Treasury, the widespread lack of knowledge will worry many potential heirs. But taking appropriate advice can go a long way to alleviating those concerns. A financial adviser can assist with the transfer of wealth in a tax-efficient manner, establishing trusts, life insurance and so on, whilst also ensuring that the person arranging their estate has enough income to maintain their normal standard of living. With the right advice, more estates could be removed from the grip of IHT, and bereaved families could be spared the extra heartache of paying unnecessary tax.

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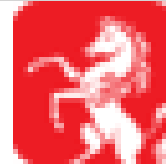
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Many vulnerable children and young people in Kent urgently need safe and loving homes in their local communities so that they can stay near their schools and friendship groups and not miss out on the vital care and support they need.

Matching the growing number of children in the council's care with the right foster family is becoming more difficult as numbers increase alongside a rapid decline in the number of residents becoming foster carers.

This could mean that there will not be enough suitable homes in the very near future and Kent's vulnerable children and young people could miss out on the support they need to give them the best opportunities and outcomes in life.

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Birding With Big Nick



On a recent visit to Sandwich Bay, I photographed a gull which looked a bit unusual. My first impression was of a Mediterranean Gull (not that uncommon in the south east now, despite its name!) However the shape of the bill and colour of legs and bill - a darkish maroon colour - was much more in keeping with a Black-headed Gull than the scarlet legs and bill of the Mediterranean Gull. Fortunately for me it had a coloured leg ring with lettering which I was able to read.

I sent off the record and had an email back confirming that it was indeed a hybrid between the 2 species mentioned. Even more interesting was that it had actually only recently been ringed just 32 days earlier near Lodz in POLAND, some 1193Km away!



This gave me the inspiration for my column. This was not the first time I have photographed and reported birds with coloured leg rings or even the detailed small metal leg band which are more widely used in ringing; but these are much harder to read 'in the field' and you need to be very close to photograph them!

Nearly one million birds were ringed in 2021 in the UK but recovery rates are low, usually – in the past at least, - when the bird was found dead or injured. However the increase in bird photographers has probably helped with reporting numbers in recent years. If you ever find a ringed bird you can report your sighting via the Euring website <https://euring.org/> and hopefully you will receive information about the bird.

Without this ringing data we would have little idea of where birds came from or how far they travelled, or how long they live, so it provides some very valuable data. In recent years a more sophisticated system has been used, that of attaching a tiny radio transmitter to the bird and then using a series of aerials to detect them as they move about. It was this system that recorded the movement of a Common Whitethroat first picked up by a mast in Germany and tracked across Europe to Sandwich Bay, covering over 600 Km in just under four days!

There are three other birds - pictured on the next page - I have photographed that have rings. The Herring Gull was ringed by the North Thames Gull Group at Pitsea landfill site in Essex in March 2016 and there have been several sightings since then all around Sandwich Bay. The Ringed Plover,

photographed at Reculver, was coincidentally another Polish bird ringed at the mouth of the river Vistula on the Baltic coast. The last bird, the Shag, was ringed on the Isle of May, Fife, in June 2019, photographed at Ramsgate Harbour in Feb 2020; it was the first sighting since it had been ringed.



Every reported sighting adds a little more information about the amazing behaviour of different bird species, so keep your eyes peeled.

Nick Smith



Village Monthly Walks Programme 2023



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| 25 th August | Woodnesborough Village Hall |
| 29 th September | Staple Church |
| 27 th October | Wickhambreaux Green |
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Woodnesborough Gardeners Club

We had a well supported Rose and Sweet Pea Show in June, with plenty of roses on display, although not so many sweet peas (ours are ready now!). Jean Coleman won the prize for most points in the Sweet Pea classes and Linda Butcher won most points in the Rose classes. We have recently held the annual hog roast, which due to the weather had to be held inside the hall. Nearly 80 members and guests spent a very enjoyable afternoon.

On Sunday 13th August we will be holding our annual Flower and Produce Show. There are classes for vegetables, flowers, cookery, photographs, arts and crafts. Although the exhibitors must be paid up members of the Club, everyone is welcome to come along and view the entries and enjoy a cup of tea and homemade cake. There will also be a raffle. The show opens to the public at 2.30pm and prize giving will be at 4.00pm. We hope to see you there.

Looking ahead to September, our meeting in the Village Hall is on Thursday 21st at 7.30pm. Kevin Tooher will be speaking on the subject 'Planting for containers and baskets that don't die'. New members and guests welcome.

Ken and Linda Butcher

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We had a good spring meeting. David Lamberton the Medieval surgeon came to show us the instruments used in the Medieval and Tudor times, which included teeth pulling, bleeding using leeches and amputation. I'm so glad we have the NHS and anaesthetics. It sounded like you had to be very desperate to go to the doctor back then.

For the July meeting we held a games night out on the village green. We played a game of croquet, which we all enjoyed although some of us had not played before, and then had Prosecco and nibbles. We then finished with a raffle.

We have also taken over looking after the patch of green on the corner opposite the church, and have planted some lovely flowers, I hope the village have enjoyed looking at them.

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Woodnesborough WI Bowls Trip



On the afternoon of Thursday 22nd June some members of the Woodnesborough WI joined some ladies from the Sandwich Bowls Club for a taster session. We were welcomed by some of the lady members who were very kind and patient at explaining the finer details of playing bowls. In the baking sun we had a number of games, with varying success, and all managed to get relatively close to the Jack on at a least one occasion! We played alongside the members and it was very interesting to watch how it should be done - and try to emulate it! After a couple of very enjoyable hours, we finished our afternoon with an obligatory cup of tea and some very tasty cake. It was certainly a fun afternoon and one which we are hoping to repeat at another time.

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From the pub turn left onto Grove Road, then take FP on left. Go through gate, then go right, continuing in same direction. Turn right on road. Turn left past yew trees onto Park Lane next to Forstal House. At road junction turn right onto road the Preston Court. Take FP through churchyard. Retrace steps but take FP on right near gate to the green, bus shelter and Village Store on main road. Cross road and go down Mill Lane passing school on right. Take FP next to school playground passing school and playing field on right. Continue on FP along field edge. At orchard look for FP line diagonally to left winding through apple trees. Emerge onto Mill Lane by the Bakery and a white house. Turn left on road and go straight ahead, passing Preston Mill on right and straight on past junction with another road on right. Where road bends left, take FP straight on to left of gate to return to main road by the butchers. Turn right to garden centre and the pub.

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Poem of the Month



The Months

January brings the snow,
makes our feet and fingers glow.

February brings the rain,
Thaws the frozen lake again.

March brings breezes loud and shrill,
stirs the dancing daffodil.

April brings the primrose sweet,
Scatters daises at our feet.

May brings flocks of pretty lambs,
Skipping by their fleecy damns.

June brings tulips, lilies, roses,
Fills the children's hand with posies.

Hot July brings cooling showers,
Apricots and gillyflowers.

August brings the sheaves of corn,
Then the harvest home is borne.

Warm September brings the fruit,
Sportsmen then begin to shoot.

Fresh October brings the pheasants,
Then to gather nuts is pleasant.

Dull November brings the blast,
Then the leaves are whirling fast.

Chill December brings the sleet,
Blazing fire, and Christmas treat

By Sara Coleridge (1802-1852)



About Us

Woodnesborough Village News strives to provide accurate and timely information about local events, contacts for local companies or simply where to buy some firewood! We are a non-profit making organisation whose underlying purpose is to help maintain a vibrant cohesive community spirit. As such it is vital that it truly reflects the voice of Woodnesborough and we welcome items from all village organisations and individuals.

Woodnesborough Village News is produced and distributed by volunteers with financial support provided by a partnership of St Mary's Church, the Village Hall Committee and the Parish Council. This combined with the additional funding provided by advertising, enables us to offer the magazine free to the community.

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Please email material to:- woodnesboroughnotesandnews@gmail.com
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Coffee Pot (Tues 10-11.30am)	Hilary Baldwin	613346

Church Services

1st Sunday of the month	08.00am	Communion Service
	10.00am	Come & Praise Family Service
2nd Sunday of the month	10.00am	Communion Service
3rd Sunday of the month	No service at Woodnesborough	
4th Sunday of the month	10.00am	Communion Service
5th Sunday of the Month	10.00am	Benefice Service - see website for venue www.ewbchurches.org.uk

The church is open every day from 9am-5pm for private prayer and reflection.

We are a very friendly church and everyone of all ages is welcome to our services.





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Sudoku Solution

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8	2	6	9	1	3	5	7	4
5	7	9	2	6	4	8	3	1
1	8	5	4	9	7	2	6	3
7	9	2	1	3	6	4	5	8
6	4	3	8	5	2	9	1	7
3	5	4	6	2	1	7	8	9
2	1	8	5	7	9	3	4	6
9	6	7	3	4	8	1	2	5



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