# WRENINGHAM

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From The Editor

The muddy car park was repaired in time for the pantomime, and I thank all those who helped with this project.

Talking of the pantomime, I hope that all those who saw "Jack and the Beanstalk" performed by Ashwren Players enjoyed their untraditional version of a well known story. Congratulations to all the cast and helpers, especially those who got involved late in the day to produce some excellent costumes.

For events coming up, read the rest of this edition and mark them in your diary.

The last "Free Sale" was again well supported, so watch out for the date of the next one and start boxing up your items for recycling in readiness.

Christine Minns 01508 488123

#### Wreningham Parish Council

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01508 489544

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Address: Tomoli House, Norwich Road, Barnham Broom, Norwich, NR9 4BU Email: hefrary@googlemail.com

Next meeting Tuesday 10th May at 7.30 pm in the Margaret Preston room at the village hall.

#### Join our friendly team of Volunteers in Norwich

Help us support even more people with dementia and their carers locally.

Roles involve engaging with people living with dementia during groups and day activities, by assisting them in ioining in with social activities (board games, arts and craft, singing etc) or help create a Life Story Book, a collection of photographs and memories of a person's life who is now living with dementia.

It is important you are willing to develop your knowledge of dementia, have good listening and communication skills and the ability to be calm, patient and caring.

We can provide ongoing support, good training and any out of pocket expenses

> Helen Dingle 01603 763517 Helen.dingle@alzheimers.org.uk Reg. Charity No. 296645

Alzheimer's Leading the fight against dementia Society

## WRENINGHAM SOCIAL CLUB

MEMBERSHIP – Renewals now due . Adults £2.00 and juniors 50p (8 – 16's). To rejoin, leave your old card and the money with the bar staff and your new membership card will be left for you behind the bar in due course. Anybody wishing to join for the first time must fill in an application form available from behind the bar.

Ene club is open each Thursday and Friday evening from 8 pm except on the first Friday of the month when opening time is 6.30 pm and families with small children are especially caterer for with toys and games available.

The Annual General Meeting will take place on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April at 8.00 pm – it would be good to see a few more members attending this year.

## Last Wednesday Coffee Morning

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April and Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May

In the main hall 8.50 am to 11.00 am

Organised as part of the response to the parish plan. This is an opportunity for villagers to meet up and get to know each other.

#### GARDEN OPEN FOR NATIONAL GARDEN SCHEME

THE CONIFERS
WYMONDHAM ROAD
WRENINGHAM NR16 1AT

SUNDAYS 3<sup>rd</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> APRIL 11.00 am - 3.00 pm ADM: £3.00 TEAS

### TABLE TOP SALE

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> June
Tables available £5.00
To book a table contact
Christine on 488123
customers 10.30 am – 1

Open to customers 10.30 am - 12 noonRefreshments and tombola in aid of church funds

## Mother & Toddler/Bramble Bears Playgroup

Joint coffee morning – Friday 1st April

Open to all -9.30 am onwards Sale of cakes, cards, soaps, plants

#### WRENINGHAM ALL SAINTS CHURCH

The Upper Tas Valley Benefice, which includes Wreningham church is now considering the post of a permanent rector, in the mean time Revd. Andrew Good has been appointed as part-time priest-in-charge until the end of this year. He will continue to live in Eaton but work from the rectory. He can be contacted on 01603 458501.

Car park – A big thank you to all who turned out and helped to \_ant the hedging. We hope to have the gateway made any day now and the car park will then be available to use.

To mark the 400 years since the translation of the authorised "King James Bible", there are readings in each of the churches in the Benefice on Saturdays in March and April. There will be readings in Wreningham church on Easter Saturday starting at 10 am. If anybody would like to do a 20 minute read, please let either Irene or Christine know.

#### Services:

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April – 10.30 am Mothering Sunday family service at which children are especially welcome and flowers will be available to give to "mum".

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April 8.30 am Holy Communion Good Friday - 22<sup>nd</sup> April, a devotional hour 2 pm – 3 pm. unday 8<sup>th</sup> May – 8.30 am Holy Communion.

On Wed. 20<sup>th</sup> April, the Essex Branch of the Student Cross will be calling at the church at around 4.30 pm, on their Easter pilgrimage to Walsingham. Do come and have a chat with them as they take a rest and enjoy refreshments.

Churchwarden: Christine Minns 01508 488123

#### **NHS** Direct

NHS Direct provides health advice and information, 24 hours a day via the telephone on 0845 4647. Alternatively by visiting the website – <a href="www.nhsdirect.nhs.uk">www.nhsdirect.nhs.uk</a> NHS Direct also publish a number of useful leaflets and posters. Use the NHS Direct for symptomatic advice, support and information.

#### **WASTE COLLECTION SERVICE**

The phone number for South Norfolk Council's waste collection service, for all domestic, septic tank, trade and garden waste is now 01508 533830

Brown Bins – for garden waste can be supplied by S.N.C. for an annual charge of £40.00. Garden waste should not be put into the black bins which go into landfill as it creates methane, a greenhouse gas 23 times more potent than carbon dioxide as a climate change gas. The waste from the brown bin is taken to a specialist contractor for composting. To order a brown bin contact the Garden Waste Team on 01508 533830

Flower Festival
Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May
Tacolneston church
together with art & craft display,
plant stall, books, cakes, teddy tombola & refreshments
If you have any plants to spare or soft toys looking for a new
home, please contact Christine on 488123

#### 2011 District and Parish Council Elections

### Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May

The deadline to register to vote is Thursday 14 April, so if you are new to the area, you need to register by 14<sup>th</sup>.

Nominations – All prospective District and Parish Councillors need to submit their own nominations forms. Nominations may not be submitted before 25<sup>th</sup> March but no later than noon on 4<sup>th</sup> April.

If you are interested in standing for either District or Parish Council then nomination packs can be downloaded from S.N.C. website or contact the Council offices:

Telephone 01508 533704

Address: South Norfolk Council

South Norfolk House

Swan lane

Long Stratton

Norwich, NR15 2XE

#### **GARAGE SALE**

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April
High Gables, Church Road
10.30 am – 12 noon
In aid of Wreningham Church funds.

#### WHAT'S ON

#### Dumplin' Country

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April – Charity dance and details are on the notice boards at the hall.

Hot & Cold Food/Hot Drinks/Licensed Bar/Good Raffle

Dances to 60's bands - in aid of hall funds

Dancing to live music mainly from the 50's, 60's, 70's and some good music to jive too, or come and just sit and listen to the bands – Admission £5.50. 8.15 pm onwards.

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April— "Beat Deluxe" Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May — "Lowrider"

Flower Club - Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> May

Visitors welcome - For details contact Sue Rudd - 489526

Mother and Baby/Toddler Group — each Friday morning during school term, -9.30 am in the main hall. For details contact Claire on 01508 481748

Short Mat Bowls – Every Thursday at 7.30 pm. Do turn up to have a try or contact Sue on 489654 and Glenda 570994. Who knows you may be a natural! - Why not give it a go.