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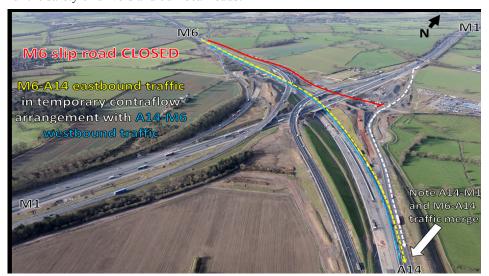
CATTHORPE CONNECT

ork to join up the A14 and M6 is proceeding apace with the recent opening of a direct link between the two roadways.

No longer does A14 traffic need to negotiate the historic bottle-neck and traffic hazard of the notorious 'dumb-bell' roundabouts, at a stroke, removing the congestion and traffic build-up that has caused so much frustration and grief in the past. All roads linking at the junction are now free-flowing without need to enter the minor road system at all.

Meanwhile, the temporary M6 - A14 east-bound link that has been running into the dumbbells has now been stopped off and will eventually become the minor road link from Swinford to Catthorpe.

The A14-M6 links are presently running a 50mph contra-flow whilst the finishing touches are put to the carriageways, but traffic is nevertheless reported to be flowing freely. Locally this should mean that less traffic will be avoiding the junction and using the A5199 and A4304 as escape routes. Of course, the other benefit is that the accident rate caused by traffic backing up onto the major roads from the dumb-bells will be reduced. Good news for the safety of drivers and our local roads!



PEBBLE HALL UPDATE

t a recent meeting of the Pebble Hall Liaison group, members heard that work on the Renewable Energy Generating Facility (REGF) is scheduled to be completed this year and commissioned, following test runs, early in 2017. The plant will be fuelled by the woodchip waste that is at present being exported off the site. Currently a planning application is before Northamptonshire County Council seeking to extend the raw materials holding area to enable seasonal stock-piling of the waste.

Meanwhile, work on the Thermophilic Aerobic Digester (TAD) on the same site saw the main components of the facility installed late last year and testing is due to take place in April. The final commissioning of the plant and commencement of energy production is expected by the end of 2016 or early 2017.

Queries raised by the group included the operating hours, especially that of the woodchip transporters and the poor sheeting of outbound loads. The operators of the site agreed to look into the issues concerning operating hours and informed the meeting that a road-sweeper had been contracted to clear the roadside debris, including the soiled pavements through Bosworth village. It was noted that the woodchip waste wouldn't be exported from the site once the REGF was operating.

Following concerns raised about the odours and emissions from the plants once they were operational, representatives from the Environment Agency pointed out that there would be continuous monitoring of air quality to ensure that any discharges were within statutory limits. An overall manager for the site had been appointed and he assure the meeting that any problems will be dealt with quickly, including immediate closure of the site if necessary.

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VILLAGE CLEAN-UP

Please note that the Village Clean-Up will now be on **Saturday**, **March 5**th, **2.00pm** to **4.00pm**. Meet outside the Village Hall.

This is a national initiative led by the *Council to Protect Rural England (CPRE)* and *Tidy Britain Campaign* to tidy up the whole of the country in readiness for the 90th birthday of HM The Queen in April.

We were a bit surprised that this weekend was chosen, as soon after we publicised it as March 6th in the February *Bugle* we noticed that it was Mothering Sunday.

Presumably the thinkers and policy-makers within *CPRE* and *Tidy Britain* don't have mothers!

SUMMERTIME

REMEMBER British Summer Time commences and clocks go forward on Sunday, March 27th, yippeeee...



POSTBAG

From Penny Mattock, Fernie Court

I would like to give heartfelt thanks to everyone who sent messages, letters and cards of condolence for Ken and also to those who attended his funeral. The support was overwhelming and it was comforting to know how many people knew and liked him. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the staff at Husbands Bosworth Surgery for their wonderful care, concern and support to Ken and myself during his illness. It was a great comfort and much appreciated.

From Ralph & Jo Horton, Highcroft

A big thank you to everyone who attended the recent 'Govannen' concert at the Village Hall. We were superbly entertained by the band and we hope that you all enjoyed yourselves. The concert raised over £700 for the Village Hall with an additional £600 being raised for Sue Dhillon's Belarus Orphan's Charity, in an auction very ably and amusingly conducted by Bill Fletcher.

POLICE FILE

IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION ON ANY CRIMINAL ACTIVITY CALL MARKET HARBOROUGH POLICE on 101 Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator Stephen Bilbie

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WATCH WORD

THE NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH SCHEME WITHIN HUSBANDS BOSWORTH

- Criminal damage to property, Naseby Road, Sibbertoft
- Spate of attempted theft of vehicles, Church Lane, Welford
- Damage to property, Church Lane, Welford
- ■Theft of items from vehicle parked off Naseby Road, Welford
- ■Burglary to premises, Mere Lane, Upper Bruntingthorpe
- Theft from isolated property, Welford Road, Knaptoft
- ■Theft of vehicle, Main Street, Laughton
- Theft of vehicle, Bakehouse Lane, Saddington

As the mornings are still very frosty, please remember not to leave your vehicle unattended with the engine running. Opportunists never take a day off and we still have reports of unattended vehicles being stolen.

In view of recent wet weather and high winds the Police are advising drivers to prepare themselves for driving safely in poor weather conditions. Check for weather alerts that might affect your journey, only travel if absolutely necessary and plan your route avoiding any roads that are prone to flooding.

Check lights and always drive with dipped head lights and ensure that window wipers are in good condition and that tyres have the correct pressure and good tread for maximum road grip. Reduce your speed when travelling in rain to decrease your stopping distance. Keep your mobile phone battery topped up and the number of your rescue recovery service stored, in the event of a breakdown.

Lutterworth Police Beat Surgery will be held in Lutterworth Library on Friday, April 1st 2.30pm - 4.30pm. Please come along and see us there.

The Lutterworth Beat Team

SID REPORT

Readings from the Speed Indicator Device

Theddngworth Road westerly

Period: 20.01.16 - 27.01.16 Vehicle movements: 12012 Average movements per day: 1716 Average speed: 30.96mph Highest recorded speed: 55mph

Theddingworth Road westerly

Period: 27.01.16 - 03.02.16 Vehicle movements: 11682 Average movements per day: 1669 Average speed: 31.05mph Highest recorded speed: 54mph

High Street easterly

Period: 03.02.16 - 10.02.16 Vehicle movements: 15642 Average movements per day: 2235 Average speed: 26.94mph Highest recorded speed: 64mph

High Street easterly

Period: 10.02.16 - 17.02.16 Vehicle movements: 16170 Average movements per day: 2960 Average speed: 27.02mph Highest recorded speed: 64mph



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BOSWORTH IN FOCUS

A ROUND-UP OF LOCAL NEWS

BRIAN OF BOSWORTH...

The annual Battle of Bosworth Village Hall fund-raising quiz, which took place on Saturday, February 20th, saw 13 teams competing over ten testing rounds of questions.

The contest, which was hosted by last year's winners, *The Village Idiots*, Wendy, Ceri, Tom and Penny, was convincingly won by *The Strife of Brian* team, of Eleanor, Brian, Arwyn and Steph, who take up the dubious honour of setting and hosting the quiz next year!

We would like to draw attention to the gallantly fought second place, where the *Bugle 1* team of Mike, Sylvia, Ralph and Jo, live on, to fight another day!

The *Third Time Lucky* team unfortunately failed in their third attempt to take the Village Hall quiz glory, but were awarded a special prize for propping up the foot of the scoreboard.

A total of £130 was raised for the Village Hall funds.

For newcomers to the village, the Village Hall Quiz is something of a Husbands Bosworth institution, and has been held every year since 1981.

WEATHER LOG January 2016 [2015] Rain: 84.5mm (3.3") [45.25mm] Wettest day: 12mm (0.5") [9mm] Highest temp: 12°C [13°C] Lowest Temp: -3°C [-5.5°C] Snow: 2½" [3½"]

WILD ABOUT BOSWORTH

A Good Hare Day

Brown or European Hare (Lepus europaeus)

Around the time of the spring equinox, take an early morning walk in the countryside and you are almost guaranteed to see hares cavorting in the fields. With luck, you will spy a 'drove', (the collective noun for hares), playing 'hare chess'.

The rules are a little mysterious, but they appear to involve making random positional moves about the field. Then, at a signal imperceptible to human senses, the contest enters its chase and fight phase! After a wild pursuit, the combatants rear up on their hind legs and rain blows down on each other's head and shoulders.



The pace of these conflicts is so rapid it is difficult to follow the action. Hares can reach a top speed of around 45mph; that's slightly faster than a fox. Anatomically, their hearts account for over one percent of their body weight. It's this adaptation which pumps the blood needed to power their madcap antics.

Another endearing trait is their inquisitiveness. If they see something strange in their territory, provided it's stationary, they are more likely to investigate than run away. Once, while out walking, I noticed a leveret heading in my direction. As I did my best statue impression, the creature hopped ever closer, fifty yards, thirty, ten and finally five yards, all the while eyeing me with open curiosity.

Because of their fertility, hares make frequent appearances in mythology. They're chiefly associated with good fortune, sexuality and procreation. Folk magic says that eating hare meat for seven days will make you beautiful but, after experimentation, I've discovered this isn't true... And beware of hares running *widdershins* round you (anticlockwise), as these bring bad luck.

Mike Chanter

BOSWORTH FESTIVAL 2016

Bosworth Festival Committee have confirmed the date of Bosworth Festival 2016 as Saturday, June 25th. See you there!

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COFFEE MORNING

ADVANCE NOTICE

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LOROS CHANGE

An incredible £398.03 has been raised for LOROS in just over the year from the collecting tin in Springfields Supermarket in Husbands Bosworth.

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SCHOOL REPORT

HUSBANDS BOSWORTH C. of E. PRIMARY SCHOOL Head Teacher Louisa Morris

School closes March 23rd; re-opens April 11th

FOBS NEWS

ADVANCE NOTICE

The FOBS team have an exciting list of events coming up this year:

- ■There will be a Walking Treasure Hunt on the May 15th. Look out for further details.
- ■The FOBS Safari Supper, which as proved very popular over the years, will be held this vear on June 18th.
- ■FOBS will be at the Bosworth Festival on the June 25th, 'manning' the tea tent!
- ■There will be a special Christmas event, with dinner and entertainment, on November 26th.

BYGONE BOSWORTH

Images from the Historical Society's Archive Collection

As a bit of a follow-up from the article last month about the dear old Fernie we have unearthed this picture of part of the frontage.

A feature of the approach to the hotel entrance was the collection of horse-drawn carriages that were strategically parked as eye-catchers amongst the flower beds. Former villager, Hilda Carter tells us that it was her late husband, Norman's job to maintain the grounds and flower beds, whilst Hilda worked in the hotel itself, when the proprietors were Mr. and Mrs. Speight.

The BBC *Domesday Reloaded* survey of Husbands Bosworth undertaken by the village school children, and published in 1986 makes interesting reading. At the time of the survey the Fernie was owned by Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, who took over from the Speights. The children noted ...most of their customers come from Leicester, Coventry and Northampton. They get a lot of customers from big cities like London. They serve 200 people a day during a week. But at the weekends they serve about 300 people per day. They serve English food at the restaurant, and a 4-course meal costs £11.50. They employ 70 people. There are 21 rooms altogether.

Previously it was used for a residential home for elderly women and a private club for American service men then a hotel and a public house. The building is 185 years old.

Dave Alley, of Kilworth Road reminds us that as Hillsome House during the war, the Fernie was requisitioned for use as a school and accommodated a complete school evacuated from London's East End. Dave also recalls that those having school dinners at the village school were walked down to the Fernie for the meal.



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CAUSEWAY COFFEE

A Coffee Morning, hosted by the Causeway Charity group, is held on the second Friday of each month in the Church Hall, Honeypot Lane. Older villagers, especially those retired, housebound or living alone, along with their carers, are invited to come along, share a chat and catch up on all the local gossip over a relaxing cuppa, biscuit or a slice of homemade cake.

The next meeting is on Friday, March 11th, 10.00am to 11.30am and this month there will be another opportunity to try indoor curling! (It's like ice curling but is played in the Church Hall, and not on ice, so it's warmer and can be played sitting down!)

ACTIVITY GROUPS

HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The next meeting of the Historical Society will be on Wednesday, March 2nd when David Price will be telling us about the Hollywood Production Code.

In the 1930s the US film industry adopted a code of self-censorship to counter growing criticisms of 'offending against common decency'.

The Puritanical zeal extended to bedroom scenes where the actors were obliged to have one foot on the floor at all times!

David will look at the industry before and after the Code and the high profile artistes who were embroiled in the shake-up - with film clips and images!

The meeting is in the Church Hall, Honeypot Lane and starts at 7.30pm. Visitors welcome. For more information please call Melvyn on 880281.

CRAFT GROUP

The group meets on the second Wednesday of each month in the Committee Room of the Village Hall.

If you have a craft or pastime that is reasonably portable and would welcome the opportunity to share tips with other likeminded crafty folk why not come along? Meetings are friendly and informal and refreshments are available. There is a small charge to cover costs.

Call Gail on 880413 for details.

MILLENNIUM WOOD

The next Millennium Wood workparty will be on Saturday, March 19th, 9.30am to 12.00noon, meeting at the Wood.

Anyone wishing to have an enjoyable work-out in the fresh air, whilst helping the group get the community woodland ready for spring will be assured a warm welcome (and coffee and biscuits...).

Stout footwear and old clothes are recommended!

Call Jackie on 880910 or Lorrie on 880281 for further information.

VILLAGE LUNCHEON

The next Village Luncheon will be on Tuesday, March 29th at Kilworth Springs Golf Club.

Diners are asked to meet as usual in the Club-house at 12.30pm.

To book a place or for further information please call Janice on 880668.

Since Brenda Brown retired from running the Whist Drive at Kilworth Springs on the first Monday of the month, members from All Saints Church have taken on the challenge. In the last few months this Whist Drive and many others in the district have dropped in numbers, some even closing. We are trying not to let this happen. At the moment there are sufficient players to make it viable but there is room for more people and one of the members has kindly offered to give lessons. Why not take up the challenge. Where can you go for an afternoon out for £3, with prizes, free raffle and tea/coffee and biscuits?

Members of the Whist Drive are keen to encourage people to get involved with All Saints. Offers of help and ideas for fund raising are always very much appreciated. Please call Di on 880741.

Di Jones

BOSWORTH TOTS

Bosworth Tots is a stay-and-play session for tots (from birth to pre-school) and their parents, grandparents, carers and child minders.

The group meets from 9.30am to 11.30am (term time only) on Thursday mornings at Husbands Bosworth Village Hall.

The cost is £2.50 for one child and then 50p for each additional child thereafter.

For more details email: bosworthtots@ hotmail.co.uk

STOP PRESS: The group has recently been awarded a grant from the Parish Council to provide new play equipment.





PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Report of the Parish Council meeting held on Tuesday, February 2nd 2016 *In attendance, full Council, District Councillor Lesley Bowles, Canal & River Trust local co-ordinator, Sarah Brown and two members of the public.*

Visitors' Questions

- ■A resident brought to Council's attention problems of discarded dog poo bags blocking drains in Green Lane. Clerk was asked to contact Highways to ensure that the drain was cleared.
- ■Also brought to the attention of Council was the increase in incidents of wide vehicles using Green Lane and causing damage to the adjacent properties. The problem seemed to be linked to delivery vans and the sat-nav systems used. Clerk was asked to notify Highways of the problem, with a view to installing carriageway width notices.
- ■Another resident enquired why, since the footway on Welford Road had been cleared, similar work hadn't been carried out on Kilworth Road and Leicester Road, which were equally as bad and used more
- ■Sarah Brown, of Canals & River Trust addressed the meeting to discuss proposals put forward by Council to move towards 'adopting' a section of the canal towpath through the village. Ms Brown advised Council that CRT would support local volunteering and recruitment, promotional events, grant application and fundraising. Once schemes were underway, training of volunteers would be undertaken, design and specification and work supervision would be provided. Appropriate safety training and specialist equipment would be provided where necessary.
- ■Local issues were raised and it was agreed that the section of towpath between Honeypot Bridge and the tunnel eastern portal would be considered as a priority scheme. Ms. Brown also agreed to discuss public safety issues, relating to the historic horse blind fencing on the boathorse path alongside the disused railway, wth CRT heritage officers. Chairman thanked Ms Brown and the members of the public for attending.

 At this point the visitors left the meeting.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting were read. Matters Arising from the Minutes

- ■Clerk informed Council that the hedge along School Lane had been trimmed back.
- ■Problems with the play equipment, highlighted at the RoSPA report, had been referred to the installer who assured Council that the equipment was compliant with current legislation.
- ■Repairs to vandalised guttering and cladding had been undertaken on the Pavilion to a cost of £187.43. Work to replace slabs would be undertaken when weather conditions were more favourable.

Cemetery

- ■Council noted that the margins had been trimmed back.
- Presence of a mole was found. Clerk to contact pest control contractor.
- ■Members discussed proposals to seal the south doorway of the Chapel of Rest with a breeze-block infill as a matter of urgency. A false door could be installed on the outside later to restore the building's external appearence. Clerk was asked to obtain quotations for this work.

Allotments

■It was noted that a rent review should be undertaken in time for the new letting year

Broadband

■Members were concerned that connection provision was proving problematic with some service suppliers. Mrs. Hobson had discussed this with representatives at County Hall who had assured her that they were working alongside BT to solve service supply problems.

Correspondence

■Council had received correspondence relating to Bosworth Tots pre-school group seeking funding to provide additional equipment and to promote the group's activities. Council agreed a grant from the Community Fund.

Any Other Business

- ■Clerk was asked to bring to the attention of Highways the state of the grass verge outside Hunters Lodge on Berridges Lane, the footway on Leicester Road opposite the entrance to Safewater Farm and the blocked storm drains on Welford Road.
- ■Chairman informed the meeting that at the next meeting of the Pebble Hall Liaison Group he would bring to the attention of the operators the parlous state of the footways and drains on High Street.
- ■Council also discussed the parking problems in the lay-by outside the cemetery on Welford Road. It was noted that HGVs were parking there at break times and leaving debris and mud. Clerk was asked to enquire with Highways if a parking restriction could be applied.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on Tuesday, March 1st 2016 at 7.45pm in the Committee Room of the Village Hall.

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From the Rectory

Do you sometimes feel taken for granted? Or, take others for granted? In a busy life it is inevitable that this will be the case. We rely on other people to do what they always do in order for us to keep on with the things we have to do. If this is always the case then eventually people feel used and unappreciated. It takes times of leisure together, times of putting the other person first, sometimes a simple 'Thank you, I really appreciate what you do for me', to put the matter right.

It is the same with God. Most of the time we take Him for granted. We rely on Him to sustain the world so we can enjoy living in it, we depend on Him to protect us from danger, and pour out his blessings on us.

Maybe we also take for granted that Jesus's death on the cross and his resurrection will get us into Heaven because we live in a Christian country and somewhere in the back of our mind that is what we believe. But, how much more reassuring it will be for us if we pay attention to our relationship with God more, if we appreciate what he does for us and the things he gives us in our world today.

In our human relationships, spending a bit of time with God, saying thank you, talking with him or just being quiet with him will make all the difference to the quality of our relationship. God doesn't take us for granted. The Bible tells us that God says: '...you are precious in my sight, and honoured, and I love you.' He continues to provide and protect and to love, and he waits for us to spend a little quality time with him.

Maybe this Easter season is a good time to give him some attention.

Every blessing for a happy, holy and peaceful Easter (and much chocolate to you all). Liz

CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE

All Saints Church is hosting a Celebration of Marriage on Saturday, April 23rd and Sunday 24th, 10.30am to 5.00pm, to celebrate the Queen's 90th birthday. We hope to have dresses and memorabilia on display which show the changes in the last 90 years. We will also have some quilts on display. There will be refreshments, and the weekend will conclude with a Service of Thanksgiving for families and married life.

If you have a wedding dress, bridesmaid dress, going-away outfit or quilt that we could borrow, or mannequins for display purposes, please call Di on 880741 or Lorrie on 880281.

Parish Notices

James Cunnington

of Hillcrest Lane Died January 30th 2016 Age 79 years

Herbert Embley

formerly of Kilworth Road
Died January 31st 2016
Age 86 years

Kenneth Mattock

of Fernie Court Died January 31st 2016 Age 84 years

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9.30am Family Service Arnesby
11.00am Communion HB
4.00pm Family Service B'thorpe
6.00pm Evensong Mowsley

HOLY WEEK

See Hexagon for full details

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DIARY DATES for MARCH

Tuesday 1st Parish Council meeting, 7.45pm Committee Room, Village Hall

Wednesday 2nd Historical Society talk - *'The Hollywood Production Code'*, 7.30pm Church Hall Saturday 5th Village Spring Clean *PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE*, 2.00pm - 4.00pm VH

Wednesday 9th All Saints PCC AGM, 7.00pm Church

Friday 11th Causeway Coffee Morning, 10.00am -11.30am Church Hall

Friday 18th Mobile Library

Saturday 19th Millennium Wood workparty, 9.30am - 12.00noon Sunday 27th BRITISH SUMMER TIME COMMENCES

Tuesday 29th Village Lunch, 12.30pm Kilworth Springs Golf Club

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Friday, April 1st Lutterworth Police Beat surgery

Wednesday, April 6th Historical Society AGM followed by Peter Liddle talk Saturday, April 9th LOROS Coffee Morning and Bring & Buy Sale

Thursday, April 21st The Queen's 90th Birthday village beacon lighting

Sunday, May 15th FOBS Treasure Hunt Saturday, June 18th FOBS Safari Supper Saturday, November 26th FOBS Christmas Event

LOCAL PLANNING NEWS

The following applications have been submitted to Harborough District Council:

- ■16/00098/FUL [Mr Jacob Sykes] Erect 7 silos, install farm track & siting of 1 temporary mobile home and 3 permanent mobile homes (part-retrospective), Stud Farm, Station Road
- ■16/00205/NMA [Mr Ben Skinner] Install roof lights & alteration to fenestration (amendment to 11/01521/FUL), 31-33 High Street Recently determined applications:
- ■15/00944/FUL [Springfield Supermarkets Ltd] Extensions to existing dwelling & conversion to form 3 dwellings, assoc. landscaping & parking, 5 High Street

Planning Enforcement Cases (pending)

■16/00016/COMS 12 Church Lane, materials non-compliant with planning permission (Ref. 14/00089/FUL)

Current applications may be inspected during normal working hours at the Council Offices, The Symington Building, Adam & Eve Street, Market Harborough. Comments concerning planning applications should be addressed to the Development Control Manager.

Planning applications and other aspects of local government can now be viewed on-line at www.harboroughonline.co.uk

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