

FOCUS

EVENTS AND NEWS FROM WALDRINGFIELD VILLAGE HALL

September-October 2018



Thursday 8th November Coffee Morning

11th November 2018 marks the centenary of the armistice of the First World War. There are many events planned to commemorate this, to recognise those who gave their lives then, and who have given their lives in war since. To this end, the Coffee Morning Team is planning a special coffee morning in November.

Please note, the coffee morning will be held on the second Thursday of the month

We will have a display of research, and a list of names of those killed in action, who are named on Waldringfield's Roll of Honour. DVDs depicting old postcards of Waldringfield will be on sale at a cost of £5.00 each.

There will be a raffle, with some poppy themed (and other) prizes to choose from.

All proceeds from the sale of DVDS, and the raffle, will be donated to The Royal British Legion. We are hoping a representative from The Royal British Legion will be here on the day.

We would like to give each person attending the coffee morning a special keepsake poppy of the occasion, and have lots of people knitting and crocheting for us. *If you would like to create any poppies, please let us know. If you would like to donate any cakes for the coffee morning, or prizes for the raffle, these will be much appreciated.*

We look forward to seeing you on the day *Chris Lyon – on behalf of The Coffee Morning Team*



Regular Coffee Mornings Sep 2018-Jan 2019

September 6th 10-12 noon



October 4th IN AID OF MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT We have raised over £1000 the last two years so let's keep this going! This coffee morning will be run in conjunction with Waldringfield Village School who will be baking & running a cake stall. Also, the school & coffee morning hostesses will be running our usual jewellery, scarves and bags stall – so any donations welcome. Please call Marion Sharpe on 73646. We can collect items if required – or bring donations to the September coffee morning.

There will be no raffle this month

Dec 6th CHRISTMAS COFFEE MORNING AND HAMPER RAFFLE Donations of items suitable for a Christmas Hamper welcome at least one week before the big day.

JAN 3rd 2019 Welcome in the New Year!

We always welcome baking contributions. Call Marion or Chris if you want to contribute to any dates

Harvest Supper and Pantomime

Saturday October 20th 6.30pm for 7pm



The Howl and the Puddy-tat

Tickets will be on sale
at the September & October
coffee mornings or contact
Marian Bradley for tickets tel 736126

Adults £10 – Children (up to 12yrs) £5

Please bring your own drinks and glasses

WALDRINGFIELD VILLAGE HALL LOTTERY

Thanks to all of you who renewed their subscription to the lottery in June,
and to the new members who have joined this lottery year – welcome!!

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the collectors.

Last September I said, "My usual point - the more in the lottery, the bigger the prizes can be and more profit for the Village Hall." Thanks to your support we have 34 extra tickets sold, which means we now have 5 prizes instead of 4 last lottery year.

For those of you who do not already know, the monthly draw takes place at the Coffee Morning in the Village Hall. The results are posted in *Waldringfielders* and on the notice board in the village hall.

You are obviously more than welcome to contact me directly for the results if you wish. **It's never too late to join in, just call me!!**

Monthly Draw £1 per number from the Promoter Nigel King 01473 736060



Waldringfield Wildlife Group on October 13th

AGM at 10am – Talk by David Healey at 11am

Wild Swans and Geese of Northern Europe: A Tribute to the late Peter Scott



The UK and Ireland are the most important countries for wintering wild swans and geese. The legacy of Sir Peter Scott is that we pursue our duty of conservation of these magnificent birds, so that they return healthy to their far north breeding grounds in summer and thereby help many species that in the past were in serious decline. The Deben is an estuary that has made a big contribution, particularly to the Brent Geese population.

£3 for non-members Coordinator: Linda Wilkins 736044 linda.thequay@btinternet.com



PEACE AND REMEMBRANCE DAY TUESDAY 13TH NOVEMBER

Greener Waldringfield are hosting a 'Peace and Remembrance Day'
on Tuesday 13th November at the Village Hall.



In the spirit of the Peace Pledge Union's White Poppy initiative, there will be reflections and meditations on all civilians killed or displaced by war.

Confirmed so far are speakers from Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament, local poetry reader Janet Dann, a calligraphy workshop drawing the Chinese character for 'peace' and creator/writer of Radio 4's *Tommies* Jonathan Ruffle.

Exact timings and further speakers/activities will be confirmed over the next weeks.
Contact info@greenerwaldringfield.org for more info

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

6th Sep Coffee Morning
27th Sep visit to Wakelyns Agroforestry
NB not at Village Hall, contact Wildlife Group
4th Oct Macmillan Coffee Morning
13th Oct Wildlife Group AGM & Talk
18th Oct Fungi Foray and Identification
NB not at Village Hall, contact Wildlife Group
20th Oct Harvest Supper
3rd Nov Pumpkin Party
8th Nov Armistice Day Coffee Morning
13th Nov Peace & Remembrance Day
6th Dec Christmas Coffee Morning
3rd Jan 2019 New Year Coffee Morning

REGULAR EVENTS

Mondays Post Office Van 11am-12.30
Tuesdays Social Club John Nayler 736228
Parish Council Meetings Parish Clerk 01255 678888
Wednesdays Post Office Van 11am - 12.30
Art Group Liz Kennedy 736637
Bridge Norman Rea 736577
Thursdays Art Group Kit Clark 736670
History Group (Sep-March) Joe Clark 736670
Wine Club (3rd Thurs of the month) David Eaton 736754
Fridays Post Office Van 11am-12.30
Tone & Stretch 1-2pm Di Taylor 07748 611730
Ballroom Dancing occasional Fridays 5-6pm

Bookings villagehall.bookings@btinternet.com anytime or 07526 274507 9am-6pm only

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