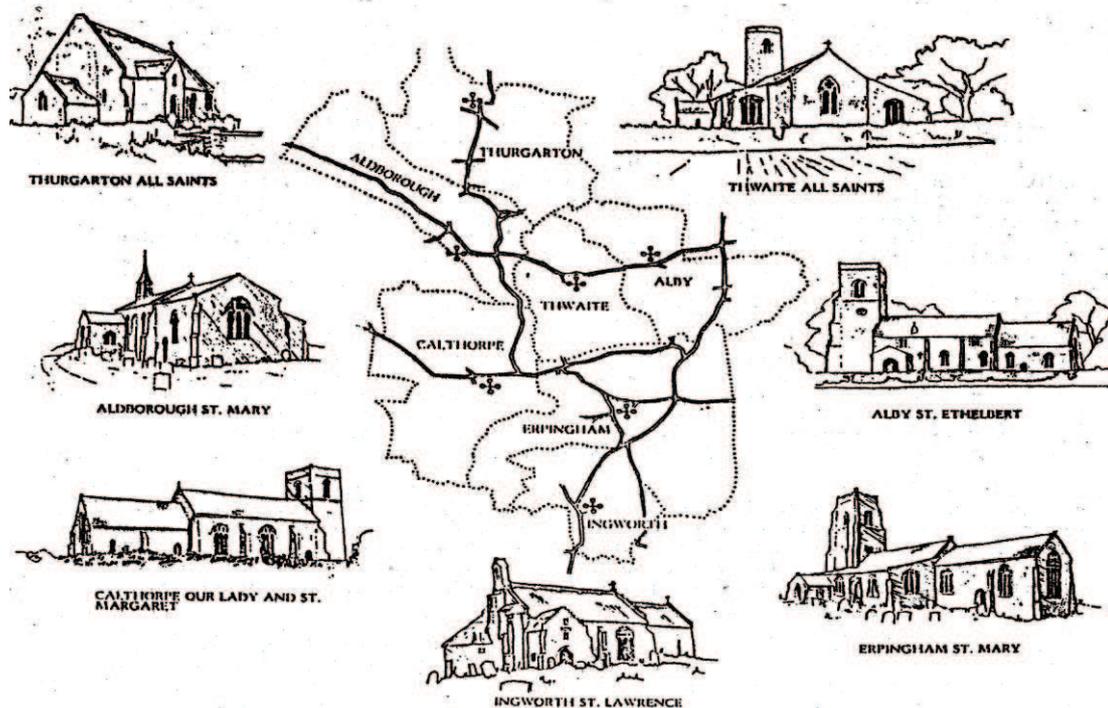


KEEPING IN TOUCH

APRIL 2010

News from the Scarrowbeck Group of Parishes
Alby, Aldborough, Calthorpe, Erpingham, Ingworth, Thwaite, Thurgarton



CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Communion unless marked M=Matins E=Evensong

APRIL	Easter Day 4th	2nd Sunday of Easter 11th	3rd Sunday of Easter 18th	4th Sunday of Easter 25th
ALBY	8.00 am	No service	--	--
ALDBOROUGH	11.00	11.00	No service	11.00 Family Service
CALTHORPE	9.30	--	9.30	--
ERPINGHAM	No service	9.30	--	8.00
INGWORTH	9.30	11.15M	3.30 E	9.30
THWAITE	No service	9.30M	11.15	6.30 E

WEEKDAY SERVICES

Wednesdays 9.15 at Ingworth (21st & 28th only)
Thursday 22nd 9.30 at Alby
7.30pm Benediction at Erpingham
Friday 23rd 9.15 at Aldborough

Christ is risen! he is risen indeed. Alleluia!

Parish Priest: Fr Brian Faulkner, The Rectory, School Road, Erpingham
01263 768073 e-mail: brian-faulkner@lineone.net



FROM THE RECTOR

I've been asked by the Bishop of Norwich to be the next Rural Dean of Ingworth. This is not a full-time appointment, as I remain your parish priest, but given certain voluntary additional responsibilities that I hope will be blessed and appreciated.

The Deanery of Ingworth is a geographical association of 29 parish churches grouped into six benefices: Aylsham, Buxton (now to be known as Bure Valley), Cawston, Coltishall, Itteringham (The Seven Churches), and our own (Scarrowbeck).

The Rural Dean is appointed as a leader and pastor to encourage co-operation across the Deanery and to be a fixed point of reference to those parishes which for a time do not have a parish priest of their own, because of either retirement or resignation.

I would like your prayers as I take on this task, and I warmly invite you to come to my licensing as Rural Dean during Evensong on Wednesday 28th April, at 7.30pm in Erpingham Church.
Fr Brian

FROM THE REGISTERS

Funerals:

At St Faith's Crematorium 24th February Sid Field
At St Lawrence Ingworth 26th February Barbara Scott

HOLY WEEK 2010

<u>Palm Sunday</u>	28th March	9.30am	Holy Communion	at Erpingham Church
		11.00am	Family Service	at Aldborough Church
		6.30pm	Evensong	at Thwaite Church
<u>Tuesday</u>	30th March	7.30pm	Stations of the Cross	at Calthorpe Church
			(a service of prayer and meditation)	
<u>Wednesday</u>	31st March	9.15am	Holy Communion	at Ingworth Church
<u>Maundy Thursday</u>	1st April	11.00am	Mass of Chrism	at Norwich Cathedral
		7.30pm	Liturgy of the Last Supper &	
			Watch before the Altar of Repose at Erpingham Church	
<u>Good Friday</u>	2nd April	3.00pm	Service of prayer, hymns and readings	
			at Aldborough Church	
			(Those who would like to walk quietly to church, led by a wooden cross, please be outside the Church Room on Aldborough Green by 2.30 at the latest.)	
<u>Easter Eve</u>	3rd April	12 noon	Confessions	at Erpingham Church
			(Any penitent new to the experience of making confession is welcome to contact Fr Brian for guidance at any time.)	
<u>Easter Sunday</u>	4th April	Easter Communion:		
			8.00am at Alby Church	
			9.30am at Calthorpe Church	
			9.30am at Ingworth Church	
			11.00am at Aldborough Church	

The Rector will gladly bring Holy Communion to any housebound communicant.
(Please contact him to arrange, 01263 768073.)

THE NEXT GROUP SERVICE
will be on Sunday 2nd May, 10.00, at Alby Church
The Archdeacon of Lynn, the Ven. John Ashe, will be the preacher
(This will be his first visit to the benefice.)

Week beginning Sunday **PRAYERS FOR THE PARISHES**

APRIL

4 Alby: Town Green, Thwaite Road
11 The whole of the Scarrowbeck Group
18 Aldborough: Margaret Lilly Way, Tinkers Close
25 Erpingham: Scarrowbeck Road, School Road

WEBSITE for the SCARROWBECK GROUP OF CHURCHES

A website is now up and running and can be found at <http://www.scarrowbeckbenefice.org.uk/>
It's early days at the moment for a site that will reflect both how different each of our churches is, yet how rooted within the same fellowship. Volunteers are needed from each of the six churches to develop the site so as to enable it to be a resource of interest. Please contact Ruth Bayes (01263 768063) if you are willing to help. Fr Brian

CPAK (10 - 14s Group)

Avril says ... I had fun at Horstead, it was all very exciting, as it always is. When we went to the church on Saturday night it was so very beautiful! I cannot wait till next year. One of the best parts was when I did the water activities with my friends as I don't see them as often as I used to! I want to thank every one who helped as they made it very enjoyable! Thank you again.

Emily says ... I always look forward to the Horstead weekend and this year was my fifth in attending. That must indicate how much fun it is! We have a friendly bunch of young people and it's always good to be with old friends again.

Henry says ... The Horstead weekend was pretty legendary and I really want to go again next year. The canoeing was immense and the food was tasty. Thank you Eleanor and Delia for organising this for us.

Jill (parent) says ... It's brilliant that they are all so enthusiastic and that Eleanor even managed to get Henry to read a passage at the presentation for parents. The phrase "chipping away at the stone" comes to mind!

AND

Eleanor says ... We are now planning a **day trip** on **Saturday 19th June**, inviting a few 10 year olds to introduce them to the excitements. The older ones will be coming too as it will also be an opportunity for them to experience the wetter activities on the river, which can't be done in February!! **Ring 01263 768073 for more information.**

(There is already a CPAK page on the website. Members of this Group should tell Ruth Bayes what they would like to see included. [rmbayes@tiscali .co.uk](mailto:rmbayes@tiscali.co.uk))

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP - Tuesday 27 April - 2.30 -4.00

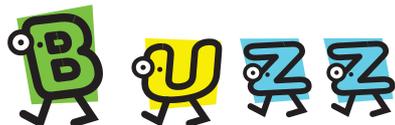
in Prince Andrew's Chapel, Aldborough

THEME: ENCOURAGEMENT THROUGH PRAYER

During the last two years we have got to know Helena Trzebiatowski- Pumford from Erpingham, especially through the monthly prayer newsletters which she circulates throughout the benefice. Helena is visiting us to share with us the encouragement those prayer letters have been to both individuals and groups who have been at the receiving end of that prayer. There should be words of encouragement for us all. Do

join us - ALL WELCOME!

ENJOY A "CUPPA" WITH US AS WELL!



CLUB for 5 - 11 year olds

CRAFTS AND ACTIVITIES

Thursday 1st April (no fool!)

6 pm - 7.15 pm at Prince Andrew's Chapel



Prince Andrews Chapel

Aldborough

Living the Message of Jesus in North Norfolk.



*You are welcome to join us on **Sunday mornings at 10.45.** (for about an hour)*

Tea, Coffee and Conversation are available after the services!

Sunday Mornings in April

- 4th **Easter Service**
with singing led by EuroChor, a European Christian Youth Choir.
- 11th **Follow That Man!**
Speaker: Ivor Charsley.
- 18th **Blind! ... But I Can See**
Speaker: Peter Jackson
- 25th **A Hard Act to Follow!**
Speaker: Brian Davies.

A SHORT TIME in CAMBODIA – some impressions from Ian Andrews

In February 2008 a chance remark of Father Hernan, the Colombian priest in charge of the CROAP Centre in Cambodia, led to my going there for the third time last November, in order to teach conversational English.

The CROAP Centre relies on charitable donations and is an agricultural initiative of the Roman Catholic Church, with the main aim of helping poor farmers to improve their crop growing techniques and animal husbandry. It is in a very rural setting, about ten miles from the town of Pursat and half a mile from the village of Keomony. The families there are distressingly poor, lacking most of the basic necessities of life. Even the Centre lacks mains water and electricity.

However Fr Hernan opened a primary school and a kindergarten for the local folk and, having established a small clinic on site, he found a doctor willing to attend the Centre

for half a day a week. These facilities are free of cost to those who use them.

My job was to teach English in the mornings to the twenty or so agricultural students (aged 16 to 24); to do the same in the primary school during the afternoon and to help the staff improve their English during some evenings. I took nearly all the material I needed out with me from Britain.

Cambodian people in general are very welcoming and smile a lot, as I had already experienced. For all that, the welcome I received was overwhelming: sitting with the staff in the dining area on the evening of my arrival, I knew that I had been accepted as one of them. The memory of that evening and the three weeks I spent there with them will stay with me for a long, long time.

(Ian is a Reader in this group of parishes and, when not 'on duty' elsewhere, he can usually be found at services in Ingworth Church.)

The Churches in this area are arranging

AN EVENING STROLL

on **TUESDAY 29th JUNE starting at 6.00 from ERPINGHAM VILLAGE HALL**

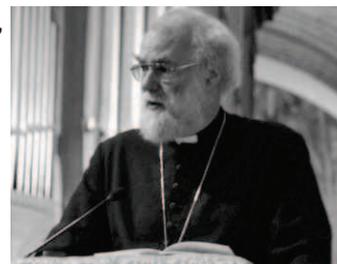
The guided walk will be approximately 3 miles and will be followed by a fish and chip supper when we arrive back at the Village Hall at around 7.30. **EVERYONE IS WELCOME YOUNG AND OLD.** The walk will be free and the meal should cost between £3 - £4 (meals would have to be booked in advance).

Please ring Helen on 01263 768209 for more details.

Saturday 1st May Poetry and Prayer 10am – 12.30pm Norwich Cathedral.

What is the relationship between poetry and prayer? Do we need them both?

The **Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr Rowan Williams**, will join **Ruth Padel**, prize-winning British poet, broadcaster and great-great-grand-daughter of **Charles Darwin**, in discussion and reading a selection of their own poetry. Coffee, question-time, and free follow-up resources are all part of the morning! Big screens will allow the speakers to be seen from around the Cathedral. Open to all, but admission by ticket only, £5



(concessions £3) from the UEA box office

www.ueaticketbookings.co.uk or 01603 508050.

This is a Cathedral Institute event organised by the Diocesan Lay Development team.

A selection of the Archbishop's poems can be found at

www.archbishopofcanterbury.org/71

and Ruth Padel's website is at www.ruthpadel.com

ALDBOROUGH GARDEN CLUB

All are welcome to the next meeting, on **Thursday 15th April**, at **7.30** in the Church Room. Peter Gooch, Thorncroft Clematis, will give an all round talk on Clematis.

Don't forget the Open Gardens Day on Sunday 13 June!

TEN gardens, exotic waterfowl, furniture showroom, antique motorbikes and tractors.

Refreshments in the Community Centre, with art display.

Exhibition and flowers in Church. (The Community Bus will be running.)

ALDBOROUGH COMMUNITY CENTRE

We will be holding our **AGM on Wednesday 19th May** at 7.30pm. As well as the formalities, which are dealt with quite swiftly, this is an opportunity for all village residents to bring their ideas and express their views. All clubs and organisations are entitled to have a representative on the committee and there can be up to 6 public members. We would welcome some new faces to help run this village amenity so if you would like to know more please contact Steve 768749, Bob 761216 or Sue 761310.

After the meeting the bar will be open and there will be light refreshments.

A NEW CLASS in ALDBOROUGH CHURCH ROOM

The ballet classes for children and young people have proved so popular that a new class for adults has opened by request. The children's classes are on Thursday afternoons and the adult class is at 9.30 on Monday morning.

The Mobile Police Station will be on Aldborough Green on **13th April, 11.00 – 12.00,**
and **24th April, 3.00 - 4.00.**

Information about how to stop criminal damage and anti-social behaviour will be available.

ALDBOROUGH PARISH COUNCIL

The next meeting on **Monday 19 April at 7.30** in the Community Centre will be the **Annual Parish Meeting** – see below.

Items from the minutes of the March meeting (Editor's choice):

Matters arising The proposals for the new Play Areas will not require planning permission.

PCSO's Report No crime has been reported since the last meeting, but there have been three calls to the police. There has been an increase of break-ins to outbuildings and sheds over recent weeks: please be aware of suspicious activity during the hours of darkness.

Progress on Replacement of Play Areas

SP and **HT** reported that the application for a grant of £50,000.00 from Norfolk Playbuilder 2 had been submitted to the County Council through the District Council and a decision is expected in March. **HT** is looking to submit a further bid for additional funding of £15,000 to cover extra equipment including a table tennis table. Completion of the application has re-inforced the need for the Parish Council to have an **Equal Opportunities policy**. The Clerk had circulated a suggested draft. After due consideration, this policy was approved, with one abstention.

Reports by Parish Councillors on their Responsibilities

TB – Community Centre – The storage provision on the first floor, especially for the Aldborough Players, had been completed. A disabled toilet is to be provided within the overall area presently occupied by the male and female toilets. A suggestion from the Cricket Club to position a temporary shower facility on the car park has been deferred whilst a possible alternative is investigated.

ME – Health and Safety – A cement grating by the car parking area on the Green is damaged and needs replacing to avoid an accident. Provision should also be made for standing water on that area to drain into the grating. **BM** suggested the possibility of a soakaway being installed to take away the standing water. It was agreed that estimates should be obtained.

Correspondence

The Cricket Club would like to provide something on the Green to commemorate the life of the Ronnie Dobbie. The Parish Council decided to

suggest that they might provide a bench, possibly circular, to be located on the corner of the Green near the Black Boys.

The District Council drew attention to the forthcoming Census in 2011 and **temporary job opportunities** available from the Office of National Statistics.

The District Council announced the launch of their Environment Awards 2010. The application form would have to be submitted by 11th June 2010.

Any other business

JH drew attention to the large numbers of pot holes, particularly at the junction with the A140.

BM reported no response to the published requests for suggestions for possible village projects. He was not sure whether bowls and tennis facilities would be supported. The Parish Council decided to include a specific item on the Agenda for the Annual Parish Meeting to encourage suggestions.

BM enquired about progress on obtaining quotations for the drainage of the Green. This had been deferred until the Cricket and the Football Clubs have committed themselves to the necessary fundraising. **BM** suggested that the Clubs might be approached again. **HT** had become aware of two possible sources of grant funding, and would supply details to the Clerk. The Parish Council decided to inform the Clubs of these sources and try to obtain their commitment.

ME referred to the vacancy being advertised by the Cricket Club for a part-time Groundsman and suggested that the Parish Council should limit the extent of the pitch rolling undertaken on the Green to avoid further compaction of the surface. This was agreed and he undertook to revise the agreement for 2010 before submitting it to the Club for signature.

JP agreed to take over responsibility for updating the **Village website** on a regular basis.

www.aldborough.org.uk



THE NEXT **FARMERS MARKET** in aid of The Friends of Aldborough Primary School will be on **SUNDAY, 4 April, 10.00 - 1.00**, in Aldborough Community Centre.

There will be markets on the first Sunday of each month.

**The Easter Egg Hunt and Fun Day at Barningham Hall, Matlaske,
on Saturday 3rd April, 11am - 3.30pm.**

As well as an Easter Egg trail around the gardens and Hall, children will be able to take part in activities such as crafts and face painting. A hog roast will be served at lunch-time with teas, coffees and home-made cakes available throughout the day.

The Barningham Hall gardens and parkland were designed by Humphry Repton in 1807, and the Norfolk red brick house dates from 1612. Refreshments, fête games, a raffle and other activities will take place in the historic stable courtyard, which boasts one of



the oldest consistently working chiming clock towers in the country.

Entry is £3.00 for children and £1.50 for adults, including entry to the egg trail and craft activities. This is the 4th annual Easter Egg Hunt and Fun Day at Barningham Hall and is raising funds for **Stepping Stones Pre-School at Aldborough Primary School.**

The Aldborough Players

are planning a Summer Production for the evenings of
Friday 11th June and Saturday 12th June 2010.

Watch out for posters in the village. Tickets will be on sale at the beginning of May.
More details in the next issue.

ALDBOROUGH VILLAGE HISTORY SOCIETY

The AGM will be in the Church Room on **Friday 21st May at 7.30** and will be the briefest possible within the bounds of legality. A breath-taking event!

THEN we shall welcome as speaker Graeme Simmonds, whom many will remember from his visit to the Garden Club last year when he gave such a fascinating talk that nobody wanted him to stop – even though it was before there were new chairs in the Church Room.

His theme for the History Society will be '**Finds that illustrate rural life**'. We expect he will bring samples of his own finds for us to get close to and even to handle.

ERPINGHAM with CALTHORPE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Meeting on **Wednesday 28th April, 7.30**, in the Village Hall

There will be a Cookery Demonstration by Rosalind Spilling:

Strudel from Start to Finish

Visitors welcome.



ERPINGHAM AND CALTHORPE YOUTH

Come along to a **complete beginners' bell-ringing session** being held in **Erpingham Church, 6.30 till 8.00, on Tuesday 27th April**. This is an evening for total novices to have a go at ringing the bells, no experience required, full tuition will be provided. Come and have a look at how it's done and have a go yourself, or just make your way up the tower to watch – it's fun and you will be surprised how easy it is. So please come and ring out the bells in our lovely church - see you there. Ring Graham 768047 for any information.

ERPINGHAM with CALTHORPE PARISH COUNCIL

Items from the minutes of the January meeting. (Editor's choice.)

Matters arising Re flooding in The Street, Norfolk County Council had taken interim measures and the long term resolution would be a drain which should be laid in the summer months. On speeding a notice seeking volunteers in Erpingham and Ingworth had been posted but with no takers yet. Members confirmed that the favoured site for a village sign was near the Village Hall and not as in previous minutes. The Village Hall Committee would be consulted. The footpath repair in Alby w/Thwaite was still under consideration by their Parish Council and NCC.

On planning. The development at Corner Cottage, Chapel Road had been permitted; the Council had no objections to the conversion of a garage in John Franklin Way, a garage block and studio at The Limes, The Street or replacement windows at the Saracens Head; the Council would await the appeal outcome for s/storey development at Eagle farm.

On Erpingham and Calthorpe Youth Project the Council heard that its purchase of land had been completed but Land Registry processes were still in hand to resolve a boundary location concern. The Chairman understood that this was now resolved; he explained the role of the Parish Council as custodian trustee for the existing village hall and playing field. The Council heard

that the Multi-Use-Games-Area project was progressing well.

Payments due were approved, for land purchase, donations to the North Walsham Citizens Advice Bureau, Village Care and the Clerk's expenses.

Future meeting dates: May 12th (inc Annual Parish Meeting commencing at 7.00 pm, with Village twinning, Speedwatch and Village Appraisal on the agenda), July 14th, September 8th, November 10th 2010 and January 12th, March 9th 2011.

Members reports: the Council was reminded that there is a weekly coffee morning in the Village Hall on Wednesdays from 10 to midday. The discharge of waste to the sewer problem had resurfaced. The Clerk was asked to write to the landowner over the need to clear out the drain opposite the school.

In **open meeting** PCSO A Spinks gave the crime figures for the year so far (two), and gave a brief report on the 'SAM' speed vehicle. Cllr Diana Clarke (Norfolk County Council) advised that due to the winter there is a backlog in resolving highways problems. Cllr P Willcox (North Norfolk District Council) talked about the exceptional planning meeting, attended by over 200 people with 3 tv screens, to hear the supermarket applications for Sheringham.

ERPINGHAM PLAY AREA

Does your child enjoy the Play Area in Erpingham
or are you just anxious that such a splendid facility remains?

The Play Area has been open for 6 years now and countless children and young people have enjoyed the splendid equipment provided.

4 local retired volunteers have been doing the weekly inspection for 5 years now. They would like to retire next year and are looking for volunteers to take over.

The inspection **MUST** be done every week to keep the insurance valid. It only takes about 10 to 20 minutes each week and involves checking the equipment, raking over the bark and bagging up the rubbish for collection.

We would especially welcome help from parents or carers of children using the Play Area but anyone is very welcome.

If no volunteers are forthcoming - sadly the Play Area will have to be closed down.

Please don't let this happen.

If you can help please ring either 01263 768209 or 761350

TOAD ALERT!!

The toad migration across the north side of Thwaite Common started very late this year but they are on the move – almost always after dark! Sadly a considerable number are being killed by cars on the road. We know they are sometimes almost impossible to miss, but please look out for these little creatures and move them on to the Common if you can, They need your help! Thank you.

THWAITE ALL SAINTS

**Russian singers singing Russian music
on Saturday, 8th May, at 7.30 pm**

The Hermitage Ensemble,

a group of male-voice singers from the principal theatres and choirs of St Petersburg,
will be performing Russian church music and folk songs.

Tickets, to include refreshments, £12, from the churchwardens,
Lesley Hennessey at 768217 (roger.hennessey@btinternet.com)
and James Buchan at 768916 (james.buchan@tiscali.co.uk).

ANNUAL PARISH MEETINGS – every parish must have one!

The one meeting in the year when the electors have a **right** to speak - it is their meeting. Reports come to it from village and external bodies (eg., church, school, village hall, NNDC, NCC, police etc) and every year Parish Councillors hope to get input and guidance from residents as to what the Parish Councils should focus on; the dates and topics are as follows:

Erpingham with Calthorpe - WEDNESDAY 12th May 7.00 pm (Erpingham Village Hall)

Should we do a Village Appraisal (what the village is and what should it do in the future)?

Should we link to Azincourt in N France because of the Erpingham connection?

Traffic speeds - do villagers want to join a Speedwatch team (with Ingworth)?

Ingworth - MONDAY 10th May 7.30 pm (Ingworth Reading Room)

Do we want a bottle bank?

Traffic speeds - do villagers want to join a Speedwatch team (with Erpingham)?

Should we have toilet at the Reading Room?

Each of these 2 meetings is followed by the Annual Meeting of the Council (to elect Chairman for year, discuss the accounts etc).

Aldborough – MONDAY 19th April, 7.30pm (Community Centre)

Here the Annual Meeting of the Council will be at a later date.

Alby and Thwaite – date not yet known

INGWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

Items from the minutes of the March meeting (Editor's choice)

Matters arising There were no takers yet for a Community Speedcheck scheme. On the Reading Room development, representatives of National Trust had given the go ahead in principle to further the toilet project. On street signage NNDC had started the programme, but 'The Street' sign was awaited. BT had asked for confirmation that the telephone box is on private land; National Trust are checking to see if they own the site. All highways matters raised with Norfolk County Council had been acknowledged and advice on the bridge railings condition was awaited, but the Clerk was asked to chase those tasks not yet undertaken, and make a further request to clean Banningham Road.

On planning the development of an extension at Blue Cedar Cottage, West End, had been permitted.

Under finance the Clerk had been advised by the Information Commissioner's Office that individual registration is required for a parish council. The North Walsham Citizens Advice Bureau had advised that 15 'Ingworth' visits had been recorded in the last year. The Council agreed to

award £25 in support. In respect of grass cutting in Ingworth churchyard the Council decided to make a £50 contribution to the PCC.

There were no further health and safety issues at the **Playground**; the repair of some items is in hand.

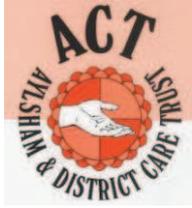
The Council discussed its **administration** procedures and considered sites for a **grit bin**, the entrance to and just along Priory Lane were both identified as possible locations; the Clerk would seek comment from NCC. The nearby location may also be suitable for a **bottle bank** so the Clerk would ask NNDC for a survey.

Meetings for the next year would be on May 10th (Annual Parish Meeting and Annual Meeting of the Council), September 13th, December 6th 2010 and March 7th 2011 (all at 7.30 pm)

The Clerk had copied the **computer records of the Council** for safe-keeping by a member. He was asked to request that the police include Ingworth in their current programme of **speed checks** in villages; and the need was stressed for **dog owners to clear up after their dogs on footpaths in the village.**

**Next Big Event at Blickling Community Centre 15th May
Special Afternoon Tea and Cakes, plus Music and stalls. 2 - 5pm.
Free entry, with raffle tickets on sale for £1.00/strip at entry point**

Please let Ros Calvert know if you can help with any support or ideas, 01263 732078



INVITATION TO COME ON OUR OUTINGS

We have a program of Days Out, including mystery tours, theatre trips, shopping trips and lunch out. Please phone Janet 01263 739909 for more information or send a stamped addressed envelope to Janet Spink, Bure Cottage, The Street, Ingworth. NR11 6AE

We are always in need of car drivers with own car (a mileage allowance is paid), also mini-bus drivers, assistants and volunteer helpers.

INTERNET CONNECTION SPEED

As a small and probably independent business which chooses to operate an internet connection from the Hanworth telephone exchange, are you frustrated by the 2 Mb of internet speed that we are blessed with? Can logging on between 8:30 & 9:00 take an age? The other annoyingly slow time is when the children of the parish get home from around 3:30 and log on, supposedly to do their homework.

We choose to work and live here but if we were in, say, Leeds, we would enjoy 20 Mb, so why are we penalised just by living here?

I am proposing that we try collectively to do something about it. Would those of you who are of the same thinking, send me details of your business name and type, internet service provider and possibly an email address & phone number. I will undertake to compile our list and send it as a petition to the Chief Executive of BT demanding that our collective internet speed be increased.

Can you send these details by **30th April** by email to bob.westecott@btinternet.com.

I also undertake to advise you of BT's response via 'Keeping in Touch'. B.W

**AYLSHAM
COUNTRYSIDERS
CLUB
SPRING FLING
Thur 15th April @
Royal Norfolk Showground
COUNTRYSIDER BALL
Fri 16th April
@ East Tuddenham
Jubilee Hall
Tickets only!
THURSDAY 22nd APRIL
Time to get training for
the Bidwells Quest
Competition...
Bring your Brain Cells
It's Quiz Time!!
**BIDWELL QUEST
COMPETITION**
Thur 29th April
Easton College @ 7pm**



Admission Free A European Youth Choir and Orchestra

Eurochor is a large youth choir and orchestra, of 18-20 year old Christians, drawn from different European countries, mainly Switzerland, Holland, Germany and France, singing Christian hymns and songs in various languages.

Many people have very happy memories of their last visit to East Anglia in 2008. One overheard comment summed up many opinions, "If I had known it was this good I would have brought my friends and relations". They will be at Norwich Central



Baptist Church Saturday 3rd April at 7.30pm and Cromer Parish Church Sunday 4th April at 6.30pm. Admission free.

See more at www.princeandrewschapel.org.uk/eurochor.html



presents **Norwich Baroque**
 at **St Michael's Church, Aylsham, on Saturday 1st May at 7.30pm**
 An evening of popular Baroque favourites including;

Handel: Arrival of the Queen of Sheba
 Pachelbel: Canon and Gigue
 Vivaldi: Concerto for 2 oboes

Entrance £12 (children free) to include wine

and

the usual lunchtime concert at **St Michael's Church, Aylsham, on Thursday 20th May, 1.00 to 2.00.**

Jayne May-Sysum Soprano Handel, Mozart, Schubert, Fauré
 Philip Trzebiatowski Cello
 James Laird Piano

Entrance £6, children free. Refreshments available for £4 from 12.15.

FROM THE EDITOR'S POSTBAG

Lesley, Jacqueline, Andrew & Simon Lanham would like to thank everybody who donated to Leukaemia Research in memory of Ken: the total was £1,135-70.

THE NEXT ISSUE Copy please by Monday **12th April** for the May edition. Please send copy early.
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