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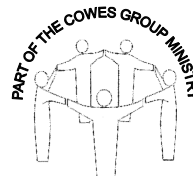
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**November 2013**



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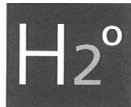
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## **PARISH COUNCIL NEWS**

News from the October meeting of Northwood Parish Council, with Cllr. John Pullen in the Chair.

PCSO Lisa Paul presented the report of the Local Safety Neighbourhood (LSN) team.

The Speed Watch demonstration that had taken place on last month outside of the Travellers Joy, in Pallance Road. Approximately fifteen people had attended and most were willing to sign up to the scheme. Once trained then participants could then take ownership of the scheme and undertake their own "Speed Watch", reporting back to the police the registration numbers of those vehicles caught speeding. A similar demonstration had taken place in Rew Street.

The on-going problem of motorised bikes being driven along the cycle track near to Medham. However, this time the situation related to e-bikes. These looked very similar to Vestas or Lambretta type scooters. The police had undertaken spot checks following complaints by a local resident and found that the bikes were actually classified as a cycle. Subsequently the driver was not required to wear a helmet and they could quite legitimately be ridden along the cycle path.

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Cllr Nicholson passed on the observations of Cllr Smith with regard to the inconsiderate parking that sometimes occurred on a corner in Venner Avenue, near to the play park. A suggestion was made to request Island Roads to consider if there was scope for the installation of drop pavements in Wroxall Close, thereby enabling parking on half the pavement width. However, some reservations were expressed as this would still not provide a clear view along the road, which was essential being adjacent to a play area. The inconsiderate parking of several distribution vehicles particularly on some street corners, which blocked the vision of other motorists, was once again raised. It was decided that Cllr Nicholson make contact with Island Roads and the police to organise a joint meeting with Cllrs Fuller and Riddet to discuss the best way to improve the situation of inconsiderate parking and to report back to the next meeting.

The Parish Plan Working Party agreed to formulate a Housing Needs questionnaire for delivery to all residents. The cost of production would be met by the IW Council. It was suggested that each form would be inserted in a plastic sleeve for protection. Residents could return the questionnaire via the newsagents if they so wished, or else they would be collected by councillors, prior to the end of November.

Cllr Pullen advised that at the Best Kept Village awards ceremony Northwood received a special award of a cheque for £25 and a plaque in appreciation of the tubs and planters around the village. A similar amount had been presented to the Community Partnership.

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### NORTHWOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP REPORT. (Eileen Turner-Palmerton)

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In our last months report, we said how very attractive our village has looked this summer. It seems that it caught the eyes of the Judges of the Best Kept Village Association. To our surprise the Chairman of the Parish Council received a letter informing him that Northwood had been awarded a Special Award for their work over the years. This was gratefully accepted at a presentation recently, by the Parish Council Chairman and representatives of the Village Partnership.

At our October Residents Event we had a very welcome return visit of "Bo" the Owl and Miranda from the Owl & Monkey Haven. This was enjoyed by everyone.

Our next Residents Event will be on:

**WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2013, 2.30 PM  
AT THE W. I. HALL, NORTHWOOD**

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Everyone is very welcome to come and enjoy the afternoon with friendly people.

The next meeting of the **NORTHWOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP** is on

**TUESDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2013, 7.00 PM  
AT THE TRAVELLERS JOY, PALLANCE ROAD.**

As stated previously, if you are interested in helping in any way with the Residents Events and the Village Flower Gardens and Planters, we will be very pleased to see you at the meeting.

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### MESSAGE FROM THE PRIEST IN CHARGE

Do you know of someone who would appreciate a visit by the church? Or would you, yourself, like to meet and talk with someone from the church? Please contact Rev'd Amanda Collinson whose details are given above. Amanda is happy to meet with you, to bring communion to you if you cannot come to church - or to explore with you if you just want to know more about the Christian faith. I am always here for you - because that's what the church is about!

### From the Parish Church Registers:

#### Baptisms

15<sup>th</sup> September Sharon Louise Edwards

#### Marriages

21<sup>st</sup> September 2013 Luke Hunter and Anne Martin

#### Died

1<sup>st</sup> October 2013 Basil Ernest William Arnold

For Baptism, Wedding, Funeral and other enquiries please contact  
Rev'd Amanda Collinson

### FLOWER ROTA FOR NOVEMBER 2013

3<sup>rd</sup> Jill Fry

10<sup>th</sup> Volunteers required

17<sup>th</sup> Volunteers required

24<sup>th</sup> Volunteers required



### PRAYER GROUP MEETING FOR NOVEMBER 2013

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> 10.30am at 89 Wyatt's Lane



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## NORTHWOOD PARISH CHURCH SERVICES in St John the Baptist Church, Chawton Lane, Northwood November 2013

### 3<sup>rd</sup> ALL SAINTS PATRONAL FESTIVAL **NO SERVICE AT ST JOHN'S NORTHWOOD ONLY ALL SAINTS GURNARD**

10.30am Holy Communion **NOTE SPECIAL TIME!**

*Daniel 7:1-3, 15-18      Ephesians 1:11-end      Luke 6:20-31*

### 10<sup>th</sup> REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.45am Remembrance Service **NOTE SPECIAL TIME!**

*Job 19:23-27a      2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-end      Luke 20:27-38*

### 17<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday before Advent

11.15am Morning Prayer (BCP)

12.15am Holy Communion (said)

*Malachi 4:1-2a      Psalm 98      2 Thessalonians 3:6-13      Luke 21:5-19*

### 24<sup>th</sup> CHRIST THE KING

11.15am Holy Communion

*Jeremiah 23:1-6      Colossians 1:11-20      Luke 23:33-43*

### St John the Baptist Church Keys

Church keys are now available from

### NORTHWOOD STORES

Mon-Sat 5:30am - 7:00pm      Sun 6:30am - 6:00pm

Please note keys are NOT available outside of shop hours.

Keys must be signed for and returned the same day.

### CHURCH CLEANING ROTA FOR OCTOBER 2013

DATE	CHURCH	BRASS
1 <sup>st</sup>	Mrs P. Pledge Mrs Heather Light	Mrs J. Pearce
8 <sup>th</sup>	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED	VOLUNTEER REQUIRED
15 <sup>th</sup>	Mrs E. Banks Mrs K. Welfoot	Jane Peakall
22 <sup>nd</sup>	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED	VOLUNTEER REQUIRED
29 <sup>th</sup>	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED	VOLUNTEER REQUIRED

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