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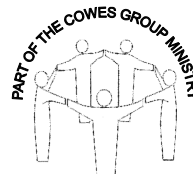
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OCTOBER LETTER

Autumn is here and already the trees and hedgerows are donning their rich glow of golds, browns and reds. Fruits of the orchards and wild berries have been gathered to be stored in freezers or made into delicious pies and crumbles. Agricultural vehicles have been out in force as farmers work hard from dawn until dusk harvesting their fields of bountiful crops. They are reaping the benefit of the glorious and plentiful sun we have enjoyed this summer. We have a lot to thank our farmers and food producers for when we consider their sacrifices of time and energy, and for their perseverance in difficult conditions, whether it be the political and economic environment or weather and soil conditions. It is something we ought to consider if our patience wears thin when a tractor slows down the traffic for a minute or three !! The driver is, perhaps, on the way to harvest his third field of the day ! So let's pray for him as we wait patiently for a safe place to overtake !

At Harvest- Time in particular the church offers prayers and thanksgiving in appreciation for farmers and all who steward God's creation in order to provide us with food for our tables. Yet here in the Western World we often take our good fortune and blessings for granted. We forget sometimes that in some countries they are not so fortunate. So harvest is a time when we might also think about and pray for those around the world whose crops have failed. Those whose water supply is polluted, dirty or undrinkable. Those affected by famine, floods or drought. Those who suffer through disease and lack of medical supplies. Not only should we remember them and pray for them but we should find it in our hearts to do something practical to help, or donate generously to help them rebuild their stocks, improve their way of life and satisfy their hunger. Finally, harvest isn't only about material things, it's also an opportunity to reflect on the spiritual. Jesus told many agricultural - based stories to explain God's Kingdom, including the Parable of the Sower, the Wheat and the Weeds, and The Rich Farmer among others.

There are plenty of sowing, reaping, pruning and growing metaphors too, to illustrate the cause and effect of our behaviour. We do, indeed, reap what we sow. So we might consider what we are sowing in our own lives and in the lives of those around us. Do we sow words of kindness and concern or words of criticism ? Does what we sow give hope or despondency ? Is what we sow life-giving or life-draining? Does what we sow raise the spirit, or break the spirit in others? Do we sow seeds of joy or seeds of sorrow? It's always good to keep a check on these things so that we can make changes if we need to.

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At this time of harvest let's remember God's provision, and how He loves us, and wants us to produce good fruit in ourselves and in all our dealings and relationships with others. Through His cultivation, God can transform the most unpromising plot into rich, fertile soil.
That's His job. He is the Lord of the Harvest !

With many blessings

Diana

Northwood Parish Church

Christmas Fair Saturday 1st November 2014

In the W.I. Hall Northwood from 2pm to 4pm

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Jaqui Pearce, a Northwood WI member, has kindly agreed to impart her encyclopaedic knowledge, and give another talk on the history of Northwood. The date, Tuesday 7th October at 10.30am. in the Northwood WI Hall. There will be a £1 charge, which includes a cup of tea or coffee. For an extra £3, a roll and homemade soup will be available. If you'd like to attend. please contact Denise Hunter on 290628.

On Saturday 11th a tabletop sale is taking place from 2 - 4pm

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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

None

Marriages

None

Died

24th August 2014 Ernest Valentine Fry

24th August 2014 Rosemary Anne Cooke

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

FLOWER ROTA FOR OCTOBER 2014

5th Not required

12th Pat Lambert

19th Not required

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PRAYER GROUP MEETING

No prayer group this month



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October 2014

5th 16th Sunday after Trinity

11.15am Holy Communion (BCP)
Isaiah 5:1-7 Philippians 3:4b-14 Matthew 21:33-end

12th HARVEST

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
11.15am All age worship
Deuteronomy 8.7-18 2 Corinthians 9.6-15 Luke 12.16-30

19th 18th Sunday after Trinity

11.15am Morning Prayer (BCP)
12.15pm Holy Communion (said)
Isaiah 45:1-7 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 Matthew 22:15-22

26th Last Sunday after Trinity

11.15am Holy Communion
Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8 Matthew 22:34-end

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Sunday 19th 10.30am Mrs Gwen Brailsford

Sunday 26th 10.30am Mr Howard Burford

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" 30th. Rosie Deedes.

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NORTHWOOD – new Antiques Fair and new Venue

C.H.A.R.M (Conflict History and Remembrance Museum) Newport Road, Northwood is the place to be on Sunday 5th October 2014.

One of the upcoming fund-raising events to be held at the recently re-opened Museum will be an Antiques and Collectors Fair. This new fair is being run by sisters Jennie Lewis and Doreen Gant who have also run the successful MND Charity Antiques Fair at Northwood House for the past 10 years. Jennie commented 'This new Museum has the makings of a great tourist attraction and events venue and, being local, we wanted to help raise funds and awareness to support the Museum in their expansion programme'. Doreen added 'By **C**oming to **H**ave **A** look around the fair you will be helping us to **R**aise **M**oney for this great community venue. A generous donation from the profits will go directly to the Museum.'

The fair will be open on 5th October from 10.00am – 4.00pm with admission to the fair £1.00 per adult with accompanied children free.

Goods for sale will include Militaries, Books, Silver, Furniture, Gardenalia, China, Kitchenalia, some vinyl records and much more....Visitors will be able to access the Museum(currently free while it is a 'Work in Progress' but donations welcome too!) The wonderful 1940's themed café 'Violet's Cafe' will be open selling a

range of delicious food including an all day breakfast. There is a bar in the Officer's Mess where the Antiques fair is taking place so visitors will be able to purchase a range of alcoholic and soft drinks.

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Northwood Parish Church Harvest Services

Sunday 12th October 2014

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11.15am Family Worship

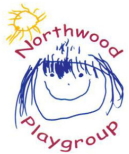
All Welcome

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New Members are always Welcome

NORTHWOOD FLORAL ART GROUP



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NORTHWOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP REPORT
 (Eileen Turner-Palmerton)

Our last month's event took us away from the W. I. Hall. 25 of us
 travelled to Briddleford Lodge Farm, for a very enjoyable afternoon. We
 were greeted by the owner, Richard Griffin, who invited those who
 wished to accompany him on a short tour of the farm. The remainder of
 us stayed in the café chatting and looking out at the calves in their stalls
 having their feed. When the others returned, Richard gave us a short
 history of the farm which the Griffin family have farmed since 1923. We
 then all had lovely tea and cakes, before going to spend our money on
 "goodies" in the shop. We would like to express our thanks to everyone
 at the farm for their hospitality and I would like to thank all the car drivers
 for their help in transporting everyone their.

There will not be an event at the W. I. Hall in November, as we will be
 celebrating "Christmas" early. Details have been distributed.
 Our next Residents Event will be on

WEDNESDAY 15TH OCTOBER, 2014, 2.30PM
AT THE W. I. HALL, NORTHWOOD.

If you require transport, please phone 296020.

Everyone is most welcome to come and enjoy an afternoon with friends
 and possibly make new friends.

During October, the village will be planted with the Autumn/Spring
 plants. If anyone is able to give us a couple of hours to help make the
 village look good, please contact any of the above numbers. We really
 would be very grateful for any assistance.

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PICNIC TABLE VENNER AVENUE

Cllr Fuller outlined an idea for the provision of picnic tables on the play park area, similar in style to those provided along Gurnard beach front. The area was very popular with residents and could be a welcome addition. In discussion, mention was made of the durability of re-constituted plastic picnic tables, although the cost could be prohibitive. If the scheme was to proceed, authority would be required from the IW Council, as the landowner of the play park area. It was decided to find out detailed costings.

BEST KEPT VILLAGE RESULTS

The marks awarded in this year's Best Kept Village competition were noted. Although no mark was below "average", improvements could be made. It was suggested for this matter to form an agenda item for the February meeting. A working party could then be established to identify areas that required some attention. Cllr Pullen agreed to approach the Community Partnership to seek their support.

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NORTHWOOD WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The next event is on Thursday 2nd October
at 2pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall.

SPEAKER: Nav Young

SUBJECT: Oriental cookery demonstration

COMPETITIONS: Unusual cookery item, Best Garden Bloom

HALL IS AVAILABLE FOR HIRING

To hire the Hall please contact **Mary Chick** on **01983 296020**

Visitors & New Members are always Welcome

MEDHAM WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The next event is on Monday 13th October
at 7.30pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall.

GUEST SPEAKER: John Matthews

TOPIC: History and work of the Coroner

COMPETITIONS: A bible

REFRESHMENTS: American supper

Bring & Buy Best Garden bloom

Autumn Fare Saturday October 18th

Visitors & New Members are always Welcome

NORTHWOOD VILLAGE PRODUCE ASSOCIATION

The next meeting is on

FRIDAY 10TH OCTOBER, 2014

7.30 pm in the W. I. Hall, Northwood.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

You do not require any Gardening knowledge to attend this event.

Just come along and enjoy a friendly evening.

Visitors & New Members are always very Welcome - Contact 01983 248287

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MEETINGS

Meetings of the Parish Council are held on the first Tuesday of the month, commencing at 6.30pm.

The meeting of the Planning Committee, if required, is held on the third Tuesday of the month, commencing at 6.30pm.

ALL MEETINGS ARE HELD AT NORTHWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL, WYATTS LANE, NORTHWOOD.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND THE PRESS ARE VERY WELCOME TO ATTEND

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

FUTURE NORTHWOOD POST OFFICE

Councillors noted that the current postmistress at the Northwood Post office was due to retire shortly. The Chairman read the letter he had received from her, which advised the landlord of the Travellers Joy had expressed a tentative interest in the Post Office counter being situated within the pub. However, progress on this course of action was at a very early stage. A number of questions required answering with regard to the viability of such a move. Any restrictions, the risks and liabilities all had to be identified and given due consideration, including an evaluation of the premises by the Post Office before a firm offer could be submitted. After this process, if the Travellers Joy landlord was still minded to continue with the move, then the Postmistress had agreed to remain in post until the end of the year and to provide assistance.

It was decided that a small Working Party comprising of Cllrs J Nicholson, C Riddet and D Smith be established to assist in the attempt to bring the retention of the Post Office service in the village to a fruitful and successful conclusion; that Gurnard Parish Council be invited to appoint a councillor to the Working Party and a letter should be sent to the Post Office expressing the grave concerns of the Parish Council should the service be lost to the village.

VENNER AVENUE PLAY AREA

Councillors were referred to the letter dated 20 August, which outlined those discretionary services put at risk as part of the IW Council's programme of savings, agreed by Full Council in February 2014. The services under consideration were the Grounds Maintenance contract for the Venner Avenue play area, the island wide Beach Cleaning contract and the Environment Officers service. The letter indicated the impact of the savings on these services. A breakdown of optional, suggested levels of funding contribution were set out, based on the population of Northwood, in order for the services to continue in some form. A cost of £4,254 in total, covering all three areas, had been requested in the next financial year. This would result in a 27.66% rise in the Precept for 2015/16, averaging £2.15 per annum, per electorate. It was decided that the Council take over the grounds maintenance of the Venner Avenue play area and the decision on contributing to the costs of the Beach Cleaning contract be deferred until the October meeting:

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