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Saturday 6th May 2023
from 5.30pm with music by

The Austin Beats
and
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Graham Macausland

Adnams Ghost Ship Bar will be there too!
on Gun Hill
Cannons will be fired at 8.50pm

REYDON’S CORONATION BIG PICNIC
Sunday 7th May 12:30-4:00pm
Jubilee Green, Reydon

Everyone is welcome at the Coronation Big Picnic on Jubilee Green in Reydon, Sunday 7th May 12:30 to 4:00pm, an event organised by Reydon Parish Council to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles III.

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SOLE BAY BOWLS CLUB

‘A Local Gem’ is to hold an Open Weekend
On Saturday 13th May & Sunday 14th May
Sole Bay Bowls Club, which has operated at the Halesworth Road site since 1969, is unusual in that it boasts both an Outdoor Green and an Indoor Arena. This means that members can enjoy both bowling and social activities all year round.

The end of April sees the start of the 2023 Outdoor Bowls season. Our green has been lovingly prepared for the next five months of league and friendly fixtures plus our club rolls ups – these two hour sessions occur on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Saturdays and are open to anyone who wants to practise or even just try Bowls. Our indoor bowling arena is used all year round. Most mornings (10.30 am start) see members gather for a friendly game of bowls and refreshments/chat - the basics of a Roll Up. Various competitions/leagues are run the afternoon/evening for the more serious bowler.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO TRY BOWLS?
To get the 2023 season started, we are holding a ‘Bowls Open Weekend’ on Saturday 13th May & Sunday 14th May. Any time between 10.00am and 3pm. Anyone can just turn up at the Club.

Wear whatever you want, but you will need to wear shoes with a flat sole. Club members will be available to help. Enjoy the pleasure of Bowls, Target Bowls, Fun Games, Refreshments and Good Company.

If you need any more information, please check out our website: ‘Sole Bay Bowls Club’, or email: solebaybowlsclub@tiscali.co.uk or ring 01502 722683.

Colin Coe – Sole Bay Bowls Club

There will be free activities all afternoon, including ‘have a go’ archery, a circus workshop, Coronation crafts and a falconry display. There will also be music, performances from Bojangles and the Southwold Ukes and plenty of stalls to look round.

Reydon Parish Council is very grateful to East Suffolk Council for grant funding from its Enabling Communities Budget towards this event.

Please hope for good weather, bring a picnic, and join us!
CORONATION FUN!

Both our local councils are arranging lovely events to celebrate the coronation of King Charles III.

On Saturday 6th May, shortly after the coronation itself, Southwold is holding an event on Gun Hill from 5.30pm. It will feature music by the Austin Beats and Lone Piper Graham Macausland and Adnam’s will provide their Ghost Ship Bar. All are invited and it is suggested that attendees bring a picnic. The cannons will be fired at 8.50pm.

Another bring your own picnic event will be the Reydon Coronation Big Picnic to be held on Sunday 7th May from 12.30 to 4.00pm on Jubilee Green. There will be live music and shows from Lavenham Falconry, Eastern Archers, a Circus Workshop and Coronation Crafts along with stalls, cake and ice cream.

I hope the weather is kind for this rather special weekend and that many of you will be able to enjoy one or both of these local celebrations

COST OF LIVING HELP

Less fun but arguably even more important, both local councils are pursuing initiatives to help families cope with the cost of living crisis. Both are exploring the feasibility of providing a free school meal to all pupils in Key Stage 2 (those aged 7 to 11) at Southwold and Reydon Primary Schools. If this can be done, the councils will then seek the funding required, probably for an initial period of a term. This is a very ambitious aim and it may prove beyond our reach locally. Nonetheless, both councils should be congratulated for their initiative and effort.

In addition, Reydon Parish Council, with funding from the Reydon Trust, is setting up a Community Larder in Reydon Village Hall. This will open soon and will make a real difference to struggling families. As a Society, we applaud the commitment shown by the Parish Council. (See Community Larder advert on back page).

AGM AND EXCELLENCE AWARDS

On April 19th, after many of you will read this newsletter, we will hold our Annual General Meeting and present our Excellence Awards to those who have made an outstanding contribution to our community. Our May Newsletter will include the details of both – so be ready for a bumper edition!

Philip O’Hear, Chairman

Huge fire engulfs Southwold harbour businesses - 1 May 2023

80 firefighters attended a massive fire that engulfed two fish & chip businesses and eight fishermen huts at Southwold Harbour @12.50am on Bank Holiday Monday. A large explosion was heard, but fortunately no one was injured. Our hearts go out to all affected. The area remains cordoned off.
Dear Editor

I write with reference to the proposed extension of the above. It appears to be a relatively small area of land and will disturb the wildlife and birds for the duration, but as I understand it, the Suffolk Wildlife Trust will get the site and existing quarry when it’s finished and re-landscaped f.o.c.

This quarry is a valuable asset, I’m sure the local builders agree and if it is not allowed to extend and closes, where are the aggregates and sand to come from?

I believe the quarry over the A12 is virtually redundant and cannot supply the quality needed. You can drive into the Breedon pit and get as little or as much as you like. Yes, you can order from a builder’s merchant but this will cost more than double which will reflect in the cost of building work. The nearest pits are Kesgrave, Flixton and Norton Subcourse, not very green to drive these distances, is it?

Construction must be one of the biggest year round employers of local people in the area, not to mention the eight or so staff at Breedon’s who will lose their jobs.

For as long as I can remember there have been working pits in this area – anyone local will tell you. Before Wangford there were the Reydon pits on the Halesworth Road, which are now fishing lakes and further up on the right - now the Adnams distribution centre, it’s nothing new.

Please think of peoples’ livelihoods.

Bob Cooper

Wangford Quarry

The local monthly lottery for The Brain Tumour Charity took place on Saturday 1st April at 19:00, with adjudicators Fred & Kate Assmann being present. There were 209 entries, making a total prize fund of £104.50. 1st prize of £52.25 with ticket number 80 went to Karen Brown. 2nd prize of £31.35 with ticket number 57 went to Steve Watson and 3rd prize of £20.90 with ticket number 196 went to Tess Hancock. Congratulations to each of them. If you would like a monthly flutter, whilst supporting The Brain Tumour Charity, please email John Huggins at thebtclottery@btinternet.com and he will be in contact.

The lottery is regulated and licensed by East Suffolk Council LOT02110. The next draw will take place on Monday 1st May. Every penny we raise goes to The Brain Tumour Charity and I’m pleased to say my family and friends have raised almost £39,000 from our various events since losing our 8 year old family member Sophie. Keep Sunday 6th August in your diary, it’s the annual Cream Teas in John’s garden at 56 Hotson Road. 12 noon - 5pm. ALL welcome.
8th May: Pit Stop Cream Tea

THE PIT STOP PARTY TRAIN RUMBLES ON
Anne and the Pit Stop team invite you to join them for four special events to take place at Southwold’s ‘hidden gem’ café over the next few weeks.

The first, as previously announced, will be a traditional cream tea to mark the coronation of King Charles III. This will be held on the Monday of the Coronation Weekend (8th May) between 2pm and 4pm. In addition to the expected and suitably delicate cucumber sandwiches there will be proper old-fashioned scones with clotted cream and home-made strawberry jam. As well as that, there will be lashings of tea, cold drinks and live music from the ever-popular Bruce Aldred. The price for the cream tea and the entertainment is £8.50 per head.

Mindful of promises of warmer weather to come the Pit Stop team announces two more events for May.

On Sunday 21st is a Vintage Car rally. Formerly known as the Volvo Rally, it is now open to owners of vintage cars of any make, and an invitation is issued to anyone and everyone with an interest in classy old motors to come and admire the vehicles of bygone eras. The Pit Stop kitchen stands ready to feed and water even the hungriest and thirstiest petrol-head.

The other event is a Musical Afternoon to take place on Monday May 29th (Bank Holiday Monday and the start of half term) between 2pm and 4pm. Listen to live music whilst enjoying the great food and drink on offer at Southwold’s ‘Hidden Gem’.

Our July event will be a charity cream tea, once more with Bruce Aldred’s excellent musical accompaniment, price as above. This will be held on Sunday July 30th from 2pm to 4pm. All profits will go to ‘Light Up Southwold’ so that we can help to make Christmas 2023 in Southwold a shiny happy one to remember.

The Pit Stop’s usual menu of delicious home-made hot and cold food and drinks will be available on both days, all day (10 – 4). Find us on Southwold Common (IP18 6TB), on the right just down from the water tower. Parking is available beside the playing fields, just a short walk away.

Joan Cupples, Pit Stop publicity volunteer

9th May: Arts Society

The 2023 season of lectures continues with:

May 9th
The Anatomy of a Masterpiece: Bathers at Asnières by Georges Seurat
Lecturer: Steven Barrett

June 13th
Undressing Antiques
Lecturer: Mark Hill
All lectures commence 2pm in Southwold Art Centre, Cumberland Road, Southwold. Visitors and Members’ guests will be welcome.

Connie

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MONDAY 8TH MAY 2023
Check out your local Scout Group at their Hall in Mights Road, Southwold.
We will be demonstrating:
camping, cooking, pioneering and woggle making.
You can also have a go at either rifle shooting or archery.
There’s more to Scouting than tying knots!
If you have some leadership skills we would like meet you.
Following the recent well-received Southwold Jazz Club “Dudley Moore tribute”, live-music fans now eagerly await the appearance of ‘local’ favourites DixieMix at the Arts Centre on Friday 19th May. Their series of annual pre-Xmas gigs at the Sports Pavilion on the Common was rudely interrupted by coronavirus lock-downs, but the band lives on and is keen to re-connect with Southwold. My ‘trailer’ in the April edition of the Southwold Gazette confirmed that the personnel remain as regular followers will remember, except that the ‘legendary’ Pete Oxborough has finally retired on age grounds and been replaced by Karl Wirrmann. Session starts at 7.30pm. Tickets, £15 each, are available from the Arts Centre box office.

Southwold Jazz Appreciation Society will meet in the Swan Hotel Reading Room from 7.30 to 10.00pm on Tuesday 16th May. Adrian Wilmshurst will present an hour on Sandy Brown, followed - after break for refreshments - by 40 minutes from Nick Holt on “Born in Pennsylvania, jazz musicians from Philadelphia and Pittsburg”.

Modest entry charge of £4 includes cost of interval tea/coffee/biscuits. All welcome.

Keith May

Reydon Community Quiz took place on 21 April, this month led by guest quizmaster Charlotte Clarke, who led eight teams thorough a light-hearted and entertaining evening of quizzery!

Winners were ‘What! No Broadsife?’ with 131 points, ‘Threes Company’ and ‘If Onlys’ in joint second place with 127 points, followed by ‘What the Ecc!’ and ‘Who are we?’ in joint third place with 126 points.

The evening raised £305, and this was presented to Charlotte as a donation to FOSL (Friends of Southwold Library) with huge and appreciation for her tireless work both in the library and for the community.

We received a letter from the Rural Coffee Caravan expressing their thanks for the donation we sent them in March.

A huge thanks as always to everyone who attends and supports the Reydon Community Quiz. This has now been running for nearly 20 years since its creation by Jackie Martin!

The next quiz will be held on Friday 19 May, and this will conclude the 2022/23 season. The quiz will return in October, dates for the full season (Oct-May, usually on the third Friday of the month) will be published in good time before that.

There is sometimes space for another team so do contact me if you are interested in joining us, on:

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Amanda

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Described as one of the worst peacetime disasters in the UK, the 1953 floods that battered coastal towns throughout Norfolk, Suffolk and Essex, is featured in a new film that shows how it devastated the East of England.

Entitled *A Surge of Memories*, the film features accounts from survivors, memories of those who witnessed the floods, stories captured from those who are no longer with us and reflections of family members affected by the floods.

The film has been made to commemorate the storm surge’s 70th anniversary and has been created by the Coastal Partnership East, comprising of East Suffolk Council, North Norfolk District Council, in partnership with the Anglian Regional Flood and Coastal Committee.

It is estimated that around 307 people died in England during the evening of January 31 to February 1, 1953, including 41 in Felixstowe and five in Southwold. It was the worst storm surge disaster for 60 years.

The film also reflects on the 2013 East Coast tidal surge and considers future challenges.

Closer to home, Aldeburgh was also severely affected by the devastating tidal surge and the screening at Leiston Film Theatre will be preceded by an exclusive set of images on screen, of the 1953 Aldeburgh floods.

*A Surge of Memories* will be screened at Leiston Film Theatre on Sunday 21st May, with separate screenings at 3.00pm and 5.30pm. Tickets are priced £8.50 for adults, £7.50 for concessions and £6.50 for members of the Leiston Film Theatre Support Club. Tickets are now available from the Leiston Film Theatre box office on 01728 830549 and via the Film Theatre website at: www.leistonfilmtheatre.co.uk

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Celebrate a New Home and a Busy Rotary Year

At our recent Charter Night dinner held at Halesworth Golf Club, President Ronnie Carter was pleased to report that Southwold and District Rotary Club had enjoyed a most successful year in terms of raising money for good causes and supporting the local community.

Our small friendly Club (just 20 members) managed to raise a staggering £22,000 over the year. This was achieved through running our own events (Christmas Day Swim, Starlight Walk, Women who Inspire, Brass on the Grass etc) and by helping other organisations stage events (Henham Steam Rally and Reydon Christmas Lights).

All our hard work is soon put to one side as we then donate the funds raised to some great causes making a real difference. We were particularly pleased to help The East Anglian Air Ambulance, RNLI, and the Klondyke Skate Park project. In addition, our Advent Calendar saw us make donations of over £5000 to many local charities.

We also funded some overseas projects, and following the devastating earthquakes in Turkey/Syria, we bought two amazing shelter boxes which contain large tents, beds and equipment for those who are suffering extreme hardship.

See our website southwoldrotary.co.uk to discover more about who we are and what we do. Do you want to help make a real difference in our Community? We would love to see you.

The Club now meets on Thursday evenings at 6.30pm in the Pavilion at Sole Bay Bowls Club where we enjoy fun and fellowship in a very sociable environment. Visitors are most welcome. Please contact our secretary via website for more information.

Colin Coe - Southwold Rotary Club
Motorcyclists across Suffolk are once again being given the opportunity to improve their riding skills and to enhance their awareness and ability while on the road at ‘Safe Rider’ motorcycle workshops to be held in 2023. Safe Rider is a joint initiative between Suffolk and Norfolk Constabularies aimed at reducing the number of motorcycle casualties across the counties.

The day-long workshops began last week and run through to October, which are the months when it is considered the number of motorcyclists taking to the roads increases due to more clement weather. They are aimed at all fully qualified riders who want to improve their skills to become better and safer riders.

In an effort to encourage more riders under the age of 25 to take the course, they will continue to be able to attend for half price (£25), which will be funded by the Safe Rider scheme.

The first six applicants aged under 25 (who must be fully qualified) will be able to attend the course for free.

PC Simon Myall, from Suffolk Constabulary’s Road Casualty Reduction Team and who coordinates the scheme, said: “The workshops are designed to give motorcyclists greater awareness of the hazards they may face when out riding and to help them become better and safer riders.

“They are designed to bridge the gap between passing the basic motorcycle test and taking an advanced test and the underlying message of the workshops will continue to be that education is key, not enforcement.

“The under 25 age group – as the most inexperienced road users – potentially have the most to gain by attending and as such we are continuing to offer the 50% reduction of the course fee to under 25s.

“Experienced motorcyclists are equally encouraged to attend as it is always good to refresh your skills. All police officers who are advanced-level riders are required to have refresher training every three to five years.

“Relatives or friends looking for gift ideas for a loved one who is a motorcycling enthusiast, might consider booking them onto a Safe Rider course – in particular parents of young riders.

“Reducing the number of people who are killed or seriously injured on the county’s roads remains a priority for us. We will keep doing all we can to make Suffolk’s roads safe for everyone.”

Safe Rider courses are aimed at riders living in Suffolk and are run with the support of Suffolk Roadsafe, Suffolk Fire and Rescue Service, Copdock Classic Motorcycle Club and Orwell Motorcycles.

Riders who do not reside in Suffolk are also welcome to attend, though it is recommended that they contact their home county’s constabulary in the first instance to see if they have any courses available.

The workshops cost £50 per person, or £25 for those aged under 25, and are held at Suffolk Police Headquarters, Martlesham Heath, Ipswich.

They are comprised of a theory input in the morning, with classroom sessions on the system of road craft, with particular attention given to positioning and cornering. It the afternoon, there is an escorted ride out session with a Class 1 police motorcyclist. A maximum 3:1 ratio ensures an accurate and personalised assessment of riding performance. First aid sessions also take place in the afternoon provided by Suffolk Fire and Rescue Service.

**The workshop dates for 2023 are:**
- Saturday 20 May  
  - Friday 23 June
- Saturday 15 July  
  - Friday 18 August
- Saturday 23 September  
  - Friday 13 October

For further information visit the Suffolk Police website: www.suffolk.police.uk/services/safe-rider-workshop  
or if you would like to register for a course, call the Road Casualty Reduction Team (RCRT) on 01473 613888, ext 3722 or email: saferider@suffolk.police.uk

Anyone organising a motorcycle fete in the county next year is encouraged to contact the RCRT as they may be able to attend in order to promote the Safe Rider workshops.

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**WEDNESDAYS**
- SCOUT TROOP for girls & boys aged 10.5-14.5yrs meet Wednesday evening, between 6.30pm - 8pm.

**THURSDAYS**
- BEAVER COLONY meets Thursday evening between 6.00pm - 7.00pm, for girls & boys aged 6-8yrs.

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- 07393 575902 Clive Chambers, Group Scout Leader, 1st Southwold and Reydon Scout Group
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Southwold Model Yacht Regattas returns for 2023 with the ‘May Regatta’ on Monday 29th May beginning at 2pm.

The ‘May Regatta’ is a very informal event designed to accommodate any Southwold visitors who might not be here for the ‘main’ season in July/August – as well as to allow more regular sailors the chance to dust off their boats and find their sea legs after the winter!

New sailors are most welcome – the club has a number of boats available for hire and everyone is welcome to come along and have a sail! Boats are allocated first come first served so come along any time from 1pm to pick up a boat and have a practice. Racing proper will begin at 2pm with a programme organised on the day. There is no need to make entries in advance for this regatta.

Model Yacht Sailing has taken place in Southwold for well over a hundred years and is both beautiful to watch and highly addictive to race. If you’ve never seen it or tried it yourself it is well worth a visit! More details at www.southwoldmodelyachtregattas.co.uk

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**Volunteer at First Light Festival 2023**

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THE FESTIVAL TALKS….

The annual Southwold Arts Festival has established a well-earned reputation for range and diversity in their eight-day programme of events and this year is no exception. As well as a week of folk, jazz, soul, blues and classical music there are daytime talks on a wide range of subjects from bee keeping and glass sculptures to the 75th anniversary of Minsmere and the rich history of Chatsworth House. Once again the Festival team have gathered together a unique list of speakers who are certain to ignite an interest in their most extraordinary range of subjects.

Over a period of ten years, Stephen Barrett set up a bee corridor between his home address at Pakefield and the Adnams distribution centre at Reydon known as #beesonthecoast. This year he started a new venture as the Beekeeper for Raymond Blanc in Oxfordshire.

David Reekie is a sculptor who creates contemporary designs in glass that reflects the real world in which we live, treading a fascinating line between comedy and tragedy. He says ‘Working as a figurative artist my work has a sacred element to it. Figures can easily become icons or totems indicating some spiritual significance, this can be enhanced by the viewer when looking at the work’. His work is on display worldwide, and also at the Victoria and Albert Museum and the Castle Museum in Norwich.

Following the publication of his book Chatsworth in 2021, Art historian, author and curator Dr John-Paul Stonard will provide a narrated film-lecture evoking the atmosphere and history of Chatsworth House in Derbyshire, the home to the Cavendish family for sixteen generations.

Ian Barthorpe will take visitors on a virtual tour of Minsmere as it celebrates its 75th anniversary and there will also be a talk by Master Gunsmith Robert Tilney whose name some will know from his shop in Beccles. Not only is he a Law Society Expert Witness on firearms and ballistics but he has been an expert on the Antique Roadshow since 2007.

There will also be the inspirational Young Musicians showcases throughout the week at 1.00p.m. at St Edmund’s Church Please check the website for a list of all the events at: www.southwoldartscentre.co.uk

Tickets are available now at the box office at Cumberland Road, Southwold or by phone on Tel: 01502 722572.
Mrs Anne Hunt one of the volunteers accepting the award for Excellence 2023 from The Southwold and Reydon Society on behalf of the Museum.

The award was for the Trustees, Curator, Maintenance Team and Volunteers of the Museum for the imaginative creation, construction and maintenance of an outstanding heritage asset.

The Museum volunteers were honoured to have been nominated and considered for this award and thanks to the Society for their efforts in recognising their work.

Jamie Thompson

Photo by Jonathan Hadcraft
The Wolsey 550 project and other news from Suffolk Archives

Earlier in April Suffolk Archives were invited to Ipswich Town Hall for the launch of The Thomas Wolsey 550 project, which celebrates the life of Cardinal Thomas Wolsey during the 550th anniversary year of his birth. This will see events held across 550 days into autumn 2024. Ipswich’s “most famous son” is said to have risen from humble beginnings to become the most powerful man in the country, working alongside Henry VIII.

The project is working with youth-focused organisations across Ipswich to build on excellent work already being done to further social mobility and promote youth social action and attainment in the town. Wolsey was a master of opportunity and his achievements show that anything is possible for anyone.

The launch provided the opportunity to showcase a short film called 'Tracing the Footprint', which was made to illustrate the footprint of Cardinal College, which was Thomas Wolsey’s intended legacy for Ipswich - but Henry VIII stopped construction of the college when Wolsey fell out of favour. This wonderful film can be seen in full at: www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZPTUs0Z_Zo.

The event was attended by the author and re-enactor Phil Roberts, who features in the film as Cardinal Wolsey (look out for him in next season’s What’s On guide). We also got a first look at the Wolsey 550 pale ale brewed by Briarbank Brewing Company which is soon to be on sale in The Hold gift shop.

We are very excited that the summer exhibition at The Hold will form a part of the project and focus on Wolsey 550 and the Tudors. The exhibition will feature archive treasures from our own collection as well as some spectacular loaned exhibits.

www.thomaswolsey550.co.uk
Fingers crossed we are moving into the season of drier weather as we start on our outdoor events at Southwold Library. We were lucky with our Book Stall in April, not only did it stay dry but we raised £111 for the Friends of Southwold Library (FoSL). The library and FoSL are going to be part of Reydon Parish Council’s Coronation celebrations on Sunday 7th May. The Coronation Big Picnic takes place from 12.30-4.00pm on Jubilee Green, Reydon. There will be music, live performances, Lavenham Falconry, Eastern Archers, Circus workshop, stalls, cake, ice cream and lots more. The library will be providing coronation crafts (provided by FoSL) and FoSL will be bringing the racing unicorns and the button matching game so why not bring a picnic? At the end of May we have our annual FoSL Plant Sale and Fete on Saturday 27th May from 10.00am to 4.00pm. This year we have moved to the green nearest the new library so it will all take place on St Edmunds Green. The event includes plants, books, crafts, cakes, tombola & games. We would be eternally grateful if you can donate plants to the sale - if you think you can please contact Southwold Library 01502 722519. And the following day, Sunday 28th May, FoSL will be at the Lions Fete on Southwold Common with tombola, lucky dips and the remaining plants.

We had amazing Easter holidays with the kids and had full houses for our dino Easter crafts, The Velveteen Rabbit at Southwold Arts Centre and Suffolk Trainmaster. Trainmaster will be back for October Half Term but in the meantime at May Half Term we have a couple of fun activities. We start off on Tuesday 30th May with free hedgehog crafts for kids at 11.00am & 2.00pm. The kids will be able to make a variety of hedgehog themed crafts including wooden hedgehogs, hedgehog scratch art magnets and pom pom art hedgehogs and all the crafts are supplied by the Friends of Southwold Library. There’s no need to book, just turn up. You do need to book for the second activity on Wednesday 31st May when we welcome back Mr Bean Entertainment this time with their magic workshops for children aged 7+. They take place at 11.00am & 2.00pm in the Stella Peskett Millennium Hall and the kids will learn some magic tricks from the amazing Mr Bean. It is £2 per child so book your place today - 01502 722519 southwold.library@suffolklibraries.co.uk or www.ticketsource.co.uk/suffolklibraries

But it’s not just for the kids this month. As well as the regular Chess Club (4.30pm every Friday) we are also offering a free course - Beginner’s Chess for Adults. This will run from Monday 29th May-Friday 2nd June 10.00am-12.00pm and Phil will teach you how to play. Booking is required so contact us 01502 722519 southwold.library@suffolklibraries.co.uk and the following day, Monday 2nd June, we will have a special offer - Magic workshops for children aged 7+ with Mr Bean Entertainment again this time with their magic workshops for children aged 7+. They take place at 11.00am & 2.00pm in the Stella Peskett Millennium Hall and the kids will learn some magic tricks from the amazing Mr Bean. It is £2 per child so book your place today - 01502 722519 southwold.library@suffolklibraries.co.uk or www.ticketsource.co.uk/suffolklibraries

We welcome back Stuart Johnson with his monthly Legal Advice and Information session, this month online. The topic is “Intestacy - what happens when there isn’t a Will?” and it takes place on Tuesday 16th May 8.00pm. Register your email address with Southwold Library and receive an invite to this free online event southwold.library@suffolklibraries.co.uk or 01502 722519.

We are also lucky to welcome Mind Norfolk and Waveney for the first of their Mental Health Drop in Support sessions. A mental health drop in service provided by a trained Norfolk and Waveney Mind Recovery Team Member. Talk to somebody about how you are feeling, hear what services we can offer and receive mental health support. Practical support available on signposting you to other services that we together feel may help. Whether it’s you needing support, someone in your family, a friend or a work colleague, we are here for you. Pop along on Friday 12th May 10.00am-12.00pm (also 9 June, 7 July & 4 August).

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And don’t forget our annual Slaughter in Southwold Crime Writers Festival. This year it takes place on the weekend of Saturday 17th & Sunday 18th June with author talks by David Blake, Chris Carter, Helen Fields, Anthony Horowitz, Lesley Kara, Kate Rhodes, & Rebecca Tope plus more still to be confirmed. On the Friday night, 16th June 7.00pm we have our murder mystery dinner “The Case of the Late Cook” by Kate Ellis with food provided by the fabulous Café 51. We also have lunch with the authors provided by Café 51 & Mark’s Fish Shop, a vaguely crime related Fun Crime Quiz Night Saturday 17th 7.00pm, a Whodunnit puzzle sheet available from 1st May - £1. Solve the crime and you could win a £10 Book Token, and a luxury crime related hamper raffle. Check it out at www.suffolklibraries.co.uk/slaughter or call by the library 01502 722519 for details. Events at Southwold Arts Centre, St Edmunds Hall, Tickets £6 per talk, £20 per day or £40 for the weekend (lunches not included).

Upcoming Events

Chess Club - Every Friday from 4.30pm @Southwold Library. Free play every week for kids 7+ & adults. Beginners’ teaching & assistance from Phil weeks 2 & 4.
Southwold Arts Centre & Southwold Library Present: Southwold Community Cinema - Thurs 25th May-2.30pm, See How They Run 2022(12a). Tickets - £5 including refreshment. Book a ticket at southwoldartscentre.co.uk or visit box office Tel: 722572. Southwold Arts Centre, Cumberland Road, IP18 6JP
Mah-jong Group - Friday 12th & 26th May 2.15-4.15pm. 2nd & 4th Friday of the month. Can you play mah-jong? Do you want to learn? Come along and join the group at Southwold Library. £1 per person.

Come Together Tuesdays @ Southwold Library - Every Tuesday 2-4pm. Free Social Afternoon for Adults. Complete ongoing jigsaw, play a card or board game or bring along your knitting or other crafts. Free hot drinks.

Crochet Club - Every Wednesday 2.15-4pm. £2 each. A friendly group for all abilities. Barbara will be on hand to teach beginners, add to your crochet skills or troubleshoot problems, or just bring along your latest project and crochet together. Bring own equipment or Barbara can supply at a price. Refreshment break in The Canteen.

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Blyth Poets “The isle is full of voices” - A poetry group meeting at Southwold Library. Friday 5th May 2.15-3.30pm. First Friday of every month. All welcome to read or just listen. We invite contributions of original work or well-loved poems. Refreshment break in The Canteen.

Scrabble Club - Thursday 18th May: Third Thursday of Every Month 2.15pm. All Equipment Supplied. Refreshment break in The Canteen.

Lego Club! - Sundays 12.15-1.00pm. Open to kids (and adults) of all ages. This Spring we’re building: Wonderful Wildlife. All donations of Lego welcome. Free event, no booking required. Adults: Would you like to help with Lego Club? Just ask staff.

Kids, Come & Read to Ash the PAT Dog - Wednesdays 4pm @ Southwold Library. The Read2Dogs scheme provided by PAT helps to improve literacy skills and wellbeing in young people by developing their confidence, interest, and enjoyment in reading. Dogs are non-judgemental and great listeners - they don’t interrupt or correct - so they aid confidence and concentration levels. PAT Dogs are also known to encourage positive social behaviours, enhance self-esteem and inspire young people to relax and have fun. Come and read to Ash for up to 15 minutes at a time plus enjoy a range of dog themed games, jigsaws, and crafts while you wait. Free event, no booking required.

Southwold Library Reading Group - This month we are reading: “The Lie” by Helen Dunmore. Thursday 25th May 6.30pm @ Southwold Library. Pick up a book at Southwold Library. Free event, no booking required.

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Charlotte Clark, Executive Library Manager
Southwold Library, Tel: 01502 722519
Old Hospital Hub, Field Stile Road, Southwold IP18 6LD
Monday 15th May at 2.30pm
TRAVELS WITH MY (GREAT GREAT) AUNT
A talk by Helen Baggott - Posted in the Past
(on zoom and in person)

This new talk explores the holidays of our ancestors – climbing pyramids, sliding down glaciers, cruising the Med... Illustrated with postcards sent home from holidays, just how far did our ancestors travel for their holidays?

Helen has written for magazines including Discover your Ancestors, Who Do You Think You Are?, Picture Postcard Monthly, Dorset Life and The Card Scene, and has also contributed to Family Tree Magazine’s blog. Her work has been recognised by national newspapers as a ‘postcard detective’ in newspapers and an ‘heirloom detective’ in The Mail on Sunday’s You Magazine.

Helen entertained us in October 2021 with her ‘Postcards from the Past’ and we are delighted to welcome her back again.

This will be a hybrid in-person and zoom meeting held at Fromus Centre (behind the Library), Saxmundham Hub, Street Farm Road, IP17 1AL.

If you wish to attend via zoom (members only) please book on the website no earlier than 4 weeks in advance. www.avsfhg.org.uk/events/book

In-person attendees can just turn up — at £1.00 for members, £3.00 for visitors, including tea/biscuits.

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REPORT OF OUR MARCH MEETING
Members’ Stories - Janet Barnes, Janet Huckle and Jane Evans
Monday 20th March 2023

On 20th March, Janet Barnes spoke to us about her work meticulously researching and recording the history of the 16 farms that lie within the Suffolk parish of Middleton-cum-Fordley. She has gone back as far as 1800, often earlier, and her work is now in The Hold at Ipswich. She also kept records of her interviews with farmers and their families.

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Included in her talk were fascinating details about different farms. Watermill Farm, of just less than 100 acres, specialised in pedigree animals. The name Potash Farm derived from producing a mix of lime and burnt rubbish to sell to the glass and soap making industries. Despite 37 years doing family history research throughout England and Scotland, Janet Huckle knew very little more about her husband’s grandfather than that he deserted his wife and three children in the 1920s. For years, she couldn’t find any trace of him. Then he cropped up in a ‘Divorce Proceedings’ file at The National Archives (TNA). Walter FLOOD was named as the appellant; his wife the respondent, and Francis William HUCKLE the co-respondent. Whilst at TNA, Janet photocopied all 20 pages of the ‘Flood v Flood and Huckle’ Divorce Court proceedings, so that she could study every detail at home. The couple were traced to several addresses, including Manningham. Janet suspects that a Private Detective was involved to have obtained this level of detail about them. Janet enthralled us with how she wove the pieces together to discover the story.

Jane Evans’ research was prompted by a relative showing her a biscuit tin of old photographs and (unread) letters — also, intriguingly, a list of roses, sent back from Germany in World War II. Jane’s story was a truly fascinating journey from Suffolk, through France in WW1 and beyond, and to Germany and Poland in WW2. You can read the full report on our second afternoon of member’s stories on our website: www.avsfhg.org.uk/events/view/154
Reydon Council News
23rd March 2023 Meeting

Public Forum
Mr P Huggins – New Leaf Voluntary Group - Mr Huggins attended the meeting to explain the aims of his volunteer group, which was to improve neglected areas in Reydon, they had started around the railings by Might’s Bridge. He reported that there were nearly 200 volunteers involved and crowd funding had raised a considerable amount of money. He then reported that the Probation Service would be painting the railings. At present he was negotiating with the Environment Agency to arrange a way to paint the bridge. He said he was trying to find the names of the relevant land owners to get permission to put planters on the concrete blocks near the bridge.

The Clerk reported that she had looked into the Suffolk County Council Self Help Scheme and it would cover both the Southwold and Reydon side of the bridge. The Chair said she understood the self-help scheme would provide the volunteers with Hi-Viz jackets and various tools etc.

Cllrs raised some concerns regarding insurance for the volunteers and this would be provided by the self help scheme but there would need to be a co-ordinator appointed for the group and Mr Huggins agreed to do this.

There followed some discussion regarding the history of the pill box which is in a dangerous condition and must not be touched. The landowner is no longer engaging with the Parish Council and he has been informed of the condition of the building. Mr Huggins was informed that it is unadvisable to carry out this sort of work during the nesting season (1st March – end of July) and it would help nesting birds to do this work from September onwards. The plant Alexanders was also discussed, and the problems dealing with a long taproot of this invasive species of plant.

Finally the Chair referred to the Strategy document for Reydon and asked that Mr Huggins referred to the Council before doing any work within the village so the groups work together. He was thanked for his work and the Clerk will complete the necessary forms for the self-help scheme.

District Cllr Beavan – District Cllr Beavan thanked Mr Huggins for starting this group and congratulated them of their success for far. He had made some progress on getting contentious planning applications referred to Committee, his was now going to the Planning cabinet meeting. The planning application at Bridge Road was ongoing as the drawings were incorrect when the application was permitted.

Potters Bridge – This was looking okay at the moment, with the beach being breached regularly and this was keeping the road clear. Mr Beavan is now working on how to keep water levels at a good level for the nesting birds on the other side of the bridge.

Declarations of Interest - Cllr Taylor – Planning application DC/0581/FUL

Minutes – To read or take as read the Minutes of the meeting held on 23rd February 2023, it was proposed, seconded and agreed to authorise the Chair to sign the minutes with the following amendment. Item 13 – Last paragraph – it was agreed that the Council would pursue both options for traffic calming.

Clerks Report - There had been 2 crimes reported in January, 1 x Other Crime and 1 x Other Theft.

The Clerk reported that Charlotte from the Library asked if it would be possible to have some more copies of the Leisure map of Reydon. It was felt that this would be a good idea but the current one may need updating. Cllr Cyprien though she had a copy and will bring it to the next meeting.

Cllrs Reports

Climate Crisis - Cllr Cyprien reported at a recent Climate Forum meeting SWT informed them that they had now changed their focus from their Reserves and were concentrating more on general wildlife advice for communities and helping with green spaces within towns and villages. They also have a section to advise farmers. Cllr Cyprien had relevant email addresses.

Cuppa Event - Cllr Friend said he and Cllr Vulliamy attended this event and there were a number of issues raised including, the lack of bus services. Dirty bus stops, it was suggested that maybe this could be included in the coronation volunteer day or it would be an appropriate project for Mr Huggins’ Volunteers.

Cost of Living Crisis - Cllr Senior gave an update on the pantry project, both Cllrs Gregson and herself had done the level 2 hygiene certificate. A quote was being done by a ventilation engineer and volunteers were busy painting and making curtains. RSPCA had been contacted and they would provide pet food for the pantry. Connections had been made via Fare share and the co-op are happy to provide date limited food.

Cllr Senior confirmed that she had an appointment with Mr Payne from the school the next day.

Cllr Gregson circulated a spreadsheet in which she had outlined the actions that were required and their target completion date.

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The next part of the process with be getting more volunteers to run the pantry and publicity. The Clerk asked them to make sure that all invoices are made out to the Parish Council in order to claim back the VAT.

Reydon Community Awards - Cllr Vulliamy presented the proof for this award, it was unanimously agreed to go ahead with this and the first presentation will be on at the Annual Parish Meeting. The Council thanks Mike Mayhew from Southwold Press for offering to print these for free.

Green Spaces Working Group - Cllr Taylor reported that so far, they had only one design for the Recreation Ground but she will chase up other potential supplies. Cllr Friend reported that Playdale will be updating their quote

Cllr Taylor informed the meeting that she, the Clerk and the Chair had been to look at the allotments, most were being worked with just a couple looking neglected. There was one large one empty and this may be perfect for a community allotment. A meeting will be held with the allotment holders when the costs of allotments were complete; the water meter is proving to be elusive.

The Clerk reported on a letter received regarding the planting of three oak trees it was agreed that these could go on the Recreation Ground.

Reydon Robin - Cllr Taylor reported that the copy deadline was 24th March and she was only short of a couple of articles. This will be submitted for printing on the 3rd or 4th April and then it would be distributed. Cllrs Panther and Vulliamy agreed to help Cllr Friend with this.

Highway Working Group - Cllr Panther said there had been not meeting this month, the Clerk asked if the SID had arrived, as it hadn’t, she will chase this.

Website - Cllr Gregson had circulated a paper detailing a change to the role of a Content Manager this would involve appointing someone to update social media posts. There was considerable discussion about the cost of these proposals and it was agreed that Cllr Gregson would try and rework the changes to fit in with the budgets for 22/23 and 23/24.

Annual Parish Meeting - The Clerk reported that Mr Gooch was yet to confirm whether he would attend the APM, she will contact him again. Meanwhile when the agenda is completed posters will be designed and the information put on the website and notice boards.

Village Hall - Cllr Vulliamy reported that the handover was progressing slowly and a meeting of the new Management Committee had taken place. Dorcas Rogers would be managing the bookings, Ray Rogers, the Maintenance and Sally Bird is to be the Secretary. Another member is considering the post of Treasurer A report of the Planning Working Group had been circulated and approved by the Council. The full comments are available on the Reydon Parish Council website.

King Charles Coronation - Cllr Taylor reported that she has applied for the Temporary Events License and 12 stalls had now been confirmed. She had also booked a circus event which would be perfect for a family event. Cllr Friend had arranged for bale of hay for seating, these would be approximately £2 each. Finally, a ple was made for volunteers for the set-up, Mr Huggins agree to post this on the New Leaf site.

Planning Applications

i) DC/23/0710/FUL - New front porch. Conversion of existing garage to study/bedroom. Removal of existing flat roof to garage and corrugated plastic sheeted roof to carport in front of garage and replacement of both these roofs with pitched tiled roofs. Clinterty, 5 Lupin Close. Recommend Refusal

ii) DC/23/23/0581 - Erection of 1 Chalet Bungalow, Land adjacent 18 Halesworth Road. Recommend Approval

iii) DC/23/0686/VLA - This was a variation of the conditions relating to the S106 agreements regarding the green spaces surrounding the proposed new development, St Felix School Halesworth Road. There was considerable discussion about this. It was agreed Cllr Panther would draft an alternative, slightly stronger response for further consideration by the Council.

Planning Decisions

i) DC/23/0358/DRC - Discharge of conditions No 12. Outline application to enable improvements to St Felix School to include residential development, public open space and associated infrastructure, St Felix School. Permitted

ii) DC/22/43763/FUL – Two storey side extension and single storey rear extension to existing premises together with internal alterations, 34 Wangford Road. Permitted

iii) DC/22/0192 – Demolition of the existing bungalow dwelling house and replace with 2 new 2 storey dwelling houses and garage. Beulah, 47 Wangford Road. Permitted

iv) DC/22/0133/FUL – Proposed rear and side extension Hill House, Covert Road. Permitted

The Clerk read a letter from the Planning department regarding names for the streets in the new development at St Felix, it was agreed that Cllrs will forward suggestions to the Clerk.

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7. Elizabeth I: 1558-1603
8. Richard III: 1483-1485
9. Anne: 1702-1714
10. George VI: 1936-1952
11. Henry V: 1413-1422
12. Harold II: 1066
13. Richard I: 1189-1199
15. Canute: 1016-1035
16. Wiliam the Conqueror: 1066-1087.

There’s a brand new Children’s Activity Book published at the end of April 2023 by the Southwold Railway Trust and on sale at the Southwold Steamworks. This 12 page A4 size book has quizzes, line drawings which you can colour in, colour pictures, information and fun activities to test your railway knowledge. There’s also a drawing page to recall your visit to the Steamworks. The book includes a map and cartoon by John Bennett, artwork by Oliver Densham and photos by John Ridgeway, to name a few. Make sure you get your copy as a souvenir from your visit.

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