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Sunday Services

7 th November:	8am Holy Communion BCP, Barnham 10am All Age Service, Barnham
14 th November, Remembrance Sunday:	10.50am - Meet at the War Memorial Euston followed by a service in the church 10.50am - Meet at the War Memorial Barnham followed by a service in church
21 st November:	10am Parish Communion, Barnham 3pm Confirmation Service, Bardwell
6 th December	3.30pm Christingle Service, Barnham
19 th December	6pm Carol Service, Barnham

- A huge **thank you** for all those from our parishes who visited up to 39 churches and chapels in aid of the Suffolk Historic Churches Trust and the upkeep of our local churches.
- **Coffee every Wednesday morning from 10 am in Barnham Church** (bring your own until the kitchen is up and running).
- A group of people meet to **work in the churchyard from 10-12 noon on a Wednesday**. Anyone interested do please just turn up with some shears etc. Grave stones have been cleared of ivy and curb stones restored but it is an on-going job and help is greatly appreciated and it is fun working together.
- **26th November a hot lunch in Barnham Church**, 12 noon £5.00. Enquiries to Sue Nutt
- **Saturday, 11th December the great Farmers Market** will take place in Barnham Church and churchyard again. All the local fare – Brewshead beer, Wooster's Bread, local vegetables, BBQ, Christmas wreaths, dressed pheasants and partridge and much more. Opening 10am. Details of how to order in advance for game will be in the December Link.
- There are a **number of plastic paving/grass grids going free** which are stacked behind the church. If they are of use to anyone please feel free to help yourselves.
- **Christmas Wreaths and Topiary Trees** - Following last year's sell-out we are going to be making Christmas wreaths and topiary trees again which can be ordered in advance and collected at the Christmas Fair on Saturday 11th December. There will also be some available to buy on the day. We use foliage from Barnham gardens as well as fir cones, baubles, ribbons etc. to make them really special. **Wreaths – medium £20, large £30. Topiary trees – £15.** Orders by 5th December via Mark at The Old Bakery or leave a message 07748 854635.



Services continue on Blackbourne Team Ministry Facebook page. Should you not wish to subscribe to Facebook please enter Blackbourne Team Ministry in your browser, then enter Services and the link to the Facebook page is at the bottom of the page. You will not need to subscribe to Facebook in order to view.

Barnham Village Hall – for bookings/enquiries please call (answer machine) or text: 07931 104122. Village hall website: www.barnhamvillagehall.org. The **Annual General Meeting of Barnham Village Hall is on Monday, 22nd November** at 7pm in the Hall. All welcome. Barnham Village Hall is a Charitable Organisation run by a voluntary Committee for the benefit of the local community and would welcome new committee members willing to help with running the hall and organising fund-raising events to keep it running.

Christmas Craft Fairs at Barnham Village Hall on Sunday, 7th November and Sunday, 5th December. If you are a local crafter and have items to sell at our Christmas Craft Fairs there are still tables available for the Craft Fair on Sunday 7th November and a very limited number for the Fair on Sunday 5th December. Table hire is £7 for a small table (3' x 2'3") and £12 for a large table, (6' x 2'3"). Admission is 11am until 3pm with setting up for stallholders from 10am. Hot and cold refreshments will be available. Also, in conjunction with the craft stalls, the Village Hall committee will be running a 'nearly new' stall. To book a table(s) for the Craft Fair or if you have suitable items to donate for the 'nearly new' stall (no clothing, shoes, or electrical goods) please contact Jane on 01842 890718 or email barnhamvh.sfk@btinternet.com

Barnham Indoor Bowls Cub would welcome new members. We meet every Thursday evening from 7:30 until 9:30 in the Village Hall - come along and join the fun for only £2 per person. All equipment is provided along with tea and biscuits at 'halftime'. For more information, please contact Tony Higginbottom on 01842 766064.

Car parking at the village hall – Please can we remind you that this is a PRIVATE car park and is solely for the use of those attending the hall, or those dropping off/collecting children during school hours.

Barnham and District Women's Institute – if you are thinking of joining the WI or would like further information, contact Catriona on 07793 742974.

Barnham Over 60's has now restarted after lockdown. The next meeting is on 4th November at 2pm in the village hall. Everyone is welcome to come. Any enquiries please contact Rose Goddard on 890565.

Barnham Parish Council - Details about the parish council (including the minutes) can be found on the notice board at the village hall and on the parish council website: www.barnham.onesuffolk.net. The next meeting is on Tuesday, 9th November at 7pm at the Village Hall. Any queries, please contact the clerk, Caroline Dowson: 01842 890355 / barnhampc@btinternet.com.

Dog mess – a huge **thank you** to dog walkers that take their dog mess home with them ... sadly some dog walkers leave dog mess on the pavements. Please take your dog mess home or use the bins provided!

Bonfire night – please be respectful and careful with fireworks Lots of thatched roofs and pets in the village!

Vacancy: Barnham Parish Council needs a new parish clerk. If you are interested in this rewarding post please phone the chair Ed Wyer on 890424 for an informal chat (this is a paid position). An outline of the job specification can be sent via email on request: ejwyer@aol.com.

Fakenham Magna Parish Council meets bi-monthly at Honington & Sapiston Village Hall. For further information on dates and times please see the Notice Board or visit the website at www.fakenhammagna.onesuffolk.net. Church Field is available to use by prior arrangement with Cllr. Ray Johnston - email him at fakenhammagnapc@live.co.uk.

News from our local Barnham school (Amy Arnold, Headteacher) – We are so incredibly proud of our whole school community; the resilience, determination and overwhelming enthusiasm shown by our children, parents, staff, and governors this half term has been beyond incredible! Despite the backdrop of challenges with Coronavirus we have embraced new learning adventures! Our Year 3 and 4 children were transported back to stone age life through an enthralling visit from Will Lord, prehistoric survival expert. All of our children have enjoyed working alongside artist Nicola Murray-Woods, helping to produce artwork for a large-scale timeline of national and local British History, which will proudly adorn an area on one of our outside classrooms. We are very much looking forward to our first ever Virtual Harvest Festival, although we will miss being in the church, it will be wonderful to round off this half term by being together virtually. We are currently advertising for a caretaker to join our team in January 2022 when Bernie our current caretaker retires. Full details can be found www.suffolkjobsdirect.org. Also, we are collecting the East Anglian Daily Times book tokens! Please do ask your family and friends to save the tokens for us; this would really help us to further extend our range of books in school. Please pass tokens to Sue Nutt or drop them into school. With continued thanks and appreciation for your ongoing support of Barnham CEVC Primary.

News from Euston Estate (Matthew Hawthorne, Farm Manager) - welcome to the November update from Euston. As the maize draws to a close we can get the last few fields planted with our cereals ready for winter. The harvest of maize has gone really well and we have achieved some good yields. Sugarbeet started to be harvested at the end of September with disappointing yields on the first field. We now leave Sugarbeet until November to try and gain some more weight on the crop. Fingers crossed it will pick up with the mild wet weather and turn itself around. Shooting season is well underway on the Estate with a couple of American teams coming to stay at the hall and shoot on the estate for a couple of days. Coming up on the farm is the mammoth hedge cutting job and as you may have seen we are already cutting verges which is part of the same operation. Best wishes from the team at Euston Farms.

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3rd age support service - Are you struggling with things that you used to do? Paperwork, household jobs, new technology, getting out and to appointments? Do you need an extra pair of hands? Do you have a loved one with Dementia and need respite? Do you need companionship? I'm a former Sheltered Housing Warden. DBS checked. References available. Contact Liz for a free, no obligation visit on 07956 797455. Barnham based.

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