

NEWSBEAT

CARLTON COLVILLE TOWN COUNCIL

Summer 2016



Annual Parish Meeting Welcomes Fire Service Group Commander

At our annual Parish Meeting we were delighted to welcome Fire Service Group Commander John Tiffin who spoke about local fire department matters.

He informed us that the Fire Service have, as with many organisations, been targeted to achieve cost savings and are pleased to inform us that there have been budget reductions of 2.5 million pounds during the last four years resulting in Suffolk Fire Service becoming the least costly County fire service. These reductions have been made by reducing office staff and administration costs however they have now been tasked with saving a further 1.8 million pounds by 2018.

South Lowestoft Fire station has one full time fire engine manned 24 hours a day and two part time fire engines although one of the part time fire engines may be lost due to budget costs. The high profile of the recent consultation has however kept proposed current cuts at bay in the short term.

Calls to the Fire Service have been 40% lower over recent years due to the effects of the following:

Trading standards improving electrical items, lifestyle changes, more knowledge about sensible use of candles, fewer people doing their own DIY as appliances are not repairable, furniture now being fire proof, smoke detectors being installed, free checks for electric blankets.

Only 4 fire stations in Suffolk are crewed 24/7 and these are Lowestoft, Bury St Edmunds, and two in Ipswich. All the rest are part time on call services, but it is becoming more difficult to obtain cover for these as firemen need to be within five minutes access to the fire station and less people are working locally.

Firemen are involved with all of the following: Fire and rescue, flooding, road traffic accidents, hazardous materials, working with the police, working with ambulances, rescues in coastal water up to the low harbour line, rescuing horses from dykes, seagulls from netting, and, if called out by the RSPCA, cats from trees!

All full time crew are trained as swift water technicians to pull people out of water and there are two boats at the Lowestoft Fire station with training done at Great Yarmouth in swift water. In addition Firemen are trained at working at heights and as First Responders with defibrillators and first aid equipment carried on fire engines

The Fire service from different regions can be mobilized for use in various parts of the country when there is an emergency, such as recent flooding in Cumbria and the extra time is funded by the national government.



Special services charges are made if the fire service is requested to attend situations such as burst pipes that could be attended by others. This charge is currently £600 per hour.

East Anglian Transport Museum Our Outstanding Local Attraction!

Their story began back in 1962 when four local tramway enthusiasts rescued the body of an old Lowestoft tramcar, no. 14, from its use as a summerhouse at Gunton.

From this grew the idea of forming a transport museum, and as a result the East Anglia Transport Museum was founded on its present site in 1965.

A Society was formed with the object of developing and running the Museum and started off with a few old vehicles which had been either donated or loaned, but with no other assets whatsoever. The huge task lay ahead of transforming a disused meadow, into a museum with depots, stores, workshops, administrative offices, refreshment facilities and toilets, not forgetting roads, tram tracks, overhead wiring for trams and trolleybuses, and a light railway.

Turn to page 5 for a report on their most recent events!



Tournament Triumph Inspires Foxes for Final Season in Youth League!

Waveney Foxes Under 15s celebrated victory at the recent Waveney tournament setting them up for what they hope to be a successful final season next year. Some of the girls in the twelve strong squad come from far and wide to train and play at Waveney whose home ground is Barnards Meadow off Peto Way, Lowestoft however Kashia Drane, Ciera Flatt, Tigi Robson, Millie Fisher and Charlotte Hurren all hail from Carlton Colville. To read more on their story please turn to page 5.



The Town Council was recently informed about The Adolescent and Children's Trust (TACT) for fostering.

TACT report that there is a shortage of foster parents particularly for teenage children and in conjunction with Suffolk County Council are urgently appealing for people to consider this rewarding role.

In return, the county council provide a highly competitive payment scheme, where you can receive up to £606 per week per child. The scheme allows career opportunities as you develop as a foster carer, recognising your skills, experience and the type of fostering you are offering.

If you think you could become a foster carer, come along to an information drop-in session, visit: www.fosterandadopt.suffolk.gov.uk or call: 01473 264800.



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Hello from the Chairman

We are thrilled to announce that we have opened our new office based at Carlton Colville Community Centre, Hall Road. This not only provides a purpose built location from which our clerk Christine can operate and for planning and amenities committee meetings to be held but also enables residents to drop in and discuss any issues that they may wish to raise. The telephone number is 01502 521959 and drop in times at the office are Wednesday 2-4 pm and Thursday 10-12 am. We look forward to seeing you! We are also hoping that now we have a dedicated facility for council business we can push on with our work on the Neighbourhood Plan. As mentioned before this Plan outlines the preferences of the local community and provides a framework for the built environment including areas such as the development of play parks. In order to get this project off the ground however volunteers are needed to come forward to assist as it is key that this plan is driven by the wider community rather than solely the Town Council members.

If you are passionate about the future shape of Carlton Colville and feel you could spare a few hours a month on this project then we would love to hear from you!

Jill

VOLUNTARY NORFOLK

Supporting volunteers and voluntary organisations



ERS Medical
SRCL Group Company

Volunteer drivers needed in your area

The non-emergency patient transport service in Norfolk is a partnership between ERS Medical and Voluntary Norfolk, providing transport for patients living in Norfolk to hospitals throughout East Anglia and beyond. Our volunteer drivers provide an essential service, transporting up to one hundred patients to their destination each day.

Paul Minchin, our Volunteer Driver's Representative for the Breckland area has been volunteering with the service for many years and says "I have always enjoyed meeting people and talking to them and I also enjoying driving – this role is absolutely ideal. In my role as a rep, I want to ensure that drivers are comfortable in their volunteering and will help any driver with any problem."

We would love to hear from caring, calm and reliable individuals with their own car. We are always keen to hear from volunteers happy to go above and beyond the usual, by taking on early morning or evening appointments for patients needing dialysis, and appointments in London. All expenses are reimbursed, and training and support is provided. Please call us on 01603 883860 for more information.

Knit and Natter Group

We are looking to hold a knit and natter group once a week on a Tuesday 10-12 am at the Council Office, Hall Road. The primary purpose of the group is to provide an opportunity for local residents to come and socialise and by no means do group members need to be expert with the needles! Sessions would be £2 with tea and biscuits available.

We would like to start this group from 4th October, if you are interested in attending then please contact Jill Tyler on 01502 581843.



Carlton Colville Community Centre

Carlton Colville Community Centre is situated at Hall Road, Carlton Colville, Lowestoft, Suffolk NR33 8BT. Our telephone number is 01502 581403.

Activities

We have a number of activities going on daily and throughout the year, which include Children's Playgroups, Children's Dance Tuition, Short Mat Bowls, Badminton, Keep fit classes, Adult Dance and Music Groups, The hall can be hired for Wedding, Birthday and Anniversary parties.

Children's Play equipment refurbishment

The centre has recently benefitted with the assistance of a grant from Suffolk County Councillors Sonia Barker and Peter Byatt in Having the Children's playground equipment painted and refurbished.

The Circus is coming to town!

As a follow up to last year, Circus Tyanna will be pitching once again on the Community Centre Field, during the dates 3rd to the 7th August. This is a small family circus and really worth attending.

New Storeroom and Council Office

With the kind assistance of the Carlton Colville Town Council the centre has had a new storeroom built as an extension to the centre, this greatly enhances our storage ability for groups who wish to leave their equipment behind. The old storeroom has been refurbished as the Carlton Colville Town Council office.



Monday

09.00 – 1200 Playgroup
15.30 -19.30 Children's Dance
19.30 – 22.00 Bowls

Tuesday

09.00 – 1200 Playgroup
15.30 -19.30 Children's Dance
Last Tuesday of month CCCC committee meeting

Wednesday

09.00 – 1200 Playgroup
15.30 -19.30 Children's Dance
19.30 – 22.00 Badminton

Thursday

09.00 – 1200 Playgroup
15.30 -19.30 Children's Dance
Oct – Mar Bowls

Friday

09.00 – 14.30 TumbleTots
15.30 – 19.30 Bowls
19.30 – 23.30 60's Music

Saturday

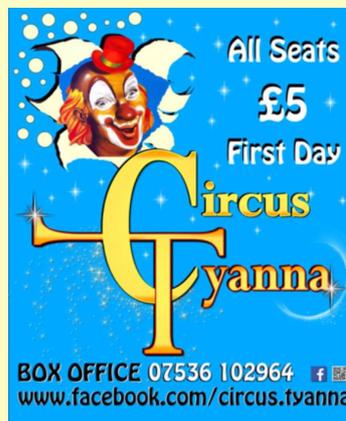
Wedding, Birthday Anniversary parties

Sunday

Wedding, Birthday Anniversary parties
1st Sunday of every month - Daniel's Footsteps

Come and Play Short Mat Bowls!

Carlton Colville Community Centre
Fridays 2.15 - 4.45 pm
From the first Friday in October
until the end of March
£2 per week includes 3 games and
tea and biscuits
Bowls are available however please
bring your own footwear
If you are interested in playing
please ring 01502 585608 by the
end of August



We at Circus Tyanna are very excited to be returning to Carlton Colville this summer! We will be there from

Sunday 7th - Sunday 14th August

Please look out for our flyers for details of show times, ticket prices are adults £9, children £7, available from our on site box office or dial a seat on 07536102964
Look forward to seeing you! Circus Tyanna



Grove Primary School

Learn Together.....Grow Individually

It has been a busy year at Grove Primary with the whole school community working together to ensure standards of education are high. A recent visit from the DfE (March, 2016) highlighted *“An impressive attention to detail permeates every aspect of its work. All classrooms and corridors are bright and full of lively, interesting displays of pupils’ work and aids to learning. Pupils were busy and engaged in every classroom. The atmosphere was relaxed but highly purposeful. There was a palpable enjoyment of learning.”* This fantastic comment is testament to the hard work of the staff, children, parents and governors who have contributed to make Grove Primary such special place.

In addition, there have been a plethora of trips and visits this year to enhance and support the children’s learning. These have included outings to Harry Potter World, West Stow Anglo Saxon Village, Ringsfield Hall, Great Yarmouth Time and Tide Museum, Dinosaur Adventure Park, Banham Zoo, Framlingham Castle and many more. These opportunities create awe and wonder within our rich curriculum and help to create lasting memories.

Recently, the pupils took part in two Multi-Faith Days. The event formed part of the school’s continued commitment to enhance the Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural development of our children and to promote the British Values of Respect and Tolerance. The aim of the two days was to foster in pupils a curiosity for other cultures as well as help them develop a greater understanding of beliefs which might be different to their own. Pupils spent the first day researching one particular religion and meeting speakers from the local community representing Buddhism, Islam, Judaism, Hinduism, Church of England and Roman Catholic faiths so that they could compare how religious beliefs impact on people’s daily lives. Following this, they created faith boxes and explained their findings in a whole school assembly.



Mary Hunt – Secretary of the Waveney Inter-Faith Group reported: “The children were so welcoming, helpful and polite. I really enjoyed meeting and working with them. It was a truly harmonious event... You have a lovely school community that is reaching out to others.”

Although we are oversubscribed in our Reception class this year, visits to our wonderful school are always welcomed. Please contact our school office on [01502 538527](tel:01502538527) to arrange a tour. We currently have a few vacancies in our Nursery provision, which feeds into the main school.

Mrs Andrea Hall, Headteacher.

TO All The Young People of Carlton Colville



Here's some information for those young people who don't yet know who we are or what we do.

Impact is a street based project that engages with groups of young people on the streets and play areas of Carlton Colville. The aim of the project is to give information, advice and guidance to young people aged between 13 and 24.

We want to help to further develop the Carlton Colville Youth Council who are looking to recruit new members, this is an exciting time as the Carlton Colville Town Council are fully backing the young people in developing a youth hub. Be part of a community group, where your ideas and views, on what affects young people in your area, will be taken back to the Town Council for them to consider and act upon.

Carlton Colville Town Council are looking to put together a skate park committee. They have some ideas but would like input from the young people who use the skate park in how they would like to see it improved. If you're interested in getting involved in either of these projects, please contact us by email or find us on facebook, twitter and instagram.

Community Action Suffolk have Presented Impact with the Quality Lite Award:



Look out for us, sometimes we have drinks biscuits or donut with us.

Ian ,Laura and Jackie
IMPACT
Detached Youth Workers

E:mail
: ian@impactdetached.org



Carlton Colville Primary School

We are pleased to our report that our school continues to be well subscribed and achieves excellent pupil outcomes.

Following a fundraising push we are able to report that CCTV will be installed before the end of term which means our previously 'fire damaged' Celtic Roundhouse can be rebuilt, enhancing our children's learning environment.

We ask that if residents notice intruders on our premises, they telephone the police on 101 to report this. We thank you for continuing to support our school.

Foxes Follow in Lionesses Footsteps!



With the England Lionesses through to next year's European Championships, women's football is in the ascendency and one team of girls who are keen to emulate their national players is Waveney U16 Foxes. The team was founded in 2010 with Jennifer Johnson, one of the original players still key in her defensive role in the team. The girls travel across Norfolk and North Suffolk for their away fixtures and while their league is dominated by Norwich based Sprowston The Foxes have seen annual tournament success against their various East Anglian rivals, never failing to return home with a trophy! This level of achievement is due in the main to their excellent team spirit with each of the girls understanding not only the physical role they play on the pitch but also the importance of maintaining positivity throughout the match!

Many of the girls also play at a development level either in Norwich Academy, Norwich Elite Player Development or Suffolk Advanced Coaching Centre. Most of them also represent their school teams with Tigi Robson being part of the triumphant Pakefield High School U14 team who lifted the Suffolk County Cup this year. They also try to get as much additional experience as they can with Abi Bell and Tigi both playing in a boys league and Ciera Flatt having just started training with Lowestoft Town Ladies ready to sign once she turns 16.

The Foxes are looking to recruit some more players into the team for their forthcoming season and are looking for players who will be in school years 10 or 11 from September '16. Training is held from 7-8 pm on Monday evenings at Ormiston Denes Academy. If you know of any girls who have experience in playing competitive football and are interested in joining the team then please contact their manager Steve Flatt on 07877836627.



East Anglia Transport Museum - highlights so far this year!

East Anglia transport museum kicked off the 2016 season on Good Friday 25th March 2016 with a 'Start of Season Easter Gala' on the Saturday and Sunday. Children collected a quiz paper upon entry to the site and their task was to find certain letters of the alphabet which were hidden around the museum. Once all the letters were found they spelt out a word – in this case 'Daffodil'. The children took their completed quiz paper to the reception kiosk where they were rewarded with a choice of Easter eggs. This event was a huge success and we saw over 360 people through the door during the weekend

We also recently took a step back into the roaring 1940's for our 'Mid-May 1940's weekend' in which we saw over 950 visitors joining us to celebrate the 40's. The site was decorated with bunting and props from the 1940's era with windows of all the buildings taped across as they used to be in case of air raids as well as music from the era playing, however this was occasionally interrupted by the sound of the air raid siren



Many of the museum's volunteer staff got involved with dressing up in 1940's clothing as well as many of the visitors, on both Saturday and Sunday visitors were entertained by the 'Jive Bunnies' A 1940's dancing group as well as a band organ named 'Lucy'

We were lucky enough to have many visiting vehicles including a Bristol LL, a Wolseley 9, a Hillman Minx, Land Rovers', an Austin Carlton and many more as well as trade stands selling things from die-cast models to wartime memorabilia as well as some great exhibitors showing us many memories from the 1940's

Like all open days at East Anglia Transport Museum visitors could ride our Trams, Trolleybuses and Narrow gauge railway with the addition of a free vintage bus service to and from Beccles and Lowestoft along with a free park and ride service

Please visit our website www.eatransportmuseum.co.uk for full details of opening times and special events.



Suffolk Wildlife Trust Events this Summer

Have fun this summer with Suffolk Wildlife Trust at our nature reserves around Lowestoft. There are family and children's activities happening every week throughout the summer holidays. With sessions ranging from Wild Beach at Gunton Warren, to minibeasts & dyke dipping at Carlton Marshes, to forest adventures at Lound Lakes, there's something for everyone! Details of all the activities are available on our website:

www.suffolkwildlifetrust.org/whats-on

Booking is essential and can be done via the website.

The Education Team looks forward to welcoming you to a nature reserve near you this summer!



MARSH MAIDENS W I ANNUAL CRAFT FAYRE

Bookings are now being taken for tables at our Annual Craft Fayre being held on Saturday 26th November 2016 at the Uplands Community Centre Ashburnham Way, Carlton Colville

Cost : £5.00 per table, payable in advance
Times: Set up 10 - 11 am; Sales 11 - 3;
Clear Down 3 - 4p.m

To Book: Contact Yvonne Stygal (01502 567335
y.stygal@btinternet.com)
or Lyn Leesmith (01502 573672
llynjlee@hotmail.co.uk)

UPLANDS COMMUNITY CENTRE FUN DAY

Saturday 30th July 2016 1p.m. - 5 p.m

Marsh Maidens WI are pleased to support this event by providing refreshments throughout the event. Cream Teas; Cakes; Tea/Coffee etc

Come along and have some fun supporting your local centre and sample our delicious delights while you are there.

MARSH MAIDENS W I

Your local evening group, meeting every third Monday each month at Uplands Community Centre, Ashburnham Way, Carlton Colville.

Have you ever wondered what we really get up to?

Why not come along and see for yourself? Visitors are always welcome and we really are a friendly group.

Why not try us on Monday 18th July (7.30p.m) when we will be talking Clay and entertained with Sea Shanties with

guests from Great Yarmouth Potteries or Monday 19th September (7.30p.m) when we will be "trying" to make some jam and an alcoholic tippie with berries and sloes we will pick ourselves We do charge a £3.00 visitor fee but, if you then join this will be deducted from your membership fee

"REMEMBER WHEN" MUSIC & DANCE CLUB

This is a new club that is held every Friday from 7.45pm to 11.45pm at the Carlton Colville Community for anyone over 40 years of age to go and enjoy, dance to or just listen to their favourite type of music from the 50's to the 80's.

Admission is £4, but is not run for profit, any profits it does make are ploughed back into the club to hire bands and organise special events (including fundraising for local charities). To encourage new members, membership is free for a year. To enable members to afford to attend regularly there is no bar.....they take their own food and drinks and Tea, coffee and cakes are available.

Members find it a friendly, happy, fun, relaxed, and with a very sociable atmosphere and where anyone can dance any type of dance they like and can request any music or song for the DJ to play".

The club aims to hold theme nights, buffets, arrange various social activities, outings & visits, charity fundraising events, functions, and apply for concessions/ bulk purchase of tickets for concerts etc... etc....

So as this is a new much needed unique addition to your local community hall activities, we hope many of you will pay the club a visit and help Tim and his friends make it a success.

Please Note..... The club will be closed for three weeks August 19th and 26th and September 2nd due to the hall floor being renovated/re-polished and some redecorating and will re open on Friday 9th September.





The Connecting Bus (new from 13 June 2016)

Between 0930 and 1600 on Wednesdays, the Connecting Bus covers the following parishes: Barnby, Beccles, Carlton Colville, Ellough, Gisleham, Henstead Hulver Street, Kessingland, Lowestoft, Mutford, North Cove, Rushmere, Sotterley, Willingham St Mary and Worlingham. The Connecting Bus allows people to request any journey within the area above and anyone can use the service. Pick up is from a safe location near your home: a bus stop or the end of your road. Fares are similar to those on buses, under 20s have reduced fares and concessionary passes are valid after 0930.

Door to door (formerly called Dial a Ride)

Between 0930 and 1600 on Mondays to Fridays, the door to door service enables eligible registered members to request transport from their home to their final destination for journeys within these parishes: Benacre, Blundeston, Carlton Colville, Corton, Covehithe, Flixton (Lowestoft), Frostenden, Gisleham, Kessingland, Lound, Lowestoft, Oulton, Reydon, Somerleyton/Ashby/Herringfleet, South Cove, Southwold, and Wrentham. Fares are reasonable but concessionary passes cannot be used.

Community car service

The car service operates up to seven days a week, depending on the availability of volunteer drivers who use their own vehicles. Anyone may ask to use the service to make journeys for which neither a car, nor public transport, is available.

The fare is based on the distance travelled. The distance is from between the driver's home to the place where you are picked up and on to your destination and back to the driver's home. A single journey costs a minimum of £1.80 for the first four miles, plus 45p/mile for every additional mile. Fares are charged per passenger. We can give you an idea of the cost when you book.

To book any of these services or find out more go to bactcommunitytransport.org.uk or telephone 01986 896896

Looking for a way to exercise? Why not try Pilates classes in Carlton Colville?



Pilates is a great form of exercise that is suitable for all, beginners through to improves through to top class athletes who want to strengthen their core for their specific sport.

It can be done by all adults and classes can be suitable for male and female, from 16 to well it's up to the individual, but there are ladies in their 70's and 80's still taking part at their level.

There is also pilates for youngsters from 5-16 years in the form of Smarty Pilates.

Pilates is demanding, but it's not the kind of workout that will make you hot and sweaty, it is low-Impact, engaging your muscles in a strong but gentle way. It's all about concentration and breathing. But you'll definitely feel it in your muscles during each exercise.

Areas that Pilates target:-

*Core: Your core is the main focus of this workout.

*Back: Pilates focuses on stabilising and strengthening your back as you strengthen your abs. Many doctors, physios, chiropractors recommend Pilates for back problems.

*Arms: many of the warm up band work targets your arms.

*Legs: You'll use your upper legs to help engage your core.

*Glutes: You will use your glutes as you work on moves that stabilise your core. Many Doctors and physios recommend Pilates especially for people with back issues and feedback from people doing Pilates with back problems do say it is very beneficial and notice when they miss a class.

You can start with basic exercises and as you improve you can move onto intermediate and finally onto advanced moves as you get better and if you want to.



Classes run at

Bloodmoor Community Hall	Monday	9.30-10.30
Carlton Primary School	Tuesday	5.45-6.45
Bloodmoor Community Hall	Thursday	7.30-8.30

For more information contact Jackie Milton at jmphysical@gmail.com or 07962071131 / 01502 513848.

Water, Mills and Marshes: the Broads Landscape Partnership

HLF Awards us £2.6m grant!

We have been successful with our first round application to the Heritage Lottery Fund! The HLF have awarded us an earmarked grant of £2.6 million for the development and delivery of Water, Mills and Marshes: the Broads Landscape Partnership Scheme. The first round grant of £226,000 will allow the partnership to fully develop project ideas before a second round application to unlock the remaining £2.4 million grant.

Robyn Llewellyn, Head of Heritage Lottery Fund East of England, said: "I'm delighted that thanks to National Lottery players we have been able to fund this project to save this precious drained marsh landscape, conserve threatened habitats and species, and to reconnect people with the natural heritage all around them."

Our success has been made possible thanks to overwhelming support from partners, stakeholders and communities throughout the region. We would like to thank everyone who has been involved with the project so far, you helped make this happen.



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“Equipping school children and college students with the knowledge and enthusiasm for looking after the Broads will ensure the unique area is as dear to generations to come as it is to us now.”

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Town Council Meetings

Full Town Council Meetings are usually held on the first Wednesday of each month at 7.00pm at the Methodist Church, Shaw Avenue. Planning and Amenities Committees meet as required and details of these meetings are posted on the website and the notice boards at Famona Road, Chapel Road, Ribblesdale and outside the Co-operative Ashburnham Way.

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