

Braunston Village News

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OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Thank you to anyone in the village who helped this cause. At school, we managed to collect 114 shoe boxes and some of these were given by people in the village.

All the shoe boxes from Northamptonshire are going to children in Belarus in Eastern Europe. Many of the children who receive a box have never had a present before. The pictures showing smiling children receiving their boxes in previous years highlight just how much pleasure these shoe boxes give.

There was great excitement on Wednesday, 23rd November when the lorry arrived and the shoe boxes were loaded on, ready for the first part of the long journey to Belarus. We hope to have a visitor from Samaritan's Purse in January to tell us about the work in Belarus.

We expect to take part in this project again next year and hope many other villagers will join with us.

Thank you to everyone who helped this year.

Barbara Parfitt
Headteacher
Braunston CE Primary School





All Saints' Church Braunston

Parish Priest: Rev'd Claire Rose-Casemore
Tel: 890235 (Rest day Fridays)

Churchwardens: Charles Dunn - 812143
Sheila Rowley - 890559

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Treasurer: John Lewis - 891149

**Organist and
Choirmaster:** David Noble - 815173

Services and Events at All Saints' Church and in the Daventry Team for December 2005 and January 2006

DECEMBER 2005

Wednesday 30th November

7.30pm Advent Course in the
Parish Room

Saturday 3rd December

Daventry Brass Band Concert-
All Saints' Church 7.30pm

Sunday 4th December

8am Holy Communion
10.30 am Parish Communion and
Fishers
3-5pm St Nicholas Service- for
families- Nene Hall
6.30pm Evensong

Wednesday 7th December

10.30 am Holy Communion
7.30pm Advent Course

Thursday 8th December

7.30pm Team Council- Braunston

Sunday 11th December

8am Holy Communion
10.30 am Family Service

Tuesday 13th December

2pm Little Fishers and Toddlers
Christmas Party at Holy Cross
Church Hall, Daventry
7.30pm Advent Course

Wednesday 14th December

7pm Holy Communion
7.45pm PCC

Sunday 18th December

8am Holy Communion
10.30 am Holy Communion and
Fishers
4pm Christingle

Tuesday 20th December

Carol Singing around the village-
meet in the Church at 6.30pm

Wednesday 21st December

7.30pm Advent Course

Thursday 22nd December

7.30pm Nine lessons and carols



Saturday 24th December

3pm Carols and blessing of the
crib
11.30pm Midnight Communion

Sunday 25th December

10.30 am Christmas Day Family
Communion

ANUARY 2006

unday 1st January

8am Holy Communion
10.30am Parish Communion
6.30pm No Evensong

Wednesday 4th January

10.30am Holy Communion

unday 8th January

8am Holy Communion
10.30am Family Service-
Epiphany

Monday 9th January

2pm Little Fishers

Wednesday 11th January

7pm Holy Communion
7.45pm PCC

unday 15th January

8am Holy Communion
10.30 am Parish Communion
and Fishers

Monday 16th January

2pm Little Fishers

Wednesday 18th January

10.30am Holy Communion

unday 22nd January

8am Holy Communion
10.30am Family Communion

Monday 23rd January

2pm Little Fishers

unday 29th January

8am Holy Communion
10.30 am Parish Communion and
Fishers

Monday 30th January

2pm Little Fishers



CAROL SINGING **AROUND THE VILLAGE**

Tuesday 20th December
Meet in the Church at
6.30pm



All Ages and everybody welcome

Advent Course 2005

'Streams of living water':

Spirituality explored in the lead up to

Christmas

Wednesday 30th November

Wednesday 7th December

Tuesday 13th December

Wednesday 21st December

7.30pm in the Parish Room at
All Saints' Church, Braunston

ALL WELCOME

Vicar's Letter

Dear friends,

As I write this the count-down to Christmas has begun. It is a time for lists - which are added to each day. Presents to buy, cards to write, food to prepare... Days off and every free moment will be spent trudging around the sparkling stores, the atmosphere charged with excitement!

At the same time in Church, by the time this magazine arrives in your home, we will be preparing for Christmas in the four weeks of Advent. We will be thinking of the prophets who 100's of years before Jesus was born were predicting his birth. We will be thinking of John the Baptist who, as the forerunner to Jesus, asked people to 'get ready' and we will be thinking of the obedience of Mary and the trust of Joseph. And then, we will be experiencing the mystery and wonder once more of the birth of the Christ child.

What is so amazing about Christmas? It is the excitement of 'getting ready' and reaching that point of family festivity. It is also acknowledging the gift of God - a baby wrapped in swaddling clothes lying in a manger.

There was the wonder and joy of his Mum and Dad, but also there is the wonder and joy of all of us as we try to take in that this is 'God-with-us'. God,

who is the Creator of the Universe, comes to us in smallness, weakness and hidden ness. God can get no closer - in His love He lives amongst us. Please make time this Christmas to draw close to Him.

Please come and join us in our Seasonal Services. You will find these advertised in this edition of the BVN. (See Page 12)

Peace and joy to you this Christmas, as God in his love lives amongst us, -and wishing you a very happy and peaceful New Year,

Rev'd Claire



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JETTY FIELD

Next work day Saturday 3rd December at 10.30. We intend an all out attack on an area that we hope to use for allotments. Please bring strimmers, loppers, secateurs and rakes with wellie boots or stout shoes, thick gloves and enthusiasm. There will be no bonfire.

There will also a meeting for anyone interested in taking an allotment in Jetty Field at 5, Mill Close at 7.30pm on Thursday 15th December. All those who have already expressed an interest will be contacted. If you cannot attend then please let Pat 890590 or Dave 890826 know of your interest.

Pat and Sybil Herlihy

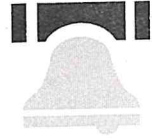
BRAUNSTON CE SCHOOL

If your child is due to start school September 2006 and you would like a place at Braunston CE Primary, please contact the school by 9th January 2006 on 01788 890494

or write to:

Mrs B Parfitt
Braunston CE School
Barby Lane
Brainston
Daventry
NN11 7HE

The Village Bells

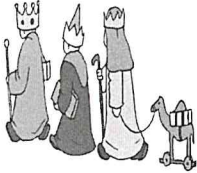


Bells need ringers, a minimum of one per bell, and ideally we need sufficient ringers to cover for holidays and other absences. Occasionally our numbers are reduced and we have vacancies for new learners. English bell ringing is not only a fascinating individual skill, it leads to close team work and a social bond with ringers throughout the country. Learners' ages range from school children to retired persons. However, in the case of young persons, parental support is needed.

At Braunston we are recognised as a teaching centre and hold dedicated sessions for learners. To find more of this interesting activity give Peter Wenham a call on 891935 – or come along to our ringing practice at 7.30 p.m. on Thursdays.

Peter Wenham

CHURCH NEWS



Come and be part of a big nativity..!

Join us for the crib service
3pm on
Christmas Eve.

(Your child can watch,
or come dressed as a sheep,
shepherd, King or angel,
or be given props on the day!)

Tuesday 13th December 2pm

Toddlers and Little Fishers Christmas
Party
Holy Cross Church hall, Daventry

Do come- we will be having the Christmas
story, a party, and a special visitor
promises to 'pop in'!

Please tell Rev'd Claire (01788-890235)
if you would like to come!



Thank You

Many thanks from All Saints' Church to all those who helped to make the Christmas Fair on Saturday 19th November such a happy and successful occasion. Just over £1000 was raised for Church funds. So a huge thank you.

Thank you also to those who responded to our 'Friends of all Saints' appeal. All your contributions really help us to sustain our local Church - so many thanks.

Congratulations:

The winners of the 'Friends of All Saints' raffle drawn at the Christmas Fair were:

M&S tokens - Judith Sykes

Chocolates - Mr. F. Oxborough -

CHURCH NEWS

Registers for November 2005

Baptisms

30th October 2005

Molly Welch

Elena Tennant

*Welcome to the Church
family*

Church Floodlighting for November 2005

* = Friends of All Saints – Thank You

- 1st November - For Margaret Meredith on her Birthday from Jenny & Tony
- 1st November - In Celebration of Robert Cluett's 65th Birthday with love from his wife Thelma
- 1st November - Happy Birthday Pat Hiriart with love
- 2nd November * - In loving memory of Beryl
- 2nd November * - For Janet McCarthy's Birthday with love
- 7/8th November - Thank you for your hospitality & Love, Braunston & All Saints, love from Rose.
- 8th November - In Memory of Jean Sigsworth on her Birthday
- 11th November * - For Hannah, Isabel & Layla (Two today)
- 17th November - In memory of Millie Checklin Nee Overton on her Birthday from Jackie Matthew & Melissa
- 18th November * - In Memory of my husband John Sharpe
- 21st November - Loving memories dear Bob on your 80th Birthday love Josie, Anne, Shane, Paula, Joe & Grand Children
- 23rd November - In memory of Gill Hallam, miss you everyday mum & wonder what could've been and Happy Birthday to Tina Fitzhugh all my love Keiran Hallam
- 24th November - Louise & Graham's special day
- 26th November - In celebration of the 90th birthday of Ken Forster
- 26th November * - Our first year in Braunston
- 26th November * - To Ryan - Happy Birthday with love Mum, Dad and Marc
- 27th November * - Happy Birthday Trevor
- 26th November until 2nd December - To celebrate Louise & Graham's marriage



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The Well

@ Braunston



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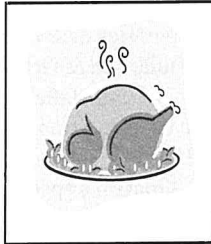
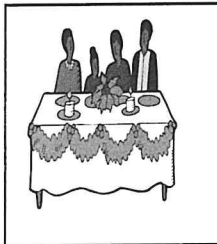
Invites You to a
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DINNER

At The Village Hall
On
Christmas Day at 1.30pm

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No charge – Donation only

Please reply by 12
December to assist with
catering To:
The Well,
31 High Street.

Or call:
Steve – 0776 231 4889
Alison – 0785 464 9623



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HOPE & HOMES for children

Hope and Homes help to provide a family and a future for thousands of orphaned or abandoned children.



Thank you all for supporting Hope & Homes.

As of 20th. November you have raised £2,505.39, this year.

The Church Christmas Fayre raised £92.95.

The final amount raised from the Sponsored Walk/Cycle was £581.00.

A forthcoming event is a C Hall at 2:00pm.

The penny Pots collection has been very successful raising £698.26. We hope that with your help this can continue. So if you require a pot, or would like to donate your filled penny pot, call Brenda on 899086.

Well done, Happy Christmas. The girls of Braunston Home, Sudan, thank you for your help and support. raft Stall at the The Angler's Christmas Fayre, on the 10th. December, in the Village

Peter Hobbs

Daxa

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Tuesday 10th January
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The Braunston "Dick Herne" History Society

Many thanks to all who came to hear Grenville Hatton last month. He gave us a great insight into researching the history of old houses, which we will find invaluable for our next project.

NO MEETING IN DECEMBER

Our next meeting will take place in the Parish Room on Tuesday January 17th at 7.30pm. in the Parish Room of the Church

New members always welcome

Mrs H Mackichan

01788 890881

Youth Club

Forthcoming Events

2nd. December 2005 -

A Christmas Craft night at Braunston Church (as Village Hall is in use).

Come and make something different.

16th. December 2005

Christmas Party - A Christmas Party with games.

All parents are welcome to come and join in.

13th. January 2006

Sweet Making - make coconut ice and other treats.

27th. January 2006

Paddy's Disco - Come and have fun at Paddy's Disco.

Prizes to be won.

Peter Hobbs

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WEA



Learning for Life

WEA Braunston Branch

Reg. Charity No. 314001

Thursdays 7.45 - 9.15 pm
8 meetings starting on 9th February 2006
at Braunston School.

ASTRONOMY FOR BEGINNERS

Tutor: Frank Gear

This course will answer many of the questions asked by those who have an interest in astronomy. What is a star? How do I find constellations? What equipment do I need? This is a course to fire the imagination.

Further details from Jackie Green (890145)
or Richard Dibben (890515)



*Braunston
Womens
Institute*

Tuesday December 6th
"CHRISTMAS PARTY and
Entertainment with Father
Christmas" - by Mr David Baker
as usual 7.30pm at the Village
Hall.

Tuesday January 10th
Members Christmas Lunch
at The Windmill, Badby
12.30 pm for 1.00pm.

**FISHING CLUB
CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**

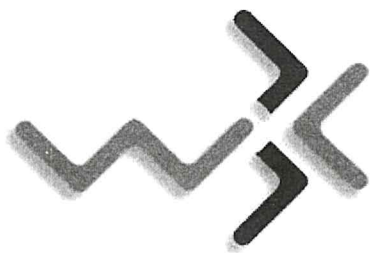
Saturday 10th December
in the Village Hall at 2.00pm

Cakes	Greetings Cards
Refreshments	Tombola
Raffle	White Elephant

FATHER CHRISTMAS

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Opening

January 2006

Braunston Walkers

Saturday 19/11/2005 Kilsby Walk (10 -12 Miles)

Just about perfect weather for a walk, cold, frosty and sunny, greeted us as we set off from the village hall. The early morning mist was already being burnt off as we walked the footpath from Ashby Road across the fields of rape to the Barby Road just below Fir Tree Farm. The ground was hard underfoot after two or three nights of heavy frost. The hedgerows sparkled in the sun as we walked up the hill along the road past the medieval village site of Fawcliff below Braunson Cleves and up to join the road into Barby. Avoiding the construction vehicles, resurfacing the road, we continued to the cross roads and branched off past the partially frozen fishing lake and the old mill.

We continued along the frozen track skirting around the side of Barby Hill and joined the road. The radio towers at Kilsby looked like they were floating in mid air in the mist. We then walked to the Oxford canal at Wood Bridge and along the towpath under the M45 and then under Norman Bridge which is Barby Lane. The canal was frozen in places and where the towpath was badly eroded we narrowly avoided a swim. Along this stretch of canal are some small gardens with boat docks that looked lovingly tended by their owners.

We finally arrived at Tarry's Bridge on the Rugby Road to Kilsby. Taking our life into our hands we walked at the side this fast stretch of road with views of the DIRFT buildings across the fields and then down into Kilsby itself.

Kilsby is a surprisingly large village and we found our way past the Red Lion pub and then past an old cobb wall and into the churchyard. We arrived at the George Pub where the welcome was warm, mainly

because we had removed our boots on Phillip's advice. The baguettes went down well as did the pint of Tinnars ale from Cornwall and after a well earned rest we set off again out of the village on a footpath bridge over the M45 and across frozen fields to the road known as The Ridgeway where a friendly dog let us know that he was not happy that we were near his masters house.

We set off past Ashby Home Woods and the beautiful lake. This estate was recently acquired by the crown commission and we speculated that Prince Charles or even Prince William could one day be visiting. The many pheasants scattered like headless chickens just in case we were a shooting party.

The footpath then goes directly across a ploughed field and past the sadly non existent Cocked Hat Spinney that is shown on the map even though the trees have long since gone. We walked around the field to avoid the worst of the mud. By now the sun was dropping fast and some of the field that had had no sun were still heavily frosted.

We arrived at the A361 at Ashby St Ledger and after scraping the mud off our boots we set off up the Jurassic Way footpath towards Braunston. Jane pointed out the flat Scotch thistle and the tall Sow thistle in the fields. It was four o'clock and rapidly getting dark as we arrived back in the village after an excellent walk.

To join us - call either Phillip on 01788891437 or Ray on 01788891384. The next walk is planned for 17/12, when we will walk to Wofhamcote and then back via Willoughby. The only thing you need is sturdy footwear and enthusiasm.

The Twinning Association

The Twinning Association Quiz in the village hall on Saturday 19th November was John Forster's last quiz as Quizmaster after many many years. Our pictures taken of John at the end of the Quiz and also some of the winners.



The man with all the answers



The Winners with their Certificates and medals



BRAUNSTON CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A PREMISES LICENCE

Due to a change in legislation, we are required by law to advertise our application for a premises licence.

The activities undertaken at school will be no different from those of the past.

Vanessa Chamberlain

DECEMBER DIARY OF EVENTS

Sunday		
Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
Thursday	1	
Friday	2	Scouts – Youth Club
Saturday	3	Jettyfield Work Day 7.30pm Daventry Brass Band Concert – All Saints
Sunday	4	8.00 Holy Communion, 10.30 Parish Communion with Fishers, 3-5pm St Nicholas Service 6.30 Evensong
Monday	5	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm Church Choir – 7.00/8.00-9.00pm – Explorer Scouts Council Meeting
Tuesday	6	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall WI 7.30pm.
Wednesday	7	10.30am Holy Communion Beavers – Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm – 7.30pm Advent Course
Thursday	8	Cubs – 7.30 Team Council meeting, Braunston Bell Ringers 7.30pm - Fishing Club Bingo 8.00pm
Friday	9	Scouts
Saturday	10	2.00pm Fishing Club Christmas Bazaar
Sunday	11	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Family Service
Monday	12	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Church Choir 7.00/8.00-9.00 Explorer Scouts Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm Friendly Club Christmas Lunch 11.30am
Tuesday	13	Toddlers and Fishers Christmas Party at Holy Cross, British Legion – 8.00pm Old Plough, Braunston

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DECEMBER DIARY OF EVENTS

Wednesday	14	7.00pm – Holy Communion. 7.45 PCC Beavers – Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm
Thursday	15	Cubs - Bell Ringers 7.30pm - Fishing Club Bingo 8.00pm Jettyfield meeting for Allotment holders
Friday	16	Scouts – Youth Club
Saturday	17	Braunston Walkers
Sunday	18	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Holy Communion with Fishers 4.00pm Christingle Service
Monday	19	Explorer Scouts - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm - Church Choir – 7.00/8.00-9.00pm. – 2.00pm Friendly Club Mincepie tea
Tuesday	20	6.30pm Carol Singing around the Village
Wednesday	21	10.30am Holy Communion, Beavers - Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm – 7.30 Advent Course
Thursday	22	7.30pm Service of Nine Lessons and Carols
Friday	23	
Saturday	24	1.30 Christmas Dinner at the Village Hall (The Well) 3.00pm Carols and Crib Blessing 11.30pm Midnight Communion
Sunday	25	10.30 Christmas Day Family Communion
Monday	26	
Tuesday	27	
Wednesday	28	
Thursday	29	
Friday	30	
Saturday	31	
Sunday		

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JANUARY 2006 DIARY OF EVENTS

Sunday	1	8.00 Holy Communion, 10.30 Parish Communion 6.30pm Evensong
Monday	2	
Tuesday	3	
Wednesday	4	10.30am Holy Communion
Thursday	5	
Friday	6	
Saturday	7	
Sunday	8	EPIPHANY - 8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Family Service
Monday	9	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Church Choir 7.00/8.00-9.00 Explorer Scouts - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm Friendly Club 2.30pm – Council Meeting
Tuesday	10	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall British Legion – 8.00pm The Sporting Club, Barby
Wednesday	11	10.30am Holy Communion – Beavers – Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00
Thursday	12	Cubs – 7.30pm Bell Ringers – Fishing Club Bingo
Friday	13	Scouts – Youth Club
Saturday	14	
Sunday	15	8.00am Holy Communion 10.30 Parish Communion

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JANUARY 2006 DIARY OF EVENTS

Monday	16	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Explorer Scouts - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm - Church Choir – 7.00/8.00-9.00pm.
Tuesday	17	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall History Group – 7.30pm Parish Room – British Legion Annual Dinner, The Sporting Club, Barby
Wednesday	18	10.30am Holy Communion, Beavers - Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm
Thursday	19	Bell Ringers 7.30pm - Cubs - Fishing Club Bingo 8.00pm
Friday	20	Scouts
Saturday	21	
Sunday	22	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Simple Family Communion
Monday	23	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Explorer Scouts - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm - Church Choir – 7.00/8.00-9.00pm. 2.30pm Friendly Club
Tuesday	24	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall
Wednesday	25	10.30 Holy Communion Beavers – Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm
Thursday	26	Bell Ringers 7.30pm - Cubs - Fishing Club Bingo 8.00pm
Friday	27	Scouts – Youth Club
Saturday	28	
Sunday	29	8.00 Holy Communion 10.30 Parish Communion and Fishers
Monday	30	Little Fishers 2.00pm - Explorer Scouts - Tai Chi Club 7.00-8.30pm - Church Choir – 7.00/8.00-9.00pm.
Tuesday	31	

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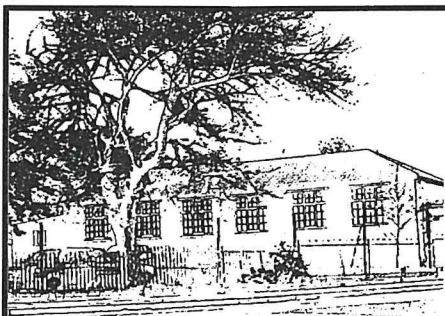
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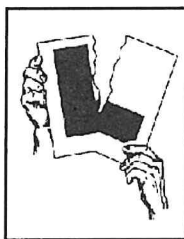
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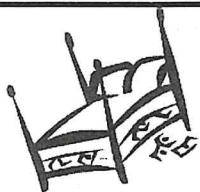
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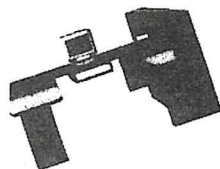


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Quality Christmas Time

A deep and profoundly relaxing treat; a back massage aimed to relieve stress & tension, whilst lying face up on warm water-filled cushions. Then an aromatherapy facial and a deluxe manicure.

Seasonal Recovery

Just become a mum? Let me help you to recover soothing back massage, followed by reflexology to detox, rebalance your hormones and heal from within, finishing with a nail shape and polish.

The New Years Eve Preparation

A swift half leg, bikini & underarm wax with an eye brow tidy, finishing with an energising mini facial. Perfect for the big night out!

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Clubs and Society Events

Friendly Club

Monday 12th December

CHRISTMAS LUNCH at The Queen's Head, Bretford
The coach will leave The Green at 11.30am and return at 2.30pm from Bretford

Cost of the meal is £10.00
Please bring a small Christmas gift to be distributed after the meal.

Monday 19th December

A Mincepie tea, starting at the EARLIER TIME of 2.00pm until 4.00pm

There will be a Bring and Buy stall of Christmas items

January 9th 2006

Meeting has still to be arranged
The Club meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month in the Village Hall at 2.30pm

January 23rd

Mr Peter Warilow will talk to us about the Royal Naval Lifeboat Institute

Gillian Powell

200 Club Winners

<u>Date</u>	<u>Prize</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Winner</u>
13th October 2005	£10	104	M Hick
	£5	84	A Cunningham
20th October 2005	£50	61	D Waltiers
27th October 2005	£10	66	S A Isom
	£5	131	F J Cox
3rd November 2005	£10	7	P M Price
	£5	107	M Mandeville
10th November 2005	£10	124	L Masters
	£5	5	K Bown

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Clubs and Society Events



THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION BRAUNSTON & DISTRICT

The AGM was held at the George Hotel , Kilsby, on 8th November, and was attended by 30 members. The existing Officers were re-elected for a further 12 months. The Chairman, Alan Kirton, reported a successful year with membership holding steady at 66.

During the year the Branch donated a sum of £2,000 to Galanus House to provide extra amenities for the ex-servicemen residents.

Over 140 people enjoyed the band concert given by Daventry Brass Band, in Daventry on 11 November, to celebrate the ending of WW2. Over £625, after expenses, was raised for this years Poppy Appeal.

The Branch Standard was paraded by Jack Edwards at this years Festival of Remembrance at The Royal Albert Hall, a great honour for the Branch. There was a good turn out at Braunston Church on 13 November, for the Service of Remembrance.

The Branch Annual Dinner is to be held on 17 January, 2006, at the Sporting Club, Barby. Applications for tickets should be made to Clive Cooper.

The last meeting this year will be held at the Old Plough, Braunston, on 13 December at 8.00pm.

Tony Saunderson

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Clubs and Society Contacts

Club	Contact	Phone (01788)	Meetings
Angling Club	Chris Miller	891938	
After School Club			
Army Cadet Force	David A Hurley	890095	Boys and Girls from 13yrs to 18yrs. Every Tuesday evening 19.00 to 21.30
Beavers (For boys and girls)	Jennifer Rolt	890241	5¼ -8yr old Boys and Girls on Wednesdays
Bell Ringers	Peter Wenham	891935	Thursday evenings at 7.30 – 9.00
Braunston Players	Tony Ward tony.ward@braunston.net	899105	Annual Show plus informal get-togethers - 1 st Wednesday of each month
Braunston Walkers	Phillip Ray	891437 891384	Gentle walks of 5-7 miles around the area
Brownies (at Barby School)	Karen or Nicola Holman	891299	7-10 yr old girls Wednesday 6.30 to 8.00
Church Choir	David Noble	815173	Mondays Juniors 7-8pm Seniors 7.30-9pm
Conservation Group	Pat Herlihy	890590	
Cricket Club	Simon Stapley	890475	
Cub Scouts(For boys and girls)	Linda Lewcock	01327 878341	8-10½ year old on Thursdays
Fishing Club	G Donald	891264	Bingo every Thursday 8.00pm Village Hall
Friendly Club (for over 60's)	Gill Powell	890763	Village Hall 2.30pm on 2 nd and 4 th Mondays
Friends of Braunston School	Michelle Griffiths	890345	
Gardens Assn	Chris Grossart,	890491	
Guides			
History Society	Chris Pardoe	890448	
Junior and Infants School		890494	
Junior Football	Shaun Tokley Robin Childs	891206 890728	Training on Sundays 10.30-noon for 9+ years

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Playing Fields Association	Simon Skelcey, Linda Hawkins, Wendy Wilson	891220 890583 890348	
Pre-School	Alison Jennings	07950246 130	Mon – Friday am during term time in the Village Hall
Royal British Legion	Colin D White	890390	2 nd Tuesday of month at 8.00pm
2 nd Braunston Scouts	Group Scout Leader – Steve Rolt	890241	
Beavers (For boys and girls)	Jennifer Rolt	890241	5¾ -8yr old Boys and Girls
Cub Scouts(For boys and girls)	Linda Lewcock	01327 878341	8-10½ year old boys and girls
Scouts (For Boys and Girls)	Joan Bishop	01327 878178	10½ -14 yr old Boys and Girls
Explorer Scouts	Steve Rolt	890421	14-18 yr olds (in Daventry)
Short Mat Bowls	Gill Powell	890763	Thursdays 2.00pm in Village Hall
Tai Chi Club	John Harford	01327 705807	Mondays 7-8.30pm Village Hall
Toddler Group	Wendy Wilson Tracy Martins	890348 891824	Every Tuesday 1.30-3.00 Village Hall
Twinning Association	Chris Grossart Elizabeth Gwynne	890491 891331	Organises social events and visits to and from Quincy-Voisins
Village Hall Committee	Kelly Brewster Kate Mawer villagehall@braunston.net	0772 412 3363	Village Hall bookings
Women's Institute	Rosemary Harding Sue Baker	891854 891967	1 st Tuesday at 7.30pm
WEA (Workers Educational Assn)	Jackie Green	890145	Thursday evenings at School during Autumn and Spring Terms
Youth Club (9-15yrs)	Cindy Brewster Peter Hobbs	891511 899086	Alternate Friday evenings in the Village Hall



All Saints' Christmas Services 2005

Saturday 3rd December 7.30pm

Daventry Brass Band in concert

Sunday 11th December 10.30am

Advent Family Service- by 'the Fishers'

Tuesday 13th December 2pm

Little Fishers and toddlers Christmas party-
Holy Cross Church hall, Daventry

Sunday 18th December 4pm

Christingle

Tuesday 20th December 6.30pm

Carol Singing around the village

Thursday 22nd December 7.30pm

Nine Lessons & Carols

Saturday 24th December Christmas Eve


3pm Crib Service

11.30pm Midnight Mass

Sunday 25th December Christmas Day

10.30am Parish Communion

Come & Join us!



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