

# Braunston Village News

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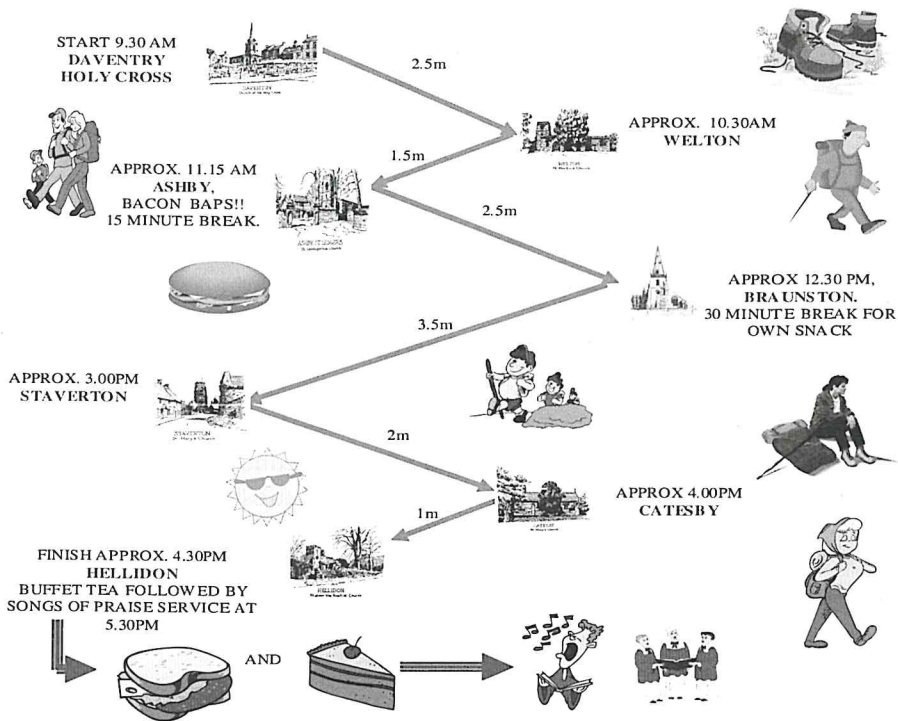
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## DAVENTRY TEAM SPONSORED WALK

### ROGATION SUNDAY, MAY 9TH



All ages welcome for a fun day out whilst raising essential funds for your Team ministry. Walk from any church and celebrate with us at the Hellidon Service at 5.30pm.



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*Parish Priest: Rev'd Claire Rose-Casemore - Tel: 01788 890235 (Rest day Thursday)*

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Mrs Sue Brooks: 01788 890042

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**CHURCH SERVICES AND EVENTS MAY 2010**

**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Easter 5**

9.15 am Holy Communion -  
Ashby

11.00 am Holy Communion with  
Kids' Club - Braunston

6.30pm Evensong - Braunston

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> May**

BANK HOLIDAY - no Little Fishers

**Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> May**

10.30 am Holy Communion -  
Braunston

4.30 pm Evening Prayer - Ashby

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May – Easter 6**

8.00 am Holy Communion -  
Braunston

9.15 am Holy Communion -  
Ashby

11.00 am Family Service - Braunston

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> May**

2.00 pm Little Fishers - Braunston

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> May**

4.30pm Evening Prayer - Ashby

7.45pm Braunston PCC

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> May – Ascension Day**

7.00am Service at Daventry Country  
Park

7.30pm Team Communion at  
Braunston

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> May – Sunday after  
Ascension Day (Easter 7)**

8.00am Holy Communion -  
Braunston

9.15am Holy Communion - Ashby

11.00am Holy Communion with  
Kids' Club - Braunston

**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May**

2.00pm Little Fishers - Braunston

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> May**

10.30am Holy Communion-  
Braunston

4.30pm Evening Prayer - Ashby

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> May - Pentecost**

8am Holy Communion - Braunston

11am Family Communion -  
Braunston

4 pm Family Service - Ashby

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup> May**

2 pm Little Fishers - Braunston

**Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May**

10.30am Holy Communion -  
Braunston

4.30pm Evening Prayer - Ashby

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May - Trinity Sunday**

11.00am **TEAM COMMUNION** in  
**WELTON -**

**No other services in the Team on  
this day**

**Monday 31<sup>st</sup> May**

**BANK HOLIDAY - no Little Fishers**

## **Letter from Sue Rigsby - Headteacher, Braunston Primary School**

Revd Claire has asked me to write for the Braunston Village News for the month of May whilst she is away on her sabbatical. I was very pleased to be asked and then wondered what on earth I could write about that would be of interest. I have decided to share my thoughts about working in Braunston and what it means to me to be the headteacher of the village school here.

I had been head of Lumbertubs Primary School, part of the Eastern District of Northampton, for 4 ½ years when I saw the advertisement for the headship of Braunston. I wanted to come back to this side of the county, having always lived and worked in Daventry prior to going to Lumbertubs. When I came to look around the school, everyone I met was so friendly and helpful and the ethos of the school was so warm and welcoming, I knew this was where I wanted to

be. Needless to say I was absolutely ecstatic to be offered the role after an intensive day of interviewing.

Well now I am here and my feelings have not changed at all. The staff, the children, the parents, the governors and those members of the village I have met, have all made me feel very at home. I love the fact that there is a real community feel about working in Braunston. This was really brought home to me at Christmas with the collection of shoeboxes for Liberia. Every time I looked out of my office window I saw yet another member of the village bringing their shoebox donations. I also very much enjoyed the fact that many members of the community came to the school concert and also to Songs around the Christmas Tree. I had not experienced this level of community involvement at Lumbertubs and I feel very

strongly that the school should be at the centre of its locality.

The church gives Braunston School the support it needs as a very caring place to be, the visits to All Saints Church are very important to the children and staff of the school. The atmosphere and wonder created when we lit the candles at Christingle was wonderful, a very positive experience for all of us in the church at the time. The Easter service, in which we have just been involved, made this time of year even more meaningful to us all (and the children enjoyed the eggs on offer too!). Our next visit to church is for Pentecost and there will be a Pentecost Picnic afterwards for the children at the village playing field (weather permitting). Please come and join us at either venue, you will be very welcome.

I will end by saying once again how pleased I am to be in the village and to part of such a lovely school and I would like to share our school prayer with you:

This is our school, let peace live here.  
Let the rooms be full of happiness.  
Let us love everyone here,  
And never hurt anyone by what we say or what we do.  
Because at Braunston School WE  
CARE.  
Amen

Sue Rigby

All Saints Church,  
Braunston

## **FAMILY SERVICE**

### **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May 11:00am**

The Family Service is obviously a more relaxed, less formal service which is aimed at the younger members.

Why not come along and see if it is for you



## Registers for April 2010

Funeral :  
13th April 2010  
Christopher John FORD

May he rest in peace and  
Rise in *Glory*

### *Braunston Playing Field Association*

Braunston Playing Field  
as you may not have seen in before



Thanks to a grant from Northamptonshire County Council Empowerment Fund BPFAs was able to have the remaining length of boundary hedge laid. This enabled this photo to be taken from the other side of the hedge (despite the snow).

## Church Floodlighting for March to May 2010

### March's Floodlighting

- 5th March - \* Happy Birthday Rosie - love Maggie & Mick  
6th March - \* Happy Birthday Mattie - love Maggie & Mick  
6th March - For Pete Grossart with love on his Birthday from Chris  
7th March - \* Frank & Jenny's 51st Anniversary  
14th March - Lit on Mothering Sunday in memory of Eliza Merchant from all her family  
15th March - \* Happy Birthday Debbie - love Martin  
15th March - \* In memory of Louise Stuart  
15th March - Lit with Birthday memories of Ernie Clarke by his son, Phil  
15th March - Lit by Barbara Bridge in memory of Derek Fletcher, his mother and her father  
16th March - \* Audrey & Ron's 57th Wedding Anniversary  
19th March - \* For Chris Martin on her 70th Birthday from all her friends in Braunston  
20th March - Loving Birthday memories of Betty Ayres from Chris & Pete  
21st March - For Janet & Mike's 46th Wedding Anniversary (McCarthy)  
23rd March - \* For Steve's Special Birthday  
25th March - Loving Birthday memories of Joan Grossart from Chris & Pete  
26th March - \* 27th Wedding Anniversary of Judith & Nigel Sykes



### April's Floodlighting so far...

- 2nd April - In memory of Len Archer from Evelyn, Paul, Stephen, Alan & grandson Harry  
8th April - \* In memory of Anna  
13th April - Happy 80th Birthday Audrey love from Marion, Pat, Sylvia, Chris and husbands  
15th April - \* Happy Birthday Lisa Webb - 'Life Begins' - love Mum & Dad  
16th April - \* In memory of Mrs Doreen Feben-Smith who celebrated her Diamond Wedding Anniversary in this Church  
17th April - \* In memory of Anne Waller's 90th Birthday - love Liz, John, Rob & Stuart  
21st April - To celebrate the life of Jayne Michelle Helliwell. The LIGHT of our life. Today was her Birthday - age 26. Peter, Barbara & Vicki Helliwell.  
23rd April - \* Pat & Sybil's 50th Wedding Anniversary  
25th April - \* Henry Thomas Corbin's 1st Birthday  
25th April - Tristan Bell's last day in "Civvy Street" joining RN Warfare Officer - Good luck Mum, Adrian & Kallum

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*If you would like the Church spire lit up for your celebration or special event, please fill in a form to be found at the back of church and post it in the Rectory letterbox with a minimum donation of £5.*



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Register on the site as a member to receive regular email updates of news, events and special services and to gain access to the "members" area

### May's Floodlighting so far...

- 1st May - In memory of Kathleen Mary Payne on your Birthday, from you loving family.
- 3rd May - \* In memory of Robin
- 5th May - \* For Brian & Marty Seymour on their Wedding Anniversary
- 6th May - \* In loving memory of Gillian
- 7<sup>TH</sup> May - Birthday memories Peter - 65 - love Margaret & Anthony xx
- 8th May - In memory of Harvey Donald Payne & Kathleen Mary Payne - thinking of you both on our wedding day, with love from Emma & Philip
- 8<sup>th</sup> May - Birthday memories of Lil King (08/05/1900 - 04/01/1985) love from Marie, Ann & families
- 14th May - \* David - Happy Anniversary - love Karen xx
- 15th May - \* Happy Birthday Chris - love Mum
- 15 May - Years mind Peter - love Margaret & Anthony.
- 17th May - \* Happy Birthday Sue - with lots of love from Alice xx.
- 29th May - \* For Phyl & Ken's 62nd Wedding Anniversary

\* = Friends of All Saints – **A huge Thank You**

Please take note: - These are all the floodlighting requests received before the BVN  
Deadline - **20<sup>th</sup> April 2010**

## BRAUNSTON PARCELS

Since April 2007 we have been sending "goodie" parcels out to our troops serving in Afghanistan. To date 557 parcels have been dispatched.

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Thank you all once again!

*Val Worrall*



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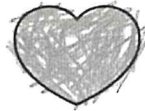
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The Bilton Grange Concert held at the Church	£336.83

## PENNY POTS

Thank you for everyone who takes one of our penny pots, and donates their small change to Hope & Homes. Penny Pots can be obtained from Braunston Store, Braunston Church and Ashby Church. Please continue the good work.

Thank you to Braunston Store, Braunston Church and Ashby Church for displaying and collecting these Penny Pots.

If you do have difficulty in obtaining a Penny Pot then ring Brenda on 01788 899086

## BILTON GRANGE CONCERT

A big thank you to all those involved in the Bilton Grange Concert earlier this year.

There was an exit collection, and half was given to Hope and Homes. The other half being for the Church Roof Restoration Funds. A big thank you to all concerned.

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**TEAM SERVICE**

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> May 11:00am**

On the 30<sup>th</sup>. May there will be no 11:00 am Service  
at Braunston.

Instead, the whole of the Daventry Team, join  
together in the one Service to be held at Welton.

Why not come along and join the Whole of the  
Daventry Team of Churches and worship  
at Welton.

# Braunston Youth Club

Meets fortnightly on  
**FRIDAYS**  
at Braunston Village Hall  
7pm - 9pm

Entrance fee is £1.00  
Members starting age is 9 year old - 16.

Why not come along  
and make new friends,  
have a laugh and try  
something different on  
a Friday night?



We will be meeting on

APRIL - Friday's 16<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>  
MAY - Friday's 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>.  
JUNE - Friday's 11<sup>th</sup>. & 25<sup>th</sup>.

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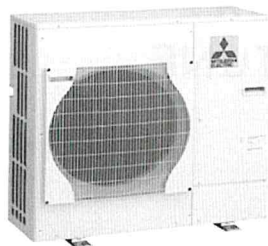
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[info@braunstonfestival.org.uk](mailto:info@braunstonfestival.org.uk) or call  
07989 421 836 to find out more or get involved.

Thanks to everyone who came to the open day or filled in a postcard

to share ideas and offer help.

**Please come to a festival planning meeting on  
Thursday 20 May, 7.30-9pm, at the Village Hall**



# MAY DIARY OF EVENTS

Sunday		
Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
Thursday		
Friday		
Saturday	1	
Sunday	2	<b>9.15 Holy Communion at Ashby - 11.00. Holy Communion, with Kids Club, Braunston - 6.30pm Evensong</b>
Monday	3	<b>BANK HOLIDAY - No Little Fishers</b>
Tuesday	4	7.30pm WI meeting in the Village Hall - British Legion at The White Horse, Welton, 8.00pm
Wednesday	5	10.30 - Holy Communion, Braunston - 4.30pm Prayers at Ashby - Beavers – Scouts - Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm , 8.20 - 9.35pm Adult Tap Dancing Village Hall – 7.00-8.15 Yoga Group
Thursday	6	1.45pm Short Mat Bowls - Cubs – Fishing Club Bingo 8.00pm
Friday	7	7.00pm Youth Club
Saturday	8	
Sunday	9	<b>ROGATION WALK around the seven churches starting at Holy Cross - 8.00am Holy Communion, Braunston - 9.15am Holy Communion, Ashby - 11.00am Family Service , Braunston</b>
Monday	10	2.00pm Little Fishers - 7.00/8.00-9.00pm Church Choir — Explorer Scouts - Friendly Club meeting 2.30pm in the Village Hall
Tuesday	11	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall
Wednesday	12	4.30pm Prayers at Ashby - 7.45pm Braunston PCC - Beavers – Scouts - Brownies at Barby 6.30-8.00pm , 8.20 - 9.35pm Adult Tap Dancing Village Hall – 7.00-8.15 Yoga Group
Thursday	13	<b>ASCENSION DAY - 7.00am Service at Daventry Country Park - 7.30pm Team Communion at Braunston</b>
Friday	14	Youth Club
Saturday	15	

# MAY DIARY OF EVENTS

Sunday	16	8.00 Holy Communion, Braunston - - 9.15 Holy Communion at Ashby - 11.00 Holy Communion, with Kids Club, Braunston,
Monday	17	2.00pm Little Fishers - 7.00/8.00-9.00pm Church Choir — Explorer Scouts - 2.30 Friendly Club, Village Hall
Tuesday	18	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall
Wednesday	19	10.30am Holy Communion, Braunston - 4.30pm Prayers at Ashby - Beavers – Scouts - Brownies at Barbý 6.30-8.00pm , 8.20 - 9.35pm Adult Tap Dancing Village Hall – 7.00-8.15 Yoga Group
Thursday	20	
Friday	21	7.00pm Youth Club
Saturday	22	
Sunday	23	<b>PENTECOST - 8.00 Holy Communion, Braunston - 11.00 Family Communion, Braunston - 4.00pm Family Service, Ashby</b>
Monday	24	2.00pm Little Fishers - 7.00/8.00-9.00pm Church Choir — Explorer Scouts - 2.30 Friendly Club, Village Hall
Tuesday	25	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall
Wednesday	26	10.30am Holy Communion, Braunston - 4.30pm Evening Prayers at Ashby 1.30pm Friendly Club trip to the Bygones Museum at Claydon, Oxon - - Beavers – Scouts - Brownies at Barbý 6.30-8.00pm , 8.20 - 9.35pm Adult Tap Dancing Village Hall – 7.00-8.15 Yoga Group
Thursday	27	
Friday	28	Youth Club
Saturday	29	
Sunday	30	<b>TRINITY SUNDAY - 11.00am TEAM COMMUNION IN WELTON - No other services in the Team</b>
Monday	31	<b>BANK HOLIDAY</b>
Tuesday	1st June	Toddler Group 1.30-3.00 Village Hall - WI OPEN MEETING

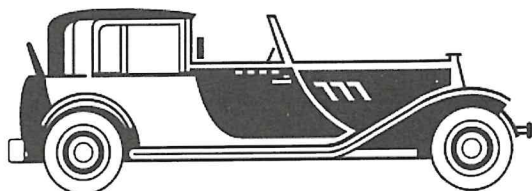
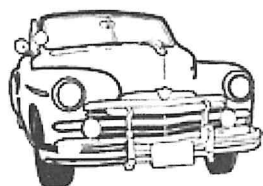
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11.03.10	66	S Bachelor	£10
11.03.10	34	C Brewster	£5
18.03.10	52	C Reader	£10
18.03.10	70	M Cleaver	£5
25.03.10	188	J Beatie	£10
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## Braunston Walkers - Walk Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2010

### Fawsley and Hellidon (c.12 miles)

You have heard of the Andes, the Alps, the Rockies and the Himalayas well in this walk we visit a lesser known range of hills, no less spectacular, in Northamptonshire and the highest points in our county. After driving over to Fawsley and parking by the old church ten intrepid souls set off on a perfect spring day, blazing sunshine with a bright blue clear sky and not even the sound of any jet aircraft due to the Icelandic volcano. In high spirits we walked along the road past the imposing Fawsley Hall and on past beautiful stone houses through the parkland of Fawsley

During this classic walk we would take in some wonderful scenery and hills and another bit of the old, disused, Grand Central Railway but without Julia Bradbury. (more's the pity I say!) We turned right, off the road, along a farm track past Fawsley Farm now known as The Granary behind which is a wooded valley shown on the map as The Dingle. Our path lead us on over fields of sheep with lambs bleating and uphill to cross a minor road and approach the hamlet of Church Charwelton and the humps in the ground that are the site of the medieval village of Charwelton. This lies about a mile east of the village of Charwelton and it is a beautiful spot. The path continued over a field finally reaching a bridge over the old railway which we would see more of after lunch.

After the crossing the railway we took a footpath over a stile on right and then a field path running parallel with the old railway back towards Charwelton itself. We passed the old pond called Holywell Pool and by now it was more like mid summer than April and it was getting hotter as sweaters were removed. We paused for Terry's boiled sweets and then, suitably refreshed, walked over two

fields prior to turning left along what looked to be an old track over two more ridge and furrow fields to emerge at the farm track between Charwelton Hill Farm on the side of the hill on the far side of the A361 and Charwelton Lodge farm hidden behind another hill on our left. Following this track in a north westerly direction we reached the busy A361, crossed it and then cut across a field to join a footpath that leads steeply uphill past two old farmsteads in wonderful settings on the hillside and up to the Hellidon Radio tower. Huffing and puffing we made it to the top at 222 metres above sea level.

The views from here are stunning. We were looking over Windmill Hill at Hellidon, then north, to Braunston All Saints church steeple and then panning right over Staverton, Arbury Hill at 225 metres and its little sister Sharman's Hill at 224 metres, then Fawsley and the Preston Capes. Due South we could see the General Foods factory in Banbury pumping out smoke and over Priors Hardwick to the Warwickshire plain. We enjoyed the spectacular views but with stomachs rumbling we soon set off from just behind the huge concrete tower (according to some of our team this is leaning, just like the one in Pisa and that is before imbibing at lunch!) to drop down the fields towards Hellidon and the Red Lion pub. Our path emerged onto a farm track then right along a road towards Byfield before taking a left turn and down into Hellidon. The heat of the sun meant that we were more than ready for our lunch time beer. The pub had saved us a table and we were soon enjoying foaming pints of Old Hookey together with super bacon baguettes and chips. The food and welcome

was excellent and, of course, highly recommended. The pub, run by Bruce who used to have the Admiral Nelson, nestles in a beautiful valley and has an enviable position well worth a visit.

After lunch we walked down through the old stone village and took a footpath off to the right that skirts a pond which is one of a series of ponds where the River Leam rises. Our path was soon climbing up a small valley and then crossing a road we turned right and left onto a footpath which eventually follows the old disused Grand Central Railway and the embankment that covers the Catesby tunnel with its old airshafts studded along the bank. We soon arrived at the entrance of the tunnel which was completed in 1897. It is a huge entrance and through the gloom we could make out the exit just under 2 miles away. This must have been a real feat of engineering in its day. So still with no sign of Julia Bradbury, we continued to join a road where we turned left and arrived back at the A361. We crossed the

busy road and struck off diagonally over fields to reach the lane just above The Granary and then followed the road back to the cars at Fawsley and home for a welcome cuppa!!

Do come and join us on our regular monthly walks on the third Saturday in the month. We are an informal group of friends who enjoy a, not too strenuous, walk.

A great way to have some exercise, meet new friends, take in the occasional pub and make the most of our beautiful scenery. Please call either Philip 01788891437 or Ray 01788891384. We normally meet at 10 o'clock at the village hall.

The plan for the next walks in 2010 is as follows;

- 15<sup>th</sup> May The Roaches (a Peak District Classic) (c.12 miles) (meet at 8 o'clock)
- 19<sup>th</sup> June Lark Rise to Candleford (c.10 miles)





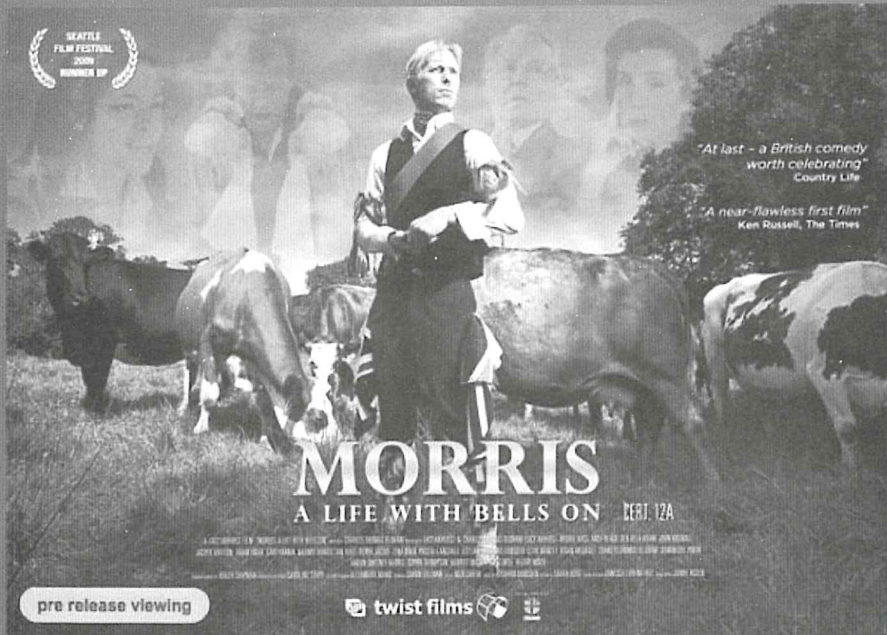


## THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION BRAUNSTON & DISTRICT

The next meeting of the Branch will be held at The White Horse, Welton on Tuesday May 11th at 8.00pm.

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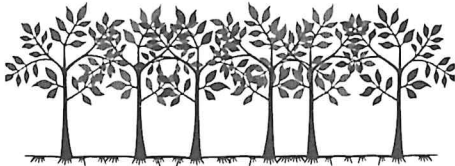
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**Every Thursday throughout  
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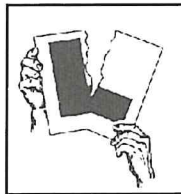
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## Clubs and Society Events

### *Braunston Women's Institute*



**Tuesday May 4th** at  
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Hall - Discussion of Resolutions  
before the AGM,  
followed by a Quiz  
Challenge - Your favourite poem.  
Tea Hostesses - Pauline Ferris and  
Marilyn Brinkman

**Women's  
Institute**

#### **ADVANCE NOTICE**

Meeting on Tuesday 1st June is an  
OPEN MEETING. Talk is by Mr J  
Prymaka exhibiting and talking about  
"Birds of Prey". Visitors are welcome  
- entrance £2.00. Refreshments  
included.

Do come and join us.

*Gill Powell 890763*

### **Friendly Club**

#### **Momday May 10th**

A Picture Quiz by Gill. Meeting in  
the Village Hall at 2.30pm.

#### **Wednesday May 26th**

An afternoon Coach Trip to the  
Bygones Museum at Claydon,  
Oxfordshire. Cots is approx £12.00,  
depending on numbers which in-  
cludes coach, entry to the Museum  
and tea with scones, jam and cream.  
Visitors are welcome.

Coach leaves The Green at 1.30pm.  
To book your sesat contact Gill on  
890763 or Janet on 890336

*Gill Powell 890763*



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**0772 412 3363**

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**[villagehall@braunston.net](mailto:villagehall@braunston.net)**

#### **Short Mat Bowls Club**

meets every Thursday afternoon  
in the Village Hall at 1.45pm. New  
members welcome. All you need  
are flat soled shoes or slippers -  
we can provide the Bowls.

Contact Alan Dent 891366 or  
Gill Powell 890763

## Clubs and Society Contacts

Club	Contact	Phone (01788)	Meetings
Angling Club	Chris Miller	891938	
Air Training Corps	Stuart Chadwick	078844 02797	Boys & Girls 13-18yrs every Monday & Thursday
Army Cadet Force	David A Hurley	890095	Boys and Girls from 13yrs to 18yrs. Every Tuesday evening 19.00 to 21.30
Bell Ringers	Peter Wenham	891935	Thursday evenings at 7.30 – 9.00
Braunston Players	Chris Grossart	890491	Annual Show plus informal get-togethers
Braunston Walkers	Phillip Ray	891437 891384	Walks of 7 - 10 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	John Viggars	024 7667 9967	Mondays 7.30-9pm
Conservation Group	Pat Herlihy	890590	
Cricket Club	Simon Stapley	890475	
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 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Mondays
Friends of Braunston School	A Thomas	890494	
All Saints' Kids Club (Sunday School)	Alison Fiddes	891847	Sunday School for 5+ yrs
Gardens Assn	Chris Grossart,	890491	
Guides			
The Dick Heme Braunston History Society	Annie Rogers	891179	
Braunston Primary School	Mrs Sue Rigby, Headteacher.	890494	
Junior Football			
Playing Fields Association	Linda Hawkins, Wendy Wilson Louis Prat	890583 890348 890766	
Little Fishers	Rev Claire	890235	Under 5's (with parents) on Mondays 2.00pm in All Saints Church
Pre-School	braunstonpreschool@googlemail.com	07950 246130	Mon – Friday am during term time in the Village Hall

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Pilates	Heather Smith		Monday 7:30-8:30pm @ Village Hall
Royal British Legion	Colin D White	890390	2 <sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of month at 8.00pm
2 <sup>nd</sup> Braunston Scouts	Group Scout Leader – Joan Bishop Asst Group Scout Leader – Steve Rolt	01327 878178 07956 682733	
Beavers (For boys and girls)	Liz Ward	01327 878734	5¼ -8yr old Boys and Girls Tuesday 6.30pm to 7.30pm
Cub Scouts(For boys and girls)	David Coleman	01788 891096	8-10½ year old boys and girls - Wednesdays at 6.15pm
Scouts (For Boys and Girls)	Stuart Muddiman	Via Joan or Steve above	10½ -14 yr old Boys and Girls – Wednesday at 8.00pm
Explorer Scouts	Joan Bishop or Steve Rolt (above)		Boys and Girls 14-18 yr olds (in Daventry)
Short Mat Bowls	Gill Powell	890763	Thursdays 2.00pm in Village Hall
(Adult) Tap Dance Classes	Julia Beattie	890488	Wed 8.20-9.35 in the Village Hall
Toddler Group	Andy Canning	891456	Every Tuesday 1.30- 3.00 Village Hall
Twinning Association	Tony Ward		Organises social events and visits to and from Quincy- Voisins
Village Hall Committee	Alan Dent <a href="mailto:villagehall@braunston.net">villagehall@braunston.net</a>	07724 123363	Village Hall bookings
Women's Institute	Pat Steeton Gill Powell	890753 890763	1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday at 7.30pm
WEA (Workers Educational Assn)	Jackie Green	890145	Thursday evenings at School during Autumn and Spring Terms
Yoga Group	Sheila Beckett	891831	Yoga in the Village Hall
Youth Club (9-15yrs)	Peter Hobbs	899086	Alternate Friday evenings in the Village Hall

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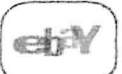
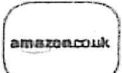
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