



### ***Horningsea Village Day (25 June 2011) a great success***

The Horningsea Residents' Association thanks all who contributed and took part!

### ***HRA Boat Trip***

The annual HRA boat trip will be on Saturday **17<sup>th</sup> July** from 14:00 to 17:00. The trip is open to Horningsea residents, but there are a limited number of spaces and children's lifejackets. Please ring John or Liz Harrison on 861 022 to reserve a place. To avoid disappointment, please do not turn up on the day without calling! Bring your own drinks and snacks, but there usually is a brief stop at the Bridge pub for a pint or two.

### ***Accordion Concert***

Bert Santilly will be holding his Summer Accordion Concert with his pupils on **Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 19:30** in St Peter's Church. This is always great fun and everyone is welcome to come along.

### ***Events at St Peter's Church – Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July***

**14:00-16:30** Exhibit of Trisha Smith's photographs of Horningsea and area, Book Sale, and tea & cakes.

**18:00** Good Christian Folk: Music and words from the secular to the sacred - including the new Horningsea Choir, a troubadour, a puritan, and a traditional countrywoman; Colin Shaw reading some of his new poems

### ***Horningsea Show***

You still have time to get your entry forms in for the Show to be held on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July**. Your schedule was delivered a few weeks ago with an entry form, which needs to be with Vee Saunders by **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July**. Entries must be set up by 10:30 on the Saturday morning. Doors Open for viewing at 14:30 and all are welcome. There is a good raffle and Auction of Produce too, so come along for a pleasant afternoon. -- Cathy Clarke

### ***Horningsea River Festival – Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July***

To celebrate the river running through our village there will be a number of events on the river bank at The Orchards and Laney Meadow starting around 16:00. These will include readings from *Wind in the Willows* (16:00), a sail-by of boats (17:00), a scene or two from Shakespeare's *The Tempest* (18:00) and, finally, Madrigals on the River with Fen Edge Voices at around 19:00. It is hoped that children will come dressed as rabbits, hedgehogs, squirrels, stoats or weasels to join in!

If you have a boat you would like to sail-by then please email John Rooke [johnrooke42@yahoo.com](mailto:johnrooke42@yahoo.com) or Frank Hopkirk at [horningseaweb@btinternet.com](mailto:horningseaweb@btinternet.com).

Bring a blanket, chairs, picnics, drinks, etc. to sit and listen to the madrigals.

In the event of wet weather, the readings and madrigals will take place at the Plough and Fleece.

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For further information on Horningsea visit our village website at [www.horningsea.com](http://www.horningsea.com)

Please contact me by the 25<sup>th</sup> of the month at [horningseanews@gmail.com](mailto:horningseanews@gmail.com) to include information for the following month's Herald!

Thanks,  
Sabina  
Editor

### ***Horningsea Residents awarded prize***

by South Cambs Conservation /Planning. Vee Saunders and Ben Coulton have been awarded a prize for their new windows and doors. Congratulations!

### ***Bourn to run***

Bourn to Run 2011, A charity 10km and 3km fun run taking place in Bourn Cambridgeshire on the 25th of September in aid of Bourn Primary School. For more info go to [www.bourntorun.com](http://www.bourntorun.com) . Early Bird Discount for sign up before the end of July.

### ***Flags***

You might have noticed that occasionally there is a Union Flag flying on the on the Village flagpole and perhaps wondered why this was done.

There are certain days in the year when if you have a flagpole it is courteous to fly a flag and these days are called "Red Letter Days". Indeed if you hold a Royal Warrant then you have the obligations firstly to have a flagpole and secondly to fly the Union Flag on Red Letter days.

These Red Letter days are almost all related to the Queen as they are on her Accession day and also on the birthdays of members of the Royal Family as well as Trafalgar Day and Remembrance Sunday.

June was a "busy" month as the 2<sup>nd</sup> was Coronation Day, the 11<sup>th</sup> was both the Birthday of the Duke of Edinburgh and the Queen's Official Birthday 11<sup>th</sup>, and the 21<sup>st</sup> the birthday of Prince William.

St George's Cross will also be flown on 17<sup>th</sup> April and on 25<sup>th</sup> October which is the "Feast of St Crispin /St Crispian" (which commemorates the Battle of Agincourt).

A Flag expert is known as a "Vexillologist" and not many people would know that. -- Michael Harrison

### ***Can you help to keep Horningsea looking green?***

It is that time of year that our Christmas tree struggles. If you are passing, or if you have a few minutes, giving it some water would greatly help its chances of survival. There is a can at the tree which you can use to take water from the village pond. Even just doing it once will help. As would once a week or even once a day.

Thanks, the HRA

### ***How to report a crime***

The police requests that if you have any information you can contact Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111, or visit the charity's website, see [www.crimestoppers-uk.org](http://www.crimestoppers-uk.org)

In an emergency, when a life is in danger or there is a risk of violence or serious injury or when a serious crime is being committed please call 999. For all non-emergencies, general enquiries and to report crime please call 0345 456 456 4. To give information anonymously about crime, please call Crimestoppers on 0800 555 111.

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS for July**

*Note: These events are open to all Horningsea Residents and, unless otherwise stated, are FOC.*

<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>Event/Notes</b>
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> 19:30	St Peter's Church	Accordion Concert
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 14:00-16:30	St Peter's Church	Photo Exhibit, tea & cakes
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup> 18:00 – 19:15	St Peter's Church	Good Christian Folk
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> 14:30	Village Hall	Horningsea Show
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> 14:00 – 17:00	River	Boat Trip
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup> 13:00-14:00	Notcutts	Police Surgery
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup> 14:00-20:00	River bank	Horningsea River Festival
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> 10:00-10:50	High Street	Mobile Library

### **Overview of Weekly Events:**

Tuesdays 10:00-11:30	Village Hall	Adults & Toddler Group (£1/adult; first session FOC)
Tuesdays 20:00	Plough & Fleece	Quiz Night
Thursdays 21:00	Plough & Fleece	Band/Open Mike Night. Bring an instrument and join in!
Thursdays 19:30-21:30	Village Hall	Painting group. £2 per session. No experience necessary. All welcome!

### ***Horningsea Village Shop at the Plough & Fleece***

#### Opening Hours

Mon-Sat 11:00-15:00 & 18:30-21:30  
& Sun 10:30-21:30

To book the village hall, please contact  
Pauline Hellowell at 860 118 or  
hellowell@horningsea.com

To post a notice on the village signboards,  
please contact the Parish Clerk,  
Emily Asplin at clerk@horningsea.com