

HORNINGSEA Herald

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www.horningsea.net

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Heave!

Star Songs

On Saturday July 6th, 19:30 the New Cambridge Singers will be performing a concert in St Peter's Church, Horningsea. This will be a special concert in that the Director, Chris Brown, is retiring after a lifetime of professional music making, and after 16 years with the New Cambridge Singers, this will be his final concert with the choir. As a boy treble, Chris sang at the coronation of Elizabeth II and, after reading music at Cambridge, has gone on to become a successful composer, conductor and teacher.

As well as music from C16th to C20th, the programme includes 'Star Songs', a piece specially commissioned by the NCS from Chris which he has set for choir and cello. It sets the legend of two young lovers in a small village in France who, like Romeo and Juliet, died for their love. A huge star is now suspended across the valley there as a symbol of this love. The concert concludes with Johann Sebastian Bach's glorious motet 'Singet dem Herrn ein neus Lied' (Sing to the Lord a new song) when the choir will be joined by some past members.

The cellist will be Graham Walker who succeeds Chris as Musical Director in September, and the choir will include three singers from Horningsea.

Tickets are £7, or £3 for under 16s, and can be bought on the door, or reserved in advance, by phoning Frank Hopkirk on 01223 861161.

Horningsea Horticultural Show

This year's show will be held on Saturday 13th July in the Village Hall. Entrants can show fruit and vegetables, flower arrangements, handicrafts and home baking/preserving. There are also children's categories for all ages up to eighteen. Friends and relatives can also join in, look out for the special categories in the schedule. The flower arrangement theme this year is "Pride and Prejudice" to mark the 200th Anniversary of this book's publication. The theme for the photograph is "Skies". The theme for the children's photograph is "Sport".

There are many cups and trophies to be won and the afternoon finishes with an auction of donated produce and a raffle.

Schedules were delivered to all houses in the village in late May/early June. It can also be accessed on the village website. Entry forms need to be in by 19:30 on 10th July. Exhibits can be staged between 8:30 and 10:30 on 13th July and the doors open for viewing at 14:30.

Recyling Open Day

You can find out more about the Journey of Waste at the annual Recycling Open Day on Saturday 13 July from 10:00 to 16:00 at AmeyCespa's Waterbeach site, just off the A10 between Cambridge and Ely. At the event you can take a guided coach tour of the site; join a walking tour of the new Materials Recycling Facility; enjoy plant and vehicle displays; find out how to reuse and recycle more of your waste and take part in activities for all the family. Entry is free. For more information about the Recycling Open Day phone 01223 861010 or visit www.recap.co.uk.

Flags

The Horningsea Flag Pole has been re-furbished and was re-erected for the Village day on 8th June where it displayed various flags. The Union Flag should have been flown on 2nd June (Coronation Day) and was flown on 10th June (Duke of Edinburgh's Birthday).

It was also flown on 12th June (The Queen's Official Birthday) and 21st June (Prince William's Birthday) and the next date is 7th July (Duchess of Cornwall's Birthday). These dates are known as "Red Letter" days and if you have a flag pole the Union Flag should be flown as a matter of courtesy.

On 29th June St Peter's Crossed keys was flown to celebrate St Petertide and then was taken on

30th June to the St Petertide 11:00 service in the church.

Michael Harrison

Plough and Fleece Petanque team

Congratulations to Mick and Serge from the Plough and Fleece team on winning the Anglia Regional Pairs and reaching the champion of champions at the end of the season.

Also well done to the team so far this season and for helping me while my arm is repairing.

Dave

HRA Village Day

http://www.horningsea.net/archives/1220

According to feedback received this year's HRA Village Day was the best yet! The weather was OK (no sunshine but no rain!) and many people enjoyed lots of Horningsea style events. From races to Splat the Rat, a road roller to a Green Goddess fire engine, music from Tony and Bert and refreshments from the Bike Smoothie maker and the beer tent from the village pub. The HRA Committee put a lot of hard work into the day and it was also great to welcome new helpers to ease the load. We hope you enjoyed it as much as we did.



Opening of the Pavilion Annex and Naming of the Queen Elizabeth II field.

Saturday 8th June was the official opening of a new Horningsea Pavilion Annex, conducted by Lord Lieutenant - Hugh Duberly. The photo shows the commemorative plaque being admired by representatives of the main funders of the project. Just another well needed facility for the local community, funded largely by community grants.

New Classes and Summer Workshops for Children

Creative Movements run weekly classes and Summer workshops combining dance, movement and storytelling for children aged 8 and under.



Our aim is to nurture creativity through movement and story! Join us for our 1 day and 3 day themed workshops which include 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory', 'The Gruffalo', 'Beauty and the Beast', 'Jack and the Flum Flum Tree' and 'Sleeping Beauty' at Milton Community Centre and Colours of Dance (Histon Road). Children will explore the story and characters through movement and role-play and take part in craft and story sessions, they are also welcome to dress as their favourite character. For more information please contact michelle@creativemovements.co.uk or tel: 07837844759

www.creativemovements.co.uk

New Clerk wanted for Fen Ditton Primary School

Fen Ditton Primary School is looking to appoint a Clerk to the Governor Body from the September term. The role of the clerk is to help the governing body to be more effective by providing administration services and procedural advice. Responsibilities include: convening and attending meetings of the governing body, taking minutes, keeping a register of governing body members and attendance and reporting vacancies to the governing body. It is an advantage for the clerk to keep abreast of regulations to provide advice and support to the governing body. Training and a high level of support is available from the County Education Department. The Full Governing body currently has two committees and all meet once each half term and so there are 18 meetings a year to cover and record. There are no accounting responsibilities. Remuneration is available.

If you are interested and would like to consider the position further please let me know. You can use the email below or leave a message at the School office.

Geoff Peel, Chair of Governors - gpeel4-s@yahoo.co.uk

Cambridge Reuse

Cambridge Reuse (www.cambridgereuse.org.uk) is a social enterprise that helps people on low incomes by recycling and refurbishing furniture and white goods then offering these at a low cost. A range of small goods including paint, bedding and lamps is also available. The service operates six days a week from premises in Cherry Hinton and offers a collection service for donated goods and a delivery service for purchased items.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS for July

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

Date & Time	<u>Location</u>	Event/Notes
Saturday 6 th July, 19:30	St Peter's Church	Star Songs
Saturday 13th July, 14:30	Village Hall	Horticultural Show

Overview of Weekly Events

Date & Time	Location	Event/Notes
Mondays 19:30-21:30	Village Hall	Bridge (beginners welcome)
Tuesdays 10:00-11:30	Village Hall	Adult & Toddler Group (£1.50 per family or £1 for unaccompanied adults; first session FOC)
Tuesdays 20:00	Plough & Fleece	Quiz Night
Thursdays 19:30-21:30	Village Hall	Painting group - £2 per session
Thursdays 21:00	Plough & Fleece	Band/Open Mike Night. Bring an instrument and join in!

Cluzion Club at the Plough & Fleece

For details of Cluzion Club music events at the pub, see the Cluzion website www.cluzionmusic.org.uk

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, Fran Johnstone at clerk@horningsea.com