



Events

St Peter's Church Horningsea: Pet Service

Sunday 11th June, 16.00, St. Peter's Church

Bring your pet along to a special service on Sunday 11 June at 16.00. If the weather is fine the service will be in the churchyard. Dogs need to be on a lead. Bring your dogs, cats, gerbils, hamsters, ponies, spiders ... or whatever animal you have! The service will be taken by David Williams, our Lay Minister who is a Vet in his other life, teaching in the Vet school and specialising in dog and cat's eye problems. He should be more than capable of ensuring all of our pets behave and can be celebrated with a blessing!

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4730>

Concert in the Church

Saturday 24th June, 19.30, St. Peter's Church

Leah Stuttard, a pilgrim, harpist and singer is making a return visit to Horningsea to entertain us with her concert based on the writings of Margery Kempe, a medieval mystic and pilgrim. Margery Kempe was born in Bishops Lynn - now called Kings Lynn. She had 14 children but lived an extraordinary life for a woman of her time. She had visions, went on pilgrimages in England, Europe and to Jerusalem. She dictated her autobiography as she could not write.

Leah was herself a pilgrim who walked from London to Walsingham on her own during COVID. She slept one night in Horningsea church. She will be running a singing workshop on Friday 23rd and the singers will take part in her concert. She is also hoping to lead an assembly at Fen Ditton Community Primary school to talk about medieval women who travelled as pilgrims.

In the concert she will play the medieval harp, tell stories about Margery Kempe and sing medieval songs, English Carols and songs from places Margery had visited. The concert on 24 June starts at 19.30. Entrance by donation at the door (suggested donation £10)

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4718>

Horningsea Village Day

Saturday 1st July, 15:00, Horningsea Village Green

Come and join your friends and neighbours for this years village day which will be held on Saturday 1st July on the village green and is organised by the Horningsea Residents Association. The fun kicks off at 3pm with the legendary Vee's teas where you can enjoy tea and cake. Relax with a drink from the Copper Tree bar while the kids exhaust themselves on the mega slide or for the smaller ones the bouncy castle. Bring Your Own picnic with free hot dogs being cooked on the BBQ later. There will be free ice creams for the kids.

Fresh from performing at Strawberry fair [The Swamptruck Goodtime Band](#) will be playing for us and if you don't fancy a dance your toes will definitely be tapping to this great fun band.



The evening will finish with music and dancing and end when everyone decides to go home!

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4727>

St Peter's Church services during May

- Sunday 11 June 16.00 Pet Service - bring your pet (or a photo of your pet!)
Service will be in churchyard if the weather is good
- Sunday 25 June 10.30. Petertide St Peter's Church Patronal Festival Service

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4730>

Upcoming Events

HRA Dates for Diary 2023

- Saturday 1st July
 - Saturday 15th July
 - Saturday 16th September
 - Sunday 5th November
 - Sunday 2nd December
 - Monday 22nd January 2024
- Village Day
 - Horticultural Show
 - Apple Pressing
 - Bonfire Night
 - Christmas Tree Lighting
 - HRA AGM

Watch the village website for the latest updates throughout the year:

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4589>

Horningsea Planning

Honey Hill Honey by the Crap Community Choir

We are proud to announce that the Crap Community Choir has just released its new protest song, "Honey Hill, Honey"! The choir was formed last year in support of the Save Honey Hill campaign, to stop the proposed relocation of the Cambridge Sewage works to Cambridge Greenbelt between the villages of Fen Ditton and Horningsea. We recorded the new song in St Peter's Church, Horningsea on the 30th April.

The song's release coincides with the Planning Inspectorate's acceptance of Anglian Water's DCO application to relocate the sewage works.

Here is the link to the recording of Honey Hill Honey. Please do share far and wide.

https://youtu.be/aMBOu_rSbbk



How to object to Anglian Water's DCO application to relocate the sewage works

The Planning Inspectorate (PINS) has accepted Anglian Water's Application to relocate the sewage works for Examination and published the application documents. The Planning Inspectors (also called Examining Authority or ExAs) will be appointed soon.

The Save Honey Hill Strategy Team is reviewing the 220 documents and put together our objections to submit to the Planning Inspectors. As we understand more we will update this page on how to register as an Interested Party, which will then allow you to make a Relevant Representation (objection) yourself.

You will be able to register to become an Interested Party from Wednesday 14 June 2023

For now we strongly encourage you to sign up for updates with the Planning Inspectorate (see link below). They will then send you an email when you are able to register and make an objection. They will also email you when the Preliminary Meeting will be held.

Drop in sessions

The Save Honey Hill group will be running drop in sessions where we will answer your questions, show you how you can object, and also show you why you should object!

Monday 19th June – Horningsea Village Hall – 6pm to 10pm

Saturday 24th June – East Barnwell Centre – 2pm to 6pm

Refreshments will be available and you will also be able to see the latest song by the Crap Community Choir which was released recently.

<https://www.savehoneyhill.org/have-your-say/tips-on-how-to-object/>

Save Honey Hill - Stop the sewage works relocation.

If you want to be kept updated on the campaign, then subscribe to our Friends of Save Honey Hill newsletter.

<https://www.savehoneyhill.org/friendsofsavehoneyhill/>

Reports

Please send in photos or reports of any village events to horningseanews@gmail.com

Photographing Horningsea

The Horningsea Residents Association

The Photographing Horningsea project is now complete and is on display in the window of the village hall.

In one month's time it will be hung inside. Thanks to all involved.



Horningsea's Coronation weekend - report

There's some photos from [Horningsea's Coronation weekend](#) on our website. The weekend was wonderfully organised by the HRA and the Church.

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4734>



Notes

Horningsea Short Story Competition 2023

UPDATE: Deadline extended: June 30th 2023 for all age groups.

You are invited to enter the third Horningsea Short Story Competition. There are separate classes for young people and adults. This competition is open to all writers, but please check the rules. Entrants are welcome to submit more than one story (tell your friends!), but a fee is payable for each entry.

- Theme for adult and teenager entries : Close
- Theme for children's entries: A Close Thing

Adults' competition: 1st prize £50, 2nd prize £25

Over 16s should submit a short story of a maximum length of 2000 words.

Competition for writers aged under 12 on June 30th 2023. 1st prize £15 book token

Young people aged 12 years and under should submit a story of a maximum length of 500 words.

Competition for writers aged 12-16 years on June 30th 2023. 1st prize £20 book token

Young people aged 12-16 years should submit a story of a maximum length of 1000 words.

Entry fee: £1 for young people; £5 for adults per entry.

Deadline: June 30th 2023 for all age groups.

Update from our MP: Lucy Frazer

Dear Residents,

I know how valuable local assets are to every community. It is therefore important that we do all we can to protect them.

The Community Ownership Fund does this by enabling communities to take ownership of assets at risk of closure, sale or dereliction so they can be enjoyed once again by local people.

Both parish councils and incorporated voluntary or community organisations are invited to apply for the latest round of funding, which is open from 31 May – 12 July 2023.

Up to £1 million is available for all asset types (which is an increase on the previous limit of £250,000) and funds can cover up to 80 per cent of the total capital funds required, with applicants required to raise the other 20 per cent from other sources.

If you can think of any assets which could benefit from this funding, you might want to consider applying via

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/community-ownership-fund-prospectus/community-ownership-fund-prospectus--3>.

Please also feel free to contact me if I can be of any help.

Best wishes,

Lucy Frazer

MP for South East Cambridgeshire

New Life, the Parish Magazine

New Life is the Parish Magazine produced by the churches in Horningsea, Fen Ditton and Teversham. It costs £5 a year to subscribe and ensures you are kept up to date with whatever is going on in the Three Parishes. If you don't already get a copy let one of the Church Wardens know and you can be added to the list!

Public Calendar of Horningsea events

There's a public calendar to share Horningsea events. This is a busy little village and it can be hard to keep track of all the different events. Anybody can view the calendar with this link:

<https://goo.gl/4592dL>

You can also add it to your own calendar directly using the following link:

<https://goo.gl/MrNWfg>

How to submit news to the Herald

The only guideline for news is for events and articles that are of direct relevance to the inhabitants of Horningsea. The Herald does not accept advertising, but one off "news items" may be used to publicise local businesses. To submit news items either email "horningseanews@gmail.com" or submit them via Twitter.
<https://twitter.com/horningseanews>.

All villagers are invited to send in recipes, stories past and present about Horningsea, photos of the village past and present, your hobbies! If it interests the editorial team then it gets published!

You must submit by the 2nd or 4th weekend of the month, the Herald being published before the first and third weekends of the month. Submission of any news items implies consent to any editing and the editorial team's decision is always final. **Always send as plain text via email.** Do NOT send formatted documents. Do NOT send articles as PDF or Word files. Stay under 700 words, preferably less. Attach any photos to the email. If you send in a PDF or image of a poster/flyer then attach a paragraph of text to go into the Herald as well.