



*The 13th Horningsea Apple Pressing day is on the 16th!*



## Events

### ***WORDS! A celebration of reading and writing***

**Saturday 9th Sept, 11 to 16:00, St Peter's Church**

Speakers include

- Jenny Jeffries—Food writer and campaigner
- Jane Joseph—author of "This Sun of Mine"— her childhood in Australia Nature & environment
- Debs Balm—on Reading Audio Books
- Winners of Horningsea Short Story competition 2023
- A Local Crime writer (tbc)
- Children's author (tbc)

Entry by Donations – come for as long as you can. Ploughmans lunch, tea and cakes available all day. Timetable is on the village website or [fran@fransmithwriting.co.uk](mailto:fran@fransmithwriting.co.uk)

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4880>

### ***The 13th Horningsea Apple Pressing Day***

**Saturday 16th September, 13:00 on the village green**

The Horningsea Residents Association are pleased to be running the 13th Horningsea Apple Pressing Day which takes place on Saturday 16 September.

Pressing starts at 13:00 on the Village Green. Collect apples in the morning from around the village or bring your own and help with the pressing, if you don't have any apples to bring don't worry there is always plenty to go around. Bring your empty

bottles, a picnic and your own drinks and enjoy this fun relaxed afternoon in the sun - the sun always shines on Apple Pressing Day!

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4874>

## ***MacMillan Coffee Morning***

**Wednesday 27th September, 10.30 - 12:00 - St Peter's Church**

Please come and support this fundraising coffee morning in aid of Macmillans Cancer Charity - bring cakes, biscuits, scones, home made jam or marmalades to sell - and to buy! If you would like to bring a raffle prize that would be helpful too.

## ***St Peter's Church services during August***

- 3rd September - 10:30 - Holy Communion
- 10th September - 16:00 - Village Service
- 24th September - 10:30 - Three Parishes Service - Holy Communion
- Sunday 1st October - 10.30 - Holy Communion
- Sunday 8th October - 16.00 - Harvest Festival Service and Harvest Tea
- Sunday 15th October - 10.30 - Holy Communion

On the other Sundays there will be a service in Fen Ditton on 17 Sept and 22 Oct at 10.30 and in Teversham on 17 Sept and 29 Oct at 10.30

Coffee and time to pray at Horningsea between 10.30 - 12.30 on Wednesday 13 Sept, 27 Sept MacMillan coffee morning, 11 Oct and 25 Oct and at Fen Ditton on the other Wednesdays.

<https://www.horningsea.net/archives/4876>

## **Upcoming Events**

### ***HRA Dates for Diary 2023***

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| • Sunday 5th November      | Bonfire Night           |
| • Sunday 2nd December      | Christmas Tree Lighting |
| • Monday 22nd January 2024 | HRA AGM                 |

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

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

## ***Harvest Thanksgiving Service***

Harvest Thanksgiving Service in St Peter's Horningsea - will be on Sunday 8th October at 16.00 followed by a Harvest Tea Party. Write this in your diary now! Liz Harrison will be looking for help from all the Flower Arrangers and anyone else who can offer flowers, fruit and vegetables to decorate the church.

## Reports

Please send in photos or reports of any village events to [horningseanews@gmail.com](mailto:horningseanews@gmail.com)

### ***A Jersey Tiger moth spotted in Horningsea***

Keith Long spotted this insect in his garden at Clayhithe during August.

These are Jersey Tiger moths and are generally found in Devon and Cornwall so are a national rarity and not at all native to us!

[Euplagia quadripunctaria - Wikipedia](#)



## **Notes**

### ***USAF aerial photos of Horningsea from 1944***

Richard Holton has been digging on the [Historic England website](#) and found some aerial photos of the area, including Horningsea, taken by the US Air Force in 1944. The images are on the village website.



<https://www.horningsea.net/history-2/usaf-aerial-photos-of-horningsea-from-1944>

### ***Bell Ringing at St Peter's Church Horningsea this autumn***

The Bell Ringers usually practise twice a month in Horningsea and twice a month in Landbeach, however the Landbeach Tower will be out of action from mid September to mid December. They have commissioned two additional bells so their Tower has to be reorganised for the new bells to be hung. During the autumn all practices will therefore take place in Horningsea on Friday evenings from 19.00 to 20.30. If you would like to try your hand at ringing, would like to revive old Bell Ringing skills or would like to take on a new hobby please come along to Horningsea Church any Friday evening. It is a good idea to let Barbara (Tower captain) know you plan to come. Her email address is [blegallez@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:blegallez@yahoo.co.uk)

## ***The Plough and Fleece***

Our village community pub is now back open, with a fully refurbished kitchen, and a brand new menu. Go have a pint with a black pudding scotch egg (yummy!), the drinkers lunch or a scrummy sunday roast. But do book ahead as Sundays are very popular (again!).

Here's the menu:

<https://ploughandfleece.co.uk/menu/>

## ***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.