

Future Events

(All events in Pilgrim Shelter unless otherwise stated)

- **Whist** every Monday and Thursday 1.15-3.30pm, and alternate Fridays, afternoon and evenings. Each Tuesday evening (including Boxing Day) 7 for 7,15pm. Also, a new Sunday afternoon session. £2 includes refreshments and raffle.
- **Slimming Club** every Tuesday afternoon from 1.45pm. Contact Dot Wiseman.
- **Yoga** Monday 7.30pm. Contact Linda 834349.
- **Quiz Night** Sunday 17th December with supper at Pilgrim Shelter 6 pm. Quiz starts at 7 pm. Teams of 4. £7,50 per person. Prizes for 1st and 2nd team and sweets for the supporting team.
- **Poppyland** Talk Wednesday 13th December. Christmas lunch at 1.30 pm. Phone Dot 833249 (after 6pm) for further details.
- **Coffee Morning** Wednesday 13th December from 9.30am, with whisky raffle. Proceeds to the church and Pilgrim Shelter.
- **Fund Raising Meeting** Wed 20th December 7pm.
- **Lunch club** Wednesday 20th December 12.00 -12.30pm to eat. Contact Liz 834965 to book your place or if you require a lift.
- **Craft Circle** Friday 1st and 15th December. Starts at 2pm. £1.50. Please phone June 833382 for details.
- **Soup and Pud** Wednesday 6th December with Gardening Club at 2 pm.

Trimingham News

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New Village Hall

Since our last newsletter the hall has moved on apace. As you can all see the roof is on and the PV panels will be installed within the next week or two. Once these panels have been installed, and the scaffold comes down the very visual show that we have seen over the past few months will slow as most of the work will move inside and not be so obvious. However, with the scaffold out of the way you can all see what a great building this is going to be.

What do you think of the name? We have played about with many options but think that TRIMINGHAM HALL is simple and to the point. As the land it is built on is listed as THE STONE FIELD, the address will be Trimingham Hall, The Stone Field, Trimingham. We still need ideas for the ongoing use of the Pilgrim Shelter. Again, many options are being explored but have YOU any ideas?

Community Housing

Those of you who attended the open days at the Pilgrim Shelter (November 2nd and 4th) would have seen the presentation that NNDC Housing prepared which explained in some detail the options we, as a village, have to progress this opportunity. The consensus was that, in principle, it would be good for our village and that we should move forward to the next phase. This will be discussed in the next Parish Council meeting in January 2018 and you will be updated via this newsletter.



- We have had a very successful November, starting with the Table Top on Sunday 5th November which made £70.11 net, the evening of Norfolk comedy (sqit) with Pat Nearney made £103.70 net and the finally the Royal British Legion Quiz Night made £173.35 net. At the Fund Raising Meeting on Wednesday 22nd November it was agreed that the sum of £180 be donated to the Royal British Legion. A big thank you to all those who cooked and those attended these events, which made them so successful, plus being very entertaining.
- December will also be busy starting with the Christmas Fayre in Cromer Church on Saturday 2nd December and if we should have any items left over, you will have a chance to buy them at the Christmas Table Top on Sunday 3rd December starting at 9am. In the afternoon of 3rd December, starting at 2pm, the Broadland Youth Choir are giving a concert in our church. The tickets are £7.50 and will include seasonal refreshments, accompanied children FREE. There is also a great raffle - if you cannot come, but wish to contribute to this great event, raffle prizes are always most welcome. Please contact Liz on 834965
- On Wednesday 6th December it will be Soup and Pud at Pilgrim Shelter, just £5. Please book your place with Liz on 834965. In the afternoon the second session of the Gardening Club will be held. All are welcome to come along and enjoy seasonal refreshments from 2pm.
- The Christmas Tree Festival begins on Saturday 9th December. Please come along from 10am to enjoy a glass of mulled wine and mince pies and have a go at the Tombola. If you have a tree you would like to display, please bring it along on 7th or 8th any time from 9.30am to 3.30pm. Refreshments will be served in the shelter from 12 noon. The Festival will continue until 12th Night. Also on 9th December we will be the lighting of the tree in the churchyard at 4.30pm and sing a carol or two. Liz King (if I miss anybody please phone I will pop a copy round) will be going around the village giving out colouring sheets to the children and if they bring back the

sheets coloured in to either the church or Pilgrim Shelter at 3.30pm they will receive a Christmas Selection Box.

- The Christmas Coffee Morning will be on Wednesday 13th December and there will be a Whisky Raffle as well as a Christmas Themed Raffle, starting at 9am. The profits from this, as usual, will be divided between the church and Pilgrim Shelter.
- The Poppyland Ladies enjoyed a visit by the Greyhound Trust in November and were told all about how the greyhounds can become relaxing pets. On Wednesday 13th December the ladies will be out enjoying their Christmas Lunch.
- On Sunday 17th December there will be a Quiz with food at the Shelter. The meal will be served at 6pm and the quiz will start at 7.00pm ish. Cost £7.50 per person, book you place with Liz on 834965
- We will be round Carol Singing on Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd December, so please get together your small change to put in our bucket. This year any donations will be used to buy Children's Play Equipment for the New Village Hall.
- On Tuesday 26th December a Boxing Day walk is planned, starting at the Pilgrim Shelter, going along the coastal path until we get to Woodlands entrance, and going along the old railway line and through Woodlands passed the lake and up through the green lane until we get to Church Lane and we will then return to the Pilgrim Shelter for seasonal refreshments. If possible please let Liz know if you would like to join us (helps to know how many mince pies we need) and work up an appetite for lunch.
- There are now some numbers available in 100 Club and if you would like to know more and join the scheme please contact Myra on 833760,
- Please continue to check our Web Site as more information is still being put on. Thanks to Patrick and Matt for all their hard work on this.

100 Club winners for November 2017

1st No 41 Mr J Bradley £20 3rd No 22 Mr Berry £5
2nd No 61 Mrs M Lyons £10 4th No 44 Mr J Bradley £5

Alec's Mardle

(Alec Reynolds was born in Trimingham in 1926 and has lived here all his life)

When the Loop Road was so you could walk round it, it was on a Sunday evening and it was getting dark, I was taking the dog for a walk. When I got to Greystones the big room was lit up. I thought how strange as Greystones had not been lived in for a long while, so I took a glance in the window. There was this boy sitting by the fire. I went to see my brother-in-law who lived next door. I said "would you phone the Police and come with me" and I told him why. We spoke to the boy and he said he was on the Duke of Edinburgh award scheme. I said to him "do you go into empty property" and he said "yes". We kept him talking until the Police arrived. They took him to North Walsham Police Station. He had escaped from Borstal in Portsmouth.

Our Christmas Tree Festival begins on Saturday 9th December at 10am. Mince pies and mulled wine will be served in the church and there will be a Chocolate Tombola as well. Refreshments will be served in the Pilgrim Shelter from 11am. The Churchyard Christmas Tree will be lit at 4.30pm. If you have a Christmas Tree to put in the Church, Dot will be there from 9.30am until 3.30am on Thursday and Friday so bring them along then. If you need help in bringing your tree, please contact Dot (after 6pm) on 833249.



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Trimingham Pilgrim Football Results

Sunday 5 th November	
Farmhouse 2	Pilgrims 1
Sunday 12 th November	
Sprowston Wanderers 4	Pilgrims 2
Sunday 19 th November	
Pilgrims 1	Horsford Youth 0

Church Services in the Parish

Sunday 3rd December Special Benefice Service

followed by a bring and share lunch

11am Southrepps

Sunday 10th December Holy Communion

11am Trimingham

Sunday 17th December Christingle

4.30pm Trimingham

Sunday 24th December Crib Service

4.30m Trimingham

Christmas Day Monday 25th December

Christmas Communion

10.30am Trimingham

Sunday 31st December

Benefice Holy Communion

10am Overstrand

Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd December

Carol singing around the village

from 6pm

Donations to children's play equipment

A very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all our friends, family and readers of the newsletter

in Trimingham and beyond.

Have a joyous time over the festive period.

We are very grateful to **Mike Lawrence**, natural history enthusiast, photographer and resident of Trimingham, for contributing to our web site. He has a blog on line under the heading **BACKINBIRDLAND** and he is also a superb artist, so do check out his blog.

At this Table Top Sale, Mundesley artist Shirley will have on sale originals and prints of her beautiful art, plus Canal work will be on offer.



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£46,883.08 gross**

**Saturday 2nd December
Sale at Cromer church**

**Sunday 3rd December
Table Top sale starting at 9am with
many local art Christmas gift ideas**

**Sunday 3rd December
Concert by Broadland Youth Choir
Starting at 2pm**

**Friday evening whist drives on 1st, 15th
and 29th December, 7 for 7.15pm.
Friday afternoon whist 8th and 22nd
December, 1 for 1.15pm. Sunday
afternoon whist 2 for 2.15pm. There is
an additional raffle at these events.**

Contact Liz 834965 for further details.




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