



Village Information & Contacts

Trimingham Hall:

www.trimingham.org

(hall hire, what's on, village events & news)

Trimingham Parish Council

www.triminghamparishcouncil.co.uk

Find us on:  Trimingham Hall

For details of all regular weekly activities in the hall and the Pilgrim Shelter, please see the Trimingham.org website "What's On" or pick up your copy of the **Crab Tales** at the Hall.



The Pilgrim Shelter is available for Hire

Seats 24 with compact kitchen and small car park

Call Linda (01263 834349)
or Dot (01263 833249 after 6pm)
to discuss a potential booking

This masthead space is available for advertising in future issues, if you are interested, contact Linda on 834349

Trimingham Hall Fun Dog show and Carboot & Tabletop sales a great success



Due a great team of volunteers from the village and beyond... Howard and Richard guided all to safe parking, Matt cooked, Jenny did any job that needed doing with a smile, with Yvonne ably organising the kitchen and Maureen who baked cakes cooked prior to the show, then sold chocolate Tombola tickets and most importantly looked after Larry, it was a super day.

Over £700 raised towards the upkeep of Trimingham Hall.

Over 60 dogs competed in various categories including the mad sausage eating races.

Liz.



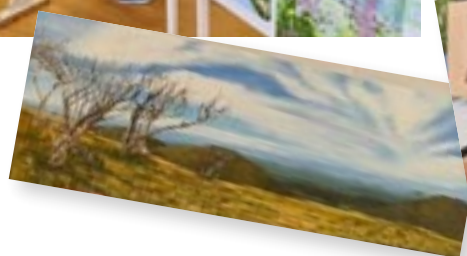
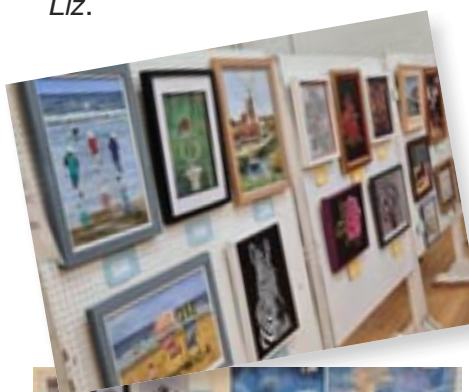
Another great success for the village, the Trimingham Hall Art Exhibition and Sale

Over 30 local artists exhibited over our weekend event and attracted a wide audience of admirers and buyers. The event was in aid of raising funds for our lovely Trimingham Church.

A big thank you goes to all involved in the lead up and setting up, and who gave up their weekend to help on the days, Geoff Pardon, Terry and Linda Brown, Joanna and Paul O'Brien, Mike and Sara Lawrence, Linda Farrow and Yvonne, and everyone who made cakes. I should also thank my husband John for his help and patience over the weekend.

The total raised for our Church was £680.

Dot.



Church news

At well over 700 years old, our beautiful village church building has certainly stood the test of time. We've done pretty well over the years with the remedial work that it's needed, however sadly we have hit a point where the current essential maintenance work that needs doing, far outstretches the funds in the Church bank account.

With the incredible help of both Dot & Linda, the Church Parish Council is looking to raise £1,700 this year to carry out the surface work that's needed on the internal walls of the church...and we need your help. We so far have two additional fundraising events in the diary:

Teddy Bears Picnic

Saturday 10th August, 12noon - 4pm

Quiz Night Evening

Saturday 10th October, start time TBC

If you're able to support, volunteer, including with any donations please contact Gabriella (2 Broadwood Close) - email: gabriella_parker@hotmail.co.uk.

It really is going to take a village to reach this fundraising target and literally every donation and every offer of support helps.

Mobile Library

Norfolk County Council runs the mobile library that visits Trimingham **once a month on a Tuesday**, parking in Staden Park (15.35-16.00) and Broadwood Close (16.05-16.15). It is due on **11th June** – for enquiries call 01603 222303.

Book & Media Sale with afternoon tea

A book and DVD sale is to be held at the **Pilgrim Shelter** on **Sunday, 2 June 2024**. We will open for the sale at 10.00am and serve some light refreshments. **Afternoon tea** will be served from 2.30pm until 4.00pm. If you would like to join us for the tea, please let Dot or Linda know. It is always helpful to have some idea of numbers. Let's hope for a sunny day so that we can enjoy some of the outdoor space.

Call Dot on 833249 (after 6.00pm) or Linda on 834349 to book for the Afternoon tea.

What's on at the Hall a

Trimingham Hall Events

- **Cash Bingo** – with Jenny & Liz, (raising funds for Trimingham Hall)
Saturday 1st June
Doors open 7pm for eyes down at 7.15pm.
£6 for six books £3 for three books.
All welcome
Call Liz 07789 362 323 or 01263 834965
- **Carboot and Table Top Sale** – from 9am to 1pm
Sunday 2nd June
Call Liz 07789 362 323 or 01263 834965
- **Dance & Music** with Jeff & Sue Short
Wed 19th June
1:45pm to 4pm. £3 for admission
All very welcome if you wish to dance or just sit and listen.
Call Liz 07789 362 323 or 01263 834965
- **Tea Dances** 1.45pm-4.00pm
Wed 15th May with Barry Eke
Wed 29th May with Just William
Cost £3, includes entertainment tea and cake plus free parking.
All very welcome.
Call Liz 07789 362 323 or 01263 834965
- **Whist** – now held at the Hall.
Sundays, 2pm for 2:15pm start
Mondays, 1pm for 1:15pm start
Thursdays, 1pm for 1:15pm start
Fridays, 7pm for 7:15pm start
Throughout May and June.

For weekly activities in Trimingham Hall go to www.trimingham.org "What's On" and for new events see the notice board at the Hall.

Don't forget our Trimingham Flower Festival Weekend in June

Saturday & Sunday 29th & 30th June 2024. 10.00am-4.00pm

This year's theme for the festival is Sport, especially as this is an Olympic year. This year we will be including displays using crafted flowers, potted plants/flowers to help reduce the wastage. It always seemed such a shame that after the two days most of our wonderful displays had to be composted. However, don't let this deter you from being as creative as we know you can from previous years' experience. The displays and perfume in the main hall are always wonderful. We will also be serving afternoon tea at the hall from 2.30pm onward, and also light lunches and other refreshment all day. **We hope to see you there.** If anyone would like to include an arrangement or display do please call Dot on 833249 (after 6.00pm) or Linda on 834349

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Pilgrim Shelter Activities

- **Book Club** – alternate Fridays at 2.00pm
10th & 24th May
14th June (No session on 28th)
Contact Dot on 833249 after 6.00pm
- **Book & Media Sale with Afternoon Tea**
Sunday 2nd June. Open for the book sale at 10.00am with light refreshment on sale.
Afternoon tea served from 2.30pm (*booking essential – contact Linda on 834349 or Dot 833249 after 6.00pm - as need idea of numbers*)
- **Coffee Mornings** – Wednesday from 9.30am
15th May & 19th June
In support of the Shelter and Church
- **Craft Circle** – alternate Fridays at 2.00pm
17th & 31st May
7th & 21st June
Contact Dot on 833249 (after 6.00pm)
- **Drumming Circle**
Monday 20th May from 7.00pm
Ann Bird on 07503 323531
- **Gardening Club** – Wednesday at 2.00pm
15th May & 19th June
Contact Dot 833249 after 6.00pm
- **Parish Council Meeting**
Wednesday 8th May at 7.00pm
All very welcome, *Contact Liz on 834965*
- **Poppyland Ladies Group** – Wednesday, 2-4pm
8th May – Mundesley Lifeboat
12th June - North Norfolk Railway
Contact Dot on 833249 after 6.00pm
- **Soup & Pud Lunch** – Lunch served at 12:15pm
Wednesday 26th June only
Contact Linda on 834349
- **Table Top Sale** – Will resume in July.
Contact Dot 833249 after 6.00pm
- **Yoga with Ann Bird** – Tuesdays, 7pm to 8pm
(Please note no session on 28th May)
Ann Bird on 07503 323531

For more information or to book call Dot on 833249 (after 6.00pm) or Linda on 834349

Join The 100 Club

For just £1/month you could be a winner of £20!

Drawn 1st week each month. Contact our Treasurer, Mrs S Burwood, on 833941.

Be in it... To win it!

Trimingham Church and Benefice

The next church services in Trimingham will be:

**Sunday 5 May Holy Communion at 11.00am
followed by Annual Prochial Church Meeting**

Sunday 2 June Holy Communion at 11.00am

Any requests for prayer can be left on the prayer board in the Church; or sent to Rev. Sian via email revsreading22@gmail.com or contact her by phone 01263 833790. For general enquiries regarding weddings, funeral or baptisms please email the Administrator Poppyland.lector@gmail.com

Parish Council

The Council met on Wed the 27 March at The Pilgrim Shelter. There were seven members of the public in attendance, we would welcome more or please email or telephone any parish concerns to the parish council contact details below.

- Concerns were raised at the state of Church Road and Staden Park pavements. Church Road has been cleaned and the state reported to Highways Dept. Staden Park pavements are due to be repaired during May/June of this year.
- The Pilgrim Shelter will soon offer wifi to users.
- Trimingham Hall is to raise the hire rates, the first significant rise in six years, effective from 1st May.
- The slip at Cliff Farm resulted in Trimingham featuring in the nation media, very little of what was printed was in context. Our coastal protection group an off shoot of the Parish Council meet at Woodlands regularly and are communicating with various departments of government exploring methods to slow the cliff's erosion.
- Benches to be ordered soon for Middle St. replacement and a new one at Staden Park.
- Quotes continue to be sort for a bus shelter at Broadwood Close.

The next meeting is Wed 8 May at the Pilgrim Shelter all very welcome

Clerk's email clerktrimingham@gmail.com
Chair Liz King 07789362323 email king495@btinternet.com

Trimingham Cliffs

You will all have seen the sensationalist stories in the local and national media regarding the house precariously perched on the cliff edge. The following letter was sent to Duncan Baker, MP. If you agree with the sentiments contained therein it would be helpful if more residents also expressed their concerns to both local and parliamentary representatives.

Dear Mr Baker

5 April 2024

Trimingham.....a village on the edge

As you are aware Trimingham sits upon the top of the highest cliffs in North Norfolk, cliffs that are somewhat crumbly. I have lived in the village for some 15 years and over that time have become very involved with NNDC Coastal Forum, and latterly have formed a sub-committee with the Parish Council to discuss how we use the latest grant from the Environment agency (Coast wise) in an endeavour to mitigate some of the effects of the erosion we are seeing.

One of the ideas that I have been promoting over the period I have lived here, and one that already has a precedent, is to investigate some form of insurance to protect home owners who are about to lose their home. The precedent was set some while ago when the government of the day got together with the insurance companies and came up with FLOODRE. As I understand this system the government (or the environment agency) holds a fund, paid for by all homeowners through house insurance, which allows Insurance companies to provide cover for homes built in flood risk areas. A home built in a flood zone can be flooded many times in its life, but cover continues.

For homes in danger of erosion there is no cover! Why cannot authorities provide some reassurance for home owners in this position through the provision of an EROSIONRE policy? A home which is lost to erosion happens once only!

I have brought this to the attention of councillors and environment agency people many times and have been told many times this is under consideration, but nothing happens. I believe this to be a very unfair system, penalising those who live in coastal areas.

Your views would be appreciated.

Terry Brown

Sudden death of councillor and Trimingham Hall Trustee

It is with great sadness and shock I inform you of the death of Jackie Bradford of Staden Park. Jackie had lived in the village for many years first with her father, Geoff Pass, and recently with her partner Michael Balls (Mick). She was a quiet lady who helped many not only as an efficient councillor, an active trustee of Trimingham Hall. Individually always happy to help those less fortunate, she will be greatly missed and my and I am sure your thoughts are with Mick at this time.

Liz



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Nature Notes – Spring 2024

Mac Marshall

I took my caravan to Suffolk in March and stayed on my usual farm. They had 5 calves during my stay including twins, a rare occurrence in cattle. It was nice to be woken to the sound of woodpeckers and I saw two on the oak trees by the house. Minsmere had an excess of water, so many waders were elsewhere but I did see a bittern during my last visit and heard my first chiffchaff. They are now widespread, even in a neighbour's garden. Dunwich Heath is close by, where I was able to photo wheatears on top of the heather, on their way to northern moorlands.

Back home, hares are often visible in the field and paddock and in most of the local fields if you look carefully. The cliff behind the Pilgrims Shelter often produces surprises, like a baby seal basking in the sun on the beach at low tide, and a chiffchaff singing in the small tree outside the Pilgrim Shelter window. I got a nice photo and during the same visit I saw my first swallow, heading towards Cromer.

At Cley, a pair of Egyptian Geese had produced 5 goslings and they were the only new births I saw that day. The American Long-billed Dowitcher was showing very well for a short time before disappearing into the reeds. Greylag geese were paired up and avocets were sitting on nests. On my way out a brimstone butterfly went past me.

From my front window I have seen red kites, buzzards, and peacock, orangetip and small blue butterflies - Spring is here.

100 Club draw winners

100 Club Draw for April 2024

No 17	Mr A Farrow	£20
No 41	Mr J Bradley	£10
No 21	Mrs D Reeve	£5
No 96	Mrs Hobson	£5



May 25	Family Night	SAT 5pm to 10:30pm
	Andy Miller - Magic & Disco!	
June 15	High Tea Buffet	SAT 3pm to 5pm
	Celebrate the King's Birthday - £18.95 p/p	
June 16	Fathers Day Carvery	12pm-4pm
	Neil Harradine Acoustic with a Carvery	

Woodland Holiday Park, NR11 8QJ | marlingsbarandgrill.co.uk