# SOUTHWOOD NEWSLETTER

August

### **CALENDAR OF MEETINGS 2017**

All dates are Thursdays at 7pm in Cantley Village Hall unless stated otherwise.

August – No meeting Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October – Limpenhoe Village Hall

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December

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# **PARISH COUNCIL REPORT**

Since the last newsletter in March 2017, there have been a number of changes at the Parish. Our Clerk, Catherine Moore stood down from the position in May, and we welcomed Vicky Powell as our new Parish Clerk. The council wishes Vicky the best of luck in her new role. E-mail details for the council remain the same, however a new telephone number and address are on the parish notice boards and website.

Following the resignation of two of our Councillors, we are pleased to say that we have successfully coopted two new Councillors. A warm welcome to Ray Smith and Kevin Francis.

We extend our congratulations to Cllr Andrew Proctor, who was re-elected as County Councillor for Blofield and Brundall.

We have been working with British Sugar to bring down instances of speeding and anti-social behaviour of drivers, with good success. The Factory have agreed to fund a vehicle activated sign which will remind drivers as the approach Peregrine Close, that the speed limit is 30mph

On other matters, in May the Annual Parish Council meeting took place. Dot Machin was elected as Chairman, with Steve Bennett elected as Vice Chairman. The Annual Return was submitted to the external auditor, which includes the accounts for the 2016/17 year. Associated documents can be viewed on our website, cantleypc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk

As always, we welcome members of the public to our meetings which take place on the third Thursday of each month (except August) at Cantley Village Hall, and Limpenhoe Village Hall during October. Time is set aside for public participation, where you can bring any comments, concerns or compliments to the attention of councillors.

# **CANTLEY FLOWER SHOW 2017**

We will be celebrating our 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary at 2pm on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2017 at Cantley Village Hall. This will include a free drink and piece of our special Anniversary cake. There will be a special first prize of £50 cash in our raffle, and the trophies to be presented by Daniel Green, Manager of Cantley Sugar Factory. The relaunch of the newly re-silvered Shirley Arthur Morrish and Edna Morrish Cups dating from 1937, and a display of posters from the Cantley Poster Competition.

We would love you to enter this year. The classes to enter range from Photography, Handicraft, Flower arranging and Cookery (including a lemon drizzle cake) to your home-grown Flowers, Fruit and Vegetables. There are also classes for children to enter. Full details can be found in this year's schedule, which you may have received with this newsletter, or <a href="https://www.cantley.org/flowershow">www.cantley.org/flowershow</a>, or Cantley Station (noticeboard on platform 1) or phone Robert on 01493 701231.

### BROADLAND TOP DOG CAMPAIGN

Broadland Top Dog is calling on responsible dog owners to lead the way and help to encourage every dog owner to clear up after their pet. Sign up to the campaign and receive a pack containing a ribbon for your pets lead or collar, some dog poop bags and information on how to report those failing to clear up after their pet. The ribbon is clearly visible and sends out a message to all those who let their dog foul, and fail to clear up that they are in the minority. The more ribbons out there, the stronger the message to those fouling the footpaths. Top Dog packs are available to pick up locally. More information about the campaign can be found at www.broadland.gov.uk/

### LOCAL COUNCIL AWARD SCHEME

The Parish Council is pleased to announce they have successfully been awarded the Local Council Award Scheme – Foundation Award.

The award is evidence of the council's commitment to on-going improvement, development, good governance and good practice in manging its business, finances and service to the community. The award demonstrates that the council has a strong commitment to excellence in public service. The award allows the council to benchmark our performance as well as challenging us to continuing development and improvement



### **MOBILE LIBRARY**

The mobile library services our parish on a four weekly basis, calling at the Village Hall, Limper 1.25pm; Church Road, Cantley 2.40-3.30pm; and bottom of School Lane, Cantley 3.35-3.50 mobile library will call on, 1 August, 29 August, 26 September, 24 October, 21 November, 19 [

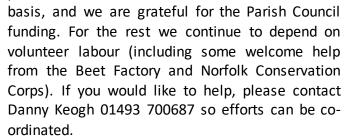
### WALK OUR FOOTPATHS

Walking can be beneficial for health and well being. You may be an old hand at this or a complete beginner, but why not walk our village footpaths as well as our country lanes. By doing so you will be helping to safeguard our footpaths and countryside for future generations. Footpaths are an important part of the fabric of Norfolk and many people walk them daily. Norfolk's 2,355 mile network of public footpaths, bridleways and byways is cherished by walkers, riders and runners and staunchly defended by countryside advocates. Joy and Charles Boldero have written more than 1,500 country walks for our local newspaper the EDP, one of which is a circular route around our villages of Cantley, Limpenhoe and Southwood taking in a pub lunch! Or pack a picnic and use the benches at the play areas at Cantley and Limpenhoe village halls.

Local farmers and landowners allow access where paths cross their land and keep them clear and open, but please respect the crops and animals and keep to the pathways.

### **NEWS FROM ST MARGARET'S CHURC**

In addition to the regular school ser lovely to celebrate the Baptism of C Robertson in the church in May. As are staging some summer services: 10.30am Holy Communion on Sund (which will be attended by people fr local churches). On Sunday 20th Auguwill be 6.30pm Evening Prayer with hy In the churchyard, NORSE continues paths and the area for future burials



The church is open to visitors most days (10am – 4pm): if you are walking past, do drop in, not least because it helps with security.

The Revd Martin Greenland, Rector 01493 750393



### TOTS2TFFN9

Do you have children aged between 5 and 16? If so, Tots2Teens holiday activity session Broadland District Council could be for them. For more information call 01603 430 www.broadland.gov.uk/t2t