

# ***Caldecote Journal***



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### **Community Diary**

#### **December**

1st FULL COUNCIL 8.00 pm in the Pavilion

8 th Mobile library near 113 Highfields Road, 12.40 to 1.10pm

#### **January 2017**

12<sup>th</sup> Mobile library near 113 Highfields Road, 12.40 to 1.10pm

12th FULL COUNCIL 8.00 pm in the Pavilion

#### **February**

2nd FULL COUNCIL 8.00 pm in the Pavilion

9<sup>th</sup> Mobile library near 113 Highfields Road, 12.40 to 1.10pm

#### **March**

2nd FULL COUNCIL 8.00 pm in the Pavilion

9<sup>th</sup> Mobile library near Highfields Road, 12.40 to 1.10pm

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### **School Spring Term Dates for Caldecote Playgroup, Caldecote Primary, Cambourne Village College and Comberton Village College**

Wed 4 January 2017 Friday 31 March 2017

Half term 13-17 February

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**[www.caldecote.gov.uk](http://www.caldecote.gov.uk)**

## **Neighbourhood Plan**

### **Have your say!**

“Neighbourhood planning gives communities direct power to develop a shared vision for their neighbourhood and shape the development and growth of their local area. They are able to choose where they want new homes, shops and offices to be built, have their say on what those new buildings should look like and what infrastructure should be provided, and grant planning permission for the new buildings they want to see go ahead. Neighbourhood planning provides a powerful set of tools for local people to ensure that they get the right types of development for their community where the ambition of the neighbourhood is aligned with the strategic needs and priorities of the wider local area.”

If there is sufficient support within the community, and this is very much a community activity, then the Parish Council will examine how to best take this forward.

If you feel that a Neighbourhood plan is something that would benefit the Parish of Caldecote, and especially if you are prepared to play an active role then please send your views to [parishclerk@caldecote.gov.uk](mailto:parishclerk@caldecote.gov.uk) More information can be found at:

<https://www.scambs.gov.uk/neighbourhood-planning>

[neighbourhood.planning@scambs.gov.uk](mailto:neighbourhood.planning@scambs.gov.uk)



## Caldecote Village Institute Limited

The village hall provides a lovely setting for village activities, events, clubs, parties, weddings, christenings and business meetings. It is set in its own grounds with plenty of outdoor space for marquees, bouncy castles or just enjoying the fresh air, along with ample car parking. The hall is also suitable for the disabled along with a sound system and hearing induction loop.

### Facilities

Large Hall 10m x 8.5 m, accommodates up to 90 people

Meeting room 8m x 3.5m, accommodates up to 30 people.

Fully equipped kitchen (excluding pots & pans) with a servers hatch to the main hall

Table & chairs, crockery, cutlery, wine & water glass for up to 90 place settings(charges apply)

Commercial dishwasher with 4 minute wash cycle

Fully licensed for music entertainment and the sale of alcohol

### Village Hall dates for classes and clubs

#### Monday

5 - 6pm Dreamcatcher dance children 6+

7 - 8pm Aerobics

#### Tuesday

9.15 - 9.45am Pre school music group

2.30 - 3.30pm Tuesday club (2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of the month)

7.30 - 10pm Womens Institute (3rd Tuesday of the month)

#### Wednesday

10.00 - 11.00am Cambridge baby sensory

11.00 - 12.00pm Cambridge baby sensory

#### Thursday

10.30 - 11.30am Dreamcatcher dance children walking - 5yrs

7 – 8pm Councillor surgery (1st Thursday of the month)

7 - 9pm Dog training

#### Friday

9.15 – 10.15am Pre school music group

9.15 – 11.30am Charity coffee morning (1st Friday of the month)

7.45 – 9pm Scouts

#### Sunday

4.30 – 6.30pm Gateway (2nd Sunday of every month)

To enquire about availability and pricing, look or book; tel. Jan Roberts on 01954 210779 or e-mail [janmike.roberts@talktalk.net](mailto:janmike.roberts@talktalk.net)

The Village hall is run by Caldecote Village Institute Ltd, a registered charity and is independent, and receives no financial support, from the Parish Council.

Charity number: 1114201 Registered in England & Wales, company number 5736926



## Caldecote Sports and Social Pavilion

The Caldecote Sports and Social Pavilion is located at the top of Furlong Way, looking out on to the Recreation Grounds where the local Cricket and Football Teams play. It has a car park and is within easy walking distance to the Playground, MUGA area, tennis courts, etc.

### Facilities:

The venue has the following:

Kitchen Facilities  
Meeting Room/Function Room  
Home Side Changing Room and Showers  
Away Side Changing Room and Showers  
Officials Changing Room and Showers  
Toilet facilities (including disabled)  
Wi-fi facilities  
Blu-ray player and large screen

Suitable for private bookings for small parties, and celebrations, as well as sports and community events.

All Pavilion related enquiries should be sent to [pavilion@caldecote.gov.uk](mailto:pavilion@caldecote.gov.uk)

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## Would you like to save a life and be at the heart of your community? Become a community first responder

### What is a community first responder

Community first responders (CFR) are volunteers with life-saving skills who attend medical emergencies where they live or work on behalf of the ambulance service. Because they volunteer in their community, they often can reach a patient before the arrival of an ambulance or response car.

### Why do we need your help?

Every second counts when someone is in cardiac arrest. It is not always possible to get an ambulance to a patient in under eight minutes in remote parts of the East of England. However, immediate cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and early use of a defibrillator greatly increase the chances of survival. The East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust (EEAST) provides CFRs training to be able to save lives when someone's heart has stopped.

### Who can become a CFR?

Anyone can become a CFR but you must:

- be physically fit;
- be aged between 18-70;
- agree to a disclosure and barring service check (DBS);
- have a sympathetic, caring nature;
- agree to undertake training, which is provided by the service.

If you are interested in becoming a CFR please contact Max Cartwright email: [maxcartwright@gmail.com](mailto:maxcartwright@gmail.com)





## **Caldecote Playgroup**

### **Autumn Term.**

We had a lovely family autumn walk to Hardwick woods in October. The children have asked to go again as they enjoyed collecting leaves, sticks, acorns and a range of other natural materials to make their crowns.

### **School-Riser Children: Children starting primary school in September 2017**

Important dates – From the 16 November 2016 parents are able to apply for a reception place for their child in a primary school by visiting [www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/admissions)  
Application deadline 15 January 2017

### **Playgroup Parent Committee**

We held our AGM in September and we are pleased to have elected such a supportive group of parents as our committee again. The new committee is as follows:

#### **The new committee:**

Chair	Sarah Talmage
Vice-Chair	Jemma Hohan
Treasurers	Alena Pechandova
Secretary	Thara Kannu
Admissions and funding	Emma Andrew
Committee member	Julie Stigwood
Committee member	Claire Sparrow
Fundraising officer	Jane Styles

### **Playgroup Sessions**

We are pleased to be offering warm school lunches from the school kitchen to children attending afternoon sessions or staying for lunch at £2.20 a meal. School lunch produce are freshly sourced from the local area. More information can be found on their website:  
[www.lunchtime.co.uk](http://www.lunchtime.co.uk)

### **Sessions for school-risers:**

Monday:

- Morning session (9:00am – 12:00pm)
- Afternoon session (12:00pm – 3:00pm)

### **Mixed sessions (school-risers and non-risers):**

Tuesday:

- Morning session (9:00am – 12:00pm)
- Lunch hour (12:00pm - 1:00pm)

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday:

- Morning session (9:00am – 12:00pm)
- Afternoon session (12:00pm – 3:00pm)

Please contact Anesta Cooper for more information.

Tel: 01954 210857 or e-mail: [contactus@caldecoteplaygroup.co.uk](mailto:contactus@caldecoteplaygroup.co.uk)



### **Baby and Toddler Play and Stay Group**

**Come and play and meet new friends (0- 5 years)**

**Tuesday: 2:00 – 3:20 pm**

We would like to invite parents/carers to bring their babies and toddlers along to meet other families on Tuesdays between 2:00 – 3:20 pm (term time only). A small donation is welcome.

We will provide:

- Activities for toddlers and young children
- A comfortable, stimulating sensory area for babies
- Refreshments for families
- Occasionally we will have a visitor providing small group activities such as reading stories and singing songs.

Contact Anesta Cooper for more information on: 01954 210857

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### **Catholics in Caldecote**

We are served from Our Lady and the English Martyrs, Cambridge, but our 'local' church is a lively, friendly community which celebrate Mass together in Cambourne Church at 5pm each Saturday. Children's Liturgy, House Masses for pre-schoolers and carers, Masses for the sick, youth activities, Sacramental preparation, men's pub group and ladies nights....and lively socials and activities with other churches and cultural groups etc are some of our activities. Contact Mel Ward or our priest in charge, Fr John Minh [John.minh@yahoo.com](mailto:John.minh@yahoo.com) and learn about our activities for all ages. We will both be happy to visit anyone whether you are able to attend church or not. Join some of us at Gateways in Caldecote or for youth discussions in Bosserts Way or see what you feel you can offer to help support and encourage others in Caldecote.

[Melanie.marie.ward@gmail.com](mailto:Melanie.marie.ward@gmail.com) 01954212714

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### **Tuesday club**

A recent treasure hunt was much enjoyed. Five cars reached the intended destination. Our social evening was a time for merriment and fun. Now is the time when our group looks forward to Christmas gatherings with friends from nearby villages. The Annual Festive Lunch has been booked for early December. Interesting things could be on the horizon for 2017. Any new friends wishing to join would be most welcome.

Compliments of the season are extended to one and all from the Tuesday Club.

# Evangelical Church

Co-Ministers Kate & Steve Gaze 01954 211900

Email: [minister.hechurch@gmail.com](mailto:minister.hechurch@gmail.com)

**Church:** meets Sundays 10.30-12noon in Hardwick School Hall with crèche, & children's /young people's groups.

**House Group:** meets Mondays in Caldecote 8-10pm, for Bible discussion, worship & prayer.

**Men's Breakfast:** Mens & Boys' (secondary school age) Breakfast with a speaker and discussion around Christian faith And it's relevance in every-day life, Caldecote Village Hall Saturdays:8.30-10am, date to be confirmed for January meet, for more info or to book:

Contact Graham Southon 01954 211628 [grahamsouthon@hotmail.com](mailto:grahamsouthon@hotmail.com)

or Steve Gaze tel 01954 211900 [stevegaze@gmail.com](mailto:stevegaze@gmail.com)

## 'Churches Working Together for Young People':

[www.wccym.co.uk](http://www.wccym.co.uk) West Cambridge Christian Youth Ministries is on Face Book

Named contact: Clare Cronin Tel. 01954 713995 or 07814 883724 or email:

[clare@wccym.org](mailto:clare@wccym.org)

## Services and Events:

### St Michael and All Angels Church, Caldecote with Childerley

Date	Time	Service	Place
4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's Church
11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	4.30pm	Gateways	Village Hall
18 <sup>th</sup> Dec	4pm	Christmas Carols by Candlelight with the Bishop of Ely	St Michael's Church
25 <sup>th</sup> Dec	11am	Christmas Family Communion	St Michael's Church
1 <sup>st</sup> Jan	4pm	New Year's Day Holy Communion	Childerley Chapel
8 <sup>th</sup> Jan	4.30pm	Gateways	Village Hall
15 <sup>th</sup> Jan	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's Church
22 <sup>nd</sup> Jan	11am	Christingle Family Service	St Michael's Church
29 <sup>th</sup> Jan	11am	Traditional Morning Prayer	St Michael's Church
5 <sup>th</sup> Feb	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's Church
12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	4.30pm	Gateways	Village Hall
19 <sup>th</sup> Feb	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's Church
26 <sup>th</sup> Feb	11am	Family Worship	St Michael's Church

## A Church with an Undo Button

**As a birthday present I once taught a nun in her 70s some starter I.T. skills, to help her make the most of her first computer.**

The first thing I taught her was the 'undo' button at the top of the screen. Not because I wanted her to feel she was always about to make a mistake, but in fact the opposite. I wanted her to feel the safety-net beneath her that would allow her to walk confidently on the tightrope of Information Technology – the knowledge that a mistake wouldn't be the end of the world.



Before the end of our 'course' she was creating the most incredible drawings in what was in those days a primitive version of Microsoft Paint – where you could only 'undo' the most recent click of the mouse. This was not a very forgiving undo button, to be sure, but nevertheless it freed her to find a new outlet for her artistic talent which inspired those of us around her.

Occasionally in life we get the urge to reach out for the undo button. The former England football coach Sam Allardyce must surely have been crying out inside for that elusive button when he realised he'd been caught in an undercover sting.

And if we're honest we've all been there, even if not so publicly. The desperate mental pleading for some 'deal' with God that will undo the hurtful words we said, the thoughtless selfishness of ignoring a friend in need, the fateful decision that caused harm to the ones we love most. If the clock could be turned back, we'd live our lives differently this time round....

The good news that we find in the Bible is that those mistakes that we make today have already been atoned for. The saving work of Jesus nailed to the cross for our sins has already been done – we've already been given the way out.



But what does that mean for us today, tomorrow, next week? Does it mean that we are let loose to do wrong? To return to the computer lesson – what did it mean for the nun? She didn't see this as an opportunity to create bad drawings. It was the wonderful gift of the chance to use her talents for the glory of God without fear. God has forgiven us our sins. If we receive his forgiveness, we can live our lives for him and experience the joy of sharing what he has given us.

At Caldecote Church we've always wanted to be a church with an undo button – somewhere everyone can feel free of the fear of doing the wrong thing; somewhere that we can come as we are.

We look forward to welcoming you just as you are, as we mark the season with carols, communion and Christingles!

With best wishes,  
*Dona McCullagh* (Churchwarden)

**Contact Dona on** [dona@dmccullagh.co.uk](mailto:dona@dmccullagh.co.uk) **or** 01223 263180

**Contact Nichola on** [nicholafern@hotmail.com](mailto:nicholafern@hotmail.com) **or** 01223 263923



## Comberton Library

Opening Hours:

Monday: 10am – 1pm

Wednesday: 10am – 1pm, 2pm -5pm

Friday: 2pm – 5pm

Saturday: 10am – 1pm

More details can be found on the Library Service website at:

<http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/library>

We are holding a bumper book sale in December when both adult and junior book sale items will be available at 20p an item. Do come along and have a browse and see if you can find yourself a bargain.

If you have babies or pre-school aged children in the family please do ask library staff about the Bookstart Bear Club. This is a scheme for young children to collect inky paw prints when they come along to Rhymetime or borrow books on their own library card. For every six paw prints they receive a certificate and there are ten certificates in total to collect. Do look at the board in the Children's Library area to see examples. We also have a second scheme called Bear's Reading Adventure which involves collecting stickers to complete a sticker book story. It takes ten stickers to complete, so is particularly suitable for pre-school children. You can choose for your young children to take part in either scheme, or both if you wish. Just ask for more information when you next visit the library.

Upcoming Rhymetime sessions: 12<sup>th</sup> December, 9<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> January (10.30 -11.00 am).

Please note that although these sessions are aimed at very young children we welcome older siblings and pre-schoolers who enjoy singing too!

Comberton Library will be open as normal on Christmas Eve, Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> December and then closed until after the New Year, re-opening on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January. Cambridge Central Library will open between Christmas and New Year; opening times will be on our website, or ask staff for details.

The staff at Comberton Library wish you all a very Joyful Christmas and a Happy New Year and look forward to seeing all our customers, old and new, in 2017!

At Comberton Library for the next few weeks, we are hosting a display of the six titles which made up this year's Brave New Reads. There is a good mix of books from both new and lesser known authors, so if you are looking for something different to read this Autumn do come along to the library to have a look and borrow one, or more, of the books. They come highly recommended.

During October Cambridgeshire Libraries, alongside other agencies, is promoting Cambridgeshire Celebrates Age, the aim of which is to promote the well-being and improve the quality of life of older people throughout the County. We have copies at the library of the 2016 publicity booklet advertising regular events and activities in South Cambridgeshire. Do pick up a copy or ask staff for more information. If you have internet access the booklet is also available online at <http://www.cambscelebratesage.org.uk>. If you, or someone you know, have difficulty reading because of eyesight problems, we have large print and spoken word fiction and non-fiction titles available to borrow. Again just ask staff for more information. We want to ensure that the Library Service resources are available to all so, if visiting the library is not possible because of ill health or disability, please do ask us about the Library at Home service, where we can match you with a volunteer who will bring books, either in print or spoken word format, to you in your own home.

Upcoming Rhymetime sessions: 3<sup>rd</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> October, 14<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> November (10.30 - 11.00 am). Please note that although these sessions are aimed at very young children we welcome older siblings and pre-schoolers who enjoy singing too!.

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As many of you will know, we had a long overdue visit from Ofsted early in September. Although we were prepared, it is still an anxious time – we had 3 new teachers who had only been with us for 6 days, our reception children had only been in school for 3 full days and children's work books had very little evidence in! We were all delighted with the outcome as the inspector confirmed that Caldecote School was a place where children say **"learning is fun because we are allowed to explore, investigate and find things out for ourselves"** and **"all grown ups help us. We can try anything and it does not matter if we do not get it right. We have a go at all sorts of things and when we are stuck we get help and when we find it easy, we are helped to think about how to do it even better"**

We are particularly pleased that the HMI inspector identified:

- Our unique curriculum that responds to the pupils' personal interests and experiences
- The parents who are incredibly positive about their children's experiences in the school
- That conduct around the school and in class is of a very high standard. Pupils are polite, kind and thoughtful to each other
- That children were insistent that bullying is rare and if there are any problems between pupils that cannot be sorted out between them, staff soon deal with them in a fair way

But the best bit of it all was **"pupils were unanimous in their view that they were very happy at school. They said that they felt safe because the adults care about them and look after them well"**.

Although we all knew our school was great, it is reassuring to get the public recognition.

Here is a link to the full report if you would like to read more

<http://www.caldecoteprimaryschool.org.uk/page/?title=Ofsted&pid=67>

There have been so many exciting things going on in school such as Year 1 & 5 visits to the National Space

Centre in Leicester, our Harvest assemblies and the generous harvest collection that was donated to Jimmy's Night Shelter, Jeans for Genes day, Open School where parents come and watch teaching in action and children always love the non-uniform days where they bring in donations for the Christmas Fair (as you can see from the photo below!)



We are also taking a coach full of children (with very kind thanks to Mr. Swinhoe who is 'donating' the coach transport free of charge!) to see Dick Whittington at The Arts. One of our pupils, Maddie Oliver, has been selected to be part of the cast so we are all very excited to see her performance and show our support.

Some events where we would really love to welcome everyone from the community are:

**Christmas Fair – Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November**

**Christmas Tree Light Turn On – Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December @ 3.00 pm** (at the Christmas Tree in the Village Hall grounds)

**Carols to the Community – Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December @ 2.00 pm** (anyone who isn't a parent is most welcome to this lovely event where there will be a welcome hot drink and mince pies!)

**Carols around the Christmas Tree – Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December @ 3.00 pm** (everyone welcome to come and join in some traditional carol singing with the children)

It has been 5 years since I had the first meeting with Highways and the Parish Council about parking restrictions outside school during peak periods. In September I was told by Highways the work is scheduled and it is "imminent" – their interpretation of this word is obviously very different to mine as still no sign! Hopefully they will be done before the next journal and I would please ask everyone to make themselves familiar with the restrictions so we are able to make the area outside school safe for all children at the beginning and end of the day.

On behalf of everyone in school I would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas and hope you stay healthy over the festive period.

With kindest regards,

**Mrs. Karen Stanton**  
**Headteacher**

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### **Comberton Village College Sponsored walk**

On 23 September Comberton Village College students clocked up more than 5000 miles between them in their annual four-mile walk to raise funds for projects undertaken in conjunction with partner schools across the globe.

Previously known as The Walk for Africa, 2016 saw the launch of "Walk for the World" as the Peruvian Lord Byron School in Arequipa will be receiving some of almost £3,500 donated so far. Comberton currently helps to fund specific projects in three orphanages in Peru and in the summer students helped decorate new accommodation for terminally-ill orphans there. Support will continue be given to long-standing partner schools Edendale in Pretoria and to Escola Secundaria Noroeste do 1 in Mozambique, schools which strive to offer educational opportunities to their young people in challenging circumstances.

This is the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary year of Comberton's partnership with Edendale and funds from the walk this year will pay for specific work in the orphanage there.

Escola Secundaria Noreste do 1, in Mozambique is a mixed gender government school with over 6000 students but has very limited resources. It is very rare that students from the school travel within their own country let alone have the opportunity to visit another. Monies from the walk enable us to pay for Escola students to visit us every two years. This experience has been life-changing for the students and teachers involved and that influence is being more widely felt now within the school itself.

Trust chief executive Stephen Munday said: "We are really delighted that our schools take seriously the task of fund-raising for excellent causes. This is a proper and important part of education for young people in our schools. Being concerned about others and major issues in our world is something that we want for all young people we educate. Being prepared to do something positive about it, to make a difference, is to be highly commended."

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## 1st Caldecote Rainbows

Tuesdays 4.30 - 5.45 pm.  
Caldecote Sports Pavilion, Furlong Way.

Rainbows is our section for girls aged 5 to 7.



Rainbows is all about developing self-confidence, building friendships, learning new things and having fun. Girls get their hands dirty with arts and crafts, trying out cooking and playing games. Rainbows is all about learning by doing.

If you would like to put your child's name down for rainbows, please contact Polly Anne Field on 01954 212230.

1st Caldecote Rainbows and Brownies are looking for an enthusiastic helper (over 18) for Tuesday evenings. Rainbows starts at 4.30 pm and Brownies starts at 6.00 pm. We meet every week in term time and an occasional weekend for something special. Caldecote Sports Pavilion. It is a fun filled evening of life lessons, crafting, games, singing and sometimes some pretty fantastic parties. If you can spare a couple of hours a week to help out please get in touch with me on 01954 21223. I know you will love every minute of it!. Thanks. Polly Brown Owl





Christmas  
Carolling  
In  
Highfields  
Caldreote  
On  
Tuesday  
December 6<sup>th</sup>  
From  
5.30 – 7.00pm



1<sup>st</sup> Caldreote  
Rainbows & Brownies  
Are raising funds for  
ADDENBROOKS  
CHILDREN'S CANCER  
UNIT

We wish to purchase books  
and DVD'S for the children  
having their cancer  
treatment at the  
Paediatric Oncology  
Ward

We will be walking through  
Highfields Caldreote  
singing Festive songs and  
Christmas Carols.

We hope you will be able to  
support this cause with  
door step donations.

It would be lovely if you  
could join us and help boost  
our singing.

We will meet at  
Caldreote Sports Pavilion,  
Tuesday 6th December,  
5.15pm

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## Mobile Library

The mobile comes to the village on the 2nd Thursday of every month between 12.40pm to 1.10pm and stops by 113 Highfields Road



# Gateways



# Gateways



**Gateways** is a community built around a monthly gathering of friends and soon-to-be friends, primarily those (of all ages) living in Caldecote. We want to help each other explore what it is to live well, recognising that nurturing our spiritual side and thinking about our values is important. As we do this, we hope to grow as a community of fellow travellers who can also support the wider village community here in Caldecote.

Find out more on our facebook page ([bit.ly/GatewaysCaldecote](https://bit.ly/GatewaysCaldecote)) or blog ([gatewayscaldecote.wordpress.com](https://gatewayscaldecote.wordpress.com)) or contact [alisonmyers@lordsbridge.org](mailto:alisonmyers@lordsbridge.org)

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## Pennies for St Michael's - more pennies needed!!

Many thanks to all of you who brought pennies in for last Christmas! We had an amazing response and when we did our count in February we discovered we had indeed reached and exceeded our £2000 target. The total reached was indeed £2191.83! Which set us on a new target of £2500. If we can get there, this will be an incredible number of 250,000 pennies

raised for the ever on going repairs and restoration of the oldest building in the village. So far the pennies have been a big contribution to the new internal plasterwork and redecoration. It has made a big difference to the inside soundness and appearance of the Church so if you visit the Church this Christmas do admire the walls and decoration. Your pennies have been a big contribution to them.

We have now done another count. We have had quite a lot of small collections and recently I had the huge surprise of a very longstanding village family bringing me a trolley with a huge bag of pennies in it. This may well be a record collection. But all collections of any size are welcome. It takes 100 pennies to make £1 and 10,000 to make £100.

We currently have a team of five who do the counting and which we certainly need as the pennies are a huge volume and their weight is incredible! At the last count in October we totalled the great sum of £125, 16 – virtually all in 1ps and 2 PS!!! This brought our current total raised to £2316.99! (I'd have added in the last 1p to round it up if I'd known but it was a bit complicated after we'd finished and bagged everything up!!!)

The fantastic thing was that after this count, the next day two more good sized bags were delivered to me with quite a lot of 5ps in it – so please do keep collecting.



This means we just have to collect another £183.01 to reach our unbelievable target of £2500. I would love to think we could do it by this Christmas and the two new bags will go towards this. But obviously we need more. It will take 18,301 more pennies (or bigger coins!) to get there – but considering to raise £2316.99 has required collecting in 231,699 pennies so far it is absolutely possible with help from everyone who is, or might be willing to start collecting.

So please if you are collecting pennies or other small coins - do carry on. They can be in any type of container or polythene bag - whatever! If you can be persuaded to start collecting please do. Every single penny goes to the Village Church Restoration Fund so the pennies are very gratefully received.

When you have any pennies or bigger coins to hand in please contact Sheila Stephenson Tel. 01954 210638 'e' mail: sheila1pc@yahoo.co.uk. Or simply call round to my door at 1. Porthmore Close Highfields Caldecote CB23 7ZR. If we are not in at the time please leave them by the milk crate to the left of the front door. I always check that.

I look forward to hearing. It will be fantastic if we can break/ even exceed the £2500 target!!!! Hopefully people will be generous over Christmas with a Christmas present of pennies! I will certainly put the new total in the next copy of the Journal.

Hopefully it will at least take us well on the way to that unbelievable magical £2500!

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## Dear Residents

For any people new to our village I thought you might like to know about our Pill Run as I call it. In conjunction with Bourn Surgery and our Village Hairdresser we organise a weekly Pill Run for people who find it difficult getting to the Surgery for medicines. Particularly regular prescriptions This was done recently by the late Mrs Watson but when she became poorly I took over.



It works like this: You take your prescription marking it Caldecote Box to the Hairdressers and put it in the red box. On Thursdays I collect the prescriptions and take them to the Surgery. They take them in and hand me the prescriptions I took in the week before I then bring them back to our lovely ladies in the shop and they keep them safe for you to collect a.s.a.p.

For Christmas and other public holidays timings may be different but I'll put a note up in the shop.

The Hairdressers does not have a fridge so I cannot bring back anything that needs to be kept cold.

Hopefully this service may be of some help to some people.

Jenny Phillips.

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# Caldecote, Dry Drayton and Hardwick Community Car Scheme



If you need a lift for medical, dental or essential social purposes such as shopping, hairdressing, visiting relatives etc. do please ring one of the co-ordinators listed below. Please try to give 48 hour's notice if possible and only leave an answerphone message on one phone line as otherwise it confuses co-ordinators and might mean two lifts or more get booked.

The co-ordinators are:

Marian Gibbens	Tel: 01954 211709
Hazel Swindells	Tel. 01954 212998
Lizzie Coe	Tel. 01954 211838
Gillian Stott	Tel. 01954 210942

## Caldecote Village Club

- **NEW MEMBER ALWAYS WELCOME**
- Free Fortnightly Member's Cash Prize Draw
- Dart Teams
- Large Projector Screen with HD Sky Sports & BT Sport

Hire of the Club for Weddings, Christenings, Birthdays, Anniversary's, Wakes etc. is free to our Members.

### ***Forthcoming Events***

#### **Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2016: MEMBER'S FREE CASH PRIZE DRAW**

As always this draw is held every other Friday between 7.30pm and 9.30pm and goes up by £10 each week. You just need to be in The Club with your current membership card, if your number is drawn out then it's yours!!! The current prize money will be **£160** (correct at time of going to print). Once it is won we will start again!

**Other Draw Dates: Friday 16<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> December & Friday 13<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> January 2017**

### ***Christmas Festive Season***

#### **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2016: MEMBER'S CHILDRENS CHRISTMAS PARTY from 3pm**

Children's Entertainer "Charlie Cheesecake" will be here with a magic show filled with magic, games, puppets, singing, hilarious sound effects and comedy! and don't forget presents will be hand delivered by *Santa* himself...

#### **Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December 2016: CHRISTMAS PRIZE DRAW at 8.30pm**

The anticipated yearly Prize Draw with a free Cheese Ploughman's. Start buying your squares at £1 each and on the night there is a chance of winning many exciting prizes including 1<sup>st</sup> Prize of £300 Cash along with Hamper, Gift Sets, Chocolates, Electrical Items and most importantly a Cuddly Toy! Many many more prizes to be won with up to £1000 worth of prizes in total! (all subject to how many squares are sold)

#### **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2016: GRAND CASH PRIZE DRAW**

Another popular date in the Club's Diary. Two cash prizes up for grabs: 1<sup>st</sup> Prize £300 and 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £100. The same as the Member's Draw you have to be at the club with your current membership card.

**CHRISTMAS EVE: LIVE MUSIC FROM BLIND PANIC from 8pm till 11pm**

### **NEW YEAR'S EVE DISCO:**

\*\*\*\*\*THIS IS A TICKET ONLY EVENT\*\*\*\*\*

Tickets will be on sale from 1st December. £3 for members/£5 non-members. Ticket price includes a light buffet. Please ask a member of staff about the children's ticket prices. Please note there are limited tickets.

### **Opening Times Over the Festive Period:**

CHRISTMAS EVE: Open from 5pm      CHRISTMAS DAY: Open from 12 noon till 2.00pm  
BOXING DAY: CLOSED      NEW YEAR'S EVE: 7pm till Late      NEW YEAR'S DAY: CLOSED

**2017 MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS:** £10 for existing Members/£5 for New Members (trial price and first year only). You can pay for your 2017 Membership from 1<sup>st</sup> December 2016.

### ***Further News***

**We are currently looking for a temporary Bar Steward/Stewardess and Cleaner to help through the Festive Season. Experience preferred but not essential for an applicant of high integrity with an outgoing personality, prepared to work hard, learn and also able to provide a written reference(s). For more information please contact Maria Brookes at Caldecote Social Club on 01954 210 791 or [caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com](mailto:caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com).**

**For more information on becoming a member please contact Maria Brookes at Caldecote Social Club on 01954 210 791 or [caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com](mailto:caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com).**

Open 7 days a week - Every evening and Saturday & Sunday afternoons  
Hire of the Club - Free to Members - Weddings, Christenings, Birthdays, Anniversary's, Wakes etc.  
Contact The Club or [caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com](mailto:caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com)

[www.sportsandsocial.caldecote.gov.uk](http://www.sportsandsocial.caldecote.gov.uk)

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## **First Friday in the month**

**Open Door Charity Coffee Mornings**  
**Caldecote Village Hall 9.15 – 11.30am**



Come along for tea, coffee and homemade cakes and make a donation to charity.  
Children welcome (toys available). Ample, free parking.

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## **Caldecote Book Group**



We meet monthly at each other's homes (hosting is strictly voluntary) to discuss our book of the month. We read a range of different genres from modern fiction to classics, biographies, travel etc. usually meeting on Thursdays at 7.30pm. We are keen to welcome new members, so if you'd like to pop along and see what our meetings are like please contact us to find out about the next one,

If you are interested in coming along to a meeting please contact Hilary on 210112 for further details.

# Caldecote Local History Group take a stand at the Cambridgeshire Family and Local History Society Fair

On Saturday 22 October, Caldecote Local History Group put up a stand showing maps and farming scenes from the Caldecote area. We also had wartime pictures too. We had a table display which was conveniently next door to that of our publisher Chris Thomas of Milton Contact Limited, who kindly took the picture seen here of the group.



Several villagers both past and present came up to have a chat to the three members there; Sue Day, Nicky Wallace and David Phillips. They learnt some interesting things and hope to meet up with some of the villagers so that they can take some notes which will fill in gaps in our knowledge. For example we have old photos of villagers, but do not know their names.



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## Dreamcatcher Dance

### **Mondays:**

### **Rhythmic gymnastics and dance**

Learn to gracefully twirl the ribbon, dance with the hoop, learn tricks with the rope and play with the ball.

Combination of rhythmic gymnastics skills, acrobatics and dance.

5 to 6pm

Ages 6+

£5 drop in session or pay per half term for a discounted fee.

### **Thursdays:**



## **Mum's and tots creative movement**

A fun and creative way to keep fit for both mum and toddler using stories, props and theme's  
10.30 to 11.30am

Ages walking to 5yrs

£5 drop in or £20 for 5 sessions

For more information or to book a place please contact Tracey

Tel 01954212860

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### **Heidi Allen MP Member of Parliament for South Cambridgeshire**

1 So, Autumn is upon us and the return to Parliament has started with a bang. I'm keeping a close eye on some of the new legislation coming through as I believe there may be some great opportunities. Through the Digital Economy Bill I want to explore whether we can legislate for all TV companies to provide subtitles. Also, a universal broadband standard could be transformative for the constituency. The Neighbourhood Planning Bill could set mandatory levels of accessible housing in all new developments, something our disabled and elderly residents know is often in short supply. If you have ideas regarding any of the new legislation, please do keep them coming.

Of course, a busy week in Parliament is always matched by busier weekends in the constituency. I visited a number of fundraising events during the last of the summer sunshine - the Steeple Harvest Fair which I was delighted to open (and even better – judge the children's fancy dress and dog classes!), Guilden Morden Food Fayre and the Orchard Manor Summer Fete. All had a great turnout and I am thrilled to see Orchard Manor in Meldreth thriving under new owners, Aurora Care. I campaigned to keep this vital facility open and it's brilliant to see it growing.

I kept up my contact with local NHS organisations by meeting with the incoming Chair and Chief Executive of the CCG, and attending the 250th Anniversary celebration for Addenbrooke's Hospital. It didn't surprise me to hear that Addenbrooke's was the first hospital to deliver bedside examinations; they continue to provide outstanding care for our constituency and I'd like to take this opportunity to place my thanks on record for the outstanding service they provide.

On one particularly busy day, en route to Sawston Nursery to hear about the challenges of providing government funded childcare and Babraham CofE School (what a fantastic school!), I stopped by Reed Autos in Foxton who were hosting a 'Green Garage Event'.

They're aiming to do their bit for the environment by providing courtesy electric cars and bicycles. Not only did they source an emergency tyre for me the very next day when I had a puncture, they have also just won the East of England Apprenticeships award for 2016. That's what I call a full service! Thanks and well done to Reeds Autos.

I also dropped into Gilead Sciences who are one of our bioscience pioneers in Granta Park, pioneering investigational drugs for cancer, HIV and hepatitis C. My inner science nerdiness really enjoyed hearing from such a passionate and forward focused team. South Cambridgeshire has an unrivalled reputation for bio-sciences and it's important we support them as we transition through Brexit.

I had an extremely positive meeting with Stephen Kelly, the new Joint director of Planning and Economic Development at South Cambs District Council. He is dedicated to improving the service of his department and is determined to make planning a fair and transformative system for all. The job isn't going to be easy but he is committed to delivering change and I support his initiatives to recruit more planners to his department which will give a better service to all.

You might have seen the new Constituency Boundary Proposals which came out in September. You can see what is suggested for South Cambridgeshire and have your say by visiting this website [www.bce2018.org.uk](http://www.bce2018.org.uk) I was bitterly disappointed to see suggestion that the Mordens, Bassingbourn and Melbourn be moved into a Hertfordshire constituency. If you feel as I do, please make your voice heard! They are part of South Cambridgeshire and always must be.

### **Heidi Allen Newsletter #13**

This month, we're once again in uncharted waters, both nationally with regards to Brexit and also locally in terms of the City Deal. Whilst it's frustrating to ask people to be patient, in this fast paced, modern, Twitter dominated world it's easy to underestimate the value of scrutiny and consultation. We shouldn't. Taking time to consult, probe and examine what is being put forwards is the starting point for any successful negotiation and I remain confident that we have some sound navigators at the helm, being held to account by democracy in action.

I have been vocal about my opposition to the City Deal plan for Busway 3 and 3A (Cambourne to Cambridge route via the Westfields.) I sense the City Deal board are rushing because of spending deadlines imposed at deal inception, so I am working with the board and central Government to see whether we might be able to link the City Deal with the impending Cambridgeshire devolution deal. I believe a more creative and workable solution is possible which offers better value for money than the £140million partial route currently on the table. I'll make sure my voice is in the mix as these discussions move forwards.

The City Deal is just one of the ways I'm working with local and central government to improve things locally. My other big focus continues to be education. I'm not letting up on the fairer funding issue for our schools and met with Minister Nick Gibb recently to push for further action. I'm also championing a campaign to recruit more teachers into Cambridgeshire and have worked with the County Council and Anglia Ruskin University to host a Teacher Training Information Event. It will be held on 17th November, at 6pm at ARU and you can find more details on my website. If we have any budding teachers out there, this is your chance to find out how you can make a real difference to our children's futures. Watch out for a follow up Teacher Recruitment Fair in the Spring too. I'm also speaking to our planning department to see how we can provide key worker housing to attract the best and most talented teachers to our constituency.

I met more of our extraordinary talent this month when I visited the Technology Partnership in Melbourn, with the Prime Minister's new advisor on Industrial Policy. TTP flagged up a need to support British companies through sustained local growth that builds on R&D work, rather than outsourcing innovation to foreign suppliers. I'm proud of the work our local research is producing and will do everything I can to keep South Cambridgeshire as one of the brightest stars in the research, technology and science cluster.

The new Papworth Hospital found a unique way to celebrate their next phase of development as they invited me to 'Top Out' their new building on the Addenbrooke's campus. Having helped to level out a slab of concrete, a fir tree was swung over the building to ward away

bad luck. Apparently it's a tradition of the Norwegian contractor Skanska! The new site is extremely impressive with state of the art theatres, en suite bedrooms and world class research facilities. Another great local NHS success story.

I highlighted the importance of your contributions to the Boundary Review in my last newsletter but if you live in Bassingbourn, the Mordens, Melbourn or Queen Edith's and want to stay part of the South Cambridgeshire constituency, please make your voice heard on the consultation website - [www.bce2018.org.uk](http://www.bce2018.org.uk). Every submission really matters, I don't want to lose you!

I was thrilled and humbled to be awarded 'Conservative Newcomer MP of the Year' by the Patchwork foundation. The award looked at the work my team and I have been doing to give a voice to under represented people, such as the disabled community. I only learn about those without a voice because you tell me – so please keep your emails, thoughts and feedback coming - I'm listening.

As always, you're welcome to come to my "no appointment needed" drop in surgeries. The next dates are Saturday 19th November in Longstanton or Saturday 10th December at a venue tbc. You can find full details on my website [www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk/residents-drop-surgeries](http://www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk/residents-drop-surgeries) or drop me an email at [heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk](mailto:heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk) or call my office at 01954 212707.



Heidi Allen Babraham school  
Heidi Allen Papworth



Heidi Allen Judging dog show



Patchwork

# 1st Caldecote Brownies

Tuesdays 6.00 - 7.45 pm.  
Caldecote Sports Pavilion, Furlong Way.



Brownies is our section for girls 7 - 10.

Through regular meetings, special events, day trips, sleepovers, camps and holidays, Brownies learn new hobbies, play music, cook and get adventurous outdoors. Girls can also extend their knowledge and abilities by working towards Brownie interest badges, covering many different hobbies and activities from Science investigator to Circus skills.

Contact Polly Anne Field on 01954 212230

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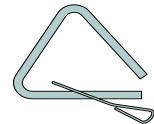


## PRE-SCHOOL MUSIC

Lively and creative  
music for  
babies/children 6 months- 4 years



## CALDECOTE VILLAGE HALL



**Tuesdays 9.15-9.45**  
**Fridays 9.15-9.45**  
**Fridays 9.45-10.15**  
**£3/session**  
**Free trial session**

**For details contact Deborah Speed**  
**01954 211438**

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### **The Caldecote Journal**

The main purpose of the Caldecote Journal is to keep the community informed of local issues, events and the activities of our village organisations and to publish useful information. The Journal will also publish reports, short stories, poems and other material produced by members of the community, subject to available space. All contributions are welcome.

If you are active in a village organisation please use the Journal to report your activities and inform the community of any meetings, events and functions that you are arranging. Contributions by Email are preferred, but small articles hand written or typed are also welcome.

**The deadline for the next Journal is the 8th January 2017.** Please have all material to the Editors by this date.

The Journal is financed by the Caldecote Parish Council and is issued every other month to all parish households free of charge. The current Journal can be viewed on the village website: [www.caldecote.gov.uk](http://www.caldecote.gov.uk).

The Editors are: Saskia Dart,  
Sally Dean and David Phillips  
Email: [caldecotejournal@gmail.com](mailto:caldecotejournal@gmail.com)

## **VILLAGE DIRECTORY**

Please help to keep this directory up to date. If you are aware that any information is incorrect or if your group is not represented, please inform the Editors.

### **1st Caldecote Cubs**

Meet at Caldecote Village Hall on Friday nights 6.00 – 7.30pm  
Mark Leaman e-mail:  
[mark.leaman@niab.com](mailto:mark.leaman@niab.com)

### **Brownies**

Meets Wednesdays 5.30pm to 7.00pm  
Polly Anne Field (212230)

### **Catholic Church**

Contact: Melanie Ward (212714)  
Email: [melanie@scotsdowne.fsnet.co.uk](mailto:melanie@scotsdowne.fsnet.co.uk)

### **Cambridge Evening News**

Keep them informed of what's going on.  
News Desk (01223 434434)

### **Caldecote Book Group**

Monthly meetings, New members welcome  
Hilary Spargo (210112)

### **Caldecote Community Primary School**

Head Teacher: Karen Stanton (210263)  
School Secretary: Lesley Whitehead (210263)  
Email: [office@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:office@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk)  
[www.caldecote.org.uk](http://www.caldecote.org.uk)

### **Caldecote Journal**

All contributions welcome.  
Saskia Dart (210526)  
Sally Dean (210835)  
David Phillips (210379)  
Email: [caldecotejournal@gmail.com](mailto:caldecotejournal@gmail.com)

### **Caldecote Sports Association**

New Members Welcome.  
Chair: Vacant  
Vice Chair: John Newby (212547)  
Secretary: Sue Tasker (212787)  
Email: [johntask@aol.com](mailto:johntask@aol.com)  
Treasurer: Saskia Dart

### **Caldecote Football Club**

Academy – Vacant – **please contact John Miller**

U8 - Mark Lawrence (214589)  
U10 - Peter Beecroft (212035)  
U11 – Will Chung-How (210518)  
U13 - Mike Perkins (212321)  
U14 - John Miller (210545)  
[www.caldecotefc.org.uk](http://www.caldecotefc.org.uk)  
Club Secretary – John Miller (210545)  
Club Chairman - Mike Perkins (212321)  
Club Welfare Officer – Kate Jones (211180)

### **Care Clubs**

Nichola Church  
[careclubs@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:careclubs@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk)  
01954 212636



Caldecote Primary School, Highfields Road, Caldecote

### **County Councillor**

Stephen Frost (211444)  
[stephen.frost@cambridgeshire.gov.uk](mailto:stephen.frost@cambridgeshire.gov.uk)  
153 St Neots Road,  
Hardwick, CB23 7QJ

### **Crimestoppers**

Call in confidence, you do not have to give your name.  
0800 555 111

### **District Councillor**

Tumi Hawkins (210840)

### **Doctors**

#### **Bourn Surgery**

Emergencies 719313  
Appointments 719469  
Repeat Prescriptions  
Fax 01954 718012

#### **Comberton Surgery**

Appointments/Emergencies  
01223 262500  
Repeat Prescriptions 01223 262399

A prescription service is available from the Village Shop.

### **Doctors Run**

The Community Car Scheme (Doctors' Run) provides transport to and from the doctors' surgeries at Bourn and Comberton as well as Addenbrooke's, Papworth and Hinchingbrook hospitals. Also other medical/dental appointments and hospital visiting. Emergency essential shopping. For transport please ring:

Marian Gibbens (211709)  
Hazel Swindells (212998)  
Lizzie Coe (211838)  
Gillian Stott (210942)

Cost for each return surgery run £3.50. Other journeys are costed by the driver at 30p per mile. All money is payable to the driver at the time of journey. Callers should try to give at least 48 hours notice of any request and avoid ringing at weekends.

Volunteer drivers always needed. Please call Sheila on 01954 210638.

### **Evangelical Church**

Contact: Julie Southon (211628)

### **Friends Of Caldecote Church**

Contact: Roger Sylvester-Bradley (210560)  
[roger.sylvester-bradley@adas.co.uk](mailto:roger.sylvester-bradley@adas.co.uk)  
[www.caldecotefriends.org.uk](http://www.caldecotefriends.org.uk)

### **Gateways**

'Something to do, something to eat, something to think about'  
Facebook: [bit.ly/GatewaysCaldecote](https://bit.ly/GatewaysCaldecote)  
Blog: [gatewayscaldecote.wordpress.com](http://gatewayscaldecote.wordpress.com)  
Email: [alisonmyers@lordsbridge.org](mailto:alisonmyers@lordsbridge.org)

### **Hardwick and Caldecote Cricket Club**

Sue Tasker (212787)  
Chris Fuller (211226)

### **Local History Group**

Sue Day (210655)  
Email: [CaldecoteLHG@aol.com](mailto:CaldecoteLHG@aol.com)

### **MP**

Heidi Allen Hardwick. (212707)  
[heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk](mailto:heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk)  
153 St Neots Road, Hardwick

### **Neighbourhood Watch**

#### **NHW STREET CO-ORDINATORS STREETS COVERED – March 2015**

**Blythe Way** – Rod Watt – 211314,  
[rodwatt@sky.com](mailto:rodwatt@sky.com)

**Bosserts Way** – Andrew Faulkner –  
210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)

**Cavendish Way** – Rod Watt - 211314,  
[rodwatt@sky.com](mailto:rodwatt@sky.com)

**Clare Drive:** 2 to 40 evens, 1 to 59 –  
Andrew Faulkner -210341,  
[ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)

**Clare Drive:** 42 - 78 evens Vacancy,  
61 - 77 odds Vacancy

**Copel Close** – Helen Osgood –  
[helenosgood927@btinternet.com](mailto:helenosgood927@btinternet.com)

**Copse Close** – Andrew Faulkner -  
210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)

**Crafts Way** - Andrew Faulkner - 210341,  
[ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)

**Damms Pastures** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Devonshire Mews** – Rod Watt - 211314, [rodwatt@sky.com](mailto:rodwatt@sky.com)  
**Dorral Dean** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**East Drive** – Vacant  
**Flaxon Glade** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Furlong Way** – Pauline Field – 07984 585149, [misspolly2010@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:misspolly2010@hotmail.co.uk)  
**Goose Cross** – Glenis Myson – 211179, [glenis.myson@homecall.co.uk](mailto:glenis.myson@homecall.co.uk)  
**Grafton Drive** – Kotesch Choudary – [graftondrive@gmc.com](mailto:graftondrive@gmc.com)  
**Grayway Close** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Grove Close** – Max Cartwright – [maxcartwright@gmail.com](mailto:maxcartwright@gmail.com)  
**Highfields Road:** 29 to 65 odds – – Andrew Faulkner -210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Highfields Road:** 8 to 50 evens – Andrew Faulkner -210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Highfields Road:** 56 to 76 evens – Andrew McKeown – 210530, [Andrew@wrinklymacs.co.uk](mailto:Andrew@wrinklymacs.co.uk)  
**Highfields Road:** 67 – 131 odds – Bob Oatham – 210330, [bob.oatham@btinternet.com](mailto:bob.oatham@btinternet.com)  
**Main Street**, Old Caldecote – Colin Fotland, 01954 210042, [colinfotland@btinternet.com](mailto:colinfotland@btinternet.com)  
**Top of Main Street:** Colin Fotland, 01954 210042, [colinfotland@btinternet.com](mailto:colinfotland@btinternet.com)  
**Mill Quern** – Andrew Faulkner -210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Mitwell Close** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Orchid Fare** – Vacancy  
**Parsonage Close** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Porthmore Close** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Porthmore Way** – Andrew Faulkner = 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Redmore Way** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Roman Drift** – Vacant  
**Round House Close** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**Samian Close** – Vacancy  
**Stargoose Close** – Nick Kent – [nick@k4one.com](mailto:nick@k4one.com)

**St Neot's Road:** Colin Fotland, 01954 210042, [colinfotland@btinternet.com](mailto:colinfotland@btinternet.com)  
**Strypole Way:** Andrew Faulkner - 210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**The Willows** – Colin Fotland - 210042, [colinfotland@btinternet.com](mailto:colinfotland@btinternet.com)  
**Thorny Way** – Andrew Faulkner -210341, [ajfmrao@gmail.com](mailto:ajfmrao@gmail.com)  
**West Drive:** 1 to 28 – Colin Fotland – 210042, [colinfotland@btinternet.com](mailto:colinfotland@btinternet.com)  
**West Drive:** 29 to 52 – Sally Ann Harrod – [sallyann.pa@googlemail.com](mailto:sallyann.pa@googlemail.com)  
**West Drive:** 53 to 78 – Neville Hawkins – 07715 422373  
**West Drive:** 79 to 102a – Doreen Francis – 210395,

**The village co-ordinator is Colin Fotland. If you have any queries or want more information, please do not hesitate to contact him on 01954 210042, [caldecotenhwa@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:caldecotenhwa@hotmail.co.uk)**  
**For anyone interested in becoming a Street Co-ordinator and putting something back into the village we live in, full training and support will be given, please contact Colin Fotland on 01954 - 210042 or [colinfotland@btinternet.com](mailto:colinfotland@btinternet.com)**

### **Parish Council**

Meets first Thursday of each month at 8.00pm in the Pavilion

**Chairman:** Cllr Jack Lang (212500)

### **Vice Chair:**

Cllr John Barker (01223 264138)

Cllr Saskia Barker

Cllr Chris Edwards

Cllr Polly Anne Field (212230)

Cllr Jamie Powell

Cllr Anna Mortenson

Cllr Georgina Jarrod

Parish Clerk: Simon Crocker

(07456 325327)

Email [parishclerk@caldecote.gov.uk](mailto:parishclerk@caldecote.gov.uk)

[www.caldecote.gov.uk](http://www.caldecote.gov.uk)

### **Playgroup**

Meets Monday to Friday, from 9.00-12.00 (morning session), 12.00-3.00 (afternoon session), with lunch from 12.00-1.00.

Playgroup Leader: Anesta Cooper

Chair: Sarah Talmage  
Vice Chair: Jemma Hohan  
Secretary: Katy Reeves  
Treasurer: Alena Pechandova  
Admission Officer: Emma Andrew  
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Committee member: Claire Sparrow  
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Website: [www.caldecoteplaygroup.co.uk](http://www.caldecoteplaygroup.co.uk)

### **Petcare Circle**

Care for small pets while owners away.  
New members welcome  
Sarah Bell (210892)

### **Police**

Cambourne Police Station, Sackville Way,  
Great Cambourne, Cambridge, CB23 6EG.  
Call 101. email  
[cambourne.npt@cambs.pnn.police.uk](mailto:cambourne.npt@cambs.pnn.police.uk)  
In case of emergency, phone 999

### **Pre School Music Group**

Tuesday 9.15am  
Friday 9.15 to 9.45am in the Village Hall  
Deborah Speed Tel: 01954 211438

### **PTA**

The PTA meets every 2nd Tuesday of  
each new term at 8pm - all parents are  
welcome to come along

**Co-chairs:** Chris Styles,

**Vice- chairs** Anna Mortenson and Jo  
Stewart

**Secretary:** Jayne Grey

**Treasurer:** Jo Place

**Email:** [office@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:office@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk)

### **Rainbows**

For Girls aged 5 - 7 years of age.  
Tuesdays. 4.30 - 5.45 pm Caldecote  
sports pavilion. Please contact Polly Anne  
Field 01954 212230.

### **School Governors**

Please contact the school directly if you  
have an issue you would like to raise with  
the Governors.

**Chair:** Pippa Smith  
**Head:** Karen Stanton  
**Clerk:** Vicky Miles  
John Butler  
Mary-Ann Claridge  
Sandra Cox  
Kate Duncombe  
Rebecca Gale  
Dominic Hordern  
Mark Hurst  
Katie Kendall  
Suzy Reed  
Kevin Vanterpool  
Trina Watts  
Lesley Whitehead

### **Social Club**

Chairman: Stewart Whitt  
Secretary: Martine French  
Treasurer: Maria Brookes (210 791)  
Club: (210791)  
New members welcome  
[caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com](mailto:caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com)

### **Sports and Social Pavilion**

Available for hire.  
Bookings Manager:  
Key Holders:  
Enquiries  
[pavilion@caldecote.gov.uk](mailto:pavilion@caldecote.gov.uk)

### **St Michael and All Angels Church,**

Caldecote with Childerley,  
one of the Lordsbridge team parishes  
[www.caldecotechurch.org.uk](http://www.caldecotechurch.org.uk)

Churchwarden:

Dona McCullagh (01223 263180)

[dona@dmccullagh.co.uk](mailto:dona@dmccullagh.co.uk)

Nichola Fernandez (01223 263923)

[nicholafern@hotmail.com](mailto:nicholafern@hotmail.com)

Website: [www.caldecotechurch.org.uk](http://www.caldecotechurch.org.uk)

### **Tuesday Club**

For the retired, 50 + group. Meetings are  
held on the 2nd Tuesday of the  
month, 2.30-4-30pm.

President: Glenis Myson (211179).

Treasurer: Jean Stevens (210542)

Minute Sec: Margaret Hobbs (210652)

Social Secretary Diane Wakeling  
(211049)

**Vets**

Ashcroft, Hardwick (210250)

**Village Hall**

Chairman: Tom Footman (210318)

Company Secretary: John Butler

Treasurer: Saskia Dart (210526)

Bookings: Jan Roberts (210779)

[janmike.roberts@talktalk.net](mailto:janmike.roberts@talktalk.net)

**Village Feast Committee**

Chairman Vacant

Vice Chairman Vacant

Colin Fotland (Treasurer) (210042)

Neville Hawkins -

Mark Symonds (211569)

Sue Tasker (212767)

**Village Website**

<http://www.caldecote.gov.uk>.

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Meets every third Tuesday of the month -

New members welcome.

President: Hazel Steel: (01763 269955)

Secretary: Lynda Gilchrist (211448)

**Youth Club**

For 11 -18 year olds. Meets every

Wednesday 7 - 9pm in the Pavilion during term time.

All enquiries through Connections on the night.

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