# Caldecote Journal



June-July 2018

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# **Community Diary**

#### May 2018

28th Open Gardens, 2.00pm to 5.30pm Childerley Hall

#### **June 2018**

7<sup>th</sup> District Councillor drop in, 7.00pm to 7.50pm in the Village Hall 7<sup>th</sup> Full Council Meeting, 8.00pm in the pavilion 14<sup>th</sup> Mobile library, 11.55am to 12.35pm near 117 Highfields Road

#### **July 2018**

5<sup>th</sup> Full Council Meeting 08.00pm in the pavilion 12<sup>th</sup> Mobile library, 11.55am to 12.35pm near 117 Highfields Road

# August 2018

2<sup>nd</sup> Full Council Meeting 08.00 in the pavilion. 9<sup>th</sup> Mobile library, 11.55am to 12.35pm near 117 Highfields Road

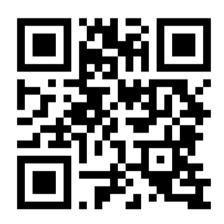
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http://eepurl.com/bGhSJ1

You can share this link with friends or family who have moved out of the village and are still interested in what's happening here in Caldecote. We won't use your email address for anything other than Village news and won't share your information with any third-parties. You will be able to unsubscribe at any time if you no longer wish to receive these emails.





# **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** 

4.10 - 4.55m Dreamcatcher dance children 3-6 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

7.15 - 8.15pm Aerobics

**Thursday** 

7 – 50pm Councillor Surgery (1st Thursday of the month)

7 - 9pm Dog training

Friday

9.15 – 10.15am Pre school music group

6– 7.30pm Cubs

To enquire about availability and pricing, look or book; tel. Jan Roberts on 01954 210779 or e-mail janmike.roberts@virgin.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

# The village picnic needs your help.

We are in need of help for the setting up of the picnic on the Friday afternoon/evening and Saturday morning. Just an hour of your time is all we ask. Without your help the picnic will not be able to take place. Please contact Polly Anne Field via facebook or telephone 01954 212230. Thank you.

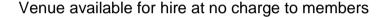
# **Caldecote Village Club**

#### **NEW MEMBERS ALWAYS WELCOME!**

Situated in the heart of Caldecote, the Village Club is the perfect family friendly location to socialise with friends and enjoy summer evenings. Benefits of becoming a member include:

- Competitive Drinks Prices
- Entry into a fortnightly cash prize draw
- Free hire of facilities for private events
- Year round entertainment suitable for all ages
- Sporting events screened on a widescreen projector
  - HD Sky Sports and BT Sports available Availability to join Pool and Darts teams

First time membership is only £5 per year so why not pop in an experience what we have to offer.



For Further information please contact the Village Club Via 01954 210791, email: caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com or our Facebook page

# **Caldecote Village Club Events**

Friday 8 May- Members Cash Prize Draw. 7.30 to 9.30 Saturday 19 May – F.A. Cup final. 5.30 KO- Man U v Chelsea

Friday 1 June- Members Cash Prize Draw 7.30-9.30

Saturday 2 June. Cash Prize Bingo 8pm till late.

Thursday 14 June- 2018 World Cup starts.

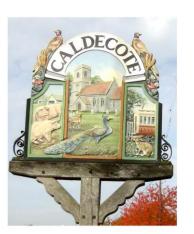
Tunisia v England- 7pm 18 June at Volgograd

England v Panama- 1pm 24 June at Nizhny Novgorod

England v Belgium- 7pm 28 June at Kalingrad

Special offers during England Games.





# **Tuesday Club Happenings**

Members of the club enjoyed Christmas celebrations and to keep up with spirit Mike Petty our local historian joined us in Feb with a selection of tales and stories from the Caldecote scrapbook from 1897-1990. Friends from other villages joined us, and tea and cakes were served.

March was a celebration of Easter-and the group enjoyed hot cross buns. An easter bonnet competition showed much talent, the winner receiving a bottle of wine.

We are a friendly group - At the April meeting we held a beetle drive which was extremely 'noisy' but great fun and will be repeated in the near future, by popular demand.

We are having a car treasure hunt in late May or early June if you are interested contact the committee for more details, but the next meeting will be on the second tuesday in June, at the Village Hall 2.30pm if you would like to join us.

# An Invitation from the Comberton Twinning Association

Why not forget your Brexit blues, and come to France for a weekend in June? Comberton Twinning Association is taking a coach to its twin village of Le Vaudreuil in Normandy for the 8-10 June 2018

, and we still have spare spaces. That weekend is a medieval festival, to commemorate a thousand years of their village church. Costs are low: only £70 for adults, £35 for children, and we are hosted by French families. Speaking French is not a requirement. For more information see <a href="http://CombertonTwinning.org.uk">http://CombertonTwinning.org.uk</a>, email <a href="mailto:info@CombertonTwinning.org.uk">info@CombertonTwinning.org.uk</a>, or ring Paul Hardy on 01223 263232.

# **CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG**

The Parish Council is aware that dog mess is an issue. It is especially bad at the sports field. We are reminding owners to clean up after their dogs. If you have a dog or are simply walking one for someone else, please do clear up after it. Let's keep the village clean, tidy and safe for others, especially the children.



# Works notice

There will be essential streetlight maintenance in Caldecote, on 11<sup>th</sup> June.



# Services and Events St Michael and All Angels, Caldecote with Childerley

Occasionally details of services change after the printing of the Caldecote Journal. Subscribe to the weekly **Caldecote Catch-up** email newsletter for latest updates on services – sign up at www.caldecotechurch.org.uk.

Date	Time	Service	Place	
May 27 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Morning Prayer	St Michael's	
May 28 <sup>th</sup> (Monday)	2-5.30pm	CHILDERLEY OPEN GARDENS + TEAS	Childerley Hall	
June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's	
June 10 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	St Michael's	
June 17 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's	
June 23/24 (Sat/Sun)	2-6pm	CALDECOTE OPEN GARDENS	See website for info	
June 24 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Morning Prayer	St Michael's	
July 1 <sup>st</sup>	11am	Morning Prayer	St Michael's	
July 8 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	St Michael's	
July 15 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's	
July 22 <sup>nd</sup>	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's	
July 29 <sup>th</sup>	10.30am	Team Service (Family Holy Communion)	St Mary's Hardwick	
Aug 5 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's	
Aug 12 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Morning Prayer (BCP)	St Michael's	
Aug 19 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Holy Communion	St Michael's	
Aug 26 <sup>th</sup>	11am	Morning Prayer	St Michael's	

# Caldecote Church - the past year

The past year has been a very positive year in the life of our parish church. For those who weren't at our annual meeting in April, we've put reports from that meeting up on the Caldecote Church website at:

www.caldecotechurch.org.uk/reports

There you will find details of our activities from the past year in five areas:

- 1. Giving & Fundraising
- 2. Parish & PCC activities
- 3. Church building & grounds
- 4. Communications
- 5. Safeguarding of children & vulnerable adults

# Planning for the future of Caldecote Church

We are incredibly grateful to Simon Gautrey our Treasurer, whose work over the past two years has given a clear picture of where we stand financially. The first year of his work saw us get on top of Gift Aid claims, up-to-date with expenses payments, and generally onto a good administrative footing.

His work enabled us in 2017 to see a full year played out clearly in our accounts and, for the first time, what we may have suspected before became very clear – we are running year on year at a deficit that is not sustainable. In order to be sustainable, Simon's estimate is that we need to increase our annual income on the daily running account by £7000 (c.£600 a month).

To continue to offer weddings, christenings, funerals, and simply a place for weekly worship and seasonal services at Christmas and Easter, we have come up with a plan...

Once you break the big total down into small chunks, it becomes much less daunting. Firstly, to ease the immediate cashflow pressures, funds raised by this year's Caldecote Open Gardens will go to the daily running account rather than the building restoration fund, which is a healthier state than our current expenses account. One way you can help is to participate in the Open Gardens, either as a visitor or a garden owner – see my article below for details.

But we would also appreciate your help on an ongoing basis, so that our parish church can continue its 900-year history. If just 20 or 30 of us donate small amounts like £2.50 a week, we will be well on the way to meeting our annual target to make the parish church sustainable for the future. Please take five minutes to read the enclosed booklet 'Planning for the future of Caldecote Church' to understand more about the current financial situation, have your questions answered about how the church is funded and what the money goes on, and see the full plan for the future laid out. It also tells you how you can join those of us who are donating regularly in response to the plan.

#### Booklet didn't arrive or is mislaid? Download it now from:

# www.caldecotechurch.org.uk/future

# **Open Gardens galore**

# Old Rectory open gardens - £1500 raised!

We are hugely grateful to the family at the Old Rectory and their team of helpers who put on two incredible events on Easter Monday and the Early May Bank Holiday. Both were very special days in their own way. You may remember the Easter weekend was chilly with grey – but the infamous warmth of the Old Rectory hospitality was taken indoors for visitors to enjoy homemade cake and hot drinks beside welcoming wood fires. Despite the weather, people turned out in force from Caldecote and the surrounding villages, and £478 was raised, exceeding expectations.

The weather on the next Bank Holiday could not have been more different – a stunning cloudless day breaking temperature records. The Old Rectory garden came into its own with the apple tree blossom seemingly timing its peak just for us. A total of £1028 was raised for the church – and we cannot begin to thank those who worked so hard baking and serving and also to Daniel and Jo Lee on the plant stall and raffle while the rest of us relaxed with croquet, cake and cordials. Click on 'Gallery' at www.caldecotechurch.org.uk to see great photos from the day.



Photo: Croquet umpires seem to get younger every year!

# Childerley Open Gardens - 28th May, 2pm to 5.30pm

Depending on what day this issue of the Caldecote Journal hits your doormat, this may serve as a timely reminder of our next event, or make you realise what you've missed! Childerley Hall (from Highfields, turn left at the BP roundabout and turn right after 500m) is opening its gardens on the Spring Bank Holiday Monday (28<sup>th</sup> May) from 2 to 5.30pm. Whether you've been every year or this is a first, it's a wonderful afternoon out enjoying tea and cake in the Elizabethan chapel and beside the private lake. There are countless nooks and crannies to explore in the extensive historic gardens. Entry is £4 for adults – free for accompanied

children (dogs on leads are welcome – we just ask that you come equipped to clear up after them!).

# Caldecote Open Gardens – 23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> June 2-6pm

Put the dates in your diary now for this now much-loved tradition in Highfields and Caldecote – a variety of gardens of all shapes, sizes and styles, will be open 2pm to 6pm on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> June. Programmes cost £5 per adult and accompanied children get in free. Buy a programme at the first garden you visit and it's your ticket to all gardens throughout the weekend. Find full details of all the attractions and features on offer on our website.

Want to enter your garden? It's not too late – if you'd like to take part and support the church in this way, contact me (details below) by Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> June at the latest, so that I can make sure your garden is on the programme before it goes to print. We'll provide you with a gardener's pack with programmes, stickers, a cash float and raffle tickets to sell at your entrance table. The main requirement is that there is access to your garden from the road and someone available to be 'on the door' through the afternoon. Email or call me to find out more about what's involved. It's great fun, and if you can only open one of the two days, that's absolutely fine.

With best wishes,

Dona McCullagh (Churchwarden)

Email me on dona@dmccullagh.co.uk or call me on 07761 236 998

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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.

## Forthcoming meetings:

June 21<sup>st</sup> When we were orphans / Kazuo Ishiguro

July 19<sup>th</sup> Birdcage Walk / Helen Dunmore

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

# **District Councillor News & Update**

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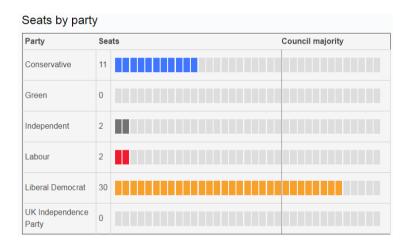


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# **Election 2018 Update**

I am pleased to be back as District Councillor for the enlarged Caldecote Ward, with 58% of votes cast by Ward residents. Turn out was 45.49% which is good for a local elections.

History was made as the LibDems group now have control of South Cambridgeshire District Council for the first time in the history of the Council created in 1973. It has been run by the Conservatives since 1992. The two thirds majority of the last year was overturned by a two thirds LibDems majority this year, having won 30 of the 45 seats, reduced from 57 and new ward boundaries. Independents have 2 and Labour have 2 councillors.



A big thank you to all who took the time to vote. If you want to see me doing a happy dance at the election count as seen on BBC national news, check out this Facebook post <a href="http://bit.ly/Election2018Result">http://bit.ly/Election2018Result</a> or my blog.

#### Governance

By the time you get this news, the period of transition of control from the Conservative to the Liberal Democrat group will be complete. It is a new territory for everyone concerned but to keep things as smooth as possible, the new administration intends to continue implementing the policies already in place, much as it might be irksome. As long as we don't find a note saying there's no money left in the account, we should be ok!!

However, we will be making policy changes as appropriate, over the coming months and years, as we roll out LibDem policies. We cannot reverse the damage already done by the previous administrations policies, e.g delayed local plan, lack of 5-year housing land supply leading to speculative development blight, potential Bourn Airfield development etc. But we aim to limit the damage and try to move the district forward in a more positive direction, engaging and listening properly to our residents and taking your concerns seriously. So please bear with us as we find our feet.

Draft Local Plan & Bourn Airfield Development (BAD)- Update

We are still waiting for the Planning Inspector's pronouncement following submission of the last consultations responses back in March. We hope to bring this 4-year wait to a conclusion as soon as possible.

# **Superfast Broadband**

I cannot repeat this enough, there is a Fibre to the Premises (FTTP) network in Caldecote. Let no-one tell you otherwise.

If you are having trouble getting superfast broadband from your supplier and cannot order because the "computer says no", or your order abandoned, or you are unsure if you can get superfast broadband, especially if you are with a non-BT supplier, first use the BT checker at <a href="http://bit.ly/BTBroadbandChecker">http://bit.ly/BTBroadbandChecker</a> to see if your address is registered on the BT system.

If it is showing your address as unable to order, then please contact me by email (tumi@tumihawkins.org.uk) and provide the following information:

Your Name, house number, street name, postcode, tel number, supplier, order number (if any), reason for being refused an order, and any other comment that is relevant.

Its not a quick fix of a few days, could potentially be few weeks depending on the specific challenge with your address. But it is fixable.

# **Transport - The Cambourne to Cambridge (C2C) Busway**

This one rumbles on slowly, although I think its been stuck in a jam for a while!

Transport in the Cambridgeshire area is now under the remit of the Mayor. He has pronounced that the Greater Cambridge Partnership cannot implement this busway without his say-so. He also wants his proposal for a metro system thoroughly examined first before a decision is made on bus or metro!.

Considering this busway project was being rushed through in order to convince the Planning Inspector that a transport strategy for Bourn Airfield development is viable, one wonders just what the Inspector will make of this latest fiasco.

# **Bin Collection Update**

Please check the council website regularly for updates at <a href="https://www.scambs.gov.uk/bin-collection-service-announcements">https://www.scambs.gov.uk/bin-collection-service-announcements</a>

Please report missed bins immediately or at least by 3.30pm the day after the scheduled collection, so that the Council can arrange to re-collect it. Go to the council website at <a href="https://www.scambs.gov.uk/recycling">https://www.scambs.gov.uk/recycling</a> to make the report. If you need a second blue bin, you can request one and it will be provided free of charge.

Community Forum - Caldecote Facebook Group is the place to get connected to find out and join in what's happening in the village. If you are a newcomer to the village, it's a good place to start. To join, go to <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/caldecote/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/caldecote/</a> and request to join. If you don't have a FB account, it is easy to set one up just for this purpose. One of the four admins will message you directly on FB to verify that you are a bona-fide resident before adding you to the group. Please answer the screening questions to assist admins in dealing with the request. Group admins contact is <a href="mailto:caldecotefacebookgroup@gmail.com">caldecotefacebookgroup@gmail.com</a>.

# Here to Help You

Please feel free to contact me in the usual ways if you need help with South Cambs council services (planning, housing, housing repairs, benefits, council tax, bin collection, environmental health, noise nuisance, etc).

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# Volunteer as a community first responder

Community first responders (CFRs) volunteer in groups, and are activated by the ambulance service to attend 999 emergency calls within the community they live or work. They receive intensive training to help them provide vital basic lifesaving skills which can make the difference in a life or death situation before the arrival of an ambulance resource. Volunteers take it in turn to be 'on call' and carry basic first aid equipment, oxygen and a simple-to-use automated external defibrillator (AED). The emergency operations centre sends them to the scene of category A (immediately life threatening) 999 calls. CFRs are dispatched at the same time as the ambulance crew, but often arrive beforehand because they are based so locally. The CFR then provides care until the ambulance arrives, usually only a few minutes later.

Anyone can become a community first responder 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 we provide
- have a full driving licence and access to a road worthy car.

For more information on the group, please email <a href="mailto:EEASTCFRS@eastamb.nhs.uk">EEASTCFRS@eastamb.nhs.uk</a>.

Remember to visit <u>www.eastamb.nhs.uk</u> for more news and information about the East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust, follow on Twitter @EastEnglandAmb.

We will be celebrating 10 years of Care Clubs at Caldecote Primary School on Friday 29th June.

More information to follow

# **CALDECOTE JOURNAL**

As always school continues to be very busy with lots of exciting events such as a visit from the Raptor Foundation, walks to Hardwick Woods, Multiskills, Dance and Tennis festivals at Comberton, and a fabulous performance from our Years 3 & 4 of "The Amazing Adventures of Super Stan".

We have recently had a visit from Heidi Allen, MP, who had a Q&A session with our Years 5 & 6 children. She had some incisive questions such as "If not the Conservatives – which party would you choose?"

"What do you think about MPs who shout at each other?" and many others. Interestingly, she did a hands-up poll of which children supported Brexit and not one hand went up! The media says the younger generation are remainers and this proved it!

There has actually been some congestion outside the school recently when BT arrived to dig up part of the pavement. We have requested that Highways inform us of any scheduled works so we can let everyone know and ask parents not to use their cars on those days.

The sunny weather has been very welcome – long may it continue!



Heidi Allen with the children who attended The Commonwealth Service.

Mrs. Karen Stanton Headteacher

<u>www.caldecoteprimaryschool.org.uk</u> email: <u>office@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk</u> 01954 210263



# Ages 3 to 6 NEW!

Time 4.10 to 4.55pm - Caldecote Village Hall Fun filled general gymnastics class using music and props focussing on stretching, floor and partner work. (limited spaces still available)

Ages 6+ 5-6pm - Caldecote Village Hall.

Gymnastic floor skills and acrobatics combined with apparatus such as balls, hoops, ropes and ribbon. (spaces still available)

£5 per drop in or discounted half termly fee. 10% discount applies for siblings. For any queries or to book a place please contact Tracey on 07775784195. or visit my facebook page: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/dreamcatcherukdance/">https://www.facebook.com/dreamcatcherukdance/</a>

Watch for updates on our facebook page or email me for further details. tracey@dreamcatcheruk.com

If you are interested in any other classes eg adults stretch and relax or a mum's ribbon/hoop fitness class, please get in touch. I would love to hear from you!

# CALDECOTE, DRY DRAYTON & HARDWICK COMMUNITY CAR SCHEME

**You** are warmly invited to afternoon tea to be held at The Hardwick Sports and Social Club, Egremont Road, Hardwick

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Friday 29 June 2018 from 2pm to 4pm

Coffee/Tea and homemade cakes
Raffle
Bookstall
Care Network ...and more!

If you need a lift there and home again afterwards (at no cost) please contact:

**Hazel Swindells (01954-212998)** 

# CALDECOTE, DRY DRAYTON & HARDWICK COMMUNITY CAR SCHEME

"If you need a lift for medical, dental or essential social purposes such as shopping, hairdressing, visiting relatives etc please ring one of the co-ordinators listed below. Please try to give at least 48 hours notice and only speak to or leave an answer phone message on one phone line as otherwise it could mean two drivers or more get booked for the same trip.

# The co-ordinators are:

 Marian Gibbens
 Tel: 01954 211709

 Hazel Swindells
 Tel. 01954 212998

 Lizzie Coe
 Tel. 01954 211838

 Gillian Stott
 Tel. 01954 210942

# For emergencies (same day) please try all numbers but please say you have contacted other co-ordinators

(If no success with any of these - for emergencies ONLY - try Sheila Stephenson on 01954 210638. Please do not leave answerphone messages for emergencies except with Sheila.)

The above co-ordinators will link you with a driver who will come and pick you up at an agreed time, take you to your destination and deliver you home. All the drivers are volunteers and are only reimbursed for their petrol. Thus for each run to Comberton or Bourn the passenger pays the driver £3.50. For all other runs the passenger pays the driver 30p per mile of the journey. The mileage is calculated from the driver's front door to the destination and back again. Currently when the mileage is submitted to the County Council by our treasurer (roughly every six months) Cambridgeshire County Council reimburse the drivers an additional 15p per mile for the mileage they have driven. This is one of the reasons we need plenty of drivers so that the passenger can ideally be near to where the driver lives, thus cutting costs. All drivers are DBS (originally CRB) checked at no cost to themselves.

# New drivers urgently needed.

Recently three of our drivers have had to stop driving for us due to health and personal reasons. We also regularly have drivers on holiday. Thus we do need to appeal now for more drivers to take their place. In the past we have had a good response especially from Hardwick drivers but we now need more as it is here we have currently lost them from.

What we also need now is a similar helpful response from drivers from Caldecote and Dry Drayton to keep driver's and passenger costs as low as possible.

The scheme can't exist without drivers! Also everyone helping with the scheme is a volunteer, usually with their own busy lives or work, and the more volunteers we have the easier it is to match up times of lifts and nearness of pick- up places.

So if you are a driver and have a little bit of spare time please do come forward. Passengers are always so grateful and your help makes things so much better for

everyone.

If you can help in any way please contact Sheila Stephenson on 01954 210638 or email to <a href="mailto:sheila1pc@yahoo.co.uk">sheila1pc@yahoo.co.uk</a>. I look forward very much to hearing from you.



#### Time

A few months ago the grandmother clock, which sits in our hallway, stopped working. I managed to break something whilst winding it up one day and we had no clue how to fix it. It sat there reading 11.30 for months, until a very kind gentleman whom we know from the village came to have a look at it. He diagnosed a broken spring, went on the hunt to find a new one, and then proceeded to fit it for us - what a joy to have our clock chiming and going 'tick tock' once more.

The beautiful quarterly hour Westminster chimes are a delight, most of the time. Occasionally of course they stress me out as I realise that yet another 15 minutes has passed and so little has been accomplished.

Having the clock going again has got me pondering how I relate to 'time'. It is something I usually feel I am 'running out of' or that 'I have never have enough of' or that somehow I should even learn to 'make'. (If anyone learns how to 'make time' do let me know). I went to a training day recently all about Time Wisdom. It began with a critique of the whole field of Time Management. Merlin Mann, who was the pioneer of many time management techniques, came to realise that all they enabled was an illusion of control and a ceaseless drive for efficiency where 'more' gets done, but with little thought to priorities or purpose. And so he began to change his message to encourage people to focus more on vision and values; on what really matters.

The key point of the session was that there is never time to do everything, and that hard choices will have to be made. Only then can we begin to live lives that are less frenetic. It seems this kind of message is crucial in our society. We cram more and more in, we long to be busy so as to appear important, and in all the rushing can miss the important things in life - taking joy in relationships and the little blessings of each day. Time is not made, but comes to us as a gift - a 'present' if you like double entendre. It is a gift from beyond ourselves, in Christian terms - from God. It is not a scarce resource, but the basic gift for living well.

Rev. David Newton Rev. David Newton Team Vicar in the Lordsbridge Team Lead Minister for Comberton, Toft and Caldecote





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Sunday 1st July from 9.30am

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Organised by Caldecote School PTA (charity number 1077533) Caldecote Primary School, Highfields Caldecote, Cambridge, 6823 7NX



# **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 <a href="mailto:pavilion@caldecote.gov.uk">pavilion@caldecote.gov.uk</a>

# **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

From 1<sup>st</sup> May there has been a change in access to public computers in libraries. All computers will be free for the first 30 minutes and will then be charged at £1.00 per hour, payable in advance, for adult users. Children and teenagers under 18 will continue to have free use for the whole of their session. Adults in receipt of certain benefits will also continue to have free access and County Council, Government and NHS websites will be free to browse for all. All libraries will continue to offer free access to wi-fi. Please do ask the library staff if you have any queries, or need to make a payment for computer time.

We are starting to think ahead to the school summer holidays when we will again be running our highly anticipated Summer Reading Challenge for children. This year's theme is Mischief Makers, and the challenge will be for children to read six books over the holidays, tell us about what they have been reading and collect stickers for their own collector's folder. Posters and details about registering for the Challenge will be available in the library before the end of school term in July.

We couldn't run the Summer Reading Challenge without the help of some brilliant teenage volunteers. If you are a teenager, or are the parent/carer of a teenager, who would enjoy

coming into the library to help us, we would love to hear from you. Please just call into the library for more information. We will just need to ask your school for a reference before term ends, so the sooner you contact us the better.

Upcoming Rhymetime sessions: 4<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> June, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> July (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! If you haven't been to a session before, please do come along with your baby, toddler, or pre-schooler and give it a try. We have a lovely volunteer running the sessions and it is great fun for both children and adults.

# Playgroup weekly Stay and Play sessions

Monday 9.30am — 11.00am in the Children's Centre building on the Caldecote Primary School site. This session will continue to run every Monday during term times.

Stay and Play is still open to all children aged 0 to 5 years old and their parents/carers, it is free of charge to attend (although any donation is always welcome), the parents/carers get to enjoy a cup of tea and coffee and, most importantly, the children get the opportunity to have lots of fun! (We will also provide a snack for all attending children during the session.)



# **Caldecote Playgroup is expanding!**

From September 2018 our friendly pre-school with excellent staff and an 'outstanding' rating from Ofsted will be in new premises on the

school site.

We have flexible sessions running between 8am and 5.30pm—for more details see ou website at www.caldecoteplaygroup.co.uk. We can offer 15 and 30 hours' funded childcare (for 3 and 4-year-olds), places for funded 2-year-olds and Early Talk Boost.

You can add your child to our register of interest from as early as 18 months, so that we can ensure we can accommodate your family's childcare needs.

If you would like to visit Playgroup or to apply for a place, email contactus@caldecoteplaygroup.co.uk or call Anesta Cooper on 01954 210857.



Heidi Allen

# Member of Parliament for South Cambridgeshire

Apparently Spring is here, so I hope you have been able to enjoy the few days of sunny weather that made an appearance in between the showers!

As many of you will be aware, the Greater Cambridge Partnership (GCP) has been consulting on whether there should be a Park and Ride near junction 11 of the M11. Many Harston residents were concerned about the plans so last month, I attended the GCP's consultation event in Harston along with many residents, the Parish Council and local councillors.

The GCP tried to reassure everyone that the proposed P&R would not add to traffic congestion through Harston. Because there will be even greater growth on the Addenbrooke's biomedical campus the GCP understandably want to discourage M11 traffic from driving towards the City centre.

Since the meeting, I have spoken with local county councillors Kevin Cuffley and Roger Hickford and at length with the GCP's Chief Executive and Director of Transport. Although everyone recognises the enormous employment growth coming to the campus, I believe Harston residents need more data to be persuaded by the "no increased traffic through Harston" argument.

I was therefore extremely pleased by the GCP Executive Board's subsequent decision to request further analysis be undertaken and opinion sought before the project is brought back to committee for a decision. I will continue to work closely with the GCP, local councillors and the Mayor to ensure ALL options are looked at, and the best solution identified. We must find a solution that deals with City congestion, but not at the expense of our villages. If we can help Harston with their already well understood congestion at the same time, then even better.

South Cambridgeshire continues to play a leading role in all things Brexit. This was recognised recently when Parliament's Exiting the European Union Select Committee came to Cambridge to hear evidence from local stakeholders on the implications of Brexit for the science and research sector. I was pleased to able to attend the session as the Committee has an important role in examining the UK's continued involvement in EU-wide agencies and collaborative projects, access to research funding post-Brexit, and potential changes to the general regulatory environment.

We have a wealth of experience on these topics and I am pleased that local stakeholders, such as Cambridge University, Astra Zeneca and Cancer Research UK were invited to participate.

Last month saw the consultation on the proposed closure of Cambridge Magistrates' Court come to an end. The proposal would see non-custodial work transferred to Cambridge County Court and custodial work transferred to either Huntingdon, Peterborough or, in some cases, Cambridge Crown Court.

I have been concerned about the lack of clear information surrounding the number of cases which would remain in Cambridge, how it would be decided which cases would be transferred out of Cambridge, the cost and appropriateness of using Cambridge County Court for Magistrates' Court work, and importantly, how the needs of the most vulnerable court users would be met.

The Ministry of Justice's plans lacked information about exactly what the closure of Cambridge Magistrates' Court might mean for my constituents so I wrote to the Ministry of Justice to seek more detailed information. Sadly, the information received has not diminished my concerns and I feel the consultation has been a missed opportunity to explain the plans with clarity.

These concerns were echoed at a meeting I had last month with our Police Crime Commissioner, Jason Ablewhite so I hope the Ministry will rethink their plans.



If you would like to read my submission to the Ministry of Justice, a copy is on my website –

The Government has also launched a call for evidence as part of its Cycle and Walking Investment Strategy safety review. The review

will look at how road safety can be improved for all road users as well as looking at ways to boost walking and cycling.

Here is South Cambridgeshire, we know the benefits of walking and cycling so this consultation really is welcome. Please do contribute and give the Government the benefit of our local experience! <a href="https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/cycling-and-walking-investment-strategy-cwis-safety-review">https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/cycling-and-walking-investment-strategy-cwis-safety-review</a>

For more delicate matters, on the 18th May between 3pm and 5pm, I will be holding a "by appointment" surgery at my Sawston constituency office. If you would like an appointment, please give my office a call on 01223 830087.

Details of all upcoming surgeries can be found on my website - <a href="www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk">www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk</a>. To contact me, please email <a href="heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk">heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk</a>. You can also phone my Westminster office on 020 7219 5091 about national issues or my constituency office on 01223 830037 for local concerns. It's been another busy month, so I'll try and give you a flavour of what I've been up to!

On the 10<sup>th</sup> April, I was honoured to join the Prime Minister when she visited Addenbrooke's Hospital. Theresa May spoke to staff, learnt about our pioneering cancer research and treatment work and also launched a £75 million nationwide fund to improve research into innovative ways of combatting prostate cancer. I am so proud of the hard-working, dedicated commitment of our NHS staff and the Prime Minister's visit showed how important Addenbrooke's is, not only to us locally, but also at a national level. The Prime Minister was briefed on the hospital's wish to build a cancer hospital on the campus. This would both develop our world leading reputation for cancer diagnosis and treatment and also free up valuable space for more general hospital work. The Prime Minister grasped the potential of the proposals and I am pleased to report suggested I discuss the proposals in more detail with her special advisor. I'll keep you posted!

April also saw the Health Minister Lord O'Shaughnessy visit Royal Papworth Hospital. I invited him so he could hear from the world-leading experts there and see the innovative work that they undertake. Papworth are seeking sustainable funding for their DCD (donation after circulatory death) transplant programme – that's essentially the use of hearts which would not traditionally make the grade. Lord O'Shaughnessy left impressed and promised to follow up to see what might be possible.

And now for something completely different and less welcome!

In the last few weeks, we have seen a large number of travellers take up residence on land on the A505 at Thriplow. Although increased powers are now available to local authorities to deal with unauthorised caravan sites, the Government is reviewing the powers available and looking at what more needs to be done. Unauthorised encampments continue to be an issue locally and I hope that you can spare a few minutes to take part in the consultation -



https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/powers-for-dealing-with-unauthorised-development-and-encampments
Supporting local communities is an important part of my role in South Cambridgeshire and in the last month, I have been pleased to support a number of local events and campaigns, including prize giving at the Cambourne 10k

run (thank goodness they didn't make me do it, I'd be hopeless!) and meeting with residents in Stapleford who are campaigning to see The Tree public house turned into a community asset (I have more skill here!)



If you would like more information about the Stapleford community's efforts to create a community hub and their crowdfunding efforts, please visit their website - <a href="http://thetreestapleford.co.uk/">http://thetreestapleford.co.uk/</a>

This month sees a new timetable for Great Northern trains and I know that many of you contributed to the train timetable consultation last year. The result is a new timetable from 20th May onwards which affects all Great Northern routes. Every train, from every station has been

changed with the intention of providing a more reliable service for passengers and increasing capacity. Details of the changes are available here - https://www.railplan2020.com/

Although I am pleased the operator listened to the majority of concerns raised by residents (and the original proposed timetable generated a lot!), there are still some services from Royston and Ashwell and Morden which require further attention. I will continue pushing for these amendments and will keep my website updated with progress.

Keeping with the theme of transport, I have been coordinating efforts with stakeholders to ensure a viable future for the Whippet X3 service which serves Cambourne, Papworth and the surrounding area. Working with Whippet, Royal Papworth, Astra Zeneca, Addenbrooke's, the County Council and Greater Cambridge Partnership, I am very hopeful that some kind of sustainable service to benefit everyone can be preserved. Again, I will keep you updated.

If there is anything you would like to talk to me about, I will be holding a "by appointment" surgery at my Sawston constituency office on the 18th May between 1pm and 3pm. If you would like an appointment, please give my office a call on 01223 830087.

I will be holding my next "drop in" surgery on the 9<sup>th</sup> June between 11.30am and 1.30pm at The Plough Public House, St Peters Street, Duxford, CB22 4RP where no appointment will be necessary.

Details of all upcoming surgeries can be found on my website - <a href="www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk">www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk</a>. Looking ahead, my diary is already filling up fast. I have a further meeting with the Prime Minister soon to discuss modern slavery. Locally, I have meetings about local education provision, transport and visits to local schools and businesses. I'll be sure to share details in my next newsletter but in the meantime, if you would like to contact me, please email <a href="mailto:heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk">heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk</a> You can also phone my Westminster office on 020 7219 5091 about national issues or my constituency office on 01223 830037 for local concerns. See you next month!

# Step into Summer this May and June with Cambridge Past, Present and Future (CambridgePPF)



With summer just around the corner, the rising temperatures and blue skies of May are enough to bring a smile to anyone's face, and it's the perfect time to get outdoors to take in some of the lovely local scenery as the new season begins. Start off your month on the right foot by greeting the early summer sun rising over Wandlebury Country Park accompanied by a traditional Morris Dance; or you can enjoy the British countryside at its best on fascinating guided wild flower and orchard walk events. For something completely different, the

acclaimed *in situ*: theatre company will be back at the atmospheric Leper Chapel, recounting some spine-tingling tales – if you dare. And if you need a helping hand during the half-term holidays, there are three special creative events for accompanied and unaccompanied children run by Vital Spark theatre to keep young minds occupied. Step into summer this May with CambridgePPF! Drop in and explore this impressive 17th century working watermill, built on a site dating back to the Domesday Book. Run by volunteer guides who will show you how the mill works and tell you the history of this incredible building. Walks along the river. Children can take part in the 'Where's Ratty' competition! CambridgePPF members can visit for free. For non-members entry is £3 adults, £1 children. No need to book. Mill Lane, Hinxton CB10 1RD

# Theatre at the Leper Chapel: The Demon Lover Saturday 19 May: 8pm

Storytelling and drama performed by in situ, £12 (£10 concessions), www.insitu.co.uk or on the night from 7.30pm. Barnwell Junction on Newmarket Road, Cambridge, CB5 8JJ – opposite Cambridge United. No parking or facilities at the chapel itself.

# Wandlebury Orchard Walk Wednesday 23 May: 2pm to 3pm

Join one of our wardens for a relaxing afternoon stroll around the traditional orchard at Wandlebury Country Park. free event no need to book – donations are welcome. Meet at the notice board next to the car park.

# Half-Term Events for Children with Vital Spark – all at Stable Rooms, Wandlebury. 'If You Go Down to the Woods Adventure' – Accompanied Children Tues 29 May: 10.30-12pm

Outdoor adventure combines fairy-tale favourites that brings imagination to life through drama, craft and storytelling. Booking essential, ages 2-6 years, accompanied by adult. £10 per child (younger siblings welcome, under 2s are free). Includes a snack, dress for outside.

# Nature Puppets and Puppetry with Vital Spark –Unaccompanied Children Tues 29 May: 12-4pm

Half-day workshop create characters and bring them to life through puppetry. Make and perform in their own puppet theatre. Booking essential. For unaccompanied children aged 6-11 years. £25 (£5 off for accompanying siblings). Includes a snack, dress for outside.

# Wild Bedtime Stories with Vital Spark

Friday 1 June: 5pm to 6.30pm

Come and enjoy some bedtime stories in a beautiful outdoor setting at Wandlebury Country Park. Wear your pjs, dressing gowns, onesies (and probably wellies!), bring your favourite teddy if you wish. Booking essential. Children must be accompanied. £6 per child, includes hot chocolate (please bring a reusable cup to help cut down on waste if you can). **For more information and booking:** email Katherine@vitalsparktheatre.org

# Theatre at the Leper Chapel: *Tales of Mystery and Imagination* Saturday 2 June: 8pm

Folk songs and suspenseful tales from Edgar Allan Poe, including 'The Premature Burial' and 'Thou Art the Man'. Recited by Richard Spaul of the **in situ:** experimental theatre group in the mysterious setting of the Leper Chapel. Tickets £12 (£10 concessions), available in advance at: www.insitutheatre.co.uk and at the venue from 7.30pm. Advance booking recommended. Suitable for ages 16+.

**Directions:** Barnwell Junction on Newmarket Road, Cambridge, CB5 8JJ. No parking or facilities at the chapel itself. Please park in nearby streets or come by bus or on foot. **Hinxton Watermill Open Day – National Mills Weekend Sunday 3 June: 2.30-5.30pm** 

Explore this impressive 17th century working watermill, built on a site dating back to the Domesday Book. Volunteer guides will show you how the mill works and the history of this

incredible building. Walks along the river. 'Where's Ratty' competition for children! CambridgePPF members free. Non-members entry £3 adults, £1 children. No need to book. Mill Lane, Hinxton CB10 1RD

The action-packed Wandlebury Adventurers' Club takes place on five consecutive Monday evenings each term and you can sign up for a term (£60) or for an individual session (£14).

Woodland Crafts: Printmaking – Wandlebury Adventurers' Club (8-12 years) Monday 4 June: 6pm to 8pm

Have a blast designing and creating your very own prints with natural woodland materials!

Constructions and Building – Wandlebury Adventurers' Club (8-12 years)

Monday 11 June: 6pm to 8pm

Have a go at making buildings and structures from natural materials.

Orienteering – Wandlebury Adventurers' Club (8-12 years)

Monday 18 June: 6pm to 8pm

Have fun as you orienteer your way around the park, with map-reading team games and a special treasure hunt.

**Bows & Arrows! – Wandlebury Adventurers' Club (8-12 years)** 

Monday 25 June: 6pm to 8pm

This fun-filled session sees the Wandlebury Adventurers making their own bows and arrows from sticks, then testing out their creations while trying to hit the target.

For ages 8-12. Places limited so please book in advance. Parents are not required to attend the sessions with their children. All activities are run by two of our experienced DBS checked and first-aid qualified Field Teachers. Please wear suitable wet weather outerwear and footwear. Based in the Stable Rooms at Wandlebury.

# 10th Anniversary Walk at Coton Countryside Reserve

Wednesday 20 June: 6.30pm to 8pm

A guided evening walk around the reserve to enjoy the wildlife and views.

Meet in the reserve car park. Free event but please book ahead so we can manage participant numbers. Donations are always appreciated. CB23 7PZ. OS grid reference TL 414 577 GB. **Booking:** please book online via the website at cambridgeppf.org or with Eventbrite on: **tinyurl.com/CPPFCoton10th** 

**Garden of Eden Heritage Walk** 

Saturday 23 June: 11am to 1pm and 2pm to 4pm

For National Civic Day, CambridgePPF will be hosting two guided heritage walks in Cambridge, starting at Christ's Pieces at the Princess Diana Rose Arbour and ending at the Clarendon Arms pub. Local historian led. Free event but booking is essential to manage participant numbers. Donations appreciated. **Directions:** Christ's Pieces are in the centre of the city, bordered by the bus station, Christ's College, Emmanuel Road and King Street. Book via website at cambridgeppf.org or Eventbrite on: **tinyurl.com/CPPFGardenWalk Bourn Windmill Open Day and Teas – National Mills Weekend Sunday 24 June: 2-4pm** See inside one of the oldest mills in the country, set in beautiful scenery near Bourn village. See how the mill works and learn the history of this incredible building. You can also have a go at turning the whole mill on its post – an amazing sight. Teas and cakes available. No need to book. CambridgePPF members free, non members £3 adult, £1 child. Off Caxton Road, Bourn CB23 2SU.

# **Healthy Walking**

# Every Thursday: 10am or 10.30am to 11am

Keep fit by joining our healthy walkers every Thursday this June for one of our Walking for Health accredited sociable walks around the park. Meet at the Stable Rooms at 10am for a longer walk or 10.30am for a shorter stroll, finishing at approximately 11am with refreshments. Suitable for all abilities. Free of charge and no need to book; please arrive 10 minutes early to register if it's your first session. **Directions:** Wandlebury Country Park is on

the A1307, 2.5km south of the Addenbrooke's roundabout. CB22 3AE. Parking is available on site and costs £3 per vehicle, members free.

For more information: email bookings@cambridgeppf.org, call 01223 243830 extension 207 or visit www.cambridgeppf.org/whats-on



# COMBERTON FITNESS CLASS TIMETABLE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
BODY BLAST	YOGALATES	FITNESS PILATES	STUDIO CYCLING	PUMP AND TONE	STUDIO CYCLING	STEP
18:00 - 19:00 HANNAH	18:00 - 19:00 SANDRA	18:00 - 19:00 HANNAH	18:00- 18:45 AYMEN	18:00 -19:00 JUDIT	8:30 - 9:15 TARA	9.00-10.00 AYMEN
STUDIO CYCLING 19:05 - 19:50 HANNAH	BOXERCISE 18:30—19:30 NIKKI	ZUMBA 19:00 - 20:00 JUDIT	HIIT		EARLY BURN	YOGALATES
ZUMBA 19:15 - 20:15 JUDIT	TTB 19:05 - 20:00 HANNAH	CIRCUITS 19:05 - 20:00 HANNAH	18:50 - 19:20 AYMEN		9:20 - 10:20 TARA	10.00-11.00 SANDRA
PILATES	STUDIO CYCLING	STUDIO CYCLING	STEP			
20:00 - 21:00 TARA	20:05 - 20:50 JUDIT	20:05 - 20:50 JUDIT	19:25 - 20:10 AYMEN			

All Studio classes are FREE for Members. £5/£4 for non-members.

Please book in advance at the CSA Reception or call us on 01223 264 444. Online booking available for members.

Members can book 8 days in advance, Non Members 7 days in advance!

#### 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 July 2018. 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: <a href="https://www.caldecote.gov.uk">www.caldecote.gov.uk</a>.

The Editors are: Saskia Dart

and David Phillips

Email: 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

#### **Brownies**

Meets Tuesdays 6.00pm in the pavilion Polly Anne Field (212230)

#### **Rainbows**

Meet Tuesdays 4.30 in the pavilion

# **Catholic Church**

Contact: Melanie Ward (212714)

Email: 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

www.caldecote.org.uk

# Caldecote Facebook Group

https://www.facebook.com/groups/

caldecote/

# Admin Email;

caldecotefacebookgroup@gmail.com

# **Caldecote Journal**

All contributions welcome. Saskia Dart (210526) David Phillips(210379)

Email: caldecotejournal@gmail.com

# **Caldecote Sports Association**

New Members Welcome.

Chair: Vacant

Vice Chair: John Newby (212547) Secretary: Sue Tasker (212787)

Email: johntask@aol.com Treasurer: Saskia Dart

# **Caldecote Football Club**

We run organised football from U6 to U17

For all enquiries, please contact;

John Miller (Secretary)

johnmiller9@btinternet.com

01954 210313

Mike Perkins (Chairman)

mike.perkins@karro.com

01954 212321

Kate Bradshaw (Club Welfare Officer)

Kate.Bradshaw@reach-contact.com

01954 211180

#### Care Clubs

Nichola Church careclubs@caldecote.cambs.sch.uk 01954 212636 Caldecote Primary School, Highfields Road, Caldecote

#### **County Councillor**

Lina Joseph

Mob: 0740 23 51821

Email:

Lina.Joseph@cambridgeshire.gov.uk

# **Crimestoppers**

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

# **District Councillor**

Tumi Hawkins (210840) Mob:07802 323269

EmailClir.Hawkins@scambs.gov.uk &

Tumi@TumiHawkins.org.uk

Blog: www.TumiHawkins.org.uk

Twitter; @CouncillorTumi FB page: @itsCouncillorTumi

Drop-in surgery on first Thursdays of the month 7pm to 7.50pm at the Village Hall

# 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:

Steve Gaze, 01954 211900

email: minister.hechurch@gmail.com

# **Friends Of Caldecote Church**

Contact: Roger Sylvester-Bradley

(210560)

roger.sylvester-bradley@adas.co.uk

www.caldecotefriends.org.uk

# **Gateways**

'Something to do, something to eat, something to think about'

Facebook: <u>bit.ly/GatewaysCaldecote</u>
Blog:<u>gatewayscaldecote.wordpress.com</u>
Email: <u>alisonmyers@lordsbridge.org</u>

# **Hardwick and Caldecote Cricket Club**

Sue Tasker (212787) Chris Fuller (211226)

# **Local History Group**

Sue Day (210655)

Email: CaldecoteLHG@aol.com

#### MP

Heidi Allen Hardwick. (212707) 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

**Bosserts Way** – Andrew Faulkner – 210341, ajfmrao@gmail.com

Cavendish Way – Rod Watt - 211314,

rodwatt@sky.com

Clare Drive: 2 to 40 evens, 1 to 59 –

Andrew Faulkner -210341, aifmrao@gmail.com

Clare Drive: 42 - 78 evens Vacancy,

61 - 77 odds Vacancy

Copel Close -

Copse Close - Andrew Faulkner -

210341, ajfmrao@gmail.com

**Crafts Way** - Andrew Faulkner - 210341, ajfmrao@gmail.com

**Damms Pastures** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, ajfmrao@gmail.com

**Devonshire Mews** – Rod Watt - 211314, rodwatt@sky.com

**Dorral Dean** – Andrew Faulkner - 210341, aifmrao@gmail.com

East Drive - Vacant

Flaxon Glade - Andrew Faulkner -210341, aifmrao@gmail.com

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Highfields Road: 29 to 65 odds --

Andrew Faulkner -210341,

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Highfields Road: 8 to 50 evens – Andrew Faulkner -210341, aifmrao@gmail.com Highfields Road: 56 to 76 evens -

Andrew McKeown – 210530,

Andrew@wrinklymacs.co.uk Highfields Road: 67 - 131 odds - Bob

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Orchid Fare - Vacancy

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Samian Close – Vacancy

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The Willows - Colin Fotland - 210042,

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Thorny Way – Andrew Faulkner -210341. aifmrao@gmail.com

West Drive: 1 to 28 - Colin Fotland -210042, colinfotland@btinternet.com West Drive: 29 to 52 - Sally Ann Harrod -

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 gueries or want more information, please do not hesitate to contact him on 01954 210042, caldecotenhw@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

## **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 Georgina Harrod

Cllr Phil Claridge

Cllr Helen Cartwright

Cllr Tumi Hawkins

Parish Clerk: (07456 325327)

Email parishclerk@caldecote.gov.uk

www.caldecote.gov.uk

# **Playgroup**

Meets Monday to Friday, from 8.00am -5.30pm (with lunch from 12.00-1.00) Playgroup Leader: Anesta Cooper

Chair: Sarah Talmage Vice Chair: Jemma Hoban Secretary: Jane Styles Treasurer: Jo Howe

Admission Officer: Emma Andrew Funding Officer: Emma Andrew

Committee member: Julie Stigwood Committee member: Sophie Hirst Committee member: Joss Waddy Contact: Tel: 01954 210 857

E-mail:

<u>contactus@caldecoteplaygroup.co.uk</u> Website: 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 <a href="mailto:cambourne.npt@cambs.pnn.police.uk">cambourne.npt@cambs.pnn.police.uk</a> 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

# **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 Rob Monk
Dominic Hordern
Mark Hurst
Katie Kendall
Suzy Reed
Kevin Vanterpool
Trina Watts

Lesley Whitehead

# **Social Club**

Chairman: Russell Beresford Secretary: PollyAnne Fields Treasurer: John Butler

Club: (210791)

New members welcome

caldecotesocialclub@gmail.com

# **Sports and Social Pavilion**

Available for hire.
Bookings Manager:
Key Holders:
Enquiries
pavilion@caldecote.gov.uk

# St Michael and All Angels Church,

Caldecote with Childerley, one of the Lordsbridge team parishes www.caldecotechurch.org.uk

#### Vicar:

Revd David Newton (01223 665654)

davidnewton@lordsbridge.org
Churchwarden:
Dona McCullagh (01223 263180)

dona@dmccullagh.co.uk
Nichola Fernandez (01223 263923)

nicholafern@hotmail.com
Website: 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

Michael Johnson Simon Gaultry

# **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.

Editor, including community events and diary:

# WI

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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