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SPEAKER: Sarah Burdett - History of the Cowes Floating Bridge

For membership details contact Mary Mead on **01983 298154** or visit the **CREEA** webpage in the **Local Groups** section of the village website where you can also download a copy of our 2012 Programme and view photos of past events.

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The next meeting is on Thursday 1st March at 2pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall.

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The next meeting is on Monday 12th March at 7.30pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall. Guest Speaker- John Hannam

TOPIC: Celebrities

COMPETITIONS: An item from the theatre, best garden bloom

REFRESHMENTS: American Supper

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NORTHWOOD VILLAGE PRODUCE ASSOCIATION

The next meeting is on Friday 9th March at 7.30pm in the Northwood W.I. Hall.

SPEAKER: Ivan Jackman - "Flags"

COMPETITIONS: Favourite bracelet, favourite cufflinks

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MEETINGS

Meetings of the Parish Council are held on the first Tuesday of the month, commencing at 6.30pm.

The meeting of the Planning Committee, if required, is held on the third Tuesday of the month, commencing at 6.30pm.

ALL MEETINGS ARE HELD AT NORTHWOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL, WYATTS LANE, NORTHWOOD.

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The comments made in the following articles represent the views of the individual contributors, rather than Northwood Parish Council.

Camp Hill Wind Energy Proposal

The Chairman welcomed Mr John Mills the Head of Communications and Marketing Partnerships for Renewable Development Co to the meeting, in order to make a presentation on the Camp Hill wind energy proposals.

Mr Mills, by way of a power point presentation, explained the background and details of the proposal. The Partnerships for Renewables had been established by the Carbon Trust Enterprise to unlock public sector renewable energy potential, on sites UK wide, in partnership with the Ministry of Justice (MoJ). The Camp Hill proposal was one of only three MoJ sites deemed suitable. A range of ecology studies and impact assessments had been undertaken. These formed part of the Scoping report to determine if the site was considered appropriate for the two proposed wind turbines that had a capacity to generate up to 3mw. A map of the proposed site was displayed. During the next few weeks a decision would be taken on the exact position of the turbines, enabling a full planning application to be submitted for decision in late March/early April.

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It was noted that the scheme could enable the potential for private wire installations. Talks were being undertaken with local businesses to investigate this benefit. It was reported that Vestas had offered to host the Parish Council to visit their works to see what was involved in the wind turbine industry. Councillors and members of the public raised a number of questions to which Mr Mills responded. **Northwood Community Partnership** Mr A Chick, the Chairman of the Community Partnership was present and addressed the

planning application being submitted.

Parish Council to provide more specific details on the arrangements being planned for the Queens Diamond Jubilee on June 9th.

A wide ranging consultation exercise had been undertaken to keep the local public aware during the development process. A further public exhibition was planned prior to the

It was noted that as no provision had been made in the budget, the costs would need to be met from balances.

It was decided a donation of £150 be approved, to be used towards the provision of entertainment being planned for the day and also that the Parish Council agrees to underwrite the whole event up to a maximum cost of £150.

Town and Country Planning

Land behind 7 Pallance Road, Northwood - Re-submission of application for proposed erection of one detached two bedroom chalet bungalow and one detached three bedroom chalet bungalow with detached single garage

The Council considered that the revised scheme showed no sign of any alterations. Therefore the strong objections to this application TCP/30768 land rear of 7 and 9 Pallance Road, Northwood remain unchanged for the following reasons:

Overdevelopment of the site - The area is already very compact, there is very little free space and no provision for overspill parking (Policy D1 (g), (d) (i) and (j));

The access to this part of Selman Gardens is via a dangerous blind spot where the road leads in from the original estate. Any extra traffic caused by the two proposed dwellings would exacerbate the problems in an area that is very short of parking and turning space; The nature of the road surface requires that it is kept free of large accumulations of mud. which could seriously impair the roads ability to self drain, and as there are no drains, could cause flooding and other long-term damage. Builders vehicles could cause the deposition of mud and other detritus on the 'porous' road surface, which is privately owned by the residents of Selman Gardens, and for which they are financially and legally responsible:

Concerns were raised regarding the possible loss of the communal grass areas, for which the local residents are jointly responsible;

The proposed plans would cause loss of privacy and visual amenity to existing neighbouring properties. Concern was expressed over the increase in on-road parking the development would cause and possible obstruction to emergency vehicles. It was essential that local residents maintained unfettered access to their properties.

Economic Improvement Fund

Discussion ensued on the proposals set out in the report, which had been suggested by the clerk that could possibly fulfil the stipulated criteria of the Economic Improvement Fund. The decision taken earlier to update the Parish Plan was duly noted as part of these discussions. The Chairman had also circulated an email, prior to the meeting, advising of essential work required by the Trustees of Northwood Cemetery to the Chapel floor, which might also fulfil the conditions required. The total cost of this project was approximately £3,200.00. If an application for this work was successful then the 50% matched funding would be met by the Trustees, with no charge being incurred by the Parish Council. Other suggestions were also considered and discounted. It was noted that as there could be unused balances from other Town/Parish Councils these could be made available to those Councils who showed an excess of valid projects.

It was decided that three applications be submitted to the IW Council for 50% matched funding under the Economic Improvement Fund: £1,600.00 towards the cost of replacement flooring to the Chapel, at Northwood Cemetery; £2,500.00 towards the cost of a Housing Needs Survey, which formed the first element in updating the Parish Plan; £750.00 towards the costs of planting and watering the 28 tubs and planters around the village.

Diamond Jubilee Celebrations

After discussion, it was agreed that the Parish Council agrees to the principle of supplying a memento to all pre-school and primary school children in Northwood, this to be the same as possibly planned by Cowes Town Council, subject to receiving further details as to the cost and the likely cost per head.

Traffic & Transport Issues Working Party

The summer time table had been finalised. Amendments had been made to the first bus of the day, to start at the Portland Inn at 9.38am and not at the Co-Op. This ensured achievable timings throughout the day. Following several requests two buses had been routed via Rew Street rather than Cockleton Lane. This would be monitored to determine usage. The ticket machines had been removed from the buses as they had provided a false record of passenger numbers. Collection buckets had been installed in their place and this had increased the donations made. Passenger numbers were averaging 55 per day.

The problem that the on-going roadworks along the Newport Road had caused was highlighted. It was requested that a letter be sent to the IW Council suggesting that, in the event of future roadworks, proper diversion signs for light traffic only, be erected at the Four Cross junction. This would divert some of the traffic down Pallance Road, via Noke Common back onto the Newport Road.

Northwood in Bloom Working Party

Cllr Pullen advised that he had visited Ryde House Nurseries and obtained a quotation for summer planting, this to be in a red, white and blue theme to tie in with the Jubilee celebrations. The total cost, with a 10% discount, amounted to £136.90 delivered. As this fell within the budget agreed, Cllr Pullen was requested to submit an order to achieve the planting scheme identified.

Safer Neighbourhood Report for Northwood

PCSO Steve Oatley has reported no serious incidents in the village over the last month. There was a concrete ornament stolen from a garden in Wyatts Lane.

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NORTHWOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP REPORT

(Eileen Turner-Palmerton, Secretary)

Our plans to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth 2 are progressing. The major factor is to raise funds for the Party on SATURDAY 9TH JUNE, 2012, commencing at 2pm, at the SCOUT HEADQUARTERS, WYATTS LANE. The first fund raising event is being organised by Northwood and Medham W.I.s. A COFFEE MORNING, on SATURDAY, 10TH MARCH, 2012, AT 10.AM - 12 NOON, at the W. I. HALL, NORTHWOOD. Please come along and support them at this venture.

The programme for the PARTY DAY is going to be very exciting. Lots of activities are planned for all to enjoy. So that you and your family can be thinking of what to wear for the event, we will give you some ideas. Think back to the 1950's. What was the fashion, hairstyles, etc.? We are going to hold a competition for the best dressed children and adults. There will also be competitions for the best plants or flowers, grown by the children. Many other activities are being organised. Further details will be in our next report.

If you have any ideas or are willing to help us on the day, please come along to our next meeting on TUESDAY 6TH MARCH, 2012, 7.45pm at the W. I. HALL, NORTHWOOD. You will be very welcome. (Or you can give Alan or myself a ring, on the numbers at the top of this report).

RESIDENTS EVENT

The next Residents Event is on WEDNESDAY, 21ST MARCH, 2012. Commencing at 2.30pm, at the "W. I. Hall, Northwood.

A representative of the Street Pastors will be in attendance. If you wish to attend and require transport, please contact 296020 or 282242.

The next meeting of the Northwood Community Partnership will be our Annual General Meeting TUESDAY 27TH MARCH, 2012, 7.45pm IN THE W. I. HALL.

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Tressa Lambert St John The Baptist, Northwood

Dear Friends,

It seems a long time ago now when in every shop there was the sound of Christmas hymns bellowing down the aisle to make us feel in the festive mood.

But a hymn is not just for Christmas!

The congregation of Northwood enjoy getting together for many religious celebrations throughout the year and regularly form a choir for such events. There are between 10 and 15 of us of all ages and abilities. Some of us have been singing for years, where for others it's their first time singing with a choir. We make a joyous noise and welcome people from all denominations to join us in worship. We do not meet on a regular basis and sometimes only need a couple of rehearsals to learn an anthem or two. We meet on a Saturday Morning in Northwood Church at 10 o'clock and our singing lasts for about ¾ hour. This year we plan to sing "Jerusalem Joy" By Roger Jones on Saturday 7th April. It is a group of songs and narrations telling the story of Christ's Death and resurrection.

We would like to invite anyone who wishes to sing to join us on Saturday 10th March at 10.00am for our first rehearsal.

In the bible, Psalm 100 say's; Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Now it doesn't specify if we all have to be in tune or even sing from the same hymn sheet! In which case it is an open invitation for you all to come and join us.

God Bless

Tressa Lambert

For more information please feel free to call me on 01983 296981

St John the Baptist Church Keys

Church keys are now available from

NORTHWOOD STORES

Mon-Sat 5:00am - 7:00pm Sun 6:30am - 6:00pm

Please note keys are NOT available outside of shop hours. Keys must be signed for and returned the same day.

Island Plan Core Strategy

Just a reminder to residents that I expect this to be formally approved at Full Council on the 21st March after which land offered for housing development will be assessed in detail. In view of the several local sites already offered, one of the matters which will be considered will be the need for local housing in Northwood ranging from starter and family homes to those for social renting. I understand that Northwood Parish Council has sought funding under the IW Council's Economic Improvement Fund initiative for a Village Plan which would cover local housing need. I support this bid and indeed the other two bids which I think will be mentioned in this month's Parish Council Report.

So will residents please help with the gathering of this information by contacting the Parish Council via the Parish details in this edition and/or contacting me via the contact details above. It is important that local opinions underpin any future decisions regarding housing development in Northwood.

I remind residents of the well-attended and useful meeting last year at the W.I Hall when the whole issue of local housing sites was explained in detail by a Planning Officer. At that time the Council's view was that there was a demand for another 1350 homes within the Medina Valley area in addition to any existing permissions. This demand has been agreed by the Planning Inspector so will form part of the agreed Core Strategy. Residents will also recall sites had been offered in Northwood for nearly 3000 homes so clearly this imbalance will need to be addressed.

I will be arranging another meeting at the same venue in April or early May to update residents on the latest position, hopefully with an analysis of your responses on local housing need. So please give us your views!

Northwood Primary School

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The school (where I am a Governor) is re-visiting it's school travel plan to see what more can be done to make travelling to the school to deliver pupils, less problematic for both nearby local residents and parents. In this regard may I again appeal to parent drivers not to block residents' driveways or of course the zebra crossing. The first is anti-social and the second a quite serious road traffic offence.

In the meantime I asked a highway's officer to look again at the long length of double yellow lines on the north side of the lower end of Oxford Street. He has advised that subject to a new dropped kerb being installed at an appropriate part of the south side, up to four parking spaces can be provided well away from the Wyatts Lane junction.

Other suggestions from parents and residents will be most welcome.

Best Wishes to all, Roger

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REPORT - MARCH 2012

Council Tax for 2012/13

I am pleased to report that at the Council Budget setting meeting being held on 29th February, the administration of which I am a member will be proposing a Council Tax freeze for the second year running. Whilst this has been another difficult financial year with central government requiring us to find another £5+million in savings, we have drawn up a carefully prepared balanced budget which I am confident will receive the acceptance of the majority of Council Members.

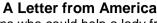
So it has been possible for us to limit any cost increases for the next financial year to two and one half percent bringing us within the Government's scheme to subsidise the cost up to that percentage. Not all Councils have been able to achieve this e.g. Surrey County Council, and I must pay tribute to our finance team led by Director of Resources Dave Burbage for their skill and hard work in delivering our policy objective of a nil Council Tax increase for a second year.

Care of the Elderly

There has been national and local concern about the amount of funding the Council provides to support vulnerable adults. Residents should be assured that the largest of all Council inter-Directorate budgets is allocated to Adult Social Care and related matters. Indeed we have proposals for this year to increase our gross budget for care provision over the next three financial years i.e. to 2014/15 from £48.3m to £55.9m. This extra £7+m represents an increase of 19.8% at a time when our overall budget is reducing by 16%.

I would also wish to confirm that whilst £3m of the £7m deals with inflation, the remaining £4+m deals with pressures of increasing demand and associated costs, meaning that we are budgeting to meet not just present but future demand.

Residents will also have read the continuing discussions about the future of the N.H.S. I am pleased to confirm that on the Island both ourselves and our local G.P. Commission Group have taken advantage of the national proposals and that as we have just the one Council and NHS Trust, we have taken the opportunity to discuss in detail how the proposals would work on the Island. The Doctors have keenly embraced the opportunity to take the local lead on what health services their patients need, when and how they will access those services, because I am sure we will agree that no-one knows a patient better than their own GP! I expect much more on this important matter will be the subject of both national and local press statements. In the meantime, if you are visiting your GP or local Councillor, why not enquire about these important changes yourself?



Are there any local historians who could help a lady from America? The lady's Gran was a maid to the Mew family until she married and emigrated to America in 1910. The lady has had a picture in her kitchen for some years and now believes it to be the original Medham House.

Was Medham House the residence of the Mew family? Her photo shows a handsome brick house, covered in vines and adorned with an intricate wooden 'gingerbread' trim on the gables. Is this what Medham House once looked like? If anyone can help with this lady's enquiries, please email the editor, Sara, at nneditor@northwoodvillage.org.uk.

Update on the future of Police Stations on the Isle of Wight

As announced in October 2011, Hampshire Constabulary took the decision to close the front offices of the county's police stations where demand was lowest, from April 2012. A successful case was made for the Isle of Wight to retain two of it's three public offices at Police Stations where demand is higher, and where the Island's geography strongly supports an additional site.

Therefore, **Ryde and Newport front offices will remain open to the public**. From April 2012, the opening hours for both sites will be:

Monday - Saturday: 9:00am - 6:00pm Sunday: 9:30am - 6:00pm

The 2011 consultation showed a clear shift towards more on-line self-service options to contact the police, as well as interaction with each areas own Safer Neighbourhood Team.

For traditional front office services not provided by the local Safer Neighbourhood Team, the public can still call 101 to report a crime, get an update, access help and advice, leave a message or schedule a meeting with an officer.

In addition, the yellow telephones will remain outside Police Stations in Cowes, Yarmouth and Ventnor. The public can use these phones to speak to an officer on duty or the force enquiry centre who will be able to answers queries and get help quickly in an emergency.

Please Clean up your Mess

There have been several sightings of dog mess left in and around Northwood recently. There are plenty of dedicated dog mess bins scattered around the village so please could all dog walkers remember to pick up their dogs mess and bin it in one of these bins. This is of particular importance around the primary school and the main walking routes to the school.

COFFEE MORNING

In aid of church funds

SATURDAY 24th MARCH 10am - 12pm

St John the Baptist Church, Chawton Lane Stalls - Cakes - Raffle - Bring & Buy ALL WELCOME

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NORTHWOOD PARISH CHURCH OFFICERS

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHURCH WARDENS

Do you know of someone who would appreciate a visit by the church? Or would you, yourself, like to meet and talk with someone from the church? Please contact one of the Churchwardens whose details are given above. We're happy to meet with you, to bring communion to you if you cannot come to church - or to explore with you if you just want to know more about the Christian faith. We are always here for you – because that's what we're about!

From the Parish Church Registers:

No Baptisms:

No Marriages

We remember in our thoughts and prayers those who have died recently. remembering especially their families:

THOMAS CRESEY WINTER

on 19th January 2012

LILY VIOLET WATERS

On 25th January 2012

For Baptism, Wedding, Funeral and other enquiries please telephone The Rev'd Roger Whatley on 01983 825938

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PRAYER GROUP MEETING FOR MARCH 2012





NORTHWOOD PARISH CHURCH SERVICES

in St John the Baptist Church, Chawton Lane, Northwood March 2012

Sunday 4th - 2nd Sunday of Lent

11:15am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP)

Readings: Genesis 17.1-7, Romans 4.13-end, Mark 8.31-end

NORTHWOOD NEWS! Sunday 11th - 3rd Sunday of Lent

8:00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP)

11:15am FAMILY SERVICE

Readings: Exodus 20.1-7, Corinthians 1.18-25, John 2.13-22

Sunday 18th - 4th Sunday of Lent MOTHERING SUNDAY

11:15am MORNING PRAYER (CW)

Readings: 2 Corinthians 1.3-7, John 19.25-27

Sunday 25th - 5th Sunday of Lent

11:15am HOLY COMMUNION (CW)

Back Badge Brigade

Readings: Jeremiah 31.31-34, Hebrews 5.5-10, John 12.20-33



	CHURCH CLEANING ROTA FOR MARCH 2012			
DATE	CHURCH	BRASS		
2nd	MRS P. PLEDGE & MRS J. MAZILLIUS	MRS J. PEARCE		
9th	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED	VOLUNTEER REQUIRED		
16th	MRS E. BANKS & MRS K. WELFOOT	JANE PEAKALL		
23rd	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED		
30th	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED	VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED		