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November 2018



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HELLO THERE!

We were at a friend's wedding over the summer and the reception was outside in a marquee. As the speeches began there was a distinctive sound of an aeroplane engine. I tried to look out of the marquee windows up into the sky as did the guest next to me and before I knew it, the best man had stopped speaking. Being ex-military himself he recognised he had some serious competition for our attention, and there was no point carrying on until this was over. So, with the bride and groom leading the way, the whole wedding party went out of the marquee. Standing on the grass, faces turning upward in all directions, we searched the sky, shielding our eyes from the sun and then suddenly there it was – a Spitfire, climbing and manoeuvring, looping and turning. What a sight, what a joy, what a sound! And the distinctive noise of a Spitfire was once again heard in our own town back in September at the funeral of Mary Ellis, the WWII Spitfire pilot, where there was a special flypast in her memory. There are not many noises that stop people in their tracks, but a Spitfire is one of them!

These planes have a significant place in our country's history and despite being too young to remember WW2 (even though I was once asked what I did in WWII in a school visit!), I have been told the significance of these planes. Furthermore, I hold some special stories and memories of those who lived through it through what I learned at school, from television and books, and more personally, from chatting to veterans whilst I was serving and since I joined their ranks as a veteran too. And as we commemorate 100 years since the end of the WWI this year there has been much more coverage than normal shown about this Great war but sadly with no veterans no living we have to rely on records and stories. Stories and memories help us to understand where we've come from, and why things are as they are. As the years pass, and as the number of people who even hold a living memory of WW2 diminishes, stories become ever more important. The history books tell us about the famous personalities and political events of the time. Yet over 66,000 war memorials exist in the United Kingdom and most of the names on these monuments never made it into the history books. I am slowly going through each name on the WWI memorial in our church and reading about them in the book some talented locals published. It is great as through their hard work, each name on our memorial now has a story - a history, a family, a life. I would really encourage you to have a look through the book yourself (we have a copy in the church or you can get your own copy at NW Stores) as the individual names we read out each year suddenly come alive, through the story of their connection with Northwood, the story of their military service and how and when they died. They are very diverse but what they have in common is that their lives were cut short as they worked, fought and died

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as part of the deadliest conflict in human history.
And this year on Remembrance Sunday, we will keep the story going of those who have fought for our freedom. As a Christian, I believe we do not need to worry about our own stories being forgotten. Yes, time will pass, whole generations will pass away and human memories will fade. Most of us won't be remembered by history for our heroic or remarkable contribution to society, but only by our dear family and friends. But Christians believe each human being, whether celebrated or anonymous in life and death, every one of us is fully known and loved by God. I once saw a WWI headstone saying, 'Known unto God' and whilst I remember thinking how true that was, its sentiments are yet so easily forgotten. Our own unique lives and stories are part of each other's stories, the story of our parish and ultimately of God's great creation story. What a privilege.

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As one nation, on Sunday 11th Nov, we will remember the fallen, the veterans, the injured and those still serving in the Armed Forces, but this month may I also encourage you to remember the stories you were told as a youngster, remember the people that have been in your lives, remember those you have loved and have loved you, and be grateful that we have this time of peace within our lives to be able to stop, reflect and give thanks.

*I wish you a reflective and reminiscent month of
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Rev Amanda

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18th 2nd Sunday before Advent

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Sunday 4th 10.30am Mr Geoff Russell

Sunday 11th 10.30am REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY
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Sunday 18th 10.30am Mrs Julie Fowler

Sunday 25th 10.30am To be arranged

Tea/coffee is served after the services

The SUNDAY SCHOOL meet at 10.15am and would like more young people to join them.

The LADIES' SISTERHOOD will meet at 2.30pm on Tuesdays 13th and 27th November. All ladies welcome to join in our fellowship.

The ALTZHEIMER'S CAFE will meet on Wednesday 14th November from 2pm until 4.30pm. All welcome to come along.

Cowes Heritage Autumn Exhibition

Thursday 1 November – Sunday 11 November, Cowes Heritage Autumn Exhibition continues 10 am – 4 pm daily at the Regatta Centre, Bath Road, Cowes. Don't miss this opportunity to see a snapshot of Life and Events in the Cowes area drawn from the large collection of the late Charles Taylor – local historian. Free admission.

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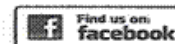


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NORTHWOOD COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP REPORT

(Eileen Turner-Palmerton)

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At our last Residents Event we had a PowerPoint presentation by our speaker Mrs. Mary Case. She is a Bee Keeper and has many Bee Hives across the Island as well as at her farm. It was very interesting hearing how the bees collect pollen and nectar and take it to their own hives. She explained also about when and how the bees swarm. Mrs. Case brought some of the different types of Honey for us to taste.

We would like to thank Rev'd Diana Netherway and Rev'd Stephen Sutcliffe from St. John the Baptist Church, Northwood for their continued support.

As we have said in the past months, we are still hoping to continue these Events next year and are waiting for hopefully some funding. Please come along and bring a friend.

Our last Residents Event for 2018 is on

WEDNESDAY, 21ST NOVEMBER, 2.30 PM. at the Northwood Village Hall.

If you need transport to come please contact 292060 or 282242.

A Christmas Lunch has been arranged for Friday 30th November, 2018, at the New Holmwood Hotel, Cowes.

The next meeting of the Northwood Community Partnership is on **TUESDAY 15TH JANUARY, 2019.** 7pm at the Travellers Joy Public House.

If you are interested in things happening within the Village and you could spend approximately 2 hours per month, please come along to our Events or our meeting, you will be very welcome.

TCP/33585 4 Mallard Point, Cowes, PO31 8QW – Proposed dormer to front elevation of garage & front porch canopy

RESOLVED :

THAT Northwood Parish Council raises no material planning objections in respect of TCP/33585 4 Mallard Point, Cowes, PO31 8QW for a proposed dormer to the front elevation of the garage & front porch canopy.

Cllr Fuller having declared an interest in the following item of business left the meeting room prior to any discussion or decision thereon.

To consider if any further representations should be made in respect of the planning application TCP/33540 on land to the rear of 391 Newport Road, Northwood Councillors noted that 121 representations had now been submitted with regard to the outline application for up to a maximum of 66 dwellings with associated roads, parking and open space with access only off the Newport Road. However, no comments had been listed as having been received from Island Roads, Natural England, Southern Water or English Nature.

RESOLVED :

THAT the recommendations of the Parish Plan Update Working Party form an agenda item for the meeting in December

113/18-19 To consider the response received from John Metcalfe, the Chief Executive of the IW Council about Utility Companies Road Works.

RESOLVED :

THAT a response be made to Mr Metcalfe, the Chief Executive of the IW Council, with a copy to IWALC, rejecting that the management of reinstatement works by utility companies on the highway was the responsibility of Island Roads as this should fall to the IW Council as the statutory highways authority.

THAT Cllr Ward be tasked to carry out an inspection of the Parish Council's assets and to provide a report to be included on the agenda of the November meeting of the Parish Council.

The creation of a new Combined Fire Authority

Councillors indicated that having now had time to consider the suggestion in greater detail it was the unanimous view that the case had been well made out and would be difficult for the Parish Council to argue against the proposal.

To consider ordering a poppy wreath for the Remembrance Day Service

RESOLVED :

THAT it be approved to purchase a poppy wreath for the Remembrance Day service in November.

THERE BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS THE CHAIRMAN CLOSED THE MEETING AT 8.40 pm

Signed Dated

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NORTHWOOD WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The next event is on Thursday 1st November at 2pm in the Northwood Village Hall.

Topic: Northwood men in WI

Speaker: Hazel Pullen

Competitions: Remembrance memorabilia, Best garden bloom
Northwood WI are holding a Christmas Fair on Saturday 24th November in the Village Hall at 2pm. Free entry. Refreshments available.

There is no meeting in the hall on the 6th December as we are going out for a Christmas Lunch, so the next meeting of Northwood WI will be on Thursday February the 7th 2019 at 2pm. Speaker TBA.

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The next event is on Monday 12th November at 7.30pm in the Northwood Village Hall.

Annual meeting

In attendance: Joan Finch

Competition: Four Mince Pies, Best Garden Bloom, Bring & Buy

Refreshments: Cheese & biscuits (The Committee)

Visitors & New Members are always Welcome

CREEA - COWES RADAR EX-EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION

The next meeting is Thursday 8th November at 2:30pm in the Isle of Wight Community Club

My Experiences as a County Councillor—Terry Butchers

For membership details contact Joy Ash, **01983 298731**.

or visit the **CREEA** webpage in the **Local Groups** section of the village website where you can also download a copy of our 2018 Programme and view photos of past events.

New Members are always Welcome

NORTHWOOD VILLAGE PRODUCE ASSOCIATION

There is no meeting in November

NORTHWOOD PARISH COUNCIL

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MEETINGS

Meetings of the Parish Council are held monthly 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

Agendas and Minutes are available at www.northwoodparishcouncil.org

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

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND THE PRESS ARE VERY WELCOME TO ATTEND

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NORTHWOOD PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Meeting of Northwood Parish Council, held in Northwood Primary School, Wyatts Lane, Northwood, Isle of Wight on Tuesday, 2 October 2018

Present: Councillors: John Pullen (Chairman), David Jaggar (Vice Chairman), Margaret Clark, Mark Coventry, Paul Fuller, John Nicholson, Claire Roche and John Ward

Also in attendance:

Barbara Herbert (Clerk and RFO)

Lisa Toyne of Age Friendly Island

There were no members of the public or press present.

102/18-19 To receive and approve any apologies for absence

Apologies for absence had been received from PCSO Derek Howard

104/18-19 To receive a report on any local safety neighbourhood issues occurring since the last meeting held of the Parish Council

In the absence of a representative from the Cowes Neighbourhood Policing team (NPT), the clerk had received a copy of their latest newsletter, which she had then circulated to councillors prior to the meeting.

106/18-19 To receive any matters arising on the Minutes, not requiring a resolution

Minute No 82/18-19 Venner Avenue Play Area – The clerk advised that she had received an email from Lee Matthews, the IW Council's Recreation and Open Spaces Manager, advising that he would prefer, on reflection, to see no dog fouling anywhere on the play area and not just on the grassed area inside a proposed white line. He suggested that this issue should be tackled with more positive steps, such as monitoring/patrolling etc with perhaps further consideration to resolve the problem being given next summer.

107/18-19 To welcome Lisa Toyne from Age Friendly Island to discuss the Parish Council's commitment to the Age Friendly Charter

The Chairman welcomed Lisa Toyne, from Age Friendly Island to talk on councillors' interest in committing to the Age Friendly Island Charter.

109/18-19 Co-opted councillors

To approve Claire Roche as a co-opted councillor to fill the vacancy left unfilled at the latest election and to receive her Declaration of Acceptance of Office and her signed Register of Interests form.

RESOLVED :

THAT Claire Roche be duly appointed as a councillor on Northwood Parish Council;
THAT her Declaration of Acceptance of Office and the signed Register of Interests forms from both Cllrs Roche and Coventry be received.

110/18-19 Town and Country Planning

To consider the following planning applications received and make comments in accordance with the guidance for material planning considerations listed at

<http://www.iwight.com/council/departments/planning/appsdiip/MakingCommentsInfo.aspx>

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