



KNAPTON NEWS

Welcome to the Knapton News. Firstly, to those who have recently moved to Knapton, we hope you will be happy here in our peaceful village. We would like to thank the companies at the Gas Site namely Shell, Interconnector and Perenco for their ongoing generous donations which fund the Knapton News. The Editorial Team thank everyone who has supported their efforts, and may they long continue, please send all articles, events or items to the dedicated email address which is: knaptonnews@outlook.com

STOP PRESS

The Next Parish Council Meeting is on Tuesday 16th July at 7.30.



Litter Pick 26th June.

One of our Parish Councillors - Denise is organising a litter pick on the 26th June starting at 9:15am, equipment will be delivered from the council to enable this, we have 4 volunteers confirmed so far and space for another 6 volunteers to help clear rubbish from Hall Lane. if you would like to come along and get a bit of fresh air, please contact Denise who is the Parish Council Contact for Footpaths to confirm your place on 01263 720946 or email committee@lawton.me.uk

Message from Alan Young - past Chairman of Knapton Parish Council

The village held its annual Parish Meeting prior the normal Parish council meeting in early May this year. If you do not know already, we have a new chairman and vice chairman. Peter Neatherway put his head over the parapet metaphorically speaking and before he got the chance to duck down again, he was voted in. Patrick Lee took on Vice Chairman's role. A BIG THANK YOU to both of them.

Peter Kaye has retired from the council and he will be greatly missed. Many people probably do not realize how much he did. Suffice to say that all the web site updates came hotfoot from his fingers. His clarity of thought helped me through many a discussion and a sensible conclusion often arose after Peter's input. His actions on planning were meticulous and correct. He would wherever possible speak to those directly involved and pass all comments forward to our wonderful planning Dept at NNDC. I cannot thank Peter enough for all his help.

Patrick and Peter N have been working on the playground and hopefully IF all goes to plan by the time you are reading this children in the village should be playing on all the new stuff. It was when they started to organize this that I realized Younger blood was needed. So, this prompted me to take a back seat which I am sure will not even be noticed as the new Parish Council is filled with good people. I hope the sometimes-lively debates will carry on; I only fell asleep once in 20 odd years!!! So please attend Parish council meetings occasionally you'll be surprised at how much fun they can be!!! I will be staying on till they don't need me, which is now, I think. They are in very capable hands and will be ably supported by Denise Black and John Lawton the other new faces to help on the Parish Council. So, a new page is turned with so many new faces on the council and I for one look forward to meetings till they push me out of the door screaming,

This rambling missive would not be complete without mentioning **THE VILLAGE FETE, 1st September**. The fete happens **ONLY** because **MOST** of the village help in some way, I would have to list everybody in case I forgot somebody so you know who you are **THANKYOU**. See you all **on THE FIRST**,

Also, if this is out before **4th August DO NOT miss THE MUSICAL GARDEN** party. Some of the musicians are fantastic I will let you be the judge .BE there or BE Square!!!!!!! **Alan Young**

Knapton Women's Own
Strawberry Tea

Please support us by
enjoying a delicious
Strawberry Tea
while raising funds for
**Equipment for the
Cromer Hospital
Expansion**
Everyone
very welcome!

Raffle

Tombola

2:15 p.m.
Tuesday 2 July
Knapton Village Hall

£4.00

Church Warden's Whispers

Easter Day Service was Holy Communion which was well attended. We have employed a gardener to cut the churchyard on a regular basis. We hope in the future that the Community service team may be back once they have sorted out their funding issues which means they have no serviceable equipment. We have had one visit from Ace Tours and another visit is booked for July. Another plea for anyone who is interested in Bell Ringing our team at Knapton would love to hear from you please contact: Contact Andrew Lubbock on 01263 722929 or email andyman1@live.co.uk.

Knapton Parish Council News – May 2019 -

Meets in Knapton Village Hall on the first Tuesday of most months, except August and possibly January. There are currently seven Parish Councillors, which is the maximum allowed.

Officers of Knapton Parish Council

Chairman	Peter Neatherway
Vice-chairman	Pat Lee
Parish Clerk	Dee Holroyd

Councillors: Each councillor takes on a specific role for the period May 2019-2020:

Allotments	Pat Lee <i>to manage and maintain the Knapton village allotments</i>
Footpaths	Denise Black <i>to monitor, manage and promote the use of footpaths local to Knapton</i>
Victory Housing	David Bishop-Laggett <i>to maintain a dialogue and protect parish interests with Victory Housing on the School Close development</i>
NNDC Planning	Alan Young <i>to work with NNDC on planning applications made with the parish</i>
Bacton Terminal	Alan Young <i>to identify Knapton village concerns by maintaining a close liaison with Bacton Terminal</i>
Community Liaison	John Lawton <i>to build and develop closer links with the residents of Knapton Parish</i>
Website Mgt.	Peter Kaye (for the next 2-3 months, thereafter John Lawton) <i>to manage, maintain and update the Parish Council website</i>
MADRA	Andrew Claydon, assisted by Peter Neatherway <i>to develop a closer working relationship with MADRA</i>

Peter Kaye has recently resigned from the PC after 13 years' service.

The public are welcome at every meeting and a time is allocated at the end of each meeting for public input. Each May a Parish Meeting is held before the Annual Parish Council Meeting. This is open to all members of the public. A report is given on:

The Fete: which raised £1000.

Allotments: all let and well looked after

Knapton News: grateful thanks to Liz Winter for her hard work in producing this and Jenny Lee for arranging distribution. Articles for the next issue by first week in June please.

Land off School Close: Development appears to have temporarily halted, possibly due to the recent 'dig' carried out by NNDC, where artefacts and ancient foundations were discovered.

The clerk presented a financial report showing a current credit balance of £14,623 including an NNDC grant of £11,817 to fund the refurbishment of the playground, currently under way.

A defibrillator was to be purchased (kindly funded by the Fete Committee) and would be sited on the east wall of the village hall.

Work was under way to tidy up the grounds of the Men's Club.

The presence of two caravans parked on land at Madra had been noted.

The path from Knapton to Mundesley was being mowed and was believed to be used regularly.

Dee Holroyd
Parish Clerk

FURTHER PARISH COUNCIL NOTES

New housing site road name

The Parish Council has been asked to name the new road to be built on the Millennium Field. We felt that we should open this naming to all the village residents, so we are inviting your suggestions.

The district council has already suggested:

Morter's Piece Way – from the mediaeval name of the land.

Cotman Drive - from the artist who designed the church weathervane

Millennium Fields Drive

But you might have other suggestions, so if you can please email me at kpc@lawton.me.uk before the end of **June**. Members of the parish council will be out and about over the next few weeks visiting households to introduce themselves so in case you don't have email, you can also give us your ideas when we call.

Community Liaison

In keeping with the modern world, the Knapton Parish Council would like to keep in touch via email and social media with as many of you as is possible in the village.

As the new Community Liaison person on the council, could I ask you please to email the address below with a request to be included on our email distribution list, for council information updates.

Be assured that your email address will be kept secure and will only used for Parish Council mailings.

We've also opened a Twitter account: @KnaptonParish and a Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/KnaptonParishCouncil/> - So please follow us on Twitter and 'Like' our Facebook page!

John Lawton

Knapton Parish Council - Email the committee: committee@lawton.me.uk

Public Rights Of Way and Trail Paths

Recently a member of our Parish Council attended the Norfolk Local Access Forum, this was well attended by members of Parish Councils across Norfolk, it was supported by the Council and the Charity Pathmakers. The intention being to provide an update on footpaths and trails in our local areas and promote access for all. In this edition of our Newsletter we would like to provide our residents with information on how to access our local Trails and Public Rights of Way and also to provide you with information on how you can report a "defect" (obstruction, overgrown path, tree down) directly to Highways for them to action. Parish Council Contact for Footpaths is Denise who can be contacted at :- Committee@lawton.me.uk

PROW - <https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/publicrightsofway>

PROW - <https://maps.norfolk.gov.uk/highways/>

Trails - <https://maps.norfolk.gov.uk/trails>

Walk or Ride - <http://cwr.naturalengland.org.uk/walk-ride.aspx>

Reporting a defect online:- <https://apps.norfolk.gov.uk/highwaysdefect>

Call customer services on 0344 800 8020

Or email - highways@norfolk.gov.uk

Tales from the Compost Heap

We are all very busy on the allotments. The potato tops are all coming to the surface, everyone is planting their runner beans and courgette plants are going in ready for the stir fries!

The gooseberry bushes are looking good, tiny little fruits are hanging on, it is quite exciting.

Rhubarb is a plenty, lovely to freeze for the winter or give away. It makes delicious crumbles or a rhubarb ginger cake which one of our allotment holders baked and it was very moreish.

The apple blossom looks amazing, the bees are humming around pollinating, so we have yummy apples to eat and store. We are still eating our own from last season and whilst they are still very nice, it's not as good as eating off the tree, but nothing is as good as that.

All we need is rain, at night would be better, to make everything grow and swell.

Green Fingers (I try to be)

Knapton Knitters and Stitchers Update

Knapton Knitters and Stitchers meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month from 1.30-4pm at the Village Hall, except August, December and January. If you knit, sew, crochet or have any crafts interests why not come along and meet new friends. You don't have to live in Knapton to join in, we have ladies from North Walsham, Paston, Bacton and as far as Horning in the group. We knit for Charities, the homeless, hospitals, nursing homes or if you have a personal project to knit, sew or crochet then bring it along and enjoy a piece of cake and a cuppa and at the same time make new friends. We are planning a series of mini workshops for those interested. For more information please contact either Anna on 01263 722825 or Jean Clark on 01263 720680.



Knapton Village Hall - Hire Charges

Village Hire: (i.e. Clubs)	£10.00 per session without heating	£12.00 per session with heating
Private Hire:	£25.00 without heating	£30.00 with heating
Organisations outside village: (morning or afternoon)	£15.00 per session without heating	£20.00 per session with heating

Session: Morning 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Afternoon 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Evening 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. **Table Hire only:** £20.00 (All)

All booking enquiries to Mrs Mary Renwick-Forster (Booking Secretary) 01263 720 908

REGULAR EVENTS:

ZUMBA Gold 10 – 11am – Seated ZUMBA 1130 – 1230 TUESDAYS WEEKLY
Knapton Women's Own 2.15 pm 1st Tuesday of each Month
The Knitting and Stitching Group 1.30 pm 2nd and 4th Wednesday
Parish Council 7.30pm 1st Tuesday (unless advertised as differently)
Mundesley Players Fridays and Sundays (When in rehearsals)

SPRING SALE UPDATE

It's always a bit worrying when we begin to arrange an 'event' at the village hall. Will people turn up? Will there be volunteers to run it? What if it rains? And so on.

But we always find that we needn't have worried, because just about everything we organise seems to prove popular, with cries of, 'We should do this more often'!

So it was with the bric a brac. coffee morning at the end of April. Huge thanks to our volunteers, Sarah Hammond, Alison and David Jackson, Angus Robertson, and Liz Winter who set it all up and cleared it all up, worked all morning, did the advertising (note Fred Winter's splendid notice board), and to all those who made cakes and scones

The final score was over £200.00 that was raised, and which will go to keeping the hall up and running.

Thank you to everyone for your support
Nick Holroyd



Photos courtesy: K. Angus Robertson –

**KNAPTON VILLAGE PRESENTS
SUNDAY 4TH AUGUST
MUSIC GARDEN PARTY
KNAPTON HALL
5 SUPERB LIVE BANDS
2PM TILL THE SUN GOES DOWN**

TICKETS ONLY
£12 P/P INC BBQ
BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR & TABLE
FOR TICKETS CALL
01263720018
OR 07973713939

**PROCEEDS
TO VILLAGE
HALL FUNDS**



Knapton Village Fete

Sunday 1st September 2019
2 - 4pm

Please can you help, we need the following items to help make our Village Fete a success.

They are:

Raffle and Tombola prizes,
Cakes for Teas and the Cake Stall,

Not forgetting small hoopla prizes, Bric-a-Brac and books.

If you are able to provide any of the above, or if you would like to volunteer on the day,

please ring Alan on 01263 721544 or Alison on 01263 722323

Please deliver prizes etc to:

The Old School Hall Lane Knapton

(Kindly leave items in the Porch if no one is home)

Please bring Cakes direct to Church Farm on the morning of the event.

With Many thanks.



What's On In Knapton? June – July 2019

July

Tuesday 2 nd	10.00am- 11.00am 2.15pm	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall Knapton Women's Own – Annual Strawberry Tea - Supporting this Year's Charity Cromer Hospital Friends EVERYONE WELCOME – Village Hall (see poster page 2)
Tuesday 9 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Wednesday 10 th	1.30pm	The Knitting and Stitching Group – Village Hall
Friday 12 th	10am	Coffee Club
Tuesday 16 th	10.00am- 11.00am 7.30pm	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall Parish Council (DATE CHANGE)
Tuesday 23 rd	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Wednesday 24 th	1.30pm	The Knitting and Stitching Group – Village Hall
Friday 26 th	10.00am	Coffee Club
Tuesday 30 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall

August

Sunday 4 th	2.00pm to Sunset	Musical Garden Party – Knapton Hall (see advert for info)
Tuesday 6 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Tuesday 13 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Tuesday 20 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Tuesday 27 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall

September

Sunday 1 st	2pm	Village Fete – Church Farm Knapton (see advert for info)
Tuesday 3 rd	10.00am- 11.00am 2.15pm 7.30pm	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall Knapton Women's Own – Village Hall Parish Council
Tuesday 10 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Wednesday 11 th	1.30pm	The Knitting and Stitching Group – Village Hall
Friday 13 th	10am	Coffee Club
Tuesday 17 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Tuesday 24 th ^t	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Wednesday 25 th	1.30pm	The Knitting and Stitching Group- Village Hall
Friday 27 th	10am	Coffee Club

October

Tuesday 1 st	10.00am- 11.00am 2.15pm 7.30pm	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall Knapton Women's Own - Village Hall Parish Council
Tuesday 8 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Wednesday 9 th	1.30pm	The Knitting and Stitching Group – Village Hall
Friday 11 th	10.00am	Coffee Club
Tuesday 15 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Tuesday 22 nd	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall
Wednesday 23 rd	1.30pm	The Knitting and Stitching Group – Village Hall
Friday 25 th	10.00am	Coffee Club
Tuesday 29 th	10.00am- 11.00am	Zumba Gold – 11.30 – 12.30 Seated Zumba – Village Hall

ANYONE WHO WOULD LIKE TO COME TO COFFEE CLUB CALL ALISON ON 01263 722323 FOR INFORMATION

USEFUL NUMBERS

DOCTORS

Emergency No: 111

Mundesley Medical Centre

Appointments & Enquiries Tel: (01263) 724 500 - Repeat Prescriptions Tel: (01263) 724 506
Munhaven Close, Mundesley, Norwich, NR11 8AR

Birchwood Medical Practice

Appointments and Enquiries Tel: (01692) 402 035 - Repeat Prescriptions Tel: (01692) 406 885
Park Lane, North Walsham, Norfolk, NR28 0BQ

Paston Surgery

Appointments, Enquiries & Prescriptions Tel: (01692) 403 015 - 9-11 Park Lane, North
Walsham, Norfolk, NR28 0BQ

Hospitals:

Norfolk & Norwich University Hospital (NNUH) Tel: 01603 286 286 Colney Lane, Norwich, NR4
7UY

Cromer & District Hospital (Minor Injuries Clinic only 8am to 8pm)

Tel: 01263 513 571 Mill Road, Cromer, NR27 0BQ

North Walsham & District War Memorial Hospital (No A & E)

Tel: 01692 408 070 Yarmouth Road, North Walsham, Norfolk, NR28 9AP

North Norfolk District Council

Council Offices, Holt Road, Cromer NR27 9EN 01263 513811

<http://www.north-norfolk.gov.uk/>

Norfolk County Council : 0344 800 8020 (Monday-Friday 9am-5pm)

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

Water & Drainage: Anglian Water

Tel: (0845) 145 145 Freephone: (0800) 145 145

Power: Electrical

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Tel: 0800 783 8838

General Enquiries Tel: 0845 601 4516 - Customer Relations Tel: 0800 028 4587

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