

Hinderclay Newsletter September 2021

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Hinderclay celebrations for HM Queen's Platinum Jubilee

If you would like to be involved in these celebrations, please come along to a meeting at Hinderclay Village Hall on **Wednesday 22 September at 7.30pm to form a working party to organise and run the celebrations.**



Hinderclay Little Ernie

Winners for August

1st	84	Ashley Robinson
2nd	34	Mr B Brinkley
3rd	143	Shirley Bishop
4th	253	Loretta Self

if you would like to support our Village Hall and have the chance to win cash prizes every month, please contact **Linda Aves on 01379 898512**

For our **Harvest Festival** this year, we will be collecting for a local Food Bank. Donations can be left in the first box pew just inside the Church from Wednesday 1 September—these will then be collected on Sunday 12 September after the service. If any children would like to bring a donation to the Harvest Service, there will be an opportunity to hand them to Ken during the service. After such a very 'different' 18 months, it will be good to see our Church decorated for Harvest and we are now able to sing our favourite Harvest hymns.



On Sunday 21 August, a party of Ringers cleared the church belfry of nesting materials. The material filled 5-6 large Hippo bags and was piled so high that it was preventing the operation of one bell. All bells are now fully operational. Arrangements are in hand to erect netting to prevent any further ingress of birds. Happily for the rooks that were responsible there are plenty of high trees nearby to which they can re-locate. (The picture is not Hinderclay!)

Date for your diary

Saturday 9 October 10am—12noon—there will be a **pre-loved book sale** in the Village Hall. Refreshments will be available

ST MARY'S CHURCH - SERVICES

Everyone is welcome to attend our services in September

Sunday September 12 Harvest Festival—4.30pm Rev C Bladen and Mr K Smith

Sunday September 26 Holy Communion—9.30am Rev Cathy Bladen

Rector : Rev Cathy Bladen – 01359 250239 – revcathybladen@gmail.com

Church Warden: Kate Rose – 01379 898562



Paper Recycling Bank

It was announced recently that the paper recycling bin at the Village Hall would be removed by the Contractor. However another scheme has been introduced; the new bin will be for paper and card only and will be collected fortnightly. The income for this bin will pass to the Village Hall funds. All other Village Hall recycling bins remain unchanged.



GREEN FINGERS GARDEN CLUB

We are back on Wednesday 15 Sep at the Village Hall at 7.30pm for a talk on Garden Design. We are looking forward to welcoming our returning members and welcoming some new ones. An exciting year of talks and visits is now planned. For any further information regarding the club please ring Val Forge on 01379 898270.



COFFEE MORNING HINDERCLAY VILLAGE HALL

Just a reminder—Coffee Morning will be on the Thursday 9th September from 10.30am. We meet on the second Thursday of each month. Do come and join us!

For more information contact: Len Parsall 01379 898867



Hinderclay Parish Council Meeting is being held at 7.30 pm on Thursday, 9th September 2021, at the Village Hall.

September Facts

September is named from the Latin word 'septem' meaning 7th. This is because it was the 7th month in the early Roman calendar.

Did you know that nothing whatsoever happens in British history between 3 and 13 September 1752?

The Anglo Saxons called it 'Gerst monath' (Barley Month) because it was the month they harvested the barley to make their favourite drink - Barley Brew. They also called it Haefest monath (harvest month).

At 1am on 2 September 1666 the Great Fire of London started in Pudding Lane. What started as a small small fire in a bakers shop raged for four days, destroying two thirds of the City: 13,200 houses, 430 streets and 89 churches. Only 6 deaths were recorded.



BINGO – We are pleased to confirm that our Bingo Sessions will be starting again this month on **Friday 17**

September, at Hinderclay Village hall. **Doors open 7pm and eyes down at 7.30pm.** We are all looking forward to gathering together again safely and will be following Covid guidelines.

A reminder to everyone that this year's Suffolk Historic Churches Trust Ride and Stride event is to take place on Saturday 11th September from 9am until 5pm.

This is a fun day where anyone can get involved, either by getting on your bike or walking to as many churches or chapels, and raising money from sponsorship, which goes towards the upkeep of these magnificent buildings.

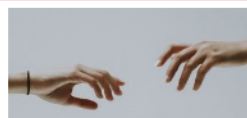
Imagine our local villages and towns with no churches or chapels at their centre, if they run into disrepair. You can start and finish at any time within these opening hours and can visit as many as you wish. A warm welcome will await, often with free refreshments, where you will get your sponsorship form signed by each church visited. Last year, in Suffolk, a tremendous £180,000 was raised, which considering we were in the middle of a Covid crisis was a great surprise.



For your sponsorship form, a list of all the participating churches and chapels and stickers to identify that you are on the ride are available from Karen Calton on 01379 898949 or email karencalton@hotmail.co.uk

Do you need help or support?

These people are happy to help if they can!



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