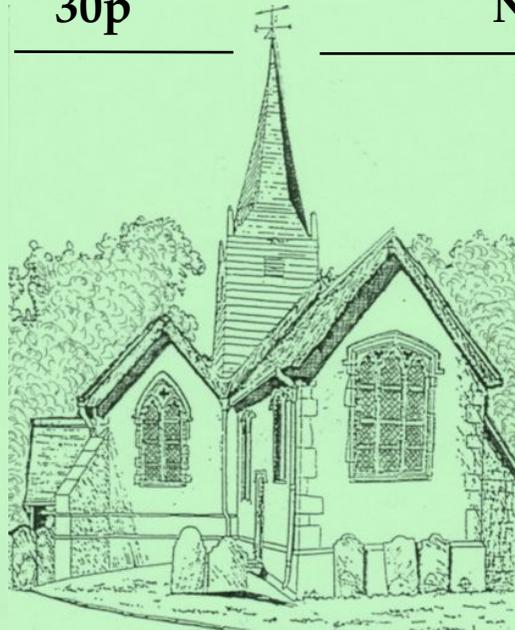


SMALLFIELD *and* BURSTOW PARISH NEWS

30p

NOVEMBER 2014



St Bartholomew's Church, Burstow

THIS MONTH

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**Another Runway
at Gatwick?
Have Your Say**

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Host a Student

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**Remembrance Day
Services**

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Smallfield Centenary Hall

Your Village Magazine

A time to be born, a time to die
A time to plant, a time to reap
A time to kill, a time to heal
A time to laugh, a time to weep
A time to gain, a time to lose
A time to rend, a time to sew
A time for love, a time for hate
A time for peace, it's not too late.

Through November there is a range of activity in our community, as shown in the Calendar on page 36 :

- * Sunday 2nd, a Bereavement Service in Outwood Church, 4.00pm, all are welcome;
- * Sunday 9th, the Remembrance Day Service in Burstow Church at 10.00am, then Celebration Praise in Smallfield Church Hall at 4.00pm;
- * Saturday 15th, our Christmas Fair in Smallfield Church Hall starting at 9.00am;
- * Sunday 23rd, monthly Messy Church at 4.00pm in Smallfield Church Hall;
- * Sunday 30th, an Advent Service in Burstow Church at 10.00am, to be held with Horne and Outwood; the three parishes will form the Windmill United Benefice under Nicholas Calver's leadership.

It will be a time of mixed emotions, remembering both good and bad things from the past, while looking forward to a new tomorrow. We hope you can find time to join us for these special occasions and may God bless you.

Peter Armstrong
Churchwarden

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Your NEW Village Website

www.burstowparishcouncil.org.uk

If you have flicked through this month's magazine before you read this, you may have noticed the letter from our Chair of Planning, Ian Wates, asking you to fill out the questionnaire regarding the second runway at Gatwick. We do need to know your views about a lot of subjects a) because we represent you and it should be your views not ours that are put forward and b) in having public consensus we are able to forward plan. So – we will begin a new phase and will be consulting with you of lots of subjects! Apart from Gatwick, the two subjects I would like to bring to you attention are firstly parking – in particular parking in Smallfield. Do you feel there are enough spaces in the Village? Is the availability fit for purpose – do you want more or do you feel that more people should walk? We have been going back to this subject regularly, particularly at this time as the school is growing, we have Sure Start in the village, the Surgery has got a lot busier and also the hiring of Centenary Hall has increased. Mostly, we would like to know if you have any solutions. We are looking at various places but it is the obvious case of the quart into the pint pot! So if we have some wonderful lateral thinking guru who can come up with a solution that would be perfect – but in the meantime any other ideas – however obtuse – will be gratefully received! Andy Gilbert, chair of projects has been leading with this and we have been assisting by talking over this problem with various sectors of the village, so we must be positive!

The second subject is to ask you whether you would like us to do a neighbourhood plan or not. We felt initially that it was not for us as we are over 90% greenbelt and raising expectations when our chances of ever achieving what we want was also a factor. However things are changing all the time and already Developers are putting in planning applications for small estates around the place – we have 3 at the moment, one passed, one being considered and the third has just been applied for – and we have rumours of another in the pipeline. If you consider they are all in the settlement area or on Brownfield sites you can see how cramped we could end up. Therefore we will be asking you for your opinions over the next few months.

Sadly, after a lovely dry spell, the rains have returned! Fortunately a lot of the works have been or are in the pipeline – drains jetted properly, ditches dug and broken pipes to be mended – but there is a lot more that will need to be done after the planned works are finished. On October 16th, as part of my role as Chair of Surrey Associations of Local Councils (of which I have just finished my tenure!) we, along with Surrey County Council launched the set up across the county of Flood Action Groups – and Smallfield will

have one. Hopefully we can work very locally for ourselves and also together with Horley, Horne, Tandridge and other areas. I will talk about this much more next month but this really needs to be a resident led movement – with Parish help – as if you have been flooded you then have the motivation to make sure it never happens again – we need that energy to propel these action groups. The Agencies will be involved – SCC, Environment Agency, Thames Water and Scottish and southern Energy – along with the National Flood Forum, a Charity which has people who speak the most sense I have heard for years! It will take time, but with patience, we can establish a climate of flood prevention, which can be adapted to a resilience group for other phenomena that afflict us! I will talk about Riparian Ownership and the duties of having that next month as well.

We have had fun playing about with plans to try and work out how and where we would like to have our new extension at the Centenary Hall to incorporate a Community Café, Police Office plus other wonderful features. Like everything else this will take time but as the sale of the land at Burstow Gardens has gone ahead and the Local Housing build will commence at the start of the next financial year, thus providing part of the funding of a really good community building.

The village has welcomed a new Headmistress, Rachel Mollet and we look forward to working with her. Louise Wates has been appointed our liaison Councillor between BPC and the School – it is good for the village that we all co-operate together. At the same time we say good-bye to Reverend Colin Gale and his wife Jill, who have dedicated 9 years to this Parish for which we thank them and wish them a wonderful future.

Stop Press!

FitSteps with Fran starts at the Centenary Hall from Monday 20th November, every week at 11.15 – 12.00. It's fitness that's Strictly fun, so come along to learn some strictly moves, whilst getting in shape for that Christmas party outfit! Please contact Fran directly for more info, on Fran_FitSteps@hotmail.com.

So life continues in the village! At the Council Budgets are being drawn up, the Xmas lights Competition is again on the horizon, Snow Angels will be dusted down and restarted – if it snows – if it rains the newly formed Flood Action Group will deal with that – that is what councils do! We are all up for Election in May next year – yes, it is not just MPs, so if I can tempt you to consider standing – it is a rewarding and interesting role – and greatly needed. For our first layer of Government is not political but works with you, the residents – and, if you are responsive and give us the feedback we have asked for, we should be able to provide what you want, directly, where you want it – a far more responsive and effective use of energy and resources than the machine of Central Government!

November meetings scheduled at Centenary Hall

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| Tuesday 11th Nov | 7.00pm | Planning Committee |
| | 7.30pm | Full Council |
| Tuesday 25th Nov | 7.00pm | Planning Committee |
| | 7.15/30pm | Projects Committee |

Next month it's Christmas!

Cheers

Liz Cutter

Chair, Burstow Parish Council

SMALLFIELD COMMUNITY CARE - ART CLASS

The Art Class held an Exhibiton of Artwork on 4th October and there were over ninety entries. The judge, Ms. Jenny Wilson, found it very difficult to pick the winners as the standard was so high, but her eventual decision was:-

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| First Prize: | Yvonne Medcalf | "What's for Tea?" a watercolour study of a small girl and her dog. |
| Second Prize: | Ted Rye | "The Thinker" a portrait in acrylics of a philosophical chimpanzee . |
| Third Prize: | Anne Dupres | "Sunset" a striking composition in acrylics. |
| Highly Commended: | Sandra Clark | "Rabbit at a Picnic" - watercolour. |
| | Valerie Cull | "The Pathway" - watercolour. |
| | Anne Dupres | "Bee on a Yellow Flower" - oil. |

Congratulations to the prizewinners and to all who took part. Your efforts were much admired by the viewers.

Raffle prizes were kindly donated by the following shops and their generosity is much appreciated:- James Harris & Sons, Gordons Greengrocer, Co-Operative Food Store, Londis/P.O. and Smallfield Pharmacy.

Yvonne Medcalf

Stand Up Against Gatwick Expansion

GACC invite you to a meeting to protest
against
new flight paths and plans for a new runway
**On 22nd November at Apple Tree Centre,
Crawley
(RH11 0AF)**

Doors open at 1pm *
Meeting 2.00 – 3.30 pm
with MPs opposing second runway
Questions and Answers Session
Campaign Stalls
Followed by GACC AGM

Don't leave it to others to oppose Gatwick,

MAKE YOUR VOICE COUNT!

Visit www.gacc.org.uk for more information
www.facebook.com/doyoucaregatwick Twitter
@gaccgatwick

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Remember to mark it in your diaries and
come to **BURSTOW CHURCH**
CHRISTMAS FAIR
ON ... Saturday, 15th. November
FROM 9.00 a.m. until 12 noon

ENTRANCE FREE

**Enjoy refreshments, the bucket
raffle, the main raffle, the
tombola stall (every ticket a
winner), the cake and savouries
stall and other stalls too.**

**(The proceeds are going towards
purchasing new pew cushions for the
Church. People attending the regular
services and others attending weddings,
civic services, school services and
funerals will really appreciate more
comfortable seating!)**

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BULKY RUBBISH

The last bulky rubbish collection in Smallfield this year will be on Saturday 29th November. The vehicles will be in the Centenary Hall car park in Wheelers Lane from 7.30am to 2.15pm.

For details of what is accepted see www.tandridge.co.uk/bulkywaste or ring Biffa on 01883 712333 or TDC Customer Services on 01883 722000.

TDC

COME AND MEET YOUR MP SAM GYIMAH

FRIDAY 7th NOVEMBER 2014

7.00 – 8.30 pm

CHRIST CHURCH HALL, KINGS CROSS LANE
SOUTH NUTFIELD, RH1 5NG

AN OPPORTUNITY TO ASK YOUR MP THE
QUESTIONS THAT MATTER TO YOU BEFORE
THE GENERAL ELECTION IN 2015

Peter Bond



On a fun Monday evening the 1st Burstow Beavers visited the Guide camp site at Blackland Farm near East Grinstead, West Sussex. While Cubs and Scouts went swimming in the camp site pool, the Beavers went tunnelling in the special built tunnels in the grounds of the camp site. There are so many activities to try from crate stacking, abseiling, climbing, zip wire, crafts,

swimming, orienteering just to name a few which cater for all age groups. The Beavers were running from one to another to see how many they could go through before they went home. Organised by Rowenna and her Leaders.



On Saturday 29th November 1st Burstow Scout Group will be holding their **Christmas Fair** from 10.00am-2.00pm at the Scout Headquarters, Redehall Road, Burstow. A visit from Father Christmas on the day. So do come along and enjoy the day.

John Freebody

President 1st Burstow Scout Group

SMALLFIELD AND DISTRICT AVIATION GROUP

The meeting on Tuesday 4th November at 7 pm in the Centenary Hall will be 'Flying the Airbus A380 Superjumbo' by Captain Andrew Dunstan. He will describe a typical day flying the world's biggest passenger airliner and how it differs from the other British Airways aircraft he has flown. British Airways now has seven A380s in service with more on order. In his younger days Andrew lived in Chapel Road, Smallfield.



Our next couple of meetings are:

- 2nd December – 'The Importance of Heston Aerodrome to British Aviation History', Lawrence Hole
- 5th January – 'Initial BAC 1-11 Flight Trials', John Thorpe

Visitors are most welcome to just come along, admission is £3 for the evening which includes refreshments and the Newsletter. The Annual Subscription for 2015 is £15 (£5 for those under 20). The phone number for further information is 01342 842594.

John Thorpe

SMALLFIELD CLUB & READING ROOM NEW ROAD, SMALLFIELD

Forthcoming Entertainment:-

1st November - Halloween Disco with Children's Fancy Dress Competition
- Members Free, Guests £2

22nd November - Live Band - The Courtelles - Members Free, Guests £3

Don't forget our Bingo on Wednesday evenings, Meat Raffle and BBQ on Friday evenings.

We have a large Party Tent for Hire anyone interested please contact the Club for details

New members welcome.

The Committee

MISSING / STOLEN

On Sunday 5th October some vandals broke in to several sheds in the Broadbridge Lane/ Toronto Drive area of Smallfield.

Missing from my potting shed is a 12" Pruning Saw [it was in its clear plastic case]. It belongs to my Wilkinson Sword Tree Cutter and I'm unable to get a replacement from the firm.

If anyone finds the saw laying around somewhere I would be pleased to have it back, it was cleaned and oiled only days before it was stolen!

I can be contacted on 01342 843629, many thanks,.

Rita Hendy

CAMEO

On 3rd October Roger Hind came along with his keyboard and gave us a very interesting talk on George Gershwin (did you know that his surname used to end with an "e" until it got missed off!) with lots of tunes and melodies. He often played a tune and then asked for its name or where it came from and many were able to answer these questions. Of course, there was the usual camaraderie, tea and cakes. Do come along and join us on the first Friday of the month at 2pm in Smallfield Church Hall.

Margaret Hobson

BURSTOW CHURCH 200 CLUB

Adrian pulled out number 49 to win £74 for the September prize.

Margaret Hobson

BURSTOW WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

At the meeting on 14th October, members were entertained by Mrs. Lyn Chalcraft, whose talk was entitled "25 jobs and 1 career of an 11+ failure". Failing the 11+ turned out to be a stroke of good luck for Lyn, whose secondary school gave pupils every opportunity to achieve the highest standards. Leaving school at 15, her first job enabled her to learn to use a computer, when few offices even had such a thing. There followed an assortment of jobs, including working in a pharmacy and "filling-in" for staff at a holiday camp. Then there was an interval for marriage and two children, during which time Lyn still managed to fit in part-time work as an Avon lady and childminder. When the children were older, Lyn resumed her remarkable career in an amazing variety of jobs, her final occupations being with the organisation Disability Challengers for teenagers, then as a Home Start worker, giving practical support to young families going through difficult times. Now Lyn is a Medau Movement teacher, encouraging elderly people to keep themselves in good shape. To mark different stages in her life, her talk was interspersed with brief snatches of music and members were asked to "Name that Tune", with a prize for the one with most points - Alison Brown won.



The competition for a Witch's Hat was won by Sue Booth. There were plenty of entries for the Jubilee Cup cookery competition for a date and walnut cake. Mrs. Joy Way of Outwood WI kindly acted as judge and the winner was Joan Lamb.

Our next meeting is on 11th November and is our Annual Meeting, when reports are given on the year's progress and officers are elected. This will be preceded by a Loaf & Ladle Lunch.

On 25th November there will be a Craft Afternoon at a member's house, so bring along whatever you're knitting, sewing or crocheting (or any other craft!) and enjoy a cheerful afternoon.

We are always pleased to meet prospective members, so please look in at one of our meetings and find out more about us. Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month, starting at 2pm in St. Bartholomew's Church Hall, Redehall Road, Smallfield. For further details, please ring Sue on 01342 842087.

Yvonne Medcalf

COULD YOU WELCOME A STUDENT?

HOST is looking for kind, friendly, hospitable people of all ages whose imaginations are caught by the idea of welcoming an international student at university here, far from his or her own family, to their home, for a day, a weekend or at Christmas. You don't need to live near a university, as students will travel for the privilege of meeting you, learning about real life in this country, and sharing their own culture.



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Margaret Stevens
Publicity Officer, HOST

BURSTOW PARISH COUNCIL

www.burstowparishcouncil.org.uk

Centenary Hall, Wheelers Lane, Smallfield, Surrey RH6 9PT 01342 841880

Dear Resident

GATCOM are running a consultation on the views for and against a second runway at Gatwick Airport and have asked us for our views. We feel the best way to find out what you, the residents, feel regarding this matter, is to ask you directly. Therefore we are asking you to fill out a questionnaire so you can tell us!

There are three ways to do this –

1. By filling in the form printed in the Parish Magazine (see p19)
2. By going to the website – see above – and downloading the form as a word file, complete and e-mail back to the Clerk @ burstowpc@btconnect.com or filling out the Survey Monkey form online (please follow directions to the site)
3. By picking up a form at any of the following places in Smallfield – the Council Office at Centenary Hall; the Smallfield P.O.; Gordon’s the Greengrocer, J Harris, the Butchers; The Co-Op; Lynn Hairdressers or Simon Agombar, the Upholsterer.

If you could then return the hard copy form to any of the above abodes, we will collect them and promise that your details will be treated in strictest confidence.

We would urge you to complete this form to enable the Parish Council to take residents' views into account when responding to any consultation on a possible second runway.

It is our intention to publish the results of the questionnaire shortly after the closing date of 20th November 2014.

Many thanks for your co-operation

Clr Ian Wates
Chairman, Planning Committee

Burstow Parish Council Questionnaire on Gatwick 2nd Runway

| Gender? | | Age? | | | | | | Parish resident? | |
|---|--------------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|
| Male | Female | 16-25 | 26-35 | 36-45 | 46-55 | 56-65 | 65+ | Yes | No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| What is your attitude to having a 2 nd runway at Gatwick? | | Resident's name, address and email | | | | | | Are you happy for your detail be held by Burstow Parish Council & to receive occasional emails? | |
| For Against Not Sure <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> | | | | | | | | Yes No <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| If For , give your reasons below | | | | | | If Against , give your reasons below | | | |
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| If Not Sure , what information do you need to help make up your mind? | | | | | | | | | |
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Rules: (1) Resident's name and address must be supplied. (2) Only one questionnaire per resident. (3) **Deadline:** 20th November 2014
Instructions: Send completed form by the deadline to Burstow Parish Council, Centenary Hall, Wheelers Lane, Smallfield RH6 9PT, download as Word file from Burstow Parish Council website www.burstowparishcouncil.org.uk (Enter Y where applicable, plus details/contact info) and email to burstowpc@btconnect.com or enter Survey Monkey form online. or leave in a sealed envelope at Collection Points, including: Burstow PC Office at Centenary Hall or Smallfield village shops, Smallfield P.O., Gordon's the Greengrocer, J Harris Butcher, The Cooperative, Simon Agombar, the Upholsterer, Frankins, the Hairdressers.

This page is blank so you can cut out the Questionnaire about a second runway at Gatwick on the reverse side

ART IN SMALLFIELD

Congratulations to all the artists who exhibited in the exhibition on the 4th October in the church hall. Also those who set up the show to provide a good layout, well done to all !!.

It was a pity that the judges awards were not shown as the public and artists like to see them, that sparkle was missed. It was also unfortunate that advertising did not take place as it could have been mentioned in the Smallfield News in the Surrey Mirror, sadly Smallfield very seldom gets into print.

My apologies I send to all the artists that I tutored for my sudden resignation before the show. I will not explain my reasons except that a decision was made and passed by the committee which I found to be an insult. It was delivered by the chairman in an unacceptable manner and a promise that he would solve the problem, he also gave no reason why this action was taken. Letters confirming the decision were posted to me with no letter heading with either an address or telephone number for me to reply.

It appears that a replacement tutor had already been organised to start on 6th October, no mention was made to me of this decision. I was employed to teach watercolour and I would like to state I am quite capable of using oils as with any other media.

I am pleased to announce that I am merging with Nina Nunes on Tuesday mornings at 10 - 12 noon as "SMARTFIELDS and RONSART".

Anyone welcome to come along, see demonstrations, ask questions and see how easy it is to start.

If you need any questions answered ring Nina on 01342 844453 or Ron on 01293 279104.

Ron Bull

WEDNESDAY CLUB

Our next meeting is on Wednesday 5th November at 2.30pm at the Scout Hut in Redehall Road, Smallfield. This will be our Members Meeting. Visitors are always welcome.

Ivy Hollingshead

THE WAY IT WAS - No 6

The largest employer in Smallfield was Alfred King & Son; they were medium sized builders who started in 1856. Their grandfather William King lived opposite the Jolly Farmer public house in Horne. In about 1870 he bought Bancroft Farm in Plough Rd where the family continued as farmers. At the end their farm road an area was opened out to provide clay for making bricks which flourished.

Kings built most of the houses on the east side or School Road (Redehall Road) up to and including the school and also most of the cottages on the west side. When New Road was laid Kings built most of those houses and cottages. This author's grandfather worked for Kings as a bricklayer, his father was a plumber followed by Dennis who worked as a plumber from 1945 to 1951. There were also smaller building storage yards in Lingfield & South Godstone. The business also traded as Undertakers with a shop in Horley.

At the height of the business there were about 30/40 regular employees of all trades, with about another 30/40 semi regulars and sometimes up to 200 additional painters and casual trades in summer, many local family's either worked for Kings or had someone who had done so. Alfred was in charge from about 1880/90 and Henry (the son) from about the 1920s.

Henry had a son who was killed in a motorcycle accident in 1931 aged 21. The family was so distressed that Henry had a room built onto his house "The Orchard" in Plough Road. The son was embalmed and lay in a coffin in this room for approximately 20 years. He was finally laid to rest in the family vault in the grounds of the Ebenezer Chapel the evening before Henry's funeral in Dec.1950.

There was also one daughter, Doris. She married Syd Mitchell, they had one son Gerald, neither Syd or his son had any interest or aptitude in the business much to Henry's disappointment. Gerald married and lived in Redehall Road until his death in 1994. He was the last of the family.

As there was now no one to carry on the business it finished trading in 1952 just 4 years short of the century. Norton tools took over the yard and built their factory on the site. The brickyard was taken-over by Manocrete who made a large number of pre-cast concrete shapes for Crawley New Town.

The original brickyard site including large ponds have now been built over with houses leaving the original brickyard road with just the 2 cottages and 1 other house. The original Bancroft Farm fields are where the new school now is, also the playing fields plus all of Kings Mead etc.

Dennis Stenning & Bill Haylor



HAM

Helping Adolescents at the Marsden Fundraising Committee
Supporting The Teenage Cancer Trust & The Royal Marsden Hospital

REMEMBER, REMEMBER
the 1st of November

for the 8th year running

will be taking on
Outwood's Premier Fireworks Night
at The Bell Inn
on Saturday, 1st November

Doors open at 5.30pm - Bonfire is lit at 6.00pm

LIVE MUSIC from LEGEND at 7.00pm

FIREWORKS start at 7.30pm

Followed by more LIVE MUSIC from LEGEND

Once again, Andrea & Eric Wise have kindly given us use of their field to provide a BONFIRE & a Spectacular Display of FIREWORKS set to MUSIC.

Please do NOT bring your own sparklers as the discarded ends can kill livestock.

There will also be Beer & Wine Tents
as well as Jason returning to cook his famous Barbecue

Entrance fee only £3 per adult & £2 per child (3-16 years)

We look forward to welcoming you to a fun filled Evening
for all the family at Outwood's Premier Fireworks Night.



SCOUTS

1st Burstow Beavers, in the Cubs and Scouts with their leaders attended the Harvest Festival Service held at St Bartholomew's Church, Burstow under the direction of the Rev Colin Gale. Beavers, Cubs and Scouts participated in the service by holding signs which had messages about

the food produce on the land.

Before end of the service Scout Leader Matt was invested into Scout Troop by repeating the Scout Promise and presented with the Group Scarf by the leader in charge Rowenna in front of the Congregation.



John Freebody

President 1st Burstow

FOR REMEMBRANCE DAY

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun and in the morning
We will remember them.

from Binyon's For the Fallen

Burstow Friends of
ST CATHERINE'S HOSPICE



Friday Night is Curry Night!



Join us for authentic Indian cuisine
at the excellent Jai Ho



Friday 14th November

7pm

Jai Ho Restaurant
The Coppingham Arms
263 Balcombe Road
Horley
RH6 9EF

Tickets £25

Places are limited

Please book your tickets by calling Anne on

01342 842719

or by email amgreenaway@hotmail.com

All proceeds to the Hospice

FROM BURSTOW CHURCH REGISTERS

Baptisms

19th October Abigail Eleanor Phillips

19th October Oliver Carson Phillips

Interment of Ashes

3rd September Eric Charles Snelling

26th September Shirley Elaine Hoare

Rev Colin Gale

ST MARY'S CHURCH, HORNE

Regular Sunday Services are held at St. Mary's Church, Church Road, Horne:

1st Sunday: 8am & 11am

2nd, 3rd and 4th Sundays: 10am

5th Sunday: Joint Service – venue to be announced

Rev Colin Gale

SMALLFIELD EVANGELICAL CHURCH

*"May your unfailing love rest upon us, O Lord,
even as we put our hope in you"*

Coffee Morning on Saturday 8th November from 10:00 am to 12 noon:

- Everyone welcome for a free coffee or tea and a slice of cake

Remembrance Sunday on 9th November:

- Morning service starts at 10:55 am

Regular Sunday Services:

- Morning at 11:00 am and Sunday School
- Evening at 6:30 pm

Bible Study and Prayer meeting:

- Wednesday 5th November at 10:00 am Prayer meeting
- Every Wednesday at 7:30 pm looking at Psalms (except 5th November)

Church: Rosemary Foster Jean Totten Leslie Totten
Leaders 01342 843630 01342 844795 01342 844795

PARISH CHURCH OF ST BARTHOLOMEW

Website: www.stbartholomewsburstow.org.uk

(where no telephone code is given, it is 01342)

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| Rector: | Rev. Colin Gale, 5 The Acorns, Smallfield (Day off: Monday) | 842224 |
| Churchwardens: | Peter Armstrong Ann Sheppard | 712900 842386 |
| Southwark Pastoral Auxiliary: | Jane Armstrong | 712900 |
| Organist and Choirmaster: | Roger Hind | 01293 771817 |
| PCC Secretary: | Angela Sullivan | 843515 |
| Treasurer: | Kay Hammond | 841916 |
| Sunday Club: | Jill Gale (temporary) | 842224 |
| Brunch Bunch: | Jill Gale | 842224 |
| Parish Safeguarding Officers: | Val Butt Mary Chapman | 842580 01293 784323 |
| Church Hall (Smallfield) & Flamsteed Hall (Burstow) : | | |
| Bookings/Enquiries: | Caroline Clancey | 07795 346675 |

MONTHLY CALENDAR OF SERVICES

Unless otherwise stated in the service schedule for the current month, services are

| | | | |
|--------------|---------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1st Thursday | 10.00am | Holy Communion | Smallfield Church Hall |
| 1st Sunday | 10.00am | Holy Communion | St Bartholomew's Church |
| 2nd Sunday | 10.00am | Morning Worship | St Bartholomew's Church |
| | 6.00pm | Holy Communion | Smallfield Church Hall |
| 3rd Sunday | 10.00am | Holy Communion | St Bartholomew's Church |
| 4th Sunday | 9.00am | Holy Communion | Smallfield Church Hall |
| | 4.00pm | Messy Church | Smallfield Church Hall |
| 5th Sunday | 8.00am | Holy Communion (BCP) | St Bartholomew's Church |
| | 10.00am | Joint Service | Venue as announced |

Everyone is very welcome at our services

St Bartholomew's Church is in Church Road, Burstow

Smallfield Church Hall is opposite The Parade in Redehall Road

SUNDAY CLUB (for 3 to 10 year olds)

meets in the Flamsteed Hall, opposite the church, on Sundays (except the last in the month) at 10.00am (term time only)

BRUNCH BUNCH (for 11 to 15 year olds)

meets regularly at The Rectory on Sunday mornings

NOTICEBOARD

For your small ads - Sales, Wants, Personal, etc - normally 20 words maximum. Send your small ad to the editors (see page 1 for details). No fee, but please make a donation to Burstow Church if successful.

FOR SALE

Carilex Mobicare

Air alternating pressure cushion

Helps to prevent pressure sores

Unused. Cost £208.00

£100 o.n.o

Tel. 01342 712950

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

November

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| 1 | Saturday | Smallfield Club Halloween Disco | see page 12 |
| 1 | Saturday | HAM Outwood: Fireworks Night | see page 25 |
| 4 | Tuesday | 7.00pm Aviation Group: Airbus A380 | see page 12 |
| 5 | Wednesday | 2.30pm Weds. Club Members Meeting | see page 21 |
| 7 | Friday | 7.00pm Meet Your MP | see page 10 |
| 7 | Friday | 2.00pm CAMEO Group | see page 15 |
| 11 | Tuesday | 2.00pm WI : Loaf & Ladle Lunch + AGM | see page 16 |
| 11 | Tuesday | 7.00pm Parish Council: Planning Comm. | see page 5 |
| 11 | Tuesday | 7.30pm Full Council Meeting | see page 5 |
| 14 | Friday | 7.00pm Curry Night in aid of St Caths | see page 28 |
| 15 | Saturday | Copy date for Parish News | |
| 15 | Saturday | 9.00am Burstow Church Christmas Fair | see page 9 |
| 20 | Thursday | Last date for Runway ?aires. | see page 18 |
| 22 | Saturday | 2.00pm GACC meeting | see page 6 |
| 22 | Saturday | Smallfield Club - The Courtelles | see page 12 |
| 25 | Tuesday | 7.00pm Parish Council: Planning Comm. | see page 5 |
| 25 | Tuesday | 7.15/30pm Parish Council: Projects Comm. | see page 5 |
| 29 | Saturday | 7.30am Bulky Rubbish | see page 10 |
| 29 | Saturday | 10.00am Scouts Christmas Fair | see page 11 |

BURSTOW CHURCH CALENDAR

Venues: BC : St Bartholomew's Church, Church Road, Burstow
 SCH : Church Hall, Redehall Road, Smallfield

NB: Coffee is served in the John Flamsteed Hall (opposite the Church) following the service - *please join us.*

November

2 Sunday *All Saints*
 10.00am **Holy Communion** (Rev Frank Gough) BC



4.00pm **Group Bereavement Service**
at St John's Church, Outwood

6 Thursday **NO 10.00am SCH Communion this month**

9 Sunday *Remembrance Day*
 10.00am **Remembrance Day Service** BC
(including an Act of Remembrance)
(Rev Frank Gough)



4.00pm **Celebration Praise*** SCH
with Cross Purpose Band - Messy Church welcome

NO 6.00pm SCH Communion this month

15 Saturday 9.00am Burstow Church Christmas Fair * SCH

16 Sunday *2nd Sunday before Advent*
 10.00am **Group Holy Communion at St John's Church, Outwood with Rt Rev Johnathan Clark Bishop of Croydon**



Joint Burstow/Horne/Outwood Service - No services at Burstow today

23 Sunday *Christ the King*
 9.00am **Holy Communion*** Rev Alison Way SCH
 4.00pm **Messy Church*** SCH

A time of crafts, songs and fun activities for all the family, followed by tea together. All ages welcome – 4th Sundays in Smallfield Church Hall

30 Sunday *Advent Sunday*
 10.00am **Holy Communion** Rev Alison Cooper BC

joint Burstow/Horne/Outwood Service-NO 5th Sun BCP Service today

Coming Next Month...Monday 1st December – The Licensing of Revd Nicholas Calver as Priest-in-Charge of Burstow with Horne (more details to follow)

Rev Colin Gale

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

We would like to see more people contributing to *Parish News*. Perhaps you are a fairly new reader ... saw *Parish News* for the first time since it went on the web last year. Is there something that you like/dislike about the local area/village? Is there something you think it lacks? Have you an interesting story or hobby? Have you seen an unusual bird/animal/plant? *PN* would like to have your views and news.

DO THE VILLAGE GROUPS YOU HAVE JOINED GET IN PARISH NEWS?

If not, they would be doing themselves and the village a favour by doing so! Now that *Parish News* is on the web as well as in printed form, it is even more readily available. If your Group does not already have a magazine correspondent, consider getting one of its members to take on this position.

Parish News is happy to accept contributions in a variety of ways - handwritten or typed and delivered/sent either to the editors' address or sent by e-mail (see page 1 for details).

All the articles in the magazine will be on the web version, so details of coming events, accounts of your activities, appeals for members, etc can all reach a wide audience in the village.

HINTS FOR CONTRIBUTORS

When you are giving information about coming events, remember to make sure you include all these details:

Day of the week, Date, Time, Place

If your Group has a regular meeting schedule (for example, second Thursday of each month) by all means say so, but remember to give the actual date as well. Avoid writing "At next month's meeting..." (it may be next month when you write it but it won't be when readers see it), but rather write, for example, "At our April meeting...".