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Star Inn New Tenants

Come and meet Carl and Virginia.
The Star Inn will be open for business from the evening of Tuesday 31st March. All Welcome.
(For a report of the public meeting please see page 4)

Red Nose Day Thanks

Charlotte Gower and Emma Chase, the two 'silent teenagers for a day', thank everyone for their generous support and sponsorship and in total raised £800 for Red Nose Day. A great achievement girls!
Trish Gower



Soup Sandwiches and Shopping

**Saturday 25th April from 11:30am
Wenhaston Church Room**

Includes Pantry Stall, Bric-a-Brac
Refreshments and Raffle

*Please support this event in aid of
Mothers' Union overseas projects*

Spring Concert by

The Wenhaston Girls' Choir

Give yourself an afternoon to savour!
Under new Musical Director, Cherry Nolan, the choir will start its twentieth season with a concert in the beautiful surroundings of St. Peter's Church, Wenhaston.

Come and hear the haunting melodies and uplifting rhythms of their new repertoire, sung with the skill and passion that have made the choir so well-regarded over many years. Round off your afternoon with a scrumptious home-made tea and go home feeling the world is a slightly better place.

26th April 2:30pm
Wenhaston Church

Tickets £5 (excl Teas)
in advance or on the door

Contact Anne Thomas or Simon Weeks:
01986 784348

wgcconcert@oakcottage.org.uk



Word Gets Around

This issue marks the start of the third year that the Wenhaston Word newsletter has been produced and published by Blythweb. From the outset we registered the website www.wenhastonword.co.uk and all of the Blythweb issues are there.

We thought it was time we took a look at where our readers are in the world, but even we were surprised to find that recently the Wenhaston Word has been accessed in the following countries: Netherlands, Finland, Czech Republic, New Zealand, Russian Federation, Canada, Germany, Portugal, China, Australia, Indonesia, Belgium, France, USA, Bulgaria, Brazil, Singapore, Italy, India, South Africa, Argentina, Poland, and Seychelles.

Perhaps 'WWW' should stand for Wenhaston Word Worldwide? Best wishes to all our readers.

St. Peter's Church Services for April

5th Palm Sunday. No service at Wenhaston.
Procession from Halesworth Library 10:15am
followed by service at St. Mary's 10:30am

12th Easter Day 9:30am Parish Communion

19th No service at Wenhaston
10:30am Team Service at Halesworth

26th 6:30pm Evensong followed by the APCM

Church News

Easter! - A happy and joyful Easter to all the WW readers.
We shall be celebrating Easter at St. Peter's with a Communion Service on Easter Day at 9:30am. Everyone is very welcome at this service which will be followed by coffee etc. We shall again be holding a Lily Festival in the church over the Easter weekend when the church will be decorated with lilies and spring flowers, all having been donated in memory of loved ones.

On Easter Sunday afternoon we shall be serving teas in the church between 2:30pm and 5 o'clock. Bring your family and friends - have Tea - and enjoy the flowers. We look forward to seeing you!

Every year the Mothers' Union Group holds a fund raising day when the money raised is sent to Mothers' Union Projects Overseas. This year we are having Soup - Sandwiches - Shopping on Saturday 25th April in the Church Room starting at 11:30am. There will be various stalls including a pantry stall, bric-a-brac and a raffle. Again we invite you to support this effort. Have coffee etc and meet your friends!

Flying The Flag

A reminder!
Celebrate Birthdays - Weddings - or any special occasion. Just telephone 01502 478378 and donate £5.00 to Church funds and the flag will be flown for you on the flagpole in the churchyard on the requested date.

Margaret Goldstone
(Churchwarden)

Ap-pealing For Ringers

Wenhaston has a mixed band with both experienced and beginner ringers. Practice nights include Wenhaston, Halesworth and surrounding towers.
If you are interested in joining (no experience necessary) please contact the Wenhaston Tower Rep 01502 478842 or email becky@wenhaston.net **Becky Canham**

Wenhaston Methodist Church

April

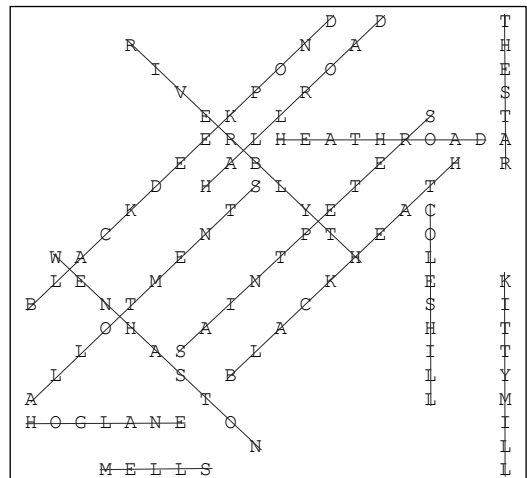
Sunday Services at 10:30am
5th Ina Gray Palm Sunday
12th Rev'd Robin Searles Easter Day S
19th Mr C Westren
26th Janet Howe
Good Friday at 9:30am
Meditation Rev'd Robert Soane

Tuesday Meetings at 2:30pm

7th Women's Fellowship Rev'd David Read
14th Bible Study
21st Women's Fellowship Spring members meeting
28th Bible Study

No 'Pray a While' this month.
All Welcome at Any Event

Answers to March Wenhaston Word Search.



‘Give and Take Day’

Saturday April 25th 9:00am - 1:00pm

Wenhaston Community Energy Group is hosting a Give & Take day at Wenhaston Village Hall on Saturday 25th April. A great chance to spring clean everything you don't need and pick up something that you do – for nothing.

The aim is to encourage reuse and recycling and help people in the economic downturn, and a team will be there from 9:00am to 1:00pm, so people can take along any usable unwanted items – non electrical household and garden items, books, toys, bikes, tools, bric-a-brac, plants, furniture and clothes. Those who have nothing to take can go along to find something useful they need.

There will be information stands about a range of environmental issues, as well as teas, coffees and locally baked cakes for a small donation.

A team of volunteers will be on hand to record items donated and taken and to sort anything left over at the end of the event. Any remaining goods will be donated to charity shops and similar organisations and some may be sent for recycling. Bright Green will be able to collect bulky items such as furniture on Friday April 24th and can deliver those new items on Saturday afternoon if necessary.

“The aim is that nothing ends up in landfill”, said co-ordinator Sue Pollard of Bright Green. “We have just supported Sustainable Bungay’s first Give & Take day which was a great success, attracting over 150 people and diverting tonnes of items to new homes”. This event will support Wenhaston’s ambitions to become a greener, carbon saving community.

Funded by Suffolk Foundation Grassroots Grant, social enterprise Bright Green plans to hold two more Give & Take days in the Waveney Valley.

Contact to arrange collection:
sue@brightgreen.org.uk or by phone 01502 584061



Is a not-for-profit environmental organisation based in Lowestoft, projects include:

Low Carbon Futures – Give & Take days and workshops for community & school carbon reduction.

NEW – help and advice on energy efficiency grants and affordable starter kits for growing food at home (planters, compost, seeds and help) all for a £5

Eastex – an internet based re-use project for businesses and individuals see www.eastex.org.uk/suffolk

We also provide consultancy services for business and schools on resource efficiency and environmental management.

Tel 01502 584061 or Email info@brightgreen.org.uk

Wenhaston Green Energy Support Group

Urgently seeks 10 volunteer households!

How green can you get? Why not join our waste audit to find out how much rubbish your household produces and how you might reduce it.

All you need to do is to leave your normal amount of rubbish outside your house on Monday 20th April where it will be weighed and audited by Bright Green, the co-organisers of Zero Waste Week. Then come to the Give and Take Day on 25th April for a workshop on how you can be even greener and produce less waste.

Should be fun! If you fancy the challenge and would like to know more, then please contact Sue Gow 01502 478980, Janice Claxton 01502 478158 or any member of Wenhaston Green. And - don't forget to check out our website - it's proving very popular www.wenhastongreen.org . **Janice Claxton**

Save Our Star

At a well attended meeting on 11th March in the village hall proposals were put forward to purchase The Star from Adnams by the villagers for the village. At that time it appeared that as Adnams had no prospective tenant to replace Julie when she leaves on 31st March, there was a real likelihood of the pub closing. Adnams had named their price, and other conditions of sale which were made known at the meeting.

Those present at the meeting were invited to indicate how much money they were individually prepared to contribute. This fell short of the required sum by a considerable amount. A small committee was formed to continue to work to "Save our Star". Whilst outright purchase of the pub remains the most desirable outcome, other ways of keeping The Star open were explored.

All concerned are now delighted to learn that Adnams have found prospective tenants, to whom a formal offer has been made, and at the time of writing they are in the process of finalising matters to hand over the business.

The committee would like to thank Julie for all her help and wish both her and her successors the best of luck in the future and that the village will welcome and support the new tenants.

*Anthony Atfield, John Blades,
and Bernard Orme*



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Village Hall Surgery

There will be no Southwold Surgery at Wenhaston Village Hall on 9th April 2009.

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With the warmer weather encouraging doorstep callers onto our streets, residents are being warned to watch out for bogus deals or bogus offers to check services.

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- * Lock - make sure your back door is locked before you go to the front door
- * Stop - think 'Are you expecting anyone?'
- * Chain - secure the door chain before opening
- * Check - ask for and check the caller's identity. If you are in doubt, don't let them in

Did You Know?

About half of all bogus callers claim to be from

utility companies such as 'the water board'. Household holders can check an identification card is genuine by calling Anglian Water on Freephone 0800 145 145 (24 hours).

Tips for dealing with bogus traders

- * Don't agree to any work at your doorstep, or let the job start before you have a chance to change your mind
- * Does the work really need doing? If so, shop around and get some quotes and personal recommendations before going ahead
- * A good trader/builder is always in demand, does not need to chase work by knocking on doors and will give you time to consider the estimated price
- * You have a right to cancel any contract signed on the doorstep within seven days. You must be given a cancellation notice with any work. If you are not, the contract is void and no one can force you to pay.

Sue Burstall
Community Safety Unit SCC

Golf Balls

I am getting increasingly worried about the amount of golf balls I find in my ponies field, as many as five or six a week coming from the sports field. I am concerned that my ponies will get injured, so will people be more responsible where they hit the balls.

Laura Balsom

Recycling DVDs

With the continuing success of the book borrowing scheme in the Village Hall, it has now been suggested that we try the same idea with DVDs. So - if you have any discs that have been watched many times and are now cluttering up valuable cupboard space - why not bring them to the Village Hall and put them on the shelf where a space has been cleared for them. Newspapers are getting very free with their weekend offers so these would also be very welcome.

It goes without saying that only unwanted DVDs should be donated as we cannot guarantee their return once they have left the Hall. Happy watching!
Richard Havard

Allotment To Share

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News from Wenhaston Pre-school

This half term the children have been following on from the theme of "how many legs" by exploring their interest in minibeasts. They have been involved in activities ranging from minibeast hunts in the school garden to playing Incy Wincy Spider with drain pipes and toy spiders in the water tray.

The children have been very busy with World Book Day, where each child brought in their favourite book. The following week the children all turned up to the session on Comic Relief Day wearing red and took part in making red nose biscuits.

Coming up in the next few weeks before the Easter break the children have the annual Easter Egg Hunt and we hope to squeeze in a visit to Minsmere Nature Reserve.

Wenhaston Pre-School Committee



Wenhaston Pre-School

Wenhaston Pre-School welcomes children aged 2½ to rising 5 years.

Located 2 minutes from the A12 in a purpose built area within the Wenhaston Primary School, the pre-school has use of a large outdoor play area.

Tel: 01502 478819

Local History Matters: 18

Mr Sales

He was Headmaster at the school for 34 years. He was a strict man, maintaining discipline as he saw fit. He was appointed 12 April 1886. For the first 15 years he made regular claims for extra pay for evening classes and annual increases, usually falling on deaf ears!

One makes notes from the minutes of the Governors and here are a few examples:

25 February 1903 Parent complains of treatment of child.

25 March 1903 Punishment of child considered excessive. Head told to be more considerate.

28 March 1904 He complains that he and his staff are harassed by Managers.

14 May 1904 Miss Smith appointed as Assistant Teacher but can only teach infants. Mr Sales not satisfied so asks for her removal. Miss Smith not happy and complains of unfair treatment. Not the first time his staff makes that comment!

In 1906 he gets a pay rise of £5 a year!

22 April 1907 A letter from a parent that Mr Sales told class 'If the children did not learn their bloody scriptures he would half kill them'. Complains on the language, but the Governors said the charge was unfounded.

5 October 1911 Some of the best produce in the school garden has gone missing. Head will keep a close observation.

10 January 1912 Another complaint. Mr Sales canes a boy that both his hands were 'swollen black and blue and a piece cut out of his knuckles and the nail of his thumb was black from the blow'.

9 December 1914 Complaint of treatment of Willie Sheppard and also that children were not allowed to put on hats when they go outside the building for drilling.

15 December 1914 Managers agree that excessive punishment was given to Willie Sheppard. Mr Sales instructed to write a letter of apology.

15 February 1915 Mr Sales expresses regret and promises to tone down the punishments in future.

18 December 1915 He is rude to visiting drill instructress!

I was told by Mrs Battle that once the pupils staged a strike by staying outside the school in the road. After a while the girls gave in and attended the school. However the boys stayed out and the next day the ringleaders were caned in front of the school!

Mr Sales dies on 15 September 1918.

Keith Johnceline

Wenhaston Parish Council

Annual Parish Meeting

Wenhaston Village Hall
Wednesday 22nd April

Minutes available to read
from 7:00pm
Meeting to start 7:30pm

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Wenhaston with Mells Hamlet Parish Council

The Parish Council Minutes and Agendas will be on www.wenhaston.net from next month.

The Parish Council fully supports any efforts to maintain The Star Pub in the Village.

Starting September the Parish Council are asking Parishioners to monitor any mud on the roads in Wenhaston and to inform the Clerk. More details to follow nearer the time.

A new bench seat has been offered to the village free of charge. The new Cemetery seems a good place to put it, unless you have any other ideas.

The Village sign has been inspected by a builder who stated that it is structurally sound, but perhaps needs a cosmetic make over. The sign will be inspected again next year.

You will have by now received your Council Tax Bill. Please note that the Parish Council part of the bill is down by 1.4%. We try to save as much money as possible but still try to do the best for the village and Parishioners.

The Annual Parish Meeting is to be held on Wednesday 22nd April 2009, at 7:30pm in the Village Hall. Last year's Minutes will be available to read from 7:00 o'clock. Please come along and hear what the Parish Council has achieved this past year.

Planning application has been approved for erection of single storey cart lodge at Blackheath Farm, Blackheath.

Mary Pennock, Clerk

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Thank You Mr Ted

Thank you Mr Ted for the scrummy baby spring carrots and all the other tasty vegetable treats you have given us. Your soft fluffy hay makes our beds so cosy as well.

Thank you from two very happy guinea-pigs.

Hazel and Akimbo

Wenhaston United Football Club

Remaining Fixtures - KO 2:30pm. *PTP*

28/03	Res	v	Woodbridge
04/04	1st	v	Thurston
11/04	Both Teams	Away	
18/04	Res	v	Bramford Rd
25/04	Res	v	Wickham Market

Wenhaston WI March Report

I had never thought that our president had a sadistic streak but when she started our meeting by asking us to turn our right foot in a clockwise circle while tracing the number six in the air, I began to wonder.

We had a good press coverage for our 90th birthday party and many letters of thanks. The embroidery that Jane did for her City and Guilds was on display, a wonderful piece of work. If anyone is interested in learning how to do machine embroidery Jane is willing to start a group.

Have you ever held a Pearly King's Jacket? It is unbelievably heavy. Gerry Baxter gave us an informative talk on the origins and traditions of the Pearly Kings and Queens. In 1875, Harry Croft, rat catcher, road sweeper and barrow boy, collected all the mother of pearl buttons that he swept up and sewed them on to his suit. He then collected money for charity but he soon found too many people needed money so he went to the 28 London boroughs and the Pearly Kings and Queens came into being. The titles are hereditary and the name of an individual's borough is embroidered with buttons on the back of their jacket. Gerry showed us several examples of Pearly clothes. A christening gown with 120 buttons, 1,200 buttons on a child's dress, and 20,000 buttons on his new suit. Several of us thought that the Pearly Families were Cockney but they originated from all over London. Gerry finished his very amusing talk with a song using rhyming slang.

At our next meeting Val Sulch will talk to us about the history of gardening. *FJJ*

Wenhaston Allotment & Leisure Gardeners Association

Scenes of hectic activity have been in evidence on Wenhaston Allotments since the draw was made just six weeks ago. Members have been rotovating, clearing, digging and planting and already green shoots are appearing around the allotment.

Risking snow flurries and late frosts early potatoes have been planted together with more exotic species by some of the more adventurous gardeners.

But, funds are low in the allotment coffers. Our first fund raising event is planned for Saturday 9 May between 10:00am and 12:00 noon in the Church Room.

It will be a coffee morning with home made cakes and other delights. There will be home made chutney, marmalade, cakes and a limited number of vegetable plants for sale. Please come along and meet the allotment members and support this green village initiative. *AAJ*

WALGA Secretary

Wenhaston Gardeners

Oops, here we go again- more magical things afoot. We'd better be careful or we'll get a reputation! President Ric was conjured up to save the day as another speaker fell by the wayside. With his usual aplomb he took us root upwards through a plant's wonderful, yes, magical, anatomy. He reminded us of the balance between plants and people, how we mutually benefit each other with the giving and receiving of carbon dioxide and oxygen.

We should, he said, get up close and personal with our plants, talk to them, stroke our seedlings to make them strong, put an ear to a birch tree to hear the sap rising.... I told you we'd be getting a reputation.

We coven, sorry, convene again on April 14th to hear Graham Proctor of Radio Suffolk on Fruit Trees (I hope!).

A reminder to those going on the June outing to Corpusty Mill, please pay at the April meeting. *Cherry Wilkinson*

Jewellery Appeal Continues

Diabetes UK are continuing their Appeal for unwanted or damaged jewellery and watches.

Readers of Wenhaston Word have been extremely generous to date with thirteen full packages sent off from here. Well Done Wenhaston! Diabetes UK report that to date the Appeal has raised £59,000 in support of their work.

If you have suitable items to donate they can be left at Blythweb's office in The Street.

Eileen Heaps

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Calendar

Readers who may have Salmon's excellent 2009 'Southwold and the Blyth Valley' calendar on their wall will note that the April photograph, looking across the rooftops of Southwold to the sea, is a Blythweb photograph. (It would make an excellent jigsaw!). This calendar features Blythweb photographs for the months of April, May and August.

If you would like to take a look do call in to the office.

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20th April 2009 for May 2009 issue

Commons Work Parties

No Work Parties in April or May during the nesting season. Light maintenance work parties resume in June.
Jonathan Alder

Footpath Walking

The morning walk on Tuesday 7th April will leave at 10:00am from Wenhaston Village Hall.

The all day walk on Tuesday 21st April will be led by Heather Hammond, Pat Elvin and Ian Denney. Meet at 10:00am at the Dog and Duck, Campsea Ashe for a walk to Rendlesham and back for lunch.

Advance notice: The May outing on Tuesday 19th will be to West Stow by coach, costing £10. Please book with your fare as soon as possible. Heather Phillips 01502 478545.

HPP

Thank You

I would like to thank everyone for the cards, gifts and best wishes. It helped me a lot in recovering after my major operation in Addenbrookes. Thank you all very much.

Heidi Rae

News from the Bus Shelter

I've been asked about getting bus passes so it's worth reminding people that to be eligible for a national bus pass from Suffolk Coastal you must permanently reside in the Suffolk Coastal district and be aged 60 or over (women *and* men) or have a qualifying disability. The bus pass is issued free to all eligible residents who apply. You can apply in person at SCDC's office, by phone on 01394 444647 or visit www.suffolkcoastal.gov.uk/helpingpeople.

For those of us who are not eligible for a bus pass and do regular journeys on the 601 bus, the Ten Trip Ticket is incredibly good value for money. Buy it on the bus and get 10 trips for the price of 6!

*Michael Gasper, Transport Officer,
Wenhaston Parish Council*

Dates for Your Diary

20th April - Deadline for May WW

9th May - WALGA Coffee Morning

24th and 25th May - Archive Weekend

20th and 21st June - Thorington Art Exhibition

For events in the local area go to
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Music Corner by Chris Dunn

St Edmunds Church, Southwold.

Saturday April 4th at 7:30pm

Southwold Concert Series, David Chilvers (Violin) and Nathan Williamson (piano).

Music by Mozart and Brahms.

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St Peter's Church, Wenhaston.

Sunday 26th April at 2:30pm

Wenhaston Girls Choir Spring Concert.

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Mothers' Union

What a treat we had when John Buck, a retired Gamekeeper who worked on a local estate for 43 years, came along to share some of his experiences. John told us about rearing pheasants, partridge and duck, about predators and how he dealt with them, also about poachers, and how the wildlife on the estate has been affected by climate change, lack of gamekeeping and the consequent increase in predators. The slides he brought along were very interesting and he was warmly thanked by Daphne Francis.

We are still collecting grocery articles for our hamper, which we will raffle later. The proceeds will go to 'Make a Mother's Day', when the money is sent to buy much needed articles in the Third World.

On Saturday 25th April we will have our popular 'Soup & Sandwiches' morning in the Church Room. There will be stalls and we hope lots of you will come along and support us. It is our main fund raiser and the monies raised are used for MU work at home and abroad. There will be posters advertising the time.

Our next meeting is on Wednesday 8th April when the Rev. Lindsey Spendlove of Green Blade will lead us in a Lent Meditation at 2:30pm in the Church Room.

St Peter's Jumble Sale

Many, many thanks to all who helped in any way with the Jumble Sale - those who donated, helped and bought - we made £522 for Church Funds, which is brilliant. Thank you so much.
Margaret Bloomfield

Fish and Chips

I got fish and chips for my husband and mother-in-law as I do most Wednesdays, again there were not many people waiting, he said again that they were not very busy and if the people of Wenhaston did not support him he might have to look for another village on Wednesday!

We do not want to lose this, so come on village people support the fish & chip van.

Karen Wright

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