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Robin Shackleton



If you need help with food... Pease ask!

Many folk are struggling with food prices being so high. So please if you need help, let us know. You don't need to be on benefits or have vouchers. For a confidential request please contact either:

> Rev. Cathy Bladen on 01359 250 239 revcathybladen@gmail.com or Mrs Angie Burrows 01359 250008 This is a Church and Community Project





What's On?

This is what we know about at the moment. Please share any other events you have planned, or that you hear about. Send them to hepworthherald@gmail.com

Hepworth Art Group	Every Mon @1000-1300 » Hepworth Pavilion
Hepworth Angels	Every Mon @1930 » Hepworth Pavilion.p15
Hepworth Coffee Morning	1st & 3rd Thu @1030 » Hep. Pavilion. p19
Crafternoon Tea	2nd & 4th Thu @1400 » Hep. Pavilion. p19
Suffolk Mobile Library	2nd February@1525 - 1605 » See p8
Holy Communion	5th February@0930 » St Peter's Church
Extr'y Parish Council Meeting	9th February@1930 » Hepworth Pavilion
Parish Council Meeting	16th February@1930 » Hepworth Pavilion
Suffolk Mobile Library	2nd March@1525 - 1605 » See p8
Jane Duffield Quiz Evening	10th March@1930 » Hep. Pavilion. See p18
Parish Council Meeting	16th March@1930 » Hep. Pavilion
Choral Evensong	26th March @1800 » St Peter's Church
with King's Singers Choir	See back cover for details
Suffolk Mobile Library	30th March@1525 - 1605 » See p8
Easter Hunt	8th April » Details to follow
St. George's Day	22nd April » Details to follow
Coronation Celebrations	8th May » Hepworth Pavilion. See p15
Bingo	9th June » Details to follow
Bastille Day	15th July » Details to follow

Would you like to put on an Event in Hepworth?

Many village events are supported by **Hepworth2Enjoy**. This is an engaged, friendly collective of Hepworth villagers who come together to put on village events and to help others put on village events, providing people-power, experience, and bags of enthusiasm! We now have a small budget to help on their way. Please contact Clare (250 660)



Personal service and attention to detail are our hallmark. So, when you are faced with arranging a funeral, let us take care of the details 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

We can talk to you on the phone, at our branch or in your home - you are under no obligation.

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Shirley Shackleton. 01359 251051 shirleyshackleton@btinternet.com

Speed Indicator Devices

Device No. 1 at A143 end of The Street 15 weeks from 15/09/2022 to 01/01/2023. Vehicles arriving into village from the A143: Total number of vehicles:- 38768 Average speed for ALL vehicles:- 29mph Total number of vehicle speeds above 30 mph:- 12297 (31.72%) No. of incidents 50mph and above:- 34 Highest speed recorded:- 59mph



Vehicles **leaving** the village toward the A143: Total number of vehicles:- **38802** Average speed for ALL vehicles:- **30mph** Total number of vehicle speeds above 30 mph:- **17270 (44.51%)** No. of incidents 50mph and above:- **67** 40mph and above:- **1166** Highest speed recorded:- **65mph**

Device No. 2 at the Barningham end of The Street 15 weeks from 15/09/2022 to 01/01/2023. Vehicles arriving into the village from Barningham: Total number of vehicles:- 34370 Average speed for ALL vehicles:- 27mph Total number of vehicle speeds above 30 mph:- 6389 (18.59%) No. of incidents 50mph and above:- 4 Highest speed recorded:- 57mph

Vehicles **leaving** the village toward Barningham: Total number of vehicles:- **34932** Average speed for ALL vehicles:- **27mph** Total number of vehicles speeding above 30 mph:- **8139 (23.30%)** No. of incidents 50mph and above:- **19** 40mph and above:- **147** Highest speed recorded:- **58mph**

Along The Street:

For more information about Speedwatch, or to get involved, call Richard on 07979745990

November 2022: 3 sessions	8 vehicles logged	max speed = 43 mph
December 2022: 1 session	5 vehicles logged	max speed = 38 mph

TRAVELS DOWNUNDER - A REMINISCENCE Part 12

We left our explorers investigating the sights of Perth and surrounding areas, whilst waiting for better weather...

As mentioned in our last chapter we didn't want to venture too far north until the end of April so we were still exploring Perth and the surrounding area well into April and decided it was one of the nicest areas we'd been to so far, but as we said before, it's just so far away from the rest of the world.

The port of Fremantle, or Freo as the locals call it, is very laid back with lots of cafes and bookshops and old buildings with ironwork balconies. Not so attractive is the port area itself where we saw huge ships being loaded with live sheep for export. Australia exports about two million sheep annually, mostly through Fremantle, to the Middle East for Halal slaughter.

I'm quite a big sports fan and was keen to go and see an Australian Rules football game. The season had just started and we managed to get tickets to watch the next available game. It was in Perth at the Subiaco Oval Stadium, which is shared by the West Coast Eagles, from Perth, and the Fremantle Dockers, from Fremantle. The game we saw was between the Dockers and Carlton from Melbourne. We traveled to the stadium by train and were surprised that supporters from both teams were on the same train as each other and there was a lot of lighthearted banter, all good natured. We couldn't help comparing it to England were opposing fans would probably have been fighting each other!! As for the match we had no real idea of what was going on but those in the crowd near us were more than happy to explain and eventually we started to get the hang of it. It was all pretty chaotic but in the end the Dockers ran out the winners 15/11. Good fun entertainment.

We had been told that one of the things you simply must do whilst in Perth is to have fish and chips on Cottesloe Beach. We duly obliged and went one evening as the sun was setting over the ocean. It was very nice, the setting was lovely, but I have to say I think British fish and chips are much better.

We eventually left Perth and started wending our way up the coast. At Cervantes there is a very unusual area called The Pinnacles where there are hundreds of limestone pillars which can be up to 12ft tall and cover a very large area. We camped overnight in the bush with about half a dozen other rigs of various types. One couple were in a converted 50 seater coach which was their permanent home. There was also a young Dutch couple who had driven a Land Rover all the way from Holland to Australia via just about every country you could think of. There were a few stories told and a few beers consumed around the camp fire that night...

to be continued.....

Supplies from Local Outlets

We are fortunate to live in the countryside amongst farmers and smallholders where there is fresh produce, eggs, meat and local windmills that make the occasional bag of flour. Many of these can deliver direct to your door. This is not an exhaustive list!

Potatoes

Highfield Farm, High Street, Hepworth Potato Stall open 7days a week. Tel: 01359 251157

Butchers

Rolfes of Walsham, Walsham le Willows Approx £2.50 delivery to Hepworth. Tel: 01359 259225

Fruit, vegetables and eggs

Field of Dreams, Thurston Accept telephone orders and payment. Deliver Wednesdays to Hepworth (order by 8am on Wed.) Free delivery orders over £20 else £4 Tel: 07513 350702

Bakers, some deli and fruit and vegetables.

Wooster's Bakery, Bardwell Accept telephone orders and payment. No delivery but you can order by telephone and you arrange for someone to collect. Tel: 01359 408409

Fruit, Vegetables, Bread, Deli and Butchers

Hillcrest Nurseries, Stanton Accept telephone orders and payment. Delivery available. Tel: 01359 252307.

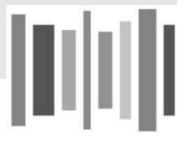
Please let us know if you would like to be added to this list in the future

SUFFOLK LIBRARIES

Did you know about the Suffolk Mobile Library Service? It visits Hepworth every 4 weeks on a Thursday, and stops in 2 places:

lvy Nook, Beck Street between 1525 and 1540, and Half Moon, The Street between 1545 and 1605

The coming visits will be on 2nd February, 2nd March, and 30th March 2023





We are a local, informal, friendly garden club. Green Fingers meetings are held at Hinderclay Village Hall on the 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm in the evening. Annual membership subscription is £15 and our monthly meeting fees are £3 for members (and £5 for non-members) with refreshments

included. You would be most welcome to join us.

15th February 2023

Garden Club

ROSES REVISITED - Climbers & Ramblers by Simon White of Beales Roses (There will be plants for sale)

15th March 2023

EPIMEDIUMS - By Jay of Hedgehog Gardens AND SPRING SHOW COMPETITION

+ much, much more. For more information, ring Val Hobson: 01359 251977 or Ali Carr: 01953 688112

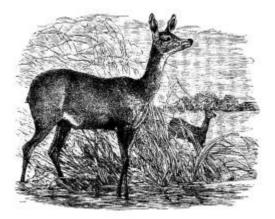
ROE DEER

As I stopped by, that dark night, Three roe in a gateway stood; They seemed bemused by my light So far from their darkened wood.

They stood ungainly and peered Like kids or lambs fill'd with glee; And then by magic appeared Another to join the said three.

I watched, as if in a dream; Their ears and tails twitch away. And then a sudden moonbeam Reminded them of the day.

They skipped along and bounded Beyond the beam of my light, As if some horn had sounded Out from the depths of the night.



This poem is reproduced with the kind permission of the author (and Hepworth resident), Bernard Howlett, Breckland Poet, from his book "Pages of Time", ISBN 978-0-9559311-3-0

A Letter from the Rectory - February 2023

Dear Friends

I'm writing this letter in the middle of January and it's wet and cold and grey outside. I've just spent half an hour on my exercise bike desperately trying to keep my New Year's resolution to get fit going... and it's hard. I'm one of those people who could very easily hibernate through the dark and cold months and only come up from

under the duvet when the sky is blue again and there's a distinct sense of Spring in the air.

As I struggled to keep up with the pace set on my bike I was listening to 'The Bible in One Year' morning pod cast and the speaker was talking about the passage in the Bible from Matthew 9:18-25. In the passage the leader of the Synagogue comes to find Jesus; he kneels before Him he says" My daughter has died. But come and put your hand on her, and she will live. Jesus took His disciples and went to the Synagogue leader's home. People outside were weeping and wailing... Jesus told them to 'go away'... 'she is not dead just sleeping' He said. Jesus went into the room He took her by the hand and said to her, "Talitha koum!", (which means "Little girl, I say to you, get up!")... and she got up!

As I continued on my exercise bike... looking out across the bleak wet and windy playing field I had this feeling that the girl in the bible could be symbolic of how we can often feel at this time of the year. For many life seems hard... there can a heaviness to life and we feel listless and almost lifeless in our lack of motivation and enthusiasm... perhaps even a lack of hope... especially when the skies are grey.

If that's how you're feeling I would encourage you to imagine Jesus taking your hand... and calling you to 'get up'. The little girl in the Bible passage didn't appear to be able to get up on her own... but with Jesus' help... as He took her hand... her life took on new meaning.

It's this hope of light and life in the midst of the darkness and the sometimes greyness of life that the Christmas Story is all about. Jesus came to be that light and that hope for every single one of us. He offers us His hand... to help us to rise up to a better place and a better way of being... and to the new life that He offers.

It might be that by the time you're reading this we have an early Spring and the signs of life and hope are all around us in God's creation... but if that's not the case and you find yourself struggling (as many of us do this time of year), I encourage you to hold out your hand and simply pray, "Jesus would you come and take my hand and lift me up" and then begin to see His Light and His hope begin it's wonderful work in your life. "Talitha koum!"

God Bless, Rev Cathy

HEPWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

VACANCY FOR A PARISH CLERK

Hepworth Parish Council is looking for an enthusiastic and selfmotivated person who is community minded and enjoys working with the public, to take on the role of Parish Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer.

The post is for a 4.5 hours per week, home based and includes attendance at all Parish Council meetings which are usually ten a year.

Duties include:

- Organising and attending council meetings, preparing agendas and writing minutes
- Maintaining the village noticeboard
- Uploading parish council documents to website
- Maintaining files and documents
- Implementing the Council's decisions
- Attending to email correspondence
- Managing the finances, preparing the annual budget, requesting the precept and reporting finances to the Council
- Advise the Council
- Be the first point of contact for the public.

Pay will be in line with NALC guidelines and according to experience and qualifications. A Certificate in Local Council Administration (Cilca) would be an advantage as would experience of being a Parish Clerk, but support and training will be available for someone new to parish councils and who is willing to learn.

If you wish to apply then please send an email expressing your interest together with your CV to the current Parish Clerk at clerk@hepworthvillage.co.uk

Closing date for applications is 15 February 2023

HEPWORTH PARISH COUNCIL - DRAFT MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HEPWORTH PAVILION - THURSDAY 10 NOVEMBER 2022@1930

- PRESENT: Councillor Garry Bloomfield (GB) (Chair), Councillor Marjorie MacPherson (MM), Councillor Louise Robinson (LR), Councillor Perry Penn (PP), Councillor Nicholas Bennett (NB)
- IN ATTENDANCE: Christopher Garman (Parish Clerk) (CG), County Councillor Joanna Spicer (JSp), One member of public was present.
- 22/131 PUBLIC FORUM: a) The Parish Council was asked to keep residents informed about the Shepherds Grove development and any consultations. It was suggested that there be a specific meeting for considering the application.

b) There were concerns raised about the service levels at the dispensary at Stanton Surgery and it was specifically pointed out this relates to the dispensary and not the other areas of the practice. It was mentioned that there were significant delays in getting medications and long wait times often outside the surgery which was not good in poor weather conditions. It was suggested that this was affecting people's wellbeing. It was recognised the changes the dispensary has been through recently and that other dispensaries and pharmacies were experiencing similar difficulties in obtaining drugs and having adequate qualified staff. It was asked that the Parish Council write to Stanton Surgery expressing the concerns and asking what will be done to improve the situation, and it was agreed to do so.

22/132 REPORTS FROM AND QUESTIONS TO BOTH DISTRICT AND COUNTY COUNCILLORS: a) JSp spoke about the developments with the Bloor Homes planning application in Stanton. JSp gave an update on the TPO in respect of trees at the rear of Church Close, Hepworth and there was a discussion on how this was moving forward. JSp said contractors were planned to do the resurfacing of Weston Lane during November. JSp spoke about the current situation with the traffic calming which is proceeding as planned. JSp talked about the change in the speed limit at the south end of The Street, Hepworth and the consultation. There was a discussion about an email received from a resident where there were concerns walkers and dogs were straying away from footpaths and the dogs were not under control.

b) CB was not present but had previously emailed to say the locality grant of £1275 for the village gates was proceeding and that from her angle there was nothing new in respect of the proposed Shepherds Grove development.

- 22/133 APOLOGIES: Councillor Justin Seldis (JS) had offered his apologies and these were accepted. District Councillor Carol Bull (CB) had also sent her apologies.
- 22/134 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST: MM declared an interest in agenda item 9 (a) 22/135 REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS: None.
- 22/136 MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING: The minutes of the meetings held on 20 October 2022 had been previously circulated. It was resolved that these were an accurate record of the meeting.

22/137 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES: None.

22/138 VILLAGE ASSETS, TREES AND HIGHWAYS:a) There was an update in respect of the traffic calming project under JF's report at 22/132 (a) above. It was considered there was nothing further to discuss at this stage.

b) There were no other issues.

22/139 FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION: a) The following payment was considered for approval. £43.20 to Hepworth Recreation Ground – hall hire. It was resolved to approve this payment.

b) An income and expenditure statement with budgets for the year to 30 September 2022 had been previously circulated together with a bank reconciliation and bank statement. These documents were considered. It was resolved to confirm that the bank reconciliation agreed with the bank statement.

c) Donations to Royal British Legion and Headway Suffolk were considered. It was resolved to donate £25 to Royal British Legion but to decline to donate to Headway Suffolk.

d) The draft budget for 2023/2024 had been previously circulated was considered. There were some thoughts on amounts to possibly be considered for projects and grants. It was thought that the precept increase should be capped at 3% and expenditure managed accordingly. CG was asked to factor these thoughts into a revised draft budget for consideration at the January 2023 meeting.

e) There was discussion on the future use of social media to communicate Parish Council news. It was considered appropriate for the time being to suspend social media activities.

22/140 PLANNING MATTERS:a) It was noted that there were no developments in respect of the proposed development at Shepherds Grove.

b) There was no report on pending applications.

- 22/141 PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCIES: It was noted that there was no appetite for an election in respect of the second vacancy and that the two vacancies could now be filled by co-option. It was reported that an advert seeking new councillors will be placed in the Hepworth Herald and the noticeboard with a view to hopefully having some names to consider at the January 2023 meeting.
- 22/142 CORRESPONDENCE: a) The matter of the email from a resident with concerns about people straying from footpaths and dogs not being under control was again considered. It was thought this is perhaps a matter for the landowner to pursue if appropriate but if there were issues with the footpath signage then this should be referred to SCC. CG will respond accordingly and signpost to SCC and JSp if deemed appropriate.

b) Other correspondence had been previously circulated and no further action was considered necessary.

22/143 QUESTIONS TO THE CHAIRMAN: There was a discussion about the condition of various hedges around the village and perhaps

polite requests to landowners was needed.

22/144 DATE OF NEXT MEETING: The next Parish Council meeting which will be an extra ordinary meeting on Thursday 17 November 2022 and then a meeting on Thursday 19 January 2023 at 7.30 pm.

The meeting closed at 8.50 pm.

Christopher Garman

Parish Clerk

11 November 2022

HEPWORTH PARISH COUNCIL - DRAFT MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

HEPWORTH PAVILION - THURSDAY 17th NOVEMBER 2022@1900

- PRESENT: Councillor Garry Bloomfield (GB) (Chairman), Councillor Marjorie MacPherson (MM), Councillor Nicholas Bennett (NB)
- IN ATTENDANCE: District Councillor Carol Bull (CB), No members of the public were present. 22/145 PUBLIC FORUM
- 22/146 APOLOGIES: Councillors Seldis, Penn and Robinson offered their apologies which were accepted.
- 22/147 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST: None.
- 22/148 REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS: None.
- 22/149 PROPOSED CHAGE IN SPEED LIMIT: The proposed changes to the speed limit in The Street, Hepworth, as advised by SCC, was considered. t was resolved to advise SCC that there was no objection.
- 22/150 PLANNING MATTERS: Planning application DC/22/1928/HH relating to 17 Church Close, Hepworth was considered. It was resolved to advise WSC that there were no objections to the application.
- 22/151 QUESTIONS TO THE CHAIRMAN: There were none.
- 22/152 DATE OF NEXT MEETING: The next Parish Council meeting is on Thursday 19 January 2023 at 7.30 pm.
- The meeting closed at 7.15 pm.
- Christopher Garman Parish Clerk
- 17 November 2022

HEPWORTH PARISH COUNCIL - DRAFT MINUTES OF THE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HEPWORTH PAVILION - WEDNESDAY 14 DECEMBER 2022@1900

PRESENT:Councillor Garry Bloomfield (GB) (Chair), Councillor Marjorie MacPherson (MM), Councillor Nicholas Bennett (NB), Councillor Justin Seldis (JS), Councillor Perry Penn (PP)

- IN ATTENDANCE: Christopher Garman Parish Clerk, No members of the public were present.
- 22/153 PUBLIC FORUM
- 22/154 APOLOGIES: Councillor Louise Robinson (LR) had sent her apologies after the meeting. Also, District Councillor Carol Bull (CB) and County Councillor Joanna Spicer (JSp) had sent their apologies.
- 22/155 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST: None.
- 22/156 REQUESTS FOR DISPENSATIONS: None.
- 22/157 PLANNING MATTERS: Planning application DC/22/2060/HH relating to 14 Church Close, Hepworth was considered. It was resolved to advise WSC that there were no objections to the application.
- 22/158 QUESTIONS TO THE CHAIRMAN: a) There was a discussion about possible candidates for the two vacancies on the Parish Council. It was noted that any applications would be considered at the meeting planned for 19January 2023.

b) It was highlighted that the work to the surface of Weston Lane had not been completed and CG was asked to contact JSp.

- 22/159 DATE OF NEXT MEETING: The next Parish Council meeting is on Thursday 19 January 2023 at 7.30 pm.
- The meeting closed at 7.15 pm.
- Christopher Garman, Parish Clerk
- 15 December 2022

Hepworth Angels



Hepworth

Are singing with great gusto every Monday at 19:00 in the Village Hall. No auditions - just come and sing! All abilities welcome.



We are on the hunt for Covers

Hepworth Herald would love to feature the talents of its residents (of all ages!) on the front cover. If you or your children have a seasonal painting, drawing or photograph you would like to share, please consider submitting to hepworthherald@gmail.com

Crafternoon Tea

Still going! We would like a few more to join us if possible. It's a good opportunity to use a big table for cutting out or laying out your work



Letter to the editor

Save the date!

There are plans being made for some village fun to celebrate the Coronation.

Please keep the day free, and join us at the Pavilion on the 8th.

More details to follow in the next Herald!



Voter ID

The UK Government has introduced a requirement for voters to show photo ID when voting at a polling station at some elections. This new requirement will apply for the first time in England at the local elections on Thursday 4 May 2023.

Which forms of ID can I use to vote? - You may already have a form of photo ID that is acceptable. You can use any of the following:

Passport Driving licence (including provisional license) Blue badge Certain concessionary travel cards Identity card with PASS mark (Proof of Age Standards Scheme) Biometric Immigration document Defence identity card Certain national identity cards

For more information on which forms of photo ID will be accepted, visit http://electoralcommission.org.uk/voterID or call their helpline on 0800 328 0280.

If you don't have an accepted form photo ID - If you don't already have an accepted form of photo ID, or you're not sure whether your photo ID still looks like you, you can apply for a free voter ID document, known as a **Voter Authority Certificate**. You can apply for this at

http://voter-authority-certificate.service.gov.uk

Alternatively, you can complete a paper application form and send this to the electoral services team at your local council.

If you need any help with applying for a Voter Authority Certificate or want to request an application form, contact your local council. To find their contact details visit

http://electoralcommission.org.uk/voter.

Find out more - If you have any questions or would like to find out more, go to http://electoralcommission.org.uk/voterID, or call their helpline on 0800 328 0280.

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November 2022:	Max. Temp: Min. Temp: Total Rainfall:	16.3°C 1.2°C 21st 105.3mm	1st.
December 2022:	Wettest Day: Max. Temp: Min Temp:	32.5mm 13.4°C -6.7°C	2nd 31st 15th
	Total Precipitation: Wettest Day:	46.3mm 9.8mm	18th
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November 2022: A mild and very wet month. No air or grass frost recorded. On the 1st a substantial hail shower fell at lunchtime, leaving gardens and countryside 'white' for a short time. Garden still in bloom at the end of the month with working bumblebees!

December 2022: Very cold first half of the month. Overall, the coldest December since 2010. Mild second half, including the Christmas period. Precipitation slightly below normal with very little snow. Very frosty period 8th to the 18th with 2 'ice days' (13th max. -0.3°C, 15th max -0.1°C). Mean night minimum -4.8°C over this period.

Kindly provided by Richard Hinton. See the latest weather and historical Hepworth weather data at http://j.mp/HepworthWS

Hepworth Parish Council The Future of Hepworth

Key decisions which will affect every resident of Hepworth are about to be made by West Suffolk Council.

Hepworth Parish Council are arranging meetings to consider all the issues and concerns, and are working with other parish councils to make sure the response to West Suffolk Council covers all the issues. It is important that you also let West Suffolk Council know your views too. The more that respond, the louder the voice.

Please comment on planning application DC/22/2190/HYB on the West Suffolk Planning Portal (https://www.westsuffolk.gov.uk/ planning/vieworcommentonplanningapplications - you may need to create a free account),

Or alternatively email: customerservices@westsuffolk.gov.uk or write to the Planning Department at West Suffolk House, Western Way, Bury St. Edmunds IP33 3YU. AND let your District Councilor Carol Bull know your views: carol.bull@westsuffolk.gov.uk

BEFORE 4 FEBRUARY 2023

ACT NOW AND HAVE YOUR SAY

Hepworth Quiz Night

Friday 10th March 2023 at 1930

Hepworth Village Hall £2.50 per person

Teams of up to 6 people, bring your own drinks and snacks

1475. 1475.

F Tea and coffee available All proceeds to St Peter's Church Please email ejduffield@gmail.com to reserve a table Crafternoon Tea (Craftea)

We meet on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of each month in Hepworth Village Hall, from 2pm until 4pm.

Everyone is welcome and we have knitting, stitching, crochet, tapestry and patchwork on the go so far.

There is a bottomless supply of tea, coffee and biscuits and we charge £2 per week.

> Come and give us a try. Call Jane on 01359 250347

DOG WALKING & PET CARE

Dog walking, companion visits, cat feeding, small animal care.



worries away......

PINK'S POOCHES & PET CARE 07778114094 pinkspooches@gmail.com



Do you have a new neighbour?

The Parish Council has prepared a Welcome Pack for people new to the village.

It can be found on the Village Website at

http://hepworthvillage.co.uk

Hepworth coffee morning



On the first and third Thursday of each month at 1030 -1200.

Come and join us for a coffee and chat, meet new people and old friends.

Just £2 a session.





David and Carol would like to thank you all for your fabulous support at their 2022 coffee morning for Macmillan.

An enormous



was raised for this amazing cause, and thanks go to all who attended and donated items and baking on the day, and of course our extremely generous sponsors and all our helpers!



WHAT IS WRONG WITH PEOPLE ?

Letter to the editor

On the 24th December a short walk from Church Road up to the A143 yielded 142 separate pieces of litter.....crisp bags, cans, bottles, sandwich boxes, cigarette boxes, etc.

This was all dropped in the last 6 weeks and shows a complete lack of respect for our village and the environment.

Who are these mindless morons just throwing their litter from their car windows ? The really sad thing is some of them who I will not name live in the village.

Please, please, please dispose of your litter properly and make note of anyone you see dropping litter. Let us all have a pleasant tidy village.





Deadline for all copy (contents and adverts) for the April 2023 edition of Hepworth Herald is 20th March 2023. Please email all requests to hepworthherald@gmail.com

Hepworth Pavilion and Recreation Ground Church Lane, IP22 2PU

City All	Time	Residents	Non-residents
and the second s	0900 - 1200	£24	£30
The REAL PROPERTY	1400 - 1700	£24	£30
	1900 - 2300	£32	£40
	All day	£80	£100
	Hourly	£8	£10

Bookings and Enquiries should be sent to pavilionhepworth@gmail.com

Would you like an Advert here?

Reach more than 550 people in 240 households in the village of Hepworth, and help support our village magazine.

	B&W	Colour
¼ Page	£15 (£6)	
½ Page	£30 (£11)	£40 (£15)
Full Page	£60 (£22)	£80 (£29)
Back Cover		£90 (£33)
Centre Spread	£90 (£33)	£120 (£44)
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Hepworth Pavilion

A New Year and a new start for the Pavilion, the committee would like to thank all that have supported and volunteered their time for the Pavilion during 2022.

Looking forward to 2023 – here are some thoughts for the coming year Can you help with any of the following possible events:

- » Clothes / Toy Sale
- » Bingo (on 9th June)
- » Village Lottery
- » Car Boot Sale
- » Spring Clean with light lunch provided
- » Any other ideas welcome.

Please contact either Marjorie (tel : 07979 384036), Linda (tel : 01359 250014) or Sarah (tel : 07763 720591) for further information OR come along on 18th April 2023 for our AGM at 7:00pm and meet some new friends.

Christmas Coffee Morning



St Peter's Church, Hepworth Please join us for Choral Evensong Sunday, 26th March at 6:00pm Revd Dr Stephen Cherry, Dean of Kings's College, Cambridge will lead the service, with the King's Singers Choir, directed by Ralph Woodward There will be a retiring collection for Church Funds.