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## Goodnight Stanley Bradwell. Your Village Will Not Forget You.

### EVENTS

**Wed 13:** Rebellion Knoll WI: 7:30pm in the Methodist Hall.

Cookery demonstration by the "Bakehouse"

**Tues 19:** Historical Society: 8pm in the Methodist Hall. "Our constantly changing climate" - Paul Downing

**9th March:** Methodist Church Spring Coffee morning. Small room at the Methodist Hall - coffee and biscuit plus stalls from 10am. All welcome.

### A MESSAGE FROM JOYCE EMSEN

July 2002 to February 2019

Well done! Congratulations on the 200th issue of *Bradwell News*. This could not have happened without funding. The difficult task of asking local businesses to support a non-existing newspaper was undertaken by Janet Kobayashi. Liz and Ian Fullilove applied for grants and loaned the money for the first copies. All three were valued committee members. Thank you to everybody who has helped in their different ways over the years and to those who are now keeping it going. Joyce H. Emsen.

### TEN YEARS AGO

As this is the 200th edition we thought we'd look back to what was happening ten years ago.

In January 2009 the Centenary Players were advertising their imminent production of "Little Miss Muffet", written by Marilyn Harrison and Walter Rowland's weather records still featured in the newsletter. Sadly, Walter has now passed away and we no longer have his data. Also in January 2009 it was reported that Jez Warrington had been appointed bar manager at the Bowling Green, working with Matt to breathe the new life into the pub. Things have certainly moved on since then. The January edition also covered the 8th annual Bradda Dads Christmas lunch, with letters of appreciation from Betty Bradwell and "two old codgers" who were not identified. Bradda Dads were also planning to host their very first "Wolf's Pit" fell race on 22nd March, 2009. In February it was reported that Joyce Bennett was retiring as post office assistant after having held the position for 18 years. Also that month the War Memorial was cleaned and the last page of the February edition carried obituaries for Mr Harry Broadbent, Mr Frank Watson, Mrs Eunice Clayton and Mrs Eileen Knowles. We will bring you more "flashbacks" in future editions.

### APOLOGIES

Sincere and abject apologies to both Betty Bancroft and Betty Bradwell for wrongly attributing the excellent poem in last month's edition. It was of course penned by Betty Bancroft, our regular "Bradda Bard". Thanks to Tim Bradwell for spotting the error.

### BRADWELL SURGERY

The "Be Self-Care Aware" Campaign was launched in Derbyshire to encourage people to adopt self-care for minor illnesses and ailments. Self-care refers to the actions we take to recognise, treat and manage our own health. It's about doing small, everyday things for yourself to keep healthy and happy. The key message of the campaign is that self-care can be quicker, easier and simpler than using NHS services. The website [www.nhsstaywellderbyshire.co.uk](http://www.nhsstaywellderbyshire.co.uk) provides a wealth of resources including information about many common minor ailments and how they can be successfully treated by you. It is **quicker**, there is no need to wait for a GP appointment. You can buy the medicines you need over the counter at your local pharmacy or supermarket and have them ready to use at home. It is **easier**, many treatments can be bought without the need for a prescription at your local pharmacy or supermarket, often for much less than a prescription charge. It is **simple**, advice and information about self-care is widely available online. You can also call into any pharmacy for advice on the best treatment for your minor illness. It is **considerate**, self-care helps relieve pressures on GP practices, A&E and could potentially save the NHS around £136m every year. Other useful resources: The NHS website ([www.nhs.co.uk](http://www.nhs.co.uk)) The HANDi app, health advice to parents and carers of young children. Live Life Better Derbyshire [www.livelifebetterderbyshire.co.uk](http://www.livelifebetterderbyshire.co.uk) which provides information on fitness, weight loss and quitting smoking.

### SEND US YOUR NEWS

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**2019 Council Elections:** District and Parish Council elections will take place on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2019. Please watch for posters that will be displayed from 19<sup>th</sup> March on the village notice boards.

**Derbyshire Dales District Council (DDDC) Projects Fund:** District Councillor Chris Furness reported that there are still some funds available in his project fund. Any village organisation can apply for funds. Please contact District Councillor Chris Furness if you wish to apply.

**Car parking:** A couple of spaces are available to rent at Softwater Lane car park. The cost is £25 pcm or £300 annual. If you are interested please contact the parish clerk.

**Winter Preparations:** Now that we have had some snow and frost a second audit of the 50 or so county council & parish council grit bins around the village will be conducted to check on their condition and contents. The grit in the bins is available for use on public roads and pavements. If you notice a bin needs re-filling please let the parish clerk know.

**Planning Applications:** The parish council is routinely consulted on planning applications submitted to PDNPA by residents of the parish and it responds to PDNPA by giving its view on each application. Unfortunately, whilst the Parish Council may support an application it does not mean that planning consent will be granted. The council's responses are posted to the PDNPA website for public inspection.

**Public Participation:** Residents continue to attend council meetings to raise matters of concern directly with Council. We welcome members of the public at both main council and all committee meetings. Council meetings are generally held at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of most months in the Methodist Lounge on Towngate. See the parish notice boards (on the side of the Memorial Hall and in the Peace Gardens bus shelter) for meeting announcements and agendas.

Contacts: Parish Clerk (623485) or parishclerk@bradda.org  
Council Chair (623941) or paul@bradda.org

### EYAM REPAIR CAFÉ

There's an interesting new initiative taking off in Eyam. If your toaster is "toast" or your vacuum cleaner has lost it's suck, you might not need to throw it away. Starting on 9th February and held on the second Saturday of every month, "Eyam Repair Café" will take a look at your duff stuff and see if it can be fixed. They will be at the Eyam Church Centre from 10am to 2pm and there is no charge, but a donation would be appreciated. Find out more at [eyamrepaircafe@btinternet.com](mailto:eyamrepaircafe@btinternet.com)

### BRADWELL PANTOMIME 2019

Beauty and the Beast will be performed by the Bradwell Centenary Players at the Memorial Hall from Wednesday 20th to Saturday 23rd February at 7.30pm; Saturday Matinee at 2pm. (Winter Half-term). See pictures of the cast in costume by typing 'Facebook Bradwell Pantomime' into your search engine and clicking on the first link shown. Anyone you recognise?



Come and see them all in a glorious production, full of song and dance, and slap-stick pantomime humour. Best of all, the kids of Bradwell will star as usual.

Buy your tickets at Bradwell Post Office, or (for a little more) buy on-line at <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/> by searching for 'Bradwell Panto 2018' to find our event, or you can just type in <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/event/286739>. Oh yes you can!

### EARLE'S CLUB Spring Ball

The Earle's Club is holding it's very first Spring Ball to raise money for The UK Sepsis Trust. The event will be held on 2nd March at 7pm and includes a 3 course dinner, auction and after party. Entry is via pre-paid ticket at £28 per head; or book a table of 10 for only £25 per head.

For reservations contact the Club Steward, Sarah on [07854 767054](tel:07854767054) or message our Facebook Page 'The Earles's Club at Hope Cement Works'.

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## REBELLION KNOLL WI

Before we arrived at the end of the year, Rebellion Knoll had had another busy three months. October began with fascinating Harvest Tales by Sophie Smith. The village pots were tidied up and plants put in ready for the Spring. The month ended with a coffee shop outing to Tillys in Castleton. Whenever possible, we include a walk for those wishing to eat their cake 'guilt-free' and this month there were those who walked from Bradwell to Castleton and back again!

November saw our President place a wreath on the War Memorial on Remembrance Sunday. Then Sue Pittmann gave us a talk and showed pictures by Derbyshire artists, of whom there are many and whose work covers many differing styles. Instead of a coffee shop outing, a trip was made to Chatsworth Garden Centre where lunch was enjoyed followed by some Christmas shopping.

In October and November tins and packets of food were collected in response to the WI appeal for a 'Reverse Advent Calendar'. These were donated to the Food Bank in Buxton.

Members had been invited to a Group WI Carol Service in Bamford early in December and this was a lovely start to Christmas with mince-pies and mulled wine as well as carol-singing. Our meeting this month was a Christmas meal at the Old Hall Hotel in Hope where good food and company was enjoyed by all who were there.

Throughout the Christmas period a WI tree was in St. Barnabas' Church as part of the Christmas Tree event, hung with members' handmade decorations of course!

We now look forward to the first three months of 2019. Anyone interested in joining us, please come to a monthly meeting

## BRADWELL PRE-SCHOOL

**Bradwell Preschool Committee need a new 'Chair'.**

- Do you care about local people, the community and how our young people are inspired and developed?
- Do you have some spare time and the motivation to take on a challenge?
- Do you have experience in managing organisations & people?
- Do you have some knowledge of any of the following: employment, payroll, accounting, teaching, policy, contracts and safeguarding?

If you have answered yes to some, if not all, of these questions then you could be just the person needed. The Preschool has become known for providing quality education and has recently undergone a period of expansion with a significant increase in the number of children attending. This is a credit to the staff and committee and provides a big contribution to the whole community.



The committee currently has a vacancy for the role of 'Chair'. A person is needed who can lead and support the committee and staff in continuing to deliver a high standard of education for the increasing number of young people in attendance. Preferably, this person would have the time needed (a

few hours a week) to commit to the role and the motivation to move the committee forward into a more streamlined organisation. A 'Chair' is needed who can lead and develop this committee led charity into a more sustainable model, to ensure that the recent growth is maintained and ensure that the Preschool continues to stand up in its own right as a viable entity. A leader is needed with the knowledge, experience and passion to achieve this. This is a challenging voluntary role which requires some time commitment, however as a committee we believe there are many benefits:

- For the right person it would be a positive and rewarding experience
- You would be part of a team with committee members with a diverse range of experience and skills ready to assist you in this role
- You would have the great experience of being part of a growing and successful organisation
- You could have the satisfaction in being part of a local charity and helping the community by ensuring the provision of quality and affordable childcare

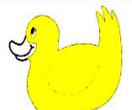
If you are interested and want to find out more about the role, then please contact Caroline Morley Secretary of the committee by email [secretary.bps1@gmail.com](mailto:secretary.bps1@gmail.com)

## A STRANGE DISCOVERY

When the charity stamp jar from the post office was being sorted it was found to contain a small bag with a tooth in it. The bag was labelled "Olly's Tooth". If the owner would like it back please call 620079.



## BRADDA DADS



A date for your diaries, all you

Fell Runners: this year the Wolfspit Fell Race will take place on Sunday 17th March starting with the juniors at 10.15am.

Watch this space for further details or visit

<http://tourofbradwell.co.uk/wolfspit/>

This month we have helped with the cost of a range of structured outdoor activities for members of the youth club. We have also helped (a little) towards the costs of the fantastic water generated Christmas light display extravaganza this year.



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## PERSONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### TERENCE JOHN CAMPBELL

Terry passed away suddenly at home on 27<sup>th</sup> November, aged 66. He was born in Sheffield and was one year old when his family moved to Hall Gate View, where he would continue to live for the rest of his life. On leaving school, he completed a City and Guilds apprenticeship. He worked at Newburgh Engineering for several years, before joining Earle's Cement as an electrician. He then became self-employed. Later in life, Terry became wheelchair bound but he enjoyed putting his electrical skills to good use around the home and maintained a keen interest in politics. He leaves son James, daughter Zoie and grandchildren Alex, Scarlett and Cohen. The funeral service took place at St. Barnabas Church on 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018, followed by private cremation.

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### MAUREEN WATERHOUSE (nee BOYES)

Maureen was born in Sheffield on December 18<sup>th</sup> 1939 and the Boyes family moved to Bradwell the following year. She attended Bradwell schools, appearing in the village pantomimes in the 1950s. Mo trained as a nurse in Sheffield, marrying Michael in 1962. She moved to Windmill, whilst continuing to nurse in Sheffield. After a break from nursing she returned to her first love, to take up District Nursing in local practices. After treatment and a short illness, Maureen passed away peacefully on January 5<sup>th</sup> 2019 in Weston Park Hospital. Many thanks for all the kind thoughts and condolences.

### EVELYN FLORENCE PIERCE (Nee Middleton)

Evelyn passed away peacefully in hospital after a short battle with cancer on January 4<sup>th</sup> 2019, aged 76. She was born in Smalldale on January 18<sup>th</sup> 1942 and spent her whole life in

Bradwell, during which time she lived in 3 different houses. She attended the village school, leaving at the age of 15 to begin her working life at Bamford Cotton Mill. Various part time jobs followed, culminating in her working as a home help before her retirement. She married Thomas Pierce in December 1962 at the Bethlehem Chapel and together they had 3 children. Evelyn enjoyed many family holidays. She liked playing bingo and playing darts and dominoes in local leagues. In later life, favourite activities included trips out and shopping. She was a member of the Tuesday Walkers' group and enjoyed recalling the many memories of the beautiful places visited on the walks, as well as the people with whom she had walked over the years. She loved living in Bradwell with her family and many close friends and felt supported through some difficult times, especially when her husband and son passed away in 1990 and 1996. During her retirement, she spent many happy hours looking after her 4 granddaughters. She leaves behind 2 daughters and their families. The funeral service was on January 23<sup>rd</sup> 2019 at Grenoside Crematorium. Afterwards family and friends gathered at The Shoulder of Mutton for refreshments and reminiscences.

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A huge thank you from Debbie and Carol and their families to all those who cared for Evelyn during her recent illness, including staff at the Hallamshire Hospital, Eyam Surgery and Evelyn's friends. Thank you to all for your kind words and thoughts, beautiful cards, flowers and gifts. It was wonderful to share the happy memories people have of Evelyn, who will be greatly and sadly missed by all who knew her. Thank you to Paul and his team at J.E. Noutch funeral directors for their support and professionalism at an extremely challenging time, to Rev. Richard Towle for his care and support and to Lynne at the "Shoulder" for provision of refreshments.

	3rd February	10th February	17th February	24th February
ST BARNABAS	0930 Morning Prayer	1100 Family Eucharist	0930 Eucharist	0930 Eucharist
FEBRUARY SERVICES	<b>Please check the notice board in front of the church for any changes</b>	1530 Messy Church		
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