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## A Very Happy New Year, Bradda

### EVENTS

**Wed 8:** Badminton Club: Memorial Hall, 10am

**Wed 8:** Rebellion Knoll WI Xmas Dinner

**Tue 21:** Bradwell Historical Society AGM: 8pm, Methodist Hall

**Sat 25:** Disco at the "Shoulder" in memory of Pat Tibbenham.

All proceeds to Bradwell Sports Club and Prostate Cancer

### ENVIROMENTAL REQUEST

We have been contacted by the Environment Agency and asked to publicise a campaign they are running to make people aware of potential problems which can be caused by leaking heating oil tanks and pipes. Especially during the cold winter months it is common for pipes and connections to leak and, in addition to being very costly serious pollution can occur, contaminating streams and ground water supplies. So, if you have an oil fired central heating system please take a moment to check for any leaks and have them repaired. It can save you a lot of money and helps to minimise pollution.

### FIRE SERVICE CUTS - UPDATE

The group formed to counter the DFRS proposals to close Bradwell and Hathersage fire stations has had a very busy time. A public meeting in Hathersage Memorial Hall was very well attended and we were able to get a senior DFRS official to come along and answer questions. Bradwell Councillor Andy Nash has been interviewed on local radio several times and the latest encouraging news is that at a recent meeting Derbyshire County Council officers have recommended:

1. To oppose the proposals set out in the Consultation Paper "Fit to Respond to 2022" for the reasons set out in the report.
2. That DFRS be encouraged to adopt the Derbyshire Challenge model to make better use of existing resources.
3. That DFRS be invited to work with the County Council and other public sector bodies to develop joint working and shared services to achieve the savings.

We are not there yet, but to have this support from County is very important. We need to remember that our fire service is still under threat, but this announcement and other messages we have received lead us to believe that we can be hopeful. The group would like to thank everyone who turned up to the Hathersage meeting or signed the petition or completed the on line survey. It all helps and your support is very much appreciated. Please help us to keep up the pressure.

### THANK YOU, DADS For your Christmas Cheer

I've had a special lunch today  
And so I write without delay  
To say 'Thank you' to you young lads  
Who call yourselves the 'Bradda Dads'.

You decked the hall with streamers bright  
A festive touch for our delight.  
The children have been busy too  
Painting scenes for us to view.

We pulled our crackers with a bang  
Then listened as the children sang  
Their Christmas songs so sweet and clear  
A pleasant treat this time of year.

The food is here! Then like a shot  
All are served whilst it is hot.  
Some Christmas pud or trifle sweet,  
Another special Christmas treat.

A tea or coffee with mince pie,  
Then chocolate mint I do spy.  
The Junior Choir, all dressed up smart  
Sing songs with gusto from the heart.

You've pleased a lot of older folk  
Who've mixed with friends and shared a joke.  
This happy day we'll remember  
Throughout the days of December.

These Bradda Dads have wives so good  
They help to make and serve our food.  
So Thank You all for giving time  
And with these thanks I'll end my rhyme.

Betty Bancroft December 2013

### SEND US YOUR NEWS

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**PARISH COUNCIL NOTES****Planning Application for the Newburgh site:**

In early December, the Parish Council was surprised to receive a consultation request from PDNPA asking for Council's opinion on the latest version of this application. Up to this point, Council had been told that progress would be some way in the future. This application was reviewed at the meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> December and Council **unanimously resolved to object** to it. A letter of objection giving the council's views was sent to PDNPA before Christmas. It is expected that the Newburgh application will now be considered at the PDNPA's February Planning Committee meeting.

**Derbyshire Fire & Rescue Proposals:**

DFRS Proposal 4 is to close the Bradwell and Hathersage Fire Stations and open a new one in Bamford. By the time you read this the DFRS consultation period will have ended and hopefully there will have been many responses to this proposal from residents. The Hope Valley public meeting on 10<sup>th</sup> December in Hathersage was well attended with around 100 residents present. Following presentations by the 'Save the Hope Valley Fire Service Group' and a video from DFRS, residents asked many questions of the two senior DFRS officers present. These officers were made aware of the residents' strength of feeling at their proposal. In addition to the public meeting, Cllr Andy Nash was interviewed on a number of occasions on local radio to explain the Hope Valley view of this proposal. The next steps are for DFRS officers to review all the responses to its consultation and then to hold a briefing day for Fire Authority members prior to the February Fire Authority meeting, when all the proposals will be discussed. Your council will stay in contact with DFRS to see how it can make its views known.

**Closure of the B6049 through Brough:**

Severn Trent Water's clean water main renewal project is now in its final stages and the main is being laid in the grass verge parallel to Elliott Avenue. This has allowed the traffic lights to be removed for now. The project is now expected to be completed in January / February 2014. As always, weekly progress reports can be obtained each Saturday on the Enterprise website ([www.enterprise.plc.uk/bradwell](http://www.enterprise.plc.uk/bradwell)).

**Council 2014/15 Precept:**

For the 2011/12 financial year, council had decided to significantly reduce the parish precept from the c. £52k required to run the council to c. £33k as a one-off action, and to fund the shortfall thus created from reserves. Furthermore, for the following financial year council decided to retain this same low level of precept, which further reduced its reserves. For 2013/14 and beyond, council has developed a five year financial plan aimed at bringing the spending of the council and future precepts into closer alignment, whilst ensuring adequate reserves. This plan required the precept to be raised by 10% each year for the next five years. However, due to under-spending against budgets, it had been possible to increase

the 2013/14 precept by only 8%, to £36,266. For the coming 2014/15 financial year, Council decided to raise the precept by 9%, to £39,526. Again, the shortfall will be funded from council reserves. This 2014/15 precept represents a charge of under £70 p.a. per Band D household.

**Car Parking in Softwater Lane:**

Council has now resolved to allocate up to £500 p.a. matched funding in support of this project and work is on-going to complete the DDDC grant application forms. Some professional services will be required to provide estimates for the work required in order to complete these forms.

**Neighbourhood Plan (NP):**

In order to allow residents more time to make their views known on the future of Bradwell, the deadline for completing the survey was extended to the end of December. Around 100 residents have so far provided their views on the way they want Bradwell to grow over the coming years. These views will now be analysed and incorporated into the neighbourhood plan in order to shape the future of our village.

**Youth Club (YC):**

A Christmas Disco was held (with thanks to Nick & Helen McCloud) on the last session before Christmas and the YC is now closed for the Christmas break. It is planned to re-open the Club on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> January. Wendy Butler, the new Youth Leader, proposes to run a project for YC members to produce a stunning ceramic / glass mosaic. She plans to exhibit the finished item at a gallery in Sheffield around Easter time. Wendy is seeking donations of old / unwanted / cracked pottery or other ceramics for this project. So if you, or someone you know, has some and wishes to dispose of it, then please bring it to the Youth Club at 7:00 p.m. on a Thursday evening. The Youth Club is in the corner of the square behind the Police Station on Netherside.

PC Chair & Parish Clerk

**COMMUNITY ORCHARD GROUP**

It is time to "Wassail" the trees again! The Orchard Group will be communing with the trees on 12<sup>th</sup> January at 4pm in the ancient rite of wassailing. This can involve poetry, music and story telling around an open fire in the orchard.

**IT'S PANTO TIME**

Well, almost! The cast are rehearsing hard, the back stage crew are working overtime and the tickets will soon be on sale. But we could do with some extra help – if there is anyone available to shimmy up ladders to fix the lights, hang up the curtains and/or put up the stage on Friday afternoon 14<sup>th</sup> and Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February we would be very grateful! All offers of help to Mary Oldfield on 620462.

**THANK YOU**

June and Vic Poke would like to thank everyone for the lovely cards and gifts for their Golden Wedding Anniversary on 21<sup>st</sup> December

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**Fri 31 Jan:** Fish 'n Chips Night - £6.99



## TEDDY BEAR CLUB



Teddies celebrated Christmas early with a surprise visit from Santa. We send him our hearty thanks for bringing a sack of presents to the children's Christmas party. We start back after Christmas on Tues 7 Jan. If you've not been before but would like to join us, please do get in touch. We're always happy to chaperone new parents and babies, as we appreciate being the new person at a baby/toddler group can feel quite daunting! Teddy Bears is Bradwell's group for mums, dads, carers, and children aged 0-5 years. We meet during term-time on Tuesdays and Fridays from 9.30am to 11.30am in the Methodist Hall (opposite the White Hart). We charge £2 per family per session, which includes refreshments. For more info, contact Colette Holden - 01433 623838, 07835 800477

### BRADWELL 100 YEARS AGO

*Continuing the excellent series from Brian Gillham about our village and what was happening here a century ago.*  
The newspaper cuttings which form the basis of this series on old Bradwell contain, towards the end of November 1913, an interesting corrective to the view that the weather conditions we are now experiencing are new phenomena. To the contrary we read for 22<sup>nd</sup> November 1913: 'Thunder storms are a little out of place in the middle of November but the sky pyrotechnics and heaven's artillery which startled us on Saturday night (15<sup>th</sup>) may possibly have been a slightly belated celebration of the 'fifth' by the weather clerk. The Hope Valley seemed to have caught the fury of this unconventional storm. Vivid flashes of lightning illuminated the hills and dales and the loud rolling of thunder was accompanied by a torrential downpour. Apart from Saturday's phenomenal storm, abnormal weather is being experienced by the valley, which usually has a covering of snow before the year has drawn so near to its close. But gardens are still gay with flowers. Roses are blooming and, encouraged by the warm sunny days which have been enjoyed, early spring flowers such as white rock and Christmas rose are in blossom, and strawberry plants are flowering in a garden almost 1000 ft above sea level. If the seasons don't soon get disentangled we shall be having strawberries and cream taking the place of turkey and sausages'. On a calmer note, Mr Arthur Meyer of Manchester held his audience enthralled for over two hours with his recitation of 'A Christmas Carol'. We are told that the Parish Council had just overseen the re-opening of the old turnpike road across the fields to Hartlemoor and Jennings Dale with the stiles being repaired. They had also accepted a tender for £2 1s 6d from Mr TH Tanfield to place a rail at the foot of the Yeld footpath. Sitting just before Christmas, Seth Evans JP gave judgement in a case brought in Chapel-en-le-Frith against a resident of Bradwell. She was charged with breaking a window valued at 2s in the property of Mr Benjamin Somerset Shirt, draper. PC Boone

told the court that the disturbance took place the previous night and as the lady had nowhere to go she had been locked up. The defendant and her daughter had been asked to leave her lodgings in Smalldale (which were overcrowded) and Mr Shirt had offered a cottage at a rent of 2s 6d per week but apparently this had been unacceptable, leading to the smashed pane. In judgement Seth Evans explained he had known the defendant's parents, who were good people, and he believed with suitable guidance and an effort on her part all would be well. He imposed a fine of 2s and costs.

### SHOEBOXES

Thank you to everyone who filled a Shoebox and contributed so much to making St. Barnabas Shoebox Appeal 2013 a success. I delivered 56 boxes to the warehouse in Dronfield, Fifteen boxes and £30 in donations will go to girls in prison in Belarus and forty one to children in Liberia. Included in these thanks are the children of Bradwell Infant School and children in Little Hucklow. The Shoeboxes that you have filled and the donations given, will have made a huge difference to the happiness of many children this Christmas. Doreen

### REBELLION KNOLL WI

We had a cracking (!) time at our Christmas Party last month, with visitors from neighbouring WIs royally entertained with festive food and party games. But the highlight of the evening had to be our Bag Ladies extraordinaire, two volunteers who were variously dressed in some surprising garments all at the roll of a dice! We're out to our post Christmas Meal this month and we look forward to a fun filled, entertaining year in 2014. You might hang on to your Christmas hats and dig out that designer handbag for February's meeting! You would be very welcome to join us, for further information contact Lynn 620329 or Vanessa 623053

### BADMINTON CLUB

Want to get fit again following the festive season? Then come and help us create a racquet! We're a friendly bunch and meet in the Memorial Hall every Weds morning at 10 during term time. Just turn up. For more information please contact Jo on 621913 or Vanessa on 623053



## BRADDA DADS



Once again George Hempsall ('George the Jeweller' of The Hills) has donated a magnificent handmade necklace and earring set to be auctioned for St. Valentine's Day. They are presented in stunning handmade wooden boxes (worth buying a raffle ticket alone for). The set really is worth hundreds of pounds. Tickets (£1 each) are for sale in the bread shop where you can view the jewellery. The raffle will take place in the White Hart (date to be announced) and all proceeds will go to Bradda Dads. Thank you George!



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## MRS VERNA GREGORY

Verna Gregory died on 9th November, 2013 in Calow Hospital aged 84 years. Born in Bradwell, the eldest daughter of Jim and Agnes Bradwell she attended the Council school before going to work for Bradwell and Elliott's Bakery. She married Eric Gregory and they lived at Overdale before moving to Tideswell where they opened a grocery shop which was open seven days a week. Verna was a member of the Women's Institute, a member of Tideswell Singers and she enjoyed playing Bowls. She leaves a daughter Glennis, sister Doreen and nieces Julie and Edwina. Her husband Eric, who suffered from multiple sclerosis pre-deceased her. The funeral, followed by burial was at the Fountain Square Methodist church in Tideswell on 20th November.

## NEWBURGH LATEST

Newburgh have now submitted to Peak Park the final planning application for the major development of their Bradwell site. We have been advised by Peak Park that the application will be considered at the Planning Committee being held on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2014**. There has only been a short consultation time over the Christmas period for people in the village to make representations and it has not been clear on the website which are the key documents. We have made the following interpretation from the available information. The number of dwellings remains unchanged from the plan submitted in Nov 2012 (**total 110 dwellings**). The submitted plan shows a large number of 3-storey buildings including 3 of the 4 blocks of flats and 33 of the houses. Twenty two of the flats (a fifth of the development) are single bedroom. The plan radically changes the street scene and view along Netherside, where the intention is to replace this with 2 of the blocks of flats, a large 3-storey convenience store and a row of new build terrace houses. The plan shows an increase of entrances to the site, now five. More information about the plan as submitted has been put on a notice board in the Post Office.

If you haven't already done so or would like to write again, we would like to encourage you to do so to make your current views fully count. Although the official deadline for letters and emails was posted on the website as the 3<sup>rd</sup> January it is still possible to write or email informally to the Peak Park planning dept before they submit their report to the Committee in early February (although the sooner the better).

Fran Betteridge tel 621911  
Bradwell and the Newburgh Development

## MISSING THE PUD


Many Bradwell families will have memories of Sister Gould's kindness when their children were born; fewer will have the felt the warmth of her friendship when each Christmas time drew near! Every year since our daughter was born Joyce has made and given us a scrumptious Christmas Pudding! A lovely and welcome gift which has been a feature of our family Christmas Dinner for 46 years! This year, with a miserably painful year behind her, Joyce's spirit was willing but the effort was much too great and we had to 'make do' without her special Pud..... and live on the memory of Puddings Past! Thank you : Hoping you had a Happy Christmas Joyce and Best wishes for 2014  
Chris and Fred

## DOGS - AGAIN!!

We have been asked by several residents if we could publish a plea to people walking their dogs on **Wortley Court**. The residents pay for the grassed areas to be cut, the areas are lighted and people are walking their dogs there. Some people, not all, **do not clean up after their pets**. It surely doesn't need saying that this is completely anti-social behaviour, and children from the school do sometimes play on the grass on their way to and from school. So come on people, be a good neighbour and clean up.

	12th Jan	19th Jan	26th Jan	2nd Feb	9th Feb
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