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**Weds 19th to Sat 22nd. Come and see "ALADDIN"!**

## EVENTS

**Thur 13: Bradwell Infants School** - Sharing Bread Service: St Barnabas Church, Thursday 13th February, 2.15pm  
**Thur 13:** FOBS meeting: 8:15pm; Bowling Grn. All welcome  
**Fri 14:** Pre School Valentines Disco, Methodist Hall  
**Wed 5 Mar:** Bags2Schools: Bradwell Junior School  
**Panto Correction:** The ALLADIN SATURDAY MATINEE is at 2 pm and not 2.30 as shown on the tickets!

## CHANGES TO YOUR POST OFFICE

The Post Office network is set to undergo a complete overhaul and regeneration, a project which has been underway for the last year or so. It is set to come to Bradwell in the very near future, which means that your post office will change, but also that it will need your support more than ever before. The Post office would like to change the branch into a 'Post Office Local', and what this means in practice is that the layout of the shop will change. There will be no secure area and some of the services available will be slightly reduced, but most would continue to be available. However, the changes do not come without a price, the most significant of which would be the loss of a core tier payment to us, which currently provides financial support to the business. As the alternative to making the changes would probably result in the post office moving to an alternative location, we plan to try to make a go of this, but will be relying more than ever before on people using the PO for posting, banking and paying bills. However, before Post Office management would be prepared to allow conversion to a 'Post Office Local' they first need to be convinced that it is a viable place to house their business for the future. This means we have to prepare a detailed plan showing how we plan to increase business and retail sales in order to make up the shortfall that the loss of the core tier payment will create. In simple terms, we have to prove to the Post Office that we are a viable place to host post office services into the future. Again, and to be clear, this is not a threat of closure, as the Post Office services would be moved to another site if it is decided it cannot stay where it is, but you need to be aware that this is a threat of losing the Post Office as a local place, run and owned by independent retailers, in your village. We are very grateful for the support we have received since taking over the business and sincerely hope we have been providing a good service so far, and really hope we can rely on your

support in the challenging times ahead.

## So, how you can help?

Immediately, we need any ideas and suggestions you might have for product lines, services, or anything else that you think we could provide, especially those which would encourage you to use the post office more frequently and help increase business in the shop. We need to be able to convince the Post Office that there is enough local support to keep us going. Our first action will be to provide a suggestion box in the shop for you to put forward your thoughts. This will enable us to sketch an accurate picture of what the future will look like and give you the opportunity to have input into the services and products to which you would like access. We also have space on our face book site as an alternative site for your views. We will be publishing updates as the situation develops.

Thank you! Rob and Sally - Bradwell Post Office

## BRADWELL INFANT SCHOOL

There are currently **four** governor vacancies on our School's Governing Body (Local Authority, Partnership, Foundation & Parent Governor).

If you care about improving children's education, want to contribute to your local community, want to work as part of a team and can value the contribution made by other people, accept the need to receive training, are willing to ask questions and are open to ideas and willing to learn, then you could have what it takes to join one of the largest volunteer groups in the country, working with others to get the best for our children. You can become more involved in the school community, develop additional skills, a better understanding of the education system and transfer your existing abilities into assisting the development of our vibrant school.

To apply for a position please contact the school office, or for more information please contact Debbie Hobson, Clerk to the Governing Body on 620409 or [debhobson@btinternet.com](mailto:debhobson@btinternet.com).

## SEND US YOUR NEWS

The views expressed in this Newsletter are not necessarily those of the editorial team. Please send news by e-mail to: [bradwellnews@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:bradwellnews@yahoo.co.uk) or [paul@paulandliz.org](mailto:paul@paulandliz.org). Or call Paul (623941), Vanessa (623053) or Debbie (621731). You can also leave hand written copy at the Post Office.

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## PARISH COUNCIL NOTES

**Planning Application for the Newburgh site:** A Paris Council letter of objection to this latest version of the planning application was sent to PDNPA before Christmas. It is now expected that the Newburgh application will be considered by the PDNPA's Planning Committee meeting on either 14<sup>th</sup> February or 14<sup>th</sup> March, although it seems increasingly likely to be the March meeting, which will possibly be held in the Agricultural Business Centre in Bakewell. This venue will allow more members of the public to attend this important meeting. Bradwell residents are encouraged to attend this meeting. The village group called Bradwell and the Newburgh Development (BaND) will co-ordinate speakers and topics (e.g. number of dwellings, traffic issues, parking, affordable housing) to ensure that all the significant areas of objection will be properly presented to the Planning committee. PDNPA rules specify that there are only a limited number of slots available to address the committee, so if you wish to raise an area of concern then please contact Steve Lawless (620329).

**Derbyshire Fire & Rescue Service Proposals: DFRS Proposal 4 is to close the Bradwell & Hathersage Fire Stations** and to open a new one in Bamford. By now the DFRS consultation period has ended, DFRS officers will have reviewed the consultation responses and held a briefing day for Fire Authority members. The next step is for the Fire Authority to discuss these proposals at its meeting on 13<sup>th</sup> February. It is understood that both our County & District councils are against these proposals. Your council will stay in contact with DFRS to make its views known.

**Bradwell Conservation Area:** PDNPA have reviewed this conservation area and have proposed a number of changes. It is proposed to include three separate areas and to exclude one small plot. The main inclusion is Beggars Plot playing field and the field system bounded by Smalldale, Granby Road and Town Lane. A presentation of these proposals will be held in the Memorial Hall between 4:30 & 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February with the consultation period closing on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February. Written comments are invited from interested parties up to this date.

**Closure of the B6049 through Brough:** Severn Trent Water's clean water main renewal project is now all but finalised. Two smaller items of work are outstanding which will be addressed as soon as conditions permit. One of them is to arrange connection of existing mains to the new main at Gore Lane. As always, the latest weekly report can be obtained on the Enterprise website ([www.enterprise.plc.uk/bradwell](http://www.enterprise.plc.uk/bradwell)).

**Car Parking on Soft Water Lane:** Council has now submitted an application to District Council for a grant to enable this project to proceed. It is expected the application will be considered by DDDC members on 27<sup>th</sup> February. This project would create 12 car parking spaces on the former Royal British Legion site.

**Bradwell Carnival:** The Carnival committee met recently to

continue planning this year's Carnival. It was decided that this year's theme will be 'Explorers – This World & Beyond' and the committee would be very grateful if all participants could adopt this theme. Watch this space for other news as plans are developed.

**Neighbourhood Plan:** The views of residents who completed the recent survey are now being analysed and these will be incorporated into the neighbourhood plan. Further training is being arranged for committee members to write the required policies forming the basis of the Plan. This training is expected either at the end of February or at the end of March.

**Youth Club (YC):** The Youth Club is now running regular Thursday evening sessions with up to 20 members regularly attending. Wendy Butler, the new Youth Leader, has started running the 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 still 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

## CONSERVATION AREA APPRAISAL

Residents and businesses have a chance to give their views on a draft appraisal and update of the Bradwell Conservation Area. As part of this process, five minor amendments to the existing boundary of Bradwell Conservation Area are proposed. The Appraisal, prepared by the Peak District National Park Authority, looks in detail at the qualities that make Bradwell Conservation Area a special place. Bradwell is one of 109 Conservation Areas in the National Park, which are designated to ensure that the special character of a place is preserved and enhanced. All Conservation Areas are reviewed periodically, and the appraisal forms part of this process.

The draft Appraisal and proposed boundary amendments will be available for public consultation from **Monday 3 February to Friday 21 February 2014** and can be viewed at the Authority's headquarters at Aldern House, Baslow Road, Bakewell, during normal office hours or on the Authority's website at [www.peakdistrict.gov.uk](http://www.peakdistrict.gov.uk)

A copy has been deposited with Bradwell Parish Council. The Authority would like to invite anyone with an interest to come to the **Memorial Hall, Netherside, Bradwell on Tuesday 11th February 2014, any time between 4.30pm and 7:30pm**, to talk to Conservation Officers about the draft Bradwell Conservation Area Appraisal and the proposed boundary amendments. Written comments should be sent to the Historic Buildings Team at Aldern House, Baslow Road, Bakewell, DE45 1AE, by Friday 21 February 2014.

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## TEDDY BEAR CLUB



**NEW FOR TEDDIES** - we are now inviting expectant mums to come along with their bumps. If you're on maternity leave and fancy a brew and a chat before your big day, please do come and join us and meet a few other parents and tots. If you're nervous about coming to your first session, give us a call - we're more than happy to meet you beforehand so you don't have to walk into the hall on your own (we've all done it and know it's a bit bewildering!). 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. For more info, contact Colette Holden - 01433 623838, 07835 800477

### ALADDIN

From Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February to Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> February at 7.30 nightly, and with a matinee at 2pm on the Saturday as well, you are invited to spend a couple of hours with us in hilarity and song! Tickets are £3 on the opening night and £5 at all other performances (£4 concession) and are available from the Post Office, the Bread Shop and High Peak Heating or phone Mary on 620462 to reserve tickets. So don't delay, buy today!

### REBELLION KNOLL W.I.

For this month's meeting you will need to dust off those wedding bonnets and dig out those designer bags! No, we're not having a fashion show, and I know it isn't Easter, but we are having a 'show and tell'. Bring along your hats and bags and tell us the story behind the occasion. Perhaps you've been to Buckingham Palace, or a very special family wedding or maybe you rewarded yourself with a new handbag on nailing promotion? Last month we all enjoyed a lovely meal (the pavlova was exceptional!) in the Shoulder as a post Christmas celebration and we look forward to another entertaining year which will hopefully include a visit to the Houses of Parliament.

### WASSAILED

Thank you to everyone who came to wassail our orchard on January 14th and helped make it the Best One Yet! Special thanks to Bruce Nowell who once again brought delicious, warming mulled cider, the people who brought flapjack and cake, Alison Benefield for her wassail story, our band of singers, and last but not least, our special guests - folk musicians.

### BRADWELL SPORTS CLUB - 100 CLUB

The January Winner was number 78 - Mr Gerald Elliott. The next draw is Sat 15th Feb in The Shoulder. Names and numbers on display in the Bread Shop, Post Office and Bradwell Sports Club website. Thanks to all who supported the Disco in memory of Patrick Tibenham, on Sat 25th Jan. We raised £765.15 to split between Prostate Cancer & Bradwell Sports.

### SPORT RELIEF 2014

It's time to dig out that running kit because Sport Relief is here again. On Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> March the Sainsbury's Sport Relief Mile will be setting off from Bradwell Sports Pavilion at 10:30am, with hundreds of locals getting on their marks, set and go for Sport Relief. Super sprinters and willing walkers will all feel at home with a choice of one, three or six miles. Enter now at sportrelief.com, get sponsored and help transform the lives of people living here in the UK and in some of the world's poorest countries, while being part of an incredible nationwide event. Bradwell Sports Club & Bradwell Guides said: "Come on Bradwell what are you waiting for! Last time the Bradwell Mile had more than 125 participants, and this year we want even more of you to get involved to get that total even higher! There will be something for everyone on what looks set to be a great day, so don't forget to rope in your mates, family, boyfriend, girlfriend and colleagues too and get training!"

### CHURCH MATTERS

The Women's World Day of Prayer, interdenominational service is 2pm at **St Barnabas Church on Friday March 7th**. The service is prepared by Christian women of Egypt. The speaker is Rev. Josephine Barnes.

**LENT LUNCHESES** are *St. Barnabas Church on Monday 10th March and every Monday for 5 Weeks. Time is Noon to 1.30pm. Further details in the March issue.*

### WELL DRESSINGS

#### Urgent Appeal

As previously advertised we are in need of urgent help to keep the Bradwell Well Dressing group running. **For this year** we need people to assist the committee in sharing some of the tasks to get the year's wells underway, and **for next year** we need to appoint a Chairperson and a Secretary. If you can help in any way please come to the meeting on Monday 24th February - 7:30pm in the Shoulder of Mutton and help us to keep this important village activity going. For more information contact either Jackie on 620769, or Peter on 621459.



## BRADDA DADS



**Valentine's raffle.** Don't miss the chance of winning the beautiful and unique sterling silver and cubic zirconium necklace and earring set donated by George Hempshall. Get down to the bread shop, have a look ... and buy a ticket for £1 each! You could be the lucky winner. The draw will take place in the White Hart on Wed 12th Feb at 10PM ... just in time for Valentine's Day!

This year's **Wolfspit Fell Race** will take place on Sunday March 16th starting with the juniors at 10.15AM.

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## MISS EDNA HAMMOND

Edna Hammond died in Calow Hospital on December 10<sup>th</sup> aged 75 years. The only child of Arthur and Elizabeth Hammond she came to Bradwell from a farm at Moscar and was educated at Bradfield school and then Bradwell. She started work at the Bamford Cotton Mill where she remained until its closure in the sixties. She and her friend, Mabel Elliott, then had a number of short term jobs in Sheffield before moving to Carbolite, who had taken over the Bamford Mill site. After six years Edna moved to Cambion at Castleton. In the mid eighties she moved to Tideswell to be near her cousin Nancy, returning to Bradwell a few weeks before her death. She enjoyed socialising and holidays at home and abroad, was a dog lover and acted as a pet sitter. She leaves cousins Muriel, Steve, Neil, Merlin, Jane and Kate. The funeral followed by burial was at St. Barnabas Church on Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup>.

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## MRS BRENDA HILL

Brenda Hill died on November 29<sup>th</sup> in Calow Hospital aged 88 years. Born in Bradwell, the daughter of Nellie Rangely she went to the Council School before working at Bamford cotton Mill. In 1950 she married Lewis Hill and they lived in Bradwell before moving to Rochdale for a few years, where she worked in cotton mills. On returning to Bradwell she went back to Bamford Mill. They moved to Buxton in 1976 and after Lewis's death she moved to Castleton. She was a member of the Methodist Church and enjoyed holidays at home and abroad, but her family was her main interest. She leaves daughter Margaret, son Raymond, three grandchildren and eight grandchildren. Her husband Lewis, brothers Alwyn and Dennis, all pre-deceased her. The funeral was at Castleton Methodist Chapel, followed by cremation at Hutcliffe Wood on Dec 12<sup>th</sup>.

## THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who sent cards, flowers and gifts for my Birthday, and for making it such a special occasion. Annis

## KYLE HANCOCK MEMORIAL



Ian, Debbie, Liam and Shay Hancock would like to say a big thank you to everyone who carried out charitable events again this Christmas to raise funds for The Kyle Hancock Memorial Fund with Cardiac Risk in the Young. Samuel Cooper, Jack Tanfield and Bradley Bates again went Carol singing for Kyle and raised a magnificent £130, well done to these great young lads of our village. Also to Ken and Julie Mackenzie and Bradwell sports for arranging and organising the 5-aside tournament on the MUGA on 27th December. This is the third tournament for Kyle and teams from Bradwell, Bakewell, Baslow and Hathersage took part this year. The U16's was won by Baslow and the U14's by Bradwell. It was an enjoyable afternoon of football which also raised a further magnificent £130, and thanks to Keith and Christine Cooper for all their support in helping with the afternoons events. God Bless and thank you all. Happy New Year and all the best for 2014.

	16th Feb	23rd Feb	2nd Mar	9th Mar	16th Mar
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