

# Bradwell News

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## EVENTS

**Wed 9:** Rebellion Knoll WI: 6:30pm in the Methodist Hall. "Treasure Hunt" with Food.

**Historical Society:** There is no meeting of the society this month.

**Sat 12th: Comedy Night** at the Memorial Hall. Starts 8pm but pizzas served before from 6pm.

## METHODIST PAPER COLLECTION



Still beavering away on behalf of the Methodist chapel is the team of people who collect and bundle newspapers. This photo shows some of the team - from the left, David Peck, Stanley Bradwell, Michael Emsen and John Monahan. If you want to help the team and have any waste newspapers to donate, please contact Stanley Bradwell on 620410.

## JOSEPHINE BARNES

The celebration of my last Eucharist (probably) at St Barnabas was a remarkable and lovely surprise! Thank-you so much all of you, with dear Dot always so faithfully setting up! The first occasion was on 21<sup>st</sup> July and would have been after my Ordination in 2013.... I cannot remember if I was nervous or not! The taking of the Eucharist has always been a special significance for me and was such a joy changing from doing it whilst being a reader to the actual privilege of the full liturgy as a priest. My first Thursday Eucharist was on 10th October 2013 and it has been very special to have taken my last Eucharist during the sabbatical. I wish you all well and to grow in your spiritual well-being.

## INFANTS SCHOOL



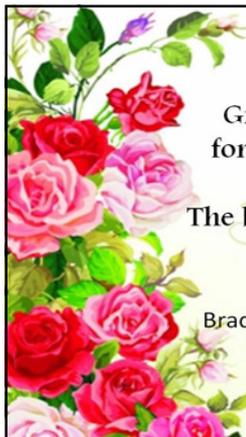
In June PCSO Anthony Boswell visited pupils at Bradwell Infants School to give a talk about staying safe on the roads and when out and about. He highlighted road safety and the importance of being seen in order to stay safe, and gave advice on safe places to cross the road. 'Stop, Look and Listen', wear high visibility clothing, do not run across the road and use bikes, scooters or skateboards safely.

## THINK BEFORE YOU PARK!!

To add a little to the above about considerate parking. One particular area of concern is in the space immediately outside the church gates, by the lane leading to the infant's school. Cars parked here regularly block the pavement completely, forcing pedestrians to walk in the road to get past. This is an **extremely** dangerous practice, as large vehicles pass through there and they might not see a pedestrian. It is illegal to park there anyway, but if you do - please don't block the footpath!

## SEND US YOUR NEWS

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## PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

**Brook Cleaning:** The weed clearing work was carried out over the weekend of 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> July by two Community Payback teams, with disposal of the rubbish and weed being organised by Bradda Dads. This work has greatly improved the Brook as a village amenity for both residents and visitors alike and will allow Bradda Dads to run the 'World Famous Duck Race' again during this year's Carnival week.

**Playing Fields and Open Spaces committee:** A number of different projects are being considered around the village. Some initial work has already been started in the Rose Garden and the work at the Peace Garden (to widen the entrance to allow wheelchair access, improve the entrance surfacing & install a new gate) has been completed. Further work is planned to improve the basketball court at Town Bottom. The zip wire mechanism at Town Bottom playing field has now been refurbished and is proving to be ever popular.

**Toilet Block at Town Bottom:** Following the meeting held with a DDDC official to explore the options for our toilet block, some initial answers to our questions have been received. However, Council still needs answers to some key questions before we can decide how to proceed.

**Car Parking committee:** The committee has met with a DCC Highways officer to review the feasibility of upgrading a number of locations around the village to provide additional parking. In some cases, the suggestions are to 'harden' selected verges by levelling them and then installing Grasscrete surfacing. The DCC response to these suggestions is now awaited.

**Youth Activities:** The programme of events organised by Councillor Sowerby and delivered by the YHA Edale Activity Centre has continued over recent months. Recent activities included 'weaselling' on local rocky edges and a canoeing outing. This programme of activities has been enthusiastically received by those taking part. Now that the agreed programme is nearing the end, the committee will meet in the near future to decide how to proceed.

**S137 Grants:** Council has topped up the fund of money available to award as grants to village groups / organisations and would now be happy to consider applications for financial assistance. If your group would like to apply for some of the council's S137 Grant money, please contact the Parish Clerk.

**Public Participation:** Residents continue to attend council meetings to raise matters of concern directly with the council. A recent request was to ask council to consider installing a skate / scooter park somewhere in the parish. This request will be put on the next agenda for consideration.

The council welcomes members of the public to attend both the main council and its 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. Contacts:

Parish Clerk (620329) or [parishclerk@bradda.org](mailto:parishclerk@bradda.org)  
Council Chair (623941) or [paul@bradda.org](mailto:paul@bradda.org)

## REBELLION KNOLL WI



This month our meeting takes place during Gala Week so we have decided to organise a Treasure Hunt along the main road starting at 6.30 in the Sports Pavilion followed by a pie supper. Last month was our summer Strawberries and Pimm's event in Jill and Brian's garden; and a very relaxed and enjoyable meeting in the evening sunshine it was too. The committee had gone to great lengths to entertain us with dainty sandwiches, strawberries in many different forms and, of course, a very refreshing glass of Pimm's. Idyllic! We did do some work as well, organising our tent for Gala Day – we hope you managed to visit us and enjoyed our delicious cakes, savouries and tea. Talking of visits, Jill and Brian (down Softwater Lane) would be delighted to see you during Bradwell's Open Gardens (as would all the Open Gardeners, of course!) event on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of Gala Week, they have put in a lot of hard work since moving here recently.

## C.R.Y.

There will be a Craft Fair on **Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> October** at Loxley Hall, Hope. The event, from 10:00am to 3:00pm will raise funds for screening days in the Hope Valley for Cardiac Risk in the Young, helping to save local lives. There will be Cakes, a Raffle and Refreshments. Admission is Free. Enquiries please to: Chris Hudson 07828 122390 or Dorothy Vernon 01433 620297. Full details in the October edition. Please plan to come along and support this very worthy cause.

## AUF WIEDERSEHEN

We arrived in Bradwell nearly 7 years ago after difficult times, and we have never felt more at home than in the Bradwell community. We received much help and friendship to rebuild our lives and always felt very welcome here. We would like to say a huge thank you to our lovely neighbours and to all the friends we have made over the years. We are off on our new adventure to Germany - Fiona to finish her schooling and me to teach English in a village primary school. We will visit Bradwell every year to catch up with friends and neighbours. All the best and lots of love from Kerstin and Fiona - Bessie Lane

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## YOUTH ACTIVITIES



Our youth activities group went canoeing on the evening of 10th July. The youth leaders spent 10 minutes explaining how to use paddles and what to do if they capsized, then they were straight into canoes and off they went. They were taught to safely stand up, which progressed to using their paddles to splash each other. Then, once a ball was added there was much laughter and competitive spirit. Despite being told not to all reach for the ball from the same side of the canoe, it was just 10 minutes before one team did and... splash they were all in the water. Races to the bank side followed with the mandatory team song on the bank side before racing back to the youth leader. Edale Youth leaders said "it has been a pleasure working with such a receptive and joyful group of young people". Well done everyone. Our next activity will be high ropes on 25th September, usual time and place. Wear comfy clothing. Lorraine

## BRADWELL PRE SCHOOL

We hope everyone had a "Happy Gala Week". We have had a fantastic academic year, starting fresh in our new setting at the Infant school in September and later in the year receiving from Breedon some amazing new outside equipment. We had generous donations from the Parish Council and the Co-Op which has enabled us to replace some of our really well loved toys. The Hill Billy had its best year to date and thanks to **everyone** who helped us create this triumph, especially Colette and Stuart who put so much of their time into it this year, Phil Granby, Bradda Dads, The Sports Pavilion, Morrisons, Edale Mountain Rescue Team, and Intrepid Brewery, "Thank you" we couldn't do this without you!

Next year we are open for 30 hours a week!

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 Wednesday: 9-12, 12-3  
 Thursday: 9-12, 12-3  
 Friday: 9-12, 12-3

We are currently taking children from 2-4. All children attending a full day will need to bring their own lunch. You must claim your 15 extra free hours by going to [childcare-support.tax.service.gov.uk](http://childcare-support.tax.service.gov.uk) by the 31<sup>st</sup> August or for more info go to [www.childcarechoices.gov.uk](http://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk). The current committee is Laura Mannion, Sally Newham, Debra Clyde, Dan & Jen Plevay Isabel Petch, Heather Davies and Claire Williams. If you wish to be involved please feel free to contact any of us or call Wendy on 07756236563 for more information.

## EYAM SURGERY

**Newholme Hospital.** The "Better Care Closer to Home" (21C #joinedupcare) consultation period has now come to an end and the results have been published. You can access information and view the feedback and stakeholder reports by visiting [www.joinedupcare.org.uk](http://www.joinedupcare.org.uk). As yet there have been no final decisions regarding the future of Newholme and the other hospitals in the consultation.

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## BRADDA DADS



We would like to say a BIG thank you to Hope Construction, the Parish Council and Tom Simpson for removing the weed from the brook so that we can have the duck race. Also a big thank you to everyone who bought duck tickets.

**'The Long and Half Tours of Bradwell' Fell Race** will be taking place on Sat 12th Aug 9am and 9.30am start. If you feel up to it please come along for the 33/16mile race that is proving to be an increasingly successful event both locally and nationally.

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## PERSONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jen Cooper would like to say an enormous thank you to all her family and friends who have been so kind while she has been a 'bit poorly'. Thanks for all the 'Meals on Wheels' which family and friends provided, all the homemade cakes etc. which just kept turning up and the washing which would one day be ready for the washer and the next day would turn up on the clothes horse all beautifully washed and ironed! I'm happy to say I'm better now but I was very tempted to milk it for a bit longer!!! Thank you everybody for your help

### CHARLES STUART ROSS

Charlie's nephew, Stuart Roberts has reminded us that it was 100 years ago, on 12th July, 1917 that Charlie, who was fighting in the Great War, was sadly killed just prior to the battle of Paschendale. He was a Bradda lad and one of many who gave their lives for their country.

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### MYRA MARRISON

Myra died, after a short illness, on June 14<sup>th</sup> 2017 in Chesterfield Royal Hospital at the age of 84. The seventh of eight children, she was born and brought up in Chapel en le Frith, and her first job after leaving school was at the shirt factory in Chapel. In 1974 she married Fred Marrison and went to live in Castleton. For many years she worked in a green-grocery shop down "The Stones" and then she became a post-lady in Hope for over 20 years. She retired to Eccles Close in Hope before moving to Bradwell 10 years ago, to live near her daughters. She leaves daughters Patricia, Lorraine, Nicolette and Debra, five grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and a brother. Her husband predeceased



her. The funeral service took place at St. Barnabas Church on July 4<sup>th</sup>, followed by cremation at Hutcliffe Wood.

### PHYLLIS MARINA ELLIOTT

Phyllis passed away peacefully at Brooklands Care Home, Bakewell, on June 9<sup>th</sup>, aged 82. Born in Church Street in a cottage opposite the church, she was the only daughter of David and Manda McLellan and sister of David. After leaving Bradwell C. of E. School, she worked at the button factory in Hathersage and later in Bradwell and Elliott's bakery shop on Netherside. Phyllis married John Barron Elliott at St. Barnabas Church in March 1958 and they lived on The Hills before moving to Hope, where they built their own bungalow. Following the birth of their only son, Jonathan, she did bar work locally and also worked at the Hollowford Centre in Castleton. She enjoyed gardening, knitting, crosswords and cooking for her family. She was a sociable lady, with a dry sense of humour but was equally happy with her own company. Phyllis leaves son Jonathan, daughter in law Carol, grandchildren Jan and James, great grandchildren Jamie, Hannah and Elizabeth and brother David, who lives in Reading. Her husband John predeceased her. The funeral took place on June 21<sup>st</sup> at St. Barnabas Church. The service was conducted by the Reverend Richard Towle.

### THANK YOU MESSAGES

Thank you very much for all your kindness and get well wishes. I have been overwhelmed. I am now well on the road to recovery and hope to be mobile soon. **Evelyn Pierce**

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Three residents who are well known contributors to village life have encountered some health issues recently. David Harrison and Dick Morley both suffered heart attacks and Malcolm Sowerby fell and broke his hip. We understand all are doing well and wish them a speedy and full recovery.

	6th August	13th August	20th August	27th August
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