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We note with sadness the passing of Betty Bradwell

EVENTS

Sat 10: Community Land Trust **COMEDY NIGHT:** 7:30pm in the Memorial Hall. Three great comedians and full bar. Tickets £12 from the PO.

Weds 14: Rebellion Knoll WI: Summer Outing.

Tues 20: Historical Society: Summer Break.

NEWBURGH SITE UPDATE

From now on we are going to be calling this the "Bradwell Springs" development.

Residents will have noticed that things seem to be delayed, and we can confirm that problems with installing the main supply cable have put back the housing build start date. The cable was actually installed during the week of 8th July, and from now until October substantial drainage works are being carried out, including the fitting of a large interceptor to control site drainage and to avoid any risk of flooding or habitat damage. At the same time the road network will be laid out, and the anticipated start date for building the first houses is now September. We will continue to keep everyone informed as the project proceeds.

WAR MEMORIAL HALL

NEXT MONTH! IT'LL BE HERE NEXT MONTH!

The **CAP** event will be here for you. Make sure you don't miss it, as there just might be something of interest for you, whatever your age. The Memorial Hall will be open on Sat 28th and Sun 29th September from 1030 to 1530 hrs each day.

THE WHITE HART

The White Hart has new tenant managers, Paul and Janette who have kept the Star Inn in Glossop - a popular real ale pub - for over 18 years. The Star Inn has been in the good beer guide for 14 consecutive years and has earned cask marque accreditation for the past 8 years, an honour they hope to bring to Bradwell. Paul and Janette are bringing their knowledge and passion for real ale to Bradwell and plan to provide good service plus great quality and a choice of cask ales and draught products. They will continue to host traditional pub games and hold a weekly fun quiz but are currently unable to offer food, although a small food offering might be available in the near future. Paul and Janette are excited at this new venture and happy to be living in such a beautiful location.

MARRIAGE: HARBY - COTTRILL



The marriage of Rebecca Harby and Mathew Cottrill took place on Friday 5th July at Chinley Independent Chapel. The reception was held at Shrigley Hall Macclesfield. Their honeymoon was in Italy and they have made their home at Shireoaks Farm Chinley. Many thanks to family and friends who made it a very special day.

BRADWELL AND EYAM SURGERY

There has been an **increased incidence of measles** in the UK in the last few months, including outbreaks in the East Midlands. Measles is **highly infectious** and can lead to severe complications, particularly in people who are immunosuppressed or in young children. It is also more severe in pregnancy and can cause problems in the unborn child. **Signs and symptoms of measles include fever, cough, rash and conjunctivitis.** If you suspect you have measles please telephone the surgery and tell the receptionist your concerns. It is important that you do not come straight to the surgery as the disease is very contagious.

MMR is the vaccine used to help immunise people against measles. Children usually receive two doses (at 12 months and 3 years 4 months of age) however, some people may have missed their childhood vaccinations. If you have not received two MMR vaccinations, please contact the surgery as **you are eligible to have them for free.** Just contact reception and one of the team will check your medical record and book you in with the nurse for the vaccination if this is appropriate.

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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Grass cutting: We have had the same problem as last year, with the grass verges being overgrown. Despite repeated requests to Derbyshire Dales District Council they didn't cut it in June. The reason given is problems with the mowing contractor pulling out of the contract, so they moved their in-house teams off verge mowing and onto visibility splay, for road safety reasons. They have promised to get it cut in July and to catch up on the backlog for the remainder of the growing season. On your behalf we will press them all we can.

Memorial for the late Stanley Bradwell RIP: Council agreed to install a drinking water fountain in Town Bottom Playing Field, to be located on the Toilet block where there is an existing water supply. This will give a drinking water to everyone who uses the playing field and to visiting groups of walkers.

S137 Grant Application: Council awarded S137 grant money for this start-up year only to the Wakes Week Group who have planned a number of activities in the village for Wakes week. There were some technical difficulties due to the group being newly formed, but these problems were resolved.

New signs for Council owned property: Council have ordered new signs for Council owned property in the village. The signs will be installed before Wakes week. There is also a plan to put some signs along the railing in Brookside asking people to park considerately and not obstruct the bus route.

Toilets: It has now been just over a year since the Parish Council took over the running of the toilets on Town Bottom Playing Fields and except for one incident of minor vandalism everything has gone very well. Council are still in discussion with Severn Trent Water (STW) regarding terms for providing unimpeded access to the site and their pumping equipment. We will keep the village informed as talks continue.

Youth Activities: The youth activities have finished for the summer and will resume again in September, with the first activity of Archery planned on 23rd September. They are open to Bradwell young people in school years 6 to 11 and are led by Edale Youth Hostel, who provide transport and all equipment. These activities are organised by, but not funded by, the Parish Council. Many thanks to Lorraine Sowerby and Cllr Martin Salvage for all their hard work in ensuring the continuing success of the group. Please look for the notices in school and in the village for how to register to join the group.

Public Participation: Residents continue to attend council meetings to raise matters of concern directly with Council. We welcome members of the public at both the 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.

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REBELLION KNOLL WI

Our monthly meeting in April was well-attended, with a talk by Jodie Vallence of 'Moors for the Future', who gave a very interesting insight into the work being done to improve and preserve the moorland for us and for future generations. May was our Annual and Resolutions Meeting when President Linda Wain was elected for another year, plus the same committee as previously. The 2019 resolutions chosen for our support were halting the decline in rural bus services and promoting the need for regular smear tests. Everyone agreed that both these issues are of great importance; the rural transport being particularly relevant for older folk here in Bradwell and the Hope Valley. The evening finished with special refreshments of various cheeses, biscuits and fruit with tea and coffee – our reward when the business of evening was completed! At our June meeting we were given a fascinating talk by Nicola Hilton who had trained at the Royal School of Needlework. She had many samples from her days in London as well as examples of her work today – an inspiration to all of us who embroider but way beyond most of our abilities. The coffee shop trail has continued with a visit to the Outside Café in Hathersage and the Station Café at Millersdale. Sadly, not much walking was achieved due to adverse weather conditions but the drinks and cakes were still consumed! A team entered the WI Group Quiz held in Baslow in April. They didn't win, but weren't last either! A long-awaited trip to see Calendar Girls in Sheffield also took place in April. A thoroughly enjoyable day with a successfully completed bus journey there and back and lunch before the brilliant show. At the beginning of June, the winter plants were removed from the village pots and replaced with summer bedding, grown as usual by Andrew Oldfield. Members are also keeping several areas of village garden tidy over the coming months. A Rebellion Knoll WI publicity booklet has been produced giving useful village information, including a map, and this is now available at the Post Office. WI cakes were baked for the Hill Billy race at the end of the month and now look forward to summer and hoping for an improvement in the weather for the events we have planned.

Anyone who wonders about becoming a member, watch out for posters giving details of meetings, then just come along as a visitor. You will be very welcome and may even decide to join!

OPEN GARDENS

The event this year is on Saturday 10th August. Gardens are open between 1000 and 1700, when you can tour private and public gardens and also enjoy a Bradwell's ice cream. Complimentary maps of two tours of the village are provided when you buy a ticket - £5 each on the day from a stall at Town Bottom or in advance from [this site](#).

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We apologise that the Second Instalment is postponed until September due to a lack of space

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August Events

7 Aug: Kid's Disco - from 6pm

8 Aug: Family Bingo and Pool Knock Out

9 Aug: Curry Night (Booking Essential!) followed by Live Rock Band, "Mahogany Newt"

30 Aug: Fish Night (Booking Essential!)

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ST BARNABAS FUN and FUNDS!

Many thanks to all who came and supported our Musical Evening in June. We all had a really enjoyable evening listening to a wide variety of music and song. Not only that, as a result of your generosity on the night, we also were able to donate £200 to Danny's Clinic in Uganda, a charity that supports a hospital in a remote and very poor area of this part of Africa. We are hoping to organise similar events in the future, so watch for further information in the coming months.

THANK YOU

I would like to say a big "Thank You" to all my old friends in Bradwell who, after reading my little book entitled "My Adventures and Misadventures" have been in touch with me by telephone or have visited me at my current Whaley Bridge address. It has been exciting to be reacquainted with so many old friends after 30 years! Together we have re-lived some happy memories from when I lived in Bradwell between 1978 and 2008. Judy (Holmes) Bates, ex Poynton House, Towngate.

PATRICK ALBERT REPTON



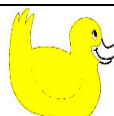
Albert passed away peacefully at home on 2nd June, 2019 aged 81. He was born on 3rd August 1937 in Hall Gate View, the youngest of Samuel and Gertrude Repton's six children. After leaving Bradwell School he began work at Earle's Cement and after National Service in the Navy he returned to Earle's as a lorry driver in the quarry. In the 70s he married Pat, who lived in Manchester and they had a very happy life together in Bradwell. In the

early 50s he played football for the Bradwell Sports Club Under 18 Team and he had a close group of good friends, which included Nicky Johnson and John Fischer. As a young man he travelled widely. He enjoyed woodwork and reading but above all he loved walking his dog, Nell. Albert leaves his wife Pat, stepsons Phillip, Andrew and Simon, five grandchildren, "granddaughter" Shannon and sister Janet. The funeral service was at Hutcliffe Wood on 19th June.

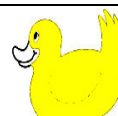
WINIFRED MAY STARLING (Nee Bossingham)

Winifred May Bossingham was born in Smalldale on 11th May 1928 to Edgar and Lillian. She was the youngest of four after Jack, Mary and Ted. Bossingham, and Frisby cousins Joyce, Peter, Norman and Kathleen shared her childhood. The 1930's depression meant there was very little money as her dad was only a labourer at Earles, and she frequently said how well her mum cared for them on his tiny wage. Win attended the church school and remembered her teacher Miss Fischer plus pupils Stella Mabbatt, Stanley Bradwell, and Mary Andrew. She passed her 11 plus, but although her education was

free, there was no money for uniform and travel. Her Dad wrote to Derbyshire County Council and was given a grant which enabled her to attend New Mills Grammar School. Win said that was one of the key turning points in her life, and vowed to repay them somehow. The family moved around houses in Bradwell but they lived the longest in the cottage at the bottom of the steps leading to Bradwell Edge. Win was a keen swimmer and had a season ticket costing 5 shillings to attend early morning sessions at the open-air pool at Hathersage. She cycled there on Sunday mornings, returning in time for church. Eighty years ago, a gated track led to the gliding club at Great Hucklow, and Win and brother Ted would go and open the gates for the rich glider pilots, in the hopes of earning a penny. Win met the famous pilot, Amy Johnson, there and had her autograph. Unfortunately, it was lost over the years. Passing her Higher School Certificate, Win went to the Training College of Domestic Economy in Manchester to train to be a Domestic Science teacher. She had 10 shillings a week to cover all her expenses. On finishing, she remembered her vow, and applied for teaching jobs in Derbyshire. She worked at Shelton Lock Secondary School near Chellaston until her marriage to Eric Starling, and Brooklands County Primary School in Long Eaton. They then moved around the Midlands with his job in the then Midland Bank. The family settled in Burton Joyce Nottingham from 1967 to give stability to the 2 children's education. Win threw herself into village life with great enthusiasm including the Methodist Church. Eric died in 1983. Win developed dementia, and eventually had to move into a Nursing Home in Burton Joyce where she died at the age of 92. Until the last 3 years, she has attended the Bradwell Wakes Weeks, sitting outside the Memorial Hall for the carnival procession with 4 generations of Bossinghams. She is survived by cousins Norman Frisby and Kathleen Walker, children Hilary, Roger and spouses, 4 grandchildren and 2 great-grandsons.



BRADDA DADS



The Dads wish everyone a very happy Wakes Week and we hope much fun will be had by all.

A reminder that the world famous **DUCK RACE**, which will still be held on the Monday of Wakes week as usual, will be different this year. We are trying a out new venture and will be racing balls (and NOT in the brook). Come along to the usual spot to see what it is we are doing instead. Race starts 7 pm. Tickets are for sale in the Bakehouse, Post Office, from any member of the Dads, outside the Co-op for three Saturdays before the race or on the night from 6.15pm

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PERSONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

LEONORA JOYCE FLETCHER 1st August, 1922 to 6th June, 2019



Joyce was born near Litchfield and grew up in Whittington with brother Leonard and sister Muriel. On leaving school at 14, she worked at a local glove factory until she was old enough to join the Wrens during World War 2. Initially, she learned silver service at the Greenwich Admiralty where she would serve the naval captains. She was then stationed at Pwllheli, North Wales, aboard a land-based ship, HMS Glendower and this is where she met shipwright, Roy Fletcher. Joyce married

Roy in his home village of Bradwell on 1st August 1942, her 20th birthday. The following day, they returned to naval duties. Over the next few years their sons, Barry and Bill were born in Bradwell. Joyce and Roy ran a café and Joyce would serve the 100+ Newburgh Engineering employees with hot drinks from urns, which she would take across on a trolley. They later ran shop-based businesses. In their 50s, they decided to sell their Bradwell property and move to N. Wales, which had always been a special place for them. Their new home was a cottage, with plenty of land near Caernarfon, where the whole family enjoyed good times together. Roy died aged 60, with Joyce continuing to live in Wales until her late 80s, when she was diagnosed with cancer. She was fiercely independent but did reluctantly move to Eyam to be closer to her family. She had many interests and talents. She was an

avid reader and tennis fan; a gifted seamstress in her youth and in later years, an enthusiastic knitter; passionate about dogs, especially German Shepherds, she provided a home for rescue dogs. She was a stylish lady, who loved to dress up. Joyce leaves sons Barry and Bill and four grandchildren. A service to celebrate her life was held at Hutcliffe Wood Crematorium on 24th June 2019.

THANK YOU

Following the passing of their mother, Leonora Joyce Fletcher aged 96, Barry and Bill Fletcher and their family wish to thank so many for their support and kindness. Staff of Northern General and Whitworth hospitals enabled Joyce to return home to Eyam to convalesce after her hip operation. She received a high level of care from Derbyshire County Council, Valley Care and Eyam Surgery staff and was often complimentary about people who visited her to provide care. As she had wanted, Joyce passed away at home in the company of her family. Special thanks go to Paul Tanfield, Carley Naden (Civil Celebrant) who led the funeral service, all the people who attended the service and/or sent kind thoughts and Lynne Smith and her team at the Shoulder of Mutton for looking after us so effectively.

BRADWELL SPRINGS ROAD NAMING

The Parish Council has been asked what the roads on the new development should be called, so we decided to ask the village for ideas. One suggestion has been to simply call it "Bradwell Head Road" as it is really just an extension of that road, but other suggestions have been varied, such as "Fox Close" or "Spring Close". If you have any thoughts about an appropriate name, please send to parishclerk@bradda.org or pop them into the PO in an envelope.

	4th August	11th August	18th August	25th August
ST BARNABAS	1000 Gala Service 1900 Blessing of Wells starts at St Barnabas	1100 Family Eucharist	0930 Eucharist	0930 Eucharist
AUGUST SERVICES	Please check the notice board in front of the church for any changes	1530 Messy Church		
Midweek Thursday 10am	8th - St Barnabas	15th at St Barnabas	22nd at St Barnabas	29th at St Barnabas

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