



Bradwell News



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COMING EVENTS

Tuesday 15th Feb. to Saturday 19th Feb., 7.30p.m.,
Bradwell Pantomime - "Little Tommy Tucker"

Saturday matinee, 2.30p.m. Tickets on sale at the Post Office

Tuesday 15th Feb - Historical Society, 8.00p.m. at Methodist Hall: The Holy Grail - Bruce Nowell

Saturday 26th Feb. - WASTE SKIP COLLECTION

Tuesday 1st March to Sunday 13th March:
FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT

Tuesday 1st March - Hope Valley Flower Club, 1.45p.m., Hope Methodist Church Hall

Inspired Moments - Nigel Arden

Friday 4th March - 2.00p.m. Methodist Church

United Women's World Day of Prayer

Wednesday 9th March: 7.30p.m. Sports Pavilion (2nd Wednesday). Rebellion Knoll W.I. - Fair Trade - Martin Hayes Allen

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 13th March: The Shoulder of Mutton

FOBS Easter Tingo Bingo

Saturday 19th March: Methodist Church Hall

Network Coffee Morning, 10.00a.m. – 11.30a.m.

AN SOS FROM

BRADWELL CHRISTIAN AID COMMITTEE

A Secretary/Organiser is needed for this group.

Please Contact Mike Emsen on 621865, or

Rev. Keith Osborn on 620470

AN APPLE A DAY.....

Children at Bradwell Infants School are starting 2005 in a healthy way. Each child now receives a free piece of fruit or vegetable each day at morning playtime thanks to a Department of Health scheme. The children seem to be enjoying their fruit and veg. They are saving all the waste to take to the compost bin at the Junior School so they are helping the environment too. Also, the children in Years 1 and 2 are going to Hope Valley College for six weeks for gym sessions. This is part of a P.E. initiative which has already seen the children benefit from PE lessons at the Infants School, arranged by College students, and from attending sports days at Hope Valley College.

If you would like any information about the Infant School please ring 01433 620409 and we will be happy to help

SEND US YOUR NEWS

Please note the views expressed in this Newsletter are not necessarily those of the editorial team.

Please continue to send by e-mail items of news for inclusion to: bradwellnews@yahoo.co.uk or call Joyce on 621865.

Deadline For Next Issue; Monday 28th February

Next Issue Out: Thursday 10th March

BIRDS

There was an interesting article in the last Bradwell news about birds. I have seen red wing and fieldfare which come each winter from the north to the Bradwell area, usually staying round the Earle's ponds. Is that where the waxwings were, I wonder?
Lilian Riddall

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PARISH COUNCIL NOTES

Lafarge / tsunami

Hope works manager, John Capewell, brought the tsunami disaster closer to home when he reported to the Hope Valley Parish Councils Association that the Lafarge cement works on the coast at Banda Aceh had been destroyed by the 60 ft wave which struck Sumatra. Numbers are not yet confirmed, but it seems that 205 of their 625 employees may have perished. Lafarge have donated £1million to the relief fund. John also reported that Hope works is currently operating at maximum capacity and every possible effort is being made to increase cement despatch by rail. The old Earle's sidings are a limiting factor as they cannot be expanded, so Lafarge are now planning extra rolling stock storage facilities within the works – at an estimated cost of about £8 million.

Donations

At our meeting on January 11th we agreed to donate the accumulated British Legion site fund, which had appreciated to about £8,000, to Bradwell Allsports. We also added another £1,000 to the £1,000, which had already been budgeted from the general fund. This means we are donating a total of £10,000, which Allsports had requested as a vital element of the £80,000 they require for their new all-weather facilities. We also responded to a request from the Memorial Hall Committee, for financial assistance towards essential repairs to the roof and windows, with a donation of £1000.

Carnival

We acknowledged the concern of the Carnival Committee, that they had insufficient working capital to book the necessary attractions, and agreed to transfer a one-off £3000 into the Committee account. We felt this was essential to secure the long-term viability of the Carnival. The committee have ambitious plans for the 2005 event and are also considering supplementary activities, which could further increase funding available for the carnival.

Precept

The above additional items were not included in the

provisional budget, so we agreed to increase the (2005-2006) precept by £5000 rather than allow the general reserve to fall below the agreed minimum level.

Neighbourhood Watch

Recent burglaries in the village have raised interest in reviving this organisation and we agreed to consider PC participation. Anyone interested in becoming involved in protecting Bradwell residents and property should contact the Parish Clerk – tel 621874, email – Richard.Jarman@office922.fsnet.co.uk

Street Decorations Committee

Councillor Alan Slater has agreed to chair this new committee, and anyone wishing to be involved in planning and organising Christmas street decoration should contact him.

WW2 Memorial

This year is the 60th anniversary of the end of World War 2, and we feel it might be appropriate to acknowledge Bradwell residents, who saw active service in the Forces (1939 – 1945), in a memorial of some kind. We are looking for ideas and would appreciate your participation. Please contact the Clerk, or any Councillor, if you would like to give help or advice.

Dogbins

In response to requests, we agreed to install new bins in Town Lane, Michlow Lane and Hungry Lane.

Flood alleviation

DEFRA have at last confirmed to us that funds are now available, for Derbyshire Dales DC, to develop a proposal for flood alleviation in Softwater Lane. We have therefore arranged a meeting with the Environment Agency and DDDC on February 8th to discuss the options

BRADWELL NEWS ADDRESS

Many apologies to readers and contributors who had problems mailing their articles this month. The correct address for contributions to Bradwell News is bradwellnews@yahoo.co.uk

BRADWELL YOUTH COUNCIL

On Sunday 23rd. January 'The Pod' came to Bradwell. Although there were only twelve children, everyone said they enjoyed it and joined in all the team building games organized by the leaders from Derbyshire County Council.

FUTURE EVENTS

February 6th - 11am to 2pm: Mobile Skate/Bike Park. Infant School Yard

March 6th - 11am to 2pm: Mobile Climbing Wall. Behind Bradwell Fire Station

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WEEKLY QUIZ FRIDAY NIGHT

See Board for Events

OBITUARY

Mr. Graham Hayward died on 28 December in the Cottage Nursing Home, Bakewell, aged 76 years. Born in Bradwell, the son of Mr. Benjamin and Mrs. Iris Hayward, the family soon moved to Pindale and Graham went to school at Hope. He married Kathleen Allsop and they lived firstly at Pindale, then Bradwell, and finally at Aston. He worked as a motor mechanic at Hadfields and Derbyshire Stone at their Pindale works. When they closed, he moved to Earles Cement Works where he was employed as a fitter until he took early retirement at the age of 57. He enjoyed gardening and wood carving, being a relation of Hunstones, the celebrated wood carvers of Tideswell. His wife and brothers, Les and Ben, pre-deceased him. He leaves a daughter, Julie, and son-in-law, Tony. Cremation took place at Hutcliffe Wood, followed by a service at Hope Church.

KITTY BOLTON

Do you remember her, - a very friendly person and until her illness always full of fun? Kitty's son David and his wife Pat live in Cape Town where George and June Dawson were on holiday in December. George and June met them and said how well David and Pat had entertained them, taking them to areas they would not otherwise have seen. David Bolton still has happy memories of Bradwell and gave George some of Isaac Hall's poems, and other pieces of Bradwell history which have been passed on to the Historical Society for their archives.

WEATHER STATISTICS FOR DECEMBER

Highest temperature:	51 F on 30th December
Lowest temperature:	22 F on 20th December
Average high temperature:	41.61 F
Average low temperature:	34.52 F
Heaviest daily rainfall:	0.75 ins. 25th December
Total rainfall for December:	3.77 ins.
Days with measurable rain:	17
Total rainfall for year:	43.29 ins.
Highest temperature in 2004:	83F on 8th August
Lowest temperature in 2004:	21F on 1st March
Heaviest daily rainfall in 2004:	2.09 ins. on 10th August
Heaviest monthly rainfall in 2004:	7.45 ins. in August

OBITUARY

Mrs. Daisy Lee of Hathersage, died in Calow Hospital on 5 January, aged 90 years. Born at Darley Dale and the only daughter of Mr. Joseph and Mrs. Annie Charlesworth, Daisy lived at Darley Dale until she married Marshall, when she came to live in Bradwell. She lived here until Marshall's death 66 years later, when she moved to Hathersage to be near her daughter. She leaves daughters Ann and Isabel, sons-in-law Ernest and Alan, 8 grand-children and 14 great-grandchildren. Cremation took place at Hutcliffe Wood followed by a Thanksgiving Service at Hathersage Methodist Church on 17 January.

CHURCH EVENTS

- Sun Feb 13th:** 10:00am Village Praise
- Mon Feb 14th:** Lent Lunches served every Mon until March 21st In Church -12noon to 1:30pm
- Tues Feb 15th:** 7:30pm Lent Discussion Group - and every Tuesday until Tues 15th March inclusive
- Wed Mar 2nd:** 2:15pm Ladies Christian Fellowship in Church - Speaker, Ann Harrison
- Thurs Mar 3rd:** 2:15pm Little Stars (for under 5s and their carers), in Church
- Sun Mar 6th:** 10:00am Village Praise - Mothering Sunday Service

Future Events

Spring Fair March 19th 10:00am - 11:30am Bradwell Memorial Hall

BRADWELL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The January meeting of B.H.S. listened to a tape recording made 30 years ago by Chris Furness, of his then 90 year old grandmother's memories. For those who knew Mrs. Eyre it was evocative to hear her voice memoirs.

She recalled a vanished world when hay was actually sold in Sheffield Haymarket and her husband's horsedrawn butchers cart travelled round the valley and up to Birchlee.

The Society is finding it increasingly difficult to obtain local items, so if you know of any please 'phone 621727 with your ideas

The Ladies of the Bradwell Network Committee are hosting a Coffee Morning on Saturday, 19th March in the Methodist Hall from 10.00 -11.30a.m. Entrance 50p, including coffee and biscuits



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REBELLION KNOLL WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

The Rebellion Knoll W.I. held their first Meeting of the year on Wednesday, 12th January. Four young men from Bentley Independent Advisers gave us financial advice on Inheritance Tax Planning, Mortgage Equity Release, and Life Cover. They created a great deal of interest and gave us a lot of food for thought. Margaret Grassby in her vote of thanks summed up their talk by saying that it had been given in an understandable language and the information made as simple as possible.

Our schedule of meetings for 2005 is set out below. New Members/Visitors will be very welcome.

Marjorie Bolton

9 February	Pottery – Geraldine Hughes
9 March	Fair Trade – Martin Hayes-Allen
13 April	Sheffield Assay Office – Ashley Carson
11 May	Resolutions Meeting; Faith Supper
8 June	Wild Flowers in the Peak District – Patrick Harding
13 July	Members evening; Making Greetings Cards
10 August	Walk and Meal
14 September	Ancient Greeks – Keith Whatlin
12 October	What's Cooking – Nancy Hawkesworth
9 November	AGM
December	Christmas Meal

LADIES CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Due to heating problems in Church, the meeting on 5th January was held at Mrs. J. Brown's home. The speaker was Mrs. Joyce Gould who, as the midwife in the area for 40 years, had many dramatic and amusing stories to tell. She explained the contents and use of her 'black bag', and how the method of recording cases and the approach to midwifery had changed over the years. Some of her patients lived in remote places and in severe winters, snow ploughs and gritters had to be called out for her. Photos of local snow depths were passed round.

Because of the popularity of the speaker, the meeting was very well attended and attracted visitors as well as members, who were called on to recount their own reminiscences. It was a very jolly, if crowded, meeting and Mrs. Gould was thanked warmly for her entertaining and instructive talk

BRADWELL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Admission for occasional visitors will now be two pounds. This includes an interesting talk, tea or coffee and biscuits plus the opportunity for a chat. Join us in the Methodist Schoolroom on the third Tuesday at 8 pm.

Membership is now ten pounds per member for the year

F.O.B.S. - BAGS TO SCHOOL IS BACK

After the success of the last Bags to School event, we are looking for your bags of old clothing, bedding, shoes and handbags in any condition. All proceeds to Bradwell Schools. Please take your Bags to the Junior School anytime before 3:30pm on Monday 28th February. Your support is much appreciated.

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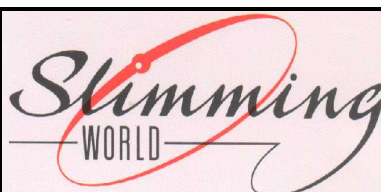
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