



# Bradwell News



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## EVENTS

- Wed 10 Sept:** Rebellion Knoll WI, Methodist Hall, 7:30pm. "Cycle Cuba" - Jane Latham
- Tue 16 Sept:** Bradwell Historical Society, Methodist Hall, 8pm. "Lace making, A Cottage Industry" - Jean East
- Fri 26 Sept:** FOBS "Tingo Bingo", Shoulder of Mutton
- Sun 28 Sept:** Harvest Thanksgiving, Methodist Church. Services 10:30am and 6pm - Rev K Osborn
- Mon 29 Sept:** Harvest Supper: Methodist Hall, 7pm. Tickets £5 from S. Bradwell
- Wed 1 Oct:** Ladies Christian Fellowship, St Barnabas Church, 2:15pm. "My Travels" - Pete Hawkins
- Wed 8 Oct:** Rebellion Knoll WI, Methodist Hall, 7:30pm. "Bobbin Lace" - Lynn Widdowson with Gay Elliott
- Sun 12 Oct:** Harvest Festival, St Barnabas Church, 11am. Harvest Lunch 12:30pm

## DUCKS and FAIRS

Thanks and congratulations to Bradda Dads for what has been widely acclaimed as the "Best Duck Race Ever" and also to FOBS for organising the splendid Street Fair. Both events were greatly enjoyed by everyone.

## THE EXHIBITION - ST. BARNABAS CHURCH

We would like to thank everyone who was involved in making the Exhibition such a success. People gave their time, their creative talents and their energy and we are most grateful. Thank you also to everyone who came and enjoyed the Exhibition. Certainly the cream teas proved very popular, the flowers were greatly admired and the children's work was much appreciated. People found the old photographs particularly fascinating and also the recently published book "After Seth". The local art and craftwork always elicits "people are so talented in Bradwell". Chatting to visitors never fails to be a pleasure. Thank-you again. Doreen Cameron-Murphy (Secretary to the PCC.)

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Please continue to send by e-mail items of news for inclusion to: [bradwellnews@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:bradwellnews@yahoo.co.uk) or call Joyce on 621865 or Paul on 623941.

**Deadline For Next Issue: Friday 19th September**

**Next Issue Out: Thursday 2nd October**

## BRADWELL CARNIVAL DAY 2008

Thank you to all who asked that the Carnival be moved back on to Beggars Plot. Although the move presents a number of logistical difficulties, the family atmosphere we witnessed on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> August, firmly vindicates the decision to return the Carnival to it's spiritual home.

Traditionally, now is the time to offer a huge thanks to all those who have either donated their time or expertise to ensure the event ran as smoothly as possible. I don't propose to name names here, suffice to say your efforts are greatly appreciated by one and all. I do have special thanks for the three individuals who stood in to judge the fancy dress, when our original judges were unable to make it. A great job with just 15 minutes notice, hence we ran a little bit late, but it wouldn't be a Carnival if everything ran on time!!! Talking of being on time, it was nice to see the Billerettes and St. John's Band lining up prior to the start of the procession. When I first joined the Committee way back in the very early 90's, I remember the streets being lined by hundreds of people, sometimes four deep on the pavements. It certainly looked as busy out there this year and once again you have helped to deliver the best Village Carnival around. All around us Carnivals are falling by the way-side, but not in Bradda. We don't open up our Village to tourism too often but when we do just look at the results. Did anyone count the number of visiting royalty? What a great turn out of floats again - a great effort from everyone involved. A number of Cups have not been returned to us from previous winners. Rest assured we are working on having these back in time for next years event.

The Elderly Gentlemen of the Jubilee Parade Band love coming to Bradwell so much that they rang me to ask if they were invited this year. They travel from Lincolnshire, testimony of just how special Bradwell is. I am sure those of you who saw them mingling with the crowd and playing a few tunes would agree they are an integral part of our Carnival activities.

I would like to quote from the annual address of the President of the Sports Club. "All the hard work and organising finally comes together this week. All that worry - yet it always turns out right on the day." All that remains for me to say is I hope Bradwell Carnival continues to go from strength to strength and I wish every success to whoever takes over the reins for next year. Alan Slater

## SATURDAY WASTE SKIP DATES

27th September and 25th October



**Bradwell Fisheries**  
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Monday: 5.00 - 9.00pm  
Tuesday: 11.30 - 1.30pm  
Weds - Thurs: 11.30 - 1.30pm  
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**PARISH COUNCIL NOTES****PC Youth Centre**

Jeanette has resigned her position as Centre Coordinator and we are consequently advertising for a replacement. If you are an experienced youth worker and interested in applying for this waged position please contact Parish Clerk Steve Lawless (620329) for further details. More volunteers are needed for the new school year, as additional children become eligible for membership from September. If you can give one evening a month to help perpetuate this important facility for village youngsters, please contact the Parish Clerk or Joyce Emsen (621865). The Centre is open on Tuesday and Thursday evenings (7pm-9.30pm), subject to sufficient volunteers being available - and Bradwell children starting at Hope Valley College this month are eligible for membership.

**Memorial Seats**

The PC has identified several sites around the village which could be suitable for memorial seats and is willing to discuss these with interested parties. Donors would be required to accept responsibility for site preparation and installation of the seats and also for future maintenance, although the costs involved could be contracted through the Council. The Parish Clerk can give further details.

**Newburgh Development Referendum?**

It was decided, at our August PC meeting, to set up a working group to consider how best to assess village opinion on this proposed development, which is expected to materialise as a planning application in October. The Parish Council is a consultee, rather than a decision maker, in the planning process. However, Peak Park have indicated that village opinion could be particularly influential in this case. At the last public meeting, organised by Newburgh Engineering, it was suggested that a village referendum should be held and Newburgh were asked, from the floor by a resident, if they would pay the cost (£700). The normal planning consultation period is just 4 weeks, but preparing and carrying out a referendum would take 6 weeks, so we need to know in advance if residents want us to initiate one. The first requirement is for at least 6 electors of the parish to request a meeting to consider holding a referendum (poll) on the proposed application. At the meeting, a minimum of 10 electors or one third of those present may demand a poll on a specific question. If such a poll is demanded then the wording of the question can be voted upon. The question must be capable of a for/against or yes/no vote and, once agreed, it cannot be changed. The meeting might also wish to give an opinion to the Council on whether the cost of the poll should be paid from parish funds or by Newburgh Engineering. The poll would be carried out on our behalf by District Council in the same way as a national or local government election, with voting slips and secret polling booths. Notable differences are that polling hours would be 4pm to 9pm, poll cards would not be issued and postal or proxy voting would not be applicable. Registered

electors wishing to request the initial meeting should contact the Parish Clerk asap. I stress that the meeting would be purely to decide whether or not a referendum or poll should take place, the question to be asked, and how the process should be funded.  
Chris Furness

**THE BRADWELL NEWS**

Many thanks to the increasing number of you who send copy for publication, to me direct at [paul@paulandliz.org](mailto:paul@paulandliz.org) or to the *Bradwell News* mailbox. Although we can't guarantee, we always try to publish local material, even if it has to be edited to fit the available space and I always acknowledge contributions. So, if you don't get an acknowledgement to your contribution, call me or mail again. These mails sometimes get filtered out or lost in the system. Ed

**BRADWELL ROVERS JFC 2007/8 SEASON**

At the recent Presentation Evening the following Awards were made. We have again had a successful year with all teams playing well. We wish to thank all the boys & girls for taking part in the season. Without your commitment we would not have teams in all ages of the league. A big thank you must go to all the managers, parents, grandparents, friends who continue to support the teams. A big thank you also to Doreen for again washing the under 12/14/16 kit. She managed to turn all the teams out looking immaculate - sometimes at very short notice.

**Player's Player**

Under 8's Jack Tanfield  
Under 10's Stuart Tilbury  
Under 12's Ashley Hawkins  
Under 14's Nathan Hobson  
Under 16's Ben Brown

**Manager's Player**

Scott Millar  
Jacob McAdie  
Aiden Jewell  
Daniel Tilbury  
Daniel Houchin

**Most Improved Player**

Under 8's Bradley Bates  
Bradbury

**Top Goal Scorer**

Toby Powell-

Under 10's Luke Taylor Mollie Archer

Under 12's James Carruthers Joe Thompson

Under 14's Robert Eyre Nathan Hobson

Under 16's Josh Underhill Adam Karlsons

Derwent Valley Under 12's Joe Thompson

Player of the Year 2007/8

Bradwell Rovers JFC Clubman James Sowerby

Of the Year, David Eyre Trophy

Under 16's -Thompson Cup Winners + Runners up of the League, 2008

Under 8's - Winners of the Bond Trophy + Runners up of the League 2008

**Leavers 2008**

A Karlsons, B Brown, D Houchin, J Sowerby, J Weston, A Harper, J Underhill & A Tilbury all move on to senior football.

Mollie Archer - Leaves after playing in the mini soccer league for the past 4 years, she moves to an all girls team in Chesterfield.

**The 2008/2009 season begins again in September. Fixtures & results can be found on the league website:**

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## BRADWELL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

All "full-time" residents of Bradwell should have had a free copy of "After Seth" delivered to their home through the Historical Society. We did not leave a book at a house if we knew that it was a holiday let or a second home. We hope that you have enjoyed reading the book. If you have spotted any errors please let us know so we can correct our archives to ensure the mistake is not perpetuated. We are giving copies of the book to our schools. We also want to produce a disc for them, showing the changes in village life and comparing past and present over the last hundred years. If you have any photographs or items we can photograph please tell us. What we need are pictures showing people at work, old machinery or household items, holiday snaps or family events which show how fashions have changed. If you can help please phone Michael (621865), Steve (620329) or Brian (623345)

## GREENAWAY WORKSHOP

Although the Greenaway Workshop in Hackney is the printer of the *Bradwell News* few in Bradwell will know of this organization that provides employment for the disabled. This is not true of Bradwell Bowlers who enter the annual Greenaway Competition to raise funds for the Workshop. This year the Competition, held on the greens of Whitworth Park and Wirksworth Memorial, attracted an entry of 96 (48 on each green) and raised over £1000 for the Greenaway Workshop. Nine bowlers from Bradwell played in the Competition at Whitworth Park. They were Derek and Barbara Biggin, Stan and Shirley Blantem, Alan and Kath Holland, Keith and Molly Brett and Brian Gillham and, playing with Alan Marsden from Whitworth Park, Alan Holland reached the final only to be beaten by a pairing from Hathersage and Baslow (in the past 5 years Alan Holland has won the Competition on 3 occasions). Apart from printing the Greenaway Workshop carries out repair and renovation on rush and cane chairs.

## BRADWELL RAINBOWS

Scarecrows 2008 - Winners  
 1<sup>st</sup> - Buster Duck - The Ojari Family  
 2<sup>nd</sup> - Beijing Olympics 'In her Dreams' - Melissa, Judy, Jodie & Claire  
 3<sup>rd</sup> - Mowing the Lawn - Evie Sampson  
 Thank you to everyone who again took part in our Scarecrow competition we thank you for your continued support.  
 A big thank you to the Eden Tree Caravaners for their generous donation of £110 which they made on Carnival day by running a stall. Bradwell Rainbows are looking forward to another exciting year, starting in September with a district 21<sup>st</sup> Birthday Party on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2008, at Bradwell Sports Pavilion. For further information contact Debbie on 621731 or Helen on 621388

## SEE US ON THE WEB

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## BRADWELL ALLSPORTS ASSOCIATION

### Junior Fell Race 2008 - results

B Fischer Memorial Trophy. Overall winner	<b>Robert Thompson</b>	Time 20:58	
Albert Edge Memorial Trophy - 1 <sup>st</sup> local boy			Age 14
Albert Edge Memorial Trophy - 1 <sup>st</sup> BRJFC			
Keith Repton Cup	<b>Robert Eyre</b>	Time 21:16	Age 14
3 <sup>rd</sup> Boy	<b>Joe Thompson</b>	Time 23:00	Age 12
Michael Baily 1 <sup>st</sup> from school yr 5 or under	<b>Isaac Dawson</b>	Time 24:12	Age 10
Lyn Middleton Cup	<b>Rebecca Quaife</b>	Time 30:44	Age 9
1 <sup>st</sup> local girl			
2 <sup>nd</sup> Girl	<b>Phoebe Pembleton</b>	Time 30:52	Age 9
3 <sup>rd</sup> Girl	<b>Sammy Harper</b>	Time 30:56	Age 14
John Archer Trophy	<b>Jack Tanfield</b>	Time 25:04	Age 8
<b>Mini Race Winners 2008</b>			
Eden Tree Caravan Trophy 1 <sup>st</sup> Boy	<b>Joel Roberts</b>	Time 7:17	Age 7
2 <sup>nd</sup> Boy	<b>Cameron Green</b>	Time 7:18	Age 7
3 <sup>rd</sup> Boy	<b>Sam Quaife</b>	Time 8:38	Age 7
1 <sup>st</sup> Girl	<b>Ella Thompson</b>	Time 8:03	Age 7
2 <sup>nd</sup> Girl	<b>Abigail Kirwin</b>	Time 8:21	Age 7
3 <sup>rd</sup> Girl	<b>Victoria Allen</b>	Time 9:22	Age 7

## GALA DAY BOWLS

Although numbers were down on last year we had a fantastic sunny afternoon of bowls. There were 30 teams consisting of a bowler and a non-bowler, in a straight knockout competition. The winners were: Dennis Booth + Angela Allen and runners up Derek Biggin + John Biggin. Special trophies were awarded to the best under 16 year old and the eventual winner was Jack Tanfield - runner up Shea Hancock. A special thanks to the owners of the Bowling Green Inn for sponsoring the competition and for providing the trophies. See you next year!



## AFTER SETH

Our congratulations to those responsible for this wonderful book! Everyone involved must be rightly proud of "After Seth", it is a superb achievement and such a "great read" too. It is impossible to imagine how much research and work has been involved in compiling the book, but the end result definitely and undoubtedly justifies it all. Surely Seth himself would have been proud of this sequel to his historical masterpiece? Our thanks also for ensuring that every household in Bradwell has received a copy, a generous gesture. Thank you everyone. Roy and Wendy Weston



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## MEMORIAL HALL

The Memorial Hall now has its own Bentley (no, not a car) but the make of Piano provided for use of anyone hiring the Hall. At their AGM earlier in the year the Centenary Players agreed to try and provide the Hall with a more modern piano. The Players have received magnificent support in the forms of donations from Bradda Dads and Bradwell Parish Council (£350 each) and wish to place on record their sincere gratitude for the financial help from both of these organisations. Then, on Gala Saturday some very enthusiastic Players dressed as Nancys - yes, (they really will do anything!), helped the Well Dressing Committee to collect during the Parade and have been rewarded by the Committee donating £415.00 towards the Piano. So our thanks also go to this worthwhile Committee. We have received tremendous help and support from Mr Mellors of Darkbrook Pianos over the years in hiring out a piano to The Players. He has been generous in providing a piano at a very reasonable price for the Hall so very many thanks are expressed to him and Trudy. It has been a truly wonderful experience to receive such marvellous help from all the above mentioned and we are sure that any pianist who has the opportunity to play the piano will appreciate what a lovely instrument is available. We hope it will be around for many years to come.

## WELL DRESSING 2008 - THANK YOU

The Well Dressing committee would like to thank all the petallers involved in the making of this years four splendid well dressings, and a special thank you to the teams of men who are involved in the extremely important work of:

- Knocking the old clay out of the frames
- Maintenance/repair work on the frames
- Puddling the clay and refilling the frames
- Transporting the frames to the petalling stations and then to the well sites
- Erecting the well dressings
- Dismantling the well dressings and transporting them back to storage

If you would like to help in this work please contact either Sheena (623483) or Peter (621459).

Thanks to the Sports Pavilion committee, Dick Morley, Jackie and John Evans and Bill and Doreen Andrew for providing

the buildings for the petalling, and also to the Bowling Green pub for tidying the Smalldale well site and providing electricity for the floodlight. This year a new frame was made for the Church Street well with the help of a grant from the Parish Council. Thanks to the PC for their support. New clay was also purchased this year for all four wells and hopefully will be in use for years to come as it is an expensive item to purchase. All the hard work and people's time which goes into the well dressings is rewarded when the wells are enjoyed by the village and the visiting public, and a big thank you to everyone who made donations to the wells, and to the Carnival Procession collectors. A grand total of £945.86 was collected. Thanks to everyone who collected, and a special thanks to Glyn Harhat who collected the magnificent sum of £110, and to the Bradwell Fire Service who collected £86.62.

The monies collected not only fund the work on the well dressings, they are also used to provide our senior citizens with Christmas vouchers, and this year we will be supporting the Centenary Players' initiative to purchase a new community piano for the village (see this page). Thanks to those involved in the Sunday evening Blessing of the Wells, Ian, Keith, Dot, the Castleton Band, the police and everyone who supported the ceremony. Peter Kobayashi.

## BRADWELL CYCLING CLUB

As a result of their very successful sponsored ride of the Isle of Man TT course in June this year, the club has presented a cheque for £2,000 to the Northern General Hospital Cystic Fibrosis Unit. The donation will be used towards a custom built unit to cover Sheffield and the Hope Valley. £100 was also donated to Hope Valley First Response team to cover the ongoing cost of the defibrillator donated by the club in 2007. Riders who took part were Alan Smith, Sean Smith, Phil Smith, Jeff Thompson, Glyn Bates, Craig Ollershaw, Neil Riley, Glyn Waller, Kevin Walker and Chris Bettney. The support vehicle was provided by John and Steve Lawson of "Mr



Carpet" assisted by Matthew Bates and Chris Spencer. Sadly, since the ride took place we have lost one of our members, as Glyn Bates passed away on 8th August. Our thoughts are with his family.

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