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Last month I went to a wedding, apart from it being Lent, nothing unusual in that you might say. Ah! but this was a Chinese wedding! Well the wedding itself was held in Marylebone Register Office, but apart from three of us all the guests were Chinese. My husband in his capacity as a University Supervisor was in "loco parentis" for an ex student whose parents were unable to make the journey to England, witnessing the union as well as looking after the rings. I am glad to say he did the job as well as any best man I have worked with! After extensive photographs during the ceremony and afterwards on the town hall steps, we walked the short distance to a Chinese restaurant. It was an amazing establishment, a restaurant where the Chinese dine in style! The reception had a very different feel from an English one. The bride and groom were not the centre of attention, they spent time between the courses moving round the tables toasting their guests and thanking them for coming. To my surprise we were placed on the table with the bride, groom and family members and were treated like family. When the various courses arrived, they were placed on a central rotating tray and everyone helped neighbours to food. We started with the traditional suckling pig, rather like a Greek feast, followed by lobster in its shell. I must say it was a great challenge to eat the lobster with chop

sticks! It was a tossup as to whether the lobster ended up out of the shell on the chopsticks or across the table on someone else's plate. You could feel the resistance, fingers ended up as the weapon of choice in the end. Dish followed traditional dish, especially those from the area of China from which the bride originated. It was wonderful to be able to experience such hospitality.

Two things struck me about the occasion. There was food and wine sufficient for everyone, but not to excess. In these financially challenging times when weddings cost many thousands of pounds often at great cost to family members, it had a good feel about it. However, the really memorable aspect was the hospitality and friendliness of everyone. I had not met any of the family and guests before, but by the end of the afternoon felt that I had made some new friends. It was a privilege to have been invited.

It was also a reminder of the hospitality that Jesus offers to us all. The invitation to share in his kingdom, of which the meal that we do in remembrance of him is the visible sign. Jesus invited everyone to join with him no matter who or what they were. The only condition was to accept the invitation. May we feel that we can offer such hospitality to each other.

Pauline

PAULINE OFF DUTY

Pauline will be off duty from Monday 22nd April until the evening of Tuesday 30th April.

Emergency cover is being provided by Canon Clare Sanders 01473 735183.

Please note that there will not be an 8.00 am service of Holy Communion in our parishes on Sunday 28th April but you will be made very welcome at the 8.00 am service in Grundisburgh Church.

BENEFICE

ANNUAL CHURCH MEETINGS

April is the time for our parish churches to hold their annual church meeting. At this meeting villagers are able to elect their churchwardens for the forthcoming year, receive the accounts for 2012, and hear about church activities. and find out about the current state of the building. Those on the Electoral Roll can also vote for members to sit on the Parochial Church Council. You are all warmly invited to attend.

Little Bealings

Tuesday 9th 7.30 pm Little Bealings Church

Great Bealings

Wednesday 10th 7.30 pm Bealings Village Hall Committee Room

Playford

Thursday 11th, 7.30 pm Playford Parish Hall Committee room

Culpho

Sunday 21st 4.00 pm Culpho Church

CULPHO CHARITY BRIDGE AND AFTERNOON TEA

to be held at

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on

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Email: steadfast.culpho@gmail.com

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TOWN CONCERT

Violin Recital

Yu Zhou Zhang

Museum Street Methodist Church,
Ipswich

Thursday 11 April 2013,

1.00pm –to 1.50pm

Yu Zhou Zhang is studying violin and piano at the Junior Guildhall School of Music and Drama. He has been a key violinist in the Suffolk Youth Orchestra and has performed in many concerts, including at Snape Maltings Concert Hall and on the orchestra's tours in the Netherlands, Spain and Italy. Yu Zhou has won prizes at the Jacques Samuel Piano Junior Festival and Suffolk Festival of Performing Arts. He was invited by BBC Radio Suffolk to perform solo piano in the BBC Suffolk Children in Need Carol Concert, broadcast on Christmas Day 2011. Today Yu Zhou plays his favourite violin and piano pieces, including works by Bach, Beethoven, Chopin and Liszt.

Tea and biscuits are available – the kettle will be on the hob at 12.30pm.

Although admission is free, a retiring collection of £2.00 will be appreciated. This is to defray expenses incurred in hosting the series.

More details can be obtained from

secretary@ipswich-arts.org.uk

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MIDSUMMER MUSIC IN GRUNDISBURGH

– 22 JUNE 2013

This event will be held in the grounds of Grundisburgh House, featuring local bands and soloists. In addition there will be Open Mic slots of 5 minutes between the main acts for younger performers.

If you are interested in taking part please contact: grundisburghmidsummertime@musician.org

Jenny Coates

FROM THE REGISTERS

BURIAL OF ASHES

3rd March	John Austin	Great Bealings
12th March	Marguerite Boughton	Little Bealings

GREAT BEALINGS CHURCH

SONGS OF PRAISE TO CELEBRATE WORK OF NADFAS AND THE ARTS

The service on Sunday 14th April at 10.00 am in Great Bealings church will be a celebration of all the hard work that has been put into recording all the treasures to be found in the church, both moveable and immovable. The work is documented in a book which will be handed over to the church at the service; a second copy is lodged in the V & A museum. We will also be giving thanks for, and celebrating artistic skills that can be found in our villages. Alongside the display of church treasures around the church will be a display of - art work, ecclesiastical treasures and music. Please do come and join us and hear and celebrate in words and music the work of NADFAS on this special day.

APRIL READINGS AND LITURGICAL COLOURS

<p>7th April <i>1st Lesson</i> 10.00 am only <i>2nd Lesson</i> 8.00 am / 10.00 am <i>Gospel</i> 8.00 am / 10.00 am</p>	<p>2nd Sunday of Easter Acts 5.27-32 Revelation 1.4-8 John 20.19-end</p> <p style="text-align: right;">White RCL pg. 859</p>
<p>14th April <i>1st lesson</i> 8.00 am <i>Gospel</i> 8.00 am <i>Psalm</i> 10.00 am</p>	<p>3rd Sunday of Easter Acts 9.1 - 20 John 21.1-19 100</p> <p style="text-align: right;">White RCL pg. 865</p>
<p>21st April <i>1st Lesson</i> 8.00 am / 10.00 am / 3.00 pm <i>2nd lesson</i> 10.00 am <i>Gospel</i> 8.00 am / 10.00 am / 3.00 pm <i>Psalm</i> 3.00 pm only</p>	<p>4th Sunday of Easter Acts 9.36-end Revelation 7.9-end John 10.22-30 23</p> <p style="text-align: right;">White RCL pg. 869</p>
<p>28th April <i>1st Lesson</i> 10.00 am <i>Gospel</i> 10.00 am</p>	<p>5th Sunday of Easter Psalm 148 John 13.31-35</p> <p style="text-align: right;">White</p>
<p>5th May <i>1st Lesson</i> 8.00 am / 10.00 am <i>2nd Lesson</i> 10.00 am <i>Gospel</i> 8.00 am / 10.00 am</p>	<p>6th Sunday of Easter Acts 16.9-15 Revelation 21.10, 22-22.5 John 5.1-9</p> <p style="text-align: right;">White RCL pg. 876</p>

HOME-START SUFFOLK COASTAL

Could you be a Home-Start Volunteer?

Home-Start Suffolk Coastal is a charity which has provided support to families locally for over 11 years. We support families who have at least one child under 5 and for whom life is an uphill struggle. Over the past year we have supported over 80 families for many different reasons including families where there is illness or disability, families experiencing mental health issues or feeling isolated and families who have twins or triplets.

Support is provided by volunteers who are parents themselves or have parenting experience. Before visiting a family volunteers attend a preparation course to look at their own experiences and cover subjects such as child protection and local facilities for young families. They are then matched one to one with a family to offer whatever help is needed, a confidential listening ear, an extra pair of hands and eyes, time to spend with the children or support through a difficult time.

Once matched with a family volunteers receive on-going support, training and expenses.

The course is OCN level 1 or 2 accredited. There are 2 preparation courses starting in the near future, 1 over 1 week and another 1 day a week for 9 weeks. If you would like to find out more please ring Louise or Sarah at Home-Start Suffolk Coastal on 01394 389402

SUFFOLK ACCIDENT RESCUE SERVICE

Suffolk Accident Rescue Service (SARS) is about to complete its fortieth year of providing pre-hospital care for people in need around Suffolk and its borders. Sadly, for a charity doing such important work, we have tended to get lost in the mix of the many worthy charities competing for attention in our local communities. We often get asked, are we the air ambulance? Or part of the statutory ambulance service? We are neither of these, although we do work alongside the statutory emergency services at the scenes of serious medical incidents around Suffolk.

So who are we? Well we are a group of volunteer doctors and critical care paramedics located around Suffolk (we currently have members based in nearby Rushmere St Andrew, Ipswich and Rendlesham.) We are called out to the scenes of serious incidents such as road traffic collisions (RTCs) or when our Ambulance service requires enhanced medical support to help treat patients in urgent need of medical attention. Our members carry drugs and equipment which are not available on front-line ambulances, and the advanced medical skills they can provide can mean life-saving interventions, particularly when a patient is trapped and rapid transfer to hospital is not possible.

All this is done voluntarily and without any charge to the patient, the ambulance service or the taxpayer.

This year we are likely to attend between 250-300 serious incidents around Suffolk and its borders.

Our charity has a 'Good Samaritan' ethos and our members are all busy professionals with other important commitments. Nevertheless, they are prepared to give up their spare time to help people knowing that their skills and equipment really can save lives or reduce the chance of permanent disability.

In the middle of the night or during poor weather when the air ambulances are grounded, we are the only enhanced emergency medical resource available to the Ambulance Service in Suffolk.

But we need help too!

We rely on voluntary donations and the support of local businesses and funders to maintain our activities. Unfortunately, we have run at a deficit for four out of the last five years and our reserves are dwindling. We need to raise £50,000 in 2013-14 to be sustainable and continue to provide a vital service for the people of Suffolk.

And you can help us!

You can make a donation to SARS by posting it to Suffolk Accident Rescue Service, Turret House, 2 Turret Lane, Ipswich IP4 1DL - or you can donate online at www.sars999.org.uk

Or you can run a fundraising event for us: jumble sales, coffee mornings, pub quizzes, sky-dives - they all help. Please contact us at fundraise4sars@gmail.com or on 01473 218771 with your ideas.

Tell people about us – You may not be able to support us, but other people you know might. Recommend us for a supermarket token scheme; get your business to adopt us a charity for a year, etc....

Thank you for reading this. We really do need your help. We just hope that you never need ours!

KEY ITEMS - WOODBRIDGE DEANERY SYNOD

- THURSDAY 14 MARCH 2013

•Guest Speaker: George Woodward, Chair of the DBF, led a graphically illustrated tour through the way funds were acquired and spent within the Diocese, in a way that he hoped had something for everyone to understand. The statistics for Suffolk were edifying!

- Carlford Group was legally licensed at a service in Grundisburgh on 10th March.
- Diocesan Synod Observers – talk to a representative if you are interested.
- Look out for Deanery Discovery Days, Youth Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, Imagine Church, Cathedral Tours

Notable Dates 2013

LAWD: Clare Sanders advised that this year courses would be held in the summer on the theme of Elder training for the whole Deanery.

Dates: 8th 22nd and 29th May and 5th 12th (and one other date to be advised) in June.

Reminder - 2013 sees the complete renewal of the Church Electoral Roll.

14th May 2013: Archdeacon's Visitation in St Peter and St Paul, Aldeburgh

Synod Meetings:

Wednesday 19 June 2013 St Mary's Church Hall, Ufford

Topic: Human Sexuality Guest Speaker: Dr John Hare

Wednesday 13 November 2013 Sutton Memorial Hall

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The festival kicks off with the 'Launch Jaunt' at Ickworth House near Bury St Edmunds on 11th May and runs for three weeks until 2nd June.

In the middle of the festival (18 - 22 May) is the Discover Suffolk Challenge Walk, which follows the coast path from Landguard Fort, up to Lowestoft and covers 66 miles in five days. We don't want anyone to feel obliged to do all five days, but there will be prizes and lots of praise for those hardy folk who do!

There is also a charity walk in aid of St Nicholas Hospice Care, which is 14 miles around the lovely landscape of the Lark Valley. Not all of the walks are this long - there is a good range for all abilities and some suitable for children too.

We hope you will join us on some of these walks. For the full programme, please visit the Suffolk Walking Festival website www.discoversuffolk.org.uk or any tourist information centre in the county where you can pick up a brochure and book tickets.

This festival is sponsored by Discover Suffolk and supported by all the local authorities in Suffolk

MS SOCIETY QUIZ NIGHT

The MS Society South Suffolk Branch is holding a Quiz Night to raise funds for their work with people affected by Multiple Sclerosis in the South Suffolk Area. The Quiz Night will be held on Friday 12th April at the Holiday Inn-Ipswich, London Road, Ipswich, IP2 0UA.

£20 per team of 4, with Cash Prizes of 50% of total entry fees. Team Registration from 7:00pm, Quiz Commences 7:30pm For more details and to pre-register contact Tony Willmott, Publicity Volunteer of MS Society South Suffolk

Branch at ms.southsuffolk@gmail.com or 08455 339417

The MS Society is celebrating its 60th year in 2013, with the South Suffolk Branch organising a number of events to celebrate this anniversary and raise funds to provide services. The MS Society provides support, advice and assistance for people affected in any way by Multiple Sclerosis, whether they are a person with MS, a carer or family member.

Tony Willmott

BEALINGS

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For more information contact:

Jenny Shaw, Chairman of Trustees, Bealings Village Hall

Bealings Village Hall & Playing field - Dates for your diary

Open Annual Meeting at Hall - 7.00 pm on Monday 20th May 2013.

Refreshments available. All residents/hirers are welcome.

Celebrate 5 Years of John Belstead Playing field – Saturday 13th July

More information to follow in May edition.

*Jenny Shaw
Chairman of Trustees, Bealings Village Hall
07849 181014*

BEALINGS WI

Vice President Fran Hopkins welcomed members and the guest speaker Mrs Angela Pratt, a JP, to Bealings WI's February meeting.

Mrs Pratt outlined the highs and lows of her career and in small groups members discussed a hypothetical case to decide on "sentencing." It was an informal and most enlightening talk.

Several members attended the WI Annual Meeting at Trinity Park. 14 knitted

blankets, children's clothing and toiletries were delivered by Bealings members and very gratefully received by Phil Edmunds of British Humanitarian Aid who went on to talk of the need for help in the Ukraine where the blankets will be sent.

Bealings WI will continue to knit or crochet 6 inch squares and help with wool or making squares would be most welcome.

Jennifer Cook

GREAT BEALINGS

LET THERE BE LIGHT

And there was light, but that was last month when they shone for Sarah Crimp, married daughter of Paddy Haywood-Smith – delay due to igniter's lapse of memory!

Come help me out by offering other occasions which deserve special illumination.

Ring 01473 735153 or email roger.roseboom1@btinternet.com

Thank you

ST MARYS

Winter seems to have returned with a vengeance. Indeed, the plants being carefully prepared for our Plant Sale on April 20th are languishing under a covering of mid-March snow. At least the cold weather has meant that the snowdrops have continued to flower for much longer than usual and remain a glorious sight to behold. Hope of spring springs eternal!

LOOKING BACK

SERVICES – MEMORIAL - RACHEL SHEPPARD

We offer our sincere condolences to the family of Rachel Sheppard whose funeral took place in the church on February 22nd. She and her late husband, Keith, had lived in the village for some

45 years at The Homestead, just off Boot Street, where Keith ran his own building business and had a smallholding. Rachel had passed away in an Ipswich Nursing Home on February 3rd.

PCC MEETING MARCH 6TH

Major points emerging from the meeting.

Annual Report: The draft of the Annual Report was considered and the final version will be presented at our Annual Open Meeting on **Wednesday April 10th**. The meeting will be held in the Committee Room of the Village Hall, and will begin at 7-30.

Financial results: Our Treasurer, Adrian Melrose reported that there had been a more positive outcome to the financial year, and that we were now able to budget for a significant figure to be put aside to deal with maintenance and repairs. The September 2012 Farm Fair had played a vital role in turning things round.

An insurance assessor had visited the church, and had advised us that we are under-insured. As a consequence we shall have to pay a significantly higher premium. The insurable value was assessed at some £3 million – that gives you some idea of the weight of our responsibilities.

Building works: Charles Barrington reported that a site inspection had been arranged, bringing in Chris Chestnutt, and that this meeting would seek to prioritise maintenance work. Our architect would be involved in drawing up plans for a programme of works.

Car Parking: Appreciation was expressed to both John and Ann Nesling, and to Andy and Eunice Mayhew for their vital help in allowing us car parking space.

2012 Church Attendance: the average size of congregations had remained more or less stable. There had been five weddings and a number of funerals all of which had seen a full church. The church had similarly been full for our Special Jubilee Service in June.

LOOKING AHEAD

REMINDER: THE HANDING OVER OF THE CHURCH RECORDERS' BOOK

This special service of Songs of Praise and readings is planned for Sunday

April 14th at 10-00. The book is the fruit of over two years work, and members of the NADFAS recording group will be taking part in the service, with the readings, and also taking up the "sermon slot" with an explanation of their work, which provides a full and detailed record of all the treasures of the church.

We repeat our invitation to anyone with an interest in fine art and church treasures, and in our own church, in particular, to come and join us for this very special occasion.

FROM OUR ELECTORAL ROLL OFFICER – JONATHAN KEER

Last call for applications to be on the new Electoral Roll, and for the return of forms from those currently on it. If you have any queries please contact Jonathan Keer, our Electoral Roll Officer at Light Hill, Lodge Road, Great Bealings IP13 6WW . His telephone number is 01473 735220.

Churchwarden

GREAT BEALINGS NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Great Bealings Parish Council has been given the green light by SCDC to commence the preparation of a Neighbourhood Plan for the village. SCDC are required to give 8 weeks public notice to allow for any comments or objections to this process but this should not stop us from commencing the work required.

I hope you will have read the note we included in the Benefice Magazine late last year telling you that the Great Bealings Parish Council want to produce a Neighbourhood Plan for the village.

As a first step in a consultation process that is designed to ensure that the Plan reflects what you, the residents of Great Bealings, are concerned about and want to see represented in the Plan, we are planning to have a meeting at the Angela Cobbold Hall in the next couple of months when we would like to have your views. We will let you know the date as soon as the Working Group has met and agreed the timetable. We do hope you will come along and share your thoughts with us in what will be a relaxed and informal session even though it has a serious purpose. Refreshments will be on offer.

PLANT SALE Saturday 20th April 10-00 – 12-00

GENERAL APPEAL: With just three weeks to go, we now need all our helpers and supporters to focus on this event. Do make sure that the date is firmly in your diary and that plants and produce are ready and waiting.

This event attracts people from far outside our villages, so we are very much on show. For some 20 years the income from this event has been vital to the financial well-being of our two churches. To maintain our hard-earned reputation we need to keep up the standards of previous years and send our customers home happy. This is a collective enterprise, with collective benefits.

PLANTS: We do urge you all look around your garden to see whether you can produce plants that we can sell: self-sown plants, seedlings, split clumps, cuttings, shrubs etc. It has been a particularly long winter, and this has an impact on plants. As ever, we lose suppliers owing to force of circumstance, so it is vital that we identify fresh sources of plants. We will collect, if necessary – contact Norman Porter, otherwise deliveries of good, healthy plants will be gratefully received on **Friday 15th April at the Village hall between 2-00 and 6-00**. We do still have spare pots, by way of an incentive for you to do this. The pots can be delivered to your home. Do please label all plants if you possibly can.

RAFFLE: This is being run by Vicky Carr. Further offers of prizes will be gratefully received by her (620213)

CARDBOARD BOXES: Do please collect these, as available, from stores, and deliver them to the Village Hall on the Friday –they are invaluable for people taking away large numbers of plants.

PRODUCE: Please let us have any produce (cakes, rhubarb, jams, chutneys etc) for our cake/produce stall. This is usually the first stall to be sold out, so the more produce the better. Contact Margaret Martin (735478) or Gina Mutimer (01394 382978) or bring produce on the Friday or before the start of the Sale on the Saturday.

BREAD STALL: We know that a number of our supporters enjoy baking home-made bread. This is their opportunity to put their wares on display, and to sell them. So that everyone has a chance to see the bread, we suggest that none of it is sold before 11-00 pm. Also –to encourage participation: the committee will award a prize to the most handsome loaf – appearance only, as tasting will be difficult! Please label appropriately. Mirjam Southwell will be in charge of this table.

GARDEN PARAPHERNALIA: Last year we managed to recycle or re-consign to happy homes a considerable number of gardening implements and accessories. We shall again be pleased to receive any such items for resale.

CAR PARKING: Our usual car parking team will be on duty, maximizing the space, and doing their best to ensure that most people can park close to the Hall. There will be spaces on and just off the drive leading to the Manor House, and a good number at the Village Hall, with priority being given to anyone with mobility problems. If you are collecting or delivering plants, please drive in and out around the turning circle. Peter Prentice (079095 95221) will be helpfully but vigorously in charge of operations. With the Pub now shut, we are having to find somewhere else for Helpers to park, and urge them to take advantage of the kind offer of the Ruffords at the Manor House to park there.

LUNCH: We can no longer enjoy a relaxing lunch at the Pub, but have decided that a picnic lunch, provided behind the village hall, can not only serve the same purpose, but also be less disruptive to our clearing away efforts. Baguettes, cheese and ham, pork pies etc will be available, together with a glass of wine or a can of ale. Do come and join us after the sale. Helpers and buyers equally welcome. For £5 a head we'll bring in supplies, but do please let Norman Porter know if you would like to join us, so we have a rough idea of numbers. All help with the final clearing away at 12-00 and immediately after the picnic lunch will be greatly welcomed.

YOUR SUPPORT: Do come and support us on the day. The playground facilities will be open for children to enjoy while you browse through what is on offer and/or enjoy refreshments and catch up with your friends – all for the price of a programme @ just £1, which includes refreshments.

Norman Porter 01473 735565 – nhp@rillcott.co.uk and Paddy Bills 01473 610219)

PLANTS FOR SALE

**BEALINGS
ANNUAL PLANT
SALE
and
COFFEE MORNING**

BEALINGS VILLAGE HALL

SATURDAY 20th APRIL

10.00 am - 12.00 NOON

Plants Cakes

Produce Raffle

Parking

Children's playground at Village
Hall, so bring the family

Entry £1 Children free
Includes coffee & biscuits or
squash

See you there!

*In aid of St Mary's and All Saints
Great and Little Bealings churches*

PLANTS FOR SALE

FRIENDS OF GREAT BEALINGS CHURCH AGM on Wednesday March 13th

There was a good turnout at the Angela Cobbold Hall. Chair of the Friends, Sue Prentice, presented her report, and our Treasurer, Adrian Melrose presented the accounts. Both these reports will be posted on the website. The Friends have contributed significantly to Church Funds, but clearly it was the Farm Fair which made the greatest impact on the financial outcome for the year

The committee for the year to come was elected – the current committee en bloc, plus Sally Johnson. After the official business, and a refreshments break, a wide-ranging discussion considered the programme of events for the coming year. Possibilities include: cricket match, a Guy Fawkes Bonfire night, concerts, another Church Open Day, A Flower Festival, Village Open Gardens, a talk by Roy Tricker, an acknowledged expert on Suffolk Churches, a Garden Party, and, of course, our next Farm Fair, already scheduled for Saturday September 21st. These will be spread over a period of time, in a way designed to give a sense of novelty and to avoid overcrowding in the schedule.

Once again Norman Porter will produce a diary of events for the year. This will be distributed with the Benefice Magazine when complete.

It was agreed that we should try to improve communications with our members. To this end we will try to identify someone to take on this responsibility, and to ensure that the website becomes more inter-active as well as ensuring that we use emails on our data base to keep members fully up to date with developments.

NADFAS Recorders Book – Special Service of Song of Praise and Readings

May we remind members of the special

church service on April 14th when the book created by the NADFAS recorders will be handed over. See Churchwardens notes.

Sue Prentice

GREAT BEALINGS ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Angela Cobbold Hall

Tuesday, 7th May 2013, 7.00pm

All residents are welcome to attend and hear of the Council's work over the last year and discuss any issues. All community groups are also invited to come and give a report on their activities.

Please contact the Clerk before the meeting if you would like to give a report.

The Annual Parish Council meeting will follow immediately after this and a summary of how the Neighbourhood Plan is progressing will be given.

Refreshments will be served.

For further information
please contact

Sarah Cartwright, Clerk

Tel: 01473 621050

greatbealingspc@hotmail.co.uk

PARISH COUNCIL

These are condensed notes of the proceedings of the Great Bealings Parish Council meeting held on **26th February 2013**. A full version of the minutes appears on the website:

www.greatbealings.co.uk

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

C13/0095. Garrods Hill, Lodge Road, Great Bealings, Woodbridge, IP13 6NW.

Erection of single-storey flat roof exten-

sion, car port and shed glazed in-fill lobby, alterations throughout and associated external works (Revised scheme to C12/0874)

It was resolved to support the application.

EAST ANGLIA ONE WINDFARM

It was resolved to respond to the Planning Inspectorate stating that we are unable to support the cable route. For a copy of the 500 word response to the consultation please go to

www.greatbealings.co.uk/parishcouncil

These are condensed notes of the proceedings of the Great Bealings Parish Council meeting held on **12th March 2013**. A full version of the minutes appears on the website:

www.greatbealings.co.uk

REPORT BY DISTRICT COUNCILLOR TONY FRYATT

The District Council have put in a submission regarding EAOW. Regarding the Sizewell consultation they have said that the B1078/79 cannot be used for traffic. Ward members will be reduced from 55 to 44. The District Council's proportion of Council Tax is not being put up. The District Council is still heavily involved in the Core Strategy modifications.

REPORT BY COUNTY COUNCILLOR PETER BELLFIELD

Peter Bellfield reported that he had expressed his concern regarding the EAOW's cable route usage of the highways at the last cabinet meeting. The County Council will be going ahead with the completion of school re-scheduling since it has been producing better standards. Of the 7,427 applications for secondary school places 97 ½ % of these got the school of their choice. Peter Bellfield reported that the merger between Cambridge and the Suffolk Fire Service is off. He reported that the

Ipswich Borough Council's proposals for Northern Fringe developments is inadequate. An amendment was put forward in a cabinet meeting that they were very disappointed and they recommended refusal of the planning application. The adverse effect on adjoining villages may significantly affect Great Bealings. The Locality budget has been raised from £8,000 to £12,000.

CONSULTATION ON THE CORE STRATEGY – MAIN MODIFICATIONS TO DOCUMENT

The consultation runs until the 5th April and the Core Strategy is in place until 2021. An additional 7,900 houses will need to be built. Comments to note are that there is significant reference to the Eastern Ipswich Plan Area - between Martlesham and Ipswich boundaries. The requirement is for over 2,000 houses which does not include the proposed development at Adastral Park. We are not in the Eastern Ipswich Plan Area however we are adjacent to it (Little Bealings and Playford). The Core Strategy is putting extra pressure on green field sites. It was resolved to draft a response to the consultation expressing our concerns.

EAST ANGLIA ONE WINDFARM

Comments have been submitted and we will hear in due course whether we have a chance to speak at the hearing.

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN – PROGRESS REPORT

The Chairman reported that we have the green light to go ahead with the Neighbourhood Plan. It was resolved to ask for an 8 week consultation period. This would be beneficial to maximise publication of our intention to carry out a Plan. Statutory consultees will also be notified and those people with an interest will be asked to register with the Clerk.

12PT REP

Colin Hedgley is the new 12PT rep for the Council.

PLANNING

**C12/2322 Bridge House, Lodge Road,
Great Bealings, IP13 6NW
Single Storey Rear Extension**
Permission has been granted by SCDG.

HIGHWAYS

Eric Barnett reported that he had had a meeting with Derek Oldham primarily to talk about raising the height of the bund at the Boot Street bridge. Mr Oldham had confirmed that they could re-instate it. The issue of water running on and down the Woodbridge Road (beyond Birds Hill) when it could be channelled into the gullies and ditch was discussed and it was agreed to consult the farmer/landowner. The residents of Hasketon Road will require a written response

from the area engineer who visited them to discuss the volume, size and speed of traffic along this road.

FINANCE

The Clerk's salary was authorised for payment as was the annual subscription to Community Action Suffolk – both these payments had been budgeted for.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

7th May 2013. The Annual Parish Meeting shall commence at 7.00 pm in the Angela Cobbold Hall. The Annual Parish Council Meeting will follow immediately after this.

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LITTLE BEALINGS

WYNAUD TRUST

We have recently received a newsletter which provides an update on the Trust's work during 2012. All Saints here in Little Bealings supports this charity in Kabulemena in Zambia sending donations from various raffles and fundraising lunches which we hold during the year.

We are impressed to read of all the progress they are making in this community and I follow with a summary of some of their achievements

School Fee Programme - This provides support for children, mainly orphans to continue their education. So far 47 children are supported by this programme where the fees range from £8 to £20 per term. Individuals can also sponsor a child.

Teacher Training - This had been provided by two of the trustees from the UK for teachers in both Kabulamema and a neighbouring village Mumbeji.

Equipment Provision - With the generosity of the Trusts supporters they have been able to supply more textbooks,

educational resources, 10 laptops, a multimedia projector and generator and various learning equipment.

The Trust also encourages other initiatives, the making of craft goods. This year baskets, jewellery and clothing items were brought back to the UK for sale. Several of the scarves were bought by Little Bealings ladies who are now wearing them during this cold weather!! An agricultural initiative has been supported but this is difficult as the government controls the farming cooperatives and limit how much seed they can buy. However their Honey Business is thriving and they hope to be exporting to the UK and other countries before too long so watch out for this which may come to M&S, Waitrose and Holland & Barrett.

Health Projects - Mothers are encouraged to attend clinics both for their own health during pregnancy and the delivery of their babies and to continue sessions to help the mothers to understand the importance of child development in their early years.

This is a very brief summary and the full report can be seen on the notice board in our church.

It is very encouraging to read of all the Trust's achievements and they are very grateful for our continued support. Thank you to all of you who have given so generously at our fundraising events. When Nigel and Alison were here last autumn they were telling us that the money we give goes a long way out there, and every pound we send goes straight to the charity.

Paddy Bills

LET THERE BE LIGHT

Birthdays in Sydney, Australia were celebrated in light at Little Bealings for Mike Field on Sunday March 3rd and Wendy Field on St Patrick's Day Sunday 17th March.

On Saturday March 9th the lights shone "In loving memory of John Parkin, much missed by all his family."

Late resident of Little Bealings, Richard Stone, was lovingly remembered by his family on Thursday March 14th, his birthday.

The lights shone again "In loving memory of a very dear son Patrick on his birthday, Sunday March 31st."

Keep the memories alive, remember those you see only occasionally, celebrate your family and friends – light the lights!

£5 note or cheque payable to Little Bealings PCC will flick the switch. Parkside Cottage, Little Bealings 01473 626845

Joan Moon

PARISH COUNCIL

Notes of the Parish Council Meeting held on 4 March 2013

Before the meeting one minute's silence was held in memory of Sylvia Chenery, a former Clerk to the Council.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS

C13/0180 Kesgrave High School, Main

Road, Kesgrave: Retention of Floodlights to new Artificial Grass Pitch in the School Grounds

The Council received representations from a resident adversely affected by the lighting. It was resolved to object to the application.

C12/2391: 10 Holly Close

Erection of first floor rear extension (resubmission of planning application C12/1806)

SCDC had approved this application.

C12/2189: The Orchard, Holly Lane: Variation of Condition of retention of dwelling without compliance with Condition 2 of Planning Permission C12/0571 seeking the variation of this condition to remove Class E from the restriction, allowing householder permitted development rights to be reinstated for developments falling within Class E of the Town & Country General Permitted Development Order (2008) for (outbuildings, enclosures and pools)

SCDC had approved this application.

EAST ANGLIAN OFFSHORE WINDFARM CABLING ROUTE AND CONSTRUCTION DEPOT

County Councillor Peter Bellfield had made representations to the SCC Cabinet meeting considering the application on highways grounds and would be involved in future SCC discussions on the application. The Council resolved to object to the application. The Council's objection can be seen at:

<http://littlebealings.onesuffolk.net/assets/EAOWF/LBPC-Representation-to-PINS.final.pdf>

SCDC PLANNING POLICY: CORE STRATEGY MODIFICATION CONSULTATION

It was resolved to object to the diminution of protection for the countryside and especially as a result of the proposed modification of LDF Policy DM3, and to request consultation by and involvement in the work of the Ipswich Policy Area Board, as the policy area includes Little Bealings. Full details of the consultation, which closes on 5 April, are available here:

<http://www.suffolkcoastal.gov.uk/>

*yourdistrict/planning/review/
corestrategy/examination/*

POLICE

PCSO Justin Moss advised that there had been no crime in the parish since the previous Council meeting. He had visited to consider concerns about parking in The Street causing inconvenience to residents and damage to verges and banks by vehicles. He would continue to monitor the situation. He would contact Bealings School and offer road safety advice in respect of parking and pedestrian safety.

HIGHWAYS

SCC had been asked for an update concerning the raised kerb/drain in The Street, and flooding in Lodge Road. SCC had visited to inspect the condition of Footpath 8A (Manor Farm Lane) following recent wet weather and its use by vehicles, and had said that that path condition was acceptable for footpath users.

CLOSURE OF THE ADMIRAL'S HEAD PUBLIC HOUSE

SCDC had advised that the Council's nomination of the pub as a Community Asset was valid. The creation of a Working Group to consider the implications of this would be pursued by the Parish Council, informed by the outcome of the Village Review. No information had been received from SCDC

concerning the condition of the site.

FINANCE

Income: £5.69 interest for 2012 and £71.29 VAT refund for 2012/13. Cheques were signed for Councillor training, the Clerk's salary and expenses and PAYE and for hire of the Village Hall Committee Room during 2012/13.

FUTURE MEETINGS

The Annual Parish Meeting takes place at 7pm on Monday 15 April in Bealings Village Hall. It will be followed by the Village Review at which refreshments will be served.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be the Annual Parish Council meeting, to be held at 7.30pm on Monday 13 May 2013 in the Village Hall Committee Room. During the first 15 minutes of all Council meetings the public are welcome to raise any matters of concern with Councillors. The public may also speak for a maximum of 3 minutes on any item on the Agenda at the beginning of that item.

The approved minutes of Parish Council meetings are available on the Council's website.

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ANNUAL PARISH MEETING & VILLAGE REVIEW 15 APRIL 2013

A reminder that this year the Annual Parish Meeting will be held at 7.00 pm in Bealings Village Hall on Monday 15 April. All residents are welcome to attend and hear of the Council's work over the last year and discuss any issues. All community groups are also invited to come and give a report on their activities. Please contact the Clerk before the meeting if you would like to give a report.

After the Annual Parish Meeting Suffolk ACRE will be helping to run a Village Review. This will ask residents for their views on important issues in the parish, such as traffic, community services, health, environment and the effectiveness of the Parish Council. Please come and give your views and help prepare a new Action Plan for the parish. Refreshments will be available.

For more information please contact the Carol Ramsden, Clerk,

Email: littlebealingspc@btinternet.com Tel:01473 610088.

PLAYFORD

ST MARYS

Now I do not like to boast, that would be wrong. But I think I have started a trend. No sooner do I become the new churchwarden at Playford, the Church of England appoints a new Archbishop at Canterbury and the Roman Catholic Church appoints a new Pope at Rome.

I am now wondering if when I start work in the churchyard whether two elderly looking gentlemen in frocks may turn up to help me. Hope springs eternal.

The weather recently has been appalling and has rather put a dampener on outside work so again it's a question of waiting for a change in the inclement weather before the great leap forward in the churchyard. There was one day of brilliant sunshine ten days ago but I selfishly did some work in my own garden.

There has been a scattering of crushed concrete around the top gates in order to obviate the slightly muddy area there with more work to be done soon. I know some of the brickwork of the church path is uneven and I hope to carry out some re-levelling in the next few months but unfortunately it is caused, in the main, by tree roots. Some of the trees have been there for a hundred years and are fifty foot tall, however I shall attempt to replant them away from the church path by just a few feet, I am sure that will help.

Lent does make the church look empty and forlorn but Easter brings a new start so with what I can confidently predict will be a glorious summer (remember you heard it here first) we should soon be seeing our church bathed in sunshine and the PCC cracking on with the list of tasks big and small, that will bring pleasure and a smile to everyone.

As long as those two labourers turn up!

*Colin Hedgley
Churchwarden*

PLAYFORD CHURCH LIGHTS

12th March sponsored by Hilary Le-gard in memory of her Mother, Eve Hughes 12th March 1923 – 27th February 2013, on what would have been her 90th Birthday.

13th March sponsored by Veronica Bunbury on the election of Pope Francis.

16th March sponsored by the Grimwood family remembering Geoff Booker on his birthday with much love from all his family

Requests to sponsor lights to: Veronica Bunbury at Church Corner Cottage
Tel: 01473 623366 or email:
vronx@btinternet.com

If the request is for the same day or at very short notice, it is advisable to telephone, or ring the doorbell if posting a request, to ensure that Veronica will be at home to set the lights.

PLAYFORD PARISH HALL

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
PLAYFORD PARISH HALL
The Charity of Mary Kate Stevenson

THE PARISH HALL
THURSDAY 16TH MAY 2013 AT 7.30 PM

Please come and let us know your views on current facilities and activities, any ideas for future events and any other issues you wish to discuss.

Everyone is welcome
- *it is your Hall!*

T D Llewellyn, Secretary

PLAYFORD WI

On 5th.March Barbara Butler gave us all a poignant talk about the sailing barge 'Pudge' which assisted the small ships in order to rescue British servicemen from the beaches of Dunkirk.

At our next meeting which is on April 2nd at 7.30 pm Abi Whittaker will give us an account of her recent trip to Tanzania

Visitors are always welcome

PARISH COUNCIL

These are condensed notes of the proceeding of Playford's Parish Council meeting held on 6th March 2013. A full version of the minutes appears on the website: www.playford.org.uk

-ACTION POINT REVIEW

The old elm wood has finally been cleared from the Parish Hall site, thanks to Colin Snowden, Olly Nash and several of our councillors and to Charles Lofts for accepting the debris.

Mud in Brook Lane is still a problem but the potholes are now in line for repair.

A new website is still being discussed. SCC Highways are to contact landowner Richard Innes to discuss drainage problems with Byway 19.

Footpath 7 is to be sprayed to kill moss.

Councillor Bob Coppillie has undertaken to clear weeds from footpath from parish hall to Church Lane.

Joan & Eric Metcalfe have kindly volunteered to clear weeds under the bridge in Brook Lane.

Parish Hall committee to be asked to display sign saying that anyone hiring the hall will not have their deposit returned if rubbish is left on site.

Clerk to chase EON over trees fouling electricity cables in Butts Road.

Lack of signpost on Footpath no 5 has been noted.

FINANCE

Cheques were signed for tax on clerk's salary, clerk's training course and for stationery & postages.

SCC REPORT

Mr Peter Bellfield reported no increases to Council Tax and if Conservatives are re-elected, this will hold for 4 years. Schools are being re-organised into a 2-tier system, good A-level results were achieved last year. The Council is launching a new strategy for promoting Suffolk as a county. Ten flashing road signs have been installed in the area, telling motorists when they exceed 30mph. The amalgamation of the Fire Services is not going ahead. Attention was drawn at the Council cabinet meeting, to the fact that the public was not adequately informed over details of the proposed EAOW cabling route and depot at Playford, more transparency and improvements to the scheme are needed.

POLICE REPORT

PCSO Justin Moss reported the only crime in Playford in the last two months was the theft of a battery from an electric fence, but that no-one has been apprehended for this.

EAST ANGLIA ONE WINDFARM AND CABLE CORRIDOR

Following presentations at Lt Bealings and Playford on 20th February, a 500 word submission to the Planning Inspectorate (PINS) was discussed and agreed upon. This can be viewed on the Playford Village website, see address below.

PLANNING

Plans for two new dwellings at Sevenoaks, Butts Road, Playford have been passed by SCDC subject to certain conditions being met. Following this, Playford is eligible for a small grant from the **Outdoor Play Space Scheme** and views will be sought from the public on how this should be spent.

CORRESPONDENCE

Joan Metcalfe has been confirmed as an additional signatory to the main bank account. The key to the parish hall playing field has been returned from SCC, ready for the new grass cutting contractor. Problems with position of electric fence adjacent to footpath no 3 (Brook Lane to Bransons) have now been resolved. Declarations of interest for all councillors are now complete and logged with SCDC.

AOB

Risk assessment issues will be updated at the next council meeting.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

7.30pm, Wednesday, 1st May 2013 – Annual Parish Meeting

The Annual Parish Council Meeting will follow immediately after the Annual Parish Meeting. During the first 15 minutes of all Council meetings the public are welcome to raise any matters of concern with Councillors. The public may

also speak for a maximum of 3 minutes on any item on the Agenda at the beginning of that item.

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Website: www.playford.org.uk*

PARISH COUNCIL NOTICE

There is a small amount of grant money available to be used either on equipment for the children's play area in the village or on seating/benches or sports equipment for adults in Playford.

If anyone has any ideas/ views on how this money should be spent please e-mail or telephone the Clerk, details below.

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**PLAYFORD
ANNUAL PARISH MEETING**

7.30 pm Wednesday, 1st May 2013

Playford Parish Hall

ALL PARISHIONERS ARE INVITED

Come and enjoy free refreshments and hear about life in the village in the last year.

Community Groups are also welcome to give a report on their activities over the last year at the meeting

– please contact the Clerk if you would like to do so.

*Marian Rosling,
01473 738648*

CULPHO

ST BOTOLPHS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

This will take place following the Evensong service on Sunday 21st April 2013 and everyone is welcome to join us.

NEW ELECTORAL ROLL FORMS

There is still time to forward your form to Melanie Brooks, the Electoral Roll Officer, if you have been unable to do so. You can also leave it in the Church for collection prior to the 10.30 a.m. Wednesday morning service.

THANKFUL VILLAGE BIKE RIDE - FUNDRAISING EVENT

You may have read in the March Benefice Newsletter the article giving details of the Thankful Village Bike Ride, which will visit Culpho on the 31st July at 11 a.m. The sponsored motor cycle ride will visit all 51 'Thankful Villages' who did not to lose any men in the First World War. Culpho is fortunate to hold this status and, in order that the resi-

dents of Culpho can show their support and gratitude, a Charity Bridge Afternoon is being held in aid of the 'Bike Riders' chosen charity; The Royal British Legion.

The Bridge afternoon will take place on Wednesday 15th May 2013 at Little Bealings Village Hall from 2 p.m. to 5 30 p.m. We hope that bridge players in Great and Little Bealings, Playford and Culpho will support this event by taking a table. Tickets are £10 per head to include, tea and home made sandwiches, savoury bites, scone/cake and prizes. Further details can be obtained from Lynette Chapman, on telephone 01473 738510. In order to assist with arrangements, we would be grateful if you could book your table before the 20th April. Additionally if any member of the Church or Resident community of Culpho feel they would like to help, a telephone call to Lynette would be appreciated.

Margaret Gornall

NEED TO REPORT A PROBLEM?

Road repairs and Maintenance – potholes, overhanging vegetation, signs, flooding, verge cutting etc – contact the County Council on their customer service number: 0845 606 6067 or email: customerservice@csduk.com

In an emergency contact the police.

Public Rights of Way Footpath **problems** can be reported to the County Council East Area office at the same customer service number or via a 'public rights of way report a problem' form available at:

<https://www.csduk.com/CSD/Transportandstreets/Public+Rights+of+Way>

Fly Tipping and Litter: Contact Suffolk Coastal Services on 01394 444000 or email scsld@suffolkcoastal.gov.uk.

USEFUL CONTACTS

GOOD NEIGHBOUR SCHEME - Services for those with Mobility Problems

This local Scheme is now up and running. If you need help with things like:

lifts especially to doctors' surgeries and hospital appointments

getting prescriptions

minor domestic repairs, such as checking smoke alarms and changing light bulbs

short term help with pets

phone 01473 857796 and leave a message – someone will call you back.

For those who need regular transport, the Coastal Accessible Transport Service is a charity which provides lifts. Tel 01728 830516 for details.

NEW TO THE VILLAGE?

Great Bealings, Little Bealings and Playford all have Welcome Leaflets for new residents.

Great Bealings Norman Porter 735565

nhp@rillcott.co.uk

Little Bealings Carol Ramsden 601188

littlebealingspc@btinternet.com

Playford: Marion Rosling 738648

playfordpc@hotmail.co.uk

BEALINGS AND PLAYFORD NEWSGROUP

To be added to the growing number of residents who receive regular emails about local news, events and services send your email address to:

bealingsplayfordnews@googlemail.com

BUSES

Timetables for the 70 and 70A services serving the local area are on the Little Bealings Parish Council Notice boards or at www.suffolkonboard.com

LOCAL CRIME INFORMATION

The Police Direct scheme sends phone messages/texts/emails with the latest information on local crime, warnings about bogus callers, crime reduction advice and updates from the Safer Neighbourhood Team. Sign up at

<http://www.suffolk.police.uk/Services/Police+Direct/Welcome+to+police+direct.htm>

or phone 01473 613997.

Report Anti-Social Behaviour to SCC call 08456 034715

Please keep this page for future reference, it will only appear if space permits

ACTIVITIES/SERVICES

BEALINGS

VH: Village Hall

ACH: Angela Cobbold Hall

AGE UK	Village Representative	Jenny Shaw 07962087205
ANGELA COBBOLD HALL BOOKING		Vicki Carr 620213
BADMINTON	VH Thu 7.30	Martin Yates 07710187722
BALLROOM DANCING	VH First 3 Tue 7.30	Teresa Rudd 07929310480
BENEFICE CHOIR	Fri 7.30	Gill Peck 625077
CARPET BOWLS	VH Tue 1.30/Wed 7.00	Nigel Abbott 611005
COUNTRY DANCING	VH Mon 7.30 Phoenix Dance Group	Liz Wright 01394 388787
DANCE CLASS	VH Wed 9.45 am Fri 9.30	Debbie Watkins-Jones 403513
FRESH FISH	Thu am Little Bealings top road: noon Playford: p.m. Great Bealings	Catherine 07971970836
GUIDES	ACH Tue 6.30 - 8.30	Jo Slim 01394 448846
JOHN BELSTEAD SPORTS COURT		http://bealings.ibooka.com/
	VH Or via Volunteer Administrator	07925 181390
KEEP FIT	VH Thu 10.00	Joyce Bradley 726392
LIBRARY	Thu (every 4 weeks) 2.15 – 2.30 mobile library at Boot St, Great Bealings 2.35-3.00 at Admiral's Head, Little Bealings	07809594685
REMOTE CONTROL TOYS	ACH Bookable	Vicki Carr 620213
SNOOKER	VH Any day <4 hours	Margaret Wilson 07769195132
TABLETENNIS	ACH Bookable	Vicki Carr 620213
VILLAGE HALL BOOKING		Margaret Wilson 07769195132
WI	VH Thu (3rd in month) 2.30 Mar - Oct 7.30 Apr - Sep	Jennifer Cook 623985
WOLSEY MINIATURES	VH Tue (4th in month) 7.30	Teresa Pitcher 624580

PLAYFORD

PH: Parish Hall

AGE UK	Village Representative	Astrid Llewellyn 610635
ART CLUB	PH Thu 10	Mary Spillett 01394 385295
FRESH FISH	Thu am Little Bealings top road: noon Playford: p.m. Great Bealings	Catherine 07971970836
FOOT CLINIC	PH Fri (every 8 weeks)	Astrid Llewellyn 610635
LIBRARY	Thu (every 4 weeks) 1.50 – 2.05 mobile library at phone box	07809594685
MILK	Tue, Thu, Sat Mon, Wed Fri	Dairy Crest 747272 Co-op Dairies
NEWSPAPERS		Grange News 01394 384082
NOTICE BOARD	PH See for art, bridge & social events	
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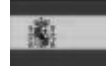
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CHURCH DIARY - APRIL

WEDNESDAY 3rd 10.30 Holy Communion **Culpho**

SUNDAY 7th

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00 Holy Communion **Great Bealings**
 10.00 Sung Eucharist **Playford**

TUESDAY 9th 7.30 pm Little Bealings Annual church meeting Little Bealings Church

WEDNESDAY 10th 10.30 Holy Communion **Culpho**

7.30 pm Great Bealings Annual Church Meeting
 Committee Room, Bealings Village Hall

THURSDAY 11th 7.30 pm Playford Annual Church Meeting
 Committee Room, Playford Parish Hall

SUNDAY 14th

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00 Holy Communion **Little Bealings**
 10.00 Celebration Songs of Praise for NADFAS and the Arts

Great Bealings

WEDNESDAY 17th 10.30 Holy Communion **Culpho**

SATURDAY 20th 10 - 12 Noon Plant sale Bealings Village Hall

SUNDAY 21st

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00 Holy Communion **Playford**
 10.00 Sung Eucharist **Little Bealings**
 12.00 Burial Ashes Great Bealings
 3.00 Evensong **Culpho**
 4.00 Annual church meeting Culpho

MONDAY 22nd **Pauline off duty - Tuesday 30th April**
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WEDNESDAY 24th 10.30 Holy Communion **Culpho**
Celebrant Revd Fred Woods

SUNDAY 28th

5TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00 Service at Grundisburgh Church **Grundisburgh**
 10.00 Family Communion **Playford**
Celebrant Revd Jane Hall

MAY
 WEDNESDAY 1st 10.30 Holy Communion **Culpho**

SUNDAY 5th

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

8.00 Holy Communion **Playford**
 10.00 Sung Eucharist **Great Bealings**