

Mobile Library  
Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> October and 15<sup>th</sup> November

The mobile library will be at Bruisyard Village Hall from 10.05am to 10.20am.

Christmas Market in the Village Hall  
Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> December

Have a break from the internet or driving to crowded shops, and join us instead for a cosy Christmas local market from 10am to 2pm. Buy gifts or hire a table to sell your goods. Contact Sonia Richards on 663937 or email: [bruisyardvillagehall@gmail.com](mailto:bruisyardvillagehall@gmail.com) for details. Enjoy catching up with friends over mulled wine, tea/coffee and mince pies.

ACC Bus to Norwich - Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November

We hope to be able to book the shopping bus this year depending on the cost of the bus, and whether Covid prevents it again. The bus will leave from Rendham at 9.00am then Bruisyard and Sweffling. Anyone interested please let me know, to see if this will be viable. Lynda on 663325

Bruisyard Village Hall - 'A Warm Place'

As the Village Hall will be kept warm throughout the winter, the Hall will be open as a 'Warm Place' whenever the weather is cold and the Hall is not already booked. Anyone in Bruisyard or surrounding villages will be welcome - don't be cold at home. Tea/coffee will be available.

Cleaner wanted for Bruisyard Village Hall

Regular work and competitive hourly rate. Contact James on 663427 or David on 638793 or email [bruisyardvillagehall@gmail.com](mailto:bruisyardvillagehall@gmail.com)

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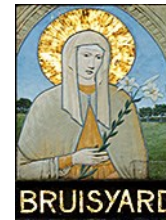
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TUESDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> November

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# BRUISYARD NEWSLETTER

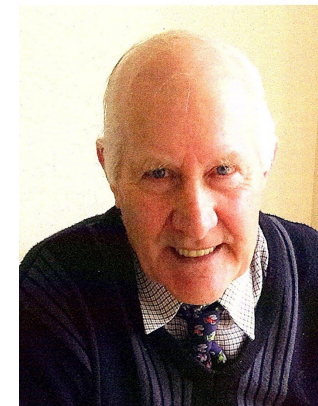
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## IN MEMORY

It is with great sadness that we note the deaths of two people who have figured highly in our lives for many years.



Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was a remarkable, much loved and hugely respected figure. Ruling for longer than any other British monarch, she was renowned throughout her reign for her unwavering leadership, dedication and service to the United Kingdom and the Commonwealth. Our thoughts are with King Charles III and the Royal Family at this sad time.



David Barham died suddenly on 14 August at his home, College Farm, where he had lived all his life. Known affectionately as 'DB', he started work as a dairy farmer on the family farm immediately following his school days and continued farming throughout his working life. He was a very keen sportsman with tennis, hockey and cricket being his particular favourites. DB was often seen around the village on his tractor and more recently on his electric bicycle. DB was always keen for a chat, whether it be local village news, the latest sporting results or farming advice.

Our thoughts are with Thelma, Adrian and Janet. DB will be greatly missed.

## 'An Evening of Veterinary Tall Tales'

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October, 7pm for 7.30pm start



We are delighted to welcome the Aldeburgh vet, Brian Faulkner, who has agreed to give what promises to be a very humorous talk. Doors open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. Entry £10pp including a glass of wine and nibbles, with tickets on sale at [www.bruisyard.com](http://www.bruisyard.com) or on the night (cash or card).

For more info contact: Albert Lain on 01728 663567.



### Harvest Supper

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October  
7pm for 7.30pm start



Organised jointly by St Peter's PCC and Bruisyard Social Amenities Committee

(BSAC), come and warm up with a delicious meal of chicken pie and veg, followed by a selection of puddings - all for only £12. The bar will be open and there will be a prize draw!

Spaces are limited and must be booked in advance on the village website [www.bruisyard.com](http://www.bruisyard.com) or directly from PCC or BSAC committee members.

All proceeds will be split equally in aid of the St Peter's PCC and BSAC.

For more info contact: Rupert Wallis on 638393 or David on 638793 .

### Fireworks on the Parish Park

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm



Back with a bang! No need to buy a ticket, just bring along a large firework (the bigger the better!) per family on the evening, and we will put together a combined firework display for everyone to enjoy. Starts at 6.30pm. We'll be selling hot dogs as well as drinks from the bar.

For more info contact: Paul Church on 07940 107144.

## Barn Dance with Syzewell Gap

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> November



Put on your dancing shoes: one of the region's foremost ceilidh bands, Syzewell Gap, is playing at our village hall! Doors will open at 7pm for a 7.30pm start. Entry £15pp including chilli con carne (or vegan alternative) and baked potatoes. Spaces are limited, so book your tickets now on the village website [www.bruisyard.com](http://www.bruisyard.com)

For more info contact: Albert Lain on 01728 663567.

## Peasenhall Assembly Hall

The Peasenhall Picture Palace - Friday 7th October and Friday 4th November.  
Saturday 22nd October pop up pub - with live music from 'Cold Steel Rail'  
Friday 18th November pop up pub with live music by 'Black Deek Band'

## Countryside Notes



At last, water level in the pond started to rise from dropping 24". It's risen enough above the weed for Sheila to spot a Grass Snake swimming across and just glimpsed a King Fisher flying away. That beautiful bird means the vast stock of Rudd have bred and not eaten all the young, leaving some smaller fish for a King Fisher. The one good rain encouraged a frog and a large toad to emerge from hiding. The lawn has patches of green again, very untidy. Where did I leave the mower and will it start. Pull cord starts are getting

to be a challenge. Recently, a friend was showing me his new and expensive battery powered cylinder mower and his long reach hedge cutter also battery powered. Is this the way to go as one ages? Just planted a row of Spring Cabbage and a row of over winter Onion Sets on the strength of rain in the forecast. It will be nice to have less dramatic weather.

Albert Lain