

Parish Council News

We are pleased to report that the Parish Council agreed to keep the precept for 2022/23 (which is the Parish Council part of the Council tax) at the same amount for the fifth consecutive year. The accounts for 2021/22 are available for inspection from 13 June to 22 July. If you would like to inspect the accounts and all related documents, bills, receipts etc, please contact Anne Smith (638793) or email: clerk@bruisyard.com

Everyone is very welcome to attend the Parish Council and Village Hall committee meetings. Please come along to see how we are spending your money, raise any issues you may have, participate in the discussion regarding development of the village and the actions we can take to improve village life and our local environment.

The next Village Hall committee meeting is on Monday 4 July and the next Parish Council meeting is on Monday 11 July. The meetings are held in the Village Hall at 7.30pm. We look forward to seeing you.

VisitEngland ROSE award awarded to Bruisyard Hall



Many congratulations to all at Bruisyard Hall. The ROSE award recognises the accommodation providers who provide visitors with the warmest of welcomes and an outstanding experience for their customers.

Editor for Bruisyard Newsletter

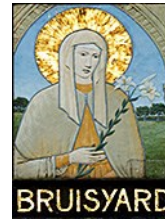
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The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Celebration
Sunday 5th June —12.30pm to 6pm
Bruisyard Parish Park and Village Hall



PROGRAMME

We look forward to seeing you on Sunday 5th June to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. We want to make this an opportunity for the whole village to come together, have fun and get to know each other much better. All residents, their relatives and guests are warmly welcomed to attend. The programme for the day is;

12.30pm: Welcome by the Chairman of the Parish Council

12.30-12.45pm: Fancy dress competition. All children are invited to come dressed as their favourite film or animation character. Prizes will be awarded!

12.45-1.00pm: 'Best jelly' competition. All children are invited to bring along a jelly they have made. Parents /grandparents can of course help by finding any jelly moulds they may have—and not used for years! Prizes will be awarded!

1.00pm onwards: Lunch of hog roast, salad, burgers, sausages and vegetarian alternatives. Remember to keep your lunch ticket for the lucky draw to be held at 5.30pm.

2.00-5.30pm: Lots of 'free to play' games in the Park.

2.30-3.00pm: Paper aeroplane competition. Make a paper aeroplane and let's see whose can fly the furthest! All can enter with prizes for children and the not so young.

3.00-4.00pm: The 'crockery smashing' game. So much more satisfying than throwing balls at coconuts! Please bring along any old crockery you no longer need for destructive recycling.

4.00-5.30pm: Afternoon tea of tea, coffee and cake in the Village Hall.

5.00pm: Presentation of Platinum Jubilee mugs to all young people resident in Bruisyard of 18 years and younger by the Chairman of the Parish Council.

5.30pm: Lunch ticket number prize draw.

The bar in the Village Hall will be open from 12.30pm to 6pm for the sale of drinks, choc ices, and additional lunch tickets (hog roast £5, sausage or burger £2, vegetarian alternatives £2, and salad).

In the Village Hall there will be a exhibition of artwork by local artists and a display of old photographs of Bruisyard; Bruisyard Street pre-1900, the Great Fire of Bruisyard in 1911, the Great Snow of 1988, the Great Storm of 1989, the Great Flood of 1993, Church Farm 1911, White Cottage 1947, the Butchers Arms early 1950s plus many more. There will also be an account of Bruisyard Vineyard 1972-2002 from Ian and Eleanor Berwick—including a bottle of Bruisyard wine from the first crop in 1976!

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU FOR THIS MEMORABLE CELEBRATION

Framlingham Horticultural Society – EARLY SUMMER SHOW

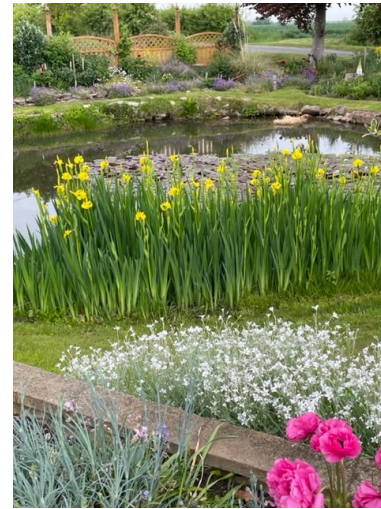
Framlingham United Free Church Hall

Sat 18th June at 7.30pm. Visitors are welcome from 10am-11.45am. Home-made refreshments and a draw. Entries to be staged between 8.30-9.30am. To enter, email: rogerandgwenetheridge78@gmail.com

ACC Spring Flower Show

Many thanks to everyone who supported the Spring Flower Show, and who helped in any way. It was a great success, probably the best yet, with over 100 exhibits! Let's hope we can match it next year! Lynda Newson.

Countryside Notes



The pond looks so attractive. The Flag Iris have just burst into flower which they'll hold for about two weeks and then form large seed heads. We've learnt that as soon as those heads have formed and before they collapse into the water, all must be cut off and disposed of. Any that get missed are able to start new colonies elsewhere in the pond. You may be able to see some escapees along the lefthand bank. They have just revealed their true yellow colour and we must try and dig out their roots to avoid their spread. We put them in plastic bags to retain some moisture and place by our entrance gate accompanied by a notice "Free to any local pond". We are also trying to establish patches of Iris in our pond that are blue, purple or red and contain the yellow ones to their existing area. We learnt at our cost how attractive pond plants can spread. In our early days, it was quite shallow of water, deep of mud that had accumulated over the years. How nice we thought it would be to have Bull Rushes, Reed Mace. So, we acquired a root. Within three years that had spread over the whole pond. It was an expensive operation to clear the Reed Mace and dredge the pond back to its clay lining. Earlier this spring we heard the croak of a frog. Oh good, perhaps some tadpoles and baby frogs but no. We suspect Otters, that have taken all the fish and the frogs. Would you believe Lilies can also be invasive. Ours are a deep water variety and we struggle to keep them as a central Lily pad. While the water level is good the leaves spread out and the large flowers open above. However, if we have drought and the water drops the leaves tend to stand up and conceal the flowers. We still appreciate this large and varied feature in our garden and welcome the Kingfisher, the Damselflies, and Dragonflies.

Albert Lain

Mobile Library Tuesday 28th June and 26th July

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