

## CHILDREN'S SOCIETY COLLECTION

"It is that time of the year again! The Children's Society boxes need to come in for emptying.

If you have one please contact Gill Pullen on **273804** for Boxted, or Helen Sims on **321286** for Langham, who will look forward to receiving them"



### A MARATHON EFFORT!

VANESSA DOLLING

I heard about the "Help Alexia Walk" Campaign at Boxted school and was inspired to raise money for this little girl with Quadriplegic Cerebral Palsy. Alexia needs an operation overseas to enable her simply to walk. Most of us can't imagine such difficulty for our children.

In April I run my first Marathon to support Alexia. I'm training daily so if you see me around, do wave or say hello – It helps me along!

To learn more about Alexia or donate you can find me at:

[www.justgiving.com/VanessaDolling](http://www.justgiving.com/VanessaDolling)

## THREE PARISHES EVENTS

**3 Parishes men's breakfast** – 8.30am on Saturday 11 March at the Half Butt Inn, Great Horkesley. Full English breakfast included. Cost approx. £10.00. Speaker – Richard Chadborn. Please contact **Geoffrey Baker** on **01206 271760** or e-mail [geoffreybak@btinternet.com](mailto:geoffreybak@btinternet.com) to advise of your attendance.

**3 Parishes Lent Group** - Tuesday 7, 14, 21, 28 March and 4 April at 8.00pm at St Mary's Church, West Berg-holt - If you would like more information, please contact **Michael Foster** on **01206 241022**. We look forward to seeing you!

**Alpha Course 2017** Langham with Boxted. If you are interested, please contact **Liz Dixon** on **01206 243683** or email: [lwb.wb.gh.parishes@gmail.com](mailto:lwb.wb.gh.parishes@gmail.com) by 31st March to advise your preferred day of the week and time.



## LANGHAM FILM NIGHTS

Love & Friendship  
8th March

Doors open at 7.00pm

Tickets from Community Shop or online

## LANGHAM W.I.

Mr Beechey gave a charming talk on bees to 25 members.

His depth of knowledge was remarkable, extending from the economics of running hives for wax vs honey production in monasteries, to the life styles of the hundreds of solitary bee species. These are equally important to pollination, and are also suffering from a lack of food plants especially in intensively farmed areas.

Our gardens are very important to provide bees with food for most of the year.

Members have been informed the March meeting will be our last as Langham WI because no-one came forward to be on the Committee.

## LANGHAM COMMUNITY SHOP

Do you occasionally have 2 hours to spare?

Have you thought about volunteering to help in our shop?

It's a fun and friendly place; a great way to meet people, make friends or catch up with your own friends.

The work is not difficult and is in 2-hour shifts; full training is given.

No commitment regarding days or times is required – you just sign on the rota for the shift that suits you best.

To find out more, please come in and speak to Jane or call her on **272431**

## MARCH VILLAGE DIARY

Boxted Parish Council	8th	7.00	Village Hall	Langham Parish Council	1st	7.30	Community Centre
Boxted WI	14th	7.30	Village Hall	Langham WI	9th	7.30	Community Centre
<i>(Tea Tasting with the Colne Valley Tea Company)</i>				<i>(Lynne Mortimer: The Life and Laughs of a Local Journalist)</i>			
Boxted Evergreen Club	9th	2.30	Village Hall	100 Club Draw	31st	10.30	Community Centre
	23rd	2.30	Village Hall	Crafty Ladies	1st	10.00—3.00	Community Centre
			<i>(Sit Down Zumba)</i>	Patchwork Pals	15th	10.00—3.00	Community Centre
			Village Hall	Langham Film Nights	25th	7.00 for 7.45	Community Centre
			<i>(Game)</i>				<i>(Love &amp; Friendship—PG)</i>
Boxted History Group	15th	7.30 for 8.00	Village Hall	Boxted Airfield Historical Group	21st	7.30	Museum, L'm Lane
			<i>(Sue Brown: Transport Revolution)</i>				<i>(Gordon Donaldson: The Great Escape)</i>
Boxted Coffee Café	Tuesday	10.30—12	Village Hall	Langham Carpet Bowls	Tuesday	2.00 & Friday	7.30
Boxted Arts & Crafts Club	1st	2.00	Village Hall				Community Centre
			<i>(Quilling Demonstration)</i>	Langham Bridge Club	Monday	7.00	Community Centre
Boxted Carpet Bowls	Monday	2.00 & Friday	7.00	Langham Pre-School	Monday to Friday	in school term	9.15—2.30
Boxted Lodgers FC	Wednesday	7.00	Playing Field	2nd Langham Scout Group	Wednesday	(times vary)	Community Centre
Little Owls Pre-School (Boxted)	Monday to Friday	in school term	Playing Field	Langham Baby/Toddler Group	Monday	in school term	9.45—11.15
				Langham Tennis Club Coaching Sessions	Saturday & Sunday	Pay & Play:	10.15—11.15 (age 5—10)
							11.15—12.30 (age 11—17)
Open Door	Friday	in school term	8.45—10.15	Langham St Mary's Bellringers	Tuesday	7.30—9.00	Sunday Services
							9.00
Boxted Methodist Silver Band	Wednesday	7.30	Methodist Chapel Schoolroom	Langham Community Café	31st	10.30	Community Centre
			<i>(Monday in school term 7.30 (Training Band))</i>				<i>(Hosts: W.I.)</i>
Church Youth Groups	Friday	in school term	Zone: 5.30—7				
			Edge: 7.30—9.15				

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**4th Mar**  
Family Quiz Night  
Boxted Village Hall

**11th Mar**  
Sudbury Dog Day St Peter's Church  
www.stpetersudbury.co.uk/  
whatson.htm

**22nd Mar**  
Langham Primary School Community  
Café

**25th Mar**  
2nd Langham Scouts Family Bingo  
fun 5.30-7.30pm Langham Communi-  
ty Centre

**MORE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**26th March**  
Sudbury Symphony Orchestra Spring  
concert  
www.sudburysymphonyorchestra.com

**31st March**  
Community Café Langham Community  
Centre

**26-29 April** Dedham Players God of  
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