

ST MARY & ST PETER  
NEWSLETTER

**July 2022**



## CHURCH SERVICES

**3rd July** - Thomas the Apostle  
9.30am at St Mary's - All-age worship  
6.30pm at St Mary's - the Eucharist

**10th July** - Fourth Sunday after Trinity  
9.30am at St Peter's - the Eucharist

**17th July** - Fifth Sunday after Trinity  
9.30am at St Mary's - the Eucharist  
4.00pm at St Peter's - Teatime Family Service

**24th July** - Sixth Sunday after Trinity  
9.30am at St Peter's - the Eucharist

**31st July** - Seventh Sunday after Trinity  
10.00am at St Peter's  
Six parishes united service

**3rd August** - Eighth Sunday after Trinity  
9.30am at St Mary's - All-age worship  
6.30pm at St Mary's - the Eucharist



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## Welcome to the July Newsletter.

The Platinum Jubilee weekend of celebrations seems a distant memory now, but it is encouraging to report that they were a great success across both parishes and all four days of the Jubilee Weekend.

The sight of the Battle of Britain Flight and the Red Arrows tracking the A12 down towards London was most impressive — then running in from the garden to the television to see the same aircraft passing over The Mall in London just a few minutes later.

Charlotte Parker was at the centre of Langham's celebrations and has provided some personal recollections and expressions of gratitude to those who participated — it's all here in the middle of this issue.

One of the lasting benefits of the weekend was the planting and dedication of a Jubilee Oak to stand beside the Coronation tree, planted nearly three quarters of a century before. The species chosen is '*Quercus robur Fastigiata*' which will one day be an impressive 66 feet (20 metres) tall, although it is not

a fast-growing type so do not expect to see it looking quite so impressive any time soon.

Less happily, the planned National Grid Pylon Scheme has exercised a good many minds of late and it is fair to say that resistance and strength of feeling are growing across all the eastern counties. With all the recent Jubilee-based emphasis on our national heritage and values, I wonder what legacy we are leaving to the people of the 22nd century by erecting these rows of steel titans? The long-term effects of short-term planning will be with us for decades to come, so it would be a good idea to try to get it right while we still can.

*Steve Pollington, Editor*

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ROYAL BRITISH LEGION CLUB	
OPENING HOURS	
Monday	Closed
Tuesday	16:30 – 21:30
Wednesday	16:30 – 00:00
Thursday*	16:30 – 21:30
Friday	16:30 – 00:00
Saturday	15:00 – 00:00
Sunday	13:00 – 21:00
	Everyone welcome



## Boxted Parish Council Report

**June 2022**

The most controversial topic discussed at the meeting is the planned deployment of 400kV cables carried by 50m high pylons across East Anglia to take electricity generated from two offshore wind farms in the North Sea through East Anglia down to Tilbury.

These pylons will come along the southern end of Boxted. The proposal is to cable underground through the Dedham Vale AONB where it passes Stratford St Mary, but all other areas will get large overground pylons. This initial consultation closes on June 16<sup>th</sup> and is being run by UK Power Networks (responsible for the Nation Grid). There are environmental concerns, health concerns as well as concerns about disrupting the views.

To have your say you can complete the projects feedback form BUT people consider the form to be very leading, you might prefer to email the project directly via

*EastAngliaGREEN@nationalgrid.com*

Please copy in our MP as this is the only level of influence there is. Sir Bernard Jenkin, MP for North Essex, at

*bernard.jenkin.mp@parliament.uk.*

Colchester Borough Council would also like sight of objections so you can send your thoughts to *planning.services@colchester.gov.uk*.

There is an action group that provides useful information and is also running a petition, see *www.pylonseastanglia.co.uk/*

and a corresponding Facebook group (search for **Essex Suffolk Norfolk Pylons**).

Please do talk to your neighbours and friends to make sure everyone is aware of this project and has an opportunity to comment. The community groups think there is a better way to deliver this project by tracking the cables along the seabed to a point closer to Tilbury rather than march across the whole of East Anglia.

Colchester Borough Council has money that was contracted for

spending on the **Community Hub and the Recreation Ground**. New play equipment was bought and the access to the overflow parking area was improved, and the outdoor gym equipment was installed. We are hopefully reaching the point where we know what it will cost to update the community hub building. This will cost more than we have so we have applied to the **Football Foundation** for a grant to cover the shortfall.

**T**he improvements include larger kitchen space for the café, with access that includes both steps and a ramp, the flooring will be replaced and a bifold doors to the patio area. We should be able to create two officials' rooms for the various sports matches and improve the toilet and showers. The integral garage will be converted to a small committee room and kitchenette which could be bookable by residents. An English Oak tree has been donated by Colchester Borough Council as part of the Platinum Jubilee year which the volunteer **Biodiversity Group** have planted on the Village Green at Boxted Cross. We aim to get a plaque made up showing the Latin



(Linnaean) name, common name, date planted and referencing the Jubilee.

**W**e hope you found time to enjoy the jubilee event at the Village Hall and Recreation Ground.

Thank you to the volunteer group that put in the hard work. It is a lot of effort and stress for those involved but we very much appreciate it.

The **Boxted 10k event** runs in June and you might have seen volunteers tackling some of the more overgrown public footpaths and bridleways.

Don't forget if you want to get in touch with the Council, please drop an email to [boxtedparishcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:boxtedparishcouncil@gmail.com)

look at [www.boxtedparishcouncil.org.uk](http://www.boxtedparishcouncil.org.uk) and follow the Facebook page '**Boxted Parish Council**'.

Langham Road will be closed 11th-20th July while repairs take place

# Langham Parish Council Report

## April to June 2022

The last three months have been a time of significant personnel changes for the Council, but the good news after this period of uncertainty is that we now have a full complement of seven Councillors on board and ready to move forwards with a busy agenda over the coming months.

We have recently said goodbye to Tony Emms and Ian Mansel-Thomas and we thank them for their time and contributions during their tenures. We have recently said hello to three new co-opted Councillors: Annette Thorpe, Lisa Ogawa and Peter Freeman.

At the **Annual Parish Council Meeting** on **18th May**, Martin Bottwood was re-elected as Chairman, Annette Thorpe was elected as Vice-Chairman, and Committee memberships were agreed for the year ahead.

At the **Annual Parish Assembly** earlier the same evening, the **East Anglian "GREEN" pylon project** was

understandably the subject of most concern and discussion among the meeting participants. Since that meeting, the Parish Council have prepared a position statement objecting to the current proposals and the lack of transparency in the decision-making process leading up to them. The full position statement can be found on our website, and has also been used as the basis for our formal responses to National Grid, Colchester Borough Council and our MP Sir Bernard Jenkin.

Following on from the autumn **2021 Village Traffic Survey**, we are actively progressing the acquisition of a mobile Speed Indication Device that can be moved around between three selected sites on Wick Road, School Road and Moor Road (to supplement the existing fixed VAS on Park Lane). Quotes have been received from equipment suppliers, and we are currently seeking the necessary approvals from Essex Highways to progress with the installation and commissioning.

Following on from the **2021 Village Amenities Survey**, and the subsequent decision to upgrade the Children's Playground Area on the Recreation Ground, we have recently received updated quotes from several potential equipment suppliers. In parallel, we are also actively investigating a substantial potential grant from the **Enovert Community Trust**, which could enable an increase in the achievable scope of the playground expansion; and/or could allow for the release of some currently earmarked LPC reserves to other community projects instead. Barring any unforeseen problems, our aim is to proceed with the Playground upgrade work during this autumn.

Vistry Homes are now building at pace on their development site on School Road, under the partial discharge of planning condition 21 concerning sewerage capacity at the Langham WRC. They are allowed to build only 23 of the 46 homes at present, pending resolution of the sewerage capacity concerns at the WRC. We are currently chasing Anglian Water for an update on their flow monitoring program and are




also looking to schedule a follow up meeting with Sir Bernard Jenkin at the Langham Community Centre.

Langham Parish Council is delighted to have hosted and financially supported the recent program of **Platinum Jubilee celebrations** held between 2nd and 5th June. These village celebrations could not have happened without the support of a very large team of people. Elsewhere in this month's Parish Newsletter you can find a two-page Jubilee report which includes a roll-call of the all the fabulous volunteers who helped to make the events such a great success for the village. *Thank you!*

Plans to reinstate the much-missed **Langham Annual Bonfire Night** are coming along nicely, with the event date now confirmed as Saturday 5th November. So please do 'save the date' now for another memorable village event. Further details to follow in due course!

## BOXTED HISTORY GROUP

t the group's May meeting, Jef Page gave an informative talk on the life and times of American president Franklin D. Roosevelt (FDK), who served three consecutive terms as president, dealing with the challenges of the Great Depression, mass unemployment and World War Two, along with failing health and a troubled home life. He met these with ambitious programmes of civil engineering (such as the Tennessee Valley Project to control flooding and generate electricity), conservation projects (planting over 200 million trees) - all to provide work.


On the social side, he introduced the Social Security Act which provided limited aid for the poor and age-related pensions. He was also the first president to use the latest technology to speak directly to the general public: radio.

Probably his greatest challenge was when WWII started and Churchill

asked for material aid—at this time, America was deeply divided as to whether to get involved in what was then seen as a European conflict. Roosevelt realised that the war could well engulf the whole world, so “Lend -Lease” was introduced as a compromise.

Everything changed in 1941 when Japan attacked Pearl Harbour and the USA entered the war but, to his credit, Roosevelt still regarded the war in Europe as the number-one priority. Churchill in return pledged Britain's support in the war against Japan.

Having suffered deteriorating health for a number of years, FDR died in 1945 aged 63.

ext meeting Wednesday 20th July 7.30 for 8.00pm A talk entitled “Buffalo Bill in East Anglia” by Geoff Robinson, followed by usual refreshments.

Visitors always welcome. £3 admission.  
Enquiries: 01206 272774.

Keith Middleton

Chairman



## LANGHAM LADIES

**B**lood, Sweat and Fears was the title of the talk by former forensic scientist, Mary Newton, at the June meeting of Langham Ladies.

Members and their guests were introduced to the work carried out by analysis, DNA and dogged hard work in supporting criminal investigations in order to support a prosecution.

Her very informative talk featured many high profile cases

and the part forensics played in bringing a successful conviction.

The next event will be an **afternoon tea** held in the beautiful garden of Gill Brown on July 17th at 2.30 pm.

**Members** are invited to bring along one guest for a fee of £5 and you should notify Gill of your intention to attend by 9th July.



**Boxted Methodist Silver Band** gave three performances over the Jubilee weekend. Saturday's was at Great Bentley Village Fete, then Sunday first at Boxford on the other side of the river and then back to Boxted for the Jubilee Service.

## HALF-MARATHON MAN

**I**an Rayment of Boxted and his friend Jim Spurgeon completed the Half-Marathon on 22nd May in 2hrs 3 mins and so far he has raised £2151 for MND.



## SESAW news

**T**here was an excellent atmosphere at our village Jubilee celebration last month. The weather was perfect and we enjoyed meeting visitors at the SESA W Pets' Corner and gift stall. Our volunteers are holding a **Table Top Sale** at Newton Green Village Hall, CO10 0QS, 11am-2.30pm on **Saturday 2nd July**. They will be selling jewellery and accessories, glass, china and homeware, pet goodies, books and more. Try a new, fun card game – Cardola, three go's for £1! There will also be homemade cakes and refreshments, free admission and parking.

We have many animals for rehoming including a pair of older cats that arrived last summer because their owner was ill. It



was hoped Lord Iffy and Winnie (pictured) would return home, sadly circumstances changed and they are now looking for a calm, quiet adult household. Both cats love to lie in the sun and would appreciate a sunny window sill to bask and watch the world go by. If you can offer this deserving pair a loving home, please leave a message on the answerphone.

Mum says we are now open to visitors from 10am to 1pm from Thursday to Sunday during the Summer. Please check with Facebook or the website if you have a long journey. I have a short journey to the kitchen where dinner is ready for all the dogs, including me, Kenny (the Boss) Chihuahua.



*SESAW volunteer, Karen Jones, taken at our stall in Leavenheath*

## OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD UPDATE - JULY 2022

**T**hank you for your wonderful partnership in 2021. Together you enabled 10.5 million children worldwide to experience God's love and the joy of a shoebox gift!



### Shoebox Gifts Bring Hope And Joy To Ukrainian Children...

In Moldova, our local church partners recently distributed shoebox gifts to children who had fled from Ukraine. They shared, *"We hosted over 60 children from Ukraine. Each one of them received a special gift and heard of God's boundless love. We enjoyed being able to bring smiles to their faces, as at least for a moment they forgot about the pain. Thank you for these gifts full of beautiful surprises. What an honour to be a blessing to others."*

### Shoebox joy in Ukraine

*This Year We Hope To Send Many More Shoebox Gifts To Bless Ukrainian Children And Yours Could Be Among Them.*

As the conflict in Ukraine continues, many families have been separated and are facing an uncertain future. Amidst difficult times, your shoebox gifts could bring children a much-needed moment of joy and a lasting reminder that they are loved and not forgotten.

### Dates for Diaries 2022

**Saturday 22nd October** - Quiz Night Fundraiser, Boxted Village Hall 7pm, £5 per person, come along and help us raise funds to

purchase items for our packing party and ship this years boxes

**Friday 28th October** - Langham Community Cafe @ Langham Community Hall 10.30 to 12.00 midday

**Monday 14th November - Monday 21st November** - National Operation Christmas Child Collection Week (Drop Locations to follow)

**Sunday 20th November** - Shoebox Packing Party, St Peter's Church, Boxted 2pm - 5pm

For more details or to book your place for our Quiz Night please contact Tim Clarke on 07792060597 or email [timclarkie03@gmail.com](mailto:timclarkie03@gmail.com)

## *Biodiversity & Sustainability Working Group*

**H**ello, and welcome to the June/July update from the **Biodiversity and Sustainability working group**. In May the group revived the concept of the **Village Walk** with 17 residents attending for an approximately 3 mile stroll around the village ending with refreshments at the Hub. This was deemed a popular idea and residents were happy to see it return, as such the group will now take this forward. The next walk on the 25th of June may have passed by the time you read this update, but thereafter the future walks shall be on Saturdays: 23rd July, 20th August, 24th September, 22nd October. Each time starting at 10am from the Village Hall carpark, Cage Lane. All welcome.

Much work has been done on the topic of **Biodiversity**, as mentioned in our previous update with regards to the Village Green. In order to also address our interests in Sustainability, the group is looking to host periodic, perhaps monthly, "*Reuse, Recycle, Rehome*" events on a Saturday. Following

the success of similar projects in some local village communities we consider this to be a great way to reduce landfill and also to reduce unnecessary purchases. We would like to encourage residents to place items they wish to offer free of charge outside their properties on a certain Saturday each month from 10am. This could be bric-à-brac, toys, books, plants, fruit and veg as a few examples. Please clear offerings away by mid-afternoon to ensure our village remains tidy. Hopefully we will see crockery cherished by a new owner, old vinyl bringing music to new ears, toys and games enjoyed again and old football boots ready to be brushed off for the next season.

A **facebook page** has been created through which we plan to promote the events and to allow residents to post any information about items they might be in need of rehoming

<https://www.facebook.com/R3Boxted>.

The first of these events will have passed on the 18th of June by the time this edition

goes to print, but please watch local publications and pages for additional future dates.

**I**n May the parish received a **Jubilee Oak Tree** from Colchester Borough council, for which we are very grateful to the Mayor of Colchester for what is a quite superb specimen of a tree. Expecting initially to receive a 3-foot-tall sapling, like many villages have planted this year, we were quite surprised instead to receive a quite substantial 4m tall tree that required machinery to plant. The Boxted Jubilee Oak has now been planted, pride of place, at the front of the Village Green and a short opening ceremony was held on the 4th of June to commemorate its planting (pictured). It has been agreed that a small plaque shall be arranged to record this event and identify the tree. The species of Oak chosen was '*Quercus robur Fastigiata*', better known as the Cypress Oak. This Oak is a tall columnar shaped tree, which suited the space requirements for the green. Additionally this species of Oak holds its autumnal leaves long into winter providing good cover for birds and other wildlife. Fully grown it could be expected to

grow up to 20m high, but only 3-5m in width.

The group would like to commend and congratulate the hard work and effort of the **Boxted Runners' volunteers** in clearing the footpaths for the Boxted 10k in June. Their hard work will set a good baseline for us to commence our footpath monitoring and maintenance in the coming months as we formulate how best to approach this work and write to landowners to gauge their interests and request permissions.

**T**here has been considerable positive public response to the clearing of some of the most heavily vegetated footpaths and this positive feedback encourages us to press on to ensure all of Boxted's many wonderful **PROWs** are monitored and maintained for all to enjoy.

For more information or to express an interest in the group then please contact Cllr. Jonathan Hunt on

[dlr.hunt@boxtedparishcouncil.org.uk](mailto:dlr.hunt@boxtedparishcouncil.org.uk)



## **Langham Celebrates the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in style**

**A**round a year ago, one or two of us started having little conversations and 'mentioning' the upcoming Platinum Jubilee. As weeks went by these little chats grew into something more and, on seeing life starting to become just a little but more like what is the new normal, we decided to take the step and start planning...

This 'little group', consisted of Charlotte, Cliff, Bob, Paul, Sue, Sallie and Donna, in time becoming the Jubilee Committee.

### ***Music on the Green***

Of course, we were guided with dates and some ideas from the Queen herself, with the big picnic planned for the Sunday, so that was a given. We then toyed with many other ideas and what we could organize, with the help of the lovely people of our wonderful village.

The big picnic evolved into a street party with funfair rides, entertainment, competitions and as much as we could fit in to keep everyone happy. We thought about open gardens, history and a music night and wondered if they were beyond our reach.

Langham Parish Council donated some funds to help with all the planning which made it all possible. A question was raised 'is trying to do something on



every one of the four days too much?’ Rather than taking this as the positive question that was intended, we took this as a challenge - *yes we can - and we will..!*

Text : C. Parker Photos: A. Stacey

Entertainment was the next item on our agenda, and here we found the perfect person right here in Langham, along came Jill to join our merry team.

The opening event on Thursday evening was the start to the whole weekend. So many people came along to enjoy *The Remoras* playing on the amazing stage, supplied and decorated by the Schofield family. The Shepherd and Dog set up their pop-up beer tent and whilst sipping a nice cold drink you could enjoy freshly made pizzas or fish and chips whilst listening to the fantastic band. Towards the end of the evening the beacon was lit, as it was at the same time across the country. What a sight, blazing high above the recreation ground for everyone to see.

Great thanks are given to Bob, Liz and



### **Langham's Beacon**

the Schofield family for

supplying the lorry and all your time and support, and the Brewers family for the preparation and lighting of the beacon.

**F**riday brought the sunshine, and perfect timing for the stunning gardens opened around the village. The sunny morning started at 10 o'clock with the planting of the Langham Platinum Jubilee Oak tree by Martin Botwood and the Jubilee Committee, on Pond Corner, aptly sitting nicely alongside the Coronation tree planted in 1953. The tree and plaque were donated by Bob & Liz Schofield as a lasting memory to Langham



### ***The Jubilee Oak plaque***

Boxted Airfield showed displays and chatted about their work and the history of the airfield. Within the main hall you could learn all about the history of

residents for many years to come.

Thank you to all of you that welcomed so many people into your gardens and for all your time showing everyone around. This day was not only made possible, but was so well thought out and organized by a brilliant team. Thank you Helen, Suzanne, Dave, Jo and Elizabeth for creating such an amazing day.

Then in a flash, along came Saturday and time for the family tennis tournament organized with thanks by Langham Tennis Club. It was great to see families with picnics watching it all go on and offering support. Running alongside this, in the community centre, was the history of Langham day.

Langham, with the Langham Heritage Group. From the very early years, throughout the war times and as we are now. Lots of people pulled up a chair to hear a talk from Simon, supported by David and Ian. Our thanks to you all for all your time and efforts to make this so memorable and informative.

**B**etween all the events we were back and forth setting up, tidying up, moving marquees (many times) and generally keeping ourselves very busy. On one such occasion we were busy on the recreation ground when a lone spitfire flew overhead, circled three times, dipped its wings to say farewell and then carried on with its journey. This was a very emotional moment for all of us.

***World War Two fighter planes, and modern equivalents forming the numeral '70', flying in formation over the village***



Will it rain, will it be windy and cold... we were endlessly checking the weather reports for Sunday. It was chilly and a little showery, but, stalwart British that we are, the community was once again out in force! Picnic tables were erected, tablecloths and flags donned the union jack and the stage was set for the final day.

**A**ll the entertainment was provided by residents of the village.

Following a toast to our Queen and a few words from Martin Bottwood, Chair of the Parish Council, Langham Jubilee singers started the entertainment for the afternoon with some lovely songs from the years gone by, which we all sang along to.

Harriet interviewed Langham's longest resident, Elizabeth Schofield, who very kindly answered questions put to her by the children followed by a reading of her father Ron's Jubilee poem. We enjoyed a fantastic performance by Janet Foulsham School of Dance and a wonderful karate display from Doug Connells students. Doug then turned his talents to his keyboard and sang a number of songs which got a few of us up dancing! And if that wasn't enough for us, Roger got going with the Karaoke to end the afternoon with as much enjoyment as it had started.

And throughout all of the festivities, we didn't forget the children. Bouncy castles and funfair rides offered great entertainment, alongside sports and activities organized by Garry, which created much fun and laughter... Did you have a go at the wellie throwing with the scouts?

...So, can we achieve four days, yes we can, yes we did!

Langham Celebrated in style, many memories were made, we know how to party!

There are so many people to thank for all their help and support over the last months, and over the Jubilee weekend - I have mentioned one or two but there are so many more...

**T**he biggest thanks go to the 'little group' for the huge amount of time and effort to make it all possible... Charlotte Parker, Cliff Jones, Bob Schofield, Paul & Sue Armstrong, Sallie West, Donna Cummins and Jill Hinchcliffe.

And of course every single person that came along, it was truly an amazing sight to see so many people enjoying every moment of the weekend.

### ***THANK YOU...***

**Langham Community Shop**  
**Volunteers**, you kept the shop open, provided refreshments and put up with many months of chaos.

**Langham Parish Council**, for the generous donations and support throughout.

**Langham Community Centre** for giving the LCC for the duration of the weekend.

**Langham Scouts**, particularly **Roger**







**Hobday and James Puxley**, you are always there to help with anything and just get on with the job!

**Langham litter pickers**, who turned out the day before and the day after to collect all the rubbish we had left blowing around the recreation ground!

**Palmer & Partners** for your advertising and **David James** for sponsorship of the signs.

The **Brewers family**, you were a big part of the weekend and everything you did for us.

The **Shepherd and Dog**, for the pop-up beer tent, that kept us all going.

To everyone that came to help set up, pack away, move marquees... the list of jobs is endless!

**Sally Brockman** for organizing the flypast

**Andrew Stacey** for your photography skills!

**Thank you for entertaining us:**

**Emma Stevens**, Janet Foulsham School of Dance

**Doug Connell**, Doug Connell Karate Club

**Gary Percival**, children's sports and activities

**Langham Jubilee Singers**, Harriet Smith and Roger Newnham

**Special thanks to:**

**Blooms Bakes**, for the wonderful Jubilee cake

**Beeline**, for the bouncy castle and funfair

**Howes fish and chips** and the **Mobile Pizza co.**

**Langham Ladies** for organizing and judging the cake competition

**If you have any snaps of the weekend, email them to [langhamcelebrates@gmail.com](mailto:langhamcelebrates@gmail.com)**

**We are going to put them all together for everyone in Langham to have a digital copy/dvd.**

## BOXTED HISTORY GROUP

*Meeting every third Wednesday of the month at Boxted Village Hall.  
7.30 for 8pm.*

*Guests always welcome.*

A colorful poster for 'Boxted Bingo!'. It features three overlapping bingo cards in blue, green, and yellow. The word 'Bingo!' is written in large, stylized, yellow-outlined letters. Below the cards, the text reads: 'Boxted Village Hall Every other Tuesday 3pm - 5pm £8 per session (includes 4 games of bingo) For more information Call Dot on 01206 272676'.

**Boxted Bingo!**

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(includes 4 games of bingo)

For more information  
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## BOXTED CARPET BOWLS CLUB

Come and join us for a friendly, enjoyable afternoon playing bowls at **Boxted Village Hall Fridays 2pm - 4pm**  
Any information contact Chris Lawrence 01206 272654.

*chris-lawrence@hotmail.co.uk*

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Langham Scout Group

Meetings are held each Wednesday evening at the Community Centre.

**Beavers:** 5.00 to 6.15 pm. **Cubs:** 6.15 to 7.30 pm. **Scouts:** 7.30 to 9.00 pm.

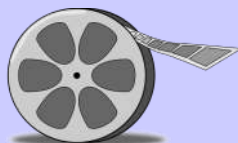
**Contact** Group Scout Leader,  
Denise Hobday 01206 230918.

## LANGHAM LADIES

Any ladies wishing to join the group or to come along as a guest, please **telephone Gill Brown** on 01206 273286.

## LANGHAM FILM NIGHTS

For details of films and screening times and to book tickets, go to [www.langhamcommunitycentre.org.uk/next-cinema-screening/](http://www.langhamcommunitycentre.org.uk/next-cinema-screening/)



## Crafty Ladies

Meet on first Wednesday of each month throughout the year, 10.00 am to 3.00 pm at the Community Centre.

Subscription £26 due March and September. Contact Chrissy Todd tel. 07742 131454.

## Carpet Bowls Club

Meet every Tuesday afternoon from 2.00 to 4.00 pm at the Community Centre.

Contact Cliff Jones on 07922 156545 or Mervyn Bushe on 01206 230209.

The Art and Craft Club meet on the **third Wednesday** of each month, 2-4pm at Boxted Village Hall. All welcome - *come and join in!*



**Beer**  
and the  
**Bible**

at the  
*Shepherd & Dog*  
Langham

Every second Monday of the month  
from 8pm  
All welcome

**The Zone** for 6-11 year olds 5.30pm-7pm and the **Edge** for 12-18 year olds 7.30pm-9.00pm. Fortnightly during term time. Contact Dominic Sheil 01206 273324

## MONTHLY PENCIL ART GROUP

IN BOXTED VILLAGE HALL

PLEASE CONTACT KAREN AT  
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## PILATES



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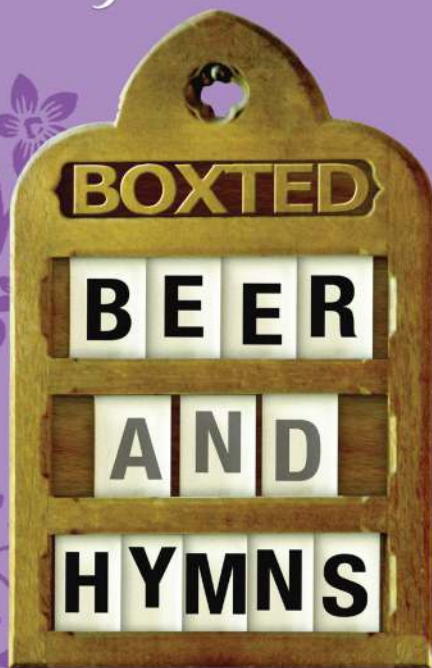
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