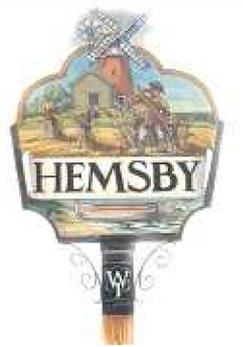


Hemsby



Herald

Quarterly newsletter of the Hemsby Parish Council

Autumn 2011

That's all folks

I have been privileged to produce & edit the Hemsby Herald for the last 7 years but feel the time has come to hand the task on to another.

This edition also sees the Herald back to it's original timescale.

Over the period the Herald has covered 28 editions with over 330

pages.

I have enjoyed the experience very much and hope my successor will have an equally enjoyable time putting their own stamp on this newsletter while bringing you all the important news about Hemsby.

For the future editions please note that all copy must now be forwarded to Jenni Eley at

bondijen@ hotmail.com

Colin Robinson

Hemsby Village Blogspot

Do you wish to advertise your event?

Why not use the Hemsby Village Blogspot?

Please send any information regarding forthcoming events in Hemsby to Colin Robinson at colrob36@hotmail.com and your event will be put on the blogspot.

See the Hemsby Village blog at
<http://hemsbyvillage.blogspot.com>

for all the latest and most up to date village & events news.

Great Yarmouth & Gorleston in Bloom

Congratulations

To St Mary's Close whose residents have been awarded overall winner with GOLD** for the best street and GOLD* for best community.

This has been a fantastic result and has truly brought the village together making it a lovely place to live and to be very proud of.

Moira Burrage
Sheltered Housing Officer

Parish Council matters

NOTES FROM THE PARISH MEETINGS

- Chairman PCllr Reynolds

Due to having open heart surgery will not be in a position to attend the next four/five Parish Council meetings. In his absence the Vice Chairman Jack Bensly will be in the Chair.

- Affordable housing fund £282,000 for Hemsby

Great Yarmouth Borough Council has been authorised to develop a working relationship with a Housing Association so that the commuted affordable housing fund can be put towards housing for people who live in the parish

- St Marys Close

Has won three Awards for GY & Gorleston in Bloom, it was agreed a note will be put on the website and in the Hemsby Herald and a card will be sent from the PC congratulating them on this achievement, the Close has worked so hard and we are so proud of them.

- Main gate to the Burial Ground
There will be two gates instead of the one this is because the guiding wheel keeps coming off.

- Hospital transport – change of telephone number

The new number to book transport is 01493 453777

- Area around the Parish Office
Norfolk County Council is to carry out a safety check on the long grasses adjacent to the zebra crossing as there are concerns over visibility.

- Repairs to the playing field car park

May Gurneys quotation to carry out these works has been accepted.

- Date of next meeting Monday 17 October 2011, in the meantime if you have any queries or concerns please contact the Parish Clerk Shirley Weymouth by telephoning 01493 731625.

Planning Matters

Planning applications that were considered

06/11/0484/F proposed change of use from existing warehouse facility to residential unit including new rear extension for Mr O Church - no objections

- **Planning applications considered**

06/11/0580/F revised plan for a bungalow 1 Yarmouth Road for Mr Baker – no objections

- Great Yarmouth Borough Council planning decisions

06/11/0363/F proposed det double garage and extended driveway. Revised design – Rosebank, Winterton Road for Mr & Mrs Mercer - granted.

06/11/0364/F two storey extension to rear elevation and balcony to front elevation – Hazeldene Kings Loke Hemsby for Mr D Matthews granted

06/11/0403/F dem of existing timber construction/render felt roof bungalow and replace with brick & tile roof bungalow – 55 Fakes Road for Mr & Mrs Hickling – refused

06/11/0411/F conv of garage to bedroom & ext to rear and porch – New Lodge 15 Ormesby Road for Mr Alphonso – granted

06/11/0484/F change of use from warehouse to residential unit Ormesby Road for Mr Church – granted.

HEMSBY
FESTIVAL
& Carnival

Proudly Present a **Barrie C. Thornton Production**
Firework Spectacular
The Gunpowder Plot
Saturday 5th November 2011
Gates Open 5.30pm **£ 3.00 All Classes**
Playing Field, Waters Lane, Hemsby
Children's Entertainment, Fairground, Barbecue
Supported by the **Hemsby Sports & Social Club**

The Company who are supplying the fireworks for this event are Pyrotex Fireworx who shone through, beating all of the other competitors to the title of **British Musical Fireworks Championship 2010 Winners!**

An audience of 40,000 awestruck onlookers were entertained as seven of the best fireworks companies in the UK competed to win the coveted title at this now world renowned event.

After three nights of top class firework wizardry, the four judges announced the winner of the 2010 British Musical Fireworks Championships as Pyrotex Fireworx. Each display was judged on artistic interpretation, mood and flow, synchronization to music and use of sound

Hospital Transport – new phone number

People who need help to travel to hospital appointments will be able to access the area's non-emergency patient transport service through a new phone number from Monday 26 September.

The new number – 01493 453777 – should be used by people who have a medical condition which means they are unable to travel to their appointment in any other way. A range of different vehicles are used to provide the service, along with trained staff who can offer support throughout the journey.

Anyone ringing the service will be assessed for their suitability and should have details of their appointment, hospital number, NHS number and GP address to hand when they call. The service should be booked two weeks in advance and is available for appointments at:

- James Paget University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust
- Norfolk and Norwich University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust (including outreach clinics)
 - Norfolk and Waveney Mental Health Partnership clinics
 - Norfolk Community Health and Care clinics
- The non-emergency patient transport service is available on 01493 453777 between 8.30am and 5pm on Mondays to Fridays.

Giraffe Test

There are 4 questions. Don't miss one.

Stop and think about it and decide on your answers before you check the answers on page 7

1. How do you put a giraffe into a refrigerator?
- 2 How do you put an elephant into a refrigerator?
3. The Lion King is hosting an animal conference. All the animals attend Except one. Which animal does not attend?
4. There is a river you must cross but it is used by crocodiles, and you do not have a boat. How do you manage it?

Gardening World

From Garden World at www.gardenworld.co.uk

October

October is one of the loveliest and most colourful months of the year. Many flowers are still in bloom; the autumn-flowering bulbs such as colchicums and nerines are at their best and many shrubs and trees are covered with bright berries and coloured leaves. At the beginning of the month there is often an unusually fine spell of weather, with warm, clear sunny days, which shows both countryside and garden at their best.

Night frosts are normal, particularly at the end of the month, but the mornings are often bright and sunny so things that normally go unnoticed, such as spiders' webs, suddenly become objects of beauty in the autumn garden.

Jobs that won't wait

- Harvest fruit and vegetables. Apples and pears should be picked by the end of the month and maincrop carrots and potatoes should be lifted and stored for the winter.
- Sow hardy annuals, sweet peas and lettuces to overwinter under glass. Sweet peas can also be sown direct in the ground in mild areas and protected with cloches.
- Plant spring-flowering hardy annuals and biennials as soon as possible.
- Plant all evergreens, including conifers, by the end of the month.
- Plant window boxes and hanging baskets for winter interest.
- Plant spring-flowering bulbs in the garden and in containers.
- Plant lilies for summer flowering.
- Plant garlic, spring cabbages and Japanese onions.
- Lift tender bulbs, corms and tubers, such as dahlias and gladioli, and store in frost-free place.
- Check bowls of bulbs planted for winter flowering indoors. Do not let them dry out.
- Put winter protection in place around vulnerable border perennials and shrubs in cold regions. In milder areas this can wait for another month.
- Bring in pelargoniums and half-hardy fuchsias growing in tubs and pots outdoors.
- Net the pool to protect it from autumn leaves.
- Prepare the garden for winter; clear fallen leaves and other debris, store garden equipment, clean the greenhouse and put insulation in place to conserve heat

More information about Hemsby Village Life & the Hemsby Herald is available on the village web site at

www.hemsbyparishcouncil.org.uk



PLUNGE into NATURE

Wild Norfolk is a Norfolk Wildlife Trust project
All Walks, Workshops and Talks are Free

Below are some of the many items you can try

Friday 21 October, 10am – 1pm

Birds, Butterflies, Bees and Bugs – How to attract them to your garden
Whether you have a large garden, a yard, a balcony or a front step we will show you how you can help attract wildlife to your doorstep.

Location: The Priory Centre

Booking: Essential – call 01493 743023

Wednesday 26 October, 2pm – 3.30pm

Wild Landscapes of Norfolk

In this afternoon talk Nick Acheson takes you on a journey round Norfolk's exceptional natural regions in search of their rare and common wildlife.

Location: Great Yarmouth Library

Booking: Just turn up and join-in!

Wednesday 9 November, 2pm – 3.30pm

Nature in Trust

In this afternoon talk Nick Acheson explores the nature reserves of Norfolk. Discover just some of the wildlife that makes these reserves so special.

Location: Great Yarmouth Library

Booking: Just turn up and join-in

Friday 18th November, 10am–1pm

Beginner's guide to Winter Tree Identification

Are trees a bit of a mystery? On this workshop we will show you the basics to identifying trees in winter by looking at the tree's bark, buds, twigs and shape.

Location: The Priory Centre

Booking: Essential – call 01493 743023

Wednesday 23 November, 2pm – 3.30pm

100 Million Years in Norfolk

In this afternoon talk Nick Acheson takes a journey through the wildlife and wild landscapes of Norfolk over millions of years.

Location: Great Yarmouth Library

Booking: Just turn up and join-in

Wednesday 7 December, 10am – 2pm

In search of Marine Mammals

Join Norfolk Wildlife Trust on a minibus trip in search of grey seals. We take a bracing walk along sand dunes in search of these charismatic animals.

Location: Great Yarmouth Library

Booking: Essential - call 01603 598333

For all other events go to www.norfolkwildlifetrust.org.uk

Giraffe Test Answers

1. The correct answer is:
Open the refrigerator, put in the giraffe, and close the door. This question tests whether you tend to do simple things in an overly complicated way.

2. Did you say, Open the refrigerator, put in the elephant, and close the refrigerator?

Wrong Answer.

Correct Answer:
Open the refrigerator, take out the giraffe, put in the elephant and close the door. This tests your ability to think through the repercussions of your previous actions.

3. Correct Answer :
The Elephant. The elephant is in the refrigerator. You just put him in there. This tests your memory. Okay, even if you did not answer the first three questions correctly, you still have one more chance to show your true abilities.

4. Correct Answer:
You jump into the river and swim across. Have you not been listening?
All the crocodiles are attending the Animal Meeting. This tests whether you learn quickly from your mistakes.

Conclusion

According to Anderson Consulting Worldwide, around 90% of the Professionals they tested got all questions wrong, but many preschoolers got several correct answers.

Anderson Consulting says this conclusively proves the theory that most professionals do not have the brains of a four-year-old.

Useful Telephone numbers

Citizens Advice Bureau 01493 856665

Village Hall Bookings 01493 384228

Doctors 01493 730449

Dentist 01493732443

Police 0845 4564567

Crime Stoppers 0800 555111

James Paget 01493 452452

Train Enquiries 0345 484950

Bus Enquiries 0845 717273

Fire Safety Advice 0800 9178137

GYBC 01493 856100

GYBC lighting faults 01493 846440

It's your call 0845 6052222

Transport Plus 01603 422807

GY door to door 01493 332253

Community Transport 01603 223956
or 01603 430594

Hemsby Pharmacy 01493 731697

Hemsby Parish Council 01493 732669

REMEMBER: only dial 999
in an **EMERGENCY**

Bookings for the Village Hall

All bookings to be made with:
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