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Corby choir on three county tour

Corby Male Voice Choir is set to kick-off the second half of its concert season with a three-concert tour, visiting three different venues across the counties of Rutland, Northamptonshire and Leicestershire.

The first concert is to be held at Oakham Methodist Church on Friday 20th September, the second at Weldon Village Hall on Friday 4th October and the third at St Dionysius Church in Market Harborough on Saturday 19th October. All three concerts start at 7.30pm.

Tickets for the concerts are priced at £10 in advance, including light refreshments and are available from Steve on 01832 734259 or alternately pay at the door on the night when tickets will be priced at £12.

For further information about how the choir could help your charity through its concerts or indeed if you would like to support the choir through sponsorship, please contact Steve Jackson Tel: 01832 734259/ email: SteveCorbyMVC@outlook.com

History and cycling this September at Stanwick Lakes



Whether you're a fan of cycling or passionate about history, there are two great family events taking place at Stanwick Lakes this autumn as part of the Nene Valley Festival.

On Saturday 14th September, 11am-4pm, Rockingham Forest Trust and Cycle Northants celebrate cycling with 'Cycle Fest', your chance to have a go on crazy bikes, make a pedal-powered smoothie and watch Danny Butler in his extreme mountain bike show!

There will be an array of bicycles to try, but why not bring your own to the event to get a free check from Dr Bike? AJ Cycles hire out bikes all year round at Stanwick Lakes and, for this special event, they will be offering a discount on bike hire and the chance to have a go on an E-bike. Hire a bike from AJs, or even bring your own, to try the FREE pedal-powered treasure hunt around a scenic 5K route.

Then on Sunday 22nd September, 'Come and Meet the Settlers' at the finale event of the Nene Valley Festival. Between 10.30am and 4pm, explore, re-create and celebrate the Neolithic, Roman and Medieval people who lived and worked along the Nene Valley at this exciting heritage event. There will be the chance

to have a go at traditional Settlers' skills, such as using a bow and arrow and throwing an axe, while younger visitors can also become an archaeologist at the Messy Museum, dress like a Settler and visit the 'Make & Take' tent. The Bifrost Guard re-enactment group will be building an encampment to give visitors a glimpse into the daily life of Vikings, including crafts, games and a bit of fighting!

Both of these fabulous family events take place at Stanwick Lakes and, while most activities are free, normal Stanwick Lakes car parking charges apply.

To find out about events taking place at Stanwick Lakes, call 01933 625522 or visit www.stanwicklakes.org.uk. For details about the 2019 Nene Valley Festival go to www.nenevalley.net/festival-home and for more information about the Lottery funded Settlers of the Nene Valley project visit www.facebook.com/settlersofthenenevalley



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Oundle Post Office – use it or lose it

There was considerable consternation and outrage in Oundle a few months ago when it was announced that the town's Post Office would be closing.

Subsequently, a new home was found in the Oundle Pharmacy on St Osyth's Lane, and resident specialists Kam and Mick are continuing to offer the usual bright, friendly and expert service. However,

it seems that some locals have not realised that the service is still available and the footfall at the counter is not as high as it previously was. Since the lease arrangement requires a certain turnover, there is once again the

prospect of the Post Office going to the wall. With local bank branches closed or providing reduced services, the Post Office is a constant and available source of financial services, and those services invariably come with a smile! So, if you value this prized piece of the fabric of local society, the product of the enterprise of two sets of Oundle business people, do use it and help ensure that it remains available.

Genealogy jottings

As I mentioned last time, do check opening times of the various places that you want to visit. But what do you take with you? It is all very well turning up at a Record Office with a notebook and pencil but how else should you prepare?

Take some notes with you – you need to keep focused on who you are researching so a list of their names, dates and places – or even a family tree – will help. A record of what you want to research is always a good idea so that you don't end up going off at a tangent! I mentioned pencil just now. Pens are not usually allowed in the Record Office so make sure that your pencils are sharp. Notebook: I have a separate one for each branch of my family so that specific notes don't get mixed up with others and then take ages to find again.

Some offices allow you to take your own laptop. Check before you visit and, if they do, make sure that it is fully charged or confirm that you will have access to mains power. Many offices allow you to take

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photographs of documents so that you can study them in more detail later. However, most do charge a fee. The Northampton Archives, for example, currently charge £8 per day to use a camera plus £3 a day to hire a circuit breaker to use any electrical equipment plugged into their sockets. Make sure that you take enough money with you to cover these costs – plus any print-outs that you want whilst you are there.

Oh yes – make sure that you are wearing comfy clothes. There is nothing worse than turning up on a hot summer's day (yes, we do sometimes have them...) in a sleeveless top and end up shivering in the temperature-controlled environment used to preserve the records!

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Editor's notes

Even for a newspaper as parochial as the Nene Valley News, it's impossible to ignore the ongoing chaos in Parliament. At the time of writing, we await the outcome of further discussions and a vote aimed at stopping a no-deal Brexit after the Government lost its fragile majority.

What it seems confounds most of us is the attitude of some MPs over the period since the 2017 vote which, by the huge majority of 384, gave the then Prime Minister the power to invoke Article 50. Subsequently, the withdrawal agreement has been rejected by the Commons three times and the EU has consistently rejected any possibility of renegotiation.

MPs have also voted against a second referendum and they don't want the UK to retain membership of the internal market or the customs union. Moreover, there is no majority for revoking Article 50.

Their sole positive action has been to demand an alternative to the Irish backstop arrangement, but this is something else with which the EU will have no truck.

Logically then, no-deal is the only remaining option and it seems entirely illogical to anyone with any negotiating experience to remove that option while there is any prospect, however remote, of further discussions about the agreement.

MPs have had three years to develop an alternative policy and the best they can now manage is a further delay to the date

of Brexit and here perhaps is the key to the aspirations of those supporting such action; since two earlier extensions have achieved nothing, why should a third be different? If there is to be legislation preventing Britain leaving the EU without a deal, Brexit could be delayed forever, since the Commons would then be free to reject every deal presented to it. Best be sure you have a vote in the impending general election.

East Northamptonshire Council has reiterated a warning to residents across the District after another taxi plate was stolen. All taxis registered with the council must display a licence plate on the rear of the vehicle which has a unique number.

The plate 'PHV-62' was stolen from a driveway in Rushden between 28th-30th August and takes the total number of plates stolen since July 2018 to seven.

Steven North, Leader of East Northamptonshire Council said: "As with the previous thefts, this crime has been reported to the police and new plates have been issued. But we still urge all residents across the District to be cautious when using taxis. It is always a good idea to keep the number of a reliable taxi firm with you and try to book in advance. When the taxi arrives, check it is the one you booked by asking for the name in which the taxi was booked and if in doubt, don't get in."

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Wellingborough Ladies 83 – 15 Rushden and Higham Ladies

As the sun shone on a lovely bank holiday Sunday, the Ladies of Rushden and Higham Ladies lined up for a friendly game of Rugby 10s against Wellingborough Ladies. This was only Rushden's second match following their 12 try to nil defeat against Towcester Roses a fortnight earlier.

Strictly speaking this was not rugby weather after all, who would have expected gorgeous sunshine with temperatures hitting the low 30C on a bank holiday weekend? To help cater for this, it was agreed that there would be a break every quarter rather than just half-time.

Rushden started the match with a lovely attacking run which took them to the Wellingborough's 22, unfortunately when Rushden lost the ball Wellingborough counterattacked, which Rushden were unable to defend against with Wellingborough scoring their first, unconverted try within a few minutes of the game.

This became the story

of the first quarter. When Rushden had the ball, they showed attacking promise but couldn't stop Wellingborough's attack with the first quarter ending with Wellingborough scoring a total of 5 tries and 1 conversion, 27-0.

After both teams returned from their much-needed water break, Wellingborough continued where they left off scoring two more quick tries, but things were beginning to get harder for them with their third try of the quarter being brought down on the line.

Things finally began to click for Rushden as they were able to break through Wellingborough's defensive line to score their first ever try and while the conversion was missed it was a start. And though Wellingborough were able to gain two more hard fought tries and one conversion before half-time Rushden were showing improvements going into the break 54-5.

After the break Rushden came out fighting, with a lovely break started by Alex

Curtis, who collected the ball around Rushden's 22 running it up to Rushden's 10m line before passing to Evie Simpson, who ran through the Wellingborough pack with a couple of dummies before sprinting the rest of the pitch to score Rushden's second try.

Rushden continued applying pressure only to be chased down at Wellingborough's 5m line. Wellingborough then made the most of the broken lines and launched a counterattack to score another try. The game had come alive with the ball being stuck between the two 22 lines before finally Alex Curtis broke through to score Rushden's third try.

Then followed a relatively quiet phase where both teams attacked and defended well only for Wellingborough to score on at the end of the quarter giving the score line at the break 64-15.

As the fourth quarter started, Wellingborough scored another quick try but it was obvious that the heat

was getting to everyone and tiredness began to set in. While both teams continued to give it all, with Wellingborough scoring two more converted tries, everything had slowed down. Final Score: Wellingborough 83, Rushden 15.

It was a good day for everyone with Rushden

improving as the game progressed and they will have lots of positives to take away from their second game, not least scoring their first ever points but also how they achieved their second and third tries.

As both teams are waiting for the start of the new season, for Wellingborough

this will bring a new league campaign while Rushden will be building up to their next friendly.

Both teams welcome new players. Rushden and Higham train at Manor Park, Bedford Road on Mondays at 7pm, Wellingborough at Cut Throat Lane on Thursdays at 7pm.

Indoor Planetarium at Higham Library a success

The 'Indoor Planetarium' at Higham Ferrers Library on 23rd August was a resounding success with all sessions being fully booked. The event organised to support the Summer Reading Challenge would not have been possible without the help of Higham Ferrers Town Council who organised the funding from the East Northamptonshire Councillor Empowerment Funding (Cllr Harriet

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Chris O'Rourke attended the event along with Cllr Angela Gardner.






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Spotlight on Lrthlingborough

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Probably the most frequent first question from a person considering acupuncture is: "Does it really work?" To help you form your own conclusions, let me talk through a real case study from 2018/2019. The patient, Chris, is a

42-year-old female who has given permission to be the case study here. Chris had suffered from chronic migraine linked to pre-menstrual syndrome for approximately 25 years, sometimes suffering up to four migraines a week. She had tried a huge

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Defibrillator for Stanwick Lakes

On Monday 19th August, representatives from Chicheley Lodge 607 in Thrapston and the Provincial Grand Charity of Northamptonshire and Huntingdonshire met with members of Rockingham Forest Trust at Stanwick Lakes, to present a cheque for £1,680 for the purchase of a defibrillator.

The Rockingham Forest Trust is an environmental and educational charity that manages Stanwick Lakes,

the nature reserve and visitor attraction in East Northamptonshire. The Trust's main areas of work are conservation, education,

heritage and health and well-being.

Through projects undertaken with local communities, Rockingham

Forest Trust works with people to educate them about local history and the environment and encourages people, particularly children, to get closer to nature.

Last year over 300,000 visitors from the very young to elderly, enjoyed a visit to Stanwick Lakes and the numerous activities available. Income from the visitors directly supports the cost of running the site which is self-financing.

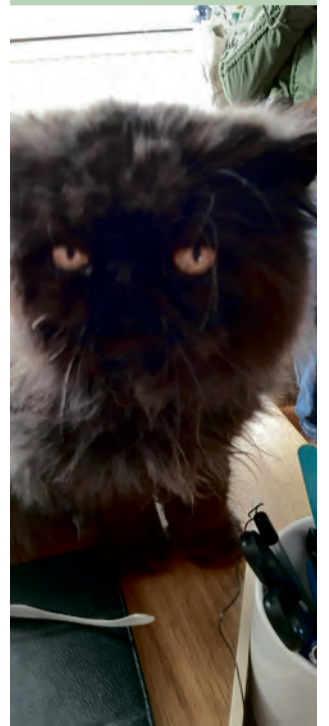
Due to the need to self finance, securing external funding for specific equipment is vital. This donation has enabled the purchase outright of a defibrillator which when required hopefully will save lives. In the words of Alyson Allfree, Rockingham Forest

Trust Director: "We are most grateful to Chicheley Lodge 607 and the Provincial Grand Charity for their generous donation which has enabled us to purchase this defibrillator for Stanwick Lakes. It is reassuring to know that in an emergency in the hub area we have the equipment readily accessible which could help save a life."

Through the initial auspices of W Bro Ken Jackson (who is also a volunteer at Stanwick Lakes), having contacted the Lodge Charity Steward W Bro David Redden regarding the need for a defibrillator, the Lodge members and Provincial Grand Charity recognised the value of providing such a facility for the health of the community.

Missing cat in Higham Ferrers

Missing from Higham Ferrers since July. "Emmie" is a Black Persian with yellow eyes. Please phone 01933 551439, reward offered.



Divas, dance and documentaries

This autumn, Oundle Cinema once again brings an engaging, entertaining and varied programme of films to the area. Starting in September and running right through to January 2020 the season offers award-winners, thought-provoking documentaries and a couple of old-timers that you rarely get to see on the big screen.

First up, based on true story of a Cornish shanty crew is British comedy-drama (we do them so well!) Fisherman's Friends which tells the story of a group of Cornish men who rose to fame from their humble performances on the Port Isaac quayside to raise money for charity. Steve Coogan and John C. Reilly offer fabulous portrayals of Stan & Ollie, offering big laughs and genuinely touching moments, whilst Oscar winner for Best Picture, Green Book observes the heart-warming development of an unlikely, meaningful and unique friendship.

A half-term family matinee welcomes Mary Poppins Returns to the young and young at heart, whilst a special screening of Singin' in the Rain offers an opportunity to see this classic on the big screen once again. The season highlights strong female performances in Steve McQueen's Widows, plus British favourites Keira Knightly in Colette and national treasure Dame Judy Dench in Red Joan – the true story of Joan Stanley, who was exposed as the KGB's longest-serving British spy.

The thought-provoking programme dOCs+ sees four strong feature length documentaries. The season is bookended by two films which investigate the nature of youth culture in the context of two different societies with two very different expectations: Minding the Gap looks at alienated American youth through the lens of skateboarding, whilst Children of the

Snow Land examines children from the remote Himalayas whose parents send them to be schooled in Kathmandu without the possibility of return for a decade or more. Sandwiched between these two films is Facing the Dragon, the exploration of the fate of woman's political and social representation in Afghanistan's nascent and clearly difficult route to democracy and Eating Animals, which focuses on the conditions of factory farming in the USA and the state of animal husbandry itself. Each of the documentaries is followed by the opportunity for discussion and debate with guest speakers, each in their own way providing an insight to the subject at hand. A lively programme not to be missed!

Oundle Cinema is especially pleased to be offering the opportunity of a special double bill in January: recently released docudrama The White Crow captures the brilliance of ballet dancer Rudolf Nureyev, whose escape to the West stunned the world at the height of the Cold War. His flirtation with Western artists and ideas led him into a high-stakes game of cat and mouse with the KGB. This is followed by a never-before-seen high definition restoration of the historic Rudolf Nureyev and Margot Fonteyn 1966 performance of Tchaikovsky's Swan Lake filmed at the Vienna State Opera.



Tickets are £6.50/£3 for Oundle Cinema films and £8 for each dOCs+ screening. Tickets and trailers are available on www.oundlecinema.org.uk, on 01832 274734 or from the Oundle Box Office, 4 New Street, Oundle. Email information@oundlefestival.org.uk to receive email updates about forthcoming films, follow on [facebook.com/oundleinternationalfestival](https://www.facebook.com/oundleinternationalfestival) and @Oundlecinema.

Freemasonry is very much about charitable giving, particularly to local causes. If any male over 21 years would be interested in knowing more about becoming a Freemason, Chicheley Lodge are holding an Open Evening on Monday 7th October 7pm-9pm at Thrapston Bowls Club, Market Road. www.thrapstonfreemasons.org.uk

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- would, in the council's opinion, alter the overall character of the locality by means of scale, use or visual appearance
- would, in the council's opinion, be sensitive due to substantial demolition in a conservation area
- would, in the council's opinion, be sensitive due to development next to a listed building

For more information on "significant" planning applications, visit www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/dcnofification

Bulwick

19/01320/LBC (28/09/2019) (LBRegs)

Repairs and reconstruction of roof structure (prior to thatching) following extensive fire damage at 15 Main Street Bulwick NN17 3DY

Collyweston

19/01299/FUL (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Proposed detached building conversions and extensions to create two residential properties and one new build unit at Wood Farm 11 High Street Collyweston PE9

Duddington With Fineshade

19/01288/FUL (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Retrospective planning consent for replacing artificial Collyweston tiles with blue slate on roof of extension at rear of property and replacing existing damaged Collyweston tiles with Bradstone cement tiles on the roof elevation visible from the High Street at Oak Cottage High Street

Easton-on-the-Hill

19/01314/LBC (28/09/2019) (LBRegs)

Removal of three internal walls within the ground floor of the dwelling house at 37 West Street Easton On The Hill PE9 3LS

Great Addington

19/00446/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Replacement dwelling at 2 Patch Lodge Cranford Road Great Addington NN14

Harringworth

19/01347/LBC (28/09/2019) (LBRegs)

Widening of the opening of Gate 1; Amendment to the Cock and Hen boundary wall; Changes to the internal room layout, including a new black metal flue, relocation of the approved chimney stack and one additional conservation roof light (pursuant to previously consented 16/00649/LBC) at Barns To SE Of Lime Grange Wakerley Road Harringworth

19/01348/VAR (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Variation of conditions 2, 3, 8 and 15 to allow amended internal room layout, appearance, site layout, parking and

boundary wall pursuant to 16/02127/VAR which was pursuant to 16/00131/FUL for the Conversion and rebuilding of the existing ancillary outbuildings to a new dwelling house at Barns To SE Of Lime Grange Wakerley Road Harringworth

Higham Ferrers

19/00974/FUL (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Demolition of existing single storey outbuildings including garage, car port and garden store. Erection of ancillary shepherds hut, new garden shed, 1.8m high sliding gate to the side, to replace existing side gates, and associated works at 1 Hind Stile Higham Ferrers

19/01006/LBC (28/09/2019) (LBRegs)

Retention of 3D Salon name and details on wooden header above main shop window and frosted salon details on main shop window at 4B Market Square Higham Ferrers

19/01318/FUL (28/09/2019) (Art8)

Change of use from agricultural to provide a new football facility by providing a full size 3G football pitch and a pavilion incorporating changing facilities in addition to community and office accommodation (purely dedicated to sports development in the county). A new car park with SUD surface is to be created to serve the new facilities. The remaining site is to be grassed with informal pitches for football training and matches at SP97144 68428 Land Off Newton Road Higham

19/01338/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Proposed conversion of the existing garage into a utility and playroom, along with the extension of the existing drop kerb at 4 Chichele Street Higham Ferrers NN10 8HT

Irthlingborough

19/01304/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Single storey rear extension, with first floor balcony over part of the extension (Revised scheme to 19/00008/FUL) at 29 Lodge Way Irthlingborough NN9 5YJ

19/01306/VAR (21/09/2019) (Info)

Variation of conditions 8 and 4 to allow block paving to be changed to gravel pursuant to 16/00650/FUL Demolition of dilapidated house, erection of a pair of 2.5 storey Victorian style semi-detached houses with a new access drive to the side and double garage behind at 12 Wellingborough Road Irthlingborough

19/01340/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Single storey rear extension at 32 Lakeside Irthlingborough

19/01351/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Partial demolition of existing rear extension to allow for the erection of a single storey rear extension and new area of block paving to front at 47 Lodge Way Irthlingborough

19/00427/VAR (21/09/2019) (Info)

Variation of condition 17 (Plans) and condition 10 (Obscure glazing), pursuant to application number 17/00836/FUL, New build dormer bungalow including access at land adjacent 11 Manor Drive Irthlingborough

Islip

19/01358/FUL (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Removal of lean to extension, replacement with single storey lean to extension and minor internal alterations including new partition walls to form store and pantry, new doorway and

infilling doorway at Rectory Farm House 15 School Lane Islip NN14 3LQ

19/01359/LBC (28/09/2019) (LBRegs)

Demolition of existing lean to extension, replacement with single storey lean to extension and minor internal alterations including new partition walls to form store and pantry, new doorway and infilling doorway at Rectory Farm House 15 School Lane Islip NN14

Kings Cliffe

19/01210/FUL and 19/01211/LBC (28/09/2019) (LB/CA) (LBRegs)

Proposed alterations and extension to existing stables to create grooms accommodation and the removal of 1950s asbestos shed; to be considered in conjunction with the widening of an existing equestrian access and parking at Hall Farm 1 Hall Yard Kings Cliffe PE8

19/01313/FUL (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Conversion of outbuilding to ancillary accommodation at 7 Bridge Street Kings Cliffe PE8 6XH

Oundle

19/01327/OUT (28/09/2019) (Art8)

Outline planning application for the erection of up to 130 dwellings with public open space, landscaping, sustainable drainage (SuDS) and vehicular access points from Cotterstock Road and St Peters Road (All matters reserved except for site access) at OP0038 TL0389 Cotterstock Road

19/01355/OUT (28/09/2019) (Art8)

Outline planning application for the erection of up to 65 dwellings and an extra care facility of up to 65 units on land at St Christopher's Drive, Oundle (All matters reserved except access) at Land Between St Christopher's Drive And A605 Oundle Bypass Oundle

Raunds

19/00709/FUL (28/09/2019) (Art8)

Change of use from existing Care Home to 10 no. residential flats including the alterations at Kingswood House at Kingswood House Hollington Road Raunds

19/01310/VAR (21/09/2019) (Info)

Variation of conditions 4,7,12 and 14 to allow for revised drawings and Tree Survey pursuant to planning permission 18/00877/FUL dated 19.11.18 Demolition of existing dwelling and erection of 3 dwellings with amenity space and parking including modification of existing vehicular access (part retrospective) at Site Of 1 Chelveston Road Raunds NN9 6DA

Rushden

19/01233/FUL (28/09/2019) (Art8)

Proposed 5 light industrial units to replace previously demolished units at Francis Court Wellingborough Road Rushden NN10 6AY

19/01266/FUL (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Change of use from Office and Training Facility (B1) to Activities Centre (D1). External alterations to include removal of existing metal roller shutter door and security grilles to create new glazed front entrance door, with cassette style security shutter over. Disabled access ramps to front and rear entrances. Replacement 1.8m high boundary fencing and gates at 7 West Street Rushden

19/01295/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info) Double Storey Side Extension and Single Storey Rear Extension at 2 Dean Close Rushden NN10 9EH

19/01303/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info) Single storey rear extension, first floor extension, front and rear garage extensions at 26 Wymington Road Rushden NN10 9JX

19/01334/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Change of use of Unit L8 from Food and Beverage (Use Class A3) to Drinking Establishment (Use Class A4) at Unit L8 West Terrace Rushden Lakes Rushden NN10 6FT

19/01371/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Two storey rear extension (partially over existing ground floor kitchen) at 15 Benedict Close Rushden NN10 9PH

19/01376/REM (28/09/2019) (Art8)

Reserved matters: Appearance, landscaping, layout and scale pursuant to planning permission 18/02433/OUT dated 4th July 2019 - Outline: One drive-thru unit (Use Class A1/A3/A5) alongside a petrol filling station (Sui-Generis/A1) (All matters reserved except Access) at Proposed Office Site Adjacent A6 Roundabout John Clark Way Rushden

Stanwick

19/01125/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Rear kitchen and restaurant dining room extensions, infilled with a new glazed link extension. New distillery barn building with additional bar area to rear of existing public house. Retention of roofing/rain screening to the walkway passage between the main P.H. building and the existing function suite barn (commenced November 2018) at The Duke Of Wellington Church Street Stanwick NN9 6PS

19/01294/FUL (21/09/2019) (Info)

Two-storey side and rear extension with alterations at 5 Manor Gardens Stanwick NN9 6PL

Wakerley

19/01312/VAR (28/09/2019) (LB/CA)

Variation of condition 2 to allow for design alterations to include the addition of a first floor extension and the utility room at ground floor approved scheme pursuant to 19/00557/FUL dated 17.6.19 - Single storey extension to the rear two storey side extension at 3 Main Street Wakerley Oakham LE15 8PA

19/01336/FUL and 19/01337/LBC (28/09/2019) (LB/CA) (LBRegs)

Extension work of the 2 existing brick chimneys and adaptation work associated with meeting the current compliance of 1.8 metres above the thatched roof at 2 Main Street Wakerley Oakham LE15 8PA

The reason for applications being advertised is as follows: Part3 - Town and Country Planning (General Development Procedure) Order 2015.

Part16 - Town and Country Planning (General Development Procedure) Order 2015.

Info - Non-statutory - included for information only.

LB/CA - Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas Act 1990.

LBRegs - Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Regulations 1990.

Paul Bland, Head Of Planning Services
Dated 7 September 2019

Consultation deadlines will differ for each application. Please go to www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/planningapplications for details.

From the Vice Chairman...

The month of August is traditionally a quieter time for Councillors, especially with MPs on their summer break, but as the nights draw in and children start to head back to school, there is plenty to look forward to.

With Cllr Hughes on a well earned holiday, I have been looking at what we have got coming up over the next few months.

Firstly, I hope everyone has

got their nominations in for the East Northamptonshire Sports & Physical Activity Awards. If you haven't, don't worry, there are still a few days left to nominate your local, unsung sporting heroes – nominations close on 9th September and full details can be found at www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/ensportsawards.

The winners will be announced during a ceremony on 17th

October and we can't wait to hear about all the great work being done in the sporting community across East Northamptonshire.

But before that, Cllr Hughes will be hosting a dinner dance on Friday 27th September in aid of his chosen charity, Service Six and there are still some tickets available. Tickets can be purchased by calling 01832 742198.

Always a highlight of the year

is the Nene Valley Festival, which returns from 14th–22nd September. Now in its 6th year, the festival continues to grow in strength and size and will kick off with an official launch at Peterborough Cathedral on 14th September.

There is certainly a lot to look forward to and I wish you all a pleasant couple of weeks.

Helen Howell, Vice Chairman of
East Northamptonshire Council



Cllr Helen Howell

Your Health – Lawns and Bio-mechanics

I've been given a present! The Haynes Motor Mower Manual! I love the book (after all, osteopathy is bio-mechanics of the body, so mechanics is my world). Sadly, last week I tried to mow the jungle-height lawn and got so cross with the machine I nearly pushed it into the pond.

There are many reasons I dislike the lawnmower, all of them bio-mechanics-related, and I'd like to remind you of them.

- 1 To switch it on you pull a string. Pulling the string hurts your shoulder and your back and even then the machine rarely actually starts. Every other machine has an app these days.
- 2 Pushing the lawn mower is back-breaking.
- 3 Emptying the grass collection thing breaks fingernails if you have

them, and fingers if you don't.

- 4 Carrying the collection thing is back-breaking.
 - 5 The grass never falls out of the collection thing.
 - 6 The collection thing never fits back onto the mower.
 - 7 Having emptied the collection thing, you then have to start the mower – refer back to number one on this list.
- Normally I have suggestions for how to look after your body, but on this occasion I have no suggestions. Mowing lawns

causes injuries, and that's that.

Still, since having a service with Mike the Mower (07748 220664) my own lawnmower is working fine, just as my body does after an osteopathy MOT treatment! And whilst I love my Haynes manual, I will still use an expert to fix the mower when it breaks, or falls in the pond. Make sure you do the same with the injuries yours causes!

Have a mechanically good week.

Claire

Claire Short is a Registered Osteopath, and runs The Ashgrove Clinic in Higham Ferrers. Send your questions to claire@ashgrovehealth.co.uk or Tweet to @AshgroveClinic

Wildlife News

Autumn is now officially here (1st September) though there could still be more unexpected hot (or cold!) spells to come. Plants in our area, however, have not had weather changes to their schedule and are producing their yearly yield of nuts and berries. This is both convenient and essential for our wild animals; two groups of them are waiting either to fill their energy needs as they set off on their annual 'change of scenery' migration, and at the same time fill winter food for those who are staying with us or arriving for their winter break.

All this needs earlier months to be right, then flowers attract insects to spread the pollen and start the fruit-producing steps. Those insects are affected by many factors, but particularly the weather; in unsuitable conditions some insects struggle to keep their own families alive. Luckily others fill the gaps so the crop does not fail completely (a danger often forgotten, but highlighted in recent months as bee populations have been falling – a possible threat to our own food in the future). Those millions of other insects are

so important as workers, not just colourful dots on the landscape. Nature conservation groups report falling numbers in other species as well as bees. Can anything 'save the day'?

One result of the concern was the amount of information published to suggest steps which would improve the balance of species by sowing or planting flowers to deliberately attract insects (especially butterflies). Some of those plants are now at their showiest; in our garden globe thistles were in great demand, showing how wide a range of bee species, along with various flies, butterflies and hoverflies were always around somewhere. We cannot always see them, particularly when there are only a few of them, but we can all learn what is actually on 'our patch'; gardeners have as much chance as farmers to stop the losses. We cannot cut out some of the problems as the plants are grown, but we can use the evidence of our eyes to choose those extra (and voluntary) helpers to protect crops and ornamental gardens and 'improve' our own pieces of land.

By Roy Burrell



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Dignitaries cement flagship Enterprise Centre

Dignitaries, who have all played their part in the delivery of a new Enterprise Centre at Warth Park, Raunds, signed the last steel frame of the £8 million state-of-the-art facility officially marking the first key milestone in the project.

Leader of East Northamptonshire Council, Cllr Steven North, said: "This project is one of the most ambitious developments we have delivered as a council and it is great to cement the hard work of all those involved by signing the last steel frame of the centre."

"We look forward to working with our partners towards opening the facility which will provide businesses with a first step on the ladder to their success."

Chief Executive of South East Midlands Local Enterprise Partnership (SEMLEP), Hilary Chipping, added: "SEMLEP is dedicated to creating attractive, well-designed places where people want to live and work today, that also

meet the needs of generations to come. This Enterprise Centre will provide a key location for East Northamptonshire businesses to thrive, interact, collaborate and succeed."

Business Development Director at ASHE Construction, Andrew Morris, commented: "We are delighted to be constructing these excellent new buildings that will assist in kick starting local businesses within the region. Having built similar facilities, in other parts of the country, we know how important these start-up units are in developing the local business infrastructure."

"Today marks another important step in achieving this goal as we celebrate the completion of the steel frame structures."

ENC is working with Total Project Integration (TPI) and R H Partnership Architects to deliver the centre, which is anticipated to open in spring 2020. Once open it will offer start-up and growing businesses first-rate flexible

workspace and business support.

ENC received £1.69 million funding from the SEMLEP's Local Growth Fund in order to deliver the centre as part of Enterprising East Northants, the council's economic plan for sustainable job creation and business growth.

The new purpose-built enterprise centre, which will be located at Warth Park in Raunds, will provide a range of flexible units, as well as virtual office support and access to on-site facilities including meeting space and shared office services. Construction has now started and it is anticipated that the centre will open in late spring 2020.

The Local Enterprise Partnership's role is to enhance and promote the area's sustainable growth and, through its Local Industrial Strategy help unlock the challenges and



opportunities faced by businesses. Through its capital investment programme, the Local Growth Fund, SEMLEP invests in a range of projects that improve business productivity, develop local skills in line with employers' needs and enhance infrastructure.

To register your interest or for more information please call: 0808 1787 060 or visit: www.east-northamptonshire.gov.uk/ecen

New website to showcase the Nene Valley and annual festival

The Destination Nene Valley partnership has officially launched a new website promoting the delights of the valley ahead of the 6th Nene Valley Festival which runs from 14th–22nd September.

Funded by the National Lottery Heritage Fund via Nenescape Landscape Partnership Scheme and delivered by the Environment Agency, Nene Park Trust, East Northamptonshire Council and the Nenescape team, nenevalley.net showcases the tourism on offer to visitors and residents with information on places to stay and eat, attractions to explore, maps and a full events calendar throughout the year.

The Nene Valley stretches from Northampton to Peterborough and the annual festival will kick off at Cathedral Square in Peterborough on Saturday 14th September with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 11am attended by members of the Destination Nene Valley board and local dignitaries, with family fun activities on offer at Cathedral Square from 11am–4pm.

Cllr Sarah Peacock, East Northamptonshire Councillor and Board Member for the Destination Nene Valley project, said: "We are very excited to officially unveil the new Nene Valley website and the whole team have been working very hard alongside our partner organisations to make sure the website is the best it can possibly be and really showcases the Nene Valley."

"We are delighted to be able to launch it to coincide with the annual Nene Valley Festival which highlights all the wonderful areas and attractions we have along the River Nene."

Ian Bliss, Waterways Partnerships Manager at the Environment Agency, added: "The Environment Agency has been working successfully with East Northamptonshire Council, the Nenescape Project and Nene Park Trust to develop a new fully interactive website for Destination Nene Valley to promote the river and its surrounding valley. We are really pleased with the outcome and look forward to continue working in partnership with these organisations to further promote the River Nene as a tourist destination for boaters and other river users."

Nenescape Project Manager, Amanda Johnson said: "At Nenescape we are proud to have received Heritage Lottery funding to deliver projects that benefit our local communities. The new website alongside this year's festival is a fantastic representation of our progress to date."

"We hope that people will get out and attend as many events as possible across the duration of the Nene Valley Festival and then continue to visit the valley throughout the year."

This year's festival is coinciding with the National Heritage Open Days event, with Peterborough's Heritage Open Days weekend taking place from 13th–15th September.

Concert hall classics

There is the prospect of some wonderful live classical music in our area over the next couple of weeks.

First, the Oundle International Festival, in association with Oundle School Music Department, presents the Škampa Quartet with the School's Chamber Orchestra on Thursday 12th September in the Great Hall at 12 New Street PE8 4GH. This event begins at 5.30pm with the Škampa Quartet in concert, after which they will coach the School's ensembles on Brahms' Sextet, Clarinet Quintet and a movement from Mozart's Oboe Quartet, before more pupils unite for Dvořák's Serenade for Strings.

The Škampa Quartet is among the very finest of an outstanding group of current Czech string quartets that has represented their country in major concert halls around the world for 25 years. Through their mentors, the legendary Smetana Quartet, they trace their roots to the earliest quartets – such as the Bohemian Quartet – in a land described in the 18th century as the Conservatoire of Europe and that remains, to this day, the very cradle of European Chamber Music.

Education has long been an important facet of their work, and one they find particularly rewarding. They teach in many places around the world but particularly at the Royal Academy of Music in London

where they were appointed Visiting Professors of Chamber Music in 2001.

Elsewhere in the area, the Rutland Sinfonia presents a programme they have named Air, Sea and Land on Saturday 21st September at 7:30pm in the Oakham School Chapel, Chapel Close, Market Place, Oakham LE15 6DT.

The programme for this event includes Walton's Spitfire Prelude and Fugue, Elgar's Sea Pictures and Vaughan Williams' Symphony No 5. The work of the Air Ambulance is recognised with music conjuring images of Air, Sea and Land. Walton's score for the film The First of the Few soon found its way into the concert hall, transformed into his Spitfire Prelude and Fugue. In contrast to this stirring opening, Elgar's beautiful Sea Pictures set to music a series of poems by different authors, including one by his wife Alice. Completing the programme is Vaughan Williams' 5th Symphony, dedicated to Sibelius, and of all Vaughan Williams' symphonies this is perhaps the most 'English'. There will be a retiring collection for the Derbyshire, Leicestershire and Rutland Air Ambulance.

You can get tickets for both events from the Oundle Box Office; for further information use the email address information@oundlefestival.org.uk

Don't miss spectacular Proms Last Night

Northampton Male Voice Choir (NMVC) under its Musical Director Stephen Bell, is holding its Annual Concert at Northampton High School, NN4 6UU on Saturday 28th September.

The choir's special guest soloist will be the stunning cabaret artist and concert soprano, Emily Haig, who has just completed a national tour with Brit award-winning tenor, Russell Watson. Emily is also well known for her many performances singing the National Anthem at major sporting stadiums and, on 1st September, she was joined by members

of a small group of NMVC (known as NMVC Lite) in singing the National Anthem to open Season 8 of the F1A World Endurance Championship at Silverstone.

And if all this was not enough, the fabulous GUS Brass Band, one of the most famous and historic names in the brass band world, will be performing a scintillating selection of music ranging from John Williams's Star Wars to The Dam Busters.

The 90 men of NMVC have been pulling out all the stops learning a brand new selection of songs which will be showcased at this concert such as Adiemus, Phantom of the

Opera and Sit Down You're Rocking the Boat.

The concert will end with a "Last Night" sing-a-long with Emily Haig with favourites such as Jerusalem, Rule Britannia and Land of Hope and Glory.

Tickets are selling fast so, to be sure not to miss a night bursting with music and surprises, be sure to reserve your tickets now from www.ticketsource.co.uk/nmvc or from David Walsh on 01604 831455, www.nmvc.co.uk, www.emilyhaigsoprano.co.uk, www.thegusband.com/index.php

Monday 9th September

Oundle U3A Monthly Meeting
Qeater Victoria Hall, West Street, Oundle
Doors 2pm, members £1, non-members £2, 01832 275933. 'The End of the News' with Paul Needle.

Tuesday 10th September

Alpha Course starts (10 weeks)
No. 1 St Osyths Lane, Oundle PE8 6WF
Meal served at 7.15pm, no charge, booking essential. Rev Martin Hills pastor@oundlebaptist.org.uk or 01832 770010. Alpha offers the chance to explore the Christian faith, ask questions and share your views.

Thursday 12th September

AFC Rushden and Diamonds Quiz Night
Rushden Bowls Club, Northampton Road, Rushden NN10 6AN
7.30pm, £3 per person. Max 6 per table. Glenis 07870 332606 to book a table and for more information. Raffle, retiring bucket collection for Cransley Hospice.

Saturday 14th September

Thrapston Garage Sale (Thrapston, Denford and Islip)
9am-2pm, £5 to register, 01832 730019. Maps available at Plaza Cosy Nook on the day from 8.30am (£1.50 – A3 size).

Book signing – Mark Rogers

Oundle Bookshop
10.30am-12.30pm. Local poet Mark Rogers will be signing copies of his book '.....So,50'.

Horticultural Show

Chichele College, Higham Ferrers 11am-4pm, free admission, Pam on 07928 366766. Higham Ferrers Tourism is reviving Higham's Horticultural Show after a break of 50 years.

Saturday 14th–Sunday 22nd September

Stanwick Scarecrow Festival
Around Stanwick Village with closing ceremony on 22nd in Stanwick Village Hall.
View Scarecrows any reasonable time, closing ceremony 2–4pm. Free entry to closing ceremony, trail maps £1. stanwickpre-school@outlook.com. Find scarecrows and vote for your favourite, maps from Shop@Stanwick, in aid of Stanwick Pre-School.

Sunday 15th September

Higham Ferrers Footpath Group
Saffron Road car park, Higham Ferrers for car sharing 9.30am, free, 07462 422097. Six-mile walk from Twywell Hills and Dales.

Whitefriars Church, Rushden – Morning Worship

Whitefriars Church at Whitefriars Primary School, Boughton Drive, Rushden NN10 9HX
10.15am. Chris Youngman 01933 551769. An informal church service open to all.

Rushden & Higham Ferrers Churches Together in Prayer and Praise

Highfield Community Baptist Church, Highfield Road, Rushden 7.30pm, Andrew Presland 01933 316927. An informal time of prayer and praise.

Open Day

St John the Baptist Church, Achurch, Nr Oundle, PE8 5SL
10am-4.30pm, Carmel Crawley 07730 682299. Free guided tours of this 13th century church. Free children's trail. Cream teas and refreshments.

Monday 16th September Presentation by Dave Eagle FRAS: Astrophotography –**The Basics.**

Chelveston Village Hall, Caldecott Road, Chelveston NN9 6AT.
8pm. Visitors and members welcome, £3 per person, including tea, coffee and biscuits. Kevin 07731890594, email kevinburton07@aol.com. This is an introduction to Astrophotography, and will be of interest to photographers and astronomers.

Tuesday 17th September

Baby Massage Course (4 weeks)
No. 1 St Osyths Lane, Oundle PE8 6WF
10am-11am, no charge, booking essential. Judith Brashaw office@oundlebaptist.org.uk or 01832 770010. For babies 8 weeks–6 months (easier if pre-crawling) and mum or dad.

Thursday 19th September

Joules Seconds Sale – Fundraiser for Action Duchenne
Oundle Primary School
6pm-8pm (6-6.30 preview sale, 6.30-8 main sale), £7.50 preview sale, £5 main sale advanced tickets, £6 main sale on the door. claire.j.burgess@hotmail.co.uk. Charity fundraiser, all proceeds to Action Duchenne, lots of Joules bargains to be had!

RSPB Mid-Nene Local Group Indoor Meeting

Saxon Hall, Raunds
7.30pm, meeting open to everyone admission £3 including tea or coffee, children free. Penny 01933 350404. There will be an Illustrated talk on Hope Farm – Its Successes, History and Research by Ian Dillon.

Friday 20th September

Rushden & District History Society
South End Junior School, Wymington Road, Rushden NN10 9JU
7.30pm, members £1.50, non-members £2.50, 01933 358218 for more information. Douglas Goddard – The History of Abington Park.

Saturday 21st September

Warmington Parish Records Day
Church of St Mary the Blessed Virgin, Warmington PE8 6TE
2pm-5pm, free, 01832 280249. Rare opportunity to view parish registers and many other family/local history documents.

The Swivel Club presents

The KINX tribute show, with full supporting Disco
Rushden Town Bowls Club, Northampton Road NN10 6AN
Doors 7pm, tickets £20 from www.swivelclub.org.uk or Rushden Graphics Alfred Street, The Barbers Shop Wharf Road Higham Ferrers or call 07738080470. The Kinks hits include 'Waterloo Sunset', 'Tired of Waiting', 'Days', and 'You Really Got Me'.

Sunday 22nd September

Come and Meet the Settlers
Stanwick Lakes
10.30am-4pm, free event (car park charges apply), Settlers@rfrust.org.uk or 01933 625522. Come and see Viking re-enactors and try lots of activities for all the family.

Whitefriars Church, Rushden – Morning Worship with Holy Communion

Whitefriars Church at Whitefriars Primary School, Boughton Drive, Rushden NN10 9HX
10.15am, Chris Youngman 01933 551769. An informal church service open to all.

Sacred Sound Journey Evening

Thrapston Plaza Hall, Cosy Nook, Thrapston NN14 4PS
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Every Monday

Stanwick Handbell Ringers Group
The Stanwick Village Hall
7pm-9pm, 01933 623855, see website for more details. Everyone welcome, come and have a go.

Islip Ladies Choir

Thrapston Church Hall
2pm-3.30pm, Barbara 01536 394431

Yoga Classes

Denford Village Hall
9am-10am, £4 per session
Anita Hackney 01832 733274

Titchmarsh Folk Dance Club

The Club Room, High Street, Titchmarsh NN14 3DF
8pm-10pm, £1 inc tea/coffee, Kev Prigmore 01536 514023/
titchmarshfdc@gmail.com

Oundle Ladies Running Group

Oundle pool car park
6.45pm, Jane Walker 01832 272898/janewalkercakes@icloud.com

Bounce and Rhyme

Irthlingbrough Library
10am-10.30am, free. A singing session aimed specifically at babies (or toddlers who are not yet walking).

Every Tuesday

Free and Friendly Health Walks – Kings Cliffe
Meet at the Ex-Servicemen's Club, Wood Road
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Pensioners Club

Rushden Hall
2pm-4pm, Secretary David Robinson 01933 313729. Speakers, bingo and whist. All welcome.

Phoenix Gaming Club (Age 12+)

The Rushden Scouts Hall, Brooke Close behind Orbit Tyres (Skinners Lane, Rushden NN10 OXH)
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aron.phoenix@virginmedia.com

Art Classes (10 weeks)

Knuston Hall, Knuston
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Meet around 7.30pm

Sling Walk

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Short Mat Bowls

Saxon Hall, Raunds
1.45pm-4pm, £3, 01933 624545

Yoga Class

Whitefriars Infant School, Boughton Drive, Rushden
7.15pm-8.15pm, £5 per session, Carole 07873 743256/
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Ringstead's Jolly Good Company

Ringstead Shared Church
10am-11am, £4
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Slimming World

Oundle Rugby Club, Occupation Rd
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Squidgelets Baby & Toddler Group

Islip Pavilion, Toll Bar Road, Islip
9am-11am, £2 per child, 50p each additional child. Find us on facebook "Squidgelets" or call 07392 756391. Stay and play session for under 5's and their parent/carers.

IT Assistance and Advice

Irthlingborough Library
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Every Wednesday

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Art & Craft Class

Oundle Rural Mind, 1 Herne Park, East Road, Oundle PE8 4BZ
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Cambridge First Certificate in English

The Old Town Hall, Market Place, Oundle
9.30am-12.30pm, £25pw, 01832 776336/info@antlerlanguages.co.uk

Jelly Babes Toddler Group

Rushden Independent Wesleyan Church
9.15am

Walk and Chat

Woodford Village - Meet at TiggYWinkles Tearooms, 10b Manor House Farm, Addington Road, Woodford NN14 4ES
9.30am, free. Joe Bailey 01832 742195 or jebailey@east-northamptonshire.gov.uk

Homework Club

Irthlingborough Library
3.30pm-4.30pm
For ages 8-16, access the library's resources for free and have assistance with homework.

Every Thursday

Raunds Bridge Club
Saxon Hall
7pm-10pm, £2.50, 01933 624767

Health Walk

Irthlingborough Library, High Street
10.30am, irthlib@firstforwellbeing.co.uk. A friendly, fun 30-60 min walk (followed by optional refreshments at the library).

Rushden Folk Dance Club

St Mary's Church Hall, Rushden
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Debbie 01604 751019

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Every Friday

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Higham Ferrers
2-4pm, 01933 741286

Walk and Chat

Rushden Hall Park, under flagpole
10am, Joe Bailey 01832 742195/
jebailey@east-northamptonshire.gov.uk

Walk and Chat

Meet at The Black Horse Pub, Nassington PE8 6QU
11am, free, Robert Phipps 01780 782558

Rhyme Time

Irthlingborough Library
2pm-2.30pm, free. A singing session aimed at Under 5s.

Every Saturday & Sunday

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Rushden Independent Wesleyan Church (Entrance Queen Street)
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Sunday Tea

Fotheringhay Village Hall
3pm-5.30pm, £2.50 for tea & cake.
Alexandra Mitchell 01832 226440

Morning Worship

Rushden Mission Church, Wellingborough Road
10.45am, Alan 01933 355302

Morning Church Service

Heritage Chapel, Park Road, Rushden NN10 0RW
10.30am

Ringstead Shared Church

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Mike Freeman 01933 389796/
rbc-rsc@angeladavis.net

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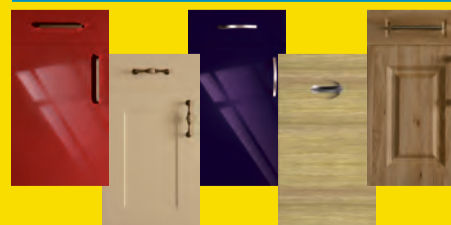
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PUBLIC NOTICES

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (WANSFORD ROAD, YARWELL)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of Wansford Road, Yarwell as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of Wansford Road, Yarwell from Hill House to the county boundary.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during installation of a new water connection.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 23rd September 2019 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted until 4th October 2019.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Old Leicester Road, Wansford Road, Kings Cliffe Road, Wansford Road, Stamford Road, Park Street, Kings Cliffe Road, Main Street, Bridge Street, Nassington Road, Apethorpe Road, Church Street, Station Road and Yarwell Road.

Dated this 7th day of September 2019
DEBBIE CARTER-HUGHES
Executive Director LGSS Law Ltd
PKG/T19/319

If you require any further information please contact Gary Thorp ref:- 19-20-N088 on 01604 883400.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (PUBLIC FOOTPATHS UG1 (PART) & UG2 (PART) - PARISH OF RAUNDS)

(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above Order made by Northamptonshire County Council on 21st March 2019 and which came into effect on 23rd March 2019 has been extended until the works to which it relates have been completed or until midnight on 22nd March 2021 whichever is sooner by the Secretary of State for Transport. Private access to land or premises adjacent to the said footpaths is unaffected.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required due to archaeology works and more extensive construction works.
Dated this 7th day of September 2019

DEBBIE CARTER-HUGHES
Executive Director LGSS Law Ltd
PKG/ROW/335

To view the map for this Order please visit www.northamptonshire.gov.uk and enter "Temporary Traffic Regulations Orders" in the search box. If you require any further information please contact Mike Crosbie on 07753930869.

SCHEDULE

The existing route of UG2 to be closed begins at point A at NGR TL0002 7341. The route travels generally north east for approximately 94 metres to point B at NGR TL0006 7350 at its junction with UG1. The route then travels generally north east for approximately 171 metres to point C at NGR TL0013 7365.

The route is shown by a solid black line between points A – B – C.

The existing route of UG1 to be closed starts at point B at NGR TL0006 7350. The route travels generally north west for approximately 247 metres to point D at NGR TL0001 7374.

The route is shown by a solid black line between points B – D.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES:

The alternative route of UG2 starts at point A at NGR TL0002 7341. The route travels generally north west for approximately 77 metres to point E at NGR TL9995 7344. The route then travels generally north east for approximately 365 metres passing point F at NGR TL0006 7368. The route then continues south east for approximately 76 metres to point C at NGR TL0013 7365.

The alternative route is shown by a broken black line between points A – E – F – C.

The alternative route of UG1 is the same as UG2 as far as point F. From here the route travels generally north west for approximately 154 metres to point D at NGR TL00017374.

The alternative route of UG1 is shown by a broken black line between points A – E – F – D.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (A6 HIGHAM FERRERS BYPASS, HIGHAM FERRERS)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of the A6 Higham Ferrers Bypass, Higham Ferrers as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of the A6 Higham Ferrers Bypass, Higham Ferrers from A45 Chowns Mill roundabout to A5001 roundabout.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during carriageway repairs and associated works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 9th September 2019 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted until 21st September 2019.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use John Clark Way, Station Approach, Higham Road, Northampton Road and A45.

Dated this 7th day of September 2019
DEBBIE CARTER-HUGHES
Executive Director LGSS Law Ltd
PKG/T19/320

If you require any further information please contact Gary Thorp ref:- 19-20-N106 on 01604 883400.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (HIGH STREET, RINGSTEAD)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council intend, not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order the effect of which will be to prohibit traffic from proceeding along that length of High Street, Ringstead as set out below.

LENGTH OF ROAD TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: That length of High Street, Ringstead from Cherry Street to Chapel Street.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during gas service works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 30th September 2019 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted until 4th October 2019.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: use Cherry Street, Back Lane and Carlow Road.

Dated this 7th day of September 2019
DEBBIE CARTER-HUGHES
Executive Director LGSS Law Ltd
PKG/T19/350

If you require any further information please contact Gary Thorp ref:- 19-20-N126 on 01604 883400.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (BARNWELL ROAD & MILL ROAD, OUNDLE/ BARNWELL)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PARKING) ORDER 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from parking along those lengths of Barnwell Road and Mill Road, Oundle/Barnwell as set out below.

LENGTHS OF ROADS TO WHICH RESTRICTION APPLIES: Those lengths of Barnwell Road and Mill Road, Oundle/Barnwell from the junction of the A605 to West Street, Oundle.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required to stop parking during a festival to ensure the bus service still operates.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 15th September 2019 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the road will be restricted for one day.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: n/a.

Dated this 7th day of September 2019
DEBBIE CARTER-HUGHES
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PKG/T19/354

If you require any further information please contact Gary Thorp ref:- 19-20-NN132 on 01604883400.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 - SECTION 14

THE NORTHAMPTONSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS, CHELVESTON & CALDECOTT)

(TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF THROUGH TRAFFIC) ORDER 2019

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Northamptonshire County Council have made an Order the effect of which is to prohibit traffic from proceeding along those lengths of the various roads in Chelveston and Caldecott as specified in the Schedule below.

REASONS FOR RESTRICTION: The restriction is required for safety during telecom ducting works.

PERIOD OF CLOSURE: The proposed Order will come into effect on 16th September 2019 and will continue in force for a period of eighteen months. An application may be made for the approval of the Secretary of State for Transport for the Order to be extended if this proves necessary. However, the restriction specified will have effect only at such times and to such an extent as is indicated by the display of signs prescribed by the Traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2016.

EXPECTED DURATION: It is expected that the roads will be restricted until 13th November 2019.

ALTERNATIVE ROUTES: as specified in the Schedule below.

Dated this 7th day of September 2019
DEBBIE CARTER-HUGHES
Executive Director LGSS Law Ltd
PKG/T19/349

If you require any further information please contact Gary Thorp ref:- 19-20-N125 on 01604 883400.

SCHEDULE (Lengths of roads to be closed)

Road Name	Expected dates	Termination Points	Alternative Route
East Street, Stanwick	16/09 to 01/10	From Grange Road to The Avenue.	Use Grange Road, High Street, Church Street and The Avenue.
Newbridge Lane, Stanwick	07/10 to 21/10	From Grange Road to The Avenue.	Use The Avenue and East Street.
Water Lane, Chelveston	11/10 to 24/10	From High Street to Higham Road.	Use High Street, The Green and Higham Road.
Higham Road, Chelveston	24/10 to 06/11	From Caldecott Road to Water Lane.	Use B660, A14, A45 and A6.
Bidwell Lane, Chelveston	30/10 to 13/11	From Caldecott Road to o/s Duchy Farm.	Use Higham Road and Caldecott Road.



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Michael Bublé and Frank Sinatra fans have an opportunity to experience the next best thing at The Castle Theatre in Wellingborough on Friday 4th October in the musical "Buble Meets Sinatra: The Showdown!".

The 'concert of the century that never was' sees Sinatra transported from his 1950s trilby-wearing zenith to meet today's sensational Canadian contender for his crown. So who will be favourite when their two different worlds collide?

The show features the two superstars' much-loved hits authentically recreated and includes 'Bublé' singing all his greatest hits like Haven't Met You Yet, Me & Mrs Jones, Cry Me A River, Save The Last Dance For Me, Home, To Love Somebody, and 'Sinatra' swinging hits like Strangers In The Night, Fly Me To The Moon, New York New York. And sing along to exuberant duets of songs they've both had hits with such as That's Life, and You Make Me Feel So Young.

Michael Bublé and Frank Sinatra are portrayed with incredible accuracy and will

be backed by a full live band. The show's two world-class impersonators have both received accolades for their performances. Jamie Flanagan's Canadian drawl and vocals are indistinguishable from the real thing, matching Michael Bublé pitch for pitch. Kevin Fitzsimmons, who specialises in impersonating Sinatra at the peak of his vocal prowess, is the only 'Sinatra' in the UK to gain the public approval of the Sinatra family's Europe representative (K Barnes).

Buble Meets Sinatra: The Showdown! is a must-see evening of entertainment where audiences can experience what it would have been like had these two musical icons performed together in their prime. Be captivated by their individual performances and duets of songs they've both had hits with half a century apart.



Buble Meets Sinatra: The Showdown! will be at the Castle Theatre in Wellingborough on Friday 4th October at 7.30pm. Tickets are £24.50 and £16.50, available from the box office on 01933 270007/www.castletheatre.co.uk. Visit the show's website at www.BubleMeetsSinatra.com. Watch the show's trailer here <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UAoLRcYJ1wM>

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