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Thank you to contributors this month. The deadline for the June issue is 22nd May.

Thank you to Penny Fletcher who, this month, has put the Icene together during my absence in hospital. And to Helen Royce, Jos Flitton and Mary Woolhouse for collating distribution while Hilary Rule is away.

Ickleton Village Local Services and Regular Events are altogether in a new format on the back two pages.

Ickleton Platinum Jubilee celebrations starting **Thursday 2nd June** – a whole lot of opportunities to help and take part – see details on page 9.

Ickleton Open Gardens on 19th June - Volunteers invited to help on the day - see page 8.

PARISH COUNCIL May 2022

Refuse collections during May

WEDNESDAY	4 th May	Black bin
Tuesday	10 th May	Blue and Green Bin
Tuesday	17 th May	Black bin
Tuesday	24 th May	Blue and Green Bin
Tuesday	31 st May	Black bin

Please Note

Thriplow Household Recycling Centre is open from April to September between 8am to 5pm, seven days a week. Entrance gates shut 10 minutes before closing time.

It is no longer necessary to book visits to the site. Visits using vehicles or trailers requiring e-permits will be registered by site staff on arrival at a HRC, as they were prior to the introduction of the booking system, with no requirement to book visits in advance.

For more information visit www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/directory/listings/thriplow-recycling-centre

Ickleton Parish Council meeting

Extracts from the meeting on 20th April 2022. Your attention is drawn to the following:

Traffic and highways

Speedwatch

Casualty Reduction and Neighbourhood Team Officers from Cambridgeshire Constabulary recently joined the Ickleton Speedwatch Team for a session

Local Highways Initiative 2022-23 bid:

The bid for funding to enable three village gateways to be installed in the Parish was unsuccessful. The Parish Council noted that the bid by Duxford Parish Council for the introduction of a 20mph speed limit was also unsuccessful.

Rural Crime Report

Bail stacks were recently set alight in Whittlesford and Duxford.

Parishioners are reminder to be vigilant with regard to the possibility of diesel and oil theft due to the increase in value.

The dog bin set alight on Brookhampton Street has been replaced.

Planning For consideration:

Reference: 22/00970/FUL

Proposal: Installation of a modular housing unit to be used for demonstration purposes only at company offices.

Site address: Abbey Barns, The Courtyard, Duxford Road, Ickleton.

This application expired before the Parish Council meeting and the Planning Officer was unable to grant an extension. Therefore, the Parish Council did not comment on the application.

Reference: 22/01388/LBC

Proposal: Listed building consent for woodworm treatment to timber structure in cellar, making good works for alterations and upgrades to mechanical and electrical services, lifting of floorboards, new bathroom and internal alterations.

Site address: 18 Church Street, Ickleton, CB10 1SL.

The Parish Council unanimously supports this application.

Planning Decisions

Reference: 22/00362/FUL

Proposal: Construction of new boundary wall/fence to enclose garden land and the creation of a pedestrian access point in existing wall to allow the erection of a pedestrian gate.

Site address: Dove Barn, Butchers Hill, Ickleton, Saffron Walden

Granted permission.

Reference: 22/00185/HFUL

Proposal: Single-storey rear infill extension

Site address: 108 Frogge Street, Ickleton, CB10 1SH

Granted permission.

Reference: 22/00597/PRIOR

Proposal: Change of use of agricultural building to dwellinghouse (use class C3) and associated operational development.

Site address: Rectory Farm, Grange Road, Ickleton, Saffron Walden

Prior approval refused.

Reference: 22/0218/TTCA

Proposal: S211 Tree Works. 5 Day notice. Laburnum damaged during storm- Fell

Site address: 1 Mill Lane, Ickleton, Saffron Walden, Cambridgeshire

Have no objection to.

Reference: 22/0251/TTCA

Proposal: 5 Day notice Ash - reduce to standing monolith to be retained for habitat by removing all the main branches back to stem. To leave trunk standing at 9 metres. Works required to make the tree safe following the intense storms.

Site address: 29 Frogge Street, Ickleton, Saffron Walden, CB10 1SH

Have no objection to.

Tree Works:

Reference: 22/0437/TTCA

Proposal: 2 X ASH in rear garden - Shorten lateral spread above garage roof by approx. 3m and shape into remainder of canopy. Shorten over-extended limb in middle crown on house side by approx 3m and shape into remainder of canopy. COLLAPSED WILLOW - Coppice on all sides.

Site address: The River House, Church Street, Ickleton, Saffron Walden

Annual Parish Meeting – Wednesday 4th May 2022

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held in the village hall on Wednesday 4th May 2022 at 7.30pm. Parishioners are invited and welcome to attend the meeting. The agenda has been published on the Parish Council website.

The Parish Council is hopeful that Caroline Foster of Urban & Civic, the Project Director of the Genome Campus Expansion Project, will be attending to give a short overview of what Ickleton residents may be seeing over this year and next as the approved proposals are rolled out.

Parish Council Elections – 5th May 2022

The following persons were duly elected Parish Councillors for Ickleton without a contest:

Sian Wombwell
Simon Cheney
Terry Sadler
Tim Pavelin
Philippa Hamilton
Steven Heaney

Therefore, three positions are vacant that can be filled by co-option at the next Parish Council meeting on the 18th of May 2022. Interested persons should contact the Clerk for more information.

Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group East – Funded pond conservation project

Funding is available for restoring old ponds and digging new ponds in certain parts of Cambridgeshire which fall into strategic areas for great crested newts. Ickleton parish qualifies for this funding as some of the land around the village is deemed to be especially suitable habitat for bolstering and connecting existing populations of this endangered species. The Farming and Wildlife Advisory Group is seeking landowners who are prepared to dig or restore wildlife ponds on their land. More information can be found at www.fwageast.org.uk and landowners interested in the project can obtain contact details from the Clerk.

Cereals event – Robert Law Farm, Chrishall Grange 8 - 9 June 2022

The 2022 Cereals event near Chrishall Grange, Cambridgeshire will be held on Wednesday 8th and Thursday 9th June 07:00 – 18:00 hrs. A routing and parking system will be in place for visitors this year to reduce the impact of the event traffic on local residents and commuting traffic. Cambridgeshire County Council are issuing Temporary Traffic Regulation Orders authorising one-way systems and speed restrictions on certain roads for the two days of the event and for the build-up and breakdown period of the event which extends from Thursday 2nd to Sunday 12th June.

The following roads will be best avoided on the 8 and 9th June, particularly at peak periods: the A505 western and eastern approaches to Junction 10 of the M11, Hunts Road and Grange Road Duxford, and Chrishall Grange Road.

Leanne Smith - Parish Clerk, E-mail: clerk@ickleton-pc.org.uk

Fibre Broadband Update

We have two fibre broad band schemes currently operating in the village. The first is funded by Connecting Cambridgeshire covering Southfield, Priory Close, Icknield Close, Back Lane, Coploe Road and Bird's Close. Work on this scheme has been carried out in recent weeks and was due for completion on 9 February. It is now in the commissioning phase for final checks to be carried out before it is handed over to the service providers. Residents will be informed when orders for fibre can be placed.

The second scheme, which covers the rest of the village, is funded by the Government's voucher scheme which residents signed up for. This is due for completion in November and more details will be provided in due course.

Martin Woodhead

Ickleton United Charities – Housing Renovation Project

As reported in last month's Icene, Ickleton United Charities are raising funds to help meet the cost of renovating and extending No 9 Mill Lane – involving a single storey extension, turning the small kitchen into a spacious kitchen/dining room, and adding a WC/cloakroom. It will make a lovely home, with a good sized garden, for a local family who want to stay in Ickleton.

The Charities' Repair Fund - built up to include such projects - will cover part of this. However to pay for the extension we are raising funds, and we're asking Ickleton residents and local businesses to support our project with donations.

We've already received donations and pledges of nearly £4,500 – thanks again to those who have given. We are also seeking grants and loan finance, so if you have any suggestions for organisations that might be worth approaching please do get in touch.

If you would like to help you can donate:

- By cheque payable to "Ickleton United Charities RIN Account No 2 Account", given to John Statham
- By direct transfer
- By online giving
 - Go to justgiving.com
 - Put "Ickleton" in the search box
 - Click on Ickleton Relief in Need Charities

With a big "Thank you" from the trustees for any help you can give.

John Statham, Treasurer, Ickleton United Charities

jstatham100@hotmail.com

WHY ARE THE BELLS RINGING?

This question was asked by several people during the three hour peal last month.

These expert ringers were a group of friends from surrounding counties who get together regularly to ring peals in different churches.

They sincerely thanked me for the experience.

Groups always enjoy Ickleton bells, as although it is nearly 100 years since their installation, they are still considered to be 'lovely bells'.

We always give notice of long lengths such as this in 'Icene'.

We practice on the first Monday of the month 7.30-9.00pm.

At present we also welcome Royston bellringers on a later Thursday in the month for their practice, as their bells have been out of action since the fire.

Remember 1979.

David Lilley

Welcomes

On a beautiful, sunny day recently I made a 'welcome' visit to Bird's Close which is now the home of **Chris** and his partner **Jessica** together with their dog **Sid** (a Jack Russell); also Chris's daughter, **Charlotte**, who regularly spends weekends with them. Chris serves with the Royal Engineers and Jessica is a sales manager with an IT company. They both enjoy playing golf; Chris also plays rugby and Jessica is a keen horse rider. Jessica has local ties, having family in both Little and Great Chesterford. Chris is originally from Shropshire, and says that he is enjoying living in Ickleton, and is really looking forward to being a part of village life.

A very warm welcome is extended to **Chris, Jessica, Charlotte and Sid**, and also congratulations go to Chris and Jessica on their recent engagement.

Elaine Statham

estatham100@gmail.com

GREAT CHESTERFORD & DISTRICT GARDENING SOCIETY

(Affiliated to the Royal Horticultural Society)

Chair - Pauline Gale

Next Meeting Wednesday 1st June – subject to be announced

Recent Meeting

More than 40 members and visitors attended the AGM & Plant Sale held at Ickleton Village Hall on Wednesday 6th April. Pauline reported that a number of planned meetings in 2021 were held on Zoom, which proved very successful and gave an opportunity to 'socialise virtually' for members!

The planned programme for 2022-23 is varied and interesting with some returning speakers and some new. Subjects range from Butterfly Gardens to Birdsong, Perennials and Roses to Self Sufficiency. The Bi-Annual Show will take place on *Saturday September 3rd 2022*.

Schedules for the Show will be available at the May meeting.

Pauline also made a request for new Committee Members to come forward. It is important to recruit new, younger members! Truly, the position is not onerous, with two meetings a year and help in organising events.

Best Bloom Competition 2021-22 There were fewer competitions due to the Covid pandemic.

Clear Winner: Sally Hopkins **2nd** Kathy Heaney **3rd** Pauline Gale.

Competition Subject for May: *Spring Flower* Anyone can enter! One stem only please!

Subscriptions now due

Annual subscriptions will remain at £10. This gives excellent value as it not only admits a member to meetings, but offers discounts at some local Garden Centres, as well as discounts at Dobies Seeds, and Madingley Mulch

Raffle

Thanks to some very generous donations, the raffle this month raised £84 for the Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal.

Planned Outings this year (Money to be collected in advance)

June - *Finchingfield House* July - *Strictly Daylilies* August – *Quercus*

Christine Greet

WETLAND WALKS on the GENOME CAMPUS - every Tuesday in May 12 - 1 pm

Guided walks around the Genome Campus wetlands nature reserve, every Tuesday throughout May and June. They are led by Iain Webb from the Wildlife Trust. Meet on the wooden bridge between the wetlands and campus at 12:00 and discover the wildlife of the wetlands.

David Keating

Brent Pelham Hall Open Gardens

Brent Pelham Hall invites you to their summer Open Gardens, in conjunction with the National Garden Scheme. This event will take place on 4th and 5th June 2022, from 2pm – 5pm each day.

12 acres of formal gardens surround a beautiful listed property – including the Mulberry Garden and the Amphitheatre Garden, walled gardens each with their own character. The Potager boasts willow obelisks of sweet peas within box hedged mini gardens of perennial planting. The Walled Kitchen Garden produces cut flowers and vegetables, where there will be plants for sale each day. There is also the Orchard and Rose Walk. In a further 14 acres of parkland mown paths lead through the Wildflower Meadows and around the two lakes.

Teas, coffees and cake will be served in the estate office. Entry £6.00 for adults and free for children 16 and under. Proceeds will be donated to the charities supported by the National Garden Scheme and also Brent Pelham Church.

CHURCH NOTICES

Vicar	Rev Lydia Smith	revlydiasmith@gmail.com
Churchwardens	Patrick Bloomfield	patrick.bloomfield@hymans.co.uk
	Jenny Duke	jenny@jennyduke.co.uk
Lay Minister	Derek Munday	llm.munday@btinternet.com

For details of joining for prayer, worship, study, and community life, see: www.elydiocese.org.

In emergency please telephone Patrick Bloomfield.

Message from Rev Lydia Rogation, rogation, rogation

How many steps did you take yesterday? Or the day before? If you're the owner of a Fitbit or a smart watch, you'll be only too aware of your mileage - and rightly so. Walking has been found to have many health benefits, so I could commend the Rogation walk between the three Hinkledux churches simply because it's good for you. But that would be to tradition: this isn't just walking, it's addition of company, some stops the countryside and its maker in the Rogation means asking – originally protection – asking God to bless the good harvest. One of the traditional *gang day* – gang being an old because at the centre of the for a walk – travelling around the protection on the area within.



underplay the meaning of the walking improved - with the for food and an appreciation of form of Christian worship. asking for God's guidance and crops being sown, asking for a names for Rogation Day was English word for walking – Rogation celebration was going parish boundary, seeking God's

George Herbert, the 17th century poet and priest, in his book *A Country Parson*, commends the practice – “there are contained therein four manifest advantages: first, a blessing of God for the fruits of the field; secondly, justice in the preservation of bounds; thirdly, charity in loving walking and neighbourly accompanying one another, with reconciling of differences at that time, if there be any; fourthly, relieving the poor by a liberal distribution and largess.”

I particularly love Herbert's third benefit: the community-building dimension of walking together with our neighbours is something that's important for us now. We live such individualised lives today: there are fewer opportunities to gather with people who live near us, but Rogation offers just that.

If you're inspired to join in, this year's Rogation walk and service happens on Sunday 22nd May from 10am. We start at Duxford church with coffee and the beginning of the service, walking on to Hinxtion church and thence to the church at Ickleton as we end our service and enjoy a picnic lunch together.

Lydia

Complines (except Easter week) 7 pm on Tuesdays at Duxford 7 pm on Thursdays at Hinxtion

YOUTHINC for young people year 5 upwards Sunday May 15th Email: jenny@jennyduke.co.uk

(check website for above, and times, and Complines)

Social Media How can families do Social Media well? An informal seminar - Thursday 12th May in Ickleton Village Hall.

Parents, grandparents and anyone interested in exploring the challenges of parenting in a rapidly changing world are invited to a seminar.

Jim and Hannah Overton, parents of a growing family, will host a discussion and sharing their approach to social media in their home. Please RSVP Jenny Duke youthincambs@gmail.com

Services for MAY

Sunday 1 st	8.00 am	Holy Communion	WHITTLESF'D
	10.00 am	Parish Communion and Baptism	ICKLETON
Sunday 8 th	8.00 am	Holy Communion	HINXTON
	10.00 am	All-age service	ICKLETON
Sunday 15 th	8.00 pm	Holy Communion	HINXTON
	10.00 am	Parish Communion	DUXFORD
	5.00 pm	Taize service	ICKLETON
Sunday 22 nd	8.00 am	Holy Communion	ICKLETON
Rogation Sunday	10.00 am	Walk from Duxford via Hinxtton to Ickleton, then Picnic in the churchyard	DUX/HINX/ICK
Sunday 29 th	10.00 am	Service of the Word	HINXTON

Ickleton Society AGM and Talk Thursday 19th May in the Church

All welcome – not just society members

The David Parr House – an extraordinary Cambridge home

Talk by Tamsin Wimhurst at 8.30 pm

Preceded by the **AGM at 7.30** and **refreshments at 8 pm**

Come and hear about the work of The Ickleton Society at our short Annual General Meeting followed by a fascinating talk by Tamsin Wimhurst.

David Parr was a 'decorator artist' who worked for some of our best known Victorian designers of the day such as William Morris and George Bodley. He decorated churches and palaces for those who could afford such decoration but in his spare time he came home and decorated his humble terrace house in the same style. Lived in by his granddaughter until a few years ago, its interior remained a wondrous hidden secret. Now it will be saved, restored and opened up to the public so that many more can enjoy its unique atmosphere.

Tamsin Wimhurst is a Trustee and founder of the David Parr House Charity which was set up in 2014 in order to conserve the house and open it up to the public. She is a passionate supporter of small independent museums, with a special interest in the 'local' where she sees the nation's history unfold through the lives of individuals and their families.

Everyone is welcome, just come along. The talk is free for Ickleton Society members and £3 for non-members but free if you join on the night!

Easter walk, picnic, Easter Egg Hunt, visit to Abbey Barn on Saturday 16 April

On a lovely sunny Easter Saturday a group of about 40 of all ages plus some very well behaved dogs was treated to a walk on private land up to and along the ridge between Ickleton and Duxford parishes. Lewis Duke provided fascinating explanations about local farming and the landscape along the way and the great views gave us a real sense of how large and rural our parish is. Unfortunately, the slight mist in the opposite direction meant we didn't get to see Ely Cathedral. We returned to Abbey Farm for a picnic and welcome rest in the sunshine. The children enjoyed a hunt for Easter Eggs after which some of the grown-ups and older children visited the Grade 2* Abbey Barn. Lewis gave us a bit of history of the barn which dates from the late 13th century or early 14th century and Sarah Mardle of Team Consulting showed us round and told us about how the barn is now used.

We're very grateful to Lewis and Jenny Duke, Peter and Sian Wombwell, Team Consulting and Sarah Mardle for making these events possible.

Photos added to the website

After a rather long break, we've just uploaded a lot of photos of events going back to last summer together with donations to the archive for which we're very grateful as ever. The events include, the archaeological dig at Abbey Farm, the Allotments Society horticultural show, Ickleton Society visits to the former POW camps and walks, the advent windows and the recent litter pick. As usual you can access the Gallery from the home page

of the village website by clicking on the postcard. The new items are shown in Recent Additions as well as the various albums.

Membership of the Society – membership subscriptions are now due for 2022/23. These are being held at the current rate. Bank transfer details are included in the form on page 10. Anyone wishing to pay by cash or cheque can do so at our Easter events or the AGM. We very much welcome new members. As many of you know, your subscriptions benefit our members and the village, going towards:

- maintaining the village archive, in particular, purchasing archive quality storage materials so that unique photos and documents don't deteriorate;
- fees to maintain our webpages which host, among other things, the digital versions of all our photos, some archive documents, and a database of Ickleton baptisms, marriages and burials. These are available to anyone to view and search;
- our membership of a number of like-minded charitable organisations. As well as supporting these good causes, we receive a variety of regular interesting newsletters from them which we forward on to our members. See the membership form at the back of the Icene.

Rachel Radford rachelmradford@btinternet.com

ICKLETON OPEN GARDENS Sunday 19th June

Volunteers, Plants & Cakes Needed Please for Open Gardens

Many thanks to the villagers who have agreed to open their gardens for our popular Ickleton Open Gardens on Sunday 19th June, 11am - 5pm. This year we have 20 gardens open around the village: many old favourites and several new gardens. This event also wouldn't be possible without lots of volunteers willing to help on the day.

We would most grateful to anyone who could do a 1.5-hour shift - be it on the plant stall, selling raffle or entrance tickets or directing cars to the parking area. If you can help, then please contact **Pam Fearn** (pam@cmws.co.uk)

Donations of homemade cakes would also be appreciated - please bring them to the hall on the **morning of Sunday 19th June** with a note of their ingredients. Donations of potted up plants are also needed and can be dropped off at the hall also on the morning of the 19th or in advance to **June Woodward**
Many thanks.

Look out for **raffle tickets** coming through your door during the week of the 16th May. Instructions will be included should you wish to purchase them in advance of the event. We have some wonderful prizes donated this year including: £50 gift voucher from Cambs Cuisine, an Echo Dot from the Wellcome Trust, 6 bottles of Ruinart Rose Champagne from Welch's Transport, Gift Voucher from SKINROOM beauty salon to name just a few.

50% of the proceeds from the event will go towards updating facilities at the Village Hall, 25% to the Motor Neurone Disease Association and 25% to YoungMinds, a mental health charity for children, young people, and their parents. The last two charities were chosen respectively in memory of Ickleton residents Jan Livingstone and Georgina Owen.

We'll keep you updated about the event in ICENE and you can follow our social media pages:

<https://www.facebook.com/IckletonOpenGardens>
<https://twitter.com/IckletonOpenGar>

'GO ON GIVE IT A SHOT' The "DBC200 Club" – a fund-raising initiative by Duxford Bowls Club

Bowling greens and the associated buildings and equipment are expensive facilities to manage.

The committee of Duxford Bowls Club have devised a means of remaining more self-sufficient, by the establishment of a **Club lottery** – the "DBC200 Club".

Membership will be limited to 200, hence the name, and will entitle the ticket holder to participate in six prize draws, at a one-off cost of £12 – equivalent to £2 per draw. The top prize of £250 will be drawn at the Bowls Club's Christmas social, which will be open to the public. Details of this, together with an application form, can be obtained from the Promoter, Peter Dixon (Treasurer of Duxford Bowls Club).

ICKLETON PLATINUM JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

Thursday 2nd June

From 8pm. Ickleton Society Jubilee Beacon Coploe Hill. Lighting of the beacon with Sausages in a bun and cocktails. Free.

Best dressed window or house **all weekend**.

Friday 3rd June

12.30pm - 5pm. 'Big Jubilee Lunch' and old fashioned games on the recreation ground. Hog roast and fresh doughnuts available for sale. Competition for best Jubilee themed decorated wheeled vehicle (wheelbarrow, scooter, bike, pram etc)

5pm -11pm. 'Royal Knees Up' 70 years of music in the hall, card payments only at bar. Tickets adults £4, children free; available in advance from the shop.

Sunday 4th June

10am Jubilee Church Service - With free Jubilee brunch following on the green or in the hall (weather dependent!)

What you need to do NOW!!

- 1) Keep the date for the Beacon BBQ
- 2) Buy your Royal Knees Up tickets by 27th May
- 3) Offer to bake a cake for the Big Lunch
- 4) Plan to decorate your window or house and your royal themed wheeled vehicle!



Further details on all events to follow by leaflet delivered to your door
If you would like to help or donate to cover the cost of events,
please contact Lucy to be added to the whatsapp group.

Did you know



Hearing loss is the third most common physical condition after arthritis & heart disease.

Hypertension



Can be an accelerating factor of hearing loss in adults



Worldwide, over **half a billion people** younger than 65 have some degree of hearing loss

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have a **70% higher risk** of having hearing loss than non-smokers



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Offering competitive rates of pay, our contracts will be based on a 37 hour week. There will be a requirement to do additional hours during evenings and weekends as overtime when required, and there is an opportunity to earn a performance-related bonus payment.

Vacancies range from a minimum period of 6 weeks up to 12 weeks to cover the months from June until October 2022.

REQUIREMENTS:

- For the Agricultural Services vacancies, agricultural and general farming knowledge/experience is preferable along with a full driving license.
- For the Wheat & Seed Supply vacancies, no previous experience/ knowledge is required. Full training will be provided.

**Please send your CV via email to: ukreception@ragt.fr
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The Ickleton Society Membership Form

Annual subscriptions are due 1 April each year, but you can join at any time:

£6 per individual or £15 per family

Payment via cash or cheque made out to *The Ickleton Society* or bank transfer payment with your name as reference

Name.....

Address.....

Email.....Phone.....

The Society takes protection of your personal data seriously and takes care to keep it safe. We will only use your data in connection with, or to let you know about, the activities of the Society or organisations or events which the Society supports. We will only keep your data for as long as needed for your membership of the Society.

I am happy for the Society to contact me by e-mail. **Please tick to confirm:**

Your details will not be passed to third parties. You can let us know at any time if you no longer wish to receive e-mails.

Please complete this form if you are a new member or an existing member whose contacts have changed- even if you have paid via bank transfer - and post/drop it off to:

John Fowler, Treasurer

Alternatively, you can scan and send this form to: ickletonsocietymembership@gmail.com

Ickleton Village

Local Services

COSTCUTTER Village shop Post Office - Opening times: Mon to Fri 8 - 12 midday, Sat 9 - 12.

Post box collection times	Monday to Friday	Saturday
Bottom Butchers Hill; Coploe Rd/Grange road corner	9.00 am	7.00 am
Costcutter shop	11.30 am and 4.00 pm	11.30 am
Great Chesterford	latest 4.30 pm	12 midday
Saffron Walden Market Square	latest 6.00 pm	12 midday

HELP for dealing with Covid 19

The service is continuing for the time being. The names of helpers for any streets is available from me if you need.

Anne-Marie Hoare

Village Hall Bookings – Viliami Mila – v.mila@oulook.com

Police [reporting a crime, non emergency call 101

Neighbourhood Watch – Glynis Hammond glynis.hammond@gmail.com

District & County Councillor – Peter McDonald – Cllr.mcdonald@scambs.gov.uk

Community Warden Scheme - Anita Gilchrist@ageukcap.co.uk

Community Mental Health First Aid Initiative – Jacky [evenings & weekends]

Medical Car Scheme – currently not operating

Speedwatch Team – Terry Sadler– terrywsadler@btinternet.com
and Penny Fletcher – penny@penelopeannefletcher.co.uk

Recycle Medicine blister-packs

Please collect them until you have a reasonable number, and then drop them off at one of the Coffee Mornings (1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month at the Parish Church)

I will then take them to the *Terracycle* recycling point at *Superdrug* in Cambridge. Thank you

Lizzie Molloy

Cambridge Mobile Library

The third Wednesday in each month 12.45 - 1.15 pm. Bottom of Butchers Hill / Church Street or Brookhampton Street. Books may still be PRE-SELECTED IN ADVANCE from the whole of Cambridge Libraries collection, and available to collect. To reserve, contact <https://cambridgeshire.spydus.co.uk> (free of charge).

Food Bank

The foodbank is a way we can share our food with those who don't have quite enough. Ickleton foodbank is given to John Huntingdon Centre <https://johnhuntingdon.org.uk/> in Sawston who arrange deliveries and collections for those who need it.

The emphasis is on hot drinks, soups, tuna, precooked rice, macaroni cheese, spaghetti hoops. Also cereals, (soft easy to eat) baby products, dog or cat food, toiletries. Please leave at the church in or next to the Food Bank box or call me for collection – thank you for your generosity. **Clare Driver.**
clare@domesticblissappointments.co.uk

Food Aid For anyone in Ickleton who wants to ask for food or other groceries (*in complete privacy*) please call Clare who will endeavour to fulfil your shopping list needs

Clare Driver. clare@domesticblissappointments.co.uk

Food deliveries

Generally - **Costcutter village shop** - ☎ 531181 and ask for a delivery.

Meat delivery – Thursdays –Clark & Son [Sudbury] 01787 319330 sales@clarkandsonmeats.com.

Fresh fish van delivery - Monday afternoon - call or text Andy 07773 275134

Fruit and Veg delivery

Fisher and Woods ☎ 581620 sales@fisherandwoods.co.uk

Walden Organics (Rob) waldenorganics@btinternet.com

Fish and Chips (etc) - mobile van on Tuesdays 4.30 - 8 pm Village Hall car park
Pre-orders only. Tel: 07787 603616 info@oceantree.co.uk

Regular Events and Meetings

Souper Saturday Last one **Saturday May 7th** 12 – 2 pm Ickleton Village Hall

Soup, fresh bread, tea, coffee, cakes, in aid of the Arthur Rank Hospice **Anne-Marie Hoare**

Coffee Mornings Tuesdays 3rd and 17th May 10.30 - 12 at the church

All welcome

We are currently sharing coffee morning proceeds between the church and various charities.

The Coffee Morning Team

Ickleton Pub Lunch Club 2nd Tuesday in the month 12 noon

Pre Orders by the Friday before the lunch to jonsmith@supanet.com

The pub's website (for menus) is <https://theickletonlionpub.co.uk>

Please sign up for emails from Jon using this [link](http://eepurl.com/hGIEpn) <http://eepurl.com/hGIEpn>

Jon Smith

Pub Quizes - at the Ickleton Lion Tuesdays at 7 pm

£2.50 per player (£5 for a couple, £10 for a team of 4). Profits will be for the benefit of Ickleton Phoenix Football Club. Prizes are offered by the pub

Thanks to Mike and Claire of the Ickleton Lion for hosting.

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BOWLS

Every Thursday

Village Hall

11 am – 1 pm and 2 – 4 pm

Martin Waters

Cricket Club - Home Games – all on the Rec – see website for details

Froglets

Mondays

9.30 - 11.30 am

Village Hall

Anne-Marie Hoare

Great Chesterford & District Gardening Society - First Wednesday in the month, Village Hall
(details - see page 7)

Blood Donation – Ickleton Village Hall, 30th June

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