

## What's On In Landbeach - June 2019

The end of May ushered in early summer, with beautiful sunny days when the temperature reached the mid-20s°C. Yet, until the 22<sup>nd</sup>, the nights were clear and cold with light grass frosts. A cuckoo was heard calling from the Waterbeach Road fishing lakes on 11<sup>th</sup> May. Swifts arrived in the church tower nest boxes on 8<sup>th</sup> May. We have CCTV in the nestboxes and the church is open during daytime and light evenings, so please do pop in and check the TV screen at the back of the church.

One week younger than Avril (last month's cover girl), but already many times larger, are the treble trouble of my three Shetland ducklings (photo below). Asha, the tiny hen who hatched them out, was very proud of her big, strong babies, but horrified by their complete lack of good hennish table manners. Ducks, sadly, appear to be rather less sophisticated than hens.

DoctorPest from Waterbeach has been here to kill the rats living under the workshop, as they were trying to dig into the coops where the chick and ducklings were. An inescapable decision, but I hated having to do it. Nevertheless, I thoroughly recommend DoctorPest as being both professional and pleasant. You can find his ad on the back page.



Items for July are needed by Th 20<sup>th</sup> June, please. Barbara Le Gallez, 113 Waterbeach Rd, 01223 860283, [blegallez@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:blegallez@yahoo.co.uk).

At All Saints' Church (joint with Landbeach Baptist Church)

Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 6pm

## Songs of Praise! (with tea & cake)

### Regular Church Events

**All Saints' Church** - Rev Paul Butler (860353), Ray Gambell (860757),  
Website: <http://stjohns-waterbeach.org.uk>

**We invite you to join our welcoming and generous Christian family in this lovely historic Parish Church. The church is accessible to all, and we hold varied services and other events for people of all ages.**

Sat 01 - 10:00 Coffee Morning + Bring & Buy

Sun 02 - 10:00 All-Age Service **with Baptism**; 18:00 Joint Songs of Praise

Sun 09 - 10:00 Parish Communion; 18:00 Evening Prayer

Sun 16 - 10:00 Morning Worship, refreshments and discussion group

Sun 23 - 10:00 Parish Communion

Sun 30 - 10:00 Joint Benefice All-Age Holy Communion

Tuesdays 11, 25 - 19:30 at The Old School, United Bible Study Group

Alternate Fridays - Bell Ringing, enquiries welcome - Barbara (860283).

*You can learn this traditional skill here via lessons with qualified tutors.*

**Landbeach and Milton Baptist Church** - Mo (01954 202402),  
Maureen (01954 250118)

**We meet each week to worship God, to learn more about the Christian faith, and enjoy fellowship. We are a warm and welcoming church who would love others to join us.**

Sun 02 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship with Communion,  
led by Liz Herrington

Sun 09 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship, led by Andrew Dalwood

Sun 16 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship, led by Rev Norman Setchell

Sun 23 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship, led by Rev Ian Randall

Sun 30 - visiting Zion Church in Cambridge

Sunday Evening Worship at 18:00; venues vary; please ring one of the above contacts for more information

Every Wed - 18:30 Craft Group, Jen Coxon (01954 202402)

**Film Afternoon** - Tu 04 - 14:00 Baptist Chapel, "Letters to Juliet", tea & cakes, all welcome. Lifts: 01954 202402.

# Tithe Barn Summer Events

*All with free entry, refreshments available*

## Romeo & Juliet

Thursday 20th June, 6pm

*Reduced version of Shakespeare's tragic love story,  
by the Cambridge School of Visual & Performing Arts.*

## Fen Edge Festival Open Days

Saturday 22nd & Sunday 23rd June, 1-5pm

*Try your hand at traditional style games  
including Quoits, Merrills and Field skittles, or dress up.  
Rare Golden Guernsey goats are making a guest appearance.*

*Free mini bus to and from the Festival in Cottenham.*

## Tithe Barn Talk

Saturday 6th July, 2pm

*Join Dr Adam Menuge, from the University of Cambridge,  
as he gives an account of the Tithe Barn and its development,  
in the wider context of vernacular farm buildings.*

### **Landbeach Society programme for rest of 2019**

**Sat 22 June** - Summer Luncheon in church and (if fine) churchyard

**Wed 18 Sep** - Cambridge Bonfires with Sean Lang

**Wed 18 Dec** - Christmas Celebration with Cottenham Brass

## Regular Village Events

**Busytots Baby & Toddler Group** - each Weds - 10:00 to noon, V. Hall.

**Indoor Bowls** - Tuesdays - 19:30 to 21:30 Village Hall, Terry Pauley (860600) or Mike Park (860918)

**Knit & Natter** - Wed 05 - 14:30 to 16:30 at 10 Matthew Parker Close (contact Marion Lant 860787)

**Landbeach Painting & Drawing Group** - Weds 05, 19, 26 (last meeting) - 10:00 to noon, All Saints' Church. June & John (860669), Gill (07920 448560). £2.50 incl coffee.

**Line Dancing Group** - Tuesdays - 18:30 to 19:30 Baptist Church. Beginners and improvers welcome. Nancy (861332) or John (01638 601253). £5

**Lunch Club** - Tu 11 (2<sup>nd</sup> Tu of month) - 12:15 for 12:30 Village Hall, book with Gill Diver (861151) - £5

**Mobile Library** - Fri 21 (3<sup>rd</sup> Fri) - 13:30 to 14:00 opp. High St bus shelter

### **SING FOR FUN – NOW FOR EVERYONE**

Thursdays in term-time - Coffee & biscuits 10:45, singing 11:00 to noon, Baptist Church. Songs old and new, including songs from musicals. Requests a speciality! £5 per person / couple, carers free.

**Village Coffees** - Th 20 - 10:00 to 11:30 Village Hall Lounge. Do come and join us for refreshments and a chat. Info: Margaret, 860128. £2.50

**Wednesday Club** - Weds 12 & 26 - 14:30 to 15:30 at Landbeach Baptist Church. Gentle, chair-based exercise, tea and friendship. £2. Thereafter on summer holiday until Weds 11 SEP.

**W.I.** - Wed 12 - 19:30 Village Hall. "The Story of Liquid Gold". Info: 860692

### **Electric fencing in Worts Meadow (FOWM) -**

In the first two weeks of this month we will be erecting two strand temporary electric fencing (battery run) around the main field pond and the moat. This is a trial to keep the cattle out of these areas, as the moat edges in particular have been badly poached by trampling feet over the past years. This has led to overflowing of the moat and reduction in the diversity of wetland and edge plants, especially flowering rush and sweet rush (which the cows love to eat!). The aim is to improve the reserve for everyone.

**Please keep your dogs on a lead whilst the cattle are in the field.**

## **The Landbeach Society Lunch**

**will take place on Saturday 22 June  
in All Saints' Church (and the churchyard, weather permitting),  
starting at 12.30pm.**

**If you plan to attend please contact  
Joan on 441769 or Margaret on 860128.**

**No charge but cash donations are invited to cover costs.**

### **Catch it this month**

**Friends of Worts Meadow AGM** - Wed 29 MAY - 19:30 Village Hall.  
AGM with wine & cheese and talk by Steve Parnwell "A day in the life of  
an ecologist".

**Friends of Worts Meadow Dawn Chorus** - Sat 01 - 05:30 Meet Village  
Hall car park. Dawn Chorus walk followed by breakfast.

**Friends of Worts Meadow Pond Dipping** - Sat 01 - 14:30 Meet at  
main pond in Worts Meadow field

**Waterbeach Military Heritage Museum** - Sun 02 & Wed 05 - 10:00 to  
16:00. First Wed and Sun of the month up to and including Oct. Free.

**Waterbeach Feast** - Sat 08 - 14:00 Parade

**Friends of Worts Meadow Work Party** - WED 12 - 09.30. Meet at  
Bourne Wood entrance gate.

**Landbeach Society** - Sat 22 - 12:30 - Summer Luncheon in church and  
(if fine) churchyard. See box above for details.

### **Book these dates**

**Waterbeach New Town Community Fora** - 10 JUL & 9 OCT. To sign up for  
the mailing list, go to [www.scams.gov.uk](http://www.scams.gov.uk) & search for Waterbeach Forum

**All Saints' Church Garden Party** - Sat 13 JUL - 14:00 to 16:00

**Amey Community Liaison Group Meeting** - Th 18 JUL - 18:00

**Friends of Worts Meadow Work Party** - WED 24 JUL - 09.30. Meet at  
Bourne Wood entrance gate.

**St Clare Service** - Sat 10 AUG - 18:00 Denny Abbey. Eucharist  
followed by a bring-your-own picnic, outside if fine or in the abbey if wet.  
All are welcome. Please bring your own seating and picnic.

### **Notices**

**Beaches Community Car Service** - Booking line 07807 875878

**Landbeach Village Hall Bookings** - Anne Bullman, 01223 860692

**Landbeach Tithe Barn Events** (Registered Charity Number 1167108)

***The Tithe Barn Trust is over the moon to announce that we have received a grant offer for £100,000 from the Amey Community Fund, a significant step forward in securing the £242,000 needed.***

### **Autumn Events**

**Heritage Open Day** - Sat 14th September - 1pm-5pm

See the unique Grade II Listed timber frame Tithe Barn for yourself.

**Outdoor Gym** - Sat 9th November - 10am-1pm

Get active and involved and help us tidy the hedge and meadow strip. Session led by our own Landscape Architect and Horticulturalist.

**Carols** - Sat 7th December - 2.30pm

Start your festive season with Carol singing and enjoy mulled wine or fruit juice and mince pies. Wrap up well.

Free admission to all our events, but of course donations are welcome towards the restoration of the Tithe Barn. Thank you for your support.

*Tithe Barn entrance opposite 2 Waterbeach Rd, Landbeach, CB25 9FA*

### **Contact us**

[www.tithebaritrust.org.uk](http://www.tithebaritrust.org.uk)

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FB: [FriendsofLandbeachTitheBarn](https://www.facebook.com/FriendsofLandbeachTitheBarn)

E-news: [www.tinyurl.com/z9d4s4p](http://www.tinyurl.com/z9d4s4p)

07986 717958

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**Donate** at <https://www.totalgiving.co.uk/mypage/TitheBarnTrust>

**Become a Friend** - <http://www.tithebaritrust.org.uk/become-a-member>

**Volunteer or become a Trustee** - email us to find out more.

### **Waterbeach Independent Lending Library**

*Mon 3-5 pm, Wed 3-5 pm & 6-8 pm, Fri 3-5:30 pm, Sat 10-noon*

*Still open during the building work at the School*

In the Community Room at the rear of the Waterbeach School site. You can use your County Library card. Free Internet access. Free wi-fi.

Find us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/WaterbeachLibrary>

### **Busytots baby & toddler group**

Every Wed 10am - 12 noon @Landbeach Village Hall

Kids can get hands-on at this baby and toddler group: weekly craft activities, toys, snacks - and either a sing along or story time  
£1.50 single-child families, plus 50p per additional child

Find us at [facebook.com/LandbeachBusytots](https://www.facebook.com/LandbeachBusytots)  
or email Claire via [busytots1@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:busytots1@hotmail.co.uk)

## **Village Hall 100 Club -**

May                    £20 no. 36        £10 no. 15        £5 no. 45  
June                   £10 no. 7         £5 no. 19

**Landbeach Community Facebook group** - a friendly forum for our local community to share news, ask for help, introduce activities and groups, or just to say hi. Feel free to visit the group and ask to join.

## **Landbeach Parish Council**

*Clerk - Maria Sylvester, [Landbeachparishcouncil@gmail.com](mailto:Landbeachparishcouncil@gmail.com) 07724 047656*

Please do report any problems you have to the Clerk. Just leave your contact details and she will be happy to call you / respond to messages.

**Facebook for PC** - <http://www.facebook.com/landbeachparishcouncil>

**Parish Council meetings 2019** - 3 Jun, 1 Jul, 2 Sep, 7 Oct, 4 Nov, 2 Dec

**Reporting crimes or concerns to the Police** - you can use  
<https://www.cambs.police.uk/report/Report-Shared/Report-a-concern>

**South Cambs 'What We're About' Facebook video** - is at  
<https://www.facebook.com/SouthCambridgeshireDistrictCouncil/videos/301743747412455>

**Sunshine Sports & Activity Club** - Friends of Histon and Impington Recreation are running this new inclusive and accessible activity club for adults, including provision for those living with memory loss and their carers. They are keen to attract people who might enjoy attending. Further information is available at [www.hifriends.org.uk/recsunshine](http://www.hifriends.org.uk/recsunshine), or contact Neil Davies on 01223 232514, [neilsdavies12@gmail.com](mailto:neilsdavies12@gmail.com)

### **The Old Forge Landbeach Sports & Social Club Opening Times -**

<b>Monday - Thursday</b>	only if Darts Night
<b>Friday</b>	5:30pm-10:30pm
<b>Saturday &amp; Sunday</b>	noon-3pm

Located at the end of the Village Hall building

### **Landbeach Village Hall is available for hire**

Excellent facilities for children and adults, competitive prices.

For further info and a booking form, visit [www.landbeach.org.uk/directory](http://www.landbeach.org.uk/directory) and click 'Village Hall' or call Anne on 01223 860692

### ***St John's and All Saints' "Making Sense" Series 2019***

7pm in the Church Room, St John's Waterbeach

16th June, ... **War in the Old Testament Texts.** *Revd Dr Philip Jenson*

7th July, ... the **Book of Exodus.** *Revd Dr Mark Scarlata*

## Announcements

### Ted Gazeley

The amount raised for Dementia UK  
at the funeral of Ted Gazeley  
was £ 346.50.

Thank you all very much. Joyce Gazeley

### Landbeach Painting & Drawing Group

After 12 happy years, Landbeach Painting & Drawing Group  
meet for their final meeting on Weds June 26<sup>th</sup>.

John and June thank all who have supported the group  
during those years.

### DoctorPest

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Contact Bill Dixon on 07889295949

or Stephen Flack on 07790996153

or the Cambridgeshire Beekeepers Association

at <https://www.cbka.org.uk/>

Or see the British Bee Keeping Association swarm collectors list

at <https://www.bbka.org.uk/swarm>