What's On In Landbeach - February 2023

Another cold snap in mid-January, and Christmas cheer now seems oh, so long ago! But bulbs are poking their heads up in our gardens, birds are singing and elder trees are sprouting leaves, so spring is not far away.

How lovely to see sheep grazing on stubble in the field along Waterbeach Rd. What a welcome piece of sustainable farming – weed control and fertiliser all in one portable package! Please remember this is not a public footpath - don't walk dogs there.

Consultation on Waterbeach to Cambridge Busway –

This goes through Landbeach!

Please come to

Landbeach Village Hall, Weds 8th Feb, 4pm to 7pm

when the Busway team will be there to hear your views on
route options, related active travel links
and also potential sites for the new Waterbeach P&R

Or visit http://www.greatercambridge.org.uk/waterbeach-cambridge-23

Consultation open until midday on Fri 24th March

Here are the sheep grazing alongside Waterbeach Rd:



Items for Mar are needed by Mon 20th Feb, please. Barbara Le Gallez, 113 Waterbeach Rd, 01223 860283, blegallez@yahoo.co.uk

All Saints' Church

Community Lunches, Community Breakfast Church and Community Forest Church all now resumed

Church Services

All Saints' Church - Rev Paul Butler (860353), Ray Gambell (860757),
Website: http://stjohns-waterbeach.org.uk
FB "St John's Church, Waterbeach & All Saints' Church, Landbeach"

We invite you to join our welcoming and generous Christian family in this lovely historic Parish Church. If you know of anyone who needs support from the church, please tell us by contacting
Rev Paul Butler revpbutler@gmail.com or
Jane Oakes janemaryoakes@gmail.com

Sun 05 - 09:30 Community Breakfast Church

Sun 12 - 10:15 ST JOHN'S WATERBEACH Joint Holy Communion;
16:00 (note time) Holy Communion

Sun 19 - 10:00 Morning Worship; 10:45 Community Forest Church;
16:00 Sung Evensong

Wed 22- 19:00 ST JOHN'S WB Holy Communion for Ash Wednesday

Sun 26 - 10:00 Holy Communion

Landbeach and Milton Baptist Church -
For further information - Maureen (01954 250118), Mo (01954 202402)

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.

This month's theme "We Have An Inheritance"

Sun 05 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship with Communion,
led by Andrew Dalwood - "Who will not inherit?"

Sun 12 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship, led by Dominic Jackson -
"How Do We Respond?"

Sun 19 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship, led by Lizzie Herrington -
"How Do We Behave?"

Sun 26 - 10:30 Sunday Morning Worship, led by Robin Agnes -
"What about the Spirit?"

Ukraine

South Cambridgeshire District Council are always looking for more paid hosts for Ukrainian families. Please contact them if interested. Support is available to you and your Ukrainian guests.

I'm bored! What can I do?

Landbeach and Milton Baptist Church Activities

Craft Group - every Wednesday, 2pm to 3:30pm. A group for fellow-crafters to craft together. Info: Jen Coxon (01954 202402). Cost £1.50.

Exercise Group - every Tuesday afternoon, 2:30pm to 3:30pm. Exercises for improving posture, joints and muscle tone, followed by refreshments. Transport can be arranged - contact Maureen on 01954 250118. For both women and men. £2.

Line Dancing - every Tuesday evening, 6:15pm to 7:15pm. Led by John Hanlon. Contact: Nancy on 861332. Cost £5.

Landbeach W.I.

2nd Wednesday of each month, Village Hall, 7:30pm
Contact - Anne Bullman, 01223 860692

Wednesday 8 Feb My Creative Journey *Amanda Sutherland*

Landbeach Luncheon Club

February Luncheon Club at the Village Hall

Tuesday 14th February (2nd Tuesday of the month). Time: 12.30pm.

A two-course meal for only £6

If you would like to book a meal please ring Gill Diver on 861151.

FOALs Programme for 2023 (First half)

Thur 20 April **Hidden Attractions of Sustainability!**
and AGM, 7:30 - 9:00 pm

Sat 22 April **Garage Sale**

Sat 6 May **Coronation Weekend. Event in Church, BBQ**

Sat 20 May **Gigs with Local Group** (evening event)

Thur 15 June **The Cambridge you Never Knew** (evening event)
by Rosie Zanders; professional Cambridge Guide, presenter and author

Sat 15 July **Village Weekend; Garden Party, Fête, Barn Dance**
(lunch time onwards)

Friends of Worts Meadow (FOWM)

For details, contact Frances on 01223 861836 or frances.dipper@sustenergy.co.uk or join our email list.

Work parties: 9:30am, fourth Wednesday of each month (not Aug/Dec). This month it's Wednesday February 22nd.

Landbeach Coffee Shop

In Village Hall, Every Saturday, 10am - 2pm

Coffee, Teas, Cold Drinks, Cakes, Selection of hot and cold food. Children's menu and Takeaway available.

If you would like to help and be included on the rota, ring Colleen on 860578 or Gill on 861151.

Friends of All Saints' Church, Landbeach (FOALS)

Opening up our Parish Church building to community projects
Great acoustics, space, good light, heritage, heating, servery, Wi-Fi
foals.info@gmail.com, 01223 861836, john.buckley@sustenergy.co.uk
Find us on FB - "Landbeach Community and "FOALS"

Our First Event of the Year:

Alcohol in our History

Science / History / Culture / Samples
And Mix the Perfect Cocktail for Valentine's Day!

Saturday 11th February 7:30 – 9:00 pm**,** All Saints' Church

No charge; Donations Welcomed
Refreshments Available. Cash Bar
First Drink Free for FOALs Members!

St John's and All Saints' "Making Sense" Series 2023

All sessions are held in the Church Room at St John's Waterbeach, starting at 7pm. As always, there will be opportunities for comment, conversation and questions - and the refreshments of course!

Making Sense of …

Sunday 26th February
Mission Teams, *Rev Dr Ian Silk*

Sunday 12th March
Trauma in the Hebrew Bible [Old Testament], *Dr Alison Gray*

Sunday 21st May
Movements in World Mission, *Rev Dr Ian Randall*

The Old Forge Landbeach

Motown and Soul Disco Night

Fri 10th March 7.30pm till 11.30pm

£4 a ticket for club members

£5 for non members

Tickets on sale NOW at the social club bar

Village Coffees

We look forward to seeing you in the Village Hall lounge
on Th, 16th Feb, 10am to 11.30,
and every month on the third Thursday.

Cost £2. Enquiries to Margaret, 860128.

Keep Waterbeach Rural

The Campaign to protect the rural nature and identity of Waterbeach. Find us on FB "Keep Waterbeach Rural".

Announcements

Landbeach Village Hall is available for hire

Excellent facilities for children and adults, competitive prices.

Find us on Facebook "Landbeach village hall" – please Like our page. Updates and events will be posted there.

For further info and a booking form,
visit www.landbeach.org.uk/directory and click 'Village Hall'
or email villagehall@landbeachvillage.co.uk
or call Aaron/Carrie on 07942361194

The Widows' Trust (Charity Reg.No:265254)

has money to help Landbeach residents in financial hardship.
ANYONE living in Landbeach can apply.

The form is available on the village website. If you can't fill in all the details, please fill in what you can and return it to The Old School, 2 Green End, Landbeach. The Trust will help you to fill in the rest.
Or you can go for free, confidential assistance to the Warm Hub at All Saints' Church on Wednesdays.

Village Hall 100 Club

If you were a member of the Village Hall 100 club for the last year you will receive a hand-delivered application form for the coming year. If you were not a member last year please consider supporting the Village Hall Improvement Fund by downloading the application form with this issue of What's On, printing a copy and completing it in accordance with the instructions. Thank you.

A message from our new Parish Clerk

Hello, I am Melanie Lombardi, lived in Waterbeach for 22 years - originally born in Arbury, Cambridge.
Have many years' experience in office work, including an office manager for a local charity.
Currently working for AGE UK as the Warden for Waterbeach, Landbeach and Chittering.
I am looking forward to adding to my skills as Landbeach Parish Clerk and interested in finding out more about local parish councils.

Village Hall 100 Club

Jan	£20 no. 52	£10 no. 5	£5 no. 55
Feb		£10 no. 4	£5 no. 29

Landbeach Tithe Barn (Registered Charity Number 1167108)

February (date tbc), **Outdoor Gym,** 9:30am-12:30pm. Free.
Get active and involved and help us tidy the hedge and meadow strip to the Tithe Barn. Led by our own Landscape Architect and Horticulturalist.

'Ensuring the long-term survival of the rare and ancient Tithe Barn, by breathing new life into the site, for everyone to enjoy.'

Free admission; donations welcome. Thank you for your support.

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

www.tithebarntrust.org.uk E-news: www.tinyurl.com/z9d4s4p
email tithebarntrust@gmail.com 07986 717958
FB: FriendsofLandbeachTitheBarn Twitter: @TBarnT

Donate at https://www.totalgiving.co.uk/mypage/TitheBarnTrust
Become a Friend - http://www.tithebarntrust.org.uk/become-a-member
Volunteer / Trustee - https://do-it.org/organisations/tithe-barn-trust

Please follow us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter

The Old Forge Landbeach

AGM Fri 10th Feb, 7pm for 7:30 start

Weds	5-7pm
Th	6-10pm
Fri	5-11pm
Sat	12-2pm on alternate weeks
Sun	12-3pm

New Members Welcome. Membership from £8 per year.
(You don't have to be a member to buy from the food trucks.)

Sorry, no food trucks this month

Community Cupboard always open @ All Saints' Church

Please help yourselves with our love. Open 24/7 in church porch.
Restocked frequently.

This is a **Zero Waste Cupboard**.
We would love everyone in the village to help combat waste by using it.

Warm Hub NOW OPEN at All Saints' Church

Wednesdays, 11.30am - 4.30pm

Warm Hubs are designed to support residents this winter. Run within existing community spaces, they are safe, warm and friendly environments that local residents can visit to enjoy refreshments and social activity, obtain information and advice, and share the company of others. The network of Warm Hubs is community-led; coordinated and hosted by trained volunteers, within the heart of local communities.

The Hub is a collaboration between South and East Cambs District Councils, with funding from the local NHS Integrated Care System. The project is being delivered by charity Cambridgeshire Acre.

Oh no! Not another form!

Are you missing out on grants/benefits because you "don't do forms"?

Help is at hand!

The All Saints' Church Warm Hub on Wednesdays
(see above)

provides **free,** non-judgmental, **confidential** assistance.

Just turn up and ask to speak to Jane Oakes.

Ring for the King!

Saturday 6th May 2023

Bell Ringing will form a big part of the Coronation Celebrations.

Start to learn now with the Landbeach Bell Ringers
and take part in May!

Our trained teachers can teach you
the fascinating art of change ringing
on tower bells and handbells.

Then stay with our band for a lifetime's interesting hobby –
ringing for services and community events,
going on outings, ringing peals.

A great mental and physical workout, suitable for all the family.

Contact Barbara Le Gallez, 01223 860283, blegallez@yahoo.co.uk

Parish Council details

Melanie Lombardi (Clerk)
landbeachparishcouncil@gmail.com
Telephone: 07724 047656

Please report any problems to the above number.
Please leave your contact details
and the Clerk will be happy to call/respond to messages.

The next Parish Council meeting will
be held on 6 February 2023 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

LANDBEACH PARISH COUNCIL

‘What’s On’ February 2023

1) **We have a new clerk!!** Melanie Lombardi. And she is now all set up and taking actions on behalf of the PC.

2) **The Waterbeach to Cambridge Busway and Park&Ride Options Consultation**.
Note there is an in-person event in the VH, next Wednesday, 8 Feb 4-7pm. Very short notice! There will be other chances to go to in-person events in Milton and Waterbeach.

3) **Wildflower meadow** - a quote for maintaining this seemed rather high in the context of the cost-of-living crisis. We would like to get more volunteers involved in supporting this. It should look good in the spring but needs nurturing to continue to flourish. (Hopefully we can time work parties to coincide with a social cup of coffee/bacon roll on a Saturday or drink on a Friday evening.)

4) **Litter pick** –Saturday 11th Feb at 10am.
Please meet at the village hall car park for equipment.
A drink and cake in the village cafe will be provided for all volunteers after this.

Stagecoach Buses – There are two buses each way every hour coming through Landbeach. The cost to Cambridge was initially £6.60 for an adult return which seems expensive, but otherwise the service has been well received. But, from 1st January until 31st March 2023 all single fares will be £2 or less. The £2 Bus Fare Cap scheme has been launched by Department for Transport and the government’s Help for Households initiative. There are no exclusions within the East network and so this offer will apply across all services.

Waterbeach, Landbeach and Chittering Community Warden

Supported by AgeUK
Helping people aged 60+ to live independently in their own homes

Why not try it FREE for 2 weeks? Call Melanie on 07977 219403

Our service is person-centered and flexible to support your needs. We:

do practical errands
offer companionship
make phone calls on your behalf
help you access other professional services
telephone every weekday to check you are ok
support you to access community groups and facilities

Beaches Community Car Service - **Booking line** 07807 875878. For trips to hospital, doctor etc. Please give as much notice as possible. Charge 30p / mile.

URGENT! Volunteer drivers needed for
Beaches Community Car Scheme

Call 07807 875878, or email m.dean@ntlworld.com. **THANK YOU!**

Keeping in Touch with your Community

Village website: https://landbeach.org.uk

and Facebook group “Landbeach Community”

Waterbeach Library (at rear of Primary School site)

https://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/directory/listings/waterbeach-library

www.facebook.com/WaterbeachLibrary

Monday	2.45pm - 5.00pm
Wednesday	2.45pm - 5.00pm
Wednesday evening	6pm - 8pm
Friday	2.30pm - 5.30pm
Saturday morning	10am - 12pm

Mobile library

2nd Friday of the month, 11:25 am - 12:00 pm
Outside High St bus shelter (near crossroads)