



Wroxham and District  
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## **NEWSLETTER JUNE 2016**

We thank Bob McKee for the work he has done on the committee, as Vice Chairman and in ensuring we all get our national magazine, and hope he will soon come back to full health. There is now a vacancy on the committee, so if anyone would like to do a stint please speak to the Chairman. We meet about once every 2 months.

At our **General Meeting** in May we heard John Bryant talking about his life as a fighter pilot, flying mostly Lightning aircraft and being in a constant state of readiness. He loved the camaraderie.

On **June 21<sup>st</sup> at 2.30pm** at The Hub we look forward to a talk by David Reeve, Royal Protection Officer at Sandringham.



### **Activities**

**Walking:** always on the first Monday of the month. Maggie Lomax will no doubt circulate details nearer the time If you are coming ring Maggie 01603 783870

**Music:** All are welcome at the home of Brian Keane, Prior Thatch, Beech Road, Wroxham on **Weds 1 June, 15<sup>th</sup> June and 29<sup>th</sup> June at 2.30 pm** to hear some of Brian's vast store of recordings. Brian also encourages people to bring their own to be played if they wish. Brian 01603 782774

**Painting for Pleasure:** The weather has not been warm enough yet to go out, hopefully June will be better. Meet at The Hub on **Weds 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> at 2.30 p m.** Bob McKee 01603 783639

**Photographic/Camera Club:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month. Mary Long writes: "The May meeting subject was a very broad aspect of Churches. The photographic Group is going to the Sainsbury Centre on Friday June 17<sup>th</sup> at 2pm to view Henri Cartier Bresson's photographic exhibition 'Paris'. Please contact Susan Badger (01603 737572) if you wish to go. Car-sharing will be organised. The July and August meetings have been cancelled due to members holidays and we will reconvene on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2pm - 4pm the subject will be BIRDS. The group is very friendly, and we have a broad spectrum of semi professional photographers to "I have just been given a camera, what do I do now?". Mary Long 01603 722254

**Lunch Out:** always the last Friday of the month. If you get this in time, remember on **Friday May 29<sup>th</sup>** we meet at **Stokesby Ferry Inn at 12.30 pm.** On **June 24<sup>th</sup>** we will meet at **The Recruiting**

**Sargeant** in Horstead at 12.30 pm. All welcome, but do sign the list at the general meeting, or call Corrie Mould on 01603 782755

**Evening Dining** will have its first outing on **Wed 29<sup>th</sup> June at the Spanish Restaurant called “Embrujo” near Acle, meeting at 6.30 pm** Ring Maggie Flatman on 01603 783091 for further details.

**Bird Watching:** We have missed Di while she has been visiting family in USA, so bird watching will resume on the 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday, **4<sup>th</sup> June**, meeting at Di’s house by the double roundabout in Hoveton at 10 am.. On **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June** the group meets for **Bird Banter** over a cup of coffee in Bouchon at 10.30 am to talk about birds to learn some more Di Stagg 01603 784214

**French conversation:** all levels of French speakers are welcome to Bouchon (opposite Hoveton Station) **every Thursday at 3 pm.** Jane Monks 01603 782496

**History Group:** meets the last Thursday of the month, **30<sup>th</sup> June at 2pm**, at 20, The Avenue, Wroxham . Anne den Engelse 01603 782121

**Play Reading:** meets the first Tuesday of the month, ie **7<sup>th</sup> June at 2 pm** at the home of Ann Wilson, Carousel, Ashmanhaugh. New members are always welcome> 01603 782293

**Petanque:** has moved to a smoother pitch at Hoveton Village Hall car park. They always meet on the second Monday of the month and new players are very welcome, whether you own balls or not. **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 2.30 pm.** Dennis Cobbold 01603 784650

**Book Club:** Jane Monks is hoping to help people whose eyesight is not so good with audio books. Ring her if you are interested on 01603 782496

**Chess:** This is a new undertaking, and because of holidays it has been decided that the first meeting will take place in September, so watch this space, but you can let Philip Hogbin know if you are interested on 01603 782496

**Gardening:** Both Corrie Mould and Margaret Stoves invited interested members to visit their gardens in May as a start to reviving this group. The next date will be **Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> June at 2.30 pm** at the home of Penny Doe, Manor Barn, 5 Church Lane, Wroxham. All welcome. Penny,01603 783552

It would be a great help if group leaders could provide me with details of any out of the routine meetings or special arrangements by the 20<sup>th</sup> of the previous month so that I can get the newsletter out in good time, particularly for postal recipients. Thank you.

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