

CRATFIELD NEWS

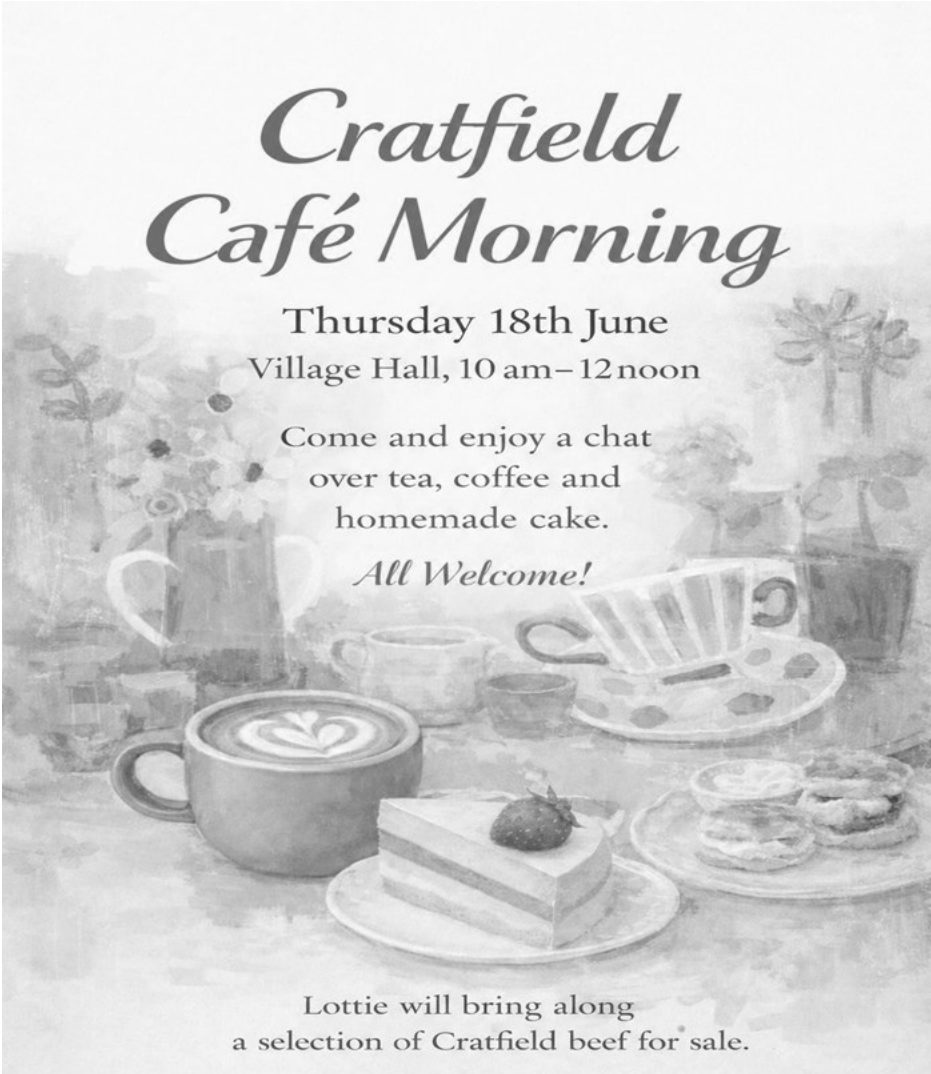
June 2026

Cratfield Café Morning

Thursday 18th June
Village Hall, 10 am–12 noon

Come and enjoy a chat
over tea, coffee and
homemade cake.

All Welcome!



Lottie will bring along
a selection of Cratfield beef for sale.

Welcome

A very warm Cratfield welcome to Tony, Holly, Henry, George and Fred (the dog) who have recently moved into The Willows and also, somewhat belatedly to Debbie, Russell, Bertie and Ted (the dogs) who are now at Turkey Hall. We hope they will be very happy here in the village and will join in with our activities where possible.

R.I.P.

Those who remember him will be sorry to hear of the death of the Rev'd Ken Francis who was the vicar of our group of parishes in the 1970's and 80's. He had reached the great age of 104, a very long and useful life.

He, Valerie and their family came to us from a London parish and soon became part of our villages and by many of us much loved. There are still those who will be thankful for the happy memories that we are left with and our condolences go to Ken's daughters Gail and Lynn. He will be greatly missed by them and his friends in his retirement village in Cornwall.

Margaret's Legacy

Ian has recently received a letter of condolence from Médecins Sans Frontières with their gratitude and appreciation for choosing to collect donations for their charity in Margaret's memory. The total raised at Margaret's memorial service and via JustGiving (including Gift Aid) was £1,052.25. These funds act as a lasting tribute to Margaret and help to ensure that Médecins Sans Frontières can continue to provide emergency medical aid in crises around the world.

Team Thompson still thinking of others in their own difficult times.

Church and Church yard spring clean - Sat 13 June 10.00 am.

No-mow May is now over and so it's time to give the Church Yard a bit of a spring clean for the summer season. As on previous occasions many hands make light work, so come on down and lend a hand. We are having a team effort on Saturday 13 June from 10.00 am. There is usually plenty to do from strimming round graves to trimming hedges and if you prefer something inside there are plenty of windowsills to dust and cobwebs to brush. (We have a brush on a long pole!)

If you can't make Saturday morning 13 June we are always grateful for the jobs people take on to keep our village church yard and the cemetery looking cared for, so if you can do some tidying at another time that is fine too. If you are not sure what you can do get in touch with

Andy 07988 620746 or Clive 07340 838639.

Fressingfield Medical Centre

We are holding an RSV vaccination clinic on Tuesday 9th June in the afternoon at Fressingfield. All patients over 70 are eligible. We have invited all eligible patients but if you have not had an invite and you would like to attend, please contact the surgery.

Respiratory syncytial virus RSV is a common, highly contagious respiratory virus that infects the nose, throat and lungs.

Cratfield Walks Leaflet

The Parish Council, in partnership with Suffolk County Council and Fire and Feast, has produced a new walks leaflet for the village, following in the vanguard of Tim and Poo Shaw's original version. There should be a copy inside this month's magazine. There will be additional copies in the church and at the village hall, and a remaining supply will be stored at Fire and Feast. We have a good stock, so if you own a holiday cottage or tourism business and would like a supply for your guests, or think of somewhere else where it would be good to have some copies, please drop a text or whatsapp to Judith Mobbs on 0777 5706002 and she can supply you with the required number. Particular thanks to Paul Marfleet and Paul Taylor for contributing photos to the leaflet.

Judith Mobbs

The Cratfield Summer Plant Sale

Just a reminder that this wonderful event will take place in the Village Hall

on Sunday 7th June 2026. 12midday – 4pm

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*seed exchange - flower arranging - garden bric-a-brac – refreshments!

Come early before all the plants sell out!

This is no longer a cash-only event - a card machine will be available too.

All profits to the Village Hall

Cratfield Occasional Cycling Club

The Cratfield Occasional Cycling Club had a great outing on the 9th of May and so we are going to have another go. The next ride will be on Saturday 20th June. We will set out from Potters Roost (Bell Green, opposite the post-box) at 0900 and cycle to Be Well Barn (Rookery Lane, Redlingfield, IP23 7QP) via Laxfield and Wilby. The distance is about 11 miles each way; a .gpx file will be available in due course.

If you would like to join in and are not already in the WhatsApp group please let me know.

Charlie Wilson Potters Roost 07780 654113

Concerts at Cratfield 2026

looking forward to another summer of music

Concerts at Cratfield's enchanting summer of chamber music returns to St. Mary's on Sunday July 5th at 3pm. This year, the line-up is as stellar as ever, showcasing an array of first-class international musicians and ensembles from July to September. All concerts begin at 3pm, with tickets on sale from www.concertsatcratfield.org.

- **Sunday, July 5 - The Dionysus Ensemble:** This virtuosic ensemble combines a string quartet, harp and clarinet, with a programme including Bizet, Mascagni and Finzi.
- **Sunday, July 19 - Danny Driver:** Renowned for his expressive interpretations and following a special series of concerts at Wigmore Hall, the internationally acclaimed pianist will present a programme including Beethoven and Gubaidulina.
- **Sunday, August 2 - Catherina Lee & Jonathan Ferrucci:** Rising stars as soloists, Australian violinist Catherina Lee and Australian Italian pianist Jonathan Ferrucci present works including Bach, Grieg and Poulenc.
- **Sunday, August 16 - Engegård Quartet:** One of Europe's leading string quartets, the Norwegian ensemble will explore masterpieces by Beethoven, Grieg and Tailleferre.
- **Sunday, August 30 - Nicholas Daniel & Huw Watkins:** Nicholas Daniel, long recognised as one of the world's great oboists and one of Britain's best-known musicians, joins forces with celebrated composer and pianist Huw Watkins for a celebration of British chamber music including Britten and Howells.
- **Sunday, September 13 - Busch Trio:** Firmly established as one of the world's leading ensembles, the Amsterdam-based Busch Trio conclude the festival with a celebration of Shostakovich, Debussy and Tchaikovsky.

As always, we are grateful to everyone in Cratfield for making us so welcome, and to the legendary tea team who make the interval such an event - enjoying homemade cakes in the beautiful churchyard is part of the warmth and charm that has made Concerts at Cratfield a cherished tradition for music lovers over several decades. Funds from the teas and part of the ticket sales go to support St Mary's and to help to preserve it for future generations.

Concerts regularly sell out, but we are once again happy to offer residents stand by tickets for just £12 – just make yourself known at the Box Office. We are looking forward to seeing you.

Jonathan Birt, Chairman, Concerts at Cratfield.

A view on a future Cratfield.

Following a suggestion from a parish council meeting then a follow-up invitation in March's Cratfield News, a group of Cratfield villagers met over a glass of wine to discuss and debate how we could instigate a village plan for Cratfield.

A village plan, often called a parish or community plan, describes the attributes of a village; its history, landscape, biodiversity and amenities along with its priorities, wants and needs.

The plan can be a good reference of the village communities wishes when dealing with external influences and planning for the future changes. Indeed, the call for a Cratfield village plan stemmed from the frequent need to respond to planning requests.

Other local villages of Easton, and Fressingfield, have produced very professional plans to assist in their discussion with the planning and other interested parties.

The previous Cratfield village plan was written in 2010 and now seems like a good time to update this. Sue and Tim, who helped in the previous plan kindly offered to help again.

Our initial thoughts revolved around the need to understand where Cratfield has come from, its architecture, the diversity of the Cratfield environment, its demography, its amenities and most importantly what makes this village, community, environment such a lovely place to live.

We are only just starting this task and will, in time, need everyone's help to create a significant village plan that shows Cratfield as we want it to be.

Thanks to all so far, but please, if anyone else would like to get involved, get in touch with Helen or I.

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Following on from last month's contribution from Sheila....

Now for the dreadful Mrs. Jolley who was head teacher at Cratfield School when I started in 1940. The first years were lovely, we began in the "little room" with a delightful young teacher from Huntingfield, Miss Panton. Sadly, for us, she met and married an American serviceman during the war and left. I had then moved to the less tender care of Mrs. Jolley. I was nervous around her but not terrified to the extent that my sister and many others were. She was quite cruel and should never have been in charge of children but of course attitudes to children were quite different then.

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Le mot juste.....

I had expected spend a whole year as First Lieutenant of HMS Wiston in Bahrain in 1966. However complicated circumstances, which I don't need to describe, found me transferred in late April 1967, at the age of 23 to be First Lieutenant of HMS Chawton¹. I was to sail back to Gibraltar as her second in command and then take command of her through a four-month refit in Gibraltar dockyard, bringing her into commission again in September with a new crew, whilst I went on to my next appointment.²

The voyage back via Aden, the Red Sea and the Suez canal was a delight -gentle and peaceful in fine summer weather, with a few days stop in Cyprus where we linked up with the resident Army garrison regiment, before crossing the Mediterranean to Gibraltar. There I took over the pleasant duty of co-ordinating the dockyard's work on the ship, living in the shore base at HMS Rooke and playing cricket for the combined British Services in the Gibraltar cricket league. As it happened, I was also the only naval bachelor on the Rock, which brought with it considerable social responsibilities, not least because I was heavily outnumbered by the number of single young ladies. Shall we just say that it made for a lot of pleasant diversion in the evenings and weekends, as well as occasional enjoyable day trips to Tangier for a change! It was tough, but every now and then, when other RN ships passed through Gib, I got useful reinforcements from friends who were serving in them. Salad days indeed!

However, there was also a plenty of real work to be done. After several years in the Gulf, Chawton had become rather weary and so there was a good deal to be serviced, repaired or replaced, as well as some necessary technical updating to be done. One of the least pleasant tasks was the fumigation of the ship which, like the majority of ships serving in hot climates in those distant days, was infested with cockroaches. The morning after the fumigation the inside of the ship looked rather like the aftermath of a major battle, so numerous were the casualties. It sounds archaic, but it was something we all became pretty used to in those days.

Gibraltar dockyard was then, by comparison with the UK home dockyards, a somewhat sleepy place, and dependent on the supply of many things from UK and so everything took rather longer to do.

The biggest single task was the replacement of much of the decking. Like all other minesweepers of the time, Chawton was constructed of wood on an aluminium alloy frame to reduce its magnetic signature and allow her safely to sweep magnetic mines³. The deck planking was seasoned white oak, with tar-soaked cotton and oakum caulking driven in with hammer and wedges, sealed with hot pitch. However, when regularly washed over by salt water the reaction between all this and the aluminium frames produced a lot of corrosion which lifted the planks and eventually allowed water inboard. We had a great deal of planking to replace and of course Gi-

braltar is not well supplied with trees, being almost entirely solid rock. Consequently, most of the wood needed (and considerably more was needed than had originally been estimated) had to be requisitioned from the UK Dockyards.

I was becoming very worried about the delay this seemed likely to cause to the completion of the refit which, of course, I saw as a major personal challenge and I was having regular conferences about it with the dockyard ship supervisor, a delightful and generally relaxed and placid Devonian called Tom who had spent most of his life working in Devonport dockyard in Plymouth. One day in early August, I became seriously concerned about the potential delays and my discussion with Tom became unusually heated. For the first time he seemed to become really riled, and he suddenly came out with the immortal words (which I shall never forget) "You need to try and relax, Jeremy" he said, "It's not all that easy. Timber doesn't just grow on trees, you know."

There was a moment's stunned silence while we took in what he had just said and then we both burst out laughing, good humour restored. There was no suitable reply to that!

The wood did arrive and the refit did complete on time – just.

1. Named after the village where Jane Austen lived. Two of her brothers became Admirals, one (Francis) Admiral of the Fleet.
2. My next assignment was the six months living in Spain to become a Spanish interpreter about which I have already written in (Cratmag December 2020). A few months in Gibraltar was quite a good introduction to that.
3. The next generation of Mine Hunters, one of which (HMS Grimsby) was launched by Candy, were built of glass fibre for the same reason. Grimsby now belongs to the Ukranian Navy.

Jeremy Blackham

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As I have grown older, I have realised that in many ways Mrs. Jolley was an excellent teacher. She taught country children to know and appreciate what was around them. We learned the names of every wild flower that we found, both common and unusual and kept diaries of anything that we saw of interest e.g. birds' nests, oddly shaped leaves etc. This was rather grandly called "Observations" and woe betide anyone who arrived at school without having something to report on the days when this was required.

Mrs. Jolley's other redeeming feature for me was her skill at reading aloud. This happened at the end of the afternoon and I remember looking at the large clock over the door and willing it not to point to "home time" and the end of the day's reading.

She often mentioned her home county of Yorkshire and when I visited that wonderful area I thought how much she must have missed it. I was glad for her when she retired, together with her son, Desmond, to Hampsthwaite near Harrogate.

As you will see the photo of her did trigger memories, both happy and unhappy. If there is anyone else who remembers her, theirs will probably be quite different from mine.

Sheila Webster



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VILLAGE HALL UPDATE - JUNE 2026

CRATFIELD VILLAGE HALL 100 CLUB – TIME TO RENEW!

Subscriptions are now due for the club's 2026-2027 season.

For just £1 per month for the year subscribers are in the draw to win **£15, £10 or £5 prizes EACH MONTH!** So, fill out the form in this magazine for a chance to be part of this wonderful village effort.

The 100 Club has benefitted the village for many years, contributing towards items such as a glass washer, water heaters and a boombox to make Cratfield events at the Village Hall better than ever.

Don't forget – you have to be in it to win it!!!

CRATFIELD DOG SHOW

A big thank you to everyone who helped organise, took part in or volunteered at the 2026 Dog Show. This is an important social, as well as fund raising, event for the village and we are grateful to everyone who made it such a success again this year. Even the weather smiled on us (in the end)!

CRATFIELD POP UP PUB - Friday 5th June

It's summertime and the entertainment is easy at the **Cratfield Pop Up Pub**, 6pm-10pm at the village hall. Catch up with neighbours and friends over a pint of local beer from the barrel – or try the choice of wines, cider, lager, soft drinks, G&T etc on offer. The bar accepts card & cash payment.

We are looking forward to welcoming the ever-popular **pizza van** again at this month's pop up. An absolute hit in previous years, we heartily recommend you skip the cooking and enjoy a delicious fresh pizza with your drink amid excellent Cratfield company.

INDOOR BOWLS AT THE VILLAGE HALL

Just turn up at the door and join the friendly regulars for carpet bowls at the village hall, 7pm on

June 2nd, 16th and 30th /// July 21st /// August 4th and 18th /// September 1st, 15th and 29th /// October 13th and 27th /// November 17th and /// December 8th.

No prior experience needed. Suggested small donation for use of the hall.

Village Hall Events - Dates for the Diary:

CRATFIELD SUMMER PLANT SALE – Sunday 7th June, 12 noon – 4pm

Join us at the Cratfield Summer Plant Sale where there will be a wide variety of remarkably good value, home-grown, **garden-ready plants** available to buy!

In addition, you will find a **seed exchange, flower arranging, garden bric-a-brac** - as well as **refreshments!**

Arrive early before all the plants sell out!

If you can help make this plant sale a tremendous success, either by contributing plants, garden bric a brac or a cake/other home baked items, please do let us know – you can email marfleets@doctors.org.uk Thank you!

CRATFIELD TALKS – 10 October 2026 – “Cratfield Wildlife 2”

Paul Taylor returns to share more wonderful pictures captured around Cratfield. A definite date to hold in the diary!

CRATFIELD VILLAGE HALL 100 CLUB – JUNE WINNERS

This month's 100 Club winners are: first prize (£15) number 75 – Anne Bedford; second prize (£10) number 85 – Caroline Hay-Davison; and 3rd prize (£5) number 20 – Natalie McKay. Draw by Nigel Britton. Many congratulations to the winners!

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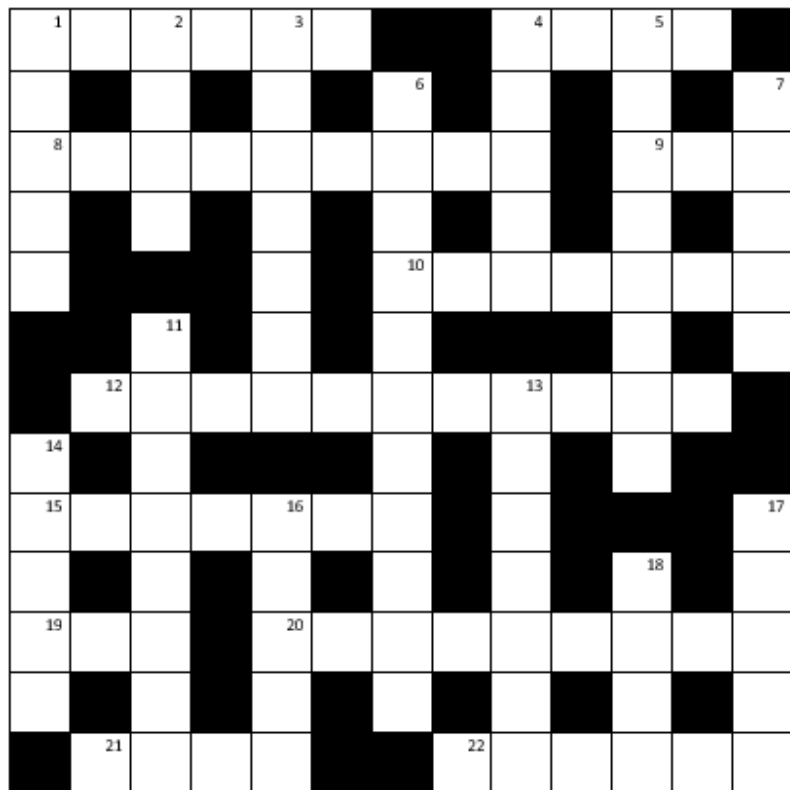


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Cryptic
Crossword
by
Liebre*

Across

- 1 Black and brown check (6)
- 4 Air-fried sausages in feta for starters? I don't believe it! (2,2)
- 8 Heavens! Various literary types fall a long way! (9)
- 9 More surprising and less striking than it sounds (3)
- 10 Ranks close: chaotic evil era ends as one expects (7)
- 12 Less, rather than more, power to it after you receive it (3,3,5)
- 15 A high form of flattery? (7)
- 19 Pneumatology, for example, cut to hear gasp (3)
- 20 Ground contained by windblown dune exposed (9)
- 21 The apartment is a self-contained lot (4)
- 22 Held that river reached the sea (6)

Down

- 1 As a heads up, these badly structured pounds seem to result in short measures (5)
- 2 It might be Charles' beams (4)
- 3 Not yes to dairy set as they are really very baked (7)
- 4 Perplexed if not on firm ground (2,3)
- 5 Curious icon is in The Cut (8)
- 6 Deed Hercules performed postponed (11)
- 7 Search for water coming in through the window seal (5)
- 11 Stirring elegant one is firmer (8)
- 13 Lake fodder? (7)
- 14 Gasp as muscle generates cramp (5)
- 16 Supply virtual joke? (5)
- 17 Attacked, but as it was not right, was helped (4)
- 18 Express reservation at a skirt (4)



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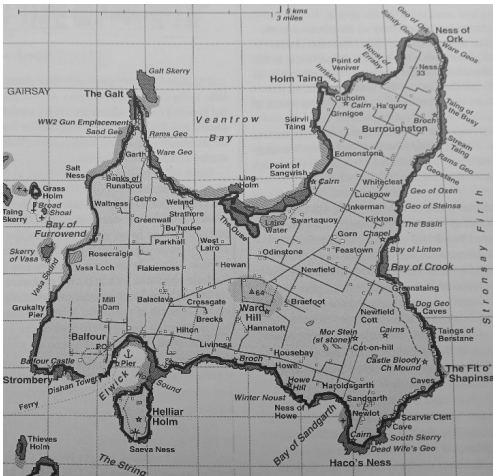
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Shapinsay (Pop. approx. 300)



Shapinsay is situated north to north-east of Mainland (the largest island in the group). It has a bedrock formed from Old Red Sandstone, which is approximately 400 million years old and was laid down in the Devonian period. These thick deposits accumulated previously as Silurian rocks, which were uplifted by the formation of Pangaea (the single landmass which incorporated most of the Earth's continental crust 300 – 200 million years ago). The Silurians made a number of resurgences, but each was firmly dealt with by more than one incarnation of Dr. Who.

The island has been always agriculturally fertile and fairly prosperous, enjoying the kelp boom in the 18th century. (*Kelp burning, known as "kelping," is the process of drying and incinerating seaweed to produce ash rich in alkali, iodine, and potash. This created soda ash for soap, glass manufacturing, and photographic chemicals, and was a good earner for the island.*)



For the tourist, the island can provide a good day out, but it does lack that 'quaint small island' feel which was of most interest to me during my travels. Hoards of tourists make for the main draw, which is Balfour Castle, a Victorian extravaganza which dominates the island and can be seen from the tower of St. Magnus Cathedral, Kirkwall on Mainland. As everyone heads in the same direction, you feel more like a football fan approaching Wembley Stadium, rather than a single explorer in a far-flung corner of the British Isles!

The building of Balfour Castle was started in 1846 by John Balfour, who made a fortune in India and then,

through canny manoeuvres as MP for Orkney and Shetland, extended, still further, his personal wealth: he thence bought up Shapinsay estates and several neighbouring islands, as well as starting the build of his castle. It was his son, a self-styled colonel, who completed the build. The family fortune didn't stop him from keeping his feet on the ground though, and with the collapse of the kelp industry, he set about making various agricultural reforms, including dividing the island into 10 acre lots, each tenant being made responsible for draining the land: these reforms were of great benefit to the island. Some remember him as being a little tyrannical, but he did save the liveli-

hoods of many islanders when other landlords were clearing their islands of people in favour of sheep.

The castle is well worth a visit with a library featuring a secret passage hidden behind a false set of bookshelves. The Balfours escaped unwelcome visitors through this passageway, which leads to a conservatory door (*every home should have one!*). Another feature of the castle is the stags' heads with gaslights at the tips of their antlers!

Other buildings constructed by David Balfour include a small tower right at the sea's edge, known locally as *The Douche*. This is a saltwater shower building with a dove-cote on top and it's a local landmark, easily seen from the ferry as it approaches the island.

Shapinsay has plenty to see for the birdwatcher (*Giganteus Extremus Twitcherus*) and Mill Dam, in the S.W. of the island, is home to the great yellow bumblebee, one of the rarest bumblebees in the UK.

Small businesses on Shapinsay include a traditional jam and chutney manufacturer, and there's a salmon fish farm off the island from which, it is rumoured, the occasional Silurian can still be seen emerging from the sea.



Balfour Castle

Next month: Stronsay

Andrew Weight

Cratfield Parish Council

All meetings are held in The Village Hall, Manse Lane, Cratfield, IP19 0DJ

Meeting Dates 2026

Tuesday 13th January 2026 at 7.30 pm

- Tuesday 10th March 2026 at 7.30 pm
- Tuesday 12th May 2026 at 7.30 pm – Annual Parish Meeting & Annual Parish Council Meeting
- Tuesday 14th July 2026 at 7.30 pm
- Tuesday 8th September 2026 at 7.30 pm
- Tuesday 10th November 2026 at 7.30 pm

Agendas (3 days before the meeting) are on the noticeboards & website:

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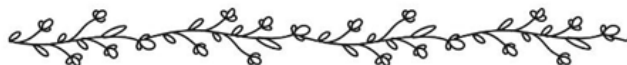
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Letter from the Vicar

Dear sisters and brothers in Christ,

What glorious weather we enjoyed at the start of May – almost as if summer came early but then we went back to winter! One parishioner told me how his potatoes' leaves were frosted overnight and had turned black. I do hope that they have recovered!

Well, similarly to 2025, the Annual Parochial Church Meetings (APCMs) for our eight parishes have been completed within the venues at Brundish and Bedfield. Similarly to 2025, I have learnt even more about the process and am determined to get it right for all parishes in 2027! There is so much for parishes to prepare for these meetings, and we must not forget that all of the PCCs function through the good will of so many volunteers. So, thank you from the bottom of my heart for all of you who share in the leadership of our precious community of souls with me. It is not a small thing that you do, and more recognition should be given by the people in your parishes to all the work that you undertake.

I was taken by an article published in the 'Church Times' in April this year in which the vicar of a parish in Hereford said, 'Please forgive me, I am not the Angel Gabriel. I cannot be all things to all people. There will be some things that I am good at, some I can just about get by in doing and others where I lack any skill at all.' I understand what the author is saying! Similarly to that author, I regret to say that I cannot triple your church congregations and quadruple parish income, but I am trying my hardest to build the kingdom of God here in the Four Rivers Benefice. So, let's keep working together and then this time next year, we may see how the green shoots have flourished!

Prayers and blessings,

Revd Chrissie – 07803 134301 – rev.chrissiesmart@gmail.com

Forest Church

Coming closer to God through nature

Where: The Vale, off Vicarage Rd, Laxfield
what3words: ///papers.riverside.running

Limited parking on site, so if you'd rather not walk, please meet by
All Saints Church at 2.45pm and we will ferry you from there

When: Sunday 14th June 3pm to 4pm

Contact: Rev. Clive Mobbs: rev.clive.mobbs@gmail.com 07340 838639

Forest Church is for people of all ages. Nature-inspired activities, informal outdoor worship and refreshments.

No need to book. Please wear suitable clothing and footwear for being outside in all weathers. Bring a chair if you want to sit down.

This event is organised by the Bridge4Rivers team

June Services Cratfield

Sunday June 14th	Sunday June 28th
Exodus 19:2-8a Romans 5:1-8 Matthew 9:35-10:8	Jeremiah 28:5-9 Romans 6:12-23 Matthew 10:40-end
9.30am Village Worship	9.30am Holy Communion

BENEFICE SERVICES

June	7th	14th	21st	28th
Bedfield	9.30am Holy Com- munion			
Brundish			11.00am Holy Commu- nion Rev'd Canon Mark Haworth	
Laxfield	6.00pm Songs of Praise	10.30am Holy Commu- nion	9.30am Chatty Church	6.00pm Hartismere House
Monk Soham	11.00am Family Ser- vice	11.00am BCP Morning Prayer	11.00am Holy Commu- nion	
Tannington	11.00am Holy Com- munion			
Wilby	10.30am Village Wor- ship		9.30am Celtic Morning Prayer	10.30am Holy Commu- nion
Worlingworth		11.00am Holy Commu- nion	11.00am Let's Celebrate	11.00am Morning Prayer

Saturday June 13th Worlingworth 6.30pm Choral Evensong

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