



Burwell Parish Council Newsletter

December 2014

BURWELL PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

Helping to keep residents up-to-date with Parish Council issues and activities. This newsletter is available on noticeboards located at the Jubilee Reading Rooms, the Post Office and the Library and on the web-sites:

www.burwellparishcouncil.gov.uk

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DIARY DATES

Tues 9 Dec Full Parish Council
7.30pm **Jubilee Reading Room**

Fri 19 Dec Carol sing-along
6.30pm **Pound Hill**

Tues 13 Jan Full Parish Council
7.30pm **Jubilee Reading Room**

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

It was great to see all those who paid their respects at the Remembrance Sunday service held on the 9th of November. This year marked the centenary of the start of the First World War and thus had extra poignancy. Wreaths were laid at the War Memorial and a service was held in St. Mary's Church to mark the day. A number of Parish Councillors were in attendance.

The Parish Council has been proud to organise and support this event over the years. We give particular thanks to our Assistant Clerk Jayne Weaver and to our Parish Council Chairman Derek Reader and his family who go above and beyond the call of duty to make sure everything runs smoothly on the day.

The amount raised, from the sale of poppies in and around the village this year, amounted to £3,497.





BURWELL FIRE STATION

Parish Council Vice-Chair Joan Lonsdale was delighted to attend to the official opening of Burwell Fire Station held on the 24th of November following a one million pound building project. The larger station, which includes a purpose built training facility, will be a great asset for the village. Picture courtesy of Cambridge Fire and Rescue.

CAROL SING-ALONG

The annual carol sing-along will take place on Friday, 19th December at 6.30pm around the Christmas tree on Pound Hill.

Join your friends and family and get into the festive spirit by singing along to a variety of popular Christmas Carols. Song sheets will be available. The event is weather permitting so please check the Parish Council website for any updates in this regard. See you there!



The January pick-up date for the Minibus Service from Burwell to Ely which is run monthly by the Parish Council in partnership with Dial-a-Ride is changed from the 1st of January to the **8th of January**. The bus is open to everyone in the village and costs just £5 return (£2.50 with bus pass). To book a place or for more information call Dial-a-Ride on 01353 661161.

NEW NOTICE BOARD

A new Parish Council notice board has been mounted on the exterior wall of Mandeville Hall facing Tan House Lane. Latest news from the Parish Council will be placed there together with a list of current Parish Councillors.

CHRISTMAS SHUTDOWN

The Parish Council office at the Jubilee Reading Room will be close on Tuesday 23rd of December 2014 and re-open on Monday, the 5th of January 2015.

CONTACTING THE COUNCIL

- The Parish Office is open every week day morning from 9.00am – 1.00pm
- E-mail: burwellpc@btconnect.com
- Telephone: 01638 743142
- Letter: Burwell Parish Council, Jubilee Reading Room, 99 The Causeway, Burwell CB25 0DU
- Web-site: www.burwellparishcouncil.gov.uk/
- Contact details for all Councillors are published on the notice board at the Jubilee Reading Rooms and on the website.