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## January 2019

We continue our regular quarterly series of wildlife articles by Mark Ward, Buckden resident and RSPB's editor-in-chief, with an article about RSPB's Birdwatch, and lichens and brambles on page 10. We are lucky to live so close to the countryside and be able to enjoy such a wide range of wildlife on our doorsteps, in our village and in our gardens.

Every month we dedicate several pages to upcoming events in the village, but some of the regular events, the ones that happen every week, get less publicity. So on page 4 we are publishing a Regular Events schedule, where we have drawn together all of the regular Buckden events in one convenient place. You can also find the Regular Events on our website at <https://www.buckdenroundabout.info/what-s-happening/regular-event-schedule>. If you are running a regular event in the village and we have left you out, or if you want to update your details, please contact the editor.

This month, Buckden Rainbows, Buckden Junior Football Club, Buckden Local History Society and the Roundabout itself are all advertising for volunteers. These are all worthwhile organisations that benefit the village. If you have a few hours to spare do consider helping - it is rewarding to do something that benefits the village and our fellow residents.

We have held our advertising rates constant for three years, but increases in printing costs mean we must make a modest increase to cover our costs. See page 17 for our new rates.

We wish all our readers a happy and healthy 2019!

Please remember to visit the Roundabout website. There are often articles there that we could not fit into the print edition, as well as information that arrives during the month: <http://www.buckdenroundabout.info/>

*This month's editor - Alec MacAndrew*

### Front Cover

This month's cover photograph is of a fieldfare in the snow and was provided by Peter Sharpe. As ever, we are very grateful.

We would very much like to include more paintings of village scenes on the front cover - we are able to photograph them so do contact us if you have something we could use. We are always looking for photos, images, drawings and paintings so please keep sending them in. Please note that photos should ideally be in portrait format and should be a *minimum* of 2400 x 1700 pixels. More is better!

### January Production Dates

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IT IS REGRETTED THAT ANY CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE INCLUDED.**

# Buckden Parish Council News...



## Christmas Lights

The weather was kind and once again residents and visitors enjoyed the annual Christmas Lights event. A great deal of effort goes into ensuring the success of this event and the Parish Council is grateful to Karina Whittington and her team for, once again, ensuring that a great time was had by all.

## Neighbourhood Plan

In order to ensure that the final Plan reflects the needs and hopes of all residents the Council has done its best to obtain the views of as many residents as possible. In addition to the Questionnaire members of the planning team have met with various organisations and these have been generally successful. The one exception was our attempt to reach the retail businesses in the village. We wrote to seventeen inviting them to a meeting. Only two replied and on the evening none attended. The questionnaire has proved more successful. Our target was to get 500 responses and at the time of writing (before the closing date) nearly 450 have been received. It will take some time to evaluate all of the information received but we hope to be in the position to provide an interim report in February.

## Planning - Lucks Lane

The Council has met the developers, Bloor, and their agents, Pegasus to discuss their Design Code for the development. Among the issues that we raised with them, and in our response to HDC, were the perceived problems associated with "Shared Spaces" and the road safety problems that will occur when the new Stirtloe Lane/A1 junction is constructed. The Council will continue to raise these questions and others in its response to HDC on the Detailed Planning Application which it is currently considering.

## Planning - Local Plan

HDC has received confirmation from the Examiner that its proposed Local Plan meets requirements subject to a few minor adjustments. Unfortunately in spite of our best arguments these do not include any amendment to the proposed Silver Street development. Unfortunately the County Council and the Highways Agency do not share the Parish Council's and residents' concerns about road safety.

## Defibrillators

Residents will already be aware that the equipment previously installed in the High Street phone box was stolen. Its replacement is now held in the reception office of The Lion Hotel and we are very grateful for their support, Unfortunately the lock on other equipment box at the village hall has been broken and the defibrillator is temporarily held in the Clerk's office. A new lock will be fitted as soon as possible.

## Council Meetings

Due to the proximity of New Year the next Parish Council will be held at 7.30 on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> January instead of 8<sup>th</sup> January. If required there will be a planning committee on the same day at 7.00pm. The meeting will include a 15 minute open forum for residents to ask questions but please apply to the clerk in writing at least three working days before the meeting. The clerk can be reached on [clerk@buckdenparishcouncil.org.uk](mailto:clerk@buckdenparishcouncil.org.uk) or on 01480 819407

**The Council would like to take this opportunity to wish all residents a happy Christmas and a prosperous and healthy New Year.**

## Buckden Neighbourhood Plan Are you worried about development? Help us plan the future of our village. We need your input!

**Buckden Parish Council is producing a Neighbourhood Plan.  
This is critical for the future of our village.  
It will help us influence future planning applications.**

Please go on line at [www.buckdenparishcouncil.org.uk](http://www.buckdenparishcouncil.org.uk) and complete the questionnaire. Paper copies are available in the Village Hall, local shops and hotels. If necessary, call 07557 025241 and we will arrange to deliver one to you.

### What a neighbourhood plan does:

- Sets out planning policies for the village and allows the local community to specify what they expect for the future.
- Written by the local community, NOT the Local Planning Authority
- Local planning authorities and planning inspectors must take account of the plan
- It has statutory recognition

### It will include:

- Required improvements to infrastructure e.g. roads, rail, public transport
- Meeting village needs for affordable, sustainable housing for young and old
- Meeting village needs in education and medical care
- Improvements e.g. public spaces, amenities and cycle paths
- Protection of wild life, historic buildings, open spaces
- Preserving Buckden as a village community
- Long term sustainable development for current and future generations

REGULAR EVENTS IN BUCKDEN	
<b>Monday to Friday</b>	<b>Buckden Pre-school Playgroup</b> for 2 to 4 year olds in <b>TERM TIME</b> from 9.00 am to 3.00 pm (including lunch club) on Mondays to Fridays. Contact: <b>Samantha Sinclair</b> (Manager) during pre-school hours on: <b>07941 671999</b>
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Monday Club</b> - social group for retired ladies. Fortnightly in the Millard Room, Buckden Village Hall in term time. Details from <b>Jane Scott</b> on <b>811468</b> or <b>Betty Millard</b> on <b>810087</b> .
	<b>Buckden Whist Club</b> at The Towers—7.15pm. New members welcome.
	<b>1st Southoe &amp; Buckden Scout Group Beavers (for younger boys and girls)</b> from 6.00 pm to 7.15 pm. Contact <b>Lucy</b> at <a href="mailto:lucyanneclarke2@gmail.com">lucyanneclarke2@gmail.com</a> or <b>Aidan 01480 810347</b> .
	<b>The Aragon Singers</b> meet in the Methodist Hall at 7.30 pm. Membership enquiries to <b>Pam Dodman</b> on <b>812880</b> .
	<b>Bellringers</b> from 8.15 pm in the tower of St Mary's Church. New members welcome, contact <b>Philip Miles 810027</b> for information.
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Storytime</b> sessions are free and held <b>weekly during term time</b> at Buckden Library from <b>2.15 to 2.45 pm</b> for all pre-school children with their carers.
	<b>Grafham and Ellington Art Group</b> - 1.30 to 4.00pm, weekly at Grafham Village Hall, Van Diemens Way, Grafham, PE28 0BG. Contact for further details: <b>Jackie Woods, on 01480 890279</b> .
	<b>1st Buckden Rainbows</b> meet in the Buckden Village Hall from 4.30 pm - 5.30 pm. Contact <b>Sandra</b> on <b>810404</b> for details
	<b>Buckden Parish Council</b> meets at 7.30 pm in Buckden Village Hall on the second Tuesday of the month except August.
	The <b>Women's Institute (WI)</b> meets at 7.30 pm in the Millard Suite at Buckden Village Hall on the first Tuesday of each month except August. Contact Secretary, <b>Judith Armitage</b> on <b>01480 811717</b> for further details.
	<b>Buckden Gardeners Association</b> – talks from October to May - 8pm on 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month at Buckden Village Hall and other events throughout the summer. Details on website <a href="http://www.buckdengardeners.info">www.buckdengardeners.info</a> or contact <b>Pam Fraser</b> on <b>811680</b> .
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Buckden Tots</b> meets every Wednesday morning from 9.30 to 11.00 am during school term in the Methodist Church Hall. Contact <b>Louise Anderson</b> on <b>07951 638635</b> .
	<b>Coffee &amp; chat</b> with the vicar in St. Mary's 10.00 am to 11.00 am.
	<b>Community Café</b> First Wednesday of every month, 2.30 pm - 4.00pm in St. Mary's Living Stones Room.
	<b>1st Buckden Brownies</b> meet at Buckden Village Hall 5.30 - 7.00pm. Contact <b>Katie Brown</b> mobile number <b>07906230620</b> . Email for the unit is <a href="mailto:buckden_brownies@outlook.com">buckden_brownies@outlook.com</a> . To find local <b>Guides</b> groups, visit <a href="http://www.girlguiding.org.uk">www.girlguiding.org.uk</a> .
	<b>Buckden Local History Society</b> meets at 7.30 pm at The Towers on the first Wednesday of the month except August.
	<b>St Neots Model Railway Club</b> in Buckden Village Hall at 7.00 pm. Contact <b>Jackie Kneeshaw</b> on <b>01480 454927</b> for details.
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Buckden Handbell Team</b> . Learners from 5:30 to 6:30 pm at the Methodist Hall. Please contact <b>Pam Falla</b> on <b>811335</b> for details.
	<b>Youth Club</b> – <a href="mailto:youth@thetowers">youth@thetowers</a> for years 7 to 9. 7pm – 8pm at Buckden Towers. £1 per session.
	<b>Huntingdon Amateur Radio Society</b> – 7:30pm on 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursdays in Buckden Village Hall. Further details from <b>David Howlett</b> , email <a href="mailto:secretary@hunts-hams.co.uk">secretary@hunts-hams.co.uk</a> or see website <a href="http://hunts-hams.weebly.com">http://hunts-hams.weebly.com</a> .
	<b>Buckden Wine &amp; Beermakers Society</b> – 8pm on 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursday at the Scout Hut. Details from <b>Ann Elliott</b> on <b>01480 810346</b> .
<b>Friday</b>	<b>1st Southoe &amp; Buckden Scout Group - Cubs</b> 6.00 pm to 7.15 pm, <b>Scouts</b> 7.30 pm to 9.00pm. Phone <b>Kevin</b> on <b>810871</b> or <b>Aidan 01480 810347</b> for details.
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Men's Breakfast at The Lion</b> at 8.30 am on the first Saturday of each month. Contact <b>Bernard Hatswell</b> (01480 890964) or <b>Richard Noble</b> (01480 811442) or just turn up at the Lion.
	<b>Coffee and Cakes</b> - St Mary's at 10.30 am to 12 noon most Saturdays.



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### Lazy Circles in the Sky – A Lifetime in Conservation

The Huntingdonshire Local Group of the Wildlife Trust invites you to the first of our 2019 talks on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January. As usual this will be held at Brampton Memorial Hall, Thrapston Road, Brampton, PE28 4TB, starting at 7.30pm.

Our speaker will be Jim Stevenson, who is known locally as the Senior Ranger for Huntingdonshire District Council, based mainly at Paxton Pits. Jim's background is in education and nature conservation with various bodies such as the RSPB, the Wildfowl Trust and Birdlife International. In 2012 he won the

BBC Wildlife Magazine Award 'Nature Writer of the Year'. Tonight Jim will talk to us about his experiences throughout his career in conservation and I am sure he will provide an entertaining and fascinating evening.

Anyone who is interested is most welcome to attend. Booking is not necessary. The entrance charge is £2.50 (accompanied children free). For more information please contact Tim on 01480 457795.

Part of the Wildlife Trust for Bedfordshire, Cambridgeshire and Northamptonshire. Registered Charity No: 1000412



### FRIENDS IN DEED

The **Winter Tea Party** will take place at the Methodist Church Hall on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February from 2.30-4.00pm. As always, lifts can easily be arranged on request for those invited to come along by calling our

Transport Coordinator, number below. If you are not on our invitation list but would like to join us for this social event then please call Brenda Steadman on 810382 as soon as possible.

Bad weather is upon us and, particularly in cold and icy weather conditions, please don't hesitate to get in touch if you, or anyone you know of, needs support with shopping or errands. Also if anyone is housebound during coming months and would like a visit from one of our friendly volunteers then

do give us a call on the Coordinator's number below.

The Community Café is held on the second Wednesday of each month and the next one will be on **9<sup>th</sup> January** in St Mary's Church from 2.30-4.00pm. Do come along and enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and homemade cakes in a friendly atmosphere. Transport can be provided – just give us a call on the Transport Coordinator's number below.

As we are holding the Winter Tea party in February there will be **no Community Café on 13<sup>th</sup> February**.

For help or information contact:

Coordinator: Jane Scott 07810 006598

Requests for transport: Andy Scott 07914 669967.

Please leave a message and include your contact details

<http://www.buckdenroundabout.info/friends-in-deed>

## Buckden Neighbourhood Watch

### Bogus Charity Collectors

Christmas is a time of giving but there are criminals who take advantage of our good will. An example of this, reported to police, is individuals knocking on doors allegedly canvassing for money for the Child Brain Injury Trust. The organisation is based in Oxfordshire and does not carry out door to door requests for charitable donations.

Fraudsters use the name of genuine and often well-known charities to obtain money, and sadly this becomes more common at this time of year. The police advise residents not to buy at the door. If you wish to give to charity, please ensure that you are able to make an informed choice, in your own time and be absolutely certain that you are giving to a genuine cause. To read more Action Fraud advice on this subject please go to <http://ow.ly/sivr30m1X91>

### Always install the latest software and app updates

Cyber-criminals can use weaknesses in software and apps to attack your devices and steal your identity. Software updates are designed to fix these weaknesses and installing them as soon as possible will keep your devices and data secure. Software updates don't have to get in the way of what you're doing. You can choose to install them at night when your device is plugged in and connected to the internet. You can also configure most devices to automatically install software and app updates.

To contact the police: 999 in an emergency; 0800 555 111 Crime Stoppers; 0300 123 2040 Action Fraud

EMAIL [burglarycrackdown@cambs.pnn.police.uk](mailto:burglarycrackdown@cambs.pnn.police.uk) or visit [www.crimestoppers.uk.org](http://www.crimestoppers.uk.org)

If you are not online you can telephone 101

RICHARD WEST Village Coordinator 01480 811467  
working with CLIVE WILLIAMS 01480 811828

**Catholic Church of St Hugh of Lincoln,  
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Telephone: **01480 810344**

Website: <http://stjosephsthugh.org/>

In the pastoral care of the Claretian Missionaries:

Fr. Antony Arockiam cmf  
Fr. Jim Kennedy cmf  
Fr. Paul Peter Alphonse cmf

**Sunday Masses** - Saturday evening at 6.30 pm and Sundays at 9.45 am.

**Weekday Masses** - Monday to Saturday at 9.30 am in the Lady Chapel.

**Morning and Evening Prayer** Monday to Saturday at 9.15 am and 5.45 pm in the Lady Chapel.

**The Sacrament of Reconciliation** every Saturday from 10.00 to 10.30 am.

**The Rosary** is prayed each Monday morning after the 9.30 am Mass.

**Catechism Classes** for school age children each Sunday from 9.00 am in term time. Formal classes for primary age children.

**Silent Adoration.** There is half an hour of silent adoration before the Blessed Sacrament every Thursday following the 9.30 am Mass and ending with Benediction at 10.30 am.

**Would any newcomers to the Village who are Catholics please let Fr. Antony know their contact details.**

**Buckden Methodist Church**

**Minister:** Rev. Paul Beard  
(01480 473444)

**Stewards:** Angie Barnes (810102)  
Bob Baxter (810092)  
Carol Swepstone (810053)

**Services in January**

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup>**  
**10.30 a.m.** Morning Service: Local Arrangement

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup>**  
**10.30 a.m.** Morning Service: Mr. Don Moorman

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup>**  
**10.30 a.m.** Morning Service: Mr. Tony Sainsbury

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup>**  
**10.30 a.m.** Holy Communion: Rev. Heather Walker

**Activities in January**

(Please note that Quiet Time and Bible Study are taking a break this month.)

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup>:** 10 a.m. Coffee Morning

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup>:** 10 a.m. Coffee Morning

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup>:** 12.30 p.m. Study Lunch

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup>:** 12 noon Soup and Sweet  
Christmas Lunch

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup>:** 10 a.m. Coffee Morning

**Everyone is very welcome to any of these events.**

**We wish you all peaceful and happy New Year in 2019.**

**Notes from a Buckden Cyclist**

Thank you to Neighbour Watch for highlighting the presence of cyclists on our streets. I love being out and about on my bike – often three or four times a day. Along Leadens Lane the other morning were lots of goldfinches – dainty little birds; then there was the field covered with greylag geese here for the winter; and field fares and lapwings are visiting us, too.

Along the way there are hazardous potholes or puddles which I may have to avoid; stones and largish twigs can be a problem, too, so, drivers please be aware that we cyclists may not

always ride in a straight line! With regard to puddles, it is really miserable to arrive home cold, wet and muddy because a driver has not given us enough space, or slowed down enough, as they pass, and we are spattered with dirty water. You may see me on the pavement, sometimes, if I feel unsafe on the road, especially at night, and particularly in Silver Street.

Thank you to all drivers who do wait with patience behind me – that is most of you. My sturdy steed is no lightweight racing bike and advancing years mean I don't pedal as fast as I used to, so I am very appreciative of your patience and do try to thank you as you pass.

**Operation Christmas Child  
Shoebox Appeal 2018**

I would like to say a very big THANK YOU to everyone who contributed to the Shoebox Appeal as 306 shoeboxes were collected.

This means that some children in poor countries will have a happier Christmas. That in effect is a smile on a child's face, so thank you all again for making this possible. It is a wonderful achievement by everyone  
Carol Swepstone



We are a Group covering Cambridgeshire that is dedicated to improving the standard of driving and riding and in so doing help to reduce the number of collisions on our roads.

You can join the Group for a nominal annual subscription and then be coached by volunteer Tutors (male and female) who are all qualified advanced drivers or riders. We encourage people to take the RoSPA Test but if you just want to improve your standard of driving or riding then that is enough of a reward.

We promote the System of Car Control as taught to police drivers. The System is a way of approaching and negotiating hazards that is methodical, safe and leaves nothing to chance.

Visit [www.roadarc.org.uk](http://www.roadarc.org.uk) where you can obtain more information

## What's on at St Mary's Buckden: January 2019



### SUNDAY Services

Sun 6		Epiphany
	11:00am	Family Communion
	6:00pm	BCP Holy Communion
Sun 13	8.00am	BCP Holy Communion
	11.00am	Morning Service
Sun 20	11.00am	Family Communion
	6.00pm	Evensong
Sun 27	8:00am	BCP Holy Communion
	11:00am	All-age Communion
	7:00pm	Night Prayer

Our sister church, All Saints' Offord Cluny, also has a service at 9.30am each Sunday

### Regular WEEKDAY Services / Prayers

Monday	2.15pm	Daily Prayers
Tuesday	1.30pm	Daily Prayers
Wednesday	9.30am	Communion
Thursday	11.15am	Daily Prayers
Friday	9.15am	Daily Prayers

### Regular Groups / Activities

Mondays	8.15pm	Bell-ringing practice
Wednesdays	10.00am	Coffee after communion
	10.30am	Going Deeper
Thursdays	3.15pm	Jamworkx (school)
	7.00pm	youth@thetowers (Towers)
Fridays	6.45pm	Angel Voices (18 & 25 Jan)
Saturdays	10.30am	Coffee & Cakes

**Need some peace and quiet?** You are welcome to use the Tower Room at the back of church or any other space in St Mary's whenever the church is open.

**Room to hire:** St Mary's Living Stones Room (with under-floor heating, kitchen and toilet facilities) is available to hire for meetings, groups & social gatherings [bookings@stmarysbuckden.org.uk](mailto:bookings@stmarysbuckden.org.uk)

### EVENTS IN JANUARY

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> January from 10am  
**CLEANING CREW IN ST MARY'S**

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> January is **EPIPHANY**  
The knitted nativity sets return to St Mary's during the 11am service after their journey around Buckden over Advent and Christmas

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2.30pm at St Mary's  
**COMMUNITY CAFÉ – all welcome**  
Tea, cake & chat. Supported by Friends in Deed

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January  
**M&MS LADIES GROUP – LOCAL HISTORY TALK & BUFFET** 7.30pm at the Vicarage

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> January 6pm  
**UNITY SUPPER at BUCKDEN TOWERS**  
Buckden & District Churches Together host a bring & share meal with reflection & prayer. All welcome

**ANGEL VOICES informal all-age choir**  
We practice Fridays 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> January 6.45pm in the Living Stones Room and lead the singing at the All-Age Service on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup>. Contact Chris on 01480 812777 for more information.

### Starting back this month (after the school break)

**Jamworkx After-School Club:**  
For primary school aged children.  
Thursdays 3.15pm at Buckden School  
Please book through the school

**youth@thetowers**  
A youth club for those in school years 7 to 9. Thursdays 7pm-8pm at Buckden Towers.  
£1 per session. All welcome - just turn up.

### COMING UP NEXT MONTH

**Holidays at Home : \*\*NOTE NEW DATE\*\* Monday February 25<sup>th</sup>**  
at 12.30pm in the Methodist Hall  
for the retired but young at heart

For more information on our events / activities / services all year, see [www.stmarysbuckden.org.uk](http://www.stmarysbuckden.org.uk) or follow us on facebook: St Mary's Buckden or twitter: @A1churchbuckden

**Priest in Charge:** Rev Jes Salt 01480 819377 [priestincharge@stmarysbuckden.org.uk](mailto:priestincharge@stmarysbuckden.org.uk)



**Buckden & District Churches Together**  
[www.buckdendistrictchurches.wordpress.com](http://www.buckdendistrictchurches.wordpress.com)  
 Anglicans      Baptists      Catholics      Methodists

<b>Weekly Prayer Roster</b>	
Each week during the year the Churches, in their prayers, remember the residents of particular streets in the village, those who work in the parish and village organisations. Those to be remembered this month are:	
6th January	Mayfield, Springfield Close, The Osiers, Stirtloe
13th January	Vineyard Way, Burberry Road, Swan End, Lark End, The Library and its librarians
20th January	The churches of the village: St Hugh's, St Mary's, Buckden Methodist Church, also Perry Baptist Church, members of home groups from these and other local churches, ministers and all who make our churches welcoming and worshipful places
27th January	Church Street, Mill Road, The Barns, The Old Flour Mills

<p><b>Thought for the Month</b></p> <p>As I write this Thought for the Month of January, we're approaching the last week of November, although anyone would be forgiven for thinking it's nearly Christmas as, in many shops, decorations and seasonal music have been in evidence since the middle of October. Mind you, there's an oddly unsettled look to the High Street this afternoon, with the hanging baskets of The George and Ann Furbank still looking fabulous, while across the road The Lion has its beautiful Christmas trees and lights displayed.</p> <p>It's probably an ageing thing; I get older, policemen get younger, Christmas creeps a little closer to Bonfire Night and New Year's Eve bedtime gets earlier. But I digress (another side-effect of ageing).</p> <p>One thing is for sure: Tuesday, the first of January, will be the first day of 2019. It's the start of a new year and, like millions of others throughout the world, we may see it as a chance for a fresh start. A special day to sweep</p>	<p>away the detritus of last year's failures and begin to form new habits that will improve our lives.</p> <p>Of course, many of these New Year's resolutions will last only slightly longer than the Christmas tree, which is why I never bother keeping a diary.</p> <p>The good news is though, whenever you're reading this, there's no need to wait for a special day to make important changes. Tomorrow will always be the first day of the rest of your life and it's never too late for a fresh start. Nobody ever said it was going to be easy, but the rewards of achieving a positive change are immense, and here's an encouraging thought: God would very much like to help you achieve your full potential, so why not have a quiet word with Him – He's always listening and would love to hear from you!</p> <p>A very happy and fulfilling New Year to you, from the Baptist Church.</p> <p>Alan Smith</p>
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**Christingle Collection Candles**  
 Thank you to everyone who filled their Christingle collection candles and gave so generously at the Christingle service.  
 We raised £90.48 towards the work of the Children's Society.

**STUDY LUNCHES**  
 14<sup>th</sup> January – study lunch  
 11<sup>th</sup> February - study lunch  
 Lent lunches begin on 11<sup>th</sup> March for five weeks  
 Methodist Church Hall 12.30 pm to 2.00 pm  
 Contact: **Ann Brittain** on **812012**

**Wildlife in Buckden** by Mark Ward

The days may be short, but our wonderful local wildlife has plenty to offer for those of us keen to get outside, plus a special treat if you want to watch from the comfort of your home...



*Goldfinch - photo © Peter Sharpe*

Even if you don't fancy going out in the cold, there's plenty to see. Why not take part in the RSPB's Big Garden Birdwatch – the world's biggest wildlife survey – by counting the birds in your garden or shared space, for one hour between 26-28 January? The Birdwatch is 40 in 2019 – a birthday it shares with me! It has built up a great picture of trends in our garden birds. Sadly, it has revealed big declines in species such as Starlings and Song Thrushes, but there are winners too. Feeding them all helps in these difficult times when food is scarce. Visit [www.rspb.org.uk/birdwatch](http://www.rspb.org.uk/birdwatch) for how to take part or if you are an RSPB member, your January issue of *Nature's Home* magazine will have a counting form.



*Waxwing - photo © Peter Sharpe*

You might be lucky and have colourful finches such as Siskins, Redpolls, Goldfinches, Bullfinches and perhaps even Bramblings visiting your garden. It looks like it could be a "Waxwing winter" so keep an eye on the Rowans, Hawthorns and other berry-bearing trees and shrubs in the village – and let me know if you spot any, please!

We have lots of wonderful trees around the village. There are a good number of species and some of the very best native ones for wildlife. Have a closer look at their trunks and you will find a variety of beautiful lichens. Some grow flat on the trunk making intricate patterns while others make beautiful decorations as they flow down from branches of trees. Oaks are very good and the lovely ones near me along Mill Road have many species, as do the other trees in the fantastic hedgerows along the road. Come and have a look – and check out the churchyard too as it has dozens of species of lichen on the stonework.



*Lichen growing on tree bark - photo © Mark Ward*

Every tree, shrub and piece of scrub is valuable for wildlife as well as playing its part in making Buckden such a green and healthy village for us – even in the depths of winter. Trees, bushes, scrub and standing dead stems of flowers also help with stopping soil erosion and drainage. Nature offers us lots of natural "services" like this – all for free! Please do all you can to keep the scrub and cover in your garden and your part of the village to maintain our patchwork of natural habitat.

As you look at what might first appear to be an annoying thorny bramble this winter, think about the hundreds of creatures sheltering, hibernating or overwintering as insects within its stems and leaves. In autumn, you'll benefit from the lovely blackberries and insects love the white flowers. It has recently been shown there are more than 100 species of bramble in Britain and not just one!

Our Buckden wildlife needs us more than ever at the moment, so let's all do our bit to help and protect it in our special position in the beautiful Ouse Valley. The perfect New Year's resolution!

If you have any questions or concerns about wildlife in Buckden, feel free to email me on [goldenbins@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:goldenbins@hotmail.co.uk) or call 07974 432 460.

*Mark Ward is a wildlife author and the RSPB's Editor-in-Chief. His latest books, [Wildlife on Your Doorstep](#) and [A Year in British Wildlife](#) are available online, in book stores and from Mark.*

## Hollywood or Bust

1 in 8 women, and men, too, are diagnosed with Breast Cancer at some point in their lives - sad, but true.

**Hollywood or Bust** is the Breast Cancer Support Group for breast cancer patients attending Hinchingbrooke Hospital and provides much-needed camaraderie, emotional support and solidarity from their peers.

It is for people who have breast cancer and is a source of information with the breast cancer team in attendance along with guest speakers, not to mention the benefit of other patients' experience. Informal and relaxed, members enjoy the social contact it provides. It is well attended and all are welcome from the point of diagnosis, throughout treatment and beyond.

Meetings are on the first Wednesday of the month in the Education Centre at the hospital, at 7 p.m.

**There is no charge to attend.**

Events also take place throughout the year which can also act as fund-raisers e.g a ball in October, meals out which are subsidised and the occasional day out which in the past has been free!

Light refreshments are served.

More details from:

Lorraine Walker – Breast care Nurse consultant  
Tel: 01480363516/Email: [lorraine.walker5@nhs.net](mailto:lorraine.walker5@nhs.net)

Mel Robinson – Specialist breast care nurse  
Email: [mel.robinson@nhs.net](mailto:mel.robinson@nhs.net)

## Buckden Community Litter Pick

Every bottle, bag and bit of plastic we collect is one less washed out to sea and swallowed by a dolphin.

Join us and make a difference.

Meet outside **The George Hotel, Buckden.**  
**Sunday 27th January, 9.30 am**

Feel great after an hour or two of fresh air and good company. Complimentary refreshments kindly provided by **The George Hotel.**

Please contact Natasha Marsh via email [tasha.marsh2@gmail.com](mailto:tasha.marsh2@gmail.com) or leave me a message on 07913 657836 if you'd like to come along.

Hi-Vis jackets, litter-pickers and bags will be supplied courtesy of Hunts District Council. Please bring your own gloves and suitable footwear.

All ages welcome, including children if supervised at all times by a parent or carer, as we will be picking along roadsides at times.

**Plastic Action Needed**

**Ladies Fashion Show  
AND Pop-up Shop!**

**SHOP YOUR FAVOURITE HIGH STREET BRANDS  
AT 50% OFF OR MORE! SIZES FROM 6-22**

**Colours.**  
FUN DRAISING FASHION SHOWS

**Buckden PTA  
School Parents Teachers Ideas**

**Saturday 9th February 2019**  
**Buckden School P.T.A**  
School Lane, Buckden, Cambs, PE19 5TT  
Doors open 1.30pm, show starts 2pm  
Tickets: £5  
Tickets to be purchased in advance.  
Charity raffle: FABULOUS prizes to be won at the show!  
Refreshments - including cash licensed bar & cakes... enjoy!  
For tickets and more information please contact:  
email: [buckdenpta@gmail.com](mailto:buckdenpta@gmail.com) or Buckden School Office



## Prostate Cancer – to test or not to test?

**Dr David Irwin** will discuss the pros and cons

Tuesday 26th February 2019 at 7pm

Buckden School

**All welcome**

Free Light refreshments



## Buckden Local History Society

**The Secret Life of Sweets**

By David Learner

Discover five millennia of luxury from Montezuma to the mega sour! David will explore the social history of sweets for us and audience members may take home some delights, too.

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> January** (please note this changed date)

7.30pm at The Claret Centre, Buckden Towers

Visitors always welcome

For further details contact [blhschairman@btinternet.com](mailto:blhschairman@btinternet.com)





# Come to the Community Cafe

All welcome – whether in need of  
support or just fancy a cuppa, chat  
and homemade cake

on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday each month  
2.30pm – 4pm

in the Living Stones Room at  
St Mary's Church Buckden

9<sup>th</sup> January 2019

Friends in Deed - here for the people of Buckden

### WEA

#### The Plant Hunters

People who faced danger in their quest to bring back wondrous plants to Britain from the four corners of the world. The Tradescants, Joseph Banks, Lobb brothers, Ernest Wilson, Frank Kingdon-Ward, and more.

Tutor: Andrew Sankey  
Tuesdays

15th January to 26th March 2019

10 sessions and coffee: Fee £54.75  
10.00 - 11.45. (15 hours in total)

The Claret Centre, Buckden Towers  
Contacts: Bridget Hale 216391, Bill Templeton 456788

### Huntingdon Dining Club

Huntingdon Dining Club is a friendly fundraising group which raises vital funds for the national children's charity the NSPCC in Cambridgeshire through a programme of luxury luncheons, fashion shows and talks.

Money raised by the club's events and membership fee will help NSPCC projects such as Speak Out Stay Safe.

#### 2019 Events

**11th February at 11am** – Anne Furbank Spring Fashion Show with Luncheon at 1pm at **the George Buckden**

**25th March at 12.30pm** – Luncheon with Speaker & Demonstration on the Art of Floristry

**1st July at 12.30pm** – Luncheon with Speaker on Safeguarding by Detective Inspector of Bedfordshire Police

**7th October at 11am** – Anne Furbank Autumn Fashion Show with Luncheon at 1pm

For more information contact Kate at [cfm.armstrong@gmail.com](mailto:cfm.armstrong@gmail.com) or telephone 01954 719745

### Calling all Tenors

The Aragon Singers are recruiting gentlemen, particularly tenors, to join the choir.

We are a mixed choir of approximately 40 members and rehearse in Buckden on Monday evenings. Our repertoire includes a wide range of music: sacred and secular, old and new, serious and more light-hearted.

For more information, please contact us via our website: <http://www.thearagonsingers.btck.co.uk/>, and we will get back to you.

We look forward to welcoming you.

### BLPSPA 200 Club

Results for 200 Club December Draw

£100 No 194 Mrs A Linnell

£25 No 35 Mrs J Mayes

£25 No 49 Mrs J Clark

£25 No 100 Mrs J Mews

£25 No 139 Mr D Sheringham

December Bonus Prize of £200 No 81 Mrs V Jolly

### Buckden Roundabout Assistant to Advertising Manager

The Buckden Roundabout needs an assistant to help our advertising manager with contacting and co-ordinating our advertisers. Without the volunteers on the Roundabout team we would not be able to produce the magazine. No prior experience is needed. All we need is just a couple of hours of your time each month. The Roundabout editorial team is a friendly, welcoming group. Do contact us if you think you can help by e-mailing:

[adverts@buckdenroundabout.info](mailto:adverts@buckdenroundabout.info)



### Buckden Local History Society

Your Local History Society Needs You!

We are looking for a Secretary and a Chairman to keep the Buckden Local History Society thriving. The duties are not onerous and support will be given throughout.

All you need is enthusiasm and an interest in Buckden and local history.

Please contact [blhschairman@btinternet.com](mailto:blhschairman@btinternet.com) for more information.



Burberry Road, Buckden,  
Cambridgeshire, PE19 5UY  
Tel: 01480 811101

www.buckdenvillagehall.co.uk  
email:admin@buckdenvillagehall.co.uk

**Blood Donor Session**

The NHSBT Blood Donor Session is on 25<sup>th</sup> January.

**Christmas Fayre**

Thank you to everyone who bought a ticket for the Christmas Raffle which was held on 2<sup>nd</sup> December and thank you also to all the local business who kindly donated prizes. Please find below the list of prizes, benefactors and winning ticket numbers:

Prize	Donated by	Winning ticket number
£300	Buckden Village Hall Trust	3041
Handbag	Susan Peters	2554
Bottle of wine & box of chocs	Nisa	4003
Sunday lunch for 4 people	The George Hotel	2946
2 x day memberships	Waterside Leisure	1497
Manicure voucher	Beauty by Becky	0021

Prize	Donated by	Winning ticket number
Two course Sunday Carvery for 2	The Lion Hotel	1436
Pedicure voucher	Nails at the Forge	0137
Free MOT	Ian's Tyre & Exhaust Centre, H'don	2564
Bottle of wine & box of chocs	One Stop	4069
Voucher	Days of Buckden	4201
Goodie Bag	Elouise	1265
Manicure voucher	Beauty by Becky	0049
Bottle of Prosecco	The Vine	1271
Ladies & Gents toiletry sets	Buckden Pharmacy	3762
Family ticket to Buckfest	Buckfest	0091
2 x dog tracking tags & 1 x one hour dog walk	DogsWalkOut	4070
Vouchers for 4 x free Pilates/Nordic Walking classes	Peacock Hill Pilates	4585
Partylite Party Bag	Partylite	0231
Goodie Bag	Syrupp	2728
Beer Pack	Draycott Brewery	0171
Bottle of Rioja in wine presentation case	Mr & Mrs Lawrence	3073
Christmas Spice Collection	Helen at Slimming World	1469

**We wish everyone a very happy and healthy 2019**

Jo Harvey, 01480 811101,  
admin@buckdenvillagehall.co.uk,  
Office hours 9am to 2pm.

**BUCKDEN WI**

Our December AGM gave members the opportunity to vote for the committee and the President for 2019. The present committee was re-elected with the addition of Janet Gardner and Ruth Nicholas was again elected as President. We said a fond farewell to Patricia Ford who has held the post of vice-president for a number of years and Ruth thanked her for all her help and support. Once the formalities were over members enjoyed a relaxing evening chatting to friends and tucking into a fish and chip supper.



Our next meeting in the New Year is a Wine and Cheese evening to be held on **Tuesday, 8th January at 7.30pm** in the Millard Suite at the Village Hall. Members are asked to pay their annual subscription of £42 and also to bring their voting slip from the November/December copy of WI Life page 27 in order to choose our 2019 resolutions. Wine and cheese will be provided by the committee.

For more information please contact:  
Ruth Nicholas – 07957 334142  
Judith Armitage – 01480 811717

**New Year ... New Challenge .. Volunteer with Girlguiding**



Would you like to make your New Year's resolution to help your local community? Buckden Rainbows seek a new Assistant Leader to support the unit on a weekly basis ASAP.

Rainbows is the first step of Girlguiding for 5-7 year old girls. Being a Rainbow is all about having the space to try new things. Through taking part in a range of different activities Rainbows develop self-confidence and make new friends.

We are seeking additional help asap to support the girls at a

thriving unit with a long waiting list! We meet on Tuesdays, 4.30 to 5.30pm at the Village Hall. You will need to be over 18 and will require an enhanced DBS check (free of charge via GGUK).

It's a rewarding role and a great way to give something back to the community, whilst developing your own skills. Please get in touch with Sandra on 810404 if you would like to know more.

Or register via  
[www.girlguiding.org.uk/get-involved/become-a-volunteer](http://www.girlguiding.org.uk/get-involved/become-a-volunteer)





January 2019

**Children's activities**

**Storytime**

Come along to our Tuesday storytime for pre-school children. This fun session runs every Tuesday from 2.15pm during term time. The dates for January are Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>

**Saturday craft club**

Join us on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> January for our regular children's craft club. 50p per child.

**Lego club**

Lego Club starts again on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> January from 10.15am – 12.45pm. Come along and see what you can build! Suitable for children aged 5 – 11 years old. 50p per child.

**Regular activities**

**Knit Lit**

Do you enjoy knitting and a good book? Our friendly group meets on alternate Fridays. In January Knit Lit meetings are on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> from 8pm. Knitters of all ages and abilities welcome!

**Researching your family history?** Come along to the library where you can access Ancestry for free and if you need some help, we can book you an appointment with one of our volunteers.

**Concessionary bus pass**

Applying for or renewing your bus pass? We can help you at the library, no appointment necessary.

**E-books and e-magazines:**

Did you know that library members can download a wide range of e-books, e-audio books and e-magazines for free at [www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/libraries?](http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/libraries?) Come along to the library to find out more.

Tuesday	10.00 am to 1.00 pm
	2.00 pm to 5.00 pm
Thursday	2.00 pm to 5.00 pm
Friday	5.00 pm to 8.00 pm
Saturday	10.00 am to 1.00 pm
Closed Monday and Wednesday	

Village Hall, Burberry Road, Buckden  
Tel: **0345 045 5225**  
[www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/library](http://www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/library)

**THE HINCHINGBROOKE**  
*Bösendorfer*  
**CONCERTS**



2018 - 2019



OCTOBER 19<sup>TH</sup>  
2018

Frédéric Aguessy, *piano*

NOVEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>  
2018

Joy Farrall, *clarinet*;  
Caroline Dearnley, *cello*;  
John Lenehan, *piano*.

JANUARY 25<sup>TH</sup>  
2019

Katya Apekisheva and  
Charles Owen, *piano duo*.

MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>  
2019

Emma Halnan, *flute*;  
Robert Burton, *saxophone*;  
Manon Fischer-Dieskau, *piano*;  
Christine Zerafa, *piano*.

MARCH 29<sup>TH</sup>  
2019

Masayuki Tayama, *piano*.

Hinchingbrooke Performing Arts Centre  
Huntingdon at 7.30 pm  
Box Office 01480 375678 (9am to 3pm)  
[www.ticketsource.co.uk/hinchingbrookepac](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/hinchingbrookepac)

TICKETS: ADULTS: £15  
(ALL 5 CONCERTS: £60)  
GROUPS OF 20+: £10 EACH  
STUDENTS UNDER 21: £5

**Foodbank Christmas Hampers.**

A big 'thank you' to everyone who so generously donated to the Godmanchester Foodbank Christmas Hampers.

You have all once again been so kind & it was very much appreciated.

Wishing you all a very Happy & Healthy New Year -  
Jo Redwood

**Buckden Bowls Club**

Draws took place at the Annual Dinner on Saturday 17 November

**November**

No. 62 Mary Ward £20  
No. 78 Rita Dixon £10  
No. 82 Anne Ward £5

**December**

No. 50 Alby Corn £20  
No. 42 Bryan Calligan £10  
No. 84 Karen Reid £5

**End of season draw** No. 71 Eileen Linane £200

Thank you all for your support and Happy Christmas

**Contacts**

Brian Moore Club Sec. 812112  
Lady Captain Pat Purssord 810622

**BUCKDEN CHURCH OF  
ENGLAND SCHOOL  
(Primary Academy Trust)**



**December 2018**

The school community has been busy on the run up to Christmas with a wide range of activities and events.

Our Reception children performed their play 'The Wiggly Nativity' to the school, family and friends. Their first performance at Buckden Academy was beautifully acted and sung. The children in Years 1 and 2 also performed their Christmas play 'The Magical Land of Sleep' to the school community, family and friends. Another very accomplished performance was given by the children. Well done to all our budding actors and actresses and to the staff who turned their hand to directing, producing, costume making and prompters.

We invited our parents to share Christmas dinner with us. The hall was decorated and Christmas songs rang out! We had two sittings, and all our children and visitors enjoyed their dinner. A massive well done and thank you to Mrs Bigg and her team for a fabulous dinner.

The children in Years 5/6 have been busy singing their Christmas carols and songs at the Buckden Christmas Lights Switch-On, as well as visiting the residents of Hardwick Dene. Our annual Key Stage 2 Christmas Carol Concert was held at St Marys Church and was attended by many parents and friends of the school. This is always a festive occasion and this year was no exception.

Our Year 4 children visited the Museum of Archaeology & Anthropology and the Museum of Zoology in Cambridge. As part of their topic work, they studied the Mayans and rainforests at the Museum of Archaeology & Anthropology, and science at the Museum of Zoology. Everyone had a very busy and exciting day.

Our PTA have also been very busy. At the Christmas Lights Switch-On they were busy manning Santa's Grotto. They also organised a shop where the children could buy Christmas presents for their family and the end of term Christmas discos for the children at school. Thank you to their hard work fundraising this term – they have more fundraising events planned for the Spring Term.

The school would like to thank all parent helpers and friends who regularly come into school to work with the children. Your help is very much welcomed and appreciated. May we take the opportunity to wish the residents of Buckden a very happy and prosperous new year.

**The school re-opens for the Spring Term on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019.**

The children loved every minute of the run-up to Christmas, writing Santa letters, making some beautiful crafts and cards, and practising their numeral recognition by sticking the correct number of decorations on their festive number lines. They also enjoyed turning the home corner into a vets surgery, learning about Hanukkah and, of course, their Christmas party.

Our open morning and craft event saw us welcome plenty of families and visitors into Preschool to enjoy activities with the children and sample our sensory circuits sessions, and many were back again just over a week later to hear the children sing their hearts out at the Christmas concert. Not a dry eye in the house!

Thank you to everyone who supported our stall at Buckden's Christmas Lights Festival and played our festive Lucky Lollipops game. We raised £230 to spend on resources and activities for Preschool and had a lovely afternoon seeing familiar faces and greeting old friends. Another year has gone by and the ex-Preschoolers are taller than ever!

As we look forward to 2019 and the spring term at Preschool, with its Pancake Flip and Easter activities to enjoy, we wish you all a very Happy New Year.

There are still some places available, so do get in touch if you would like to enrol your child or arrange a visit in the New Year. Please contact our Manager, Samantha Sinclair, on 07941 671999.

New committee members are always welcome. To discover what's involved, please contact our Chairperson, Becky Milne, at [buckdenpreschoolchairperson@gmail.com](mailto:buckdenpreschoolchairperson@gmail.com).

For more information, visit us, or visit [www.buckdenpreschool.co.uk](http://www.buckdenpreschool.co.uk) or see our Facebook updates at <https://www.facebook.com/www.buckdenpreschool.co.uk>.

Miss Alison

## Buckden Bites

### Did you know...?

...Morris Close, near Buckden Surgery, was named after Dr Michael Morris who was a GP in Buckden for many years.

...Burberry Road was named after William Burberry, who set up a charity for the poor of Buckden in 1558. His charity is still active 460 years later, being part of the Almshouse Charities of James South and William Burberry

...Copes Close was named after the Cope family, who owned the farm on which the close is built.

*From Buckden A Huntingdonshire Village, Mike Storey (Ed.) 2010*



### BUCKDEN JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

Please note that, owing to FA rules, we cannot show actual scores for League matches played by teams from U7 to U11. We will, therefore, only show who played, with scores marked 'x'. However, for their Cup games we can indicate whether teams won, lost or drew.

#### November/December Match Results

\*Hunts Yth  
League U12  
League Cup

\*\*Hunts Coun-  
ty Yth U12 Cup

^Hunts County  
Yth U14 Cup  
Qtr Final

HUNTS YTH LEAGUE	HOME TEAM		AWAY TEAM	
<b>Mini-Soccer</b>				
17 Nov 18	St Ives Rangers Colts U9 White	x	Buckden Raptors U9 White	x
17 Nov 18	Hemingford Colts U8	x	Buckden Hawks U8 Black	x
17 Nov 18	Ramsey Colts FD U8 Lions	x	Buckden Hawks U8 White	x
17 Nov 18	Whittlesey U7 White	x	Buckden Caracaras U7	x
24 Nov 18	Buckden Raptors U9 Black	x	Gt Paxton Colts U9 Panthers	x
24 Nov 18	Buckden Raptors U9 White	x	Sawtry Colts U9	x
24 Nov 18	Buckden Hawks U8 Black	x	Godmanchester U8 Blue	x
24 Nov 18	Buckden Hawks U8 White	x	Ramsey Colts FD U8 Rhinos	x
24 Nov 18	Buckden Caracaras U7	x	Ramsey Colts FD U7 Hawks	x
1 Dec 18	Buckden Raptors U9 Black	x	St Ives Rangers Colts U9 Red	x
1 Dec 18	March Academy U9 White	x	Buckden Raptors U9 White	x
1 Dec 18	Mid Beds Tigers U8	x	Buckden Hawks U8 Black	x
1 Dec 18	St Neots Town U8 Sky	x	Buckden Hawks U8 White	x
1 Dec 18	Priory Parkside U7 Yellow	x	Buckden Caracaras U7	x
<b>Hunts Youth (9v9)</b>				
17 Nov 18*	Buckden Vultures U12*	2	Hemingford Colts U12*	0
24 Nov 18	Somersham Town U11	x	Buckden Eagles U11	x
25 Nov 18**	Parkside Athletic U12 Blue**	1	Buckden Vultures U12**	4
1 Dec 18	Huntingdon Rowdies U12 Green	0	Buckden Vultures U12	1
<b>Hunts Youth (11v11)</b>				
17 Nov 18	Fenstanton Yth U14	2	Buckden Harriers U14	4
17 Nov 18	Blunham U13 Yellows	3	Buckden Ospreys U13	2
24 Nov 18	Buckden Harriers U14	8	Hemingford Colts U14	0
1 Dec 18^	Warboys Colts U14^	1	Buckden Harriers U14^	5
1 Dec 18	Buckden Ospreys U13	3	Eynesbury Rovers U13	2

#### Buckden Junior Football Club Needs Volunteers For Committee Roles

We are searching for volunteers for the following positions on the Club Committee:

##### Charter Standard Representative

The role includes making sure that all managers/ coaches/ assistants are up to date with their first aid, safeguarding and CRC checks and also booking courses when needed with Hunts FA to help/improve our team officials' quals so that we can help the players progress and develop their skills. A full handover/training will be given.

##### Managers Representative

The role includes being the first port of call for managers' queries/issues in the hope they can be resolved before reaching the Chairman or Secretary! You would be free to expand it as you see fit - perhaps organising managers' coaching sessions to discuss training methods/drills etc.

If you, your family, friends, grandparents or parents/carers/ grandparents of players wish to step forward then please contact: Michael Lander (07912 346481 [bjfcchairman@hotmail.com](mailto:bjfcchairman@hotmail.com))

#### ROUNABOUT ADVERTISING RATES

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<b>Colour, inside front cover</b>		
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1/2 page	£66	NA*

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**the GEORGE**  
HOTEL & BRASSERIE




## Food Market

**Last Friday of every month 9am – 12noon**

Your chance to take home some of the chef's homemade food to eat in the comfort of your home.

**Homemade breads** and **cakes**, as well as some popular **savoury dishes** including fish pies and cottage pies. Whatever is on the menu could be on your table!

Held in the bar of  
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