

***Dear All,***

In the Christian calendar, this is the time of Lent and Easter. After the preparation of Lent, we travel through the darkness of Good Friday to the creativity and hope of Easter Day. These themes of death and life, of sorrow and restoration are part of all human life. For Christians at the centre of this narrative is Jesus, who lived and died in Palestine, and then wonderfully, miraculously lived again as the power of God burst into the world.

One of the last things Jesus did with his closest friends was to share a meal with

them. He showed them hospitality as he served them and cared for their needs. I

love meals with family and friends. They can be times of love, reminiscence, laughter and intimacy. Some of my favourite meals include the annual Christmas Eve brunch with dear friends, a barbecue in a car park at a motor racing event, fish and chips by the sea and a surprise birthday party. A meal can be a time to treasure, both for the food and drink, as well as the company and deepening relationships.

In the spirit of the above, St Peter's Church, Barton Baptists church and others are joining together to run a pop-up café on 22 April. This will take place at 8.30 a.m. in the village hall, with a special invitation to all those who drop children off at school and would like to spend some time catching up with each other over tea, coffee and refreshments, with toys provided for young children.

We hope the pop-up café will provide a space for conversation, fun, relaxation and friendship. Do come along!

May you have a blessed Easter

*Revd Corin Redsell  
Curate to the Lordsbridge team of churches*

## **Church News**

**Soup Lunch.** Thank you to everyone who helped with and supported our Lent Soup Lunch last month. With the Gift Aid contributions £330 was the sum raised for WaterAid. A great result.

**Easter Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April – Churchyard Clean up** in the morning from 9.30am. We would welcome help to tidy up the churchyard in readiness for the summer season. Please bring some tools along, shears, rake, secateurs, edging tool etc. Inside, the church will be decorated with flowers and again all help is welcome. Coffee and biscuits mid-morning!

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April Open Gardens.** Once again we will be serving homemade teas in the Village Hall for church funds during the afternoon. If you could help with serving or making a cake please let Anne Coulson know, we'd value your help.

*Anne Coulson*

### **Barton Baptist Church**

In preparation for Easter we are holding a Maundy Thursday communion service at 7.30pm to which you are invited. It's a lovely way to prepare ourselves for the momentous events of Good Friday and Easter Sunday. Our regular Tea and chats are on the 14<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> of the month. It is great to see so many coming along for a relaxed and friendly time together. We will always squeeze you in. Our Bible studies commence on the 15<sup>th</sup>. We are beginning a new study in the Old Testament book of Daniel. It should be interesting! The foodbank collection point will be open during these times. The men's breakfast, held in the pavilion, is on the 18<sup>th</sup>. It's a great chance to meet local men, enjoy a full cooked breakfast (allowed once a month) and listen to an interesting speaker.

*Ken Jones – 262583*

### **Barton Christian Fellowship**

Our meeting this month is on Wednesday April 8th at 2.30pm in the Village Hall, when the speaker will be Ruth Bond. All are welcome.

*Mary West*

### **Parish Jottings**

#### **Are you standing as a Parish Councillor?**

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May is a big day for the country, but also for local elections; you will have your opportunity to vote for your District Councillor and your Parish Councillors on that day too.

There are many reasons why people stand for election. It may be because they want to speak on behalf of their local community or to help local people and represent their needs and concerns or to offer their personal or professional skills to assist the work of the Council.

Nominations will be accepted by South Cambs District Council from 30<sup>th</sup> March

until 4pm Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2015. If you have not already handed your completed nomination forms to the Clerk, they must be submitted in person, but not necessarily by you, at the Council offices in Cambourne.

Full details are shown on [www.electoralcommission.org.uk/i-am-a/candidate-or-agent/parish-and-community-council-elections-in-england-and-wales](http://www.electoralcommission.org.uk/i-am-a/candidate-or-agent/parish-and-community-council-elections-in-england-and-wales)

### ***South Cambridgeshire District Council Annual Awards Evening***

The Parish Council nominated John Boocock for a ‘Village Hero’ award and he duly received a certificate from the Chairman, Dr David Bard. To quote from the nomination, “Unpaid, John has devoted days and weeks selflessly to improve facilities for the benefit of Barton village and its residents. In particular, the past three years have seen a number of exceptional achievements.

As an agricultural engineer by training and now in retirement he is frequently called on by the Parish Council to take on both large and small projects and his work is always to a very high standard.”

### ***Annual Parish Meeting – Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> April 7.15 for 7.30pm, Village Hall.***

Do not miss the opportunity to hear the Chairman’s Annual report on Parish Council activities over the last year. You will also be able to listen to our District and County Councillors and to representatives of a variety of village groups. Refreshments will be provided. Please come along.

### ***County Councillor Stephen Frost***

At the March meeting Stephen highlighted the City Deal offering government funds of £100 million. He had no doubt that improved transport infrastructure depended on a solution to A428 problems and in particular the delays at Madingley Rise in peak periods.

The County Council is increasing its share of the rates by 1.99% in 2015-16, but this will still entail some £30 million of cuts.

There have been delays and complications with utilities at the Braseley Bridge in Grantchester, so it may not reopen until September.

### ***Drugs***

The Parish Council has been concerned for some time about drug-taking on the Recreation Ground, especially as young children play there. There is evidence of the use of cannabis and of nitrous oxide or ‘laughing gas’. The latter is particularly dangerous, as it can cause brain damage and even death. The receptacles used are small silver canisters, looking like a mini Thermos flask 2.5 inches long. Please be vigilant. Items left behind by the drug takers should not be dangerous in themselves, but parents should ensure that young children don’t pick up anything that looks in any way suspicious. The police are patrolling the Rec. on a regular basis at night, and will deal with any drug takers that they catch. It must be stressed that drug-taking happens in all villages.

## **National Plant Monitoring Scheme – [www.npms.org.uk](http://www.npms.org.uk)**

Would you like to be involved in this government backed scheme which is being delivered by a partnership comprising Botanical Society of Britain and Ireland; Centre for Ecology; Joint Nature Conservation Committee and Plantlife?

Volunteers are asked to record up to 30 plant species in any one square or linear plot as long as it fits into 1 of the 28 NPMS habitats; Volunteers carry out the survey of their plots twice a year; Volunteers may be individuals or small groups. The scheme will enable botanists to explore how plants in different habitats are responding to changes in the environment.

## **Type 2 Together – Diabetes Peer Support Groups**

Diabetes UK has joined forces with Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Clinical Commissioning Group to set up a network of informal group sessions led by volunteers who themselves are living with diabetes and are trained to share their advice and experiences. The groups will give you the chance to meet others with Type 2 diabetes, to support each other and make friends, and share experiences and information. If you are interested in joining a group you can email [Type2Together@diabetes.org.uk](mailto:Type2Together@diabetes.org.uk) or call 0345 123 2399 to speak with your regional Co-ordinator about how to get involved.

If you would like more information on the project visit the Diabetes UK website: [http://www.diabetes.org.uk/How\\_we\\_help/Talk-to-someone/Type-2-Together/](http://www.diabetes.org.uk/How_we_help/Talk-to-someone/Type-2-Together/).

## **Notice board**

Official notices and full minutes of meetings are on the notice board by the pond.

**Next Parish Council meeting: Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March 7.30pm in the Village Hall**

*Patrick De Backer 07771-923710 [bartonpcclerk@btinternet.com](mailto:bartonpcclerk@btinternet.com)*

*A letter sent by Andrew Lansley on 9<sup>th</sup> March to the Barton Parish Council Chairman:*

*Dear Margaret,*

*As we approach my retirement from Parliament in May, I wish to extend to you and, through you, to your Parish Council and constituents in Barton, my thanks for the privilege of being able to represent you. I have benefited often from the advice of Parish Councils in tackling the issues we have faced together and I hope you have found our collaboration helpful over the years.*

*I do think we can continue to be proud of South Cambridgeshire. We are consistently seen as one of the best places to live in this country. We achieve this whilst also being amongst the most dynamic places for growth. The 'Cambridge phenomenon' is in reality often to be found in South Cambridgeshire. We are a high-tech magnet and now, I would argue, the best place in the world to undertake life sciences research and development.*

*This dynamism is reflected not least in the increase in employment, up some 35%*

over the last five years. We are among the constituencies across the country with the lowest unemployment rate; currently at just 0.6%. Youth unemployment, too, is down by two-thirds over the last five years.

We know all of this success has led to great pressure for development in South Cambridgeshire. We have worked together, with considerable success, to identify how we can accommodate new jobs and housing, without sacrificing our environment and quality of life. Developing new settlements, at Cambourne and now Northstowe has been important; and organic growth in villages which have the necessary infrastructure. However, we have needed to resist inappropriate housing development, e.g. at the so-called 'Hanley Grange' and in the 'QTSQ' South West of Cambridge. We have successfully maintained the integrity of our village pattern of settlement.

In recent years, we have seen major positive investment decisions, such as AstraZeneca coming to Cambridge, the new Papworth Hospital and developments on the Cambridge Biomedical Campus, dramatic growth at the Wellcome Trust at Hinxton; and in taking forward the A14 and A428 improvement plans.

We have fought to get a fair deal on funding for our public services. We got change on the Area Cost Adjustment, help through the New Homes Bonus, the City Deal, a big step towards an improvement in the national formula for school funding, and a 5% increase in NHS funding locally next year also taking us closer to our fair target formula. Through Connecting Cambridgeshire, we are also seeing 21st Century infrastructure essential for our South Cambridgeshire villages.

Over the years, many thousands of constituents and I have corresponded; we may not have always agreed, but I have always tried to help and have appreciated the countless helpful views I have received. I hope I stand down with South Cambridgeshire continuing to be the best place to live for us and for our children; as a family residing in South Cambridgeshire ourselves, I can honestly say, I can't think of anywhere better to live.

I should like to thank all of our Parishes, and District and County Councillors for all they do in public service; and ask if you would kindly convey on through Parish newsletters, etc. my warmest thanks not only to you all, but also to my constituents.

Yours sincerely, Andrew Lansley

*The Rt Hon Andrew Lansley CBE MP, MP for South Cambridgeshire*

## **Village News**

### **Community Car Scheme**

From 17<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> April inclusive, the Community car scheme contact person for lifts will be **Bryan Goshawk** – 262095.

### **Barton Lunch Club – Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> April 12.30 for 1pm, Village Hall**

**PLEASE NOTE:** This is the second Friday of the month so as not to clash with Good Friday. Advance booking is essential as we do need to know numbers. For

more information, reservations /cancellations/offers of help etc. please contact Anne Coulson. 262666.

### ***Tea at Three – Thanks!***

The lighter side of the 20s was in evidence when guests indulged their taste buds at Barton's Ritz on March. Flappers and feathers, pearls and prosecco set the scene for the jazz age of the Roaring Twenties.

We sincerely hope the customers enjoyed their time of indulgence with the strains of live jazz from the pianoforte. £122 has been handed to Macmillan Cancer Support. Look out for the next Tea at Three scheduled for 19<sup>th</sup> September.

### ***Barton School***

Spring is definitely on its way in Barton, as there are more daylight hours and the popping up of crocuses and the celebrations of Mothers' Day and Easter!

This term has been short and sweet but with a lot of activity in school. We have undertaken two visits into central Cambridge with our Footprints of Faith Walks, investigating different famous scientists, like William Harvey (famous for biological experiments), William Gilbert (famous for his work on magnetism) and of course Sir Isaac Newton (famous for gravity and the apple tree!) All our children had the privilege of spending time in St John's College and Trinity College whilst our older children also visited the Wren Library, where they saw a lock of Newton's hair. It made us realise what a wonderful place we live in with such a rich culture on our doorsteps.

During Lent, we have been following '40 Acts of Kindness' and each child has tried to find different ways to be kind at school and at home – it is called 'Doing Lent Generously!' You may have been recipients of their generosity, who knows!

We are sad to say goodbye to Mrs Andjelic, one of our class teachers who has been in the school for 8 years. She will be leaving at the end of April and we wish her well in the future. We are fortunate to have Mole Piotrowicz, a local to Barton, taking on the three days in Kingfisher Class until the end of the Summer.

On another local front, we have had the biggest pleasure having an Artist in Residence, Beth Neal, who has pitched her art studio, in miniature form, in our library area. Her art work has caused the children to stop and ask questions and to take part in painting. She has been using the atmosphere of our school and discussions that have taken place, to create her art each day. It has been a fascinating experience for us all and one that has enriched our school.

Our Mothers' Day Service held in school was a colourful affair – combined with Red Nose Day! We hope it made all the mums who came, smile. Our children had a go at producing a 'flash mob' of a medley of songs and I know it was appreciated by all who came.

At this Easter time, I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a blessed Easter, which will be filled with quality family time and also time for reflection on the message of Jesus dying for us all and rising from the dead. As John 10:10 says, “Jesus came that we might have life, life in all its fullness”.

*Claire Coulson*

### **Barton WI**

At our Annual Meeting the President and members gave their annual reports on speakers and activities that had happened during the year, We also welcomed Rosalind Gilmore CBE an investment banking specialist in international and domestic monetary policy and the structure of the UK financial sector. She spoke of the history of banking over several decades and her work with H M Treasury, The Bank of England, Prince Philip, Giro Bank and being a Regulator for the UK Mortgage and Savings Industry.

The speaker for the April meeting is Fay Durrant – ‘You are what you eat’.

*Kathryn Wake*

### **Calling all families with Toddlers**

BRIG wishes to support a new toddler group in the sports pavilion on a weekday morning starting after other children have been taken to school or playgroup (e.g. 9.15am). The proposed day would be a Friday morning. Many parents bring their toddlers to the Recreation Ground at this time so it seems a good opportunity to have a group then. However, it would be good if parents who are interested, would either come to a meeting on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 9.15 am in the sports pavilion or contact me to let me know if you are interested and have ideas about running this group. I look forward to seeing or hearing from you soon.

Meta Greenfield, 262005 114 High Street, [thegreenfields114@gmail.com](mailto:thegreenfields114@gmail.com)

### **Barton WWWI**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April is our AGM, when we will be recapping on our past year and electing our President and Committee.

We will spend the rest of the evening with a craft workshop – this could be a good time to add some triangles to our bunting!

Email [wednesdaywomenwi@live.com](mailto:wednesdaywomenwi@live.com) for more information or just turn up on the evening. We meet on the third Wednesday of the month at 6.30pm in the White Horse Pub.

*Claire Wright*

### **Neighbourhood Watch**

The police are at pains to tell us that this is a low crime area. However, burglaries and thefts continue in our vicinity and we must remain vigilant and protect our property. On average, one property a month is burgled in Barton, so it is worthwhile doing all you can protect your property from burglars.

To assist in this, members of the police force will be visiting Barton between **30<sup>th</sup> March** and **19<sup>th</sup> April** under Operation Oaklands. They will provide valuable security advice that will help to ensure that residents are less likely to be victims of crime. You can speak to them at your door BUT if you do invite a police officer into your home, please ensure that they are genuine by asking for their collar number and some identification. A police car may be nearby and this should provide additional reassurance.

There will also be a **Police Surgery** at the **Pavilion** on the Recreation Ground on **Wednesday, 8<sup>th</sup> April from 7pm to 9pm**. All Barton residents are invited to attend, to raise any matter that you would like to discuss with the police, not just household security.

*Keep safe, Bev Edwards*

### **Barton Gardeners**

The hum of lawn mowers has been heard! Let's hope that spring has indeed begun. Whilst in your garden, please would you pot on any unwanted seedlings or surplus plants for the Plant Sale. All should be labelled and, if possible, delivered to a BG Committee member. If you would like them collected, please call me on 262479. This year we will have an abundance of pretty Bedding Plants for you.



The Plant Sale & Bacon Butties morning is on Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> May – All welcome.

The BG Show Schedule for Village Day (11<sup>th</sup> July) has been finalised. Entry to any of the classes is open to everyone. Whilst the majority of classes remain the same as last year, we would like to give you prior warning that there is a new Class in Homecraft – 'Jar of Jelly', the photograph theme is 'Children at Play' and in Handicraft – the specified item is a ' Keepsake Box – Hand-decorated by exhibitor'. If you would like further details, please contact me.

*Thank you, Sue Edwards 262479*

### **CRAFTFORCE**

In February Sue Edwards, assisted by Jan Ireland, taught ten of us how to make button and bead necklaces – a wonderful and inspiring afternoon learning a new craft under expert guidance. Other crafters came along too to work on their own specific items, and we all enjoyed tea, chat and homemade cake.

Anyone is welcome to join us whether you would like to learn a new skill, or simply find time to do your own thing and have a pleasant social afternoon! Just turn up at the pavilion at 3 o'clock on the fourth Wednesday of the month. £2 per time to cover venue hire. The next session will be on Wednesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April... we look forward to seeing you there!

*Margaret Winterbourne*

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## **Barton Playgroup**

The Spring Term continues with plenty of celebrations for the children to enjoy! We dressed up as our favourite Heroes and Princesses on World Book Day to raise money for the charity 'Crackerjacks Children's Trust' which supports children with disabilities and enables them to have the same quality of living as their peers. We have also made cards for Mothering Sunday and celebrated Easter with stories and lots of craft activities.



Please don't forget Playgroup's annual **Coffee Morning and Cake Sale** which will be held on **Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April** from 10am-12pm in the Village Hall. All are very welcome! For more information about Barton Playgroup or if you would like to see the fun things the children get up to, please have a look on our website [www.bartonplaygroup.co.uk](http://www.bartonplaygroup.co.uk)

*Wendy Guest*

## **Barton Bowls Club Jumble Sale – Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2pm, Village Hall**

Items for the sale may be left at 7, Kings Grove or 12, Haslingfield Road during the w/c 20 April.

## **New Players Required for Barton Bowls Club**

Are you an experienced bowler or have you ever thought about trying your hand? We are a small, friendly and sociable Club and we are looking for new players for the coming season. There are three opportunities for you to come along and give us a try before the new season starts.

2.00 pm Saturday 11 April followed by a Club Tea (£4 )

6.30 pm Thursday 16 April

6.30 pm Thursday 23 April

Our Green is located on the Recreation Ground in the village, so just turn up at one of the above times. We have woods available for you to use and members on hand to provide tuition. If you would like any further details please contact me.

*Martin Carter 07500 898345*

## **Barton Friendship Club**

At our 3<sup>rd</sup> March meeting, Irine Kirillova gave us an excellent talk on being an interpreter for Prince Charles on his visits to Russia. The talk was very informative and amusing.

The next meeting on 7<sup>th</sup> April will be the AGM, followed by a Quiz. Afterwards, there will be a Committee meeting.

**All are most welcome.** Members £2 non-members £2.50 (includes tea/coffee/biscuits).

*Richard Parker*

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### ***Forget-me-not Friends***

To add to the actions to make Barton a Dementia Friendly Community (as begun by Barton WI Campaigns Group) it is intended to open up a Drop-In space for those with memory hiccoughs and for those who care for them.

It is planned to hold a one and a half hour session each month in the White Horse Inn between 10am and 11.30am *Date TBC*.

For more details see May's Parish Magazine, the village website and Facebook page or call Ruth Bond on 262985 or email [ruth.bond52@gmail.com](mailto:ruth.bond52@gmail.com)

### ***Barton Energy Group Renewable Heating***

A meeting to discuss renewable heating will be held at Coton Village Hall (56 High Street, Coton, Cambridge CB23 7PL, parking available) on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April. Doors open at 7pm for 7.30pm to 9pm, refreshments available.

- Heat Pumps – Several Barton residents have switched from oil or electric heating to using heat pumps, which are heavily subsidised by the government, and could save you money. There will be talks that will be mainly non-technical. Suppliers will be available to discuss the possibilities, without any obligation whatsoever – this meeting is for information only.
- Biomass Boilers – Michael Radford from Burwash Manor, Barton, will talk about their Renewable Heating project. This is a massive biomass boiler that is used to heat the farmhouse and all the shops. They are also suitable for domestic use and burn readily-available wood chips. Government subsidies are expected to pay all the capital cost over a period of a few years.
- Solar electricity generation – Suppliers will be discussing their wares at the meeting. Although government subsidies have dropped, so has the cost of the equipment and so it is still a very good investment. I believe that all the Barton residents who have made this investment are delighted with their systems, and benefit from large amounts of free electricity for much of the year.

*Bev Edwards*

The Group will be holding its **Annual General Meeting** on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2015 at 8 pm in Barton Village Hall.

If you are interested in acting or helping backstage please come along to the meeting, where you can find out more about the group and talk to some of the members.

For more information contact Val on 264421 or look at our website: [www.bartondramagroup.co.uk](http://www.bartondramagroup.co.uk)



## **Comberton Library**

**Monday:**10am-1pm, **Wednesday:**10am-1pm,2pm-5pm **Friday:**2pm-5pm **Saturday:**10am-1pm

Libraries are a public service, here for you to use and enjoy. We want to do our best for customers of all ages, so we need to know what you like about us and what you'd like to see change. We really value feedback, especially the written kind, so if you have a moment please write something down for us on our new Customer Feedback board. It provides us with evidence of how well we're doing, or to justify change, e.g. due to sustained feedback we now have a new printer and a scanner!

Do we have your correct details? We have had items of lost property found in the library recently that we have been unable to return quickly as we have outdated contact details for the owners. If you're moving house, or changing your 'phone number or email address please let us know during your next library visit, as you could also be missing helpful emails about your borrowed items being due back or late. Our monthly newsletter keeps you updated about special offers and events around the region.

Forthcoming Rhymetime sessions: 13<sup>th</sup> April, 27<sup>th</sup> April, 11<sup>th</sup> May

Please note that although these sessions are aimed at very young children we welcome older siblings and pre-schoolers who enjoy singing too!

**Comberton Reading Group meets** on the first Wednesday of each month in the library, between 10.30 and 11.30am. If you are interested in joining a fun and lively chat about a wide variety of titles, ask at the library for details.

For discussion on 1<sup>st</sup> April: *Astonishing Splashes of Colour* by Clare Morrall.

*Hilary Spargo, Comberton Library*

## **Addenbrooke's Charitable Trust – Make a Will Week 20-24 April**

This is a chance for people to get their wills written in return for a donation to support Addenbrooke's and the Rosie hospitals.

For your information, please see [www.act4addenbrookes.org.uk/makeawill](http://www.act4addenbrookes.org.uk/makeawill).

## **Cambridge Gliding Centre Open Day, Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April, 10am – 4pm.**

Come and visit Gransden Lodge Airfield to find out about the sport of gliding. All welcome. Trial flights with our qualified instructors available on a first-come, first-fly basis. Free admission. Refreshments.

The airfield entrance is on the B1046 between Little Gransden & Longstowe, opposite Gransden Lodge Farm (enter SG19 3EB into your SatNav). More information online: <http://www.camgliding.uk/>

## Comberton Sports and Arts – Events in April

<i>Dates in April</i>	<i>Events</i>	<i>Ticket info</i>
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> March to Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Children's Theatre Workshop with Nasu Enzuru - week 1	£65 <a href="mailto:nasuenzurutheatre@gmail.com">nasuenzurutheatre@gmail.com</a>
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup>	Custard Comedy - with Dominic Holland	£8 in advance or £10 on the door <a href="http://www.wegotickets.com/event/309977">www.wegotickets.com/event/309977</a>
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup>	WI Centenary Annual Council Meeting	<a href="http://www.cfwi.co.uk">www.cfwi.co.uk</a>
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Mosaic Dance School	<a href="http://www.mosaicdance.com/">www.mosaicdance.com/</a>
Saturday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Cambridge Indian Community Association – Indian New Year	<a href="http://www.iccacambridge.co.uk/">www.iccacambridge.co.uk/</a>
For more information about any of our shows please contact Richard Brown, Arts Development Manager, Comberton Village College–264444 <a href="mailto:rbrown@comberton.cambs.sch.uk">rbrown@comberton.cambs.sch.uk</a>		

### **Cambridgeshire Fire and Rescue Service – Free Business Seminars**

DO you own or manage a business? Do you know what fire safety laws apply and how to conform to legislation? Our free workshops will help you better understand important fire safety legislation – and may even save you money in the long-run. Why not organise one for the businesses in your village?

We hold at least two seminars, lasting about two-and-a-half hours, every month. Seminars start at 10am and run on the second Tuesday of each month in Cambridge, and the third Tuesday of the month in Peterborough, but we can organise them on an ad-hoc basis. If there are a number of businesses in one location or trade that would like to attend a seminar, the fire service is keen to accommodate.

To find out more or book a free place on a seminar, call (01733) 353206.

Make sure fire safety still stays at the forefront of your mind in April – and don't forget to test your smoke alarm.

Log on to [www.cambsfire.gov.uk](http://www.cambsfire.gov.uk) for the latest incidents, news and safety advice.

Find us on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram.

### **Burwash Manor, Plant Fair, Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April 11am-4pm**

Growers from small, dedicated nurseries will be on hand giving advice on unusual cottage garden plants, perennials, roses, shrubs and ferns – where and when to plant their varieties.

**For more information, contact Andrew Sankey on 0770 9909 849  
or email [info@burwashmanor.com](mailto:info@burwashmanor.com)**



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