

The

Little Burstead BUGLE

VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE NEWS SUMMER 2013



Burstead in Bloom

It's almost here!

Gardens to delight all tastes why not join in and visit our village gardens?

It has been two years since we last ran this very popular event and this year we welcome back old favourites and new comers too. On the 23rd June we will have over 15 gardens to visit. **Entry to the gardens will be by ticket only which can be purchased from garden openers or committee members.**

Tickets are £6 for adults children go free. The start of the tour is from the village hall where maps can be collected.

Entry time are between 11—4pm

We have always been lucky to have a hot and sunny day for Burstead in Bloom. Refreshments will kindly be provided by the WI in the village hall. If anybody is interested in opening their garden they are most welcome. Do remember we are not looking for 'showcase' or 'Chelsea' standards. This is not a competition and there are no prizes. It's a day to enjoy the gardens and meet your neighbours. Please join us and bring your family and friends

For more info contact Val Mansfield 01277 622 053

'When I was a boy, the dead sea was only sick!'



Music in the Meadow

Saturday 27 August in Ellis Field

Tickets will soon be on sale for an evening of fun and entertainment and the evenings finale with be celebrated with fireworks. All family and friends are welcome .

Ticket are £10 per adult .

Children under 15 and adults over 90 go free!!!!

Bring your own BBQ, wine and gazebo/tent - we will supply the venue and the entertainment. This year we have, returning from our hugely successful Jubilee event, the fantastic band the D'Ukes.



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Parking is free and during the evening we will also be fund raising for a local charity. Tickets will be available from the village hall committee members. **For any more information email Carol & Roger Savage on cas21@talktalk.net**

Book early to avoid disappointment!

Little Burstead Rollerball Lottery



Little Burstead has had its own lottery for several years . It is a fun and simple way to support our events and the villager hall . It costs £50 per year (£1 per week) and pays out £24.50 a week in prize money. A sponsor is allocated a number between 1 and 49 and whatever number comes upon

the bonus ball of Saturdays National Lottery is the winner!. We have just six numbers left available to purchase, so if you are interested please contact Rod Mansfield on 01277 628 053. **You are over 300,000 more times likely to win than the National Lottery.. It's got to be worth a go!!!!**

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Parish Council News

Meetings for the forthcoming year will be held bi monthly on the 2nd Wednesday of each at 7.30pm in the village hall. The dates are:

10th July 2013
11 September 2013
13 November 2013
8 January 2014
12 March 2014

Residents are always welcome to attend and to take part at the meetings., which, on occasions ,is also attended by Ward County, Borough Councillors and representative of the neighbourhood police team.

The agenda can be seen five days prior to the meeting on the new Parish Council website www.Essexinfo.net/littlebursteadpc

We are working hard to get our website up to speed and would like to include links to local groups etc. If you want community news posted, please contact the Clerk, Kim Barford on 01277 652 057 email: Kimbarford@tiscali.co.uk



We are still pursuing the 40mph speed limit, sorting out the drainage problems in Rectory Road and our red telephone box and Victorian post box are due to be renovated this year. Silver Birch trees have been planted on the common and we also have some new

trees around the village pond which were kindly given to us by Waitrose.

Finally, our memorial in the village has been given a revamp and fresh flowers planted for all to enjoy. With thanks

Roger Savage



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SAVE THE DATE!

Burstead in Bloom 23 June
Music in the Meadow 27 Aug
Cricket & Hog Roast 1 Sept
Fireworks 1 November
Christmas Dinner 7 Dec
Children's Christmas Party 15 Dec

Cricket Match

1 September in Ellis Field

We are inviting teams to enter the Little Burstead Cricket Match Day to challenge the current Victors—that being the Farm Shop Team. Teams of 11 players, male or female, old or young will have a great time.



During the afternoon there will be cream teas on sale and after the match there will be a hog roast. Prizes will also be presented. Please forward your team name to Rod Mansfield on 01277 622 053



WI NEEDS YOUR HELP

The Women's Institute (WI) was formed in 1915 to revitalise rural communities and encourage women to become more involved in producing food during the First World War. Since

then the organisation's aims have broadened and the WI is now the largest voluntary women's organisation in the UK. The WI will celebrate its centenary in 2015

Little Burstead WI needs more members with new ideas and fresh enthusiasm. The ladies of the Parish need your help to keep this superb organisation running. As you are aware the WI helps in so many ways and provides a wonderful meeting place for all ladies of all ages— why not join in and keep the good old British tradition going!!

For more info call ROS DEAN 01277 631 227



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