



MARGARETTING NEWS

July 2019

BENEFICE OF MARGARETTING, MOUNTNESSING AND BUTTSBURY CHURCH SERVICES

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH MARGARETTING

Sunday 7 July - No service
Sunday 14 July - No service
Sunday 21 July
10:00am Holy Communion
Sunday 28 July - No service

ST. GILES'S CHURCH MOUNTNESSING

9:30am Morning Prayer
9:30am Holy Communion
9:30am Morning Prayer
9:30am Holy Communion

ST. MARY'S CHURCH BUTTSBURY

8:30am Holy Communion
11:15am Matins
3:30pm Evensong
3:30pm Evensong

Everyone is very welcome to join us for any or all of our services
For all enquiries contact Revd Patrick Sherring - telephone number 01277 352563

ST MARGARET OF ANTIOCH
MARGARETTING PARISH CHURCH ESSEX

Present the return of
SongCycle
The all singing all cycling male voice quartet

**Another evening of light
entertainment with music from
Bach to the Beatles and more silly
stories**

Saturday 6th July 7.30pm
ST MARGARET'S CHURCH, CHURCH LANE, CM4 0ED

Tickets £10 (Incl. Interval refreshments)

Penny Savill
01277 356182
Michael Scott
01277 354821

David Frost
01245 466401
or
at the door

SongCycle are: *The all singing all cycling male voice quartet*
Brian Lynn Richard Baker Nick Rayner Sam Adams

Margaretting WhatsApp

Hi All, As of 20 June 2019 Margaretting now has a community based WhatsApp group for reporting any goings-on that affect us all. The way it will work is if you see something that looks out of place you can report it on the group chat and in this way we can all do our bit to look out for each other. We are going to invite Essex Police to have access and also CCC Neighbourhood Watch so they can help us in the event of a crime or disturbance. Please, please note this is to help us all and not a place to moan and groan and as such any bad language or abuse will see the member removed immediately from the chat. To become a member please just send one text to 0797 196 3516; by return you will receive a text with the rules and you just need to reply to this with your name and address. Then you will be added to the group and welcomed to start helping the community together. We are looking forward to hearing from you all. Margaretting Parish Council, at your service.

FAMILY FUN DAY AND HORTICULTURAL SHOW

Saturday, 13 July - 1 to 5pm
Margaretting Village Hall

This year's show promises to be a fun packed afternoon out for everyone with lots to do and see. RAF flypast, traditional games, stalls, tea and cakes in the Chelmer room, scruffy dog show, tug of war competition, BBQ and bar, arts and crafts, gymnastic display, children's entertainment, and much, much more. Interested in model railways? The Mid-Essex Model Railway Club will be there with one of its railway layouts on display - the Lydgate; 00 gauge, 1950s Lancashire and Yorkshire.

Don't forget all horticultural show entries must be in by 11:00am on the Show Day.

ST MARGARET'S CHURCH NEWS

OPEN AFTERNOON - Sunday, 21 July 2pm to 5pm.
CHURCH MUSIC - Last month we said goodbye to Claire Renowden our organist. Claire has played for our Sunday services for many years - she will be missed. A young 'Arts Roundabout' pupil has volunteered to play the organ or piano for our monthly service. However, it would be helpful to have another musician willing to play also. If you know of someone who may be able to help please telephone Penny on 01277 356182

MARGARETTING PARISH COUNCIL - MAY MEETING

Please note: The full and official parish council minutes can be viewed on the Margaretting Community website. A copy of the minutes is also placed on the notice board outside the parish office at the village hall. The office telephone number is 01277 350887. This telephone is checked weekly on a Tuesday for messages. Alternatively, you can contact the parish council via email. Email address: parishcouncil.margaretting@virgin.net
A parish councillor will be on duty in the parish office on SATURDAY 20TH JULY - 10:30am to 12noon.

The Annual General Meeting (when the Chairman, Vice Chairman and Officers are elected for the year) was held during the first part of the May meeting. Cllr Harry Blurton was elected Chairman. Cllr Teresa Paoli-Burke was elected Vice Chairman. It was agreed to postpone the election of Officers until the July meeting.

DEMOCRATIC TIME

Issues raised included:

Village Pond Pollution: It was agreed the clerk would contact the Environment Agency regarding the pollution. C. Elsom, who is soon to be co-opted onto the parish council, gave permission for the clerk to give his name and telephone number as the contact person for the parish council.

MATTERS ARISING FROM THE APRIL MEETING

(i) Tony Smith's Memorial Bench. The green between Peacocks and Yew Tree Cottage belongs to Lord Petre. A photograph of the site is to be sent to Lord Petre together with a request for his permission for the bench to be sited there.

(ii) WhatsApp Group. Cllr Wallace reported the scheme would be up and running in June. **See front page**

(iii) Defibrillator. Matter is in hand.

(iv) Three Mile Hill (Blue Shed): Cars are still being parked on the site. Cllr Grundy agreed to speak to Highways.

(v) Eagle Place. There is an ongoing problem with black bags and rubbish being left on the footpath outside one of the properties. Cllr Blurton agreed to contact Environmental Health and Cllr Wallace the dustcart team.

ACCOUNTS

Expenditure agreed this month:
£1,282 - Annual Insurance Premium
£28 - Photocopying
£99 - Annual Inspection (Maldon Road Playground)
£439 - Village grass cutting

MALDON ROAD PLAYING FIELD

Allotments: It was agreed to leave the new allotment agreements until after an increase to the rent is decided with regards to the water bill.

Dog Fouling: Fencing/Notice Board at the Maldon Road playing field – Agenda item for June.

VILLAGE HALL

It was noted everything is running smoothly in the village hall except for the heating system.

SWAN LANE

It is thought the lane was closed for fibre optic work.

PLANNING

The following applications were received for comment.

19/00576/FUL – Land adjacent to Green Cottages: Demolition of two commercial storage buildings and construction of a detached dwelling. PC comments - Inappropriate development. Storage buildings are not commercial. It is in the metropolitan green belt outside the village envelope.

19/00650/FUL – The Leys, Maldon Road: Conversion of outbuildings to create two residential dwellings. PC to request neighbours' views are taken into consideration.

The following planning related matters were reported:

White Hart Public House: The parish council has been asked to keep a record of how many times the White Hart use the field as there is a twenty eight day restriction on it and sixteen days have already been used.

Planning Forum. The next meeting scheduled to take place on 13th June will be attended by Cllr Wallace.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS

(i) Road Speed Stickers

Cllr Paoli-Burke reported on a scheme which had been taken up in another parish whereby stickers with road speeds signs were fixed on wheelie bins.

(ii) Ivy Day's Memorial Bench

It was reported that Ivy Day's bench in the car parking area at the end of Church Lane needed staining.

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

7:30pm Thursday, 11 July 2019.

Are you a Crafter looking for somewhere to sell your goods?

MARGARETTING FRIENDS

**Are having a craft/shopping event on
Saturday 19th October 2019 - 10am – 4pm
in Margaretting Village Hall
Wantz Road, Margaretting CM4 0EP
For more information /to book a table
contact Sheila on 01277 840493**

OVER 60s CLUB

New members are welcome. We meet in the village hall on alternate Wednesdays at 2pm. The dates for our meetings this month are July 10th and 24th. For more information please telephone June or Don on 01277 356126.

KEEP MARGARETTING TIDY

Once a year the parish council organises a community litter pick - usually referred to as the Village Spring or Autumn Clean. Throughout the rest of the year there are a number of established litter pickers who come together as volunteers to help keep Margaretting a clean and attractive place to live. They organise their own litter picks, set their own priorities and are totally independent of the parish council. Being a volunteer allows you the freedom to do as much or as little as you choose. Two friends, who once a week litter pick together, are known to regularly fill two black sacks with litter during their walks. It doesn't take much to do the maths to work out how many sacks they have filled over the years! A big thank you is owed to them and to everyone who gives up their time to pick up litter belonging to other folk who choose to dump it on our pavements or throw it out of their car windows rather than take it home.

FRIENDS OF ESSEX CHURCHES

Hello, I am the area organiser of the Friends of Essex Churches Ride & Stride event which takes place this year on 14th September. Last year this event was not very well supported so this year we are trying to encourage more people to take part. If you need more information please go to the Friends of Essex Churches website www.rideandstrideuk.org/counties/essex where you can download all the papers you will need. Thank you.
Kind regards, Beryl Clements

MARGARETTING VILLAGE HALL

Are you a group leader looking for a venue for your event or club? We have a number of time slots available which may suit your needs in our assorted size halls. We are located close to the A12 with ample car parking. If you would like to view the halls to see if they meet your needs or discuss availability please contact the Booking Secretary. Telephone: 07794 187741
Email: margarettingvhbookings@gmail.com
Website: www.margarettingvillagehall.org.uk

MARGARETTING BOOK CLUB

We meet once a month in each other's homes taking turns to host the meetings. Our selection of books is varied and covers no specific genre. We are currently reading 'Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine' by Gail Honeyman. For more information about the book club please contact Penny on 01277 356182

CUPCAKE DAY

IN AID OF THE ALZHEIMERS SOCIETY

Cupcakes sold by Margaretting Friends on Saturday, 15 June plus generous donations, received from Galleywood Cricket Club, Jean Hasler and one of Lesley's friends, raised a total £73. We sold ninety six cupcakes and one large homemade chocolate cake kindly donated by Marilyn. A huge thank you to everyone who baked all of the cupcakes for us to sell and helped to raise such an amount for this charity. We are now looking to 'match fund' from our own resources. This should bring the total donation to the Alzheimers Society to around £150.

Alzheimers Society is the UK's largest Dementia charity funding dementia support services; making the voices of people with dementia heard; funding research into prevention and finding a cure.

ST MARGARET'S CHURCH SUPPORT GROUP

Our next musical entertainment 'Strawberry Blonde', a female duo comprising a saxophonist and singer, will take place in St Margaret's church on Saturday, 14 September at 7:30pm. Tickets £10. More details about this performance to follow.

FARLEIGH HOSPICE LAUNCHES ITS 23rd CYCLE FOR LIFE

Farleigh Hospice is delighted to announce this year's 'Cycle for Life' will be taking place on Sunday 15th September and pre-registration is now open. The annual cycle offers cyclist's three scenic routes through the beautiful mid Essex countryside, all starting and finishing at Farleigh Hospice, North Court Road, Broomfield, Chelmsford, CM1 7FH. Cycle for Life routes:

20km: A family friendly route, ideal for the beginner or younger cyclist.

50km: Perfect for all ages and abilities, a relaxed cycle through all eight of the beautiful Essex Rodings.

100km: Blends a more challenging bike ride taking you through the Rodings, the picturesque villages of Thaxted and Finchingfield, and then 35km of the 2014 Tour de France route.

To register for Cycle for Life or to volunteer on the day (we have a variety of roles including greeting participants, marshalling to handing out medals) visit: www.farleighhospice.org or contact our events team on 01245 457354 or email events@farleighhospice.org for more information.

Pre-registration is just £15 for adults and £10 for under 18s (under 16s must be accompanied by an adult). Pre-registration closes on Wednesday 4th September at 5pm, so sign up now to take advantage of this offer!

WANTED - CUDDLY TOYS

Needed by Margaretting Friends for this year's Fun Day fishing game.
Telephone Lynn 01277 355575.

FAMILY FUN DAY

Saturday, 13 July - 1 to 5pm

Margaretting Village Hall

The Fun Day Committee would be grateful for donations for the raffle and tombola, please leave with Julie at the Black Bull.

MARGARETTING CRAFTERS

Do you want to learn a new craft or set aside time to complete an on-going project or need help with the next steps? Then join us in the Chelmer Room at Margaretting Village Hall on the first Monday of every month at 7:30pm. All welcome.

1st July 2019

5th August 2019

Any enquiries please contact Lynn

01277 355575

6th - 9th

August 2019

10:00 - 12:30

Christ Church



Free to
attend for
primary aged
children...

Stories of Daniel from the
Bible, fun, games and craft



To confirm your place
Contact - Julia Robertson
01277 829878 -
juliaroberton@gmail.com



Margaretting Village

Hall

What's on in July 2019

Please note bookings are weekly unless otherwise stated.

Mondays

Pilates - 9.30 – 10.30am - Main Hall
Chelmsford & Margaretting Dog Training Group 5–10pm -Main Hall
Crafters – 1st – 7.30pm – Chelmer Room
Margaretting Friends – 15th – 7.30pm – Chelmer Room

Tuesdays

Art Class – 10am -12 noon & 2-4pm - Chelmer Room – finishes 16th
Fit 4 Action – 9.15 – 10.15am – Main Hall – finishes 23rd
Yoga - 1.30pm – 3pm – Main Hall – finishes 23rd

Wednesdays

Dance to Fitness – 9.30-10.30am - Main Hall – Last one 24th
French class –10am – 12noon – Meeting Room – Last one 10th
Over 60's Club – 10th and 24th - 2- 4pm - Meeting Room
Bingo – 3rd, 17th and 31st – 7.30pm - Main Hall
Chelmsford City Council Mobile Customer Services – 10th - 2-3pm

Thursdays

Art Class -10am – 12 noon - Chelmer Room – Last one 18th
Pilates 9.30 – 10.30am – Main Hall
Margaretting Parish Council - 11th - 7.30pm – Meeting Room
Flower Arranging – 11.30am – 1.30pm – Main Hall – Last one 25th
Community Fitness – 8-9pm – Main Hall

Fridays

Barnraisers – Main Hall - 9.30am – 12.30pm

Saturdays

MARGARETTING FUN DAY – 1pm – 5pm - 3th – all halls & fields
Multi Sports – 10 -11am – Main Hall – not 13th
Village Coffee Morning – 20th - 10am – 12 noon – Chelmer Room
Margaretting Parish Surgery 20th –10am – 12 noon – Parish Office
Galleywood Cricket Club – 6th, 20th, 27th - 1pm - Chelmer Room

Sundays

Loose Threads Patchwork Group – 7th - 9.30am – 6pm – Main Hall

For further information please contact the Booking Secretary on:
01277 355575 or 07794 187741

JULY RECYCLING DATES

Food waste - Every Tuesday
Black bin, green box and card sack
Tuesday 9th, and 23rd July
Brown bin, paper sack and bagged plastics & cartons
Tuesday 2nd, 16th and 30th July

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Wednesday 3rd, 17th and 31st July

MARGARETTING FRIENDS

Invite you to a Village Coffee Morning
Saturday 20th July - 10.00am to 12 noon
Margaretting Village Hall
in the Chelmer Room

Local Honey, eggs and produce available
Bric-a-Brac, Remus Charity Stall
All Welcome
More information 01277 355575

DIARY DATES

July - Saturday 6th - 7:30pm
St Margaret's Church - Song Cycle

July - Saturday 13th - 1pm to 5pm
Family Fun Day and Horticultural Show

July - Sunday 21st July - 2pm to 5pm
St Margaret's Church Open Afternoon

September - Saturday 14th - 7:30pm
St Margaret's Church - Strawberry Blonde

October - Saturday 19th - 10am to 4pm
Craft/Shopping Event

December - Monday 16th - 6:30pm
Carol Singing in the Black Bull and Red Lion

MOBILE LIBRARY Every three weeks on Thursday afternoons. 11th July - 9:40am to 10:10am
in the lay-by in Maldon Road opposite the playing field.

TRUST BUS Margaretting to Ingatestone, Friday mornings leaving the Pond, Main Road at 9.55am,
Orton Close at 10.00am and returning from Ingatestone at approximately 11:00am.
The Trust bus will run to Tesco on Fridays at 11:15am from Orton Close and returning from Tesco at 1pm.
Please note, the Trust bus is for anyone who needs it, not just for pensioners.
**Because of insurance terms, passengers must be 'members' and are required to supply
their name and address to the driver. Membership is free to passengers.**

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