



July 2023

Did you manage to make it to the first Pub Night at the end of last month? If you did, we hope you had a great time. There was a great atmosphere; laughter and great chat as well as a few dodgy jokes! Even the table football and pool table were dusted down. Thanks to your efforts (and those of the night's legendary Licensees Cllr. Russ Pearce, Cllr. Dave Tower and brilliant Bar Volunteer Michelle Pearce), the evening raised £239.08 😊. Council received positive feedback about the night and so has decided to run monthly Pub Nights for the foreseeable future. The next one is scheduled for **Friday July 28th 6pm** so pop the date in your diary and come along. If you have any drink requests, please get in touch and we'll do our best to accommodate your wishes. See you then. 🍷🍺

Local History Group

At the beginning of this month, did you manage to visit the exhibition at the Village Hall which marked three generations of the shop, Horners? Featuring photographs, ephemera, recollections and other interesting items the exhibition documented the family's life in Yoxford, the shops and its branches and staff. There was a superb turnout and many commented, rightly, on the amount of time and work that had gone into preparing and curating the exhibition. And, the event raised over £300 for the group's work. Council looks forward to supporting more work of the fabulous members of the History Group.

Village Hall Refurbishment

Parish Council is proud to share that a top notch audio visual projection system has been installed at the Village Hall 🙌.

Thanks to sterling research and development work by Cllr. Dave Tower, all sorts of opportunities await...watch this space...🎬😊

And, perhaps not so glamorous but the cake beneath the AV icing, acoustic panelling will be installed in the Large Hall in the coming weeks. You'll be aware of the huge reverb in the hall. Well, not for much longer. Once Cllr. Russell Pearce and the PC's trusted Wingman Billy Mannall get their hands on those panels 🙌, the hall will soak up those echoes and all you'll hear are silky smooth audio delights 🎵

Village Matters

Council is liaising with the new District Councillor, Julia Ewart regarding the village GP surgery. Do you have any experiences, information, questions or thoughts you'd like shared? Please contact the Clerk.

Other News

Police Connect. We've been informed of break ins to outhouses, sheds, barns and cars. Please check your security.

Sizewell C. In joint working with eight other local parishes and villages, Yoxford Parish Council has signed a letter sent to Sizewell, East Suffolk Council and Suffolk County Council.

The letter asks for substantial road improvements to cope with Sizewell C's 'Early Years' traffic. Should it go ahead, this traffic is planned to include up to 600 HGVs per day as well as all workers' cars and smaller good vehicles for the project for 2-3 years. To read the letter <https://www.yoxford.org.uk/parishes-demand-action-over-sizewell-c-traffic-issues/>

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