

WALDRON

LIFE IN OUR VILLAGE



2016

**THIS IS A LIST OF REGULAR ACTIVITIES - SPECIAL ONE-OFF
EVENTS WILL BE ADVERTISED SEPARATELY.**

CHURCH

All Saints (with St. Bartholomew's Cross in Hand)

*Parish Priest: The Revd. George Pitcher
rector@waldronchurches.org.uk*

All enquiries: enquiries@waldronchurches.org.uk

Churchwardens: Richard Maylam 01435 812780

Ian Dixon 01435 813363

Services in All Saints are held at 8am & 10am 1st & 3rd Sundays of the month followed by coffee.

Services in St. Bartholomew's are held at 8am & 10am on 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month followed by coffee

Evensong at 4.30pm on 2nd Sunday. For full details refer to Parish Diary and Weekly Newsletter available at the back of the churches.

Friends of Waldron Churches: If you would like to support the maintenance of our historic Church buildings *contact Chairman: Tim Williams 01435 812273 or Secretary: Ian Dixon 01435 813363*



Parish Choir: *Director of Music: Phil Williams 01435 813137*
New members welcome.

Bell Ringing: *Tower Captain: Brian Tompsett 01435 866054*
Practice on Mondays 7.30-9.00pm New ringers welcome

Linked Hands: *Marion & Dorothy 01435 867271*
Volunteers provide driving assistance, visiting & social activities for the housebound, disabled & lonely within the parish.

Parish Prayer Group: *Christo Corfield 01435 812654*
Normally Wednesdays 7pm at Lark Rise (occasionally in Heathfield Wed. am) but NOT during Advent or Lent. All welcome.

Parish Pealers: *Maureen Keith 01435 862666*
The hand bells were found in the Church Tower - practices are held on Friday mornings at Maureen's house in Warren Close. New pealers welcome.

Flower Arrangers: *Contact Jane Leney 0777192 3648* if you would like flowers for a special occasion in the church or if you would like to be a member of the team.

Church Cleaners: *Contact J. Graham 01435 812711*
"The Holy Dusters" would welcome more volunteers.

Visitation Convent, Foxhunt Green, Waldron

www.visitationmonastery.co.uk

Chaplain: Revd. Jim Hurley A Roman Catholic order of nuns who welcome locals for Mass in their Chapel. Sunday Mass is normally at 10am but check website.

Julian Prayer Meeting (Ecumenical): *Sue Cash 01435 813270*
www.julianmeetings.org Take a break from the hustle & bustle and learn about Contemplative Prayer in the Christian Tradition at Patmos, Visitation Convent. 1st Wed. of month 11.00 - 12.30
ALL WELCOME

THE STAR INN

www.thestarinnwaldron.co.uk 01435 812495

Proprietor: Paul Lefort Chef: Nick Botting

A family run country pub, real ales, good food. Regular entertainment inc. music & friendly competitions. Available for parties & weddings. Quiz Night last Monday of the month. Occasional Folk Night last Friday of month. 3!6!3! day on Mondays: £3 starter £6 main £3 dessert.

Opening Times: Mon - Sat 11 - 3 (food 12 - 2) & 6 - 11 (food 6 - 9)
Sun 12 - 4 (food 12 - 3) & 6.30 - 10.30 (bar only).



COMMUNITY COFFEE SHOP

Run by volunteers to provide an opportunity for villagers to meet each other for a chat and exchange ideas. Open Tuesday 10am - 12pm
Thursday 10am - 1pm and Friday 10am - 3.30pm. More volunteers would be welcome. *Contact Valerie Chidson 01435 812036*

LUCAS MEMORIAL HALL

www.lucashallwaldron.org or Tel. Angela Hough 01435 862065

Renovated Village Hall available to hire for parties, weddings, lectures etc. Capacity 100. Lovely views. Lawn area available for outside parties. See website for details. Regular activities held in the hall are listed under separate headings below.

WALDRON SPORTS PAVILION

Also available to hire for parties, inside and outside. Fully fitted kitchen with dishwasher. *Contact Sue Hyden 07852 155798*

OLD TELEPHONE BOX in The Street

Help Yourself Book Exchange and site of the Defibrillator (see First Responders).



SPORTS

Waldron Cricket Club : one of the oldest clubs in the country. Full programme of matches At Home (on The Cattam) and Away each season. New members, especially younger members, both playing and non-playing welcome. See pub notice board for At Home matches - come & watch & support your club. *Potential playing members contact Tim Page-Ratcliff 01435 862031*
Non-playing members contact Robin Bather 01435 810076

Waldron Croquet Club: regular practices from mid April Tuesday evenings on The Cattam at 5pm. Turn up and you will be welcome. Sat or Sun play at different venues. Occasional away matches arranged including in France at Forges-Les-Eaux (the Heathfield & Waldron Twin Town).

Contact Gill Temple 01435 812861

Heathfield Road Runners run around our lanes and in the summer months meet on Mondays at 6.30pm at Waldron Recreation Ground. In the winter they train in Heathfield.

See www.heathfieldroadrunners.com or contact info@heathfieldroadrunners.com

Cycling: Although there is no group in Waldron many cycling groups stop at the Coffee Shop or the Pub. *see www.ctc.org.uk for a club which will suit you*

Tennis: Many Waldron tennis players belong to the Cross in Hand Tennis Club nearby. 2 clay courts, 4 astro courts, all floodlit. Very comfortable Club House. www.crossinhandtennisclub.co.uk or contact crossinhandtennisclub@live.co.uk

Heathfield & Waldron Rugby Club: Mini, Junior and Senior Rugby for all ages on Hardy Roberts Playing Fields in Cross in Hand, and Waldron Recreation Ground. *See www.hwrfc.co.uk 01435 868747*

EXERCISE, FITNESS, THERAPY & BEAUTY

Walking: see W.I. & U3A groups below.

PhysYogaLates: a combination of Physiotherapy education, Yoga, Ballet and Pilates exercises for optimum good posture, fluidity of movement, flexibility & strength. Wednesday mornings 9 - 10 am £10 per session at Summerfield, Spring Lane. *Clare Fone, Chartered Sports Physiotherapist MCSP, HCPC, APPI, Cert.HealthEd. clarefone@hotmail.com*

Food, Fitness & Feeling Fine: focussing on Healthy Eating & Fun Fitness to support overall wellbeing . Wednesday mornings 10 - 12 in Lucas Memorial Hall, Waldron
Jackie Wood fully qualified Nutritional Therapist & Exercise Professional. wood555@aol.com. 01435 812950

Gentle Yoga suitable for beginners & more experienced, all ages. Mondays 10 - 11.30 in Lucas Hall. £8 per session
Turn up or contact Judith Naylor judith_naylor@hotmail.com 01435 865722 or 07769 898394

Energy Works: Crystal Healing, Reiki, Deep Tissue Massage, Hot Stone Massage, Geomancy Consultancy, Space Clearing, Thermotherapy, Facial Therapy, Vibrational Essences, Distant Healing. Clinic in Waldron. *Elizabeth Peterken www.energyworks-waldron.co.uk 07751 833320*

Holistic Massage Therapist: Deep Tissue, Reiki, Indian Head Massage. Specialist in severe learning & physical disabilities.
Dee Lawrence, Dale View Cottage, The Street. 01435 813734 deeanya@gmail.com www.deelawrenceholisticmassage.co.uk

Chiropodist: *Dianne Steele 07860 435532
The Old Forge, Whitehouse Lane*

**Manicurist and Avon Rep - Lucy Farrant 07769 610726
Burnt Oak Farm, Back Lane**

Beauty Therapy in your own home - manicure, pedicure, massage etc. *Lisa Leighton 07842 378134*

Professional Freelance Media Make-up & Hair Artist - Courses, advice, weddings, special occasions *Judy Neame, North Street. 01825 890080 neame@centrestage.eclipse.co.uk www.mediamakeupandhair.co.uk*

CLUBS, ASSOCIATIONS, SOCIETIES & GROUPS

Waldron Neighbourhood Watch

1: To collaborate with Police in assuring residents security and safety in the village by emailing messages advising them of threats to their property or from scams, by periodic newsletters & by an AGM addressed by the police & by trading standards.
2. To encourage neighbourly concern for the comfort of residents eg. fly-tipping, noise at unsociable hours and invasion by foxes have been reported to the appropriate authorities.
Welcome Packs available for new residents.

*Run by volunteers. Janie Huggins (Secretary) 01435 812917
Bobby Hamilton (Co-ordinator) 01435 813965*

Heathfield & Waldron First Responders

support South East Coast Ambulance Service who have also installed the Waldron Defibrillator situated in the old telephone box in The Street. *Further information from
Dr. Tim Williams 01435 812273*

Heathfield & Waldron Rotary Club

Individuals who share a philanthropic desire to serve the local and wider communities by helping others. The Club welcomes new members *www.heathfield-rotary.org.uk
secretary@heathfield-rotary.org.uk*

Heathfield & Waldron Twinning Association

The area in France called Le Pays de Bray is linked with Wealden. Forges-Les-Eaux a town within that area has been twinned with Heathfield & Waldron since 1998. There have been many group visits organised both ways and a range of sporting exchanges as well as regular socials & soirees. To join *contact Gill Temple
01435 812861*

Waldron Book Club meets in the Community Cafe on the last Wednesday of each month at 3pm. *Contact Deborah Lefort in the Community Cafe on Fridays or Phone 07545 498776 if you would like to join.*



French Conversation at The Star: Wednesdays 10.45 - 11.45am
£6 a session, but anybody interested is invited to a free taster session. *Contact Felicity Williams 01435 810135*

Knitting Group: a small informal group who knit (and crochet) for charity – what we make is dictated by what the charities we choose to support tell us they need and we give everything away and/or sell it for charity. Lark Rise on the fourth Monday of the month from 2-4pm *Contacts: Karen Williams 01435 813137 and Rachael Corfield 01435 812654*

Waldron W.I. meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 2.30pm at the Lucas Hall. The programme for the year is on the website. In addition to the monthly meetings the following groups meet regularly: Book Group, Walking Group, Gardening Group, Craft Group, Film & Theatre Group, Lunch Group and Writing Group. Food Bank Collections. *New members and visitors always*

welcome . Contact Sheila Willmott (President) 01435 868071
sheilawillmott@live.co.uk www.esfwi.org.uk/wis/waldron

Waldron Jubilee Challenge - Saturday Lottery Bonus Ball Club

Currently 59 Members pay £1 per week for £30 weekly prize. Remaining £29 is used to support capital expenditure re Lucas Hall, Sports Pavilion and The Cattam. To join contact Paula Gear paula.gear@btinternet.com 01435 865638

Sussex Steam Engine Club - Jeff Burgess (Vice-Chairman)

October Rally comes to Waldron each year.

To join apply membership@sussexengineclub.co.uk
www.sussexsteamengineclub.co.uk

Scottish Dancing: Sept-May last Thursday of each month 7.30 in the Lucas Hall. Take your own supper for the interval. £5. Turn up or contact John Chambers 07702 001933 for more information.

Waldron Country Market: 2nd Thursday of each month 11.00 - 1.00 at Holy Cross Priory. Buy **and** Sell home grown seasonal produce, plants and flowers, homemade cakes, savouries, jams, chutneys. etc. Contact Roy Wilkinson 01435 812931

Wealden Rural Interest Group: This is a group for anyone interested in all country affairs; animals, birds, raptors, agriculture, history etc. Talks, demonstrations, visits, discussions & entertainment. Newsletter twice a year. New members welcome. Contact Secretary Heather McLauchlan hpm@4productions.co.uk 01825 7723351

Art Club - meets every Thursday 10.00 - 12.00 in the Lucas Hall. Contact pauline.buss@btinternet.com. 01435 864476

U3A (University of Third Age) Heathfield Branch now operating with strong membership in & around Waldron. Groups covering many subjects; languages, music, art appreciation,

history, theatre, IT, photography etc. European History Group and Behind-the-Scenes with Am-Dram Group meet regularly in Waldron. To join attend a free Monthly meeting (3rd Tuesday of the month at Heathfield Community Centre, Sheepsetting Lane 2.30 - 5.30pm) or *Contact Chairman Lin Plant* www.u3asites.org.uk/Heathfield or 01435 830556

The Waldron Millennium Trust: following the successful Millennium Festival in 2000, residents voted to lodge the surplus funds in a special Trust account, for the benefit of the village. The Trust is administered by a small committee and disburses small sums from time to time to support events or improvements in the village eg a new door for the old telephone box in The Street. Personal grants cannot be made to individuals. Applications in writing explaining the proposal and how it may benefit the village should be sent to *The Treasurer, Selwyns Cottage, North Street, Waldron TN21 0QP*

LOCAL BUSINESSES AND SERVICES

Building: Custom Build Sussex Ltd. Brigden, Firgrove Rd
Director: Darren Hunnisett 07785 785393
Custombuildsx@hotmail.co.uk

NP Developments(Construction) Ltd Dragon's Rest, North Street -
Nigel Dwyer 01435 813427 07504 275885
nigel@npdevelopments.co.uk

Carpentry: *Martin Farrant 07802 832051*
Burnt Oak Farm

Steelwork (Fabrication and Repairs): *Steve Farrant*
Burnt Oak Farm 07885 226466

Electrician: LM Electrical Contracting/Consulting
Mark Newson 07481 115411 lm-electrical@live.co.uk

Handmade kitchens: English Rose Kitchen Company,
Burnt Oak Farm www.the-english-rose.co.uk

Period Renovation & Stonework, Oak frame garages,
Groundwork, Hard Landscaping, Paths & Patios
Andy Wyatt, Marecottes, The Street. 07763 317455

Garden Machinery - Servicing and repairs - pick up and delivery
Steve Winter - 01435 866782 or 07773 689182

Car Servicing and MOTs - Burgess Engineering (SE) Ltd.
Holms Hill, Back Lane. 01435 863421

Printing: Design, Print, Signage - for all your printing requirements,
however big or small. *Print Matters, 2 Burnt Oak Farm, Back Lane*
01435 813044 www.printmatters.co.uk

Direct Marketing: direct marketing services provider - *Kingsline*
Solutions Ltd, Burnt Oak Farm, Back Lane - 01435 813133
www.kingsline.net

Mail Order Cakes : beautiful award-winning gift boxes of homemade
cakes and treats, in different sizes, to suit every occasion. Courier delivers
all over the country. *Vicki Wood, Fabulous Bakes, Thimbles, New Pond*
Hill 01435 860745 www.fabulousbakes.com

Partyware supplies: All accessories for childrens' & adults' parties.
Parties Wrapped Up, Firgrove Business Park, Firgrove Rd. Contact
Sharon Harding 01435 862759 sharon@partieswrappedup.co.uk
www.partieswrappedup.co.uk

Cattery & CatPacks online shop: dedicated to the diet, health and
welfare of cats - *Chequer Trees Cattery, Whitehouse Lane*
Jenny Evans - 01435 865105 chequertreescattery@btconnect.com
www.CatPacks.co.uk

Ceramics & Crafts: handmade ceramics, jewellery and other things.
RosaJaye Crafts, Chequer Trees, Whitehouse Lane. Jenny Evans -
01435 865105 www.rosajaye.co.uk

Soft Furnishings & Accessories: *Sara Twynam, Fallowfields, Back Lane*
01435 810226 07946 110875 www.saratwynam.co.uk

Traditional Fine English Soap manufacturers: wax candles, hair & body care, therapeutic creams, bath salts - *Christina May Ltd, Unit 2 - 4 Silver Oaks Farm, Hawkhurst Road. 01435 813412 sales@christinamay.com www.christinamay.com*

Organic products: family owned & managed company serious about nature and natural products. Treats for body, hair, baby, special occasions & edibles packed into hampers - *Natures Hampers, Unit 10 Silver Oaks Farm, Hawkhurst Rd. 01435 810099 enquiries@natureshampers.com www.natureshampers.com*

Cleaning & Ironing Services: *Maid 2 Mop - Sam Smith, Cambridge Cottage, Cambridge Lane. 01435 813653/07821 787439 maidtomop@hotmail.co.uk www.maid2mopcleaning.com*

Beekeeping - collection of swarms. Honey will be available in due course.
Chris Rieman 01435 813354 Burnt Oak Cottage, Back Lane.

Deer Management (& fox control) *Paul Rieman 01435 813354 Burnt Oak Cottage, Back Lane.*

Woodland Management, Tree Felling & Extraction, Scrub Clearance, Fencing, Coppicing, Mobile Sawmilling. *Woodwise Forestry Services - Nick Hilton, Crossways, The Street. 01435 812896*

English Tuition: Head of English with thirty years' experience offers English Literature tuition at all levels including preparation for Common Entrance, A Level and University. *Richard Marriott, Glovers, Firgrove Rd 01435 661321/07812 742164 richard.coquetvilla@blueyonder.co.uk*

Bed and Breakfast:

Haymakers Farm, Back Lane - Beautifully renovated barn, 2 twin bedrooms with ensuite shower. Lovely gardens. Heated swimming pool in summer. Full English breakfast served in main house. *Loudon & Grania Greenlees 01435 812466 loudongreenlees@gmail.com www.haymakersfarm.com*

Thimbles, New Pond Hill - Double & Twin rooms. Garden & Lake setting. Bacon & sausages for breakfast from our own rare breed pigs. *Vicki Wood 01435 86074 www.thimblesbedandbreakfast.co.uk*

Holiday Accommodation

Old Glebe, The Street. 10 bed/6bath. Lovely Gardens, tennis court, swimming pool. *www.ownersdirect.co.uk for phone link to owner.*

Spring Farm, North Street. 6 bed. Set in 9 acres of gardens, fields & woodland, tennis court, indoor heated swimming pool, sauna & snooker room. 07798 835066 *www.springfarmsussex.co.uk*

Kindergarten & Montessori Nursery School

Young Haymakers, Kirby Farm, Foxhunt Green. 01435 812555 *younghaymakers@hotmail.com www.eastsussex.privatenurseries.org.uk*

OTHER USEFUL INFORMATION

Police: Emergency 999 Non emergency 101
Local Police Station (unmanned) in Heathfield opp. Fire Station, next to entrance to Co-op. Phone outside connects to Police.
Local PCSOs for Heathfield and Waldron:
 Geraldine Hodgens 07912 896142
 Fleur Whitaker 07912 896150
may be contacted about any local issues.

East Sussex County Council, County Hall, St. Anne's Crescent, Lewes, BN7 1UN 01273 481000 *www.eastsussex.gov.uk*

Heathfield & Waldron Parish Council, 73 High Street,
Heathfield TN21 8HU Clerk: Diana Francis 01435 865700
www.hwpc.org.uk

Wealden District Council, Vicarage Lane, Hailsham BN27 2AX
01323 443322 www.wealden.gov.uk

East Sussex Highways, The Broyle, Ringmer, Lewes, BN8 5NR
01323 410051

Nearest Post Offices: Horam & East Hoathly

Nearest Doctors Surgeries: Manor Oak Surgery, Horam 01435 812323
East Hoathly Medical Centre, 01825 840943
Firs Surgery, Cross in Hand, 01435 862021

Minor Injuries Unit: Uckfield Community Hospital, Framfield Rd.
01825 769999

A & E: Eastbourne District General Hospital, King's Drive.
01323 417400

Nearest Dentists: Magpies Dental Practice, Horam 01435 812729
Heathfield Dental Care, High Street. 01435 867007
Oak Lodge Dental Clinic, Hailsham Road, Heathfield 01435 862685

Vets: Heathfield Vets, Hailsham Road. 01435 864422
Mayfield Vets, 84 High Street, Heathfield (small animals/minor
treatments) 01435 865887 Downwood Vets Centre, Horam 01435 812152

Community Bus Service run by Cuckmere Buses, a voluntary organisation and a registered charity. **Bus 195** leaves Waldron at 9.30am on Wednesdays and arrives in Eastbourne at 10.50 (via Heathfield, Punnetts Town, Rushlake Green, Cowbeech, Herstmonceux, Wartling and Pevensey). The return journey leaves at 13.30pm. More Volunteer Drivers are needed (No PCV licence required). *Contact 01323 870920 or 07802 305155 volunteer@cuckmerebuses.org.uk*



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