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Regular dates for your diary

Mon	9:30-13:30	Fun for 1's & 2's	Playgroup
Mon	9:45	Comberton walkers	Baptist Church
1 st , 3 rd & 4 th Mon	19:00	Carpet bowls	VH
3 rd Mon	19:30	Wine Makers	VH
Tues	10:30-12:00	Village Café & Crafts	VH
Tues	13.30– 16.00	Fabric & Yarns	Baptist Church
Tues	18:30-20:00	Keep Fit	CVC
2 nd Tues	19:45	Women's Institute	VH
4 th Tues	20:00	Antiquarian Society	VH
Wed	10:00-11:30	Baby & Toddler Group	VH
Wed	12:25-13:10	Lunchtime Badminton	CVC
Wed	14:00	Bridge Club	VH
Wed	18:30-21:00	Tennis Mix in Session	Tennis Club
Wed	20:00-22:00	Shuttles Badminton	CVC
Wed (term)	14:00-15:30	Bumps & Babies	Baptist Church
2 nd Wed	19:30	Parish Council	VH
Thurs	9:30-11:30	Fun for 1's & 2's	Playgroup
Thurs	9:30-1:15	Tumble Tots	VH
Thurs (term)	16:00-18:00	EDGE Youth Club	Baptist Church
2 nd Thurs	14:30	Friendship Club	VH
4 th Thurs	14:30	Oasis Teas (55+)	VH
Fri	18:00-21:00	TaeKwon Do	Meridian Sch.
2 nd Fri	20:00	Comedy Club	CVC
3 rd Fri	19:00	Bingo Party	VH
Sat	10:00-11:00	Park Tennis	Park
Sat	9:00-12:30	Junior Squash	CVC
4 th Sat	9:00	Selah	VH
Sun	15:00-18:40	Adult Squash	CVC
VH = Village Hall		CVC = Comberton Village College	

Upcoming events

September

7	Repair Café (Page 9)	Eversden Village Hall
7	Comberton Luncheon Club (Page 23)	Hardwick Arms, Arrington
12	Comberton Friendship Club (Page 33)	VH
11	Comberton Bridge Club	Village Hall
13	Free English Lessons (Page 9)	Chesterton Community Col.
14	Comberton Show	Meridian Primary School
16	Comberton Winemakers Open Evening	Village Hall
18	Comberton Cinema—Stan & Ollie	VH
26	Oasis Tea	Village Hall
28	NSPCC Cambridgeshire Branch stand	Gransden Show

October

4	Cambridge Breast Cancer Charity Walk	Milton Country Park
25	Comberton Luncheon Club (Page 23)	Duncombe Arms, Waresley

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From the Editor

Dear Residents

We had hoped that this edition of Contact would be produced by a new editor but unfortunately due to a change in personal plans and circumstances this has not been possible. We are therefore still looking for someone to take on this role. If you, or someone you know, has a few hours per month that you/they could commit to ensuring the future of our greatly valued magazine please get in touch with our Treasurer (treasurer@combertoncontact.org.uk or call 01223 263264). As we have said previously this does not entail the writing of articles but simply the ability to cut and paste other peoples content into a template. We will be happy to give you all the support you need to make it a success and enjoy the reward and satisfaction you will get from helping to provide this important village resource.

We hope that you have all had an enjoyable summer so far. As autumn approaches and the daylight hours shorten we can look forward to the 67th Comberton Autumn Show, one of the highlights of the village calendar. See article on page 35 for full details about the show and how you all can enter an exhibit in a variety of categories. If you have nothing planned for 14 September please try and get to the Meridian School and support the show.

Best Wishes,
The Contact Team

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Sunday 1 September 9.30 am Holy Communion

Sunday 8 September 9.30 am Morning Worship

Saturday 14 September *Ride & Stride, Historic Churches*

Sunday 15 September	8.00 am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	9.30 am	Harvest Festival

Sunday 22 September 8 00 am Holy Communion (BCP)
 9.30 am Holy Communion
 11.30 am Baptism

Thursday 26 September 2.30 pm Oasis Tea in the Village Hall

Sunday 29 September

8.30 am Holy Communion (BCP) at
St Andrew's, Toft

10.30 am Joint Service at St Mary's
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7.30 pm Sacred Space at Dry Drayton
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“The Organ that’s also a Memorial”

So reported the Cambridge Independent News desk (7th August 2019) on the Service of Rededication of our newly restored Organ, in St. Mary’s Church, Comberton on Sunday 4th August.

100 years ago (1st August 1919) the organ was installed as our Village War Memorial. Fourteen men from Comberton died between 1914 and August 1919. Amongst the 80 or so attending the recent Service were the Foreman family, descendents of the three Day brothers remembered. Also present were Directors of Hall & Son who restored the Organ, past & present Organists, members of Comberton & District Royal British Legion, and family & friends of those who provided gifts/bequests to enable the Organ to be restored in its Centennial Year in memory of Win Chubb, Ann Law, Kath Sice and Val Westgarth. We were delighted to be joined by Alison Shepperton, Deputy Head of Meridian School, and her husband, Major Stephen Shepperton, in the uniform of the Royal Engineers (Waterbeach).

Our Celebrant was Revd. Michael Reiss, with Organist in Residence Diana Ball. Rex Webb, Chairman Comberton & District Royal British Legion (C&DRBL) called the

names of the fallen in WW1, John Collins (C&DRBL) bore the Standard. There were readings by David Hughes (FOSM), Jane Hughes (nee Sice), a poem for Peace read by Owen Garnell, and Prayers led by Chris Westgarth. Members of the Congregation were invited to place posies of Rosemary & White Chrysanthemums beside the WW1 Helmet on the small white cloth covered table beside the Organ during the Service.

There were others present, but only in spirit, evoked by several transparent outlines of men seated in the pews.

A ‘meat’ tea, reminiscent of that served on Bank Holiday Monday 4th August 1919, with masses of scrumptious Paste filled sandwiches and delicious cakes—one named Trench Cake!—with lashings of tea and juices, was served by members of Comberton WI—Sandra, Heather, Rosemary & Pam, assisted by Roger.

Our grateful thanks go to all those who attended, gave so generously and supported both before, during and after our Service —too numerous to mention—in memory of and thanks to, all those who gave their lives for us.

Jane Hughes & Chris Westgarth

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Invitation to Repair Café event in Great Eversden

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How does a Repair Café work? If you have items that need mending – bikes, electric bikes, clothes, textiles, jewellery, toys, small household appliances, small electrical items, furniture etc. bring them along to our Repair Café. A free event where you can learn a little about your broken item while a volunteer repairer assess it and, where possible, does a fix.

It's simple, bring an item that you think still has life in it. The item will be assessed and, if it can be mended there and then, you can watch how it's done! Note: if it needs a repair beyond our abilities we will refer you to a local repair business.

Items that can be repaired are: bikes, textiles, lampshades, clothes, soft toys, small appliances, small electrical items (no phones or tablets), jewellery,

furniture & other wooden items. We'll also be running a computer clinic – bring your phone, tablet, or computer and we'll help you with your IT issues.

Repairs are free but we ask you to book a place in advance and to tell us a little about what you'll be bringing. You can book an item in via this link: [Repair Cafe booking form](#). This is to make sure we have a repairer available to assess your item and any parts that are needed for the repair. If there's a lot of interest in the event, you may have to wait a bit.

Come early or stay for tea, coffee, delicious cake and a chat.

Any donations will go towards the maintenance of the village hall.

I do hope you will be able to attend.

Yours sincerely,

Helen Edwards, Trustee and Treasurer, Eversden Village Hall

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The Herringland Charity of Comberton

The exact origins of the Charity are a little obscure, but it appears to date from the 17th Century when a field on the east side of the Drift that runs to the south from Long Road, was left to the village by a local benefactor. Rental of the northern part of this field was to be applied to the upkeep of the church and of the cobbled causeway leading to it; the Church Land. That from the southern part of the field, approximately 7 acres, rent from this was used to purchase a barrel of herrings, for distribution to the poor of the village. (hence the herrings on the village sign by the pond). Since around 1834, money rather than herrings was handed out on Good Fridays.

In recent years, poverty has greatly diminished, so that a few years ago, the Charity Commission agreed that the funds could be used more generally, for the benefit of the Community....If you venture into

Watts Wood, you will find two oak benches have been installed. The wood is used regularly by the children of Meridian School, as well as walkers, and the old wooden seat had disappeared long ago. The Charity felt that providing new benches was a worthy cause, and therefore financed the manufacture and installation of these

Similarly, we replaced a bench at Nursery Way and for The Queen's Jubilee installed a bench on the junction of Harbour Avenue and Barton Road

Over the years, we have also supported village projects such as the playground equipment on the Recreation Ground, and helped with various schemes involving schools and the local churches. Funds are very limited, but the Charity does aim to support local organisations and individuals where we can.

Peter Mitton, Chairman of the Trustees

Donations Please!

We are looking for the following pre-loved items for the NSPCC Cambridgeshire Branch stand at the Gransden Show on 28th September.

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Well it’s football as we know it, except that you walk instead of run, it’s aimed at the over 50s and it is one of the fastest growing sports. It is only 6 years old but there are already over 1,000 clubs across the UK and from the 19th August you can play at Cambourne Fitness and Sports Centre on Monday nights.

Each week over 35,000 men and women turnout for what many describe as the best thing they do each week. It’s exercise, it’s

banter, it’s social, and it’s seriously good fun. If you are interested in giving it a go or want more information on the Cambourne weekly sessions contact Nigel by email nigel.hillyard@btinternet.com

If you want to know more about Walking Football in general Google “Walking Football” and watch some of the small videos, or if you have the time watch the “Walking Football / You’ll Never Walk Alone” video on the The Walking Football Association’s website at <https://thewfa.co.uk/>

If you think you are too old think again, you’re not. If you think you might give it a try – stop thinking about it and just do it.

Nigel Hillyard

Volunteer Drivers Scheme

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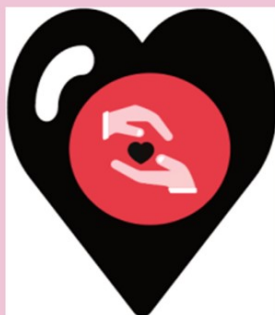
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	Wednesday	10am—1 pm	2pm - 5pm
	Friday		2pm - 5pm
	Saturday	10am – 1 pm	

More details can be found on the Library Service website at:
www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/library

We have had another amazing and busy summer in the library, with a record number of children signing up to take part in the Space Chase Summer Reading Challenge and Mini Challenge. It is the commitment of our children, families and young volunteers, which has made the summer such a success; a big thank-you to you all. We hope that you have enjoyed it all as much as we have. We are especially grateful to Anna, Evie, Katie, Mary, Ellen and Leo for all your help and enthusiasm. We really appreciate the time and support you have given us.

If your children still need to complete the Summer Reading Challenge, we have our final drop-in sessions on **Monday 2nd** and **Saturday 7th September, from 10.30 – 12 noon.**

If you are unable to come into the library at those times, please call in during normal opening hours to collect your final stickers. We will be celebrating the success of the fantastic young readers, who have completed the Challenge, at our ceremony on **Saturday 21st September at 11.00 am.**

Booking is now open for the new season of The Library Presents and details of the wonderful selection of performances and workshops taking place in Cambridgeshire Libraries

are available in The Library Presents brochure, available to pick-up in Comberton Library.

The events at Cambourne Library are:

World Textiles Workshop (suitable for age 12+) Saturday 12th October
10.30- 12.30 pm £5 (£2.50 concessions)

Devious Minds (suitable for age 8+) Wednesday 16th October 6.30 – 8.30 pm £7 (£4/£5)

Silhouette Portrait Workshop (suitable for age 12+) Saturday 2nd November 10.30 – 12.30 pm £5 (£2.50)

Mahajanaka Dance Drama (suitable for age 10+) Wednesday 20th November 7.30 – 9.30 pm £7 (£4/£5)

Rhymetime sessions start again on **Monday 9th September**, 10.30 – 11.00 am, with the following sessions being on **23rd September, 7th and 28th October.** Although these sessions are aimed at very young children, we welcome older siblings and pre-schoolers who enjoy singing too! If you haven't been to a session before, do come along with your baby, toddler or pre-schooler and give it a try. It's lots of fun for both children and adults and a great way to meet other young families.



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The Comberton Choir meets every Monday (in term time) -- 7.30pm -- 9.20pm in the Music Block at Comberton Village College. The first rehearsal of the season is on 30th September.

The Bottisham Singers meet every Tuesday (in term time) -- 7.30pm -- 9.20pm in the music room at Bottisham Village college. The first rehearsal is on 24th September.

More details are on our website <http://www.cambschoral.org.uk> -- or contact me, Sue Allin on 01223 262990 -- sueallin11@btinternet.com I am the chairman of the society and will, hopefully, be able to give you any information you need.

Many thanks, looking forward to lots of new singers!!

Regards from Sue Allin

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The weather was showery but it did not deter our guests. After enjoying a lovely meal, they were entertained by the excellent Hi5, a ladies' Capella group.

The trustees wish to thank everyone who helped make it another success and to our guests, thank you for coming. See you next year.

The Village Supper is funded by the Easter & Christmas Fayres at the Village Hall. This year's guests are automatically sent an invitation next year. If you or your partner are 65 or over, a villager & would like to join us next year, please look out for July 2020 'Contact' for details or contact Marian Dymott on 01223 263292 before then.



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Heidi Allen MP Newsletter

In my last newsletter, I discussed the Parliamentary debate that I secured to highlight the funding issue facing Cambridgeshire's NHS services. We continue to be the third lowest funded county per head in England and I have been working closely with our CCG to evidence this. As a result, and on the back of assurances made during the Parliamentary debate, I secured a meeting with the Minister, Stephen Hammond at which the Accountable Officer of our CCG, Jan Thomas presented our findings.

The Minister was receptive to our points and explained that the funding formula which determines allocations could not respond quickly enough to our rapidly growing population. Mr Hammond committed to work with the CCG and NHS England to look again at ways to correct the historical underfunding and ensure future growth projections better reflect actual growth, thus reducing the mismatch with per patient funding allocations. I will continue to follow up with the Department of Health and the CCG to ensure that the new administration honour this commitment.

In spite of the funding shortfall,

our local NHS services continue to provide outstanding care and clinical expertise to those in need.

I was delighted to nominate the Arthur Rank Hospice for the NHS Parliamentary Care and Compassion Award and they proved to be worthy winners for the East of England category. The team at the Hospice go above and beyond to deliver high quality care with compassion and expertise.

Just before the schools broke up for the summer holidays I made several visits to local Primary and Pre-Schools and saw the excellent work that they are all doing in spite of educational cost pressures. I wrote to the Prime Minister in early July, arguing that a cash injection for schools was needed now. 40 other MPs supported my letter. The Secretary of State responded, highlighting that he had set out a very strong case for Education as we approach the Treasury Spending Review at the end of the year. I will be making contact with the new Secretary of State when Parliament returns to hold him to this commitment.

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Heidi Allen MP Newsletter Cont'd

In the meantime, I would like to thank Homerton Nursery, Great Abington Pre-School and Elsworth Pre-School for demonstrating how valuable quality early years care can be for every child. These schools place care and learning at the heart of their provision giving children happy, exciting and playful days full of discovery.

The learning journey continues at primary school and the same themes of learning, discovery and happiness were very much in evidence at Meldreth Primary and Girton Glebe Primary School when I visited. These thriving village schools want the very best for their pupils and are an extremely valuable part of our local communities. I wish the very best of luck to the Year 6 pupils who I met on my visits as they prepare to move up to secondary school. I will continue to fight for education funding that recognises that excellence in education needs resourcing and I am determined to deliver this message to the new Prime Minister and Secretary of State in the new school year.

Of course, summer holidays and

warmer weather means that it's fete season here in South Cambridgeshire and I was delighted to open the Bar Hill Fete (pictured left), one of the largest in the constituency in early July.

This was promptly followed by a stint in the food tent at the Shelford Feast Go West Evening (pictured right). Many hands really did make light work and the food on offer was outstanding. Phil and I really enjoyed meeting new and old faces at both of these events and I look forward to seeing many more of you at local events in the constituency throughout the summer. I'll be holding a series of café pop up surgeries throughout the constituency and would love to meet as many of you as possible. If you'd like to find out where your nearest pop up surgery will be please visit my <https://heidiallen.co.uk/constituency-surgeries/>

In the meantime, if you would like to contact me, please email heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk or call my office.

Enjoy the warmer weather – fingers crossed – and see you next month!

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Comberton WI

Hello again from Comberton WI. We have not appeared in Contact for a few months but we have been as busy as ever. We have had some really excellent speakers and some fun evenings. Most members really enjoyed our evening in June on Dance Matters and took part in some lively dance routines. Our session on the Remarkable Story of Heffers proved really interesting and members were happy to share their memories of Heffers past and present.

One of our members gave a talk and display of her miniature quilts which hopefully inspired others to try their hand at this absorbing hobby.

We do have a thriving Craft Group and members make the items you will have seen on our

stall at village events. We also have a Gardening Club which holds regular monthly meetings at the home of our president.

There is also a Lunch Club which organises visits to a variety of pubs and restaurants. All members are able to join any of these sub-groups of our WI

In August members had an outing to Carriages in Fen Drayton and took Afternoon Tea in a vintage railway carriage which proved both interesting and enjoyable.

We have gained some new members in the past year and are always pleased to welcome visitors to any of our meetings. Look out for our posters and come along if the subject appeals to you. You never know where it may lead.

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Comberton Friendship Club

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July 11th

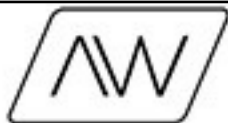
Our speaker was Mary Barrow. She is a volunteer for rescued Hedgehogs who need Nursing, nurturing, etc. back to health. She brought along a dear little one only a month old that was found abandoned. She has to feed it special milk every four hours. They are about as big as a 50p piece when they are born and after six weeks they should be able to survive on their own. Their

life span is roughly 5years, if they manage to escape the many hazards they face. She was a very interesting speaker and certainly dedicated to her volunteering.

August 8th

We once again enjoyed our "Summer Lunch". Food prepared and served by our Hard working committee, plus volunteers. Sue our chairman congratulated and presented John and Anne Collins with a gift from us all to celebrate their 60th Wedding Anniversary. A wonderful afternoon.

Next meeting Sept. 12th at 2.30pm for our Harvest Festival.



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Comberton Allotments & Gardens Association

It's 'Autumn Show' time again!
The 67th Comberton Show is on Saturday 14th September in the Meridian Primary School.

Cookery: Set recipes have proved popular in recent years so this time we have included two amongst the 11 cookery classes; a 'Banana and Walnut Loaf' and 'Cheese and onion Tartlets'.

So why not try your hand at winning the Evelyn Watts Trophy awarded for highest points in cookery.

The eagerly contested **Men only** cake class for the 'Gerry Hall Tankard' challenges them to bake a 'Gorgeous Ginger & Chocolate Cake', again from a set recipe - I'm still trying hard to get my name on that trophy!

The **Childrens'** cookery section includes a set recipe for 'Oat Crunchies' as well as the ever popular 'Decorated Rich Tea Biscuits' and 'Chocolate Crispies'.

Handicraft: Again **14** classes for adults and **11** for children covering a full range of skills; so time to finish that drawing, crafting, woodwork or needlework item and also time to set the youngsters on a creative path!.

Painting or Drawing. If the children like Painting or drawing there are 4 subjects for them to choose from: 'A Dream'; 'Games'; 'Self-portrait' or 'Weather'. They

are judged in 5 different age categories so will always be competing with their own age group. Childrens' art will be exhibited in the Main Hall alongside the entries from Meridian School and the Comberton Playgroup.

The artwork judged best in show will be awarded the Frank Hollick Book Prize..

Photography: The 3 categories are 'Waterside'; 'Light and Shade' and 'Borders'; and for the children 'My Family or other Animals'; there's lots of room for interpretation of the subject. Have you taken a picture that fits those subjects? - if not still time to get out there with the camera!

The Best Photograph in the show will be awarded the 'Mike Winney Trophy'.

Vegetables, Fruit and Flowers:
A special appeal to the allotment holders in the village; we have approximately 100 allotment plots in Comberton but only 3 plot holders entered their produce last year, so please consider entering this year and create some serious competition to challenge our judges and make their journey here worthwhile; you might not think your produce is of a high enough standard but always enter it, a prize could be yours!

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Full details of Classes are in the **Show Brochure** which is delivered to every house in Comberton (if you haven't received one, pick one up at the Post Office or Cruickshank Butchers), please look through it and plan your entries, there is a class for everyone!

Entries will still be accepted on the Saturday morning, but it will help us greatly, and you will **'avoid the queues'**, if you can get forms through my letterbox by

Friday evening.

Whether or not you enter, come along and see the show, there's plenty to inspire!

Volunteers: Could you give a small amount of your time to help out our small committee at the Show?

Refreshments – a 30 minute session on the refreshments rosta between 3 pm and 4.30pm would be a great help and keep down the queues!

Clearing away – some additional muscle to help return tables to the classrooms at the end of the show would be much appreciated; the more people we have the quicker it is done.

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Robin Worship – CAGA

Secretary

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Comberton Winemakers

A new academic year so why not join the local group of winemakers and drinkers at their first meeting and 'Open Evening' on Monday, 16th September in Comberton Village Hall at 7.30 pm to learn more about our activities and social events. The theme of this evening is Germany and Austria. We are a friendly group (with an age range spanning from 30 to 90+ years old) and the aim of encouraging the appreciation and enjoyment of winemaking.

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| F Joanne Rowling | (N) Lemony Snicket |
| G Erika Mitchell | (A) Richard Bachman |
| H Jean Baptiste Poquelin | (K) Barbara Vine |
| I Hector Hugh Munro | (C) Dietrich Knickerbocker |
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| K Ruth Rendell | (B) Acton Bell |
| L Agatha Christie | (D) John Le Carre |
| M Mary Ann Evans | (E) George Orwell |
| N Daniel Handler | (Q) Ellis Bell |
| O Charlotte Bronte | G) E L James |
| P Charles Dodgson | (F) Robert Galbraith |
| Q Emily Bronte | (J) Mark Twain |

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