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Beginnings – Editors Page

Dear Readers,

I Could not find room for this Poster anywhere else

Linton and District Historical Society



Sixty Years Have Flown - Terry Holloway

60 years in Aviation

Terry Holloway

Tuesday 19 April, 7.30

Linton Village Hall, Coles Lane

Enjoy

Best wishes

Sue

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Parish Church of St Botolph's

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Caroline writes: I find it almost impossible to believe that this is the last letter I am writing for the Hadstock magazine. Whilst we all knew that I would only be taking oversight of the church for six months, it has gone incredibly quickly and both Alan and I will really miss being a part of your lovely community and church. Thank you for your welcome and company in this time.

I want to end with a hopeful and positive message, since this is the month when we celebrate Easter. The hope and confidence that Easter brings is what should mark us out as Christians. We have been called an Easter people, believing that – against all signs to the contrary - new beginnings can come even out of the most difficult situations.

It is easy to see Easter as simply a celebration of the return of Spring. Spring flowers and longer and brighter days all help us to feel positive. This year we are perhaps especially aware, in the context of the unfolding situation in Ukraine, of how very blessed we are, and have been for many years, to be able to enjoy this annual resurgence of life and the promise of summer. This is all in line with the Easter theme of resurrection, but the Christian message of hope offers us both challenge and a deeper sense of hope.

The return of Spring is a natural phenomenon. Wider issues, such as climate change or the threat of war, may threaten this annual event and the uplift that it brings to our spirits, but still it is something built into the way the world works. Yet the event that we celebrate at Easter was totally unexpected: something that changed the very way in which people saw the world, and their own lives, and which can change us too.

The resurrection of Jesus was NOT inevitable; even his closest friends could not at first believe it. For me, the important thing is not to try to understand what happened that day (how can we?), but to let it point us to a deeper truth, to something very different going on. In C.S. Lewis's Narnia stories, this is described as 'a deeper magic' at work in the world. Whilst I am not keen on the word 'magic' (because it tends to suggest some trick or sleight of hand), I do believe that we are pointed here to a belief that death does not have the last word, and in which the way of sacrificial love exemplified by Jesus can triumph over evil.

So why does this matter? We all know that the world is not fair, that bad things happen to good people, and that even the best efforts of well-meaning people cannot avert human illness or tragedy. Locally our churches are facing an uncertain future that is deeply depressing for many of us, and I know that many individuals also face great sadness or challenge in their personal lives. Yet faith promises that God can bring something new and totally unexpected even out of decline and death. Indeed, it may be the case that such death is necessary for this to happen. The life-giving force behind our human lives is greater than we can possibly imagine. We can live in the hope that this is so, and this hope gives us confidence to take risks and to stay committed to cooperating with it, giving our lives to each other in sacrificial love.

We are seeing many acts of courage from ordinary people in Ukraine, some of whom decide to stay in a situation of danger because to leave would not be true to their deepest self. In doing so, they are recognising that death is not the worst that can happen, just as people martyred for their faith in years gone by knew this. Most of us are not called to such extremes, but we are called to everyday sacrifices that come from our belief that life is about more than survival.

I wish you all a very Happy Easter, and not just in the hope that you will enjoy the family events, return of Spring and chocolate. To appreciate the Christian hope that we have at this time, we first travel through Holy Week, and the events of Good Friday, sharing the human devastation felt by the friends of Jesus, and our own down times when life seems hopeless. Do join us at our services not only on Easter Day but also in the week before.

Then I really look forward this year to celebrating Easter with you in Hadstock.

with all good wishes

Caroline

Caroline's last service at Ashdon, on Sunday 24 April

Hadstock parishioner's warmly welcome to attend 9.30am

SERVICES AT ST BOTOLPH'S APRIL 2022

All Sunday services this month are at 9.30am

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be at 11am 3rd April

Sunday 3rd April Home Team Service - Led by Alan Currer.
Followed by Annual Parochial Church Meeting at 11am

Sunday 10th April No service at St Botolph's.

Palm Sunday service at Ashdon 9.30am

Thursday 14th April Maundy Thursday – Holy Communion
Led by Caroline Currer at 7.30pm

Friday 15th April **Good Friday** – An Hour at the Cross
Led by Caroline Currer 2-3pm

Sunday 17th April **Easter Day** - Holy Communion
Led by Caroline Currer at 9.30am

Sunday 24th April No Service at Hadstock Church.

Caroline Currer's last service at Ashdon,

Hadstock parishioner's warmly welcome to attend 9.30am.

At St Botolphs

Morning Prayer takes place in the church each Tuesday at 8.30 am.

The church is now fully open every day between 9am and 4pm for private prayer.

To receive the weekly email Worship Bulletin with details of service sheets, please contact Caroline on 01799 584839 or Email: c.currer@btinternet.com

Coffee and Cake for Ukraine

The total amount raised by
the Hadstock Ukraine Coffee
morning was an amazing
£1039.20.



This will be doubled through a
matched giving scheme and sent to the Disasters Emergency
Committee Ukraine Appeal.

Thank you for your generosity and support.
Lynne and Lesley

(If anyone has any plates or cake boxes, they took cakes home in,
please can you return them to Lynne or Lesley. Particularly looking for
a spotty plate and grey Tupperware lid. Thank you.)

*Thank you Lynne and Lesley for your fundraising idea and all the work and
cake making and fun.*

Littlebury Plant Sale

[Sunday 24 April - 2.00 - 4pm](#)

at Holy Trinity Church, Littlebury

Teas - electronic payment or cash

Please bring a bag (or two!)-

raising funds for our Grade I listed church.

Janice Rust

Hadstock - News, - Events, - Happenings, Reports



Hadstock Village Hall 100 Club winners
Winners for March

No 67 Peter Wiles £25

No 96 Des cooper £25

Congratulations to you!

And

Thank you to all 100 club members for renewing your subscriptions to the Village Hall 100 Club Prize Draw, and welcome to the new members!



HADSTOCK BOOK CLUB

This Month we are reading 'Jack' by Marilynne Robinson

Chosen by Lynn

Meeting on 4 April to discuss

CANASTA

We are starting a Canasta Group again in Hadstock.

At the moment we plan to play one afternoon per month.

Are you interested in joining us? Then please call Irene on 891 385

Players and Beginners welcome.



HADSTOCK INFO is an information and news service for Hadstock village.

It is operated for us by Isabel Fish.

Join by sending your email address to the address below and asking to join the list, and then you can send information round the village by sending it to: -

hadstockinfo@gmail.com

Hadstock's Spring Litter Pick

On Sunday 13 March at 10.00am, approximately 14 people, suitably clad in brightly coloured high Viz vests set off in various directions from the village green to help clear litter from the verges and open spaces around the village. Most were clutching a few unmissable Uttlesford District Council orange waste bags designed for just such a purpose. Some also had 'Grabbers', carried like a badge of office by the noble few who had been lucky enough to grab one at the start and felt they had been trained in their use (in truth they are quite easy to use and also good fun) Many wore gloves as requested and some even had woolly hats and wellies. – Quite a sight to behold. It was a balmy morning and all enjoyed the time out doors in our lovely now cleaner countryside. Here's what we found. It was collected as arranged by the UDC on the



Monday.

Thank you to all who took part on the day and also those who regularly pick up litter and plastic to protect our domestic and wild creatures.

I have to say also that we missed Hamish, who now resides in a care home who used to relish the litter pick. Particularly enjoying wading

through the ditch on Linton road retrieving all sorts of unusual items for mor hours than the rest of us put together.

Sue-Ed

TABLE TENNIS – UPDATE – UPDATE – UPDATE - UPDATE

Table Tennis is normally on the second and last Mondays of each month, 7:30-9pm. Just a reminder that everyone is welcome, all abilities, ages 14-94, £2 per head to cover the cost of renting the Village Hall.

For queries or to express interest please email Brendan on bb101@cam.ac.uk
Brendan and Gill

The next planned date is Monday 11April

CHURCH ROOF FUND-RAISING

Bacon Butty Breakfast

So would we be able to find our way around the Village Hall kitchen after so long?

After several cancellations due to Covid, the day of the BBB arrived. The weather was warm and sunny and we were pleased to be able to use the new Village Hall pergola and outside furniture.



Outside dining photo John Symes Thompson

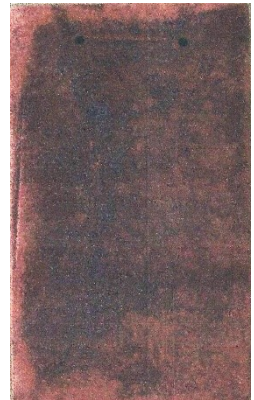
What a busy and enjoyable morning and what a great result. It was good to see so many people in the Village Hall and we raised £832 towards the South Chancel roof repairs. Thank you to everyone who supported us on the day and to everyone on the team. Thank you also to our sponsors Burtons Butchers, Boswells, the bakers and Sweet Talk News for the Saturday papers.

Lou The Friends of St Botolph's Church, Hadstock

BE PART OF ST BOTOLPH'S STORY SIGN A TILE

We have been heartened by the uptake on this appeal. A big thank you to everyone who has already sponsored Tiles for the South Chancel roof at St Botolph's.

There are still Tiles available to sponsor. If you would like to do so, please contact the Friends Treasurer, Tony Handley
tony.handley@outlook.com



Front View

Keymer Traditional Antique Tile

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Friday June 3rd Save the Date!

Friday 3rd June is the day Hadstock will be celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Activities suitable for all ages are taking place.

Friday afternoon from 1pm - 4pm

The Jubilee Village Picnic on the Recreation Ground
(weather permitting)

All residents of Hadstock are invited to bring savoury picnic food and something to sit on. Cakes, drinks, crisps and ice creams can be bought from Hadstock's own Tilly's Travelling Tearoom who has agreed to set up on the Rec for the afternoon. Big games will also be available.

Friday evening at 7.30pm **The Jubilee Village Barn Dance/Ceilidh-** at the village hall.

You are invited to put on your dancing shoes and join well-known local Ceilidh band - The Lairds - for an evening of dancing. Places are limited and tickets will be available to purchase after Easter. Cost only £10 00 each. Eat at home beforehand and drinks available from The Portable Pint

Jubilee Commemoration Gifts

To support the Queen's wish to plant a Green Canopy over her kingdom, the Parish Council is planning to buy 30 young trees to give to families with primary-aged children. These will be given to the first 30 families who apply. The trees will be native British species and can be planted straight into the garden. They will come with a tiny commemorative sign so that our youngest Hadstock residents can be reminded of the Platinum Jubilee as their trees grow.

Helpers? – More wanted please

As you can imagine, these things do not happen on their own and are always better when split between a group of willing helpers - if you think you might have a few hours to spare please send an email to The Editor, Hadstock Parish Magazine hadstockmag@live.co.uk - your help is greatly appreciated.

Cllr. Jude Hannam for the Parish Council

Art News!

Everyone is welcome at the Cambridge Drawing Society exhibition in the Pitt Building in Cambridge (opposite Fitzbillies). Open every day from 10am to 4pm from 2nd to 9th April. Admission is free and there will be lots of wonderful artwork from over 100 local artists.

"Wild coast" below is one of the paintings that Sue has submitted for this year's show. www.suewalkerart.co.uk



	CAMBRIDGE DRAWING SOCIETY	Founded 1882	Original Paintings, Drawings, Prints and Sculptures	
<h1>ART EXHIBITION</h1>				
At the Pitt Building Trumpington Street Cambridge <i>(opposite Fitzbillies (see map on reverse))</i>		Saturday 2nd – Saturday 9th April 2022 Open every day 10.00 – 4.00 pm Closing at 4.00 pm on Saturday 9th April <i>Most artworks are for sale</i>		
Admission free				
		http://www.cambridgedrawingsociety.org		
				
You are warmly invited to our 2022 ANNUAL SPRING ART EXHIBITION at the Pitt Building, Cambridge <i>(opposite Fitzbillies)</i>				
Over 400 original artworks by selected local artists. Paintings, drawings, prints and sculpture, encompassing a wide variety of styles, media and genre				
Open daily (incl. Sun) Saturday 2nd – Saturday 9th April 10.00am – 4.00pm Closes Saturday April 9th at 4.00pm				
<i>Free admission</i>				

Flowers for the Fete

To celebrate our wonderful fete returning after two quiet years, I thought it would be great to have the church decorated with lots of beautiful flowers for the fete weekend. If anyone would like to join me and help with the flower arrangements, please get in touch.

Isabel

890924/ mattisa@waitrose.com

We Need You!

On Hadstock Fete Day

- June 18th this year, -

the tea room is always buzzing

We need 35 hours of help

to set up, prepare, serve and tidy up

400 cups of tea and

400 slices of cake or scone

So

**-if you haven't been involved before,
do consider sparing us an hour or two this year**

Many hands make light work!

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Thank you

Sonia Villiers



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Village Hall -- HELP NEEDED

It was great to see so many of you at the village Hall to support the Bacon Butty fund raising morning for the Church and heartening to see the hall back at the centre of Village life after virtually 2 years of closure.

Since reopening, our regular users have returned, including the Silver Band, Bridge club and Table Tennis and we have a new booking for Hartbeeps, with weekly classes for babies and toddlers.

Also on the Hall events calendar have been a fund-raising Coffee morning for Ukraine, and Mothering Sunday tea, and to come the Village Quiz, Portable Pint - plus a Barn dance as part of the Queen's Jubilee celebrations. On fete day, tea and cakes will be served in the afternoon and a Hog Roast is planned for the evening. We also have several bookings for private parties.

The Village Hall committee meets once each month to ensure that our Hall is maintained and in a fit condition to meet its stated purpose: to provide an amenity for the inhabitants of Hadstock. In recent years committee membership has decreased and we now need new volunteers, bringing new ideas and new energy to help ensure that our Village Hall is able to continue to be available for you all.

If you feel that you individually, or together with a group of friends, would like to join us, please contact either:

Lynn - lynn50@hotmail.com or Kirsty - kahutch01@gmail.com -

<https://www.hadstock.org.uk/village-hall/facilities-and-bookings/>



The new pergola making a better outside space to use for events.

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PHONE : - 01223 668710

Jon
@yewtreegardensdesignandbuild.co.uk

LOVE HADSTOCK BAGS

If you would like to have your own 'Love Hadstock' bag, they cost £5 and can be obtained by e mailing Jude Hannam – cllrjhannam@gmail.com



Bank transfer is preferred but cash is also acceptable.
Bank details:-
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The Parish Council of Hadstock
Sort Code: 20-74-05

Account number:40688428

Jude

A good present any time of the year or treat yourself

Raptor of the month!

our friendly local Buzzard relaxing in our old Willow tree.

'He swooped in!'



Spotted by
Sue

Photo by
Rick

THE HUNDRED PARISHES SOCIETY

www.hundredparishes.org.uk



I would like to remind readers of the walk routes on the Society's website, www.hundredparishes.org.uk. All routes can be download and printed. They include route instructions and information about the places you will pass. Each of the hundred parishes is included in at least one route and there are walks for all abilities. The routes have been designed to take you through interesting places and lovely countryside.

Before setting off, you might like to check the relevant parish introductions on our website; there, you will find details of local tea rooms and pubs, etc. It's best to check with the pub to see if it will be open on the day and time that you will need it.

Most of our routes include footpaths or bridleways where good footwear will make life more comfortable. A modest investment in a good pair of walking boots is recommended. Carry boot covers or plastic bags to put on before visiting a pub or church – or leave boots outside. Check the weather forecast and be prepared - with waterproof top, woolly hat or sunscreen.

Whether or not you are using one of the Society's routes, please be sure to follow the Countryside Code. I summarise a few points that are mainly common sense: Respect everyone • be considerate to those living in, working in and enjoying the countryside • leave gates and property as you find them • do not block access to gateways or driveways when parking • be nice, say hello • keep to marked paths. Protect the environment • take your litter home • do not light fires • always keep dogs under control and in sight • pick up your dog's poo • do not cause damage or disturb wildlife. I hope you will join many others who already enjoy our routes.
Ken McDonald, Secretary



Farnham near Hassobury



Berden to Little London

EVENTS, ACTIVITIES and Fun 2022

BIN COLLECTIONS – Weds 6th and 20th April for Black and Brown bins

Weds 13th and 27th April for Green and Brown bins

Green Skip:- 9th and 23rd April 10.30 to 11.30 First 15mins at Bilberry End then Village Gree

Hadstock Parish Council

Next meeting in the village hall on Thursday 28 April at 7.30pm. Contact the Parish Clerk Sara Beckett hadstockparishcouncil@hotmail.co.uk for agenda details which are also sent out on Hadstock Info and put on the Village notice board by the shop.

Details of the agenda are also published on the Parish Council section of the village website which is:-www.hadstock.org.uk

Hadstock Society – community history and heritage.

Secretary: Maggie Hartley at hadstocksociety21@gmail.com

Hadstock Village Hall see ad in this magazine for how to hire **OPEN FOR HIRE**

Hadstock Silver Band meets again on Tuesdays at the Village Hall for practice

Contact: Lesley Jenkinson 07766 54092 **Listen out for them...**

Bell Ringing practice night at St Botolph's on Thursdays. Contact: Gilbert Rowlandson 01223 892882 or Janice Snell 01223 892338 **You can hear them to**

Bridge Club meets Weds at the Village Hall. Contact: Lyn Faulkner on 01223 890815

Linton Area Learning Alliance (LALA) meets on Tuesday mornings in the Village Hall in Linton. Autumn and Spring terms. Contact Sue Mudge 01223 892737

Linton and District Historical soc. Meets Tuesday evenings Linton Village Hall.

Monthly. Contact Margaret Creek 01223 893915 or email: ldhs for detail

Ashdon Primary School, Ashdon, Essex CB10 2HB. Tel. Office 01799 584219
www.ashdon.essex.sch.uk Hadstock is in their catchment area.

Art Classes in Hadstock for adults on Tuesday mornings and Friday mornings and afternoons in termtime; Sundays once a month, and children's' after-school art during termtime on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Contact Sonia 07890 509160

We are delighted to announce
the return of
Hadstock Quiz
at the Village Hall

Saturday 23rd April
7.30 for 8pm start
Tickets £8.00 per person
Teams of 6-8
contact Lynn Nuttall
on 893355 or
lynnn@hotmail.com
to see if there are spaces

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kemi.badenoch.mp@parliament.uk

or call 0207 219 1943

Hadstock's Local District Councillor - Ashdon Ward:

Councillor James De Vries of Residents for Uttlesford

email: cldrdevries@uttlesford.gov.uk or write to c/o Uttlesford District Council
London Road, Saffron Walden, Essex CB11 4ER

OUR NEW ARCHIVE WEBSITE at archive.hadstock.org.uk

The history of Hadstock's parish boundary and 'Beating the Bounds'

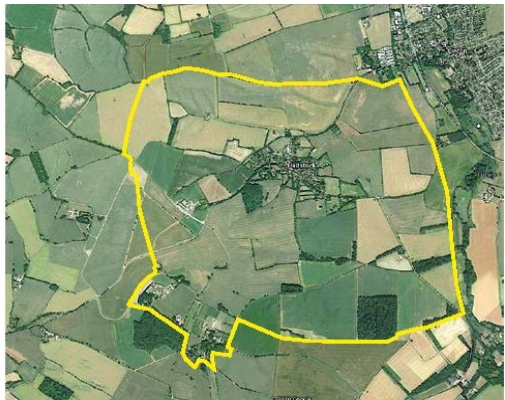
The Landscape History of Hadstock Parish 1777-2020¹, produced by Richard Dolby on behalf of the Hadstock Society, documents changes to our parish boundary based on a series of published maps dating back to 1777.

Before 1805 Hadstock formed part of the Freshwell Hundred, an area that included Ashdon and extended south east to Radwinter, Hempstead, the Sampfords and the Bardfields.

1805 maps show the parish boundary looking fairly similar to how it does today. The boundary was subsequently adjusted in the 1960's/70s:

- Hadstock and Linton Parishes agreed in 1965 to move their common boundary to the railway line. Before then the eastern boundary extended to the River Granta at what was once Hadstock Water Mill. Hadstock gave Linton 54 hectares and received 3 hectares in the transfer. *Two years later the railway was closed following Beeching cuts.*
- In 1970 there was a review of civil boundaries, and residents of Bowers and Monks Hall to the south of Hadstock were asked to vote on which parish they wanted to be part of. The majority voted for Hadstock rather than Saffron Walden. Before then, the southern boundary of Hadstock parish ended with the Control Tower.

The following shows the current outline of Hadstock Parish Boundary. Orientation is ↗ N



¹ Part 1, Boundaries, Roads, Woods and Paths. April 2021. Available to view on our Community Archive at archive.hadstock.org.uk under the pull-down headings of 'Browse the archive' then 'Landscape/Farming' or via the search function.

In May 2021 a group of villagers walked the parish boundary in a tradition known as 'Beating the Bounds'.

The ancient custom traditionally involved swatting local landmarks with branches to maintain 'a shared mental map' of parish boundaries. Usually taking place every 7 years the custom dates from at least Anglo-Saxon times. This was a significant event when maps were rare and knowledge of the limits of each parish was important to avoid disputes about church dues and burials, and encroachment by neighbours. There is also a religious aspect with the walks taking place near Rogation Sunday, with clergy blessing the parish lands for the coming harvest.

The boundary of Hadstock is 11.5 km or 7.2 miles in total, and for the most part crosses privately owned land. Discussions with local farmers allowed us to walk the boundary with a few agreed diversions to avoid crops. In England a 'parish ale' feast was held after the perambulation, and the present-day walkers ended their exertions at Wylde Sky brewery.



The building of the WWII airfield did not affect the boundary as such, spanning the boundaries of Hadstock and Little Walden, but did affect access to Hadstock Common and the future road layout. Construction started in 1942 and closed the Hadstock-Walden Road for many years. A perimeter fence and picket huts surrounded the airfield, with Hadstock residents given permits to cross the airfield by vehicle or bike.

Continued

The road to Walden was modified around 1956. You can just about see the line of the original road going off to the right through trees as you leave the village. The modified road uses much of the north-south runway (that's the straight flat overtaking stretch ...). The restored road to Bowsers follows the southern loop of the perimeter runway.

Question:

Does anyone know how Carter's Lane got its name? This is the footpath on the right next to the large willow tree and pond as you leave the village heading towards Walden.

Gill Butterworth
Hadstock Society

**GREAT CHESTERFORD
WEEKEND JEWELLERY FAIR
9th & 10th APRIL 2022**

**The Chesterfords Community Centre
Recreation Ground, Newmarket Road
GREAT CHESTERFORD
Saffron Walden Essex CB10 1NS**



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**GREAT DUNMOW
JEWELLERY FAIR
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Don't forget the [Village Hall Quiz Night](#) returns on Saturday 23 April
7.30 for 8.00pm start

Tickets £.8.00 per person. Teams of 6-8.

Contact Lynn Nuttall on 893355 or lynnn@hotmail.com to see if there are any spaces

Raffle for Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy

The rising cost of heating your home

Over a quarter of homes in Uttlesford use Oil or LPG to heat their homes. Due to the recent situation in the Ukraine, heating oil prices and supply have been severely disrupted; prices continue to be very high and volatile, ranging from 90ppl to 150ppl. During these unprecedented times, you may wish to consider ordering smaller quantities or waiting to top-up if possible. If you do need to place an order, it's even more important than usual to shop around to ensure you are getting the best price. You can do this on one of many price comparison websites

www.oil-club.co.uk

www.boilerjuice.com/

www.fueltool.co.uk/

Joining your local heating oil club is another great way of finding savings. Speak to your Parish Council or neighbourhood group. Or visit the Uttlesford District Council website for more information: <https://www.uttlesford.gov.uk/article/5783/Set-up-or-join-an-oil-club>

With the price of oil at an all-time high, the risk of theft rises. Make sure your heating oil is covered under your household insurance so that if thieves do strike, you will be able to make a claim to replace not just the lost oil, but also cover the cost of any repairs to the damage thieves may have done. However, be aware that most insurance companies will expect you to install some preventative measures, such as tank alarms, security lighting and other deterrents to try to stop your heating oil from being stolen.

LPG is an alternative to heating oil for those not on mains gas. Whilst fuel prices are higher than oil, boiler and tank replacement costs are much lower. You can find more information here:

<https://www.theheatinghub.co.uk/oil-verses-lpg>

If you are struggling to heat your home and pay for oil, LPG, mains gas or electricity, the team of energy specialists at Uttlesford Citizens Advice are here to help. They can check your benefit entitlements and offer advice on energy efficiency measures and home improvement grants. They can also provide support to manage fuel related or any other debts and access emergency funds on your behalf, if needed.

If you would like to help people get the advice and confidence they need to tackle their problems, Uttlesford Citizens Advice would love to hear from you! The local charity is in urgent need of volunteers who would like to train as advisers and someone with a background in accountancy or finance to join the board of trustees as Treasurer.

Uttlesford Citizens Advice, Barnards Yard, Saffron Walden CB11 4EB
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HADSTOCK FETE NEWS

as promised
more details
of the
Dog Show

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1.45 pm Dance Troup

PARADE TIMETABLE

2 pm Handsome Dog & Prettiest Bitch

2.30 pm Dog & Owner Lookalike

3 pm Waggiest Tail

Entry Fee: £3 per category or £5 for two categories



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IT'S BACK AFTER A TWO-YEAR BREAK

HADSTOCK VILLAGE FETE
and
DOG SHOW AT 2 PM

SATURDAY 18TH JUNE 2022

1.30 PM – 5 PM

**Crazy Kitchen, Welly Throwing, Tombola, Money Prize
Draw, Ladies Nearly New Clothes, Bric-a-Brac,
Face Painting,
Beer Tent, Burgers, Tea Room & Cakes
Plus loads more including**

**HADSTOCK SILVER BAND &
AUCTION AT 3.30 PM**
Even more details next month