

BRAMSHALL NEWS



A New Gateway for the Village

March 2022



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Fashion Show March 11th

Sadly, Tom Speake is unable to present the fashion show as he, and we, had hoped. He is undergoing a course of intensive treatment and we all hope he will not only recover, but return better than ever.

Our thoughts and prayers are with him.

Welcome to our new editor.. Mrs Karen Fisher. Karen has willingly offered to take over from me, and I am most grateful, and delighted to hand over the privilege of putting together our village periodical. I am sure you will give Karen your support.

Many Thanks, Rev John



The Queen's Platinum Jubilee Weekend June 2nd - 5th

This is the highlight of the many events being planned for this year. If you want to be involved, please come to the village hall on Friday 4th March at 10am and share your ideas or donate your time. If you have any stories or photos from any of the seven decades of the reign, please could you contact the editor. It would be lovely to share these over the coming months. Also, we would like to feature stories from our community so if you or someone you know has a story to share, please let us know.



Poetry Please

There is a spring competition for the young of Bramshall.



The theme is Spring or Easter, and the piece can be either a poem or a prayer.

There are three age groups:
9 and under, 13 and under, and under 18.

Prizes will be chocolate,
and every entry will receive a small prize.

Please email the entries to Bramshall News, before 20th March stating age group entered, with an adult contact number and name to accompany each. As many as possible will be published in the April edition.

Thank you for your support.

Church News

The Uttoxeter Area of Parishes
Parish Church of St. Lawrence Bramshall

Vicar Revd John Lander
revjsl@btinternet.com or tel: 565228

Services for March

6 th March	11.00am Morning Prayer
13 th March	11.00am Holy Communion
20 th March	11.00am Holy Communion
27 th March	11.00am Family Communion (Mothering Sunday)

Sidespersons Rota:	6 th March	Mrs L Corbishley
	13 th March	Mrs SA Lander
	20 th March	Mrs M Jones
	27 th March	Mrs G Lovatt

Flowers: None during Lent

Refreshments: Mrs SA Lander & Mrs N Eyre



‘Funday School’ For March
Sunday 6th & 20th
commencing at 11am.

ALL CHILDREN WELCOME

For further info please contact Laura Hill on 07944910711

World Day of Prayer

This year, the World Day of Prayer service will be held at St. John’s Church, Kingstone on Friday 4th March at 4.00pm (refreshments will be available **before** the service commences). The theme for this year is ‘I know the plans I have for you’ and has been written by people from England, Wales, and Northern Ireland (EWNI). A warm welcome is extended to everyone.



From the Registers

Baptism:

Sunday 6th Feb

Amelia Grace DOUGLAS



Pictured above:

Amelia with parents Samantha & Glyn, and big brother Mason.

BRAMSHALL 100 CLUB

Apologies for any confusion – the results printed last month were from the

January draw. February results will be printed in next month's edition.

There are just 4 spaces left in our '100' club – if anyone would like one of the remaining numbers, they are available for £10 each covering the months March to December. Contact Sallyannelander@gmail.com or tel: 565228

Projects for 2022

We are currently seeking faculties (these are a bit like planning applications) to restore the organ to original sound quality, and to enlarge the inner door to allow improved access. Should we be successful, there will be some short-term inconveniences for services and visitors to the church while the works are being undertaken.

The church is open every weekend from 9.00am - 4.00pm

DIGGING INTO THE PAST

BRAMSHALL PARISH PCC MEETING

The Annual Vestry meeting was held on April 27th 1933 8 pm.

Present: Rev W E Charlton B.A. presiding.

Mesdames: Searle, Goodwin

Messrs: J Bentley, R. Whittaker Jnr (Wardens) J Adams T, Durose,
J C DeVille, J H Lindop, H. Statham, and H.Potter.

Minutes: The minutes of the last Annual meeting were read and adopted.

J C DeVille on behalf of the Parishioners thanked the Vicar for this kindness in again giving his Easter offering to the needy of Bramshall £3.8.4. The Vicar cordially thanked the Church Wardens, Sidesmen and all other Church workers for their efficient duties during the year. He then informed the meeting that the Parishioners now appointed both Church Wardens but he had the power to settle any dispute that might arise.

Church Wardens: Mr J C DeVille moved and Mr Statham seconded that Messrs J. Bentley and R. Whittaker Jnr be reappointed Wardens for the ensuing year to which all agreed. Both Wardens accepted the office with thanks. This concluded the business of this Vestry meeting.

G C F Edwards – Curate 12/4/34

BRAMSHALL PARISH PCC MEETING

The Annual Parochial Church Council meeting was held on April 27th 1933 immediately after the Vestry meeting and the same people present.

Minutes: The minutes of the last Annual meeting were read and adopted.

The Vicar expressed his sorrow at the passing of Mrs Loverock whom he said was a faithful member of her Church and Council. The members showed their sympathy by standing in silence for a few moments.

Ruridecanal representative: Mrs Goodwin was duly appointed representative to the Ruridecanal conference.

Church Council: Mr DeVille moved and Mr Whittaker seconded that the Church Council for the ensuing year be re-elected en bloc with the additions of Mrs Talbot, proposed by Mrs Goodwin and seconded by Mr Bentley and Mr & Mrs Hugh Sneyd-Kinnersley proposed by Mr Statham and seconded by Mr J. Durose – carried.

Accounts: The accounts for the past year were presented showing a balance in hand of £18.0.1. moved Mr Statham and seconded by Mr Durose that the accounts be adopted.

Insurance: The Vicar thought the Insurance policy should be carefully examined to see if the various items were fully or otherwise insured and if necessary to adjust same without altering the grand total. The meeting agreed that the Vicar and Secretary should attend to it.

Quota: Moved by Mr Statham, seconded by Mr Bentley that the Quota of obligation be paid – carried.

Sidesmen: Proposed by Mr Bentley and seconded Mr J C DeVille that the sidesmen be elected en bloc – carried unanimously. Messrs G. Martin, J C DeVille, F. Searle, H. Statham, R. Whittaker, E. Whittaker, W. Walster, J H Lindop.

Secretary: It was unanimously agreed that Mr Lindop be Secretary for the Parochial Church Council proposed by Mr DeVille and seconded Mr Searle – and carried.

Treasurer (Auditor): Mr Statham moved and seconded by Mr Durose and carried that Mr J.C. DeVille be auditor.

Lord Roberts Appeal: An appeal for Lord Roberts Memorial fund by Mr DeVille had the sympathy of the meeting and agreed that £3 be given from the Church funds.

Estimates – Tarmac: The Secretary was instructed to write for estimates to tarmac the entrance to the Church and also walks from Messrs Ward & Godbehere, Chell and Marsden & Wilcox.

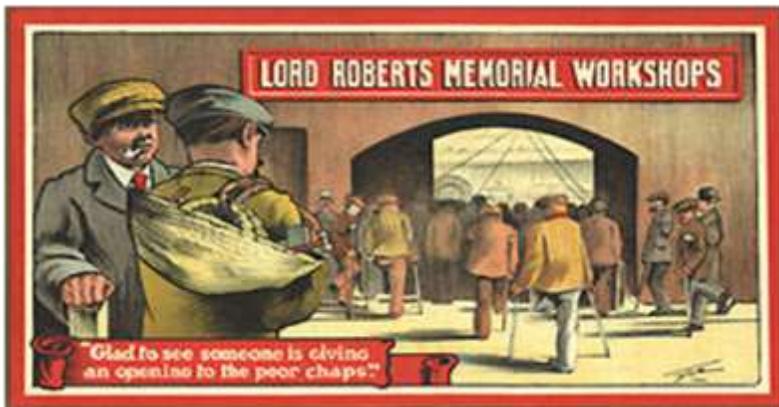
Warners Charity: After a lengthy discussion it was proposed by Mr Bentley and seconded by Mr Whittaker that Warners Charity 10/- be paid into Fradgley Charity – carried unanimously.

Sunday School : It was voted that five pounds be given from the Church funds for the Sunday School summer outing.

The Vicar expressed his appreciation and was sure the Parish at large were grateful to Mrs Lindop for the useful work she was doing in Bramshall – this was supported by all present.

There being no other business the meeting closed with prayer.

G C F Edwards – Curate 12/4/34





CHARITY AUCTION



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February Coffee Morning

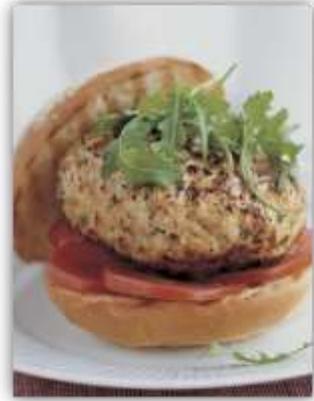
This was a huge success; it was wonderful to see so many people chatting over coffee and cake. Thanks to everyone who helped with this event, which raised just over £280 for the proposed new Toddler Group.

Penny's Recipe of the Month

Chicken chilli burgers

Ingredients

1lb lean minced chicken,
2 cloves garlic.
1 red chilli seeded and finely chopped,
1tbsp. of fresh mint finely chopped,
2 tbsp fresh chopped parsley or fresh coriander.
2tsp Worcester sauce,
Olive oil for brushing,
Salt, and ground pepper.



Mix together the minced chicken, garlic, chilli, herbs, Worcester sauce and salt and pepper. Shape the mixture into 4 even sized burgers then brush lightly with the oil. You can grill this on the grill or if the weather is good cook on the barbecue until well browned and cooked through. Serve in fresh baps with some rocket leaves and sliced tomatoes. Enjoy!!

I have been doing recipes for the Bramshall News for some time now and it isn't always easy thinking of a recipe and although I am happy to continue doing so there will be months when instead of a recipe, I will be writing something re country/farming life that I have either read about or happened during my life.

Penny



British Summer Time

Don't forget to put your clocks forward 1 hour on the night of Saturday 26th March, as British Summer Time commences Sunday 27th March.



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Bramshall and Loxley Parish Hall

The first of the renovations have taken place with the installation a new front door, new kitchen door and two fire doors have been replaced – we are now looking to have the floor resurfaced, but that will possibly have to wait until the summer break.

2022 has seen the hall being used by regular hires and parties. To book an event please contact Geoff Gamble (mob: 07940 326463) early evening please and complete the necessary form and deposit which he will require to secure a booking.

It is the 25th anniversary of the opening of the current Parish Hall, and we also celebrate the centenary of George Martin giving the original hall to the village.

Fitness	Mondays	6.00 – 7.00pm	Sarah Lovatt 07817 323095
U3A Country Dancing	Tuesdays	2.00 – 4.00pm	Keith Lowson 564427
Bramshall Bowling Club	Tuesdays	7.30 – 9.30pm	Harold or Sylvia 567763
Bramshall Art Group	Wednesdays	9.30am - noon	Arthur Tindell
Yoga	Wednesdays	7.00 – 8.00pm	Dawn Colclough (Colclough_italy@yahoo.co.uk)
Sewing Club	2 nd Thursday only	10.00 – 12.30pm	Sue Harris 01283-732248
Lift Lean Resistance Training	Thursdays	6.00 – 7.00pm	Sarah Lovatt 07817 323095
Funday School	1st & 3rd Sundays only	11.00 - 12.00pm	Laura Hill (07944910711)

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