



# Peasmarsh Periodical



November 2011

## On TV

Our own World War 2 veteran, Michael Whiteman, will feature in the C4 programme "Yesterday" in "The Long Walk to Freedom". 10 – 11pm Nov 10<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup>  
Don't miss it !

## Road Closure

The map from County Council shows the A 268 closed from Beckley Four Oaks to Kitchenour Lane on November 14<sup>th</sup>

## Quiz Night at the Memorial Hall

Damien and Gina will be back with another fun quiz on Saturday November 19<sup>th</sup>. 7.30pm. Only £5.50 for an evening's entertainment and a ploughman's supper. All proceeds to the hall fund.

## Peasmarsh Village Society

Committee meeting at the Horse and Cart. 14.11.11 at 7.30pm. All welcome.

## Dog fouling on the Recreation Ground.

The signs say dogs are not allowed on the Recreation Ground, yet recently there has been an increase in the number of residents who think these signs don't apply to their dogs.

There have been complaints from young people using the field, parents of younger children playing there, and footballers about the dog faeces on the bank.

It is disgraceful that people can't use the field without stepping in "dog poo" when there is a bin just yards away.

Please exercise your dogs elsewhere.

## The Memorial Hall

Congratulations to all concerned for a really successful "Disco" on Oct 28<sup>th</sup>. Let's hope there will be another before long.

The Mother and Toddler group is thriving. They would welcome anybody who would like to drop in and see what they get up to on Thursday mornings.

*Meanwhile we are all still holding our breath and crossing our fingers as we await the verdict on our BLF stage 2 application*

## This Newsletter

The Periodical was the idea of the Memorial Hall Management Committee who wanted to get news about the hall project and other issues in the village to a greater number of residents. It has no connection with the Church Parish Magazine. Nor is it published by the Parish Council. It is compiled, printed and delivered by volunteers and goes, we believe, through every letterbox in the village.

Are you finding it useful and informative ?

If you would like to support it we would welcome contributions towards the printing costs. Please send any donations to the Treasurer of the Hall Committee – Vagn Hansen, Old Redford, Main Street, TN31 6SX making cheques out to *Peasmarsh Memorial Hall*. Or online banking sort code 30-90-28, Acc no. 01970802. ref: "periodical"

If you want to comment or to have your news included Jennifer Als (230324) and Mary Hitchins (230665) are still your contact points  
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## Allotments

There are now two people on the waiting list. The Parish Council needs to confirm the sizes and positions of plots and is calling a meeting of the tenants in order to do so. Once this has been done the vacant plots can be allocated.

## Famous Counter-Tenor at the Church

There are still tickets available for the candlelit concert and dinner on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm. James Bowman and lutenist Dorothy Linell will perform a programme of C16 and C17 music. Contact Robin Thompson (230356) or Jennifer Als. Concert tickets are also on sale at Philips & Stubbs in Rye.



# Christmas in Peasmarsh

**26th & 27th November 11am - 5pm**

**Artists of the Rother Valley**

**Christmas Art Exhibition**

at the Muddy Duck in Northiam.

New Peasmarsh resident Felicity Flutter says



she will be part of a group of 10 artists showing a whole range of different artwork, plus Prints and Cards, largely inspired by locations in and around the Rother Valley.

Please come and visit, no obligation to make a purchase

**Saturday Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>**

The WI Choir will be singing carols at the Memorial Hall from 10.30am. Come and sing your favourite carols. There will be tea, coffee and mulled wine and a Christmas Gift Stall. If you would like to come but cannot get there easily call Barbie Vane on 230247 and we will arrange some transport for you.

**Saturday Dec 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Christmas Bazaar at the School. 12 – 3**

Following last year's outstanding success village groups are grateful that the school will once again be hosting a community bazaar. Please note that the time has been changed to allow more time for you to do your shopping and enjoy the competitions.



**Carol-singing round the Village**

Friends of Peasmarsh Parish Church are organising carol singing on Thursday evening, December 15<sup>th</sup>. Why not come and join in ? Meeting at 6.30pm at Brickfields. There's sure to be a visit to a pub – possibly to both ! Find out more from Roger Evans (230640) or your usual contacts.

Jan Weston took this picture of this novel decoration on her neighbour's house in School Lane.



Do you have any unusual Peasmarsh pictures?

**Footpaths**

For a number of years we have been fortunate to have Robin Dent as our parish footpath walker, keeping an eye on the condition of the footpaths and reporting hazards and deterioration to the County Council Rights of Way Officer who says, *There is no question at all that Peasmarsh has benefited from path improvements resulting from your reports*

Sadly, Robin has now offered his resignation. The Parish Council would like to express their thanks to him for his commitment, and would be glad to hear from anyone interested in undertaking this responsibility.

**Hallowe'en 2011**

Thanks to all those from The Oliver Curd Trust, The Parochial Church Council and The Friends of Peasmarsh Church who helped to make the Hallowe'en fundraiser such a success.

