

TORC of **SNETTISHAM**

Summer 2019

Welcome to the Summer edition of our village newsletter, with the usual mix of articles from local organisations and details of events in the coming weeks. Once again the Parish Council have included lots of information in the centre pages - please do take the time to read it.

Do you value your Torc? Can you help us?

Unfortunately we are losing two members of the newsletter team, and are therefore seeking replacements as soon as possible. One person is needed to co-ordinate deliveries, and the other vacancy is for a new editor. For this the ideal person must be computer literate, preferably with experience of Publisher though some training can be given, and there is a minimal gratuity available for this job. If we cannot fill these vacancies then the Autumn Torc may be the last one, so please do get in touch if you are able and willing to help.

One of the editor's jobs is to chase articles, and we are missing some regulars this time as they have not submitted anything. Please make a note of the deadline for Autumn (see below) and send your news in good time!

Parish Council News: once again the Council have prepared a 4 page insert, stapled inside this newsletter.

We hope you enjoy reading the Torc - do let us know what you think. Spare copies are available at the Parish Office, the Granary (Beach Road) and Plummers (43 Lynn Road), and of course online on the Parish Council website.

Your Newsletter Editorial team

Summer Fete

We are all looking forward to another glorious day (fingers crossed)! Of course events like this cannot happen without a team of volunteers, so if you are able to help, please do get in touch. Call Rachael on 543721 or email snettishamfete@gmail.com

Heacham Group Practice

The latest edition of the Practice Newsletter is now available. Pick up your copy at either surgery or the local chemists.

Snnettisham Village Fete

**Saturday 20th July 2019
Snnettisham Playing Field
Open from 12.00 till 4.00pm**

Fun Dog Show



Dog classes begin at 12.15pm

**Stalls - Food & Drink
Bouncy Castle - Punch & Judy**

Lots more for all the Family to enjoy



Classic Cars



LIVE Music on the Field



Deadline for next Torc of Snnettisham:

The deadline for the Autumn edition is **16th September 2019**. Please send your submissions in good time to avoid disappointment. Thank you.

Snettisham Parish Council

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Council meets monthly on the 1st Wednesday, 7.00 pm at the Memorial Hall. All welcome to attend.

Parish Clerk and Responsible Finance Officer:

Simon Bower

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Office Hours:

The Council office is open on Mondays and Thursdays from 10.00 am to 12 noon.

If you need to contact the Parish Council outside these hours, please ring and leave a message, email or drop a letter through the letterbox.

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Stuart Dark 544339

Village Diary

Please contact the relevant organisation for more details on any of the following, or see their entries in this newsletter.

There are many more events around the village - do read all the articles, and let us know if you wish to publicise your event in the next edition.

Date	Event & Venue	Organisation
Saturday 6th July	Open Show, Memorial Hall	Snettisham Gardening Club
Sunday 7th July	Launch of "Spire Project", St Mary's Church	St Mary's Church
Saturday 20th July	Village Fete, Playing Field	Parish Council/Memorial Hall
27th & 28th July	Norton Hill Light Railway, Hall Farm, Church Road	Norton Hill Light Railway
Monday 12th August	Licensing of new Vicar, St Mary's Church	St Mary's Church
24th to 26th August	Art Exhibition, British Legion Hall	Snettisham Art Group
Saturday 21st Sept	Cream Tea, Church Hall, Station Road	St Mary's Church
Wednesday 25th Sept	Management of Snettisham Common, Methodist Church	Snettisham Common Volunteers
Wednesday 16th Oct	Autumn Lunch, Church Hall, Station Road	St Mary's Church

More Diary Dates:

- ♦ Village cinema: 17th July, 21st August and 18th September. See page 5 for more details.
- ♦ Concerts at St Mary's: 13th July, 31st August, 13th September. See page 9 for more details.

Advance notice:

- ♦ Friday 29th November: Christmas lights switch-on
- ♦ Wednesday 11th December: Christmas Fair
- ♦ 19th - 21st December: Christmas Tree Festival at the Salvation Army Hall

Bingo at The Paddock

We invite you to join us for Bingo on Thursday evenings at The Paddock, the sheltered housing unit off Canada Close, Snettisham. All proceeds go to residents funds.

Eyes down at 7.30 pm. Refreshments available. Do come and join us - you don't have to be a resident and visitors are most welcome.

Snettisham Gardening Club

By the time you read this we will have held our 2019 Open Gardens and thank all of you who have agreed to open your gardens this year.



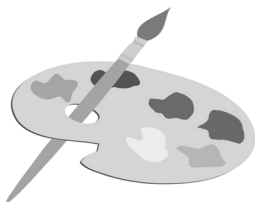
The **Open Show will be on Saturday 6th July** this year and anyone in the village is welcome to enter, as it is not restricted to club members. Entry forms should be handed in by Wednesday 4th July at latest so if you are reading this before then, there is still the opportunity! Forms are available in our chemist. Have a look and see what you would like to enter, there is a great variety of classes in addition to garden produce and plants, from cookery through to art, photography and other crafts. There is a small entry charge but if you win your class you can double your entry fee!! There are junior classes too, (with no entry fee) including a garden on a tray, a hedgehog cake, photographs, paintings and making a caterpillar, so we would love to see as many entries as possible. The show is open to the public from 1.30 pm to 4.30 pm with entry via raffle ticket at £1.00 per person, Refreshments will be available and raffle drawn at 4.00 pm.

If you go to Sandringham Show on 24th July look out for our Cottage Garden entry in the marquee.

Our July meeting on 31st July at the Memorial Hall will be Quiz & Cake with Pimms available. We are planning a visit to a local garden in place of our August meeting at the hall but we are back at the Memorial Hall on 25th September with a talk on Alpines and 30th October a talk on Easy low maintenance gardening, and we will finish our year on 27th November with a Hog Roast for members.

For further information please contact Gail on 01485 541279 or Addie on 01485 544754.

Snettisham Art Group



The group meets at the British Legion Hall on Church Road on Tuesday and Thursday of each week from 10.00 am until 12.00 noon and we welcome anyone with an interest in painting at any level on either or both mornings. We periodically have demonstrations and workshops which are much enjoyed by members. There is a small charge for these dependent on how many participate. We can also obtain art materials on a regular basis for members. Should you be interested in joining the group please telephone Les on 01485 572370 for further details, or come along and meet the group on either morning at the hall.

We will be holding an exhibition and sale of Art & Craft works over the Bank Holiday at the Hall from 10.00 am to 5.00 pm on Saturday 24th, Sunday 25th and Monday 26th August when you will be most welcome.

Entry is free, however donations for the British Legion are appreciated.



POST OFFICE NEWS

To help serve rural communities in Norfolk the Post Office has introduced a new Post Office mobile service in the Kings Lynn area. The service began in March.

The travelling Post Office, which is aboard a specifically designed vehicle, delivers vital Post Office services to people in 12 villages including Snettisham.

Mark Eldridge, new Postmaster for Great Massingham is operating the service.

Details of the new mobile service in Snettisham are as follows:

Location: Old Church Road (by the Memorial Hall)
Day: Thursdays
Time: 10.45 am to 12.45 pm

Rainbows

Rainbows are for girls aged 5 to 7. They take part in lots of different activities with girls their own age - arts and crafts, cooking, playing games etc. See what Rainbows do at www.girlguiding.org.uk/rainbows

We meet at the Scout Hall, Snettisham on Wednesdays from 4.15 to 5.25 pm. Call Sarah for more information on 07909 658066.

Church Times

St Mary's Church, Snettisham

1st Sunday	11.00 am	Morning Prayer
3rd Sunday	8.00 am	BCP Holy Communion
	11.00 am	Morning Prayer
2nd & 4th Sundays	11.00 am	CW Holy Communion

Services can be subject to change - see notices in village and in church for details

See below for contact details

Snettisham Methodist Church

Sundays	10.30 am	Sunday Worship
3rd Wednesdays	1.30 to 3 pm	Ladies Fellowship
Last Saturday	10.30 am	Monthly Coffee Morning

*Revd Stephen Oliver
01485 570232*

Catholic Parish of Hunstanton

Sunday Mass	9.00 am	St Cecilia's, Dersingham
Sunday Mass	11.00 am	Our Lady of Perpetual Succour & St Edmund, Hunstanton
Weekday Masses	10.00 am	Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday at Hunstanton (in the Convent during winter, in Church during summer)
	10.15 am	Wednesdays at Dersingham

*Parish Priest
Fr Peter Rollings
01553 772220
Information and changes
to Mass times can be
found at both churches*

Salvation Army

Morning Worship	11.00 am	Sundays at Alma Road
Mondays	10.30 am	CAMEO (Come and meet each other) Club
Wednesdays	2.30 pm	Friendship Group
Thursdays	10.00 am	Coffee morning
3rd Wednesdays	7.30 pm	Men's Fellowship
Last Tuesday	10.30 am	Bible Study

*Enquiries to
Alison Kirby on 01485 579079
See page 9 for more news*

Snettisham Christian Fellowship

Sundays	10.45 am	Family Service at the Memorial Hall
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Visit the website at www.scfonline.org.uk for more details

*Enquiries to
Richard Pennington
tel: 543315*

St Mary's Church

Contacts during interregnum:

Team Administrator: Penny Taylor
Mondays 10-12 Parish Council Office (543721)
Email: heacham.church@gmail.com
Tues-Fri Team Office Heacham (572539)

Snettisham Churchwarden: Marian Abramovich
Tel 07989177079 for general enquiries
Email mmrabramovich@gmail.com

The Rural Dean Rev Peter Cook, Tel: 01485 517157
E-mail: t2andnor@supanet.com for pastoral matters

Social and Outreach

Church Hall, Station Road. Snettisham

All enquiries for these events please contact Jean
Briscombe 54149 or Diane Snelgrove 540753

- Saturday 21st September 2019 3.00pm
Cream Tea ~ £2.50
- Wednesday 16th October 2019 1.00pm
Autumn Lunch ~ £5.00

CALLING ALL FLOWER LOVERS

We are a small friendly group, most with no prior knowledge of flower arranging, who try to keep 2 arrangements going in church throughout the year. We also do extra arrangements at Easter, Christmas and Harvest time plus the occasional wedding if asked.



Unfortunately, we are diminishing in numbers. If you are interested and would like to join us, please come and have a chat, either at our next meeting on 2nd July at 2.30 in church or when we are in church doing the weekly flowers - often on a Friday morning.

Call Rosemarie on 541768 or Anne on 541346.

News from St Mary's



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Following a very successful interview day with the **Rev. Rachel Alexander** on Monday May 20th, the Bishop of Lynn has offered the post of Part-Time Priest (vicar designate) for the parish of Snettisham currently in The Western Shore Team to Rachel.

Rachel has accepted the offer and looks forward to this new ministry. It is expected that she will be licensed by the Bishop of Lynn and installed by the Archdeacon of Lynn sometime in the late summer this year. We all look forward to welcoming Rachel to Snettisham later in the year. Rachel and Noel her husband will be based in the Rectory in Park Lane and will only be responsible for Snettisham parish. Rachel is presently the spiritual director of St Stephens, the café church in the centre of Norwich. The Western Shore team will cease to exist once all the legal process has been completed.

HELP SHAPE THE FUTURE OF YOUR PARISH CHURCH

Sunday 7th July, 2.00 - 5.00pm

St Mary's Church makes a very positive contribution to the fabric of our community here in Snettisham and to that of its surrounding villages. Over the last year we have been working with Spire Consultancy to create a new vision for the church building and we are now about to embark upon 'The Spire Project' - an exciting new development which will greatly enhance the facilities and range of activities that St Mary's offers. **We would love you to be a part of this!**

So please come and join us on 7th July to give us your thoughts on what you would like to see happen at St Mary's. You will be able to examine the plans for development, meet members of the Spire Consultancy team, take tea and tours of the church and provide 'graffiti wall' feedback on the future of this wonderful building. We want to make sure we understand the needs of all ages in our community so please come and help us finalise the plans and shape the future!

STOP PRESS!

The Rev Rachel Alexander will be licensed as the new part-time vicar of Snettisham on Monday August 12th at 7pm. Everyone is welcomed at this service.

Come and meet your new vicar!

The Friends of St Mary's

The Village Cinema in Snettisham

Join us this summer for our village cinema in The Memorial Hall. Doors and bar open at 6.30pm with the film screened at 7pm.

On **July 17th** the film is "Collette" starring Keira Knightley and Dominic West. You might think you know what you're in for in this film's opening scenes, when Keira Knightley stands demurely in a French garden to wave goodbye to Dominic West. But then, still barely five minutes in, she sneaks out to meet him in a barn across the field. Knightley's Collette is already strong-willed and rebellious when we meet her, and only grows more so. Marrying West's novelist Henry 'Willy' Gauthier-Villars, an older family friend, is about the last conventional action she takes before the match exposes her to the whirl of Parisian society during the Belle époque.

On **August 21st** the film is "Sometimes always never" starring Bill Nighy, Sam Riley and Jenny Agutter. "There's a beguiling Englishness to this elegant, offbeat comedy-drama. The film positively twinkles with insouciance, and is performed with aplomb, particularly by Bill Nighy who brings a droll sprightliness and deadpan wit to the lead part, but shows how these mannerisms mask emotional pain. Sam Riley is excellent as the character's long-suffering son. Nighy plays Alan, a retired Merseyside tailor - and Nighy nails an engaging and consistent voice, sounding like a kind of donnish Ringo Starr. The actor shows how his character, a formidable and quietly intelligent man, has retreated into his habits and eccentricities to shield himself from the cares of the world. Long ago, Alan's favourite son left home, never to return. In the decades since, Alan has searched for him, a quest that has sparked mixed feelings in the heart of his other, now grownup son Peter (Riley) who feels that he was always second-best."

On **September 18th** the film is "Boy Erased" starring Nicole Kidman and Russell Crowe. Boy Erased is an American biographical drama based on Garrad Conley's memoirs. Jared Eamons, the son of a small-town Baptist pastor, must overcome the fallout after being outed as gay to his parents. His father and mother struggle to reconcile their love for their son with their beliefs. Fearing a loss of family, friends and community, Jared is pressured into attending a conversion therapy programme. While there, Jared comes into conflict with its leader and begins his journey to finding his own voice and accepting his true self. This is the first film to feature long term Australian friends Nicole Kidman and Russell Crowe.



More news about Music at St Mary's and Classical Music Rocks can be found on page 9

Spotlight on new local businesses

ZOE BACK IS SET TO SHARE HER SLIMMING SECRETS

A slimmer who transformed her life by losing 3 stone is using her success to shape a whole new career helping other people change their lives and achieve their weight loss dreams too. Zoe Back joined her local Slimming World group in Hunstanton 4 years ago and dropped from a size 16 to a size 12. Zoe has now trained as a Consultant for Slimming World, the UK's largest group-based weight loss organisation, at their national training academy in Derbyshire. Now she is opening her own group in Snettisham at the Memorial Hall on Thursday 27th June at 5:30pm.

Zoe says her new role has never been more important. She says: "Obesity is becoming such a huge issue across the UK. When I first joined Slimming World as a member, I never dreamed that I would end up helping other people to lose weight but now I just can't wait to get started. After losing 3st and completing my training, it's a privilege for me to be able to pass on the experience, insight and understanding that helped me, so that I can give my members the support they need to get to target."



"Like a lot of slimmers, I had tried to lose weight so many times before by following numerous diets but they were never sustainable because I'd always get tired of restricting what I ate. I thought I was destined to struggle with my weight for the rest of my life, but when I came to Slimming World it was different. I never felt like I was on a diet. The eating plan encourages you to eat lots of tasty, filling foods like pasta, rice, potatoes and lean meat and fish, you are never hungry and no foods are banned so there's no deprivation. I couldn't believe I'd found a way to lose weight without starving myself. "Slimming World isn't just about changing what you eat. Becoming more active is important too. Our Body Magic programme takes the threat out of activity by showing people, many of whom have unpleasant memories of being forced to take part in activity at school, how they can build activity into their daily routine without having to take up traditional forms of exercise like going to the gym or running. Everything counts from walking to gardening to washing the car. I love walking my dogs and playing netball to get my Body Magic! As a Consultant it's my role to create that warm, supportive atmosphere to get people sharing their ideas and experiences to help others - it's going to be great fun!"

Like Zoe, Slimming World Consultants are all former members who have lost weight at their local group themselves and groups are set up as micro businesses in the heart of local communities. Zoe's Slimming World group will be held at Snettisham Memorial Hall every Thursday at 5:30pm from the 27th June. For more information or to join Zoe's group either pop along on the 27th June or call her on 07909 996491.

Or for more information visit www.slimmingworld.co.uk or call 0344 897 8000.

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Tel: Zoe
07909 996491

slimmingworld.co.uk
0344 897 8000



Snettisham Walking Group

We meet in the **Playing Field Pavilion car park** to leave at 10.00 a.m. on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month. We share transport to the chosen destination, which varies from woodland to coast. Full details of the walk starting point are given by the leader on the day. Due to the sometimes variable terrain, suitable footwear is strongly advised. Distance is usually around 3.5–4.5 miles.

July 17 th	The Burnhams
August 7 th	Little Walsingham and Slipper Chapel
August 21 st	Massingham
Sept. 4 th	Fakenham & River Wensum
Sept. 18 th	Wormegay and Shouldham Warren
Oct. 2 nd	West Newton and Appleton
Oct. 16 th	Holkham
Nov. 6 th	West Acre

There is no charge, just turn up on the day. For any further information call Mrs. Anne May on 01485 544169.



SNETTISHAM FLEAMARKET

The popular fleamarkets return in the autumn: 28th September, 19th October, 16th November and 28th December.
Open 9am - 3pm at the Memorial Hall

Hall's Exhibition Foundation

It is now the time to start applying for grant application forms for 2019/2020 if you are:-

(i) Year 6 pupils moving on from Primary to Year 7 Secondary education. Application forms will be delivered to the local Primary schools during the 1st week of June, for children to take home.

(ii) Students from Year 11 moving on to Further Education courses or starting Apprenticeships. Those in Further education who are continuing their courses. (Forms will be sent through the post).

(iii) Students starting Higher Education at 18+ and those continuing their courses.

All forms can also be downloaded from our website www.hallsfoundation.co.uk

For further details or application forms contact
The Administrator,
Chris Holt
4 Bewick Close
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Phone 01485 541534



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Snettisham Scouts & Guides Group

We recently attended a weekend camp in West Newton and the weather was good. We met with 460 other scouts from all over the county. The local Co-op donated a large food parcel for us to enjoy so thanks to all at the shop. There were 20 of us and we did archery, rifle shooting, wood craft and many other exciting things too.

The new build on Jimmy's Field is now progressing as the raised foundations have been completed. The hall in kit form has been made and we are arranging delivery. SO EXCITING!

As a group we are growing so we are in need of more helpers. If you are between 18 and 88 please get in touch; men and ladies are needed. We also need willing helpers to help us maintain the Scout field gardens.

The lottery is progressing well, many thanks to you all. The lottery shows fund companies that we have good local support.

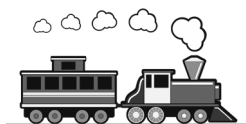
See you all at the local village fete and Norton Hill railway as we are helping at both.

Norton Hill Light Railway

Hall Farm, Old Church Road, Snettisham PE31 7LY

Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th July
1-5 pm - Free Parking - Entry £1 per adult

Family fun day - four-legged friends welcome
Steam train rides, cakes, hot & cold drinks
Table games, helter-skelter, burgers & hot dogs



Organised by Hunstanton & District Rotary & Inner Wheel

Also 24th & 25th August, organised by King's Lynn Lions

U and Eye @ Snettisham

A Club for the Visually Impaired

**2.00pm in the Church Hall,
Station Road, Snettisham**

22nd July ~ Exercises with Bridget

19th August ~ The Best and Worst Houses.
Please note this is on the 3rd Monday

23rd September ~ TBA

*Each meeting has refreshments.
Transport can be arranged if
necessary at a small cost.*

All enquires to Diane Snelgrove
540753



Snettisham Midi Group

The Midi Ladies Group meet in the hall at the back of the Methodist Church on Lynn Road, on the second Wednesday evening of the month at 7.30 pm. Membership is £6.00 for the year 2019 with a charge of £1.00 at monthly meetings, to include refreshments. Occasionally there is a small extra charge according to the cost of speakers or any materials needed for the subject.

If you wish to join us, our programme for 2019 is as follows:

July 10 th	BBQ by kind permission at Jean Briscombe's home
September 11 th	still to be arranged
October 9 th	Talk by Red Cross on support available in your home
November 13 th	National Trust on "Georgian Daughters of Blickling Hall"
December 11 th	still to be finalised

For any further information or details our contact is Anne May on 01485 541649.



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Music at St Mary's

Our series of concerts continues this summer with what will be we are sure a dazzling performance by Brazilian guitarist **Estevao Devides** on Saturday July 13th at 3pm. Tickets are available from The Grapes from June 15th and are priced £8.00 and will include afternoon tea.

In August we welcome back the hugely gifted young cellist **Andrew Harsley** who will be accompanied this time by his friend **Wynn Chann**. There is no charge for this recital at 12pm on Saturday August 31st and it includes a simple buffet lunch. Retiring collection for the maintenance of our beautiful parish church.

September brings **Klio Blonz** (flute) and **Siobhan Swider** (harp) to St Mary's in collaboration with Classical Music Rocks, another Snettisham music group. (see right for more information). The concert is at 7pm on September 13th and tickets are £12.00 each.

For more information on all these events see www.thefriendsofstmarys.co.uk

Classical music for children

Classical Music Rocks (CMR) is a small organisation covering West Norfolk, bringing professional musicians to schools to play short pieces and interact with the children, many of whom have never experienced classical music before. Since October 2016 CMR has reached 5,000 children. I have attended their public events and also a school session, and can attest to the quality of the musicians, the lively sessions, and the interest which they generate among the children. There is usually a public performance associated with a school visit, to raise funds and awareness.

Public events

The next public event is at 7pm on 13 September and features Siobhan Swider (harp) and Klio Blonz (flute) playing works by Mozart, Vivaldi, Ravel and Salzedo. Venue: St Mary's Church, Snettisham. Tickets £10, from King's Lynn Corn Exchange or on the door.

More information about CMR and the musicians is here:

<https://cmrschoolswestnorfolk.com/>

Concerts:

<https://cmrschoolswestnorfolk.com/events>

I will gladly send a brochure to anyone who does not have access to the Internet.

How you can help

We would greatly appreciate some help with social media, so if anyone can offer Facebook and Twitter expertise please get in touch. Volunteer ushers are occasionally required for events (with complimentary tickets for volunteers, of course). If you are able to do this, or display event posters, please let me know.

We have very little funding, and that is likely to be considerably reduced soon. We rely entirely on volunteers so that all our funds can be used to hire musicians and pay travel costs. **We appreciate every penny given.** Donations can be made easily online using this link:

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/classicalmusicrocks>

If you would like to donate in a different way, or (even better!) would like to set up a regular payment, however small, please contact us (details below).

Please mention this article to anyone who may be able to help, or would be interested in attending events. Enquiries regarding schools events should be directed to Peter Barker.

Many thanks

Beth Winsor, Membership Secretary/Fundraiser

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E-mail PublicityCMR@gmail.com

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SNETTISHAM WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

Snettisham WI welcomes members old and new, visitors too and all ages. If you are new to the village, we would love to see you. We meet at the British Legion Hall, Church Road, Snettisham on the second Thursday of the month at 7.30pm.

We have a busy programme of speakers, with monthly competitions and raffles - and usually cake of course! Local and regional activities and trips are available, plus much more. We have an active Book Club, Bowling Club and new this year Ladies Who Lunch. We run stalls at the village fete and the Christmas market, and each year we select a charity to support. This year we have chosen the RNLI Hunstanton branch, and we also help Leeway, the women's refuge, collecting items such as toiletries and household goods.

***Why not come along and find out more about the WI?
You can be sure of a warm welcome***

Call Janet on 545989 or Sue on 542371
if you would like further details

NEWSFLASH!

Thursday 19th to Saturday 21st
December 2019



Snettisham Salvation Army host their third Christmas Tree Festival over these 3 days.

Enter a tree or nativity scene to represent your club/association/business and raise money for a charity of your choice.

**Interested? Then phone Peter Parker
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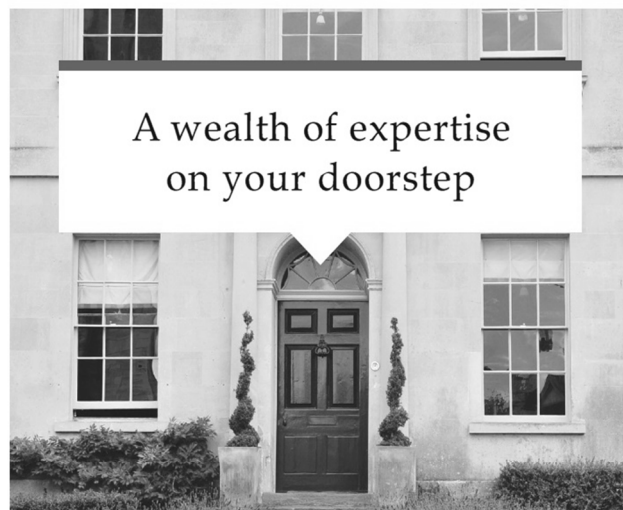
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