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Please note that The Higgler magazine is distributed in the first week of the month so if your event is at the beginning of the month, we suggest you submit your notice in time for the preceding month's edition. This should ensure our readers see the information in time.

Village Hall, Sible Hedingham. Monthly Tea Dance, first Sunday of each month. Ballroom, Latin and modern sequence, 2.30 -5pm - £4. For further information phone Tony 07790 516580

Alderford Mill Craft Fair on Sunday October 14th, 11am - 4pm. Free Entry to the unique Grade II* building in Alderford St., Sible Hedingham CO9 3HZ. A variety of craft and gift stalls to enjoy plus a magnificent Tombola and refreshments. alderfordmill.org.uk

Quality Jumble Sale to be held on Saturday 27th October 2018. 9.30am - 11.30am at St Francis Church Hall, Colchester Rd, Halstead (opposite cemetery). Good quality clothing for all ages, bric-a-brac, household goods, etc. Free car parking. 20p admission. All proceeds to be donated to charity.

Essex Wildlife Trust Braintree Local Group Events. Tuesday 16th October, 7:30 pm. **Illustrated Talk: Why Trees Matter.** With Tricia Moxey, covering what is a tree and how they are useful to us as well as other living organisms and why we need more of them. Tuesday 20th November, 7:30pm. **Illustrated Talk: Summer Migrants.** Bird ringer Barry Williams will be here to talk to us about the summer visitors that have now left us for the winter. Find out who has flown and where they have gone. Barry will also touch on some of the overseas birds already living in these destinations. In St Andrews Church Hall, Halstead CO9 2LD. No need to book, £3 donation payable on the day

Christmas Fair at St Andrew's Primary School, Bulmer, Sudbury, CO10 7EH on Friday 30th November 2018, 3:30pm - 6:30pm. Everyone is welcome. Come along to our Christmas fair and buy Christmas gifts. There will be refreshments (inc beer and mulled wine), hot food and cake stall. An afternoon of fun for the children too. Gift stalls, Craft stalls, Games, Tombola, Raffle and not forgetting... Santa's Grotto

Wethersfield Floral Group Opening Evening, Wednesday 31 October with Kellyann Pythian, Honeysuckle Flowers. She will be creating spectacular Halloween arrangements for us during the evening, all of which are raffled at the end of the night. 7.00 for 8.00pm, Wethersfield Village Hall, £8 for guests, which includes wine and light refreshments. Stalls in the Hall at the start of the evening, to start browsing for Christmas! Tickets available in advance from 01371 851422, or on the door on the night. Contact by e-mail broad.julia@yahoo.co.uk.

Pew Boot Sale in St Andrew's Church, Earls Colne on Saturday October 27th, 10am to noon. Pews £5 each, details from 07908138853. Refreshments available.

SUDBURY RAMBLERS

Sunday 30th September, Hatfield Forest, a leisurely 7 mile walk, National Trust car park (free to members) CM226NE, 10am start. 01787280392

The Winter programme is not available at the time of going to print, please search www.sudburyramblers.org.uk for details of our walks currently available.

Vocal Zones. A newly formed choir meet on Tuesday evenings, 7pm-8.30pm term time at Little Horkesley Village Hall, School Road, Little Horkesley CO6 4DJ. 1st night free then £5 each night attended. Popular music accompanied by keyboard and guitar. No auditions just enthusiastic singers welcome. Contact Elaine by phone, text or email 07718886997 e.preou@sky.com

Wethersfield Remembers

Join us, Wethersfield Village Hall trustees, the Royal British Legion and Wethersfield History Group in commemorating the end of World War 1 in Wethersfield Village Hall on Saturday 10th November 2018 from 1.30pm to 4pm.

Information and photos of the many local young men who lost their lives will be displayed plus archive photos of Wethersfield and surrounding areas. There will also be a display of childrens artwork and "Tommy" kindly loaned by the Finchingfield branch of the Royal British Legion.

Stay awhile and enjoy tea, coffee and a slice or two of delicious home-made cake, with fairy cakes and squash for the children. £1 entrance fee payable on the door, children free.

If you have any queries contact Margaret McCloud on 01371 850934 or by email cm.mm@btinternet.com

EVENTS IN CASTLE HEDINGHAM

Filling Station. A monthly meeting of Bible teaching, singing and prayer- for anyone seeking an encounter with God, every fourth Thursday in the Memorial Hall, Castle Hedingham. 7.00 food is served. 7.30 start. September 27th. John and Ann Coles from London.

Fund raising event to raise money to decorate the Memorial Hall, Castle Hedingham on Friday October 12th. The Steeple Bumpstead Choir brings us an Evening of song. A mixed programme of different styles of music. Tickets are £10 - to include a Ploughman's Supper. Please get your tickets in advance. Ring 01787 463343 or 460203. 7.30 start. Please bring your own drink or visit the Club next door.

St Andrew's Church, Earls Colne on Wednesday 31st October, 6pm - 7pm. Luminous. Let the light shine in the darkness. Refreshments - Crafts - Games - Fun. All Welcome Free Entry.

The Farm Machinery Preservation Society Annual Working Day will be held at Grove Farm, Great Henny, near Sudbury, CO10 7LT on Sunday 7th October from 11.00am onwards. Vintage tractors ploughing, stationary engines, heavy horses and stalls. Refreshments available. Free entry but donations welcomed for the Essex Air Ambulance.

Table Top Sales in Aldham Village Hall (off A1124) on Saturday 13th October and Saturday 10th November 2018. Event starts at 10.30.am. Entrance Free. Refreshments available also. If you would like to book a stall for either of these sales, (or both), please contact Anne on 01206 211624. Table hire is £5.00. Aldham Village Hall provides your table and seating. Very popular event, please book early to avoid disappointment.

Braintree Male Voice Choir will be making their first ever appearance at Witham Public Hall next month in a show entitled Autumn Showcase. The choir has not sung in Witham for around ten years, their last two appearances being at the United Reformed Church. In their show on **Saturday October 13 (7.30)** they will be supported by Singers Company Witham, led by Hans Montañana, and will include in their set Ben E King's Stand By Me, Anthem, from Chess, Ol' Man River, American Trilogy and African Trilogy. Tickets are available from Witham Town Hall or on the door



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