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Please note that The Higgle 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

Essex Wildlife Trust – Braintree Group. Bird walk at Abberton Reservoir on Sunday 19 November at 10am. Meeting at the Visitor Centre for possible over-wintering raptors, then later round to the causeway for wildfowl. For more details, please contact Tracey Kay, Tel 07742 294358 E-mail kay.tracey@yahoo.co.uk. No need to book. Non-members very welcome

Canine Partners East of England Carol Service on Thursday 7th December 2017 at Holy Trinity, Long Melford. In the presence of Clare, Lady Euston, Lord Lieutenant for Suffolk, representing HM The Queen, and Roy Hudd, comedian, reading and choirs from Barnardiston Hall and Stour Valley Community School as well as the Sudbury Choral Society this traditional carol service is the way to start Christmas. There will also be a live demonstration from the amazing dogs. Tickets £18 for adults and £7.50 for children are available from <https://caninepartners.org.uk/event/east-of-england-carol-service/>

Sudbury Symphony Orchestra at St Peter's Church, Market Hill, Sudbury CO10 1TL on Sunday 26th November 2017 at 6.00pm. Conductor: Matthew Andrews. Soloist: Thomas Isaac. Leader: Steve Calder. Dvorák: Cello Concerto in B Minor. Beethoven: 1st Symphony in C Major. Tickets: Adult £12, Child £2, available mid October onwards from Compact Music, North Street, Sudbury and Sudbury Tourist Information (library). Or email: tickets@sudburysymphonyorchestra.com. A limited number of tickets will be available on the door. www.sudburysymphonyorchestra.com

Solar Society meetings December 2017 and January/February 2018. Your local adult educational learning group. The December meeting is on Monday 4th at 2.30pm in The Memorial Hall, Castle Hedingham. 'Christmas Special: Winter through the Artist's Eye.' Several members of the group will be talking about their favourite winter paintings and painters. Free light Christmas refreshments. Entrance £4. No membership fee.

On January Monday 8th at 2.30pm the speaker will be Clare Mulley and the topic: 'Christine Granville, Churchill's favourite Spy'. Clare has recently had a book published about Christine Granville and her roll in SOE, (Special Operations Executive) during World War 2.

On Monday 8th February at 2.30pm. Dr Michael Hendry will give us a talk about 'Lord Byron's Medicine Chest'. Free light refreshments Entrance: £4. No membership fee. At The Memorial Hall, Church Lane, Castle Hedingham. ALL WELCOME. More details from: Miles Scrivens. 01787-469766 or Wanda Sellar 01787-463459

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Braintree Choral Society – December Concert on Saturday 2nd December, 7.30 pm at St. Michael's Church, Braintree CM7 1JZ. Conductor: Janette Ruocco. 'Magnificat & Messiah' Music by Telemann & Handel and Carols for choir and audience with Sole Bay Strings and Beverley Lockyer (Soprano): Christine Petch (Alto): Mitesh Khatri (Tenor): Gary Griffiths (Bass). Admission: £10; Under 16's FREE. Tickets from R & T's Café, Manor St. Braintree OR 01376 349968 OR on the door. Following a very successful Summer concert, come and enjoy this well-known seasonal music in a beautiful church setting as well as singing popular carols.

Cards for Good Causes selling charity Christmas cards Daily from 10am to 4.30pm in November and December until 18th December in Braintree Library, Fairfield Road. By buying your charity Christmas cards here you are raising funds for over 30 charities, both local and national charities. As well as cards you can buy wrapping paper, tags, calendars and a variety of small gifts. The shop is manned by volunteers who give their time to helping.

Afternoon Christmas Celebration in Words & Music on Sunday 10th December, 3.00pm in St. Botolphs, St. Botolph's Street, Colchester, CO2 7EE. An afternoon of traditional & modern music plus serious & fun readings - some Christmas-related, some not - all suitable for all ages. Performed by school choirs, soloists, instrumentalists, plus audience carols. Compered by Liz Mullen, Forces Radio, BFBS. In aid of CoHoC - Colchester Cancer Centre Campaign. Tickets £7 adults, £12 family (2A plus 3C) to include complimentary mulled wine / soft drinks & mince pies, from Manns Music, Colchester High Street or email: hempsted02@hotmail.com

Christmas Tree festival at Lavenham Salvation Army Hall on Friday 1st December, 11am – Late, Saturday 2nd December, 10am - 5pm and Sunday 3rd December, 12noon - 5pm. This coincides with the Lavenham Christmas Fayre weekend.

SESAW Christmas Fair, 10-3pm on Sunday 19th November at The Old School, Long Melford, CO10 9DX. Huge selection for all the family and the pets. Big Raffle, Terrific Tombola, refreshments and free parking

Race Night on Saturday 18th November at Village Hall, Sible Hedingham, £5 per person. Hot filled rolls and jacket potatoes for sale. Bring your own drink and nibbles. Phone Fiona 01787 460278 or Linda 01787 583655.

Colne Engaine Dramatic Society proudly presents: Alice in Wonderland a pantomime by Andrew O'leary at Colne Engaine village hall at 8pm on Wednesday 24th, Thursday 25th, Friday 26th January and at 2.30 and 8 pm on Saturday 27th January. Tickets are £8.00 for all evening performances and £6.00 for matinee and are available from Box Office 07715991220. Parking is available at the village hall, doors open at 2pm and 7.30 and bar facilities are available. We are proud to be awarded best Pantomime for Treasure Island by the North East Essex Theatre group and will be maintaining the same high standard. Come and relax in our friendly, welcoming hall and enjoy all the delights of pantomime.

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