

# THE ECTON VIEW

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Front Cover  
Early morning rainbow over Ecton, photo by  
Wendy Stephens

### ECTON CHURCH LOTTERY AND CORONAVIRUS

With the advice of the Rector, the Rev. Jackie Buck, it has been decided to stop the collection for the new Church Lottery immediately. Any money that has already been collected will be held until the collection is resumed at a later date. The new lottery will then run for a year from a new date. There will be no April draw until further notice. This is mainly because of hygiene and the dangers of cash handling, the actual draw and distributing payment. As soon as we are able to we will resume as usual. Mary Dicks

<b>Ecton Church Lottery - Results for March 2020</b>		
1 <sup>st</sup>	£50	Brenda Foster
2 <sup>nd</sup>	£20	Sally Jones
3 <sup>rd</sup>	£10	Brian Beck

## Editors Note

Welcome to April's Ecton View and I hope you agree, we can play a vital role in the village, as somewhere to share the latest news and let you know how to help and how you can get help if you need it. Inside this issue are several pages of information from businesses that are currently staying open and those offering to home deliver (please be aware this situation may change at short notice, and demand is very high). Also as you would expect from our lovely village, you will find lists of people willing to help and gestures of good will galore.

Going forward, it might not always be possible to have a printed version of the Ecton View although we are considered an essential publication, so if you would like to receive the digital version of the Ecton View by email ONLY can you please let me know. This will help reduce the number of homes visited by our intrepid delivery team (Big thanks to Martin Hope for standing in for Mary & David Dicks for the next few months). If you still want the paper copy then no action is required.

We may also email some interim news/updates to those of you already on the email distribution list, if you wish to be added then please let me know, and spread the word to your neighbours, at a 6ft distance.

I know that we live in a great community that is pulling together and looking out for each other. In the days and weeks to come please stay safe and if you think you might need some help or just a chat then reach out to Sally, Pat or myself, by email or phone, our number are in this magazine.

Keep sending photos of your Ecton Bag, we could start a new collection of 'photos with my Ecton Bag in my back garden'

Stay strong and stay safe  
Wendy

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# Ecton Village News

## ECTON - CORONAVIRUS

We all know that the next few weeks will be difficult for us all. Lots of lovely people have offered to help other people who are stuck at home. If you need help to get shopping, collecting prescriptions or would like a friendly call please contact one of us in the first instance:

Sally 403027, Pat 402582, Wendy 07986 557773 or Ian 07831 504654

Kathy 404590, Denise 401058

We will then identify someone to assist.

We are aware that some of you are very well supported by family, friends and neighbours but they may get stretched too so don't be afraid to ask for help.

We will keep in touch by telephone and as things develop we will think about other ways we can help.

Take care of yourselves and stay safe.

Some useful information, the following shops may be able to deliver to your home, subject to availability and delivery slots:

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Collins Produce, Moulton Park 648814\*

\*All these services are subject to sudden changes, please contact the vendor.

## ECTON CHURCH BELLS

We are sorry to report that sadly our Church Bells will not be ringing for the next few weeks due to the Coronavirus situation. This will be the longest period without the sound of Bells since they were re-hung in 1966.

Thomas Coulter-Brophy and David Dicks.

## ECTON VILLAGE GOLF - Tournament Postponed

To be held at Overstone Park Golf Club - Date to be confirmed

My e-mail is [magsnstevehunt@btinternet.com](mailto:magsnstevehunt@btinternet.com) or by phone on 07545463721

## ECTON PARISH COUNCIL

The next Parish Council meeting will be postponed until further notice. You can obtain a full copy of the latest Parish Council Minutes. Email:

[ectonparishcouncil@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ectonparishcouncil@yahoo.co.uk)

Due to the current situation we have suspended the following social activities:

## **Ecton Walks - 2020**

Please make sure though that you get as much fresh air and exercise as you can, making sure you keep to current guidelines.

Contact Nigel Bond - 01604 948040 email: [nigelbond@talktalk.net](mailto:nigelbond@talktalk.net)



## **Open Church and Churchyard maintenance**

We are not going to do any organised churchyard tidying but if anyone would like to help keep the churchyard tidy please feel free to do so whenever you like.



## **Knit and Natter**

Postponed until further notice

## **Ecton Witches**



Postponed until further notice

## **Village Hall Cancellations**

Sadly, due to the spread of Coronavirus and the associated risks to attendees, we have decided to cancel two upcoming events –

- No Place Like Home on the 4<sup>th</sup> April
- Village Hall AGM on 14<sup>th</sup> April

Those that have bought tickets for NPLH will be getting refunds in the coming days. We hope to be able to get NPLH back later in the year.

The AGM will be rescheduled as soon as health conditions permit.

In the meantime, please stay safe and look out for each other.

# Church Services, Events and Meetings

Due to the Coronavirus outbreak all church events and meetings have been suspended until further notice.

Please contact Revd. Jackie Buck if you need spiritual guidance or prayer. Many local and national churches are live streaming services so do have a look online.

## Religious TV and Radio Programmes

### **Sunday Worship**

8.10am on Radio 4

### **1.15pm Songs of Praise**

BBC 1

### **Prayer for the Day**

Daily at 5.43am on Radio 4

### **Daily Service**

Mon to Fri at 9.45am on  
Radio 4 Longwave and DAB

Further resources are available at  
<https://www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-service-daily-prayer>

### **If you are lonely whilst self-isolating -**

Phone or message someone, a family member, a friend or member of the church. We are all in this together and can offer support to one another

You can, of course, call Revd. Jackie on 01933 631232. Do leave an answerphone message if she is unavailable to take your call and she will get back to you asap.

You can call Silverline (aged 55+) on 0800 4 70 80 90

Visit the website <https://www.mind.org.uk/> for ways of coping if you are self-isolating

You can call the Samaritans free on 116 123



## Rector's Letter April 2020



*I lift up my eyes to the hills – from where will my help come? My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.* Psalm 121

For centuries, during times of need, people have turned to Scripture to find comfort and strength. We are now in a time of great need.

Never before, in our lifetime, have we had to deal with such an unknown and frightening situation such as the Coronavirus Pandemic.

But in times of great need, great things can happen.

People are doing amazing acts of kindness, ensuring people have enough food to eat and a means to carry on with life, all be it in a different way, until this crisis comes to an end, which, one day it will.

In the meantime we have to find ways of coping and as your priest and Rector please be assured I am here for you and am praying for you all at this time. If you would like me, or someone from church, to phone, email or message you please let me know. We can offer support, spiritually and practically, and we will certainly have the time just to listen or chat.

As you will know all services of public worship have been suspended however there are many and varied ways in which people can worship at home and there are a few ideas in a separate article in this month's Magazine.

At times of need praying and reading the Bible can become things we find we need to do, even if it is something we don't normally do, and again I can help and guide you on this if you would like me to.

As we continue down a path none of us have trod before we will need to be kind to ourselves and each other, finding new ways of being and even using this time as an opportunity to do some things we haven't had time to do in the past. I pray God will bless, guide and protect us in all we do.

I will end as I started, with a quote from the Bible, which I hope will bring you comfort and peace:

*For God has said "I will never leave you or forsake you" So we can confidently say "The Lord is my helper, I will not be afraid" Hebrews 13:5-6*

Yours in Christ,  
Revd. Jackie Buck

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## All Events Postponed



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## Coffee and Friends make the Perfect Blend!

### **CORONAVIRUS**

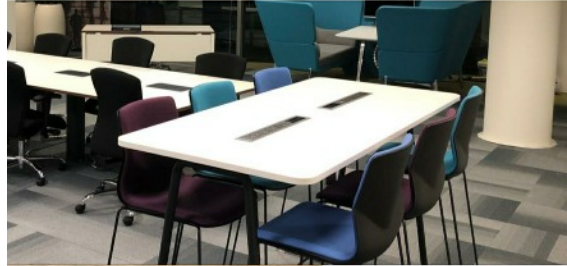
Due to the current circumstances the pop up coffee shop at the Village Hall on the 1st Friday of every month, will be **CLOSED** for the foreseeable future.

It is our intention to open again when conditions permit. Thanks for all your support. Kind regards, Wendy ,Pat & Sue

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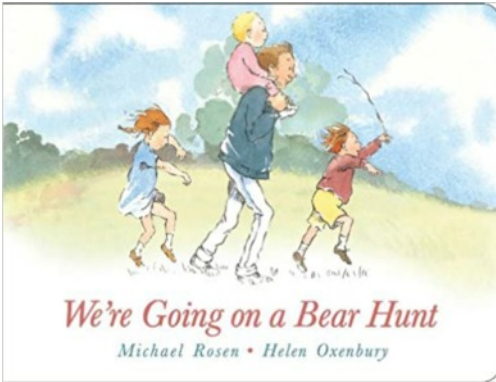
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# Walking Around Ecton



With the current restrictions, many villagers are taking walks around Ecton, for fresh air, a change of scene or with dogs and bored children. Following the idea from the illustrated children's book, 'We're going on a Bear Hunt', Ecton folk have been busy placing Bears in their windows for people to spot on their way around the village, some children are making notes and drawings, then resourceful Mums & Dads are making use of this to play educational games or send artworks to absent grandparents. This idea has been widely copied all over the world, with many sharing their pictures on social media.

Our plan is to change the teddies or pictures frequently to keep the game fun for all and different themes and subjects have been suggested, by the time you read this we may have swapped to Elephants, as this is proposed from Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March, then Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April it will be Rainbows, more ideas to follow, big thank you

to all who have joined in so far.  
Please stay in your family groups and respect the social distancing guidelines.



# Keep Ecton Clean 2020



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**Join us for the Great British September Clean - 11-27 September 2020**  
Everyone at Keep Britain Tidy has been absolutely blown away by your support for this year's Great British Spring Clean. Together – volunteers, local authorities, charities and businesses – have shown tremendous commitment to the campaign and to each and every one of you we would like to say a **huge big thank you.**

Our first priority has always been making sure everyone stays safe and so we have taken the decision to postpone this year's Great British Spring Clean until September.

**Join us for the Great British September Clean, from 11-27 September, when we will be bringing communities back together to clean up our streets, parks and beaches.**

If you had already planned to take part in the Great British Spring Clean you can reschedule your activity for the new campaign period, instead of cancelling it.

In the coming days and weeks, we will be updating you on how you can get involved and show your support to help Keep Britain Tidy now.

**Thank you again for your continued support for the campaign from all at Keep Britain Tidy.**

# Congratulations on your 65th Wedding Anniversary

Jean and Tony Haycox married on the 9th April 1955 at Ecton Village Church at 2pm. Tony's brother Trevor Haycox was the best man and Valerie Loveder, Tony's cousin, was the bridesmaid.

The Wedding reception was held at Ecton Village primary school and Their honeymoon was a one night stay in The Bedford hotel in London as Tony started his national service shortly after.

Jean and Tony have spent all their married life in Ecton and raised a family with their three children Philip, Jaqueline and Kate . Their first home was a bungalow in church view and they have moved four times all within in the village. Jean and Tony also have 3 grandchildren James, Rebecca and Zoë and are also Great grand parents to Toby and Ellis.

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### **The Coronavirus has certainly brought out the kindness -**

I was on the phone to our daughter in Cornwall, she has been, although far away, in-touch daily. I happened to say to her that we missed the daily mail newspaper every day, I had rung a few shops but like the supermarkets they were inundated with calls for delivering papers. My Husband has had oesophagus cancer and his immune system is low, I have been going out but am now self isolating as I also have health issues, and don't want to pass anything on.

My daughter got a call from Helen [Bond], who immediately went into action, phoned us and offered to get the papers for us. Wow how kind of her, Helen arrived with her Husband, their dog, newspaper and a lovely bunch of flowers.

It bought tears to our eyes, we love the village and all our lovely neighbours, but its times like this that we feel very lucky to live here.

Wishing everyone good health and our best wishes.

From Fred & Sue Ellis - 5 The Laurels

### **Nectar Rich Plants**

Why not buy some seeds and grow nectar rich flowers to help our pollinating insects. Some good ones are marigold, scabious, marjoram, thyme, phlox, cosmos coneflower and sunflower.

Wildlife Trust, Butterfly Conservation & RHS websites give lots of information.

### **Getting Out in the Fresh Air**

If you haven't been to the Nene Wetlands Visitor Centre at Rushden Lakes, it is well worth a visit. They have good programmes of events included guided walks and especially activities aimed at children and families in school holidays. A walk with friends around the lakes and coffee next door is good too and you can get there on the bus (X47) from Ecton



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# Ecton History

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## THE ISTED FAMILY OF ECTON HALL

Having recently visited the Caribbean Islands and learnt about their history of sugar plantations and how it was made into rum, I have since my return had a totally unrelated reason to check on the dates of the last Ambrose Isted of Ecton. Whilst looking into this online information, I discovered that Ambrose (1797-1881), the last Isted to live in Ecton Hall, had been honoured with a Royal connection. Although he had sadly been born deaf & dumb, in 1834 he was invited to attend a Dinner in Kent given by the young Princess Victoria who was only aged 15. It would appear that he made a great impression on the young Victoria with his ability to communicate with his fingers as well as pencil and paper. Apparently, this so impressed the future Queen that she maintained throughout her life a very keen interest in the Deaf BSL, the British Sign Language used in communication with the deaf and dumb. Ambrose had been taught his BSL some years earlier in London and is credited with having been the main influence for Queen Victoria's interest in the deaf.

I also discovered that Ambrose's Great Grandfather Thomas Isted, who bought the Ecton Estate in 1712, had married the daughter of a Sugar Plantation owner named Fulke Rose. He had owned the Mickleton Plantation on Jamaica and in 1741 this was bequeathed into the Isted family and eventually passed down to Ambrose's Grandmother Anne Isted, who was married to an earlier Ambrose (1718-1781), Grandfather to the last Ambrose. I was unable to find when this ceased.



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# LETTERS PAGE

## Ecton Bowls Club

The Short-mat Bowls Club recently held their Annual Dinner and Single Knockout Competition. Our thanks go to Dorothy Creed who provided a delicious meal, unfortunately she forgot to cook the potato's!,but it was still very tasty.

The Final was a close match with Peter Alexander beating Maurice Creed 4-3,Peter went on to be “washer-upper in chief”.

an enjoyable evening was had and thanks go to all the willing helpers.

Maurice x

## Mother's Day Flowers

Many thanks to Amanda, Darren, Helena & Megan who placed this wonderful stall outside their home on West Street on Mothering Sunday, as well as delivering some around the village, a lovely thought at this time when many Mum's are restricted from the usual family celebrations at this time of year.



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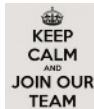
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It's election time at Ecton Parish Council!

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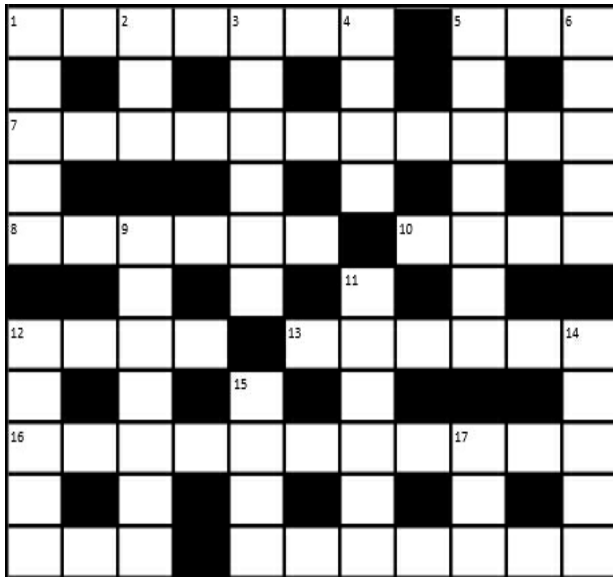
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If you are interested in joining the council **please contact** the Clerk **Shirley Wong** for more information at [ectonparishcouncil@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:ectonparishcouncil@yahoo.co.uk) or 01604 700691.

The Parish Council currently meets bi monthly in the evening on the third Tuesday of alternate months. **If you care about your community** and would like to help make a real difference then **why not**

**Become a Parish Councillor!**

# Puzzle Page - April 2020



To help cheer us up in these difficult times, the theme of this month's crossword is comedy. The answers to clues marked with ☺ not only match the definitions given, but are also the surnames of British comedians or comedy actors.

Clues marked \* are cryptic and the rest are normal definition clues.

### Across

- 1 Game taken after cards dealt for American purse \* (7)
- 5 River west of The Wirral peninsula ☺ (3)
- 7 Nonsense poem by Lewis Carroll (11)
- 8 Right Reverend ☺ (6)
- 10 Male deer ☺ (4)
- 12 Timber ☺ (4)
- 13 Barrel maker ☺ (6)
- 16 I can go before the Queen, sign for travel plans \* (11)
- 18 Cook in oil ☺ (3)
- 19 Pelt remover ☺ (7)

### Down

- 1 Muslim head covering (5)
- 2 Tip is not in bet initially \* (3)
- 3 Book of Household Management author (6)
- 4 Go west then north for frock \* (4)
- 5 Artist of the field in France \* (7)
- 6 Country linking North Africa with the Middle East (5)
- 9 Music streaming service (7)
- 11 Someone from Mogadishu (6)
- 12 Brief smell (5)
- 14 Vertical part of a stair (5)
- 15 School dessert confusion \* (4)
- 17 No, I back charged particle \* (3)

Crossword design and construction: Alistair MacRae

## Ecton Post Box Collection Times:

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**Post Box at The Laurels:-**

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**Please Contact: Shirley Firth**  
[shirleymfirth46@gmail.com](mailto:shirleymfirth46@gmail.com)

## Bin Collection for April & May 2020

Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Green & Brown Bin	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Green & Brown Bin
Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Black Bin	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Black Bin
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> April	Green & Brown Bin	Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Green & Brown Bin
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> April	Black Bin	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	Black Bin
		Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> May	Green & Brown Bin

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### Crossword Solution - April 2020

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# What's On in Ecton - April 2020 +

Date	Time	Event	Location
Wed 1 <sup>st</sup> Apr	19:00-20:30	Bellringing - Postponed until further notice	Ecton Church
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup> Apr	10:00-11:00	Paula's Well Being Pilates - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Thurs 2 <sup>nd</sup> Apr	14:00-16:00	Short Mat Bowls - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> Apr	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> Apr	10:00-12:00	Pop-Up Coffee Shop - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Sat 4 <sup>th</sup> Apr	10:00-12:00	Tidy Churchyard - Postponed	Ecton Church
Sat 4 <sup>th</sup> Apr	19:30-	Live Music - No Place Like Home - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> Apr	14:00-	Art Classes - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> Apr	18:00-	Dog Training - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup> Apr	09:30-	Moo Music - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup> Apr	18:00- 19:00	Dance Classes - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> Apr	14:00-16:00	Knit & Natter - Postponed	Ecton Church
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> Apr	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Tues 14 <sup>th</sup> Apr	19:30-	Ecton Village Hall AGM - Postponed	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> Apr	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> Apr	12:00-	Ego's - Postponed until further notice	Ecton Village Hall
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> Apr	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
<b>May 2020</b>			
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Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> May	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> May	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
Fri 22 <sup>nd</sup> May	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 29 <sup>th</sup> May	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
<b>June 2020</b>			
Fri 5 <sup>th</sup> June	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 12 <sup>th</sup> June	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> June	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> June	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
<b>July 2020</b>			
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> July	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> July	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup> July	07:00-	Green & Brown Bin Collection	-----
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup> July	07:00-	Black Bin Collection	-----

**All dates & times are subject to change - Please check details with event organisers.**

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## Coronavirus Update

Following the most recent official government recommendations regarding COVID-19, we regret to inform you that Castle Theatre will be closed from Tuesday 17 March until further notice. All events, classes, screenings, shows and any other activities scheduled to take place at Castle Theatre will be suspended from this time onwards.

We understand that this decision comes as a disappointment, but ultimately we all want to protect the health and safety of our communities and we believe this is the correct decision to make.

With regards to tickets and refunds, we are dealing with each show on an individual basis in consultation with the promoters and agents and for those of you with tickets, we will be in touch as soon as possible.. Please be assured that we are working as quickly as possible to understand the implications of this closure and to put the appropriate steps in place. We respectfully ask all customers to refrain from contacting our box office team or visiting the venue.



It is currently unclear how long the theatre will need to remain closed, however we will be consulting with industry bodies and the government in the coming days and provide an update as soon as possible.

For now, we would like to thank you for your understanding and patience, and to recognise the incredible efforts and support of our producers, partners and customers over this difficult period.

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