CAMBOURNE CRIER

Blue bins are hitting the streets of

South Cambridgeshire

Households across South Cambridgeshire will be taking delivery of their new blue bin between 31 August and 6 October. The blue bin will replace the green box scheme and be an easier and cheaper way of collecting dry recyclables. Collections will take effect from Monday 11 October.

Improvements to the recycling service take on board the comments of residents who want to be able to recycle a greater range of materials in a single, larger, easier to use container. The new blue bin will enable households to recycle up to 90% of their rubbish, meaning less waste will go to costly and ever-decreasing landfill.

The new service will also prove a more cost-effective way of collecting and recycling waste with an estimated saving of £400,000 by the third full year of operation.

On delivery, residents are asked to be aware that the blue bin lids may not close properly due to the way in which they were stacked for storage. The lid should settle after a week or so.

The blue bin will be for the dry recyclables that residents currently place in their green boxes, including plastic bottles, glass bottles and jars, and food and drinks cans, as well as new materials, including plastic pots, tubs, trays, film (e.g. carrier bags and clean food wrapping) and cartons (e.g. tetra packs). Residents will also now be asked to place cardboard in the blue bin for recycling, instead of in the green bin for composting. Items must be placed loose in the blue bin (not in plastic bin bags or other containers) and should be rinsed to remove any risk of food contamination.

The blue bin will come with an inner caddy specially designed to keep paper (which includes magazines, directories, envelopes and junk mail) separate from the rest of the recycling. This is because paper is more valuable when it is kept separate. Residents are asked to keep the caddy in the blue bin as it prevents people from heavy lifting and does not need to be removed.

The blue bin will be delivered with an information pack, which will be placed in the caddy, giving residents all the information they need about the new recycling service. In the pack residents will find a battery bag for recycling domestic batteries. This will need to be put out for collection with the blue bin and will be replaced each time it is used. There will be clear instructions on the bag to demonstrate how it needs to be attached to the bin.

If residents successfully manage to fill their blue bin, excess dry recyclables will be collected when placed in a returnable container and left alongside the bin. Similarly, excess paper will be collected when kept separate and left in a returnable container alongside the blue bin.

The green bin will continue to be used for garden and food waste. Residents are asked not to put cardboard and paper in the green bin any longer and to put this in the blue bin for recycling instead. The black bin will now only be for waste that cannot be recycled or composted. Excess black and green bin material cannot be collected. Residents are asked to take it to the recycling centre at Milton or Thriplow.

Portfolio holder for environmental services ClIr Sue Ellington said, "We hope that residents will be pleased with the improvements to their recycling service and that they will embrace the opportunity to recycle as much as possible. The idea is that the blue bin will become the main household bin with little non-recyclable and non-compostable material left for the black bin and, subsequently, landfill.

"We are very proud to have one of the best recycling rates in the country and are keen to continue to listen to and work with residents to better our record further."

The majority of residents will not experience a change to their collection day. The only residents that will see a minor change are those in Toft, who will receive the necessary information before their first collection. There may, however, be a small change to the time of some collections so residents are reminded to ensure their bins are out by 7am on their designated day of collection.

Residents are welcome to keep their green boxes if they have a use for them. For those residents not wanting to keep them, there will be drop off points at Morrisons Cambourne, Tesco Bar Hill, Tesco Fulbourn or Tesco Milton where they will be picked up and sent for recycling.

For more information residents are asked to visit www.scambs.org.uk/blubin or to call 03450 450 063.

- 1. If residents have not received their blue bin by Wednesday 6 October they are asked to contact the Council on 03450 450 063.
- 2. Blue bin collections will replace the green box collections. They will, therefore, need to be put out on the same day as the green boxes would have been on the same day as the green bin.

CONTRIBUTIONS for the OCTOBER issue must be received by Sunday 19th SEPTEMBER



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CU@4 7-11 years of age £1 Entry fee Email officecyp@googlemail.com or call 718620

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CAMBOURNE LUNCHEON CLUB

Thursday 16th September 12 noon MONKFIELD ARMS

Cambourne Luncheon Club meets every 3rd Thursday of the month at the Monkfield Arms where we enjoy a meal with friends and socialise with other 50+ Residents of Cambourne.

Our September lunch meeting is on Thursday 16th September at 12 noon where you can choose from the extensive lunch menu at the MONKFIELD ARMS.

There is no need to book, there is no membership fee either, so just come along and enjoy a convivial time with other like - minded residents of Cambourne. We look forward to meeting old and new members.

The Cambourne Crier Editorial is put together by a small team of volunteers.

The Crier magazine is due out on the first full weekend of each month (ie not Sunday 1st)

Send copy to EDITORIAL by 19th of the previous month at the very latest - Please send articles in an editable electronic format not just images, eg: emails, text, office documents.

PLEASE NOTE DEADLINES for the Magazine can change, check the front of the previous issue.

The magazine is normally on line a week before delivery to homes COMMUNITY EDITORIAL ITEMS ARE FREE - unless they are for ANY commercial gain (or from organisations that should have an advertising budget), it helps if these are articles rather than adverts, (and are subject to editing).

Tell everyone about your community group, Club or other interests. - Paid job adverts are always chargeable The advert charges in the Crier are very reasonable and effective and enquiries can be made by email to adverts@cambourne.info, charges on www.cambourne.info

Less than three months to go: Cambourne Fireworks 2010 gearing up to go with a bang...

You will have read our last update in the June edition for the up and coming fireworks on 6th November 2010. Since then the Committee has been working hard to continue with all the arrangements necessary to make this event memorable for all.

So far we have gained generous sponsorship from local Companies and we would like to thank Nigel from Contract Flooring and Trevor from Pet Paks as our primary sponsors. Other sponsors include: Greens Coffee Shop, Malcolms Estate agents, Chutney Joes/Little Venice, and Cambridge Building Society.

We are now actively looking for volunteers to help on the evening with car parking, crowd marshalling and in particular, adults to supervise the kids-sparkler-fun-area. There will be incentives for volunteers from within the Community. Organisers from within Cambourne sporting and social clubs are invited to contact us if they can contribute in any way.

This is gearing up to be a great night out for all the family and with your support it promises to be the start of a new and exciting Cambourne tradition.

If you would like to register your interest or find out more information regarding sponsorship or volunteering, please contact Jo Tomson on

joanna.tomson@btinternet.com

We look forward to hearing from you and seeing you on the night....it's not long now....check our website for the countdown: www.cambournefireworks.org.uk, which will be updated with news as it happens. Lots of love and sparkles,

The Cambourne Fireworks Management Committee

Rubbish News for this month in Cambourne

You will receive a weekly collection each Thursday, alternating each week between your green bin and box and your black bin.

Your bins and boxes should be collected between 7am and 6-30pm.

Collection Day - Thursday (Bank holiday weeks Friday)

03/09/2010: Green Bin and Box. (DAY LATE Bank Holiday)

09/09/2010: Black Bin.

16/09/2010 : Green Bin and Box..

23/09/2010 : Black Bin

30/09/2010 : Green bin and box

Call South Cambs DC waste and recycling service 03450 450 063 Monday to Saturday 8am - 8pm (except for bank holidays).



SETTERS TO THE EDITOR



HAVE YOUR SAY!

The Cambourne Crier is dedicated to act as a voice and a forum for all the residents of Cambourne (whether Great, Lower or Upper). We welcome letters and contributions from any Cambourne resident on any topic. We accept such contributions in good faith and

trust that they are an accurate reflection of opinion and circumstance.

If you wish to report on anything or air an opinion on the letters page then please send your copy in to us. The easiest way to send in items is as an e-mail to:

editorial@cambourne.info

We do require a name and address for our records before

publishing but will withhold these on request. Please let us know how you want your letter signed.

The Editors

Text or basic Microsoft Word format preferred for emailed contributions. Photos always welcome. All contributions subject to editing. Opinions are those of the authors and do not necessarily represent those of the Cambourne Crier editors.

Dear Panel Attender,

As we recognise the importance of libraries in terms of enabling good community engagement, I have sent you some information regarding a review of libraries in the South Cambridgeshire area.

Cambridgeshire County Council, like all local authorities, is facing a very difficult future economically due to the national recession, and as a result all services are required to make significant budget savings over the next 3 financial years. In Libraries this means saving more than £2 million, more than a quarter of our total budget.

Whilst we are doing our best to minimise the impact on front line public services, it will be impossible to make this level of savings without some reductions.

We have put forward a range of proposals for transforming services to meet budget savings including: increasing income, cutting costs, reconfiguring the mobile library service, exploring possible new governance arrangements, and investigating a new model for service delivery based on introducing self service machines into all libraries, reducing the numbers of paid staff, and working more closely with local communities. These proposals were endorsed by County Councillors at their Cabinet meeting on 5th July 2010.

If we are unable to meet the savings required with all of these measures, then unfortunately we will need to consider whether some library closures are necessary. However this is a final resort and we will do everything we can to avoid this step; no libraries have been identified for closure at this stage.

It is true that the County Council is carrying out a review of library provision in Cambridge city and the surrounding area. This follows the opening of the new Central Library, and acknowledges the high density of libraries in the city and surrounding area (6 libraries within the city boundary, plus others in the immediately surrounding area), as well as the impact of expected housing and population growth around the fringes of the city. The review is required in order to plan the most cost effective pattern of provision across this area for the future. Again, no libraries have been identified for closure.

I appreciate that for library customers and staff this is an anxious time, and that no-one wants to lose their library. Please do get involved in our public consultation which will take place for 3 months over the summer, involving a roadshow, questionnaire, and public meetings, we want to hear your views. Further details will be available from your local library and our web site- please use the link below. The closing date for this consultation is 30th September 2010.

http://www2.cambridgeshire.gov.uk

Many thanks to the two wonderful women who realised something wasn't right with me and my bike on the southern A428 roundabout on Tuesday 3 August. Addenbrookes diagnosed a broken hip, and put screws in that night. I mustn't put any weight on that leg for for six weeks, so if you see me hobbling around on crutches, do come and say "hi".

Alan Gibson.

I would like to object most strongly to our village magazine being used to circulate the monthly Peacehaven Baptist Church diatribe.

Until now, I have read these articles in growing disbelief and with little more than a derisory shake of the head. However, last month's entry was little short of shocking and I now have to plea with you to stop printing this nonsense.

Society has long considered the doctrine of original sin to be outdated and essentially medieval. That its central tenets are being spouted by a Pastor in the 21st Century but based in the 16th is little short of miraculous in itself. Just because I do not attend church regularly does not mean I am not a good person. I do not need to turn to the Bible every time to know what is right and wrong. An omniscient and loving God will know whether I am contrite. Original sin was 'invented' to combat the rise of Christian sects who believed that they did not need organised religion in order to commune with God. Although I may believe that church is still an important part of the traditional fabric of our society, relapsing into and advocating beliefs prevalent in the Middle Ages is not the way to achieve it

Peacehaven's entry should be restricted to a format similar to the entries submitted by the other churches – dates of events and reports of occasions. No other church is allowed such space to espouse their doctrine – why should Peacehaven? So please stop Donavan Banging on.

Name & address supplied

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO JOIN THE CRIER TEAM

Do you want to give back more to the community? Do you want to give up a few hours a month to help your village get better?

Now over 10 years old, the Cambourne Crier has been a mainstay of the village and is relied upon by households throughout Cambourne as a vital source of community and local business information. From school information to sports clubs, from churches to arts societies, from local events to business adverts, the Crier is the first port of call for many who wish to get the most out of living in Cambourne.

The Crier is put together by a small group of volunteers who want to help Cambourne continue to grow and develop as a community. However, the Editorial staff needs fresh volunteers to join them. The commitment required is only a few hours a month, during which you will collate articles sent by email from the regular contributors and use a simple piece of software to fit them into a standard page setting to make a few of the pages in the magazine. It requires no great PC skills and the little training and support required will be willingly offered by the current editors. Additionally, the monthly Editorial meeting is a great opportunity to swap ideas and contribute to the Crier of the future (as well as having a drink and a good chat!). If you are interested in learning more, please email editorial@cambourne.info for more information.

NEWS FROM CAMBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL

Cambourne Parish Council

The Parish Council has arranged a special meeting of the planning committee 19.30 on Tuesday 14th September 2010 to consider the application for the additional 950 extra dwellings. This will be held in the meeting room of The Hub. The documents are available for viewing at the Parish Office.

Private Firework Displays

Please remember that you should not organise private displays in the public areas of Cambourne.

It is illegal to light fireworks in a public place without insurance and an entertainments licence from the local authority.

Question - Can I have a private display for my friends and family?

- Yes, as long as you own the land or have the landowner's permission and that you do not charge money or accept a fee. However, be very careful with your safety distances and know the sorts of product you are going to fire. Even best friends can turn litigious when you've scarred them for life.

Question - Can I use fireworks at any time of the year?

- You can but there are some basic common sense rules.

Seek permission from the landowner and those with land adjacent to your intended display. It is an offence to use fireworks between 11pm and 7am. The exceptions are New Years Eve, up until 1am, Chinese New Year, up until 1am, Diwali Festival, up until 1am and November 5th Midnight.

Question - My garden is less than 25 metres long. Can I still use Category 3 fireworks?

- Definitely no. The distances are set to avoid nasty accidents to children, adults and property by malfunctioning fireworks. Your garden must allow for a safety distance between any risk of not less than 25m. All is not lost if your garden allows for a safety distance of not less than 5 metres in length you can use Category 2 products.

Date	Time	Meeting
7 th Sept	7.30pm	Planning Committee
	*	Council
21st Sept	7.30pm	n Planning Committee
	*	Leisure and Amenities
Committee		
	*	Finance and Policy Committee
5 th Oct	7.30pm	Planning Committee



Residents are welcome to address the meeting before it formally starts on any matter that is on the agenda. If you have something else you would like to raise, please contact the Parish Clerk at least 10 days beforehand so that the item can be added if necessary.



John Vickery the Parish Clerk is available at Parish Office, The Hub, High Street, Cambourne, Cambridge CB23 6GW. Telephone 01954 714403 or by e-mail at

clerk@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk

The Parish Clerk will normally be in the office between 9.30 and 1.00 o'clock Monday to Friday and by appointment at other times



Wildlife Review September 2010

Just after I sent in my August article about how dry it had been it started to rain! So hopefully things are looking a little greener now. We have been very busy in the last month with mowing many of the grassland areas. Things were held up a little due to the delayed arrival of our new tractor, which is better able to cope with the steeper slopes on Crow Hill. But now it is here so we can get on with mowing in Cambourne and our other nature reserves in the area. Give us a wave if you see us out and about.



The bird feeders in the wildlife garden are being well used at the moment. The dry weather during June and July has meant there is not much natural seed around for the birds like sparrows and goldfinches to eat. I have had to refill the 36cm seed feeder outside my office window nearly every day! It is a great opportunity to get a close look at the birds. Many are looking quite scruffy now as they are moulting after the breeding season is over. This year's chicks are also coming into adult feathers and can look a little odd. We have some young goldfinches coming to the nyger seeds that have the bright yellow on the wings but no red on the face yet. They almost look like a different species.

As we move into September the hedges around Cambourne will be coming into their own as a food source, with haws, rosehips, sloes and blackberries providing an opportunity for birds and mammals to build up their reserves before winter. Keep an eye out for unusual visitors as many birds will be migrating to their wintering grounds or just moving about the countryside in search of as much food as they can find. Remember to let me know what you spot.



Access

This autumn we are hoping to resurface some of the foot paths in the Country Park to make it easier for those in wheelchairs or with pushchairs to get around and enjoy the greenspaces. I hope this won't affect your use of the Country Park too much. Please follow any signs put up by the contractors and keep out of any fenced areas. As part of this project, we will also be putting in more benches, so if there is a spot where you think a bench is really needed then please let me know. Remember there is a map of Cambourne available on our website that shows the areas the Wildlife Trust looks after. Just go to www.wildifebcnp.org/reserves and click on Cambourne on the map.

Events

If you missed our Cambourne plant sale this year, there is one at Hinchingbrooke Country Park on Sunday 19th September from 2 to 4.30pm. This is run by the same people as the Cambourne one, so there will be the usual helpful advice and delicious refreshments.

If you would like me to give a talk about Cambourne or another wildlife topic for a group that you belong to, or lead a guided walk around Cambourne, then please get in touch with me at the details below.

Get in touch

If you have any comments, questions or suggestions about the green spaces in Cambourne please get in touch.

Email: jenny.mackay@wildlifebcnp.org

Or Call: 01954 713516 (please leave a message and we will get back to you)

Jenny Mackay - Wildlife Trust Cambourne Officer

To find out more about your local Wildlife Trust, what we offer in Cambourne and how you can support us, please visit www.wildlifebcnp.org



GREETINGS FROM CAMBOURNE LIBRARY

The library opening hours are

Mon 3.30 - 7.30

Tues 9.00 - 2.00

Wed - Closed all day.

Thurs 3.30 - 7.30

Fri 9.00 - 2.00

Sat. 9.30 - 1.00



ENGAGE IN THE AFTERNOON

Our September session will be on WEDNESDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER and will be a talk entitled "Travels with a Barge" a visual presentation starting from 2.00 p.m. in the library. Normally we meet on the first Wednesday of the month. Tea and coffee will be served at the library afterwards but we do ask for a donation towards this.

READING GROUP – The library has a lunch time reading group Cambourne Lunch Bunch. Their next meeting is Wed. 8th September 12.30 – 13.00. New members always welcome.

BOOK SALE

We currently have a selection of books for sale in the library from withdrawn stock and donations. Hurry along while stocks last. Many thanks to all our customers for their kind book donations. In hard economic times we really appreciate this. Would the kind gentleman who donated a lot of books in two large white plastic boxes please pop into the library and we will give him back the boxes.

If you join the library you can use the computers free of charge for 1 hour per day as well as being able to borrow books, DVDs and CDs. When the library is closed you can still become a member, return your books in our drop box or ask a member of staff to issue books for you at the counter. You can also make photocopies and use the computers in the reception area. We also have a selection of DVDs available for hire.

SPACE HOP CERTIFICATE CEREMONY

Our special ceremony for our successful Space Cadets will be held on Sat. 11th September.

Congratulations to all. Don't worry if you cannot make the ceremony we will keep your medal and certificate at the library for collection.

Visit www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk

Many thanks to all our loyal customers.

Cambourne Ladies International Club

The Cambourne Ladies International Club (CLIC) welcomes you to England. We invite you to join us for a monthly family potluck dinner, weekly coffee mornings, group activities, and meeting other ladies.

It's purpose is to create a friendly atmosphere in which women can socialize. It is a non-profit group. The group and its activities are solely on a voluntary basis. Please bring your favourite dish to the monthly dinners.

We will be meeting in the Cambourne Community Centre on these dates

Coffee Mornings starting on September 8th. Every Wednesday except half term 10am to Noon

Family Potluck Night

Sunday, September 19th 4 to 6 pm Saturday, October 16th 4 to 6 pm Sunday, November 21st 4 to 6 pm Saturday, December 18th 4:30 to 6:30 pm

We are a group who get together for interaction to benefit our children as well as ourselves. The Group is non-profit making, but we ask for a fee of 1.50 pounds per family session, which will cover room and toy hire.

We look forward to welcoming you to the club and if you would like to know more, then contact Laura Bangs at 01954 710510.



Cambourne WI

August meeting

'Emmaus'- the history of the charity for the homeless, by John Gaul

John Gaul gave us an excellent talk on Emmaus, a charity for the homeless. The first Emmaus communities were set up by Abbe Pierre in France in 1949 as the war had caused a great amount of homelessness. In 1992 Emmaus came to Britain and the first community was started in Cambridge. The "companions" as they are called, live and work in the community and earn money mainly by renovating and making furniture which they then sell on. John himself is a very good example of how successful this approach can be as he started as a companion and is now very involved in running the community.

September meeting

This will be a Beetle Drive – either our first, or first for a long time. Should be a lot of fun!

Engage at the Library

At this joint venture between the WI and the library, Julie Galliard talked us through 'Eight Ways to Change the World', the Millenium Goals which were the promise made by 189 world leaders at the UN Millenium Summit in 2000. Sadly, though some of these goals are nearer to success than they were, others have made little or no headway.

Theatre Visit

Two theatre trips have been arranged, to 'Carrie's War' and 'The Rivals', both at Cambridge Arts Theatre.

Wi Book Group

Both members and non-WI members are welcome at this group, which meets every 4-6 weeks on a Wednesday evening in Monkfield Arms. The current book is 'The Island' by Victoria Hislop. Contact Ruth Dean on 01954 718989 for full details.

Walking Group

The next walk will take place on Friday 3rd September around Wandlebury. (not, this is a change to our programme. We will meet at Oakwood car park at 9.30am Ring Fran 01954 710858 if you are interested.

Darts

The darts team will meet again on Monday September 6th at 7.30 in the Monkfield Arms.

Coffee morning

This will be in Cambourne Church on Friday September 24th. Come and join us.

Ladies who lunch

A new venture, happening four times a year and sharing cars. The committee is currently researching local eating places for our first date in November. Watch this space!

WI Lite

We know the WI in its present form in Cambourne maybe doesn't hold an allure for many (young) women. So, we propose to set up another group alongside, to be known as WI Lite. There are many of these groups springing up all over the place now, including one at the V&A museum in London.

This would be a chance for you to meet other women, away from the children, (and possibly over a glass of wine) to talk about, listen to, find out about things that are relevant to your lives. This could include cookery techniques, including jam-making; needlework; knitting; make-up; child-care or anything else you choose.

Although we, the current WI, won't be involved in the running of this new group, we will all be there to help out in any way we can.

I propose a meeting at my house (128 Greenhaze Lane) at 7.30/8pm on Thursday, September 30th. Please contact me on 01954 710858 so I have an idea of how many to expect.

THE ART GANG



An informal gathering in the Monkfield Arms from 7.30 on the second Monday of each month, providing an opportunity for anyone with an interest in photography/ music/ writing / theatre / design / art/ etc to network with local creative professionals and keen local creative people.

Month	Art Gang Focus	Outing/Other				
September 13th	Cartoons/graffiti Demonstration by local artist	A demonstration by local textile artist. Note, this will be at Fran's, and not the pub. Ring for details				
October 11th	Andrea Bassil, renowned children's author, and illustrator, speaking about her career	Visit to Cambridge Observatory				
November 8th	Discussion: Public art, the good, the bad and the ugly Bring sketchbook and pencil	ТВА				
December 13 th	Arty Party	Opportunity to display and sell work at the Business Park art and craft day. Let Fran know if you're interested				

Suggestions for future focus and outings are welcomed.

PAINTING CLASS

From now until September 15th the painting class will meet informally in the Cricket Pavilion every Wednesday morning from 10-12. Come along and have a go, but please bring your own equipment. The tutored class begins again on September 22nd

With sufficient interest a new beginners' watercolour class could start in September.

For more details, contact <u>fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk</u> or 01954 710858

CREATIVE WRITING GROUP

Held at 1.30pm in the library, mostly on the first Monday of each month.

New members welcome. For more details of this, and if you are interested in an evening Creative Writing group, contact Alan (01480 880442, snibgo@earthling.net).

CREATIVE SPACE FOR CAMBOURNE

If you have a view on this and have not yet had your say about the need for another community space in

Cambourne where there are facilities for the arts, make it known by contacting on of us or visiting http://www.cambournearts.org/ccForm.htm

DRAWING GROUP

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the drawing group will now start again in September. More more info contact Joan Duncan on 01954 714424

<u>WHAT'S ON LOCALLY</u> Just some of the events in our area

WIMPOLE HALL – art gallery open all year. Free admission.

GRANSDEN SHOW - Saturday 25th September

FITZWILLIAM MUSEUM – 'sculpture promenade' until 21st Jan

KETTLE'S YARD – John Cage, American artist and composer, exhibition from 25^{th} Sept – 14^{th} Nov

For further information on any aspect of Cambourne Arts, contact:

Fran - fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk or 01954 710858

Alan - snibgo@earthling.net

Visit the website at www.cambournearts.org Editorial: page 9

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Cambourne 123's is a toddler group for children aged 12-36 months

We meet Fridays from 10-11.30am at the Vine Family Centre Cost £2 per child (extra children 50p, under 1s free)

Cambourne 123's was set up in September 2008 as a follow-on group to Baby and Me. It is run by a group of mums on a voluntary basis and hopes to provide a calm(ish!) environment for 1-3s to play safely whilst their carers enjoy a chat and a cuppa!

We now have a new committee to take the group forward into September. However, we always need new volunteers to help with tea & coffee or setting out toys. Can you help??

Also, from September we are hoping to create and use a bank of own toys. Do you have any spare toys you could donate to a very worthy cause? Please contact us on the number below.

Unfortunately, 123's will not be open during the summer holidays this year

Whilst the new committee find their feet and get things under way, all sessions will be Play and Chat. We hope that by the start of October we will be able to have a few crafty activities as well! If anyone would like to volunteer to help with this, we would be very grateful!

10th September – Play & Chat
17th September - Play & Chat
24th September - Play & Chat
1st October - Play & Chat
8th October - Play & Chat
15th October - Play & Chat
22nd October – Halloween Craft and fun

If you are interested in coming along, please phone Terri on: 07929575620. Alternatively, if you would like to receive regular emails from the committee, drop us a line at Cambourne123s@hotmail.co.uk



Baby and Me

Every Friday including half term from 10-11.30
In the main hall at the Hub community

Cost: £1.50 per family inc. Refreshments Older siblings welcome

Baby and me starts back from it's summer break on Friday 3rd September. The group, run on Friday mornings 10:00 – 11:20am in The Hub, is a place for new mums to meet other mums, catch up with friends and for the little ones to play all over a cuppa and a few biscuits. The first session back is a 'play and chat' session to catch up with everyone after the summer hols. Then on 10th September we have a Tiny Talk taster session, which is baby sign language, so if you want to find out more please come along. There are lots of things planned over the next few months. Everyone is welcome and we always have out some toys for older siblings too.

If anyone is interested in helping us to run Baby and Me please come and speak to us on a Friday morning. It'd be great to have a few more pairs of hands to help out.

We're looking forward to seeing everyone on $3^{\rm rd}$ September.



3rd September- Play and Chat

10th September - Tiny Talk

17th September - Tatty Bumpkin / Baby Bumpkin

 $24^{\rm th}$ September - Play and Chat

1st October - Play and Chat

8th October - Nearly New Sale

Tables still available. Please e-mail

babynearlynew@yahoo.co.uk or phone 01954 718 372

 $15^{\rm th}\mbox{ October}$ - Play and Chat

22nd October - Music with Mum

29th October - Jo Jingles

For further information, schedule updates or if you have any queries (Especially if you are attending for the first time)

Please contact: Caille Sugarman-Banaszak on 718372 (cailleperi@yahoo.co.uk)

Or log onto our website www.babyandme.org.uk

Cambourne School Pages

Cambourne Pre-School

A New School Year - The start of September brings a flurry of activity at Pre-school as new children are welcomed to join those continuing with us from last year. During the settling in period we stagger the Pre-School starting dates and have higher staffing levels to ensure that everything runs smoothly and the new children have the attention they need.

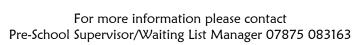
Funding - This term we are very lucky to have been successful in our application for an OQI (Outcomes, Quality and Inclusion) capital grant for new equipment for the Pre-School. We hope the children will enjoy playing with the new toys as much as we have enjoyed choosing them!

Spaces – We do have a few spaces in most of the sessions so if you have a child aged 2 years 6 months to school age and would like them to attend Pre-School please contact us. Government Nursery Education Funding covers a total of 15 hours (5 sessions) per week for children over 3 but additional sessions may be purchased for £10.50 per session. We achieved three 'outstanding' grades on our latest Ofsted Report, find it on the Ofsted website.

Pre-School Committee – Although the Pre-School is of course staffed by childcare professionals, it is run by a volunteer Committee of parents and residents for the families in this community. We are always on the lookout for new volunteers so if you feel that you could offer some time and enthusiasm to the Committee, please contact the Pre-School. We will require an enhanced CRB check to be carried out.



Pre-School session times are: 9.00am-12.00pm, Mon-Fri 12.00pm-3.00pm, Mon-Thurs Lunch Club Mon – Thurs, Full days for over 3's only.





Email: cam.preschool@btinternet.com

Wysing Arts

Rhythm of Life - Cambournes's only all-female singing group will be performing as part of Wysing Arts Centre's Music Festival on Saturday 11th September.

Be Glad for the Song has no End is a day of live musical performances, film screenings and events spread over Wysing's 11 acre site. Rhythm of Life are working with artist in residence Julie Myers, contributing to a series of songs that celebrate landscape and voice.

Be Glad for the Song Has No End - MUSIC FESTIVAL 11th SEPTEMBER, 12pm to 12am a Festival of Artists' Music

BUY TICKETS here www.wysingartscentre.org/news/201

FULL PROGRAMME www.wysingartscentre.org/news/217



Cambourne Church

A partnership of the Church of England, Baptist, Methodist & United Reformed Church

Service times: Sunday 9.30 & 11.00am

1st Sunday in Month 10.00am. (2nd Sunday Holy Communion)



Special Services in September

September 5th at 10.00 service – It's Your Move: A celebration of children moving up to new groups in young church and the Xtreme Youth Group Back to Church Sunday

September 26th at 1100
'Come as you are'
Youth Stuff... Contact Jon Sanders for more information on 07798 858302 or jono_sanders@hotmail.com

19 ~ the coffee shop

Normal hours as from September 6th



Mondays - Fridays 8.45 - 12pm

Isaiah 58 -Need anything doing?

The Isaiah 58 project continues to help people out in Cambourne. It is all about young people being given the chance to help others who would like it! They have painted a wall, washed a car, mowed lawns, trimmed hedges, planted lots of plants, cleaned a cupboard and sorted out a wardrobe and shed. For more info contact Jon Sanders 07798 858302 or jono sanders@hotmail.com

Get married in Cambourne Church!

We are delighted to inform the community that the church has now been officially licensed as a place for weddings.Contact the minister Rev. Peter Wood Tel. 715558

Holiday Club 2010

We are delighted to say that it was a great success yet again. It is run in the first week of the summer holidays.

Much fun was had at the Cambourne-by-the-sea holiday club



Water Aid was one of the Special visitors who came and spoke to the children about their international development work.

The Holiday Club has since sent £100 to the Water Aid to help with the work that they are doing.



Cambourne Roman Catholic Church

Cambourne Church Centre Saturday's - 5pm

Website: www.cambournerc.co.nr Email: cambournerc@aol.com

Our First Communion Thanksgiving Mass and Social: has been moved to the 25th of Sept. Please put this date in your diary so that we can all celebrate with the children and their families.

Check out our website for more notices, updates, mass times and photos

Vincent Menezes

PEACEHAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH



Peacehaven Baptist Church

Meeting Sundays 10:00 Bible study and Sunday school 11:00 Morning worship at the Hub

Wednesday
evenings
7 pm
at the
Pastor's house
For more info
email
Peacehavenbc@

or call 01954 710510

aol.com

Pastoral Thoughts

Where am I going?

Earlier on this year I asked myself that question, I was trying to get some friends who were visiting to their hotel in London. Have any of you ever driven in London, in the city? It is fast and crowded and confusing and if you're not careful you will end up far away from where you are meant to be. This was at 11 o clock at night. At that time I did not have a satellite navigation system, but because of that experience I made sure I got one so I wouldn't face the danger of being aimless and lost in that crazy place again. You know life is like that, isn't it? It is fast and crowded and confusing where it feels you can't even stop without someone else running you over. If there is a specific destination you want to reach then you need to get on the right way because the other roads lead to other places, which is why everyone needs to find the right way. How do we do that?

Examine the ways in life before us. Firstly, we have the way of the world. We have so many options and choices about how to use our time and different directions to take. All the time are bombarded by messages. Now a few people take the way of power. Trying to be master of their own destiny, is seeking complete control over every situation and even the people around them. Some politicians or corporate heads could be said to be in this way. Some try the way of possessions they must have the newest latest thing, or that the acquisition of wealth and material goods will bring them security in life. So often either they get bored and I want the next thing or whatever it is breaks or loses its value or simply outdated them he must have more. However, for many people they seek the way of pleasure. Entertainment is a huge industry. Movies and music games and sports all have huge investments. The holiday industry will even try to appeal to your pride by telling you don't you deserve the best? And your flesh will reply of course I do I'm wonderful and off you go to lay in the sun and you will work all year just to pay for the same thing next year.

However, the ways of the world are not the only way for some of us we choose

the way of Christ. It is not about hustle and bustle and is completely opposite to the me me society in which we live.

certainly is not about you forging out the path of your own destiny, but rather seeking the guidance of someone who already knows the way in which you should go. It is the way of peace as you do not seek fulfillment from material things they cannot breakdown your hope nor remove your joy when they are removed or outdated. If you're satisfied with such things as you have then it is irrelevant if those things are many or few. In actuality you would be less susceptible to certain marketing ploys because when they say you deserve more and you deserve better you can reply no I actually deserve a lot worse by because Christ has paid my price, not only do I have a life to serve him, but an eternal life and a home in heaven. We get the opportunity for the way of purity. In Christ there is the power to resist these temptations of the world. Now we don't always succeed as we still stumble, but those things no longer have to control us. Just to get rid of the junk in your life, to purge and regain a little of the purity we were meant to have is a wonderful thing. The way of Christ is also the way of perseverance. Jesus said in

John 3:14 And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of man be lifted up:

15 That whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life.

16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

17 For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

Are you looking for directions to heaven? Seeking a path through life without all of that confusion that the world throws at you every single day? Perhaps it's time to change lanes and get on the right paths. Now it isn't always easy, but at least you know your destination is secure and your directions come from the one who has prepared the way.

John 14:6 Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.

If you have any questions or maybe just want to chat, just let us know.

Donavan Bangs

Cambourne to London by coach. Saturday September 18th

Cambourne Arts is organising a coach to London, dropping off either near to Trafalgar Square at a provisional cost of £20 per adult and £10 per child, depending on numbers and the size of the coach.

There are free art galleries on Trafalgar Square, and tube stations to get you to other galleries and museums (and shops).

The coach will leave from the Hub at 8.30 and provisionally from London at 5, but it may be possible to leave later if the majority wish it, maybe to visit a theatre production in the afternoon.

Cambourne Arts is not organising what you do in London, just the means to get you there, but this could change if there is enough interest.

To book a place, phone Fran on 10954 710858

A Creative Space for Cambourne?

Many thanks to all of you who completed the survey, either on-line or on paper. The responses are being collated and the results will be shown soon on the website, and in the next Crier. Then we hope to take them to the developers to strengthen the case for another building in Cambourne. With the extra 950 homes to be built, we will need more space for activities to take place.

If you haven't been able to complete the survey, there is still time for you to voice your opinions, by visiting the website: www.cambournearts.org

LIFE DRAWING CLASS

There will be an all-day life-drawing class on Satrurday October 9th. It will be in the Hub, from 11.30 to 15.30 and the cost will be minimal as non-profit making.

Open to all abilities.

Tuition available.

Bring your own materials

Please contact Steve for more information at:

Stevehughes23@yahoo.co.uk

Well, after the big build-up over the last several months, the first ever Cambourne Music Festival finally happened!



The team was amazing, and really was exactly that, an amazing team working together to make the thing become a reality both beforehand and during the four days of events. Because of the fantastic bunch of people that got together to produce this year's Festival (and incidentally had a great time while they were doing it), we will definitely give it another go next year and make it a fixture in the Cambourne calendar.

It was wonderful to see so many Cambourne people (and folk from further afield too) having a good time and enjoying the various musical offerings, which was, after all, the whole point of the Festival! Thank you all for coming and making our work over the past months worthwhile!

The turn-out for some events, however, was very disappointing, which has made us wonder why – was it the event (adult ceilidh maybe should perhaps have been called a barn dance); the weekend (though we didn't have poor attendance for other events); the price (we tried to keep the ticket prices as low as we could); the fact that it was the first and people were unsure of the quality of the performers?

Other of the Festival events were more popular, and well attended (family ceilidh, salsa night, classical concert) and people asked if we could include those again next year. For the salsa night, keen followers of the dance had come from Cambridge, Bedford and even London, and went away more than satisfied with their evening.

We made a point of getting the best performers we could for most events, while also giving local bands an opportunity to showcase their talents. We tried to cater for a wide range of musical tastes in the hope that there would be something for everybody to enjoy over the four days.

A huge vote of thanks again to all those who supported the Festival either behind the scenes or by coming along to the events. So, now it's over to you to let us know what you would like in the Festival for next year. All ideas welcomed and we will see where the most popular trends are.

fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk; snibgo@earthling.net; or 01954 710858

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Supported By Cambourne Parish Council



Are you ready for Cambourne's Youth Fest 2011?

If you enjoyed this year's FREE event with the Extreme Globe Riders, karate, pyramid music stage, go karts, climbing wall, pony rides and stalls.

..then you'll LOVE the World's leading Wall of Death rider Ken Fox and his troupe who perform stunts on 1920 Indian Scout bikes!!! Cambourne Youth Partnership will host this unique show ALL DAY on Saturday 9th July 2011 at our fourth Youth Fest.

The Wall of Death team is Ken Fox and his family, Julie, Luke and Alex along with Kerri Cameron and Neil Calladine. They have appeared at Glastonbury, raised large sums for Children in Need, featured on Blue Peter, the Discovery Channel and even have Charlie Boorman visit them!

As ever, the event will be packed with free family activities for ALL ages including local bands, power kiting and sports.

Cambourne Youth Partnership is a Charity and its volunteers would like to hear from companies and individuals willing to help local young people. For information, please contact David on officecyp@googlemail.com or

07703 342788



Winter Wonderland 2010

Saturday November 6th from 1pm-4pm The Hub, Cambourne.

> Family Christmas Craft Day Free Entry

Crafts • Games • Prizes • Gifts • Stalls • Christmas Treats • Prizes • Raffle

Let's celebrate the season together!!!

Wanted: Lovely Christmas Elves to help with crafts and games.

Contact Hayley on 01954 719503

Parental supervision required

CAMBOURNE KITCHEN

If you would like to see a particular recipe, or have specific questions you want to put to our resident chef, please write in to editorial@cambourne.info

COURGETTE SPAGNETT? WITH SALMON IN A CREAMY SAUCE This recipe is enough for 4

We're coming to the end of the summer season and we are experiencing a glut in all the produce we've been growing through those hot

months, particularly vegetables from the squash family such as marrows, butternut squash and courgettes. In this recipe I'm using courgettes and if you can get a mixture of yellow and green then all the better.

4 large courgettes • ½ pint milk •1 bunch chives • 1 bunch dill • 1 lemon (halved) • 2 bay leaves • 300-400g side of salmon • 400g cream cheese • 1 tbsp olive oil • 120g smoked salmon (optional) • Extra chives chopped for garnish

Firstly start by pouring the milk into a deep saucepan and add the chives, lemon, dill and bay leaves. Bring to a gentle simmer over a medium heat (keep your eye open as milk has a tendency to boil over if you're not

careful). Once heated take off the heat and place the salmon, flesh side down, into the pan and leave to poach.

In the meantime, peel the courgettes and as you peel keep turning the courgette to keep it even and this will create long strands for the spaghetti. Toss in the olive oil to coat them.

Once the fish is cooked through, remove from the milk, place in a bowl and strain the milk into a jug using a sieve to take out the flavourings and discard them. Put the milk back into the pan and once again heat gently.

Using a separate frying pan, place onto a medium to high heat and once it begins to get hot throw the courgette strands into the pan and fry until slightly tender (al dente). Place the lid on top and switch off the heat.



Back to the milk, gently stir in the cream cheese with a whisk until smooth and about the consistency of double cream (slowly heat but do not allow it to boil or it will split and although the taste remains it won't look as good). Pour over the courgettes and flake the salmon in. Check for seasoning (but if adding the smoked salmon it's unlikely you'll need extra salt). Dish up and sprinkle over the chives.

This is a fantastic supper dish and is equally as nice if you leave it to go cold and have it as a salad. It's light and quick to do. If you're not so keen on salmon then try white fish, chicken or pork too, just make sure that if using meat you poach it over heat. You could always zing it up with a sprinkle of freshly diced chilli and an extra squeeze of lemon if you prefer a bit of a bite!

IT'S OFFICIAL!!!

CAMBOURNE ROUNDERS CLUB

IS NOW UP AND RUNNING...

AND RECRUITING!

WE ARE LOOKING TO ADD TO OUR EXISTING TEAM TO PLAY FOR FUN OVER THE NEXT COUPLE OF MONTHS...MEN and WOMEN... EVERYBODY WELCOME!



'Here Come the Girls' do Boden!

Friday 15th October 7pm-10pm The Belfry, Cambourne

Come along to see (and try) the fabulous Boden clothing NEW Autumn 2010 range and take advantage of some great SPECIAL OFFERS including 20% off and the chance to win £50 clothing!

Other stalls include jewellery, bags, beauty, services and more.

Visit www.cwib.org.uk

n aid of the Paediatric Intensive Care Unit at Addenbookes (PICU)

Monday Evenings 6.30pm to 7.30pm**

Great Cambourne Cricket Pitch (Behind the Church)

One-Off £2 Donation fee required to play for the rest of this season (Until 27/09/2010)

WE NEED MORE PLAYERS, SO IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT JO ON 07852 227917

OR EMAIL: JOANNECHRISTY@BTINTERNET.COM

FOR FURTHER INFO OR TO BE ADDED TO OUR MAILING LIST.

** Warm Up and activities start at 6.10pm onwards

Back to Netball www.englandnetball.co.uk/backtonetball

Thinking about getting back into Netball? Or want to try it for the first time?

Cambourne Netball Club is running a 6 week

Back to Netball Course

Date: Every Thursday

(from 16th Sept – 21st October)

Time: 7.30- 9pm

Location: Cambourne MUGA, Back Lane, Great Cambourne.

Cost: £15 for 6 weeks

Coach led sessions covering basic skill development and court play.

The emphasis of these sessions is on learning new skills and having fun playing Netball.

To book your place email: cambournenetball@googlemail.com Call Toni for more information: 07877786316

CAMBOURNE OUTDOOR BOWLS CLUB

Weekly afternoon session on Mondays at 2pm predominantly for beginners.

Weekly evening session on Wednesday at 6-30pm - predominantly for those with some experience but beginners are also welcome.

Sessions are open to all and are free, accompanied children over the age of 11 are also welcome but must be supervised at all times.



These free sessions will run until the end of September.

Bowls will be available but flat soled shoes should be worn (no ridges).





NEW!



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Cambourne Tennis Club 'Here to Serve'

Over the next three editions of the Cambourne Crier, we will be focusing on a season review for each of the teams forming part of Cambourne Tennis Club. This month, the focus is on the Ladies 1st Team.



(L-R Linda, Mali, Marianne, Kay, Lisa)

Ladies 1st Team

The Ladies 1 team (Kay, Lisa, Mali, Linda, Anna, Marianne and Ryuko) began the season in Division 6, and kicked off with a resounding 8-0 victory in the first match, following up

with draws against David Lloyd 3 and Comberton 1. Towards the middle of the season, a key victory against Cambridge 6 - which included a fight back from the brink from Mali and Ryuko to claim a 6-2 match win. Dominant form right to the end of the season left the team with a P7 W5 D2 L0 record; this was enough to top Division 6, and means an exciting promotion to Division 5 next year. Next month, the spotlight is on the Mixed Team.

Club News

- The new term for coaching sessions begins on September 10th 2010. Please email <u>cambournecoaching@gmail.com</u> for more info.
- This month, the ladder league has been bolstered by a number of new players, so there's even more opportunity to get a game with players at a similar level. email maosheta@hotmail.com for joining details.
- September sees the Annual Club Championship take place seedings based on the ladder league will be used to create a competitive and keenly contested tournament.
 - Want to join or play tennis in Cambourne? Find out more at www.cambournetennisclub.co.uk



Two village projects will benefit from this year's Bourn to Run, to be held in the beautiful scenery round the village on Sunday September 26.

Bourn Primary School is raising money for a laptop trolley and a wildlife area while Bourn Sports Club aims to improve facilities for teenagers in the village. So there has never been a better time to dust off those old trainers and get out and about in the fields round Bourn.

There are two runs to choose from – 10km or 3km – depending on fitness, ambition or boundless enthusiasm. The race will start from Bourn Hall at 10.30am, with medals and goodie bags for all runners.

The event is also receiving support from Cambridgeshire's Liz Fraser, author of The Yummy Mummy's Survival Guide and a GMTV parenting expert. Liz is a keen runner who recommends the sport for Mums and Dads alike – as it keeps you fit and offers blissful respite from the hustle and bustle of home life. Now you can help the local community too.

You can register online at www.fabian4.co.uk and further details can be found at www.bournschool.co.uk/bourntorun. For donations or sponsorship information head to http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/charities/bournschool

There could be no better excuse to get out in the fresh air this summer. Please come and raise money for the local community while enjoying a fun day out in the country.

The Pike Anglers of Cambourne

cambourne.piking@hotmail.co.uk

Although we are the Pike Anglers of Cambourne, we decided to begin this season targeting other species. The reason behind this is to, hopefully, give our readers more of an insight into other aspects of angling. So, last month Nigel and Paul decided to try something a little different. They wanted to try and catch a Zander (Stizostedion Lucioperca) and possibly some Eels (Anguilla Anguilla) as well. These are two species that they would rarely fish for, so it made a nice change for the both of them. Armed with some fresh coarse fish caught earlier that day, i.e Bleak and Roach, Paul and Nigel arrived at their chosen venue, "The Old West". To their surprise, a good number of runs were forthcoming during the

hours of darkness. Unfortunately, the targeted fish they had hoped for most, "The Zander" failed to make an appearance. This meant that the only culprits which kept our intrepid duo awake all night were, in fact, "Eels".

As for myself, I was unable to go along that evening. But, I have been out and about with my Carp baits. A large number of Carp have fallen my way recently, I have put this down to a new tactic I have discovered, not a new one by all means, but it is one I have just started to use. My new found bait definitely works far better than my normal baits, and the advantage of this bait is that it does not become whittled down by other nuisance fish, ie artificial baits".

Paul and I then made a return trip back to Nazeing Lakes in the hope of catching some more Carp. We both opted to fish the smaller of the two lakes once again, with the intention of getting more action before we finally let ourselves loose on the big pit, after the really big fish.



This time we did manage to catch some more fair-sized Carp on what was a very wet and dull day, torrential rain and thunder storms even greeted us late on in the afternoon. The downpour we encountered seemed to spur the fish into somewhat of a feeding frenzy. Indeed, a short time after the rain I had another three screaming runs in which I hooked all three, but then, I lost all three as well! I did however manage to land two Carp earlier, the biggest of the two weighed 9lb 6ozs.

Paul managed to catch a couple of Carp as well; the biggest fish of the day for him weighed 11lb 10ozs. I have to wonder, in all honesty, whether this fish surfaced for his bait, or more likely at the whiff of the sizzling sausages with onion that Paul whips up on the bank... I'm hungry just thinking of them. In the meantime, we note from the National Press that one of the largest Carps in the UK, known fondly as "Two Tone", has now departed for the great rainbow lake...Having reached the grand age of 45, this whopping Carp passed away at 68 lbs, of natural causes, thankfully. He eluded countless anglers at his lake in Kent, and was only caught once or twice a year. Newspaper reports described anglers pursuing him for some 15 years or more! Must be mad eh?

Returning to the subject of Pike and Piking, I should like to remind readers that this year the PAC Piking Convention will be held at the Kettering Conference Centre, Thurston Drive, Kettering, NN15 6PB. The date will be Saturday 25th September, ticket prices will be £10 for PAC members, £15 for non members. There will be four talks with slide shows, these will be held by Eric Edwards, Mark Ackerley, Gary Knowles and Julian Chidgey. Maybe I shall see you there?

Cambourne Football Club

Award - Cambourne F.C were one of four clubs awarded a cheque for £100 by the Mini League for the way the teams have been run over the previous season, as well as the way the Managers, players and supporters have conducted themselves. Well done to all of our coaches and thank you to our members as this award demonstrates that we are achieving our goals. Cambourne F.C is now teaming up with the F.A in a fantastic opportunity for the players in Cambourne F.C, as we are scheduling a training session which will be run by the FA and held in October. Please see our website for more details www.cambournefc.com

Saturday Soccer School - The Cambourne FC Soccer School is held every Saturday morning between 9.00 am and 10.00 am and is open to school age children below the age of 6 (next school year; Year 1 and Reception) kids Mini League football is held on a Saturday morning so this session is designed to get kids used to football on a Saturday if they wish to move onto league football. This session is proving to be very successful and the children who attend the school have developed really well, improving in both ability and attitude - its great fun to coach these children and watch them develop.

The Soccer School will re-start on Saturday 11th September. Please contact Steve on the details below if you wish to join this thriving Soccer School as we are now taking on next school years reception age children.

Cambourne F.C U7 - The new U7 team provides a pathway for players from the Soccer successful School into competitive football with the club. The team will enter the Huntingdon Under 7 Mini Soccer League with matches every other Saturday. This is an ideal league for players to begin their footballing journey with player's enjoyment and skills being at the forefront. Training is currently held on a Saturday at the Cambourne FC MUGA from 10am. welcomes all new players regardless of

level and aim for all players to reach their Cambourne F.C U12's - Players are still full potential. To be included in the under 7 side for the new season, we welcome players that will be six years old before or on 31st August 2010 including girls and boys. There is a great opportunity for girls to join the team and under league rules they can play in the same team up to under 11 when teams split entering boys and girl's only leagues.

Cambourne F.C U8 - The U8A team are fully prepared for the new season with the performances in the summer tournaments giving the coaching team, and the players a lot of confidence. The progress the team has made over the summer is absolutely fantastic, with the new players fitting into the team really quickly. Cambourne F.C would also like to congratulate the three players who impressed Cambridge United so much at one of the summer tournaments: Cambridge United got in contact with the club, to ask if the boys would like to join. Well done to all of you..

Cambourne F.C U9 - On Saturday August 14th, the U9A team played an away friendly against Papworth Blasters. The U9's played some fantastic football in this amazing 1 - 9 away win. Every player gave a performance that could dominate a match report, from Jack in goal who stayed alert the entire game, to Lucca who mopped up everything in defence, Matthew who gave a extremely determined performance, Sam, Jack and William who linked up so well the entire game and Tom who kept the Papworth defence on their toes. Even the goal we conceded deserved a lot of respect, as the boys stopped playing after a Papworth player got injured by the ball striking him in the face. Well done to the goal scorers William (4), Jack (1), Sam (2) and Tom (1) (1 O.G!). Many thanks go to Papworth who played the fixture in extremely wet weather!.

Cambourne F.C U10's - Cambourne F.C are still building an under 10's team and are only a couple of players short. With the team we currently have, we will arrange friendlies throughout the season so the team is ready to go as soon as we have enough interest. This proved very 782299 or stevepdoidge@aol.com successful for the U12's who start their Club E-mail:- info@cambournefc.com first season with us so hopefully we will Web site:- www.cambournefc.com achieve the same results with the U10's.

continuing to join the U12s and with the new sponsor on board, it is all systems go. The team has done so well preseason, reaching either the semi finals or final in the tournaments they have competed in. A lot of the players have played in the same team before and Cambourne F.C is so pleased to see all of the players, playing together again.

Cambourne F.C U16 - The U16s would like to welcome the addition of Charlie Wood to the team. Charlie is a natural left footed midfielder and has played for some good teams in the region. Welcome Charlie.

Seven of the U16's players travelled to East London for the Tower Hamlets Community Cup 5-a-sdie tournament. The U16's started slowly as they got used to the pace and intensity of the football played, certainly not the slower version we are used to Cambridgeshire. We had four tough group matches but needed to win our final game to qualify for the knockout stages, which was achieved with an impressive 7-0 win. Unfortunately, the U16's were drawn against an All- Star team in the guarter finals and lost in extra time to a deflected goal.

The lads performed very well and played some excellent football as they adjusted to the style played. Well done to Matt Hunter, Connor Edmonds, Olly Potter, Joel Doidge, Chris Racher, Joe Dickens and Charlie Wetton-Smith.

Training starts on 24th August 7.00 to 8.00pm at the MUGA and we have pre season matches arranged on the 29th and 31st August with more to follow.

Soccer School - Steve Doidge: - 07801

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Cambourne eagles FC





Celebrating a great year of football, and looking forward to season 2010/11







Eagles u10 squad

Trophy night was held at the beginning of July at the Cambridge belfry hotel. The night saw all the eagles children rewarded for all their hard work and commitment over the past season. The eagles committee organise extra fund raising events to ensure the children are given a really special night, a treat all the boys look forward to all year.

The weather was so kind to us and the children enjoyed much of the evening playing football with their friends (for a change!!). The 'big eagles' encouraged and supported the 'little eagles' in 'non competitive' games (which they all wanted to win!!!!).

The trophy presentation that followed was as special as ever and managers, players, families and friends all came together to make the eagles family what it is today.

"..I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK ALL MY COMMITTEE, MANAGERS, PARENTS, PLAYERS, SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS FOR ALL THEY HAVE GIVEN SO FREELY OVER THE PAST SEASON. WE COULD NOT DO IT WITHOUT EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU.."

".. We are all looking forward to the start of the new season- please come and join us, you will always be made welcome. We promise to teach top quality football in what we know is a safe, fun and friendly environment. Cambourne eagles has always been 'for the children' and we look forward to going into next season with the guts and determination that being an eagle is all about.."

U10s 2010 Undefeated League Champions!

Cambourne Cricket Club is currently celebrating a team of ten year old 'invincibles'!

The U10s capped off a stunning performance this season with a convincing away league victory at Cokenach, which secured the title with a significant points margin and took their season's tally to played 9, won 9.

Cambourne CC	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	36
Cambridge St. Giles CC	9	7	2	0	0	0	0	28
Longstanton Grasshoppers CC	9	6	2	0	0	1	0	28
Saffron Walden CC	9	7	2	0	0	0	0	28
Cokenach CC	8	3	5	0	0	0	0	12
Hardwick & Caldecote CC	9	2	5	2	0	0	0	10
Cambridge Granta CC	9	2	5	2	0	0	0	10
Cambridge N.C.I. CC	9	2	5	1	1	0	0	9
Thriplow and Whittlesford Junior CC		2	6	0	0	0	0	8
Linton Village CC	9	0	8	1	0	0	0	1

Although the team have faced some tight challenges during their campaign, no other team has quite offered the strength of depth boasted by the champions, particularly in the bowling department which offers an excellent balance of pace, swing and even leg-spin!

This strength of depth has ensured no over-reliance on any one player to perform with each member having contributed towards the team's success. That said, there have been some impressive performances throughout the season from Gregor Thomas, who has led the batting from up front, Vinil Joseph who has done likewise with the ball and some good all round performances from Callum McLean and skipper, James Teale.

The team's fielding has also been far superior to any opponent with some fine catches taken throughout the year from Waqas Haque,

Connor Rose, Steven Lewis and Tom Harris, ably supported behind the stumps by Stephen Cleary and Matthew Ashford.

Cambourne CC now boasts a thriving and growing junior section and is looking to build on this season's successes by adding to the number of junior league sides it maintains next year. The Cambridgeshire County Cricket Association will also be holding trials later this year and the club hope to build on the number of representatives it holds at this level by nominating a number of candidates at both U10 and U11 levels.

Under 10s team coach Chris Teale commented: "I'm so proud of how well this team has performed. To go an entire season undefeated is an impressive achievement at any age, but to do so when you are new to the game shows real natural talent. Every player made a contribution and they are a real credit to their families and the club. We hope they will continue to enjoy the game and develop their potential to the full."



Team: Back Row Left to Right: Stephen Cleary (WK), Steven Lewis, Waqas Haque, Callum McLean, Gregor Thomas. Front Row Left to Right: Vinil Joseph, Connor Rose, James Teale (Cpt), Matthew Ashford, Tom Harris.