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**INSIDE: Heidi Allen MP meets young Cambourne scientists and Jeavons Wood pond gets a new lease of life ...see pages 3 & 11**



## Mobile Post Office set to roll into Cambourne

CAMBOURNE PARISH COUNCIL has announced that to help restore Post Office services to Cambourne, it is proposed to add the village to the mobile Post Office van service provided by the postmaster for Hemingford Grey.

A mobile service is a specifically designed vehicle that brings Post Office services to communities without relying on fixed premises.

The plan is for the mobile van service to visit the Hub car park every Wednesday from 12.15 – 4.15pm from Wednesday 6 September 2017.

The previous Post Office at Lloyds Pharmacy closed in 2013 due to the resignation of the Postmaster and the withdrawal of the premises for Post Office use. Currently the nearest branches are at Papworth Everard and Elsworth.



Michael Brennan, Post Office Area Network Operations Manager, said: "The addition of Cambourne to the mobile Post Office van service presents the best possible solution to provide Post Office services to this rural village. We hope that customers will make good use of the service."

The Post Office is now inviting customers and interested parties to give their comments on the move in a public consultation which will close on 19



September 2017. Submissions can be made during the consultation by Freepost YOUR COMMENTS to Post Office Ltd, via email to [comments@postoffice.co.uk](mailto:comments@postoffice.co.uk), or via the Customer Helpline on 03457 22 33 44 or Textphone 03457 22 33 55.



A huge THANK YOU to everyone who contributed to the success of this year's Open Gardens, whether you opened your gardens or visited them.

Thanks to the Parish Council for printing the tickets, Pat Goatly for delivering tickets/information to households involved, and to the library for selling tickets. We raised £335.75, having attracted 80 visitors over the weekend. There were many compliments, both about individual gardens and the weekend overall.

We will be considering a date for next year's event in the New Year, but in the meantime if you would like to get involved in the organisational side then please get in touch on 01945 201808 or email [pam.hume@ntlworld.com](mailto:pam.hume@ntlworld.com)

Thank you for your support. *Pam Hume*

## CAMBOURNE CRIER

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## COMMUNITY

## Cam Harmony hosts first Eid Fair



**CAM HARMONY** is an initiative to celebrate diversity by bringing communities closer and hosted the first Eid Fair on Sunday, 2nd July, at the Cricket Pavilion in Upper Cambourne.

Eid is a festival of Muslims celebrated throughout the world after the completion of the month of Ramadan and at the Cambourne Eid Fair, Muslims invited the wider community to celebrate diversity together.

The variety of mouth-watering international food, the fabric and jewellery stalls along with the cheerful children showing their pretty face paints

and henna to each other while bouncing on the inflatables gave an exceptional ambience to the event. The children also came forward to have sessions to explain about Ramadan, Eid and importance of peace, friendship and harmony.

This inclusive event was well attended by more than 1500 people. It was wonderful to see the people enjoying together, irrespective of their cultural, religious and ethnic backgrounds. Thanks to every individual for their participation and support in various capacities to make this event successful.

## Cambourne Crescent celebrates Eid

**CAMBOURNE CRESCENT:** The Muslim community in Cambourne and the surrounding areas celebrated the Islamic festival of Eid-al-Fitr on Sunday 25th June at Cambourne Village College.

Eid al-Fitr translates from Arabic as the "festival of breaking the fast" and involves a range of celebrations as friends, family and the entire Muslim community come together.

After the congregational Eid prayer at the College, traditional sweets including dates, vermicelli and baklava were shared with the congregation, with the kids enjoying special treats.

Eid al-Fitr marks the end of Ramadan, which is a month of fasting that started on Friday 26th May and finished on Saturday June 24.

Every Muslim is required to pay Zakat al-Fitr of £5 per person at the conclusion



of the month of Ramadan as a token of thankfulness to God for having enabled him or her to observe the obligatory fast. Its purpose is to purify those who fast from any shortcomings and to help the poor and needy.

Cambourne Crescent would like to thank the College and its administrative staff for all the help and support.

## Cambourne youngsters present science projects

More than 60 Cambourne and Cambridgeshire children aged 4-14 presented their home-made science projects at Cambourne's 2nd Science Festival on Saturday 24th June.

Cambourne Science Festival was a unique event as the children got an opportunity to plan and make their own experiments to demonstrate.

People from in and around Cambourne looked at the projects, asked questions and interacted with the young scientists. Every participant received a participation certificate along with a prize to acknowledge their ingenuity and to encourage them to continue their passion for science.

Councillor Shrobona Bhattacharya, who organised this event, explained, "A child's advancement depends on parents, teachers, state policies and also the recognition of child abilities. All our hard work will make more leaders, for the world to be in better hands! Cambourne Science Festival, and demonstration by the little children, is a new concept in this country. I am sure more kids and parents will take part in



**Heidi Allen MP presented certificates to the participants**

coming years. My husband, Sujit, and I are STEM Ambassadors and promote science in the country."

Sujit also launched Cambourne Electronics club on the Science Festival day and children from age of 6-18 years are most welcome to join.

Local MP, Heidi Allen, attended the Science Festival with her husband and took special interest interacting with the participants. Heidi presented the certificates to the participants while councillors Ruth Betson and Dr Ghazala Mehboob Khan helped in giving the prizes.

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# Councillor vacancies

Following the resignations of Simon Crocker and Jeni Sawford no election has been called. The vacancies will therefore be filled by Co-option whereby the existing councillors choose new councillors from the candidates that have come forward.

To qualify as a Parish Councillor, you must be over 18 and a registered elector in the Parish of Cambourne OR have occupied as owner or tenant land in the Parish of Cambourne for the preceding 12 months OR had your principal place of work in the Parish of Cambourne for the preceding 12 months OR have lived in the Parish or within 4.8km of the Parish for the preceding 12 months.

The role of Parish Councillor is an interesting, varied and rewarding one. The position will initially be until May 2018 when all-out local council elections are due to take place.

The co-option will take place at the Council Meeting on 5th September 2017 and anyone wishing to be considered should contact the Parish Clerk for an application form. The deadline is noon on Tuesday 29th August 2017.

### New website

Cambourne Parish Council has revamped its website to have a new look with lots of new features. There are now 'report it' buttons for things such as graffiti and vandalism, overflowing litter & dog bins and faulty streetlights. There is also a wealth of information and news. The website will continue to be developed and updated.

[www.cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk)

### Parish Plan

You should have received a copy of the Parish Plan through the door. If you have not received a copy additional copies are available from the Parish Office. We have now produced a large print version that is available for those with visual impairment. If you require a copy please contact the Parish Clerk, John Vickery on 01954 714403 or email

[clerk@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk)

### Community Events

A new Facebook page called 'Cambourne Community Events' has recently been launched. The page is intended to be a 'one stop shop' for all community events in Cambourne. Please 'like' and share the page. If you are planning an event please contact the Community Development Officer at [community@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:community@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk) to have it added to the page. Cambourne Parish Council has also recently signed up with 'Timedrop', a free event calendar platform that has been created by a Cambourne resident. Two accounts have been set up, one for Parish Council meetings and events and one for all community events. Visit [www.timedrop.co](http://www.timedrop.co)

### Calendar of Meetings August /September 2017

22 August:	Planning
5 September:	Planning Committee, Council

Residents are welcome to address the meeting before it formally starts on any matter on the agenda.

If you have something else you'd like to raise, please contact the Parish Clerk at least 10 days beforehand so the item can be added.

## Ruth Betson: District Councillor



Travelling in and out of Cambridge can be difficult so I was interested to hear about the eight options for a new Park & Ride site when I attended a Greater Cambridge Partnership workshop a few weeks ago. A final decision on the location will be made in September.

Some of you might be living in a council home, so following the recent Grenfell tragedy, we can reassure you that all external wall insulation installed by the Council conforms to British Standards and is approved by the British Board of Agreement [BBA]. The systems have fire resistance and are compliant with Building Regulation B4. In May 2017 a company called Safesmart, specialists in fire risk assessment, was commissioned to carry out a full fire safety inspection of our blocks and sheltered housing communal rooms. There will be a full report and the Council will take any action that is recommended.

At the first Cambourne Eid Festival recently we celebrated our community and the rich diversity of human kind that we represent here. I really enjoyed meeting so many of you – and what fabulous weather we had! A few of the children showed me the beautiful posters they made and my partner and I sampled lots of the food, wandered around chatting to people and had a lovely time. The photo above was taken at the festival, on the left Parish Councillor Dr Ghazala Mehboob Khan and on the right Mrs Nousheen Asif.



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## COMMUNITY

### Cambourne Girlguides go bag-packing

**GIRLGUIDING:** On Sunday 25 June, several of the Cambourne units descended upon Morrisons in order to undertake bag packing for customers in exchange for a small donation towards their unit.

Approximately £400 was raised in total, which will be used to purchase flags for the units and to go towards opening of the new Senior Section and 1st Cambourne Guide Units. For assisting customers, girls will be awarded a Bag Packing Badge.

One customer commented: "Your girls are polite and helpful, parents and Girlguiding Leaders should be very proud, as they are doing a great job!"

We are pleased to announce that we have opened three new units; 5th Cambourne Rainbows, 1st Cambourne Guides and Senior Section to

accommodate the growing community within Cambourne.

<https://www.girlguiding.org.uk/information-for-parents/register-your-daughter/>

For any questions or assistance, please contact us: [Childerley.dc@gmail.com](mailto:Childerley.dc@gmail.com)



**GREENS COFFEE** in Cambourne has been shortlisted in the 'Best tearoom/coffee shop' category of this year's *Cambridge News* Food & Drink Awards. Dan from Greens said: "I'm overwhelmed as we are against all the coffee shops in Cambridge. We'd like to say a big thanks to our customers for getting us this far."

**A FUNDRAISER** held for local resident Mick Weldon in July raised more than £175 with a BBQ, bouncy castle, raffle, sweet and cake stall. Organiser Darren Bull said: "It was great to see locals joining together for a good cause. A good day was had by all who attended."

### University of The Third Age Centre for Cambourne?

Would we like a U3A centre in Cambourne? It would include surrounding villages such as Papworth, Bourn, Caldecote. U3A stands for the University of the Third Age, which is a self-help, learning co-operative of older people, which enables members to share many educational, creative and leisure activities in a friendly environment. It consists of local U3As all over the UK - charities run by volunteers.

Local U3As draw upon the knowledge, experience and skills of their own members to organise and provide interest groups in accordance with the wishes of the membership in such fields as art, languages, music, history, life sciences, philosophy, computing, crafts, photography and walking.

Activities are organised mainly in small groups that meet regularly, often in each other's homes and members learn from each other. A typical U3A has about 250 members but could be as small as 12 and as large as 2,000.

The U3A approach to learning is – learning for pleasure. There is no accreditation or validation and there are no assessments or qualifications to be gained.

To gauge interest in this before going further with it, please get in touch with Fran Panrucker. Email at [fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk](mailto:fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk) or phone 01954 710858. U3A appreciate that there are many people who are not of the 'third age' (i.e. older, retired or semi-retired) who might also be interested, so feel free to get in touch.

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### What have I got to be grateful for?



Gratitude may seem a slightly unusual topic in an article on health, but there is an increasing belief that it can have a significant effect on our emotional wellbeing.

The idea of 'counting our blessings' has clearly been around for many years but more recently this has formed the basis of many research studies.

These have shown that practicing gratitude (more than just having an 'attitude of gratitude') can improve wellbeing scores, sleep and stress.

One way to do this is by completing a gratitude journal every day. The research suggests if you note down three things you are grateful for, that within a few weeks you are likely to notice an improvement in your wellbeing.

These should vary everyday and can be small things such as enjoying a coffee or a conversation or the smell of a flower or hearing birds singing.

The techniques of mindfulness or 'taking notice' of your surroundings can be useful in helping identify small but wonderful things.

Another technique can be replacing the phrase "I need to.." with "get to...". Although it does not always work, it does often highlight how much we have.

You may not feel like being grateful but as David Steindl-Rast said "It is not joy that makes us grateful, but gratitude that makes us joyful".

*Catherine Price RN, Cambourne Parish Nursing Service nurse@cambournechurch.org.uk*

HEID ALLEN MP

### On going back to school



I'm getting closer to my target of having visited every school in my constituency, so if I haven't reached your children's school yet, please contact my office to check that a visit is on the cards. I love meeting our young learners and gain a great deal from speaking to the professionals involved in their care and education. The visits always strengthen my resolve to secure fair funding for our schools.

All schools are of course welcome to have a tour of The Houses of Parliament, so I hope these young people of South Cambs will come down and see Parliament for themselves. You can find more information on visits to the Houses of Parliament on: [www.parliament.uk/education/visit-parliament-with-your-school/](http://www.parliament.uk/education/visit-parliament-with-your-school/).

I was delighted to meet the pupils and Principal of Netherhall School in Queen Edith's recently. The school has worked exceptionally hard to gain its recent 'good' rating by a local authority evaluation.

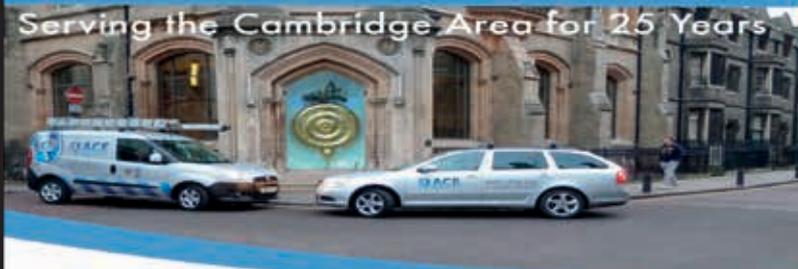
I have also recently had the pleasure of setting off the Caldecote Primary School Fun Run, on what turned out to be one of the hottest days of the year! The Fun Run raised over £1,400 which will be used to buy some much needed education sports resources for the school.

You can contact my Westminster Office on 020 7219 5091 about national issues or my constituency office on 01954 212707 to raise local concerns.

You can also email me at [heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk](mailto:heidi.allen.mp@parliament.uk) or visit [www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk](http://www.heidisouthcambs.co.uk)

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Sunday 13th August:

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Sunday 20th August: 10am Morning Worship

Sunday 27th August:

10.00am Morning Worship with Communion

7.00pm Encounter

Sunday 3rd September:

9.30am Morning Worship

11.00am Morning Worship

Sunday 10th September:

9.30am Morning Worship with Communion

11.00am Morning Worship with Communion

Normal service pattern will resume on 3 September.

**Encounter - 4th Sunday**

Listen - Share - Receive

7.00pm - 9.00pm at Cambourne Church

Tea, Coffee and Snacks

**Gazebo** will resume on the 13th September. Contact Jane Brooks (Children's worker) for more information.

**19 the coffee house** will be closed throughout August and will reopen on Monday 4th September.

Normal opening hours:

8.45am - 2.00pm Monday - Thursday

8.45am - 12.00pm Friday

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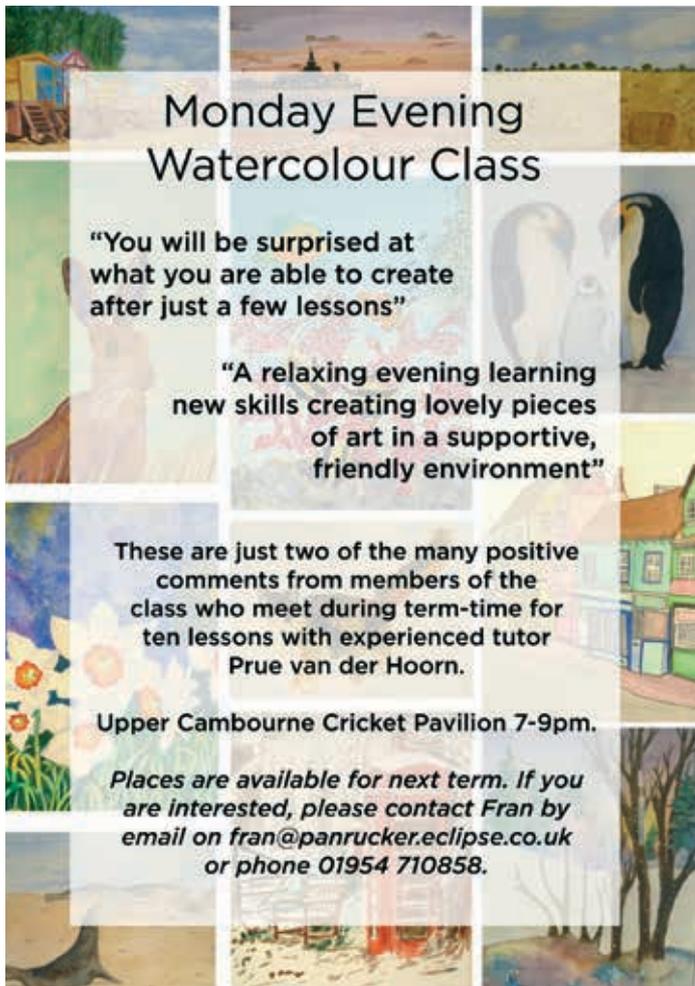
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**PEACEHAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH**

**Dear Friends,**

This past month has been good. One of our main events was our annual church picnic, which was made extra special as we also had a baptism. In fact, it was my own son Max. We set up a portable pool at the place and we baptised him.

Of course I took the opportunity to explain what baptism was from a Biblical perspective. How it is an outward sign of an internal change. It comes after an

individual has placed their faith in Christ. (Acts 8:34-38) It is a step of obedience and dedication, A ceremonial cleansing and a way of identifying with Christ publicly. (Rom 6:3-5). When we stand in the water upright it is as like Christ on the cross. When we are lowered into the water as he was in the tomb covered, but temporary. When we are raised up again, like the victory over the grave. The old life we led died on the cross. The power of sin and the grave



died with Jesus' Resurrection. Baptism does not save, nor is the water special, but it is a command and a privilege. Afterwards we let the children play in the pool.



On a different note my wife is hosting a Ladies' Bible study coming up at my house (call for directions) on the 15th of September at 11am.

**Pastor Donovan Bangs**



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**COMMUNITY**

# Pond life returns to Jeavons Wood

A pond within the grounds of Jeavons Wood Primary School has been given a new lease of life thanks to a £3,000 grant to cover the cost of its renovation from Central England Co-operative.

Headteacher Sue Wright said: "The pond area was developed so the crested newts (a protected species) had an area to breed in and so the children of the school could observe nature and learn about pond wild-life.

"Unfortunately the pond ran dry and the children, staff and parents of the school felt this was a real loss as a learning opportunity."



**Danny Douglas, Co-op Member Ambassador presents a cheque for £3,000 to Mrs Wright, assisted by Isaac and Elsie Halls**

Thanks to the generosity of Central England Co-operative, who responded to an application submitted by the Jeavons Wood PTA, the pond has now been lined so it will hold the water and the surroundings developed so there is a platform and an area for the newts.

**EVERYONE ACTIVE** in Cambourne held an evening of magic and illusion with award winning performer, Gemma Raymond, on 15th July to raise money and awareness for mental health charity, Mind. The event raised more than £1,500 and was attended by over 180 people.

**CAMBOURNE YOUTH PARTNERSHIP** needs volunteers and sofas - if you could give a few hours of your time each week to help staff clubs on Wednesdays or Thursdays, or know of anyone getting rid of soft furnishings which the CYP could use to replace existing ones, please get in touch on [officecyp@gmail.com](mailto:officecyp@gmail.com)

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10:00-16:00 Full Day	£16.20	£14.40
13:00-17:30 Half Day PM	£12.15	£10.80

\* 10% off if 4 consecutive extended days are booked. (only available on non-member prices)

\*\* Free Trail valid for 1 Half Day PM session from Monday 7th – Friday 11th August with this advert. Offer not available to previous Activity Camp participants. Advanced booking required. Subject to availability.

Cambourne Fitness & Sports Centre

01954 714070

Everyone Active manages this facility in partnership with Cambourne Parish Council.

[everyoneactive.com](http://everyoneactive.com)

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## SCHOOLS

# Summer term at Monkfield Park Primary School

### MONKFIELD PARK PRIMARY

**SCHOOL:** With the Summer holidays approaching, Monkfield Park took the opportunity to reflect on memories and achievements of the year and prepare for the exciting challenges that await us in September.

As we entered into our final half term at Monkfield Park as Year 6, we knew that exciting adventures lay ahead: rehearsals for our summer production began in full swing after half term. The mystery baffled us all in 'Mystery at Magpie Manor'. The children's acting and singing skills wowed the audiences.



With the temperatures rising, the school took the opportunities that the outdoors offered. The whole school enjoyed taking part in sports day, with Endeavour triumphing across the school. Year 5s donned their Victorian outfits to visit Audley End. Year 4 were treated to an action packed day of sport at the Wilberforce Road

Sports Ground. Lastly, Reception experienced their first ever school trip to Wicken Fen, transforming into mini beasts! As we prepare for the Summer break, we would like to wish all the readers of the Cambourne Crier a relaxing and fun filled summer holiday. We look forward to sharing with you more of our adventures in September.

# Jeavons Wood gets into Dickensian spirit



**JEAVONS WOOD PRIMARY SCHOOL:** This half term, Key Stage 2 have been hard at work preparing their wonderful musical: Oliver!

Year 5 formed the choir as well as performing an amazing series of dances, while the Year 6 pupils became our cast and stepped into some of theatre's most iconic roles. Alongside some fantastic piano music and the efficient support of the prop team, the stage was set for a performance. The play was very well received and lovely feedback was left from satisfied audience members.

Meanwhile, the rest of Jeavons Wood also got into the Dickensian spirit with our whole school Victorian Day, as seen in the Cambridge News. Pupils were put to work cleaning chimneys, marching army drills, shoveling coal and cleaning clothes. When they weren't busy suffering in the workplace, they were busy suffering in the Victorian Classroom! Under the clinical gaze of Mr. Gray, pupils had to show impeccable handwriting or face the consequences. The day finished with a parade and a delicious picnic in the presence of Queen Victoria herself.



# CAMBOURNE FAMILY FUN DAYS

Come and join us for a day of bouncing every Tuesday through the summer holidays!

10am-3pm

New Cricket Pavilion, Great Cambourne CB23 6FY

25<sup>th</sup> July ✨ 1<sup>st</sup> August ✨ 8<sup>th</sup> August ✨ 15<sup>th</sup> August  
22<sup>nd</sup> August ✨ 29<sup>th</sup> August

£5 per child (£2 for toddlers)

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## SCHOOLS

# GREEK DAY AT THE VINE PRIMARY SCHOOL

**VINE SCHOOL:** On Wednesday 12 July Year 5 experienced the lives of the Ancient Greeks. Dressed in traditional costume, the children spent the day in the agora of Athens.

There were different market stalls and shops to visit, such as a tile decorating workshop, a place to make medallions and the scribe's office to write messages to friends. They also suffered ailments which prompted a swift visit to

the herbalist's to buy a cure. If they weren't ill they could make a lucky charm to ward off illness and disease.

After the bustle of the marketplace the children could visit the taverna to rest, sip juice, catch up with the gossip and play an Ancient Greek board game called petteia. It was the responsibility of each Athenian to prevent invasion by their enemies, the Spartans, and so they had to take part in training by

practicing archery. They also had to keep their eyes and ears open for spies.

In the afternoon the children attended the teatra to eat a feast of hummus, pitta bread, olives, feta cheese and more juice was served. While they ate they were entertained by the performance of the poem 'The Twelve Tasks of Hercules', the play 'Odysseus and the Cyclops', and several musical interludes. What a fantastic day!



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Saturday 9th September 2017  
5.30pm-9.30pm

Cambourne Village College  
Sheepfold Lane, Cambourne, CB23 6FR

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PLEASE CONFIRM YOUR ATTENDANCE BY  
1st SEPTEMBER 2017

at: [iskcon cambourne@gmail.com](mailto:iskcon cambourne@gmail.com)

For further information, please contact:  
Alka Chauhan (ISKCON Cambourne) [iskcon cambourne@gmail.com](mailto:iskcon cambourne@gmail.com)  
Rinku Ambegaonkar (CCS) [info@ccsuk.org.uk](mailto:info@ccsuk.org.uk)

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## WHAT'S ON: EVENTS IN AND AROUND CAMBOURNE

Wednesday 16th August, from 7pm

### 400 degrees Pizza Masterclass

*The Hub*

An informal and hands on evening where you get to make your own dinner. £15 per person, all funds to Light Up Cambourne. Book at the Parish Office or email [hey@400degrees.co.uk](mailto:hey@400degrees.co.uk)

### Bourn Mill Open Days

Bourn Mill is a scheduled Ancient Monument, owned and restored by the charity. The money raised and admission fees goes towards the maintenance. Adults £3 and children £1. For more information visit [www.cambridgeppf.org](http://www.cambridgeppf.org)  
Saturday 26th - 28th August,  
10am - 5.30pm

Saturday 2nd September, 10am - 1pm

### Farmers Market

*Manor Farm, Bourn*

Everyone is welcome and it is free entry. Local producers will be selling their goods including cakes, bread, meat, beer, etc on the 1st Saturday every month.

Saturday 9th September, 5.30-9.30pm

### Festivals of India 2017

#### Janmashtami & Ganesh Chaturthi

*Cambourne Village College*

Free event. Everyone welcome. ISKCON Cambourne and CCS invite you to a fun-filled evening to celebrate India's biggest festivals; Krishna's and Ganesh's birthday. Enjoy live traditional Indian music, kids performances, a vegetarian feast and more. Confirm attendance by 1 September by emailing [iskcon cambourne@gmail.com](mailto:iskcon cambourne@gmail.com)

**For local group meeting dates and times, please see listings on pages 16-17.**

Saturday 9th September, 12- 6pm

### Cambourne Community Fete 2017

*Great Cambourne Green*

Live music, licensed bar, community displays, food stalls, kids activities. In aid of Light Up Cambourne. Volunteers needed. Deadline for booking attractions 11 August. Contact [fete@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:fete@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk) or 01954 714403

Sunday 10th September 2017,  
from 9.30am

### Bridge the Gap

*Cambridge*

Charity walk around the Cambridge Colleges. In support of Arthur Rank Hospice Charity and Romsey Mill. To register visit [arhc.org.uk/bridgethegap](http://arhc.org.uk/bridgethegap)

Saturday 30th September

### The Big Draw

For this year's big day of painting and drawing. For the event we could do with more helpers. For more information, email [fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk](mailto:fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk) or call 01954 710858.

Saturday 30th September, 7pm

### Murder Mystery Night!

*Cambourne Village College*

Buffet & performance included. £10 per ticket. 18+ only, cash bar, raffle, prize for winners. Proceeds to benefit your local Air Cadet Squadrons: 2484DF Cambourne and 2484 Bassingbourn. Contact Jen Collins for tickets: 07944 154003

Friday 6th October, 10am start

### Charity Golf Day

*Cambridge Meridian Golf Club, Toft*

Teams of 4, £240. Includes breakfast and post-round meal. In support of Romsey Mill. Details: [georgina.forbes@romseymill.org](mailto:georgina.forbes@romseymill.org) / 01223 213 162

### Events in the library in August:

**Summer Reading Challenge:** This year it's based on Animal Agents. Come along to the library to sign up and then tell us about one book per week. Our special sessions are Mon 2-4pm, Tues and Fri 10am - 12pm.

### Lego Event

The library will be having a special Lego event on Wed 9 August from 10.30am – 12pm. Limited tickets available from the Library 50p per child - accompanying adults free. You are welcome to bring your own baseboard to the event. Please write your name clearly on the back. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Contact library for details.

### Engage in the afternoon

Wed 3 August 2– 3.30pm. "Life and Times of Madam Geneva – 18th Century Gin Craze". A talk by Annie James. No need to book. Family History drop in, Mon 21 August. All areas covered. 1.30– 3.30pm in the library. One to one assistance from the Cambridgeshire family history society.

### CYP Family Fun Days

There will be 2 CYP Family Fun Days this Summer for families with primary age children. *Thursday 3 August 2017:* Bug hunting with the Wildlife Trust, bring a picnic lunch to enjoy at the park, crafts, games, Tuck shop and Smoothie Café. *Thursday 31 August 2017:* Multisport session at Everyone Active, bring a picnic lunch to enjoy at the park, crafts, games, Tuck shop and Ice-Cream Factory.

Both days will be based at the Soul building on Back Lane. £4 per child. Please book by texting Jane on 07850 961000.

# CAMBOURNE MUSIC SCHOOL

**Mondays, 4-6pm: Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone or Trumpet**



Small group lessons  
Rhythm games  
Band rehearsals & concerts

£10 per 2-hour session

**Tuesdays, 4-6pm: Singing & Ukulele**

Musicals, Disney & Classics  
Song-writing  
Choir singing

£6 per 2-hour session



**Wednesdays, 4-5pm / 5-6pm: Guitar or Keyboard**



Beginners classes  
& Improvers classes  
Rhythm games

£8 per 1-hour session

£2 discount  
for additional  
classes!!

*eg. Mon & Tues  
= £14 per week*

Sessions start in  
**September 2017**

Cambourne Village College  
Sheepfold Lane, CB23 6FR

For full details and registration form:

Email: [musicschool@cambournevc.org](mailto:musicschool@cambournevc.org)

Web: [www.cambournevc.org/Music-School](http://www.cambournevc.org/Music-School)

## GROUPS, SERVICES & CONTACTS

### COMMUNITY GROUPS

#### Cambourne Arts:

Fran Panrucker: 01954 710858  
 fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk  
 www.cambourneararts.btck.co.uk

#### Cambourne Children's Centre:

01954 284672  
 cambournechildrenscentre@  
 cambridgeshire.gov.uk

#### Cambourne Love Justice Group:

Len Thornton: 01954 710370

#### Cambourne Crescent:

www.cambournecrescent.org

#### Network Business Breakfast:

Jo Christy hello@stirupmedia.com  
 07852 227917

#### Words for Pleasure writers' group

Meets on the first Thursday of the month  
 in Cambourne Library at 1.30pm  
 Pat Callaghan 01954 718836

#### Watercolour classes

Monday evening group meeting in the  
 Upper Cambourne cricket pavilion in  
 Upper Cambourne from 7- 9pm. Suitable  
 for beginners. Wednesday morning  
 group for intermediate painters. Please  
 get in touch if interested: 01954 710858  
 or fran@panrucker.eclipse.co.uk

#### Photography group

Beginner to advanced. Meetings on the  
 third Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm in  
 the Belfry hotel. Nicola Marriott on 07811  
 154901 <http://www.flickr.com/groups/cambournephotographygroup/>

#### Reading Groups:

carolinealdridge@cambridgeshire.gov.uk

**Timebank:** 0300 111 3555 or Laura  
 Papanikolaou 01223 713555

**Crafty Ladies:** Enid - (01954) 715292 or  
 Edna - (01954) 717360

#### WW2 aircraft club:

Meeting in Cambourne on the first  
 Monday of the month.

Contact Ian Cameron on 01954 269 173  
 or iancameron692@gmail.com

#### Cambourne Birding Club

It is intended to start a Birding Club and  
 interested parties are welcome to leave a  
 message for Ian Cameron on 01954 269  
 173 or email iancameron692@gmail.com

**Friday walks:** Next walk: 11 August.

Contact pam.hume@mail.com or Penny  
 Flanagan on 01954 200126.

**Sunday walks:** Next walk: 26 August.

Meet at 10am in Monks Wood car park,  
 School Lane.

**Gardening club** Meets at The Belfry on  
 the 2nd Thursday of the month, 7.30pm.  
 No meeting in August, next: 14 Sept.

**The Link** Meets Sundays 4 to 6pm (term  
 time) at the *Vine Family Centre*. Food,  
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 people across the generations.  
[bit.ly/TheLinkOnFacebook](http://bit.ly/TheLinkOnFacebook)

### CHURCHES

#### Cambourne Church

Church office: 01954 710644  
 Open Mon-Thurs 9am-3pm, Fri 9am-  
 12pm. Offices are located in the  
 Blue Space on Eastgate  
[www.cambournechurch.org.uk](http://www.cambournechurch.org.uk)

**Minister:** Rev Matthew Trick  
[matthew.trick@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:matthew.trick@cambournechurch.org.uk)

#### Administrators and Church Bookings

Stacy Buwert and Jacqui Huckle  
[administrator@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:administrator@cambournechurch.org.uk)

**Youth Worker:** Jonathan Buwert  
 Tel. 07503 171869 [jonathan.buwert@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:jonathan.buwert@cambournechurch.org.uk)

**Children and Family Champion:** Jane  
 Brooks 07850 961000  
[jane.brooks@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:jane.brooks@cambournechurch.org.uk)

**Parish Nurse:** Catherine Price  
[nurse@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:nurse@cambournechurch.org.uk)

**Foodbank:** Julie Whitbread  
[julie.whitbread@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:julie.whitbread@cambournechurch.org.uk)

**19 the coffee house:** Cait Dawkins and  
 Jacqui Huckle [19thecoffeehouse@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:19thecoffeehouse@cambournechurch.org.uk)

#### Peacehaven Baptist Church

Rev. Donovan M. Bangs:  
[Preachbrit@aol.com](mailto:Preachbrit@aol.com) 01954 710510  
[www.peacehavenbc.org.uk](http://www.peacehavenbc.org.uk)

#### Christchurch Cambourne

Sunday services - 10.30am  
 Meeting at Cambourne Village College  
[www.christchurchcambourne.org.uk](http://www.christchurchcambourne.org.uk)

### HEALTH CARE

#### Community First Responder:

Mark Taylor, 07858 394719  
[mark.taylor@inheritancewills.co.uk](mailto:mark.taylor@inheritancewills.co.uk)

#### Cambourne Dental Practice:

(01954) 718585  
[www.cambournedental.com](http://www.cambournedental.com)

**Lloyds Pharmacy** 01954 718296

#### Monkfield Medical Practice

01954 282153  
[www.monkfieldpractice.co.uk](http://www.monkfieldpractice.co.uk)

#### NCT: (National Childbirth Trust)

Candice Lattimore - 07595 909793  
[candicelattimore@gmail.com](mailto:candicelattimore@gmail.com)

#### Cambourne Health and Wellbeing

**Club** A group for older adults  
 FREE. Alternate Fridays in term time  
 (next meetings: 8 & 22 Sept) 10.30am  
 -12pm at the old Blue School site.  
 Speaker, refreshments, chair-based  
 exercises and time for conversation. No  
 booking required. Catherine Price: 01954  
 710644 / [nurse@cambournechurch.org.uk](mailto:nurse@cambournechurch.org.uk)

### LOCAL AUTHORITIES

#### Parish Council Office:

Parish Clerk 01954 714403  
[clerk@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk)  
[www.cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk](http://www.cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk)

**Venue Bookings:** 01954 714403

[bookings@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk](mailto:bookings@cambourneparishcouncil.gov.uk)

#### Pitch Booking:

Everyone Active at the Sports Centre  
**District Councillors for Cambourne:**

Ruth Betson –  
[cldr.Betson@scambs.gov.uk](mailto:cldr.Betson@scambs.gov.uk)

Des O'Brien –  
[cldr.obrien@scambs.gov.uk](mailto:cldr.obrien@scambs.gov.uk)

Simon Crocker –  
[cldr.crocker@scambs.gov.uk](mailto:cldr.crocker@scambs.gov.uk)

### SCHOOLS & COLLEGES

#### Cambourne Village College:

[www.cambournevc.org](http://www.cambournevc.org)

#### Comberton Village College:

School Office - 01223 262503

**The Blue School** (Hardwick Community  
 Primary): Co-heads: Andy Matthews &  
 Ruth French. School Office - 01954  
 719085

[blue@hardwick.cambs.sch.uk](mailto:blue@hardwick.cambs.sch.uk)

## GROUPS, SERVICES & CONTACTS

### Jeavons Wood Primary School:

Headteacher - Sue Wright  
School Office - 01954 717180  
office@jeavonswood.cambs.sch.uk

### Monkfield Park Primary School:

Headteacher - Sarah Porter  
School Office - 01954 273377  
office@monkfieldpark.cambs.sch.uk

### Vine Inter-Church Primary School:

Headteacher - Debbie Higham  
School Office - 01954 719630  
office@thevine.cambs.sch.uk

## PLAYGROUPS & PRE-SCHOOLS

### Baby And Me:

Natalie 07999 406679  
cambourne.babyandme@gmail.com

### Cambourne Pre-school:

Donna O'Shea: 01954 715150  
cam.preschool@btinternet.com

### Carers And Tots:

Pippa 07803 504220  
cambourne.carersandtots@gmail.com

### Monkfield Park Care & Learning

Centre: Office: 01954 273301  
cloffice@monkfieldpark.cambs.sch.uk

### Sunflower Nursery: 01954 719440

## SERVICES

### Cambourne Library

Mon: 9am – 5pm    Tues: 9am – 1pm  
Wed: Closed        Thurs: 4 – 7pm  
Fri: 9am – 5pm     Sat: 9am – 1pm  
Reception area open 9am – 5.30pm every week day. As well as books, DVDs, Magazines and books on CD to borrow, we also offer an e-book service and local information. Library users can download free magazines and newspapers. Free Wi Fi. We also sell stamps, books and children's wall charts. 0345 045 5225 www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/leisure/libraries

### Community Car Scheme:

If you live in Cambourne, Papworth, Caxton or Elsworth, need transport for a medical or social appointment and are unable to use public transport to reach your destination then you can call us on: 07526 998 465 or e-mail: cambournecarscheme@gmail.com. All drivers are friendly, helpful volunteers

who will take you to your appointment, wait and return you home. Typical fares from Cambourne are: Addenbrookes £9, Hinchingbrooke £8.40, St Ives £7.20, local in Cambourne £3. Please give us a minimum of 48 hours notice.

### St Neots Bus Service:

The Whippet bus now runs Mondays to Fridays, leaving at 9.55am (from outside Morrisons) and returning at 1.20pm. (It is the No. 6). Takes 30 minutes. Also a service to Huntingdon. www.go-whippet.co.uk/routes-timetables/local-routes/

### Cambourne Community Fire Station:

(01954) 714030 www.cambsfire.gov.uk

### Police non-emergency:

PCSO Alex Giltinane; Tel: 101

### Streetlight Faults:

www.cambourne.info/lightform.htm  
Cambournelights@mail.com Tel: 714403

### Vets: Cromwell Veterinary Group:

01954 715161

### Waste & Recycling (South Cambs):

03450 450 063

### Wildlife Trust: Jenny Mackay

01954 713516 www.wildlifebcn.org

## SPORTS & LEISURE

### Cambourne Fitness & Sports Centre:

01954 714070

### Cambourne Fishing Club:

www.cambournefishingclub.com

### Cambourne Bowls Club:

Robin Bailey – 01954 269328  
Facebook: Cambourne Bowls

### Cambourne Cricket Club:

Callum Healy - 07714 007 282  
cccadmin@cambournecc.com  
www.cambournecc.com

### Cambourne Eagles F.C.:

Secretary - Danny Brooks 07516 630552  
secretary@cambourneeeaglesfc.co.uk  
www.cambourneeeaglesfc.co.uk

### Cambourne FC:

www.cambournefc.org  
cambournefc@icloud.com

### Cambourne Netball Club:

Emma Smith - (01954) 710034  
cambournenetball@googlemail.com

### Cambourne Exiles (Rugby):

Neil Ingham - 07956 410309  
info@cambourneexiles.com  
www.cambourneexiles.com

### Cambourne Runners

Weekly runs, all abilities on Saturday morning 9am and Wednesday 7.10pm from the Hub.

cambournerunnersarc@gmail.com

### Cambourne Women Runners

Information.cwr@gmail.com

### Cambourne Tennis Club:

Nigel Hillyard: 07787 565045  
nigel.hillyard@btinternet.com  
www.cambournetennisclub.co.uk

### Cambs Tai Chi Club

www.cambs-taichi.org.uk

### Cambs Chargers Volleyball Club

cambschargers@gmail.com

## YOUTH GROUPS

### Cambourne Air Cadets: Sgt. (ATC)

Adam Kelly adz31@hotmail.co.uk /  
2484df@aircadets.org

### Cambourne Army Cadet force:

dc.cambourne@gmail.com  
www.cambsacf.com

### Cambourne Youth Partnership:

Weekly clubs for children and young people, open to all. Wednesday evenings for ages 11-18 or Thursday afternoons for ages 5-11. Contact Jonathan Buwert (07503171869) for the youth clubs or

Jane Brooks (0785096100) for the children's clubs. All Clubs at Cambourne Soul, Back Lane. Officecyp@googlemail.com

### Cubs, Beavers & Scouts:

joininglist@cambournescoutgroup.org.uk

### Guides, Senior Section,

### Brownies and Rainbows:

Waiting list and volunteers

girlguiding.org.uk

08001695901 childerley.dc@gmail.com

## WASTE AND RECYCLING

### Black bin:

Thursday 6 July 2017

Thursday 20 July 2017

Thursday 3 August 2017

### Blue bin, green bin, paper caddy:

Thursday 13 July 2017

Thursday 27 July 2017

*Bulky household items by arrangement. £30 for the first three items and £5 per extra item.*

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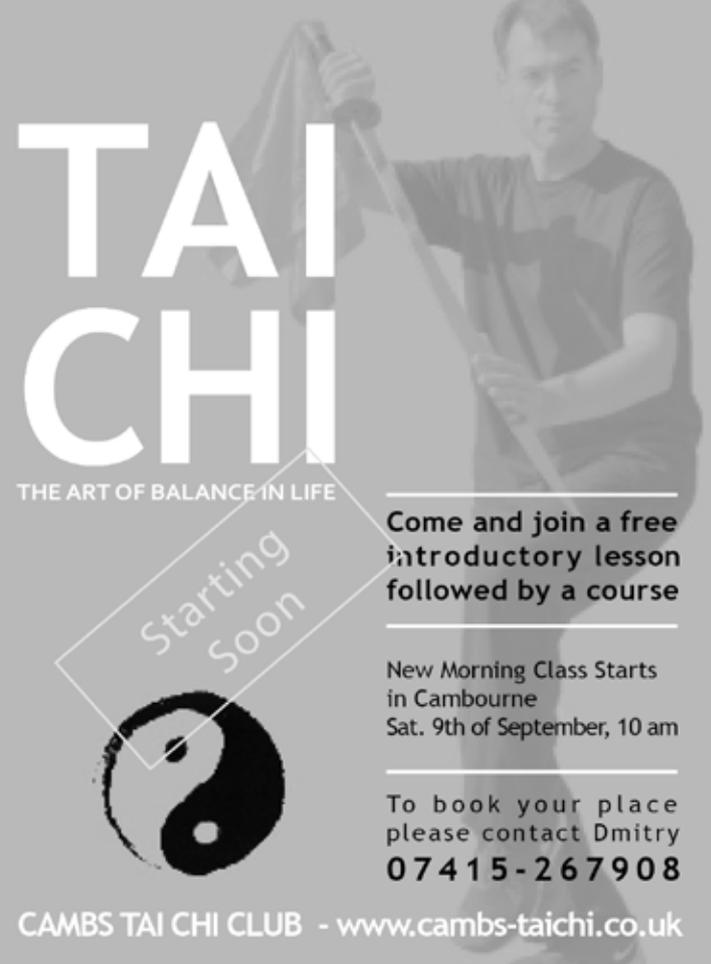
  
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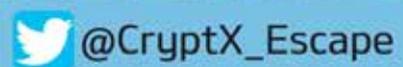
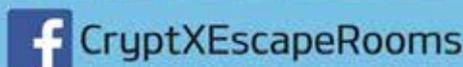
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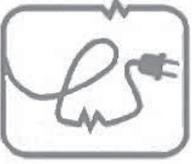
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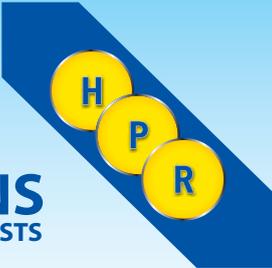
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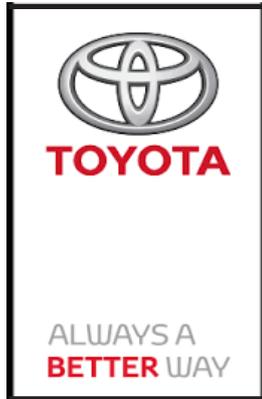
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- Promote Construction Contract Change and Risk Management (CCM) solutions customers
- Assist the sales team to identify and develop sales opportunities
- Develop business relationships with existing and prospective customers
- Update and maintain the company Customer Relationship Management (CRM) system to assist the marketing and sales team to promote CCM
- To document all account activities in CRM system and Content Management system
- Work closely with the company technical team at both pre and post sales stages to enable technical sales support to customers
- To assist Sales Account Managers to organise and facilitate: web and onsite meetings, workshops as required.

**Person Specification**

- Graduate ideally but not essential
- Sales and Administration experience but willing to consider entrants
- Positive, professional and confident communicator both in-person and on the phone, with concise writing skills
- Strong time-management skills, with the ability to balance multiple demands from a high volume of prospects as well as team members
- An understanding of the business challenges and technical issues clients face in the management of commercial construction contracts
- Determination and a consultative approach to assisting the progression and closure of sales in a competitive sales environment
- Some experience with Office365, Cloud Services, CRM would be advantageous
- Eligible to work in the UK.
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## Cambs Home Improvement Agency

### Who We Are

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### Disabled Facilities Grants (DFGs)

We will help clients apply for Disabled Facilities Grants (DFGs). These are mandatory grants for disabled people to allow them to carry out essential adaptations to provide better freedom of movement into and around the home and to access essential facilities within it. Some examples of work we can help with are:

- Improving access
- Installing a stair lift
- Providing a suitable bathing facility
- Improving or providing a heating system or adapting heating or lighting controls to make them easier to use

You will be advised to contact Cambridgeshire Direct to request an assessment by an Occupational Therapist, on 03450 455 202. This is to ensure that any adaptations will meet your needs.

### Costs and Funding for a DFG

Grants are means tested (except where they are for a disabled child or you are in receipt of a qualifying benefit) so you may be required to make a contribution towards the cost of the work.

### How long will this take?

The length of time taken will depend on getting necessary information about the applicant, the nature of the works and whether any additional permissions are needed (from the owner of the property or planning permission, for example). Typically, works should be completed within 4-8 months.

Cambs HIA will charge a fee based on the net cost of any works. If you qualify for a full grant this will form part of your grant amount.

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## SPORT

# Cambourne Cricket club tops junior and senior leagues

**CAMBOURNE CRICKET CLUB:** The Cambourne Under 12s have won their league with a game to spare, having beaten all challengers. The other junior teams also did well, with the Under 10s competing for top spot in their league and the Under 9s finishing third in the Waresley tournament.

The Junior teams will continue to train and play during the rest of the summer, working towards Cambourne hosting a junior tournament on 3rd September at Great Cambourne. The tournament will see teams from all over the county competing for the Regus trophy - kindly sponsored by flexible workspace providers Regus. This should be a great day out, with 2-3 games of cricket going on simultaneously throughout the day and food and refreshments available for spectators. Please come down and support the Cambourne teams!

The Senior teams are also looking competitive. The 1st XI continues to go from strength to strength, holding their spot at the top of their league table thanks to an epic run-chase against Histon. The last two batsmen made a nail-biting 42-run partnership to win with three balls to spare.



The 2nd XI is well-placed to challenge for promotion, and the 3rd team is solidly mid-table. Several players who have come up through the juniors are now playing top-quality cricket in the first team, and taking leading roles in the 2nd and 3rd XI. Details: email [cambournecc@gmail.com](mailto:cambournecc@gmail.com) or visit [www.pitchero.com/clubs/cambournecricketclub](http://www.pitchero.com/clubs/cambournecricketclub)

## Raptors ready for inaugural season



**CAMBOURNE BASKETBALL:** The Raptors are raring to start their first competitive season in the local Cambridge league. Matches begin in September and we have assembled a pool of great players. It's never too late to join in and anyone wanting to get involved is more than welcome to try out. The club has a short break during August before squad training and open scrimmage sessions resume in September.

The club is also looking for supporters to help out during the season, including people to man the table on match days, potential sponsors and anyone keen to help move the club forward. The clubs AGM will be held in August which is a great time for local people to show their support and bring forward new ideas.

Like last year, the Raptors will be attending the Cambourne summer fete in September, so please pop along to take part in the fun and games.

### Sessions from September:

Squad coaching session - Monday 7.30-9.30pm  
Open scrimmage session - Thursday 7.30-9.30pm  
Both sessions are held at Cambourne Village College and cost £5 for members and £6 for non-members.

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## SPORT

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Tae Kwon-Do has for centuries been an integral part of Korean society, culture and heritage. This martial art has its roots mainly in Taek Kyon and Japanese karate. We have beginner classes for adults and children on Tuesday evenings at the Vine School and/or Saturday mornings at the Sports Centre. The first month's training is free. Contact Stephen on 07905744777 or [stephenlacey73@gmail.com](mailto:stephenlacey73@gmail.com) or visit our Cambourne TKD Facebook page.

### NETBALL SUMMER LEAGUE UPDATE



**CAMBOURNE NETBALL CLUB:** As Summer Leagues draws to a close all adult and junior teams have enjoyed some fun weekday evening netball - sometimes in the sun but we've had our share of rain too! 'Wild Cards' in the second half of each game ensure play is well and truly mixed up with positional changes, goal scoring rules altered and numerous other fun elements.

The Club recently held its Annual Awards (both juniors and adults) whereby players get recognised for a range of achievements such as Player's Player, Most Improved and Coach's Player etc. So well done to all those who received trophies this year and may everyone enjoy another successful year of netball.

A reminder to our juniors that 'Pay and Play' is available this summer. Please contact the Club for more information. [Cambournenetball@googlemail.com](mailto:Cambournenetball@googlemail.com)

Big congratulations to Shelly Richie who received the Spirit of Netball award at the Cambridge County Netball Association AGM in June. Shelly is a great ambassador for netball in general as a player, umpire and coach but the time she has committed to the junior section of this club has been particularly recognised. Well done Shelly!

### Tennis club triumph in Cambs Summer League



**CAMBOURNE TENNIS:** We have had a super successful Cambs 2017 Summer League. Our six Mens' and Ladies' teams have won **five** trophies as Division champions, losing just one match out of 43. Particular achievements include Ladies1 gaining promotion to Summer Division 1 for the first time, and Mens1 promoting to Division 2! A huge congratulations and thanks to all the players who have taken part this year.

The junior tennis **Summer Camp** will run from 21-25 August, available either daily or for the whole week. Book online to secure a place using the website <http://www.overandin.com> or contact [coaching@overandin.com](mailto:coaching@overandin.com) or 0844 776 1763.

The Autumn coaching term starts on 4th September for adults and children. You do not need to be a member of the club to be coached in Cambourne.

For more information about your local tennis club, including membership, please look on the website. <https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/CambourneLTC>

**CAMBOURNE BOWLS:** We enjoyed a friendly, fun game with the Parish Council office and ground staff on 30th June. Hopefully we will make this an annual event, but we continue with our open evenings on Mondays and Thursdays from 6pm to which parishioners of all ages and genders are invited. There is plenty of equipment to borrow and always someone present to explain how to play. Remember to wear flat-soled shoes (trainers generally OK). We welcome experienced players from outside the village, due to the fact that we are not currently playing in any of the local leagues. It is our intention to do so when we feel we have sufficient players to support this. Robin Bailey 01954 269328 or [robin.doreen@btopenworld.com](mailto:robin.doreen@btopenworld.com)

## EAGLES REFLECT ON GREAT SEASON

**CAMBOURNE FC EAGLES:** Academy and U6 teams combined to play in the Cambourne FC tournament. It was a great morning of football played in a fantastic spirit and was an opportunity for some of the boys to play in their first tournament. We are looking for a coach to take the new Academy intake for 2017/18 (children age 4 as of September 1st) if anyone is interested in this please contact the Eagles at [secretary@combourneeaglesfc.co.uk](mailto:secretary@combourneeaglesfc.co.uk)

**U12s** concluded a successful season with these players being recognised at the end of season trophy night: Player of the year - Finley Jones, Players' Player - Lucas Bruckbauer, Supporters' Player - Joshua Robertson, and Top Goal Scorer - Liam Martin.

**U14s** have had time to reflect on what has been a season of both individual and collective improvements. Having spent the



entirety of the 15/16 season battling to stay off the bottom of the league, 2016/17 found us challenging for the title. Sitting at the top meant we had teams more determined than usual to defeat us. Ultimately, we settled for a third-place finish but an excellent season nonetheless.

We now are going into a new season, in a new format, with much higher expectations and a new-found confidence. Well done to all.

## New teams join Cambourne FC

**CAMBOURNE FC:** Following a great season for all teams from all age groups, the club held the first football tournament to be held in Cambourne. 66 teams with over 550 players came to Cambourne over the weekend of 24th and 25th June and all went fabulously well with excellent feedback received from the visiting teams and local residents alike.

To support the fantastic growth of the club over the last five years, we have elected a new, expanded and enthusiastic Committee. Chris Williamson moves from Secretary to Chairman and we welcome Iain Collinson as Club Secretary. We wish to thank Barrie Wilkinson for his 3 years as Chairman in which the club has gone from strength to strength, now boasting 15 teams for the new 2017/18 season.

Our ever-popular Soccer School for 4 to 6 year olds (Pre-School to Year 1) runs every Saturday 9am - 10am, please come along) and will start again on 2nd September. 2 new U7s teams have graduated from Soccer School for the new season, and we are looking to form a third.

We also welcome three additional new teams - a fourth U8s team, and a second and third U9s team. With the retention of all but one of our existing teams, the club is planning further expansion and initiatives to continue to bring more children into the beautiful game of football.

We are always looking for new players, so please come and join us! Please contact Iain for more details at [cambournefc@icloud.com](mailto:cambournefc@icloud.com).

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## COMMUNITY

### Girls football club established in Cambourne

**CAMBOURNE UNITED FC** is pleased to announce the start of a new dedicated girls' and women's football club in Cambourne. Cambourne United FC already has eight teams set up and ready for the new season in September.

Our Wildcats Girls Football Initiative, run in conjunction with the Football Association, one of only two centres in Cambridgeshire, saw 50+ girls take up football over the last four months, from which we have four brand new teams for next season.

*All school years below refer to the new 2017/18 school year.*

Our Wildcats Academy for 4 - 7 year-olds (Reception to Year 2) takes place on the 3G every Saturday 9am - 10am. Our U8s team (Year 3) will also train at the same time and play League matches on Saturday mornings every 3 - 4 weeks. Our U9s (Year 4) and U11s (Years 5 and 6) will both play on Saturday mornings and train during the week.

Our two established U13s teams (Years 7 and 8) and our U15s (Years 9 and 10) all had an excellent 2016/17 season, and go into the new season with great confidence and enthusiasm. The U13 Blues team won two tournaments in June.



We are looking for new players to complement our existing teams or, if we have enough, to form extra teams at each age level. Absolute beginners welcome - we adapt our coaching in order to maximize each player's individual long-term development. To find out more, contact Chris at [cambourne.united@gmail.com](mailto:cambourne.united@gmail.com).

### Charity fishing event raises funds for Tammy Harrison

**CAMBOURNE FISHING CLUB** are pleased to announce that we have raised £415 from our raffle and Events to be donated to Tammy Harrison's Operation Fund (full details can be found on our website).

We would like to thank everyone that donated prizes and everyone that has come down to support us.

Thank you to all Anglers that took part seen here with Tammy and her Mum Lynn.

We still aim to raise more money for Tammys Operation fund so your continued support would be appreciated.



*Cambourne Anglers with Tammy Harrison and her mum, Lynn*

Please keep a look out for our next Event 24th September and our Christmas Raffle

### EXILES PULL IN TROPHY

**CAMBOURNE RUGBY:** Exiles players have been keeping fit during the off-season by playing touch rugby. This has been a great success, seeing up to 20 lads and ladies running around having fun. If you are interested in playing touch rugby, why not come along to keep fit and make some new friends. Any level of experience is welcome. Visit [CambourneExiles.com](http://CambourneExiles.com) and leave a message for details.

Also, our Ruggers & Tuggers participated in a Tug-of-war competition at the Papworth fete. We put our might to the test against teams from all around the county of variable abilities; from a X-cross fit squad to a team of some burly gentlemen from the pavilion in Papworth (Rockies). We saw off all contenders without losing a pull. This may have been down to our tactic of placing the most handsome of our chaps Mickey



Woolfe (Head Coach of the rugby team) at the front of the rope or the immense teamwork that was displayed by the stupendous Cambourne men. Either way the Rugger and Tuggers proudly brought home the 1st place trophy.

*Team: Chris Wallis, Jack Mills, Steve Lord, Ben Yeats, Mickey Woolfe, Branden Rennie, John Gregg, James Tully with coach for the day Keith Robinson.*