



BOTESDALE
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Tues	11.30 – 1.30	4.30	-	8.00pm
Wed	Closed in morning	4.30	-	8.00pm
Thur	11.30 – 1.30	4.30	-	10.00pm
Fri	11.30 – 1.30	4.30	-	10.00pm
Sat	11.30 – 1.30	4.30	-	10.30pm
Sun	Closed in morning	5.00	-	8.00pm

Saturday 1 December	10.00 am 10.00 am 10.30 am 7.30 pm	Open Church Christmas Craft Fair Guided Walk Birthday Beetle Drive.	Rickinghall Inferior Rickinghall Village Hall Redgrave Fen Activities Centre
Sunday 2 December			
Monday 3 December	2.00 pm 2.00 pm 7.30 pm	Royal British Legion Women's Section. Christmas Tea Needlecraft Slimming World	Farnish House Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall
Tuesday 4 December	9.30 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm 7.15 pm 7.30 pm	Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Open House Zumba Yoga & Relaxation Julie's Aerobics	Rickinghall Village Hall All Saints, Redgrave Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall
Wednesday 5 December	10.00 am 10.00 am 10.30 am 2.00 pm 7.15 pm	MOBILE LIBRARY Day Centre Redgrave Art Club Macmillan Outreach Service Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Wives Club Christmas Dinner	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Botesdale Health Centre Activities Centre The Bell Inn
Thursday 6 December	9.30 am 12.30 pm 7.30 pm 6.30 pm	RABBATS Phoenix Luncheon Club, Christmas Meal Redgrave Garden Club Rickinghall Parish Council Meeting	Rickinghall Village Hall Kings Head, North Lopham Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall
Friday 7 December	9.00 am 9.00 am 7.00 pm 7.00 pm 8.00 pm	Church Cleaning Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 RAHOF Christmas Party Ticket only event Royal British Legion Annual Christmas Draw & Bingo Dance Classes	St Mary's Redgrave Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Bowls Club Botesdale Village Hall
Saturday 8 December	9.00 am 10.30 am 6.15 pm	Christmas Farmers Market Wildlife Watch Group Lights-On Ceremony	Rickinghall Village Hall Redgrave Fen Botesdale Market Place
Sunday 9 December			
Monday 10 December	2.00 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	Needlecraft Slimming World Botesdale Parish Council Meeting	Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall
Tuesday 11 December	9.00 am 6.00 pm 7.15 pm 7.30 pm	Coffee on the Corner Zumba Yoga & Relaxation Julie's Aerobics Redgrave Ladies Club Christmas Meal	Parkview Chapel Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall White Hart, Roydon
Wednesday 12 December	10.00 am 10.00 am 2.00 pm 2.15 pm 7.30 pm	Day Centre Redgrave Art Club Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Forget-me-not-Club. Christmas Party Heritage Circle Christmas Event. Ticket only event	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Activities Centre Farnish House Rickinghall Village Hall
Thursday 13 December	9.30 am 12.30 pm 6.00 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	RABBATS Phoenix Luncheon Club Redgrave Theatre Club leave for 'Sleeping Beauty', Wolsey, Ipswich Rickinghall WI Little Ouse Headwaters Project AGM, Annual Talk & Members Evening	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Coach leaves Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre
Friday 14 December	9.15 am 7.30 pm 8.00 pm	Rickinghall Ramblers. Local walk. Tel : 898122 Whist Drive Dance Classes	Rickinghall Village Hall Bowls Club Botesdale Village Hall

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Saturday 15 December	10.00 am 10.00 am	Open Church Botanical Illustration. Booking essential on 01473 890089	St Mary's Rickinghall Inferior Redgrave Fen
Sunday 16 December	6.30 pm	Christmas Choral Concert	Chapel of Ease
Monday 17 December	2.00 pm 7.30 pm	Needlecraft Slimming World	Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall
Tuesday 18 December	6.00 pm 7.30 pm	Zumba Julie's Aerobics	Rickinghall Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall
Wednesday 19 December	10.00 am 10.00 am 2.00 pm	Day Centre Redgrave Art Club Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Activities Centre
Thursday 20 December		RABBATS Christmas Party. Email rabbats99@yahoo.co.uk for further information and to book a place	
Friday 21 December	7.00 pm	ST BOTOLPHS SCHOOL BREAKS UP FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS Christmas Carols at The Bell Inn	Bell Inn, Rickinghall
Saturday 22 December			
Sunday 23 December			
Monday 24 December	3 to 6 pm 7.00 pm	CHRISTMAS EVE Slimming World. Weigh in from 3.30 pm Santa arrives with his Reindeer and Elves	Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Market Place
Tuesday 25 December		CHRISTMAS DAY	
Wednesday 26 December		BOXING DAY	
Thursday 27 December			
Friday 28 December	9.15 am	Rickinghall Ramblers. Knettishall Heath. Tel : 788275	Rickinghall Village Hall
Saturday 29 December			
Sunday 30 December	3.30—6.30pm	Slimming World. Weigh in from 4.30 pm	Rickinghall Village Hall
Monday 31 December		NEW YEAR'S EVE	

From the Registers—Rickinghall

Baptism

18th November Ethan Devlin, 5 months
18th November Charlotte Devlin, adult baptism

Thanksgiving for the gift of a child

18th November Chloe Trumpess, aged 1 year

Funeral with Burial

3rd October June Suzanne Heighway, aged 67 years. Died 17th September 2012.

Interment of Ashes

24th October The late George Edward Ringe. Died 18th August 2012 aged 90 years
24th October The late Sylvia Irene Ringe. Died 27th August 2012 aged 88 years



New Year's Day Party - That Never Was?

As in many homes on New Year's Day, Janet and Jim, a happily married couple, faced the annual conflict of which was more important: the football match on television, or the lunch itself.

Hoping to keep the peace Jim ate lunch with the rest of the family, and even lingered for some pleasant after-lunch chat before retiring to the lounge to turn on the television.

Some minutes later, Janet looked in to see how he was and graciously even bought a cold beer for Jim. She smiled, kissed him on the cheek and asked what the score was. Jim told her it was half time and that the score was still 0-0.

'See?' Janet said happily, 'You didn't miss a thing.'

CALENDAR contd ... 2013

Tuesday 1 January		NEW YEAR'S DAY	
Wednesday 2 January	10.00 am 10.30 am	MOBILE LIBRARY Day Centre Macmillan Outreach Service	Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Health Centre
Thursday 3 January	9.30 am	RABBATS	Rickinghall Village Hall
Friday 4 January	8.00 pm	Dance Classes	Botesdale Village Hall
Saturday 5 January	10.00 am	Open Church	St Mary's Rickinghall Inferior
Sunday 6 January			
Monday 7 January	9.15 am 2.00 pm 7.30 pm	Rickinghall Ramblers. Short walk. Tel : 01359 254101 Needlecraft Slimming World	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall
Tuesday 8 January	9.00 am 9.30 am 6.00 pm 7.15 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	ST BOTOLPHS SCHOOL RETURNS FROM HOLIDAYS Coffee on the Corner Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Zumba Yoga & Relaxation Julie's Aerobics Redgrave & District Ladies Club Extra Meeting	Parkview Chapel Rickinghall Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre
Wednesday 9 January	10.00 am 10.00 am 2.00 pm 7.30 pm	Day Centre Redgrave Art Club Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Redgrave Parish Council Meeting	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Activities Centre Activities Centre
Thursday 10 January	9.30 am 12.30 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	RABBATS Phoenix Luncheon Club Rickinghall W I Rickinghall Parish Council Meeting	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall
Friday 11 January	9.00 am 7.30 pm 8.00 pm	Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Whist Drive Dance Classes	Rickinghall Village Hall Bowls Club Botesdale Village Hall
Saturday 12 January	9.00 am 10.30 am	Rickinghall Farmers' Market Wildlife Watch Group	Rickinghall Village Hall Redgrave Fen
Sunday 13 January	6 pm	Zumba	Rickinghall Village Hall
Monday 14 January	2.00 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	Needlecraft Slimming World Botesdale Parish Council Meeting	Activities Centre Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall
Tuesday 15 January	9.30 am 6.00 pm 7.15 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Zumba Yoga & Relaxation Julie's Aerobics Progressive Whist Drive	Rickinghall Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre
Wednesday 16 January	10.00 am 10.00 am 2.00 pm	Day Centre Redgrave Art Club Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955	Rickinghall Village Hall Activities Centre Activities Centre
Thursday 17 January	9.30 am	RABBATS	Rickinghall Village Hall
Friday 18 January	12 noon 9.00 am 8.00 pm	LATEST COPY DATE FOR FEBRUARY MAGAZINE Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Forget-me-not=Club New Year Dinner Dance Classes	Rickinghall Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall
Saturday 19 January	10.00 am	Open Church	St Mary's Rickinghall Inferior

BOTESDALE HEALTH CENTRE—CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR OPENING HOURS 2012/2013

Monday 24th December	8.30 am to 6.30 pm
Tuesday 25th December	CLOSED
Wednesday 26th December	CLOSED
Thursday 27th December	8.30 am to 6.30 pm
Friday 28th December	8.30 am to 6.30 pm
Saturday 29th December	PHARMACY ONLY, 9 am to 11 am
Sunday 30th December	CLOSED
Monday 31st December	8.30 am to 6.30 pm



Tuesday 1st January 2013	CLOSED
Wednesday 2nd January	8.30 am to 6.30 pm

Outside opening hours, if you ring the Surgery number (01379 898295) you will be automatically transferred to the Out of Hours service.

CALENDAR contd ...

Sunday 20 January	6 pm	Zumba	Rickingham Village Hall
Monday 21 January	2.00 pm 7.30 pm	Needlecraft Slimming World	Activities Centre Rickingham Village Hall
Tuesday 22 January	9.30 am 6.00 pm 7.15 pm 7.30 pm	Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Zumba Yoga & Relaxation Julie's Aerobics	Rickingham Village Hall Rickingham Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall Rickingham Village Hall
Wednesday 23 January	10.00 am 10.00 am 2.00 pm 7.30 pm	Day Centre Redgrave Art Club Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Heritage Circle	Rickingham Village Hall Activities Centre Activities Centre Rickingham Village Hall
Thursday 24 January	9.30 am	RABBATS	Rickingham Village Hall
Friday 25 January	9.00 am 9.15 am 8.00 pm	Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Rickingham Ramblers. Away walk Tel : 788949 Dance Classes	Rickingham Village Hall Rickingham Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall
Saturday 26 January			
Sunday 27 January	6.00 pm	Zumba	Rickingham Village Hall
Monday 28 January	2.00 pm 2.00 pm 7.30 pm	Needlecraft RBL Women's Section. Talk Slimming World	Activities Centre Farnish House Rickingham Village Hall
Tuesday 29 January	9.30 am 12 noon 6.00 pm 7.15 pm 7.30 pm 7.30 pm	Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955 Redgrave Luncheon Club. Ring 898615 on 28th for vacancies Zumba Yoga & Relaxation Julie's Aerobics The Wildlife of Britain's Coast and Wildlife Island—talk	Rickingham Village Hall Activities Centre Rickingham Village Hall Botesdale Village Hall Rickingham Village Hall Redgrave Fen
Wednesday 30 January	10.00 am 10.00 am 2.00 pm	Day Centre Redgrave Art Club Yoga. Booking essential on 01379 890955	Rickingham Village Hall Activities Centre Activities Centre
Thursday 31 January	9.30 am 7.30 pm	RABBATS Redgrave Garden Club	Rickingham Village Hall Activities Centre

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WE WISH YOU ALL A PEACEFUL CHRISTMAS AND A HEALTHY AND HAPPY 2013

Top Ten New Year Resolutions

1. Spend more time with the family.
2. Take more exercise - get fit.
3. Lose (loose!) weight.
4. Give up smoking (again).
5. Get out of debt.
6. Learn a new skill, take up a new hobby.
7. Put something into the community—help others.
8. Get organized. Or else buy shares in a diary publisher, or companies selling electronic planners!
9. Become more security conscious.
10. Give up drinking, at least for the first week of January!