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## Regular Dates for Your Diary

Mon	9:30-11:30am	Fun for 1s & 2s	Playgroup
Mon	9:45am	Comberton Walkers	Baptist Church
1 <sup>st</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> Mon	7:00pm	Carpet Bowls	VH
3 <sup>rd</sup> Mon	7:30pm	Wine Makers	VH
Tues	10:30-12noon	Village Cafe & Crafts	VH
Tues	6:30-8pm	Keep Fit	CVC
2 <sup>nd</sup> Tues	7:45pm	Women's Institute	VH
4 <sup>th</sup> Tues	8pm	Antiquarian Society	VH
Wed	10-11:30am	Baby & Toddler Group	VH
Wed	12:25-1:10pm	Lunchtime Badminton	CVC
Wed	2pm	Bridge Club	VH
Wed	After School	Tang Soo Do	Meridian School
Wed	6:30-9pm	Tennis Mix-In Session	Tennis Club
Wed	8-10pm	Shuttles Badminton	CVC
Wed (term)	2-3:30pm	Bumps and Babes	Baptist Church
2 <sup>nd</sup> Wed	7:30pm	Parish Council	VH
Thurs	9:30-11:30am	Fun for 1s & 2s	Playgroup
Thurs	9:30am-12:15	TumbleTots	VH
Thurs (term)	4-6pm	EDGE Youth Club	Baptist Church
2 <sup>nd</sup> Thurs	2:30pm	Friendship Club	VH
4 <sup>th</sup> Thurs	2:30pm	Oasis Teas (55+)	VH
Fri	6-9pm	Tae Kwon Do	Meridian School
2 <sup>nd</sup> Fri	8pm	Custard Comedy	CVC
3 <sup>rd</sup> Fri	7pm	Bingo Party	VH
Sat	10-11am	Park Tennis	Park
VH = Village Hall		CVC = Comberton Village College	

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## Upcoming Events

### October

3	Comberton Opera	VH
6	Accorde FOSM	St Mary's
6	Friendship Club Coffee Morning	VH
8	RhymeTime	Library
13	Apple Day	Burwash
13	Village Voices	St Mary's
25	Oasis Tea	VH
26	Lunch Club	Wimpole Hall
29	RhymeTime	Library

### November

3	Jumble Sale	Primary School
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## Important People for the Village

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## From the Editor

Dear Comberton,

Well, we've got some treats for you this month. There is a most excellent and thorough write-up of Comberton Cricket Club's 2018 season campaign. Many congratulations to all those involved on their promotion to the Junior 3 West CCA league!

There are art shows to see, and bridge clubs to join, and plays to watch. I've found out, just this month, that there is a swimming pool in the village! I'm repeatedly overwhelmed by the commitment and community-mindedness of all those who organise, plan, run and care for each little club, society, association and group that goes on in Comberton. It really is a pleasure to hear and share all the goings on in this little village.

As always, I'd love to hear from you if you've got something to share, maybe some memories of Comberton over the years, a piece of poetry that you've written or a report of a village event. Do email the address below. Have a great month!

Yours,

Chris

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Services and Events in October (at St Mary's Comberton unless otherwise noted)

Saturday 6 Oct	7.30 pm	Accord, a Capella choir performance
Sunday 7 Oct	9.30 am	Holy Communion
Sunday 14 Oct	8am 9.30am 7.30 pm	Holy Communion (BCP) Morning Worship Sacred Space based at Dry Drayton Church
Sunday 21 Oct	9.30am	Holy Communion
Thursday 25 Oct	2.30 pm	Oasis Tea in the Village Hall
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From Rev. David

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Oddly though, it is one of the hardest things to ask for. It means admitting that everything is not quite okay, accepting that independence and autonomy are bizarre ideals that simply cannot bear much semblance to reality. But often we'd rather struggle on, pretend we can cope on our own, than learn genuine interdependence.

Some, of course, are better at asking for help than others. I had a friend at University who seemed to excel at it. No embarrassment; just a calm confidence that enabled her to go to CBT, to ask for essay help, to crash out with friends when needed. Looking back, there was a lot I could have learnt from her.

Asking for help is something I'm still learning; I'm realising I can't do it all, however fast I pedal, and more importantly that asking for help is a good thing.

Unfortunately, some narratives we live with, including some Christian ones, make asking for help quite difficult. There is an old prayer that goes like this:

*'Jesus has no hands but yours  
no feet but yours  
no body but yours with which to  
touch the world...'*

It has, in my view, had rather pernicious consequences. It perpetuates the lie that 'I' must run myself ragged and do all I can because there is no one else. It can lead to a rather arrogant form of Christianity which says 'I' have the resources, and 'you' have the need.

Instead, I'm beginning to learn that Jesus is more often found ahead of us, working through the hands and feet of others - even if they don't know it; I'm learning that to cry 'help' might actually be the entrance into a far richer life.

*Rev. David Newton*

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## Comberton Cricket Club 2018 Season Review

After a season of consolidation and much optimism in 2017 we began our 2018 Saturday and midweek campaigns in the Cambridgeshire Cricket Association (CCA) Junior 4 West and Cambridge Business House League Division 3, respectively. After a poor start to the season, losing 8 out of our first 9 games across all competitions, we rounded off the season in style, gaining maximum points from our last 6 CCA games to catapult us into 2nd place in Junior 4 West and thus gain promotion back to Junior 3 for the first time since 2012!

We were unfortunately less successful in the midweek format, finishing 6th out of 7 teams.

Dipesh Patel had an incredible season winning won the batting and bowling cups with 452 runs at an average of 56.50 and 16 wickets at 10.06, respectively. Thank you to everyone who has played or supported us this year. We are again grateful to Club Captain Tom Preece and Chairman, Secretary and Welfare Officer Ken Gifford for their efforts on and off the field, and also to Chris Cundell for getting us looking the part too with club kit! If you want play cricket in 2019, in the form of either regular weekend cricket or the occasional after work game, please get in touch with either Tom Preece (tomprece@gmail.com) or Oscar Swift (o.swift@ucl.ac.uk).

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## Comberton Cricket Club 2018 Season Review Cont.

We will be holding nets over the winter; equipment is provided, and all abilities are welcome!

May

We started the season against Cherry Hinton II and faced an opposition with at least four first teamers who usually play in Senior 2. The gulf in class was clear as they racked up a daunting total of 285-4; Will Glasse (2-71) the pick of the attack. In reply a blistering innings from Patel (96) gave us hope but we finished on 206-8 to go down by 79 runs.

Our first midweek game versus Swaffham Bulbeck ended in a final over, 8 wicket defeat; Patel (68) again and Darren Ward (31\*) the shining lights with the bat. A disappointing collapse versus Cam Kerala II next up saw us slip from 141-4 to 155 all out. Patel (60) continued his superb start to the season with able support from Cundell (35). Defending a below par total, we fought hard in wet conditions but went down by 3 wickets despite the efforts of Patel (2-23), Glasse (2-29) and Paul Samways (2-20).

A 6 wicket defeat against Qualcomm followed, although skipper Preece (50) provided entertainment with the bat with

some cavalier strokeplay and Luke Osbourne (2-26) snared a couple of wickets with the ball.

Later that week we took on Cambridge NCI IV at Parker's Piece and fell apart as 89-2 became 113 all out with only Patel (40) making a substantial score. A heroic bowling performance led by Preece (3-28) and Samways (2-20) took the game into the last over but we were left rueing dropped catches as NCI squeezed home to a 1 wicket win.

A walkover win over Girton II gave us our first 20 point haul of the season but we then crashed out of the Lower Junior Cup with a poor fielding display in an 8 wicket loss to Barrington II; Samways (45\*) and Ed Willan (34) our main contributors with the bat.

June

June began with a narrow 11 run defeat against Cherry Hinton II. Fielding first, Patel (4-32) had bowled superbly at the death to keep the opposition to 189-8. In reply, we were never comfortably ahead of the required run rate and finished on 178-8 despite solid knocks from Patel (47), Cundell (47) and lusty blows from stalwart Derek Wick (22) at the death.

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## Comberton Cricket Club 2018 Season Review Cont.

A 6 wicket defeat in the Pye Cup against Bottisham & Lode followed with Patel (53) notching yet another half-century and the returning Tim Vries (3-23) bowling incisively.

Our first 'on the field' win of 2018 was achieved against Great Shelford III as brilliant knocks from Cundell (102\*) and Samways (67) powered us to 227-2. A tight bowling and fielding display led by Glasse (2-30) ensured we closed out 50 run winners.

Another midwicket defeat, this time by 6 wickets against Parkside was next as only Preece (35), bloodied after a top edge into his face mid-innings, made any significant impression on the scorecard.

Against Coton II we racked up 291-6 (our highest total for at least 15 years) as Patel (136) smashed a maiden hundred with able support from Willan (43) and Samways (42). We completed an emphatic 179 run victory with Vries (4-19) dismantling the top order and Patel (3-10) extinguishing the tail to conclude a superb all round performance.

Next up we went down to a 9 wicket defeat against a powerful Bluntisham side defending only

85; Vries (32\*) being our main contributor with the bat. We closed out June with a comprehensive defeat against Cam Kerala II as they blasted 290-6 (Cundell with 2-53 the leading bowler). In reply we slumped to 111 all out with Tim Saunders (43) the sole man to provide any resistance.

### July

July began with a further 20 points on the board, as Great Shelford III could not raise a side. This meant over three weeks without cricket (!) before we faced Cambridge NCI in our penultimate midweek fixture. In a well contested and competitive game we posted 145-4 as Samways (45) and Preece (45) both wielded the willow with flair. We sadly went down to a 4 wicket defeat with only two balls left in an exciting run chase despite the ever-reliable seamers of Patel (4-31) and a fiery spell from Tom Kirker.

Nevertheless, we gained revenge over Cambridge NCI IV a few days later in the CCA. After solid contributions from our top order (Patel 45, Willan 30 and Samways 31), a swashbuckling partnership of 63 for the 6th wicket between Joe Cary (37\*) and linchpin Carl Glasse (23) was crucial in getting

## Comberton Cricket Club 2018 Season Review Cont.

us to 213-6. A reliable display in the field kept NCI to 185-7 with Patel (2-22) and Deepthi Fernando (2-27) spearheading the bowling attack.

### August

August began with walkover wins against Elsworth in midweek and Coton II a few days later on the Saturday. Whilst the points on the board were welcome, the situation sadly reflected the issue of reduced participation in cricket with large numbers of defaults occurring across the county this season.

We took on Steeple Morden the following week in a crucial clash that we had to win to keep up our promotion hopes. Losing the toss and batting first on a wet wicket we subsided from 50-1 to 107 all out with only Saunders (31) making a substantial innings. After a steady start from the Steeple Morden top order our prospects did not look good until Saunders took two blunders at gully and fine leg off Nik Patel (5-24) to remove their key batsmen.

The remaining middle order batsmen were removed with ease to put us on the front foot but their number 9 played a crucial knock to take them close. With

the score on 106-9 Dip Patel (3-18) bowled their number 11 to ensure a 1 run win and spark chaotic scenes amongst the Comberton contingent.

Yet another walkover win against Girton II followed before our final game of the season in a winner-takes-all clash for second place and promotion against Steeple Morden again. A dominant, unbeaten opening stand of 273 from Cundell (130\*) and Samways (128\*) put us in a fantastic position having lost the toss.

Some lusty blows from the Steeple Morden top order coupled with dodgy fielding led to some nerves in the Comberton camp but Martin Collins (4-40) bagged the majority of the top order to guarantee a 66 run win and celebratory drinks in The Three Horseshoes after the game.

Roll on 2019!

## Comberton Library

Opening Hours:	Monday:	10am – 1pm	
	Wednesday:	10am – 1pm	2pm - 5pm
	Friday:		2pm - 5pm
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We have brochures available in Comberton Library for the Autumn Season of the County-wide 'The Library Presents'. This is a programme of high quality arts activity, appealing to all ages and interests; the programme includes performances of dance, music, puppetry, comedy and theatre, as well as workshops in music, art, writing and performance skills. Do collect a copy when you are next in the library.

The season of events began in September and continues until Saturday 15 December.

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Thursday 15th November  
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On Wednesday 10th October the Library Service is launching a new Books on Prescription collection, Reading Well for Mental Health. The launch is on World Mental Health Day, and Comberton Library will have a set of the new titles available to borrow from that date. The books will be identifiable by a spine label and will be part of a small display in the library.

Upcoming Rhymetime sessions: 8th and 29th October, 12th and 26th November (10.30 -11.00 am). Please note that although these sessions are aimed at very young children we welcome older siblings and pre-schoolers who enjoy singing too! We have a lovely volunteer running the sessions and it is great fun for both children and adults.



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The Autumn Show held on Saturday 15th September was a very successful event, entries were down around 20% on last year to 454 but our fears that the flowers, fruit and vegetable sections would be decimated by the hot dry summer proved mercifully unfounded. Childrens' entries were in fact up on last year which is very encouraging for the future and additionally they entered a further 200 paintings through the Meridian School and the Comberton Playgroup.

The Prizes this year were presented by The Rev'd David Newton, Vicar of Comberton and we thank him for giving up his time to join us.

The big thanks goes to the Meridian School for their enormous cooperation in allowing us to hold the Show there and also to our 6 judges across the various classes who give their time freely, to the advertisers who sponsor our show schedule, to the 250 or so visitors to the Show and, of course, to you the exhibitors without whom there would not be a show!

*Robin Worship  
CA&GA Secretary  
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On Sunday 2nd September the Club held a really wonderful Pool Party in aid of funds to repair and refurbish the pool. The weather was excellent, very warm with continual sunshine. Everyone had a splendid time. The wonderful volunteers organised pop music and laid on hot and cold drinks plus delicious cakes. After having my swim, I sat with a cup of tea whilst the children enjoyed playing with their blow-up birds, animals and other toys.

I realised how very lucky we are in Comberton to have the club at the College pool. The Club needs financial help to repair and refurbish the pool and equipment. If anyone feels they could help in any way or if you have any suggestions as to how to raise funds, or, if you would simply like to enjoy summertime swimming in the lovely warm pool, please contact Mrs Eve Thorogood on 01223 263250 to join.



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## Dog Owners

We would like to remind owners that you can be prosecuted for failing to pick up after your dog. But in March the law changed and dog owners can also face an on the spot fine for failing to have bags in their pockets...

There has been a noticeable increase in fouling especially around Harbour Avenue, Barton Road and Hillfield Road.

Dogs are very much welcomed into the village; however we do ask that their owners behave responsibly. Apart from the obvious unpleasantness when we tread in dog excrement, there are some serious health issues, so picking up after our dogs is not a choice it's a responsibility. Failure to do so can result in a pretty hefty fine. If dogs are not wormed regularly and their faeces picked up, there is the danger of toxocariasis.

There are numerous dog waste bins and plenty of normal waste bins (which can also be used) around the village and we ask that dog owners 'bag it and bin it'.

On public footpaths and byways where a bin is not so readily available we ask that owners either bag it and carry it to the

nearest bin or follow National Trust guidelines and use a stick to remove the excrement from the pathway. On the recreation ground, dog owners are also required to keep their dog under control (this includes the recreation ground extension) and away from the children's play equipment (and of course use one of the 3 bins sited on the rec).

So the basic rules are

Always make sure you have a ready supply of bags for picking up after your dog...(Nappy sacks are ideal and cheap)

Take a torch with you for early morning or night-time walks

Always make sure you bag it and bin it

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## Jumble Sale



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Saturday 3rd November 2.00 – 4.00

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20p entrance

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23rd November                 The Blue Lion, Hardwick

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## Comberton Bridge Club

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## Art Exhibition

Bar Hill Church Art Group are holding an exhibition and sale of paintings and drawings in the Church Centre CB23 8EH on Saturday 20th October 10.30 – 4p.m. in aid of the Christian Aid Kerala Flood Appeal. Come and enjoy tea, coffee and cakes and a chance to buy work from local artists and handmade cards.



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## Parish Council Report

The Parish Council met on 12 September 2018.

### ***Presentation on GP opening hours***

A representative of the Cambs GP Network gave a presentation on the extended GP opening hours scheme, which involves opening up additional GP appointments at evenings and at weekends.

### ***Resignation from the Parish Council***

Following the resignation of Nick Taylor, Cllr Scott was elected Vice-Chairman and also Chairman of the Planning Committee. If anyone is interested in applying for a vacancy on the Council, please contact the Clerk.

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### ***Works to the Pavilion***

A quotation has been accepted for the Pavilion alterations, which are required to bring Comberton Pavilion up to Kershaw Premier League standards.

### ***Recreation Ground***

The Parish Council is looking into signage to be erected at the Recreation Ground to remind dog walkers to pick up after their dogs. The Council decided not to proceed with fencing around the play area but will be considering quotations for fencing off the zip wire.

## Comberton Opera at the Village Hall

Jonas Kaufmann, Bryn Terfel and Angela Gheorghiu in  
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The 66-year-old is now reaping the rewards of regular exercise and can do the things she enjoys again.

"Strength and balance classes have particularly helped me with building up strength in my arms following my heart transplant," said Jill. "I wasn't able to use them after the operation. The exercises have helped me gradually build back up my strength and it's now easier to do things like shopping and carrying bags.

"I can do daily tasks like vacuuming and things at home that were really difficult before. I used to take for granted things like being able to get up from the floor but after my operation this was a problem. However this no longer fazes me - if I get down I know I can get up again and



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Sacred in India - COW

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| 17.The Saint          | ( ) SHARON GLESS    |
| 18. Cagney & Lacey    | ( ) RAYMOND BURR    |
| 19.Peaky Blinders     | ( ) TONY CURTIS     |
| 20. Broadchurch       | ( ) JACK WARNER     |
| 21. Indian Summers    | ( ) RUPERT DAVIES   |
| 22.Dinner ladies      | ( ) ROBBIE COLTRANE |

Entries please to Budgens. The Library or Green End Surgery no later than the 14th October. The prize of £10, generously donated by Budgens, is to be spent in store.

Name.....Address.....

## Comberton Village Hall Lettings Charges

### ***Village and Affiliated Community Group Use***

#### Main Hall

Private (except evening social events)	£15
Affiliated Group (except evening social events)	£12.50
Weekday evening social events (M-T)	£30
Weekend evening social events (F/S/S)	£60
Wedding reception (all day - midnight)	£200
Meeting Room or Community Room	£10
Committee meetings in Meeting/Community Room	£5

### ***Non-Village and Non-Affiliated Community Group Use***

#### Main Hall

Private (except evening social events)	£25
Non-Affiliated Group (except evening social events)	£20
Weekday evening social events (M-T)	£40
Weekend evening social events (F/S/S)	£90
Wedding reception (all day - midnight)	£300
Meeting Room or Community Room	£15

Community Commercial and Commercial Letting charge on application to the Lettings Secretary.

Sessions run from 9am-1pm, 2pm-5:30pm and 6pm-10:30pm.  
Midnight for Friday/Saturday/Sunday. Premises to be vacated by end of session.

Annual affiliation fee of £10 is due on 1st January

Community Group Use means local groups operating on a non-commercial basis

Groups working with children or vulnerable adults will need to have Child Protection and Vulnerable Adult policies in place

Booking should be made with the Lettings Secretary, Mrs Stephanie Young on 01223 971006 or 07773 085479 between 9am-9pm.

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