



The Mickfield Messenger

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From the Parish Council

Mendlesham Bio Mass Burner

An appeal has been lodged with the Planning Inspectorate. The consultation period for Public comments **closes on 4th March 2014**. We have not as a Parish Council been notified to date.

Those of you that would wish to object – here are the details:

Planning Inspectorate – Appeal Ref: 2211941

Address: Mendlesham Renewable Energy Plant

Norwich Road, Wetheringsett cum Brockford, Suffolk

Planning Area : Mid Suffolk

Because of the closing date, you will need to send objections by e-mail, to either:

Darren.cryer@pins.gsi.gov.uk or teamp7@pins.gsi.gov.uk

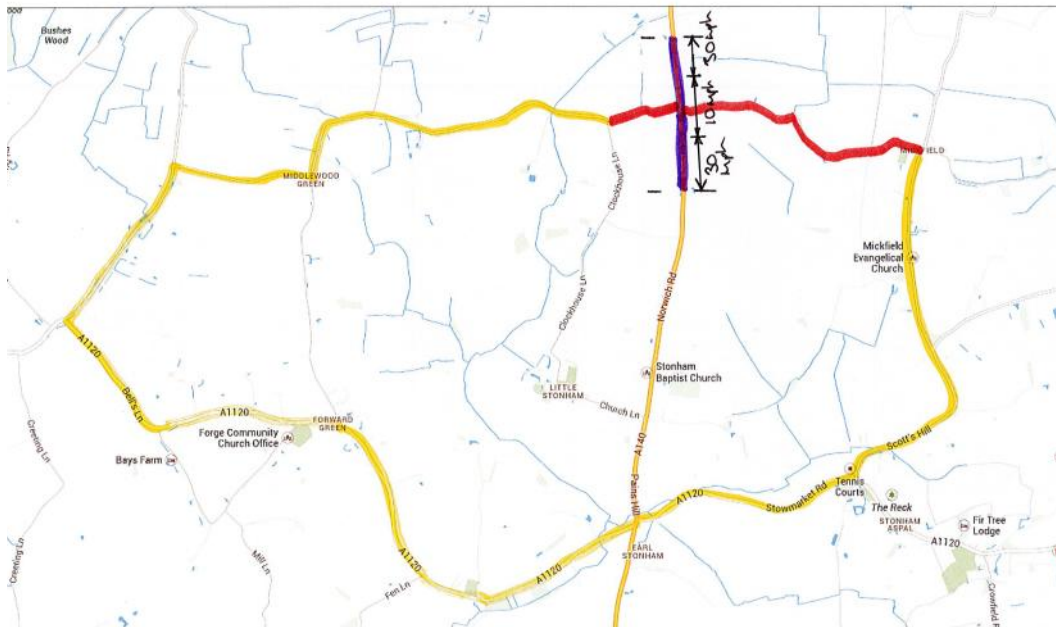
Any objections received after this date will not be accepted. We will keep you informed.

Road Closure

Both the C409 and the C483 are due to be closed overnight (from 20:00 to 05:00) for 5 nights commencing the 10th March. Full details are on the website and on the Notice Board.

Those are the roads from the crossroads in the village out to the A140, and a short distance of the road that goes to Middlewood Green the other side of the A140. There will also be a 30mph and 10mph speed limit imposed on the A140 either side of the junction.

The diversion will be via Mill Green to Stonham Aspal and then the A1120 to the A140.



Dates for Parish Council meetings in 2014

Mar 3rd. Apr 14th. May 19th. July 7th. Sept 1st. Oct 20th. Dec 15th.

Meetings start at 19:30, in the Village Hall.

Everyone is welcome to attend.



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Broken Glass

Please take care when using the bottle bank.

As we've said in previous Messengers, using the bottle bank helps raise funds for the village, so please do use the recycling facilities, but please take care not to drop glass outside the bottle bank! There's been broken glass left around the bank recently, which clearly is not a good thing.

From St Andrews

Volunteer Day at St Andrews - Saturday 28th March.

Enthusiastic volunteers needed! Are you able to spare a few hours on a Saturday morning to join us for some healthy outdoors activity, improving the church gardens, veg plots and grounds? There'll be cake ... Please just turn up on Saturday 28th from 9.30 onwards.

And ... **cleaning angels wanted.**

Are you able to spare a couple of hours a month to join our friendly cleaning team and help keep St Andrews spick and span? The kettle is always on ...

Please contact Lorraine on 01449 710099 if you'd like to help.

Silver-leaf

Find those Eggs!

The annual (and now quite famous) Mickfield Easter Egg Hunt is being held on Sat 12th April at the Village Centre from 10.30. It's an event for the whole family, Mums and Dads will be able to enjoy a cuppa and some homemade cake if they don't want to join in all the games.

It's just £1 per child to enter, with chocolate Easter Eggs to be won ...

Please let Lorraine know if you'll be coming (so we don't run out of cake or eggs!) on 01449 710099.

We now know where it is!



A **BIG THANK YOU** to both Colin and Alan who identified last month's "where is it" picture as being the house that is opposite the entrance to the Village centre. The house itself has been much modified in the years since the photo was taken. Legend has it that Russel Hearne was born in the house, hence it being referred to as "Rutty's Old House" in years gone by. There's a bit of village history.

Thanks again to Colin and Alan for their knowledge.

Any ideas?



This month's challenge is—well—challenging. This is a photo from the Miltons and Rex of a Mickfield residents outing of many years ago. Who are they? Where were they going? What did they get up to when they got there? Actually, we'd just like to know who they are, the rest might be best kept secret ...