



BUXHALL VILLAGE HALL

*presents your*

EXTRAVAGANZA  
OF EVENTS

DECEMBER 2025

TO

APRIL 2026





**"THE BUXHALL BELL"**  
BAR AT THE VILLAGE HALL



LOCAL  
DRINKSTONE  
ALES, WINE,  
CIDER, G&T &  
SOFT DRINKS

**BUXHALL VILLAGE  
HALL BAR**

**FRIDAY'S 6-9PM**

**19TH DECEMBER**

**30<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY**

**27<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

**27<sup>TH</sup> MARCH**

**24<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

**BRISKET BURGERS,  
SAUSAGE DOGS &  
MORE!**

**SEE MENU!**

**YOU CAN PREORDER ON  
07423353111**

**BOARD GAMES, DARTS & TABLE  
TENNIS**



# Food van at the Buxhall Bell at the Village Hall

## TENNESSEE BRISKET BURGER

100% Beef brisket patty, cheese, lettuce, tomato, caramelised onion & gherkin in a fresh white roll

£7:50

## MEXICAN CHILLI BURGER

100% spicy chilli beef patty, cheese, lettuce, tomato, caramelised onion & gherkin in a fresh white roll

£7:50

## OLDE ENGLISH SAUSAGE DOG

100% pork mince sausage, cheese, caramelised onion in a fresh white finger roll

£6:00

## SPICY HOME-MADE MEATBALLS

100% pork and beef home-made meatballs with chorizo in a rich tomato & basil sauce with Nachos or on chunky chips

£8:50

## CHILLI CHIPS & CHEESE

100% beef mince, home-made chilli con carne on chunky chips and grated cheddar cheese

£8:50

## VEGAN VEGGIE CURRY

(Mild Thai style) Green curry, carrot, parsnip, sweet potato, peppers, sweetcorn, chickpea, mushroom with Nachos or on chunky chips

£7:50

## BACON BAP

Thick cut butchers' bacon in a fresh buttered roll

£5:00

## LOADED CHUNKY CHIPS

Thick cut chips with grated cheddar cheese, chopped hot dog, mayo, ketchup & crispy onion

£6:50

## CHEESY CHUNKY CHIPS

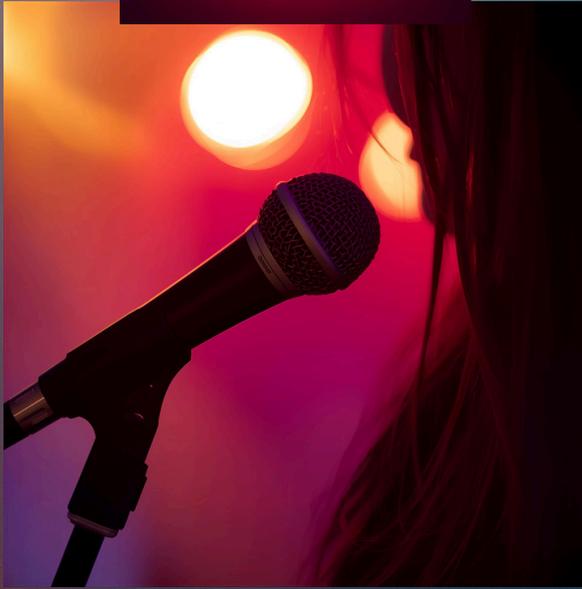
£5:00

## CHUNKY CHIPS

£3:50

**CALL 07423353111 TO PRE-ORDER ON BAR  
NIGHTS TO ENSURE YOUR ORDER!**

KARAOKE



JOIN US FOR A FESTIVE KARAOKE NIGHT AT THE BUXHALL BAR FROM 6 PM TO 10 PM ON DECEMBER 19TH! IT'S THE PERFECT OPPORTUNITY TO ENJOY SOME PRE-CHRISTMAS FUN WITH YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS. SING YOUR HEART OUT TO YOUR FAVORITE TUNES AND CREATE UNFORGETTABLE MEMORIES. SAVOUR A SELECTION OF LOCAL BEERS, CIDER, WINE, AND GIN AND TONIC, ALL AVAILABLE AT DISCOUNTED PRICES!

DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS CHEERFUL EVENING FILLED WITH MUSIC, LAUGHTER, AND HOLIDAY SPIRIT!



The village hall refurbishment project is underway, and we are excited to share the latest progress and updates with the community. This initiative aims to enhance the facilities and provide a more welcoming space for gatherings and events. To ensure everyone has the opportunity to learn about the improvements, we will be presenting the refurbishment plans on the **13th December** at the Tea Room and **19th December** at the Buxhall Bell Bar. These sessions will be held informally, where you can peruse the plans, ask questions, and offer feedback. We encourage all residents to come along, engage with the committee, and contribute to the future of our village hall. Your input is invaluable in shaping a space that meets the needs of our community.

12pm to  
3pm



## TEA ROOM

Join us at our charming, community-run tea room for fun and connection for all ages!

Enjoy tea and coffee, soup, jacket potatoes, ploughmans and cakes! You can have 3 courses at an unbeatable price! We even have engaging tabletop games. It's the perfect chance to unwind and create memories with loved ones and friends yet to meet!

We look forward to seeing you!



**13TH DECEMBER**  
**10<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY**      **14<sup>TH</sup> MARCH**  
**14<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**      **11<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**

Raising funds for the refurbishment of Buxhall Village Hall  
Supported by MSDC Living Well in Winter Grant

If you would like to help out, please call Hilary on 01449 737671.

[hilary-hall@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:hilary-hall@hotmail.co.uk)





**£1.50 FOR 3 HOURS OF FUN!  
YOU COULD GO HOME A  
WINNER!**

# **WHIST DRIVE**

**AT THE VILLAGE HALL AT 2PM**

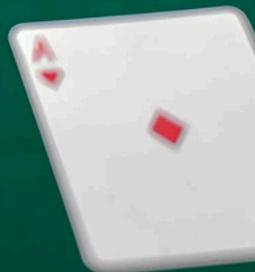
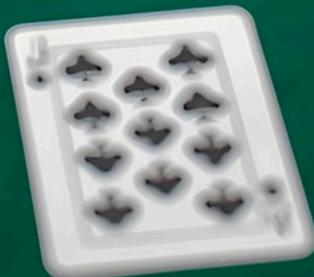
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**FEBRUARY 6<sup>TH</sup> & 20<sup>TH</sup>**

**MARCH 6<sup>TH</sup> & 20<sup>TH</sup>**

**APRIL 3<sup>RD</sup> & 17<sup>TH</sup>**

**BEGINNERS WELCOME! CALL MIM ON 736598**





**21st February at 7pm**

**ENTRANCE TICKETS: ADULT £5 CHILD £2.50**

**BINGO TICKETS (6 GAMES): £10**

**RAFFLE**

**BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS & GLASSES!**

**BOOK YOUR PLACE BY CALLING MIM & KEITH ON 01449 736598**

**BUXHALL & DISTRICT COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

# QUIZ NIGHT

at BUXHALL VILLAGE HALL



**Bring your own drinks & nibbles!**

**Raffle. £5 pp Quiz**

**Tables of up to 6. Confirm place by 20th March!**



**21<sup>st</sup> March**

**Doors open at 7pm. Starts at 7.30pm**

**Call Mim on 01449 736598 to book your table**

**6.30 - 7.45pm**

**£15**



**Come and get away from it all and be restored and soothed. You will lay down on a comfy mattress and experience the sound of the gongs wash over and through you after a guided relaxation. A Sound bath is a safe & relaxing and healing experience for mind, emotions, body and spirit! This is great for**

**\* Reducing stress and anxiety**

**\* Soothing the nervous system and decreasing blood pressure**

**\* Develop your intuition, creativity, clarity and focus**

**\* Facilitates the Theta brain wave state; only 20 minutes is the equivalent of 4 hours of sleep!**

**\* Healing on deeper layers and so much more!**

**18<sup>th</sup> January**

**22<sup>nd</sup> February**

**22<sup>nd</sup> March**

**26<sup>th</sup> April**

**Contact Janine on 07723019497 to book your space**



**Spruce up**

**Sunday**

**22<sup>nd</sup> March**

**10am - 12pm**

**Meet at the Village Hall**

**Join us for a morning of litter picking in our village! It's a wonderful opportunity to keep our surroundings beautiful and contribute to a cleaner environment. Not only does this activity enhance the aesthetic appeal of our community, but it also strengthens the bonds between neighbors as we work together towards a common goal. Plus, after a rewarding morning of tidying up, we'll gather to enjoy a delightful homemade lunch, providing a perfect chance to relax and connect with fellow volunteers. Whether you're passionate about the environment or simply want to meet new people, your help would be greatly appreciated. Let's make a difference together!**

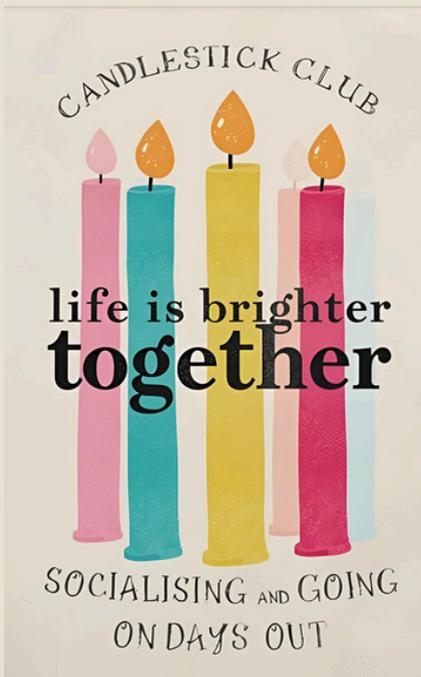


**Buxhall WI meet every third Wednesday of the month at the local village hall 7.30pm. Our meetings are varied, inviting speakers and always followed by refreshments, including tea, coffee and CAKE! We organise trips, including lunches, theatre, knitter & natter and a summer party, just to mention a few.**

**The Women's Institute is a space for empowering women, to make friends and share experiences and so much more. If you are interested please come along to a meeting or contact Jill at [jill@scarff.co.uk](mailto:jill@scarff.co.uk)**

**Next meetings are -  
21ST JANUARY - 18<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY - 18<sup>TH</sup> MARCH - 15<sup>TH</sup> APRIL**





**The Candlestick Club offers a wonderful opportunity for residents of Buxhall and its neighbouring villages to come together and enjoy a variety of social activities throughout the year.**

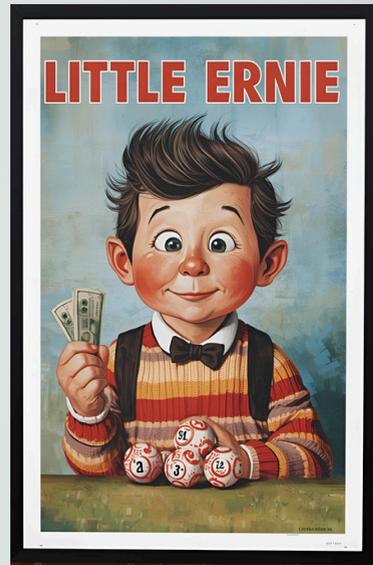
During the summer months, from May to September, the club organises coach trips on the second Thursday of each month, allowing members to explore new places at a reduced fare. While the trips are not all-inclusive, they offer a delightful escape and a chance to bond with fellow residents. As the weather turns cooler, Mim hosts cosy bingo afternoons at the village hall from October to March, complete with a raffle and light refreshments, making for a fun and engaging way to pass the winter months. The year is capped off with a festive Christmas meal in December, celebrating the spirit of the season and the camaraderie among club members. With an affordable annual membership fee of just £6, payable in April or October, the club provides a sense of community and entertainment for its members. Contact Emily at [emilybyaml@gmail.com](mailto:emilybyaml@gmail.com)

**8th January    5<sup>th</sup> February    5<sup>th</sup> March    2<sup>nd</sup> April**  
**2-4pm**



**Building a Book Nook for the Village is a wonderful initiative to foster community spirit and promote the joys of reading. This cosy corner will not only be a place to borrow books but also a welcoming space to relax and enjoy a good read while the nook is open. With games available on the shelves, it promises to be a hub of activity and engagement for all ages. If you have any spare books to donate, whether they're children's tales, thrilling novels, or enlightening non-fiction, your contributions would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Sally at [alpacasal63@msn.com](mailto:alpacasal63@msn.com) to arrange your donation and help enrich our communal library.**

**THE LITTLE ERNIE LOTTERY IS A  
CHERISHED TRADITION  
SPANNING OVER 30 YEARS IN  
OUR COMMUNITY, PLAYING A  
VITAL ROLE IN SUSTAINING THE  
VILLAGE HALL, A CORNERSTONE  
FOR LOCAL GATHERINGS AND  
EVENTS**



By participating, residents not only stand a chance to win exciting cash prizes but also contribute to the maintenance and improvement of this essential facility. With an annual subscription fee of £10 per entry which will be allocated a number, villagers can enter as many times as they wish, provided they are over 16.

The lottery features ten monthly draws from July to April, each offering four prizes, £30, £20 and two £10's being awarded.

Winnings are doubled for the Grand Christmas draw in December, however, for several years we have been able to add further bonuses to this and prizes have been increased to £100, £50 and a third and fourth prize of £20.

Winners are drawn monthly in public at a village event and announced in the Buxhall Broadcast. Prizes are paid by cheque and delivered directly to the winners.

Prize amounts are contingent on reaching a subscription threshold of 200 participants, ensuring that the more people join, the greater the support for our beloved hall. In the event of a smaller number of participants, payment may have to be scaled back - although the chances of winning will remain as great!

Winners are celebrated publicly, deepening community bonds and fostering a spirit of camaraderie. So, consider subscribing to the Little Ernie Lottery and help keep our village hall thriving for future generations!

**To join contact [emilybyam1@gmail.com](mailto:emilybyam1@gmail.com)**

# The Rural Coffee Caravan

Making a difference  
to rural communities  
throughout Suffolk

*You're invited for a cuppa & cake*  
at **Buxhall Village Hall IP14 3DS**  
on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2pm - 4pm**  
*All welcome, and it's free!*



[www.ruralcoffeecaravan.org.uk](http://www.ruralcoffeecaravan.org.uk)





- **The Rural Coffee Caravan was founded in Suffolk** more than 20 years ago to do something practical to address the stresses of rural isolation and loneliness. The wheels turned on the idea of using a caravan as a mobile community café/information centre as a way of replacing some of the social infrastructure (pubs, shops, post offices) that much of rural Suffolk had lost, and the charity was constituted in 2003.

- **Growing from one van** making 15 visits a year back then to five vehicles making more than 500 a year now, we offer a 'social space in a rural place'. Each free visit happens upon invitation from the village and engages volunteers from the area, creating a place for locals to meet up whilst also offering access to information that helps support independent, happy living. Not only do our vans bring a cheerful and friendly drop in service, with plenty of tea and cake, the team carry with them a wealth of knowledge and practical advice. We can also visit existing local groups with just our info resources.

- **We deliver information in a way no other service does,** signposting support that isn't always easy to find online, gathered and handed directly into the hands of the people who need it most. Info on bereavement support, local events and activities, energy-saving grants and scam awareness, to pension credit applications, assistive care technology, mental & physical well-being and more.

**If you would like to know more:** [www.ruralcoffeecaravan.org.uk](http://www.ruralcoffeecaravan.org.uk)  
email: [info@ruralcoffeecaravan.org.uk](mailto:info@ruralcoffeecaravan.org.uk) phone: **01284 663 472**

Registered charity  
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Part funded by the National Lottery  
Community Fund





**The Village Hall is a fantastic venue for a variety of events and gatherings. With its versatile spaces, it can accommodate anything from intimate workshops to larger meetings or classes and regular clubs. The availability of a modern, fully fitted kitchen and high-quality furniture ensures a comfortable and functional environment. The added benefit of a license for alcohol use makes it suitable for social gatherings as well. Accessibility is well-considered with disabled toilet facilities and ample parking, including overflow options. The new projector is a great feature for presentations, even in daylight. The hall is undergoing tasteful redecoration in the early new year. For more information or to make a booking, you can reach out to them via email at [emilybyam1@gmail.com](mailto:emilybyam1@gmail.com).**

**There is a 2 hour minimum charge.**

<b>HOURLY RATE</b>	<b>HALL ONLY</b>	<b>HALL &amp; KITCHEN</b>
<b>Residents &amp; Village Organisations</b>	<b>£6.80</b>	<b>£9.35</b>
<b>Non- residents</b>	<b>£8.00</b>	<b>£11.00</b>
<b>Commercial</b>	<b>£10.00</b>	<b>£15.00</b>

**A wonderful opportunity to foster community  
engagement in Buxhall!**



**Advertising an event in the brochure could be a great way to attract more attendees and make the most of the village hall's facilities. This opportunity is exclusively for those hiring the village hall for their events, ensuring your gathering gets the visibility it deserves. By promoting events, you not only enhance the visibility of your gathering but also contribute to building new friendships and a vibrant community spirit. For just £15 over four months, it seems like a valuable investment to ensure your event gets the attention it deserves. If you have any upcoming events, this could be the perfect platform to showcase them.**

**Contact Janine - [jonandjanine@hotmail.com](mailto:jonandjanine@hotmail.com)**

**We are delighted to invite you to our extravaganza of events for  
December 2025 to April 2026**

**DECEMBER 2025**

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> ~ Tea Room ~ 12- 3pm

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> ~ Buxhall Bell Bar with Karaoke & Belles Kitchen 6-10pm

**JANUARY 2026**

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> ~ Whist ~2-5pm

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> ~ Candlestick Club ~ 2-4pm

Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> ~ Tea Room ~12-3pm

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> ~ Sound Bath ~ 6.30pm

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> ~ WI ~ 7.30pm

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> ~ Buxhall Bell Bar & Belles Kitchen ~ 6-9pm

**FEBRUARY 2026**

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> ~ Candlestick Club ~ 2-4pm

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> ~ Whist ~2-5pm

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> ~ Tea Room ~12-3pm

Wednesday 18<sup>st</sup> ~ WI ~ 7.30pm

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> ~ Bangers, Beans & Bingo ~ 7pm

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> ~ Sound Bath ~ 6.30pm

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> ~ Buxhall Bell Bar & Belles Kitchen ~ 6-9pm

**MARCH 2026**

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> ~ Candlestick Club ~ 2-4pm

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> ~ Whist ~2-5pm

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> ~ Tea Room ~12-3pm

Wednesday 18<sup>st</sup> ~ WI ~ 7.30pm

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> ~ Quiz Night ~ 7.30pm

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> - Spruce Up ~ 10am-12pm

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> ~ Sound Bath ~ 6.30pm

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> ~ Buxhall Bell Bar & Belles Kitchen ~ 6-9pm

**APRIL 2026**

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> ~ Candlestick Club ~ 2-4pm

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> ~ Whist ~2-5pm

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> ~ Tea Room ~12-3pm

Wednesday 15<sup>st</sup> ~ WI ~ 7.30pm

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> ~ Buxhall Bell Bar & Belles Kitchen ~ 6-9pm

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> ~ Sound Bath ~ 6.30pm

**...for further details please visit our website with links to socials**

**[www.buxhallvillage.co.uk](http://www.buxhallvillage.co.uk)**

**Buxhall Village Hall - 16 Mill Road, Buxhall, IP14 3DS**