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July is the seventh month of the year in the Gregorian Calendar and one of seven Gregorian months with the length of 31 days. It is, on average, the warmest month in most of the Northern hemisphere (where it is the second month of summer) and the coldest month in much of the Southern hemisphere. The second half of the year commences in July. The birthstone for July is a red ruby. In the Southern Hemisphere, July is the seasonal equivalent of January in the Northern Hemisphere. Previously, it was called Quintilis in Latin, since it was the fifth month in the ancient Roman calendar, before January became the first month of the calendar year (the year when displayed as twelve months in order) during the time of the decemvirs about 450 BC. In the ancient Roman calendar the ides of July fell on the 15th day of the month.

July starts on the same day of the week as April every year, and January in leap years.

Info from http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/July

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	Thursday	**14:00 - 16:30**
Normanby	**Monday - Thursday**	**09:00 - 13:00**
	Friday & Saturday	**09:00 - 12:30**

MOBILE LIBRARY

Hackthorn	**Near School**	**09:45 - 10:15**	**Monday**
Spridlington	**Church Hill**	**10:30 - 11:00**	**26th July**
Normanby	**Council Houses**	**11:15 - 11:45**	**23rd August**

Enquiries and renewals: 01522 782010

RECYCLING

Recycling facilities for glass, paper and cans are available in Glentham, behind the village hall and in Normanby-by-Spital at the Bottle & Glass. Please do not leave your empty boxes behind as we cannot dispose of them. Put them in your blue bin.
The wheelie bin at the village hall is not for others to use for their domestic waste when they forget to put their bin out.

LOCAL BUS TIMETABLE

Gainsborough to Market Rasen Monday to Friday

370 371 Gainsborough to Market Rasen

route number	370 School Days	371 Tues	371 SD/Tues
Gainsborough Bus Station	0740	1200	1450
Glentham	0805	1223	1513
Market Rasen Market Place	0820	1238	1528

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370 371 Market Rasen to Gainsborough

route number	371 SD/Tues	371 Tues	370 School Days
Market Rasen Market Place	0845	1245	1553
Glentham	0900	1300	1608
Gainsborough Bus Station	0924	1325	1628

Saturday bus to Scunthorpe

The 94 service stops at the Old Parsonage, Glentham at 9:24 a.m. and the return leaves Scunthorpe at 12:30 p.m. and gets to Glentham at 1:30 p.m.

FROM YOUR PARISH PRIEST

My dear friends,

THE BIBLE PART 2

Last month I wrote a brief introduction to The Bible: Part One. It ended with a nation in a mess. Just about everything that could go wrong had gone wrong. The people who thought they were the top nation found themselves at the bottom of the heap. A warning to all.

Into this situation comes a man. Bishop Philip Brooks, famous for the Christmas carol 'O Little Town of Bethlehem', describes him in this way...

One Solitary Life

Here is a man who was born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He grew up in another village. He worked in a carpenter's shop until he was thirty. Then for three years he was a wandering preacher.

He never owned a home. He never wrote a book. He never held an office. He never had a family. He never went to college. He never put his foot inside a big city. He never travelled two hundred miles from the place he was born. He never did any of the things that usually accompany greatness. He had no credentials but himself...

While still a young man, the tide of popular opinion turned against him. His friends ran away. One of them denied Him. He was turned over to His enemies. He went through the mockery of a trial. He was nailed upon a cross between two thieves. While He was dying His executioners gambled for the only piece of property he had on earth – His coat. When he was dead, he was laid in a borrowed grave through the pity of a friend.
Nineteen (well, twenty, now) long centuries have come and gone, and today he is still a centrepiece of the human race.

All the armies that ever marched, all the navies that were ever built; all the parliaments that ever sat and all the kings that ever reigned, put together, have not affected the life of man upon this earth as powerfully as has that one solitary life.

I wonder what you make of that? The first four "books" of the New Testament give us four different takes on that one solitary life. They are different, and yet they are not. They tell the same story, and yet they don't. Have you ever read them? If you haven't, are you in a position to have your own view on that one solitary life?

The rest of the New Testament picks up at that point. I don't think there is room for more this month. So while you wait for Part 3, why not take the Bible down from your bookshelf, dust it down, and have a go at reading a book called Mark...

God bless us all,

Peter Godden

THIS MONTH'S PARISH CHURCH SERVICES

	Time	Service	Place	By
Thursday 1st	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Owmby	RC
Sunday 4th	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Spridlington	MC
	6:30 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Owmby	ST
Tuesday 6th	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Spridlington	ST/AH
Thursday 8th	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Spridlington	MC
Friday 9th	2:30 p.m.	Renewal of Vows	Spridlington	PG
Sunday 11th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Spridlington	PG
	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	PG
	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Saxby	ST
	11:00 a.m.	Family Communion	Spridlington	PG
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Glentham	PG
Tuesday 13th	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Spridlington	ST/AH
Thursday 15th	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Glentham	MC
Sunday 18th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Glentham	RC
	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Owmby	RC
	11:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Hackthorn	R Cumb
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Spridlington	R Cumb
Tuesday 20th	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Spridlington	ST/AH
Thursday 22nd	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	MC
Sunday 25th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	PG
	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Saxby	JD
	11:00 a.m.	Family Service	Owmby	PG
Tuesday 27th	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Spridlington	ST/AH
Thursday 29th	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Normanby	JP

Glentham Methodist Church

Sunday 4th	9:30 a.m.		Rev Marty Presdee
Sunday 11th	10:45 a.m.	Messy Church	
Sunday 18th	6:00 p.m.		Mr B Smith
Sunday 25th	8:45 a.m.	Breakfast with Service at 9:30 a.m.	Ian Hardcastle

PRESENCE BIBLE STUDY AND PRAYER GROUP

Inter-denominational - Praying for our Communities

Thursday 1st July, 7:00 p.m. at Tilsit, Bishop Norton Road, Glentham.

Contact Jenny or Peter on 01673 878806

SOLOMON'S TEMPLE AND ITS DEDICATION BY SOLOMON

The opening services ok King Solomon's Temple consisted of two great ceremonials, which were separated by thirteen years.
The first of the ceremonials was coincidental with the completion of the sanctuary buildings. The masonry of the sanctuary, including the lofty portico and the two holy chambers, is described as having been first furnished in *1 Kings v9.* It is followed by finishing of the carving, woodwork and carpentry (*1 Kings v14*). The third finish was the decorations, including gold plating and gilding (*1 Kings v22*). The last finish was not completed in time for the opening.
Accounts of the opening for daily use are given in *1 Kings v8 1-11* and *II Chronicles v1-14.* Before King Solomon's birth the Ark of the Covenant had been brought from Kirjath-jearim, to Mount Ophel; it was decided to bring the Ark to its final resting place in the temple, those who were officially assembled were representative men only, the first of these were the twelve princes of the tribes, then the elders of Israel and then the heads of houses numbering seventy in all, the gathering was small although probably spectators were present. King Solomon led the procession with the national representatives following, then the priests blowing silver trumpets and last came the Levites, carrying the sacred Ark and all of the holy vessels.
The distance was less than half a mile, but the procession moved very slowly, for as was the old custom, every six paces an ox and a sheep were sacrificed before the Ark, so the whole way was covered with blood and the sheep and oxen sacrificed were so great in number that no record was kept, and so the Ark was brought to the temple door, the Ark, still containing the two tablets of stone placed there by Moses, was taken by the priests who conveyed the treasure to its place in the Holy of Holies, alongside the western wall between the outstretched wings of the large cherubim and as the priests retired, the golden cloud of the Shekinah filled the temple with the glory of the Lord.

FOOT NOTE
The Temple was destroyed by the King Nebuchadnezzar II in 586 BC after having stood for 422 years.

Researched by John Ivory - January 2010

POWERHOUSE

PRAYER IS THE FUEL THAT POWERS THE ENGINE OF FAITH AND FAITH MOVES MOUNTAINS

The five parishes' combined prayer groups will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Monday 12th of July. Please call Rosemary on (01673) 878258 for venue details

THE FOCUS FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS MONTH

'As school holidays approach we ask for safety for our children.
Thank you, Lord for the opportunity for a holiday, for refreshment in our minds,bodies and souls. Remembering too for those who are not able to take a holiday. Bless them in their homes and may the peace of the Lord be with them.'

PLEASE JOIN YOUR PRAYERS WITH US DAILY THROUGHOUT THIS MONTH. YOU ARE VERY WELCOME TO JOIN US AT OUR WEEKLY VILLAGE PRAYER MEETINGS AND IN OUR MONTHLY GROUP MEETING.

For information on your local prayer group please contact the Rector or local Churchwarden

FROM THE REGISTERS

Baptisms:
None

Weddings:
at Hackthorn on 12th June - James Haxton & Lucy Ward

Funerals and Burials:
at Glentham on May 27th - Cecil Herbert Shaw, aged 79



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THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

God gave me another gentle reminder of what is essential this morning. I was rushing around trying to get too many things done at once and not doing any of them very well. As I was about to start my next chore, though, I caught a glimpse of brilliant light shining through my living room window. The sun had just risen over the mountains and was shining brightly down on the Earth. Its glorious, golden beams were joyfully waking the world. Seeing this I walked out on my front porch to take a break from doing and spend some time living. The sky was the purest blue imaginable. The air was so fresh and cool that I breathed in deeply with delight. I listened to the birds singing happily in the nearby trees as they greeted the morning. I then stood for a while paying attention to this wonderful world God has given us. Before I went back inside, I told God just how much I loved Him and thanked Him again for my life.

Life is so full of beauty, wonder, and delight. Life is so full of kindness, peace, and happiness. Life is so full of love and joy. God has given us a world overflowing with good things for us to rejoice in. It is up to us, however, to pay attention to them. It is up to us to take them into our hearts, souls, and minds. And it is up to us to share them with the world.

Don't go through life too busy to see that essential wonder and beauty around you then. Pay attention to it. Pay attention to that golden sunlight and brilliant blue sky. Pay attention to that first flower poking its head through the dirt in the Spring. Pay attention to that smiling child wanting to play and laugh with you. Pay attention to that beautiful, old soul sharing stories about his life with you. Pay attention to those people who are reaching out to you and offering to share their love and joy with you. Pay attention to the glorious love that God freely offers you every second of your life. Life is too short not to pay attention.

MAXIMS OF EDWARD KING
BISHOP OF LINCOLN 1885 – 1910

Sun July 4 However puzzling, however hard our life may be, it is good for us to hold fast by God.
Sun July 11 In Christ our Lord is our rest and hope, and we must try to represent Him down here by Christ-like lives.
Sun July 18 Where there is reverent thoughtful love, there is no vain repetition in prayers.
Sun July 25 Lift up your heart on the Saints' days to realise more fully your communion with the departed.

If you have an article or story you feel would be of interest to our readers, please contact Steve, the editor, for more details. His telephone number is on page 2.
Full contact details are on the website - http://owmbygroup.co.uk

BISHOP'S LETTER

"It's not on any map: true places never are"
(from Moby Dick)

Maps are marvellous. The current exhibition of maps at the British Library in London is attracting large crowds, and Mike Parker's Map Addict is proving to be a bit of a best-seller.

Why? What is it about maps which we find so compelling? Well in part the answer lies in the stories they tell about how people past and present have seen their world. They highlight the things that mattered most to previous generations, and today they facilitate travel and communications in ever more sophisticated ways.

But they remain artificial. They try to present in two dimensions what is essentially a three-dimensional world. Fascinating though they are, they only work when we apply to them our three-dimensional experience of the world around us so as to see in our mind's eye the hills and valleys on the flat map as they really are.

Adding a further dimension to what we see, hear, feel and touch day by day is what faith in God is all about. So many people lead two-dimensional lives with little sense of that something more which transfigures reality and transcends what is otherwise ordinary and everyday.

Rudolph Otto, a famous theologian of the last century, used the word "numinous" to describe that idea of the Holy which we discern with the eye of faith. Living by faith is three-dimensional living. Why settle for a mere map when you can experience the real thing? Why settle for life in two dimensions when Jesus offers us life in all its fullness (John 10:10)?

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NORMANBY-BY-SPITAL PARISH COUNCIL

There is still a vacancy for a Parish Councillor so would anyone wishing to apply please contact the Clerk, Nadine Fox 01673 878148 with a brief resume. You need to be over 18 and lived or worked within a 3 mile radius of the village for over 2 years.

The next full meeting will be held on Wednesday 21st July - hopefully in the Bottle & Glass dining room.

Nadine Fox - Clerk

SIGNPOST HELPLINE

Signpost Helpline has now acquired its permanent mobile phone number.
07523 999598
We are not up and running yet as there is quite a bit of work to do, but the **Garden Party** being held at Graber House on **Monday 19th July** from 2.30pm until 4.30pm is to help raise funds to keep us going. Everyone is welcome and there may be a few garden games and for the adventurous, there is a small indoor swimming pool, which will be open for use.

I look forward to seeing a lot of you there.

Nadine Fox

OWMBY-BY-SPITAL PARISH COUNCIL

NOTES ON ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The Annual Parish meeting was held in the Parish Church on Monday, May 24 2010
The Chairman gave a report on the Council's work throughout the year.
1. Precept for 2009/10 = £2240
2. Grant of £7250 was received for the very successful "Voices of 39" project OPC contributed £100
3. Annual cost of verge mowing £704
4. £100 donated towards "Signpost"
5. Highgate Lane in very bad repair - Repairs promised this year
6. PC negotiating with WLDC to take over management of cemetery in 2011.
7. Litter Pick on Sunday 23
8. Thanks to:
   Avril Harrison for doing the Internal Audit
   County & District Councilors & Police for attendance when possible.
   Margaret Harrison for opening Church for meetings
   Fellow Councilors and the PC Clerk for their efforts over the year.

OPEN MEETING

1. 9 Villagers and PC members joined in the Litter Pick on May 23. 10 bags of rubbish were collected from the verges and a big thanks to everyone concerned including West Lindsey who supplied the pickers and bags. Next year the Litter Pick will be held in March.

2. Parishioner suggested that some receptacles should be provided in the cemetery on Mill Lane for dead flowers, wreaths etc removed from graves. This will be addressed in the discussions with WLDC over the graveyard.

OWMBY-BY-SPITAL PARISH COUNCIL

Minutes of the Annual Council Meeting held in the Parish Church on Monday, May 24 2010.

All Councillors the declaration of acceptance of office after the recent election

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

Resolved that Cllr G. Crompton-Howe be elected Chairman for the ensuing year

DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Cllrs D.J. Mellor and Mrs J. M. Buckley declared a personal interest as Members of Owmby PCC

ELECTION OF VICE- CHAIRMAN

Resolved that Cllr D. J. Mellor be Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year

APPOINTMENT OF CHEQUE SIGNATORIES

Resolved that Cllrs G Crompton Howe, Mrs J. Buckley and D. Mellor be authorised to sign Council cheques

OUTSTANDING BUSINESS

1. There was now one vacancy on the Council. Resolved that former Councilor Mrs M. Perry be thanked for her service to community over the past 3 years.
2. When asked if negotiations with a land owner to achieve land for a playing field had made progress, the Chairman replied that although the land owner was interested in selling land, he was unable to proceed at present because of the present tenant's security of tenure. It was noted that the situation may now have changed, and the Chairman agreed to talk to the land owner again.

FINANCE & ACCOUNTS FOR PAYMENT

Resolved that the following be paid :

Clerk's salary (£144.58 + £8.00 exp)	£152.58
Veolia (Grass cutting)	£117.78
Owmby PCC (Hire of Church)	£30.00 (2 Meetings)

STATEMENT OF ASSURANCE

Resolved that the statement of assurance be completed and signed.
Mrs Harrison had kindly agreed to conduct the internal audit again.

PROPOSED TAKE OVER OF CEMETERY MANAGEMENT & MAINTAINANCE

Requests to WLDC for further information had largely been ignored. Much work still needs to be done before the Parish Council will consider accepting responsibility for the cemetery.
Resolved that a letter be sent to WLDC asking for all the promised repairs etc to be completed urgently and Officers be invited to meet the Council in July for further discussions to ensure that the Council can make a final decision on the matter before it needs to determine the precept in November.

REVIEW OF PLANNING DECISIONS

Concern was expressed that a planning application for development of holiday chalets off Cliff Rd. had not been sent to the Council for comment.

CORRESPONDENCE

Members noted:
1. Code of Conduct Training session on July 19
2. Consultation on Flood Risk Strategy

NB

Any member of the Parish who would like to become a Parish Councilor please contact the Clerk or the Chairman.

THANK YOU

OWMBY AND NORMANBY GIFT DAY

On behalf of the PCC of Owmby and Normanby Church I would like to say **a very big thank you** for the contributions towards our gift day, it stands at £471.37 at the moment. Anyone else wishing to send any money **can still do so**, please pass it on to any of the PCC members or Peter Godden.

May I also thank *those people who generously give a monthly amount* to the Church, this helps enormously with our expenditure. If any one would like to do this, our bank account is held at NatWest, Smiths, Lincoln. Sort code: 60-13-15. Account No: 90528913. Take this information along to your own bank and ask to set up a standing order. It can be for as little or as much as you feel able to give - i.e. £5.00 per month would only be just over 16p per day.

Very much appreciated, thank you, Avril

RAINBOW FELLOWSHIP

The Cottage, Main Street, Normanby

Monday 5th July at 2:00 p.m.

THIS MONTH'S SUBJECT

Planning for Next Year

Please come along with ideas

New Members Welcome



TREASURE HUNT

The Owmby and Normanby treasure hunt was thoroughly enjoyed by all. Many thanks to all the families who took part and finished earlier than anticipated, and for making it such an enjoyable day.

The winners of the treasure were:

The Balmers and **The Harrisons**. Well done to both families.

Special thanks go to:-

* Carole Roberts for the use of her garden for the event.
* Sandra in the Bottle & Glass for baking the delicious scones.
* Joan in the post office for her generous donation.
* All the parents and members of the church for their generous donations of raffle prizes and prizes for the children's tombola.
* The Sunday special children for organising the games.
* And not forgetting Sam Watson for organising the treasure hunt and thinking up the clues which made even some of the 'grown ups' scratch their heads!

Due to the change in the weather the event ended sooner than expected and we apologise to anyone who missed some out on the fun.

A total of £165 was raised for the church funds.

Once again, very many thanks for all those who had a hand in the event.

OWMBY CRICKET CLUB

PRESENTS PRIZE

"BINGO at the BOTTLE"

FRIDAY 9th JULY, AT
THE BOTTLE & GLASS, NORMANBY
First game at 8.30pm
PRIZES RAFFLE

COFFEE MORNING

Thursday 1st July - 10:30 a.m.

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OWMBY CHURCH PCC MONTHLY DRAW		
1st	**2nd**	**3rd**
Tina Harrison	**Alma Hoare**	**Jim Connor**



Whist Drive Results

1st Lady	Marlene James	**1st Gent**	Brian Jois
2nd Lady	Tina Harrison	**2nd Gent**	Richard Harrison
Low Score	Janet Andrew Brian James	**Near Score**	Avril Harrison Neville James
Miniature	Brian Jois Marlene James	**Raffle**	Neville James Brian James

Anyone wishing to join us at the next Whist Drive, it will be held at the home of
Ken & Lois Green on the 28th of July starting at 7:30 p.m.
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Talking about newcomers reminds us that we will soon be waving farewell to another group of leavers, who are busy planning our Leavers' Service which will take place in Hackthorn Church at 2pm on **July 21st.** Please come if you are able.

Another date for your diary is the School Fair which will be held on the **9th July** at 3:30pm, where there will be all sorts of games and stalls organised. Who knows, maybe this year we'll get to hold it outside again!

Lots of sporting activity going on at this time of year, too. We managed to pick up another trophy after our visit to North Kesteven for the inter schools 'Quick Sticks' hockey tournament. This is a fast-paced four-a-side version of the game which our pupils have taken to very enthusiastically, running out eventual winners having won every game in the tournament.

The year 5/6 cricket team will soon be defending the trophy which we won last year, so we wish them well for that one too.

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Saturday 28th August

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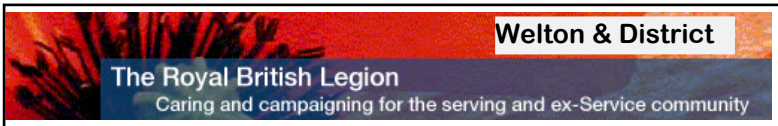
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Our next meeting will be on Thursday, 8th July, at The Falconer in Hackthorn Road, starting at 7.00pm.

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It was good to see so many faces at the recent PDA Drivers meeting and we would like to thank you all for your time and dedication which is greatly appreciated by so many of our patients.

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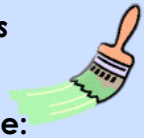


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What's On Diary

Day / Date		Time	Function	Venue
Thurs	1	10:00 a.m.	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Thurs	1	10:30 a.m.	Coffee Morning	Westfield House, Owmby
Thurs	1	7:00 p.m.	Presence Bible Study and Prayer	Tilsit, Glentham
Mon	5	2:00 p.m.	Rainbow Fellowship	The Cottage, Normanby
Tues	6	7:30 p.m.	Glentham & Caenby Tapestry Group	Trap House, Glentham
Thurs	8	10:00 a.m.	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Thurs	8	7:00 p.m.	Royal British Legion Meeting	Falconer, Welton
Fri	9	3:30 p.m.	School Fair	Hackthorn C of E Primary
Fri	9	8:30 p.m.	Bingo at the Bottle	Bottle & Glass, Normanby
Sat	10	9:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast	Crown, Glentham
Sun	11	10:45 a.m.	Messy Church	Glentham Chapel
Mon	12	2:00 p.m.	Glentham 55+ Club	Glentham Village Hall
Mon	12	7:30 p.m.	Powerhouse	TBA
Wed	14	2:30 p.m.	Afternoon Tea and Music	St Hilary's Spridlington
Thurs	15	10:00 a.m.	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Deadline for Entries to Signpost Thursday 15th July 6:00 p.m.				
Thurs	15	7:30 p.m.	Glentham Singers;' Showtime	Glentham Village Hall
Tues	20	10:30 a.m.	Coffee Morning	Old Parsonage, Glentham
Thurs	22	10:00 a.m.	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Mon	26	9:45 a.m.	Mobile Library	Various Stops
Wed	28	7:30 p.m.	Whist Drive	Home of Ken & Lois Green
Thurs	29	10:00 a.m.	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall

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