

*Felsham & Gedding*

# Village News

Welcome to the March issue of the Village News.

As I type this Storm Doris is battering at the windows and howling round the house so not feeling very Spring like right now, but it is nice to see the nights starting to pull out.

Visited the Winter Gardens and Snowdrop Walk at Anglesey Abbey last week which are looking beautiful. I love the planting of paper white birch which look straight out of a Klimt painting and the winter box planted throughout just smelt amazing!

Have you visited anywhere in Suffolk recently that you would recommend to other people? If so why not write a few lines about it or send in some photographs and we will pass your suggestion on to other readers of the magazine.



Whatever your plans are for March, have a great time.

Serena

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## **Dates For Your Diary**

14<sup>th</sup> March – WI, Felsham Village Hall, 7.30pm

16<sup>th</sup> March – Village Friends, Moat House Felsham, 2pm

24<sup>th</sup> March – General Knowledge Quiz  
(Fundraiser for Playing Field), Village Hall 7.30pm

## **WHAT'S ON IN THE VILLAGE HALL**

**Yoga**: Classes every Monday evening 6.00pm

**W.I.**: Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month at 7.30pm

**Zumba**: Classes every Tuesday evening 7-8pm

**Baby & Toddler Yoga**: Monday 10.00 - 11.30 am

**Carpet Bowls**: Meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month  
at 7.30pm

**Whist Drive**: Meets on the third Friday of each month at 7.30pm

**Film Night**: Shows 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month. Doors 7.00pm for  
7.30pm

## **COMPLAINTS**

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The Village News team would welcome your feedback

Do you have any comments about what we do, what's going well, anything you'd like us to change.

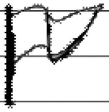
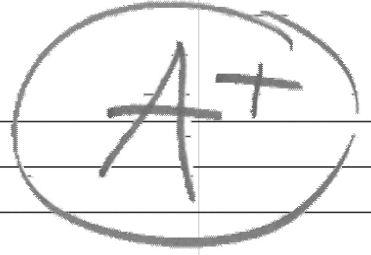
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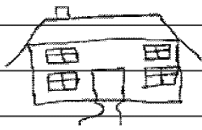
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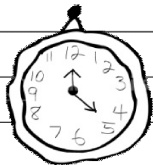
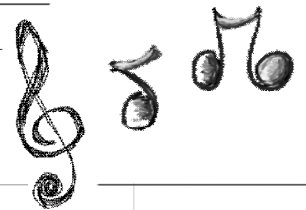
# QUIZ NIGHT



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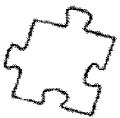


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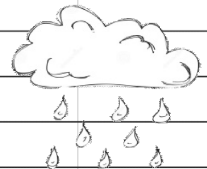


24<sup>th</sup> March

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## Felsham and Gedding W.I Meeting February 2017

Pip Wright was our guest speaker for the evening with a talk entitled

### *Frolic, Fervour and Fornification*

The title had caused great disquiet amongst one W.I group where he had been due to speak so much so that the Secretary had contacted him to cancel it (she relented when he said most of the contents had been written by vicars) but the members of F&G are not easily offended so in common parlance they were 'up for it' and looking forward to it.

This was a subject that didn't disappoint as some of the writings in ancient parish registers were graphic and vividly descriptive with a choice of words we might hesitate to use today.

Sometimes a vicar vented his spleen about the behaviour/conduct of a parishioner in no uncertain terms. In fact you could feel a certain sympathy linking you across 300 years when you heard how a particular individual in a village (not a million miles from here) had managed to make at least 3 single women in the parish pregnant, not once but on several occasions.

I am getting ahead of myself so back to the beginning

Parish chests were introduced in medieval times to store their registers, and usually had 3 locks with one key being held by the vicar and the other 2 by the churchwardens.

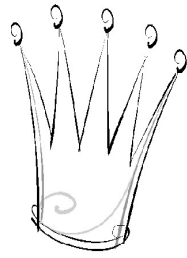
In 1538 keeping parish registers became law and by 1598 every parish had a book of baptisms, weddings and funerals. It appears the first surviving one for Felsham is 1655-57, now held in the Suffolk Record Office.

We were treated to tales of wife sellers, crooked bankers, rogue rectors, spendthrifts and fornicators! which proved to be a fascinating glimpse of Suffolk life through the ages.

Next month will be a chocolate demonstration and tasting (by Sarah Knights) So why not come along as a guest -7.30pm, Village Hall, 14<sup>th</sup> March.


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March 16th 2017

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There is no charge for those attending.

**All welcome, just come along.**

The meetings are held at:  
Moat House, Felsham.  
Sue Jell 01284 828892 or  
West Lodge, Bradfield St George.  
Lynn Cardale 01284 386327

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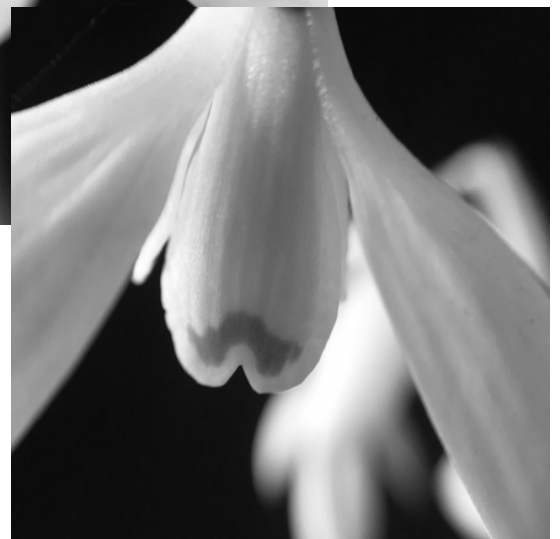
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We all love to see the snowdrops out in the garden this time of year, but its worth taking an even closer look at them as there is so much beautiful detail in such a small flower.



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## MARCH RECIPE

### Bacon, Leek and Potato Gratin

Serves 4

Preparation: 25 minutes

Cooking time: 1 hour and 15 minutes



### INGREDIENTS

- 200g pack unsmoked rindless back bacon rashers
- 25g (1oz) butter
- 450g (1lb) trimmed leeks finely sliced
- 1 clove crushed garlic
- 1 bramley apple
- 2 teaspoons of lemon juice
- 600g (1lb 5oz) potatoes (pref. King Edward) peeled and thinly sliced
- 142ml pot thick double cream
- 90ml (6 tablespoons) milk
- 1 tablespoons wholegrain mustard
- 3oz emmental or cheddar – grated

### METHOD

- Dry fry the bacon and remove from pan
- Add butter and gently sauté leeks for 5 minutes
- Stir in garlic and apple and cook for a further 2 minutes
- Add lemon juice and black pepper.
- Mix in bacon
- Turn mixture in to a deep buttered ovenproof dish (8" x 22")
- Arrange potato slice on top of mixture
- Mix together cream, milk, mustard and salt then pour over potatoes
- Cover with foil and bake in preheated oven at 200°C (Gas 6, Fan 180°) for 50 minutes or until potatoes are tender
- Remove foil, sprinkle over cheese and return to oven for further 20 minutes

### Serving suggestion:

This is a rich dish so nice served with a crispy green salad and some crusty bread



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Despite a flurry of winter weather there are definite signs of spring across the Heart of Suffolk with the hint of some buds in the trees, birds busy in the hedgerows, and snow drops and daffodils beginning to decorate the grass verges.

Spring is certainly making its presence felt at the Mid-Suffolk Tourist Information Centre - situated at the Museum of East Anglian Life, in Stowmarket – where the team are busy preparing for this year’s influx of visitors and dealing with enquiries from people planning their visit to the area. Helping to promote the area is the new visitor guide for 2017 “Escape to the Heart of Suffolk”. Produced by Mid Suffolk and Babergh District the guide is full of great ideas for things to see and do in the area including museums and galleries, farm and craft shops plus features on the Wool Towns, Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty, plus cycling and walking in the area.

You can pick up your own free copy from the Tourist Information Centre. And remember to check out [www.heartofsuffolk.co.uk](http://www.heartofsuffolk.co.uk) for up to date information on local attractions and events.

If you haven’t been into the Tourist Information Centre lately then now is a good time to call in to see what the new season has in store. As well as free leaflets and brochures of things to do and places to visit - in Suffolk, East Anglia, and beyond – there is a great selection of unique, quality gifts (many produced locally) including chocolate, honey, cosmetics, and local interest books. Take advantage of a special offer and buy £10.00 worth or more of greeting cards (many with scenes by local artists) and receive 20% off.

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Dear Friends,

We begin Lent on the 1<sup>st</sup> March this year, with our normal service of communion with Ashing at Bradfield St George. This year we're going to start with coffee at 10.30 and then start the service around 11am.

What is Lent all about? For many Lent signifies a time to 'give something up'. This has come through the traditional observance of Lent by Christians in the 40 days prior to Easter. We take our inspiration from Jesus himself, who spent 40 days in the desert fasting, praying and being tempted. It was almost a kind of preparation for the next three years of his ministry.

But why 40 days? 40 is a significant number in Jewish-Christian scripture. As well as Jesus spending 40 days in the wilderness, we also have:

- In Genesis, the flood which destroyed the earth was brought about by 40 days and nights of rain
- The Hebrews spent 40 years in the wilderness before reaching the land promised to them by God
- Moses fasted for 40 days before receiving the ten commandments on Mount Sinai

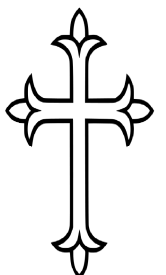
Many people ask me if on Mothering Sunday we can have a break from fasting. Traditionally Mothering Sunday has been seen as a day to take a break from fasting, but I don't think there are any hard and fast rules about it!

At the heart of Lent is a desire to really take a step back from our every day activities, to reflect on our relationship with God, with one another, and with the world. As we draw near to the marking of Good Friday, that day when Jesus gave his life for us all, it is good to spend some time thinking about those things outside ourselves. We do live in a selfish world, and I think that Lent helps us to remember that we are not alone, and that there are other things that demand our attention apart from ourselves.

We can then prepare ourselves to walk the way of the cross with Jesus during Holy Week, and of course, look forward to celebrating his glorious resurrection.

Yours in Christ,  
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## Cockfield Benefice Services – March 2017

Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> March Ash Wednesday	10.30am coffee followed by Ashing and Communion Service	Bradfield St George
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> March 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent	9.30am Morning Prayer BCP	Gedding
	11am Communion	Cockfield
	4pm Evening Prayer	Bradfield St Clare
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> March 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent	8am Communion	Cockfield
	9.30am Benefice Family Service	Felsham
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent	9.30am Communion	Bradfield St George
	11am Communion	Cockfield
	6pm Six2seven	Felsham Village Hall
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> March 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent/Mothering Sunday	9.30am Communion	Gedding
	11am Mothering Sunday Service	Cockfield
	4pm Evening Prayer	Bradfield St George

<b>Daily Prayer</b>				
Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9am Cockfield	5pm Felsham	5pm Bradfield St Clare	5pm Gedding	5pm Bradfield St George

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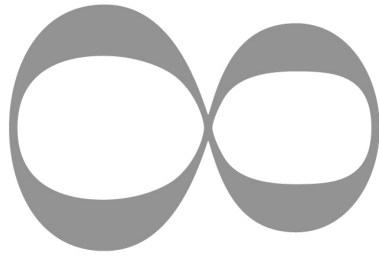
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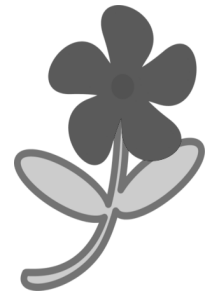
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## Thorpe Morieux and District Gardening Club.



The February meeting of The Thorpe Morieux and District Gardening Club proved to be disappointing for the members who turned out in good numbers. The invited speaker, sadly, did not turn up due to a diary mix up on his part. He was due to give a presentation on pruning which hope fully can be carried out at a later date since many gardeners tend to be rather wary when armed with secateurs.

However the club made good use of the evening as gardeners are never short of conversation about their hobby be it Vegetable or Floral. The Chairman took the opportunity to catch up with some of the business of the club while the members enjoyed a cup of tea.

The Club competition for this month was to produce a Winter Botanic Display from your garden. The best entry was judged to be from Carol Bailey whose display of large Hellebore blooms backed by branches of Sarcococca in flower giving off a beautiful scent for this time of year. The competition for next month is for The Home Pride Trophy which is to produce 5 Butterfly Cakes to a given Mary Berry recipe. This usually attracts a good entry as gardeners like to prove that they can cook to a high standard as well as grow food.

The seed potato distribution also took place giving each member a potato to be grown in a container. At the annual garden Party the containers are brought along, tipped out, and the crop is weighed to determine who has produced the heaviest. This year the variety “Jazzy” has been chosen for its value as a salad potato as well as its use for other culinary purposes.

The Chairman also discussed the value of “coffee grounds” as a useful addition to the compost heap. Apparently a Bury coffee shop makes available free bags of this normally waste product to gardeners. It was recommended that club members should give it a try and report back the results of this experiment.

Arrangements for the club's annual outing were also discussed. This year the venue is the RHS Hampton Court Palace Flower Show in July. Travelling by coach advantages of reduced costs have been negotiated due to the club's membership of the RHS.

The Chairman, Linda Shotbolt, closed the meeting thanking those present and apologising for the absence of the speaker. However she felt that the members had made good use of the time and expressed the hope that all had enjoyed the evening.

Sid Broughton.

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### *Joan's Trips*

Our next outing will be a visit to:

### *Hyde Hall on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> August*

Seats will cost £12 and the coach will leave the Village Hall car park at 9.30am.

Anyone wishing to book a seat can contact:  
Tricia Wilson – 01449 736330 or Eileen Turner – 01449 737289

Joan's Trips start again this month and we will try to keep to the third Tuesday of the month but we are a bit dependent on coach availability.

Our first trip is to the RHS gardens at Hyde Hall, Chelmsford. On site there are plenty of places to visit: a plant/gift shop, a café, a restaurant and a reading room as well as various gardens and a woodland walk. Most, but not all, of the site is wheelchair friendly.

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SOCIAL CLUB**

**MARCH FILM SHOW**

**SATURDAY 25TH MARCH**

We are showing an Australian drama from 2006

**LOOK BOTH WAYS**

PG-13



The film show starts at 7.30 pm as usual  
and the bar and hall will be open from 7pm

**Future shows**

**April 15<sup>th</sup> film: Nebraska**

**May 20<sup>th</sup> film: Howards End**

**New members and guests are very welcome to join us**



**SUFFOLK BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT (SBS)**

***'Easing loss through group support'***

**Recently bereaved or suffering a delayed reaction to loss?  
Are you in need of help and support?**

Why not join a small focused group, of 5-10, sharing bereavement issues?  
Groups are led by an experienced facilitator creating a warm, safe  
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Groups are free and open to Suffolk residents able to attend the  
Hadleigh (afternoon) or Capel St Mary (evening) venues

**For more details or to reserve a place contact  
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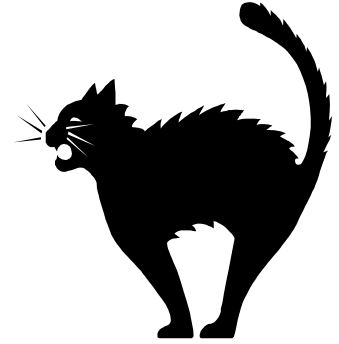
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**I found this article on an old CD and forgot how funny it was, certainly brings back memories of having two cats.**

**Contributed by Jan Cooper**

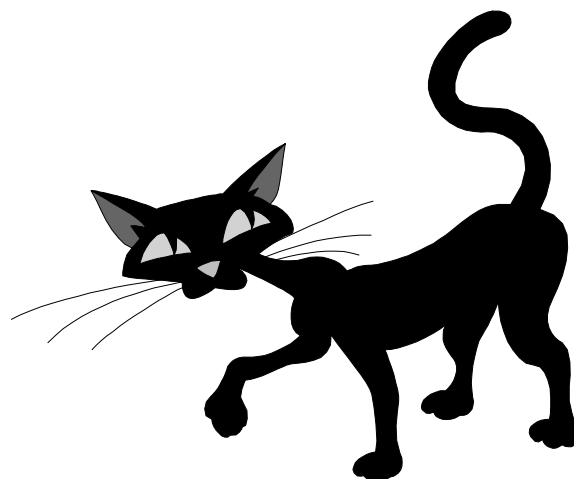


## **HOW TO GIVE A CAT A PILL**

1. Make a fuss of cat and cradle it in the crook of your left arm as if holding a baby. Position right forefinger and thumb on either side of cat's face and gently apply pressure to cheeks while holding pill in right hand. As cat opens mouth, pop pill inside – allow cat to close mouth and swallow.
2. Retrieve pill from floor and cat from behind sofa. Fondle cat then cradle it in left arm as before, but use left thumb and forefinger to apply pressure from beneath chin. When cat's mouth open insert pill using right hand.
3. Fetch cat from under dining room table, dispose of soggy pill and take fresh pill from foil wrap. Cradle animal in left arm hold rear paws firmly in left hand. Coax jaws open and push pill to back of cat's throat with right forefinger. Hold mouth shut for count of ten.
4. Retrieve pill from goldfish bowl and cat from top of stairs. Call partner in from garden.
5. Kneel on floor of lounge with cat wedged firmly between knees; hold front and back paws. Ignore ominous sounds emitted by cat. Get partner to hold head still with one hand while inserting wooden spatula into cat's mouth with the other. Roll pill down wooden spatula into cat's mouth and stroke cat's throat firmly while making smoothing noises.
6. Lift cat down from curtain rail, tell partner to abandon search for pill and take another from packet. Carefully sweep shattered figurines from hearth and set aside for gluing later.
7. Wrap cat in towel with just head protruding. Get partner to kneel on floor with cat between knees while you place pill in end of drinking straw. Gently prise cat's jaws open, quickly insert straw and blow down it as seen on TV series about vets.
8. Check label on packet to ensure pill not harmful to humans and drink glass of orange squash to remove taste. Apply elastoplast to partner's forearms and remove blood-spots from carpets with cold water.



9. Recruit teenage son to retrieve cat from your neighbour's shed and take another pill from pack. Wrap cat in your largest bath-towel and with it firmly between partner's knees and with son holding its head with both hands, gently force jaws apart. Quickly flick pill deep down into mouth with thumb and forefinger.
10. Apply cold compress to cheeks and teenage son's hands. Check dates of family's last tetanus jabs. While partner picks up pill fragments, ring fire service to rescue cat from tall tree across the road and apologise to neighbour who crashed car into fence while avoiding cat.
11. Fetch blanket from spare bedroom and two pairs of heavy duty pruning gloves from shed. Remove last remaining pill from packet.
12. On return of cat, make fuss of it to restore its and your confidence. Move into kitchen where floor is more easily cleaned and wrap cat in blanket. Put on gloves. By now partner will automatically kneel on floor with pet clasped securely between knees while son steadies head in gloved hand. As son carefully prises jaws open push pill inside quickly followed by small piece of raw fillet steak and finely chopped prawns. Hold cat's head vertically to encourage swallowing.
13. Get partner to drive you and teenage son to Accident and Emergency. Sit quietly ruminating while doctor tends to sundry wounds and removes remnants of pill and steak from right eye. On way home call at drapers shop to order new curtains, towels and blanket.
14. On return find cat eaten raw steak and prawns and now asleep in partner's favourite armchair. Arrange for RSPCA to re-home cat and ring local pet shop to enquire if any hamsters for sale.



# Just for Kids

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## Have you played the alphabet game before?

If not its very easy.

You can play it on your own as a pad and pencil game, or you can play with friends and family where you take it in turns to say the next answer.

You choose a subject and then you have to find a name or item for every letter of the alphabet.

I am sure you can think up some great subjects of your own but here are a ideas to few to get you started.

- Girls Names
- Boys Names
- Animas and Birds
- Type of foods
- Television programmes

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Two comedy plays to tickle your toes  
At springtime

*Definitely not!*

# The End of the End of the Pier Show

But perhaps the end of the Pier

**Felsham & Gedding Village Hall**

**Felsham-on-Sea**

**Friday & Saturday**

**28th & 29th April 2017**

Doors open 7 pm

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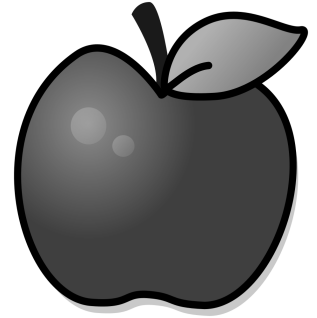
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## **Why not organise a community Apple Day to turn your autumn fruit into juice?**



It's good for community spirit, healthy, all ages can take part, easy, low cost, educational, productive, satisfying, makes use of produce that might otherwise go to waste and, best of all, it's great fun!

In Brettenham, our Apple Day has become a popular annual event that people look forward to from early spring when the first fruit blossoms appear. And we would like to help and encourage others to do the same. The juicing works really well as a group activity for villages, schools, gardening clubs, charities, or just a group of friends.

This year we are hoping to buy our own equipment that we can share locally with others. Until now, each year, we have made two long journeys to Kent and back to collect and return the press and scrapper (this is the machine that crushes the apples – children love turning the handle). Having tried several types of press we have found a 40lt hydro press is most efficient when dealing with the quantities of fruit at a community Apple Day but there are few available for hire so to have our own would be a huge help to us but also to other like-minded groups of people local to us who can make use of it too.

We are currently trying to gauge how many groups might be interested in using the juicing equipment if it were available locally, so if you are interested we would love to hear from you.

**Pease contact Lyn Rufus, Secretary of the Brettenham Gardening Club:**

**Tel: 01449 258055**

**Email: [lyn.rufus@outlook.com](mailto:lyn.rufus@outlook.com)**



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**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> March** - Black bin

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March** - Brown bin

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> March** - Recycling bin

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March** - Black bin

**Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March** - Brown bin

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March** - Recycling bin

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March** - Black bin

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March** - Brown bin

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No 386 Depart Church Road, Felsham at 10.14 & 12.44

No 386 Depart Gedding Bus Stop at 10.17 & 12.47

No 386 Return from Bury Bus Station at 11.10 and 14.10

### **Buses to and from Bury St Edmunds - Wednesdays only**

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No 379 Depart Gedding Bus Stop at 10.36

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