

CLUBS & SOCIETIES

Paw Slingo writes

HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

The Autumn Show has come round again and we hope entries will be coming along despite the weather. It is free to enter the Show - entry forms available ☎ 323 770. The Show will be held in the Assembly Rooms on **Saturday 1 September**, and open to the public from 2 pm, admission £1, (Members and children free).



Our next meeting will be on **Wednesday 3 October** at 7.30 pm, the subject 'My journey as a Garden Designer' by Karen Chamberlain.

Betty Callaghan writes

GOOD NEIGHBOURS' CLUB

At our July meeting we spent a pleasant afternoon reciting poetry and discussing suitable outings for the near future. The next meeting will be on Friday 10 August. The competition will be a "MUG". New members welcome.

Daphne Langton writes

LADIES' FELLOWSHIP

An outing to Felixstowe has been arranged for Wednesday 29 August. The coach will leave the Heath at 10.45 am and at 11 am at the Assembly Rooms, returning to the village about 5.30 pm. At our September meeting, on Wednesday 26th, at 3.30 pm, the speaker will be Valerie Sims, who will be telling something of her unusual history. There will be a Bring & Buy.

Ruth Higginson writes

DEDHAM WEA

The new term for the Dedham WEA will be starting on Wednesday 3 October. The lecture is entitled *Centuries of Soundbites* – and the lecturer will be Catherine Dell. Since ancient times, powerful orators have helped shape our world.

This course examines the why and how of some great speeches and, in doing so, explores the development of oratory. If you would like more information about the course please contact Ruth Higginson ☎ 322 598.

A great mistake you can make in life
is to be continually fearing you will make one.

Elbert Hubbard (1856-1915)

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**Summer
2012**

SUNDAY SERVICES

8.30 a.m.

+ NOT IN AUGUST+
Holy Communion BCP

10.30 a.m.

Family Service
1st Sunday in month

Morning Worship CW
2nd & 5th Sundays

Holy Communion CW
3rd Sunday in month

Morning Prayer BCP
4th Sundays

5 p.m.

+ NOT IN AUGUST+
Re:Vive @5
4th Sunday in month

6.30 p.m.

Evening Prayer BCP
1st Sunday in month

JUNIOR CHURCH
10.30 a.m.

Family Service
1st Sunday in month

In groups on other Sundays
during school terms

**DEADLINE FOR
OCTOBER EDITION:
19 September**



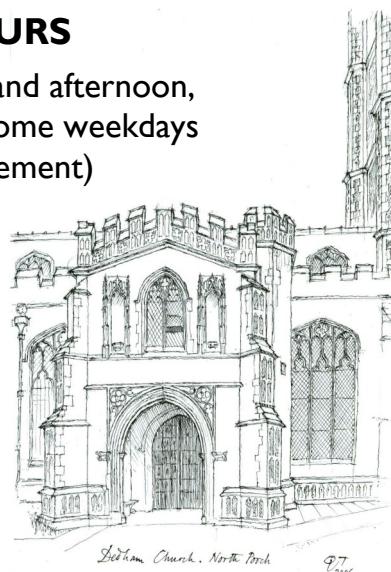
TOWER TOURS

Every Saturday morning and afternoon,
Sunday afternoons, and some weekdays
(parties by arrangement)

ATTENTION DEDHAM C.E. PRIMARY YEARS 5 & 6 PUPILS

The Vicar invites you and your parents/carers
on **Saturdays in August at 10 a.m.**
for a **free Tower Tour**. Get in touch with
him by email to confirm his availability.
(warning: latecomers will be left behind!)

vicar@dedham-parishchurch.org.uk



TOWER FLAG DAYS THIS MONTH

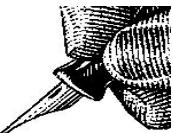
Sunday 15 August St Mary the Virgin



From the Registers

WEDDINGS

6 July 2012 Damian J. BRENNAN & Natalie Gail A. LAWRENCE



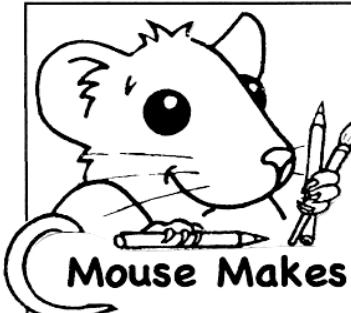
FUNERAL at a CREMATORIUM

19 June 2012 Robert Ernest BREEM-TURNER (88)

DEDHAM PARISH CHURCH

CHURCHYARD REGULATIONS

Please see an important notice on page 17.



Mouse Makes

Do you remember to
PRAISE and **THANK**
God for all He is and
all He does?

*Psalm 89 verse 52
says:*

*"The Lord
deserves praise
for ever more"*

Cut out and keep
these cards to remind
you to praise God at
all times!



**"Praise God,
O heaven
and earth,
seas and all
creatures in
them"**

Psalm 69:34



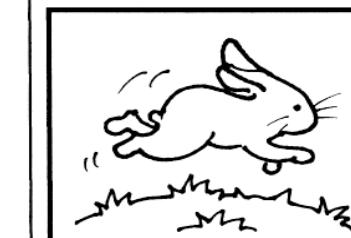
**"Shout out praise to God
all the earth!"**

Psalm 66:1



**"I will praise
the Lord
who guides
me"**

Psalm 16:7



*"You are my
source of
strength -
I will sing
praises to you"*

Psalm 69:34



**"O God..
..I will
sing and
PRAISE
you!"**

Psalm 57:7

NOTICEBOARD

Colchester Community Voluntary Services NEED VOLUNTEER DRIVERS WHO ARE CAR OWNERS

We are a non-profit organisation who provide transport for people who have difficulty accessing public transport.

We also need volunteer minibus drivers aged between 25 and 70.

CAN YOU HELP?

562 244

We reimburse your private car mileage and out-of-pocket expenses

DEDHAM PARISH CHURCH A LIFT TO CHURCH?

If you live locally and would like to attend the 10.30 am service in the Parish Church, but have difficulty getting there, then please phone one of these numbers and they may be able to help.

Ann Shaw **322 192**

Ruth Higginson **322 598**

TABLES
SELLING FAST!

END OF SUMMER BBQ & PARTY

To raise funds for Dedham Sports Club & other Community Projects

Back by popular demand the Dedham Sports Club cordially invite you to an evening at the award winning Talbooth, where a End of Summer Party will be held in the Marquee, to include a three course sit down BBQ, games, raffle, auction & more....

FRIDAY 21st SEPTEMBER 2012

Talbooth BBQ & Party

The Venue:

Marquee - Le Talbooth, Dedham

Included :

Welcome Drink, Three Course Meal (BBQ), Coffee, DJ and Disco & Entrance to Table Raffle

Dress Code:

Smart/Casual

Time:

7:00pm Till 1am

Price:

£47.50 per person



TICKETS NOW ON SALE!

Please call to Book your Table of 10

(please note all tables must be paid for at time of booking)

Helen: 01206 323 124



VIEW FROM THE VICARAGE

RUNNING THE RACE

Not being particularly 'sporty' when young, I looked elsewhere for my heroes. However there were two sportsmen whose courage and dedication made their mark on me when I was at school, and for quite different reasons. One was marathon runner called Jim Peters. My mother had collected his autograph on a ticket in the early 1950s, and it was one of the few autographs of 'famous' people I had in my album. Years later I went to the same school as Peters. Later still he was my first optician!

The story of his courage at the Empire Games in Vancouver has been told like this: *It was in the 1954 that Jim Peters, about three miles ahead of his closest competition, entered the stadium and collapsed just inside the gate. He staggered to his feet and stumbled on, taking 15 minutes to to progress another 200 yards. He fell several more times before crossing the finish line – but it was the wrong finish*

line, the one used for other track events, not the one for the marathon, which was some distance farther on. The team masseur, acting on the instructions of the team manager, caught him as he fell yet again and led him off the track. Not having crossed the correct finish line, Peters was disqualified. Minutes earlier, the same crowd had watched Roger Bannister beat John Landy, both breaking the four-minute mile barrier for the first time in what became known as the "Miracle Mile." Bannister was also one of the six doctors who attended to Peters after his collapse.'

This famous photograph is of Peters just as he is about to collapse. Apart from the photographer, only one man

appears to have noticed the drama which was unfolding. In wide-mouthed horror he waves his hat in alarm, for he could see that Peters had pushed himself beyond endurance to so very nearly,

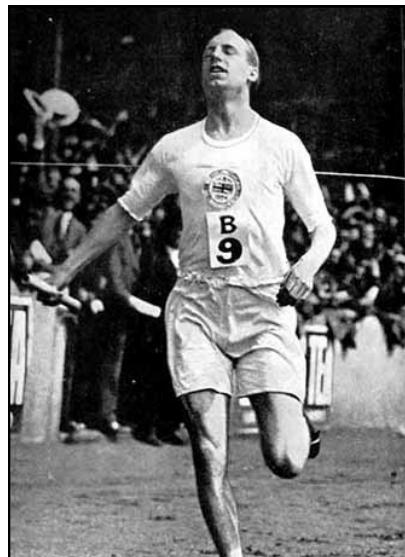


but not quite, claim another world record. Such very great courage for what is, after all, a passing prize.

FRIDAY is when the Vicar usually takes a day off.

VIEW FROM THE VICARAGE (CONTINUED)

My second sporting hero was also a runner (though not a sport I ever enjoyed doing). I had read a biography of Eric Liddell in a boys' comic long before the film *Chariots of Fire* (now re-released in cinemas) had brought Liddell's story to a wider audience. As a committed Christian, Eric had refused to race on a Sunday at the 1924 Olympics in Paris and was forced to withdraw from the 100 metres, his best event. Instead, he raced in the 400 metres and little was expected of him. As Liddell went to the starting blocks, an American slipped a piece of paper in his hand with a quotation from I Samuel 2:30, "Those who honour me I will honour." Liddell ran with that piece of paper in his hand. He not only won the race but broke the existing world record with a time of 47.6 seconds.



Liddell achieved a greater prize than even Olympic Gold later on in his life, a story which was not told in the film. After the Olympics, he returned to China to work as a missionary, where he worked as a teacher at a school for Chinese boys at which he taught chemistry and sports. The Japanese invaded China and in 1940 Liddell told

his wife to take their children to Canada where she could live with her parents. He stayed behind in Tientsin to continue his work.

Liddell was sent by the Japanese to an internment camp, where he worked tirelessly, doing whatever needed to be done, whether it was teaching children who were trying to keep up their studies, Bible study, or organising sports. His freedom was arranged by Winston Churchill, as part of a prisoner exchange, but Liddell gave up his place to let a pregnant woman leave in his place. In February 1945 he began coughing uncontrollably. As friends came to his aid, he lay back and uttered the words "It is surrender". It was later found that

Liddell had died of a brain tumour. He had had the opportunity to leave China but had chosen to stay, pouring his life into the work of reaching the lost for Christ. In so doing he showed the same great courage that he had shown in athletics - as later did Peters - but for a prize far greater than gold, even Olympic gold.

Gerard Moate
Vicar & Lecturer

CHURCH NOTICEBOARD

'Private grief in a public place'

DEDHAM CHURCHYARD

Please be aware that, as part of the periodic maintenance of our church burial grounds, a general schedule of clearing has (or will) include the removal of the following from graves:

- all memorials and shrubbery placed without permission
- all flower containers or tributes that are not made of stone; including those made of plastic, glass, china, porcelain, terracotta or cloth material
- all wire, nylon or plastic netting
- all artificial flowers
- grave borders of wood or metal
- and, after a year, all earth mounds or extensions beyond the footprint of an authorised memorial.

Small tokens placed at the foot of a memorial stone may be left for a short while (for example, to mark special anniversaries) but these are not allowed to be placed permanently, so in due course they may be removed without further notice.

Whereas some leeway is given to the recently bereaved, after a year all votives, memorials and floral tributes must be within Diocesan regulations, a copy of which may be obtained from the Parish Office, or at:

www.chelmsford.anglican.org/chelmsford-file-memorials-in-churchyards.html

This work is done for the overall appearance of our much-loved country churchyard, as well as for the safety of those who have to maintain it and to visit it. If you have any cause for concern about a particular grave, please speak with the Vicar.



OPENING CEREMONY of the OLYMPIC GAMES 2012 evening of Friday 27 July Dedham Assembly Rooms

Watch the opening ceremony of the London Olympic Games 2012
on the BIG screen! Wine, beer and soft drinks available.

Bring your own snacks.

Doors open 8.30pm. Ceremony starts 9pm

Tickets £1. Available from
Hoods Newsagent

Tel: 01206 322 263 or 01206 322 328



Assembly Rooms
High Street
Dedham

ALL TICKETS £3.50

Available from Hood's Newsagent
(opposite the bookshop)

Enquiries

Tel: 322 328 or 322 263

Email: dedhamfilms@gmail.com
Website: www.dedhamfilms.co.uk

Wednesday 15 August
THE IRON LADY (12A)

Wednesday 19 September
DU RIFIFI CHEZ LES HOMMES (12)

Wednesday 17 October
SALMON FISHING IN THE YEMEN (12A)

Doors Open: 7pm Film Starts: 7.30pm

Refreshments are available before the film and during the interval
Come and join friends for a great night out!

Laura Valentine writes

CROWNING SUCCESSES

With the songs of the KS2 Summer Production still ringing in our ears (Queen songs, so you can understand why!), in this final week of term we have had our KS1 and KS2 Speech and Prize events and it has been wonderful to celebrate the very many talents and achievements of the children here at Dedham Primary. Congratulations to Year 5 who recently came Second in a UK-wide 'Mathletics' competition and who then received their award at the House of Lords.

Congratulations also to Libby Parker for winning the Tendring Show 'programme front cover' competition. Her programme front cover design was reproduced 15,000 times, so you may well have seen it! Also, in a nationwide competition to 'Cook for the Queen' our Year 6 children reached the last sixteen with their canapé designs based on six nursery rhymes about Kings and Queens. These achievements are certainly the 'crowning successes' in what has been another hugely successful academic year.

On behalf of all the Governors and staff at Dedham CE Primary School we wish all our School leavers every success and happiness in their new schools. We also wish midday assistant Mrs Sam Doyle all the very best in her retirement.

Mary Davidson writes

MOVING ON

Many thanks to everyone who supported the Disco Divas evening and the car boot sale. The £600 raised has gone towards the annual Smartys outing – this year to Easton Farm Park - and a party for the children leaving for 'big school'. It was all things Jubilee at Smartys before the half term break. Since then the children have focused on the Olympics, learning about other countries, making their own Olympic torches and enjoying a thankfully sunny sports day. It is always sad when children move on but it is also time to celebrate a very successful year at Smartys, thanks to the hard work of staff and committee. Places are available for children aged from 2½ to join Smartys in September. For further information contact Tina on 323 412, or visit our website www.smartys.org.uk



"You should have a motto for your sermons, dear – Better, Clearer, Shorter."

NOTICEBOARD

YOUR WILL - A LASTING GIFT

Dedham Parish Church has received substantial benefits during the past three years from both large and smaller legacies from former members and friends of the Church. The Church accounts, which are made public, demonstrate that the annual income derived from both regular and casual giving, inclusive of any available tax benefits, fall well below carefully budgeted costs. Additional giving from current income is difficult in these days of austerity. However a decision now to bequeath the Church a portion of your estate, whatever the amount, will assist in ongoing work of the Church.

Crown Law is a local firm of solicitors who will support current church members and Friends of Dedham Church to include a legacy to Dedham Parish Church by making it easy, and at an economic cost, to either amend your current will or create a new one. If you wish to amend your will to include a gift to the Church then **Crown Law** can prepare a codicil to the will at a cost of £20 plus VAT.

Alternatively, if you need to prepare a new will, **Crown Law** can prepare a simple will at a cost of £40 plus VAT, or for couples who make mirror wills, £65 plus VAT. If your will is more complex, then **Crown Law** will provide you with a competitive quote for any additional work.

**** This offer is open for the first 50 clients and is available for a limited period only. ****

Crown Law is conveniently situated in Langham with parking available. Home visits by a solicitor can be arranged if you live within the environs of Dedham and find it difficult to travel. To ensure complete confidentiality contact **Crown Law** direct:

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People don't care how much you know until they know how much you care.



Dedham Lecture 2012



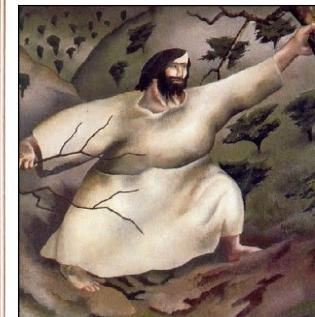
The Right Reverend
Stephen Cottrell

Bishop of Chelmsford



A Village in Heaven
*When Stanley Spencer, Artist
met 'Christ in the Wilderness'*

**8 p.m.
Tuesday 9 October**



For further information
or a CD recording of this Lecture:

Telephone: 01206 322 136

E-mail: office@dedham-parishchurch.org.uk



*The Lecture will take place in
Dedham Parish Church
and is arranged by the Dedham Ecclesiastical Lectureship Trust.*



CAN YOU HELP PLEASE? Riding for the Disabled Ipswich Group Bentley Riding Centre

Do you have some time to spare to help with leading the ponies or sidewalking the riders? You will receive tuition on what to do and will not be expected to do anything you are not confident about.

**Adults on Tuesdays 10 – 11.30 a.m.
or Children Thursdays 1 – 2.30 p.m.
both during term time only – no extra hours involved**

If you would like to know more or come along to visit during a lesson please telephone

Mary Woods 01473 730 283 or 07708 007 033

You will receive a very warm welcome, make new friends and be achieving something really worthwhile. Previous experience with horses helpful but not essential. One form to fill in and an Advanced CRB check required.



A Series of Ten Talks on **GEORGIAN PAINTINGS** *The Englishness of English Art – Series 1*

Assembly Rooms, High Street, Dedham

A fascinating history of Georgian life through the eyes of artists such as William Hogarth, Joseph Wright of Derby, George Stubbs, Sir Joshua Reynolds and John Constable.

2-4 p.m.

Wednesdays 26 September - 5 December
(There will be no talk on 24 October)

**Tickets: For the ten week course £60
or £8 at the door for individual talks**
email: roger.simpson@virgin.net or
(01449 720 583 to book tickets

Ruth Higginson writes

MISSION BAKEHOUSE

We will be having a produce stall on August Bank Holiday Monday in front of Dedham Parish Church. Please could you give generously fruit, vegetables, bottled chutneys, jams, marmalade etc. Whole cakes to go to the cake stall inside the church. There will be a bric-a-brac stall as well. Last year was very successful and thank you for all those that supported us.

The next cake stall will be Saturday 29 September in the porch of Dedham Parish church. The May and June cake stall have raised £262. Thank you to all those who supported us by supplying cakes or buying cakes. Please contact me if you would like to help in any way

322 598.

Beth Mitchell & Judith Fowle write
AIR AMBULANCE

Despite the weather and the Women's final at Wimbledon, with the sale of coffee and biscuits, tea and homemade cakes, and a street collection, Dedham raised £698. The EAA stall and their collection tin brought the overall total to nearly £841 - a 5% increase on last year. We are very grateful to Maison Talbooth, The Essex Rose, Pandora's Box, The Garden Cafe, Dedham Craft Centre Tea Rooms and the Dedham Cup Cake Company for their support. Thank you to everyone who made this result possible.

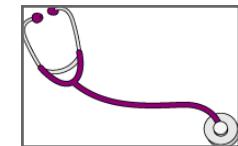
Pete Keeble writes

EAST BERHOLT SURGERY

I am delighted to announce that Constable Country Medical Practice has been chosen to become a teaching practice for the Norwich Medical School faculty of the University of East Anglia, and for Cambridge University. This is a huge honour for the practice and a wonderful opportunity for all of us: doctors, nurses, admin staff and, of course, you the patients, to be involved

From September 2012, a group of up to ten fourth year UEA medical students will attend the practice each Monday to carry out a number of learning tasks. Cambridge students will typically be with the practice for two week blocks. The main part of their education will involve seeing patients and with that in mind we will, in due course, be seeking volunteers with various medical conditions to provide them with that experience.

Dr Joshua Arkley will be joining the practice in August. He is a recently qualified GP who is local to the area. He will replace Dr Aref who left the practice in June, though he has continued to work for the practice on a locum basis until the arrival of Dr Arkley. We also say goodbye to Nurse Sandra Allen who has decided to leave the Practice after eleven years.



NOTICEBOARD

DEDHAM ARTS GROUP

The Summer Exhibition will be held at Littlegarth Studio,
High Street Dedham

**Saturday 25 August until
Monday 27 August 2012**

Admission is free
Exhibition open daily :
10 a.m. until 5 p.m.



There will be a private viewing open to members and their friends on Friday 24 August at the Studio at 7 p.m.

Dedham Run 2012

25th Anniversary Year!

11 a.m. Sunday 23 September

**Dedham Playing Field & Duchy Field
10k Race (measured) & 3k Fun Run
Individual & Team categories**

Medals, Trophies, Entertainments, Refreshments,
Changing Facilities, Results Service

Entry forms and more details available from our website:

www.dedhamrun.co.uk

01206 322 853

also available from **Dedham Post Office**

All proceeds to

Dedham C.E. Primary School

10K sponsored by Oaks Hospital 3K sponsored by Royal Hospital School



MISSION BAKEHOUSE

There will be a

CAKE STALL

in the church porch
for supported missions.

Saturday 29 September

10am to noon

MUSIC & ART

Max Wilkinson writes

There are four music festivals within reach of Dedham during August and September :

Snape Proms (SP) by Aldeburgh Music, IP17 1SR

01728 687 110

Suffolk Villages Festival (SVF)

01206- 366 603

Ipswich School Music Festival (IS)

01473 408 310

Roman River Festival (RRF)

01206 729 356

Full details on their web sites or from:

www.eamaa.org

Some highlights are included here: (L.L.=‘Live-Link’):

Wed, Aug 1: firstsite, Picturehouse, Colchester 18:30
Salzburg Festival L.L. Puccini’s *La Bohème*

Thu, Aug 2: Coggeshall Church 12:30
Voigt Piano Trio

Sun, Aug 5: Concerts at Cratfield (SP)

Piano duo: Mozart, Schubert 15:00
Suffolk Youth Orchestra 19:30

Sat, Aug 11: firstsite, Picturehouse, Colchester 18:30
Salzburg Festival L.L. Mozart’s *Magic Flute*

Fri, Aug 17: firstsite, Picturehouse, Colchester 18:00
Glyndebourne L.L. Mozart’s *Le Nozze di Figaro*

Sun, Aug 19: firstsite, Picturehouse, Colchester 18:30
Glyndebourne L.L. Ravel: two one-act operas

Wed, Aug 22: (SP) Kopelman Quartet; 19:30
Borodin, Shostakovich, Tchaikovsky

Fri, Aug 24: (SP) Britten Sinfonia 19:30

Sat, Aug 25: (SVF) Stoke by Nayland Church 19:30
St John Passion

Sun, Aug 26: (SP) Isserlis, Levin: Beethoven: 19:30
Complete Music for Cello and Piano

Mon, Aug 27: (SVF) Hadleigh Church, IP7 5DT 19:00
Gala concert, orchestra, chorus and soloists

Tue, Aug 28: St Mary-le-Tower Church 13:10
William Baldry: Organ recital:

Sun, Sep 2: Lavenham Church 19:00
Lavenham Sinfonia: Elgar Finzi Purcell Bartok

Sun, Sep 9: Coggeshall Church 19:30
Essex Chamber Orchestra:

Touchin: Fantasy on Lucy Long for Bassoon & Orch.
Sun, Sep 16: Concerts at Cratfield: 15:00
Iuventus quintet: Brahms, Weber

Thu, Sep 20: Mercury Theatre, Colchester 19:30
Colchester Operatic Society: Guys and Dolls

Mon, Sep 24: (IS) St Mary-le-Tower Ipswich: 19:30
Emma Kirkby

Sun Sept 30: (RRF) Abberton Church 11:00
Solo Bach: Orlando Jopling:

Sun Sept 30: (RRF) Lawford Church 18:00
Violin & Piano sonatas

Tue, Oct 2: (RRF) Dedham Church 20:00
Philharmonia Voices: Weelkes, Palestrina, Byrd

Wed, Oct 3 (RRF) Fingringhoe Church 20:00
Tom Poster, piano



ROMAN RIVER FESTIVAL

8 p.m. Tuesday 2 October

Dedham Parish Church

Philharmonia Voices :

Weelkes, Palestrina, Byrd



The Village FILM FESTIVAL

FILM FESTIVAL TICKETS

Tickets will be available from 4th August and can be purchased:

- in person at Shakespeare House Gallery ,
High Street, Dedham
- by post
- online

By Post

To purchase your tickets by post, either write with details of your ticket requests or complete the ticket order form, which can be downloaded from the Village Film Festival website. Your tickets will be despatched by return. Send with a cheque, made out to **Dedham Films**, to:

Village Film Festival
Princel House
Princel Lane
Dedham CO7 6HD

Online

Purchase your tickets online by visiting:

www.villagefilmfestival.co.uk

Information

For further information or for ticket enquiries:

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ring: 01206 322 263 or 01206 322 328

www.villagefilmfestival.co.uk

**Dedham
Films invite you to**

The Village FILM FESTIVAL



**3 DAYS
3 VENUES
20 FILMS**

+ SHORT FILM COMPETITIONS

**28th to 30th September
Dedham**

From Friday 28th to Sunday 30th September, three venues in Dedham will show all day screenings of new and classic films, local archive footage and early cinema presentations. Many of the films and events celebrate the talents of film makers, writers and actors connected with East Anglia.

Terence Davies, film director of The Deep Blue Sea, **Richard Johns**, Producer of Shadow of the Vampire, **John Wrathall**, Screenwriter, **Nigel Floyd**, Film Critic and **David Cleveland**, former Director of the East Anglian Film Archive, will be taking part in the festival and introducing some of the films.

www.villagefilmfestival.co.uk

FRIDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER

10am to 5pm Short Film Competitions

View and then vote on the entries in the Open Short Film Competition and the Dedham Primary School Film Competition.
DEDHAM CHURCH **Free entry**

11am Tom Keating on Constable. Munnings

Tom Keating, Dedham's master forger paints Constable's *Haywain* (1984). Profile of Alfred Munnings (1961).
DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £3.50**

2pm The Films of William Haggar

A collection of films by pioneer filmmaker William Haggar, born in Dedham in 1851.
ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £3.50**

2pm Akenfield (PG)

A beautiful film based on Ronald Blythe's book, set in Akenfield, Suffolk. A day in a young man's life and the decisions he makes.
DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £3.50**

7.30pm Tyrannosaur (18)

Set in a tough community, about a man plagued by violence and rage who is offered a chance of redemption.

DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £5**

7.30pm Dean Spanley (PG)

Peter O'Toole stars in this hilarious yet surreal comedic tale of canine reincarnation.

DEDHAM CHURCH **Tickets: £5**

7.30pm My Week with Marilyn (15)

The romantic love interest between Marilyn Monroe and a junior producer during the making of The Prince and The Showgirl
ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £5**

SATURDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER

10am to 5pm Short Film Competitions

View and then vote on the entries in the Open Short Film Competition and the Dedham Primary School Film Competition.
DEDHAM CHURCH **Free entry**

10.30am Village Life in East Anglia

A collection of short films depicting life and work in the North East Essex and South Suffolk area from the 1930s to the 1970s.
DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £3.50**

10.30am A Cat in Paris (PG)

A delightful and atmospheric French animation about a cat that leads a double life: by day a charming pet, by night a burglar!

ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £3.50**

11.45am Life in Dedham

A collection of clips, short films and TV programmes showing life in Dedham from the early 1950s to the present day.

DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £3.50**

2pm Shadow of the Vampire (18)

Introduced by the film's Producer, Suffolk's Richard Johns. An amusing and scary take on the making of a classic vampire film.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £3.50**

2pm La Source Des Femmes (15)

A comedy drama by the Director of *Le Concert*, set in a North African village where the women go on a love strike over water.

DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £3.50**

7.30pm Life of Brian (15)

Introduced by Reverend Gerard Moate. A man called Brian is mistaken for the Messiah. Directed and largely performed by the Monty Python team.

DEDHAM CHURCH **Tickets: £5**

7.30pm The Deep Blue Sea (12A)

Introduced by the film's Director, Essex's Terence Davies. An adaptation of Terence Rattigan's post-war drama about a judge's wife and her self-destructive affair with an RAF pilot.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £5**

7.30pm Jean de Florette (PG)

French historical drama concerning a dispute over a valuable natural spring in a remote French farming community.

DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £5 (£7.50 for both films)**

9.30pm Manon de Sources (PG)

The sequel to *Jean de Florette*. Jean's daughter, now a shepherdess, battles with her father's enemies.

DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £5 (£7.50 for both films)**

SUNDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER

10.30am Patience After Sebald (PG)

Starring Jonathan Pryce, a docudrama exploring WG Sebald's psycho-geographic vision of East Anglia.

DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £3.50**

10.30am Pina (PG)

A dance documentary and tribute to the late German choreographer, Pina Bausch.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £3.50**

2pm Lagaan (PG)

A bollywood epic about an Indian village, beset by drought and high taxes, that needs to win a cricket game against the English.

DUCHY BARN **Tickets: £3.50**

2pm At The Picture Palace A Century Ago

Fascinating presentation of early silent movies accompanied by music and educational talk by archive expert David Cleveland.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £3.50**

7.30pm The Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (PG)

British retirees travel to India to take up residence in what they believe is a newly restored hotel. Star studded cast.

Preceded by Short Film Competition Awards

ASSEMBLY ROOMS **Tickets: £5**

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