



W E S T B E R G H O L T P A R I S H C O U N C I L

## **VILLAGE NEWS**

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**All good wishes for a Happy New Year!!**

### **West Bergholt Neighbourhood Plan moves forward**

Following extensive surveys and much evidence gathering by the NP steering group, a major consultation and exhibition will be carried out from mid-February to the end of April. This will present the following :-

- \* Results of Community surveys and evidence about our village.
- \* The main issues that face us - everything from sport to transport.
- \* Options for taking control of our future in terms of projects and future land development.
- \* Ideas about new areas of housing.

At this stage we are still looking for feedback on what should be in the plan. It is vital that we get **YOUR** Views. To help with this we plan to:-

- \* Hold exhibitions in February/March at the Orpen Hall on two Saturdays.
- \* Invite parishioners to a special meeting in March.
- \* Have questionnaires available for village organisations and households.

Keep up to date by using the village website [www.westbergholt.net](http://www.westbergholt.net), the Village Bulletin, a special newsletter or Facebook.

### **West Bergholt WEA**

The next course begins on:-

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2015 at 8pm** in the Methodist Hall in Chapel Lane.

The subject is "Inland Waterways" by Steven Worsley who will cover, over 10 weeks, the increasing leisure use of our inland waterways contrasting with their use as a transport medium during the industrial revolution and the legacy of the of the past.

10 interesting evenings cost £48. People on income under £15,276 per annum or on income based on benefits/JSA are free.

You could come along to a sample evening for free.

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