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| **Upton Village Hall**  Upton Village Hall is situated in Cargate Lane and stands within a large green space, including football pitches, a children’s play area and a teenage/adult exercise area.  The hall has a main area approximately 108 m2, a well-equipped kitchen, toilets block and a car park holding approximately 45 to 50 cars.  The hall is used by many groups including exercise classes, a Women’s Fellowship, Upton Horticultural Society and Upton Parish Council.  The hall is reasonably priced, making it an ideal venue for training sessions, family gatherings and children’s parties. The three south-facing doors open out onto a patio and give access to the grass beyond.  Contact details can be found in the Marshland Mardler (Upton’s parish magazine), a copy of which is enclosed.  Booking secretary:  **Anne Lubbock** 07554 497 720 or bookings.uptonvh@gmail.com | **Upton with Fishley**  **Parish Council**  The Parish Council pays for the grass cutting around the village and looks after the churchyard, cemetery, play area, playing field, boat dyke, staithe and pond. The councillors give their comments on local planning applications and are consulted on many local and national issues. Residents are welcome to ask questions at the beginning of each meeting, and any issues for the agenda should be sent to the clerk about a week before the date of the meeting.  The meetings are usually held on the 1st Thursday of each month, (no meeting is planned for August), at 7.30 pm in the village hall. The agenda for each meeting is posted on the three village noticeboards and on the website.  The councillors are Philip Armes (Chairman), Debbie Durrant (Vice-Chairman), Nigel Brennan, Ian Cook, Laura Davey, William Leonard-Morgan and Lee Smith.  **The Parish Clerk is Pauline James**  Tel: 01493 751070  **Email:** UptonPCclerk@gmail.com  http://uptonwithfishleypc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk/  and Facebook | **Who Does What?**  **Broadland District Council** The Horizon Centre, Broadland Business Park, Peachman Way, Norwich NR7 0WF  01603 431133   * **Collects bins** * **Deals with planning** * **Council tax** * **Housing** * **Licensing**   District Councillors:  **Nigel Brennan**  cllr.nigel.brennan@broadland.gov.uk  **Paul Newstead**  cllr.paul.newstead@southnorfolkandbroadland.gov.uk  **Norfolk County Council**  Martineau Lane, Norwich NR1 2DH  0344 800 8020   * **Highways and potholes** * **Education and social services** * **Public footpaths**   County Councillor:  **Fran Whymark** tel: 07907163123  Fran.whymark.cllr@norfolk.gov.uk  **Acle Medical Centre:** 01493 717796 |
| **St Margaret’s Church** |  | **The Marshland Mardler** |
| Welcome to Upton from St Margaret’s, the parish church of Upton.  St Margaret’s offers everyone a warm welcome. Times of services are on the notice board outside the church and also in the leaflet, Parish News, which is delivered to you bi-monthly.  Most services are at 9.30am on Sundays. There is normally a service of Holy Communion on the first Sunday of each month and then Morning Prayer or family service on other Sundays, except for the third Sunday, when there is Holy Communion at Fishley Church at 9.30am.  The vicar for the Blofield benefice, which includes Upton and Fishley, is Kevin Billson:  **01603 712299.**  The “Friends of St Margaret’s Church” is a group which helps maintain the church building for future generations. Subscription forms can be picked up at the community shop or from one of the churchwardens.  Churchwarden:  **Joyce Warren 01493 752237** | A picture containing building, sky, outdoor, grass  Description automatically generated  A picture containing grass, outdoor, sky, house  Description automatically generated  Upton Village Hall and Play Area | The Mardler is a monthly magazine covering Upton and neighbouring villages. It advertises local events and businesses and can be delivered to your door for an annual subscription of £7.  There are a number of social events in the village.  Editor:  Sally Hodges  SallyHodges1989@gmail.com   |  | | --- | | **The White Horse Pub** | | The Pub is owned by the community, as is the shop next door. Without these facilities the village would be very much the poorer. They will welcome your support.  White Horse pub: 01493 750696 https://www.facebook.com/whitehorseupton  Community Shop: 01493 751827  **Opening Hours**  Monday - Friday: **8am – 6pm** Saturday & Sunday: **8am – 4pm (winter)**  **8am to 6pm (summer)** | |