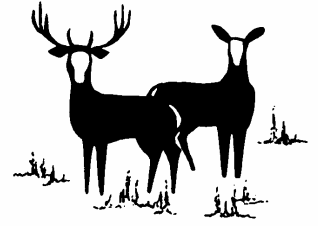


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WELCOME TO YOUR NEW HOME IN THEYDON BOIS

We hope you enjoy your time in the village. As you are probably already aware Theydon Bois is an attractive and friendly village with many clubs and societies that make Theydon a vibrant community.

The purpose of Theydon Bois Rural Preservation Society is to resist encroachment on our Green Belt and preserve the rural character of the countryside in and around Theydon Bois as an appropriate and natural complement to Epping Forest. Also, we try to preserve all public footpaths and rights-of-way, and the maintenance of local amenities.

Enclosed is our latest annual Newsletter*, which contains information about the Society and our activities during the last year. We also give regular updates in Village News our village magazine which is published quarterly and circulated to all village households.

You may wish to look at the village website www.theydon.org.uk where you will find a list of helpful telephone numbers for Doctors, Police, Hospitals, Libraries, etc. On the Village Diary and News pages there are details of forthcoming meetings and local talks. The Society also has a page on the website.

You may be wondering why there is no street lighting in Theydon Bois. The fact is that there have been two previous votes on the subject, and the majority of villagers voted to preserve the present 'Dark Skies' policy and keep our village the way it is at present.

If there is anything further our committee can do to help settle you into your new home, please let us know by contacting us at the above address or contacting any of our officers via the contact details in our Newsletter and on village notice boards.

Yours sincerely,
Jim Watts
Secretary
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*Enc. if available or if not via the Preservation Society page on the Village Website
www.theydon.org.uk