

MAY 2019 25p

Acle : Beighton with Moulton : Freethorpe : Halvergate with Tunstall: Limpenhoe, Southwood and Cantley : Reedham : Wickhampton



The cuckoo is a pretty bird he sings as he flies, He brings us good tidings and tells us no lies. He sucks the sweet flowers to make his voice clear, And the more he cries cuckoo, the summer is nigh:

Photograph taken at Strumpshaw Fen May 2018. KC

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From the Rectory - (See illustration on back cover).

In Thy Lord is Risen: a celebration of the resurrection in words and music, on the 5th Sunday of Easter, our Benefice Choir will be singing Vaughan Williams' Five Mystical Songs, a setting of five poems by the 17th century Anglican priest, George Herbert.

The first Bible reading comes not from the end of the gospels, but (Mark 5.35ff) is the raising of Jairus' daughter, in which Jesus takes her by the hand and says, Little girl, arise – at which she revives and gets to her feet.

I chose it to reflect the opening of the first poem, in which Herbert bids his/our heart to Sing his praise Without delays, Who takes thee by the hand, that thou likewise With him may'st rise.

Several icons of the Resurrection (more precisely, of the descent into hell) depict Jesus reaching out to draw Adam and Eve by the hand out of their deadly prison.

Taking by the hand is thus a physical expression of resurrection. But it need not wait for our death. We can identify it with lesser, but still significant, uplifting experiences, in which someone has proffered us a hand of support, encouragement or invitation; or we have extended a hand to another. We speak of someone being lifted out of despair. Dance partners and wedding couples take each other by the hand. Good neighbours offer a helping hand.

The Gospels emphasise that the girl got up and walked about: not dragged to her feet, but enabled to rediscover her own life, strength and ability. Jesus' handtaking is empowering and encouraging.

That is the hand that our Risen Lord extends to each of us; and invites us, whenever we have the opportunity, to extend to others.

With Easter blessings, Martin Greenland

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PARISH REGISTERS HOLY BAPTISM

On 7th April at Beighton – Oscar Roger Royal

Confirmation

Preparation for Confirmation in the Deanery begins on Wednesday 8th May (7.30pm) – please contact the Rector a.s.a.p. if you might be interested.

Martin Greenland

All Saints Church Freethorpe

This years Church of England Children's Society cash box collection came to £190.46 Villages covered are Freethorpe, Halvergate, Beighton and Moulton St Mary Mrs Sue Blake would like to thank all those who donated.

As it is becoming increasingly difficult for me to collect the boxes, I would be grateful to hear from any volunteers who could either take over or help with this.

Please phone Sue Blake on 700307

Halvergate Book of Common Prayer Day - see picture on back page. 4.

The Treasurer of the PCC reached for her early morning cup of tea and nudged the Churchwarden aggressively in the ribs. "I've just paid out the annual subscription to the Prayer Book Society. What are we doing as a Corporate Member to justify our membership? Shouldn't we be more proactive?"

The Churchwarden sighed. Getting up to let out the labrador at 6.15 am was bad enough, but questions of this sort being thrown at a chap just before "Bach before Seven" on Radio 3 was going too far. However, 46 years of experience had taught him not only to recognise a rhetorical question when he heard one but also the futility of resistance to the Treasurer whom he knew had the full support of the Secretary (i.e. herself).

So it was time to put on thinking caps. Thinking is thirsty work and the occasional glass of red wine proved essential to the creative process. Eventually it was decided that we would organise a day of worship comprising a series of services using the liturgy of the Book of Common Prayer. It would be called "The Exciting of Piety", derived from the Preface to the BCP:

"Our general aim...in this undertaking was...to do that, which to our best understandings we conceived might most tend to the preservation of Peace and Unity in the Church; the procuring of Reverence, and exciting of piety and Devotion in the Publick Worship of God."

We began with Morning Prayer, read without hymns or a sermon. After coffee, the Litany, followed by Holy Communion. Prior to Communion the team of Benefice bellringers joined us to ring the magnificent set of six church bells. We adjourned to the nearby Village Hall for lunch and thereafter to listen to a talk by James Marston, an Ordinand at Westcott House in Cambridge, and a popular Eastern Daily Press journalist. After a short break to "take the air" and enjoy warm spring sunshine, the day concluded with Choral Evensong led by the Benefice Choir under the direction of Michael Nicholas, former Organist and Master of the Choristers at Norwich Cathedral, who had composed an anthem specially for the occasion. This concluding service attracted a congregation of 80.

It was a special day. Piety was indeed exciting. The congregation gave generously, and the Treasurer was happy. She has promised to pay the PBS subscription again next year.

Nick Butcher

Apologies for misspelling James Marston's name on back cover -noticed too late! Ed.

Reedham & District WI

At our April meeting Paul Strutt from Norfolk Accident Rescue Service (NARS) gave a fascinating and interesting talk about this charity. NARS work alongside the NHS Ambulance service with highly trained medical staff often leading the Ambulance workers. We learnt that not all Ambulance staff are fully trained paramedics and so this is where NARS can be of enormous help especially in road traffic accidents. After a question and answer session, Paul was thanked by Julia Kilner. Our next meeting on Tues 7th May 7 for 7.30pm will be our Resolutions talk when we will vote on "Don't fear the smear" or "A call against the decline in local bus services" The WI campaigns are usually well balanced and our vote will go to the National Annual Meeting in June. Later in the evening we will have a games session, so bring your favourite game with you! New members always made welcome.

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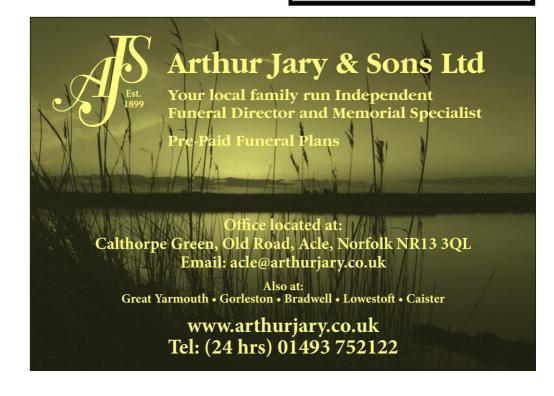


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Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday 15th May at 7.30pm in Cantley Village Hall. Connie and Bob will be entertaining us with an evening of poetry and music. For more information contact Barbara on 07789845050. New members always very welcome.

Reedham Churchyard Maintenance Group

The group met up on 20th March for their first clear up of the year. We were joined by children from Reedham Primary School who helped plant 300 snowdrop/bluebell/aconite bulbs, to improve our wildflower areas. The grown-ups worked on crafting little hoops to delineate where the contractors should mow and which sections of ground to leave to revert to flower meadow. The children enjoyed a talk about the history of the church and its Roman site and the story of Ragnar Lothbrok, the Viking, who may have stood on the very spot where they were standing, having been washed up at Reedham. The sun shone on us, the chocolate cake was delicious and it was a delightful day. There is a report by the children in Reedham-Read It, the school magazine, copies of which are available around the village.

We will be meeting up again in June (date to be decided) and would welcome help from anyone who cares to join us. The churchyard belongs to us all, whether we have friends and relatives buried there or not, and it is up to locals to keep it looking lovely.

Mary Jones 01493 701388

Save the Children Fund

Bishop's Garden Open Afternoon May 19th 1pm to 5pm

Admission £4

Teas

Musicians from Norwich School

This is to celebrate 100 years of Save the Children which was launched from the Albert Hall on 19th May 1919

Lego Tokens

Just a reminder to those who are kindly collecting the Lego tokens in the EDP and Yarmouth Mercury for the school, these have to be handed to the school no later than the 24th May.

Reedham Village News

I apologise that my village news for Friday the 5th of April was not printed in the Yarmouth Mercury, I had sent I2 reports on Saturday the 30th at 10.04am, which I was told had not been received due to a possible technical "blip".

Diane Rushbrook

I.T.

Technophobia – a fear of technology. A cure for this condition is available on the second Monday of most months. Next session of help with computers, tablets, I pads, 'phones etc will be at 2pm Monday 13th May. All welcome. Help, sympathy and tea available.

Janet

MAY CALENDAR

Reedham Charity: Sunshine Educare Wednesday Ist 7.30pm Women's Night Out – Freethorpe Village Hall Friday 3rd 9.30am First Friday Morning Prayer – Wickhampton 10am - 2pm Model Railway Exhibition - Cantley Station Saturday 4th 7.00pm 'Mary Poppins Returns' - Reedham Village Hall 3rd of EASTER SUNDAY 5th 8.00am Holy Communion – Acle 9.30am Holy Communion – Beighton 9.30am Morning Prayer - Halvergate 11.00am Holy Communion - Acle 11.00am Holy Communion - Freethorpe 11.00am Morning Prayer (said) - Reedham 3.30pm Chill Church – Reedham Tuesday 7th 10.30am Holy Communion – The Limes, Acle 7.30pm Reedham W.I. – Reedham Village Hall 7.30pm Acle W.I. – Acle Parish Hall Thursday 9th Saturday 11th 9am – 12 noon Farmers' Market – Acle Church Hall 2pm – 4pm Tea Party – Reedham Station SUNDAY 12th 4th of EASTER 8.00am Holy Communion – Acle 9.30am Holy Communion – Wickhampton 9.30am Morning Prayer - Limpenhoe 11.00am Holy Communion - Acle 11.00am Morning Prayer – Freethorpe 11.00am Holy Communion - Reedham 2.00pm I.T. Club – Reedham Village Hall Monday 13th 7.30pm Reedham Parish Council – Reedham Village Hall 7.30pm Annual Beighton Parish Meeting – Village Hall Tuesday 14th 7.30pm Annual Reedham Parish Meeting – Village Hall Wednesday 15th 7.30pm Cantley W.I. - Cantley Village Hall 7.30pm Ladies Christian Link – 36 The Green, Freethorpe Thursday 16th OUTLOOK COPY DATE 7.00pm Cantley, Limpenhoe and Southwood PC Annual Meeting - Cantley Village Hall 10am – 4pm Beighton Treasure Hunt Saturday 18th SUNDAY 19th 5th of EASTER 9.30am Holy Communion - Halvergate 9.30am Morning Prayer - Beighton

11.00am Holy Communion - Acle

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11.00am Morning Prayer – Reedham

Chill Church at Norwich Cathedral

5.00pm 'The Lord is Risen' - Devotional Service with ABY

Choir - Reedham

Monday 20th 7.00pm Acle Annual Parish Council Meeting -

Methodist Chapel

7.30pm Cash Bingo – Reedham Village Hall

Wednesday 22nd 2.00pm Whist Drive – Reedham Village Hall

Saturday 25th 10.30am All Saints' Drop In – Beighton Village Hall

SUNDAY 26th 6th of EASTER

8.00am Holy Communion - Acle

9.30am Morning Prayer - Halvergate

9.30am Holy Communion - Limpenhoe

11.00am Holy Communion – Reedham

11.00am Holy Communion – Acle

11.00am Morning Prayer - Freethorpe

Thursday 30th ASCENSION DAY

7.00pm Deanery Service – Little Plumstead.

Friday 31st 10.30am Coffee and Cakes – Freethorpe Church

Looking forward into June:-

SUNDAY 2nd 7th of EASTER

8.00am Holy Communion – Acle

9.30am Holy Communion – Beighton

9.30am Matins - Halvergate

11.00am Holy Communion – Acle

II.00am Holy Communion – FreethorpeII.00am Morning Prayer (said) – Reedham

3.30pm Chill Church - Reedham

Monday 3rd MOBILE LIBRARY DAY (NO VISIT IN MAY)

Weekly - Sundays 6.30pm Reedham Gospel Hall Meeting

Tuesdays 9.30 – 10am Eucumenical Morning Prayer at Acle Church

At Reedham Village Hall

Mondays 9.30am - 10.15am Dancing Dimensions

Tuesdays 9.30am – II.30am Music group, I.45pm – Over Fifties Club.

Wednesday 10.30am -12.30 noon - New Age Kurling.

Thursday 10am - 12 noon - Badminton Club.

Thursdays 6.30pm to 7.30pm Yoga.

Friday 9.30am to 10.30 am - AWOL Fitness Boot Camp.

Saturday 9.00am - 10.00am - Aerobics, Reedham Village Hall

Wednesdays 6.30pm - 7.30pm & 8pm - 9pm Yoga

At Freethorpe Village Hall

Mondays 5-6pm Rainbows 6:15-7:30pm Brownies Tuesdays Art Club(morning) Zumba (evening) Thursdays 6:45-8:30 Cubs

At Halvergate Village Hall

Wednesdays Ist & 3rd 10.30am - 12.30pm - Coffee Morning

At Acle Church Hall

Tuesday I^{st} 2pm – 49+ Group

Mondays 2nd & 4th - Canasta Group

Weekly -

Tuesdays I I am - I 2 noon - Fitness for

Seniors

Wednesdays 10.30am - 12.30pm - Acle

Art Group

Wednesdays 7.30pm - 9pm - Invidia

Voices

Fridays 10.00am - 11.00am, - Baby

Sensory Classes

Events coming up at Reedham Village Hall

Saturday 4th May 7.00pm showing on the big screen will be the musical Mary Poppins Returns PG starring Emily Blunt. Decades after her original visit the magical Nanny returns to help the Banks siblings and Michael's children through a difficult time in their lives For tickets Tel 701107 price Adults 4.50 under 16's £2.50 or available on the door or online at www.reedhamvillagehall@yahoo.co.uk Events page.

Monday May 13th 2.00pm Free I.T classes Learn more about your Laptop, mobile. iPad or P.C

Monday May 20th Monthly Cash Bingo eyes down 7.30pm look out for posters with jackpot details

Wednesday May 22nd 2.00pm in the lounge Whist Drive New members most welcome

Bank holiday weekend 25th, 26th, 27th May Plant Sale 10.00am to 4.00pm Including bedding plants, hanging basket plants, Tomato and Strawberry plants and much more

Looking ahead to June:-

Saturday 1st June 7.30pm showing on the big screen will be Mary Queen of Scots

Sunday 9th June Fun Dog Show on the field, look out for posters with details of classes.

If you would like to book the hall please contact Angie on 07585504199 who will be happy to help you or contact her through the website www.reedhamvillagehall.co.uk

Thank you to everyone who supports or helps at the events we hold Reedham Community Association Committee

Zumba/Dancing Dimensions

Zumba Gold has finished and has been replaced on Monday mornings 9.30 - 10.15 am with Dancing Dimensions.

Angie Woolsey

Women's Night Out

The talk on Ist May is 'Anything from a pin to an elephant' by Chris Armstrong.



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Celebrations to mark 175th Anniversary of Norfolk's First Railway 12.

The very first Railway to open in Norfolk celebrates its 175th Anniversary this year and organisations along the route are joining together to mark the occasion. First opened in 1844, the Railway connecting the City of Norwich with the coast at Great Yarmouth is now part of the Greater Anglia operated Wherry Lines and to celebrate the anniversary the Wherry Lines Community Rail Partnership has joined with community groups and station volunteers to host a number of activities including a special exhibition which will tour various towns and villages along the original route, a free to join Guided Walk taking in some of the outstanding natural beauty of the line as well as a model railway display and station tea parties.

Authorised by Parliament in 1842, proposers of the new line appointed Robert Stephenson as Chairman and George Stephenson as Engineer with construction undertaken by Messrs Grissel and Peto. The original route ran via Brundall, Cantley and Reedham and work commenced in 1843. A ceremonial opening took place on 30 April 1844 with the first passenger trains running the next day. Following construction, Samuel Morton Peto, who had purchased both the Somerleyton Estate and Lowestoft Harbour, obtained permission to create a railway east of Reedham to Lowestoft which opened in the Summer of 1847. A second route from Norwich to Yarmouth via Lingwood and Acle opened in 1883 and these routes form the modern-day Wherry Lines. Brundall Gardens Halt, funded privately by Norfolk Cinema Impresario FH Cooper opened in 1924.

A small exhibition about the railway will tour towns and villages along the original route during the Summer, starting at Great Yarmouth Library (April 29-May 12), Gorleston Library (May 20-June 1), Brundall COOP and Post Office (June 3 – 15) and Reedham Community Centre (June 18-23) and Reedham Station Heritage Room (June 24-30). The COOP at Brundall will also host a family event on the morning of June 8.

Other activities planned include a free to join Guided Walk on Sunday 5 May at 11.15. Starting from Buckenham Station (connecting out of 10.58 from Norwich and 09.46 from Lowestoft) and led by Trevor Garrod, the 5mile walk will follow paths and tracks past the church and over the ridge to Strumpshaw village. Then via quiet roads, past Strumpshaw Hall to Strumpshaw Fen RSPB reserve ending with a stroll along the lane to Buckenham station. For those preferring a slightly shorter walk, it is possible to go from the centre of Strumpshaw to Lingwood Station.

At Cantley Station on May 4 (10-2), the adopter team will host a Model Railway Exhibition and refreshments with an opportunity to view and hear more about the stations' award winning gardens, the Heritage Room at Reedham Station will be open to visitors from June 24-30 and on May 11 (2-4), a Tea Party will take place at Reedham Station.*

The Wherry Lines itself is currently undergoing a major £60M modernisation scheme by Network Rail which will see the replacement of the Victorian signalling system. To facilitate this, part of the original route via Berney Arms is temporarily out of action with trains being diverted via Acle. Rail Operator Greater Anglia is also set to begin introducing its brand-new fleet of three and four car bi-mode trains from later this year. Martin Halliday, Development Officer, Community Rail Norfolk

*N.B. All welcome to the free Tea Party at Reedham Station on May I I $^{\rm th}$ – Ann Thompson.

The Station Adopters wish to thank the organisers of the Ferry Fest for the very generous donation; also Joe at Station Road and Catherine at Church View Close for the plants.

EXHIBITION CANTLEY STATION SAT 4TH MAY 10.00am till 2.00pm

We are celebrating our 175th birthday, or should I say, Cantley Station and the Norwich to Yarmouth line via Cantley and Reedham are. We were the first line to open in Norfolk with the first train at the end of April 1844. This is contemporary with the present series of Victoria on BBC1.

Perhaps you have family memories, passed down a few generations, of when the line opened and the early days of steam. Please come and share them with us.

Tea and coffee will be served between 10.00am and 2.00pm on Platform 2 at Cantley Station. Why not come by train?

FOCUS - Friends of Cantley Station - Carole, David, Robert, Steve and Tim.

CANTLEY FLOWER SHOW SAT 7TH SEPT at 2.00pm

I hope you have had a chance to look at our website at cantley.org/flowershow to see all the classes that you may enter this year.

Our special guest this year, to present the prizes for the Cantley Poster Competition as well as the Trophies for the Flower Show, is lan Redhead. You will all know him from Cantley Sugar Factory.

We would love to see you at our show this year.

Robert Beadle Chair Cantley Flower Show 01493701231.

Reedham Village Show

To challenge you this year, we have included a Swiss Roll in the schedule and "Anything Pink" is added. The pattern for the Intensive Care Baby Unit is a small blanket:- Pair No.8 knitting needles, approx.. I 20g double knitting yarn, any colour. Cast on I stitch, increase I stitch at beginning of each row to I 40 stitches, knit one row, then decrease I stitch each row to end.

Reedham Gardening Club

It is a very busy time in the garden, but be wary of planting summer bedding until the middle of May. Spring bulbs are best dead headed but leave the foliage to turn yellow. Shrubs can be pruned after flowering and given some fertilizer. Beetroot, carrots, parsnips and leeks can be sown but runner beans may be best sown in pots and kept undercover to get established.

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Reedham Vikings

Bring your own baking - a coffee morning where everyone is welcome, non-members, children – 1^{st} & 3^{rd} Thursdays every month, 10am - 12 noon.

This venue can be hired for just £30.

A reminder that membership fees are now due. £7.50 family, £5 single, under 16s free. For more details 'phone 01493 701337.

D Brister

Beighton 14.

Many thanks to everyone who supported the Easter Eggstravaganza. A fabulous day with lots of Easter egg-related activities including egg painting, egg rolling, egg hunt, Easter bonnets, paper plate crafts and wonderful refreshments. Even the weather played along! All proceeds were in aid of the Restoration & Improvements Appeal.

Our next fundraiser is on **18 May** in the form of a Car Treasurer Hunt, 10:00am to 4:00pm. First entries from 10:00am at All Saints Church, last entries at 1:00pm, you will be given a set of clues to find your way around the local area and hopefully locate the treasure at the end. £15 per car including refreshments. Non-treasure hunt visitors also welcome; we also hope to have a display of church records to browse on the day.

Kate Ashcroft



Answer to last month's Pathfinder Puzzle

'This joyful Eastertide
Away with sin and sorrow.
My Love, the crucified,
Hath sprung to life this morrow!
Had Christ, that once was slain
Ne'er burst His three day prison,
Our faith had been in vain:
But now hath Christ arisen.'
Anglican Hymn Book 197 or Carols
for Choirs 3 Appendix 1.

Lyndsay Fisher

Freethorpe

On Friday 31 May at Freethorpe Church Coffee and Cake 10.30 -12noon - do come and join us.

Jean Thompson

REEDHAM PARISH COUNCIL - Meeting held Monday 1st April 2019 at Reedham Village Hall

There were 6 Councillors present, the Clerk, County Councillor Brian Iles and District Councillor Grant Nurden. 4 members of the public were in attendance. Apologies were

received from Councillors Case, Ball, Lester, Thompson and Grattan. The Council 15. meeting commenced at 7.30 pm.

County Councillor Iles informed the Council that Norfolk County Council are still working on how to spend their budget. Proposals by the Boundary Commission may mean that the County loses 4 Councillors. £2,000 of Councillor Iles Highways budget has been earmarked for the 2nd Limpenhoe flooding problem.

District Councillor Nurden reported that Broadland District Council have appointed their new senior management team and are in the process of recruiting the remaining Assistant Directors.

The Chairman of the Village Hall Committee Chris Bradbury gave the following report: the play equipment safety inspection for April will be completed by the end of the week. The outdoor gym equipment is being well used. The March Cash Bingo jackpot was not won, the jackpot now stands at £290 in 59 numbers or less. On Saturday 4^{th} May "Mary Poppins Returns" will be shown.

Additional bins along Riverside, provided earlier than last year, have been requested by a member of the public.

There were no planning applications received for consideration.

A survey of the trees along the Woodland Walk will be undertaken to identify any that need urgent attention.

The Parish Council agreed to renew the lease on the allotments. Although the lease is only for 3 years the Council has a commitment to continue providing the allotments for as long as residents would like them. There is currently I half plot available at the allotments. Please contact the Clerk for further details. The Allotment Committee is offering support and advice to those new to allotments.

There were 4 recorded crimes in Reedham in January.

The Annual Parish Meeting will be held on Tuesday 14th May in the Lounge at the Village Hall. All residents are invited to attend.

*** A reminder that an initial Neighbourhood Plan consultation event is planned for the 29th April. This will be a chance to let the Parish Council and Neighbourhood Plan team know how you would like your village to progress over the next 10 to 15 years. We are looking for ideas for housing, traffic, leisure provision, schools, shops, businesses, footpaths, and anything else you think is important to making Reedham a good place to live and work. Please come along and tell us your ideas! ***

No further progress has been made during discussions with the landowner on the reopening the Permissive Path. Another meeting is planned for April.

Time and Date of Next Meeting.

Monday 13th May 2019 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. This is the Annual Parish Council meeting where the new Council will be enrolled. All parishioners are welcome to attend.

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At the Churchyard Day on 20th March at Reedham, the school children hear about the history of the church building - see article.



The Harrowing of Hell - see Rector's letter.

THY LORD IS RISEN' -

A CELEBRATION OF THE RESURRECTION

At Reedham Church
on Sunday 19th May at 5pm
with the Acle and Bure to Yare Benefice Choir.
Five Mystical Songs: Vaughan Williams
'As by man came death' from Handel's Messiah
'This joyful Eastertide'

Congregational Hymns and Scriptural Readings.





James Marston, EDP Journalist and Ordinand, prepares to speak at the Halvergate BCP Day on 24th March.

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