

Great Ellingham Chit Chat Group

Annual Report of Group Activities for The Great Ellingham Parish Council 2025

The Chit Chat Group continues to thrive and I'm happy to report that we average between 45 to 60 most weeks. We must have approx. 100 people who visit at different times during the year.

Because of the amount of tables and chairs which have to be in place before 10 am Rob, the caretaker of the school has arranged for his son Zak come and set out the room for us, thus preventing much lifting.

Very often the car park is so full that we are now double parking to accommodate locals and folk from out of town.

We have quite a few gentlemen who now attend regularly and the Darts in the Bar Area continues to be very popular.

On May 22nd, Eastons coaches took us to The Bay Tree Nurseries and Springfields in Spalding and on August 21st we will be going to The Cromer Summer Show followed by our third coach outing of the year to The Thursford Spectacular in December. The trips are proving to be very popular and I have waiting lists.

To sum up the Chit Chat Group. We pride ourselves on being a kind and caring group, which has been running successfully since 2011, and wherever possible members of the group support each other, especially through illness and the other 'highs and lows' in life. We have a marvellous group of people who come on Wednesday mornings therefore we trust that our Wednesday morning meetings, which are full of happiness and chat, continue to thrive during this coming year.

Ann Reeve – June 2025

Founder of the Group