

## Claxton and Carleton St Peter Village Hall

The present Village Hall is the third hall on the present site, and dates from 1984, having been built by Harry Wessell and officially opened by Major Derek Allhusen, then owner of Claxton Manor and Olympic Gold Medallist in 1968 (Mexico City).

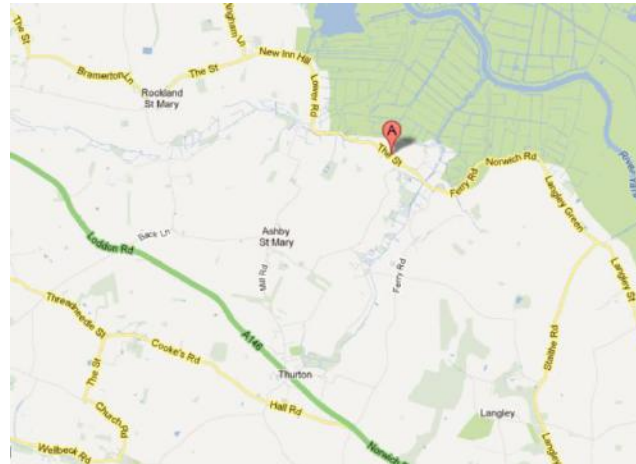
Money for the new Hall was raised through a variety of initiatives, including fetes, plays, competitions and dances, as well as grants from South Norfolk Council and other organisations.

In 1987 a Social Club was founded and a licence was obtained for the sale of alcohol, and provided this service for the first time since the village pub (the Folly Inn) closed in 1974. The Hall and grounds are currently used for a range of community activities.

The Social Club opens the bar every Friday from 8.30pm and visitors are always welcome. Once a month the Social Club offers outside entertainment, details of which can be found on the Claxton Village website at <http://claxtonpc.norfolkparishes.gov.uk/category/organisations/socialclub>

Anyone thinking of hiring the Hall is most welcome to come and look around. See elsewhere in this leaflet for contact details.

## MAP



## DIRECTIONS

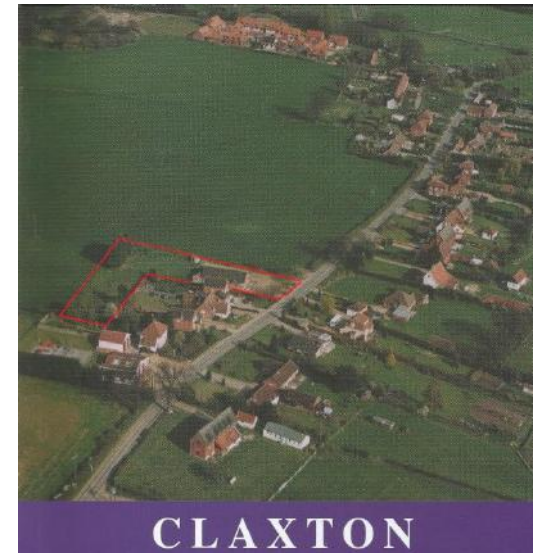
Claxton is located between Rockland St Mary and Langley, just east of the A146 between Norwich and Lowestoft.

Approaching from Langley, crossing the hump back bridge and passing the village green on the right, the Hall is some 300 metres further on, on the right.

Coming from the north (Rockland St Mary) the Hall is some 440 metres past the main entrance to Claxton Manor (both on the left).

The gravel car park has capacity for some 10-12 vehicles and parking for larger events can spill over onto the grounds behind the Hall.

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**SERVING THE COMMUNITIES OF  
CLAXTON AND CARLETON ST PETER  
SINCE 1984**

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The Hall is spacious and well-maintained. It has the added benefit of sizeable grounds behind the Hall mainly laid to grass, where outside activities can be held. As well as separate toilets for male and female guests there is a bespoke disabled toilet allowing easy wheelchair access.

The roomy and extremely well-equipped kitchen is available for all functions, and crockery and cutlery may also be available for private hire elsewhere, if not being used for a function on site.

The Hall is available for bookings 7 days a week, and has proved a very good venue for large functions such as weddings and other celebrations. The parquet floor in the centre of the hall is particularly suitable for dancing.

The Hall would also be suitable for formal and informal business meetings and conferences.

In 2013 the Hall acquired an 'Amalgamated Premises Licence' from South Norfolk Council which does away with the need for private hirers to apply for their own licence for their event.

## THE HALL



## HIRING CHARGES

(effective 1 April 2013)

Short hire		£8 per hour
Morning	0800-1200	£30
Afternoon	1300-1700	£30
Evening	1800-2400	£45
All Day	0800-2400	£100

Longer hires by negotiation

Use of the fully-licensed bar can also be arranged

If you would like to take a look around the Village Hall or make a booking:

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