## **Quality of Knowledge**

The firm was founded in 1950 and ever since, we have been helping clients, their families and businesses with their legal requirements in the heart of the Norfolk Broads and beyond. As a firm, we have adapted to the demands of our clients and the firm has gradually expanded.

Each of our solicitors or legal executives specialises in a particular area of law and we aim to provide a personal and friendly service not always available in larger firms.

The areas of the law with which we can assist clients are as follows:-

- Residential & Commercial Property
- Landlord & Tenant
- Business & Partnerships
- Wills & Estate Planning
- Probate & Estate Administration
- Trusts
- Powers of Attorney & Deputyship
- Matrimonial
- Family Law
- Inheritance Disputes
- Litigation



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## Wills & Estate Planning

Only one third of people in England have a will. Not only do people often put off making a will but they also have misconceptions about them. The fact is that if you die without a will it can leave serious problems for your family.

The most common misconception about not having a will is that everything will automatically go to your spouse. Dying without a will means that your assets are dealt with under the statutory laws of intestacy. These could see your property split between your relatives and could lead to financial hardship.

This situation is even worse for unmarried, cohabiting couples. There are over 4 million people in this category and the law does not recognise these relationships on death.

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If one partner dies then their property or assets will probably go to their family rather than to their partner.

On a positive note, a will is a chance for you to decide to whom you wish your assets to go. They can also be used to appoint guardians to look after your children.

At Capron & Helliwell, we can advise you on making a will and also on estate planning.

This can help to ensure your assets are protected in a tax-efficient way for both your use and also to pass down to your family. Making a will is not a complicated process and gives a sense of both relief and peace of mind. Please feel free to call us to discuss your needs.

## How we can help

If you wish to discuss your legal requirements and how we can help you then please call us, you will find us friendly, re-assuring and helpful.

Convenient parking is available at all of our offices and we are able to visit clients at home.\*

\*Additional charges apply for home visits.

