

A View from Ryedale House



The result in the Scottish Independence referendum may have come as a relief to many but I predict that it will produce significant constitutional aftershocks for the UK as a whole. An English parliament is probably the only conclusive answer to the 'West Lothian' question, and with more powers (including tax-raising powers) devolved to Scotland, the more immediate becomes the need for one.

But what of the regions? I suspect that many of us may have forgotten about John Prescott's failed effort to introduce regional assemblies. In

2004 the north-east delivered their own emphatic verdict, with 80% voting against such a proposal. Why? Presumably because they feared an expensive talking shop with limited real power and populated by another tier of second-class politicians. For my part, I would welcome a greater devolution of decision-making to a local level, channeled through existing councils (vested in locally elected and accountable representatives) rather than face the expense of further tiers of government bureaucracy and infrastructure.

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However, before that happens, the quality of representation must improve. So, for anyone who thinks that they can or would like to make a difference within their local community and with council elections next May, now is the time to put your name forward!

If you have any thoughts/views on the above or indeed anything else which falls within the District Council's responsibility please feel free to e-mail me on <u>cllr.edward.legard@ryedale.gov.uk</u>

Edward (Legard) Councillor (Wolds Ward)



Don't forget the Villages Website (http://luttonsandweaverthorpe.ryedaleconnect.org.uk)

The Wolds Valley Warbler provides a means of communication between the communities of: Wharram-Le-Street, Duggleby, Kirby Grindalythe, West Lutton, East Lutton, Helperthorpe, Weaverthorpe, Butterwick and Foxholes.





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THE WOLDS VALLEY CHURCHES

Services for the Month of November

Anglican Churches

2nd Nov	10.30 18.00	Holy Communion & All Souls at St Mary's West Lutton Evensong at St Mary's Wharram
9th Nov	10.00 10.50	Remembrance Sunday at St Andrew's Weaverthorpe Act of Remembrance at Weaverthorpe War Memorial
16th Nov	09.00 10.30 16.00	Holy Communion at St Mary's West Lutton Holy Communion at St Mary's Wharram All Age Service at St Peter's Helperthorpe
23rd Nov	09.00 10.30 10.30 17.00	Holy Communion at St Andrew's Kirby Grindalythe Holy Communion (Mod) at St Andrew's Weaverthorpe Morning Prayer at St Mary's Wharram Evensong at St Peter's Helperthorpe

Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals and other enquiries should be directed to the Rev Andy Bowden

01944 738814 or email andy@woldsvalley.plus.com

For parishioners, your first point of call on all church related matters should be your churchwarden.

Wolds Valley Methodist Church, Weaverthorpe

(Serving the whole Wolds Valley)

2nd Nov	No Service		
9th Nov	15.00 den	United Service led by Rev. Denise Free and Rev. Andy Bow-	
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23rd Nov 15.00 Holy Communion led by Rev. Peter Cross

All services are followed by a cup of tea or coffee and a chat about local life.

Coffee Mornings

Coffee mornings continue every Monday (except Bank Holidays) from 10.00 until 11.30

Baptisms, funerals or other enquiries should be addressed to: **Rev Denise Free – Tel: 01723 512168**

St Nicholas's Church, Butterwick

- **9th Nov** 15.30 Evening Choral Service with Act of Remembrance for Butterwick and Foxholes. Rev. Jacki Tonkin and Rev. Stuart Grant
- 22nd Nov 09.30 to 10.30 'Men at The Mill' Coffee and Bacon Butties! (The Old Mill, Langtoft). Contact Rev. Stuart Grant for details 01430 810201 or Mob 07795 560065.
- **28th Nov** 11.00 to 12.00 noon, Coffee with the Curate at The Falling Stone, Thwing. (All welcome).

Baptisms, weddings, funerals or other enquiries should be directed to: **Rev Jacki Tonkin – Tel: 01377 267149**

St Leonard & St Mary's RC Church, Malton

Masses at St Leonard & St Mary's take place at the weekend at 6.30 pm on Saturdays and 9.30 am on Sundays and various other services are held throughout the week. Priest is Father Tim Bywater while Mrs Sue Westmacott is the pastoral assistant.

Address: Church Hill, Malton, Y017 7EJ. tel/fax: 01653 692128 email: stleonards@tiscali.co.uk



Home Improvement Agency awarded contract to operate Handyperson and Well Being Service

White Rose Home Improvement Agency (HIA) is celebrating being awarded a new three-year contract with North Yorkshire County Council so that it can continue to help older and vulnerable residents live independently in their own homes across the Borough of Scarborough and Ryedale.

White Rose HIA is a non-profit making partnership between Scarborough Borough Council and Ryedale District Council, which provides practical support and advice to enable people to remain independent in their own homes.

Speaking about the new contract, White Rose HIA Manager Lynn Williams said:

"People may have previously used Handyperson services operated by Broadacres and Age UK across the Borough of Scarborough and Ryedale; these services are now being operated by White Rose HIA. As part of the new contract we have retained the existing handypersons, Dave Rainton, Dave Parnaby and Gary Wright, so we're hoping these familiar faces will give our customers peace of mind and confidence in the service we provide."

The Handyperson service can carry out minor adaptations and small repairs jobs, usually lasting less than three hours, such as fitting shelves, smoke alarms, changing light bulbs, hanging pictures and many other items or small repairs.

Works cost £15 per hour, plus the cost of any materials, however some works may be free of charge. Anyone interested in the service can call 01723 232527 and staff will be happy to assist.

White Rose HIA also offers a free home based Well Being Service assessment that looks at factors like personal safety, including aids and adaptations that can assist with independence, improving a home's security and fire safety, benefits awareness, energy efficiency and identifying social and recreational activities to combat isolation and loneliness. Anyone wanting more information on this service should contact the agency.



Evening Service with Act of Remembrance

St Nicholas, Butterwick Sunday 9th November 3:30pm

Weaverthorpe



01944 738346 Halloween Pumpkin Carving Competition Prizes for 1st and 2nd place and a bag of sweets and a rosette for all entrants. Drawn at 5pm at the star

Halloween Extravaganza

3 course meal and magic show from the amazing Marc Oberon (close up table magic and a live show!) Only £29.95 pp or just the magic for show £5 (9.30pm show to start)

> Night at the Races in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support.

15th November WIN REAL CASH! A fun packed evening for all with 8 races and raffle. Book early for food and then have your table for the rest of the evening. First race starts at 7pm with betting opening at 6.30pm

Lebanese Theme Night

28th Novembe 4 course middle eastern menu and belly dancers only £29.95 pp

Christmas Market at The Star

Mulled wine and stalls outside Proceeds of stalls going to Macmillan Cancer Support.

> Live Band Evening Monday 30th December



Weaverthorpe Village Hall every Wednesday 6.30 - 7.30 pm. Contact Vicki Rowland 07805 529411

Susan Fulcher

As many of you will know our Zumba instructor and friend Susan Fulcher was tragically killed in a car accident. She will be sadly missed by so many and our thoughts are with Richard, Amy and Michael. Zumba was a big part of Susan's life and it was a passion shared by many of us. She always had a smile and shared her love of Zumba with Amy and Michael who would sometimes come along in the holidays.

The Wednesday class in Weaverthorpe was started by Wayne Thompson-Mills nearly 4 years ago. Not only did Susan attend this class but she would travel to classes in Hunmanby, Filey and Bridlington. When she found out that Wayne was moving on, Susan, unbeknown to us, undertook her instructor training so our Wednesday night sessions could continue. We know Susan would not have wanted the class to come to an end so, with Wayne's blessing, on Wednesday 12th November classes will resume at Weaverthorpe Village Hall 6.30-7.30. For further details please contact Vicki Rowland 07805 529411

There is a Zumbathon in memory of Susan to raise funds for the charity BREAK. It will take place on Saturday 15th November 11.00 till 1.00 at Hilderthorpe School in Bridlington. For more information please contact Wayne on 07896 804564.



Wolds Valley Photography Club Tuesday 11th November 6.30pm - 8pm In the Star Inn, Weaverthorpe A talk on composition tips by Tracy Chapman Free. All welcome Phone Tracy Chapman for more details on 07866 606947



Saturday 18th October

Thank you to everyone who donated and bought jumble and in particular to the regular group of jumble helpers who make the event such 'fun'. Profits this October were £216.00 which will be divided between Weaverthorpe Primary School and the Weaverthorpe Branch of the Yorkshire Countrywomen's Association. Sue Thomson

Footpath Courtesy Please could people parking partly on the footpath leave enough room for prams, pushchairs and wheelchairs? It is dangerous and difficult, especially for heavier wheelchairs, to go on the road. Thank you. Peter & Mary Massheder

Yorkshire Country Women's Association Weaverthorpe Branch

Our next meeting is on the 2nd December at 7.30pm in Weaverthorpe Village Hall when we shall have a Cookery Demonstration by

the ever popular Sheila Meadley. £5.00 inc. mulled wine and mince pies.

Please come along and join us - you will be made very welcome.

Penny House Chairwoman 01944 738841

WEAVERTHORPE VILLAGE HALL Please note new phone no. for bookings 01944 738037

MACMILLAN. CANCER SUPPORT

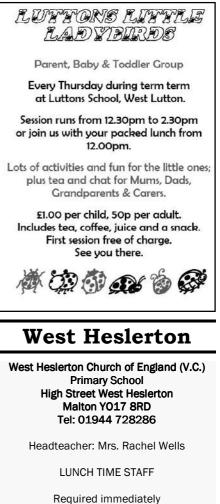
A great big thank you to everyone who came, donated, supported and helped us to make a record breaking £1052.32. Anne Vasey

Christmas Ladies Lunch

Friday 5th December. 2 courses for £10 per person at The Star Inn, Weaverthorpe.

Tickets on sale contact Jess Boyes 07583 953862 money raised will go to Friends of Weaverthorpe School.

Luttons



We are looking for friendly people to supervise the children at our village school during their lunch and help them to have fun in the playground afterwards. Lunchtime staff work from 12 noon to 1pm. This could be for 1 to 5 days per week For an application form and further

details, please enquire at the above address or telephone the school office.

Helperthorpe

Coffee Morning & Book Exchange Saturday 22nd November 10.30 am - 12.00 at St Peter's Church. Come along for a coffee and find something new to read!

On behalf of the PCC and all visitors to the churchyard I would like to thank Mr Tony Boorman for all his hard work (free of charge!), keeping the churchyard so tidy. His efforts are very much appreciated.



Job Vacancies CRANEDALE CENTRE KIRBY GRINDALYTHE MALTON Y017 8DB

POT WASHER

to work 6.00 pm - 8.30 pm. Must be able to work weekends as well as in the week. The number of days will be variable depending on the needs of the business. Some of the work may be heavy. Ideally the person should live locally. Good rates of pay and own transport needed. Applicants aged 16 or over need only apply.

See our website: <u>www.cranedale.com</u> For an application form Contact Mrs Karen Smith (Catering Manager) or Mrs Sue Taylor (Administrator) on 01944 738687



Christmas Craft and Food Fair

Fri 5th, Sat 6th & Sun 7th December 9.30 am to $$4.00\ \mbox{pm}$$

Over 100 craft, gift and food stalls

Visit Father Christmas Sat & Sun only

Tractor and trailer rides to the Deer Park Sat & Sun only

Fair Admission: Adults £4.00 Concessions £3.75 Children £1.00

Sledmere Home Farm Sledmere, Driffield, Y025 3XG Tel:(01377) 236637 www.sledmerehouse.com

Christmas Fayre



Rillington Village Hall Saturday 29th November

Fundraiser for Rillington Village Hall 9.30am-11.00am

tombola, raffle, cake stall, face painting, father Christmas And much more...

> Stalls Available £6 each Ring: 07704289080 Or call in at the hall

DALBY FOREST

Fear in the Forest - Halloween Event

Friday 31st October from 5.30pm Halloween walk, creepy crafts, live bats and prize for best fancy dress.

£6.00 per person.

Suitable for children over 5 years. Not suitable for pushchairs and wheelchairs. Booking online at www.forestry.gov.uk/dalbyforest

Gruffalo's Child Trail

If you enjoyed the Gruffalo Trail, you'll love our Gruffalo's Child trail, which is now live at Dalby Forest. Trail guides can be purchased at the visitor centre for $\pounds 2.00$ each.

Find out more at http://bit.ly/1r17AVt Sign up to be the first to hear more about our plans www.forestry.gov.uk/gruffalo

Star Gazing at Dalby Forest

Friday 7th November - 8pm to 10pm

Wrap up warm and come along to see the delights of our Universe with the help of members of Scarborough & Ryedale Astronomical Society. Over the course of the season, expect to see the Moon, planets, star clusters, nebulae and galaxies and maybe even some shooting stars. In the event of inclement weather, please don't be put off as a virtual tour / presentation will be given by society members in the warmth of the Visitor Centre. More details on the society and its events can be found at www.scarborough-ryedale-as.org.uk/saras/. This event is free but charitable donations are welcome.

Foxholes and Weaverthorpe Village Hall meeting

On Thursday 9 October John Nichols and David Mobbs, Foxholes Village Hall Committee members gave a presentation to the full Weaverthorpe Village Hall Committee outlining the plans for the new Foxholes Community Hall. They explained the need for the Hall, the process which Foxholes is going through to acquire Big Lottery Funding, the present plans for the Hall and how they see the Hall functioning. The Foxholes Community Hall is at the final stages of the Big Lottery funding process and it is the view of the Big Lottery that the new half a million pound Hall should serve the wider community of the Great Wolds Valley.

This meeting explored ways in which Weaverthorpe and Foxholes could co-operate and share ideas, resources and activities for the benefit of both communities.

Everyone thought the meeting was worthwhile with positive outcomes, and we are looking forward to working more closely together in the future.

Further meetings are planned for Foxholes Community Hall committee to meet at Thwing and Langtoft with the same objective, and it is hoped to plan a similar meeting at Wold Newton. Please contact John Nicholls on 01262 470275 for further information.

Care and support where I live consultation

We would like the views of the people of North Yorkshire on proposals we have put together for transforming services to allow people to live independent, healthy and fulfilling lives. These proposals are based on the principle that people should be able to get care and support where they live and when they need it. Consultation background

North Yorkshire County Council's health and adult services' directorate has written a document to explain their proposals to transform the way they make sure that people can remain safe and independent in their own homes and improve the amount and quality of accommodation with care and support across the County by the year 2020. The proposals will also meet the financial savings that we need to make.

This strategy has been based on what you have told us; that older people want more control and choice over their support, want to live independent lives in their own homes and want to remain part of their local communities for longer. We also know that, by 2020, nearly a quarter of North Yorkshire's residents will be over 65 and the number of people predicted to have dementia will have increased by more than 20 per cent.

The proposals show that we will work with a wide range of partners and local communities to deliver better results for people and value for money.

You can view the strategy at: www.northyorks.gov.uk/careandsupportstrategy Consultation questions

We have prepared a questionnaire to find out what you think about our proposals. The questionnaire will help us gather your views on:

The Council's proposals to replace its previous 'Our Future Lives' strategy and consultation process set out in 2006 with this updated Strategy that extends extra care housing and develops other forms of accommodation with care

Our ideas to help people live independently in their existing home or in accommodation with care and support

Our ambition to roll out extra care housing to every major town in the County

Our aim to replace the remaining County Councilowned Elderly Persons' Homes with extra care housing

Other types of accommodation with care and support that we should be thinking about

Ideas for extra care housing schemes to play a more pivotal role in your community

Community hubs that would help you to stay in your existing home

The consultation period will start on 18 August 2014 and end on 17 November 2014.

Following the consultation, we will look at the responses and use them to produce a final strategy for consideration by the Council's Executive in early 2015.

Give us your views

You can send us your views using our online form.

Views can also be e-mailed to us at hasconsultation@northyorks.gov.uk. If you wish to complete a paper questionnaire, you can email us or write to us at the address below asking for a copy of the questionnaire to be sent to you. Please include your name and address.

Completed paper questionnaires can be sent to: HAS Consultation,

Room 18, County Hall, Racecourse Lane, Northallerton, DL7 8AD.