

## A View from County Hall



One of the great aspects of representing you, is being able to shift focus between very local events and broader county wide work and I hope to emphasis this contrast here. I would like to say a very big thank you to residents of Wintringham for their invitation to

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view their bat conservation project at St Peter's Church. I confess, when I first heard about this, it brought back memories of the difficulties trying to manage the bats in St Hilda's Church in Ellerburn. I was keen to see how they had combined the welfare of the bats with the preservation of this beautiful Church. Needless to say, I was impressed. Highlights included displays and films of the bats, beautiful wooden carvings on the pews, fantastic art work of bats by local children and a trip up the church tower with spectacular views over the Wolds. I will certainly be making a return visit to see the real bats and not just the sporting residents who were dressed as bats!

Our Youth Justice Service at North Yorkshire County Council is something of a Cinderella service. The positive impacts of a good Youth Justice Service can really change the lives of young people and their families, so I would like to shine a light on what they do. Last month one of our officers received a commendation from the Chief Constable for her work. She clearly made a huge difference to the family she had been working with. The YJS is currently working on a "Test & Learn Pilot Programme" this builds on existing work to bring about a reduction in the number of First Time Entrants into the criminal justice system. The YJS team work with young people that with a little early help can be diverted from going the wrong way in life. The pilot also works positively to influence the trajectory of those young people at risk of re-entering the system.

This work has meant that in comparison to the previous year, the Youth Justice Service has been instrumental in preventing 50 fewer young people entering the criminal justice system for the first time, a 28% drop in the rate of reoffending and no custodial sentences. I think we can all look back in life and remember someone who gave us the confidence to move our lives in a better direction. The YJS does this daily and though their work largely goes under the radar, their influence is significant to the lives they change.

Janet Sanderson Thornton Dale and The Wolds Executive Member for Children's Services Telephone 01751 474516



Saturday 13th May Weaverthorpe Village Hall Y017 8EX 1pm - 2.30pm

Admission
Adults £1 inc drink & biscuit.
Accompanied children free.

Jumble can be donated on Friday 12th from 7pm - 8pm or from 11.30am on the 13th

Sorry we cannot accept electrical items.

Proceeds to be divided between Weaverthorpe Village organisations.

Further information from Sue 01944 738804

Don't forget the following Websites:-

Weaverthorpe Parish Council (weaverthorpeparish council.co.uk/weaverthorpe/)
Luttons Parish Council (http://luttonsandweaverthorpe.ryedaleconnect.org.uk)
Kirby Grindalythe & Duggleby (http://kirbygrindalytheduggleby.ryedaleconnect.org.uk)
Foxholes with Butterwick Parish Council (http://foxholesbutterwickpc.co.uk)

#### **Wolds Valley Benefice**

2nd of Lent 10'30am 05/03/2023 St Andrew's Church, Kirby Grindalythe 10'30am 3rd of Lent 12/03/2023 St Mary's Church, West Lutton 4th of Lent 10'30am 19/03/2023 Mothering Sun St Andrew's Weav erthorpe 5th of Lent 10'30am 26/03/2023 St Andrew's Church, Kirby Grindalythe

Due to illness, please contact Rev. Alison Hutchinson Mob: 07816 847271 email: anhutch@gmail.com with any enquiries, until further notice.

#### **Driffield & Langtoft Benefice**

Sunday, 5th March, 9:15 am - St Mary's, Little Driffield (Book of Common Prayer)

Sunday, 5th March, 11:00 am - St Peter's, Langtoft

Sunday, 5th March, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield (Morning Prayer)

Wednesday, 8th March, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Sunday, 12th March, 9:15 am - All Saints', Thwing Sunday, 12th March, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield

Sunday, 12th March, 2:00 pm - All Saints', Driffield (Baptism)

Wednesday, 15th March, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Mothering Sunday

Sunday, 19th March, 9:15 am - St Mary's, Little Driffield (Book of Common Prayer)

Sunday, 19th March, 11:00 am - St Peter's, Langtoft

Sunday, 19th March, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield (Morning Prayer)

Wednesday, 22nd March, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Sunday, 26th March, 9:15 am - All Saints', Thwing

Sunday, 26th March, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield Sunday, 26th March, 2:00 pm - All Saints', Driffield (Baptism)

Wednesday, 29th March, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Palm Sunday, 2nd April, 9:15 am - St Mary's, Little Driffield (Book of Common Prayer)

Sunday, 2nd April, 11:00 am - St Peter's, Langtoft

Sunday, 2nd April, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield (Morning Pray er)

Tuesday, 4th April, 7:00 pm - All Saints', Thwing (Annual Meeting)

All enquiries should be directed to: Rev Stuart Grant :- 01377 257712 Mob: 07795 560065

#### All Saints Church, Front Street, Wold Newton

Sunday 5th March, 10.00 a.m. Holy Communion Rev. B. Hodgson

Sunday 19th March, 11.00 a.m. Mothering Sunday - a special service for parents and children. Come along everyone!!

All information could alter, so if in any doubt please call one of the churchwardens: Carol 01262 470838 or Julie 01262 470546.

All enquiries should be directed to: Rev Barbara Hodgson - Tel: 01262 675014

#### **Sherburn Methodist Chapel**

Sunday 5th March Led by the Worship Team Sunday 12th March Led by Rev Trevor Haigh

Sunday 19th March
Sunday 26th March
Holy Communion Service led by Our Minister Rev Emma Morgan
All services begin at 10.30am but are preceded by Worship videos from 10.15am

The services are followed by light refreshments in the Hall.

Midweek meetings:

Monday Bible Study and Prayer from 1.30pm

Tuesday Coffee Morning from 10am-11.30am. Coffee is free but any donations will be give to the Air Ambulance.

Thursday Craft Club from 1.30pm. Just bring your craft and enjoy a cuppa and a chat while you work. All are in invited to any of these worship or social meetings.

All enquiries should be directed to: Rev Emma Morgan Tel: 01723 361214



#### **COFFEE MORNING**

Weaverthorpe Village Hall Next one Friday 10th March 10am - 12 pm 2nd Friday of the month

> Books for sale. Everyone welcome.



Weaverthorpe Brunch Club Weaverthorpe Village Hall Friday 17th March Tw o Sittings

Two Sittings
9.30 and 10.45
Text 07972 132158
or email
weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com

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Weaverthorpe Village Hall Wednesdays 6.45pm to 7.45pm Phone Charlie on 07746 485138



#### **WEAVERTHORPE BRANCH**

Next meeting on Tuesday 11th April 7.30pm at Weaverthorpe Village Hall.

#### COOKERY DEMONSTRATION

Everyone welcome Guests £3.50

Contact Sue Thomson 01944 738804 for further information.



#### Weaverthorpe Village Hall

Hopefully, by the time you read this, our new porch will be starting to look like the finished article.

That said, there are still one or two things that we need to be agreed with our contractor – like what sort of door to have, and how the porch is to be lit. It will, of course, all get sorted but may take a little time.

With regards to our Monthly Market project, I know that many people have been asking when this will start again. All I can say is that we are still investigating one or two solutions as to how we may continue with this but, at the moment, we do not have a definitive answer. Of course, this means that should a solution be found, it will not be until later in the year that we can actually restart.

Now for some good news. We held the first of our 'Pop Up Restaurant' evenings on Saturday11th February. We had 25 guests sitting down to a French themed meal of: French Onion Soup; Beef Bourguignon, served with Chantenay Carrots, Boulangere and Creamy Mash potatoes, and Green Beans wrapped in Leeks. This was followed by French Apple Tart with cream; Coffee/Tea and chocolates. I think it is fair to say that none of our guests were at all disappointed.

The main room of the village hall was transformed (a little) in order to give our guests the feeling of being somewhere else. We think this worked - see the photo.



The question from many of our guests was when will be the next 'Pop Up Restaurant' evening? And the answer is Saturday 10th June.

Currently we have not decided on a menu – something we are working hard on I can assure you. So, at the moment, just mark your diary as a 'Possible Evening Meal Out' date. Hopefully the menu will be published in the April

Warbler.

One thing I have to say is that places will again be limited – likely to be no more than 26 – and reservations will be on a 'first come first served' basis.

Just one other thing: This event is about getting together, whilst, at the same time, enjoying an excellent meal and some good company. As such the tables are set to seat up to eight or nine people, thus facilitating an opportunity to chat, laugh and perhaps get to know someone new, or someone a little better. Come along and have a lovely evening.

If you would like to take a 'punt' on the menu being to your liking, then see the poster in this edition of The Warbler for the details.

In the meantime, as usual, if you would like to hire the hall then please contact Trevor Thomson on 07972 132158 or 01944 738804.

Martin Pearce (on behalf of the WVH Committee).



#### Weaverthorpe Brunch Club

Wow – would you believe that we served over Fifty Two Breakfasts at our February Brunch Club!! Amazing. We must be doing something right!

All I can say is a big thank you to our BC Team for a super effort, especially as we had to call on our reserves of Sylvia and Chris Dowgill at 'front of house' and Linda Hetherington standing in as 'Plater Upper' in the kitchen. Well done everyone.

And also, a very big thank you to all our guests. We hope many of you can make our March Brunch Club on Friday 17<sup>th</sup>.

In spite of the excellent turnout we managed with just the two sittings and feel that we will stick with this format.

Please reserve your places for our March BC by contacting Trevor Thomson, on 07972 132158 (by text), or email him on weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com to let him know you would like to come along.

Martin Pearce (on behalf of the WVH Committee).

### 100 CLUB

The February 100 Club Draw was held during the Village Hall Committee meeting on Thursday 9th Feb. The reason for this was that Sue and I were away on holiday on the day of Brunch Club – and since the app which generates the random num bers is on my phone the draw could not be done at the BC.

The winning numbers were 43 (1st Prize); 82 (2nd Prize) and 99 (3rd Prize). Congratulations to the winners.

One of those winners has had her number from the inception of the 100 Club – and this is her first win! It just shows that patience does pay off – eventually.

Should anyone wish to become a member, or would like more numbers, then please just get in touch – Tel: 0 7 9 7 1 9 6 3 7 9 7 or e mail: martin.pearce54321@gmail.com
Best for now,

Martin Pearce (on behalf of the WVH Committee).



Ganton & District
Horticultural Association

#### "How I became a Judge"

A talk by Colin Woodhead, National Judge for the Pie of the Year competition

> Friday 10th March Ganton Village Hall, 7.00 for 7.30pm

Tickets £5 including light refreshments, Raffle

For further details please contact Trevor Goodall, 01944 710532 or email ganton.show@gmail.com



# Pop Up Restaurant

Saturday 10th June @
19.30hrs:
Fixed Price Set 3 Course
Menu:
Yet to be decided

2 Courses: £18; 3 Courses £23; BYO Drink

All Bookings with £10pp Deposit Paid by
Friday 26th May
Book with Sue Pearce (BACS or Cash) at:
Sue.pearce14@yahoo.co.uk or 01944
738461 or 0777 2005936
Max of 24 Persons; Min of 2 Courses pp
Note: If there are less than 20 Reservations
the event will be cancelled.

## FISHERMANIS FRIENDS: ONE AND ALL

BASED ON A TRUE STORY



Friday 31st March 7.30 pm in Weaverthorpe Village Hall £5.00 including either tea or coffee and a biscuit. There will be ice creams available during the interval.

## FAME IS NEVER PLAIN SAILING





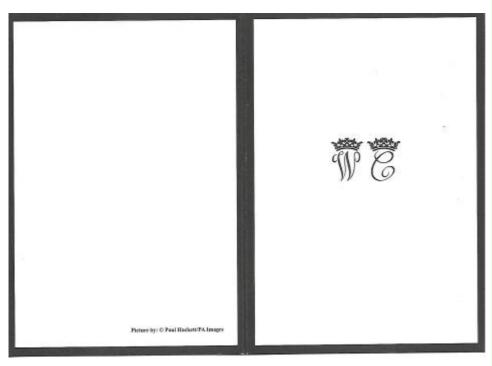


#### ROYAL MAIL

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The Members of the Congregation at
St. Peter's Church
c/o Valerie and Roy Crane
1 South View
Helperthorpe
Malton
YO17 8TH

Members of the Congregation of St. Peter's Church,
Helperthorpe sent a message of condolence to the Royal Family
on the occasion of Her Majesty The Queen's death in 2022.
They received a reply from The Prince and Princess of Wales at
Kensington Palace and would like to share that with you all.





The Prince and Princess of Wales would like to thank you for the kind words you sent following the death of Her Majesty The Queen.

Their Royal Highnesses have been extremely touched by the very thoughtful messages of condolence that they have received during this time.

They will deeply miss Her Majesty, who played such an important part of both of their lives, but so appreciate your message which has provided them with a great deal of comfort.

#### **Helperthorpe Bird Notes**



An occasional series from a local birder and sound recordist.

Highlight of Jan ... early Feb ... was a shorteared owl loping along a tree line ... had to be reminded to stop whooping and clapping as was standing in Octon Crematorium car park ... only ten seconds worth though an amazing sight ... see these birds very rarely ... most pictures capture the owls facial disk with those penetrating eyes ... they are ground nesting birds and during the breeding season the male has a display flight clapping his wings under the body ...and something different ... when out sound recording last summer would often hear the raucous calls of peacocks ... from a generally westerly direction ... so on a trip to Sherburn one stepped across the road ... did do a doble take ... and had taken my medication for the day ...the other Saturday it must have been national barn owl day ... on the way out one was down Croome Lane ... on the way back singletons at Haverdale ... and Summit Farm ... so lucky to live in an area where there is always chance of one crossing your path ...birds during the month ... fieldfare 50 ... pink-footed geese 50 ... treecreeper ... barn owl ... goldcrest ... greenfinch ... four buzzards in a stack over Sledmere ... two red kites on a back road to Norton ... at least four song thrushes in the village belting out their strident double phrases ...if you keep bird records ... might be worth downloading them onto the BTO Birdtrack site ... it is free ... and there is an app ... it was initially used to track bird migration ... now it is so much more ...as mentioned previously am listed as more than inept at nest finding ... so finding a long -tailed nest although it was last years was



something of a happy smiley face moment ... the nest is made from interwoven spiders webs and lichen ... I i n e d with feathers ... as the family expands so does the nest ... the adults are often supported by

siblings and other birds that may have lost their nest  $\dots$  as a result fledging rates are good  $\dots$ 

David Mellor



Next Walk
Sunday 26 March 2023
All Welcome

Held on the 4th Sunday of
every month
Meet outside the
Three Tuns/St Mary's Church
West Lutton
Dogs welcome on a lead.
Tea and Cake in the church
at the end of walk!
Forthcoming walks
Sunday 30 April 2023
Sunday 28 May 2023

WEST LUTTON COFFEE MORNINGS

SATURDAY 11 MARCH 2023

SATURDAY 8 APRIL 2023

SATURDAY 13 MAY 2023

10 – 12 NOON

ST MARYS CHURCH







#### COFFEE MORNINGS HELD EVERY 2<sup>ND</sup> SATURDAY OF THE MONTH!

Please do come and join us for our Superb Bacon Butties and Vegan Sausage Roll, Homemade Cakes Stop by for a natter and catch up with friends.

Please note that Marylyn Clegg will be holding a Craft Stall at this event.



#### SATURDAY 8 APRIL 2023

This month's coffee morning will include:
CHILDREN'S EASTER TRAIL
EGG PAINTING AND DRAWING
EASTER/SPRING WREATH MAKING
EASTER BONNET COMPETITION





SUNDAY 7 MAY 2023
WEST LUTTON
VILLAGE CORONATION FETE
1200 – 1600
BBQ, SWEETS, ICE CREAMS
RAFFLE
CAKE STALL
ASSAULT COURSE
DRUMMING SESSION
CEILIDH

MUSIC AND SO MUCH MORE!

SATURDAY 10 JUNE 2023 – WEST LUTTON VILLAGE MAKERS AND BAKERS OPEN GARDENS



SCARECROWS CRAFT STALLS

#### REFURBISHED FOOTPATH IN WEST LUTTON



Through proactive engagement with the North Yorkshire County Council Highways Department, the Luttons Parish Council has arranged for the footpath outside of Sycamore Farm in West Lutton to be refurbished. Previously completely buried by growth, the footpath was first exposed before the base was

treated and then covered by

tarmac.

Martin Pearce, Chair of the Luttons Parish Council Environmental Committee said: 'It is great to see what can be a chieved through the

development of a harmonious relationship between the Luttons Parish Council and the much larger North Yorkshire County Council. The refurbished footpath offers a significant improvement for pedestrians within the village.'







### Dates for Social Activities at Foxholes Community Hall

Wed-1-Mar Line Dancing 7:00 PM
Thu-2-Mar Art Group 1:00 PM
Thu-2-Mar Short Mat Bowls 7:00 PM
Sat-4-Mar Coffee Moming & Library 10 AM

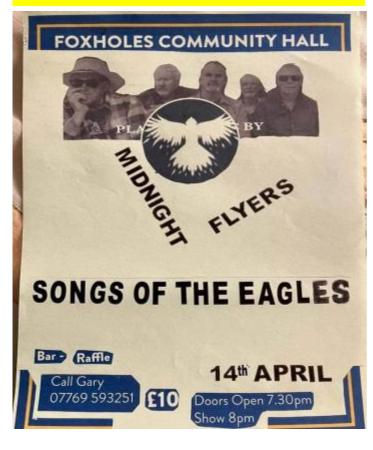
Mon-6-Mar Photography Group 7:30 PM Mon-6-Mar Yoga Class 11:30 AM Mon-6-Mar Craft Group 2:00 PM Wed-8-Mar Line Dancing 7:00 PM Thu-9-Mar Art Group 1:00 PM Thu-9-Mar Short Mat Bowls 7:00 PM

Mon-13-Mar Yoga Class 11:30 AM
Tue-14-Mar Whist Drive 7:30 PM
Wed-15-Mar Line Dancing 7:00 PM
Thu-16-Mar Art Group 1:00 PM
Thu-16-Mar reach Short Mat Bowls 7:00 PM
Sat-18-Mar Coffee Morning & Library 10 AM

Mon-20-Mar Photography Group 7:30 PM
Mon-20-Mar Yoga Class 11:30 AM
Mon-20-Mar Craft Group 2:00 PM
Wed-22-Mar Line Dancing 7:00 PM
Thu-23-Mar Art Group 1:00 PM
Thu-23-Mar Short Mat Bowls 7:00 PM
Sat-25-Mar Fella's at Foxholes Breakfast Club 9:30AM

Mon-27-Mar Yoga Class 11:30 AM
Tue-28-Mar Yorkshire Coast Farm Women's Club 7:30 PM
Wed-29-Mar Line Dancing 7:00 PM
Thu-30-Mar Art Group 1:00 PM
Thu-30-Mar Short Mat Bowls 7:00 PM
Sat-1-Apr Coffee Morning & Library 10:AM

Mon-3-Apr Photography Group 7:30 PM Mon-3-Apr Yoga Class 11:30 AM



#### **WOLD NEWTON**

#### ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Sunday 5th March, 10.00 a.m. Holy Communion Rev. B. Hodgson Sunday 19th March, 11.00 a.m. Mothering Sunday - a special service for parents and children. Come along everyone!!

Sunday  $2^{nd}$  April- Palm Sunday. 10.00 a.m. Holy Communion Rev. B. Hodgson

Sunday 9th April – Easter Day! 10.00 a.m. Holy Communion Rev. B. Hodgson

For information on these or any others please call one of the churchwardens: Carol 01262 470838 or Julie 01262 470546. 'A Church Near You' website, which is updated regularly, can also be consulted.

The church remains open daily for private prayer and contemplation; also for visitors wishing to experience its history and beauty as well as accessing the village Library/Book Exchange. (Light switches to the left of the door.) Feel free to take books, no exchange is necessary. Please leave donations of books on the table.

SEED EXCHANGE - this will recommence in Spring!

THE HINGE BOX – this is in the church porch and continues to be very well supported, providing much needed food and essentials for struggling, local families. Based in Bridlington, the Hinge is now receiving even more referrals from local authorities and is even busier than it was. All donations are very much appreciated. A can of beans, a bar of soap, pasta .... All donations are used locally.

#### WOLD NEWTON COMMUNITY Facebook GROUP

This continues to provide much needed community information. Books and resources are now based in the church, which is opened every day.

THE COMMUNITY CENTRE - For all information regarding hire of the Centre and events there please contact Judith 01262470368.

Tues. 7th March 7.00 p.m. Gardening Club Welcome Meeting Sat. 25th March 10 – 12.00 'Coffee, Cake & a Chat' – also Bacon Butties!

It has been brought to the attention of the Warbler that a 9ft pole has been stolen from a property in **Weaverthorpe**.

The resident would

also like to raise awareness to the fact that he believes rubble has been buried in the grounds of the property overnight o n several occasions within the past 4 months. Has anyone else experienced similar events?





## Sherburn Local history Society

## FLYING HIGH OVER SHERBURN

Monday 6th March 6.30pm Sherburn Village Hall YO17 8PG

An introduction to aviation in Sherburn and surrounding areas by Paul Ashford

Including Brompton, Heslington Air Field, Role of the Observer Corps and Staxton Radar

Followed by

## TABLE TALK

Discuss your memories and experiences of Aviation in Sherburn

### RAFFLE

Tea, coffee and biscuits
Entry £2 members, £3 non members

For more information contact: sherburnlocalhistory@gmail.com