



A View from County Hall



New year is generally a time when we reflect on the past and enter the new year with high hopes for the future. Looking back over the past

year we have never been through such a mammoth change in local government, moving eight councils into one new unitary authority. My first reflection has to be that, all be it with a few minor hitches, we did it, we got there and the world didn't fall apart.

Many of the services stayed the same including my own portfolio, Children's services. We now have the task of transforming those services and rationalising our property to become a fully integrated new authority and this may turn out to be a greater challenge. As we begin to see many local councils in financial difficulties and struggling to deliver anything other than the most basic statutory services, the move to a new unitary NYC has thankfully saved us for the same fate - for time being.

No one likes change, but we need to move with the times. If change is managed sensitively and works with existing communities and authorities then there is hope for the future.

Whatever your hopes for the future, I wish you and your loved ones every success for a happy and prosperous New Year 2024.

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Thornton Dale and The Wolds
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Don't forget the following Websites :-

Weaverthorpe Parish Council (weaverthorpeparishcouncil.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

7th January 10am Holy Communion at St Peter's, Helperthorpe

14th January 10am Holy Communion St Mary's, Wharram-le-Street

21st January 8:00am Holy Communion **This service has been CANCELLED**

21st January 10am Plough Sunday Communion service St Andrew's, Kirby Grindalythe

28th January 10am Holy Communion St Mary's, West Lutton

For all enquiries, please contact the Church Wardens
(please see church notice boards for details)

or Rev'd Nicola Penn-Allison (01944 738540 nicky.allison@outlook.com)

or Rev'd Alison Hutchinson (07816 847271 anhutch@gmail.com)

Driffield & Langtoft Benefice

Wednesday, 3rd January, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Sunday, 7th January, 9:15 am - St Mary's, Little Driffield (Book of Common Prayer)

Sunday, 7th January, 11:00 am - St Peter's, Langtoft

Sunday, 7th January, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield (Morning Prayer)

Sunday, 7th January, 4:00 pm - St Mary's, Sledmere (Deanery Epiphany Service)

Wednesday, 10th January, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Sunday, 14th January, 9:15 am - All Saints', Thwing

Sunday, 14th January, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield

Wednesday, 17th January, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Sunday, 21st January, 8:00 am - All Saints', Driffield (Book of Common Prayer)

Sunday, 21st January, 9:15 am - St Mary's, Little Driffield (Book of Common Prayer)

Sunday, 21st January, 11:00 am - St Peter's, Langtoft

Sunday, 21st January, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield (Morning Prayer)

Wednesday, 24th January, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Saturday, 27th January, 9:30 am - Foxholes Community Hall (Fellas At Foxholes)

Sunday, 28th January, 9:15 am - All Saints', Thwing

Sunday, 28th January, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield

Wednesday, 31st January, 9:30 am - All Saints', Driffield

Sunday, 4th February, 9:15 am - St Mary's, Little Driffield (Book of Common Prayer)

Sunday, 4th February, 11:00 am - St Peter's, Langtoft

Sunday, 4th February, 11:00 am - All Saints', Driffield (Morning Prayer)

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

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The clergy, PCC and wardens of St Andrew's Weaverthorpe would like to say a big thank you to our community, volunteers, local businesses and Village Hall committee for your generous support both practical such as cutting the grass, cleaning and keeping a 'friendly eye', and financial by supporting events and services over the last year. Without you we could not keep the Church open, so thank you for keeping St Andrew's as part of this community.



Yorkshire Countrywomen

No Meeting in January.
Next Meeting 13th February.
Canine Life Saving skills.



COFFEE MORNING **Weaverthorpe Village Hall**

No coffee Morning in January
2024
Restart Friday 8th February.



Weaverthorpe Brunch Club

Weaverthorpe Village Hall
Friday 19th January

Two Sittings

9.45 and 10.45

To book:-

Text 07972 132158

or email

weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com



Weaverthorpe Village Hall
Wednesdays

7.00pm to 8.00pm

Phone Charlie on 07746 485138

All Saints Church, Front Street, Wold Newton

7/1/24 10.00 a.m. Holy Communion

21/1/24 10.00 a.m. Moming Service

All information could alter, so if in any doubt please call one of the churchwardens: Anny 01262 470287 or Julie 01262 470546.

Also see www.achurchnearyou.

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

Sherburn Methodist Chapel

January 2024 Sunday services - all 10.15 for 10.30am.

7th Service led by Rev Bruce Russell

14th Service led by Mr Tom Clayton.

21st Covenant Service with Holy Communion led by our Minister, Rev Emma Morgan.

28th Service led by the Worship Team.

Weekday activities in the Hall.

Monday at 1.30 Bible Fellowship and Prayer.

Tuesday from 10-11.30am Coffee Morning. There is no charge for the coffee but any kind donations will be given to charity.

Thursday from 1.30pm Craft Club meets, just bring you craft along and enjoy a cuppa and a chat as you work.

Come to one - Come to all, you will be most welcome.

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



Weaverthorpe Village Hall

Bookings

Contact Trevor Thomson

07972 132158

weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com

Knit & Natter (Craft)

Tuesday 13.00—15.00

Contact Trish Lake

01944 738752

Zumba

Wednesday 18.45—19.45

Contact Charlie 07 746 485138

Yorkshire Countrywomen

Second Tuesday of the month

No Meeting in January

Contact Sue Thomson

01944 738804

Coffee Morning

10 am - 12 pm

Second Friday of the month

No Coffee Morning in January

Books for sale.

Everyone welcome.

Weaverthorpe Brunch Club

Third Friday of the month

Two Sittings

9.45 and 10.45

To book-

Call/Text 07972 132158

or email

weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com

SUPERMOBILE LIBRARY

Forthcoming dates are:

Monday 15th January

Monday 12th February

Always between 10am & 12 midday in

front of the Village Hall.

**100
CLUB**

There are still numbers available for the Village Hall 100 Club. The subscription is £12.00 per year and runs from 1st September to 31st August. If you join after September, you will pay for the months until the end of the following August.

Monthly Prizes are:-

£20, £10 & £5

If you would like to become a member please just get in touch.

Tel: 07972 132158 or email

weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com

Plough Sunday

in the

Wolds Valley



All are welcome to join us on 21st January 2024 at 10am St Andrew's church, Kirby Grindalythe as we celebrate the beginning of the agricultural year in the Wold's Valley Benefice

ROWAN ATKINSON

JOHNNY ENGLISH

STRIKES AGAIN



Wolds Valley Pop Up Cinema
Friday 26th January 7.30 pm in Weaverthorpe Village Hall
£5 including either tea or coffee and a biscuit.
There will be ice creams available to purchase during the interval.
07972 132158 weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com

Weaverthorpe Brunch Club



Unfortunately, two of our regular helpers have moved out of the valley & we are appealing for volunteers to join us at the monthly Brunch Club held in Weaverthorpe Village Hall.

Brunch Club is on the third Friday of the month, generally between the hours of 8.30 - 12.00.

We work on a rota system, so any offered help does not mean every month, you choose when you are free to help.

The duty would generally involve serving hot drinks or juices to customers.

If you have a few hours to spare a month & want to meet local people please get in touch.

weaverthorpevillagehall@gmail.com

Fencing over the Gypsy Race adjacent to Weaverthorpe Village Green

After all the hard work put in by volunteers to install new fencing and renovate some of the existing fencing at the end of the summer, it would appear that some unknown person has driven a vehicle into a section of the renovated fencing, and damaged it quite severely, such that it will probably need replacing.

Would anyone who may have any information about the vehicle and/or person(s) involved, please get in touch using the contact details below, please?

The Parish Council has insurance, but if we make a claim, it will affect our future premiums which are paid for out of public funds.

Jeff House

Clerk to Weaverthorpe Parish Council

Tel. 07901 661508 or 01944 738841

weaverthorpeparishcouncil@gmail.com

Weaverthorpe Parish Council will meet on Monday 15th January 2024 in the village hall at 7pm. All are welcome to attend whether you have anything to raise or not.

The Agenda will be on the website

(weaverthorpeparishcouncil.co.uk) and the village notice board from 8th January 2024.

weaverthorpeparishcouncil@gmail.com



ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, WEAVERTHORPE

SPONSOR A DAY

Dear Resident

The church of St. Andrew at Weaverthorpe has been a place of worship and celebration since the 12th century. Today it has services monthly, hosts baptisms, weddings and funerals and also stages special services and exhibitions for the community. As with most ancient buildings there is a cost for upkeep of the church, currently £15 a day for St. Andrew's.

We are writing to ask if you would like to sponsor a day in the life of this church by choosing a date of significance to you and your family. There will be a book in the church and on the date you choose we will write your name and anything you would like to say about this special day. This is for families and individuals. Once we have the book in use, we will let you know and you will be able to visit the church and see your special day.

For each entry we would ask for a donation of £15, once per year, by standing order to St. Andrew's Church. Please email jemasonuk@yahoo.co.uk or telephone 01944 738238/07702192001 for further information. Please return the slip below to jemasonuk@yahoo.co.uk or post to Mrs J. Mason, Gara Croft, Weaverthorpe, Malton YO17 8ER. (PCC representative)

Please help us to continue to be able to worship and celebrate at St. Andrew's church for many years to come.

Kind regards

St. Andrew's PCC (parochial church council)

SPONSOR A DAY

I would like to sponsor a day/days for St. Andrew's Church, Weaverthorpe.

Date to sponsor:

Information about special day:

Name:

I have set up an annual standing order

Signed:

Bank details: Virgin Money PCC Saint Andrew's Weaverthorpe

Sort code: 05.05.70 Account no.: 35407338

Ref: Your name Sponsor

Please indicate below whether we have your consent to hold your name and preferred contact details so that we contact you with information about the services and events of the church that may be of interest to you.

St Andrew's Church, Weaverthorpe have/do not have *(delete as appropriate)* my consent to hold my name and contact details for the purpose of keeping in touch with me.

I give permission for you to claim gift aid, I am a UK tax payer Yes/No

Thank you to Velco for printing these.

January 2024

What's On In West Lutton



Christmas Raffle

LIFE Members would like to thank everyone for their support in raising funds for St Mary's throughout the year & by buying raffle tickets at the Christmas Coffee Morning. The winner of the Christmas Hamper was Glenis Dutton from West Lutton.

We have a number of events planned for 2024 more details to follow

Coffee Mornings

Join us for a natter with Tea or Coffee & a Bacon Buttie or Vegan Sausage Roll at our Monthly Coffee Mornings.

St Mary's Church
Saturdays 10am-12 noon



Next Coffee Morning
Saturday 13th January
Saturday 10th February



Next Walks
Sunday 28th January
Sunday 25th February

Luttons Monthly Walks

Our friendly group meets outside The Three Tuns or St Mary's Church on the last Sunday of each month at 1pm. Dogs are welcome on a lead. Tea & Cakes in the church afterwards!

Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday 30th March

Makers & Bakers Plant Fair & Bake Off Competition

Saturday 8th June

Scarecrow Trail & Table Top Sale

Saturday 13th July

January 2024 Craft Courses

Ceramic Sponge Painting

Monday 22nd January 1-3pm

You will be decorating a piece of ceramic stoneware over 100 years old salvaged from a Victorian dump!

Weaverthorpe Village Hall

Cost £20

Sea Glass Suncatchers

Wednesday 31st January 1-3pm

This course combines sea glass and UV Resin to create stunning decorative results.

Wold Newton Community Centre

Cost £20

February 2024 Craft Courses

Peg Loom Weaving

Monday 12th February 1-3 pm

Weaving made easy to create 2 woven placemats using a traditional wooden peg loom.

Weaverthorpe Village Hall

Cost £25

Geli Printing on Paper & Card

Tuesday 27th February 1-3 pm

Revolutionary new printing technique that creates amazing results for card making or scrap booking.

Wold Newton Community Centre

Cost £20

Only 4 places available (unless you have your own geli plate)

March 2024 Craft Courses

Beach Wreaths

Thursday 14th March 1-3 pm

Come and make a wreath using driftwood, shells, sea glass and other beach found items.

Wold Newton Community Centre

Cost £20

Sea Glass T- Light holders

Monday 18th March 1-3pm

You will be using flat pieces of sea glass to create a dry stonewall effect holder.

Weaverthorpe Village Hall

Cost £20

Geli Printing on Fabric

Wednesday 27th March 1-3pm

How to make permanent prints on fabric using botanical materials and acrylic paints.

Weaverthorpe Village Hall

Cost £20

Only 4 places available unless you have your own geli plate.

To book a place contact Catherine Milner
07704100293 or 01944 711919
textileartist@yahoo.co.uk

Dates for Social Activities at Foxholes Community Hall

Every Wednesday Line Dancing 7:00pm
Every Thursday Art Group 1:00pm
Every Thursday Short Mat Bowls 7:00pm
Every Friday Yoga Class 10:30am
Sat 6th January Coffee Morning & Library 10.30am
Mon 8th January Craft Group 2:00pm
Tue 9th January Whist Drive 7:30pm
Mon 15th January Camera Club 2:00pm
Sat 20th January Coffee Morning & Library 10.30am
Mon 22nd January Craft Group 2:00pm
Wed 24th January Parish Council Meeting 7.00pm
Sat 27th January Fella's at Foxholes Breakfast Club 9.30am
Mon 29th January Camera Club 2:00pm
Tue 30th January Yorkshire Coast Farm Women's Club
7.00pm

Helperthorpe Bird Notes

An occasional series from a local birder and sound recordist.



A sort of review of sound recording highlights of the year ... top of the list was the sedge warbler in May ... no rarity just the opportunity to record for almost two hours straight ... an ebullient songster with all sorts of trills ... whistles and imitation ... also to be so close huddled behind the parabolic ... next a few nest recordings ...



willow warbler ... chiffchaff ... particularly when the male accompanies the females visits with song ... and a first in recording of a crow nestling ... just prior to it becoming a fledgling ... the adults are so wary ... so it was set the gear up and retreat ... November was good for recording pink-footed geese in a bay

up in Northumberland ... recording the birds as they came into and out of a roosting site ... the word area might be better ... never the same place ... just chuffing brilliant ... on one occasion an uncountable number of crows ... rooks ... jackdaws ... assembled on a sandbank before parties headed off in different directions to get on with their day ...

Occasionally donate or get asked for recordings ... a new book ... Sound Identification of Terrestrial Mammals Britain and Ireland ... Middleton ... Newson ... Pearce ... has only one recording of a mole ... and its one of mine ... bless ... never really seen much in the way of badgers ... the book lists the incredible diversity of sounds associated with their behaviour ... snarling ... growling ... hisses ... snorts ... yelps ... grunts ... screams ... keckering ... purrs ... churrs ... chittering ... perhaps one day ..? a set ended up being used by the Spinnies Aberogwen Nature reserve ... no comment on Whale with Steve Backshall ...

Out and about there seems to be plenty of fieldfare and redwing frequenting the hedgerows ... a group of long-tailed tits had a treecreeper in their midst ... Mrs M has been recording great spotted woodpecker on her phone ... some small flocks of corn bunting about ... up to 15 in the biggest so far ... and a calling brambling ... a number of raptor species ... buzzard ... sparrowhawk ... kestrel ... one year had a hen harrier male ... here's hoping ...
David Mellor



WOLD NEWTON

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

The normal pattern is 1st and 3rd Sundays at 10.00 a.m.. Usually the 1st Sunday in the month is Holy Communion.

All information could alter, so if in any doubt please call one of the churchwardens: Anny 01262 470287 or Julie 01262 470546. Alternatively, please check on www.achurchnearyou.com

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.)

MOBILE LIBRARY

This will park at the bus shelter on WEDNESDAY, 3rd January from 1.30 - 2.00p.m. and also WEDNESDAY 31st January, same times.

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 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 ... all become major and welcome gifts.

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, such as Tai Chi & Line Dance, please contact Judith 01262 470368. Sat. 27/1/24 Coffee, Cake and a Chat plus Bacon Sarnies! 10 a.m.-12 noon

Advance information:-

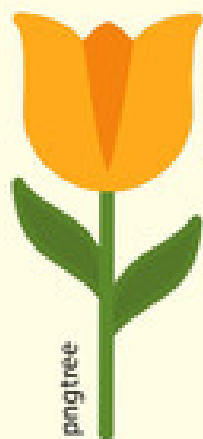
Saturday, 10th February 2.00 - 4.00 p.m..

"We Want To Tell You Some Stories"

A grown-up's Jackanory! Come along to All Saint's Church and spend an enjoyable couple of hours being read to by local authors from the Nafferton Writers' Group. All original work by published authors. Cake and beverages will be served to support this pleasant afternoon. Entry is free, but a donation to the church's Fabric Fund (building and running costs) is asked for. There will be an opportunity to buy the writers' publications.

Foxholes Community Hall

We are looking for stallholders for the
following fairs ...



Spring Fair Saturday

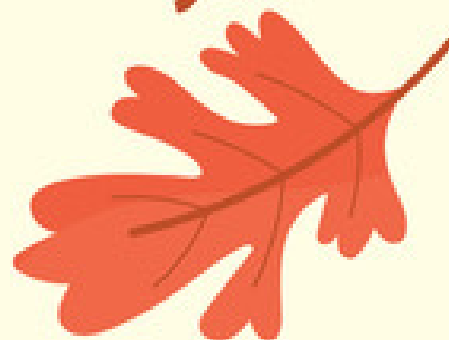
March 16th

10.00am - 2pm

Autumn Fair Saturday

October 12th

10.00am - 2pm



Pikisuperstar

£10.00 per table

For all enquires please e-mail:

events@foxholeshall.com

SHERBURN CAFÉ

OPEN THURSDAY MORNINGS

9.00AM-11.30AM

AT SHERBURN VILLAGE HALL

PLEASE POP IN AND JOIN US

FOR A FRIENDLY CUPPA!

TEA/COFFEE AND TEACAKE £1.50



The Book Shop

Come along and have a look at
our many books!

Wednesdays 2.30-3.30
at Sherburn Village Hall

Only £1 to borrow a
book!

Any donations of books are
greatly received!



Kilham Playgroup
Kilham Village Hall
Wednesdays
9.30-11.00am

Lots of toys, ride-ons and fun! £2 per child over 6 months, £1 per child under 6 months. Refreshments for children and adults. Come as and when you can make it, we would love to see you. For more info please message 07778 087929.



Ganton Village Hall.
The Wolds Short Mat Bowls Club.

Tuesday and Thursday, 7pm - 9pm (apart from the third Thursday in each month)

First visit FREE! Why not pay this friendly club a visit?

A game for all ages both male and female. Families are welcome.

No experience necessary.

For further information, contact Jean, Club Secretary, 07 79 1787693
teddbandme@gmail.com



The Cranedale Educational Charitable Trust is an organisation who offer residential trips to school pupils of primary, secondary and A-level age groups. We are a 15-minute drive from Malton.

**Vacancies at the Cranedale Centre
from January 2024**

Cleaner required - to work as part of our small team. Flexible working hours, mostly mornings to early afternoons. £11 per hour Monday - Saturday and £12 on Sundays.

Sandwich Maker required to work 11 am to 5 pm each day. Rate of pay £11 an hour Monday to Saturday and £12 an hour on Sundays. Training and uniform are provided. Own transport is essential.

Please contact Chris Cassells or Sue Taylor on cranedaleadministration@cranedale.com for an application form.



Is there a little lioness on the prowl in your house?

If she is aged 7 or 8 years old*, she is able to come and join the Heslerton U9 girls team on their first ever season of girls football!

Come along, meet new friends and play at a friendly club, where having fun and enjoying ourselves is our goal! 



Saturdays 10 - 11
Sand Lane, West Heslerton
YO17 8SG

*a lioness of a different age?
no problem, message us to see what is available for your child!



Sherburn Local History Society

NEW YEAR OPEN EVENING

Featuring

**THE JOHN CLARKE
ARCHIVE PHOTOS**

Monday 8th January 7.00pm
Sherburn Village Hall YO17 8PG

TABLE TALK

Bring your own historical photographs

**Let us know if you have any ideas
for future meetings**

Entry £2 Members, £3 Non members
ALL WELCOME

Tea, Coffee and Biscuits

For more information
sherburnlocalhistory@gmail.com



YESTERYEARS DAY 2024

CARS & STALLS WANTED



VEHICLES TO BE SHOWCASED IN THE FIELD
REFRESHMENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

FROM **10AM ONWARDS**

CAR BOOT • STALLS WANTED

PLEASE CONTACT: INFOYESTERYEARS@BTINTERNET.COM
FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT EXHIBITING & STALLS.

