Rudston Newsletter

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Editor’s Letter

Dear Everyone,

Thank you to all those people who have sent articles for this months news letter. I wonder if anyone gives a thought to all those villagers who tirelessly deliver batches of the monthly editions. I would like to thank, the following stalwarts; Jean Corner, Teresa Blofeld, Jane Crossley, Wendy Smith, Alwyn Ward, Shirley Clark, Shirley Harland, Barbara Burgess and Chris Gatenby.

What lovely days we have had recently to welcome the beginning of spring and what a joy to see the return of the gurgling Gypsy Race. It is good to see visitors in the sunshine, enjoying our beautiful village. Of course, our village would not be the same without the myriad of volunteers, to which I allude many times in my editorials…..speaking of which, it is the Village Hall AGM on April 25th. It is hoped that residents will attend and perhaps join the committee.

Thankfully, we are not at the stage of many village halls around the country, who are having to close through lack of volunteers, but it would be good to see some new faces.

Welcome to any new residents. I hope that you will have a happy time living in Rudston.

Finally, I wish everyone a Happy Easter.

We would like to give a big thankyou to Claire Stephenson, who has delivered Newsletters for many years. Sadly she is unable to deliver for some time as she is unwell. We wish her a speedy recovery.

We welcome Julia Overfield to our band of deliverers, as she has volunteered to take on Claire’s task. Thank you Julia.

We also thank Jane Chatterton, who is now delivering newsletters around Thorpe.

Nick & Sue

Sue Tompkin
Church News

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Rudston with Boynton, Carnaby & Kiham

Church services and events for April

2nd  9.30am  Holy Communion

9th  10.00am Palm Sunday: Wold Newton Holy Communion

12th 10.30am Wednesday of Holy week Holy Communion

13th 7.00pm Maundy Thursday: Holy Communion

14th 2.00pm Good Friday: Kilham, Meditation on the Cross
     including Faure’s requiem by the Ad Hoc Singers (directed by David Cooper)

15th 8.00pm Easter Eve Service of Light

16th 9.30am Easter Day: Holy Communion,

23rd 9.30am Holy Communion

30th 9.30am All age service

Each Wednesday at 10.30am we have a service of Holy Communion followed by coffee.

Dear Friends

April brings with it Holy week and Easter; the most important time in the Church calendar. During this time we remember and re-enact the events around Jesus' death and resurrection and our services help to bring it all to life.

Holy week starts with Palm Sunday, where we remember Jesus entering Jerusalem on a donkey (we’ll have a real donkey leading a procession up to the church in Wold Newton that day!). On Maundy Thursday we remember Jesus’s last supper, and the root of the Holy Communion service we have today.

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I find this the most moving service of the year; finishing with the stripping of the alter and feeling of desolation as Jesus’ passion begins.

On Good Friday, where we think about Jesus dying on the cross, we have something special at church in Kilham. The Ad Hoc Singers (directed by David Cooper) will perform Faure’s Requiem as part of that service. All our events lead of course to the great Easter Day celebration; hope to see you there.

After Easter there is still plenty going on and on 7th May we have the Bishop of Hull coming to take a confirmation service; so if anyone is thinking about taking this important step in your faith journey please get in touch. You can also find out more about confirmation at; www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/confirmation

With every blessing
Glyn

Andrew, Jane, Jessica and Daniel would like to thank everyone for their kindness and support over these last few weeks, including the ladies who provided refreshments in the village hall and the Reverend Glyn Owen.

Due to the recent sad circumstances Jane Moorfoot will no longer be continuing with hairdressing, however she would like to thank all her customers for their loyalty over the years.
POLICE SIGNS

For the Snowdrop Walk in February the Police put SLOW signs on the road. When they came to collect these the following day they were not to be found. I know it is a while ago now, but if anyone can remember seeing anyone packing them into a vehicle or anything which might help please let me know and I will pass on the information.

Chris Gatenby
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All Saints Church Social Committee

51 people and helpers enjoyed the Spring Lunch at Low Caythorpe on March 15th and with a successful raffle the total raised for Church Funds was £731.50. Thanks go to all those who helped, cooked and participated. It was a very enjoyable time together.

Our next event is a Bridge Day on Wednesday 26th April in Rudston Village Hall organised, by Wendy Proctor, to include coffee & a hot lunch.

We hope to see you at the Easter Services.
Best wishes and thanks for your continuing support.
June Sellers (Social Secretary)

The Outreach Post Office in the Village Hall is open on
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‘Jo is so patient and incredibly loving and caring’
‘The surroundings are smashing, very dog friendly’

You’ll find more at www.wagpetservices.co.uk
The next meeting is on Tuesday 4th April at 7p.m. in Rudston Village Hall. Any new members are welcome or any guests at a charge of £3.

This month our speaker is Sue Woodcock of Yorkshire Post fame and she will tell us about her Life Experiences. She collects men's ties from which she makes skirts! So if anyone has some they want to donate to her please give them to a W.I. member to bring to the meeting.

Hostesses this month are Lorna Moore & Barbara Moorfoot. Maria Lloyd will give the vote of thanks. The competition is a favourite tie.

In March Hazel Conner took the chair and Charlotte Shipley told the members about the Field & Forage business that she and Emma Hobbs have set up. Members were treated to a delicious sample of their beef.

For more information contact June Sellers  01262 420237
DEFIBRILLATOR

The defibrillator has now been commissioned and is sited in the old telephone kiosk at the junction of Middle Street and High Street. If you need to use the defibrillator, please call 999 and the operator will give you the access code. When you switch the defibrillator on, it will guide you with both audio and video instructions.

TRAINING

There is to be a training session for anyone that would like to know how to use a defibrillator to be held in the Village Hall. The date to be announced soon. If anyone would like to register their interest in attending the training session please contact Jen on 07542874957 or e-mail your name and contact details to jen@jehbooks.co.uk.

VOLUNTEER EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SYSTEM, or VETS.

VETS assists when a lone rescuer must stay with the patient and yet needs help in fetching the community defibrillator. By using a single memorable telephone number, this will ring up to 10 lines at the same time until a helper has been found. VETS is a community run system, and enables up to 10 local resident volunteers to assist pending the arrival of the emergency services. The system can also be used for any emergency where additional help is required from neighbours, whether Cardiac Arrest or not. The availability of VETS gives a level of reassurance to the elderly, those living alone, and to the infirmed, that there is always help on hand.

The caller is played a simple message before VETS volunteers answer. If no answer, continue CPR until other help or ambulance arrives. VETS does not replace 999 calls.

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VETS relies on volunteers from your community to be able to be called and therefore it is essential that these volunteer helpers know that they could be called upon at any time, and thus if the helpers are child minders or do not wish to be called whilst at work then they should not be on the VETS list. Please also note that the volunteer number should be a landline only – not a mobile number.

If you feel you are able to be on the VETS list please contact Jennifer Hobson – Clerk to the Parish Council on 01723 890084 or 07542874957 e-mail: jen@jehbooks.co.uk

The next Parish Council meeting is to take place on: 5th April 2017 at 7.30pm in the village hall.

The village Emergency Plan is in the process of being updated. That is the one that everyone should be aware of, but hopes they will never need. It is one of the many items available to view on the village website.

RUDSTON VILLAGE HALL AGM

This will be held on April 25th at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Please come along. All residents are welcome.

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Will anyone interested in sponsoring the Newsletter
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OR SHIRLEY
On the 23rd of March the History Group had their last meeting of the present season when Dr David Neave gave a presentation on “Houses of the Yorkshire Wolds”.

Dr Neave said that the type of houses built in an area was the result of various factors including the type of building materials available; the local culture; the type of land ownership; the local economy and the length of time the houses would survive before rebuilding took place.

We saw pictures of houses built of mud, chalk and cobbles. Stone was used for churches. An early “cruck” house with a frame made of wood still exists at Octon. Bricks were made at Rudston.

After the enclosure, which was in the 1770’s in the Rudston area farms were outside the village, and larger farmhouses were built.

This was a very interesting talk by a very knowledgeable speaker, with good illustrations.

The programme for 2017/2018 has been arranged, meetings are held at the Village Hall, starting at 7pm. Everyone is welcome.

Thursday September 28th  Dr. James Lyall "Treasure under your feet"
Thursday October 26th   Dr Pete Wilson "Cawthorne Roman Camps"
Thursday November 23rd  Rick Hudson “Disappearing Bridlington"
Thursday December 21st "Christmas Evening Hands on. Bring your own treasures Complementary seasonal refreshments this evening
Thursday January 25th   Michael Mortimore "Boynton’s Airship Pilot"
Thursday February 23rd  Dominic Powesland “The people of Star Carr"
Thursday March 24th     Margaret Jury/ John Walker "Rudston Emigrants in the 1800’s."
Afternoon Tea
Saturday 29th April
2.30pm
In Aid of Marie Curie
At the Village Hall
Music by Keith & Alan
Tickets: £8.00 each
Ticket only - available from
Teresa (420171) - Shirley - Becky - Bernard & Pat (420440)
or any member of the Village Hall Committee
Brief reference to jury duty in my last scribblings reminded me of my experience in that respect. It isn't a thing we usually talk about, but it is some time ago now and did have an amusing conclusion, so I hope may be of interest.

Along with many others I had been fascinated by court cases on T.V. and cinema, so was quite thrilled to receive a summons to jury duty in 1979. On reporting to Beverley at 10 a.m. one Monday morning I soon found that fact and fiction were rather different. About 25 to 30 people had gathered and eventually a list of names was read out, but mine wasn't among them. The rest of us sat around waiting and wondering, until at lunch-time we were told to go home (or back to work), as there would be no case for us that day.

Next day was pretty much the same. The first ones called had obviously drawn the main case of the week. On Wednesday though, action at last, and I was one of those who filed into a courtroom for the first time. (To date, also the last!). Then another disappointment. It wasn't a “proper” judge in the traditional wig who we all stood to welcome, but a Recorder, a “trainee judge”. This obviously wasn't to be a major murder trial, and the down-trodden looking middle-aged chap who had shuffled into the dock didn't look to be any sort of thug.

It was a “Receiving Stolen Goods” case, which was detailed for us. A burglary had taken place at a country house in Holderness some months previously, and police had eventually been led to the home of the accused. There they found 3 or 4 items suspected to be from the burglary. That seemed to be as far as police investigation had got. At one point the judge asked the constable, who was standing notebook in hand, if the original burglars had been apprehended, and then if any other stolen items had been recovered. The young policeman looked quite embarrassed on behalf of his colleagues as he admitted “No, sir” to both questions.

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So, as the jury retired to deliberate, the question was simply did we believe the accused that the items were not from the burglary at all, but legitimate household possessions. As they included a couple of things that “ordinary” people would be unlikely to own and he had no receipts for anything, it wasn’t long before we all came to the same conclusion of guilty.

After hearing our verdict the judge asked for any previous convictions, and there was quite a list! All were of a “petty” variety, but he decided another 12 months imprisonment should be the punishment. As the judge prepared to rise the guilty man suddenly spoke: “May I say something, sir?” After a sharp glance and moment’s hesitation the judge agreed that he may. With all attention now on him the chap spoke in as dramatic a manner as he could: “There are some people who are worldly-wise (pause), but you’re not one of ’em!”

Just like Norman Stanley Fletcher he was an “habitual criminal”, and Ronnie Barker himself couldn’t have delivered that line better.

Phillip Crossland

Can I thank everyone who kindly donated bottles for our Marie Curie Fund Raiser, before Christmas? We raised a grand total of £370. So a big thank you to you all.

Sorry for the delay with this letter, but the last 3 months has been quite a traumatic time, as the Marie Curie evening service, in this area has been decommissioned and our team based at Driffield was given notice. The Marie Curie overnight service will continue and I will carry on with them.

Our next fund raiser is an Afternoon Tea at the Village Hall on April 29th. Please watch out for posters and see page 12.

With thanks,

Pat Warcup

*Buttercup cottage*

*Long Street, Rudston*
WORDSEARCH

PICCADILLY CIRCUS
OXFORD STREET
ROTTEN ROW
SMITHFIELD MARKET
COVENT GARDEN
TRAFALGAR SQUARE

WESTMINSTER ABBEY
ST PAULS CATHEDRAL
PETTICOAT LANE
HOUSES OF PARLIAMENT
HAYMARKET
S ...... C ......

Missing Word for March ...... Liverpool Pullman
SPRING QUIZ

1. Which bike race is nicknamed La Primavera?
   Milan-San Remo - Paris-Roubaix - Paris-Nice - Tour of Flanders

2. What is the French word for spring?
   Printemps – hiver – enfance - orné

3. Approximately how many spring tides are there each year?
   1 – 2 - 24 - 12

4. What do crocuses grow from?
   Tubers – bulbs – corms - rhizomes

5. Who painted Primavera, or The Allegory of Spring?
   Titian – Tintoretto – Raphael - Botticelli

6. And who wrote the music for The Rite of Spring?
   Stravinsky – Prokoviev – Rachmaninoff – Tchaikovsky

7. On the 1987 hit ‘What have I done to deserve this?’ , who collaborated with Dusty Springfield?
   Pet Shop Boys - Prefab Sprout - Scritti Politti – Erasure

8. TS Eliot’s The Waste Land begins ‘April is the cruellest month’. Which word completes the first line?
   Breeding – covering – mixing – feeding

9. According to the UK Kennel Club, the English springer spaniel belongs to which group of dogs?
   Working – utility – pastoral – gun

10. Which of these people isn’t currently a presenter of the BBC’s Springwatch series?
    Kate Humble - Michaela Strachan - Chris Packham - Martin Hughes-Games
A solid, four-inch cube of wood is coated with blue paint on all six sides.

Then the cube is cut into smaller one-inch cubes.

These new one-inch cubes will have either three blue sides, two blue sides, one blue side, or no blue sides. How many of each will there be?

Rearrange the missing letters to find something which many of us use all the time.
Healthy Homes Project

The Healthy Homes Project wants to recruit volunteers to be trained as Trusted Voices. Trusted Voices will help residents who fit the Healthy Homes client profile. (Health condition made worse by living in the cold) The Trusted Voice will be a resident who is well known to the community.

In return for recruiting a Trusted Voice, the Parish Council will receive a donation of £25, to be used for community projects. The Trusted Voice will be asked to donate up to 10 hours of work per week.

Training will be given, on the work to support the Healthy Homes Project.

To nominate a Trusted Voice, please contact Peter Hirschfield on 01652 637700 or email peter.hirschfield@hwrcc.org.uk

Articles and letters to the editor; Sue Tompkin, Northside House, East Gate, Rudston, Tel 01262 420705 Email nicksue.tompkin@fsmail.net www.rudston.org.uk

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For Younger Readers

The Trojan
Easter Bunny

There are 8 with three sides coloured, 24 with two sides coloured, 24 with one side coloured, and 8 with no sides coloured.

Puzzle Solutions

For Younger Readers

Spring Quiz
1. Milan – San Remo
2. Printemps
3. 24
4. Corms
5. Botticelli
6. Rachmaninoff
7. Pet Shop Boys
8. Breeding
9. Gun
10. Kate Humble

Towns & Cities
Wellingborough
Newcastle under Lyme
Ross on Wye
Andover
Sunderland
Glastonbury
Tenby
Wallsend

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