

Rudston



Newsletter

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Editor's Piece.

Hello and welcome to this month's Newsletter. A warm welcome also to any new residents to the village

Would any residents in the village like to have transport? Please take time to read Neil Watson's notice on page 7 and let the parish council know if this is something you would be happy to have.

You may have noticed the lack of the Nature News from Tony Izard these past few months, unfortunately Tony had a fire at his home and so things have been quite difficult for him. Anyway I hope that things are getting sorted out now and we look forward to hearing from him in the next issue.

The Heritage Project appears to be well under way I think its fantastic that people can meet up and reminisce about events from the past and find out the incredible amount of history we have in Rudston

Well this is my last newsletter, I have enjoyed my part as editor for the last 4 and a half years and along with all the rest of the newsletter team I'd like to welcome Sue Tompkin from Rudston who will be taking over from me next month.

All the best to everyone and goodbye

Rosie Mitchinson

Announcements



LOST, GOLD IDENTITY BRACELET with the name Jean engraved on it PLEASE CONTACT Jean Corner at Bretton Bungalow, Middle Street Rudston 420622 **THERE WILL BE A REWARD SHOULD ANYONE FIND IT**

SAMARITANS PURSE SHOE BOXES

We are delighted that Adele has agreed to receive the shoe boxes this year. If you have not received details of the collection please contact Adele, Bramble House, Eastgate, Rudston. 01262 420555, she will be pleased to give you all the particulars. It is hoped that many people will support this very worthwhile charity.

Wanted a **Rudston Nanna/Babysitter** to look after my two wonderful boys aged 4 and 6.. All of my family are in New Zealand so it would be great for my boys to have a relationship with a Rudston Nana.. I am starting a new business and need someone to look after them after school twice a week and on a Saturday morning.. So if you like baking, going to the playground, reading children's books and playing games.. please ring Kirsty 420358....

WANTED Garage to rent for small car for winter months please contact John Crofts on 021262 420432

IT COULD BE YOU!

How many of you buy a lottery ticket every week and if so, do you buy one for both draws? Since the price of a Lotto ticket doubled at the beginning of October it now costs £4 per week to enter both draws - some people will have had to make a decision as to whether to continue buying a ticket in the hope that they may be the lucky one.

If the village bingo was to consider increasing the price we would also have to consider doubling the cost because it would be too difficult to collect the monies in. However the down side of increasing the cost would be that players would consider looking at reducing the amount of books they play or cancelling all together - we don't have a jackpot of £5m to entice people to support us.

Over the last $12\frac{1}{2}$ years the bingo has raised just short of £12,500 for different groups within the village. In 2006, after paying out winnings and covering the cost for photocopying, we raised £1150 for the village hall. Since then the amount raised has slowly reduced, however in the first 9 months of this year we have only managed to raise £550.

We are therefore asking people to consider supporting the village bingo - all the monies raised, except for the cost of the lottery licence, stay within the village, be it the winnings that are paid out to the lucky few, the cost of photocopying which is printed by the village newsletter and then the remaining profits which are given to the chosen group for that year within the village.

Leaflets have been posted through the letterboxes of the households that currently don't participate in the bingo to explain how it works in the hope that we can get more people to join. Unlike the national lottery, it only costs 10p per book per week - if you play 5 books per week this will cost £26 over a year. Anyone who plays Lotto and enters both draws will spend £208 over the same period. Alternatively if you've been playing bingo for a few years you may be willing to consider increasing the number of books that you play.

Please give this some consideration - we realise that you won't manage to retire on the £40 jackpot but the more people that support this, the more Rudston will benefit. If you would like to know any more about the village bingo please contact me, Paula Beresford, on 420708.

Gardening Corner

November, the month of fogs when I was a school boy in Hull but not so these days of the clean air act. It is however a month when, like it or not,, we have plenty of outside jobs to get on with. Its planting time for all the trees and shrubs that lose their leaves, but not for the ever-greens, they are best left until next April at least. Careful preparing of the planting hole, where the sub- soil is given a fork over and a bit of well rotted manure or compost worked in, this gives newly planted material a chance to establish well during the first year. The senior gardeners in the old estate establishments would mix bonemeal into the planting sites as this gave a regular slow release of phosphate to the soil and made for good root growth. Pruning of the apple and pear trees starts in November, spacing the main branches and removing crossing shoots Few gardeners prune heavily these days, rather its a matter of maintaining shape and regulating the growth especially on bush shaped trees. Its different on on training wall trees, these have the main framework tied to the walls or fences, the young shoots being cut back to three buds also in the winter time. I can still hear the gardeners at Thorpe Hall hammering wall nails into tie shoots to during the winters of 1941-47, not the warmest of years !!!

The Yorkshire forests are getting bigger how would you like to plant more than 600,000 trees all by hand this lot was planted in Dalby, Cropton, Langdale, and Wass forests this year, about 500 acres in total. What a job, makes my two fruit trees sound easy.

Last June when in Helmsley I noticed a very ancient Wisteria on a wall, the trunk must have been more than a foot round at the base. This reminds me that it s also time to cut back the shoots not needed to cloth the walls to about three inches from the stem, just like the pruning of cordon fruits.

As a final outside job, its time now to prune the hedges of deciduous plants such as Beech, Hawthorn and Hornbeam and to plant my famous three R's Roses, Raspberries and Rhubarb.

Dick Robinson

Broadband in Rudston

Whilst people along Long Street seem to get a decent broadband speed, a lot of people elsewhere in the village suffer from speeds that do not allow them to view videos online or to have more than one person accessing the internet at a time. In addition, people outside the village, including many farms, do not have broadband at all. It is possible that BT, using government and council funding, will provide fast broadband to the village (although not necessarily to all of the village) by 2017. However, for the higher speed, BT will charge super fast broadband fees. Due to a recent installation of a wireless broadband system in Weaverthorpe, LN Communications believe that they could set up a similar system for Rudston. This would allow them to offer internet packages starting at 10Mbps, unlimited downloads, for prices starting at £14.99 per month plus an installation charge (approximately £90). You can find out more information at www.ilovebroadband.co.uk.

Provided we can get approval to site a transceiver, about the size of telephone handset, somewhere high in the village, everyone within 2 miles of the village should be able to receive fast broadband, with those further away also having the potential to access.

As LN Communications would have to invest in the hardware to link Rudston to Weaverthorpe, we need to demonstrate that there would be sufficient business for it to be worthwhile for them. Can anyone interested in this possibility please contact me (neiljw51@gmail.com or by phone on 420848). Please get in touch, even if you have time to run on your current contract, so we can get a good estimate of the potential take up.

Many thanks
Neil Watson

Community Transport Strategy

East Riding of Yorkshire Council have just launched a new Community Transport Strategy. This recognises that commercial bus operators cannot cover the whole of the East Riding with a bus service, and the four community transport operators do not have sufficient funding or volunteers to fill the gap. At the same time, there is recognition that many people, especially the old and the young, do not have access to public transport at times to best suit them.

The Community Bus operators do not just cover trips to hospital, but the Nafferton Community Minibus does not currently include Rudston in its regular (once a week) Blue route.

East Riding of Yorkshire Council have developed a toolkit for Parish Councils to assess the transport needs of villages and find workable solutions. Before we go ahead and do this, we felt that it would be a good idea to get an idea on whether the village has a need.

If you would like to have a bus service of some kind available in the village – and would use it if it was available – could you please let your Parish Councillor know before the end of November.

Many thanks

Neil Watson
Rudston Parish Council

WORDSEARCH

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HAPPY FAMILIES

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MISSING WORD October SIGGLESTHORNE

ALL SAINTS CHURCH SOCIAL COMMITTEE.

WENDY AND TONY PROCTOR ARE HOSTING AN ADVENT COFFEE MORNING IN AID OF CHURCH ON FRIDAY 6TH DECEMBER. 10A.M. UNTIL 12 NOON. TICKETS £2.50 TO INCLUDE COFFEE/TEA AND MINCE PIES. THERE WILL BE AN ANYTHING STALL- CAKES, GIFTS , CHRISTMAS ITEMS, PRESERVES ETC. ALSO A RAFFLE AND GAMES .EVERYONE WELCOME AT ROMANO ON KILHAM ROAD. JEAN CORNER WILL HAVE SOME TICKETS OR YOU CAN PAY AT THE DOOR.

EVERYONE ENJOYED THE HARVEST FESTIVAL AND SUPPER .WE WERE LUCKY TO HAVE JOHN WALKERS SON AS OUR PREACHER. GOOD FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWED IN THE VILLAGE HALL OVER SOUP AND PIES. . THANKS TO ALL WHO CAME OR MADE FOOD AND GAVE RAFFLE PRIZES .OVER £200 WAS RAISED FOR CHURCH FUNDS

. THE FOLLOWING WEEK WE HELD A BRIDGE DAY AND PEOPLE FROM ALL OVER THE COUNTY CAME. THANKS TO WENDY PROCTOR AND JENNY HERRING WHO ORGANISED THIS AND TO THE COMMITTEE FOR PROVIDING THE CAKES AND SERVING FOOD AND WASHING UP. IT WAS A LONG DAY BUT WE RAISED £675 FOR CHURCH FUNDS. JEAN CORNER ALWAYS DOES A MARVELLOUS JOB WITH THE RAFFLES AND WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL FOR THE PRIZES WHICH ARE DONATED FOR OUR EVENTS. THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU AT THE COFFEE MORNING AND ALSO AT THE CHRISTMAS SERVICES. WE WILL BE SERVING SHERRY & MINCE PIES AFTER THE CAROL SERVICE.

JUNE SELLERS (SOCIAL SECRETARY).

BEETLE AND BINGO EVENING

FRIDAY 22ND NOVEMBER 2013

RUDSTON VILLAGE HALL

7PM.

Please come along with family and friends to enjoy an evening of fun and friendship.

All proceeds for the upkeep of the village hall.

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BRIDLINGTON Y.F.C. CALLING ALL YOUNG PEOPLE.

BRIDLINGTON YOUNG FARMERS MEET AT BOYNTON VILLAGE HALL EVERY TUESDAY AT 7.30P.M. AND WOULD LIKE TO WELCOME ANY NEW MEMBERS BETWEEN THE AGES OF 10 & 26 TO THEIR NEW MEMBERS NIGHT ON 26TH NOVEMBER.

FIND US ON FACE BOOK. CONTACT LAURA BARMBY ON 07792662110 FOR MORE INFORMATION.

BRID Y.F.C. CELEBRATED THEIR 60 TH ANNIVERSARY LAST YEAR. YOUNG FARMERS ORGANISE THEIR OWN MEETINGS FROM SUGGESTIONS FROM THEIR PRESENT MEMBERS. THEY ARE PART OF THE EAST RIDING OF YORKSHIRE FEDERATION OF YOUNG FARMERS CLUBS AND ALSO THE NATIONAL Y.F.C. YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE A MEMBER OF A FARMING FAMILY , ANYONE CAN JOIN BETWEEN AGE 10 TO 26 . COME ALONG WITH A FRIEND ON THE 26TH NOVEMBER AND SEE WHAT FUN WE HAVE.

Rudston Tennis Club News

What a lovely summer we had and for once not many matches had to be rearranged. The grass court played the best it has done for a number of years; thanks go especially to Peter and Mike for their hard work in maintaining the courts.

All the teams had a good season with no team being relegated and two teams gaining promotion. The Mens A finished 2nd in division 3, the Mens B and Mixed teams finished mid table in their respective divisions and the Scarborough League team finished top of division 2.

Please make sure any outstanding subscriptions (juniors in particular – its only £5 for the whole year!) are paid to Jane Crossley as the accounts for this year are being finalised Friday night club sessions continued until it was too dark but Sunday morning sessions will continue throughout the year weather permitting. If you want to become more active come and give it a go – new faces are always welcome. We can offer a reduced price winter membership or if you only want to play a few times you can pay a visitor fee of £2 per adult/ £1 per child per session.

Thanks to a Biffa Award and support form the Parish Council the two all weather courts are currently being resurfaced. This means they will be out of action for a couple of weeks. The final stage is painting the surface in two tone grass, but this will not be done until Spring. Temporary white lines will be painted on the black tarmac so that we can continue to play on them.

Jane Crossley Secretary tel: 420462

NORTH WOLDS LIONS.

SATURDAY 16TH NOVEMBER AN EVENING
WITH THE BRID BEAT SINGERS
AT FLAMBOROUGH GOLF CLUB STARTING
AT 7.30 WITH PIE & PEA SUPPER.
CHOIR STARTS AT 8 P.M. TICKETS £8
FROM MIKE SELLERS 420237.

AN ENTERTAINING EVENING FOR ALL TO ENJOY. THIS IS A
SOCIAL NIGHT WITH ANY PROFIT GOING TO THE RUNNING
EXPENSES OF THE CLUB. .IE NOT THE USUAL FUND RAISER.

CHILDREN IN NEED

A group of people are walking from Bridlington to Driffield on Friday 15th November to raise money for **Children In Need** they will be coming through Rudston and have asked if we can support them.

The Youth Club have agreed to provide them with light refreshments [soup, rolls and cakes etc]

They will arrive in Rudston at approximately 12-40pm so the Youth Club have decided to open the village hall at 12noon and serve refreshments to anyone able to support this event, any profit made will be donated to **Children In Need**. We do hope that as many people as possible will come along and support this charity event.

Heritage Project News

Plans continue to tick along well. In October we had a visit from a group of students, and their tutor, from the East Riding College. We are fortunate because they have agreed to take on the graphics and artwork for the Rudston Heritage Project for their work experience. It will be a really good and productive partnership. We also hope the students can build on the work done by Robin Wood (Robin made the DVD 'Rudston: The life and times of a Yorkshire village') and interview, on film, some local folk so we can capture more important aspects of village life and history. Who should be on the interview list? Thank you to the kind folk who have been giving us information on WW2 and village life, pulling it all together and sharing it will be the challenge.

The Local History Group met for the first time in September and John gave a great presentation on the Roman Villa in Rudston and broader Roman history and archaeological finds. There was a very respectable turn out, with much gathered wisdom and sharing of experiences and interests.

The Rudston Local History Group will continue its meetings in the village hall at 7pm and the programme for the rest of the year is:

Tuesday 29 October: Rudston Independent Order of Shepherds, plus other local Friendly Societies

Thursday 28 November: "The Wold Rangers" An early group of local itinerants

Tuesday 17 December: Informal Christmas evening for members contributions.

Church News



Vicar: Rev Glyn Owen (01262) 420313

Reader: Mr John Walker (01262) 603170

Rudston with Boynton, Carnaby and Kilham

November: Church News and events

3 rd	9.30am	Holy Communion and <i>Trailblazers</i>
10 th	9.30am	(Remembrance Sunday) Morning Prayer
	11.00am	Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial
17 th	9.30am	Holy Communion and <i>Trailblazers</i>
24 th	10.00am	Wold Newton: Joint Benefices Holy Communion

There is a service of Holy Communion each Wednesday Morning at 10.30am followed by coffee

On Friday 1st November at All Saint's, Kilham, there will be a Service of Holy Communion at 10.30am to celebrate All Saints' day.

A word from John Walker about his recent trip to Russia (John is a Reader at All Saints, Rudston and Historian)

I'm sure that the Christians who were persecuted over many years under the communist regime in the Soviet Union felt very much like the Old Testament people when they were exiled to Babylon and didn't have anywhere to worship God.

But after my recent visit to Russia, I was made very much aware of the similarity of the return from Babylon of the people of Israel and the rebuilding of the temple in Jerusalem. Everywhere we went in Russia, even in the hinterlands towards the Urals, there was a spirit of

renewal, with the rebuilding and restoring of their magnificent Russian Orthodox churches and Cathedrals.

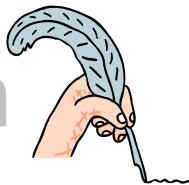
People were wearing their necklace crosses with pride, without fear of ridicule, worship was being restored and the citizens were rightly proud of their renewed achievements in the worship of Jesus.

Over the past 27 years I have been very fortunate to have witnessed at first hand, both the “Exile” of Russian Christians underground, when it was illegal to take part in Christian worship, and since the fall of communism, the rebuilding of their “temples” with a vigorous renewal of their worship.

But this put me in mind of us here in England, we seem to have lost the vitality and zest to worship Jesus Christ our Saviour, could we be now much like the communists, where our buildings star heavily on our church agendas, but those actively engaged in worship get less and less. From all of these thoughts and facts I feel very strongly that if we don’t shake ourselves up and come back to worship Jesus Christ our Saviour, we will lose our Christian heritage and traditions, as did the Soviets, and our nation will be all the poorer for this. For me, within my trip to Russia, was a warning for us all, almost like the use of a foreign language. Use it or lose it!

Yours John

Crosslands Column



My comments about petitions must have been confusing last month. Not many would know what I was on about! The Rural Fair Share petition idea received (ahem!) less than full support. We finished up sending a letter instead. The news in mid-October (though nothing to do with our letter I'm sure) is that the government are at least "listening" to the concerns.

This month we have a special request to those with computer access. You are invited to take part in a short on-line survey about Rural Services. Are they better or worse etc. It can be found on:

www.surveymonkey.com/S/7YRKF9R This is specifically seeking individual, rather than parish council views, so as many responses as possible would be helpful.

As most people will know, after it made national news, Centrica have abandoned the Low Caythorpe gas storage project. Having heard nothing officially from the company at the time of writing, what that might mean for the site (if anything) remains speculation.

Latest wind farm plans concern a site far enough away from Rudston not to be of particular concern locally, but for information it is for the former Cottam aerodrome between Driffield and Langtoft. This is at an initial "sounding out" stage at the moment with first meetings being held on behalf of RWE Npower Renewables Ltd. In Driffield and Weaverthorpe before the end of October.

Of interest in the village however, the parish council now believes it can "do something" with the former tip and short-lived car park opposite the church on High Street. It is hoped that, rather than obstruction we might get help, in the form of funding. The idea is to create a sort of conservation area complete with fruit trees and a woodland walk with seating. More funds will be required than are held at present, but should be available, and with that in mind the site is to be referred to as the old school garden rather than tip. (Sounds better, and also true).

Important news from the parish council meeting in October concerned the retirement of our longest serving member, Mr. Duncan Corner. There will be a separate note from our chairman elsewhere in this edition. Wheels are being set in motion as I write, to announce the resulting parish council vacancy.

An up-date from the Post Office still doesn't give a starting date for the new arrangements in Kilham, but days of operation have changed. Wednesday will now be the non-operating day, but times remain as 1 – 4 pm. It may be of interest that the Burton Fleming postal service within their village shop will also be changing. From daily at differing times it will now be 9 – 11 am. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday only.

The next parish council meeting is to be 4th December, when consideration of Precept for 2014/15 will have pride of place.

Phillip Crossland

(Please note that any opinions expressed in this column are not necessarily those of the Parish Council)

DUNCAN CORNER

Rudston Parish Council wishes to publicly offer their thanks to Duncan Corner for his time as a Parish Councilor. Duncan has served on the Parish Council since at least 1967. During this time:

- **he was a member of the Annual Gala committee that raised money for the village playground;**
- **he was a Parish Council representative on the playing field committee for many years;**
- **he helped to get the 30mph speed limit for the village;**

If we mentioned all the other things he was involved with, the list would go on for ever. The Parish Council hope he swiftly recovers from his current illness and thank him again for his service to the village.

Neil Watson (Chairman Rudston Parish Council)

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The above does not apply to bereavement notices and messages, which will be included if at all possible.

Rudston W.I.

The October meeting of the Rudston W I met at 7pm in Rudston Village Hall where 26 members and our guest Heather Wynn (WISP) from Nafferton WI attended.

Mrs Jenny Herring welcomed everyone and the meeting this month was our Annual Meeting and Heather was there to oversee the election of the President and Jenny Herring agreed to stand for another year.

After the meeting Heather had devised a quiz where we had questions on all aspects of the WI

At the end of September 8 members had a lovely evening at the Spotlight Theatre. We saw a brilliant comedy called "Just like Anthea".

Our monthly Luncheon Club was well attended again, 14 of us had a lovely meal at the Fox and Hounds at Flixton.

If you are interested in joining the W I or would like to come along as a visitor to one of our meetings you would be made very welcome.

Please contact Jenny Herring on 01262 420720

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