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MATTERS GET FIERY AT THE VILLAGE HALL AS SUDBROOKE RESIDENTS GRILL THE PROSPECTIVE DEVELOPERS

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THE DEBATE IS HOTTING UP

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IT may be the year of 'Lincolnshire's Great Summer', with the triumvirate of the Magna Carta celebrations, the British Cycling National Road Championships and Lincolnshire Show headlining what is a fabulous few weeks for the county, but many people in the village have only one thought on their minds... the Sudbrooke Park/Woods development.

The Village Hall was packed to the rafters last month as over 100 residents turned out to hear the latest proposals from the developers. with some villagers able to voice their concerns and ask questions. although some were not happy with the responses they received from Dominik Jackson and James Rigsby. You can read more on pages 10-12.

I was hoping to include a plan of the latest developments in this issue. but unfortunately they did not arrive in my inbox in time for publication.

Sad to report that the Northfield Park playground has been targetted by vandals, but on a brighter note, the Preschool continues to flourish and you can read what they have been up to lately. All this is that. **Dom**

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SUDBROOKE SPORTS/FUN DAY

SATURDAY 5 SEPTEMBER 2015

A big thank you to Mike Halliday for running the village Sports Day the last few years, he has done a great job.

As Mike has decided to retire from doing the Sports Day, a few of us have stepped in to ensure this community event can take place again. This year's Sports/Fun Day is taking place on Saturday 5 September at the Village Hall.

The Sudbrooke Preschool Group are going to join in on the day and hold a variety of stalls, along with an American-style grill. We would like to make this a Community Fun Day for the village and if anyone would like to join in in any way please contact us on the numbers below. If you would like a stall, please email the preschool for information at Sudbrooke preschool@hotmail.com.

We are hoping to have some music and entertainment going on throughout the day, please look out for the September edition of the **Sudbrooke News** for a full

programme of events, and if you are a budding musician that would like to perform on the day please contact us!

As there are only a few of us, if anyone can help out on the day or if anyone would like to sponsor the



event, please contact us, any help would be gratefully appreciated.

So for now, please SAVE THE DATE - SATURDAY 5 SEPTEMBER!!!

Emma Chapman: 07725 519544

Lindsay Hill (Sudbrooke Preschool): 07732 331714

———— May 2015 ———

Notes of the monthly meeting of Sudbrooke Parish Council held on Thursday 14 May in Sudbrooke Village Hall.

COUNCILLORS PRESENT:

Councillor Bob Waller (Chair), Ian Russell, Andrew Cottam, Mrs Lyn Etheridge, Paul Rignall, Stuart Curtis; Mrs Chris Myers, Clerk; Mrs Bridget Solly, Treasurer

Five residents attended the meeting to hear the update by Mr Dominik Jackson. On hearing that Mr Jackson had cancelled his attendance the residents did not stay for the meeting, but requested that their attendance be noted.

——— 21) Election of Chairman ————

Proposed by Councillor Stuart Curtis, seconded by Councillor Ian Russell and Resolved that Councillor Peter Heath be elected Chairman of Sudbrooke Parish Council.

The Declaration of Acceptance of Office would be signed at the next meeting of the Parish Council.

———— 22) Election of Vice-Chairman ——

Proposed by Councillor Ian Russell, seconded by Councillor Paul Rignall and Resolved that Councillor Bob Waller be elected as Vice Chairman.

Councillor Waller signed his Declaration of Acceptance of Office. He then took the Chair for the meeting in the absence of Councillor Peter Heath.

23) Receipt of Declarations of Acceptance of Office/Completed Register of Interest Forms from all Councillors

Completed forms were handed to the Clerk.

24) Introduction of New Councillor

Andy Cottam was welcomed to the Council by the Chair.

—— 25) Apologies for Absence —

Councillors Peter Heath, Miss Rose Dobbs, County Councillor Mrs Sue Rawlins. Proposed by Councillor Paul Rignall, seconded by Councillor Stuart Curtis and Resolved that the reasons given be accepted.

The Chair had received an email at 17.01 from Dominik Jackson, of Jackson and Jackson Developments, giving apologies for not being able to attend the meeting due to work commitments. The email was shown to the residents who had come to the meeting especially to hear his address.

26) Open Forum for Parishioners

■ No public present during the meeting.

Councillors stressed, that prior to an outline planning application being submitted for consideration for development in Sudbrooke Park, it was essential that a public meeting be held in the Village Hall so that residents be informed.

REFLECTION CORNER: Alec C Carrotte on 'Boundaries', page 22

– 27) Declaration of interest of any items on the agenda —

Councillor Mrs Lyn Etheridge (as a resident of Sudbrooke Park) declared an interest in item 14 of the agenda - Proposed development in Sudbrooke Park.

Councillor Stuart Curtis (as a member of WLDC Planning Committee) declared an interest in item 14 of the agenda - Proposed development in Sudbrooke Park.

Councillors Stuart Curtis, Paul Rignall, Bob Waller, Mrs Lyn Etheridge (as members of the Village Hall Committee) declared an interest in item 16a on the agenda - Installation of CCTV equipment at Village Hall.

28) Notes of Meeting held on April 2, 2015 =

Proposed by Councillor Stuart Curtis, seconded by Mrs Lyn Etheridge and Resolved that the notes be accepted as a correct record.

— 29) Consideration of Adoption of New Financial Regulations ——

■ The Treasurer and Clerk had prepared the NALC model financial regulations in line with Standing Orders, copies which had been circulated to all members. The Treasurer explained two further amendments/deletions since circulating.

Proposed by Councillor Stuart Curtis seconded by Councillor Andy Cottam and Resolved that the Financial Regulations as above be adopted.

With reference to Item 13 - Stores and Equipment - Councillor Stuart Curtis was appointed as Councillor responsible for the care and custody of stores and equipment.

30) Review of Parish Council Insurance Schedule: consideration of quotations

■ The Clerk had sought assistance from Council Insurance Brokers Came and Co in sourcing quotations for the Parish Council insurance.

The renewal with the current insurers would be at a cost of £794.83.

A quotation for improved cover from Came and Co had been received in the sum of £635.86. Members unanimously Resolved that the Parish Council accept the quotation from Came and Co with Hiscox Insurance at a cost of £635.86.

— 31) Review of Complaints Procedure —

■ This had been circulated to all members. That there be no amendments proposed by Councillor Paul Rignall, seconded by Councillor Mrs Lyn Etheridge.

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———— 32) Consideration of Adoption of Policies/Procedures ————

- The following were as recommended by Lincolnshire Association of Local Council and had been circulated to members for consideration.
- a) Communications Protocol 'Add vi. Correspondence sent by the Clerk to be copied to all Councillors'. To be reviewed in three months.
- **b) Payment of expenses to Council members** Agreed that this read correctly.
- c) Media Policy Agreed that this read correctly.
- d) Disciplinary and Grievance Procedure As issued by LALC and ACAS.

Proposed by Councillor Paul Rignall, seconded by Councillor Andrew Cottam and Resolved that the above four policies/procedures be adopted.

33) Transparency Code for Smaller Authorities

■ The Clerk outlined the requirements of this code effective from April 1, 2015 and confirmed that the Council was currently adhering to it.

———— 34) Police Matters ———

■ Incidents for Sudbrooke during April 2015:

BURGLARY:

1
1
2
1
5

PC Prestwich had stated that further information/localities of crimes can be obtained by using the online crime mapper on the Lincs Police website (http://www.police.uk/lincolnshire/NC07/).

Enter the relevant postcode and the crimes for that area appear. Each crime can then be clicked on and an update as to the status of the investigation will appear.

= 35) District Councillor's Report ——

Nothing to report.

——— 36) Report on Matters Outstanding ——

a) Installation of CCTV at Village Hall: This had now been installed. Councillor Stuart Curtis and the Chair of the Village Hall Committee would be liaising with the contractor regarding the handover during the forthcoming week. The payment cheque would be drawn up and paid when handover was complete.

Proposed by Councillor Ian Russell. Seconded by Councillor Mrs Lyn Etheridge and Resolved to go forward as above.

36) Report on Matters Outstanding cont

b) Siting of Notice boards: Quotations had been sought from two companies for siting the new notice board at the Jubilee Garden and moving the older one to the Park Gates.

The Clerk had obtained prices for two posts at a cost of £55.00, delivered.

Company 1 - No quotation received. Company 2 - £200.

That company 2 (Neil Smith) be asked to carry out the work at a cost of £200. Proposed by Councillor Ian Russell, seconded by Mrs Lyn Etheridge. Clerk to liaise.

- c) Slurry sealing of footways in village: Following a request that other areas of footways in Sudbrooke be given essential footway maintenance LCC Highways had stated that the would be borne in mind for future treatments. In the meantime potholes along the footway on Holme Drive would be attended to.
- **d) Siting of benches:** Messrs Wilkinsons had agreed that a donated bench could be sited on Beech Tree corner and confirmation in writing was awaited.

– 37) Tree Preservation Orders in Village —

Councillor Ian Russell had met with the Trees Officer at WLDC and been issued with an updated plan with the type of TPO and what they cover.

The Parish Council agreed unanimously to review existing TPOs and to consider amending or providing additional TPOs.

— 38) Cutting of Footpaths Through Woods —

■ Consideration was given to applying for more cuts of the footpaths through the Parish Paths Partnership Scheme including FP 159, FP 816, FP 817 and improvement of some with bark chippings or stone.

Further information was awaited regarding costings and current cutting schedules by LCC this year.

— 39) Community Wildlife Grant ——

■ It was noted that only approximately 10 per cent of the wildflower plants had grown, set last autumn, in the Jubilee Garden.

The grant scheme was being run again this year and Councillor Ian Russell offered to investigate the possibility of re-planting.

Council agreed unanimously that Glendale be asked to strim the area to 6" to keep it tidy, but also allowing for any plants just coming through to have a chance.

40) Consideration of Purchase of a Laptop/Printer for use by Clerk/ Change of Email Address for Parish Council

■ The Chair stated that the shared computer/printer which the Clerk used was now at the end of its life. £400 had been set aside for replacement computer when required.

The Clerk had sought prices and a favourable laptop was £349.99. Software required – Microsoft Office 2013 £99.99 from PC World or purchased with PC £79.99.

40) Consideration of Purchase of a Laptop/Printer for use by Clerk/ Change of Email Address for Parish Council cont

Sage Computers had quoted £100 to configure and set up a new laptop computer with dedicated email address and provide/install Microsoft Office.

Members authorised the Clerk to purchase a laptop and printer and instruct Sage Computers to configure and provide software/set up Parish Council email address at a cost not exceeding £550 excluding VAT.

The above Resolved unanimously.

41) Finance

a) Completion of Annual Return/Governance Statement - Audit for year ended March 31. **2015:** All members present received a copy issued by the Treasurer.

Resolved unanimously that the above be approved and signed as correct.

- b) To Resolve to delegate powers to the Treasurer to pay normally recurring invoices between meetings and report to the next meeting of the Council: Proposed by Councillor Stuart Curtis. seconded by Councillor Bob Waller and Resolved accordingly.
- c) Lincolnshire Pension Fund: It was drawn to member's attention that Lincolnshire Pension Fund was now being administered by West Yorkshire Pension Fund.

d) Accounts for payment:

Lonsdale Direct Solutions: May Sudbrooke News - £220.00 Mrs C Myers: Expenses for Annual Parish Meeting - £8.54 Sudbrooke Village Hall Committee: Eight meetings - £120.00 Mrs B Solly: Expenses April - £35.65

Came & Company Insurance - £635.86

e) Bank Balances:

General Funds - £40.972.73 Northfield Park - £16.70 Fox Covert - £2,850.72 Sportsfield Account - £2.138.58 12 month Bond - £19.000.00

f) Change of Bank Signatories: Removal of Mr Martin Dickie - to be on agenda and new signatory confirmed at next meeting of Council.

_____ 42) Planning ____

a) To Resolve to delegate powers to Clerk to respond to planning applications when Council have not been able to meet formally to agree a corporate response to an application, but have been contacted for their views.

The above Resolved unanimously.

b) Invitation from Nettleham Neighbourhood Plan Steering Committee to nominate member to join their committee to look at future needs of housing for older residents: Councillor Stuart Curtis offered to join this committee - Members Resolved this unanimously.

————— 42) Planning cont

c) Planning Applications:-

i. Land west of 91 Wragby Road, outline application for the erection of up to 6 dwellings – all matters reserved – 132795 – Response to WLDC Planning as follows:-

Members of Sudbrooke Parish Council have viewed this application and the following comments made:

- Neighbours have been spoken to and are concerned about the loss of established trees and wildlife in that area
- The application is for too high a density of dwellings
- Access onto Wragby Road would be a problem, this being an exceptionally busy road.'
- ii. Planning Application erect one dwelling in the garden of existing bungalow Land to the rear of The Sonnets, Church Lane 132809 Response to WLDC as follows:

Sudbrooke Parish Council have no objections to this application, but request that any comments made by the neighbours be taken into consideration when determining the application.

Iii Planning application - erect two storey extension to front - 4 The Paddock - 132874 - Comments to WLDC - 'Sudbrooke Parish Council has no objections to this application.'

d) Planning permission: 5 Wragby Road - ground floor extension - 132394.

— 43) Chairman's Comments and Items For Agenda of Next Meeting —

- A resident had raised concern about the deteriorating condition of the memorial seat in Northfield Park. Councillor Mrs Lyn Etheridge offered to sand it down and re-varnish it.
- The Chair also noted with thanks that Mr Dave Etheridge had replaced the swing chains in Northfield Park.
- The Clerk drew to the attention of members that the First Aid box required renewing agenda item for next meeting.
- Weed spraying in village agenda for next meeting.

——— 44) Correspondence ——

■ Training: New training dates had been received from LALC. The Treasurer and Clerk expressed an interest in attending training on September 15 at LALC Dunholme on Council finances. Members Resolved unanimously that they attend.

—— 45) Dates of Council Meetings 2015/16 ——

Members Resolved unanimously that the first Thursday of each month be reserved for Parish Council meetings, to be held in the Village Hall at 7.30pm. There would be no planned meeting for August.

46) Date of Next Meeting

Thursday 4 June 2015

47) Confidential Minute

To discuss staffing matters.

PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

Brief report of meeting held on June 2, 2015

- **Present:** Councillors Peter Heath (Chairman), Stuart Curtis, Paul Rignall, Mrs Lyn Etheridge, Andy Cottam, County Councillor Mrs Sue Rawlins, Mr Dominik Jackson, Jackson and Jackson Development, Mr James Rigsby, Globe Consultants, Mrs C Myers (Clerk), Mrs B Solly (Treasurer) and in excess of 120 residents
- Proposals for development in Sudbrooke Park: The Chair opened the meeting by stating that the Parish Council wanted to take in the opinion of residents of the village with regard to proposals of a residential development in Sudbrooke Park by Jackson and Jackson developments. He suspended Standing Orders in order to allow residents to take part for a limited time and ask questions of Messrs Jackson and Rigsby.

The Chair stated that meetings of the Parish Council had not been held 'in secret' with developers. However, it would come back to the Parish Council to make judgments in the best interests of the village, hence some questions had been put to the developers in advance of this meeting and it was hoped that they could be answered for clarification.

District Councillor Stuart Curtis gave an update on the emerging Central Lincolnshire Local Plan relating to proposals for future development in the area and also gave general advice on existing planning policies under which present planning applications are determined by West Lindsey District Council.

Mr Jackson and Mr Rigsby stated that they were interested in working with everyone. They answered the questions previously put to them written in italics:

Amenity Area

Will a commuted sum be provided for future maintenance of that part of the Amenity Area to be designated to the Parish Council?

What extent of potential amenity area would be accessible to the village compared to that under development? What is the total extent of the development and is it to be solely residential?

A commuted sum would be made for rolling maintenance. There would be long-term maintenance of the amenity area, building on the existing footpaths, surfacing to the highest quality. There would be new footpaths into the woodland, additional benches and outdoor gym equipment, walkways around the water. This will be gifted to the village.

There is also a proposed extension into the Ten Acre Covert.

The Woodland Trust was interested in taking over the woodlands. The proposed development was for up to 140 houses.

Highway Matters

(a) What steps will be taken to safeguard or remove the legal right of access to the park gates on Main Drive by those who currently enjoy that access. Is there an intention to block road access to the gates from the bridge on Main Drive?

The current access on the A158 would not be taken away. New residents would be discouraged from using this route as a short cut. There would be a change in the surface treatment of Main Drive. Consideration would be made to putting covenants on the sale of properties so that new owners cannot change access.

PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

Brief report of meeting held on June 2, 2015 cont —

(b) Would financial contributions be available in the event of the Highway Authority agreeing to provide traffic lights at peak time periods at the A158 junction and additional passing bays along Nettleham Lane?

An independent consultant in Leeds had carried out an assessment which would be submitted with any planning application. LCC Highways would have the opportunity to agree or object at that time.

Retirement Homes

- (a) What would be the total number of apartments within the proposed building?
- (b) Would local residents have priority over those people outside the area?
- (c) On the basis that the apartments would be leasehold, what plans do you have to form a management Company to maintain the building and communal areas?

There would be 25 retirement homes - proposal to rebuild Sudbrooke Holme. Local residents would be given priority. This would have to be written into the planning application. They would be leasehold with a management fee. There would also be a small number of two-bedroom bungalows.

Protected Trees

What significance is the developer giving to protected trees? How can the scale of development proposed take place without major destruction of the amenity and wildlife value of the trees - the reason for which they were initially given TPO status?

There will be a need to fell trees to facilitate access. Compensatory tree planting will be carried out within the development. Developers willing to work with WLDC to ensure trees are planted early and are of an acceptable age.

The Developer would look at which trees required to be removed for access.

Protected Wildlife

What ecological surveys have taken place and what were the results? In addition to the impact on wildlife and ecosystems generally, how will the environment for known protected species be managed or enhanced.

A site survey was carried out last summer – these show that no protected species had been found on site. Badger and bat surveys are being carried out. The developers would look at the wildlife plan for the area both woodland and residential. Wildlife will not be recklessly endangered. Poultry sheds within the woods would be removed.

Drainage

Will additional storage facilities be required to manage increased run-off from development – if so where and how big will this be? Who will maintain and fund this long term

Additional storage facilities would need to be created, as shown on the plan. Local engineers have carried out a drainage survey, Greenfield run off rates will be achieved.

Drainage will not increase flood risks elsewhere or result in localized drainage issues. An additional pond would be made.

PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

Brief report of meeting held on June 2, 2015 cont

Discussion/questions ensued at each point, with residents expressing extreme concern about any proposed development in the Park area; there being an obvious increase of vehicular traffic at Scothern Lane junction and on Nettleham Lane, this being a single track road;

The ingress/egress onto the A158 via Main Drive/Park Gates which in its present form could not be adopted by Highways - the entrance at the Park Gates being of insufficient width; the increase on medical services in the area; the increase in numbers of pupils for schools; the destruction of woodland and the effect it would have on protected species that do exist in the woods - this was argued with Messrs Jackson and Rigsby.

The Chair drew the Public Forum to a close at 8.45pm. Residents continued to view the drawings of proposals. Standing Orders resumed at 8.55pm and the Parish Council meeting continued in the Bramham lounge with one resident present.

CCTV Equipment at Village Hall: This has now been installed and is fully operational.

Police statistics for May:

ASB:	
INCONSIDERATE	1
THEFT	1
CONCERN FOR SAFETY	2
DOMESTIC	2
SUSPICIOUS	2
TRANSPORT:	
HAZARD	3
RTC	1
Total	13

- Notification of street lighting replacements St Edward's Drive: Notification received from LCC Highways that the replacement lighting scheme would commence in July 2015 and take duration of four weeks to complete.
- **Planning Matters:** The meeting earlier in the evening with Jackson and Jackson Developments was discussed.

Members were disappointed that they had not had the opportunity to view the suggested proposals on the documents brought by Mr Jackson.

The public part of the meeting was discussed and it was felt that due to the strong reaction of residents, the Parish Council needed to meet Mr Jackson in a non-public meeting to understand what is being offered to the village through a Section 106 Agreement in his proposed planning application, emphasising that should an application be granted planning permission, the village needed to be able to gain the maximum benefit.

It was agreed that a letter be sent to Mr Jackson asking that he hold a Public meeting to address all the concerns that parishioners had raised earlier in the evening.

■ Date of next meeting of the Parish Council: Thursday 2 July 2015 - Village Hall, 7.30pm.

SUDBROOKE **GARDENING CLUB**



— With John & Iris Whitaker —

Secretary: 01522 751198

JUNE MEETING =

It was May of last year when we were invited to view Coral and Paul's garden: the heavens opened and only those kitted out with umbrellas and sturdy rain gear were able to spend any length of time outdoors.

However, this year we were blessed with a fine evening and members were able to take their time and fully appreciate the attention to detail in the landscaping and selection of every single plant, shrub and tree, resulting in a garden which gives immeasurable pleasure both to its owners and visitors alike.

The white Wisteria covering the pergola was in full bloom, complemented by the yellow flowers of a nearby Laburnum tree and fine specimens of white flowering Choisva.

The Holly Roundel: the aptly named Chimpottery (a selection of planted-up chimney pots); the productive vegetable garden and greenhouse, as well as the orchard and wild flower border, were just some of the areas much admired by group members.

Congratulations go to the winning guiz team (Nicola Hadley, Iris Whitaker, Mike Halliday and John Whitaker) who narrowly came top in a particularly challenging set of questions formulated by Paul and Coral - our thanks to them for hosting a wonderful evening.

JULY MEETING =

Our annual outing on Wednesday 15 July is to Barnsdale Gardens and we look forward to exploring some, if not all, of the 39 individual gardens contained within the 8 acre site.

HANGING BASKET COMPETITION =

A reminder that judging will commence in early July to select the best six baskets to go forward into the finals, which will be judged by our sponsors (Scothern Garden Centre) on Monday. 27 July. The winner and runner-up will be announced in the September issue of **Sudbrooke News** and the trophy will be presented at the Village Autumn Show on Monday, 14 September.

AUGUST MEETING =

Our AGM will take place on Monday, 10 August and will be hosted hosted by Jenny and Colin Rose.

CHRISTIAN AID

2015 is Christian Aid's 70th anniversary.

The organisation that became Christian Aid was launched in the aftermath of World War 2.

Their vision then was of a world where there is peace and equality for all, and there is no



poverty. Their original vision is still as relevant today as it was in 1945. The collection we made this May in the St Edwards Drive area came to £254.57 (up on last year).

This is really good news, so thank you to all who gave so generously. Also many thanks once again to our helpers, Ian, Chris, Eleanor and Lynn.

Tim and Valerie Wallis, Tel. 01522 751211

TAKING A WALK IN THE COUNTRY



With Mike Halliday —— 01522 754686

JUNE WALK =

■ A bright and breezy sunny day made for ideal walking conditions for our group of 14 walkers setting off from Woodhall Spa on an eight-mile walk in the local area.

The changing landscape of arable fields, meadows and woodland, although flat, was always interesting.

The village of Stixwould has many lovely cottage gardens to see as well as the attractive St. Peter's Church.

Woodhall Spa is always worth a visit with many fine buildings and interesting shops. Thanks to Stacey and Gill for leading the walk.

JULY WALK =

A nine-mile circular walk from Rothwell in the Wolds passing through Nettleton Beck.

The route has good field paths and tracks when dry and there are two long climbs, but the

views are worth the effort. Walkers should meet at the village hall at 9.30am and are advised to take a waterproof coat, wear suitable footwear, bring a drink and a snack.

AUGUST WALK

A walk of approximately seven miles from Coleby to Navenby along the Viking Way.

The walk then continues around the Navenby Lowfields along good field paths and tracks.

Walkers should meet at the village hall at 9.30am.

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*Future quiz night dates yet to be confirmed

SUDBROOKE SENIORS

We are a group of people aged over 55 years who meet each month for coffee and a chat. New members are always welcome so why don't you come along and join us. There will probably be someone there that you know!



WHERE? Sudbrooke Village Hall
WHEN? The second Friday of each month at 10.30am

If you are interested in joining us, but transport is a problem, don't worry - just ring Lincoln 750852 and we may be able to organise a lift.

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SUDBROOKE PRE-SCHOOL



With Olwen Edwards –

01522 754047

LATEST UPDATE

■ It continues to be a very busy term at preschool as we head towards the end of the school year. Our older children have been preparing for their transition to 'big school' with the majority of the group going on to Ellison Boulters Academy in September.

The children have enjoyed three afternoon visits to the school over the past few weeks and we are happy to say that they have all settled in really well and had a great time there.

We look forward to a visit from Miss Wood, the reception class teacher, in the upcoming weeks.

At preschool we have been continuing with our theme of Nursery Rhymes, and in recent weeks have been basing activities around 'Humpty Dumpty' and 'Five Little Speckled Frogs'. This has involved lots of making and baking – from Humpty Dumpty collages to cookies!

We held a fundraising event on June 9.

which involved the children obtaining sponsorship to walk around Sudbrooke Woods, raising money for the charity Lincs2Nepal, a local charity who are helping the victims of the Nepal earthquake. The children walked through

Sudbrooke Woods with their parent/carer, searching for the animal pictures placed on the route and then returned to the village hall for refreshments. This gave parents the opportunity to view their child's Learning Journey and talk one-to-one with their child's keyperson. From this event, we raised a massive £440! A great big

thank you to all who helped and

neiped and contributed.

We recently purchases some Painted Lady butterfly caterpillars and have had great excitement watching them grow and make their cocoons. They have been in their cocoons for just over a week now, so we are eagerly anticipating the emergence of butterflies very soon.

We now look forward to our Sports Day, to be held on Thursday 2 July at 10.30am. This is always a fun event, the highlight of the day being the Parent and Child race, which can get quite competitive!

For more info on Sudbrooke Preschool

and to view photographs, visit our website at www.sudbrookepreschool.org. We also have a closed Facebook page for parents past, present and future. Search Sudbrooke preschool on Facebook for further information.





SUDBROOKE LADIES CLUB



With Gill Rignall01522 595736

LATEST UPDATE =

■ We had a members' evening in June. This included a plant sale and book table.

Allan McCrone, Chairman of the Village Hall Management Committee, gave a short talk about the history of the Village Hall and the committee's efforts to publicise its facilities and increase bookings.

Jean our president, presented him with a cheque for £201.75, which we have raised over the last two years from our coin collection and book table. This will be used to pay the village hall's contribution towards the CCTV.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 16 July:

Summer lunch at the Carpenter's Arms, Fiskerton.

No meeting in August Thursday 17 September: West Lindsey District Council - Recycling.

WE WANT YOUR LETTERS!

Get something off your chest and email the editor at: SudbrookeNews@yahoo.co.uk We meet in the Bramham Lounge at 7.30pm on the third Thursday of most months. Guests are always welcome and are asked to make a contribution of £2.Please see the Parish Council website for full 2015 programme.

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SUDBROOKE PARK RESIDENTS' ACTION GROUP

They have their latest say on the proposed development of Sudbrooke Woods —

WERE YOU AT THE MEETING WITH THE DEVELOPERS ON THURSDAY 4 JUNE? DID YOU TAKE A LOOK AT THE PLANS?

If so, you're sure to have noticed that the number and extent of the promised new footpaths are really very small indeed. Most of the paths shown are the public footpaths that are already in existence. Remember the one by the beck and the one going up the field where horses now graze, towards Scothern? Sure, they're being retained – as established public footpaths, they have to be. The only difference you'll find in future is that at least in part, they'll be lined with roads and houses.

So there's a foretaste of the developers' generosity.

Now let's look at the so-called "new" areas marked up with footpaths:

- 1) The New 10-Acre Covert. Paths there all right (well one, anyway, more or less round the edge), but don't forget about all the trees they admit they'll have to fell to create access and probably a few other trees as well, those that were left behind from the "thinning" which was done for "environmental" reasons a while back. One path, in a place perhaps of least use at present for exploitation by the developers. After all, the scheme's got to be worth their while.
- 2) Paths around the gravel pits (that's what they originally were, although some people call them ponds). These are paths that were used for donkey's years probably ever since Sudbrooke Holme was demolished in the 1920s until the landowners closed them off in 2012, and if the development doesn't go ahead, they could be registered as public rights of way in any case. So in that sense, they're not new at all. Trouble is, the process is so slow, the developers hope they'll be able to jump in first.

Let's consider the boundaries of the poetically named "Parklands" development (not that there'll be a lot of parklands left by the time they've finished). You'll notice that most of the old hall grounds and the field by the scout camp and Sudbrooke lake are completely excluded, both as far as development and access to the public are concerned. In other words, even though people have walked through the old hall grounds for almost as long as they have walked around the gravel pits, the developers' generosity doesn't extend to creating new footpaths in that area (even though the grounds were closed off by the landowners a few

years back, there could be exactly the same possibility and potential to claim public rights of way). Perhaps they're saving this part up as a haven for all the wildlife that will have been displaced from elsewhere? Perhaps they love what's left of the trees after all?

Sorry to disappoint you.

Remember what we said before about the likelihood of future schemes? Maybe some of you will recall that about 10 years ago, there were ambitious plans to build around 400 houses on the field by Sudbrooke lake, not to mention a golf course and a hotel. And how convenient if the lake field has already been opened up and made accessible by a new roadway to take the construction traffic for the present scheme. So you see, having finished the first phase, the developers' sights will be set on the next one, as sure as night follows day. No wonder they don't want anyone to claim any public access rights on what were, until recently, well-trodden footpaths through the old hall grounds. But maybe someone should – because even if the process is a long one, it's going to take them several disruptive and destructive years to finish the first phase if it gets the go-ahead, so there may just be time to complete the process anyway.

Truly, to take so much away, and give so little in return...

And think about the number of extra people who will be using these so-called "new" amenities – four, maybe 500? Let's just hope they don't all flock there at once.

Remember, those who aren't really bothered about the interests of Sudbrooke residents and whose only concerns are monetary ones often get what they want by trampling over the little people who get in their way. Don't let them trample over you!

The Sudbrooke Park Residents' Action Group

READERS' LETTERS

Your correspondence —

Dear Editor.

It was with surprise that I saw on the morning of June 10, two large banners appear opposite the junctions to St Edwards and Holme Drive, and equal surprise and sadness that they suddenly disappeared on Friday 11th.

I should imagine they were expensive, and whilst expressing a view that maybe not all agreed with, at least they promoted healthy discussion in the village.

I understand that Councillor Curtis had them removed as they were misleading and they were on the public highway... so how do village fete/sports day etc. signs get left standing? Freedom of speech anyone?

The comment about 1200+ cars got me wondering if this figure could be true so I did some maths.

It is proposed for about 140 houses to be built. The ONS quote car ownership at about 1.4 per house currently (but this is an affluent area and probably would be higher), but at 1.4 this means 196 cars.

One trip out of the village and back means twice they have to be at the junction 400 times per day. But who makes just one trip? - two

Dear Editor,

I was going to send in a letter, asking why there is not more play equipment for the older children in the village... but then I saw the disgraceful scenes in the Northfield Park playground a few days ago and am now left wondering, do they deserve anything?

I am not one to cast aspersions, but this could only be the work of bored teenagers with nothing better to do than vandalise a vital amenity for the childen in Sudbrooke. And for what purpose?

Do their parents know what they are getting up to on an evening, or more to the point, do they care? The culprits should have been found and made to clear up this mess.

Name and address supplied

school runs, trip to the shops, town, see friends etc, at three trips per car per day this is a pressure of 1200 vehicles past the junction (and the houses) per day, then take into account deliveries, services, friends calling round etc and its easily in excess of 1200 uses of the junction per day.

All this of course assumes Mssrs Jackson and Jackson don't expand the amount of houses once outline permission is granted; I understand they have already added a northern set of houses to the estate and a possible mansion house of 40 odd flats.

Quite aside from the health and education pressures that would come to bear (yes, saturation point for services means YOUR child may not be able to go the local school, YOUR loved ones may not be able to enrol with the local doctor), the quoted figures on the sign seem quite tame.

Concerned villager

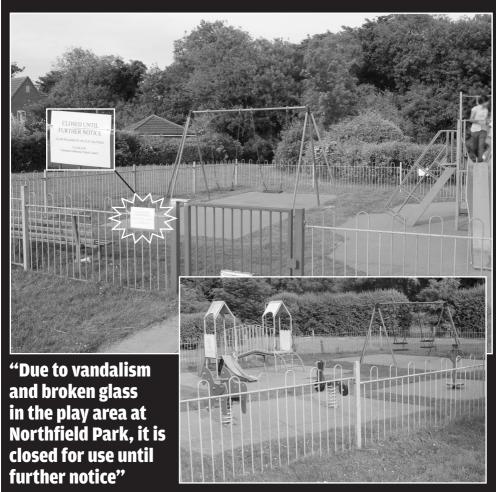
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PARK CLOSED!



The Parish Council had to close the Northfield Park playground and get an industrial cleaning company out on Thursday 25 June to clean up the mess left by vandals, at great cost to the local taxpayers.

Chairman of the Parish Council, Peter Heath, along with the Clerk, Christine Myers, and some villagers, had attempted to clean the park themselves after receiving reports of the vandalism, but the Council had no choice but to call on the professionals for a 'sharps clean' to remove slithers of glass that had lodged in the matting.

There were also reports of fence posts pulled out, concrete copings removed off walls and the contents of a dog bin strewn in the park and in residents' gardens.

The park has since re-opened and hopefully this incident is a one-off.

REFLECTION CORNER

Where Sudbrooke residents can share their thoughts on life and living

THIS MONTH'S FEATURED CONTRIBUTOR: ALEC C. CARROTTE

ABOUT the only occasions in our lives that we discuss 'boundaries' is when we either move house or attend a cricket match.

However, the consideration of 'boundaries' has a much wider significance and can affect many areas of our life, such as physical, emotional, spiritual, sexual and relational. But it is in

the areas of daily exchanges where boundaries are perhaps the most significant.

The definition of 'boundaries' offered by Collins English Dictionary is 'something that indicates In terms of emotional boundaries, some cultures will maintain a 'stiff upper lip'

the farthest point'. This, however, produces further questions 'what is the furthest point and who decides? This is often the result of cultural practice.

Take for instance, the boundaries of physical distance. Some cultures have no hesitancy in cheek-kissing or giving a hug when they meet, whilst other cultures maintain a discrete physical distance and settle instead for a handshake. In terms of emotional boundaries, some cultures will maintain a 'stiff upper lip', while others will quite openly express their emotions via wailing and beating their chests.

A further complication regarding physical and emotional boundaries is introduced when we consider the 'status' of our relationship with others, particularly with regard to our

relationship with professional workers in the 'health and social care services'.

Here we readily accept physical contact by medical professionals (doctors, surgeons or nurses), but would not readily do so by people who were not in such professions.

Likewise with our emotions, we may readily accept allowing people in the 'listening professions' (psychotherapists, counsellors, social workers and priests) into our emotional processes, but not be so willing to share our emotions with unqualified people or even sometimes those people we know very well, such as family members and friends.

In terms of the health and social care professions we are re-assured that they will be obligated to interact with us in a professional manner via their strict Codes of Professional Conduct.

This is not the case with other relationships (friends, family and strangers), where we need to spell out in the early stages of that relationship, exactly the boundaries of our interactions with them.

To summarise, we need to work thoughtfully at establishing healthy boundaries in all our daily interactions (deciding what is appropriate or inappropriate behaviour) and in this way ensure that there is never any room for ambiguity and no potential for later mis-understanding.

WHAT DO READERS THINK?

Got any views or would like to write an article for Reflection Corner? If so, then email SudbrookeNews@yahoo.co.uk.

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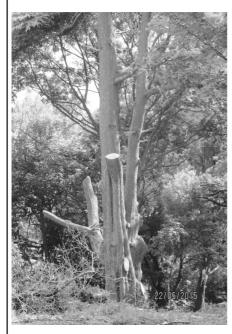
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THE RISE OF SOCIAL MEDIA ABUSE

Many of you will know that I am quite 'into' sport, hence Radio 5Live is my listening of choice. At the weekend, I was listening to an interview with Phil Neville, the former footballer and now a media pundit.

He was talking about his experience of Twitter and Social Media in general, commenting that as a footballer he had become used to abuse from all directions, but when the abuse began to be aimed at family, it crossed a line. He has a disabled daughter and when threats and comments 'tipped over the edge' he had on one occasion, referred the matter to the police who discovered that the threats were issued by teenagers, because they 'thought it was a laugh'.

I am a fan of social media. I don't go overboard, but I think it's a useful tool and an instant way of communicating with people. It is probably here to stay until someone invents the 'next thing'. Many of our schools, with the right safeguards in place, use it really well to communicate what the children are doing. However, that interview with Neville made me

think about labels and anonymity. One of the things that happens when people 'troll' over the internet is that they fail to see the person behind the comment. So, they are anonymous and the person they are abusing is anonymous, so they become a 'label'.

No feelings, no humanity, just something or someone to have a pop at - the person to person contact is gone. I suspect that in almost every case, the abuser wouldn't abuse if the person was sitting in front of them... if I am honest, I am not certain this is the sole province of social media either. It is very easy to anonymise people by labeling them and by taking the person out of the role and therefore feel its okay to 'have a go'.

I guess this is part of human behaviour - it happened in the day of Jesus and it happens in relation to Jesus now. People like to label him as a mildly interesting historical figure, or a teacher whose teachings impress because they give voice to the voiceless, but to believe that He is the Son of God and central to the human story attaches an importance that rather blows the labels out of the box.

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Date	Venue	Time	Service	
Sun 5 July	No morning service			
Thu 9 July	2 Chestnut Close, Sudbrooke	2.30pm	Tea Service	
Sun 12 July	Barlings	9.15am	Holy Communion	
	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Family Worship	
Sun 19 July	Langworth	9.15am	Holy Communion	
	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Morning Praise	
Thu 23 July	2 Chestnut Close, Sudbrooke	2.30pm	Tea Service	
Sun 26 July	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Holy Communion	
	Langworth	7pm	Prayer	
Sun 2 August	Stainton By Langworth	9.15am	Holy Communion	
	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Holy Communion	
Sun 9 August	Barlings	9.15am	Holy Communion	
	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Family Worship	
Thu 13 August	2 Chestnut Close, Sudbrooke	2.30pm	Tea Service	
Sun 16 August	Langworth	9.15am	Holy Communion	
	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Morning Praise	
Sun 23 August	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Holy Communion	
Thu 27 August	2 Chestnut Close, Sudbrooke	2.30pm	Tea Service	
Sun 30 August	Sudbrooke	10.45am	Holy Communion	



HARVEST at ST EDWARDS 3/4th OCTOBER

'Gifts of the people of Sudbrooke'

Over our Harvest week-end we would like to display the gifts of the people of Sudbrooke! Do you have a particular gift? Do you do crafts, play a musical instrument, good at sport, artistic, write poetry, arrange flowers (the list is endless!) Are you a member of a village organization that helps other people? Can you do a small display for us? We would like to open up the church and display the gifts of the people of Sudbrooke in Church over our harvest week-end. If you would like to take part, contact Revd Penny at revdpg@virginmedia.com or 01522 595596

OPENING UP ST EDWARD'S

Have you ever been in the church in Sudbrooke?

Do you know what a lovely and historic church building you have? The problem is of course, that because of issues in the past we are not able to open it.... and we would like to do so, but we need some help! Can you offer an hour per month (or more) to be in church, so that others can come in? Can you offer an hour a month to help clean the church? Can you offer to lock and unlock it? We have various ideas about WHAT to do but we cant do it without the help of others. Contact Revd Penny at revdpg@virginmedia.com or 01522 595595 if you can help in any way!

WRAGBY HEALTH

= With Kerry Kinsey =

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PATIENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

Some of the funds raised by our patient participation group have enabled us to purchase a patient information system which you will see next time you visit the surgery.

The information contained within the presentation gives advice on topical health issues, monthly practice news, details of the services we offer and contact details.

Thank you to everyone for supporting the Patient Participation Group fundraising events.

PATIENT INFORMATION SYSTEM

■ Our patient participation group are holding a jumble sale on July 25 at the Town Hall 2pm until 4pm, entrance 20p. Refreshments will be available. Please note the amended start time is 2pm and not 1pm as previously advertised in a flyer. Donations of books, jumble or tombola items will be gratefully received please ring 07766318561 or 01673 857480. Money raised will

be used to purchase items for the benefit of our patients, as agreed by the PPG Committee. Items purchased this year include a patient information system for the waiting room and two blood pressure monitors for home loan by patients. Come along and support this event - all welcome.

DOCTORS ===

■ In July we welcome back Dr Graham Parker who joins us as a GP Partner. Many of our patients will remember him from when he previously worked at the surgery. We wish him well.

TRAVEL ====

■ In As we enter the holiday season many of you will be planning to travel abroad. Please ask at reception for a form and book an appointment with the practice nurse, who will be able to advise you on the vaccinations required for your travels.



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STAFF UPDATE

■ We are delighted to announce that Ann Harland, an Advanced Nurse Practitioner will be ioining the practice towards the end of August 2015 on a permanent basis.

The practice is aware that there has been some difficulty in booking an appointment with a GP or Nurse Practitioner recently, but with Ann joining the practice team this should help tremendously.

REPEAT PRESCRIPTIONS -

Dispensary are experiencing a lot of patients at the moment who are coming to collect their repeat prescriptions without allowing the 48 hours for processing.

The two working day turnaround takes into account the full process of issuing prescriptions correctly, which often involves checking medication records or even email contact with the relevant GP, and allowing enough time for the prescription (which will be one of several hundred) to be signed by the GP in between surgeries, home visits and the many other tasks of today's GP.

For this process to work efficiently and safely. we require the full two working days.

NAMED GP

■ The practice has recently allocated all patients a named GP (you may recall we did this for all patients aged 75 or over last year), so that patients know who has overall responsibility for their healthcare.

We shall be informing patients of their named GP over the coming year when they contact or visit the practice, but should you wish to find out sooner, please ask the receptionists next time you are in one of the surgeries.

Having a named GP does not affect who you can see at the practice at all, nor does it give priority to be able to book an appointment with your named GP.

MONTHLY EARLY CLOSURES FOR TRAINING 2015

We In order to enable our doctors and staff to be kept up to date Nettleham surgery will be closed for training at 1pm on the following afternoons. Emergency help is still available by calling 111.

Tuesday 21 July 2015 Tuesday 18 August 2015 Tuesday 15 September 2015



DUNHOLME FRIENDSHIP CLUB

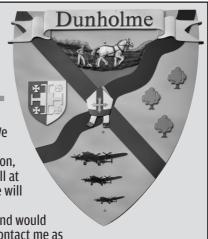
With Janice Ritchie

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■ Our meetings in July are on Tuesdays 7th and 21st. We meet in the Dunholme Village Hall starting at 2.15pm.

On Thursday July 16, we are having a trip to Bridlington, the cost for this will be £12. We leave from the Black Bull at Welton at 8.30am calling in at Dunholme at 8.35am. We will be leaving Bridlington to return at 5.00pm.

This trip is open to anyone who would like to come and would be most welcome to join us. To book your seat please contact me as above. A wrapped raffle prize would be appreciated on this trip.



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION WELTON BRANCH: AN APPEAL

THE ROYAL BRITISH

LEGION

■ The Welton and District Branch of the Royal British Legion hold a social get together in the Stanley Room of the Welton Sports and Social

Club on the third Tuesday of the month at 7.45pm - the next such evening will be on Tuesday 21 July.

However, the present situation is that this meeting may be convened as an Extra Ordinary General Meeting.

The result being that we may no longer be in a position to form a branch, unless we can find a volunteer to step forward and offer themselves as Branch Treasurer.

The post is not onerous, we do not process much work for a treasurer, but Charity law stipulates we need to fill the vacancy created by the outgoing incumbent's continued ill health.

Any volunteer will require to attend an expenses-paid local two-day course, mainly

covering the aspects of Legion Welfare and rules. It goes without saying that the branch will offer total support to anyone undertaking

this vital role. So unless we can find a volunteer to fill the treasurer's role, Welton and District will cease to have a local Legion presence.

Needless to say, anyone who is a Legion member will still remain a

member, but they will not have

a local branch, and of course
there will be no Branch to
attend the village

Remembrance Services.

The Poppy Appeal would not be affected, as the villages have a separate organiser.

I ask all branch members to attend the July meeting, and if you can volunteer as treasurer and you're not a member still turn up, you don't need to be a member of the Social Club for the Legion meeting.

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SCAM MAIL =

■ Have you received scam mail through your door recently? The likelihood is that you probably have.

Scam mail is sent by fraudsters, often from overseas, trying to persuade residents to part with money or personal information by tempting them with 'cash prizes'. These scams can result in considerable financial loss to the victims.

Trading Standards have become aware of an incident where a resident was sent a scam letter enclosing a photograph of a cheque with the victim's name on it, claiming that they had won the 'Football Lottery'.

The victim was asked to post a considerable amount of cash in order for the cheque to be released. Not surprisingly, this was a scam and the victim lost the money.

These types of scams are often time limited which puts pressure on the potential victim to reply quickly. Once the letters are replied to, the resident's personal details are often added to a list of potential targets which are then circulated to other fraudsters.

Residents who respond to scams can then be bombarded with similar scam mailings. Please keep an eye on vulnerable neighbours, family or friends to help present them becoming the targets of these types of scams. Trading Standards advise you not to respond to any mailing which has the hallmarks of a scam and would encourage you to forward the letter to Royal Mail with a covering letter to: FREEPOST SCAM MAIL.

You can also email Royal Mail at scam.mail@royalmail.com or report your concerns by calling 03456 113 413.

We will send you a scam mail report form for completion together with a prepaid addressed envelope in which to return the form with examples of the scam mail received.

If you are concerned about a mailing call the Citizens Advice Consumer Helpline, who handle calls for Trading Standards, on 03454 040506.

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DUNHOLME CAMERA CLUB

— With Grahame Dunkin —

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LATEST UPDATE

■ Wow, the year is just flying by and here we are in July already and with it hopefully the warm weather where the members from the camera club (and yourselves) can get out and spend some time in the fresh air taking some great images that you can enlarge and place pride of place on your wall?

If you're not too sure about whether your pictures are good enough to enlarge, then pop along on a club night and pick up a few tips from the members.

Taking the picture is just the start of the process a little tweaking in one of the photo editing programmes can bring an image to life so don't hesitate get along on a Thursday night to one of our meetings.

JULY MEETING

■ In July we have three meetings the first will be on the ninth when we will be having a club competition entitled "Reflections". It should be a great night. I know the members are discussing this one on club nights so we should have a good entry.

Our second meeting on the 23rd and will be a night out in Lincoln. This is the start of taking pictures for a future club competition which will be "Architecture" and will certainly find plenty of buildings in Lincoln both new and old.

Our final meeting of July will be on the 30th when we will be "Taking a walk on the wild side" in Chambers Wood. A nice early start to catch the wildlife before it starts getting ready for night then possibly some great low light shots of the sun setting, let's hope it's a great night for a steady walk getting some great shots.

MAY REVIEW

■ Just a bit of a flash back to May when I can now let you all know that Dunholme Camera Club won the first round of the battles between other clubs from around Lincolnshire.

We had some great work from the members and hopefully I will be able to report how we did in the second round in August, so until then good shooting and for anyone interested get yourself along to the camera club and meet the members of the club.

LESSONS -

■ After having requests for some photographic lessons, I will be starting these in July-August.

It doesn't matter what your skill level is as the first meeting will just be a discussion night to find out a few details and split people into skill levels.

So if anyone is interested I will be hopefully holding some photography starter lessons during the summer at The Old School at Dunholme.

I'm looking at weeknights during July and August so if you would be interested then please drop me a line at dunholmecc@btinternet.com indicating that you are interested and I will get back to you with a date and time when we can set up some nights to get everyone up to speed.



WELTON HEALTH

— With Nadina Prestedge ——

01673 862232

ELECTRONIC PRESCRIPTION SERVICE

■ We are now almost a month into EPS and so far everything seems to be going well. If you have regular repeat prescriptions and have not yet nominated a pharmacy, please let Dispensary know so we can improve this service for you.

DNAS (DID NOT ATTENDS)

In May, patients did not attend for 54 doctors' appointments and 105 nurses' appointments. This is a total of 159 appointments and 26.5 hours of clinical time. Please try to help us by cancelling appointments as soon as you realise they are no longer required - you can do this in person, over the 'phone, by text or online.

ONLINE BOOKING =

We now have lots of patients that have signed up to book appointments online. When doing this, please be careful to differentiate between a booked face-to-face appointment and a telephone consultation as both are available to book online. Also when booking a telephone consultation, please could you leave a number for the doctor to ring you back on.

TRAVEL ====

As we are now into summer, many of you may be thinking of jetting off to foreign destinations. If you have not already done so, please complete one of our travel vaccination forms (available on the website and from Reception) so that we are able to advise you on the vaccinations required for your travels.

STAFF TRAINING

■ In order to ensure our staff and doctors remain up to date; we will be closed for Training from 1pm on Tuesday 21 July. Emergency cover is provided during this time by calling the usual surgery number (01673 862232 and selecting Option 1).

WELTON PATIENTS & DOCTORS ASSOCIATION

- With Janet Goddard -

AUTUMN FAYRE

■ Preparations for the Autumn Fayre are now underway. We will, as always, be hiring out tables, for a charge of £5 per table, to anyone who would like to sell their own goods on the day. We are looking for a good variety of sale items on these stalls, particularly handmade craft items. We an't accept requests for any food-related stalls including cakes as we have our own PDA cake stall.

If you are interested in hiring a table please contact Roy Minnitt on 860980 or myself (Janet) on 862570. There is always a waiting list for cancellations so please book early!

A large part of our income from the Autumn Fayre comes from the raffle. In the last three

years we have exceeded £1,000 profit, which is an excellent result and all down to the generosity of those who donate prizes and those who buy tickets. If anyone reading this could help with a raffle prize we would be most grateful. Please get in touch.

I am hoping to get the tickets printed during early July so please get in touch if you can help. We are also looking for donations to the various stalls - bric-a-brac, books, tombola, bottles, cakes. With the exception of clothing, anything you no longer need we can find a use for.

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