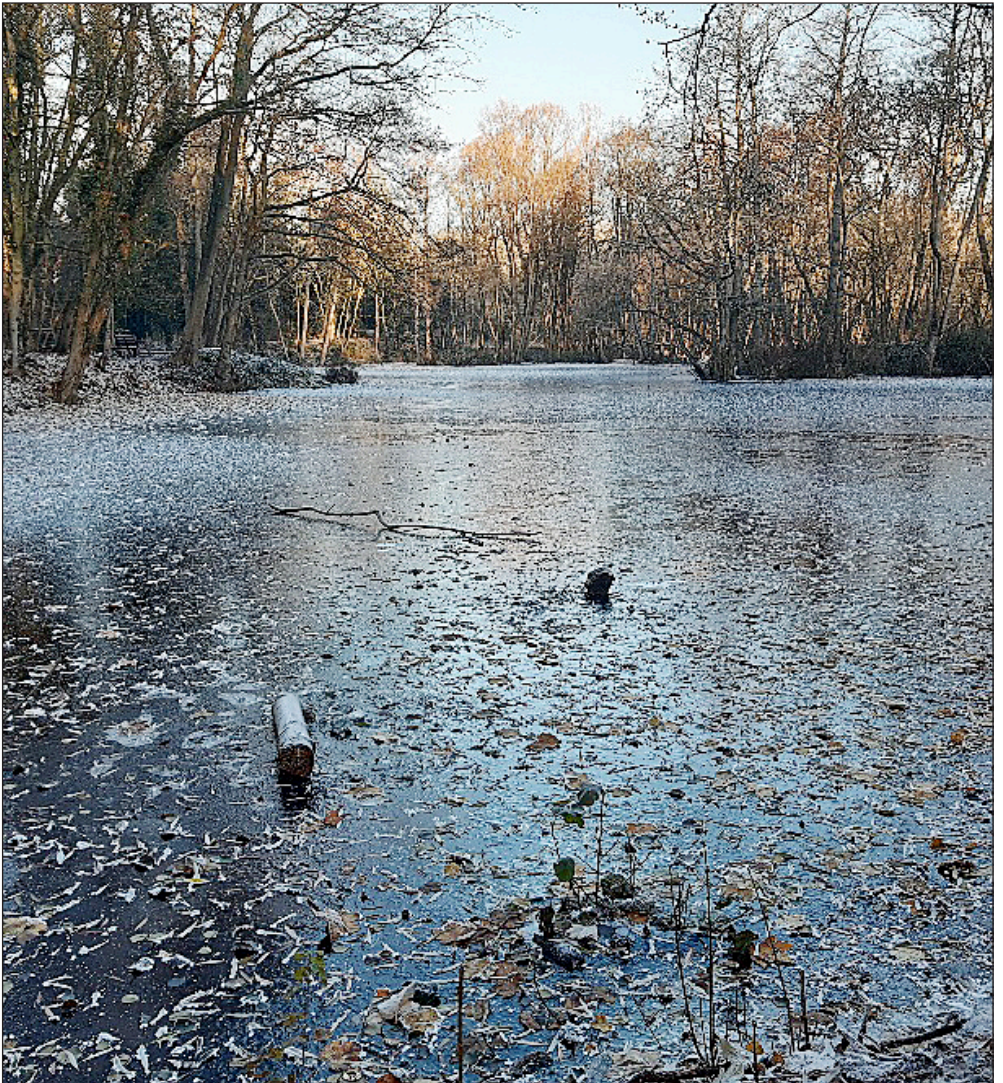


SUDBROOKE NEWS

FEBRUARY 2023



Feb 2023

EDITOR'S RAMBLINGS

Well, here we are again, the first issue of another year, already two months in. Happy Valley's finished (for good), Christmas now seems like a distant memory and the supermarket shelves are already being stocked with Easter goodies and it won't be long until the clocks go forward... some good news, at least!

Not much has been happening on the Sudbrooke front, although the village is still increasing in size, thanks to the Parklands development, with houses sprouting up everywhere, while new

phases of building are already being started. An interested reader sent us his views of one particular aspect, see page 12.

We've got all the usual Parish Council notes, the Walking Group give us another update of where they've been hiking, we have the latest news from the Sudbrooke Preschool Group.

Fans of the Welton PDA will be glad to see them return to the mag after a few editions away, while we have the quiz dates for 2023 for those interested.

Add some music to your day. Dom

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2023 DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

February 10

March 10

April 14

May 12

June 9

July 14

***No Quiz
in August***

September 8

October 13

November 10

December 8

CHRISTMAS TREE SWITCH-ON EVENT

The Parish Council aimed to make the Switch-on of the Christmas tree a community event at little cost to families. Santa mingled with the crowd giving free chocolate to the children – and it all went!

The mince pies were donated by Nettleham Co-op enabling these to be distributed at no charge. The Parklands development kindly donated eight bottles of mulled wine towards the 29 used and this kept the cost down to £1 a cup. Waitrose also donated to the raffle.

The mulled wine was very popular and apologies to some whose wine wasn't as hot as it could have been – we will try harder in 2023! If anyone has a camping stove they could loan for the afternoon please be in touch. More than one is required to cope with demand!

Thanks must be extended to Pat and Max Wright who put up the tree and fitted the lights, Clancy Docwra for providing the amazing lighting for the whole of the Jubilee Garden at the switch on event and the Vocalisa Choir for giving us a Sing Along making it a great start to the festive season.

Christine Myers, Clerk to the Parish Council

Nov 2022

PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SADBROOKE PC HELD ON THURSDAY 3 NOV 2022 IN THE VILLAGE HALL, SADBROOKE

PRESENT: Councillors Peter Heath (Chairman), Tracey Bowman (Vice Chair), Andy Cottam, Simon Crampton, Paul Fido, Bhikhu Mistry, Dave Scott, CC Mrs Sue Rawlins, DC Bob Waller, Clerk Christine Myers, Treasurer Bridget Solly, 3 residents

98 ■ PARISHIONERS' ITEMS

▶ Two residents attended in connection with planning application 145617 and gave their objections. It was noted that this was an agenda item and the Council would discuss it more fully later in the meeting.

NB District Councillor Bob Waller, as Vice Chairman of the West Lindsey District Council Planning Committee, left the meeting while the residents were speaking.

▶ Councillor Mrs Tracey Bowman stated that she had had a late night phone call from a resident expressing his concern at loud fireworks being let off prior to 5 November. It was noted that the fireworks had been for celebrating Diwali and it may be helpful if a note be put in the October edition of **Sudbrooke News** for future years informing residents of the date so that they were aware of the fireworks in advance.

▶ A resident reported the overgrown hedge on Wragby Road from the last house towards Langworth, which was now making it difficult for footpath users. This would be reported on Fix My Street.

▶ An enquiry had been received regarding the internet signal in Sudbrooke. It was noted that Virgin Media was installed on the Parklands estate.

99 ■ APOLOGIES

▶ Councillor Mrs Sandra Clayton

100 ■ RECEIVE DECS OF INTEREST ON ANY ITEM ON THE AGENDA MINUTES

▶ None declared.

101 ■ NOTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 6 OCTOBER 2022 TO BE APPROVED AND SIGNED AS MINUTES

▶ That the notes be signed as minutes proposed by Councillor Mrs Tracey Bowman, seconded by Councillor Simon Crampton and Resolved.

102 ■ COUNTY/DISTRICT COUNCILLORS' REPORTS

- ▶ CC Mrs Sue Rawlins reported
 - That the application for battery storage at the Gathering Centre on Barfield Lane had been approved.
 - That she had made a formal request to LCC Highways Officers to reconsider their decision to lower the speed limit on Wragby Road, Sudbrooke to 40mph.
- ▶ DC Bob Waller reported
 - That the full Council meeting at WLDC had been cancelled on 7 November due to minimal items to discuss.
 - That additional traveller sites in the district were being considered.
 - He advised parishes to check/review their Neighbourhood Plans.

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103 ■ REPORTS ON MATTERS OUTSTANDING

► A) Burial space/New cemetery – To Resolve to accept the cost of £1,250.00 for a Preliminary Risk Assessment of the suggested site for the new cemetery for Sudbrooke to the rear of the former tennis courts on the Village Hall playing field: Council considered this item and agreed to defer in order that further explanation of the proposed cemetery be published in the December/January **Sudbrooke News** outlining to residents the options available for a cemetery – i.e. to compulsorily purchase land at a significant cost to the parish; pursue the land on the Village Hall playing field, selling a strip of the field in order that the covenant be lifted; Disband the proposal for a new cemetery for Sudbrooke and the village have no burial spaces when the church yard is full.

► B) Request for lowering speed limit on Wragby Road: This was being pursued by County Councillor Mrs Sue Rawlins but there was no further progress to report to date.

► C) Christmas Tree Switch-on 27 November 2022: Arrangements were in hand for this event.

- A raffle prize had been received from Waitrose,
- Mince pies donated from Nettleham Co-op (free at the event),
- An approach made to Parklands development for a contribution towards the mulled wine.
- The Chairman had received the licence for selling of alcohol.
- Vocalisa Choir from Cherry Willingham would be singing.

The Clerk would arrange purchase of sweets, drinks and biscuits to be given

free to the children at the event. Risk Assessment for tree erection and whilst in-situ – that this be approved unanimously Resolved.

► D) Litter Pick: Mr Chris Chapman had sent a report stating that the Litter Pick went well with 21 residents helping to collect 20 bags of litter and pine needles. Mr Chapman said that he would be stepping down from organising the Litter Picks in future and therefore a replacement for him was required. Thanks were extended to Mr Chapman for his organising the Litter Picks for the last few years.

► E) Annual Play Area Inspections – quotation for works required: The quotation had not been received, hence item deferred until next meeting of the Parish Council.

► F) Life Saving Event/Evening – 16 September 2022: Several residents had already registered to attend, with Arvind at the village shop paying for refreshments and local speaker, Dave Barrett from company 'Safety First' giving his time at no charge.

104 ■ TO CONSIDER A PROJECT TO APPLY FOR FUNDS FROM THE IGAS COMMUNITY FUND

► This was currently being considered with the possibility of some play equipment being refurbished following receipt of quotation.

105 ■ SUDBROOKE NEWS

► It had become necessary to change printers of the magazine of which prices for printing were being sought. The most suitable would be used for the November issue.

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PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

106 ■ REMEMBRANCE SERVICE - SUNDAY 13 NOVEMBER 2022 TO NOMINATE MEMBER TO LAY THE WREATH

► Councillor Paul Fido was nominated to lay the wreath on behalf of the parish

107 ■ FINANCE

► A) Audit Report 2021/22: The Treasurer reported that there had been a query from the External Auditor regarding the recording of the £100 paid by West Lindsey District Council as part of the Precept. This had been noted.

► B) Grass Cutting/Grounds maintenance:

i. To consider continuing membership with LCC for the Urban Highway Grass Cutting – This agreement offered the Parish Council a contribution towards the verge cutting in the parish, the Parish Council seeking its own contract and number of cuts. The contribution currently approximately £1,500, but under review. That the Parish Council continue with the LCC Parish Agreement Scheme for 2023-24 unanimously Resolved.

ii To consider the grass cutting/grounds maintenance quotation from Glendale Countryside for the 2023 season – Members agreed that they were satisfied with the current Grounds Maintenance Contractors, being local and having a good knowledge of the village. That the quotation from Glendale Countryside Ltd be accepted unanimously resolved.

► C To consider estimate of Budget/Precept for 2023/24: The Budget would be discussed fully at the December

meeting, but that the estimate be made at £31,500 proposed by Councillor Simon Crampton, seconded by Councillor Bhikhu Mistry and Resolved.

► D) Accounts for payment – to be paid via BACS:

Mrs C. Myers - Clerks expenses ... £37.10
E.on – Electricity at Stone

monthly payment£17.00

Sudbrooke Village Hall Committee

– Hire of Hall for PC Meeting.....£17.00

Tesco – Mobile Phone Bill –

Direct Debit £7.50

Cllr P Heath – purchase of event license

for Christmas Tree Event£21.00

Doddington Hall Farm Shop – Christmas

tree – Net £333.33, VAT £66.67

..... Gross £400.00

Glendale Countryside Ltd – Grass

cutting September Net £528.66

..... VAT £105.73, Gross £634.39

Glendale Countryside Ltd – Grass

cutting October Net £652.84

.....VAT £130.57, Gross £783.41

Mrs C Myers – purchase of items for

litter pick and Christmas tree event -

..... £21.98

Mrs C Myers – purchase of 200 cups for

Christmas tree event –

..... Net £22.97, VAT £3.60, Gross £26.57

Signs Express – Sign and stake –

.....Net £67.36, VAT £13.47, Gross £80.83

Salaries..... £897.48

(will be paid via BACS on November 30)

► Income:

21st September – iGas Energy -

£1,000.00 grant towards play

equipment restoration

► Bank Account position – November 2

Current Account £6,018.08

Instant Access Account..... £34,890.69

14 Day Account £4,439.55

Fox Covert Account..... £2,162.21

Northfield Park Account.....£19,200.63

Sports field Account£3,928.95

Total in Accounts as of Nov 2. £70,640.11

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108 ■ CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED SINCE LAST MEETING

Sep 20: LALC Weekly News
 Sep 20: Notification of Anglian Waters new reservoir proposals
 Sep 23: WLDC Business Brief
 Sep 27: LALC Weekly News
 Oct 5: WYPF Pension Matters
 Oct 6: LALC Annual Report 2021/22
 Oct 6: WYPF - Valuation results and employer surgeries: virtual meeting
 Nov 23
 Oct 10: Bus service updates
 Oct 10: WYPF_ Webinar invitation on Employer Roles and Responsibilities
 Oct 11: LALC Weekly News
 Oct 11: LALC – Cost of Living Challenge - Support and Guidance
 Oct 11: Invitation to event at YMCA Showroom – to celebrate international day of older persons
 Oct 12: News from the ICO
 Oct 14: West Lindsey Business Brief
 Oct 14: Planning Application Decision Notification - PL/0086/22 Welton Gathering Centre, Sudbrooke
 Oct 17: LALC Weekly News
 Oct 21: WLDC News – Things to do in half-term
 Oct 24: LALC E News
 Oct 24: WYPF Invitation to Employer Valuation results meeting
 Oct 25: YMCA Lincolnshire News
 Oct 26: Request received from LCC to issue invoice for urban highway cutting for 2022

109 ■ PLANNING

► To ratify the comments made on items A, B and C as follows:
 A) Application 145575 - The Hawthorns Church Lane - conversion of existing outbuilding (former stables) into annex:

'Due to the time period allowed the Council has been unable to meet formally and agree a corporate response to the planning application above.

However, individual councillors have been contacted by me for their views and those who are in a position to comment wish your authority to note that they object to the application in that the annexe could be used in the future as a separate dwelling.

This would contravene the Sudbrooke Neighbourhood Plan. Sudbrooke Parish Council therefore stresses that if planning permission is granted a restriction must be put on this annexe in that its use cannot be changed to that of a dwelling.'

B) B Application 145619 - Egmont 23 Wragby Road - Planning application for demolition of existing house and construction of a new self-build replacement two and a half storey dwelling and detached garage with accommodation at first floor level – being variation of condition 3 of planning permission 139843 granted 24 October 2019, amended drawings to alter the carport off the east elevation of the dwelling: 'Due to the time period allowed Sudbrooke Parish Council has been unable to meet formally and agree a corporate response to the planning application above, but under delegated powers I have contacted all members individually and those able to view the application have passed me their comments.

They wish your authority to note that their objections remain unaltered on the following grounds:-

- It is considered that the alterations to the garage roof create a habitable space that overlooks the neighbouring property.

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109 ■ PLANNING cont

• The Parish Council's original objections to this development were that the three-storey house would cause considerable lack of privacy to the neighbour. The design was changed to the existing one with the garage replacing the three storey end. The higher roof line and provision of roof lights make this unacceptable due to the proximity of the house next door.

• It is considered that the application lacks a site plan showing how close the building is to the neighbouring property.'

C) Application 145617 – The Spinney, 12 Scothern Lane – first floor extension and garage alterations: 'Due to the time period allowed, the Council has been unable to meet formally and agree a corporate response to the planning application above.

However, individual councillors have been contacted by me for their views and those who are in a position to comment wish your authority to note that the garage is not considered a simple garage, but will be an annexe and could be used in the future as a separate dwelling.

This would contravene the Sudbrooke Neighbourhood Plan and Sudbrooke Parish Council therefore stresses that if planning permission is granted a restriction must be put on this garage/annexe in that its use cannot be changed to that of a dwelling.

Please also take into consideration any comments made by residents of neighbouring properties.'

That the comments on Items A and B be ratified unanimously Resolved.

Comments on Item C to be withdrawn and the following submitted: Application 145617 - The Spinney, 14 Scothern Lane,

Sudbrooke – First floor extension and garage alterations: Sudbrooke Parish Council discussed this application at its meeting earlier this evening. It requests that the comments previously submitted on October 23 be disregarded and the following taken into consideration when determining the application.

• The Council objects to the garage in that it has an overbearing nature, overlooking and loss of privacy to neighbours from the accommodation in the roof.

• The overall alterations to both the house and garage conflict to Part (a) of Policy 2 of the Sudbrooke

Neighbourhood Plan in that size and height are not in keeping with the original dwelling and Part (b) the extensions and alterations should be designed so that there shall be no significant reduction in the private amenity of the occupiers of neighbouring properties, through overlooking, overshadowing, loss of light or an overbearing appearance.

D) Anglian Water's proposal for a new reservoir in Lincolnshire: consultation launch – to consider any comments on the project: No comments to make.

E) Scothern Neighbourhood Plan – To consider and make any comments: No comments other than to acknowledge the work involved in producing the document.

110 ■ CLERK'S REPORT

► The Clerk reported as follows:

• The beehive sited close to the public footpath on The Parklands had been reported to Environmental Health who had referred this to the Anti-Social Behaviour Team.

• The plaque for the Platinum Jubilee tree had been purchased, and

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110 ■ CLERK'S REPORT cont

Councillor Paul Fido would fit this. The plaque had been funded from District Councillor Bob Wallers' Community fund.

- That four new passive 40mph speed signs had been ordered for Scothern Lane.
- The company who had been successful in the quotation for the reducing of the hedges on the Stuart Curtis field had stated that the work will not be carried out for two months. It was noted that this must be completed by the end of January due to the nesting season.
- That the LCC Highways Officer had stated that resurfacing of part of the footway on Scothern Lane would be taking place from mid-December and that some tree trimming would be

required to be carried out on the trees on the Jubilee Garden.

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111 ■ CHAIRMAN'S COMMENTS

- ▶ The Chairman stated that he looked forward to the authority from residents to proceeding with the new cemetery in the suggested area on the village hall playing field.

112 ■ DATE OF NEXT MEETING

- ▶ December 1, 7.30pm in the Bramham Lounge of the Village Hall

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With Laura Hutchinson

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NATIVITY, CHINESE NEW YEAR AND OFSTED

► Happy New Year from everyone at Sudbrooke Preschool!

In December, the children did their first Nativity since before Covid. They all enjoyed choosing which character they wanted to be and which Christmas songs they wanted to sing. They all did a great job! We then held a raffle and sold teas, coffees and cakes and raised a fantastic £300. This was then used towards the children's Christmas presents that was dropped off to them by Father Christmas himself at our Christmas party.

We are pleased to say that in November we had our Ofsted inspection and have achieved the grading 'Good'. I would like to thank the staff, children and families who have helped us to achieve this. We are incredibly proud!

The new year saw us focus on the topic, 'People who help us'. This was inspired by the children's role play of doctors and firefighters.

So far we have seen the home corner turn into a hospital, a vet, a police station and a shop and a fire station. The children used long hoses to put out the fires in the teepee. Looked at their fingerprints with a magnifying glass and looked at X-rays using our light board. We have even had a visit from

our postmen who let the children scan a parcel and a dentist who spoke to the children about good oral hygiene. We are also due a visit from a police officer.

In between all of that busy play we have spent time learning about about and celebrating Chinese New Year.

The children learned all about the legend of Nian the dragon. The children made a rabbit silhouette using chalk, Chinese lanterns, small colourful dragons and a large dragon that they all stood under to make dance. The children helped Mrs Gray cook some sweet and sour noodles and then tried some at snack time.

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The AGM will take place on March 20, 2023. All residents are invited to attend.

At least five village clubs have folded in the last few years and this means the Committee is much reduced as each organisation had a representative. This means that the workload is greater for the Committee.

The current bar manager will be

retiring at the end of 2023. Several Committee members and officers have been in post for some years. If this community facility is to continue to be available to you, clubs, user groups and all residents more volunteers are required.

Prior to 1986 residents worked hard to get the hall built and it would be a shame to lose it through shortage of volunteers.

Assistance is needed with administration, minor maintenance, H&S checks and bar management.

Training and support will be given.

Can you spare a few hours a month to support your community?

The Annual General Meeting of Sudbrooke Village Hall Management Committee will be held in the Bramham Lounge at the hall on Monday 20 March 2023 at 7pm.

All residents of Sudbrooke Parish aged 18 or over are welcome to attend to elect a new Management Committee. All village organisations are invited to nominate a representative to serve on the Committee.

This is an opportunity to get involved and serve your community. Please let me know as soon as possible, via village hall letter box or sudbrookevillagehall.bookings@gmail.com if you wish to make a nomination to the Management Committee.

Gill Rignall, Minutes Secretary, Sudbrooke Village Hall Management Committee.

SUDBROOKE COFFEE CLUB

Come and join us at Sudbrooke Coffee Club, held on the second Friday of the month at Sudbrooke Village Hall, starts at 10.30. Admission is £1.50, refreshments included.

Dates for 2023: January 13, February 10, March 10, April 14, May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8, October 13, November 10, December 8. Come and catch up with old friends and make new ones.



READER'S LETTER

YOUR CORRESPONDENCE

■ TREE AND EASY?

Dear Editor,

Has anyone else spotted this irony of ironies in Parklands?

Loads of bushes, trees and scrubland have been hacked down, presumably to make for the next phase of building in there... but amid the destruction there's a sign saying, 'Area Subject to a Woodland Preservation Order - Keep Out'.

What sort of Woodland Preservation Order was it? And why has it, seemingly, been wilfully bypassed?

What do the make Parish Council make to this? I would love to know.

Concerned resident



WANT BETTER BROADBAND?

By Dom Picksley

A few months back, a Sudbrooke resident highlighted the internet issues in the village and suggested a possible solution in the form of Quantum Air Fibre, a company based in Brookenby that has been rolling out broadband at terrific speeds in rural villages in the county.

At the moment, they do not cover this village, but basically if they get enough people registering an interest – and at the last count they had around 40-odd people from the village sign up – then they could look into bringing their service into our area.

And looking at those full fibre speeds and costs in the box above, who wouldn't want 120mpbs, never mind 1000! Most of us would just love to get into double figures most of the time, so surely this has to be an attractive proposition?

I looked into their blurb a while ago and rang to find out more information, to



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be told that I needed to register and get as many others to register as I could, then they could think about rolling their internet service out to us.

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SUDBROOKE WALKING GROUP

With Mike Halliday

01522 754686

WET, WET, WET FOR THE WALKING GROUP...

► Fourteen walkers set off from the main car park in Willingham Woods for a rearranged walk in December of approximately seven miles.

The planned walk had to be postponed as some of the fields were flooded from Holtham Garrs, near Sixhills across to Legsby.

Apart from a short spell of light rain the weather was good and we enjoyed some winter sunshine which always enhances the autumn leaf colour.

We walked westerly through the woods towards Chapel Hill passed the Medieval Hermitage site before turning south into Warren wood. From there we made our way through Dog Kennel wood towards Legsby wood.

Some Forestry Commission workmen were busy relaying woodland roads which had been badly churned up by heavy machinery during the

logging process. It certainly helped us to be able to walk on a firm surface.

At the end of the walk all members gathered at Jossals restaurant in Market Rasen for a splendid Christmas lunch.

► Seven walkers enjoyed a five-mile circular walk from Skellingthorpe to Doddington, in January.

It rained for most of the walk (again) so the muddy woods were gladly avoided.

The grounds of Doddington Hall provided a good location for the mid- walk refreshment break.



PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

Report of Parish Council meeting held on January 12, 2023 - Christine Myers, Clerk

■ ELECTIONS - MAY 4

▶ Anyone attending a Polling Station requires to take proof of ID with them. Further information will be given on polling cards

■ BURIAL SPACE/ NEW CEMETERY

▶ Only a few comments received from residents, four of which were in favour of exploring the new site proposal and seven being against – two were against having a cemetery in the village at all.

■ OVERGROWN HEDGE ON WRAGBY ROAD BEYOND LAST PROPERTY TOWARDS LANGWORTH

▶ This hedge is very overgrown again and making it difficult to cycle along the footpath. The verge has also encroached over the footpath. County Councillor Mrs Sue Rawlins has been asked to take this matter up with LCC Highways Officers and to bring it up to cycle path standard

■ SUDBROOKE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN REVIEW

▶ There is now a Working Group reviewing the Sudbrooke Neighbourhood Plan and its Policies – a grant will be applied for to cover the cost of engaging expert guidance

■ PURCHASE OF BULBS AND PLANTS FOR THE WOODS AND THE COPSE AT THE JUNCTION OF HOLME DRIVE/SCOTHERN LANE

▶ District Councillor Bob Waller offered a £250 grant from his Councillor Initiative Fund for the purchase of bulbs and plants for these areas. Thank you to Councillor Paul Fido (and his trowel) who will be seen around the village doing all the planting

■ GRIT BINS

▶ All grit bins in the village have been checked and are full, however please be aware if you need to use it that the grit/salt is very compacted and will need a sharp shovel. A request was made to the developers of The Parklands for provision of grit bins on troublesome corners on the development, but their Health and Safety Team do not see the requirement for grit bins on site at this time. However, they will hasten the process of signing the roads over to the County Council who would then supply grit bins as necessary, following assessment.

■ DATE OF NEXT MEETING

▶ Thursday 7.30pm, February 2. Residents are very welcome to attend and speak for a short time in 'Parishioners Items'.

Clerk's email list – If you would like to be included on the Clerk's email list for up to date notification of what is going on in the village

and an on line copy of **Sudbrooke News** please contact:
sudbrookeparishcouncil@gmail.com

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The timetable shows when the mobile library will be in your area.

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January	February	March	April	May	June
13 th	10 th	10 th	7 th	5 th	2 nd 30 th
July	August	September	October	November	December
28 th	25 th	22 nd	20 th	17 th	15 th

The mobile library stops at the following places:

Community	Stop	Arrive	Depart
Fiskerton	Village Hall	10:00	11:15
Sudbrooke	Village Hall	11.30	12.15
North Greetwell	West Field Drive	13.00	13.30
Monks Road	Roman Pavement	13:45	14:15
Nettleham Fields	Marigold Close	14.30	15.15

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► The Christmas raffle was drawn on Friday 16 December and 42 prizes were distributed to the lucky winners.

Thank you to all who donated prizes the top three being from Simon Carter – SCIS Computer Services, Market Rasen Golf Club and Chestnut Homes plus many other businesses and individuals. Thank you also to all who bought tickets resulting in a final profit for PDA funds of £2,526 which is an all-time record! Final thanks to Peter and Katrina Morton and Jan Sims who drove around like little elf helpers delivering the prizes!

► I have an appeal for HELP! The PDA Committee needs a secretary and a few new committee members if anyone is interested. We meet on the first Thursday of alternate months at the Health Centre at 7.30pm.

If anyone would like to chat about what's involved, please give me a call and then maybe come to a meeting to see us in action!

► Following a recent Committee meeting we have taken the decision not to collect bric-a-brac for sale at the Autumn Fayre this year.

Instead, we are going to hold a Craft Fayre with the addition of games, raffle, tombola, cakes etc and the café which always proves very popular.

► Finally, some statistics which I hope that everyone will take the time to read as I'm sure many people, myself included, will be surprised by the figures shown.

The Practice has looked back at the AskMyGP feedback trends for the last 12 months for which 75% of patients said it

was a better system, 19% said it was the same and 6% said worse (798 sample).

Also, looking at the Friends and Family Test Feedback, this recorded that 82% of patients would recommend the Practice as Very Good, 10% as Good, 4% as neither good nor bad, 2% as Poor and 2% as Very Poor (810 sample).

The Practice and committee were pleased with these results

although do appreciate the frustrations of accessing AskMyGP on busy days.

The Practice provided some statistics for the month of December 2022 (duration: 20 working days) – 2,177

patients were seen face to face (not including those via AskMyGP); 529 patients were consulted over the telephone

(not including those via AskMyGP); 2,223 patients were triaged via AskMyGP which resulted in 1,045 patients being seen face to face; 801 patients receiving a telephone consultation and 354 patients receiving an email message.

In addition to this there is the reviewing and filing of test results, authorising prescriptions, completing referrals, reviewing, and processing incoming letters, any other administration and attending meetings.

We had 137 'did not attends' (equates to almost 7 per day!) The committee feel it is important that patients are aware of these figures.

If you need to cancel an appointment, leaving it free for another patient, you can do so by ringing 862232 OUT OF HOURS ONLY and choose the option to cancel an appointment or TEXT ONLY 07930880337. This is for cancellation only, nothing else.





For those who don't know already, u3a is a self-help organisation for people no longer in full-time employment, providing educational, creative and leisure opportunities to LEARN, LAUGH and LIVE in a friendly environment.

We offer numerous interest groups and activities, including holidays and visits. Once you're

a member of one u3a you can participate in activities organised by any u3a in the country depending on availability.

Drawing upon the knowledge, experience and skills of our own members, we provide many interest groups and welcome any suggestions for new groups. Check out our website lindseyu3a.org.uk for a comprehensive list of interests.

If you wish to know more about Lindsey u3a you will be given a warm welcome at one of our monthly meetings. Let us know at Reception if you are new and one of our friendly 'Greeters' will show you round and answer any questions.

We meet at Welton Village Hall on the first Thursday of the month. Doors open at 9.45am for a cup of tea/coffee & a biscuit followed by a speaker at 10.30am.

Our next meeting is on talking about "The Farming Year" and on March 2 – Barbara Myer will be presenting "Wildlife Photography".

Another opportunity to find out more about Lindsey u3a is to attend our coffee morning at "The Gardeners' Retreat", Scothern Nurseries, usually held on the fourth Thursday of the

month at 10.15am. The next one will be on February 23, so, if you want to know more about us or if you're already a member, join us for a cuppa and a chat.

Details about our meetings, our many group activities and all up to date information can be found on our website.

Should you require any further information about

Lindsey u3a please contact me, Mandy Murphy, (Chairman)

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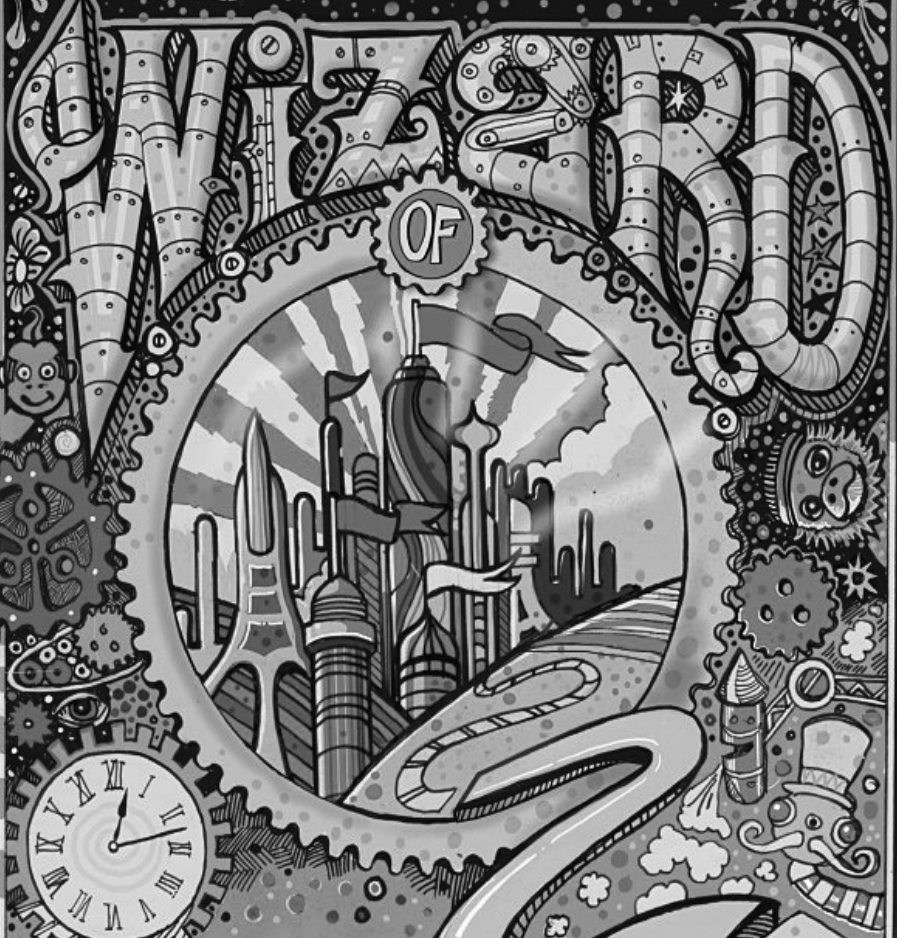


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