

Sudbrooke News

November 2007

Christmas Tree
Lights Switch On
Sunday
2nd December
4-30 pm



Afterwards in the Village Hall
Santa, children's entertainment, refreshments, bar,
and a quiz for the grown-ups
see inside for details

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**SUDBROOKE
CHRISTMAS TREE
LIGHTS
SWITCH ON**



SUNDAY 2 DECEMBER – 4.30 pm

Carols by the tree on Scothern Lane followed by mulled wine and mince pies around the tree.

Father Christmas, Children's entertainer, Hot Dogs, Mulled Wine, Mince Pies and a quiz for adults (see back page for details) in the Village Hall after the lights have been switched on.



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WHAT'S ON

Whist and Carpet Bowls

Meets every Thursday at 2:00 pm at Sudbrooke village hall. Tea, coffee and a chat. Contact Cyril Alderson on 751023 for details.

Mah-Jong

Meets every Monday at 7:00 pm at Sudbrooke village hall. If you are interested in this fascinating Chinese game, why not come and join us in a non-smoking environment.

Enquiries to Eleanor Walker on 595157 or Thelma Whitworth on 751881.

Sudbrooke and Langworth Playgroup

We meet at Sudbrooke Village hall Friday mornings during term time (except the 2nd Friday of the month) from 10am till 11.45am. On the 2nd Friday of the month we meet at Langworth Memorial Hall from 10am to 11.45am.

Contacts Haley 752287, Karen 750792 and Becky 752936

Pre-school Group

For children aged two and a half to school age; meets at Sudbrooke village hall Mon 9:15-11.45, Tue, Wed & Thurs mornings 9:15-12:00. Enquiries may be made at the Village Hall during sessions or by contacting Mrs Carole Guest, 01673 862094.

1st Sudbrooke Brownies

Meets Wednesdays 6:00-7:30 pm at Sudbrooke village hall.

Contact Mrs Liz Houlden on 752656.

Kickboxing

Every Thursday between 5 and 6pm at Sudbrooke Village Hall.

Sudbrooke Seniors (Coffee Club)

We meet every 2nd Friday in the month at 10.30 am in Sudbrooke Village Hall for coffee biscuits and a good chat. Anyone over the age of 50 is more than welcome - why not come along and bring a friend.

25th Lincoln Scout Group

Beavers, Cubs and Scouts meet on Tuesdays at Scothern Recreation Hall. Contact Nick Cornwell-Smith on 0845-0946352.

Sudbrooke Craft Club

Meet every Tuesday evening from 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm in Sudbrooke Village Hall. All crafters of all abilities welcome. Contact Jacqui Armitage on 01522 753670 or email: Jacqui.Armitage@ajs-it.co.uk.

VICAR'S LETTER

**The Vicarage, Langworth
Tel. 01522 - 754233**

By the time you read this I hope to be back fully in the saddle post-operation. To those who sent cards and telephoned over the period – a heartfelt “thank you”.

Two items of News – one Good the other Bad.

First the Good. Congratulations to Lyn Curtis who, after 4 years of study, has been Licensed as a Lay Reader.

The Bad concerns the Post Office and Shop at Langworth. The Post Office propose to close that side of the business on 27th December. Representations are being made to the PO to try and prevent the closure, as the Shop alone will not prove viable – resulting in time in the loss of this too. The PO decision is a dagger to the heart of the Benefice Community and deprives much used services to a wider surrounding community.

Many Sudbrooke residents will have used the services of John and Megan Handley, who work extremely hard.

Any support that parishioners can give to support the campaign to save this Post Office will be much appreciated. John and Megan can tell you how best to help (e.g. signing a letter obtainable from them giving many reasons for non-closure). Do drop in and talk to them or phone them on 01522 – 754345.

Many vital services – from the Post Office ones to medicines delivered from GP practices – will be lost. The ill-informed decision by the PO appears to take no account of the wider impact. No suggested alternative PO for use has a direct public transport service to it. It is elderly and other vulnerable folk who will be hardest hit – losing services vital to them. Langworth Post Office serves that village and 14 other villages and has many registered disabled and registered blind users.

Representations have to be received by the PO by 12th November. Do please join in trying to “Save Our Post Office”.

Yours, in Christ,
Robert Spaight

Christmas Shoeboxes

Following my article in last month's Sudbrooke News can I remind you there is still time to take part in the programme. You can provide a Christmas present to a child who may not otherwise get anything. Leaflets are available in the shop, village hall and at 6 The Paddock. Please leave filled boxes either at the shop or 6 The Paddock before November 14th. Thank you. **Naomia Thurlow Tel 752810**

CHURCH DIARY

	NOVEMBER	
Sunday 4	4 before Advent	
	9.00 Communion	St.John Stainton
	10.30 Communion	St.Edward Sudbrooke
	6.00 Evening Prayer	St.Hugh Langworth
Monday 5	7.30 Home Group	8 Pelham Close
Sunday 11	Remembrance Sunday	
	9.00 BCP Communion	St.Edward Sudbrooke
	10.30 Family Communion	St.Edward Sudbrooke
	2.00 Parade Service + <i>Dedication of Lytch Gate</i>	St.Hugh Langworth
Monday 12	7.30 Home Group	36 Scothern Lane
Wednesday 14	7.45 Family Service Planning	50 Scothern Lane
Sunday 18	2 before Advent	
	10.30 Family Service	St.Edward Sudbrooke
	6.00 Evening Prayer	St.Hugh Langworth
Monday 19	7.30 Home Group	2 Chestnut Close
Tuesday 20	7.30 Mission Area Planning Group	Cherry Willingham
Wednesday 21	7.30 Barlings PCC	The Vicarage
Sunday 25	Next before Advent	
	9.00 Communion	St.Edward Barlings
	10.30 Communion	St.Edward Sudbrooke
	6.00 Communion	St.Hugh Langworth
Monday 26	7.30 Home Group	8 Pelham Close

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New Years Eve
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Keith 07712 772618

PARISH COUNCIL INFORMATION

The next meeting of Sudbrooke Parish Council will take place on Thursday
1st November 2007 commencing at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Confirmation of dates of meetings can be made via the Clerk to the Council,
Mrs Chris Myers on 823802. Notes of meetings are held in Nettleham
Library

Members

Martin Dickie, Chairman - 754342

Stuart Curtis, Vice Chairman - 751874

Roger Adams - 751373

Ian Russell - 754984

Derek Ordish - 750010

Mike Halliday - 754686

Rose Dobbs - 753060

Paul Rignall - 595736

District Councillor Stuart Curtis - 751874

County Councillor - Roger Hiscox - 01673 860047

Treasurer to the Council - Bridget Solly - 01673 857580

PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

**NOTES OF THE MEETING OF
SUDBROOKE PARISH COUNCIL
HELD ON
THURSDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2007
IN THE VILLAGE HALL,
SUDBROOKE**

PRESENT: Councillors M Dickie (Chairman), M Halliday, Miss R Dobbs, I Russell, D Ordish, P Rignall, Mrs C Myers (Clerk), Mrs B Solly (Treasurer), 4 members of the public (1 attended from 8pm)

APOLOGIES: Councillors: R Adams, S Curtis,

46 PARISHIONERS ITEMS

Mr C Ireland, attended the meeting and stated that he was now a member of the 1st, 3rd and Upper Witham Drainage Boards and would be pleased to represent Sudbrooke on matters relevant to any of the Boards.

A report was made that there were some lengths of scaffold tubing on the banks of the stream which required removal.

Cllr Ordish requested an update on the proposed dropped kerbs near to the shop. The Clerk would contact the Principal Highways Officer.

A request was made for a dog bin to be sited in Fox Covert.

4 break-ins had occurred at Barbers Garage and the public were urged to be extra vigilant.

47 DISTRICT COUNCILLORS REPORT

DC Stuart Curtis had sent a written report which was read by the Clerk to the meeting. It stated that a number of residents had expressed an interest in re-forming the Sudbrooke Tennis Club and it was hoped to organize an inaugural meeting shortly. It also stated that the Public Consultation was underway for the West Lindsey Core Strategy Action Plan and comments needed to be made by 1st October 2007.

48 COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT

Members were disappointed that County Councillor Hiscox had not attended a Parish Council meeting for several months. He had also not responded to the Parish Council's request for the cost of the new cycle way on Wragby Road.

49 NOTES OF MEETING HELD ON 5TH JULY 2007

These were signed as a correct record.

50 ADOPTION OF REVISED MODEL CODE OF CONDUCT 2007

Councillors had received copies of the Revised Code and signed confirmation of receipt.

Resolved: That the Code of Conduct Order 2007 be adopted with the addition of clause 12(2).

51 REPORTS ON MATTERS OUTSTANDING

a) **Parish Plan and Action Plan** – The Parish Council expressed

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contentment with the Parish Plan Group's constitution.

A reply had been received from the Highways Dept about the busy time traffic lights. Some clarification was needed and this would be taken up by the Parish Plan Group.

The Nettleham Practice Manager had provided more information on the new site requirements. This would also be discussed by the Parish Plan Group.

The Parish Council, Village Hall Committee and Parish Plan Group would jointly hold an open day on 12th October to identify residents requirements for new clubs and activity groups as well as promoting existing facilities.

Councillor Paul Rignall covered proposals for a teenagers meeting place.

Some parishioners had agreed to work out a strategy to counter litter and rubbish dumping.

b) Sports Day – This would be held on 9th September 2007. Donations received to date for prizes totaled £370.

c) Overhanging shrubs – It was reported that the 30mph sign on Church Lane was obliterated by shrub growth. The Clerk would contact the County Council/landowner requesting

that this growth be cut back. Cllr P Rignall offered to cut back shrubs similarly obliterating the village hall sign on Scothern Lane.

d) Trees – Holme Drive/Courtfield Close – The County Council had stated in a letter that these trees did not form part of the public maintained highway and were therefore not LCC responsibility. Members agreed to inspect the trees themselves with a view to obtaining quotations for lopping.

e) Vandalism to footbridge, West Drive – Following repair after its vandalism in July the bridge had again been smashed. Members were asked to consider putting up a Reward for notification of persons causing this criminal damage. Agenda item for next meeting.

52 CHRISTMAS TREE

Purchase of the Christmas tree was agreed. The first Sunday in December was agreed as the switch on date for the lights and members of the Christmas Tree Committee would organize refreshments and entertainment.

53 SPORTSFIELD COMMITTEE

The resurfacing and marking out of the Multi-purpose play area was now complete.

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54 CONSERVATION REPORT

Area of land at end of Beresford Drive – Councillor Ian Russell suggested trees and shrubs for planting in this area and these would be obtained through the Lincolnshire County Council's free trees for parishes scheme.

55 STREET NAMEPLATES

The street nameplate indicating Beech Close was requiring painting or replacement. The Clerk would arrange this WLDC.

56 PLANNING

a) Applications

Hall Farm, Sudbrooke Park – Erect new chicken broiler/breeder house – No objections

16 The Paddock – Erect double garage – 120731 – No windows in western elevation of garage to maintain privacy for adjoining property, otherwise no objections.

4 Manor Drive – Retain shed and erect car port – Divided opinion amongst Councillors that although not objecting to the shed or car port it should be noted that vehicles are currently crossing the public footpath to gain access instead of using the existing access to the right of the property. Prior to this application being granted should a second entrance not be made to the standards required in order to keep vehicles off the road?

4 Woolley Road – single storey extension – 120709 – no objections

12 Maple Drive – sunroom – 120895 -

No objections

2 St Edward's Drive – Conservatory to side of property – 120858 – no objections

6 Shepherd's Way – single storey extension – 120903 – no objections

b) Permissions

Land at 68 Scothern Lane – Erect house and garage – 120474 and form vehicular access – 120473.

16 The Paddock – erect double garage – 120731.

Adjacent to 102 Wragby Road – Erect 2 dwellings – 120429

c) Appeal – Pigeon's Close, Church Lane – Erection of bungalow – appeal dismissed.

d) TPO Work granted permission by WLDC

2 Scothern Lane – Remove 6 dead sycamores

4 Scothern Lane – Remove 2 dead sycamores

83 Holme Drive – Remove willow

e) West Lindsey Local Development Framework – It was agreed that members meet on a separate occasion to discuss this in order to formulate a reply before 1st October 2007.

57 SUDBROOKE NEWS DISTRIBUTOR

Mr Reg Wilson had asked that following many years as Co-ordinator for the distribution of the Sudbrooke News he would prefer someone else to now take over the job. Two ladies had

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offered to be Distributors. Ann Gardner would act as Co-ordinator with the assistance of Gillian Lowe if required.

58 FINANCE

a) Financial Regulations - These had been distributed to all Councillors and were adopted by the Parish Council.

b) Fixed Assets Register - The Treasurer had copied the Fixed Asset Register to all Councillors and any necessary amendments were made.

c) Training Courses - It was agreed that the Chairman attend the Chairmanship Training on 20th November 2007 and that the Treasurer attend the Employment Seminar on 2nd October 2007, both courses at a cost of £5.00 each and organized by the Lincolnshire Association of Local Councils.

59 CHAIRMANS COMMENTS

The Chairman reported his attendance at a Police KIN group meeting on 3rd September 2007.

The Chairman also reported that the Village Hall Committee now had a new

Fundraiser, Secretary and Barman.

60 CORRESPONDENCE

Notification that Mr Glyn Pilkington had been appointed Waste Services Manager for WLDC.

Notification of LALC AGM - 27th October 2007.

Notification of Community Lincs AGM - 27th September 2007.

Correspondence from Cherry Willingham Community School seeking support for their new project of a floodlit 3rdGeneration synthetic pitch. - The Clerk was instructed to write giving the Parish Council's support but stating that it could not offer any financial support.

*Anglian Water - Drinking Water Quality Summary

*WLDC - Best Value Performance Plan

*Correspondence from Mr and Mrs J Lucas re Cedar Close drainage

*Letter from Witham Third Internal Drainage Board stating that they will Endeavour to clear larger debris from the bank of the stream when cleaning out the stream.

*Circulated to all Councillors

61 DATE OF NEXT MEETING -

Thursday 4th October 2007.

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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS – A brief account of the meeting held on 4th October 2007.

Police Matters – 4 break-ins/ burglaries had occurred at Barbers Garage recently – *Parishioners please be extra vigilant and if you see anything suspicious ring the Police **immediately.***

Cyclepath, A158 - County Councillor Hiscox had sent a letter to the Parish Council stating that the cost of the cyclepath on the A158 was £104,671.00.

Footbridge over stream, West Drive – The Parish Council has offered a reward for information leading to the successful prosecution of the vandal(s) who are repeatedly smashing up this bridge.

Dropped kerbs near to shop – Councillor Derek Ordish would be meeting a representative from the Highways Department at the County Council to discuss this further. The

problem/hold up with the work has been that no fewer than 4 persons have ownership of parts of the verge which are required to be altered to allow for dropped kerbs.

Christmas Tree Event – The switch on of the Christmas Tree lights will be Sunday 2nd December at 4.30pm with mulled wine, mince pies and carols at the tree followed by entertainment at the Village Hall.

Closure of Langworth Post Office – The Parish Council supported the Chairman in him writing to the Postmaster General objecting to the proposed closure of Langworth Post Office.

Vandalism to Caring Team Seat, Village Hall Play area – This has had to be re-cemented into the ground following it being uplifted by vandals.

Next meeting – 1st November – Village Hall – 7.30pm.

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Jackie.parker@lincs.pnn.police.uk**

Welcome to the Police News for this month.

With Bonfire night on the way I thought it would be an opportune time to mention the legislation in relation to fireworks. I thought I would include in this article some old legislation in relation to fireworks before the new regulations came into effect.

Fireworks were dealt with under the Town Police Clauses Act 1847. It covers many varied and extraordinary street offences such as Riding on the Shaft of a Carriage!!! Furiously riding a horse and cart, Rolling a cask or keg on the footpath, Allowing offensive matter to run from a dunghill onto the street, Having a dangerous window box and even includes the offence of beating a carpet, rug, or mat (except doormat) before 8.00am! However, with regards to the fireworks the Act makes it as offence to wantonly throw or set fire to a firework in the street and also makes it an offence to wantonly make a bonfire in the street to the obstruction, annoyance or danger of residents. Section 80 of the Explosives Act 1875 also makes it an offence to throw or cast a firework in a street or public place. The Highways Act of 1980 also

covers the discharging of any firework within fifty feet of the centre of a highway. Although this old legislation is still in force, we now use the Firework Regulations 2004 Act. This prohibits any person under the age of 18 from simply possessing any firework in a public place except what the act calls a category 1 indoor fireworks such as party poppers or sparklers. **This act also allows Officers to issue fixed penalty tickets for offences such as Throwing Fireworks.** For this offence the Police can now issue an £80 Fixed Penalty Ticket, which has to be paid with 21 days. Failure to pay would mean a summons and ultimately a court case. Just remember that fireworks themselves can be dangerous and cause annoyance and fear to many of our residents and pets. No one wants to stop people enjoying fireworks in safety in their back garden, but use them sensibly.

We have had two new bits of Legislation come into force just recently. **From the 1st of October 2007 it has become an offence to sell cigarettes or a knife to anyone under the age of 18.** This is an increase of 2 years. The new legislation carries a maximum of £5,000 fine and/or a six-month prison

sentence for retailers selling age-restricted products to underage customers. This legislation has been brought about to discourage young people from starting to smoke and the growing concerns about knife-related crime.

I have had several calls from schools, residents and concerned parents about the parking outside the schools in our area. The safety of your children has to be at the top of every parent's priority. To help us in this matter please do not park on the zigzags at any of the schools or park too close to the junctions causing obstruction or impair the vision of other road users. Do not park your vehicle so far on the pavement that this causes an obstruction to pedestrians and be courteous to residents who live in the vicinity of the

school. They are entitled to be able access their drives no matter what the time of day.

We have managed to get some funding for the Kickboxing Club, which has started up at Sudbrooke Village Hall. Tim has bought new equipment with this funding and we hope that we can encourage some of the teenagers of the village to join. Learning something such as kickboxing can give your child self discipline and obviously has the added health benefits too. So, if you can, encourage your child to come along to the club. By joining clubs it helps your child develop social skills and confidence in other environments. The club is on a Wednesday and starts at 5.00 pm to 6.00 pm. There is also a ladies class which commences at 6.00 pm. Go along and have a look. Tim is a very pleasant chap and can cater for all levels of fitness.

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SUDBROOKE PARISH PLAN

Open Day 12th October

Thank you to all residents who came to open day. It's fair to say we expected a larger attendance based on the questionnaire results but nevertheless a steady stream of adults and children throughout opening time suggests there is scope to start a number of new activity or interest groups.

The Parish Plan Group will consider how best to take forward residents' requirements at their next meeting on Tuesday 11th December from 7-30pm at the village hall. The Village Hall Committee and Parish Council will be fully consulted.

I am pleased to say the ladies running the arts and crafts exhibitions received

an encouraging response.

My thanks to Parish Plan Group members and other helpers for their input into open day.

Doctors surgery, prescription pick-up point and new site for Nettleham Medical Practice.

The prescription pick-up point is still under consideration.

A potential new site has been identified within the Sudbrooke boundary. This has been passed onto the Medical Practice and will be considered along with sites from other parishes.

Mike Halliday

Chairman, Parish Plan Group.



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SUDBROOKE GARDENING CLUB

October Meeting

Cyril Alderson gave an interesting talk on the history of weather forecasting. As you may expect, the need to forecast weather is almost as old as civilisation itself.

The Chinese were the first to tackle the subject seriously from around 1000BC. The Greeks thro' Aristotle made significant progress but the 16th and 17th centuries saw the introduction of scientific techniques mainly thro' the Italian great scholars and scientists.

The British Met Office opened in 1854 when forecasting became a public service. Agreement on international standards was subsequently achieved so that data could be used universally. Forecasts are derived from readings of temperature, air pressure, wind-speed, humidity and cloud type.

Ian Russell said how fortunate the

residents of Sudbrooke were to be surrounded by a wealth of trees of all varieties some being quite rare. Many of Sudbrooke's trees enjoyed blanket tree preservation order coverage. The key test for a preservation order was a tree's amenity value. Ian elaborated on this and produced a map of the trees protected in Sudbrooke. Surprisingly, fruit trees can attract preservation orders. Ian issued attendees with a brief guide to tree preservation procedures. Ian also briefly covered some conservation issues and provided some interesting pictures.

Next Meeting 10th December.
Will be hosted by Barry and Margaret Reeves at Tall Trees, 25 Wragby Road from 7-30pm

Mike Halliday
(Secretary)

VILLAGE HALL HIRE

Sudbrooke Village Hall is an ideal venue for adults and children's parties, wedding receptions, christening parties, etc. Catering facilities, whether for your own catering or outside caterers are excellent and there is a well stocked licensed bar.

The Hall is set in a grassy area with shrubs and trees around the perimeters. Ideal for photographs.

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**To make bookings or to enquire about charges, please telephone
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Vikki Sutcliffe 595538
Alice Rothwell 754028
Emma Gregory 595712
Erik Eglington 750696
Sarah/Jenny Truscott 752911

Jenni Field 752391
Charlotte Hughes 754841
Hana Millard 595312
Gemma Telezynska 753309
Abbie Mullen 750198

VILLAGE HALL MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Summary of the V H M C meeting held on Tuesday 16th October 2007

We welcomed the representative for the Pre-school Group. The group had nominated their representative since our last meeting in September.

The full minutes had been distributed, and with one amendment, agreed and signed off.

Treasurers Report: Report and Accounts for 2006, and relevant documentation, have been submitted to The Charity Commission.

Reports from Representative Members: All clubs and organisations, who took a summer break, have restarted. More people went to the Seniors Coffee Club Morning in October. The Mah-Jong devotees are a small group, but willing to show how the game is played. The Brownies have a very full programme.

Bar Managers Report: Satisfactory recent bookings and forward planning to the end of the year.

Fund Raising: Our Fund Raising Adviser presented a very comprehensive overview of future possibilities. He will be advertising for a support group of

people to examine more closely some of these possibilities within the restrictions which apply to using the Hall.

Correspondence: We received the resignation of our Vice Chairman after five years of being on the committee in various positions, but understand her commitment to her children as their requirements develop.

Caretaking of the Hall: Thanks to the members who are dealing with these matters. We will maintain the advertisement for a regular caretaker.

Bookings: Forward bookings were discussed including Christmas Tree Event and New Year's Eve Ball.

Date of next meeting: This will be early December.

Any general matters or concerns to do with management of the Hall can be dealt with during the correspondence item on our agenda. You can contact us via The Chairman, any member of the Committee or me at the address below.

Ann Yeend, Secretary,

11 Ellison Close

STREET FORCE WARDEN SCHEME

Mr Kevin Dunne, Neighbourhood Warden for the Street Force Warden Scheme for West Lindsey District Council will give a short address at the next meeting of the Parish Council on Thursday 1st November 2007 commencing at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Mr Dunne is involved with the Street Force Team in dealing with fly tipping, litter, fly posting, abandoned vehicles and dog fouling.

Residents are very welcome to attend

Reepham and District Tennis Club
Behind Reepham and Cherry Village Hall

The round robin tournament was very successful with a good turnout and the winning trophies were presented to Alison, Marek and Myron. Well done to them.

We are having a social dinner on Friday November 16th at the Carpenters Arms. Club nights with floodlights are held on a Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 7.00pm

We are a very friendly club and always look forward to welcoming new members.

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Sunday 25th November 11am Reepham and Cherry Willingham village
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Monday 19th November 6.30pm-7.30pm and Monday December 3rd in the
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Friday 9th November, Friday 23 November and Friday December 7th
Activities and Venues for The Mix will vary so please ring Alison on
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25th Lincoln (Scothern) Scout Group

Tesco have just started issuing Sports Vouchers. Again, this year we will be
collecting them hoping to be able to obtain some sports
equipment.

All donations of vouchers are welcome.

Please either drop them around or post them to me. Last year we
managed to collect 2300 so lets go for a bigger number this year.

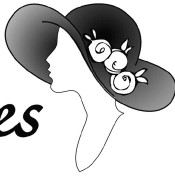
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Regards

Nick Cornwell-Smith
Group Scout Leader
25th Lincoln (Scothern) Scout Group

52 Scothern Lane, Sudbrooke, Lincoln, LN2 2QJ

Ladies Club



Mike Barnaby gave a fascinating illustrated talk at our September meeting. He is an optometrist who works for a charity which provides spectacles for poor communities. He usually visits Romania and India. The specs which you deposit in the box at the surgery or the Co-op are all tested and then prescribed to people who would otherwise not afford them. He has trained some inmates in HM Prison Winson Green to grade the donated specs so that they can be reissued. Some people had believed they were blind because they were wearing the wrong glasses. So keep putting those old specs in the box!

Our coffee morning on 6th October raised £170 for the County Hospital A&E Flying Squad, our charity for 2007. Thanks go to those who helped and attended.

We were pleased to welcome forty members and visitors to hear Margaret Dickinson, the popular local author, speak at our October meeting. She described how she researches her books and keeps track of the family

connections, as some of her books follow on.

The admission fee, raffle and bookstall raised £70 for our charity. Margaret's books were also available for sale and she signed them. We are grateful to the kick boxers for kindly vacating the hall so promptly for us. Thanks are due to the committee for their very hard work which made this evening a success.

Several people picked up leaflets at the Parish Plan Open Day so we hope you will come along.

Forthcoming Events:

Thursday 15th November:- Mr Curtis - 'Pork Pies'.

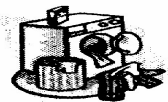
Thursday 13th December:- Christmas Party – tickets (£7) available at the November meeting. If you are unable to attend the meeting and would like tickets please contact a committee member.

Thursday 17th January 2008:- AGM and Cheese and Wine.

We meet on the third Thursday of the month in Sudbrooke Village Hall. Guests are always welcome and are asked to contribute £2.

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ELLISON BOULTERS - FOOTBALL NEWS

Saturday 6 October 2007

Cup – Round 1

Bishop King 0 – 9 Ellison Boulters

The anticipation and excitement for the start of a new season exploded on Saturday in front of Lincoln City's Sincil Bank. To say Ellison Boulters flew out of the traps is the understatement of the century! The Royal Blues were clearly on a mission to reach the second round of this season's cup competition but they wanted to do it with panache and ruthlessness. It took only 8 minutes for Scothern to register their first goal of the year, scored by our new inspirational skipper Lewis H who led by example for the entire match. An own goal and a smart Louis K finish left Ellison Boulters 3-0 to the good after just 15 minutes. Foot off the gas time perhaps? Not for Liam H, making his competitive debut! Liam subtly showed off his natural talent, bringing the ball down on a sixpence and spraying it out to whoever was in space with inch-perfect precision. But it was only when he kept the ball for himself that his true ability shone - skipping past 4 players before slotting the ball into the back of the net to score the goal of the game. And it was Liam who struck again 3 minutes later, a minute before half-time to leave the score at 5-0 to The Blues going into the break. Ellison Boulters continued to play some superb football in the second half, creating some excellent chances that luckily they could afford to miss. On the rare occasion that Bishop King were allowed to attack their efforts were thwarted by defenders Jordan H (also making his competitive debut) and Luke C. But more goals at the other end were what

the doctor ordered and Thomas C duly obliged with a fierce strike from outside the box, beating the 'keeper at his near post. Lewis H then doubled his tally taking the Scothern count to 7! And just as time was running out Liam capped off an outstanding performance by glancing in a header to secure a hat-trick, before adding a fourth with a minute to go leaving the final score at Bishop King 0 Ellison Boulters 9. Ellison Boulters will certainly have tougher tests this season, starting at home to Lincoln Minster on Thursday, but as an aperitif this one definitely tasted good!

Man of the Match: Lewis Hughes & Liam Harris

Thursday 11 October 2007

League Match 1

Ellison Boulters 3 – 0 Lincoln Minster

Scothern's league campaign got off to almost as good a start as their cup campaign in front of their home fans. Ellison Boulters always knew that this one was not going to be as comfortable as Saturday's game and Lincoln Minster certainly proved much tougher opposition. The opening exchanges in the game were cagey and chances were few and far between in the first five minutes. However, as the game progressed it was becoming clearer that it was the Royal Blues who were pulling all the strings and who were playing territorial football in the opposition's half. And it was not long before Scothern started to create chances, the best of which falling to Thomas C who blazed over a great chance following some stylish

FOOTBALL NEWS Cont'd.....

build-up play. However, after thirteen minutes The Royal Blues got the break through they had sought. The ball was crossed into the penalty area, dropping between Scothern striker Louis K and Lincoln Minster's goalkeeper – but it was Louis who bravely went in first to nod the ball into the back of the net. Ellison Boulters continued to dominate and their pressure paid off after eighteen minutes when William S carved out a fantastic chance for himself which he didn't waste leaving the score at 2-0 at half-time. The second half wasn't quite as one-sided as Scothern were playing against the wind, kicking up hill. Lincoln Minster were allowed more of the

ball and posed much more of a threat when attacking. But The Royal Blues defence were resolute and goalkeeper Oliver C alert. However, Ellison Boulters were far from outplayed and continued to carve out chances of their own. And when the Minster 'Keeper failed to hold a shot William S was there to add his second and Scothern's third and the match was effectively over. Twelve goals in the first two matches and two clean sheets certainly bode well but the season is young and there is still much to prove!

Man of the Match: Thomas Cliffe & William Sutton



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The Parish Council will soon be starting the process of budgeting for the next financial year. We would welcome any proposals that any parishioner may have regarding this matter. For example are there any projects that you feel need to be undertaken around the village?

Is there anything you wish the council to spend money on during the next financial year, or is there something you don't want the council to spend money on?

Please put any proposals in writing and submit them to any councillor or to the Clerk (Mrs Myers) or the Responsible Financial Officer (Mrs Solly).

Alternatively come along to the November meeting and put your proposal/idea forward.

NETTLEHAM MEDICAL PRACTICE

'Flu clinics are now up and running – appointments may be made if you fall into the “at risk” groups. If unsure please check with our reception staff.

Thank you to those patients who are currently filling in Patient Survey forms in the surgery. Results will be collated and discussed at the first meeting with the Patient Group in early 2008.

We have been advised that some patients have experienced difficulty contacting the surgery whilst abroad and have arranged a special number for this purpose – 0870 111 4729. Please note this will only connect when outside the UK.

DNA (did not attend) 30 patients in the surgery during September and we

have been advised of nine patients who failed to attend appointments at the hospital during this period. As always, please let us know if you are not able to keep an appointment so it may be offered to others.

Practice website – this is almost completed and we hope to announce the launch of this next month.

If patients have borrowed any nebulisers from the Practice could they please advise our Respiratory Nurse, Mrs Rosemary Cox, if they are still using them or return unwanted machines to the surgery as soon as possible.

Sallie Stead



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A.G.M. Wednesday 10th. October

The attendance at our AGM was disappointing with only 20 in attendance but we understand this clashed with some other activities and AGMs are not the most popular ways of spending an evening. A major aspect of our organisation is our voluntary transport scheme associated with Welton Health Centre patients. Over the past year we transported 1003 passengers to attend appointments at the health centre, dental or optical clinics, hospitals or to visit relatives in nursing homes or hospitals and covered some 17,781 miles. In addition we do prescription runs to ensure patients in some areas receive prescriptions on time. We would welcome a few more voluntary drivers – any offers? If interested please contact Janet Goddard on 01673 862570

The talk by Dr Nicola Cole was first class being a lighted hearted presentation on Minor Illnesses and Related Topics and we all left the meeting with a much better understanding of viral versus bacterial infections and the use of antibiotics or tablets and rest. Flu – vaccinations are available and are recommended for those in the at risk areas e.g. age, present health. If in doubt phone the health Centre.

Autumn Fayre

Saturday 13th. October

This was a very pleasant couple of hours of sales of various goods, raffle, tombola, games, tea coffee and cakes and the atmosphere suggested this was enjoyed by all who attended. We express our sincere thanks to all the local businesses and the many individuals who provided support in respect of gift tokens, raffle prizes, cakes etc. and to all those willing friends and relatives who helped on the day to make it a success. The final result was £503 which will be credited to PDA funds and the Transport account. An excellent result. We may do it again next year.

Christmas Dinner

Friday December 7th.

Our usual Christmas Dinner consisting of Turkey with all the trimmings, Christmas Pudding or Trifle with tea or coffee to follow will be served in Welton Village Hall on Friday 7th. December. Not yet organised, but hopefully we shall also be holding a raffle and there will be additional supplies in the form of a cake stall. Tickets £4. 50 available from the Dispensary, Welton Health Centre, Mrs Olive Sharland, tel. 01673 860174, The Spar Shop, Dunholme and me. Doors open 11.45am, dinner will be served at 12.15pm and the bar will be open for liquid refreshments. We are looking forward to seeing you at this event.

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DUNHOLME CAMERA CLUB

Now that the summer is over and we have been on holiday with our digital cameras what have we done with the pictures that we took during the last 6 months? With large memory cards being introduced we can now store hundreds of pictures without having any printed, those who are a bit more advanced have transferred their images onto their lap top or home PC but how many of you have actually printed them ALL out? I do believe that if we as "the picture takers" are not careful those memories of family, friends, places and all of our memories are going to be lost so please please get your favourites printed out and as a minimum make sure that you copy all of those memories onto a CD at least there will be a copy of the images when your computer crashes (and it will at

some point in the future) then there will be something for your children and their children to look at in the future.

Meetings in November will be a Digital discussion/Demonstration (come and see how to get you images onto a disc) on the 8th November and the final Competition of the year which is the "Chairman's Challenge" this is a members Macro competition so come along and get to know us.

And finally we still have a few spaces left for our portrait days on the 10th and 11th November there is no charge for the sitting so call Graham Halliday on 01673 861378 to book your place.

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A potentially useful idea for your mobile phone – if you use one – is to programme an entry under the heading ICE. This stands for In Case of Emergencies and should enable a member of the emergency services to find who to contact in the event of your being involved in an accident. This idea is being promoted by central government and I came across it in my emails and thought I should pass it on. This was just one point from an avalanche of emailed information targeted at councillors. The quantity of this information can be a barrier to real communication and it is necessary to be selective in reading and reacting to it. This is common to all local government which also has a language all of its own. This is peppered with acronyms and the use of words not used in normal conversation. I try to use plain English wherever possible and to convert this jargon in these articles into something people not steeped in jargon speak will understand. One such is term is 85% percentile. Those who use maths a lot will no doubt know what this means, but I can say from experience that most people haven't got the remotest idea what it is*. It is a term which has, up to now, been much used in speed limit policy documents. You may like to know that it is about to disappear in favour of average speed, which may sound like a good thing. It is, if you want speed limits to be set lower, but it is then likely more motorists will think it is set too low and disregard

the limit. The question depends on whether you want slower traffic or lower speed limits which are poorly observed. Slower traffic is generally the aim.

On another topic, we have decided to respond to a government circular about coastal access. The county council highways policy group has recommended supporting primary legislation to ensure more of our national coast is accessible to walkers, but that landowners should be compensated for any actual financial loss. Where crops are currently grown up to the edge of the land, leaving a strip uncultivated is obviously a loss and it seemed unreasonable to expect this for nothing. However, subject to that proviso, land owners should not be in a position to prevent access to stretches of coastline. Doubtless it will take years, but it seems a step in the right direction.

Till next month

Roger Hiscox

** Measure the speed of 100 cars passing a particular point, list them by speed in ascending order and draw a line across the list under the entry for the 85th car. This will be the 85th percentile speed. The average speed is found by adding the speeds of all 100 cars and then dividing by 100. Usually the result will be different, quite a bit different in some cases. The result is used in the consideration of what would be the most appropriate speed limit at the site under consideration.*

*Copy deadline for the December 2007 edition is
20th November 2007*

Whilst the children are being happily entertained in the village hall, adults are invited to take part in a quiz being held in the bar area. This will take place after the Christmas lights switch on at approximately 5.30pm



Sunday 2nd December
Sudbrooke Quiz Night

Team Name

Number of team

Members (max 4)

Contact Name and

Tel Number

If you would like to enter a team please complete the above entry form and take it along to Sudbrooke shop, along with the £5 per team fee. Remember there will be a cash prize and all money raised goes to the Christmas Tree Fund.

Many thanks!