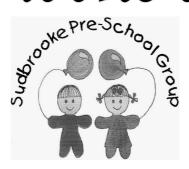
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Happy Easter

Spring, at last, is now upon us. Details of a badly needed "village

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litter pick" are on page 9. I don't think I have ever seen so much litter in the village, most of which seems to come from confectionary and fast food wrappers.

I was going to go on and have my usual rant about the dirty, selfish *******s (deleted....... her indoors told me to take it out!!) who are either too lazy or arrogant to clear up their dog's mess. I won't have to this time though, as James (with a little help) has written on this subject in a lovely poem printed on page 9 ...thanks James.



No "Ripper", calm down, it's the very small number of thoughtless dog owners I'm talking about......not you!!



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VICAR'S LETTER

The Vicarage, Langworth Tel. 01522 754233

By the time you read this, I guess Easter Day (4th April) will be past. Looking ahead in the Church Diary there are a number of events to note in your own Diaries (or, in this day and age, Organisers!).

April is the month of Annual Parochial Church Meetings, and Sudbrooke's will be held in St. Edward's Church on Thursday 29 April at 7.30 p.m.

In May, the Bishop of Grimsby will be leading a pre-Pentecost Week of events in the Deanery. Evening Times and Titles of his Talks remain to be advised but the programme will be held at the following venues:-

Monday 17 May Welton, Dunholme and Scothern Benefice

Tuesday 18 May Springline Benefice

Wednesday 19 May Nettleham

Thursday 20 May South Lawres Benefice (Cherry Willingham)

Friday 21 May Owmby Group

There will be no event on Saturday 22 May, but the week will end on Sunday 23 May (Pentecost) with an ecumenical Pentecost Praise Service at St. Hugh's Langworth. Thought is being given as to whether this might be held as an open -air service (weather permitting!). A more "refined" programme as to exact church venues will be published in due course.

The following Sunday (30 May) the Deanery will be gathering for a service in Lincoln Cathedral at 9.30 a.m. There will be no 9.00 service at St. Edward's Sudbrooke on that morning as it is hoped that as many people as possible will attend the Cathedral Service.

At the Family Service on June 13, the Scouts will be primarily involved in the service (as last year).

Come the Autumn, there will be the Flower Festival (October 8-10) and volunteers to help with a number of assisting roles are still welcome. If you can help, Eleanor Clarke or Lyn Curtis will be pleased to hear from you. They can explain to you what is involved.

Jesus' first and last words on the Cross were addressed to his Heavenly Father:-

"Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do" (Luke 23:34)

"Father, into your hands commend my Spirit" (Luke 23:46)

These words are echoed for our own journey through life as expressed in the words of the Hymn "Immortal Love" by J.G. Whittier :-

"Through him the first fond prayers are said our lips of childhood frame;

The last low whispers of our dead are burdened with his name"

Yet the Christian Hope is that death is not the end. Good Friday is followed by the Day of Resurrection – Easter Day. A day of joy and a pointer to the future for all of us. Because of the events of Easter, as the Creed used in the Communion Service at Ellison Boulters School puts it:-

"We believe in the promise of a new life now and when this one is over".

That is why Christians are often called "Easter People" trying to live the new life here and now and with optimism that the best is yet to come.

Yours in Christ, Robert Spaight

APRIL 2010 - CHURCH DIARY Thursday 1 Maundy Thursday 7.00pm Agape Service St. Edward Sudbrooke Friday 2 Good Friday 3 Half Hours by the Cross St. Hugh Langworth Sunday 4 Easter Day 9.00 Communion St.John Stainton St.Edward Sudbrooke 10.30 Communion 6.00 Communion St. Hugh Langworth Sunday 11 Easter 2 / Easter 1 (BCP) 9.00 **BCP** Communion St.Edward Sudbrooke 10.30 Family Service St.Edward Sudbrooke 6.00 Communion St.Hugh Langworth Tuesday 13 10.30 Barlings Prayer Hour The Old Vicarage 7.45 Family Service Planning Thursday 15 50 Scothern Lane Sunday 18 Easter 3 10.30 St. Edward Sudbrooke Communion **Evening Prayer** St.Hugh Langworth 6.00 Monday 19 7.30 36 Scothern Lane Home Group Tuesday 20 7.30 Stainton APCM Walk Farm Sunday 25 Easter 4 9.00 Communion St.Edward Barlings 10.30 Communion St.Edward Sudbrooke St.Hugh Langworth 6.00 Communion 7.30 Monday 26 Home Group 36 Scothern Lane Tuesday 27 10.30 Prayer Hour 2 Chestnut Close 7.30 Barlings APCM St. Hugh Langworth 7.30 Sudbrooke APCM St.Edward Sudbrooke Thursday 29

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PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES

NOTES OF THE MEETING OF SUDBROOKE PARISH COUNCIL HELD ON THURSDAY 4TH FEBRUARY 2010 IN THE VILLAGE HALL, SUDBROOKE

<u>PRESENT</u>: Councillor Miss R Dobbs (Chair Person), N James, B Bartram, I Russell, P Rignall, S Curtis, Mrs L Etheridge, M Dickie County Councillor Mrs S Rawlins, Mrs C Myers (Clerk), Mrs B Solly (Treasurer)

APOLOGIES: Helen Link, Wood Carving Group

139 PARISHIONERS ITEMS

Several potholes reported in the village, although it was noted that the County Council Highways Department are endeavouring to fill pot holes as quickly as possible following the severe weather.

Councillor Stuart Curtis reported that the notice board near to the Park Gates was in poor condition. It was agreed that this be removed.

It was noted that there was an increase in vandalism in the Village.

140 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Councillor Miss Rose Dobbs declared an interest in agenda items 8a and 9b.

141 COUNTY COUNCILLORS REPORT

CC Mrs Sue Rawlins explained that she had been unable to attend Sudbrooke's Parish Council meetings due to other commitments.

CC Mrs Rawlins gave an extensive report and explained the likely future cuts in the Highways Budget.

Lighting – Bus Shelter, Wragby Road – CC Mrs Rawlins stated that she was arranging a meeting with a representative from the Highways Department with a view to improving the lighting at the bus stop.

142 DISTRICT COUNCILLORS REPORT

District Councillor Stuart Curtis gave details about the Lincoln Villages Area Forum to be held on 16th March at Dunholme Village Hall commencing at 7.00pm.

DC Curtis reported that he had passed recent concerns about buildings at Harris Commercials on Sudbrooke Road to Scothern Parish Council as it was within Scothern Parish.

PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES Cont'd.....

143 NOTES OF MEETING HELD ON 7TH JANUARY 2010

These were signed as a correct record.

144 REPORTS ON MATTERS OUTSTANDING

- **a)** Parish Plan Advisory Group It was reported that a recent meeting had had to be cancelled but it was hoped that this would shortly be re-convened.
- b) Street nameplates Park Close This item was still being worked on.
- **c) Allotments update** Councillor S Curtis stated that he had nothing further to report on this as negotiations to have reached a stalemate. No further landowners were prepared to negotiate any land for use as allotments. The matter would be left in abeyance.
- **d) Wood carving** Helen Link had sent a report which stated that the group had recommenced carving following the Christmas break but it was expected that progress would be slow until the better weather.

145 HIGHWAY MATTERS

- **a) Speed limit, Scothern Lane** Confirmation had been received that the LCC's speed limit policy to Scothern Lane, Sudbrooke as far as the entrance to the playing field had now been applied.
- **b) Road Markings, St Edward's Drive** The Clerk was asked to check that the road markings would be carried out on St Edward's Drive when the weather improved.
- **c) Bus Shelter repairs** It was noted that some panels had been removed and the Clerk would enquire whether this was carried out by LCC.

146 NORTHFIELD PARK - SHRUB MAINTENANCE

Following discussion it was agreed that the northern hedge and all shrubs should be trimmed once a year in March. The Clerk was instructed to obtain a price from the grounds maintenance contractors.

A working party was organised to plant hedging plants in that area on 21^{st} February 2010.

147 PLANNING

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PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES Cont'd.....

- **a) Permission:** 18 Scothern Lane:- Demolish existing bungalow and erect new private house 125181
- **b) Application:-** The Old Coach House, Main Drive single storey annex to provide accommodation for dependant relative 125349 comments 'Sudbrooke Parish Council have viewed the plans and have no objections to the application subject to a condition that the annex remains ancillary to The Old Coach House, in order to prevent the annex being sold in the future as a separate residential dwelling'.

148 FINANCE

a)

- **b)** Income: Sudbrooke News Advertising revenue £294.98
- c) Bank balances as at 4.2.2010:-

Current Account - £500.00
Instant Account - £2,218.99
14 Day account - £4858.79
Sports field account - £2697.49
12 month Bond - £25,273.44
Northfield Park Account - £4114.58
Fox Covert account - £2131.24

149 SUDBROOKE NEWS

A request had been received by an individual that he be charged a reduced amount for advertising in return for producing a short article/recipe for the magazine. It was agreed that this be for a trial period until July 2010.

150 CHAIR PERSONS COMMENTS

Cllr Miss R Dobbs reported that a Fun Day/Sports event was scheduled to be held in conjunction with the Village Hall Committee on 12th September 2010.

It was also reported that new Model Standing Orders, compiled by NALC, would shortly be coming into effect for adoption by Parish Councils.

The subject of trees overhanging onto footways etc was raised and the Clerk was asked to write to those residents concerned requesting that they arrange to have them cut back.

PARISH COUNCIL MINUTES Cont'd.....

151 CORRESPONDENCE

- *Clerks and Councils Direct year book
- *LCC Speed Limit Policy
- *circulated to Councillors

152 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday 4th March 2010.

PARISH COUNCIL REPORT

Report of Parish Council meeting - 4th March 2010

Police report - Several incidents which had occurred in the village over the last month were reported on including:

- Assault by a resident at a property on Scothern Lane
- Burglary from the church
- A Portaloo had been set alight on Scothern Lane
- Mini scrambler bikes were causing problems in the area

Allotments – The discussions for land had now come to a halt and it was felt that the Parish Council could proceed no further.

Painting of Park Gates – Quotations had been received and these would be painted in the spring.

Proposed lighting of Millennium stone – It was agreed to obtain quotations for floodlighting the millennium stone with a view to the switch on being in conjunction with the lighting of the Christmas Tree on 5th December 2010.

<u>Date of next meeting - Thursday 1st April 2010 starting with the Annual Parish Meeting at 7.00pm. Local organisations are welcome to send a representative to the meeting to give a report of their years activities. The Parish Council meeting will follow at 7.45pm.</u>

It is with sadness that we learn of the death of Gordon Freestone.

Gordon worked as the Village Handyman for several years, carrying out general repairs in the village and doing weekly inspections on the play equipment to ensure it was always safe for the children. Sincere sympathy is sent to Gordon's family.

Chris Myers, Clerk to Sudbrooke Parish Council

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Spring Litter Pick Saturday April 17th 2010

Some of the open spaces in Sudbrooke are looking a sorry sight at the moment and in need of a tidy up.

If you and your family members can spare some time to help, please meet at the village hall from 9-30am to enjoy a hot drink or fruit juice and chat to other volunteers.

A short health and safety briefing will be held and equipment issued ready for a 10-00am start.

Children and adults of all ages are most welcome. The more volunteers we get, the quicker the job is done. Past litter picks have taken one hour or so but any time you can give would be helpful.

Litter will only be collected from open spaces and communal areas. Would all householders please clean up the area outside their own property as this makes such a difference to the appearance of the village.

West Lindsey District Council will be supporting the litter pick with a road sweeper, so with our combined efforts, the whole village should look spick and span for Spring and Summer.

We will provide all necessary equipment, but please bring along your own protective gloves if you wish.

Mike Halliday
Parish Plan Chairman

Bernard Bartram Parish Councillor



25th Lincoln (Scothern) Scout Group are collecting Tesco's and Sainsbury's Vouchers

It is that time of year when both Tesco and Sainsbury's help many organisations and schools by giving out vouchers to be exchanged for sporting goods, equipment and computers.

We have been collecting for a couple of years and have benefitted from both groups with the provision of basketballs, indoor hockey, orienteering set, tennis net, and basic camping equipment. This has been due to the marvellous collection of vouchers by our members, parents, family and others in the local villages. A big thank you to you all.

Once again could I ask that if you don't know who to give your vouchers too, please consider sending them to us, the 25th Lincoln (Scothern) Scout Group. Please collect them at the till and drop them in to me at 52 Scothern Lane, Sudbrooke, Lincoln, LN2 2QJ.

In the meantime you can see some of the things we get up to by visiting our new website at www.tinyurl.com/25thlincoln

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





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LETTERS

Dear Editor

A few months back one of your readers asked if anyone in the village knew the origins of the man made ponds in the woods. No one replied so I assume that like me, no one knew how or why they came to be there . By chance I have come across the answer in a pamphlet entitled "Footpath walks around Sudbrooke " dated February 1998 issued by Sudbrooke Parish Council Conservation Committee and Lincolnshire County Council. Supported by The Parish Paths Partnership and Countryside Commission Initiative .

This is a wonderful booklet which gives details of footpaths around the village and all the varied and wonderful things that can be seen whilst walking the paths . There are masses of things to look out for. From historical items to birds, wild animals ,trees and plants. It really is one of the most concise and fascinating booklets of it's size that I have ever had the pleasure to read. Just crammed full of facts about our village and stuff we didn't know about our village history. In view of the fact it was issued in 1998 some of the footpath details need to be updated. Is it possible that a re-issue could be made by The Parish Council and made available to the public?. So many of the residents of the village nowadays have never seen or heard of many of the facts included in itplease some Parish Councillor!!take up this very worthwhile cause .

The answer to the ponds question, by the way, is that they were created by extracting gravel which was then taken to form the runways at Scampton and Dunholme Airfields. Nowadays they serve a useful purpose as surface water drainage ponds for the village. They once were home to one of the largest colony of toads in Lincolnshire and many of us can remember the road signs that used to be in the village near the site of the village shop that warned of swarms of migrating toads crossing the road each spring Where have all the toads gone now ?

George Armstrong

Editor...Stuart Curtis (District and Parish Councillor) has a few copies of "Footpath walks around Sudbrooke" available. Please phone 751874. Stuart also informs me he will bring the subject of an updated version of the booklet to the attention of April's Parish Council meeting. Thanks Stuart.

Dear Editor

Thank you so much for my E mail copy of Sudbrooke News. I will look forward to receiving it each month from now on.

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What a great idea to keep in touch with the village. The nice thing is it costs nothing to anyone. You can have it sent all round the world if a villager has let you know the E mail address of relatives, like me, who have moved away from the village .

Of course you will never know where your E mail is flying off to unless the recipient E mails you back to tell you where they areI bet you probably have some as far away as the USA or Australia? If they let you know where they are in the world it will make interesting reading? I must say that I am impressed with the new $S/News \dots I$ love the graphics .

You are doing a great job and my little village seems to have come on a lot since I lived there over 20 years ago. Thanks again (Always a Yellow Belly !!)

Pete Rustington

Editor.....thanks Pete. If anybody wants an electronic copy of Sudbrooke News and I mean **anybody**, just drop me a line on SudbrookeNews@aol.com, or phone 01522 752911. Remember this service is free, no cost to you. Anyone want a copy sent beyond our shores....waiting for my first overseas addition to the list!

Dear Editor

Can I warn other folks in the village of the presence of a Heron in this area. It has already cleared several ponds in the gardens of Sibthorpe Drive, Holme Drive and Manor Drive. It can be seen in the very early hours, just after daybreak circling around looking for new meals. It cleared my pond of newts, frogs and fish in one morning. Whilst lovely to look at I wish it would stay away.

John Smith

Allotments

The Parish Council have made every effort to find land for the use of allotments but all discussions with local landowners have now come to a halt.

Unless an offer of land is forthcoming the provision of allotments cannot be made in Sudbrooke.

Mrs C Myers Clerk to the Parish Council

BACKWARDS GLANCE AT SUDBOOKE NEWS

Issue No 118 dated August 1987

Victorian post boxes in Church Lane ...West Drive by the Green ...and in Wragby Road by the Park Gates have now been saved and are protected by a new preservation order after successful submissions by The Parish Council.

Issue No Issue 117 dated July 1987

The Chess Club, which held meetings every Wednesday evenings at the Village Hall, held an Open Championship to celebrate two years since it's foundation. The winner was Mr Tim Dove. The report mentioned the large number of junior players and their great enthusiasm and skills. The Club founder and leader was Mr Bob Rawlings of Park Close. Nothing is heard about such a club these days. (How about restarting it someone?....Chess has no age limits.)

A date of April 1988 has now been fixed for the start of building the new Junior School at Scothern for children from Sudbrooke and the surrounding area. Until it opens children from this village will continue to attend the 150 year old school in Scothern founded with a grant by Mr Richard Ellison of Sudbrooke Holme. This generous grant has served both villages well but is now far too small for the ever increasing population of the two villages. Plans to erect the new school in the village of Sudbrooke have finally been rejected .

Issue No 109 dated November 1986

A successful theatre outing to London by Coach by 50 villagers to see the show OLIVER was organised by Mrs Ros Curbishley and left from the village at 2.30pm at a cost of £2.30.....(Never hear of anything similar these days ...How about it someone?)

The Luncheon Club held its' first meeting at the Village Hall. A Licence to sell alcohol has been granted to the village hall with joint licensees Claude Bramham and Bruce Doggett all set to provide refreshment to villagers. First to partake were members of the Indoor Bowls Club and the Casino Club. It is hoped that it will attract many others as soon as the word gets around. How about thatOur very own Local!!

The first Mothers and Toddlers Club was held and a proposal to form a Tennis Club was made providing enough members could be found....(It was all happening this month...what a pat on the back for all the hard work The Village Hall committee have put in to get it up and off the ground.)

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Nettleham Neighbourhood Policing Team

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I would like to take this opportunity to ask all residents of Sudbrooke to consider what 3 issues effect them on a day to day basis in and around the village, preferably of a Police nature. If you can think of 3 then I would suggest that they are real issues that probably effect your quality of life and that of others. If the same issue is reported by several persons then it maybe that the Police can assist or deal with the issue or, if not, pass it on to the appropriate agency to progress. If you would like to contact us with this information then please contact myself or Pcso Jackie Parker. This can be done via email to us at nettleham.npt@lincs.pnn.police.uk or by contacting us by phone, details below. All we require is a name, contact number and up to 3 issues from you.

We currently run 5 Police Surgeries within our Policing Area, we have ones at Cherry Willingham, Langworth, Nettleham, Riseholme and Bardney. We are hoping that we can now commence one for the village of Sudbrooke in the near future. We have arranged with the owners of the New Cherry Tree Bistro on the A158 to hold the surgeries there. The first one is planned for Tuesday 20th April and the second for Tuesday 18th May (3rd Tuesday of each month), between 11am and 1pm. We welcome any persons to attend, to discuss local issues, report minor incidents or offer advice. Depending on the success of the surgeries we hope to continue them at Sudbrooke every 3rd Tuesday of the month.

I would also like to let people know of Lincolnshire Polices' new non emergency single contact number, if you are reporting a non urgent crime or incident then the new number to call is **0300 111 0300**. You can still contact myself or Pc Jackie Parker on our personal issue mobiles however I can not stress enough, DO NOT ring us direct if your call is of an urgent nature and equally if it is a new report where a police attendance is required promptly. We would hate for you to ring our mobiles and for example, leave a message only to discover 2 weeks later that we had been on holiday, when you wished to report a burglary in progress.

Pc 277 Donnah Thompson

The Old Codger.....



I was wallowing in nostalgia the other evening watching films of old soccer stars of yesteryear which featured players such as Stanley Mathews, Tom Finney, Nat Lofthouse, Tommy Lawton, Leslie Compton, Frank Swift, Tommy Docherty, Billy Wright etc.

Players and Managers were loyal and usually stayed with the same club for many years. Johnny Haynes played for Fulham for 20 years. Every club played with 5 forwards, 3 half backs and two full backs. Everyone thought strikers were miners seeking better wages. Teams didn't rely on one or two players to get the goals. Any one of the 5 forwards could blast them in. They had titles such as centre forward, inside left, or right and right or left wingers. It took a team from Moscow Dynamo and a set of Hungarian Internationals and a man named Puscas to change all that. Most teams played with home grown local talent. The fans loved that and still would if clubs didn't sell off players as soon as they got anywhere near star quality.

What a contrast with today's game. With the modern kit and equipment in present day use such as plastic swerve inducing balls, lightweight slipper type boots, round goal posts, plastic bendy corner flagpoles and state of the art paramedic first aid, stuff more suited and quite capable of dealing with a major rail crash.

How would today's stars have coped with hard leather boots weighing about five pounds each, which came up to and over the ankle? The studs were round layers of leather the size of a tanner (Sixpence) with half a dozen nails securing them to the hard leather sole. The toe caps were large and made of thick leather and quite capable of matching any steel capped present day workman's safety boot. Corner posts were normally made of metal ...try punching them to celebrate a goal!!

On that subject, you never saw more than a pat on the back or head or perhaps a hand-clap if one of your team scored. It was after all, what was expected of him. Compare today's mass hysteria with teammates leaping all over each other and often ending with an untidy heap on the ground crushing the breath out of the goal scorer. If anything would put someone off scoring that would certainly make me think twice. With today's multi million pound players I would certainly put a stop to that if I were a manager. The dangers of injury to my team's players is obvious to me. How is it not obvious to these managers?

I remember being at a Sheffield Wednesday match at Hillsborough when that giant of a man and English International, Derek Dooley score a goal and in doing so skidded along the turf causing blood to flow. A week later he was admitted to hospital. The injury turned gangrenous and he lost a leg. How about that as a lesson to those over exuberant players who deliberately slide around in celebration? Dooley later had a long and successful career as Manager of Sheffield Wednesday, but his short lived career as one of the most successful centre forward goal scorers of his day, was abruptly ended.

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After all, these are the same players who at the faintest touch anywhere on their body collapse and spectacularly fall and roll about on the ground seeking a free kick or penalty. They would recover much sooner if the club physio arrived at the scene with a metal bucket and sponge with ice cold water with blood and spittle in it from treating a previous player and slapped him in the face with the sponge. Believe me, it used to work wonders with me !!.... Anything but that sponge !!

Shin pads were bigger in those days, and they needed to be! At schoolboy level we made do with folded newspaper or paper backed books. The balls were made of thick leather sections sewed together and had a heavy rubber inflated inner which was kept inside by heavy leather stitching. When wet they weighed several pounds and heading a ball after having been played on a wet muddy pitch was like being hit on the head with a coal hammer. If you were unlucky and caught the lace of the ball you could easily cut your eye open and look like Henry Cooper on a bad day.

It was a much more physical game in those days. The keeper did not claim the ball and then prance around with it in his hands unopposed as they do today. The rules in those days were that it was perfectly legal to shoulder charge each other off the ball and that included the keeper who would often be shoulder charged over the goal line and a goal awarded ...If he got the ball he got rid ...Quick!! No time wasting then!!

In jumping for a ball in the crowded penalty area it was not at all uncommon to receive a punch in the head which would have done credit to Bruce Woodcock or even worse a jolt in your marriage prospects which left you goggle eyed . The referees were a bit more short sighted in those days and incidents such as the famous later pictures of Vinnie Jones and Paul Gascoigne were commonplace. There were no camera shots then. Players did not exaggerate injuries like they do today. There was one famous incident just after the war when a goalkeeper, Bert Trautman, a former German Prisoner of War, who I think was playing in a Cup Final match, played half the game with a broken neck . Remember !!....there were no reserves allowed ...if a man went off injured you played with a man short .

If you ever see film shots of the crowds in those days you will notice almost everyone is wearing flat caps ...even the goalkeepers wore flat peaked caps. No fancy Yankee Nancy things with holes at the back then. Many of the fans held wooden rattles, often painted in team colours. These had been left over after the war when they were used as air raid warnings in the event of a gas attack ...many carried large hand bells, again a relic of the war. In addition the crowds were often double the size of even the largest of today's crowds and the noise of the crowd at even an average club game easily matched today's Hampden Roar. The size of the crowd was obviously related to the entry prices which were normally in the region of about a £1. Almost all standing . Club scarves were normally knitted by your Wives and Mums. None of your mass produced made abroad, motif filled, expensive rubbish then !! The team strips stayed the same for years. Not changed every second season to squeeze more cash from fans pockets. I still wear my fifty year old woollen club scarf .

Some things I would like to see change in today's game Firstly, instead of yellow cards for infringements, ,why can't the FA copy the Rugby game and have sin bin with penalties of 10 or 15 minutes time out for offending players. It works in Rugby...why not Soccer? I don't think managers would think kindly of a player who was absent for deliberately fouling. These days he probably secretly congratulates a yellow carded player. Secondly ,stop the time wasting bringing on of reserve players with less that ten minutes of normal playing time left. Just one more thing we could learn from Rugby. How about bringing us up to date and issuing referees with microphones so that foul mouthing of officials could be punished. I also live in hope that in time that stupid "Offside "rule will be abolished. Just how many times have you seen a game ruined by a dodgy "Offside" decision. Fans want to see goals ...the more the merrier!

But what do I know.?.. I'm only an Old Codger!! Got to stop waffling now... I'm off to Sincil Bank!!. Ever the optimist!!

Editor......well tell it how you see it Old Codger, why don't you !!is anybody going to write in and defend the modern game? If you don't agree with him......tell him !!

Budget News from West Lindsey District Council

West Lindsey District Council has set the level of Council Tax increase for the forthcoming year below half of one percent at the rate of 0.48%. This is likely to be the lowest level of Council Tax increase in the County and among the lowest increases in the Country.

The Council is further underlining its commitment to reducing its carbon footprint by making an investment of £200,000 in order to reduce the Council's carbon emissions by 25% by 2014.

Flooding is now one of the major environmental challenges and the District Council is to invest £165,000 in flood defence schemes in West Lindsey.

The new Market Rasen Swimming Pool has been given the go ahead, with full cross party support, which will serve the whole District.

Stuart Curtis District Councillor

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Hello, and once again, welcome to Garden News. The weather has been dry and bitterly cold, lets hope that by the time you read this, the weather will have improved. At the moment the sun is shining and it is much warmerhas Spring arrived?

In the vegetable garden, between the greenhouse and polytunnel, I have made four raised beds measuring 4ft by 8ft, with a walkway between each one. This enables me to do all the work from the paths. During the winter the beds were given a dressing of lime, once this had been washed in I applied farmyard manure and forked it in. All is now ready for planting .

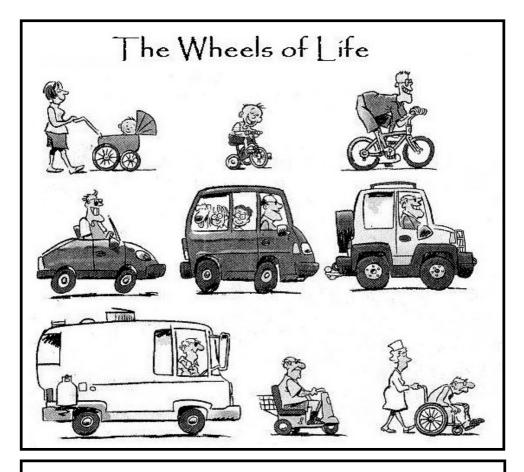
Earlier this year I told of planting onion sets in modular trays in the greenhouse, the onions were transferred to a cold frame once they were growing, to harden them off. Now the weather is improving the time seems ready to plant them out in one of the beds. This will be followed by the first sowing which will be of parsnips.

With the improved weather and having a good look at the garden, we can see how hard this winter has been, shrubs and plants are definitely much later coming to life. Winter jasmine which should have flowered in January is still not looking very lively. The area showing the greatest signs of life is the rockery. The renovation which took place last summer, has proved very worthwhile. The stars at the moment are the little irises, just 4" tall both the yellow Iris reticulata dannfordiae and the purple "Pixie" are blooming well, backed up by snowdrops (still

blooming) and crocus, this area promises well for the future . The reason why these plants are doing well is because they are Alpine plants, well suited to the weather conditions this winter.

Farewell for now, lets hope the sun keeps shining.





BEGINNER'S FAMILY HISTORY COURSE Nettleham Library

We are taking names to gauge levels of interest in another Beginners Family History Course as we are highly likely to be able to run a course in the Summer Term.

Family history is once again becoming a popular leisure activity. Nettleham Library is hoping to host the above course in Summer Term, delivered by a Community Engagement Officer, to enable beginners and those with a little knowledge to understand the basic sources for genealogical research.

Please register with staff at Nettleham Library.

If the course does go ahead, the tutor will contact you direct!

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Old Codger's Postbag



Dear Mr Carter

Recently "Sudbrooke News" for this month was picked up in Nettleham Library. Your interesting article on page 34 caught my eye and you see from the enclosed some further details have been added.

This information is in 49 Squadron's record of missions, published in 1997, BEWARE OF THE DOG AT WAR. A new edition has just come out. Should any of your local people be further curious about the Squadron, the Association Secretary is; ALAN PARR, 21 JULIAN CLOSE, GREAT WYKLEY, WEST MIDLANDS, WS6 6NP.

Rev Tony Buckler Hon. Chaplain, 49 Sqdn. Assn

Editor......I have reproduced the original letter below and added Reverend Buckler's notes to the letter overleaf...........

Old Codger

In answer to The Old Codger asking for information about wartime action over Sudbrooke, you may like to know that at dawn on Monday 10th February 1941 a Hampden Bomber (** 1 **) of 49 Squadron based at Scampton was seen to be chased and shot down by a German ME110 over Grange Farm Sudbrooke as it returned to base after a bombing raid over Hamburg. It crashed on the north side of Sudbrooke Lake near The Grange after hitting a tree and bursting into flames. It was witnessed by Mr and Mrs Charlesworth and their daughter Doris. The Hampden was on fire as it was coming down. Two crew members bailed out. One was the pilot. Both were treated by the Charlesworth family for bullet wounds and broken bones and lived. Two other crew members were found dead in the wreckage of the burnt out plane. A frequent, almost daily sight in the early hours was of planes returning from bombing raids. Many of them could clearly be seen with damage and there were many crashes in the surrounding area by RAF planes that couldn't make it home, but as far as I know this is the only time one actually crashed on our village.

B Carter

** 1 **This was HAMPDEN AD 719 returning from Hannover in the early morning of 11 February 1941. The two survivors were the Pilot, Sgt G M Bates and the other, Sgt Blower. Those found dead in the wreckage were : Sgts J Butterworth (A/OTS) and D A Cawdwell (W/AG).



Ps.....Bomber Command despatched 222 A/C to industrial Hannover. 49 Squadron had 12 A/C airborne and 2 were shot down. The pilot of the ME110 Intruder was Lt. Leopold Fellerer of 11/NJGZ and this incident is designated in 49 Squadrons' history as crashed.



WELTON & DISTRICT ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

Summer is hopefully nearly upon us, and plans are in hand for the Legion to be at as many local events as we can during the year.

If you are going to the Dunholme Lodge Open Day on Sunday afternoon, 11th April, look out for the Royal British Legion marquee and please do drop in. There will be displays and information about the wide range of services and help available to service and ex-service people and their dependants, and you are sure to find out something new about the Legion's work. We look forward to seeing you.

Our next branch meeting will be at The Falconer, Hackthorn Road, Welton, at 7.00pm on Thursday, 8th April. New faces are always welcome, and you don't need to have a service background to take part.

If you would like to consider joining the Legion, or need any help or information, please contact the Chairman, Tony Davis, on 01673-860363, the Secretary, Rex Gregson, on 01673-861197.

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Summer is nearly here, so if you're stumped for something to do or have been bowled over by the sport of cricket, then why don't you come down to Scothern Cricket Club in 2010?

Formed in 1965 with just one weekend senior playing XI, we now boast two weekend senior teams, two midweek XIs and five junior teams. The Saturday XI compete in Division 1 of the Lincolnshire League while our Sunday team are challenging for honours in the Lincoln Sunday Premier – a competition we have won no less than seven times.

The junior section of our club formed in 2004 and has flourished ever since. Having started out with 12 initial members we are now up to 75, with our numbers growing and growing every year. We field junior teams from ages nine to 15 but you don't have to wait until then to get involved, with our soft ball sessions open to those as young as four.

Our junior section boasts some of the most qualified and respected coaches in the county. Our dedicated team is led superbly by Colin Holman, who is an ECB Level 3-qualified coach.

As well as putting their time into the club, our coaches also provide over 200 hours of coaching in seven local primary schools – Ingham, Poly Platt, Scampton, Hackthorn, Welton St Mary's, Dunholme St Chads and Ellison Boulters. We are particularly focused on increasing the level of cricket participation for girls.

A Focus Club with Clubmark Accreditation who finished runner-up in the Lincolnshire sports club of the year in 2009, Scothern is a growing club that is always looking for players of all ages.

Perhaps you are a junior hoping to become the next Freddie Flintoff or Charlotte Edwards, or maybe you are just keen to play locally. Whatever your situation, Scothern welcomes new faces both young and old ahead of the new season.

So if you fancy joining us, or simply want some further information, contact Colin Holman on 01673 866285 or drop him an e-mail at colingholman@tiscali.co.uk.

Chairman: Frank Curtis, Sandswood, West Drive Sudbrooke. 01522 595074 Secretary: Colin Holman, 11 Cade Close, Scothern, LN2 2WJ. 01673 866285 scotherncc@tiscali.co.uk

Treasurer: Steve Bett, 5 The Oaks, Scothern.

Whist you're out walking, remember me
I'm following behind you, look and see!
I walk my doggie every day
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But you, you leave it on the ground
Without a care who comes around
It travels to most unlikely places
On shoes, sandals, even laces
And look, there's a bin in every nook
In which to put your doggies muck!

So please, oh please, I beg of you, Please - pick up your doggies pooh!

Lines composed on a walk on a windy day

By James aged 6

(With a little help)

Langworth and District W I

Are having a

SPRING FASHION SHOW

by Pause 1 of North Hykeham in Langworth Memorial Hall Wednesday, 28th April. 7.30pm Raffle, Refreshments Free entry

Marie Curie Cancer Care Table Top Sale Saturday 5 June 2010 Welton Village Hall 1pm to 3pm

Our next fund raising Table Top Sale will take place on Saturday 5th. June 2010 from 1pm until 3pm. Anyone interested in having a table, at a cost of £5, please contact me as below.

The Table Top Sale held on 6^{th} . March was another success story. We were able to bank £330.50 and offer thanks to the generous customers who supported the event.

Ernie Dunsford 01673 862960

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SUDBROOKE GARDENING CLUB



March meeting

John Moss gave a most entertaining talk loosely based around the plant growing cycle interspersed with demonstrations of old tools and other horticultural equipment. John is a very knowledgeable 'traditional' horticulturalist and provided practical advise on a wide range of questions from attendees.

Next meeting Monday 26th April The Spring Show at Sudbrooke Village Hall.

The long spell of cold weather has persuaded members to defer the Spring Show by 2 weeks. Would readers please note the new date.

- This year's show is open to all residents of Sudbrooke and to encourage participation includes cookery and handicraft sections together with a junior section (aged 14 years or under) plus a catchall miscellany section.
- The different classes of entries are shown on the next page.
- Staging of exhibits is from 6-30pm to 7-15pm.
- Judging will commence at 7-15pm prompt.
- Viewing of exhibits from 8-00pm.
- Entries will be taken on the evening of the show and advice given to exhibitors regarding class of entry.
- All entries are free of charge. Certificates will be awarded for 1st 2nd and 3rd places from approx. 8-00pm.
- If you have a plant or piece of work you are proud of and wish to show to others, do please bring it along and enjoy yourself as an exhibitor. Otherwise do please come along and see what other people are showing. There are no admission charges.

Bar open.

Mike Halliday (Secretary) Tel 754686.

Spring Show

To be held in the village hall on Easter Monday 26 April 2010

Class	1	One Trumpet Daffodil
	2	Three Trumpet Daffodils
	3	One Large Cup Narcissus
	4	Three Large Cup Narcissus
	5	One Small Cup Narcissus
	6	Three Small Cup Narcissus
	7	One Miniature Variety Daffodil or Narcissus
	8	Three Miniature Variety Daffodils or Narcissus
	9	One Tulip, large variety- any colour
	10	Three Tulips, large variety-any colour
	11	One Small Botanical Tulip
	12	Three Small Botanical Tulips
	13	One Small Spray of flowering shrub (not to exceed 24 inches)
	14	Three Stems of Polyanthus
	15	Three Pansies or Violas
	16	Three Sprays of Erica
	17	Vase of Daffodils for quality of flowers
	18	One Multiheaded Daffodil – any variety
	19	One Double Daffodil – any variety
Floral Art	20	"Spring is in the Air" maximum 18 inches
	21	Easter Corsage
	22	Open Class- Vase of mixed daffodils for quality and
		presentation of flower
Cookery	23	Fruit Pie
	24	Savoury Flan
	25	Four Fruit Scones
	26	Four Jam Tarts
	27	Two Hot Cross Buns
Handicrafts	28	Handicraft – any medium
	29	Photography - "Spring in the garden"
Juniors	30	Entries for any of the above classes resulting from your own efforts
Miscellany	31	Any Plant for exhibition not included in other Classes
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SUDBROOKE PARISH PLAN



Group members met on 9th March and covered the following matters:

Footpath/cycleway in Sudbrooke Lane.

Alan Brown(Lincs County Council Highways Manager) had reported that following site meetings between his staff and Sustrans (the main funding body), the requirement was no longer achievable. The main issue was that the Sustrans require the footpath/cycleway to have a minimum width of 2.5 metres whereas the County Council

say that only 1.5 metres is achievable. There are also other subsidiary issues around a proper starting point for the footpath/cycleway.

Alan Brown has said the requirement will remain on the County Council's list of required schemes but thought it unlikely to be funded in the foreseeable future.

Improved access to Sudbrooke Park.

The Chairman said each of the 4 landowners had responded to his request for walking access across their land. All had refused access.

The Group agreed to consider other options.

Sports Day.

Sunday 12th September in the afternoon was the chosen date. To attract more participants a joint venture with the Village Hall Committee and The Pre-School was agreed.

The Chairman said he would seek sponsorship and that it was essential to secure public liability insurance cover for the sports day element.

Litter pick.

In consultation with the Parish Council, it was agreed to run the litter pick on Saturday 17th April. Volunteers to meet at the village hall from 9-30am for a 10-00am start.

Actions from the action plan.

Agreed to review at next meeting.

Date of next meeting.

6th July, 7-30pm in the village hall.

Mike Halliday Chairman, Parish Plan Group. Tel 754686.

SUDBROOKE PRE SCHOOL GROUP



The Management Committee and Staff at Sudbrooke Pre-school Group are always looking for ways to improve our service and meet your needs. Your feedback is encouraging and we appreciate your comments. We have reviewed the way in which we operate our Monday sessions and we propose a change to our service that will hopefully benefit you, our service users. We acknowledge our lives are constantly

challenged with appointments and work commitments that infringe on home life and seeking child-care can pose a problem. We are also aware that although many of our service users are 'local', the hour break between sessions on a Monday can be quite straining on time and disruptive to children's eating habits. Our aim is to improve our flexibility to you where possible.

The changes proposed are as follows:

- Children who attend the morning **and/or** afternoon sessions are invited to stay for the hour lunch break (11.30am- 12.30pm). This will be supervised by Staff and encourage children to eat with their peers a similar situation they will experience when attending School.
- Children will be required to bring a packed lunch and there will be a small charge of £3.00 for the supervised lunch stay.
- The changes will commence upon return from the Easter break.

If this appeals to you and your child does not currently attend Sudbrooke Pre-school Group, please feel free to contact me for more information:

Hayley Campling Chairperson 01522 752332

Alternatively, to enrol your child at Sudbrooke Pre-school Group, please call for a registration pack:

Karen Grace Registration Secretary 01522 753225



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COUNTRY WALKS



March walk.

Bright sunny intervals rewarded the walkers who turned out for the walk in Bardney Limewoods and the surrounding countryside.

The ruins of Tupholme Abbey were of particular interest emphasising the importance of Bardney in bygone times.

Next walk is Saturday 3rd April.

Donington on Bain is the venue for the next walk

that will be led by Paul and Gill Rignall. A car journey of approx 30 minutes is envisaged. The walk is about 6 miles on mixed terrain.

Walkers should meet at the village hall at 9-30am prepared for car sharing. Walkers are advised to wear suitable footwear, take a waterproof coat, a small snack and a drink.

If you wish to walk and need a lift, do please turn up. Everyone is welcome to join in this free and healthy activity.

Future walk Saturday 1st May.

Walkers should meet at the village hall at 9-30am prepared for car sharing. The venue is to be arranged but will be within a short drive of Sudbrooke.

Mike Halliday Chairman Parish Plan Group Tel 754686

SUDBROOKE VILLAGE HALL MC

A meeting of the Village Hall Management Committee took place on the 2 March.

The possibility of organising a Fun Day on the same day as the Sports Day was discussed and it was agreed that this should be run jointly with the Pre-school. April Garside of the Pre-School group attended the meeting and it was agreed to co-opt her to the Management Committee as Fund Raising Co-ordinator.

It had been noted that the chairs needed replacement in the Lounge and a possible refurbishment of the kitchen should be considered; there being a possibility of a grant being available from a national organisation.

The bookings for the hall continue to flourish and in addition to other activities taking place during the week, a dance class has now been established as a regular booking on Mondays from 4 pm to 6 pm.

A quotation for the redecorating of the toilets was agreed and the work will be carried out during the Easter holiday.

A stock take had recently taken place and new cutlery to top up the current stock will be obtained to ensure the hall is fully equipped.

The Annual General Meeting will take place on the 30 March at 7.00 pm.

Rose Dobbs Chairman of the Village Hall Management Committee

SUDBROOKE LADIES CLUB



We were fortunate to have Nigel Periam, Recycling Advisory Officer for West Lindsey District Council, to speak at our March meeting. He spoke about waste prevention, re-use, energy recovery and disposal. He showed a short film about the recycling centre at Tilbury where our recycled waste goes. The capability of the sorting machines was fascinating. Leaflets and recycling information were available.

Forthcoming Events:

Thursday 15th April: Crystal Therapy-Margaret Archibald.

Thursday 20th May: BBC Radio Lincolnshire-Rod Whiting.

We collect used stamps for St Barnabas Hospice and money raised by the book stall and small coin collection will be donated to a local charity when it reaches £200.

We meet on the third Thursday of the month at 7.30 pm in Sudbrooke Village Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend our meetings and guests are asked to contribute £2. Further information:

Gill Rignall. 01522 595736

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NETTLEHAM & CHERRY WILLINGHAM SURGERIES

The building work at Nettleham should be finished by the time you read this, and the waiting room and the two new consulting rooms are looking fantastic. A display screen has been installed in the waiting room which will be used to display patient information.

Staff. The practice would like to welcome back Dr Catherine McParland following her maternity leave and also would like to say a big thank you to Dr Lizzie Coligan who has been at the practice covering Dr McParland. Dr Twomey, who has been at the practice for the last year, is also leaving us at the end of March so we would like to say a big thank you to him too.

Chris Christopher our Nurse Practitioner left the practice in January to work in the walk in centre in Lincoln. We would like to say thank you to Chris for all her hard work over the past 20 years with the practice and wish her the very best in her new role.

Baby Clinics at Cherry Willingham - Change of Location -

As from 7th April 2010 the baby clinic at Cherry Willingham will be held at the Children's Centre, which is adjacent to the Cherry Willingham Primary School, at the same times as before (Wednesday from 2pm – 4pm). If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the health visiting team on (01522) 751054.

Helen Lunn Practice Manager

Update from Voluntary Drivers Scheme by Mr Alan Price - Co-ordinator

9th March 2010 saw the 1st birthday of the Voluntary Driver's Scheme and judging by feedback it seems to have been a very successful year with many people making use of the facilities offered to have transport to Surgery appointments at a low no-profit fee that covers the volunteers' expenses.

In the last village news article, it was mentioned that we are still open to offers from drivers who have time to spare. We are looking for two drivers to cover the work generated from the Fiskerton area. Patients in Cherry Willingham already have two drivers and some others from further away who can cover if the need arises. Volunteers will need a four door vehicle and also should be aware that an enhanced CRB check has to be carried out. There is no fixed lower age limit but we would prefer drivers who are at least 25 years old and also have a minimum 3 years driving experience. Drivers of both sexes will be welcome.

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WELTON FAMILY HEALTH CENTRE

As previously reported, Dr Barton is stepping down from full time to part time with effect from 1st April 2010 and at the same time we look forward to welcoming Dr Elizabeth Nellist (formerly Coligan) to our team.

At the time of writing our new training suite is almost complete and we look forward to offering our services to qualified doctors who wish to consider a career in general practice later in the year, subject to a successful assessment sometime in May. Our thanks to everyone involved in this project and particularly to our neighbours for any inconvenience caused during the building work.

Recently staff have experienced some recent unpleasantness from patients on occasions when refusing to disclose information about relatives or partners. Patients should be aware that we act within strict rules relating to confidentiality of data and will not disclose any information without either specific appropriate patient consent or, in certain circumstances, when we are legally obliged to do so. We appreciate that this may cause difficulties in some instances, especially when information may seem relatively trivial, but we insist that staff are respected when they enforce these rules.

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We have had other instances of verbal abuse of staff when patients cannot get an appointment of their choosing and again, whilst we appreciate that we cannot satisfy the needs of everyone, we will not tolerate disrespect towards members of staff who are only following procedure. If a complaint is necessary, please ask to speak to the manager and not vent frustration on the reception staff.

Another reminder to please allow at least forty eight hours for processing repeat prescription requests, however requested. Also, at the time of writing, there are some problems with patients trying to collect prescriptions from Boots too early.

Our extra chiropody, dietician and weight management services, which we have enjoyed for the last twelve months, are about to terminate as the funding for these has now been withdrawn. Our thanks go to Mel Deacon, Hannah Stead, Carol Brown and Debbie Mapplethorpe for supplying these clinics which have been greatly appreciated by many patients during this time.

Sallie Stead

WELTON & DISTRICT PATIENTS ASSOC.

The PDA Spring Lunch. This will be held on Friday 30th April at Welton Village Hall with doors opening at 11.45am and lunch served at 12.15pm. The menu will comprise fruit juice followed by Roast Pork, apple sauce, stuffing, roast potatoes and seasonal vegetables. The desert will be a choice of trifle or fruit crumble followed by tea or coffee. Tickets priced at £4.50 are on sale now and can be obtained from Welton Health Centre Dispensary, Dunholme Spa shop, Olive Sharland or Roy Minnitt (tel 860980) there will also be a cake stall and raffle and donations to either will be gratefully received on the day.

The Autumn Fayre is planned for Saturday 9th October2010. There will be the usual Raffle, Tombola stalls, cake stall and book sale plus other stalls and games – plenty of interest for everyone! Refreshments will be on sale in the Monce Room and Bric a Brac in the Welton Room. More details in future magazines. If anyone is interested in hiring a table (£5 charge) to raise funds for their own charity (or for themselves) please contact either Roy Minnitt (tel 860980) or Janet Goddard (tel 862570) to register your interest.

Finally if anyone is interested in **buying the telescope** which was advertised in the February magazine- please note that the correct telephone number is 01673 862570 and I am open to offers. The money raised is for PDA transport funds.

Janet Goddard

DUNHOLME CAMERA CLUB

We start nice and early with our first meeting this month on the 1st April when we will have our second club competition of the year "Shadows and Reflections" another competition where the members get valuable points towards the clubs "Photographer of the Year"

Our second meeting will be on the 15th April when some of the members of the club who "try" to make a bob or two from their images will explain to the rest of the club how they produce their images and market them. After the production of the images and marketing and commission cost we hope that there is something left to finance our hobby.

We see our final meeting of April on the 29th when we will have a Portrait/Still photography night so the members will need to bring along their cameras and still life objects to photograph on the night. If there are any readers out there who would like to pose for us on this evening please do drop me a line to discuss further what happens, possibly a couple or three students from the upper part of William Farr might like some portfolio images of themselves?

Grahame Dunkin 01673 860469 dunholme.camera.club@homecall.co.uk



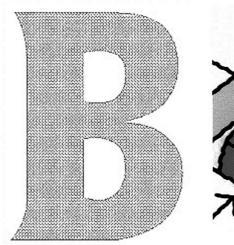
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All Thursdays, 7.30pm in the Village Hall.