

Sheriff Hutton Village News



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Items for the January 2009 Village News

To help us produce and deliver the January edition of Village News over the Christmas and New Year period please let us have your items for publication no later than **Monday, December 15th**. Thank you.

Parish Council News

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The Parish Council Meeting on 14th November was attended by Cllrs D Weston (Chairman), D Wooles (Vice Chairman), Mrs J Calvert, B Parkinson, Mrs P Bean and I Read. Clerk Mr B C Taylor (878060). Apologies received from Cllr N Anfield (878738). Three Youth Leaders: Mark Jackson, Tim and Melanie Hunt were present.

Young People Participation: The Council has agreed that it is necessary to make an effort to integrate the young into Village Life, so that they can liaise with the Council and put forward proposals for projects which could involve themselves. It is understood that there are 25 members of the Youth Club but approx 150 young people in the Village travel to school by bus every day. The Youth Leaders were asked their opinions on how integration could best be achieved. They stated that the children and parents were willing to assist in the raising of funds for projects, the main problem being to identify a group who can work together. Council agreed that all the parties involved should draw up an agenda to lay out future plans.

It was suggested that one of the ways forward may be to identify Youth Councils in the area who could provide a knowledge of the way to start. The area representative of YLCA may be able to provide a contact. The Clerk will make the necessary enquiries.

The Youth Leaders also said that they understood a bus was going around certain areas giving advice to the young on Clubs etc. It is in fact a mobile Youth Club. The Clerk will make enquiries regarding the areas covered.

Daffodils – Further Planting: During the weekend of 2nd November Councillors and Villagers planted 50 daffodils near the hedge at the Village Roundabout. This project will continue throughout the year at planting times.

Christmas Tree in the Square – Switching on the Lights: It was agreed that the Lights will be switched on from 6th December 2008 to 3rd January 2009. The lights will be put up on 30th November 2008. They will be on from 3.30pm to midnight each day other than Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve, when they will be switched off at 1am. New lights will be purchased by the Council.

Bus Shelter: The bus shelter at the Village Green has been painted with anti burglar paint on the roof to prevent the possibility of accidents caused by persons attempting to climb on to it. The wooden fascia has been tidied up and repainted.

Village Repairs: The two seats in Main Street are to be re-painted and the Village Sign on the Stittenham road is to be replaced by the handyman. Ryedale DC has already supplied the replacement sign.

Streetlights: In view of the threatened increase in electricity costs over the next 12 months it was agreed that the use of low energy bulbs in Streetlights would be investigated.

Village of the Year Competition: The Village won in the two categories 'Communication' and 'Business', each category carrying a prize of £100. It was agreed that one cheque should be handed to the Village News and the other to the Village Hall towards their expenses. The next Village Hall Trustees Meeting takes place on 18th November 2008. They will be asked to install the winners certifications in the Doctor's Room.

Planting of Flowers: A letter has been received from a Resident who would like to plant bulbs in front of all Village Signs. It was agreed that this is an excellent idea provided each sign remains visible.

Planning Applications:

08/00983/FUL: Mr & Mrs Jeffrey: Erection of part two-storey/part single-storey extension to include dormer window and single-storey extension to form an orangery at Holly Tree Cottage, Main Street, Sheriff Hutton YO60 6SS. Councillors agreed to support this application

08/00948/FUL: Mr I Downing: Erection of single storey extensions to side and conservatory to rear at 12 Laurels Garth, Sheriff Hutton, YO60 6SE. Councillors agreed to support this application.

08/00831/FUL: Image Playground (Mr J Musker): Erection of extension to existing industrial unit at 4-6 Alan Farnaby Way, Sheriff Hutton YO60 6PG. Councillors agreed to support this application.

08/00836/FUL: Mr N Marwood: Erection of two storey extension to north elevation at Glebe Farm, Coble Lane, Sheriff Hutton, YO60 6SU. Application approved by Ryedale DC subject to conditions.

08/00836/LBC: Dismantling and rebuilding of tomb at Tomb of the Atlay Family, Church of St Helen and the Holy Cross, Sheriff Hutton. Consent granted by Ryedale DC subject to conditions.

The next Parish Council Meeting will take place on Friday 12th December at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

Friends of the Village Hall

Listen to the Pictures

This proved to be a very entertaining and enjoyable evening presented by Alan Green. We marvelled at his photographic, musical and digital skills. A big thank you to everyone who supported this event and to Jim Day in particular for arranging it. £225 was raised for Village Hall funds.

“300 years of a Yorkshire Wolds farming family”

By the time you receive this news Robin's talk should just have taken place on November 28th at 7.30pm. We are grateful to him for giving up his time yet again to entertain us.

Christmas Coffee Morning

Saturday December 13th 10.00am – 12 noon in the Village Hall. Admission £1 to include coffee and a mince pie. Raffle, Tombola and Bring and Buy stall. Donations of prizes, bring and buy items and any mince pies will be very gratefully received!

Do come along for and enjoy a warm welcome and cheerful company.

An Ideal Christmas Present/ Stocking Filler:

Copies of the Village Recipe Book – 52 recipes in an easy to use format - are still available from Jill Johnson 878545 or Mandy Smith 878344.

The next meeting of The Friends is on Tuesday January 13th 2009 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. We shall be discussing the forthcoming year's events and forming 2 working parties to work on Auction in May (with Playgroup) and a celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the opening of the Village Hall in June. If you are interested in helping to plan either of these events do come along to the meeting or get in touch with Margaret Fisher Tel: 878314

New Friends are always welcome!

St. Helen & the Holy Cross Sheriff Hutton with St. Leonard Farlington

The Forest of Galtres Benefice of St. Leonard, Farlington: St Mary, Marton: St. Helen & The Holy Cross, Sheriff Hutton: St. Nicholas, Stillington; All Hallows, Sutton-on-the-Forest

SERVICES IN DECEMBER

Sheriff Hutton	7 th	9.30am	Holy Communion [Trad]	6pm	Celtic Evening Worship at Marton
	14 th	11.00am	Joint Family Praise		
	18 th			7.00pm	School Carol Service
	21 st	9.30am	Holy Communion CW-O1	6.30pm	Joint Carol Service at Methodist Church
	24 th	3pm	Christingle at Parish Church	11.30pm	Midnight Eucharist
	25 th	9.30am	Family Christmas Celebration		
	28 th	10am	Benefice Eucharist at Marton		
Farlington	9 th	11.15am	Holy Communion		
	19 th			6.30pm	Carol service
	25 th	11.15am	Holy Communion		
Marton	7 th			6pm	Celtic Evening Worship
	22 nd			7pm	Celtic Carol Service
	28 th	10am	Benefice Eucharist		
Stillington	7 th	10.30am	Village Praise in Parish Church		
	14 th	9.30am	Holy Communion		
	21 st			4pm	Family Christingle
	24 th			11.30pm	Midnight Eucharist
	28 th	10am	Benefice Eucharist at Marton	7pm	Evening Carol Service
Sutton	7 th	8.00am	Holy Communion		
		10.45am	Morning Worship		
	14 th	10.45am	Holy Communion		
	21 st	8.00am	Holy Communion	6pm	Carols
		10.45am	Family Praise/Carols		
	24 th			11.30pm	Midnight Eucharist
	25 th	10.45am	Family Christmas Celebration		

EVENTS

2nd December PCC – 7.30pm 10 Warwick Close

9th December Benefice Christmas Party at Westfield Farm – 7.00pm, bring and share

Benefice Christmas Party



Tuesday December 9th from 7pm
Westfield Farm, Sheriff Hutton
Please bring nibbles to share

Message from The Jumbles

The Jumbles would all like to wish you a very Happy Christmas. We hope you have a wonderful festive season.

Another year almost over and certainly one to remember as the one in which we celebrated our first £2,000 sale and set a new record for our Coffee Morning, both in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. The result of the November Jumble Sale will be published in the January News, together with our year end total.

Many, many thanks to all of you for supporting our fund raising throughout the year. We could not do so well without your help.

Our next Jumble Sale will be on Saturday 17th January in aid of the Guide Dogs for the Blind and advance notice of the Book Sale which will be on Sunday 8th March in aid of the Cricket Club.

Penny Bean (878392)

Friends of Sheriff Hutton New Village Hall –200 Club

228 members took part in the November draw, prize-winning numbers were £150 - 92, £100 - 70, £50 - 153, 86, and 170, £25 - 226, 105, 188 and 135, £55 - 25, 22, 110 and 15.

The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

Sincere thanks to everyone who supported the Poppy Appeal. The total raised from the sale of Poppies is £987.54 and the church collection was £170, totalling £1157.54. a wonderful total, especially in the present economic climate.

I would like to commend the house to house sellers, Joan Armitage, Laura and John Oakley, Bonnie Lawson, Ruby Groves, Jen Whitworth, Anne Jeffrey, Janet Towse, Kate Unsworth for their commitment and hard work. Thanks also to The Post Office, The Highwayman and Castle Meats for having Poppy Boxes at the establishments.

When I took over as Organiser Joan Armitage was one of my first sellers we have just completed our 25 year, congratulations to her and to Laura Oakley who has just completed 16 years.

Penny Bean – Hon Poppy Appeal Organiser

Christmas Tree

Come along to The Square at 4pm on Saturday 6th December 2008 to join in the festivities when the Christmas Tree Lights are turned on. Looking forward to seeing you all there.

Sheriff Hutton Primary School PTFA (Parents, Teachers & Friends Association)
presents

A Christmas Fayre

Saturday 13th December
Village Hall
4 – 7pm

Bar, hot food, cakes, craft stalls, gifts, children's games, pampering boutiques, local produce and much more....

To get you in the festive mood PTFA are having a Christmas Fair at the Village hall. We hope you will join us for hot food and drinks including mulled wine and the chance to do some Christmas shopping. There will be stalls selling local produce and crafts and lots of fun and games for the children.

Please come along and support your village school and grab yourself some bargains!

THE METHODIST CHURCH

Minister Graham Peaden, Telephone 01904 491950

We do hope at the Methodist Church that you will find peace and love this Christmas time with whoever you may share it. There are so many attractions and demands on our time but if at anytime you would like to share in our Christian worship or fellowship then we will be delighted to see you. These are the events which will take place in December.

We wish her well in her retirement, but as she will continue to preach and live in Huntington it is really 'Au revoir' rather than Farewell. Thank you Ann for all you have done for our fellowship both in the church and the village. God Bless.

7th	10.30am	Rev Tom Turner	6.30pm	Rev Graham Peaden (HC)
14th	11.00am	Family Praise Service (at Parish Church)	6.30pm	Mrs Liz Johnstone
21st	10.30am	Rev Graham Peaden (HC)	6.30pm	Village Carol Service
28th	10.30am	Mr Graham Haslam	6.30pm	NO SERVICE

HC = Holy Communion

Mondays	7.30pm	Guild – see separate notice for details
Tuesday	10.00	Chatterbox for pre-school children and carers (2nd and 9th)
Wednesday	8.00am	Morning Prayers
	10–11.30am	Drop in for Coffee
	6.15pm	Singing Group (3rd and 7th)

Guild Programme

(Mondays at 7.30pm in Miss Ward Room)

- December 1st Barry Bishop from YORK RSPB will bring us up to date to matters concerning our bird life and no doubt will have pictures to illustrate.
- December 8th The Guild is celebrating 50 years since its reformation and the committee is arranging a special evening for members.
- December 15th For a number of years we have visited the Hawthorns Care Home in Norton and sung carols which has always been very much appreciated by residents and staff. Now the home is being disbanded and so we are having our own Carol Sing on this night in the Miss Ward Room. You will be most welcome to come and join in the carol singing which will be led by the Methodist Church Singing Group.

Come and Sing for Christmas!

There will not be a meeting after this in December but the Guild will restart in the New Year on January 5th with the Rev Graham Peaden the speaker.

Christmas Shoe Boxes

A very big thank you to everyone who gave to the appeal. Lots of people were involved and it was a really joyful event. One lady remarked how much pleasure she got from sharing in this Christmas occasion as her Christmas times are always so quiet. All of the giving and work resulted in 127 boxes being wrapped and filled and £325 being sent to cover the cost of postage. A wonderful effort.

Some people are saying their houses are returning to normal now all the boxes and gifts have gone. But don't forget if you see that bargain in the sales which might just go in a shoe box, we shall do it again next year.

Carol Singing around the Village

Raising money for ArcLight, CareCent and Action for Children. Provisional Date and Time: Friday 19th December 5 - 6pm. (Weather permitting - please see the poster outside School House or phone the Hunts for an update). Words provided, just bring warm clothes and torches ... Everyone welcome!

Christmas Cards

If you wish to have your *local *Christmas Cards delivered for you (Sheriff Hutton, Lilling and Flaxton only please!) there will be a postbox in each church until Family Praise on *Sunday December 14th (Parish Church)* and Drop in for Coffee on *Wednesday December 17th (Methodist Church)*.

Cards will be sorted and delivered by local families in the week leading up to Christmas. Any financial contributions towards this 'posting' will be shared between CareCent and Arc Light - 2 York-based groups working with homeless and vulnerable people - and Action for Children (previously called National Children's Home).

Playgroup

We are now collecting good quality outgrown/unwanted toys and games, bikes, DVDs and videos – anything which is cluttering your house, garden or garage and needs a new home!

If you're having a pre-Christmas clearout, we will happily find new homes for your toys!

We can also find somewhere to store it between now and then - just ring Caroline

Playgroup's

TOY FAIR

Saturday 6th December

2-4pm in the Village Hall

Good quality second-hand toys, games,

DVDs and videos

Second-hand uniform

Father Christmas

Cakes and refreshments

***FOLLOWED BY THE SWITCHING ON OF THE
CHRISTMAS LIGHTS!***

United Christian Churches Committee

NEW YEAR PARTY – Saturday 10th January 2009

Party invitations will be delivered after Christmas. We do hope you will be able to join us! If you have not received your invitation by 2nd January, please contact Cheryl Smith on 879128. Please do let us know if you are eligible to attend and do not receive an invitation.

After a warm welcome and a glass of sherry (or orange juice) guests are served a delicious tea followed by entertainment. There is a vegetable quiche available for vegetarians and fruit salad for diabetics.

Any offers of help? Do come and join us in what is one of the greatest village events to start 2009.

If you would like to help in the kitchen on the day, please call Caroline Hunt or Sally Cliff. It only takes 2-3 hours and is a very satisfying and appreciated gesture.

Offers of transport are also needed to help with ferrying guests to and from the party, and to deliver teas out to those unable to attend because of illness. Even one trip can make a big difference. Please call Andrew Hawkswell.

Gifts of cakes and pastries for the party are always very much appreciated and can be left at the Hall between 10am and 12 noon, after 2pm or with a committee member.

Farlington Carols by Candlelight

Friday December 19th, 6.30pm

Farlington Church welcomes everyone – young and old – to its traditional Christmas service of lessons and carols by candlelight. The evening ends with mulled wine and mice pies as well as soft drinks and Christmas biscuits for the children.

We look forward to you joining us.

Neighbourhood Watch

The next meeting of the Neighbourhood Watch Committee is on Thursday 11th December. It would be beneficial for all coordinators to attend, if possible, to meet the Police and discuss any crime issues in the area.

New coordinators are needed for several areas of the Village, so if you are one of the 42% of people in the recent Parish Plan questionnaire who expressed support for Neighbourhood Watch you might like to come along too.

Yorkshire Area Point to Point Club

A date for your diary – the second running of the point to point in Sheriff Hutton will be held on SUNDAY 18TH JANUARY 2009. Please come along and support the meeting which is run to raise funds for the Yorkshire Air Ambulance. The first race will be at 12 noon. There will be a bar and refreshments, bookmakers and a great day out for all the family. Entry £10 to include a racecard. Children under 14 free. Enquiries to Christine Shipley 878439

Sheriff Hutton Ladies Lifeboat Guild

A big thank you to everyone who supported, helped and sent donations to our coffee morning. A special thanks to Pat & Jim Day for hosting the event at their home. We raised £234.60p.

Also thank you to the Highwayman Inn and Wellington House Wine Shop for their contribution boxes - together this year they collected £15.21p. Anyone who missed the coffee morning and wishes to donate can use these two boxes at any time. Thank-you again.

Guide Dogs for the Blind Association

Many thanks to everyone who supported us at the annual Christmas Fair in the Village Hall on Saturday 22nd November. We raised £814!! Well done everyone.

The Coffee Morning at Greystones on 23rd October raised £106. Many thanks to all our supporters.

Gardening Club

As we have no meeting in December the gardening club committee would like to wish everyone a peaceful Christmas.

As it is holiday time perhaps photographers will be interested in two new categories in the photographic section of the village show for 2009. 'A winter scene', especially – not necessarily snow! The other class being 'Building or Architecture'. For children looking for something to do perhaps designing a CD cover for 'an imaginary band' would fill a hour or two.

January brings the start of the new season for the club. Subscription night and a speaker enthusiastic about his 'euphorbias'. Make a note for the third Wednesday of the month, 14th Jan. to pick up your programme for 2009.

Thompson & Morgan seed catalogues are now available from Chris Thompson, Greystones, The Green. Members get a 50% reduction on all seeds! All orders MUST be returned to Chris BEFORE CHRISTMAS.

Yorkshire Countrywomen's Association

There was such an interest shown in this month's talk that it was opened up to anyone in the Village. Richard Haste gave an illustrated talk entitled 'The Hall for All', Richard told us how the original Memorial Hall had been very popular but the upkeep and repairs were going to cost so much money that a new hall with a car park was thought to be the best solution, he then told us how the money was raised both by grants and Village efforts, which included among other things sponsored walks, coffee mornings and the famous Richard III fairs. The evening was much enjoyed by everyone - thank you Richard.

Our next trip is to Northallerton, we will meet in the Village Hall car park at 9.00am on Wednesday December 3rd.

The December 10th meeting will be a Christmas lunch at The White Swan Thornton-le-Clay, we will be meeting at the Village Hall car park at 12.10pm.

Bowls Club

The two big autumn events of the club (the annual lunch and the AGM) have been held, both with good attendances and plenty of "crack". The presentation of trophies reminded me that there are three competitions where the winners had not been mentioned; these are :

Men's singles: Guy Borthwick,
Two wood singles: Ian Downing
Men's Pairs: Ian Downing and Alistair Williamson.

Congratulations to these winners!

Our final bingo evening of the year will be in the Village Hall on Friday, December 19th at 7.30p.m. The Christmas bingo is always special, usually with a very good attendance, plenty of seasonal prizes and mince pies! Everybody is very welcome.

Thank you to all those who have supported us throughout the last year; we do value your continuing help.

To all our supporters, members and villagers, a Happy Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Sheriff Hutton Tennis Club

Presentation Evening: This will take place on Friday January 23rd. Details in the January News.

Ladies Tennis: There will be a Practice Session on Saturday 6th December from 1.30pm. All welcome. Ladies' sessions continue as normal in December.

J M Johnson, Secretary

Daffodil Planting

A big thank you to the Cox and Anfield families who helped with the daffodil planting on a very wet November Sunday morning.

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“What The Dickens”

Saturday 6th December in the Village Hall

Spend a convivial evening with members of York Musical Theatre Company. Enjoy a glass of mulled wine, and experience aspects of Dickens, whose novels epitomise the Victorian years. They evoke unforgettable images of London, the poor, particularly children and of course the festive season of Christmas.

The Company will transport you on a Dickensian journey, illustrated by prose and music. So please come and join usSaturday 6th December – A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY.

£6.00 (£5.00 concessions) including a glass of mulled wine. Tickets are on sale at the Village Post Office – thanks to Alan and Gilly, and also from Moira Murphy on 878117.

Mobile Library

The mobile library visits the Village every 3 weeks and carries more than 2000 items including books, videos, DVDs and audio books. The van stops are 10.05 – 10.15am at Farlington, Woodside; 10.20 – 10.30am at Farlington Village Hall; 10.50 – 11.10am at Sheriff Hutton, East End; 11:15 – 11:30am at The Green; 11:35 – 11:45am at Castleside; 11:50 – 12:05pm at Castle View; 12:10 – 12:25pm at Warwick Close; 1:05 – 1:15pm at Dudley Hill Farm and the next visits will be on 9th and 30th December.

Field Nats

What a great start to the winter schedule. 19 members and 4 youngsters enjoyed an evening with Andy Chapman walking us through a film of The Minsmere Year, a bird reserve run by the RSPB in Suffolk. With the third largest reed bed in the country, over 400 acres, almost 100 species can regularly be seen at Minsmere. Two particular successes include bitterns and marsh harriers whose nests have increased this year to 11 and 19 respectively.

Next meeting: Heather Grange, Wednesday 3rd December, 7.30pm start. Speaker Jean Thorpe runs a Wildlife Rehabilitation Centre from her home in Malton, having devoted her life to rescuing sick and injured wild animals. We will be seeing photos and hearing stories of how she has nursed some of her charges back to health and release.

Anyone wishing to join the group is very welcome, for further information please call Melanie.

Art Group News

Our Art Group is now full. The upper limit of fifty members is governed by our insurance. We have a short waiting list. If you would like to put your name on it please telephone the Secretary, Gill Hauptman on 822915.

The only group activity planned for this month is the Open Painting Session on Saturday December 6th from 10am to 1pm.

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Mike Langdale – R I P

From the Jumbles

It was with extreme sadness that we learned of the death of Mike. He was one of the longest serving Jumbles, helping his beloved wife Doreen, who was a founder member.

Although devastated by the death of Doreen, Mike kept up his involvement with the Jumbles and many other village activities. He worked hard collecting jumble from those unable to deliver it, taking rubbish to the tip, being doorman, the Jumble Bouncer. He could be seen at most village functions, usually on the door, meeting and greeting people, or selling raffle tickets – in fact anything anyone wanted him to do. Whatever he was asked to do Mike never said no.

Mike and Doreen were the most generous people you could wish to meet, giving not only financially but equally if not more importantly, giving themselves – Stalwarts of the village, the true embodiment of Community Spirit.

More recently we had seen deterioration in Mike's health, but none of us knew how much. We still expected he would turn up on the day and he was still keen to be involved.

The Jumbles are proud to say that Mike was one of us. We will miss him.

Penny Bean

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VILLAGE REGULAR WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sun	9.30am	Holy Communion	Parish Church	6.30pm	Evening Worship	Methodist Church
	9.30am	Zomby Woofe FC	Playing Fields			
	10.30am	Morning Service	Methodist Church			
Mon	9.30am	Playgroup	Village Hall	1.30pm	Ladies Tennis	Tennis Club
				7.30pm	Badminton	Village Hall
Tue	10.00am	Chatterbox	Methodist Church	7.30pm	Ju Jitsu	Village Hall
	12.30pm	Over 60's Lunch Club	Village Hall			
Wed	7.30am	Morning Prayers	Methodist Church			
	9.30am	Playgroup	Village Hall			
	10.00am	Drop in for Coffee	Methodist Church			
	11.00am	Ladies Tennis	Tennis Club			
Thu	9.45am	Babes & Toddlers	Village Hall	6.00pm	Holistic Exercise	Village Hall
				7.00pm	Legs, Tums & Bums	Village Hall
				8.00pm	Circuit Training	Village Hall
				7 – 8.30pm	Youth Club	Cricket Club
Fri	9.30am	Playgroup	Village Hall			

Additional Activities in December

1 st	Mon	7.30 pm	Guild - Barry Bishop from York RSPB in Miss Ward Room
2 nd	Tues	7.30 pm	PCC at 10 Warwick Close
3 rd	Wed	9 am 7.30pm	Yorkshire Countrywomen trip to Northallerton Field Nats at Heather Grange
4 th	Thur	10-11 am	Health Visitor to Babies & Toddlers in Village Hall
6 th	Sat	10-1 pm 1.30 pm 2-4 pm 4 pm 7.30 pm	Art Group Open Painting Session in Village Hall Ladies Practice Tennis at Tennis Club Playgroup Toy Fair in Village Hall Christmas Tree lights turned on in the Square 'What the Dickens' theatre presentation in Village Hall
8 th	Mon	7.30 pm	Guild – special evening to celebrate 50 years of Guild in Miss Ward Room
9 th	Tues	morning 7 pm	Library van Benefice Christmas Party at Westfield Farm
10 th	Wed	12.10 pm	Yorkshire Countrywomen Christmas lunch to Thornton le Clay
11 th	Thur	7.30 pm	Neighbourhood Watch meeting in Village Hall
12 th	Fri	7.30 pm	Parish Council Meeting in Village Hall
13 th	Sat	10-12 noon 4-7 pm	Annual Christmas Coffee Morning in Village Hall PTFA A Christmas Fayre in Village Hall
15 th	Mon	7.30 pm	Guild – Sing for Christmas in Miss Ward Room
19 th	Fri	5-6 pm 6.30 pm 7.30 pm	Carol Singing around the Village Farlington Carols by Candlelight at Farlington Church Bowls Club Bingo at Village Hall
21 st	Sun	6.30 pm	Village Carol Service in Methodist Church
30 th	Tues	morning	Library Van

Dates to Note

Jan 2009	10 th	5 pm	New Year Party in Village Hall
	13 th		Friends of the Village Hall meeting in Village Hall
	17 th		Jumble Sale for Guide Dogs for the Blind in Village Hall
	18 th	12 noon	Point to Point for Yorkshire Air Ambulance
	23 rd		Tennis Club Presentation Evening
March	8 th		Book Sale for Cricket Club