

Sheriff Hutton Village News



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The Parish Council met on the 20th October 2017. Councillors present at the meeting were Douglas Wooles (Chairman), Penny Bean (Vice-Chairman), Marcus Oxendale, Sally Downing and Elaine Nelson. The Clerk was Louise Pink. Councillor Goodrick (part meeting only). 1 member of the public (part meeting only).

Planning Applications for consideration –

1701073/HOUSE Sheriff Hutton Park, Coach Road, Sheriff Hutton

External alterations to remove the existing stone access steps, repositioning of the main entrance door and the construction of a new access steps with railings to form a Piano Nobile (raised balcony area) with minor alterations to the existing driveway/turning area in front of the main entrance.

Applicant – Beaufort Farms Ltd.

Decision – No Objection.

17/01172/HOUSE West Haven, New Lane, Sheriff Hutton

Erection of two storey extension to the north elevation and single storey extension to the rear together with erection of front entrance porch, installation of 3 no. rooflights to the rear and front elevation, roof slopes and alterations to existing doors and windows.

Applicant – Mr & Mrs Tolley. Decision – No Objection.

Ryedale District Council – Decisions and Appeals –

17/00921/HOUSE Long Acre, The Green, Sheriff Hutton

Erection of part single storey/part first floor extension to south elevation and single storey extension to north elevation. APPROVED.

17/00917/FUL Energytek Yorkshire Ltd, Moor Farm, Strensall to Sheriff Hutton Road, Sheriff Hutton

Change of use and alteration of existing office to form a self-contained 2 bedroom annex to Moor Farm. REFUSED.

Thank You from Daniel Gath Homes – Pecketts Yard

Daniel Gath Homes would like to say a big thank you for the cooperation shown by all the residents of East End. They have advised the Parish Council that they will endeavour to keep disruption to a minimum.

Change of Clerk Correspondence Details

Please note the new correspondence details for the Clerk as shown below:-

Louise Pink – 28 Geldof Road, Huntington, York. YO32 9JT. (01904) 861468.

Next Meeting

The date of the next Parish Council meeting is Friday 10th November 2017 in the Village Hall @ 7.30pm.

Louise Pink, the Parish Clerk, can be contacted regarding all Parish Council matters at sheriffhuttonparishcouncil@gmail.com or on (01904) 861468. 28 Geldof Road, Huntington, York. YO32 9JT.

Lillings Ambo Parish Council.

The next meeting of the Parish Council is 6pm Thursday 9th November at 'The Lodge' West Lilling.

District Councillor Eric Hope will attend. All welcome.

Clerk.

Health Visitor Drop-in

The Health Visitor will be next at the Village Hall from 9.30am – 11.30am on **Thursday November 2nd** during the Toddler Session for anyone with pre-school children who would like to see her. Anyone wanting to see the Health Visitor is more than welcome to pop into Toddlers (if not attending anyway) while they are waiting, but consultations with the Health Visitor are confidential and in a separate room.

Sheriff Hutton 1917

During 1917, 6 men from the village died, either in action or in training. The country had now been at war for over 3 years and with each man that died and did not return, the village would have been reminded of that war. We know that by this time at least 110 men from Sheriff Hutton and Lilling had gone off to war. Those that died in 1917 are:

Private George Valentine Nelson. Born 1889 at Lillings Ambo (West Lilling). He was the son of George and Annie Nelson. George Valentine married Maud Hardy in 1910 and they had a daughter Gertrude in 1911. He joined the 2nd Battalion Prince of Wales Own Yorkshire Regt. And was killed near Peronne on the Somme on 23rd March 1917. He is buried in the Peronne Communal Cemetery.

Private George Waring. Born Kirkbymoorside 1883. He was 33 years and 9 months when he enlisted. Up to this time he had been a school teacher, but enlisted in Sheriff Hutton. He had worked at Pickering and possibly SH. He married Emily Husworth in 1908 and they had 2 children, Dorrit born in 1908 and John born in 1915. They lived at Jessamine Cottage. George was recruited into the Reserve Infantry in June 1916. He died of Spinal Fever in Hospital 23rd March 1917.

Private John Joseph Barker. Born 1886 in Sheriff Hutton. He was a member of the 1st Battalion Coldstream Guards. He died 27th November 1917. He was the son of William and Ann Barker of Golden Flatts Farm. John Barker married Eveline Shaw from Easingwold in 1915. They lived in Stockton Lane York. John was killed at the Battle of Cambrai 1917 at Bournon Wood in France. He is remembered on the Cambrai Memorial, Louveral as his body was not found.

Private Walter Backhouse. Born 1880 in Sheriff Hutton. Although he was recruited into a The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regt.) because he worked in a large London department store, he was a son of the landlord of the Packhorse Inn (now the Highwayman) Richard and of Mary Backhouse. He was the only man of the village to die in the Italian campaign. In WW1 Italy was an ally of Britain and Walter fought towards the Austrian border. He died 12th December 1917 and is buried in Glavera British Cemetery. This is to the North East of Italy.

Private Percy Hodgson. Born at Buttercrambe 1895. Later his family moved back to Sheriff Hutton. His parents were William and Jane Hodgson. Percy was apprenticed to a butcher in York after learning the trade in SH. He joined the Army Service Corps but transferred to the 17th Manchester Regiment in January 1917. He died on 31st July 1917 during attacks made near Paschendaele in Belgium. He is buried at Perth Cemetery Zillebeke.

Private William Albert Payne. He was born in 1890 in Sheriff Hutton. His parents were William and Martha. William Albert seems to have been a farm horseman. He joined the West Yorkshire Regt. (alternatively given as Alexandra Princess of Wales Own (Yorkshire Regt.). William Albert was killed in action on 8th February 1917 near Ancre on the Somme during an attack that drove the Germans back to the Hindenberg Line. He is recorded on the Thiepval Memorial as his body was not found.

Sheriff Hutton Field Naturalists

Our indoor programme got off to a swinging start with a social evening with refreshments. Our new chair, Dave Newman gave a short talk on Field Nats summer field trips looking back over the summer and everyone enjoyed a chat over nibbles and drinks.

Our next meeting is on Wednesday November 1st at 7.30pm in the Village Hall when John Grimshaw will be talking about the Yorkshire Arboretum of which he is the director.

The rest of the programme for winter is as follows:

December 6th - Barry Bishop, leader of York RSPB Members Group is talking about Garden Wildlife

January 3rd - Talk by Keith Clarkson, Retired Reserve Manager of RSPB Bempton Cliffs

February 7th - AGM

March 7th - Dave Newman will be talking about the geology of the Yorkshire Dales

All meetings are in the refreshments room at the Village Hall and start at 7.30pm

Anyone wishing to join the group or needing more information about Field Naturalists, please get in touch with either Dave on 878672, Andy on 01904 491308, Jim on 878667 or Tricia on 878995.

Village Hall: Change of Governance Body

Since the current Village Hall was built in 1984 it has been governed as a Charitable Trust. The trustees have been responsible for ensuring that the hall is managed in a way that meets its charitable objectives. About two years ago the trustees decided to change those governance arrangements as we were advised that a relatively new type of legal entity, known as a CIO or Charitable Incorporated Organisation, would be a more appropriate legal “vehicle” for the Village Hall. Since then the trustees have been following through the process of setting up the new CIO and taking all the necessary steps, with the agreement of the Charity Commission, to transfer the Village Hall into a CIO.

If you happened to be walking past the Village Hall at midnight on 30th September you would probably not have noticed anything unusual, but at that moment the hall building and all the surrounding land that belonged to the Village Hall Trust was transferred to the new “Sheriff Hutton Village Hall” CIO. The assets of the Village Hall comprise the building, the land it stands on, the hall car park, the play area, the strip of land between the rear of the hall and the hedge and a further strip of land between the southern side of the Hall and the land that forms the northern boundary of the playing fields. There is a separate trust that manages the playing fields, which include the football and cricket pitches and the bowling green.

These governance changes will not have any major impact on how the Village Hall operates. It does, however mean that the CIO trustees are no longer personally responsible for liabilities incurred by the Village Hall, as was previously the case when it was a charitable trust. So, if you have ever thought you would like to help the Village Hall by becoming a trustee, but have been put off by the personal liability of charity trustees, please do get in touch with me (telephone: 879038) to find out what is involved.

Steve Page, Chair, Sheriff Hutton Village Hall CIO.

PTFA News

Thankyou Everyone! Last year was another busy one for the PTFA and thanks to the fantastic support from parents and the local community, we managed raise over £5,500 for the school!

So far, this has helped the school:

- Buy brand new dining tables and chairs. The old tables have been sent to Ghana via a local charity.
- Repair and re-new the Key Stage 1 outdoor play area
- Buy new outdoor play equipment
- Buy new books
- Buy an annual subscription to a number of children’s newspapers
- Subsidise school trips

This year, the school would like to raise funds to revitalise the nature garden, including a new pond and the construction of a pond-dipping platform.

School Christmas Fair - Saturday 2nd December 2017 1.00 – 4.00pm

There is something for everyone at this year’s Christmas fair. Whether you have a connection to the school or simply live locally, everyone is welcome. Why not pop by to browse the stalls, play the tombola, games and soak in the Christmas fair atmosphere over a cup of tea and a piece of cake. We may also get a visit from Father Christmas!

By popular demand, we are holding another **silent auction** offering a variety of amazing opportunities on which you can bid (Last year the book and tour of the Tees Transporter Bridge was a clear favourite!). You don’t need to attend the fair to place a bid - A full auction list, bidding forms and bidding boxes will be available at the post office and the school office from mid-November. Bidding forms will also be available to complete and hand in during the Christmas fair. The minimum bid is £5 and all bids need to be in by 3pm on the 2nd December (at the fair).

Funds raised at the Christmas Fair will support both Sheriff Hutton School and Sheriff Hutton Pre-School Playgroup.

Thank you for your continued support, The PTFA Committee

Village Ramble

For the last ramble of the year, on **Thursday November 30th** (there is no ramble in December) we shall be going to Thornton le Dale to enjoy a circular walk just on the edge of the National Park. Then back into Thornton le Dale for lunch. We meet at the Village Hall car park at 9.30am and will be back in the village before 3.00pm. You don’t have to have your own transport; lifts can be provided.

Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal

Reminder - House to House Poppy Sellers will be calling on you from Saturday 28th October 2017, leading up to Remembrance Sunday on the 12th November.

If you have a few hours to spare and would like to take part by selling poppies please contact me.

The RBL provides a wide range of support for those who have served in the armed forces and their families and they constantly need money to fund this. If you watched any of the Invictus Games coverage on the TV you will realise how much the RBL supports our critically injured service men and their families in helping them to rebuild their lives. Please give generously and support our local poppy appeal.

Penny Bean, Poppy Appeal Organiser 01347 878392

Message from the Jumblies

Firstly, to bring you up to date with our news. We were delighted to be invited to take part in the Bake of The Day on the Radio York Gardening Programme to publicise our Macmillan Coffee Morning. Bonnie Lawson and I went along and we had a great time with Julia Lewis. Bonnie took her Best Ever Apple Cake and I took my carrot cake, both of which were very well received, and whilst the Apple Cake recipe was given out, the carrot cake still remains a secret. We have had fantastic feedback about the Apple Cake and I am sure Bonnie would be happy to let anyone interested have the recipe.

Our Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning was another huge success and it was great to see familiar faces and some new ones. It was also an ideal opportunity for us to hand over the £2,400 raised at the September Jumble Sale, to Bob Smailes from the Yorkshire Air Ambulance. It was a hectic morning with a visit from the Radio York Finders Keepers team, and the Gazette photographer who were all fascinated by The Money Tree.

Thanks to the immense generosity of those who came along and to those who could not make it but sent cash donations we raised £1,164, this included £179.37 on The Money Tree. Thank you to everyone who collected small change for us during the year and either brought it along or sent it along. We hope you are starting to collect for next year.

We had an email from Help for Heroes to say that the money we raised at the July Coffee Morning was used to help to sponsor one of the competitors attending the Invictus Games.

It was great to hear that The Sheriff Hutton Jumblies were shortlisted for the Yorkshire Post Rural Awards in the Community Group category but sadly we did not win. However, we are not downhearted and following brilliant publicity given us by Radio York and BBC Look North we had a fantastic sale for Marie Curie Cancer Care. Once again masses of buyers and a mountain of super jumble resulting in the total so far of £2,508. Thank you so much to everyone who supported this wonderful cause. This now pushes the total we have raised since we started in 1986 to a staggering £302,468 and a total for the year to £17,357.

Our last Jumble Sale of the year will be on Saturday 25th November in aid of the York Samaritans. It is 50 years since the York branch was set up and they provide invaluable support to so many people. If you are sorting out your wardrobe, cleaning out cupboards ready for Christmas, or if you are planning a move, downsizing, or just decluttering we will be delighted to have your donations of clothes, shoes, bags, bric-a-brac, books etc. There are many organisations sending out appeals for your castoffs but you can be assured that every penny we raise is passed on to the cause that jumble sale is dedicated to. Our only expense is the Village Hall rent.

We will be at the Hall from 9.00 am to receive your donations. The sale starts at 2pm but please come along from 1pm to replenish your reading material at bargain prices, from the Book Room and buy delicious cakes from the cake stall.

Many thanks, Penny Bean 01347 878392

A Fond Goodbye

Sometime in November we shall be leaving our home of the past 24 years and setting off to the seaside. We have enjoyed knowing all the people in the village who have made being here so special. Sorry no time for Christmas cards this year, but we'd love to see any of you who head to the coast. 01723 366867, spathweston@gmail.com

Thanks to you all, Helen and Dave

History Group

The Historical Study of the Yorkshire Dialect

A big thank you to Matthew for a very enjoyable evening looking at language.

Matthew talked about the three elements - the Yorkshire dialect, historical study of the language and its links to the Vikings. We were introduced to Philology - the love of words. Matthew's love of words was highlighted throughout the presentation. We learnt that we should celebrate regional dialect. There are four main areas of dialect in England and the North / South divide runs from the Wash to Cumbria. The Yorkshire dialect has historical links to the Scandinavians which can be heard in everyday language. Thanks to Matthew, we came away with a greater understanding of our own language.

The Changing Face of Sheriff Hutton.

This was the theme for the History Group presentation in the Village Hall on Sunday the 15th. Scenes from yesteryear were contrasted with today's views using archive sources, recent photographs and explanatory notes. The selection ranged across the village covering areas like the East End and individual sites such as the Packhorse which became the Highwayman.

Admission was free but voluntary donations for refreshments plus book sales more than covered expenses. Given a sunny Sunday afternoon the steady trickle of visitors was satisfactory.

Other aspects were also rewarding. Some donations of archive material were copied on the spot and a batch of slides promises much of interest. Finally, it was good to see people lingering over their cups of tea and exchanging memories prompted at least in part by the displays.

Welcome to our final presentation for 2017

Friday 1st December 7.30pm - A Trip Down Memory Line presented by Richard Haste. Come and join us for another informative and entertaining evening by Richard ..all aboard for a mystery railway tour of our locality! Entrance: Members £2, Visitors £3 including refreshments.

St Leonard's, Farlington

Remembrance Sunday

The Service of Remembrance will be held on **Sunday, November 12th** and will start at **10.45am**. The service will be followed by lunch at The Blacksmith's Arms which any member of the congregation is welcome to join. There will be a charge of £10 for the lunch and we need to know in advance how many would like to take part in it. The menu is roast beef or pork with all the trimmings and vegetables followed by cheesecake or a fruit crumble. A vegetarian option will be available. We look forward to seeing you at the service and if you would like to join the lunch please contact a member of the congregation or ring one of the Churchwardens – Sally Downing on 878745 or Louise Clark on 838923.

St Leonard's Goes to Castle Howard

By kind invitation of the Chaplain, St Leonard's is holding an Advent Carol Service in the chapel at Castle Howard at 3.30pm on Advent Sunday, December 3rd. Everyone is welcome and no admission charges apply if you are only attending the service.

Sheriff Hutton Primary School

The school is preparing for the new half term with some exciting topics for the children. The Key Stage 2 pupils are studying the ancient civilisations of Greece or Egypt, whilst our younger children's theme is 'Long long ago'!

One member of our team is now a fully qualified Forest School leader so we are on the lookout for a small wood or copse nearby where the children can enjoy these great activities.

The PTFA are planning to hold their annual Christmas Fair on Saturday 2nd December from 1.00pm to 4.00pm, everyone is welcome.

If you have a child who is getting ready to start school in September 2018, you are always welcome to come and have a look around at any time, however we have also arranged the following events:

- SCHOOL OPEN EVENING to be held on Wednesday 15th November at 6.00pm.
- SCHOOL OPEN DAY to be held on Saturday 18th November at 10.30am.

Please come along and find out what Sheriff Hutton Primary School has to offer.

You can find out more about the school and the activities the children are involved in on our school website www.sheriffhuttonschool.org

THE METHODIST CHURCH

THANK YOU EVERYONE who provided gifts for Carecent at our Harvest Festival this year. We had a record amount of food, clothing and toiletries to take to them. This is their response.

"On behalf of the staff, volunteers and customers at Carecent, I am writing to thank everyone at Sheriff Hutton Methodist Church for your recent gift from the harvest services. Your support and prayers mean a great deal to us all.

We continue to serve on average fifty homeless and socially excluded people a day, mainly men but a growing percentage of women, providing breakfast, clothing, and toiletries free of charge, as well as friendship and help with small administrative tasks such as form filling and telephone calls. Many of our customers lead difficult and chaotic lives and our breakfast is a small point of stability for them.

Carecent has been running for over thirty years with no funding other than through the support of people like you. Your generosity helps us to care for some of the most vulnerable members of our community, and we are all very grateful."

That "Feel Good" experience is a tremendous reward when you know you have helped someone. So thank you for your support and may you keep on feeling good.

Sunday Services in November

5 th	10.30am	Revd Ann Vaughan (Communion)
12 th	10.45am	United Village Remembrance Service at Parish Church
19 th	10.30am	Chapel Anniversary Service – Revd Martin Amery
26 th	10.30am	Mr Robin Jackson

Other Activities

Monday	2.00pm	Guild in the Miss Ward Room
Tuesday	2.00 – 3.30pm	Craft and Chat in the Miss Ward Room (21st November)
Wednesday	10.00am	Drop in for Coffee in the Miss Ward Room
	11.15am	Advent Study Group followed by soup lunch (starts November 29th)
Thursday	2.00 for 2.30	Feature Film Afternoon (16th November)

Guild Programme every Monday at 2.00pm in the Miss Ward Room

- 6th Guild Rally when other guilds join us for a service of celebration. Speaker, Robin Jackson
- 13th A 1950's *Debutante* is the subject of our speaker. A nostalgic afternoon
- 20th *Undercover with the Police*. A personal experience of work with the Metropolitan Police in London
- 27th *Disability Sport*. We have seen it on TV, how are they helped to achieve so much

Please feel free to come if any of these afternoons would be of interest. You will be welcome.

Chapel Anniversary

We celebrate another year in the life of the Methodist Church on Sunday morning 19th November at 10.30 a.m. The Revd Martin Amery is our specially invited minister to lead the worship. Martin was both our minister and Circuit Superintendent before moving to Newark. He is now retired and we look forward to renewing fellowship with him. A "Bring and Share Lunch" is being arranged for after the service.

Advent Study Group

A series of four weekly meetings through the time of Advent will commence on Wednesday 29th November at 11.15 a.m. in the Methodist Church. At 12 noon a light soup lunch will follow. The four meetings are open to anyone who would like to take time out and prepare themselves for the coming of Christmas.

Cyber Security Talk

Are you confident in your computer security when on-line?

Do you understand the threats from scammers, hackers and phishers?

Are you doing the right things to protect yourself and your personal information using social media, online banking, buying on the internet?

Practical advice on using the internet safely from a leading expert in a Government Accredited cyber security training and advisory company

Sheriff Hutton Village Hall
7pm Thursday 9th November 2017
FREE ENTRY

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 NOVEMBER

Sheriff Hutton	5 th	9.30am	Holy Communion	6pm	Marton Celtic Eucharist
	12 th	10.45am	Joint Remembrance		
	19 th	10.30am	Benefice Eucharist at Stillington	6pm	Marton Celtic Meditative Worship
	26 th	9.30am	Holy Communion		
Farlington	12 th	10.45am	Service of Remembrance		
	19 th	10.30am	Benefice Eucharist at Stillington		
	26 th	11.15am	Holy Communion (BCP)		
Marton	5 th			6pm	Celtic Eucharist
	19 th	10.30am	Benefice Eucharist at Stillington	6pm	Celtic Meditative Worship
Stillington	5 th	9.15am	Morning Worship		
	12 th	9.15am	Holy Communion		
	19 th	10.30am	Benefice Eucharist		
	26 th	9.15am	Holy Communion		
Sutton-on-the-Forest	5 th	8.00am 11am	Holy Communion Morning Worship		
	12 th	11am	Holy Communion [said]		
	19 th	10.30am	Benefice Eucharist		
	26 th	11am	Holy Communion		

EVENTS

6 th November	Village Charity Meeting 7.30pm in Village Hall
28 th November	PCC budget meeting 7.30pm - Miss Ward Room

NOTICES

Village Charity – applications to John Oakley - Old School House, 01347-878754 by Wednesday 1st November please. Late applications will not be considered until March 2014

Egerton Memorial Lectern. Rear-Admiral Egerton and Marion Egerton (a previous churchwarden of St Helen's) lived at Cornborough Hall. Their son Lt Edward Egerton was killed in the Dieppe raid in 1942 when he was in command of HM Chasseur 13. His death is also commemorated in the Stittenham/Sutherland Chapel in St Helen's with a memorial plaque and his white ensign from the ship.

His parents had a (memorial) lectern made for the chapel at their son's school - Rottingdean in Kent (St Aubyn's Junior) which is now closed and the furniture is being dispersed. The family suggested that if agreeable it should be returned to the parish church here where there is a demonstrable connection with the Egertons and the Sutherland Chapel (John Egerton is the present Duke of Sutherland). The PCC have agreed and we are obtaining a faculty authorising the receipt of the lectern. It is our intention to use it on special occasions, the first of which would be on Remembrance Sunday. The lectern was probably made in 1943 by George Howard of Coxwold on the estate there using oak from Sheriff Hutton.

Gardening Club

Wednesday November 15th is the club's AGM, 7.30pm at the village hall, members only, a social evening with light quiz and supper; bring a plate of something, the drinks are provided. As previously mentioned the committee needs constantly refreshing just like the garden benefits from new ideas building on fertile ground. Be involved as a general committee member, vice chair or secretary, no need to get your hands dirty but a little computer literacy may help. Contact details on the back of your programme.

October's meeting was well attended by new and seasoned gardeners who were engaged by Mike Kinnes and his vast array of autumn colours, no photos. Perhaps not the best of years for tree brilliance as the wind and mild weather laid them bare but late flowers, berries and fruit are compensating.

Seed catalogues, for those who weren't at the meeting, will be available at the AGM.

Sheriff Hutton Village Hall – 200 Club

October £25 winners were 42, 51, 77, 85 and 218.

November sees the start of subscription renewals for the 2018 draw year, and it is hoped that existing members will continue to support this important fundraiser for the Village Hall. Newcomers to the village will receive an invitation note giving details of the draw, and the Village Hall organisation.

Sheriff Hutton Ladies Group

The September meeting was well supported with a few extra visitors. Brian Oxberry gave a talk about Dickens Children. Brian told us about Charles Dickens and what happened to all of his ten children and the terrible lives they had.

Our next meeting on 8th November is a welcome return of Chris Cade. Chris Cade was born in Hull but trained at York St Johns as a teacher. Chris delivers educational theatre to museums, schools etc.

This time he is "Sunny South Sam" A southern railway guard who entices you to the southern coast where the sun shines most. Everyone is welcome to the evening and it will be very entertaining as Chris is a superb actor.

So if you would like to come it's on the 8th November 2017 7.30pm in Sheriff Hutton Village Hall.
All Welcome

Barbara Grinham (Chairman) 01347878476

Playgroup News

We held another successful Quiz Night in October, raising around £450!! Many thanks to anyone who joined in – it was great fun!!

Our next event is our annual **Kids' Stuff Sale** on **Saturday 11th November 2-4pm** at the Village Hall. There will be toys, games, books, children's clothes and equipment for sale as well as a raffle, a few local stalls and, of course, cakes and refreshments. Entry is 50p per adult, children are free. Any donations of good quality toys and equipment (no car seats), raffle prizes or baking will be gratefully received - please drop off at the Village Hall 9.30 - 11.30 on the 11th November.

Playgroup relies heavily on fundraising to stay open and is very grateful for all the support we receive from the village. We have places available for 2, 3 and 4 year olds on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays 9am – 3pm. Please contact 07717 799646 or shuttonpreschool1@yahoo.com for more information or to book your free trial session.

Village Christmas Celebration

Sunday 17th December at 2.30 p.m.

Come and start your Christmas Celebrations by joining in with singing lots of carols, having mince pies and mulled wine.

The singing will be led by a folk singing group – The Drummers who have been involved with the Christmas Celebration for the last 2 years.

The Celebration will take place at the Parish Church (St Helen's)

Sheriff Hutton Bowling Club

Grand Prize Bingo

Sheriff Hutton Village Hall

Friday 17th November – 7.30pm

£100 special jackpot
and lots of prizes

Next dates December 15th and January 19th

New Year Party

Make a note of the date - **Saturday 6th January 2018** - UCCC New Year Party. There will be more information in December's Village News

Neighbourhood Watch

Unfortunately, the meeting scheduled for Monday 30th October has had to be cancelled, due to unavailability of the Police to attend. I have no further information on the Community Speedwatch initiative, which is still awaiting a decision from the Road Safety Task Group.

The dark nights are now with us again, so it is important that all your property and equipment is secure, and be wary of any late callers.

This week I have had two scam emails, appearing to be from British Telecom and Paypal, and a scam telephone call allegedly from Microsoft, all of which were very convincing. Ideally do not open any emails you are not expecting, do not utilise any links proffered, and certainly do not part with any money, or give Bank details.

Terry Johnson, Lead Coordinator

(01347 878626, terryj70@btinternet.com)

Sheriff Hutton Art Group

The Art Group held its AGM on Wednesday 27th September where new members of the committee were elected as can be seen from the list below.

We had a lively meeting with plenty of discussion. As we have to limit our membership to 49, it was decided that a cut-off date was needed for members to renew their membership and for new members to subscribe. Therefore, after 31st December 2017 we will close the list of members who will be eligible to exhibit paintings at the Easter Exhibition.

We were delighted with the positive responses regarding our forthcoming workshops which begin with Mike Dobson's watercolour day on Saturday 28th October. Cath Inglis will guide our work in pastels on 18th November. Thomas Rimmington's workshop will concentrate on drawing with charcoal on 20th January 2018. The theme of Jonothan Pomroy's watercolour day on 17th February 2018 will be coastal scenes and its wildlife. To conclude our winter sessions, Sarah Hill will be sharing her own unusual watercolour techniques in what I am sure will be an exciting painting day on 17th March.

Places on our workshops are quickly filling and we hope to achieve full attendance at each one.

Committee Members 2017/18

Chairman	John Davies	
Secretary	Val Emery	
Membership Secretary	Liz Fell	
Minute Secretary	Carol Ormiston	
Treasurer	Ali Smethurst	
Elsie Peacock	Anne Russell	Greg Skilbeck

Christmas Coffee Morning Moves to the Afternoon !!

On **Saturday, December 9th** the Village Hall's Christmas Coffee morning is moving to the afternoon, 2.00 – 4.00pm. There will be everything you have always enjoyed but much, much more for people of all ages – interesting stalls, a range of games but still the opportunity to sit and chat if that is all you want to do. So, put the date and new time in your diary and come along to the hall to mingle and make merry.

Sheriff Hutton Tennis Club

Winter Tennis. Ladies sessions continue on a Wednesday morning from 10.30am. Saturday Ladies Tennis will be on November 4th from 1.30pm and Social Tennis for all members will be on Saturday November 16th from 1.30pm.

Wimbledon Tickets. If you are a British Tennis Member with the LTA please opt in for the Wimbledon Ballot. Follow the links on the LTA website - you will need your BTM number.

Contact me if you have any problems.

josephinejohnson6@gmail.com

Reconciliation

In my last appointment, the staff made a trip to Belfast to visit a couple of the church missions there and to explore the history of Belfast and its community. It was an interesting and informative trip in which I learned a lot about Belfast and the conflicts that have been experienced there.

As we were guided through Belfast, we were shown many of its political and social justice murals and peace walls. These peace walls seemed to be a contradiction in terms as they kept communities separated from one another. The fact that these communities were still separated made us wonder just when and how reconciliation was supposed to take place. How could communities learn to live together if they continued to allow such division in their lives?

As we come to another Remembrance Sunday this month we are reminded that the Christian Gospel is about brokenness and healing. Jesus came to restore relationships by loving us and forgiving us, and showing what God is like.

May God's peace be with you all. Revd Elizabeth Cushion

Super-Mobile Library

The super-mobile library will visit the Village Hall Car Park between 10.00 and 12.00 noon on Fridays **10th and 24th November**.

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Village Regular Weekly Activities

Sun	9.30am	Holy Communion	Parish Church but check in church for details			
	10.30am	Morning Service	Methodist Church			
Mon				7.00pm	Badminton	Village Hall
Tues	9.00am	Playgroup	School			
	9.15am	Pilates	Village Hall	7.00pm	Circuit Training	Village Hall
	10.30am	Pilates	Village Hall	8.00pm	Pilates	Village Hall
	12.30pm	Luncheon Club	Village Hall			
Wed	9.00am	Playgroup	School			
	9.30 am	Yoga	Village Hall			
	10.00am	Drop in for Coffee	Methodist Church			
	10.30am	Ladies Tennis	Tennis Club			
Thurs	9.45am	Babes & Toddlers	Village Hall	6.30pm	Youth Group	Village Hall
Fri	9.00am	Playgroup	School			

Additional Activities in November

Mon	30th October		Neighbourhood Watch Meeting CANCELLED
Wed	1 st	7.30pm	Field Naturalists <i>The Yorkshire Aboretum</i>
Thurs	2 nd	09.30 – 11.30	Health Visitor at the Village Hall
Mon	6 th	2.00pm	Guild Rally in the Miss Ward Room
		7.30pm	Village Charities meeting in the Village Hall
Wed	8 th	7.30pm	Ladies Group with <i>Sunny South Sam</i> in the Village Hall
Thurs	9 th	6.00pm	Lilling Parish Council meeting at The Lodge, West Lilling
		7.00pm	Cyber Security Talk in the Village Hall
Fri	10 th	10.00 – 12.00	Super-mobile Library in the Village Hall car park
		7.30pm	Parish Council meeting in the Village Hall
Sat	11 th	2.00 – 4.00pm	Kids Stuff Sale in the Village Hall
Mon	13 th	2.00pm	Guild – <i>A 1950's Debutante</i> in the Miss Ward Room
Wed	15 th	6.00pm	School Open Evening for prospective parents
		7.30pm	Gardening Club AGM (Members Only) in the Village Hall
Thurs	16 th	2.00 for 2.30pm	Feature Film Afternoon in the Miss Ward Room
Fri	17 th	7.30pm	Bowls Club Bingo in the Village Hall
Sat	18 th	10.30am	School Open Day for prospective parents
Mon	20 th	2.00pm	Guild – <i>Undercover with the Police</i> in the Miss Ward Room
Tues	21 st	2.00 – 3.30pm	Craft & Chat in the Miss Ward Room
Fri	24 th	10.00 – 12.00	Super-mobile Library in the Village Hall car park
Sat	25 th	2.00 – 4.00pm	Jumbles Sale in aid of York Samaritans in the Village Hall
Mon	27 th	2.00pm	Guild – <i>Disability Sport</i> in the Miss Ward Room
Wed	29 th	11.15am	Advent Study Group and soup lunch in the Miss Ward Room
Thurs	30 th	9.30am	Village Ramble at Thornton le Dale. Meet at Village Hall car park

Dates to Note

Dec	1 st	7.30pm	History Group <i>A Trip Down Memory Line</i>
	2 nd	1.00 – 4.00pm	PTFA Christmas Fair at the School
	3 rd	3.30pm	St Leonard's Advent Carol Service at Castle Howard
	6 th	7.30pm	Field Naturalists <i>Garden Wildlife</i>
	8 th	7.30pm	Bingo in aid of Farlington Church
	9 th	2.00 – 4.00pm	Village Hall Christmas Fair and Coffee Afternoon
	9 th /10 th	2.00 - 4.00pm	St Leonard's Pop-up Tea Room in Farlington Village Hall
	15 th	7.30pm	Bowls Club Bingo in the Village Hall
	16 th /17 th	2.00 – 4.00pm	St Leonard's Pop-up Tea Room in Farlington Village Hall
	17 th	2.30pm	Village Christmas Celebration at St Helen's
	24 th	3.00pm	Christingle Service at the Methodist Church
Jan	6 th	5.00pm	UCCC New Year Party in the Village Hall

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