Sheriff Hutton

Village News



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A Very Happy New Year to All Our Readers

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The Parish Council met on 12 December 2014 Councillors present at the latter were Douglas Wooles (Chairman), Penny Bean (Vice-Chairman), Brian Parkinson, Martin Dodd, Sally Downing, Dave Smith and David Lea. The Clerk was Nigel Knapton and District Councillor Eric Hope was present.

Planning Applications for consideration

14/01219/CAT – To fell 1 x Ash Tree at Stile House, The Green, Sheriff Hutton for Mr Andrew Caley. **No objections.**

Ryedale District Council - Decisions and Appeals

None received.

Public Forum

Several members of the public spoke about their concerns regarding proposed fracking in the district. They had formed a group called the 'Fracking Information Group'. The Council agreed to contact Third Energy, the company making a planning application to carry out activity at Kirby Misperton, to ask them to meet in order to hear their proposals.

Affordable Housing

Colin Huby, the Ryedale DC Rural Housing Enabler spoke about the current situation regarding the proposal for affordable housing on land off Mill Lane. Yorkshire Housing had withdrawn from the proposal but fortunately York Housing Association were interested and were just completing costings on the project. Colin circulated an indicative plan showing proposed housing mix of either 12 or 8 properties, an immediate need of 8 properties having being identified from the housing needs survey with a longer term need for 12. Properties would only be let to local people and would be affordable in perpetuity as part of any planning agreement. Nothing would go ahead without the agreement of the Parish Council and public consultation on any proposed plans. The item would be put on the next agenda.

Christmas Tree

New Christmas Tree lights had been purchased as the old ones had failed. Unfortunately the area below the Christmas Tree is being used as a dog toilet and lots of dog waste had to be removed before the new lights could be fitted. Owners are reminded to put dog waste in the bins provided or take it home.

Next Meeting

The date of the next meeting is Friday 9th January 2015 in the Village Hall at 7.30pm.

Nigel Knapton, the Parish Clerk, can be contacted regarding all Parish Council matters at nigel.knapton@townandparish.co.uk or on 0777 999 4712

The Chairman and Parish Councillors would like to extend their best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year

Fracking Interest Group (FIG) Sheriff Hutton

As you may be aware Third Energy are going ahead with plans to frack for shale gas at Kirby Misperton, subject to planning permission This could be the start of a major industry over Ryedale.

We are a small group of very much concerned Sheriff Hutton residents concerned about the impact of fracking locally and beyond. We are talking to Third Energy as we are keen to hear all perspectives, and we are planning a visit to their site at Knapton. We are trying to find out as much as we can to arrive at a balanced judgement about the possible consequences from fracking.

If anyone is interested in finding out more, supplying information, or joining the group please contact Lynne Blair (878536) or David Newman (878672).

Sheriff Hutton Field Naturalists

Happy New Year everyone, I hope you all had a peaceful and joyous Christmas. December and our last meeting seem a long time ago but shouldn't be forgotten as both speaker and talk were fascinating. Despite getting stuck in traffic and only getting to us at the last minute, Barry Bishop from York RSPB Members Group didn't let this ruffle him. He gave a brilliant and informative presentation about the RSPB reserves at Fairburn and Blacktoft, illustrated by wonderful images of birdlife at the reserves.

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 7th January 2015 when our speaker will be Ann Hanson from Yorkshire Farming and Wildlife who is returning by popular demand: this time to give us a talk on Reindeer in the Cairngorms.

Somehow, we didn't get round to asking for ideas for the Field Naturalists Christmas Lunch. The Highwayman provided a good spring lunch; would we be happy to go there again? Would we like to go on a morning walk before, as we did in the spring, to work up an appetite? Please think about dates and we really will talk about it at the end of the meeting.

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

Football at the Playing Field

Please can we ask parents to ensure that their children **do not** use the windows of the Village Hall as a goal/target.

St. Leonard's Flower Rota

We would like to invite two or three more willing people to join our Church Flower Rota, one simple vase of flowers, garden or florist variety in the Hayes window, is all that is required, for one month, in the calendar year. If you feel able to help, please ring Sally on 878745, or Margaret on 878735.

Youth Club

Many thanks to Pamela, Richard, Jess and Fergus for leading Youth Club sessions since our move to a Thursday night! Sessions now include the opportunity of a tasty supper from the mobile Fish and Chip van! Thanks also to Jess for organising a Christmas trip to Ten Pin Bowling.

Our first session in the New Year will take place on Thursday 15th January. Happy New Year to and from everyone at Youth Club!

Health Visitor Drop-in

The Health Visitor will be next at the Village Hall from 9.30am – 11.30am on **Thursday 15th January** 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.

Super-Mobile Library

The super-mobile library will visit the Village Hall Car Park between 10.00 and 12.00 noon on **Friday 9**th and **23**rd **January.**

Pantomime Time!

Thank you again to everyone for supporting our Cinderella Pantomime last year!

By popular request DISHY (Drama in Sheriff Hutton Youth) will soon be presenting a new version of 'Robin Hood'. Thank you to everyone who has helped us raise funds for this, including the Jumblies, Sheriff Hutton Village Charity and The Norman Collinson Trust.

The dates for the pantomime this year are Thursday 5th February (7pm); Friday 6th February (7pm); Saturday 7th February (5pm). Everyone attending the Saturday performance is also welcome to stay for a disco and party with a paying bar and light refreshments (thanks to the Castle Inn). We are pleased to announce that **tickets are now on sale**: £5 for over 16s; £3 for 5s to 16s; and Under 5s are free (but need to be allocated free tickets). Please note there will be NO TICKETS available on the door on any night. You can book your seats now by phoning Meg (878136) or Nic (878309).

We hope to see you there! Jasmin Frost and Amy Hunt

New Year Party

Just to remind you that the United Christian Churches Committee's New Year Party will be held on Saturday 10th January 2015, starting at 5pm. This is a celebration tea with light entertainment for all residents of Sheriff Hutton and Lilling aged over 65 and their partners. Invitations are delivered between Christmas and New Year, but if you have recently moved into the villages, or have recently become eligible to attend, please phone Caroline Hunt on 878242 to give her your name and address, so she can ensure you receive your invitation!

We depend on a great team of volunteer hostesses, kitchen helpers and drivers to make the party into such a great celebration of our community here in Sheriff Hutton. Drivers are available to transport guests to the party and home at the end, and also provide a 'teas-out' delivery service for anyone who is unable to attend the event because of ill health.

If you are out when we call, we will leave you an invitation with a contact name and telephone number so you can confirm if you wish to attend. For any further information, please phone Caroline on 878242. Happy New Year! The United Christian Churches' Committee

West Lilling

The Parish Council have received the following planning applications:

14/91083/FUL. Mr J. Pulleyn. Land adjacent to Rose Cottage. REVISED PLANS for a 4 bedroom dwelling and parking.

14/01303/HOUSE. Mr J. Oldroyd. Toft Farm. Erection of a Porch and Boot room. A.Bailev. Clerk

Yorkshire Countrywomen's Association

Wednesday 9th December was our annual Christmas lunch, 25 of us went to The White Bear at Stillington. Everyone said how delicious it was and we all went home with lovely presents of chocolates in a lovely handmade pouch all decorated with ribbons and roses. Thank you Margaret Thompson for doing these lovely presents.

Our next meeting is on January 14th when the Rev Ann Vaughan will bring her collection of earrings for us all to see. The meeting is at a new time 2pm because of the chance of snow and ice we felt it was safer for everyone during the winter months to have it in daylight hours. "Earrings Galore" Wednesday January 14th 2015 2pm Sheriff Hutton Village Hall. Barbara Grinham

Village Ramble

Welcome in an active new year and join us for the first ramble of the 2015 season on **Thursday**, **January 29**th. Meet the group at the Village Hall car park at 9.30am for a ramble of about 5 miles. You do not have to have a car – transport will be provided. The walk will be followed by a pub lunch; back home by 3pm.

Happy New Year!

This seems to be the season of New Year's resolutions and starting again. A time of looking ahead for what the New Year brings for us. I am sure that in the next few days many of you, like me, will be filling in new diaries as you make plans and appointments.

For me, this is also a season to say thank you. As a child, I was always encouraged by my parents to write letters to say thank you to people who had given me Christmas presents. So this time of year has memories of carefully composing letters. At the time, it seemed like an effort, but I'm sure the letters were appreciated, and I still try today to get in touch with people who have sent gifts. Saying thank you is often something we forget to do. So in this New Year, I would also like to say thank you to you all, not just for your good wishes at Christmas, but also for your support throughout the year. It is much appreciated.

And as we start a new year, let us also remember to say thank you to God, for sending His Son into the world, and for all His many blessings to us. As we move away from Christmas, we leave the story of the stable behind for another year, but the baby it remembers and the good news it celebrates is not over but goes with us into the New Year. Jesus came into the world to bring love and joy and peace for all people, for all time. That is definitely something to say thank you for.

Sheriff Hutton Village Hall - 200 Club

At the time of writing, the last one or two renewals are still to be completed, so there will be two separate draws at January's Parish council meeting.

It is very gratifying to report that we are close to, possibly just over our record number of members, so many thanks once again to all who support the Village Hall this way

Guide Dogs for the Blind Association

The Sheriff Hutton Jumblies are organising a Jumble Sale in aid of Guide Dogs on 24th January 2015 at the Village Hall from 2.00 till 4.00. WE NEED YOUR JUMBLE!! If you have anything suitable, but are unable to get it to the village hall on the morning of the sale, please ring Chris on 01347 878465, and we can arrange to take it for you. We also need lots of cakes for the cake stall please.

Please come and support us. Tombola, raffle, cake stall and refreshments.

The Annual Fair held in November raised over £744!! Well done everyone.

Friends of the Village Hall

Christmas Coffee Morning ~ Many thanks to everyone who attended this cheerful annual seasonal event! We raised an excellent £350 for Village Hall funds. A very big thank you to everyone who worked extra hard and stepped in to help to ensure its success, as our number of helpers was somewhat depleted this time due to a variety of factors. Another great team effort! Thank you also for all the kind donations of prizes, items to sell and delicious home- made mince pies.

The next Friends meeting will now be on Tuesday January 20th 2015 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. New Friends are always welcome.

Farlington Village Hall

Residents will be pleased to know that planning permission has been granted by HDC to permit the demolition and rebuilding of the annex room to improve the village hall further. Expressions of interest are sought from local builders who would like to prepare a quotation for the project. It is unlikely that any work would begin until mid - 2015 due to the need to obtain grants. Plans are available for inspection, just contact Sue Scotter (811636).

Additionally, the Parish Committee are seeking volunteers to become Trustees of the village hall. This is not an onerous task nor does it involve any financial commitment, just a willingness to protect this valuable and historic building for the future. Please contact Sue if you would be interested in becoming a Trustee. You do not have to be a resident of Farlington.

Poor Houses/Workhouse in Sheriff Hutton

Does anyone know where John or Thomas Wardel(I) lived in or around 1787?

We are aware of the Union Workhouses in Malton, York and Easingwold and residents of Sheriff Hutton who were on the staff there; however, original source evidence shows there was a workhouse in the village but the location remains a mystery.

email: rt857@york.ac.uk

Neighbourhood Watch

For the time of year this has been a remarkably quiet month, with little of note in this or any of the surrounding villages.

I can't help but noticing whilst walking my dogs of an evening the number of 'elderly' people out and about on foot, often on their own, apparently heading to or from some club/society/church meeting. Whilst it's obviously rather nice that such individuals feel safe walking around in the dark I cannot help but be concerned at the potential implications of a fall/accident of some sort. Can I respectfully ask that anyone organising events for winter evenings makes suitable transport arrangements for the most vulnerable people attending, or maybe considers scheduling the meeting for a more suitable time of day – I'm fairly sure even God would understand the need for compromise during the long, dark winter nights. Just a thought.

For those of you who either own a farm or who work on one, the Police ask that all nitrate fertiliser stores are kept secure until used, and that any thefts of such material, or suspicious incidents involving nitrates are reported immediately to them. Whilst on the surface this may seem an odd request, be aware that fertilisers have uses beyond making crops grow quickly. And no, I will not elaborate on the subject.

No further news on the missing dogs, other than perhaps to note that the national press appears to finally be waking up to the issue. All dog owners please remain vigilant and be mindful of the ongoing threat.

Please be mindful that this time of year is one of the peak burglary periods, so take care to secure your property at all times and ring 101 if you see anything untoward (including perhaps overweight bearded types trying to gain access down chimneys in the latter part of December, especially if they have a white van rather than a sleigh).

The next meeting has been rescheduled to 7.30pm <u>17 February</u>. Anyone interested in joining the group should contact me at the shop or ring me on 01347 878331. If you have anything to report regarding crimes either in process or evident please ring 101.... PLEASE don't report it to me first hours/ days after the event.

Alan Pitman 9 December 2014

Sheriff Hutton Primary School

Sheriff Hutton PTFA would like to say a BIG thank you to everyone who came to our Christmas Fair on 6th December. It was a fantastic success and helped to raise over £1000! The children enjoyed seeing real reindeer and having a chat with Santa, many of the children followed Santa to light the Christmas tree.

We are now at the beginning of our Spring Term and are looking forward to many exciting events in 2015. Our topic for this term has a cookery theme finding out about healthy eating and where our food comes from. In January we are taking part in the annual Young Voices concert at Sheffield Arena, hundreds of children from all over the north of England participate in this spectacular event.

We are still very interested to hear from anyone who would like to come into school as a volunteer, possibly to listen to children read or to help in other activities. Please contact the school if you would like any other information.

THE METHODIST CHURCH

THERE ARE STILL 10 DAYS TO GO TO CHRISTMAS DAY and the January News entry is needed, it is all part of the preparation for what is still to come. So far we have been preparing well at the Methodist Church. It really started with the 150 shoe boxes for children in Belarus in October. Then Advent started with the Wednesday discussion group and light lunch, chapel anniversary, and our first film afternoon. Into December the Guild celebrated with carols and readings, Christmas party night, and the film afternoon showed the films Scrooge and Nativity. The chapel has been decorated, the Christmas trees are lit up, and the Christmas mural is showing the scene in the manger. Last night was the village carol service when again we were reminded that Joseph, Mary, Innkeeper, Shepherds, and Wise men could have all said 'No' to God but they said 'Yes' and so we have this exciting period of preparation.

The preparation in Bethlehem was nothing like this and yet that's where it all started.

From us all at the Methodist Church we do pray you may have just felt a little bit of the gift we all received and continue to receive from God at Christmas.

It goes on too into the New Year and then we commit ourselves once more to try to follow what that baby in the manger grew up to be. The churches come together on January 4th to make this resolution in the Covenant Service at the Methodist Church.

A VERY HAPPY AND PEACFUL NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL.

Services in January

4 th	10.30 a.m.	UNITED CHURCHES C	COVENANT SERVICE with communion led by Revd
		Elizabeth Cushion	·
11 th	10.30 a.m.	Revd Ann Vaughan	
18 th	10.30 a.m.	Mr Ken Hopwood	6.30 p.m Revd Elizabeth Cushion
		Revd Ann Vaughan	·

Additional Activities in January

Mondays	7.30 a.m.	Guild in the Miss Ward room (See separate programme below).	
Wednesday	Wednesday 8.30 a.m. Morning Prayers in the chapel.		
	10.00 a.m.	Drop in for coffee and chat in the Miss Ward room.	
	2.30 p.m.	Singing together (PLEASE NOTE THE TIME, a change for winter) starts	
		January 7 th	
Thursday	2.15 p.m.	Film afternoon (donation for current emergency appeal) in the Miss Ward room, January 22 nd	

Guild Programme

Monday	5 th	7.30 p.m.	Meet our new circuit superintendent Revd Leslie Newton
-	12 th	7.30 p.m.	More memories of the chapels past. We didn't finish last year's talk
			so hear more stories from the Church's history
	19 th	7.30 p.m.	Andy Chapman has very kindly agreed to come and share his
			experience and knowledge of Minsmere R.S.P.B. Centre.
	26 th	7.30 p.m.	Roger Holmes had the responsibility of introducing the £2 coin by
			the Royal Mint. He will speak on the time he worked there

If any of the above evenings stimulates your interest then please come along to the Miss Ward room, you will be most welcome.

Film Afternoon

On Thursday 22nd January there will be a film afternoon from 2.15 p.m. in the Miss Ward room. This is a new activity which we started in November and so far we have shown the films "Saving Mr Banks" and "Nativity" which were well received. Licencing arrangements prevent us from publicising the film to be shown. There is no charge but we will give any donations received to charity. The money raised so far, £120 for food for orphans in a village in Uganda and £150 for orphans of Ebola.

We will be pleased to see you on January 22nd.

Ebola Appeal

Revd Francis Nabieu is a Methodist minister in our circuit and has the responsibility for New Earswick and Clifton Moor churches. He comes from Sierra Leone and sadly his brother in law died recently from the Ebola disease and his family are still living in the affected area. This has stimulated Francis to raise funds for the orphans who have lost their parents in his own family surroundings and our Methodist churches are helping him in this appeal. Both our village churches have agreed to give the money received from the Christmas card distribution and the carol service to this. All money will go direct without any administration cost. So far we have £300 from the film afternoon and the carol service, if you would like to support, donations can be passed to us at the Methodist church or to our treasurer David Marwood, Linnet House, West End.

St Helen and 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 JANUARY

Sheriff Hutton	4th	10.30am	United Covenant Service at	6pm	Benefice Epiphany Eucharist at
			Methodist Church		Marton
	11th	9.30am	Morning Worship		
	18th	10.30am	Benefice Service at Stillington	6pm	Benefice Service at Marton
	25th	9.30am	Holy Communion		
Farlington	11th	11.15am	Shortened Matins		
	18th	10.30am	Benefice Service at Stillington	6pm	Benefice Service at Marton
	25th	11.15am	Plough Sunday & Lunch		
Marton	4th			6pm	Benefice Epiphany Eucharist
	18th	10.30am	Benefice Service at Stillington	6pm	Benefice Reflective Service
Stillington	4th	9.30am	Ecumenical Epiphany Morning Prayers	6pm	Benefice Epiphany Eucharist at Marton
	11th	9.30am	Holy Communion		
	18th	10.30am	Benefice Service	6pm	Benefice Service at Marton
	25th	9.30am	Covenant Service		
Sutton with Huby	4th	8am	Holy Communion	4pm	Epiphany Carols
	11th	10.45am	Holy Communion		
	18th	8am	Holy Communion	6pm	Benefice Service at Marton
		10.30am	Benefice Service – Stillington		
	25th	11am	Huby Covenant Service		

EVENTS

10 th January	United Churches Party in the Village Hall
14 th January	Benefice Council – 7.30pm in Sutton Parish Room
21 st January	Deanery Synod – 7pm at Tollerton Church

Sheriff Hutton Pre-School Playgroup

On behalf of all at Playgroup, we would like to wish you a very Happy New Year. Looking back, 2014 proved to be a significant year for Playgroup with a number of highlights including our move to the primary school site and all of the opportunities this has offered for developing our indoor and outdoor provision and strengthening links with the school; our programme of visits beyond the setting including a trip to the Tannery building site in Strensall and the Yorkshire Arboretum; and the activities we have shared with our parents/carers such as the visit from a professional storyteller in March, our Playgroup café and our carols around the Christmas tree event. We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has supported Playgroup over the last year and we look forward to providing further updates on all of our news and events in 2015.

For further information on Playgroup please contact Julie on 878574 or visit www.sheriff-hutton-playgroup.org. For further information on Babies and Toddlers please contact Margaret on 878314.

Gardening Club

January is the beginning of the year for the club which means subscriptions are due. They remain at £10 per person. Visitors are very welcome for £2 a person. A varied programme has been organized which includes talks, afternoon/ evening visits, a day trip (Tuesday June 9th) and an overnight trip to Northamptonshire (Tuesday/Wednesday June 23rd/24th). Details for both these trips with lists for names will be available at the meeting on Wednesday 21st January when our speaker will be Dr Andrew Ward of Norwell Nurseries, a specialist perennial and alpine nursery. Andrew is regular speaker on hardy perennials and those going on the overnight trip will visit the nursery and garden.

The new committee for 2015 is: President: Ruth Wood, Chair: Lyn Minto, Vice Chair: Tony Thompson, Secretary: Judith Goodwill, Treasurer: Jim Warrington, Programme Secretary: Christine Drury, Show Secretary: Sarah Anderson, General Committee: Jane Burnett, Anne Cawood, Helen Loynes, Pam Ashworth and Ros Harwood. Anne Cawood will hold the refreshment basket, Jane Burnett will organise the sunflower/potato competition and Helen Loynes will oversee the seed orders. Unfortunately our Vice President of many years (Alan Holden) died at the beginning of December at the age of 93. Although he left the village some years ago he will be sadly missed by long standing members of the club as he was very active in the running of it and the village show.

Winter is a good time to be thinking about doing entries for the craft section of the village show in August. Here are the revised classes:

51. Canvas work – using kit or chart, 52. Piece of embroidery – exhibitor's own design, 53. Piece of hand-stitched quilting, max. size 50cmx50cm, not necessarily a finished item, 54. Item of beadwork, 55. Knitted or crocheted hat, 56. Cushion, 57. Piece of cross stitch, 58. Piece of hand knitting, crochet or tatting, 59. Paper craft item, 60. Item of woodwork, 61. Item made from buttons, 62. Piece of handmade jewellery, 63. Any other handcraft item, 64. Painting in any medium – completed picture to be no more than A3 size, 65. Placemat in any medium.

Sheriff Hutton History Group

The Archive store is now completed with all the equipment in place, thanks to the many generous donations and the carpentry skills of Chris Thompson and Jack Ashbridge. We are now accepting any photographs, documents, artefacts to be stored in the archives and documents can be scanned if you want to keep the originals. The work of cataloging is continuing on weekly basis but is slow work as we keep stopping to read and discuss the many interesting articles and try to identify events and people. The store has already been used for personal research, with which we are very pleased to be of service to villagers, a small fee is charged for this to cover hire of the small committee room but if you are a member research is free. We are always looking for new members to help with the tasks if you are interested in joining the group membership is £10 annum, contact Beryl Haigh 878363.

Diary dates:

Looking forward to 2015 we have planned a year of talks with speakers on a wide range of subjects which we are sure will be of interest to many people.

Wednesday, January 28th, 2 - 5pm Village Hall - North Duffield Conservation and Local History group was formed in 1983 which firstly researched and published a booklet. In 2008 one of the members found a piece of Roman pottery in his garden and their journey into to Community Archaeology began. The group has reconstructed an Iron Age round house, held Celtic festivals and three years of excavation over an Iron Age site. This promises to be a very interesting presentation with video and artefacts covering a period over the last 5,000 years. Entrance £3 on the door with refreshments.

Contact Margaret 878465 or Meg 878136 for more information.

Sheriff Hutton Bowls Club FRIDAY BINGO

SHERIFF HUTTON VILLAGE HALL FRIDAY 16th January : 7.30 pm PRIZES! PRIZES! PRIZES! **£100 SPECIAL JACKPOT**

EVERYONE WELCOME

Plough Sunday at St Leonard's Farlington

Want to sing We Plough the Fields and Scatter in January?

Then join us to celebrate the start of the farming year at the Plough Sunday Service in St Leonard's on **Sunday 25th January** at 11:15am.

The service is followed by an excellent rustic lunch in the Village Hall which includes our renowned homemade soups, fresh bread, pork pie, fruit cake and cheese. Adults £8.00, children free.

A warm welcome is guaranteed for everyone.

Message from the Jumblies

Wishing you a very Happy and Prosperous 2015 and welcome to our 30th Year of Fundraising.

To bring you up to date our last Jumble Sale of 2014 was yet again a record breaker. Despite the short time that York Against Cancer Supporters had to collect jumble they pulled out all the stops and arrived at the Village Hall with a Mini bus and 2 cars bulging with goodies. Long before the sale started queues of eager buyers waited in the rain, ready for the doors to open. As usual the book room was very popular and was doing a roaring trade when it opened at 1pm. We just managed to sort all the jumble in time to open at 2pm and the main hall was soon full to capacity.

Many, many thanks to everyone who supported by sending jumble and giving very generous cash donations. The total raised was a fantastic £2,400 which will go towards the cost of a new mini bus to be used to transport patients to Leeds for treatment.

The Second Hand Jewellery stall held at the School Christmas Fair raised £123 which gives a total raised at our events throughout the year to £18,774 a new record.

Our first sale of 2015 will be for the Guide Dogs for the Blind on Saturday 24th January at 2pm (book room open at 1pm). Donations of jumble, books, cakes and prizes will be very much appreciated and can be brought to the Hall between 9.30 and 12 noon on the day.

Way back in 1986 Doreen Lynch and I together with the late May Barner and Doreen Langdale started fund raising jumble sales to raise money for the then new music room (now the office/staff room) at the School. At that time we were very happy to raise £200. Who would have thought that 30 years later we would still be running them and achieving such fantastic totals. Over the years many lovely people have been members of the Jumblies Team and we have many happy memories.

We have worked with some fantastic support groups and many of our village groups and organisations have benefitted from the money raised at our fund raising events.

We can remember reaching our first £500 which was for the Guide Dogs for the Blind and the first £1,000 was to raise money for the Play Area. I don't think any of us could envisage reaching £2,000 which remained out of reach for so long but 2014 saw us doing this 4 times. I think to reach £3,000 we are going to have to request an extra wing be built on the village Hall to accommodate all the jumble needed.

Thank you so much to everyone for your continued support. Thank you to the Village Hall Trustees and Management Committee for providing the venue and particularly to the long suffering caretakers and booking secretaries over the years. Thank you to those people who step in to help us when we need you. We hope we can count on you for our future events.

As well as Doreen and myself, the current Sheriff Hutton Jumblies in alphabetical order are Elaine Aconley, Joan and Sheila Armitage, Janet Atkinson, Sharon Bennett, Pat Cooper, Sue, Jessica and Harriet Dodds, Jean Farnaby, Margaret Frank, Barbara Grinham, Andy Hunt, Bonnie and Mike Lawson, Elaine Rutherford, Linda Scaife, Eileen Watson, Lara and Lizzie Willan

We look forward to seeing you at our 2015 fund raising events

Penny Bean 878392

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	Thinage regular treeting recurrings						
Sun	9.00am	Combat Fitness	Village Hall				
	9.30am	Holy Communion	Parish Church but check in church for details				
	10.30am	Morning Service	Methodist Church				
Mon	9.00am	Playgroup	School	2.00pm	Ladies Tennis	Tennis Club	
		-		7.30pm	Badminton	Village Hall	
Tues	9.00am	Playgroup	School	7.00pm	Circuit Training	Village Hall	
	9.15am	Pilates	Village Hall	8.00pm	Pilates	Village Hall	
	10.30am	Pilates	Village Hall				
	12.30pm	Over 60's Lunch					
Wed	8.30am	Morning Prayers	Methodist Church				
	9.00am	Playgroup	School				
	9.30 am	Tennis Coaching	Tennis Club				
	10.00am	Drop in for Coffee	Methodist Church				
	10.30am	Ladies Tennis	Tennis Club				
Thurs	9.45am	Babes & Toddlers	Village Hall	7.00pm	Youth Group	Village Hall	
Fri	9.00am	Playgroup	School				

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Mon	5 th	7.30pm	Guild – Meet the new Circuit Superintendent in the Miss Ward Room			
Wed	7 th	2.30pm	Singing Together in the Miss Ward Room			
		7.30pm	Field Naturalists Reindeer of the Cairngorms in the Village Hall			
Fri	9 th	10.00 - 12.00	Super Mobile Library in the Village Hall car park			
		7.30pm	Parish Council in the Village Hall			
Sat	10 th	7.30pm	United Christian Churches New Year Party in Village Hall			
Mon	12 th	7.30pm	Guild Memories of the Chapel in the Miss Ward Room			
Wed	14 th	7.30pm	Yorkshire Countrywomen Earrings Galore in the Village Hall			
Thurs	15 th	9.30 – 11.30	Health Visitor at the Village Hall			
		7.00pm	Youth Club restarts			
Fri	16 th	7.30pm	Bowls Club Bingo in the Village Hall			
Mon	19 th	7.30pm	Guild – Minsmere RSPB Centre in the Miss Ward Room			
Tues	20 th	7.30pm	Friends of the Village Hall meeting in the Village Hall			
Wed	21 st	7.30pm	Gardening Club <i>Dr Andrew Ward of Norwell Nurseries</i> in the Village Hall			
Thurs	22 nd	2.15pm	Film Afternoon in the Miss Ward Room			
Fri	23 rd	10.00 - 12.00	Super Mobile Library in the Village Hall car park			
Sat	24 th	2.00 – 4.00pm	Jumblies Sale in aid of Guide Dogs for the Blind in the Village Hall			
Sun	25 th	11.15pm	Blessing of the Plough followed by a Ploughman's Lunch at Farlington			
			Church and Village Hall			
Mon	26 th	7.30pm	Guild - Royal Mint - Introducing the £2 Coin in the Miss Ward Room			
Wed	28 th	2.00 – 5.00pm	History Group – North Duffield Conservation & Local History Group in			
			the Village Hall			

Dates to Note

February	5 th & 6 th	7pm	DISHY present Robin Hood in the Village Hall
	7th	5pm	DISHY present Robin Hood in the Village Hall
	17 th	7.30pm	Neighbourhood Watch meeting in the Village Hall
March	9 th	7.30pm	Village Charity meeting in the Village Hall
Mar	17 th -19 th		Coach Road Local Inquiry in the Village Hall
June	9 th		Gardening Club outing to Newark
	23/24 th		Gardening Club outing to Northamptonshire
July	6 th	7.30pm	Village Charity meeting in the Village Hall
November	9th	7.30pm	Village Charity meeting in the Village Hall

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