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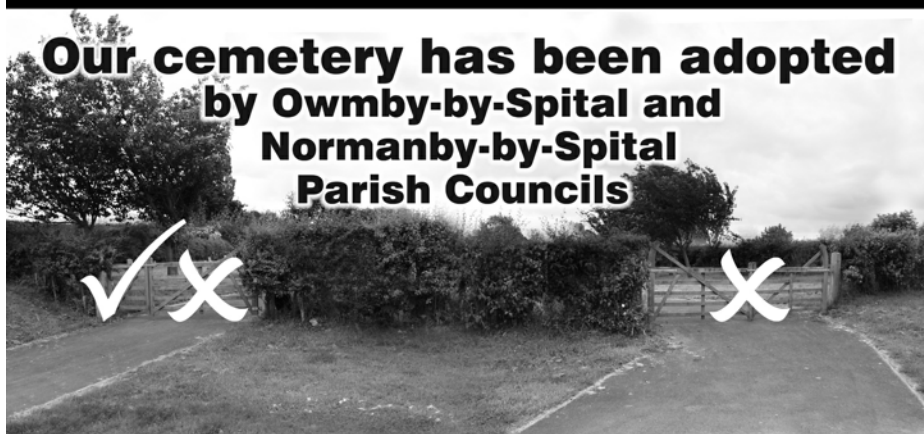
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A polite request from Owmbly & Normanby-by-Spital Parish Councils

**Our cemetery has been adopted
by Owmbly-by-Spital and
Normanby-by-Spital
Parish Councils**



We pay for the upkeep using the precept collected from our parishioners (that's **you**). It is therefore in everyone's interest that the costs to maintain this special place are kept to a minimum.

The gates have suffered damage and have had to be repaired recently because people have left them open and also swung on them. Please ensure that you use & close the small gate only for pedestrian access, the large ones are for use by the grass cutters, those who have trouble walking & funeral access only.

FROM THE PARISH PRIEST

Dear Friends,

I write these words on the eve of the World Cup 2014. Don't worry, this letter isn't going to be about football, but as you read these words I wonder how 'our boys' will have fared so far. Perhaps our national side has made it through both the group stage and the round of 16, meaning that we are looking forward to a quarter-final tie? Perhaps. Or perhaps not. Either way, I hope that this tournament will come to be remembered for the sport.

While all of this is going on I will be trying to complete work on a Masters Dissertation on Sports Chaplaincy. Thanks to the 2012 Olympics and the ongoing work of some 300 Chaplains currently serving in sports such as football, rugby, cricket, horse racing and motorsport (my area) this is becoming an area of very valuable ministry (you may find out more details at www.sportschaplaincy.org.uk). The role of a Chaplain here is to offer pastoral and spiritual support wherever possible, offering an independent listening ear, supporting those of all faiths and none, and it provides a natural extension of what we seek to do in our parishes, both in and out of our churches. That is, acknowledging, celebrating and giving thanks for human endeavour in sport and caring for God's people.

The academic discipline of writing 15,000 words is a difficult one to master (if you will excuse the pun!), but in the month of July we also celebrate the academic lives of people in our parishes. This is when we will see our Leavers' Assemblies in our primary schools, which are always a very moving occasion, as we look back on and celebrate the primary education of our children ahead of new beginnings for them in September. It can be a day of emotion for all involved but also a day of celebration as we remember all of the learning and sharing that has taken place in the classroom but also outside, whether out on the sports field, on school trips or in the local community.

As we look back and look forward, I hope that our children (and indeed Mr Oyston, who retires this summer at Hackthorn CofE Primary School after some 20 years as Headteacher) will know that our love and prayers go with them and will remain with them. We frequently pray at home and in our churches for our local schools, carers, shops, businesses, farmers and all who serve us, and this becomes a form of Chaplaincy in itself, in that we take the time to treasure and show our gratitude for all that happens and is offered in our local communities.

I hope that as the summer holidays draw near we will each take the opportunity to rest and reflect, before, and to use a modern-day football expression, 'We go again', and look to love and share, serving God and one another.

With my prayers and best wishes to you all,

Adrian Smith

The Revd Dr John Tomlinson

On Wednesday, 11 June a group of us travelled over to the Parish of St John the Evangelist, Carrington, in the Deanery of Nottingham South, as John was inducted and installed as Vicar of the Parish. The service was a wonderful, joyful occasion and it was a privilege for us to commend John to his new parish and to share in the warmth of the welcome offered by his new parishioners. We thank John for all that he has offered during his ministry in our parishes over the past six years and we hope to make a return trip to Carrington in the future. In the meantime if you would like to see more of John's new surroundings please visit the church website at www.stjohnscarrington.org.uk

THIS MONTH'S OWMBY GROUP CHURCH SERVICES

Day	Time	Service	Place	By
Thursday 3rd	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Owmby	BW
Sunday 6th	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Glenthams	JH
<i>3rd after Trinity</i>	11:00 a.m.	Holy Communion	Spridlington	AS
	6:30 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Owmby	ST
Thursday 10th	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Spridlington	BW
Sunday 13th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Spridlington	AS
<i>4th after Trinity</i>	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	AS&SD
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Glenthams	AS
Sunday 20th	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Glenthams	AS
<i>5th after Trinity</i>	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Owmby	JD
	11:00 a.m.	Family Service	Hackthorn	AS
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Spridlington	ST
Thursday 24th	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	ST
Sunday 27th	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Hackthorn	JB
<i>6th after Trinity</i>	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Saxby	AS
	11:00 a.m.	Family Eucharist	Owmby	AS
Thursday 31st	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Caenby	MC

A listing of Sunday Services in the Springline Parish can be found on page 37

GLENTHAM METHODIST CHAPEL

Sunday 6th	No Service		
Sunday 13th	6:00 p.m.		Rev Andrew Lomax
Sunday 20th	10:45 a.m.	Messy Church	
Sunday 27th	8:45 a.m.	Breakfast - No Service	

DAILY CHURCH SERVICES

Monday	9:15 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Brattleby
Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Burton
	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Spridlington
	12:15 p.m.	Eucharist	Scampton
Wednesday	4:30 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Hackthorn
Friday	4:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Spridlington
Saturday	8:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Burton

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is Tuesday the 15th of July at 6:00 p.m.**

"Let your dreams be bigger than your fears, your actions louder than your words, and
your faith stronger than your feelings"

BISHOP OF LINCOLN'S LETTER

Dear Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

I imagine that many of you reading this letter are preparing to take a summer holiday.

Whether you're going away or staying at home, the summer months are often a time when we're able to change gear and slow down a little. They are an opportunity for some rest and relaxation.

It's easy to fall into the trap of thinking that we are only doing God's work if we are busy. It is true that our faith must be expressed in action, but should only ever be part of the story. That action must be informed by prayer and reflection. The gospels tell us that Jesus often got into a boat and took himself away from the crowds after busy times, so that he could spend time alone with God. Jesus knew how important it was to make the time to do that.

When we live at a busy pace, we need rest in order for our bodies to recharge and feel rejuvenated. But there's more to it than that. Finding time to rest is essential for a life that is balanced and healthy, emotionally and spiritually as well as physically. Rest gives us time to recalibrate, to reflect and to pray, to ask ourselves, 'Am I doing the things God wants me to do in my life?' Reflecting on that question might lead us to think about doing things differently, refocusing our lives so that they are once again in tune with what God is asking us to do.

So wherever you may be this summer, I encourage you to find some time simply to rest in the presence of God. May you be blessed in your rest and relaxation, and in all that you do in God's name.

+ *Christopher Lincoln* :

Parish Prayer Meeting

The Parish Prayer Meeting which has been meeting on Saturday in each church in the Springline parish will begin to meet in the Owmbly Group in July. The first one will be in Hackthorn church at 9:00 a.m. for two consecutive weeks starting on Saturday, 26th July. All are welcome - it is informal, praying for our churches and communities.

The following dates are:-

Hackthorn - 26th July and 2nd August

Spridlington - 9th and 16th August

Saxby - 23rd and 30th August

Owmbly - 6th and 13th September

Glentham - 20th and 27th September

FROM THE REGISTERS

Service of Thanksgiving for the Gift of a Child:

Owmbly on 17 May - Daniella May Rooke

Weddings:

Spridlington on 24 May - James Pickwell and Clare Beattie

Ingham on 24 May - Edward Pritchard and Jennifer Miller

Burton on 7 June - Lewis Potter and Rachel Mills

Baptisms:

Owmbly on 25 May - Jayne Melanie Smith, Jack Dolan Smith and Elliot Alfie Dolan Smith

Burton on 8 June - Lisa Jane Jones

Spridlington on 8 June - Edward Alexander Lee

Scampton on 8 June - Frederick Christopher William Hunter

Funerals and Burials:

Funeral at Scampton and burial at Brightwater Green Burial Meadow on 28 May - Jean Tonge



THANK YOU

The Revd Gunnar Kvist

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for letting me spend six wonderful weeks in The Owmbly Group and The Springline Parish. These weeks did mean a lot to me and I really enjoyed my time in England.

So my warmest thanks to The Rev Adrian Smith for taking on a Swedish minister interested in England and Anglican ministry, to the three couples letting me stay in their homes and in many ways showing me more of England and being ever so helpful, to the families inviting me for lunch or dinner, to very helpful Churchwardens, to all of you in the parishes that I met at many different occasions and to the ministry team for shared morning and evening prayers and for showing me more of Anglican ministry - and for shared meals and nice cups of coffee and tea. My visit turned out just the way I had hoped for, including a visit to the Snooker Championships in Sheffield and of course visits to the Cathedral. The only thing I missed was the Red Arrows as they were in Cyprus...

I do hope I will see you again
With my best wishes,

The Revd Gunnar Kvist

Thames Path Walk

I would like to thank everyone who supported me on my walk along the Thames Path by donating to my charity **Cancer Research UK**.

I have been overwhelmed by your generosity and the lovely messages I received that so lifted my spirits when I was tired and footsore.

Thank you also to those wonderful friends and family who joined me along the path to walk with me. I was constantly being surprised by someone along the route.

Special thanks to Judith who acted as my treasurer and who organised a surprise party for my homecoming.

The walk itself was harder than I had thought it would be mainly because of the muddy conditions in the early days that slowed progress considerably. Some days I could be walking for nine or ten hours but the isolation and the scenery were wonderful.

However it was worthwhile. My final total was £3710 and gift aid should bring this up to about £4400. Thank you all so much.

Diana Burrows

Saxby

I would like to say thank you to all my church friends for the retirement gifts that you gave me and especially for the personal poem. It was all a lovely surprise.
Thank you all.

.Tina Harrison

George Hall

Margaret and family would like to thank friends and neighbours for their lovely cards, also those who attended George's funeral and have given donations.

RAINBOW FELLOWSHIP

For residents of the Owmbly Group of Parishes

By kind permission of Arlene Morrish
The Cottage, Main Street, Normanby

Monday July 14th at 2:00 p.m.

Please note this is the 2nd Monday of the month

OUR ANNUAL OUTING

Booking a place is essential, thank you



A Thank You and A Reminder

We have received a letter from Lincoln Food Bank thanking all who have contributed to the food bank and kettle boxes.

Also thank you to all who have kindly offered their homes and the village shop at Normanby as a place to leave the food ready for collection.

We do hope to continue this and here is a reminder of the locations -

- **Hackthorn** - Brenda Hinch
- **Spridlington** - In the church.
- **Saxby** - Tina Harrison, Manor Farm Cottage, Saxby.
- **Firsby, East and West** - Rosemary Cox, Manor Farm, East Firsby.
- **Owmbly/Normanby** - Normanby Village Shop.
- **Glenthams** - Irene Pickering, 11 Washdyke Lane.

If you have news, event, an article or a story you feel would be of interest to other readers, please contact Steve, the editor. His telephone number is on the contacts page towards the back of this month's edition. Full details are on the Owmbly Group web site.

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There has been a great deal of enthusiasm for modern languages at our school in recent months. Not only have Key Stage 2 been having their normal sessions which have resulted in some brilliant role playing scenarios, such as 'the fashion school' and ordering food in a café, but Key Stage 1 have started a lunchtime French club as well, so that they can get up to speed with their conversational skills to give them a head start with the subject in later years. Parents were treated to some superb verbal interplay between 2 of our younger pupils at good works assembly, which amply demonstrated the fact that languages are best learnt at an early age.

A group of Key Stage 2 pupils have expanded their repertoire by visiting a recording studio to produce a CD in Spanish, which will be used for teaching the language to other young children in the future.

Zoolab came to visit, giving both Key Stage 1 and 2 an excellent opportunity to meet, and indeed handle, all manner of things that creep, crawl, squirm and generally disturb the grown-ups! Inspired by this, Key Stage one have made their own wormery and are now fully conversant with which end of the earthworm does what!

If you are a pre-schooler, then you might like to come along to our Teddy Bears' picnic, which will be taking place on the afternoon of Thursday 10th July 1:30- 2:30pm, please give us a call or use the contact form on the website for more details.

Don't forget that we will also be holding our Summer Fair on the 18th July from 3:30-5:00pm, so why not come along for some fun, games and refreshment?

Contact the school on 01673 860295 to arrange a visit or to request a School Brochure, or have a look round our website at www.hackthorn.lincs.sch.uk

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MEL OYSTON & CO MUSIC EVENING - 17 MAY

This was a joint fundraising event for the Friends of Hackthorn School, and for Hackthorn & Cold Hanworth Village Hall - and it was a great evening!

Thank you to everyone who made it such a success. To Mel & Donna who entertained us all so well, to those who arranged the catering and set everything up, and an especially HUGE thank you to all who came along to enjoy the evening and help create such a fabulous atmosphere. We are delighted to say that we made a fantastic £356.00.

Many Thanks.

FoHS and Hackthorn Village Hall Committee



Messy Church is now in Hackthorn and will meet in Hackthorn Village Hall on the following dates:

Sundays 6 July - 28 September - 23 November

All are welcome!

Messy Church meets from 11:00am - 12:30pm and is a fun way of 'being church' for all.

A simple lunch is provided and children are accompanied by their parents and carers.

www.messychurch.org.uk www.owmbygroup.co.uk

Mel Oyston - Headteacher, Hackthorn School

As many of you will be aware, after 20 years as Headteacher of the school, Mel Oyston is retiring at the end of this academic year.

We are organising an event to celebrate his time at the school and to give him a good 'send-off'. The event will take place on Tuesday, 22 July 2014 at 6pm in the main hall at William Farr School and we would like as many ex-pupils and their families we can contact to attend. If you are able to attend, please contact Lynne Clark at the school on 01673 860295 (Monday, Tuesday & Friday) or e-mail lynne.clark@hackthorn.lincs.sch.uk.

We have started a collection for Mr O and any donations would be gratefully received, as we need to raise £500 to purchase a gift we have chosen for him.

We are hoping to keep the event from him, if possible (let's hope we can keep the Signpost away from him)!

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In the Village Hall at Hackthorn

Saturday 13 September

from 10.00am - 12.00noon

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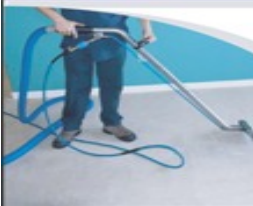


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SAXBY

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Local bands will be providing live entertainment - there is something for all tastes and ages - **UK Headz** will be performing popular covers, **Ben and Billy** -- massively talented Grade 8 pianist and Frank Sinatra type crooner, and **Big Green Quintet** - Multi-instrumentalist band from Caistor, will all be performing on the night.

Refreshments will be available to purchase plus there will be the opportunity to take a stroll through the beautiful gardens.

Tickets (£20 family ticket, £8.50 single ticket & £4 additional child) available from The Garden House at Saxby on 01673 878820 or from St Barnabas Fundraising Office on 01522 540300, or visit www.stbarnabashospice.co.uk.

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NORMANBY & OWMBY

OWMBY-BY-SPITAL PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The Annual Parish and Annual Parish Council meetings were held on Wednesday 21st May.

Cllr Crompton-Howe reported that the Community Review, jointly undertaken with Normanby-by-Spital Parish Council, had been well attended. He thanked people for organizing and attending the event. The Chairman had received several very positive comments from residents concerning the changes to the Normanby Post Office / Shop. He reported that the cremated remains area in the cemetery has now been laid. He also reported that the cricket club is still occupying the grounds and that they are in discussion with the land owner about the future of the club. A number of road repairs have been undertaken by highways.

PCSO Raper reported the crime statistics from last November to the present.

The amount of funds in the current account at 31.3.14 was £1577.

DC J Summers reported that the Council has had a good year. Two temporary directors have been appointed. One of the directors is working on the process of the council to improve the necessary paper trail. As a result the council has received an orange rating for governance. The other director is helping the council deal with property assets. WLDC are buying properties that are in a state of disrepair and renovating them to sell on the private market.

Cllr Crompton-Howe was re-elected as Chairman and Cllr Danny Mellor was elected as Vice-Chair.

There are a number of potholes in the village. Cllr Crompton-Howe is going to photograph the holes and identify the locations for the Clerk to report to Highways.

Cllr Crompton-Howe reported some planning training that he, Cllr Mellor and the Clerk had attended. The training provided information on the grounds which Parish Councils can and cannot object upon. Cllr Crompton-Howe also reported that Owmbly Parish Council is willing to support neighbouring councils with their objections to wind farms.

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Owmbly & Normanby WI

Thursday, 3rd July at 7:30pm
Normanby Primary School Hall

OPEN MEETING

OWMBY BY SPITAL by KEN GREEN

“A BRIEF HISTORY IN PHOTOGRAPHS”

Competition: A local scene in Watercolour or Photography

We look forward to seeing you all - and welcome new members.

****£3.00 charge for Visitors****

OWMBY PCC MONTHLY DRAW

1st	2nd	3rd
Wendy Fox	Eva Batt	Neville James

If you have an article, story or event concerning Owmbly or Normanby, please contact Avril on 01673 878393 or email your submission to normanby@owmblygroup.co.uk

OWMBY AND NORMANBY CEMETERY

Firstly an apology for the state the grass in the cemetery has been lately. Though I am sure most of you appreciate that the weather has been against the grass cutters coming, please realise that the Maintenance Team do a lot of other work and obviously have a schedule they try to keep to and we have had the misfortune to have had rain when they were due here. They do know that we are unhappy about the length of grass, but quite honestly, it is better to have long grass than have deep tyre marks which would make the ground even more uneven.

THE GATES - now this has become a very contentious issue. Someone is opening the large gates and leaving them open. The left hand one is being dragged inwards and taken over the kerb near the seat (and this takes a lot of strength), if it has to be opened, please open it outwards. There is a slope going into the cemetery, so the gates naturally fall outwards. There is no need to open these large gates at all, unless for a funeral, grass cutting or those who cannot walk very far, so please just use the little side gate - and close this, and the large ones afterwards please.

DOG DIRT - Would dog owners, who walk their dogs through the cemetery, please clear up after your dog has fouled. There is a dog bin just outside the cemetery gates so please use it to deposit the mess.


CANS AND BOTTLES - If you want to drink while in the cemetery, please do not just leave your empty bottle or can lying around. There is a black bin just by the seat, so please use it.

The cemetery should be a place for respect and reflection, not really a route to walk your dog or drink alcohol, but if you do, please leave the cemetery tidy.

That all said, dog dirt is a problem on the pavements and grass verges, please clear up after your dog has fouled anywhere in the villages. There are dog bins by the cemetery gates, by the telephone exchange, two down Private Lane and one by the little copse on the way out of the village towards Glenthams. In Owmbly there are dog bins on Carter's Corner, end or beginning (depending which way one approaches) of Green Lane, Bakery Corner and one on Normanby Road, between the two villages. Make sure you take a pooh bag every time you take your dog for a walk, use it and deposit it in an appropriate dog bin please.

Nadine Fox (Clerk to N-b-S Parish Council)

**The latest date for entries to the August Signpost
is Tuesday the 15th of July at 6:00 p.m.**

	Whist Drive Results		
1st Lady	Janet Andrew	2nd Lady	Anne Turnbull
1st Gent	Shirley James	2nd Gent	Richard Harrison
Low Score	Brian Jois Tina Harrison	Near Score	Brian Jois Tina Harrison
Miniature	Brian Jois Anne Turnbull	Raffle	Shirley James Valerie Anderson
<p>Anyone wishing to join us at the next Whist Drive, it will be held at the home of Shirley & Neville James, Kippen, Normanby on Wednesday 23rd July at 7:30pm. We are always pleased to see new faces, and it is always a very light-hearted evening.</p>			

NORMANBY BY SPITAL PRIMARY SCHOOL

We are collecting the Sainsbury Active Kids Vouchers. These can be used to order Cookery, Gardening and Sports equipment. The collection box can be found in the link corridor. Closing date 11th July 2014

Parent and Toddler Group every Monday of term time, in the school hall 2.00pm to 3.30pm. Please contact Mrs Jacqui Clinch 01673 878296 for more details.

Medical & Dentist Appointments

If your child has an appointment during school time, please advise us prior to the appointment and provide a copy of their appointment letter/card. Thank you.

Music Lesson

From September there will be spaces for singing, claret, keyboard, flute and for Year Five and Six pupils saxophone. The lessons take place on a Monday morning during school time on a rota basis, priced at £11 per session. Please contact the school office for further information or register your child

From Mrs Crompton and the Whole Staff Team

Dates to Remember

01/07 Fifth swimming session

08/07 Last swimming session

11/07 Poetry festival

23/07 School closes for summer holidays

Contact the school on **01673 878216**

or visit the website at **www.normanbyprimary.org.uk**

St. Peter & St. Paul Church **COFFEE MORNING**

Thursday 3rd July at 10:30 a.m.

Westfield House, Owmbly

By kind permission of

Jane Hiles

Everyone welcome



NOPE - Normanby & Owmbly Park Enthusiasts

On May 17th, our Community Day was held at Normanby School to invite the residents of Normanby & Owmbly to share their thoughts on the future of our villages. An organisation called Community Lines helped us to organise the day, with interactive displays, maps and questionnaires to gather information. It was a beautiful day and the local WI served refreshments, FoNS provided face painting, and there was a colouring competition and graffiti wall to make sure that the younger generation was fully involved, too. Village groups were all in attendance with a display and tombola from Owmbly Cricket Club, a wall exhibition of work by the Painting Club, a rolling slide show of old village photos from Ken Green's collection, an online demonstration of the Facebook group "Normanby & Owmbly Old Village Photo's" and

representatives from the Youth Club, the Whist Club and all members of both Parish Councils. All of the opinions and suggestions made on the day were taken away by Community Lincs, and will be analysed and put into a report for both Parish Councils which will hopefully help to steer the future for the two villages. Lots of tea, coffee and delicious cakes were consumed by everyone that took part, and the money made has been shared between the WI and the community facilities fund for the villages. To thank people for taking the time to come to the event, and also to contribute their own thoughts there was a free raffle, with the prize being a meal for 2 (to the value of £40) at the Bottle & Glass for a lucky couple from each village. The winners were: Eileen from Normanby; and Richard from Owmbly. There were also prizes for the children's colouring competition, and these went to: Polly from Normanby; and Abby from Owmbly. Congratulations to all of our prize winners! and sincere thanks to all of our helpers; and especially thank you to the residents that took the time to call in on a lovely Saturday afternoon and make it a genuine consultation with our community.

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GLENTHAM PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

NOTES ON COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON 5th JUNE 2014

The **village green** was discussed at length, the Council being concerned about erosion of its edges by passing vehicles. Chain and post fencing was proposed, but members of the Village Hall Committee pointed out that this would restrict overflow parking at some of the bigger events and would have a damaging effect on their success. Other ways of providing parking are being tackled, possibly at the front and rear of the Hall supplemented by off-road parking nearby.

The Council's **financial accounts** have been internally audited with a satisfactory rating, and are currently undergoing external audit.

The **defibrillator fund** currently stands at a very creditable £1,971, mainly thanks to the efforts of Cllr Sarah Shaw, who has orgained quiz nights and has made successful applications for grants. Purchase of the equipment, which will be sited in the entrance to The Crown Inn, can proceed very soon.

Plans are in hand for a number of **illuminations and activities for Christmas**. Ideas will be gratefully received to make this event a very enjoyable time of year

Finally, your **Parish Clerk** is moving on, and he expresses his thanks and good wishes to all in Glentham parish for the future

Vacancy. At the time of writing, a vacancy exists for a Councillor; please contact any Councillor or the Clerk if you are interested in making a difference to your community

Dates of next meetings

The next meetings will be held on 3rd July and 7th August at 7.30pm in Glentham Village Hall. You are welcome to come and observe or to have your say.

Parish Council contact details

The Councillors:-

Mike Neumann (Chairman)
Alan Lakeman
Adam Shaw

Ian Pilcher
Sarah Shaw
Martin Kuhl

The Councillors can be contacted via the Parish Clerk, until July 20th as follows:-

Jeff Reynolds, Lark Rise, 5A Beck Hill, Tealby, Market Rasen LN8 3XS
Tel: 01673 838571 Email: clerk@glentham.org.uk

THANK YOU

THE GLENTHAM SINGERS

Thank you for supporting the Glentham singers at their concert on 17th May. £120 was raised and divided equally between St Barnabas Hospice, Lincoln and the Glentham Village Hall roof fund.

Once again, thank you for your support.

The next concert by the singers will be in the Village Hall on **Saturday 6th December 2014** at 7 30 pm.

If you would like to be a member of the singers, please phone Margaret on 01673 878004 for an informal chat.

Methodist Church

COFFEE MORNING

Tuesday 15th July at 10:30 a.m.

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All Welcome



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Wednesdays 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

July 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd & 30th

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Monday 14th July, 2:00 p.m.

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As mentioned in the previous Signpost, the 6:00pm evening service on Sunday the 14th September at St Peter's Church, will be a celebration of hymns and readings chosen by you. If something has inspired you, comforted you or just made you smile come along and share it with others.

Let us know what you have chosen by contacting the Reverend Adrian Smith on aksmith96@btinternet.com or Robert Rowe on robert14526@gmail.com.

If you prefer you can leave a message for Adrian at 01673 860464.



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If you are the main carer for any of our patients it would be helpful for us to hold that information on record and also enable us to offer additional support as needed. Please give your details to our reception staff so that we can record this. Further information relating to carers may be found on our website.

We are currently surveying patients about our acute illness clinic which changed at the end of last year to ensure we take account of views and ideas where possible when shaping our services. Results will be discussed with our Patient Participation Group once completed.

Sallie Stead

WELTON PATIENT AND DOCTORS ASSOCIATION

The next PDA event will be a photography evening to be held on Thursday 18th Sept in Welton Village Hall starting at 7.30pm. It will be an illustrated talk given by Clive Minnitt (www.minnitt.co.uk) entitled The Lighter Side of Photography. Clive very kindly travelled from his home in Bristol to speak to us around 4 years ago and that event was a huge success which we hope to repeat this year. There was a good mix of keen photographers, those who just like to play around with a camera and some people who just wanted a night out. Whatever your level of photographic knowledge this is an evening I am sure you will enjoy. Clive is an excellent speaker both humorous and informative. Tickets are now on sale priced at £5 to include light refreshments in the interval. If you would like to reserve tickets please give either myself a call. (Welton 862570) or Roy Minnitt (Welton 860980)

The PDA Autumn Fayre is planned for Saturday 18th October in Welton Village Hall. Tables are available for hire priced £5. We are as usual looking for a good mix of sale items so please call Roy Minnitt (860980) to express interest in hiring a table. Unfortunately we won't be able to take bookings from anyone wishing to sell cakes or food items.

We will be looking for bric a brac, books, tombola items, in date groceries for the grocery trolley, anything in a bottle or glass and wine for the wine or water game. We will also be asking for cakes on the day.

If anyone can offer any of the above, please give me a call on 862570 and I can arrange collection if necessary.

Thank you for your continued support of the PDA

Janet Goddard

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Tues 1	Willoughton Tuesday Club	6:00 p.m.
Wed 2	Bishop Norton Church	10:30 a.m.
Thurs 3	St Mary's Church, Welton	10:00 a.m.
Mon 7	Park House, Welton	2:00 p.m.
Wed 9	Faldingworth Village Hall	10:00 a.m.
Thurs 10	Hemswell Cliff Primary School	9:30 a.m.
Sat 12	Methodist Church, Welton	10:30 a.m.
Wed 16	RAF Scampton V Cafe	10:00 a.m.
Thurs 24	RAF Scampton Youth Club	6:00 p.m.
Mon 28	Park House, Welton	2:00 p.m.
Thurs 31	St Mary's Church, Welton	10:00 a.m.

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	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Burton	Churchwardens
	10:15 a.m.	Family Service	Scampton	FST & ST
	10:15 a.m.	No Service	South Carlton	
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Brattleby	BH
Sunday 13th <i>4th after Trinity</i>	9:15 a.m.	Holy Communion	Cammeringham	BW
	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Burton	JH
	10:30 a.m.	Family Service	Ingham Church	FST
	10:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Brattleby	NH
	10:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	North Carlton	BW
	11:00 a.m.	Holy Communion	Fillingham	JH
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Scampton	SD
Sunday 20th <i>5th after Trinity</i>	8:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Ingham	BW
	9:15 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Cammeringham	JB & BH
	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Scampton	ST & SD
	9:30 a.m.	Morning Prayer	Burton	NH
	10:15 a.m.	No Service	South Carlton	
	3:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Burton	JH
Sunday 27th <i>6th after Trinity</i>	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion	Brattleby	ST
	9:30 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	Burton	JH & NH
	10:30 a.m.	Joint Service	Ingham Church	JB
	10:30 a.m.	No service	North Carlton	
	6:00 p.m.	Evening Prayer	Fillingham	JP

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What's On Guide

Day / Date		Time	Function	Venue
Tues	1	2:00 p.m.	Knit & Knatter	Glenthams Village Hall
Tues	1	7:30 p.m.	Glenthams & Caenby Tapestry Group	Trap House, Glenthams
Wed	2	10:00 a.m.	Glenthams Village Hall Coffee Morning	Glenthams Village Hall
Thurs	3	10:30 a.m.	Ss Peter & Paul Church Coffee Morning	Westfield House, Owmby
Thurs	3	7:30 p.m.	Owmby & Normanby WI	Normanby School
Fri	4	7:30 p.m.	American Independence Day	Spridlington Village Hall
Sat	5	6:30 p.m.	Midsummer Music Festival	Garden House, Saxby
Tues	8	2:00 p.m.	Computer Group	Glenthams Village Hall
Tues	8	7:30 p.m.	Glenthams & District Gardeners' Club	Glenthams Village Hall
Wed	9	10:00 a.m.	Glenthams Village Hall Coffee Morning	Glenthams Village Hall
Thurs	10	7:00 p.m.	Presence Bible Study and Prayer Group	Tilsit, Glenthams
Sat	12	9:00 a.m.	Men's Breakfast	The Crown, Glenthams
Sun	13	2:00 p.m.	Family Fun Day	Glenthams Village Green
Mon	14	2:00 p.m.	Rainbow Fellowship	The Cottage, Normanby
Mon	14	2:00 p.m.	Glenthams 55+ Club	Glenthams Village Hall
Tues	15	10:30 a.m.	Methodist Church Coffee Morning	Greenfields, Glenthams
Tues	15	2:00 p.m.	Knit & Knatter	Glenthams Village Hall

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Wed	16	10:00 a.m.	Glenthams Village Hall Coffee Morning	Glenthams Village Hall
Sun	20	3:00 p.m.	Afternoon Tea	Sarah's Cottage, Glenthams
Tues	22	2:00 p.m.	Computer Group	Glenthams Village Hall
Wed	23	10:00 a.m.	Glenthams Village Hall Coffee Morning	Glenthams Village Hall
Wed	23	7:30 p.m.	Whist Drive	Kippen, Normanby
Thurs	24	7:00 p.m.	Presence Bible Study and Prayer Group	Tilsit, Glenthams
Wed	30	10:00 a.m.	Glenthams Village Hall Coffee Morning	Glenthams Village Hall

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