



AIRMYN NEWS

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The Tour De Yorkshire created quite a buzz in the village when it passed through on May 3rd. Airmyn school watched the ladies race from the safety of Mr & Mrs Webster's field with a great view of the cyclists coming from Boothferry Bridge. The children made land art using their high-visibility jackets to spell out 'Airmyn' on the field, and enjoyed a picnic lunch back at school. Airmyn church had a wonderful refreshments stall and £200 was raised on the day. There was a great turn out later on in the day to see the Men's race and villagers and visitors alike enjoyed seeing the spectacle and all of the decorations along the High Street. Thanks go to those who helped sew bunting, Airmyn Garage for painting bikes, those who put up street decorations and the ladies serving teas on the day.



Civic Service

As my civic two years draw to a close, I consider it my greatest privilege for the Reverend Philip Ball my Chaplin to conduct my service in the beautiful Saint David's Church Airmyn. Guests who attended the service were, Lord - Lieutenant of the East Riding, The Hon. Mrs Susan Cuncliffe - Lister, High Sheriff of East Riding, Mrs Deborah Rosenburg, Leader of East Riding Council, Councillor Steven R Parnaby, OBE. Chief Executive of East Riding Council, Mrs Caroline Lacey. Mayors' and Civic Heads. Parish Councillors from the Ward and many family & friends. I would like to applaud the pupils of Airmyn Park School, who sang so beautifully. Goole Air Cadets plus Rawcliffe Bridge & Snaith scouts who played host to the guests (well done). Special thanks to Susan Haywood, Airmyn Church Choir, organist and the church wardens for all their hard work in decorating the church so beautifully. Afternoon tea was served in Airmyn Memorial Hall, thanks to the staff of the hall for all their hard work. Many of my guests had never paid a visit to Airmyn and commented on our delightful village. Cllr Caroline Fox



Helen Cowling

As all readers of this newsletter will already know, Helen Cowling passed away on the 26th April. She would have celebrated her 70th birthday on the 2nd June this year. The massive attendance at her funeral in St. David's church on the 17th May was a very accurate reflection of the high esteem in which she was held throughout this village and, indeed, much further afield.

Helen's involvement with various Airmyn village institutions and community projects over a very long period of time was so immense and extensive that it is not really possible to go into any great detail about most of them in this article. She loved the village and always wanted it to look its best and its residents to be happy that they lived here. Like many of her contemporaries in the village, Helen was first stirred into action on the occasion of the Queen's Silver Jubilee celebrations in 1977 when, in the absence of a Memorial Hall, many of Airmyn's residents danced the night away in a huge marquee which was hired and erected on what is now the school field. This very successful event was followed by a similar one in 1981 to celebrate the Royal Wedding. Helen was heavily involved and thereafter there was no holding her. Shortly afterwards, she organised a public meeting in the old school, out of which was born, at her suggestion, a large committee of volunteers called the Village Association. For the next 20 years, it was this body of people that undertook organised fund-raising and thereby enabled Airmyn villagers to enjoy a whole succession of annual galas, usually with open competitions in many categories for baking, garden produce and various arts and crafts, as well as sports events for all ages followed by a dance and a meal in the evening.

Helen was always a key organiser, at the heart of all that was going on, and she persuaded and inspired many others to follow her example and get involved. They must have enjoyed it because they all kept coming back for more, year after year. The Village Association also entered Airmyn into the 'Britain in Bloom' competition for many years and a lot of you will remember the hanging baskets that used to adorn each of the lamp-posts throughout the village. The village often did well in these competitions and it was Helen who proudly displayed the framed certificates that we won in the Memorial Hall, where they can still be seen.

Helen was a member of Airmyn Parish Council from 2003 until 2015 and was its Chairperson for several of those years. During her time on the Council, in 2010 to be precise, the voluntary Committee that had managed the Memorial Hall since its opening in 1993, could no longer continue and the Parish Council had to take over. Helen played a major part in having the insulation work done that cured the Hall's acute acoustic problems by eliminating its 'echo.' She also oversaw the refurbishment of the R.L. Walker room and the creation of a Parish Council office within the building. She was a major influence in the creation of the village's Emergency Planning Committee, whose role and profile has become much more prominent in recent years. She was also a member of the Queen's Diamond Jubilee Committee which organised the celebrations within the village to mark that occasion in 2012. Most recently, even when in very poor health, she insisted on attending a site meeting at Bracken Hill, along Airmyn Lane, to consider how it might be developed as a wildlife habitat with some public access.

In recent times, Helen had taken a strong interest in art and last year she produced a fine painting of Airmyn church, from the outside, at dusk, with the lights shining through the stained glass of the east window. It is intended that Helen's 'Evensong at Airmyn' will feature on the church's Christmas card this year which, as always, will be distributed to every household.

Finally, Helen was largely responsible for creating and editing the original Airmyn monthly newsletter, back in the days of the Village Association, an involvement which is being perpetuated by her daughter Ruth, who is its current editor. I'm sure that the sympathy of all the readers is extended to Ruth and to the rest of her family members, especially her father Andy, Helen's devoted husband for the past 49 years.

If anyone would like to make a donation in memory of Helen to The Eve Appeal, a charity working to combat female cancers or to Airmyn Church, please contact Andy Cowling on 768490, see Janet Rushby or Susan Hayward.



BOWLERS REQUIRED

Airmyn Bowls Club are looking to recruit new members of any age or ability. If you would like to try a new sport whilst getting exercise and fresh air and meet new friends, why not give it a try at our superb facilities right on your doorstep!
Tuition and/or help is available if required, so come along – you never know you may enjoy it!!

For more information, please contact Alan on 01405 948853 or Chris on 01405 763226

Humberside Police - Immobilise

Buying and selling stolen and found mobile phones is big business for criminals; mostly because they are high value items, which are easy to steal and sell on. Approximately 55% of people who report their phones as lost or stolen, cannot provide the phone's unique reference number (IMEI). To tackle thefts of small electrical products, Humberside Police is running a campaign to get people to register the details of their valuables, on to a free website, called immobilise.com.

Help us to help you!

Complete the online form, which should take no more than a few minutes. You only need to provide your nominal details, make and model of your phone and your IMEI number. Once you have done this, click on to the email address, which is immobilise@humberside.pnn.police.uk. The form will then be fired across to a dedicated SPOC box, which a member of Police staff will pick up and process the information. They will create a unique Immobilise account for you. You will later receive an email, which confirms your account details and password, so you can add your other property and valuables at a later date.

You can find out what your IMEI number is by typing *#06# into your handset

The e-form will also be sent out to other partner agencies in various stages. Organisations taking part include Hull University, Hull City Council, Humberside Fire and Rescue and Neighbourhood Network. We want as many people as possible to register, so that the Police have a better chance of finding the rightful owner of lost and stolen property. If you want to tell your family and friends about the record keeping site, please ask them to go direct to www.immobilise.com.

Information about Immobilise

- The secure web based data storage facility has been used by members of the public to record details of their personal property since 2003.
- Each account is password protected.
- You can only upload property which is identifiable and bears a unique searchable number.
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- Every service provider can block a phone, preventing any unauthorised use, and they can also provide the IMEI numbers even after the mobile has been stolen.
- To enable meaningful investigations and a chance of recovering stolen property, victims must be able to provide accurate & unique descriptions, which is why we are encouraging record keeping.
- If you do not want to use this web site, keep a paper copy of a list of equipment, so you can still give identification details if your things are stolen or lost.

Tracking Apps

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Services at St. David's during this month

Sunday, 3 rd June	Holy Communion	6-00 pm
Sunday, 10 th June	Holy Communion	10-00 am
Sunday, 17 th June	Evening Prayer	6-00 pm
Sunday, 24 th June	Family Service	10-00 am

All readers are reminded that you do not have to be confirmed in order to attend a service of Holy Communion. All our services contain hymns and prayers and a talk from whoever is leading the service. These will all be

appropriate to the time of year and to any particular national or local events or circumstances or in response to individual needs or requests. All the services are open to people of all ages, including children.

Coffee Morning

Just in case this newsletter reaches you in time, please note that there will be a Coffee Morning at the home of Mrs. Janet Rushby, 17, Park Road,

Airmyn, on Thursday, the 31st May, commencing at 10-30 am. It will cost you £1.50 to get in and there will be a raffle and a cake stall and a good chance to have a sit down and a chat with friends and neighbours, either inside or outside, depending upon the weather.

All proceeds will be paid into the funds of St. David's church.

Arriva Service 400

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Goole 0820 1500 1815

Airmyn 0834 1514 1829

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Time Inward Journey

09:40	High Street, Airmyn
09:45	Bridge Road, Airmyn
09:50	High Street West, Hook
09:55	Hook Village Hall
10:00	High Street East, Hook
10:05	Goole Road, Hook
10:10	North Street, Goole
10:15	Boothferry Road Shops

Time Outward Journey

12:00	Boothferry Road Shops
12:05	North Street, Goole
12:10	Goole Road, Hook
12:15	High Street East, Hook
12:20	Hook Village Hall
12:25	High Street West, Hook
12:30	Bridge Road, Airmyn

MOBILE LIBRARY

THURSDAY – EVERY 3rd WEEK

High Street, church lychgate

1.40 – 1.55pm (approx).

POST OFFICE

EVERY TUESDAY AT THE VILLAGE HALL 2.00-4 p.m. advise to go early

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

PCSO 7567 Samantha Chandler

M: 07855139964

Contact Samantha if you have any issues you would like to discuss that are not an emergency. Call **101** to report a crime or **999** if a crime is in progress.

Crimestoppers 0800555111 to report information about crimes

PARISH COUNCILLOR VACANCIES

THREE VACANCIES CURRENTLY EXIST ON OUR PARISH COUNCIL. LOCAL COUNCILS NEED ACTIVE, INTERESTED AND COMMITTED PEOPLE TO SERVE AND GET INVOLVED IN THE WORK OF THE PARISH COUNCIL.

PLEASE CONTACT THE CLERK OR ANY

SERVING PARISH COUNCILLOR FOR FURTHER INFORMATION.

NEXT MEETING 13th June 2018.

7.00pm in the George Dales Room, Airmyn Memorial Hall.

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