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TOUR DE YORKSHIRE UP-DATE

Don't forget that the Tour de Yorkshire cycle race will be coming through Airmyn and past White City, travelling on to Rawcliffe as it makes its way to Doncaster on **THURSDAY 3RD MAY**.

You can keep up with the latest information by looking at the Tour de Yorkshire website (www.tour-de-yorkshire.co.uk).

Timings given for the day are only approximate as we do not know how fast the cyclists will be travelling, but currently they are given as follows:

- Ladies race due to arrive in Airmyn at approximately 10:51am to 11:05am
- Advertisers' caravan at approximately 2:52pm to 2:55pm
- Men's race at approximately 4:58pm to 5:15pm



Refreshments will be available at the Church Lychgate during the day. There will obviously be some road closures during the times of the races but we have not been informed of these as yet. Do keep a look out for notices about this, especially if you live on the High Street and leave your vehicle on the roadside.

DO COME ALONG TO SUPPORT THIS EVENT AND ENJOY THE DAY.

Friends of Bracken Hill...

On Thursday 5th April a group of villagers, Parish Councillors and a representative from The Smile Foundation met with Chris Tomson, RSPB conservation officer for the North of England, to take a look at the potential for the site as a long term project for bird and wildlife. The walk around proved to be very successful, there are a number of well established trees and areas that lend themselves to be cleared to let light in through coppicing. There are areas of bramble to provide nesting cover, which should be encouraged, along with teasels to provide food. Chris described the wood as a cold one as it stands, but there are ways we can open it up to create a warmer environment to encourage more activity, along with siting bird boxes. On the walk, we heard at least five different species of bird already visiting, there was a lovely show of violets with fungi and moss growing underfoot. The Volunteer Conservation Trust had made a good start on a path, which can be expanded, along with standing log piles to encourage insects. At the time of our walk the heavy rain had created wet areas and Chris felt that it was a nice feature to encourage to stay. From a health and safety point of view, Chris pointed out the obvious trip hazards and potential falling wood, although this would not be a big issue in a young wood like Bracken Hill. The fact that the wood stands on an old refuse site was raised but he thought that in his opinion, as long as the refuse stays covered up, then it should be fine. The fact that trees, bushes, flowers, birds and other animals are thriving there would suggest that there are no issues with hazardous gasses escaping. Volunteers within the Bracken Hill Friends group have offered to undertake regular health and safety checks. At the end of our walk, Chris expressed his feelings that there is a good potential for the wood to be managed successfully and has posted some woodland management brochures to the group.

Ruth Lowe.

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Letters to the editor...

"How refreshing to see accurate and succinct minutes from the February council meeting instead of the usual amalgam of Community Association and Parish Council matters. Can we expect this standard of excellence to continue?"

"We have been advised by the Environment Agency that the Floodline telephone number 0845 988 1188 is being deactivated on 1 April 2018 with only **0345 988 1188** being available.

Any calls made to the 0845 from the beginning of April will receive a recorded message asking them to redial the 0345 version. This message will remain in place until October 2018 after which any calls to the 0845 number will reach a dead line. "

"Here is some information on the new 'My Community Alert'. This is a new free messaging service operated by Humberside Police to keep you updated on what is happening in your area. I have been advised that alerts can be sent to you by email, text or voice message to either mobile phones or land lines. Registration is now open and all the information can be found at: www.mycommunityalert.co.uk "



St.David's Easter Extravaganza...

Over £190 was raised for the Coach House funds at the Easter Extravaganza held on Maundy Thursday at the village hall. Many thanks to everyone who helped on the day and beforehand to make it a success. It was nice to see so many people there enjoying refreshments, crafts, tombola, raffle and not forgetting the bingo!

Search your App. Store for "Nextdoor" where you can sign up for alerts and messages from fellow Airmyn residents, from burglaries to lost and found.



Samantha Stevens' flower class ladies showing off their lovely arrangements from April's class.

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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 MEETINGS

9th May 2018 and 13th June 2018.

7.00pm in the Memorial Hall.

Airmyn Parish Council

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09:50 High Street West, Hook
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10:00 High Street East, Hook
10:05 Goole Road, Hook
10:10 North Street, Goole
10:15 Boothferry Road Shops

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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

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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

Church Corner

Services at St. David's in May

Sunday, 6th May Holy Communion 6-00 pm

Thursday, 10th May Ascension Day Service in Rawcliffe church at 7-30 pm

Sunday, 13th May Holy Communion 10-00 am

Sunday, 20th May Whitsuntide Evening Prayer 6-00 pm

Sunday, 27th May Family Service 10-00 am

Everyone is reminded, once again, that you do not have to be confirmed in order to attend a service of Holy Communion. These services always include prayers and hymns that you will be reasonably familiar with as well as the sermon (or talk, if you like,) given by whoever is leading the service. The hymns and prayers are often related to the time of year or to international, national or local events or to personal needs.

Ten Days of Prayer

From Ascension Day on the 10th May until Whit Sunday (or Pentecost) on the 20th May, St. David's church will be open from 9-00 am until 5-00 pm so that any individuals or groups may go in to sit down for a while in its peaceful atmosphere and take time out for private prayer or reflection.

Free Compost

It is the time of year when one or other of the two compost heaps in the churchyard is made to yield its harvest of dark, rich, well-rotted compost (two years old) for the benefit of local gardeners. This time it is the heap to the rear of the church which has been opened up to reveal the very best of the compost. The deeper you dig, the better it gets. It is especially good as either a mulch around shrubs or fruit bushes or for improving heavy soil and making it more workable. Bring a barrow and a spade and take as much as you like.

Volunteers possibly needed to assist with painting the church interior

There is a distinct possibility that the inside walls and ceilings of St. David's church will be painted during this year. This job has always been done by volunteers under the direction of the wardens in the past and the same plan is what we have in mind this time. The last time that this job was done was way back in the year 2000, however, so it seems likely that some new members will be required for the decorating team this time. Please contact the churchwardens, David Galloway and Janet Rushby, if you would be interested in helping out on this occasion when the time comes.

Coach House

Results of Bonus Ball competition

The five winners of the latest Bonus Ball competition organised by the Coach House Committee as a fund-raiser for the coach-house renovation project were as follows;

Saturday, 24th March No.49 David and Cathy Galloway

Saturday, 31st March No. 39 David and Meryll Hayselden

Saturday, 7th April No. 13 Malcolm and Stephanie Turner

Saturday, 14th April No. 38 Phil and Di Southcott

Saturday, 21st April No. 38 Phil and Di Southcott

Each of the above winners received £30. The coach-house fund benefited by £145.

Sincere thanks are offered to all who paid their £5 to enter the competition by buying one of the 59 numbers.

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