Sheriff Hutton

Village News



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Parish Council

The Parish Council met on the 12th October 2022. Councilors' present at the meeting were Penny Bean (Chairman) Marcus Oxendale, Dave Smith, Ed Stephenson, Sally Wright and Sam Warriner.

The following new application was received for consideration:

22/00539/FUL Middleton house, Finkle Street, Sheriff Hutton

Erection of rear two story extension to form additional living space and bedroom along with new entrance door to west elevation with canopy for Middleton House, and the erection of 2 no. four bedroom dwellings and 1 no. five bedroom dwelling with detached garages, parking and landscaping. DECISION: The council objects to this application on the following grounds.

Objection based on dangerous access to this proposed site and leading to possible access to adjacent development site. Extreme concern about construction vehicles accessing on to a blind corner, as well as residents, should the plans be approved. Plans show three new houses plus Middleton House all accessing and egressing on to a blind corner. Given that each house will have a minimum of two vehicles this would put at least eight vehicles accessing and egressing via a blind corner onto a very busy road. The plans show the site road joins up to the boundary hedge of a development site which has already received planning permission for three large houses subject to satisfactory access. The reason this has not been developed so far is that existing site access is not deemed to be "satisfactory access".

Opening up access to the site via the development to the rear of Middleton House would mean an additional minimum of six vehicles using the proposed access on to the blind corner, totaling fourteen vehicles. Councilors' expressed concern that the Highways Report is not shown on the Portal. Entry on the 29th September re Highways Report, refers to previous report on 14th September which is not shown. Councilors wish to have access to this report.

The application states that the development is to meet the local need for 4/5 bedroomed houses. This is false information. A recently completed site to the East End of the Village amply met any need for additional large houses. The village need is for 2/3 bedroomed properties to attract families and to accommodate those wishing to downsize but not leave the village, thus freeing up existing 4 bedroomed properties.

Plot 4 plans show a two-story garage. If the plan is approved The Parish Council would request a condition be applied to prevent residential use of the upper story.

The following new planning decisions were received:

22/00192/MFUL Land off Stittenham Hill, Bulmer

Change of use of agricultural land to a wild camping site to include siting of a maximum of 10 no. canvas tents, 10 no. camping pods, 5 no. yurts, 9 no. off-grid composting toilets, 6 no. off-grid LPG shower units and 1 no. non-permanent site office/reception and formation of new vehicular access off the C91 and area of hard standing, and closure of 2 no. existing accesses off the C91 (Part retrospective)

DECISION: APPROVED

22/00732HOUSE 20 Castleside, Sheriff Hutton

Demolition of existing single garage and erection of a rendered block work detached double garage with a pitched pantile roof, alterations to the dwelling to raise the height of the ridge and the eaves, part rendering and weatherboarding of the elevations, together with 1 no roof light and additional first floor window

DECISION: APPROVED Parish Council matters, continue on the next page

Village Handyman

Unfortunately, the previous handyman is unable to undertake any more work due to ill health. We are, therefore, looking for a new handyman to carry out work on an ad hoc basis to the previous high standard. Please contact the Parish Clerk if you wish to be considered or you can recommend anyone.

What's on in Sheriff Hutton Reminder

Sunday 13th November between 1pm and 4pm at the Village Hall. Come along to see what is on offer in our community. Refreshments available.

Tree Planting

The trees will be arriving at the end of November ready for planting. Thank you to those who have expressed an interest in helping, anyone else wishing to be involved should contact the Parish Clerk. Prior to planting, stakes showing pictures of the individual trees will be put on the planned sites to keep everyone informed.

Warm Hub

Preliminary enquiries are being made to ascertain if there is a need for a Warm Hub to be set up in our community. Information is being sought regarding who would be likely to use it, what facilities would be provided and any volunteers who would like to be involved in organizing it. There will be a table at the What's on Day for people to register an interest, either as a possible user or organizer and for suggestions of what would be provided.

Next Meeting

The date of the next Parish Council Meeting will be on Friday 11th November at 7.30pm at Sheriff Hutton Village Hall. Louise Pink, the Parish Clerk can be contacted regarding all Parish Council matters at sheriffhuttonparishcoucil@gmail.com or 01904 861131, 13 White Rose Avenue, New Earswick, York, YO32 4AG

Kids' Stuff Sale

We are holding our Kids' Stuff Sale on November 5th at Sheriff Hutton Village Hall, 10-12. Please come along and support playgroup fundraising and find a bargain. We will be selling cakes and drinks too.

Donations of children's items can be brought to the village hall Friday 4th 6-8pm. We would love to have some baking donations too to sell on the day, thank you, Jess.

Sheriff Hutton Community Donations to Ryedale Food Banks

Despite the financial restraints on many people due to the energy and cost of living crises, Sheriff Hutton Community continues to generously donate essential items to Ryedale Food Banks. Items donated to the box outside The School House, next to the Post Office, are kindly stored by Laura and John Oakley. Every two weeks the boxes are delivered either on a Friday morning to Pickering Community Foodshare, or on a Wednesday afternoon to the Norton warehouse. On both occasions there are queues outside. The volunteers who man the sites wish to express their immense thanks on behalf of all the local people who benefit. Any queries, please contact John Oakley 01347 878754 or Linda Turner 07453 393286

Super-Mobile Library

The next visit will be on Friday 4th November, 10am to 12 noon.

We are offering a select and collect service. To pre-order a selection of books call 01609 533878 or email supermobile@northyorks.gov.uk. Alternatively, a selection can be made for you from the vehicle on the day of visit. If you wish to request a specific title, please browse our online catalogue at https://capitadiscovery.co.uk/northyorkshire. There may be a small charge for this service and placing a reservation will need your borrower number and PIN, selecting 'Supermobile' as your pick-up location. Free downloads of eBooks and audiobooks are available from the website at www.northyorks.gov.uk/digital-library

If you are not a member of our libraries, you can join at the Super-Mobile Library. It is FREE. For enquiries, please call 01609 533878 or email supermobile@northyorks.gov.uk

Sheriff Hutton Village Market

Our recent markets have welcomed charity stalls, with September hosting Yorkshire Wildlife Trust and October welcoming the Yorkshire Air Ambulance. The latter being particularly well supported in the village via various fundraising events. The September Cafe raised £495 and was divided between the Tennis Club and St Helen's Church. October's cafe was run by the village Gardening Club who netted £700 towards club funds.

Next month, St Leonard's Church will run the café, so be sure to check it out.

We have also introduced indoor workshops on the day, which have gone down well. This month, Mini Mosaics ran a relaxing opportunity to a mosaic (ideal for children or adults), whilst Just Because, by our village craft expert Lexi, gave the opportunity to make a Halloween wreath. The sessions allow children, in particular, the chance to do something as they often find shopping boring. For those children who would still like to make a Halloween wreath, contact Lexi who has the kits available.

The market is now full with stallholders indoors for November and December, so, the opportunity to craft won't be back until March, but you will find great local businesses selling a variety of produce, ideal for wonderful Christmas and Birthday gifts.

If you remember how our busy, vibrant market was back in 2019, we're delighted to say that it's now better than ever. An event full of happy, smiling people and a brilliant atmosphere, that's something money can't buy. Thanks again to our visitors and to our team of volunteers.

If you can spare any items of food (tins, bottles, boxes or packets), sanitary items, pet food etc., we are collecting for York's Hope kitchen, who support the homeless and those struggling during difficult times. A collection box will be available or please contact Louise 01347 878619.

Next Market 20th November, Sheriff Hutton Village Market Team.

Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

Again, this year we are not doing a 'House to House Collection' in the village, but Poppies and Remembrance Crosses will be on sale at The Post Office and the Highwayman, from 28th October. Children at the School will also have the opportunity to buy Poppies and Poppy related items.

If you are unable to get to the Post Office, please give us a call and we will deliver to you.

Penny Bean for Sheriff Hutton Village and local farms

Joan Armitage for Lilling Area

Giles Shepherd-Cross for Whenby and Skewsby

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Our Armed Forces played a very important part in the State Funeral of our late Queen Elizabeth II. Most people must have been impressed by the precision of the parades and those taking part. However, ceremonial occasions are only one part of the work our forces undertake. There are many more service personnel on active service around the world. The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal provides support for Armed Services personnel, past and present as and when needed, but they need us to help them in their work. Please continue to give your generous support for our local appeal.

Thank you, Penny Bean, Honorary Poppy Appeal Organiser

Village Ramble

The last ramble of the year (we don't organise one in December), will be on **Thursday, 24**th **November** leaving from the Village Hall car park at 9.30am. It will be a relatively local walk in the Stearsby/Skewsby area. The route will be circular walk of about 5 miles, and end with a pub lunch. As always, we meet at the Village Hall car park at 9.30am. You do not have to have your own car; transport can be provided. New ramblers are always welcome, it's a great way to meet new people or catch up with old friends. The very first Thursday Ramble took place 34 years ago on 24th November 1988. The walk started at the Hole of Horcum, went to Levisham for a pub lunch, and then the pioneers walked back to the Hole of Horcum, about 6 miles in total. In those days the ramblers left the village at 10.30am and got back around 3.00pm

Sheriff Hutton Village Hall Friends – 200 Club

November's £25 prize winners were 30, 40, 41, 89 and 249.

Next month's draw will include the usual half-yearly prizes of one each of £150 and £100, three of £50, and one of £60, which includes an extra £10 to reflect the year's membership of 241.

200 Club subscription renewals

Thank you to those who have already renewed, especially those online and by standing order. Membership invitations should be with all those who have come to the village since last year, if anyone feels they have been missed and would like details of this major fundraiser for the Village Hall, please contact me. Brian Shepherd 01347 878310 email bandl@bergeres.co.uk

Message from the Jumblies

Over 80 people attended our 23rd Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee Morning at the end of September, and it was lovely to see so many of our regulars and lots of new faces. It was particularly nice to see lots of youngsters too and we hope you all enjoyed it as much as we did.

Although it is always a busy morning, we love being able to chat to everyone and to catch up with those we don't often see. Bonnie's preloved jewellery stall was as popular as ever, and we almost sold out of cakes. There was a steady queue all morning at the tombola stall and the fantastic raffle prizes attracted lots of people trying their luck. The catering team were kept very busy making sure everyone was served as quickly as possible. Everyone pulled together to make the morning another huge success.

As usual Elaine spent the morning on her knees with lots of eager young helpers to add money to her money tree. It took some people quite a while to guess the theme, but others got it quickly. It was a Tea Tree (T tree). Thank you so much to everyone for your generosity. The final total raised was £1,099, which included £93.80 from the Money Tree and over £300 from Bonnie's Preloved Jewellery Stall. For those who like statistics, since we started our World's Biggest Coffee Mornings, way back in 2000, we have raised £22,439 for Macmillan Cancer Research, which includes approximately £3,500 from the Money Trees.

Pat and I took Bonnie's Jewellery Stall to the Marie Curie Coffee Morning at Kirkbymoorside at the beginning of October, and their supporters were very eager to snap up the bargains raising £189 for their funds. This brought our total raised for the year to £10,736 and our total raised since The Jumblies Started in 1986 to £366,051.

Victorian Christmas Market – Saturday 26th November Bonnie Lawson will be there with her pre-loved Jewellery Stall.

Another opportunity for you to browse the lovely bargains she has to offer. Bonnie will be selling lovely gold, silver and costume jewellery, bags and scarves all at affordable prices. Shopping for Christmas or just treating yourself, there will be plenty for you to choose from. All proceeds will go to the Parish Church.

The Jumblies are now taking an extended break, but will be back with our first Jumble Sale of the New Year on the 11th March 2023, to raise money for the Preschool.

Penny Bean and all the Sheriff Hutton Jumblies – Turning cast offs into cash, 01347 878392

What's on in Sheriff Hutton Event

Sunday 13th November from 1:00pm – 4:00pm in the Village Hall

Our wonderful village has so much going on for its residents, and those in neighbouring villages. So much in fact, that we want you all to know about it. Our Village Hall and Sheriff Hutton Parish Council will play host to a FREE event where village groups and associations will be on hand to tell you about their activities and, literally, 'What Is Going On' in Sheriff Hutton. There will also be a communal cafe offering light refreshments.

If you are part of a village group and would like a stand/stall at this event, it's FREE. Please do get in touch with Louise Pink sheriffhuttonparishcouncil@gmail.com or 01904 861131.

This is an opportunity to attract new members, round up new volunteers and maybe offer a taster of what you do. Let us all work together to welcome old and new villagers alike.

Sheriff Hutton Ladies Group

Our Ladies group meeting on the 12th October was very informative, Judith Nicholson giving us a talk about The History of the York Cattle Market. Judith presented photographic slides of the market at a time when it was sited around Walmgate Bar and explained how it functioned all those years ago.

The next meeting is on the 9th November at 2pm, and is a change from the programme.

The Yorkshire Film Archives film, which had previously been scheduled for that date, will be hopefully now be shown next year. Instead, Rosie Stephenson from Ryedale Dog Rescue will be explaining the work she does for this worthy cause. If anyone would like to bring a contribution for the charity, i.e., dog biscuits etc., I'm sure it would be very much appreciated.

Just a reminder would members please bring their menu choices and payment for the Christmas lunch to the next meeting please. Anyone is most welcome to attend our meetings. If anyone would like information about any of our meetings, please get in touch with:

Barbara Grinham 01347878476 Mob 07811259184 Linda Turner 01347878037 Mob 07453393286

Many Thanks, Barbara Grinham (Chair), Sheriff Hutton Ladies Group.

Samaritans Children's Christmas Shoe Box Appeal Update

What a great time we have had, meeting each week, through September and October, working on craft projects and pulling together to make light of the shoe box wrapping and packing. A big thank you to all who have contributed, we will be able to let you know how many we achieved next month.

Badapple Theatre - The Marvellous, Mystical, Musical Box

The Badapple Theatre Company are coming back to Sheriff Hutton, with this new production, on **Wednesday 21**st **December at 7.00pm.** It is a brand-new festive tale for all the family. At the heart of the story is Rosa, who has inherited a battered old music box which never seems to work when she wants it to. But, this year, when she wants her family to be reunited at Christmas, all sorts of magical things start to happen. Come to the show and see the story unfold.

For bookings call 01423 331304 or buy online at www.badappletheatre.co.uk

History Group

Our November meeting will be at 7.30pm in the Village Hall on Friday 25th when Neil Hodges will give us a talk on "Doctor Christopher Dresser 1834 – 1904 An Extraordinary Designer". Christopher Dresser was a truly Victorian designer who like William Morris and others, broke the rules of accepted design for his era. He wanted to bring his designs to everyone and to improve their lives by having good design around them. Neil will look at his designs and then also look at his life within his family and show the documentary evidence he turned up during his research. For further information contact Meg on 01347 878136 or Linda on 07453 393286 or Peter Brown at peterbrown222.brown@btinternet.com

St Leonard's, Farlington

The Christian church year starts in November on Advent Sunday so "A Happy New Year" from all of us at St Leonard's.

Services in November

There are two services in November:

Sunday 13th 10.45am Service of Remembrance

Sunday 27th 10.30am Holy Communion for Advent Sunday (BCP)

You will be most welcome if you join us at one or both of these services.

Sheriff Hutton Village Market Café

St Leonard's is running the café at the Village Market on Sunday 20th November. We look forward to seeing you there and helping to support the church in Farlington.

St Leonard's Church

Grand Christmas Prize Bingo

Friday, December 2nd

Sheriff Hutton Village Hall Eyes Down at 7.30pm

Join us for a Fun, Fundraising Evening!

(Please note - there will be no cash prizes)

Marton Church

We will be holding a short **Act of Remembrance**, **in Marton Church on Friday 11th November at 10.45am**, centred around our War Memorial. This roll of names was unveiled on Remembrance Day in 2018, one hundred years after the Armistice of 11th November, 1918. We are very grateful to Liz Cole and Neil Hodges who compiled a little booklet about the thirteen men from the villages and farms of Marton and Moxby, who fought in the First World War. Please do drop-in next time you're passing if you are interested in reading their stories. We will also have a quiet **Reflective Service at 3 pm on Sunday 13th November**, and our popular **Celtic Communion at 3pm on Sunday 27th November**.

Candlelit Carol Service at 4pm on Sunday 11th December

As we look ahead to Christmas, we are really hoping it will be possible to go ahead, this year with our much-loved service.

UCCC New Year Party (previously known as the 'Pensioners' Party!')

We are really hoping to be able to run our New Year Party on Saturday 7th January 2023.

We hope that we'll also be able to continue the tradition of delivering invitations between Christmas and New Year, to all senior residents in the parish (Sheriff Hutton, Lilling and Stittenham), but we'll confirm arrangements in the December Village News. We'll also let you know what to do if you want to check that you will be getting your invitation and how to RSVP.

The party is free (funded by the annual village auction), and just involves afternoon tea, served by a team of volunteer hosts, followed by light entertainment. It's a lovely all-age village event which has been running for well over 50 years. We have had to cancel a few parties recently because of covid, but I think, before that, there was only one year when really bad weather forced us to postpone until the spring. Please contact Caroline cihunt.home@gmail.com if you would like to help with preparations or come and give a helping hand on the day itself. We're a very friendly group of people.

Notices for St. Helen's Church

Services for November are:

13th November Remembrance Service 10.45am 27th November Morning Worship at 10.00am

Victorian Christmas Market 11-3pm 26th November

A reminder about the Victorian Christmas Market on Saturday 26th November at St Helen's, where you will be able to buy all sorts of Christmas goodies. Our resident artists from the village, Patrick Smith and Justine Warner, will be there as will the stall holders selling honey, jams, other produce, pet supplies, candles, bags, cards, craft items, and jewellery to name but a few.

The Market is inside the church and we turn the pews into stalls. There's a café with lots of delicious festive cakes, hot and cold drinks, soup and sandwiches. The church will be decorated for Christmas and last year there was a fabulous atmosphere, so please make the most of this early opportunity for some Christmas shopping. We open at 11am and the Market is open until 3pm

Please contact Jill Donaldson Hodges on 878595 or 07968 052118 if you have any queries

Methodist Church

There are two special Sundays in November. The first is Remembrance Sunday, when our whole nation remembers the people who gave their lives in two world wars that we may have freedom to enjoy a peace today. The Village Remembrance Service in the Parish Church at 10.45am on Sunday 13th November, will be an opportunity for us to remember and pray that wars will cease. A prayer we should daily use in this troubled world of violence between nations.

The second special Sunday is November 27th, which is Advent Sunday in the Christian calendar. Advent is from the Latin Adventus meaning "coming". It begins a period of preparation for the celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ at Christmas. To help you prepare the Rev. John Hayward will lead four weekly study groups in the Methodist Church from Wednesday 30th November, at 11.15am. You will be most welcome to come and share in any of these meetings.

Jesus came to show us how to live in peace, His message, "Love God and your neighbour as yourself". If only we could.

Sunday services in November

6th 10.30am Naomi Prince

13th 10.45am Village Remembrance Service at the Parish Church

20th 10.30am Rev. Andrew Foster (Communion)

27th 10.30am Rev. John Hayward

Additional Activities

Wednesdays 9.30am Morning Prayers and Quiet Meditation in Chapel

10.00am Drop in for Coffee in the Miss Ward room

Advent Study Group

Commencing on Wednesday 30th November from 11.15am to 12noon, the Rev. John Hayward will lead a study group in the Chapel. To follow, there will be soup and bread served in the Miss Ward room if you are able to stay and enjoy further fellowship with the people taking part. This will be repeated at the following studies on December 7th, 14th, and 21st. You will be most welcome at any or all of these meetings.

Sheriff Hutton Preschool Playgroup

We have been enjoying lots of crafting activities recently, looking at the change in season and collecting leaves looking at all the different autumnal colours. The children have also painted self-portraits which they were very proud of. We are still enjoying lots of outside play on our new play equipment too. We provide a great environment for your children to enjoy playing, making friends and starting their learning journey, which helps make the transition to school very easy once that time comes for them. If you would like to come and look around, please feel free to get in touch.

Places subject to availability, so please contact Angela on 07717 799646 or visit the website. On behalf of the committee, I would like to thank our dedicated staff Angela, Julie and Becky for all their hard work and constant commitment to keeping playgroup a clean and safe environment for the children going there.

Babies and Toddlers

Our Baby and Toddler group is held on a Thursday morning 9.45-11.45 at Sheriff Hutton village hall. It's a lovely setting for families to come and socialise and it's also a great place to come and meet people from the village and surrounding villages too. We have welcomed lots of new families over the last few months and it's been lovely to see everyone enjoying the group.

If you would like any more information on our group, contact Jess on 07817891339 or visit our Facebook page Sheriff Hutton Parents, Toddlers and Babies Group. We look forward to seeing you all soon. Thank you to our committee volunteers who help run the group each week.

Gardening Club

This month sees the club's AGM, which will be held on 16th November at 7.30pm, at the village hall. All members are welcome and the meeting will be followed by a supper. Formal notification will shortly be sent directly to members with a call for motions and nominations for the committee.

Those who have not already returned their potato competition containers are urged to do so as soon as possible, either at the AGM or directly to any committee member.

Gardening tips

The summer has been hard on the garden, but how pleasant it was to have warmth and sunshine. Close planting has helped to preserve moisture, showing which plants are in the right place. Even in the veg patch, covering the bare soil prior to planting out winter greens, has helped weed suppression and moisture retention, enabling plants to become established without too much watering. Now it has rained and everything is green again, with few losses hopefully. It is time to reassess our patches big or small. As the evergreens should have been dealt with, it is time to look at deciduous plants and bare root planting, which is cheaper and can be done between now and March, as with roses, deciduous shrubs and tree pruning.

November is leaf-fall: valuable material or a nuisance? Leaf mould is one of the best soil conditioners so worth making if you have the space. It is slow to break down but collect leaf litter, heap it up in a corner, put wire round to keep it together, then leave to decompose. It breaks down differently to compost material so keep the two separate. When you are on top of the weeding it will be time to put on compost and/or soil enhancer and let the worms do the work for you. The more done now will make spring a lot easier.

Festive Open Art Studios

We will be opening our Art Studios on **Saturday 3rd December** at 10am until 5pm. This will take place with Justine Warner at Laburnum Cottage with Textiles and Mixed Media (also showing the very talented Steve Page sculptural work), and Patrick Smith (Painter and Printmaker) at Nesslyn.

Both studios are on West End, Sheriff Hutton. We will have lots of work available to see and buy and perhaps that special Christmas present looming amongst the sparkling lights and festive music. There may even be a mince pie or two.

It's a busy time and if you can't make this event, we will be showing at Sheriff Hutton Village Market on Sunday 20th November and St. Helens Christmas Market on Saturday 26th November along with other wonderful stall holders in such a beautiful setting.

Very much looking forward to it, Justine.

Sheriff Hutton Tennis Club

Club Competition Update: Juniors - Winner; Rosie Noble, Runner Up; Joseph Brownbridge.

Ladies Doubles - Winners; Natasia Wiszniewska and Louise Chandler, Runners Up; Christine Drury and Dot Hare. Men's Singles - Winner; Freddie Thornton, Runner Up; Josh Williams.

Men's Doubles - Winners; Freddie Thornton and Charles Lewin.

Ladies' singles and Mixed Doubles; not yet played.

September Village Market Café Fundraiser (in aid of The Tennis Club and The Church)

Thank you to everyone who provided cakes and/or helped on the day. The Committee would particularly like to thank Dean Richardson (Head Chef on the day), for the hours spent cooking sausages and bacon (they were literally a sell-out). Also, Louise Chandler for the pre- event organising. Approximately £500 was raised.

Social Tennis

Continues throughout the winter (please check the courts' surface before playing, as they may be slippery when damp or cold).

Ladies Social Tennis - Wednesdays from 10:00am

Adult Social Tennis - 1st Saturday of the month (November to April) from 1:30pm

Any standard of play welcome! It's not too late to take advantage of our reduced membership fees for the rest of this season if you wish to join us on court. Christine Thomas, Chair

Website: clubspark.lta.org.uk/SheriffHuttonTennisClub email: sheriffhutttontennisclub@gmail.com

Collective Village Oil Buying Group

Just to advise the Village Oil Buying Group, and in addition anyone who wants to join in from Sheriff Hutton, Lilling, Whenby, Farlington and Stittenham, that the next oil order is planned for:

Estimated delivery W/C December 5th, with order cut-off Tuesday 15th November.

Note early cut off for orders 15th November. This is because we are rather short-handed late November, so we would appreciate it if you can ensure your order, or confirmation of no order required, is sent by the deadline.

You can of course still join even if you only order occasionally. If you have already given your details to the group, you will receive a reminder in advance of the deadlines asking for confirmation on whether you require an order and if so the details.

The group, which is run by volunteers purely for the convenience and to provide savings to Villagers, was set up many years ago buying heating oil for Sheriff Hutton and Lilling. It now includes in addition, Whenby, Farlington and Stittenham. On the last two orders, despite very different oil prices, each person saved 10% or more on the standard order price including VAT. If you would like to join, please email us at sheriffhuttonoil@gmail.com with your name, email, back up phone number, address, location of oil tank and oil order, or request to be added to the database. After the deadline, and we have the total number of litres required, we will discuss the price with the supplier and then let each person know how much their order will cost and the planned delivery date. We aim to place the order as close as possible to the estimated delivery date, to try and get a more accurate cost and actual delivery date from the supplier. The minimum quantity which can be ordered is 500 litres, but you can order any number of litres above that.

Please note, to enable the group to work your details will be held on a database, and certain details e.g., name and order, will be shared with the rest of the group and name, address and contact details will be provided to BATA or a future oil provider in connection with oil orders. Privacy statement available on request.

Contact sheriffhuttonoil@gmail.com to join the group, we look forward to hearing from you.

Sheriff Hutton Bowling Club

Sadly, the bowling season has ended and as we progress into the darker months of autumn and winter our energies are channelled towards our successful monthly Bingo sessions. They bring in much needed funds to help sustain a Bowling Club in the village. It was wonderful to see so many familiar faces and a smattering of new ones enjoying the evenings social contact at our first session.

Annual maintenance of the Green continues unabated throughout the winter, and many thanks are due to our dedicated in-house team for all their efforts.

We will be represented at the "What's on in Sheriff Hutton", at the Village Hall on the 13th November. Do come and have a chat and find out what we will be offering next season.

Sheriff Hutton Bowling Club

Bowls Prize Bingo at the Village Hall, Friday 18th November Doors open 7pm - Eyes down 7.30pm

Future dates in 2022: 16th December

Sheriff Hutton Nature Group

We had our first indoor meeting of the autumn programme on the 5th October, given by Nigel Puckrin of the Red Kite Project. It was great to see the wonderful photographs and to hear about the Red Kite in history and its reintroduction into Yorkshire. We were also thrilled to see so many of you there. Thanks for those who were able to attend and made it a very interactive and enjoyable evening.

On the **2**nd **November**, it is our next meeting where Dr Geoff Oxford will be talking to us about spiders in general, and some species we are likely to see locally. This is a great chance to understand more about this largely overlooked group of animals who share our homes and gardens. Geoff is a biologist, naturalist and one of the UK's foremost authorities on spiders. Geoff is also going to bring some copies of 'Britain's Spiders – A field Guide', of which he is a co-author, and some Spider Factsheets for anyone interested. All are very welcome to this event. £10 for part year membership or £2 for non-members on the night.

In December, in line with expanding our subject area under the new Nature Group name, one of our members Martin Harrop will be giving a talk, Introduction to Astronomy. Martin has a lifelong interest in Astronomy and now he is taking advantage of retirement to get back into this again. He will be giving an overview on astronomy and also demonstrating how to identify stars in the night sky.

If you would like a copy of our full evening programme for 2022-2023, or have any questions about the group, please contact Sally on 01347 878272 or email shnaturegroup@gmail.com.

Sheriff Hutton Bridge Cricket Club

Well, the season is done and dusted and in general it was very successful at all levels. The club has experienced growth with the number of junior players experiencing adult cricket. The junior section is in good health which hopefully gives the club some confidence for the future. There are youngsters who are identified already as future senior cricketers, and will continually be encouraged to improve their technique; indoor nets for 9 and 11 year olds starts at Terrington school in December, and then for the older age groups at Easingwold Galtres Centre in January. Senior nets will start on the third Sunday in January at St Olaves (junior school of St Peters), for twelve weeks.

Both grounds are now "put to bed" with the squares top dressed and spiked. It was good to see the improvement in overall marks from the league for the Castle ground, the small band who prepare the wicket and outfield have done a great job, it is a credit to them. As usual "The Bridge" features highly in the overall marking for Senior grounds. There are lots of housekeeping jobs to be done now over the winter in preparation for next season; cricket may be a summer sport but the preparation for it never stops.

It was good to see Matthew Fisher get awarded a Pace Bowling Development Contract by England, one of a select band of six. Even after a poor run of injury last summer, he is still very much in England's plans. We all hope that he can keep fit next season. Fund raising never stops and if there are any local businesses that would like to sponsor the club with an advertising board, please get in touch in the first instance with the secretary, the details are on the website https://www.sheriffhuttonbridge.co.uk

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Sun	10.00am	Morning Service	Parish Church but check in church for details						
	10.30am	Morning Service	Methodist Church						
Mon				7.00pm	Badminton	Village Hall			
Tues	9.15am	Pilates	Village Hall	7.00pm	Circuit Training	Village Hall			
	10.30am	Pilates	Village Hall	8.00pm	Pilates	Village Hall			
	12.30	Pensioners Lunch	Village Hall						
Wed	9.30am	Yoga	Village Hall						
	10.00am	Drop-in for Coffee	Miss Ward Room						
	10.00am	Ladies Tennis	Tennis Club						
Thurs	9.45am	Babes & Toddlers	Village Hall						

Additional Activities in November

Tues	1 st	6.30pm	Lillings Ambo Parish Council in Sheriff Hutton Village Hall		
Wed	2 nd	7:30pm	SH Nature Group, talk on Spiders, by Geoff Oxford in the Methodist Hall		
Fri	4 th	10.00-12.00pm	Super-mobile Library in the Village Hall car park		
Sat	5 th	10.00-12.00pm	Kids' Stuff Sale in the Village Hall		
Wed	9 th	2pm	Ladies Group in the Village Hall,		
Thurs	10 th	6.30-8.00pm	Youth Club in the Village Hall		
Fri	11 th	7.30pm	Parish Council meeting in the Village Hall		
Sun	13th	1.00-4.00pm	00-4.00pm What's On in Sheriff Hutton Event in the Village Hall		
Wed	16 th	7.30pm	Gardening Club AGM in the Village Hall		
Fri	18 th	7.30pm	Bowls Club Bingo in the Village Hall		
Sun	20 th	10.30-1.30pm	Village Market at the Village Hall		
Thurs	24 th	6.30-8.00pm	Youth Club in the Village Hall		
	·	9.30am	Village Ramble, meet at the Village Hall car park		
Fri	25 th	7.30pm	SH History Group meeting, Doctor Christopher Dresser, in the Village Hall		
Sat	26 th	11.00-3.00pm	Victorian Christmas Market at St Helen's Church		

Dates to Note

Dec	2 nd	7.30pm	St Leonard Farlington Grand Christmas Prize Bingo in Sheriff Hutton Village Hall	
	3 rd	10am	Art Open Studios along West End, Sheriff Hutton	
	7 th	7:30pm	Nature Group Introduction to Astronomy by Martin Harrop in the Methodist Hall	
	11 th	4pm	Candlelit Carol Service, Marton Church	
	21 st	7.00pm	Badapple Theatre, The Marvellous, Mystical, Musical Box, in the Village Hall	
2023				
Jan	7 th		UCCC New Year Party	
April	29 th		UCCC Village Auction	

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