

Village News

Season's Greetings carols around the Tree

Coddington Community Centre



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Chairman's Report - December 2021

The churchyard at Coddington All Saints' Church is almost full for burials, although it is still available for cremation memorials. The Parish Council conducted a survey to understand if there is a need for a new burial ground in the Parish and based on the responses are seeking to purchase around one acre of agricultural land as the first step in creating a council burial ground in Coddington.

We also ran a survey asking for ideas from villagers on what roughly £5k of Community Infrastructure Levy money given to the Parish Council should be spent on. We will shortly be installing the first benches around the village in response, and we plan to install further ones in future years. A group of Parish Councillors are currently investigating exercise and play equipment and suitable sites to install it, which also scored highly during the survey. We are also looking to replace the Coddington sign opposite the Community Centre with a longer lasting sign, with the same picture but in a more weatherproof format. We are also purchasing some additional litter bins which can be used for dog waste and to reduce littering around the village.

Discussions are in progress with the County Council on providing a bus shelter along Newark Road so passengers waiting for the bus have somewhere to shelter when it is raining. We are also in discussion with the District Council about suitable locations around Coddington for recycling bins, ideally in more than one location so they are within easy walking distance for most houses. The Community Centre is not considered appropriate for several reasons, mainly due to the danger from broken glass to children using the very busy car park during school and nursery pick-up and drop-off times. The District Council will conduct a public consultation before the recycling bins are sited.

We have two vacancies on the Parish Council due to the resignations of Maggie George and Denise Masding, and we now welcome applications from any residents who would like to join the lowest tier of local government – no prior experience is needed. Thank you to Maggie and Denise for their contributions as Councillors, to Maggie as a trustee for Coddington Community Association and to Denise for managing the Parish Council page on Facebook.

All Parish Council meetings are now held in person at the Community Centre, with the agenda posted on notice boards and on the village website at village.coddington.org.uk. Members of the public are welcome to attend and speak during the public contribution part of the meeting, with the opportunity to raise points with the Parish Council and your District and County Councillors.

Carols round the tree in collaboration with Coddington School is planned for 15th December – so please put this date in you diaries for this enjoyable event after we had to cancel it last year due to Covid restrictions.

Wishing you a Happy Christmas and New Year.

David Armstrong, Chairman Coddington Parish Council darmstrong@coddington.org.uk

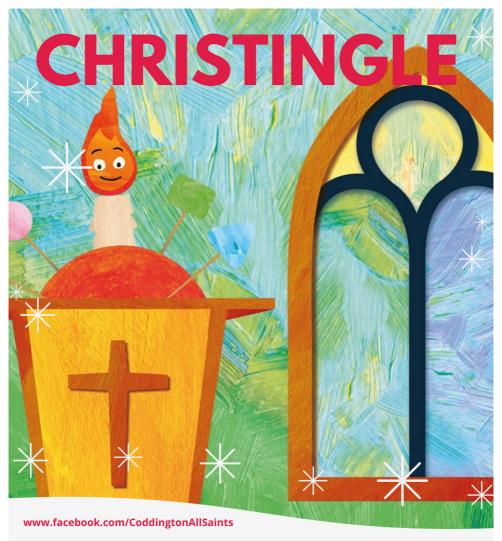
JUBILEE EVENTS COMMITTEE

Planning for village events to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee

on the weekend of $2^{nd} - 5^{th}$ June 2022 will start in the new year.

In addition to the Parish Council, the Church and other village groups, any individuals who would like to get involved in helping to plan and organise events will be very welcome.

Evening planning meetings will be held in the Community Centre (dates to be agreed). If you would like to take part, please email the Parish Clerk coddingtonpc@hotmail.com for inclusion on the mailing list of dates and further information.



All Saints Church, Coddington Sunday 12th December 2021 @ 4.00 pm

You will require a free ticket to attend this year's Christingle so that we can ensure safe numbers are not exceeded. More information on how to get your ticket on our website

www.bbc-churches.org.uk/christmas-2021

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ALL SAINTS' CHURCH



Rev'd Louise writes:

Dear Friends,

Have you ever spent time looking at the wonderful stained-glass windows we have in our churches? Our churches have some very powerful images, but those in All Saints are of particular interest because of their connection to Morris.

Whilst these windows depict significant biblical characters and memories of previous generations, they also do something else. They bring in light. In the right sunlight the colours are amazing.

In a little booklet called 'Stations' by Simon Bailey there is a meditation on stained glass windows, and I'd like to share it with you.

Stand by a window
It may well have stained glass
It may be full of pictures of Jesus or of saints
It may be plain and simple.

We take for granted that windows let light in But the word window comes from old English word that translates 'wind eye'.

A space where the wind blew in since, at that time, they had no glass, a space that brought both refreshment and air and light. It scattered darkness.

Christmas and Epiphany are times when we recall the light of the world – God incarnate in Jesus Christ – coming into the world. If you watch light streaming in through a stained-glass window it does more than illuminate, it warms and it reveals. Christmas reminds us of hope, and it challenges us to bring that hope into the lives of others. Christmas is a season of hope. It illuminates that hope through the light of Christ.

I love to see the lights of Christmas in the streets as folk decorate their homes, filling their windows with light. It really does bring a sense of Christmas cheer, which is much needed at this time.

There is a street in Castle Donington, Derbyshire, that has won many awards for the UK's best Christmas lights. If you've been you'll know it. The residents take it all very seriously and raise money in aid of the Air Ambulance. East Midlands Airport is of course next door to Castle Donington and

it is reported that the street is now often pointed out by pilots as their planes come in to land!! It can be seen for miles around.

I hope that each of our churches is in a similar sense a 'beacon of light', Christ's light, to the community around. A light of hope and a light of peace, scattering darkness.

Do join us this Christmas as we together celebrate 'the light of the world'.

The services are:

Christingle – 4pm, Sunday 12th December Carol Service - 6pm, Sunday 19th December Midnight Mass – 11.30pm Christmas Eve Holy Communion – 10am Sunday 26th December (Boxing Day)

For information about services across the Christmas season in the benefice please see our website www.bbc-churches.org.uk

On behalf of all at All Saints and across the benefice, I wish you a very happy Christmas and a blessed new year.

With love and prayer,

Revd Louise

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The Coddington Christmas Lights



This year any donations given for the Christmas Lights in Coddington will go to the School to help provide books for the library

We've journeyed together through so much these last few months. As we look to the future, from September we begin our new pattern of services. We really hope you will join us as we start something new.

From September 2021

1st Sunday of the month

10.00 AM: FAMILY COMMUNION St Giles Church, Balderton

6.00 PM FREE TO BE St Giles Church, Balderton

2nd Sunday of the month

10.00 AM: FAMILY COMMUNION St Giles Church, Balderton

10.00 AM: HOLY COMMUNION
All Saints Church, Barnby in the Willows

3rd Sunday of the month

10.00 AM: FAMILY COMMUNION St Giles Church, Balderton

4.00 PM: 4 @ THE HALL St Giles Community Hall, Balderton

4th Sunday of the month

10.00 AM: FAMILY COMMUNION St Giles Church, Balderton

10.00 AM: HOLY COMMUNION All Saints Church, Coddington

4.00 PM SUNDAY TOGETHER @ BARNBY All Saints Church, Barnby in the Willows

Baptism & Weddings

We love to celebrate with you! By request at Vestry Hour Every Tuesday between 6 and 7pm in St Giles' Church, Balderton

We are really excited to embark upon a new pattern of services, starting in September.

Come along and see what it's all about - and please do invite your friends

We are your church - and we are here for you!

More information on individual services can be found on our website

www.bbc-churches.org.uk

CHRISTMAS 2021

you are all invited...

Carol Services

Wednesday 15th December 6.00 pm Carols around the Christmas Tree All Saints, Coddington

> **Sunday 19th December** 6.00 pm Carol Service All Saints, Coddington

Monday 20th December 7.00 pm Carol Service All Saints, Barnby in the Willows

Wednesday 22nd December 7.00 pm Carol Service St Giles, Balderton

Christingles

Please note: Our Christingles will be ticketed events this year. Please go to our website for more information www.bbc-churches.org.uk/christmas-2021

> Sunday 12th December 4.00 pm All Saints, Coddington

Christmas Eve 2.00 pm & 4.00 pm Christingle Services St Giles, Balderton

Community Carol Singing

Tuesday 21st December Thursday 23rd December

Starts at St Giles Church at 5.30 pm with singing around the tree, then on to visit members of our community.

Christmas Eve

11.30 pm Midnight Eucharist St Giles, Balderton

11.30 pm Midnight Eucharist All Saints, Coddington

Christmas Day

10.00 am Family Communion All Saints, Barnby in the Willows

> 10.30 am Family Service St Giles, Balderton

Sunday 26th December

10.00 am Family Communion All Saints, Coddington

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Neighbourhood Watch

Neighbourhood Watch, as it is today, came about in 2017 when the charity was restructured and replaced the Neighbourhood & Home Watch Network. It still has the same aims which are to enable individuals and communities to be connected, active and safe.



By joining the Neighbourhood Watch you can access the support and tool-kits available to help reduce and prevent Burglary, Domestic Abuse, Serious Violence and Child Exploitation.

If you do not want to join the network but want to received information follow our Facebook page "@Coddingtonneighbourhoodwatch" for regular items of interest.

The Neighbourhood Watch Network does not report crime, that is down to the individual.

If it is an emergency and the crime is still taking place call 999

If it is not an emergency call 101

National Cyber Security Centre

You can visit your nearest Police Station

If you do not want to talk to the police but still have some information contact Crimestoppers on **0800 555 111** or go the their website at www.crimestoppers-uk.org

If you have been a victim of a crime and need support contact the Victim Support Charity on **0808 1689 111** or go to their website at www.victimsupport.org.uk.

Useful sources of information

Useful sources of information			
	Facebook page	Website	
N/hood Watch	@ourwatch	http://www.ourwatch.org.uk/	
N/hood Alert	@neighbourhoodalertuk	https://www.neighbourhoodalert.co.uk/	
Notts Watch	@nottswatch	http://www.nottswatch.co.uk/	
Action Fraud	@actionfraud	http://www.actionfraud.police.uk/	
Victim Support	@victimsupport	http://www.victimsupport.org.uk/	
Notts Police	@nottspolice	http://www.nottinghamshire.police.uk/	
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Lincolnshire Live	@LincsLive	http://www.lincolnshirelive.co.uk/	
NSDC	@NSDCouncil	http://www.newark-sherwooddc.gov.uk/	
Internet Matters	@InternetMatters	https://www.internetmatters.org/	

https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/

Winter safety advice

Information to help keep you and your home safe during the winter months.

Protect your home in winter

As the nights get darker earlier - Leave a light on inside your home. Remember to choose low energy lamps.

Use a timer switch - These operate the lights as it starts to get dark. Change the times that the lights come on to simulate an occupied home.

Make sure your front door is well lit - Use dusk to dawn lighting that automatically comes on as it gets dark.

Keep your house secure - Make sure you keep your doors and windows locked at all times.

Keep warm, keep well

If you are over 65 or have a health condition or reduced mobility, you should ideally heat your home to at least 18C. It is also a good idea to try to keep your bedroom at this temperature throughout the night if possible too.

Winter driving tips

Check your vehicle

- Ensure you check your fuel, oil and water levels, check electrics and make sure your tyres have sufficient tread before setting out.
- Check your lights and brakes are working effectively, including the handbrake and the fog lamps.
- Ensure your heaters are working and you have added antifreeze to your radiator and windscreen washers.

Be prepared

Be prepared by having an emergency kit in your vehicle, which should include ice-scraper, de-icer, warm clothes and blankets, torch, boots, first aid kit, jump leads, a spade, a road atlas and sunglasses (for the winter glare).

Check the forecast for the day. The morning trip to work might be clear skies and frost, but the changeable British weather means those clouds can roll in and the next thing you know you're driving home in snow. Be ready for all eventualities.

Plan your journey

Check weather and travel conditions before and during your journey and make sure you leave extra time to clear your windscreen properly before setting off.

Try to stick to main roads that have been gritted, wherever possible. You can find details of gritting routes in our county on the Nottinghamshire County Council and Nottingham City Council web sites.

In severe weather

Consider whether your journey is essential or travel at a different time. In winter, the weather can change quickly so always be prepared for bad weather.

Leave plenty of time for your journey so you can take it easy on your trip.

Leave ample room between you and the vehicle in front to allow for wet, slippery surfaces.

If in doubt, don't go out. If the journey is not essential then leave it for a day when the conditions are better.

Always remember

On those frosty mornings don't leave your car running while you nip in for the kettle to defrost your windscreen. It's only takes a moment for a thief to jump in and drive off.

Even when roads have been treated with salt, ice can still form, particularly on bends or under overhanging trees.

Be vigilant

Don't ignore bad behaviour on our roads. Report careless or drink drivers to Nottinghamshire Police on 101 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

Cycling during winter

Winter clothing and accessories

Invest in some good quality winter clothing, as getting cold and wet doesn't make for a good riding experience, plus it could also affect your riding ability. Ensuring you have the right clothing for winter cycling will help you keep warm and dry.

Hi-viz clothing is very effective at making you visible at night

Add reflective items to body parts that move, i.e. shoes with reflective strips, reflective wrist bands and gloves

If wearing a back pack or rucksack ensure it has reflective strips or areas for greater visibility

Wear a rear light on your back pack or your helmet for extra visibility. The additional height of the light will be at eye level for most motorists

Ensure the batteries in your lights are always in full working order and not running low

Information taken from https://www.nottinghamshire.police.uk/advice

Bob Overbury - - Ultra - Marathon

Bob Overbury would like to thank everybody who supported him in his challenge to complete an ultra-marathon from the top of Netherlands to the bottom. His goal was to complete 375km in August. Bob would also like to thank the Plough public house and its patrons for their donations.

Funds raised - for MS Society UK £1885 for MS Fonds NL€903

The Village Readers



The Village Readers book club has resumed meetings at The Plough in Coddington after an extended period of meeting via Zoom.

Meetings generally take place at 7.30 pm on the last Monday of the month. We're a lively and friendly group and at each meeting, we discuss that month's book choice, and decide what to tackle for the next month.

Last year we set up a book swap to share our love of reading. This is just outside the village hall, and has been well used in recent months. We moved the books into a more weatherproof space last December and are delighted to know that we're providing a space in Coddington where we can all swap and share books.

If you have suggestions or comments as to how to improve the book swap, please let us know on:

Phone: 07715 868621

Email:thevillagereaders@yahoo.com

New members to our book club are always welcome.

CODDINGTON VILLAGE HALL

Trustee Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for a Trustee of Coddington Village Hall. If you are interested in helping in the general organisation of this well used village amenity please contact the Chairman, Michael Cox on 01636 672387.

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40' x 24' hall with 3m projector screen, hearing loop, sprung dance floor, toilets and well equipped kitchen. Seats up to 100. £10 per hour fully inclusive.

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SHINING THE LIGHT OF LEARNING AT CODDINGTON C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL

Discover, explore and create with us!

We have recently looked again at our school curriculum to ensure it is challenging and helps pupils to know more and remember more. We have rewritten each subject curriculum to provide a sequential and knowledge based approach to every subject. This means that we able to provide the key learning in each year, so that when we send our Year 6 pupils onto the next stage of their learning journey, they are well equipped.

Our curriculum is split in to three overarching concepts of discover, explore and create with each one taking place over a complete term.

Explore what we know about the past.

Discover what people know about us.

Create ways to express our views.

While key subjects like English, Maths and Science run throughout the year in order to provide the key life skills of Numeracy and Literacy, each topic lends itself to some of the other non-core subjects.

School life

This term we have been able to start up our after-school activities, offering Football, Netball, Choir and Multi-Skills across different year groups.

Our children thrive on being a part of our teams and clubs, so we are delighted to have many fixtures, tournaments and performances booked over the next few months.

We have recently raised some money for the end Polio campaign. As a result we have 500 purple Crocus bulbs to plant. It would be lovely to plant some in the village. If you would like to suggest where these could be planted (with permission), please let the school office know.

As we welcome the darker nights we encourage everyone in the village to stay safe. Please take care when parking in the community centre at school times to ensure the safety of our pupils and parents/carers. This can be helped by people parking only in the marked bays.

Nursery

We are preparing for our next in-take of nursery children, in January.

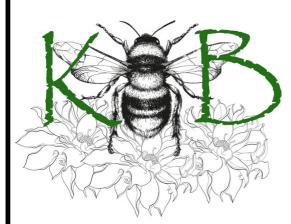
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In nursery all areas of the Early Years curriculum are covered through inside and outside learning, along with problem solving, resilience, active & creative learning.

We offer 15 hour sessions that are available mornings or afternoons, with the option to add extra (3 hour) sessions at a cost per session or 30 hour funded places.

We now also offer breakfast and after school club to our Nursery children.

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LORRY WATCH

There have been an increasing number of reports of lorries travelling through the village in breach of the vehicle weight restriction.

Any sightings should be reported to Nottinghamshire County Council, either directly through the Nottinghamshire County Council website (search 'report lorries' and follow the 'report misuse' tab), or by sending details to the parish clerk on coddingtonpc@hotmail.com.

You will need to provide the following details:

- Registration number
- Vehicle type
- Date and time of sighting
- Name or number of the road
- Direction of travel
- Any other description such as company name.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Every year, in addition to clubs and societies, the village is treated to an excellent range of entertainments and events by All Saints' Church, the Village Hall, Community Centre and Scout Group. The attendance levels, unfortunately, have varied but all our hard-working groups do need more support, from across Coddington, to sustain the core elements of our community. They cannot continue indefinitely without fresh faces. Some new helpers do come forward but more are required. If you can spare some time to assist please look at group/society reports in this issue, or at the list of contributors on Page 2, and make your choice.

Village Hall News

I am pleased to report that activity levels in the hall have returned to precovid levels with the loss of only one user but there may be limits on numbers for Live and Local events over the winter. A CO_2 meter has been installed to enable hirers to monitor the freshness of the air in the hall and if necessary, increase ventilation.

We have been offered a bench by the Parish Council which will be placed in front of the reading room building. Work has begun to clear this area prior to paving it.

Maintenance mornings continue to be held on the first Monday of each month, anyone interested in helping would be most welcome, tea, coffee and biscuits are provided! The usual clearing of gutters and downpipes plus gardening and painting has kept us busy, also we have modified the loft above the small meeting room to enable us to store bulky, infrequently used, lightweight items.

By the time you read this we hope to have succeeded in handing over completely to the new Charitable Incorporated Organisation (which was authorised in March 2020) as preferred by the charity commission. This has required much hard work by our secretary Caroline Whiting and our treasurer Jonathan Smith, the problem was the time it took to accomplish opening a new bank account.

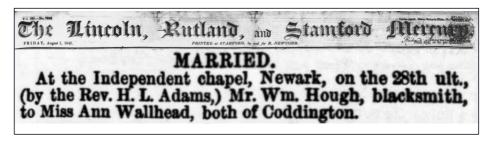
Mike Cox

Coddington History Group

First of all I have an additional piece of information regarding the Houghs.

In the September CVN I said that: The 1851 census shows William Hough has married Ann and it indicates that both were born in Coddington although there is no record of them marrying here nor of his baptism.

Paul Birkett, one of our members has access to newspaper archives and found this article dated 1st August 1845:



So that's a little mystery solved!

However, Paul has also been finding news cuttings about pubs in Coddington that raise further questions! We knew that over time Coddington had 5 pubs which we have located (The Plough, the Inn on the Green, The Globe, Catch 'em Inn or Bluebell and the Red Lion) – now we seem to have two more but don't know where they were. There's a lengthy cutting of 5th January 1855 reporting the Borough Sessions (court) and one of the cases mentions "The Landlord of the Half-way House at Coddington"



The other (above) is from 13th October 1815 and concerns the sale of the Carpenter's Arms in Coddington.

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James Thorpe 28Th August 1823 – 13th July 1902

James Thorpe III, the only son of James and Ann Thorpe was born 28th August 1823 at Newark. On the 1841 census James snr. lived in Mill Gate, Newark, his occupation being corn merchant and maltster. Also living in the house was his wife Anne and their son James jnr. The family moved to Beaconfield House, Coddington shortly before James snr. died in 1843. Before he died James snr. made extensive alterations and improvements to this stately home. The estate in Coddington was very large and included 234 acres of farm and park land, houses and a public house. James snr. had built up a very prosperous business in Mill Gate, Newark as wharfinger, maltster and coal merchant. James jnr. was only 19 when his father died and had quickly to accustom himself to being the owner of a large country house and a responsible businessman. Like his father he was talented and energetic.

He was in business with his uncle and their business became known as "John and James Thorpe". They were Maltsters, Corn Merchants and Millers (Newark Water & Steam Mills).

James joined the Sherwood Rangers about 1849, passing through various grades of Cornet, Lieutenant, Captain, and Major and becoming Lieutenant Colonel in 1881, retiring with the rank of Honorary Colonel in 1882.

About 1850 James aged 26 married Mary Ann Spence aged 22 from Tidworth, Yorks. He had a new house built for his recently widowed mother Anne near the church and named it "Coddington House".

Gradually he assumed a major role as a local landowner and by now he became known as "The Squire".

On the 1851 census he lived in Coddington his occupation, merchant. Also living in the house was his wife Mary Ann, three visitors and six servants. On the 1861 census his occupation was corn merchant and maltster and also living in the house was his wife Mary Ann and six servants.

In the 1863 valuation list the firm owned in Newark a tanyard, sheds, house, shop, offices, flour warehouse, coal yard, coach house, stables etc. and several maltings.

In 1864 he spent £2000 virtually rebuilding Coddington church employing the London architect Bodley who employed the young William Morris and Firm to decorate the interior.

Unfortunately his wife Mary remained childless and became an invalid before dying in Buxton on the 28th August 1868 after a long and severe illness. She was buried in a family tomb in Coddington churchyard.

By the 1871 census James 47, had married (in 1869) Annie McDougal, 24, born in Argyllshire and they had a son James IV born in August 1870 at St. Georges, London; sadly he died in 1873. They soon had another son John Sommerled Thorpe followed by another 8 children: -Harold, William, Gervase, Muriel, Cicely, Helen Mary, Archibald James and Elspeth Margaret.

By 1872 James was a County Magistrate, High Sheriff, a JP and D.L in Argyllshire. He was greatly interested in farming and forestry, had a fine herd of Lincoln Red Shorthorns, and he was also interested in horticulture and floriculture.

James's mother Ann died on the 22nd June 1877 aged 86 and was also buried in the family tomb in Coddington churchyard. Eventually Coddington House was sold to the Tallents family. Around this time James changed the name of his stately home from "Beaconfield House" to "Coddington Hall".

James's unmarried uncle John died at his home Elston Hall on the 15th August 1881, his personal estate was £500,000 and James Thorpe was the sole Executor. John left bequests to his sisters and many family relatives.

On the 1881 census his occupation was Maltster and Landowner Farmer of 320 acres employing 9 men and 3 boys. Also living in Coddington Hall was his wife Annie 34 and their children John 8, Harold 6, William 4, Gervase 3, Muriel 2 and Cicely 10 months, Richmond McDougal (mother in law), Mary Stewart (niece), Stewart Macrae (cousin) a governess and 13 servants.

From 1881 until at least 1886 James was Chairman of The Newark Hospital Governors. In June 1882 and for several years afterwards he was President of Coddington Cricket Club.

In March 1885 James began building a Working Men's Reading Room on the paddock next to the school, the building was officially opened on the 12th November 1885. (This room is now the kitchen in the village hall).

James was a wealthy businessman with a large estate in Coddington and Ardbrecknish House, Loch Awe, Argyll, his town house was 59, Eaton Place, London and his club the Junior Carlton.

In 1886 he sold the Flour Mill to Thomas Farnham and by now the Malting business had branches in Louth, Market Rasen, Peterborough and Newark and was one of the largest in the Midlands.

James Thorpe was always interested in the "Anglican National School" in Coddington being for many years a school manager. He was present at the school managers' meeting on the 23rd March 1883 when a new 23-year-old Headmaster Joseph Chauntry Hunt was appointed. The Thorpe family treated the school children and their mothers to a half-day out every year and provided prizes at school events.

In 1891 James financed the building of a church on a hill on the south side of Loch Awe, as a private chapel.

On the 1891 census he was living at Coddington Hall with his sons: - John 19, Harold 15, William 14, Gervase 13, Archibald 9 daughters:- Helen 6, Elspeth 3 a governess and 7 servants. His wife Annie was at their London home with daughters: - Richmond 12, Cicely 10, 3 visitors and 9 servants.

James Thorpe JP on the 1901 census was living at Coddington Hall with his son Harold 25 and 5 servants, his wife Annie was at their London home with her children Archibald 19, Cicely 20, Elspeth 13, Helen 16, Richmond 22 along with 10 servants.

On the 13th July 1902 Col. James Thorpe died at Coddington Hall. His obituary in the Newark Advertiser occupied one and a half columns, and contained the words, "He was a fine type of English gentleman, honourable and upright".

His wife Annie and his son Captain John Somerled Thorpe were his executors, and his will gave his fortune as £213,582-19-7, with personal estate £162,856-6-1. He left his son Harold one third of the profit and goodwill of the business as a Maltster, and the other two thirds and the capital to his son John Somerled; his son Gervase was to have £5,000; and £32,000 was put in trust for his four daughters. The lease of the London House 59, Eaton Place and furniture went to his widow, and his Scottish estate to his "right heir".

This is a précis of articles written by the late Rolf Vernon and members of Coddington History Group.

Collingham Medical Centre - Update

We're one of many options to get your COVID Booster and 3rd dose vaccine ... The Collingham Medical Centre (CMC) has set up a weekend service (so not to disrupt the usual general practice services in the week) to support the residents of Newark area for Phase 3 of the COVID Booster Vaccination Programme in addition to the mass vaccination centres and local pharmacies in our area.

As with most services, your practice will invite you when you're due. Appointments to the Collingham Vaccination service are via the newly established URL text link that practices will send to eligible patients with mobile number. You can then book directly into the clinic yourself. As at 16 Nov, over 4,000 texts to eligible patients had been sent and more going every day as people become due.

For those without a mobile number on your records, your registered practice will contact you. Please do not contact your GP practice otherwise this may delay our unwell community members from accessing services and unnecessarily lengthen the wait for a call to be answered.

CMC service piloted the building/small clinics in mid-October with the larger volumes starting to come through from the weekend of 30/31 October. We are now running every weekend until Christmas and resume in the New Year for those people due in December onwards.

We are currently administering the Pfizer Comirnaty Vaccine with a 15 min observation period after your vaccine. At the time of this article CMC have administered over 2,500 vaccines with thousands of appointments planned over the next few weeks. Thank you for the appreciation shown to date for this vaccination service.

Remember, when your invite comes, please take up the offer of your COVID Booster with any of your local services.



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What is going on in Coddington

VILLAGE HALL

Contac	ct Booking Clerk	- Maggie George		07790 719870
maggiegeorge@gmail.com				
Mon	17:00 - 19:00	Danielle's School of Dance	Danielle	01522 696100
Mon	19:30 - 21:30	Line Dancing	Jane Williams	01636 686982
Tue	11:00 - 12:00	MLM Ballroom	Maggie	07790 719870
Tue	13:30 - 17:00	Women's Institute	Susan Sprig	
Tue	19:30 - 21:00	Private Hiring (Ballroom)		
Wed	09:00 - 10:00	Tai Chi for Health / Beginners	Wendy	01522 778843
Wed	10:15 - 11:15	Tai Chi for Health / Beginners	Wendy	01522 778843
Wed	18:00 - 19:30	Brownies	Laura Bunkle	01636 708572
Thur	14:30 - 16:30	U3A Ballroom	Maggie	07790 719870
(4 th Thur in Month)				
Thur	19:30 - 21:00	Coddington History Group	Isobel Turner	01636 708781
(3 rd Thur in Month)				
Fri	10:30 - 12:30	Weekly Art Class (Adults)	Lynn Norris	07738 939477

Weekends Available for Hire

Bookings taken for Children's Parties

SCOUT HALL

Mon	16:00 - 19:15	Danielle's School of Dance	Danielle	01522 696100
Mon	19:30 - 21:00	Lone Wolves Dog Training	Gill	07876 141233
Tues	19:00 - 20:30	Yoga Class	Sue	01636 702092
Wed	18:00 - 19:00	Beavers	Steve	07920 258666
Wed	19:15 - 21:00	Scouts	Steve	07920 258666
Thur	18:30 - 20:00	Cubs	Steve	07920 258666

CODDINGTON COMMUNITY CENTRE

Phone	- 07985 38663	S8 Email - c	office@coo	ldington.org.uk
Mon	09:15 - 10:15		Karen	07495077068
Mon	11:00 - 12:00	Moving 2 Music	Niki	07803710640
Mon		Spotlight Maths, English & Science	Suzanne	07855392166
		after School tuition ages 9 to 18		10@gmail.com
Mon	19:00 - 20:00		Sharon	07810171864
Mon	20:30 - 21:30	S .	Craig	07900687137
Tues		Caterpillar Music	Anna	07443536758
Tues	14:00 - 16:00	U3A - Craft (3 rd Tuesday, monthly)	Niki	07803710640
Tues	19:00 - 20:00	· ·	Ally	07415876576
		·	_	rk@gmail.com
Wed		Little Learners	Josie	07469708007
Wed	11:00 - 12:00			07790283591
			•	calvitality.co.uk
Wed	18:00 - 19:00	Rainbows (Term Time only)	Louise	07887843535
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Wed	20:30 - 21:30	Private Booking		
Thur	09:15 - 12:30	Toddlers (Term Time only)	Joanne	07505178695
Thur	10:00 - 13:00	Daisy Baby Tinies, Wriggler and	Katy	07918040246
		Cruiser Classes - Baby Massage		
		And Yoga. For Babies aged 6 weeks	to 18 mor	iths
Thur		Post Office Services		
Thur	13:30 - 15:30	U3A 'Knit & Natter Group' (1st Thursday, monthly)	Anita	01636646559
Thur	14:00 - 16:00	U3A Archaeology'	Peter	
			_	btinternet.com
Thur	16:15 - 18:15	Spotlight Maths, English & Science		07855392166
		after School tuition ages 9 to 18		10@gmail.com
Thur		MF Dance 3 - 6 Years		08000350415
		MF Dance 7 - 11 Years)hotmail.com
Tl				nattfiddes.com
Thur		Pilates (not 1st Thursday)	Sharon	07810171864
Thur		Parish Council (1st Thurs in month) coo	• .	
Fri		DJ's Coffee Morning(Term Time only)	Joanne	
Fri		Short Mat Bowls and Boccia	Angela	01636678990
Fri	19:30 - 21:30	Private Booking		
Sat		Slimming World	Katie	07539849670
Sat	10:30 - 11:30	Spotlight Maths, English & Science		07855392166
		after School tuition ages 9 to 18	suz.wells	10@gmail.com

If you have any updates to this information please contact the editor.

Coddington History Group Speakers' Programme 2022

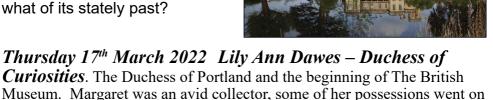
All the events are on the third Thursday of the month in the Village Hall, Main Street starting at 7:30pm. Everyone welcome, Members FREE, non- members £2 - includes refreshments

Thursday 20th January 2022 Cal Warren - Restoration of Nottingham Castle. Nottingham Castle's story began in 1068, when William the Conqueror ordered the construction of a castle at Nottingham. But now the castle is fresh from its exciting £30 million revamp which Cal is going to tell us all about.

Thursday 17th February 2022 Julia Davies – The History of Brackenhurst.

Now the Brackenhurst Campus of Nottingham Trent University and home to the School of Animal, Rural and Environmental Sciences – but what of its stately past?

to be part of the museum collection.



Village Hall News - Live and Local.

'The Ragged Trousered Philanthropist' 16th October 2021

We were once again treated to an evening of theatrical entertainment on 16th October in CVH

Neil Gore delighted us with his interpretation of 'The Ragged Trousered Philan-thropist' the story by Robert Tressel published in 1914. Set in the early 1900's it tells of the struggles of the hard working painters and labourers to make ends meet on their poorly paid wages and



the rich company bosses, who thought they were infinitely superior. Remarkably, Neil played all the characters only with the aid of a pipe and several hats -easily switching from one to another. Lighting, music and photos projected onto an amazing set took us back in time, as well as setting the atmosphere.

There was audience participation too, as we joined in the songs sung on 'The Beano' - the annual works outing. I now even know the words to 'Two Lovely Black Eyes'.

As we sat enthralled it was quite notable how many of the social issues still resonate in modern society. Indeed, Neil's skilful interpretation of 'Mayor Sweater' had a distinctive 'Boris' flavour which many of us found quite amusing.

All in all it was a highly entertaining evening, even more enjoyable as once again there was a real live audience in the Village Hall.

Gail Birkett

The Churchfitters

in Concert — Live at the Village Hall - again! Saturday 22nd January 2022, 7:30pm

The rural and community touring scheme for Nottinghamshire features high quality professional dance, drama and music from the best in national and international touring companies and performers.

Back for another round of high-energy fun, The Churchfitters are one of our most popular bands, this will be their fourth visit and already a been number of tickets have They are a folk band like no other. A double bass made out of a saucepan. Heart-wrenching vocals accompanied by a musical saw. Foot-stompingly fast fiddle meets funk-rock rhythms. And traditional tunes reinvigorated with mesmerising jazz sax. An evening in their company is an uplifting experience that sends everyone home happy. These three virtuoso musicians from England and France strut their stuff on a stage that overflows with instruments - adding flute, banjo, dulcimer, tin whistle, guitar, ukulele, electric hub-cap bass-bouzouki and a sackful of percussion to their ensemble. And let's not forget the unique 'bing-bong' machine made out of hack-saw blades. Throw in some exquisite harmonies, original songs and a few jokes that create instant rapport and you've got a high energy show that often gets people dancing and always leaves audiences cheering.

http://www.churchfitters.com

Doors open 7pm. Tea and coffee will be available at the interval, or bring something stronger if you wish.

Tickets £12.50 purchased **in advance only**. Juniors £6. Available from Isobel Turner (708781) and Phil Waller (701013)

Coddington Community Centre

We have welcomed back most of our previous users now and the Community Centre is as busy as ever now. Some of our new activities have been very popular so to provide for the demand they have taken additional slots.

Our party bookings are continuing to come in, particularly as we can have bouncy castles indoors. Ideal for the kids party if you are not sure of the weather.

We have replaced the lighting in the main hall as the original equipment was beginning to fail. We now have modern LED sports lighting for the activities which need to be well lit. We have installed a lower level warm lighting for the evening party bookings which do not want a lot of light.

We are still looking for some people to join our team of Trustees to help with the decision making around the running of the Community Centre.

A trustee with the Community Centre can give as much time as they would like to, from attending just the meetings which are held every second month to getting more involved and helping to actually get things done.

We are a registered charity wilh Amazon Smile. You can support us by selecting Amazon Smile and setting your chosen charity as Coddington Community Association - CIO.

The Newark and Sherwood District Council lottery is another way you can help support us. By having a ticket you have the opportunity to win a prize and support us at the same time.

The website for the Council Lottery is

www.newark and sherwood lottery. co.uk

Malcolm Baker - Chairman Coddington Community Association - CIO 01636 647119

Collingham Patient Participation Group

The Patient Participation Group (PPG) working alongside Collingham Medical Centre CMC) was able to meet in person for the first time since the first lockdown. It was good to meet everyone face to face, albeit masked, in well ventilated and well-spaced area (in fact it was the new patient observation area for the COVID Vaccine campaign known to many of us as the former Collingham Library).

COVID vaccinations were first to be discussed. CMC informed us that there are two routes available to receive the third (booster) dose. The national system in designated centres which can be booked via the National Booking Service (119) or at CMC once the vaccine has arrived. Our GP practice will be supporting the campaign for the locality and clinics will be over weekends so as not to disrupt GP services during the week. Eligible patients need a minimum of 6 months between their last COVID Vaccine and booster. You will be contacted as soon as receipt of the vaccine is confirmed; there is no need to contact the Medical Centre.

FREE Lateral Flow Test Devices are available from the Collingham Pharmacy - it is important to continue to test to protect you, your family and our community. Follow national guidance to isolate on a positive test and attend a PCR testing Centre for any COVID symptom (please do not assume it's a cold). Lateral Flow Testing offers reassurance that you are not carrying the virus, even if symptom free. If you have symptoms, please book PCR test and isolate.

The dispensaries at the CMC and Pharmacy continue to work to $\underline{\mathbf{3}}$ working days from order to collection, please try not to present early this is frustrating for all parties as the supply chain and our team members continue to see daily disruption to our dispensing services.

The PPG has undertaken a recent poster campaign highlighting how long some common ailments may last and also a reminder to sign up for the NHS app. Please keep a lookout for these posters on notice boards in the 34 villages served by CMC. Patients can access their Covid-19 vaccination status through the NHS app. Patients are advised by gov.uk that there is no need to contact CMC for their vaccination status.

The NHS App, a simple and secure way to access a range of NHS services on your smartphone or tablet.

You can use the NHS App to check your symptoms and get instant advice, book appointments, order repeat prescriptions, view your GP medical record and more. If you already use SystmOnline you can continue to use it. You can use the NHS App as well. For more information go to www.nhs.uk/nhsapp

The Rural Advice Centre holds an updated directory of local groups which is available on their website.

The CMC has been affected by the **national shortage of blood bottles** which has meant only essential blood tests were taken. Supplies are now beginning to come through and CMC hope to be in a position to offer the annual reviews in your birthday month from the end of October. However, if you are concerned about your medicines please seek advice and not wait until your routine review.

COVID continues to affect our communities and CMC as team members and their families are required to isolate – this does sometimes means appointments are rescheduled at short notice. Please bear with them. The current infection rates are available on the Nottinghamshire County Council website. CMC continue to work in a safe way and offer telephone triage for some symptoms so that you can be seen in red zones to protect all.

CMC are **pleased to welcome new staff** Dr Francis Da Silva (is supporting over the Winter months), Dr Kirsty Wilson and Dr Gerty Gertrude Agbedeyi are our current GP Registrars. New permanent GPs have recently joined the team – Dr Edda Schuerch and Dr Kate Rees.

Collingham Medical Centre continues to welcome new patients, the patient list currently standing at 7,489 and do have the physical space to support all the new developments in our area. Welcome to all those who move into our communities.

The PPG continue to be very proud and happy to support and work with the amazing team at Collingham. Thank you for all you do.



Check the notice board outside the community centre for any unavailability

Post Office[®] Services available at Coddington Community Centre each Thursday from 1pm until 4pm.

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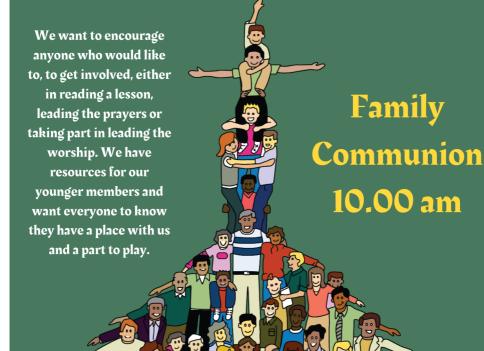
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- · www.mansfieldandashfieldccg.nhs.uk
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- Patient Experience Team Freephone: 0800 028 3693

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COLLINGHAM MEDICAL CENTRE

High Street Collingham Newark NG23 7LB Tel: 01636 892156

Email: collingham.medicalcentre@nhs.net

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For Appointments telephone: 8.00am - 6.15pm For Prescriptions telephone: 10.00am - 12.00pm

CHRISTMAS 2021

Monday 27 December - CLOSED Tuesday 28 December - CLOSED Monday 3 January 2022 - CLOSED (Normal opening hours all other days)

The Collingham Medical Centre team would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

We also offer a very warm welcome to new team members Dr Edda Schuerch. Dr Kate Rees and Sarah Holt, Respiratory Specialist Nurse.

Our communication with patients relies on current information. If your personal details change, including telephone numbers, please let the practice know. Thank you.

> Out of Hours Service is provided from 111 when the surgery is closed. Website: www.collinghammedicalcentre.co.uk



High Street Collingham Newark NG237LB Tel: 01636 893038

Email: collingham.pharmacy@nhs.net

CHRISTMAS 2021

Saturday 25 December - CLOSED Monday 27 December - CLOSED Tuesday 28 December - CLOSED Saturday 1 January - CLOSED Monday 3 January 2022 - CLOSED

(Normal opening hours all other days. Closed between 1.00 pm and 2.00 pm every day)

The Collingham Pharmacy team would like to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

When this Pharmacy is closed, if you urgently need medical help or advice but it's not a lifethreatening situation contact NHS 111. Information can also be accessed at www.nhs.uk

Website: www.collinghammedicalcentre.co.uk



1st Coddington Scout Group

www.coddingtonscoutgroup.org.uk www.facebook.com/friendsof1stcoddington

URGENT help required!

We are in desperate need of volunteers to join our Executive Committee helping ensure the Scout Group is run as smoothly as possible. These roles do not need to take up a lot of your time but can be extremely rewarding knowing that you are ensuring the right decisions are being made to ensure this fantastic provision for the youth of Coddington continues for many years to come.

We are currently looking for a new **Chairman** and a **Secretary**. If you are interested in getting involved, please get in contact with gsl@coddingtonscoutgroup.org.uk, call Steve on 07920 258666 or visit: https://www.scouts.org.uk/volunteers/ for more information.

Waiting List

Demand is high to join our group and so we are currently operating a waiting list. If you wish your child to join the Scout Group, now or in the future it is important to get their details registered as soon as possible. Details of how to do so can be found on our website www.coddingtonscoutgroup.org.uk

We are always on the lookout for Adult volunteers to help run the sections - The more leaders we have the more children we can cater for! No experience is necessary, training is provided. Try something new, make friends, gain experience with young people, do something great for your community and yourself!

Section News

At the time of writing this update all sections are meeting weekly at the Scout Hall. Beavers and Cubs have been particularly busy painting and attaching poppies for our Remembrance Poppy Display outside the Scout Hall. Thank you to everyone who answered our social media appeal and dropped off their bottle ends.

Hire our Scout Hall

With our newly refurbished toilets, large hall, reception area, kitchen, and our large floodlit garden available for your exclusive use, have you considered hiring the Scout Hall? Whether you are looking to host a party or a regular meeting place for your class or group get in touch by emailing hallbookings@coddingtonscoutgroup.org.uk



PARISH COUNCIL VACANCY

There are two vacancies on Coddington Parish Council.

If you would like to be considered for co-option to the Council, please forward your details in writing by **31**st **December** to:

The Parish Clerk, Flawford Cottage, Coddington, NG24 2QY, or by email to coddingtonpc@hotmail.com

To be eligible, a candidate must have attained the age of 18 years and be on the Electoral Roll of the Parish, or during the whole of the past 12 months have either lived in the parish, owned or leased land in the parish, worked in the parish, or lived within three miles of it.

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CODDINGTON W.I.

Tuesday 10th August marked our first meeting back at the Village Hall after a long layoff due to Covid.

It was good to be able to see and chat with old friends again and to catch up on everyone's time in lockdown. We look forward to building up our number of members again as the months go by.

We started the meeting with our AGM, and this was followed by a quiz and cream tea which rounded off the afternoon.

Our second meeting on 14th September included a talk by Sue Lloyd entitled 'Royal Brides Victoria to Eugene. It was good to see our members coming back to meetings and hopefully numbers will increase as the months go by. Our competition, 'A Wedding Photo', was won by Marilyn Harrison.

At our October meeting our speaker was David Templeman who spoke about Mary Queen of Scots, and the competition 'Something Scottish', was won by Lesley Walker.

We will be holding our meetings during the day from now on, the second Tuesday in the month, starting at 2 p.m. in the Village Hall and always welcome new members. Why not come along as a guest if you're not a member already? There is no obligation to join if you feel we're not for you, but it would be good to see a few new faces. Every month we have either a speaker or an activity to try our hand at. Why not give us a try?

Lesley Walker, Coddington W.I. Tel. 01636 680767

Yoga with Clare

Developing a regular yoga practice will not only improve physical wellbeing but will also give you tools to combat stress and anxiety.

If you would like to give yoga a try, I currently run the following Classes on a Thursday evening at the Bridge Community Centre (St Leonard's Church) on Lincoln Road:



6:15-7:30pm: Hatha Yoga – Intermediates. Suitable for folks who have some yoga experience.

8-9:15pm: Hatha Yoga - Beginners/Improvers. No experience necessary.

If you'd like more information about the classes, including prices, please contact me on Tel: 07887 903461, via email at clarecotten@hotmail.com or visit my Facebook page at @yogawithclarec



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Christmas is not far away and we are preparing to have a good one in the pub this year. Let's celebrate together and enjoy a drink or two and some great food.

Our New Manager Lee Cummins has now joined us and he is excited to meet you all and welcome you to into our establishment.

Our Head Chef, George has put together an exciting new winter and Christmas menu which you will be able to find on our Website and Facebook page.

We still recognise that we all still have to be careful and are continuing an increased cleaning schedule and doing our best to keep everyone safe

We look forward to welcoming you all, Best Wishes

Matt & Nigel



The Plough, Coddington

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Coddington Trust Fund

Money and land has been left in the past to be used for the benefit of Coddington residents in need. Local trustees administer this fund and are always pleased to consider requests, in strictest confidence, for financial help from Coddington residents of any age group.

Help can be given with expenses due to illness or lack of mobility or with household repairs or replacements. Parents can apply for help with the cost of school uniforms or outings. Students can apply for a grant towards the cost of textbooks and/or field trips.

Applications should be made in writing to the Clerk, Mr Alasdair Morrison, 26 Kirkgate, Newark, NG24 1AB or to any Trustee.

Trustees

Mr J Bartley Mrs P Bartley (Chairman)

Mr F Elliott Mr Bob O'Donnell Mrs G Southgate

Mr M Bache Mrs Dawn Burrell

Coddington Trust Fund

CRAC have secured the part time services of an adviser from the Citizens Advice Service in Newark and Sherwood. CTF will continue to support CRAC financially so that residents of Coddington can still seek help and support via CRAC.

If you need help or advice regarding:

Welfare Benefits, Housing, Neighbour Problems, Local Issues, Consumer Issues, Debts etc.

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Alternatively you may telephone Mrs Pat Bartley, Chairman of Coddinton Trust Fund, on 705312



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Moving 2 Music We are Back!!

Moving 2 Music, Coddington's chair based exercise class is back, at last. We are restarting on Monday 15th November at 11.00.a.m.



Please note the slightly different time!

We are in the usual room at the Community Centre, and will be ensuring Covid safety measure are implemented.

Lots of new music and exercises and a fun filled morning.

For more information contact: - Niki -07803 710640



Nothing to do on a Friday? Why not come and play short mat bowls...

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If any parishioner would like to contribute an article of local interest for inclusion in the Coddington Village News please contact the editor.

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<u>DATE:</u> <u>VENUE:</u>
Thursday 6th Jan 19:30 Coddington Community Centre
Thursday 3rd Feb 19:30 Coddington Community Centre
Thursday 3rd Mar 19:30 Coddington Community Centre

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