

Village News



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Chairman's Report August 2022

Summer in Coddington has been one of high temperatures and lack of rain! Needless to say, this has brought issues to growers and gardeners in general, but I am sure we are all doing our best to cope with these challenging conditions.

The Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations were a splendid event in the village, and I think we, as a village, should congratulate ourselves on providing and attending the many and diverse activities throughout the long weekend! The Parish Council provided much bunting and the Bouncy Castles for the Saturday Fun afternoon. A good crowd attended as the Parish Council lit the beacon from the Plough Car Park (Thank you Plough!) and together with the prior parade and raising of the Union Flag by the Scouts started the celebrations. Before, and on the actual celebration days, all involved should be thanked for their efforts - well done everyone!

The Annual Parish Meeting open forum brought out two main discussion points from members of the public: the proposed one-way system and a new burial ground. There were reports from Coddington Parish Council, Coddington Trust Fund, Coddington Village Hall Charity Trust Committee, Coddington Community Centre Association, Coddington C of E Primary and Nursery School and County and District Councillors

Further to the petition conducted in the village concerning a one-way system, (Main Street/Brownlow's Hill), progression has been made through a meeting with Councillor Darby, Via (NCC Highways), CPC and village resident representatives. This has resulted in a request by Via for the CPC to coordinate a consultation with all village residents. This consultation will be published with the next CVN and your valued comments will be passed on to Via.

Progress is ongoing concerning a new burial ground. The Parish Council has initially approached Coddington Charity Trust and recently written to all owners of farming land in Coddington to see if they can offer a site which could be suitable for such a purpose.

I'm sure we are all aware of the current cost of living crisis so our thanks to Coddington Trust Fund for again supporting the Collingham Area Food Pantry with a substantial donation.

The Parish Council provided a Ukrainian flag which the Scouts agreed to raise at the flagpole outside their Scout Hut. The short ceremony was attended by the hosts and current Ukrainian residents who also graciously sang their National Anthem!

There are several exciting projects currently in hand around the village and these include a new village sign being painted by a local artist, new play equipment on Thorpe Oaks Playing Field, speed bumps being sited at the entrance to the Community Centre and the Scouts agreeing to tidy up Page's Wood.

On a less happy note, and despite our best efforts, the Parish Council has not been able to secure a pedestrian crossing over the A17 at Stapleford Woods roundabout. The Parish Council has responded with comprehensive objections, to an appeal relating to the development of site for distribution use on land off the A17 and are disappointed at the response from the District Council, which includes not allowing the Parish Council to speak at the Planning Committee Meeting.

As always, a warm welcome to all new residents of Coddington, whether permanent or temporary. The agendas for the monthly Parish Council meetings are published as always on the notice boards around the village and the public is welcome to raise any issues/contributions at the start of the meeting.

Nerissa McDonald, Chairman Coddington Parish Council

REPORT IT

The District Council have a link on their website to make reporting issues as easy as possible.

So, to report issues such as fly-tipping, antisocial behaviour, planning breaches, lost dogs and much more, search 'Newark and Sherwood District Council' and click on 'Report' on the left-hand side of their home page.

https://www.newark-sherwooddc.gov.uk/report/

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ALL SAINTS' CHURCH



The Revd. Phil Smith writes:

Dear friends,

As you read this hopefully the repairs to our church wall will be complete or very close to being so and therefore, I would like to thank everyone for bearing with us as this essential work has taken place over the summer and apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused.

As we now leave the summer behind let us look forward to the autumn and the events that will be taking place at All Saints'. On Saturday $3^{\rm rd}$ September we host our final 'Open Day' of the year between $2.00 {\rm pm} - 4.00 {\rm pm}$ at which refreshments will be served together with all sorts of interesting items for sale.

We are so blessed to have such a beautiful church in our village which I also think of as Coddington's 'spiritual hub' where worship had taken place for hundreds of years, faithfully serving this community through both times of joy and sadness and hopefully will carrying on doing so for many hundreds of years to come.

Like all historic buildings our dear church takes a lot of looking after so there is still time to take part in 'The Nottinghamshire Historic Churches Trust' annual Ride and Stride event which takes place on Saturday 10th September which is open to everyone and will give an opportunity for you to visit as many of our amazing churches in Nottinghamshire as you can, by any means you can and help raise money to preserve them – just visit the trust's website to find out more.

During the autumn our regular monthly **Sunday Holy Communion services** - to which all are welcome whether you are confirmed or not – will be held at **10.00am on 25**th **September, 23**rd **October and 27**th **November** so please make a note in your diary as we would be delighted for you to join us.

In addition:

- Our Harvest Festival Service will be held on Sunday, 2 October at 3.00pm a chance to celebrate the wonderful world around as well as helping others through your donation of food items or money which will go to local charities to support those in real need.
- And our Remembrance Service will be held on Sunday, 13th November at 10.30am

Looking forward to seeing you at our services where you will be made most welcome.

With every blessing — Revd Phil

AN OPPORTUNITY TO WORSHIP TOGETHER

We want to encourage anyone who would like to, to get involved, either in reading a lesson, leading the prayers or taking part in leading the worship. We have resources for our younger members and want everyone to know they have a place with us and a part to play.

Family
Communion
10.00 am

Every Sunday: St Giles, Balderton
2nd Sunday of the month: All Saints, Barnby
4th Sunday of the month: All Saints, Coddington

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

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

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

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	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/		
Scam Alert	@s.alert.uk	No web site		
Crime Watch	@crimewatch.co.uk	https://www.crimewatch.co.uk/		
Newark Advertiser	@NewarkAdvertiser	http://newarkadvertiser.co.uk/		
Notts Live	@nottinghamshirelive	http://www.nottinghampost.com/		
Lincolnshire Live	@LincsLive	http://www.lincolnshirelive.co.uk/		
NSDC	@NSDCouncil	http://www.newark-sherwooddc.gov.uk/		
Internet Matters	@InternetMatters	https://www.internetmatters.org/		
National Cyber Sec	curity Centre	https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/		

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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.



e-mail: maggiegeorge@gmail.com



PRESS RELEASE

Citizens Advice Sherwood & Newark is calling for volunteers of all backgrounds to deliver advice and support to local people.

We are looking for new recruits who can give their time to help people struggling with issues such as *housing*, *benefits*, *money management*, *employment or changes within the family*.

Last year the charity supported 4,278 people. It can only do this work thanks to its dedicated team of volunteers. Most of our volunteers deliver advice to people in person, by phone or online. Others are involved in Research & Campaigning, are members of our Trustee Board or help out with administrative functions.

No experience is necessary as full training will be provided. IT skills are required.

Citizens Advice Sherwood & Newark volunteers come from all walks of life and choose to volunteer for a variety of reasons. They include students; people getting back into work after career breaks; people with part-time jobs; carers; and people who have retired.

Volunteers are often looking for new ways to gain valuable experience and enhance their skills, or to enjoy the opportunity to work with and meet different people.

Jackie Insley, Chief Officer at Citizens Advice Sherwood & Newark said:

"We're urging people to do something great this year and volunteer with Citizens Advice Sherwood & Newark.

"As well as doing something positive for the local community, we know people who give their time get a lot back, be it enjoying the camaraderie of working in a team, learning new skills or campaigning on issues that are important to them.

"We'll give you all the training you need and would love to hear from you."

To find out more visit:https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/local/sherwood-newark/volunteer/ or contact 01623 861769

If you need advice:

- Phone Adviceline on 0800 144 88 48 or Relay UK if you can't hear or speak on the phone, you can type what you want to say: 18001 0800 144 8884. Monday to Friday 9am-5pm.
- Phone our local office on 01623 861769 where you may be offered a call back
- Chat online to an advisor www.citizensadvice.org.uk/contact-us
- Call in
 - Newark office Tuesday/Thursday 9.30 2.30,
 Castle House NG24 1BY
 - Ollerton office Monday/Wednesday 9.30 2.30,
 5 Forest Court, NG22 9PL
- https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/local/sherwood-newark/





Our whole approach at Coddington Primary & Nursery School is driven by our seven Rainbow Christian Values which are Respect, Happiness, Friendship, Honesty, Cooperation, Responsibility and Love, which together with our school motto 'Shining the Light of Learning', help to inspire the whole school, including our wonderful Nursery and Foundation classes.

We accommodate children from the age of 3 to 4 years old in Foundation 1 (Nursery) and 4-5 years old in Foundation 2 (reception). At Coddington Nursery we offer funded 15 hours (five mornings or five afternoons) and 30 hours provision. Additional nursery sessions can be arranged and charged accordingly. We provide breakfast and after school clubs for nursery and reception children to support working families in our community. There are three intakes a year, places are available for January 2023 and April 2023. If you require more information and a tour please contact the school office, office@coddington.notts.sch.uk. Application forms can be collected from the school office or on our school website. Children can join our nursery the school term after their third birthday.

It is our intent that the children who enter our Coddington Early Years classrooms develop physically, verbally, cognitively and emotionally whilst embedding a positive attitude to school and learning. We believe that all children deserve to achieve their full, unique potential.

Learning takes place through a balance of child-initiated play and adult led learning. Daily opportunities are provided for children to consolidate their growing knowledge through high quality continuous provision along with enhanced and purposeful activities linked to our overarching topic question.

We are incredibly proud of our large outdoor area, which our children access everyday as part of free flow independent learning times, and for specific outdoor adult- led activities. We are in the process of developing this area further and have some exciting plans for September 2022, to embrace our lovely woodland area and develop a large mud kitchen, sensory area and forest style approach to learning outdoors.

We look forward to welcoming you to Coddington Primary & Nursery School.

Miss Whitaker FYFS Lead



COLLINGHAM BOWLS CLUB.

Dale field, Collingham.

As we approach the conclusion of the 2022 summer bowls season, we can report that we have enjoyed a busy summer of competitive bowls.

Matches have come thick and fast, with our teams playing in 3 Lincolnshire leagues and also in the Newark and District league.

Apart from matches we have entered cup competitions and have run monthly closed competitions and a weekly fun , summer long internal league .

We travelled over to Woodhall Spa for a friendly match and hope to invite that club to Collingham next season for a similar event.

Our members have been supportive of all these events both on and off the green .

However, we are always looking to recruit new players.

If you are interested in joining our club, please contact NINA WARD for more information.

New players are always made very welcome, whether experienced or new to the game.

We run weekly " COME AND HAVE A GO SESSIONS " for those who would like some basic tuition.

The 2023 season will commence in March with a COFFEE AND SIGNING UP MORNING.

PLAY ON THE GREEN will start in April.

Further details and dates will be issued in the New Year. Please come along and join this friendly local club.

Nina Ward. ninajward@live.co.uk

Coddington Village Hall

Lettings are beginning to pick up slowly after Covid, although some events may not return for the foreseeable future.

By the time you read this, the Coronation Hall interior will have been redecorated and we will be beginning work on a new kitchen thanks to a generous grant from ASDA.

We are also looking at insulating the "tin" building to increase our energy efficiency.

Funds have recently been boosted by a very successful Table Top Sale and the monthly Bonus Ball draw.

The winter Live and Local performing arts programme has now been announced (see later in this magazine). In addition, there will be a quiz on October 1st.

Please consider the village hall as a venue for your children's parties and other family events and keep an eye open for posters and on social media for other events and activities.

Michael Cox

The First Village Hall Bonus Ball was drawn in July.

Congratulations to Robbie who won £50 with number 1

The Coddington Village Hall Bonus Ball winning number for August is number 20.

Congratulations to Gill Southgate who has won £50 cash.

Thank you to those who support this fundraiser.

Remember 'Be in it to win it'

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

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 class on a Thursday evening at the Bridge Community Centre (St Leonard's Church) on Lincoln Road:



7:15-8:30pm: Hatha Yoga – Suitable for both those with some yoga experience and beginners.

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/Instagram page at @yogawithclarec



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Peggy Campion

Oral History collected by Irene Bell 28th February 2006

Miss Peggy Campion was born at 39 Main Street, the second child and first daughter of Charles Campion and his wife. Peter was the first child, then Peggy, then Tom and the baby of the family, Mary.

The house was owned by Peggy's Grandparents, mother and father of Charles, and they lived there all their lives, moving briefly to Farndon and then back to Coddington.

Sadly, Peggy's mother died of breast cancer when Peggy was only about 8 or 9years old. There were no social services in those days and life was hard. Grandma had moved to a cottage at the end of Balderton Lane after the death of Grandfather, but called frequently to make a meal for the children. One of the most hated meals was rabbit brains on toast.

The house had no indoor plumbing, there was a lavatory at the bottom of the garden. There was an outhouse, called the scullery with a copper where the water was boiled and poured into the tin bath for the weekly bath night, scruffiest children in last. This was fine during the summer but in the winter the bath had to be brought indoors and other members of the family had to make themselves scarce!!!

Peggy's best friend was Mary Lamb, they played together and had many giggles! One very frosty day, walking up "Ducky Hill" (Chapel Lane) they saw a sixpence which had been frozen into the pavement. They were trying to pry it up from the frost when another friend Sylvia Burgess asked what they were doing. She announced that she had dropped a sixpence there the day before, but they said that they had just dropped it.

In 1937 there was a party for the village children to celebrate the coronation of King George the VI on Geeson's field. The children were asked that those born between certain years to step forward, others born in earlier years to step back. Peggy and Mary who could not stop giggling stepped the wrong way and were given a baby doll, far too young for them!

When Peggy was 12, Charles, who had had a succession of housekeepers to help with his motherless young children, employed Winnie, and then married her and they had two further children. Peggy loved her stepmother, who was loving and kind lady, she always called her Mum.

Charles was a foreman joiner and wheelwright at Ransome and Marles and obviously was very handy. He made a lavatory which although it was still outside, was joined to the house by the back door. Later he took a piece off

the largest bedroom and made it into a bathroom, just a bath and hand basin. Later still he took another slice off the same room and put in their first inside toilet.

Grandmother was a remarkable old lady. She lived until the age of 86 when she had a stroke. When she was young she travelled all around the world and had a passport dated 1889, which was in her maiden name of Eliza Cashley, signed by the Marquess of Salisbury. Nothing like our present day passports, it is a huge single sheet of flimsy paper.

The Campions had connections with the Thorpe family. Peggy thought that the house was originally owned by the Thorpes. Peggy's Aunt Annie, who was sister to her Grandfather, worked for the Thorpes as a governess. She went to their estate in Scotland and to their London home. She lived with them for the rest of her life and died in the London house.

39 Main Street had candles in most of the rooms, electric light in the main bedroom and the living room. The Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire Electric Power Company put up a pole in the corner of the road, taking a small corner of their garden, a letter dated 28th November 1935 offers the generous sum of 1 shilling.

The house had a large garden, there were no houses between the garden and Hall Farm. The eldest son Peter and his wife had emigrated to Australia and Charles decided to sell part of the land, where the two house now stand, to enable him to go to Australia to visit. The land sold in 1973 for the sum of £3000, but sadly Charles died some time later and never did get to Australia

Peggy remembers going to the school in the present Scout Hall where she attended until she was 14. There were three teachers. Mr Fordham the head, Miss Gomer, who lived at Almond Cottage and Miss Backer the infant teacher. They were very nice and kind teachers, but Mr Fordham had to occasionally get out the slipper to the older naughty boys.

Opposite the church yard was a large field, which was the animal pound, There were no houses there. Peggy says the land belonged to the village but after Mr Taylor had all the old cottage knocked down, a house was built there now called the Pound House.

After Peggy left school, she went to Newark Technical College where she studied home economics, dressmaking and tailoring for two years. She worked for a bespoke Military Tailors in Newark, owned by Mr Richardson who lived on Beckingham Road. Often sewing the Gold Braid on to uniforms. She then moved to Moss Bros. in Nottingham.

She did not enter very much into the village activities, going regularly to church, and was a member of the youth club, which was run by Rev. Dight and his wife. They lived at The Gables. She was a member of the Guides run by Rene Daybell. Her sister Mary was a Sunday School teacher. She does remember the Youth Club putting on plays in the hall on the camp.

When the other children married and moved away, Peggy remained at home and looked after her father until he died, and now lives happily at The Ropewalk in Newark, but regularly attends All Saints Church Coddington.



High Street Collingham Newark NG23 7LB General Enquiries/Emergencies: 01636 892156

COLLINGHAM MEDICAL CENTRE

Seasonal Flu Vaccination Campaign 2022

We will be holding 2 Saturday morning flu clinics on

Saturday 24 September 2022, from 8.00 am - 1.00 pm Saturday 15 October 2022, from 8.00 am - 1.00 pm

We are aiming to vaccinate 100% of eligible patients this year, as defined by NHS guidelines. We may be able to open our offer beyond those eligible after 31 October 2022 (dependent on stocks/uptake).

Saturday clinics will focus on patients who are able to walk and stand unaided for up to 20 minutes. No seating available. Flu Vaccinations (and possibly COVID vaccines once details are confirmed) will be administered with patients stood up and a strict one-way system through the Practice will be in operation.

We will continue to wear face coverings to protect your healthcare setting.

For patients with mobility issues we will be holding weekday flu clinics. Our PCAs will triage at the time of booking.

Housebound patients will be contacted by the practice in due course.

These are appointment only clinics. Appointments will be available to book from 1 September 2022. Please contact the number below, book online or ask at Reception.

For Appointments telephone: 01636 892156 8.00am - 6.15pm
Website: www.collinghammedicalcentre.co.uk
E-Mail: collingham.medicalcentre@nhs.net



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VILLAGE HALL

Contact 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 - 21:00	MLM Ballroom	Maggie	07790 719870
Tue	13:30 - 17:00	Women's Institute	Lesley	01636 680767
		(2 nd Tuesday of the month)		
Tue	19:30 - 21:00	Private Hire		
Wed	11:00 - 12:00	Private Hire		
Wed	18:00 - 19:30	Brownies	Laura Bunkle	07960 288706
Thur	19:30 - 21:00	Coddington History Group	Isobel Turner	01636 708781
		(3 rd Thur in Month)		
Fri	10:00 - 12:00	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
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 386638 Email - office@coddington.org.uk				
Mon	09:15 - 10:15	Pilates	Karen	07495077068
Mon	11:00 - 12:00	Moving 2 Music	Niki	07803710640
Mon	16:15 - 18:15	Spotlight Maths, English & Science		07855392166
		after School tuition ages 9 to 18		10@gmail.com
Mon		Lets Dance2 (Starting 23 rd May)	Max	07710549582
Mon Mon	19:00 - 20:00 20:30 - 21:30		Sharon	07810171864 07900687137
		ŭ	Craig	
Tues		Caterpillar Music	Anna	07443536758
Tues		U3A - Craft (3 rd Tuesday, monthly)	Niki	07803710640
Tues	19:00 - 20:00	•	Ally	07415876576
Tues	10:00 21:00	Private Booking	yogarnewa	rk@gmail.com
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Wed		Little Learners (Term Time only)	Josie	07469708007
Wed	11:00 - 12:00			07790283591
	10.00 10.00		•	calvitality.co.uk
Wed	18:00 - 19:00	Rainbows (Term Time only)	Louise	07887843535
Wed	20.30 - 21.30	Private Booking	_rambows(@hotmail.co.uk
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Thur		Toddlers (Term Time only)	Joanne	07505178695
Thur		Post Office Services	A ! 4	04000040550
Thur	13:30 - 15:30	U3A 'Knit & Natter Group' (1st Thursday, monthly)	Anita	01636646559
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If you have any updates to this information please contact the editor.

Coddington History Group Speakers' Programme 2022

All the events are USUALLY 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 15th September 2022 Coddington - A miscellany of *Images*. A selection of photos from our very extensive archive collection.

Thursday 20th October 2022 - James Wright - An introduction to Medieval Building Myths. James has visited us before, his talks are always interesting and informative.

Thursday 24th November 2022 Bob Massey - Christmas Tales. Another returning speaker! Doubtless he will have amusing and interesting tales for us. NOTE – **4**th **Thursday** (to avoid a clash with Rob Foxon at Newark Palace, he has occasionally poached some of our audience on previous occasions!)

History Group News

In the March newsletter I reported that we had uploaded previous Coddington newsletters onto our website and made a plea for missing editions. I'm pleased to say a stash of them has been located and there are now 91 pre-Dec 2013 editions available on the website (www.coddington.org.uk) dating back to 1985 - but there are still some missing (notably Issue No 1 - likely to have been 'published' sometime in the last quarter of 1984). Many thanks to our Milton Keynes member Paul Birkett for more sterling work scanning and uploading them – a tedious task! He was distracted by interesting articles whilst scanning so perhaps we will reproduce a selection here in due course. Copies since December 2013 are archived on the Parish council website.

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Hello everyone,

I would like to start by welcoming Sally Briggs-Price to our team. Sally has taken over from Marion and looks after our bookings along with other duties to help with the smooth running of the Community Centre.

The trustees thank Maion for her years of service to the Community Centre and wish her well for the future.

The fence which collapsed during the winter storms has now been replaced. We will be looking to replace the fence on the other side of the school access bridge next year as it is also beginning to fail.

The rain water harvesting tanks have been removed and the toilets are now on mains water. Once the tanks had been removed the increased water pressure identified a poor connection in the water pipes which needed to be repaired.

We are looking to expand our trustees with more active members who will look after some grounds maintenance and opening up duties in addition to the regular meetings. We are exploring ways to save money while providing a venue that attracts business, help is needed to research these projects.

If you would like to know more please contact me on the number below.

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.

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Malcolm Baker Chairman Coddington Community Association - CIO Phone - 07988005266

News of Village Hall Events

Firstly to report that our first "Table Top" sale in July was fairly successful, a good selection of goods for sale including plants, jewellery, cards and flowers - not forgetting the cakes of course. Many thanks to those who kindly made cakes for the Village Hall table and also to those serving the refreshments.

Several of the stall holders expressed interest in making it a fairly regular event so we are arranging a **Christmas Fair** in November – see separate announcement.

The next event will be a **Quiz** on **Saturday October 1**st – again, see details elsewhere in this newsletter and of course posters on the village notice boards nearer the time.

On Saturday 8th October Lynn Norris is holding an Art Workshop, for further information and to book please see www.lynnnorris.co.uk or contact Lynn: Mobile 07738 939477 or email lynn.norris@talktalk.net. Note that she also has regular weekly classes on Friday mornings.

Next - advance notice about Live and Local events.

Thursday 8th December we welcome **Jez Lowe and the Bad Pennies** with "That Snow Joke". Jez is well known and popular, hence the advance notice – don't be too late booking seats, he last visited us in 2017 with "Yule Do", you can tell from the titles that you'll be in for an amusing evening with a very personable entertainer. See separate page for more details.

Lastly, dates for your next year's diary or calendar:

Friday 20th **January**, we have "**Shakespeare's Fool**" from Tortive Theatre; A brilliant show telling the story of Will 'Cavaliero' Kempe - one of the finest performers of the Elizabethan age.

Sunday 26th February "Despite Everything, Price Still Includes Biscuits". A fine satirical show from Naomi Paul - a terrific deadpan Jewish humourist. Topical stories, Victoria Wood-style comic songs and short conversational 'biscuit breaks'.



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We are extremely proud that one of our former Beavers, Cubs and Scouts at 1st Coddington Scout Group has been selected as one of the UK contingent who will travel to the World Scout Jamboree in South Korea in 2023.

Jayan is currently an Explorer with Newark Raptors as well as a young leader with our Scout Troop and is working towards his Bronze DofE. He is one of only 3,240 young people from the UK who will join 50,000 young people from almost every nation on earth in South Korea.

We will be organising some fundraising activities in the coming months to help Jayan achieve his goal of raising £3600 so please keep an eye out for those.

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And this year, the band once again invites special guest Benny Graham - actor and balladeer - to share the music, merriment and mirth of Christmas. Part folk concert, part music-hall revue. Sing along, laugh along and drive the cold winter away.

Jez has 30 years' experience of touring internationally and his songs have been featured in projects for The National Theatre and BBC Radio 2 among many others as well as his work as a presenter for BBC Radio 4.

Tickets £12.50 purchased **in advance only**. Juniors £6. Available from Isobel Turner (708781) and Phil Waller (701013) Doors open 7pm. Tea, coffee and juice will be available at the interval, or bring something stronger if you wish.







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Collingham Medical Centre has agreed to help support COVID booster vaccinations alongside the mass vaccination sites and pharmacies in Nottinghamshire for the Newark PCN and communities. We aim to deliver a large part of this campaign at weekends in order not to disrupt your general practice services during the working week.

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Section News

Our **Beaver** colony has had a very exciting few months. They have been to visit the Fire Station, Newark Air Museum, taken part in a mini–Commonwealth Games and had a splashing time at a water fun afternoon in Lincoln.

The **Cubs** have honed their navigation skills, visited the Air Museum, been on a hike, completed a litter pick locally as well as an afternoon of water sports. Cubs have also worked incredibly hard to create our Jubilee Garden including digging a wildlife pond.

Scouts have been learning knife safety and using them to whittle sticks, they have created self-extinguishing fires and volunteered to clear the gardens at Barnby Church as well orienteering at Sherwood Pines. Scouts also had a fantastic time at Lincoln Water Park!

Looking ahead, all sections are looking forward to our Group Camp at Walesby in September!

Waiting List

We are expecting unprecedented demand for places in all of our of sections and 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.

Hire our Scout Hall

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We are currently collecting items to send to the Ukraine, one of our members acting as a conduit to get the items to their destination. It's amazing how much we had at home and good to know that these items could be used to help in a country that has become a battle zone.

There is something for almost everyone at the WI, and May was no exception, with the monthly walk followed by a pub lunch and a walking holiday on the cards. Incidentally, all our walks and trips are open to members of other WI's, friends and partners.

It was decided to hold a monthly coffee morning so that we could chat, and so that new members could get to know those of us who are old hands. The first coffee morning at The Inn on the Green, was very successful.

The AGM looked at the yearly accounts prepared by the Treasurer, a Financial Report, Trustees' Report, President's Report and nominations for President and committee members, all, of course, finished off with tea, coffee and cakes!

At our June meeting our new President, Gill Southgate, called for a oneminute silence for members who had died during the pandemic. She also thanked Pat Hemingway for performing the Christmas entertainment and Joyce Allen for always being available to play the piano.

Andrew Barber spoke about beekeeping and brought along some bees and some jars of honey. Thank- you Andrew, the honey is delicious! We rounded off the meeting with a toast to the Queen to celebrate her jubilee and by singing the National Anthem.

We also managed to fit in a trip to Sandringham, helped organise the Well Green jubilee tea and took part in the WI County Quiz.

July's speaker was from the NGS, recounting the history of the National Gardens Scheme and telling us of the plethora of gardens that are available for us to see. Something to consider for a future WI trip.

If you'd like to come to one our meetings, to see if the WI is for you, just turn up on the second Tuesday of the month at 2pm at the Village Hall and give us a try. You'll get a very warm welcome.

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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.

Please be aware that the font selection and print size may be changed to enable me to fit articles into the publication and to make them easier to read.

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Thursday 6th Oct	19:30	Coddington Community Centre
Thursday 3rd Nov	19:30	Coddington Community Centre

More details of minutes, reports, planning comments and Hot News are in the Parish Council's web-pages on the village website:

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