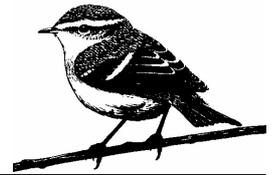


Warbler



A View from County Hall



At the moment I am preparing my annual report for the position of "Young Peoples Champion" Which I hold for both District and County Council. I didn't know when I became a councillor that I would also become a parent to 472 children! These are our counties children that are in care and as I am also chairman of the "Looked After Children's Member Group" I take a very active part with these children. At first this was a daunting thought for me, but it has proved to be a very rewarding task.

It has been a great concern that in 2012 we had a rise in young people involved in "stepping out" type pedestrian collisions with vehicles. One thought is that this could be as a result of young people wearing headphones whilst crossing the road. I will be encouraging an awareness campaign on this issue. I am also working to improve the safety of our children on the internet both at home and in schools.

Finally, I am on the lookout for volunteers. I have three primary schools requiring school governors - Weaverthorpe, Sherburn and Hertford Vale at Staxton Willerby. It's a very rewarding job working with young people within our school communities and I always offer my full support. If you are interested or know of anyone that might be, then please do get in touch with me for further details.

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The Warbler is available on
www.woldsvallywarbler.weebly.com
And will soon again be available on the
Villages Website.

Councillor Legard

I was disappointed in your December article "View from Ryedale House". I feel that when you are reporting on Council business - it should be not YOUR PERSONAL OPINION but a balanced view of the facts as discussed in Council.

A Voter and Resident of the Wolds Valley

The Warbler reaches 100 issues!



The Warbler has reached 100 issues. This would not have been possible without the support of the regular contributors and those who print and distribute the newsletters each month, delivering in all weathers to ensure that those who need it, receive the news along the valley. I'm sure that I speak for everyone in the Wolds Valley when I say thank you to all those involved.

Don't forget the Villages Website (<http://luttonsandweaverthorpe.ryedaleconnect.org.uk>)

The Wolds Valley Warbler provides a means of communication between the communities of: Wharram-Le-Street, Duggleby, Kirby Grindalythe, West Lutton, East Lutton, Helperthorpe, Weaverthorpe, Butterwick and Foxholes.
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THE WOLDS VALLEY CHURCHES

Services for the Month of February

Anglican Churches

2nd Feb	10.30	Holy Communion at St Mary's West Lutton
	18.00	Evensong at St Mary's Wharram
9th Feb	09.00	Matins at St Andrew's Kirby Grindalythe
	10.30	Holy Communion at St Peter's Helperthorpe
	10.30	Morning Prayer at St Mary's Wharram
	17.00	Evensong at St Andrew's Weaverthorpe
16th Feb	09.00	Holy Communion at St Mary's West Lutton
	10.30	Holy Communion at St Mary's Wharram
	16.00	All Age Service at St Mary's West Lutton
23rd Feb	09.00	Holy Communion at St Andrew's Kirby Grindalythe
	10.30	Holy Communion (Trad) at St Andrew's Weaverthorpe
	10.30	Morning Prayer at St Mary's Wharram
	17.00	Songs of Praise at St Peter's Helperthorpe

Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals and other enquiries should be directed to the Rev Andy Bowden on 01944 738814 or email andy@woldsvally.plus.com
For parishioners, your first point of call on all church related matters should be your churchwarden.

Wolds Valley Methodist Church, Weaverthorpe

(Serving the whole Wolds Valley)

2nd Feb	15.00	Worship led by Rev. Claire Stainsby
9th Feb	15.00	Worship led by Rev. Elizabeth Clark
16th Feb	15.00	Worship led by Mrs. Patricia Mollon
23rd Feb	15.00	Worship led by Rev. Denise Free

All services are followed by a cup of tea or coffee and a chat about local life.

Coffee Mornings

Coffee mornings continue every Monday (except Bank Holidays) from 10.00 until 11.30

Baptisms, funerals or other enquiries should be addressed to:
Rev Elizabeth Clark — Tel: 01944 710757

St Leonard & St Mary's RC Church, Malton

Masses at St Leonard & St Mary's take place at the weekend at 6.30 pm on Saturdays and 9.30 am on Sundays and various other services are held throughout the week.

Priest is Father Tim Bywater while Mrs Sue Westmacott is the pastoral assistant.

Address: Church Hill, Malton, YO17 7EJ. tel/fax: 01653 692128

email: stleonards@tiscali.co.uk

St Mary's, Wharram le Street

Ryedale Food Bank

At St Mary's we have decided, along with the other churches in the benefice, to support the Ryedale Food Bank. To this end, we are making the first weekend of each month the time to bring any contributions along to the church where there is a collection box and information about what types of food that are needed. In the main this consists of tinned or dried, non perishable food stuffs. The collection will then be taken to the collection point in Malton on the Monday of the following week. Please do try to support this venture, just buy an extra tin or packet of rice when you shop and pop them into the church on the first weekend of each month, there are many people now needing this service and there are some very sorry stories that are being told.

2 If you need any further information contact Sue Hone on 01944 738358.

Weaverthorpe



St Andrews Church Weaverthorpe

St Andrew's Church
"100 Club"

1st prize of £15 number 40

2nd prize of £5 number 63

ST MARY'S LUTTONS AMBO

DATE FOR DIARY

Flower festival /event.

Weekend 25/26/27 JULY 2014

More Details later.

Weaverthorpe Parish Council

Weaverthorpe Parish Council met on 20th January 2014. The minutes of the meeting are displayed on the notice board outside the Blue Bell Inn and can be read in the comfort of your own home on the Luttons and Weaverthorpe web site. The web address is: <http://luttonsandweaverthorpe.ryedaleconnect.org.uk/>

The minutes contain details of the Precept for 2014/15, which has not risen and what is happening about the white lines which were recently painted on Main Road and are now breaking up.

A request was made by Julia Mulligan, the Police and Crime Commissioner to publicise a public consultation regarding the proposed precept for North Yorkshire Police. (For those residents who do not understand the Precept process, North Yorkshire Police raise their funding via the Council Tax, in the same way that the Parish Council does, and that is called the Precept.)

The proposal is that the Police Precept will rise by 1.99% or £407 per annum, or 8p a week for a band D property. The reason for the increase is "alongside work to secure £10m of efficiency savings, (the increase) will help enable North Yorkshire maintain police officer numbers at a time when other forces are shrinking theirs".

There is an opportunity for you to have your say on the Police and Crime Commissioner website at:

<http://www.northyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/news/commissioner-proposes-1-99-launch-in-council-tax-precept-to-pay-for-more-police-officers/>

This consultation ends on 31st January 2014. I realise that many of you will not receive the Warbler until after that date and I have informed the PCC's office of this. The request to publicise this was only received on 20th January 2014.

The Press release says that you can also have your say by calling 01423 569562 or emailing info@northyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk or writing to; Freepost RTCL-AGAE-TRTS, Police and Crime Commissioner for North Yorkshire, 12 Granby Road, Harrogate, HG1 4ST.

Jeff House

Clerk to Weaverthorpe Parish Council

The Star Inn
Country pub and restaurant

We are now open as usual after our 2 week closure. Normal menu being served as well as our Winter Warmer Menu £7.30 for one course and £10 for two courses, please see the website for all menus.

Sunday 2nd Feb

Indian Banquet £12.50
from 7pm all you can eat

Tuesday 4th Feb

Open mic / local musician
"jamming session" from 9pm please feel free to come along and play, join in or listen
(held every two weeks on a Tuesday from thereafter)

Friday 14th Feb

Valentines Menu, 7 course tapas menu with chocolate fountain only £29.95 per couple.

Sunday 23rd Feb

Quiz from 8.30pm profits going to Next Steps Malton

Saturday 8th March

Thai Theme Evening
3 course Thai Menu
selection of starters, choice of 3 main courses and fresh fruit and coconut ice cream to finish.
Only £14.95 per person

Marianne would like to thank Will and Ali at The Star Inn, Weavertorpe, for their kindness and generosity in helping to raise funds for her charity work in Borneo by selling little Christmas Cakes.

Many thanks,
Sherry Parrott (Helperthorpe)

**Yorkshire Country Women's Association
Weavertorpe Branch**

We welcome Rachel MacDonald to our next meeting on 11th February to talk to us about a Moroccan Wedding.



Just to remind members that this meeting will not be a 'Faith Supper' as previously advertised.
If you have recently moved in to the Valley and wonder what goes on at County Women's then please come along and see. Meetings start at 7.30pm and all are welcome.
Vicki Rowland - Chairwoman
01944 738465

Weavertorpe Village Hall

Mondays

Exercises to music & Pilates
1.30 to 2.30
£4 per session
Diane Gunson



Wednesdays

Yoga
1.30 to 2.30
£4/5 per session
Jennie Horra

Everyone welcome
Mats provided—Wear trainers
Half term break week beginning 17th Feb

Weavertorpe Weebles Toddler Group



Meet Mondays from 9th September 9.15-11.15am at Weavertorpe School (term time only). Adults and tots welcome, come and have a cuppa, a chat and some fun! (Please park at the bottom of the hill) Contact 01944 738389 for more details

Weavertorpe Village Hall



A free Games afternoon suitable for all age groups and families.

On Saturday 15th February between 2pm – 6pm.

Please feel free to drop in and enjoy a range of games including our newly acquired indoor bowls set.

A representative from Yorkshire Energy Partnership, approved by Ryedale District Council will also be present to provide information on how to become involved in oil buying schemes.

There will be free light refreshments served although we always welcome a small donation towards the cost of running the hall.

Free Electronic Organ



At Weavertorpe Village Hall
Free to a good home
It is apparently still in working order
Tel 01944 738282 for details.

Weavertorpe Village Hall

Regular Events

Mondays:

1.30- 2.30: Movers exercise session incorporating pilates.

Wednesdays:

1.30-2.30: Yoga
6.30-7.30: Zumba
8.30-9.30: Wolds Valley Voices Choir

Fridays:

Youth Club: Commences 28th February

Second Tuesdays in the month:
7.30 – 9pm Yorkshire Country Womens

Weavertorpe Village Hall Committee



The committee would like to extend their gratitude to the following retiring committee members: Amanda Garbutt, Trevor Thomson & Gill Welford for all their hard work and support during their years in office.

We are a friendly bunch and welcome anyone who wishes to be involved in volunteering to help at events or is interested in becoming a committee member.



Come join the fun at Weavertorpe Village Hall every

Wednesday 6.30 – 7.30 pm.
The cost is £4.00 per session.

For further details or to book your session contact Gill on 738287.

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NIGHT OWL (Arthur & Sheila)

SATURDAY 15TH MARCH
WEAVERTHORPE VILLAGE HALL
IN AID OF THE YORKSHIRE AIR
AMBULANCE



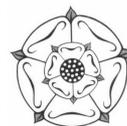
8pm until late
Bring and share supper, tea, coffee and soft drinks available.
No alcohol at this event please

We would be grateful for Raffle prizes
TICKETS £5
Contact: Mary McKinley 01944 738651
Norma Harrison 01944 738866

Luttons

**Yorkshire Country Women's Association
Luttons Branch**

January's meeting was 'afternoon tea,' kindly hosted by one of our own members to celebrate a very special birthday of our most senior member. Congratulations.



After much discussion we decided that the February meeting should be postponed and that we will continue in March with our programme of events. More information in the next edition of the warbler.

We would love to see you there and always welcome new members or visitors.

General News

Local Joiner Seeks Help



This is an request to any farmers, land owners or local businesses in the valley area. Do you have a barn, outbuilding or similar that I could rent from you?

MCR Joinery is looking to set up a small joinery shop and store timber/materials so it needs to be dry with an electric supply.

If you can help, or know of someone who could, please call Michael on 01944 738465. Thank you.

Calling local farmers and landowners



Nature conservation charity, the RSPB, would love to hear from local farmers and land managers in who are interested in helping nature thrive on their land.

The Yorkshire Wolds and Coast is one of the best places for wildlife in the UK and has huge potential to provide even more homes for important farmland birds, as well as other animals from butterflies and bees to hares and hedgehogs.

As a result, RSPB conservation advisor Chris Tomson is offering free advice and support to anyone in the area who wants to manage their land in a more wildlife-friendly way.

As well as advice, the RSPB is also offering farmers in the Yorkshire Wolds and Coast area free farmland bird surveys. These stock takes will show what wildlife makes its home on a farm and, when repeated at a later date, will reveal how a farmer's efforts are producing real results for wildlife.

Farmers interested in chatting to Chris about giving nature a home on their land can call him on 07900 164 601 or email him at chris.tomson@rspb.org.uk.

Oil buying Groups & Energy advice

15th February 2014

2pm until 4pm.

Weaverthorpe Village Hall

Our Oil buying Correspondent, Mrs. Helen James will be at Weaverthorpe Village Hall on Saturday 15th February 2014 between 2pm and 4pm to give further information on the local oil buying groups and answer any questions you may have. Helen will also be helping anyone who needs energy efficiency advice, insulation or help with switching supplier.

RYEDALE
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Great British Fish and Chip Supper – Friday 16th May 2014



Want to eat Fish and Chips, while raising money for charity? Hold a fish and chip supper on Friday

16th May 2014 whilst raising awareness of spinal cord injury and supporting SIA's vital services.

You can hold a fish and chip supper in your own home, at work or hold a larger supper at your local community centre.

SIA will provide a fundraising pack containing hints and tips, recipes, invitations and donation envelopes. By inviting 8 friends and asking them to donate an additional £5.00 means you will raise at least £40.00 from your supper but we will also give you additional fundraising ideas to raise even more money for SIA.

In 2014 SIA is celebrating its 40th anniversary and so we want to make the batter matter and raise £25,000 from everyone holding suppers. Last year we raised £12,500 from the suppers.

The money raised from the suppers will help the Spinal Injuries Association offer support to individuals who become paralysed and their families, from the moment a spinal injury occurs, and for the rest of their lives by providing services and publications which enable and encourage paralysed people to rebuild lives after spinal cord injury.

Every year in the UK over 1,000 people experience a spinal cord injury and there are an estimated 40,000 spinal cord injured people in the UK alone.

Community Fundraising Manager, Elizabeth Wright, says, "The Fish and Chip Supper is a wonderful opportunity for a great evening with friends and family. We are also encouraging people who work to hold a Fish and Chip Lunch in their work places to raise even more funds. You may be even a local community group wanting to run a fun evening with your group.

For more information or request a fundraising pack call Elizabeth Wright on 0845 071 4350 or email fundraising@siafishandchips.co.uk or visit www.siafishandchips.co.uk

KIRKBYMOORSIDE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION CLUB

Tel 01751 432252

February Entertainment

1ST ANDY ASH

8TH RICK ANTHONY

15TH DARREN BUSBY

22ND THE EVERLEYS REVISITED

ALL STARTING AT 8:30PM
NON-MEMBERS WELCOME

Paul Weller announces Forestry Commission gigs.



Paul Weller has confirmed five forest gigs, appearing as part of the Forestry Commission's Forest Live concert programme in spectacular woodland locations across the country.

It's been thirty years since Paul Weller first exploded onto the music scene, suited and booted, and armed with statement tunes in The Jam. Blending the best of British with his love of Motown, Weller crafted a new landscape in the UK music scene thanks to an impressive portfolio of work including amongst others, Stanley Road, Illumination, 22 Dreams and 2013's Sonik Kicks all hitting Number One. A significant figure in popular music for the past three generations, he remains a cultural icon. Forest Live is an independent programme organised by the Forestry Commission bringing music to new audiences without commercial branding or sponsorship. Income from the concerts is spent on improving the woodland for both people and wildlife.

Following on from two sold out Forest Live dates last summer, Paul said of the 2014 shows, "It's a favourite summer jaunt for me so I look forward to performing in a few of the forests that I haven't played in a good while".

Paul Weller plus special guests will be performing:

Saturday 14 June: Sherwood Pines Forest, Edwinstowe, Nr Mansfield, Notts.

Saturday 21 June: Bedgebury Pinetum & Forest, Nr Tunbridge Wells, Kent.

Friday 27 June: Dalby Forest, Nr Pickering, N Yorks.

Saturday 28 June: Cannock Chase Forest, Nr Rugeley, Staffs.

Friday 4 July: Delamere Forest, Nr Northwich, Cheshire.

Tickets £46.20 (including booking fee) go on sale at 9.00am Friday 17 January from the Forestry Commission box office tel 03000 680400 or buy online at www.forestry.gov.uk/music.

Info
www.paulweller.com
www.forestry.gov.uk/music