

Warbler



A View from County Hall



This must go down as one of the strangest Christmas periods on record. I started it suffering from "post election feet syndrome" after tramping around the northern lands and as we move further into Christmas, I note the Queens Speech opening Parliament reads like a list of New Year's resolutions. We have all seen the headline legislative agenda around business rates, Brexit, health, social care and building safety, but the one I am watching out for is the promise around local government.

"We continue to promote the role councils play in making a huge difference to the lives of our residents and communities".

I welcome this recognition and particularly the commitment to levelling up powers and investment in local areas. My hopes for the new year are that in considering handing down powers to local government, the electorate are given a clear line of accountability which does not get lost in the myriad layers of local government including Parish, District and County Councils. Devolved power is a gift we have long been working to achieve, but surely there is also now a real case to look at the whole structure of local government rather than merely overlaying it with yet another layer called "Devolution".

Happy New Year to you and yours.
Janet Sanderson

THE STAR INN WEAVERTHORPE



January 2020 will see the return of Pizza's; both to eat in or take out. Watch out for further announcements!

Julien & Rachel would like to wish you a prosperous and healthy 2020.

Tel: 01944 738346



We are offering 10% off your entire meal from our A La Carte menu throughout January. Simply quote 'BLUEBELL JAN20' when booking. Karl and Julia 01944 738204

Wolds Valley 'Pop Up' Community Cinema



We are screening 'Green Book' (12), on Friday 31st January at Weavertorpe Village Hall at 7.30pm.

The winner of the Best Picture Oscar 2019, a heart-warming and entertaining film inspired by true events. Doors open at 7pm for refreshments and a chance to chat to Claire Canavan from Healthwatch North Yorkshire about facilities in the Wolds Valley. As always, no adverts and interval with ices. For further information contact :- Sue Hone at susiehonestone569@gmail.com or on 01944 738358.

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healthwatch

North Yorkshire's independent champion for people using health and social care is coming to the Wolds Valley early in 2020 to find out how services could work better for villagers.

Healthwatch North Yorkshire, which has the power to make sure that people's voices are heard by those running NHS and social care services, has chosen the area as a focus for its work with rural communities.

From January to March, the team will be talking to people in community groups, village halls, places of worship, cafes and elsewhere about how they access information about services, and what needs to be done to ensure people have the right information. Do you know what's happening in neighbouring villages, what support is available nearby and how to access district and county-wide services like Warm & Well, which helps with fuel poverty? Are you up to date with changes to NHS services, such as the Scarborough Acute Services Review, and do you know how to have your say?

Outreach dates

We will be talking to people in the Great Wold Valley at these places and times:

- Monday 20 January Weavertorpe Supermobile Library 10.30am-12.30pm
- Friday 31 January Pop-up Cinema at Weavertorpe Village Hall. The film is Green Book. 7pm.
- Monday 3 February Weavertorpe Weebles 9.30am-11am Weavertorpe School
- Friday 7 February Kirby Grindalythe Luncheon Club noon-2pm
- Saturday 8 February Foxholes Library and Coffee Morning 10am-noon Foxholes Community Hall
- Friday 21 February Weavertorpe Brunch Club 10am.

Don't forget the following Websites :-

- Luttons & Weavertorpe (<http://luttonsandweavertorpe.ryedaleconnect.org.uk>)
- Kirby Grindalythe & Duggleby (<http://kirbygrindalytheandduggleby.ryedaleconnect.org.uk>)
- Foxholes with Butterwick Parish Council (<http://foxholeswithbutterwickpc.co.uk>)
- All Saints Church, Wold Newton (www.allsaintschurch-woldnewton.com)



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Wolds Valley Benefice

5th Jan	9.30 am Holy Communion (said) St. Mary's West Lutton 10.30 am Holy Communion St. Mary's Wharram Le Street
12th Jan	9.00 am Matins St. Andrew's Kirby Grindalythe 10.30 am Holy Communion St. Peter's Helperthorpe 10.30 am Morning Prayer St. Mary's Wharram Le Street
19th Jan	10.30 am Family HC Weaverthorpe Village Hall 6.00 pm Evensong St. Mary's Wharram Le Street
26th Jan	10.30 am Plough Service & HC St. Andrew's Kirby Grindalythe

Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals and other enquiries should be directed to the Rev Andy Bowden 01944 738814 or email andy@woldsvalley.plus.com

For parishioners, your first point of call on all church related matters should be your churchwarden.

St Nicholas's Church Benefice, Butterwick

5th Jan	9.15am Benefice Service at St Peters Langtoft
12th Jan	9.15am Eucharist at All Saints, Thwing 11.00am Eucharist at St. Peter's Langtoft
18th Jan	4.00pm Eucharist at St. Peter's Langtoft
19th Jan	9.15am Eucharist at All Saints, Thwing
26th Jan	9.15am Morning Prayer at All Saints, Thwing 11.00am Eucharist at St Peter's, Langtoft
25th Jan	9.15 am 'Men at The Mill' Breakfast Club' at The Church Rooms, Langtoft. All men from the local villages are invited to come along. Please join us for Bacon sandwiches/coffee and some convivial company and lively chat! Contact :- Geoff Tonkin Tel:- 01377 267149'

All enquiries should be directed to:- Rev'd Stuart Grant :- 01377 257712

All Saints Church, Front Street, Wold Newton

5th Jan	10.00 a.m. Holy Communion led by the Rev. Barbara Hodgson
12th Jan	4.00 p.m. Epiphany, led by the Worship Team
19th Jan	10.00 a.m. Holy Communion led by Prebendary Peter Bowles
26th Jan	10.00 a.m. Combined Service of Holy Communion at Burton Fleming led by the Rev. Barbara Hodgson.

**This ancient and interesting church is kept open during the day for visitors.
All enquiries should be directed to: Rev Barbara Hodgson – Tel: 01262 470873**

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 9.00 am on Sundays. Now that the colder weather has returned, the weekday Masses at St Leonard & St Mary's RC Church, Malton, will be in the Parish Community Centre except for those Wednesdays when there is Eucharistic Adoration at 11.00am and Mass at 12.00 noon.

**Priest is Father Tim Bywater while Ms Sue Westmacott is the pastoral assistant.
Address: Church Hill, Malton, YO17 7EJ. tel/fax: 01653 692128
email: stleonardsmalton@outlook.com**

FOXHOLES COMMUNITY HALL

'FOXHOLES COMMUNITY HALL A.G.M.'

Will be held on Saturday 25th January in the Hall following the usual Library Session.
Starting at 12.30pm till 1.30 pm approx.
There will be complimentary Tea, Coffee and 'Bacon sandwiches'
Everyone is very welcome. If you have never visited the hall before, this will be an excellent opportunity to have a look round, see what the library has to offer, and sit in comfort whilst the members of the committee update everyone on 2019 activities.

Remember, this is your hall, and this is your chance to say how you would like to see it used.
The hall has ample parking, free WiFi and comfortably caters for 100 users.
We look forward to seeing you all !

'QUIZ NIGHT IS BACK'

All Teams Welcome.
Friday 31st Jan 2020
Doors Open:- 7.00pm for 7.30pm Start
Admission £2.50 Teams of 6 Max
* Licensed Bar at this Event*
Please book your Table as Nos. are Limited
All Enquiries Rod :- 01377 267054 or
07748755607
(Proceeds for Foxholes C.H. and Butterwick Church)

YOGA CLASSES

We now have a Yoga Class
Every Monday 11.45am till 12.30pm
With Professional Instructor, Matt
Please come along and give it a try.
In the comfort of underfloor heating.
Beginners and improvers
All Welcome. Fee: £4.00 / session
For more information
Ring Matt :- mob :- 07505 203624

If you would like to hire the hall for any event, party, function or meeting, then please get in touch :-

All enquiries to : Angela Whitear Tel :- 01262 470732

Weaverthorpe Weebles



Meet Mondays
9.00-11.00 am
at Weaverthorpe School
(term time only).
All parents/careers welcome with children baby-5yrs, come and have a cuppa, a chat and some fun!
(Please park at the bottom of the hill)
Contact Jill on 01944 738389 for more details.



A big thank you to Father Christmas who found time to pay us a visit with his sack full of presents!

Weebles January itinerary;
13th - Return to Weebles following the festive break.
20th - Bring your favourite book/library van visit.
27th - Biscuit decorating.
3rd February - Claire from Health Watch pays us a visit/ library van
10th - Valentines craft
24th - Return from half term.

WOLDS VALLEY VOICES CHOIR

We would like to say 'Thank You' to all those people who came to our Christmas Singalong and supported us in raising the sum of £185.00 for Yorkshire Air Ambulance Charity. It was an excellent evening of fun, singing and laughter. Also a thank you to all the people worked hard on the night to make it happen.
We wish everyone a Happy New Year!

This Community Choir has been together for eight years. Sadly our Musical Director, Charles, retired after the Carol Service at St. Mary's, West Lutton, our last booking for 2019.

We now have only 10 singers, plus our wonderful accompanist, Christine.
If you are interested in joining us with your expertise of singing or becoming our M.D. we would be delighted to hear from you. Please help the Choir to continue making music in the Wolds Valley. For more details contact:
Ann - Tel: 01944 738718
Rod - Tel: 01377 267054

WOLD NEWTON Supper Club

15th Jan At The Anvil Arms, Wold Newton, 7 for 7.30 p.m.. To be confirmed. Please contact John Butler 01262 470210.

The Community Centre

25th Jan Coffee, Cake and a Chat + More!
10 a.m. - 12 noon.

RBL Poppy Appeal



On behalf of the RBL could I give a massive thank you to; The Folks of Weaverthorpe, Staff and customers of The Bell, The Star, Three Tuns (West Lutton) and Rarey Halt. Plus Lutton and Weaverthorpe Primary schools and finally Sheila's coffee morning who raised a grand total of £433 towards the appeal.

Thank you once more.

Dennis Horseman
(Littlebeck, Weaverthorpe)