

Ellerker NEWS

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A r o u n d u p o f n e w s f r o m a r o u n d t h e p a r i s h

Playing Fields

The Scarecrow Festival will be the main fund raiser of the year in support of the playing fields – if you value the village playing fields then please do all you can to support this event.

You can help by volunteering your time and effort for part of the weekend – contact Philip Wood 422689 – and if you wish to do this you are invited to an informal meeting at Ashley House (near the old village pump opposite the village Hall) at 7:45pm on Thursday, 8th July. We need people to man the stalls and act as car park marshals etc.

You can help by donating Tombola prizes – please drop them off at Ashley House or contact Philip Wood on 422689.

Once again there will be a Duck Race down the Beck on Saturday and Sunday afternoons as well as refreshments and family fun games.

Please tell your friends and family about the event - we want as many or more people to come as we had last year!



With the generous help of a grant from the Jenny Tinker Charity, we have acquired a 'grey fergie' tractor to replace the one which had to be removed from the small playing field a few years ago. Jenny was born and grew up in Ellerker at Hazel House Farm. The refurbished tractor will be 'unveiled' on the weekend of the Festival.

- PCW

Parish Council

Parish Clerk

The contact details for the Parish Clerk are:-

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Flooding

The long awaited Highway Authority Report into the water run off and drainage from the A63 was finally issued to us in May. The report concluded that the attenuation met legal requirements and no further action was proposed by the Highway Authority.

Yorkshire Water and the ERYC are meeting in the village to consider a thorough investigation into a constant flow of water that runs through the village sewers. Please do remember to contact YW with any drainage issues as they respond to "hotspots" as measured by volume of calls.

Planning

Wandahome Caravans, Brough Road -
Erection of a caravan maintenance workshop - Approved

Renewal of planning consent for extension at 3 Mill Hill - Pending

Dog fouling

The painted signs on the footpaths to remind people to clean up after their dogs are to be refreshed. Whilst the majority of villagers and visitors with dogs are responsible and do clean up, unfortunately we have received complaints about dog mess on the village footpaths and also along the bridle paths.

- MM

Views expressed are not necessarily those of the Editor

Yorkshire Countrywomen

In March the monthly meeting was the Annual General Meeting. Attendance was sparse and refreshments were served by the Committee members.

At the May meeting, visiting speaker Ken Elletson shed a comprehensive light on activities "New Theatre Back Stage".



For the June meeting, members were well entertained by John Fewings "Maximise your memory". This was very funny, causing lots of laughter. One of the best speakers we have had.

1st July
Outing

5th August
Lighter side of antiques (Whostit4) – Mary Scaife

2nd September
Handicraft Show
The Cheeses of England and Wales – Margaret Rant

- PN

Village Hall

The Village Hall will have its annual spring clean during the summer holidays. Anything which doesn't belong in the Hall will be removed so if you have an item which needs collecting then please do it as soon as possible.

It is hoped to continue with Ellerker Cinema from September having had a very successful season. If anyone could give occasional help with collecting the equipment from The Treasure House in Beverley it would be much appreciated.

The Village Hall Committee is organising a Bric-a-Brac stall for the Scarecrow Weekend. If you have anything to donate which could be sold on the stall we would be most grateful.

- S&MP

Women's Institute

In April we had a fascinating talk by Carol Atkinson about straw buildings and the difficulties of obtaining planning permission

In May one of our members - Audrey Tatterstall gave a very informative talk about her visits to Turkey. It was an insight into charitable organisations and their work in orphanages, and a view of the country away from the tourist spots.

In June we combined our monthly meeting with the Howdenshire Group

Rally. Congratulations to Sandholme and Hive who were the overall winners, and to Ellerker for winning the best produce and best handicraft cups, also to North Cave for winning the flower arrangement trophy. Our speaker was Karen Clark of Crystal Velvet. She gave us a demonstration on jewellery making.



- MT

St Anne's

No Report for this quarter

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- Ed

ELLERKER EVENT DIARY JULY—SEPTEMBER

July

- 1 YCA, Village Hall, 7.30 pm
- 7 WI, Village Hall, 7.30 pm
- 17-18 Scarecrow Weekend

August

- 4 WI, Village Hall, 7.30 pm
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September

- 1 WI, Village Hall, 7.30 pm
- 2 YCA, Village Hall, 7.30 pm