

The Hovingham and Scackleton Newsletter

October 2015

Welcome to the Hovingham and Scackleton Newsletter

Living in rural Ryedale, we are privileged to witness the daily changes in our landscape as one season hands over to another. At this time of year we see a wonderful array of agricultural vehicles harvesting and ploughing the fields cumulating in the annual celebrations of harvest.

Our unique monthly award winning Market reflects the seasons too with a variety of food and produce grown and farmed in and around Ryedale. It's also the time of year when we remember to take a torch before venturing out on foot in the evening.

Our wider world seems turbulent right now with many challenging issues facing us from migration to global warming. These changes also touch us in Ryedale where there is currently a planning application to try a new method of unconventional gas extraction (fracking) at Kirby Misperton. Whatever your perspectives about unconventional gas extraction, you have the opportunity to have your say before 14th October. Further details are included in the insert with this newsletter. In the meantime, *"Learn from yesterday, Live for today, Hope for tomorrow. The important thing is not to stop questioning"*. Albert Einstein.

Caroline Davis

Work in stone - James Ellis



When I left Ryedale School I started a bricklaying course at York College and worked two days a week at Hovingham Estate in the works department. I then realised I would like to help repair and restore buildings such as Hovingham Hall, so after the first year I changed courses to stonemasonry. I gained a three year apprenticeship with a York firm William Anelay and I am working at the City Hall in Bradford, where I have built up my experience as a banker mason making Apex stones and Balustrades. I have also made a new Capping stone for the gate into Allerton Castle; it is very satisfying to think my work will be there for centuries to come.

I walk around building like Castle Howard thinking how I would love to work stone there, maybe one day! Who knows?

Star in the making

Earlier on this year Hovingham local Chloe Gamble along with eight other riders from Friars Hill Stables, went down to The National Riding Schools Championships at Warwickshire College. To qualify for the championship you had to come 1st, 2nd or 3rd at the qualifier competition at which Chloe came 1st, so qualified with flying colours. After weeks of training, the Friars Hill team headed down to Warwickshire the day before the championships. They finally arrived after a four hour drive, and stayed the night at the college before the competition the next day.



The team had a very successful day, winning the championship out of eight riding schools. Chloe on a horse called Blaze came 8th individually in the 17years and under out of about 30 people in her category, making her 8th in the country in dressage.



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Poppy day is here again



We will be collecting for the British Legion from 22nd October to 11th November with Remembrance Sunday commemorated on the 8th November. As usual there will be house to house collections by villagers. Gift aid envelopes will be available and we also have a stall at the Village Market on Saturday the 7th November where other items as well as poppies will be on sale.

Support from the village has always been excellent and last year Hovingham and the surrounding villages raised £1,478.55. We are still short of a few volunteers, so please contact me if you can be of assistance. **Rosemary Stewart, 01653 628741**

Free transport for medical appointments in Hovingham and Ampleforth

In a new Scarborough and Ryedale Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) pilot scheme, patients of Ampleforth and Hovingham are now offered free transport for NHS medical appointments that are arranged with our two local surgeries.

Bookings should be made via the two surgeries by calling **01653 698 888**

Ryedale Community Transport will provide the service in private cars - or in wheelchair accessible vehicles where required.

Hovingham Church reviving Thursday Morning Prayer Service



For the last ten years or so Hovingham Church has been holding a short morning prayer service on Thursday mornings at 9.30am after the school church assembly. Then, when the Revd Beryl Bowes retired and one or two of the regulars either died or moved away, the small numbers did not warrant it and the service fell into abeyance. Now, it is hoped to revive this service. With this in mind Revd Martin Allwood has undertaken to lead the it on a fortnightly basis. These will be on 1st, 15th and 29th October and then hopefully fortnightly on into November. This does mean that our Rector on these occasions will be in the village from 10.00am onwards and anyone who would welcome a visit from him should be in touch with him. His telephone number is 690913.

Eddie Lucas

Dolce Vita - Italian night dining - Saturday 24th October

* Fund raising event *

All cooked by a traditional baker from Tuscany flying over especially and a chef from a very renowned Italian restaurant in Leeds. Vegetarian option available upon request. Alcoholic beverages will be served.

Saturday 24th October, 7pm at Hovingham Village Hall

Tickets need to be purchased before the event - - £15 per person

Call Annise or Michelle on 01653 627184

or email m.bertucci@btinternet.com

or see us at our fundraising stall at the October Market

All proceeds go to Annise Bertucci (aged 16) for her volunteer trip to Peru in 2016 to help the locals build a school and clean water



ANTIPASTI

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FIRST COURSE

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MAIN COURSE

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Al Forno Potatoes and Vegetables

DESSERT

Traditional Italian Desert TBC

Hovingham Food Bank - the need remains

Hovingham Food Bank was started in the spring, following a discussion at the Church Benefice Lent Course. A box for donated contributions was placed in the Tower Room at the Church together with a list of food stuffs that would be welcomed. Initially the response was excellent and two full boxes have been delivered to the food depot in Norton. However in recent weeks, the number of donations has dropped off, but the need remains. It is worth mentioning that food bank is open for the whole village and not just to those attending Hovingham Church. The Methodist church is also receiving donations.

Maureen Lucas



Harvest Celebrations in Hovingham

How thankful we are that whatever the weather the harvest is always gathered in. Harvest is always an important time of the year in rural areas and as usual will be celebrated in Hovingham in the school, the church and the chapel.

The **School Harvest Service** to which all parents and friends of the school will be welcome, will be in the church on **Thursday 1st October at 2.30pm.**

The **Church Service** will be on **Sunday 4th October, at 10.30am**, at which the preacher will be the Revd Sue Bond, vicar of the Ampleforth Benefice. As usual our Methodist neighbours will be invited and the school pupils will be taking part in the service. The service will be followed by a harvest lunch to which everyone is welcome.

The Methodists will be holding their Harvest Service on **Friday 16th October** when they will be welcoming Mr. Mike Sellers who will conduct the service. Mr Sellers has been a specialist organic grower of vegetables and milling wheat for 35 years. He was introduced to Prince Charles in 2008 as a pioneer of organic farming in Ryedale. In addition to his many years of local preaching, he has been a volunteer with the "Farming Community Network" which helps farmers who are going through personal or occupational difficulties Everyone will be welcome. The service will followed by an auction of gifts and a harvest supper.

Finally, the theme of the October Village Market will be 'Harvest' and there will be much for the children (and the rest of us!) to join in.

Eddie Lucas and Carol Battersby

Celebrating Ryedale Christmas Fair

Hovingham Village Hall

Saturday 14th November 2015

10am - 4pm

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Supporting Frack Free Ryedale



Middle Eastern Feast - Hovingham Village Hall

Friday 6th November 2015 - 7pm for 7.30pm

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Supporting Frack Free Ryedale

We're continuing to focus on attracting customers and particularly families to the Market balancing this with our community focus. This has attracted to the area residents, visitors and new stallholders.

Our First Market Apprentice

Following the great success of our award from the Duke of York's Community Initiative; we are delighted to announce our own Market Apprentice scheme. We have identified our first local artisan who demonstrates something special. The Market will mentor the Market Apprentice in further developing their business, consistent with the objectives and spirit of the Market. At our September Market, Samuel Chapman from SC Stone Sculptures (Stonegrave), became the first recipient of this unique award.



A Busker for the Market

Visitors to the September Market enjoyed the music of local teenager, Jack Stott, who played gentle jazz on his saxophone. He is saving to buy a tenor saxophone. Listen out for Jack at future Markets.

Special Themes for Markets

We've introduced themes and fun such as raffles, the Easter Hen Trail & Egg Decorating Competition involving the local school; Tour de Yorkshire; Locally Made Ice Cream; Flower & Music Festival; Find the Fish competition and a focus on locally produced fair price lamb to celebrate British Lamb Week. Future themes include harvest with a funny shaped vegetable & sculpture competition, poppy day and pizzas, and Christmas (yes it's just around the corner).

Leaflets

We have produced and distributed over 10,000 copies of the 2015 Hovingham Village Market leaflet. If you'd like additional copies, contact themarket@hovingham.org.uk.

Social media

We have continued to maintain an active Social Media presence using Facebook (The Hovingham Village Market) & Twitter (@hovinghammarket). We also send out a monthly taster email to promote the Market to potential visitors, sharing the many successes and stories of our stallholders. If you'd like to join our mailing list, contact themarket@hovingham.org.uk

Volunteers – do you have an hour to spare?

Our Market is run for the community by the community. Once a month we need some muscle to cover the stalls with sheets and help to take down the stalls at the end of the Market. There's lots of other ways you can support the Market too from publicity, use of social media, distributing leaflets, putting out roadside signs, recording visitor numbers, sharing ideas etc. We welcome your skills and we'd love to hear from you. Contact themarket@hovingham.org.uk

Caroline Davis, Hovingham Village Market Group

Children's vegetable/fruit sculpture competition or bring along a funny shape



Coming soon at Harvest Time... Get ready for the funniest shaped vegetable/fruit sculpture competition

Bring along your funny sculpture or unusual shaped veg or fruit to the next Hovingham Village Market on Saturday 3rd October, 10.30am-1.30pm.

Start looking now.
You could be one of our lucky prize winners.

On a very hot and sunny afternoon (yes it was Summer and in England!!) some 80 children and the young at heart gathered at the Playground to celebrate the completion of the Playground improvements and for Sir William and Lady Worsley to unveil the plaque commemorating his father Sir Marcus.

All the children enjoyed wonderful chocolate and vanilla butterfly cakes and cordial kindly provided by Carol Battersby and Rosemary Stewart. The Playground is run entirely by volunteers and raises all the monies needed to operate the playground. They are grateful for support from the village, Sir William and Lady Worsley, the Parish Council and the Village Market.



Three children (Ellie and Charlie Blades and Maddie Gordon-Finlayson) spoke on the benefits of the playground and the enjoyment they took from it while the 'grown-ups' listened attentively

Ann Chapman

Police News - thank you and keep vigilant

Firstly may I put out a big thank you to all members of neighbourhood watch and others who are helping to keep Southern Ryedale a safe place to live.

Be vigilant – poaching & lamping with dogs reported

Reports to the police of men using dogs to hunt for hare and deer in this area, both during the day and night continues. If you see anyone on land that you suspect may be acting illegally, please contact the police preferably with vehicle details including the registration number where possible. The police have specific powers to deal with such offences and under certain circumstances they can seize vehicles and dogs. There may also be a possible link with recent poaching and thefts locally from farms such as quad bikes, metal, etc.

The police would like to remind everyone to be vigilant and report any suspicious activity immediately - Phone 101

If you have any concerns about crime or anti-social behaviour in your village please feel free to contact your local Police Community Support Officer (PCSO) or call into Malton Police Station or 101. Please also look out for the publication of our regular local surgeries held across the area and see up at the monthly Hovingham market. They are also published on the North Yorkshire Police website under the heading of 'Meet my local officers and local events'.

PC 1922 Nick Coning contact email: nick.coning@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk

PCSO 4873 Nicki Pounder contact email: nicki.pounder@northvorkshire.pnn.police.uk

Rainfall at Hall Farm, Hovingham (in mm)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2010	83	58	47	21	11	37	42	42	82	64	74	31	592
2011	43	68	6	2	41	52	48	112	25	67	28	66	558
2012	49	16	20	148	48	102	110	76	113	97	137	122	1038
2013	57	24	52	14	83	48	26	55	57	90	55	57	620
2014	127	58	38	23	35	54	52	94	29	72	108	48	838
2015	26	20	36	21	89	15	79	67					
Avg	63	46	38	50	55	66	55	68	53	77	70	73	677

* Oh well - rain at harvest time - bother. My tomatoes are taking forever to ripen so not only wettish but cool as well.

Avg - figures calculated from 1997 to 2014

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August Bank Holiday - Car Boot Sale

For the first time in many years, the August Bank Holiday Car Boot Sale was badly affected by rain, which restricted the number of stalls to a mere dozen instead of the regular number of approaching 80. Also, in recent years the number has declined as a result of competition from the Car Boot Sale in Slingsby, held on the same day. As a result proceeds from the Car Boot Sale were as follows

Hire of stalls £74.00

Refreshments £274.00

Total (after expenses) £328.00

Although this falls well short of previous years, especially for the hire of stalls, in view of the bad weather it produced a reasonable profit towards Hovingham Church Roof appeal. Very many thanks to all those who made cakes, who helped in the café and who helped in any other way.

Eddie Lucas



Bowls Club Race Night was a runaway success

The Hovingham Bowls Club Race Night raised almost £1625 for the development of facilities at the Club and in particular for the bowling green. The evening was a great success not just financially but as a social occasion as some 70 plus people enjoyed the fellowship of fellow bowlers and others as they became really involved in supporting their chosen selections in the various races.

The Club would like to thank all those who supported our venture by either providing raffle prizes, buying raffle tickets sponsoring races, buying horses, and providing cakes etc as well as helping generally to make the evening the great success it was. The Club would particularly like to thank Club members Jeremy and Liz White for organising the event and Keith and Eileen Jones who did so much of the catering, without their input it would not have been possible to achieve such a positive result.

Ian Battersby



Tennis Success

Hovingham A team - We started the league games with just enough players (3 males and 3 females) which quickly reduced with injuries and work commitments. However we managed to find players from near and far and the team got stronger and stronger as the league progressed. After a tricky start we won the last seven consecutive games and beat the league winners Kirkbymoorside at both home and away. So we just missed out on the top spot by 2 points (one match). Many thanks to all the players who played for us regularly and to those that stepped in when necessary.

All results including Division 1 & 2 are published on the website

http://www.alnevillage.co.uk/hovingham_league.html

Murray Stewart, Captain A Team



Ryedale Family History - 10 years searching

Ryedale Family History Group are celebrating their tenth anniversary this year. Your ancestors don't need to be from Ryedale for us to help you find who is in your family tree, we have been helping people discover their family stories from all over the country and beyond. Come and find out what your ancestors were doing during the First World War.

A wealth of information is available - let us help you to discover stories from the past.

secretary@ryedalefamilyhistory.org 01653 628132

Ana Richards





This year's Ryedale Festival, in July, comprised 2 weeks of performances in stately homes and church halls across Ryedale, three of which were in Hovingham. There was a Hungarian flavour to the programme, with the complete cycle of Bartok's and Haydn's string quartets played together by the Heath and Doric Quartets in the first four days. The Coffee Concert one in Hovingham Church was quite lovely. The Gypsy songs by Brahms, Litsz and Dvorjak at Sherburn gave a very different flavour.

Another sequence was of night music, which included the 100th anniversary performance of Rachmininov's *All Night Vigil* in Ampleforth Abbey, and the complete cycle of Chopin's Nocturnes held in candlelit concerts, including one in Gilling Church and one in Helmsley.

Orchestral concerts included the Orchestra of Opera North playing Mahler's 4th Symphony in Pickering. Terrific. A special aspect of the Triple Concert at Castle Howard, was that, on top of the beautiful music in the Long Gallery, the Chapel and the Great Hall, the audience had the run of the place making it a perfect end to a summer's day.

The last concert, the Royal Northern Sinfonia, playing Mozart's *Eine Kleine Nachtmusik*, Berkely's new Oboe Concerto and Britten's serenade for tenor, horn and strings was in Hovingham Hall, which was full to the brim. And, unique to Hovingham, on last day of the Festival, Tony Finn organised a garden party at the Worsley Arms where the Kirbymoorside Town Brass Band played in the afternoon. This provided a musical interlude prior to the Final Gala Concert played live in Hovingham Hall. A great festival, much enjoyed by all.

Margaret Bell



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I think harvest can be summed up in three ways. Good yields, poor prices and moderate weather. This summer certainly won't go down as a scorcher so global warming is put on hold in my book!

Harvest for me started in the second week of August when the oats were ready. Twice round the field and then a thunderstorm dropped 5mm of rain in 10 minutes! That really set the scene for harvest as a stop/go affair. Fortunately the rain dried off allowing the oats to be competed over the next couple of days without any needing to be put over the drier.

It was almost 2 weeks before we then started the wheat harvest. The crops produced good yields overall but all of the grain needed to go over the drier. They ripened oddly as the grain was ready but the straw was still a bit sappy. It was evident when driving the combine that the straw was damp as you could feel it bumping as it went through. This meant that it couldn't be baled as soon as normal until it has wilted in the swath. Not ideal when showers of rain kept damping it even more.



Some straw had to be turned with a turner to get it dried before it was able to be baled. As I write I still have 15 acres in the field which is waiting to be baled whenever that may be! The showers meant it took nearly two weeks to complete all the wheat.

Next we moved on to the beans which means the combine settings need to be completely changed. The beans are similar to broad beans with brittle pods so the threshing part of the combine is slowed down. The internal sieves are adjusted to accommodate the bigger seed and the chopper at the back of the combine is put into place to chop the straw as it is really a waste product. A couple of days cutting and then rain stopped play again. It was another nine days before it was dry enough again. With 30 acres to cut and a forecast that would make Noah get excited I decided they all needed to be done in one day. This involved getting another two combines in to work alongside mine. I had the dubious honour of driving the tractor and trailer to lead the beans back home. Now I am no Carol Vorderman but I soon worked out that one trailer doesn't divide into three combines and spent the next few hours meeting myself coming backwards. However we completed the task just after dark and breathed a sigh of relief.

I still have ten acres of spring barley to cut which hopefully I will have done by the time you read this. It is a peculiar crop this year because every plant has put out a late shoot which has produced an ear which was green when the rest of the crop was about ready. I sprayed it off with Roundup to try and even it all up.

James has been helping me this harvest which I was very proud of. He drove the tractor and trailer in the field so the combine could tip while on the move. This speeded things up and allowed me to look after the drier and also when Pete Stark couldn't come to drive the combine, I drove it and we got on faster. I borrowed a 14 tonne trailer for him to use so there were less trips back to the yard. Bit of a change to the 3 tonne trailer I started with when I was his age!

Finally a big thank you to all who help the harvest process. Whether it is driving the combine (and mending it) repairing the drier, baling straw, leading straw, sending reassuring texts or putting the kettle on. It isn't always convenient to get stuck behind combines and tractors on the road but thank you for your patience.

Now it's back to the start of the merry go round and time to start sowing next year's crops.

Mark Wilson



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Hearing that there were pilgrims staying in Hovingham Village Hall, I was curious to know more. Who are they? Where have they come from? Why Hovingham? What are their plans? Where do they sleep? The answers to my questions were soon answered when I met Joan, a pilgrim from Nuneaton.

The Pilgrims of St Francis, 'Compagnons de St François', is an international Christian movement, of Catholic origin, and now ecumenical. On each pilgrimage, pilgrims of all ages, backgrounds, cultures, and of differing nationalities walk together. The movement has become ecumenical and in that respect it tries to welcome all convictions and includes those amongst who, without belonging to a church, are trying to live, very simply, a meaningful life, the struggle for justice and peace and the protection and preservation of nature.



Each year pilgrims are invited to take part in an International Pilgrimage of 2015. This year the Pilgrimage took place in the UK around York. An international pilgrimage means walking for 9 days carrying a rucksack (10 -12 km a day) with about 20 people of different ages and nationalities. The nationalities staying in Hovingham included Dutch, French, German, British, Spanish, Swedish, Korean and Belgian.

So what did the pilgrims say about their experience? "We really liked the community feel of the Market. It's absolutely brilliant that the money raised goes into community causes and projects" said Joan and 'thank you for allowing us to use your attractive hall for our 2015 pilgrimage'.

And yes, the pilgrims slept on the floor of the Village Hall.

If you'd like more information about future pilgrim experiences, contact info@pilgrims-of-st-francis.org.uk or access the website www.cdsf.org

Caroline Davis

Hovingham Estate www.hovingham.co.uk

Residential property - The Estate has residential property to rent, ranging from 2 bedrooms to 5 bedrooms, all situated within the village. **Contact:** The Estate Office on 01653 628771

Logs for sale - The Estate sell logs in varying load sizes which can be delivered within 1 mile of Hovingham Village. **Contact:** David Blades on 01653 628357

Please note due to harvest logs cannot be delivered during the months of August and September.

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The run up to the summer holidays was both hectic and emotional as we said goodbye to Mrs Skinner who retired after nearly ten years being Head Teacher of Hovingham School. I don't know where the time went as it only seemed five minutes since we were doing the interviews when we appointed her. So much has happened in that time particularly when we joined up with St Hilda's at Ampleforth to form a Con-Federation and then over the last year when we Federated so that we have one Governing Body for both Schools. I am very pleased that I have been Chairman of Governors all the time Mrs Skinner was here, but I did say to her this summer that if I knew how much work and change we would have to cope with I wouldn't have believed it!

The children of both schools put on 2 "secret" performances of Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits in the Village Hall for Mrs Skinner. Although she didn't know the details of what was planned she knew something was happening and it was a complete surprise when she saw the first performance. As usual both school held a leavers assembly to say goodbye to the Year 6's who are heading off to "big school". It always puts a lump in your throat during these assemblies but it is a lovely way to send them off. We held our usual end of term disco on the evening of the last day of term. This is held in the garden of the Worsley Arms where Tony Finn very kindly allows the school to have the barbeque and disco. I have thoroughly enjoyed working with Mrs Skinner and wish all the best in her retirement and thank her for all her hard work and dedication to both schools.

We are pleased to welcome James Pynn as our new Headteacher who joins us from Wykeham School. Mr Pynn came into the schools before summer to get familiar with things to allow a smooth transition of leadership. He will become familiar to everyone as the school will continue to play an active role in the village.

We have held our first Governors meeting this term which went well and has outlined what our aims are for the coming months. The main priority is obviously the children and their education. We want the school to be a fun and loving place for all of them to achieve their best.

Mark Wilson

A considerable reign

Taken from the 1961 WI magazine

The York Minster service is over and the register signed, the bride and bridegroom pay homage to The Queen on their way out of the church. The Duke bows, the Duchess curtsies and in the background the trumpeters of the Royal Scots Greys sound a final fanfare.

The marriage of Katharine Worsley of Hovingham Hall to the Duke of Kent is one of many events the Queen Elizabeth II has witnessed during her considerable reign.

Caroline Davis



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Hovingham Village Website - contact Caroline Davis, Janice Wood, Phil Chapman or David Richardson.

- The website sponsored by the Action Group is in the process of major revision and updating. It is intended all local businesses and services will be added to provide a comprehensive source for local people and visitors to the area. Funding for the next 3 years has been applied for.

Environment and Wildlife - contact Ann Chapman or David Richardson

- Further planting of bulbs is planned. Pruning of bushes on footpath adjacent to the Tennis Court is now completed.

Market - contact Peter Stark

- The market continues to be financially sound and ever more successful and there have been record turnouts. Credit goes to everyone who helps every month with the all the arrangements, putting the stalls up, taking them down and all the work that goes on behind the scenes. The Market Group should be congratulated for their efforts.
- Prior to the July market thunderstorms flooded the car park and this caused problems trying to remove the water. Eventually a pump was supplied and the market continued without incident. The problem has hopefully been rectified
- New volunteers to help with the running of the market are always very welcome; any Community Group wanting to run a Community Stall should contact the Market Group.

Playground - contact Ann Chapman, Carol Battersby, Rosemary Stewart or David Richardson

- The playground was recently infected with two wasps nest. Fortunately Ryedale Council Pest Control officers attended and resolved the problem.
- An inspection by an independent inspection company highlighted a number of minor issues which are being rectified.
- The playground is very popular and people come from far and wide, this does cause problems with car parking, but a solution is not easily found.
- It is important to note the Playground is self funded and issues such as the wasp's nests and regular maintenance of equipment/grass cutting are ongoing requirements. Donations, however small would be greatly appreciated.
- Contact us if you would like to be involved in various ongoing initiatives.

Neighbourhood Watch - contact Phil Chapman

- Regular emails and information on criminal activity from the police continue to be sent out. Villagers should be vigilant and report any suspicious activity to the police.

Snow clearing and Gritting - contact Phil Chapman

- A survey of grit bin locations in the village has been completed. NYCC will be asked to take care of filling the most important bins and the Action Group will look after the remainder.

Please contact any of the groups directly or via emails to action@hovingham.org.uk

David Richardson, September 2015



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October 2015

1 st Thu	Thursday Morning Prayer Service - 9:30am Hovingham Church Revd Martin Allwood will be holding a short prayer service after the school assembly.
3 rd Sat	Hovingham Village Market - 10:30am to 1:30pm - Hovingham Village Hall Please come along and support the Market; Community Café - Scackleton Church
4 th Sun	United Harvest with Eucharist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Church
5 th Mon	Landfill Waste Collection - Green Bin Supermobile Library in Hovingham - 5pm until 7pm - Location Hall Green
6 th Tue	Hovingham Women's Fellowship -7pm Home of Pat Hewitt at Scackleton, Philip Moore, organist and composer
11 th Sun	Eucharist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Church Methodist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Chapel, Mrs M. Taylor
12 th Mon	Recycling Collection - Recycling and COMPOST Bins
15 th Thu	Thursday Morning Prayer Service - 9:30am Hovingham Church Revd Martin Allwood will be holding a short prayer service after the school assembly.
16 th Fri	Chapel Harvest Mr Mike Sellers - Followed by Sale & Supper
18 th Sun	Morning Praise - 10:30am Hovingham Church Methodist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Chapel, Mrs Ann Hudson
19 th Mon	Landfill Waste Collection - Green Bin Supermobile Library in Hovingham - 5pm until 7pm - Location Hall Green
22 nd Thu	Symington Estates Dinner - Worsley Arms Hotel - 7:30pm £42.50 per person to include dinner and all wines. (01653)-628234 to reserve your spaces
24 th Sat	Italian Food Evening - Hovingham Village Hall A traditional Italian food evening - Tickets £15 per head for 3 course meal
25 th Sun	Benefice Service - 10:30am Scackleton Church Methodist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Chapel, Mr N. Smith
26 th Mon	Recycling Collection - Recycling and COMPOST Bins
26th - 30th School Half-Term Holiday	
29 th Thu	Thursday Morning Prayer Service - 9:30am Hovingham Church Revd Martin Allwood will be holding a short prayer service after the school assembly.
31 st Sat	All Souls Service 7pm Slingsby Church

November 2015

1 st Sun	Hovingham Church Service - Please see church website or newsletter for details Methodist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Chapel
2 nd Mon	Landfill Waste Collection - Green Bin Supermobile Library in Hovingham - 5pm until 7pm - Location Hall Green
6 th Nov	Middle Eastern Feast - 7pm for 7:30pm - Hovingham Village Hall 3-Course meal created by Will Mowbray, chef of the Vinehouse Helmsley, £25 per head, Tickets from www.middleeasternfeasthovingham.bpt.me , supporting Frack Free Ryedale
7 th Sat	Hovingham Village Market - 10:30am to 1:30pm - Hovingham Village Hall Please come along and support the Market; Community Café - Friends of Hovingham
8 th Sun	Remembrance Sunday Service - 10:45am Hovingham Church
9 th Mon	Recycling Collection - Recycling and COMPOST Bins
12 th Thu	Thursday Morning Prayer Service - 9:30am Hovingham Church Revd Martin Allwood will be holding a short prayer service after the school assembly.
14 th Sat	Celebrating Ryedale Christmas Fair - 10am to 4pm - Hovingham Village Hall Delicious refreshments served, unique gifts made in Yorkshire, supporting Frack Free Ryedale
15 th Sun	Hovingham Church Service - Please see church website or newsletter for details Methodist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Chapel, Miss Ann Corner
16 th Mon	Landfill Waste Collection - Green Bin Supermobile Library in Hovingham - 5pm until 7pm - Location Hall Green
18 th Wed	Terrington Hall School - Christmas Fair - 12noon to 5pm Come and do your Christmas shopping with lots of fabulous stalls - Everyone welcome. For further details please call (01653)-648227. Postcode for Sat Nav YO60 6PR
22 nd Sun	Hovingham Church Service - Please see church website or newsletter for details Methodist Service - 10:30am Hovingham Chapel, Mr A White
23 rd Mon	Recycling Collection - Recycling and COMPOST Bins
26 th Thu	Thursday Morning Prayer Service - 9:30am Hovingham Church Revd Martin Allwood will be holding a short prayer service after the school assembly.
29 th Sun	Methodist Service - 10:00am Trinity Methodist Church, Revd. Tanya Short

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