

Scackleton Action Group Report – May 2022

Last Action Group Meeting 30th March, 2022 in Scackleton Church.

Promoting a cleaner & healthier village

- Salt grit for Scackleton was collected by Rob Matthews and the yellow grit bin has been filled. Still 1.5 bags remaining. Need to store this somewhere.
- Grass cutting – first grass cut has been done, but not very well. An area that Circle agreed not to cut, they did cut. They have not strimmed around the daffodils, but just cut a small strip by the road edge. Missed doing any of the bank outside Highfield House. The village looks a bit of a mess as very overgrown now.
- Tubs & pots – have asked the Parish Council to pay for a 5th tub in the village to be planted up by Richard Wood.

Traffic in the village

- Mosey lorries are still going through the village, but no further lorries have been stuck at Coulton mill.

Communication within the village

- Circulating the weekly Hovingham & Scackleton Village Diary by email primarily. Occasionally on the notice board.
- Neighbourhood watch emails are being emailed out.

Community Events & Fund Raising

- Still suspended for now.

Hovingham Market & Cafes

- Scackleton Action Group ran the May Market Café on 7th May, 2022. Low footfall at the market. Scackleton Action Group raised £475, which was most welcome.

Queen Elizabeth's Platinum Jubilee

- All residents in Scackleton have received their invite. People seem quite excited about the 2 events – the Jubilee Beacon on 2nd June and the Jubilee Lunch on 5th June.
- Bunting is starting to go up.

Scackleton Community Support Group

- The Scackleton Community Support Group is still in situ for the village, with volunteers from the village still happy to be part of it. Shopping and prescription collection is still being undertaken for a few residents until such time as they feel able to go back to “normal”. Many thanks again to the Scackleton volunteers.