

**ST MARY'S CHURCH**  
Sunday services at 9.15

4th May All Age Worship led by members of the congregation  
11th May Morning Prayer led by Shelagh Jones  
18th May Eucharist, celebrant David Senior  
25th May Morning Prayer led by David Rumbelow  
1st June All Age Worship led by members of the congregation

**Pond safety**

We are asked to publicise this concern from a resident:

“A gentle reminder to parents to be aware what their children are doing. On Tuesday afternoon 15 April a Huggate resident had to speak to 4 children who had a fishing net and were fishing on the lower pond. Nothing too much in this you might think (I did pretty much the same as a kid and much worse!) but they were on the pond side of the railings leaning in and holding on with one hand trying to catch the Goldfish.

Apart from the obvious safety issues the pond is also currently home to several ducklings and Moorhens etc which could easily become distressed.”

**High Wolds Heritage Group**

On Saturday 10th May Steve Bence will lead a guided walk round some of the ancient sites/earthworks in this area. Start at Thixendale Village Hall at 1.30pm. The walk is free.

For those who wish, there will be refreshments/meal at the pub afterwards - pay for what you consume!

There will be about 5 sections off-road of up to a mile to walk, involving rough ground and fairly steep gradients. We will share cars to drive as close as possible to the sites. Places are limited to 20 so, if you would like to join the group, please contact Pauline Foster on 01377 288294 or [pwfoster1@btinternet.com](mailto:pwfoster1@btinternet.com)

**Wetwang History Group**

Tuesday 20 May The Vikings & the Battle of Stamford Bridge. Wetwang Village Hall at 7.30pm. Donation of £3 to cover costs and refreshments.

**CONTACT AND CONTRIBUTE**

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# ANNUAL VILLAGE MEETING

16th May at 7.30  
in St. Mary's Church  
All residents invited!

# The PUBLIC ACCESS DEFIBRILLATOR

is now installed outside the Wolds Inn.

In case of need, ring 999 and give the box location (Wolds Inn, Huggate) to obtain the access code.

There have only been two **volunteers for training!** The training session will be on Wednesday 21st, Tuesday 27th or Thursday 29th of May. Please contact Jane Leaver at the Wolds Inn (woldsinn@gmail.com or 288217) if you are willing to be included.



## Clerk to the Parish Council

The Parish Council has appointed Audrey Johnson as Clerk. She will be taking up the post sometime in May, and will be contactable at huggateclerk@outlook.com or on 01377 288488.

For the next few weeks the Acting Clerk is still Jenny Zarek, huggateclerk@btinternet.com.

## Local farmers and landowners

The nature conservation charity 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](mailto:chris.tomson@rspb.org.uk).

## Compost giveaways

East Riding of Yorkshire Council is giving away more than 5,000 bags of compost at up to 10 giveaways across the East Riding in May. Residents will each be given two free 15 kg bags and council staff will put them into the cars. Those without cars will be able to take along a barrow.

The giveaways will start at 4pm and end when all the bags have been given away on a first-come, first-served basis:

- 7 May, Hornsea—Broadway car park
- 9 May, Humber Bridge—lorry car park
- 8 May, Preston - South Holderness College
- 13 May, Market Weighton - Market car park, Market Place
- 14 May, Withernsea—Pavilion car park, Station Road
- 16 May, Elloughton—Ionians rugby club, Brantingham Park
- 20 May, Driffeld—Showground, Kelleythorpe
- 21 May, Bridlington—Hilderthorpe coach park, Hilderthorpe Road