

St MARY'S CHURCH
Sunday services at 9.15

7th August All Age Worship led by David Rumbelow
14th August Morning Prayer led by Bronnie Broadhurst
21st August Eucharist, celebrant Rodney Nicholson
28th August Morning Prayer led by Brian Snelson

Wednesday 10th August, 7pm at Pocklington
Licensing of The Revd. Rachel Wilson
as House for Duty assistant curate.

**GOOD
NEWS
CORNER**

Following an enquiry to Huggate News about a cat found lost outside the village, the finder was redirected to the owners who had circulated the village. It is understood that Princess has now been re-united with her family.

**Advance notice,
FROM 6th SEPTEMBER**

Power grid POWER CUT telephone line

- Dialling **105** will put customers through to the electricity network operator who manages the cables, power lines and substations that deliver electricity into homes and businesses in their area.
- 105 is just one of the ways that customers will be able to contact their electricity network operator. They can also contact them by phone or via their website, and most network operators, including Northern Powergrid, are on social media too.
- 105 is a free service for people in England, Scotland and Wales.
- Customers can call 105 no matter who they choose to buy electricity from.
- Customers can also call 105 if they spot damage to electricity power lines and substations that could put anyone in danger. If there's a serious immediate risk, they should call the emergency services too.

This service will not be available until 6th September!

CONTACT AND CONTRIBUTE

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PLEASE send information BEFORE THE END OF THE MONTH for the next edition, so that we can produce it promptly.

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National Gardens Scheme open garden:

GREENWICK FARM

Open on Sunday 21 August 1 - 5 pm

Admission £3.50, children free.

Home-made teas.

1 acre woodland garden created 6 years ago from a disused area of the farm. Set in a large dell with many mature trees including Elm. Interesting planting of shrubs, unusual trees, herbaceous/mixed borders and island beds. Paths lead up through planting to give spectacular views across wooded valley and the Wolds. Tea tables in conservatory and outside.

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

1. WAR MEMORIAL UPDATE

The Council has approved the funding for the refurbishment of the village War Memorial with 75% of the overall cost to be met by the War Memorial Trust. Approval has also been given by the Diocesan Advisory Committee, subject to any objections raised after the statutory four week public consultation period. Provided that there are no objections, work should commence sometime in the July period. The work will be carried out by Rotherham's Stone Mason Company based at Holme upon Spalding Moor.

2. FRACKING

Members of the Council attended a meeting held at the village hall in Wetwang on 23rd May. The meeting was addressed by a representative of Cuadrilla, the company which hopes to drill for gas by means of fracking in the Wolds area. Cuadrilla gave a very polished presentation which aimed to convince the local population that there would be no negative issues from their activities and that the local environment would not suffer as a consequence. A decision on whether fracking will go ahead, or not, is to be made later in the year when the results of a similar project taking place in Lancashire have been assessed.

3. VILLAGE WELL

The Council has decided to go ahead with the project to have a seating area next to the village well. The design of the seating will incorporate two curved seats surrounding the well with an information board in the centre. The board will give visitors information about the village and some historical facts about the well itself. A member of the Council is in contact with a local joiner who it is hoped will be able to make the seating at a reasonable cost and to the standard required.

4. STREET SCENE

Street Scene is the bi-annual walk around the village by an East Yorkshire Council inspector. The purpose of this walk around is to identify public areas and facilities which are in need of improvement or repair. This includes grass and verge cutting, pathways, potholes and general road surfaces, drains, roadside tree trimming and painting of roadside railings and public benches. Anything, in fact, which comes under the umbrella of public expenditure to be funded from the council tax. A number of issues were listed by the inspector, which included the replacement of the village sign on the Driffild Road, and a list of these has been submitted to the East Yorkshire Council for costing. The list will be monitored by the Parish Council to ensure that the necessary work is carried out within a reasonable time.

5. PLANTING BENEATH VILLAGE SIGNS

The initiative to have floral displays beneath the three village signs has been put on hold for the moment. This is still to go ahead once the village sign, which was stolen, has been replaced.

HIGH WOLDS HERITAGE GROUP

Visit to the excavations at Hanging Grimston, near Kirby Underdale, Sunday 31 July 2016

The Hanging Grimston Community Archaeology Project is a joint venture of the High Wolds Heritage Group and the Scarborough Archaeological & Historical Society. Its principal aim is to test, mainly through excavation, ideas derived from recent earthwork and geophysical surveys about the phasing and history of medieval and earlier settlement remains at Hanging Grimston - a deserted village on the western scarp edge of the Yorkshire Wolds. The site is about one mile north west of Kirby Underdale, on Gatehowe Road at Mount Pleasant Farm (OS grid ref SE 79903 59971).

Excavations at the site began last year with the investigation of a probable manorial enclosure and included the discovery of the site of a medieval dovecote. Trenches elsewhere revealed the foundations of part of a later, possibly 16th or 17th century, house and a much earlier Iron Age or Romano-British field system.

The visit to the excavations will **start at 10.30 and last for 1.5 to 2 hours**. It will include a tour of the village earthworks and a chance to look at

some of the finds unearthed in this year's excavations.

Local people who would like to take part in the visit are asked {if possible} to register with Steve Bence via email at the address below. Knowing in advance how many people are hoping to attend will greatly help us in organising the visit effectively.

The tour will be free to local people but any voluntary contributions to dig funds, given at the end of the visit, would be very much appreciated.

There is ample free car parking at the site.

Please register by contacting Steve Bence at bencesteve@aol.com

If you can't make the visit, see photos and video on the Facebook page of the Scarborough Archaeological and Historical Society .
How to de-turf a trench in 13 seconds!

The High Wolds Heritage Group
A private visit to
the Yorkshire Wolds Railway at Fimber
Wednesday 10th August 6.30pm
Admission is FREE but the railway would welcome donations.