

St MARY'S CHURCH
Sunday services at 9.15 a.m.

3rd September All Age Worship led by Annie Harrison
10th September Morning Prayer led by Annie Harrison
17th September Eucharist, celebrant Rachel Wilson
24th September Morning Prayer led by Rodney Nicholson

A THANK YOU

We just wanted to say thank you for all the hard work the Parish Council and other villagers have done to transform the Bottom Pond. As new parents we spend many an hour walking round the village with the baby and this area is almost unrecognisable to when we moved in two and a half years ago. It looks fantastic and we look forward to seeing it blossom as the plants bed in and nature makes it a home. Thank you!

_____ Jennifer, Lee and Connie

A PLEA

Residents along Main Street would appreciate it if the person who roars up the village every day at 7.05 a.m. would kindly service their car engine / exhaust and drive with more consideration for later risers.

AND A FIND

House key found in the village, inscribed "Timpson".. Contact Huggate News to claim.

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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Ever seen Time Team and fancied having a go?
This is your opportunity.

The Fridaythorpe Fimber Wetwang Archaeology Project

is running an archaeological excavation from
Saturday 2nd September until Sunday 17th September.

We will be investigating what is known as a Ladder Settlement. These were constructed during the Late Iron age and there is already a lot of pottery evidence to indicate that was a lot of activity in the Roman Period. This is the first of what we hope will be many practical archaeology projects. We are a community based group and are keen that local people join us.

No experience is necessary - so come along and give it a try.

On **10th September** we are having a **Family Day** so bring the family (and a picnic) and come and have an adventure !!

The **17th September** is **Open Day**. This is when the site is open to view what we have excavated and to examine what we have found.

If you would like to take part or are interested to know more please contact :

Alison Spencer 0774 707 5277
or email ffwap.alison@gmail.com

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

1. VILLAGE WELL

Work on the village well project is under way and excellent progress is being made by the contractor. A graphic designer has been approached to come up with suitable suggestions as to the format and design of the village notice board which will eventually take its place to the rear of the well capping stone. It is proposed to have a 'You are here' map showing the location and direction of places such as St Mary's Church, the Wolds Inn and the Huggate Dykes etc. As well as this there will be a potted history of the village and photograph of how the village looked in times of yore. Any member of the village who has an idea for inclusion on this notice board please contact a member of the council as soon as possible.

2. DOG FOULING

Dog fouling seems to be on the increase once more. In an effort to combat this anti social and unhygienic practise, the council is to approach the ERYC to see if a dedicated dog fouling receptacle can be situated at the bench by the village post box. The council would also like to remind residents that keeping the village clean and tidy is the responsibility of every one. Anyone seeing irresponsible dog walkers allowing their dogs to foul the village area should remonstrate with the offenders and report this to a member of the council.

3. AVOIDING SCAMS AND THEFTS

Most people will be aware that scams and thefts of property are on the increase. The Humberside Police have recently produced an excellent pamphlet which gives advice on safeguarding your property and recovering it if it is stolen. To assist police in identifying stolen property, bringing thieves to justice and preventing someone else benefiting from your loss, register all your property for FREE on www.immobilise.com This free online register will inform all the UK Police and registered second hand dealers that your item of property is stolen. Should it be offered for sale to a registered dealer or come into contact with the police then a check of the system could reunite you with your stolen property. Scams are easily prevented with a little common sense. They include telephone scams, doorstep scams, junk mail, bogus charity collectors and even rogue tradesmen. To get expert advice on avoiding all scams contact AGE UK ADVICE free on 0800 169 65 or visit www.ageuk.org.uk/moneymatters

4. COMPLAINTS TO THE VILLAGE COUNCIL

The village council members would like to point out that they give their time free of charge to help parishioners enjoy Huggate by trying to maintain the village as a lovely place to live, by improving areas of concern for the good and benefit of all and by encouraging interactivity between parishioners who want to become involved with village life. To achieve this and be successful we need help from all parishioners. We need to know of any concerns and would appreciate constructive suggestions from any member of the village. Suggestions, or indeed complaints, should be in the form of a

formal letter to the council. It is no good criticizing the efforts of well meaning people on matters to do with the village unless you have a sensible suggestion which can be looked at and discussed at the monthly council meetings.

Your Councillors are: Jenni Shields; Jane Leaver; Jaquie Lazenby; Philip Duggleby; Barbara Lambert; George Fuller; Gerry Whelan

5. VACANT POST FOR PARISH COUNCIL CLERK

The vacancy for Clerk to the Council remains.

1 HUGGATE PARISH COUNCIL

Vacancy for Parish Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer

The role is to provide administrative support for the Council's activities, including all accounting procedures and to advise on whether decisions taken are lawful.

- * Desirable but not essential - knowledge of local Government.
- * Important – able to demonstrate a common sense approach and an ability to acquire knowledge.
- * Essential – good working knowledge and understanding of Microsoft Office, can work independently and on own initiative.

Hours approximately 2 - 3 per week including one evening per month.

For further information
or to apply with cv and covering letter,
contact the present Clerk, Audrey Johnson at
huggateclerk@outlook.com.

Closing Date 17th September 2017