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Happy New Year to you all and lets hope there is a little less turmoil and a little more joy in the world in 2007.

The Christmas season saw the village hall absolutely humming with activity. Between the 15th and 18th November nearly 300 people attended different functions and at least £1000 was achieved for local good causes. The various groups that use the hall all through the year had their own little parties and everyone appreciated the beautiful festive decorations on show.

Inside this issue are a variety of events coming shortly, we hope you find something to interest you and join in.

The village hall Annual General Meeting takes place on 8th February. It is open to everybody and we would be pleased to see you there.

Di Goddard - Editor

NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Wednesday 24th January Parish Council Meeting 7.30pm (With public forum)

Wednesday 7th February Village Hall Annual 7.00pm General Meeting

Everyone welcome - free tea/coffee & biscuits.

Wednesday 14th February St. Valentines Day from 7.00pm Supper

A flower for every lady - tickets £6.00 from any church member or tel.860395 - bring your own favourite beverage!

Proceeds in aid of North Kyme church (St. Lukes) funds.

Saturday 10th March General Knowledge Quiz

(John & Di's popular Quiz Night)

Doors open 7.30pm - start 8.00pm - Entry £4.00

Free buffet - Cash prizes - Raffle - Interval Quiz

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) £2 per session

BINGO 5th; 19th January

starts 7.45pm 2nd; 16th February

2nd; 16th; 30th March

SHORT MAT BOWLS Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm

Every Wednesday 2.00 - 4.00pm

DARBY & JOAN First Thursday in every month

from 4.00 - 6.00pm

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Every Sunday in term time

from 2.00 - 3.00pm

TEEN SCENE Mondays 8th; 29th January

7.30 - 8.30pm 12th; 26th February

PARENT & TOTTS Every Tuesday in term time 10.30 - 11.30pm

SPECIAL FEATURES

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS (Meeting held 29th November 2006)

The meeting was poorly attended with only two members of the public and four councillors (including the chairman) present. A secret ballot of the councillors was held to vote in a new councillor, Mr S Brittain was the successful candidate.

There was very little business to discuss and it was agreed that there would be no increase in the precept this year.

A traffic survey held on Main Street in North Kyme, for five days from 19th October, showed traffic speed and flow, with a staggering 42,517 vehicles passing through. Even so, the Highways Department have decreed this does not qualify us for 'traffic calming' measures.

The Parish Council have agreed to lease the land for the new hall to the village hall committee at a rent of £100 per annum. This is another step towards us getting our new village hall. Finally, we were told that grants are available for means-tested or low income families to help them improve their homes. Leaflet HRO 1.1 'HOUSING RENEWAL' gives more details and some copies can be found in the village hall.

The next meeting is on 24th January at 7.30pm

OVER 50's KEEP FIT TO MUSIC

This group has proved to be immensely popular. The Monday class is now full and names are being taken for a waiting list. However, our instructor has agreed to fit in another class fortnightly on alternate Fridays from 1.30 - 2.30pm. Hourly sessions cost £2.00 each and if you would like to join in please telephone 860872 to reserve a place.

NEW YEARS RESOLUTION

Have you been to an event in the hall yet? Why not make a New Years resolution to join in and get to know more village people? We are a friendly lot and our little hall is very welcoming and cosy with comfortable seating.

A new venture for the hall is a '60s Disco Nite organised by Tony and Barbara for 27th January. This promises to be a very entertaining evening and all tickets have already been spoken for, so if you missed out this time - better luck next time!

SMALL ADS

COACHHOUSE MOTEL (Tel.861465)

Barbara and Martyn Grice did not send any Christmas cards this year to family or friends and have donated the whole amount to L.I.V.E.S. who are in need of a new defibrillator. However, they would like to wish all their customers past, present and future, a Happy New Year. They hope that 2007 will be kind to you all!

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The lighter nights are on the way and the gardens are already looking Spring like with daffodils and crocus bulbs in bloom. We all feel more cheerful when the Summer seems that bit closer.

The Village Hall has been busy with various functions and started 2007 with a superb 60's

disco night on January 27th. The music was great and the fancy dress was fantastic, did we really dress like that?

The Church's St. Valentines Day Supper was a huge success, the food was excellent and the entertainers were hilarious! Well done to everyone who helped make it such a good night, same again next year please!

We had more people coming through the doors in February than in the run up to Christmas, that's what we like to see.

We have more events coming up shortly as well as the usual clubs and weekly gatherings, so keep using and enjoying one of the most popular small village halls in the county, it's there for you!

Di Goddard - Editor

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NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Saturday 10th March General Knowledge (doors open 7.30pm Quiz Night starts 8.00pm)

Entry £3.50 B.Y.O.B. Free buffet - Cash Prizes - Raffle Extra Interval Quiz Wednesday

21st March Parish Council Meeting at 7.30pm (With public forum)

Saturday 14th April Musical Memories Quiz (doors open 7.00pm from the 60's starts 7.30pm) Entry £5 00. B.Y.O.B. Free buffet - Raffle - Prizes Tables can be reserved - Phone Josie 860645 Proceeds in aid of St Luke's Church and Lincs Air Ambulance)

Coming soon - KARAOKE NIGHT - Saturday 12th May

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am (Over 50's) £2 per session

BINGO 2nd; 16th; 30th March starts 7.45pm 20th April; 18th May

SHORT MAT BOWLS Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm Every Wednesday 2.00 - 4.00pm DARBY & JOAN First Thursday in every month from 4.00 - 6.00pm

SEWING & HANDICRAFTS GROUP Third Friday in every month from 10.00am to 4.00pm - £1 per hour - £5 all day

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Every Sunday in term time 2.00 - 3.00pm

TEEN SCENE Mondays 12th; 26th March 7.30 - 8.30pm

PARENT & TOTTS Every Tuesday in term time 10.30 - 11.30am

SPECIAL FEATURES

VILLAGE HALL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The chairman, John Goddard, opened the meeting and in his welcoming address spoke of the success achieved in the past year. There having been a significant increase in the regular use of the hall, with groups of all kinds and age groups, plus extra private bookings.

The church have been very happy to use our facilities and have also had some very successful functions.

This year the committee have worked very hard; looking after the maintenance of the hall and running a variety of events. Thanks are also due to a number of 'helpers' who regularly give us invaluable assistance, in particular John mentioned Tony Carroll, Sheila Tuplin, Terry Waters and Reg Wood.

The financial report showed a healthy bank balance and the figures were circulated to the audience, having been already shown on notice boards in the village.

The New Hall Project was reported on by Glynn Pout and we learnt that an architect has now been employed and a submission for full planning permission will be made shortly. A grant has been obtained for gates to the new Hall/Field and these wrought iron gates will hopefully be ready by the end of April. The meeting was closed at 7.55pm.

(NK News is available worldwide on www.northkyme.com)

PARISH COUNCIL NEWSMeeting 23 January 2007, 6 Councillors and 4 members of the public were present (including Pc Daniels -Tel. 01526 832222)

During the public forum; residents raised the following issues -

1) Provision of street light on Church Lane - no progress?

2) What chance is there of having further speed limit signs or flashing signs on Main Street to deter speeding?

3) 40 mph extended speed limit area - no 'repeater' signs.

Regulations need clarifying with Road Safety Partnership.

4) Water lying on the road outside the church due to bad road surface - authorities need to be contacted for remedy.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and then Mr S. Brittain completed his declaration of acceptance to office and officially became the new co-opted member of the council.

The treasurers report was then circulated and discussed. Precept requirements for $2007/8 - \pounds 2000$ has been applied for and will be paid on 1st April 2007.

The meeting closed at 8.50pm.

ST LUKE'S CHURCH 200 CLUB

Why not join the church's 200 club ? For £1 a number you have the chance of winning ± 100.00 every month!

The draw is made on the first Sunday in every month (last month - February - the winner was Mrs Ann Freeston). To join see any church member.

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This year must have been one of the warmest Easter holidays since records began and we've got that summer feeling with a few early sun tans already spotted!

The General Knowledge Quiz Night in March and the Musical Memories Quiz on April 14th were both extremely popular with plenty of teams enjoying their evening, and all in a good cause!

This issue has some more interesting and entertaining evenings to offer you, plus news of a new youth club starting soon.

Enclosed is a schedule for the Summer Show, and we will issue another one in July so that you have plenty of time to decide what you are going to enter. This years show has reverted to Saturday and includes the new ruling that children who have a grandparent living in North Kyme may enter any of the children's classes no matter where they live. Good luck everybody!

P.'s. Have you noticed that this is our Golden Anniversary edition!!!

Di Goddard - Editor

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Thursday 3rd May Local Elections for

7.00am - 10.00pm Parish Council and

District Council

Saturday 12th May Karaoke and Grand from 7.30pm Buffet Supper with

£5.00 - U/16s £2.50 "Reflections" of

B.Y.O.B. Lincoln.

In aid of Village Hall funds

Tel.860872 or 860007 to reserve a table.

Saturday 19th May American Indian Music

7.30pm - 10.00pm & Dance

Tickets £4 in advance - £5 on the night U/16s £2.50 - Phone 01205 480481 or 07778 429333.

Wednesday 23rd May Parish Council Meeting

7.30pm A.G.M.

(With public forum)

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) (If you would like to join us

£2.00 per session please tel.860872)

BINGO 18th May; 15th June at 7.45pm

SHORT MAT BOWLS Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm

Every Wednesday 2 - 4.00pm

DARBY & JOAN First Thursday in every month

From 4.00 - 6.00pm (May meeting in Church)

SEWING & HANDICRAFTS Third Friday in every month from 10.00am - 4.00pm £1.00 per hour - £5 all day

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Every Sunday in term time 2.00pm - 3.00pm PARENT & TOTTS Every Tuesday in term time 10.30 - 11.30am OTHER EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE Wednesday 23rd May Coffee morning in aid of 10.00 - 12 noon Darby & Joan club at

George & Cynthia Machin's

Main Street.

Tuesday 12th June Coffee morning in aid of

10.00 - 12 noon St. Luke's Church funds at

George & Beryl Hardstaff's

Newfield Drive.

Wednesday 11th July Coffee morning in aid of

10.00 - 12 noon Darby & Joan club at

Peter & Cathy Kingsbury's

Sheathwood, Ferry Lane

SPECIAL FEATURES

LOCAL ELECTION NEWS

NORTH KYME PARISH COUNCIL

Nine candidates are standing for seven posts, so if you want to have the councillors of your choice, you should vote on 3rd May in the Village Hall. The candidates are listed alphabetically:

Mr G.Bailey Mrs. J.Dring Mr. G.Panton

Mr. S.Brittain Mr. J.Goddard Mr. G.Pout

Mr. A.Carroll Mr. T.Handley Mr. R.Wood

DISTRICT COUNCIL ELECTION

BILLINGHAY, MARTIN and NORTH KYME WARD

(Two seats) The three candidates are as follows:

Mr F.Ambridge Ms.S.M.Matthan Mr.M.T.Powell

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS - 21st March

During the public forum in January, various issues had been raised. These have been dealt with as follows :

1. Light on Church Lane now installed and working.

2. 40 m.p.h. 'Repeater' signs now in situ.

3. Water laying on road outside church has been reported but no action yet.

The 40m.p.h. Limit is to be extended another 240 meters along Ferry Lane. No progress as yet on obtaining flashing signs on Main Street. Further street lights have been requested for the footpath at the North end of the village and also on Vacherie Lane, these points are being looked into. Next meeting Wednesday 23rd May at 7.30pm (AGM).

NORTH KYME YOUTH CLUB

A new weekly club is hoping to start at 7.00pm on Thursday 10th May in the village hall. Your own personalised membership card will be issued to you on joining the club and you may be asked to show it on attending. If you are aged between 10 and 16 years and want to find out more about the club and it's activities telephone 861465.

SMALL ADS

St Luke's Church 200 Club - March winner - Mrs 'Pidge'Wood

To join see any church member

SOULDROP FARM - Ferry Lane, North Kyme

Our fantastic flavoured traditional breed, home bred lamb will be available again soon! Orders now being taken for freezer -ready packs. Phone Nick & Teresa on 01526 861910 for details.

Many thanks to Barbara & Martyn Grice for again printing this issue

Contact us by e-mail at dijohn@northkyme.

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In the May Newsletter I said that some early sun tans had been spotted in Kyme. I'm afraid it has all gone down hill since then!

The last few weeks have given us more rain than we know what to do with, but many other people are far worse off than us and so we should count our blessings I suppose.

The Karaoke Night on 12th May was, sadly, not a great success and we were unable to show any profit for village hall funds despite the committees' hard work. Hopefully we will get more support for the next entertainment we are offering on 21st July - an Evening of Music & Laughter with Alan Bolt (see inside).

We are issuing another schedule for you to see what classes to enter in this years Summer Show on Saturday 18th August.

The show is the highlight of our year, so please do your very best to enter, you have 50 classes to choose from!

This edition of the newsletter is two weeks later than usual so that we can bring you more up-to-date Parish Council news.

In future your magazine will be delivered in the middle of the month instead of at the beginning.

Di Goddard - Editor

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NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Saturday 21st July An Evening of Music & at 7.30pm Laughter with

Alan Bolt

£5.00 - Conc.£4.50 Guitarist - Folk/Country

U/16's £2.50 50's - 60's Music

Entry includes Plum bread & cheese supper, tea/coffee

(Bring your own bottle if you wish something stronger!)

Saturday 18th August North Kyme Garden starts at 2.15pm Produce & Crafts Summer Refreshments available all Show (See Schedule)

afternoon Presentation of Trophies at 3.30pm followed by Grand Prize Draw and Auction of exhibits.

Saturday 1st September St.Luke's Church B.B.Q.

from 5.00pm

£6.50 Further details from any Church official.

Wednesday 12th September Parish Council Meeting

7.30pm

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) (If you would like to join us £2.00 per session please tel. 860872)

BINGO 20th July; 17th August; 21st September at 7.45pm

SHORT MAT BOWLS Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm

Every Wednesday 2 - 4.00pm

DARBY & JOAN First Thursday in every month from 4.00 - 6.00pm

SEWING & HANDICRAFTS Third Friday in every month from 10.00am - 4.00pm £1.00 per hour - £5.00 all day.

PARENT & TOTTS Every Tuesday in term time 10.30 - 11.30am Restarts 4th September

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Starts again 9th September

OTHER EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE

Saturday 21st July Darby & Joan Club Garden from 3.00pm Party at Pidge & Reg Wood's house, Main Street.

SPECIAL FEATURES

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The AGM was held on 6th June and was followed by an ordinary council meeting. Six members of the public were present. New councillors, Tony Carroll and John Goddard, who replaced unsuccessful candidates T. Handley and S. Brittain, were welcomed. Other appointments to office were made. Cllr.G.Panton resigned his post as chairman and Cllr.G.Pout was voted in to that office. Cllr.R.Wood remains as treasurer and Cllr.T.Carroll becomes Vice chairman, Cllr.Panton remains as a councillor. The 40 mph speed limit is to be extended further along Ferry Lane but there is no progress on the 30 mph flashing signs. It was suggested that the Road Safety Partnership do not regard them necessary in North Kyme. A member of the public requested permission for youth club members to make a mural for the bus shelter and also requested that goal posts be installed on the new field. We were told that this would be done as soon as planning permission is received for the field and insurance is arranged. . The very 'tatty' signs at each end of the village were then discussed with a view to the parish taking them over from NKDC. Other items of interest could then be put on them and their appearance improved. The meeting closed at 9.45pm.

Meeting held - 11th July A member of the public asked about the cleaning and condition of the road in front of the church. This will be brought to the attention of the Highways Manager during the 'Parish Walk' inspection on 25/7/07.

It is now known that our insurance will cover the use of the playing field - a set of goal posts will be installed as soon as possible. Permission has been granted for the members of the youth club to install a 'mural' in the bus shelter. Full planning permission has been granted for a new village hall on the new 'playing field' site and outline permission has been received for the old village hall site. A grant of $\pounds 80$ was approved towards the printing and delivery of the NK News.

A copy of a letter, signed by over 30 residents of Newfield Drive, has been sent to the council by the NKDC Planning Dept. If a planning application is made to

develop that site, the views of the residents will be taken into account by the Parish Council. The litter bins on the 'Triangle' are not being emptied regularly - a letter will be sent to the relevant department by the parish clerk. Still no progress on speed restriction 'flashing signs' for the village. Next meeting 12th September.

CHURCH NEWS

The latest '200 Club' winners are as follows - Mary Wilkinson (May) - Mrs Mellors (June) - Joan Easton (July).

George and Beryl Hardstaff would like to thank everyone who attended their coffee morning, which made $\pounds 220.26$ for church funds.

READERS LETTERS

From Terry Handley :

Thanks to all who voted for me in the Parish Council elections. In the four years I served I missed no more than six meetings. Three in the last year were due to circumstances beyond my control, one of which being due to a last minute change of date making it impossible for me to attend, and a second due to late notification of the meeting date.

I hope this sets the record straight and reassures you that I did not abrogate my responsibilities as a councillor.

SMALL ADS

For Sale - Wooden (A4) filing cabinet £15 ono Tel.861059

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EDITORIAL - EAR TO THE GROUND

With the recent fine weather it looks as if we might have an 'Indian Summer'. Keep your fingers crossed!

The Annual Garden Produce & Craft Show on 18th August was a real success with 266 entries from 42 entrants. Cookery and craft sections were very well supported and all the garden produce was of excellent quality. The judges commented most favourably on the high standard, especially for such a small village. It was a fun day too with a super tombola, tasty refreshments, auction of produce and 26 lucky prize draw winners. Thank you to all donors, entrants, judges, workers and everyone who participated. Over £500 was made for funds to keep the village hall running, well done!

The Autumn programme is now starting and we give more details inside of future events you can enjoy.

Di Goddard - Editor

NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Monday 24th September St Lukes Church

7.00pm Harvest Supper

Tickets £6.00; Children £3.00 Phone George Hardstaff 860395 In aid of church funds

Friday 19th October Chine Supper

7.00pm

Tickets £6.00; Children £3.00 available from George Hardstaff

In aid of St Lukes Church funds

Saturday 27th October General Knowledge

Doors open 7.30pm for 8.00pm Quiz Night

Entry £3.50 U/16s £2.00 Cash Prizes - Interval Quiz

Buffet supper included - Bring Your Own Beverage !!!

In aid of Village Hall funds

Wednesday 7th November Alan Cox - Medium

Doors open 7.15pm Refreshments available

Entry £5.00; Conc.£4.50; U/16s £2.50

Bookings telephone 01526 860007

All proceeds to L.I.V.E.S.

Wednesday 14th November Parish Council Meeting

7.30pm All Parishioners welcome

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) (If you would like to join - a $\pounds 2.00$ per session few places are available)

BINGO 21st September; 12th October

'Eyes down' 7.45pm 16th November.

SHORT MAT BOWLS Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm

Every Wednesday 2.00 - 4.00pm

DARBY & JOAN CLUB First Thursday in every month

From 4 - 6.00pm (Over 60 ? Why not join us?)

SEWING & HANDICRAFTS Third Friday in every month

From 10.00am - 4.00pm £1.00 per hour or £5.00all day

PARENT & TOTTS Every Tuesday in term time

10.30 - 11.30am

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Every Sunday in term time

2.00 - 3.00pm (From 4 to 12 years old)

NORTH KYME YOUTH CLUB Every Thursday from 7.00pm

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS - Wednesday 12th September.

Seven councillors,2 District councillors and one parishioner were present. No questions were asked in the 'public forum'.

The bus shelter mural is in progress but not complete yet. Goal posts have been installed on the new field and have been used. There is still no progress on the 30m.p.h. Flashing signs for Main St. A parish walk was carried out on 25/7/07 by the Highways Manager and councillors, no report on the findings yet received. The litter bins in the 'Triangle' are still not being emptied regularly - the refuse dept.

have been informed. It was decided, after lengthy discussion, to display rules concerning the proper use of the playing field. It was also decided that some equipment for young children would be needed and possibilities will be investigated. A parishioner enquired about public footpaths in Kyme. It was stated that there were none, even after examining old maps of the area.

The mobile police station will be in the village from 9.30am to noon on Friday 16th November.

A memorial to 'Bill' Miller, who died a year ago whilst playing the organ, is to be placed in the church. It will be in the form of a specially commissioned oak candle holder. The parish council will donate $\pounds 150$ towards the cost.

SPECIAL FEATURES

NEW HALL PROJECT UPDATE

Good news on the work being done to provide a new village hall for North Kyme! Detailed plans are now being drawn up for the hall, which will be built on the new site off Vacherie Lane. When these are complete, estimates of the final cost can be made and we will be seeking finance from a number of major fund providers (e.g. Lottery etc.). The project will have to show a degree of 'matched funding' and we can now report that we are over one third of the way towards our target, including our assets. We will shortly be placing a thermometer indicator on the old hall so that you can see as we approach our target ! We have waited a long time and there is still much to be done but things are happening and we will keep you all in the picture. If you would like to help or make a donation to our 'Buy a Brick' scheme please contact John Goddard or Glynn Pout.

LOCAL FUND RAISING REPORT

The coffee morning at George and Cynthia Machin's on 29th August raised £158 for Darby & Joan Club funds.

The barbecue at the village hall on 1st September raised $\pounds 400.00$ for St Lukes Church funds.

RECENT PRIZE WINNERS

Church '200 Club' winners - August Mrs Jan Mellors

September Ann Freeston

Summer Show Prize Draw -

1st Prize (£50 Co-op vouchers) Vic Tonge

2nd Prize (Gourmet hamper) Jan Armitage

3rd Prize (£25 Padleys voucher) Jeff Bailey

READERS LETTERS

(by e-mail from Mrs Paterson)

Would any North Kyme residents have any old photo's or information on families that lived in the village 1890 - 1970?

In particular the Wesleyan Chapel, the Bakehouse and General Store, the old school?

Would anyone have stories / anecdotes / old newspaper clippings etc. that would be of interest to be included in a family tree presentation I am doing in the village. I can come to visit anyone who has photos so that no lending of pictures would be necessary. You can contact me by e-mail at jb7@hotmail.co.uk or by phone 01352 692250

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EDITORIAL - EAR TO THE GROUND

What a wonderful Autumn we have enjoyed, but now the dark evenings are here to cope with.

We have already had Harvest and Chine Suppers in the hall; plus a Quiz Nite for village hall funds and an event for L.I.V.E.S. ! These have all been very well supported and now we have the Christmas 'run - up' with more get togethers planned, details are inside.

We are now looking forward to the New Year. There are already events planned for the hall with a disco in January and a St. Valentines Day Supper in February so keep watching this space!

Finally, we would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the village hall committee to wish all our readers in Kyme, a very happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year.

Di Goddard - Editor

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NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Friday 23rd November Darby & Joan Prize starts 7.45pm Bingo and Grand Draw

Proceeds for Darby & Joan Club funds - Everyone welcome

Sunday 25th November Coffee, Cake & Crafts !

10.00am - 1.00pm See enclosed 'flyer'

Proceeds for Village Hall funds

Friday 14th December Xmas Prize Bingo &

starts 7.45pm Grand Prize Draw

Proceeds to Village Hall funds Free refreshments !!!

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am (Over 50's) £2.00 per session

BINGO 14th December - Prize Bingo

'Eyes down' 7.45pm (From18th January 2008, Bingo will be held on the third Friday in every month)

SHORT MAT BOWLS Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm

Every Wednesday 2.00 - 4.00pm

DARBY & JOAN CLUB First Thursday in every month from 4.00 - 6.00pm

SEWING & HANDICRAFTS Third Friday in every month from 10.00am - 4.00pm \pounds 1.00 per hour or \pounds 5.00 all day

PARENT & TOTTS Every Thursday in term time 10.30 - 11.30am

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Every Sunday in term time 2.00 - 3.00pm (4 - 12 years old)

Carol Service - Sunday 9th Dec. from 2.15pm - All welcome

TEEN SCENE 26th Nov; 10th Dec.(Xmas 7.30 - 8.30pm Party); 14th Jan; 28th Jan.

NORTH KYME YOUTH CLUB Telephone Martyn on 861465 for further details.

OTHER EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE

Sunday 23rd December Village Carol Service

at 4.00pm (St Luke's Church)

SPECIAL FEATURES

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Six councillors and NKDC councillor Mike Powell attended the meeting on 14th November. Two members of the public also attended. During the public forum a parishioner asked if the council could apply for grant aid to provide a Youth Shelter on the new field. Councillors agreed to look into funding. Councillors agreed, meanwhile, to grant £100 for the new Youth Club to buy equipment. Two councillors have attended a 'cluster meeting' of 4 local parishes at Billinghay. £4000 is available for a local joint project. It was agreed that North Kyme will vote for a mobile, flashing speed sign to be bought and shared between the parishes. A donation of £200 was made towards the upkeep of the churchyard and a further £150 donation towards the village hall insurance. The council agreed to apply to be represented on the NKDC Standards Committee. In a recent review it was decided that the village hall will remain as our local polling station. No progress has been made on road repairs near the church. Finally, refuse collection will be delayed after Christmas from 28th to 29th December and from 4th to 5th January. The next council meeting will be on 9th January 2008.

LOCAL FUND RAISING REPORT

St. Luke's church Harvest Festival Supper on 24th September raised £500 and the Chine Supper on 19th September £415 for church funds! Both evenings were a huge success with delicious food and good company. Well done to all the helpers.

Fund raising for L.I.V.E.S. has been very active over the last few months, starting with a most successful August Bank Holiday 'all day breakfast' for bikers on their way to Cadwell Park. Run by the Coach House, this raised £127. A collection at the Quiz Night in the village hall in October raised £40 and the evening with medium Alan Cox a further £49.00. The collecting boxes in the Coach House and the Plough Inn amassed another £66 between them. This gives £282 in total. Well done North Kyme and all the workers!

PRIZE WINNERS

The St. Luke's Church '200 Club' winners were, Audrey Hamilton (October) and Mrs Fay Everard (November).

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

SPONSORED WALK FOR 'CHILDREN IN NEED'

Kimberley Watts and Lucy Brocklesby completed their three mile walk on Sunday 4th November. Well done girls !

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