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Another year gone and a new one started. I always feel happier when the year is 'on the up', even if it is rotten weather, at least it is going to get better and we have the lovely spring bulbs to look forward to soon.

The village hall had its usual busy Christmas season with lots of gatherings and parties. Our little hall is so welcoming and looked extremely festive thanks to the efforts of Ann Colclough and her daughters. The diary for 2008 is already filling up and 'kicks off' with a disco on 26th January in 60's/70's mode, which is already sold out! We follow this on 6th February with the well known medium Bryan Gibson. Our annual general meeting will be held 13th February at 7.00pm, please try to come along to this so we can hear your views and be assured of your support. Thursday 14th February sees a Valentines Day supper organised by St Luke's church and in March we will have another of our popular Quiz Nights.

Finally, there is someone in the village who has a dog which repeatedly fouls the pavement on Vacherie Lane. This leaves a revolting obstacle course for children and other pedestrians. I would remind the owner that a fine is possible, please do what you can to stop it happening.

Di Goddard - Editor

NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Wednesday 6th February Bryan Gibson - Medium

Doors open 7.00 for 7.30pm 'Just a Touch Away'

Entry £5.00 - Ring 860872 to book (Booking Essential)

Proceeds to Village Hall funds

Wednesday 13th February Village Hall Committee

From 7.00pm Annual General Meeting Free refreshments Everybody welcome

Thursday 14th February St Valentines Day Supper from 7.00pm (A flower for every lady)

Tickets £6.00 from any church member - bring your own beverage. Proceeds to St. Luke's Church funds.

Saturday 15th March General Knowledge Quiz Night Entry £3.50 U/16s £2.00 Cash prizes - Interval Quiz - Raffle

(includes buffet supper) Bring your own beverage Doors 7.30 for 8.00pm (For village hall funds)

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) £2.00 per session

BINGO From 18th January 2008 will be 'Eyes down' 7,45pm on the 3rd 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 4.00pm - 6.00pm

SEWING & HANDICRAFTS Third Friday in every month

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

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Every Sunday in term time

2.00 - 3.00pm (4 - 12 years old)

TEEN SCENE January 14th and 28th

7.30 - 8.30pm February 11th and 25th

March 10th and 31st

NORTH KYME YOUTH CLUB January 24th

6.30 - 8.00pm February 7th and 21st

March 6th and 27th

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

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Meeting 9th January 2008

Seven councillors, the clerk, Cllr.M.Powell (NKDC) and two members of the public were present.

The issue of dog fouling, on Vacherie Lane in particular, was raised by a parishioner. Councillors stated that fines can be imposed if the owner is traced. The Council were given details of the cost of a 'youth shelter' and grants available but no further action is to be taken at this time due to lack of funds.

It it anticipated that the green 'gateway' signs at each end of the village, previously the responsibility of NKDC, will be taken over by the Parish Council very soon.

An application for an increase of 5% in the precept for this year will be made, bringing the total to £2100.

Repairs and maintenance to gullies and to the road surface on Church Lane and Main Street will take place later this year. The provision of parking spaces outside the bungalows on Vacherie Lane is considered desirable but low priority.

A 'cluster' meeting of the seven parish councils in the area will be held on 23rd January. Among items for discussion will be the purchase of portable electronic speed limit signs for shared use in the villages concerned.

SPECIAL FEATURES PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Pidge Wood and Barbara Baxter have been nominated by some members of the Darby & Joan group to be selected for a Queens Award for Voluntary Service. This would be in recognition of their hard work over the years in running the club. On 10th January the Deputy

Lord Lieutenant came to assess the suitability of the club for this honour. A final decision will be made later in the year.

William (Bill) Miller During the carol service in St.Luke's church on 23rd December, the congregation were delighted to witness the dedication of a beautiful, hand crafted Easter candle stand in memory of Bill. He was a much loved and long serving church member and organist at St.Luke's and died in September 2006.

IN MEMORIAM John F.Pygott Died 30th December 2007 Our sincere condolences go to John's wife and family after his sudden and unexpected death. He lived in North Kyme for some years and even after leaving the village was always interested in Kyme events. Both the village hall and the church have been very grateful for his support over many years. He will be sorely missed.

PRIZE WINNERS

Church 200 Club prizewinner for December was Jane Tonge.

DONATIONS TO L.I.V.E.S.

The collection box in the Plough Inn raised £36 . 22 and the Short Mat Bowls Club donated a further £25.50 recently. Thanks to everyone for your support.

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It isn't long now until we put the clocks forward and then we can really feel the worst of the winter is past and summer is hovering in the wings!

The village hall has been very busy with all the usual clubs plus some really good entertainment. The disco in January was great with some fantastic fancy dress and good music. The Bryan Gibson evening in February was a sell out with people coming from far and wide and the St.Valentines Day supper, run by the church, was excellent with some really funny 'turns' afterwards that brought the house down!

The 27th February saw an extraordinary parish council meeting where residents were invited to make their feelings known with regard to the housing planned for the old school site. More about the meeting inside this issue.

We have more events coming up shortly in the village hall, details inside, so please keep supporting us.

Di Goddard - Editor

Also available worldwide on www.northkyme.com

NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Wednesday 19th March Parish Council Meeting

7.30pm (Re-scheduled from 12th March)

Friday 21st March Easter Prize Bingo

(Good Friday) Seasonal Prizes - Raffle

'Eyes Down' 7.45pm Interval Game - Refreshments

Fun for all the family - everyone welcome

Sunday 20th April Coffee & Nostalgia Evening

6.00 - 8.00pm Learn more about your village's history - old photos etc. on show plus excellent

Refreshments.

(Both the above for village hall funds)

Wednesday 14th May Parish Council Meeting

7.30pm

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

KEEP FIT TO MUSIC Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) £2:00 per session

BINGO Fridays 18th April and 16th May

'Eyes down' 7.45pm

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 £1.00 per hour or £5.00 all day.

KYME KIDS SUNDAY CLUB Every Sunday in term time

2.00 - 3.00pm (4 - 12 years old)

TEEN SCENE Monday 31st March (on the playing field) Football match.

(if wet in village hall)

NORTH KYME YOUTH CLUB

Thursdays 6.30 - 8.00pm From 3rd April onwards the club

will be weekly on the playing field if the weather is good.

If not - in village hall

PARENT & TOTTS Every Tuesday in term time

10.30 - 11.30am

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

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EXTRAORDINARY MEETING 27th FEBRUARY 2008

The meeting was called concerning proposed housing to be built on the old school site.

Present at the meeting were parish councillors and NKDC district councillor Mr.M.Powell. Mr Clive Wickes, the architect for the site represented the developers. The meeting was well attended by approximately 70 residents. The planning department were also invited but declined to attend.

Plans were available for everyone to see the actual layout of the site and number of houses planned etc. We were told that the access had been agreed with the highways dept. and that the government edict of 20 houses to the acre had been adhered to. We were also told that the developer would be willing to give approximately £10,000 towards play equipment or something similar and there would be a contribution towards schools in Billinghay (?) or Sleaford possibly.

When the meeting was thrown open to the floor many villagers made plain their feelings on most of the issues. To sum up, the main ones appeared to be; (a) 23 houses is too many for the site; (b) the access and egress to the site would just add to the traffic difficulties already being experienced in North Kyme, and (c) the type of housing planned is not deemed suitable for the character of the village. It was also felt that the provision of a light controlled pedestrian crossing would be vital.

The minutes of the meeting will shortly be available on www.northkyme.com

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING 12th MARCH 2008

Due to circumstances beyond the control of the council, this meeting was cancelled. The meeting will now take place on Wednesday 19th March at 7.30pm in the village hall.

Tony Carroll - Vice Chairman

<u>Stop Press</u>: The County Council closing date for further comments on the proposed development has now been extended to 28th March.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

<u>Barbara and Martyn</u> at the Coach House Motel are delighted to have been awarded a 5 Star rating for food business hygiene by NKDC. Safer food, better business. They are now open for the summer season and extend a warm welcome to customers new and old. Food will be available mainly at weekends.

Congratulations <u>Stella Mitchell</u>, at The Lodge kennels, on winning best puppy in breed at Crufts with her 14 month old Swedish Vallhund, shown for the first time. Well done Stella!

SMALL ADS

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For sale (1) ROGER BLACK Gold motorised treadmill

£300.00 o.n.o. Phone 860582

(2) Steam Press Boxed as new

£80.00 o.n.o. Phone 860582

PRIZE WINNERS

Church 200 club January 2008 Patrick Barrett

February 2008 George Machin

May 2008

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EDITORIAL - EAR TO THE GROUND

My editorial is normally about events which have taken place in the village hall recently, but this time I would like to write about our community as a whole. North Kyme does not have many 'amenities', no post office, no school, poor bus service, we all know that these things (and more) were much in evidence for previous generations. Everybody knew their neighbours by name, doors were not locked, children were allowed to roam free. Things are different now, but we can have many of the same advantages that previous residents had. We have a thriving village hall that offers many different occasions to meet each other and enjoy a social gathering. The pub is doing well and has a lovely friendly atmosphere as does the Coachhouse, both of them with food available at most times. The church is a most welcoming little place with yet another chance to meet your friends and neighbours. Please make a big effort to use these amenities and let us be proud to have a reputation as one of the friendliest little communities in Lincolnshire.

Di Goddard - Editor

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NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Sunday 25th May Treasure Hunt (Walking)

3.15pm to 4.40pm Starts and finishes at the village hall. Entry £1.00 - U/16's 50p.

Prize for winner - Refreshments - Raffle

Thursday 26th June Sports Day (New Field)

from 6.00pm (Games in the hall if wet)

Parents & Kids! Tug of War etc. - Refreshments - Tombola

Both the above in aid of village hall funds.

*Coming shortly:-

Music Quiz 12th July - Summer Show 16th August

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Keep Fit to Music Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) £2 per session

Bingo Fridays 20th June; 18th July

'Eyes Down' 7.45pm

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 3rd Friday in every month

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

Kyme Kids Sunday Club Every Sunday in term time

2.00 - 3.00pm (4 - 12 years old)

North Kyme Youth Club Fortnightly on the playing Thursdays 6.30 - 8.00pm field/village hall

Parent & Totts Every Tuesday in term time

10.30 - 11.30am

OTHER EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE

Coffee Morning Tuesday 20th May at George & 10.00 - 12.00 noon Cynthia Machin's - 51 Main Street

In aid of Darby & Joan funds

SPECIAL FEATURES

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PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

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MEETING 30th APRIL

Seven councillors present plus District Councillor Mike Powell

The meeting was told that letters to the parish clerk (Judith Johnson) had gone unanswered and her intentions were unclear with regard to her council duties. Meanwhile, Karen Handley had 'stepped into the breach' and so the meeting went ahead.

During the public forum, 'Japp'. The instructor in charge of the Ferry Lane Youth Workshops, stated that complaints had been made about the untidiness of the site, noise from the radio controlled cars and motorcycles being used on the premises.

He said work is progressing on tidying up the area and he will be submitting a planning application for 'change of use'.

The council expressed some reservations about the plans but will await the application. The council were told that the planning application for 23 houses on the school site was now withdrawn, but a new one had been put forward. Next meeting 14th May (A.G.M.)

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MEETING 14th MAY (A.G.M. and ORDINARY MEETING)

Five councillors present plus District Councillor Mike Powell and three members of the public.

Chairman Glynn Pout thanked the members for their support over the year and was re-elected as chairman with Cllr. T.Carroll as vice chair. The sterling work already done by the new

clerk in sorting out some of the paper work she inherited was much appreciated by the council who voted to make her position official. Council meetings will be held monthly until all matters are brought into order. The new planning application for 21 houses on the school site was considered and the council agreed their feelings were unaltered as the reduction was deemed insufficient.

There will be a village inspection by council members and an official of the Highways Dept. On 16th June at 1.00pm.

It was stated that drainage work was planned on Church Lane in August 2008. The clerk will contact Highways Dept. about the bad condition of the brickwork on the first bridge on Mill Lane. Renovation will be done to the notice board on the 'Triangle'. Meeting closed at 9.30pm. Next meeting 11th June

BOWLS CLUB APPEAL

The Bowls Club have been struggling for some time with a shortage of bowlers on Wednesday afternoons (2.00 - 4.00pm).

The Tuesday evening session is very well supported but just a few more players on a Wednesday would mean they can keep both going. Would you like to join in? Why not come to watch one Wednesday afternoon? Please ring George Hardstaff if you are interested on 860395.

MOBILE LIBRARY DATES

In future the mobile library will be at the bus stop on Main St. <u>Monthly</u> on the following dates - 30th May; 27th June; 25th July; 22nd August; 19th September; 17th October; 14th November; 12th December from 4.00 - 4.30pm

PRIZE WINNERS

Church 200 Club March Joyce Gordon

April Dot Stanley

SMALL ADS

 $\underline{\textbf{For Sale}}$ Sanyo Microwave Oven, silver grey, good condition, 10 months old only, £10 . 00 Tel. 860544

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What a dismal summer! Global warming seems to mean WET. Everything is growing like mad, which means grass cutting every other day (when it's not raining!)
The village hall committee has struggled manfully to bring you some outdoor activities and 'well done' to those hardy souls who joined in the Treasure Hunt and the Sports Evening. I wonder if we ought to try mud wrestling for our next outdoor event!
Our next big day will be the Grand Summer Show. This is always a lovely day with superb exhibits on show and tasty refreshments ending with the big Raffle Prize Draw. Do come along and join us. Many other events are happening in the village with full details listed inside.
Enjoy the rest of your summer in your own village and save your petrol!

NOTICE BOARD

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FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Saturday 16th August Garden Produce & Craft Show from 2.15pm Wonderful exhibits on show with 50 adult and 8 junior Prize Draw - 4.00pm classes.

Refreshments on sale - Tombola - Auction of produce after Prize Draw.

Saturday 30th August Church BBQ

from 6.00pm

Tickets from George Hardstaff - 860395

Wednesday 10th September Parish Council Meeting

7.30pm (Includes 15 minutes Public Forum)

Coming shortly

Monday 22nd September - Church Harvest Supper

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REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Keep Fit to Music Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am

(Over 50's) £2.50 per session.

Bingo Fridays 18th July; 15th August

'Eyes Down' 7.45pm

Short Mat Bowls Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm

Darby & Joan Club First Thursday in every month from 4.00 - 6.00pm

Sewing & Handicrafts Third Friday in every month

Club 10.00 - 4.00pm £1.00 per hour - £5.00 all day

North Kyme Youth Club Contact Martyn Grice - 861465

Kyme Kids Sunday Club - A message from Jackie Dring

It is with regret, that due to falling numbers, the club will discontinue (after 17 years) on 13th July <u>Teen Scene</u> will recommence after the summer break on Monday 10th November at 7.30pm All year 7's are welcome. Ring 860279 for further information.

Parent & Totts Have their summer break from 15th July to Tuesday 9th September.

OTHER EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE

Saturday 19th July Darby & Joan Club Garden Party from 3.00pm at Reg & Pidge Wood's house

14, Main Street

(In village hall if wet!)

SPECIAL FEATURES

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

MEETING 11th JUNE

Seven councillors present plus District Councillor Mike Powell, Pc Daniels and one member of the public.

Mr & Mrs Armitage have had their fence on Main Street knocked down yet again by a car. Pc Daniels was asked to comment on what action could be taken by the police. The use of radar guns is difficult because of availability due to funding problems. A representative of the Parish Council will attend the next meeting of the local police panel to ascertain what can be done. (Highways Department were made aware of this problem on 16th June and there may be improvements made to the road surface).

The notice board on the 'triangle' has been renovated as promised at the last meeting. Meeting closed 9.30pm

MEETING 9th JULY

Six councillors were present plus District Councillor Mike Powell and one member of the public.

Damage to the bridge on Mill Lane was reported to Highways in May and has not yet received any attention - follow up action to be taken. The road surface on 'accident corner' (Main Street) was promised for some action but none has been taken as yet. Andy Marshall (Japp) will no longer be cutting the grass on the 'triangle' as the Training Centre has been disbanded. A new volunteer is being sought. Play equipment for the new playing field is being looked into and a steering group is to be set up to investigate funding etc.

Meeting closed at 9.15pm. Next meeting 10/9/08.

ON LINE SHOPPING - A WAY TO HELP YOUR VILLAGE

If you shop on line and would like to use your shopping to help raise funds for the Village Hall <u>FREE</u>, please take the time to have a look at the 'flyer' on the subject in this newsletter. If you have any queries please ring Sue on 860788.

PRIZE WINNERS

Church 200 Club

May 2008 - Olive Miller

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Autumn is hovering in the wings now and we all feel that Summer never actually got started! However, the Autumn programme is always a good one, with lots of events taking place and something for everyone, so read on!

The summer show was very successful and financially we hope to have cleared £500 for village hall funds. The Prize Draw was absolutely magnificent with some of the best prizes we have ever had, thanks to Sue Canning for all her efforts. The actual number of entries was very disappointing and particularly noticeable in lack of crafts and the childrens section. Eleven contributors from last year didn't enter anything this year, so lets hope this was just a 'glitch' and they will all return to the competitive fray next year! The village hall committee and other helpers worked all day, from 8.00am to 6.00pm and many thanks go to them all.

NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Monday 22nd September Church Harvest Supper

from 7.00pm

& Auction of Produce

Tickets £6.50 from George Hardstaff Tel.860395 Bring Your Own Beverage! In aid of Church funds

Saturday 11th October

General Knowledge Quiz doors open 7.30 for 8.00pm

Entry £3.50 U/16's £2.00 Our usual popular Quiz (Includes Buffet) with cash prizes - interval B.Y.O.B. quiz - raffle.

Proceeds for village hall funds.

Saturday 18th October A Stitch in Kyme 10.00am - 5.00pm In both church and village hall - see full details overleaf.

Friday 24th October Chine Supper from 7.30pm Raffle - Proceeds for St Tickets £6.50 Tel. George 860395. Luke's church funds

COMING SHORTLY

Sunday 16th November Crafty Christmas Fair

from 10.00am - 1.00pm A range of stalls with crafts and other lovely gifts for sale - Plus refreshments & tombola.

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Keep Fit to Music Every Monday 9.30 - 10.30am (Over 50's) £2.50 per session.

Want more details? Ring Di Goddard on 860872

Bingo Fridays 19th September; 'Eyes Down' 7.45pm 17th October.

Short Mat Bowls Every Tuesday 7.30 - 9.30pm

Darby & Joan Club First Thursday in every month from 4.00 - 6.00pm

Sewing & Handicrafts Third Friday in every month £1.00 per hour - £5.00 all day.

Club 10.00 am - 4.00pm

Parent & Totts Every Tuesday in term time 10.30 - 11.30am

SPECIAL FEATURES

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'A STITCH IN KYME' by Joan Eastham

I started this group so that like minded people could have a day together and spend a few hours free to do as they pleased.

We do handwork knitting, machine stitching, embroidering and even wool spinning, but most of all a lot of talking!

We learn from each other, all ages mixing, because of a shared love of crafts. I wanted to showcase our talented ladies exceptional work and so we are having an exhibition on October 18th from 10.00am to 5.00pm. There will be stunning exhibits in the church and the village hall will have sales tables and demonstrations plus refreshments. Entry is £2.50 - Concessions £2.00 - Children free. The money raised will be shared with the church and the village hall. Any enquiries ring Joan on 834080

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

MEETING 10th SEPTEMBER

Six councillors present plus District Councillor Mike Powell, and one member of the public.

In the open forum the council were asked if anything can be done about the unkempt look of our village i.e.;old signs, grass cutting on verges, school field and the 'Triangle'. All need regular attention. Council promised to contact the education authority about the school field and the relevant departments concerning the verges.

Budget planning for the year and the precept were discussed at some length and requests for cash help were agreed for the Billinghay swimming pool (£100); North Kyme Newsletter (£80); St Lukes Church grass cutting (£200).

The clerk told the meeting that the Audit Commission have informed her various matters have not been dealt with properly in the past and that they must be attended to a.s.a.p. The accounts year ending 2007 have not been satisfactorily dealt with and must be treated as urgent. Mrs Handley took over the clerk's job early this year and has already worked extremely hard in trying to sort out the confusion of paperwork she inherited from her predecessor.

Finally, the council discussed an annual parish meeting to be organised the first one to be in May 2009.

PRIZE WINNERS

Church 200 Club June 2008 Joan Hall

July 2008 Jean Hickman

August 2008 Irene Cook

IN MEMORIUM - JOHN MICHAEL ANDREWS

8TH AUGUST 2008 'Mick' Andrews was a well known figure in Kyme and had been church warden for 25 years. He will be sorely missed and our condolences go to his wife Norah and all his family.

CRAFTY XMAS FAIR - 16th November 2008

There are two tables still available for the fair, if you are interested contact Di Goddard on 860872

LOST & FOUND

Childs blue anorak found after the Darby & Joan garden party in the hall on 19th July. Telephone the editor 860872

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Prize Winners V. Hall Chairman

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EDITORIAL – EAR TO THE GROUND

Christmas is coming closer everyday and we are all gearing up for the festive season. The bad news in all the newspapers is very depressing and so we need to try and enjoy the simple pleasures that a small village can offer. It is nice to feel that we are among friends and can join in events that bring us together as a community. There are more details inside of just such occasions over the next few weeks.

Finally on behalf of our Village hall Committee I would like to wish all our readers in Kyme a very Happy Christmas and a peaceful New Year.

Di Goddard – Editor

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Many thanks to the Grice family for printing and distributing this issue.

NOTICE BOARD

FORTHCOMING EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Sunday 16th November Crafty Christmas Fair

From 10.00am to 1.00pm A good range of stalls with

Free Entry plus hand made items and other

refreshments lovely gifts for sale.

and Super Prize Tombola

Friday 21st November Darby & Joan Club

Starts 07.45pm Prize Bingo & Grand

Everyone Welcome Draw.

Proceeds for Club funds

Wednesday 26th November Parish Council Meeting

07.30pm Residents welcome to attend

Friday 12th December Christmas Prize Bingo

From 07.45pm & Grand Prize Raffle

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE HALL

Keep Fit to Music Every Monday 9.30 – 10.30am

(over 50's) £2.50 per session

Want more details? Ring Di Goddard on 860872

Bingo 21st November (Prize Bingo)

'Eyes Down' 7.45pm 12th December (Prize Bingo)

16th January 2009

Short Mat Bowls Every Tuesday 7.30 – 9.30pm

Darby and Joan Club First Thursday in every month

From 4.00 – 6.00pm

Sewing & Handicrafts 3rd Friday in every month

Club £1.00 per hour; £5.00 all day

10.00am - 4.00pm

Parent and Tots

Every Tuesday in term-time

10.30 – 11.30am

Teen Scene 10th, 24th Nov 2008

7.30 - 8.30pm

and 8th Dec 2008 12th and 26th Jan 2009

OTHER EVENTS IN THE VILLAGE

Sunday 21st December

St Lukes Church

04.00pm

Village Carol Service

Thursday 25th December Christmas Day

10.30am

Eucharist with Carols

The Sewing and Handicrafts Club Exhibition on the 18th October

Was a huge success and proved how talented the ladies of the club are and how popular such an event can be. Everyone who attended the exhibition and went on to the village hall for demonstrations and refreshments, voted it a really lovely day. Both the church and the village hall have benefitted as well and shared £360 between them for their funds. Thank-you ladies, please repeat it!

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

The council meeting will not be held until the 26th November

And therefore will not be reported on in this issue. The January meeting will be held on January 14th 2009.

PRIZE WINNERS

Church 200 Club Sept 2008 Mrs J Hall

Oct 2008 Mrs J Rear

CHILDRENS BIRTHDAY PARTIES ETC:

Why not have your own personal celebration in the village hall? It has a pleasant atmosphere and is ideal for such occasions. Our charges are modest at £7.00 an hour which includes all electricity costs. If you would like further details please ring the editor on 860872.

TO THE PEOPLE OF KYME, A MESSAGE FROM THE RETIRING VILLAGE HALL CHAIRMAN.

	It is with regret that I have had to retire from the village hall committee due to my ill health.
,	The help and support I have received over almost 10 years as chairman, has made my task a
	pleasurable one.

I would also like to say thank-you for all your messagees of good wishes and offers of help during my illness. Your friendship at this time is very much appreciated.

Kindest regards

John (Goddard)