

# WELCOME TO NORTH KYME NEWSLETTER

December 2014 Issue 92

## Merry Christmas and a Prosperous 2015

Its that time of year again, and most of you will be getting ready for Christmas. In North Kyme too there are lots of Christmas preparations, with plenty happening that should interest everybody. We have The Ruffs, "Coming Home For Christmas" gig, with the boys doing a brilliant show, followed by a disco. We also have Christmas Prize Bingo. The Christmas Tree Lighting ceremony will take place on the 6th of December, with the Big Man popping in, in his usual fashion.....what exactly that is this year, nobody knows!!

We have had a lot of fundraising at the hall with various events. Thank you to all those that attended and participated. Di's Quiz raised £348.50. The Halloween Childrens party was great fun for the kids and raised £25, followed by the Halloween Bingo, which raised £171.60. The Wrinkley Rockers gig raised over £500. The Christmas Craft Fair raised £143.30. The Plough Inn have a box for the hall and have raised over £130. Well done to all.

Please remember Easy Fundraising for the Village Hall, which can be set up at [www.easyfundraising.co.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.co.uk). For those who have the internet you can view this newsletter as well as letters from the past at [www.northkyme.com](http://www.northkyme.com). Here you can contact to the editor with anything you think should be included in the newsletter. **Or alternatively call Stella 01526 860712/ Dara 01526 861620**

### **Congratulations:**

Congratulations to Glynn and Dara Pout on the birth of their daughter Blathnaid Maude, at last a Yellowbelly Pout!!!!!! Glynn is looking for more projects in the village to get him out of the house!!!

### **South Kyme WI**

South Kyme meets on the second Monday of every month. It is a fun and vibrant group, with plenty of interaction with other local WI Groups, trips and guest speakers. Come along for a taster meeting, all welcome! For more info contact Susan Lock on 01526 869118 or [susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk)

### **Why Not Wood**

Bespoke handcrafted wooden pieces. Made to order, commissions accepted. Personalisation available. Huge range of Christmas gifts and decorations! Contact 01526 860424

### **Parish Council News**

For those of you who did see the SID (Speed indicator Device) around the village, you will have realised that it does a great job in calming the traffic through the village. For this reason, the parish council has applied to have a semi permanent device that will be located at each end of the village, We will keep you informed of our progress.

We hope to see you all at the Christmas lights switch on. This year we are going totally green and decorating a living tree that was kindly donated last year from Soul Drop Farm. Now, this tree may seem small at the moment, (in fact Nick and Teresa did offer us a larger tree) but we declined on the basis that in 20 years time all those children watching on the 6<sup>th</sup> will be able to say to their children, "I remember when that tree was tiny". So get ready for a dramatic entrance by Santa, have a great Christmas and a happy new year.

Glynn Pout (Chairman)

## **Village Hall Events, LN4 4DL**

**The Ruffs "Coming Home For Christmas"**: Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December, 7.30pm, licensed bar, raffle, followed by cheesy disco, £10 on the door!

**Christmas Prize Bingo**: 19<sup>th</sup> December, eyes down 7.45pm, children welcome.

**Childrens Christmas Party**: 19<sup>th</sup> December, 4.30-6.30pm, with a surprise quest!

**Christmas Lights Switch On**: Outside the Plough, 5.30pm, come and see the lights being turned on and sing some carols, we have a new tree this year!

**Parents & Tots**: Term time only, every Tuesday, 10.30-11.30 am

**Keep Fit to Music**: Every Monday 9.30-10.30am for the over 50's

**Darby & Joan Club**: First Thursday in every month, 3-5pm.

**Short Mat Bowls**: Every Tuesday, 2-4 pm.

**Stitch in Kyme**: Sewing and handicraft, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday every month.

**Taekwondo**: 5.30-8.30pm every Thursday. Contact Paul for further information on 01526-861895 or 07902-453691

**Plough Inn**: Quiz every second Sunday; quiz master Keith hosts a challenging quiz!! Open from 1pm Saturdays, Knit and Natter, tea/coffee homemade cake all welcome!

## **St Luke's Church**

**Church Services**: 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in every month, sung communion.

**Enquiries please call 01526 869004**

200 Club Winners: to join £1/month, £100/month prize. There are spare numbers available, please contact above number.

September: Linda Stanley

October: Mrs E Panton

November: Stella Mitchell

Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December, Coffee Morning in Church 10 am until 12 noon

Sunday ,7th December, Carol Service, 6pm

Sunday 14th December. Communion Service 11am

Sunday 28th December 11am Morning Worship.

Harvest Supper and Auction raised over £400, thanks to everyone who attended and participated.

### **Mobile Library Service**

A mobile library service comes to North Kyme once a month. Why not check out the latest Jackie Collins?? Stopping at the Bus Shelter on Main Street, 10.45-11.15am, on the 11<sup>th</sup> of December

### **The Lodge Boarding Kennels**

We would like to wish all our customers a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year. We are taking bookings for the festive season! Please call Stella on 01526 860712 or the website [www.thelodgeboardingkennels.co.uk](http://www.thelodgeboardingkennels.co.uk)

## **WELCOME TO NORTH KYME NEWSLETTER**

### **October 2014 Issue 91**

The Annual show was the biggest and best ever, with over £1,000 raised from the raffle, auction, dog show, teas, entries, tombola's and Scarecrow competition. Over 200 people attended and we had almost 60 entries this year. We had something in every exhibit, so well done all for showing off your skills and talents for all to enjoy!! It was wonderful to see the effort put into the Scarecrow competition, it brightened up the whole village!

A special congratulations to Dawn Green for winning Best in Show, with her fruit and vegetable entries!!

We have lots going on in the Village hall in the run up to Christmas, The Wrinkly Rockers, who have been a sell out every time they have played, and The Ruffs, with their local wit and banter, and of course music!! Get the kids dressed up for Halloween and go to the disco, prize for best

dressed! Don't forget the Craft Fair, perfect for all your Christmas gifts! Also, Di will be hosting one of her wonderful quizzes, get there early; it will be a busy one!!

Please remember Easy Fundraising for the Village Hall, which can be set up at [www.easyfundraising.co.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.co.uk). For those who have the internet you can view this newsletter as well as letters from the past at [www.northkyme.com](http://www.northkyme.com). Here you can contact the editor with anything you think should be included in the newsletter. **Or alternatively call Stella 01526 860712/ Dara 01526 861620**

### **Congratulations:**

Happy first birthday to Miss Daisy Eva Wright, 29/11/14, who will be celebrating with her mum and dad!!

### **South Kyme WI**

South Kyme meets on the second Monday of every month. It is a fun and vibrant group, with plenty of interaction with other local WI Groups, trips and guest speakers. Come along for a taster meeting, all welcome! For more info contact Susan Lock on 01526 869118 or [susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk)

### **Village Hall News**

The Annual Garden Produce and Craft Show once again proved a great success with over 60 exhibitors and around 200 people attending the afternoon show.

The scarecrow competition produced some great ideas and professional looking scarecrows causing the judges a difficult task in deciding 1st place to the "Trotters" and 2nd place to "Lest We Forget"

Well done to all who made the effort.

As always a lot of hard work had to be done by committee members and helpers so thank you all who helped, exhibited, and attended.

Geoff Panton (Village Hall Chairman)

### **Why Not Wood**

Bespoke handcrafted wooden pieces. Made to order, commissions accepted. Personalisation available. Huge range of Christmas gifts and decorations! Contact 01526 860424

**Obituary:** Mrs Elizabeth (Betty) Maplethorpe, North Kyme, passed away 13<sup>th</sup> September 2014. Aged 89. Funeral has taken place. Betty will be sadly missed by family and friends.

### **Parish Council News**

We had a vacancy on the Parish Council, and had several applicants for the role. We are delighted to announce that Geoff Everard has been voted onto the Parish Council. Geoff has lived in the village all his life and will be a valuable asset to the Parish Council.

Glynn Pout (Chairman)

**The Embassy Theatre Skegness Presents:**

Charlie Landsborough  
Friday 17th October starting at 7.30 pm  
Coach Travel and Tickets for Show  
£30.00 Adults £20.00 Children  
Pick up all areas from Sleaford and Villages.  
Contact Liz Waters on 07817397571/01526-860007

**Village Hall Events, LN4 4DL**

**Di's Quiz:** 4<sup>th</sup> October, 7.30pm. £4.50, under 16's £2.50. BYOB includes buffet.

**Kids Halloween Party:** 31<sup>st</sup> October, 4.30-6.30pm, fancy dress, £1 entry, prize for best dressed!!

**Halloween Prize Bingo:** 31<sup>st</sup> October, eyes down 7.45pm, children welcome, prize for best carved pumpkin.

**The Wrinkly Rockers:** Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November 7.30 – midnight, licensed bar, tickets available £8.00 each from Geoff Panton 01526 860598.

**Darby and Joan Christmas Bingo:** Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> November, eyes down 7.45pm.

**The Ruffs "Coming Home For Christmas":** Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December, 7.30pm, licensed bar, raffle, followed by cheesy disco, £10 on the door!

**Christmas Craft Fair:** Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November, 10.00-4.00pm. Stallholders needed, contact Stella on 01526 860712.

**Christmas Prize Bingo:** 19<sup>th</sup> December, eyes down 7.45pm, children welcome.

**Parents & Tots:** Term time only, every Tuesday, 10.30-11.30 am

**Keep Fit to Music:** Every Monday 9.30-10.30am for the over 50's

**Darby & Joan Club:** First Thursday in every month, 3-5pm.

**Short Mat Bowls:** Every Tuesday, 6-9 pm. From 28<sup>th</sup> October, time will change to winter hours, 2-4pm.

**Stitch in Kyme:** Sewing and handicraft, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday every month.

**Taekwondo:** 4.30-8.30pm every Thursday.

**Taekwondo Tykes:** A group for 3-4 year olds. 4.30-5.15pm every Thursday. Contact Paul for further information on 01526-861895 or 07902-453691

**Plough Inn:** Quiz every second Sunday; quiz master Keith hosts a challenging quiz!! Open from 1pm Saturdays, Knit and Natter, tea/coffee homemade cake all welcome!

## **St Luke's Church**

**Church Services:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in every month, sung communion.

**Enquiries please call 01526 869004**

200 Club Winners: to join £1/month, £100/month prize. There are spare numbers available, please contact above number.

June: Roger Hardstaff

August: Audrey Hamilton

September: Linda Stanley

Chine Supper: October 18<sup>th</sup>, 7pm for 7.30pm, please contact Judith Panton 01526 860598 or Margaret Baker 01526 860669, to order Chine or Ham.....or both! Tickets £7, BYOB, Raffle. Any raffle prize donations gratefully received.

Harvest Supper and Auction raised over £400, thanks to everyone who attended and participated.

## **WELCOME TO NORTH KYME NEWSLETTER**

## August 2014 Issue 90

The Annual show was the biggest and best ever, with over £1,000 raised from the raffle, auction, dog show, teas, entries, tombolas and Scarecrow competition. Over 200 people attended and we had almost 60 entries this year. We had something in every exhibit, so well done all for showing off your skills and talents for all to enjoy!!

A special congratulations to Dawn Green for winning Best in Show, with her fruit and vegetable entries!!

Please remember Easy Fundraising for the Village Hall, which can be set up at [www.easyfundraising.co.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.co.uk)

For those who have the internet you can view this newsletter as well as letters from the past at [www.northkyme.com](http://www.northkyme.com). Here you can contact to the editor with anything you think should be included in the newsletter. Or alternatively call Stella 01526 860712/ Dara 01526 861620  
Entries for the August newsletter must be submitted by 15<sup>th</sup> July

### **Congratulations:**

#### **South Kyme WI**

South Kyme meets on the second Monday of every month. It is a fun and vibrant group, with plenty of interaction with other local WI Groups, trips and guest speakers. Come along for a taster meeting, all welcome! For more info contact Susan Lock on 01526 869118 or [susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk)

#### **Parish Council News**

The annual Garden Produce and Craft Show once again proved a great success with over 60 exhibitors and around 200 people attending the afternoon show.

The scarecrow competition produced some great ideas and professional looking scarecrows causing the judges a difficult task in deciding 1st place to the "Trotters" and 2nd place to "Lest We Forget"

Well done to all who made the effort.

As always a lot of hard work had to be done by committee members and helpers so thank you all who helped, exhibited, and attended.

Geoff Panton (Village Hall Chairman)

## **Village Hall Events, LN4 4DL**

**Di's Quiz:** 4<sup>th</sup> October, 7.30pm. £4.50, under 16's £2.50. BYOB includes buffet.

**Kids Halloween Party:** 31<sup>st</sup> October, 4.30-6.30pm, fancy dress, £1 entry, prize for best dressed!!

**Halloween Prize Bingo:** 31<sup>st</sup> October, eyes down 7.45pm, children welcome, prize for best carved pumpkin.

**The Wrinkly Rockers:** Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November 7.30 – midnight, licensed bar, tickets available £8.00 each from Geoff Panton 01526 860598.

**Darby and Joan Christmas Bingo:** Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> November, eyes down 7.45pm.

**The Ruffs "Coming Home For Christmas":** Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> December, 7.30pm, licensed bar, raffle, followed by cheesy disco, £10 on the door!

**Christmas Craft Fair:** Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November, 10.00-4.00pm. Stallholders needed, contact Stella on 01526 860712.

**Christmas Prize Bingo:** 19<sup>th</sup> December, eyes down 7.45pm, children welcome.

**Parents & Tots:** Term time only, every Tuesday, 10.30-11.30 am

**Keep Fit to Music:** Every Monday 9.30-10.30am for the over 50's

**Darby & Joan Club:** First Thursday in every month, 3-5pm.

**Short Mat Bowls:** Every Tuesday, 6-9 pm. From 28<sup>th</sup> October, time will change to winter hours, 2-4pm.

**Stitch in Kyme:** Sewing and handicraft, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday every month.

**Taekwondo:** 4.30-8.30pm every Thursday.

**Taekwondo Tykes:** A group for 3-4 year olds. 4.30-5.15pm every Thursday. Contact Paul for further information on 01526-861895 or 07902-453691

**Plough Inn:** Quiz every second Sunday; quiz master Keith hosts a challenging quiz!! Open from 1pm Saturdays, Knit and Natter, tea/coffee homemade cake all welcome!

## **St Luke's Church**

**Church Services:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in every month, sung communion.



**Enquiries please call 01526 869004**

200 Club Winners: to join £1/month, £100/month prize. There are spare numbers available, please contact above number.

June: Roger Hardstaff

August: Audrey Hamilton

September: Linda Stanley

Chine Supper: October 18<sup>th</sup>, 7pm for 7.30pm, please contact Judith Panton 01526 860598 or Margaret Baker 01526 860669, to order Chine or Ham.....or both! Tickets £7, BYOB, Raffle. Any raffle prize donations gratefully received.

Harvest Supper and Auction raised over £400, thanks to everyone who attended and participated.

**Obituary:** Mrs Elizabeth (Betty) Maplethorpe, North Kyme, passed away 13<sup>th</sup> September 2014. Aged 89. Funeral has taken place. Betty

**June 2014 Issue 89**

Summer is here at last.....except for the rain!! Find enclosed the schedule for the Summer Show. There are categories for everyone including all the men of the village, gardening, flower arranging, jam making and baking. Don't forget the childrens section. The show is now open to all.

Easter Prize Bingo, raised over £200 and had 50 attendees. Thanks to all who helped on the night and of course those of you who attended.

There will also be a scarecrow competition running in conjunction with the show. Your creations can be displayed up to a week in advance of the show and will be judged on the day. Winner will be announced at the show finale. Looking forward to seeing all your imaginative creations!

Please remember Easy Fundraising for the Village Hall, which can be set up at [www.easyfundraising.co.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.co.uk)

For those who have the internet you can view this newsletter as well as letters from the past at [www.northkyme.com](http://www.northkyme.com). Here you can contact to the editor with anything you think should be included in the newsletter. Or alternatively call Stella 01526 860712/ Dara 01526 861620  
Entries for the August newsletter must be submitted by 15<sup>th</sup> July

**Village Hall Events (now taking place at New Village Hall, LN4 4DL)**

**Parents & Tots:** Term time only, every Tuesday, 10.30-11.30 am

**Keep Fit to Music:** Every Monday 9.30-10.30am for the over 50's

**Darby & Joan Club:** First Thursday in every month, 3-5pm. **Garden Party** July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2-5pm, at the Village Hall

**Short Mat Bowls:** Every Tuesday, 6-9 pm

**Stitch in Kyme:** Sewing and handicraft, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday every month.

**Taekwondo:** 4.30-8.30pm every Thursday.

**Taekwondo Tykes:** A group for 3-4 year olds. 4.30-5.15pm every Thursday. Contact Paul for further information on 01526-861895 or 07902-453691

**Plough Inn:** Quiz every second Sunday, quiz master Keith hosts a challenging quiz!! Open from 1pm Saturdays, Knit and Natter, tea/coffee homemade cake all welcome!

**Midsummer Strawberry Tea:** Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2-5pm. Guess the weight of the cake, raffle, cream teas, cake stall

**Nostalgia Day:** Sunday July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2-8pm. Anyone with any old photographs of North Kyme, please get in contact, 01526 861620

**South Kyme WI:** Race Night, July 18<sup>th</sup>, South Kyme Village Hall, door 7pm, first race 7.30pm, refreshments, BYOB. Tickets from Moira Hanslip 01526 860122 and Sue Lock 01526 869118

## **St Luke's Church**

**Church Services:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in every month, sung communion.

**Enquiries please call 01526 869004**

200 Club Winners: to join £1/month, £100/month prize. There are spare numbers available, please contact above number.

April: Ann Freeston

May: Mrs Cheetham

**For Sale**

6ft x4ft garden shed buyer dismantles £30, single pine bed £20, 5 drawer chest £10 , 4ft Schriber wardrobe with hanging and drawers £10, teak 3 drawer chest £10, 30 inch diameter round glass top table and 2 chairs £20, assorted crockery and pottery, offers, Manual Pro fitness walker £20

Diana and David, 27 Newfield Drive 01526 861534

### **Mobile Library Service**

A mobile library service comes to North Kyme once a month. Why not check out the latest Jackie Collins?? Stopping by on Jun 26<sup>th</sup> and July 24<sup>th</sup> at the Bus Shelter on Main Street

### **Why Not Wood**

Bespoke handcrafted wooden pieces. Made to order, commissions accepted. Personalisation available. Contact 01526 860424

### **Congratulations:**

Lindsay and Mat would like to announce the joyous arrival of their daughter Merida Alice Gardner, born on the February 19<sup>th</sup> 2014, weighing 9lbs10oz, a sister for Abigail, Libby, Ellis and Arthur.

### **South Kyme WI**

South Kyme meets on the second Monday of every month. It is a fun and vibrant group, with plenty of interaction with other local WI Groups, trips and guest speakers. Come along for a taster meeting, all welcome! For more info contact Susan Lock on 01526 869118 or [susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk)

### **Parish Council News**

The Parish Council would like to announce that after several years of hard work Lindsay Mayhew has stepped down from the parish council.

Lindsay was the driving force behind the initial new village hall set up and was instrumental in securing many grants that have made our village hall what it is today. On behalf of the village Lindsay, a big thank you.

With Lindsay stepping down, this does leave us with an unoccupied seat on the council and it is within our remit to co-opt a member of the parish to fill this space until the elections next May.

If you are interested in joining the council please contact Karen Handley 861399.

Remember the post of councilor is very rewarding but does require you to give up one evening each month as well as several hours of your own time helping the council to achieve their goals for the village

Have a great summer and we hope to see as many of you as possible at the summer show this year

Glynn Pout .(Chairman)

## **Local people needed to make Lincolnshire greener with trees**

A Grantham-based tree charity has embarked on a new scheme aimed at growing woodland across Lincolnshire - and now needs the help of local people to help make it happen.

Lincolnshire is currently one of the least wooded counties in the UK with only 4.2% cover, when compared to the national average of 10%.

To help increase the number of trees and areas of woodland for people to enjoy, the Woodland Trust is now looking for people who would like to plant trees on their land. Trees will be supplied by the Trust after receiving funding from Lincolnshire County Council to improve the county's green and open spaces.

No previous tree planting experience is necessary as specialists from the Trust will work with all successful applicants to make sure only the most suitable trees are planted in the right areas.

John Tucker, the Woodland Trust's Woodland Creation Director, said: "Trees planted as part of the scheme don't have to take up a large block of land. They can be placed in a range of places, such as field corners, shelterbelts or in strips across land. Whether you're a farmer and want to plant trees for practical benefits, such as shelter for livestock – or a smallholder, and would like new trees to attract more wildlife or provide fruit for cooking or drinks making – we would like to hear from you."

Colin Davie, executive member for the environment at Lincolnshire County Council, said: "I think this is an excellent scheme and I'd encourage anyone with a spare bit of land to get involved. If you're interested in receiving some free training as well as some free trees, please get in touch with the Woodland Trust."

John Tucker continued "Woodland benefits the environment by improving habitats for animals, insects and birds, and provides healthy and relaxing places

for people to enjoy. Trees also offer wonderful opportunities for children to learn about the vast range of wildlife we have on our doorstep.

“We’re delighted to receive support from Lincolnshire County Council, and are looking forward to seeing woodland increase across the county which can be enjoyed for generations to come.”

People have until Friday 28 November to apply for the Lincolnshire scheme. They can apply or find out more information by emailing [plant@woodlandtrust.org.uk](mailto:plant@woodlandtrust.org.uk) or calling 0845 293 5689. More information about the MOREwoods scheme can be found by visiting [www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/plant-trees](http://www.woodlandtrust.org.uk/plant-trees)

### **April 2014 Issue 88**

Welcome to the newsletter. It is nice to put winter behind us, and get outside in the sunshine! This is the time of year you get thinking about our village produce show. From jams to tomatoes, wine to runner beans. We have dozens of categories to enter, open to everyone, young or old. For the first time this year the produce show is open to everyone and you don’t have to be a resident of North Kyme. There will also be a dog show and we will be doing the Scarecrow competition again after its success last year.

The Village Hall has been very busy of late and Di’s quiz was a great success once again, raising over £200. The Wrinkly Rockers also did a brilliant show and over £400 was raised for Village Hall funds. Thanks to all those who gave up their time to help at these events.

Please remember Easy Fundraising for the Village Hall, which can be set up at [www.easyfundraising.co.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.co.uk)

For those who have the internet you can view this newsletter as well as letters from the past at [www.northkyme.com](http://www.northkyme.com). Here you can contact to the editor with anything you think should be included in the newsletter. Or alternatively call Stella 01526 860712/ Dara 01526 861620  
Entries for the June newsletter must be submitted by 15<sup>th</sup> May

**Village Hall Events (now taking place at New Village Hall, LN4 4DL)**

**Parents & Tots:** Term time only, every Tuesday, 10.30-11.30 am.

**Keep Fit to Music:** Every Monday 9.30-10.30am for the over 50's

**Darby & Joan Club:** First Thursday in every month, 3-5pm.

**Short Mat Bowls:** Every Tuesday, 7-9 pm.

**Stitch in Kyme:** Sewing and handicraft, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday every month

**Easter Prize Bingo:** 25<sup>th</sup> April, £2.50 for 6 books, eyes down at 7.45pm. Childrens competition, Decorated Egg. Refreshments available.

**Pamper Evening:** Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May 6-10pm, lots to indulge yourself with!!

**Taekwondo:** 4.30-8.30pm every Thursday.

**Taekwondo Tykes:** A group for 3-4 year olds. 4.30-5.15pm every Thursday. Contact Paul for further information on 01526-861895 or 07902-453691

**Plough Inn:** Quiz every second Sunday, quiz master Keith hosts a challenging quiz!! Open from 1pm Saturdays, Knit and Natter, tea/coffee homemade cake all welcome, open fire.

## **St Luke's Church**

**Church Services:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in every month, sung communion.

**Enquiries please call 01529 419255**

200 Club Winners: to join £1/month, £100/month prize. There are spare numbers available, please contact above number.

November: Patrick Parrett. Gt Hale

December: St Lukes Church

January: Brian Graves

## **Ladies Section Royal British Legion: Billingham Branch**

The ladies will again be holding a Garden Party on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June, 11.00 – 14.00 at the home of Wendy Liles, 77 Walcot Road, Billingham. All proceeds go to The British Legion Welfare/Benevolent Fund. New members always welcome

**Sheels Wheels:** Our local Taxi Service in the village!

Contact Sheila Palmer on 07968451477 or 01526 861551

## **South Kyme WI**

South Kyme meets on the second Monday of every month. It is a fun and vibrant group, with plenty of interaction with other local WI Groups, trips and guest speakers. Come along for a taster meeting, all welcome! For more info contact Susan Lock on 01526 869118 or [susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk)

## **Parish Council News**

The parish council is this week taking delivery of the replacement furniture for the village picnic area. This time we've gone green and ordered recycled plastic benches, these are guaranteed to last us into the next decade. We will also see the return of the Speed Indicator Device in the village. The SID has been out of action for a year, but after a manufacturers refurb will hopefully be giving smiley faces to the traffic passing through the village.

May 14<sup>th</sup> sees the Parish council AGM as well as the annual village meeting. The meeting starts at 6.30. Between 6.30 and 7pm anyone from the parish can fire informal questions at the chair of the council, this is an informal session which helps the council form an agenda for the coming year. Please come along, coffee and biscuits are free of charge. The more the merrier. The AGM will be held shortly after the meeting. Again everyone is welcome to stay and listen, as they are with the monthly meeting held from 7.30 till finish.

Have a great spring and if you feel like organizing any event that utilizes the playing field then please let us know, as we may well be able to help out.

Glynn Pout .(Chairman)

## **February 2014 Issue 87**

Happy New Year!!

The lighting of the Christmas Tree was attended by young and old, and we were kept warm by mulled wine from the Coach House Motel, thank you to Martin and Barbra Grice and mince pies baked by Stella Mitchell. Every year Santa makes an impressive entrance and this year was no exception, when he dropped in over the Plough Inn roof. We sang carols and thanks to all those who participated.

Christmas Prize Bingo was well attended and raised £60 for Village Hall Funds

The Village Hall AGM will be held on Feb 26<sup>th</sup>. All welcome, come give your support and have your say in your local community.

Don't forget Di's Quiz at the Village Hall on March 8<sup>th</sup>. It will be a great night as ever.

Please remember Easy Fundraising for the Village Hall, which can be set up at [www.easyfundraising.co.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.co.uk)

For those who have the internet you can view this newsletter as well as letters from the past at [www.northkyme.com](http://www.northkyme.com). Here you can contact to the editor with anything you think should be included in the newsletter. Or alternatively call Stella 01526 860712/ Dara 01526 861620  
Entries for the April news letter must be submitted by 15<sup>th</sup> March

## **Village Hall Events (now taking place at New Village Hall, LN4 4DL)**

**Village Hall AGM:** February 26<sup>th</sup>, 7pm. Have your say in what happens in our village, refreshments available.

**Di's Quiz:** March 8<sup>th</sup>, doors open at 7.30 pm, refreshments, buffet and BYOB, £4 adults, £2 under 16's. Don't miss out on the best quiz in Lincolnshire.....probably!

**Craft Fair:** March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1-5pm, contact Stella on 01526 860712 for more details.

**Wrinkly Rockers:** March 29<sup>th</sup>. 8pm, in aid of Village Hall Funds

**Parents & Tots:** Term time only, every Tuesday, 10.30-11.30 am.

**Keep Fit to Music:** Every Monday 9.30-10.30am for the over 50's

**Darby & Joan Club:** First Thursday in every month, 3-5pm.

**Short Mat Bowls:** Every Tuesday, 2-4 pm.

**Stitch in Kyme:** Sewing and handicraft, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday every month

**Easter Prize Bingo:** 25<sup>th</sup> April, £2.50 for 6 books, eyes down at 7.45pm. Childrens competition, Decorated Egg. Refreshments available.

**Taekwondo:** 4.30-8.30pm every Thursday.

**Taekwondo Tykes:** A group for 3-4 year olds. 4.30-5.15pm every Thursday. Contact Paul for further information on 01526-861895 or 07902-453691

**Plough Inn:** Quiz every second Sunday, quiz master Keith hosts a challenging quiz!! Open from 1pm Saturdays, Knit and Natter, tea/coffee homemade cake all welcome, open fire.

**Retro Disco:** Dress for the music you want played! Hosted by Tarquin Tinsel and Fabien Gold!! Anything goes! February 8<sup>th</sup> postponed, rescheduled March 15<sup>th</sup>, 7.30pm, Tickets £5.

## **St Luke's Church**

**Church Services:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in every month, sung communion.



## **Enquiries please call 01529 419255**

200 Club Winners: to join £1/month, £100/month prize. There are spare numbers available, please contact above number.

November: Patrick Parrett. Gt Hale

December: St Lukes Church

January: Brian Graves

**Valentines Meal:** February 15<sup>th</sup>, 7pm, Village Hall. £7 per ticket, book with Judith Panton 01526 860598 and Margaret Baker 01526 860669.

**St Luke's Church Healing Service:** February 20th at 7pm

**Obituaries:** Mr Garrod Main Street North Kyme Funeral Service December 20th 2013

Mrs "Dolly" Wells 11 Newfield Drive North Kyme Funeral Service January 17th 2014.

Sadly missed by family and friends. RIP

**Sheels Wheels:** Our local Taxi Service in the village!

Contact Sheila Palmer on 0781 5041864

**Table Top Sale:** To be held in March in Billingham, if anyone is interested they can call 0781-7397571. It is in aid of the Lincs & Notts Air Ambulance.

**Congratulations:** To Miss Leah Broughton, who will be celebrating her 4<sup>th</sup> birthday on the 25<sup>th</sup> February, Happy Birthday, from Mum, Dad, Aaron, Jenson and Ozzy.

## **South Kyme WI**

South Kyme meets on the second Monday of every month. It is a fun and vibrant group, with plenty of interaction with other local WI Groups, trips and guest speakers. Come along for a taster meeting, all welcome! For more info contact Susan Lock on 01526 869118 or [susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:susan.lock1@yahoo.co.uk)

## **Parish Council News**

As mentioned in the editorial we saw the switching on of the Christmas lights. Once again it was well attended by both parishioners and gale force winds, meaning, by the time Mrs Andrews turned on the lights, the tree had unfortunately toppled a tiny bit. Well actually quite a lot. The thinking by the council is that we plant a real tree behind the bench. It may not be too impressive in the first few years but in years to come the youngsters who attend will be saying to their children "I remember when that tree was tiny". For the more observant, you may have noticed the new tree is already in place. Thanks to Nick and Teresa Hodgkinson for the kind donation.

We are pleased to say that the Village Hall has been granted an entertainment and Alcohol License, meaning we can look forward to having some great functions over the coming year.

We would like to thank the village hall committee for putting in the hard work to make this possible. Glynn Pout .(Chairman)