

KEYINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL

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KEYINGHAM VILLAGE PLAN STEERING COMMITTEE

I think you will all agree that the village had a very festive feel to it over the Christmas period. Main Street, with the tree in the Memorial Garden and the smaller trees along the length of the road, was a pleasure to drive along. This is thanks to the 'lights team' and all the shopkeepers and householders who provide the electricity.

Adding to the Christmas spirit were the many villagers who decorated their houses - well done, and thanks to you all

ROADWATCH SCHEME COMES TO KEYINGHAM.

One of the ongoing comments received from villagers is concerning the speed at which some traffic travels through the village. As a result of comments made at the time of writing the Village Plan in 2009, the Steering Group and Parish Council have been trying to get action over this

matter. Several 'observations' have been carried out with negative results. In an effort to reduce the speed of vehicles through the village several villagers have volunteered to participate in the Road Watch Scheme. Training has been undertaken and the scheme will be put into practice in the near future. An electronic board at the roadside will register the speed of passing vehicles and the registration number will be noted. The Police are present but will only take action when they feel it is appropriate. Speeding drivers will be contacted by the Police identifying the speeding violation. Checks will be made at random times and in random areas of the village. This scheme is not an attempt to 'catch' drivers but is intended to deter drivers from exceeding the speed limit.











PARISH COUNCIL.

<u>Summary of Parish Council minutes November/December 2013.</u> *Public Participation.*

A request was made for an update on the Travellers' situation. The Parish Council will be informed as to the outcome of a meeting to take place on November 15th 2013 between the ERYC Legal Officer and the Planning Department. The Council were not satisfied with a letter received from ERYC so the Clerk is to reply voicing the concerns of the Council with the situation.

The project manager of the Board School project informed the council that the bid for funding from the SIB group had been unsuccessful. The fund was greatly oversubscribed. A representative from WREN funding is to visit the site in December. Confirmation of the receipt of the first round bid Lottery Heritage Enterprise Fund has been received. He also informed the Council that quotations have been sought for the tidying of the school house grounds.

Complaints were received from the School Crossing Patrol Lady that cars were speeding and paying little heed to the crossing. A serious incident at the crossing has been reported.

Playing Fields.

The proposal was agreed that only one seat, with a back, be purchased instead of the two . Youths are continuing to spread sludge on the Youth Shelter as well as on the play equipment. Bottles are also being strewn in the area. PCSOs have been informed. The Vikings have supplied a lease to be considered by the Council as they wish to lease a parcel of land from the Parish Council. Further details are to be obtained.

Allotments.

Two allotments are in a poor state and need tidying. Apples had been thrown through a shed window and the glass smashed. The track to the allotments is badly potholed making it difficult to drive on. The method of payment for allotments is to be amended. All tenants will be notified. There will be an increase in allotment rent from £22.00 to £24.00 for a full plot and £12.00 for a half plot. Invoices are to be sent out shortly in the hope that all rents will be paid by January 6th 2014. One of the untidy plots has now been tidied. If the remaining one is not attended to the tenancy will not be renewed.

Cemetery.

Looking very good. Permission was given to purchase a Christmas wreath for the gate. Cats are causing a problem in the cemetery. The

discussion about the three War Graves in the cemetery is to be continued at the January meeting. A price of £1,522.80 quoted for restoration had been received. Several alternative suggestions as to how the relevant soldiers should be remembered were made.

War Memorial.

14 wreaths were laid at the War Memorial at the well-attended Remembrance Service. Thanks were given to all those who helped on the day. Carol singing to take place round the Memorial on 16th December 2013 at 6.30p.m. Followed by refreshments in the Church Room.

Churchyard.

No problems other than dog mess.

The Garth.

Pampas grass still being torn up. Youths using a strap from the flagpole to the fence as a tightrope was a stupid, dangerous act.

Streets and Verges.

A panel on the bus shelter near the Ship has been smashed and one cracked. The problem of the hole in the grass on Northfield has not been sorted. Clerk to contact ERYC again.

Emergency Plan.

Some Councillors have attended a meeting re emergency planning. A start has been made by the Clerk who has prepared a severe weather plan. A simple emergency plan is to be prepared about which villagers will be kept informed.

Boyes Lane.

A meeting is to be arranged. It is hoped that Keyingham Scouts will be invited to be involved in the project. The price for fruit trees has been obtained.

Village Plan.

52 clumps of bulbs have been planted on the grass verges along the main road. The Steering Group are discussing further measures to solve the dog fouling problem. Also a suggestion has been made for a plan of the village to be placed in the centre of the village.

<u>Xmas trees.</u>

40 Christmas trees have been ordered to decorate the village.

Councillors' Forum.

Several Councillors gave their names to participate in the Road Watch Scheme which is to be introduced in Keyingham. Further instructions are being awaited from the police. Successful Training sessions have taken place.

Accounts.

November Income £1,797.67 Expenditure £2,918.32 December £ 250.00 £3.293.62

Current Account £27,911.02 Contingency Fund £30,073.54

Pavilion Account £51,233.50 - £50,000 ring fenced.

VILLAGE PLAN.

The following is an extract taken from the Parish News,

'In October, a Bridlington man was faced with paying over £700 after East Riding Council took him to magistrates' court for failing to pay fixed penalty notices after his dogs had persistently fouled the street near his home. By working in partnership with Town and Parish Councils East Riding of Yorkshire Council is enforcing the message that irresponsible dog owners who fail to clear up their mess could end up in court.'

This problem is continually being brought to the notice of the Parish Council by villagers. The answer is in the hands of those irresponsible dog owners who let their dogs leave a mess in our streets. The Steering Group is hoping to take further steps to help to alleviate the problem. Discussion is also taking place about the possibility of having a plan of the village placed in a central area for reference by both villagers and visitors. One of the problems would be keeping it updated in an ever expanding village!!

You will have noticed that the Environmental Group has been busy and I think we all look forward to Spring when we can enjoy the lovely display of bulbs. The cycle of nature is wonderful but does not let the gardeners ease up!

VILLAGE NEWS.

KEYINGHAM VILLAGE SHOW. You will all have heard the old saying - 'Don't hide your light under a bushel'. Many of us are hesitant of letting people know what we can achieve. Make an exception to this and show the village what <u>you</u> can do at the VILLAGE SHOW. Don't be worried - unless you are a proud winner your name will not be shown (all entries are identified by number only until after the judging when winners' names are proudly displayed). We have first class gardeners growing vegetables, fruit and flowers, flower arrangers who make the most attractive arrangements, excellent cooks and exquisite craftspeople

who work in a variety of different media. Classes at the Show cater for all of you and for our talented children. Please come along to our AGM in the Methodist Rooms on Tuesday February 4th at 7.30p.m. to learn more about the Show. You might even 'catch the bug' and offer to join the committee. It really is fun and doesn't take much time except, of course, on Show Day and the Friday prior to the Show for setting up. KEYINGHAM FOLK CLUB.

Come along and enjoy a fun evening out, here in your own village, for only £1-50 each.(free if you 'do a turn').

Every third Friday in the month you can come along to the Village Hall and be part of, by far, the largest Folk Group in the area, with attendances from all over Holderness and beyond, of between 50 and 100 regular attenders. The acts are mainly local and from Hull, but also from as far away as Cottingham and Beverley. All the money raised goes towards the upkeep of the Village Hall - See the advert below for further details. The evening is compered by Jim Gray and Edd Williamson.



THE STONEY CREEK BOYS Entertain at KEYINGHAM FOLK CLUB

January 17th 2014 February 21st 2014 March 21st 2014



Doors open 7.30p.m for 8.00p.m. start..

£1.50 - free if you 'do a turn'

Bar available.

ST NICHOLAS CHURCH

What a fantastic end to 2013! Our New Year's Eve Dance was a great suc cess. We raised £1,000 which will go towards the upkeep of the Church. Thank you to everyone who attended and thanks especially to our brilliant DJ, Gary, who made the night so much fun.

2014 brings changes to our fund-raising committee. Member numbers are down due to ill health, re-location and retirement. If fund-raising for St Nicholas Church is to continue we need new people to come forward to help organise events, bring new/fresh ideas or even just lend a hand on the day. If anyone is interested in joining us please call Caroline on 603059. It's fun but very rewarding.

Thank you again to all the loyal villagers who continually support us in our efforts.

THINK OF WARM SUMMER DAYS, THINK OF LOUNGING IN THE GARDEN UNDER A HOT SUMMER SUN

THINK OF STRAWBERRY and CREAM TEAS.

This can be possible (hopefully) on SATURDAY MAY 24th 2014

In the grounds of Keyingham Community Cafe.

There will be CRAFT stalls, GAMES and a variety of DIFFERENT activities for all the family to enjoy

WHIST GROUP.

Don't sit at home alone - beat the 'Winter Blues' with a Monday afternoon game of Whist in the Church Room, Ings Lane at 2.00p.m. Beginners welcome, if you can't play why not come and learn? Come alone or bring a friend You'll get a warm welcome, the company of friends, a cup of tea, cake or biscuits and you may win on the raffle - all this for only£2.50. POP IN

Our name tells you what we are so why not do just that? All are welcome to our Thursday POP-IN at the Church Room, Ings Lane. Come along at 10.00a.m. stay as long as you want - we close at 11.30a.m. - have a natter, a drink and a biscuit (sometimes we have cake) and catch up with all the local news

Help to support St. Nicholas Church by joining the 100 club, drawn each month with prizes of £20.00, £10.00 and £5.00 for just £1.00 per month. You know what they say 'You've got to be in it to win it'. Please contact Sue Dughan 07811399589 for further details.

SAMARITANS PURSE OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD.

Thank you very much to all who supported the Coffee Morning and donated items and money for the shoe boxes. We filled 204 boxes and raised £300.05p towards the cost of transporting them to Belarus. We couldn't have filled so many boxes without all your generous donations. We are very grateful and I know the children who receive them are too.

Thank you all and thanks to all who helped wrap and fill the boxes.

Judy Ellis

DOVE HOUSE HOSPICE and ARTHRITIS RESEARCH.

Thank you very much to everyone who supported our car boot and table top sales. We have raised £1204.68p this year which has been equally shared between the two charities. Judy Ellis

POLICE.

Hi Everyone,

Hope you have had a lovely Christmas and New Year.

The dates for the next Police surgeries at Keyingham Community Cafe (ex 3C's), 11.00a.m. - 12.00noon, are:

Friday 7th February 2014

Friday 7th March 2014

A PCSO will be available to discuss any matters of concern with you. We hope to see you there.

I would like to inform you about www.immobilise.com

If your property is stolen make sure you can describe it to the Police by keeping a record of makes, models and unique registration numbers by registering the details onto www.immobilise.com This is a web based property records system endorsed and searchable by all UK Police Forces and can help ensure stolen property can be identified whilst helping to bring offenders to justice.

How to use www.immobilise.com

- 1. Get your electricals and treasured possessions close to hand, go online and visit www.immobilise.com
- 2. Create an account following the simple instructions, before adding property details including unique serial numbers for FREE. (You can also upload photographs of your property).
- 3. If possible also mark your postcode and house number onto property with a UV pen and register these details on the website.
- 4. If anything you've logged goes missing inform the Police and update it as lost or stolen on www.immobilise.com to help the Police recover and return your property.

Just a little reminder.....101 is the number to call when you want to contact the Police in England, Wales or Scotland - when it is a less urgent call than 999. **101 is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.**

101 should be used if - your car is stolen, your property has been damaged, you suspect drug use or dealing in your area, report a minor traffic collision, give the police information about crime in your area or to speak to the Police about a general enquiry.

You should always call **999** when it is an emergency such as when a crime is in progress, someone suspected of a crime is nearby, when there is danger to life or when violence is being used or threatened.

PCSO Jenny Gray 7703 Withernsea Police Station. Contact 101

CHANGE OF NAME.

3C'S Cafe has been reviewing its name and the role it plays in the village. Since it was opened in 2009 it has been a meeting place which has welcomed villagers and visitors to come and join us for a drink and something to eat from our varied menu.

We felt the original name did not signify to people how we see ourselves as an important part of **village** life for **all** to enjoy. (People often asked "Why 3C's?" Many knew it stood for 'Church, Community, Cafe'. To help to promote the venture as a **village** asset we are renaming the cafe

'KEYINGHAM COMMUNITY CAFE'

There has also been a change in our times.

WE ARE NOW CLOSED ON A MONDAY

On the LAST SUNDAY of each month we serve a 3 course SUNDAY LUNCH at 12.00noon.

A charge of £10.00 includes main course, a sweet and a drink.

These have to be booked in advance. A non-refundable deposit of £5.00 is requested at the time of booking.

Tel: 01964 625282

TO ALL ORGANISERS OF EVENTS and ACTIVITIES.

As from 1st February 2014 a Village Calendar will be available in Keyingham Community Cafe. Organisers of events and activities are requested to record in the diary the event they are organising. Hopefully this will help to avoid duplication of 'happenings' on the same day. Please use capital letters and don't forget to put the time and venue of your event. This diary can be used not only by villagers to record an event but can also be used as a source of reference for everyone.

Any copy to be included in the April/May issue should be sent to Len Sunthorp House, School Lane, or e-mail len@roslen.karoo.co.uk (please put FORWARD as the subject) before February 22nd 2014.

This issue will cover all events in April and May.

Please include a telephone number for contact.

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