



Wilberfoss News

May 2024

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As the weather seems to be getting brighter, so does the village and all the beautiful flowers.

With this in mind we thought it would be a lovely idea for you to send in your favourite photo of the village, for a chance to be featured on the front page of next months newsletter. While we may not be able to publish them all, we appreciate your contribution and looking forward to seeing them



If you have any contributions (including your photo submission) for the June edition, please email them to michellewallis1711@gmail.com by 19th May.



News in Brief

The drainage works to the beck have been completed ahead of schedule. The contractor is just awaiting metal sleeves for the wooden bollards. Please remember that the embankment has been re-seeded, and it will take several months before the grass is strong enough to walk on.

We are facing opposition from East Riding of Yorkshire Council to our proposal to install Speed Indicator signage. Their current policy insists that units must be moved every four weeks but only by their staff, and at a cost to the Parish Council. We are challenging this!

20th May is the start date for the bridge repairs in Stamford Bridge. These works are scheduled to take up to 10 weeks and will see a significant increase in traffic on the A1079. A temporary traffic light system will be introduced at Catton Lane End. Please allow extra time for commuting.

Our meeting with the ERYC Countryside Access Officer was extremely fruitful. Some of you may already have seen the new gate linking Middlecroft to the amenity land on Storking Lane. The gate at the bottom of the field will also be replaced. The CAO saw our desire to site picnic benches on the land as a real positive for the community. These will be positioned just downstream from the refurbished Brownie Garden, and offer views of the church. They will be screened from St Oswald's Close by trees. They will, however, be removed if persistent anti-social behaviour is witnessed.

Two oak sleeper benches will also be installed, facing the church again and screened by trees. These are being provided free of charge by the CAO.

We are seeking permission from East Riding of Yorkshire Council to install one further picnic bench on the amenity land by the beck on Main Street (on the site recently occupied by the blue container). In addition, an elderly resident has asked whether we could put some form of resting place on one of the verges on Willow Park Road, for those who find walking the length of Willow Park Road difficult on their way to the bus stop or the village shop. If anyone has any comment to make, please drop us a line.

Interestingly, it was acknowledged by the Dog Wardens who attended a recent Crime Prevention meeting that when people were permitted to exercise during the COVID lockdown there was a significant reduction in dog fouling because more people were out walking and dog owners knew they were being watched!

We hope that by creating more recreation places for families to enjoy picnics and take a rest, it will have a positive impact on the persistent issue of dog fouling on our streets.

Although 2 people shared their concerns about the installation of a bus shelter on Main Street, this limited concern does not feel representative of the village so we are seeking consent from East Riding of Yorkshire Council.



Clothes Recycling

Thanks!
for your
Support!!

So far, community clothes and textile recycling has raised:

£236.26

These funds contribute towards the cost of running the Community Centre so please continue to recycle your clothes and textiles in the recycle bank at the rear of the car park.

We are currently approaching funders to seek financial help to improve the energy efficiency of the building. Funds raised as a community prove to funders that we have a wider support network who want to see these improvements happen so thank you to everyone who is supporting our efforts.





Notices

Wilberfoss Allotments - Why not grow your own?

If you are interested in an allotment please email allotments2021@yahoo.com

We currently have one small allotment available and the cost would be £27.50 per year, plus a small deposit. The allotments are situated behind Field Head.

Please email if you are interested. If you are not the lucky winner this time, you will be added to our waiting list.

Wilberfoss Allotments Association



Wilberfoss Elders' Party 2024

Just a reminder that this FREE event will be held at the Community Centre from 2pm on 2nd June. Food and entertainment will be provided for anyone over state pension age (66 years - please note, if your partner is over 66 but you are not, you are welcome to attend with your partner). A cash raffle will raise funds for future Elders' Parties. If you would like to attend, please complete the reply slip below and place it in the reply box by the tills in the village shop, no later than 18th May.

I would like to attend the Wilberfoss Elders' Party 2024

Name(s).....

Contact number.....

email address.....

Dietary requirements.....

I would be grateful for assistance with transport to/from the party

pick-up/drop-off address.....



Wilberfoss In Bloom

PLANT SALE

Wilberfoss in Bloom

At the Grass Garden, Next to
Frost's Butchers,

Saturday

1st June

10am-2pm

Local plants for your garden

Donations welcomed





Speed Quiz

SMART PHONES OR TABLETS
NEEDED

Speed Quiz

With

John Sunman

Do you have what it takes to be the
Wilberfoss PFA, quiz night champion?

17TH MAY 2024, 8:00PM



The Pavilion, Wilberfoss

£2 PER PLAYER
MAX TEAMS OF 8

All to raise vital funds for the
Wilberfoss, Kexby & Newton PFA
to keep our playing fields, tennis
courts & park going.

Parking Consideration



**PLEASE PARK WITH
CONSIDERATION**

**NOBODY SHOULD BE FORCED
OUT INTO THE ROAD**

WILBERFOSS COMMUNITY CENTRE

Users that welcome new members

	Session Time	Activity
Monday	10.15 am – 1.15 pm 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm 4.00 pm – 7.30 pm 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm 8.30 pm – 9.30 pm	Sing & Sign – 3 classes from babies to toddlers Wilberfoss Sewing Group Wilberfoss Ladies & Friends (third Monday month) KCMA Martial Arts Academy (children & adult classes) Yoga with Simply Bee Wellness Keep Fit with Linda
Tuesday	10.00 am – 11.00 am 1.00 pm – 3.00 pm 1.15 pm – 3.15 pm 7.00 pm – 9.00 pm	Move It or Lose It – Exercise for the over 60's Tuesday Chat (cuppa and a chat – free to all and everyone welcome. No booking necessary. Just turn up!) Wilberfoss Art Class Wilberfoss Table Tennis Club
Wednesday	9.30 am – 10.30 am 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm 7.30 pm – 9.30 pm	Beginners Yoga class U3A Quiz (alternate weeks) (U3A Members only) Wilberfoss Line Dancers
Thursday	10.00 am – 11.00 am 1.30 pm – 3.30 pm 7.00 pm – 8.30 pm 7.30 pm – 9.30 pm 7.30 pm – 9.00 pm	Pocklington Pilates Wilberfoss Sequence Dancers Wilberfoss Karate Club (15 years +) Alternate WOW WI (2 nd Thursday monthly) Wilberfoss Parish Council (3 rd Thursday monthly)
Friday	12.30 pm – 2.30 pm 7.00 pm – 9.00 pm 7.00 pm – 8.00 pm	Boltonians (Men's discussion group & light lunch) Wilberfoss Short Mat Bowling Club Kettlersize Fitness with Kev
Saturday	10.30 am – 12.00 pm 9.30 am – 12.30 pm	Wilberfoss Karate Club (15 years +) Endorphins Group (fun activities for children & young people with special educational needs and disabilities (SEND))
Sunday	4.00 pm – 6.00 pm	Wilberfoss Amateur Theatre Society (WATS) – Community theatre group for all ages

In addition to the events listed above, the Community Centre welcomes private bookings

Single rooms at the Centre can be hired for as little as £11.00 per hour for non-profit making organisations. Rooms can be joined to form larger spaces. The Centre also has two small offices which can be hired for £30 for a full day. For profit-making users, the fee is £30 for a half day and £60 for a full day. Contact 01223 380123, or via Facebook Messenger through the Community Centre's Facebook page. www.wilberfossparish.org.uk or on HallsHire.com. Scan the QR code above to visit the Community Centre's Facebook page.

COMMUNITY CENTRE DIARY



Users have provided contact details

	Activity Contact	Permissions have been given to use contact details below
Monthly (uses)	Anna Gibbeson Norma Randall Eileen Brammell Kris Crump Emily Stockhill Linda Hartas	annagibbeson@singandsign.co.uk 07811 651720 normacrall1937@yahoo.co.uk 01759 388921 01759 388135 kcma.online@gmail.com 07896 882909 emilylouisestockhill@gmail.com 07715 693656 Linarmac@aol.com 07801 888824
None	Karen Hill Becks & Stu Savage Chris Bailey Alison Young	karen.wallacehill@moveitorloseit.co.uk 07305 030706 sav8289@aol.com wilberfossartgroup@outlook.com 92aryoung@gmail.com 01759 380325
	Lindsey Samson Liz/Barbara	samsonlindsey@gmail.com 07817 830178 secretarypockdu3a@gmail.com (general enquiries) 01759 380489/01759 388218
Weeks	Sophie Redfern Betty Mike Lewis Charmaine Sarah Wills	sandsredfern@aol.com 07931 964114 01904 470455 07904 653337 wowwi@eastyorkshirewi.org.uk clerk@wilberfossparish.org.uk 07762 549292
	Allan Ashworth Sue/Mick Kev Copeland	Allan.ashworth1@ntlworld.com 07803 393694 suedouthwaite1@gmail.com/ 07855 165417 (Mick) gymkevcope@googlemail.com 07834 617192
Young adults	Mike Lewis Johnny Moorhead	07904 653337 0330 133 2642 bookings@endorphins.uk
	Sally Langton	watswilberfoss@gmail.com

These events are not accessible to the public.

activities, £13.00 an hour for semi-commercial users and £20.00 an hour for a commercial hirer. Hired on a half day or full day basis. For non-profit making users, the fee is £15 for a half day and £25 for a full day. Please contact Sarah Wills, Centre Manager on wilberfosscommunitycentre@outlook.com or 01759 388135. Internal photographs of the Community Centre can be viewed through the village website or the Community Centre's page on the village website.



Services & Events

St John the Baptist Church, Wilberfoss

Services in May 2024

Sunday 5th May 11.00 am Come and Worship
Sunday 12th May 11.00 am Parish Communion
Sunday 19th May 11.00 am Come and Worship
Sunday 26th May 11.00 am Parish Communion

Your Church is Open for You

The Church is open every day between 10.00 am and 3.00 pm for you to find peace, a space for prayer or just enjoy the beautiful surroundings. There are books you may borrow, toys and activities for children.

Bible Study Group

Following the successful Bible Study during Lent, Simon Pritchard continues the Bible Study every Wednesday at 11.00 am up to and including 8th May. This is held in the Priory Room at St John the Baptist Church. You will be made very welcome. Refreshments are served at 10.45.

Choir

St John the Baptist Church is fortunate to have a group of musicians and singers playing a valuable part in worship. Of course, there is always room for a few more, so if you are interested, just pop in on Thursday evenings at 7.00 pm.

Prayer Bears

Preschool children from Wilberfoss and the surrounding villages have been enjoying the new stay and play sessions each Monday 1.15 - 2.45 pm during term time. Activities include playdough, craft, biscuit decorating, games, story time, puppets, musical instruments and drawing. These sessions are free of charge. Please contact Jo Stalker, Authorised Lay Minister, 01759 380361.

Jigsaw Group

This social group meets every Thursday in the Priory Room 1.00 - 3.00 pm. to eat cake, drink tea, laugh a lot, share ideas and news and form lasting friendships. Jigsaws are available to borrow and take home. Grateful thanks to all who generously donate cakes, raffle prizes etc. Please contact Jo Stalker, Authorised Lay Minister, 01759 380361.



Services & Events

Food Bank

The York foodbank is currently short of:

- TEA BAGS
- TINNED MEAT
- TINNED FRUIT
- UHT MILK
- LONG LIFE CARTONS OF FRUIT JUICE
- TINNED TOMATOES
- LAUNDRY DETERGENT
- JARS OF JAM
- SPONGE PUDDINGS

If you are able to help, please leave your donations in the basket placed in the porch at church, or leave with Rose Riley, 2 The Paddock. The York foodbank website is regularly updated with details of items that are urgently needed. For further details please go to: <https://york.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/> If you have any queries, please contact Steve Percival stevepercival@hotmail.co.uk

Please note: The foodbank is unable to accept homemade, out of date or opened items.

Wilberfoss Church 100 Club

The very popular 100 Club is due to restart in May following a long absence in the wake of the Covid pandemic. If you would like to be included in the new draws, retain your original numbers or choose new ones, please contact Moira Percival 07805344842. The draws will take place on the first Sunday of each month except during Lent, so in June and December there will be two draws. The cost is £12.00 for the year with 3 prizes each draw. Please join in this bit of fun and help support your village Church.

Church Contacts

Simon Pritchard	Priest in Charge	01759 372468
Peter Green	Licenced Lay Minister	01759 301386
Steve Percival	Licenced Lay Minister	07883521677
Rose Riley	Warden and Advocate for ACTS435	01759 380795
Moira Percival	Warden	07805344842



Services & Events

Prayer Bears



Teddy Bear's Picnic

Monday 20th May 2024

1:15-2:45pm

Free - Light Refreshment Provided - Games
and Outdoor Fun

At Wilberfoss Play Park

(or in the event of wet weather at Wilberfoss
Church in the priory room annexe)

Bring your teddy!

For 0-5 year olds and their carers

*Join us normally at Wilberfoss St John's CE Church
on Mondays (1:15-2:45) term time only and
excluding bank holidays.*

THE PAVILION

CAFE OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK



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TORINO, ITALIA, 1895

WHATS ON

- 4TH MAY - KARAOKE NIGHT
7PM - 11PM. FREE ENTRY
FEATURING GEORGES CARIBBEAN KITCHEN
- 6TH MAY - BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY
Bank Holiday Deals that your not going to want to miss.
- 12TH MAY - SUNDAY FUNDAY
- 17TH MAY - SPEED QUIZ
- 27TH MAY - BANK HOL BBQ
- 29TH - FAMILY BINGO
- 1ST JUNE - KIDS DISCO

Plus Much More
Pop These Dates in your diary.

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FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS**





Wilberfoss Duck Race



Wilberfoss Duck Race

**SAVE
THE DATE**

Sunday 1st September

A fun day for everyone, the Wilberfoss Duck Race has been a valued village fundraising event for over 40 years, with generations of families attending.

There will be a barbecue, cakes, ice cream, wood-fired pizza...and much more!

Stalls will open at 1pm, with the first Duck Race at 2pm.



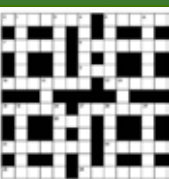
Watch this space!



To volunteer yourself as a member, or to offer Event Support, or to provide donations, please contact the WDR Chairman Carol Travers at:

M: 07941 767228

E: travers.carol@gmail.com



April Crossword Answers

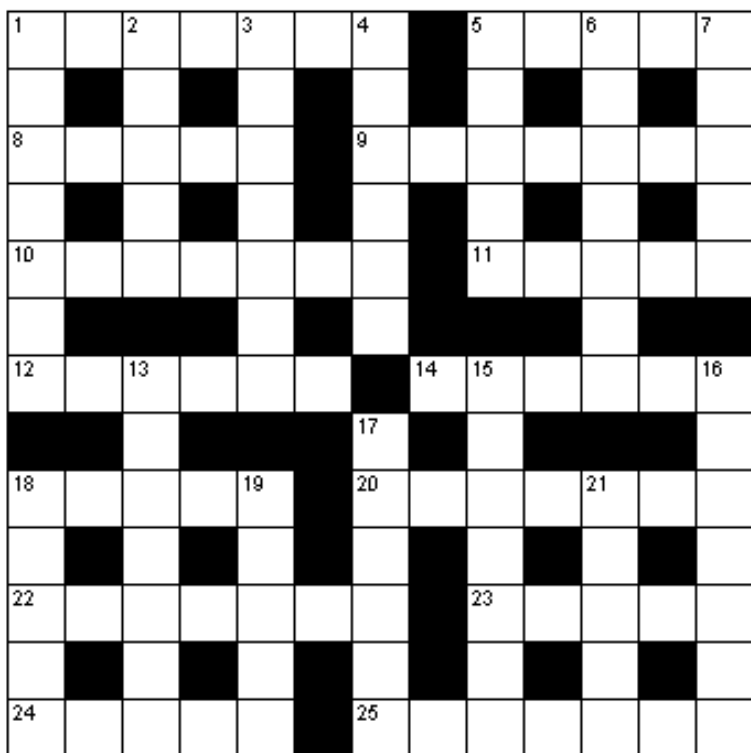
Crossword Answers

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May Crossword



Across

- 1 Very dear (7)
- 5 Secret agents (5)
- 8 North African capital (5)
- 9 Weepy (7)
- 10 Dishonourable (7)
- 11 Children's nurse (5)
- 12 Foreman (6)
- 14 Sculptor's tool (6)
- 18 Become a member (5)
- 20 Apart (7)
- 22 A moment ago (4,3)
- 23 Divert (5)
- 24 Surrender (5)
- 25 Very much (7)

Down

- 1 Gambling (7)
- 2 Cloth woven from flax (5)
- 3 Capable of being seen (7)
- 4 Shilly-shally (6)
- 5 Blemish (5)
- 6 Very young children (7)
- 7 Foolish (5)
- 13 Envisage (7)
- 15 Transport business (7)
- 16 Theft (7)
- 17 Insect with large rear pincers (6)
- 18 Take delight in (5)
- 19 Furrowed (5)
- 21 Uncertainty (5)