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None

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Sutton on Sea & Trustthorpe Lifeboats
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St Helena's School Association Christmas Fair

On Friday 4th December 2009

At St. Helena's Church,
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Starting at 3pm.

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More details - back page

HAMBLEDON PRODUCTIONS OF LOUTH

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'AN APPLE A DAY'

A comedy

Friday November 20th

Willoughby Village Hall at 7.30pm

£5 / £4 Senior Citizens & Students

Suitable for children 8+

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RECTORS THOUGHTS

"Charlie never eats you know! Always rushing here and there, always has things to do. I gather that he grabs a sweet here and there, especially at Christmas and Easter, but as for sitting down and being social over some food, well how is he ever to grow and learn right from wrong? How is Charlie going to sift media hype and myth from reality?"

An analysis of church attendance feels very like a universal Charlie. Everyone is too busy rushing here and there to spend time sifting media hype and myth from reality. Yes there is some sugar at Christmas and Easter but that is no substitute for the meat and protein of the teaching of the church that comes with regular community commitment.

Adults complain that they don't understand modern maths as taught in schools. This is only because education theory and teaching practice has changed. $2 + 2$ still = 4. Children learn the basics of religion as part of a legal requirement on schools, but it is only the basics. Just as learning our tables and the mathematical functions of "+ - ÷ x" are only the ground work for more complicated structures of mathematics which enable us understand the world, so learning the basic structures of the bible and its contents is only a platform to learning why and how spirituality is so useful to us.

Just as we would want Charlie to find time to eat healthy and be social so the Community of the church would like to know that the wider community finds time to spend time developing their spirituality. Come and join us and see how much has changed.

Rev Daffyd Robinson, The Rectory, Station Road,
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Advent, the Posada journey is around

Ulceby.

Last year we started the Mexican tradition of Posada. However Mary & Joseph will be sleeping under a hedge some nights unless we have some "inns" in place for their journey. If you would like the "family" to visit your house for a night please let me know so I can draw up the rota. If you have any questions about this tradition contact the Rector on 01507 462045. (or visit www.churcharmy.org.uk/posada).

ST HELENA'S CHURCH

** LIGHT UP THE TOWER **

The Church tower can be lit up for you
To mark a special occasion
Or in memory of someone

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on 01507 463993
to arrange this

SLIDESHOW EVENING

Willoughby PCC are thinking of having a slideshow Evening in January much as we did a few years ago using local photographs. The period we are thinking of covering is 1980 - 2007. If you have photos of village events in this period I would scan and return them. (If you have older ones they are always welcome). We need around a 100 photos covering a variety of events. Short clips of video is also now possible. The event is dependent on your photograph collections, so have a look in that nice album or in that shoe box under the bed.

WILLOUGHBY DIARY : NOVEMBER

KEEP FIT - EVERY MONDAY Village Hall 10am

WILLOUGHBY LADIES PRAYER MEETING

A group of ladies meet for prayer and chat once a month.

We welcome anyone wishing to join us.

Contact Glennis Smith on 462388 for details

PARENTS PLUS - EVERY TUESDAY

Village Hall 9 to 11 am

Contact Andrea Stevenson 01507 463052

3rd Nov: Steve Phillips - Our Educational Psychologist.

10 Nov: Jacqui Heylar - Colour Me Beautiful Presentation.

17 Nov: Swish event - Pre-owned clothes: swap & recycle.

24 Nov: No Agenda! - Just Coffee and Catch Up.

Thursday 5th WILLOUGHBY SOCIAL CLUB

`Guy Fawkes Nosh`

Homemade sausages, mince pies, wine, raspberry liquer

Saturday 7th WILLOUGHBY CHRISTMAS FAIR

Village Hall - Opening 2pm

Wednesday 11th SHEILA'S LUNCHEON CLUB

Blacksmiths Arms, Skendleby

Wednesday 11th WILLOUGHBY HISTORY GROUP

Christmas arrangements

Slide show of the Anglo Saxon treasure found in Staffs

Village Hall 2.30pm - All Welcome

Thursday 19th WILLOUGHBY PARISH COUNCIL

Village Hall 8pm - All welcome

Friday 20th HAMBLEDON PRODUCTIONS

Village Hall 7.30pm see details below

Tuesday 24th WILLOUGHBY GARDEN CLUB

Starting a garden from scratch

Village Hall 7.30pm

Willoughby Harvest: Alford Silver Band provided a sterling sound before and after the service as well as giving the hymns a bright feel. It is really good to see so many young people continuing the traditions. A big thank you to Phil Odlin for his excellent work as autioneer of the sale of produce provided by the school children. A big thank you also to those purchasing verious veg, fruit, tins etc. This money is used as part of our contribution to Action Aid helping those who have very little.

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JASON & MARISA JAMES

Ruby Wedding Anniversary Party

& fundraising event 3rd October

Jason & Marisa would like to thank all their friends and family for attending their surprise party at Willoughby Village Hall and for their generous support for the fundraising event. A magnificent total of £350 was raised and has been donated to The Pilgrim Hospital Intensive Care Unit Charitable Fund. This fund provides facilities for patients in the Unit which are outside the scope of the NHS.

Jason & Marisa would particularly like to thank their daughters, Jeneana and JoAnne who managed to arrange the party without their parents having the slightest idea what was going on!!

Jason & Marisa would also like to thank so many members of the local community for their messages of support and good wishes following Jasons` recent accident from which he is now rapidly recovering.

THANK YOU

I have received an attractive card from the team of the Labour Ward at Boston Hospital thanking us for the little knitted jackets for premature babies which I took in recently. Those I knitted with finer yarn (unsuitable for the blankets I crochet), donated by local people during the past year.

A Big Thank You to you all. Joan White.

WILLOUGHBY GARDEN CLUB

A big **'thank you'** to everyone who supported the Silent Auction in October. Whether you donated items, helped organise the day or made bids during the evening, we jointly raised about £325 which will be split between the 3 charities being supported this year by the Garden Club.

Our November meeting is on **Tuesday 24th at 7.30** in the village hall when the ladies from Goltho Gardens near Wragby will be talking about 'Starting a garden from scratch'. Having visited this in the summer, members have seen their lovely garden and it will be interesting to hear how they have gradually developed and extended their site during the past few years.

Visitors are welcome, at a cost of £2 which includes refreshments

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WILLOUGHBY VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE

The bar refurbishment is finished and it will be painted by now - hopefully. Other jobs are also to be done before the winter sets in - the soffit boards and rail to ramp will be painted. Ivy needs to be removed and other small maintenance jobs carried out. It is good to catch these items before they become a major cost - if those of you who use the hall notice anything needing attention / or have suggestions for improvement please phone me. We are also looking into a permanent solution to the nettles on the boundary, and to improving the storage areas in the hall. The stage curtains pull-cords have not been a success and we hope to adapt them back to being pulled by hand.

The village lottery game really helps with finance and keeps hiring costs down. There are some spare numbers at the moment so if you would like to join (it is a £1 a week) please phone Gloria on 466233 and she will explain the system - no obligation to join.

The Committee would also like to thank the members of the Garden Club who keep the trough looking so beautiful all year.

Pat / 466018

WILLOUGHBY HISTORY GROUP

The next meeting of the History Group will be on Wednesday November 11th in the Village Hall at 2.30 pm (after the Ladies Lunch)

We will be discussing the arrangements for the Christmas meeting and for decorating the Christmas Tree for the PTA do in the church as well as any other items members may wish to raise.

There will be a **slide show of the gold and bejewelled Anglo Saxon treasure** recently found in Staffordshire - Pat Losco-Bradley will give an overview of its significance.

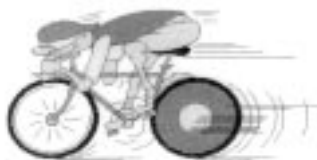
This meeting is open to all residents of Willoughby, so please come along. John Fulwood



At last the planned tourist kiosk is now placed in Willoughby church as a display of the community play of 2007. Discussions are taking place as to what else can be displayed on it. If you have any ideas have a word with a PCC member or Willoughby Welcome member. Daffyd.

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WILLOUGHBY PARISH COUNCIL

met on Thursday October 15th. Items discussed included:

1. County Councillor C Davie reported on money saving by the District Council. The green waste collection will stop for the winter on November 30th.
2. A donation of £600 was made towards Churchyard maintenance.
3. Payment of accounts for Village Green grass cutting and Clerks expenses were approved.
4. Planning: The Orchards, Station Rd, Willoughby. Permission for amended plan **REFUSED** by ELDC. The Playing Field works were **SUPPORTED**.

Willoughby Playing Field Association.

Work has begun on installing new play equipment in the Playing Field. Subject to planning we are hoping it will be completed before the end of this year.

We would like to remind ALL dog owners that the **Playing Field is a strictly No Dog Area** and would like to Thank those who support us on this. Lynne Lempard /Chairperson

>>>>>>>>ON TWO WHEELS

Round 11. Silverstone. 25th -27th Sept

Qualifying started well. Peter was up to 10th position when the bike started to slow down and came to a halt before the end of the first session. He ended up 18th on the grid with a broken crank shaft. The boys worked hard to change engines for the race the next day.

Race 1 Peter started on the 5th row of the grid and managed to work up to finish in 15th place, 3rd in his Mirror Cup.

Race 2. Peter rode hard and finished in 13th place and 2nd in the Mirror Cup. With only 3 points to clinch 2nd overall place in the Mirror Cup off we went to Oulton Park on our last 3 races of the season.

Round 12. Oulton Park . 9th - 11th October

With this being our last venue of the season and 3 races, 1 on Saturday and 2 on Sunday we were hoping for a good weekend to end on a high. Qualifying did not go to plan, a wire broke on the bike and brought it to a halt. We lost 45 minutes of practice time which left us unsure of the set up, then we were straight into qualifying. Oulton is a hard technical track and with the loss of track time we ended up in 20th and again 5th row on the grid.

Race 1 Peter rode a strong race and finished in 14th and 2nd in the Mirror Cup. This sealed his 2nd place in the championship. He also got the fastest lap of the Privateers.

Race 2 As seen on TV Peter lost grip on a damp track after overtaking another rider and crashed into the barriers. With Peter uninjured thankfully, the bike was later returned to the garage, it was initially thought to have only superficial damage, which was repaired ready for the last race. The bike was started up and discovered to have a water pump seal gone. This meant the bike had to be retired as no time in which to repair this. Both rider and bike had to sit this one out - not how we intended to finish the season. Peter was presented with his 2nd place cup in the Privateer Mirror Cup Championship. Having scored 21 podiums out of a possible 26 not a bad result overall.

Signing off for this year, hope to be back reporting in 2010.

Many thanks for your support.
Peter, David & Sue Hickman

MUMBY NEWS

Please send any items to me for the present - see W & M front page for address, phone, email. Pat.

MUMBY PARISH COUNCIL

The problem of traffic speeding through the village at all hours of the day and night will be the subject under discussion at the next meeting.

**TUESDAY NOVEMBER 24th
BECKETS COMMUNITY CENTRE
MUMBY CHURCH AT 7.15PM**

The Parish Council invites all members of the public to come along and express their concerns and offers them the opportunity to suggest ways of tackling the issue.

Mr Graeme Butler, Project Manager, Lincolnshire County Council Highways and Traffic, will be there to discuss the problem and answer any questions. He will be joined by County Councillor Colin Davie who will chair the meeting.

Lincolnshire Police will be represented by PC John Jones, Community Beat Manager, Mablethorpe, Alford, Mumby and Sutton-on-Sea. At least an hour will be devoted to this debate to allow members of the public to have their say.

The date of this meeting was originally set for November 10th but had to be changed. The normal Council agenda will continue after a short break for tea, coffee and biscuits.

**THURSDAY NOVEMBER 26th
BECKETS COMMUNITY CENTRE
MUMBY CHURCH AT 7PM**

Villagers are invited to listen to Mr Colin Hinchcliffe, the Chief Executive of Lindsey Marsh Drainage Board, discuss the maintenance of water courses in the Mumby area.

Mr Hinchcliffe organised a massive rescue operation following the floods of June 2007 which affected many roads and properties in the parish.

Many blamed the mismanagement of dykes, rivers and drainage over the years. Mr Hinchcliffe organised the task of tackling the problem. Now most of the work has been done, he has promised to come back to Mumby on November 26th to update the situation. He will then cover the Board's responsibility towards the maintenance of some of the watercourses, and that of 'riparian owners', those who are responsible for their own particular water canals adjoining their property.

Paul Harrington / Mumby Parish Clerk

Mumby Quiz: The opening round St Thomas of Canterbury Quizzes for this season at the Red Lion, Mumby got off to cracking start with one team at half way having a 100% score. This altered in the 2nd half leaving them winning a tie-break question to win. 1st 4Q, 2nd Reggie's boys, 3rd Cumberworth representatives, 4th J.A.B.S.

Next Quiz Friday 13th at 8.30pm



Cappuccino Concert at Mumby

Well what a night at St Thomas' Church, Mumby Side A

We were well entertained by the trio Cappuchino, with Pete on rhythm & vocals, Steve on bass & rhythm, Sylvia on lead vocal, (who also sings with Vanilla Smooth) not forgetting John on sound control.

Running through sixties & seventies hits which included Beatles, Bread, Eagles & co. well played, well sung well done.

Interlude came & Jessica (who is Dereck & Pat Browns granddaughter) approached Pete to ask if he knew this song, which she promptly sang the melody - which turned out to be 'Is this the way to Amarillo'

Start side B

Pete struck up with Amarillo - to great delight from the Browns table & the rest of us, with all joining in the chorus

With solos and change of instruments it got even better.

To round the night off Chris Gardener (also from Vanilla Smooth) joined them on stage for a couple of solo spots

Pete invited those who wanted to join them on stage for a final chorus of Twist & Shout, a really enjoyable night was rounded off by Cappuchino kindly donating their expenses as a gift to St Thomas', a generous gesture, thanks to all from us at Mumby

GIANT MUMBY QUIZ No.8 is now available

Time to get that grey matter working again!

The 2009 Giant Mumby Quiz is now available.

It costs £1.50 per copy and the winner will receive £50.00. Your entries do not have to be in until the beginning of January, so you can browse over the answers during the Christmas break.

This year the proceeds will go to the
National Coastwatch, Skegness.

If you would like a copy then please contact Roger or Eileen on 01507 490878.

The nearest Coastwatch Station on the East Coast is Winthorpe, Skegness.

The disused coastguard tower was taken over in April 2008. It is run by volunteers and relies entirely on contributions from the general public and corporate donations. It has been involved with many incidents since its commencement, some of which could have proved fatal.

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CUMBERWORTH NEWS

The Interim Parish Meeting

will be held on

Tuesday November 17th at 7pm at Becketts in Mumby. **Mr C Hinchcliffe the Chief Executive of Lindsey Marsh Drainage Board** is coming to discuss the maintenance of watercourses in the Cumberworth Area. This will cover the Board's responsibility, that of the "riparian owners" and, hopefully, explain what the term "riparian owners" means and how it effects some of us residents.

Do come along to hear what he has to say, make any suggestions or raise any issues you may have on this topic or anything else. We look forward to welcoming as many villagers as possible.

Rector's Quiz Nights

Please remember that the **Rector's Quiz Nights** have resumed at the **Red Lion in Mumby**. Information about these quizzes may be obtained from Christine Clark on **490315**. Please come along and help make up the Cumberworth team.

Cumberworth Village History

A reminder that our joint Chairman, Christine Clark, is donating an album to the village to record its history up to the present day. Christine has asked if anyone has any photos, stories or other memorabilia relating to **Cumberworth Village** which could be scanned or copied. Together with the Minute Book from the Parish Meetings, this would provide an historical record for residents and future generations. If you have anything to contribute please ring Christine on **490315** or bring it along to the next meeting in November.

SLOOTHBY NEWS

Marie Currie Collection in October

Thank you to everyone who very generously contributed to this very worthy charity. We collected £109.73, which I am sure will be very much appreciated.

Thank you. Susan Hambridge "Faraway" Sloothby

HABERTOFT NEWS

Another application for a Habertoft windfarm will be submitted in November.

ULCEBY NEWS

A very jolly evening was had by one and all at the Blacksmiths Arms, Skendleby on Monday 12th October when the Harvest Auction in aid of Ulceby with Fordington Church was held.

Very many thanks indeed go to our hosts Tony & Janet - our auctioneer Philip who did a grand job selling all the excellent produce and last, but not least, to all the good and generous people who came and supported the event. It was a most successful evening with over £400 being raised all of which will help keep our little church going.

Jenny Jones.

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			6.30pm	Wednesdays ½ hour of Prayer at Willoughby	All Welcome
1st	Sunday	Mumby	10.00	All Saints	Eucharist
8th	Sunday	Ulceby	9.00	3 before Advent	Family Service
		Willoughby	10.00		Eucharist
15th	Sunday	Mumby	10.00	2 before Advent	Eucharist
22nd	Sunday	Willoughby	10.00	Christ the King	Family Service
29th	Sunday	TBA	10.00	Advent Sunday	
	December				
6th	Sunday	Mumby	10.00	Advent 2	Eucharist

Willoughby Rota - November / December 2009			
	Flowers/Brasses	Lectern	Cleaning
21st Nov	Mrs Toyne Mrs Barrands	Mrs Pridgeon	Mrs & Mrs Mountain
5th Dec	Mrs Jones Mrs Perks	Mrs Pridgeon	Mrs Hickman Mrs Smith



**St Helena's School Association
Christmas Fair**
On Friday 4th December 2009
 At St. Helena's Church, Willoughby.
Starting at 3pm.
 All welcome.



The Digital Photographic Society met again on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at "Beckets" (7.30pm). The photographs taken by the members were viewed on a big screen and encouragement was given.

In November (10th.) Alan will look at using Photoshop which will involve the use of "layers" and there will be a gentle competition - each member to bring a photograph with water in it. Winner agreed by secret ballot.

Once again we are holding a **Christmas Tree competition** for local groups and business - a great way to advertise! Trees can be of any shape and form (it does not have to be a traditional tree), but no larger than 4ft due to space. Decorated in the theme of your business or group for example a hairdressers-empty shampoo bottles, combs etc. No electricity is available for lights. Trees may be set up in the church during the day on 4th December and removed by 3rd January. There is a charge of £2.00 per entry and the lucky winner will receive **£30 prize**.

WILLOUGHBY CHRISTMAS FAIR
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 7TH
VILLAGE HALL 2PM

Grand Raffle in aid of Alford 1st Responders
 Bottle stall in aid of MS

Cards, Calenders & Gifts in aid of Sutton on Sea & Trustthorpe
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Produce & Preserves, Christmas Wreaths to order, Games & more

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CHRISTMAS FAIR

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Tombola prizes: Church Stall: John Fulwood 466314

Cakes, large & small for the refreshments / produce stall:

Contact: Mavis 462736 / Linda 466359 or bring on the day

Last but not least:

Jay Smedley of Habertoft

got second prize in the

Skegness Short Story competition.

Well done Jay