



The Rooster

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Rooster Editorial

What a great event the charity fancy dress cricket match turned out to be. I believe the whole village was very generous in their support for the event raising a great deal of money to help the girls in their cycle ride around Brazil. It is hoped that the event will continue in future years, hopefully a bit later in the year to ensure a less windy day!

The school quiz is sure to be a good evening's entertainment on the 7th June, so get your teams organised and purchase your tickets from the school.

I hear the pom-pom Caterpillar is also getting bigger by the day but more are needed so keep up the good work. The Church musical evening on the 24th June still has tickets available, they include a BBQ afterwards and some great acts lined up to entertain us all. Finally I would like to reiterate that the Rooster includes articles sent in to us, we do not write them ourselves so please keep them coming, they are all appreciated and included if we have the space.

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ROOS CHURCH 3 IN 1

MIDSUMMER MUSIC



Nationally renowned organist **John Scott Whiteley**
Roos and South Holderness Singers.
Elinor and Adele Kirby, BarnabyTeasdale, Jo Earle.

MIDSUMMER



Prepared by Chef **Alan Lavender** and his team

BAR FOR ALL SEASONS



SATURDAY, JUNE 24TH

6.30

TICKETS £10 (INC FOOD)

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ROOS & DISTRICT
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

75th Annual Show
~ FAMILY FUN, BARBECUE & BAR ~

SATURDAY 15TH JULY 2017
ON THE ROOS PLAYING FIELD

CHARITY, CRAFT & TABLE TOP STALLS FROM 1.30^{PM}
ALL £5.00 EACH CONTACT MARY JANE BARKER ON 01964 670259 TO BOOK

PET SHOW AT 1.30^{PM}
~ ENTRY £1.00 CLASSES DOGS/CATS/OTHER SMALL ANIMALS ~

SHOW OPENS AT 2.30^{PM} WITH ROSS CARRICK
FROM **KCFM** WHO PROUDLY SUPPORT THE SHOW

SPORTS 3.00^{PM}
PRESENTATION OF CUPS
AT 4.00^{PM}
BY
STEVE CAPRICE
(THE ROCKING REVEREND ELVIS IMPERSONATOR)

RAFFLE DRAWN AFTER PRESENTATION
CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS

41 SILVER CHALLENGE TROPHIES AND
THE BANKSIAN MEDAL OF THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

ADMISSION TO SHOW : £1.00 ~ CHILDREN : FREE



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Please contact Alan on 671322 if you can help



Church Services June 2017

4 th June	8.30	Tunstall	Holy Communion
	9.30	Roos	Holy Communion
	9.30	Garton	Holy Communion
11 th June	9.30	Roos	Holy Communion
	18.00	Garton	Evening Prayer
18 th June	8.30	Tunstall	Holy Communion
	9.30	Roos	Holy Communion
	9.30	Garton	Morning Prayer
	15.00	Hilston	Holy Communion
25 th June	9.30	Roos	Holy Communion
	18.00	Garton	Evening Prayer

Rooster Association DONATIONS

The Rooster Association depends upon voluntary contributions to ensure continued publication of the Rooster. If you wish to contribute then please leave your donations in a sealed envelope in the Rooster box at the Roos Store/Post Office, enclosing your name, contact details & amount. All donations will be strictly confidential. Please make cheques payable to The Rooster Association. All contributions will be acknowledged in The Rooster unless you request to remain anonymous.

We are pleased to acknowledge the kind donations, during May, from:

Mr & Mrs Cowell

All Saints' Church Roos



THE ALL SAINTS CATERPILLAR STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP

Thank you to the many people who have been busy making pom poms for the All Saints' caterpillar. Jill Evison is sewing them together in sections of 100 and the sections will be joined together down at the church later in the year. The first section is already on display. The caterpillar is being made to raise money towards improving the facilities at Roos church. Jill's idea is a great way of involving those of all ages in our community who want to help.

Make a pom-pom (8cm diameter) and for a suggested donation of £1, Jill will attach it to the caterpillar. Alternatively, kits are available to buy for £2 which include everything you need including instructions and the donation. Contact Helen (670895), Kay (671659) or Diane (671322). Kits also being sold at Roos Primary School. Follow progress on the All Saints' Church Roos Facebook page. Helen

CB3 BUS Service



The New timetable for the CB3 will begin On Wednesday May 31st.

From that date the CB3 will run one return journey on two days, Wednesday and Friday.

The route and stops are as follows; Roos > Burton Pidsea > Hedon > Preston > Sandhill Nurseries > ASDA Bilton.

Pick up times in Roos are are: Post Office 9.35, Eastfield Estate 9.36, Lamb Lane 9.38. Arriving at ASDA at 10.22, Returning from ASDA 11.45.

New Timetables will be available on the CB3 before the changes occur and in The Post Office.

Farmyard Bingo Roos

June's bingo started with Lesley's birthday celebration. It was another good night with prizes being won at most tables. The £100 donation this month went to the Woodland Group and will go towards more trees etc. for the village.

Dates for your diary at the Memorial Institute:

Bingo June 13th Mixed meat

July 11th Chicken

Doors open 6.45 for a 7.30pm prompt start.

Dot

Woodland Group Roos



Every evening I take a walk to see our trees and hedges – it pays to check on any deer and rabbit damage too established.

In May however, I am just as likely to be called out to see some bees. Most often, I find that the two are connected. With climate change, species of bumble bee common in Europe are spreading to the UK mainland. Tree bumblebees love to take up residence in old trees, but they'll just as easily adopt a birdbox. Chestnut across the shoulders, and with a white rump, they are distinctive and increasingly common.

Walking south from my latest call-out, I heard the sounds of the Church bells, Tuesday evening, of course. Through the church yard, the sound of rooks roosting, the hundreds of tits settling in for the night and the jackhammer like tap of a green woodpecker vied with the ringers.

As I left the churchyard to make my way home, half a dozen bicycles lay abandoned while, do doubt, den-building took place in the plantation. The heady scent of hemlock and wild garlic, unchanged since well before my own childhood reminded me, if need be, that the woods are a constant: and why I love them so much.

The Roos Woodland Group exists not only to look after the old, but also to renew our village tree resources in order that future generations of children may grow up in their company.

If you would like to join us, please contact me, Gerard Baker, on 07791519467 or email bakerg40@gmail.com

ALL SAINTS' CHURCHYARD MATTERS

Some time ago the printed an item gravestones in the



Rooster kindly about unsafe churchyard. Most

have been repaired but we still have four which are causing concern and these are:-

1. A memorial to WILSON John and Ronald in row "D" plot 4.
2. A memorial to REDHEAD Sydney and Edith in Row "D" plot 5.
3. A memorial to RAMSEY Mirium in row "D" plot 10.
4. A memorial to PLUMB Phylis in row "E" plot 12. This one has had to be laid flat as it was in a very dangerous state

(These rows run parallel to the footpath in the New Churchyard starting at "A").

The cost for repair as quoted by Everingham's the stonemasons is £350 inclusive of V.A.T.

This is the last warning and the 3 stones will be laid flat in due course.

We have also had to remove two glass vases as these are not allowed due to the hazards of broken glass. The vases have been placed in the church and can be returned to the owners on application to the Churchwardens. Two church metal containers have been placed in the relevant locations until the flowers have died. Please note allowed items should be either metal or plastic.

Memorials are in lines and flower containers should be placed on the memorial and nowhere else as this causes problems when the grass is being cut. If a grave does not have a headstone then we do allow people to place a pot but these do have to follow the lines and be of an acceptable material.

We cannot allow people to plant roses and other plants. Bulbs have been allowed as they have a short impact but shrubs and rose trees need care we ask please remove them or we will have to. It seems harsh but practicalities have to prevail. If everyone planted a rose tree the result would be chaos.

Finally artificial flowers are NOT allowed. Many people seem to be placing them at memorials. We have to remove them from time to time when they become faded or start to blow about. This leaves us open to complaints. For now we are turning a blind eye.

Please note the rules are written by the Church of England and NOT us!

Tim and Kay Newton. Churchwardens 01964 671659

Roos Memorial Institute Village Diary

Whist: 1st & 3rd Fridays

Parish Council Meeting: 2nd Monday

Roos WI: 1st Wednesday

Farmyard Bingo: 2nd Tuesday

Choir: every Thursday

Camera Club: 2nd & 3rd Wednesday



Parish/Town News Release

Cycle thefts remain an issue in the East Riding and Hull itself. This is partly due to the increase in popularity of cycling as a sport/past time, partly due to cycles being left insecure and partly due to the high value of some cycles making them a lucrative target. It appears that houses have been identified as having high value bikes, due to vehicles at the address having bike racks, and roof bars. This indicates to thieves that owners regularly use their bikes as a hobby, and tend to invest in a good standard and spec of bike.

Although we live in a very safe and low crime area, we are subject to offences such as burglaries or theft from vehicles. Please note that 50% of all burglaries reported in the East Riding are through insecure doors or windows, likewise over 50% of cars broken into are insecure or have items of value on show. The crime prevention message is clear - lock it or lose it! Sometimes we get complacent about security, but thieves are opportunists, and will travel into the East Riding, often from Hull looking for easy pickings.

LATEST SCAM!! - Don't be caught out!

A fraudster rings you at home claiming to be from your bank or even that they are the police which seems to be the latest ploy, telling you that they think your bank card has been used fraudulently. They suggest you ring your bank to ensure the call is genuine, they manage to stay on the line, so when you use your phone, they answer. They ask you for your account details and your PIN. They then confirm your card has been used and ask you to package it up and they send a courier to collect it. The courier is often innocent and is just picking up an item and delivering it elsewhere. They then have your card and your PIN!! Remember, your bank and the police will **NEVER** ask for your PIN number or ask for your card.

Roos WI - The Roos WI ladies, welcomed a talk from Mr Schofield at the May meeting. He gave a talk on the History of the 'Old Town' of Hull. He led us through a journey from the 1300's through to present day. There were fascinating stories of Hull's colourful past, the riches it had, the people of Hull's relationship with the sea and the King that we turned away. Mr Schofield is conducting free guided walks around Hull, which run on a Friday and Saturday, more details can be found on www.tourhull.com. Following the talk, we received an update from the book club that had been to see 'Empty Nesters' in Hull Truck. Their next meeting is planned for the 3rd Wednesday of the Month at The Nancy to discuss Ruby Wax's book 'Mindfulness for the Frazzled'. The Craft club will be meeting on the last Wednesday in the Memorial Institute for an evening paper piecing with Heather. Many members enjoyed a Saturday morning stroll/hike in Burton Pidsea followed by a pub lunch. Following many requests we will be organising something similar in the Autumn. If you fancy getting out and about this year please feel free to come along a try a couple of tasters sessions. Just ring Dot Walker on 01964 671250 or Joy Moate on 01964 671321. Next WI meeting is planned for 7th June, 7.30pm at the Roos Memorial Institute.

Thought of the Month - Rev Martin

Jesus was born in a stable in Bethlehem because the Romans sent his parents there for a census, his parents had no choice in the matter nor could they complain. Jesus was asked to pay taxes to the Jerusalem temple, and taxes to the Romans. He had no choice in the matter and he could not complain. The Romans never asked him to be involved in any of the decisions they made. Jesus and his disciples could be asked to carry a Roman soldiers baggage for a mile. They had no choice in the matter and they could not complain. Herod Antipas the King would take a share of the crops that the peasants, whom Jesus ministered to, had worked so hard to grow. They had no choice nor could they complain. During the time of Jesus there was a dictatorship the Romans, from the king, and a dictatorship from those who ruled the Jewish temple.

In our modern day society, and in the Roos community, we are lucky, for we live in a democracy. Whilst our democracy may not be perfect, we do have a say in the way that our leaders care for us and our needs. This is a democracy that people throughout history have died to maintain and that is the envy of many countries round the world. It is a democracy that we are all part of and, as we head towards the general election, we should all participate in. We should participate regardless of whether we are old or young.

The people who followed Jesus did so because they heard his kind and loving words, and they had seen the loving things that he had done for the people around him. In this general election we need to learn from the people in the time of Jesus, we need to listen carefully to the arguments made by all of our politicians and consider the things they have done, for by their fruits shall you know them, and then make a discerning choice.

As the Book of Proverbs suggest: "The simple believe everything, but the clever consider their steps. The wise are cautious and turn away from evil..."

Roos Parish Council Reports: May 2017

Parish Council Minutes are published in full on Parish Notice Boards and on the parish website – roosparish.info

Parish Council AGM – including the bullet points below can all be found on the parish website

- An overview of council business conducted over the preceding 12 months.
- Annual Treasurers Report.
- Election of Officers.
- Parish Council Representatives on External Bodies:

The following were proposed, seconded and agreed:

Roos Village Amenities Association: Cllr. M. Devanney.

RES Roos Wind Farm Fund Panel: Cllr. D. Winter (Director) Cllr. K. Tyson (Chair) and Cllr. Alec Dodson.

Tedder Hill Wind Farm Fund Panel: Cllr. W. Ainley (Chair) and Cllr. J Cracknell.

Burton Pidsea Wind Farm Fund Panel: Cllr. R. Smales.

Roos Memorial Hall Committee: Cllr. K. Tyson.

Snaith Charity: Cllr. M. Maltas.

There being no other business, the meeting closed and the May meeting of the Parish Council opened.

Roos Parish Council Report May 2017

There was very little on the Agenda.

Highway Issues

It was reported that further speed camera checks had been conducted at locations in Roos and that police action taken.

ERYC Planning Liaison Meeting.

Cllr. Tyson and Ainley agreed to represent the Council at the meeting in Hedon Town Hall

Councillor Vacancy

It was reported that there no expressions of interest had been received by the Parish Clerk by the closing date for applications or expressions of interest. It was agreed to keep the vacancy remaining open.

Planning.

Continued use of redundant agricultural building as a commercial garage at land north of The Elms, Quaker Road, Owstwick – ref – 17?00745/PLF. Council raised no objection.

Tedder Hill Wind Farm Fund.

It was reported that the fund was now open to receive applications from local groups and organisations.

Applications could now be made on-line – visit: <http://www2.eastriding.gov.uk/council/grants-and-funding/energy-related-community-funds/rural-funding/>

The date of the next meeting will be 12th June at 7.30pm