

It would appear that many of the young people of today have little or no respect for the amenities they have been given, or for the people who have given their time and hard work to provide and maintain them.

Over the past few weeks it has been necessary for the police to attend and clear away gangs of young people causing damage and confiscating alcohol from under-age drinkers. On a second occasion fence panels were broken down, a seat was smashed and a blue wheelie bin was stolen and fires were lit in various parts of the playing field including on the football field, in the middle of one of the large picnic tables and in the wood chippings of the large swing area of the children's playground. Three youths were arrested and fined and the police are now making regular spot checks.

It costs money to maintain the playing field, the pavilion and children's playground. No handouts are received from the East Riding Council or any other sources towards the upkeep of these facilities. All money is raised by hiring out the pavilion for things such as the After School Club or the Youth Club, both of which have now closed, or by the same one or two people giving their time to run such things as the Sunday car boot sale.

It is obvious that the people in question are not short of money as can be seen from the number of empty wine and spirit bottles and empty beer cans found at the scene. It is also obvious that many of the parents do not know where their children are as it has been reported that some are saying that they are staying with friends when they are in fact out all night. If an accident were to happen then there would be no insurance cover as these activities are not organized or sanctioned by the playing field committee.

It has been quoted "Why don't you leave the youngsters alone and concentrate more on flooding prevention", and as a result it has now been left in the hands of the police. The one or two people who give their time are now seriously considering doing no more as they are not getting the backing, support or help from others.

Unless things change, it would appear that both the playing field and children's playground will suffer from lack of funds and eventually deteriorate. One hopes that perhaps the Playing Field Committee and other regular users will become more active in the day-to-day aspects of running the area.

CHANGES AT ROOS VILLAGE STORE

Regular visitors to Roos Village Store will have noticed several changes over the last few weeks as items are moved around the store leaving shelves at the counter bare. These changes are making room for the re-location of the Post Office to the front of the store, where it will be able to be staffed more efficiently in a modern 'combi-counter'.

The combi is the future of rural Post Offices, which are struggling to survive from cuts to government services and cuts in income from the Post Office. I am told that at least one Post Office a month in this region is moving over to this type of counter in order to minimise costs, as both counters can then be staffed by one person during quieter periods.

The Post Office will be closed on Friday 18th

The Post Office will close in its current location at 1pm on Thursday 17th September and will be closed on Friday 18th September while Post Office staff move all of the computer equipment etc. It will re-open in its new location on Saturday 19th

September. Lottery and Pay-station should not be affected.

There are a few other works that will be taking place but they should not affect any services.

When the Post Office re-opens its official hours will be 9am-2pm Monday – Friday and 9am-1.30pm on Saturdays.

That said, one of the main benefits of the combi-counter is that, as long as there is a Post Office trained person on duty, the Post Office can be open. We will be working to that aim in the longer term. However, in the shorter term, whilst staff are training, we are aiming to offer a basic service (stamps, cash withdrawals and deposits, bill payments, etc) between opening and 9am, followed by the full service during official hours. Availability after 2pm will be more variable for the time being, dependent on the member of staff on duty. Post Office services will not be available on Wednesday afternoons or Sundays/Bank Holidays for administration reasons.

In order to ensure that large queues don't build up, we are going to introduce a 'two parcel maximum' in any one transaction when the Post Office and shop are staffed by a single person – only when there are other customers waiting obviously! We hope you will support us with this so that we can maintain a quick, efficient service for all.

I hope you will find the change a positive one – I certainly believe that it is the best way

to keep the Post Office – and the village shop – safe and	New Post Office Official
secure for the future service of the community.	Hours from Saturday
If you do have any concerns or questions, please don't	19th September
1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	_ Mon-Fri 9am – 2pm
Thanks for your support. Without it we wouldn't be here!	Sat 9am – 1.30pm
Karen Hodgson	

ROOS PARISH Information Leaflet

From time to time visitors and new residents have requested some basic information about Roos Parish.

In response, Roos Parish Council have published a small number of leaflets specifically targeted to meet such needs. It provides a simple map identifying some key locations together with a list of useful contact names and telephone numbers. It will be available in both Roos and Tunstall.

It is not intended to be widely distributed as it is unlikely that the leaflet will be of any significant value for long-standing residents or regular visitors who will already be familiar with the information it contains. However, should the need arise, a copy may be requested from Alec Dodson 670146, Ann Coupe 671383, David Craggs 671580 or Roos village store.

Further detailed information is provided online at *www.roosparish.info* or through the Village Design Statement (2003) and the Roos Parish Plan (2006). Copies of both these publications are still available upon request.

From time to time *The Rooster* will continue to update its list of useful contacts and telephone numbers.

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DOG FOULING CONTINUES

Yet again we see dog faeces that owners are not cleaning up. This is now prominent in the passageway from Beechwood Views to the Post Office.

The following passage has been taken from another Parish Newsletter who obviously have the same problem.

The horror might not be limited to a nasty cleanup job.

It was a happening on a field when a young talented lad started a stunning rugby career. Spotted by a scout Granville was soon promoted to a prominent rugby club's first team and enjoyed great success for a time.

TODAY HE IS BLIND.

Dog faeces and the eggs they contain is the connection. <u>TOXOCARA CANIS</u> dog roundworm eggs are easily picked up on hands or under finger nails. Unseen they are ingested and migrate to major organs and especially pathologically to the eyes and optical nerve. This is why Granville is now registered blind and relies on talking books and tapes from the local newspaper.

ARE YOU BOTHERED? It could happen to one of your own family so do something. **CLEAN IT UP !!!** Or if you witness dog fouling please report it as it is a finable offence.

A recent team on a BBC radio gardening programme highlighted <u>TOXOCARI CATI</u>. A gardener had suffered eye damage from eggs in cat faeces. She had been told it was due to gardening without gloves where her own cat had buried faeces.

The advice is: Don't garden with bare hands.

Ann Coupe

TUNSTALL VILLAGE NEWS

On Sunday August 30th an event was held by the Friends of Tunstall Church with help from members of the Village Hall Group. It took the form of a Cream Tea held on the lawn in front of the church, combined with an expert giving antique valuations in the church. There was also a tombola, an excellent raffle, a cake stall and a sale of locally-grown fruit and vegetables. Even though the event clashed with others in the area and the weather was uncertain, it was well supported by the local community and visitors to Sand-Le-Mere. The event raised a welcome £380.00 which will go towards the care and maintenance of Tunstall church.

A big thank you goes out to all those who supported the event. *David Craggs*

WIND TURBINE ENQUIRY

Part of the public enquiry for the three Tedder Hill wind turbines will be on 1st October 2009 at 5pm in Roos Memorial Hall.

The Rooster Association DONATIONS FOR AUGUST 2009

Pearson Mr S Fisher Mr & Mrs Grayson Mr & Mrs D Advertising Revenue

113 Households several of which are not in the parish, have now donated a total of £714.00 up to and including 31st of August 2009.

Roos Arms Tim & Kay Newton Willie & Sons D & G Plumbing

Total advertising revenue to date £326.50

PLEASE NOTE-

Many thanks to those who have made donations so far this year. If you have not contributed, but still intend to, will you please leave all donations in the box at Roos Store in an envelope marked "Rooster" and <u>not at Ken Cross's house.</u> Please enclose a slip giving your name and address, phone number and amount. (Strictly Confidential)

Please note that any cheque must be made payable to:- <u>The Rooster</u> <u>Association</u>



Parsley and Thyme Flan

Ingredients:

1 packet of parsley and thyme stuffing mix 200ml / 7 fluid oz boiling water 1 size 3 egg (beaten) 75g / 3oz butter (melted)

225g / 8oz button mushrooms (washed)

25g / 1oz plain flour 300ml / ½ pint milk Salt and pepper 175g / 6oz cooked chicken meat (diced) Few stuffed olives (sliced) optional

Method:

1. Put the stuffing mix in a bowl, stir in the boiling water, egg and 50g / 2oz melted butter.

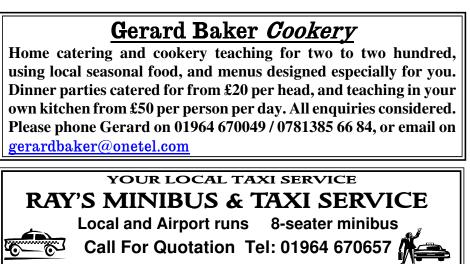
2. Leave to stand for 5 minutes. Press into sides and base of a greased 20cm / 8 inch flan ring. Bake blind for 20 minutes at Gas mark 5, 190° C/375°F, Fan 170° C

3. Put remaining butter in a pan, fry the mushrooms until tender.

4. Add the flour and milk and heat, stirring continuously until the mixture boils and thickens. Season to taste.

5. Stir the chicken and most of the olives into the sauce and pour into the flan case. Heat through in oven if necessary.

Garnish with olive slices. Serves: 4



<u>The absolute deadline for items to be included in</u> <u>next month's issue is Friday 9h October 2009</u>

Humberside Police Lifestylers

This year the Phenomenal Four consisting of Emily Sennett, Courtney Uscroft, Bella Hollingsworth, Jamie Lee Jackson and their adult adviser Zoe Winter raised £575 by doing a sponsored walk across the Humber Bridge, a bike ride to Sand-le - Mere, a baking sale, car wash, car boot with tombola, and gardening and odd jobs.

With the money raised they had a seat made for Roos Parish which was installed in front of the school on Saturday 12th September.



So You Think You Wouldn't Fall For This?

An elderly relative of mine has recently fallen victim to a telephone scam. She was phoned by someone who said they were from BT and that her most recent bill hadn't been paid. Her phone would be cut off unless payment could be made straight away by credit or debit card.

Unfortunately (even though her bills are always settled very promptly) she gave her details and yes – money was stolen from her account. The threat of cutting off her phone had made her panic.

Now you might think you would not have fallen for this but the police have advised me that this is being investigated as part of a nationwide fraud. Hundreds of people of all ages and from all walks of life have been taken in because the callers sound so plausible.

If details are refused, the next stage of the scam is to leave the line open so the victim cannot get a dial tone. Some time later they call again to offer to reconnect the phone – for a payment.

No utility company will ever demand bank or card details over the phone; neither will they withdraw their services without going through the statutory procedures.

HJA

Alec's Patch ... By Alec Dodson

September can be a most rewarding month. Fruit is ready for picking, berries on trees and shrubs have ripened, even the hedgerows are rich in bounty with sloes, crab apples and damsons that have all cropped well this year.

Bulbs are a priority this month. Plant between shrubs or herbaceous plants, on rock gardens and after summer bedding has been removed. If you are planting between wallflowers put them in first then the bulbs. Planting can also commence in pots and bowls. Ensure that they fill the container with roots by putting them in a moist dark condition for two or three months. On a small scale wrap the bowl of bulbs in newspaper and then put into a cool room.

Hedges will need their final clip of the year. Always aim to keep the top narrower than the bottom as this will allow light to the lower part of the hedge encouraging growth there and there is less risk of damage to the hedge by snow. Always trim the hedge to a height which it will be comfortable to work at in the future. Towards the end of September is a good time to plant hedging shrubs and conifers. Autumn planting is generally preferable to spring, as there is less risk of drying out and the plants will grow new roots in the warm soil.

As land is cleared of crops, spring cabbage can be planted. Set the plants with their bottom leaves on the soil, firm, and then water in.

Carrots can be lifted with a fork and stored in deep boxes. Place them in layers with sand between each layer, and put them in a dry shed.

Finally, this is the first of the autumn months and can still provide spells of warm sunny weather in the garden, so you need plenty of seats to take advantage (possibly with a suitable beverage) and enjoy it.

ROOS ARMS

THE PLACE FOR GOOD FOOD NOW OPEN EVERY EVENING

Terry & Geraldine would like to welcome all customers both old and new.

<u>Opening Times:-</u> Monday - Friday 5pm - 11pm Saturday 12noon - 3pm & 5pm - 11pm Sunday 12noon - 11pm <u>Food available:-</u> Every evening 5pm - 8.30pm also Sat & Sun Lunch 12noon - 2.30pm.



NEWS FROM ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

From: the Rev Pam Burdon.

The Vicarage, Main Road, Thorngumbald, HULL HU12 9NA

Tel: 01964 601464 email: pam@tonyburdon.karoo.co.uk

Dear Friends,

You may have heard the news that Roos church has once again been the target of lead thieves. Some lead was stolen, though not a huge amount but quite a lot of damage was done. They even managed to disable the alarm. We are very disturbed at such a thing happening again.

We do ask you all to help us, please, by being extra vigilant if you are walking near the church. If you see a suspicious person or vehicle in the vicinity, particularly at night, please do report it. You can contact Holderness Police on 0845 60 60 222 or 999 if a crime is actually taking place.

We have sometimes been asked if the church is ever left open so that people can look around and also spend a few quiet minutes in there. We are planning to make this possible, indeed we are required to do so by English Heritage, from whom we have received a grant. Leaving our church open does not invalidate our insurance! Indeed our insurers, the Ecclesiastical Insurance Group, positively encourage churches to be open. We will let you know details of days and times as soon as we can arrange this.

With good wishes to you all,

Pam Burdon

FUTURE SERVICES IN THE BENEFICE

<u>SEPTEMBER 2009 CALENDAR</u>

20th	Sunday 10.00	Garton	Morning Prayer	Roddy McDowell
	11.00	Roos	Holy Communion	John Waud
	15.00	Hilston	Holy Communion	Tony Burdon
27th	Sunday 09.00	Tunstall	Holy Communion	Tony Burdon
	11.00	Roos	Holy Communion	Tony Burdon
	18.30	Garton	Evening Prayer	Stephen Deas

<u>OCTOBER 2009 CALENDAR</u>

4th	Sunday	10.00	Garton	Holy Communion	Terence Munroe				
		11.00	Roos	Morning Prayer	Colin Reid				
				United Service with	Methodist				
11th	Sunday	09.00	Tunstall	Holy Communion	John Waud				
		11.00	Roos	Holy Communion	Pam Burdon				
		18.30	Garton	Evening Prayer	Tony Burdon				
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16th	Friday	18.30	Tunstall	Harvest	Tony Burdon
		18.30	Garton	Harvest	Peter Oakes
18th	Sunday		Garton	No Service	
		11.00	Roos	Holy Communion	John Waud
		15.00	Hilston	Harvest	Tony Burdon
23rd	Friday	19.30	Roos	Harvest	Pam Burdon
25th	Sunday	09.00 11.00 18.30	Tunstall Roos Garton	Holy Communion Holy Communion Evening Prayer	Tony Burdon Pam Burdon Stephen Deas

Methodist Services Roos Memorial Institute

SEPTEMBER 2009 CALENDAR

20th	(No Service)	
27th	Sunday 10.30 - 11.30	Mrs M Thornton
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4th	Sunday 11.00	United Service in Roos parish church
11th	Sunday 10.30 - 11.30	Mr J Richardson
18th	(No Service)	
25th	Sunday 10.30 - 11.30	Rev Brown

A friendly welcome is assured for all members of the village and visitors.



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Passenger Information <u>Changes to Bus Services</u> <u>173/174/175</u>

From Saturday 12th September 2009 Lord's Coaches have taken over operation of the East Riding Saturday service. There are some changes to the timetable, as shown below.

> The time table shows both Lord's Coaches - LC and Pearson's Coaches - PC

Operator	LC	LC	PC	LC	PC
Service	174	173	76C	173	76C
Withernsea Memorial Avenue	0720	0930	1130	1555	1600
Withernsea Waxholme Road	0723				
Thirtle Bridge	0728				
Rimswell		0938	1140	1603	1610
Water Tower		0940	1143	1605	1613
Halsham Post Office		0944	1145	1609	1615
Roos Post Office	0731	0948	1149	1613	1619
Tunstall		0953		1618	
Owstwick Lane End	0735	0959	1155	1624	1625
Burton Pidsea Black Bull	0739	1002	1200	1627	1628
Burstwick Appleby Lane		1012		1637	
Elstronwick	0745				
Danthorpe	0749				
Humbleton	0754				1635
Humbleton Moor Corner	0757				
Sproatley	0759				
Bilton Church	0806				
Saltshouse Road	0811				
Preston Crossroads		1023		1648	
Hedon Crossroads		1028		1653	
Saltend Lane End		1033		1658	
Marfleet Avenue		1038		1703	
Hull Interchange	0830	1053		1718	

Operator	РС	РС	LC	LC
Service	76C	76C	173	175
Hull Interchange			1320	1740
Marfleet Avenue			1335	1745
Saltend Lane End			1340	1800
Hedon Crossroads			1345	1805
Preston Crossroads			1350	1810
Lelley Stags Head				1815
Humbleton	0850			1821
Danthorpe				1824
Elstronwick				1826
Burstwick Appleby Lane			1401	
Burton Pidsea Black Bull	0900	1200	1411	1829
Owstwick Lane End	0903	1203	1414	1832
Tunstall			1420	1838
Roos Post Office	0906	1206	1425	1843
Halsham Post Office	0910	1210	1429	
Water Tower	0912	1212	1433	
Rimswell	0915	1215	1435	
Thirtle Bridge				1846
Withernsea Waxholme Road				1851
Withernsea Memorial Avenue	0925	1225	1443	1856



Roos Parish Council Meeting 14th September 2009 All members were present.

The August minutes were approved. Extracts below.

Proposed allotments in Roos

It was agreed that Councillor Ward be asked for an update on progress with the list of landowners to approach as to possible land for proposed allotments.

Safe routes to school programme

It was reported that ERYC's planning enforcement officer was now dealing with the Greenacre Park development improvements and that appropriate action would be taken against the developers if there was no response from them by mid-August.

Hodgson Lane

The Chairman reported that Graham Stuart MP and ERYC Councillors Grove and Stead have been involved in seeking to ensure that the improvement works to the lane are carried out in the current financial year.

Guide to facilities within the parish

It was agreed that an article be published in *The Rooster* explaining the guide, that Councillors Coupe, Craggs and Dodson be named as contacts for the guide and that 250 copies be printed with the date deleted from the original document.

Highway matters

A reply from the Area Engineer of ERYC was read which stated that there had only been two accidents in the past twenty-eight years at the Quaker Road/B1242 junction and that it may be possible to take enforcement action against the owner of the hedge prior to which he would try to see if he could reason with him.

The Area Engineer also confirmed that a crew would be attending to a flooded gulley outside Mr Foston's property on Main Street within the next week.

Tunstall Church

A letter of thanks was received from Tunstall Parochial Church Council thanking the Council for the recent donation towards the church roof repairs.

Dog Fouling

The Chairman reported that ERYC had advised that a visit was not required until someone reported an incident of a particular person allowing their dog to foul in a public area and that new legislation was imminent which would give ERYC greater powers to prosecute where necessary.

Flooding and related matters

It was reported that the Area Engineer of ERYC was awaiting a quote from his Grounds Maintenance section for the removal of bushes and trees to allow for better access to the grille north of Lamb Lane and that ERYC was investigating possible effluent entering the beck south of Lamb Lane. It was further reported

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Minutes of the August Parish Council Meeting Jarish matters

that ERYC had agreed to re-survey the potted section of the beck in Beckside Manor and that arrangements be made for some members to be present when the camera works are undertaken. It was reported that a tree had fallen into the beck between Lamb Lane and Dove Lane and that the riparian owner was attempting to remove it shortly and a letter was received and noted from Mr and Mrs Cook of Dimples Cottage in relation to debris observed recently in the beck and this would be pointed out to ERYC when the camera survey is carried out. The Chairman explained that Neil Ager of ERYC may need to be consulted regarding riparian owners removing debris from their respective sections of beck for which they are responsible.

Correspondence

Tunstall sea embankment

Correspondence was received from the Environment Agency confirming that a temporary rock bank was in the process of being built prior to a decision being made on which option to construct on a permanent basis. Councillor Craggs circulated photographs of the operation currently underway.

Planning

Decisions

Erection of dwelling in connection with vehicle repair workshop at Pearl Auto Services, Quaker Road, Owstwick

It was reported that ERYC had refused the above application.

Appeal decision

It was reported that the Planning Inspectorate had refused the appeal for the siting of a caravan at Elm Farm, Rectory Road, Roos.

Treasurer's report

The Treasurer was given approval for payment of the following accounts:-

Lawson Lewis - printing parish paths maps - £25

Audit Commission - audit of accounts 2008/09 - £138.00 inc. Vat

The Treasurer also reported that £910.00 had been deposited in the bank from ERYC being this year's grant for parish paths maintenance.

Any other business

Lifestylers

It was reported that the Lifestylers were raising funds for a children's charity and also hoped to donate a seat with plaque to the village. It was agreed to accept responsibility for the maintenance of the proposed seat in principle and that discussions take place with ERYC as to a suitable location.

Burglaries

It was reported that there had been a recent spate of burglaries with amongst other items a quad bike being stolen and lead taken from the playing field pavilion.

Members of the public were reminded to report any suspicious activity to the police.

Public session

Mr Ainley commended the Lifestylers for their public spiritedness discussed earlier and wished them well with their venture.

Discussion ensued on grass cuttings apparently being dumped in the beck and on the bank side and it was suggested that an article be published in *The Rooster* advising people not to deposit debris.

Next Parish Council Meeting Monday 12th October 2009 at 7.30 pm in Roos Memorial Institute.

FLY TIPPING

Would people please refrain from dumping grass cuttings etc. in the beck or on the bank sides. This causes problems and eventually flooding. Use your brown bins or take it to the tip.

Be alert if you see anyone fly tipping. REPORT THEM !!! *Ann Coupe*



Kilum Hall, Hilston Road (formerly Furze Road), Roos HU12 0HX



CAR BOOT SALE

Sunday 16th August saw a beautiful day for the Car Boot Sale. There were twenty-six booters all selling their wares.

The amount raised on the morning from site fees, the food sales and donations given at the gate totalled ± 349.24 which has been divided equally between Roos Cricket Club and the Children's Playground.

A special thank-you to Mrs Jane Richardson and Mrs Dawn Gregg for their invaluable help in the kitchen and to all those who supported the event. *Ann Coupe.*

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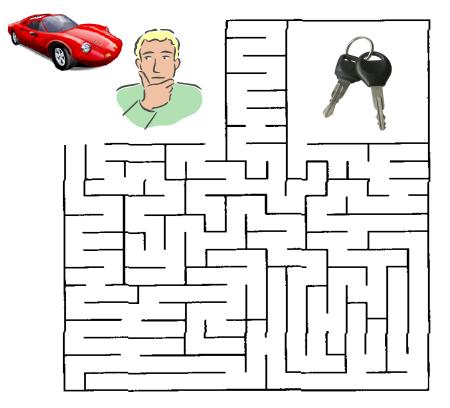
Holiday Cottage in Roos, Sleeps 4

Consider your relatives/friends for weddings, christenings, funerals etc.

Cottage nightly booking £30 inc. gas, electricity and linen. Please contact:- Tim or Kay on 01964 671659



JOE HAS LOST THE KEYS TO HIS CAR, CAN YOU LEAD HIM TO THEM?



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