

Editorial Comment

The committee is grateful for and warmly appreciates all the kind expressions of support received from across the whole parish.

In this month's edition, we report on the Roos Horticultural Show, and the welcome resumption of regular contributions from the WI and others. The report on Dr. Fouracre's retirement prompted a response from Joan and Alan Bowden - could this be the start of a Letters Column?

In this edition we are pleased to extend a very warm welcome to Alan Lavender MBE, who for 24 years was Head Chef at Chequers, the country residence of the Prime Minister. During this time he served no less than four different Prime Ministers, Margaret Thatcher, John Major, Tony Blair and Gordon Brown and has a wealth of stories to draw upon. We hope he will share some of them with us in future editions of the Rooster.

The May 5th Local Elections have come and gone, a new Parish Council is installed and Holderness South East, ERYC Ward Councillors elected. A full report will be prepared for the June edition.

The Rooster is your Parish Newsletter and we welcome any of your comments, letters, photographs or anything that you would like to submit for possible inclusion in future editions. A Rooster Post Box is located in Roos Stores / Post Office, alternatively, please contact either,

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Local Elections 2011



Results, May 5th 2011. East Riding of Yorkshire County Council Elections.

Local Election

We are pleased to offer our very warm congratulations to Cllr. Jackie Cracknell upon her election as one of the three official Conservative Party candidates standing for

Cllr. Jackie Cracknell with Graham Stuart, Conservative Member of Parliament for Beverley and Holderness, standing outside Roos Memorial Institute

the South East Holderness Ward of the East Riding of Yorkshire Council.

Later, having received 1482 votes, she said, " I am overwhelmed by the level of trust and confidence that the local community have shown me, I'm looking forward to the challenge that lies ahead".

Cllr. Cracknell has served as Vice Chair of Roos Parish Council and is very well aware of local issues and concerns. It is understood that she intends to continue as a member of Roos Parish Council.

We wish her every success in the sure knowledge that she will fully represent the views and opinions of Roos Parish at County Hall, Beverley.

Cllr. Richard Stead (1791 votes) and Cllr. Hodgson (1534 votes) were also elected and together with Jackie, will represent the views of South East Holderness.

Roos Parish Council

Cllr. Mike Cheeseman, after thirty years of dedicated service to Roos Parish, has chosen not to stand for re-election this time. We all wish him well.

In the May 2007 election, nominations exceeded the number of available seats and a ballot was necessary.

This time the ERYC received only eight nominations for the nine available places which resulted in the following being elected without a contest, (in alphabetical order), Willis Ainley, Ann Coupe, Jackie Cracknell, David Craggs, Bob Smales, Keith Tyson, John Ward and David Winter.

As noted in the Parish Council report, Cllr Alec Dodson missed the ERYC deadline for receipt of his nomination papers and has offered himself as a candidate for co-option to the Council.

A further report will follow next month.

56th Roos and District Horticultural Spring Show



The Roos and District Horticultural Society's Spring Show was held on 2nd April 2011, in the Memorial Hall, Burton Pidsea.

It was an overwhelming success with a record number of entries in the Adult Classes with 216 entries from 44 exhibitors. The Children's Classes had 212 entries from 159 children.

The Exhibition hall was filled with the perfume from spring

flowers and some wonderful plant exhibits.

Mrs M. Miller with Mrs Sheila Tyson

The Egg, Photography and Vegetable Sections proved very popular, but unfortunately the Floral Art Section is in need of some 'new blood' to boost the number of entries.

The children really excelled with their entries of flowers, paintings and models made from scrap and "junk". The children are being asked to grow a pot of Marigolds ready for submission for the Summer Show.

Mrs A. Crawforth, our new President, introduced Mrs M. Miller, the recently appointed Headteacher of Roos Primary School, who then presented the Cups and Rosettes to the Prizewinners. Miss Tilly Thomson then presented Mrs Miller with a basket of spring flowers as a token of appreciation.

The Committee would like to thank everyone involved in making the SPRING SHOW such a success: Mrs Jennifer Grant, said, " This is the only Spring Show in the area and we hope to break more records next year. Our Summer Show will take place on Saturday July 2nd in the Memorial Hall, Burton Pidsea. We all look forward to seeing you all there with your entries". Exhibition and Class schedules for THE SUMMER SHOW will be available from mid-May.

The Committee would like to increase the number of Charity and Craft Stalls, for more information, or, to reserve a stall please contact:

Mrs J Grant, Telephone 01964 670576.

The Roos Spring Show 2011: Cup and Rosette Prizewinners were:

CUPS THE PRESIDENTS CUP THE SHEILA WINTER CUP THE 40th ANNIVERSARY CUP THE CHILDRENS CUP

ROSETTES

SUBJECT FOR THE BEST CULTURAL EXHIBIT FOR THE BEST IN FLORAL ART FOR THE BEST EXHIBIT IN EGGS FOR THE BEST CHILDREN'S EXHIBIT

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THE BEST IN CUT FLOWERS THE BEST IN PLANTS& BULBS THE BEST IN FLORAL ART THE BEST IN FRUIT & VEGETABLES THE BEST IN EGGS THE BEST CHILDREN'S EXHIBIT

THE BEST IN PHOTOGRAPHY

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S AFFILIATED SOCIETY'S CARD FOR THE BEST EXHIBIT IN THE SHOW

WINNER Mrs A Crawforth Mrs M Pittock

> Miss Chloe Oldfield Miss Samantha Simmonds

WINNER

Mrs A Crawforth Mrs S Tyson Mrs M Pittock Mr D Hulme Miss Chloe Oldfield Miss Samantha Simmonds Miss Mary Jane Barker

Mrs M Pittock

Rooswi...

The May meeting was chaired by Mrs Dot Walker, Vice President, and following the minutes and correspondence being read she reminded members that suggestions for a memento of the W.I's 95th year would be welcome. Arrangements were in place for the Spring Walk to be held at Roos on 21st May and helpers were needed to assist with the preparation of lunch etc.

The Group Rally is to take place at Bilton on 31st May and entries were invited for the classes. The Roos Mini Market will take place on Friday and Saturday, 27th and 28th May in the Institute and donations of cakes would be gratefully received on these dates.

Mrs Margaret Stephenson has been Secretary of the W.I. for several years and has now retired from the post. Mrs Walker appealed to members to volunteer to take up this post - even for a limited time. It is essential for the continuance of the W.I. in Roos that someone comes forward. Mrs Stephenson was thanked and applauded for her past services.

Our speaker for the evening, Mr Brian Drury - a Hypnotherapist was then introduced and for the next part of the evening members were 'entranced' by his talk! He described the various stages and procedure of hypnotising someone and the reasons for it - which included weight gain, cessation of smoking, fears and phobias, allergies and pain relief as well as relationship problems etc. A brief demonstration, in which all members took part, showed us how quickly we could relax and be susceptible to the therapy. The vote of thanks was given by Mrs Val Adams.

The Flower of the Month competition was won by Mrs Denise Simpkins with a Euphorbia and Mrs Margaret Johnson won the Pretty Mug competition.

The Bingo will be held on Tuesday 14th June.

Alan Lavender MBE writes....



The Doctors Fouracre

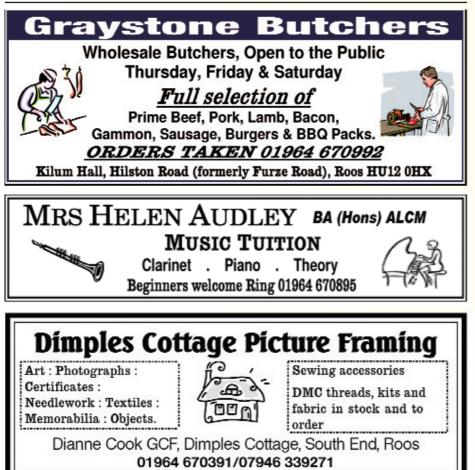


The photograph shows members of the Walking announcement of the Group with Dr Tony

Following the retirement of Dr. Fouracre. (seated centre) Robert Fouracre in

the last Rooster, Alan and Joan Bowden have been prompted to report on a walk recently organised by Dr Tony Fouracre, Roberts father. They say, "He led some of the Patrington Walking Club members on a walk through both Driffield and Little Driffield, ending up in a pleasant restaurant just in time for a leisurely lunch, over which many memories were exchanged. Friends and former patients will be pleased to learn that Tony is very fit and active,

living in a delightful apartment closer to where his boat is moored".



"Since retiring from Chequers the Prime Ministers country residence, after 24 years as head chef, I am often asked about the favourite foods the 4 Prime Ministers enjoyed the most.

This dish is one that John Major particularly liked, and was based on a recipe his mother- in- law talked to me about when the Major family started coming to Chequers.

I adjusted the ingredients and cooked it in larger volumes so it could be frozen and delivered to 10 Downing Street for use in their private quarters as and when they wanted.

John Major was not a gourmet and used to say "he ate to live" and not like me "live to eat!"

> He was particularly fond of spicy foods but this Mexican chicken dish, served with rice and a simple salad was always appreciated. I would also serve it as a hot buffet choice at many of the charity events hosted by Norma Major. These were a regular feature of their time in office which raised a substantial amount of money for various good causes.

> I am hoping to make this recipe column a regular event in the new Rooster and would welcome any questions for future editions".

Majors Mexican Chicken

Ingredients

8 chicken thighs or 4 skinless boneless breast pieces.
3 tablespoons flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon paprika
1/4 teaspoon black pepper
2 oz butter
2 tablespoons oil
1 chopped onion
3 tablespoons lemon juice
2 tablespoons Worcester sauce
2 tablespoons Tabasco sauce
1/2 pint water
1/4 pint tomato ketchup
1 teaspoon sugar
1 teaspoon chilli powder
1/4 teaspoon oregano

Method

Coat chicken in flour, salt, paprika and pepper. Brown chicken in butter and oil.

Place in baking dish. Add onions to the oil and cook until soft. Add rest of ingredients and cook for 10 minutes over a gentle heat.

Pour mixture over chicken, cover and bake until tender, keep basting with sauce.

Serve with rice and green salad

The Royal British Legion's 90th Anniversary June 10th,11th &12th 2011

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"It may seem unusual to think of getting into party mood in the summer for something as serious as the welfare and campaigning work undertaken by The Royal British Legion, but we believe that we should all take pleasure in and celebrate the 90th anniversary of this remarkable organisation and the outstanding achievements of the Legion over the last 90 years with a carnival atmosphere and a great sense of fun, comradeship and togetherness.

That's why we would love to see everyone joining in the Great Poppy Party Weekend. It doesn't matter whether it's a barbecue, fancy dress event, karaoke night, masked ball, barn dance, games evening, a dress down day at school, or any one of so many other wonderful and inventive ways of partying. Just join us and the many local authorities throughout the UK in making it a memorable occasion for all those taking part".

'The Toast'

If you do not wish to organise something quite so formal, you may consider it appropriate to accept their invitation to join in their national 'Toast' which has the possibility of involving hundreds of thousands of people throughout the United Kingdom. Acknowledge the wonderful work undertaken by The Royal British Legion by standing and raising a glass at 4pm on Sunday 12th June 2011.

For those interested in organising a social event along the lines suggested, further information may be obtained by logging on to www.thegreatpoppypartyweekend.org.uk or, by Telephone 01722 714937.

Donations may be sent to: The Royal British Legion. 199 Borough High Street London SEI IAA

Pink Ladies Complete the Virgin London Marathon



Dawn Megson, Angie Maltas and Sophie Teasdale all completed the Virgin London Marathon last Sunday raising funds for Breakthrough Breast Cancer and other Local Breast Cancer Charities.

The temperatures down in London were high for this time of the year but with plenty of water on course and the thousands of supporters cheering them on the ladies all finished in excellent times. For Dawn, this was her first marathon and all the hours of training paid off as she crossed the line in 4hr 45min. Even though Angie and Sophie set off from different starts they both ran their best times yet and bizarrely both finished in 4hr 22min.

With money still coming in Dawn and Angie expect their joint fundraising to

exceed £16,000 which was mainly due to the Wear it Pink Auction held back in March. Sophie who only secured her place in February has raised in excess of £2,000 all through sponsorship.

The ladies would like to thank their families, friends, colleagues and the village communities for all their support and kindness. They could not have done this without you all and are overwhelmed by the support they have received. Should anyone wish to donate further then please go to www.justgiving.com/angela-maltas



Roos Bells Appeal Update



We are very pleased and encouraged to report that our efforts to raise approximately £45,000 to re-hang and refurbish the ring of bells at Roos Church are going well. This sum includes the cost of adding an additional bell.

The Beverley and District Ringing Society and the Yorkshire Association of Change Ringers have awarded us grants of \$8,000 and \$4,000 respectively. We have had two major private donations and many generous contributions from a wide range of people including a grant of \$200from Roos Parish Council.

200 cards and 120 tea towels have been sold and our 'winter warmer' coffee morning was well attended. Thank you to everyone who has supported us so far. We now have a total of approx £28,000. We have also had offers of practical help and this will reduce our final bill.

Roos Church is Grade 1 Listed and so we have had to consult English Heritage regarding the installation of the frame to support the new bell. A structural survey of the tower has been carried out. No major problems were found and so English Heritage is happy for the project to proceed as planned.

All this is excellent news BUT the fund raising continues. More grants are being applied for and we are currently selling an illustrated booklet written by Stan Cook of Rectory Road about the people of Roos in the 1930s. It provides a fascinating description of life in our village at that time. A minimum donation of \$5 to the bell fund will secure you a copy.

Donations to the bell fund can be gift aided by UK tax payers which means we can claim 25p in the pound back from the government. Cheques should be made payable to Roos PCC Bell Fund.

Unless this essential refurbishment is carried out, Roos bells will become "unringable" Any donation, large or small will be greatly appreciated.

Helen Audley

The Sycamores, South End, Roos. Tel: 01964 670895



Rooster Association

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 and amount. All details 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.

Mr Derek Crook Mrs A. Coupe Mrs N.G. Wilson Mr & Mrs A.& B. Smith Mr C. Porter Mr C. Dee Mrs S. Turner Mr & Mrs K.R.Tyson Mr R. Tyson Mr & Mrs P. Nicholson Mrs V. Adams Mr & Mrs T Peart Mr & Mrs Brocklehurst Mrs H. Audley Mr J. Ward

DeadLine.....

Deadline for next issue is 9th June 2011



May 14that home to GilberdykeMay 21staway to Hutton CranswickMay 28thaway to East Park Marist CC

		Ro	s Benef	ice Ma	ay-Jun	e 20	11
MAY 15	10.00	Garton	Morning Prayer	JUNE 5	10.00	Garton	Holy Communion
Easter 4	10.30	Roos	Special service for Christian Aid Week in the Memorial Institute	Sunday after Ascension	11.00	Roos	Morning Prayer
	15.00	Hilston	Holy Communion	<u>JUNE 12</u> Pentecost	9.00 11.00	Tunstall Roos	Holy Communion Holy Communion
MAY 22	9.00	Tunstall	Holy Communion		18.30	Garton	Evening Prayer
Easter 5	11.00	Roos	Holy Communion				
	18.30	Garton	Evening Prayer	<u>JUNE 19</u>	10.00	Garton	Morning Prayer
				Trinity	11.00	Roos	Holy Communion
MAY 29 Easter 6	11.00	Hilston	Holy Communion with Baptism	Sunday	15.00	Hilston	Holy Communion
			This is a Benefice Service	<u>JUNE 26</u> Trinity 1	9.00 11.00	Tunstall Roos	Holy Communion Holy Communion
	12.30	Roos	Holy Baptisms	-7	18.30	Garton	Evening Prayer





EASTFIELD ESTATE Social Activities

Wednesdays are enjoyable days for the residents of Eastfield Estate as the Derby & Joan Club is held on each alternate Wednesday starting at 1.30 p.m to 4 p.m. Cards and Dominoes are played on the alternate week. Also on Wednesday evenings a Solo Card School is held from 7p.m. until 10 p.m. and all are welcome to join.

On Thursdays from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. there is a knitting club when members are busy knitting squares which are then made up into blankets and distributed overseas by Jacobs Well Charity. Perhaps any oddments of wool readers may have tucked away in a drawer would be welcome and put to good use!

CAR BOOT Sunday 22nd May in Roos Playing Field 9:00am - 1:00pm £5 per vehicle set up from 8:30am Food & Refreshments available Proceeds to Roos Playing Field Association STRICTLY NO DOGS ALLOWED

ROOS PLAYING FIELD

ANNOUNCEMENT



Parishmatters The Roos Parish Council Meeting

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

The following topics have been considered by Roos Parish Council during March and April 2011.

Allotments

The Parochial Church Council has land in its ownership for potential use for allotments. The site plan had been passed to Mr Kerr-Delworth for evaluation by those interested. In response, three of them suggested that the site was unsuitable.

The Pinfold

A site visit had taken place in March following which quotations for improvements i.e. re-pointing of the wall, and, demolition and rebuilding of the wall had been received. Following further enquiries it was noted that purchase of 8 railway sleepers, landscape fabric and gravel, materials to undertake an initial "tidy up", would cost around £365, with labour being provided through the goodwill of members.

Severe winter weather pilot fund

The Parish Sub Group was exploring the possibility of acquiring a suitably adapted mini tractor for use in the region. Two machines with variable salt/grit spreading capabilities were being tested and a quad bike had been offered for use. It was agreed to purchase ten tons of salt at £65 per ton from Cllr Smales for future use.

Parish RES pre-construction fund

Initial applications from local organisations seeking funding would be considered by the Panel on 16th May 2011.

Flooding and land drainage

Rectory Road

Land drainage improvements were almost complete.

Tunstall coastal defence scheme

Confirmation had been received from the Environment Agency that further site investigations had revealed significant geotechnical problems which meant that the embankment could not be constructed as envisaged. For some time, the Agency had been working closely with Keyingham Level Drainage Board (KLDB) to consider a partnership agreement to deliver a suitable scheme. However, in view of the requirements of the Environment Agency, KLDB had resolved not to proceed with this particular arrangement and had passed the matter back to them. The Environment Agency have since reported that they are working to find an alternative solution to provide an acceptable standard of flood protection.

Travelling people in Holderness

It was reported that Keyingham was experiencing planning problems in relation to a planning application. It was agreed that the Chairman discuss the matter with his counterpart at Keyingham Parish Council.

ERYC Local Development Framework Core Strategy

Following an update from ERYC on development of its proposals for Roos, it was noted that the ERYC Cabinet would be considering the matter in September. It was agreed to form a subcommittee to formulate a further policy response to the document.

Roos Church bells appeal

A letter had been received from the Parochial Church Council seeking a donation towards the restoration of the church bells. Cllr. Dodson declared an interest and took no part in discussion or voting. It was agreed that £200.00 be donated towards the appeal fund. A letter of thanks has been received.

Rifle shooting range - Pinfold Lane

A letter had been received from residents complaining of the use of agricultural land for what was understood to be an unlicensed shooting range. The ERYC had confirmed that it was aware of the situation and that the landowner had been informed that planning permission was required. It was stated that either the use of the site cease, or, that planning permission be submitted within 28days. It was agreed to await developments.

Proposed offshore wind farm project

Details of a proposed application for a development consent order for an offshore wind farm project within the Hornsea zone had been received from Smart Wind seeking the Council's comments by 30th April.

Proposed wind farm development at Tedder Hill

It was understood that the approved three wind turbine development may not now be proceeding and it was agreed to enquire of ERYC if this was the case.

Planning Matters

Editorial note : The following are reported in full.

March 2011

Decisions:

It was reported that ERYC had approved the following applications:

- Erection of pig finishing building at land south of The House, Priest Close, Burton Road, Roos.
- Erection of a detached dwelling at land north of The Willows, South End, Roos.

Applications:

Erection of outbuilding at The Haven, Rostun Road, Roos.

It was agreed to arrange a site visit prior to any comments on the application.

 Erection of stable/tack room at land south of Rectory Lane, Tunstall.

It was agreed that no objections be made to the above proposal but that ERYC be asked to incorporate a specific condition for waste management/disposal.

April 2011

Decisions:

It was reported that ERYC had approved the following applications:

- Erection of conservatory to rear at 1 North End Cottages, Hilston Road, Roos.
- Change of use of agricultural building to non-agricultural leisure/stable at land north of Chantry House, Rectory Road, Roos.
- Erection of extension to side following demolition of existing garage at Hedgerow House, 29 Beechwood Views, Roos.

Parishmatters Continued

Applications:

- Alteration/extension of former agricultural buildings at Hall Farm, Tunstall.
- Erection of building as a leisure centre, alteration/extension of former agricultural buildings for retail/purposes, construction of outdoor swimming pool, laying out of external areas and construction of car parking facilities at Hall Farm, Tunstall.

It was agreed that no objections be made to the above proposals.

Change of use of land to form an extension to existing caravan park at; Holdemess Country Park, Southfield Lane, Tunstall.

It was agreed that the documents be circulated amongst members that ERYC be asked for an extension of time for any comments and that ERYC Highways be made aware of the current state of Southfield Lane.

Erection of two guyed 80m



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It was agreed that the documents be circulated amongst members that clarification be sought from ERYC on the precise details of the application and an extension of time for any comments be requested.

Parish Council Elections

Retiring member: The Chairman paid tribute to Cllr Cheeseman who had not offered himself for re-election to the Council at the forthcoming elections in May.

The Chairman thanked him on behalf of the Council for his outstanding service and commitment to the Council over many years, both as a previous Treasurer, and as a member for some thirty years. He wished him well in the future.

Present member: Cllr Dodson reported that he had inadvertently not submitted his nomination papers to ERYC in time for reelection to the Council. He apologised for the oversight and trusted that members would co-opt him to Council in due course.



