

The Roos Parish Newsletter

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Rooster Editorial

Its only about 50 days until Christmas, isn't that a frightening thought. Our attention will focus on creating a bumper colour edition of the Rooster covering both December and January. We hope to include some festive articles, recipes and details of what is going on in our vibrant village etc. So, any festive pieces would be gratefully received, the more colourful and diverse the better.

Our new Vicar is now in post and already fully involved with the parish and our wonderful school. Building work on the new classroom is progressing well although lessons in bricklaying have not been added to the curriculum!

Welcome also to our new hosts at the Roos Arms Bob and Pauline, its great the pubs future is secure and serving the village again.



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Roos Arms

We are the new owners of the Roos Arms, Bob and Pauline (purely alphabetical not hierarchy) and would love you to come and meet us if you haven't already visited.

Our intention is to return the Roos Arms to a proper village pub, so we would welcome suggestions to achieve this. So far we have changed the menu, offering quality, locally sourced mainly traditional food with a few twists. We have also brightened up rooms by hanging paintings from the Roos Arts Society, which incidentally are for sale.

We would like to start a golden years club for the older members of the village and surrounding area. It was very popular in our last pub giving people a chance to get together, meet friends and eat two courses for £6.00 mains and a pudding. If you think you or anyone else would be interested in either attending or helping co-ordinate it please let us know.

Finally we would like to thank everyone who has already visited us and made us feel so welcome to the village.

This edition of the Rooster is kindly sponsored by Mark & Jane Winter. We need new sponsors for future editions of The Rooster. Please contact Alan on 671322 if you can help

All Saints' Church Roos

Martin Faulkner.

Martin has been appointed as the new Vicar for the Withernsea Benefice which also includes the villages of Garton, Grimston, Hilston, Hollym, Holmpton, Owthorne, Roos and Tunstall. Martin previously worked in the Bolingbroke Benefice in Lincolnshire which has over 28 churches in it, as well as a short period as the priest for the Skegness Group which included him ministering to such exotic places as Butlins and Fantasy Island Theme Park. He has also worked part time at the Lincoln School Of Theology assisting in the training of Readers and Ordinands and also as one of the Emergency Disaster Chaplains for Lincolnshire but fortunately, has never been called out.

Martin is excitedly looking forward to working with all of the churches in the Benefice and meeting the people who live in the South Holderness area. Martin lives in Withernsea with his wife Kaye and daughters Angharad and Eleri and is interested in walking, reading, cycling and sausage rolls! He has also been taught art by the same art teacher as Damien Hirst.

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



s: Lawrence Church Elstronwick & Elstronwick Methodist Chapel







Playing Fields Roos I would like to report a piece of good news, for the Playing Field Association, in the way of a legacy of £500 from the late Don Rowland. Don, a former teacher at South Holderness Scchool, was a founder member of the Playing Field Association and very active in it's formative years. He was a keen supporter of many sports and was deeply involved with Withernsea Football Club to which he also left a legacy. Without people like Don many sporting organisations would not exist and we have passed on our thanks to his wife, Nester, for all his efforts and generosity over the years.

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 to The Rooster during October 2015 from:

October 2015 from:
Mrs Patrick
Mrs Rowland
Mr & Mrs Priestly

Roos Benefice Services



1st Nov	8.30	Tunstall	Holy Communion
	9.30	Roos	Morning Prayer
	9.30	Garton	Holy Communion
	18.00	Hilston	Light for All Souls
8th Nov	10.30	Roos	Remembrance Day
*			(Memorial Institute)
	15.00	Garton	Evening Prayer
15 th Nov	8.30	Tunstall	Holy Communion
	9.30	Roos	Morning Prayer
	9.30	Garton	Morning Prayer
	15.00	Hilston	Holy Communion
22 nd Nov	9.30	Roos	Holy Communion
	15.00	Garton	Evening Prayer
29 th Nov	11.00	Holmpton?	United Benefice

Help needed !!!



Do you like flower arranging, if so would you be interested in joining the dedicated team of flower arrangers for Roos Church. If interested please contact Sue on 671852 for more information.

Roos Surgery Appointments: 01964 613221

Surgery Opening Hours

Monday	8.00am – 1.00pm
Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday	1.00pm – 6.00pm
Thursday	1.00pm – 6.00pm
Friday	8.00am – 1.00pm

Dispensary Opening Hours

Monday	9.00am–12.30pm
Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Thursday	3.30pm – 6.00pm
Friday	9.00am–12.30pm

Farmyard Bingo in Roos



The October bingo was another great success with the £100 donation being accepted by Jane Richardson representing the church. She thanked everyone for their support and said the money would go towards the continuing improvements to the church. Next bingo sessions are 10th November POULTRY and 8th December CHOCOLATE when a bumper bundle of donations will be presented. Occasionally we can be short of helpers so if anyone has a spare couple of hours once a month it would be much appreciated. Please contact Joy 671321 or Dot 671250

WI Roos

WHY WI

Oh why am I so lonely, she'd cry. Why time hangs so heavy. O my! But her sighs are no more now. She has interests galore now. She's a WI member. That's why!

If you went to see the WI exhibition at Hedon museum that verse will be familiar. The Roos WI meeting on the 4th November, 7.30pm in the Institute, will be our annual meeting. Please don't be put off. The business doesn't take too long and then we have Barbara Ball, an East Yorkshire Federation trustee and very interesting speaker, talking about and demonstrating "How to make the most of scarves". The competition will be a scarf and matching accessory so don't forget to bring one with you.

Our December meeting will not be in the Institute as we are out to dinner at the Nancy, Burton Pidsea. If you wish to be with us please see that your name and menu choice is on the list at our November meeting. New members are always welcome. For more details contact Dot 671250 or Joy 671321

Roos Bell Ringers

The Roos team of bell ringers have been kept busy recently.

Thursday October 8th was the day of the Roos C of E Primary School Harvest Festival. We have a growing and progressing group of young ringers at Roos. The youngest are Tia Hodgins and Finlay Ledger, both of whom attend Roos School. They took part in the ringing prior to the school service. Fin has recently been awarded his Level 1 Certificate. Photo 1 shows Tia Hodgins and Finlay Ledger Friday evening, all the junior ringers were in action to ring for the main church harvest festival - the first service in the benefice to be conducted by our new Vicar, Rev. Martin Faulkner.

The following day the bells rang out in celebration following the wedding of Sarah Winter and Sam Parkin. During the afternoon of Sunday October 11th a full peal was rung to formally welcome Rev. Martin to the benefice. Members of the Beverley and District Ringing Society rang a total of 5056 changes in 2 hours 46 mins. Clare Wilkie, who learnt to ring with her two sons has recently achieved Level 3. The Wilkie family were lucky enough to ring on the 12 bells at Holy Trinity Wall Street in New York while on holiday - and have the video to prove it! Photo 2 shows Clare with her certificate. L to R Lloyd Ainley, James Wilkie, Clare Wilkie, Harry Wilkie and Liam Ledger.





Friends of Roos School will be holding their annual Christmas Fayre this year on 29th November 2015 at 11-3pm. We have changed the venue this year to the Memorial Institute due to the building work continuing at the school. We hope to see many of you there to raise funds to support the school who are currently aiming to provide the children with some new outdoor play equipment. There will be the chance to visit Father Christmas, Raffle, Tombola, craft stalls plus many more fun activities. As with all our events we rely on the support of the community and any donations of raffle/tombola prizes are gratefully welcomed and can be left either at the school or given to any FORS member.

Woodland Group Roos

The Roos Woodland group of happy volunteers has spent the past week or two out and about in the orchards of our parish gleaning spare apples and pears for our next project. We hope to be able to establish a not for profit fruit juice concern to raise money for our continued tree planting. Our own orchard trees, planted on the road north of Roos towards Hilston, will not produce much fruit for a year or two, so we have taken advantage of generous offers of fruit from friends around and about Roos. Two tonnes of apples were taken to the apple press at Carr House Farm near Driffield last week which will be guickly turned into bottles of juice which we will sell locally to generate funds. We hope! If you would like to buy any local juice (it will last a year) please get in touch with me at bakerg40@gmail.com or on 07791519467. Thank you, Gerard Baker



Parish Council Report: October 2015

Parish Council Minutes are published in full on Parish Notice Boards and on the parish website – roosparish.info The Minutes of the 14th September were approved.

Tunstall Coastal Defence Scheme

There was no progress to report and it was agreed to approach senior officers at the ERYC to move matters forward.

Local Community Transport – Survey

A questionnaire designed to establish the extent of local transport needs was awaiting ERYC action.

Commemorative Medal

It was noted that 58 medals had been sold at £3.00 each.

Speeding Vehicles

It was reported that several speed camera surveys had been conducted. Police Community Support Officers had stopped and warned offending motorists. The highest recorded speed within the 30mph zone was in excess of 50mph. The ERYC will now place speed recording strips in the highway.

The installation of a pedestrian road crossing near the school is under consideration.

Tractor Parking in Main Street

A resident has expressed concern that a large tracked tractor has been parking on the verges in Main Street whilst the driver was shopping. Their concern is that the weight of the tractor may crack or break roadside drains. It has been advised that the registration number is taken to help identification.

Police Crime Report. Details will be published in Council Minutes.

ERYC Planning – Applications

Erection of a single storey extension to the rear of Elm Cottage, Elm Garth, Roos -15/02832/PLF Council raised no objection. **The Pinfold**.

It was reported that funding had been granted towards the renovation of the wall. Additionally it was suggested that the planting of suitable bulbs and flowering plants be considered at the site and elsewhere.

Parish Emergency Plan

This is being checked and updated where necessary. It was agreed that a 'dummy run' exercise to test its effectiveness would be undertaken and that means of raising public awareness would be considered.

Transparency code for smaller authorities - December 2014.

Members received a copy. The document, published by the Department for Communities and Local Government sets out policies to 'enable electors and ratepayers to access relevant information about the authorities' accounts and governance'

RES Roos Wind Farm Community Fund

Strategies to advertise the launch of the next funding round is under consideration. Information would be made available to local community groups and organisations with more general advertising published on the ERVAS and Roos Parish websites.

Infinis. Tedder Hill Wind Farm Fund

It was reported that following EU legislation, Ofgem had determined that applications for the Feed-In Tariff Income arising from solar panel installations would not be approved where their financing was provided from 'public funds'. This affects two applications in Roos --Roos Parish Church and Roos Playing Field Association but also elsewhere in the ERYC. This decision is being challenged by both the ERYC and wind farm companies with the matter being taken up with the Secretary of State. It was also reported that monies lodged with HEYwoods for tree planting in the area would be made available to interested parties in early 2016. It is understood that a grant awarding panel would be established to evaluate applications.

Public Session

Following an enquiry, it was reported that an invoice for removal of a tree trunk in Roos Beck rested with the ERYC. **Date of next meeting: Monday 9th November 2015 at 7.30pm in the Memorial Institute.**