

August 2008 Church and Community News

Romans Invade Wrawby

Saturday, 9th August
10.30am – 5.00pm

A Roman Legion will be setting up camp of the playing fields on 9th August complete with 3 span catapult. Many hands-on exhibits plus demonstrations. Fun for everyone. See how the Romans lived for a day
See Page 4 for more details



Wrawby Horticultural Society 66th Annual Show Saturday 9th August

It is still not too late to enter and entry forms can be downloaded from www.wrawby.org.uk or obtained from Mrs Greenfield or Mrs Cumming. Entries MUST be at the Hall before 12 noon with the show opening at 3.00 p.m. Prizes will be presented at 5.00 p.m. followed by an auction of produce.

See Page 3 for more details

Wrawby Holiday Club

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2.00pm to 3.30pm

Thursdays

7th, 14th, 21st and 28th August

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Teddy Bears Picnic

Teddy Bears meet on

Wednesday 6th August

at the church AT 11.30am

The programme includes a story, songs and activities as well as the picnic, which will be outdoors, weather permitting.

All pre-school children are welcome—
more info available from Jane on
653575



CE Electric (YEB) Priority Service Register

CE Electric are have asked the Parish council to help update their register of priority/vulnerable customers. These customers are those most at risk during power cuts etc and will receive priority service in that event. (Anyone who is medically dependent upon electricity for dialysis etc, for example) CE Electric need to know who these customers are. If you believe yourself to be eligible for inclusion on the register or know of anyone else who should be, please advise Graham Foster at York House Tunnel Road Tel 651250

www.wrawby.org.uk

Who's Who in Wrawby

St Mary's Parish Church

Clergy

Revd. Owain Mitchell
10 Glanford Road, Brigg 653989

Licensed Reader
Nigel Good 658883

Churchwarden
Derek Bunting 652542

Nigel Good 658883

Deputy Churchwarden
Rosy Hoyle 653154

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Honorary Treasurer
Patrick Keilthy 655360

Wrawby Methodist Church

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Revd. Janet Magee
16 St James Road Brigg

Church Stewards
Jim Marr 650114
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Village Organisations

Wrawby St. Mary's C E Controlled
Primary School

Head teacher
Mrs. S. Rowe 655579

Chair of Governors
Mrs C White 655579

Friends of Wrawby School
Petra Heath 678224

Wrawby Pre-school (Mon, Wed &
Fri 9.15 - 11.45 am & 12.45 - 3.15
pm, Thurs 9.15 - 11.45 next to the
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Nikki Barnard 678901
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school building)

Nikki Barnard 678901

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Carl Sherwood 655202

Parish Council - Chairman
Ian Smith 652084

Parish Clerk
Graham Foster 651250

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Wrawby Neighbourhood Watch
"Wrawby Reporter"

Mrs. Julie Smith 652084

Wrawby Post Mill
Mrs. Susan Day 653699

Wrawby History Group
Mrs. Kay Rothery 653315

Lunch & Chat
Mrs. P Hubbard 653387

Warden of Wold Court
Mrs. A Locking 653475

Wrawby Playing Fields Assoc.
Mr. Paul Dalton 654665

Village Hall Committee Chairperson
Mr Warwick May 658206

Village Hall Bookings
Mrs. Louise Barraclough 654884
(9 a.m.-7 p.m. Mon. to Saturday)

Indoor Bowls
Meg Gall 650173

Welcome pack
Mrs. Rosy Hoyle 653154

Genuine council complaints

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- It's the dogs mess that I find hard to swallow.
- I wish to report that tiles are missing from the outside toilet roof. I think it was bad wind the other night that blew them off
- My lavatory seat is cracked, where do I stand?
- I am writing on behalf of my sink, which is coming away from the wall.
- Will you please send someone to mend the garden path? My wife tripped and fell on it, yesterday, and now she is pregnant.
- I request permission to remove my drawers in the kitchen
- I am still having problems with smoke in my new drawers.
- The toilet is blocked and we cannot bath the children until it is cleared.
- Will you please send a man to look at my water; it is a funny colour and not fit to drink.
- Our lavatory seat is broken in half and is now in three pieces.
- Our kitchen floor is damp. We have two children and would like a third, so please send someone round to do something about it.
- This is to let you know that our lavatory seat is broke and we can't get BBC2

Please note that events advertised in this magazine are the responsibility of the organisers. Whilst every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of the information in Wrawby News, neither the Church nor the Editors have any control over the events or information supplied by others.

Please contact any of the editorial team with news etc for next month's magazine

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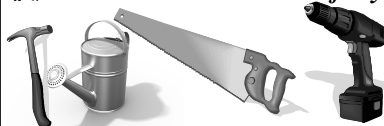
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Wrawby St Mary's School round-up

Year 5 and 6 children have just returned from a very enjoyable residential trip to Cumbria. The behaviour and attitude of the children was a credit to both the school and their parents, who should feel very proud of them. It was lovely to witness the awe and wonder displayed on the children's faces and in their conversations - it makes it all worth while. Many thanks must also go to Mr Maeers, Mr Sylvester and Mrs Gainsborough, without who the trip could not have taken place. Other visits this term have included Mrs Potterton's class outing to the Pink Pig, Year 4/5 visit to the Museum and Art Centre, Year 5/6 Church Schools Festival, Year 1/2 Victorian Workshop and an Artists Workshop in Miss Wall-head's/Miss Drinkalls class.

Wrawby Roadside Signs Thank You

Many of you will have noticed the flowers beneath the 3 Wrawby signs at the main entrances to the village. Lack of flowers at these signs counted against Wrawby in the 2007 Best kept Village Competition. Action by the Parochial Church Council and the Parish Council obtained permission from the Highways Department to plant under the signs this year. It is hoped that even more can be achieved next year.

Grateful thanks go to Napper Sharp for clearing the areas to be planted and to Napper Sharp, Bob Green and Elaine at the Lilacs for planting the flowers and keeping an eye on them.

Wrawby Horticultural Society 66th Annual Show

Saturday 9th August sees the 66th show in the Village Hall. There are various categories for vegetables, fruit, flowers, floral art, cookery, handicrafts, photography and for children. Entry forms can be downloaded from www.wrawby.org.uk or obtained from Mrs Greenfield or Mrs Cumming. Entries need to be at the Hall before 12 noon with the show opening at 3.00 p.m. Prizes will be presented at 5.00 p.m. followed by an auction of produce.



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The Romans Return to Wrawby

To mark the end of Wrawby Local History Group's successful "Time Team" archaeological project, they are celebrating with a spectacular day of **FREE** entertainment on Wrawby Playing Field :- **Saturday, 9th August from 10.30am – 5.00pm**

The amazing Legio VII Augusta will be setting up camp on the field and living like Romans.



Living history displays of cooking, writing and weaving.

The military encampment will demonstrate metal and leatherwork.

Make a Roman coin or have your name written in Roman script (small charge applies).

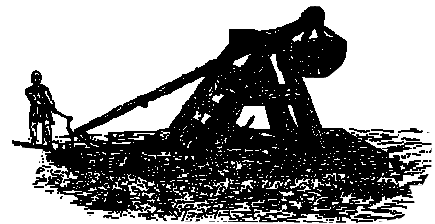
Military drill including the "testudo" (tortoise) & 3-Span catapult demonstrations in the display arena at 11am, 2pm & 4pm.


Fun for the children -

Try on Roman helmets, make a clay pot, design a mosaic fire a mini catapult and lots more!

Visit the display of archaeology found at the Roman site in Wrawby


wrawbyhistory@yahoo.co.uk





Wrawby Under Fives Association Open Evening

Wrawby Preschool is holding an Open Evening on Thursday 4th September 2008 at 7.30pm. This will be held in the Preschool Building, located in the grounds of Wrawby St Mary's School, Vicarage Avenue. The evening will give you the opportunity to meet staff and committee members, ask questions and see the types of activities we offer to Children. Come along and find out more about Wrawby Preschool. We look forward to seeing you there.







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Wrawby Horticultural Society

66th Annual Show

Saturday 9th August

Show Opens at 3.00pm

Presentation of Prizes at 5.00pm

There is still time to enter the show. Entries need to be at the Hall before 12 noon on the 9th with the show opening at 3.00 p.m. There is a huge variety of categories for vegetables, fruit, flowers, floral art, cookery, handicrafts, photography and special categories for children.

Full details are on the website www.wrawby.org.uk where entry forms can be downloaded. They can also be obtained from Mrs Greenfield or Mrs Cumming. Prizes will be presented at 5.00 p.m. followed by an auction of produce.

Back To Church Sunday

11.00am Sunday 12th October

There will be a special service in the church at 11.00am on Sunday 12th October aimed at those who have not been to church for a little while or perhaps those who have recently moved to Wrawby.

Full details will be published next month but in the meantime mark the date in your calendar or diary—you won't want to miss this service.

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Around Wrawby

FROM THE REGISTERS

BAPTISMS 13TH JULY –CURTIS THOMAS SMITH
–WILL HARVEY STEPHENSON

WEDDINGS 28TH JUNE –JONATHAN STUART KELICK TO NATALIE DAWN BOLTON

As reported last month the Church is now open during the day for those who wish to find some peace and tranquillity or a chance for quiet contemplation and prayer. It will be open from 9.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m. each day.

A vacancy still exists on Wrawby Parish Council. Applications/nominations are sought from anyone who feels that they can contribute to the council and the village. Further details are on the Parish Council notice board or from the Clerk to the Council, Graham Foster. Tel 651250

Our new Curate, David Eames and his wife Max and family have now moved in and David has been attending as many services and events as possible.

Welcome packs are available for newcomers to the village and can be obtained from Church or Rosie Hoyle on 653154. Taking one round is a good way to get to know your new neighbour!!

Scunthorpe and Brigg Rotaract Presents..... 'Oscars Night'

Saturday 13th September 2008

7.30pm - 12.30pm at Elsham Golf Club

Live Music by RoadRunner

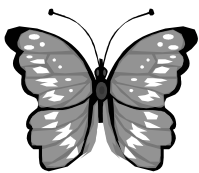
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(For tickets please call Emma on 07948196334 or events@sbrotaract.org.uk)

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“Dig for Victory!”

I confess I have never placed an entry in Wrawby Horticultural Society’s Annual Show. I live in Wrawby, so I’m automatically a member – but it’s just that, well... never mind. I’m sure your excuses are better than mine!

But maybe times are changing. It’s not because I’m suddenly passionate about growing prize vegetables. It’s because the days of cheap supermarket shopping and convenience foods may be coming to an end.

You’ll know the reasons. The number of human beings on this planet continues to grow. China and India are becoming wealthier; so they want their share of what’s available. The days when we in Western Europe and the USA could indulge ourselves at the expense of the rest of the world are clearly coming to an end.

I still have the war-time Ration Book that my parents had for me when I was a child. I can remember my mother handing over tokens in order to buy her entitlement of sugar and butter from the grocer in the village.

I also vividly remember my grandfather in his garden in Kent, going with him to collect eggs from the hen-house, and then helping him to harvest (and then shell) fresh peas for lunch.

The war-time slogan had been ‘Dig for Victory’. Every corner of every garden was to be commandeered for growing vegetables. Many Horticultural Societies and their annual shows were started during this period. People helped each other with seeds and cuttings and tools, and shared the produce.

I was recently asked how I would feel if, because of the increased global demand for food, rationing came back, not just as a war-time emergency measure, but permanently. How would you react? Would it be an infringement of your freedom, your human rights? Or would it be part of a much deeper questioning about how human beings relate to the natural world of which we are a part?

Almost instinctively, all the world’s great religions address this question in similar ways. Human beings can’t stand outside the world as though we are God. Valuing ourselves for what we can take out of the world, for what we *consume* (and building an economy on it) is in the longer term a recipe for disaster. “The earth was not made for man; man was made for the earth.” (Chief Seattle) “From dust you were made; to dust you will return.” (Genesis 3)

The problem is that we all like gratifying ourselves in the short term. We all like indulging ourselves – and if that means going into debt (so we’ve been told), that’s not a problem. “Access takes the waiting out of wanting” was the slogan when we were first tempted to have credit cards!

But the technical term for all this wanting is ‘greed’. You can’t build a sustainable and healthy world on greed. On this basis today’s ‘credit crunch’ was inevitable. But, as the war-time gardeners of England discovered, you can live sustainably when you are ready to share. And in God’s economy, those who learn how to look after the soil from which all our food comes are the ones most likely to have enough and to spare.

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Wrawby's Diary for August 2008

August

- 2 Saturday** 10.00 - 12.00 Coffee Morning in Church - Cream Scones, Coffees
- 3 Sunday**
St. Mary's 8.00 a.m. Holy Communion
11.00 a.m. United Family Service
- 5 Tuesday** 8.00pm Parish Council Meeting
- 6 Wednesday**
St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
11.30am Teddy Bears Picnic
Lunch Club at the Black Horse
Mobile Library
- 7 Thursday**
St Mary's 2pm to 3.30pm Holiday Club in the Church
- 9 Saturday** **Wrawby Village Show & Roman Wrawby Display VillageHall/Playing Fields**
- 10 Sunday**
St. Mary's 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
- 13 Wednesday**
St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
- 14 Thursday** 2pm to 3.30pm Holiday Club
St Mary's
- 17 Sunday**
St. Mary's 11.00 a.m. Morning Praise
- 20 Wednesday**
St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
Mobile Library
- 21 Thursday** 2pm to 3.30pm Holiday Club
St Mary's
- 24 Sunday**
St. Mary's 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
- 25 Monday** Bank Holiday
2.00-5.00 p.m. Windmill Open Day

27 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist

28 Thursday

St Mary's

September

2 Tuesday 8.00pm Parish Council Meeting

3 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
10.00am Teddy Bears Club
Lunch Club at the Black Horse
Mobile Library

4 Thursday **School reopens**

6 Saturday 10.00 - 12.00 Coffee Morning in Church - Cream Scones, Coffees

7 Sunday

St. Mary's 8.00 a.m. Holy Communion
11.00 a.m. United Family Service

All are welcome to attend the Sunday Services at St. Mary's Church.

Those on the first and third Sunday are particularly arranged as joint services with the Methodist congregation.



To book a Wedding or Baptism please see Fr Owain after Parish Communion on 2nd or 4th Sunday. For all other matters contact him on 01652 653989 or fromitchell@btinternet.com Email:fromitchell@btinternet.com

Wrawby Mobile Library Schedule

Alternate Wednesdays:-

Village Hall	12.20 - 12.40 p.m.
Central Stores	1.45 - 2.10 p.m.
Tunnel/Barton Road	2.15 - 2.25 p.m.

See Diary for this month's dates



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