Church and Community News August 2009

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Teas

Programmes and Entry forms can be downloaded from the Wrawby Community Web Site at http://www.wrawby.org.uk/CommunityPageO3.htm#show or are available from Committee members. Entries are accepted up to 12.00 Noon on the day of the show.

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Who's Who in Wrawby St Mary's Parish Church

Clergy

Fr. Owain Mitchell 10 Glanford Road, Brigg 653989 Curate

Fr. David Eames 652396 Licensed Reader Nigel Good 658883 Churchwarden

Derek Bunting 652542 Nigel Good 658883 Jeputy Churchwarden

Deputy Churchwarden T B C

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Wrawby Methodist Church

Church Stewards
Jim Marr 650114
Robert Wright 652418
Church Treasurer
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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

Other Organisations

Roman Catholic Representative Marie Owen Brown 653579 Wrawby Pre-school (Mon, Wed & Fri 9.15 - 11.45 am & 12.45 - 3.15 pm, Thurs 9.15 - 11.45 next to the school)

Carer and Toddler Group (Tuesday 10.00 - 11.30 am term - time in Pre school building)

Karen Mullins 654575
North Lincolnshire UA Councillors
John Berry 01469540840
Nigel Sherwood 653232
Carl Sherwood 655202
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lan Smith 652084 Parish Clerk

Graham Foster 651250 Community Police 0845 606 0222 Wrawby Neighbourhood Watch

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 and Bookings

Mrs Susan Day 653699
Village Hall Secretary

Mrs. Kirstin May 658206 Village Hall Property Manager Mr. John Walton 05600 732249

Welcome pack Available From Church Wrawby Women's Institute

Allison Walker 655049

Winners of this year's New York Times' competition for proposed new words:-

Cashtration (n.): The act of buying a house, which renders the subject financially impotent for an indefinite period of time.

Intaxication: Euphoria at getting a tax refund, which lasts until you realize it was your money to start with

Inoculatte: To take coffee intravenously when you are running late

Decafalon (n.): The gruelling event of getting through the day consuming only things that are good for you

Dopeler Effect: The tendency of daft ideas to seem smarter when they come at you rapidly.

Arachnoleptic Fit (n.): The frantic dance performed just after you've accidentally walked through a spider web

Kirton Karate is coming to Wrawby with Wrawby resident Andrew Banks commencing on Monday 7th September 2009 6pm - 8pm **First Lesson Free** We will be holding a weekly karate class at Wrawby Village Hall every Monday for anyone aged 5+ If you are interested in learning karate for self defence, fitness, or confidence boosting we would like to help. Our lesson fees are one of the cheapest in North Lincolnshire at only £3.50 per session with our equipment prices boasting the same low cost. Our aim is to help people learn and achieve. We are a non-profit club aiming to help our students and our community. We pride ourselves on what we have to offer our students; regular belt examinations, summer karate camps, Christmas parties plus much more. If you would like to know more please call us on 01652 655132 or visit our website at www.kirtonkarate.co.uk

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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WEDDING BELLESa thank you.....

The Wedding Belles weekend at the beginning of July was a great success and the organiser Barbara Green would like to say a big thank you to everyone who helped during the week and at the weekend. Much fun was had putting mannequins together and the total raised for church funds was f.653.00.





See additional photos at www.wrawby.org.uk

WRAWBY LIFESTYLE TEAM

The 'Mushy Peas' Lifestyle Team are Josh Goodman, Matthew White and Ben White They are raising money for a new bench for Wrawby Mill. The bench will be made by a local builder, Keith Cooper, from the old sails from the mill. You can support them by visiting their stall at: Wrawby Post Mill Open Day on Monday 31st August 2 -5pm, Wrawby Village Horticultural Show on Saturday 8th August 3-5pm and Howsham Village Fete Saturday 22nd August from 2pm. If you would like to make a donation to this project, please telephone Christine White on 650 802

Caravan Club Lincolnshire Centre

The Caravan Club Lincolnshire Centre has written to thank the Village Hall Committee and the Playing Fields Association for their support which enabled the Rock N Roll Weekend caravan rally to take place in July. They also wish to thank Mrs Day for taking the time to open the Mill on Saturday afternoon and the residents of Wrawby for making them feel welcome.

Thank you to Mr & Mrs Walker of Wrawby House Brigg Road and Mrs Mumby of The Lilacs Melton Road for providing the floral displays at each A18 entrance to the village.

NEIGHBOURHOOD POLICING

Wrawby is an area of low crime but the Brigg Neighbourhood Team pay regular passing attention to the village. During recent patrols the PCSOs came across some offensive graffiti on the play equipment in the park on Wrawby Playing Field. At their request NLC Neighbourhood Services promptly removed this within two days. Don't forget that you can contact Crime Stoppers on **0800 555 111** or alternatively log on to www.crimestoppersuk.org and complete the online form if you witness a crime or have any information regarding criminal activity.

The Brigg Neighbourhood Team comprises of PC Jane PROUD (who replaces PC Rob Armstrong), PCSO Lynsey STAMP, PCSO Craig TOMLINSON and PCSO Lisa BOGG and can be contacted on 0845 60 60 222.



WRAWBY LOCAL HISTORY GROUP

Wrawby Local History Group Chair Colin Day (centre) with past Chair Warwick May (right) and current Chair of the Village Hall Committee Susan Day (left) are pictured presenting to the Village Hall an original drawing by an archaeological artist of what the Roman site in Wrawby may have looked like based on the evidence discovered during the archaeology dig carried out in September.

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VILLAGE HALL NEWS

At the recent meeting of the Village Hall committee it was planned that in the near future the heating system will be sorted out, the front windows replaced, new fire doors put in, the outside light be mended and other smaller jobs done. The Parish Council will help with the cost of these projects.

The kitchen also needs some work doing to it and money is currently being raised for the new cooker. At the meeting £134 was given to the Treasurer by Kirstin May and Louise Tandon who raised this amount, with help from friends, by having teas in the village hall over the last few Tuesday afternoons. Thanks to their hard work, and an anonymous donation of £120, and the money already raised at the Tuesday lunches by Mary Tustin and her helpers, the cooker should be replaced before too long.

The committee would be pleased to hear from anyone able to donate items such as highchairs (folding ones please!), a baby changing unit and kitchen utensils – wooden spoons, kitchen scissors, sharp knives, pans of various sizes, spatulas etc to contact the Chairman on 653699 or any member of the committee.

The piano in the hall has been tuned recently and the committee would ask that it not be moved when the hall is hired unless the committee is there to oversee this. A key is available from the Chairman should any group wish to use it when hiring the hall. Children must NOT be allowed to play on it at any time as that may cause it to need tuning again and that is a cost that the committee can do without!

There will be an "Antiques Quiz Night" on Friday 16th October 2009. A similar event was held a few years ago was very successful. As tickets will be limited please put the date in your diaries and look out for further details in the coming months!



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Please contact Susan for further information and to see the wide range of goods on offer at bargain prices! They make excellent gifts.

Susan Day (653699).



Please Slow Down

Despite the 30mph speed limit on Brigg Road through the village, which is clearly signposted, there have been reports of the difficulties residents are facing at times crossing the road, particularly on the school run, because of speeding vehicles.

The local policing team agree with these concerns, and highlight that this road is in the top 30 risk areas in North Lincolnshire which, although troubling, means that funding towards enforcement activity has been allocated to Wrawby at some point this year. They recommend that as a village we let them know of any "near misses" so that our priority in the funding list goes up.

So please remember to observe the 30 mph limit as well as the 40mph limit along Barton Road, which is also frequently ignored by residents and encourage your family members and friends to do the same – we want our children to be safe when they are crossing the road..

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PARISH COUNCIL

Police Report - Once again there was little of note in June although the 'milk saga' referred to previously, continues Two men have now been seen touting for business for milk deliveries. Two instances of criminal damage took place at the same address and there was one report of general rowdy behaviour. Parishioners are asked to remain vigilant and report anything to the police. Whilst on this subject, the Parish Council is at present looking at replacing windows. grills etc. at the Village Hall, damaged in the past by sheer vandalism. Estimates are being obtained but it is clear that the total cost for all the work will be in the region of £4000. This will fall on the parishioners of Wrawby through the precept, but could have easily been avoided. Once again, it is stressed that the Village Hall is a facility for ALL Wrawby people - to damage it simply for the sake of it seems pointless.

Highways - The Highways Dept at North Lincs Council has advised that the resurfacing work on the southbound A15 from Bonby Lodge to Barnetby Top will commence on 22nd August until 26 August 2009. The work will be done primarily between 7pm and 6am. During this time a road closure of the southbound carriageway will be in operation, with no access to Elsham Wold Industrial Estate. A single lane closure will be in operation during the daytime period 6am to 7pm, along with a mandatory 50mph speed limit. The northbound dual carriageway (towards the Humber Bridge) is not affected. Highways also advise that an A18 Barnetby Top scheme is also to be undertaken from 25 to 6 September 2009. Resurfacing of both the A18/A15 roundabout and the A18 Barnetby junction will take place. Work on the roundabout will be done in phases and will necessitate a series of road closures. The junction works will be controlled using temporary traffic lights. Diversions for both schemes will be signed.



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Church Planned Giving Scheme

The increasing costs of maintaining and running the church have far outstripped the regular receipts from collections, donations and fundraising at the church. So much so that we can no longer rely on reserves but must do something more to increase our income. A new planned giving campaign is being introduced in September and October, with a special evening on Monday 28th September, when the Dean of Lincoln Cathedral will be the guest speaker.

If you are not a regular church goer, you may well say "what has that got to do with me?". Probably quite a lot actually. Would Christmas be quite as special without a Christingle service? Would the end of each school term be quite as memorable, without the school service? Then there are baptisms, weddings and funerals, the Teddy Bears Club, Coffee Mornings and on and on!! In short most residents of Wrawby either visit or are involved with church more often than they think. This magazine only exists through the work of the church. Would Wrawby be the same without its central public building?

More information will be included in next month's magazine, but if you would like to get involved, please contact any member of the PCC.

St Mary's Sunday School

A new Sunday school has started at St Mary's. We meet on 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month in the side room in the church. Led by a group of parents (coordinated by Becky and Marion), there is a story linking the Sunday school to the church service and an activity for the children to do. We rejoin the congregation after half an hour, and then at the end of the service, Father Owain has a "chat" with the kids to find out what they've been doing and share with the congregation their pictures or stories. It's very informal and fun and there's no commitment to come every time – just pop in any time you can. We'd love to see you – you're never too young (our youngest is now 4 months!) or old to get involved!



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19 JULY THOMAS MICHAEL REDDISH

WEDDING: 1 JULY MATTHEW JAMES BELLAMY AND EMMA CHARLOTTE

CARLILE

PRAYER & DEDICATION AFTER CIVIL SERVICE: 27 JUNE: MARK AND

CHINATSU CHARMAN

FUNERAL: 30 JUNE SHIRLEY RICHARDSON

A big thank-you to Barbara Green for all the hard work and time she put in to making the Wedding Belles display such a success, providing the village with a fascinating attraction and raising a substantial sum for the church.

There is NO meeting of the Teddy Bears' Club in August due to holidays. The next meeting is on 2 September at the later time of 11.30am—1.00pm when a bring and share Teddy Bears' Picnic is planned. Parents/carers with preschool children are welcome to attend. If you do not usually attend but would like to do so please contact Karen Mullins on 654575 for catering purposes and don't forget your teddy bear!

The Wrawby web site at www.wrawby.org.uk now features a gallery of images from around the village. If you have any pictures you would like to have published, with or without an acknowledgement, please e-mail them to <photos@wrawby.org.uk> Pictures of the Wrawby WI Barn Dance and Wedding Belles display are now available on this website as well.

Howsham Village Fair is on 22nd August at Howsham Village Hall and Park from 2.00pm

Welcome packs are available for newcomers to the village and can be obtained from Church. Take one round and get to know your new neighbour!!

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What do people mean by the word 'Church'? Is it the building? Is it the people who attend? Is it the work of the people who use the building? Or perhaps it is all of the above, and much more. And what do the people who use the building and turn up to do the work actually do? At the heart of any Church, its life, work and identity, must be two things. There must be prayer and there must be action.

It is a difficult challenge for any Church to get the balance between stillness and activity right. A Church needs to be a place of prayer; praying for the world, the community in which it is located, the people it is called to serve, and for itself, its own needs, direction and so on. In St. Mary's many of us gather each Sunday, Wednesday and Friday to create this space in our hectic lives in order to pray for those who are sick, or who have died. We pray for our school and for Wold Court, Wrawby Hall and the elderly and infirm. We pray for our Parish Council and for the groups and organisations within Wrawby that seek to enrich our lives, from the football groups to the horticultural society and for the various events that take place in our community.

But a Church must also be a place of activity. The people of St. Mary's seek to serve the community. Again, the variety of ways in which we do this is very broad. Each month, for example, a Church Service takes place in the two care homes, Fr. David and I visit the sick and bereaved. Members of the Congregation organise and run various lunch groups throughout the year. We have the toddlers group which meets on the first Wednesday of the month for young families to meet up and spend time together. Both the clergy and laity visit the school frequently each week in order to contribute to the excellent work that goes on there. Nurture courses are regularly run for those who wish to begin to think through their faith and confirmation courses and Bible Study help those who wish to deepen their faith. And this is only a small part of what we do.

For those of us involved in the Church here in Wrawby, to pray for and serve our community in good times and in facing the difficulties of life is a real privilege. It enriches our common life and has led to many wonderful relationships being formed with the wider community. And all relationships in life must be built on to deepen them. So if you, a friend or neighbour, or anyone you know of needs the prayers or the active support of the Church, please do not hesitate to contact the Vicar or Curate and we can arrange to meet up and chat about what's going on.

With my prayers and every blessing, Fr. Owain

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August

1 Saturday 10.00 - 12.00 Coffee Morning in

Church - Cream Scones, Coffees

2 Sunday

St. Mary's 8.00 a.m. Holy Communion

11.00 a.m. United Family Service

3 Monday 7.30 pm PCC Meeting in church

4 Tuesday 8.00pm Parish Council Meeting

Village Hall

5 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist

Lunch Club at the Black Horse

Mobile Library

8 Saturday Wrawby Horticultural Society Show

Show Opens at 3.00 p m

9 Sunday

St. Mary's 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion

Sunday School

12 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist

14 Friday 9.15 a.m. Morning Prayer in Church

16 Sunday

St. Mary's 8.00 a m. Holy Communion

11.00a m United Family Service

19 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist

Mobile Library

21 Friday 9.15 a.m. Morning Prayer in Church

22 Saturday Howsham Village Fair opens at 2pm

23 Sunday

St. Mary's 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion

Sunday School

26 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist

28 Friday 9.15 a m Morning Prayer in Church

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

30 Sunday Benefice Service St. John's Brigg

9.30 a m Holy Communion

31 Monday Wrawby Post Mill Open Day

2.00 p m to 5.00.p.m

September

2 Wednesday 9.00 a.m. Eucharist

11.30 a m to 1.00 p m Teddy Bear's

Club

Lunch Club at the Black Horse

Mobile Library

5 Saturday 10.00 - 12.00 Coffee Morning in

Church - Cream Scones, Coffees

6 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 1st and 3rd Sunday are particularly arranged as joint services with the Methodist congregation. There is a Sunday School during services on the 2nd and 4th Sunday.

The 9.00am Wednesday Eucharist Service is a short (30 minute) Communion service



The 9.15am Friday Morning Prayer is a short informal service with refreshments

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

Email:fromitchell@btinternet.com

Wrawby Post Mill Open Day



Monday 31st August.

2.00 pm to 5.00pm

The Mill can be opened by special arrangement. Further details 01652 653699

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