

Church and July 2008 Community News

Family History Day a Great Success

Over 150 people from far and wide attended the Family History Day at St Mary's Church looking to find out information about past relatives. Historic parish archives from Wrawby, Brigg and Cadney going back to 1700 were brought from Lincoln. These allowed people to research into Baptism, Marriage and Funeral records. There were also displays from the Wrawby History Group as well as Family History Groups. There were a number of photographs of groups of Wrawby residents which some people were able to help identify, although surprisingly no-one could identify the children in the 1897 School photograph!



A very big thank you goes to Nigel Good for organising the event.

ORDINATION OF NEW CURATE

David Eames, the new Curate for Brigg, Cadney and Wrawby, will join us on Monday 30th June. David, who studied theology at Durham University, was ordained at Louth on the 29th June. He is married with two children. I am sure that you will all help to make him and his family welcome

Inside: Wines Around the World, Details of Wrawby 2000 years ago

Who's Who in Wrawby

St Mary's Parish Church

Clergy

Rev. Owain Mitchell
10 Glanford Road, Brigg 653989

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Derek Bunting 652542

Nigel Good 658883

Deputy Churchwarden
Rosy Hoyle 653154

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Wrawby Methodist Church

Minister

Rev. Janet Magee
16 St James Road Brigg

Church Stewards
Jim Marr 650114
Robert Wright 652418

Church Treasurer
Jonathan Dibdin 653321

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
school)

Nikki Barnard 678901
Carer and Toddler Group (Tuesday
10.00 - 11.30 am term - time in Pre
school building)

Nikki Barnard 678901

North Lincolnshire UA Councillors
John Berry 01469540840

Nigel Sherwood 653232
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Parish Council - Chairman
Ian Smith 652084

Parish Clerk
Graham Foster 651250

Community Police 0845 606 0222

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

Julie Andrews Turns 69

To commemorate her birthday, actress/
vocalist, Julie Andrews made a special
appearance at Manhattan 's Radio City Music
Hall

One of the musical numbers she performed
was 'My Favourite Things' from the
legendary movie 'Sound Of Music'. Here are
the lyrics she used:

*Maalox and nose drops and needles for
knitting,*

*Walkers and handrails and new dental
fittings,*

*Bundles of magazines tied up in string,
These are a few of my favourite things.*

*Cadillac's and cataracts, and hearing aids and
glasses,*

*Polident and Fixodent and false teeth in
glasses,*

*Pacemakers, golf carts and porches with
swings,*

These are a few of my favourite things.

*When the pipes leak, When the bones creak,
When the knees go bad,*

*I simply remember my favourite things,
And then I don't feel so bad.*

*Hot tea and crumpets and corn pads for
bunions,*

*No spicy hot food or food cooked with onions,
Bathrobes and heating pads and hot meals
they bring,*

These are a few of my favourite things.

*Back pain, confused brains and no need for
sinnin',*

*Thin bones and fractures and hair that is
thinnin',*

*And we won't mention our short shrunken
frames,*

When we remember our favourite things.

*When the joints ache, When the hips break,
When the eyes grow dim,*

*Then I remember the great life I've had,
And then I don't feel so bad.*

(Ms. Andrews received a standing ovation
from the crowd that lasted over four minutes
and repeated encores.)

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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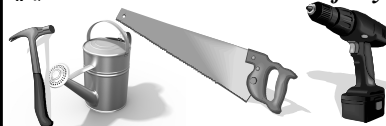
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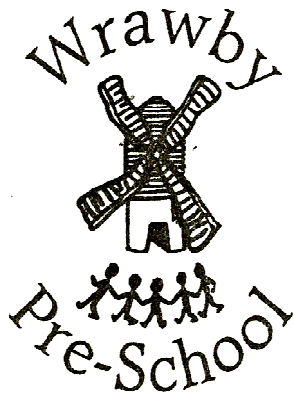
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Teddy Bears Club is Great Fun

The Teddy Bears Club is going from strength to strength with an ever growing number of children attending. The club meets on the first Wednesday of each month at 10.00 a.m. in St Mary's Church. The club is open to pre-school age children accompanied by an adult. The children are entertained with stories, songs and other activities whilst the adults can enjoy a drink and the company of others. New members are always welcome, so why not turn up on the 2nd July or 7th August and join in the fun.



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The report by the Archaeologists on the dig carried out last September on the Roman site in the village on behalf of the History Group, has at last been received.

The conclusion drawn from the evidence within the trenches dug and the minute investigative processes carried out during the 4 days on all material found is that "in the south of the area under investigation, an Iron Age enclosure was identified with internal structures, possible round houses. Iron Age pottery found suggests that occupation occurred in the Late Iron Age" approx 100BC.

"The north of the area revealed substantial evidence of Roman domestic occupation primarily during the 1st & 2nd centuries. A large elongated rectangular enclosure was discovered more than 110m long by 50m wide. This feature appeared to have a smaller enclosure within which remains of an aisled building were noted" (probably an agricultural building). "The pottery found indicated largely local trade patterns with some indication of more far flung trading contacts." Further minor investigations after the dig was completed discovered painter plaster which could indicate a more high status building attached to the aisled building but this was not investigated at all. We feel there is much more to be discovered on the site and we have only scratched the surface. We are still waiting for results from environmental samples taken which should show what crops were grown by these long ago residents and what plants formed the landscape. The full report will be available on the village web site in due course

To celebrate the conclusion of this archaeological project, the History Group are holding a spectacular Roman finale on the playing fields along side Wrawby Show which will also have a Roman theme on Saturday, 9th August.

As well as a marquee displaying the whole of the project including the dig and finds discovered, a group of Roman Re-enactors will be present, providing living history all day long including writing, coin stamping, a military encampment and a workshop. Three shows during the day will include shooting a catapult and a military display.

More details next month.

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**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.

Congratulations to Postie Sue



Well done Sue on completing the Edinburgh Marathon in a time of 5 hours 19 minutes. Sue has raised over £1,100 for Scunthorpe Breatheasy which will go towards research for people with lung complaints. Both Sue and Breatheasy thank everyone for their generous donations.

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Tuesday to Saturday evenings
Carvery also Bar Menu

Sunday Lunch Carvery
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Around Wrawby

FROM THE REGISTERS

BAPTISMS 1 ST JUNE—ABIGAIL MARIE RUTHERFORD
8TH JUNE—RUBY GRACE RICHARDSON

WEDDINGS 7TH JUNE—KEITH ANTONY OWEN TO AMANDA KIRK
20TH JUNE—THOMAS FREDRICK DAY TO KIRSTEN JULIA SPARROW

A new feature has been added to www.Wrawby.org.uk from this month. A series of articles entitled “A day in the life” follow individuals within the local community detailing their daily lives. The first article follows Neighbourhood Police Officer Rob Armstrong so log on and find out more.

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.

There has been yet another theft of lead from the Church roof. Thanks to the observant villager who spotted suspicious activity and called the Police. The PCC have installed additional lighting and other security measures but ask that people maintain their vigilance.

The Emmaus Course runs on the 8th and 22nd July at 7.00 p.m. in Brigg Vicarage

The Bible Study Group meets at 10 a.m. in Brigg Vicarage on the 7th and 21st July.

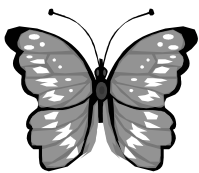
Mary Beedham and family would like to thank everyone who attended Christopher Sharp’s funeral for their kindness, thought and prayers and for the cards, flowers and donations to Leukaemia Research.

Rene Rankin would like to thank everyone for the lovely cards and flowers on her 88th Birthday

In memory of Alex Rankin from Rene, Stuart, Carol, Kerri and Keely

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WHO DO YOU THINK YOU ARE?

The television series with the above title is one of my favourite programmes to watch as it traces the family trees of celebrities. But it is not just the famous who have fascinating family stories - each one of us has! One of the celebrities said "I'm pleased I did this now because it explains to me why I am like I am." None of us starts completely afresh; our characters, the way we are is often a result of our genes and the combined inheritance of the traits of our ancestors.

Last month's Family/Local History Day at Wrawby Church I hope gave some of you the inspiration and help to set about finding out more about your ancestors and tracing your Family tree. It was a privilege to be able to bring the various groups together and was something I'd hoped to do for some time. Genealogy is a fascinating interest and once you get started is addictive - so beware!

As far as my own research goes, I discover that I come from a long line of railwaymen (both from my mothers side and my fathers) stemming back to the beginning of railways - so it's no wonder I've followed in their footsteps. Others preceded me as Churchwardens of Wrawby church, a tradition I'm proud to continue. I discover that some

made the Church their life's work - one from my father's side becoming a priest and missionary to the Canadian Indians, finally being made a Canon. (he also wrote translations of the Scriptures for the Indians and books and theses have been written about him) - he was brought up and was a pupil here in Wrawby.

We do not walk this life alone - others have gone before us and so it is in our faith. This month we remember two of my favourite examples in the Church; St Thomas and William Wilberforce. For many of us, in spite of our efforts, there come moments of doubt, Thomas and Jesus' response to him shows that this is normal and healthy, because questioning our beliefs from time to time leads us on to a stronger faith. William Wilberforce inspires us to stand up for our beliefs - to challenge and fight when we believe something is wrong, even though everything seems to work against us and the odds seem stacked against us.

We are who we are because of those who have gone before us, whether it be our family or the heroes we commemorate. We, too, are creating a path for those who will follow us!

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July

2 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
10.00 a.m. Teddy Bear's Club
Lunch Club at the Black Horse
Please inform Pat (653387) or Derek (652542) if attending

5 Saturday

10.00 - 12.00 Coffee Morning in Church—Cream Scones, Coffee
7.30—11.00 Wines Around the World, Village Hall

6 Sunday

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

7 Monday

7.30 p.m. PCC AGM at St Mary's

9 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
Mobile Library

13 Sunday

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

14 Monday

2.00 p.m. Monday Club in Village Hall

15 Tuesday

School Sports Day

16 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
Mobile Library

20 Sunday

St. Mary's 11.00 a.m. Morning Praise

21 Monday

2.15 p.m. School Leavers Service in St Mary's Church

22 Tuesday

2.30 p.m. School Finishes

23 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist
Mobile Library

27 Sunday

St. Mary's 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion
2.00-5.00 p.m. Windmill Open Day

28 Monday

1.00 p.m. Craft Club, Village Hall

30 Wednesday

St Mary's 9.00 a.m. Eucharist

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

7.30pm Parish Council Meeting

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

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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Sunday 27th July
Monday 25th August.

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