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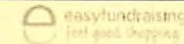
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AGM: see 'Letters' page.

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George Stastny (Cllr)

### Whorlton Village Community Association AGM:

Tue 13 April, 7pm via Zoom (unless we are allowed to meet in the Hall by that time). The WVCA will welcome anyone who wishes to attend and anyone interested in joining the Committee or being one of the village volunteers. We would also welcome your ideas for future events in the village. Meetings are about every two months unless there is lots happening and then we call an extra one. The position of Minute Secretary is vacant. For further details please contact Mary Stastny 01833 627419  
**Three Inch Fools:** The Merry Wives of Windsor will be performed on the Village Green on **Wed 30 June**. Tickets can be booked in advance by ringing **01833 627419**.

**The "Whorlton Village" FaceBook page:** another place to find out what's happening in the village when things start opening up again and we are allowed to organise events.  
**The bottom piece:** the loos in the Village Hall have been renovated and there is now touch-free lighting, flushing and taps! We are delighted with the excellent standard of work carried out by Tully's.

Mary Stastny (mostly, Ed...)

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- Covid-19 help website directory

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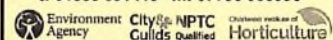


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## LETTERS

### Love, Care & Affection

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Douglas Anderson, Barningham



### Dalton and Gayles Village Hall AGM

In light of the current circumstances due to Coronavirus, the committee of Dalton and Gayles Village Hall have decided to postpone the hall AGM, which has been held in March in recent years. This complies with the hall governance document which states that AGMs should be held annually, or as soon as practicable afterwards. The committee plan to circulate copies of a hall report and the accounts for the past year, to keep residents up to date. The current committee will remain in place until a proper AGM is held.

Alison Brooks

### LITTER MATTERS

Recently Newsham residents Anne and Kate volunteered to pick up litter from Dyson Lane and also from Low Lane, between Rokeby Inn and the village itself. Our thanks to them for their efforts which are very much appreciated.

Unfortunately, they managed to fill eight black sacks!! The litter on Low Lane was particularly bad. Some may have blown out of residents' recycling bins on collection days but it is clear the great majority had not.

The amount of fast food packaging, some with uneaten left overs still in them, sandwich wrappers, half empty bottles and cans, not to mention many other items, was significant. Commercial delivery vehicles may be a factor but the sheer amount sadly suggests that a minority of local traffic accessing villages is also playing a part in the problem.

There is absolutely **no excuse** for littering. It is both **anti-social** and a **criminal offence**. The Police are aware of this issue, as is Richmondshire Council, and vehicles observed littering will be reported.

We would ask that ALL residents show respect for their community, the environment, the wildlife and the beautiful part of the world we are fortunate to live in.

Newsham Parish Council

### LITTERAL VOLUNTEERS

More from Newsham:

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## THE INSIDE PAGE

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**BARNINGHAM 100 CLUB:** Winners: February winners to be drawn.

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**WHORLTON VILLAGE:** Defibrillator installed on outside wall of Village Hall **Find out what's happening** on our FaceBook page "Whorlton Village".

**NEWSHAM PARISH COUNCIL:** regrets no future meetings until further notice. Any Planning Applications and Notices will be shared on the Village FaceBook page & village notice board. The Newsham village precept charge will be unchanged for the 2021 financial year: funding will be used primarily for the maintenance of all existing facilities, grass cutting costs and further remedial works on the track bordering the village green.

**BARNINGHAM PARISH MEETING:** Contacts: Robin Brooks, Clerk (01833 621203), Jon Smith, Chair (621374), Phil Hunt, Treasurer (621253).

**BARNINGHAM VILLAGE HALL:** Contacts: Fiona Killeen, Chair (01833 621389 / 07951 404965), Liz Hunt, Secretary (621253), Stuart Godfrey, Treasurer (621171), Ann Orton for bookings, etc. (621024).

**BARNINGHAM WEBSITE:** The website [www.barninghamvillage.co.uk](http://www.barninghamvillage.co.uk) has information about everything from parish meetings to local history. To add anything, email [jonxsmith@gmail.com](mailto:jonxsmith@gmail.com)

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**BORDERWATCH:** volunteers use their own vehicles on a night for a few hours to record suspicious vehicles or people around the Richmond rural area. To be involved contact PC1908 Mark Wood on 07966 973023.

**POLICE CONTACTS:** Non-emergency: dial 101. Co Durham: Barnard Castle Police Station 0345 6060365. North Yorkshire: Dial 101, ask for Richmond Police Station. Community officer is PC 1908 Mark Wood, 07966 973023 or dial 101, press option 2 and ask for him by name or number, or email: [Mark.Wood@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:Mark.Wood@northyorkshire.pnn.police.uk). The full Richmond Rural Crime Bulletin is available from Mark.

**CRIME CORNER!!! – NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH:** thanks to John Hay for passing on advice from Durham Constabulary via Neighbourhood Alert (see opposite) and Mark Wood from Richmond Police on latest scams:

- People phoning you claiming they are police officers who tell you that you are a victim of fraud. They then ask you to send money to them. The police would NEVER ask people for money and any legitimate police officer will have no objection to being asked for their collar number and the station they're attached to.
- Calls from Amazon stating you have credit on your account and that they wish to send you the money back. They will try to get you to do it on your computer, it won't work & they will then ask to take control of your computer and then proceed to empty your account.
- People ringing you purporting to be from the NHS asking you to pay money in order to get your COVID vaccination.

DEADLINE FOR THE APRIL FLYER: SATURDAY 20<sup>th</sup> MARCH

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## VILLAGE PANDEMIC CONTACTS

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 Emma Howard 07802 801010  
 Laurence Collyer 621311 or 07967 936537

### NEWSHAM:

Heather MacConachie 07959 904158  
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 Newsham Village Neighbourhood Support Group

### WHASHTON:

Sally Zaranko [sally.zaranko@gmail.com](mailto:sally.zaranko@gmail.com)

### WHORLTON:

Dianne - 07949 199304 Ann - 01833 627451  
 Linda - 01833 627002 Mary - 01833 627419

## Whorlton Bridge – an update



Timetable for repairs:

[www.durham.gov.uk/whorltonbridge](http://www.durham.gov.uk/whorltonbridge)

Works commence: July 2022

Reopening: March 2023

The closure has been raised again in Parliament – Grant Shapps suggested to Dehenna Davison that funding could come out of the government's Levelling Up Fund.

Updates will be pinned up in the village notice board by the "pub" and on the Toll House Front door.

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CORONAVIRUS UPDATES

## Newsham Village Monthly Lottery

You could win one of the three £20 prizes each month. Have you remembered to subscribe? There are a few numbers still available for only £1 per month, call Val on 01833 621019 for information.

## GNAA & Ravensworth Primary School

Helping to raise money for the Great North Air Ambulance & Ravensworth Primary School.

Next collection: May 2021



If you or one of your family have concerns about memory, or have a diagnosis of dementia, and need someone to talk to about it, then you can

contact the Alzheimer's Society directly.

e-mail:

[durhamandchester@alzheimers.org.uk](mailto:durhamandchester@alzheimers.org.uk)

Local phone: 0191 389 0400 (please leave a message and we'll get back to you)

National Dementia Connect Helpline: 0333 150 3456

Website:

[www.alzheimers.org.uk](http://www.alzheimers.org.uk)

