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FREE



CRAFTERNOON Tuesday 10th January
1.00 – 3.00pm

Dalton & Gayles Village Hall

Bring along something you're working on or try
something new.

SPINNING: FREE MOTION EMBROIDERY: CROCHET:
HAND EMBROIDERY: PATCHWORK

£3.00 per person with refreshments provided.

Everyone welcome including pre-school children.

There will also be a 'Bring/Buy/Swap Table'.

If you have any crafting tools or materials you don't
want or need anymore, please bring them along.

Contact Kathryn: 01748 825640 for more details.

Sip 'n' Stitch

Scented Hearts Making Evening
Newsham Village Hall

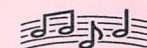
Wednesday 11th January, 7.00pm to 9.00pm
£7.50 per person. Project kits, drink & nibbles.

Join us for a fun evening stitching heart shaped
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Saturday 14th January 2023

£20 per head including

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Friends of Wetheriggs Coffee Morning

Newsham Village Hall

Thursday 19th January, 10.00pm to 12.30pm

£2.50 per person. Raffle & prize draw.

Wetheriggs is a local animal rescue centre and a registered UK
charity. Their only income is generated by visitors but, due to
Avian Flu, their doors are closed for the foreseeable future.
They are in desperate need of funds to feed the 500 animals in
their care, so The Friends of Wetheriggs are organising this
coffee morning to aid their cause and help keep the rescue
centre operating.

Why not invite your friends and family to join us for a hot
cuppa & cake and if you can't make the 19th, please consider
donating to:

<https://www.wetheriggsanimalrescue.co.uk/support>

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For further information, please call:

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Saturdays Jan 7th & 4th Feb

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2023

Happy New Year

The Flyer

Happy New Year to all, especially those suffering war or escaping famine, persecution or torture. No man is an island, entire of itself...*. *Meanwhile*, let us hope for peace in our World. Be safe, stay safe & have a happy and healthy New Year! (Ed.)

LETTERS

Heating Oil Cost Help

The Editor,

Looks like things are moving, albeit slowly, and £100 has become £200. The oil price has moved down but is still ~80p/litre against ~53p/litre 12 months ago (including 5% VAT).

This week it was confirmed that the Alternative Fuel Payment of £200 will be made in the New Year. For many this may still be paid via their electricity provider, however, more details are expected soon. UKIFDA, the trade body for the liquid fuel distribution industry, welcomed this update: "This extra clarity is important as it means customers can plan their budgets accordingly". Going on to advise: "We continue to strongly advise customers to purchase their heating oil as usual ahead of cold weather. Importantly, you'll receive this payment even if you order your heating oil today, so there's no need to delay your order any longer."

John Hay, Barningham

ORANGES & LEMONS...

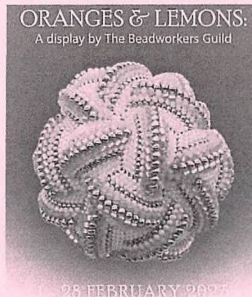
Karen Gibson-Brown sends information on the captioned display by the Beadworkers' Guild at The Garden Rooms at Tennants, Leyburn, from 1st to 28th February. Free demonstration days are: 4th, 9th, 10th & 18th February from 10am to 3pm.

Karen runs the demonstrations and is a volunteer trustee of the Beadworkers Guild.

Free entry.

Free parking.

[Ed.]



Happy New Year?

November, no mist, no frost.

Should be Winter – is it lost?

A warmer Winter, so far a record.

Lower heating bills, is that our reward?

Long gone civilisations and empires have become history.

Fast forward a few thousand years, what will be our obituary?

Will our planet become a twinkling star in an ever darkening night,

Life-supporting resources used up, finite?

Remedy: cut our carbon emissions – if we fail

There will be no one left to tell the tale...

Douglas Anderson, Barningham

*We're all in this together. For whom the bell tolls...** [Ed.]



Lightbulb moments...

It's great to see that a number of Barningham residents have taken up the offer of free replacement LED light bulbs with or without a light bulb audit and replacement assistance. So far, hundreds of pounds of annual energy savings have been realised added to the associated CO₂ emissions reductions.

Mike Peach, www.barninghamnetzero.com /Projects

BARNINGHAM & NEWSHAM TREE PLANTING

Volunteer tasks are now running. These are 2-hour sessions and a great way to meet friends and get out of the house over the winter, while doing something to help our local wildlife and biodiversity.

For more information contact: Martha 07984 756080 or

info@barninghamnetzero.com

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DALTON & GAYLES YORKSHIRE COUNTRYWOMEN

Our December meeting was our popular Christmas party. The food was amazing, our members are such good cooks. It was a lovely meeting and finished as usual with Auld Lang Syne.

We have an exciting 2023 programme, starting Tue 7th Feb, 2pm with Rhoda Fraser - telephone conversation with Mabel and Margaret, should be hilarious!

**KEEP COMMUNICATING
& KEEP THE LETTERS COMING!**

* John Donne (1572 - 1631)

THE INSIDE PAGE

BARNINGHAM 100 CLUB: November – 1st John Prytherick; 2nd Dianne Metcalf; 3rd Mary Bernstein. December – 1st Bill Metcalf; 2nd Doug Anderson; 3rd Jenny Currie.

SLOW WAYS WALKING ROUTES: <https://beta.slowways.org>. Also try Walking in Durham: www.walkinginengland.co.uk/durham

BARNINGHAM BINS: Recycling; Thu 29 Dec, Wed^s 11 & 25 Jan: Rubbish; Wed^s 4 & 18 Jan.
NEWSHAM, DALTON, etc. BINS: Recycling; Sat 7 & Fri 20 Jan: Rubbish; Mon 2 & Fri^s 13 & 27 Jan.

POST OFFICE in **Newsham Village Hall** is open Wednesdays, 9.30am-1pm.

NEWSHAM LIBRARY in **Newsham Village Hall** – Mon & Wed, 10am – 4pm.

BARNINGHAM MOBILE LIBRARY: Thursday 5th & 26th January, 11:20 – 11:35am.

NEWSHAM VILLAGE HALL: Hall hire enquiries contact Rose on 01833 621300.

NEWSHAM VILLAGE HALL FOOD BANK COLLECTIONS: every week – leave donations in the box inside the Village Hall on Wednesdays between 9 and 4 for the Store House in Richmond.

NEWSHAM MONTHLY LOTTERY: Support Newsham Village Hall Monthly Lottery – buy a village lottery number for only £1 per month. Contact Val on 01833 621019 for information.

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

WHORLTON WEBSITE: www.whorltonvillage.org covering the Whorlton Village Community Association & the Village Hall.

NEWSHAM PARISH COUNCIL: Planning Applications and Notices will be shared on the Village Facebook page & village notice board.

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

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

BARNINGHAM WEBSITE: The website www.barninghamvillage.co.uk has information about everything from parish meetings to local history. To add anything, email jonxxsmith@gmail.com

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 Richmond Police (below).

POLICE CONTACTS: Non-emergency: dial 101. Co Durham: Barnard Castle Police Station 0345 6060365. North Yorkshire: Dial 101, press option 2 - Richmond PCSO: Elliot Brown, Collar Number: 3570.

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH: from the November newsletter:

- Steps to take to avoid becoming a victim of crime
- Where to go for financial support, money-saving tips, help with energy and food costs
- Support to help reduce loneliness and isolation

Do you know an older person who may need support? Here is the link: <https://s-url.co/HbMBAA>

Thanks to John Hay for our Neighbourhood Alert information.



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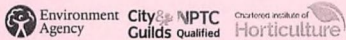
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DALTON AND GAYLES VILLAGE HALL

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St Mary's Church, Whorlton

Sunday 8th Jan 9:00am Morning Prayer
Sunday 22nd Jan 4:00pm Holy Communion
All most welcome & wishing you all a Happy New Year!

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Come along and meet up with friends.

Christmas Charity Pilates & Yoga in aid of MND research

Caroline Griffiths from The Space at The Gill, Dalton is running 2 classes at Christmas in aid of MND research.

The classes will be at Dalton Village Hall, followed by tea or coffee and Christmas cake at The Space at The Gill Dalton.

Wednesday 28th December: Pilates 10am to 11am refreshments 11am onwards

Thursday 29th December: yoga 10am to 11am refreshments 11am onwards

All abilities welcome. Tickets £15 per session.
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To book please call or message Caroline on 07510575325 or email her at carolinetg64@gmail.com

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1. Introductory Art Classes with Neville Dawson.

Whorlton Village Hall, Friday afternoons 2.30pm -
4.30pm. £3.00 per session. Bookings &
information call Neville on 01833 627518.

2. Planning Ahead:

- **Saturday 18th March 2023 (7pm)** - Gardeners
Question Time at Whorlton Village Hall. Bar and
Canapes provided.
- **Friday 31st March (7.30pm) & Saturday 1st April
(2.30 & 7.30pm)** - *The Castle Players - Gaslight
by Patrick Hamilton in The Little Theatre on the
Green, Whorlton. Two nights plus a matinee.*
To book phone the box office on 0776 805 0197.
- **Friday 28th April 2023 (7pm)** - *Badapple
Theatre Company - 'Eddie and the Gold Tops' at
Whorlton Village Hall. A heart-warming tale
from the 60s. Ticket info to follow.*
- **Saturday 6th May** - coronation celebration.
- **Saturday 25th June** - Whorlton Open Gardens.

Whorlton and Westwick Parish Council

1. Following retirement of Cllr Melissa Sanderson the
Council was delighted to welcome a new Councillor
Mrs Liese Duggan, representing the Westwick ward.
2. Further investigation works were carried out on
Whorlton suspension bridge and some components
are being removed for further testing. Despite the
continuing delays in the design process we are
assured by DCC that the bridge will reopen for both
traffic and pedestrians no later than March 2024, as
stipulated by the Levelling Up Funding.

George Stastny, WWPC Chairman

Whorlton Cemetery (Opened Oct 2022)

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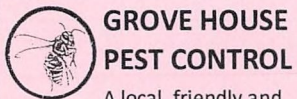
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NEWSHAM NEWS

- **Carpet Bowls** – Mon 9th Jan, 7-9pm, £2/person. Licensed bar. No previous experience necessary, just come along and have a go.
- **Quiz Night** – Fri 20th Jan, 7:30pm. Licensed bar. All welcome to come and join a team of up to 6 people. Entry £2, enquiries contact Val 01833 621019.
- **Lottery**: next draw Wed 4th Jan. Three lucky winners will receive £20. Numbers are £1/month and can be purchased from Val 01833 621019. The monthly lottery supports the upkeep of your Village Hall. Remember, you have to be in it to win it!
- **Easyfundraising**: Great news – thanks to our supporters, we've raised over £1,840 for Newsham Village Hall through #easyfundraising. If you haven't signed up yet, it's easy and completely FREE. 6,000+ shops and sites will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to do your everyday online shopping - at no extra cost to you! Please sign up & share to others today to help us raise even more: <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/newshamvillagehall>

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DALTON AND GAYLES VILLAGE HALL

Upcoming Events

- **NEW WEEKLY EXERCISE CLASS** – Seated / Gentle Exercise Class – Tuesdays, 10:00-11:00am - £5.00 per session. Contact: Charlotte Porter, 07950 927151
- Yorkshire Countrywomen's Association – no January meeting.
- Lunch Club – Thu 12th Jan, 12 noon
- Wine Circle – 24th Jan – Burns Night Supper – contact: Secretarydaltonwinecircle@btinternet.com for more information
- Winter Sharing Supper – Sat 7th Jan, 7:30pm – Bring your own food, which will be shared by those attending. Soup and bread buns available. Bar will be open. Come along and meet up with friends.
- Castle Players – Friday 20th Jan 7:30pm – Treasure Island. Tickets £7.50 for adults, £4.00 for under-16s. Contact Alison on 07751 120424 or alison@rcdalton.co.uk
- DADS Panto – Thu 16th – Sat 18th Feb with a Saturday matinee
- Village Hall AGM – 14th Mar, 7:00pm
- Fools Gold – Sat 25th Mar

For further information see:
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News on what's been happening

- The Quiz Night on Fri 2nd Dec was an excellent evening, with Pam Sheard and Maria Laybourn providing an exciting mixture of questions on all topics and subjects - thank you to Pam and Maria, as well as everyone who came.
- "Carols on the Green" Mon 19th Dec – our now annual event that leads us into Christmas: mulled wine and mince pies provided by the village hall were gratefully received by the festive singers.
- We also have a new Table Tennis Table for use for anybody, young and old. Teesdale Village Hall Consortium have provided a 50% grant towards the cost of the table, bats and balls and we are very grateful to them for their support. Contact Sue Farr on 07761800643 to arrange a time to play. Introductory Prices are £2.00 per adult, £1.50 per child under 16. Children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult. We are hoping that a regular session would allow people to come along and play and hopefully a club could be formed. If anyone is interested in running a club, please let Sue know.

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