

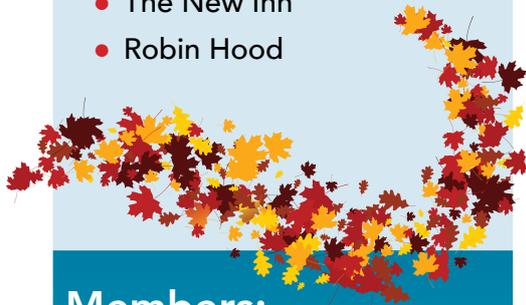
THOLTHORPE NEWS

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Welcome...

It seems a long time since we've been in contact and as the leaves turn I am always struck by how colourful and warm Tholthorpe looks bathed in the reds and golds of Autumn.

October will see the return of our Pumpkin carving competition. It's open to all households in Tholthorpe. To enter just drop a line to helenboyle@me.com and include your address to ensure the judge visits. Prizes are awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Please place your pumpkins outside your house by 3pm on Sunday 30th October. Winners will be announced and prizes awarded later that day.

December we will be arranging a Wreath making evening at the Village hall and Carols on the Green will take place the Sunday before Christmas with the Pantomime opening in January.

The Village Hall Committee recognises there has been a lot of newcomers to Tholthorpe in the past couple of years and we are really keen to reach out to our lovely community and understand what you would like to see happening in the village. We welcome all feedback, suggestions and ideas, and with this in mind will be gathering as much information as we can from our local audience at the pantomime to see how we can improve and best share information. For example did you know as a "Tholthorpeian" you get a discounted rate for renting the Village Hall? It's a great place for your kids parties, meetings and classes.

In the New Year we are keen to restart Primetime. This innovative weekly programme involves fun games such as Boccia and Kurling to engage all ages young and old to help keep our village community connected and address loneliness and isolation. Hosted for a couple of hours once a week in the village hall, it promotes team work, physical and psychological agility and there is space for a good catch up over a cuppa. If you are interested in getting involved as a participant or volunteer we'd love to hear from you please email Helenboyle@me.com

Helen Boyle

Co Chair, Tholthorpe Village Hall Committee

Coming up...

8 | Christmas
DEC | Wreathmaking

18 | Carols on
DEC | the Green
4pm

6, 7, 8, 12, 13 | Robin
& **14 JAN** | Hood

6 | Coronation
MAY | Celebrations

100 Club

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The winners for the last two months are:

SEPTEMBER

1. Andrew Masom
2. Peter Wing

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OCTOBER

1. Peter Lancaster
2. Dave Rogers

25

If you aren't yet a member of the 100 Club contact Aly Thompson on 838118 or graemethom@aol.com - it's just £1 a month and raises much needed funds for the Village Hall.

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RENTING THE VILLAGE HALL

Holding a party, meeting or event - why not consider the Village Hall. Rents start at just £20 per session.

Contact Aly Thompson on 838118; graemethom@aol.com



News from the WI

Tholthorpe WI meets in the Village Hall the third Wednesday of the month at 7pm - we are always pleased to welcome visitors and new members.

Our July meeting was due to be a talk on fraud awareness by North Yorkshire Police but it was cancelled due to a last minute emergency so we had a very enjoyable social evening instead.

In August we went to visit the Birds of Prey Centre at Burn Hall. The afternoon started with a very informative talk by a senior member of their staff followed by a flying display, we then had a delicious light tea and a walk around the centre.

Our charity Quiz Night at Alne Cricket Club in September had around ten teams entered. We had a delicious pie and pea supper and a fun time answering a wide variety of questions from quizmaster Brian Wilkie. From the entrance fee and raffle we raised £160 for our two charities - Carcent York which helps to feed the homeless, and for Sam Pearson of Kyle Valley Scout Group who is raising money to enable him to go to the World Scout Jamboree in Korea in 2023.

Our October meeting was 'A Ramble around the Register Office' - a talk by staff from the York office. In November York Cookery School is giving a chocolate making demonstration and our December meeting is our Christmas meal at the Blue Bell in Alne.

Su Ibbotson



Parish Email Alerts

If you want to know what is happening in the parish sign up for e mail alerts - just send your name and email address to Parish Clerk Gordon Jack at parishclerk@tholthorpe.net



XMAS BAUBLES

Want to wish your Tholthorpe friends a Merry Christmas? Why not include your festive message in our December newsletter by buying a bauble for just £5.

Send your messages to Aly Thompson at graemethom@aol.com or to Brathay House by December 1st.

Pumpkin Carving Competition

Double, double, toil and trouble,
fire burn and cauldron bubble,
Halloween is nearly here,

It's time to spread some fun and fear!

So grab a pumpkin large or small,
Choose your spoon, knife, chisel or awl,
And carve a spooky design or scary face,
But take your time its not not a race!

Once done then place outside your gate
on 31st October, don't be late!

The judge will creep around the village streets
and a winner they will seek.



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Parish Update

VILLAGE WEBSITE:

Did you know Tholthorpe has its own web page which can be used to promote local events and provide information for people in our parish. Check out www.tollerton.net/tholthorpe

Please submit any information of interest to be included to parishclerk@tholthorpe.net

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY:

This year it falls on Sunday 13th November when Geoff Wood, along with 1st Kyle Valley Scout Group, will conduct the service on the village green at 11am.

Keith Ibbotson Tholthorpe Parish Chairman

Gordon Jack Tholthorpe Parish Clerk

Tholthorpe Village Hall Committee presents

CAROLS ON THE GREEN



Santa is visiting Tholthorpe
Everyone welcome!
Live Music

December 18 4pm Village Hall
Mulled Wine and Mince Pies

Chapel Update

September saw changes for the Methodist Churches in the villages around Easingwold - including our chapel here in Tholthorpe. The local congregations have decided to merge to become one larger united church body.

It involves the congregations of Alne, Husthwaite, Huby, Stillington and Tholthorpe with the new church called Villages Together Methodist Church. It will worship from existing buildings and Alne Hall. Services will take place in each location in turn, in what will become a regular pattern - but notices will be displayed at each showing where services are to be held each week.

The new minister is Revd David Bidnell who can be contacted on 01904 345429; David.bidnell@gmail.com. Pam Lancaster remains the contact for our chapel on 838266. As a new church organisation, members look forward to working together on new ways of being Methodists across the communities in partnership with other local churches and organisations in the area.



Christmas Wreathmaking

December 8 7.30pm Village Hall

£35

Book your place with Em Wright on
07507 561555 or bigbabyface@hotmail.com

INTERNATIONAL SCOUT CAMP

In August Easingwold District Scouts travelled to Switzerland for their annual trip abroad. We have been to Kandersteg, before but this was the cream of the crop - it was just brilliant.

Forty one of us travelled for a week of incredible adventure and experiences, 33 Scouts and eight Leaders - of which 16 Scouts were from 1st Kyle Valley Scout Group in Tholthorpe. The rest were from 1st Easingwold, 1st Moxby Moor at Huby and Easingwold Explorer Group. Never before have I seen such a well knit or well behaved group. Leaders and young members, scouts together, doing amazing things. We climbed mountains (with and without ropes) stayed overnight in mountain huts, hurtled down Olympic ski jumps in inner tubes, swum, hiked, tobogganed and made loads and loads of new friends with Scouts from all over the world including Cyprus, France, The Netherlands, Germany, Australia, Denmark, Brazil, Argentina, Ireland and even Doncaster!

We all got up and sang 'On Ilkley Moor bar t' at' to hundreds and hundreds of other Scouts at the International campfire. We learned at first hand about other scout cultures, languages, religions, and uniform and crucially that we are all the same, united by our Scout Promise and our shared values.

It was great to see the interaction between our Scouts and their peers from overseas, but also the way each group in our district immediately mucked in together. Many new friendships were forged and the level of support between them was just brilliant to see.

Where else could you assemble a group of young people, some as young as 11 and some as old as 17, boys and girls, many of whom did not know each other beforehand and see this sort of united harmonious outcome? Nowhere but in Scouting.

A huge thank you to all the Leaders who gave up their time and who generously volunteer each week to help deliver wonderful experiences for our young people. If it wasn't for people like this these experiences would never happen.

We must also thank the benefactors who enable us to take scouts who could otherwise not hoped to take part in a trip like this. Many have a long association with us and know too well the value of these trips for young people. We are humbled by their kindness and generosity.

We will return to Kandersteg in 2025, 2024 will see us off to Belgium and will once again pay our respects to the fallen at Tyne Cot cemetery and the Menin Gate ceremony, and 2023 will see a huge gathering of Scouts in the UK of which Easingwold District Scout Group will be a part.

Kevin Wilson Group Scout Leader



10K CHALKS UP 26 YEARS

This year's 10k was the 26th and is now a staple feature in many runners calendars. There is no doubting that the original organisers had no idea it would still be going more than a quarter of a century later - and would raise thousands of pounds for village hall funds.



As ever, we had a huge proportion of village residents helping out on the day and also had a great turnout for the barbecue on the green once we'd tidied everything away. Do remember that we always do this as a thankyou to all the helpers and families so please come along, it's a great way for the village to get together. There can't be many communities like ours, it's a great place to live.

The run itself was very well attended and we had over 300 entrants. For much of the race we had our hearts in our mouths as the lead runner was outstandingly fast and we thought the record may be beaten but it wasn't to be. He did, however, finish over one and a half minutes ahead of the second man. An incredible achievement.

Many of the runners return every year but we still manage to attract new entrants and many of them attend events most weeks so have a lot to compare us against. We only heard positive feedback and most of it along two themes. Firstly, it is the general atmosphere, created by the friendliness of our helpers and marshalls - and secondly our 10k cafe. So many people comment on the catering and one couple even told us that, although they have now stopped running, they come each year to watch the race and enjoy tea and cake on the village green. It is testament to Helen and her team that we are so well known for the catering we put on.

Thanks again to all the helpers and, with places shortly opening up for 2023 we look forward to the 27th Tholthorpe 10k. We are always looking for more helpers so, if you are new to the village or want to get involved in any way please get in touch with any of us.

THANKYOU

This year the race raised a massive £1500 for village hall funds - the hall committee want to say a big thankyou to everyone that helped make that possible....race runners, helpers and of course organisers.

Ian, Simon, Helen and Kevin





Pizza Deals

Every Wednesday evening enjoy two pizzas for £20

Mid-week take away offer - every Wednesday & Thursday take home two pizzas for £15

Saturday Night Family Special - enjoy two large pizzas and two small pizzas for £30

For all terms and conditions please see our website



Wine & Food Night

Thursday 24th November
7pm

An evening of culinary delights and wine
Tickets £60 pp



Our Christmas Party Menu and Christmas opening times are available on our website



We are now on Instagram please follow us on: [new.inntholthorpe](https://www.instagram.com/new.inntholthorpe)

01347 838329 www.thenewinntholthorpe.co.uk



Tholthorpe Follies
Hereby offers to
REWARD
audiences by presenting

ROBIN HOOD

the family pantomime by
Graeme Thompson

JANUARY 2023

Tholthorpe Village Hall

Thursday 12th - 7pm

Friday 6th and 13th - 7pm

Saturday 7th and 14th - 2.30pm and 7pm

Sunday 8th - 2.30pm and 7pm

Adults
£6
Children
£4

Tickets from Julie Henley on 07719 584254 or 01347 838531

This is a 90 minute one act production with limited audience numbers...
book early to avoid disappointment! Licenced bar opens 30 minutes before each performance.