

# THE WUDHUS NEWS

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## Horsley Woodhouse Carnival



Eric enjoying a cuppa!

After unseasonal high temperatures, the weather cooled for the 37<sup>th</sup> village Carnival and hundreds of people descended on the Sitwell Recreation Ground after the procession through Main Street, which was great to see.

Heage brass band played the National Anthem after which Eric Lancashire MBE opened the event and the fun began! Carnival Queen Holly Harvey was crowned and looked lovely along with her attendants, Alice, Charlotte and Madeleine Last.

Tug of war, children's games, pony rides and Derby County FC Rammie shoot out added a new dimension to this year's Carnival. The Craft tent was also a huge success and will hopefully make a return next year.

Events in the Main Ring included Breaston Highlanders, Trix Academy of Dance & Cheer, Horsing Around and the

Tug of War which included the Army Cadets pulling against each other.

The fun dog show organised by the Neighbourhood Watch was as popular as ever as was the British Legion BBQ judging by the size of the queue!

Thanks to all sponsors and organisations that made the day a success as well as the volunteers who helped on the day and gave up their valuable free time.

**The Horsley Woodhouse Community Association Committee invites you all to attend their AGM on the 12<sup>th</sup> September 2013 at 7.30 p.m., Royal British Legion Hall for feedback from this year's event and suggestions for next year.**



Heage Brass Band



Junior Tug of War Team winners

## DID YOU GO TO HORSLEY WOODHOUSE PRIMARY SCHOOL?

### School searches for ex-pupils and staff.

Later this year, Horsley Woodhouse Primary School will be celebrating its centenary. The first pupils entered the school on the 13th October 1913. The original school log book names the six teachers at that time but the head teacher just refers to "myself" so we don't know his or her name.

On 13th October 1913 the school enrolled 113 girls and 56 infants (as there was already a boys' school in the village). Classes were held in the classrooms and the hall. Now Horsley Woodhouse Primary has 123 boys and girls from 4 to 11 in four spacious classrooms and the hall is used for PE, lunches, assemblies and many special activities.

As part of its centenary preparations, the school is looking to get in contact with as many ex-pupils and staff as possible to hear their stories of life at the school. Did you go to the school or work there at any point in the last hundred years?

Or do you know anyone who did? If so, please get in touch with the school at [info@horsleywoodhouse.derbyshire.sch.uk](mailto:info@horsleywoodhouse.derbyshire.sch.uk) or ring them on 01332 880403.

There is the chance to describe your favourite teacher, worst misdemeanour (and associated punishment if you were found out!) and what you enjoyed most at the school. The school is also interested to know what you wanted to do when you left school and what you actually ended up doing. Your experiences can be written down or, if you wish, you can be interviewed on film for a DVD about the last hundred years of Horsley Woodhouse Primary School.

If you have any photographs, school work or other memorabilia, the school would be delighted to copy or borrow them for the displays that are being prepared for the Centenary Open Day which will be on Saturday 12th October.

For further information, please contact:

Head teacher: Mrs Liz Peach

Secretary: Mrs Helen Cornfield

Telephone: 01332 880403

## Request for Community Support

1<sup>st</sup> Sitwell Scout Group needs your help - Do you have any spare loft insulation hanging around unused? If the answer is yes and you are willing to part with it, then all donations would be gratefully received towards the renovations of the Scout Hut.

At the moment heat is being lost through the roof and if it can be properly insulated not only will it reduce running costs but allow the groups to enjoy their activities in more comfort.

If you can help please email Ian at [cubs@1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk](mailto:cubs@1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk) and they can collect the insulation or alternatively you could bring it along on the 11<sup>th</sup> September to the Sitwell Recreation Ground.



## Horsley Woodhouse Walking Group

The walking group started in 2010 and the aim of the group is to encourage local walking as a cheap, convenient form of exercise whilst providing excellent social opportunities and the chance to discover the natural beauty found in and around Horsley Woodhouse, Horsley, Denby and Kilburn.

It uses Footpaths, Bridleways, as well as road walks. The varied program includes a walk suitable for buggies once a month. Walks are short, ranging between 1.5 and 3.5 miles long. They are led by first aid trained walk leaders and walkers are able to walk at their own pace.

So, if you are looking for gentle exercise in a secure and friendly environment, come and give The Horsley Woodhouse Walking Group a try!

For more information, contact:

Tor or Debbie on 0128356348 or

Simon Harrison on 01332780450 (walk leader)

### September 2013

Wednesday 4th (9.45 a.m. to midday) - Kidsley Grange 3.25 miles, meet at Horsley Woodhouse Working Men's Club at 9.45.

Wednesday 11th (9.45 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.) - Kilburn Hall & Tants Meadow 2.5 miles, meet at Horsley Woodhouse Working Men's Club at 9.45.

Wednesday 18th (9.45a.m. to midday) - Horsley Woodhouse & Smalley 2.5 or 3.5 miles. This walk is part of the Amber Valley Walking Festival and starts from the Horsley Woodhouse Church Hall at 9.45, with refreshments afterwards.

Wednesday 25th (10.00 a.m. to 11.45 a.m.) - Ripley Greenway 2.25 miles, meet at Denby Pottery Car Park at 10.00. *This is a buggy friendly walk.*

### October 2013

Wednesday 2nd (10.00 a.m. to midday) - Denby Pottery & Flamstead 2.5 miles, meet at Denby Pottery Car Park at 10.00.

Wednesday 9th (9.45 am to 11.45 a.m.) - Horsley Castle 3 miles, meet at Horsley Woodhouse Working Men's Club at 9.45.

Wednesday 16th (10.00 a.m. to midday) - Shipley Country Park 2 miles, meet at the Shipley Park Visitors Centre at 10.00.

Wednesday 23rd (9.45 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.) - Denby Bottles 2.75 miles, meet at Horsley Woodhouse Working Men's Club at 9.45. *This is a buggy friendly walk.*

Wednesday 30th (9.45 am to 11.45 a.m.) - Smalley Hall 2.75 miles, meet at Horsley Woodhouse Working Men's Club at 9.45.

### November 2013

Wednesday 6th (9.45 am – midday) - Nottingham Canal 3.25 miles, meet at Horsley Woodhouse Working Men's Club at 9:45. *This is a buggy friendly walk.*

Full details can be found of all the walks on the Arthur Medical Centre web site

[www.arthurmedicalcentre.co.uk/info.aspx?p=12](http://www.arthurmedicalcentre.co.uk/info.aspx?p=12)



## Horsley Woodhouse Parish Council

Apologies for the missing editions of the Wudhus News earlier this year. Several sets of circumstances caused some difficulties, the major one been due to the absence of an editor. However, volunteer Tania Pells has been appointed, this being her first issue and we wish her well in taking up the post.

Cllr Eric Lancashire MBE

The members were informed that the John Locko Charity was not in a position to give donations to the Over 60'S Club. The person responsible for the funding allocation is Cllr D Bliss; the Parish Clerk will make enquiries.

Police Report – PCSO Vicky Hill is now the local officer that covers the Horsley Woodhouse area.

The Contract of Employment between the Parish Clerk (Kay Richardson) and the Parish Council is not yet finalised.

Recreation Ground – Progress is being made on the selection of new equipment for installation on the Sitwell Recreation Ground.

For the centenary celebrations for the Primary School the Parish Council are going to install a plaque.

Action on outstanding issues:

- ◆ The flashing light on Church Lane is still not working - Cllr S McGuiness to contact Derbyshire County Council
- ◆ Obstruction on The Crescent by a hedge that is overgrown – Parish Clerk to contact Derbyshire County Council

### Parish Council Contact Details:

- ◆ Cllr E Lancashire MBE (Chairman) - 01332 881566
- ◆ Cllr C Crowder (Vice Chairman) – 01332 781955
- ◆ Cllr K Seals – 01332 881983
- ◆ Cllr S McGuinness – 01332 880240
- ◆ Kay Richardson (Parish Clerk) – 01332 885404

Email: [krchrds77@aol.com](mailto:krchrds77@aol.com)

**Date of next meeting** – Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 7.00 p.m. at the Church Hall. All members of the public are welcome to observe the meeting and raise any issues.

## 9 Main Street Garden Openings - 2013

May I say a big thank you to everyone who supported us by visiting this year. The two open days in June and August raised over £1,000 for the NGS (Gardens Open for Charity) and for the Derbyshire Children's Holiday Centre. We are often asked what charities the NGS supports, so here are the main beneficiaries:

- ◆ Macmillan Cancer Support – the NGS is Macmillan's largest single donor. Since 1985 it has raised more than £13.7 million for their services for those affected by cancer.
- ◆ Marie Curie Cancer Care – in the past 15 years NGS has raised £6 million for this charity, which will be familiar to many of you.
- ◆ Help for Hospices
- ◆ Carers Trust
- ◆ The Queens Nursing Institute
- ◆ Gardeners Royal Beneficiaries Society

As you can see, these are all very worthwhile causes and we hope for your support next year.

Alison Napier



## Coffee Morning and Table Top Sale

Come along and enjoy the raffle, tombola, stalls, games, refreshments and much more in aid of the Derbyshire, Leicestershire and Rutland Air Ambulance. Horsley Woodhouse Church Hall on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> September 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

For more details contact Rebecca on 07792 148 686.

## Horsley Woodhouse Pre-school

Come along and have some fun at Horsley Woodhouse pre-school, Methodist Church, Main Street.

Term-time only - Monday to Friday 9.15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Ages 2-3 (fee payable) and Ages 3-5 (government funding available). Also running are two afternoon sessions Monday and Wednesday 1.00 p.m. to 3.30 p.m. Age 2+.

Please contact Louise Meredith on 07969 964 842.

## Local clubs, community groups and societies

### Orchard Group

We meet every fortnight at The Orchard Centre on Tuesdays 2.00 to 4.00 p.m. to play scrabble, whist and various games. Everyone is welcome to come for a natter and a cup of tea or coffee with only a small charge of £1.00 to pay if attending. Trips out are also organised when funds allow. Next meeting will be held on 24<sup>th</sup> September.

Please contact Peggy Parry for more details on 01332 883240.

### Horsley Woodhouse Family History Group

Unfortunately due to work commitments this group is discontinued until further notice.

### British Legion

Branch meetings are held every first Monday of each month at 7.30 p.m. at Horsley Woodhouse British Legion Memorial Hall on Main Street. There is an annual subscription charge of £11 for 2013, which does increase yearly. More members needed and welcome and you don't have to be ex-service personnel to join. Plans are underway to mark the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of WW1 so watch this space.

### Ladies Group

Nice to be back with the 'Wudhus news'. We as a group would like to take the opportunity of letting people know that we meet on the first Thursday of each month at the British Legion at 7.15 p.m. We have speakers on different subjects and craft making. Katherine Wilson from Age UK will be speaking about the benefits of exercise on 5<sup>th</sup> September. All new members are very welcome, cost £2.00 for refreshments and a good evening.

Terrina Girling Committee Member

### Over 60's Club

Meet alternative Tuesdays 2.00 to 4.00 p.m. at the British Legion to play cards, dominos and bingo and to enjoy a cup of tea with biscuits. Occasional speakers and trips out organised. The next trip will be on 10<sup>th</sup> September for a carvery lunch and a visit to The Dukeries and Sherwood Forest (non-members fee for this trip to be confirmed).

Come along as anyone is welcome. Next meetings - 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 1<sup>st</sup> October, 15<sup>th</sup> October, 29<sup>th</sup> October and 12<sup>th</sup> November. Members pay £8.00 for an annual subscription.

Please contact Don Barham for more details on 01332 881379.

### Whist Drive

Meet every Friday night at 7.00 p.m. at the British Legion - contact Malcolm Parkin for more details 01332 880160.

## St Susanna's Parish Church

### September 2013

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> – 6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> – 6.30 p.m. Holy Communion

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> – 6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> – 10.30 a.m. Morning Prayer

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> – Group Service at Loscoe Church (the Denby Group of Churches)

### October 2013

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> – 6.30 p.m. Harvest Festival

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> – 6.30 p.m. Holy Communion

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> – 6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> – 10.30 a.m. Morning Prayer

Harvest Supper (time and date to be confirmed—look out for posters in village)

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – 6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

### **Dates for your diary:**

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September – 10.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. Heritage weekend at St James, St Clements and St Susanna's. For the churches and Chapels' Ride and Stride, refreshments available.

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December at 7.45 p.m. come along to the Church and listen to the wonderful voices of the Derbyshire Constabulary Male Voice Choir, in support of the 'Boundary Wall Fund'.

## Events and activities

### Church Hall

Currently the weekly programme of activities open to the public in the Church Hall is:

- ◆ Monday 19.00 to 20.00 Line Dancing (contact Megan on 01159 326217)
- ◆ Tuesday Tae-Kwon-do 18.30 to 20.30 (contact Shirley on 07790 812468 or 01332 880865)
- ◆ Thursday Boogie Babies (dance class for toddlers) 10.00 to 11.00 (contact Lucy on 07870 198046)
- ◆ The Over 55's Keep Fit class which has been run on a Wednesday 13.30 to 14.30 may resume in the autumn if sufficient people are interested.

Anyone interested in booking the Hall for a party or other celebration or for regular meetings of their club or society may contact John Slater on 01332 883443. Anyone unaware of the facilities we have available may contact Andrew Shaw (Churchwarden, St Susanna's Church) on 01332 883124 or 07790 012606 to arrange a visit.

### **Dates for your diary:**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> September – Quiz night at the Church Hall at 7.15 p.m. in aid of St Susanna's Church funds. The charge for entry is £8.00 for a table of four.

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November – Autumn Fair at the Church Hall

## Horsley Woodhouse Methodist Church

### Ministers:

Revd Judi Smart - Tel: not yet known

Revd Philip Taylor - Tel: 01773 822484

### SERVICES

Sunday, 1 September - 6.15 p.m. Service led by Revd Chris Scotchbrook

Sunday, 8 September - 6.15 p.m. Service led by members of our congregation

Sunday, 15 September – Harvest Festival (Gifts received for the Padley Centre)

10.30 a.m. Service led by Mrs Janet Picken

6.15 p.m. Service led by Mrs Judith Milner

Sunday, 22 September - 6.15 p.m. Service led by Mr Keith Bryan

Sunday, 29 September - 6.15 p.m. Service with Holy Communion led by Revd Judi Smart

Sunday, 6 October - 6.15 p.m. Service led by Mrs Margaret Barker

Sunday, 13 October - 6.15 p.m. Service with Holy Communion led by Revd Phil Taylor

Sunday, 20 October

10.30 a.m. Service led by Mr Philip Brooks

6.15 p.m. Service led by Mrs Geraldine Stamp

Sunday, 27 October - 6.15 p.m. Service led by Mrs Glenis Edwards

Sunday, 3 November - 6.15 p.m. Service led by Revd Kenneth Cupit

Monday, 16 September - Harvest Supper at 7.00 pm. Entertainment by Peter Morley.

Tickets: £5.00 and can be obtained from Phyllis: 01332 880083 and Gwen: 01332 881379

CHRISTMAS FAYRE- Saturday, 30 November - 2.30 p.m. More details later.

DEDICATION - Our Morning Service on 16 June included the Dedication of Jack Lyon. Jack is the baby son of Gareth & Sarah Lyon, brother to Anna, and the grandson of Pauline & Phil Tomlinson.

JOYCE VALLANCE - The Funeral Service for Joyce, a member at our chapel for many years, was held on Wednesday, 17 July. £382 in donations has been given to our Chapel in memory of Joyce. We thank the family for making us the recipients.

HORSLEY WOODHOUSE CARNIVAL - £171.20 was raised on our stall.

FAREWELL - We said farewell to Revd Susan Chambers in July. Susan had been our Minister for 10 years, and we presented her with an original oil painting of Poppies as our farewell gift and thanks. Susan has moved to the Lincoln Circuit.

THE WELCOME SERVICE for our new Minister, Revd Judi Smart, is on Monday, 2 September at Waingroves Methodist Church at 7.30 pm.



## Horsley Woodhouse Ex Service & Working Men's Club

### Events coming up:

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September – live music with male singer Matt Symons

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September – **Skittles tournament in memory of local resident Barrie Hall.** Come along and join in with a team of four. Entry £1.00 per person and all the money raised will go to the Royal Derby Hospital's Intensive Care Unit. We are trying to raise as much as we can for this excellent cause and for the memory of Barrie. There will be a cash prize and big raffle, all welcome including non-members.

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October – Presentation night and raffle draw for the Skittle tournament (held the week before). Artist will be performing (to be confirmed).

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October – live music with award winning '2 boy show' Last Stand

## Celebrating 10 years at the Old Oak Pub

Tracy and family would like thank everyone for their support over the last 10 years. They would like to invite everyone along to a week long festival of events by celebrating with live music.

Fri day 25th September – Blue Grass

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> September – Forgeries

Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> September – Old Oak Jam

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> October – Mispent Youth

Also please join us to for a night of entertainment with Ripley Morris Men at 8.00 p.m. on Thursday 5th September.

### If you wish to contact us:

If you would like to put forward any details to be included in the next edition of the Wudhus News please contact Tania Pells (Editor) at [editorwudhusnews@gmail.com](mailto:editorwudhusnews@gmail.com).

All articles and information submitted will be reviewed by the Parish Council before it can be approved. Unfortunately we cannot advertise businesses within the newsletter or print personal letters.

The next edition is due out at the beginning of November and will cover November and December 2013. The following edition will be distributed for the beginning of January and will cover January and February 2014.

**Publishing Deadlines:** November — 20th Oct 2013. January — 15th Dec 2013. Any information received after the deadline will not be included but may go forward to the next edition. Many thanks Tania Pells

## 1st Sitwell Scouts Group



**Would you like to:**

Have fun

Play loads of games

Gain badges

Go on trips and visits

Go camping and hiking

Meet new friends



If so, come and join us every week

### Meeting Place:

Sitwell Scout HQ, off Church Lane, Horsley  
Woodhouse DE7 6AW

### Cubs open on the 11th September 2013

Wednesday (Cubs) 8 -11 years 6:30-8:00 p.m.

TBC (Scouts) 10½-14 years

TBC (Beavers) 5¾- 8 years

Come and join in – first Few Weeks are free!

[www.1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk](http://www.1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk)

