

# Wudhus News

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2017 HORSLEY WOODHOUSE PC

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## What a show - fun for all ages

The sun may not have been shining but this year's Carnival was a great success for visitors, stall holders and entertainers alike. Unfortunately the spitfire couldn't make it due to bad weather earlier on in its travels but let's not let it spoil a fun afternoon. What about our Mexican themed compare who entertained us all afternoon – booking him for next year!!

Everyone made a real effort with the fancy dress and we had three floats this year from Studio 7,



Leo Vallance (Evil Knievel) - 0-6 winner

Horsley Woodhouse Primary School and 1st Sitwell Scouts, Cubs and Beavers. The parade was even bigger this year thanks to Studio 7 with their Disney dance parade and the increased number of vintage cars. Bringing the parade to a close were the 'Spig' and 'Queen Mary' steam engines and the Heanor Fire Engine.

**School** for 'Once Upon a Time'. Well done everyone for all your efforts.

**Clr Kevin Buttery** (supported by his wife for the afternoon), travelled to the event heading up the parade in a car supplied by Andy Baston. He opened the event and then had a tough job judging the various activities.

### Best Float went to Horsley Woodhouse Primary



Check out our Facebook page for photos of the carnival past and present <https://www.facebook.com/HorsleyWoodhouseCarnival>.

If you have any photographs or film footage please share them on the Facebook site so everyone can see them.

## HW Carnival 2017 cont....

The **Carnival King, Queen and Attendant** looked fantastic this year with The Flower Shop providing a car for them to travel in the parade and the flower poses.



Vinnie Richardson, Cienna Chamberlain-Newman and Maddie Moorby with Cllr Buttery

The **Classic Car winner** went to the **white Ford Cortina L owned by John Wheeldon since 1971**. Side shows included the circus skills, balloon modeller, Punch and



Judy, fair ground and go karting for our younger audience. Events in the main arena were varied this year with a falconry display, a re-enactment from Sealed Knot, a band

pony rides, Derbyshire County County's climbing wall, model airplanes and parrot rescue.



Not forgetting the community stalls who attend the Carnival to raise funds and awareness for their groups and the craft tent which saw 20 local businesses selling a varied range of products this year.

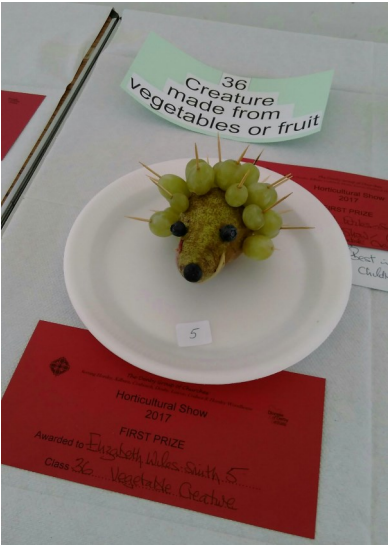
**Thanks must go to everyone who volunteered** to help set up and take down on the day. Also those who helped in their various roles including the refreshment tent, gate collection, road closure, raffle tent and the photograph competition. **A special thanks goes to the 1st Sitwell Scout Group and the RAF Cadets** who without them the event would just not be possible.



# HW Carnival 2017 cont....

Thank you to Andrew Shaw and the Denby Group of Churches Men's Group for the **Horticultural Show** which looked great and demonstrated a fine display of local produce, vegetables, fruit and handmade products.

| <i>Horticultural Show - Section winners</i> |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| Vegetable section                           | Ann Smith             |
| Flower section                              | Jane Lawson           |
| Produce section                             | June Knight           |
| Fruit section                               | Karen Seals           |
| Children's section                          | Elizabeth Wiles-Smith |



No 36. Creatures made from vegetables or fruit - Elizabeth Wiles-Smith



No 32. Victoria Sponge Winners - Karen Seals

The dog show which was provided by Just 4 Dogs attracted a large audience of wagging participants waiting to be crowned **Best in Show**. This honour went to **Jet the Cockapoo and Katy**, with the Reserve going to **Ted (Bedlington Terrier) and Richard**.





## HW Carnival 2017 cont....

The **Tug of War competition** was a tightly fought contest for both the adult and children's teams this year.

**Taking the winning children's title were 'Cowboys & Indians' and the winners of the adults was the 1<sup>st</sup> Sitwell Scout Leaders.**

Sealed Knot were given a rematch but could not topple the mighty Scouts!!!



Lillianna, Dylan, Natalie, Brooke, Oliver, Lillie and Jymee (may not be in name order)



Chris, Ken, Andy, Andrew, Pete & Ian (may not be in name order)

The **Street Scene competition** went really well and the Parish Council and Horsley Woodhouse Community Association thank everyone who decorated their homes and gave the village a colourful Carnival spirit. How great did the village look with all the bunting, scarecrows and garden displays - the whole village really came together to support the day and showed that there is a strong sense of pride in Horsley Woodhouse that people should be proud off. Also a big thanks to the judges who generously gave their time and energy to travel around all areas of the village.



Overall Champion Property - Mrs Nancy Millhouse, Main St



# Street Scene Carnival winners cont...

**Sponsored by HWPC & HWCA:**

|                                  |                                   |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Most appealing - Window Boxes    | Chris Mountford, Main St          |
| Most appealing - Hanging Baskets | Mrs M. McDonnell, Hill View Close |
| Most appealing - Planters        | Mrs Val Quinn, Golden Valley      |
| Most appealing - Front Garden    | J. Farminer, The Orchard          |
| Overall Champion Property        | Mrs Nancy Millhouse, Main St      |



Most appealing: Window Boxes, Hanging Baskets, Planters, Front Garden (clockwise from the top left)

**Sponsored by Lesley and Kevan Gascoyne:**

|  |  |
|--|--|
| Winner - Scarecrow People & Bunting                | Linda Stevens, Willow Grove, Main Street |
| <i>Runners up - Scarecrow People &amp; Bunting</i> | 33 Meadow Close (sunbathers)             |
|  | 44 Fairfield Rd, (farmer)                |
|  | 140 Main St                              |



Winner - Scarecrow People & Bunting: Linda Stevens, Willow Grove, Main Street





## HW Carnival 2017 cont....

The **HWCA raffle** was drawn around 5.00 pm with some great prizes donated from local people and businesses.

| Prize                       | Donated By                  | Ticket | Winners        |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|----------------|
| Afternoon Tea for 2         | Morley Hayes                | 00070  | Hollie Goodwin |
| Family Ticket               | Crich Tramway Museum        | 00079  | Jade Goodwin   |
| Travel Package              | Trent Barton                | 00095  | Angie Burrows  |
| 3 Course Sunday Lunch for 2 | Horsley Lodge               | 00576  | Audrey Fiddes  |
| Cut and Blow Dry            | Brian Christian Hair Design | 00680  | D Goodburn     |
| £10.00 Shopping Voucher     | CO-OP                       | 00693  | Lisa Shaw      |
| Beauty Products             | Weleda                      | 00305  | Adrian Langley |
| 1 Month family Swim Voucher | Belper Leisure Centre       | 00662  | Phil Jerram    |
| Factory Tour                | Denby Pottery               | 00437  | L Cooper       |
| Rug                         | B&J Carpets                 | 00621  | Simon          |
| 2 Tubs of Ice Cream Voucher | Bluebells                   | 00746  | Ruth Rae       |
| Spa Products                | Tania Pells                 | 00773  | A Gales        |
| Wine                        | Tesco                       | 00517  | C Miles        |
| Pack of 3 Beers             | Oakfield Farm               | 00398  | Ray Newell     |
| Hand care Products          | DEB                         | 0733   | Mark & Sue     |
| Gel Nails                   | Donated on the day          | 00614  | Mrs C Harrison |
| Bottle of Whiskey           | Donated on the day          | 00658  | Dennis Nutt    |
| Decoupage Set               | Donated on the day          | 00698  | Frank          |
| Lash Extensions             | Donated on the day          | 00690  | Colin Wright   |
| Make Up Experience          | Donated on the day          | 00584  | Jack Clarke    |

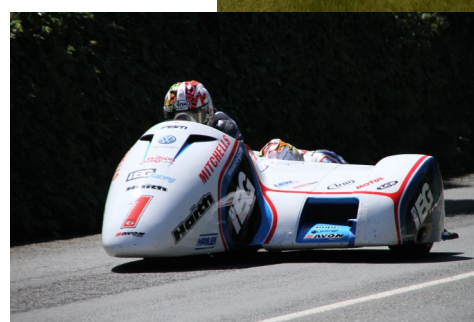
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**Most of the prizes remain unclaimed so if you see your name below or recognise someone you know please ask them to contact Angela (HWCA Treasurer) on 07803 158 397.**

Entries to the **photograph competition** were limited this year but the winners were still of a high quality. Sponsored by Alison Napier in memory of her late husband, Ian Hill. Hope we can encourage more entries next year especially for the under 12's.

**Any age – family holiday: Howard Beedle**  
**Any age – local scenery: Stephen Lingley**





## HW Carnival 2017 cont....

And to finish off, the full fancy dress winners:

- 0-6 winner - Leo Vallance (Evil Knievel) (see front page)
- 7-10 winner - Helena Bott (Buzz)
- 11-15 winner - Hermione Taylor (Cruella)
- Over 16's winner - Phil Rowbotham (Beast)



Helena Bott, Hermione Taylor, Phil Rowbotham (& Beauty) (left to right)

### We need your views to inform next year's event:

The committee are having a few weeks off before they start planning for next year. **If you would like to comment on this year's Carnival (both positives and constructive negatives) please join us at The Old Oak Pub on Wednesday 6th September at 7.30 pm. All are welcome, however if you are unable to attend but have a suggestion please email it to:**

**[secretary.hwca@hotmail.com](mailto:secretary.hwca@hotmail.com)**.

Alison Napier (Chair),  
Tania Pells (Vice Chair),  
Chris Wilcox (Secretary)  
Angela Szczepankiewicz (Treasurer)

Horsley Woodhouse Community Association  
(HWCA)

Denise Cruise awarding the trophy for best float, in memory of his late wife Janet Cruise





If you are interested in booking the Church Hall for meetings, parties and other functions, or on behalf of Societies and Clubs, please contact Sheila Cullen (the Bookings Secretary) on 07803 158 235.

# St Susanna's Parish Church

## August 2017

6<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 pm – Evening Prayer

13<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 pm – Holy Communion

20<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 pm – Evening Service

27<sup>th</sup> at 10.30 am – Morning Prayer

## September 2017

3<sup>rd</sup> at 6.30 pm – Evening Prayer

10<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 pm – Holy Communion

17<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 pm – Evening Prayer

24<sup>th</sup> at 10.30 am – Morning Prayer

## Events and activities at the Church Hall - weekly programme:

| Date     | Activity                                   | Contact details          |
|----------|--|--------------------------|
| Monday   | 7.00 to 8.15 p.m.<br>Line Dancing          | Megan<br>01159 326217    |
| Tuesday  | 5.00 to 9.30 p.m.<br>United Response Disco | Michelle<br>07891 759907 |
| Thursday | 5.30 & 7.30 pm<br>Slimming World           | Tracy<br>07821 616372    |

## FUNNIES - ITS HOLIDAY TIME !!

### **Actual complaints by Brits to their Travel Agents**

There was no sign telling you that you shouldn't get on the hot air balloon ride if you're afraid of heights.

The food was so cheap by the time we got home I'd put on half a stone

My husband drank the local beer and ended up violently drunk. They must put something in the alcohol here.

After being told she could reach the front desk by dialling 9, a lady complained when she was repeatedly unable to do so from her mobile

The animals at the zoo looked very sad and it made our children cry. Can't they train them to smile?

My husband got carsick on the boat.

We booked the honeymoon suite, and in the WC there were 2 toilets side by side. With no walls separating them! There is nothing at all romantic about that.

The street signs weren't in English. I don't understand how anyone can get around.

"All packed for a mountaineering holiday, and couldn't believe no one told me that there wouldn't be snow. I had to go out and buy new clothes.

You told us that there was a rooftop pool, but above us was just another room

We went to a Mexican restaurant in Rome and the waiter was Italian. You assured us Italy was the best place for an authentic food experience

# Horsley Woodhouse Methodist Church

## SERVICES

### August 2017

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> at 6.15 pm – Service led by Revd Julian Penfold

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> at 6.15 pm – Songs of Praise Service

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup>

at 10.30 am – Service led by Mrs Alison Wood

at 6.15 pm – Service with Holy Communion led by Revd Judi Smart

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> at 6.15 pm – Service led by Mr Andrew Whysall

### September 2017

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6.15 pm – Service

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> at 6.15 pm – Service with Holy Communion led by Revd Judi Smart

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> – Harvest Festival

at 10.30 am – Service led by Mrs Jayne Watson

at 6.15 pm – Service led by Revd Chris Scotchbrook

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> at 6.15 pm - Service

**Minister:** Revd  
Judi Smart  
Tel: 01332 781 296

**Church Contact:**  
Mrs Phyllis Shaw  
Tel: 01332 880 083



**Methodist Church,  
Main Street**

*Not all the preachers for September are known at the time of going to press.*

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**THE CHRISTIAN AID COFFEE MORNING on 20<sup>th</sup> May**, including donations, raised £313.90.  
Grateful thanks to all who supported in any way.

### **HARVEST FESTIVAL WEEKEND**

#### **Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> September**

10.30 am - Service led by Mrs Jayne Watson

Gifts received for the Padley Centre

6.15 pm - Service led by Revd Chris Scotchbrook

#### **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September**

**Harvest Supper** at 7.00 pm. Tickets: £6.00

Entertainment by David Hand & Keith Staley

Tickets can be obtained from Phyllis: 01332 880 083 and Gwen: 01332 881 379

**CHRISTMAS FAYRE – Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November** at 2.30 pm. More details later.

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THE FUNERAL SERVICE for Cynthia Millhouse took place on 12<sup>th</sup> June.

Our thoughts and prayers were with her family and all her friends.

She will be greatly missed in our church, by her friends, and throughout the village.



## Local clubs, community groups and societies



### Jog Derbyshire

Horsley Woodhouse Joggers meet every Thursday at the Church Hall at 7.00 pm. It is a group for absolute beginners or those returning to jogging after a break. For anyone who wants more details please contact Sam Draper by phone 07891 571 488 or email: [samanthadraper@live.com](mailto:samanthadraper@live.com).

### Orchard Group

We meet every fortnight at the Orchard Centre on Tuesdays 2.00 to 4.00 pm. Please contact Mavis Thomson for more details on 01332 882 985.

### Scouts, Cubs and Beavers

Beaver Scouts (6-8 years) Thursday – 6.00 - 7.00 pm  
Cubs Scouts (8-10½ years) Wednesday – 6:30 - 8.00 pm  
Scouts (10 ½-14 years) Monday – 7.00 - 8:30 pm

Please contact Ian Britton, GSL, 1<sup>st</sup> Sitwell Scout Group on:  
M: 07847 207 756

E: [gsl@1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk](mailto:gsl@1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk)  
W: [www.1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk](http://www.1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk)

### Whist Drive

Meet every Friday night at 7.00 pm at the British Legion - contact Malcolm Parkin for more details 01332 880 160.

If you have a group or local club and would like it to be included in this section please contact:

Tania Pells  
(Editor) on  
[editorwudhusnews@gmail.com](mailto:editorwudhusnews@gmail.com).

### **Over 60's Club - at the British Legion Hall**

The Club continues to meet alternate Tuesdays in the Royal British Legion Hall. By the time you read this we will have completed the third outing of our summer programme. On Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July we headed for the York shopping outlet (this is one to please the ladies) and then for the "inner man" a visit to the super chippy at the well named "Wetherby Whaler". We complete our season on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September when we go to the lovely market town of Shrewsbury. This outing is open to non-members.

Don Barham, Hon Secretary

### **Ladies Group - at the British Legion Hall**

Our next two meetings are:

- **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> August**, which will be a fun Quiz Night conducted by one of our members.
- **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September**, with guest speaker Chris Black on the work of the Royal British Legion

Both meetings start 7.00 - 7.15 pm in the British Legion Hall.

All Members and non-members are welcome.

Terrina Girling, Member



## Horsley Woodhouse and Smalley Royal British Legion

The Legion year moves on at a rate of knots and we reached the end of our financial year on 30<sup>th</sup> June. Receipts and expenses are now being analysed for our financial returns which have to be with the accountant in good time so that we can meet the cut-off date of 30<sup>th</sup> September. The A.G.M. is targeted for early October, then we move into the Remembrance period in November. The Great War centenary now covers the events of 1917 and you will see a great deal of coverage

by the media during the next few months.

The new visitor centre is now open at the National Memorial Arboretum, Alrewas. We plan to visit and take a look at the new set-up, afterwards we will be calling to see our friends at the Alrewas Royal British Legion Club. They are going to lay on one of their excellent buffets for us.

This outing is open to non-members and will take place on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> September, leaving the

Legion Hall at 12.30 pm. Cost to non-members £12.00. I understand from the club steward that the R.A.F. police will be

availing themselves of the club's hospitality at the same time which should make for an entertaining end to the day, particularly for any ex Brylcreem men amongst us.

Don Barham, Hon. Secretary  
01332 881 379 or 07724 076 948



## Horsley Woodhouse Walking Group

### July 2017

Wed 5<sup>th</sup> July – (9.45 am – 11.15 am) Woodhouse Circular (2 miles), meet at Old Oak car park, Horsley Woodhouse at 9.45 am.

***This is a buggy friendly walk.***

Wed 12<sup>th</sup> July – (9.45 am – 11.45 am) Shipley Wood (2.25 miles), meet at Shipley Garden Centre at 9.45 am.

Wed 19<sup>th</sup> July – (9.45 am – 11.30 am) Codnor Castle (2.75 miles), meet at Codnor car park at 9.45 am.

Wed 26<sup>th</sup> July – (9.45 am – 11.30 am) Coxbench & Little Eaton (2.75 miles), meet at Coxbench at 9.45 am.

### August 2017

Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug – (9.45 am – midday) Denby Pottery to Park Hall (3.25 miles), meet at Denby Pottery car park at 9.45 am.

Wed 9<sup>th</sup> Aug – (9.45 am – 11.45 am) Nutbrook Canal (1.5 or 3 miles), to go by cars to Straws Bridge at 9.45 am.

Wed 16<sup>th</sup> Aug – (9.45 am – midday) Darley Abbey (2.5 or 3 miles), meet at the car park at Old Chester Road at 9.45 am.

***This is a buggy friendly walk.***

Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug – (9.45 am – 11.15 am) Horsley Castle (2 miles), meet at Coxbench at 9.45 am.

Wed 30<sup>th</sup> Aug – (9.45 am – 11.30

am) Smalley

Dam (2.5 or 3 miles), meet at Smalley car park at 9.45 am.

**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)**

**For more information contact:**

- Amanda Gowing - 01773 841 428
- Phil Brown - 07854 132 612
- Gordon McNeil - 07740 243 825
- Owen Marshall - 07800 542 689



# Horsley Woodhouse Parish Council

Reports from  
June and July  
(AGM) Parish  
Council  
meetings

**June:**

- Cllr Buttery reported that tip charges have been abolished
- The planters are now all ready for the summer with bedding plants in place
- The litter bin by the Millennium wall has been found, and will be returned asap

**July:**

- A member of the public was concerned about the standard of mowing in the village, Cllr Buttery reported that Amber Valley mow eight times a year, this is more for safety than aesthetic reasons
- A parishioner expressed his concern over litter in the village, he was informed that the contractor who strims the verges in the village does pick up the litter. The streets are also cleaned by Amber Valley twice a year
- A litter bin at the bus stop at the Co-op has been removed, Parish Clerk to ask Amber Valley BC for this to be reinstated
- Parish Clerk to ask the Post Office when the post boxes will be painted, it was noted that the Council was told they would be painted in 2017

**Planning**

**June:**

**AVA/2017/0560** - Proposed lobby to front elevation  
104 Main Street, Horsley Woodhouse  
No objections

**AVA/2017/0524** - Proposed two storey extension  
7 Wood Lane Horsley Woodhouse  
No objections

Horsley Woodhouse Primary School - Erection of a Log Cabin  
No objections

**July:**

**AVA/2017/0543** - Moor View, Church Lane  
Members requested that the garage windows should be made of obscure glass.

**Recreation Matters**

**June:**

The Council have asked four contractors to design the new playground to include pre-teens, teens and if possible fitness equipment for adults. Members agreed that consultation with the

members of the community will take place after the designs have been received.

**July:**

Horeston Recreation Ground - Proposed plans have been received from three contractors, the plans will be on display at the Carnival in the Scout Hut, and members of the public were invited to comment on them.

**Date of next meeting:**

The next meeting will be on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 7.00 pm in the British Legion Hall** all members of the parish are welcome to attend to observe the meeting and raise any issues.



## **Police Report**

### **June:**

Complaints from members of the public regarding anti-social behaviour from a group of youths roaming the village, damage has been caused to the Church Hall and graffiti has been reported in many areas in the village.

PC Sam King attended the meeting along with two PCSO's. They reported that there had only been one incident reported to them regarding the window of the Pharmacy being broken. The Council had sent several emails regarding anti-social behaviour and photos of graffiti in the village, however, for these incidents to be logged with the police, members of the public should dial 101 with the following details:

- Date of incident/crime
- Time
- Location
- Owner
- Person reporting details
- Value of damage or theft
- Any suspect details

Members complained that it was very difficult to get through to speak to anyone on 101. Cllr Buttery will be raising concerns over the reporting systems to the Police Chief Commissioner.

The Police agreed to set up a regular surgery for the village, where parishioners can talk to the police with any concerns they have, this will be held in the Church Hall.

### **July:**

There were also concerns of speeding and parking on the verges and pavements, members explained they were still waiting for the speed survey to be carried out by the police and Cllr Buttery explained that it was not an offence to park on the pavement, however, it was an offence to drive on the pavement, this must be witnessed by a police officer for a prosecution.

Cllr Buttery reported that he had spoken to the police regarding the 101-reporting system and was waiting for a reply. It was noted that you can report a crime on the website and book an appointment to see an Officer via the website.

**The Safer Neighbourhood Team provides up to date information on twitter @HeanorRuralSNT and you can email the team on [ripley.neighbourhoods@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:ripley.neighbourhoods@derbyshire.pnn.police.uk).**

## **Parish Council Contact Details:**

- Cllr K Seals (Chairman) – 01332 881 983
- Cllr S McGuinness (Vice Chairman) – 01332 880 240
- Cllr S Harrison – 01332 780 450
- Cllr A Nathan – 07790 730 610
- Cllr I Ratcliffe – 01332 781 872
- Cllr S Till – 01332 881 739
- Cllr J Whitmore – 01332 880 203

• **Mrs K Richardson (Parish Clerk) – 01332 883 404**

**Email: [horsleywoodhouseparishcouncil@aol.com](mailto:horsleywoodhouseparishcouncil@aol.com)**



## Councillor Kevin Buttery – Keeping you Updated

Opening Horsley Woodhouse Carnival was a huge honour and a privilege. I had a fantastic day and was truly impressed by the standard of fancy dress, they were all winners in my eyes. I have never felt under so much pressure, looking into those little expectant faces saying, "Please pick me!" The scarecrows on the route also added to the fun.

Village Carnivals are the exception these days, so a huge thanks to the Carnival Committee and all the volunteers who made the event possible. I really do hope it continues for many years to come, as it's a great family day out and deserves all our support.

The issue of grass cutting and weed spraying has been raised with me on a number of occasions. The main rule of thumb is that grass verges within the village are cut eight times per year and twice outside the village. The reality is that whichever type of mowing machines the Council uses, they have to contend with various street furniture, so will never cut as short as your

lawnmower. As for weed spraying, this is done twice a year and is a contact weed killer. Both are conducted to a timetable, not on growth. Unfortunately, the weather and weeds don't always stick to that timetable, so on occasions the grass and weeds will be at a length we all find unacceptable. Parked vehicles also impact upon this and the road sweeping services. I do manage to get extra mowing, weed spraying and road sweeping on occasions, but as you would expect, these are limited because we have only limited capacity.

On taking over control of the Council, it was a surprise to discover a £3.1million 'black hole' in the Highways budget. That will definitely set us some challenges, because road maintenance impacts upon us all in one way or another.

Having recently become Chairman of the Derbyshire Fire & Rescue Authority, I am very much aware of the impact of the Grenfell Tower fire in London that sadly saw the loss of many

lives. It would be wrong to speculate about the cause until a full investigation has taken place, but it is understandable that we are all concerned by such incidents and our safety. Please ensure you fit a smoke alarm on each level of your home and regularly test that it is working, plus have an escape plan, which all members of the family understand and can act upon in the unlikely event of a fire.

Derbyshire Fire & Rescue Service is working hard to raise the profile of using sprinklers in homes, whether they be retro-fit or in new build properties. It really is like having a fire fighter in each room. Please visit [www.derbyshire.gov.uk](http://www.derbyshire.gov.uk) for more information as to how you can keep your family safe.

**If there is an issue I can help you with, please contact me on 01332 781 092 or [kevin.buttery@derbyshire.gov.uk](mailto:kevin.buttery@derbyshire.gov.uk)**





## OPEN GARDEN - still going ahead

With the help of friends the garden at **9 Main Street** will open again for the National Gardens Scheme, funding cancer care, nursing and carer's charities. The dates for your diaries are **SATURDAY 5<sup>th</sup> and SUNDAY 6<sup>th</sup> AUGUST**. Times are **1.30 pm to 4.30 pm** both days, entry charge £3, accompanied children free.

There will be the usual splendid cream teas in aid of Derbyshire Children's Holiday Centre and a stall selling plants raised in my garden. All parts of the garden are accessible to wheelchairs and we have an adapted WC. As we welcome dogs on leads, why not call in as part of your walk? We hope for fine weather and look forward to welcoming you the first weekend in August.

Alison Napier

## Meet your local PCSO Jenny Lorimer

Hello, I'm Jenny Lorimer and I'm the local Police Community Support Officer (PCSO) for the Horsley Woodhouse area. I've been a PCSO now for just over ten years. For the first seven of those I was based at Langley Mill, but since 2014 my patch is Heanor, and all the rural areas surrounding Heanor which includes Horsley Woodhouse, Shipley, Smalley, Mapperly, Horsley and Coxbench. My team also includes three police officers, PC's Lorna Dashfield, Cameron Harvey and Samuel King and we all help out each other where we can, working to keep our areas safe.



Although I have been a PCSO for a decade, I still like everything about my job and the community based work we do, which has included setting up diversionary activities for young people, being a visible and reassuring presence on the streets, getting to know local residents and helping to resolve any concerns they have as well as getting stuck in to help target and prevent crime. Outside of work my main interest is football, which I play regularly and am a captain of a ladies football team.

We're going to be hosting regular surgeries in Horsley Woodhouse and I hope to see you, even if it's just to say hello. I hope that people will get to know us better and will feel confident in talking to the about any worries or concerns they might have. We would also like to try and set up a Community Speed Watch initiative in the area, as many people tell us they are concerned about speeding and road safety, and the surgery will be a good chance for people to find out what it's all about.

**The surgery will take place on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30 pm. We will be at the Church Hall and I look forward to seeing you then.**

In the meantime, if you would like to contact me, or any other member of the Shipley, Smalley and Horsley Safer Neighbourhood Policing Team, you can call 101 or send us a message through the 'Contact Us' page of the website: [www.derbyshire.police.uk](http://www.derbyshire.police.uk).

# Scouts, Cubs & Beavers

If you would like to join the Scout group, it will be great fun, please email me – [gsl@1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk](mailto:gsl@1stsitwellscoutgroup.co.uk).

We had a great camp this last month and what a difference nearly four years make, since we re-opened 1<sup>st</sup> Sitwell Scout Group. In June we had a great Group camp with 65 members of 1st Sitwell go camping at Beaudesert Park Scout Campsite. We did a number of activities crate stacking, bridge building, fire lighting, shelter building, team building, tomahawks, via ferrata, pedal karts, archery, pioneering, greasy pole,

low ropes, Jacobs ladder, coracling and raft building to name a few. Many thanks for the leaders and helpers who gave up their time for free so 1st Sitwell young people can have their Scouting adventure.

I am pleased to also announce we have five more leaders joining the group and more to follow; three more in the Beaver section and one each in the Cub and Scout sections.





At this year's annual Ripley and Heanor District St George's Day parade we raised just under £90. This year as it was hosted by 1st Sitwell and the young people from the Scout group wanted the money donated to a local charity. Derbyshire Blood Bikes was selected and picture shows Mark from Derbyshire Blood Bikes receiving the cheque from 1st Sitwell Cub pack and also with the R&H District Treasurer Andrew.



## AFC Kilburn are back up and running

In March this year, a new team of management took over at Leedale Park, the home of AFC Kilburn Football Club on Chapel St, Kilburn. Headed up by our Chairman, Jeff Baldwin, the emphasis was to return this football club back to its former glory and re-enter the Central Midlands Football League, and bring quality football back to the village.

Before we could do that, it literally was a football ground version of DIY SOS! All the management, players, parents, and our friends at the Kilburn



Welfare and Social Club, poured hours of work and indeed money into the Club to secure the league status we need and hit the required ground standards for local semi pro football. We also are eternally grateful to our sponsors, Leedale, FRP, Else Law and Nonno's for their kind contributions and the amazing Puma kits for this coming season.

AFC Kilburn Adult 1st Team Managers Gary Smith and Leigh Daniels have been working the lads hard through pre-season, using the Parishes first class training pitches, and are supported by the AFC Kilburn Development Squad, headed up by Gav Record and Kyle Dyche. Whilst the grounds were being developed the Club also trained at the Horeston Recreation Ground over the last month, which we are most grateful for. An invitation is extended to our neighbours at Horsley Woodhouse to support the Club in any way you can.

Finally, youth football also returns

to the village and ground, in charge is Manager and Welfare



Officer Mark Whittaker, alongside Coach's Chris Stirland and Gary Wilkinson. We'd be delighted to see the local community come and support us, and enjoy the onsite facilities including bar and sky sport in the Welfare.

**Our first match is AFC Kilburn v Matlock Town on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> August @ 3.00 pm. We hope to see you there!!!**

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## **HORSLEY WOODHOUSE CAMERA CLUB**

invite you to

discuss your pixels over a pint at  
The Old Oak Pub!

on

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> August from 7.30pm onwards**

**We get together to learn from each other and to compare pics**

**We have a couple of experienced photographers who are only too  
pleased to share their knowledge**

**Turn your snaps into pictures and family photos into quality  
treasured memories**

**There's no membership fee, with the odd local themed trip thrown in  
to gain experience**

**COME ALONG AND SUSS US OUT, WE'D LOVE TO SEE YOU  
AND IT'S FREE!!!**

### **Stargazers – Aladdin Comes to Horsley Woodhouse!**

The Stargazers Drama Group is gearing up for its next family pantomime performance in the village. 'Aladdin' will be performed in the Church Hall from **Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> February to Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February in 2018**. The Group is open to anyone associated with the villages of Horsley Woodhouse, Denby, Kilburn and Horsley. Rehearsals will start in the autumn. No experience is necessary, and there are no upper or lower age limits. The Group is looking for actors, actresses, dancers, comedians, jugglers and acrobats as well as stage crew and administrators. **If you are interested please call Ray on 01332 882 200.**

Thank you,  
Ray Rippingale, Chair, Stargazers Drama Group

**St Susanna's Parish Church**  
**'A Taste of Derbyshire'**  
**themed Afternoon Tea**



**Come and sample a selection of  
Derbyshire delights whilst being entertained  
by *Lisa Mills—a talented local singer & musician*  
Plus stalls featuring local foods and crafts**

**In  
Horsley Woodhouse Church Hall  
on  
Saturday 2nd September at 2.30pm**

**£10 per person**

**Tickets available on 01332 881521  
/01332 881966 or from The Flower Shop**

# STREET *meets*

**Your local  
SaferNeighbourhood team  
will be here**

**Horsley Woodhouse  
Church Hall  
Police Surgery**

**Date: Monday 25th September  
Time: 19:30hrs**

For further details visit: [www.derbyshire.police.uk](http://www.derbyshire.police.uk)



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