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Mobile Library service changes.

The new three weekly service for the mobile library services has now started and the bus now calls in Cadney and Howsham on a Thursday every three weeks. In May this will be on the 9th and 30th. The times and stops remain the same. They are: Cadney first, on Vicarage Lane from 9.40 to 10.05 am. It then moves on to Howsham and stops on Cadney road from 10.10 to 10.20 am, before moving round the corner to stop on Main Street from 10.25 to 10.35am. Should you have inquiries regarding the changes you can contact Community services 01724 865675 or email bill.fisk@northlincs.gov.uk.

Thank you to Susan Naylor of Howsham who passed on the information sheet, so I in turn could pass the information on to you.

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Litter Pick
Sunday 2nd June, 10am
Meet at Howsham Village Hall

Alex Wood of Main Street, Howsham has organised a litter pick to take place in and around Howsham. Concerned about the amount of rubbish littering our lovely part of North Lincs, she decided to do something about it. If enough people support it, the litter pickers will be divided into 3 groups of people picking up litter along the roads to Cadney, Brigg and Kelsey. Plus, parents and some younger children could help picking up litter in Howsham itself. If it proves successful, Cadney and it’s surrounding roads could be covered on another day. Refreshments will be provided for all helpers when they return. Just turn up on the day. Litter pick up tools, hi-vis tabards, gloves and bin bags will be provided. See Alex’s letter inside.

You get in touch with Alex at alexandra.braxley@yahoo.co.uk
MEETINGS
The meetings for both the Village hall and Park committees will be held on Monday the 13th of May starting from 7.30pm at Howsham Village Hall. New members and visitors are always welcome.

Village Hall Hire
The Village Hall is available to hire at a very reasonable rate of just £6/ hour & includes use of the kitchen. Also included is free time either side of your hire time to set up and clear up.

For availability call: Debbie 01652 678768

Updates
The Duck race was very popular and well attended once again, and with duck sponsors, and money from raffle and refreshments the total raised was £521.80.

Robbie Almond also organised an egg hunt for the walk down to the beck and had a tombola in the village hall, and he raised over £80 for his Borneo trip. He is still looking for odd jobs to help swell the coffers, you can call him on 07794 976705 or email: almondrobbie@gmail.com.

The day for Stephen Clark's skydive in aid of St. Andrew's Children's hospice is nearly here, on May 19th watch out for the planes loaded with skydivers over Hibaldstow as Stephen will be one of them. He had another successful Bingo night and had a book stall too at the village hall after the duck race and has now collected almost £500. But he would still welcome more sponsors for this very worthy cause. If you would like him to call with his sponsor form please call him on 678768 or see his on line page at www.justgiving.com/super-stephen.

Cadney and Howsham
Crime report
Recorded crimes in March 2013:
1 x Criminal damage
(Coping stone on a wall)
A suspicious vehicle with a horse box was reported. In another incident, fencing had been rolled back, leaving a paddock insecure. An individual was also reported training a Rottweiler dog to attack.

Litter concerns.
Alex Wood of Howsham writes:
Last autumn my husband and I collected 8 black bags of rubbish from the verges on the Brigg side of Howsham, including a mattress and dumped paint tins! We have noticed how bad the litter is getting again. Whilst some of it will have been thrown from cars, I believe the majority has blown from bins during the recent windy weather. It poses a real risk to wildlife, spoils the appearance of the countryside and it doesn’t show much of a sense of pride from the community. Perhaps people could weight bin lids with a brick? My husband and I will continue to collect litter as and when we can; if other people would be willing to do some rubber gloves, perhaps we could make a coordinated effort to clear the verges around the village?

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On behalf of the residents of Cadney and Howsham Village we would like to say a very large Thank You to Mrs Mary Kerr for all the work and effort she has put into being the Chairwoman of the Cadney cum Howsham Parish Council over the last few years. I know you all will agree with me that we wish Mrs Kerr and her family all the very best for the future.

Vacancies:
Have you thought about being a member of the Parish Council? Why not come along to our next meeting on the 9th May 2013. Or if you feel as though you have what it takes and would like to apply for a position on the council, please call Linda or email for further information.

What do the Parish Councillors do?
They are a group of residents who have lived in either Cadney or Howsham for 12 months or more. The Councillors meet up on the 2nd Thursday in each month to discuss issues which may have arisen; this could be as captivating as dog fouling!! Or starting and supporting projects within the two villages. Each year we apply to the North Lincolnshire Council for an amount of money called the precept money. This year’s precept is for £6500. This money has been able to help with the running costs of the village hall, has paid for most of the grass cutting on the playing field and Cadney church yard, and has helped with the patio area at the village hall and donations to some local charities. The Councillors listen to the public, to problems or grievances with in the villages. If there are any planning issues these too are discussed at the meetings.

You may not be aware, but if there is no Parish Council then Cadney Cum Howsham would lose the precept money.

What we really would like is for some of you residents to attend some of the meetings and have your say! There is only you who can make a difference in the running of Cadney and Howsham parish.

The next Cadney cum Parish Council Meeting will be held on Thursday 9th May 2013. The meeting will start promptly at 19:30 hrs (7:30pm). Venue: Howsham Village Hall. The Parish Council would like to invite all residents of Cadney and Howsham.

Linda Holstein
Cadney Cum Howsham Parish Clerk
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