

HUBY VOICE



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Parish Council News

Please check the Parish Council website at www.hubyparishcouncil.uk for a copy of all the agendas and minutes.

Cllr John Corden was re-elected as Chairman for the coming year together with Vice Chairman Cllr Jemma Dale.

The Council has twice on 4 March and May 2024 (the Annual Meeting) since the last Huby Voice.

Fourteen planning application have been considered across the two meetings.

The salt bin outside the Mended Drum has been delivered and that completes the additional bins.

A volunteer has come forward to produce an Emergency Plan for the village. They will now start the process of collecting and compiling the necessary information.

This is the first edition of the Huby Voice that will have a total of 200 copies available in the village shop, village hall and chapel. Special arrangements can be made for those physically unable to collect these so please email hubyvoice@gmail.com if you know of someone in this situation.

The reopening of the Community Shop was a great success and a further already approved grant of £5,000 has been made by the Parish Council due to the remedial works required when the property was first purchased. It is now an excellent asset for the village and will be for years to come. A grant of £150 was also made to the Huby Walks Group who are ensuring that all the rights of way around the parish are registered.

In future the meetings of the Council will take place on the second Wednesday every other month. This is to simplify bookings for the village hall due to the bimonthly arrangements and numerous bank holidays.

Flooding at cemetery Corner and on Stillington Road has been reported to NYC Highways together with the damage to the verge outside the Mended Drum.

Nigel Knapton

Clerk to the Parish Council clerk@hubyparishcouncil.uk



Counter Intelligence – The latest news from your community shop & Post Office

COMMUNITY The new shop is now well established and although there are a **SHOP** few outstanding actions to complete, it is great to see it

becoming a real hub for the community. Thanks to a grant from North Yorkshire Council, we have solar panels fitted to the roof as well as a battery to minimise electricity costs. The work on the maisonette is still being finalised but we hope to see it advertised for rent soon and then occupied by a tenant. The rent from the maisonette will give us useful additional income as well as offering a home to someone. We are grateful to Huby Parish Council for their ongoing support, and we recently received a £5,000 grant from them which was previously agreed and held back from the original purchase price.

Did you know....?

- 1. Our village store and Post Office would not be viable, if it wasn't for the volunteers who do all the shifts behind the counter as well as stock purchasing and management.
- 2. It's a village hub and meeting place where you can have a coffee and a chat.
- 3. Get involved! By becoming a volunteer, you not only help the community, but you also get to know people and become part of a team. Lots of people do it, why not give it a go?
- 4. Come and find out about becoming a volunteer on Sunday 2nd June we are having a drop in from 9am to 11.30am where you can come and find out about being a volunteer, have a look behind scenes and even have a go serving customers.
- 5. All profits from the shop benefit the local community, for example, it allows us to keep the Post Office open 6 days a week.
- 6. We stock lots of local produce like jams from Sutton, meat from Hartleys in Easingwold, bread from Brandsby and Easingwold. And we want to stock more so let us know if there is a local product we could stock.
- 7. We take orders for meat and fish every week, so if you need something why not order from us in the week and collect it a few days later? We take orders for pies and other baked goods from Thorntons, meat from Hartleys, fish from Hodgsons and bread from Clarks and we can order from their full ranges, not just what we normally stock.
- 8. The shop is open 8am to 6pm Monday to Friday and 9am to 12.30pm on Saturdays and 9am to 11.30am on Sundays and Bank Holidays. The Post Office is open 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday and 9am to 12noon on Saturdays.

To find out more about the shop or volunteering, call in and chat to the team, email hubysuttonvolunteers@outlook.com or come along to the drop in on 2nd June 9am to 11.30am.

In the heart of Huby, they've left a mark, Denise and John, shining bright in the dark.

With tireless efforts, they've led the way, For community spirit to flourish each day.

From York to Huby, their journey did span, Bringing hope and change with every plan. Barkers of Huby, a beacon of light, A community hub, shining so bright.

Denise, a leader, with vision so clear, Guiding us forward, year after year. John, by her side, quietly strong, Supporting her efforts, all along.

And amidst our progress, with every gain, Sara's cake, a sweet refrain.

Marking our milestones, with each slice, A testament to our shared enterprise.

In 2024, we opened Huby and Sutton Community Shop,

A testament to Denise's leadership, nonstop.

A place for neighbours to gather and share,

A symbol of community, beyond compare.

Magnificent volunteers, without a reward, Their dedication, our community's sword. Through the pandemic, they served us proud,

Their commitment, a chorus loud.

Among many friends here and away, People like Elaine, Terry, Sara, John, and Adie,

Together, we've reached for the sky, Supporting each other, you and I.

We've clubbed together, a small token to share,

One to remind you of us, to show we care. The other, something we know you hold dear.

A reflection of joys, you've brought us near.

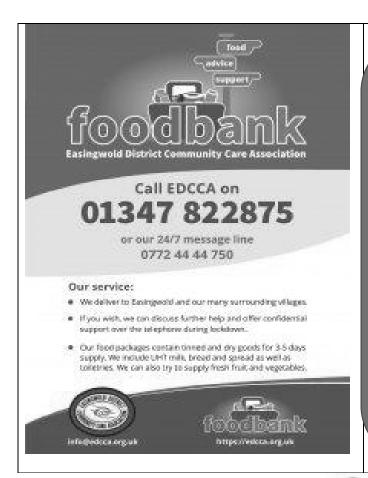
Now their work here, it's come to an end, But their legacy, forever, will ascend. As they embark on a new sunny shore, We gather with gratitude, forevermore.

With gratitude immense, and hearts full of cheer,

We raise our glasses, to Denise and John dear.

Thank you, gratitude, with love we send, Onwards to new adventures, our cherished friends





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1st Galtres Brownies



The Huby Brownie group for girls aged 7-10 have had a great spring. We have been doing activities themed around 'Skills for my future' including using money, investigating different jobs, cooking fajitas and learning some DIY skills by making art with nails and screws.

In April a group of girls went on a unit holiday to Grosmont including lots of crafts, songs and games and a train trip to Whitby to have chips on the seafront.

This term we are working towards badges themed around the Olympics and 'Have adventures'. We will be trying new sports, reading maps, getting out around the village and visiting Forest of Flowers.

We would love to hear from any local people that are willing to visit us to share a skill or anyone willing to help in any way. Get in touch at galtresbrownies@gmail.com



To buy your heating oil at a competitive price, join the Sutton & Huby Syndicate Email: suttonhubyoil@aol.co.uk for more information



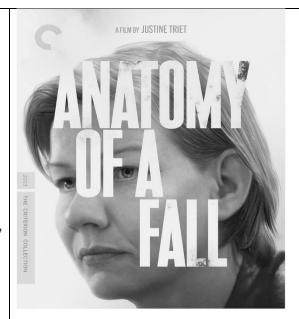
SUTTON ON THE FOREST FILM CLUB SPRING PROGRAMME

at The Grey Village Hall. 7.30PM drinks 8PM performance starts

Entrance by donation on the door. comfort.jeremy@gmail.com 01347 810252

Tuesday 18 June: Anatomy of a Fall

The closer we look, the less we know in Justine Triet's masterful, Oscar-winning Anatomy of a Fall, an eerily riveting courtroom thriller that examines the line where truth becomes fiction and fiction becomes truth. When Sandra Voyter (a transfixing Sandra Hüller), a writer who turns the material of her life into autofiction, is put on trial for the suspicious death by defenestration—or was it suicide?—of her husband, it opens up an inquiry that will turn a troubled home inside out. Criterion



Tuesday 23 July: The End We Start From

The all-conquering Jodie Comer turns in another terrific performance in this too-close-for-comfort sci-fi. Comer plays an unnamed, heavily pregnant woman whose waters break just as her pretty suburban home starts to flood. This is not merely a minor domestic issue; persistent heavy rains have put much of the United Kingdom underwater, leading to the evacuation of cities, a shortage of food, and mass panic that drives desperate people to desperate things.



Financial Help

Please don't forget there is a fund run by the Church and Easingwold and

Villages' Foodbank to help residents in Sutton and Huby struggling with the cost of heating and topping up your LPG or oil tank.

Perhaps you've had an unexpected repair to your house or car which has left you short of cash this month, or it could be an on-going issue.

If you know anyone who this could help, please encourage them to ring 07724 444 750 in complete confidence – just leave a message.



FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

BIRDS OF PREY | FUN RACES | BOUNCY CASTLE | GAMES AND STALLS | HUBY CORINTHIANS

BBQ AND ICE CREAMS | HOT AND COLD DRINKS | BAR

FREE ENTRY OR PURCHASE A CHILDRENS TICKET BUNDLE £10
BUNDLE INCLUDES SAUSAGE IN A BUN, BOTTOMLESS SQUASH, AND
ALL DAY BOUNCY CASTLE FUN

ALL FUNDS GO TOWARDS HUBY SCHOOL SWIMMING POOL FACILITIES FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT PTA AT HUBYPTA@GMAIL.COM



Huby Playground Appeal

The playground in Huby is run by volunteers and all costs for ongoing maintenance, insurance and new equipment are raised by fundraising activities.

We were very upset to find graffiti in the park in the last few weeks. If everyone could be aware and get in touch with any information, we would be grateful.

We are currently fundraising to raise around £6000 for the cost of a new metal fence to replace the broken wooden one. Look out for our adverts for some exciting events in the Autumn.

In December we ran a race night at The Mended Drum which was a big success and in April we had a tidy-up day at the park to get it looking good ready to be enjoyed over the Summer. Massive thanks to everyone involved in these events. Extra special thanks go to all the kids that got involved with weeding and litter collecting when they could have been playing!

We would love for more people to get involved in running and fundraising for the playground. It isn't a big commitment and is a great way to meet new people.

If you are interested in getting involved in any way or have any queries about the park contact us through our Facebook group or at: hubyplayground@gmail.com



Spring at the Forest of Flowers



It's been a fantastic spring at the Forest of Flowers nature reserve in Huby! Having so much rain to start the season has meant our 18 ponds are topped-up, plus the wildflowers and trees are really thriving, with lots of fresh growth. Our Spring Wildflower Walk revealed 30 species in flower, from Cowslip to English Bluebell, Red Campion to Wild Garlic.

This has meant lots of food for butterflies, bees and other insects and wildlife. The meadows are buzzing, and we have an exciting Summer ahead!

New Pigs

We're thrilled to have some new additions to the family: 3 pigs! These excellent diggers will be deployed in stages our woodland and wildflower habitat. They naturally disturb the soil to hunt for roots, rhizomes, worms and insects. New wildflower seedlings can then establish in the soil.



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The pigs' work will boost biodiversity in areas that would otherwise become dominated by grass, thistles or docks. So far they're doing an excellent job and we've already planted 1,000 Dog violets in the shaded areas they've been rootling in. If you'd like to meet the pigs, all of our events end in a visit to see them!

Summer Events

Our summer schedule is here! Refreshments and homemade cakes served at all events. Hope you can join us. (Tickets are limited and booking is essential.)

Please the

Date	Event
Sunday 22nd June, 10am	Guided Tour
Saturday 29th June, 1.30pm	An Introduction to Wildflowers and Identification
Sunday 14 th July, 9.30am	Summer Wildflower Walk
Sunday 21st July, 10am	Guided Tour
Saturday, 27 th July, 1.30pm	Butterfly and Moth Spotting
Sunday 28 th July 1.30pm	'Sweeney Untethered' with Adderstone, a local storytelling duo
Saturday 3 rd August, 10am	Dragonfly Spotting and Identification
Saturday 14 th September, 10am	Creating Wildflower Habitat – Day Course

website for tickets and more information: www.ForestofFlowers.co.uk

Tom Hook and Alwyn Craven

forestofflowersyork@gmail.com



Huby Village Memorial Hall

VACANCY-TREASURER

Huby Village Hall is looking for a new Treasurer, all training will be given.

Tasks to include:

*Invoicing regular users of the Hall.

*Uploading figures online to the Charities Commission for the year-end.

*Time taken maximum 1 hour per month.

If interested, please e-mail FAO Sara Ellis hubyvillagehall@outlook.com or if you see her around the village have a chat with her.

Summer is nearly here!!

We have a lovely venue to hold parties, fayres, meetings and even wedding receptions, there's also plenty of room in the garden behind the hall. The kitchen is fully equipped with oven, fridge, crockery, glasses, and cutlery.

All we ask at the end of your booking is you leave the hall as you find it, clean, tidy with everything put away properly.

The cost of hiring the hall and garden is £14 per hour including heating, no deposits, no minimum of hours.

If you are thinking of a celebration or have a meeting to organize in 2024 or even 2025 you are most welcome to come and have a look at our facilities.

For all enquiries, please e-mail us at@ hubymemorialvillagehall@outlook.com
Thank you, Huby Village Memorial Hall Committee



- Displays throughout the day in our Entertainment Ring
- Equistry History on Horseback
- Horse, Livestock & Craft Classes
- Vintage & Classic Vehicles
- Wide Variety of Trade Stands
- Food Outlets & Bar
- Fun Dog Show
- Terrier Racing
- Clay Pigeon Shooting
- Fairground Rides
- Mobile Farm
- · Birds of Prey & Meerkats
- Axe Throwing, Paintballing & Archery

www.hubyandsuttonshow.org.uk Follow us on Facebook Tickets on sale now at eventbrite.co.uk

Sutton Park, Sutton-on-the-Forest, YO61 1DP

There's only a few weeks now until The Huby & Sutton Show! We have a great day planned with activities for the whole family to enjoy.

We have a wide range of Horse, Cattle, Sheep and Craft classes, plus Vintage Vehicles and a Fun Dog Show. You can still enter classes online or pick up a schedule from the Huby Village Shop.

The Main Ring is hosting Equistry – History on Horseback with a fantastic Medieval Combat Display. Cheer for your favourite knight and meet the equine stars of the show!

We have an excellent selection of Food and Trade Stands plus the fabulous Mended Drum is running the bar. Great value Early Bird Tickets are available via Eventbrite.

The show is organised and run by a small group of volunteers, if you could spare a couple of hours to get involved, we'd love to hear from you. Drop us an email to info@hubyandsuttonshow.org.uk or message us via our Facebook page.

If you were lucky enough to win one the Show's trophies last year, please can you arrange to return it to us either by Recorded Delivery or Drop Off at: Huby & Sutton Show, Long Acre, Main Street, Huby, York, YO61 1HS



Villages Together Methodist Church in Huby

The year marches on and we continue with lots of activities in our Villages Together group.

On easter Monday we had our first 'Cream Teas' in Huby - a tradition taken on from Stillington. What a brilliant turnout. We were so well supported by the Circuit and the village. Do come along to our next one on May 27th (Spring bank holiday)

We will be joining once again with Easingwold for a 4 week study in June.

Mon. 3rd @ Easingwold 2pm - ' Eve and Adam'

Wed. 12th@ Huby 2pm. - ' Abel and Cain'

Mon.17th @ Easingwold 2pm. - 'Tower of Babel'

Wed 26th @ Huby 2pm. - 'Noah'

There is always a Calendar of Monthly events on the Church noticeboard.

If you wish to hire the premises call Carole Smith or email carolesmithuk@yahoo.co.uk

Our Minister is Rev. David Bidnell who can be contacted on 01904 345429 or davidbidnell@gmail.co

Local contacts : Carole Smith 01347 810057, Jean Abbey 01347 838593

Huby Women's Institute



Huby Women's Institute is a group of 22 friendly women who meet together every month to learn something new and meet friends old and new. We have speakers on various topics, crafts, and meals out. We love to welcome new members so do come along and give us a try. It is a lovely way to make new friends.

We meet in Huby Methodist church on the third Wednesday of every month at 7.45pm. Our May meeting is on 15th and our speaker is talking about Hatches and Matches at the Registry Office. On June 19th we have two speakers telling us all about Prince Philip.

Huby Amdrams

The society has no performances planned for this year,

However if there is anyone interested in continuing this village tradition please email: hubyvoice@gmail.com and your details will be passed on

The Huby Voice is delivered quarterly to residents of Huby, if you would like an article or an advert in the next edition, please email: hubyvoice@gmail.com by 15 August

If there is anyone interested in producing the newsletter, please contact via the above address.

A reminder that we have two village Facebook pages and a website, look out for up-to-date news on these pages:



Huby Buy Swap Sell or

Hubynorthyorkshire

www.hubyvillage.org

Used Postage Stamps



A local resident is collecting used postage stamps to raise money for the Bone Cancer Trust

Any stamps can be left at the Post
Office in the village shop. Jack will pass
on your donations.

Dates for your diary

Sunday 23 June Huby & Sutton Agricultural Show

Sunday 30 June Huby School Carnival

Parking on Pavements

Vehicles are still being parked on the pavements in the village.

It is inconsiderate to pedestrians, parents with pushchairs and wheelchair users.

Please park with more thought!

Classic and vintage vehicles

Do you have a cherished vehicle you would like to bring to Huby & Sutton Show on 23 June?

Cars, Motorbikes or tractors welcome

Please email: vehiclesathubyand Sutton show@gmail.com for an entry form

Sutton and Huby Gardening Club

I guess you think the Gardening Club, now the talks programme is out of the way until September, that it has gone to sleep until then. Especially after the Sutton Open Gardens, over the late May Bank Holiday. Not a bit of it. We've already had a pair of outings and are just about recovering from the excitement of a great day out,



admiring other people's hard work and enthusiasm for gardening. We visited Cliff Bank Nusery, at the "other" Huby, on the way to Leeds - Bradford airport. This nursery was rescued for dereliction by Ben Preston, former head gardener at Yorkgate at Adel, Leeds one of the Club's favourites. He was previously at a string of top gardens, with a year spent at Great Dixter, probably the top UK garden, so he has gone to Cliff Bank and had been busy rescuing it from six-foot-high brambles, with help provided by a couple of industrious pigs, as well as escaped farm animals. He was generous with advice gained from experience gained at the gardening hot spots I've mentioned. We will certainly return when he has rescued more of his 4.5 acres from the woodland and overgrowth. He has a 25 year plan for what he intends to do with it and we've no doubt will be spectacular in time.

We rounded off the day at the gardens of Goldsborough Hall, the former home of Queen Mary, with 12.5 acres of very well-kept gardens, run by a friend of Ben's, who is similarly full of plans and the enthusiasm to carry them out. We also had a guided tour of this ancient house, now a posh hotel and wedding venue, followed, of course by a cream tea.

We still have another outing, to see the recent garden replanning Mount Grace Priory and another favourite garden, Thornton Hall, one of the most colourful gardens I've ever seen! That's on 26 June, by a club coach, so if you hope to go and haven' t booked yet, you'll need to contact our tireless outings secretary, Hilary Kilner, preferably by e-mail hilary.kilner@hotmail.com) or by phone, 01347810206.

Nearer at home, we are going to Pam Bankes's new garden in Huby, for which already has a great reputation. Not only that, but we'll also have a glass of something fizzy and have a chance to learn something useful, or possibly even more than that, because St John's Ambulance people will be there showing us what to do in a medical emergency. That's on 6 June in the evening so let's hope for good weather! Members and others interested on our e-mailing list will already know all about these events. To add your name to that list, e-mail me at djj3@btinernet.com. That's so I can get the right e-mail address, which are the very devil to get right over the phone.

Now for the Huby and Sutton Show on 23 June, the club runs the Farm and Garden section and is hoping for bumper entries this year, with some new classes for any gardener. The marquee also houses the Home Produce and Crafts section so if you are in to jams and preserves@@@@@You've just time to enter - see its web site, www.hubyandsuttonshow.org.uk

Public Rights of Way - Oxclose Lane and Sparrington Lane

Thank you to everyone who has filled in an Evidence Statement Form.

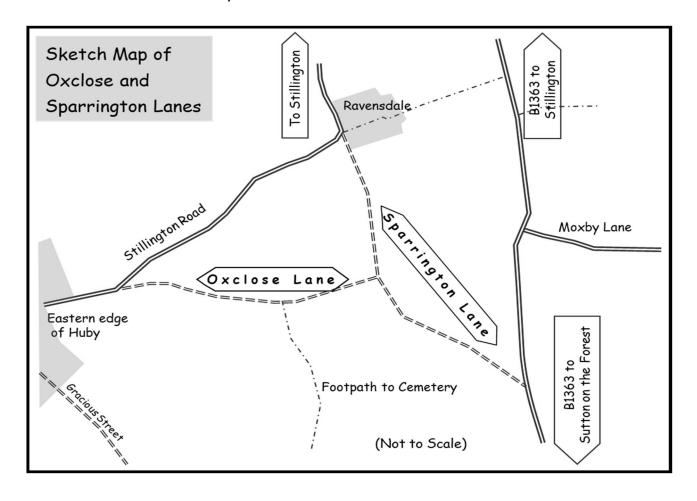
If you haven't yet handed yours in, it is not too late to do so but we would like to have them as soon as possible. There are still forms you can take in the shop if you have not yet picked one up.

We know the map is not at all easy to follow. Please don't let it stop you. You can contact any of us and we will help you out whatever the problem. There is a clearer map in the shop.

Once again we would like to stress that these 2 lanes are not on what is called The Definitive Map and are therefore not registered as Public Rights of Way. The Parish Council will be putting in an application for them to be registered. If they are not registered, public rights of way could be taken away. We need to get as many Evidence Statements as possible to make the application successful.

A lot of work is going on behind the scenes getting maps and other information. If you use these lanes in any way - walk, ride, cycle, please fill in a form and had it in at the shop.

Bill Evers 810466 Fredda Evers 810466 Mark Smith 810286 Kathryn Wallis 811272



Prescription Collection Service

We are still collecting prescriptions for any resident in Huby or Sutton (free of charge)

We have a network of volunteers happy to help. Currently we have collectively collected over 100 !! Please contact Jackie and Simon Bullough 01347 810873

Galtres Rainbows for girls age 4-7 years

The village Rainbow unit is now <u>full</u>, with a waiting list.

To put your daughters name on the list please visit: www.girlguiding.org.uk/register

The girls have recently been learning about first aid and spent the evening bandaging their favourite toys.



Were you in Brownies or Guides, would you like to give girls opportunities to make new friends, learn new skills and help them develop their potential?

We urgently need adult help in Rainbows or Brownies, if you would like to come along, please email: firstgaltresrainbows@gmail.com for more information.



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Cllr Jemma Dale

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North Yorkshire County Councillor

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Crimestoppers: 0800 555 111 Drugs helpline: 0800 776 600 Victim Support: 01904 636905

USEFUL NUMBERS

Village shop/Post office	811451/811731
Reliance buses	01904 768262
York Pullman	01904 622992
Huby School	01347 810432
Sutton School	01347 810230
Easingwold School	01347 821451
York District Hospital	01904 631313
NUC Out of Hours	111

NHS Out of Hours 111
Millfield Surgery 01347 821557

Stillington Surgery 01347 810332

Tollerton Surgery 01347 838231
Prescription service 01347 810873

Coronavirus helpline 119