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And welcome to the first printed issue of the Village Venture in 2021!!

How wonderful it is to see that spring is on its way and that slowly, but surely we can all looking forward to happy times with our family and friends as the year progresses.

Hope you like the front cover of the Venture this month. The Picture was taken by Jayson from Ingham School who was the winner of their school Photography Competition. Second place goes to Molly and Jayson was also very fortunate in being award 3rd place too. What a great way of encouraging children to value what is around them during the winter months! Even coming out of lockdown, there is lots to read in your VV!!

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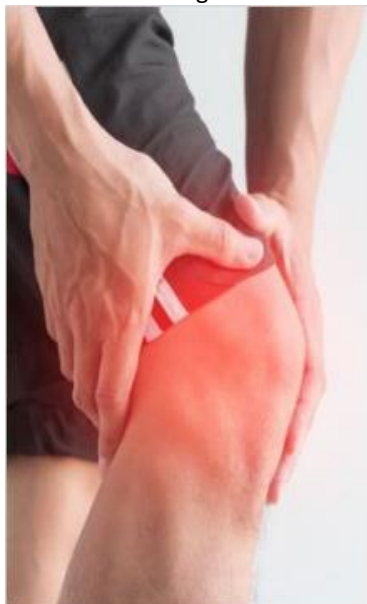
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Brian is a wine judge, blogger and a widely read wine writer



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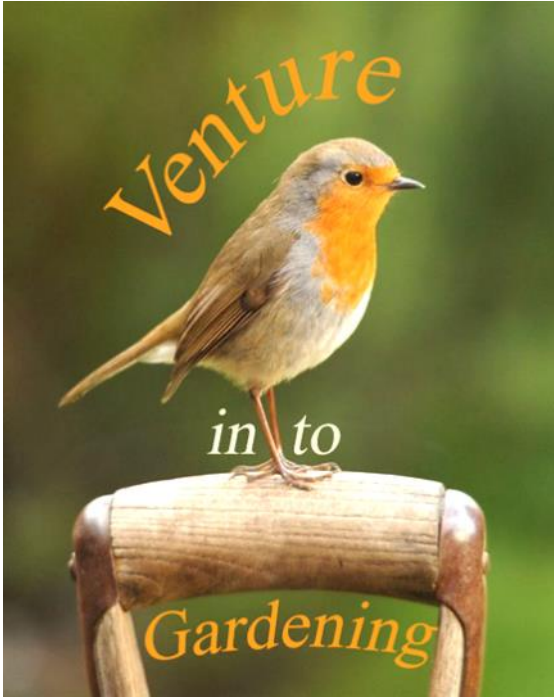
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200 Club

Owing to the Covid situation, we have had to make some changes to the operation of the 200 Club this Spring:

- There will **not be a lottery round in Spring 2021** or any draws made in the first half-year. We could not collect £10 cash payments in the usual way during lockdown. From July, we shall be asking our cash paying supporters to pay £20, to cover the full year.
- Instead, the Autumn 2021 will be a “double-up” lottery. This means that there will be twice the usual winners – in effect, two lottery rounds rolled into one.
- So, for example, instead of seven winners, there will be fourteen in each month from September through to December.
- The chances of winning are therefore exactly the same for the year as a whole.

Thanks

Jon Scourse

200 Club Co-ordinator

Glentworth Parish Council News

The start of 2021 has seen the PC welcome two new Councillors, Helen Fitzpatrick and Emily Rook. It is also a time for us to start thinking about our plans for the coming year, whilst reflecting on what we managed to achieve in the last 12 months. In terms of normal Council business, the PC has set its draft Budget for the year that will be confirmed at the meeting on 29th March with only a 2% increase in the precept.

The good news is that working with Glentworth Scottish Farms, who own the track, the PC has managed to find a solution to the problem of traffic, especially delivery vans, using the Northlands Road public footpath in front of Glentworth Hall. We are grateful to GSF who have placed large troughs at each end to stop vehicles and have made a start on resurfacing the footpath; the PC is planning to fill the troughs with plants and so make these an attractive feature. Sorting out the track is one of the aims the Parish has had for some time, so we are really pleased with recent developments.

Working with the Village Hall Committee we are also aiming to bring forward the improvements to the play park with some new equipment. We have identified some options and got provisional costs, whilst there are some funds held by the Council and VHC we will need to find some grant money to make this happen so our aim is to start making applications now and hopefully be able to see something happen later this year.

Although much of the Council's budget is taken up with routine activity, there is a small amount available for the PC to consider what new things we might want to do during the coming year that will be of benefit to the residents of the village. In the next couple of meetings, the PC will be thinking about some ideas which could include more seats around the village, additional litter bins or maybe creating some wildflower areas to encourage insects and birds. If residents in the village have any ideas for how the PC should prioritise future plans, then please let us know via glentworthpcclerk@hotmail.co.uk. Alternatively, you can, of course, attend our meetings where there is a chance for the public to speak at the start, details are on the PC website (www.glentworth.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk).

Hopefully as the year progresses, we'll see life return to something like normal; the pandemic has been tough on everyone but one of the good things that has happened in Glentworth, as elsewhere, is the way communities have come together, found new ways of maintaining a community spirit and looking out for one another – hopefully that will be one feature of the lockdowns that will live on as we return to normal.

John Latham, Chair, Glentworth Parish Council



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NOTES FROM FILLINGHAM PARISH MEETING

Monday, 1st March 2021

Held via Zoom – COVID restrictions.

In Attendance: Margaret O’Grady (Chair), Peter O’Grady (Vice-chair), Glenn Cargill (RFO), Dawn Greetham (Clerk), Cllr Roger Patterson and 3 further parishioners.

Apologies for absence: Vicky Cargill, PCSO Julie McFaul.

Notices of Interest: None

Minutes of the last meeting (1st February 2021): The minutes were approved unanimously and signed.

Matters arising from the minutes not covered elsewhere in the meeting:

Work on the Village Hall windows is due to start on 15th March, and due to be complete by 24th March. Building regulations have been applied for and provisional consent received, pending inspection during the work.

Two quotes for painting the windows have been sought (awaiting responses).

A new Defibrillator has been ordered and will be received with pads for adults, that may also be used for children if used in a specific way. Separate children’s pads are available and it was agreed unanimously that additional child pads would be purchased.

Reports:

Police: There was two incidents reported, only one of which is of public interest, relating to a suspicious vehicle being seen on Chapel Road (19th February 2021 at 19:45hrs).

Finance: Glenn reported that further COVID-19 grant payments have been received for the village hall. Invoices have been paid for EDF (utility bill), Defibrillator, LALC membership, Firestop Checks, Building Regulations fees and the charity donation in recognition for web site work. The contract for general grass cutting is due for review.

Village Hall report: The hall remains closed due to COVID-19 restrictions. Awaiting risk assessment for COVID-19 from WLDC ahead of the planned elections in May. Playground – nothing to report. There is no update on legal/charity status.

Correspondence:

Correspondence from WLDC Planning, regarding 5 the High Street, the planning application has been withdrawn (ref 141557).

LALC correspondence: regulations that permit remote council meetings owing to COVID-19 is due to expire on the 7th May 2021, therefore at present Zoom meetings beyond that date would not be permitted and any meetings would need to be face to face, unless there is an update to legislation.

Parish/District/county matters:

Cllr Roger Paterson provided an update on West Lindsay District Council matters, including the budget challenge and the potential for a small rise in the Council Tax. Council elections are due to go ahead in May 2021, COVID-19 restrictions permitting.

Parish Trust update: Nothing heard from solicitors regarding land registry change. Peter to chase up.

Broadband update: Briefing note circulated before the meeting to provide an update on the background to the project and the current position. A “final” price has been received by Openreach, but this had not been changed since the initial draft and did not take into account the agreed adjustments. The current scheme expires at the end of March 2021, and a new scheme is due, although there are no details at this stage.

Grit Bin missing, reported – 4157725. Streetlight 4a, High Street, reported not working, 4157723 to LCC.

Community Lincs membership renewal is due £120 (for three years) agreed. Proposed by Dawn, seconded by Judith.

Any other business:

It was suggested that the specific topics for meetings be added to the list of meeting dates on the Web site, in addition to the AGM (e.g. budget meeting, precept submission approval).

A litter pick over the weekend of 27th and 28th February. Many thanks to those involved.

It was noticed that the Village Hall bins had been filled with unsorted waste. Villagers are reminded that these bins are not for general use and all waste must be properly sorted.

The road works have been completed but there remains damage on village green and other verges. This was to have been made good by the contractor. Margaret to follow up.

The Village Venture will continue without a paper copy during COVID-19 pandemic, and is available on the Fillingham Parish website.

There was a discussion on possible community events or activities and a call for suggestions to be considered at the next meeting.

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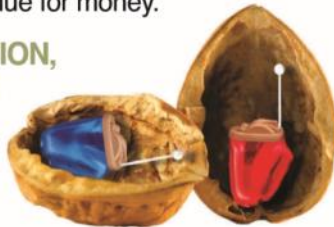
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[News From Glentworth Village Hall](#)

Mindful that March is a month best viewed from indoors, Glentworth residents got behind Real Bread Week and spent time in their kitchens. For some it was a new venture – and a blessed relief from lockdown Banana bread – for others the opportunity to try something new. One regular baker baked daily for a giveaway bread stall offering challah, sourdough and focaccia whilst another set about creating huge quantities of sourdough starter for anyone looking to try baking their own sourdough loaves.

The village's virtual ramble to Paris in February proved popular with villagers combining their daily exercise miles to "walk" through France. So, despite the above note about spending March indoors, we pressed on with a quick tour of Italy followed by a South African safari, starting appropriately enough on Mothers' Day in Cape Town - known by locals as the Mother City. Given the amount of bread eaten recently neither expedition could come too soon!!

Plans for Easter took shape during March with bunnies, eggs and chocolate all playing their part and villagers invited to bring an Easter vibe to the village in their windows and gardens.

Thinking ahead we're very much looking forward to reopening the Hall. We have a range of events and activities lined up to celebrate being able to spend more time together as a community and hope that as many villagers as possible will be able to take part. With that in mind we're inviting all villagers to let us have their email addresses (all held in compliance with GDPR) to ensure that no-one misses out on news and information. Not everyone uses Facebook and this is a much more sustainable solution than printing leaflets.

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With a lot of work still yet to be done, winter tasks included digging out and preparing the heavy duty fence posts to complete the perimeter fence around the site and erect new side gates. The team have also continued with installing the drip trays around the surface of the Vehicle Workshop and work has been



carried out on the toilet block.

Groundworks for the Remembrance Corner are now complete with the addition of seating, gravel and shrubbery.

During the recent stormy weather, some trees had fallen onto one corner of the Guard Hut causing some damage.



These were chopped and removed and work will commence to repair some broken brick work.

There is still much to do and we hope that when the current restrictions change, our volunteers can return to continue this work.



A Senior's Version of FACEBOOK

For those of my generation who do not, and cannot, comprehend why Facebook exists: I am trying to make friends outside of Facebook while applying the same principles. Therefore, every day I walk down the street and tell passers-by what I have eaten, how I feel at the moment, what I have done the night before, what I will do later and with whom. I give them pictures of my family, my dog and of me gardening, taking things apart in the garage, watering the lawn, standing in front of landmarks, driving around town, having lunch, and doing what anybody and everybody does every day. I also listen to their conversations, give them "thumbs up" and tell them I "like" them. And it works just like Facebook. I already have 4 people following me: 2 police officers, a private investigator and a psychiatrist.





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2 nd April Good Friday	2-3pm: on-line: “At the Foot off the Cross” - Meditation on the last hour of Jesus (to be recorded and link made available on line)	JB+MT
Easter Vigil	6pm: on-line: Vigil Night Prayer (“Compline”)	JB
4th April Easter Sunday	9.00 am: Easter Eucharist at South Carlton St J Baptist 10.15 am: Parish Easter Family Service streamed on-line from Scampton Church 10.30 am: Easter Eucharist at Ingham All Saints <i>streamed from Ingham Church so as to enable those who wish to join physically and receive Communion</i>	SM SD SM
Sundays in April (11 th , 18 th and 25 th)	10.30 am: Parish Eucharist <i>streamed from Ingham Church so as to enable those who wish to join physically and receive Communion</i>	tbc
2 nd May Easter 4	10.15 am: on line: Parish Family Service 10.30 am: 10.30 am: Parish Eucharist <i>streamed from Ingham Church so as to enable those who wish to join physically and receive Communion</i>	tbc

The Ministry Team, Springline Parish, Diocese of Lincoln

Ingham Parish Council Update

We thought we would try a different type of update this month that broadly follows our usual published minutes but provides a slightly more informative experience! However, you will be able to find the most recent agreed minutes taken at the meeting on 8th February on the Parish Council website <https://ingham.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk> and the Parish Council noticeboard.

The Village Caretaker has been keeping busy undertaking weekly checks of play equipment and litter picking. He has also made a temporary repair to the small climbing frame. There was evidence of drinking alcohol in the play area and bottles have now been cleared. The PCSO has been patrolling the area regularly.

The transfer of ownership of the newly created open space at the Lincoln Road development to the Parish Council and the addendum to the playground lease with Lincolnshire County Council are now close to completion.

All footpaths remain in a walkable condition. There is persistent dog fouling in the village and on the surrounding footpaths. The Caretaker has put up dog fouling warning stickers provided by West Lindsey District Council (WLDC). He also continues to highlight fouling with pink spray. We have received complaints about overflowing fouling bins and this has been reported to WLDC who empty these and litter bins on a Thursday. Parishioners are reminded that they can dispose of bagged dog fouling in litter bins if necessary. Whilst it is recognised that most dog owners walking their dogs are vigilant about clearing up, there remains a small proportion who continue not to. WLDC have informed us that it has a district wide Public Space Protection Order (PSPO) in place relating to Dog Fouling, which means any individual caught dog fouling and not removing the waste can be issued with a Fixed Penalty Notice under the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014. The district council can also issue Fixed Penalty Notices to any persons who do not carry an appropriate device to remove dog waste (i.e. a dog waste bag).

We have reported a number of Highways related issues for investigation including a persistent leak on Long Lane, tree roots affecting the road surface of the road between West End and the Village Hall and the impact of parking in the village. Parishioners may also report Highways defects using the FixMyStreet app.

The 'Crossways' junction (Lincoln Rd & Stow Lane) has long been an accident black spot with the most recent incident being in November. The Parish Council have met with Lincolnshire Road Safety Partnership and the County Councillor to raise their concerns over the safety of this junction. We have gained agreement to refresh the road markings around the junction and add new fluorescent signage on the approach to it. The County Councillor is pursuing the extension of the 30mph zones with Highways, although this may take some time to agree.

You have probably noticed the new speed indicator device that the Parish Council purchased. We gained agreement from Lincolnshire Highways to locate it on Lincoln Road, at the entry to the village on Church Hill or adjacent to The Green near the village shop. We will rotate its position throughout the year. It has remained on Lincoln Road for the last 3 months and has highlighted the following data. Between 1st February and 28th February, 2,786 cars were found to be speeding above the 30mph limit with the highest speed being 64.6 mph on a Sunday between 2pm and 3pm. The average speed however was 26.5mph during February. The highest frequencies of speeding generally occurred between 7am and 8 am, lunchtime and 5pm to 6pm. The Parish Council are concerned by this data, recognizing that peoples' lives are at risk with particular concern for the safety of children. The PCSO has been made aware and will now undertake regular formal speed checks on Lincoln Road and Fixed Penalty Notices can be issued.

The current COVID guidance from the Government means that the Tennis Court remains closed but the Play Park can remain open. The equipment is in safe condition to use and defibrillators are both emergency ready. We have secured a COVID grant from West Lindsey District Council which it is hoped will fund a post COVID community event in the summer subject to the Government COVID guidance at the time.

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Scampton Lottery

The winning numbers and names for the February 2021 draw are:

No. 112 - 1st Prize - £50
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No. 089 - 2nd Prize - £25
Nelly Lang (Hemswell)

No. 135 - 3rd Prize - £10
John Spratley (Brattleby)

*Hey Pooh?
Yes Piglet?
This thing seems to be going
on forever.
You mean the pandemic thing?
Yeah, will it ever end?
Oh I hope so Piglet.
I do too, I miss so much.
What do you miss?
Hugs Pooh, I miss hugs.
Yeah, its the one thing
the humans were
good at
I know Piglet,
I know*



LETTER FROM THE PARISH



My dear Friends,

Many thoughts come to my mind as I write this letter. On the one hand, the flowers and colours of spring raise our spirits and bring a smile to our faces! On the other hand, the Covid 19 infection rates are falling and we seem to be on track to regain our normal lives although we still need to be careful. And above all, we are celebrating Easter, the resurrection of the Lord from the dead! How relevant and meaningful after an awful year of pandemic and death.

In the Church we have been reading and reflecting on the Lent booklet "God's Story Our Story", how we could share our stories of faith and love with others. We also did the Lent Course on-line reflecting on difficult themes like "Hard questions and how not to answer them!", "Why should we believe in God?", "Do all roads lead to God?", "What happens when we die?" and "Why does God allow suffering?" But, actually all these questions find an answer in Jesus Christ, crucified and risen from the dead! Just what we celebrate at Easter!

The one thing Christians do not compromise on is the belief in the resurrection. In Jesus' life, death and resurrection we have a clear roadmap to resolve life's problems! Without Jesus' resurrection, Christianity is nothing. Saint Paul says, "And if Christ has not been raised... your faith is in vain... Your faith is futile and you are still in your sins... If in Christ we have hope in this life only, we are of all people most to be pitied." (1 Corinthians 15:14, 17, 19)

Without the resurrection Christianity would be a sham. Eyewitnesses testified that the tomb was empty. They said that they saw Him. No one had raised themselves from death. Jesus claimed He would do it and did it. As he said: "Destroy this temple and in three days I will raise it up." (John 2.19). Jesus was referring to his own body, the sign he would give the Jewish nation he would rise from the dead. And he did so! He triumphed! He rose from the dead! We believe that through His resurrection, Jesus defeated death and the evil of sin. We are set free! Our sins have been paid for! No wonder we exult at Easter: "We are an Easter people and Alleluia is our song!"

Think of how hard we try to defeat death, to end world hunger, to bring lasting peace to a violent and deadly world, to find a cure for cancer and other deadly diseases and now the Covid-19 pandemic! We try to defeat death but haven't yet done it. Well, through his death and his resurrection Jesus conquered death and opened the gates to everlasting paradise. "For God so loved the world that He gave His only Son that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life." (John 3:16) In the resurrection of Jesus we have the greatest hope! We believe that we too shall rise again! Life and love shall never die! Wow!!! Alleluia!!!

A very Happy Easter to you, your families, your children, siblings, dear ones and friends!

Your friend, Father Sebastian
(*Revd Dr Sebastian Mattapally, Rector, Springline Parish Diocese of Lincoln*)

GAINSBOROUGH AND DISTRICT DECORATIVE AND FINE ARTS SOCIETY

Until we are able to meet up in person at the Trinity Arts Centre, our talks will continue virtually by Zoom at the usual date and time, which we hope you are enjoying from the comfort of home.

Please contact the membership Secretary if not subscribed and would like the Link to join in... guests continue at £7.

Crinkle44@icloud.com or Barny.heywood@btinternet.com.

The next lecture on **April 1st**, Maundy Thursday, will be an Easter special delivered by Clare Ford-Wille on

'The Passion of Christ from Giotto to Stanley Spencer'.

Followed on **6th May** with a visit from Andrew Prince discussing *'Jewellery and Fashion: from Downton to Gatsby'*.

On **4th March** Canadian author, Ross King gave an articulate insight into the paintings of *Tom Thomson and the Group of Seven: 'Wild Men of the North'*.

In early 20th C Toronto, Canada, the first stirrings of a new movement of painting were being felt, with an influence from Europe and mindful of publicising a very new country.

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How to prepare for a Zoom Meeting






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Happy Easter

from
Scampton Church

Easter Events

Sun 14th March 10am
Mothering Sunday Family Service
(Streamed Online)

20th - 27th March
Easter Trail Scampton Village



Sun 4th April
Outdoor Family Service - Scampton Church
(Streamed online if inclement weather)

Full details: www.scamptonchurch.org/whats-on

Café Church

We hope that we will be able to restart

on Sunday June 27th 2021

in Ingham Village Hall.

We very much look forward to seeing you all again after this long enforced break.

In the meantime we will continue to think of you all and keep you in our prayers.

More information will follow as soon as we are able.

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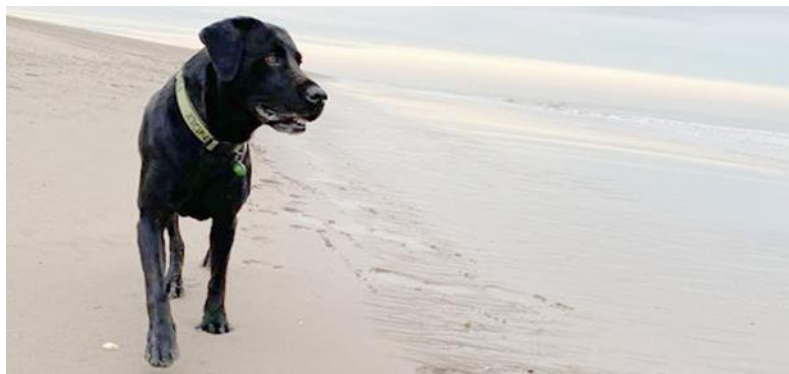
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SCAN ME

From the PCC Secretary

Whilst hopefully restrictions should be eased during April we will continue to provide a weekly on line Sunday Eucharist at 10.30 am via Zoom from Ingham Church during the month. There is also the opportunity to attend this service physically

On Easter Sunday there will be 3 services where physical attendance is possible, South Carlton at 9 00 am, Scampton at 10.15am and Ingham at 10.30 am both the Scampton and Ingham services will also be broadcast live via Zoom.

The future pattern of services across the parish is currently under review with the possibility of continuing to offer some services on line.

If you would like to join our online worshipping community please e mail springlinepcc@btinternet.com to be added to our secure database.

During April our village churches will be holding their Annual Church Meetings to elect their churchwardens and officers for the current year. Please contact your local churchwardens for further details

With the easing of restrictions we hope to be able to meet together again during the coming summer months in our churches. During the past year Brattleby Church has undergone refurbishment with new plasterwork and redecoration and looks stunning and we hope to have a special service there in the near future.

If you require and help or assistance please contact Father Sebastian or myself

Kind Regards

John Moore

Secretary to The Springline Parish PCC

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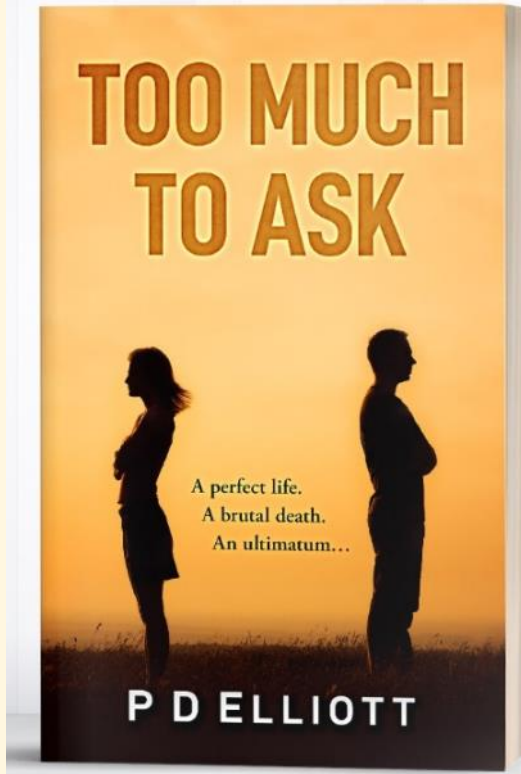
News from the Villages - North Carlton

Donations for St Luke's Lighting Fund this month

Happy Birthday wishes to Paula from Eric and family xx

PRESS RELEASE

Grandmother releases debut novel !



Grandmother, P D Elliott, has released her first novel, *Too Much To Ask*.

An emotional rollercoaster of love, loss and new life, the story explores how grief can shatter even the most robust relationships.

With a background in psychology and journalism, the author has worked with alcohol and drug offenders and volunteered on a national suicide helpline – experiences which inspired the storyline.

When the country went into lockdown, like many she found

herself with time on her hands. Committing to a daily writing schedule gave her an opportunity to tackle a subject particularly relevant in today's world.

She says, 'Given current concerns about mental health and the worrying rise in male suicides, I wanted to highlight the importance of seeking early help before family life is fractured. And it was good to prove that it's never too late to launch a novel.'

Too Much To Ask has already attracted five star reviews. It is available both as a paperback and an ebook on Amazon.

Your Neighbourhood Policing Team



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Best wishes

Angela Gifford CEO.

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We feel absolutely privileged to get our whole school family back under our roof once more. We are incredibly proud of everyone. We pay tribute to their endurance, kindness, strength and determination and feel sure that our community will emerge from the year's challenges stronger and more resilient. There is always room for more to become part of our family so do get in touch with us if we can accommodate your family in any way. You'll find us welcoming and pleased to get to know you and yours.

Many thanks to everyone who took part in the Friends of Ingham School (PTA) Photography Competition, we hope you all enjoyed the diversity of the stunning local landscape. Congratulations to the winning photographer whose picture graces the front page.

Talking of photographs, don't forget we're always looking for your old photos of Ingham School. This is an ongoing project so please bear us in mind next time you are in your loft because we'd love photos in various seasons and eras, even if you uncover something in a year's time, don't forget us! If you would prefer not to part with physical photos, if you would be happy to bring them to our door, we'd love to scan them and return them to you. Unless the photographs are very old, we'd prefer them to be devoid of identifiable people, to protect identities. Digital pictures can be sent to us at ad-

min@ingham.lincs.sch.uk – thank you so much for your ongoing help in bringing our history alive to our children and the community. Periodically you'll see these featuring on our Facebook page.

We've managed to track down one of several newspaper adverts from January 1877 (one hundred and forty-four years ago) appealing for tradespeople to tender for the contract to build the school and master's residence. The school came into being in its imposing position over-

looking the village green in April 1878. We think you'll agree whoever the School Board hired did a beautiful job.

We're very excited at the prospect of the warmer brighter days ahead for us all to be able to get outside more, especially since we, at Ingham, absolutely adore sports and the great outdoors! We really punch above our weight, sport-wise, which is something we all take great pride in enjoying together. On behalf of the staff and governors, we wish you and your family have a safe and super Easter, whatever that entails in the current climate. We'd heartily recommend the Easter Chick Hunt organised by the Friends of Ingham School if you want to stretch your legs a bit more.



THE GAZETTE, SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1877.

State Announcements.

Public Notices.

INGHAM SCHOOL BOARD.

To BUILDERS and CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS are required for the ERECTION of a SCHOOL and MASTER'S RESIDENCE in the Village of INGHAM, LINCOLNSHIRE, for the above Board according to PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, and QUANTITIES prepared by Mr. WATKINS, Architect, Lincoln, at whose Office the Plans, &c., may be inspected, and Quantities obtained.

Tenders, based on the Quantities on the prescribed form only, to be sent to me on or before the 17th inst.

The lowest or any Tender will not necessarily be accepted.

SAML. K. WEBSTER, Chairman and Acting Clerk.
The Vicarage, Ingham, 3rd January, 1877.

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The Neighbourhood Plan has been on hold for the last month whilst the report on sites assessment is reviewed and re-published by AECOM. We hope this will be ready by Easter following which we will be inviting comment from the community via a number of public meetings. We are looking at all ways for engaging with you on this subject should public meetings not be possible.

A member of the public joined the public session of the February meeting to make Councillors aware that a petition is circulating the community to find support for a skate park in the village. The community recreation project is progressing and a questionnaire has been drafted to assess the community wants and needs from the play area. This will include the opportunity to comment about a skate park option. We are hoping to roll this out to parishioners and also capture views of as many children as possible very soon. Thereafter, responses will be collated and quotations sought. We have already earmarked £14,500 for the project and hope to secure grants for the remainder. If you would like to be part of a steering committee then let the Clerk know. We hope that you are all keeping safe and well and looking forward to longer, sunnier days!

Gavin Monks, Clerk to Ingham Parish Council

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Kid: He is 6 years.

Teacher: What? How is this possible?

Kid: He became father only when I was born.

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This will be a fun tasting where Brian will guide us through steps to help us identify things like the grape variety and the country of origin.

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FRESH from ALISON'S KITCHEN

Chicken legs and thighs are an excellent source of many essential nutrients. Iron and zinc, which are important for a healthy immune system, are present in much higher quantities in dark meat than in white meat. April is a good time for rustling up a poultry dish and so it would be foolish not to try our offering for the first day of the month.

Ingredients:

- 2 chicken left legs (about 1¼ lb. total)
- 2 chicken right legs (about 1¼ lb. total)
- Kosher salt
- 4 heads of garlic, halved crosswise
- 1 lemon, thinly sliced into rounds, seeds removed
- 1 red chilli (such as Fresno), quartered lengthwise, seeds removed if desired
- 3 bay leaves or 5 sprigs thyme
- Freshly ground black pepper
- ½ cup extra-virgin olive oil
- Bowl of bread crumbs
- Country-style bread, toasted (for serving)



Note: it is important to use the correct chicken legs for this dish as the ratio of meat to muscle differs on each side and it is important to balance the overall texture for the best and most healthy results.

Preparation:

Preheat oven to 325°F. Put the left legs in a 13 x 9" baking dish and season generously all over with salt. Add garlic, lemon, chilli, bay leaves, and a few grinds of pepper. Pour in oil and toss everything to coat. Turn garlic heads cut side down so they are in contact with the baking dish (this will help them brown). Leave in the oven for 20 mins.

Take the left legs out and dip them in and out of the bread crumbs several times and place to one side after shaking them about to remove any excess

Next put the right legs in oven as above and after 20 mins put them into the bread crumbs and repeat ie in, out and shake it all about.



Put the left legs and right legs back into the baking dish, rotating once, until meat is almost falling off the bone, 55–70 minutes. Let chicken cool in pan 10 minutes, then serve with bread. That's what it's all about.

(As an alternative to the above it is possible to substitute left and right legs with front and back ones.)



Photo Competition

2nd Place



Many Congratulations to Molly and Jayson for coming 2nd and 3rd respectively in the Ingham School Photographic Competition!!

3rd Place



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Thank you to all the children and parents, for walking and cycling and to everyone who had sponsored the children along the way to help raise funding for Ingham Primary School.

Thank you again for your help and support!

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SCAMPTON PARISH COUNCIL

At the meeting of the Parish Council held via Zoom on 04.03.21 the following matters were considered:

PCSO Julie McFaul reported the following incidents:

5 x Covid Breaches

3 x incidents that are not for the public's interest.

17/2/21 – Hare-coursing on Tillbridge Lane – no trace of vehicle or person(s)

16/2/21 – 2 x incidents on Scampton est re: a vehicle following children, after police enquiries there was no child that was followed.

Open session Steve Ulyat reported that the removal of a tree at 3 High Street had caused damage to the pavement. The Clerk would investigate and write to Lockwood's if it was thought to be a safety issue.

Speed Awareness Cllr. Sneath reported that she was in the process of purchasing an additional set of speed signs for Scampton Way but needed confirmation that the road was adopted, (it is as far as the bus shelter). People who had volunteered to undertake the training were assured that, due to safety concerns, they would not be utilised close to their homes.

Community Awards Cllr Rumble had offered the services of her husband, a graphic designer, in designing a certificate for the Community Awards. The Clerk would produce a nomination form for approval.

Closure of RAF Scampton

The Scampton Parish Council, Scampton Development Subcommittee (SDS) established to review all factors that might affect the community as the MOD dispose of RAF Scampton, held its first meeting, 2 Mar 21, via Zoom. The DIO Assessment Study, originally due to be published, Jul 21, has been delayed until the end of the year. However, WLDC have agreed that the monthly officer liaison meetings between WLDC, LCC and DIO will continue whilst the assessment is completed. Members expressed concern that the PC were not being invited to attend these meetings as it would seem to be essential if the PC are to understand DIO and District/Local Council plans for the future of RAF Scampton. The SDS discussed a forward plan to review potential assets that might be passed to the PC as part of the drawdown of RAF Scampton. The SDS agreed to arrange a meeting with the RAF Scampton Community Development Officer, Gill Angel, to discuss these assets.

Footpath – After a meeting between Steve Ulyat and Simon Newman over concerns about the footpath behind the new development, the Clerk will write to the developers expressing the concerns of the Parish Council.

Councillors Training – The subscription to the Annual Training Scheme has been paid and the Clerk would contact LALC regarding available dates,

District Councillor's report – Cllr. Patterson reported a full meeting of the Council had been held and due to the loss of more than £4,000,000 in funding from central government their portion if the Council Tax was being raised by £5.00 for the coming year. The elections on 6th May will be for County Councillors and the Police and Crime Commissioner. The Crime Commissioner was unsure whether panic alarms were currently funded but if they were that would continue and if not they would be funded out of the "Proceeds of Crime" money.

There will be an increase in police in Lincolnshire and each Neighbourhood team will now have a PC as well as a PCSO.

WLDC are getting a 6% return on their investments, which is being used for community benefit. The review of the National Planning Policy Framework is due to finish on 27th March. As from 07.05.21 face to face meetings must be held as the provision for virtual meetings runs out then.

Correspondence –

The Parish Council would become a partnership with the church and school in supporting the application of the church to the National Heritage Lottery for funding to make the church into a community asset as well as a church. Proposed by Cllr Patterson, seconded by Cllr Bulteel and agreed unanimously.

The full Minutes will be posted on the Scampton Parish Council website <https://scampton.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk> after their approval at the next meeting, which is scheduled for Thursday 1st April 2021. If you wish to join the meeting please contact the Clerk clerk.scamptonpc@gmail.com who will forward the details to you.



WELTON AND HEMSWELL

Neighbourhood Policing Team



YOUR LOCAL TEAM

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FORTHCOMING ENGAGEMENTS

Due to COVID19 Pandemic these engagements are temporarily postponed.

LOCAL PRIORITY

Every three months, we listen to your concerns and look at recent crime statistics to shape the things we will concentrate on for the next three months.

Our priority(s) for the next quarter is:

1. COVID 19 pandemic breaches
2. SPEEDING – proactive speed checks
3. OPP RABON - reducing vehicle crime

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING

OPP RABON – due to the rise in theft and attempt theft of Land Rovers/Range Rovers and Ford Transits we are working with communities and conducting Hi-Vis patrols to reduce this.

SPEEDING – we will be conducting speed checks in hot spot areas to reduce the amount of speeding vehicles on our roads.

ASB – despite not being a local priority we are continuing active engagements with Schools and other youth groups and Hi-Vis patrols of parks, community centres and hot spot locations. Despite Government Lockdown we are still seeing groups of young adults congregating.

COVID 19 Regulations – currently we are kept very busy with reports of breach of the regulations. We would urge all community members to ensure that they are aware of the latest Government Guidelines by logging on to www.gov.uk/coronavirus



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Chocolate

Its April and at this time of year our shops and supermarkets are normally filled with eggs. Chocolate ones to be precise! I rarely meet anyone who doesn't like chocolate but maybe you have? As a child I always looked forward to Easter, along with my sister we wondered how many eggs we would receive from our family and friends, would it be Mars or Buttons or Smarties and what would be inside them. Now I think about how much they have cost, the excess unnecessary packaging, the amount of sugar and wouldn't I get just as much chocolate in a normal slab of Cadburys Dairy Milk?



Chocolate in some form has

been with us for 4,000 years and was first found in Mexico where the first Cacao plants were discovered

Its possible this plant has been growing for over 10,000 years but it was the Mayans or Olmec Indians who first made chocolate (or Xocoatl as they called it) as a drink which they used in their Rituals and as medicine. Imagine if we were given chocolate as medicine! The Mayans worshipped a Goddess of chocolate called Ixcacao which translates as Cocoa Woman.

The history of chocolate is far too long to fit into our Village Venture but for 90% of its history chocolate has been a drink and without any sugar in sight! Moving forward in time, the first modern chocolate bar as we know it was created by Joseph Fry in 1847. In 1868 a small company called Cadbury started to sell small boxes of chocolate candies, Milk chocolate came along a few years later and was pioneered by another brand we know well Nestle.



Today chocolate is the most popular sweet treat in the world. More than 3 million tons of cocoa beans are consumed around the world, most of it is in Europe and the US.

Fun Chocolate Facts A real chocolate river was created for the movie *Willy Wonka*, containing water, cream and chocolate, it started to smell after a few days

White chocolate is not really chocolate as it has no cocoa solids

Ruth Wakefield created the first chocolate chip cookie; she gave the recipe to Nestle in return for a lifetime supply of chocolate!

Chocolate melts in your mouth because it's the only food that melts at 93 degrees- below the average body temperature.

A tiny chocolate chip can give you enough energy to walk 150 feet.



The worlds biggest chocolate bar weighed 12,770 pounds. That would probably be a square for everyone in your village!

So, we know there are many good and bad points about eating chocolate. A small amount of dark chocolate or a glass of cocoa once a day could be good for you, but eating too much can result in weight gain, mainly because of the sugar and fat. An average chocolate bar contains over six

teaspoons of sugar, the maximum a child should have each day.



There is no doubt chocolate is probably the world's favourite food, whether you are happy, sad, tired, excited or bored a bar of chocolate is often all you need to feel better.

So next time you slowly take the wrapper off and eat a chocolate bar take

a minute to think about the thousands of years that have gone before in order to create chocolate.

There are a few varieties of chocolate in the next picture – which one is your favourite?



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- Call Connect Pre-booking bus service is still operating tel 0345 234 3344 (Pre-registration required (free) Mon-Fri 08.30 - 18.30 Sat 08:00 — 18:00)
- Ingham Mini Market (will deliver on request— please observe isolation rules if in the shop) tel 701522 730366/stevenjwhittle01@gmail.com
- Fosters Butchers Home Delivery Tel 01522 523369 7 days per week answer service
- Eed&Son will deliver assorted sizes of fresh fruit and vegetable baskets. www.eedandsonltd.co.uk tel: 01673 862555 (email orders preferred)
- The Inn on the Green are not doing takeaway meals during this second lockdown.
- The Cross Keys safe collection takeaway service continues to operate from Thursday to Sunday and includes starters, mains and deserts. goodfood@crosskeysstow.co.uk 01427 788314
- Krua Thai — Thai food takeaway service — authentic Thai cuisine - book with Kitti — 07949196844 — kruathaiuk@gmail.com
- Burton Waters residents continue to arrange support for neighbours, keep an eye on the Friends and Residents Facebook Page <https://www.facebook.com/groups/525086670937299>
- Saxilby Coop & Sturton by Stow Coop -<https://www.lincolnshire.coop/food/food-stores>
- All Lincoln supermarkets remain open. Some have dedicated times for vulnerable people to shop. Check their websites for details.
- The Greek House at Burton Waters is providing a takeaway and delivery service food and drinks available Tuesday until Sunday the menu is on their Facebook page. <https://www.facebook.com/Greek-House-101528531318916> tel 01522 542758
- Doddington Hall Farm Shop (please note they are no longer delivering, but you can call and collect) 09:30 — 15:30 tel 01522 688581 <https://www.doddingtonhall.com/eating-and-shopping/shopping/farm-shop/>
- Spinney Farm Shop is posting daily updates on their facebook page detailing what they have in stock 09:00 — 17:00 (sun tel 01522 703865 <https://www.facebook.com/Spinney-Farm-Shop-154362307929996/?fref=ts> Bread
- Curtis mobile van selling Bread, Cakes, Pies, cooked meat and other items are offering a personalised delivery service (two days notice required). Also check the Burton Waters Facebook Page to take advantage of when others have requested the van to stop. tel 01522 527212 <https://www.facebook.com/curtisoflincoln/?eid=ARBoNyZioW300Gz12dXdy55yR1131WgxSEkIPYff6vLzhpwMpD8vzM53zrxpmXFnVzYkQ1fq7JfMq>

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Local Contacts – Leadership Teams

RECTOR - Revd Dr Sebastian Mattapally 01522 731793 (Father Sebastian)

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	Mr John Beverley	01522 730752

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