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August 12th - "Glorious" Twelfth



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AUGUST'S LETTER FROM THE MINISTRY TEAM

Meteorologically speaking, it is summer. However, I am not sure that, as is so often the case in the UK, the weather got the memo!

Summer is traditionally a time of journeying, of change. I have spent many years playing, singing and hearing that wonderful children's hymn, '*One more step along the world I go*'. At this time of year, the Year 6 children have left their primary schools to prepare to start a new adventure at secondary school, others are preparing to go to new schools for a variety of reasons, others will be preparing to start school, college, university or jobs for the first time. Couples are getting married and starting on their new adventure as a married couple. Some may be becoming parents, grand-parents or even great grand-parents. Many will be moving house or moving away from home for the first time. People are going on holidays, having days out either close to home or travelling further afield, exploring new places, meeting new people, and seeing more of God's amazing world.

The Bible is full of stories of journeys that God wills; the Israelites' exodus from Egypt to escape slavery and their journey to the promised land; Jacob's son, Joseph is sold by his brothers from Canaan to Egypt where God puts him in a position to be able to help his family and millions of others in a time of famine. Even the Romans became unwitting subjects of God's will when Caesar Augustus issued a decree that a census should be taken of the entire Roman world which sent Joseph and his pregnant wife, Mary, to Bethlehem where Jesus was born.

Life is a journey which is unique to each of us, and it is only God who knows where it will lead us. I like to use the analogy of life being like a train journey with various stops along the way as we travel through the stages of our lives. Sometimes, the journey may feel difficult travelling from one stop to the next, or it may be exciting, or even a bit of both. Some places or people will be significant to us such as friends or family maybe and stay longer on our train than others who we meet fleetingly. People may get off our train and then re-join it again later in our life. Others may influence our journey more than other people, sending us travelling off in a different direction, no matter how long they are on our train. However, it is often the case that no-one travels with us through all of our life so as we continue with our journey, we might sometimes feel alone on our train.

However, if you place your faith in God, you will know that He travels with you every step of the way; on the journey, at the stops, in times of joy and in times of difficulty. You are not alone, ever. He was with you from before your birth and will be with you beyond your death. One of the most comforting verses in the Bible is at the end of Matthew's gospel, chapter 28:20(b) where Jesus says to his disciples "And surely I am with you always to the very end of the age." What a wonderful gift that is, to have God, the creator of this wonderful world who loves you, as your travelling companion on your train from the start of your journey to the very end.

I wish you all a lovely summer, travel safely, and I hope that the weather does eventually get the message!

God bless.

Tasha



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**The deadline for entries to the September 2024 Signpost
is Thursday the 15th of August at 6:00 p.m.**

LATEST WHIST DRIVE RESULTS			
1st Lady	Carol Haycocks	2nd Lady	Lois Green
1st Gent	Anne Turnbull	2nd Gent	Liz Baxter
Low Score	Beryl Brittain Brian Jois	Near Score	Lois Green Alan Dawson
Miniature	Lois Green Richard Harrison	Raffle	Brian Jois Jane Tingle
<p>If you would like to join us, our next Whist Drive will be at the home of Anne and Howard Turnbull in Glenthams on Thursday 15th August, starting at 7:00pm. New players welcome.</p>			

IN MEMORIAM

Chris W Allen
11.09.71 - 19.05.24

No person is ever truly alone. Those who live no more, whom we loved, echo still within our thoughts, our words and our hearts. What they did, and who they were, becomes part of all that we are forever. We all miss you so much, Chris. Love you always, your family. xxx

We will be collecting donations for the British Heart Foundation. If you would like to, please donate at <https://chriswallen.muchloved.com/>

Chris Allen had been an advertiser and supporter of Signpost Magazine for as long as I have been part of the team. The family contacted me after he had passed to inform me. I said, as a mark of respect we held for him, that I would place an In Memoriam for him.

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HACKTHORN & COLD HANWORTH

HACKTHORN C. OF E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

Wow - another jam packed half term at Hackthorn.

We have now completed our ten weeks of swimming sessions and are proud to say ALL our children achieved a safety skills and distance award. Well done all.

Key Stage 1 pupils have been looking at ariel views of the school. This started with working on ariel views of the classroom; looking at shapes around the classroom to help them. They then used photos of the outside of the buildings to help create an ariel map of the school, showing great perseverance in doing this... perseverance being the 'value' we are thinking about this term. Years 1 and 2 have also been working on their Design and Technology; they have been creating winding mechanisms using axles to create a prop, which they will use when they sing nursery rhymes to reception.

Key Stage 2 have been busy historians and detectives, learning all about the history of our village and piecing together clues from evidence and sources. These have included census documents, gravestones and our local history expert Cathy Andrews who has been a fountain of knowledge - thank you. The children have loved the whole topic and enjoyed walking around the village looking at dates and features on the buildings.

Key Stage 2 are also busy working on their Design and Technology topic. Years 3 and 4 are busy designing bags; making plans and prototypes with paper before moving on to sewing with their chosen fabric. Years 4 and 5 are busy making hats and had great fun measuring each other's heads! We cannot wait to see the finished products as we have lots of budding designers in school.

Reception children sang their hearts out in front of a packed audience in Good Work Assembly, singing their number bonds to 10 song, which you can hear most days while the children are going about their usual routine. Reception children have also written a whole class letter to our new starters, telling them all about the exciting things they can look forward to in September.

We had a great day learning all about 'A Road to Paris' with our sports coaches from JB Sports. The children spent the whole day accessing different activities and sports, learning about the Olympic Games on the way.

Some of the sports they had a go at were; boxing, archery, bocce, goal ball - where the goalkeeper is blindfolded and the ball has a bell in it, nerf gun target practise and wheelchair racing.

As well as all these sports to play, the children also had classroom-based learning too; designing their own sports kit, going on a virtual tour of Paris and writing a postcard to tell all the friends and family about the landmarks and museums, and researching about the Olympic rings and making some fantastic art displays of the countries that participate.

Sports Day was a busy time again with all the children working in teams from reception through to Year 6 in the morning, taking on various sporting challenges and then in the afternoon racing against their peers in front of parents and carers.

Luckily the weather was kind and we had no rain! Friends of School served drinks and this year

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HACKTHORN AND COLD HANWORTH PARISH COUNCIL

Dates of meetings for 2024 are **10th September** at 8pm and **12th November** at 7pm. Parishioners are welcome to attend meetings which are held in Hackthorn Village Hall.

Minutes of the meetings are posted on the council website
<https://hackthorn-cold-hanworth.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

The clerk can be contacted at hackthornpc@yahoo.com or on 07955 797393

we also had available plum bread and cheese snack boxes to purchase, which went down a treat (as well as raising money).

Friends of Hackthorn School have also been busy this term organising lots of opportunities for our children. First we had an exciting competition of Grow your own Radishes, judged by our very own expert (official title) 'Keith The Gardener' - from Hackthorn Hall. We had lots of different categories to judge including - longest, roundest, most glamorous, and perfect pair! Keith had his work cut out as we had a fab amount of entries - well done everyone!

Friends also held a festival-themed disco for the children to enjoy. This year a karaoke went down a treat and it was a joy to see the shy, quieter children showing off their singing talents. We are very grateful to the Friends of Hackthorn School for being a dedicated team of volunteers who work tirelessly for the benefit of our children's experiences.

It is now coming to the end of our school year and time to say goodbye to our Year 6s. We celebrate their time coming to an end by sharing our memories of them with the whole school, and they also share their memories too. There will be tears, however, this is an exciting time for them and a brand-new adventure awaits them in their new secondary schools. We wish them lots of love and luck as they move on and hope they will pop in and say hello now and again.

If you would like to visit our school and see what a special place it is, please make an appointment with the school office - 01673 860295.

Happy summer everyone - have a lovely break.

Hackthorn Lunch Club

The Lunch Club meet at Hackthorn Village Hall on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. There is, however, no meet up in August. The next lunch will be on

11th September at 12.00pm for 12.30pm.

Soup and a roll will be provided, followed by a pudding and hot drink.

All welcome, no age restriction. There is no charge. Donation is welcome - any money received goes to St Michael & All Angels' Church.



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Villagers, if you wish to join us, you would be most welcome.

Please bring a bottle, some nibbles and a small cash donation to cover hire costs. For more information email spridsocial@gmail.com



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7.00pm

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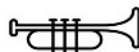
Further details will appear in the September edition of Signpost.

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NORMANBY & OWMBY BY SPITAL PARISH COUNCILS

Community Park Vandalism Notice

Following a recent spate of vandalism at the community park, both Normanby and Owmbly-by-Spital Parish Councils have met and discussed steps to address future incidents. The agreed procedure is as follows:

1. Reporting Incidents
 - Report incidents of vandalism to the police by calling 101.
 - Parishioners are encouraged to report incidents as well.
2. Crime Number and Record Keeping
 - Upon receiving a crime number from the police, please pass it to the clerk. (Clerk@owmblybyspital-pc.gov.uk)
 - Provide a brief outline of the incident to be kept as a record.
3. Councillor Notification:
 - All councillors will be informed of the incident as soon as possible.
4. Financial Redress:
 - If the perpetrator is confirmed, financial redress will be sought for any damage caused or expenses incurred.

Vandalism, or any other form of anti-social behaviour, will not be tolerated.

Litter Pick

Many thanks to those who helped with the villages litter pick on 9th June. Several bin bags of litter and a couple of tyres were collected. Bacon sandwiches and refreshments were well received after the hard work. We plan to organise another one later in the year so watch this space!

Julie
Clerk to Parish Council

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Scarecrow Festival



Saturday 7th to Sunday 14th September 2024

The theme for this year's competition is the Olympics. Display your scarecrow in a prominent place* and they will be judged on 14th September. Prize available. Winner to be announced at the Autumn Fayre.

*Normanby and Owmbly parish residents only. Please register your entry by emailing the clerk with your name and address.



Autumn Fayre



Sunday 15th September 2024 from 1pm

Refreshments, Games, Dog Show, Produce and Craft Competitions - more new classes to enter!

Dog Show Details and Produce and Craft show schedules are available from the Parish Clerk or on the Community Park Facebook page.

Seating will be limited to please bring your own chair if you are able.

If you would be happy to volunteer at this or any of our future events please contact the Parish Clerk.

Parish Clerk - clerk@owmbbybyspital-pc.gov.uk \ 07766 396061

Owmbly Group Website

owmblygroup.co.uk

Signpost Online - Including Back Issues

owmblygroup.co.uk/signpost

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PRAYER FOR AUGUST

Heavenly Father, as we enter the month of August, we thank You for Your constant presence and unwavering love. Guide us through this month with Your wisdom and grace. May we find strength in Your promises and peace in Your presence. Bless our endeavours, protect our loved ones, and help us to walk in faith and love each day. Amen.

Promoting A Safer Church

The care and protection of children, young people and adults involved in church activities is important to us all in the Owmbly Group of Parishes.

If you have any concerns please contact one of the following:

Owmbly Group Safeguarding Officer:

Shirley Keyes - 07919 519308 - shirley.keyes@outlook.com

Diocesan Safeguarding Officer:

Jack Redeyoff - 07885 999907 - safeguarding@lincoln.anglican.org

Barton, Brigg and Wolds Circuit Safeguarding Representative:

Pam McCartney - 01652 632770 - mccartneypam9@gmail.com

District Safeguarding Officer (Safeguarding in Lincolnshire):

Howard Smedley - 07758 239286 or 01332 479343

VISITING LINCOLN CATHEDRAL

The Owmbly Group have two complimentary passes for Lincoln Cathedral. If you would like to borrow them please contact Cathy Andrews on 01673 861058

FROM THE REGISTERS

We welcome into the family of the Church by baptism:

Olivia Jean June Jones and Joshua Lee Jones

Baptised at St Michael and All Angels, Hackthorn on 7 July

Freddie James Duffill

Baptised at St Peter's and St Paul's, Owmbly-by-Spital on 14 July



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<i>Trinity 10</i>	6.00 pm	Evening Prayer	Owmbly
<i>Transfiguration Christ on the 6th</i>			
Sunday 11th	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Hackthorn
<i>Trinity 11</i>	6.00 pm	Evening Prayer	Glenthams
Sunday 18th	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Owmbly
<i>Trinity 12</i>			
Sunday 25th	11.00 am	Family Service	Owmbly
<i>Trinity 13</i>	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Glenthams
	11.00 am	Morning Prayer	Hackthorn

On the **second Sunday** of each month, Liz Harris holds a 'Sunday Special' Sunday School at Owmbly at 10.30 am. Please note, this is **not** a Service. Contact Liz for further details. (Info is on the back cover).

GLENTHAM METHODIST CHAPEL

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Sunday 11th		No Service	
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Sunday 25th		No Service	

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James 1:2-4 (NIV)

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For further information please contact Sheena 878578



ROSE BOWL QUIZ

Thursday 15th August
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GLENTHAM VILLAGE HALL

Saturday 31st August
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 for more exciting events coming up before the end of the year.**

ST PETER'S CHURCH, GLENTHAM

Continuing thanks for those supporting the church through the West Lindsey community lottery. There were 59 winners in the 4 weeks up to the 13th July and 2 of these are supporters of the church. A star prize of a Ninja BBQ bundle or an alternative £1,000 cash prize was won in the draw of the 27th July. A guaranteed prize is included in the draw each month.

There will be no St Peter's Guild coffee morning in August. They will resume in September and all are welcome.

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SURROUNDING AREAS

BISHOP NORTON WEDNESDAY LUNCHES

Two course home-cooked meal with tea or coffee served in the village hall at 12 Noon
£6.00 PER PERSON

The dates for the next lunch is 14th August.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Please ring at least four days in advance if you are **NOT** attending
Karen 01673 818798



Newsletter for August 2024

"Having active hobbies in later life leaves people happier and healthier" concludes a study by scientists from University College, London and universities in Japan. They studied people who engage in some kind of pastime from sport, gardening and charity work to games, crafts, puzzles and reading, just like many members of Lindsey u3a. Analysis of the findings in the journal "Nature Medicine" revealed that "having a hobby was associated with fewer depressive symptoms, better self-reported health, more happiness and higher life satisfaction most consistently related to hobbies and interests". Lindsey u3a offers a wide range of interest groups including our recently formed environmental group "Trojan Mice". Thanks to their efforts our members have the opportunity to recycle safely old spectacles, used tablet blister packs, batteries, disused electric light bulbs and old ink cartridges at our monthly General Meeting.

We meet at Welton Village Hall usually on the **first Thursday of the month**. You are invited with no obligation to one of our meetings. **Doors open at 9.45am** for tea/coffee followed by a speaker at 10.30am. If you decide to come along for a look, tell someone on reception you are new and one of our friendly greeters will show you round and answer any questions.

On **1st August** Annette MacKenzie will give a talk entitled "Owling Mad". Any guesses as to what that could be about? A popular speaker Horace Liberty will make a return appearance on 5th September talking about John Betjeman and his connections to Lincolnshire.

We offer various interest groups run by members for members. Check out our website lindseyu3a.org.uk to see if anything appeals to you.

u3a members can also join various online talks, workshops and courses. You can find out more from www.u3a.org.uk

If you can't come to one of our general meetings you could join us at the 'Gardeners' Retreat' tearoom at Scothern Nurseries for a cuppa and a chat at **10.15am on the fourth Thursday of the month**. The next coffee morning will take place on **22nd August**. Whether you're a newcomer wanting to know more about Lindsey u3a or if you're already a member and just fancy a cuppa, maybe a scone and a chat, do come along. Everyone is welcome.

Everything you need to know about Lindsey u3a can be found on our website lindseyu3a.org.uk. You will find a comprehensive list of our interest groups, where and when they meet plus news about visits of local interest or theatre visits, lunches and holidays arranged by members for members.

Should you require any further information about Lindsey u3a please do not hesitate to contact me - Mandy Murphy. Email: mandy.murphy1396@gmail.com Tel: 01673 565295

LIVE SINGER

EMMA KELSEY will be returning to Bishop Norton Village Hall

Saturday 5th October 7.30pm

Tickets £10 per person to include hot supper

Please contact Karen 818798 or 07516 289365 or message Ros 07523 108043

Please bring your own drinks

WELTON PATIENT AND DOCTORS ASSOCIATION

Following on from my appeal last month for help with the PDA fund raising events, to date I have had 4 ladies come forward who are willing to assist with our fund raising events. This is an excellent result and they will be joining us at our next event, the Autumn Fayre where they will get the chance to see the layout of the kitchen at Welton Village Hall in preparation for the Christmas lunch. I am really grateful to them for offering to help!

At the time of writing this in mid-July I have 3 main prizes offered for the Christmas raffle and can now get the tickets printed. We still need more prizes (we usually have around 35 promised) so if anyone has a business or contacts with a business who they think would be willing to offer a prize please let me know and I am happy to make contact. It could be the garage who services your car, the golf club you belong to, the gym where you have membership, the restaurant/pub you visit regularly. The list is endless!

Our next event will be the **Autumn Fayre** to be held **on Saturday 26th October**. If anyone would like to hire a table for £10 to sell their own crafts etc at this event, please let me know. We have already had some tables reserved but can still fit a few more in. We can't unfortunately accept cake sellers as we have our own cake stall, and no hot food sales in the hall! We also have our own raffle and tombola.

We are also asking for donations of cakes and pastries for both the cake stall and the café, tombola prizes, small gifts for Trash or Treasure and bottles of wine for the wine or water stall which is always popular. If you need any further information don't hesitate to give me a call. Any donations you have can be collected!

Any further information on any of the above don't hesitate to give me a call on 01673 862570.

Janet Goddard

PLEASE DO NOT USE THE ABOVE NUMBER TO BOOK TRANSPORT

WELTON VILLAGE LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY HUB

Based at Manor Park, Hackthorn Road Welton LN2 3PA

Our opening hours are Monday: 12noon to 5pm, Tuesday: 9:30am to 2:30pm, Wednesday & Saturday: 10am to 12 noon

We have lots of free things going on at the library during August to help families during the summer break come rain or shine.

Helping children to see the value of a book is the aim of the library volunteer team using the Summer Reading Challenge that started in July which continues right through this month. If a child aged between 4 and 11 you know hasn't signed up yet then there may still be time with the aim of them reading six books before the schools return. For some six books will be easy, but we realise not for all, rewards of stickers as they go along can help encourage and whilst we celebrate those who complete the challenge with a small prize for others a family seeing a youngster motivated to read just one or two books will no doubt be reward enough.

This year we also have a special challenge for those under 4, they too can enjoy books often with the encouragement of an older family member and so we have a special chart to record books that have been read to them or read with them. The same challenge applies for those with learning difficulties that may need extra help, we will be pleased to facilitate library membership and resources to support their carers.

Alongside the reading we have colouring competitions for pre school, and design a book cover for key stages 1 and 2, older children and adults, do ask us for details.

A new event for local youngsters aged 6-10 is planned for **Monday 12th August at 1pm** with Avril, who normally dreams up our fabulous craft events, what you may not know is another big passion of hers is archaeology and she will be encouraging participants to share and enjoy this interest, an outside event that will involve hands getting dirty!

If that wasn't enough remember our weekly storytime continues **each Tuesday at 9:30am**, this is aimed at pre school children but we will be happy to accommodate older siblings during school holidays.

Finally, it's easy to forget the sign outside says 'library' and for those enthusiastic readers of any age that just want nothing more than a good selection of books we are there for you. Our opening hours are shown above and Tuesdays and Wednesdays are often quieter times if you want a good browse or help or advice to identify and order particular books.

Mike Hubbert - Library Volunteer Coordinator

Craft & Produce Show

Apologies, but due to the vast success of the Scarecrow weekend & the level of organisation required, the committee decided to postpone the Craft & Produce show.

This will now take place at

Bishop Norton Village Hall on Saturday 21st September 2pm-4.30pm

Due to the amount of organisation required for this event

PLEASE HAVE ENTRIES IN BY 1ST SEPTEMBER.

Categories as follows:

1. PHOTO WITHIN THE PARISH (either 6x4 or 7x5 either B&W or colour) There are SEPARATE child & adult classes
2. ANY SWEET PRESERVE
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5. BEST PLATE OF 5 BISCUITS
6. BEST PLATE OF 3 SCONES
7. BEST PLATE OF 3 SAUSAGE ROLLS
8. BEST CAKE BAKED BY A CHILD (MAX AGE 12)
9. BEST ARRANGEMENT OF FLOWERS IN A TEAPOT OR JUG
10. CHILDREN'S CLASS; GARDEN ON A TRAY (MAX. AGE 12)
11. CRAFT SECTION; Any needlecraft, felting, knitting or crocheting
12. BEST PAINTING. There are SEPARATE child & adult classes
13. ANY BOTTLE OF HOMEBREW
14. BEST PLATE (max.10 inch plate) OF 3 DIFFERENT HOMEGROWN PRODUCE (Fruit or Veg)

Entries cost £1 per item, but CHILDREN'S entries (under 12) are FREE.

To enter please ring Karen 818798 or Ros on 07523108043 for entry form

THANK YOU

SCARECROW WEEKEND

Bishop Norton village hall committee would like to say a massive thank you for everyone's effort in creating & supporting the first ever Scarecrow display in Bishop Norton. It's a shame there had to be a winner as there were some great scarecrows which were all highly commended & all worthy of certificates. If you didn't get your certificate for entering please contact Karen on 07516 289365 & arrange to collect yours.

The winners were: 1st - Washday (Anne Jackson) £50, 2nd - Freddie Mercury (Theresa Guys) £30, 3rd - Postman Pat (Karen Garlick) £20.

We are hoping to hold this event again next year so get thinking of your ideas so we can hopefully make this an annual event for the village.

This event raised £197 (after the prize money was deducted) for village hall funds.

If you have news, an article or story, or are holding an event you feel would be of interest to other local residents, please contact Steve, the editor.

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162 operated by Stagecoach		162 operated by Stagecoach	
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Snitterby, opp Royal Oak Inn	09:33	Ermine West, adj Ruckland Avenue	13:37
Bishop Norton, opp St Peter's Church	09:38	Hackthorn, adj War Memorial	13:55
Glenthams, opp The Old Parsonage	09:43	Spridlington, opp Bus Shelter	14:03
Normanby by Spital, opp Church	09:48	Owmy by Spital, opp Surgery	14:10
Owmy by Spital, adj Surgery	09:52	Normanby by Spital, adj Church	14:12
Spridlington, at Bus Shelter	09:57	Glenthams, adj The Old Parsonage	14:17
Hackthorn, opp War Memorial	10:05	Bishop Norton, adj St Peter's Church	14:22
Ermine West, opp Ruckland Avenue	10:18	Snitterby, adj Royal Oak Inn	14:27
Lincoln Central Bus Station (Bay N)	10:30	Waddingham, opp Marquis Of Granby PH	14:30

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