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THIS MONTH'S MINISTRY LETTER

Your young men will see visions and your old men dreams. Acts 2:17

Dreams and Visions

When I was a child in the late 1950s I was an avid reader of "The Girl" comic. I waited eagerly each Wednesday for it to be delivered and often missed the school bus because I couldn't put the comic down. I loved the stories about the exploits and adventures of girls who often got into a fix. Other stories told real life tales, again of women. One of these features was a series about a missionary in Nigeria called Mary Slessor (1848-1915) who was known as The White Queen of Calabar. I found the story of her missionary work fascinating and so inspirational. I was heartbroken when the story concluded with her death in one of the remote mission stations in Nigeria. For several years after this I wanted to be a missionary. It became a dream of mine but that is how it remained a dream that never materialised. Her vision of becoming a missionary had its roots in her Presbyterian Church, where her mother was a devout member. It was through her church that she trained in Edinburgh before travelling to the Calabar region of Nigeria. By gaining the trust and acceptance of local people she was able to spread Christianity by standing up for women's rights and protecting native children. She is most famous for stopping the common practice of leaving twins in the bush either to starve or be eaten by animals. Her vision of becoming a missionary became a reality and her legacy lives on in the province of Calabar where amongst other honours there is a church, a road, a roundabout and several statues of her, usually of her carrying twins. The Church of England even has a commemoration day for her on 11 January. Mary Slessor's name and reputation have stayed with me ever since.

During the past two years two young men have also proved to be inspirational to others, especially as role models to young people. Marcus Rashford and Raheem Sterling are two of our most talented and famous footballers. Both of them grew up having a dream of playing professional football for a top team and of being selected for the England Squad. If you are a football supporter you will know how talented these men are. They are regularly selected to play for England and they each play for rival Manchester clubs. In addition to this, because of circumstances in their childhood, both men have used their talent and fame to promote a vision of how some lives can be changed for the better.

Marcus credits his devoutly Christian mother for giving him "values, rules and respect for each other". His experiences of food poverty as a child and the way his mother struggled to feed the family drove him to be an Ambassador for FareShare which eventually changed the Government's policies about Free School Meals during Lockdown. When asked in an interview "are you religious"? He said "yeah, definitely, sometimes the faith we have in God is shown by the people who we are".

Raheem Sterling also had a tough start in life and has been involved in several attention grabbing headlines, often unrelated to football. Undeterred he has launched his own charitable foundation to champion greater social mobility and further education to enable young people in Jamaica and the UK to reach their full potential. Raheem recognises the influence of his Christian mother and although he says he is not 100% religious he adds that his belief is strong.

We can all dream but not all dreams come true. We may all have a vision of a fairer, better, more tolerant world. The difficulty lies in making this happen. Mary Slessor, Marcus Rashford and Raheem Sterling did make their vision a reality so perhaps by sharing their faith, God will show us the people we are and what we can become to make our own vision a reality.

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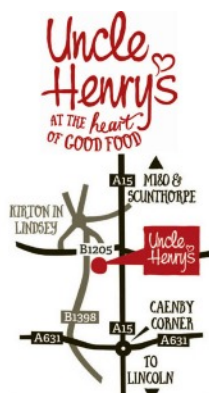
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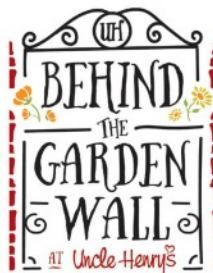


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It is always reassuring, after the great excitement in the build-up to Christmas and the holiday itself, with all its indulgence and exciting presents, to find that our pupils, far from having forgotten everything, actually return refreshed, and with renewed enthusiasm for learning!

In Science this term, KS1 pupils are learning about Seasonal Changes whilst KS2 pupils are studying Earth and Space. Year 3 and 4 pupils are studying a book called 'Hidden Figures' which tells the amazing true story of four black women who participated in some of NASA's greatest successes. Meanwhile Year 5 and 6 pupils are reading 'One Giant Leap'. KS2 pupils are also enjoying their Ancient Greece topic.

Our Christian value this term is 'Courage,' which is linked to our Hackthorn way value of 'Opportunity' and Hackthorn pupils certainly have lots of opportunities to learn new skills.

We are delighted that we have been able to resume our gymnastic sessions at Witham Hill. Our new Reception and Year 1 pupils are particularly excited every Thursday morning as it is a new opportunity for them. KS2 pupils will attend after February half-term.

This term all of the children have been working with an external specialist music teacher. KS1 pupils have been singing and using percussion instruments whilst all of KS2 have been practising chords using the school's new set of ukuleles.

We appreciate the skills that our external specialist teachers provide. Mr Bullivant and Mr Southwell continue to keep all of our children fit during weekly PE sessions and Mrs Payne increases their love of languages. Years 3 and 4 learn Spanish and Years 5 and 6 learn French. Of course our regular teachers are also passionate about the subjects that they teach and we are grateful for their dedication to prepare exciting, interesting lessons which inspire the children and prepare them with transferrable skills for the future.

We hope to hold an Easter Activity Afternoon for pre-schoolers on Tuesday 29th March from 1:30pm until 2:30pm. This is an excellent opportunity for all who are exploring their options for September 2022 to discover what our school is all about. Our pupils always look forward to welcoming all who attend these sessions, which are always very popular. We have had record numbers attending recent sessions so please book early to avoid disappointment.

Contact the school on 01673 860295 to arrange a visit or to request a School Brochure or visit our website at www.hackthorn.lincs.sch.uk

Mrs Appleby - Headteacher

Hackthorn Gardening Club

Events for the forthcoming season

Wed, Feb 3rd - Steve Lovell: *Right Plant, Right Place*

Thurs, Mar 31st - David Wyndham Lewis: *Big Ideas for Small Gardens*

Wed, Apr 27th - Geoff & Hilary Maughan: *Organic Gardening & Composting*

Wed, May 25th - Plant Sale and Coffee Evening



The meetings will be held at **Hackthorn Village Hall at 7.30pm.**

Details of the Plant Sale will follow in future editions of The Signpost.

**The deadline for entries to the March 2022 Signpost
is Tuesday the 15th of February 2022 at 6:00 p.m.**

Hackthorn Village Hall Update

We start a new year and hopefully will have our usual events. Unfortunately we do not have a committee to do this. At the moment we have only 3 members. Obviously we cannot run the Village Hall without a committee.

If we cannot get new members, the Village Hall will close. This will mean no Social Club, Art Group, Yoga, Gardening Club or History Group. The village will have no social activities at all and no meeting place to keep the village together.

If you can spare maybe 2 hours a month please think about joining us and **you would be most welcome**. Please contact me if you need more information.

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Do come along and join us for coffee and a chat,
you will be most welcome!



WORLD DAY OF PRAYER

(International and Interdenominational)

World Day of Prayer is a global ecumenical movement led by Christian women who welcome you to join in prayer and action for peace and justice. It is not solely for women; everyone is welcome regardless of faith, gender, ethnicity or sexuality.

This year's Service has been prepared by the
Christian Women of England, Wales & Northern Ireland.



The theme for 2022 is

'I Know the Plans I Have For You'



The WDP 2022 program is based on the letter that the prophet Jeremiah wrote to the exiles in Babylonia. The exiles were in a context of suffering, uncertainty, and opposing views on how to respond to the moment. Today, we come together to hear the stories of women who feel excluded, listen to the fear of a child refugee and learn to see the context of a multi-ethnic, multi-cultural, and multi-faith society in England, Wales and Northern Ireland. For Jeremiah, God's plan was clear, and we share this assurance by singing it.

Owmbly Group Service to be held at
St Hilary's Church, Spridlington
Friday, March 4 at 7:00pm

Come and join us as we pray for the world through
readings, song and worship.

Light refreshments will be provided after the service.
For more information contact Anne Hunter 07795 392916

THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

3 - 6 JUNE 2022

SPRIDLINGTON VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE is hoping to coordinate a street party in the village to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee to take place on one of the days during the extended Bank Holiday weekend at the beginning of June.

To make this a success, we need enthusiastic support from the rest of the village, and are especially looking for volunteers to help organize the event.

To this end, and in order to gauge the level of interest, we propose to hold a special meeting during February - date and time to be arranged, all households will be made aware of the details by leaflet drop. Please come along to this meeting to hear any proposals and to share ideas that you may have - don't worry, attending the meeting will not automatically mean you are on the committee!

Anyone who was in the village for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee 10 years ago will recall what a memorable and enjoyable occasion it was, bringing the whole village together.

SPRIDLINGTON VILLAGE HALL - CLOTHING RECYCLING BANK

Spridlington Village Hall Committee is pleased to announce that we now have a clothing recycling bank situated in the village hall car park discreetly sited on the left-hand side of the building as you come through the gates.

As everyone is aware, the last 18 months have been very hard on village halls. As a direct result of the COVID restrictions we have (almost certainly permanently) lost both of our regular weekly bookings, which means we will soon be struggling to pay the bills. Astco, the Alford-based company that has provided the bank, will pay us 30p for every kilo donated, which doesn't sound like a lot but could add up to a useful amount over a year.

With this in mind, the Committee very much hopes that residents of Spridlington and surrounding villages will consider this a useful service (no more having to drive to Welton or Lincoln to recycle) and a way of helping to keep our lovely village hall viable.

We would be very grateful to receive your unwanted clothing, handbags, belts, and shoes. (However, please do not place any rags, carpets, rugs, blankets, towels, sheets etc in the bank).

Thank you for your support.

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.

"Never give up on a dream just because of the time it will take to accomplish it. The time will pass anyway." —Earl Nightingale

NORMANBY & OWMBY

NORMANBY-BY-SPITAL PARISH COUNCIL UPDATE

Our first meeting of the year was held on the Tuesday 4th January at the Bottle & Glass and a copy of draft minutes are available for you to view on our website owmbygroup.co.uk/go/nbyspc

The next meeting Parish Council meeting will be held on Tuesday 1st March at 7.30pm in the Bottle & Glass. We welcome all villagers and there is an opportunity at the start of the meeting to ask questions, so please feel free to participate.



As 2022 is a special year marking 70 years since the Queen's accession, we would like to take the opportunity to ask villagers for their ideas of how we can all come together to mark this celebration as a community? If you would like to volunteer and be involved in running a celebration event, please get in touch.



Several months ago, we asked if villagers would be interested in helping to set up a Neighbourhood Watch Scheme in our village. We received very little response and wanted to ask once more if this would be of interest. If this is something that would appeal to you get in touch.

You can contact the Parish Council by emailing nbyspc@gmail.com

On behalf of Normanby by Spital Parish Council

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 That where there is discord I may bring harmony;
 That where there is error I may bring truth;
 That where there is doubt I may bring faith;
 That where there is despair I may bring hope;
 That where there are shadows I may bring your light;
 And where there is sadness I may bring joy.
 Lord grant that I may seek rather to comfort than to be comforted,
 To understand than to be understood,
 To love than to be loved;
 For it is by giving that one receives,
 It is by self-forgetting that one finds,
 It is by forgiving that one is forgiven,
 It is by dying that one awakens to eternal life.

St. Francis of Assisi 1181-1226

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Alternatively, send an email to signpost@owmblygroup.co.uk and Steve will forward it on.



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Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path.

Psalms 119:105

If you have a "stop press" news item or have missed the deadline, but want to tell others about your event, you can have it put into the news section of the website. Send an email to signpost@owmblygroup.co.uk with all the details.

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SERVICES IN FEBRUARY

OWMBY GROUP CHURCHES

Sunday 6th	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Spridlington	Rev Teena Twelves
<i>4th before Lent</i>	6.00 pm	Evening Prayer	Owmby	Liz Harris
Sunday 13th	11.00 am	Morning Prayer	Hackthorn	TBC
<i>3rd before Lent</i>	6.00 pm	Evening Prayer	Glenthams	TBC
Sunday 20th	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Glenthams	Rev Teena Twelves
<i>2nd before Lent</i>				
Sunday 27th	11.00 am	Family Service	Owmby	Liz Harris
<i>Sunday before Lent</i>	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	TBC

On **Sunday 12th** a 'Sunday Special' Sunday School will be held at **Owmby at 10.30 am**.
Contact Liz Harris for further details. (Info is on the back cover). Please note, this is **not** a Service.

Although Covid restrictions have been relaxed there may still be the need to take some precautions when attending services. If you have any concerns please contact the relevant churchwarden or see other announcements on Church notice boards.

GLENTHAM METHODIST CHURCH (PART OF THE WOLDS & TRENT CIRCUIT)

Sunday 6th	10.30 am		Rev Heather Wilson
Sunday 13th		No Service	
Sunday 20th	10.30 am		Mike Childs
Sunday 27th		No Service	

In addition to the above, a Circuit Zoom Service is being held each Sunday at 6:00pm.

Please contact Jenny Atkinson by email (jennymarian8@gmail.com) or by telephone (01673 878806) for the meeting ID and passcode for our weekly Zoom services. I look forward to hearing from you. God bless.

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:

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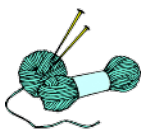
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Owmby, Normanby & District WI

Glentham Village Hall

Thursday, 10th February 2022 at 7:30pm

Card Making with Pat Hodson

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Competition: Pat will judge the cards made.

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Thank you again to all of the supporters of the church through the West Lindsey Community Lottery. There have been 61 winners over the past four weeks but unfortunately only one was a supporter of the church. The special one-off prize on the 1st of January was won by a Mr J but I do not know who he supports. There is another special one-off prize in February. £1,000 worth of Sainsbury vouchers will be won in the draw on the 26th of February. The service pattern at the church will continue into this year. This is a service of evening prayer on the 2nd Sunday of the month and a service of Holy Communion on the 3rd Sunday. Some remedial work is required on the boundary wall in Church Close. If any builder is able to assist at a reasonable price please contact on robert14526@gmail.com.

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Well, we thought it was all over but it wasn't - unfortunately due to Covid yet again we had to cancel our meeting on Thursday 6 January 2022. The speaker should have been Steve Lovell his topic "*Cuba: It's Time to Salsa*" but don't worry if you were looking forward to his talk we are rescheduling it to a later meeting.

Hopefully things will be back to near normality by February 2022 so the next meeting will take place on **Thursday 3 February 2022** at Welton Village Hall - with speaker Barbara Myer and her topic "*Seals of Lincolnshire and Norfolk*" going ahead as planned - please keep an eye on our website www.lindseyu3a.org.uk for any updates. The meeting will start at 10.30am with refreshments available from 9.45am and will end by midday.

The following meeting on **Thursday 3 March 2022**, again at Welton Village Hall, will start at the earlier time of 10.15am (refreshments available from 9.30am) with the Annual General Meeting (full details of this are on our website) and this will be followed by our speaker Nancy Appleyard and her topic "*It's English.....Innit?*".

The next Coffee Morning will be held on **Thursday 24 February 2022** at Scothern Garden Centre at 10.15am. If you wish to attend can you please let me know at least one day before. Do come along & enjoy a chat with friends.

Despite the recent setback many of our groups are up & running again ie Architecture, Art, Bird Watching, Book Worms, Bridge, Circle Dancing, Computers for All, Family History, Gardening, Jewellery Making, Knitting, Luncheon Club, Paper Craft, Play Reading, Poetry Reading, Theatre Visits & Walking. Full details of all of these & full details about Lindsey u3a can be found on our website www.lindseyu3a.org.uk

If you know of anyone who may benefit by becoming member of Lindsey u3a please let me have their details and I will personally contact them and invite them to come along to our next meeting.

Mandy Murphy - Chairman u3a Lindsey - mandy.murphy1396@gmail.com - 01673 565295

WELTON VILLAGE LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY HUB

We have three events arranged in February that will hopefully help you to get out and about as the days start to grow longer. We start on Monday 14th February with an afternoon of stories and fun for children on the first day of the half term holiday. We will have our regular library volunteer readers Janet and Lynne along with Linda who will be organising a range of crafts that will help parents, grandparents and carers to make a positive start to the week ahead. So do come along between 2 and 4pm and join in the fun, and as it is also valentine's day we will use love, particularly of books, family, and animals as a theme.

On Tuesday 15th February we have one of our ever popular Community Hub talks entitled 'How Victorian Railway Mania Changed Market Rasen' and will be given by Hazel Barnard of the Market Rasen Station Adoption Group. This promises to be an interesting afternoon not only for rail enthusiasts but also for those interested in social history focussing as it will on our nearby market town and how it's development was influenced by the arrival of the then latest technology. Doors open at 1:30 for light refreshments and the talk starts at 2pm, admission is free with a retiring collection for library funds.

On Saturday 26th February our bring and buy book sale returns. This will run between 10am and 12 noon and as usual all books will be priced at a modest 20p for paperbacks and 50p for hardbacks with takings going towards library funds. We are happy to accept book donations either on the day or whenever the library is open although please note we have sufficient stocks of non fiction and can only accept donations of novels and children's books.

Last but by no means least do remember that we are primarily a library that is for the benefit of the local community, we are always glad to welcome members both old and new at our Manor Park base on Hackthorn Road.

Mike Hubbert - Library Volunteer Coordinator

WELTON PATIENT AND DOCTORS ASSOCIATION

Hello everyone,

Following on from my repeated pleas to please call the Health Centre to book transport, I'm pleased to say that, in general, this does seem to be happening. As a volunteer I'm not always glued to my desk or the phone, meaning I have, in the past, had very random messages left, sometimes with no indication as to who the caller was!

I now have another very important message!

My primary concern at the moment is to protect all of my drivers, who are also volunteers, from Covid. Going forward the PDA policy for carrying patients is with immediate effect as below.

- 1) To protect patient and driver both must be fully vaccinated
- 2) Patient and driver must both wear a face covering unless exempt.
- 3) Patient should sit in the back of the vehicle unless **physically** unable to do so.
- 4) **Car windows should be open**, where possible, to allow adequate ventilation of the enclosed space.

I hope that no-one takes offence by this but I feel it is important to get this message across.

Please all take care of yourselves and each other.

If you require any further information on any of the above don't hesitate to give me a call (862570).

Janet Goddard

Your Neighbourhood Policing Team

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One of your neighbourhood officers will be attending the Coffee Mornings / Police Surgeries below. We will be pleased to meet you and discuss any issues you may wish to raise.

Date		Location	Time
Wed	9	Glenthams Village Hall	10:00 a.m.
Fri	25	Fillingham Village Hall	10:30 a.m.
Sat	26	Welton Methodist Church	10:30 a.m.

Please be aware: On occasions there may be non-attendance due to unforeseen circumstances and unavoidable occurrences. Please accept our apologies should this happen.

WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING?

ASB - two youths have been identified and dealt with for causing distress to elderly residents in Welton with their Anti-Social Behaviour.

Also 6 youths have been identified and dealt with for their part in throwing eggs, tomatoes and spaghetti at various properties across Welton.

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. THE FATAL 4 - speeding, drink driving, using mobile phones, no seatbelts.
2. YOUTH ASB - active patrols
3. RURAL CRIME - thefts, poaching, hare coursing, etc.

To report a crime, please **call 101**. If it is **urgent**, please **call 999**. If you would like to pass information anonymously, please call **Crime Stoppers on 0800 555 111**.

BISHOP NORTON VILLAGE HALL QUIZ NIGHT

The quiz night on January 28th has been cancelled
and rearranged for **Friday 25th February** 7.30pm

Teams of up to 6 people

Tickets £4 per person

Places will be restricted

Please bring your own drink

To book a place please ring Karen 01673 818798

Race Night at Bishop Norton Village Hall **Saturday 12th March. Races start at 7:30 p.m.**

We are looking for race sponsors at £10 per race.

Anyone wishing to sponsor a race please ring.

Tickets £5 per person to include hot supper.

Please ring Karen 01673 818798 to book tickets

before 8th March as places will be restricted.

Please bring your own drinks

BISHOP NORTON WEDNESDAY LUNCHES

Two course home cooked meals with tea or coffee served in the village hall at 12 Noon

£5.00 PER PERSON

9th February

EVERYONE WELCOME!

Please ring at least two days before to book your place

Karen 01673 818798

CAR BOOT AND TABLE TOP SALE

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Glenthams, opp The Crown Inn	07:30	Lincoln Central Bus Station (Bay C)	17:20
Normanby by Spital, adj Church	07:34	Welton Black Bull Inn (NE-bound)	18:00
Owmbys by Spital, adj The Paddock	07:36	Hackthorn, adj Village Lane End	18:03
Saxby, opp Village Lane End	07:38	Hackthorn, opp War Memorial	18:06
Spridlington, at Bus Shelter	07:41	Spridlington, opp Bus Shelter	18:09
Hackthorn, opp Village Lane End	07:44	Saxby, adj Village Lane End	18:12
Hackthorn, opp War Memorial	07:47	Owmbys by Spital, opp The Paddock	18:15
Welton Black Bull Inn (NE-bound)	07:54	Normanby by Spital, opp Church	18:17
Lincoln Central Bus Station (Bay C)	08:38	Glenthams, opp The Crown Inn	18:23
Waddingham - Lincoln Wednesdays Only		Lincoln - Waddingham Wednesdays Only	
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Waddingham, adj Marquis Of Granby PH	09:30	Lincoln Central Bus Station (Bay N)	13:30
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	Owmbys by Spital, opp Surgery	14:10
Owmbys 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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	Thursday	14:00 - 16:00
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	Saturday	08:30 - 19:30
	Sunday	09:00 - 16:00

MOBILE LIBRARY

Normanby by Spital	Council Houses	12:00 - 12:30	Thursdays Feb Mar
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