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<b>Spridlington</b>	<b>Church Hill</b>		<b>10:30 -11:00</b>
<b>Normanby</b>	<b>Council Houses</b>		<b>11:15 -11:45</b>

**Enquiries and renewals: 01522 782010**

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	<b>Wednesday &amp; Friday</b>	<b>09:00 - 12:00</b>
<b>Normanby</b>	<b>Monday - Thursday</b>	<b>09:00 - 13:00</b>
	<b>Friday &amp; Saturday</b>	<b>09:00 - 12:30</b>

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**Deadline for August Signpost**

**Wednesday 15th July 6:00 pm**

## **RECTOR'S LETTER**

My dear friends,

### **We've never done it that way before.**

I'm really very excited. Bill Williams from Ingham, a long-time resident of the village, former churchwarden, now a lay reader, is to be ordained deacon by the Bishop of Grimsby on September 27th.

Bill will become curate in Springline, with a view to being ordained priest in the Summer of 2010. Our parishes will have a home-grown priest, and perhaps that's the shape of the future.

You might say that it's a bit like supermarkets and farmers' markets. Supermarkets bring in their produce from almost anywhere, often spending a fortune on transport. Produce at farmers' markets is home-grown and, in many eyes nowadays, preferable.

I was brought in from almost anywhere. My first contact with Lincoln was when I came to the theological college in 1985. Prior to that, Lincoln didn't mean much to me. Since then, however, I've had time to get my feet under the soil. I moved into the Owmbly Group in 2000, and into Springline in 2008, and in three years' time I shall depart for retirement somewhere else altogether.

In contrast, Bill deliberately settled and made his home in Ingham. Bill's vocation to ordained ministry was nurtured in his own village, and his service as a curate will be based there, from where he will also serve surrounding villages.

I, by contrast, was sent to serve as a curate in a place I'd never been before, among people I'd never met before. It's a different way of doing things.

Perhaps the biggest rub is this. I cost a lot of money, because this is what I do for a living. Clergymen like me (the technical word is 'beneficed') have always cost, but never quite as much as we do now. It's a sign of the times. Today's home-grown clergy don't cost in the same way, because they either work full-time elsewhere, or are retired from such work. They may not have quite as much time for parish work as the likes of me, but in villages with a small populations, this usually works out.

When I first came to the Owmbly Group, there were six full-time clergy in the deanery. When I took on Springline, there were still five. Now there are three. But Bill's not the only locally-ordained minister in these parts. He is one of several.

So there are still priests, but a different sort of priest. There are still ministers, but a different sort of minister. There is still ministry, and there is still church life, but a different sort of ministry and life. We have to change with the times, whether we like it or not.

So pray for Bill as he approaches his ordination, pray for his family, for all our parishes, and for God's guidance on new ways of being church in these villages.

And, Owmbly Group people, why is this in Signpost as well as the Village Venture and the Burton News?

Guess!

God bless us all,

*Peter Godden*

## ***SERVICES - JULY 2009***

### ***Owmby Group of Parishes***

	Time	Service	Place	By
<b>Thursday 2nd</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Owmby	MC
<b>Saturday 4th</b>	2.00 pm	Baptism	Glenthams	PG
<b>Sunday 5th</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Glenthams	JP
<i>Trinity 4</i>	11.00 am	Holy Communion	Spridlington	JT
	6.30 pm	Evening Prayer	Owmby	PG
<b>Thursday 9th</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Spridlington	JD
<b>Sunday 12th</b>	8.30 am	Holy Communion	Spridlington	PG
<i>Trinity 5</i>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	PG
	11.00 am	Morning Prayer	Saxby	PG
	6.00 pm	Evening Prayer	Glenthams	PG
<b>Thursday 16th</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Glenthams	PG
<b>Sunday 19th</b>	8.30 am	Holy Communion	Glenthams	JD
<i>Trinity 6</i>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Owmby	JP
	11.00 am	Morning Prayer	Hackthorn	AOH
	6.00 pm	Evening Prayer	Spridlington	ST
<b>Thursday 23rd</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	JD
<b>Saturday 25th</b>	6.00 pm	Family Communion	Spridlington	PG
<b>Sunday 26th</b>	8.30 am	Holy Communion	Hackthorn	PG
<i>Trinity 7</i>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Saxby	PG
	11.00 am	Family Service & Baptism	Owmby	PG
<b>Thursday 30th</b>	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Caenby	MC

### ***Glenthams Methodist Chapel***

<b>Sunday 5th</b>		No Service	
<b>Sunday 12th</b>	10:45 am	Morning Service	Messy Church
<b>Sunday 19th</b>	9.30 am	Morning Service	Rev S Andrews
<b>Sunday 19th</b>	2.30 pm	Open Air Service	Normanby Churchyard
<b>Sunday 26th</b>	6:00 pm	Morning Service	Mr Ken Knapton

### ***A PRAYING PRESENCE***

Every 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday 7:00 pm

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The five parishes' combined prayer groups will meet at 7:30 pm on  
Monday 13th July at the home of Angela O'Hare  
Highfield End, Highfield Terrace, Glentham

### THE FOCUS FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS MONTH

Please pray for those who have finished school and are going to pastures new, either at university or into employment. Pray for those who are still in need of a job that they don't get downhearted. Pray for all school children, their teachers and families that the holidays will be a refreshing time.

**PLEASE JOIN YOUR PRAYERS WITH US DAILY THROUGHOUT THIS MONTH.  
YOU ARE VERY WELCOME TO JOIN US AT OUR WEEKLY VILLAGE PRAYER  
MEETINGS AND IN OUR MONTHLY GROUP MEETING.**

For information on your local prayer group please contact the Rector or local Churchwarden

## ***LOCAL BUS TIMETABLE***

### **Gainsborough to Market Rasen Monday to Friday**

<b>370 371 Gainsborough to Market Rasen</b>				
<i>route number</i>	<b>370</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>371</b>
Gainsborough Bus Station	0740	0945	1245	1450
Glentham	0805	1008	1308	1513
Market Rasen Market Place	0820	1023	1323	1528

### **Market Rasen to Gainsborough Monday to Friday**

<b>370 371 Market Rasen to Gainsborough</b>				
<i>route number</i>	<b>371</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>371</b>	<b>370</b>
Market Rasen Market Place	0845	1045	1345	1553
Glentham	0900	1100	1400	1608
Gainsborough Bus Station	0924	1125	1425	1628

## **PRAYER FOR THE MONTH**

"O Lord! Thou knowest how busy I must be this day: If I forget Thee do not Thou forget me."

## **THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH**

A sick man turned to his doctor as he was preparing to leave the examination room and said, "Doctor, I am afraid to die. Tell me what lies on the other side."

Very quietly, the doctor said, "I don't know."

"You don't know? You're, a Christian man, and don't know what's on the other side?"

The doctor was holding the handle of the door; on the other side came a sound of scratching and whining, and as he opened the door, a dog sprang into the room and leaped on him with an eager show of gladness.

Turning to the patient, the doctor said, "Did you notice my dog? He's never been in this room before. He didn't know what was inside. He knew nothing except that I, his master, was here, and when the door opened, he sprang in without fear. I know little of what is on the other side of death, but I do know one thing; I know my Master is there... and that is enough."

## **FROM THE REGISTERS**

### **Weddings:**

May 23rd at Hackthorn – Richard Hamer & Lisa Alford

May 30th at Spridlington – Darren Fabris & Rebecca Baxter

### **Baptisms:**

None

### **Funerals:**

None



## **Donations & Pots**

Owmbly PCC	£100.00	Normanby Post Office	£15.10
Owmbly Parish Council	£100.00	Glentham Post Office	£10.00
Springline Parishes	£25.00		

**THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR GENEROSITY**

# Miles Ahead



We announce, with regret, that with effect from 29th June 2009, Miles Ahead will stop its 'Taxi' operations. All bookings up to that date will still be honoured. This decision has not been taken lightly and is primarily due to the current economic climate. Kim & Bob would like to take this opportunity to thank all our customers for making this business a pleasurable experience over the last 3 years. No doubt we will see many of you around the villages in the future.

## PLANNED GIVING TO CHURCHES

Following a letter from me to one of our villages about their Gift Day, someone suggested I put a note in the magazine about Planned Giving.

In some villages, a lot of people give to the church by Standing Order. This is quite acceptable. It gives people who aren't able to attend regularly a chance to give regularly. It may also make Gift Aid more straightforward.

It is a shame today our churches are so expensive. The Church of England receives no state aid. Parish churches all have huge bills for maintenance and large regular running costs. They will only survive if they are supported financially by the local community. Even if you don't go to church, can I ask you to think about giving to your church. You may want to use it one day.

Please contact your local church treasurer for more details. If you don't know who the treasurer is, I or the churchwardens can put you in touch with them.

Many thanks,

*Peter Godden*

## Men's Breakfast

Please come and join us at

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# OWMBY & NORMANBY

## OWMBY CHURCH - GIFT DAY

The Rector and Churchwardens of Ss Peter and Paul Church would like to thank all those who very generously contributed donated the amazing sum of £940.50 during our recent Gift Day campaign.

Without the generosity of our local communities this lovely little church would cease to exist. It is a continuous struggle to maintain the fabric of the building and retain a centre of Christian brotherhood within our small communities, so it is immensely reassuring when the communities of Owmbly and Normanby support us so well.

Once again a very heartfelt thank you.

Peter, Carole and Danny

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A very big thank you to everyone who has generously given to our Gift Day, at the moment the total has amounted to £940.50, which has exceeded last year's figure.

As our outgoings every year amount to over £10,500, so this will help enormously towards the running costs of the Church. We also, have just had our Quinquennial report which declares £20,000 worth of repairs, advising us of work to be carried out over the next few years, so it is an ongoing effort to keep the Church in good condition. So it is there for everyone to use whether for weddings, funerals or christenings, jumble sales and even concerts, the list could go on, as to why we want to keep our Church in good repair.

Avril

## OPEN CHURCH WEEKEND AT OWMBY

We had a very successful weekend during the 8th and 9th May, Open Churches, with a high attendance of visitors, who tucked into our refreshments with very little left over. A big thank you to Danny and Liz who organised the event, and Liz who obtained the Church Archive books, which proved very popular. Many thanks to all who helped on the day and provided the food, the event made £239, so all our efforts were very worthwhile.

Avril

## **PLANT SALE**


**Saturday 11th July, 1 - 4pm**

We sell a range of perennials, herbs, fruit, grasses, climbers and shrubs, and we invite you to our plant sale at our garden.

We are on hand to offer advice - to both the novice and experienced gardener.

Refreshments are available - proceeds to Owmbly Church  
Children welcome

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 <h2 style="text-align: center;">Whist Drive Results</h2> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>27th May 2009</b></p>			
<b>1st Lady</b>	Marlene James	<b>1st Gent</b>	Richard Harrison
<b>2nd Lady</b>	Janet Andrew	<b>2nd Gent</b>	Eric Lee
<b>Low Score</b>	Lois Green Ken Green	<b>Near Score</b>	Marlene James Neville James
<b>Miniature</b>	Lois Green Ken Green	<b>Raffle</b>	Marlene James Avril Harrison
<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Anyone wishing to join us at the next Whist Drive, it will be held at the home of Richard Harrison in Owmbly on <b>July 22nd at 7.30pm</b> We are always pleased to see new faces, and it is always a very light hearted evening.</i></p>			

OWMBY CHURCH PCC MONTHLY DRAW June 2009		
1st	2nd	3rd
Helen Blackwell	Alex Connor Clark	Alma Hore

# COFFEE MORNING

**Thursday 2nd July - 10:30am**  
 at  
**Westfield House**  
**Cliff Road, Owmbly-by-Spital**  
 By kind invitation of Mrs. Jane Hiles  
 Proceeds to Ss. Peter & Paul Church funds  
 All welcome




## RAINBOW FELLOWSHIP

DORAM, Chapel Lane, Normanby

Monday 6th July 2009 at 2:00pm

Members to bring photos of interest

New Members Welcome



### **MUSICAL GARDEN SOIREE**

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### **KLARTEP**

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# GLENTHAM & CAENBY

## REPORT FROM GLENTHAM PARISH COUNCIL

ANNUAL PARISH COUNCIL MEETING was held on 14th May in The Village Hall at 7:30 pm. Cllr G Wiseman was elected Chairman and Cllr G Fox was elected Vice Chairman. ADJOURNMENT – A donation of land for a new Village Hall and sports facilities has been offered by Mr and Mrs Rose. A working group has been formulated to look at the viability of this proposal.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT - The recently installed domestic turbine has caused problems for some residents and WLDC Planning are to visit the site. A request for a donation had been received from the Bowls Club and the Council agreed this, dependent on the Bowls Club finalising other grant funding.

CO-OPTION - The Council were delighted to welcome two new members and a letter of thanks is to be sent to the retiring members wishing them good luck in their new home.

The Councillors for 09/10 are:

Cllr G Wiseman (Chair); Cllr G Fox (Vice Chair); Cllr D Wiseman; Cllr J Summers; Cllr M Raymond; Cllr N Simpson;

The Council would like to co-opt one more Councillor to bring the Council to full membership. Interested parties should contact the Clerk.

REVIEW OF POLICIES - The Council carried out their annual review of policies, standing orders and financial regulations. A new Grant Aid Policy was agreed and accepted.

STEERING GROUP REPORT - Cllr Fox presented the draft Parish Plan which has been sent to CCL, WLDC and LCC and will present the plan for adoption by the Parish Council at the June meeting.

VILLAGE HALL - Cllr D Wiseman stood down as the Parish Council representative.

FINANCE - The proprietor of Glentham Village Stores had agreed to act as internal auditor, the external auditor being Clement Keys. The Council approved the Statement of Accounts.

## GRANT AID

GLENTHAM PARISH COUNCIL will receive applications for Grant Aid from any organisation which benefits the residents of the Parish. A Grant Aid form is available from the Clerk and applications must be made by October 09. The applications will be awarded on merit at the November Budget Setting meeting to be paid the following April. All applicants will be notified in writing of the decision.

Please contact the Clerk, Mrs R D Millward, 7 The Forestry, Laughton, DN21 3QB  
Email: bob\_dimillward@yahoo.co.uk for further information.

## FOOTPATH NO. 3. CAENBY TO NORMANBY BY SPITAL

After nearly 10 years of campaigning Footpath 3 is now open.

The footpath complete with new foot-bridges and signposts starts in Caenby, just past Moat Farm, and finishes in Private Lane Normanby by Spital.

So you can now walk from Glentham to Normanby on very easy to follow footpaths, with beautiful views over the Wolds, and not have to worry about traffic.



# THANK YOU

## SEND A COW

Brita would like to send a big thank to all who support her Marmalade and Jam stall. Last month we sent £65 to the charity 'Send a Cow' which helps to make some of the poorest African families self-sufficient. They can then feed themselves and earn enough extra to send their children to school!

Animals, etc are purchased in Africa and typically cost: Dairy cow-£750, pair of goats-£55, 4 fruit trees-£10, bees-£40 and farm training-£50.

For more details see the 'Send a Cow' website - <http://www.sendacow.org.uk>

Any excess fruit (not apples) will be gratefully received.

## ST PETER'S GUILD

At the Coffee morning held on 19th May at the home of Pat Beat the sum of £59 was raised for Church funds.

## CABRA SINGERS CONCERT

An enjoyable concert was given by the Cabra Singers on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June in aid of the Church roof repairs. A total of £409 was raised so many thanks to all those who supported the event and of course thanks to the singers themselves who gave of their time to entertain us.

Robert Rowe, Churchwarden

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**Glentham Chapel**

## **COFFEE MORNING**

**Tuesday 21st July at 10.30 am**  
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**Glentham Village Hall**

## **COFFEE MORNINGS**

**Thursday 10.00 am**  
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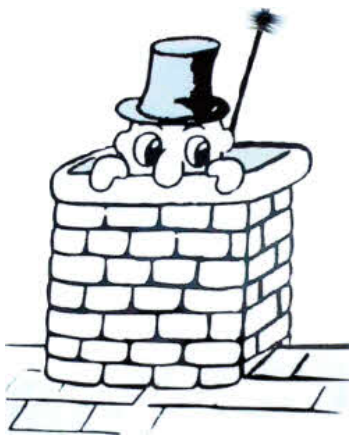
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## HACKTHORN C. OF E. PRIMARY SCHOOL

This month, our merry band of itinerant entrepreneurs went on a trip to Waitrose to find out all about how supermarkets worked, with particular attention being paid to the fresh fruit and veg departments. They learned about all sorts of exotic fruits that many of us probably eye up rather nervously before heading off towards the apples, and it would appear that the favourite of the moment is the mango.

Upon their return to school, they set about putting everything into practise as, armed with the generous quantities of free samples provided by Waitrose (other supermarkets are available), they set up their own shop in the 'home corner'.

Key Stage 1 were taken out, too, on a geography field trip to Cleethorpes. Part of the day involved a very, very long guided walk (it took about an hour) during which, despite the forecast, it managed to rain most of the time, but no-one grumbled. They also spent some time collecting all sorts of specimens from the beach which they then used back at base to assemble their own representations of a seaside landscape.

At this time of year, as the term enters its final phase, it perhaps wouldn't be unreasonable to expect your year 6 pupils to maybe take their 'eye off the ball' a bit as they start to feel the pull of the 'big school' and being a bit too old for all that primary school stuff. We were, therefore, even more proud than usual of ours, when they went along to the church schools festival. They impressed the organisers so much that they were asked to go on stage and lead the singing of the rest of the congregation (over 200 children). Not only that, but we have received numerous phone calls since from people commenting on how polite and well behaved our pupils are. A bit thank you to all of those who attended.

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## **HACKTHORN GARDENING CLUB**

## **ANNUAL PRODUCE SHOW**

**Saturday 5th September 2009**  
**Hackthorn Village Hall**



The Annual Produce Show will take place on **Saturday 5th September 2009** in Hackthorn Village Hall. This is an opportunity for Club members and all residents of Hackthorn and Cold Hanworth to exhibit their **Vegetables, Fruit, Flowers, Cookery and Crafts**.

The Show schedules will be distributed to houses in Hackthorn and Cold Hanworth. Please support this very worthwhile village activity. You can take part in the competitions or just come along to the Village Hall in the afternoon, view the produce and buy your vegetables, etc. at the auction.

**Public viewing of all exhibits begins at 2:00 pm**  
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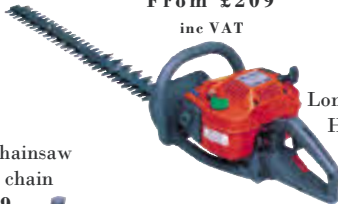


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 Many thanks to Judith for all her hard work.

## SAXBY CHURCH

The redecoration is now complete - our thanks go to everyone who has worked so hard to restore the church after the earth quake damage.

## THE GARDEN HOUSE

We raised £625.00 for the National Gardens Scheme and £415.00 for Saxby Church at the Welcome to Spring event in April. For those of you who are unfamiliar with the NGS, the scheme has been opening gardens for charity since 1927 and has raised in excess of £22 million in the last 10 years - Charities which benefit include Macmillan Cancer Support, Marie Curie Cancer Care, Help the Hospices, Crossroads, Queens Nursing Institute, Perennial, The Royal Fund for Gardener's Children and National Trust Garden Careerships. Our next event for the NGS and Saxby Church is the Wine and Roses Event on 1st July from 6:00 pm.

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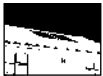
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We currently hold 3 or 4 fundraising events a year but hope to increase this in the future.

### ***Have I caught your attention yet?***

If you think you may be interested why not give me a call? There is no obligation and you have nothing to lose! Who knows you may even enjoy yourself! For more details please contact Janet Goddard on 01673 862570

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### **AUTUMN FAYRE** **Saturday 10th October**

We will be holding an Autumn Fayre at the Welton Village Hall from 2pm till 4pm.

If you are interested in hiring a table (£5.00) please contact Roy Minnitt 860980.

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## **WELTON HEALTH CENTRE NEWSLETTER**

It was good to see so many drivers attending the recent meeting organised by our Patient Group and we would just like to pass on our sincere thanks to everyone involved in this scheme which is greatly appreciated by the Practice team and many patients.

As many will already be aware, the on-going financial support for the Patient Group Transport Scheme has sadly been withdrawn by the local council due to cut-backs, and the Committee have reluctantly had to impose an increased charge to users to 40p per mile which is payable from the home of the driver and back for surgery journeys. A rate of 20p per mile (from and back to the home of the driver) is still payable at the moment for all other journeys under this scheme. Whilst all drivers live within the Practice area there is inevitably a range of overall costs depending upon the total length of the trip for an individual and we would ask all potential users of this service to bear this in mind when requesting transport. It should also be noted that this Scheme is not intended to replace friends and family who may well be able to transport the patient but is for those who cannot easily access other forms of transport to their appointment.

Dispensary staff are again reporting a great increase in the amount of prescription requests which patients advise need same day processing. Whilst we fully appreciate that there are some urgent needs which we will always try and respond to, our routine turn around time for repeat prescription requests is two working days to ensure that we can deal with them efficiently and safely and we would ask patients to please bear this in mind.

At the time of writing the World Health Organisation has just declared that we are now at Level Six, the highest alert for a 'flu pandemic. If this situation spirals we will be advising patients how to deal with potential cases in line with recommendations from NHS Lincolnshire and NHS Direct can advise on any queries on 0845 46 47 at any time.

During May we had fifty seven appointments made which were not kept in the surgery and had notification of ten failed hospital out patient attendances. As always, please let us know if you are unable to use a booked slot so that we can offer it to someone else.

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On Friday, 10<sup>th</sup> July, we are holding our annual Garden Fete at Lea Cottage, Hackthorn, from 6.30pm to 8pm, in aid of Royal British Legion funds. We are hoping for fine weather, and look forward to seeing friends old and new.

We will also be having a stall at the Dunholme Garden Fete the following day, Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> July, from 1pm to 5pm. This will be the first time we have attended this event, so please drop in and see us during the afternoon.

As you can see, we will be having a busy few days, so please come and support us.

If you would like to find out more about the Royal British Legion, please contact the Chairman, Tony Davis, on 01673-860363, or the Secretary, Rex Gregson, on 01673-861197.

## Hemswell Cliff Primary School

It is wonderful to finally have the Pre-school in their new space at the heart of the school, and the children are looking forward to sharing the new outdoor classroom with the Reception classroom which is almost complete.

We have the opportunity to set up a Breakfast Club for the Children, Club on the Cliff is interested in taking this on BUT in order to do so they need more Committee members. So if you have some time you can spare (there is no requirement to be someone who uses the club or have children in school), they meet once a quarter and times are arranged to suit members. PLEASE HELP IF YOU CAN, for more information please contact us using the details below.

Our Summer Fair will be held on **FRIDAY 10th JULY**, please join us.  
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If you would like to know more please contact the school on 01427 668383 or e mail [enquiries@hemswellcliff.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@hemswellcliff.lincs.sch.uk) for further information or to arrange a visit.



We are very proud to announce the Practice results of the National Quality Indicators for 2008/2009 in which the Practice achieved an outstanding 97.39%. Dr Sultan would particularly like to thank the Practice Team for this exceptional achievement and the patients for their continued support.

The Practice has also received excellent results for the NHS Patient Satisfaction Survey 2008/09. In particular, two results that the Practice is delighted with are 96.18% for access to a GP within 2 working days and 94.45% for the indicator

whereby a patient can book an appointment more than 2 days ahead.

Full details and more information regarding the Practice Achievements and Patient Survey are on display in the waiting room at the Ingham Practice.

Dr Sultan and the Practice Team would like to thank the patients for this overwhelming vote of confidence and will continue to provide a dedicated, caring and responsive service aiming for even greater achievements.

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**Vehicles** - Opportunist thieves appear to be operating in the area, targeting parked vehicles, sheds etc. I have said this many times before but make no apology for repeating it again. **MAKE SURE YOUR VEHICLES ARE EMPTY OF VALUABLES AND LOCKED.** This same advice is also applicable to sheds.

**Snitterby** - Concern has been raised about parking on the hill in Snitterby. Residents are reminded that parking should a) be legal i.e. not near the brow of a hill, parking facing correct way at night and b) parking with consideration to other resident i.e. not parking directly opposite a resident's driveway causing difficulty in exiting or entering the property. Where necessary enforcement would be considered, but it is hoped this could be avoided.

**Sheds** - Recently, north of the area two villages have been hit with shed breaks. In some cases nothing was stolen however damage was still caused to the small padlock. Please check your garden shed. Make sure it has a substantial padlock on it and the shed is secure. Consider buying a shed alarm from a good DIY shop. Anything valuable in the shed?...could it be kept in a garage? Could it be secured to the floor or wall? Above all make sure your shed is secure and contents are safe.

**Community/Police Panels** - Just to recap. Following Government proposals that Local Neighbourhood Policing should be a priority working in conjunction with Crime and Disorder initiatives, Police



Community Beat Managers were established assisted by Police Community Support Officer. As you will know I am the Beat Manager and Matt Trafford is the PCSO. It was proposed that "Neighbourhood Panels" be established. These would be made up from members of the community, set up and initially chaired by myself. We would hope to elect a secretary who would be responsible for minutes. My intention was to set up a partnership with representatives from the Welton & Dunholme area to meet regularly to identify local concerns or problems, and then to form further panels to cover the rest of the beat area. I felt that one panel for the entire beat of 82 sq miles was unworkable and not really "local". We would then look to members from the committee to help resolve any issues raised. These would be community issues, not necessarily Police or Parish Council ones. The idea would be to call upon all partner agencies to help provide a sustainable solution.

The three panels covering your village will consist of -

- 1) Bishop Norton, Atterby, Snitterby & Waddingham
- 2) Glenthams, Caenby, Owmby, Normanby
- 3) Hackthorn, Saxby, Spridlington, Faldingworth, Newtoft, Buslingthorpe, Wickenby, Friesthorpe Snarford & Snelland,

PCSO Trafford has arranged 3 "get together" meetings, followed by the first formal meeting as follows;

For Bishop Norton, Atterby, Snitterby & Waddingham:

Wednesday 5th August at 7:30pm AND Monday 14th Sept at 7:30pm at The Royal Oak PH, Snitterby.

For Glenthams, Caenby, Owmby & Normanby

Monday 10th August at 7:30pm AND Wednesday 23rd Sept at 7:30pm at The Bottle & Glass PH, Normanby.

For Hackthorn, Saxby, Spridlington, Faldingworth, Newtoft, Buslingthorpe, Wickenby, Friesthorpe, Snarford & Snelland.

Tuesday 11th August at 7:30pm AND Friday 18th Sept at 7:30pm at Spridlington Village Hall.

**Key Individual Group Email** - We now have 120+ members who have started to get updates from me by email. If you wish to become part of the group please let me know your e-mail address.

**Crime Prevention Talks** - If your group or organisation would like one of us to pop along and give crime prevention talk in 2009, please contact me at Welton Police office.

**Crime in your (joint) areas** - 01/05/09 to 06/06/09

05/05, B Norton C/Damage village hall - 06/05, Spridlington Theft from vehicle - 09/05, Theft High street, Glenthams - 09/05 Shed burglary, Snitterby - 10/05, Burglary Bottle & Glass PH Normanby - 11/05, Burglary Kirton Rd Waddingham - 14/05, Shed burglary Arden Farms Owmby - 17/05, Damage Washington Drive Newtoft - 21/05 Damage to vehicle, Prince William Rd Newtoft - 22/05, Theft of diesel Faldingworth - 24/05, Theft/damage Spridlington Rd Faldingworth - 25/05 Theft from building site, Pringle lane, B Norton - 30/05 Theft Privale lane, Normanby - 05/06 Burglary Bishopbridge - 05/06 Theft of vehicle High Street Faldingworth - 06/06 Theft Snitterby.

**Crime in your area** - Comment. You will see that I have detailed crimes in the area Hackthorn north to Waddingham, 23 villages. I have done this for two main reasons. Firstly if you consider the time period of 5 weeks and the area covered, 16 crimes is relatively low. In some villages is nil. However secondly there have still been 16 crimes. The Police and the community must work together to make sure property is secure and suspicious incidents reported to Police at the time.

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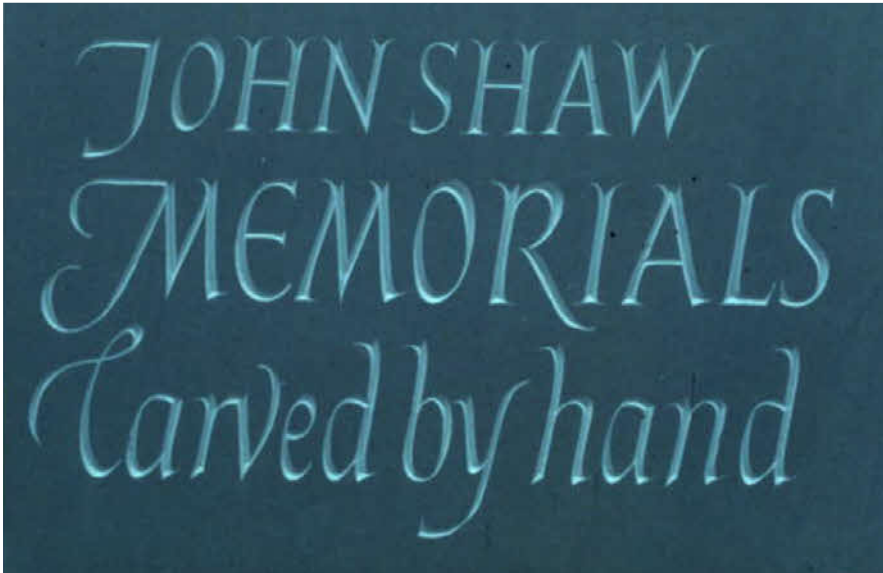
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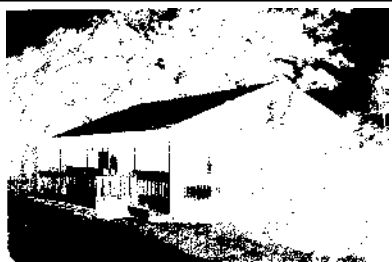
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# Tea Break Pages

## SUDOKU

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			7			2		
	6				3			
		8		3			2	
5			8		4			7
	2			6		8		
			5				6	
		2			1			
	5					7		

### How to Play

Fill in the entire grid such that the numbers 1 through 9 appear once only in each row, column, and 3x3 block. It sounds complicated until you give it a try but the rules are simple to understand once you have played one Sudoku puzzle.

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# BRAIN TEASERS

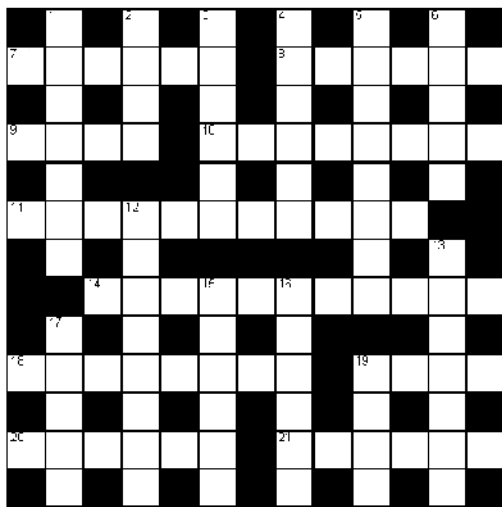
1 - Change the position of just one of the words below so that all the words are in an alphabetical sequence:

llama phoenix hyena alligator beaver elephant tortoise antelope

2 - A basket contains 5 apples. How can you divide them among 5 kids so that each one has an apple and one apple stays in the basket?

3 - The captain of a big ship was telling this interesting story: "Once I saw two marines standing on the opposite sides of the ship. One was looking to the west and the other one to the east. And they saw each other very well."  
How can that be possible?

## CROSSWORD



### Across

7. Channel between the Isle Of Wight and the mainland of South England (6)
8. An organic residue or radical derived from lactic acid (6)
9. Something you send someone on a special occasion eg. birthday, anniversary (4)
10. Swallowed up (8)
11. Austrian physicist who discovered the wave equation (1887-1961) (11)
14. Living upto widely thought of opinions (11)
18. An extremely contagious viral disease which in the majority of cases occurs in children (8)
19. Town above Bristol. Also has a similar function to a shower (4)
20. Standing posture (6)
21. One of Winnie The Pooh's friends (6)

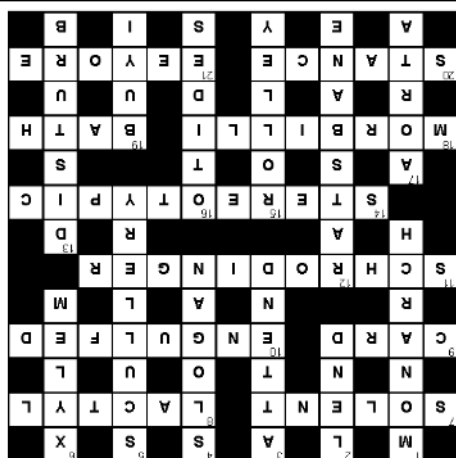
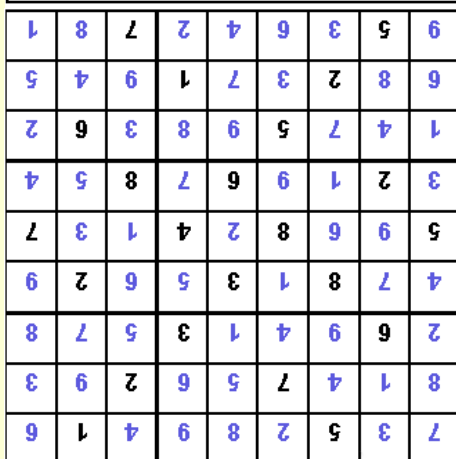
### Down

1. Another name for the queen (7)
2. When you let someone borrow something (4)
3. Go somewhere in acceptance eg. party (6)
4. Memorable quote or saying used in advertising (6)
5. Small room usually found in old british houses next to the kitchen (8)
6. Found in the stem of a plant (5)
12. Rat poison, white arsenic (8)
13. Break the peace (7)
15. A small wagon used underground when mining (6)
16. Terrestrial game birds (6)
17. A large artery found in the heart which carries blood all around the body apart from the lungs (5)
19. Form of Tai language (4)

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1 - Antelope: move it from the end to the beginning, the initial letters will then spell ALPHABET.  
2 - Four kids get an apple and the fifth kid gets an apple with the basket still containing the apple.  
3 - The marines were standing with their backs to the edge of the ship looking in, so they were looking at each other. It does not matter where the ship is (for those who guessed North or South Pole).



# What's On Diary

Day/ Date		Time	Function	Venue
Wed	1	6:00 pm	Wine & Roses	Garden House, Saxby
Thurs	2	10:00 am	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Thurs	2	10:30 am	Coffee Morning	Westfield House, Owmbly
Fri	3	3:30 pm	Summer Fayre	Hackthorn Primary
Sat	4	7:30 pm	Summer concert - Lincoln Sounds	St Vincent's, Burton
Sun	5	2:00 pm	Strawberry Cream Tea	All Saints' Church, Ingham
Mon	6	2:00 pm	Rainbow Fellowship	DORAM, Normanby
Tues	7	7:30 pm	Glentham & Caenby Tapestry Group	The Trap House
Wed	8	2:30 pm	Organ Recital & Afternoon Tea	Spridlington
Thurs	9	10:00 am	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Sun	9	10:34 am	Showstopper Celebration & BBQ	Glentham Chapel
Thurs	9	7:30 pm	Royal British Legion Branch Meeting	The Falconer, Welton
Fri	10	6:30 pm	Garden Fete	Lea Cottage, Hackthorn
Fri	10		Summer Fair	Hemswell Cliff Primary
Sat	11	1:00 pm	Plant Sale	Fen Road, Owmbly
Sat	11	1:00 pm	Garden Fete	Dunholme
Sat	11	9:00 am	Men's Breakfast	Glentham
Mon	13	2:00 pm	Glentham 55+ Club	Glentham Village Hall
Mon	13	7:30 pm	Powerhouse	Glentham
<b>Deadline for August Signpost</b> <b>Wednesday 15th July 6:00 pm</b>				
Thurs	16	10:00 am	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Tues	21	10:30 am	Coffee Morning	Greenfields, Glentham
Wed	22	7:30 pm	Whist Drive	Owmbly
Thurs	23	10:00 am	Coffee Morning	Glentham Village Hall
Fri	24	7:30 pm	Band & Barbeque Night	Hackthorn & CH Social
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