

BURTON FLEMING NEWSLETTER

Memories of Burton Fleming from 1940 by Elsie Wilson

We came to live in Burton Fleming in 1948 after being married at Hunmanby Church.

During the war, both Rudston and Burton Fleming had German prisoner of war camps. Two of the soldiers were in the Burton Fleming Football Team and there was also a Burton Fleming Home Guard team.

There were three grocery shops; a tailors; a chimney sweep; a painter & decorator; Mr Thompson the Butcher; Mr Beswick had the Post Office; two Chapels both held Sunday Schools for children; and a fish & chip shop. When the fish & chip shop closed, a travelling fish & chip van used to come every Friday night, stopping at various places on his rounds. There was also a Garage and a petrol pump and two fish mongers who came: one from Filey on a Tuesday and one from Flamborough on a Friday. A fruit & vegetable van also came round on a Friday from Drifffield. A tinker visited once a year selling pots, pans, hardware, brushes, tea towels, etc. Hurdy Gurdy came with his Barrel Organ, he had a stuffed monkey fastened to it. Also a man came on his bicycle contraption to sharpen scissors and knives. Mr George and his brother, Stan Webster, were the coal merchants and used to deliver their coal by horse and cart. Mr Wilson changed the accumulators for radios, there was also a cobbler. Dances, whist drives, meetings, Darby & Joan, sale of the blind, wedding, receptions, the youth club, Brownies, Cubs and the Women's Institute were held in the School until its closure in 1977. Events were then held either in the Methodist back room or in the Club Room, which was above the Restaurant at 'The Burton Arms', which used to be called 'The Star'.

Following the school's closure in 1977, the village's children then went to Wold Newton School.

Sports, including cricket and football were held in Mr Southwell's field on Wold Newton Road.

A 'Garden Fete' was held up at Mr Coleman's farm every summer and at Christmas he would decorate the rooms for people to view. Mr & Mrs Frank Brambles also held Garden Fetes at their house after Mr Coleman retired.

Not many people had electric installed in their houses, so it was oil lamps which were hung from the ceiling for lighting. Most people had fire ovens and boilers for hot water; pans had to be placed on the fire to cook vegetables etc. Flat irons were also placed by the fire along with a toasting fork. Some people had coppers to fill with water heated by their coal fire.

The United Bus Service used to come through the village on its way to Bridlington and Scarborough, starting at 8am. Not many people had cars so it was either bicycles or the bus to go to work. These buses stopped around 1990. Only about seventy houses and bungalows have been built since 1948. The Council Houses up West Avenue and West Lane were built in the early 1950's. All the other houses and bungalows were mostly built by Frank Bramble's firm.

The Wilsons have lived at 'The Forge' since the 19th Century. Great Grandad was the village Blacksmith. The three water pumps were used as around 15 or 16 houses did not have water.

A farm worker's wage in 1946 was £5 working from 7.30am till 5pm, 1 hour for dinner. Quite a few workers did extra time. Not many farmers had tractors then; it was all horses.

In the 1953 Coronation, every child under 14 years old received a glass tankard, Mrs Bev Southwell presented them.

Elsie Wilson

Burton Fleming Playground

Many Thanks to Anita and all involved with Yesteryears for the huge donation to the Burton Fleming Playground. It is much appreciated and we are looking forward to spending it on a new piece of playground equipment!

Thank you to John Sleightholme for his donation of wood chips!



A huge thank you to all who volunteered with the annual wood chip laying and general maintenance of the playground!



We are currently awaiting the result of a funding application of approximately £9,500 for a sports wall from Lisset Wind Farm Community Fund.

PS if anyone has any large logs they would like to donate that are suitable for sitting on, we would like to hear from you!

Kind regards
Jim and the Playground Committee

Items for publication in the September issue should reach me by 25/08/22
Contact Carly and Rob Webb
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SERVICES AT ST. CUTHBERTS CHURCH For July and August 2022

July	3 rd	11am	Morning Prayer	Roger Askham
		3pm	Holy Communion AT FORDON	
	10 th		NO SERVICE	
	17 th	11am	Holy Communion	Revd Barbara
August	24 th	11am	Holy Communion	Revd Barbara
			(Streamed at Wold Newton)	
	31 st		NO SERVICE	
	7 th	11am	Morning Prayer	Roger Askham
		3pm	Holy Communion AT FORDON	
	14 th		NO SERVICE	
	21 st	11am	Holy Communion	Revd Barbara
	28 th	11am	Holy Communion	Revd Glyn
			(Streamed at Rudston)	

Prayer & Praise each Monday at 9.30am in church (except Bank Holidays)
Popins every Tuesday at 10am till 11.30am, everyone very welcome.

ADVANCE NOTICE

7th August at 1pm is our OPEN AFTERNOON AT FORDON followed by an Open Air service at 3pm. Please come and join us - tea, coffee, delicious cakes, tombola, veg stall. This is our big fund-raise at Fordon, we need your help.

29th August at 2pm - 4pm TEA ON THE GREEN outside St Cuthbert's. another opportunity to share some tea, coffee, wonderful cakes, tombola, veg stall, & other surprises!!!! Please help us raise some funds for our lovely old church.

Dear Friends,

Wow, what a wonderful time we had over the Jubilee Weekend, it was a great time and everyone had a fantastic holiday. Thank you to all who worked so hard to make it so very successful. Thank you too to those who joined in the Treasure Hunt, again a success and one that we intend to repeat later in the year. Brilliant to see so many people eating, drinking, talking, laughing, singing, watching the Magic Show etc..... TOGETHER.

However, we are still facing really challenging times, and at times hope can seem far away. Thank goodness that we can still have hope for the future and the heart to help each other and to make sure no-one is lacking the help and assistance they need.

One of my favourite verses from the Bible is "Remember, I am with you always even to the end of time". I often recall this verse when I'm

PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

Thank you!

As Chairman of the Parish Council, I would like to thank everyone who was involved in the village celebration of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. All the events were well attended - from the old photos, etc, at the village hall; the church treasure hunt; and the street party on the Saturday afternoon which included a street entertainer and lots of fun and games. Everyone appeared to enjoy the day. All the organisers deserve a big thank you for putting on a very memorable event and the support of the village was very much appreciated. Once again, many thanks to you all.
Keith Wells

Cemetery Extension Update

The trial trenching work has now been completed at the cemetery extension site and no issues were found which, subject to confirmation from planning, means that work to create the cemetery extension can now begin.

Next Parish Council Meeting

The next Parish Council meeting is to be held on 13 July 2022 at 7.00pm in the Village Hall.

Should you wish to report any concerns, make comments, or submit items for discussion at future meetings, please do not hesitate to contact Jennifer Hobson (Clerk) during office hours on the following details:

Tel: 07542874957

Email: clerk@burtonflemingpc.co.uk

RUDSTON RASCALS PLAYGROUP

The Playgroup is every Thursday morning 10-11.30am at Rudston Village Hall. Everyone welcome, £1 per child.



Bin Collections

July & August bin collections will be:

Green - Tues 5th / 19th July

2nd / 16th / 23rd August

Brown - Fri 8th / 22nd July

5th / 19th August

Blue - Tues 12th / 26th July

9th / 23rd August

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DIARY for JULY 2022

Every Monday - Chairaerobics - 1pm
Every Wednesday - Indoor Bowls - 2pm
Wednesday 6th July - Cyclists 6-8pm
Saturday 9th July - Coffee Morning 10 - 11.30am All welcome, come early if you want a bacon butty!
Wednesday 13th July - Parish Council Meeting 7pm
Wednesday 20th July - Cyclists 6-8pm

Sadly the planned Whist Drive has had to be temporarily postponed. We are hoping to run one in September.

We are now taking bookings, please don't hesitate to contact us.
HIRE Rates: £8ph for residents/£10ph for non residents/£12ph for business etc and weddings by negotiation.

BURTON FLEMING SUMMER SUNFLOWER COMPETITION RETURNS!

The competition is open to Burton Fleming residents only and all sunflowers must be homegrown by the entrant and/or immediate family. Any variety of sunflower is eligible but entries must be live plants. Limit of one entry per person with an entry fee of £2 per household. Judging is likely to be Wednesday 31st August dependant on weather conditions. The closing date for entries will be Wednesday 24th August. Cash prizes for all categories which will be:

The tallest

The biggest head

The most unusual

The age groups have changed slightly and will now be:
11 and under and 12 and over.

Winning entries will be displayed in the Post Office window and all participants are to advise on entry if they consent to photographs for publicity.

Let's have a fun, happy competition and entry forms will be available in the near future at Coffee Mornings, the village shop or by ringing Helen on 01262 470438 or Trish on 01262 470414.

Exciting news of a new competition for the heaviest pumpkin and marrow. Judging will take place on 8th October during the Coffee Morning which will be followed by light refreshments and activities around the Autumn season for all ages. Further details will be announced in the next newsletter and entry forms will also be available as per the sunflower competition. Get planting and let's have some fun!
Entries will cost £1 each and you are welcome to enter as many times as you want if you have got a competitive edge!

worried or feeling down or facing a difficult time and I remember that Jesus is there and will listen and support me.
Jesus sets an example of dealing gently with one another, of encouraging the best, of looking towards hope, and seeing the potential new life ahead.

So, let's be people of hope, looking for ways to gently move forward TOGETHER.

With love,
Revd Barbara

HEDGEHOG NEWS

Tips if you should see a hedgehog nest or baby hedgehogs:



Don't touch! Stay away and observe from a distance (Unless alone and covered in flies!). If the mother doesn't turn up, then please seek advice from myself on 07734053699 or Debbie and Ben on 07791473576 within the village. We are helping Jo Pickering (07717552624) from Langtoft who rescues hedgehogs and rehabilitates them ready for release.



Another very excited family with their new hedgehog house provided by The Pond Restoration Group.

We very much appreciate you keeping your hedgehog food stations going, in and around the village with plenty of water and food ensuring our hedgehogs have plenty to eat and drink. This is the time of year that all the hoglets will be out and about with their mummies.

Hedgehog favourites:

- * Dried kitten biscuits - No fish flavour please (Kitten is easier for hoglets)
- * Spikes semi-moist hedgehog food
- * Wet cat food in jelly - No fish flavour please
- * Dried mealworms in very small amounts

Thanking you all for supporting Burton Fleming Hedgehogs.
Ali Blyth

Yesteryears Day!

On Sunday 12th June 2022, we held Yesteryears Day.

A display of vintage vehicles and machinery.

We were joined by the Chris Rowntree Memorial run, totalling over 60 motorcycles and 30 cars.

There were refreshments available for all to enjoy.

The Burton Fleming Playground Committee and volunteers provided bacon butties, hotdogs, home baked cakes and drinks, over the lunchtime period.

There were also Tombola, Arts, Craft, Bric-a-Brac & Vegetable stalls which were in the village hall and in a field across the road, kindly loaned, we were joined by more arts, craft & charity stalls, Scarborough Creperie, Bar Walls Gin, Spirited Horse Events Bar and also display stands from local groups.

The proceeds from the event went to support Village amenities and will be used for ongoing maintenance of the playground and towards the repair of equipment and a small donation was given to the Village hall to help with the running costs.

A Fantastic total of £1291.40 was made on the day.

We would like to say a huge thank you to the owners of the vehicles and engines, the volunteers, to all those who donated tombola prizes and home baked cakes.

This event was successful because of your kindness.

Thank you, Anita for organising the event, friends and volunteers that helped on the day; Richard & Emma Hayton, for the loan of the curtainsider trailer; Emily Scruton for her design work; Alan Tidswell for keeping us all entertained with 1940's music; Kate for face painting; U3A Jazz band, your music was enjoyed by many; Wolds Engineering; and Andy Hire for supporting the event.

Thank you also to Paul Garbutt from Backfire Promotions for supporting the day.

The event was attended by lots of people, some local and others visiting. The "Thank You's", from people from the Village for such a brilliant day, makes the efforts all worth-while.

The winners of the squares were

Brian Staveley, Andrew Marr, Sue Harvey, Jenny Higgins, Simon Brambles, Mandy Lindley, Alan Adkins, John Gray, Anne Harper, Trish Huitt, Rachel Gilbank, Marie Sheader, Maureen Janet and Richard Gilbank.

A big thank you to Audrey Claxton and Elwyn Harper for organising and donating the funds raised.

Look out for next year's event.

We followed the Yesteryears Day with a Lunch stop at the Village hall on Thursday 16th June, where we were joined by some of the vehicles visiting for Race the Waves in Bridlington. We raised £130.00, which was donated to the Village hall to help towards running costs.

Thank you Alan and Naomi for supporting and helping me.

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June 2022 Lottery Winners

1 st Prize	Mrs Norman	£25
2 nd Prize	Carol Skelton	£15
3 rd Prize	Mrs P Martin	£10
4 th Prize	Naomi Cropper	£5



BE A PART OF IT TO WIN IT - HELP SUPPORT THE VILLAGE HALL

Thank you to all existing contributors and helpers. However, we would welcome new people into the draw at any time.

You are supporting your village hall which is your community centre and used as a meeting place for many activities. You can pay monthly, half-yearly or yearly. The profits from this, pay mainly for the INSURANCE of the hall, and other expenses. The draw takes place every 3rd Friday of the month at the Post Office. You may pay by bank transfer as below.

We have 6 collectors in the village so please ring me if you would like to be added to their list - 07860 478867

Account Name: BURTON FLEMING VILLAGE HALL

Sort Code: 20-75-92, Account No: 60231185

Contact Kate Mercer (470556) if you are partaking for the first time for a personal number or numbers.

The village Jubilee celebrations were a fabulous success with lots of activities and events.

Burton Fleming through the ages was hosted at the village hall over a number of days and we wish to thank everybody who attended and enjoyed reliving the past, but more importantly, the team of volunteers who enabled this to take place. Our thanks go to Trish and Dave Townend for their crafting which produced the fantastic bunting which remains hanging in the village hall and the "two Daves" for all of their behind the scenes setting up and clearing down.

The Union Jack tablecloths were made and contributed by Charlie and Neil Welford and made the hall tables look cheerful and in keeping with the celebrations.

A huge thank you to everybody who kindly took it upon themselves to make a donation to the village hall funds, raising approximately £200 which will enable us to continue with planning new activities.

The June Coffee Morning was yet again a huge success, running on the same weekend as the Yesteryears event which was another fantastic community effort. We raised £195.00 which will go towards the ongoing improvement fund.

Thank you everyone for turning out and supporting us once more in a busy month. We received so much positive feedback about the atmosphere and community feel showcasing Burton Fleming. It was lovely to see so many family and friends and to welcome a few new residents in the village.

We hope you will continue to support us and any suggestions for improvements moving forward will be gratefully accepted.