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# Edition #360 September 2018 BURTON FLEMING NEWSLETTER

### DID YOU KNOW .....?

In Shakespeare's time, mattresses were secured on bed frames by ropes...when you pulled on the ropes the mattress tightened, making the bed firmer to sleep on. That's where the phrase, "good night, sleep tight" came from.

The term "the whole 9 yards" came from W.W.II fighter pilots in the Pacific. When arming their airplanes on the ground, the .50 calibre machine gun ammo belts measured exactly 27 feet, before being loaded into the fuselage. If the pilots fired all their ammo at a target, it got "the whole 9 yards."

The name Jeep came from the abbreviation used in the army for the "General Purpose" vehicle, GP

Thirty-five percent of the people who use personal ads for dating are already married.

The world's termites outweigh the world's humans 10 to 1.

On average, 100 people choke to death on ball point pens every year, so be careful.

No word in the English language rhymes with month, orange, silver or purple.

"Dreamt" is the only English word that ends in the letters "mt".

Maine is the only state whose name is just one syllable.

'Stewardesses' is the longest word that is typed with only the left hand.

If Barbie were life size her measurements would be 39-23-33

A duck's quack does echo, despite rumours to the contrary.

Items for publication in the October issue should reach me by 25/09/18 Contact Margaret Barker - Tel: 01262 605935 - Mobile: 07966 160267 burtonflemingnewsletter@gmail.com

#### ST. CUTHBERT'S CHURCH Revd. Barbara Hodgson 01262 470873

#### SEPTEMBER CHURCH SERVICES

2nd 11am Morning Worship

Holy Communion at FORDON 3pm

9th 11am Holy Communion

Morning Worship 16th 11am

Benefice service at Wold Newton 23rd 10am

30th 11am Service of Celtic Worship

#### PRAYER & PRAISE

is held each Monday morning from 9am -9.30am in the church.

There is a service of Holy Communion or Morning Prayer every Tuesday at 10am in the church

Do come along to Pop-Ins on Mondays (except Bank Holidays) at

9.30 -11.00am for a Chat and a Cuppa and to meet

old and new friends

#### CRAFT & CHAT

will resume on Tuesday September 18th at the Vicarage

We meet at 2pm

Please feel free to join us



#### Burton Fleming Parish Council News





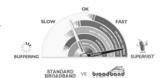


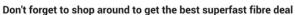


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#### Reminder to cut back hedges and trees to avoid causing obstructions

Please remember to trim your own private hedges and trees which overhang paths and roads to prevent them causing an obstruction. Overgrown hedges and trees can be a nuisance and a danger to others.

#### Smoke Nuisance

If you are affected in your home by smoke from a neighbouring property or other source, please visit the ERYC website and make a smoke nuisance complaint or call 01482 396 214 to lodge your complaint.

#### Next Parish Meeting

The next Parish Council meeting is to be held on 11 September 2018 at 7.00pm in the Village Hall.

#### Telephone Kiosk

Thank you to Mr Worrall for his work on refurbishing the telephone kiosk which now looks great.

If anyone is interested in sponsoring the Newsletter for one month at a cost of £26 please contact

Jennifer Hobson Tel 07542874957

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 Landline: 01723 890084

#### **HISTORY GROUP**

We start a new season of talks on Thursday 20th September at 7-30 pm in the village hall. The talk is titled 'Have I Got Historical Newspapers For You,' The speaker, David Smith, presents clips and cuttings from newspapers of the past taking in some articles from this area. Admission is £2.50 and includes refreshments. No membership required, just turn up on the evening. Hope to see you there. Phone Bruce, 01262 401147 for any further info.

#### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

7th 1533	Queen Elizabeth I, daughter of Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn, who reigned from 1558 - 1603
9th 1890	Colonel Sanders, founder of Kentucky Fried Chicken
13th 1916	Roald Dahl, author of the children's books Charlie & the Chocolate Factory, James & the Giant Peach and many more
15th 1890	Dame Agatha Christie, best selling novelist. Her books only outsold by the Bible and Shakespeare
16th 1924	Lauren Bacall - Actress who starred in such films as 'The Big Sleep' and 'Key Largo'
18th 1905	Greta Garbo, actress who worked for MI6 during World War II
22nd 1791	Michael Faraday - English Chemist and Physicist
24th 1936	Jim Henson - Genius behind 'The Muppets'

#### VIEW FROM THE VICARAGE

Dear Friends,

Well, the summer holidays are nearly over and so for many children, parents & teachers it means a return to patterns and routines centred around education and learning. Happy memories !!!! And this got me thinking about learning and how important it is to our lives.

Every day is an opportunity to find out something new, to see life from another angle, or to gain a new skill. Much has been made of the fact that we all learn differently. This is true. There is no 'one size fits all'; our minds react to diverse stimuli and in diverse ways. We may learn best by listening or by interacting, by being alone or by being with others, in stillness or in movement. We always have the potential to learn from one another and to teach someone else about the world from our distinct point of view.

The Christian discipleship embraces the ideal of learning from another person, with real focus and intent. Learning from Jesus should refresh and energise us and we learn what it means to be true disciples - and what it means to be human. (Matthew 11:28-30)

And so, can I encourage you this September, as you get back to life as normal, whatever that may be, however young or old you are, keep learning from Christ and ask God each day to fill you afresh with his Spirit that you might be open to learn and grow... and remember you are always welcome to join with us at St Cuthbert's as together we can learn to be God's disciples.

with love & blessings, Revd Barbara

#### VILLAGE HALL NEWS & DIARY OF EVENTS September 2018

JULY LOTTERY WINNERS

1st Prize - Maurice Milton - £25 2nd Prize - Mark Skinn - £15 4th Prize - Peter Taylor - £5 3rd Prize - Patsy Brader - £10

AUGUST LOTTERY WINNERS

1st Prize - B Stansfield- £.25 2nd Prize - J Lindley - £15 3rd Prize - D Holroyd - £10 4th Prize - K Boyes-£5

For a contribution of £1.00 per month you are supporting your community hall which is used for a meeting place for many activities. You can pay monthly, half yearly or yearly. We now have 110 players, the profits from this, pay for most of the INSURANCE of the hall. The draw takes place every 3rd Friday of the month at the Post Office. BE PART OF IT.

Contact: Kate Mercer 470556 or Kate Holroyd 470766 for a personal number or numbers

The July Coffee Morning raised yet again a fabulous £162.00. We are now looking forward to receiving any new bric a brac and books for September's coffee morning. We continually roll over stock, which when unsold, we take to various charity shops in the area. We also have a terrific produce stall. The monies raised continue to go into the Village Hall Improvement Fund. Our next challenge is to replace the

curtains. We have again applied for a grant of £2,000.00 and will know the outcome of that in October

August Stawberry Tea. As in previous years we do not have a coffee morning in August, but we hold a Strawberry Tea on the Tuesday afternoon following; this was on 14th August. We made it also a Promotion afternoon for all users of the Hall. Representations were there from; The Bowls Club; St Cuthbert's Church; The Art Club; East Riding Association of Village Halls; The History Club and the Police who were giving out information. We had our usual fantastic Produce Stall and raised monies with the Squares competition thanks to Audrey and Elwyn. Thank you for your help and donations of prizes. We were particularly pleased to welcome our Councillors; Jane Evison and Jonathon Owen. Jane Evison presented a cheque for £250.00 to Kate Mercer from the KEW Gardens fund to allow us to purchase plants/ planters etc to improve the outdoor areas, whilst also keeping the Hedgehogs in mind. We raised a total of £256.00.

#### **Future Events**

ZUMBA every Wednesday Morning (ZOE 07968076679) INDOOR BOWLS every Wednesday afternoon COMMENCING

Sunday September 1<sup>st</sup>; Paragon Cyclists

Thursday September 6<sup>th</sup>; Whist Drive 7.30pm; £2.50 including SUPPER; Raffle

<u>Saturday September 8<sup>th</sup></u>; Coffee Morning; 10-11.30; bacon sandwiches; cakes; biscuits; produce stall; books; bric a brac.

Saturday September 8th; Private Party; 1pm onwards

Tuesday September 11th; PCC Meeting

Thursday September 20th; History Club

Saturday September 22<sup>nd</sup>; "SOCIAL DANCE"; 7pm - 10pm; Ballroom/Sequence/Old Time Dancing; £2.50. to include refreshments. Please contact Dorothy on 07484 670799 with your dance requests. Could be fun so please support.

Sunday September 23<sup>rd</sup>; Private Party

SATURDAY 29th September; YORKSHIRE DIALECT NIGHT with ADAM COLLIER You will not stop laughing!!!!!!!! 8pm; Tickets are going quickly so ring Kate on 470556 asap. £10.00 including pie and pea and sweet, supper and raffle; BYO drinks; all in aid of The Village Hall/Yorkshire Air Ambulance/Tickets from Kate Mercer 470556/Jane Robinson 470316

**FUTURE EVENTS:** SATURDAY 27th OCTOBER; HALLOWEEN MURDER/ **MYSTERY** 

The new floor has already been appreciated as future bookings are on the increase, into 2019. Please do not hesitate to ring and book your party/event Rates; £8.00ph for residents/£10ph for non residents/ £12ph for business etc/ and weddings by negotiation