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Wreath laid by Winterton
Improvement Network
on Remembrance Sunday
'Remembering the fallen
and the forgotten'



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Message from Winterton Improvement Network Chair

Another year is shortly coming to an end and so it is time for me to wish all our readers a very happy Christmas. Many thanks to all who have helped make this Magazine a success, especially Estelle our editor, our committee members, our dedicated distributors, the advertisers and the people who shared their news with us.

Our Annual General Meeting will be held on **Monday 26th January 2015**. Just a quick reminder that we still need to find people willing to help as distributors. Interested? Call Nicki on 733441.

We are very proud to announce that with help from a Big Lottery Awards for All grant amounting to £8180 we are able to continue our Taxi Voucher Scheme. Our scheme has been operating for 10 years and is unique in North Lincolnshire. We are told that it is the envy of many in neighbouring localities. The scheme is designed to help Winterton residents aged over 60 or residents with a disability. They must NOT be car owners and must be unable to use public transport. They must also be in receipt of some benefits. Do you qualify? To find out call 733441.

Our Taxi Voucher Scheme is on a contract with Chid's Taxi and we are most grateful to Shane for

providing a most reliable and caring service. We do have a monitoring system in place and we can show that 80% of trips are health related with 20% divided between shopping and leisure trips. We can also report that not a single complaint has been made by service users.

As previously mentioned, Winterton Improvement Network will be encouraging householders to decorate their houses or gardens for the festive season. Our little elves will be walking around Winterton during the first week of December to take pictures so our mystery Santa can decide who is BEST!

Season's greetings to all of you!

Nicki Mumby
Chair



Our wreath to the fallen and forgotten laid by our Editor.

War memorial - more names approved

After further extensive research undertaken by our editor, Estelle Mumby, Winterton Town Council at the full council meeting held on Tuesday 21st October 2014, **unanimously approved** the addition of a further five names to Winterton War Memorial:

WORLD WAR 1

- 27989 Sergeant **George Alexander Hall**,
71st Heavy Bty, Royal Garrison Artillery
- 203014 Private **Stephen Alfred Bigley**,
7th Battalion, Suffolk Regiment

WORLD WAR 2

- P/KX 75337
Petty Officer Stoker
John Clabby,
HM Submarine Utmost, Royal Navy
- 1577142 Flight Sergeant Air Gunner
Frank Norman Holmes, 582 Squadron,
Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve
- 136865 Flying Officer
Charles Reginald Jaques, 576 Squadron,
Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

“WITH PROUD THANKSGIVING, WE REMEMBER THEM”

The stories of the above casualties will be featured in future issues of Out 'n About, and their names along with the previously approved 13 WW1 soldiers, were included in the roll call at the Laying of Wreaths ceremony on Remembrance Sunday - see page 5. As more resources are being released online and in local archives, it is possible that information on more fallen service personnel with links to Winterton will come to light.

REMEMBERING THE 'FORGOTTEN' SOLDIERS



In the last issue of Out 'n About, readers discovered the stories of four WW1 Winterton soldiers whose names were approved by Winterton Town Council at the June full council meeting, for addition to the war memorial. A total of 12 names were approved at this meeting, and to do justice to these brave young lads, here are another three. Sadly, more will appear in forthcoming issues.

9792 Private **John William Martin**
1st Battalion, Lincolnshire Regiment

John was born in Roxby in 1894 and was the son of Charles & Mary A MARTIN. In 1901 John and his parents were living with his aunt and uncle in Roxby, but by 1911 he had moved with his parents to 60 Digby Street, Crosby, Scunthorpe.

John's service record has survived but it's badly damaged and is difficult to read in parts. He enlisted in Lincoln on 8th August 1914 and John is listed on the 1914-15 Winterton Roll of Honour (qualified by upbringing) as being in the 3rd Battalion, Lincolnshire Regiment at the time. He entered France on 26th January 1915, but was killed in action on 4th March 1915 and is commemorated on the Menin Gate Memorial, Ypres, Belgium.

The Battalion was in the vicinity of Rosenthaal

Chateau and on 2nd March, the battalion HQ was near La Chapelle farm.

The war diary reads: "4th March 1915: Enemy's artillery very active. B Coy trench shelled causing some losses. Machine gun in support shelled causing casualties to whole of the team. Bn headquarters shelled. 27 shells either striking or falling and exploding about Headquarters causing many casualties in C Coy. The shelling lasted about 1 hour 30 minutes. Medical Officer decided to remove wounded which task was carried out without further losses. Bn relieved by 1st Dorset Regt and proceeded to YPRES and billeted in Infantry Barracks. Casualties: 4 killed, 1 died of wounds, 34 wounded."

His Medal Index Card shows that he was posthumously awarded the 1915 Star, the British War Medal and the Victory Medal.

294708 Gunner **Arthur Hill** - *146th Heavy Battery, Royal Garrison Artillery*

Arthur was born about 1892 in either Winterton or Winteringham, the son of Frederick & Anne Tomason HILL. In 1901 Arthur was living with his parents in Plato Terrace, Sculcoates, Hull and by 1911 the family had moved to 7 Lincoln Street, Hull. He worked for the Hull Tramway service and had a younger sister who was born in Winterton.

Arthur's service record hasn't survived but he enlisted in Hull and was killed in action on 31st July 1917, aged 27. He was the husband of Lilian Hill, of 38, Estcourt St., Newbridge Rd., Hull. An extract of a letter sent by the Chaplain to Arthur's wife was included in the Hull Daily Mail (1st September 1917) in which it stated that Arthur's parents were late of Winterton: "Your husband left the fairly safe spot where he was to carry some tea up to the men on the guns, who were hard at work helping to win the great battle about which you will have heard. Unfortunately, a shell dropped right into the gun pit and killed them all instantly".

Arthur is buried in Dickebusch New Military Cemetery Extension, Belgium. His Medal Index Card shows that he was posthumously awarded the British War Medal and the Victory Medal.

Photo: courtesy of Hull Daily Mail



Winterton Remembers



In tribute to those who left the town to serve King and Country - and never returned, Out 'n About is commemorating the centenary of their sacrifice by including their names in the magazine covering the relevant period. Thankfully, there were no casualties from the town for the period between November 1914 to February 1915.

REMEMBERING THE 'FORGOTTEN' SOLDIERS (cont...)

13466 Private **William Holmes**
2nd Battalion, Lincolnshire
Regiment

William was born on 1st September 1897, Churchside, Winterton, and was the son of Mary HOLMES. By the time of his baptism in Brigg in January 1898, William and his mother were living in Brigg Union Workhouse.



The 1901 census shows William and his mother living in Gainsborough Union Workhouse, and by 1911 he was living with Mr and Mrs Featherby in Kirton in Lindsey.

William's service record hasn't survived but he enlisted in Gainsborough. He entered France on 1st April 1915, but was killed in action on 25th September 1915 at Bois Grenier, France, aged 19, and is commemorated on Ploegsteert Memorial, Belgium. The action at Bois Grenier was supplementary to the Battle of Loos. The war diary reads: "25th – Bridoux – At 1am the battalion was formed up as follows...

W Company – in 70 yards trench behind right of salient.

X Company – in assembly trenches behind the fire parapet on the right of the road.

Z Company – in assembly trenches behind the fire parapet on the left of the road.

Y Company – Two platoons holding the fire parapet of the salient and two platoons in trench 350 yards behind that salient.

The battalion formed the left of the Brigade, the 2nd Royal Berkshire Regiment being in the centre and the Rifle Brigade on the right. At 4.25am all guns started an intense bombardment on the enemy's front line of trenches which continued until 4.30am. At that hour the infantry assaulted. At 4.29am a shallow mine running from our salient across to the German trenches was exploded with the idea of eventually being made into a communication trench after the enemy's lines had been taken.

On the infantry assaulting, the artillery lifted off the front line to lines in rear. The assault was carried out as follows: At 4.30am Z Company moved forward and rushed the Bridoux Fort opposite immediately obtaining a footing in it and bombing parties were sent forward to take the 2nd line trenches which was done. Owing however to the evening's counter attack, carried out chiefly by bombing parties down the numerous communication trenches leading to the fort, the pressure on Z Company became severe.

A platoon of W Company was sent there to assist and with part of two companies of the 1st Royal Irish Rifles coming up, the pressure for a short time was relieved. A further counter attack again made the situation in the fort very critical and running out of bombs our men were forced out but were able to hold on to the outside of the parapet until the pressure from both flanks and front became so severe that we were no longer able to retain our position there.

The fort was totally evacuated about 2pm. As soon as Z Company at 4.40am had occupied the fort the bombing parties of X Company moved forward and getting into the German trench just on the right of the Bridoux Fort bombed along the trench towards the 2nd Royal Berkshire Regiment, also bombing into the German 2nd line. At 8am we were able to join X Company and W Company followed up with the Berkshire Regiment and the parties sent into the 2nd line, with the assistance of W Company, being successful steps were at once taken to consolidate the 1st line.

At 12.30pm the right of the Battalion was forced to the left owing to a strong bomb attack on the Berkshire Regiment and at the same time, the left of the Battalion in the fort being pressed to its right, the German trenches became very congested with our men. Some more bombs having been obtained, we were then able to retake a length of trench to our right, but were forced back again but managed to hold our position until 5pm, when the enemy having brought up fresh troops, delivered a very strong and determined counter attack and forced us to evacuate all our gains.

Before the trenches we had gained had finally to be evacuated at least six hostile counter attacks were frustrated by the close co-operation of our artillery, due entirely to the excellent communication and arrangements that existed between the guns and the liaison officer of the Canadian artillery who was attached to Battalion Headquarters during the day. The platoons of Y Company who remained in our own parapet suffered severely during the day from the heavy hostile shelling.

At 9pm the Battalion was relieved by the 2nd Northamptonshire Regiment and went into billets in the vicinity of Fleurbaix – Killed 60, wounded 229, missing 36."

His Medal Index Card shows that he was posthumously awarded the 1915 Star, the British War Medal and the Victory Medal, but they were returned in 1922 for disposal.

Photo: courtesy of Hull Daily Mail

Remembrance Sunday 2014

Winterton remembers the fallen and the 'forgotten'

This has truly been a significant year for Winterton, and this year's Remembrance Sunday service was a very special occasion.

Not only did the town pay tributes to those who fell, but it also honoured for the first time, a further 18 casualties from two world wars, whose names have been approved by Winterton Town Council for addition to the war memorial.

Families representing two 'forgotten' WW1 soldiers travelled to Winterton to pay tribute to their relatives. Lynne Thompson, the great niece of Charles William Stubbins, travelled from Coventry with her mother Edna Colquhoun, her sister Alison Keilloh and Lynne's daughter Laura Thompson. Jim Cross, the nephew of James Emerson Proctor, travelled from Hull.



■ Research has shown that nine of the 18 service personnel were born in Winterton. Our editor sincerely hopes that after all these years, it will be of some comfort to the families to know that their relatives will be remembered in Winterton from this year onwards.

WW1 display

The research and the survivors list will be on display again at Winterton Community Pavilion's Christmas Craft Fair on Saturday 20th December, 12noon -4pm. Come and share your ideas on how Winterton should say thank you to those who returned from WW1 and later conflicts. It is important that residents have their say.



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War memorial names identified

In the last issue of Out 'n About, we asked readers for help in positively identifying three WW2 names on the war memorial - J. Bell, S. Crowston and M. Ellis.

A search of the Scunthorpe and Frodingham Star 1944 newspapers revealed that 'J Bell' is C/KX 137605 Stoker 1st Class, James Harold Bell who served on HMS Welshman, Royal Navy. James was from West Street, Winterton and died on 1st February 1943. He is commemorated on Chatham Naval Memorial, Kent.

'S Crowston' has been positively identified as P/MX54553 Engine Room Artificer 3rd class, Arthur Stanley Crowston who served on HM Submarine Turbulent, Royal Navy. Arthur died on 23rd March 1943, aged 26 and was posthumously awarded the Distinguished Service Medal (with bar) in the following year. He is commemorated on Portsmouth Naval Memorial.

Our editor is still investigating 'M. Ellis'. If anyone has any information which could help, please contact Out 'n About.

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Winterton and District Lions



Christmas is coming and we start off the celebrations with our Christmas Market on Saturday 29th November starting at 1pm at Winterton Rangers - admission is free. There will be lots of things to see and do for young and old alike. Santa Claus will be there in his buggy along with live entertainment from local schools and Duckapella. Other attractions include lucky dip stalls, tombolas, giant raffle, games, books and puzzles, gifts and craft stalls. We will be serving hot food from our own catering van. Please come and have fun and support us and help us raise money for local people in need of our help.

This then brings us into December and we will be coming round the villages to see you all with Santa in his buggy starting Wednesday 3rd Dec till 15th December - Start 5pm - 7.30pm weekdays, start 3.30pm - 7.30pm weekends.

- Wednesday 3rd - Roxby
- Thursday 11th - Winterton: Sowers Lane, Low Street, Leek Hill, Walker Drive, Northlands Ave, Northland Road South, West Street, King Street, Market Hill, High Street.
- Friday 12th - Winterton: North Street, Newport Drive, Mill House Lane, Burgon Crescent, Cemetery Road, Ross Lane, Park Street, Crakedale area, Hart Lane.
- Saturday 13th - Winterton: Grangefield estate, Northlands Road, Dale Park area.
- Sunday 14th - Winterton: Westwinds Road, Manlake Avenue, Earlsgate Gardens, Roxby Road, Top Road, Earlsgate, Southfield Road, Lincoln Drive, Saffré Close.

Look out for our leaflet that will come through your door for more information on when we will be visiting your street.

We have had a busy year fundraising and with the year coming to an end and we reflect on the people we have helped - these include Winteringham Football Club, Winteringham Chapel Barn, Winterton Brownies, Winterton Lives, Alkborough Chapel, MacMillan, Burton Playing Field Ass, Lincs 4 x 4, St Lukes School, Friends of Burton School,



Leukaemia & Lymphoma, Special Chair for a local disabled child, Community seats for villages and many, many more.

We have also support International causes and have also donated funds to Sight Savers, Philippines Disaster and Water Aid. We also have collection boxes for your old unwanted spectacles and hearing aides - boxes are situated at Winterton and Burton Medical Practices, and at the Eye Clinic at Scunthorpe General Hospital. These glasses and hearing aids are sent to the third world to help those in need.

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On the beat with PC Amanda Barnett

Christmas is nearly upon us and it seems the right time to advise you about a spate of vehicle crime in the Scunthorpe area. Whilst we haven't had any break-ins in the Winterton area, you should do whatever you can to protect your own property. Anything left on show in your vehicle is an easy target for some criminals and some of the victims of the recent thefts have just had small change stolen from within. The damage caused can cost a lot of money to be repaired and can affect your insurance. If you're out and about Christmas shopping, put bags in the boot out of sight.

The same goes for burglaries. I'm sure you've seen me write in the past about sneak in burglaries

and we are very lucky that we don't suffer from this type of crime often in Winterton, but again at this time of year when there's a good chance you've got valuable items at home and probably under the tree, be aware that they're an easy target to thieves.

If Santa is bringing bicycles for the children this year, ask him for a set a lights too! We see a large amount of youngsters riding bikes around the town without lights at night which is an obvious danger to them and it's an offence not to have lights on your bike when it's dark. It's much cheaper to buy a set of lights than to pay a £30 fine! There's also an opportunity to have cycles



post coded at our property marking events – free of charge, see dates opposite.

A quick reminder for you that the local police team Facebook page is now available to 'like' in an attempt to keep the public updated on local issues. You can find the page by searching, 'North Lincolnshire Rural Neighbourhood Policing Teams'. You will receive updates of what's happening in your village and it's a good way to get 'hot off the press news' when you most need it, such as road closures and road traffic collisions which may affect your journey locally. The page cannot be used to report crime. This should continue to be done by phoning 101 or 999 in an emergency. You can also follow me on Twitter @BurtonWinterton.

Dates for your diary

- Police Surgery at Winterton Police Station 25th November 6pm - 7pm
- Property Marking & Police Surgery at Winterton Police Station 29th December 2.30pm – 3.30pm. Bring your new cycles along to be post coded.
- Property Marking & Police Surgery at Winterton Police Station 22nd January 6pm – 7pm.

PC 2108 Amanda Barnett
Burton-Upon-Stather & Winterton Neighbourhood Officer

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Friday 28 November - HM Forces Airmail to
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Wednesday 3 December - Asia, Far East (including
Japan), New Zealand

Thursday 4 December - Australia

Friday 5 December - Africa, Caribbean, Central and
South America, Middle East

Monday 8 December - Cyprus, Eastern Europe,
Greece

Tuesday 9 December - Canada, Poland

Friday 12 December - USA, HM Forces Airmail to
Static BFPOs

Saturday 13 December - Western Europe (excluding
Greece, Poland)

Thursday 18 December - 2nd Class and recorded

Saturday 20 December - 1st Class and recorded

Senior Citizens Forum

Winterton Disabled Club - Free Concert - WOW,
What a wonderful "Concert for people over 60"
that Nicki Mumby and her team from the Winterton
Disabled Club provided on 14th October 2014
at the Winterton Community Pavilion. With over
100 people from different groups who packed the
Pavilion and enjoyed being entertained by Marlaina
Rube in the 1940's style with amusing contributions
by Mary Jackson as the Oldest Swinger in Town, also
the duet by Nicki and Mary; who forgot her teapot,
and others that joined in the singing and dancing.

Everyone really enjoyed the afternoon concert
together with lashings of tea, coffee and scrumptious
cakes, and for sure the 'Community Spirit' was in
abundance. Thanks Nicki.

Jim Harding

Chairman Winterton Senior Citizens Forum

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Winterton Iron



The annual 'Bit of a Do' was a great success at Winterton Rangers. The group 'Scrapyard Dogs' were superb and had everyone dancing. The Brigg Gateway Club will benefit to the tune of approximately £900 from the event, thanks to everyone who made that happen. We are also collecting the 'Cash for your Community' coupons in the Telegraph newspaper for Brigg Gateway.

Our next away trips are to Barnsley, Bradford City and Sheffield United. We are always on the look out for new members, we meet socially fortnightly at The George Hogg on Monday nights.

On behalf of the 'Winterton Iron' I would like to wish Paul and Lesley the best of luck at the Butchers Arms pub.

Doug Parker. Tel: 733837

An award well deserved!

Congratulations to Danny Redhead of Winterton & District branch Leukaemia and Lymphoma Research for getting the Ian McPherson Award for Exceptional contribution to the Community. Well done, Danny!



Christmas dates

Tuesday 23rd December - Carols at the George Hogg, 7.30pm.

Christmas Eve - Midnight mass 10.30pm, at The Old School Hall.

Christmas Day - Eucharist for Christmas, 10.30am, at The Old School Hall.



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Road closures

10th - 19th November, C110 from tip road to Whitton. Closure due to planing and resurfacing carriageway. Queries should be addressed to North Lincolnshire Council quoting references RP001305198 and RP001305255.

20th - 21st November, A15 northbound slip road to A1077. Closure due to planing and resurfacing carriageway. Queries should be addressed to North Lincolnshire Council quoting reference RP001305258.

22nd November, A15 Humber Bridge southbound slip road to A1077. Closure due to planing and resurfacing carriageway. Queries should be addressed to North Lincolnshire Council quoting reference RP001305259.

25th November, A15 Humber Bridge southbound slip road from A1077. Closure due to planing and resurfacing carriageway. Queries should be addressed to North Lincolnshire Council quoting reference RP001305260.

10th - 11th January, and 17th - 18th January 2015. Appleby Level Crossing. Closure due to drainage work on track between 23.30hrs and 08.30hrs. Queries should be addressed to Network Rail quoting reference KL666CENRC14-018.

29 January to 2 February. Risby Road. Closure due to new supply to be laid and connect up supply. Queries should be addressed to Anglian Water quoting reference AD01510343853.

5th - 23rd February. Holmes Lane to flying club.

10th February - 5th March. Holmes Lane, full length.

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Landfill Update from the Environment Agency

We inspect the two local landfills, that's the one at Winterton operated by FCC and the one at Roxby operated by Biffa.

We have received no complaints from residents about the operation of either landfill since June.

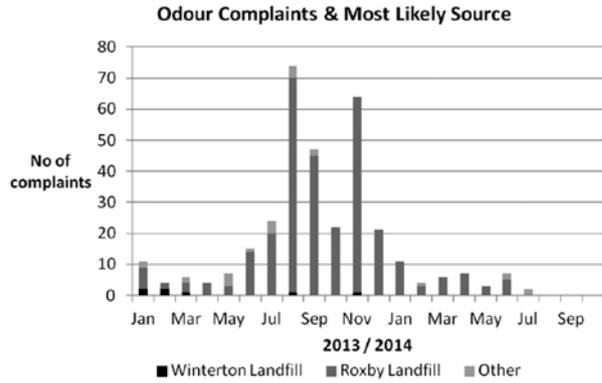
At Winterton landfill, the North site stopped taking waste in the first half of the year and all the existing waste there is fully covered over. The South site continues to receive waste.

At Roxby landfill, no trains of waste from Manchester have been received since the end of June. This has reduced the waste input to the site by approximately 75%. Waste from local sources including North Lincolnshire domestic waste continues to arrive by road.

We have continued with our inspection programme at both sites. Both landfills hold regular liaison meetings attended by us, the site operator and parish, town and North Lincolnshire councillors.

If you are affected by environmental issues from either landfill, you can report these on our 24 hours a day, 7 day a week incident hotline, 0800 80 70 60.

For information, the graph below shows the odour reports we've received since January 2013 in the Winterton town and Roxby village area. Based on the reported details, weather conditions and information from the landfill sites themselves, we have tried to identify the most likely source of the reported odour.



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Many thanks to the Mayor and Mayoress of North Lincolnshire, Cllr Trevor Foster and his wife Angela, for opening the week's activities together with the Winterton Deputy Mayor, Cllr Fran Fletcher at the new Community Pavilion; "The Jewel in the Crown of Winterton" Thank You also to the Winterton Town Council for their support and all the many voluntary groups, organisations and indeed everyone who kindly supported all the events and activities throughout the week.

Giving the opportunity for our elder citizens a chance to try new things, stay active, meet new people and help combat loneliness.

It is very important to celebrate the achievements and contributions that our older people make to our Community. Many Thanks.

Jim Harding, Chairman.



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Firstly I would like to introduce myself. My name is Daniel Hollingsworth and I have recently taken up the roll of Roxby Site Manager, following on from Craig Turnbull's time as Interim Site Manager.

I have worked at the Roxby site for several years with my most recent position being the sites Operations Manager.

As mentioned in the previous publication of OAAIW, Roxby site no longer receives waste via rail, the effect of which is a reduction in waste currently being received by 75%. The site continues to receive waste from local sources, the main contract being with North Lincolnshire Council for Household and HRC refuse collection rounds.

There has been a substantial amount of development works carried out at Roxby over the last six months. We have installed three additional extraction and monitoring wells and 13 deep seated gas extraction wells to target the lower levels of the waste mass.

We have capped an additional two hectares of the site. The new capping has three rain flaps incorporated into it to divert all clean rain water into our purpose built catchments lagoon, to manage and control rainfall on site.

Biffa has also installed a second de-odouriser system on site, this system is a dry system that consists of three head units and providing 300 mtrs of coverage around the perimeter of the working area. It was decided to use a dry system to combat potential down time in the winter months due to freezing issues in the lines of the wet system, The sites wet system remains in place to work in partnership with the new dry units.

The contact details for site remain the same (01724 733336) and I welcome any issues or queries local resident may have.

Daniel Hollingsworth

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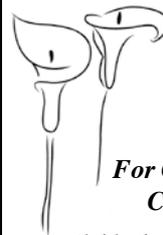
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Winterton's Blooming! Awards from the 2014 In Bloom Competition



Earlier in the year the Town Council supported by a great team of local volunteers co-ordinated work across Winterton as part of our entry into the East Midlands In Bloom Competition.

This was our first effort in this competition and thanks to local businesses a number of new planters and hanging baskets have been added to the town's floral display. Also many property owners ensured gardens and displays were at their most impressive for the judges when they visited.

All that effort led to three awards!

- Silver Award in the Small Town Category
- Judges' Award for Support from Local Businesses
- Frank Constable Award to Mr Harding of Hart Lane for Best Residential Garden (pictured receiving his award from Town Mayor, Cllr Bob Bridge)

But we can do even better! Especially we are looking for any children's groups that would like to become "Budding Bloomers"! So if you are involved in a group such as the Guides, Rainbows, Scouts, or a Sports Club and you can help then we would love to hear from you.

Plus we need more residents to help. The bigger the team the more of Winterton we can cover. So anyone wishing to get involved in any way from donating some cuttings, to growing bedding plants please contact the Clerk on 01724 488085.

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Winterton Christmas Light Switch On 2014



Saturday 29th November
Market Hill, around the tree
starting at 4.30pm

One lucky child will have the chance to turn the lights on with this year's special guest Stuart the Minion from Despicable Me through the Winterton and District Branch Light Switch On Raffle!

We will have live entertainment from Raw Kadence and Santa will be joining us in his sleigh after a busy day at the Lions Christmas Market

All welcome with sweets and treats available on the night!



Bus to Brigg Christmas Special

The Town Council is running a Christmas Special Bus to Brigg on Saturday 20th December to coincide with the final Farmers' Market of the year.

Also the Brigg Christmas Band will be performing Christmas songs from the Bandstand (weather permitting).

The bus picks up on West Street (near the phone box) at 10.20am. It then picks up opposite the De Lacy Way and Teanby Drive junction, on Earls Gate (opposite the Fire Station) and then King Street (near Tesco).

The Bus drops off at the Ancholme Leisure Centre, the Market Place and the Brigg Garden Centre. The journey home commences at the Garden Centre at 2:15.

The cost is just £2 for an adult and £1 for a child.

Useful Contacts:

North Lincs Council 24hr	01724 297979
Winterton Town Council	01724 488085
Police (non emergency)	101
Winterton Medical Practice	01724 732202
NHS (non emergency)	111

Town Council Meetings

The next meetings of the Town Council will be held on:

16th December 2014
20th January 2015
17th February 2015

All at 7:30pm in the Old School Hall. These meetings are open to the public. Local residents can speak but need to arrange this in advance with the Mayor or Town Clerk. Committee meetings are also held and are advertised on the Council's Notice Boards.

Emergency Defibrillator



There is now an emergency defibrillator on the wall outside the Library on West Street. Staff are trained to use it but there are instructions on who to call for help if no one is available.

Job Club now at Winterton Community Hub



The Winterton Job Club takes place every Friday morning from 9.30-11.30 at Winterton Community Hub.

The club can help you write a CV, cover letter or application form, help you with setting up email accounts and registering with Universal Jobmatch as well as other job searching sites.

As well as offering you advice on interviews and courses to help you back in to work or to further your career. Most importantly it's free, friendly and no appointments are needed, just pop along and see how we can help.

For more information email emma.prideaux@northlincs.gov.uk or phone 01724 860161.

Our local library and North Lincolnshire Council's Local Link are in the same building as the hub next to the Junior School on West Street. For further information on opening times and what services are available please call 01724 296875.

Christmas Eve Carol Service



One of the highlights of the year is the Christmas Eve Carol Service in the Market Place.

Once again we will be joined by the Barton Salvation Army Brass Band who will accompany us though all our favourite carols.

The service commences at 6:30pm. Afterwards hot drinks and mince pies will be served in the Old School Hall.

Assets of Community Value

We reported in our last newsletter that we were seeking to register The Butcher's Arms and The George Hogg as Assets of Community Value. This has been accepted and registered and we wish both pubs a successful festive period and a prosperous 2015.

Office Space To Let

The Town Council has a good sized, ground floor office to let in our base at The Ark, 52 West Street, Winterton.

The office is partially furnished with desks, chairs and storage cupboards and would be an ideal location for a small business or organisation to be based at.

For further information or to arrange a viewing please contact the Clerk on 01724 488085.



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Winter Snow & Ice Safety

As you can read elsewhere in this newsletter there is a local community group preparing to help out if the weather turns very cold over the winter period.

Of course, the primary responsibility for keeping roads cleared lies with North Lincolnshire Council but we shall be working with them and the local group to help where we can.

We do have a supply of grit and we can spread this at danger points around the town. There is not an unlimited supply but we shall do all we can.

If you need help over the winter period then please get in touch on 01724 488085. If we cannot help directly then we will help you to make contact with those who can.

Let's try to make Winterton as safe as possible for everyone whatever the weather throws at us.

Hello, Goodbye

We are pleased to welcome Jeff Ramseyer as a new Town Councillor. Jeff is a local businessperson and was co-opted recently by council members.

Sadly we say farewell to the Town Clerk, Angela Grounds who has left our employment and we wish her well for the future. Lisa Newstead is the Acting Town Clerk.

All the members and staff of Winterton Town Council would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Let's make 2015 a great one for Winterton!



Allan Smith



Sadly we have to report the news that former Mayor and local Councillor, Allan Smith passed away recently.

It is almost impossible to know where to start when commenting on all Allan achieved. He was a kind, dedicated man who worked hard for Winterton and indeed for all the area he represented.

Allan was a larger than life character in every way. He was never short of a comment on any issue and he always had time to speak to everyone. His knowledge of the area was legendary as was his love of sport and jazz.

As well as being a Town Councillor he also served on Glanford Borough Council, Humberside County Council and on North Lincolnshire Council. He is the only person to have been the North Lincolnshire Council Mayor twice. He fought hard for those in need and he will be much missed.



Despite the misguided rumours which have been circulating we can assure Winterton residents that the Winterton Care Campaign Group is non political and that

we will work with any organisation/group/ individual/ statutory agencies involved in bettering people's quality of life and well being. We want to make Winterton a place where people in advancing years will not fear isolation and loneliness especially during the winter months. We want to avoid distress and suffering to people by preventing falls and subsequently helping the health service by keeping people well and not needing to occupy hospital beds. What is so wrong with that? The Winterton Care Campaign Group has recently held its AGM and is continuing the distribution of Winter Survival Kits. We would encourage residents over 60 who are vulnerable during the cold weather to get in touch so we can assist them. **DON'T DELAY! GET IN TOUCH BEFORE THE SNOW ARRIVES!** For more details contact us via email wccg13@zoho.com or ring 733441. People in receipt of a survival kit will also be put on the list for snow clearing of their private paths to garages/sheds, bins and access to main footpath. They will be able to call us for an emergency visit by enhanced DBS checked volunteers who will assist with shopping and a befriending service. They will also benefit from the Winter Support Fund managed by



Stuart Maw as this project is now working under the umbrella of the Winterton Care Campaign Group. This will avoid duplication of services and we should be able to provide a more financially viable comprehensive Winter Support Scheme.

Stuart has negotiated a partnership between the Co-op and the Winter Support Fund. A tub is to be located in the Winterton Co-op store so people can donate to a can scheme. These will be distributed to all those on the snow list.

Stuart is continuing fund raising for the cause and has tickets for a Christmas Night Out on Saturday 13th December at Winterton Community Pavilion, 7.30pm. Singer KT Star and Green Room will entertain with bar services by the George Hogg. Tickets are £10 from Stuart and Susan Maw at 23 Earlsate, Winterton or call 01724 735141. Don't forget to buy your tickets early for an event not to be missed!

At the time of going to print Stuart Maw and Ryan Mather are preparing for their 48 hours gruelling stay in a WW1 replica trench which they dug themselves with support from Chris Tong who helped with a digger. Stuart is most thankful to have been given such support in his endeavour to remember the hardship suffered by WW1 soldiers and at the same time raising money for The Winterton Branch of The British Legion and the Winter Support Fund. The Trench Challenge will start on Tuesday 11th November at 9am. We must congratulate Stuart and Ryan for their brave effort and ask people to sponsor them for supporting two very worthwhile causes. To sponsor Stuart and Ryan please contact 01724 735141.

Events coming up at Winterton Rangers...



SATURDAY 22ND NOVEMBER

Gray - this is a fundraising event for the Winterton Branch of Leukaemia & Lymphoma Research. Tickets £5 from Gray's Butchers, Daniel Redhead or Winterton Rangers.

SATURDAY 6TH DECEMBER

Boogie Nights, £2 payable on the door.

SATURDAY 20TH DECEMBER

Full On & Ocean Blue. Strictly tickets only, £5 each from Gray's Butchers or Winterton Rangers. On sale now until Monday 15th December (subject to availability).

WEDNESDAY 31ST DECEMBER

Boogie Nights New Years Eve Special, strictly over 18's only and tickets only entry, £5 each from Winterton Rangers or Gray's Butchers. On sale from Saturday 1st November until Saturday 20th December (subject to availability).

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Winterton & District Branch – thank you for a great year!

It's been another fantastic year for our branch as we continue to grow and flourish. One highlight for us has been the recent birth of our new Local Youth Development Program that has been created to provide the youth of Winterton with a platform to develop their soft skills by volunteering in their community. The branch is committed to mentoring these young people to help enhance their CV's to make them more employable through providing opportunities to take an active role in our events, and manage their own projects which will lead to awards in recognition of their work. This project has been funded by the Winterton Lions, Winterton 2022 and Winterton Town Council.

In September we hosted our second Fashion Show. This year taking to the catwalk we had collections from Sue Hoodless Lar De Darr Millinery and Special Occasionwear, John Leggott College Textiles Students, Isn't She Lovely, and KMR Bespoke Bridal Designer, all showcasing beautiful garments. The stage had been decorated by Floral Designs which really made the hall look fantastic. A packed out hall at Winterton Community Academy saw the hugely successful event raise £1,007.59 to help beat blood cancers. We'd like to thank the school for again allowing us the use of their fantastic facilities, and to all the businesses that made the event possible.

As part of our commitment to be an integral part of the community and support the community we have partnered with Winterton Rangers FC at a time when the community is keen to support the club. We are working with Winterton

Rangers to host monthly 70's and 80's themed Disco Nights over the next six months on the first Saturday of the month (excluding January) at their facility. The partnership started with the first event taking place in October and the second in November with the two events being a huge success raising over £650 between them. The next Boogie Nights is Saturday 6th December, no tickets are needed its just £2 on the door. We will also be holding a New Year's Eve Special on Wednesday 31st December at Winterton Rangers FC. You must purchase a ticket for this event for £5 from Grays Butchers and Bakers, Winterton Post Office, Winterton Rangers FC or members of our fundraising team.

On Saturday 22nd November we will be hosting an evening with Gray at Winterton Rangers FC - see advert.

On Saturday 29th November we will be hosting the third annual Winterton Christmas Light Switch On in partnership with the Winterton Lions and Winterton Town Council following the Lions Christmas market. This year's special guests to turn the lights on with the child who wins our switch on raffle will be Stuart the Minion from Despicable Me. There will also be a visit from Santa in his buggy and lots of sweets and treats as well as live music from Raw Kadence. The fun starts around the tree on Market Hill at 4.30pm.

The Big Copper Count-Up is currently in Gray's Butchers and Bakers who are running competition to win a fantastic Turkey and accompaniments for a Christmas Dinner to remember. Thank you to everyone that continues to support the tower by donating your copper and loose change.

As ever we would like to thank everyone that continues to support our branch, and we would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas, and a prosperous new year. If you would like to get involved with our branch by holding a fundraising event or attending our events please visit our website to find out more on www.wix.com/beatbloodcancers/wintertonanddistrict, or email Daniel on llrwintertonanddistrictbranch@yahoo.co.uk. Please don't forget to like us on Facebook by visiting www.facebook.com/wintertonanddistrictbranch and we now have twitter so please search for @wintdistrictllr to keep up to date with all our work!

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The Pavilion and Playing Field are a family friendly facility which are available to hire at reasonable rates for all your family celebrations, ie birthdays anniversaries, weddings, christenings, or for in/out sport /fitness activities.

The Pavilion holds a full entertainment and alcohol licence. There is a large stage for bands /discos etc. The pavilion has a large fully fitted and equipped kitchen, disabled toilets with baby changing facilities.

There are four changing rooms, a referees room, all with shower facilities. All these facilities can be hired at reasonable rates - reductions for registered charities.

For more information on booking or viewing, contact Fran (Booking Officer) 07889127574, Clare (Events Coordinator / treasurer) 07725618068, Lesley (chair person) 07765801190, or follow us on face book for events - www.facebook.com/WintertonCommunityPavilion.

Saturday 6th December - in conjunction with Dale Park FC, Christmas Disco 7-11pm. £3 and £2 child, includes UV face paint and every child will receive a gift from Santa.

Saturday 20th December - 12-4pm, Christmas Craft Fair. A chance to buy last minute gifts. Come along and relax with a glass of mulled wine and a mince pie while your children enjoy themselves making their own decorations at the craft tables provided. To book a table to sell your own crafts contact Clare.

Wednesday 31st December - New Years Eve Party and Disco 7-Late. Tickets on sale now £3 adult, £2 child. Bring your own drink and food.

Are you interested in joining our committee? Get in touch with Lesley on 733216.

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All Saints Church news - Phase 1 works completed



The capital works at All Saints, Winterton, are part of a major project funded in large part by the Heritage Lottery Fund [£748,100 grant]. Phase 1 of these works [extensive roof and high level fabric repairs with new rainwater goods] was completed on Thursday 16th October. Members of the Friends of All Saints gathered at the church to mark this important occasion, following the five years of planning and fund-raising with three months of repair work. It was the first chance to see the changes without the scaffolding and steel sheet cladding obscuring the view.

‘This is a major achievement’ said Jean Key, churchwarden, ‘We have waited for this moment for

such a long time. We will no longer have to worry about rain dripping on people sat inside. We are so grateful to those who have helped with the funds needed for this work’.

The funding for this phase has come from WREN [£75,000], Wolfson Foundation [£10,000] and Marshall’s Charity, Lincolnshire Churches Trust, Diocese of Lincoln and, of course, the Heritage Lottery Fund.

Phase 2 started at once and will involve the full reordering of the interior of the church. This includes a new level paved floor, underfloor heating, new sound and lighting systems, extensive replastering and redecoration This should be completed by April 2015. The church will be re-opened for regular use in May/June. However, due to the funding gap which has appeared in the budget, the Phase 3 works for the project [new extension for kitchen and toilets] will not be completed at that time. The church is still raising money for this and other works. Already over £1million has been obtained but a further £200,000 is needed.

Sponsor a seat

Anyone who wishes can now sponsor a new chair or bench at All Saints, Winterton. The chairs and benches are currently being made in the UK from solid oak with seagrass seat panels.



For a donation of £100 you can have a brass plaque fixed to a chair [or £300 for a 3 seater bench]. The wording will need to be simple as the plaque is small. Some examples are: “Donated by Arthur Other” and “In loving memory of Maureen Other 1939 - 2011”.



Anyone who is interested can sponsor such a plaque whether or not they attend the church and whether or not they live in

Winterton. The plaque does not have to be in memory of a deceased relative or friend. It can simply mark the donation made by an individual. This is a chance for everyone who wants to help secure the future of All Saints for our community. Robin Shawyer, the Project Coordinator, said ‘Please spread the word about this scheme. If we could get a plaque on every new seat we could raise over £20,000! It would make a huge difference to the funding we still need!’

If you would like to know more, please register your interest with Robin Shawyer on 01724 734285.

Christmas (and weekly) Shopping

Do you or a family member shop online? Did you know that every time you buy something you could be raising money for All Saints Church - Winterton PCC?

Over 2400 well known retailers including Amazon, M&S, Boden, Waitrose, House of Fraser, Vodafone, Virgin Atlantic and many more, will donate a percentage of what you spend to All Saints Church - Winterton PCC! when you shop with them, via fundraising website easyfundraising.org.uk. Each purchase generates a donation. So instead of going directly to a retailer’s website, go to [easyfundraising](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) first and choose the retailer you want to shop with – then everything you spend with that retailer earns a free donation for All Saints Church - Winterton PCC. It’s completely free to use and your shopping won’t cost you a penny more. On average, each retailer will donate 5% of the cost of your shopping - and those donations soon mount up.

So whatever you need to buy, from your weekly grocery shop or fashion must-have, to your business travel, office supplies or mobile phone, buy it via [easyfundraising](http://easyfundraising.org.uk) and raise money for All Saints Church - Winterton PCC at no extra cost to you! Please register to supporting us when you shop online - just visit <http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/ascwinterton>

Surprising finds at All Saints' Church

In recent weeks the interior of All Saints at Winterton has been 'dug' by the archaeologists. But even before they started, the contractor made some intriguing discoveries.

When the pew platforms in the Nave were lifted, messages left by the joiners who did the work were found written on wood off-cuts. "William Parish - Prentice, Geo Yurdale - Improver at Mr Halls, Winterton, March 15th 1872" was discovered under the northern platform. The census for Winterton in 1871 shows William J Parish, age 16, a joiner apprentice, living with the family of Richard Hall, joiner, in West Street. Under the southern platform were four wood off-cuts including one which stated "W Langley, G Joyce, R Helstrip, P Glitherow, J Hill; Joiners; Did most of the work April 28th 1904" and "This church was restored 1903 & 1904 by Mr Halliday, Stamford Builder" All these names have been identified in the 1901 census in Stamford or nearby village.

But the archaeologists found an even bigger surprise. The floor of the nave, aisles and transepts had been partly excavated by contractors when a heating system was installed in 1872. So it seemed that not much new archaeology would be discovered. But when they excavated the areas adjacent to the aisles walls, they uncovered the foundations of two very large stone walls. The current aisles walls are considered to be early thirteenth century. The newly discovered foundations must be for a much older set of walls. They were for a very large building, almost as large as the current church.



The photo shows the foundations parallel to the north aisle wall

A piece of Saxon pottery was found mixed in the lime mortar but dating the foundations is difficult. It is possible that it could be a very large, and thus important, Saxon church which was previously unknown. Once there is a clearer picture based on all the evidence, the Winterton All Saints story before the thirteenth century may have to be rewritten!

A hastily arranged viewing for interested residents took place and a large group of Winterton Junior School pupils came also as they had been studying archaeology this term.

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Prayer Meetings at Trinity Thursday 9.00am Prayer Room. Contact H. Northall 733679.

Knit & Natter at Cornerstone Tuesdays at 2.00pm. Contact V. Glenn.

Sunday 23 November 10.30am Morning Worship. Operation Christmas Child (Samaritan's Purse) Blessing of the Shoeboxes - Mr Mike Joyce.

Saturday 13 December 9am-1pm Children's Advent Workshop. at Trinity Methodist Church. A Churches Working Together Event suitable for children from Reception to the end of Year 6. Booking Forms From Mike Joyce Insurance, King St, Winterton.

Sunday 14 December 4.00pm Christingle Service at Trinity Methodist Church. Rev. Ian Coates and Rev. Alice Nunn

Sunday 21 Dec 10.30am Gift day and Carol Service at Trinity Methodist Church. Rev. Ian Coates. For our Gift day Appeal this year we are raising funds for Brigg Gateway Club.

Sunday 18 January 10.30am United Covenant and Christian Unity Service at Trinity Methodist Church. Rev. Ian Coates . Rev. Alice Nunn. Today we make our covenant promise together with our friends from All Saints.

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Disabled Club news

MONEY, MONEY AND MORE

It has been a very busy time at the Club during the last few months after we received a Big Lottery Awards for All grant amounting to £8230. This fantastic award covers all our transport costs, hall hires and volunteers expenses for a year. Needless to say that we have already put this to good use!

Our members have enjoyed a trip to Sewerby Hall and our forthcoming trips include going Christmas shopping at the White Rose Centre, Leeds and Boundary Mill Store, Sheffield. Our regular fortnightly assisted shopping trips continue providing a much needed service to our members who also have the opportunity to socialise during meals out.

Boccia equipment has been purchased and sessions are running alongside New Age Kurling. Both sports are easy to play and are very therapeutic, improving balance and co-ordination. Anyone can join us every Wednesday at the Community Pavilion 10am to 12noon. Cost £1 includes refreshments.

Thanks to a grant from the Concertina Charitable Trust we were able to put up a FREE CONCERT for people over 60. What a great attendance, with around 120 people



turning up on a rather miserable grey afternoon but no one cared once indoors at the Community Pavilion. Great musical entertainment was provided by Marlaina. Many thanks to all who were involved in setting up the room, preparing and serving refreshments and doing a mountain of washing up!

Our Make a Difference Day was well supported with 23 stalls. We are very grateful to Carole Harrison and the Community Pavilion committee for letting us borrow loads of tables to accommodate everyone.



It is well known that we do like to party at the Club and of course we could not let Beryl Greenway's 101st Birthday go without some kind of celebration. Thank you to Winterton Town Mayor,

Councillor Bob Bridge, for joining us on the day.

Christmas is fast approaching and it is time to party again! On the 2nd of December we have invited friends to join us to share a "Scottish Nostalgia" afternoon with Terry Richards. On the 16th of December our Christmas Party will be held at the Ingleby Arms in Amcotts.

Looking at next year, we will be organising another Charity Fair sometime in April. Keep up with news update on our website: www.wintertonclub.weebly.com

Nicki Mumby, Chair

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Friends and Family Test

Launched in April 2013, the Friends and Family Test (FFT) is an important feedback tool that supports the fundamental principle that people who use NHS services have the opportunity to provide feedback on their experience. The FFT question has been asked in all NHS inpatient and A&E departments across England since October 2013. In its first year, more than 2 million individual responses were given. It asks people if they would recommend the services they have used and offers a range of responses. When combined with a supplementary follow-up question, the FFT provides a mechanism to highlight both good and poor patient experience. From 1 December 2014, the FFT will be launched in GP practices and the Practice looks forward to receiving patient feedback through this mechanism to assist in shaping future care provision. The feedback gathered through the FFT is being used in NHS organisations across the country to stimulate local improvement and empower staff to carry out the kind of changes that make a real difference to patients and their care. More details will be available from the Practice shortly. Booking of Nurse appointments via Patient Partner Patients are able to book nurse appointments through the automated phone system 'Patient Partner' for the following conditions;

- Appointments with Nurse or Healthcare Assistant for the following: Smear, Vitamin B12 Injection, Depo Contraceptive Injection, Pneumococcal Injection, Ear Syringe, Blood Pressure, Blood Test, Asthma Review

When using this system, patients are asked to ensure that when booking a nurse appointment that they only book for the reasons listed on the system. For all other conditions please book appointments directly with a receptionist, either on the phone or in the surgery to ensure the correct clinician is booked.

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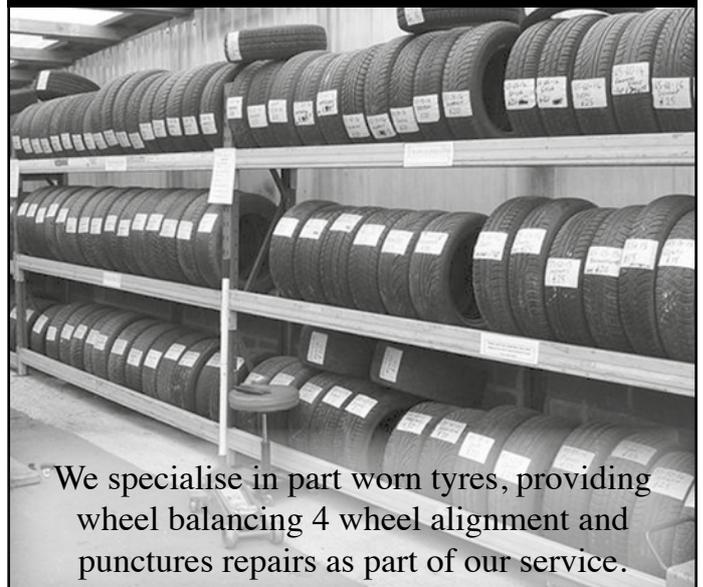
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Winterton 2022 update

Winterton 2022 is the Big Local programme for Winterton, funded by the Big Lottery. There is a lot happening, and a lot more planned!

Street Party – Late May Bank Holiday Weekend 2015. We'll be working with other organisations in the town to make this Street Party over the late May Bank Holiday weekend bigger and better than the ones we've had in previous years. Please get in touch if you'd like to help.

Four Apprentices for Winterton Companies. Winterton 2022 will be funding around half of the costs of up to four apprentices, to be based in Winterton. A partner will shortly be appointed to run this for us. Companies interested in registering should email us. If you are interested in being an apprentice, keep an eye on www.winterton2022.org.uk for further information.

£25,000 funding for Winterton Residents for North Lincolnshire Credit Union. Worried about debt, or need a loan? Winterton 2022 have allocated £25,000 for Winterton Residents are working with the North Lincolnshire Credit Union. This will be available shortly. Contact the Credit Union for confidential advice on becoming a member of the Credit Union, which gives eligibility to for loan applications - 01724 868888, 162, High Street, Scunthorpe, DN15 6EH. Loan applicants need to be savers with the Credit Union, but this only takes a small regular commitment.

Volunteers wanted. Winterton 2022 are keen to involve members of the community in the programme. Opportunities include:

- Getting involved in the May 2015 Street Party
- Assisting in marketing and promotion, including use of websites, and creating YouTube videos
- Getting involved in a number of planned projects that will include helping Winterton businesses expand, improving the environment, helping Winterton become a more cohesive community, and developing training opportunities for Winterton people.

Small Grants to Winterton organisations. We have a Small Grants Pot and provide grants of up to £500 to small organisations in the town. Successful applications so far include:

- Support to the Winterton Branch of the Leukaemia and Lymphoma Society who have an innovative programme for training young volunteers.



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- Organisations we have also given grants to include the Poirier Foundation, Winterton Rangers, the Winterton Hub Film Club and Winterton Branch Leukaemia & Lymphoma Group and Creative Digital?

Partnerships

Winterton 2022 is resident led, and we are keen to work in partnership with other organisations in the town. Two potential partnerships are now under discussion. We are able to contribute funding as part of an ongoing partnership where this ties in with our goals. We are particularly keen to support projects which:

- Proactively involves residents who are economically disadvantaged, including residents of Grangefields
- Creates opportunities for the unemployed in the town
- Provides training for unemployed people in the town

Work with businesses

We have had some feedback from businesses in the town that they would like some help with marketing. We will be organising a free training event with Marketing Expert Nicky Pattinson in the Spring 2015. We will be giving priority for Winterton businesses. If you would like to be kept informed about this event, please email us.

For further information on any of these items, please ring our Coordinator, Chris Ellerby on 01724 845155 or email winterton2022@gmail.com

Out 'n About in Winterton

We would welcome articles on any subject concerning Winterton (subject to normal editorial considerations). We will not publish anything sent to us anonymously. Any article is the opinion of the provider and in no way represents the feelings of any of the OAAIW editorial team.

Correspondence can be left at The "Cornerstone" on King Street addressed to the "Winterton Magazine" or email your articles to oaaiw@yahoo.co.uk

Further info from:

Estelle Mumby (Editor) / Nicki Mumby 733441
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