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Well, we've survived the winter, lighter nights are here at last and spring is round the corner. To celebrate the new season we are delighted to welcome a new, regular feature to the Burtonian - **Gardening with Gunther** - from our local gardening group PALS WITH TROWELS. Gardening tips and updates on the Community Orchard and more can be found on page 11. Happy gardening!!

We are also delighted to welcome several new advertisers in this edition which hopefully shows that the Burtonian is alive and well and attracting interest from near and far.

We would like to wish everyone a very Happy Easter, and remember, Easter Eggs on sale in the Village shop.

As always, we welcome any comment, suggestions and articles of local interest to fill our pages.

David & Marilyn

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Pavilion News

If you have visited the recreation ground recently you will have seen that the pavilion is now fitted with solar panels. This is the final phase of the build project which had to wait until enough money had been raised. About £6,000 of the £30,000 grant from Tau Solar has been used to pay for a 4kw panel array (similar to the maximum that can be installed on a house) and a 2kw battery. The money that had been collected by Burton Regeneration Group to pay for the panels will now support the other projects on the recreation ground.

The electricity produced by the panels can be used immediately or will charge the battery for later use. When the battery is already fully charged then any excess electricity produced will be exported to the National Grid.

The solar panels produce electricity which feeds the air source heat pump and that heats the water used in the showers and to feed the underfloor heating pipes. Since the solar panels went live we have been taking daily meter readings to check its effect. We have seen a reduction in grid power used to produce the same amount of heat because of the power coming from the panels. As the daylight hours increase we expect that we will start to produce more electricity than we use but we will continue to check the meter readings to prove if that is true.

More importantly we now have a warm pavilion that is available for you to use. The social room is ideally suited for a children's party or a big family gathering. There is plenty of parking available and also access to the children's play equipment which is being upgraded. The replacement swings are in use and an exciting new climbing system called a Spider Climber will be ready in early April.

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		DATES FOR YOUR DIARY				
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12 th Apl	19:30	Dominoes	12			
14 th Apl	10:00	Visiting team of bell ringers will ring the All Saints' bells				
14 th Apl	10:30	All Saints Coffee Morning / Village Hall				
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21 st May	17:00	Ingleborough Archeology Group	18			
24 th May	19:30	Parish Council Meeting / Village Hall				
26 th May—	28 th May		Self guided Walks between anglican churches in the			
		Ingleborough team ministry				
26 th May—	28 th May	Heritage group display in All Saints church				
41-		 see notices around the village 				
27 th May	15:00	Service of Thanksgiving and Commemorat				
		the laying of the foundation stone of All Sa	aints' church			
7 th Jun	10.20	Durkon MI				
9 th Jun	19:30	Burton WI	27			
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We are intending get this diary onto the Village website within the next few weeks so it will (hopefully) always be up to date. Keep an eye on **www.burton-in-lonsdale.net** for up to date information about events in the Village.

Regular Events			
Wednesday	21:00	Punchbowl	Pub Quiz (every two weeks)
Every Tuesday	10:00	Village Hall	Table Tennis
Every Thursday	10:00	Village Hall	Table Tennis
1 st Sunday in the month		Village Hall	Folk Night

Clapham Art Group Annual Exhibition

Clapham Art Group, which comprises practising and experienced artists, will be holding their annual exhibition this spring.

The group was started in 1949 by Peggy MacDonald, an RA trained artist, and Cyril Harrington, Head of Art at Giggleswick School. It still thrives, meeting weekly to take the time to paint, share ideas, critique and exploring new techniques.

Each year members produce new and original work in a variety of media. In addition to fully framed work there are sketches, mounted pictures and cards to buy.

Members of Clapham Art Group are holding their annual exhibition at:

The Village Hall, Clapham, North Yorkshire LA2 8DZ

Preview: Friday May 25th at 8.00pm

Open Daily: 11am – 6pm from Saturday May 26th to Sunday June 3th inclusive

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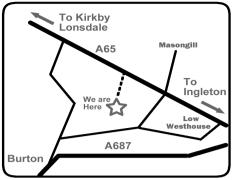
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Entry forms will be available from Sue Gregory, Mark Christie, the village shop or from Bentham Beagles. Prices are low, just £3 adult, £1.50 kids, £8 family of four. So come and enjoy a fun day set to music and in good company. Enquiries:

markchristie101@outlook.com; or Sue via bilparishcouncil@btinternet.com or talk to Diane or Janet at the Beagles.

Boot Camp Circuits

Outdoor boot camp circuits at Rec Ground starting 18th April Weds 7-8pm for 6 weeks. Enquiries: Mark 64879. Just £25 for 6 sessions. Great value!!! Resistance training, grass running drills and more. Come and join a very sociable group of exercisers, from teens upwards!

Archery Taster Day Sun May 13th 11-2pm

Come & try archery with Lonsdale Archers. Three one hour slots with a max of 8 people per slot. Minimum age 9 years. £12pp or £20 for two from same family. You will be introduced to the sport, club, basic safety issues and have a minimum of 45 minutes shooting time. Who can pop the balloons first in the fun competition at the

end? Enquiries: Mark 64879 or 07843 187744 or markchristie101@outlook.com

Advanced booking recommended as limited places.

Archery Beginner Course Sun June 10th & 17th 1-4.30pm

A seven hour course introducing you to the sport, basic techniques and a competency certificate which will mean you can join any club in the country. £50pp (juniors under 18 £35pp). Discount if you have been to the taster day (above) or for two from same family unit. All equipment provided. You will learn about range safety, setting up the range, how to string a bow, barebow and freestyle techniques, see a longbow demonstration, and enjoy some fun games as well as a friendly competition at the end. Certificates provided for all those completing and a medal. Ages 9+

markchristie101@outlook.com or message us at our Facebook page. Advanced booking recommended as limited places (8 max).

Burton-in-Lonsdale Bowling Club

The new season starts at the beginning of April (weather permitting). The Club would welcome anyone who would like to try their hand at Crown Green Bowling. We play in three league teams, friendly matches with other local Clubs are played on some Saturday afternoons at 1:30pm and Club afternoons are Wednesday and Friday at 2pm. Bowling is a sport suited to all ages providing a balanced exercise with good company. See you on the Green!. Contact John Mason Tel: 015242 61919.

Jane Burns

Do twins ever realize that one of them is unplanned?

Burton-in Lonsdale WI invited Tony Bennett back for our February meeting. Last year he came with Genevieve Hurst who spoke about acupuncture and the principles of Chinese medicine. Tony told us how Tai Chi, an ancient art, can benefit all the organ systems of the body. As well as its involvement in martial arts, it focuses predominantly on maintaining mobility of the joints in a gentle manner. He described the nurturing effects of the movements which promote energy flow so important for mental and physical health. Although stillness and movement seem opposed they are both incorporated in the practice of Tai Chi. Tony showed us simple movements which everyone joined in. Some of these help align the body, strengthening balance and demanding relaxation. He also read poems describing how people feel when performing Tai Chi exercises. One session was not really long enough to experience long-term benefits but everybody enjoyed doing something a bit different.

On March 1st Helen Jarvis, a retired primary head teacher regaled us with stories about her time in education, in a talk entitled 'History of the Blackboard'. Sue Thompson

Burton Parish Planning Team

Notice is hereby given that a meeting to dissolve the Parish Planning Team will be held Tuesday 1st May 7pm Village Hall All Welcome



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PEACE

One hundred years ago, the chances are that one of your relatives was away fighting or was otherwise involved in the First World War. As well as the dreadful losses, the First World War changed people, Britain – and the world – profoundly. Its legacy is still with us; and it's hard to think what might have been, if it had never happened.



The Centenary of the Armistice marking the end of hostilities is on Sunday, 11th November 2018. **Burton in Lonsdale** will commemorate and remember the end of the war, the many millions who were killed, came home dreadfully wounded or were otherwise affected by it, through a series of coordinated events over the whole weekend.

Events include an appropriate film, a heritage soccer match, a concert, remembrance service and exhibition. At 7pm on Sunday, the bells will ring out and a beacon lit on Castle Hill will be part of a chain connecting the whole country in that moment of time.

After that, a hot supper and a sing-song are planned. Mark the date – 10th & 11th November 2018 - more details will be supplied in due course.

As well as joining your neighbours at one or more (or all) of these events, there will be opportunities to participate directly. We will need village people to contribute – so keep an eye open for announcements in the Burtonian and elsewhere.

FIRSTLY - if you have any memorabilia from WW1 that you would be happy to exhibit, particularly (but not exclusively) if it relates to Burton and the local area, those organising the exhibition would like to hear from you *as soon as possible*. Items might include things that were used at the time, at home as well as by service personnel, photographs, documents and medals or awards. Please contact Julie Clarke now on **63263** or by email to juliegc22@gmail.com

If you are interested in or have a question about the weekend in general, please email mike.biles1@btinternet.com

Mike Biles

Look out for the burial cross of Cpl Kettlewell which is in All Saints' Church on the following website

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Pancakes in the Village Hall

On Shrove Tuesday the congregation of All Saints made pancakes in the Village Hall for our friends and neighbours in the village.

Thank you to those who generously donated, £141.30 was raised for the Children's Society.

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GARDEN WITH GUNTHER

Welcome to this new Burtonian page brought to you by Burton's gardening group 'Pals with Trowels' and Gunther, their Mascot. We aim to keep you in the picture with progress on the new orchard, offer seasonal tips from the professionals and much more.



First the orchard: After a great deal of hefty ground clearance you will have noticed planting has started. The aim is to have a variety of apple trees plus two or three damson. We also intend to buy two circular picnic tables that will each seat 8 people and when established, this lovely area by the river will be somewhere to meet up, take a picnic or just sit and relax.

Tasks for April and May from our local gardening guru David Thornber:

APRIL:

- Keep weeds under control now as this will help no end when summer arrives they will not have a head start and become troublesome.
- Feed all roses with bonemeal, well rotted manure or the contents of your compost bins leaving room for this season's grass clippings etc. Also tie in climbing roses.
- Sow herb and wildflower seeds outdoors, divide hostas before they come into leaf and divide primroses after flowering.
- Plant out summer bulbs such as lilies and gladioli. Prune forsythia when the flowering display has finished, cutting back to strong new shoots. On mature plants you can reduce the size of the shrub by a third.
- Trim winter flowering heathers to keep them compact and healthy and finally keep control of slugs and snails as there will be a lot of tender new shoots for them to snack on.

MAY:

- Plant out young sweet peas but wait until the end of the month for the summer bedding.
- Start applications of fertilisers to lawns and possibly weedkillers if you have a problem with dandelions, clover etc.
- Support your taller perennials that are prone to falling over and also check out for greenfly as these can be easily controlled now rather than cause a big problem in June or July.
- You can plant out vegetable plugs now courgettes, etc but keep some horticultural fleece handy because of the risk of late frosts.
- Clip evergreen hedges such as yew and box but check for nesting birds before you start.

Date for your diary: We will be holding a fundraising plant and book sale at the village hall on **9**th **June** and would be grateful for donations of any surplus plants or books you can spare.

Pals with Trowels meet in the Punchbowl the first Tuesday of the month, 8pm, new members always welcome.

Happy gardening, Gunther.

All Saints' Church News

Sunday Services in February and March and Christmas

April	1st	Easter Sunday 8 am (Holy Communion)		
		11 am (Morning Prayer)		
April	8th	11 am (Holy Communion)		
April	15th	8 am (Holy Communion), 11 am (Morning Worship)		
April	22nd	11 am (Holy Communion)		
April	29 th	11 am (Holy Communion)		
May	6th	8 am (Holy Communion) and 11 am (Morning Prayer)		
May	13th	11.00 am (Holy Communion)		
May	10 th	Ascension Day 7.30 pm St Leonard's Chapel le Dale		
May	20th	8 am (Holy Communion) and 11 am (Morning Worship)		
May	27th	11 am (Holy Communion) and 3.00 pm?		

Other Services and Events in April and May

Stay and Play, our group for pre-school children (with parent or guardian) meets on Thursdays in the Church Room from 10 am until about 12 noon. There will be a half-term break on 24th and 31st May. New families are always very welcome. There are toys and other things to entertain the children and tea, coffee and chat for the adults. For further information e-mail Ann on elizabethwhitworth@btinternet.com.

The **Ascension Day** Service, on Thursday 10th May, for the Ingleborough Team of churches will be held at St Leonard's at 7.30 pm.

On Sunday 27th May, at 3 pm the Bishop of Leeds, the Rt Rev Nick Baines, will lead us in a service to commemorate the 150th anniversary of laying the foundation stone of All Saints Church. All are welcome to join us.

Bank Holiday weekend, 26th – 28th May. All the Anglican churches in the Ingleborough team will be hosting walkers who wish to walk, cycle, run or drive between the 5 churches (or just between 2 or 3 churches for the less energetic). There will be hosts and refreshments at each church. Further details and maps will be available at each church throughout the weekend.

Each Friday morning we normally meet at 10 am in the Church Vestry for a short simple time of **Prayers for the Parish**. Do feel free to join us for about 30 minutes.

Best wishes,

Catherine and Christine, Church Wardens at All Saints

f you replace "W" with "T" in "What, Where and When", you get the answer to each of them.

And from Vicar Denis ...

When my friend Pete died I hadn't seen him for some years. We had been close but the years had gone by and we had drifted apart as we did different things in life. Pete was really an intellectual and had a problem when I became a Christian. In particular he could not reconcile the existence of God with the problem of suffering in the world. He was not the first nor will he be the last to have this thought.

Studdart Kennedy (or Woodbine Willie as he was known in the Trenches of World War One) was once asked by a wounded soldier what kind of a God would allow so much suffering. In reply he took a crucifix from his pocket and showed it to the man. When he had gazed upon it for a while he said, "Yes I understand it now".

We know that Jesus died on the cross on Good Friday at Easter time but do you know why? Well Jesus, if He were to be the Saviour of all, had to experience in Himself every suffering, including grief that a person could suffer. In no other way could He become your Saviour.

When Jesus was hanging on the Cross He shouted out, "My God, My God why have you forsaken me". At that moment He was bearing in Himself all the wrongdoing and suffering of the world including yours and mine. Wrongdoing and grief and suffering had shut Him out from everybody and everything including God Himself. He felt utterly alone in His isolation and all around seemed darkness. Indeed there are no feelings we can experience in life that He hasn't experienced as well. He knows the joy and the happiness but also the darkness and the loneliness. However deeply we may enter into the world's darkness, loneliness and grief we can never reach a level where he has not already been.

We may never know the answer to every question but like that soldier a hundred years ago we need to look to Jesus (possibly in a picture or crucifix). For it is there, supremely, where you can find help and strength in your hour of need. He knows you, He loves you, He understands.

If you have been brought to the place of a Cross in your own life, put your hand in His. He will lead you through any time of suffering and loss into the joy of His resurrection. For some you might feel that you are having a Good Friday experience but remember, Easter Sunday is coming!

As the old hymn puts it:-

Jesus Christ is risen today,
Our triumphant holy day,
Who did once upon the Cross,
Suffer to redeem our loss, Alleluia!

With my prayers and good wishes from your vicar - Denis.

North Yorkshire Now

The newsletter for North Yorkshire residents

The email from NYCC has changed format and you really need to go to the website to get the full information. *GoTo* www.northyorks.gov.uk/e-newsletter

However, here are the headlines to whet your appetite.

You can also follow the council on Twitter and Facebook.

FEBRUARY 2018

The County Council's Executive has recommended a package of budget savings to address the challenges ahead and to seek to protect frontline services.

We're looking for people to deliver life-changing care. If you or someone you know is interested in working in adult social care, let us hear from you.

Volunteers who have helped libraries to thrive have been thanked and praised for their achievements in a series of events.

Government figures show that students in county schools have again performed highly in GCSE and A-levels.

The latest contract in our Superfast North Yorkshire project means better broadband for 14,000 more premises.

Kindness is explored in a partnership between the county's libraries and performance poet Andy Craven-Griffiths.

We're funding a project to help to tackle the stigma associated with mental ill health.

We're supporting a campaign to help parents to cut their children's sugar intake.

An adults' exercise group in Masham is fighting fit thanks to help from our Stronger Communities.

MARCH 2018

We worked hard with our partners and the people of North Yorkshire to keep the county moving and vital services running during last week's severe snow.

Britain's four major mobile phone operators and the county council have pledged to work together to improve mobile coverage across the county.

A new collection of books will be available in North Yorkshire libraries to celebrate World Autism Awareness Week.

Not all heroes wear capes, but there are people making care matter and changing lives daily.

With Easter just weeks away, gardeners are being offered the chance to start home composting at a bargain price.

We are planning our spring season of road repairs to tackle the ravages of winter.

Fostering North Yorkshire is looking for exceptional people to join its team of carers.

Spring is in sight, so enjoy visiting open farms, but stay safe by following some simple steps.

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VILLAGE CRICKET MATCH

Update.

After recently putting out a circular about the match the date of the match has been changed from the Saturday to the Sunday and therefore it is now:

SUNDAY 22nd. JULY with a 2.00 start time. If there is enough interest we still hope to hold a short junior match that will start at 1.30.

So please put this revised date in your diary.

We hope that it will be well supported and attended. Anyone who wants to participate / help out then please contact either Mike and Mark.

What could be better than a cricket match on a warm Sunday afternoon in the middle of the summer in the village.

PS - after checking the long range weather forecast for that day looks great!!

NB more information will follow in the future.

Mike Illsley

BURTON IN LONSDALE FILM NIGHT

There will be 3 more films in the current season of the Film Nights, with a break for July and August, the Autumn/Winter season beginning again in September. At the recent showing of Victoria and Abdul a short questionnaire was handed out in the hope of gathering your views and preferences for future films but we have had limited response to this. If anyone would like to submit their observations we would very much like to have them, otherwise do we assume that you are happy for us to select future films for your enjoyment or otherwise? The next 3 films are:-

Tuesday 10 April – SULLY – The true story of Chesley Sullenberger, an American pilot who became a hero after landing his damaged plane on the Hudson river in order to save the flight's passengers and crew, and the events which ensued. With Tom Hanks as Sully, directed by Clint Eastwood.

Tuesday 8 May – FILM STARS DON'T DIE IN LIVERPOOL – The tragic life of Hollywood superstar, Gloria Grahame, who refused to bow to Hollywood sexism and was driven out as a result. This film chronicles her finding love and a second life with a chaotic Liverpool family. Nominated for 3 BAFTAS, it stars Jamie Bell, Annette Benning, Julie Walters and a well known cast of classic actors.

Tuesday 12 June – STEPPING OUT – A much loved American musical comedy starring Lisa Minnelli, Shelley Winters and Julie Walters (again).

Doors open 7pm for start at 7.30pm. Entrance fee as usual is £5 with refreshments on sale during the evening.

Any comments or requests can be emailed, marked 'film night' to :-

sandgrowngirl53@gmail.com

Marilyn, Peter and Marion

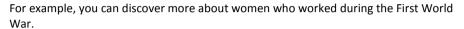
WomensWork100

As part of the First World War Centenary, this project covers the work women did during that time.

The website is ...

https://mailchi.mp/iwm/september-update-429010? e=5e07025565

and is well worth a look.



Queen Marie of Romania undertook an active role that would soon transform her into a role model. The Queen devoted all her energy to the war effort, tirelessly visiting camp hospitals, setting up relief schemes, attending military and civilian ceremonies and raising money for the wounded, war prisoners and widows.

Käthe Buchler was a German photographer whose work offers us a fascinating window into the lives of ordinary Germans living and working away from the front lines.

She photographed orphaned children and wounded troops, Germans at work and at leisure – including a fascinating series made late in the war entitled Women in Men's Jobs.

There were many remarkable women who lived and worked during the First World War, but it's worth remembering that many women had jobs before the war.

At the turn of the twentieth century, 32 per cent of British women were in paid employment.

You can read about 16 women who worked in public service during the period of the First World War

For those eagle eyed Burtonians who saw the pink skip outside church at the end of January: we have cleared out three store rooms in church and nothing of value or historical interest has been thrown away! If you saw hymnbooks or materials they were rain damaged and mouldy and could not be saved. Come into church on our Anniversary weekend at the end of May and see some of the objects we have found! *Christine & Cathy.*

Sunday 8 April, Clapham Village Hall, 10am-4pm. Book Fair. Good quality used, antiquarian and out-of-print books - also classical CDs. Pete Fry 015395 35125.

Edward Huddleston

100 years ago everyone owned a horse and only the rich had cars. Today everyone has cars and only the rich own horses.

If poison expires is it more poisonous or is it no longer poisonous?



Hornby Pool

Lancashire County Council Cabinet formally approve Community Asset Transfer.(CAT)

As you probably are all aware Lancaster City Council made a decision to stop operating the Hornby pool from 31 March 2017..

Lune Valley Community Society was immediately formed to negotiate with Lancashire County Council an agreement to run the pool for the benefit of the community.

After a great deal of hard work, discussion and submissions Lancashire County Council agreed on the 8th March 2018 to transfer the pool to Lune Valley Community Society Ltd .

A one-off sum of £27,000 will be paid to LVCS in order to support the transition and help contribute to necessary technical, legal and set-up costs.

This means that LVCS can now officially move to re-open the pool when all CAT administration procedures are completed.

And the provisional new opening date is scheduled for the weekend of 6/7/8th April.

This will enable those schools who are able to do so to return in the new term. However because of uncertainty surrounding the actual transfer date decision, some schools have had to make other arrangements and although very keen to support they cannot immediately guarantee to return-just yet.

This is understandable but it does mean that we have to attract as many other users as possible from the Lune Valley community in order to meet revenue targets.

We welcome enquiries from clubs, societies, groups and PTAs etc. We are totally open to ideas so please come along and help us get the pool up and running.

It is claimed that swimming (and related activities) is the No 1 participation sport/activity in the country by family members on a weekly basis throughout the year.

So whatever your motivation it's going to take a lot of enthusiasm, positive support and financial contributions from us all to achieve lasting success.

In the meantime your small LVCS committee have not been idle and we have a team of volunteers standing by to spring clean the building and effect essential cosmetic improvements the minute we get the keys. We have also interviewed suitably qualified and experienced management, technical, life guards and teaching staff and volunteers and look forward to a long and successful future for the 'family- friendly' Lune Valley Community Pool.

Thank you again for all your support and encouragement. It's your pool and it couldn't have been done without you!

Ingleborough Archaeology Group Meets 7.30 Ingleton Community Centre

Monday 16 April Nigel Neil Whalley Abbey

Monday 21 May A walk around Whalley Abbey led by Nigel Neil an expert on the history of the Abbey. Meet Ingleton Community Centre 5.00pm or at the Abbey at 6.00pm.

If 2/2/22 falls on a Tuesday, we'll just call it "2's Day". (It does fall on a Tuesday)

Ewecross Historical Society

Meets 7.30 pm Methodist Church, Station Road, Bentham visitors welcome.

Monday 30th April AGM details to be announced - see shop noticeboard

Local Elections 2018- On Thursday 3rd May you will be asked to vote for your local council representatives. All eleven seats on Bentham Town Council, seven seats on Burton Parish Council and one of the two Bentham Ward seats on Craven District Council are due to be elected. If you want to influence who represents you in Local Government, then you need to make sure you are registered to vote. If you think you could do a better job yourself, then this is your opportunity to prove it by standing for election.

So how does it work? If you are already registered to vote, your name will be on the electoral roll and you will automatically receive a voting card in the post. If not, you have until 17 April to register and can do it online at www.gov.uk/register-to-vote

Fill in your name, address, date of birth and a few other details. You'll also need your national insurance number, which can be found on your national insurance card, or in official paperwork such as payslips, or letters about benefits or tax credits.

Look out for a confirmation to say you're registered.

If you know you will be unable to vote at the polling station you can request a postal vote. You will need to complete a <u>Postal Vote Application Form</u> and you do not need to give a reason.

Return it to the Electoral Registration Office, Craven District Council, 1 Belle Vue Square, Broughton Road, Skipton, BD23 1FJ no later than 5pm on 18 April 2018. You will then receive your ballot paper by post and can return it any time up to the end of voting on 3 May 2018.

If you want to stand as a candidate you need to move quickly but there is still time. The deadline for candidates to submit their nomination papers is at 4pm on Friday 6th April 2018.

More information is available athttps://www.cravendc.gov.uk/elections-voting-democracy/electoral-services/

Diary date: Sunday 27th and Monday 28th May.

Clearbeck Garden, Mewith Lane, Tatham, LA28PJ open for the National Gardens Scheme, 11.00 am to 5.00 pm .Admission £ 4.00. Children free.

Plant stall. Light refreshments provided by Bentham branch of the NSPCC.

Signed from Wray, Wennington and Low Bentham.

The garden is also opens on Sundays June 24th and July 1st

A new scrape has been dug in the wildlife area near the Lake. We hope it will increase the diversity of wild life in 2018.

Many Thanks Bronwen & Peter Osborne

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Are Village Ladies
Cake Bakers
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Animal Lovers
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Craft Workers
Flower Arrangers
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and, of course
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(with acknowledgements to Leck Primary School)

Why is the letter W, in English, called dou-

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why is the letter W, in English, called double V? ble U? Shouldn't it be called double V?

Maybe oxygen is slowly killing you and it just takes 75-100 years to fully work.

Every time you clean something, you just make something else dirty.

Settle Photographic Group

www.settlephotos.org

Monday 2 April 2018

No Meeting -It's Easter

Monday 16 April 2018 19.30

Townhead Court, Settle

AGM

Gallery: Bricks and Mortar

Tuesday 17 April 2018

Visit – RSPB Silverdale – in the morning

The RSPB reserve at Silverdale is a popular spot for bird-watching and photography. There are a number of hides which are readily accessible, and an excellent café for when the excitement gets to be too much.

Monday 21 May 2018 19.30

Townhead Court, Settle

It's all in the Planning

SPG member John Cooper-Smith is well known in the Group and around the country for his superb railway photography. Tonight he will talk about aspects of planning his shots using methods and ideas which can be applied to all sorts of photography, not just railways.

Gallery: Spring has Sprung.

Friday 25 May 2018 – in the afternoon

Visit - Bluebells at Feizor

The bluebells at Feizor are one of the 'local wonders of the world', and people travel miles to see them. For those who need sustenance before setting forth, there is the excellent Elaine's tearoom.

See our website for further details.

Police Information from PC Barbara Parsons

You can report safety issues under speed concerns on - www.roadwise.co.uk.

If anyone would like to sign up to Craven Community messaging then please visit - www.northyorkshirecommunitymessaging.org

If you need help, call North Yorkshire Police on 999 in an emergency or 101 for nonemergencies



Settle Stories Festival

6 - 8 April 2018

1 weekend, 1 Dales Market Town, 70+ events

Settle will become a stage for international artists at the 7th Settle Stories Festival.

At the heart of this years programme are artists who are more likely to be spotted at the Barbican, Southbank Centre and other prestigious world stages. What makes this years Settle Stories Festival different? It's immersive and uses new technology to make your festival experience more exciting than ever before. With 70+ events in just one weekend,

lets take a look at some

highlights:

Log in to the Settle Stories Festival and play Wi-Fi Wars, a live comedy game show where you play along on your smartphone. This Guiness World record breaking game is hosted by Steve McNeil - Team Captain on Dara O Briain's Go 8 Bit.

From 21st century fun to a story that has stood the test of time... A



Midsummer Night's Dream will be shown in Settle's newest venue, the Joinery.

For those with a passion for politics, 2 Magpies Theatre present *Last Resort*. The show tells the story of an alternative future for Guantanamo Bay.

As ever there is plenty for families. You won't be able to miss the 50 ft inflatable Whale in the Marketplace. Step inside its belly to enjoy free interactive storytelling.

Another family highlight - *The Queen & the Jester* tells the sorry tale of a Queen obsessed with the notion of love. Don't miss *The Hip Hop Griot* either, a fusion of hip hop and storytelling all the way from Sierra Leone. For really little ones there's a *Teddy Bears Picnic* and *Little Man Jack*, stories from Jack and the Beanstalk.

Check out the full 70+ events online at settlestories.org.uk or call the box office 05603 845693

If you rip a hole in a net, there are actually fewer holes in it than there were before

Which letter is silent in the word "Scent," the S or the C?

Many animals probably need glasses, but nobody knows it.

THE VILLAGE SHOP!

With Easter upon us we are well stocked with all the basics you need, along with some really great offers this month.

Remember we have freshly baked croissant every Saturday and Sunday, and also have some lovely speciality jams if you want a little treat over the holiday weekend.

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Service 80 81

Lancaster	Bus Station	10:08	12:08	14:08	17:15
Hornby	Wenning Stores	10:41	12:41	14:41	17:51
Bentham	ntham Con. Club		13:02	15:02	18:02
Burton	High Street	11:11	13:11	15:11	18:21
Ingleton	Comm Centre	11:21	13:21	15:21	18:31
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Ingleton	Comm Centre	06:55	09:00	11:25	13:25
Burton	High Street	07:04	09:09	11:34	13:34
Bentham	Con. Club	07:13	09:18	11:43	13:43
Hornby	ornby Institute		09:37	12:02	14:02
Lancaster	Bus Station	08:20	10:15	12:40	14:40

Monday to Saturday (excluding public holidays)

see the full timetable at: https://bustimes.org/services/80-lancaster-ingleton

Also see the article on page 25 about the Taxi Bus

Is this gambling or investing?

From our local reporter

You may remember some years ago, when houses were difficult to sell, there was a move by a number of enterprising individuals to organise private raffles to sell their houses. It was possible to buy a raffle ticket for £5 or less and win a house worth up to £500,000. The Gambling Commission stopped these raffles as they contravened the Gaming Act. That act has now been superseded by the Gambling Act and it seems there are loopholes in the new act which are being exploited by a few ingenious people who are seeking to raffle their houses quite legally.

One such couple, desperate to sell their house in Kirkby Lonsdale, have checked out the relevant legislation and are raffling their £330,000 house. They have been very careful to abide by the law and so cannot advertise the raffle, word of mouth is the only publicity they are allowed. They can only sell the tickets themselves, may not sell them on commercial premises and may only sell 50 tickets in each location they choose. At the time of going to press they have sold their allocation in Settle, Clapham, Keasden, Ingleton and Bentham. Other sites are being targeted over the next few weeks, Burton in Lonsdale being one of them.

We cannot confirm this but it is believed that tickets will be available outside the Village Shop between 10:00 am and noon on Easter Sunday. We understand that tickets are restricted to one per person and are £5 each.



The children and staff at **Leck St Peter's CE School** celebrated World Book Day recently by coming to school dressed as their favourite book character.

We feel that World Book Day gives the children a great opportunity to be excited about what they are reading and try different books that they wouldn't usually read.

The children made fact files about the character they dressed up as, took part in a scavenger book hunt and younger

children made some tasty treats from the Gruffalo Cook Book! A great day was had by all and we can't wait 'til next World Book Day!

Annual Parish Meeting

Thursday 19th April at 7:30 pm in the Village Hall.

The year's Annual Parish Meeting is the time for local residents to hear reports from all Burton's organisations.

And for residents to discuss any issues of importance to the village as a whole.

Come along and have your say.

The Rotary Club of Lunesdale

On Thursday 8th March the speaker at the meeting was District Governor Larry Branyon. During his year of office he will visit every Rotary Club in District 1190 and will update his fellow Rotarians with all that is happening within this District. It was good to hear about the activities in other clubs in our District and the different ways in which they all contribute in positive ways to make improvements within their local communities.

The Cake & Craft sale on Saturday 10th March was very successful. Cakes of every size and flavour were available to buy plus a variety of craft items, raising over £1,000 for a number of charities. A selection of homemade delicious soups and bread made by the Girl Guide Leader Jane Sutton and her helpers was enjoyed by lots of customers at lunch time. The event also provided an opportunity for meeting up with friends, networking and simply to enjoy a pleasant social occasion. Thanks to everyone who took part in some way to help several local charities.

On 15th March several members travelled to the Lakes Distillery for a tour of the company followed by a meal before returning home.

The crocus corms planted by the club in 2016 in Jubilee Park, Kirkby Lonsdale once again provided s stunning display in a glorious purple colour. The all purple colour was chosen deliberately as a reminder that it is the dye colour put on a child's finger to show that he/she has been vaccinated against the disease of polio. We hope that many locals and visitors to Kirkby Lonsdale, taking a walk through the park, will have seen and enjoyed the lovely display. You can also see the display on the club web-

site www.lunesdalerotary.org.uk

If you are interested in finding out more about the RotaryClub of Lunesdale then please Tel 015242 73166

Lilian Barton

A group of local people have been working with the NYCC Stronger Communities Delivery Manager to consider how to improve local transport options.

A residents survey showed that the North Craven Taxi Bus is an underused resource. The group have worked with NYCC to improve take up of the bus.

North Craven Taxi Bus

A door to door wheelchair accessible service operating across the area

shown on the map. Monday to Friday 09:00—14:30



OFFER: 50% reduced fares on journeys within 1.5 miles of the centres of Ingleton, High Bentham and Clapham, 09 April—09 July (down to £4 for a return journey or £2 with a concessionary pass).

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Email: passenger.transport@northyorks.gov.uk

Village Gala

There will not be village Gala, much as we all enjoyed them in the past. We set up 2 meetings asking for volunteers and no one came forward to help.

Village Hall

Not much news on the Hall. The AGM will be held on the 1st May at 7.45 for 8pm in the Hall. All Villagers are invited to attend.

The Regular events are mentioned elsewhere in this Burtonian. The Talking Heads event was well supported, as are the film nights. Please tell the film committee what films you would like them to show.

The Proposed upgrades to the hall are on hold as the architectural students have other projects ongoing.

Big Burton Bake off is back this year by a few requests. The date will be published in the next Burtonian, so get the cake recipes out to try before the event.

North Craven Register

A register of all of the 223 organisations, regular events, venues, transport providers and classes in the Ingleton, Bentham, and Burton area has been compiled. This will soon be ready on line and in paper format in libraries and other public locations. An index is included, enabling you to look up pastimes, coffee mornings, keep fit classes etc. This is grant funded by the Stronger communities organisation.

Emergency planning

The village Emergency plan will be added on to the village website in entirety. No requests for name removals have been received.

Andy Ive

Bentham Film Group

On **Friday 20th April** Bentham Film Group will be showing the film **'Goodbye Christo-pher Robin'** (Cert PG) in Bentham Town Hall.

This is a 2017 British biographical drama with a behind-the-scenes look at the life of author A.A. Milne (played by Domhnall Gleeson) and the creation of the Winnie the Pooh stories inspired by his son Christopher (played by both Will Tilston and Alex Lawther).

Against the backdrop of two World Wars, "Blue" (A.A.Milne's nickname) creates his successful stories at his house in the country, making them up as he takes his young son for walks in the woods. However, on a personal level, problems soon start to arise.

As usual, the film starts at 8pm and tickets cost £5 on the door.

There will be a raffle and refreshments in the interval.

Please note that we won't be showing a film in May.

Stella Hall

Are you nervous about going to the dentist?

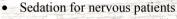
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BURTON W.I.

We meet on the first Thursday of every month at 7.30pm in the village hall. New members and visitors are very welcome - and we always end the meeting with refreshments and the chance to get to know each other.

5 April

'The History of the Blackboard', by Helen Jarvis, a retired headteacher. An amusing talk by a former headmistress at Threshfield primary school.

Hostesses: Jennifer Sedgwick & Heather Watts.

3 May

Resolutions meeting.

Hostesses: Sue Bibby & Louise Ghafoor.

18 May – Group Rally with supper followed by entertainment in Austwick.

7 June

Julie Ashworth and her dog on Hearing Dogs. (in aid of the Hearing Dogs charity).

Hostesses: Margaret & Elizabeth Owen.

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