

# The Yealands

## News for Conyers, Redmayne and Storrs June 2016

### Royal Party on the Park

Join us to celebrate Her Majesty the Queen's 90th Birthday

The Green at Yealand Redmayne, Sunday June 12th  
2.00pm - 5.00pm

Bring along a blanket, your picnic and anything you want to drink

Available will be an ice cream stall, sweet stall and games for the children

Everyone welcome - the more the merrier

NB please note this event is weather permitting and will not be held if it rains

Any queries contact Alison on 782507

### Redmayne PC

Chris Kennedy attended the Annual Parish Council Meeting of Yealand Redmayne on 5 May. He outlined the work being done at Birch Cottage, Prospect House. The building has dual registration as a School and also a Care Home for a maximum of three children, aged between 10 and 17, at which point they are not eligible to stay there. The Ofsted number is SC 42 11 97, and up to date reports are available online.

Currently there are two children there, with another being assessed for suitability reside. Chris has said if anyone wishes to come along to meet him or see what goes on, they would be welcome. Anyone wanting to make a visit should contact the Parish Clerk on 07837 193990, who will make arrangements with Chris.

### At the village hall

Coffee Stop is held every Monday at the village hall, and supports YN. As an extra, on the 13th June, Coffee Stop will incorporate a Cakes and Plants sale for NRAS (National Rheumatoid Arthritis Society). 10.00 - 12.00. Please bring any plants you have to spare.

### Vacancy for a clerk

Yealand Conyers Parish Council are seeking to appoint a new Clerk to the Council.

The post is part time, with hours to be worked flexibly (an average of three hours per week). There are a minimum of six council meetings annually, held in the evening. There are additional meetings during the year, which the Clerk will be required to attend. The Applicant will be required to work from home.

The successful candidate is required to be computer literate and should have good communication, literacy, administration and financial skills.

The applicant should be prepared to undergo further training at locations outside the vicinity .

Applications must be received by 24.06 2016, supported by a C.V. which should explain how the applicant meets the job description. The applicant should supply contact details of two referees.

Further information and job description, and applications to Cllr. Hancock, 21, Yealand Rd, YC LA5 9SG  
dawn@yealand.demon.co.uk 01524 730223

### Leighton Moss

Birdsong for Beginners. Sunday 19th June 7.30-10am

Join Andy Chapman on this informative wildlife walk. Learn more about different bird songs in the woodland and around the reedbeds, get tips on identification and advice about wildlife watching. Afterwards enjoy a bacon or veggie sausage bap and tea or coffee. Booking 01524 701601 and payment in advance essential. No experience necessary. Cost £15 (RSPB members £12). Meet in The Holt next to the garden.

## St John's church

Congratulation to the 50/50 Club winners in April - Jim Jarvis, Sally-Ann Rothwell and Beryl Jarvis.

Work on the new Air Source Heat Pump-based heating system is scheduled to start on June 15 and should take about 4 weeks. The church will remain in use throughout. The existing system includes 4 large old-fashioned radiators which will no longer be needed. If anyone would like them, perhaps in exchange for a small donation, please ring Sally-Ann Rothwell 734585.

The next Knit and Knatter is in church on Wednesday June 8, 2-4pm.

Tea @ St John's is on Wednesday June 29 at 3.00. Please ring if you would like a lift or if you or anyone you know can't get out and would like a nice tea to be delivered that day.

## Quaker Meeting House

Yealand Quakers invite you to join us at our free annual garden party, 2-4pm on Saturday 2nd July. Come and enjoy the peace of our grounds. Inside the Old School if wet.

## Crafty Coffee

Yealand Old School, Thursday 2nd June, 10.00  
crochet work continued.

## Out and about

Silverdale and Arnside Art and Craft trail is on Friday 1-8pm, Saturday and Sunday 10.30-5.30, 24-26 June. There is 1 venue in Redmayne, and at least 5 Yealand residents are exhibiting.

## New Inn News

Although it may seem as though there is little to report as we await the outcome of our last grant application for a bursary from the 'More Than A Pub' scheme, anyone who has dealt with grant funding will remember, patience is required. If this bursary is awarded we can move to the next stage of trying to meet our financial target. As soon as there is news the investors will be the first to know.

Eagle eyed viewers will have heard more about the 'More Than a Pub' initiative on the recent BBC1 The One Show programme which highlighted the plight of pubs like ours in an hour long special. If you were really quick you would have spotted the Amber Alert on the New Inn posted as a sticker on the UK map during the same programme! Momentary fame, but any publicity is good publicity, as the saying goes!

The New Inn were also asked to be part of a panel presenting to the Labour Co-op Parliamentary Group in Westminster with representatives from CAMRA and The Plunkett Foundation on Co-operative Pubs: Empowering your community to buy their local. It was a lively meeting and gave the MPs and Lords in that group a very clear insight into the challenges we are facing.

So, swan like, it looks as though we are gliding, but there is a lot of activity under the surface.

## Yealand WI

The monthly meeting was held on Wednesday 11th May at the Village Hall. The evening's speaker was Simon Cane who showed us wonderful pictures and spoke passionately about the many alpine flowers to be found at various altitudes from sea level to the permanent snow line. The 'Floral Display' competition was won by Norma Heaton with a beautiful arrangement.

The next meeting to be held on Wednesday 8th June will have an Australian theme with presentations from various members. Please bring along any memorabilia from 'Down Under' which you think will be of interest to everyone. Australian style refreshments and a raffle. New members are always welcome. More details from Diana McClure on 781803.

## Use it or lose it

Mobile library next visit 13th June

## Further ahead

Leighton Hall, classic car rally, 3rd July. Watch out for an amazing range of vehicles early on Sunday morning in Yealand Rd!

## YN Distribution

Comments after last month indicated that not everyone knows how the 220 plus paper copies are distributed. For this we have to thank around 15 volunteers, who sometimes also distribute the Parish magazine. Inevitably, there will be times when these people are away, or otherwise take a few days to reach every house on their round, so please be patient. Even if volunteers know they will be away, I cannot find a substitute. The aim is always to have paper copies ready before the end of the month, remembering that the printers don't work weekends or bank holidays.

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