Wrangle Parish News



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Finally the rain seems to have taken pity on us, and the welcome sun and drying winds have changed the outlook in very short time. Some soils, having had their structure destroyed, may well now be 'baked' and will need more rain to soften them or their ability to withhold moisture will be lost.

At last we have been able to get some spring drilling done although, like many others, it has been necessary to leave 'wet holes' and skirt round them. At least we haven't had the misfortune to re-drill and, for some, a second time.

Mid-April and all our cattle are still in the yards. There's a real flush of lovely green grass and the pastures are about ready for turn-out without excess poaching.

You must have noticed the amazing range of bright greens on the mixed hedges and bushes, as well as the recent emergence of butterflies. The beautiful lemon-yellow brimstone that really stands out and the abundance of red admirals and peacocks.

Last week I was pleased to see SIX great white egrets on our roadside wetland. I have had odd ones before, but this was something special to behold as they frolicked about spreading their enormous white wings. There were also three little egrets there and they looked very small.

This morning I recorded a pair of grey partridges, a number of skylarks and I have a song thrush feeding young in my garden. The marsh harriers have returned from wintering in Africa and I have already seen the female carrying nest material. I also watched one chasing a buzzard off its territory.

There are some insects about now and I thought I would have seen a swallow, but not yet.

George Danby

St Mary & St Nicholas Church

All services start at 11.00am

Sunday 12 May Morning Prayer

Sunday 19 May Morning Worship

Sunday 26 May Holy Communion

From the Parish Register

Deaths

19 March Joyce Crisp aged 91 years

Burial of Ashes

22 March Rosamund Ann Featherstone

Baptism

7th April Zara Rose Ryder







The April coffee morning was very well attended, £200.71 was raised for Church funds

Priest in Charge of Friskney, Wrangle and Old Leake **Rev Andrew Higginson**

Tel: (01205) 760480

E-mail: revonline@btopenworld.com

NEW EVENT IN WRANGLE PARISH HALL



SATURDAY 18 MAY 10.00am – 12.00noon

COFFEE MORNING

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Peace in the Garden

There is peace in the garden; a peace so deep and calm. When my heart is troubled it's like a soothing balm.

There is joy in my garden.
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however hard the ground.

There is life in my garden; a life that still goes on, filling empty spaces when older plants have gone.

There's glory in the garden at every time of year: spring; summer; autumn; winter, that fills your heart with cheer.

So ever tend your garden, its beauty to increase, for in it you'll find solace and in it you'll find peace...

(I thought I'd share this little verse, given to me by my late Grandad, Bill Herd, who loved his Wrangle garden)

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Sunday 7th July

We are now busy planning for the 2024 show and would be grateful if you or your business is able to get involved and be a part of the village show:

Advertise your Business in the Show Day Programme

Glossy colour A5 programme, 1000 copies given FREE as people enter the show ‡ page - ½ page - full page closing date 20th May

Have a Trade Stand

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Donate a Grand Draw Prize

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we advertise those who have kindly donated prizes alongside selling the tickets which are available before and during the show up to the draw at 4pm

contact Adele Trodd 07949 526549 adele@toptill.co.uk

Or if you would just like to come and support the show on 7th July you will be most welcome to join us for the day.

We have an action packed programme lined up.

Thank you for your support, it is much appreciated.



Wrangle Flower Show

Fancy having a go at entering in the exhibitor's marquee?

There are classes for vegetables, fruit, roses, house plants, flowers, floral art, cookery, handicrafts, eggs, photography and a section for children to enter.

Prize money for 1st to 3rd in most classes plus perpetual trophies and shields to be won.

Schedules detailing all the classes, rules and entry forms will be available shortly and can be downloaded from our website www.wrangleshow.co.uk or are available in a booklet from any committee member or by calling 01205 635515.

Scarecrow Competition

• Open to individuals or groups to make a Scarecrow - any theme

- No more than 2m tall free standing
- Scarecrows to be brought to the marquee on Saturday 6th July after 3pm and not to be moved before 5pm on Sunday 7th July

£25.00 First Prize and Trophy

We are looking for volunteers to help either on show day or in the run up to the show, if you have some time to spare please contact a committee member, message us on Facebook, email info@wrangleshow.co.uk or call/message the Secretary on 07949526549. We look forward to hearing from anyone who is able to help.



VRANGLE PARIS	3H HALL	Contact for Information
Weekly	Monthly	
9.30am - 10.30am		Michelle Saw: 07713 353243
	1.30pm	Pearl Smith: 01205 871599
10.00am – 11.00am		Sue Willoughby: 07715 793636
	7.30pm	
	7.15pm	Edwina Arnold: 07466 656980
9.30am – 10.30am		Michelle Saw: 07713 353243
7.00pm – 9.00pm		Judith Rule: 07967 089119
7.00pm – 8.00pm		Laura Saunders: 07789 363761
		
11.00am – 12 noon		Sara Smith: 07737664337
	9.30am - 10.30am 10.00am - 11.00am 9.30am - 10.30am 7.00pm - 9.00pm 7.00pm - 8.00pm	9.30am - 10.30am 10.00am - 11.00am 7.30pm 7.15pm 9.30am - 10.30am 7.00pm - 9.00pm 7.00pm - 8.00pm

To hire the Parish Hall contact the Booking Clerk Michele Severn-Smith: 07872 872529 Email: wrangleparishhall@gmail.com

MOBILE LIBRARY VISITS IN WRANGLE

The mobile library visits Wrangle on **WEDNESDAYS** at the Parish Hall, Church End between 1.30pm and 2.30pm. The mobile library will visit every 4 weeks.

The next visits will be 15 May and 12 June OLD LEAKE/COMMONSIDE

The mobile library visits Old Leake on **THURSDAYS** at Church Road (opposite the Church) between 11.00am and 11.45am, then visits Old Leake Commonside at Sandygate Crescent between 12 noon and 1.45pm on a 4 weekly rota.

The next visits will be 09 May and 06 June



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Saturday 25 May – Tour of Sandringham Estate Rhododendron's & Wells-next-the-Sea Ad / Oap - £23.00 Ch - £21.00

Friday 31 May – Stamford Market & Springfields Outlet, Spalding Ad / Oap - £16.00 Ch - £14.00

Wednesday 12 June – Everybody's Talking About Jamie – Milton Keynes – 2.30pm show Ad / Oap - £70.00 Ch - £68.00

Wednesday 12 June – Milton Keynes Shopping Ad / Oap - £20.50 Ch - £18.50

Sunday 16 June – BBC Gardeners World Live / Good Food Show, Birmingham Ad - £50.00 Oap - £48.00 Ch - £46.00 (including entry)

Saturday 6 July - Trentham Gardens (including entry) Ad / Oap - £33.00 Ch - £30.00

Sunday 14 July – Great Yarmouth Ad / Oap - £21.50 Ch - £19.50

Thursday 25 July – Whipsnade Zoo, Bedfordshire (includes entry) Ad - £46.50 Oap - £44.50 Ch - £37.00

2024 brochures are free to collect locally from:-

D & J Dickinson Coaches, Wrangle Stores, Ann's Hair Salon, Clumsy Goat Farm Shop Bricklayers Arms – Old Leake, Beonna – Benington, Friskney – Wildlife Park F.S. Hanson Butchers – Wainfleet, Hildreds Centre - Skegness



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Loose dogs

There have been a number of reports recently of loose dogs in the village, if you see any please contact Boston Borough Council.

If you feel threatened by the dog(s) please call 101 to report incidents.

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17 June Ladies Group Trip

15 July Fen Bank Greyhound Sanctury

19 August No meeting held

16 September Snipe Dales, talk by the Warden

With Bring and Buy

21 October Women's Wellness, talk by Karen

18 November Alford Bell Ringers

16 December Christmas party, quiz etc

Membership £12.00 per year

Community Emergency Planning and

Ready for Anything Emergency Volunteer Scheme

The Wrangle Parish Council are in the process of writing a revised Parish emergency plan in partnership with the Lincolnshire County Council and the Lincolnshire Resilience Forum (LRF).

An emergency/major incident is any event or circumstance (happening with or without warning) that causes or threatens death or injury, disruption to the community, or damage to property or to the environment and the response needed is such that it is beyond the normal service provision of the council and/or emergency services.

There is no statutory responsibility for communities to plan for, respond to, or recover from emergencies, however it is sensible to be prepared in order to be in a position to cope with any emergency (under the direction of the emergency services) to limit the impact and aid recovery.

The emergency plan will be a living document and will include a structured framework for use by the community in the event of an emergency situation. This may include the prevision of warning and informing, evacuation support and the setting up and managing (temporarily) places of safety.

Members of the community can assist by notifying us of any skills they might have which they are prepared to volunteer in the event of an emergency and any equipment within the community which could be utilised to assist with the response.

For example, medically qualified, retired or existing emergency service workers, carers, veterinary, builder, carpenter, etc.

Equipment and resources such as tractors, heavy lifting gear, cutting equipment, pumps, ropes, ladders, mini buses / taxis, accommodation etc.

The plan will include vulnerable people / groups / establishments in the community to be in a position to assist these people quickly and efficiently.

Local people can volunteer to assist with the Lincolnshire Resilience Forum

The Lincolnshire Resilience Forum register and train volunteers in the 'Ready For Anything Volunteer Scheme'.

Volunteers can register to be called to assist in any emergency in Lincolnshire or just within the Wrangle and surrounding area.

Details of this scheme are available at www.lincolnshireresilienceforum.org

If anyone is able to assist and would like to volunteer to be included within the plan please contact the Parish Clerk:

Mrs E. Arnold 07466 656980

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WRANGLE PARISH COUNCIL MEETING NOTES

There were five members of the public present, they came along to report the mud on the footway at Main Road, to report rubbish in the dyke at the recreation field, to report rubbish on the verge at Main Road in the area of Tooley Lane. The Clerk advised that a request for dog bins has been sent to the Borough Council.

Notes of the Parish Council meeting held on 02 April 2024 attended by:

Cllrs, Bowles, Hill, Wrisdale, Dickason, Seymour, and Ashton (Chairman)

Apologies: received from Cllr Edwards and Dist Cllr Baxter

Also present: Borough Cllr Butler, County Cllr Skinner and four members of the public

Declarations of Interest

There were no declarations of interest.

Approve minutes of the meetings held on 05 March 2024

The notes of the Parish Council meeting, previously circulated, were approved and signed as the minutes

Receive reports from representatives on outside bodies

Borough Cllr Butler reported:

The budget has been agreed and Council tax bills sent out. Financial help is available through the Council Tax Support Scheme. A Market Action Plan is now in place, plans include a food market and Boston's Strongest Man. A TPO has been requested for some trees around the Old Vicarage. A meeting was held with the Planning Officer regarding the Kime's yard proposed development – any comment should be put in writing to the Borough Council. A meeting about flooding and other water issues has been held with the MP and representatives from Anglian Water and Witham Fourth. Potholes, blocked drains and fly-tipping continue to be reported on Fix my Street.

County Cllr Skinner reported:

Anglian Water are going to investigate output, not just the Vacuum System, to check if there are other problems going on. A report about the vibrations at Main Road has been passed to LCC. The Special Needs Learning Alliance has raised money for the Lincolnshire Air Ambulance.

Community Speed Watch

Training is going to be arranged with the Lincolnshire Road Safety Partnership for those who have volunteered.

It is not too late to register your interest with Wrangle Parish Council at wranglepc@aol.com

To Discuss the Emergency Parish Plan

This is a work in progress, if you have any equipment that you can use, or allow others to use, in an emergency then please email details to wranglepc@aol.com for it to be included in the Emergency Parish Plan.

Works ordered

Repairs to Sea Lane and to the base of the village sign have been ordered, no dates have been received to say when the works will be carried out.

Recreation Field

The recreation field is still wet, but the grass has been recently cut. Works have been order for the entrance to the recreation field, no dates have been received for the work to be done at this time.

Glass can be mixed in the glass banks when the required one is full. Fly-tipping should be reported to the Borough Council on 01205 314200

Dog fouling is ALWAYS an issue the recreation field is for the use of everyone PLEASE - ALWAYS PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG

Plans received

TPO/24/0001 - Tree Preservation Order at the Old Vicarage, Church Lane (10 trees) - **SUPPORT B/24/0125** - Mr Hiley - Erection of 2 detached dwellings and erection of a detached double garage on the site of a partially constructed dwelling at Land adjacent to Angel Inn Public House - **OBJECT**

This site is in a high risk flood area and has recently been flooded. There is a public right of way/bridle way through this site, it should remain open and not stopped up as it is a frequently used public footpath.

Planning decisions

B/23/0419 - Staples Vegetables - Erection of a coldstore at Marsh Farm, Sea Lane, Wrangle - **GRANT**

B/23/0448 - Mr & Mrs Turner - Extension to existing dwelling (works already started) at Rustic Rose, Wrangle Bank - **GRANT**

Highways

Report highways issues via the: 'fixmystreet' app from your mobile phone Photos of the defects can be taken and sent with the report Please include the road name and village in the report

Village bus shelters

Repairs to wooden bus shelter by Village Hall

A local person will be asked to look at the post at the entrance to the bus shelter to see if it can be repaired. LCC have asked for the position of the sites for the bus shelters. Boston Borough Council have suggested that a Certificate of Lawfulness be applied for when the sites have been approved by LCC. The shelter design was agreed.

War Memorial works to be carried out

Following discussion it was resolved to get a quotation for cleaning the War Memorial. Moving forward the War Memorial should be scheduled to be cleaned every ten years. The Remembrance Day Service will be held in Wrangle this year.

Boston Borough Council Street Lighting

In 2016 the Parish Council agreed to pay for the electricity and maintenance of the Borough Council street lights (74 in Wrangle), the alternative was that the street lights would not be lit and eventually removed. The Parish Council paid for timers to be put on the street lights and have paid for electricity and maintenance since then. More recently the Borough Council have had an audit on the lights and have requested £13,500 from the Parish Council to pay for some street lights to be updated and an email has been received with an offer of a loan to pay for the street lights to be changed to LED's - this would save money on the electricity over a number of years.

The Parish Council agreed to ask for a quote for the change to LED to enable an informed decision to be made about a loan. The money requested to bring the street lights up to standard will also be taken into consideration when the LED quote has been received – it is felt that the Borough Council should pay for this.

Wrangle Maps

Maps of Wrangle are available to purchase at a cost of £5.00 each. If you would like a Wrangle map, please contact the Parish Council Clerk by email or by phone. The maps are also available at the Church.

Date and time of next meeting

The next Parish Council meetings will be held in the Parish Hall on 07 May 2024:

7.00pm Annual Parish Meeting

7.20pm Annual Parish Council Meeting

7.35pm Parish Council Meeting

Boston Borough Council – 50 years

Boston Borough Council is reaching a historic milestone as the authority marks its 50th year of serving the local community. The Borough Council was formed on 1st April 1974 following the Local Government Act of 1972 which led to the restructure of local government. The Act saw the number of councils in England reduce from 1,000 to 412 with Boston Borough created by the merger of the Municipal Borough of Boston and Boston Rural District. With the continuation of the Borough status, the new Boston Borough Council was able to continue the civic role of The Worshipful Mayor of Boston, which dates back to when Boston was an ancient borough in 1545.

Following the Local Government Act of 1972, the first Mayor of the newly instated Boston Borough Council was Peter Ellice Paine. Market stall erectors, John Hall and Dave Wilson are two of the longest serving employees of the council who have been with the authority for more than 50 years. There are not many people who can say they have worked for the same company for more than 50 years - it's something to be proud of when you think of their long service.

WRANGLE POST OFFICE, CHURCH END TEL: 01205 870240



WRANGLE BOWLS CLUB

Social/Fun bowling every Thursday at 1.30pm – 4.00pm at the Bowls Club in the Recreation Field

Everyone is welcome to come along and 'give it a go' or to take the game up again!

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Wrangle Beauty Salon

Inside Wrangle Stores, Church End, Wrangle

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(Sunday by appointment only)

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Lip, Chin and Eyebrow:		£10.00
Arm wax or Underarm wax:		£6.00
Bikini wax:		£8.00
Back wax:	from	£12.00
Chest wax:		£10.00
Half leg wax:		£10.00
Full leg wax with massage:		£18.00
Nostril wax:		£6.00



Eyebrow tint:	£5.00
Eyebrow threading:	£4.00
Lip threading:	£2.00
Eyelash tint:	£6.00
Eyelash + eyebrow tint:	£10.00
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