



# PARISH COUNCIL NEWS

THE NEWSLETTER FROM INGLEBY ARNCLIFFE PARISH COUNCIL



***Candles in the windows for International Day of Nurses 12th May 2020 200 years since birth of Florence Nightingale***

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***Time to acknowledge their importance to all of us***

To comply with Government guidelines for all councils - local and national - Ingleby Arncliffe Parish Council has suspended all its regular meetings but is continuing to manage council business and Neighbourhood Plan activities by email and online video conference meetings.

The next virtual Parish Council Meeting will take place online by Zoom on **Wednesday 15th July** beginning at **7.00pm**. Agendas and other papers have been distributed by email and copies are posted on the Parish Notice-boards. Residents who wish to participate in the meeting should contact Susan Stephenson, via clerk.inglebyarncliffe@btinternet.com and she will send out the joining instructions. This meeting will be recorded.

### **Former Primary School Site and Playing Field**

The ***Beyond Housing*** planning application has been validated and is on the Hambleton District Council website. The reference number is **20/01189/FUL** – *"Demolition of Former Primary School and Residential development comprising 18 dwellings with associated landscaping."*

The application and its related documentation can be read on:

<https://planning.hambleton.gov.uk/online-applications/search.do?action=simple&searchType=Application>

Enter **Ingleby Arncliffe School** or **20/01189/FUL** in the search box to view the application.

Click on **Documents** and on the next screen choose **View associated documents**, to gain access to all the documents. To make things easier for residents, the "Design and Access Statement is available to read on the Parish's website:

<https://www.inglebyarncliffe.org.uk/>

The Parish Council welcomes comments from residents and is bringing forward the monthly Parish Council Meeting to allow for discussion.

Recent applications from The Diocese of York to have two of the conditions removed from their Outline Planning consent, have not yet been determined. The two reference numbers are:

**20/00664/MRC**  
**20/00665/MRC**

## **Recreation Area Open Again**

A risk assessment has been carried out and, following Government guidelines, the Recreation Area has been reopened. The grass has been cut regularly by Keith Henderson on behalf of the Parish Council and weekly inspections of the equipment are made and recorded to ensure that it is fit for use.

Everyone is asked to comply with the following rules to ensure that the risk of contracting Covid-19 is minimised:

All children (14 years and younger) must be accompanied by an adult who is responsible for ensuring understanding and compliance with these conditions.

Social distancing of 2 metres is to be maintained at all times between different Households / Bubble Groups. Please comply with notices on the equipment.

Users are personally responsible for sanitising their hands with their own sanitiser before, during and after using equipment on the site. Please wipe down equipment after use.

If equipment is busy please wait or come back another time.

Consumption of food and drink within the Recreation Area is banned until further notice.

All material brought to the Recreation Area must be taken home and safely binned.

It is recommended that you wash your hands thoroughly when you get home from enjoying the Recreation Area.

## **Oaks Planted**

With agreement from Jack Bell, the landowner of the Recreation Area, two oak saplings grown from acorns by Janice Beautiman, have been planted in the long grass as potential replacements for the large ash tree in case it succumbs to ash die-back.

*Ruth and Gerry Eastham*

## **Wildflower Meadow Replanted:**

Following the very successful wildflower meadow in 2019, many residents kindly donated towards the cost of seeds for it to be replanted this year.



***Looking  
wonderful  
in May 2019***

**Shaun Lake** and **Duncan Roy** helped **Ruth & Gerry Eastham** to prepare the ground, and when it finally rained in early June, **Janice Beautiman, Muriel Cowan** and **Hazel Warhurst** helped them with the seed planting.

It should be in full bloom by August. At the same time more grass seed was used to repair the area outside the meadow boundary.



*Ruth and Gerry Eastham*

## Looking after Each Other during this Challenging Time

Leti and Tim Alderson took the initiative to set up ICAP (Ingleby Community Action Plan) "*Friends in Ingleby*" with no agenda other than a desire to help. As reasonable fit and healthy individuals under the age of 70, she and Tim felt that it was imperative to step up and take action. Since that initial "call to care" much has happened in our community. Everyone received a card with the contact details of neighbours who had offered to be available for a friendly phone call or to help with posting mail, or picking up urgent supplies and other shopping. There has been a great sharing of useful information, a weekly prescription collection service (thank you, Jill Libby) and villagers donated toiletries and chocolate to make packages which were later distributed to patients who had been taken into hospital suddenly. A huge amount of home sewing was done by a few nimble fingered residents to support workers in the NHS. Neighbours have been looking out for one another and we should all feel proud of the community spirit that exists here.

**The Blue Bell** is now open for its usual summer hours. Additional outdoor seating is in place to facilitate social distancing. The menu has been chosen to make dishes suitable for eating at the pub or as a Takeaway. Limited table space is available indoors. Please ring **01609 882272** to book a meal or ask any questions.

**The Joiner's Shop** is currently open four days a week from Thursdays to Sundays-10.00am to 2.00pm. Only two customers may enter the shop at any one time. Takeaway drinks, cake treats, ice creams and supplies of the usual retail products can be purchased by card payment. Customers are invited to enjoy their drinks and food using the picnic benches in the garden until the Coffee Shop staff can put in place some safeguards, (soon to be announced) for serving indoors following government guidelines. Telephone: **01609882762**

It may be worth looking at their face book pages or websites for updates at the pub or coffee shop.

The Cleveland Tontine will remain closed until August. You can check out their new opening menus on:

<https://www.theclevelandtontine.com/>

or send any questions to enquiries@theclevelandtontine.com

Other local businesses which have special measures in place to keep customers safe. **Whitegates Nursery** and **Roots Farm Shop** have both reopened their cafes.

**Images from the 'physically distanced' Street Parties in Priory Way and Hillside when residents celebrated VE Day:**





**Live music was played in Hillside before a sudden heavy shower had everyone grabbing umbrellas or rushing back indoors!**



## **Community Speed Watch (CSW) – Cross Lane**

The Community Speed watch has been suspended during lockdown.

The equipment supplied by North Yorkshire Police is currently with Crathorne Parish Council.

We need more offers of help from Ingleby parish residents to do the monitoring, particularly at weekends. Training is very straightforward - no special skills are required to use the equipment. With extra volunteers the short monitoring sessions can be shared out more.

Any residents who are willing to get involved should contact Hazel on: [hazndaz@warhurstfamily.co.uk](mailto:hazndaz@warhurstfamily.co.uk)

This project will continue until such time as significant improvement in the vehicle speeds on Cross Lane is noticeable. Moving traffic violations such as using mobile phones or driving without a seat belt may also be recorded and vehicle details logged by North Yorkshire Police.

## **Post Office Facilities**

Post Office services are not currently available at the Blue Bell Inn. We will let residents know if this can be re-started.

## **Round Britain Row**

In the last Newsletter there was an article about **Duncan Roy** taking part in a new challenge to row the Pacific in June this year. Duncan and his team started their training for that 2,400 nautical mile race last October. Unfortunately the Covid-19 virus meant that the timing of the start couldn't be met so something even more exciting is taking its place.

Duncan and another expert oarsman, **Gus Barton** have set themselves the challenge of a 2,000 mile Round Britain unsupported Row to raise money and awareness for two very important charities. **NHS CHARITIES TOGETHER** and **Sport In Mind**. The current record for this rowing challenge is 41 days, 4 hours and 38 minutes.

They left Margate on Sunday 14th June in rowing boat "Lily" to row round the coast of the British Isles in a clockwise direction. Coastal waves, strong tidal pulls, rip tides and storms, outlying rocks and

navigating through busy shipping lanes are just some of the challenges ahead of them. Sleep deprivation, isolation, blisters salt sores and muscle depletion will all be experienced. Those of us who are tracking their journey daily are constantly in awe of these two men. Already they have not touched land for 30 days and will not be getting any re-supplies from passing vessels. They will be consuming 6,000 calories a day from ration packs hydrated from water they desalinate onboard.

<https://www.rowingroy.com/> is the website where you can track their progress and make a donation.



New residents in the Parish may not be aware that our villages are part of the **Osmotherley Area Oil Co-Operative**. To join the Oil Club or for more details contact Judith Temple on:

[OilClub.IAIC@gmail.com](mailto:OilClub.IAIC@gmail.com)

## Ancient Woodland Restoration Works

If you have not been up into Arncliffe Woods recently you may have been wondering about the logging activity taking place - the results of which can be seen in the bare areas near the skyline.



It is part of a programme to clear out potentially dead or diseased conifers and replace them with a variety of native deciduous trees.

There are clear signs to help walkers keep to a safe route through the woods.



***The  
splendid  
view  
towards  
Ingleby  
Cross  
and  
Ingleby  
Arncliffe***

## Adders Warning

Not wishing to alarm people, or discourage walking in our beautiful countryside, but please be aware that two dogs from our village were bitten nearby in 2017, and one sadly died. Adders are particularly active mid to late afternoon during Spring and Summer months, especially on warm sunny days. Please remind children not to touch an adder if they see one. Seek medical/veterinary advice immediately for bites.

## Appleton Wiske Community Primary School

Following the closure of Ingleby Arncliffe C of E School children from our parish were offered places at Appleton Wiske School. The Headmaster has sent the following Newsletter.



I hope this finds you all healthy and well.



It has been many weeks since the school closed for the majority of our pupils. We have, however, remained open for children of Key Workers and have provided online learning for all the pupils at home.

We are blessed with a fantastic team at Appleton Wiske who have adapted to many challenges at this difficult time. Likewise, our wonderful pupils have been making the best of the situation and the messages of support from our parents and other members of the community have been much appreciated.

Over the last few weeks we have kept the community spirit going as much as possible and have enjoyed several virtual events, such as the Easter Egg competition, Teddy Bears Picnic, school quiz and whole school assemblies. We have now welcomed more children back to school in some year groups and we look forward to a time when it is safe for all of our children to return.

### Bus Shelter

Parish Councillors are investigating the feasibility of providing a bus shelter at Ingleby Cross, at the corner of the Grain Store site. The work is at a preliminary stage and the Parish Council welcomes the views of residents on whether they would support such an addition.

The North York Moors National Park Authority would have to give their permission and the Parish Council is given to understand that all the funding would have to be provided from Parish resources.

We will keep you informed of any progress.

*Parish Council*

## **Village Correspondent** - position currently vacant

The Village Correspondent sends items of general news about our Parish to the *Darlington and Stockton Times* and gives advance notice of any events taking place in our Parish. He/she is invited to attend Parish Council meetings or may liaise with the Parish Clerk to provide a report of Parish Council meetings for the newspaper.

A small remuneration, based on the length of the entry, is paid to the correspondent. If photographs are submitted and used, there is an additional payment per image.

Articles and news are emailed to the Darlington and Stockton Times Offices to arrive by Monday lunchtime of the week in which they are to be published.

Could you be the person to do this? If so, please contact::

[tracey.dowson@nne.co.uk](mailto:tracey.dowson@nne.co.uk)

The community takes pride in the appearance of our Parish streets.

Let's keep them clean and safe for everyone's sake.

Pathways are being monitored and the Dog Warden will follow up any offence being reported. A fine may result.



## **Ingleby Arncliffe Parish Council**

Please contact the clerk, Susan Stephenson, at:

[clerk.inglebyarncliffe@btinternet.com](mailto:clerk.inglebyarncliffe@btinternet.com)

to raise a concern or to suggest an item for the Agenda of the next Parish Council Meeting.

Councillor Clive Walley (Chairman)  
Councillor George Hunter  
Councillor Ruth Eastham  
Councillor Hazel Warhurst  
Councillor David Cook