

Heads - Up!

The newsletter for Headon, Upton, Grove & Stokeham

March 2024

Fish & Chips

Friday 8th March
From 5.00 - 7.30pm

Fish & Chips
Time & Plaice, Mobile Van
at Headon Village Hall



The bar will again be open from 5pm to allow people to bring their fish & chips into the hall and enjoy them with a drink.

Headon Cum Upton Cinema Club Presents

The Aviator (12)

Biopic of billionaire Howard Hughes, starting with his early filmmaking years as owner of R.K.O. Pictures, but mostly focusing on his role in designing and promoting new aircraft. Hughes was a risk-taker spending several fortunes on designing experimental aircraft and eventually founding Trans World Airlines (TWA)

Starring Leonardo Dicaprio, Kate Beckinsale, Alan Alda, Cate Blanchette, John C Reilly

Saturday 2nd March

Headon Village Hall 7.30pm. Entrance £3.50

Contact Pat - paddythorpe@btinternet.com or on 248368

Carboot Sale

Sunday 7 April

9am-12pm set up from 8am

Home Farm, Grove, DN22 0RJ

Refreshments
available

£10 per car.
Buyers free

No booking required



St George's Day Evening Meal



Saturday 20th April, 7.00pm

Tickets £20 per person

Prawn Cocktail - Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding -
Apple Pie & Custard
Vegetarian option available

Only 40 seats available, book early to avoid disappointment

Contact: Paul Palmer 07794839742

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St Peter's Church, Headon

Don't forget the St Peter's Church spring clean from 10.00am to 12.00noon on Saturday 9th March 2024.

All volunteers are welcome.



Headon Village Hall

Welcomes

Wallace & Dough Pizza Van

Friday 12th April

5.30pm—8.00pm

The Village Hall Bar will be open from 5.00pm

Come along and join us for a drink while you are waiting for your pizza to be prepared and cooked in the pizza van's wood fired oven.

Headon Village Hall AGM will be held on Tuesday 23rd April at 7.00pm.

We are always looking for new energetic people to join the Committee and help bring about a varied programme of events. If you feel you wish to join the Committee or help in any other way then please come along to the AGM or contact either Paul Palmer (ppalmer880@gmail.com) or Janet Landon (janet@thorpe-house.com)

Puzzle Corner

How many minutes is it until 6.00pm if 50 minutes ago, it was four times as many minutes past 3.00pm? Answer on the bottom of the back page.

HUGS Parish Update

No rise in council tax for the Parish. At the parish meeting in December 2023, it was agreed that the parish would not increase its precept for 2024-25. The parish will continue to be able to continue its work of keeping the parish tidy with support from Nottinghamshire County Council's Lengthsman scheme which it entered for the first time last year.

At the last Parish meeting in February, various highways issues were raised including blocked drains and flooding. A meeting has been requested with the Highways team at VIAEM to discuss local issues. The Parish is also in dialogue with Bassetlaw District Council about replacing the recycling bins recently removed from Headon.

The next meeting of the parish will be at Headon Village Hall on Monday 4th March 2024 at 7 pm. All welcome

Headon – cum – Upton, Grove and Stokeham Parish Council. **Job vacancy - Clerk and Responsible Finance Officer.**

We are an enthusiastic parish council, in a small rural community near Retford in North Nottinghamshire. We hope to appoint someone with equal enthusiasm and attitude, who is looking to be part of a team trying to make a difference locally. The successful applicant would have an interest in seeking out grant funding, and the ability to assist in the development of projects within the villages would be welcome.

- Working from home.
- Laptop provided.
- Part time 16 hours per calendar month.
- Salary offered £13.06 per hour. (SCP 9)
- Training is provided and encouraged.
- Travel allowance as per the current HMRC rate of £0.45 per mile for return mileage to meetings.
- Attending 10 monthly evening meetings per annum usually first Monday of the month, plus occasional special meetings as required. No meeting February and August.
- Average time for the monthly Parish Council meeting is 1.5 hours.

For an informal discussion please contact the Chair, Cllr Sean Whelan seanpwhelan@yahoo.co.uk
A job description is available from the Clerk. headonpc@gmail.com
Closing date for receipt of applications is 22nd March 2024.

Military Veterans Evening

After loads of great feedback from veterans that attended the inaugural event, another get together is being organised on Wednesday 13th March (7pm) at Headon Village Hall (DN22 0RD). If you have any questions before attending, please get in contact with either of the following. Paul Palmer 07794839742 ppalmer880@gmail.com or Debbie Malton debbiemalton8712@gmail.com



Friday 19 April

5.45pm for 6pm start

St Helen's Church, Grove, DN22 0RJ

£35

*Complementary glass of
prosecco*

*Tea, coffee and cake
available to purchase*

Contact rachelfrenchpepper@yahoo.com to book your place

For Sale

Set of equestrian travel boots in blue, little used.

Full size, fit horse from 16hh to 17hh. £20 ono.

Tel: 07817849886

Church News & Services

Following the retirement of Rev Canon Bronwen Gamble in January 2022, the process of appointing a new Rector is still continuing. During this period the Church will continue as near normal as possible.

The Church contact is Reader Gill Rann on 07518 543868 or riversretfordgill@gmail.com. Gill will be able to help with enquiries on matters such as baptisms, weddings, funerals, or home visits by putting you in touch with the appropriate person.

The Parish of The Rivers, Retford

serving the villages, hamlets and communities of :

Askham, Cottam, Darlton, Dunham on Trent, East Drayton, East Markham, Fledborough, Grove, Headon, Nether Headon, Laneham, Church Laneham, Ragnall, Rampton, Rockley, Stokeham, Treswell, Whimpton Moor, Woodbeck, Woodcoates, Upton.

	St Nicholas Askham	St Peter East Drayton/ Dunham on Trent	St John the Baptist East Markham	St Helen Grove	St Peter Laneham	All Saints Rampton	St Peter Stokeham	St John the Baptist Treswell
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3rd March 10.30 am, Benefice Holy Communion, **St John the Baptist, East Markham**

10th Mar		10.30am Holy Communion			10.30am Morning Worship			
17th Mar				10.30am Morning Worship			9.00am Morning Worship	10.30am Holy Communion
24th Mar			8.00am Holy Communion			10.30am Holy Communion		

28th March 6.00pm, Reflection and Supper for Maundy Thursday, **St John the Baptist, East Markham**

29th March 10.00 -11.30am, Messy Good Friday, **St John the Baptist, East Markham**
10.00 - 4.00pm, Stations of the Cross, Quiet Reflection, **St Peter, Headon**

30th March 2.30pm, Easter Family Service & Easter Egg Hunt, **St John the Baptist, Treswell**
8.30pm, Easter Vigil, **St Nicholas, Askham**

31st March 10.30am, Easter Day Holy Communion, **St Peter, East Drayton**

7th April 10.30 am, Benefice Holy Communion, **St John the Baptist, East Markham**

Headon Village Hall Social Club

The bar is open every Friday night between 8pm - 11pm. Why not come along and have a relaxing drink at the end of the week.



Re-cycled Cycles

All in very good condition and various sizes available
Contact John Parker 07939 412542 (East Drayton)

