



Heads - Up!

The newsletter for Headon and Upton

December 2015



Bye-gone Days

John Mosley has come across this old photograph taken at the back of the old school at Headon, (now the Village Hall), possibly in the 1940s or early 1950s.

If anyone can shed any light on when the picture was taken or who is shown (a few different names have been mentioned) then John would welcome a call on 248564. Perhaps you recognise yourself!



Christmas Social Evening

Friday 18th December from 8.00 p.m.
in the Village Hall



Everyone welcome! The more the merrier!

Please bring a contribution to the party food.

Parish Council News

Notes from the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 2nd November 2015

Parish Council Members

Members are Jonathan Wallwin (chairman), David Landon (vice-chairman), Eric Briggs, Chris Holliland, Janet Landon, Beatrice McGlen, Alun McKiernon, John Mosley, Ben Wielgus and Fred Withers.

Potholes

Once again, potholes and poor road surfaces were reported to the meeting, an ongoing problem we need to keep on top of.

Churned up roadside verges at Upton/Westfields

Overgrown carriageway – LadyWell Lane

Potholes through Stokeham

Overgrown Hedges – Askham Road & Dog Kennel Hill

The County Council is presently gathering together details of each land owner who has hedges/trees adjacent to the highway. They will be contacted to request that they cutback and maintain the hedges so as not to allow any vegetation to overhang the highway boundary. Ideally if all the hedges could be done together before the beginning of nesting season 2016, a temporary road closure can be obtained so the work can be undertaken.

The County Council's tree team has also been asked to inspect the trees which line the highway to see if any need maintenance or removing. As the matter is ongoing, the situation will continue to be monitored by the parish council until we consider the roads to be safe.

Police

PC Bailey was unable to attend the meeting but reported by email the following notified crime: 19th Oct. Headon - Greenspotts Lane – Damage to field crops from driving across the land

The Parish Council's Online Link

The parish council link is always live on Bassetlaw DC's website. On there you can view details of members, finances, agendas and minutes; together with a description of our parish villages of Headon, Upton, Grove and Stokeham.

Simply go to the Bassetlaw District Council's website, select 'P' from the A to Z, select Parish, then scroll down to Headon-cum-Upton, Grove & Stokeham Parish Council, click the link and our information will be there to view.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be Monday 7th December 2015, commencing at 7.30pm at Headon Village Hall. The public forum session will take place from 7.30pm until 7.40pm.

Karen de Torre – Parish Clerk c/o 21 Redwing Close, Gateford, Worksop, Notts. S81 8UR
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Poppy Appeal

The sale of poppies in Headon and Upton last month raised £91.30p for the Royal British Legion. The organisers wish to thank everyone for their generous support.

Local Plan process starts for Bassetlaw

Bassetlaw District Council is paving the way for a new 'Local Plan' by encouraging landowners to put forward sites for potential development in the District. This 'Call for Sites' will look to identify land within Bassetlaw that may be suitable for development such as housing, employment, commercial, mixed use and traveller sites over the next 15 years.

Land owners have until 9th January 2016 to make any submissions. However, not all submissions are guaranteed to be included within the final 'Local Plan' and normal planning application procedures will apply.

The public will be included at every stage of the Local Plan development, beginning with a public consultation in spring 2016.

Due to a change in the Government's national planning policy, the Council's current Local Plan, which sets out the priorities for the area when it comes to housing, employment land and other developments, needs to be updated.

Cllr Jo White, Cabinet Member for Regeneration said:

"It is essential that Bassetlaw has an up-to-date Local Plan and this initial stage is needed to identify land that can potentially be developed to suit our district's needs well into the future.

"By knowing what land is available we can create a 15-year strategy for the District as a whole, instead of the current process by which we are being reactive and working from year to year."

Landowners are now being encouraged to put forward sites suitable for five or more residential dwellings or land in excess of 0.25ha for commercial developments. Potential sites for retail and other development opportunities are also being welcomed.

Landowners wishing to put forward a site to be considered for development should fill in the online form at www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/callforsites by **Friday 9th January 2016**.

Cinema

Headon Village Hall commencing at 7.30pm. Entrance £3.50

Saturday 5th December — Marvellous (15)

The true story of the life of Neil Baldwin, a man who has shrugged off his perceived limitations to live an incredible life; starring Toby Jones

Saturday 2nd January — Paddington (PG)

A computer animated version of the Paddington Bear story: featuring Hugh Bonneville, Julie Walters and Nicole Kidman

Headon Church News

The next 'Church Clean' will take place on Saturday 13th December from 10.30 onwards, all welcome to come along and help.

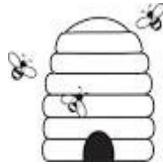
Headon's Carol Service will take place on Sunday 20th December at 10.30

To contact the editor, e-mail chris@mcglen.co.uk or tel. 248187. Deadline for contributions the 27th of the month.

Regular & Forthcoming Events in the Village Hall			Headon cum Upton, Grove & Stokeham Parish Council
Wednesdays	7.30pm	Bridge Club	Next meeting
Fridays	9.00pm	Social Club	Monday 7th December
Saturday 5th Dec	7.30pm	Cinema	at 7.30pm
Friday 18th Dec	8.00pm	Christmas Social Evening	in the Village Hall
Saturday 2nd Jan	7.30pm	Cinema	ALL WELCOME

Church Service Times					
	Headon	East Markham	Askham	East Drayton	
Sunday 6th Dec		Group Holy Communion at East Markham at 10.30am			
Sunday 13th Dec		Holy Communion 8.00am	Holy Communion 9.00am	Holy Communion 10.30am	
Sunday 20th Dec	Carol Service 10.30am	Carol Service 7.00pm	Carol Service 5.00pm		
Thurs 24th Dec		Crib Service 4.00pm	Midnight Mass 11.30pm		
Friday 25th Dec	Holy Communion 10.30am	Family Service 10.30am	Holy Communion 9.00am		
Sunday 27th Dec		Group Holy Communion at Grove at 10.30am			
EAST DRAYTON CAROL SERVICE					
St Peters Church, East Drayton on Monday, 21st December, at 6.30 pm					
Carols and Readings by Candlelight, followed by Mulled Wine and Mince pies. Everyone very welcome					
If there is no service in your own church do consider attending one in another of the Rivers Group Churches: you will always be made very welcome.					
Contact details for Rev. Julia Jesson			Telephone: 01777 870965		

PASTURE FARM HONEY



Local raw natural honey

Tel: 01777 248187
Pasture Farm, Upton

200 Club Winners		
November		
1 st	£15	Jenny Mosley
2 nd	£10	Ian Smith
3 rd	£5	Shirley Snook

Local private carer available,
Good rates,
14 years experience
DBS checked
Please call Sarah for availability
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