

# HEADS-UP!

July 2010

*The newsletter for Headon and Upton*

There will be no newsletter in August. Have a good summer!

## Gardens Open

### Nether Headon & Upton Gardens

Sally, Rosie and Bob would like to thank everyone who supported the Gardens Open, and helped in various ways. A big thank you goes to those who baked and those who served teas. They were lucky that it was a nice day, with the rain only coming on later in the afternoon, and the gardens looked beautiful!

The event raised a marvellous £1159.40, of which £616.40 goes to the National Gardens Charities, and the remaining £543 to the Hospice.

## Microlight Hangar Bash

The day started off with dull, wet miserable weather. We had moved the date from end of June to the end of May in the hope of better weather. Should have left it in June!

Not many aircraft flew in as the weather didn't clear up till late. The evening somewhat made up for it though with around 150 people attending. A very enjoyable evening with the help of the Stormbeats who provided the ever popular 'sixties music', Jimmy, Jamie and Philip doing the cooking, and Ian and Edward manning the bar. Thanks to everyone who donated delicious salads and to all who helped organise the event. Thanks especially for the support from those who attended.

All in we made a grand total of £544, which considering the day as it was wasn't too bad.

We have yet to make the presentation to the Lincs and Notts Air Ambulance but hope to get that organised in the near future.

Martin

## **Parish Council News**

**Notes from the Meeting held on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2010**

### **Vacancies for Parish Council Representatives for Grove**

Grove is entitled to have 3 members of the Parish Council and currently has only one. The Parish Council play an important role in the community and is an important link, particularly between residents and the District and County Councils. If you can spare a little time and have interest in local issues, please contact the Parish Clerk or Cllr Jonathan Wallwin as soon as possible. Your input is vital in order to ensure that all the villages are fully represented.

### **Police Contact**

PC Bailey informs us that crime in the local area is low at the moment. He reported the theft of a humane trap from a field at Headon on 1<sup>st</sup> July 2010. PC 1695 Bill Bailey can be contacted on 0300 300 9999 ext. 807 7364, Mobile – 07910 336 844

Email – [Bill.Bailey@Nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:Bill.Bailey@Nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk)

### **Flooding**

The various areas of flooding in the Parish will continue to be monitored and re-addressed. One particular area of flooding at Thorpe Street, Headon, has been an issue that was first raised in January 2007. To date it has not been resolved and steps are being taken to ensure that a satisfactory outcome is reached in the very near future.

### **Pot Holes**

A number of pot holes in the area are still in need of attention and have been brought to the attention of Nottinghamshire County Council Highways. The condition of all potholes will continue to be monitored as no sooner are they repaired than they appear to deteriorate again. Areas of sunken road reinstatements have also been reported for inspection and repair and as with the potholes, the condition of these will continue to be monitored.

### **6-Weekly Bulk Collection Scheme**

As collection dates have only been set until 7<sup>th</sup> August and the last collection in our villages has already taken place, a decision on the future of the scheme needs to be taken shortly. The Parish Council have noted fly tipping in the local area and are to ask BDC Environment Services whether the collection scheme will be extended.

### **New Seat at Headon-cum-Upton Village Hall**

Thanks to the NCC Local Improvement Scheme 2010, a new seat has been installed at no cost to the Parish Council. The seat is located on the grass outside Headon-cum-Upton Village Hall and everyone is welcome to go along and try it out.

### **Overgrown Hedges**

A couple of areas have been identified where hedges are overgrown and causing a hazard to motorists. These will be reported to NCC Highways for investigation although it may take a while for the cutting to take place as the hedges are on private land and ownership will need to be addressed first.

### **Karen de Torre – Parish Clerk**

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### **Village Hall**

Plans are well underway for our Summer Barbecue & Skittles. This will be on Saturday, August 14th. (see ad on back page). We have our fingers crossed for good weather!

Angela and Jenny will be running a Tombola, and are appealing for prizes. If you can donate any item(s), please ring Angela on 248762 or Jenny on 248792, and they will be happy to collect them from you.

### **St. Peter's Church**

August 15 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 am	Morning Prayer	Headdon
August 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.00 am	Holy Communion	Headdon
August 29 <sup>th</sup>		Countryside Service	Vintage tractor rally, Gamston
Sept. 5 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 am	Group Holy Communion	East Markham

Please note: the time of the service at the tractor rally is not known - last year it was at 10.30 am.

#### **Times of Church Services**

Contact details for Rev. Julia Jesson: Telephone: 01777 870965

### **200 Club**

Sorry we forgot to include the 200 Club winners in last month's Heads-Up.

No draw was held in April, as subscriptions had not been paid by then. Consequently, we held 2 draws in May. Here are the results, plus last month's draw:

		<b>April draw</b>	<b>May Draw</b>	<b>June Draw</b>
1 <sup>st</sup>	£25	Georgina Thorpe	Will Jackson	David Landon
2 <sup>nd</sup>	£10	Paul Penny	Tony Wilkinson	June Smith
3 <sup>rd</sup>	£5	Sue Browne	Richard Landon	John Parker

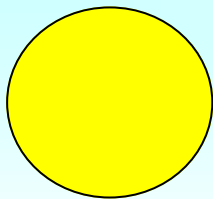
### **Headdon and Upton Theatre Club**

<b>Show</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Price</b>
The Country Girl	Theatre Royal Nottingham	Wed. 1 <sup>st</sup> Sept.	7.30	31.00
Communicating Doors	Stephen Joseph, Scarborough	Sun. 26 <sup>th</sup> Sept.	3.00	15.00 free coach

If you wish to know any more about any of our events or would like to receive an information pack of our activities, please contact either Margaret on 01777 248053 or Paul on 01777 248385 and we will be glad to help.

**Forthcoming Events and Other Notices`**  
***For further details of any notice please ring 248282***

**Village hall**



**SUMMER BBQ & SKITTLES**

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> August**

**Sideshow**

**Bar**

**Tombola**

**Regular and Forthcoming events in the Village Hall**

Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> August	Summer BBQ & Skittles
Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> September	Pork'n'Jazz
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Supper
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> October	Quiz
Tuesdays at 7.30	Whist Drives
Alternate weeks - 20 <sup>th</sup> July etc.	
Wednesdays at 7.30	Bridge Club
Fridays from 9.00	Social Club

**Big Rubbish Collections**

**See Parish Council news, page 2.**

**Pippins Pre-School**

**East Markham**

Offering Pre-School Education through play for  
children  
aged 2 to 5 years on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,  
Thursday & Friday mornings in  
The Community Room at East Markham C.P.  
School

Session Times are 9.00am – 11.30am

Extended sessions with a lunch club are available on  
Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays, 9.00am –  
12.45pm

*For more information or to register your child, please  
contact:*

*Suzanne Alexander on: 01777 870232*

Pippins Pre-School also runs a Baby & Toddler  
Group every Wednesday morning during term time,  
9.30am – 11.15am at East Markham Village Hall.  
Come and try the first session for free and make

**Headon cum Upton, Grove  
& Stokeham Parish Council**

Next meeting

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September**

at 7.30 p.m.

in the Village Hall

**All welcome!**

**Village store**

**A new store has opened its doors in  
East Markham on Askham road**

We are stocking a wide range of prod-  
ucts

including fresh bread and milk  
made to order fresh sandwiches

Hot coffees

and daily and Sunday newspapers  
Hope to see you soon