

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 5th 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 1st 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

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 7th 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.

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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 th	10.30 am	Morning Prayer	Headon
August 22 nd	9.00 am	Holy Communion	Headon
August 29 th		CountrySide Service	Vintage tractor rally, Gamston
Sept. 5 th	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:

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

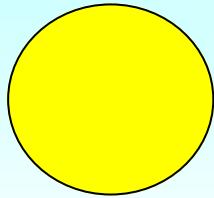
Headon and Upton Theatre Club

Show	Venue	Date	Time	Price
The Country Girl	Theatre Royal Nottingham	Wed. 1 st Sept.	7.30	31.00
Communicating Doors	Stephen Joseph, Scarborough	Sun. 26 th 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 14th August

Sideshows

Bar

Tombola

Regular and Forthcoming events in the Village Hall

Saturday 14th August

Summer BBQ & Skittles

Saturday 11th September

Pork'n'Jazz

Friday 15th October

Harvest Supper

Friday 29th October

Quiz

Tuesdays at 7.30

Whist Drives

Alternate weeks - 20th July etc.

Bridge Club

Wednesdays at 7.30

Social Club

Fridays from 9.00

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 6th 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 products

including fresh bread and milk made to order fresh sandwiches

Hot coffees

and daily and Sunday newspapers

Hope to see you soon