

Heads - Up!

The newsletter for Headon and Upton

October 2015

Headon Village Hall Presents

Sunjay Brayne

Saturday 10th October at 7.30pm.

Tickets £10

This talented singer / guitarist is returning to Headon Village Hall as part of his UK tour.

Sunjay's style drifts between folk and blues and both camps have recognised his obvious flair. There have been a clutch of award nominations, including winning the Wath Festival Young Performers Award. He also made the final selection for the BBC's Young Folk Award in 2012, and was also recognised by the 2014 British Blues Awards.



For tickets contact:
Dave Burton on 248085
or e-mail:
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Harvest Supper

Saturday 17th October at 7.30pm

The annual Harvest Supper will take place at Headon Village Hall. Tickets for the supper are £8 per person for a 3-course meal with the proceeds of evening going to St Peter's Church.

If you would like to attend please contact Beatrice (Tel 248187) by Saturday 10th October so that numbers can be finalised.

Cinema

Headon Village Hall commencing at 7.30pm. Entrance £3.50

Saturday 2nd October — The Second Best Exotic Marigold Hotel (PG)

The November showing has been brought forward so not to clash with Bonfire Night activities

Saturday 31st October — Jack and Sarah (15)

Richard E Grant, Samantha Mathis, Judi Dench, Eileen Atkins, Ian McKellan

Contact Pat - on 248368 or paddythorpe@btinternet.com

Parish Council News

Notes from the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 7th September 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.

East Midlands Ambulance Service

Annie Palmer attended the meeting to offer a presentation of the EMAS. '999' calls are categorised as Red 1,2 or Green 1,2,3,4 (prioritising the calls as life-threatening or non). Following basic questions from the 999 phone operator, a team of paramedics and nurses will respond to the caller. Decisions are made as to whether the patient is treated in the home or taken to a hospital. 42-44% of patients in the last 2 years were treated in the home. Initiatives are being put in place to deal with specific issues, ie falls, mental health, cardiac.

The service is being developed and improved and they are fully aware of the NHS failings in waiting times and treatment times as patients are transferred to hospital. An ambulance response time target is 8 minutes, recent figures show 75% have been on target. In our parish during the last 2 years, there have been 4 Red and 6 Green ambulance responses.

Questions were invited and answered and Ms Palmer was thanked for her attendance.

High Speed Broadband

Headon and Upton are now online and residents can sign up for the high speed broadband connection. Grove and Stokeham villages will follow.

Dog Fouling

The Bassetlaw DC Dog Warden, Nigel Barton has now put up signs in Headon. Please note that well bagged dog waste may be placed in the council litter bins. Please use the bins responsibly, and if you can think of a location that would benefit from an extra litter bin for this purpose, please let us know and we will put a request in to the district council.

Roadside Hedges

A number of roadside hedges have been highlighted to Notts County Council Highways as hazardous to motorists and pedestrians due to overgrowth. Landowners are responsible for maintaining hedges and the onus is on them to keep their hedges in check. Unfortunately this is not always the case and the county council have to intervene to ask landowners to cut their hedges.

Speedwatch

Cllr. J.Wallwin attended a community speedwatch presentation at which Interactive Speed Signs were presented and training on use given - using 4 signs handled by 2 people. Nothing is reported to the police but it was suggested that the scheme is effective in slowing traffic. The operators are responsible for setting up the equipment, carrying out the work and assessing the speeds. The proposed scheme is being trialled.

Village Plan / Neighbourhood Plan

A village plan is designed to bring together the views of residents in how they wish future developments to take shape with regards design etc. It gives residents a voice in future planning in their communities. The process involves many stages of consultation and design, until finalised and adopted by the parish and district council. It was noted that the local plan shows no proposed allocation of development areas in our parish so a village plan may not be needed. If a plan was formulated, it could encompass all the villages of the parish in one plan.

Next year's Budget / Future Project Funding

The impact of the precept on residents has remained at a level for several years but consideration will be given in the next budget as to whether or not to increase this.

It was suggested that village groups or groups of residents be encouraged to come forward with suggestions for making improvements to the villages, taking on the initiative to carry out small projects themselves and applying to the parish council for funding.

A brief funding request/application will be drafted up allowing residents to apply to the parish council for funding of small projects.

Planning Applications

15/01023/FUL - Kalulushi, 19 Main Street, Grove
Demolition of Existing Garages, Erect New Detached Single Storey Garage, Erect Two Storey Rear Extension and External Improvements
No Objection.

5/01014/HSE - The Old Rectory, Main Street, Grove
Erect detached single storey timber garden room
No Objection.

15/01041/FUL - Land North East Of Mill Hill, Off Lady Well Lane, Headon
Install a Ground Mounted 50Kw Solar Panel Array
It was agreed to OBJECT to the application, supporting comments can be viewed online.

15/01091/FUL - Mill Hill Farm, Greenspotts Lane, Headon
Proposed Grain Store
No Objection.

15/01126/HSE - Longacres, Main Street, Upton
Erect Single Storey Rear Extension
No Objection, but it was agreed to submit comments which can be viewed online.

15/01071/HSE - Oregon House, Drayton Road, Upton
Two Storey Extensions to Existing Dwelling House
No objection, but it was agreed to submit comments which can be viewed online.

Next Meeting

The next meeting is proposed for Monday 12h October 2015, commencing at 7.30pm at Headon Village Hall. The public forum session will take place from 7.30pm until 7.40pm.

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Letter to the Editor

Car parking in Headon

In the Parish Council News in the September 2015 edition of Heads-up it states:

“The need for public car parking at Headon has again been highlighted.”

I am somewhat bemused by this apparent need. The Church Street car park rarely has more than one vehicle in it unless there is something on at the village hall, whilst residents’ vehicles are parked along the road, often obstructing both the road and the footpath. Perhaps we should be encouraging people to make use of the available facilities before wasting money covering grass with tarmac.

Catherine Goundry,
Upton

Regular & Forthcoming Events in the Village Hall			Headon cum Upton, Grove & Stokeham Parish Council Next meeting Monday 12th October at 7.30pm in the Village Hall ALL WELCOME
Wednesdays	7.30pm	Bridge Club	
Fridays	9.00pm	Social Club	
Saturday 3rd Oct	7.30pm	Cinema	
Saturday 10th Oct	7.30pm	Sunjay Brayne	
Saturday 17th Oct	7.30pm	Harvest Supper	
Saturday 31st Oct	7.30pm	Cinema	
Saturday 28th Nov	7.30pm	Vin Garbutt	

Church Service Times				
	Headon	East Markham	Askham	East Drayton
Sunday 4th Oct	Group Holy Communion at Grove at 10.30am			
Sunday 11th Oct		Holy Communion 8.00am	Holy Communion 9.00am	Harvest Festival 10.30am
Sunday 18th Oct	Harvest Festival 10.30am	Holy Communion 9.00am	Morning Praise 10.30am	
Sunday 25th Oct	Holy Communion 9.00am	Family Worship 10.30am		
Sunday 1st Nov	Group Holy Communion at East Markham at 10.30am			

St. Peter's Church, East Drayton, Harvest Festival Service
 Sunday 11th October at 10.30 a.m.
 Collection in aid of Blue Bell Wood Children's Hospice.
 Produce donated to Bassetlaw Hospice

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

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