

Heads - Up !

The newsletter for Headon, Upton, Grove & Stakeham

October 2017

Headon Village Hall Presents
Wild Willy Barrett's French Connection
Friday 13th October at 7.30pm.
Tickets £12/ £10 concessions



Wild Willy Barrett, known as the Godfather of Grunge Folk is something of a musical prodigy, having learnt to play the ukelele at the age of four, Willy describes himself as "an experimental multi-instrumentalist." Best known for his partnership with John Oway, it is the gentler side of Wild that has emerged during his collaboration with this acoustic quartet.

From a cafe in Paris, via a hoolie in Dublin, to a night out in New Orleans with rip-roaring fiddle and banjo – this band does it all! A fabulous show suitable for all ages, directed by the inimitable Wild Willy Barrett. Charismatic French singer Aurora Colson takes centre stage, captivating audiences with her compelling and expressive vocals as she effortlessly tackles a wide range of styles: from Bluegrass to acoustic blues, with haunting Irish melodies and a touch of Piaf thrown into the mix. At the heart of the ensemble are the indisputable talents of multi-instrumentalist Wild Willy Barrett, cellist Mary Holland and Irish pipes and whistle player John Devine, whose outstanding musicianship was recently rewarded by an invitation to play in the presence of The Queen at Buckingham Palace. The group's innovative arrangements are beautifully performed on instruments including the guitar, cello, fiddle, banjo and uilleann pipes, all overlaid with a large dose of wry humour.

For tickets contact:
Dave Burton on 248085 or e-mail: jimsdad7@btinternet.com

St Peter's Church, Headon cum Upton - Autumn clean

A date has been fixed for a cleaning session in St Peter's Church at 11.00am on Saturday 28th October. All volunteers will be welcome with a duster or brush or dustpan or furniture polish or even a vacuum cleaner if you are feeling energetic.

Hopefully we will get more than on the last occasion. The more that volunteer, the less amount of time it will take.

Harvest Supper
Saturday 14th October at 7.30pm
Tickets £8.50 per person.

The annual Harvest Supper will take place at Headon Village Hall. Tickets are going extremely quickly so booking by Sunday 8th is essential for this popular event.

Please contact Beatrice (248187).

Parish Council News

Notes from the Parish Council Meeting held on Monday 4th September 2017

Council Members

Parish Council members are Jonathan Wallwin (chairman), David Landon (vice-chairman), Eric Briggs, Janet Landon, Beatrice McGlen, John Mosley, Ben Wielgus, Fred Withers, Julia Harvey and one vacancy.

Our District Councillor is Teresa Critchley and our County Councillor is John Ogle.

Councillor Vacancy

The Council welcomed Julia Harvey as a replacement for Chris Holiland and said goodbye to Sue Browne. We now have one vacancy on the parish council. Please phone Jonathan Wallwin 07841508266 for further details

Highways

We are continuing to encourage the County Council to renew the worn junction white lines at road junctions around Headon and Upton, chased the replacement Upton fingerpost. The damaged 'Westfields' Street sign and the blocked drains in Grove have been reported to Bassetlaw District Council.

Neighbourhood Plan

The Character Assessment is now complete, it is currently being reviewed by the steering group. The next public consultation date is the 29th October 2017.

Speed Signage

Cllr Wielgus is currently looking into the reliability, lifespan and maintenance costs.

Village Lengthsman

The council has agreed to employ a village lengthsman on a 4 hour per week contract. A job advert will be published.

Attero Ltd Recycling Centre, Headon Camp Ind Estate

The Council voted to object to the planning application and the clerk has written to County Planning to provide the Council's reasons for the objection. There are escalating concerns regarding traffic, high levels of smoke and saw dust billowing around the site. Following the Abatement Notice issued to the Recycling centre from Environmental Health, a court hearing is scheduled to take place to challenge this notice. However, members of the public have witnessed the plant ignoring the stop notice and as a result, Amy Ogden, from Environmental Health is keen to hear from members of the public witnessing smoke emissions, please email amy.ogden@bassetlaw.gov.uk to provide details.

Police

PC Bailey advised there were no crimes reported this month. PC Bailey will be replaced by PC Darren Haynes, who currently covers a patch in Worksop. PC Bailey hopes to come to the next Parish Council meeting to introduce PC Haynes.

Next Meeting

The next meeting is proposed for Monday 2nd October 2017, commencing at 7.40pm at Headon Village Hall. The public forum session will take place from 7.30pm until 7.40pm.

Ed Knox – Parish Clerk

c/o 24 Allison Avenue, Retford, DN22 7JS email headonpc@gmail.com

Planning Application: Headon Camp Industrial Estate (Waste to Energy Assets Ltd) - Update

Since the last Parish Council meeting, Bassetlaw Environmental Health has decided not to prosecute Waste to Energy Assets Ltd for breeching the Stop notice on the site. They have been presented with a revised operating procedure, which includes the types of timber used, training and supervision of staff and various other significant improvements to the process which allays their concerns. The Company have also agreed to increase the height of the chimneys on the leeward side of the building to overcome issues with plume dispersion. They have been given four months to implement the changes.

At the present time the planning application from the Company has not been allocated a Planning Committee date. This is because Notts County Council is seeking further information from the developer to enable it to determine the magnitude (or not) of the environmental impacts of the development. Once the Council receives a full response from the developer it will re-consult and give a reasonable period of time for consultees to review the information and prepare their responses. Therefore December seems to be the earliest it could be determined, and could even run into the New Year.

With regards public speaking at the Committee meeting, The Parish Council has a three minute speaking slot and up to three local residents are able to speak for three minutes each (subject to them having previously written in to the Council in response to the planning consultation). The Committee meeting is held at County Hall Nottingham and is open to the public, with the room having a capacity of around 50 people.

Tour of Britain Comes to Upton



On Wednesday 6th September the Tour of Britain bike race came through the village. It was all over in the blink of an eye but was quite a spectacle while it lasted with in addition to the cyclists, support vehicles and police motorbikes in attendance.

Unfortunately ITV4 cut to a commercial break during Upton's movement of glory, but the village (including an aerial view) can be seen on the Eurosport coverage which is still available via YouTube.



Above: The leading group through Upton followed by the cameraman on motorbike.

Team Sky leading the peloton through the village
(Thanks to David Walton for the photographs)

Opposite: The peloton on its way to East Drayton



Have Your Say On Planning In Our Village Come and View the Draft Plan at Headon Village Hall Sunday 29th October 10am -3pm

THE HUGS NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN - THE STORY SO FAR.....

In February the questionnaire survey took place across Headon, Upton, Grove and Stokeham in which residents shared their thoughts on how the villages should develop in the future. March saw the Open Day which brought together everyone's ideas and suggestions. Along with a presentation, these were exhibited in the village hall for all to see and comment on.

During the summer an assessment has been made of the unique character of the villages that make up our Parish. Character Assessments are carried out by qualified planners and record the special qualities that give an area its sense of place and unique identity. They are widely recognised as useful tools, helping to aid the planning, design and management of future development in a particular locality.

Now a Draft Plan has been prepared which brings together residents suggestions and the Character Assessment. There will be a presentation and exhibition at the village hall in order to further access comments and opinions from the community. Your views are important!

Please try to attend at some time during the day to share your opinions in order that a final Neighbourhood Plan can be created which reflects the views of the majority. - Headon Village Hall, Sunday 29th October, 10am to 3pm. The Draft Plan will also be available on the website <http://www.hugsnp.btck.co.uk/>

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

Regular & Forthcoming Events in Headon Village Hall

Wednesdays	7.30pm	Bridge Club
Thursday	6.30pm	Pilates
Fridays	9.00pm	Social Club
Saturday 7th Oct	7.30pm	Cinema
Friday 13th Oct	7.30pm	Wild Willy Barrett
Saturday 14th Oct	7.30pm	Harvest Supper
Sunday 29th Oct	10am- 3pm	Presentation of Neighbourhood Plan

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Next meeting

Monday 2nd October

at 7.30pm

in the Village Hall

ALL WELCOME

Church Service Times

Heptonstall East Markham Askham East Drayton

Sunday 15th Oct Morning Prayer Holy Communion Holy Communion
 10.30am 9.00am 10.30am

Cinema

Headon Village Hall commencing at 7.30pm. Entrance £3.50

Saturday 7th October – Hacksaw Ridge (15)

Hawksaw Ridge is a US war drama based on the true story of Desmond Doss, a conscientious objector who served as a combat medic during World War Two. Starring Andrew Garfield and Sam Worthington.

Contact Pat - paddythorpe@btinternet.com or on 248368

Next date: Saturday 4th November – The Intouchables (PG)

The image features a large, bold, pink text logo 'LUCY USHER AGGREGATES' overlaid on a background of light-colored gravel. Below the logo is a list of products in pink bullet points: 'Sand', 'Gravel', 'Decorative Gravel', 'Limestone', 'Topsoil', and 'Bark Chips'. To the right of the list is a circular inset image showing a close-up of dark, decorative gravel.

The logo for Pasture Farm Honey features a central beehive with five horizontal bands. Two bees are shown: one on the left winged and one on the right winged, both flying towards the hive. The entire logo is contained within a white rectangular border.