

# Heads - Up !

*The newsletter for Headon, Upton, Grove & Stakeham*

*July 2018*

TO ALL RESIDENTS & FRIENDS  
OF HEADON, UPTON, GROVE & STOKEHAM

**You are invited**

**To a Parish Barbecue & Social evening in Headon Village Hall  
On Saturday July 7th from 6.00 pm onwards**

Burgers & Hot Dogs, Bar,  
Lawn games, mini quiz, Tombola, raffle etc.

Though not essential, it would help with catering if you could let us know if you plan to attend.

Email Pat at: [paddythorpe@btinternet.com](mailto:paddythorpe@btinternet.com)

## Headon Village Hall Social Club

The regular Friday night bar will now open an hour earlier, with its opening hours now from 8.00pm - 11.00pm



## The Benson Mellors Memorial Cup Charity Clay Pigeon Shoot

**The Brick Yard, Gamston Woods**  
(kind permission of Silcock & Partners)

**Saturday 7th July, 12.00—5.00pm**

*All Proceeds to be donated to the  
Lincs & Notts Air Ambulance*

50 Bird Sporting / 10 Bird Down the Line / Pool Shoot  
Ladies & Gents Competitions

Cartridges will be available to buy on the day and there will be a BBQ, refreshments and a raffle.

For more information please contact Ian Champion (07815 493753)

## Parish Council News

The Parish Council meeting scheduled for 4<sup>th</sup> June was postponed.

In the absence of a Clerk the only way a meeting could have taken place on the scheduled date would have been if I had prepared a notice of the meeting and an agenda.

I decided that it would not be productive to hold another meeting only 3 weeks after the previous meeting on 14<sup>th</sup> May when a number of the issues raised at that meeting had not been resolved. In addition both the Vice-Chair and myself had other commitments on 4<sup>th</sup> June.

Attempts to rearrange the meeting for a later Monday in June were unsuccessful and so the next meeting will be on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> July.

We apologise to those members of the public who turned up for the meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> June

David Landon  
Chairman

## Tour of Britain Returns to Upton



The prestigious Tour of Britain cycle race will make a return visit to Upton this coming September.

The penultimate stage on Saturday 8th September will be held entirely in Nottinghamshire and will start in West Bridford wind its way around the county and finish 223km later in Mansfield.

The course is slightly different to last year and it will see the race come through Tuxford, East Markham and Askham and enter Upton on Askham Lane before turning left and heading out on Westfields towards Eaton and then onto Retford.

For further details please see: [www.tourofbritain.co.uk](http://www.tourofbritain.co.uk) where details of estimated timings will appear nearer the day.

## ST. PETER'S CHURCH Come and meet our vicar designate!

As most of you will know, we have been without a vicar ever since Rev Julia Jesson left a year ago. We know that small rural parishes like ours often find it difficult to recruit, but are pleasantly surprised that we now have an applicant!

She will visit all the parishes involved on Wednesday July 4th, coming to Headon cum Upton Village Hall in the morning between 11.30-12.25, and would like to meet as many of you as can make it at that time. There will be coffee and biscuits available.

The candidate will then be formally interviewed on July 5th.

## Cinema

Cinema showings now take a break for their well earned summer holidays; next showing

Headon Village Hall commencing at 7.30pm. Entrance £3.50  
**Saturday 1st September — The Greatest Showman (PG)**

Contact Pat - [paddythorpe@btinternet.com](mailto:paddythorpe@btinternet.com) or on 248368

## Charity Race Night



A highly successful Race Night was held at the Village Hall on the 2nd June which was attended by over 70 hopeful punters, although not many came away up on the night.

As a result £1070 was raised on the night of which £820 will go to Cancer Research and £250 to the Village Hall.

A big thankyou to everyone to who attended and for their generosity to a good cause and also to the organisers for their hard work on the night.

## Ride to Save Lives

The Notts & Lincs Air Ambulance is organising a charity motorcycle ride on Sunday 23rd September, starting at 11.00am. It will start and finish at Newark Showground and take a route round Lincolnshire and North Nottinghamshire, including Stokeham.



It is open to all riders with a bike over 125cc which is road legal and if you wish to take part details can be found on their website [www.ambucopter.org.uk](http://www.ambucopter.org.uk). If you are unable to take part then the riders would welcome your support. They are due to pass Stokeham at around 12.30pm.

## HUGS Neighbourhood Plan Referendum 6th September

Over the last 18 months, a group of residents in our Parish have coordinated the development of a Neighbourhood Plan for Headon, Upton, Grove and Stokeham. This plan sets out a vision of the future of our parish for the next 15 years and forms the backbone of local planning guidance. Many residents from around our community, as well as several businesses, have put forward suggestions and there have been several rounds of consultation. It's an important document for shaping the future look and feel of the buildings and development in our area. It gives residents a say in that future.

In mid-June, the plan was officially inspected by an independent body to make sure it is appropriate, balanced and aligned with other regional and national policies. The final step is to give residents a vote on whether they want the plan or not. This is a simple yes/no vote to adopt the plan or not and the majority decision wins. This referendum is on the 6<sup>th</sup> September. The plan can be inspected online once final approvals are completed – watch out for posters and a letter in August giving a summary of the plan and providing links to more information. We hope you can come out and vote or register for a postal vote for the plan.

## Gardener Required

Heathfield House needs a gardener for general garden duties ( but no lawn cutting). An energetic person who has some experience and knowledge is required for regular work approx average 4 hours per week but more at busy times. Good Rate of pay.

Phone Linda on 07966 133226

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

Regular & Forthcoming Events in Headon Village Hall			Headon cum Upton, Grove & Stokeham Parish Council					
Wednesdays	7.30pm	Bridge Club						
Thursday	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates						
Fridays	9.00pm	Social Club						
Saturday 2nd June	7.00pm	Race Night						
Saturday 9th June	7.30pm	Cinema						
Friday 29th June	7.30pm	Hicks & Goulbourn						
Saturday 7th July	7.00pm	Barbecue						
<b>Next meeting</b>								
<b>Monday 2nd July</b>								
<b>at 7.30pm</b>								
<b>in the Village Hall</b>								
<b>ALL WELCOME</b>								
Church Service Times								
Headon	East Markham	Askham	East Drayton					
Sunday 1st July	Group Holy Communion at East Markham at 10.30am							
Sunday 8th Jul	Holy Communion 8.00am		Holy Communion 10.30am					
	Songs of Praise 6.30pm							
Sunday 15th Jul	Morning Prayer 10.30am	Holy Communion 9.00am	Holy Communion 10.30am	Morning Prayer 10.30am				
Sunday 22nd Jul	Holy Communion 9.00am	Family Worship 10.30am						
Sunday 29th Jul	Area Group Holy Communion at St Saviour's Retford at 10.30am							
Sunday 5th Aug	Group Holy Communion at Askham at 10.30am							
Stokeham Church Services								
Sunday 1st July 9.00am - Holy Communion / Sunday 5th August 9.00am - Family Service								

Summer Break	For Sale
Heads Up goes off for its summer break for a month. The next edition will be September which will be published at the end of August.	<b>Large Dog Cage</b> £10 Phone Dave Burton on 01777 248085

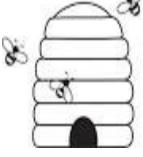
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