Garthorpe and Fockerby Newsletter

December 2024 email me at garthorpefockerbynews@gmail.com

This is the time of year when I look back at all the events we've had in the village, the ongoing craft groups, The Pantry in the Isle, the music evenings , Friends of Garthorpe & Fockerby events , RBL events, IEM events, Church Coffee mornings and day trips, Carol Concerts and Remembrance service, the Gathering, Village Hall events including On your doorstep talks and of course Party in the Park I realise for an isolated village we are very, very lucky.

A special thank you to the Village Hall Committee and to Jiggy in particular for the amazing work on driving the new kitchen forward and obtaining the grants to make this possible, it's not an easy task but its amazing achievement.

I am especially grateful to the volunteers that deliver the newsletter, because I print 185 copies per month……

We are very lucky that we have volunteers that devote hours a week of their time to make sure all these things happen. Otherwise, they wouldn't! We always want more help; we can do more things! Thanks to the Parish Council, Village Hall committee, RBL and St Marys church for driving forward the amazing diverse agendas.

This is the last newsletter of the year, and I don't do one for January 2025 so all that remains is for me to wish everyone Happy Christmas and a peaceful NewYear.

News from the Parish Council

The parish council minutes are online www.garthorpeandfockerbypc.org.uk

Members of the public are welcome to attend all meetings of the Parish Council as observers only, but a period of 15 minutes is allocated for a Public Forum at the beginning of each meeting.

The parish council are currently looking into possibilities to reduce the amount of speeding that occurs in the villages. If you do notice any speeding vehicles residents can report the offenders by taking their registration number and reporting to 101 or submit a report online at https://www.lincs.police.uk/

We are in the process of getting quotes in for work on the new ashes garden in the graveyard and have ordered two new matching benches for the graveyard.

The damage to the path on Shore Road was discussed, but no further contact has been made by Open Reach to reach a resolution. The next meeting of Garthorpe and Fockerby Parish Council will take place on Friday **6.12.24** at **6:45pm** at Garthorpe Village Hall.

For more information, please contact clerk@garthorpeandfockerbypc.org.uk

News from the Village Hall

Halloween was much enjoyed by all. Some very "horrible" children turned up at the hall after tricking and treating; well done them and their parents for super costumes.

What green fingers! (or should that be "orange" fingers?) Barry and Marcia Reed raised more than £100 for the village hall from the sale of pumpkins that they have grown. A big thank you to them for their hard work and generosity.

On Your Doorstep Talk – The Flixborough Explosion – Wednesday 4th December

It happened 50 years ago and was felt in Garthorpe. It was a horrific event and those who lived through it have stories to tell.

Our next talk will be given by Rick Loudon, author of "Flixborough – I was there" and Tricia Murphy of Amcotts, a village that was particularly badly affected.

Doors open at 7; the talk will begin at 7.30 pm. An entry charge of £3 includes a glass of wine or tea or coffee.

(The next talk after the New Year will be on 5th February)

Warm up your Sunday - December 1st

This winter there will be a series of Winter Warmer Brunches at the village hall.

· Hall open and heated 9.30 to 11.30

· Free unlimited tea, coffee and Sunday papers; (TV according to demand)

· Bacon and/or sausage butties starting at £2.50

· Veggie and gluten-free options

· Takeaway for those in a hurry…

The first of these will be Sunday December 1st with more to follow. Many thanks to SSE Winter Warmth Fund for making this possible.

Children's Christmas Party – afternoon of December 8th 2pm to 4pm

This is a party for children, parents, grandparents and all, with 100% Entertainment in charge. There will be games, food and a visit from Santa for the children (all for £5 per child); for the adults there will be a bar, refreshments and a chance to join in the laughs.

New kitchen – more progress

The November weather was (largely) kind and good progress has been made. The roof is on and we hope to be weather tight soon. There will be a small pause before stage two – fitting and equipping. We have most of the funds we need for this stage but there is one more grant to chase. Grant rules are strict ("don't start until you have all the funds") so we are obliged to wait. The hall will remain fully useable during this time.

Any questions? For enquiries about the Village Hall you can use Facebook, or garthorpevh@btinternet.com , or telephone 01724-798118, or speak to a Committee member (Jonny Martinson, Jiggy

Lloyd, Sam Simms, Joanne Smith, Samantha Peel, Charlie Parsonage, Emma Davies and Leona Swan.)

Some of the events that take place at the hall are run by organisations that hire the hall, and not by the Committee. For questions about these, please contact the organisation concerned,

November Lucky Number Results

228 D Clements
101. S Spruce
166. S Teal

Village Poppies

Thank you to everyone who helped make the village look lovely by displaying poppies on their property and lamp posts.

A donation of £50.00 was made by Garthorpe & District RBL towards the poppies, as well as all the private donations for individual poppies. Ron & Carol Gilleard donated £30.00 towards village poppies. They have been taken down now and ready to be reused for next year. We are looking forward to making a bigger display next Remembrance Sunday and looking at some ideas.

Thanks to Ron & Carol for driving this forward.

"The Gathering" a family gaming, modelling & painting event

This is a Warhammer fantasy gaming and painting, diorama construction and painting, dolls houses and accessories, metal soldier making, Pokémon and Magic - The Gathering tabletop games.

Due to unforeseen circumstances, it has been decided to reschedule December's Gatherings to the new year. The new dates (which are likely to coincide with school holidays) will be announced in due course.

Thank you to everyone who has supported this event so far. This event is supported by FOGOF.

I've included information about a brand-new model shop just opened in Ashby. Mischief Models can be found on Facebook.

MissChief Models

It is a traditional model hobby and craft shop, selling plastic model kits and other craft items. It is a brand-new venture, so I will be adding items as I go along, speaking with customers and listening to their feedback. My background is as a military veteran, 12 years in the British army as a cavalry trooper 17th/21st Lancers, and previously as a chef with the Parachute Regiment.

I've worked around the world on oil refineries and been a long-distance lorry driver. Worked in the local University before leaving to work with Blind Veterans. I decided to take the plunge and open the shop, as I have been a keen model maker myself for many years and missed visiting a local model shop. I also help run the Scunthorpe IPMS UK model club, which has been running since 2013.

I look forward to welcoming Garthorpe and Fockerby hobbyists to the shop and can also provide a free delivery service to those village members who cannot make it to the shop. (I live in Luddington, so can drop off on the way home at night).

Email is: misschiefmodels@gmail.com Tel:- 07368 291825

MissChief Models. 271 ASHBY HIGH STREETSCUNTHORPE DN162SD
Andy Hardwick

Table Tennis club

Table Tennis is available on **11.12.24** at Garthorpe Village Hall @ 7 30pm the cost is £1.50 a session including a cuppa! Bats available and all ages welcome.

Indoor Bowls

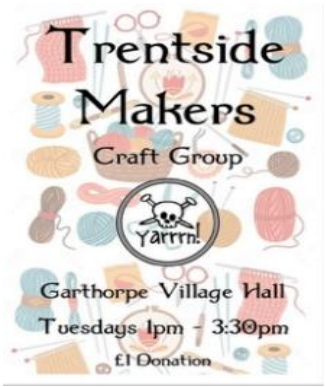
This is normally held in the village hall every Thursday evening @ 7.30pm, we currently have 8 members and would love to increase this number. Come down and see what it's all about & we would love to see you. Cost is £2.00.

Mobile Library news

Next visit is due on **29.11.24 & 20.12.24** at the Bay Horse between 2.10pm- 2.30pm.

Craft Fair 30.11.24 11.30-3pm

Trentside Makers Craft Group

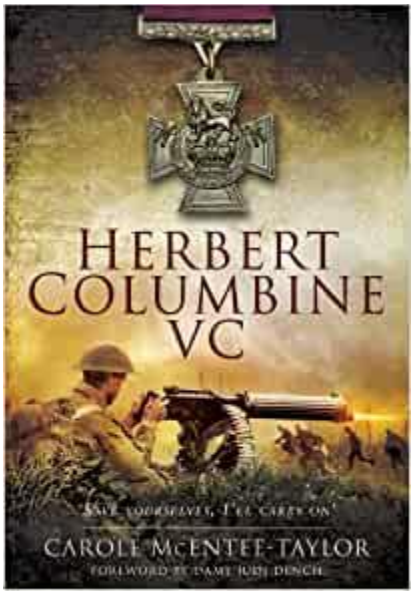


No Trentside Makers craft group on 24.12.24 & 31.12.24. The group will restart on 7.1.25

CaroleMcT Books

Hi everyone, its Carole, the village author again. I am writing this in Remembrance week, so it seems fitting that I begin with the first book I wrote about WW1 and the first private soldier to have a statue built in his honour, Herbert Columbine VC.

'Save Yourselves, I'll carry on.' These were the last known words of Herbert Columbine, shouted at his two companions on the afternoon of 22nd March 1918. At 9am that morning, in Hervilly Woods, France, 9 Squadron Machine Gun Corps had come under intense attack from a heavy force of German infantry. Private Columbine took command of an isolated gun, with no wire in front and began firing. As the German onslaught grew and casualties mounted, Herbert and two others eventually became separated from the rest of their Squadron. After several hours it became clear their position would soon be overrun so Herbert told them to escape while they could. Now on his own, Herbert hung on tenaciously, repelling several attacks, each one deadlier than the last. He was only defeated after the Germans bought up air support and dropped a bomb on his position. Herbert Columbine has no known grave. His death is commemorated on Panels 93 and 94 at the Pozieres Memorial to those missing in the Somme Sector 1918.



The driving force behind this book was Michael Turner who lived in Walton on the Naze in Essex and started the campaign for a statue to Herbert. The book was written to help raise money for the statue. Dame Judi Dench wrote the Foreword and John Doubleday sculpted the statue which stands on Walton on the Naze seafront. Sadly, Michael died before the unveiling ceremony but his ashes are in the base of the statue, a fitting memorial to his tireless campaigning. You can see pictures of the statue, the unveiling ceremony, Herbert's great great nephew whose resemblance to his ancestor is uncanny, and more on my website. Herbert Columbine VC - Carole McEntee-Taylor Books

This month's fiction is Betrayed - a murder mystery set in Germany and Palestine in the 1930s and 1940s.

It was bad enough having a serial murderer lose in Berlin, but when the latest victim is his sister Sabine's best friend Rachel, Otto is devasted. Even more worrying is Sabine's

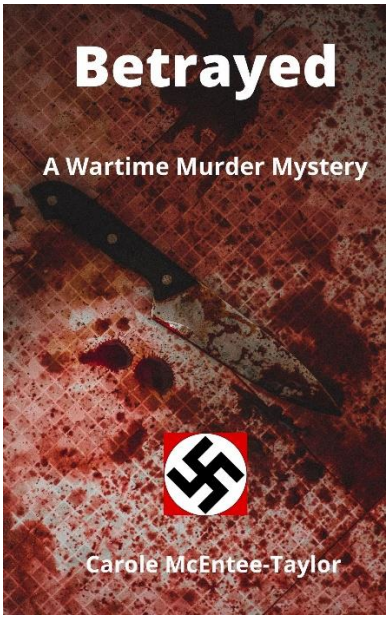
growing friendship with Ari, Rachel's brother. In Nazi Germany being friends with a Jewish family is not a good idea, being in love is asking for trouble.

Once war starts Berlin becomes even more dangerous, the killer doesn't seem to care about the victim's race, but the Nazis do. As Sabine's family grow more concerned about the situation, they hatch a plan that will have far reaching consequences into the future, not just for Sabine and Ari but for the whole family.

Betrayed begins in 1930s Berlin and ends in post war Palestine as the true extent of the family's betrayal finally comes to light.

This book contains adult content.

All books are available in print and eBook format from Amazon & other online retailers or can be ordered from the library or bookshops. For more information please see: https://carolemctbooks.info/



Merry Christmas and happy reading everyone.

Hi everyone, the village author here (again😉) I thought you might like an update on the village book.

I am delighted to announce that Carol and Ian Whaley, specialists in local and family history, have recently moved into the village and are going to help me with deeper research into Garthorpe and Fockerby. A History (provisional title). Brian Woolhouse is also helping with photos and stories and Ron Gilleard is a font of useful knowledge and information. This means we can expand it well beyond my initial book and plans.

To ensure we reach as many people as possible we will be organising some events in the village hall next year, afternoon and evening, for you to bring your history to us so we can produce a book that tells the real story of Garthorpe and Fockerby, its people, it's community and its history through the lives of the residents, past and present.

We will be able to scan your photos, records, pictures and maps at these events, so you don't have to leave them anywhere and risk losing them. We can also record your recollections and memories, so you don't have to write anything down, unless you prefer to. This will ensure your family history is never forgotten, and your memories are there for future generations.

With your help the book will be a comprehensive record for future generations detailing the personal, individual, family and collective history of Garthorpe and Fockerby as well as the business, farming, sporting and social history of the villages, the things that made you laugh and those that made you cry, the community spirit, the fundraising and other events, the different groups that were active and still are.

The day-to-day details of your lives may seem boring and irrelevant to you, but they will be fascinating to future generations and social historians. You don't believe me? Think about how much the world and our lives have changed in the last 60 years and how different our parents' and grandparents' lives were. How many times have you wished you'd asked your relatives for more information, more stories, but now it's too late?

Garthorpe and Fockerby. A History is your story, your past and your present. Your opportunity to ensure your ancestors are remembered and your children don't think: if only I'd asked...

Details of the first events and contact details will be in the next newsletter and on social media. Meanwhile, why not start putting some stuff together. Happy Christmas and all the best for an exciting 2025.

The story of a very lucky hoglet

Well, I had no idea that hedgehogs don't reverse because their prickles get stuck in things they can't see and that stops them. They may be little but can cover up to 5 miles in one night, no wonder they need to eat so much.

We are having to learn a lot about hedgehogs since Colin found this little one that's far too small to survive hibernation. Hoglet was only 277g when he found it but ten days later it's already 410g. Andrew's Hedgehog Hospital say that they need to be 700g to have the best chance of surviving, and they mustn't get fat too quickly because big rolls of fat stop them from curling up. It must be getting used to us because it doesn't always curl into a ball when picked up now, and that happens three times a day when the paper in the cat carrier is changed.

This time of year, all the rescue centres are full which is why we are looking after Hoglet, who is female, but the hospital told us to take in a sample of droppings for them to analyse. A good thing we did that the next day because it is infested with Capillaria, a type of lungworm, and was very ill as well as starving. Sexing them isn't difficult but have you ever tried to get a hedge to uncurl so you can look at its tummy! It is getting weekly injections to kill the parasites and is now improving.

She grunts and snuffles when picked up, probably telling me to b****r off, and is becoming more spherical when she does curl up, being 'boat' shaped is a sign of parasites. It was when we asked about how we would know when she needed larger accommodation that we were told about the reversing, and it's when she's getting too big to turn around. Colin will build her a two roomed hutch so when she reaches 700g she can go out into the shed where she can hibernate in straw and leaves with water and a snack waiting for odd times when she wakes up.

This very lucky hoglet is being cared for by Jules & Colin Davies.

Fockerby girl with a racing dream

We started following Eleanor Shelby (aka ESP racing) on her racing dream. She is a 7year old girl, who one day just decided she'd love to race in Motorsport and one day become an F1 driver. Hopefully we can follow her every month on her journey. Eleanor is trying out new tracks regularly now in view of getting ready for racing next year.

Eleanor won her championship

1st in class for end of season at Blyton.

However Eleanor had a massive crash last weekend on Saturday at the last Fullbeck sprint, bent and twisted all her kart and suspected broken knuckle in her hand,

We got the kart straight and got her back out for race day on Sunday and she smashed it

considering her hand was killing! She came middle of the pack in her races and got her personal best time for the track. Her coach is really happy with her and looks forward to winter-testing for Super One nationally next year!

Eleanor's go fund me appeal is still open if you can help. (https://gofund.me/879b2a4f)

Friends of Garthorpe & Fockerby

Presentation of a cheque to Winterton Medical Centre Dr Samuel (Head Partner) Nurse Nicols Ball & Nurse Geoff Chapman & of course our own David Armstrong from Friends of Garthorpe & Fockerby, for their work in supporting the 5k & 10K run in the village. The money was donated to go towards the treatment room equipment.

Winterton Medical Centre kindly replenished all First Aid Kits for St Mary's at no charge. Thank you to them for this.

The Christmas Fair 7.12.24

The Christmas fair is on its way and held at Holyrood House on Shore Road 1.30-5pm. Lots of exciting things going on. Please remember it is free apart from the children's train ride. Please come and support this event if you can.

Please do remember to dress warmly. The gates open at 13.30pm with the first train ride at 2pm & last one at 4.30pm with the gates closing at 5pm. Only children are allowed on the train. Collect your childrens wristbands at the entrance to Holyrood House for the train ride. Hot food , cakes & drinks will be available to buy as well as free hot& cold drinks.Raffle draw is at 4.30pm. Local photographer will be taking pictures , if you do not want your photo taken please let a member of Friends of Garthorpe know.

St Mary's Church

That coin in your Christmas pudding

There is a tradition, which dates from the Middle Ages, of putting silver coins into Christmas puddings. The first coins used were a silver farthing or penny. After World War One, it became a threepenny bit and then a sixpence. Finding one was supposed to bring

you good fortune, but probably it was more likely to break a tooth as you bit into the pudding.
We now pay for most things with plastic or by tapping a mobile telephone. In future, will people put old credit cards or phones in their Christmas pudding? Hope not.
Other coins 'appear' at this time of year. Chocolate coins are traditionally given to children at Christmas time, and in Jewish tradition during Hanukkah. It is said that one night Saint Nicholas climbed on a roof and threw a purse of money down a chimney, which landed in a pair of stockings that a little girl had hung up to dry. Good throw!

Rev. Mark Zammit
(Vicar of Haxey & Owston Ferry)
(Priest-in-Charge of The Crowle Group)

Friends of Garthorpe, Garthorpe and District RBL. Victoriana's, Marys Church and Live Music Garthorpe would like to thank Sue Teal for all her hard work over the year compiling and printing the newsletter. To all the volunteers that help to make things happen for the village. Thank you to the community of Garthorpe and Fockerby and surrounding villages for their support. We would all like to wish you all a very merry Christmas and a happy new year.

Annual Giving

The annual giving for St Mary's will start in December. There will be a giving box in church for donations. Donations can be given at a coffee morning or church service as advertised or drop at 2 Church cottages Shore Road

St Mary's is due a Quinquennial inspection. This is a visit from the architect to inspect the building, I have been advised that it will cost between £2,000 - £3,000, which a big chunk out of the Churches savings and not withstanding all the other yearly outgoings. It's absolutely frightening to think of this year's expenditure, could be around £5,500, which is a lot of money.

We will wait to see the recommendations from the architect. Hopefully there won't be a lot that's considered essential work to be carried out.

Remembrance Sunday

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ATTENDED THE

St Mary's Church
and
Garthorpe and District Royal British Legion

Remembrance Service.

We would like to thank the people who stepped up and took part in the Service and to those who laid the wreaths at the Memorial.
It was nice to see the public laying their own personal poppy crosses.

The date for next years Service will be Sunday 8th November 2025 at 10-30 am.

With Thanks,

St Mary's Church
and Garthorpe & District Royal British Legion

We Will Remember Them

Thank you to the 73 people who attended the service.

Christmas Carol Service

This will be held in church at 4-30pm on **22/12/24**.

Coffee Mornings

Village support is always appreciated when a fundraising event is put on., every coffee helps this year!

We would like to thank all the regulars that come and support us at our Coffee Mornings and other fundraising events.

The last coffee morning raised £110.00.

14.12.24 Coffee Morning Kippers for Breakfast, 9am to 11am.

This has generated massive interest. The cost is £2.00 and includes kippers, crusty bread tea or coffee. Booking and pre-payment will be essential. Bookings/ payments taken from2/11/24 to 7/12/24. Tel 01724798241 or email David on djgraham62outlook.com.

Santa Visit

This has become a lovely tradition between Adlingfleet & our villages, and it's not associated with the Lions events.

If you haven't witnessed it, you've missed out on the fabulous goodwill feeling. Come out and meet Santa and his assorted band of merry helpers on 21.12.24. This event is not collecting money but about giving back to our village community and creating the Christmas experience.

Starting at the Bay Horse@ 6pm

Travelling down the high street

Stopping at the bus stop at the top of Margrave Lane

Down Luddington Road

Up the first part of Westend across into Station Road and down to the Station

Turn around and back down Station Road Fockerby

On to Cross Street & down to the bottom of shore Road.

Concerts in Garthorpe in 2024

As we complete the programme for 2024., the new one opens up for next year…tickets can be prebooked from now.

As of this week, we are pleased to announce a new service to everyone. Live Music Garthorpe will be publishing every week Music New Releases with possible due dates and formats (LP/CD).
We hope this may be of some Interest to you. Every Friday/weekend it will be published and headed "New Release Music" Please note release dates are correct at the time of publishing but could change without notice.
www.livemusicgarthorpe.co.uk

Bringing live music to rural communities.
Live Music Garthorpe is Based in Garthorpe Scunthorpe North lincs DN17 4AE.

To all Bruce Springsteen Followers, Acoustic Springsteen with Tom Brooksby tickets are now on sale.
Full Information below.
EARLY TWEET TWEET WARNING-
FOR ONE MONTH ONLY FROM 1/11/24 - 1/12/24 tickets will be £12 then on sale for £15. .
To purchase tickets please go to www.livemusicgarthorpe.co.uk
"Experience is Everything"

The Isle of Axholme Orchestra

The Isle of Axholme Orchestra will be performing in Garthorpe on Saturday 1.3.2025, with a classical rock show. Tickets are £8.00 & on sale 1/1/25.Please note the venue is still to be confirmed by mid-December, The concert in Epworth in November was a sellout.

LIVE MUSIC Garthorpe is supporting this event to help raise funds for St Mary's Church

Save your stamps for RNIB

Can you help me to help this charity?

Collect stamps for RNIB and make a difference to blind and partially sighted people.

RNIB raise £20 for every kilogramme of stamps they receive.

If you, your business or your organisation, receive cards and letters through the post, could you save the stamps please.

Stamps are sold by weight and help raise funds for RNIB.

What type of stamps can you send?

We accept all stamps: new or used, first or second class, foreign, first day covers, presentation packs or albums.

Collection points

When saving your stamps, trim carefully around them, leaving approximately one centimetre of paper around the edge.

Keep them safe in an envelope until you have enough to drop off at the village locations. I've spoken to various groups in the village & they are happy to support.

Tuesday with Trentside Makers Craft Group.

Thursday at The Pantry between 5-6pm.

Friday at the monthly Hobby Huddle

St Marys Church Events;

Or drop them at Manor Cottage Fockerby

If you can, please separate them into British and Overseas (Channel Islands and Isle of Man count as foreign).

Get everyone involved

Saving stamps is an easy way to support RNIB at home, work, or in your local community There is no financial cost to you, but it will benefit someone else. Please help if you can.

INCREDIBLE EDIBLE MARSHLAND

Halloween and bonfire night have both made an exit for another year, which means we are now facing Christmas next month!! Just where has this year gone?

I've been dipping into my "Is it really green" book this week and have discovered some awesome facts (erring on the dreadful side in fact).

The UK gets through 227,000 miles of wrapping paper EVERY CHRISTMAS!

10 million unwanted gifts were received in Australia in 2018! (Did someone do a survey on this???)

Of the cards bought in the UK, only 33% get recycled!

One litre of paint can generate 30 litres of toxic waste during its production! (It's a good reason to avoid the decorating in the New Year).

Enough startling facts for now and on to what has been happening at Incredible Edible Marshland.

Events have slowed down a bit as we approach Xmas, and we all get busy with being Santa's helpers. Yoga has still been held on the usual Monday slot at Reedness Primary School 6.30 to 7.30. We have gained a number of new members this month, so the group continues to remain popular and to grow.

The regular Hobby Huddle also took place at Garthorpe Village Hall (second Friday of each month) and was once again well attended. The

raffle prize this month was a small Christmas Hamper full of delicious treats. The Huddle during December also has a Christmas themed raffle prize. Why not join us on 13th December to find out what it is?

I am writing this prior to a short break starting at the weekend and my stay includes the cut-off date for the newsletter. There is a gardening workshop on Greenhouse & Conservatory gardening on Friday 15th November and a craft workshop on 23rd November to make a Willow & Paper Lantern. I will bring you up to date in the next issue. Look out for our new programme which will be out in the New Year. In the meantime, the following events are taking place during December.

Yoga takes place on 2nd December at Ousefleet Village Hall but will be back at Reedness Primary School for the 9th and 16th December as usual. A big thankyou to Sue Russell who takes the class for her input. The Hobby Huddle as mentioned already will take place as usual on 13th December. The last craft workshop of the year takes place on Friday 6th December 7pm to 9pm in which cane stars are being made. Having seen them they are rather beautiful and can

be used in many ways. Cost of the workshop is £20 – all materials and refreshments are included in this cost.

And that is it for 2024. Incredible Edible Marshland would like to wish everyone a very Happy Christmas as well as Health, Wealth and Happiness in the New Year.

Bridget Bramley

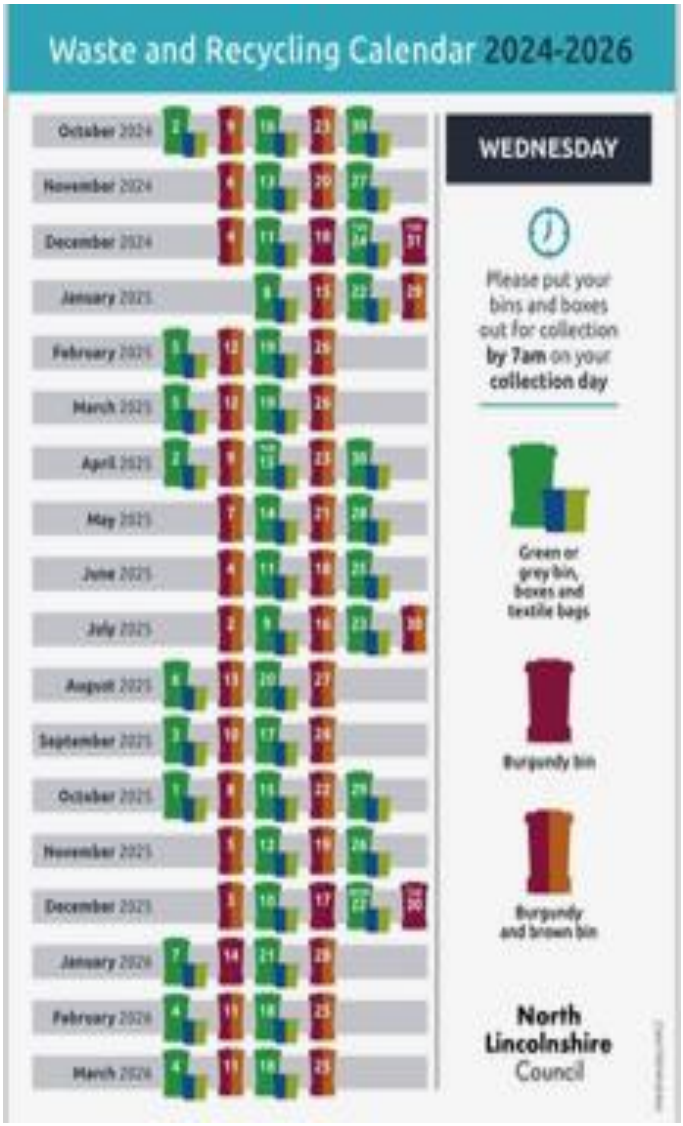
For & on behalf of Incredible Edible Marshland.

P.S. Join me again in 2025!

What do John the Baptist and Winnie the Pooh have in common? ……Their middle name.

Just getting you ready for the Christmas Crackers!!

Latest Calendar for recycling



My thanks to Jiggy Lloyd & the Village Hall committee, James Woodcock Clerk to the Parish Council, David Graham for St Marys Church, RBL & music events, Emma Davies for FOGOF & Bridget Bramley for IEM, Garthorpe & Fockerby Parish Council & Friends of Garthorpe & Fockerby for their support. Carol McEntee-Taylor for her contribution,

Jules Davies & Jules Fox.

Photos of St Mary's church by Brian Woolhouse & Ron Gilleard for the Poppy Road signs. The information in this newsletter was correct at the time of printing.

Any events for the February newsletter to be in by **20.1.25. Sue Teal**

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

Date	Time	Events In December 2024	Cost	Venue
Tues26.11.24	1.00-3.30pm 7.00-8.00pm	Trentside Makers Serpafit	£1.00 £2.00	Village Hall
Thurs28.11.24	5pm-6pm 7.30pm	Pantry on the isle Indoor Bowls	£5.50 £2.00	Village Hall
Fri 29.11.24	2.10-2.30pm	mobile library		Bay Horse
Sat 30.11.24	11.30-3pm	Christmas Craft Fayre		Village Hall
Sun 1.12.24	9.30-11.30am	Winter Warmer Brunches		Village Hall
Tues 3.12.24	1.00-3.30pm 7.00-8.00pm	Trentside Makers Serpafit	£1.00 £2.00	Village Hall
Weds 4.12.24	7pm for 7.30pm	On your doorstep talks Flixborough -we remember	£3.00	Village Hall
Thurs 5.12.24	5pm-6pm 7.30pm	Pantry on the isle Indoor Bowls	£5.50 £2.00	Village Hall
Fri 6.12.24.24	6.45pm	PC Meeting		Village Hall
Sat 7.12.24	1.30-5pm	Christmas Fair	Free.	Holyrood House
Sun 8.12.24	9-11am	Children's Christmas party	£5 per child	Village Hall
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Weds 11.12.24	7.30pm	Table Tennis	£1.50	Village Hall
Thurs 12.12.24	5pm-6pm 7.30pm	Pantry on the isle Indoor Bowls	£5.50 £2.00	Village Hall
Fri.13.12.24	7-9.30pm	Hobby Huddle	Free	Village Hall
Sat 14.12.24	9-11am	Kippers for Breakfast Coffee Morning	Pre book £2.00	St Marys Church
Tues 17.124	1.00-3.30pm 7pm-8pm	Trentside Makers Serpafit	£1.00 £2.00	Village Hall
Thurs 19.12.24	5-6pm 7.30pm	Pantry on the isle Indoor Bowls	£5.50 £2.00	Village Hall
Fri 20.12.24	2.10-2.30pm	Mobile library		Bay horse
Sat 21.12.24	From 6pm	Santa Buggy		
Sun 22.12.24	4.30pm	Carol Service		St Marys
Tues 24.12.24		NO Trentside Makers NO Serpafit		
Tues 31.12.24		NO Trentside Makers NO Serpafit		
Tues7.1.25/14.1.25/21.1.25	1.00pm-3.30pm 7.00-8.00pm	Trentside Makers Serpafit	£1.00 £2.00	Village Hall
Weds 8.1.25	7.30pm	Table Tennis	£1.50	Village Hall
Thurs9.1.25,16.1.25,22.1.25	5pm-6pm 7.30pm	Pantry on the isle Indoor Bowls	£5.50 £2.00	Village Hall
Fri 10.1.25	7-9.30pm	Hobby Huddle	Free	Village Hall