

# Wootton Village Newsletter

## Wootton Saint Andrews CoE School

It has been an eventful term. Covid finally found its way to school but hopefully we are over the worst. Restrictions have been put back in place to break the transmission.

As Advent approaches, we would normally be practicing for Christmas productions but unfortunately, we are unable to go ahead with them again this year. Maybe next year!

Covid permitting we will be holding a carol service on Thursday 16th Dec in church at 10.30am. The children will be enjoying class parties to add excitement to the end of term; I know many of them have written lists for Santa already!

May I, all staff, governors and pupils wish you all a healthy, happy and merry Christmas and very best wishes for the New Year. To contact the school office call 01469 588361 or email [admin.wootton@northlincs.gov.uk](mailto:admin.wootton@northlincs.gov.uk).

## Saint Andrews Church, Wootton

Church services are held on the second and fourth Sundays of the month at 9:15 all are welcome. Please see the notice board for any updates.

### NOVEMBER

Sunday 14th, Remembrance Service 9.30 am. Coffee afterwards.

Thursday 25th, Concert Snake Davis , 6.30 for 7pm, Tickets £10 each from richard.kitching145@btinternet.com or 07850 240888 interval with refreshments .

### DECEMBER

Friday 3rd St Andrews School , Christingle Service 10.30 am.

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> Children's Nativity trail around the village, starting at St Andrews church at 2pm to 4pm

Sunday 12th Church service 9.15 am where the Bishop of Grimsby will be attending .

Thursday 16th St Andrew's school carol service 10.30 am.

Saturday 18th Meadowsong Choir , at 6.30pm . £5 Adult £3 for children, pay at the door.

Friday 24th Carol Service 6pm. Mulled wine and mince pies after the service.

## Wootton Village Hall

Barriers have replaced the old gates on the entrances to the village hall to stop any unwanted guests these will be closed (like Ulceby village hall) when the hall isn't in use.

The village hall refurbishment is well underway and hoped to be completed for the new year with new toilets and an improved kitchen facility. The space is still available for hire and advance bookings. For all village hall enquiries please contact Shelly Chapman on 01469 531229 via Facebook Wootton Village Hall or email [den2121shelc@hotmail.com](mailto:den2121shelc@hotmail.com)

# Wootton Parish Council

We are very saddened to report the vandalism of the picnic bench at the side of the pond. Part of the seat was broken off and thrown into the pond. This was retrieved and repaired. The next day the village awoke to find it in the pond. It's a very heavy (and expensive) piece of furniture and was the gift of 3 ex-Wootton School pupils who worked hard raising funds to purchase it. It took 4 men to retrieve it from the pond - special thanks to Alex and Jacob Smith, Cllr's Simmonds, Styche, Atkinson and Shoot. Sadly, the bench is now beyond repair.

A planning application has been submitted to improve the parking facility for the residents at Wudaton Court and alleviate parking problems on vicarage lane.

A speed radar sign has been commissioned for the village for a period of 6 months. The parish council are looking at grants and funding in the hope that a permanent speed radar can be installed.

The Thornton Curtis and Wootton WI group are celebrating 100 years and are in the process of planting 100+ trees in places that are linked to their members. Areas being considered are the west end seating area, Cherry Lane (replacing dead and diseased cherry blossom trees) and the village hall.

Parish Council meetings are held on the third Tuesday of the at 7pm. As restrictions are still subject to changes, it is advisable to contact Karen - the clerk to the parish council at [adair1@btinternet.com](mailto:adair1@btinternet.com) if you wish to attend. At every meeting there is an opportunity for any member of the public present to make comments about the agenda items, for a maximum of 15 minutes total, prior to the commencement of the parish council meeting. (You do not need to stay for the entire meeting.) Details of all your local representatives can be found on the notice board by the pond as well as at [www.woottonparishcouncil.co.uk](http://www.woottonparishcouncil.co.uk) The number for general North Lincolnshire Council enquires is 01724 297000 and the out of hours number for NLC Emergencies is 01724 276444.

## The Nags Head at Wootton

The Nags Head in November/December will bring many events for your entertainment including several artists that are new to us.

Tuesdays - Weekly Quiz 9pm start. £1 per person entry fee Cash prizes.

Sunday – Weekly Music, TV and Film quiz – 6.15pm start. Free to enter win Wootton pounds.

Saturday 6th November – Devils Right Hand return to the Nags Head. This Rockabilly band are second to none in this area and many of you will remember drummer DC Amero who has performed here at the Nags with Mons Wheeler and the Tone Kings. This is the event you really should not miss. **Tickets £5 each.** 8.30pm start.

Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November – Wear it pink quiz. An evening of fun with a serious undertone. Win prizes whilst at the same time raise money for Breast Cancer. 9pm start.

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> November – For the first time at the Nags Head we welcome the Dangerous Brothers. We are reliably informed that this band will set the lace alight with their music. **Tickets £5 each.** 8.30pm start.

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November – The first of our Christmas Knock Outs, this one is the domino out. Free to enter pairs competition starts at 8.30pm. Prizes for winners and runners up.

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> November – For the first time at the Nags Head we are playing Rock & Roll bingo. Listen to the music, identify it, if it is on your card mark it off. As simple as playing bingo but with the fun of the music sing-along. 9pm start.

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December – Xmas Darts Knock Out 8.30pm start. Free to enter. Prizes for winner & runner up.

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas lights switch on with Santa contact the Nags Head 01469 588253 for full details.

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Knock out 5 & 3's. Free to enter. Prizes for winners & runners up.

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December – Live music from the man himself **SKABURST**, Rick has entertained us many times over the past two years leaving us with some special memories. Not to be missed. 8.30pm start free to enter.

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Eve – Presents wrapped, Christmas lunch set up so come and relax over your favourite tippie in your favourite pub.

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Day – We are open between 12noon and 2pm for drinks only.

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> December – Boxing Day – Starting at 6pm come and enjoy a light-hearted evening of play your cards right, music bingo, take your pick and karaoke.

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> December – See in the new Year with the lovely Charlie Rose. Free to enter, so no reason not to come and enjoy the new year for the first time since 2019.