Newsletter

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John Barnett (HCRA Chairman) pictured receiving his award at Durham County Council's Chairman's medal award ceremony.



Hi folks,

It is time for the Spring Newsletter, in which we keep you up-to-date with what is happening. I have attended several charity events, which keeps me in touch with what is going on in surrounding villages. We have set up two working groups and both are doing extremely well.

The flower and vegetable show this year will have a children's section for the first time in it's history, and it is hoped that all the local schools will be getting involved this year.

The Queen's Diamond Jubilee is on Sunday the 3rd June and for this special event we have a variety of activities going on in the Welfare Park, including the group "Central Park". (event details on page 4). We have medals to give away and lunch boxes to distribute, more



information will be available at a later date. A big Thanks to everyone who has worked extremely hard to organise these events and to the staff who have volunteered to work on this day, we hope the day will be an extremely happy and memorable day for everyone.

The Community Plan is well under way. We have another couple of meetings then we can start to put the plan into action.

The Olympic Torch will be coming through Horden on Sunday 17th June between at approximately 10am. There will be a bouncy castle in the Memorial Park to keep the young one's entertained, so come along and give you're support!

Chairman

Jean White

Please Note: Horden Colliery Heritage Centre is now open every Thursday between 10am and 12noon.

Please remember the Horden Social Welfare Centre is your centre, if you would like to see how we can help you with an event, celebration or meeting room hire, please just get in touch

Heritage Coastal Footpath Walk

Why not dust off those walking boots and join Niall from Durham Heritage Coast on this 9 mile coastal walk on Sunday 1st July, when he will be walking the coastal footpath from Dawdon to Crimdon. See what plants line the pathway and learn a little more about the history of the Durham coast. As the return journey is by minibus booking is essential (sorry no dogs are allowed on the minibus). Places are limited so please book early by telephoning: 0191 383 3351, when full information will be given on the event.

Walk duration is approximately 6 hours, starting at 10.30am. Remember to bring a packed lunch and plenty of refreshments, protection from the elements and sturdy shoes!



National Trust Family Event at Cotsford Lane Horden





Saturday 25th August 2012, 10am until 3pm. Durham Coast.

The village of Horden is the setting for our second annual coastal festival. Get into the seaside spirit with plenty of free fun and games, kids activities, entertainment and displays, all with a maritime flavour.



Cotsford Field, Cotsford Lane, Horden, Peterlee, Co. Durham. Keep up to date with events and news at www.facebook.com/nymcd

Green Leaf Cafe Is once again open for business!

Royal Trees for Horden and Easington!

Working with Durham County Council, Durham Heritage Coast, Horden Regeneration Partnership, Easington in Bloom and Northumbrian Water,

Registered Social Landlord Accent Foundation is this month planting two acres of trees on Durham's Heritage Coast at Horden and Easington Colliery.

The native trees, including two Royal Oak saplings grown on the Queen's estate, will create new woodland areas with planting and involves community volunteers and local agencies over two days to celebrate the Queen's Diamond Jubilee. The trees have already been planted at Horden and any residents and local groups interested in joining in the planting at Easington Colliery should contact Accent Community Organiser: Michael on 0191 569 1507.

Accent is one of thousands of organisations across the UK Pictured planting the Royal Oak—L to R helping to plant a total of 6 million trees as part of the Woodland Trust's Jubilee Woods Project which will create a lasting tribute for many years to come.



Charlotte Wilkinson (Durham County Council Countryside) Michael Munro (Durham County Council Countryside) Michael Fishwick (Accent Foundation) and Trevor Stephenson (Volunteer)

An injured walker was found North of Warren House on Wednesday 7th March which led to a dramatic air ambulance rescue!



DIAMOND JUBILEE OLYMPICS 2012

Primary Location—Horden Welfare Park

Horden Welfare Park Event

Central Park

Band Performance - 2 x 45minutes in the Bandstand.

Magic Jack Magician - 2 shows.

Unicycles and Juggler

Balloon Artists.

Punch and Judy.

500 Balloon Release.

Picnic / Party Boxes Giveaway - 500no.

Commemorative Medal Giveaway - 300no.

Horden Parish Council Games Stalls and Rides.

Bouncy Castles.

Trampolines.

Olympic Games - To Be Arranged.

Peterlee Archery Club Taster Day.

School Poster Competition.

Royal Fancy Dress Competition - To Be Arranged.

Olympic Event

Balloon Artists.

Bouncy Castles.

Olympic Games.

Horden Parish Council Games Stalls and Rides.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY Have Your Say...

Thursday 7th June 2012 -

Parish Council Meeting, 6pm Social Welfare Centre.

Thursday 21st June 2012 -

Social Welfare Centre Sub-Committee,

12 noon Social Welfare Centre

day 5th July 2012 - Parish Council Meeting, 6pm

Social Welfare Centre.

Thursday 19th July 2012 -Social Welfare Centre Sub-Committee, 12 Noon, Social Welfare Centre

Parish Council Meeting, 6pm Social Welfare Centre

Thursday 20th September 2012 -Social Welfare Centre Sub-Committee, 12 Noon, Social Welfare Centre.

Parish Council Meeting, 6pm,

Social Welfare Centre

Thursday 18th October 2012

Social Welfare Centre Sub-Committee,

12 noon Social Welfare Centre

Parish Council Meeting, 6pm, Social Welfare Centre

Social Welfare Centre Sub-Committee, 12 Noon, Social Welfare Centre.

Summer Activities 2012

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
Sunday 3rd June	1pm - 4.30pm	Queens Diamond Jubilee Event	Welfare Park
Sunday 8th July	1.30pm - 5pm	Teddy Bear's Picnic	Welfare Park
Monday 23rd July	1.15pm - 3.30pm	Crazy Golf	Welfare Park
Tuesday 24th July	1.15pm - 3.30pm	Hockey	Welfare Park
Wednesday 25th July	1pm - 3.30pm	Bouncey Castle Fun	Welfare Park
Thursday 26th July	1.15pm - 3.30pm	Crazy Golf	Welfare Park
Friday 27th July	1.15pm - 3pm	Trampolines	Welfare Park
Monday 30th July	1pm - 3pm	Kwik Cricket	Welfare Park
Tuesday 31st July	10am - 12noon	Craft Workshop	Horden Social Welfare Centre
Wednesday 1st August	1pm - 3pm	Bouncey Castle Fun	Welfare Park
Thursday 2nd August	1pm - 3pm	Crazy Golf	Welfare Park
Friday 3rd August	1pm - 3.30pm	Origami Workshop	Horden Social Welfare Centre
Saturday 4th August	2pm - 4pm	Church's Together	Welfare Park
Monday 6th August	1pm - 3.30pm	Have-a-go Archery	Welfare Park
Tuesday 7th August	1pm - 3.30pm	Trampolines	Welfare Park
Wednesday 8th August	1pm - 3.30pm	African Drumming Workshop	Welfare Park
Thursday 9th August	1pm - 3.30pm	Falconry Display/Bouncy Castle	Welfare Park
Friday 10th August	1.15pm - 3pm	New Age Bowling & Kurling	Horden Social Welfare Centre
Monday 13th August	1pm - 3.30pm	Bugs 'n' Stuff Workshop	Horden Social Welfare Centre
Tuesday 14th August	1pm - 3pm	Field Games	Welfare Park
Wednesday 15th August	1pm - 4pm	Pirates in The Park	Welfare Park
Thursday 16th August	1pm - 3.30pm	Rounders	Welfare Park
Friday 17th August	1pm - 3pm	Short Tennis	Welfare Park
Sunday 19th August	2pm - 4pm	Brass Band	Welfare Park
Monday 20th August	1.15pm - 3pm	Trampolines	Welfare Park
Tuesday 21st August	10am - 12noon	Craft Workshop	Horden Social Welfare Centre
Wednesday 22nd August	1.30pm - 2.30pm	The Karl Jeffery's Puppet Show	Horden Social Welfare Centre
Thursday 23rd August	1pm - 3.30pm	Circus Workshop	Welfare Park
Friday 24th August	1.15pm - 3pm	Crazy Golf	Welfare Park
Monday 27th August	1.15pm - 3pm	New Age Bowling & Kurling	Horden Social Welfare Centre
Tuesday 28th August	1pm - 3pm	Bouncey Castle Fun	Welfare Park
Sunday 9th September	1pm - 4.30pm	Fun Day	Welfare Park
For further details contact Jimmy Bush on 0191 5180823. Please note time and events may change subject to weather conditions. Any changes			

will be displayed in park notice boards

Have you ever wanted to tell the Parish Council what you think of the services that are provided: Wanted to make a complaint but didn't know who to write to or where to send a letter? There are many ways that you can contact us:

You can phone us on 0191 5180823 during office hours, or leave a message on our answer phone after hours. You can contact us by e-mail at:hordencouncil@btconnect.com

Or you can fax us, on: 0191 5180385

Letters of enquiry, compliment or complaint can be sent to: The Clerk - Mr Paul Davison, Horden Parish Council, Social Welfare Centre, Seventh Street, Horden, Peterlee, Co Durham, SR8 4LX.

You can call into the Social Welfare Centre during office hours. If you wish to speak to the Clerk, you may need to make an appointment. This can be arranged by telephoning the office in advance.

If you are interested in finding out how the Parish Council makes decisions, you are entitled to attend meetings of the Parish Council to observe the proceedings. Meetings of the Parish Council, Parks & Cemetery Committee and Finance & General Purposes Committee are held the first Thursday of the month (except August) in the Training Room at the Social Welfare Centre from 6.00 pm. The agenda for the meeting (which details what is to be discussed) is placed on the notice board in the foyer of Horden Social Welfare Centre on the Friday before the meeting.

If you wish to speak at the meeting, all you need to do is contact the Clerk before the meeting. You would be able to speak at the Public Participation Section of the meeting. A maximum of 20 minutes is allowed for the public.

To find out more, please contact the Clerk.

You can contact Horden Parish Council Office direct:

Chairman: Jean White

Councillors: Mr R Bagnall

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All Councillors can be contacted via the Parish

Clerk to the Council: Paul Davison Assistant Clerk: Jacqui Hunt

Admin & Finance Officer: Gemma Rowe

Office Opening Hours:

Monday – Thursday: 9.00 am – 5.00 pm

Friday: 9.00 am - 4.30 pm

Social Welfare Centre opening Hours:

Monday till 6.30 pm

Tuesday till 8.00 pm

Wednesday till 5.00 pm

Thursday till 9.00 pm

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