

Village News



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Summer 2012

Diamond Jubilee Special

On behalf of the whole village, we would like to express our thanks to all those that have worked so hard to provide us all with a Diamond Jubilee experience that will be remembered for a long time.

Special thanks to the Ferriby Diamond Jubilee Committee led by David Imrie and Margaret & Chris Swindin, to the Open Gardens Committee, the Friends of Ferriby Church and North Ferriby Flower Club for A Festival of Flowers, to all those villagers that have decorated their gardens with flags, bunting and scarecrows as well as wonderful flower displays, to those that opened their gardens for all to enjoy or held yard sales, and to everyone that made the whole season a success by supporting these events.

Many public buildings have been open for the events and many village organisations have played a big part. With the Euro football ongoing and the Olympics still to happen it is a year to celebrate our nation and our village with pride.

JUBILANT FERRIBY!

Now that the Ferriby Diamond Jubilee Festival is over we can all look back on a fortnight of highly successful events which achieved all the goals we set out for the Festival when we started planning it eighteen months ago. It was a super community event which brought together many hundreds, even thousands, of Ferriby people and visitors to celebrate this once in a lifetime Diamond Jubilee and to enjoy themselves in many ways, in a programme designed to offer something for everyone. What has given us the greatest satisfaction is the happy and friendly atmosphere. It brought out a true community spirit.

When the Big Lunch was transferred to the Parish Hall this spirit was apparent, because we think around 350 people crammed themselves into the Hall and enjoyed their picnic lunch just as much as if it had been on the school field as originally planned. And what can we say about the Fun Day, other than that it exceeded all our expectations, and the fine weather turned it into a perfect family event?

We also raised a substantial amount for the two village charities, primarily the Village Hall Trust, and also the North Ferriby Riding for the Disabled Group. We don't know the final figures yet but once all the monies have been collected and the bills paid it will be an impressive total.



As several of the many congratulatory messages we have received have pointed out, this was a Festival which must be the envy of all our neighbours, and indeed of people who came from farther afield. One family from Nantwich in Cheshire were amazed that "such a small village could put on such a large pageant" when their own town had hardly any bunting or flags up.

The Ferriby Diamond Jubilee Committee

Jubilee Garden Competition

Many villagers took the time to decorate their gardens and windows, but of those that registered with the parish council to be judged, the PC considered that the winning entrant was the Guest family garden at 59 Riverview Avenue. Complete with a Union Flag lawn the judges thought it was the most unique.

Mr & Mrs Guest have received a voucher for £25 to spend with a North Ferriby business of their choice.



Bottle Tombola

The parish council would like to thank all those people that donated bottles for the tombola stall that was part of the Fun Day.

We had 200 bottles donated by villagers and businesses and we made £400 on the day to go to the two charities. Thank you for supporting us on the stall – we had a great afternoon.



Jubilee Mugs

The parish council was delighted to present every child at North Ferriby CE School with a Jubilee mug to celebrate the occasion. Mugs were presented at the school assembly by



Councillor Julie Abraham on the Friday of the Jubilee weekend. Other primary age children that reside in the village but attend other schools in the area have been given mugs if they have contacted the Clerk.

Twinning signs Unveiled

The Jubilee weekend also saw the visit of nearly 30 guests from Le Pellerin. Old and new friends of the village made the trip to North Ferriby and the opportunity was taken to officially unveil the new twinning signs in their presence. Councillor John Halmshaw, who signed a formal Twinning Oath as Chairman in June 2011, unveiled the signs for visitors assisted by Maire of Le Pellerin, Valerie Demangeau.



Planning Applications

For clarification, the planning application for the proposed new Co Operative store is still undetermined, and no planning application has yet been submitted for 600 houses at Melton Park. Keep up to date at www.nferriby.info.

Parish Council welcomes new Chairman

The AGM in May saw the selection of a new Chairman to the parish council. Stepping into the post is **Councillor John Mabbett**, assisted by new Vice Chairman, **Councillor John Halmshaw**.

A Festival of Flowers

Anyone that visited All Saints' Church to see A Festival of Flowers experienced a real treat. Celebrating the Diamond Jubilee there were displays for the United Kingdom, the Commonwealth and the Armed Forces, all things red, white and blue, as well as a display for HM The Queen, one for HRH The Duke of Edinburgh and a superb depiction of a street party all made from flowers.

From the entrance porch to the altar rail there were beautiful displays of white flowers, some encrusted with diamonds. Thank you to the organisers, to those that demonstrated their skills and to the many kind sponsors and donors.



The Lavender Girls

...the ones behind that new village entry sign >>



Coinciding with the Jubilee celebrations, the Lifestyle Team known as The Lavender Girls, fulfilled their two year ambition of raising enough money to design, make and erect a new village entry sign that commemorates North Ferriby as the home of the Bronze Age boats.

The team, Lauren Scoresby, Mia Parkinson and Charlotte Dalton, all Year 7 North Ferriby girls, lead by their adult helper, Julie Scoresby, has sourced the lavender from around the village, made lavender goods and sold them, and raised nearly £2000 for the project. Helped in the design work by Roger Waites, the sign was erected at the end of May near to the Hallmark Hotel.

The girls were presented with letters of thanks and Jubilee Mugs by Parish Council Chairman John Mabbett.



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Lasting Festival Legacy

The TeenLive event that showcased young local musical talent was such a success that organiser Mark Willett hopes it will become a regular event. The three acts that most attracted the judges eyes have been invited to perform at Tribfest later in the year.

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web@nferriby.info*

North Ferriby Village Show Saturday 14 July

This is a traditional village show with entries welcome for Flowers & Plants, Fruit & Vegetables. Produce, Handicrafts, Photography and a Children's section. There are six new horticultural classes. MEN you can show your baking skills by entering the 'men only' class for a chocolate cake, a trophy will be awarded for the best entry.

Entry fees are 20p per entry, children can enter any class free. Various trophies are awarded with prize money in all classes. The Royal Horticultural Society Banksian Medal will be awarded to the competitor gaining most points in the horticultural classes. Show schedules are available from the North Ferriby Post office and the Library. You can also ring **641 804** or **632 282** for details.

The show will be open to the public from 2pm admission 50p, children free. Plants will be on sale and refreshments provided. Trophies will be presented at 4 pm. The show is organised and sponsored by the members of North Ferriby Gardeners' Club. We would welcome some help at the show - you don't have to be a club member.

For further details contact the Show Manager, Mal Cracknell on **632 282**

So come on - have a go and enter something in the show!

Ferriby & Swanland Scouts Re-decorate Village Hall

As part of Scout Community Week, Ferriby and Swanland Scout Group recently painted the Priory Rooms and toilets at North Ferriby Village Hall.

David Davis MP and Julie Abraham, local councillor, were only two of the many people who supported the car wash or helped with the painting.

The Scouts would like to say thank you to everyone who came along.



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