

# Village News



Winter  
2017



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*The Parish Council wishes all residents and friends of North Ferriby  
a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy 2018*

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## Post Office relocation proposals – have your say



As reported on the Parish Council website, consultation is taking place on proposals to relocate the Post Office from its current home to May News, 40 Church Road, in February/March 2018. The Post Office would like to hear your views before finalising its proposals.

You can find details and information on how to comment online on [www.nferriby.info](http://www.nferriby.info). Information is also available in the Post Office. But please be quick as consultation ends on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December** and responses received after that date will not be accepted. We apologise if you do not receive this newsletter until after consultation has ended – register for email updates from the Parish Council so that you do not miss out on important news in the future.

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## Melton Fields Outcome

The latest attempt by St Modwen Properties to gain planning permission for housing on Melton Fields **was dismissed in October by the Court of Appeal** in London. A copy of the full judgement can be found on the Parish Council website. St Modwen Properties subsequently sought leave to appeal to the Supreme Court but that application was also dismissed by the Court of Appeal.

It has been confirmed by the developers that they do not intend to progress the two planning applications that have been the subject of this protracted process any further.



**Thank You** to all those residents that have been involved in successfully opposing these applications.

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## WW1 events planned for November 2018

As stated in the last newsletter, the village will be commemorating the end of WW1 one hundred years ago. On **11<sup>th</sup> November 2018** we shall be joining in the chain of beacon lighting up and down the country and the bell ringers will be ringing the bells along with other churches and cathedrals nationwide.

There are plans to expand the **Villagers at War** exhibition to include more re-enactment groups and we are working on creating two displays of poppies, one on Riverside Walkway and one at a location to be decided.

Co-ordinated by the 'Knit and Natter' group, we would like to encourage the whole village to take part in knitting a poppy for this display, and anyone interested in helping should pop into the library on a Tuesday afternoon 1 - 2pm for more information, or contact the Clerk on **631 822**.



## Freshen Up Ferriby Community Day



Thank you to all those who took part in the September community day, **Freshen Up Ferriby**. Teams of individuals litter picked, gardened and painted a bus shelter. Thanks particularly to the Ferriby Cubs and Scouts who litter picked in and around Long Plantation in pouring rain and to the students of South Hunsley School who provided the brilliant art work in the bus shelter near the Co-Op. Take time to visit the Woodland Walk on Riverside Walkway to see the work done by our Lifestylers.

The next project will be the bus shelter opposite Tithe Farm. There is nothing to stop individuals or groups that have spotted an issue from doing something about it – just have a word with our Clerk for guidance.

Also, a huge thank you to all those who volunteer in the Village doing regular litter picking. If anyone is interested in joining in contact the Clerk.

## Allotment Winners 2017



The annual judging of the Anne Turner Allotments took place and winning allotment holders attended the October meeting of the Parish Council to receive their prizes. Winners, pictured left to right, were **Brian Fenton** for the **Best Full Plot**, **Gail Henderson** for the **Best Half Plot** and **Janet Black** who, with her husband **Terry**, had the **Most Improved Plot**. Well done to all.

## Support your community while you shop

As you go about your Christmas shopping please remember to help your local community at no extra cost to yourself. At the Co-Op you can raise funds for local causes when you show your Co-Op card – details of the causes are displayed in the store.

And if you buy online, register with [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk) and then shop as normal through its website. Many of the big retailers will make donations to your chosen North Ferriby community cause and it won't cost you a penny!



## Ferriby Village Hall

In October, as part of the East Riding Film Festival, we enjoyed a packed house, when **John Godber** gave a fascinating and at times, hilarious account of the process of writing the original play, then overcoming considerable obstacles to eventually direct the film version of "**Up n Under**". John has enjoyed great success this year with the staging of his play **Kings of Hull** – the first play to open Hull's newly refurbished New Theatre. The Village Hall loaned tables and chairs to the production team of John's latest film "Last Laugh", filmed in Hull and Whitby, for the "Welly Club" scenes. The film won great acclaim for John's script and the performances in particular, of John and Jane. We very much hope they'll both return to Ferriby Screen to introduce this film to our audience next year.

We are currently putting the final touches to our programme for 2018. We hope it will prove an eclectic mix of films and live shows for all tastes, including the return of professional folk musicians, **Ninebarrow** and new live drama and comedy. We continue to upgrade and improve the Village Hall and our new surround sound system will be further developed; It is capable of reproducing the latest "Atmos" Bluray soundtracks, with sound coming from back – front – sides and from above too!



See you soon at the Village Hall - **Quality Entertainment in the Heart of the Village.**

## Jubilant Ferriby Lifestylers

This summer a group of dedicated girls from the village have completed a **Lifestyle project** with Humberside Police. The group, called the **Fabulous 4 From Ferriby (Lexie, Charlotte, Jess and Isobel)** spent their summer creating scooter routes (that are also pram friendly) to the city and surrounding area to encourage the local community to get outside and improve their health and fitness.

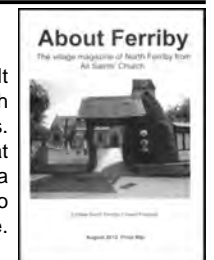
The girls produced a guide that sold for £1.00 each and also held other activities that together raised £500 for The Sick Children's Trust.

The Fabulous 4 were thrilled to be selected as finalists in the Junior section, coming second out of over 300 teams, winning a PGL adventure holiday to Wales, an iPad each and the chance to meet Callum Scott. **Great work girls!**



## Subscribe to About Ferriby Magazine

About Ferriby is the village magazine of North Ferriby from All Saints' Church. It regularly contains articles from village organisations including the school, North Ferriby United and the church along with details of forthcoming village events. Join over 400 households currently receiving a copy by subscribing for 2018 at the discounted cost of £6 (£15.40 for postal subscribers). This will pay for a copy being delivered to your door every month next year. If you would like to arrange delivery please download the form on Ferriby website news page. Payment can be made by cheque or BACS.



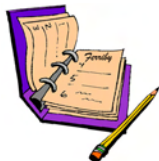
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*Join our e-mail up-date list to receive notices by e-mailing:*

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## Dates for your Diary

The December meeting of the Parish Council will be held at 7.30pm on **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December** rather than the usual fourth Monday in the month.

Father Christmas will be appearing on Swanland Pond also on **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> December**, at 7pm. Festivities will commence in the pond area at 6.30pm. The free but collections will be made for the Leonard Cheshire Home in North Ferriby and CRY - Cardiac Risk in the Young. Please note that there will be some road closures.

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Carols round the Lych Gate with North Ferriby Parish Council will be at 7pm on **Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December** followed by mulled wine and mince pies in All Saints' Church. Please bring a torch or lantern but if it is inclement the Carols will be inside the Church.

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## Emergency Plan



We are revising our **Emergency Plan** and would like to hear from you if you have any particular skills and/or equipment that you would be prepared to offer to complement the emergency services in the case of an event, most likely to be bad weather, flooding or power outages.

**Skills required:** Medical/First Aid/Carers; Catering; HGV and LGV Licence holders.

**Equipment required:** ladders; campbeds and supplies of spare bedding; non-mains cooking facilities; 4x4 vehicles; trailers; chainsaws; generators, electric heaters and any other equipment that you possess that may be of use.

If you can help, please forward your details, including mobile phone number and address and information on what you could offer, to the Parish Clerk or call **631 822**. Your details will be kept secure and only extracted in the event of an incident.

If you or someone that you know should be vulnerable in the event of an emergency you may ask the Clerk **at any time** to add your details to the list of those that may need some assistance depending on the circumstances of the event.

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