

Beckingham Bugle

July 2012



We have a special insert of photos from our Diamond Jubilee Celebrations - thanks to everyone who took part and to Max Neale for sharing the photos. Prints are available and Trish Thorpe should have a price list for any extra prints you would like.

Mikki

Dates for your diary.....

July

29 All Saints 10.00 Holy Communion Group Service

August

19 All Saints 11.15 Morning Service

21 Parish Council Meeting - Village Hall - 7pm

September

22 Bingo Night with a Twist - Village Hall

Ancient Strings & Fabulous Things Sat 22 September

South Clifton Coronation Hall NG23 7BG 7.30pm

Adult £8 children free

Acclaimed Senegalese Kora maestro Doudou Cissoko presents a sparkling fusion of ancestral instruments from diverse cultures, blended to create sounds that are both hypnotic and irresistibly danceable.

Doudou's distinctive music – accompanied by dynamic international musical troubadours – weaves a magical spell to captivate audiences of any age. This is world class, world music on your doorstep!

Further information from Paula Noble paulanoble458@btinternet.com

Lincolnshire Museums Summer Challenge

The Collection

Tuesday 14 August – Ancient Greek Sports

Thursday 16 August – Kids Summer Challenge

Museum of Lincolnshire Life

Tuesday 21 August – The Great British Carnival

Activities for over 60s in North Kesteven

Project Partner Kathy Briggs, explains about her work, which will shift its focus to North Kesteven and events and courses are now being planned from October 2012 to September 2013. "Representing Age UK as one of the partners in this project which is funded by the Big Lottery, I will be offering support to existing older adults groups, supporting the creation of new older adults groups, offering taster sessions and training to older adults. All free!

If you are in the North Kesteven area and would like support with either an existing group or starting a new group/ activity please contact me. Perhaps a taster session would be beneficial to generate interest? I am also looking for village halls, community buildings/rooms to hold computer courses and would love to hear from you if you would like a course held in your village

The beginner courses will be centring on introducing people to computers and will be an ideal way for older adults who have never even sat in front of a computer to learn how to use one. Slightly more advanced courses can be arranged and tailored to demand, depending on the facilities, even emailing ,social network sites and internet purchasing can be covered.

For further information please contact: Kathy Briggs: 07939 669 308, or Email: kathybriggsct@aol.com



Beckingham Notelets available from the Pack Horse or Max Neale

Beware of Summertime Crime – **HOME BEAT**



Leave small valuable items, like jewellery, on deposit at the bank, or consider installing a small floor safe.

Don't lock internal doors or desks – they may be forced if someone does break in

Mark any valuables with your postcode followed by a house number or the first two letters of the house name

Ask your local neighbourhood policing team for 'post coded property' warning stickers to display in the front and back windows of your house. Also take photographs of all valuable items. This is particularly important for those which may be unsuitable for marking

Reduce the risk of your home being broken into by taking some simple home security measures:

- Make sure your house looks occupied. Closed curtains in the daytime makes it look as if no one is at home – ask a trusted neighbour to collect post, open and close curtains
- Don't leave valuable items like televisions, stereo systems or computers visible through windows
- It is worthwhile to get automatic time switches to switch lights and a radio on and off in downstairs rooms
- Lock the garage and shed with proper security locks, after putting all your tools safely away so they cannot be used to break into your house. If you have to leave a ladder out, put it on its side and lock it to a secure fixture with a 'close-shackle' padlock and heavy-duty chain
- Don't have your home address showing on your luggage for the outward journey. Put this only on the inside of your cases



BritishRedCross

Thank you to everyone who supported the village door to door collection for the Red Cross in May. We've just been informed that the village raised

£203.05 - the second highest collection in the last ten years.

Valerie and Vic

Leadenham Tennis Club

What an amazing Wimbledon for British players! Time to dust off your tennis racquet and start playing again - or take up this fun sport for the first time. You'll love it!



Leadenham is your nearest local club - A fun and friendly club for all the family with regular social tennis sessions - just turn up and join in. Coaching for individuals, groups, adults and juniors and easy court booking for arranging your own games.

Contact Membership Secretary Jackie Nelstrop on 01400 272482 for more details or to get a membership application form

October is Big Draw Month at The Natural World Centre

Big Draw aims to encourage and promote creative drawing for all. There's no such word as Can't in Art! Working with ArtsNk and local artists, the Natural World Centre has created dynamic exhibitions and events to promote arts within the North Kesteven district. Throughout the month work of Lincolnshire artists will feature, so come, enjoy and be inspired and have the chance to own some delightful artwork.

Sunday 7 October Big Draw Day

– Launch Off with Lincolnshire Artists! 11am – 1pm and 2pm – 4pm Come and see Lincolnshire artists at work. A chance to watch artists as they paint, Talk to them about their work and go home inspired – then it's over to you!

Contacts

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County Councillor Ray Phillips 01522 686432. **District Councillors:** Sue Howe 01522 788496 / Pat Woodman 01522 788236.

All Saints' Church - Church Warden Gill Green 626635

Litter picker James Keane 07787 355932

Police reporting crimes or incidents, that need immediate action call 101 (or 999 in an emergency)

Beat team for non urgent 07825100376 (Paul), 07500857989 (Tim), 07939312796 (Chris), 07825100377 (Vicky) 07825100379 (Jo)

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