

Your Mirror on Skipsea

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look into it
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Skipsea Open Gardens



Once again the proud gardeners of Skipsea opened their gardens for scrutiny by interested visitors. The gardens were all shapes and sizes, a small courtyard garden packed full of flowers and vegetables, a large front and rear garden with specimen trees, a beautiful corner plot with neat borders and a greenhouse full of tomatoes, a lovely garden with winding paths taking the visitor into different rooms, with a pond in one, a herb garden in another, gardens with colourful pots and even a topiary car all to be seen in these wonderful gardens of Skipsea. Over 12 gardens took part, on what turned out to be one of our rare fine days this year,

There was a good response and to break up the visits to the gardens, there were home made cakes and cups of tea available at the Reading Room. The event was organised jointly between the Village Hall committee and the Events committee.

Did you see them ?

Today Thursday 11th September a flash of history passed through Skipsea. At 12.30pm the police cycles rode through and stopped all the traffic to make a clear run for the cyclists in the Tour of Britain Cycle Race.

As they sped through Skipsea at 12.45 there were five bikes in the lead, four minutes in front of the main pack which consisted of over eighty cyclists and a large number of support vehicles. A number of residents came out to see this spectacle which lasted for only a few seconds but was very exciting. Suddenly they were gone and once the traffic jam had cleared everything went back to normal.



History in Loo

-an entertaining, illustrated
look at the history of the loo
by Eric Houlder of Pontefract

Monday 22nd September at 7-30pm

Venue: Skipsea Chapel

Admission £2.50 includes light refreshment at the close

this talk is organised by the Skipsea History Group

For further details phone Ian on 01262 468237

All proceeds to Skipsea Village Hall Project

Blessed in Skipsea

James Waldren (son of Tony and Jan) had his marriage to Yan Shen from Shanghi blessed in Skipsea Church on Sat.5th July. They met 5 years ago and were married in Shanghi. James teaches English and Yan is a Bank executive.



Mobile Library

The mobile Library calls every two weeks,

on a Thursday afternoon in Skipsea

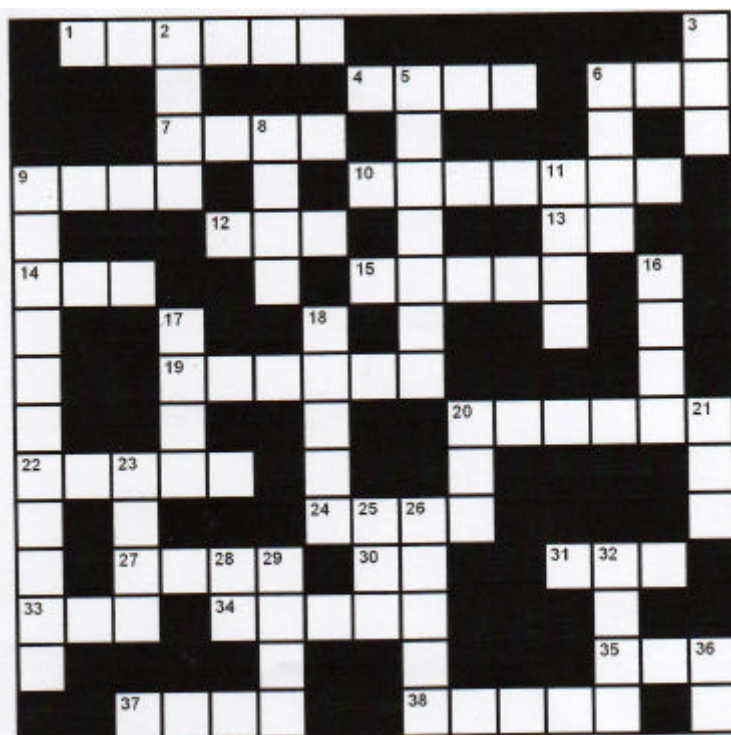
Cleeton Lane	1.00 to 1.00 pm
Village Green	1.15 to 1.35pm
Town Farm Close	1.40 to 1.55pm

Across

- 1) Shining blonde locks? (6)
- 4) A kilted man? (4)
- 6) Go by (3)
- 7) Not yours (4)
- 9) Hold tightly (4)
- 10) Lacking taste (7)
- 12) Joining word? (3)
- 13) Not out (2)
- 14) Poem (3)
- 15) Long for (5)
- 19) Surpasses expectations (6)
- 20) Where the angels are? (6)
- 22) Shivering bird? (5)
- 24) Burial chamber (4)
- 27) There wasn't any at the inn (4)
- 30) Short honey maker? (2)
- 31) Constricting snake (3)
- 33) Meadow (3)
- 34) Can lay on a bed of nails (5)
- 35) Helps to stop anarchy? (3)
- 37) Grape juice? (4)
- 38) Pay a tenth (5)

Down

- 2) Aerobatic feat? (4)
- 3) Tin (3)
- 5) Jogs along (7)
- 6) Proud of one's appearance? (4)
- 8) Peel (4)
- 9) Horribly done? (11)
- 11) Fir (4)
- 16) Birthday suit (4)
- 17) New religion on the census? (4)
- 18) Banquet (5)
- 20) Hot rings? (3)
- 21) Not then (3)
- 23) Halo around you? (4)
- 25) Japanese sash (3)
- 26) Gold star point? (5)
- 28) Pronounced 'ov'? (2)
- 29) Labyrinth (4)
- 32) Lewd look (4)
- 36) Queen speaks for the Duke? (2)



**Come and join us in Skipsea for our
new SPECIAL all-age services**

You'll
be pleased
if you do ...



... and we'll
be pleased to see you

Alternating every third Sunday between the
Methodist Chapel and the Parish Church

Sunday 21st September 10-00 am in Church
BEING TOGETHER

Sunday 19th October 10-30 am in Chapel
JOINT HARVEST FESTIVAL

Sunday 16th November 10-00 am in Church
REMEMBERING

Sunday 21st December 10-30 am in Chapel
FAMILY CAROL SERVICE

The Wisdom of Age

I am so old they've cancelled my
blood type.

Bob Hope

He's so old when he orders a three-
minute egg, they ask for the money
up front.

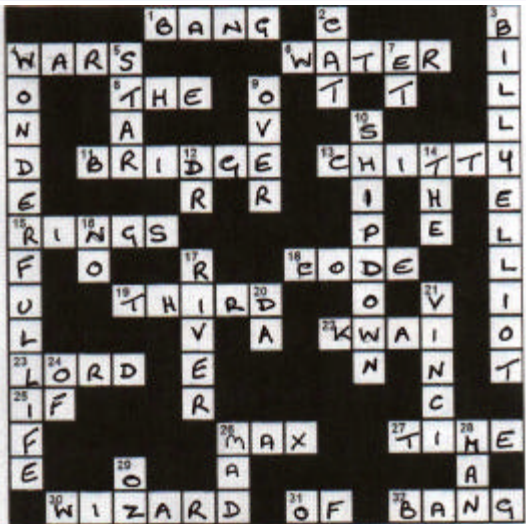
Milton Berle

The surprising thing about young fools
is how many survive to become old
fools.

Doug Larson

You don't stop laughing because you
grow old. You grow old because you
stop laughing.

Michael Pritchard



Skipsea Over 50's Club

On Thursday 11th Sept. the members of the over 50's
club went on an outing to York, due to the inclement
weather the planned trip on the river had to be can-
celled, but the outing went ahead. The group arrived
in York, some of them did a little retail therapy and
some of them went to the Castle Museum. They had
lunch and a look around the shops and after a
welcome cuppa they made their way back to the
coach, a very enjoyable day in pleasant company and
fine weather.

SKIPSEA METHODIST CHURCH

A Concert by the
East Riding Suzuki
Violin Group

Sunday 21st September
at 3-00 pm

Tickets £5/Children £2.50
from Skipsea P.O., Beeford P.O. or
from Ian (01262) 468237
or Wendy (01262) 468762

Proceeds to Chuplung Village Health Post & School, Nepal

*The Annual
Four Villages
Charity Harvest Supper*

with
Rev Robert Amos

at the
Rickaby Hall, Ulrome
Friday 10th October at 7pm

Tickets £7-50 from any
Church or Chapel
member in Skipsea,
Ulrome, Barmston or
Fraithorpe
or phone Ian on 468237

MENU
Meats, Salads,
Potatoes &
Home-made
Sweets

Proceeds to be divided equally between Martin House Children's Hospice
and Send a Cow to Africa

SKIPSEA VILLAGE HALL EVENTS

Mondays: Dance Class– 7-8.30 pm from 15th Sept (salsa, rock` n` roll, disco, cha cha cha, waltz, etc-you don't need a partner)

Tues:- Yoga 6.45-8pm from 2nd September (all ages and levels welcome)

The classes are £3.50 a night (£3 for over 60`s) payable 4 weekly in advance

Thursday

Over 50`s –2-4pm (fortnightly)

Friday

Youth Club starts 12th Sept.

QUIZ NIGHTS-start again fortnightly on Thursdays from 18th Sept. 8pm at the Board Inn £2 per person, you don't need a team just come along.

The winner of the August quiz was Betty Barriskel.

Mary Cartwright has kindly agreed to make birthday and Christmas cards to sell to raise funds, so if you have any old birthday or Christmas cards plus bits of ribbon or old jewellery, etc. please drop them off at her house (Bulson Lodge, 5 Leys Lane, Skipsea)

CAR TREASURE HUNT

The car treasure hunt raised £64 and was won by Carl Warkup and family.

INDOOR SHORT MAT BOWLS AND NEW AGE KURLING

NEW pilot physical activity opportunities in Skipsea!

Skipsea is to take part in new community based physical activity opportunities, run by East Riding of Yorkshire Council, Sport and Play Development Service. Pilot sessions of indoor short mat bowls and new age kurling sessions are due to start in September. The sessions will be run by the Community Sports Coach scheme and aimed at adults who would like to become more physically active or try something new.

Sessions will take place Weekly, from Monday 15th September, from 1.30 to 2.30 and will cost a minimal £1.50 to take part.

All equipment will be provided, you just need to turn up and be willing to have a go. You do not need to book on, please just turn up at Skipsea Village Hall.

For further information, please contact Cate Gillingwater, community recreation officer, on 01482 392515 or e-mail cate.gillingwater@eastriding.gov.uk

Lottery Bid Update

Stage 2 of the Big Lottery has been completed and submitted after a lot of hard work by the Village hall steering committee, especially Richard Brennan and Don Cox. So now everyone has to cross their fingers and hope that it will be accepted, we should know early in the new year

Have you a story to tell? Do you want to mention someone's birthday, or anniversary, are you having an event that needs advertising ? Then let us know.

Ring Steve on 469521 or

NOTE new address:E-mail phawkins733@btinternet.com

ALL ARTICLES TO BE SUBMITTED 24th September