

Your Mirror on Skipsea

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look into it
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HELP TO CATCH THE SPEEDSTERS IN YOUR VILLAGE

Village volunteers are required to be involved in the community speed group in Skipsea. Speeding is a major source of complaint in the villages across East Riding and some villages have already started the scheme, it is not known how many volunteers would be required but the more we have the easier the job would be. The volunteers would be trained under the watchful eye of the police on how to operate and use the equipment as well as all aspects of health and safety.



WATCH YOUR SPEED: PcsO Adrian Clark, of Driffild, instructs a member of the public how to operate a speed gun.

Depending on how many people come forth to help with this scheme will decide how often it is implemented throughout the village. Any one who wishes to volunteer, or needs more information contact ADRIAN at Skipsea Post Office.

Skipsea Chapel

An enthusiastic audience of about 40 people enjoyed Mark Howley's Piano Recital (30th September). The Clavinova which had been donated in memory of a former member Edwin Crozier, was dedicated at the beginning of the evening by Rev Rosemary Nicholls. Mark played a varied repertoire from Beethoven, Chopin and Liszt to a couple of Little Richard numbers.

The Benefits Advice Session held on 8th October was well attended, most people went away in possession of some useful information about benefits and allowances. Others arranged home visits to discuss individual needs.

On Sunday Oct.18th the Chapel was packed to capacity with almost 100 people, for a special performance by the East Riding Susuki Violin Group and the Pastiche Singers from Hornsea. The 26 young violinists under the direction of Barbara Parham, squeezed onto the raised area at the front of the Chapel and captivated the audience with a wide range of pieces. The audience particularly enjoyed the medley of songs from Mary Poppins. £400 was raised, the money is going to the Health Post and school in Chplung Village in Nepal



Save your postage and send your Christmas greetings via
` YOUR MIRROR ON
SKIPSEA `

In the next issue there will be a page dedicated to anyone wishing to send Christmas greetings to their friends and family in Skipsea.

Let me know your name, your message and the recipients name, before 6th December.
Tel: Steve (editor) 469521

**SKIPSEA EVENTS COMMITTEE
INVITE SKIPSEA SENIOR CITIZENS
TO CHRISTMAS LUNCH 2009**

As the lunch in the Chapel was enjoyed by so many we are doing it all again this year, so the Christmas Lunch is on Saturday 12th December. Will anyone wishing to attend please contact Peter Hawkins on 469521. The places are limited. The lunch will only be available to ticket holders.

Menu

Melon or Fruit Juice
Turkey/Beef hotpot
Christmas Pudding or Trifle
Mince pies
Tea or Coffee

When you telephone to make your bookings please state your menu requirement. Thank you.

Closing date 20th November.

NORTH FRODINGHAM COUNTRY WOMEN

**CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE
IN YORK MINSTER
4TH DECEMBER 2009**

(OR JUST A DAY OUT IN YORK)

THE COST OF THE BUS £6

IF INTERESTED PLEASE RING CHRIS
01262 488498

ALL WELCOME :

Nativity

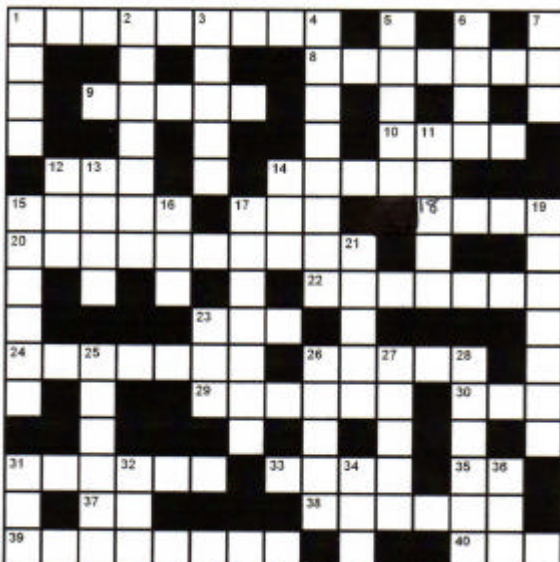
The Skipsea Events Committee are once again looking for young volunteers for the annual Christmas Eve Nativity. We need a Mary, Joseph, 1 King (who is able to sit on a horse) a number of shepherds / sheep. Any one interested please ring Peter (tel: 469521) and if any one still has costumes from last year could you please return them.

Across

- 1) Ken Dodd sang about this (9)
- 8) Just before (7)
- 9) Apology (5)
- 10) Former Russian ruler (4)
- 12) Apple seed (3)
- 14) Sleep through it, normally (5)
- 15) Scotland's first English king (5)
- 17) Put this with your best tucker? (3)
- 18) First man (4)
- 20) Not likely (10)
- 22) Make it comprehensible for someone (7)
- 23) Japanese sash (3)

- 24) The 'Gunners' (7)
- 26) A tank's tyre? (5)
- 29) Try call again (6)
- 30) Slippery customer this one! (3)
- 31) Sage's have this? (6)
- 33) Stand for a coffin (4)
- 35) Tell'em they can't do it (2)
- 37) Not from (2)
- 38) Could be a lady in distress? (6)
- 39) Peaceful (8)
- 40) Rent it out (3)

Please note :
the Christmas raffle tickets will be sold by Village Hall Committee members, not solely by Ann and Margaret



Down

- 1) Supposed to spring eternal? (4)
- 2) Get richer (7)
- 3) You have loads in your feet (5)
- 4) Not being daft (8)
- 5) Swear to tell this (5)
- 6) Capital of Peru (4)
- 7) An age gone by (3)
- 11) Put this up at the market (5)
- 12) Girl's name (3)
- 13) Mischievous elves (4)
- 14) Pen point (30)
- 15) Puzzle (6)
- 16) Drunkard (3)
- 17) A stream does this? (7)
- 19) Nigel's surname (7)
- 21) A little more, please (5)
- 23) Paddle (3)
- 25) Afternoon sleep (6)
- 26) Shyly afraid (5)
- 27) You can raise this (5)
- 28) Dog's home (^0)
- 31) You can be quick at this (3)
- 32) Leader of the Mafia gang? (3)
- 34) Listen with this (3)
- 36) Spanish cheer (3)

**Skipsea History Workshop
Autumn Programme, 2009**

2nd November 7.00pm	Regular meeting		
Reading Room			
23rd November 7.30pm	Walter of Skirlaugh—	Glynn Jarratt—	Chapel
7th December 7.00pm	A.G.M	Reading Room	

The talk on Monday the 21st of September about the lives of the girls in the Land Army was absolutely fantastic, Dorothy Taylor and her friend Joyce had set out a wonderful display of wartime memorabilia it covered a number of tables, there were photographs and baby's bottles, there were beautiful dressed dolls in the Land Armies uniforms, a lovely banner depicting all the various aspects of the army's life and much more. Dorothy gave a very detailed account of what the girls in the Land Army went through during the war, working in terrible conditions and living in some awful places but she also told of the friendships made and some of the funnier stories of life in the army. In between Dorothy's renditions her friend Joyce read out some pieces of poetry that had been written by the girls, some funny, some sad but all very entertaining. It was such a shame that the date clashed with other events, but those who attended had a very enjoyable evening.

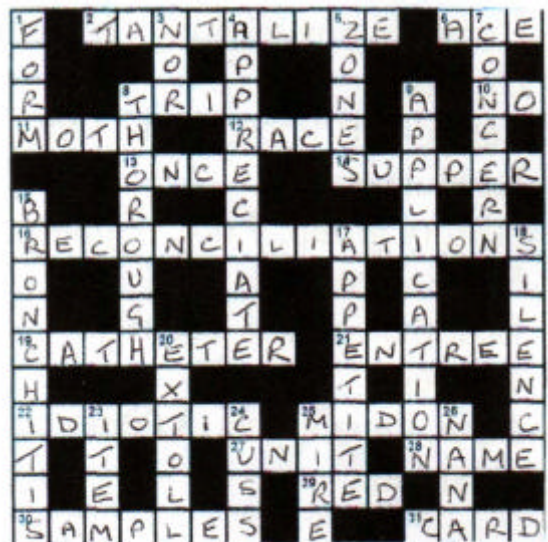
The next event was on Monday 19th October, it was a Photographic presentation of a journey through Austria & Switzerland by Peter Hawkins, those who attended said it was entertaining and one or two said it brought back lovely memories of their holidays.

**Weeder`s digest
JULIE TAYLOR**

WILDLIFE

As winter approaches and you begin to tidy up the garden, spare a thought for the wildlife. Winter migrant birds like fieldfares and red-wings will join local thrushes and blackbirds all feeding hungrily on berries of cotoneaster, pyracantha and sorbus and on rose hips. Smaller birds such as wrens and blue tits like to shelter in undergrowth and hedgehogs will begin hibernating beneath the shrubs. It is helpful therefore, to leave one or two areas with thick undergrowth or long grass and to allow climbers such as ivy to grow thickly to give shelter.....

*No butterflies, no bees, no fruits,
NOVEMBER...*



The Spice of Death

Dunruttin

The Official Residence of Colonel Hurley-Burley VC

Colonel and Mrs Hurley - Burley invite you to a dinner party to celebrate the birthday of their daughter Elizabeth.

Date: SATURDAY 21ST NOVEMBER
Time: 19.00 HOURS
Address: SKIPSEA READING ROOM

A MURDER MYSTERY EVENING SET IN 1930'S COLONIAL INDIA, FORMAL DRESS IS OPTIONAL,,, PRICE £3per person inc. supper

Curry & Rice/ Jacket Potato & Mince.
Ring Jan 468194/ Steve 469521 for tickets
places are limited.

Skipsea Chapel Saturday Brunch Date
Reading Room, 8-11 am
7th November

SKIPSEA VILLAGE HALL EVENTS

CHANGE OF VENUE FOR SKIPSEA VILLAGE HALL CLASSES FROM NOVEMBER THEY WILL BE MOVING TO ULROME VILLAGE HALL UNTIL WE HAVE COMPLETED THE NEW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Monday: Indoor Short Mat Bowls –1.30-2.30pm £1.00 per session, **From 2nd.NOV.**

Tuesday:- Yoga - 6.30-7.45 (all ages and levels welcome) -**From 10th NOV.**

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

Thursday : The over 50`s will be moving to SKIPSEA READING ROOM

Over 50`s –2 -4pm (fortnightly)-From 29th OCT.

QUIZ NIGHTS- 8pm at The Board Inn– WED 4th Nov (this one only on a Weds)

Thursday 19th Nov, 3rd Dec, £2 per person, you don't need a team to come along.

Handmade cards for Sale

Mary Cartwright is still making greetings cards for us for funds, they are available at Classic Cuts Hairdressers– she would still like any old cards, ribbon, beads, etc to help with the making of these (please take to Bulson Lodge, 5 Leys Lane or the Post Office).

Christmas Raffle

Ann & Margaret will be coming round soon selling raffle tickets. If anyone has a basket they could donate for a hamper or any prizes, they will be gratefully received –please give to Julie Langley (tel:469714) or leave at the Post Office. The raffle will be drawn on Thurs 17th Dec. at 8pm at The Board Inn.

New Skipsea Community Centre Update

We have managed to sell the old Village Hall, the sale is in the hands of the solicitors at the moment, so hopefully that should go through in the near future. We will then be in a position to proceed with the new Community Centre when these funds become available.

Superstitions and Old wives tales continue

A yawn is a sign danger is near! *It is if you are driving a car.*

Cows lifting their tails is a sure sign that rain is coming !*More likely flatulence is on its way.*

A swan's feather sewn into the husband's pillow will ensure fidelity! *It should be sewn into his pyjamas, trousers, shorts.....*

Skipsea Chapel Centenary, 2010

If you have any photographs or items pertaining to Skipsea Chapel or Chapel events over the last 100 years would you contact Wendy (468762) or Ian (468237). It is hoped that they can be copied and used in a display for the Chapel Centenary in 2010. Thank you.

COMING EVENTS

Sunday 6th December at 2-30pm Christingle service with Rev. Rosemary Nicholls and the Sewerby Singers

SUNDAY 20TH December at 10-30am Skipsea Village Service of lessons and Carols

HAVE YOU A STORY TO TELL,? A QUESTION TO ASK,? DO YOU WANT TO MENTION SOMEONES BIRTHDAY OR ANNIVERSARY? ARE YOU HAVING AN EVENT THAT NEEDS ADVERTISING? Then let us know.

Ring Stevie (editor) on 01262 469521 or e-mail phawkins733@btinternet.com

ALL ARTICLES TO BE SUBMITTED BY 6TH DECEMBER

DO YOU WANT YOUR
MIRROR SENT BY
E-MAIL? LET US KNOW
AT: www.skipsea.org.uk