

Arnesby News Sheet – 19th August 2017

The Last of the Summer Sunday Teas will be served outside and/or inside the church from 3.30pm – 5.30pm on 20th and 27th August.

Everyone welcome to come and join us for afternoon tea.

Loseby Wood 11th Anniversary Open Afternoon Bank Holiday Monday 28th August, 2.30pm – 4.30pm

Open Afternoon to celebrate the 11th Anniversary of the planting of the woodland area at the Arnesby Loseby Charity Trust allotments site. **Everyone welcome.**

The woodland was funded half by donations from almost every household in Arnesby including the school. Many Arnesby residents took part in the tree planting days.

- * Come and see the trees – they have really grown!
- * Also the meadow – grass and flowers
- * Photo displays including original field & the village tree planting days – see what people looked like 11 years ago!
- * BBQ – sausages & burgers provided, or bring your own.
- * Soft drinks, but bring a flask if you want a hot drink!
- * Put your name down for an allotment plot.
- * Children & pets are welcome, but please keep them under control to avoid accidents.

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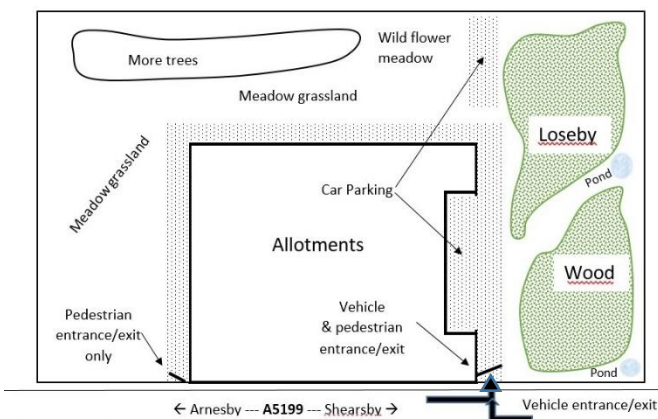
On foot – there is a tarmac footpath from Arnesby along the A5199 towards Shearsby all the way to the 1st gate into the allotment field. Then you can walk through or around the top of the allotments to the woodland area.

By car – use the 2nd gate (the Shearsby end), which will be left open. Please drive carefully keeping to the track and park where shown below.

Please **DO NOT** park in the gateways opposite the entrances.

For more information or if you need a lift, please contact: Monica Dowson, tel 2478296

For and on behalf of: Arnesby Loseby Charity Trust



Books Wanted for the Telephone Box!

Please put any of your unwanted books in the phone box to donate or swap.

New babies on St Peter's Road

Congratulations to:

Donna & Richard on the birth of their 3rd daughter, Alice and

Zandra & Sam on the birth of their son, Bernie.

Produce (& Crafts) Show in Bruntingthorpe Village Hall Saturday 2nd September

The annual 3 village show (Arnesby, Shearsby & Bruntingthorpe) will be held in Bruntingthorpe this year. This is a friendly event that enables you to show what you can grow and/or make.

A couple of 'fun' items in the schedule are Strangest Shaped Vegetable (or 'wonky veg') and Longest Bean. If you grow fruit or flowers there are many entries to choose from.

There are also categories for baking, preserves, flower arranging & various handicrafts.

Children are encouraged to enter – age up to & incl 5 years – a drawing, 5 years & older – jam tarts, vegetable monster and/or a colouring competition.

The full schedule was delivered in early August. If you've lost it or need another copy, please contact Jenny Lees, tel: 2478571.

For advice about vegetable, fruit or flower entries, contact Brian Spriggs, tel: 2478559.

Fruit, Flower & Vegetable Stalls around the village

Home grown surplus produce is now available on 3 stalls: at corner of South Close, top of Robert Hall Road and corner of Chestnut Lane. Please make suitable donations (to be left as directed on each stall) which will be divided between various charities. Please return any containers.

Wheelie Bin Collections & Recycling Sites

Green bins (with sticker) & Blue bins

– Fridays 1st Sept, 15th Sept, 29th Sept

Black bins

– Fridays 25th Aug, 8th Sept, 22rd Sept

Recycling Sites – open 9am – 7pm (April – September)

– Oadby/Wigston – Mon, Tues, Weds, Sat, Sun

– Kibworth – Mon, Thurs, Fri, Sat, Sun

– Whetstone – Mon, Thurs, Fri, Sat, Sun

Dates for your Diary

Sun 17th Sept – Harvest Thanksgiving at Baptist Chapel

Mon 18th Sept – Baptist Harvest Supper at the Chapel

Sat 23rd Sept – Macmillan Coffee Morning-Mill Hill House

Sun 24th Sept – 11am St Peter's Church Harvest Festival & 7pm Harvest Supper in Village Hall – tickets £6 / £3

Fri 29th Sept – Macmillan coffee event, Cambridge House

Sat 30th Sept – 6.30pm Arnesby Promises Auction

Accidents at Shearsby Crossroads – e-petition

There is an e-petition on the County Council website to raise awareness of the number of local people concerned about these crossroads.

If you'd like to sign the petition, there is a link under 'Latest News' on the Arnesby Parish Council website www.arnesbyparishcouncil.org.uk

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<i>What's On in Arnesby – Calendar – August/September</i>			
Date	Time	What	Where
Sundays 20 th & 27 th Aug	3.30pm – 5.30pm	Summer Sunday Teas – Last ones this year!	St Peter's Church – outside & inside
Bank Holiday Mon 28 th Aug	2.30pm – 4.30pm	Loseby Wood Open Afternoon More details over page. <i>Contact: Monica 2478296</i>	Loseby Wood – on A5199 between Arnesby and Shearsby
Sat 2 nd Sept	Staging 9.30 - 11.30 Viewing 3pm – 4pm	Produce (& Crafts) Show – see more details over page. <i>Contact: Jenny Lees 2478571</i>	Bruntingthorpe Village Hall
Mon 4 th Sept	4pm	Rev Liz – House Group: cup of tea, chat & prayers	Cambridge House, South Close
Wed 6 th Sept	7.30pm	WI Meeting – 'Kurling' with Leanne Plummer of Harboro' District Council <i>Contact: Gina 2478888</i>	Arnesby Village Hall
Sat 9 th Sept	All day	Historic Churches Ride & Stride – Sue Spriggs will be striding – please offer sponsorship – 2478559	Look out for walkers and bike & horse riders around the village and county
Wed 12 th Sept	7.30pm	Book Club – 'Exposure' by Helen Dunmore All welcome – come & suggest books to discuss. <i>Contact: Alison 2799013 or Sue 2478559</i>	Monica Dowson, The Granary, St Peter's Road
Wed 13 th Sept	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – New season starts with "Falling Down" – starring Michael Douglas in an urban drama in LA	Village Hall – Free!!
Tues 19 th Sept	11am – 11.30am	Mobile Library – third Tuesday of every month	Near Old Adult School, St Peter's Rd
Tues 26 th Sept	7.30pm	Arnesby Parish Council Meeting For agenda see: www.arnesbyparishcouncil.org.uk	Baptist Chapel Meeting Room
<i>Regular Events</i>			
Monday to Friday	12:15pm	School Lunch for any village residents. Cost £2.70 per person. Preferably book the previous week but the day before will be alright.	Village Hall – term time only. Book at school gate or tel 2478563
Tuesdays	10.30am – 12 noon	Coffee morning - <i>Restarts 5th Sept</i>	The Chapel – term time only
Wednesdays	7.30pm	WI Meeting – first Weds in every month. <i>Contact Gina Ward 2478888</i>	Arnesby or Shearsby Village Hall
Thursdays	9.15am – 10.15am	Pilates with Jacky Pugh - £5 per session. <i>Contact 07974 176382</i>	Village Hall
Fridays	10.00am – 12 noon	Parent & Toddler Group <i>Contact Emily 07772 012146</i>	Village Hall – term time only
Fridays	6pm – 7pm	Fun Club (ages 5 – 11 years) - <i>Restarts 8th Sept</i> <i>Contact Johnny Hutton 2478392</i>	Baptist Chapel
Fridays	7.30pm – 9pm	Youth Club (age 12+ years) – <i>Restarts 8th Sept</i> <i>Contact Johnny Hutton 2478392</i>	Baptist Chapel
Sundays		Church and Chapel services – see The Hexagon for details	St Peter's Church Arnesby Baptist Chapel
<i>Transport</i>			
Wednesdays	10am from Arnesby to Leicester 2pm Return	Demand Responsive Transport Does not run if no bookings received. £4.90 return. Bus passes valid.	Leics County Council + Karl's Kars Tel: 07815 044 068 to book taxi & pick up point (by 5pm the day before)
Thursdays	9.30am from Arnesby to Mkt Harborough 12.30pm Return	Demand Responsive Transport Does not run if no bookings received. £4 return. Bus passes valid.	Leics County Council + Murphys Taxis Tel: 01858 410 210 to book taxi
On request		Community Transport Volunteer drivers use own car to take people to doctor/hairdresser/shopping/etc & home again. Charges apply but cheaper than taxis.	Lutterworth Volunteer Centre (LVC) Tel: 01455 555571

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