

Arnesby News Sheet – 19th February 2017

What's On in Arnesby – Calendar – February/March

Date	Time	What	Where
Tues 21 st Feb	11am – 11.30am	Mobile Library – third Tuesday of every month	Near Old Adult School, St Peter's Rd
Tues 21 st Feb	7.30pm	Book Club – 'Whistling for the Elephants' by Sandy Toksvig. <i>Contact: Alison 2799013 or Sue 2478559</i>	The Granary, St Peter's Road
Wed 22 nd Feb	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – "Bridge of Spies" Tom Hanks and Mark Rylance in Cold War drama	Village Hall – Free!!
Wed 1 st March	7.30pm	WI Meeting - Speaker: Barry Watson – "The Agony and Ecstasy of a Canal Boater" <i>Contact: Gina 2478888</i>	Arnesby Village Hall
Mon 6 th March	4pm	Rev Liz – House Group: cup of tea/coffee and biscuits, chat and prayers	Rickyard Cottage, Robert Hall Road
Tues 7 th March	7.30pm	Book Club – 'The Essex Serpent' by Sarah Perry. All welcome. <i>Contact: Alison 2799013 or Sue 2478559</i>	Cambridge House, South Close
Wed 8 th March	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – "The Big Short" The 2008 financial crash, simply and grippingly explained	Village Hall – Free!!
Sat 18 th March	10am – 12 noon Unless very wet!	Annual Village Litter Pick – unless very wet! Wear old clothes & gloves (& hi-vis jacket if possible) Tea/coffee provided	Meet at Village Hall
Sat 18 th March	10am – 12 noon	Swap Shop – exchange books, CDs, DVDs, puzzles, videos, toys, jigsaws, (children's or adults) Entrance £1 (incl. light refreshments)	Village Hall
Tues 21 st March	11am – 11.30am	Mobile Library – third Tuesday of every month	Near Old Adult School, St Peter's Rd
Wed 22 nd March	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – "Learning to Drive" Tender story of NY widow regaining independence Ben Kingsley & Patricia Clarkson	Village Hall – Free!!
Sun 26 th March	10.45am	Mothering Sunday – Family service	Baptist Chapel
Wed 29 th March	5pm – 6.30pm	Messy Church	Village Hall

Regular Events

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 – <i>term time only</i> . Book at school gate or tel 2478563
Tuesdays	10.30am – 12 noon	Coffee Morning	The Chapel – <i>term time only</i>
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 – <i>term time only</i>
Fridays	6.30pm – 7.30pm	Fun Club (ages 5 – 11 years) <i>Contact Johnny Hutton 2478392</i>	Baptist Chapel
Fridays	7.45pm – 9pm	Youth Club (age 12+ years) <i>Contact Johnny Hutton 2478392</i>	Baptist Chapel

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Calling All Gardeners!

If you are dividing perennials or trimming shrubs in your garden, please consider planting up cuttings which can be sold at the **Arnesby May Fayre on Monday 29th May, 2017**

Your surplus runner bean, tomato, courgette, cabbage, etc. seedlings would also be much appreciated.

Contact: Beryl Cane tel: 2478136

Let's Clean Up Arnesby – Sat 18th March

The annual litter pick in Arnesby and on local access roads will take place on 18th March.

Please meet at 10am at the Village Hall.

You are advised to wear old clothes, gloves and hi-vis jacket (if you have one).

Refreshments available in Village Hall.

No litter pick if it is very wet!

Swap Shop – Sat 18th March

Come & exchange your books, videos, toys, jigsaws, CDs or DVDs (can be children's or adults') in Arnesby Village Hall between 10am and 12 noon.

Even if you have nothing to exchange, do join us for a coffee and a chat.

Entrance: £1.00 to cover Village Hall hire and light refreshment costs.

Wheelie Bin Collections & Recycling Sites

Blue bins & Green bins with stickers

– Fridays 3rd March, 17th March, 31st March

Black bins - Fridays 24th Feb, 10th March, 24th March

Recycling Sites – open 9am – 4pm (Oct – March)

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

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

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

Green bin subscription renewals (£40) for April onwards are now due. See www.harborough.gov.uk or call in at Harborough Council offices in Market Harborough.

Welcome to Arnesby

A warm welcome to Lucy and Chris Carter who have moved into Eden Cottage.

Dates for your Diary

Tues 4th April – Annual Arnesby Parish meeting followed by Arnesby Parish Council meeting

Wed 5th April 7.30pm – Film – “The BFG” in Village Hall

Sat 8th April at 10am – Big Breakfast in Village Hall

Sat 30th Sept – New date for Arnesby Promises Auction

Allotment available for rent

There is currently one allotment plot available for rent at the Arnesby Loseby Charity Trust allotments site on the A5199 just outside Arnesby. Car parking and mains water tap available on site.

Please contact Monica Dowson 2478296 for more details.

Compline: Wednesdays in Lent, 7pm, St Peter's Church

On most Wednesdays in Lent, Compline will be held at 7pm in St Peter's Church. (But not on 1st or 15th March.)

Please do join us for this short contemplative service. (Note: no Compline on 1st & 15th March)

Compline: a service of evening prayers, traditionally said (or chanted) before retiring for the night.

Lent: this year, begins on Weds 1st March and continues for 40 days

Shrove Tuesday: Pancake Day, this year is Tues 28th Feb

Good Friday: 14th April

Easter Sunday: 16th April

Promises Auction Postponed

The Promises Auction, originally planned for 25th March, will now take place on Saturday 30th September. Please put the new date in your diary

Village Hall Social Committee

If you would like to join the Village Hall social committee, to help organise events to be held in the village hall, please contact Sue Spriggs. (tel: 2478559)

Arnesby Parish Council Web Site

www.arnesbyparishcouncil.org.uk contains lots of useful information about Arnesby and surrounding areas, with links to Parish Council agendas & minutes, planning applications, and an A-Z of Services.

Demand Responsive Transport

Bus passes valid. Taxis do not run if no bookings.

Wednesdays – 10am from **Arnesby to Leicester**, return at 2pm - £4.90 return. Tel: 07815 044068 to book taxi & pick up point (by 5pm the day before)

Thursdays – 9.30am from **Arnesby to Mkt Harborough**, return at 12.30pm - £4 return. Tel 01858 410210 to book.

Community Transport

Lutterworth Volunteer Centre - Volunteer drivers use their own car to take people to doctor/ hairdresser / shopping /etc & home again. Charges apply but cheaper than taxis. Tel 01455 555571

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