

Arnesby News Sheet – 17th January 2017

<i>What's On in Arnesby – Calendar – January/February</i>			
Date	Time	What	Where
Tues 17 th Jan	11am – 11.30am	Mobile Library – third Tuesday of every month	Near Old Adult School, St Peter's Rd
Tues 17 th Jan	7.30pm	Arnesby Parish Council – <i>see agenda over page</i>	Baptist Chapel Meeting Room
Weds 18 th Jan	7.30pm – 8.30pm	Dementia Awareness Session About dementia and how to make community more dementia-friendly. All ages welcome. Refreshments provided.	Village Hall
Fri 20 th Jan		Green Bin Collection – one-off collection of 'stickered green bins' which can contain cut up real Xmas trees. <i>See over page for more info.</i>	
Tues 24 th Jan	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – "Love and Friendship" Based on Jane Austen novella, Lady Susan. About trying to find a husband.	Village Hall – Free!!
Wed 1 st Feb	5pm – 6.30pm	Messy Church	Village Hall
Wed 1 st Feb	7.30pm	WI Meeting - Speaker: Clive Matthew – "My Life & Times in Farming and Hedge Laying" Guests welcome £4. <i>Contact: Gina 2478888</i>	Arnesby Village Hall
Sat 4 th Feb	12 noon	Arnesby Pensioners' Post-Xmas Dinner – Three course dinner and wine. Contact Penny 2478621, Karen 2478763 or Steph 2478733 for invitation	Arnesby Village Hall
Mon 6 th Feb	4pm	Rev Liz – House Group: cup of tea/coffee and biscuits, chat and prayers	Di Winterton, The Cottage, St Peters Road
Wed 8 th Feb	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – "Spotlight" - True story of the Boston Golbe's uncovering of child abuse scandal	Village Hall – Free!!
Sat 11 th Feb	10am – 12 noon	Swap Shop – exchange books, CDs, puzzles, etc Entrance £1 (incl. light refreshments)	Village Hall
Fri 17 th Feb	7pm for 7.30pm	Howdenjones – musical entertainment. <i>See over page.</i> Tickets £8 from Sue Spriggs, tel 2478559	Village Hall
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
<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 do.	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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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

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.

Wheelie Bin Collections & Recycling Sites

Green bins (with sticker) – Fri 20th Jan - Subscribers can put out their green bin for collection on **20th Jan**. Real Xmas trees can be cut up & placed in this bin.

Regular collections restart 3rd March.

You have to renew your subscription (£40) for April onwards and can do so now, via www.harborough.gov.uk or at Harborough Council offices in Market Harborough.

Blue bins – Fridays 20th Jan, 3rd Feb, 17th Feb, 3rd March

Black bins - Fridays 27th Jan, 10th Feb, 24th Feb

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

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)

Swap Shop – Sat 11th Feb & 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.

Entertainment in Village Hall – Fri 17th Feb

"Howdenjones" will be performing in the Village Hall on Fri 17th Feb. They are a husband and wife duo of 'acoustic balladiers', who sing, tell stories and play several instruments. Suitable for all the family.

See www.howdenjones.co.uk for more details.

Doors open at 7pm for 7.30pm start with interval refreshments included. (Bring your own alcohol.)

Tickets: £8 from Sue Spriggs tel: 2478559

Arnesby Parish Council Meeting

Tuesday 17th Jan at 7.30pm at Arnesby Baptist Chapel

In addition to the usual business, agenda items include:

- Matters arising – Neighbouring parish councils, climate change grant, children's play area & equipment

- Precept & budget for 2017-18

- Grant application from Baptist Chapel to support youth group football team

- Neighbourhood Plan progress

- Planning applications

--- Solar panels at Grange Farm, Fleckney Lane

--- HDC decision to approve erection of 3 detached houses on The Paddock, Mill Hill Road

- Open session for questions & future business

- Date of next meeting – Tues 21st March 2017

More details at www.arnesbyparishcouncil.org.uk

Arnesby Pensioners Post-Christmas Dinner

The annual Pensioners Post-Xmas Dinner will be held on **Saturday 4th February** at 12 noon in Arnesby Village Hall.

The 3-Course Dinner with wine is provided courtesy of the Arnesby May Fayre. For more information and/or an invitation, please contact Penny Elliott: 2478621, or Karen Beardsell: 2478736 or Steph Walkinshaw: 2478733

DEMENTIA AWARENESS SESSION

Weds 18th January, 7.30pm, Arnesby Village Hall

A one-hour dementia awareness session will be held to provide insights into dementia and suggest how to make the community more dementia-friendly. All ages are welcome. Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided. Supported by the Alzheimer's Society.

Children's Society Boxes

A big 'Thank You' to the Children's Society box holders in Arnesby. The 2016 total was £153.03 (£20 more than last year). If anyone would like to be a box holder, please contact Sheila Meredith tel: 2478521

Dates for your Diary

Tues 7th March – Book Club – "The Essex Serpent" by Sarah Perry, at Cambridge House

Wed 8th March – Film Night – "The Big Short"

Sat 18th March – 10 - 12 - Swap Shop in the Village Hall

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Sat 25th March – Arnesby Promises Auction

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