

Arnesby News Sheet – 21st February 2019

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

Date	Time	What	Where
Tues 26 th Feb	7.30pm	Book Group – “Tombland” by C J Sansome. All welcome. <i>Contact Sue 2478559</i>	Jenny Lees, Arnesby House, St Peter’s Road
Weds 27 th Feb	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – “Blackboard Jungle” – Teaching in a poor school in 1950s USA	Village Hall – Free!!
Weds 27 th Feb	7pm – 9pm	Craft Evening – £2 incl refreshments. <i>Ann 2478910</i>	Baptist Chapel Lounge
Thurs 28 th Feb	7am – 10pm	Voting - Arnesby Neighbourhood Plan Referendum	Village Hall
Mon 4 th March	4pm	Rev Liz – Cup of tea/coffee & biscuit, chat & prayers	Di Winterton, The Cottage, St Peter’s Rd
Tue 5 th March	7.30pm	Arnesby May Fayre meeting – all welcome to come and hear about the Fayre & offer help and/or ideas.	Village Hall
Wed 6 th March	7.30pm	WI Meeting – “Make a Kumihimo Key Ring” with Jacqui Walker. Visitors welcome £4	Arnesby Village Hall <i>Contact: Gina 2478888</i>
Sat 9 th March	10am – 12 noon	Big Breakfast – Join us for coffee/tea/bacon rolls.	Arnesby Village Hall
Tue 12 th March	10.30am–12noon	Open House – Drop in for free filter coffee (or tea). Everyone welcome including babies and toddlers.	Chapel lounge <i>Contact Val Hutton 2478392</i>
Tue 12 th March	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – “Tommy’s Honour” – 19 th Century historical drama depicting the lives, careers & relationships of pioneer golfing champions.	Village Hall – Free!!
Wed 13 th Mar	7pm – 9pm	Craft Evening – £2 incl refreshments. <i>Ann 2478910</i>	Baptist Chapel Lounge
Wed 13 th Mar	7.30pm – 9pm	Table Tennis for All <i>Contact: Elaine 2478243</i>	Arnesby Village Hall
Sat 16 th March	10am – 12 noon	Swap Shop – exchange books, CDs/DVDs, puzzles, toys, etc. Entrance £1 (incl. light refreshments)	Village Hall <i>Contact Sue Spriggs 2478559</i>
Sat 16 th March	10am – 12 noon Unless very wet!	Annual Village Litter Pick All volunteers are welcome. Wear old clothes, gloves, fluorescent jackets (if possible). If raining, will be postponed.	Meet at Village Hall at 10am
Tues 19 th Mar	11am – 11.30am	Mobile Library – third Tuesday of every month	Near village green, St Peter’s Rd
Wed 20 th Mar	6.30pm	Compline – short contemplative service	St Peter’s Church
Tue 26 th March	10.30am–12noon	Open House – Drop in for free filter coffee (or tea). Everyone welcome including babies and toddlers.	Chapel lounge <i>Contact Val Hutton 2478392</i>
Tues 26 th Mar	7.30pm	Book Group – “Skinner’s Rules” by Quintin Jardine. All welcome. <i>Contact Sue 2478559</i>	Sue Spriggs, Cambridge House, South Close
Tues 26 th March	7.30pm - - - - - 8pm - - - - -	Annual Parish Meeting Arnesby Parish Council AGM	Village Hall
Wed 27 th Mar	7pm – 9pm	Craft Evening – £2 incl refreshments. <i>Ann 2478910</i>	Baptist Chapel Lounge
Wed 27 th Mar	7.30pm	Flicks in the Sticks – “The Founder” – True story of struggling US salesman who met McDonald brothers in the 1950s & saw potential of the burger franchise.	Village Hall – Free!!
Fri 29 th Mar	7.30pm – 9pm	Table Tennis for All <i>Contact: Elaine 2478243</i>	Arnesby Village Hall

Regular Events

Day	Time	What	Where / Who to contact for info
Mon to Fri	12:15pm	School Lunch for any village residents. <i>(Term time)</i>	Village Hall / <i>School 2478563</i>
Mondays	6pm & 7pm	Pilates Classes – Beginners/Improvers & Advanced	Village Hall / <i>Jacky 07974 176382</i>
Mondays	7pm – 8.30pm	Football Training – all welcome - 14 years to adult.	Chapel floodlit pitch/ <i>Joseph 2478392</i>
Mondays	7.30pm	Teenage Girls Group & Ladies Evening/Bible Study	Chapel lounge / <i>Ellie 07784 939781</i>
Thursdays	9.15am-10.15am	Pilates with Jacky Pugh - £6 per session.	Village Hall / <i>Jacky 07974 176382</i>
Thursdays	7.30pm	Bible Study and prayer meeting – Johnny Hutton	Baptist Chapel Lounge / <i>2478392</i>
Fridays	9.30am–11.45am	Arnesby Playgroup Stay & Play incl parents/carers	Village Hall / <i>Rups 07709 811668</i>
Fridays	6pm – 7pm	Fun Club (ages 5 – 11 years) <i>(Term time)</i>	Baptist Chapel / <i>Johnny 2478392</i>
Saturdays	7pm – 9pm	Youth Club (age 12+ years) <i>(Term time)</i>	Baptist Chapel / <i>Nathan 2478392</i>
Sundays		Church and Chapel services – see The Hexagon	

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Wheelie Bin Collections & Recycling Sites

Blue bins & Green bins with (old) sticker

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

To get a new **Green Bin sticker** for April onwards (£40 for 9 months) apply/pay at www.harborough.gov.uk or at Market Harborough Council Offices.

Black bins - Fridays 22nd Feb, 8th March, 22nd 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

Quiz Night – Tues 5th Feb

Over 50 people came to the quiz and we raised over £400. The monies will be divided equally between the school PTA and the Village Hall.

Thanks to everyone who came and supported the event. We hope you had a good evening. Special thanks to Matt and Simon our Quiz masters and to Edie, Aggie, Winnie and Theo for helping set up and decorate the village hall and to Chip for doing the washing up!

Many thanks from Kate, Lauren and Jacque

Let's Clean Up Arnesby – Sat 16th March

The annual litter pick in Arnesby and on local access roads will take place on Saturday 16th March.

Please meet at 10am at the Village Hall.

All volunteers are very welcome. 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!

Jazz Concert by the Fourmasons

Sunday 14th April - 7pm in Arnesby Village Hall

Tickets £7.50 from Sue Spriggs or Peter Houtman

Tel: 2478559 or 2478243

Open House at the Chapel Lounge

2nd & 4th Tuesdays of each month (10.30am – 12noon)

Drop in for free filter coffee (or tea)

Everyone is welcome, all ages.

Dates in March – **Tues 12th March & Tues 26th March**

Contact: Val 0116 2478392

Dates for your Diary

Sunday 14 April: Jazz concert by the Fourmasons, 7pm in Arnesby Village Hall.

Saturday 15th June: Village picnic & BBQ on the playing field

Sunday 23 June: Open Gardens

Friday 22nd November: Country/Folk music concert in Arnesby Village Hall

Arnesby Neighbourhood Plan Referendum Voting in Village Hall

Thursday 28th February – 7am to 10pm

Copies of the Neighbourhood Plan are available either in the Village Hall, or with the Clerk, Terry Cane. It can also be seen on line at www.arnesbyparishcouncil.org.uk.

The plan has been approved by Harborough District Council, and now a Referendum in which all village residents can vote (provided they are registered on the electoral roll) will take place on Thursday 28th February in the Village Hall between 7am and 10pm.

The Parish Council hopes that all Arnesby residents will take the opportunity to vote and help establish the future of our village.

Arnesby Open Gardens - Sunday 23rd June in aid of St Peter's Church

If you are willing to open your garden, whether large or small, scruffy or smart, please contact Brian Spriggs on 2478559.

Arnesby May Fayre meeting Tuesday 5th March 7.30pm in the village hall

Arnesby wouldn't be Arnesby without its May Fayre. A small team is willing to start planning for this year (27th May 2019) but it is going to need the help of the great band of volunteers who give their time to make the day a success.

For those new to Arnesby, it's a fun day out for all the family, having been held on Spring Bank Holiday Monday for around 40 years, with only one or two interruptions for other celebrations. A wide variety of stalls, entertainment, refreshments, games and the popular cross country run take place throughout the village.

On good weather days, it attracts between 2000-3000 people. Money raised is used primarily to maintain and develop the village hall, but also provides donations for repairs to the church, chapel and a range of community activities and organisations.

A planning meeting is being held on Tuesday 5th March at 7.30pm in the village hall. Please come along to find out more; there are key roles still to be filled, including Treasurer as Terry Emmony has decided to retire after carrying out this role for most of the 40 years. New ideas and offers of help you might be able to give before, during, or after the event, are welcomed and much appreciated.

We look forward to seeing you at the meeting, but if you are unable to attend and would like to offer help or ideas please let us know:

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