

Friends, Family, Neighbours -

It is with sadness that we have two farewells to report this month :

A Sad Farewell to Nigel Hurst

Nigel Hurst, 58 of Oak Lane, died recently after a long fight with cancer.

Thoughts, love, and prayers to his family.

A Sad Farewell to Di Winterton

Di died on 10th January, aged 90. She was a stalwart of St. Peter's Church, singing in the choir and playing the organ. Her funeral was on Tuesday 7th February, in St. Peter's Church.

Di's husband, John, was churchwarden for many years. Thoughts to all the family at this sad time.

Something To Look Forward To -

We have a few events coming up which is a great way of getting involved with the village and, if you are new, are a great way of meeting people and just simply... joining in..

Celebrations for the Kings Coronation –

A fabulous opportunity for a get together as a village is just around the corner!!!

On Sunday 7th May, a bring and share lunch and activities to celebrate King Charles' Coronation is planned and Sue Spriggs would like to request YOUR help....

Volunteers are needed to help make this happen and of course people to attend!!

Please contact Sue to register as a helper and volunteer.



Open Gardens – June 25th, 2023

If you have never thought of joining in, I would encourage you to do so, it was my first time too and we thoroughly enjoyed a positive and engaging event. **Great to feel like you are working towards something, hard work yes, but so much fun!!** Entering your garden? Thinking of Entering????

You should have had a flyer through the door recently, and if you have taken part before, come on, do it again, we are.... **And if you are slightly interested, please have a chat with Jacque**, she will allay any fears you may have.

Please contact Jacque to register your entry or if you have any questions on – 07908925983 or via jashorrocks@gmail.com

Arnesby Pensioners Christmas Meal - Sat 18th Feb -

If you are interested, and have not already contacted Penny, please drop her a call or text. Everyone over the age of 66 is welcome, nay, encouraged to join in. Penny will need to know if you have any dietary requirements of course. She can be contacted on **07525.009.699**

Bring & Share -

Date yet to be confirmed, however if you are interested, please contact Penny on **07525.009.699**

Promises Auction – Sat – 25th March 2023

Arnesby Village Hall, 6:30pm is the place to be! Sue Spriggs is organizing this very popular event again and is looking for your support and engagement. **What can YOU do???**

Consider what you could offer for Auction ... it could be small and simple, such as a car wash, ironing, babysitting, or driving someone to the shops. Perhaps you have a talent for cooking or decorating? Alternatively, you might have something aligned to your business that you could off at auction or time in your holiday cottage or caravan, or a day out for a small group. Submit your 'Promise' to suespriggs@btinternet.com.

All donations of any type are gratefully accepted. HOWEVER, please only offer a 'Promise' that you can fulfill. We do not want to disappoint!

Look out for a leaflet detailing those donated 'Promises' in the middle of March. If you are unable to join us at the Village Hall, you will be able to submit a postal bid to Sue via the email above.

Charity Update -

Food Bank Update -

Week ending 28th January, the collection / donation weight of products was 12.3kg... Thank you everyone!
Current shortages are below – please do drop something in your next shop, however small, to donate if you can:
Tinned Potatoes, Instant Mash, UHT Milk, Squash, Sponge Puddings, Shampoo, Shower Gel, Laundry Products.

Emergency Appeal Suggestion From Beryl Cane -

Open Hands Compassion Centre are running a 'Warm Winter Appeal' for donations of pillows, duvets, duvet covers, sleeping bags, coats, hats, gloves, scarves which are vital to our guests in the cold months ahead as many face times on the streets or difficult decisions overheating their homes. Openhandsleicester.org.uk/donate
Items can be dropped off at the Centre LE1 2HP Tues 1pm-5pm or Thurs 3pm-5pm

Parish News - Arnesby Parish Council / arnesbypc@gmail.com

REMINDER

Neighbourhood Plan Review

Did you know that Arnesby has a neighbourhood plan? Did also know that the plan is currently under review? What should be included in a Neighbourhood plan? A neighbourhood plan is about the use and development of land and may contain a vision, aims, planning policies, proposals for improving the area or providing new facilities, or allocation of key sites for specific kinds of development. David Johnson, Chairman of the Parish Council, is heading up the review with a trusty team of villagers. **There will be a open day at the Village Hall, currently planned for Saturday 11th February**, to advise you on the progress of the plan and allow you to have your say. If you have any questions before hand, David and his team will be happy to oblige. **0116.247.8309**

Arnesby Parish Council Email Address -

Please note that the general email address for the Arnesby Parish Council has changed. All emails previously sent to tcanearnesby@googlemail.com should now be sent to arnesbypc@gmail.com we are still monitoring the old email address.

Sweaty, Sporty Bits -

Fitness February

Bootcamp – Sat 9-10

NEW Box Fit - Sunday – 9:30-10.30

Circuits - Wednesday – 6-7pm

Personal Training - available upon request

All fitness levels and abilities welcome. To book for any of the sessions contact: **Shane Malone -TEL 07469 993970**

"This morning's class was the best class I have ever been to - you have to peel me off the ceiling now - so energised!"



Grp Sessions £6

2023 Cricket Schedule -

When		What		Where
June				
Sun	4th	TBC	Arnesby -v- Fleckney	TBC
September				
Sat	3rd	TBC	Arnesby -v- Gumley	TBC
	24th	TBC	Arnesby -v- Stoneygate	TBC

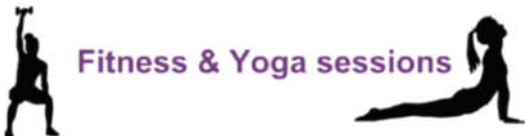
There will be Thursday night sessions to be arranged when we get to cricketing weather

Cricket Contact – David Hogg – 07443.259.928

Playgroup Sessions – 9:30am – 11am Friday's

Rups would like to invite any older members of the community, who would like to get out, meet up & have a chat, to playgroup sessions on a Friday morning. There will be tea /coffee & cake!! Sessions run from 9:30am until 11am each week.

Interested? Please contact Rupinder direct on:
07709.811.668



Fitness & Yoga sessions

Arnesby Village Hall
Monday & Thursday Evenings:
Fitness 7:15pm – 8:00pm
Yoga 8:15pm – 9:00pm
Starting on Thursday 28th July 2022

Everyone welcome!
£5 per session or £8 for both
Please book your place by texting Selina on 07813927652

Your Community Churches -



Arnesby Baptist Church -

St. Peter's Church



When	What	Where	Contact / Comments
Sun	10:45am	Morning Service	The Chapel Sunday club available for children
	6pm	Evening Service	
Tues	10-12noon	Evergreen Café	The Barn
Wed	10am-12noon	Babies & Toddlers	The Barn All welcome
Fri	6-7:30pm	Expolorers Kids Club	The Barn
Note	Please visit our website for more information. Café at The Barn - Re-Opening In the Spring.		
Contact :	Johnny Hutton - 0116.2478392 / Nathan Ling - 07412.045856 / https://www.arnesbybc.co.uk		

When	What	Contact / Comments
February -		
Sun	26th 10:30am	Holy Communion All welcome
March -		
Wed	1st	7pm Compline Every Wednesday during Lent
	8th	
	15th	
	22nd	
Contact :	Brian Spriggs - 0116.247.8559	

What Can We Do This Month ??

When	What	Where	Contact / Comments
February -			
Wed	8th	2-4pm	Craft Club Village Hall Contact Gina Ward - 0116.247.8888
		7:30pm	Film - Quiet Girl Village Hall Rural Ireland. Shy 9 year old girl moves to live with distant relatives.
Sat	11th	10-11:30am	Neighbourhood Plan Review Village Hall All encouraged to attend.
Wed	15th	2-4pm	Craft Club Village Hall Contact Gina Ward - 0116.247.8888
Tues	21st	10:35-11:05am	Library Van St Peters Road, top grn
Fri	24th	7:30pm	Book Club The Granary, St. Peter's Rd We will be discussing 'Lessons in Chemistry' by Bonnie Garmus.
Sun	26th	10:30am	Holy Communion St. Peter's Church All welcome
Tues	28th	7:30pm	Film - White God Village Hall 13 year old Lili's father abandons her beloved dog. Set in Hungary.
March -			
Wed	1st	7pm	Compline St. Peter's Church Every Wednesday during Lent
Wed	8th	2-4pm	Craft Club Village Hall Contact Gina Ward - 0116.247.8888
		7pm	Compline St. Peter's Church Every Wednesday during Lent
Sat	11th	10-12noon	Swap Shop Litter Pick Village Hall Please all help if you can
		7:30pm	Film - 7yrs in Tibet Village Hall Change of film Brad Pitt plays Heinrich Harrer, climbing in the Himalayas & meets the Dalai Lama
Wed	15th	2-4pm	Craft Club Village Hall Contact Gina Ward - 0116.247.8888
		7pm	Compline St. Peter's Church Every Wednesday during Lent
Tues	21st		Parish Council Meeting
Wed	22nd	2-4pm	Craft Club Village Hall Contact Gina Ward - 0116.247.8888
		7pm	Compline St. Peter's Church Every Wednesday during Lent
Sat	25th	6:30pm	Promises Auction Village Hall Deadline for submitting your promises to Cambridge House, South Close is Friday 17th February
Wed	29th	7:30pm	Film - Operation Mincemeat Village Hall 1943. Two agents plan to stop the German invasion of Sicily

Binning-Tons - *Your bin collection dates | Harborough District Council (fccenvironment.co.uk)*

Waste Sites -

Site	M	T	W	T	F	S	S
Oadby / Wigston	9-4	9-4	9-4	-	-	9-4	9-4
Whetstone	9-4	-	-	9-4	9-4	9-4	9-4
Lutterworth	9-4	-	-	9-4	9-4	9-4	9-4
Market Harborough	9-4	9-4	9-4	-	-	9-4	9-4
Kibworth	9-4	-	-	9-4	9-4	9-4	9-4

Feb-23					Mar-23				
Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
		1	2	3			1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10	6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17	13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24	20	21	22	23	24
27	28				27	28	29	30	31

BLUE LINE = blue & green bins BLACK LINE = Black Bins

Wheelie Bin Collection Dates -

These are bi-weekly, and more details can be found at: [Your bin collection dates | Harborough District Council \(fccenvironment.co.uk\)](http://fccenvironment.co.uk) **Note** - Please ensure wheeled bins are presented **before 7am**

The garden waste bin(s) will be emptied every other week (except for the period of December to February when there will be one collection only during January)

https://www.harborough.gov.uk/info/20059/garden_waste/434/garden_waste_service/4

Got A Question?

Want This?	Call These ...	
Boot Camp & PT	Shane Malone	07469.993.970
Covid-19 Co-Ord	Sue Cooper	0116.247.9840
Cricket Club	David Hogg	07443.259.928
Fitness & Yoga Sessions	Selina	0781.392.7652
Grow Your Own' WhatsApp Grp	Alan Wilkins	07436.013372
Local Playgroup	Rups (Rupiner)	07709.811.668 - rupii24@hotmail.com
Loseby Charity Trust /Allotments	Graham & Liz Middleton	arnesbyallotments@gmail.com - Liz - 0749.481.5475 / Graham - 07580.474.4500
Newsletter	Philippa Hill	07508.255.140 / arnesbynewsletter@gmail.com
Parish Council	Chair - David Johnson / Clerk - Leigh Maidment	Website: www.arnesbyparishcouncil.org.uk
St Peters Church	Sue & Brian Spriggs (Church Warden - Brian Spriggs)	0116.247.8559
The Chapel		0116.247.8392
Village Facebook	Paul Williams	paulwilliamsdesign@hotmail.com
Village Hall Booking	Lucy Carter	0116.2478535 lucycarter962@sky.com
Village Hall Chairman	Sue Cooper	0116.247.9840
Village Website		Village Website - Arnesby, Leicestershire (village-web.co.uk)
Village WhatsApp	Zandra Byatt	07825.182.459
W.I.	Gina Ward / Anne Miksza	GW - 0116.247.8888 / AM - 0116.247.8910
BabySitting	Josephine Pilling	0116.2799114 or j.pilling33@outlook.com

Puzzling Times -

	8	2				9
		3				6
9	6		7			1
	9	7		2		
	4			1		8
	7	4		5		
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	9	3	5		7	8		

Funny Riddles for Adults

1. When is a door no longer a door?
2. What tastes better than it smells?
3. What building has the most stories?
4. What has a bottom at the top?
5. What has four wheels and flies?
6. What month of the year has 28 days in it?
7. What can you put in a bucket to make it weigh less?
8. What starts with T, ends with T, and has T in it?
9. Where is the only place where today comes before yesterday?
10. What goes all around the world but stays in a corner?

NEXT Issue / Deadline – Please email comments & suggestions to Arnesbynewsletter@gmail.com or pop a note through

Trevean, Mill Hill Rd. Thanks Phill

Strict Copy Deadline – Sunday 19th Feb/ Next Issue – Friday 3rd March