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ARNESBY NEWSLETTER

Latest news & bulletin updates



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Looking for Things to Do...? We've Got You Covered

Film Planning Meeting – Monday August the 12th 6.30pm Cambridge House, South Close (please note, change of venue) Please bring:-1. items for a Bring & Share Supper; 2. Suggestions for films next season (check they are available on DVD); 3. Your diary; 4. Alcohol (if you wish!)

Book Club – Wednesday 24 th July at 7.30 pm
The Gables, Robert Hall Road,
We will be discussing "The Fair Botanists" by Sara Sheridan and
Tuesday 27th August at East View, Mill Hill Road. We will be
discussing "The Island of missing trees" by Elif Shafak.

Benefice Communion - Sunday18th August at 10.30am St Peter's Church

Libray van - Fridays 2.00 to 2.30 pm On St Peter's Road 5th July; 26th July; 16th August; 6th September

Afternoon Tea – Every Sunday until the 29th September at 3.30 to 5.30 pm
St Peter's Church
We will be serving tea and cake.
CASH PAYMENTS ONLY

PCC meeting - Tuesday 2nd July at 2 pm St Peter's Church 2 at Cambridge House.

Arnesby Fete on Playing Field- 26th August 2pm-5:30pm

Only for Arnesby residents, friends and family. A fun, family day with games, competitions, stalls and live music. Free entry & cash only for purchases. Food & drink (including a prosecco bar- YAAAY) more details to follow...

Contact Claudia and Neil on 07377132873 to help.

Village Yoga – every Thursday at 7:30 pm Arnesby Village hall, Everyone welcome Contact Mollie on 07467533615 for more info.

Macmillan coffee Morning - Saturday 28th September between 10 am to 12 noon at

Cambridge House, South Close

So far, an amazing total of £6,320.60 has been raised for Macmillan over the past 5 years, a huge thank you too all! As well as the recent Swimathon raising £1,250 for Macmillan Cancer support!

At Arnesby Baptist Church

Sunday morning service 10.45-12 followed by refreshments. Including Sunday Club for all aged children.

Sunday evening service 6-7pm.

Monday evening Ladies Group, 7.30-9pm.

Tuesday Evergreen Coffee Time, 10.45-12.(In The Barn)

Tuesday evening, 7.30-9pm, Men's Group.(2nd & 4th Tue in month)

Tuesday evening whole church prayer, 3rd Tues in month.

Wednesday Parents, Babies & Toddlers, behind chapel 10am-12noon.(Term time)

Café at The Barn on every Friday 2.30-5pm.

Friday 6-7.15pm, Explorers.(School years 1 - 6, term time)

Friday Youth Club, 7.30-9pm.

We are now taking bookings for Kids camp; Youth Camp. See website for details.

Please go to website for more information www.arnesbybc.co.uk

or text Pastor Johnny Hutton on: 07813 356364

Arnesby Bats to Victory Despite Bowling Pressure from Fleckney!

2nd June- Arnesby began the day fielding to a packed out crowd at the Fleckney oval, accompanied by the music of the Fleckney festival. The match, however, certainly being the prime attraction.

Opening the bowling was captain Henry Lees, leading from the front with consistency and poise. George Jackson, also opening, attacking the crease with the ferocity to put fear into the Fleckney opening batsmen. Arnesby's fielding started and continued to be active ensuring opening maiden overs for both Henry and George J. George Jackson taking the opening wicket in his second over.

Next up to bowl was David Hawkins and George Lees who continued to pack on the pressure to the teetering Fleckney batsmen. George taking a wicket on his first ball! Fleckney at this point putting up a dogged fight against a relentless Arnesby onslaught. Also bowling were the stalwart Alex Jefferies and wonder sub Jack Pickering who both picked up 2 and 1 wickets respectively.

Closing out the bowling in decisive style was Alpesh showing off to his adoring family in the audience with a wicket in his second over. Shout outs to all the fielders making a fantastic display. Notably Max White making a glorious diving catch midway through the game.

Fleckney were restricted to 139 for 8 off 40 overs.

Arnesby opened the batting with Joe Luzzi and George Lees. Joe's wickets fell to the first ball of the game, surprising onlookers with an unusual wild swing from an accomplished batsman. George lees and Dave Hawkins took up the mantle with George hitting back with 11 in the first over. Dave held out for 8 runs, then successive dispatches of Max White and Alpesh Divecha for ducks put the pressure back on a potentially complacent Arnesby batting team. George Jackson came in at 6 to anchor however, although off to shaky start, was able to form an excellent partnership with George. The double George attack worked, putting Arnesby 15 runs away from victory before George L was forced to retire at 81 runs to perform fatherly duties. Wyndham Hogg was able to come in and clean up 11 runs to see Arnesby to a leisurely victory. George Jackson not out for 27.

Arnesby 140 for 4 off 23.4 overs

Who's Up For a Show...?

Shearsby, Arnesby, Bruntingthorpe Open Show 2024 Show.

Sat 7th September 2024 at Arnesby Village Hall

Entries to be staged 9.30am - 11.30am

Fee 30p per exhibit

Viewing from 3pm £2 entrance + £2 if refreshments wanted. Awards to be presented at 4pm, then some exhibits available to take in return for donation (minimum £1)

Recipes & Schedule

Online at www.ArnesbyProduceShow2024.blogspot.com

For larger printed or email copies contact:

Jenny Lees (mobile: 0788 5473057)

or

Monica Dowson (email: monica.dowson@btinternet.com)

Section 1 - Vegetables

Section 2 - Fruit

Section 3 – Flowers

Note: Flowers should be presented in a vase or container of water.

Section 4 - Cookery

Note: Cakes should be presented on a plate with a sweet doily. Please cover with paper or cling film to help combat wasps!

Section 5 - Preserves

Note: No manufacturer's writing on jars or lids. Cellophane lids only. Label clearly with variety and date.

Section 6 - Floral Art

Section 7 - Handicrafts

upwards

Note: Articles should have been finished by the entrant during the past 2 years.

Section 8a – All Children up to age 16 years

Section 8b - Children up to & including

5yrs Section 8c – Children from 5 years

Section 8d – Children's Art – a picture in any medium of Any Sport of your choice

What's Been Happening in Arnesby?

LHCT

We were honoured that the Lord-Lieutenant of Leicestershire Mr Michael Kapur OBE came to our Sixtieth Anniversary evening at St Luke's Church Laughton, to hear about the Trust's work. Also present was Sue Spriggs who has raised thousands of pounds for St Peter's Church Arnesby and for the Trust through Ride+Stride – Sue is our champion fundraiser down the years! Mr Kapur presented her with some flowers, alongside Janet Arthur, Chair of LHCT, holding the Trust's Platinum Jubilee award received from the Lord-Lieutenant in 2022.

Please feel free to follow us on Instagram at @leices_historic_churches_trust



Wildflower Verges

Many of you will know that the village has some lovely wildflower verges. Two in particular have been selected for their wildflowers, so in late May we had a visit from David Nicholls from Naturespot who came to look at the village, in particular the verge in front of the playing field and the verge alongside the school on the Lutterworth Road. Both verges are doing really well and due to the very rich soil we have, are wonderfully verdant at this time of year. If you would like to have a look at David's report on the verges you can use the following links:

www.naturespot.org.uk/Arnesby Lutterworth Rd Verge West www.naturespot.org.uk/Arnesby Lutterworth Rd Verge East

I hope you enjoy our verges and help us to look after them.

Later in the year we will need help clearing the grass cuttings so let me know if you are around to help, I will get a date out in the summer.

Where Every Child Shines - Arnesby School

Arnesby School has been getting ready for the Summer Fair over the last few weeks. The PTA Friends of Arnesby School are organising all the games and stalls, and we hope that we get a lot of villagers and parents with us on the day to support the event.

Tidy up time!

Once again, a big thank you to everyone who supported the tidy up morning too which was a great success and has smartened up the school grounds for us all with new flowers and vegetables for the children to take care of over the remainder of the term.

Extreme reading challenge

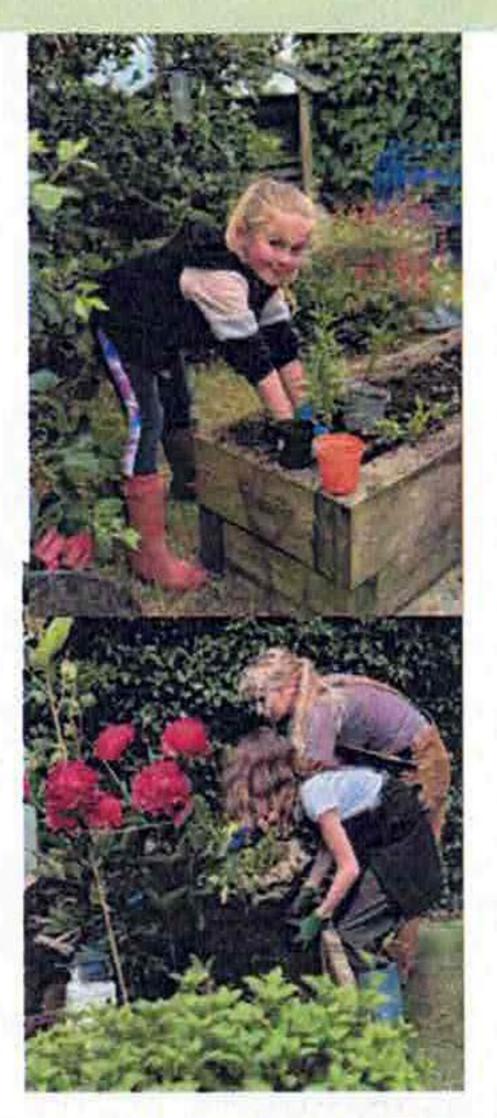
The children's half term challenge was extreme reading! We have a wonderful selection of photographs that everyone has sent in with children reading in some amazing and unusual places. This initiative helps raise the key skill of reading in school and shows that we can read almost anywhere!

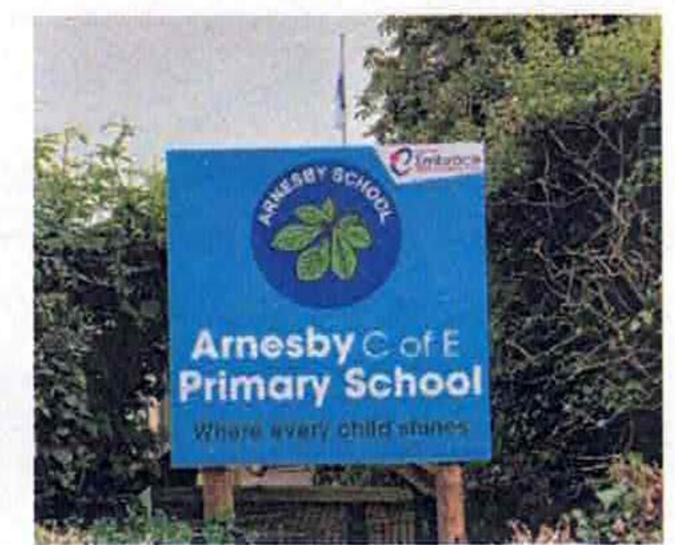
In other news

We hope everyone has seen the big improvement to the front of the school with our new signage. It features our vision for the school "Where every child shines" and our mission is to achieve that aim for all our children in school.

Once we are able to cut the hedge again, we will smarten it up even more but for now we will not disturb the various nesting birds and their chicks.

The new boards in the playground also reflect the vision and values and really brighten up the playground along with a target board which I notice is already scuffed so is (literally) being used as target practice!





Generous Arnesby

Lutterworth & District Foodbank

Thank you for your donations for the Foodbank

The current list of most needed items is; Tinned potatoes; tinned fruit; instant custard; coffee; UHT milk; hot chocolate; rice; sponge puddings; cat & meals; vegetarian tinned meals; microwave rice or noodle meals; tinned spaghetti; household cleaning items; washing up liquid.

FRIENDS OF ST PETER'S, ARNESBY (FOSPA)

We are now a fully registered Charity and are in the process of opening a bank account in the name of the charity. Our fundraising is going well, with nearly £500 from the concert by the Roberts family and a steady supply of funds from the proceeds of our Summer Sunday Teas. Please put the date of our quiz night in your diary (November 9th) We are in the early stages of planning a Church Fete on August Bank Holiday – 26th August.

Keep an eye out

The next Ride & stride is Saturday 14th September-Look out for Sue coming round to ask for sponsorship.

Quiz Answers – How did you do?

Did you manage to remember the songs from the Seventies? Let's See!! Please see questions and answers below.

	Lyric	Song	Artist/Band
1	There was a funky singer, playing in a rock and roll band	Play that Funky Music	Wild Cherry
2	If there's a bustle in your hedgerow, don't be alarmed now	Stairway to Heaven	Led Zeppelin
3	Ooh, it's a killing machine, it's got everything	Highway Star	Deep Purple
4	Well the rain exploded with a mighty crash, as we fell into the sun	Band on the run	Wings
5	And the waitress is practicing politics, as the businessmen slowly get stoned	Piano Man	Billy Joel
6	Just yesterday morning, they let me know you were gone	Fire and Rain	James Taylor
7	To avoid complications, she never kept the same address	Killer Queen	Queen
8	Look at me now, will I ever learn, I don't know how but I suddenly lose control	Mamma Mia	Abba
9	She packed my bags last night pre-flight	Rocket Man	Elton John
10	I drove my tractor through your haystack last night	Combine Harvester	Wurzles

Bins, Bins, Bins

Household waste

Jun-24				
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Jul-24				
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Dog Poo

Dog walkers please remember to clean up after your dog.

Useful Contacts

Want a bit of this?	Contact these wonderfu	ıl people
Arnesby CofE Primary School	Mrs Ruth James	0116 247 8563 / office@arnesby.embracemat.org
Boot Camp	Shane Malone	07469 993970
Cricket Club	David Hogg	07443 259928
Fitness and Yoga Sessions	Mollie Gillanders	07467 533615
Grow your own' WhatsApp Group	Alan Wilkins	07436 013372
Local Playgroup	Rups (Rupina)	07709 811668 / rupii24@hotmail.com
Loseby Charity Trust / Allotments	Liz Middleton	07494 815475 /arnesbyallotmments@gmail.com
Newsletter	Graham Roberts	07785 561181 / arnesbynewsletter@gmail.com
	Mollie Gillanders	07467 533615 / arnesbynewsletter@gmail.com
Parish Council	David Johnson (Chair)	Website: www.arnesbyparishcouncil.org.uk
	Leigh Maidment (Clerk)	
St Peter's Church	Sue and Brian Spriggs	0116 247 8559
The Chapel	Johnny Hutton	0116 247 8392
Village Community Facebook	Bruce Kerr	07785 593319
	Paul Williams	paulwilliamsdesign@hotmail.com
Village Hall Booking	Lucy Carter	0116 247 8535 / https://hallbookingonline.com/arnesby/
Village Hall Chair	Sue Cooper	0116 247 9840
Village Website		Arnesby, Leicestershire (village-web.co.uk)
Village WhatsApp	Zandra Byatt	07825 182459
WI	Gina Ward	0116 247 8888
	Anne Miksza	0116 247 8910
Guitar Lessons	Graham Roberts	07785 561181
Baby sitting	Chloe Stevenson	Call Carol on 07974 306933