

# *the* MAGAZINE

***For Norton,  
Campsall  
and Sutton***

***NORTON PARISH  
COUNCIL***

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## **'SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE'**

You will by now have received through your door the outline programme of events and opportunities that are being funded through the **'Something for Everyone Project'** – DO have a read through, there's sure to be something that you can get involved in!

Some parts of the programme are already underway (see the hanging basket makers across the page) and also, to mention a few...

### **GOLDIES**

Singalong sessions for everyone – no need for a trained voice, just enthusiasm and love of great songs from the 50's, 60's, 70's and 80's. All rounded off with tea and biscuits.

### **MULTISPORTS – SUMMER HOLIDAY SESSIONS FOR 4-11 YEAR OLDS**

Led by qualified sports coaches, twice-weekly sessions at Ryecroft Rd. Playing Fields. Book through schools. Wide range of sports and games for youngsters.

*Lots of fun events for the summer!*



From Scarecrow-making, to Craft Fairs, from Picnics to Brass Bands, there is a huge variety of activity in the Parish over the next couple of months.



See the inside pages for details of forthcoming events and some insights into regular activities taking place in the Parish. And of course, our 'Parish People' slot on page 3>



### **BLOOMIN' MARVELLOUS!**

Flowers are abundant across the villages with our six wayside planters, and with the wonderful hanging baskets made by residents funded through the **'Something for Everyone'** project. Sheila and Anne are clearly pleased with their efforts!



*THANK YOU to the volunteer 'waterers'! All care and deadheading appreciated...*

# FLEXIBLEEXERCISE

Group Pilates classes now available locally at  
Campsall Village Hall, Kirk Smeaton School Hall, Moss  
& Fenwick Village Hall & Norton Community Hall

Book now for private, semi private or group classes in your area  
to develop a leaner, stronger body.

## HOW PILATES CAN BENEFIT

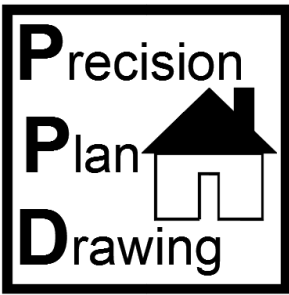
- Open Leg Rocker
- Single Leg Stretch
- Scissors
- Double Leg Kick

- Core abdominal strength
- Improve posture
- Increase flexibility
- Improve balance
- Increase mobility
- Injury rehabilitation and prevention
- Reduction of back pain
- Improvement of technique for athletes
- Stress and tension reduction
- Improve muscle tone and stamina

- Double Leg Stretch
- Spine Stretch
- The Hundred
- Roll Like A Ball

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Ros Jones,  
CBE  
Mayor of  
Doncaster

**Local girl Ros was re-elected Mayor of Doncaster for a second term earlier in the year. We asked her a few questions about herself**

**Were you born in the village? Whereabouts?**

I was actually born in Askern, where my husband was also born. He moved to Campsall, which is part of Norton Parish, around 1951. We moved into Norton 30 plus years ago.

**What is your earliest memory?**

My first day at Sutton Road Infants School, where I was taken by my nana, expecting to only stay a short time!

**Did you enjoy your schooldays and what did you like most about them?**

I enjoyed school up until secondary level, when I found moving to a secondary school quite daunting, after being taught by one teacher on all subjects, to suddenly have a different teacher for each subject, and all of them walking around in gowns.

**How did you become interested in local matters?**

I have participated in local matters for many years, being part of the Askern District Running Club, a school governor, and many other community events.

**What made you decide to run for Mayor the first time? And the second?**

I really went into local politics to seek to bring about improvements to the area that I had been brought up in, and to help people, where possible. I first put my name forward as Mayor after being a local councillor for several years, and believing that someone who understood how local government worked, and how it was financed, needed to represent our communities, because of the draconian cuts that were taking place, and indeed still are taking place.

The second time, I believed our drive to bring about economic improvements for the borough, along with improvements in our schools, services, etc. - yet contained within a very small envelope - meant that we needed to look for many different partnerships. I firmly believe that team work is the right way to deliver results. I have great ambitions for our borough, and will always try to make it a better place than when I came into office.

**Your late husband, Alan, was also a very community-minded person. How much did he influence your role?**

Alan was very much my partner in the role of Mayor, and a great support to me in everything that I did. He had the same ambitions for the borough as myself.

**What is your proudest achievement to date?**

On a personal level, the birth of our daughter, and on a borough level, the great strides we are making in education, employment and transformational projects.

**You are a very busy person, how do you relax?**

At one time I would have said jogging, but in truth, finding the time for this is now near impossible!

*Ros Jones was in conversation with the Editor*

PARISH PEOPLE



**The Litter Squad**

I am pleased to say that our litter picking efforts over the last year have seen a great reduction in the amounts of litter on our streets. There is a slight build-up of litter at the moment; we haven't been out for a few weeks due to holiday and other commitments but we are about to start out again so hopefully it won't be long before the litter is gone.

We have been very pleased to see that our presence out and about is having a positive effect.

Campsmount School has now got its own litter team keeping the school grounds litter free. I also find people remark that they pick up litter when they are out and about.

So thank you for all the positive feedback we have had, we hope to keep up the good work.

If you would like to help us you would be very welcome; please contact:

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**Ed Miliband takes to the airwaves!**

As well as his work as our constituency MP, many of you may well have heard Ed as the guest presenter of the Jeremy Vine show on BBC Radio 2 last week.

Ed became quite the celebrity with his collection of quirky subjects, not least the blessings or shortcomings of the button-flush toilet!

"We sent our reporter, Tim Johns, to investigate" said Ed, "So tell us more". Listeners phoned in. "With the new ones, when you have, you know, a big job, it takes three or four flushes, said one man gravely. "And then you're left with skid marks." Ed sympathised. "Apologies to anyone eating their lunch" he quipped, very smoothly, before putting on a Wings track.

Guardian radio reviewer Miranda Sawyer reported "Ed was delightful to everyone, listening hard, letting them speak and chipping in with quips." She went on, "It was Miliband who made these shows. His sincerity and kindness were absolutely clear; such qualities stand out in broadcasting."

**They may help with being an effective MP as well!**

For the 2<sup>nd</sup> year!

**Village Craft & Produce Show**

**Campsall Village Hall**

DN6 9AW

**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2017**

**Family Fun!**

**Children's classes!**

Tea & homemade cake from 2.30-4pm!

Get ready now!

More details to come later

Date for your diary!

Date for your diary!

Entries taken on the day between 10.30am & 12 (12 to 2.30pm the Hall will be closed for judging). Then 2.30pm to 4pm Enjoy tea and home made WI cakes and view the winning entries. 4pm GRAND AUCTION

A detailed program/entry form to be issued later or contact the Norton WI for more details  
Jane Mawson 07535 474687, Aggi Elwess Tel: 01977 621023 or Anne Carville Tel: 01977 621253



## Bring Your Own "Picnic Evening"

*Live Entertainment, Stalls and Activities*

Parents, Carers and families of Norton Junior School Children are looking forward to an enjoyable community event on:

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2017 – 6.00 to 8.30 pm**

We warmly welcome offers of help, ideas or donations of:

- Soft Toys, Teddies and other Toys**
- Books, Games and Board Games**
- Appropriate CD's/DVD's**
- Video Games Xbox/PSX/Wii etc**
- Suitable Tombola or Raffle prizes**
- "Pre-loved uniform" items (Infant, Junior or Campsmount)**

Donations can be made via the school office or by contacting the organisers directly.

Please contact:

Shaun Nash NJS Vice Chair – [snash@cclind.com](mailto:snash@cclind.com), or  
Diane Broadhead – [dbroadhead3@aol.com](mailto:dbroadhead3@aol.com)  
to offer your support or for further information.



*Don't forget!*

**CARRIAGE BRIDGE opening and FAYRE, Campsall Park**

**SUNDAY 16<sup>th</sup> JULY, 10am-5pm**

## NORTON CHARITY SCARECROW COMPETITION 2017



Entry forms available at West End Stores, West End Road, Norton or The School Boy, High Street, Norton. Entry fee £5.00

Completed entry forms need to be submitted by 5 August 2017 to be included on the Scarecrow Trail map.

All are welcome to join in the judging of the competition over the bank holiday weekend.

**In order to do so, Scarecrow Trail Maps and scoresheets will be available to purchase for the fee of £2.00 from 12 noon until 2 pm from The School Boy on Saturday 26, Sunday 27 and Monday 28 August 2017.**

The submission deadline for completed scoresheets is 5 pm on Monday 28 August 2017. **The winning scarecrow will be announced at the School Boy at 6 pm on Monday 28 August 2017.**

**ALL PROCEEDS TO THE WONKEY DONKEY SANCTUARY**

If you have questions, Amie Stesel will happily help.  
Telephone: 07749 088959



# Norton Chat 'n' Do at Norton Community Hall



The Chat 'n' Do group continues to meet every week, from 10.30 to 12.30 in Norton Community Hall. There are regulars who come most weeks and others who call in when other commitments allow. All comers are very welcome.

We have a planned Programme of Events and each week we will post the next week's programme on the door of Norton Community Hall.

Recently we have made Easter Bonnets (see left), created hanging baskets and had a brilliant day out at the Yorkshire Wildlife Park. This week we are having a special 'Summer Lunch'. Everyone is welcome whether to just sit and chat, take part in the games or chair exercise programme, do a word search, a quiz or just knit and natter. It's YOUR group!



## Norton Walks

Hello again

Hope you are all well and enjoying the nice weather. Mad dogs and Englishmen go out in the midday sun! That was the thinking on our last walk, far too hot but it was a lovely walk led by our walk leader Andrew Thompson who has taken on the responsibilities with me during the absence of our prime leader.

Did you know that each Public Right of Way has a number? We have numbers 1 to 33 within our Parish Boundaries, however numbers 25, 26 and 27 no longer exist. They must have been lost prior to the 1970's when all footpaths were registered. The longest footpath is number 13 at a mile long. We usually couple up walks together to make a 5 mile walk overall.

We had a lovely day out at Hornsea - a 6 mile walk on the cliff top looking out to sea, then back in land to Atwick and homeward to Hornsea.

Keep smiling

*Johnny*

*\* See news of Johnny's Local Walks Book in the 'Something for Everyone' brochure!*



## WELLINGTONIA CENTRE CAMPSALL

### Coffee & Chat



Come and join us for a coffee and some friendly chat!

Every WEDNESDAY from 10.00-11.00am

BINGO - every Thursday at 1.00pm

BEETLE DRIVE - every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday at 1.00pm

"Everyone's welcome here!"



## GOLDIES singalongs

Come along to a great couple of hours singing your heart out! Everyone is welcome to come and join in singing to pre-recorded tracks of songs you ALL know....and tea and biscuits

### At Campsall Village Hall

Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July  
Monday 21<sup>st</sup> August  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> September  
Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October

### At Norton Community Hall

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> August  
Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September  
Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September  
Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> October

1.15 pm to 3.15pm

# REGULAR EVENTS ...



## NORTON INFANTS SCHOOL



Headteacher, Andrea Tunney presents retiring school cook Jen Carr with a bouquet and a leaving gift in recognition of over 40 years service in the Norton Infant and Junior Schools' kitchen ....

Well done Jen!

### THE DAILY MILE

You will probably be aware of recent concerns about physical inactivity and childhood obesity. As they go through Primary school, many children put on weight and, across the UK, around 35% of pupils in their final year of Primary School are categorised as overweight or obese.

So far, no approach in the western world has made any difference, with millions of pounds spent on schemes which have not had lasting impact – and the situation continues to worsen.

There is, however, an initiative called *The Daily Mile* which was started in February 2012 by Elaine Wyllie, who was then headteacher of a large Scottish Primary school in Stirling. She was concerned by children's obvious lack of fitness and went on to prove The Daily Mile to be both sustainable and effective in combating inactivity and obesity in her school.

The Daily Mile is very simple to start. Without wasting time to change into kit, every child in a school or nursery goes out each day in the fresh air to run, jog or walk for 15 minutes. It is not competitive: most children will average a mile in that time, with some doing more and some doing less. It is not PE, sport or cross-country but a physical activity which is aimed at improving the children's physical, social, emotional and mental health and wellbeing. It can help children to focus and concentrate in the classroom and raise their attainment.

Since 2015, The Daily Mile has been adopted by over 1,600 schools in the UK, proving extraordinarily popular with thousands of children, parents and teachers.

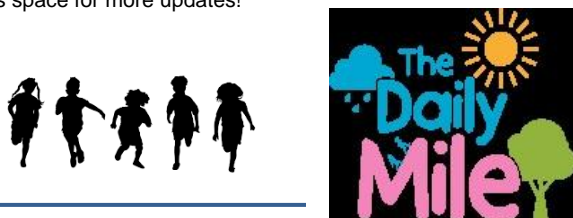
We would like to introduce The Daily Mile for all the children in Norton Infant School and ensure its health and wellbeing benefits are available for everyone. As a school we are really excited about this new initiative and we are looking forward to the benefits it will bring to your child/children. To find out more and how it all works please visit: [www.thedailymile.co.uk](http://www.thedailymile.co.uk)

We will be launching *The Daily Mile* initiative as a family sponsored event on Monday 3 July.

The children are invited to come dressed as their favourite "Sporting Personality" for example Jessica Enis-Hill, an athlete, or just in their sporting wear. Parents are invited to come along to a presentation before the event about The Daily Mile and meet Ray Matthews a local ultra-runner and fundraiser who has kindly agreed to start and take part in the event. The Daily Mile will be 5 circuits of the Infant School grounds the children and parents are encouraged to walk, jog, jump, run or even skip it!! Nursery morning/afternoon children will do approximately three circuits.

The children will receive a medal and small running goody bag for completing The Daily Mile. There will be a drink station provided for the children and lots of support and encouragement around the course for all from the staff, volunteers and junior children!

Watch this space for more updates!



We all shared a fabulous fish & chip picnic lunch on Friday 25 May cooked by our brilliant kitchen courtesy of Metro Catering



Thank you to Metro Catering for providing the boxes. We were very lucky with the weather - it made it a very memorable day.

Last term, Year 1 children came to school dressed as what they would like to be when they grow up. There were some amazing costumes. Well done to everyone!



### AS WE WERE: News items from the past...

15<sup>th</sup> October 1852.

On Sunday evening last, the congregation at the Wesleyan Chapel, Norton was thrown down great excitement by the alarming and sudden demise of Mr James Calvert whilst reading the beautiful parable given in the 15<sup>th</sup> Chapter of St Luke's Gospel. The congregation were listening with the deepest attention, evidently moved with the simple and forcible passage of scripture contained in the chapter in question, when all of a sudden, after uttering the words "I will arise and go to my...." the preacher exclaimed "Oh, my dear friends!", fell down in the pulpit and immediately expired. This solemn incident made a deep impression on the minds of the congregation.

Summer Weather 18<sup>th</sup> June 1860

The Yorkshire papers give an account of a heavy rainstorm of hail and rain, accompanied by lightning and thunder which passed over the southern part of the county. The damage done has been very considerable. At Campsmount, the residence of Mr G. C. Yarborough, no less than 1,000 panes of glass were broken in the greenhouses and three walls washed down by hail and rain. Though the damage was so great at Campsmount, singular to relate. At Campsall Hall, about a half-mile distant, no damage whatsoever was done besides that which result from a heavy downfall of rain.

Thanks to John Fordham for providing the news cuttings.





### Celebrating Sporting Excellence at NJS!

- Year 5/6 Winners of the Doncaster Netball Finals
- Year 5/6 Cricket Team reached the Northern County Finals for the 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive year and representing South Yorkshire on 29<sup>th</sup> June.
- Year 3/4 Cricket Tournament 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the North West Finals



Rosie showing true grit & determination



Leo's resilience and competitive spirit driving him on!



Congratulations, Emily!  
Under 10's Winner!

Pupils were proud to represent NJS at Ackworth Cross Country on 21<sup>st</sup> June with 4 pupils (Rosie, Emily, Leo and Jacob) making podium finishes. Great team effort!



Lauren striding triumphantly to the finish!

A warm welcome awaits you at...

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**THIS IS NOT THE PRETTIEST PICTURE IN THE MAGAZINE!**

.....But it does illustrate one of the key aspects of Norton Parish Council's work to support residents in the Parish.

This is Back Lane, Campsall, an unadopted road, and one that suffers from flooding in rainy weather, particularly severe in winter. This is one of three new drains/gullies.

In consultation with Doncaster MBC we have found that one of the main problems has been a lack of drains/gullies to take surface water away. The Parish Council has been pleased to support residents by part funding the work needed.



**NORTON PARISH COUNCIL** *Details & Contacts*



**GOLDIES SINGALONGERS!**

Residents of The Laurels came along with their carers to join Jill Shaw (pictured, back, right) in a real good sing along with over 20 people from the Parish. See pages 1 and 5 .....

Join the next session and give it a go!

<b>Cllr Mike Morgan</b> (Chair) 01302 700149 (Campsall)	<b>Cllr John Atkins</b> (Vice Chair) 01302 700892 (Norton)
<b>Cllr Eric Franks</b> 01302 700298 (Norton)	<b>Cllr Gill Morgan</b> 01302 700149 (Norton)
<b>Cllr Brian Wood</b> 01302 700691 (Norton)	<b>Cllr Colin Wilson</b> 01302 702479 (Campsall)
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The Parish Clerk is **Dave Telford**. He can be contacted on all matters relating to the work of the Parish Council and enquiries about hire of the Ryecroft Road Community Building. Phone: 01302 883496

**Parish Council Meetings take place on the second Tuesday of every month, starting at 7.00pm at Ryecroft Road Community Building**  
Next meeting : 8<sup>th</sup> August  
Parishioners welcome to attend

**A Message on Highway Safety in the Parish of Norton, Campsall and Sutton - OWNERS OF VEHICLES**

It is an offence to park on footpaths, not leaving enough space for pedestrians with wheelchairs, prams or pushchairs to pass safely. If you *have* to park on a pathway, you must leave 1.2metres (4 feet) minimum space.



**THANK YOU**  
Cllr Brian Wood

**PLEASE PARK THOUGHTFULLY**  
**KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE**

**CAMPSALL VILLAGE HALL – WEEKLY TIMETABLE OF EVENTS**

<b>MON</b>	<b>Pilates Class</b> 9.30 – 10.30am	<b>Ballroom Dancing</b> 7.30-8.30pm	<b>Kath Raynor 07740 876686 or 850626</b>
<b>TUE</b>	<b>Over 50's Exercise Group</b> 9.45-10.45 am	<b>Martial Arts</b> 5.00 – 9.30pm	<b>Pete Guest 07565 879632</b>
<b>WED</b>	<b>Campsall Art Group</b> 10.00am – 12 noon	<b>June Gill 01405 861551</b>	
<b>THURS</b>	<b>Drop-in for a cuppa and chat</b> 1.30 -3.15pm	<b>Ring Sue 01302 707012 or just turn up</b> Enter by back door - £1 donation for tea/coffee	
<b>FRI</b>	<b>Fair Play 2 Parent &amp; Toddler Group 9.30-11.30am</b> Term Time only	<b>Campsall 4A Trust</b> Lottery-funded	

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