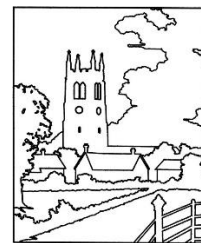




Rippingale News

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RIPPINGALE FEAST 2022 - HIGHLIGHTS



- 2nd June - Beacon Lighting 9:45pm @ Jubilee Playing Fields
- 3rd June - Evening Dog Show @ The Bull, Rippingale - 'Scruff's'
- 4th June - The Main Event - Feast Day!
Competitions
Beer tent, a variety of Stalls, Games
and other Main Ring events...
- 5th June - Platinum Jubilee Car Boot Sale.



!!!GRAND DRAW RAFFLE TICKETS NOW ON SALE!!!

@ The Bull and from all Feast Committee members.

The Rippingale Feast Magazine will now have been hand delivered to your home, keep it safe as it holds all the information you will need for our Feast 2022!

**** **RIPPINGALE ROSE ROYAL 2022 – 2023** ****

As part of the Rippingale Feast 2022, it is time to select our Rose Royal for the year.
Details and application form via the village website: www.rippingale.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk
Entries to Lucy via email: l.bawden29@gmail.com or post to 69 Station Street



****PLATINUM JUBILEE CAR BOOT SALE****



Sunday 5th June
Jubilee Playing Field, 10am
Gates Open at 9am for Sellers Only
Please contact Paul Caston (07759 856351) to book your pitch
(£5 per car - £15 for a van).



Rippingale & District Friendship Club. Our meetings have resumed, and it has been great to see so many people attending resulting in a good friendly atmosphere. The meetings are held every other Wednesday at Rippingale Village Hall commencing at 2pm. Please don't hesitate to come in and join us

Our first day trip for 2022 was a visit to Milton Keynes. This was a shopper's paradise, the shopping center was amazing, very spacious and comfortable with ample seating areas and hospitality venues. The journey was extremely pleasant courtesy of A&P travel and the excellent driving of Marcus. The trip was completed with a raffle with prizes kindly donated.

At our meeting this week we were treated to hot cross buns with our cuppa along with a dingbat quiz and Irish bingo? Our next planned day trips are listed below;

Tues 17th May to Norwich

Wednesday 15th June to Newark & Muston Gap on the return journey for a meal

Tues 12th July Bircham Windmill & Cromer

Wed 24th Aug. Doncaster. Market

Wed 16th Nov. Rushden Lakes -Hampton

For further details contact; Audrey 015290241358 or Bob 01778345536



Newark Sportive 100

Four members of the Rippingale Riders, who's total ages exceed 280 years, are embarking on a 100-mile marathon cycle in just 8 hours. Phil Ward, Jonathan Newell, Chas Mayhew & John Kimbrey will set off just after 08.00 on Sunday 15th May.

The route leaves Newark and heads south, then east before reaching the first food stop at 48 miles at the village hall in, yes, you've guessed it, Rippingale. The route then heads into the fens, before turning north to Heckington and Ruskington, before the last thirty miles back to Newark. If they keep to schedule, they should arrive at the village hall around mid-day, where a welcome break of just fifteen minutes will allow them to adjust their lycra, ease their stiffness and grab some fuel, before heading off towards Dowsby.

A twelve-week training programme has been underway since February, achieving over 160 miles per week at the peak, with total training mileage exceeding 1250 miles. For interest, that is the same distance cycling from Rippingale to Land's End and then to John o' Groats...

Some of the chaps are raising money for charity too, and your support would be most appreciated. Details of their training progress and of each charity, will be published in next month's Rippingale news, but can already be found on the village notice board at the church and in the Bull. If you wish to support your local villagers on this difficult challenge, either with a financial donation or just providing your encouragement on the day, it will be greatly appreciated.

Remember:

"We don't stop playing because we grow old, we grow old because we stop playing".

ST ANDREWS CHURCH RIPPINGALE

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Churchwardens: Jonathan Newell 01778 441211 ripps.standrew@gmail.com
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Website; www.ringstonegroupchurches.org

April/May Services

Sunday 24th April Eucharist 11am

Sunday 8th May Evensong 6pm

Sunday 5th June Feast/Jubilee Thanksgiving 4pm

Sunday 12th June Eucharist 11am

Latest News. An important date for you all is our **AGM in the Church Thursday 28th April 7.30pm**

At the Feast we hope to have a cake and a chocolate tombola stall. Any contributions to the stalls will be gratefully received please contact either of the Churchwardens.

Coffee Morning. Next coffee morning Tuesday 3rd May, Normal service was resumed at the April coffee morning and more vegetables were in abundance also Birthday Cakes to which we were all very grateful for with our coffee. Happy birthday Ann. many thanks to Joan Tarrant for her craft stall with very well made items.

We also had a raffle for Easter Eggs many thanks for all your support. Let's hope for our next gathering we may be able to sit outside.

200 Club Winners, April 2022

£30 Mrs P Wood (44)

£20 Mrs J Stubbley (46)

£15 Mrs P Warman (169) & Mrs S Jervis (24)

£10 Mrs E Field-Lucas (180); Mr E Jessop (164) & Mr R Ayres (110)



We now have an Online giving arrangement for donations to be made direct to St Andrew's Church Rippingale through any of the following means:

Using your phone scanning app and scanning the QR code below:



Use your phone or PC/Laptop and copy the link below into your web browser:

<https://givealittle.co/campaigns/2f21defc-1e4e-4a82-9757-3c2baa53915b>

Use your phone or PC/Laptop and go to the Ringstone in Aveland Churches Group Website:

www.ringstonegroupchurches.org

Go to the dark blue box on the home page named 'Churches in the Group' and select St Andrew's, Rippingale, then click on the photo of our Church

All of these methods of access will take you to our Donations page (shown above) where you can either select one of the set amounts or choose your own amount. Enter your payment card details and the process is completed. Thank you for your generosity and please spread the word as to how easy it is to now give to our Church.

Village Hall New Classes. Move it or lose it, exercise for people aged 55+ (or people with mild to moderate mobility issues). Choreographed routines to music No jumping, No floor work. Classes cover improving cardio capacity, strength, balance, flexibility, hand/eye co-ordination, cognitive function Easy to learn routines with the capacity to make moves easier or harder depending on each individual's ability or fitness level. All routines/exercises can be done seated, standing or supported.

First class at Rippingale Village Hall, Thursday 5th May, 10:30 - 11:30
First class is FREE then £5 pay as you go or £20 for 5 session discount card

Return of the Swifts. It's that time of year again !! If you were part of the swift box project set up by Nick Williams in 2019 please can you remember to switch on the call music from about mid May onwards. Swifts arrive in three waves, the first is the established breeding birds who will have a nest site; the second wave are the ones you are after, these are next year's breeders looking for a nest site to call their own; swifts are absolutely site faithful. The final wave are last year's chicks. Without driving your neighbours crackers the music should be on as much as possible but at least from 8am – 11am and 6pm -9pm and if you can squeeze in an afternoon slot of 2pm -4pm all the better. Any queries please telephone Kate on 07983 624580. Anyone interested in reading up about this marvellous, endangered bird please refer to the website of Bristol Swifts.

Parish Council News

Chairman – Cllr Chris Charlton; chairmanrpc4@gmail.com 07908 540683

Parish Clerk – Laura Davies: rippingalepc@gmail.com 07375 364742

Website – <http://parishes.lincolnshire.gov.uk/Rippingale>

Hospital Car Service. With the impending retirement of Mr Derek Diess, the Hospital Car Service Co-ordinator, there still remains a vacancy for the volunteer Co-ordinator. The Co-ordinator undertakes an important role supervising a team of volunteer drivers who provide transport to visit local hospitals, clinics, dentists, etc, for the residents of Rippingale and Dowsby. If you wish to undertake this key duty, please contact the Parish Clerk. The Co-ordinator does not require a driving licence.

Jubilee Playing Field (safety and dogs). The results of the consultation on allowing dogs on the playing field resulted in a majority of residents wishing dogs to be permitted to exercise there. The Parish Council noted this and agreed to a six-month trial of allowing dogs on the playing field, commencing once the fencing had been erected around the children's play equipment. **This is expected to be at the end of June.** It was also agreed to place further dog waste bins at the entrances to the field, with appropriate signage on dog control. Further details will be communicated.

Community Chest. As a result of Her Majesty's the Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations in 2012 in the Village, the committee which organised the events generated a surplus fund of £542-17p. They decided this should form a Community Chest ringfenced within the Parish Council's accounts, to be utilised by a suitable project. This fund was discussed at the last Parish Council meeting, with a view to using it to assist in commemorating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee, through the purchase on a commemoration bench.

Parish Councillor contact details and responsibilities:

Chairman: Cllr Chris Charlton 440986/07908 540683 or chairmanrpc4@gmail.com. General inquiries: Welcome Pack: Rippingale News & Council Newsletter: Neighbourhood Plan: Finance: Grant applications

Cllr Alan Vaughan 440056/07966 584568. Jubilee Playing Field Maintenance: Neighbourhood Plan: Liaison, Village Hall Management Committee

Cllr Jeanne Howard 07738 719400. Liaison, Village Hall Management Committee: Defibrillator

Cllr Jamie Petch 440497/07808 094317. Parochial Church Council Liaison

Cllr Kim Palmer 07551310432. Police Forum Liaison

Cllr Colin Laing Liaison 01778 440021. Allotments Liaison

Cllr Kate Manley 07850 493261. Feast Organising Committee: Accessibility

Meetings:

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| Annual Parish and Annual Council Meetings Thursday 5 th May 2022 In Church | General Meeting Thursday 16 th June 2022 | General Meeting Thursday 14 th July 2022 |
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Meetings to be held in the Village Hall at **7.00 pm** unless otherwise stated. When necessary social distancing and other measures are in place.

Please see the Council Noticeboard and Website for the Agenda and details of any changes.

Latest Planning Applications (view at www.southkesteven.gov.uk/index.aspx?articleid=8170):

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| <p>S22/0083 Proposed single storey garden room to rear and extension to w/c to side at 26 High Street – approved conditionally</p> <p>S22/0090 Submission of details in relation to Condition 4 (Soft Landscaping Detail) of S20/2049 (Erection of one dwelling at rear of 34 High Street on Wendover Close) – condition discharged</p> <p>S22/0423 Conversion of existing agricultural building to form 4 small dwelling houses and 1 large dwelling house, Barn Farm off Station Street - pending</p> <p>S22/0607 Change of use of agricultural building to dwelling at Jessops Barn, West of A15 by Rippingale - pending</p> |
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Mr Chris Charlton, Chairman

Please submit entries by the 14th of the month to the Editor: Jamie Petch at rippingalenews@hotmail.com **Items for the Village Website:** Please mark your email 'Website' and send to rippingale.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk for T&Cs