

# Rippingale News

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# **JUNE 2022**

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## **ST ANDREWS CHURCH RIPPINGALE**

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# **JUNE SERVICES**

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June Feast/Jubilee Thanksgiving 4pm Sunday 12th June Eucharist 11am Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June Eucharist 11am

**Latest News.** 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.

A very important date; THURSDAY 8th SEPTEMBER 2022 7PM IN THE CHURCH.

This will be an open meeting for all members of the community to have a say on the future of our Church, details will be published as we get nearer to the date.

**Coffee Morning. Next Coffee morning Tuesday 7**th **June.** Unfortunately, with no fault of our own we were let down with the supply of vegetables. This was arranged with a different supplier as our regular was on holiday and our new source all arranged forgot!

Nevertheless we had a great gathering with loads of home-made produce on sale which was enjoyed by all. We hope subject to availability to have a Strawberry theme at our next Coffee Morning see you there. PS We will have veg available this time including local new potatoes.

#### **200 CLUB WINNERS**

April 2022 £30 Justine Balaam ((123) £20 Mrs Sue Jagger (160) £15 Jonathan Newell (73) & Mr D Stubley (124) £10 Mr D Rouce (109) Mrs V Neames (157) & Mr & Mrs R Ayres (110)

# RIPPINGALE FEAST 2022

\*\*PLATINUM JUBILEE CAR BOOT SALE\*



Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> 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).

# THE elusive BLACK DOG CEILIDH BAND

One of the Eastern Counties' most popular ceilidh bands are pleased to support Rippingale's Platinum Feast

RIPPINGALE PLATINUM FEAST CEILIDH
SATURDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> JULY - RIPPINGALE VILLAGE HALL
TICKETS £10:00 CHILDREN £5:00

Available from 07739417270 or 07826191215



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**Rippingale and District Friendship Club**. Please note we are holding a EGM on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June1pm. Our meeting on that date will begin earlier than usual as we are having a buffet lunch to celebrate the Queens Platinum jubilee. Followed by the EGM.

Our treasurer has resigned after 8 years of serving us for which we are grateful. Apart from being the treasurer she has ensured we were all safe during the pandemic ensuring the Village Hall was adhering to all the rules and regulations.

Our next trip is to Newark on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June leaving Bourne at 9am with local pickups through to Billingborough

Courtesy of A&P travel For further information please contact Audrey on 01529241358 or Bob on 01778345536

Newark is a unique town offering a wide variety of interesting activities. A good market, boat trips and walks along the Trent, a Castle, and antique shops.

We will be stopping on the return journey at Muston Gap Inn where you will have the opportunity to enjoy a carvery or all a carte menu.

We are planning to join in with the village celebrations and will be having a stall at the sports ground so hopefully the weather will be kind to us enabling everyone to enjoy the occasion

#### **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.** Mr Derek Diess, the Hospital Car Service Co-ordinator, who has served us so effectively in this role for many years, is to retire. Therefore, there is 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.

**Allotments.** The Parish Council administers the Village's allotments, off Station Street. There are a number of vacant allotment plots available to rent for a reasonable annual charge. There is a thriving Allotment Association who can provide gardening advice and support. If you wish to rent a plot, please contact the Parish Clerk.

**Neighbourhood Plan.** The final version of the draft Plan is complete. Work on the SKDC required pre submission documents is nearing finalisation, prior the Plan's formal inspection and an eventual Village referendum on the Plan, hopefully later in the year.

#### 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:

Annual Parish and Annual	General Meeting	General Meeting
Council Meetings	Thursday 14th July 2022	Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> August 2022
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> June 2022		, ,

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):

**\$22/0423** Conversion of existing agricultural building to form 4 small dwelling houses and 1 large dwelling house, Barn Farm off Station Street – details refused.

**\$22/0607** Change of use of agricultural building to dwelling at Jessops Barn, West of A15 by Rippingale – pending

**\$22/0846** Conversion of existing agricultural building to form 4 small dwelling houses and 1 large dwelling house, Barn Farm off Station Street – pending

**\$22/0915** Change of use of 2 agricultural buildings to form 2 dwellings, including building works, Rippingale Fen Farm, Long Drove, Rippingale - pending

Mr Chris Charlton, Chairman

**Rippingale & District W.I. Reports for meetings in April & May 2022.** April's meeting was our AGM when our committee for the coming year was elected. We did have a change of some committee members, but Rachel was re-elected as our President. After appropriate thanks were given and prizes awarded for the General & Flower competitions, Sharon Antony our WI advisor gave us a fascinating talk on her experience of becoming a Midwife.

May is our month to discuss the nominated resolution for the year. We had all been able to do research before the meeting and after consultation with members our vote was given. Our new committee has been busy already. Firstly, they provided us with a Ploughman's supper which was enjoyed by all. They have also been planning for our next meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> June which will be themed around the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. We are all invited to wear red, white & blue on the evening & we will have a special cake to mark the occasion. As our meeting closes the Beacon in the playing field will be lit so we will be in time to attend. As a way of marking this special occasion the members agreed unanimously to plant a tree on the Village Green. A maple tree has been chosen because of the connection with Canada where the Women's Institute first began. Members will be invited to witness the planting in due course.

Plans for our August outing were also revealed. We will be going on the Boston Belle with a two-course lunch included. Gillian is also looking into a trip to Tolthorpe Open Air Theatre.

After birthday cards for May babies were presented, the raffle was drawn & competition winners announced. We still had some time to socialise & Carol had organised a Beetle Drive which was great fun whilst getting members to circulate.

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you want to find out more about our group. Our aims are to make friends & have fun. Enquiries to: - <a href="mailto:radwi@btinternet.com">radwi@btinternet.com</a>. You will be made most welcome. If you are unable to attend in person, we can also arrange for you to participate by Zoom.