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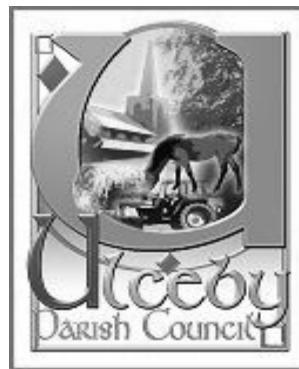
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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT WINTER 2017

To date we have been spared the worst of the winter weather so, fingers crossed, it will continue but we want to reassure residents that we have ample stocks of salt for pavements, etc., should the need arise.

Many villagers who regularly attend at the Memorial for the Remembrance Day Service in November were bitterly disappointed that a Police presence to enable the traffic to be halted for the 2-minute Silence was not available. This question has been raised at the local NATS meeting by our Parish Council representative, and we are waiting for a full reply.

The culvert in Carr Road which had become blocked over recent years and was causing some flooding through this overflow, has been cleared and to ensure that the rainwater drains in Front Street remain free, we have requested NLC to inspect them again and take any necessary action. We are pursuing the parking problem on Front Street in the vicinity of Yarborough Court and continue to monitor difficulties with dog fouling.

At our January meeting, several villagers complained bitterly about the 'bus service to Grimsby and Barton which had, without warning, been severely reduced. The NLC Councillors in attendance would pursue this problem on our behalf but also urged residents, wherever possible to make use of the excellent service provided by Call Connect.

To try to reduce the problem of speeding, we are intending to hire flashing speed signs at the entrances to the village. There is also an urgent need to replace the Parish Council notice board at the Village Hall and to refurbish the seats at various points in the village. We anticipate there will also be an increase in the cost of the planting and maintenance of our flower beds this year. These things, of course, mean we need a little extra money and at the January meeting, it was decided to increase the village precept by £1500. This is only the second increase in the precept since 2009 and equates to **owners of a Band D property** having to pay an increase of **£2.88 per year**. Other properties will be charged on a pro-rata basis. We have kept this increase to the minimum but wish to continue to offer you the best service we can.

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Tuesday	**50m Bounce to the Beat (Mini Trampolines)	9.30 am
"	*50m Bounce to the Beat (Mini Trampolines)	6.00 pm
"	*50m Bounce to the Beat (Mini Trampolines)	7.00 pm
Wednesday	*1 hr Step/Toning Circuit (Kettlebells, Bands, etc.)	6.45 pm
Thursday	**45m Zumba + 15mToning	9.30 am
"	Computer Club	1.00 – 3.00 pm
"	1 hr Kettlebell Toning	6.45 pm
Friday	Chat Club	12.00 – 2.00 pm
"	*50m Bounce to the Beat (Mini Trampolines)	6.30 pm
Sunday	*1 hr Step/Toning Circuit (Kettlebells, Bands, etc.)	10.00 am

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MONTHLY EVENTS AT ULCEBY VILLAGE HALL

1st Wednesday in month – History Group 7.30 to 9pm (March – Sept)

2nd Monday in month – Village Hall Committee Meetings - 7pm

3rd Monday in month – Parish Council Meetings – 7pm

BOOKING THE HALL FOR YOUR OWN EVENT

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This is a summary of some of the current village problems and the decisions which your Parish Council have taken to try to ameliorate them. Our Parish Councillors are caring, concerned people who work tirelessly to improve village life and they deserve all our support.

There are currently some vacancies for Parish Councillors - if you think you might be interested, please contact the clerk Karen Pickering on 01469 588192 for more information.

Thank you

Dawn Macefield - Chair

Thank you Ladies of St Nicholas Church



Once again the ladies of St Nicholas church organised the Over 60s Christmas party, funded by the Parish Council. They provided a superb Christmas spread followed by an hour or so entertainment by Meadowsong, a group of lady singers who entertained with a selection of Christmas and popular songs.

I hope I can speak for all those who attended and say we all thoroughly enjoyed ourselves.

However I felt disappointed for those people who spent some time and effort in organising the event that many villagers who could have attended did not. The event is open to any villager over the age of 60. I think there are many who feel that they are not ready to admit their age. Well I am now 70 and, mentally do not think so, I still enjoy a good walk and get out in the country side with my camera as much as I can and meeting and talking to different members of the community keep me young at heart.

Hopefully the event will be held again next year so come along and support the organisers; after all we are all members of the same village and you will probably know most people attending!!

IAN JOBSON

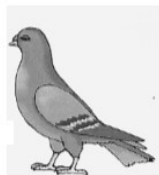
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At our October Open Morning we welcomed friends old and new to our 25th Anniversary celebrations. Parents, Committee Members and former staff members (and grandchildren) joined us to remember past times and look forward to another 25 years of childcare provision. We unveiled the plans we have submitted to North Lincolnshire Council for our new extension, which we hope will be approved in Spring 2017. We are all looking forward to the new development. It will give us room to grow and further improve our facilities, providing us with better disabled access, a new kitchen and office areas. Plans for our project can be viewed on the North Lincs website.

In November we attended the Village Hall Christmas Fair. We had a visit from Father Christmas who had a Frozen themed Grotto this year. Lots of you came to visit us in the Committee room, it was nice to see some of our Wrap Around children who are now at Secondary School and are nearly as tall as we are. It was lovely to catch up with so many of you and together with donations we raised nearly £300, which will be used to buy extra resources for the children. Thank you all for your support and to the Village Hall Committee for inviting us.

At Christmas we were invited to school to see the St Nicholas School performances. We would like to thank the Children and Staff at St Nicholas School for sharing their Nativity Play and Christmas performances with us, we really enjoyed coming to see you. We enjoyed our own Christmas celebrations too. Rosemary came in to share the Christmas Story with us, and at the Christmas Party family and friends came in to see our children perform some action songs and rhymes that they had learnt this term. Father Christmas came to our party too, visiting all our children because they have been so good this year. Father Christmas listened to lots of requests from the children (it's a good job he is magic because there were a few last minute requests in there).

We know that some village residents have been choosing us as their Charity at the Co-Op Award Scheme. As a registered charity we really appreciate all of the support the residents of Ulceby Village have given us, so we would like to say a really big Thank you for all your continued support. If you have supported an event, given time or donations in 2016 THANK YOU. We really do appreciate it and any money raised will be used to benefit the children who use our setting.

COMING SOON EASTER PRIZE BINGO

We will be holding an Easter Prize Bingo Event on Saturday 8th April 6.30 - 8.30pm in the Village Hall. Nicki is busy practicing her Bingo Lingo so come and join us for a fun evening. We hope you will be able join us and look forward to seeing you there.

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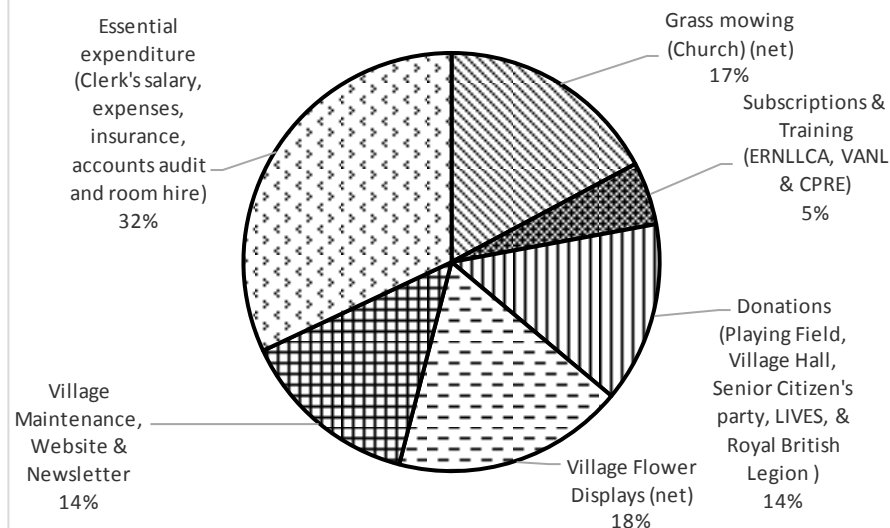
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The precept is £13,500 for the current year, although it has been increased to £15,000 for the coming year. In addition, some income is received from the cost of advertising in this newsletter, which more than covers the cost of its printing. For your information, the chart below gives a breakdown of how the precept was spent in 2015/16.

PARISH COUNCIL EXPENDITURE 2015/2016



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9 January 2017
 30 January 2017
 20 February 2017
 13 March 2017
 3 April 2017
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In case you have missed the results last year, here are the winners for the second half of 2016. We would like to thank everyone for their continued support-in 2016 you helped to raise £524. If you would like to join for the current year please contact Shirley, tel. 588671, or email shirleyp@rhulatt.freesevice.co.uk.

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There is an entrance fee of £2.50 which entitles you to a roll, with a variety of fillings supplied by **te@6 tea room** and a cup of tea or coffee, home made cake is also available and bingo - both cost a little extra but it won't break the bank and you stand the chance of winning!

If bingo does not float your boat, and I sunk years ago, we have a variety of games (dominoes, cards, connect 4 and I think scrabble) to entertain you. If you don't fancy any of these sit and chat or Anne can help you with knitting or embroidery. Still don't fancy it well if you have a hobby come along and introduce it, there may be others who may be interested. There is also internet connection available if you wish to browse, book a trip on the CallConnect or send emails to friends or family.

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If you would like to come along and join us in worship, then there is a service every Sunday morning at 10:45 but included below are details of other special seasonal services.

Ash Wednesday 1st March -6pm

Service with distribution of ashes

Palm Sunday 9th April -10.45am

Additional Holy Communion Service

Maundy Thursday 13th April -7.30pm

Holy Communion and foot wash

Good Friday 14th April -2pm

Easter Meditation

Easter Sunday 16th April -10:45

Holy Communion

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St Nicholas Church Restoration Project

Over the last three months a large amount of investigative work has taken place as part of the Development Year specified by the Lottery Heritage Fund when they awarded our grant last September. Villagers passing the Church would have been unaware of the activities taking place so we are briefly outlining the projects undertaken to date.

Firstly, there was a Survey to determine the extent of the bat colony and the species inhabiting the roof space. These were determined as being **Brown Long Eared Bats** and **Pippestrells**. It also showed that although bats visited the tower in the summer months to feed on insects, they had not colonised this area because of prevailing breezes and a lack of darkness. This extra information will prove useful in the second stage of our Funding application when we apply to the Lottery for help in renovating the tower, since this important survey will already have been completed.

There have been inspections of the roof (the felting, tiles and timbers), and of the condition of the gutters and drains, with photographic evidence being taken. Additionally, an in-depth survey to establish the most suitable positioning of both a toilet and a servery section has taken place. The Bat Survey has been received, however, reports on these last three areas are still awaited.

A visit has been made to the Church by the eminent Churches Historian, Dr Glyn Coppack BA PhD FSA – University of Nottingham, to try to determine whether there is a connection between St Nicholas Church and nearby Thornton Abbey and arrangements are in hand to use the Church as a possible basis for theses by third year archaeology students at Sheffield and York Universities.

You will remember that we are still fundraising to meet the extra £15,000. needed for the heating which is not covered by the Award, plus the costs for the toilet and servery installation which have yet to be established.

We would ask you to continue to support our efforts in the magnificent way in which you have already done so and to let you know that we are continuing with our Mile of Pennies project. As we go to press, the amount raised so far is £800.00 which equates to 1142 yards – (1760 yards make a mile!) We have further events planned for 2017 and these are detailed separately. With your continued support, we are confident of a final successful outcome.

Thank you so very much.

The Friends of St Nicholas Church



ULCEBY CHRISTMAS FAIR

The annual Christmas Fair was held at the village hall in November, and was well attended – including a visit from Father Christmas. There was a wide selection of stall selling various crafts and gifts including cakes, table decorations, cards, jewellery, candles, wreaths, cushions, jams and chutneys. There was also the opportunity to try your luck to win a prize on raffles, name cards, soft toy tombola, as well as refreshments – compliments were received on the alcohol-free mulled wine, which gave the flavour and aroma of Christmas, but could still be benefited by those driving.

Stalls were run by charities to raise money to add to their funds - Ulceby Pre-School raised £277.00, St Nicholas Church raised £79.35, North East Lincs Women's Aid raised £48.50, and £369.25 was raised for the village hall funds, making a fantastic total of £774.10 for these local charities. Thank you to everyone who attended to help make this a success, and to those involved in organising and running it on the night.

We look forward to this year's, which will hopefully be just as successful and will be held on Friday 24th November at 6.30 pm – mark the date in your diary now so you don't miss it! We hope to see you there.

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