

**BORWICK & PRIEST HUTTON  
VILLAGE NEWSLETTER  
OCTOBER / NOVEMBER 2018**



**VILLAGE SHOW  
AUGUST 11<sup>TH</sup>**



## St Mary's Church - serving BORWICK & PRIEST HUTTON



**St Mary's Church** is a Chapel of Ease in the Parish of Warton to provide a place of worship in the villages of Borwick and Priest Hutton.

On the first Sunday of the month at 9.30am there is a service of Holy Communion with hymns using contemporary language.

Every Tuesday at 8.00am there is a said Eucharist, using the older language of the Book of Common Prayer.

Everyone is welcome to worship with us at all our services.

**Monthly Bible Study** - contact Noeline Clark (732825)

If you, or someone you know, would like to receive Communion at home please contact Sheila Barnes (720067) or the Vicar (732946).

### St Oswald's Church, Warton

Every Sunday there is a said Eucharist at 8.00am using the older language of the BCP and a Sung Eucharist at 11.00am using modern language. Every Monday at 12 noon and Thursday at 11.00am there is a said Eucharist.

### The Thursday Eucharist is following the Breaking Bread lunch.

There is always a welcome for you at your village church & at the other churches in our benefice. For full details of the times of services see the benefice website at [www.wartonstoswald.co.uk](http://www.wartonstoswald.co.uk)

## Forthcoming special services & events – dates for your diary...

### St Mary's Harvest Festival Eucharist – 9.30am Sunday 7th October

Come and join us as we give thanks for this year's harvest. Please bring some harvest gifts; perishable items will be given to St John's Hospice and non-perishable items will be given to the Lancaster & District Homeless Action Service.



### Mini Church at Yealand Village Hall – 10.00 – 11.30am Friday 12th October

This is a new initiative aimed at families with pre-school age children (including babies and toddlers). The session will include story time, crafts, songs, refreshments. For more information or to offer to help contact Sally-Ann Rothwell, 734585.

### Film Show in the Hall, 7.30 – 9.30pm Saturday 13th October

The title of the evening is "More Memories of Cumbria". Tickets £5 to include light refreshments. In aid of St Mary's Church.



### All Souls Service of Thanksgiving for Departed Family & Friends, 6.00pm Sunday 4th November at St Oswald's, Warton

This special service is a time to remember those we love but see no longer. There will be opportunity to light a candle to pray for our departed loved ones.

## Act of Remembrance 10.55am Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November at St Oswald's, Warton

As we observe the centenary of the end of the First World War this year's remembrance will have special poignancy. The Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial will be followed by the Parish Eucharist in the church.



### Faith Matters

An informal monthly discussion group exploring the relevance of faith to contemporary issues  
11.00 a.m. – 12 noon on the 2nd Tuesday each month at St Mary's Church, Borwick  
Refreshments available from 10.45am. All are welcome.

#### Exploring Faith and...

9<sup>th</sup> October -- Shopping: *how do we buy ethically?*

13<sup>th</sup> November -- Conflict: *can war ever be just?*



### St Mary's Patronal Festival – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September

A very good congregation of over 70 from across the benefice gathered in St Mary's on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> September to celebrate the Festival of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

We welcomed the Very Revd Peter Howell-Jones, Dean of Blackburn Cathedral as our guest preacher. The junior choir from St Oswald's came and sang an Introit and an anthem.

The service was followed by drinks and then a bring & share lunch in the Memorial Hall.

### The Benefice and Social Media

Make sure you keep up to date with all the latest news via our Facebook page and Twitter account. So...



Like us on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/UnitedWBY/](http://www.facebook.com/UnitedWBY/)

..and Follow us on Twitter at <https://twitter.com/UnitedWBY>



**The Revd Robin Figg** 01524 732946 or [robin.figg62@gmail.com](mailto:robin.figg62@gmail.com)



The next Borwick Parish Meeting will be on Wednesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October at 7.30pm at Borwick Hall. **All welcome.**

[clairehelme2000@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:clairehelme2000@yahoo.co.uk) 732818

**Claire Helme (Clerk to Borwick Parish Meeting)**

# PRIEST HUTTON PARISH



At Priest Hutton Parish Meeting on Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> September, several presentations were made.

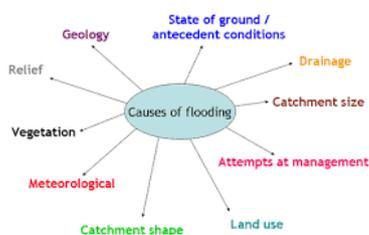
**Chairman of Priest Hutton Flood Action Group (PHFLAG) Steve Le Cheminant** gave an update on the work achieved and planned.

## Achieved:-

The grids on Upp Hall Lane have been serviced by Highways ie. cleared out and the area around cleared of undergrowth and debris. Highways have also cleared the section of the beck from the edge of Upp Hall farm's field to the trash screen. It is expected that the rest of the beck, from Beech House down to here, will be cleared in the next few weeks. Following on from this, a request will be made for owners of gardens bordering the beck to ensure that trees, shrubs, etc. do not encroach on the beck.



## Planned:-



A study is to be undertaken by the LCC's consultants with the assistance of Priest Hutton Parish. This is to determine the causes of flooding throughout the village (including Hutton View) and assess what needs to be done to ameliorate it. Once more is known about consultants' plans to tackle this study, information will be disseminated to villagers.

**Steve is making a collection of photos, video footage, etc to be use in the survey. If you have any such material please pass this on to him, preferably labelled and dated.**

**Treasurer of PHFLAG Ken Dunn** gave details of the cost of the study which will be in the region of £10,000. Priest Hutton Parish will pay £5,000 and LCC will pay the rest, plus commit to any works recommended by the study. In order to fund this study PHFLAG came up with a plan to use Parish funds. This will involve using present reserves of almost £3,000 and raising the precept by £1,000 in the year 2019/2020. *This proposal was unanimously approved by the meeting.* In the meantime, Ken will continue to try to fund raise for this purpose.



**Vice-Chair of PHFLAG Tony Johns** gave a report on a Flood Resilience Course – Action for Sustainability – which he had recently attended. This course gave good advice on how to protect your home from flood damage and how to make repairs after flooding. Handouts were given to all villagers present.

Copies of the PHFLAG Constitution were available to villagers to take away.

**Road Signs** It has been confirmed that road signs will be placed on Whitebeck Lane, Kirkgate, Upp Hall Lane, Borwick Lane and Back Lane. This is good news as we have been informed that “blue light services” use the names of roads to locate properties.

**Any Other Business** – concerns were raised about speeding in the village, irregular post deliveries and fly tipping.

The next Priest Hutton Parish Meeting will be on Tuesday, January 15<sup>th</sup> at 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall.

**All welcome.**



*Jean Johns (Clerk to Priest Hutton Parish Meeting)*

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## BORWICK & PRIEST HUTTON VILLAGE HALL



Many thanks to the villagers who supported us with the latest repairs and improvements. We took advantage of the summer quiet period to finish off the repairs to the hall car park. The potholes were filled, the entrance surface reinforced and we spread an additional 10 tonnes of gravel to relevel the surface.

**VOLUNTEER  
POWER!**

**The Tuesday crew** applied the last coats of varnish to the external woodwork including some high level acrobatics on the north face window.

**Team kitchen** did a great job of decluttering the kitchen and we were able to donate a good few boxes of dishes and utensils to charity.

**Village Show:** The feedback on the village show was generally very positive although both attendance and entries were a little lower than in previous years. Many of you enjoyed the displays by the Art group and our W.I. as well as the insights into the plans for refurbishing St Mary's Church presented by Joyce Tombs. At the moment we are considering whether to continue with an annual show or perhaps to hold one each two years. All suggestions and opinions welcomed.

### PEACE TEA



As you know our community hall was established as a memorial to the fallen of the 1st and 2nd World wars. Having commemorated the centenary of the start of the Great War in 2014 we thought it proper to organise an event to commemorate its ending in 1918. For the people of the time this was rather more a celebration of the peace, a chance to welcome home the returning troops and to enjoy some "fun and a feed" in a time of austerity and rationing. So, we have decided to organise a Peace Tea just as they did in 1918. We will have family games, a bun tea and an old-fashioned singalong to some music hall favourites.

We would love it if as many people as possible could come along in Edwardian dress, then we will have a genuine flavour of the time (some ideas on the back page).

The Peace Tea is set for the 25th November and we are planning early so that everyone, especially families, can get it in their diaries and, of course, get busy with your sewing machines. It should be a cracking day.

*Ken Dunn – Chairman of the Village Hall Committee*

### ***First World War memorabilia.***

As part of the Peace Tea celebration I am hoping to coordinate a display of 1st WW memorabilia. If you have any items such as medals, postcards, family photographs, trench art, commemorative mugs, etc. or any other items of the period and would be prepared for them to go on display, then please contact me on 01524781887 or at [ajtjohns@gmail.com](mailto:ajtjohns@gmail.com).

*Thank you  
Tony Johns*



*Sunday, November 25<sup>th</sup> 3-6pm at the Memorial Hall*  
**PEACE TEA**



*Come and commemorate the Centenary of the end of the First World War .*

*There will be family games, a display of 1<sup>st</sup> World War memorabilia , music , songs and food from of the era.*

*Dress style - Edwardian (if you can)*

*Adults - £5 / Children £2 /Family ticket £12*

*Proceeds to The British Legion*

*from or Keith 01524 - 782053 /Ken 01524 - 781384*

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1918 – 2018  
All who served,  
sacrificed and  
changed our  
World. Thank you.



**"Bon Debarras"- a Spot On event – on Sunday 14th October 7.30pm at the Memorial Hall**

### ***En Panne De Silence* by Bon Debarras**

Returning to Lancashire, Bon Débarras burst onto the stage with heartfelt warmth, jigs, dances and some blazing body percussions. Their mad tempo music gives way to a tender love song, a quiet folk tune or a foray into Innu traditions, touching upon some of Québec's deepest roots.

This musically versatile trio play a panoply of instruments – guitar, banjo, fiddle, viola, harmonica, Jew's harp, ukulele, rhythmically supported by the cajon and podorythms.

Bon Débarras' music is joyful stuff, with a compelling energy calling for foot stomping and dancing!

Suitable for ages 12+ / [www.bondebarras.ca](http://www.bondebarras.ca)

Cabaret seating - bring your own drinks, glasses and nibbles.

**Tickets:** Adult £9 / Child £6 / Family £24

*PS - I've seen them before. They are brilliant. KB*

Phone Keith: 01524 782053email: [keithbrady2510@gmail.com](mailto:keithbrady2510@gmail.com)



# BORWICK & PRIEST HUTTON WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

**BORWICK & PRIEST HUTTON W.I.**

INVITES YOU TO AN EVENING OF SONG WITH VOCALIST

**RACHEL MERCER**

On **FRIDAY 16<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER - 7.30pm** at the **VILLAGE HALL**

**TO INCLUDE SONGS FROM THE WAR YEARS  
& CONTEMPORARY MUSICALS**

**RAFFLE**

**TICKETS: £7.50 to include a drink & nibbles (Cabaret Seating)**

Available from: **Dorothy** 01524 720944 / **Diane** 01524 782111 / **Maureen** 01524 73048

**The above is a fund-raising event to which everyone is welcome.**

## TUESDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

### **Women in the Picture (Female Artists) – Anne-Marie Michel**

Anne - Marie is a university lecturer in Art History and the wife of Dr Colin Perry who gave us a wonderful presentation last September on Lancaster Castle.



## TUESDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER

**AGM The 98th Annual General Meeting** will be held followed by a hot supper and time to chat.

WI meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at 7.30pm in the Memorial Hall. For further information please contact the President Dorothy Fell on 01524 720944

*Diane Sunderland*

# GARDENERS' CLUB



## TUESDAY 23rd OCTOBER - KEVIN PRATT – PLANT HUNTING IN PORTUGAL

Kevin comes from Hazel Grove near Stockport and has been a garden speaker for over 20 years. He is a qualified botanist and has been associated with horticulture for over 30 years. He is the author of The Gardeners Guide to Fritillaria and has an in depth knowledge of bulbs. He runs a small nursery Village Plants in Hazel Grove.

## TUESDAY 27<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER - DON WITTON – A HARDY PLANTER'S WINTER SURVIVAL KIT

Don is a retired schoolteacher and says of himself that he is an avid 'Hardy Planter'. He holds the national collection of hardy Euphorbia which has featured on BBC Gardeners' World. He runs a small nursery at Harthill near Sheffield where he keeps his 124 different species and cultivars of Euphorbia. He has also written books on the genus.



# COFFEE MORNINGS

October 27th	January 26th
November 24th	February 23rd
December 15th	March 30th



Just to remind everyone that the Village Coffee Mornings in the Village Hall will be starting again on 27<sup>th</sup> October, the last Saturday in the month, from 10.00am – 11.45am. No charge is made but donations are welcomed. At this first event we will be selecting the charity we wish to support this year. If you would like to host one of the mornings and you have not yet given me your name, we still have a couple of months 'available' so please feel free to contact me.

Maureen Thomas

## BONFIRE EVENT on NOVEMBER 3<sup>rd</sup> at the VILLAGE HALL at 6pm

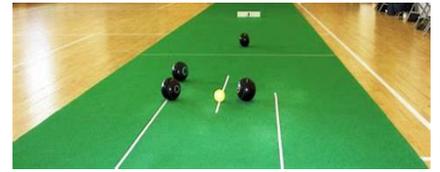
- Free event for all the family
- Bring a firework per family
- Jacket potato and chilli supper
- Bring your own drinks

Liz Foulds 01524 781422



FRIDAY, 30<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER – BINGO 7pm  
at Borwick & Priest Hutton Village Hall.  
Proceeds to St Oswald's Church

**BOWLS** Indoor carpet bowling every Thursday 2-4 pm. Come and Join us! You will receive a warm welcome when you join us for an afternoon of social activity, light exercise and laughter. No need to worry about rules or being an expert (none of our members are). The equipment is all provided. Cost £2 (includes a cup of coffee/ tea & a biscuit). If you need a lift or more information ring Martin on 07809455792



**SWIMMING** There is a public swimming session for locals at Capernwray Hall on Fridays from 6pm – 7pm. The majority of attendees tend to be from Borwick & Priest Hutton.



**BADMINTON** Badminton takes place on Wednesdays at 8pm in the Memorial Hall. This is not competitive League stuff, more a social knock-a-bout. All welcome.  
*Keith Brady*



**PILATES** Classes are back, with a change of starting time to 1pm for the Monday afternoon group. The cost is £7 per session or £36 for a 6 week block. To contact Anna ring - 07799077581 or [annagearypilates@outlook.com](mailto:annagearypilates@outlook.com)



**CRAFT GROUP** Autumn is a lovely time for crafting. How about knitting or crocheting some poppies for the collection for the church, as part of the commemoration of the end of World War 1. We meet on the first Wednesday of the month, 2-4pm at Jane's at 7, Becksid Mews in Borwick. Tel: 730048 for more information. All welcome.



**ART CLASS** The Art Class runs on Friday during term time, 10 – 12noon from Sept. 14<sup>th</sup> – Dec.7<sup>th</sup>. Half term October 26<sup>th</sup>. All welcome, including beginners. Cost £60 for the term, payable in advance. Contact Doreen Carman - 01524-852485 - for more information.



**THEATRE & CONCERT CLUB** As the membership secretary of this club I am happy to give details to anyone who wishes to become a member and/or obtain more information about the club. Please contact me on 01524 734624.

*Olwen Watson*



## LIBRARY VAN



**October** 3<sup>rd</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> **November** 14<sup>th</sup>

The library van will visit at 3 weekly intervals on the WEDNESDAYS above.....11am – 11.15am at Borwick Green and on to Priest Hutton Green from 11.20am – 11.40am. Please check with dates posted on the village notice boards.

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH



Unusually, three incidents have been reported during August and September.

- a young bullock was killed in Priest Hutton, presumably by a dog or dogs.
- a farm trailer was stolen from Keerholme Lane, Priest Hutton and
- a house in Borwick was burgled whilst the owners were away on holiday.

These incidents are salutary reminders that crime is not confined to towns and cities and that we all need to take care of our property and report any suspicious activities.

*Tony Johns*

If anyone has any information please contact  
Tony Johns (Priest Hutton) or Dorothy Fell – (Borwick)  
Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinators - on

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[bryananddorothy@gmail.com](mailto:bryananddorothy@gmail.com)/ 01524 720944

## LOTTERY

SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER
1 <sup>st</sup> prize – £20 - no. 67 Margaret Morphy	1 <sup>st</sup> prize – £20 - no. 62 Kate & Neil Robinson
2nd prize – £10 - no. 81 Sal & Simon Smith	2nd prize – £10 - no. 71 Joan Bell



For further details about the Lottery please contact me on - 01524 781887 or email  
[jeanjohns43@gmail.com](mailto:jeanjohns43@gmail.com)

## LOCAL PRESS

Please send reports of village events/meetings etc. to Claire Helme at  
[clairehelme2000@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:clairehelme2000@yahoo.co.uk) A rough outline/ bare facts will be sufficient for Claire to edit and send on to the local newspapers

## NEXT NEWSLETTER

Please let me have your contributions to the December/January newsletter by Sunday, 18<sup>th</sup> November. Contact me at [jeanjohns43@gmail.com](mailto:jeanjohns43@gmail.com) or 01524 781887

Thank you. *Jean Johns*

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# EDWARDIAN COSTUME

