



LOCKTON PARISH COUNCIL NEWS LETTER

A message from the Parish Council

Lockton Parish Council website:

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Lockton Parish Council held its latest parish council meeting on 21 March 2022 at the Village Hall, and we are pleased to provide a brief update below, including the latest Platinum Jubilee preparations for this June. Other items of interest for our community are detailed over the page, however please feel free to send through anything which may also be of benefit to the residents in our parish and we look forward to publishing in a future Issue of our Newsletter. Minutes of the meeting will also be published on our website.

Platinum Jubilee Celebrations

As highlighted in our previous Issue, the Parish Council has agreed to host a Jubilee street party on **Sunday 5th June 2022**. Lockton Artists has kindly assisted in applying for a grant to support our activities, and we await the outcome of this. In the meantime, we have ordered our Jubilee bunting from Ryedale District Council, however we are keeping our fingers crossed for further funding to help support the activities we have planned, as well as raise funds for our village hall and playground/tennis court. Activities include an art exhibition, art workshop and competition, a raffle, tombola, Queen's pudding competition and the planting of our tree saplings as part of the Queen's Green Canopy.

Village Hall Fundraising

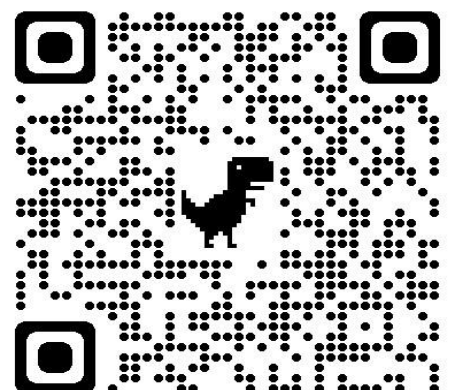
We welcome and support the recently launched **"3-C Club"**! ...After a successful first meet, the Cake, Cuppa & Chat Club (£2 pp) will return on Monday, April 4th. ***Everyone is welcome, we want to get the community together again post-Covid, as well as discuss and listen to ideas for future events for all.***

If you have any further ideas or suggestions for fundraising or the Jubilee, please feel free to contact us at our email address above, or come to our next parish council at the village hall on Tuesday, 19 April 2022.

We wish you a safe and happy British Summer Time!



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Lockton Parish Edible Community Garden

****Volunteer Day****

This weekend, **Saturday, 26th March, between 11am-2pm**, we are hoping volunteers from the community can come together and help with the first job, which will be to spread the gravel throughout the Tea Room carpark. Andrew and Michael will be opening the Tea Rooms for the volunteers, and kindly offering refreshments to those who are happy to lend their support. It would also be fantastic for those handy & enthusiastic members of our parish, to come along and discuss how they could help with both the construction of the planters, as well as offer ideas/seeds or plant plugs for our first crop. **We would be delighted to receive suggestions of what you would like to see planted as part of our first crop, perhaps a herb such as parsley, rosemary, thyme, mint....or salad leaves, tomatoes, leeks or other fresh veg..?** Hopefully, dates for our first planting session will be communicated within the next couple of weeks. We look forward to continuing our support for this little gem of a Tea Room, which opens for the 2022 season on **Friday, 01st April**.



Lockton Parish Council chosen to pilot "Night Tune" street lighting as part of the successful North York Moors Dark Skies Initiative

***There is no change to our previous update, but we will keep you informed as soon as we have more news!**

Lockton is one of the core villages within the NYMNP Dark Skies corridor, and for that reason, the council has agreed to run a trial to help preserve energy, as well as provide the right ambience of light to complement the majestic view of the stars within the village. **We understand that this project may commence by the end of March, however this is dependent on availability of materials and scheduling by NYCC Highways.**

Other News from Lockton.....

We have a starlet within our village

Our very own and extremely talented Tilly Gledhill is starring in the musical Matilda the Musical Jr. at The Milton Rooms, Malton. Thoroughly recommended...! We have pleasure in providing the link for yourboxoffice if you wish to go along and offer your support, best of luck Tilly!!

<https://yourboxoffice.co.uk/ryedale-youth-theatre/775-matilda-booking-now-open-to-friends-only>

Vacancy for a local casual/handy person to help with general maintenance of paths/other areas within the village

We anticipate that this will be on average, a couple of hours a month, £20 per hour. Tools need to be supplied. Please do not hesitate to email the Council to register your interest or to ask for more information Locktonpc@gmail.com

Please take time to visit both the village general noticeboard and the Parish Council one, highlighting the following which we hope is of interest to our community...

- ◆ Volunteering opportunities at Castle Howard
- ◆ Latest updates on the local Parish & Town Council elections
- ◆ Latest information and activities from the North York Moors Parks Authority
- ◆ A further Volunteer Day will be posted here, for members of our community to help with some general maintenance around the village including the sanding and varnishing of the village benches

Thank you for taking the time to read our latest Newsletter. We hope you find this useful, whether you decide to read this on paper or electronically. A copy will be circulated to those who have requested the LPC Newsletter, and all copies can be downloaded from the Parish Council website.