

FOREST OF BOWLAND

Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty

PUBLIC MEETING, Nov 9 at 8pm

FOR ALL RESIDENTS OF BARLEY, NEWCHURCH & ROUGHLEE
to discuss the findings of the recent Questionnaire sent to Villagers in the bid for up to £3M of Lottery Funding

The first 'Undiscovered Bowland' meeting held at Barley a week or so ago was attended by two representatives from Roughlee and brought into focus the need to keep our countryside and its heritage on the agenda. For far too long many parts of our surroundings have declined and decayed. Collapsed walls & fences and overgrown byways have become the norm that we have got used to. Not since the days of the old village lengthsmen has there been any regular maintenance and it was heartening to hear that, hopefully, this is to be taken into hand. The bid for lottery funding of up to three million pounds is to be welcomed and supported. Your comments and suggestions are invaluable and by completing the short questionnaire contained within this issue you will add your voice to the campaign for upgrading our village. Roughlee Parish Council has taken strides in achieving this but there is a lot still to do ourselves, both in the private and public sectors. As was said at the meeting, we live in one of the most beautiful parts of the country. This is our chance to make it even more beautiful. We will discuss this further at our meeting on November 1st and again on the 9th when residents of all three villages are invited to Roughlee to meet with the team that are carrying the project forward.

The Car Park & Steps scheme is all but finished now and would have been earlier had it not been for the poor weather. Thanks to Bruce Hartley for buying the turf and to all who have donated and pledged planting. As soon as the painting is finished we will collect and plant the remaining areas.

The two walling projects are also nearly complete and there are more schemes & grant requests being worked on in the background.

The Tuesday Club now features a specific theme for every first Tuesday, as well as a regular visit from our local 'beat bobbie' & support officer, Julie & Jo.



The next on Tuesday November 2 at 2pm will be *'Round & about with Bernard'*

A slide show of the local area.

Similarly, the Second Friday Club continues to grow in its popularity, with two more events planned.

The weekly Luncheon is still held on Thursdays and it's only a month or so to the annual Christmas Lunch. If you have "come of age" since last year for this event please let the Chairman know.

Last and not least, don't forget the Ball on Nov 27. Tickets and Tables of 10 are available now from Elaine on 618430.

Second FRIDAY Club
EVERY MONTH 8-10pm
"Good, old-fashioned fun"
November 12;- Bingo
Dec 10;- Christmas Party
New members WELCOME
No Admission charges Bring your own refreshments

Parish Council Luncheon
Tuesday December 14
The Event is Free for all citizens of Roughlee aged 65 & over, and their spouse.

>roughleeball04
>saturday november 27
>7.15pm for 7.30pm
>dinner by classic cuisine
>evening dress
>bring your own drinks
>raffles & prizes
>tickets £26 from Elaine 618430

ROUGHLEE Parish Council

Mondays Nov 1 & December 6
at 8pm in the Village Centre

Next Meetings - All welcome

Contacts

Village Centre Chairman; Elaine Todd 618430
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Parish Council Chairman; James Starkie 699262
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Monthly Meetings
Tues Nov 2 & Dec 7
at 8pm in the Village Centre

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

NEWCHURCH-IN-PENDLE



PARISH NEWS

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ST. MARY'S PARISH

BARLEY - NEWCHURCH - ROUGHLEE

Your Parish Church exists to be the people
of God through faith in
Jesus Christ in the power of
the Holy Spirit, worshipping Him, making
disciples and serving others.

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CALENDAR FOR NOVEMBER

Tuesday 2nd	7.30pm PCC meeting with the Archdeacon of Blackburn
Sunday 7th	Third Sunday before Advent 9.30am Holy Communion
Saturday 13th	7.30pm Wine Tasting Evening
Sunday 14th	Remembrance Sunday 9.15am Act of Remembrance 9.30am Holy Communion
Monday 15th	7.30pm Joint meeting of Fund Raising Committees
Tuesday 16th	7.30pm Mothers Union meeting, St Thomas'
Saturday 20th	11.30am - 1.30pm St Mary's Festive Fair
Sunday 21st	Christ the King 9.30am All Age Worship
Sunday 28th	Advent Sunday 9.30am Holy Communion 6pm Combined Churches Advent Evensong, St Johns, Higham
December 4	7.30pm 'Sound of Christmas Music' Concert, St Thomas' Church
December 12	4pm St Mary's Carol Service

Next issue Please have your articles for the December/January Magazine to Chris Widdas
by Monday November 15 - Earlier if possible

BARLEY NEWS

The Village Hall Committee has decided there will be NO BONFIRE on the car park this year. We had Parish Council and insurance consent but did not gather our helpers in sufficient time, we hope to be better organised next year.

A meeting was held within the Hall regarding the "Undiscovered Bowland" project. Approximately 20 attended, including representatives of Parish Councils from all 3 villages. A working group was formed with 2 representatives from each village to co-ordinate ideas and possible future projects. The next meeting is at Roughlee Village Centre on Tuesday November 9th at 8pm, all are welcome.

Village Hall; Regular Events

Monday: Circuit Training 8 to 9pm ~ open to males and females.

Training shoes or similar please!

Tuesday: Whist Group 7.30pm.

Wednesday: November 3. W I 'Out & about with my camera'
with Susan Sutcliffe

November 10. 10 - 12noon Coffee & Chat These are proving
very popular. Come and enjoy the company. The Citizens Advice
Bureau will be present to help with any problems

7.30pm Parish Council meeting

Thursday: Pendle Pumpkins Mother & Toddler Group 10 - 12noon

Line Dancing 7.45pm.

Circuit Training 8-9pm.

Sunday: November 28. 7.30pm Whist Drive

FUTURE EVENT Monday December 27 Christmas Dance

Tickets £10 including party food from Margaret 690420



"Pendle with Berries" One of a range of local
photographs by Chris Robinson.
Available for sale on 692162