

The judging for this year's Best Kept Village is about to start and we have just received news that the rules have changed; meaning that we stay in the same class as last year, which means that we



have a good chance of retaining our title! Unlike past years when organised clean-ups were arranged, much of the maintenance is now taken care of. However, generally we do not tend to areas directly outside or opposite houses so we respectfully request that homeowners take responsibility for these areas.

If you have been through the village recently you will have seen the new planting areas at Happy Valley, the School & the triangle near North Farm. As always, we are grateful to Alastair McGeorge for this. How splendid they all look!

The Village Fayre is on June 10 (not 17th as advertised last month). Again we ask for your support, by joining in or just by coming. New this year will be a vintage bus through our Villages.(tbc)

The recent election brought several changes. The

elevation to Borough Councillor (Thank you for the massive majority) meant the existing Chairman being replaced by Brian Nelson who was elected as the new Chairman of the Parish

Council. Richard Stansfield becomes Vice. Alwyn Taylor, after several years of good work, sadly decided not to continue so we need to co-opt a New Councillor - details of which appear on the notice boards, or phone Brian for an informal chat. The deadline is Sunday July 1.

Changes on the Village Centre Committee saw the standing down of Elaine Todd after a most successful term for which we are all grateful. James Starkie took on this role and Sandra Nelson was elected as Secretary. All other positions remained the same. Finally, following Shelagh Derwent's nomination to the position of Deputy Mayor, she has chosen Roughlee's Ann McGeorge to become Deputy Mayoress.

SECOND FRIDAYS Now back every month at 8pm June 8 & July 13

Village Fayre Sun. Jun 10

Childrens' Games Ice cream Drinks tents Tombola
Plant stall Hot & cold refreshments Bouncy castle
Animals Vintage bus running from Newchurch & Barley
Stocks Cakes & jam Inter-village Tug 'o War

..and more! Further information from Mike Burridge on 614873 mrb@offa-hill.fsnet.co.uk

NO ADMISSION CHARGE Proceeds to Roughlee

Village Centre

**ALL
Welcome**

**ROUGHLEE
Parish Council**

Mondays June 4
& July 2

at 8pm in the Village Centre

Next Meetings - All welcome

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Monthly Meetings
Tues June 5 & July 3

at 8pm in the Village Centre

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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 JUNE

Sunday June 3	Trinity Sunday 9.30am Holy Communion
Monday June 4	PCC Meeting 8pm School
Sunday June 10	Trinity 1 9.30am Holy Communion 4.30pm Afternoon Tea in the Church 6pm Evensong with Choir of St Peter's Church, Burnley
Sunday June 17	Trinity 2 9.30am Holy Communion
Sunday June 24	Trinity 3 9.30am All Age Service
Tuesday June 26	Mothers Union Outing Details to be arranged

Next issue Please have your articles for the July / August Magazine to Chris Widdas
(cwiddas@beeb.net) by Tuesday June 19

Barley Village Hall ~ June

Regular Events

- Mondays:** 7.30pm Pendle Young Farmers
~ for information Tel. Charlotte 07732148576
8pm Keep Fit ~ contact John 611517
June 4 & 18. 1-3pm. Craft Group
- Tuesdays:** 7.30pm Whist Group
- Wednesday:** June 6. 7.30pm. W I.
"Confessions of a Tour Guide" by Malcolm Hanson. This an
Open Meeting everyone welcome, non-members £1.50
includes supper
June 13. 10 - 12 noon Coffee & Chat
June 13. Parish Council
June 20 7.30pm. Local History Group
- Thursdays:** 10 - 12noon Pendle Pumpkins Mother & Toddler Group
~ contact Jan 613564.
7.45pm. Line Dancing
- Sunday:** June 24. 7.30pm. Whist Group

The change of date for our Model Exhibition was a great success with extra exhibitors and more visitors. All three days were busy. People came from all over Lancashire and even from Yorkshire and Cheshire with a good attendance from locals. It was very encouraging to meet quite a number of people who are keen to exhibit next year - dates already decided - 3rd, 4th and 5th May 2008
May I say a big thank you to all who helped to run the Model Exhibition we cannot do without our many volunteers.
David Weatherill, Chairman Village Hall Committee.

The "face lift" on the frontage of the Village Hall is now completed and has already been much admired; it is one of the special features in Barley's Best Kept Village entry.



CHALLENGE TO THE BIG LADS OF BARLEY & NEWCHURCH!!

from the Roughlee Rollers

Come and take us on at the Village Fayre
Tug 'o War on Sunday June 10 -see over
Phone James on 699262 to enter teams of 5
BEER PRIZES FOR THE WINNERS