



Village life news



It has become a local success and a permanent fixture

Our villagers do it again and the 2010 calendar is born

A big thanks goes out to all those residents who entered photographs for the 2010 Calendar. We received over 90 photographs and they were judged by Mr Roy Featherstone of Featherstone Photography, Scunthorpe. He chose the 12 pictures to represent each month in our calendar and the front cover was chosen by you, our village residents.

There was an exhibition to display all the photographs at St. John the Baptist Church, Alkborough on Saturday 17th October and we had a good turnout as almost 90 people came for a sneak peek at the photo's

and to pre-order their calendars.

The calendar, organised by Alkborough & Walcot Residents' Association, is the end product of our yearly photography competition among local residents to take seasonal photographs which capture the beauty of Alkborough and Walcot.

This is the third calendar we have produced and they seem to be very popular and quite successful, raising money for future projects

Plans are already underway for the 2011 calendar for entry details and terms and conditions visit our website



at www.alkboroughandwalcot.co.uk and start taking your photo's now.

Calendars complete with a pen are available to buy for an amazing £5 from The Paddocks Tea Room, Chris Stannard, Helen Drury or Mark McCorquodale but don't leave it too long as they're selling out fast.

Written by Mark McCorquodale. Photo by Mark McCorquodale

The ladies of Alkborough & Walcot did it again and raised more money for another good cause

The Bank Holiday tea party saw visitors flock from miles around and ended with a Mediterranean theme

The hard work of the ladies of Alkborough paid off on Bank Holiday Monday with a very successful tea party in and around the Church. It was a grand day, although the weather started off dull, the day brightened up with the many visitors that came to sample the tea and cakes.

The event got off to a flying start and was opened by PC Amanda Barnett, our community police officer, and many of the home made cakes and preserves were sold out within the first hour. The stalls included homemade cakes and preserves, white elephant, a tombola and a raffle with many fabulous prizes up for grabs.

The late afternoon sun burst through the cloud and those sitting outside on the church lawn were entertained by the divine music of Michelle Roulson on the piano accordion, which made for a spectacular and enjoyable Mediterranean finale to the day.

The magnificent sum of £1051.20 was raised and after a donation had been made to the church for the use of the premises, a cheque for £500 each was presented to the "Wish Upon A Star" appeal and the Breast Cancer Support Group.

The ladies would like to give their sincere thanks to everyone who helped and for the continued support.



Written by Mark McCorquodale and Nora Kelsey. Photos by Mark McCorquodale

News from our local Neighbourhood Watch

A few things residents should know about crime in North Lincolnshire

There are a few incidents that have happened that the Neighbourhood Watch co-ordinators feel we should tell everyone about. Please take note and remain vigilant at all times.

- On 29 July two men posing as waterboard employees called at the home of an 88 year old man in Gunness. Whilst inside his home they stole over £500 in cash.
- On 18 July an elderly resident in Grange Lane South, Scunthorpe was visited by two men asking to repair her driveway. She told them she would think about it, but the following day the men arrived with a bag of cement and proceeded to dig up the driveway. The men demanded £300 in cash immediately and in fear, the lady paid them. The two men did not complete the work and left leaving the driveway in a mess. The following day the two men returned in a taxi and demanded a further £1400 to complete the work. The lady wrote out a cheque and the men said they would return the next day. Luckily the lady in question had a relative who questioned the offenders, cancelled the cheque and called the police whilst they were present. They made a quick getaway. The two men gave a business card in the name of A&A or A&N builders, with a telephone number in Grimsby which was probably false..
- A couple of weeks ago someone had their car broken into whilst they were at a football game. Their car was parked on the green which was adjacent to the football ground and especially allotted to football fans. Things stolen from their car included a garage door remote control, some money and a satellite navigation system which was prominently mounted on the dashboard. When the victims returned home, they found that the house had been ransacked and just about everything of value had been stolen. The thieves had used the Sat Nav to guide them to the house and used the garage door remote to gain access. The thieves knew the owners were at the football game and knew what time it was scheduled to finish so knew how much time they had to clean the house out. Something to consider if you use a Sat Nav device; don't use your home address, put the address of something near your home i.e. A shop or petrol station etc. If the device is detachable, leave it out of sight or lock it in the glove compartment with other valuables.
- Internet users, someone is sending out a very cute screensaver of the Budweiser Frogs. If you download it, you will lose everything on your computer. Your hard drive will crash and someone from the internet will gain access to all your accounts by obtaining screen names and passwords which are automatically saved. Do not download it under any circumstances. It went into circulation on the 10 September. Please tell everyone you know about this, don't let them get caught. This is genuine information received from Microsoft.
- The new telephone 'scam' has arrived. I received a call from a 'representative' of BT, informing me that he was disconnecting me because of an unpaid bill. He demanded payment immediately of £31.00, or it would be £118.00 to re-connect at a later date. The guy wasn't even fazed when I told him I was with Virgin Media, allegedly VM have to pay BT a percentage for line rental! I asked the guy's name - the very 'English' John Peacock with a very 'African' accent - & phone number - 0800 0800 152. Obviously the man realized I wasn't believing his story, so offered to demonstrate that he was from BT. I asked how & he told me to hang up & try phoning someone - he would disconnect my phone to prevent this. AND HE DID!! My phone was dead - no engaged tone, nothing - until he phoned me again. Very pleased with himself, he asked if that was enough proof that he was with BT. I asked how the payment was to be made & he said credit card, there & then. I said that I didn't know how he'd done it, but I had absolutely no intention of paying him, I didn't believe his name or that he worked for BT. He hung up. I did 1471 & phoned his fictitious 0800 number – not recognised. I phoned the police to let them know, I wasn't the first! It's only just started apparently but it is escalating. Their advice was to let as many people know by word of mouth of this scam. The fact that the phone does go off would probably convince some people it's real, so please let as many friends & family aware of this. This is good but not that clever. He gave the wrong number - it should have been 0800 800152 which takes you through to BT Business. The cutting off of the line is very simple, he stays on the line with the mute button on and you can't dial out - but he can hear you trying. (This is because the person who initiates a call is the one to terminate it). When you stop trying he cuts off and immediately calls back. You could almost be convinced! The sad thing is that it is so simple that it will certainly fool the elderly and vulnerable. Obviously, if this scam is real, once they have your credit/debit card details, there is nothing to stop them cleaning out your account.



Many similar incidents have occurred across North Lincolnshire. Please be aware of these criminal activities. If you see anyone suspicious or acting strangely, challenge them or call the police. Together we can make our neighbourhood safer.

Forthcoming events

Keep yourself busy and have fun in Alkborough & Walcot

Saturday 14th November

Alkborough Methodist Chapel Christmas Bazaar. 10.30am to 12.30 at the chapel, Front Street. There will be all the usual, cakes, tombola, raffle, mystery parcels etc. All funds raised will go to Kaleidoscope Children's Charity and the chapel. Come and bring your friends and family

Sunday 15th November

Bulb planting again... We have thousands of bulbs to be planted in our verges again. Volunteers are required. Meet outside the chapel at 10am. Bring along a spade/trowel. Light refreshments will be served in the chapel at 12.30pm

Tuesday 17th November

Alkborough & Walcot quiz night at Alkborough Club. Starts at 8pm so get your teams ready. Entry fee £1 per person. Rollover bonus prize is up to £28, all welcome.

Saturday 21st November

Alkborough and Walcot Wine Tasting Event. Alkborough Cricket Club. 7.30pm. Various wines supplied by Sainsbury's. **SOLD OUT**

Sunday 6th December

Alkborough & District Saddle Club Christmas Fair and fancy dress ride through the villages. Starts 1pm at The Paddocks Tea Room, Alkborough. Indoor stalls with Christmas gifts and raffle.

Tuesday 15th December

Alkborough & Walcot Christmas quiz night at Alkborough Club. Starts at 8pm so get your teams ready. Entry fee £1 per person. Rollover bonus question isn't played on this quiz so it will roll over to January's quiz night if not won in November, all welcome.

Tuesday 15th December

Alkborough Choir Christmas Concert at Normanby Hall. Concert starts at 8pm. Tickets are just £5 and are available from Joan Stocks on 01724 721374

Saturday 30th January 2010

Alkborough & Walcot Residents' Association Chinese New Year Party at Alkborough Cricket Club. Come and celebrate the Chinese New Year of the Tiger with all your friends. There will be a disco and a Chinese meal. Bring your own booze. Tickets will be limited to just 50 so be sure to get yours as soon as they go on sale. More details will follow soon.

Whist Evening

Every Monday evening at 8pm at Coronation Club, Alkborough. Come and join the fun, all welcome.

News from the Parish Council

Hooray for lottery grant

Bringing the parish council into 21st Century

The Parish Council has successfully applied for a lottery grant to purchase a laptop computer, software, a projector and screen. It has been encouraged to apply by North Lincolnshire Council with a view to the future, when planning applications may only be available on the internet. Over the coming months we will be exploring other ways of utilising the technology in meetings, for example to enable all present to see plans, agendas and accounts. It may be possible for other groups to borrow this equipment, but the terms and conditions have yet to be considered.

We would like to express our thanks to the Funding Team at North Lincolnshire Council, who gave us a lot of help in putting the application together.



Dog mess is foul and will not be tolerated

With more people with dogs visiting our villages, more poop needs scooping

We are fortunate to have a village where the majority of dog owners clear up after their pets. However, there is one area where we do have a problem and that is Low Wells. Mr Goy has taken over maintenance of the area this year. Before he starts cutting the grass, he has to clear mounds of dog dirt - if he misses any, it fouls his mower and may even be flung up into his face. This is not acceptable.

Would dog owners please be aware that Low Wells is a public open space with a public right of way passing through it and therefore dog owners should remove any faeces. Dog owners in the vicinity have been made aware of the problem and we shall be monitoring the situation.

Written by Helen Hindess

The Paddocks Tea Room gets 5 stars for food hygiene

Another successful milestone achieved for our local tea room

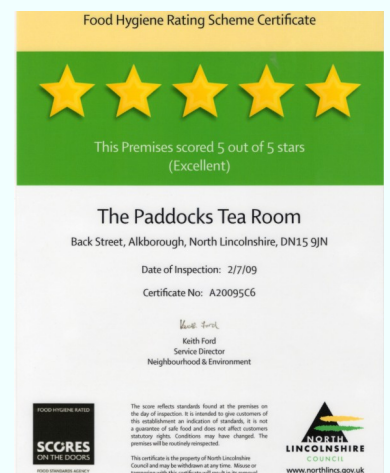
In the age of swine flu epidemics and E. coli outbreaks, it's great to know that small businesses are doing all they can to keep us safe.

You will therefore be very pleased to hear that, after a routine inspection as part of North Lincs Council's Scores on the Doors scheme, The Paddocks Tea Room was awarded the maximum five stars, indicating "excellent standards of food safety management".

Proprietress Veryan Ogg and all her staff were understandably delighted with this achievement, as were many of their customers. One woman said that she felt "reassured" by the positive attitude that the local business is clearly showing towards food hygiene and safety.

Thanks to all those who continue to support the tea room with their custom.

The Paddocks Tea Room is open 9.00am-5.00pm Thursday to Saturday and 10.00am-4.00pm on Sundays and Bank Holiday Mondays.



Written by Jonny Spencer

Many equestrian successes prompts the start of the Alkborough & District Saddle Club

With the help of local equestrians our newly founded riding club gets a galloping start

With walking and cycling sub-groups of the Residents' Association all up and running now the only thing that was missing was a saddle club.

With the help of local equestrians, Wendy Cooper set about founding the Alkborough & District Saddle Club.

It seems to have gone from a trot to a gallop with lots of excitement and interest from all the surrounding villages. The key aims of the group initially would be to promote safe riding in our local area and community, the set up of a self support group covering horse and rider problem solving, a horse watch, link up buddy riders and self coaching and training support.

There are plans already for fun days which will include mounted treasure hunts and fun rides and an equine car boot sale. The first meeting of the Saddle Group was held on Wednesday 7 October in Alkborough Club at 7.30pm.

Everyone is welcome to join from beginners to advanced riders as all input is valued. The group has plans to develop a horse rides map, with the help of local a farmer who is helping out with permissive tracks and active bridleways.

Proceeds from the fun days and car boot sales will help towards producing the leaflets and maps and to produce a "code of conduct" booklet to help keep riders safe on our country lanes and village streets.

For more info contact Wendy on 01724 721036 or email saddleclub@alkboroughandwalcot.co.uk



Liz Lloyd on Jaffa

Success of a local rider from Willowcroft Livery, Alkborough

Liz Lloyd was delighted with two wins and reserve champion in the Cleveland Bay classes with part bred "Jamoon Flying Officer" (stable name Jaffa) at the Equifest Horse Show held at East of England Showground on Saturday 22 August. She also received a rosette to commemorate 125 years of the Cleveland Bay Horse Society of whom Her Majesty the Queen is patron. Liz is a keen equestrian and has joined Wendy for the start up of the Saddle Club along with other successful local equestrians.

Rachel Taylor of Cross Lane, Alkborough has been winning lots of young riders classes with her horse and has recently been approached by the army for their military band.

Alkborough walkers going further every time

The idea of the Tuesday morning walks is to get people together out in the fresh air and get some enjoyable exercise

The first village walk was on 15th July 2008. It has now become a regular event with members meeting every Tuesday outside the Chapel on Front Street at 10.00am prompt. It is surprising how keen everybody is considering their average age. It must be the walks that keep us so young at heart. It is a very informal group and anyone can turn up and join. There is no charge and you will be made very welcome.

We don't plan our walks beforehand as it depends very much on the ability of those who turns up and the weather on the day.

The walks so far have been south on the hilltop as far as the picnic area. On another day we walked west onto the Flats to the

river then on the bank and up to Walcot. We have done this route both ways. We have headed north on the hilltop towards Whitton as far as the end of Bluebell wood. To the east we have walked down Huteson Lane to where it meets the Whitton to West Halton road, and then back via West Halton. This route proved a little too far for some. There have been various suggestions for other walks we could attempt. These include walking the Humber Bridge and the Waters Edge area of Barton and walking to Burton for dinner and getting the bus back.

On our walks we have noticed just how much litter is being dropped on our footpaths. One of our members has

bought a litter picker and armed with plenty of plastic bags is doing a great job cleaning up our countryside. Please everybody, take your litter home, don't leave it to someone else to pick it up.

So if you feel like a walk, lasting about two hours come and join us on a Tuesday. Fresh air and enjoyable exercise guaranteed.



And so, with the voices of Angels singing carols

And the Yule approaching, the choir will join residents for a carol singing evening

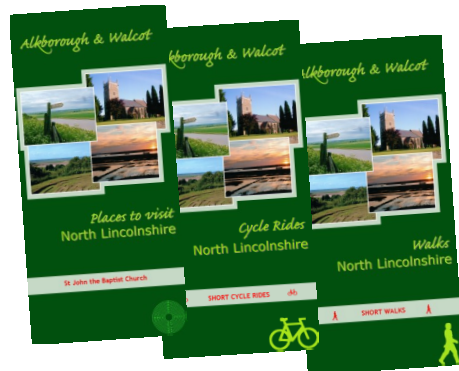
There will be a carol singing evening on Monday 7th December. Everyone is welcome to join, you don't have to be a professional singer. We will meet at Alkborough Chapel at 6pm and start from there. All money raised will go to Kaleidoscope, children's charity.

The Residents' Association puts our villagers firmly on the map and encourages tourism

As part of our "encouraging tourism" strategy we are developing a variety of leaflets which include walks and cycle rides

It was outlined in the Parish Plan that the Residents' Association has the task of providing information on local walks, rides and activities. This task was given a medium to high priority and 12 months was allocated to the development of the leaflets. A lot has been happening behind the scenes over the last few months and, finally, we can launch our new range of informative leaflets.

There are three types; Places to visit, Walks and Cycle rides. So far the only leaflet in the places to visit range is the church, originally produced by Stuart Brand and adopted by the Residents' Association. There will be six walks in total starting from a round the village walk. Other walks will be of varying distances and will cater for all levels of walkers. Three cycle rides see you cycling from Alkborough through rural North Lincolnshire to Grimsby or Gainsborough taking you through our rolling countryside.



The leaflets have been designed and written by local residents who are members of the Residents' Association. David Dransfield is responsible for the cycle rides and has regular cycling group meetings every week. Stuart Brand wrote the church leaflet. Sam Roebuck has written five of the 6 walks the first being written in 1998 by David Moate, Darren Drury and Adam Bowman as part of the Operation Lifestyle 98 Project. The walks and rides leaflets have been illustrated and brought to life by Jane Yates. They have been printed by North Lincolnshire Council with the help of grants from Voluntary Action North Lincolnshire and the Community Pot.

The leaflets are available to pick up from The Paddocks Tea Room on Thursdays, Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and Bank Holiday Mondays and all we ask is for a donation for each leaflet taken, which will help replace leaflets and produce more.

And introducing... our limited edition pens



Just as a simple gift or souvenir it was decided to get some commemorative Alkborough & Walcot Residents' Association pens made. They are produced from recycled plastic and write with black ink. They compliment our new calendar and are available for purchase for just 50p from The Paddocks Tea Room or at www.alkboroughandwalcot.co.uk They are limited editions of only 500 produced and they are selling fast so get yours now.

Written by Mark McCorquodale

Local history group gets on the Heritage Trail

On Thursday 26th November at 7.30pm in the chapel, Alkborough & Walcot Local History Group will be getting together with some special guests.

The creators of the new South Humber Bank Heritage Trail will be joining us for the evening to tell us all about the trail and to gain an insight into the historic elements for our local area. Capturing the essence of the natural and historic heritage this wonderful new trail will follow the Humber from Burton through to the Humber bridge taking in many of the small villages and countryside along the way. Please come along for what promises to be an interesting and entertaining evening.



Alkborough & Walcot Residents Association

Parish Plan Request Form

Alkborough & Walcot Residents' Association in partnership with the Parish Council would like to invite new Residents who moved into the village after May 2007 and require a copy of our Parish Plan to complete their details below and return this slip to: *AWRA, 2 Manor Farm Cottages, Whitton Road, Alkborough* or hand it to our post lady, Helen. Alternatively, just drop an email to: enquiries@alkboroughandwalcot.co.uk

Name	
Address	
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Volunteering goes from strength to strength

Volunteering is an essential part of any nature conservation site enabling large amounts of work to be completed

September saw the second anniversary of the Alkborough Flats conservation volunteers. They meet every first and third Tuesday of the month working with Sarah, the assistant site manager, undertake many tasks such as footpath maintenance, clearing rubbish on the foreshore and scrub clearance. Of course it's not all hard work with a coffee and biscuit break in the morning and lunch, both of which they enjoy out on site.

Volunteering is an essential part of any nature conservation site enabling large amounts of work to be completed. There are also the benefits to the individuals who join in: fitness, friendship, achievement, enjoyment and satisfaction.

Over the last 12 months all sorts of tasks have been carried out. Most memorably pulling bulrushes, backbreaking work at the best of times, but made worse by sludging about in a foot of water; cutting down laurels to open up the escarpment footpath which was done in the extremely hot and humid weather we experienced at the end of June. Despite being hard work these are incredibly rewarding jobs once finished. Of course there are some much more enjoyable jobs such as tree planting, clearing rubbish from the foreshore and footpath repairs.

The group have not only helped with work on Alkborough Flats but also other work in the community by planting trees in the escarpment woodland and at Blue Lagoons nature reserve (lake between Normanby and Scunthorpe).

In thanks and celebration of the groups hard work and dedication a thank you BBQ and party was held in August at The Paddocks Tearoom. A great night was had by all with a rare trip to the breach, drinks and food.

Two new groups of volunteers will be starting in 2010. Firstly, site wardens who will patrol the site during the weekend ready to help visitors, clean hides and generally keep an eye on the place. Secondly, the events assistants who will be joining the various leaders during our new 2010 events programme helping ensure peoples safety and enjoyment during each event.

If you're interested in joining in with any of these volunteer groups just give Sarah a call on 721269 or email at sarah.pimm@northlincs.gov.uk and she will answer any questions you have about being a volunteer.



Written by Sarah Pimm. Photo by Sarah Pimm

October saw the return of our famous quiz nights

The quiz nights in Alkborough Club returned on Tuesday 20th October. A great night was had by all and the bonus rollover prize is already up to £28. If you would like to come along to our quizzes, get yourself a team of 2-6 players and come along to Alkborough Club on Tuesday 17th November at 8pm. Entry fee is £1 per person. All welcome.



Humberside Fire and Rescue Service

North Lincolnshire Home Fire Safety Check Request Form

Humberside Fire and Rescue Service are offering free smoke alarms and home fire safety checks to residents of North Lincolnshire. Please complete this slip and return it to: *Community Protection Support Centre, Laneham Street, Scunthorpe DN15 6JP, telephone: 01724 295935 or email nlincscommsafety@humbersidefire.gov.uk*

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All Hallows' eve? It's just a load of hocus pocus..right?

The Halloween disco was another great success and saw some unusual creatures come out for the evenings entertainment

Saturday 31 October was All Hallows' eve and there were a lot of spirits out and about.. But enough about the whiskey, vodka and gin, the Alkborough & Walcot Residents' Association Annual Halloween Disco at Alkborough Cricket Club got off to a flying start thanks to the disco provided by Abyss Roadshow .

There were allsorts of ghouls and ghosts, witches and goblins and the odd 70's disco dancer turned up for what was the best Halloween disco we've had so far. There was a good turnout, almost 50 people came to dance the night away.

There was a raffle on the night with some fantastic prizes, also there was the best male and female costume awards.

We've already started organising next years party so start preparing your costumes now but don't forget our next event; Wine Tasting evening on Saturday 21st November at 7.30pm in Alkborough Cricket Club. Tickets have now sold out. We are organising a Chinese New Year Party on Saturday January 30th. It will be fancy Dress and tickets limited to only 50 so get your name down if you fancy joining in the fun.



Written by Mark McCorquodale Photo By David Smith

A celebration of the food grown on the land

This September saw great support for the Alkborough Chapel Harvest Festival

On Sunday 20 September the sun shone through the new windows at Alkborough Methodist Chapel lighting up the freshly painted walls and the display of Harvest Produce.

The Chapel was almost full and the preacher, Mr. Peter Jackson, spoke about our need to be good stewards of the earth and respect and care for Gods creation.

Apple pie and cheese was served after the service and the harvest gifts were taken to the local hospice who were most grateful for the beautiful produce.

On Monday 21 September 28 people sat down in the chapel to a delicious Harvest Supper of steak pie, mashed potatoes and mushy peas. This was followed by a choice of sweets which included apple crumble, orange mousse trifle and apple pie. Delicious cups of tea followed and everyone agreed it had been a thoroughly enjoyable evening.

Harvest Festival reminds Christians of all the good things God gives them. This makes them want to share with others who are not so fortunate. In schools and in Churches, people bring food from home to a Harvest Festival Service. After the service, the food that has been put on display is usually made into parcels and given to people in need.



Written by Norah Kelsey. Photo by N & E Kelsey

The recent neighbourhood watch meeting highlighted the need to be vigilant at this time of year

Thanks to all those who attended the above meeting.

Points raised included concerns about broken glass in the children's play area whereupon the viability of a rota of volunteers to ensure that the area was kept clear of such hazards was discussed.

Speeding vehicles continues to be concern on the roads; and some of those present raised their worries about children riding their bicycles in a dangerous manner on footpaths. If parents are aware of their children carrying out this activity, may they please be mindful of the dangers that the children are putting themselves into, as well as others.

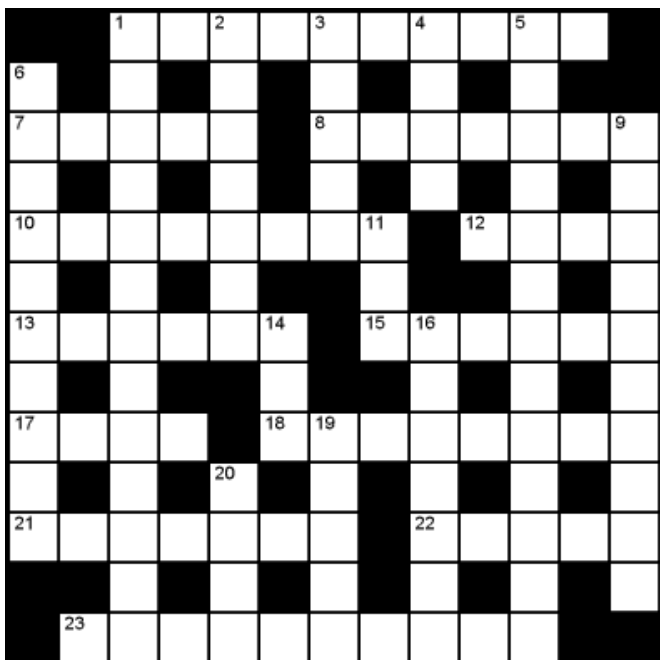
Current 'scams' to be wary of are visits by persons claiming to be from 'the waterboard', (please be advised that there is no such authority) and also offers by unscrupulous individuals offering to block-pave your drive on your provision of money up front for this. Never pay money in advance to persons approaching you in this manner. If you have any doubts about such callers to your home, do notify the police or your Neighbourhood Watch co-ordinator. Try to get the details from any vehicles such as the registration number and any company name and telephone number which may be displayed.

An article was read out to the group highlighting what steps can be taken at this time of year to make our homes appear occupied when we are out after dark. The reading also emphasized how much can be seen inside our homes by potential burglars at this time of year simply by having lights on but not closing curtains. Just pop outside and have a look through your own windows after dark, spot the hand-bags, wallets, keys, mobiles, etc all lying about!

The next HANWAG date for your diaries is for the AGM on Thursday, 4th March at 1930 hours in the chapel.

Written by Jayne Brierley

Puzzle Number 9 (Answers in next newsletter)



Across

- 1 Adjacent (4,2,4)
- 7 "Looking For ---", Hue & Cry hit of 1989 (5)
- 8 Michael ---, Massachusetts governor 1983-90 (7)
- 10 Grapple match competitor (8)
- 12 Seep (4)
- 13 American Civil War northerner (6)
- 15 Arachnid construction (6)
- 17 Entice (4)
- 18 French WW1/2 battle site plateau (8)
- 21 Oahu beach resort (7)
- 22 Passage between pews (5)
- 23 With driving power to all wheels (4-2-4)

Down

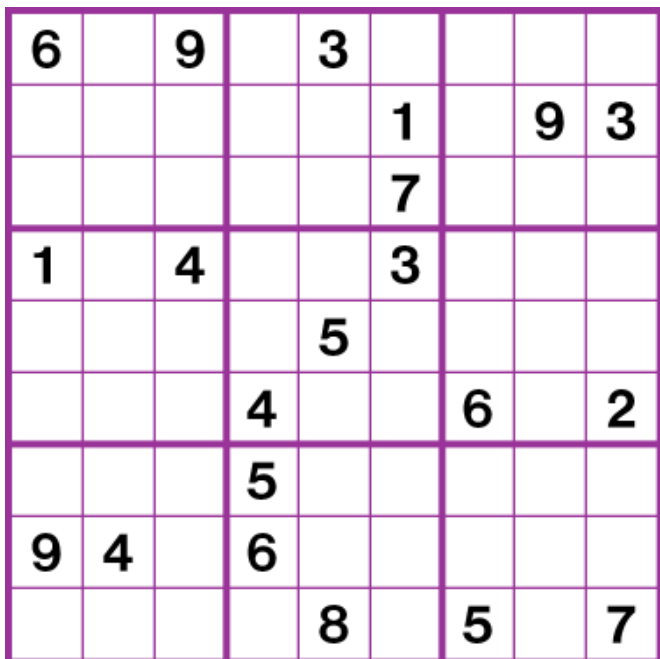
- 1 S Californian city - banners in road (anag.) (3,10)
- 2 Conscript (7)
- 3 Shift (5)
- 4 Punjabi religious adherent (4)
- 5 Edward VIII (4,2,7)
- 6 In great detail (4-2-4)
- 9 Gradually (4,2,4)
- 11 Mythical bird (3)
- 14 Greek alphabet's 7th letter (3)
- 16 Marjoram (7)
- 19 Pluvial (5)
- 20 Coffin support (4)

Solution to Puzzle No 8, August Issue.

Across: 1; Topographic 9; Eve 10; Afortiori 11; Taboo 12; Breadth 14; Unable 15; Temple 18; Godetia 20; Corfu 21; Grapeshot 23; ill 24; Bottomed out

Down: 2; Overboard 3; On a roll 4; Rhombi 5; Pathe 6; Ido 7; Left luggage 8; Righteously 13; Depardieu 16; Excited 17; Fathom 19; Theft 22; Ago

Sudoku No 3



Is there something puzzling you?

I asked at the Residents Association meeting in February if anyone has a preference to what puzzle is put on the back page of our village newsletter. I didn't realise how popular the crossword had become but people asked for a Sudoku too. If there is a particular puzzle you would prefer then let us know.

Ward Councillors for Burton and Winterton

Linda Cawsey Tel: 734870
 Bernard Regan Tel: 720821
 Alan Smith Tel: 733364

Alternatively, you may contact councillors at the Labour Office, Pittwood House, Ashby Road, Scunthorpe, Tel: 01724 296348

What's On

Your quick guide to what's on in Alkborough & Walcot.

- Women's Institute meets on the second Wednesday in every month at 7.15pm at Alkborough Primary School.
- Residents Association meets on the first Tuesday in every month at 7.30pm at Coronation Club, Alkborough.
- Sunday Service at Alkborough Methodist Chapel, Front Street at 6pm every Sunday.
- A prayer group meets at the Chapel each week at 8.30am every Friday.
- Whist evening every Monday evening at 8pm in Alkborough Club
- The walking group meets every Tuesday at 10am outside the chapel

If you have any articles or news stories that you would like to see featured in **YOUR** newsletter. Please post them to:

Mark McCorquodale, 2 Manor farm Cottages, Whitton Road, Alkborough



Alkborough and Walcot operate a Neighbourhood Watch scheme. Should you notice anything strange or if you have any concerns; let your local co-ordinator know as soon as possible. Remember, by working together we can help keep our community safe.

For non emergencies call **0845 60 60 222**

In an emergency dial **999**