

# SOUTH HYKEHAM NEWSLETTER

## October/November 2019

### **South Hykeham Parish Council**

The next meeting of South Hykeham Parish Council will take place on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2019 at 7pm. All meetings take place in South Hykeham Village Hall and are open to the public. Meetings usually take place on the second Wednesday of the month. There is no full council meeting during August and December.

There is a 15 minute public forum at the start when members of the public may ask questions or make short statements to the Council about matters that are of concern to them.

### **Website:**

<http://parishes.lincolnshire.gov.uk/SouthHykeham/>

Clerk: Carolyn Wilkinson, Tel: 07762318013  
Chair, Cllr Mrs P Whittaker Tel: 01522 686357  
Vice-Chair Mrs L Graham Tel: 01522 684077  
Councillors: Mr P Driffill Tel: 01522 692669,  
Mr D Rowson Tel: 01522 686671  
Mr S Roe Tel: 01522 883127

### **Neighbourhood Plan**

For further information visit the NKDC website:  
<https://www.n-kesteven.gov.uk/residents/living-in-your-area/localism-your-community/neighbourhood-plans/hykeham-neighbourhood-plan/>

### **South Hykeham Parish Council grants and donations**

The Parish Council has made provision in the budget for 2019/20 to award small grants/donations to financially support community organisations, particularly where there is a quantifiable benefit to the residents or the village's facilities. For full details of the guidelines/criteria for applications visit the Parish Council website where the application form etc can be downloaded or contact the Clerk Tel: 07762 318013 or by email: [southhykehampc@gmail.com](mailto:southhykehampc@gmail.com)

### **South Hykeham Village Hall**

For all Village Hall bookings please contact Diane on 698481.

Alternatively you can now make bookings and enquiries electronically via the following [www.lincscommunitybuildings.org.uk](http://www.lincscommunitybuildings.org.uk).

Once on the above website click on South Hykeham Village Hall and complete the details to make your enquiry/booking.

### **St Michael's and All Angels Church** **Church Services:**

Holy Communion at 11.15 am on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month.

Morning Service at 11.15 am on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month

When there is a 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday there will be a joint Service at 10.30 am for all three churches in the parish with a rotation of venues. There will be no other Services on that day.

Baptisms and Weddings may be arranged At All Saints Vestry on Fridays from 6.00 pm – 7.30 pm. Tel: 01522 883100.

The Church Parish Office, The Ark, Moor Lane, Tel: 01522 883100.

Open 9.00 am – Noon Monday to Friday.

### **Police Contact details:**

**To report all crimes & incidents – 24hr Non Emergency Number Tel: 101 In an emergency dial 999**

**N. Hykeham Police Station, Chatsworth Drive. North Hykeham**

Community Beat Manager PC1249 Mark Wood 07973 846 976

PCSO 2120 Sarah Lingard 07973 842 364 & PCSO J2151 Jo Mackie 07973 845 791 (Rural villages)

PCSO 2274 Julie Clark 07973 846 338 (North Hykeham)

These are the mobile telephone numbers held by the Beat Team when they are on duty. These numbers are for general enquiries only **NOT** to be used for reporting incidents or crimes.

### **Email:**

[hykehamrural.npt@lincs.pnn.police.uk](mailto:hykehamrural.npt@lincs.pnn.police.uk)

**(Villages) or**

[hykehamtown.npt@lincs.pnn.police.uk](mailto:hykehamtown.npt@lincs.pnn.police.uk)

**(North Hykeham)**

**Facebook: Hykeham NPT**

**Twitter@HykehamNPT**

**To report fraud online:**

[http://www.actionfraud.police.uk/report\\_fraud](http://www.actionfraud.police.uk/report_fraud)  
or by telephone 0300 123 2040.

**North Kesteven District Councillors**

Cllr M L Green Bassingham & B. Broughton  
Cllr C R Spray Bassingham & B. Broughton

**Lincolnshire County Councillors**

Cllr M Overton Bassingham & Welbourn  
Cllr M Thompson Eagle & Hykeham West  
Cllr S Roe Hykeham Forum

**Call Connect**

On demand network of bus services operating across Lincolnshire. This operates only for pre booked requests. Tel: 01522 553143

**DialaRide**

Voluntary service available for those who through some form of disability are unable to get out and about any other way. To take advantage of this service you first need to register as a member. Tel: 01522 544983 for more information and to register.

**Lincolnshire County Council**

**Blue Badge Scheme** Tel: 01522 782232

**Street Lighting/Traffic Signal Faults** Tel:

01522 782070 email:

[streetlighting@lincolnshire.gov.uk](mailto:streetlighting@lincolnshire.gov.uk)

**Improvements to public right of way between Ascot Way & Mill Lane**

The Parish Council has successfully secured funding to facilitate improvements to the surface of the aforementioned bridleway which will allow residents of South Hykeham easier and more sustainable access to North Hykeham and vice versa. At present the two are mainly connected by roads, many of which do not have pavements making a car the only real safe means to travel between the two. The idea is to provide a safe and pleasant connection between North and South Hykeham which can easily be traversed by foot, cycle or on horseback in order to access the school at South Hykeham and a wider range of local services. Whilst the Parish Council has made some provision in its own budget for these improvements the project was reliant upon a successful grant funding bid or matched funding from a partner organisation.

Access Lincoln has agreed to match fund the

project and in addition the Parish Council been selected to be a Lincolnshire Co-operative Society's Community Champion for the environment quarter.

During the three-month period of June to September 2019. Money is raised through people with a South Hykeham postcode shopping at their local Co-op store on Newark Road and using their dividend card and instore fundraising and carrier bag levies. Representatives of the Parish Council were presented with a cheque at Gibraltar Point Nature Reserve.

It is hoped that work on the resurfacing will be commencing shortly and should be completed by March 2020.

**LCC Highways – information on road closures**

For up to date information on future roadworks taking place in your locality contact LCC Highways on 01522

782070. <https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/transport-and-roads/traffic-management/roadworks/>

**LCC Planning online:-**

<https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/residents/environment-and-planning/planning-and-development/planning-applications/>

**NKDC Planning online:-**

<https://www.n-kesteven.gov.uk/residents/planning-and-building/planning/planning-applications/planning-online/>

**Overgrown tress and hedges**

Did you know that where hedges and trees grow on the edge of the highway or footpath and mark its boundary with private property, it is the responsibility of the adjacent landowner/occupier to maintain them?

It has come to the attention of the Parish Council that in some places there are overgrown hedges and trees which are starting to pose a danger to the safe passage of traffic and pedestrians, or where visibility is impaired by overhanging foliage.

Many families in the South Hykeham area walk to school or to the shops and we would like to

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make their walk as safe as possible. Please check your hedges and boundaries and if necessary cut back overgrown foliage well back from the road or footpath.

### **Inconsiderate parking on pavements**

The Parish Council has had a number of reports of vehicles parking on the pavements at various locations in and around South Hykeham.

Parking on the pavement can obstruct and seriously inconvenience pedestrians, people in wheelchairs or with visual impairments and people with prams or pushchairs. Please show some consideration to others when parking your vehicle.

### **Lincs Community Speedwatch Initiative**

The Speed Indicator Device purchased by South Hykeham Parish Council has now been up and running for several months.

The device has been installed at different locations throughout South Hykeham on a rolling programme and monthly reports of vehicles exceeding the speed limit in those locations have been downloaded. The Police and Road Safety Partnership have been notified of 'hotspots' and will be carrying out enforcement in order to tackle the problem.

### **Parish Council vacancies Parish Council Vacancy**

There are currently 2 Parish Council vacancies for South Hykeham Danker Ward. The vacancies will be filled by the co-option process at a future meeting of the Parish Council.

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