

# SOUTH HYKEHAM NEWSLETTER

## July/Aug 2021

### **South Hykeham Parish Council**

The next meeting of South Hykeham Parish Council will take place on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2021 at 7pm. The venue for Parish Council meetings is South Hykeham Community Primary School on Wath Lane, South Hykeham.

Meetings usually take place on the second Wednesday of the month commencing at 7pm and are open to the public. There are no full Parish Council meetings during August and December.

At the start of each meeting there is a public forum when members of the public may ask questions or make short statements to the Council about matters that are of concern to them. Each speaker will be allowed up to 3 minutes in which to address the council.

It would be of assistance if you could let the Clerk know of the matter you wish to raise in advance of the meeting so that it can be investigated before the meeting takes place. Agendas are published on the village noticeboards and on the Parish Council website or by contacting the Parish Clerk on:-  
Tel: 07762 318013

Email: [southhykehampc@gmail.com](mailto:southhykehampc@gmail.com)

### **Website:**

[https:// South Hykeham Parish Council \(lincshire.gov.uk\)](https://southhykehamparishcouncil.lincshire.gov.uk)

### **The Parish Council**

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  
Mrs N Dillon-Jones Tel: 07952 439810

### **Parish Council Vacancy Danker Ward**

There is currently a Parish Council vacancy for South Hykeham Danker Ward. For further information/expression of interest form please contact the Clerk on 07762 318013 or visit the Parish Council website or email [southhykehampc@gmail.com](mailto:southhykehampc@gmail.com)

### **South Hykeham Village Hall**

For Village Hall bookings please contact Diane on 01522 698481.

Alternatively bookings and enquiries may be made 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:**

For details of Church Services and to arrange Baptisms and Weddings please contact 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.police.uk](mailto:hykehamrural.npt@lincs.police.uk) (Villages) or

[hykehamtown.npt@lincs.police.uk](mailto:hykehamtown.npt@lincs.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 R Eckert 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.

### **Public right of way improvements between Ascot Way & Mill Lane**

The outstanding section between Ascot Way and Grandfield Way is still outstanding but will be completed once agreement has been reached on the resolution of some outstanding issues.

In response to a request from the Parish Council and as a result of concerns raised by the local school and concerned parents, LCC is looking into the installation of a traffic barrier on the road side at the Mill Lane end of the bridleway and has indicated it would be beneficial to provide a physical deterrent against cycling into the road. There is sufficient space for it not to impede horse riders or adapted bikes and would be an added safety feature. It would also prevent motorised vehicles using the bridleway which has occurred on at least one occasion and which has been reported to the police. Under s34(1) of the Road Traffic Act 1988 (as amended by the Countryside and Rights of Way Act 2000) it is a **criminal offence** to drive a mechanically propelled vehicle on a footpath, bridleway or restricted byway without lawful authority.

### **Fix my Street:-**

### **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/>

### **Volunteer litterpicking initiative**

The Parish Council led voluntary litterpicks I usually take place on the second Saturday of the month. Unfortunately due to unforeseen circumstances it has been necessary to cancel the July and August dates.

They will resume on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2021  
10.30am – 12.30pm

Protective clothing and equipment will be provided for the use of volunteers who will be covered by the Parish Council's public liability insurance.

The assembly point is South Hykeham Village Hall, Boundary Lane.

If you would like to volunteer to be involved in this initiative please let the Clerk have your contact details.

Alternatively if you are aware of a particular area that requires attention please report it to the Clerk.

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

The Parish Council has made provision in the budget for 2021/22 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. The Parish Council may also award a grant/donation to County wide organisations which provide valuable and essential service and guidance to parishioners of South Hykeham and who rely on charitable donations in order to provide this support. During the last financial year the Council gave donations of £300 each to both LIVES and Citizens Advice Mid Lincs in recognition of the important service they have provided during the pandemic and to help them to continue their vital services.

For full details of the guidelines/criteria for applications visit the Parish Council website

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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)

Applications can be submitted any time during the financial year up to the 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022.

### **Parish Council Memorial Bench Pump Hill, Meadow Lane, South Hykeham**

The Parish Council has recently purchased a Memorial Bench for installation at Pump Hill on Meadow Lane. The new seat will replace the existing one which has been in position for many years but has reached the end of its active life.

On Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> July a Service of Blessing was conducted by Reverend Collins at which Camararderie Club members were present including a Second World War veteran Mr Ron ? unveiled the bench and declared it open for use. The service was also attended by local councillors and a group of south Hykeham Community Primary School pupils and staff who laid poppy wreaths. It was not possible to extend an open invitation to parishioners due to the current Covid 19 restrictions as the number of guests could not exceed 30 and had to be socially distanced.

However, on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November 2021 at 11am there will be a Service of Remembrance held at the Memorial Bench on Pump Hill at which a poppy wreath laying ceremony will take place. All parishioners are welcome to attend the service which will be conducted by Reverend Collins.

### **Parish Council Community Awards 2021**

The successful recipients were:-

**South Hykeham Parish Council Community Award 2021** – awarded to Margaret Drifill for her unstinting commitment to South Hykeham Village life. Margaret has given many year of dedication to enhancing the wellbeing of parishioners and visitors to South Hykeham facilitated through her service as Bishop's Officer Church Warden.

**South Hykeham Parish Council Achievement Award 2021** – awarded to Ben Graham for his exceptional commitment and

dedication to his chosen sport of football as a member of the Lincoln Invictus Football Team. Also for his continuing determination in achieving personal goals in all aspects of his school life and for being such a positive role model for fellow pupils and team members.

The awards were presented to the very worthy recipients at the Parish Council meeting of 9<sup>th</sup> June 2021 which took place at South Hykeham Community Primary School.