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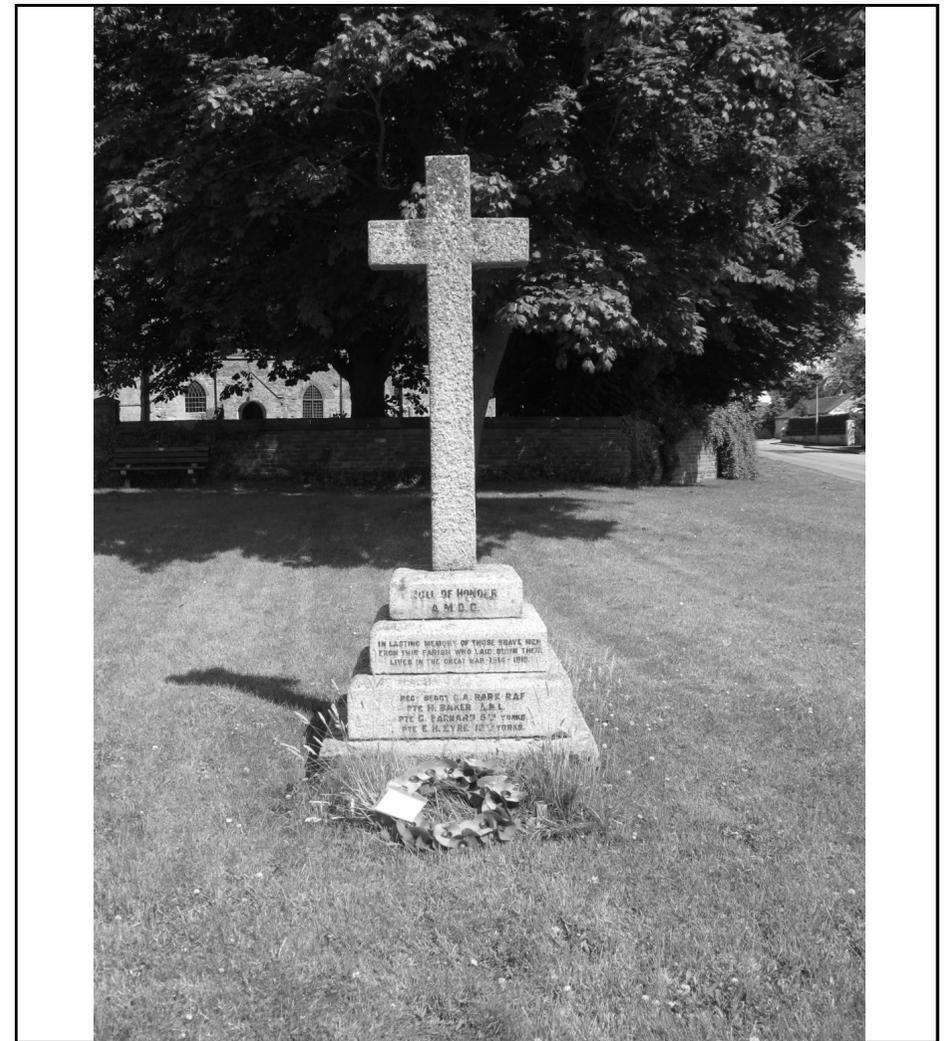
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**BURTON FLEMING
NEWSLETTER**



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ST. CUTHBERT'S CHURCH
Rev. Barbara Hodgson 01262 470873

NOVEMBER CHURCH SERVICES

5th	11am 3pm	Morning Worship Holy Communion with Holy Baptism at FORDON
12th	10.55am	Service of Remembrance at the War Memorial with laying of wreath & poppy crosses followed by service of Holy Communion in the church.
19th	11am	Morning Worship
26th	10am	Benefice service at Boynton

There will be a service of Holy Communion or Morning Prayer each
 Tuesday at 10am



PRAYER & PRAISE
 is held each Monday morning (excl. Bank Holidays)
 from 9am - 9.30am in the church.

Do come along to Pop-Ins on Mondays (except Bank Holidays) at
 9.30 -11.00am for a chat and a cuppa and to meet old and new friends

CRAFT & CHAT

We have now recommenced our CRAFT & CHAT group
 meeting at the vicarage
 2pm until 3.30ish



Do come and join us; it's great fun!!



ERYC Mobile Library

The Mobile Library will visit Burton Fleming monthly.
 It will stop outside the Post Office on West Lane on
 Wednesdays from 1pm to 1.25pm

Future dates will be:
 November 15th 2017
 December 13th 2017
 January 10th 2018



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HISTORY GROUP

At the October meeting the speaker, David Smith, explained how the find of a blood stained glove had ignited his curiosity about duelling through the ages in this country. Many have romantic ideas of duelling but its origins come from early A.D. when there were various forms of trial by combat and trial by battle which always ended with severe results for the loser.

The meaning of a duel is a war between two people, usually seeking redress or to show courage and during the 16th and 17th century duelling as we know it today came into its own, firstly with swords and later, after about 1770, with pistols. In 1654 Cromwell had banned duelling with severe penalties but it was only the upper classes who duelled, mainly to protect their honour or family name so quite often a blind eye was turned and gradually it became self regulated and publicly acceptable.

David gave examples of duels between members of Parliament and spoke of other duels in the local area, some fatal, involving Captains from the military.

Towards the mid 1800s the Classes were believing more in the rule of law, both the press

and Church opposed it and people in general now thought it better to seek redress through the courts. The last known duel in this country took place in 1845.

Oh yes. The Blood Stained Glove? David had seen this in a collection at the Hull History Centre where he worked. On investigating closer he found it had belonged to Philip Saltmarsh VI and while in the military he had duelled against someone who had called his family name into disrepute.

The glove shows signs of blood where Philip had been hit and injured. He had survived and went on to become responsible for the building of Saltmarsh Hall as it is seen today.

Refreshments were served after the talk and I can report that there was no conflict, combat or duelling over the tea and biscuits.

Our next meeting is on Thursday 16th November when Richard Meyerscough talks on Church Building Stones. Village Hall at 7 -30pm. Admission £2-50. All welcome. For any info phone Bruce Beswick on 01262 401147.

VIEW FROM THE VICARAGE

Dear Friends.

How important is 'remembering' to you? Every year this question of 'remembrance' comes up. Many of us have little or no knowledge of the 2nd WW and none of us were alive at the time of the 1st WW but of course there are, sadly, many wars and conflicts to recall today and some still continue.

I find children and young people are respectful at Remembrance time..... I take a short service at Wold Newton School and we have a minute's silence during which you won't hear a pin drop. They have talked about it in class and I discuss it too so they have some knowledge and they are often very curious about the whole aspect.

I think that we have to remember, of course we do but we have to look forward too. We have to work together to promote peace and harmony and that starts with us, here in our village.

Jesus gave Christians that great commandment 'To love one another, as I have loved you'. Now, we know that it is not always easy to do this, to 'turn the other cheek' when someone has hurt you but I always try to do so, because the person doing the 'hurting' is often hurting inside themselves. So to hurt someone else somehow seems to make them feel better. I also feel that we have to stand up and be counted, so to speak. Whether it be about someone we think is wrong but also about our politicians! I'm not supposed to get involved in politics but I have been known to write a letter to the House of Commons about something I feel strongly about. We should all do so if we feel strongly about something, how will they know if we don't tell them! I'm not trying to incite a rebellion nor a 'gunpowder plot' but we are a democratic country and therefore have a right to voice our opinion.

So 'remember' all those who died for our right to freedom and expression, let their deaths not be wasted.

With love,
Reverend Barbara

Please join us at the war memorial on Sunday 12th November at 10.55am



VILLAGE HALL NEWS & DIARY OF EVENTS
NOVEMBER 2017

OCTOBER LOTTERY WINNERS

1st Prize - Peter Davis - £25 2nd Prize - Kate Mercer - £15
3rd Prize - Mrs Jewitt - £10 4th Prize - Crispin Blyth- £5

Thank you for your support, thanks go to our new contributors this month. We are always looking to increase our numbers. We have around 105 players every month, the profits from this, pay for most of the INSURANCE of the hall. If you would like to contribute in a very small way it would be greatly appreciated. The draw takes place every 3rd Friday of the month at the Post Office. BE PART OF IT. It only costs £1.00 per month and payment can be made monthly, half yearly or annually.

Contact: Kate Mercer 470556 or Kate Holroyd 470766 for a personal number or numbers.

The October Coffee Morning raised £201.00. The hall was buzzing, another very successful morning. We again had some excellent donations of cakes, bric a brac, plants, vegetables and books, and the ever popular square competition. Thank you so much. We look forward to receiving any bric a brac and books. We are continually rolling over stock, which when unsold, we take to various charity shops in the area. If there is anyone out there who would like to volunteer to help on the coffee mornings we would be most grateful. Alternate months from 9.45 -11.45am

The ART class, held on a Tuesday evening from 6.30 -8.30. is proving to be very popular so please do not hesitate to contact Sue (below) if you would like to attend. (November it will be held on Wednesday 15th)

Afternoon BOWLS has restarted, please feel free to go along on a Wednesday afternoon 2 -4pm.

EVENTS IN NOVEMBER

Saturday 11th November- COFFEE MORNING; 10am-11.30am; Bacon sandwiches/bric a brac/books/produce/ etc

Tuesday 14th November; Parish Council Meeting.

Wednesday mornings 10-11; ZUMBA - all welcome; Contact; Zoe 07968076679 for details

Wednesday afternoons - Indoor Bowls; Commences 4th October 2-4pm

Wednesday 15th November; ART CLASS; 6.30-8.30pm; Enquiries; SUE on 07773496859

Thursday 16th November; History Club; 7.30pm

FUTURE EVENTS:

CHRISTMAS WHIST DRIVE; Thursday 7th December

Christmas Coffe Morning; Saturday 9th December

Private Party; Saturday 23rd December.

PLEASE NOTE:

THE HALL IS AVAILABLE ON
NEW YEARS EVE - FOR YOUR
PARTY!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Don't forget the hall is there for your use, parties and social events are booking in for 2017/18, ring Kate on 01262 470556 to book yours.

Rates; £8.00per hour for locals, £10.00per hour for people living outside the village, £12.00per hour for businesses etc.

Burton Fleming Parish Council News

Telephone Kiosk

The Parish Council have now taken ownership of the telephone kiosk and would like to appeal to residents of the village for any bright ideas as to what this can now be used for.

Common uses already proposed are:

- Installation of a Community Defibrillator.
- Use as a lending library/book swap.

If anyone has any other ideas then please let the Clerk know - see contact details below.

Reminder to cut back hedges and trees to avoid causing obstructions

Please remember to trim your own private hedges and trees which overhang paths and roads to prevent them causing an obstruction. Overgrown hedges and trees can be a nuisance and a danger to others.

Should you wish to report any concerns, make comments, or submit items for discussion at future meetings, please do not hesitate to contact Jennifer Hobson (Clerk) during office hours on the following details: Tel: 07542874957, Email: clerk@burtonflemingpc.co.uk
Landline: 01723 890084

Next Parish Meeting

The next Parish Council meeting is to be held on 14 November 2017 at 7.00pm in the Village Hall.

Christmas Tree

If anyone has an overgrown Christmas tree in their garden that they might like to donate

to the Parish Council for the Village Green this year,

please would you contact me on clerk@burtonflemingpc.co.uk or phone 07542 874957

