

Welcome to our Sixth edition of EDWINSTOWE VILLAGE NEWS

Welcome to the latest edition of "Edwinstowe Village News". Inside, you will find all the usual local news items and articles by our local community groups and clubs. There is some information about the Parish Council's new, much improved website. It's full of information. Please have a regular browse, if you want to know what's happening in the village.

There is also some exciting news about the new skatepark for our young people. We expect it to be built this year. There are a lot of young people who can't wait. Don't forget, if you want to contribute a news article about a village event or community group, please send it as a Word document (no more than 250 words) to edwinstowe.pc@btconnect.com



The Parish Council has a New Web Site *give it a try!*

The Parish Council has launched its much improved web site. It's much easier to navigate, looks more attractive and will be regularly updated. Do have a look and add it to your "favourites". You will be able to keep up to date with what's happening in the village, search for a tradesperson, read "Edwinstowe Village News" (including back copies) online, or if you're interested, read Parish Council minutes (yes, some people do!). We also hope it will be useful to visitors who are looking for accommodation or things to do in the area. The web site address is www.edwinstowe.co.uk

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Dates announced for the 2013 Robin Hood Festival

Prepare for medieval mayhem and merriment! The annual Robin Hood Festival for 2013 will take place between Monday, August 5 and Sunday August 11.

The event is a major celebration about the famous Nottinghamshire outlaw and takes place in his legendary home of Sherwood Forest.

Managed by Nottinghamshire County Council, the festival is now in its 29th year and will once again have an action packed programme of activities every day to interest the whole family.

And the free family festival, held at Sherwood Forest Visitor Centre, near the historic village of Edwinstowe, will once again be one of the highlights in the county's leisure calendar this summer – whatever the weather!



During the festival, Robin Hood regularly scuffles with his old adversary The Sheriff of Nottingham, while archery, falconry and jousting (the latter two on selected days) will provide visiting crowds with a taste of medieval entertainment and skill.

The festival is further brought to life with entertainment from street performers depicting what life was like in medieval times. These will include musicians, jesters, jugglers and market traders with a whole host of stalls, re-enactments, performances and other activities to entertain young and old alike.

Last year Robin of Sherwood took to Twitter to announce plans for the festival for the first time and this year social media will again feature as part of the exciting build-up to the week.

For more details about this year's Robin Hood Festival, and to view a gallery of images and a video from last year's festival, visit the Nottinghamshire County Council website: www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/robinhood

More grit bins

We hope they won't be needed for a while, but the Parish have been successful in their request to the Highways Department for two more grit bins.

Please remember, the grit in the bins is not for people to salt their own driveways!

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LYNDS CLOSE	GOOD	FULL
OCCUPATION LANE	GOOD	FULL
OLLERTON RD/EAST LANE	GOOD	FULL
BEARDSLEY ROAD	GOOD	FULL

Edwinstowe Bowls Club

Our new season commenced with a 2 woods singles competition in April sponsored by our good friend Brian Hawkins. The club was very pleased with the addition of 7 new benches supplied by Newark and Sherwood District Council. The season has just completed it's first month's fixtures.

The club would be pleased to welcome any new bowler young or old as we look forward to another successful year (weather permitting)! anyone interested please contact Rod Sampson @ Mansfield 822448.

A Bug's Eye View

While home to the Robin Hood legend and with a recently discovered Viking history, Sherwood Forest has become increasingly well known for its range of rare invertebrates. A great deal of work recording the diversity of species within the Sherwood Forest National Nature Reserve, has revealed that the Forest has much more to offer than legend and archeological history.

Sherwood Forest continues to be the only currently known site in the UK for the endangered Hazel Pot Beetle and these bright red beetles began to be seen in their favoured area again in May. Despite their colouration, this beetle went 'missing' for around 70 years, until rediscovered by ourselves in 2008.

By the time you read this, some parts of the forest will be lit up after dusk, by the green light emitted by female Glow Worms and one of the country's largest and most studied colonies, will again be keeping us out and about till the early morning hours.

Glow Worms are in national decline and 2013 sees the Nottinghamshire Glow Worm Survey take place, where we aim to map the Glow Worm's current distribution in the county. If you know (or knew) of any sites for Glow Worms in Nottinghamshire, please let us know via our website at www.eakringbirds.com. Your sightings will make a helpful and valuable contribution to the protection of our wildlife.

Trevor and Dilys Pendleton

Family Say Goodbye To Brian Sharp

Brian Sharpe had lived in Edwinstowe for nearly 50 years before he died in March of this year aged 77. He moved to Edwinstowe with his wife Dorothy and their three children in 1963 and move into the flat above what was then Meakin's dress shop and later, more familiarly, Rowe's clothes shop. They moved to Lansbury Road the following year and raised another 3 children, all of whom attended St Mary's school.

He worked at Thoresby for much of his working life before he took early retirement and then occupied his time dog walking and keeping a watchful eye over his extended family of sons and daughters in law and grandchildren, many of who live in the surrounding villages. Many in Edwinstowe would have know him to some degree or other as someone who always stopped to chat, pass the time of day with his own philosophical outlook on life. His wife Dorothy, and her children, wishes to thank her wonderful friends

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and neighbours for the support she received.

In the days immediately after his death, many sent cards and notes and remarked how they would miss their 'chats' with him.

His death after a short illness has left a huge gap in the fabric of his family and perhaps a small gap or two in the fabric of life in the village. He is buried in the forest cemetery.



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Request for one hour parking on the High Street



The Edwinstowe Business Forum recently collected a petition requesting that the half hour restriction on parking on the High Street be increased to one hour. The Parish Council have backed the request. Edwinstowe's County Councillor, John Peck, presented the petition to a meeting of the County Council and spoke in favour of the increased parking time. He said, businesses on the High Street needed all the help they could get to boost trade in these difficult times. And many Edwinstowe residents have indicated they would welcome being able to park for a little longer when they perhaps wanted to stop at two or three shops.

The final decision rests with the Highways Department. Residents (and the traders themselves!) are asked not to overstay the time limit, so that spaces are kept free for other shoppers.

Anyone wishing to stay longer should use the car parks. The traffic wardens do visit regularly and tickets are issued!

Chinese Brush Painting

Chinese brush painting (CBP) is an unusual and rarely seen art form very different from European art. CBP uses watercolours which differ from European ones as they are made from natural vegetable or mineral pigments. Better quality Teppachi colours used in the Japanese art of sumi-e are also available, but these are more expensive. There are three distinct disciplines in CBP.

CBP, developed from Chinese calligraphy many thousands of years ago, should contain ink. The ink is a solid stick made from various resins bound with fish glue. A slate pallet is needed to grind the ink to the correct consistency. The paper used in CBP is made from natural materials. When untreated these papers are very porous creating a very free loose style of work unlike anything produced in the west. Paper treated with alum stops the paint running, controlling exactly where the paint is put. Silk was first used before the advent of paper and is still widely used today; like the paper they treat it with alum.

Chinese brushes are also very different and contribute to the distinct style of CBP. They are all made animal hairs – goat, horse, squirrel, sheep, cockerel, badger and tiger. The handles are made from bamboo, with quite large brushes that can be loaded with more than one colour to produce a beautiful effect.

If you would like to know more about this art form or would like to have a go I run workshops in conjunction with the East Midlands Chinese Brush Painters Society affiliated to the National Society of Brush Painters.

Call: 01623 871217



County Council election result: John Peck re-elected

Edwinstowe's John Peck was re-elected as the Nottinghamshire County Councillor for the Rufford Division (Edwinstowe, Bilsthorpe, Clipstone, Kings Clipstone and Rufford villages) in the County Council election on 2nd May. John increased his majority and share of the vote. For those who didn't catch the result the figures were:

Labour 2008

Conservative 848

Ukip 592

John said: "I'm delighted to be re-elected and will carry on being a very visible councillor, available to everyone and representing the whole village. I will continue to make sure things like the potholes get dealt with and our village is well cared for. Also the big things, such as ensuring the new visitor centre and tourism help to bring jobs and prosperity to the village and -something I'd love to see- I'm going to keep campaigning to get the Robin Hood railway line extended to Edwinstowe."

Labour has regained control of the County Council and John has been appointed Chair of the Children and Young People's Committee. The department is responsible for most of Nottinghamshire schools, children's centres, the youth service and children's social care. John said: "As an ex Head Teacher, it's an exciting challenge and responsibility. I want to make sure we continue to raise standards and improve the opportunities for all our children and young people. Despite the extra work, I will still make time to carry out my duties for Edwinstowe."

South Forest Raise Over £1000.00

We would like to say a big thank you to all our Wednesday night bingo players for enabling us to raise £1000.00 to donate to the Bluebell Wood Children's Hospice.

Bingo is played every Wednesday evening starting at 9:30 pm and everyone is welcome.

Mr J Green

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The Dukeries Singers

We have a "performing " break in the Summer, so my next Dukeries Singers update will be for the September editions. Congratulations to Leanne and Julian from Sherwood Life Magazine on winning the Business Community Partnership Award. Thanks to all the local publications who support us so well. We hope you all have a really happy, healthy and stress free Summer.

Our Concert details are;

29 June @7-00pm

Edwinstowe Village Hall

6 July @7-00pm

St. Chad's at Pleasley Vale

I have stopped complaining about the poor gardening weather now that the sun has emerged. All we need now is a good growing season for the flowers to bloom and the edibles to make bumper crops for the Autumn. The Choir wishes you all a wonderful Summer, whatever your interests and activities (or not) and we hope to see you at one of our future concerts.

Jan

Real Rugby Hero!

Richard Byrom, Head of PE at The Dukeries Academy in Ollerton, North Nottinghamshire, has been awarded the accolade of Real Rugby Hero by The Daily Mail National Newspaper.

Richard has been given the award to recognize his dedication to the sport of Rugby at a grassroots level. Ten unsung heroes who have helped make rugby union a great sport have been chosen by The Daily Mail, RBS and the RFU who have long recognised the special qualities it takes to be a volunteer.

For the fifth year running the RBS Real Rugby Heroes awards have been given to people who go above and beyond the call of duty to make rugby a success in schools all over the country.

Richard was nominated by Mike Hendley, a long standing colleague at the Academy who said "As a direct result of Richard's commitment the Academy now has boys rugby teams in years 7 to 11. He has increased the profile of rugby

within the Academy and the community to such an extent that the rugby players have status around the Academy and rugby training is THE place to be seen. The disciplines that the players are learning from Richard can be seen in their improved attitudes towards the Academy, their studies and the way they behave."

Royal British Legion

First of all may we thank the Parish Council for lowering the Union flag to half mast, and opening the War Memorial gates to allow people who wish to, to lay flowers or wreaths in remembrance of Drummer Lee Rigby, who was murdered so cowardly in London. We may not have known him but he was a brother in arms and on behalf of the HMS Ganges Association, and the Branch of the Royal British Legion Edwinstowe, a wreath was laid on their behalf, I hope many more flowers join the wreath in the coming days.

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Fields in Trust

Fields in Trust is an organisation which seeks to preserve 'green' areas within a development such as a village or town.

Their aim is to keep such areas for leisure use by local residents. Over time they have been very successful and all over the Country there are oases of green calm among very built-up areas thanks to this organisation.

As part of the Jubilee celebrations last year a lot of work was carried out by them to nominate 'Queen Elizabeth

II Fields'. Edwinstowe was successful in nominating three parks, two on Henton Road and the Jubilee Park adjacent to Friars Park, for status as a 'Queen Elizabeth II Field'.

This means that these areas will always be available to the community for sport, play or recreation.

Ancillary developments, such as sports pavilions, are allowed, as are small works and equipment to facilitate leisure activities. The letter from the regional manager,

who has helped us through this process, quotes such things as public shelters, seats, refuse bins etc., play areas, such as swings, five a side football pitches and skateparks are also allowed.

Housing and industrial developments are not allowed, this means that future generations can enjoy these open spaces too.

These areas all belong to the Parish Council, or are leased on a 99 year lease, protecting them in perpetuity.

A Skate Park for Edwinstowe: *Giving something back to our young people*

The Parish Council are finally able to give something back to the young people in our village. Plans are currently underway for a skate park to be developed on the new Jubilee Park, the site of the old Rufford School playing field. A successful bid to the Local Improvement Scheme has resulted in Nottinghamshire County Council matching the Parish Council's £50,000 raised from past land sales, to design and build a fabulous skate park for the village. Parish Councillor Karen Peck, who has been working with young people to win this bid said, "We have lost so many amenities including Rufford School, the leisure centre and the youth club; it's great news that we are finally able to give something back."

A group of young people from the village have already met with the County Council designer and he was impressed by their planning, ambition and ideas. He is confident he can design a skate park that will fit the local environment and provide a fun and varied amenity for the young people. Plans for the park will be available for all residents to view and comment on in the early summer and it is hoped that the skate park will be completed by the autumn.

The Parish Council are aware that some local residents have concerns about the skate park and are working with the developer to minimise the impact on them.

The skate park campaign has been supported by successive Parish Councils and has been a longstanding ambition for the village, but lack of funding and a suitable piece of land has prevented it from becoming a reality. The Rufford School playing field was given to the village by the County Council in 2007 to be developed as a recreation area. However, this couldn't be done until the Barratts' estate was completed. Funding has been a continual frustration as the money the Parish Council had raised from land sales was not sufficient to build a skate park. In February 2013, we learnt that a bid made to Nottinghamshire County Council Local Improvement Scheme was successful and not only does this provide us with the money to build the skate park, we also have the County Council expertise to lead the project and advise us.

This is an exciting project for the village and we look forward to hearing your views when the plans are available.

Mobile Youth Project

Your friendly Mobile Youth Project is now available Wednesday as well as Friday... taking place next to the Play Park, Fourth Avenue.

Your Mobile Youth Project offers a variety of fun activities including sports, arts & crafts, music, X box games and traditional board games, internet access, refreshments, tuck shop and much more...

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King Edwins Primary School *Travelling musicians*

Music is a very important part of life at King Edwin.

Way back in February the choir took part in a YoungVoices event at the Sheffield Arena.

YoungVoices is an international organisation that provide school choirs opportunities to come together to perform in a large stadium setting. The children thoroughly enjoyed rehearsing and performing.

More recently a talented group of woodwind musicians performed in small groups to the children in Key Stage Two.

They chose to share a wide variety of songs with us. There were solo, duet and group performances. Everyone involved performed with confidence and the audiences thoroughly enjoyed the music.

Very well done to everyone involved!



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Religious Census

In 1851 a Religious Census was taken throughout the country.

In Edwinstowe this showed that, Edwinstowe Township included Thoresby. Population 502 males 507 females total 1009

Present	Morn	Aft
General Congregation	101	98
Sunday Scholars	73	73
Total	174	171

*Primitive Methodist Chapel Erected 1848
Space free 50 other 110 standing 30*

Present	Morn	Aft
General Congregation	55	110

*Wesleyan Methodist Chapel Erected 1848
Space free 60 other 160 standing 30*

Present	Morn	Aft
General Congregation	60	122
Sunday Scholars	58	
Total	118	122

In May 1871 there was a severe thunderstorm; lightning struck the top 3 feet of the spire which was thrown down, with the weathercock, through the roof.

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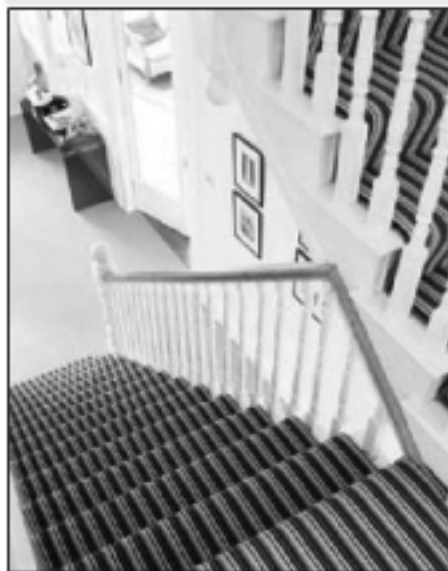
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No more takeaways please!

The Parish Council and Councillors Celia Brooks and John Peck all strongly opposed a recent planning application to open a kebab takeaway in the former Treet House premises on the High Street.

The application was to stay open until 1am. Chair of the Parish Council, Councillor Brooks said: "of course we want all the premises to be in use but we want the right mix of businesses, both for Edwinstowe people and the many visitors to our village. We don't want the High Street conservation area dominated by fast food outlets. Also, we don't want businesses that are shuttered up during the day and then open in to the early hours. It would just be a magnet for anti social behaviour."



The Parish Council also opposed an application to turn the ex newsagents on Mansfield Road into another take-away. The premises had only recently had a planning application approved to demolish the building and build apartments.

Councillor Peck said: "We had put a lot of effort into making sure that this unsightly building was at last going to be dealt with and were delighted to get the application for apartments through.

Unfortunately, the owner now seems to have sold it on to someone who has different plans. The final verdict rests with Newark and Sherwood Council's Planning Committee."

Home-Start Dukeries Closes After 31 years



Home-start Dukeries, a local charity which has its office on Edwinstowe High Street is to close on 30th June. The Trustees have taken the decision with great reluctance and sadness after their main source of funding, the Lottery, was not renewed.

Home-start Dukeries serves Edwinstowe, Clipstone, Ollerton and all the villages in the local area. It was set up thirty-one years ago to work with families with children under five years of age, who need advice and support. Often, families which are referred to Home-start are vulnerable or experiencing a range of difficulties. Volunteers are given professional training to give them the essential skills. They are then carefully matched to families and visit them regularly to give them friendship, help and support. A small team of dedicated staff, led by Senior Co-ordinator, Marie Sheffield, runs Home-start Dukeries, training and supervising volunteers and ensuring the highest standards are met by the charity.

The Trustees have issued the following statement: "it is with great sadness and regret that we have reluctantly taken the decision to close Home-start Dukeries after thirty-one years of outstanding work with many families with young children who are in need of support.

Every effort was made to secure alternative sources of funding, but in the end this was unsuccessful. The charity is therefore no longer financially viable. We deeply regret that our outstanding, dedicated and professional staff are losing their jobs and we are upset that so many families will be left without the unique support Home-start is able to offer. We also wish to thank all our excellent volunteers for all their hard work, dedication and caring support they've given to so many families over the years. It seems that a great many small charities such as this one, are facing similar financial difficulties at a time when many families need our support more than ever."

Sherwood Forest could benefit from Heritage Lottery Fund

Nottinghamshire County Council is this week submitting a £3m bid to the Heritage Lottery Fund for funding to boost conservation of natural and cultural heritage within Sherwood Forest.

Working with a number of partnership agencies, the county council is leading on a bid for funding from the HLF's Landscapes Partnership fund.

The deadline for bids is today (FRI) for bids from partnerships of local, regional and national organisations to help conserve areas of distinctive landscape across the UK.

However, the HLF funding process is a two-stage process: if this first stage of the bid is successful, then a further phase of development work will be needed before schemes could be implemented on the ground in 2016.

Organisations can bid for funds of between £100,000 and £3m from across the UK for projects to run for around five years, and the county council has confirmed it is bidding for the maximum available.

Nottinghamshire County Council currently manages

Sherwood Forest National Nature Reserve, which is a site of special scientific interest and is home to the legendary Major Oak.

But the bid for Landscapes Partnership funding would support projects in a wider area – 200 square kilometres of land covered by Sherwood Forest, and managed by a range of public and private landowners.

The Sherwood Forest Landscape Partnership bid has been put together by a growing partnership of organisations from the heritage, conservation and community sectors. (See further information).

Sally Gill, Group Manager for Planning at Nottinghamshire County Council said: "We already work very closely with a range of agencies to conserve Sherwood Forest and it makes sense to make an application.

"It is very early stages, but thanks to some hard work by many partners, we have made an application today. If ultimately successful in this application process, it will offer great opportunities for local people to find out more about the heritage of Sherwood Forest."

There are nine specific criteria that successful HLF schemes will need to meet to stand a chance of success:

With investment, heritage would be:

- better managed
- in better condition
- identified/recorded

People would have:

- developed skills
- learnt about heritage
- volunteered time

Communities would see:

- environmental impacts reduced
- more people and a wider range of people would be engaged with heritage
- their local area become a better place to live, work and visit.

First round applications had to be made by today and the result of the first round will be known in October.

Successful bidders will then be invited to apply for a second stage to develop their bid with more details – depending on the complexity of scheme proposals this could take a further two years.

Local Heritage Lottery Funds in each area of the country will then made final decisions on each of the applications. Work could begin on successful schemes in 2016. Read more here: www.hlf.org.uk/aboutus/

FURTHER INFORMATION:

A wide range of organisations has been involved in developing the Sherwood Forest Landscape Partnership bid, including:

- Ashfield District Council
- Bassetlaw District Council
- Edwinstowe Parish Council
- The Environment Agency
- Experience Nottinghamshire
- Forest Town Nature Conservation
- Group
- The Friends of Moor Pond Wood
- Greenwood Partnership
- Groundwork Cresswell, Ashfield and Mansfield
- Mansfield District Council
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Our Tuesday and Friday Forest Sessions run 9:30 to 12 noon and 12:30 to 3:30

These "Award Winning" sessions are aimed at children 3 years + and take place outdoors. The children are allowed to explore the wonderful environment in which we live. We provide weatherproof outfits, allowing the children to puddle jump and get muddy.

Children aged 3+ are eligible for 15 hours government funded childcare.

**Don't forget we also run Parent and
Toddlers on Tuesdays and Fridays
9:30 till 11:00 in The Village Hall**

For more information, contact us on
07989 892831

or pop in and speak to a member of staff or committee.

Edwinstowe Cricket Club Senior & Junior Fixtures 2013



14/4/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Shirebrook CC - 2nd XI
21/4/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Spital CC - 1st XI
27/4/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Blidworth CWCC - 1st XI
27/4/2013	Thoresby Park CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
28/4/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Eastwood Town CC - Sunday XI
4/5/2013	Clumber Park CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
4/5/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Kiveton Park CCC - 2nd XI
5/5/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	The Wednesday CC - 1st XI
11/5/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Whitwell CC - 1st XI
11/5/2013	Killamarsh Juniors CC - 2nd XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
12/5/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Selston TCC
12/5/2013	Sheffield Collegiate CC	vs	Sunday 1st XI
18/5/2013	Killamarsh Juniors CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
18/5/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Bawtry CC - 1st XI
19/5/2013	Ashover CC	vs	Sunday 1st XI
19/5/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Nomads CC - Sunday 1st XI
25/5/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Papplewick & Linby CC - 2nd XI
25/5/2013	Wadworth CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
26/5/2013	Spital CC - 1st XI	vs	Sunday 1st XI
26/5/2013	Shirebrook CC - 2nd XI	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
27/5/2013	Wiseton CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
27/5/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Teversal CC - 1st XI
1/6/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Everton CC - 1st XI
1/6/2013	Mansfield & Pleasley CC - 2nd XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
2/6/2013	Anston CC - Womens 1st XI	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
2/6/2013	Eastwood Town CC - Sunday XI	vs	Sunday 1st XI
8/6/2013	West Indian Cavaliers CC - 2nd XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
8/6/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Waleswood Sports CC - 1st XI
9/6/2013	Millhouses Works CC	vs	Sunday 1st XI
9/6/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Welbeck CCC - Sunday 3rd XI
15/6/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Caythorpe CC - 2nd XI
15/6/2013	Retford CC - 2nd XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
16/6/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Frenchville Community CC - 3rd XI
16/6/2013	Eastwood Town CC - 2nd XI	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
22/6/2013	Firbeck CCC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
22/6/2013	Lea Park CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
23/6/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Grassmoor Works CC
23/6/2013	The Wednesday CC - Sunday 1st XI	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
29/6/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Welbeck CCC - 3rd XI
30/6/2013	Sheffield Transport CC	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
6/7/2013	Blidworth CCC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
6/7/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Thoresby Park CC - 1st XI
7/7/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Welbeck CCC - Sunday 2nd XI
13/7/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Clumber Park CC - 1st XI
13/7/2013	Kiveton Park CC - 2nd XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
14/7/2013	Grassmoor Works CC	vs	Sunday 1st XI
14/7/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Anston CC - Womens 1st XI
20/7/2013	Whitwell CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
20/7/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Killamarsh Juniors CC - 2nd XI
21/7/2013	Selston TCC	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
21/7/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Sheffield Collegiate CC
27/7/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Killamarsh Juniors CC - 1st XI
27/7/2013	Bawtry CC	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
28/7/2013	Nomads CC	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
28/7/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Ashover CC -
3/8/2013	Papplewick & Linby CC - 2nd XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
3/8/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Wadworth CC - 1st XI
4/8/2013	Coal Aston CC	vs	Sunday 1st XI
4/8/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Kiveton Park CCC
10/8/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Wiseton CC - 1st XI
10/8/2013	Teversal CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
17/8/2013	Everton CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
17/8/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Mansfield & Pleasley CC - 2nd XI
18/8/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Millhouses Works CC
18/8/2013	Welbeck CCC - Sunday 3rd XI	vs	Sunday 2nd XI
24/8/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	West Indian Cavaliers CC - 2nd XI
24/8/2013	Waleswood Sports CC - 1st XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
25/8/2013	Frenchville Community CC - 3rd XI	vs	Sunday 1st XI

25/8/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Eastwood TCC - Sunday 2nd XI
26/8/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Lea Park CC - 1st XI
31/8/2013	Caythorpe CC - 2nd XI	vs	Saturday 1st XI
31/8/2013	Saturday 2nd XI	vs	Retford CC - 2nd XI
1/9/2013	Kiveton Park CC - Sunday XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
1/9/2013	Welbeck CCC - Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Sunday 1st XI
7/9/2013	Saturday 1st XI	vs	Firbeck CCC - 1st XI
8/9/2013	Sunday 1st XI	vs	Coal Aston CC
14/9/2013	Welbeck CCC - 3rd XI	vs	Saturday 2nd XI
15/9/2013	Sunday 2nd XI	vs	Sheffield Transport CC

Under 11			
17/04/2013	Thoresby Col.	vs	Edwinstowe
26/04/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Blyth
30/04/2013	Woodsetts	vs	Edwinstowe
05/05/2013	Cup week	vs	
17/05/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Clumber Park
20/05/2013	Bawtry	vs	Edwinstowe
31/05/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Anston Boys
07/06/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Kiveton Park
11/06/2013	Ordsall Bridon	vs	Edwinstowe
21/06/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Aston Hall 'Red'
26/06/2013	Anston Girls	vs	Edwinstowe
05/07/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Aston Hall 'Blue'
08/07/2013	Milton	vs	Edwinstowe
19/07/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Firbeck

Under 13			
14/04/2013	Clumber Park	vs	Edwinstowe
24/04/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Bye
30/04/2013	Thoresby Col.	vs	Edwinstowe
15/05/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Milton
22/05/2013	Welbeck Col.	vs	Edwinstowe
26/05/2013	Misterton	vs	Edwinstowe
05/06/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Blyth
14/06/2013	Bawtry	vs	Edwinstowe
19/06/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Ordsall Bridon

Under 17			
10/06/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Thoresby Col.
17/06/2013	Welbeck Col.	vs	Edwinstowe
24/06/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Retford
01/07/2013	Clumber Park 'B'	vs	Edwinstowe
08/07/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Whitwell
15/07/2013	Killamarsh	vs	Edwinstowe
22/07/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Ordsall Bridon
29/07/2013	Worksop	vs	Edwinstowe
07/08/2013	Clumber Park 'A'	vs	Edwinstowe
12/08/2013	Edwinstowe	vs	Anston
19/08/2013	Kiveton Park	vs	Edwinstowe

Edwinstowe Fire Station

Following a fire cover review of all the resources of Nottinghamshire Fire and Rescue Service it was decided that Edwinstowe Fire Station should be converted from a Retained (part-time) Station to a full time Station Crewed 24 hrs a day, 7 days a week. This has meant undertaking significant building works to accommodate the crews. These as you will no doubt be able to see are on-going at the moment. Edwinstowe is geographically ideally situated for a full time appliance for the county especially considering the major road network which passes through or close to the area.

The alterations to the fabric of the Station include improved and bigger areas for kit storage, new shower and toilet facilities for both male and female Firefighters, new kitchen facilities and purpose built training facilities both inside and out for practical and theoretical training.

Once the alterations are complete we fully intend to have a big open day for the local community to come and visit us and have a look around their Fire Station. In the meantime if anyone needs any fire safety advice or a free home safety check please feel free to pop down to the Station and we will be happy to help.

(PS. the portacabins at the front of the Station are purely temporary showers and toilets and will be removed on completion of the building works)

Kind Regards, Nick Hopkins.
(Edwinstowe Fire Station Commander)



Summer Events at Sherwood Pines Forest



Bushcraft for Families. Friday 2nd Aug Sherwood Pines Forest, 10am - 3pm, £12.50 per person.

Join the rangers for a day of bushcraft activities in the woods. Learn shelter building and fire lighting techniques and have a go at a forest craft. Children must be 6+. Booking essential. To find out more or to book a place please contact Karina on 01623 821459 or email karina.thornton@forestry.gov.uk

Traditional Arrow Making. Saturday 3rd Aug Sherwood Pines Forest., 10am - 3:30pm £15 per person.

Join Fletcher & Archer, Trevor Lilley, to learn how to make a traditional wooden shafted arrow. Using hand techniques, a little skill and few tools you will build an arrow to shoot later in the day. From how to select materials, fletch, attach arrow heads- historical and modern. With one-to-one tuition and demonstrations throughout the day there is plenty of time to complete and take your arrow home. This course is for beginners and those with no prior experience of archery. Suitable for adults and families with children 11+. Booking essential. To find out more or to book a place please contact Karina on 01623 821459 or email karina.thornton@forestry.gov.uk

Summer Holiday Fun, Shelter Building. Every Tuesday in August - 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th Sherwood Pines Forest. 10am - 12noon. £5 per person.

Can you build a shelter out of just forest materials? Join the rangers to have a go. Children must be 5+. Booking essential. To find out more or to book a place please contact Karina on 01623 821459 or email karina.thornton@forestry.gov.uk

Summer Holiday Fun, Pond Dipping. Every Tuesday in August - 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th Sherwood Pines Forest. 10am - 12noon. £5 per person.

Ever wondered what lives in the forest ponds? Join the rangers to find out more about the bugs and beasties of the not so deep. Children must be 5+. Booking essential. To find out more or to book a place please contact Karina on 01623 821459 or email karina.thornton@forestry.gov.uk

Overnight Bushcraft For Families 4pm on Friday 9th - 11am on Saturday 10th August Sherwood Pines Forest. £40 per person.

Could you survive a night in the woods? Join the rangers at Sherwood Pines to find out. Build your own shelter to sleep in using forest materials, learn some fire lighting techniques and cook your dinner on the open fire. Children must be 8+. Booking essential. To find out more or to book a place please contact Karina on 01623 821459 or email karina.thornton@forestry.gov.uk



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Lansbury Road to be resurfaced at long last *but East Lane one way is a “no”*

Lansbury Road has Edwinstowe's worst road surface and people have been complaining about it for years. Edwinstowe's County Councillor, John Peck, has been pressing the Highways department to get it done and he has been successful in getting at least one section done. John said: "I'm delighted to have got a promise that the work will be carried out at long last. I'm disappointed not to have got the full length of the road done, as I requested.

However, what is structurally the worst section from Mansfield Road to where the concrete section starts round the bend, will be properly re-surfaced.

This is good news, because this road has been in a poor state for years. I'm determined to make sure Edwinstowe's roads are well looked after."

John did ask why the Highways department are not doing the full length of the road. He was told that the engineers have tested the section from the bend to East Lane and although it visually looks unattractive and has a different sound when driving over it, because it is concrete, it is structurally sound. However, John has put in a request that proper repairs are carried out to that section where necessary.

The Parish Council had requested that East Lane be made one way from the High Street end to Lansbury Road. A survey was carried out which found the overwhelming majority of residents were in favour. Previous Parish Councils have made the same request and been turned down and the answer from the Highways Department is still a firm "no". The reasons they give include:

- *Some motorists, knowing there would be no oncoming traffic, would be tempted to drive round the bend much faster, putting any pedestrians crossing the road in danger*
- *There is no record of an accident since 1994*
- *Many residents would have to drive a considerable extra distance and there would be extra traffic pressures on West Lane*

However, the Highways Department have made one concession and agreed to put up extra warning signs.

What's happening at Thoresby Park this Summer?

Theatre- The Clumber Players are performing 'The Tempest' from Wednesday 3rd July to Saturday 6th July in Thoresby Riding Hall. Tickets are full price at £10 with concessions are £8. Tickets are now on sale for Burlington Jazz concert of jazz standards and popular songs, which takes place on Saturday 14th September at 7.30pm in The Riding Hall.



Art- Artability is a showcase of The Heritage of Portland College with student works inspired by the Portland College Collection. The exhibition continues from Friday 5th to Sunday 29th July.



Learning- 'Tea and Talk' sessions on the history of Thoresby and Painting through the eyes of Countess Manvers are still available for groups through advanced booking.

To book tickets and for full details of all events:

**www.thoresbycourtyard.com
01623 822009**

Edwinstowe Hospice Support Group

Help us to achieve a major milestone target! Having raised £93,432 so far we are excited to foresee reaching a milestone target of £100,000 within the next two years.

During 2013 our continuing fundraising for the John Eastwood Hospice has seen two coffee mornings being held in the Village Hall in February and May. The first raised £384 whilst the second, which included our popular Plant Sale, gave us £483. We are also indebted to Jean and Bryan Frettsome who, with Tracey and Jason Wilson, also continue to raise money for our group.

The money raised goes to the Hospice Trust which is responsible for the fabric of the building and all the fixtures, fittings and voluntary services which keep the care of both in-patients and day-patients to the highest of standards. It costs approximately £450,000 each year to support palliative services in the area served by the John Eastwood Hospice but this year sees an even tougher challenge as the hospice roof needs replacing at a cost of £220,000!

Thus the continued support of our regular patrons and donors is not only very gratifying for us but also very necessary as is the number of helpers willing to give their time to assist at our events.

So we look forward to you supporting our future event stalls and coffee mornings to bring our target ever nearer.

Thank you again for your continued support.
Phil Robinson



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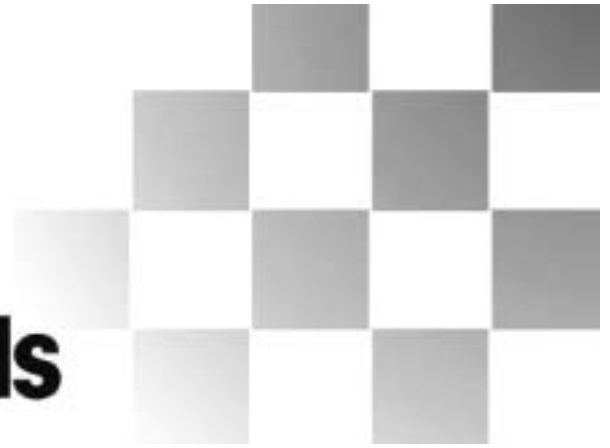
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safer neighbourhoods



Dear All

We would like to make you aware that the Edwinstowe Safer Neighbourhood Team conducted several Police Check Points in the Edwinstowe area this was due to 33 people dying on Nottinghamshire roads and over 500 people being seriously injured in 2012. Analysis of the crashes reveals the main causes to be the fatal 4 + 1 which are speed, non compliance with seat belts, using mobile devices whilst driving, drink driving and careless driving.

From previous campaigns in 2011 and 2012 we can see clear evidence that when Nottinghamshire Police robustly and visibly enforce these offences the number of collisions goes down. Nottinghamshire Police's ambition is to drive down road collisions by strict and highly

visible enforcement of the fatal 4.

In May 2013 your local Safer Neighbourhood Team conducted two police check points with the following results.

Rufford Road, Edwinstowe:

Fifteen drivers/passengers stopped for non compliance of seat belts and three drivers stopped for driving over the national speed limit. Further check points will be conducted in the coming weeks.

Thanks

PCSO 7455 Laura Bowditch and PC 2380 Ian Appleby.

Edwinstowe Business Forum What would bring you to Edwinstowe village?

In recent months there has been considerable discussion as to what Edwinstowe residents don't want to see trading on the High Street and in surrounding business premises. What is more of a difficult question to answer is what would you like to see available that would bring you to Edwinstowe village to do your shopping.

Any business community needs a good balance between essential and non-essential services to ensure it thrives and survives. For a small rural environment this is of even greater importance. But we need to know what you want before this can be put to those who can make a difference.

Bearing in mind the challenges faced by retail business through slow economic growth and internet shopping, have a think about what would make the village an exciting, vibrant place in which to spend your hard-earned money and next time you visit let the traders know your thoughts. It has to be realistic and viable to ensure empty premises do not become a fixture but with the ideas of a whole village to call on there's a better chance the difficult question of 'what' will be answered.

Edwinstowe Business Forum is building strong links with all organisations that have an impact on living and working here. It is open to all businesses operating in the village locality. If you want your voice heard, or just want to know what's going on, join us. More details are available by emailing julesjlorenz@yahoo.co.uk

Julie Jackson Lorenz
Edwinstowe Business Forum

Tackling Crime - A Community Problem

Tackling crime is not just a Police matter. If you are unfortunate enough to be a victim of a serious crime or acts of anti-social behaviour you understand the value of having a responsive and effective Police Force. But this isn't the end of it.

In 1998 the Crime and Disorder Act was enacted which placed a legal obligation on the District Council, the Police and the County Council to work together to address crime and disorder issues throughout the District. As a result of this the Bassetlaw and Newark and Sherwood Community Safety Partnership was developed to encourage communities, among other things, to establish Safer Neighbourhood Groups. The purpose of these groups is to work in partnership with agencies such as the Police, District Council, and the County Council. A significant role is played by members of the community and groups to identify priorities on estates and in villages that affect residents at a local level and provide resources to combat those issues. This can be anything from parking problems, vehicle nuisance (such as speeding), vandalism, graffiti and even issues such as dog mess. In short, issues which can affect anyone.

The Police work closely with the Bassetlaw and Newark and Sherwood Community Safety Partnership, made up of statutory and non-statutory agencies from across the District. These include the Fire Service, ASB Team, Housing Providers and Landlords, Targeted Support Agencies, County Council and Victim Support among others. The purpose of this is to tackle problems together and to ensure that information is shared appropriately to resolve issues. This helps to formulate plans which all agencies use to focus their resources on.

There is however, a role for the individual in this. Agencies rely on intelligence from you. We want to hear from the person who spots the mini moto riding in their street, that identifies the group of people damaging a fence or spraying foul words or phrases onto buildings. We would never suggest that you tackle these people up front yourself. Your safety is important but we want to know what you have seen.

We have all been angered by actions of others that are sometimes criminal but mostly anti-social and we would encourage you to report matters such as this. Either come along to the next Safer Neighbourhood Group to discuss your problem in an open forum (The group meet every two months and all are welcome – contact the Parish Council for more details), or if you would prefer, and the matter is a criminal matter contact the Police on 101. If the matter is one of noise then contact Environmental Health on 01636 650000 or for anti-social behaviour contact either your landlord (if in social housing) or the District's Anti-Social Behaviour Team on 01636 655698.

Edwinstowe Leisure Painters and Ossington Hut Art Groups Exhibition 4th/5th May 2013.

Our two day exhibition was a first time collaboration between two art groups at Edwinstowe Village Hall.

The space was very well utilised and there was many different painting styles to appeal to every taste. We had a fund raising tombola and bookstall and many home baked cakes and refreshments which covered our expenses and a small profit for each art group.

We must thank everyone who worked so hard to make this event a real success and an enjoyable two days. Very special thanks to Pat Bamford who helped with the planning and posters and organising stalls etc after recovering from a recent hip-op.

Pat also received a vote of thanks and everyone who played their part giving of their time and efforts at our last meeting before the Summer break.

Edwinstowe Art Group meets up again on Monday 9th September at 2.00pm in the Village Hall. We have lots of space and new members of all abilities are always welcome to join us.

We are hoping to arrange another coach trip in the autumn term as last years trip to Brimham Rocks and Skipton was a lovely memorable day.

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From Revd Tony Evans

Priest in Charge of St Mary's Edwinstowe
(and Perlethorpe and Clipstone)

This summer may seem a little flat, especially if the weather does not improve!

After last year's Olympic and Paralympic celebrations even Wimbledon and the Aussie test matches may not reach the heights of last year in East London. And then of course there was the Olympic torch coming through the village- and the rain!

As human beings we need times of festival and celebration. So on 7 July we remember the festival of Archbishop Thomas Becket of Canterbury who died in 1170 (it can also be held on 29 December).

In St Mary's church we have a carved head of Thomas Becket; it stares across the church to another carved head. This one is of King Henry II. Once a friend of Becket he was in some way implicated in his death. So as a penance he had stone churches built, perhaps even our St Mary's, replacing the older perhaps largely wooden

churches that were here since King Edwin died in 633. The stone mason's earthy sense of humour perhaps.

We have another festival in the autumn. 12 October is King Edwin's Day. This is said to be the day King Edwin died and was buried, many now believe, in the forest nearby. From then our village grew.

There will be lots of festivals around the country over these summer months. There is our own Robin Hood Festival in August.

The village is beginning to look festive with the hanging baskets and flags. You may have special times of celebration and coming together for your families and friends; birthdays, baptisms, weddings, summer parties for the fun of it.

As Christians together in this place we see in Jesus that God blesses all festivals done in a good spirit and to bring people and their community together to celebrate the love and care we are to have one of another.

May God bless all our festivities this summer.

Tony Evans

Edwinstowe Village Hall Management Committee

New rates starting 01.01.13

Occasional Users:	£7.50 per hour
Children's Parties:	£10.50 per hour
Christenings:	£10.50 per hour
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Contact for Lettings:

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 Telephone: 07594 460846
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 edwinstowe.pc@btconnect.com

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Regular users of Edwinstowe Village Hall

DAY	USER	TIME
Monday	Playgroup	9.00am - 12.00pm
	Art Class	2.00pm - 4.00pm
	Beavers/Cubs/Scouts	5.00pm - 9.00pm
Tuesday	Parent/Toddler	9.30am - 11.00am
	Social Services	1.00pm - 3.00pm
	Flower Club alt weeks	6.30pm - 10.00am
	Flower Club alt weeks	7.00pm - 9.00pm
Wednesday	Playgroup	9.00am - 12.00pm
	Card & Craft	1.00pm - 4.00pm
	Weight Watchers	6.00am - 7.00am
	Tai-Chi	8.00pm - 10.00pm
Thursday	Playgroup	9.00am - 12.00pm
	Flower Arranging	1.30pm - 3.00pm
	Karate	5.45pm - 6.45pm
	Zumba	7.15pm - 7.45pm
Friday	Parent/Toddler	9.30am - 11.00am
	O'dwyer Academy of Irish Dancing	4.30pm - 5.30pm
Thursday	Church Group	5.45pm - 8.15pm

PLAYGROUP & TODDLERS-
CLOSED DURING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

BEAVERS/CUBS/SCOUTS-
CLOSED DURING SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



St Mary's Church Rooms

Mansfield Road, Edwinstowe, Mansfield, Notts

email rooms@stmaryt.org

Bookings – Wendy Stirland, Village Exchange, High Street, Edwinstowe

07840 435796



DAY	USER	TIME
Monday	Aerobics	9.30am
	Pilates	10.45am
	Aerobics	7.00pm
Tuesday	Salsacise	7.00pm
Wednesday	Cuppa & Chat	10.30am
	Chinese Painting	2.00pm
	Martial Arts	9.00pm
Thursday	Rainbows	4.30am
	Guides	7.00pm
Sunday	Karate Class	7.00am

The hundred litre hurdles

The raindrops are gathered in a bunch at the start line now,
anxious for the start of the Hundred Litre Hurdles.
The thunder gun booms and they're off!
Over the first hurdle they go,
The crowd of crows go wild!
as Hail Stone pelts down the track and into the lead.
Close behind is Rain Gauge,
who seems to be collecting his energy ready for the final sprint.
But I don't believe it!
Old Storm Cloud flashes past them all like lightning!
Up comes Hail Stone again,
wait, it's neck and neck!
The wind is screaming in their ears!
The two leaders are approaching the final hurdles,
the dreadful Umbrella Jumps.
Oh! Hail Stone knocks hers down!
Rain Gauge sprints back to the front,
two litres to go now.
But in at the finish by an inch and a half,
it's Lightning McQueen!

By Anna Busby



Rain Drops

The rain shimmering in the moonlight as it drops into my hand
A tiny trickle down my face,
Like a whisker touching me
As the sun rises it lights up the beautiful drops of water creating a bow of colours
But when I close my eyes I imagine the beauty, elegance and the passion in a rain drop
Only if...
Only if I was a Raindrop

By Matthew Baker

School storm

The raindrops are tense,
Ready to storm out of the classroom at the words;
"Class dismissed!"
The children rain down on the lunchboxes,
Soaking the class coming the other way.
Now it's into the line,
PITTER, PATTERN, PAT,
Has the tsunami subsided?
Now they're flooding into the hall,
"Silence!!!!!" roars the head,
The race is finished.
The places are taken.
The hall is a pond.



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FEEDBACK

Let us know what you think of the Village Magazine

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If you would like to submit an article or an advert for the next issue email us at: edwinstowe.pc@btconnect.com for more information.



Have you a birth, death or marriage you wish to announce?

We have been getting a few requests to include such announcements. Therefore, in future editions we are going to have a page for people who wish to announce a birth, death or marriage of Edwinstowe residents. We do not have much room, so we will have to have a strict limit of 50 words maximum (no photographs). We have to set a limit because space is tight and extra pages mean extra printing costs. If you would like to make an announcement in the next edition of Edwinstowe Village News, please email it as a Word document to the Parish Office (edwinstowe.pc@btconnect.com).

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Bude North Cornwall 5 Days 19th – 23rd August
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 Half Board £320pp

23rd June	5 Days	Llandudno Summer Break	£299
1st July	5 Days	Torquay Summer Break – Free Bar	£289
13th July	5 Days	Isle of Man	£388
21st July	6 Days	Eastbourne	£349
3rd Aug	9 Days	Rhine and Moselle River Cruise	£900
26th Aug	5 Days	Weymouth	£268
9th Sep	5 Days	Southern Ireland – All inclusive	£382
18th Sep	10 Days	Highlights of China	£1820
19th Sep	5 Days	Scotland – Perthshire	£270

DAY EXCURSIONS

Sun 16th June	Yarmouth	£22	£21.50
Tues 18th June	National Trust – Calke Abbey	£13.50	£13
Thurs 20th June	Explorer Banbury & Warwick	£16.50	£16
Sun 23rd June	Whitby	£16.50	£16

Tues 25th June	Cotswold Tour in Moreton in Marsh	£16.50	£16
Sun 30th June	Morecombe	£17	£16.50
Tues 2nd July	Beverley & Hull via Humber Bridge	£14	£13.50
Sunday 7th July	Cromer & Sheringham	£18.50	£18
Tues 9th July	Great Yorkshire Show	£33.50	£33
Sun 14th July	Brigg Garden Centre & Cleethorpes	£10.50	£10
Sun 21st July	Skegness	£12	£11.50
Wed 24th July	York Shopping or Sightseeing	£12	£11.50
Sun 28 July	RHS Tatton Park Flower Show	£38	£37
Wed 31st July	National Trust Blickling Estate	£18.50	£18

THEATRE TRIPS

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Sun 24th Nov			
Thursford Christmas Spectacular	£49 All one price		
Sun 24th Nov			
Disney on Ice - Dare to Dream	£33	£32.50	£31
Thurs 12th Dec			
John Rutter Xmas Celebration – Albert Hall	£33 All one price		

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