

Arnesby News Sheet – 18th February 2022

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News Snippets

Lutterworth Community Transport receives funding from the County and District Councils to provide transport services for the residents of the Town and surrounding villages, including Arnesby, who are socially or rurally isolated.

Further information about services and volunteering opportunities is available on the website www.luttct.com

The Phone Box Library door has been repaired and painted. There is spare paint if a volunteer would like to paint the rest of the Phone Box (Library). Volunteers please contact Terry Cane 0780 1643228.

Food Bank - Many thanks, as always, to residents who donate items of food and cleaning materials for the Lutterworth & Villages Food Bank via the boxes in the church porch.

Wigston Magna Community Fridge – Sara Lovett volunteers at the Community Fridge on Long Street, Wigston Magna which aims to fight food waste & landfill and support local people by collecting surplus food from supermarkets, allotments, people, etc. This is then made available to everyone, not just as a food bank but to avoid wasting food. You may have seen on Arnesby WhatsApp that Sara sometimes brings leftover items, usually perishable items near their sell-by date, on a Thurs/Fri which are left outside her house at 9 The Bank for any villagers to take.

Arnesby Annual Litter Pick - Sat 12th March 10am – 12 noon We are planning the annual litter pick around the village and on local roads into Arnesby. Please meet at the Village Hall at 10am wearing old clothes, gloves & fluorescent jackets (if you have one). Light Refreshments available.

No litter pick if it is very wet – just **Swap Shop and Coffee**, with all welcome to come & exchange books, DVDs, puzzles.

Wheelie Bin Collections & Recycling Sites

Please put bins out the evening before or by 7am on the day

Black bins

- Fri 18th Feb, Fri 4th March, Fri 18th March

Blue bins

- Blue - Fri 25th Feb, Fri 11th March, Fri 25th March

Green bin collections restart on Fri 11th March 2022

- Green – Fri 11th March, Fri 25th March

- You can now pay your new subscription (£55 per bin) for collections from April – Nov and March next year.

- For more information and to subscribe, go to:

www.harborough.gov.uk/green-bin

Recycling & Household Waste Sites

9am–4pm (November - March) No booking needed.

- **Kibworth closed until November 2022**

- Oadby/Wigston – Mon, Tues, Weds, Sat, Sun

- Whetstone – Mon, Thurs, Fri, Sat, Sun

- Market Harborough – Mon, Tues, Weds, Sat, Sun

Arnesby Cricket Matches – New players always welcome

After last year's successful restart of Arnesby cricket we have lined up 3 local matches, all start at 1pm.

22 May - Arnesby vs Fleckney

31 July – Arnesby vs Laughton and Mowsley

11 Sept – Arnesby vs Gumley

Contact Neil Terry, tel: 07377 132873 email: neil@iesg.co.uk

or David Hogg, Sunnysdene, tel: 0744 325 9928

for details and with your availability.

Dates for your Diary

When	What / Where	For more information
Mon 21 st Feb at 7.30pm	Book Club - "Call for the Dead" by John Le Carré at Cambridge House	Sue Spriggs: 0116 2478559
Wed 23 rd Feb at 7.30pm	Film in Village Hall (free): "The Water Diviner" – Russell Crowe searches for his sons lost at Gallipoli	Sue Spriggs 0116 2478559
Wed 2 nd March at 7.30pm	WI – Tales from a Snake Charmer and Fire Eater. Note: in Shearsby Village Hall. All welcome £4	Gina Ward: 0116 2478888
Sat 5 th March 9am – 1pm	Roaming Artisan – Pop-up farm shop in Village Hall	www.theroamingartisan.co.uk
Tues 8 th March at 7.30pm	Film in Village Hall (free): "The 100ft Journey" – Helen Mirren runs a restaurant in France, when an Indian family open up in opposition.	Sue Spriggs 0116 2478559
Wed 9 th March	Copy Deadline for items for next News Sheet.	Monica Dowson: 0116 2478296
Weds 9 th , 16 th , 23 rd March - 2pm	Craft Club – in Village Hall. £2.50 incl. refreshments.	Ann Miksza: 0116 2478910
Sat 12 th March 10am – 12 noon	Let's Clean Up Arnesby – Annual litter pick - meet at Village Hall wearing old clothes & gloves.	Brian Spriggs: 0116 2478559
Sat 12 th March 10am – 12 noon	Swap Shop – in Village Hall. Light refreshments. £1 All welcome to come & exchange books, DVDs, puzzles.	Sue Spriggs: 0116 2478559
Tues 15 th Mar 10.35am-11.05am	Mobile Library – near village green on St Peter's Road	lutterworthlibrary@leics.gov.uk
Tues 15 th March at 7.30pm	Parish Council Meeting – in Village Hall	Terry Cane: 0116 2478136

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RIP Rosemary Wallace

Rosemary Wallace died on 9th February aged 89. When she was at school, Rosemary played hockey for Leicestershire. After school she worked as a hairdresser, then in a clock shop & in hosiery. Rosemary married Carl in 1975 and came to live with him on The Bank before they moved to their new house in Chestnut Lane. She worshipped at St Peter's & helped with Church flowers. Her funeral is yet to be arranged

Arnesby Community Space

Thank you to all those who attended the Arnesby community space consultation on 5th February. We have had a really positive response from those who attended.

Taking into account your thoughts and ideas, a proposal for the Community Space has been drawn up. This will be coming through your door over the next couple of weeks. We ask that you take a moment to submit your vote to the proposed scheme and return it to the box outside the village hall by 5th March.

Many thanks from Zandra Byatt and team.

Welcome to Arnesby

A warm welcome to Fiona who has moved into Bumble Bee Cottage on St Peter's Road. And to the family who have moved into Flaxhill Bungalow on the corner of Fleckney Lane.

New Baby

Congratulations to Wendy and Luke Tippetts on the birth of their baby boy.

St Peter's Church

Compline (Night Prayer) is a short service of quietness and reflection at the end of the day. Services will be held in St Peter's Church Arnesby on Mondays throughout March.

Please join us for this short contemplative service at **7pm on Mondays in March (7th, 14th, 21st, 28th) and 4th April.** Please note the change of weekday from previous years.

School Service – Thurs 10th March at 1.15pm

Mothering Sunday – 27th March – Service at 10.30am in the church. All families are welcome – children at the service will be given a bunch of flowers for their mother.

Volunteers needed, please

Once again, we hope to open & close St Peter's Church every day from April to October 2022

If you live near to the Church, or just like the idea of a morning & evening stroll, please contact Brian or Sue Spriggs, stating which weeks you are free. 0116 2478559 suespriggs@btinternet.com Thank you.

St Peter's rewiring

Our recent electrical survey showed that the church needs to be rewired. Expect activity at the Church once we have raised enough money to pay for it!

Brian Spriggs (Churchwarden)

For your Diary - St Peter's Church Spring Garden Fete

Saturday 21st May 2022 at 2pm - 4pm in Cambridge House Garden

The Roaming Artisan is visiting Arnesby Village Hall on Saturday 5th March - 9am – 1pm

Pop-up Village Store selling locally produced: Cheese; Bread; Charcuterie; Sauces; Confectionery; Preserves; Condiments; Wine; Beer; Freshly Cooked Savoury & Sweet Items; Coffee & more - all from Leics/Northants Producers. Card payments only / No cash See www.theroamingartisan.co.uk

Free Taster Session

Traditional Shotokan Karate
6.15 pm on Fridays @ Arnesby Village Hall
All ages welcome from 5 to 105
From beginners to black belts



Contact Sensei Tim for more information or to pre book your space; email | tim.wood4.tw@gmail.com call, text or whatsapp | 07711 144 853 web site | <https://kokorokaratedojo.com>

Job Vacancy at The Chestnuts, St Peter's Road, Arnesby
We are seeking a Housekeeper to work closely with our Head of Housekeeping & Facilities to deliver the very best, high quality housekeeping and laundry service.

Minimum of 24 hours / week. Rate of Pay £9.50 / hour
For further details please tel: Paul Mudie on 0116 3266704
Or email paul.mudie@stepstogether.rehab

Arnesby Baptist Church (The Chapel)

Sunday - Morning Service at 10.45am in the chapel
Evening Service at 6pm in the chapel

Monday Ladies and Girls Group 7.30-9pm contact Val
Monday Football Training 7pm Behind the chapel, all ages from 14 years to adult are welcome. Fun sessions, no commitment to play in team, floodlit pitch. Contact Joseph Hutton

Evergreens Café – Tuesday 10am – 12 noon

ABC Parent, Baby and Toddler Group -

Wed 10am - 12noon - The Barn & outdoor space.
Contact **Ellie**: 0778 4939781

Thursday Eve Bible Study 7.30-9pm

Friday Explorers 5pm - 6.30pm for school yrs 1-6

Cafe in Barn – Every Friday 2.30pm – 5pm with an extension for Explorers parents.

Saturday Youth Club 7pm - 9pm for school yrs 7+

Saturday 19th March Special – Breakfast Café 10am - 12.30 – to register interest – text 0777 2060245

For further information and updates go to the website at <https://www.arnesbybc.co.uk/> or tel 0116 2478392 or contact Nathan Ling on 0741 2045856