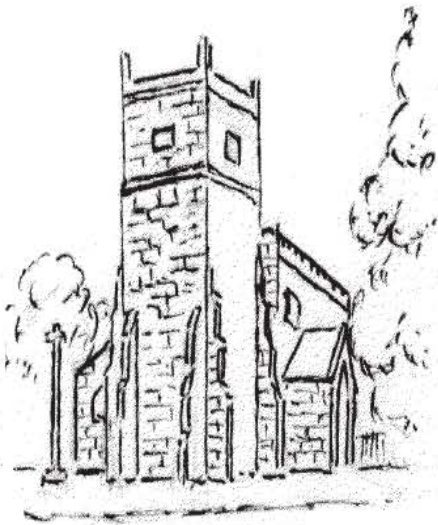
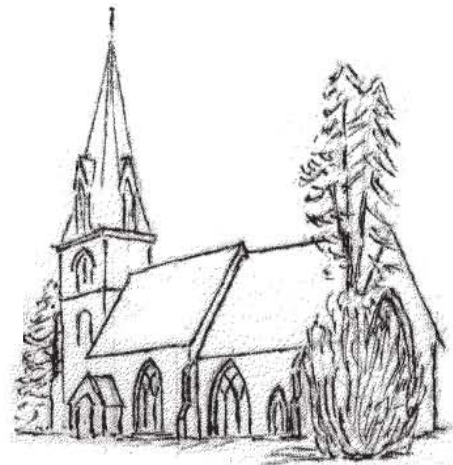


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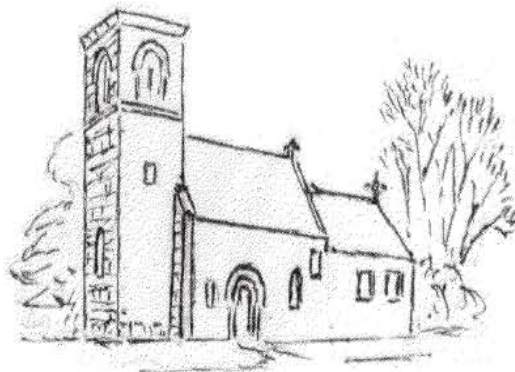
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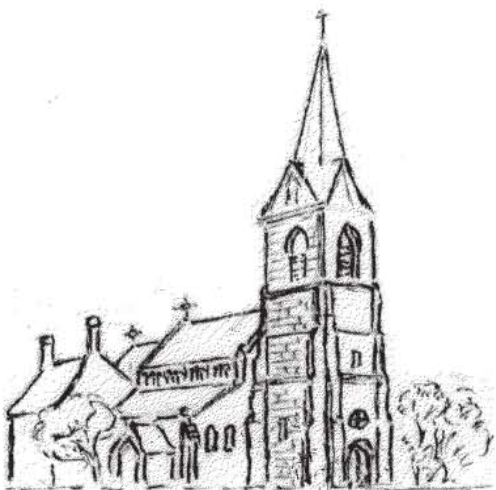
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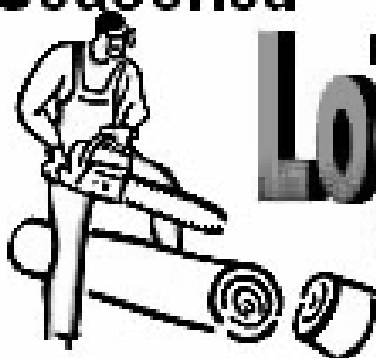
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## Of Light and Life

This edition of the magazine takes us through Advent, Christmas and into the New Year. Over the coming weeks, Christmas decorations will start to appear in our homes and villages. There are many traditions surrounding this time of year. Of course, with darker nights, the use of candles and lights brings a festive and familiar atmosphere.

At this time of year, I love to read again, the poetic words from the beginning of the gospel of St John.

*“In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God...”*

*Words that talk about the part Christ played in the creation of this world; words that talk about Christ coming as a light into this world.*

*“The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world...”*

Light is a broad and powerful metaphor. Later in the same gospel, reinforcing the theme, Jesus is recorded as saying “I am the light of the world...”. On December 21<sup>st</sup>, we pass through the winter solstice, the shortest day of the year as the Sun reaches its most southerly declination. In these darker winter months, by its absence, we are reminded of the importance of light and the part it plays in nurturing, sustaining and guiding life.

This Christmas as we celebrate and think again about Christ coming into this world, I pray that each of us will be aware of His light in our lives; nurturing, sustaining and guiding us.

Wishing you God's blessing,

*Andy*

Revd Andy Larkin

<i>Copy Deadline for February Magazine: 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2011</i>
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## Sheena Bryden

Many of you will know our Reader Sheena Bryden. She has ministered in our Benefice over a number of years, serving on the PCC at Parwich and with particular responsibility, in recent times, for the church family service at Tissington. Sheena has felt for some time, that God is calling her to exercise her ministry in the Ashbourne Benefice (where she lives). The Diocese has considered this and has decided to grant her request. The date set by the Diocese for Sheena's transfer is the end of November, which doesn't give us time to say a proper thank you and good bye. Therefore, we will say good bye to Sheena during our 11am service at Parwich on January 30<sup>th</sup>. I'm sure you all join me in thanking Sheena for her ministry in the Benefice and in praying for her through this time of transition.

*Revd Andy Larkin*

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January 23rd	Mrs L Woodroffe
January 30th	Mrs C Adams

### Readers

Caroline Gordon and Christine Duffell

We look forward to seeing you at the Carol Service - Sunday 19th December at 7pm.

If you would like to be a reader, please give me a ring.

Our Christmas tree would love some new decorations, too, if you are feeling creative!

CG

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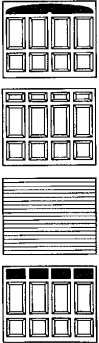
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# Parwich

## A tribute given for the life of Andrew Robinson

I remember very clearly when I first met Andrew outside Parwich church. He and Rachel were visiting, and he told me that when they moved into the village they would very much intend to become fully involved in St Peter's, and that he would hope to serve as a reader there. I realised, moreover, that Andrew must be OK when I saw that he drove an identical middle-aged and unfashionable blue Volvo estate to the one which I had at the time.

Andrew's professional and spiritual qualities soon became evident. I distinctly remember one sermon he preached, on Mark 7.37, in which people said about Jesus, 'He has done all things well'. This summed up Andrew's approach to life and to the Church – he strove for excellence in all that he did, and we could always rely on him to do things well.

I also remember one children's summer holiday club which Andrew planned and led, using a Scripture Union programme called 'Going for gold'. His many years of involvement in sport were a great strength to his contribution to the church and the community, and 'Going for gold' summed up Andrew's readiness to give of his best for others, to set himself challenges, and to push himself so as to achieve good results.

Andrew was a man of care. People would trust him with their problems, knowing that he would always be a source of wise and compassionate advice. This role of his went far beyond just church members. Alongside these pastoral qualities, Andrew knew the importance of humility, of a spirit of service – he was just as ready to play his part in cleaning the church or serving the drinks at Junior Church as to preach a sermon or lead worship

I have heard it said recently that Andrew was 'a true gentleman'. This is indicative of how he was regarded by many, and of the esteem in which he was widely held.

Underlying all of Andrew's qualities, however, he was a man of faith. His deep faith embraced all that he did and all that he was, and helped to make him the person whose life we commemorate today. Now, although this is of course a moment of tremendous sadness, we must also be confident that his faith has found its ultimate reward.

*Christopher Harrison*

**RON BIRCH** (1928-2010) –  
part of the funeral address given by his son, John Birch

Dad thoroughly enjoyed village life here in the beautiful village of Parwich and had done with mum for over fifty - five years. He particularly enjoyed working in "his garage", repairing anything mechanical, welding a multitude of items or simply just making something from nothing.

However, he found himself continually disturbed whilst in "his garage" by a steady flow of people wanting his help and expertise, who would simply ride up through the village on a Grass Track bike, without any suggestion of wearing a helmet and pull up at the garage door, uttering the words "Ron, her inner quite running rate." Whatever he was doing, he would immediately stop, offer his help and more often than not, quickly remedy their problem.

I cannot possibly talk to you all about my father without making reference to one of his favourite and most memorable activities -- Parwich Carnival. For some reason each year, he felt the need to dress up to the extent that some fellow locals didn't even know who it was when he came meandering down the main street to join the annual parade.

A lot of you here today will have your own particular recollection of his outfits, which included Steptoe and Son, which he did on a



horse and cart, with Albert Wilson, accompanied by the theme tune on a gramophone ; and one in particular that I recall, which involved him strapping a full size pillow to his chest and totally covering his face in black boot polish -- yes, he was Idi Amin. The outfit was accompanied by the traditional wise crack notice around his neck and recollect it reading on his front “today Amin “ and on his back “tomorrow Amout!”

This idiotic behaviour in the later years continued, with him feeling a need to participate in village hall theatrical productions, wearing an array of colourful and tight fitting costumes -- Jack Frost springs to mind. I do believe the bottom half of this costume was on loan from Rudolf Nureyev.

Dad's last line of occupation saw him acting as chauffeur for his dear friend Mr. Stanley Thornton. They both travelled all over the country, to view his many shops, especially when a new one opened.

So, I'm sure you've all heard more than enough of me by now, but I would just like to try and catalogue all of the roles he has performed : Drummer; Footballer; Grass Track Racer; Motor Mechanic; Paint Sprayer; Van Driver; Pencil Crayon Artist; Barber; Carnival Parade Performer; Stage Play Actor; Potential Paramedic; Comedian; Welder; Chauffeur; wonderful husband to my lovely mother Ada, loving Grandpa to his two beautiful grandchildren and above all, a fantastic father to me for the last fifty years.



# parwich film

## December Parwich Film Show

Woody, Buzz and the whole gang are back to the big screen as Andy prepares to depart for college and his loyal **toys** tell the **story** and find themselves in... daycare! These untamed tots with their sticky little fingers do not play nice, so it's all for one and one for all as plans for the great escape get underway. Another winner from the Pixar team, this wonderful animation is sure to delight all ages.

Trailer on <http://disney.go.com/toystory/>

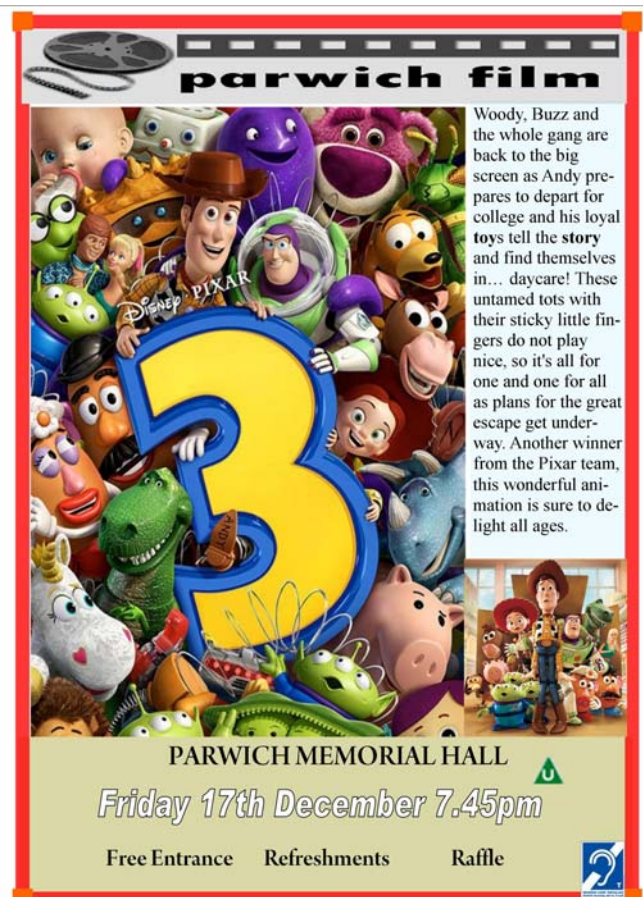
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Events will be regularly updated, but we need the information.

Please email [parwich@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:parwich@hotmail.co.uk) or Jane Bennett at 1 Croft Ave, Parwich

December 2010			
Date	Time	Event	Location
Wed 1st	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates followed by Pilates for the Youth	Memorial Hall
Wed 1st	6.30pm onwards	Blackberry Barn Candles and Gifts	Parwich Legion
Thu 2nd	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Sat 4th	2-5pm	Make Up Made Easy - £5 tickets includes refreshments in aid of Maire Cure Cancer Care	Memorial Hall
Sun 5th	11am	Mattins	Parwich Church
Wed 8th	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates followed by Pilates for the Youth	Memorial Hall
Thu 9th	1.30-4pm	Christmas Bonanza	Parwich School
Thu 9th	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Thu 9th	8pm	History Society Christmas Quiz	The Sycamore
Sat 11th	7.30pm	Red Devils	Parwich Legion
Sun 12th	9.30am	Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Parwich Church
Sun 12th	11.15am	Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Alsop Church
Sun 12th	3pm	Music for Christmas followed by coffee and mince pies	Parwich Church
Mon 13th	7.30pm	Safer Neighbourhood Policing Team Meeting – all welcome	Memorial Hall
Tue 14th	2pm & 6pm	School Nativity	
Wed 15th	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates followed by Pilates for the Youth	Memorial Hall
Thu 16th	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Thu 16th	7pm	Carols on the Green with Ashbourne Band	The Green
Fri 17th	7.45pm	Film Night	Memorial Hall
Sat 18th	11-3pm	Christmas Tree Festival	Parwich Church
Sun 19th	4pm	Carol Service-Andy Larkin	Parwich Church
Sun 19th	7pm	Carol Service-Andy Larkin	Alsop Church
Thu 23rd	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Fri 24th	4pm	Crib Service – Andy Larkin	Parwich Church
Fri 24th	8pm	Irish Christmas Eve with Chris Hoolie	Parwich Legion
Fri 24th	11.30pm	Midnight Mass-Andy Larkin	Parwich Church
Sat 25th	9.30am	Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Tissington Church
Sat 25th	11.15am	Family Service & Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Alsop Church
Thu 30th	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall

January 2011			
Date	Time	Event	Location
Sun 2nd	11am	Mattins	Parwich Church
Wed 5th	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates followed by Pilates for the Youth	Memorial Hall
Thu 6th	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Sun 9th	9.30am	Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Parwich Church
Sun 9th	11.15am	Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Alsop Church
Sun 9th	2.30pm	Methodist Service Covenant & Holy Communion	Parwich Church
Tue 11th	7.30pm	Parish Council Meeting	Memorial Hall
Wed 12th	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates followed by Pilates for the Youth	Memorial Hall
Thu 13th	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Fri 14th	7.45pm	Film Night	Memorial Hall
Sun 16th	10am	Family Service-Andy Larkin	Parwich Church
Sun 16th	11.15am	Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Alsop Church
Wed 19th	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates followed by Pilates for the Youth	Memorial Hall
Thu 20th	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Sat 22nd	9-10.45am	Saturday Morning Bulk Rubbish Collection	Parwich
Sun 23rd	9.30am	Holy Communion-Andy Larkin	Parwich Church
Sun 23rd	11.15am	Mattins	Alsop Church
Sun 23rd	2.30pm	Methodist Service	Parwich Church
Wed 26th	6.30pm 7.30pm	Pilates followed by Pilates for the Youth	Memorial Hall
Thu 27th	6pm	Circuit Training	Memorial Hall
Sun 30th	11am	Mattins-Andy Larkin	Parwich Church

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## Update on Green Lane, Pikehall

I recently wrote an article about green lanes and motor vehicles in Parwich parish magazine and on the Parwich website. I now wish to update you on the situation relating to Green Lane, Pikehall.

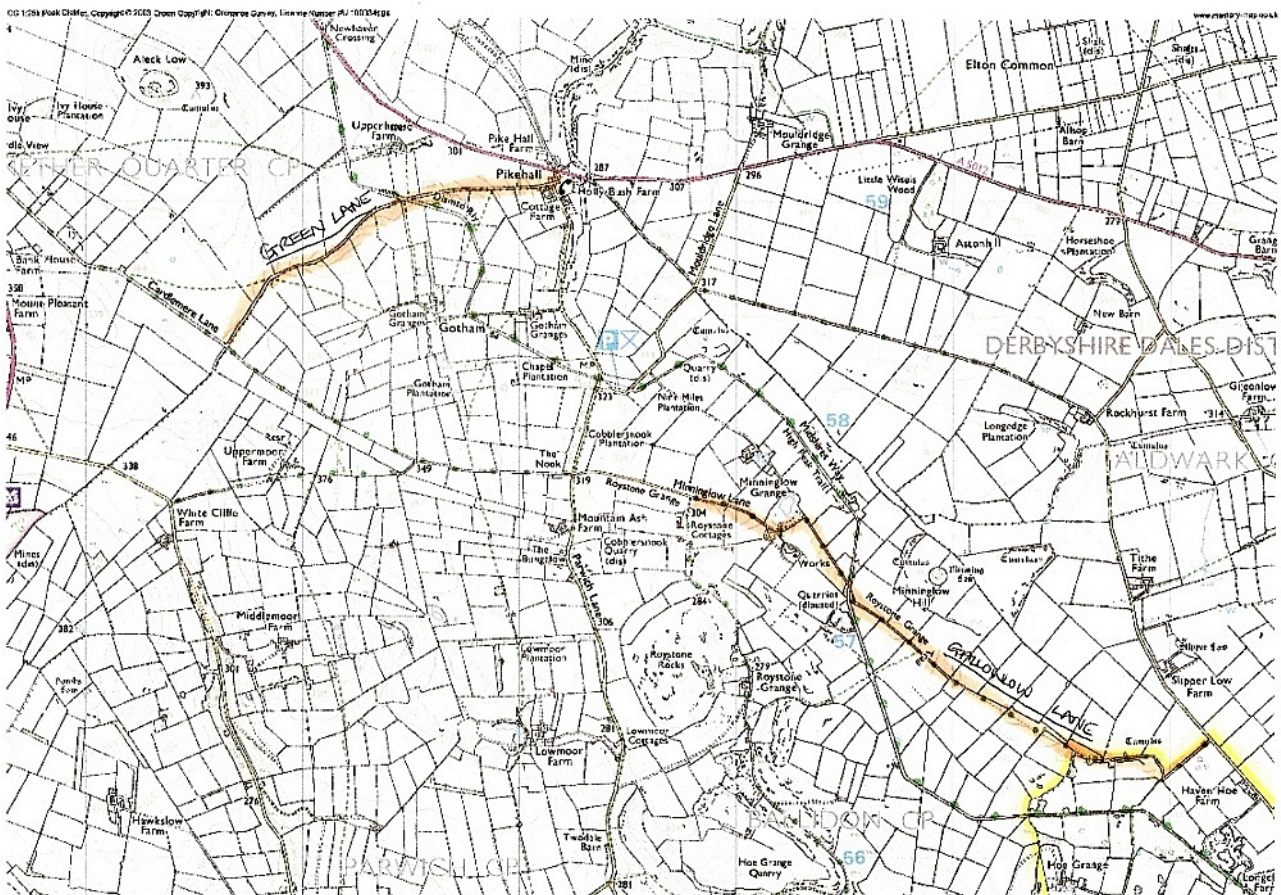
We have recently been informed by Derbyshire County Council that the claim to have this lane registered as a By Way Open to All Traffic (BOAT) has been closed. This means that the status of Green Lane will be unclear for the immediate future **but it can no longer be used by public motor vehicles (excluding mobility scooters).**



Signs will be erected on Green Lane in the near future to state that motor vehicles are not permitted (landowners and tenants with access are still permitted to use the route to access their fields) and we will monitor the situation with vehicle loggers. Should it be necessary we may ask the police to hold an Operation Blackbrook day at Pikehall to help explain to motor vehicle users about the confirmed new status of the route. Please leave any actions and enforcement to the appropriate authorities and bear in mind that this status has only just been confirmed by DCC and vehicle users may well be using the route unaware of the resolution of the routes status at the present time.

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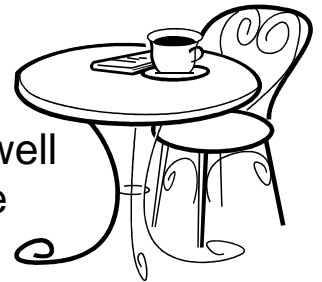
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# Thorpe

## COFFEE MORNINGS



The Coffee Morning on November 10<sup>th</sup> was well attended which was great as Claire Sales had come to represent *Traidcraft* and sell a variety of goods which were plentiful. She has written to say that it was lovely to see everyone again. She was very pleased to report that she had sold **£121.60** worth of Traidcraft goods and received a donation of **£49.00** from us - a total of **£170.60** banked from the morning's event. She thanked us for our continuing support of Traidcraft and Fairtrade.

Our **Christmas Coffee Morning** will be on **Wednesday, December 15<sup>th</sup>**, when we will be serving **Sherry and Mince pies**, as well as coffee or tea, in the Village Hall from **10.30 am to 12 noon** as usual. Any donations will go to the **Salvation Army** to support them in their splendid work at Christmas time. Everyone very welcome – from wherever you might live.

**Future Dates in 2011: Jan 19<sup>th</sup>, Feb 16<sup>th</sup> and March 16<sup>th</sup>** in the Village Hall at the times stated above.

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## DOVEDALE DASH 7.11.2010

What a change from last year. Despite rain during the preceding week and a very dubious weather forecast, both the Saturday and the Sunday of the Dash weekend were fine. Plenty of people arrived on the Pastures on Saturday afternoon to help put up the tent, now in its fourth year, and still surviving. Bob Evans organised the team and it went up smoothly in more-or-less windless conditions. Four ratchet straps held the tent down in case the wind got up. The start and finish were marked out with stakes, tables for signing on set out and an

electric fence put round the whole thing to discourage the cattle from making themselves comfortable.

Job done for Saturday.

Sunday morning was fine and when we arrived Roger Woolley was already blowing fuses as he tried to boil water in three tea urns off one thirteen amp plug. Inevitably, runners started drifting in well before the advertised signing on time of 9:00 am. Things settled down as the signing on team arrived. This year we decided not to charge for car parking so that drivers didn't have to slow down and fumble for their money. Because of this and the dry weather there was no trouble parking and much less queuing on the road. We try to keep the arrangements the same each year. That way there is less scope for things to go wrong. St John Ambulance arrived as usual, led by Phil Lemon saying that it didn't seem like a year since the last Dash. The loudspeaker man and our faithful commentator, Bob Hudson, turned up on time and things began to look a lot busier. Some things do change despite our determination that they should not. Our printer of running numbers went out of business and we had to find another one, discovering when we did it that old numbers were more or less hand printed with wooden blocks. We finally managed to get the finishing certificates printed with finishing positions, so Barbara Wager didn't have to write them on by hand. Three portable toilets were hired to reduce the queues. Small changes that hardly affect the atmosphere of the Dash. There is an old-fashioned flavour to the event, without high tech systems to register the runners and record finishing times. Runners have to record the results for themselves. Many runners seem to appreciate this ambiance as they come year after year. Indeed there are some who have run every year since the early days, though those who can claim to have run in every Dash since 1953 must be getting very thin on the ground.

One thing did catch us out this year when the fine weather brought out about 1450 runners and for the first time we ran out of signing on sheets and finishing certificates. It is nineteen years since we had so many. Despite the number of runners there was little mess, thanks to the fine weather. The following Monday was a different matter as it rained and rained and rained. We hid indoors and thanked our stars that it hadn't been like that on Sunday. At least it washed any mud away.

Our local newspaper is getting less local it seems, and this year they didn't even send a photographer. As a result they borrowed photographs from the public and edited Cyril Challinor's report for a much reduced spread. They failed to

highlight local successes like the first Thorpe runner home – Oliver Sadler, who was also the first under-14 finisher. Well done Oliver – pity about the Stunner!

Another year, another Dash over. Please make a note in your diaries that next year's Dash will be on 6th November 2011, and remember that when booking holidays. Help is always appreciated with the Dash and it is heartening to see how quickly things get sorted out when there are plenty of willing hands. On a weekend like this year it was a pleasure to be out on the Pastures. We are always grateful to everyone who turns out to help and hope that you all enjoyed yourselves.

Cyril Challinor, Bob Evans, Andrew and Barbara Wager have been organising the Dash for twenty-two years now. Phil Lee now organises the parking, and Chris Wainwright is also on the committee, but some more young blood would still be welcome as the oldies get older and need to be replaced. Any volunteers?

*Andrew Wager*

### **DOVEDALE MINI DASH 7.11.10**

This year saw the 2nd Mini Dash for the Under 10's and Under 8 groups, which attracted 33 entrants. The winners were William Barker and Sam Watts respectively, and the winning school was Parkside in Ashbourne, which narrowly beat Ilam, for having the 4 highest placed competitors. Many thanks to the Dovedale Dash committee for their support, and all the helpers on the day.

*Chris Wainwright*

### **DOVEDALE DASH TREASURER'S REPORT**

The Dash has made **£4,995** this year, which is a record. The total funds now stand at £15,450, or thereabouts owing to outstanding invoices. The committee has agreed to offer the village hall most of this money to bring the loos up to date, which would include a loo for the less able bodied, to satisfy at last the requirements of the Disability Act of 2003.

I have gathered together the Dash spending since 1988 and list the figures below in no particular order.

Church	575
Children's Parties	3177
Ilam & Fenny Bentley School projects	1930
Parish Council	450
Sundry one off items	417
Village tidying, incl. Green drainage	1074
Bonfire fireworks	225
Marquee for Dash	875
First Responders	500
Buffets 1988-1990	352
Village Hall	21,527
Total	30,227

The marquee has now paid for itself and has a few years life left in it.

The buffets at the Dog and Partridge were discontinued after grumbles that the money was not being raised to enjoy ourselves.

The schools have asked for help for special projects from time to time, which are still helping to educate Thorpe children.

The Village Hall has soaked up most of the money as you can see. The first major project was the new kitchen in 1992, followed by the new roof on the original hall in 1996 and the new roof on the flat roofed extension in 2009. All of these, and other smaller projects, have been supported by District Council Grants.

New and replacement equipment has ranged from heaters, tables and chairs, crockery and cutlery, curtains, tea urn and cooker to three storage heaters, a resin surface for the old splintery floor and a hearing loop. Repairs have included partial rewiring, window glass replacement and repainting.

The hall insurance has been paid for a lot of years and sometimes the winter electricity bills as well, as hiring fees are never sufficient to keep the hall going.

It is a little difficult to remember how the hall looked 20 years ago, but it was not so bright and well equipped.

I hope people appreciate how the funds have been used.

*Barbara Wager*

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Unapproved minutes

MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THORPE PARISH COUNCIL, HELD ON MONDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER, 2010 AT 7-30PM IN THORPE VILLAGE HALL.

PRESENT     Cllr R. Neilson (in the chair)  
                 Cllrs A. Wager, S. Frith, C.Lomas, A. Wainwright  
                 1 Parishioner, Mrs E. Glanville (Clerk)

679     PUBLIC PARTICIPATION  
                 None

680     APOLOGIES             PCSO Kate Cleveley  
681     DECLARATION OF MEMBERS INTERESTS  
                 None

682     MINUTES  
                 The minutes of the meeting held on 20<sup>th</sup> September were approved & signed by the Chair

683     FINANCE

(i)     Cheques issued/payments approved  
                 Thorpe Village Hall - £283                             chq no. 371  
                 C. Challinor                   - £922-37                             chq no. 372

It was agreed – Clerk to contact Mr C. Challinor for quotes on the village maintenance & tidying of Peveril Hill for 2011/12

(ii)     Monies received  
                 None

(iii)     Bank Statements:-  
                 Treasurers a/c - £1863-45  
                 Business a/c   - £1752-61

(iv)     Precept  
                 After consideration of the estimated expenditure for 2011/12, which included the forthcoming Parish Council Elections & partial cost of the proposed village project, it was unanimously agreed to set the Precept at £3800.

684     PLANNING

                 No applications or updates received

685     VILLAGE PROJECT

                 Confirmation of the grant awarded by Peak Park has been received totalling £900, this being half the cost of the project.

                 Agreed – to contact Carol Ribbon/Martin Burfott for procedure needed to ascertain commencement of the work. Also Contact “Dovedale Dash” Committee & request a donation towards the remaining cost.

686 LAND REGISTRY

Re – Pumphouse plot of land. – agreed – to defer action until April, 2011 when further discussions & a possible decision will be made on whether to register the land as a village green.

687 CORRESPONDENCE

All general correspondence has been circulated to the Cllrs.

- (i) Chris Carr – Peak Park Parish Representative – There are 6 parish representatives at present on the Peak Park Committee, but, due to possible cut backs the number may be reduced. Mr Carr asked the Parish Council for a supporting letter to help keep the much needed Parish representatives. Agreed.
- (ii) Request Power Sweep for village. Pot hole repairs in Digmire Lane & Church Lane. Clerk to contact

688 DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> January, 2011

Meeting closed at 8-46pm.

## Tissington

### NOTES FROM THE HALL

DECEMBER 2010

#### **Christmas Fayre at Tissington Hall 23, 24, 25 November**

Many thanks to all those that visited our first Christmas Fayre at the Hall over the three nights in late November. The Hall looked a treat and it was all down to the hard work of all the participants and helpers. Especial thanks to the Home Team and to Heather & Howard for lending us their hands-on expertise and moreover their valuable time to make it such a success. As I write the final totting-up is taking place and I shall report on the donations to St Mary's and the new Hospital in the next magazine.

#### **Welcome to the Village**

Peter & Dot Russ are moving to 1 Darfield Cottage after the departure of Sam Walkman. They come from Norwich and we are delighted to welcome them to the community and I am sure that you will make them both very welcome.

#### **Missing Cricket Cap**

A Cricket cap (colour Red & Yellow) has gone missing from the Hall in the Summer/Autumn. If anyone has seen the MCC brightly coloured cap on his or her travels, please could it be returned to the Estate Office. It is of sentimental value and would be much welcomed back home.

## **Village Hall Trestles**

2 of the six 'newish' Village Hall trestles are missing from the store in the Hall. Could they be returned as soon as possible please.

*Sir Richard*

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## **Altar Flowers**

Dec 5 & 12      Doreen Humphreys

Dec 19 & 26      Joanne Pointevin

## **WI**

Carole Unwin writes....

Many thanks to Pat Holland, one of our members, for giving us a very interesting evening showing her skills on Christmas Flower Decorations. We all went along with flowers, greenery, candles and other decorations and made our own Christmas arrangements, which all looked splendid. Thankyou Pat.

Future outings are to Heather Pilkington's shop on 1<sup>st</sup> December and our Christmas Dinner will be on 8<sup>th</sup> December at the Charles Cotton in Hartington.



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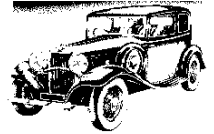


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	Vacant	
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## **Services in December 2010 and January 2011**

### **December 5<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Advent**

Alsop		no service	
Fenny Bentley	3.30 pm	Evening Prayer	Revd A Larkin
Parwich	11.00 am	Mattins	Mr A Simpson
Thorpe	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Revd A Larkin
Tissington	11.00 am	Family Service	Revd A Larkin

### **December 12<sup>th</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Advent**

Alsop	11.15 am	Holy Communion	Revd A Larkin
Parwich	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Revd A Larkin
	3.00 pm	Carol Concert	Revd T Morris
Thorpe	11.00 am	Mattins	Miss R Hunt
Tissington	9.30 am	Mattins	Miss R Hunt

### **December 14<sup>th</sup>**

Fenny Bentley	6.30 pm	Carol Service	Revd A Larkin
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### **December 18<sup>th</sup>**

Tissington	7.00 pm	Carol Service	Revd A Larkin/Miss R Hunt
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### **December 19<sup>th</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Advent**

Alsop	7.00 pm	Carol Service	Revd A Larkin
Parwich	4.00 pm	Carol Service	Revd A Larkin
Thorpe	11.00 am	Carol Service	Revd A Larkin/Mrs F Hanson

### **December 24<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Eve**

Parwich	4.00 pm	Crib Service	Revd A Larkin
	11.30 pm	Midnight Mass	Revd A Larkin
Thorpe	6.00 pm	Crib Service	Revd A Larkin
	11.30 pm	Midnight Mass	Revd E Urquhart

### **December 25<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Day**

Alsop	11.15 am	Family Service + Holy Communion	Rev'd A Larkin
Tissington	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev'd A Larkin

### **December 26<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Christmas**

Thorpe	11.00 am	Songs of Praise	Rev'd A Larkin
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### **January 2<sup>nd</sup> - 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Christmas**

Alsop		no service	
Fenny Bentley	3.30 pm	Evening Prayer	Rev'd A Larkin
Parwich	11.00 am	Mattins	Mr K Stone
Thorpe	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev'd A Larkin
Tissington	11.00 am	Family Service	Rev'd A Larkin

### **January 9<sup>th</sup> – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Epiphany - Baptism of Christ**

Alsop	11.15 am	Holy Communion	Rev'd A Larkin
Fenny Bentley		no service	
Parwich	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Rev'd A Larkin
	2.30 pm	Meth: Covenant + Holy Communion	Rev'd T Morris
Thorpe	9.30 am	Mattins	Miss R Hunt
Tissington	11.00 am	Mattins	Miss R Hunt

### **January 16<sup>th</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Epiphany**

Alsop	11.15 am	Holy Communion	Rev'd A Larkin
Fenny Bentley	3.30 pm	Evensong	Miss R Hunt
Parwich	10.00 am	Family Service	Rev'd A Larkin
Thorpe	11.00 am	Mattins	Miss R Hunt
Tissington	8.00 am	Holy Communion	Rev'd A Larkin

### **January 23<sup>rd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Epiphany**

Alsop	11.15 am	Mattins	Mrs F Hanson
Fenny Bentley		no service	
Parwich	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Revd A Larkin
	2.30 pm	Methodist Service	Mrs H Garbutt
Thorpe	11.15 am	Holy Communion	Revd A Larkin/Mr A Simpson
Tissington		no service	

### **January 30<sup>th</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Epiphany**

Parwich	11.00am	Mattins Including farewell to Sheena Bryden	Revd A Larkin
Thorpe	9.30 am	Mattins	Revd A Larkin/Mr A Simpson

### **February 5<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday before Lent**

Alsop		no service	
Fenny Bentley	3.30 pm	Evening Prayer	Revd A Larkin
Parwich	11.00 am	Mattins	Mr K Stone
Thorpe	9.30 am	Holy Communion	Revd A Larkin
Tissington	11.00 am	Family Service	Revd A Larkin