

KNIVETON NEWS

Kniveton's only newspaper

February March 2012



The Get Together Club



Christmas Party 2011

February Diary

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- 5 Church - Holy Communion 10.30am
Flowers - Mrs Hunt & Mrs Marriot
- 8 Blue Box and Blue Bag Collection
- 8 Whist Drive - profits to Church Funds
- 9 Church - Bible Study for Women's World Day of Prayer 2.00pm at **Hognaston**
- 12 Chapel Service - preacher will be Rev. Tim Morris
- 15 WI- Pudding Room Demonstration
- 16 Green Bin Collection
- 19 Church - Family Service 10.30am
- 22 Blue Box and Blue Bag Collection
- 22 Church - Ash Wednesday Service 7.00 pm **at Hulland**
- 23 Get Together Club- Ruth Downing
- 26 Chapel Service 11am - preacher will be Sister Merle Wilde.
- 27 Church - rehearsal for Women's World Day of Prayer Service 7.30 pm

The Parish Council are planning Jubilee Celebrations and would be grateful for any ideas or offers of help from the village.

Please put on your thinking caps and contact David Lang 344093 or Liz Howe 346078.

March Diary

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Flowers - Mrs. Fox & Mrs. Methuen (Lent no flowers)
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- 8 Get Together Club- Mystery Tour and lunch
- 11 Chapel Service 2.30pm— preacher to be confirmed
- 14 Whist Drive - profits to Church Funds
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- 18 Church - Mothering Sunday Service 10.30am
- 21 WI- Ken McLoughan about Birds of Prey in The Highlands
- 21 Blue Box and Blue Bag Collection
- 25 Chapel Service 11am – preacher to be confirmed
- 27 Parish Council Meeting – Village Hall 7.30pm
- 29 Green Bin Collection

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Church Flower Rota 2012

February	Mrs Hunt & Mrs Marriot
March	Mrs Fox & Mrs Methuen (Lent no flowers)
April	Mrs Stafford & Mrs Gascoyne
May	Mrs Lomas & Mrs Thorne
June	Mrs Taylor-Grout & Mrs Rigby
July	Mrs Rose & Mrs Harding– Newman
August	Mrs Brown & Mrs Broughton
September	Mrs James & Mrs Hulland
October	Mrs Bradbury & Mrs Goldstraw
November	Mrs Lang & Mrs Wilkes
December	Help for Christmas please
January 2013	Mrs Holman & Mrs Radlett

Kniveton Village Hall

After 17 years as Treasurer of the Village Hall Committee Mr Ray Frampton has requested to stand down from the position.

Ray has handled the financial affairs with a methodical efficiency that has been greatly appreciated by the Committee.

Since they moved into the village Ray and Edna Frampton have formed an affinity with Kniveton being involved with the village hall, School, WI, Church and Chapel with true community spirit.

His decision to produce Kniveton News was not surprising with many years of meticulous and dedicated input.

It is good that Mary Vaughan, who helped Ray since 2000, is to continue with publication and we wish her success in its continuation.

The Village Hall Committee are also grateful that at an Extraordinary General Meeting in November, Mr David Holman and Mrs June Holman were elected onto the Committee with David Holman taking the position of Treasurer.

So many thanks to Ray Frampton for his hard work and commitment to Kniveton Village and thanks to Mary Vaughan and David Holman for their support and interest in continuing Ray's work.

Ian Stafford

Christmas Craft & Gift Fair

A big "thank You", to all those who supported the Christmas Craft & Gift Fair this year. I don't think the footfall was as great as last year and as a result not quite as many Teas/Coffees and Cakes were sold, this unfortunately means we only managed to raise just over £90 for this year's charity, Children in Need. This amount has been rounded up and £100 donated.

There were some wonderful gift ideas on display, all at below shop prices and many hand made. So for some, their Christmas shopping got off to a good start!

Thanks also to all those who had a stall and helped on the day, you know who you are, thanks.

Lesley

RED LION, KNIVETON

OAP Lunch Tuesday– Friday—2 course lunch £5.50

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Thursday Evenings Curry £5.95

Friday Evenings Fish, chips and mushy peas £6.00

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WHIST DRIVE The December and January Whist Drives raised £221.42 for Cancer UK. The February and March Whist Drives are in aid of Church Funds. John and Nancy wish to thank everyone for their support during the past year and look forward to seeing you at this years programme of Whist Drives. We can assure you of a very enjoyable evenings entertainment. Why not come along and see for yourselves. Every one is made most welcome.

Jennifer would like to thank her Derby Telegraph customers for their Xmas presents and wish them a Happy New Year.

Ashbourne Patna Partnership Presentation Evening

preceded by a short AGM



St Oswald's Church Hall

Wednesday 8th Feb

7.00 pm AGM

7.30 pm Presentation

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Bishop Marandih's election as

Moderator of the CNI
and much more

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served



I thought you might like to see the first ever edition of
Kniveton News when it was started by Ray Frampton

KNIVETON NEWS

December 1994

Like all good newspapers or magazines it has been decided to start this attempt at a Kniveton magazine with an editorial. As you are all possibly aware Kniveton is now short of a Vicar and a Church magazine and the object of this effort is to float the idea of Kniveton's own magazine. It is envisaged that it would not replace the old church magazine but would be a means of communication from all organisations, families and individuals to the people of Kniveton. To be representative it is necessary that a magazine be the product of more than one person. It is necessary to have editor(s), contributors, producers(printers) and distributors. It is hoped by the time this first attempt is put together a list of contacts will have been established for volunteers to help or contribute.



CHURCH NEWS

The latest information available to the Parochial Church Council is that there has been no decision made on the provision of a Vicar for Kniveton. It would appear it is a more complex problem than just putting Kniveton with Hlland Ward, Hognaston etc or the less preferred choice of linking us with Ashbourne. Strong representations have been made by the P.C.C. to ensure that the village does not miss out on cover for our one Communion and our one Family Service. Unfortunately we have lost out on our Christmas Midnight Communion. We will now have a Communion service on Christmas morning at 11 a.m. This is one of the high lights of the Christian year and the P.C.C. are sure we will get the usual magnificent attendance.

The Christingle Service on the 4th December was well attended and the children were fantastic with their involvement and leading the congregation in prayer. Appreciations were expressed to Jane Methuan, Liz Peak and Sue Lang for making the Christingles.

There will be a Carol service on 18th December at 11 a.m. Coffee and Christmas pies will be served after the service. All will be made very welcome.

On Sunday 20th November Rebecca Victoria Sellors and Mathew William Longden were welcomed into the Church at their baptism.

KNIVETON SCHOOL

Kniveton school has a very good Newsletter of its own. Unfortunately not all villagers have links with the school and therefore do not have access to this newsletter. Mrs Potter has kindly agreed to provide information that could be of interest to the village in general. For instance there is a performance of the school's Christmas play on Thursday 15th December at 7.00 p.m. There will be a full dress rehearsal on the afternoon of Wednesday 14th December to which all the senior citizens of Kniveton are invited. Refreshments will be served.

VILLAGE HALL

The Village Hall committee has agreed terms with Derbyshire District Council for the extended use of the hall by the school. The terms are not entirely to the committee's liking but in the interest of the Village School it was decided to accept the best terms that Lewis Rose on behalf of the committee was able to negotiate.

NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

It was proposed at the meeting of the Neighbourhood Watch that they should in future utilise the facilities of a village magazine instead of preparing a separate newsletter. The proliferation of Neighbourhood Watch signs will not have escaped the notice of most residents. It is felt that all areas should advertise to all "visitors" that there is a Neighbourhood Watch active in this area. Fortunately there is very little crime in our village unlike some other villages in this area. This could be because criminals have decided to give us a miss or it could be because we are just very lucky. Whatever the reason it is imperative that we all stay very vigilant.

"STOP PRESS!!!"

It is planned to have another attempt at another Newsletter for January 1995. Any offers of help and contributions please phone Ray Frampton on Ash 346280.

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KNIVETON SCHOOL

PAGES



a million
voices for
nature

Class 1 have been thinking about the birds around Kniveton School.

We are going to busy with our bird counting and joining in the Big Birds' Bird watch...working with the

R.S.P B _between 16 and 30th January 2012 .

The children go outside, count and record which and what birds they see .This information is passed on to the R.S.P B.

All of the children show a lot of interest and awareness about our bird life and in the next few weeks are also working with the ECO group in our school to promote, protect and show pleasure for the birds. They will be feeding, making bird boxes and studying birds.

In our literacy and art work class 1 have made poems and drawn birds.

Please enjoy the children's work and share with them the enthusiasm they have for our British Birds.



My Bird Poem
My bird is in a nest.
My bird is happy.
My bird is trying to keep warm.
My bird is a mummy bird.
My bird is a yellow and blue.
My bird is tiny and cute.
My bird is beautiful.
The blue tit is my bird.

By Nicole Wibberley age 6



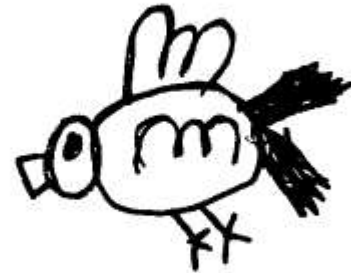
My Bird Poem
My bird is resting in its nest.
My bird is laying some eggs.
My bird is beautiful.
My bird is white.
My bird is wise.
My bird is a mummy.
My bird is has got a worm.
My bird has eggs that are cracking.
My bird.

By Eloise Bright.age 6

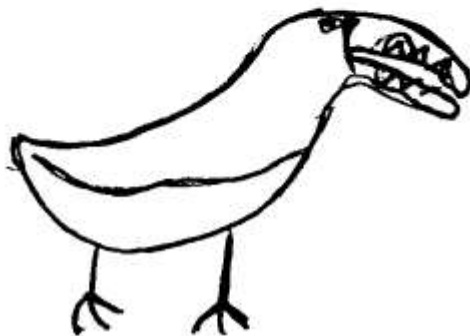
My Bird Poem
My bird is flying high.
My bird is swooping high.
My bird is gliding high up in the sky.
My bird is a dad and flying high.
My bird is fast.
My bird is now sitting in a tree.
My bird is getting fat
My bird is getting old.
My bird is a Magpie.

By Harry Skingley age 6

My Bird Poem
 My bird is beautiful
 My bird is a mummy
 My bird is hatching eggs
 My bird is cute
 My bird is nice
 My bird is happy
 My bird is shy
 My bird is blue
 My bird is the best bird!



By Flora Pasmore age 7



My Bird Poem
 My bird lives in the jungle
 My bird is a girl
 My bird eats worms
 My bird is black
 My bird is yellow
 My bird is green
 My bird is blue
 My bird is red
 My bird is a Toucan

By Ella Horwood age 7

My Bird Poem
 My bird is in a nest.
 My bird is resting in her nest.
 My bird is resting on her eggs.
 My bird is puffing out its feathers.
 My bird is a beautiful bird.
 My bird is a Dove.

By Rosie Marsh age 6

Thoughtful sentences about the birds around us.

The wood pigeon in the hedge so close to me.
When he saw his mate he went away with his mate.
Looking at the magpie soaring high in the air.
Isabelle age 5

A lovely robin gliding high in the sky.
The fluttering blackbird in the tree.
By Nicole Wibberley age 6

The big blackbird is flying high above the trees.
A dove is getting a juicy worm.
By Eloise Bright age 7

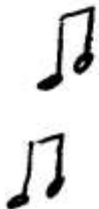
The wood pigeon swoops down from its nest.
Look at the proud Heron standing in the stream.
By Ella Horwood age 7

The puffed up Chaffinch was sitting on a branch.
A wonderful robin sings his song all Winter.
By Rosie Marsh age 6

A big Eagle is eating a big dinner.
The Chaffinch is swooping down to the tree.
By Oliver Coleman age 6

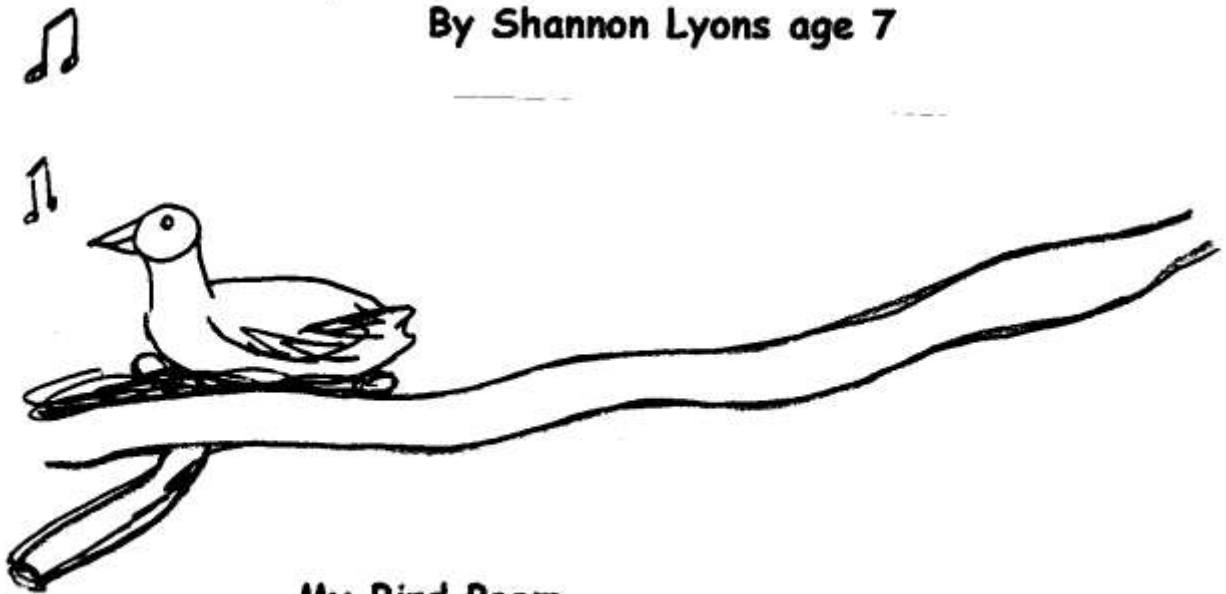
The robin is beautiful.
A Chaffinch is puffing up.
By Thomas Greene age 6

The lovely robin flew past the blue tit.
A gliding magpie flew past.
By Harry Skingley age 6



My Bird Poem
My bird is messy.
My bird blue.
My bird is green.
My bird likes to make music.
My bird likes children.

By Shannon Lyons age 7



My Bird Poem
My bird is colourful.
My bird is beautiful.
My bird is swooping.
My bird is soaring high.
My bird is lovely.
My bird dances.
My bird is messy.
My bird is likes food.
My bird is likes nature.

By Daniel Kelly age 7

KNIVETON PARISH COUNCIL

The Parish Council met on Tuesday 10th January 2012 and the following items were discussed.

Village Parking – Continuing problems arising from parking adjacent to the school and at the Pethills/Foxholes/Main Road junction.

Winter Gritting – The agreement that Offcote and Underwood and Bradley Parish Councils work together in ensuring that the routes that link the three settlements are kept open during adverse winter weather has yet to be tested. Whilst DCC would not approve the Wood Lane/Longrose Lane loop being included in the schedule, the parish council is seeking to provide cover for this route via a private agreement

Traffic Calming Measures – A grant towards the cost of installation of portals has been secured from DCC and subject to contractors being appointed, it is hoped that the work will be undertaken shortly.

Playing Field – The Parish Council meeting was preceded by the inaugural meeting of the JPFC, the Joint Playing Field Committee. Cllr Bradbury reported on maintenance work carried out. It was reported that in order to fund maintenance work, the Parish Council and the Kniveton School would each allocate annually £250 towards maintenance. The maintenance fund has also been enhanced by a donation. Committee members were keen to establish the Playing Field as a village amenity and welcome any suggestions or ideas from residents as to how the facility might be used more widely, for example a tennis club.

Highways – Potholes on Pethills Lane and a raised manhole on the Main Road have been reported.

Footpaths – It was agreed that the Parish Council invite Parkwood Community Project to undertake clearing work on the footpath connecting St James' Lane and Longrose Lane.

QEII Jubilee – A working group is to look into ways in which the village can join in celebrating the diamond jubilee.

Planning – A planning application has been received and councillors raised no objections to the following:

Erection of agricultural dwelling at Winn Farm (Cllr Bradbury declared an interest).

The Planning Department at DDDC has approved the following applications subject to conditions:

Two storey extension at Breck Farm

Construction of vehicular access and alteration to existing garage at Cheviot House.

Erection of building for storage of forestry equipment, hard standing and access at Rushy Barn

Tree work at Willow Cottage and High Croft Chapel

Erection of 50kW wind turbine land east of Ashbourne Road

Next Meeting – Tuesday 27th March 2012 commencing 7.30 pm and preceded by JPFC Meeting at 7.00 pm.

Mike Severn Clerk to the Parish Council

Area Police Meeting

An area Police meeting was held at Tissington on the 18th January.

The meeting opened with a warning that the area had suffered a spate of land Rover thefts. Three thefts were noted in December in the locality including thefts from Sainsbury's Car Park. It is strongly suspected that these thieves are coming in from out of the area, such as from Manchester and from the south of the area. It is strongly suspected that these stolen land Rovers are rapidly stripped down and shipped off to Africa. The NFU offers information on Land Rover security. The Police can also offer information advice on Land Rover security.

There has been a spate of Burglaries and thefts from vehicles in the South of Ashbourne especially from Haulage vehicles parked up over night. There has also been a noticeable increase in the theft of Domestic Heating oil. Householders are advised to review the security and the physically checking of their Heating oil. It is imperative that all cases of theft and attempted theft are reported to your local Police. There have been reports of inappropriate vehicle parking near to junctions during the hours of darkness. PCSO Cleveley has been instructed to check for such parking of vehicle and initial advise will be given to owners of offending vehicles.

PC Cleveley was asked if the Police were involved in the village hall parking situation. She confirmed that the Local Police were consulted and stated that another meeting of all concerned is programmed.

It was noted that local Police numbers are down as more Police are leaving and there is a need for more recruits. Information of recruitment to the Police service can be obtained from the Local Police Office. In response to a question a police spokesman stated that the forth coming Olympic Games should not present any problems to local police manning .

The next Police Meeting will be held at Parwich on the 10th May.

Olympic Torch Relay 2012

You may have heard that the Olympic Torch Relay is coming to Derbyshire Dales on Friday 29 June next year. A lot of work has gone into attracting the Torch Relay to the district and we hope between us all to make the most of the relay by celebrating the event and showcasing our services locally and beyond.

So far LOCOG (London Operating Company for the Olympic Games) have announced the communities on the route which are Matlock, Darley Dale, Bakewell and Ashbourne. It will also head off to Buxton in between Bakewell and Ashbourne. During it's travel through these communities it will be in what is called torchbearer mode which involves a person bearing a torch for around 300m before lighting another torch held by the next bearer, and so on. At other times, and between communities it will be in convoy mode.

More information on the route and what this means can be found by following the link http://www.derbyshiredales.gov.uk/our_website/news_and_press_releases/2011/November/news_items/dales_on_the_olympics_map.asp Dear which leads to our recent media release and by clicking on the LOCOG site <http://www.london2012.com/olympic-torch-relay>





Locally Grown Food: a new business in the village!

We are Heather and Antony of Tom's Lodge, Chapel Lane.

We have a few acres of land just above the village on Atlow Wynn hillside that we are gradually developing into a smallholding using sustainable, traditional and organic methods. Our aim is for it to be highly productive, whilst ensuring the natural environment is preserved or improved.

So far we have planted over 1500 mixed native trees to create a woodland area and give some shelter, and are developing other wooded areas, which we call Forest Gardens, where all the trees and shrubs produce either fruit, nuts or other edible or useful produce. We also keep bees and ducks.

From this spring we are starting a new market garden business, growing delicious salad mixes for local pubs and restaurants, and lots of other lovely vegetables which we hope might find their way on to YOUR plate!

We are looking for about 10 households in the village who would be interested in having a mixed box of our lovely garden produce delivered to your doorstep each week. You can feel confident that the boxes are packed with loving care and that all produce is **LOCALLY GROWN BY US – FRESH AS CAN BE – HEALTHY- EXTRA TASTY and GROWN NATURALLY** without artificial chemicals. Plus you would be supporting a new business setting up in the village! For more info or to sign up please contact us ASAP.

Finally, in February and March we will be planting more trees, and we need lots of old newspapers which we use, with straw on top, for mulching around each tree to stop grass growing and overpowering them. If you would be willing to save newspapers for us to collect from you in a few weeks time then again please get in touch. And if anybody fancies lending a hand with tree planting itself then volunteers are welcome!

Please let us know if you are interested in any aspect of our project.

Thanks, Antony and Heather

hinargentina@yahoo.co.uk

01335 343499

Women's World Day of Prayer Service

Women's World Day of Prayer is a global, ecumenical movement of informed prayer and prayerful action, organised and led by Christian women who call the faithful together on the first Friday in March each year to observe a common day of prayer.

The service is written by a different country each year and that country then becomes the focus of the world's prayers on the day itself, which begins as dawn breaks over the islands of Tonga in the Pacific and continues across each continent until the last services of this special day are held back in the Pacific, on the islands of Samoa, circling the world in prayer for 36 hours.

This service is held in our benefice every year & this year it will be held in Kniveton on Friday 2nd March at 7.30 pm. The service has been prepared by the Christian women of Malaysia under the tag line "Let Justice Prevail" & although it is prepared by & presented by women, everyone is welcome!

Lent Groups

Within our benefice we have a tradition of running a weekly discussion / study group during the weeks of Lent. We have decided to continue with this despite not having a rector at the moment. Cherry & Michael Dennison have offered to host this in Hognaston on Thursday evenings on 1st, 8th, 22nd & 29th March. If you are interested in attending or would like to find out more, please contact Penny Northall on 370592.

Easter Lilies

We will be decorating the church with lilies in April; if anyone would like to make a donation in memory of a loved one, please contact Pam Stafford on 345716.



MAPPING KNIVETON'S UNDULATIONS - 2009

In the early 1970s, a young Martin Wildgoose from Close's Farm, developed his regularly ploughed and used for growing food on a three-year crop rotation: wheat interest in archaeology by carefully plotting all the Ridges and Furrows in Kniveton fields on to a 6" OS. Map. Ridges and Furrows give permanent pasture an undulating, corrugated appearance marking the remains of medieval strip fields that were and barley in year one, peas and beans in year two and left fallow in the third year. The snow in Kniveton during the 2008-9 winter, combined with low sun levels, showed the undulations to perfect effect, and as Martin's map went missing when he and his family moved north to the Isle of Skye in the late 1990s, it is necessary to repeat the exercise during Spring & Summer 2009. Also - there is an Enclosure Map for Kniveton in the Derby Record Office. I have tried using "Google Earth", but too many of the images are inconclusive, so field walking is the solution!

The Medieval Open Field System usually consisted of three, or more, large, hedgeless "open fields" which were farmed in strips. Each farmer was allocated a number of strips distributed around the fields to ensure a fair share of good and less good land.

Typically, in Derbyshire each strip measured 11 yards wide by 220 yards (a furlong) making about a quarter of an acre in area. Some strips were owned by the Lord of the Manor (the demesne) and the Church (the glebe land). Land left uncultivated was called the Common, with villagers having grazing rights. Current belief is that the ridges were not created accidentally, but were developed to ensure easy drainage of the seedbed. The furrow was a combined open drain and ownership boundary.

In Medieval England the making of the ridges must have been a challenge. Early ploughing technology consisted of a single-blade, non-reversible plough throwing soil to the right, drawn by up to six oxen, in pairs. Horses were considered too valuable to use for ploughing; they were for military use. Assuming you could persuade your oxen to plough in a straight line, the problem came at the end of the furrow, when you wanted to turn round. So often the ridges were not straight, but in an elongated, reverse "S" shape to aid turning. The ridges, therefore, were made by ploughing in a clock-wise spiral, starting in the middle of the strip and eventually ploughing round the outside edge. An anti-clockwise motion was adopted in the fallow season to move some soil back towards the furrow and avoid cutting too deeply into the infertile subsoil.

I am hopeful that the Kniveton survey will give us a picture of the village's Open Field System, including the extent of the Common Land; in fact a plan of the village before the enclosure process. It will be fascinating to see to what extent the strips were affected by the topography of the village and whether we can recognise a second wave of ridge and furrow which was created in the late 18th and early 19th centuries. Often called "Napoleonic Ridge & Furrow" or "narrow rig", it was a response to increase the amount of corn at a time when Napoleon was creating mayhem throughout Europe.

Afterthought: _

Martin Wildgoose is now Co-Director of an archaeological project on the Isle of Skye. See www.high-pasture-cave.org <<http://www.high-pasture-cave.org/>> for the website, including a dramatic photograph of Martin contemplating the "Cave of the Speckled Horses", a site at the foot of 110 metre cliffs constantly battered by the sea. A far cry from field walking in Kniveton in the 1970s!!

Kniveton Chapel

Since the last edition of Kniveton News we have had 5 services at Kniveton, all much enjoyed, and well attended. The last service in November was our Shoe Box service, when we received over 100 shoe boxes, some from the village, chapel members, and also Clifton School. Rev. Tim Morris took the service, and we sent the boxes on their way after the service. The lorry carrying the boxes from Derby to Romania left of 11th December, and arrived a few days earlier. We have been able to see Utube clips recording the lorry being loaded here in England, and a second one of it being unloaded at a church in Romania a few days later. Thank you to everyone who brought filled boxes to the service.

We had two Christmas services. On 4th December we welcomed friends from the village, and also pupils from the school, staff and parents to a candlelight service. The children took part in the service, which was led by our friend, Tim Dutton. Our carol service, also by candlelight, was held on 18th December, led by Sister Merle. Again we welcomed friends from the village, and shared coffee and mince pies afterwards.

At the beginning of each new year, as Methodists, we observe our annual Covenant Service, at which we renew our commitment to our Christian calling. This year the service was on 8th January and we welcomed our Superintendent Minister, Rev. Tim Morris, as our preacher. We have also been delighted to welcome our Family Worker, Emily Hoe, to some of our services. Emily will be known to some of you already, particularly those who work in the school.

Our services in February and March will be held on the usual Sundays and at the usual times of 2.30 pm on the 2nd Sunday of the month, and 11 am on the 4th Sunday. Please come and join us, and stay for tea/coffee after the service on the 4th Sunday. You will be most welcome.

Kniveton Chapel Stewards.



KNIVETON WI



At our first meeting in 2012 we had a cookery demonstration from two of our members. Pam Stafford demonstrated two savory dishes, Mozzarella Salad and Vegetable Curry. The salad was arranged in a bowl and then topped with a salad dressing. The curry had a wide variety of vegetables and Pam explained how to make the stock. Jill Charlesworth demonstrated two dessert dishes, Apple Pan Pudding and Apple Cake. Jill first of all prepared the apple pan pudding showing us how to prepare the base then she topped it with pastry squares placed 'ad hoc'. The apple cake was then prepared whisking most of the ingredients together, finally adding the fruit and apple. Whilst these were cooking we had a surprise demonstration from Alison Williams on a gadget that peels and cores apples. We ended the evening sampling all the dishes, which were delicious. Requests for recipes were received from many members. We also had a competition on the most unusual Christmas card we had received. There were a lot to choose from, all most interesting. Finally a decision was made and the card brought in by Alison Williams was chosen.

At our next meeting on February 15th we are looking forward to a demonstration from the Pudding Room. We have tried to book them for a number of years and this year we have succeeded.

If you would like to come and join us, or just give W.I a try, just come along and you would be made most welcome.

Susan Clark

The Get Together Club

Thanks to Derbyshire CVS for their donation to funds.

We would like to thank Mrs Hollins and her helpers at Marsh Farm for the excellent Christmas dinner served to us on Saturday 10th December 2011. 54 members set out on a cold snowy Saturday morning for Christmas lunch, the day was soon turned round to a happy day with the lovely food and good company, everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Mrs Kath Massey won the raffle for the Christmas hamper. Our official photographer Ray Frampton was in action and you can see he took some really good photographs thanks Ray.

Oops I made a mistake on the 2012 programme! The holiday is 27th August to 31st August and the November meeting is on the 1st not the 2nd. Hope this doesn't cause any problems.

Happy New Year to everyone.

If you would like to come along to our meetings where you will be made most welcome or have a copy of the programme please contact Liz (346078).

KNIVETON CONTACTS

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Beware of suspicious callers

Beware of possible internet scam. People have been calling residents claiming to be from Microsoft maintenance or other companies, saying they have detected a virus or a problem with their home computer. They will then try to talk you into following a number of instructions on your computer. Some even charge over £100 and nothing appears to have gone wrong with your computer at all! This could be a scam to access your files.

For advice or to report a fraud, contact Action Fraud on 0300 123 2040 or visit their website www.actionfraud.org.uk where you can view the latest fraud news and alerts.

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