

# EASTEND NEWS

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## LOCAL EVENTS DIARY

### FEBRUARY

**Thurs 2nd 7pm** Easington Parish Council meeting in the Community Hall

**Sat 11th 9.30am** SKEALS coffee morning in the Community Hall

**Sat 18th 1pm** EECR Bric-a-brac sale in Patrington Village Hall

### MARCH

**Thurs 2nd 6.15pm** Gas Liaison Meeting in the Community Hall

**Thurs 2nd 7pm** Easington Parish Council meeting in the Community Hall

**Sat 4th 9.30am** Evergreens Coffee morning in the Community Hall

**Wed 8th 9am** Evergreens trip to Barnsley—pick up in the square

**Sat 18th 9.30am** Easington Events Committee coffee morning in the Community Hall

## EASINGTON EVENTS COMMITTEE

Easington Events Committee forthcoming events.

Coffee morning Sat 18th March at 9.30am in Easington Community Hall. Raffle, Tombola and Cakes.

Afternoon Tea Sat 1st April from 2pm in the Easington Community Hall. Easter themed.

Coronation event is being planned for Sun 7th May. Details to follow.

We are collecting plastic drinks bottles to make poppy decorations for the villages remembrance period. Please donate your empty bottles in the Hall on any coffee morning.

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH EASINGTON

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We will be having an open evening in the Community Hall in the near future. A care in the community get together with various Organisations attending including Humber-side Police and the mental health Charity "MIND". Details will be posted on the Village Online Group page nearer the time along with a leaflet drop advertising the event.

Jacquie Lane

## EASINGTON EVERGREENS

Happy New Year to everyone.

Our first trip of the year is to Barnsley and it's large indoor market. The bus will pick up at 9.00am in the square on Wednesday March 8th. Members £10 and non-members £15 paid to any committee member.

We will hold a coffee morning in the Community Hall on Saturday March 4th with a raffle and tombola. All welcome.

Pat Swales

## EAST END CANCER RELIEF FUND

East End Cancer Relief fund has been fund raising since 1979, over the years we have raised approximately £180,000 in a very small area of the East End for the cancer wards for the hospital at Sutton and then when it closed we continued to donate it to the Queens Centre at Castle Hill.

It is now time to hand over the reins to a much younger team Maggie Biglin, Lisa Pryor and Andrea Robinson. We wish them good luck and every success with their future fund raising.

Thanks for all your donations over the years for the fund, it has been very much appreciated.

Mary Brisby and Andrea Clubley and all our very willing helpers.

The new EECR are in the process of starting up and the new members are Lisa Pryor, Maggie Biglin and Andrea Robinson The first event planned is a Bric-A-Brac sale in Patrington village hall Saturday 18th February (1-3pm). For further details contact Lisa on 07854 259903.

EECR is about raising funds to East End Cancer to do whatever it takes to support people living with cancer-Castle Hill Hospital Hull

Maggie Biglin

## SKEALS

Spurn, Kilnsea and Easington Area Local Studies group. A group for anyone interested in our local history. See more on [www.skeals.co.uk](http://www.skeals.co.uk) New members are very welcome.

Contact Nick Jackson, phone 650201 or email [skeals22@outlook.com](mailto:skeals22@outlook.com).

Dates for your diary. Sat 11th Feb. from 9.30am in the Easington Community Hall Coffee morning and commemorative display. Raffle, cakes stall, local book sales and a display of photographs and documented memories of residents,

remembering the Great Flood of 1953 which devastated our region. We will also be displaying a large aerial photo of Easington taken last year.

Nick Jackson

## CHURCH NEWS

A lot has happened in the run up to Christmas. We want to thank everyone who has been involved in raising money at the harvest auction, both for the church and Care after Combat. Thanks to auctioneer Alan Douglas, Joan, Sharon and the team at The White Horse, all those who gave towards the auction, and those who attended and supported on the night. Later, in November, we were again extremely grateful for all those who contributed to raising funds for the British Legion poppy appeal and who supported our Act of Remembrance at the war memorial.

We are grateful for the input from the school this year, with the harvest, christingle and nativity events which were so well attended by the community at large. We congratulate Peggy Eves on reaching her 102nd birthday this month, and mourn the passing of Jilly Dosogne, who organised the Square Meal for several years and was responsible for starting our Christmas music and food nights.

This year we intend to continue with our monthly tea party services as they have proved increasingly popular. Communion services are now reduced, due to shortage of clergy and reorganisation, but when the weather is warmer we may introduce some mid week communion services. If you wish to join in a weekly morning prayer, currently in a home group setting, lasting between half an hour to an hour, let us know. You would be most welcome. Dates for services will be announced in "The Edge" magazine so let us know if you would like a copy. They are also posted on the South Holderness Deanery face book page.

Our FareShare operation on Fridays continues to be a great success, mainly due to an ever-increasing band of willing workers who are prepared to go to great lengths to access the food that we buy in, and also help to run the Friday session.

Lois Rutter.

## EASINGTON YOUTH CLUB & DUKE OF EDINBURGH CENTRE

Happy New Year everyone

The Youth Club(s) and Duke of Edinburgh continue to meet, the Duke of Edinburgh is on a Monday evening, The Senior Youth Club on a Wednesday evening and the Junior Youth Club on a Thursday teatime from 4pm to 5.30pm. If you are new to the village please come along, if you are not new still come along - Beck Lane, Easington. The Youth Leaders will be arranging more trips and activities again for you, and members will get priority.

At the moment the Management Committee have not organised any fund raising events - they are all having a well earned rest after last year's frantic fund raising, announcements will be made soon on dates for Coffee Mornings and other events.

On the subject of 'Fund Raising' we have had some

fantastic news - with success in our grant application to 'Awards for All' we have received £7943 to assist with the running costs for 2023. This helps us tremendously, and we can now focus the fund raising to 2024 to make sure we can pay the bills and keep the club and the park which is also part of the club facilities running.

We had a fantastic 'Christmas Fayre' this year - thank you to everyone, volunteers, donors, supporters - we/you raised £3628.00 before costs.

Finally, we can announce that the Textile Bin donations of clothes and shoes raised £133.99 in the year 2022. This is the Green Textile Bin situated in the youth club car park. Thank you again to everyone for your donations.

We look forward to a successful 2023.

The Trustees, Management Committee and Youth Club

## EASINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

Wishing you all a Happy New Year from Easington Parish Council.

At the end of 2022 you will have received the updated booklet giving advice in the event of a Major Emergency incident at the Gas Sites. If you have not received a booklet please contact the Clerk.

Please also subscribe to the Text messaging service - it has been very successful at keeping residents informed of any activity at the Gas Sites, if you are a new resident or would like to sign up to the service the form is available on the website (News Section) for completion:

<http://www.easingtonparishcouncil.co.uk/home>  
or, alternatively contact the Clerk.

The parish council, currently has 2 defibrillators - Easington and Kilnsea, with a further being installed shortly at Out Newton. We will be arranging a new and refresher training course, could you please let the Clerk know if you would be interested in attending. This is open to anyone from the age of 14 upwards.

The Parish grass cutting tender is out for quotations again this year - please see the noticeboard in 'The Square', or contact the clerk for the tender document. Parish Council meetings are held on the 1st Thursday of a month (except January and August), and we look forward to seeing you at our meetings.

Kim Dalton - Clerk on behalf of Easington Parish Council  
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## **SPURN BIRD OBSERVATORY**

I am delighted to be able to inform you that after a long and challenging search for an Observatory Manager at Spurn, Rob Hunton who was the Assistant Warden has now been appointed to the role. The interview process was both thorough and challenging but Rob was able to clearly demonstrate that he has both the ability and commitment to fulfil this very demanding role. I hope that you will all support him and wish him well as he takes our observatory to the next level of performance. Rob Adams Chairman of Spurn Bird Observatory.

We had a couple of really exciting migration events in the Autumn. The UK's smallest bird a Goldcrest, with an average weight of 5 grams, was picked up on the Motus Wildlife Tracking System installed at the Observatory, after it had been fitted with a 'nanotag' in The Netherlands the previous day. It made the crossing in less than 8 hours. That's an average of 44km per hour! We then had 2 Blackbirds make the exact same crossing, and one of those averaged a whopping 77km per hour, presumably taking advantage of the north easterly wind that day!

The music quiz in the Crown and Anchor was another successful evening, with £300 raised for Dove House Hospice in Hull, and the Bird Observatory. If anybody is interested to learn about the work we do at the observatory, or get involved in any of the projects we are involved in, please get in touch with Rob at Kew Villa."

## **FRIENDS OF EASINGTON CE PRIMARY ACADEMY**

Friends of Easington CE Primary Academy have been busy funding various activities for all of the children. The pantomime trip was a roaring success. The children behaved exceptionally, and we were able to fully fund the coach, tickets and an ice cream at half time. We thank Mr and Mrs Rutter for their contribution towards this. Additionally, Father Christmas visited before Christmas and brought each child a gift. Since the new term began we have paid for the Foxes and Owls to experience "Roman Day" at Murton Park, near York. This will help support their learning for this term's topic. Needless to say fundraising is restarting in earnest and any support would be gratefully received. A simple way to help would be to register with Easy Fundraising, please just use this link: <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?char=199333&invite=L4RU4Z&referral-campaign=s2s>

Thank you as always, the FOS Team: Kathryn, Kerry, Claire and Andy

## **EASINGTON CE PRIMARY ACADEMY**

Easington Church of England Primary Academy has had a focus on the importance of always going to school and on Friday, there was 100% attendance.

December saw the community come together for The Nativity and a Christingle service. The children also went to the Pantomime to see 'Jack and The Beanstalk' which was enjoyed by all.

Mr Carrick and the Key Stage Two children went on a visit to Murton Park which was a huge success.

And if you think you can hear the faint sounds of strumming coming from the school - you're right. All the children are learning to play the Ukulele!

## **TIME TO GET WALKING AGAIN!**

With Spring on its way we start to think about getting out to walk in the beautiful English countryside again, but where to find new and interesting walks?

Walking in Yorkshire <https://www.walkinginengland.co.uk/yorkshire> has loads of walks to download and print, free, it also has books of walks, details of all the walking groups in the county and much more. Whether you want to walk on your own or with a group all the information is there in one place.

John Harris (who maintains the website) said 'There is so much walking information on the web but it is difficult to find. Walking in Yorkshire (part of the Walking in England website) has brought it together in one place so whether you are walking from home, or away on holiday, you will be able to find a walk suitable for you'.

With walks from half a mile to twelve miles plus long, and a note of suitability for pushchairs and wheelchairs, everyone can find a walk to enjoy.

So home or away, check out the websites and get walking!

John Harris

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