

Borrowby Village Hall Newsletter

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Aimed at keeping you informed about activities in the village hall

What's on in Autumn and beyond?

Wednesday: 8 September, 8pm, straight from the Edinburgh Festival—Miller and Spencer, a jazz duo bringing tenor sax and piano jazz with landscape video backdrop of Scotland. See posters around the village or go to www.millerandspencer.co.uk. Tickets £10, from Sue Bell 537501. You are welcome to bring something to drink.

Thursday 9 September, 7.30pm- 'How to take that better photograph'. Miles Langthorne, well known Northallerton photographer will be here to help. Following a presentation on taking a good photograph Miles will be happy to take your questions about film or digital picture taking and how to improve your skills. Miles is giving his time free but there will be a small charge for entry.

Pay on the night £2, tea/coffee provided. All Welcome.

(These sort of events, open to all, will be on some second Thursdays & will replace the earlier Hillside Ladies' group events)

Saturday 11 September, 10-12.30pm: Book exchange and coffee morning. Everyone welcome to browse, buy, or just have coffee and cake. The Cake Fairy Co. will be with us too—you could treat yourself or order that cake for a special occasion or even Christmas!

You can ring the Cake Fairy in Nether Silton on 01609 883056 anytime – and if you call her Claire, she may grant your wish!

Yoga returns on Thursday 9.30am September 16th –Ring Sara 537483, and on Monday 20 September at 7pm –ring Jill Turner for 01845 537608.

We also hope to have **T'ai Chi again from September, but probably on a different day**: Tai Chi is recommended exercise for anyone wishing to retain or gain better balance, tackle stress or keep it at bay, improve various joint or muscle problems and for all ages. It is at your pace and not competitive. Ring Val Box 01845 523880 for more details.

Village Hall cleaning day – date to be confirmed but all most welcome-look by newspaper 'drops'

Saturday October 9: book exchange, coffee & Cake Fairy

Saturday November 6: Book exchange, coffee & Cake Fairy

Saturday /Sunday, November 20 & 21st 10-4.30: Crafts Fayre: gifts, crafts, Christmas decorations, cakes, -you can get them all here in aid of Marie Curie, a charity which provides help to people with cancer and their carers. This event is returning after the big success last year. Don't miss it! (Organiser:Jackie Cree of Thirlby)

Saturday December 4: Book exchange and Coffee

Saturday and Sunday, December 11 &12.

Creative Floral workshops; by popular demand, Carl Banks is again holding 2 workshops, for you to create something extra special for Christmas –for your door, for your table, or for that special personal gift. To book or for more details, contact Carl on 01845 537999.

Thursday December 16: Borrowby Show Whist Drive: 7.30 pm

Sunday December 19th –likely to be Christmas carols around the tree at 6pm. More news and confirmed date will be put by newspaper 'drops' later.

Other news:

Call My Bluff wine tasting(March) made about £400 profit between Friends of Knayton School and VH funds.

Open Gardens on June 13th made just under £1400 between Friends, HRAP and VH funds –thanks to all of you who participated in any way –we could not have done it without you. We gather a good time was had by all!

The Village Physio clinic is open in the old post office in the hall. Details are on the windows by the Hall and clinic doors and a contact number is 0782 6931211. The service is local and totally confidential. Appointment times by arrangement to suit.

Booking the Hall:

Our charges remain as last year, and the year before. When you book the hall, you get use of all the facilities, including cutlery, crockery, table cloths or banqueting roll, tea towels, heating, oven, hot water boiler, plate warming cabinet, wheelchair access via west door, 2 ladies loos, babychanger, one gents and an accessible wc. for wheelchair users, 60 cushioned chairs, 40 plastic chairs (spares are in the back store room), 12 big oblong tables and 4 smaller ones, about 50 glasses, IT equipment, broadband, projector, and an audio loop system for hearing aid users.

The only thing we ask is that people leave the Hall as they find it, wash and return table linen, **and take away their own empty bottles**, as the Hall gets no special concessions for recycling. There is an information leaflet with prices,pictures and guided tours can be offered, before you book. When you do book you will be offered the user–guide to using the hall, so that you get best use to what we have.

To book a date or check availability, please ring Sue on 01845 537 501.

Key holders near the Hall: Norma 537503, Lucy 537178, Alan 537483, Sue 537501