

Legbourne & Little Cawthorpe Newsletter

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Quiz Night

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Legbourne Community Centre

Friday 11th March 7.30pm

Teams of four

Entry Fee £2.00 per person

CASH PRIZES

BAR OPEN

**Community Centre Chairman - Mick Booth
Community Centre Secretary - Linda Pocklington - 601501
Booking Clerk- Robin Peck - 07508651029
Book Online - www.legbournecommunitycentre.com**

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moates947@btinternet.com

Michelle Dates

EXTRA COPIES CAN BE OBTAINED FROM THE SHOP, THE QUEEN'S HEAD OR THE "SPLASH". Email Michelle or Linda to get a copy via email.

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT DOGS ARE NOT ALLOWED ON THE PLAYING FIELD OR IN THE CHILDREN'S PLAY AREA.

Contact details: lindapocklington@talktalk.net – 01507 601501

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MONDAYS 2.15-3.15pm Manor Cottages, Station Road (Layby)

THURSDAYS 2.15-3.15pm Manor Cottages, Station Rd. (Layby)

All Saints Church. Legbourne

Church Cleaning is on Saturday 5th March and then 2nd April, 9.30 am. If you could spare an hour, we would love to see you.

There will also be a tidy up in the Churchyard on Saturday 5th March starting at 10a.m. Again, if you could spare an hour, you would be very welcome.
Coffee and biscuits provided.

The **Church Car Boot** is on Monday 2nd May on the playing field. We really need help with parking the buyers' cars and the car boots. Please can you help? Let me know.

I seem to be asking for a lot of help with our church activities I know, but the church is an important part of our community and we need it to be there for many years to come.

The monthly **Welcome on Wednesday Coffee mornings** start on 16th March. Come along for a coffee, cake and a chat. Everyone welcome.

Hilary King
01507 601885

WELCOME ON WEDNESDAY

COFFEE MORNING

IN CHURCH

10am – Noon

16th March

Then third Wednesday of the month.

Everyone welcome



Queens Head

In writing this article I have used two types of sources – censuses and Lincolnshire Trade Directories (White’s and Kelly’s). Trade directories are gazetteers containing a description of every settlement of any significance in the county in a particular year during the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries. Each entry is in two parts – the first is a general description – history, geography, economy and main buildings. The second part, of which an example appears below is a list of trades people, farmers, other land holders and people of independent means. That is to say everybody that might have some spare money to spend which excludes all wage earners.

The first evidence of a possible “public house” in Legbourne appears in the 1851 census – Edward Graves is recorded as a “retailer of beer”. Twenty years later the 1871 census identifies Benjamin Neville as a beer house keeper but with no mention of a location. Ten more years on the 1871 census gives us the first mention of the “Queens Head” with an address in Alford Road and licensed victualler Robert Greetham as its occupant. The next use of the name does not appear until the 1930s when Robert Winn was the licensee (of whom more later). It appears in the photograph above and in the directory extract below. Very unusually the Queen’s Head has two entries – Robert Winn is in there as a beer retailer and his wife has somehow managed to get an advert for apartments included. This looks a bit like stick in the mud Robert with a forward-looking entrepreneurial wife. It is very difficult to work out what is going on: she has clearly identified a business opportunity but what was it? (cyclists perhaps?), and where were the apartments and what were they like? We have to remind ourselves that this venture predates glamping by the best part of a century.

PRIVATE RESIDENTS. (For T N's see general list of Private Residents at end of book.)		
Adams Miss	Thompson Rev. Albert (vicar), Vicarage	Kirkham Benjamin, cottage farmer
Bellamy Joseph, Ben Marie	Twigg John, Myrtle villa	Marwood Wm. farmer
Blanchard William J.P	COMMERCIAL.	Maw Arthur, cottage farmer
Bowskill Mrs	Marked thus † farm 150 acres or over.	†Michael Frederick B. farmer, Village farm
Cartwright Mrs. E. H. The Poplars	Atkinson Wm. cottage farmer	Payne Geo. Hy. farmer
Dixon Capt. Oscar, Kenwick hall	Coggie Geo. Wm. poultry farmer	Plumtree John William, farmer
Green Ernest	Coggie Walter, shopkeeper	†Short Wm. Edwd. farmer. T N
Hadfield Mrs., Fairview	Cole Rt. farmer	Louth 246X5
Kingswood, Benjamin	Davey Fredk. Harold, miller (water & steam)	Small Arth. Wm. smallholder
Metcalf Ernest E	Davy Wlfr. & Son, blacksmiths	Smith Alld. (Mrs.), poultry farmer
Parry Thomas, Legbourne abbey	Foster William, smallholder. Boringham	Smith Fred, farmer
Short William Edward, Legbourne grange	Graves Charles Edward, wheelwright	Stones Hugh Clement, farmer, Brooklands
Staples George Henry, Water Side bungalow	Graves Julia A. (Mrs.), shoe mkr	Stones Jas. Geo. farmer
Staples Miss, Gordon house	Harness M. E. garage propr. T N	Taylor Annie (Mrs.), grocer
Stenlake Rev. Edwin W. The Bungalow	Louth 246X3	Towle Charles, carpenter
Stones Hugh	Hewardine Hy. farmer, Furze farm	†Ward Joseph Henry, farmer, Legbourne Villa farm, Manby road
Sykes Jonathan Beaumont, The Yews	Holloway William, frmr. Willow frm	Winn Rt. beer retir
	Holmes Charles, cottage farmer	Winn R. (Mrs.),
	Johnson Jn. Wm. farmer	Queen's Head
	†Johnson Wm. farmer. Gainsboro' hc	Wright Charlotte (Mrs.), farmer

The pub that we know as the Queen's Head probably came into being as a result of the Beerhouse Act of 1830 which was passed in an attempt to channel working people away from gin. The years of really crazy gin consumption were over but there was still a lot of illegal distilling and selling and beer was a health drink by comparison with much of the gin being consumed at the time.

So, the Act was intended to make beer a more attractive prospect and it did so by removing the tax on beer. Any ratepayer could brew and sell beer on their own premises be it a house or shop on purchase of a license for 2 guineas (£192 at today's values) This might appear expensive but running costs were very low and profits high, so much so that 46,000 licenses were bought over the next 8 years. But no Sunday opening

It may be that the level of profits even in a village like Legbourne are illustrated in the photo. Local expert opinion suggests that the two cottages in the photo are not original but built on the footprint of earlier cottages which can be seen at ground level. The chimney stacks were also possibly retained. As we see them in the photo the bricks are laid in Flemish bond which is decorative and therefore more expensive though this example is not the most skillfully executed. A second decorative feature is the dentilation under the eaves not previously seen in this area. Lastly the windows date from about 1860. So was someone, perhaps Robert Greetham, showing off their new-found wealth.

Part two to follow



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Coming as soon as permitted: parent & baby groups - to include outside nature walks and tea and talk sessions.

Please email or phone us now to register your interest (see above.)

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Results of Draw for February

Drawn at the Queen's Head 02/02/22

£100 Apr, Sept., and Dec only

£25 Richard Wilson, Station Rd, Legbourne. 07

£10 Jenny Cartwright, Mill Lane, Legbourne. 142

£10 Andrew Cope, The Hollows, Legbourne. 41

£10 Douglas Huke, Top Rd. Lt. Cawthorpe, 180

£10 Joe Byrne, Furze Lane, Legbourne. 66

£10 Sue Edmonds, Station Rd., Legbourne. 63

Ponderings

The art of diplomacy is letting the other
fellow have your own way

Anonymous Indian Diplomat

It is worth living long enough to outlast
whatever sense of grievance you might have

Author Marilynne Robinson

Newspapers help you forget the previous day

Elias Canetti

Spirit of the Age

A growing number of farmers are fencing their fields and renting them as dog exercise areas. There are over 750 fields to choose from on Dogwalkingfield.com.

Costing from £7 an hour, they are said to be particularly useful for nervous dogs but are hired by owners who simply want a safe place where their dog can run around off the lead.

The Guardian

CONFIRMATION

The Bishop of Grimsby will come to the deanery to take a confirmation service on

SUNDAY 12TH JUNE
ST JAMES' CHURCH, LOUTH
3.30PM

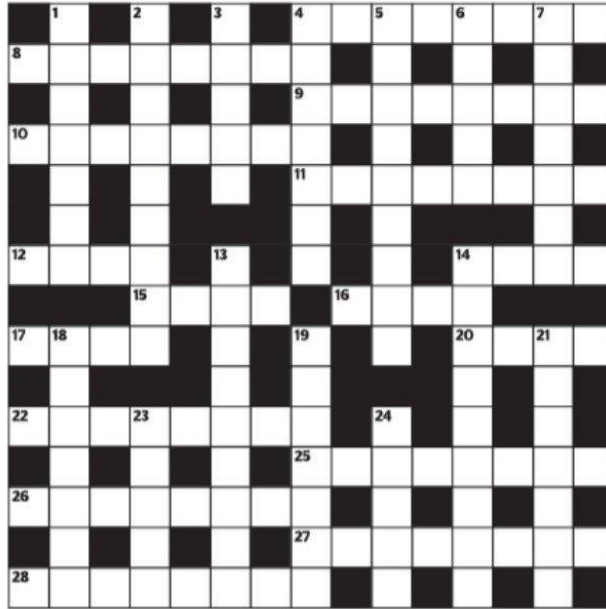
If you have not yet been confirmed and would like to explore this, please be in touch with me (Fr James).

Our parish website is also a good place to look for updates. I also put on there prayer resources and notices:

<http://lincoln.ourchurchweb.org.uk/legbournewoldmarsh/>

If you would like to receive our weekly parish newsletter then please email me to let me know, and I will add you to the list. It contains a Bible reading, a reflection and prayer suggestions as well as any news and instructions how to join in our worship online.

Please know that I hold all our communities before God in prayer every day, and am here if ever you need me.



QUICK by DH

13,977

ACROSS

- 4 Vengeance (8)
 8 Common conifer (4,4)
 9 Indication of something concealed (8)
 10 Novice (8)
 11 Mixed (8)
 12 Indonesian holiday island (4)
 14 Obligation (4)
 15 Streetcar (4)
 16 Old Peruvian Indian (4)
 17 Body of a church (4)
 20 Original arkwright (4)
 22 Inventive (8)
 25 Approved (8)
 26 Clever (8)
 27 Death notice (8)
 28 Silvery-white metal used in jewellery (8)

DOWN

- 1 Predicament (7)
 2 High explosive (9)
 3 Part of New York (5)
 4 Take back (7)
 5 The Holy Land (9)
 6 Bury (5)
 7 Illness (7)
 13 Racquet sport (9)
 14 Hazardous (9)
 18 Means of sending overseas (7)
 19 Liberty (7)
 21 Branch of mathematics (7)
 23 Representative (5)
 24 Allow to enter (5)



All Saints Church, Legbourne

Programme for Lent

■ LIVING IN LOVE AND FAITH

A group will meet to work through the Living in Love and Faith course, which reflects on ideas of human identity, marriage, sexuality and relationships. This will run for 5 weeks, and will provide opportunity to reflect together on Scripture and some video resources. All material provided.

Tuesdays 7pm-8pm The Church Community Room (in Church House, opposite St James' Church, Louth), beginning on Tuesday 8th March.

■ ROSARY PRAYER GROUP

Come and learn a new way to prayer. A meditative, calming method in which we reflect on the Gospel story from Scripture. No former experience expected or required, and prayer beads provided. The chance to come together in stillness and expand your armoury of prayer!

All Saints' Church, Legbourne
Thursdays in Lent, 2pm
Beginning on 3rd March

■ MEDITATING WITH SCRIPTURE - ZOOM GROUP

Tuesdays at 11.30am

To log in, go to: www.zoom.us/join or 'phone 0203 481 5240
and enter the Meeting ID: 847 0617 4009 and Password: 562604.

Legbourne & Little Cawthorpe Community Centre

Summary of Minutes Tuesday 8th February 2022

What's On

Quiz Night – Friday 11th March @ 7.30pm

Easter Bingo – Friday 8th April @ 7.30pm

Easter Eggs and raffle prizes needed for the Easter Bingo

Community Centre Car Boot Sale – Sunday 22nd May @ 9am

Platinum Jubilee Family Picnic – Sunday 5th June 12 noon – 4pm

Community Centre Car Boot Sale – Sunday 12th June @ 9am

Reports

- We are starting to make plans for the Platinum Jubilee
- It will be a bring your own picnic or the community BBQ will be available
- Red, white and blue theme.
- The new equipment is now in place in the play area.
- The back plate on the basket- ball wall is to be upgraded
- We need to decide what we are going to do with the portable cricket net.
- Archery Club are to put a balustrade around the decking of the Pavilion
- **Fancy running the Village Lottery? Please get in touch**
- We have vacancies on our committee if you fancy helping out in the community.
- Any ideas for functions or events please get in touch.

To get the Newsletter via email contact Michelle moates947@btinternet.com

Please send any articles to Michelle by 16th of the month.

You can book online at www.legbournecommunitycentre.com

or by ringing Robin on 07508651029.

Our next meeting is on

Tuesday 8th March 2022 @ 7pm in the Committee Room.

Secretary contact details: lindapocklington@talktalk.net – 01507 601501



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A Word from The Rectory

Dear friends,

Having past the anniversary of the Queen's accession to the throne last month, we are now officially in her Platinum Jubilee year. It is incredible to think that Queen Elizabeth has reigned now for seventy years. Many people have commented that whilst the world has changed beyond all recognition in that time, she has been a figurehead of dignified and dutiful stability and continuity.

She is known and admired for her discretion. She is reluctant to weigh in to political debates or offer social commentary. If only others were more prepared to copy her on this! But the one thing that she is never afraid to admit to and talk about is her Christian faith. Just as her reign is a constant feature of most of our lives, her faith in a higher power, and one that only ever expresses itself in love, and that took a human face in Jesus Christ, brings her the reassurance and stability that she must need in turn.

This month is Lent; the season of preparation for the great feast of the Resurrection at Easter. In order to rise again with Jesus, Christians first use this time to re-order their lives and re-establish them within the comfort and commands of our Lord's teaching. May I encourage you to do likewise. We crave stability and peace, and this is open to us through the knowledge that every one of us, whether you be the Queen of England or not, is held within the loving arms of God.

With assurance of my prayers,

Fr James The Rectory, Westgate, Louth LN11 9YE 01507 604 215

DIARY DATES

Events are held at the community centre, unless stated otherwise

Legbourne Woldmarsh- Church services @ 11am

March 6th - All Saints Church, Legbourne

March 13th - St Oswald, Strubby

March 20th – All Saints Church, Legbourne

March 27th – St Peter, Raithby

Ash Wednesday – Wed 2nd March @ All Saints Church, Legbourne

CHURCH COFFEE MORNING – Wednesday 16 March 10am – 12 noon

FRIENDSHIP CLUB- Thursdays March 10th, 24th 2022 @2pm @ Community Centre

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING- Monday 11 March 2022 @ 7.30pm

COMMUNITY CENTRE COMMITTEE MEETING- Tuesday 8th March 2022 - 7.30pm

ARCHERY- Every Wednesday at 6-8pm. (Members only)

EAST WOLD PRIMARY SCHOOL- Term 4 ends – Thursday 31st March 2022

Term 5 starts – Wednesday 20th April 2022

LEGBOURNE PLAYGROUP- Every Friday from 9.30am until 11.00am during school term time.

The next issue will be for April 2022.

The closure date is Wed 16th March 2022

BOOKING CLERK – Robin PECK- 07508651029

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Spring Flowers

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