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## Editorial

It seems inconceivable that yet another year has flown by but it has! In this edition there are lots of things happening in and around Hibaldstow so I hope that you enjoy reading about them all. I would like to thank all the people who make the magazine by sending in contributions. Please keep them coming!! Also, if you know of someone who may like to advertise their business then **please** mention Village Voice to them as our rates are very competitive. May I take this opportunity of wishing you all a happy and peaceful festive season and hope that 2018 will be a good year for you all.

Sue Mayers

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Event	Day	Venue	Time
Short Mat Bowls Club	Every Monday	Village Hall	2.00pm
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Rural Day Centre	Every Tuesday	Village Hall	11.00am - 2.00pm
Kurling	Every Tuesday	Village Hall	2.00pm
Zumba	Every Wednesday	Village Hall	6.00pm
Short Mat Bowls Club	Every Wednesday	Village Hall	7.15pm
Short Mat Bowls	Every Thursday League Matches Night	Village hall	7.15pm

Event	Day	Venue	Time
Hibaldstow Pop-In	Every Monday	Church Hall	9.30am
Art Class	Every Monday	Church Hall	1.00pm - 3.00pm
Hibaldstow W.I.	1st Tuesday of the month	Church Hall	7.30pm
Chair Exercises	Every Wednesday	Church Hall	1.30pm - 2.30pm
Astronomy Society	Last Wednesday of the month	Church Hall	7.30pm
History Club	3rd Thursday of the month	Church Hall	7.30pm
Book Club	Bi-monthly on the first Thursday of the month starting from February	Church Hall	7.30pm

Event	Day	Venue	Time
Cake and Company	Last Friday of the month	Methodist Church Hall	2.30pm - 4.30pm
Communion and Coffee	Every Wednesday	Scawby Church	10.00am

### Notices and Service details from Reverend David Eames.

**Advent Talks:** We have organised **four** Advent Talks, each entitled **"My Advent Hope."** All the talks will be held at **Hibaldstow Methodist Chapel Hall** at 7.00pm.

- **Thurs 23rd Nov:** The Venerable Mark Steadman, Archdeacon of Stow and Lindsey
- **Thurs 30th Nov:** Rev. Bruce Thompson, Chair of Lincolnshire Methodist District
- **Thurs 7th Dec:** The Rt Reverend Dr David Court, Bishop of Grimsby
- **Thurs 14th Dec:** Rev. Nichola Jones, Superintendent Minister, Barton and Brigg Methodist Circuit

**Midweek Services:** "Everyone loves the Christmas story. But the story of the baby in the manger is the culmination of a thousand other stories. It is the focus of the story of the Bible and the story of human history" For our midweek services during Advent we'll be using readings and reflections from Tim Chester's book "The One True Story." We will be doing a different reflection at each service so feel free to come to as many of the services as you like.

**Memorial Service:** This year's Memorial Service for anyone who has lost loved ones will be on **Wednesday 20th December, 7.00pm** at St Hybald's, Hibaldstow, please feel free to come along no matter how long ago you lost someone special. We will be reading out the list of all those for whom we've done funerals over the past year, but if you'd like anyone else to be remembered at the service, please add their names (or initials) to the list at the back of any of the churches.

**Group New Year's Service - Sunday 31st December, 10.45am** in Broughton. There will be just one service on New Year's Eve, which will be a 'Songs of Praise' style service with carols and readings. A great chance to thank God for the year that's passed and look forward to the year to come.

**Christmas Flowers in the Churchyard:** Christmas is a time when people often want to leave flowers on the graves of loved ones, so I'd like to take this opportunity to highlight the regulations regarding artificial flowers in the churchyard of St Hybald's. What is and what is not allowed in a churchyard is set out in the Churchyard Regulations 2008 (updated 2012) of the Diocese of Lincoln, which are available on request from the Rev. David Eames or on the Diocese of Lincoln's website. With regards to artificial flowers it states that "No artificial flowers may be placed in a churchyard except Remembrance Day poppies, traditional Christmas wreaths and good quality silk flowers, and these shall be removed within 3 months. The PCC has authority to remove any artificial flowers which do not comply." [Para 4 (i)]. We would be grateful if any floral tributes that are left conform with the Churchyard Regulations. If you need any further information, please contact the Rev. David Eames. Thank you

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### ANNUAL SOCIAL NIGHT AND MAIN PRIZE DRAW

**Members and guests are invited to join us on**

**Saturday 25th November for a pie and pea supper**

**7.15pm at Hibaldstow Village Hall**

**Supper will be provided so bring along your favourite drink to go with it.**



**Please let us know as soon as possible if you will be joining us.**

The collection of membership fees for 2018 will begin shortly. Anyone wishing to join or wanting more information about the club or social night please contact.

**Elaine on 652227; Lesley on 652120;**

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**September No. 30 C. Denton**

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## Christmas Concert

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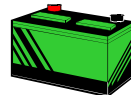
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With the our very popular exhibition on Pingley Prisoner of War exhibition closing in mid November, we must look forward to the festive season and our next pop up exhibition which is a 1950's Christmas, probably the last decade of an old fashioned Christmas. Come and see how the 1950's child lived and enjoyed Christmas. Many memories will be awoken with this exhibition and also amazement from the younger generation!

Children will be delighted to know that Father Christmas will again visit the Centre every Saturday in December until Christmas from 10am until 1.30pm, and also after the Brigg Christmas Light Switch On ceremony on Friday, evening, 1st December until 7.30pm. Christmas crafts will be available in our craft room all through the Christmas period for those masterpieces to be created.

Our eagerly anticipated **children's craft workshops** on Farmers' Market Saturdays continue in January with an **Easy Introduction to Origami** and in February, we have **Acrylic Painting on Canvas**. A small donation is requested for these workshops although there is always free colouring and other small craft activities available on other days. **Under 5's** are able to enjoy their special themed tent full of fun things to stimulate the imagination. Activity back packs and lots of new dressing up costumes await our junior visitors.

**Antique fairs** are held in the Buttercross on Farmer's Market Saturdays from 9.30 until 1.30 for those who like to seek out a bargain. Stop to sample our famous homemade cakes with a coffee or tea before heading out for more shopping. **Admission is free** but if you would like to sell items at the Fair, tables are £10 each.

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Please contact the Heritage Centre on **01724 296771** for more information or visit our web site **www.briggheritage.org**



## Books Discussed

### **A Delicate Truth by John Le Carré**

A 2013 spy novel set in 2008 and 2011. The plot revolves around a British/American covert mission in Gibraltar and its consequences for those involved both directly and indirectly, particularly civil servant Toby Bell and retired civil servant Sir Christopher Probyn who choose to work together at increasing personal risk to get to the bottom of what is being covered up about the operation and those who took part.

This was not one of our most popular books but even the member who was least impressed found one part that they liked – a section set in a Cornish Village and manor house that focused more on country and gypsy life and traditions than on espionage.

Some members didn't enjoy the book to start with, feeling that they didn't know what was going on or that the opening scenario was 'weird', and some didn't enjoy the ending as it left you wanting to know what happened, but by persevering most seemed to have found that they were drawn into the intrigue and were rewarded with an enjoyable read. It was accepted that the ending was good in its way and appreciated that the book might not have worked if the story had not cut off so abruptly at the point it did.

It was commented that readers get the impression that the author does not have a good opinion of 'the establishment'.

Scores ranged from 6/10 to 8/10 with one member giving it 2/10.

### **Beware of Pity by Stefan Zweig**

An Austro-Hungarian cavalry officer stationed at the edge of the empire is invited to a party at the home of a rich local landowner and at the ball makes a faux pas when he asks the host's daughter to dance only to find that she is disabled and unable to walk. Their mutual embarrassment causes a bit of a scene and our young officer flees the house, only to be overcome by guilt and in his keenness to make up for his mistake allows himself to become embroiled in the family's life in a way which has devastating consequences on both sides. Stefan Zweig is considered to be a great writer. This is his only novel. A number of members had looked up the author and found him to have led quite an unusual life, or at least had an unusual death as he and his wife committed suicide together in South America in 1942.

One member found the book frustrating after losing patience completely with the main character. Someone else commented that they didn't find any of the characters likeable.

The lack of chapters was commented on and made it more difficult to read for some. It was also commented that the novel felt too long.  
One member commented that the book made them feel uncomfortable but that that wasn't necessarily a criticism. A number of people felt that it was a significant work that they were glad to have read.

Other positive comments were that it keeps you reading, is easy to read, is a brilliant book, and is gruelling but well-written.

These differing opinions were reflected in the scores ranging from 3/10 to 8/10.

The **next meeting** will be **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December**


The books for discussion are:

**Sapiens, A Brief History of Humankind** by Yuval Noah Harari  
and **A Winter's Tale** by Trisha Ashley

The **following meeting** will be **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2018**

The books for discussion are:


**The Keeper Of Lost Things** by Ruth Hogan  
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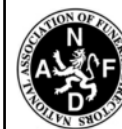
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At Brownies we use games, crafts and other activities to create a fun packed programme that aims to help the development of our young girls. We try to supplement our weekly meetings with days out and trips away. **Hibaldstow Brownies** has been operating for many years. We meet on Monday evenings from 6:00pm – 7:30pm in Hibaldstow School. If you think you might know someone who may be interested in joining then either give me a ring or come along one Monday night.

**Angela Smith - Brown Owl - 01652 654229**



## 1<sup>st</sup> Hibaldstow & Scawby Scout Group

### Want to Join Us?

If you're aged between 6 and 18 and think you might like to join us, please contact us (details below) or pop into the Church or Village Hall on a Monday evening to find out more details. Also, if you are over 18 and can spare a few hours now and then, there is always a job that wants doing, give us a ring, or pop in one Monday, we're nice people really.

### Clothing Collection – Still Collecting!

We continue to collect clothing to raise funds to update and replace our Group's equipment. As ever we would like your help collecting **textiles**. This includes; **clothes, bags, shoes** etc. Either; give it to a Beaver, Cub, Scout or Explorer, alternatively bring it to the Village Hall on a Monday evening (during term time) or give one of the leaders a ring and we'll happily collect it. This helps raise nearly £1000 per year for the Group, which makes a **huge difference** to the activities we can run.

**If you have any queries about anything to do with  
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(Anonymous)

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Next year my step daughter-in-law (Hayley Walters) and I will be taking part in the London Marathon raising money for our nominated charity

### "Whizz-Kids."

We have both lived in the village for a number of years. Hayley has been selling spaces on football name cards through friends and Facebook and has so far raised over **£300** through those alone. I have done a charity car boot sale at Hemswell and raised **£120** for my efforts. We plan to put an appeal out for quality unwanted items to sell at future car boot sales.

There is a **Christmas Charity Disco** at **Hibaldstow War Memorial Club** on the weekend of **8/9th December**, **tickets are selling fast!!!!**

There is a collection tin in Church Street Stores for **Whizz-Kids** and there is also **Charity Football Match** at **Bottesford Town F.C.** on **November 30th**. We will be selling places in either team. My training for the Marathon is going well. From being a non-runner to managing 7 miles in two weeks is very pleasing. I plan to build up to 10 miles for Christmas, so I can keep up with Hayley!! We then plan to build up the distance training in the new year.

More news to follow in further editions of Village Voice.

Submitted by Jason Scatcherd



To celebrate their 30th Anniversary, the Kirton in Lindsey Society have brought a very special event to the Town Hall.

**Passamezzo** specialise in British music from the 16th and 17th Centuries. "Old Christmas Returned: Music, words and song for Christmas in 17th Century England" consists of ballads, lutesongs, carols, consort music, madrigals and readings, and describes how Christmas was celebrated, banned and restored in 17th Century. The programme follows the religious calendar from Christmas Day itself to the beginning of Lent and includes music by Attey, Byrd, Dowland, Gibbons, Lawes, Locke, Purcell and Wilson and readings from Shakespeare, Drummond, Herrick and Taylor. Concerts have a distinct theatrical air created by the costumes, readings and presentation. All performances are researched from original sources.

All the members of the group are professional musicians in their own right:

- Tamsin Lewis (Director, Renaissance Violin, Viols, Alto)
- Alison Kinder (Viols, Recorders, Alto)
- Robin Jeffrey (Lute, Guitar, Tenor)
- Michael Palmer (Actor, Baritone)
- Eleanor Cramer (Soprano, Bass Viol)

They have played in a great variety of venues including the British Museum; the Victoria and Albert Museum; Shakespeare's Globe Theatre; Hampton Court Palace and in theatres, concert halls, stately homes, churches, palaces and ruins throughout England. Their TV and radio work is just as diverse with performances for BBC Restoration and Howard Goodall's The Truth about Carols; Big Brother; Henry VIII and his Six Wives; and Elizabeth I.

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## HIBALDSTOW ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY



Our last meeting saw the return of Lincolnshire's Astronomer, Paul Money to present his Voyager part 2 talk. A great evening saw Paul run through the Voyager encounter with Uranus and Neptune.

Our final meeting of the year on the 29th November sees the visit of Dr Susan Cartwright, from Sheffield University, who will be talking about Supernovae. Dr Cartwright is a professional research astronomer currently working on projects with astronomers in Japan. She is part of the Universities outreach programme and gives regular talks to societies and schools.

Our society doesn't meet during December so we take this opportunity to wish everyone in Hibaldstow a great Christmas. We are putting the finishing touches to our 2018 programme with the first meeting on the 24th January.

Our doors are open to all and our talks are usually suitable for anyone with an interest in Astronomy or Space.

As the nights draw in we will also start our observing programme using our society telescopes at our local site.

Whilst we are a member's society, guests are always welcome to come to our meetings. Our admission charge for guests will be £3 when we have a guest speaker otherwise it's the usual £2 when we have a society member giving the talk. Our monthly meetings are normally held on the last Wednesday of each month in the Church Hall, Church St with doors open at 7.15pm for a 7.30pm

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On **Wednesday 6th December** from **7.30** we will be holding an **Observing Night**, featuring The Moon in the car park of The Wheatsheaf Pub. We just have to hope for a clear night. Society telescopes and binoculars will be available and the event is open to **ALL**.

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### December 2017 Services

**3rd December**

8.00am BCP	Holy Communion	Broughton
9.15am	Songs of Praise	Scawby
<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
10.45am	Family Service with Baptism	Broughton
4.00pm	Christingle	Broughton

**10th December**

<b>8.00am BCP</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
9.15am	Holy Communion	Scawby
<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Songs of Praise</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
10.45am	BCP Holy Communion	Broughton

**17th December**

8.00am	BCP HC	Scawby
9.15am	Songs of Praise	Scawby
<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
10.45am	Morning Prayer	Broughton
4.00pm	Carol Service	Broughton Methodists
6.00pm	Carol Service	Scawby
<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>Carol Service</b>	<b>Hibaldstow Methodists</b>

**Wednesday**

**20th December**

<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Memorial Service</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
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**Sunday 24th December**  
**(Christmas Eve)**

3.30pm	Crib Service	Scawby
5.00pm	Children's/Crib service	Broughton
11.00pm BCP	Midnight Communion	Broughton
<b>11.15pm</b>	<b>Midnight Communion</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
11.00pm	Midnight Communion	Scawby

**Monday 25th December**  
**(Christmas Day)**

9.30am	Family Communion	Broughton
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Family Communion</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
10.00am	Family Communion	Scawby

**31st December**

10.45am	Group New Year's Service	Broughton
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Midweek Services in December (except 25th December - 29th December):

<b>Mondays</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
Tuesdays	8.30am	Morning Prayer	Scawby
Wednesdays	10.00am	Holy Communion	Scawby
Thursdays	10.00am	Holy Communion	Broughton

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### Hello Hibaldstow Seniors



The Chair Exercise Group specifically for senior citizens started in September in the Church Hall. The group is run by a professional trainer from Fresh Start and has proven to be a success with a regular group attending each Wednesday from 1.30pm to 2.30pm.

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**Boxing Day evening**

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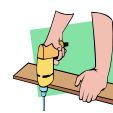
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The first, in November, is an Autumn disco for both Key stage 1 and 2. In December we kick off the festive session with a cinema night. In the final week of school we will be hosting our popular Snacks with Santa event. Snacks with Santa

provides an opportunity for the children to come and meet (and have a photo taken if they like) with Santa and make some reindeer food.

Hot drinks and festive snacks will also be available to buy. Some new additions to this year's event include a tombola and a small selection of festive gifts.

Tickets for our Christmas raffle, which will be drawn at Snacks with Santa, will be on sale from Monday 4 December after school (in reception) as well as before and after the Christmas performances. We have already received a number of donation of prizes but if you are a local business and you would like to contribute, please contact either **Alison Howe** (Chair - [alisonralph1@hotmail.com](mailto:alisonralph1@hotmail.com)) or **Helen Williams** (Secretary - [hewilliams@lincoln.ac.uk](mailto:hewilliams@lincoln.ac.uk)).

The next Bag 2 School collection is scheduled for Tuesday 14 November. The last collection raised a fantastic **£142.00!** If you have any good quality clothes, shoes, handbags, towels, cuddly toys that you no longer require, please think about supporting your local school by placing them in a plain bag and dropping them off at the school gates by 9am on the morning of the collection. If you would rather fill a Bag 2 School bag, please contact either **Alison Howe** or **Helen Williams** who will be happy to drop off bags. If you miss the November collection the next one is scheduled for **Thursday 8 March 2018**.

Thank you for your continued support,  
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### CHRISTMAS IN NORTH LINCOLNSHIRE

Here are a few upcoming events;

- That'll Be The Day – The Christmas Show at The Baths Hall, Scunthorpe on Wednesday 7th December at 7.30pm.
- Happy Café Christmas market at Sandtoft airfield, Belton on Saturday 10th December at 10am.
- Christmas concert in aid of Lindsey Lodge Hospital at Scawby Village Hall, Brigg on Friday 9th December at 7.30pm.
- The Snowman and The Nutcracker at The Baths Hall, Scunthorpe on Tuesday 13th December at 7.30pm.
- Christmas Carol Concert at The Baths Hall, Scunthorpe on Sunday 18th December at 7.45pm.
- Red Riding Hood at the Plowright Theatre, Scunthorpe on Saturday 10th January 2017 at 7pm.



### HIBALDSTOW W.I.



For our October meeting we had the pleasure of Pam Braithwaite talking to us about her walk along The Inca Trail which she did in memory of her sister who had died of leukaemia. She did it for the Anthony Nolan Trust which matches people with the same tissue type for bone marrow and blood stem cell transplants.

Pam, at 58, was the oldest in a group of 44 trekkers and 77 porters. Prior to her trip a typical training session meant walking up and down Steep Hill in Lincoln six times – without stopping.

Most of the group met for the first time at Heathrow wearing their Anthony Nolan t-shirts. Acclimatisation meant an overnight stay in Cusco at 3,400m. The trail itself starts at 2,600m and goes up and down; Dead Woman's Pass being the highest point at 4,200m, and finishing at Machu Picchu at 2,430m.

Although the trail is only 28 miles long it took 5 days to complete. Porters encouraged the trekkers to go at their own pace and were supportive to everyone to the extent of carrying those who succumbed to altitude sickness. Pam was given a piggy-back by one porter while two more held on to her legs! Hygiene was of great importance. Everyone had to thoroughly wash and dry their hands, then use alcohol gel. This to prevent disease, infection and contamination. Emphasis was placed on eating properly and resting well. The porters had the welfare of their charges at heart.

The trail is closed for two months of the year to rest and recover.

Pam fulfilled her sister's plea that she abandon her comfort zone and do something amazing. She has kept in touch with her fellow trekkers, who live far and wide, one of whom she visited in Australia.

For our **November** meeting we took an apron and a small rolling pin. Hilarity and fun as we made a 'sort of fairy' out of modelling icing!!

We are **always** pleased to see **new** members **or** visitors so, if you fancy an evening of pleasant company and a varied programme, **please get in touch!!**



**Contact:- Christine Laking on 01652 654536**  
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Skydive Hibaldstow have had another very busy season this year and are gearing up for a busy 2018 season. We are in the process of recruiting staff to help across the business - cafe and bar staff, kitchen staff as well as reception and bookings staff - full details are on our website [www.skydiving.co.uk](http://www.skydiving.co.uk) for anyone that may be interested in joining the team either full or part time.

For anyone that may be interested in doing a skydive, we are offering readers of the Village Voice a £30 discount\* at the time of booking, please mention the Village Voice to have the discount applied. (\*cannot be used in conjunction with any other offer) We would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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### Wednesday Morning Communion and Coffee

Each **Wednesday** morning at **10.00am** we have a said service of Holy Communion in Scawby Church with a brief thought for the day from the clergy.

The service lasts around half an hour and is followed by coffee (or tea!), a biscuit and a chance to chat! New people are always welcome at his service. Why don't you try it?



The social group for people who can do craft work **and** talk at the same time meets each **Thursday** from **2.00pm** to **4.00pm** at **Mayscroft, Ings Lane.** Why not come and join us?

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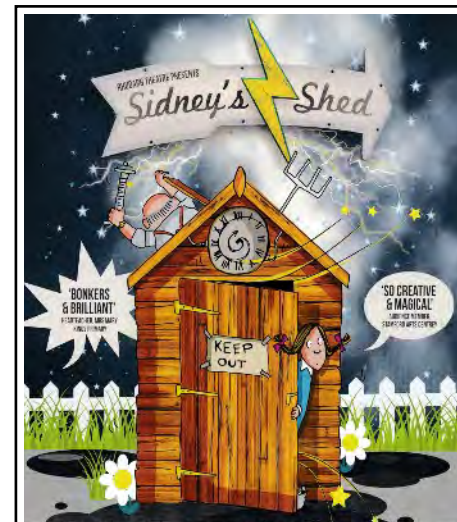
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A collection will be taken and shared between Salvation Army  
and Lindsey Lodge Hospice



**Family  
Carol Service**

**Carol Service** at the Chapel, united with the Anglicans  
is on **December 17th at 6.00pm.** Presentation of JMA  
awards. Refreshments after the service. Come and help  
us sing some old favourites. A warm welcome awaits you.

**Christmas morning** we will be having a short  
Service led by **Rev Ian Wales at 9.30am.**

**Come help us celebrate.**

Submitted by Fay Brooks







## December 2017/ January 2018 Article

The carol "God rest ye merry, gentlemen" is one my favourite carols, and it is for a lot of others too. Partly it's to do with the traditional sounding tune and partly it's because it expresses the emotions of Christmas - "O tidings of comfort and joy!"

Christmas for a lot of people is a time for joy: when you get together with loved ones for feasts and celebrations. Christmas is also a time that is often characterised by images of comfort: the sense of 'hygge' associated with candles, fires and lights shining in the darkness. These are of course all part of Christmas, but the 'tidings of comfort and joy' that Christmas brings go much deeper and are for everyone, including (and perhaps especially for) those who will be lonely, or in pain, or sorrowful this Christmas.

The carol is very clear about why the message of Christmas is one of comfort and joy: "for Jesus Christ our Saviour was born on Christmas Day." Well, that sounds a very obvious thing to say about Christmas, (although you might struggle to find references to Jesus sometimes!) but it then goes on to remind us why this is good news. He came "to save us all from Satan's power when we had gone astray" and "to free all those who trust in him from Satan's power and might." The reason Jesus' birth is special is because of his death. Christmas is only worth celebrating because of Easter.

This is truly joyful tidings! Sin is rebellion against God's authority; when we sin we ally ourselves with his arch-rebel, Satan, so we are under Satan's power. Once there, we can do nothing to free ourselves. However, although we have rejected God, he never rejects us. So he showed his love to the world by sending his Son, Jesus, so that through his death our sins could be forgiven and we could be freed from Satan's power. For all those who keep trying to be good and failing, Jesus' birth is a reason to be joyful.

These are also comforting tidings, especially for those who feel burdened by guilt. Jesus' death comforts those who mourn as it assures us that God understands what grief is like, but more than that, Jesus' resurrection reminds us that eternal life is offered to the world. However, the comfort that Christmas brings is not just a consoling feeling, as 'comfort' is used in it's original meaning of 'strengthening'. By freeing us from Satan's power, Jesus strengthens us with the knowledge that God thinks we're worth dying for. As we've been freed from Satan's power and influence, with the knowledge of God's opinion of us and the promise of his Holy Spirit to help us, we are strengthened to live as children of God.

It is with these tidings that God will 'rest' (in the original sense of 'keep, or cause to remain') all of us, whether we're gentlemen or not, merry both at Christmas time and throughout the year. So, in the name of Jesus, whose birth the angels announced and made shepherds rejoice, I bless you and your loved ones with knowing the true comfort and joy of Christmas.

by Reverend David Eames

## HIBALDSTOW PARISH COUNCIL

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Application No	Details	Decision
<b>2017/767</b>	Minor material amendment to PA/2014/0196 to alter house types on plots 5, 7, 8, 9, 32 & 34 at land rear of Willow Farm, East Street.	<b>Granted</b>
<b>2017/1337</b>	Vary condition 2 of PA/2017/372 in order to make minor amendments to remove 2 gables from the south elevation and re-positioning of some windows and roof lights at Jasmine Garth, 28 Manton Lane.	<b>Granted</b>
<b>2017/1461</b>	Erect a two-storey extension to side, single storey extension at the rear at 35 Ings Lane.	<b>Granted</b>
<b>2017/1477</b>	Install dormer windows to front slope, re-position of ground floor window to gable end and install rooflight to rear roof slope at 7 East Street.	<b>Granted</b>

Any resident wanting to make representation at a Planning Committee must contact the relevant Case Officer detailed within the applications or by ringing 01724 296296 and asking for the Planning Dept.

### North Lincolnshire Council (NLC) Self Service portal

<https://northlincs-self.achieveservice.com/module/home>

By using the above link you are now able to report any NLC issues via their portal – from pot holes, dog fouling, fly tipping to bin collections. Alternatively you can ring on 01724 297000.

If you have any concerns with regards to dogs please contact the North Lincolnshire Council Dog Warden on 01724 297000.



## Police Report

Please notify ALL non-emergency concerns to the Humberside Police by telephoning **101**. By doing this all complaints will be added to the statistics which will hopefully assist in future policing.

To report crimes online via the Humberside Police website please use the following link: - **[www.humberside.police.uk/report-a-crime](http://www.humberside.police.uk/report-a-crime)**

To view crimes in the neighbourhood log onto the following website.

**[www.police.co.uk](http://www.police.co.uk)**

## Donations

The Parish Council are happy to support the Village Voice again this year with a donation towards printing costs and to support the Best Kept Front Garden award with the purchase of a new trophy. The Council have also made a donation to the Royal British Legion for the 2 poppy wreaths provided.

Month	Exp	Month	Exp	Month	Exp
April 17	£1793.77	Sept 17	£1319.88	Jan 18	
May 17	£51686.96	Oct 17	£2064.46	Feb 18	
June 17	£1788.35	Nov 17	£1383.11	March 18	
July 17	£1067.27	Dec 17			

## Expenditure

Parish Council expenditure detailed monthly.

Total Expenditure to Date for 2017/18 - **£63,383.77**

## Broadband

North Lincolnshire Council (NLC) have stated that the cabinet that is not upgraded in Hibaldstow (Brigg 25) that many residents have contacted NLC about is looking like it will be upgraded and live by the end of the year and the Parish Council will be informed when this is live.

There have been delays due to civils works being complex but they are nearly there now. NLC thank residents for their patience and are delighted that there will soon be a solution.

This was a cabinet somewhat forgotten about by BT's commercial rollout – it was initially listed as upgraded nationally by BT but transpired that when it was initially installed, the cabinet was fed through another cabinet instead of an exchange – known as a daisy chain cabinet.

## January 2018 Services



7th January	8.00am BCP 9.15am <b>9.15am</b> 10.45am	Holy Communion Songs of Praise <b>Holy Communion</b> Family Service with Baptism	Broughton Scawby <b>Hibaldstow</b>  Broughton
14th January	<b>8.00am BCP</b> 9.15am <b>9.15am</b> 10.30am	<b>Holy Communion</b> Holy Communion <b>Songs of Praise</b> Covenant Service	<b>Hibaldstow</b> Scawby <b>Hibaldstow</b> Broughton Methodists
21st January	8.00am BCP 9.15am <b>9.15am</b> 10.45am	Holy Communion Songs of Praise <b>Holy Communion</b> Family Service with baptism	Scawby Scawby <b>Hibaldstow</b>  Broughton
28th January	<b>8.00am BCP</b> 9.15am <b>9.15am</b> 10.45am	<b>Holy Communion</b> Holy Communion <b>Songs of Praise</b> Holy Communion	<b>Hibaldstow</b> Scawby <b>Hibaldstow</b> Broughton

## Regular Midweek Services:

Mondays	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Hibaldstow</b>
Tuesdays	10.00am	Holy Communion	Broughton
Wednesdays	10.00am	Holy Communion	Scawby
Thursdays	8.30am	Morning Prayer	Scawby



## Brigg Markets

Weekly Markets are held in Brigg on Thursday and Saturday, along with other annual charitable markets and fairs. **Brigg Farmers Market** is held in the Market place on the **fourth Saturday** of the month.

**December 23rd**

**January 27th**

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<b>Friday</b>	<b>09.00 - 18.00</b>
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<b>Sunday</b>	<b>10.00 - 16.00</b>

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### Planting 2018

North Lincolnshire Council are providing funding for Town & Parish Councils for North Lincolnshire in Bloom. The Parish Council are working with the Village Hall Committee and local residents for use of these funds which will include new flower beds at the Village Hall. The Parish Council have also been donated a horse drawn drag which will be also located at the hall as part of the new display.

### Hibaldstow Community Group.

There will be a Hibaldstow Community Group Drop In session on **Saturday 25th November 2017 10.30 – 12.30** all are welcome to come (Adults and Children). There will be representatives from the Parish Council, Village Hall Committee, North Lincolnshire Safer Neighbourhoods Team, Humberside Police and the Hibaldstow Community Group. This is an opportunity for you to flag up any Anti-Social Behaviour issues, worries about crime, issues about the village community and the services available and any other general comments

The community group has been setup to co-ordinate the logging and awareness of the village issues that are being raised and the responses to resolution. **Anyone can join the group – so please feel free to lend your support.**

We have an increasing issue of Anti-Social Behaviour, criminal damage and general behaviour issues with the young children and adults of the village. The Village Hall Committee and Parish Council are working hard to create resources on the playing field but there needs to be an engagement in this from them too. A Teen Shelter is hoped to be approved to create a **SAFE** place for them to meet, as the current locations they are using are not always appropriate. There will be a number of communication campaigns in the next few months to Parent and Guardians, the villagers and the young people themselves. The first you will see in this edition is **"Do you know where your children are?"**

If you are experiencing any difficulties with Anti-Social Behaviour, criminal damage **please call 101**, if you are having other issues please contact the Hibaldstow Parish councillors (see contact details in this edition under Parish Council Section) or the North Lincolnshire Safer Neighbours team.

Hibaldstow is a lovely village to live in and it needs to be safe and supportive for all our residents. We look forward to seeing you on the 25th November and refreshments will be provided.

**Hibaldstow Community Group.**

Do you know what your children are up to when they go out and where they go?

Do you know who your children are with when they go out?

Issues of Anti-Social Behaviour & Criminal Damage are occurring in the village with the bus shelter by the Co-op being targeted and customers to the shop are being intimidated.

This sort of behaviour will not be tolerated & is under investigation by Humberside Police and North Lincolnshire Council's Safer Neighbourhoods Team.

Please ensure you know **where** your children are, **who** they are with and **what** they are doing.

If you witness any ASB or Criminal Damage please call 101 or 999 in an emergency.



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### 161 Market Rasen - Caistor - Brigg - Scunthorpe bus service

North Lincolnshire Council have been notified by Lincolnshire County Council that the tender for the above bus service was awarded to Stagecoach East Midlands. The previous operator was Dent's Coaches. A short notice registration has been allowed by the Traffic Commissioner.

The changeover date for the operator is Thursday 9 November, 2017. There is a change to the timetable as shown below:

Market Rasen 0930

Caistor Market Place 0955

Redbourne Red Lion 1053

Hibaldstow Post Office 1056

Brigg Cary Lane 1105

Scunthorpe Morrisons 1130



Scunthorpe Morrisons 1300

Brigg Cary Lane 1315

Hibaldstow Post Office 1323

Redbourne Red Lion 1326

Caistor Butter Market 1425

Market Rasen 1450

### HIBALDSTOW HISTORY GROUP



Our October meeting was attended by 17 members. Our speaker was **Glyn Coppack** and his subject was '**Lincolnshire's Lost Monasteries.**' He specifically dwelt on the recovery of the two Cistercian Abbeys of Revesby and Louth Park both of which were demolished after the dissolution in the 16th century, some artefacts from the remains of Louth Abbey can be found in Louth Museum. In the case of Revesby a country house was built close to the original site of the Abbey using new materials however, stone found in shrubbery close by was believed to be from the Abbey. It was interesting to learn just how much Mr Coppack and his colleagues have discovered about the origins of these two sites and others in Lincolnshire which are unknown to many of us.

At our November meeting member **Pat Ackland** will tell us about Scotland's hero King, **Robert the Bruce.**

There will be **no meeting in December** due to the festive season and our meeting in **January** will be our **Annual Meal** as usual, details of which will be given at November's meeting.

Our meeting on the 15th February will take the form of member's short talks with participating members giving a short talk on their favourite historical topic.

Meetings are normally held on the **3rd Thursday** of the month at **7.30pm** in the **Church Hall** at Hibaldstow and new members are **always welcome.**

Our **annual subscription** is **£5.00** and there is a £1.00 entrance fee for members and £2.00 for guests.

If you think you might like to join us please contact:

**Stan Smith** on **654229**, **Pat Horton** on **653916** or **Pat Ackland** on **659839**

Submitted by **Christine Ellwood**



### From St. Hybald's Register

**Wedding**

**September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2017**

**Benjamin Yearnshaw and Charlotte Scott**



The Parish Registers of Hibaldstow start in 1631. Unusual boys names recorded are Hamlet, Guido, Silvester, Virgil and some named Hibald. Girls names included Faith, Patience, Mercie, Obedience, Charity, Troth, Cassandra, Milcah and Appeline.



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### CHARITY GOLF DAY

This year our Charity Golf Day has been organised for the **25th May 2018**, at the usual venue of **Holme Hall Golf Club**. Hopefully we will have some good weather and an enjoyable competition, whilst raising funds for those less fortunate.

### WEBSITE

If you would like to know more about Glanford and Lindsey Lions Club you can visit our Club's website **www.glanfordlindsey.lions105e.org.uk** to keep up to date with our Club News or contact **Lion Alan Hall** on **01652 655470**

### Macmillan Cancer Support

Brigg and District Committee

### CHOCOLATE Demonstration

by

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**Wednesday 6 December**  
**7.00pm for 7.15pm start**

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**Scunthorpe's Museum** has a **Victorian** grotto covered in frosty snow, bright decorations and Christmas trees.  
**Brigg Heritage Centre** also has a grotto where Santa will pop by to greet the community before riding off into the night sky.





## Glanford and Lindsey Lions Club

Without **YOUR** help we would not be able to assist the worthy causes we do; so a huge **THANK YOU** for the support you give us.

### **SANTA IS ON HIS WAY**

It is the time of the year when most people are thinking about their Christmas preparations and for GLANFORD and LINDSEY LIONS this is certainly no exception.

The telephone calls and emails have been passing between the Lions and Santa's HQ now for some weeks and after a great deal of negotiation arrangements have been made for Santa to fit into his extremely busy schedule some visits to our locality... this is again another fantastic achievement for the Lions. Bringing Santa to the area not only creates a seasonal treat for so many but it also helps to ensure that the work undertaken by Lions can continue to meeting some of the needs of the community and individuals.

This year you're likely to see Santa on his sleigh between 6pm and 8pm at;

Kirton (Light Switch On)	- 26 <sup>th</sup> November
Kirton	- 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> December
Broughton	- 4 <sup>th</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> December
Redbourne	- 7 <sup>th</sup> December
Gainsthorpe	- 7 <sup>th</sup> December
Scotton	- 8 <sup>th</sup> December
Scotter	- 9 <sup>th</sup> , 10 <sup>th</sup> , 11 <sup>th</sup> & 12 <sup>th</sup> December
Scotterthorpe	- 13 <sup>th</sup> December
Susworth	- 13 <sup>th</sup> December
East Butterwick	- 13 <sup>th</sup> December
Messingham	- 14 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup> & 17 <sup>th</sup> December
<b>Hibaldstow</b>	<b>- 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> &amp; 20<sup>th</sup> December</b>
Snitterby/Waddingham	- 21 <sup>st</sup> December
Grayingham	- 22 <sup>nd</sup> December
Blyborough	- 22 <sup>nd</sup> December
Willoughton	- 22 <sup>nd</sup> December
Morrisons	- 23 <sup>rd</sup> December



**Please check for updates on the Glanford & Lindsey Lions**



**Facebook Page.**



### **FOOD DONATIONS**

We continue to support the Forge in Scunthorpe this year we have arranged for the external building painting, a replacement fryer, a printer and weekly food donations. We also provide a Christmas Lunch at the Forge each year.

## *The Terrace Tea Rooms Christmas Menu.*

### Starters

Homemade creamy country vegetable soup

Pate of the day served with caramelised onion relish, toast and fresh salad garnish.

Marie Rose prawns served on a bed of fresh salad leaves with speciality artisan bread.

Creamy garlic mushrooms served on a crostini accompanied by fresh salad leaves.

### Main Course

Traditional Roast turkey served with pigs in blankets, roast potatoes, stuffing, and seasonal vegetables.

Roast beef, Yorkshire pudding served with creamed and roast potatoes and seasonal vegetables.

Salmon en crouete served with roast potatoes and seasonal vegetables.

Chestnut pate en crouete served with roast potatoes and seasonal vegetables and onion gravy.

### Desserts

Traditional Christmas pudding served with boozy brandy sauce.

Spiced apple crumble served with creamy vanilla custard.

Bread and butter pudding laced with brandy and apricots served with fresh cream or creamy vanilla custard.

Chocolate Baileys Cheesecake.

1 course- £11.95

2 course- £14.95

3 course- £17.95

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## LINDSEY LODGE HOSPICE ROOM RENOVATION PROJECT

As you read this, we are coming towards the end of the village's year of Fund Raising for the 'Sponsor a Patient Room' programme at Lindsey Lodge Hospice in Scunthorpe. It was decided by the Hospice just over a year ago that some of its older patient rooms were in need of a make-over, the cost to do this being £2000 per room.

As always, the residents of Hibaldstow came to the fore and decided to 'adopt' a room and arrange a variety of Fund Raising events during 2017.

It wasn't long before the **£2000** had been achieved and so it was decided to increase the target to **£6000** to include the purchase of a specialist bed. At the time of writing this, the amount raised stands at **£9899.11** and with at least one more event to take place before the end of the year it is highly likely that in excess of **£10,000** will be raised.

A huge thank you must go to everyone who has either been involved in organising a fund raising event or have supported one (or more) by attending it. Hopefully, in the process of raising such a staggering amount everyone has had an enjoyable time too – whether it be at a Freestyle Dance, Cookery Demonstration, Summer BBQ, Afternoon Tea or enjoying see all the decorated bikes in the village for The tour of Britain, to name but a few.

The individuals, organisations and businesses who have made this possible are listed below:

Future Biogas; Ross Carrick; Mr & Mrs S Smith; Ruth Wilkinson; Kate Vickers; Karu Ltd; Brigg Singers; David Carrick; Jim Toyne; Hibaldstow Academy; Hibaldstow Rural Day Centre; Hibaldstow Gardening Club; Hibaldstow PCC; Margaret Sugden; Hibaldstow Kurling Club; Joyce Carrington; Angela Powell; Angela Powell Letting & Property Management; Rachel Robinson; TKB; Sarah Whitaker; Robert Borrill; The Wheatsheaf; Pipers Crisps; Techrete; Lincoln & York Coffee; St Hugh's Hospital; Hibaldstow Scouts; Whites Recycling; AMB Caravan Storage; Hibaldstow Parish Council; Skydive Hibaldstow; Jadon; Church Street Stores; Hibaldstow Co-op; Welvent; AM Borrill & Son; Ty Warren; Station Fish Bar; Debbie Webb; Margaret Barton; Andrew Imms; Atherton Family; Appletree Day Nursery; Pam White; Hibaldstow Methodist Church; Hibaldstow Book Club; Hibaldstow History Group; plus Anonymous donations



If you would like to make a donation – there is still time via either **The 'Hibaldstow Room' Just Giving Page** or contacting any of the following people:

**David Carrick** - 656875; **Sue Bilson** - 653904; **Ruth Wilkinson** - 651358;

**Angela Smith** - 654229; **Rachel Robinson** - 07950 505659



### FUND RAISING CONCERT

The final event in the village's year of Fund Raising for the **Lindsey Lodge Hospice Room** Renovation programme takes place on **Friday 15th December**.

This will be a **Christmas Concert** by **The Brigg Singers** at **Hibaldstow Village Hall**

on **Friday 15th December** at **7.30pm**. There are a few tickets still available (**£5 each** inclusive of tea/coffee and mince pies) at **Church Street Stores** or by calling **01652 656875**.

There will also be a Lindsey Lodge Hospice merchandise stall and raffle.

## Gardening Club Hibaldstow



Thank you to Rudie Bertins of Rudies Roots Nurseries, Nettleham, for an interesting, enjoyable and entertaining evening on **HARDY EXOTICS**. It would seem, that with a little tender care, many exotic plants are hardy given the right environment. And who knew that certain bamboos, wherever they are in the world, flower at about the same time even though flowering may occur 50 to 100 years apart. Rudie brought an array of plants, including palms and cordylines, explaining their differences and how to look after them.

He also came with a Wollemi pine grown from seed. Until 1994, when a tree was discovered in a remote steep gorge in Australia, it was known only through fossil records.

The question and answer session following the talk ended as cups of tea were finished. It could have gone on for an hour or two longer.