



# EAST WOLDS

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MAY 2026



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# THOUGHTS FROM OUR FRIEND

Dear Reader

I hope you're keeping well and I hope you all had a good Easter.

I imagine that for some, it was a busy time with friends and family. The children off school and lots of events going on. The calendar filling up.

I always see Easter as a bit of a milestone, it feels like a marker to me, to say that spring is in full swing and summer is around the corner.

This is a time for me when I can get my hands in the soil and lose myself, planning the veg plot, planting seeds and generally tidying up outside. Shifting the dead stuff and cutting back. It's a thrill to see plants growing back in an area that not many weeks ago looked cold, dark and lifeless.

Every year around this time, I always think to myself, it won't be long before we're sitting out and enjoying the lighter evenings and summer warmth. And every year it seems to fly past and before I know it, its September and I'm thinking good heavens that went quick. Where has the summer gone?



With that in mind, I've decided that this year I'm not going to even contemplate the summer and warm evenings or sitting out. I'm not going to plan what I'll do, where we might go, because I'm sure for me it makes the time go faster! I'm thinking that it's my fault, I'm speeding up the process.

So I've decided I'm going to get my hands in the soil, breathe in and just take it a day at a time. I'm not going to rush ahead with my thoughts. Just enjoy the day and what it brings. It made me think that it's all well and good spouting on about being mindful and being present, but am I actually practicing what I preach?

I came to the conclusion that I'm not!

Time for a rethink, so for me instead of excitedly thinking ahead of what's to come and the possibilities, I'm going to think about today and what I'm doing.

That's not to say I'll stop getting excited about things I'm looking forward to, I won't, it's in my DNA, but I'm not going to let myself rush through the weeks looking for the next thing.

I suppose it's like pressing the reset button (as I often have to do). A conscious decision to pay attention if you like.

Anyway it's all food for thought and if it stops us from rushing through our days and creates a minute to look up, listen and take some time, then it's all been worth it.

Wishing you a peaceful time whatever you're up to.

# A QUICK MESSAGE FROM US

Hello everyone, and welcome to our May edition!

Spring has well and truly arrived, and it's been lovely to see some much needed sunshine at last.

It's been another busy month putting together a community newsletter we can all be proud of, and we truly hope you enjoy reading it. We're also delighted to welcome a new friend of the newsletter to the neighbourhood, Farmhouse Coffee and Deli which has just opened in Foxholes. Please do pop along to support Kirk and his team – having visited ourselves, we can highly recommend stopping by for a coffee and something to eat!



A huge thank you to everyone who has kindly contributed articles and features, and to the wonderful individuals and businesses who continue to advertise and help fund our little newsletter. Your support is greatly appreciated.

We hope you enjoy this edition, and please don't forget to keep the content coming. We'd love to see more of your photos and stories, so do keep sharing them with us. New contributors are very welcome, so why not get in touch?

The copy deadline for our next edition is Friday 22nd May, so please send any submissions over by then.

Thank you for reading.

Warm regards,

Sarah & James



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**Foxholes community speed watch are looking for new recruits to help combat speeding in the village.**  
**If you have a little time to spare and would like to get involved, please call Angela on 07793 593322**

# WOLD NEWTON COMMUNITY CENTRE



**Mondays 1:30-3pm**  
*Weekly line dancing for  
beginners & improvers*

**Tuesdays 10-11am**  
*Weekly Tai Chi*

**7 May**  
*Quiz Night (this will then move to  
The Falling Stone from June)*

**18 May**  
*Community Centre Monthly  
Meeting - New members/ideas  
always welcome*

**19 May**  
*Garden Club*

**30 May**  
*Coffee Morning 10-12*

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# CAROLYN'S GARDEN TIPS

## Companion Plants

Companion plants are those that can help control or deter pests or diseases from other plants. Certain plants are better planted with others, for instance, planting French Marigolds with Tomato plants deters aphids.

For aphids control you can plant Marigolds, Nasturtiums, Petunias or Oregano near to plants affected by aphids.

Chrysanthemums contain pyrethrum which is a natural insecticide, affecting ticks, ants & fleas.

Marigolds, Mint, Oregano, Lavender & Lemon grass all repel mosquitoes. Lemon grass is used in Citronella products.

Lavender also repels moths & flies, which is why it has traditionally been used in fragrance bags to hang alongside clothes.

Carrot flies will disseminate a crop of carrots, however, they only fly as high as 18 inches, so growing carrots in taller containers can help. Carrot flies rely on scent so



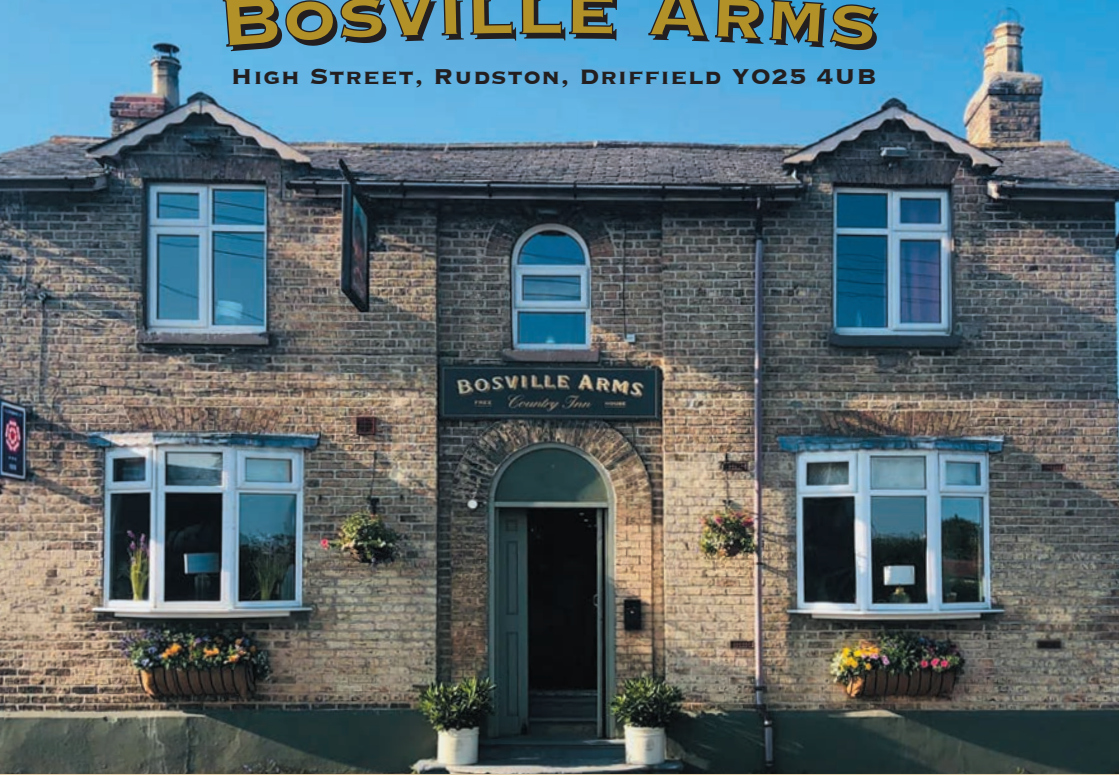
growing onions & strong smelling plants can mask the smell of carrots. Also, try to sow the carrot seeds at the correct density in the first place, to avoid needing to thin the carrots out, as the carrot flies will be very attracted by the smell of those carrot thinnings.

A helping hand is always good in the garden, especially if you can eat or enjoy the plants that aid you.

**Carolyn Webb, Foxholes**

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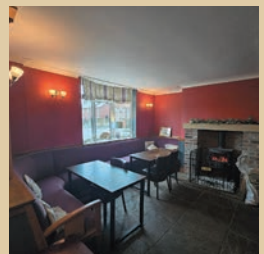
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Sunday Lunch Served: 12pm - 6pm

Afternoon Tea is back! (Please give 48 hours notice)

*We cater for Functions, Wakes and Private events. Please call us for details.*

**Saturday 23rd May:** We have a DJ all day outside cafe del mar style  
with BBQ, then inside at night time



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Slovakia-born Peter Kroka has lived in the UK for almost two decades and has previously worked in the army and a slaughterhouse, as well as a Michelin-starred kitchen, and is currently head chef at the Bosville Arms in Drifffield, Yorkshire.

“My mum was a trained chef, and she prepared me and my older brothers for life through food when we were growing up,” he began. “From about seven years old, I was making my own pasta and helping with cooking. It was never forced on us, it was just normal. My dad was more about meat, so he taught me how to cook pork. I’m from Slovakia, and at that time it was still communism, so we didn’t really see things like steaks, unless you knew the butcher. Mostly it was pork and chicken.”

“My mum told me not to become a chef because of the long hours and no social life! So I went into the army. Then I decided to come to the UK and I started working in a slaughterhouse and stayed there for about seven or eight years. After I had an accident at work, I couldn’t really do heavy lifting anymore, so I went to Ox Pasture Hall in Scarborough.

“I was working as a cleaner, but it was always understaffed, so I had to help in

the kitchen, help in the garden, then clean the rooms. That was really my first contact with a professional kitchen.

“Then I left and went to gastropub The Plough in Scalby, which at the time was probably the best place to eat around there. I started as a kitchen porter, and a month later I was a chef, because my head chef, Jon Smith, said: ‘You are not the KP. You’re probably more skilful than everybody else here.’ So I started cooking and just kept going higher and higher on the ladder.”

“I started at a pub called Clipper, which was a mistake in some ways, but also a big learning curve,” he admitted. “After that, I went to Duck Bay, which is a hotel by the loch near Balloch, where we lived. It was easy to get to and from home, we were cooking fresh food, and it was a really nice company to work for.”

“Then the lockdown hit. My girlfriend’s mum and stepfather were down in England and we felt trapped in the flat, so we moved back to England.”

Finding a job post-Covid proved difficult for Peter, deemed overqualified for many of the roles on offer. But his next break came at Michelin-star level.

“I went to Whitby and worked for Andrew Pern at The Star Inn at Whitby Harbour,” he said. “After lockdown, because everyone had had enough of staying at home, it was busy. It was Michelin-starred, so high standards and fast service.”

“That was a crazy time, but I realised I was too old for that lifestyle. Sometimes I was starting at 9am and finishing at 1am. We had a seven-month-old son and I was only seeing him on my days off. I just thought, I can’t do this anymore.”



After a spell working at coffee shop The Cow Shed at Fraisthorpe Beach, Peter undertook some agency work, which included a stint at White Lodge in Filey, where he made a big life choice.

“I realised I didn’t want to work for anybody else anymore, only for myself,” he said. “When you work for yourself, you don’t have to report to anyone and you can take a risk and try something different.”

“So my girlfriend and her mum found a little coffee shop near where we lived, on a caravan site with a scenic view. We took it on, started painting and doing the place up, and opened.”

“I was working as head chef at White Lodge and trying to help them run it as well, so I had to choose one, as I was

basically working seven days a week. It was an easy choice. I decided to go full-time into the coffee shop.”

Named Luca’s Bistro, after their son Luca, Peter teamed up with a local shellfish supplier to elevate the menu, with lobster, scallop, octopus and crab dishes.

Last year, the bistro got a new home, at the community-owned Bosville Arms, five minutes down the road.

“We’re trying to be something between a gastropub and a pub,” he said. “I follow Fallow in London and a few other people on YouTube, so I learned from that, then make the flavours my own. People have said to me, ‘I can close my eyes and I’m in Spain’. That’s what makes it worthwhile. Obviously, we all work for money, but the real reason I do it is when customers say thank you, or say a dish has taken them back to childhood or reminded them of somewhere they’ve been.”

“My style of cooking is what you would have at home, but served with a little finesse. The flavours are more important to me than how it looks.”

Interview courtesy of  
[www.thestaffcanteen.com](http://www.thestaffcanteen.com)



# FLAMBOROUGH FLIPPERS

## Finding Your Feet (and Yourself) in the North Sea

By “Chillidipper Jess”



something like this can help. For many of us, it's become a space to reset, to breathe, and to feel like ourselves again. Whether you come for the cold water, the mental health boost, or just the company, you'll always find a warm welcome waiting.

From beach brews to belly laughs, the Flamborough Flippers is proof that sometimes the simplest things, sea, fresh air, good people, and a judgement-free space can make the biggest difference.

Find and follow us on Facebook: Flamborough Flippers

Swims are on the events page, please come along and give us a try!

Photos courtesy of MI Photography, also on Facebook.

What started as a few of us dragging ourselves into the North Sea has turned into something far bigger than we ever imagined. The Flamborough Flippers isn't just a swim group, it's a community, a support system, and for many of us, a bit of a lifeline.

We're not elite athletes, and there's no pressure here. Some of us swim, some of us dip, some of us get in, squeal, and get straight back out and that all counts. It's about showing up, knowing your limits, and being surrounded by people who've got your back (and probably a hot drink waiting afterwards).

Cold water swimming is known for its benefits, boosting mood, building resilience, helping manage stress and we see that every single week. But what really makes this group special is the people. Friendships are built quickly

when you're stood on a windy beach questioning your life choices together.

We swim all year round, through calm seas and choppy ones, always putting safety first and encouraging everyone to go at their own pace. There is absolutely no judgement here, whether it's your first dip or your hundredth, whether you stay in for seconds or minutes, you are just as much a Flipper as anyone else.

What people often don't always realise is how much



# FOXHOLES EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES FOR MAY 2026

## WEEKLY SOCIAL ACTIVITIES GROUPS

**MONDAY 4th, 11th, 18th, 25th**

**2.00pm till 4.00pm**

**(Meeting Room Every Week)**

**CRAFT GROUP**

Contact Gill Buckley - 07748908102

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**MONDAY 4th May**

**7.30pm till 9.00pm**

**(Meeting Room 1st Monday in Month)**

**PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB**

Contact Sue Tyler - 07881374805

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**TUESDAY 12th May**

**7.30pm till 9.30pm**

**(Main Hall 2nd Tuesday in Month)**

**PROGRESSIVE WHIST**

Contact Rod Buckley - 07748755607

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**TUESDAY 26th May**

**7.00pm till 9.30pm**

**(Main Hall Last Tuesday in Month)**

**YORKSHIRE COAST FARM**

**WOMEN'S GROUP (Guest Speakers)**

**(NO MEETING THIS MONTH)**

Contact Lorraine Gilling - 07912755294

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**WEDNESDAY 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th**

**7.00pm till 9.00pm**

**(Main Hall Every Week)**

**LINE DANCING**

Contact Margot Cooper - 07902293358

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**THURSDAY 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th**

**1.00pm till 3.00pm**

**(Main Hall Every Week)**

**ART GROUP**

Contact Pam England

(Just come and join us on the day)

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**THURSDAY 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th**

**7.00pm till 9.00pm**

**(Main Hall Every Week)**

**SHORT MAT BOWLS**

Contact Peter Hicks - 07885081993

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**FRIDAY**

Available for bookings

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**SUNDAY 3rd May**

**1.00pm till 9.00pm (Main Hall)**

**PRIVATE FUNCTION**

Contact Rod Buckley - 07748755607

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**SATURDAY 9th, 23rd May**

**10.30am till 12.00pm**

**(Main Hall Fortnightly)**

**COFFEE MORNING / LIBRARY**

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**SATURDAY 16th May**

**9.30am till 11.00pm (Main Hall Monthly)**

**FELLAS at FOXHOLES**

Contact Gill Buckley - 07748908102

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# THWING TIMETABLE

Thwing is served by the 524 bus service, on Wednesdays to Bridlington and Fridays to Driffield (timetable attached). It's been running to this timetable since East Hull Community Transport took over the service in September 2023.

## Service 524 Driffield – Burton Fleming – Bridlington

(Wednesday & Friday) Operated by: East Hull Community Transport

Days	Wed	Fri	Days	Wed	Fri
Bridlington (Bus Station)	1300	...	Driffield (George Street)	...	1300
Boynton	1315	0930	Ruston Parva	0930	1310
Rudston	1320	0935	Kilham	0935	1315
Burton Fleming	1330	0945	Thwing	0940	1320
Wold Newton	1335	0950	Wold Newton	0945	1325
Thwing	1340	0955	Burton Fleming	0950	1330
Kilham (Church)	1345	1000	Rudston	1000	1340
Ruston Parva	1350	1005	Boynton	1005	1345
Driffield (George Street)	...	1015	Bridlington (Bus Station)	1020	...

## Service 535 Driffield – Sledmere – Driffield

(Tuesday & Thursday) Operated by: East Hull Community Transport

Days	Tue/Thur	Tue/Thur
Driffield (Middle Street South)	0910	1140
Little Driffield (Downe Arms)	0914	1144
Garton (Memorial)	0919	1149
Wetwang (Post Office)	0928	1158
Fridaythorpe (Pond)	0935	1205
Fimber (Pond)	0938	1208
Sledmere (EY Memorial)	0945	1215
Garton (Memorial)	0952	1222
Little Driffield (Downe Arms)	0957	1227
Driffield (Middle Street South)	1001	1231

# WHAT'S ON AT KILHAM VILLAGE HALL

## Monday

### Wolds' Crafters

**Main Hall - 1.00pm to 4.00pm.** The group leader is Mary Harris. (01377) 254172

**Keep Fit Circuit Sessions - Main Hall - 7.00pm to 7.45 pm.** Contact Alice Stark, Redefined Coaching. 07703 530518

## Tuesday

### Sapravarna Yoga classes

**Main Hall - mornings (Term Time Only) from 9.15am to 10.30am.**

The group leader is Mrs Helen Harris.  
07813 66702  
email: helenharrysoga@gmail.com

### Womens Institute

**Main Hall - second Tuesday of each month. Meetings are from 7.15pm to 9.00pm.** Contact Christine Snowden  
email: ces1951@hotmail.co.uk

### Kilham Gardening Club

**Main Hall - first Tuesday of the month, October to April. Meetings are from 7:30pm to 9:30pm.**

**Kilham Village Hall Trustees - Meeting Room - meetings 4 evenings a year from 7.30pm to 9.00pm.**

## Wednesday

### Parents and Toddlers Playgroup

**Main Hall - mornings from 09.30am to 11.15am.** The group leader is Amy Clarkson  
07500 069642

### Tapestry Group

**Meeting Room - held on the last Wednesday of each month from 10.00am to 12.00pm.** The group leader is Sheila Littlewood (01262) 420381

**All Saints Community Teas - held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 12:30pm**  
- all welcome.

**Outreach Post Office - Meeting Room - from 1:00pm to 4:00pm**

**Keep Fit Circuit Sessions - Main Hall 7.00pm to 7.45 pm.** Contact Alice Stark, Redefined Coaching. 07703 530518

### Knitting Group

**Main Hall - evenings from 7:00pm to 9:00pm.** The group leader is Jenny Gilmartin 07857 458342

## Thursday

### Indoor Bowls

**Main Hall - October to March 2.00pm to 4.00pm.** The group leader is Tim Marshall  
email: bike1588@hotmail.com

### Rainbows

**Meeting Room - evenings from 6.00pm to 7.00pm.** The group leader is Sue Dennis  
email: sdennis917@btinternet.com

### Brownies

**Main Hall - evening from 6.00pm to 7.00pm.** The group leader is Michelle Keyes.  
email: kilhambrownowl@hotmail.com

### Guides

**Meeting Room - evening from 7.00pm to 8.00pm.** The group leader is Claire Dennis.  
email: clairebell2112@gmail.com

### Rangers

**Main Hall - evening from 7:00pm to 8:30pm.** The group leader is Katherine Phipps. email: katehipps7@hotmail.com

## Friday

**Outreach Post Office - Meeting Room - from 9:00am to 12:00am**

### Sapravarna Yoga classes

**Main Hall - mornings (Term Time Only) from 9.15am to 10.30am.**  
The group leader is Mrs Helen Harris.  
07813 66702  
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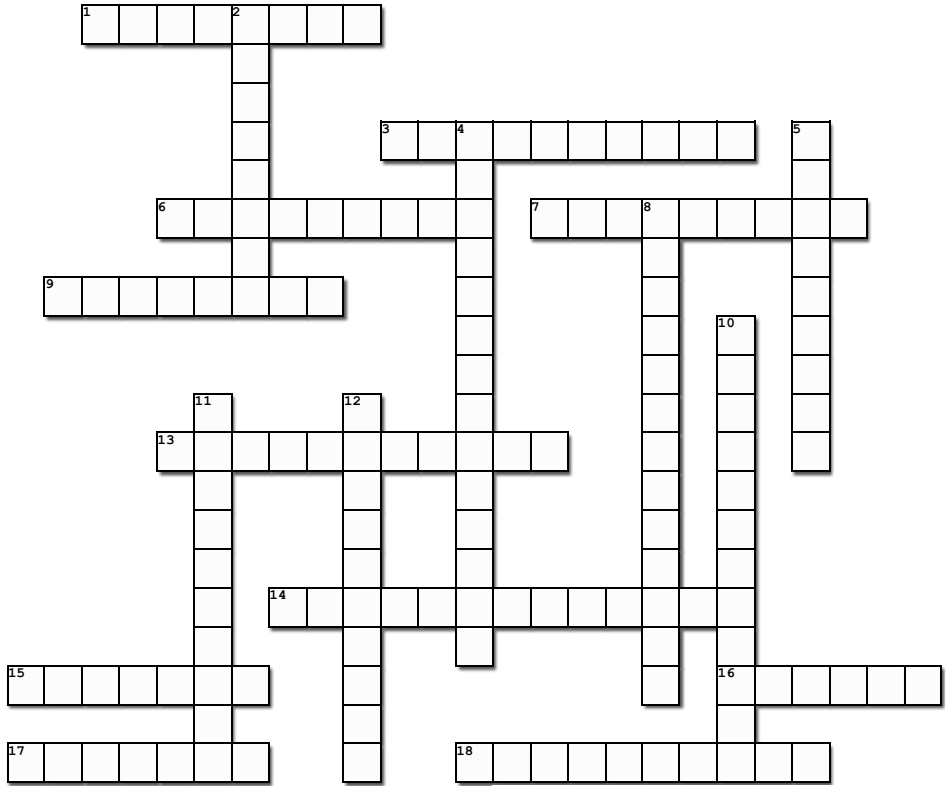
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# THE PUZZLE PAGES

## MULTI-TALENTED STARS CROSSWORD. SOLUTION ON PAGE 30.



### Across

1. Pop icon and 'A Star Is Born' actress (4,4)
3. 80s TV legend and singing star David ? (10)
6. Rapper and sitcom actor turned A-list film star (4,5)
7. Comedy actor and half of musical duo Tenacious D (4,5)
9. Rock legend with PhD in Astrophysics (5,3)
13. Hardman footballer who became movie tough guy (6,5)
14. WWE legend 'The Rock' who became a movie powerhouse (6,7)
15. Competitive diver turned action superstar, Jason ? (7)
16. Sitcom star, actor and pianist Hugh ? (6)
17. 'Star Trek' legend who has released a string of albums, William ? (7)

18. 'Miami Vice' star who released two successful 80s albums (3,7)

### Down

2. Famed movie actor who plays jazz piano, Jeff ? (8)
4. Bodybuilder, actor, governor, Arnold ? (14)
5. Commercial pilot, competitive fencer and Iron Maiden singer, Bruce ? (9)
8. Country Music Hall Of Fame inductee turned actor, Kris (13)
10. 'Deadpool' actor and owner of Wrexham AFC (4,8)
11. Boy band member turned pop star and film actor, Justin ? (10)
12. Rat Pack's 'King Of Cool' - crooner, actor and host (4,6)

## WORDSEARCH - TV SITCOMS

Can you find these 14 famous sitcoms in the grid? They can go forward, backward or diagonally! Solution on page 30.

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**Come and visit our brand new coffee shop and deli, now open in Foxholes. A warm welcome awaits you from me, Kirk and my lovely team. Find us on Instagram for updates on pop-up event evenings & menus.**

**Serving:**  
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Homemade Cakes and Desserts • Local preserves*

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**Main Street, Foxholes, North Yorkshire, YO25 3QE**



# THE RECIPE BOOK

## MARY BERRY'S FRAGRANT CHICKEN TRAY BAKE

### Ingredients:

1 large aubergine, sliced into half moons  
2 peppers, deseeded and sliced into large pieces  
1 large onion, sliced  
3 tbsp sunflower oil  
3 dried lime leaves  
1 large stick of lemongrass, bashed  
3 large chicken breast fillets, each sliced in half  
2 tbsp sweet chilli sauce  
150g (5oz) baby spinach leaves  
Small bunch of Thai basil, chopped

### Essential kit:

Roasting tin

### Method:

Preheat the oven to 220°C/200°C Fan/Gas 7.

To make the sauce, mix all the ingredients together in a bowl.

Scatter the aubergine, peppers and onion into a large shallow roasting tin. Drizzle with 2 tablespoons of the oil and toss everything together. Pour over half of the sauce. Add the lime leaves and lemongrass to the tin and roast in the preheated oven for 15 minutes.

Toss the chicken in the remaining oil and the sweet chilli sauce, and season well. Place a large frying pan over a high heat until very hot. Add the chicken and brown very quickly until sealed and golden, stirring constantly.

Remove the roasting tin from the oven and pour over the remaining sauce. Place the chicken on top and return to the oven for about 15 minutes, or until cooked through.

Transfer the chicken onto a plate. Stir the spinach and Thai basil into the sauce and vegetables in the tin and gently warm over the hob until the spinach has wilted.

Serve the chicken traybake with rice

### For the fragrant sauce:

1 x 400ml can coconut milk  
2 tbsp Thai red curry paste  
2 garlic cloves, crushed  
2 tsp freshly grated ginger  
juice of 1 lime  
2 tsp fish sauce  
2 tbsp sweet chilli sauce



Recipe sent to us by Ann Clark, Foxholes



## COFFEE MORNING

**Saturday 9th May  
10am to 11.30am.**

**FOL Coffee Mornings take place on the 2nd Saturday of the month.**



**Please come along and join us in  
The Church Rooms, Church Lane, Langtoft.**

**We do toasted teacakes, crumpets and cakes,  
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free house



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*Pizza takeaway every night*

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*Eat in or Take Away, very popular*

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**Call us to book!**



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- We cater for Parties, Baby Showers, Private Functions and Funerals
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*"We had a gathering at The Anvil Arms following my mum's funeral this week. The buffet food was amazing, and the pub was lovely and cosy with a woodburner going. Lovely atmosphere. Thank you Neil and Karen and staff. Lots of the guests commented on how impressed they were and that they will be back, as will we."*

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To book please call us on 07802 466606

# DRAWING A LINE IN THE CHALK

A CAMPAIGN TO OPPOSE DRILLING FOR GAS  
IN THE GREAT WOLD VALLEY



A PUBLIC MEETING FOR ALL AT  
FOXHOLES COMMUNITY HALL



MONDAY 11TH MAY 2026



7:00 P.M.



**THE FIGHT IS NOT OVER,  
THERE IS A WAY TO GO.**

Hear where the campaign stands

- The challenges we're facing
- What we've achieved so far
- And how this could impact you

**YOUR VOICE COULD SHAPE  
WHAT HAPPENS NEXT.**

**HOW WE MOVE FORWARD, YOUR VOICE AND  
TALENTS ARE NEEDED:**



**RAISING  
THE CAMPAIGN'S  
PROFILE**



**SPREADING  
THE WORD**



**FUND-  
RAISING**



SCAN TO  
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**TOGETHER, WE CAN PROTECT OUR WATER,  
OUR LAND, AND OUR FUTURE.**



# PROTECT OUR WATER. PROTECT OUR VALLEY.

Drilling for gas in the Great Wold Valley could put our water, countryside, and communities at risk.



# 900,000+

PEOPLE RELY ON  
THIS WATER

Will we be able to  
trust it in the future?

It's not just one village.  
It's not just one issue.  
This affects all of us.



## WE NEED YOUR HELP NOW

Attend the planning meeting or submit your objection.



### WHAT'S BEING PROPOSED?

Gas drilling in the chalk aquifer beneath the Great Wold Valley.

#### WHY IT MATTERS:



Drinking water risk



Increased traffic & disruption



Industrialisation of rural land



### TAKE ACTION

Your voice makes a difference.

#### 1 SUBMIT YOUR VIEW ONLINE

Have your say on the planning portal:



<https://tinyurl.com/foxholes-comment>

#### 2 WRITE TO:

- Email: [planning.control@northyorks.gov.uk](mailto:planning.control@northyorks.gov.uk)  
Post: Planning Services  
North Yorkshire Council  
County Hall, Northallerton  
DL7 8AH  
Ref: NY/2025/O113/FUL



### JOIN THE PUBLIC MEETING

Foxholes Community Hall  
Monday 11th May 2026  
7:00 P.M.

### THIS COULD AFFECT YOUR WATER



## DRAWING A LINE IN THE CHALK

A CAMPAIGN TO OPPOSE GAS DRILLING IN THE GREAT WOLD VALLEY



# DRIFFIELD RUGBY REPORT

The Driffield Woldswomen recently faced Bishop Auckland Ladies on April 19, 2026, in a top-of-the-table clash in Women's Championship North 2. The result of the late-season meeting saw Driffield within 3 points of promotion. Captain Ellie Harding provided this match report:

## Bishop Auckland vs Driffield Woldswomen



Driffield made the journey to Bishop Auckland for a top-of-the-table clash, with both sides backed by a strong crowd. The hosts marked their 50th anniversary with a lively atmosphere, while travelling supporters ensured Driffield had plenty of encouragement from the sidelines.

From the opening whistle, the contest was fiercely physical. Bishop Auckland brought a hard-hitting defensive line that Driffield initially struggled to break down. Despite enjoying spells of possession, the visitors found it difficult to gain territory.

Bishop Auckland struck first after sustained pressure. A penalty conceded by Driffield just five metres from their own try line allowed the hosts to capitalise, powering over for the opening try, which was successfully converted to make it 7-0.

Driffield responded well with improved phase play, finding themselves into the Bishop 22 on several occasions. However, a resolute home defence kept them at bay. The breakthrough finally came through the ever-impressive Rianna Manson, who

drove over the line to level the scores. Ellie Harding added the extras, sending the sides into the break tied at 7-7.

The second half followed a similar pattern, with Bishop Auckland continuing to carry hard while Driffield impressed at the breakdown, winning key turnovers. As the half progressed, cracks began to appear in the home defence, and Driffield started to benefit from a series of penalties across the pitch.

A penalty awarded to Driffield in the Bishop 22 was calmly converted by Harding, giving Driffield a 10-7 lead. Buoyed by growing confidence, the visitors increased their attacking threat. Line breaks from Chloe Brocklebank, Mel Halstead, and Manson created further chances, though they were initially unable to add to their tally.

Driffield's pressure eventually told. Another powerful surge from Manson brought play to within inches of the try line, before Georgia Lane finished clinically from close range under the posts. Harding again converted to extend the lead to 17-7.

The visitors came close to adding another shortly after, but a determined Bishop defence held them up over the line. Refusing to relent, Bishop Auckland struck back with a try from their pacey backline, narrowing the gap to 17-12 after the conversion was missed.

With the game still in the balance, both sides battled to the final whistle. Driffield,

however, controlled possession in the closing stages and were rewarded with another penalty in the Bishop 22, which Harding converted to seal a 20–12 victory.

It was a hard-fought and deserved win for the Woldswomen, who now sit three points clear at the top of the league, celebrating the success with a *Stars in Their Eyes* themed karaoke bus trip to see

the team home.

**Player of the Match:** Rianna Manson – for leading the Driffild attack and powerful carries.

**Coaches' & Opposition Player of the Match:** Chloe Brocklebank – for her excellent line breaks and attacking threat.



## THWING AND OCTON AMENITY COMMITTEE

The Annual General Meeting held on March 4th had been unable to determine a successor to Chris Oxtoby and it decided to convene an Extraordinary General Meeting on April 1st. The date proved not to be foolish but positive. The banner headline prior to the meeting had been 'Save Our Show' and the meeting achieved this and more besides. A large number of residents attended the meeting and the unanimous view was that the Amenity Committee should continue because their endeavours had been of great benefit to the community. Emily Field-Corrigan agreed to accept a nomination as Chairman and every-one greeted this with acclamation! Ann Carline said she had experience as an Events Organiser and she would be willing to be the Co-ordinator of the Village Show. The following were duly elected :-

**Chairman Emily Field-Corrigan : Vice Chairman John Taylor : Alan Jeffery  
Treasurer : Martin Dodgson Secretary : Ann Carline Show co-ordinator : and  
Committee members Debbie Best, Lesley Culpan, Angela Highton, Rachel  
Steed, Tom Woodmansey.**

On behalf of the Amenity Committee and indeed the village community Debbie Best made a presentation to Chris Oxtoby in recognition of his HUGE commitment over many years not least to his organisation of the Annual Show which due to Chris's endeavour had become a vital part of the community calendar.

Martin Dodgson

# RACE NIGHT



**WOLD NEWTON  
COMMUNITY  
CENTRE**

**TICKETS**  
**ADULTS £6**  
**CHILDREN FREE**



**INCLUDES A PIE & PEA  
SUPPER / HOT DOGS  
FOR CHILDREN**

**BYO DRINKS**

**SATURDAY**  
**6<sup>th</sup> June**

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**HORSE SALES**

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**TICKET SALES**

Jane 07397290927



**TICKET ONLY EVENT**



# Thwing Coffee Morning



**Join us for some friendly chat & banter**

**on**

**The First Saturday of Every Month**

**between 10am & 12noon**

**Thwing Parish Room, Church Lane, Thwing**

# LANGTOFT CHURCH ROOMS



## COFFEE MORNING

Cakes & Bacon Butties

The last Saturday  
of every month  
10am to 11:30am

Church Lane, Langtoft,  
Driffield, United Kingdom

## MULTI-TALENTED STARS CROSSWORD SOLUTION:

### Across

1. Lady Gaga
3. Hasselhoff
6. Will Smith
7. Jack Black
9. Brian May
13. Vinnie Jones
14. Dwayne Johnson
15. Statham
16. Laurie
17. Shatner
18. Don Johnson

### Down

2. Goldblum
4. Schwarzenegger
5. Dickinson
8. Kristofferson
10. Ryan Reynolds
11. Timberlake
12. Dean Martin

## WORDSEARCH SOLUTION:



Fun Village

# Quiz

*& Raffle*



**First Thursday of every month**

**From 7:30pm**

**Wold Newton Community Hall, Front Street**

**Teams of up to 4 - £3 per player**

**Bring your own refreshments**

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*A Thwing & Octon Amenities Group event*

*Raising funds for the East Wolds Community Newsletter*



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