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Email: holmesfieldvillagehall@outlook.com

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Here is a taste of our Autumn Events:

Mondays

Art Class : Develop your creative talents. Adult art class / painting class suitable for all.
Contact Glen: 07710 600453. 10am start.

Rhythmix Dance : Inspire confidence, dance technique and performance skills. Dance and gymnastics classes for all children from pre-school to teens. Contact Jess & Hayley: 07725 908390. 4pm start.

Zumba : Latin Inspired dance/fitness class. If you love to dance, enjoy moving to great music and want to keep fit then this class is for you - feel good fitness suitable for all.
Contact Lucy: 0775 2478866 Email: zumba.dronfield@hotmail.co.uk. 7pm start.

Tuesdays

Rhythmix Dance : Inspire confidence, dance technique and performance skills. Dance and gymnastics classes for all children from pre-school to teens. Contact Jess & Hayley: 07725 908390. 4pm start.

Keep Fit : Aerobics and body conditioning exercises suitable for all.
Contact Geraldine: 07594 684676. 7.30pm start.

Wednesdays

Kilners Cakes : Creative cake decorating workshops, running on regular Wednesday evenings.
Contact Andrea for details of the next workshop: 07961 454943.

Holmesfield Gardening Association : If you are a keen gardener and looking to join a club come along to our next meeting on the first Wednesday of the month.
Contact Hilary 07748 846257. 7.30pm start.

Holmesfield Flower Arranging Club : New to flower arranging or keen to develop existing skills? Come along to our demonstrations and club workshops every third Wednesday of the month. This month – Halloween Theme! Contact 0771 8925514. 7.00pm start.

Thursdays

Rhythmix Dance : Inspire confidence, dance technique and performance skills. Dance and gymnastics classes for all children from pre-school to teens.
Contact Jess & Hayley: 07725 908390. 4pm start.

Amanda Coupland Dog Training Classes : 6 week course running Oct/Nov.
Contact: 07971 049175 or email: info@derbyshiredogservices.com

Keep Fit : Aerobics and body conditioning exercises suitable for all.
Contact Geraldine: 07594 684676. 7.30pm start.

Fridays

Helen O'Grady Drama Academy/After School Club : Drama Classes for primary/secondary.
Contact Nick or Helen: 07952 780823 Email: sheffield@helenogrady.co.uk. 4.30pm start.

Fused Glass Workshops : Artistic adult class in Fused Glass.
Contact Jan Ward for Workshop dates & information: 07751 529378

Saturdays

Little Spinners : Cricketing Skills for 2 to 8 years.
Contact Richard: 07368 339516 Email: richard@littlespinners.co.uk
9.00am to 12.00pm (various sessions)

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1st October (Fri.)	Helen O'Grady Drama Academy / After School Club Primary & secondary age - contact: sheffield@helenogrady.co.uk	Main Hall	4.30pm - 6.00pm
2nd October (Sat.)	Little Spinners : Cricketing Skills for 2 – 8year olds. For Info: richard@littlespinners.co.uk	Main Hall	9.00am - 12.00pm
	Private Booking	Main Hall	Afternoon
3rd October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Small Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
	Private Booking	Main Hall	Afternoon
4th October (Mon.)	Glen Wright Art Class (suitable for all) - contact: 07710 600453	Main Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
	Rhythmix Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.30pm
	Zumba Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness class suitable for all - contact Lucy : 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
5th October (Tues.)	Penny Acres School	Main Hall	1.30pm - 3.30pm
	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.15pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
6th October (Wed.)	Holmesfield Gardening Association Meeting. Social organiser – Hilary Olsen: 07748 846257	Main Hall	7.30pm - 9.30pm
7th October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	10.00am - 11.30am 4.30pm - 6.00pm
	Private Booking	Main Hall	5.00pm - 7.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
8th October (Fri.)	Helen O'Grady Drama Academy / After School Club Primary & secondary age - contact: sheffield@helenogrady.co.uk	Main Hall	4.30pm - 6.00pm
9th October (Sat.)	Little Spinners : Cricketing Skills for 2 – 8year olds. For Info: richard@littlespinners.co.uk	Main Hall	9.00am - 11.00am
	Kilner's Cakes cake decorating workshop - contact Andrea : 07961 454943	Main Hall	Afternoon
10th October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Small Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
11th October (Mon.)	Glen Wright Art Class (suitable for all) - contact: 07710 600453	Main Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
	Rhythmix Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.30pm
	Zumba Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness class suitable for all - contact Lucy : 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
12th October (Tues.)	Penny Acres School	Main Hall	1.30pm - 3.30pm
	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.15pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
13th October (Wed.)	Holmesfield Parish Council Meeting	Main Hall	From 7.30pm
	Kilner's Cakes cake decorating workshop - contact Andrea : 07961 454943	Kitchen	Afternoon
14th October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	10.00am - 11.30am 4.30pm - 6.00pm
	Private Booking	Main Hall	5.00pm - 7.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
15th October (Wed.)	Helen O'Grady Drama Academy / After School Club Primary & secondary age - contact: sheffield@helenogrady.co.uk	Main Hall	4.30pm - 6.00pm
16th October (Sat.)	Little Spinners : Cricketing Skills for 2 – 8year olds. For Info: richard@littlespinners.co.uk	Main Hall	9.00am - 12.00pm
17th October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Small Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
18th October (Mon.)	Glen Wright Art Class (suitable for all) - contact: 07710 600453	Main Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
	Rhythmix Dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.30pm
	Zumba Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness class suitable for all - contact Lucy : 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
19th October (Tues.)	Penny Acres School	Main Hall	1.30pm - 3.30pm
	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	4.00pm - 6.15pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
20th October (Wed.)	Holmesfield Flower Club - contact: June Wright : 07932 872886	Main Hall	From 7.00pm
21st October (Thurs.)	Rhythmix Dance Workshop – dance classes for children www.rhythmixdancestudio.com	Main Hall	10.00am - 11.30am 4.30pm - 6.00pm
	Private Booking	Main Hall	5.00pm - 7.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm

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22nd October (Fri.)	Fused Glass Workshop – Creative Adult Class in Fused Glass - contact Jan Ward : 07751 529378	Small Hall	9.30am - 12.30pm
	Helen O'Grady Drama Academy / After School Club Primary & secondary age - contact: sheffield@helenogrady.co.uk	Main Hall	4.30pm - 6.00pm
23rd October (Sat.)	Little Spinners : Cricketing Skills for 2 – 8year olds. For Info: richard@littlespinners.co.uk	Main Hall	9.00am - 11.00pm
24th October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Small Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm
25th October (Mon.)	Zumba Latin Inspired Dance/Fitness class suitable for all - contact Lucy : 0775 2478866	Main Hall	7.00pm - 8.00pm
26th October (Tues.)	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
28th October (Thurs.)	Private Booking	Main Hall	5.00pm - 7.00pm
	Holmesfield Keep Fit (suitable for all) - contact Geraldine : 07594 684676	Main Hall	7.30pm - 8.30pm
30th October (Sat.)	Holmesfield Scouts : Big Moor Challenge	Main Hall	From 7.00am
31st October (Sun.)	Private Booking	Small Hall	10.00am - 12.00pm

POLICE REPORT TO PARISH COUNCIL

PCSO Flower was present at the meeting to report the incidents for August 2021 which are as follows: Theft: **2** (+2 from last month), drug offence: **1** (+1 from last month).

Dronfield SNT would like to make people aware of concerns regarding a recent spate of catalytic converter thefts. Enquiries are ongoing regarding these thefts but there are some crime prevention tips on our Facebook page. They are continuing to work with CREST and Penny Acres school to look at raising awareness of speeding through the village.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING

The next meeting of the Parish Council will take place on **Wednesday 13th October** in Holmesfield Village Hall on Vicarage Close.

NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

All copy for the November Newsletter *must* be received by 18th October to ensure inclusion in the magazine.

Holmesfield Parish Council welcomes the submission of articles pertinent to Holmesfield by residents for publication in the Parish Newsletter.

Any thoughts and opinions are those of the individual(s) and may not necessarily be shared or endorsed by Holmesfield Parish Council.

Any submissions must include full name and contact details before publication can be considered by the editor.

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Please email any articles to: Holmesfield-newsletter@hotmail.com



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PLANNING MATTERS

Applications Received from North East Derbyshire District Council:

21/00852/FL : Ms. K. Corker – Cowley Hall Farm, Cowley Lane, Holmesfield – Use of land for keeping horses and construction of a stable building.

NO COMMENT

21/00890/LDC : Ms. Stubbs – 57 Main Road, Holmesfield – Application for a certificate of lawful development for a proposed single storey rear extension.

NO COMMENT

NP/NED/0721/0847 : Toll Bar Cottage, Owlbar – Listed Building Consent to remove the windows from the original part of the house and replace.

NO COMMENT

Determinations made by North East Derbyshire District Council:

21/00553/FL : Mr. R. Caplan – Storth House Farm, Moorwood Lane, Owlbar – Application to vary condition 2 (Permitted Plans) pursuant of planning permission 14/00633/FL Demolition of existing farmhouse and erection of replacement dwelling.

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WELCOME TO OUR NEW COUNCILLOR

The Parish Council is delighted to welcome Tom Marples on to the Council, bringing the contingent of Councillors back up to the full nine.

HOLMESFIELD NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Thank you to Sally Ann Marples-Shaw for volunteering to be the new Neighbourhood Watch Co-ordinator.

Sally's contact details are: Tel: 07930 430044 – Email: sallyannms@icloud.com

THANK-YOU

The Parish Council wishes to convey its gratitude to Carl Leeman at Millthorpe Nursery for keeping the planter at Millthorpe looking so attractive.

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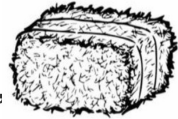


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(Sports Hall and Farwater Lane Car Park)

- Highland Bagpipes
- Face painting
- Children's activities
- Military and emergency vehicles
- Armed Forces stalls
- Community stalls
- Laser Tag by Extreme Wheels, minimum age 9yrs. (Subject to weather conditions).
- Refreshments stalls



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DRONFIELD POLICE SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD TEAM

Crime figures for August 2021 - 3 crimes reported

Theft: 2 (+2 from last month), Drugs: 1 (+1 from last month).
Dronfield SNT would like to make people aware of the following recent concerns.



We have been subjected to a series of catalytic converter thefts. Enquiries are ongoing in regard to these thefts but please consider there are some crime prevention tips on our Facebook page – www.facebook.com/DronfieldPoliceSNT – and we are happy to send some leaflets if required. We are continuing to work with CREST and local school to look at raising awareness of speeding through the village. This work is on going and we will update in future meetings.

Following on to the concerns of vehicles using the restricted roads, at the previous Council meeting we discussed some relevant actions required from trading standards and DCC. We also can confirm that we do have an advisory letter if required also when appropriate but would encourage the information should go to Trading Standards and Highways first.

Following on from concerns about vehicle parking, we have monitored the concerns in Millthorpe and will continue to do so as on the days we have attended, there hasn't been the issues raised at the previous meeting.

Regarding speeding in Millthorpe, we have passed the information to the speeding enforcement team, along with local officer enforcement in between other commitments from us and local police units.

***PCSO 12853 Jonathan Flower,
Dronfield SNT***

HOLMESFIELD PARISH COUNCIL WEBSITE

The Parish Council website was refreshed last year featuring a clean new look and is more compliant for people who are visually impaired.

It is a useful resource for residents to check out the Parish Council's activities and is host to a full colour version of this newsletter and an archive of back issues going back up to 3 years.

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HOLMESFIELD VILLAGE SOCIETY

After a highly productive 'open' meeting we are delighted to report that Holmesfield Village Society has a new committee led by Helen Geary as chair with Adam Kilner as secretary, Alison Taylor as treasurer and Elaine Liversidge to look after the social media side of things.

Assisted by additional committee members, the Society is keen to commence organising fun filled fund raising events to benefit the whole village.

Please join us – we meet on Mondays in the George & Dragon at 7.30pm.

ELECTION OF DISTRICT COUNCILLOR FOR BARLOW AND HOLMESFIELD

There was a by-election on 9th September to elect a new councillor to represent Barlow and Holmesfield on North East Derbyshire District Council following the retirement of Carol Huckerby.

The deputy returning officer - Donna Jawad - confirmed the result as below:

GRIFFIN, Ross Michael (Labour Party)	90 votes
STRAFFORD-STEPHENSON, Bentley (Conservative Party)	294 votes (elected)
WILCOCK, John Martin (Liberal Democrat Party)	42 votes

(1 ballot paper rejected)

Electorate: 1,612 – Ballot Papers Issued: 427 – Turnout: 26.49%

HOLMESFIELD YOUTH CLUB

It was great to meet the other week to share our hopes for a youth group for secondary-aged children here in Holmesfield.

The young people I have been speaking to seem very excited about the prospect of something going on up here for them and word is spreading!

The Holmesfield Local Market Committee have generously donated £250 as a start up grant.

On Monday 1st November we will be holding a one-night-only '*Glow*' event in the church hall to gauge interest for follow up youth gatherings. We're hoping it's going to be fab.

We're looking for a fold up pool table if anyone's got one lurking in the garage they no longer need?

Information about the event will be sent out via the Holmesfield Facebook group and WhatsApp nearer the time!

Please be in touch if you are interested in volunteering to work with this amazing bunch of young people.

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HOLMESFIELD PENNY ACRES SCHOOL LOTTERY

A very excited class of children were involved in creating the draw electronically with a computer number generator for the month of September.

We are pleased to announce the winners as follows:-

September 2021

1st prize No. 108 Mrs R Hodges £59.85
2nd prize No. 115 Mrs L Green £13.30

Penny Acres School were also awarded £59.85.

Thank you to all the parents, family members, neighbours and local residents for your continued support especially during these strange times.

You can join the lottery at any time only £1 per number per month so please feel free if you would like to join contact either Penny Acres School Office or Samantha Copley by emailing samcopley@me.com or phone: 0780 3128729



HOLMESFIELD FLOWER ARRANGING CLUB

'Petals and Pumpkins' - Wednesday 20th October - 7.30pm



Not sure what to do with that pumpkin this year?

Why not come along to our floral Halloween themed workshop where we will show you how to turn a pumpkin into a floral masterpiece.

All you need to bring is a pumpkin of any size and any colour that has been hollowed out, some flowers, garden greenery, seed heads or any Autumnal/Halloween accessories of your choice.

Tickets available on the door : £6.50.

For further details, please contact Diane Sheldon –

Tel: 0771 8925514 – Email: Diane.sheldon1@btinternet.com.

HOLMESFIELD BUS SERVICE - NEW TIMETABLE

The village bus timetable changed from 30th August and has returned to its pre-Covid service with extra buses to Dronfield at 0802, 1327,1759 & 1835 and extra buses to Chesterfield at 0651, 1150, 1354, 1724 & 1819.

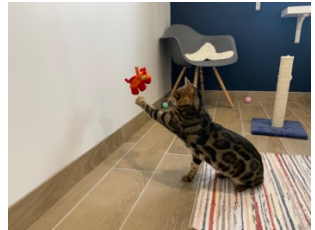
Some existing buses have been re-timed slightly with some running slightly earlier and some slightly later. The new timetable is available on page 57.



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STUART HUCKERBY MEMORIAL CRICKET MATCH

3rd September 2021



A wonderful evening of cricket in memory of HCC's Stuart Huckerby. Holmesfield Cricket Club wishes to thank everyone who played, attended and supported the event.

The weather was kind and a great day was had by all and especially by Tommy Pearson (pictured with Stuart's son, Ben). Great friends for many years, Tommy opened the batting in the second innings, a sight not to be forgotten. Not sure what the score was but who cares!

A raffle was held for St Lukes Hospice: thank you to all those who donated prizes.

A total of £3091 was raised and the presentation of the cheque is this newsletter's cover photograph.



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HOLMESFIELD GARDENING ASSOCIATION

So far so good! It was encouraging to welcome back so many of the members we have not seen for such a long time and also meet some new ones at our September meeting where there was a talk by Carl and Deirdre Leaming on "*Plants for Tricky Places*". It was very informative and helpful. It seemed to be the right plan for the conditions. Hot and sunny or dry and shady along with the right support for the soil such as mulching and care of the plants by regular watering can help resolve planting in most tricky places with the proviso "*know when to quit*" and turn perhaps to a plant in a pot. On 11th October, Carl and Deirdre are celebrating 4 years at Millthorpe and welcome their customers to join them on that day to celebrate.

On **Wednesday 6th October** our talk will be on "*Wonderful wildlife for us all to enjoy*" by Mr. Norman Crowson.

On **Wednesday 3rd November** it's the Garden Association's pie and pea supper with the '*Busking Buddys*' providing entertainment for the evening. Tickets are available to members and also residents. We usually see a lot of our friends and neighbours at this popular event. There is no bar service but as ever feel free to bring your own drink and glass. There is a vegetarian option and the price is £10.00. Anybody wanting a ticket must have purchased or ordered their ticket before the night so that we know how many pies to order. If tickets are ordered in advance people can pay on the evening itself. Tickets can be ordered by contacting Robin Greetham on 01246 413767, Hilary Olson on 0114 2890927 or, Frances Webb on 0114 2890003. Tickets are also available at the October meeting .

In December, Catherine Nuttgens of Sheffield Council's Forestry Management Department will be talking to us about 'Tree Planting and Woodland Creation' a important subject in a world of Global Warming.

All our meetings begin at 7.30pm in Holmesfield Village Hall so hope to see you there.

HOLMESFIELD CHURCH WALKING GROUP

BASLOW / BUBNELL WALK

On **Wednesday 6th October**, Robin Greetham will lead a walk starting from the Wheatsheaf pub, Baslow (DE45 1SR). We will walk along Bramley Lane until we get to Bramley Wood where we turn left and carry on this path until we get to School Lane before returning back to Bubnell through the fields and back to the pub for lunch (optional).

The walk is approx. 4 miles long and a short cut is available.

If you would like to come just turn up on the day.

The cost of the walk is £4 and the proceeds will go to Holmesfield Church maintenance fund. Please phone Robin on 01246 412767 if you have any queries.



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Dear friends,

As school resumes with some sense of normality, we have once again got a very busy term planned. Please see below for dates of our most significant events.

AUTUMN TERM 2021

October:

- 7th World Food Day (Australian menu)
- 11th Visit from Severn Trent Water to give talk to KS1 and KS2
- 18th Parent's Evening (in person or by phone)
- 19th Parent's Evening (in person or by phone)
- 22nd INSET day

November:

- 15th Visit from a Stoneage Man for KS2
- 25th Celebration of Work Event 3.15pmonwards (details to follow)

December:

- 10th Whole school to Panto (Beauty and the Beast)
- 15th Christmas Lunch
- 15th School Christmas Show in the Village Hall
- 22nd School Closed (in lieu of Jubilee Holiday)
- 23rd

It's going to a busy one!

Mr Ratcliffe – Executive Headteacher.

Federation of Penny Acres and Wigley Primary Schools.

Penny Acres: 0114 2890330

HOLMESFIELD ARCHIVES

The Holmesfield Bygones feature of the Parish Newsletter has been enjoyed by many readers since it became a regular feature several years ago.

Whilst we still have several items of interest to share, it is sadly not an inexhaustible collection and we wish to remind readers that we are always seeking to expand the collection and appeal to anyone with paperwork, ephemera and old photographs regarding Holmesfield to get in touch so that they can be digitised for posterity and enjoyed by a wider audience.

Please contact the editor, Nick Wheat - details inside the front cover

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PASS THE REMOTE



Some of us have been very glad to spend some time recently with distant family, having been forcibly kept apart for a year or more. It's been wonderful. But after the joys of hugs and laughter together, familiar family problems recur. My in-laws quickly uprooted us from our favourite spots on the sofa and wasted no time in annexing the remote control. The worlds of Emmerdale and Coronation Street appeared on my TV screen for the first time in many years. Netflix was banished.

Family matters, but family life is not easy. Who gets to say, who's in and who's out in your family? Who gets to say, "who's in control," in your extended family? And when we've finished this earthly life, what do we bequeath to the next generation?

Over recent weeks I've opened up the church doors to let people in who just want to have a look around or reminisce. People returning to a church after some time will often remark on how wonderful it is to have a place that stays the same and familiar after many years. In our world where things change so rapidly, traditions such as our celebration of the harvest at this time of year, and the stable church architecture give a vital sense of rootedness.

The problem occurs when this positive sense of conservatism tips into a stifling clinging on to a long forgotten past. A point comes when we must let the past become the past. Remembered, respected, but not for now. I remember seeing pictures online of my grandparents' house, sold by the new owners after about five years – it was unrecognisable. All those cherished memories I had of the place, gone. But would it be right for me to cling on to something which is now gone – or better to let new generations create their own dreams?

Jesus invites all people to become part of his family, the church; to become part of his everlasting kingdom. To inherit "*an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure.*" To an end of season finale we'll never forget. So what must we do? Simple: puff up the cushions and pass on the remote control.

Rev. Ian

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CHRISTINGLE SERVICE



Many people have told me how much they love the special Christingle service held each year in St. Swithin's church at 6pm on Christmas Eve.

As well as being a magical occasion it helps to raise funds for the important work of the Children's Society. This really is a big village occasion, and we could do with help from people in the village to make sure it all runs smoothly on the night.

If this is something you can support us with please do get in touch with me. Thank you. *Rev. Ian.*

FROM THE PARISH REGISTERS

Baptisms:

8th August – Delilah Poppy Ivy Hill
12th September – William David Alan Booth;
Imogen Josephine Thorne

Weddings:

7th August – Dominic James Hobson & Rachel Kate Shingler;
Oliver David Hill & Josephine Anne Roney
14th August – Philip Robert Baines & Emily Claire Dronfield
11th September – Timothy James Price & Clara Rose Blagden

Funerals:

11th August – Ian Edwards, St Swithin's.

DERBYSHIRE STROKE & NEURO THERAPY CENTRE

If you know of any local person who has suffered a stroke, dementia or brain injuries, Derbyshire Stroke Centre at Holmewood, Chesterfield can arrange for them to visit.

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HOLMESFIELD SUPPORT GROUP

Its that time of the year again for a bit of Spooky fun!

The Pumpkin trail was such a success last year, grandparents were out and about with their grandchildren, families, friends and neighbours taking the opportunity to follow the trail around the village. There was a fantastic atmosphere over the Halloween weekend despite the awful rain at times.

So we are asking for your support once again. Let's do it bigger and better (or at least as well) as we did last year.



It's not a difficult task, all we ask you to do is put a pumpkin or decorations, etc. outside your house / in your garden / on your hedge... you were all so creative last year!

For the children we ask if you can (but not obligatory) put some treats out for them to collect. The great thing about doing this, is that you don't get people ringing your doorbell but at the same time the children can enjoy the trail and the Halloween festivities.

Its been such a tough couple of years for lots of people, but for some children is has been particularly challenging so this little effort and a bit of your time can make a huge difference. Here are some of your masterpieces last year:



We are giving 10 pumpkins away. To have a chance to win please like any of the following pages on Facebook: **Holmesfield Local Market – Holmesfield Support Group** or **Holmesfield Village Society**, or alternatively email holmesfieldlocalmarket@gmail.com. We will put all names into a hat and draw 10 names out.

Please also email us at holmesfieldlocalmarket@gmail.com so you can be included in the trail map and help us to make this an annual event!

On another note regarding the Support Group - As winter starts to come upon us and there are still covid transmissions in the community, please don't feel isolated. If you need support please contact us via the usual methods, via the WhatsApp group or facebook.



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AUGUST 2021 WEATHER

Our weather does change rapidly. As I write this item in September about our August weather the sun is shining and, at 28°C, it feels almost too warm to go out. However, if you can remember the weather in August it was certainly not too warm. We experienced grey skies, drizzle from time to time and temperatures that on many days struggled to get much above 15°C. The warmest day was on the 28th, when the maximum was 22.8°C, but only three days later, the highest temperature was just 15°C. Actually, the average temperature for the month was only slightly below normal but it felt much colder.

Whilst the daytimes were cold, the cloud cover kept us relatively warm at night. The Met Office announced that parts of the UK had experienced a record summer – June, July and August – but it certainly did not feel particularly warm in Derbyshire. The problem for us was that there was an anticyclone that stayed to the north of the UK and this gave us persistent north-east winds that brought cold air down from Norway.

I recorded a total of 126 hours of sunshine over the month. This is less than we expect in August and nearly all of the sunshine that I did record was over the beginning of the month. Much of the month was overcast but relatively dry. However, the flowers in the garden did not seem to mind the dull weather and, even though the rainfall was only half of what we expect, the lawns have stayed green.

Today, we have just been picking plums from our tree and this is about the time that they are normally ripe. I don't keep a record of nature's events, such as fruit ripening and trees coming into leaf, but some people do and there is a record going back to 1736 of natural events in Norfolk. The study of these events is called phenology and the Woodland Trust now keeps these records and welcomes reports from the public. Our fruit ripening as normal means that the temperature over the last few months has not been unusual. An average temperature of one degree above normal is said to be associated with nature's events starting just under a week earlier than expected. So our summer had its highs and lows but overall it was a 'normal summer'.

Brian Brown

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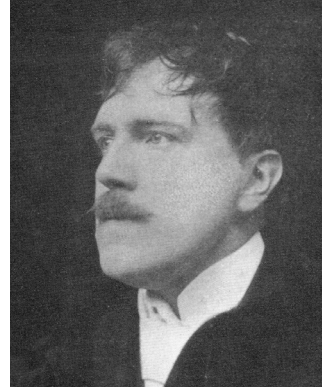
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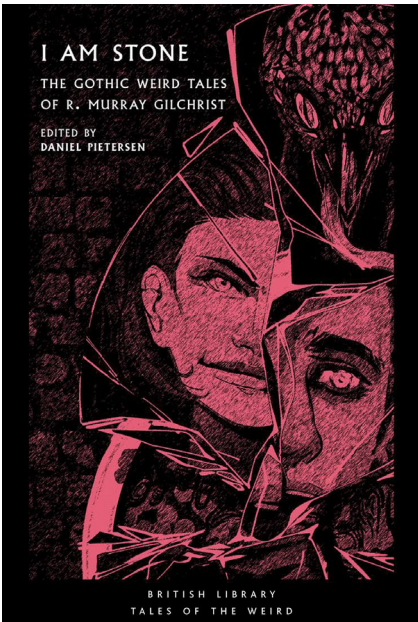
R. Murray Gilchrist (1867–1917) was a former resident of Cartledge Hall in Holmesfield and was a prolific writer, penning twenty-two novels, four regional guide books and six short story collections.

Despite being admired by H. G. Wells and described by Arnold Bennett as “almost the peak of perfection in that difficult genre [of short fiction]”, Gilchrist and his works are now largely forgotten. He was famed for both his weird writing and his more prolific body of work celebrating the folklore and people of his home, the Peak District.



His once celebrated works were very much in the illustrative style of the turn of the last century and a new collection has just been published showcasing the very best of his short fiction. Packed with thrilling encounters and unforgettable descriptions from the weirdest ebb of the writer’s mind, this new work aims to introduce a new readership to Gilchrist’s work.

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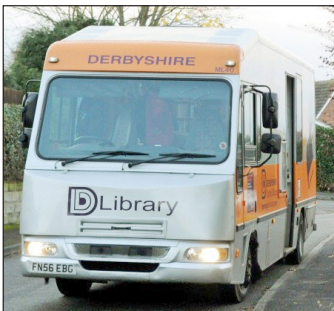
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**Friends of
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If you are interested in helping us carry out such work in Gillfield Wood or have any questions, please contact fogwsecretary@gmail.com

We may also arrange the occasional mid-week Conservation Morning where we will not have the help of a Council Ranger but will concentrate on tasks we can do independently. Here we are likely to meet at the Baslow Road bus terminus at 10.00am. Bring spade/shovel and rake if you have them/one. And gloves and flask. We will probably finish around 11.30 but feel free to come and go to suit.

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Holiday Dates:

Scouts and Explorers will be closed on Tuesday 26th October for Half Term.

Beavers and Cubs will be closed on Wednesday 27th October for Half Term.

Please note that all four sections have a waiting list. If you have children you would like to join the group, please get their names on our waiting lists as soon as possible – don't wait until they are the right age, to avoid disappointment.

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HOLMESFIELD CRICKET CLUB

Match News: Final game of the season:

How the captain saw it: The 1st XI had a coach trip to play Langley Mill knowing that a win would mean promotion to Division 2 of the Derbyshire County League!

Losing the toss, the home team elected to bat first, probably after being hit to all parts by Brent, Postie and Zach in the fixture earlier in the year. They soon found themselves 5-3 with Wilko taking 2 wickets and Mayank

1. A stand in the middle of the innings started to build but Mayank and then our 2nd



South African/Portuguese/Englishman took over. Mayank with 1 more wicket to finish with figures of 10-5-8-2 and Clinton taking 4-31 off 10. The captain should have bowled him earlier last week!! In between Brent tried to give the home team enough runs so he could try and reach 1000 runs for the season 😞. Big Nick Crapper bowled

excellently taking 1-12 and Wilko also returned to take another wicket, finishing with 3-16. The fielding was excellent by all. Langley Mill finished 88 all out.

1st XI – Final League Table

West Hallam White Rose 1st XI	383 Pts
Holmesfield 1st XI	359 Pts
Marehay 2nd XI	324 Pts
Darley Dale 1st XI	314 Pts
Hundall 1st XI	308 Pts
Nutbrook 1st XI	296 Pts
Ashover Barbarians 1st XI	281 Pts
Denby 2nd XI	263 Pts
Chesterfield 2nd XI	255 Pts
Matlock & Cromford 1st XI	224 Pts
Ambergate 1st XI	151 Pts
Langley Mill United 2nd XI	146 Pts

Confident of winning but always wary of our sometimes fragile batting(!), Brent and Jimmy opened. Brent had a scare first ball from a very wayward delivery then took control. After 3 overs we were on 30, with Jimmy on zero! Brent batted excellently finishing on 50 off 28 balls. Jimmy hit a 6 which got stuck up in a tree(!!) and finished on 29. Brent finished on a staggering 887 runs in only 17 innings at an average of 59. He has returned home now but we really do hope he returns next season, not just for the seniors but also to carry on his excellent work with our juniors.

Promotion was secured and we will now be playing in the highest division we have ever played in. A stop off on the way back for a few drinks to celebrate and then a pizza and more drinks at the Rutland Arms rounded off an excellent season.

Thank you to all the supporters who travelled on the coach or in their cars, and throughout the season, it was much appreciated.

Well what a season!

This has been a season to remember – promotion, records tumbling, formation of the 2nd team, ground improvements, to mention just a few highlights.





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HOLMESFIELD CRICKET CLUB (CONT.)



Firstly, congratulations to the 1st XI for promotion to the 2nd division, a magnificent feat and one we really did not expect at the beginning of the season. This reflects the success the whole club is enjoying and will be the highest standard of cricket *the Vill* has played in its history. Much of the team's success can be put

down to a number of factors such as the arrival of new players, Brent, Wilko, Ben and Richard to mention a few. The ability to draw in match ready players from the 2nd XI has also been a major improvement over previous years. On this note we must also mention the impact our juniors have made when given the opportunity to play in the 1st XI. Well done to Max Wood, Louis Bolsover and Freddie Taraporewalla, who have played nine 1st team games between them.

The 2nd XI have enjoyed a good start in its first year. Well led by skipper Andy Timms we have finished a creditable fourth in the league. The main objective however was to bring on a number of the juniors, a task that we believe has been successfully achieved. Maiden 50s for Max & Freddie and a maiden 100 for Louis is a fantastic achievement in their first season



A great season has also been enjoyed by the newly formed ladies team with some highly competitive matches throughout. Playing against teams with many years experience in some cases, it's been a quick learning curve and although we have lost the majority of games, usually by only the odd few runs, we will be in a great position for next year. We now have 19 players registered to play, all of which I feel will be raring to go next year.

What a fantastic season for HCC Juniors! This year saw HCC entering 5 teams in the Junior Leagues: U15, 2 at U13s and 2 at U11s. Training was held on a Friday night which was brilliantly attended and all our teams played strongly from the beginning of the season. We have watched them grow both as cricketers and as people throughout the season.



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HOLMESFIELD CRICKET CLUB (CONT.)

Our U15s, in a joint team with Clowne, won the North Derbyshire Cup as well as the North Derbyshire League. Our U13 teams entered the Ben Jessop League this year and in their first season the U13 pairs won the league. Our U13 'out out' team finished a strong 3rd which was a great achievement. The U11s 'Incrediball' team won their league and the Derbyshire Cup with the U11s hardball team finishing runners up in their league. Some superb performances both individually and as a team and great fun was had by all.

Our All Stars (5- 8 years) also trained at the Holmesfield ground on a Friday night and it was wonderful to see so many enjoying their first steps into cricket and we look forward to welcoming them back next season. A massive thanks to Mick Holmes for running what has been a fantastic and enjoyable community programme.

A record season?

Although we do not have copies of all of the records for the club, it does appear that many have been broken this year. Certainly in recent times we can compare scores and results via the 'Play cricket' web site, so we at least know the following are true for the last 15 years.

The following are records we believe have been achieved this season:

- Highest score by HCC 1st XI: 376
- Highest Aggregate score in a game: 648 runs. Holmesfield 2nd XI. 327 v Chesterfield 3rd's. 321
- Most centuries in a season: Individual - Brent Doubell: 4.
- Most centuries scored by club players in a season - 11. Previous highest recorded in 2017 - 6.
- Highest individual score: Mayank Sharma 186.
- Youngest centurion in a senior game: Louis Bolsover - 13 years old.

A few of the more odd ones but equally as important:

- Most teams fielded in a season: 9 teams – 3 seniors, 1 ladies and 5 juniors.
- Highest club membership: We currently have 185 registered players across all the teams.

100 Club

The £100 draw for July saw number 200 come out of the random generator - A win for Boris Novikovs, meanwhile the draw for August saw number 211 drawn - A win for Simon Billing. Congratulations to Boris and Simon!

Club Contact details

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Captain: Jimmy Pearson – jimmypeo@hotmail.com

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Parking on private land without permission may invalidate your motor vehicle insurance.

Currently the Parish Council will be placing notices on offending vehicles, but if the situation continues then other methods including locking of the car park or clamping offending vehicles will be considered.

RELIEF IN NEED AND PENNY ACRES TRUSTS

Residents are reminded that funds are available from these ancient trusts for people over the age of 60 living in Holmesfield who may experience difficulty in paying for fuel during the winter months. Anyone who is eligible should write to the Clerk to the Trustees, Mrs Geraldine Austen at Greenways, Main Road, Holmesfield, Dronfield. S18 7WB (Tel: 0114 289 0686). for more details. All applications are treated in strict confidence.

The Trustees are also able to make 'one-off' grants for unforeseen capital expenses such as (for example) the payment required by the District Council to remove old goods. If you are faced with such a bill contact Mrs Austen and tell her about it. The Trustees want to help anyone who qualifies, but cannot if they do not know who would like help!

HOLMESFIELD EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

Residents are reminded that this ancient village charity, dating back to the early 18th Century, has funds available to make grants to persons under 25 years old who are or whose parents are normally resident in the village. Grants may be made for or towards outfits, clothing, tools (including computers) instruments or books. Grants may be made for many other items or purposes which assist in promoting 'education' in its broad sense.

Please note that grants will not be given if purchases have already been made. Meetings are held on the last Wednesday in January, April, July and October.

For further information, those who may be eligible should contact the Clerk to the Charity, Mrs Geraldine Austen at Greenways, Main Road, Holmesfield, Dronfield. S18 7WB (Tel: 0114 289 0686).



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Sunday 3rd October (10.30am) is our Harvest Service.

Sunday 31st October (6.30pm) is the Parish Memorial Service (remembering those who have died in the last year).

Visit our website – www.holmesfieldchurch.org.uk – to find out about events and activities, and for the latest news join our Facebook public group. Online services and programmes for the parish are available at www.youtube.com/dwhparish

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St. Swithin's Toddler Group is held on Thursday mornings, 10.00am to 11.30am.

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Contact numbers for St. Swithin's Church

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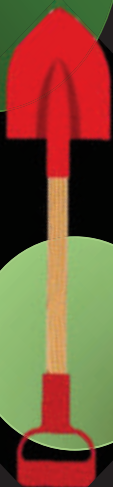
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Nottingham	NT	05:24	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Not Sundays	Chesterfield
Nottingham	NT	06:13	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Not Sundays	Chesterfield
Sheffield	NT	06:32	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Not Sundays	Sheffield
Leeds	NT	07:00	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Not Sundays	Sheffield
Nottingham	NT	07:12	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Not Sundays	Chesterfield
Liverpool Lime Street	EM	07:16	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Not Sundays	Sheffield
Sheffield	NT	08:05	2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		Not Sundays	Sheffield
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Nottingham	NT	09:16	1	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	Every Day	Chesterfield
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Note	SD	NSD	SD	SD	NSD								NSD	SD
Broomfield, Linden Drive	0637				0737	0737	0940	1040	1140	1240	1340	1440	1540	1700
Hasland, The Green	0641				0741	0741	0944	1044	1144	1244	1344	1444	1544	1704
Hasland, Jepson Road	0645				0745	0745	0949	1049	1149	1249	1349	1449	1549	1711
Birdholme, Mellow Way	0648				0748	0748	0952	1052	1152	1252	1352	1452	1552	1715
Chesterfield, New Beetwell Street	0655	0730	0730		0755	0755	0959	1059	1159	1259	1359	1459	1559	1630 1725 1800
Chesterfield, Packers Row	0658	0733	0733		0800	0800	1004	1104	1204	1304	1404	1504	1604	1635 1730 1805
Newbold, Nags Head	0703	0738	0738		0807	0807	1011	1111	1211	1311	1411	1511	1611	1642 1735 1810
Upper Newbold, Four Lane Ends	0706	0741	0741	0810	0810	0810	1014	1114	1214	1314	1414	1514	1614	1645 1738 1813
Cutthorpe, Linacre Reservoir Entrance	▼			0814	0814	0814	▼	1118	▼	▼	1418	▼	▼	1618 1649 1742 1817
Barlow, Commonsidge	0710		0755	0824	0824	0824	1020	1128	1220	1320	1428	1520	1628	1659 1752 1827
Millthorpe, New Road	0713		0758	0827	0827	0827	1023	1131	1223	1323	1431	1523	1631	1702 1755 1830
Holmesfield, Horns Inn	0717		0802	0831	0831	0831	1027	1135	1227	1327	1435	1527	1635	1706 1759 1834
Dronfield Woodhouse, Pentland Road	▼		0807	▼	▼	▼	1031	▼	1231	1331	▼	▼	▼	1839
Dronfield, Civic Centre	0725		0811	0839	0839	0839	1035	1141	1235	1335	1444	1535	1644	1710 1803 1843
Dronfield, Henry Fanshawe School				0841	0841									

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Note	SD	NSD	SD	SD	NSD	NSD	SD
Dronfield, Henry Fanshawe School				1540	1540		
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Dronfield Woodhouse, Pentland Road	0645	0849	0939	1049	▼	1249	▼
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Millthorpe, New Road	0655	0858	0948	1058	1154	1258	1354 1458 1458 1558 1558 1658 1728 1823
Barlow, Commonsidge	0700	0902	0951	1101	1157	1301	1357 1502 1502 1602 1602 1602 1702 1732 1827
Cutthorpe, Linacre Reservoir Entrance	0710	▼	1001	▼	1207	▼	1407
Upper Newbold, Four Lane Ends	0714	0908	1004	1105	1210	1305	1410 1508 1508 1618 1618 1618 1708 1738 1833
Newbold, Nags Head	0717	0911	1007	1108	1213	1308	1413 1511 1511 1621 1621 1621 1711 1741 1836
Chesterfield, Stephenson Place	0724	0918	1014	1115	1220	1315	1420 1518 1518 1628 1628 1628 1718 1748 1843
Chesterfield, New Beetwell Street	0710	0729	0923	1019	1120	1225	1320 1425 1523 1635 1635 1723
Birdholme, Mellow Way	0717	0930	1025	1126	1231	1326	1431 1529 1638 1638 1729
Hasland, Jepson Road	0720	0933	1028	1129	1234	1329	1434 1532 1641 1641 1732
Hasland, The Green	0724	0937	1032	1133	1238	1333	1438 1536 1645 1645 1736
Broomfield, Linden Drive	0732	0940	1037	1137	1240	1337	1440 1540 1649 1649 1740

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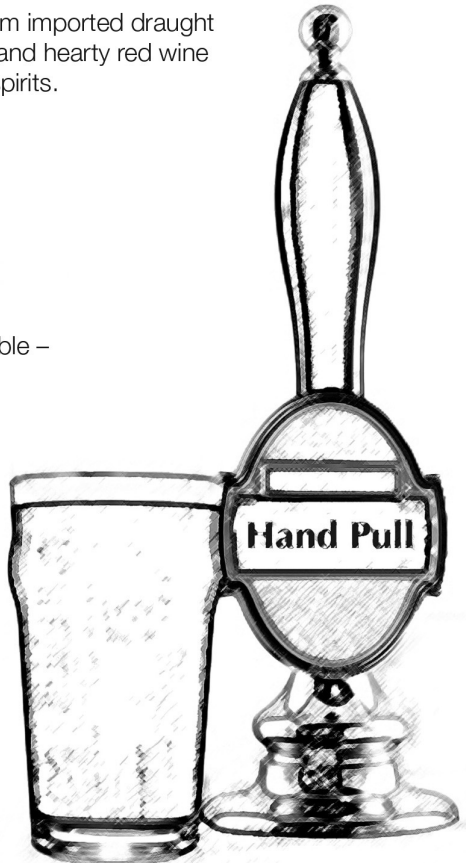
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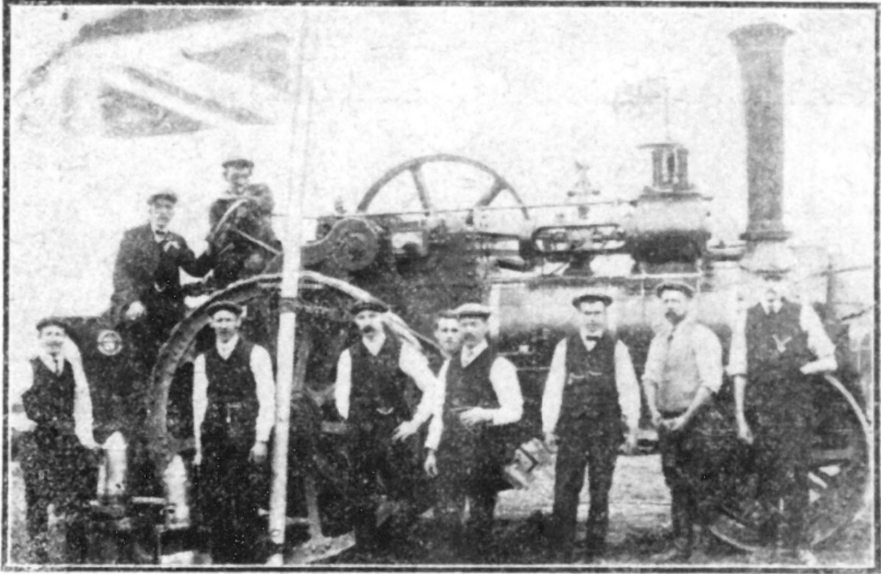


Photo by

Thomas Adlington, Dronfield Woodhouse.

The portable boiler, belonging to Mr. W. Bingham (Cowley Bar), proved a thorough success in boiling the water for the tea in the Dronfield Woodhouse Council School. Several hundreds of people had to be served, in addition to all the school children, on Coronation Day. Several of the volunteer urn carriers are included in the photo. Mr. Arnold Bingham (steersman) and Mr. W. Bingham (driver and owner) are on the engine.

Reading from left to right: Messrs. A. May, A. Shirt, A. Sharpe, J. Bargh, J. Chetwynd, J. R. Wheat, T. Wheat, and E. Bingham.

Two tea urns stand between A. May and A. Shirt.

A wonderful - if sadly poor quality - image published in the Derbyshire Courier on 4th July 1911. The headline was "*How the Water was Boiled in Dronfield Woodhouse*" and was a reference to the celebrations held at Dronfield Woodhouse school (latterly named in honour of William Levick and now Meadow Grange nursing home) of the coronation of George V and his wife Mary as king and queen on 22nd June 1911.

Cowley and Cowley Bar are very much part of the Parish of Holmesfield these days of course but from 31st December 1894 to 1st April 1934 they were a part of the Parish of Dronfield Woodhouse until - together with the parish of Coal Aston - most of Dronfield Woodhouse was absorbed by an enlarged township of Dronfield with Cowley therefore becoming part of an enlarged Parish of Holmesfield.

A public meeting at Penny Acres school resolved that Holmesfield residents very much desired to remain an independent Parish and therefore declined the invitation to also become a part of the town of Dronfield.

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