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December 2000

BY THE CHURCHES FOR THE COMMUNITY

FREE

Town Centre Regeneration

The Warsop Parish is part of a regeneration programme that is running across the whole of the Meden Valley in Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire. Part of the programme involves town and village centre renewal.

The Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency have been working with Mansfield District Council over the last four months to prepare a programme of regeneration projects for Market Warsop town centre.

Following a number of public meetings, workshops, and questionnaires involving local traders and shoppers a number of issues to be addressed have been identified. They include:

- Physical improvements to the appearance of the town.
- Improvements, and maintenance of some of the buildings, including the empty properties.
- The need to attract businesses to the area and to support small established businesses.
- To attract more shoppers to the area and to improve visitor facilities.
- Re-start the traders' association and run shopping-incentive schemes.
- Use the positive attributes of the area - strong community spirit, beautiful countryside and the historic environment.

In response to these concerns, and working in conjunction with the Meden Valley Partnership, a number of projects have been proposed:

- Employ a town and village centre manager to support the traders' association, set up shopping improvement schemes, and to support business.
- Preparation of 'Design Guides' to encourage the most appropriate use of vacant buildings, and to allow the community to have an input into developing the town.
- 'Vacant Floor Space Development Scheme' to encourage the re-development of vacant buildings, and to bring other uses into the town centre such as offices, residential or community use.
- Create a market in Warsop, with an events programme to attract people to come into the town.
- Improvements to the street environment, such as new stone paving, better signage, and gateway features. Along with this, better signage along the A60.
- A number of transport, cycling and walking initiatives and better links between the villages and to centres such as Mansfield.
- A 'Gateway Art' project, running workshops looking at local identity, local priorities and how art can help to deliver training, employment, local pride and other elements of regeneration.

There are a number of projects operating now, and they include:

- 'Business Technology Network', offering free business advice, ring Paul Topliss 01623 633 797.
- 'Community Enterprise', supporting community businesses, ring Rita Sharpe 01623 463 230.
- 'Heritage and Economic Regeneration Scheme', offering grants for building improvements within the shopping centre of Market Warsop, ring Mark Stephenson 01623 463 700.

There are only limited funds at the moment to carry out these projects. Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency and Warsop Parish Council are working closely with Mansfield District Council who are currently preparing grant bids for further project funding over the next 12 months.

For these projects to be a success they must be developed with local interest groups, and local people from the area. If you wish to be involved in any of the projects mentioned, please contact Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency; speak to Tony Sisson, or Julie Brailsford, on 01623 840 005. A message can be left on the answer machine.

The Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency would like to thank all those who have taken part in the recent surveys and workshops which have enabled the projects to be progressed this far. We hope that you will continue to support the work.

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Old Part Residents' Committee

would like to invite all children living in the Old Part of Warsop (known as the Royal Estate) to a

Christmas Party

to be held at
 Warsop Ex-Servicemen's Club
 (British Legion)
 On Saturday 9 December
 from 2.00 - 4.00pm
 Tickets available from
 Mrs M Emery, 16 Edward Street or
 Mrs K Tarburton, 59 Alexander Street

THE MEDEN SCHOOL VACANCY FOR One Co-opted Governor

The Governing Body of The Meden School has a vacancy for one co-opted governor from 17th December 2000. The Governors would welcome nominations from members of the local community who do not necessarily have any present connection with the school. Nominations from ethnic minority groups would be particularly welcome.

For further details please contact the Headteacher on 01623 843517 or by post to The Meden School, Burns Lane, Warsop, Mansfield, Notts. NG20 0QN.

COPY FOR FEBRUARY

by Wednesday 17th January
 To Mrs. E. Teer,
 Town Hall, Market Warsop
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 Feb. Issue out around 2nd Feb.

HELP!!!

Many of the volunteers who deliver Warsop & District News each month are now unable to do so and without a network of distributors the paper cannot continue. If you are willing to deliver papers to your street each month (excluding January and August) please telephone Liz Teer on 846897. Areas currently without distributors include the Old Part of Warsop, Day Street/Watson Street, Tissington Avenue, Old Church Warsop, Sycamore Street, Church Warsop and the Closes off of Egmont Road, Meden Vale.

Warsop Parish Church - Flower Festival 2000

The PCC wishes to thank everyone who organised and supported the cent Flower Festival - the Festival Committee, Designers and Arrang Suppliers and Local Traders, Refreshment Staff, Cleaners, Sponsors, Performers, Stewards and anyone else involved.

Many thanks to all our visitors who came in large numbers giving personal and financial support. At the close of accounts on October 31st Festival had made £2,186.53 profit, towards the running of the Anglican Church in Warsop.

The annual budget accounts for much more than the upkeep of building, eg. diocesan quota, clergy expenses, mission, music, altar vases, verger, heating, lighting, water, insurance, education and administration. This ancient place, however, requires annual maintenance and, sadly, in recent times more and more protection against vandalism.

Once again, many thanks to all who contributed to the success of Festival. The PCC looks forward to your continuing support in the maintenance of the church within this parish.

D. Richards, Treasurer
Warsop Parochial Church Council

The Parish Church of St Peter & St Paul

Christmas Charity Appeal

The Parish Church Council have decided to give the proceeds from their Christmas Charity Appeal to the Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire Air Ambulance Service, and our collecting boxes will be placed in various centres in Warsop, Church Warsop and Meden Vale, and also in the Church itself.

All donations to this essential service will be gratefully received.
We hope you will give generously.
 Sylvia Ambrick, Tony Hague - Church Wardens



Warsop

Late Night Opening

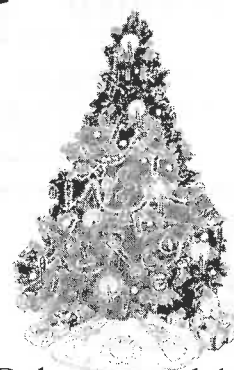
THURSDAY, 7TH DECEMBER 2000
5 to 9pm

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GARDEN NOTES FROM G.M.H.

YOUR GARDEN IN DECEMBER



Gardening is often portrayed as the most popular pastime in the country, but the word "popular" is rather misleading. For some people it is a chore that has to be done and for other people it is certainly a pleasure rather than a necessity. There are, it can be said, as many kinds of gardener as there are gardens and this is usually reflected in the individuality of the layout. A garden is a reflection of the people who live within the house it surrounds, and it can often identify their occupation. Gardens are the result of a collaboration between art and nature. The challenge for the design is not to make the garden look natural, but to make the garden so that the people in it will feel natural. If you want to draw close to your garden, you must remember first of all you are dealing with a being that lives and dies, like the human flesh, its illness at times repugnant. One must not always see it dressed up for a ball, manicured and immaculate.

The home gardener is part scientist, part artist, part philosopher, and part ploughman. He modifies the climate around his home. The most noteworthy thing about gardeners is that they are always optimistic, always enterprising and never satisfied. They always look forward to doing better than they have ever done before. Making mistakes is how a gardener learns. Plants don't point a finger if they live, they don't carry grudges if they die. Unless you have killed an entire species you feel only momentary guilt, which is quickly replaced by a philosophical smug feeling. Failure is enriching your compost pile. Many people take a last look in November at the garden and then are prepared to leave them until the spring. I am quite sure a garden doesn't like to be ignored like this. It doesn't like to be covered in dust sheets, like an old room, shut up for the winter, especially since a garden knows how delightful it can be even in the very frozen heart of winter, if only given a chance.

We all make decisions about failure from past experience and I have found that the best growers and gardeners have old exercise books or diaries which go back over many years recording the various seasons, detailing fertilizer application, sowing dates, cultural techniques and harvesting dates. No two years are the same. An extra helping of potash here, a slightly earlier pinching out time there, this fine tuning in turn usually produces a finer product each year.

Start your own this year of 2001 and start by making a summary of last year's highlights and disappointments in each area. Describe cultivation carried out so far and list regular and new varieties to be used with sowing dates and also consider fertilizers and possible pest and disease control methods. If you can photograph this will also help and it all provides a lasting yearly account of your horticultural activities. I once asked a specialist how he grew such wonderful exhibits, expecting a long description of his growing methods. I was given a simple answer - twenty-five years' experience. In your diary write down the sowing dates and information from seed catalogues and in this way an orderly succession of plants can be produced in the glasshouse and garden.

Winter flowers are forming at this time and the most popular is the Helleborus Niger, the white Christmas Rose, and the pink "Lenten Rose". The Ashwood Hybrids are very good and range from shades of yellow through pink to purple with many speckled in the centres. Shrubs offer greatest floral display no matter what the weather, some will always be there to please. The Viburnum offers trusty species, pink 'Bodnantense', V. Farerri sweetly scented white on pink flowers, and V. Tinus, whose evergreen leaves make a good background for the pink buds opening to white flowers. Yellow flowers such as the Mahonia Japonica and cultivars of Mahonia Media can guarantee that this colour will be available at Christmas. Hamamelis Mollis or "Witch Hazel" requiring an acid soil offer a heavy fragrance and blooms for up to ten weeks. Loniceras have flowers and pungent scent, L. Fragrantissima, and L. Purpurea, have creamy white flowers, and the evergreen Christmas Box Sarcocolla Humilis has tiny white flowers.

May I take this opportunity to wish all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Happy Gardening.

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He comes down the chimney and makes no noise.

Will I get what I want this year
I wrote him a letter for skates and gear
But I am not bothered really what he brings
As long as I have presents and other things.

Santa's white beard blowing in the wind
Sat on his sleigh in the cold cold wind
The reindeer pull with all their might
As Santa brings his presents in the dark of night.

The moon shines in the sky above
As Santa brings the presents from far above
The little children who are fast asleep
Waiting for their presents that they can keep.

When daylight comes the children soon awake
All the excitement it is too much to take
What has Santa brought
A lot of things I never thought.

Thank you Santa for what I got
All these presents I will love a lot
The presents I did not expect
I will always believe in Santa, what do you expect.

L.K. Williams

Warsop Bird News

October and early November

Did anyone hear the recent debate on Radio 4 regarding the 'lands'? These areas are very hard to define, but it seems the acad are referring to places such as redundant airfields, derelict industrial areas, and of course, colliery spoil heaps.

There is now a school of thought that suggests that we should not so much of a hurry to 'improve' these neglected areas as we have past. Wildlife is starting to colonise and thrive in fairly good numbers. Warsop has some striking examples of this type of habitat and some surprising species can be found there, Meadow Pipit and Skylark, for instance, are doing quite well on local pit tips. Goldfinch, Grey Wagtail and Greenfinch are in good numbers around Warsop's age plant. The open grassland to the rear of Warsop Vale is home to countless voles and mice, hence we get good numbers of Kestrel and a odd Barn Owl hunting there. The presence of these species all weight to the argument that left to its own devices, nature will recover slowly and with more diversity than 'quick fix' improvement schemes.

Siskins are beginning to appear in Warsop gardens again, but the place to observe them is still amongst the Alders and Willows adjacent to the Meden and the Carrs. The first Redwings and Fieldfares of the year are starting to arrive and are busy gorging on the berry crop.

I was really grateful to a member of the Warsop Probus who played a tape of a Nightingale that he recorded at Bookers Pond, some twenty years ago though, but who knows? Maybe with some careful management of the hazel coppices in that area we may get this bird back. Don't hold your breath.

One of the most important sites in the county (if not nationally) for winter finches and for the fast declining Tree Sparrow has to be the all between the Meden and the Old Part. Mr. Frank Marples places seed husks by the barrowload and this is attracting up to sixty Tree Sparrows at the time of writing. No doubt the Brambling will be turning up soon, all mixed in with feeding flocks of Chaffinches (keep up the good work, Frank).

There has been big movements of Gulls and Lapwings during recent floods, with fifty plus Lesser Black Backed Gulls on November and up to a hundred Lapwing flying in a southerly direction on the 1st.

Goldcrests and Long Tailed Tits are feeding in mixed flocks at various sites all over Warsop. The first of the winter frosts are imminent, is probably a good idea to start putting food and of course water for your garden bird population, peanuts in the red net bags are almost guaranteed to bring in Siskin.

Thank you for all your records, as always keep them coming in. Write me at 55 George Street, or Email me at Moody49er@aol.com.

Best wishes,

Bob I

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Warsop Parish Learning Community Operations Group (COG)

New Year, get a new life!

Wanted - Local people to help build learning and training opportunities in Warsop parish.

A local partnership is being formed to shape what kind of learning and training should be offered in the Warsop area. Local people can play a full part in making decisions by joining the partnership. A presentation of ideas is being given at 10am on Thursday 25 January 2001 in Longden Terrace Miners Welfare.

Ronnie Ashett from Warsop Vale Village Association said, "Community groups really need to be involved and this is YOUR chance! It's a brilliant opportunity to make sure Warsop gets what Warsop needs."

Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided in return for your participation.

Old Warsop Society - Programme for 2000-2001

All meetings to be held in the Parish Centre, Warsop at 7.30pm on the last Wednesday of the month, unless otherwise stated

Subscriptions £3.00 per annum

2000

Dec 20th Christmas Buffet - Members and Friends. Raffle.

2001

Jan 31st Highways and Byways (continued) - Mr L. Clarke

Feb 28th Clipstone Camp - Mr J. Fareham

Mar 28th "The Golden Age of Radio" - Mr Trevor Lee

Apr 25th Digital Archives - Mr W. Warnock

VISITS (details later)

May 30th Tour of the new Mansfield Police Station. Own cars. 7.30pm

June 27th Brewhouse Yard Museum, Nottingham. Afternoon visit. 1.30pm

July 25th British Horological Institute, Upton Hall. Own cars. 7pm

Aug No meeting



CHILDCARE VOUCHERS COME TO WARSOP (MEDEN & BIRKLANDS)
£20,000 WAITING TO BE CLAIMED

Nottinghamshire County Council's popular Childcare Voucher Scheme is now available to parents on benefit or low income living in the Meden & Birklands Wards, plus other rural coalfield villages, thanks to funding from the Rural Development Programme for the East Midlands Development Agency.

The scheme helps parents return to work or studying by subsidising their childcare costs, to a maximum of £25 per week per child, for up to 52 weeks, for children 0-11.

To be eligible for the scheme, parents on benefit need to be returning to work, college or training, or have returned within the last 6 months. The scheme is also able to help parents who have had a change in circumstances, such as becoming lone parents, or having a change in childcare or working patterns.

Care can be with registered childminders, day nurseries, out of school clubs or close family members (under the Children Act), and as the payment is directly to the carer, the parent's benefit is not affected.

To find out more, and see if you qualify for childcare support, please phone Diane Tinklin on (01623) 622489, or call into Warsop Town Hall for a leaflet and application form.

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Course	Day	Start Date	Time	Duration
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♦ RSA Word -Processing (All levels)	Monday	5 February	1 - 3pm	16 weeks
♦ RSA Word -Processing (All levels)	Monday	5 February	7 - 9pm	16 weeks
Introduction to the Internet & E-Mail	Monday	8 January	7 - 9pm	11 weeks
Introduction to Computing	Tuesday	8 January	9 - 11am	11 weeks
Computing for the Retired	Tuesday	9 January	11 - 1pm	11 weeks
♦ RSA Word -Processing (All levels)	Tuesday	6 February	7 - 9pm	16 weeks
Introduction to the Internet & E-Mail	Tuesday	9 January	7 - 9pm	11 weeks
Adult Basic Literacy	Tuesday	9 January	7 - 9pm	On - Going
♦ RSA Word -Processing (All levels)	Wednesday	7 February	9 - 11am	16 weeks
IBT 2	Wednesday	10 January	11.30 - 2.30pm	20 weeks
Introduction to Computing	Wednesday	10 January	7 - 9pm	11 weeks
Intermediate / Advanced Word -Processing	Thursday	11 January	9.30 - 11am	11 weeks
Computer Workshop (Mixed Courses)	Thursday	11 January	11.15 - 12.45pm	11 weeks
C.L.A.I.T and IBT 2	Thursday	11 January	1.15 - 3.15pm	11 weeks
EMFEC - Introduction to Computing	Friday	12 January	1 - 3pm	12 weeks

♦ Key:- For those who are already taking the course the start dates will be during the second week of January
The majority of courses are free to the unemployed, those on benefits, and the low waged

Advice Services at Warsop Town Hall

Citizens' Advice Bureau -	Fortnightly	Thursday	10 - 4pm
Hetty's (Support for family and friends of drug users)-	Monthly	Wednesday (1st in each month)	7.30 - 9pm
County Contact Advice Services-	Weekly	Tuesday	9.30 - 12noon
Registrar for Births and Deaths	Weekly	Wednesday	10 - 12noon
Mansfield Volunteer Bureau	Monthly	Wednesday (3rd in each month)	1 - 3pm

For further information contact Rachael or Halina on 01623 845858, or call into Warsop Town Hall

The crackle of logs on the fire,
The aroma of warm mince pies,
The twinkling lights on the tree
As bright as stars in the sky.

Noses pressed up to the window
Watching the falling snow,
Getting really excited
There's only two days to go!

These memories of Christmas
Are something that money can't
buy,
And I could never repay you
However hard I try.

With five of us to buy for
There wasn't much money to
spare,
But you gave us gifts so priceless
Your time, your love, your care.

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Sunday Services

8.00am A quiet, said Communion Service, 2nd & 4th Sundays
9.25am Junior Church in the Parish Centre
9.30am THE FAMILY EUCHARIST
(on the 1st Sunday of the month this Service is shorter and we are joined by Junior Church)
Commemoration service on the 1st Sunday Evening of the month at 6.30pm

Services at Meden Vale Methodist Chapel

10.45am Every Sunday
(on the 4th Sunday a joint Family Service led by the Methodists)

Services at Sookholme (St. Augustine's)

11.15am Holy Eucharist (1st and 3rd Sundays)

Weekday Communion Services

Wednesday 10.00am Anglican Communion in the Methodist Chapel on Clumber Street, Warsop. All are Welcome.

There are also a number of short Communion services in the various Centres and Nursing Homes during the month.

Baptism Information

During the vacancy at St. Peter & St. Paul's Church, the PCC have decided to simplify its baptism policy.

All families will be expected to attend a baptism preparation prior to baptism. Baptisms usually take place at 3pm on the 4th Sunday of the month, or 9.30 Eucharist Service on the 1st or 2nd Sunday of the month.

For further information please contact: Miss Pat Brewin, 8 Burnt Oaks Close, Mansfield Woodhouse, Notts. Phone 424116.

Friends of the Church

Following on the success of our Flower Festival in September, the Church Social Committee is holding a CAROLS WITH COFFEE morning in the Parish Centre on Saturday 16th December from 10.00am till 12 noon.

This will be a bumper event. There will be lots of stalls, Toys, Cakes & Jams, Crafts, Raffle of a Christmas Cake, Tombola, Bonus Board and a Bran Tub for the children, all accompanied by carols and Christmas Music.

Children will be admitted free - admission for adults will be 50p including coffee and a warm mince pie.

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NOVEMBER

2nd Marjorie Elizabeth Bourn (70)
2nd Alan Hopkinson (56)
3rd Joan Mary Kaine (80)
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Warsop Ladies Probus Club OCTOBER MEETING

Warsop Ladies Probus Club members met at the Parish Centre, Tudor Barn recently for the October meeting and were welcomed by President, Mrs. M. Palfreyman. Miss N. Langton reported on members who were ill. Minutes were read by Secretary, Mrs. T. Sellars. The Financial Report was presented by Mrs. E. Taylor, Treasurer.

Mrs. Palfreyman discussed with members the items Dr. R. Auger suggests to be purchased with the Club's chosen charity money for the year to help Leukaemia patients in the new ward at King's Mill Centre. Menus were chosen for the New Year Lunch at Red Brick House.

Mrs. S. Bennett was in charge of the sales table. Mrs. J. Shelton organised a raffle which was won by Mrs. M. Rodgers. Grace before lunch was said by Mrs. M. Mousley.

Mr. Trevor Lee gave a talk "A night at Nottingham Empire", which was illustrated by old recordings, posters and photographs. Mrs. D. Williams introduced the Speaker and Mrs. M. Rodgers expressed thanks.

NOVEMBER MEETING

Arrangements were finalised for the annual sherry and mince pies charity morning for Leukaemia patients at King's Mill Centre when Warsop Ladies Probus Club members met at the Parish Centre, Tudor Barn for the November meeting.

President, Mrs. M. Palfreyman, presided and welcomed members. Attendance Officer, Miss N. Langton, gave apologies and reported on members who were ill. Mrs. T. Sellars, Secretary, read minutes and correspondence. The Financial Report was given by Treasurer, Mrs. E. Taylor.

Mrs. Palfreyman announced that she and Mrs. J. Shelton would represent the Club and lay the wreath at the Remembrance Sunday Service at the War Memorial. She also announced a number of donations towards the annual charity, and expressed her thanks.

The New Year Luncheon at the Red Brick House was discussed. Mrs. Sellars gave a report on the progress of the Millennium Window at the Parish Church. Mrs. J. Shelton organised a raffle which was won by Mrs. V. Gibbons. Mrs. S. Bennett was in charge of the sales table.

Mrs. M. Mousley said grace. Afterwards, Mr. J.L. Noble gave a talk on William Lee and frame knitting machines in Nottinghamshire. Mrs. D. Williams expressed thanks.

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Rotary Club of Warsop OCTOBER REPORT

Another busy month for President Richard Goad with one of our two big fund-raisers at the Civic Centre and an induction of a new member.

We have had a variety of speakers this month starting with Rtn. Ray Doust of the Rotary Club of West Ashfield whose talk was about local clubs in district 1220 supporting a one year exchange student from Belarus, which is an ex Soviet State. This area was polluted by the 1986 Chernobyl nuclear explosion and is desolate. The death rate is greater than the birth rate and only 3 in 100 are born healthy. The 16 year old student would stay in the Mansfield area in 2001 and would be hosted by Rotarians whilst at school.

The second speaker was the Assistant Chief Constable of Nottinghamshire Robin Searle whose talk was about the effect of drugs on the community and of the Police's commitment to D.A.R.E. which the Rotary Club of Warsop has supported since its inception and has donated over £4,500 to this cause. He reported that at a Police Drug Conference at Blackpool where two local charities "Hetty's" and "Sorted" which support drug users and their families were well received. Both these charities were supported by our Club when they first formed.

We then had two speakers, Mr. J. Holmes and Mr. J. Brett who now run the "Independent Marine Cadet Corp" based at Pleasley Vale. They rescued the cadet corp last year when it had nearly folded and now have a healthy organisation with 12-18 year olds and carry out many activities. The last speaker was Lt. Col. Frank Mowosielski who is the Commanding Officer of H.M.S. Victory. His talk was about the Battle of Trafalgar which included the history of H.M.S. Victory and the life of Admiral Nelson.

We have had many visitors this month, Rtn. G. Suggs of the Rotary Club of Kirkby in Ashfield and Rtns. T. Stetton and R. Stevens of the Rotary Club of Beeston. Rtns. R. Hemsworth and N. Verona of the Rotary Club of Sutton in Ashfield. Mr. H. Fizackerly was a guest of Rtn. M. Maloney, and Mr. D. Crosby a guest of Rtn. A. Zilwood. Messrs. J. Hewitson, R. Clay, D. Henderson and T. Walker were guests of Rtn. S. Garner.

President Richard Goad had the pleasure of inducting a new member, Mr. Stuart Yates, an estate agent from Shirebrook.

The Cabaret Evening held at the Civic Centre Mansfield was attended by over 320 guests who were entertained by Jimmy James and The Vagabonds and comedian Leroy James. £5,500 was raised and this will be used to support local charities.

Donations this month include:-

£100 to the Joe Homan Charitable Trust; £200 to the Independent Marine Cadet Corp.

H. Ashton, Public Relations Officer

Shape The Future! Now's Your Opportunity

Following the announcement in last month's Warsop and District News, work on the **Parish wide Community Action Plan and Vision Statement (CAP)** is progressing fast. Presentations have been made to key groups and meetings have been held with service providers and stakeholders.

A very successful launching reception was hosted in the 'Tudor Barn' at Church Warsop Parish Centre which was attended by Councillors and Senior Officers of the Local Authorities and service providers

– all of whom are keen to support the project.

Community open days

The next stage in the process will begin shortly with the first of the Public Consultation events where residents can share their views on any issues affecting their lives in the Parish of Warsop. An **Open Day** is to be held in the communities of **Church Warsop, Market Warsop, Meden Vale, Spion Kop and Warsop Vale**. They will concentrate on matters of local importance and a larger event is planned for the New

Year where Parish wide issues will be tackled.

The Open Days will be very informal and everyone is welcome to join us for the whole session or just for part of it. There will be a team present including Community Planners, Architect and Local Volunteers who will be keen to listen to your views and ideas and feed them into the Community Action Planning process. Of course not every suggestion will be adopted but they will all be considered in bringing forward a deliverable and sustainable vision for the

future of the Parish of Warsop.

We will be concentrating on eight main themes:

- ☐ Housing and Environment
- ☐ Jobs and Business
- ☐ Health and Social Care
- ☐ Education and Training
- ☐ Crime and Community Safety
- ☐ Youth Issues
- ☐ Sports and Leisure
- ☐ Community Structure

These broad headings account for most of the areas you may wish to raise but if there are any others we will be pleased to hear them.

What Matters to You is Important to Us!

Community Open Days have been scheduled for:

Warsop Vale on **Thursday 30th November** from **2pm to 8pm** at the **Malcolm Sargison Resource Centre**

Spion Kop on **Tuesday 5th December** from **2.30pm to 4.30pm** and **6pm to 8pm** at **'The Hawthorns'**

Market Warsop on **Thursday 7th December** from **2pm to 8pm** at **14 High Street**

Meden Vale on **Tuesday 12th December** from **1pm to 6.30pm** at the **Village Hall**

Church Warsop on **Wednesday 13th December** from **2pm to 8pm** at the **Community Centre**

THE PARISH WIDE COMMUNITY OPEN DAY IS TO BE HELD AT:

The Hare and Hounds Public House, Market Warsop on **Saturday 27th January 2001** between **10am and 6pm**

Here we will be looking at issues that affect you on a Parish wide basis, how your villages link together and how it could be done better. We also hope to identify new projects and improvements to services and social provision that will benefit the Parish of Warsop as a whole.

Light refreshments will be provided at the Open Days and if you have any mobility or communication difficulties, help will be at hand.

If you are unable to make it to any of the events please contact any of the people below who will be happy to take any comments or ideas you have. Alternatively, speak to your local project champion or drop a note into your village CAP mailbox. Details of where to find them are displayed locally.

Spread the word and tell your friends to come along. The more people who attend – **the more your Community Action Plan and Vision Statement will reflect the needs and wishes of your Community.**

This is a fantastic opportunity for you to shape the future of your community and the place you live, work and play.

Contacts:	Mark Tomkinson	DBA Management	01302 719919
	Sue Ford	Warsop Landmark Community Association	01623 844286
	Colin Avison	Meden Valley Partnership	01623 819910

If you wish to attend an event but have difficulties which may prevent you from doing so please fill in this slip and return it to your local Community Champion, post it in your Village CAP Mailbox or send it to:

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COMMUNITY OPEN DAY

Thursday 7th December 2000 at
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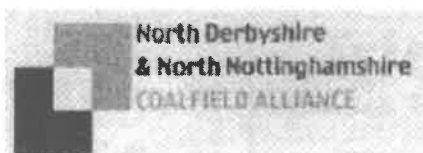
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MEDEN VALE

COMMUNITY OPEN DAY

Tuesday 12th December 2000 at

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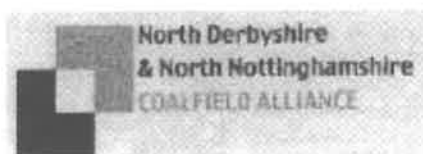
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- Help shape the future of Meden Vale

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CHURCH WARSOP

COMMUNITY OPEN DAY

Wednesday 13th December 2000 at
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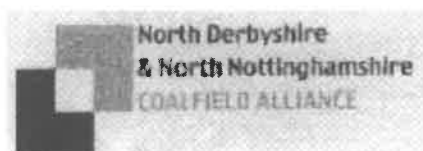
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Morning Service 9.30am

Preachers for December

3rd Dec	Rev. B. Kennard - Memorial
10th Dec	Mrs I. Spencer
17th Dec	Rev. B. Kennard - Carols
24th Dec	Mr Peter Relf
31st Dec	Mrs S. Kilby

A Memorial Service to give thanks for the life of Mr Edwin Ilett Tattersall will be held at 9.30am on Sunday 3rd December.

There will be Coffee Mornings on Saturday 2nd and 16th December, from 10am to 12 noon and on Saturday 9th December there will be stalls for cakes, cards, etc. as well as the usual Coffee Morning.

The Women's Own meets on 12th December from 2.30pm onwards.

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Sunday Services

10.30am	Friends of God (for children)
10.45am	Anglican Service
6.00pm	Methodist Service
10.45am	4th Sunday in the month
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	No Evening Service unless stated

Preachers for December

3rd Dec	At Chesterfield Road South
10th Dec	Mr N. Harding
17th Dec	Mr R. Revill - Carols
24th Dec	10.45am - Parade & Family Service (arranged locally)
31st Dec	Mr S. Haggerty

"Another day older and deeper in debt"

So runs a line from a song made popular as long ago as 1955 by Tennessee Ernie Ford. Not exactly full of joy, hope or anticipation! For vast millions around the world, and no doubt for some reading this article, there doesn't seem to be much to look forward to. Life is full of disappointments, perhaps even life is a disappointment. This Millennial year began with a lot of fuss, but also with a certain amount of genuine hope for a new start. The Millennium Dome, as we all know, has been a financial flop. Conflict is as bad as ever in the Middle East and in many other less-reported places too. World leaders meeting in Okinawa in July promised to the poor "two thirds world" only one third of the debt relief they so desperately need to make a new start - and even these promises have still to be enacted. And so, we are told, 13 children continue to die every minute of malnutrition or preventable disease. How easy it is to be overwhelmed, to despair! Cecil Rhodes, a leading figure in the building of the British Empire in Africa, is reported to have uttered as his last words, "So little done, so much to do!"

A few years before Tennessee Ernie Ford was singing his song of despair, another song was written about the future. Here it is:

I do not know what lies ahead, The way I cannot see;
Yet One stands near to be my guide, He'll show the way to me:
I know who holds the future, and He'll guide me with His hand
With God things don't just happen, ev'rything by Him is planned;
So as I face tomorrow with its problems large and small
I'll trust the God of miracles, give to Him my all.

If we are to have real hope, it cannot be in what you or I can achieve, nor what the Government can do, or the United Nations. None of these are to be despised, but in the end the only solid hope comes from what God can do. Put your trust in Him, and do so now and every day!

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Letters of Thanks

I would like to thank my family and all my friends and neighbours for their cards and messages of sympathy on the sad loss of my dear husband. Many thanks to Mr. Eric Townroe for his help and kindness, also to Dr. Day, the District Nurses of Warsop and Bay 4 Nurses, Community Hospital, Mansfield.

Irene Robinson

Mrs. F. Gammond would like to extend sincere thanks to everyone who sent cards and also to the many well-wishers who have enquired on behalf of Frank's illness. Special thanks to everyone who have taken me shopping, it has been a big help. Frank is at home now and coping as well as can be expected after the operation results.

Grateful thanks to all.

Following my recent charity bike ride in China, the total amount raised for MENCAP was £2,541.57. I would like to thank everyone who donated in one way or another and for all their support. To mention but a few:-

Kev Palmer and John Fritchley from Kay Jay of Warsop, not only for their generous donation but for all my letter typing and photocopying.

Warsop Wives,
Inner Wheel,
Rotary Club,
John Fretwell of Friths,
Probus,
Women in Focus,
Akas Tandoori,
Kissington Centre for the Aerobik-ing sessions,

A & C Sports of Mansfield Woodhouse for all the help with my bike when I had problems (and there were quite a few),

All who attended the Race Night at the Conni Club and to Committee there for their support,

All who put in my collection tin on the bar at Crates & Grapes (especially Alan who religiously put in 3 times weekly over a long period of time),

And finally to Sue and Rob Day who not only did the Three Peaks Challenge and donated the sponsor money to my cause but bought my very first bike (at the age of 46) for Christmas. Without their encouragement and that of their sons, Tom, Chris and Joe, and my sons, Chris and Peter, I would not have achieved my challenge of a lifetime.

Special thanks to Sue for all the training and even though I thought it was tough I now realise it was necessary (sorry for all the 'mardies' and tantrums)!

Jenny Long

Elsie Stubbins

I would like to express my sincere thanks to all the wonderful people who supported me during my recent stay in hospital. Special appreciation goes to my nieces and nephews for all their practical help, care and concern and to the numerous friends and neighbours who sent kind messages, cards, flowers and other gifts.

On my birthday so many of you, in spite of your own health problems, visited me and made the day a very special one. This included the nursing staff at King's Mill Hospital who found the time to convey 'good wishes' and tender loving care. God bless you all.

Inner Wheel of Warsop November 2000

The November meeting was a business meeting. President Cynthia welcomed everyone and grace was said by Marjorie Jillwood.

After the meal the meeting started with President Cynthia inducting Mrs. Margaret Huddleston as a member of Inner Wheel and wished her a happy time in the Club. President Cynthia and six members attended the Overseas Rally at Ilkeston. The Speaker gave a talk and showed a video on "Homes for the Homeless" which left everyone speechless. It was agreed that the Inner Wheel plant wallflowers in the two tubs outside the Warsop Library. This is to be done by member Mrs. Eunice Burton. Arrangements were made for a visit to Kingslaugh House, Dalton on 16th November.

Overseas Chairman, Christine Fretwell, made arrangements for a further Knit and Natter evening on 22nd November at her home. Several bags of knitted squares were taken by Joan Pepperday to Spion Kop Ladies meeting. They had kindly offered to sew them into blankets.

President Cynthia discussed the final details for the Charter Evening to be held on 8th November at the Hostess Restaurant.

Secretary, Jean Nock, reminded the members that the next meeting was our Christmas Dinner to be held at the Portland Training College on Wednesday, 6th December. Names were taken for this dinner and the menu confirmed.

Sheila Simpson

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Malcolm Lees Ladies Choir

The choir competed at the Selston Music Festival on 21st October and were successful in both the Ladies Choir Class and the Choir Challenge Class, for which they received the Constance Rose Trophy and the Barbara Teece Trophy.

The choir also competed at the Blackpool Music Festival on Saturday 28th October, when they were again successful in the Ladies Choir Class and were presented with the Phyllis Dunkerley Trophy. The choir then achieved second place in the Choir Challenge Class. The choir's Musical Director, Mr. Malcolm Lees, won the Fylde Musical Society Trophy for the top choral conductor.

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We need representatives from Warsop so that we can ensure that Warsop is fairly represented and the needs and problems of Council Tenants in the area are heard.

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Book Review

Addict - by Stephen Smith

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The Ladykiller - by Martina Cole

To everybody else George Markham is a happily married man but George hates his wife and soon fulfils his fantasy which leads to a killing spree of young girls. George makes a big mistake when he kills the only daughter of Patrick Kelly, the most feared man in London. Kelly is out for revenge but complications arise when he falls in love with Kate, the detective in charge of the murder case. Who will get to George first? This book has a great unexpected twist at the end that will leave readers satisfied that justice has been done!

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The Christmas Dinner evening on December 4 was discussed and also an extra meeting on Tuesday December 5.

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 Flour for Rolling

METHOD

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2. Cream the margarine with the sugar.
3. Add the flour, using one hand to squeeze the mixture together. Do not add any liquid.
4. On a floured surface, press then roll the dough to 1cm thick.
5. Cut into circles or fingers. It is important they are all the same size and thickness. Use a palette knife to lift each on to a baking tray. Make a pattern on the top with a fork.
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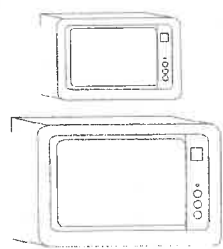
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The Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency have been working with Mansfield District Council over the last four months to prepare a programme of regeneration projects for Market Warsop town centre.

Following a number of public meetings, workshops, and questionnaires involving local traders and shoppers a number of issues to be addressed have been identified. They include:

- Physical improvements to the appearance of the town.
- Improvements, and maintenance of some of the buildings, including the empty properties.
- The need to attract businesses to the area and to support small established businesses.
- To attract more shoppers to the area and to improve visitor facilities.
- Re-start the traders' association and run shopping-incentive schemes.
- Use the positive attributes of the area - strong community spirit, beautiful countryside and the historic environment.

In response to these concerns, and working in conjunction with the Meden Valley Partnership, a number of projects have been proposed:

- Employ a town and village centre manager to support the traders' association, set up shopping improvement schemes, and to support business.
- Preparation of 'Design Guides' to encourage the most appropriate use of vacant buildings, and to allow the community to have an input into developing the town.
- 'Vacant Floor Space Development Scheme' to encourage the re-development of vacant buildings, and to bring other uses into the town centre such as offices, residential or community use.
- Create a market in Warsop, with an events programme to attract people to come into the town.
- Improvements to the street environment, such as new stone paving, better signage, and gateway features. Along with this, better signage along the A60.
- A number of transport, cycling and walking initiatives and better links between the villages and to centres such as Mansfield.
- A 'Gateway Art' project, running workshops looking at local identity, local priorities and how art can help to deliver training, employment, local pride and other elements of regeneration.

There are a number of projects operating now, and they include:

- 'Business Technology Network', offering free business advice, ring Paul Topliss 01623 633 797.
- 'Community Enterprise', supporting community businesses, ring Rita Sharpe 01623 463 230.
- 'Heritage and Economic Regeneration Scheme', offering grants for building improvements within the shopping centre of Market Warsop, ring Mark Stephenson 01623 463 700.

There are only limited funds at the moment to carry out these projects. Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency and Warsop Parish Council are working closely with Mansfield District Council who are currently preparing grant bids for further project funding over the next 12 months.

For these projects to be a success they must be developed with local interest groups, and local people from the area. If you wish to be involved in any of the projects mentioned, please contact Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency; speak to Tony Sisson, or Julie Brailsford, on 01623 840 005. A message can be left on the answer machine.

The Warsop Parish Regeneration Agency would like to thank all those who have taken part in the recent surveys and workshops which have enabled the projects to be progressed this far. We hope that you will continue to support the work.

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Warsop Parish Church - Flower Festival 2000

The PCC wishes to thank everyone who organised and supported the recent Flower Festival - the Festival Committee, Designers and Arrangers, Suppliers and Local Traders, Refreshment Staff, Cleaners, Sponsors, Performers, Stewards and anyone else involved.

Many thanks to all our visitors who came in large numbers giving personal and financial support. At the close of accounts on October 31st the Festival had made £2,186.53 profit, towards the running of the Anglican Church in Warsop.

The annual budget accounts for much more than the upkeep of the building, eg. diocesan quota, clergy expenses, mission, music, altar services, verger, heating, lighting, water, insurance, education and administration. This ancient place, however, requires annual maintenance and, sadly, in recent times more and more protection against vandalism.

Once again, many thanks to all who contributed to the success of the Festival. The PCC looks forward to your continuing support in the maintenance of the church within this parish.

D. Richards, Treasurer,
Warsop Parochial Church Council

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Christmas Charity Appeal

The Parish Church Council have decided to give the proceeds from their Christmas Charity Appeal to the Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire Air Ambulance Service, and our collecting boxes will be placed in various centres in Warsop, Church Warsop and Meden Vale, and also in the Church itself.

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