



Warsop War Memorial Waves Goodbye to Grime

At long last we have finally got our Cenotaph cleaned thanks to the Waves Home Maintenance team and a few others who gave up their time to this worthy project. The Royal British Legion and Warsop Parish Council have been trying to get the Memorial cleaned for several years together with other maintenance work which has desperately needed around the Cenotaph. After several meetings spanning over the years the answers from Mansfield District Council were the same ...

...NO MONEY AVAILABLE!

In 2003 The Parish Council paid for the railings around the plinths after years of complaints regarding the wreaths ending up in the middle of the road after a windy day. Mansfield District Council did put down a bit of hardcore in 2003 after the Remembrance Day Parade in 2002 was a complete wash out, with people standing ankle deep in mud for the service.

The Parish Council, undeterred, applied to Nottinghamshire County Council, who provided the funding from their Building Better Communities Initiative to tarmac the path leading up to the Memorial and the standing area in front. This work was completed last year. In another bid to BBC this year, the Parish Council have secured funding for new paving around the Memorial and for the wall to be re-built with new railings placed on the top. The shrubbery and the grassed areas will also be re-done. This still left the cleaning which created major problems with the building being Grade II listed, the utmost importance being placed upon the job being done properly within conservation guidelines. Then the Waves Home Maintenance Ltd stepped in and took over the cleaning project and all the hassle that went with it, providing their services free of charge for the benefit of the community.

A spokesperson for Waves Home Maintenance Ltd., part of the Warsop And Villages Enterprise Society (WAVES) said "In our efforts to clean WARSOP Cenotaph we would like to thank the following for their assistance....

1. 350 Field Squad Royal Engineers (V), Mansfield & Chilwell for their help with water supply and logistics
 2. Brandon Tool Hire, Mansfield Branch
- We were proud to be trusted with the cleaning of our local cenotaph. It has been pre-treated with moss and growth sterilizer and then pressure cleaned to reveal the original sandstone in all its glory. The sandstone will be protected with a specialized sealant to preserve its beauty for years to come. This Cenotaph is a grade 2 listed building and we worked closely with Warsop Parish Council and Mansfield District Council Planning and Conservation Department."

Cllr. John Kerr, Chairman of Warsop Parish Council said that "without the contribution from Waves Home Maintenance Ltd., the memorial may never have been cleaned and I wish to thank them on behalf of Warsop Parish Council for their determination to get through the red tape and for a job very well done."

Join Our Remembrance Sunday Parade

on **Sunday 13th November** leaving Carr Lane at 10.55 am and walking up to the Cenotaph where a service and laying of the wreaths will take place - everyone welcome.



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Warsop Carnival 2006



Next year's carnival will take place on the weekend of Saturday 8th and Sunday 9th July.

The theme for next year's event is 'Warsop Past and Present'

We will be inviting local groups to organise floats to match this theme. One of our aims for 2006 is to have the longest parade in recent history, this challenge is to celebrate the 20th annual year of continuous carnivals. We are also keen to recruit more members to the committee so if you would like to get involved then please do contact us:

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WARNING - reading this could seriously improve your health!

Are the people of Warsop just so fit and healthy that they don't need to do any exercise? I know many people will have joined the new gym or perhaps do a lot of walking but what about those that don't? It could be beneficial and not to mention a lot more fun to join a Keep Fit class (oh don't groan just hear me out).

There are several Keep Fit classes in Warsop; Sherwood Street School has two different classes every week on Mondays (7.00pm - 8.00pm) and Wednesdays (7.00pm - 8.00pm). Mondays have been a nightmare as the instructor needs just 5 people to attend in order for her to be able to pay for the rent on the room and she long gave up the hope of becoming rich from teaching Keep Fit, in fact most of the time she is out of pocket herself.

We have leaflet dropped to the point where we have nearly dropped ourselves, not to mention being chased by numerous dogs, got our hands stuck in a variety of unfriendly letter boxes (our respect for Postmen went up that week I can tell you) and for what.....perhaps 4 people out of the 200 or so houses we targeted turned up. Oh yes they were so full of enthusiasm, yes they wanted to lose weight and they were going to get fit and come every week and then.....then nothing, we never saw them again!!!!

What has happened to all that enthusiasm about getting fit and 'oh yes I'm definitely coming next week'? There's no doubt that keeping fit is hard work and perhaps even harder if you don't enjoy it but going along to Keep Fit classes can be fun and it doesn't matter if you don't know anybody there because you soon make friends - another reason to go perhaps!

So why not give it a try and once you get into a routine (which is half the battle) you'll be amazed how much more energy you have when you get home (some ladies have even had the urge to tackle the ironing afterwards) not to mention your increased fitness level. It doesn't matter how unfit you are at the moment or how old you are (we have a 82 year old lady who comes every week without fail) YOU can work at YOUR own pace and level, nobody is going to look or laugh at you because they are too busy concentrating on themselves. So come on Warsop people, we're waiting for you!!!!

Girl at a Railway Station

*Victoria Station, as never before.
Young men in khaki, going to war.
Too young to know that war is insane,
They wait to leave from the platform of pain.*

*'Don't go daddy', a shrill, plaintive cry,
lost in the noise, as she waves him goodbye.
A clinging embrace, the lurch of the train,
pulls them apart on the platform of pain.*

*Faces at windows; the train moves away.
A thousand blown kisses, lifts gloom from the day.
'It'll be over by Christmas; we'll see you again'.
There's hope in her heart, on the platform of pain.*

*The soldiers are happy; they're off to fight
in a war that is just, in a war that is right.
They whistle and sing a jolly refrain,
as the carriages slide from the platform of pain*

*That girl at Victoria is now fully grown.
She'll never forget being left all alone.
Years drift by, yet memories remain,
of the day that she lost him, on the platform of pain.*

*A granite memorial, names carved with pride.
Comrades remember, tears they can't bide.
The Last Post sounds, but it's all been in vain,
Another damned war, another platform of pain.*

Written by Peter Birchenall

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Class 2 Runner Beans	Class 17 Asters
Mr M Barnsdale 1st	Mr J Tolson 1st and 2nd
Mr E Haslam 2nd	Mr C Brown 3rd
Mr R Savage 3rd	
Class 3 Green Cabbage	Class 18 Flowering Pot Plant
Mr M Barnsdale 1st and 3rd	Mr E Haslam 1st and 3rd
Mr E Haslam 2nd	Mr R Savage 2nd
Class 4 Carrots	Class 19 Foliage Pot Plant
Mr J Tolson 1st and 2nd	Mr E Haslam 1st and 2nd
Mr B Marples 3rd	Mr R Savage 3rd
Class 5 Onions	Warsop Top Tray
Mr E Haslam 1st and 3rd	Mr M Barnsdale 1st
Mr R Savage 2nd	Mr E Haslam 2nd
Class 6 Onions	Mr R Savage 3rd
Mr C Brown 1st	
Mr R Savage 2nd and 3rd	Warsop Top Vase
Class 7 Parsnips	Mr J Tolson 1st
Mr R Savage 1st	Mr R Savage 2nd & 3rd
Mr M Barnsdale 2nd	
Mr E Haslam 3rd	Cup Winners
Class 8 Potatoes	Mr & Mrs B Savage
Mr M Barnsdale 1st	- Rose Bowl
Mr R Savage 2nd	Mr E Haslam
Mr J Tolson 3rd	Codnor Best Veg Exhibit
Class 9 Potatoes	Mr M Barnsdale
Mr M Barnsdale 1st and 3rd	Parish Centre Shield
Mr J Tolson 2nd	(Most Points)
Class 10 Tomatoes	Mr M Barnsdale
Mr M Barnsdale 1st and 2nd	Middleton Cup
Mr D Morris 3rd	(Best Exhibit Class 14)
Class 11 Marrow	Mr R Savage
Mr M Barnsdale 1st	Class 22 Greetings Card
Mr J Tolson 2nd and 3rd	Mrs V Gibbons 1st and 3rd
Class 12 Shallots	Mrs E Birks 2nd
Mr M Barnsdale 1st	
Mr E Haslam 2nd and 3rd	Class 24 Victoria Sponge
Class 13 Cauliflowers	Mrs J Crooks 1st, 2nd and 3rd
Mr M Barnsdale 1st	Class 25 Fruit Cake
Mr E Haslam 2nd	Mrs V Gibbons 1st
Class 14 Display	Mrs J Crooks 2nd and 3rd
Mr R Savage 1st	Class 26 5 Fruit Scones
Mr M Barnsdale 2nd	Mrs J Crooks 1st and 2nd
Mr E Haslam 3rd	Class 27 Jar of Jam
Class 14a Heaviest Onion	Mrs J Crooks 1st and 2nd
Mr M Barnsdale 1st	Mr M Barnsdale 3rd
Mr E Haslam 2nd	Childrens Class A
Mr B Bennett 3rd	Miss G Crooks
Class 15 Dahlias	
Mr E Haslam 1st	
Mr R Savage 2nd and 3rd	

Your Garden in November



This is the time to make a clean start so as to be ready for next years cropping. Given reasonable fine weather every opportunity should be taken to clean and dig.

Leaves and annual weeds can be dug in; adding humus to the soil and making spring operations so much easier. Compost and remains of any crops may be dug in. Ensure none have any disease, if so, dispose of at Oakfield Lane site for rubbish. One cannot avoid putting some seeds in the compost heap but these generally rot. It is a fallacy to believe that heat generated by rotting compost will destroy all seeds - so don't be surprised to see that little pansy in the onion bed. The occasional flower among the vegetables is quite attractive. To return to the more immediate essentials, the most urgent is to give protection according to variety, to those tender roots and plants which would succumb to even a mild winter. Dahlias are safest until the first frost has blackened the leaves; which apparently causes the sap to dry out more quickly in the base stems. Dry thoroughly before storing and keep a check on them through the winter. Begonias and Gladioli can be treated in the same way. A stock of Chrysanthemums should be lifted, cut back to four inches (10cm) and planted close together in shallow boxes. These generally survive in the cold frame but each gardener has their own method of storage. Fuchsias are semi-hardy and if pots are well buried they will survive. Geraniums have tough constitutions and will come through a slight frost but still should be kept frost free.

Planting of fruit bushes now is the ideal time, also shrubs and trees. Read labels of trees and establish how high they grow and think hard of where you are going to plant them. Some of the flowering plants are scented, this is to attract pollinating insects which are few and far between in winter. Other plants of interest at this time of the year are grown for their attractive bark or colourful evergreen foliage. Some good winter plants include Euonymus (emerald and gold) which is a low growing variegated evergreen shrub that will grow almost anywhere and any

situation, the leaves are yellow and green and add a golden glow to a border, when very cold the leaves also take on a bronze hint. Dogwoods are also excellent for adding winter colour to the garden with red, orange/red or yellow stems. Mahonia Charity is one of the best with its sulphur yellow racemes of flowers that grow from the centre of a rosette of long green leaves. Also, winter flowering heathers grow well with pink, white or deep red flowers in masses from now until spring. With the right choice of plants, a winter garden can be very colourful and interesting in the crisp winter sunshine. Pruning of most shrubs and trees needs to be done when no frost around, roses cut down to one third, then next spring cut back to your own direction you want them to shoot. There is a tendency for flower borders to become overgrown, with rampant spreading of spring blooming specimens of so many so-called rockery plants.

They make a mass of bloom until early summer but then continue to spread and leave too little room for those kinds which should provide colour for the rest of the year. Now is the time to make decisions. The wise gardener will have cuttings and divisions in reserve plots for replacement, if no reserve plot, split the plants and put in two or three pieces and water in. The lawns that have developed moss will need to be well raked, sweeping off the loose moss. A general fertiliser, or better still, a mixture of three parts sulphate of ammonia with one part sulphate of iron, applied in spring, is guaranteed to create a beautiful deep green sward. Rake off any leaves that fall on the lawn, if not, it could rot the grass beneath them. The cold frame and greenhouse glass can be cleaned with hot soapy water and brush, this will allow all light in. Dig, dig, dig, clean, clean, clean, when will it end? Nature never rests.

Happy Gardening

Warsop Allotment & Leisure Gardeners' Association

Secretary Reg Freeman

The Annual General Meeting

will be held on the 22nd November at Longden Terrace Miners Welfare 7.30pm
Nominations for the Management Committee Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary or Constructive Proposals to be with the current secretary by the 14th November.

If it is not on the agenda subjects cannot be discussed!

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Jolly Good Show!

A fun dog show was held at the Swallows Public House, Warsop, in aid of the Retired Greyhound Trust (Woodborough Branch).

Best in the Show came from handsomest dog - Chalkie (Mr Liquorice) owned by Christine O'Neil



Pictured from left to right is Andrea Barthorpe (show organiser), Christine O'Neil (centre), Lynn O'Neil (landlady of the pub) and judge Billy Simms.



News in brief

Past and Present Celebrate 40 Years!

Friday 16th September saw the start of what will be a year long celebration to mark 40 years of Meden School. Both staff and pupils from years gone by, along with current staff, attended a special celebration evening. Over 250 people packed out the school hall including a few of our more well known pupils, Radio Mansfield's Joe Sentence and Olympic Archer Helen Palmer.

It gave those who attended the opportunity to catch up with former colleagues and friends and exchange their life stories. Mr Thompson the first Deputy Head who is now 84 years old, had many an interesting story to tell, and how times have changed over the last 40 years.

The 40th Year Celebration Committee would like to express their thanks to all those who helped to make a great night. Here's to another 40 years of Meden.

If anyone has photos from the evening's event and would like them shown on the web site please email them to office@medenschool.co.uk

Let the Battle Commence!

On Sunday the 30th October 2005 the annual U18's Battle of the Bands competition will take place at Nottingham's Royal Concert Hall. Our very own Heavy Metal Band 'Metal Injection' will be up against several other rock bands from across the three counties of Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Leicestershire and it will be decided by your vote. To find out more and to show your support visit the web site: www.liquidisco.com.



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Warsop Hit Squad

A group of us recently did a walk to raise money for the Hospice. The walk was 96 miles starting at Glasgow up to Fort William and was in memory of local lady Glennys Hawkins who died just over a year ago.

We all originally started out years ago raising cash for The Scanner appeal at Kings Mill under the name of Warsop Hit Squad and moved on to various projects like Dogs for the Blind, Wheelchairs etc and of course the Hospice.

However after raising something like £11000.00 we disbanded mainly through work or health related problems. After sadly losing our friend Glennys, who was a founder member of The Squad, her husband Brian motivated us to do The West Highland Way in her memory. This was done in May this year on the anniversary of her death. Whilst we were all raising cash

through sponsorship, a very generous friend of the group offered to double what ever we made, which of course spurred us on to make more!!! So we managed to get over £7000 which made a good £14751 to hand over, we felt pretty pleased with ourselves, especially as the walk was hard work. We had lots of support from many people in Warsop Shirebrook Langwith Mansfield Clipstone Forest Town and surrounding areas and we cannot thank you all enough for your support.

Susan Dennis for Brian Hawkins, Ian Bowmer and Martyn Whatmore

Old Warsop Society Programme for 2005/06

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

Meetings

- Sep 28th 05 A.G.M. - Hanger Hill Boundary stones - Linda Mallett and Stuart Reddish 'Friends of Thynghowe'
- Oct 26th 05 Pleasley Vale - Walks and Mills - Martin Cope
- Nov 30th 05 Comic Picture Postcards - Jeff Fareham
- Dec 14th 05 Christmas Buffet - Raffle and Quiz - Members & Friends
- Jan 25th 06 Highways and Byways - Lynne Clarke
- Feb 22nd 06 History of Sherwood Forest - Mrs M Woodhead (Edwinstowe Historical Society)
- Mar 29th 06 Great Grandma's Dustbin - Neil Aspinshaw
- Apr 26th 06 E I Tattersall Jnr's Drawings and Paintings - Edwin A Tattersall

Visits (Details later)

- May 31st 06 Gainsborough Old Hall Lincs. - By Coach
- Jun 28th 06 Hardwick Hall - Own cars
- Jul 26th 06 Clumber Park - Walled Garden and Tool Exhibition
- August 06 No Meeting



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FOOTPATH & Countryside Group

As the days become shorter a brisk walk in the countryside can refresh and revitalise us by taking us out of the stuffy indoors environment. The luxuries of central heating and double-glazing tend to cut us off from the weather outside and it is all too easy in stay comfortably indoors.

Yet, as the trees lose their leaves, there is stark elegance to the countryside. Few flowers survive, although recently scabious were blooming on the Hills and Holes until January. This is the time when fruits and berries come into their own. As well as the familiar holly berries you may see sloes on the blackthorn, hips on roses, red waxen berries on the yew and the distinctive three part pink berries of the spindle. Soon birds will have eaten the flesh and distributed the seeds to places where hopefully a few will germinate and develop into mature shrubs or trees. If other routes become muddy, a walk along the River Meden from the mill dam to Stone Bridge is firm underfoot. A return route could take you along the footpath towards Warsop Vale and back to Church Warsop along Carter Lane.

Some more energetic walks can be taken if you can obtain a lift or catch a bus from home and then walk back into Warsop. I can recommend routes from Clumber Park, Edwinstowe (either following the River Maun to Archway House or walking through the forest), Forest Town (via Spa Ponds), Pleasley Vale, Creswell Crags or even Bolsover. These could provide the basis for some walk guides once I have completed the series of local walk plans that have been appearing in Warsop and District News over the past year or so!

Our walk on Saturday 19th November is billed a mystery tour and I have no idea where our leader will be taking us! All I know is that we will be leaving Warsop library at 9:15. When planning walks for the winter months we usually have alternative plans in case the weather is bad or conditions change whilst on the walk. Contact us on the number below if you are interested in joining us as there may be some places available on the bus.

You can contact the Secretary on 01623 846281.

WF&CG is a community group whose members share an interest in the countryside. We maintain the public footpath network in Warsop, we undertake conservation projects and we provide information about the local environment.

Editors Letter

Thank you to all those who took the time and trouble to fill in the short questionnaire, Save our Swimming Pool, in last month's paper.

Out of those who did reply almost all of you do not want the pool to close, those that do, only want it to close so we can have a new one built. Over half of the replies suggested either refurbishment of the pool and changing facilities or a new build with a more modern pool. We will be forwarding all the information to Mansfield District Council, together with the letters of support for the campaign from the schools, sometime this month.

We have a new Foot Health Practice open on High Street (see advert) and the Fireplace shop is open on Church Street. More houses are being demolished on the Royal Estate, the Surestart building has finally got rid of its scaffolding and Kwik-Save is Somerfield.

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Lunchbunch

The under 5's centre is open on Tuesday and Thursdays 11.45am - 12.45pm (between 'drop-ins'), during term time, for anyone with young children to come and have their lunch together with other parents, carers and children.

It is for people with young children who have little time for the 'lunch-time-turn-around' either after morning or before afternoon.

Everyone brings their own lunch, including drinks, and eats together: (and tidies up afterwards!)

Admission is free - for further details contact the centre.

Toy Library

The Toy Library holds a weekly 'drop-in' toy lending service for all parents and carers in Warsop Vale. The session will run between 12.45pm and 2.45pm every Thursday afternoon at the Malcolm Sargison Centre, West Street.

Toy Library runs drop-in sessions on Thursday morning at the Under 5's Centre (9am - 11.30am). We hope this gives everyone the opportunity to see the full range of toys and equipment available to them.

(The Toy Library is still open for use whenever the centre is open)

Open for 'Drop-in' Sessions

Monday	9am - 11.30am
Tuesday	9am - 11.30am & 1pm - 2.30pm
Wednesday	9am - 11.30am
Thursday	9am - 11.30am & 1pm - 2.30pm

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Mansfield District Council
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Wardens Take to the Neighbourhoods of Mansfield



Ten Neighbourhood Wardens have taken to the streets across the Mansfield District to assist local residents and help enforce anti social issues in the neighbourhood areas.

The wardens have been a common sight in Warsop and the Northfield area of Mansfield Woodhouse since the end of 2003.

In Northfield alone the impact has been evident and the wardens have helped reduce the number of incidents over the last two years by about 40 per cent.

Between October 2003 and September 2004 the wardens dealt with almost 520 incidents in Northfield, and for the same period the following year that figure had reduced by just over 220 incidents.

Following a recruitment drive in April six more wardens were taken on which swelled the team to ten. A cash injection of almost £300,000 from the Government's Neighbourhood Renewal Fund was ploughed into the scheme to fund the additional wardens.

The Neighbourhood Wardens are highly visible in their navy uniforms. They patrol the streets in pairs within the NRF areas which include Northfield, Warsop, Oaktree and Bellamy Road. Bull Farm and Pleasley each share two wardens and additional wardens are still required to work in the Ladybrook and Ravensdale areas.

One of their main roles is enforcement where they issue fixed penalty notices for dog fouling and littering offences and may soon be given powers to seize alcohol from minors. But they also have a friendly role which allows them to meet with residents as well as assist with any issues they may have.

Coun Andre Camilleri, Portfolio Holder for Public Protection said: "It is great to finally see all these wardens patrolling our streets. I am pleased the funding was made available to expand this project across all the existing and new NRF areas. The difference that has been made in the communities already served by the wardens speaks for itself and the contribution the wardens make to these communities is tremendous. The visible presence of them alone is of comfort to our local residents, so it is not just about enforcement - which is a big part of the role - they are also friendly faces who are out there to make people feel safer in their own neighbourhoods."

Colm Anderson, Neighbourhood Warden for Northfield in Mansfield Woodhouse has been a warden since 2003. (see case

study below) He said the number of incidents has dropped significantly from around 520 to less than 300 in the space of a year.

He added: "The community sees us as a friendly face and our highly visible presence has definitely made a difference and is helping to maintain the ongoing improvement in the area."

"Over the last two years crime has dropped significantly, and we have played a part in that along side the Council's anti social behaviour team and the Police."

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Book Review

by Tracy Measures

Scalpel by Paul Carson

There are so many plots going off in this book it's hard to know where to start. So first things first. The story is based at a Dublin Maternity Hospital and a local billionaire business man's son is born there. Doctor Dean Lynch who delivered the baby suspects he is HIV positive, which would end his career, so he asks a young lab assistant to stay behind late and do an AIDS test on the pretence that it's for a patient. When the girl becomes suspicious and starts asking questions Doctor Lynch kills her and a murder hunt is on at the hospital. Meanwhile the billionaire business man's new born and much wanted baby is kidnapped by a gang who are demanding three million as ransom. The detective in charge of the murder investigation, Kate Hamilton, is a single mum and she has issues of her own when she comes face to face with the doctor who tried to persuade her to put her son up for adoption when he was born.

Paul Carson is a doctor and has written a number of health books. In this novel he very cleverly switches from one storyline to another and the two stories eventually become entwined.

Rating out of 5 ★★★★★



Gazza - My Story by Paul Gascoigne

I really enjoyed this book and was quite disappointed when I came to the end. The Gazza at the beginning is a different Gazza at the end and you just can't help but like him. There were times though when I thought to myself "what an idiot" because he has done some pretty stupid things in his life but now he finally seems to have grown up and has turned his life back round. The quote that most seems to sum him up is "Gazza was never truly the Great which his talent argued he ought to have become. There is immense sadness about Gascoigne's failure to master the demon drink. It is sad for all the football men who knew him to be brushed with rare brilliance as well as that incurable daftness".

There's also some insight to the changing room antics and behind the scenes of those famous England games as well as the low downs on the England Managers.

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The Warsop Hospice Support Group

We held a musical evening with Ian Bruce, an evening of music and songs was greatly enjoyed by everyone present and £211 was raised for Hospice Funds.

Many thanks to the people who supported us and thanks to Ian who gave us such a wonderful evening.

Warsop Wives Group

A recent charity shop on High Street raised £360 towards our charity fund. Thank you to everyone who helped and supported us.

On September 20th we held our Harvest Festival. Mrs Joan Wright led the service and the produce was auctioned for our charity fund.

On October 4th we welcomed the Reverend Mark Cantrill to our meeting. He gave a very interesting talk about his life and how he became a curate.

The meal at the Cottage at Blackwell on October 18th was finalised.

Future meetings are:

- November 1st **Knit and Natter night**
- November 15th **The Upton Handbell ringers**
- November 29th **Trip to Meadowhall**
- December 13th **Christmas meal at the Hostess**

Irene Hodgson

Warsop Mens Probus

A meeting of the Warsop Mens Probus Club took place at 1030 on Wednesday 21st September 2005 in the Fitzherbert Room at Warsop Parish Centre.

Mr. Brian Bennett the President welcomed all members and guests to the meeting, on conclusion of the Club business he went on to introduce the Speaker for the day, Mr Kim Winfield, an ex. Warsop man. Mr Winfield was to give a presentation entitled 'Afghanistan' where he recently spent an eight month tour of duty with the International Security Assistance Force (ISAF). This force is trying to give the Afghans the breathing space required, in order to set up their own security, and law and order systems, so that they can run their own country, under a freely elected Democratic government. Slides of the transport systems, and the varying tribes of the population were shown, together with their habitats. ISAF has a huge task, and is implementing many educational programmes, and other forms of help in order to assist in the bringing about of the new Democracy. A vote of thanks to the Speaker was proposed by Mr. John Walker, and following a short comfort break, 32 members and guests sat down to lunch. Grace was said by Mr. Geoff Noble.

NOTICE to Warsop Mens Group Members

Please note that the group will not recommence in November as it usually does. I will be out of action for a few weeks following surgery in early November but look forward to our first meeting on Tuesday, 10 January, 2006, at the Christmas edition of this newspaper.

Brian Bennett

The Oaklands Update

Some of the Oaklands residents have just been on their first holiday abroad, to Spain, which they thoroughly enjoyed.

There is another holiday due, to Eurodisney, which I am sure will be enjoyed by the residents just as much. The holidays are thanks to the bungalows fundraising staff and all those who have supported their events. The staff will also be holding various fundraising events, stalls, etc in the future to raise money for the 'New Minibus Appeal'. Please support them.

The Friends of the Oaklands Fundraisers have been busy raising funds for the Centre. They supported a recent Fran Blackmore Evening, 'The Annapurna Trek', which was a great success. A recent joint fundraiser for the Centre and Warsop Parish Church, Eastwood Collieries Male Voice Choir, was supported by Rene Gibbons and Kathryn Herrod and their helpers.

The Oaklands Centre Christmas Fayre will be on Saturday 3 December from 10.00am. This will be opened this year by Tony Egginton. There will be a wide selection of stalls, a raffle and refreshments. The Fayre is supported by The Friends of the Oaklands Fundraisers, our dedicated band of volunteers who work tirelessly for the Centre. We all look forward to seeing you all; make a note in your diaries!

Jill Robinson - Funding/Project Manager



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Meanwhile, back in the fifties.....

Housekeeping Monthly 13 May 1955 The good wife's guide

● Have dinner ready. Plan ahead, even the night before, to have a delicious meal ready, on time for his return. This is a way of letting him know that you have been thinking about him and are concerned about his needs. Most men are hungry when they come home and the prospect of a good meal (especially his favourite dish) is part of the warm welcome needed.

● Prepare yourself. Take 15 minutes to rest so you'll be refreshed when he arrives. Touch up your make-up, put a ribbon in your hair and be fresh-looking. He has just been with a lot of work-weary people.

● Be a little gay and a little more interesting for him. His boring day may need a lift and one of your duties is to provide it.

● Clear away the clutter. Make one last trip through the main part of the house just before your husband arrives.

● Gather up schoolbooks, toys, paper etc. and then run a dustcloth over the tables.

● Over the cooler months of the year you should prepare and light a fire for him to unwind by. Your husband will feel he has reached a haven of rest and order and it will give you a lift too. After all, catering for his comfort will provide you with immense personal satisfaction.

● Prepare the children. Take a few minutes to wash the children's hands and faces (if they are small), comb their hair and, if necessary, change their clothes. They are little treasures and he would like to see them playing the part. Minimise all noise. At the time of his arrival, eliminate all noise of the washer, dryer or vacuum. Try to encourage the children to be quiet.

● Be happy to see him.

● Greet him with a warm smile and show sincerity in your desire to please him.

● Listen to him. You may have a dozen important things to tell him but the moment of his arrival is not the time. Let him talk first - remember, his topics of conversation are more important than yours.

● Make the evening his. Never complain if he comes home late or goes out to dinner, or other places of entertainment without you. Instead, try to understand his world of strain and pressure and his very need to be at home and relax.

● Your goal: Try to make sure your home is a place of peace, order and tranquillity where your husband can renew himself in body and spirit.

● Don't greet him with complaints and problems.

● Don't complain if he's late home for dinner or even if he stays out all night. Count this as minor compared to what he might have gone through that day.

● Make him comfortable. Have him lean back in a comfortable chair or have him lie down in the bedroom. Have a cool or warm drink ready for him.

● Arrange his pillow and offer to take off his shoes. Speak in a low, soothing and pleasant voice.

● Don't ask him questions about his actions or question his judgement or integrity. Remember, he is the master of the house and as such will always exercise his will with fairness and truthfulness. You have no right to question him.

● A good wife always knows her place.

What can I say! - Desperate Housewives? Editor

John Mann MP

SURGERY DATES FOR WARSOP 2005

▲ 18th November

▲ 9th December

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Peter Crawford Vice Chairman 843740
John Allin 845406/843391
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or call in at Age Concern,
14 High Street Mon - Fri 9 - 12pm
Andy Wetton 842138
Also Mansfield District Council Councillor
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Sheila Shields 843021
Also Mansfield District Council Councillor
Bob Morton 843641
Also Mansfield District Council Councillor
Brian Smith 843410
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Marion Kavanagh 847690

Minutes for October meeting will be available from The Clerk's Office or you can view them on www.warsopweb.co.uk

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Dates to be held:
29th November & 20th December

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Councillor **Sheila Shields** on 843021
Councillor **Bob Morton** on 843641

Meden Vale Surgeries for 2005 will be held at 10am till 12noon.

Councillors Sandra Taylor, Sheila Shields and Bob Morton will hold them at the following venues

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Dec 3rd Malcolm Sargison Centre

If you have any issues, views or ideas you would like to put forward to Mansfield District Council for Birklands Ward you can contact:

Barry Dawson
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Andy Wetton
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Bev Lilley
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Money raising activities to the fore! at Warsop inner wheel

Business as usual at the Hostess Restaurant on Monday 3 October, where £686 was raised for our chosen charities.

Fellowship meeting - 5th October

The meeting provided the opportunity for Jill Robinson and Brenda Bird of Oaklands Warsop to visit us at the Hostess.

Brenda gave us all an interesting insight into Oaklands from conception to now.

Jill Oaklands fundraising manager described how monies raised on their behalf are used to improve, upgrade the centre and provide monies for a new mini bus.

Thoresby Craft show - 8th/9th October

For the second time this year we have taken the opportunity of taking advantage of space provided free of charge!! By Free spirit event company to raise the magnificent sum of £936 ~ 54 Thanks to all our members and many thanks to the members of public that gave so graciously and freely at this event.

Christmas Flower Arranging

Other activities in late September Christine Fretwell kindly provided the opportunity of learning Christmas flower arranging at the Langwith village hall.

Open Evening

Lets sign off by informing our members and the general public that we have a special open evening at the Oaklands centre in Warsop where an Indian meal will be served as part of the evenings activities tickets are only £12.00.

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My OHMS envelope arrived by post in October 1950, it directed me to attend a medical in a local clinic at a certain date and time, promptly. No please or thank you! This I did and was given an examination and pronounced A1 and then asked which arm of the services I would prefer, I asked to join the RAF and this was duly noted. So off I went home to await further notification of my call to arms. This duly arrived a few weeks later in the form of a travel warrant with instructions to proceed to a location in Warwickshire, by rail, where I would be met and conveyed to a nearby army camp for induction and training in an infantry regiment of the British Army! So much for my request to join the RAF.

Upon reaching the wooden-hutted camp some 200 of us were directed to several huts, where we were given sheets, a blanket and 2 square biscuits filled with straw to us as mattresses! Very few managed a good night sleep on those! The next day we were issued with boots, some tattered denims for everyday use and then measured up for uniforms, then off to the parade ground to learn how to march in step and various other disciplines. This was supplemented over the next few days and weeks by an emphasis on physical fitness, through assault courses, route marches and hard work in the gymnasium. Anyone showing reluctance on these activities was smartly disciplined. By now we had all been issued with our own personal .303 Lee-Enfield rifle and threatened with every punishment under the sun if we were even caught with it in an unclean condition. Then followed a period of instruction on various small arms, the Sten automatic, a notoriously temperamental gun, mass produced for cheapness and very prone to stoppages, the Bren Light Machine Gun (LMG) a very accurate and reliable weapon, 2" mortar and a hand grenade, all these apart from the grenade had to be stripped down and thoroughly cleaned after use, this we had to practice until we could do it blind folded!

Now that our boots had relented and got used to their new owners and the blisters had gone down, we were sent off to a camp in North Wales, it was now mid-winter. Here we were put through further toughening-up training which entailed 20 mile forced marches with full packs, some of these at night! This was getting serious, marching on a compass bearing, over snow-covered mountains at night, what had I done to deserve this? Christmas 1950, back at our base camp we were treated to a sudden improvement in our Spartan rations, roast turkey, Christmas pudding with all the trimmings served to our table by officers! An old army tradition, sadly it was for one day only.

Part of a story written by Dennis Armstrong

Age Concern

● Oaklands Annual Dinner

Any elderly person living in the Parish of Warsop, interested in having their name put on the list for the Annual Dinner at The Oaklands Centre, Market Warsop on Wednesday 14th December, 2005

● Volunteers

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● Mini Bus Drivers

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● Treasurer's Post

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Come one, Come all We Open Our Doors

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- Future Plans for the colliery site

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Sue said "I would like to thank all our staff, who have worked very hard to achieve our standards and also all our customers - we could not have won this award without them."

Sue and Chris also raised £1,000 for Bassetlaw Hospice

and £400 for Meden 2000 at a recently charity fun day at the pub where there was a barbeque, car boot sale, quad biking, bouncy castle, raffle, tombola, competitions and stalls.



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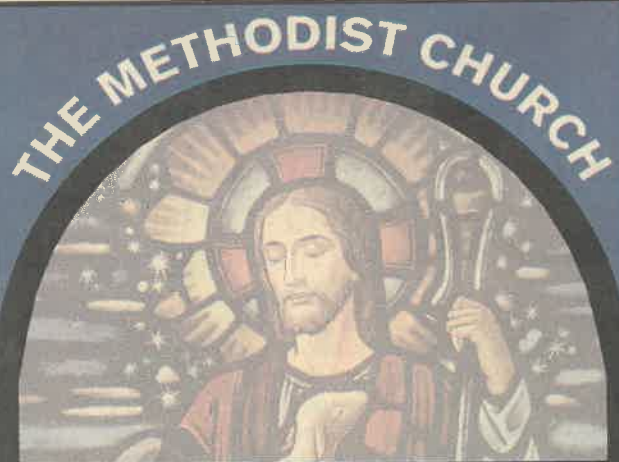
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Warsop Methodist Church: Services for November

6th	09.30am	Miss Helen Hollingworth - Chapel Anniversary
13th	9.30am	Dr Charles McLaughlin
20th	9.30am	Rev David Greenaway
	11.15am	Sunday Club
27th	9.30am	Mr Arnie Kells

Meden Vale Methodist Church: Services for November

6th	3.00pm	Rev Marie Greenwood
13th	10.30am	Helen Hollingworth - Family Service
	6.30pm	Anglican Worship
20th	3.00pm	Rev David Greenaway
27th	3.00pm	Rev Paul Hill - Holy Communion

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Superintendent

Rev: Paul Hill
Tel: 01623 623192

Minister

Rev: David Greenaway
Tel: 01623 860354

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Rock Valley, Mansfield**

**Hi my name is Jude the Senior Support Worker for
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Jigsaw was set up as a charity in 1999 to help provide free low level support to people in the Mansfield and District community who wish to remain independent in their home.

We are funded at present by Supporting People which is a Government initiative and the Big Lottery Fund. The organisation is run by a Management Committee where the members are all Volunteer's, we have 2 Project Coordinators, 7 Support Workers and many valued Community Volunteers. If you would like to know more about Jigsaw and how we can help you or someone you may know or maybe you would like to ask about Volunteer Opportunities please don't hesitate in contacting us our contact number is 01623 662200.

Jigsaw Mansfield Floating Support Scheme working in Partnership with Warsop and Meden Vale Methodist Churches.

Warsop & Meden Vale Social Events

working in partnership with Jigsaw

Wesley's @ Warsop Methodist Church

4th Nov	1.30-3.30	Art Class Taster Session - Free
17th Nov	1.30-3.30	Christmas Card Making - Free
7th Dec	1.00-3.30	Christmas Buffet /Carols £3
17th Dec	7.30pm	Concert £2.50
19th Jan	1.30pm	Old Time Music Hall, Talk & Entertainment £3
Saturdays	10-12	Coffee Morning
Thursdays	10-12	Fit Club (gentle exercise) - Free

Meden Vale Methodist Church

11th Nov	1.30-3.30	Christmas Card Making - Free
25th Nov	1.30-3.30	Games Afternoon
2nd Dec	1.30-3.30	Christmas sing-along
21st Dec	1.30-3.30	Christmas Lunch/Carols £3

**For more information/tickets please contact:
Jennie Maguire on 01623 662200**

The Parish Church of Warsop with Sookholme



Sunday Services

8.00am	Holy Communion
9.25am	Powerhouse Group (new Junior Church Group)
9.30am	Holy Communion

On the 4th Sunday of the month this service is a family service and we are joined by Junior Church

Weekday Communion Services

Wednesday

10.00am	Anglican Communion in the Methodist Chapel on Clumber Street
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First Thursday of the month

10.00am	Anglican Communion at Meden Vale Chapel
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Wedding and Baptisms

To book a wedding or a baptism, please come to the church office in the Parish Centre any Tuesday evening between 6.30pm and 7.30pm.

You don't need an appointment just turn up.

Baptism preparation will be held monthly and baptisms will take place by arrangement.

Rector:	Rev. Kathryn Herrod The Rectory, Church Road, Church Warsop	Tel: 01623 843290
Curate:	Rev. Mark Cantrill Heather Villa, 23 Main Road, Blidworth	Tel: 01623 460978
Reader:	Miss Pat Brewin 8 Burnt Oak Close, Mansfield Woodhouse	Tel: 01623 424116
Reader:	Mrs Joan Wright 36 Netherfield Lane, Meden Vale	Tel: 01623 845813
Reader:	Mrs Pam Radford 82 Valley Road, Shirebrook	Tel: 01623 744245
For all enquiries and requests please contact the Rector.		

Registers for Warsop Parish Church

Baptisms

25th Sept	Jakub Jozef Pauk
9th Oct	Emmie Anne Dorothy Kirk
9th Oct	Garry-James Chadwick

Weddings

24th Sep	Kenneth Wayne Godber & Sarah Louise Walton
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1st Oct	Christopher James Bridge & Simone Toni Eccleston
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1st Oct	Benjamin John Buckinger & Caroline Sarah Legan
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Funerals

14th Sept	Barry Leslie Lee (55)
16th Sept	Ernest Bennett (86)
20th Sept	Nellie Pearson (91)
21st Sept	Thomas Frederick Morgan (64)
22nd Sept	Daisy Pretty (76)
23rd Sept	John (Jack) Heslop Cullen (65)
4th Oct	Maddison Lea Archer (18 hours)
5th Oct	George Pickering (77)
6th Oct	Agnes Irene Turner (95)
7th Oct	Richard James (Dick) Hind (81)
11th Oct	Henry (Harry) Parfitt (67)
14th Oct	Irene Florence Halford (85)

SERVICE TIMES

Warsop Parish Church is currently reviewing the start times of morning services in order to make them more accessible to the wider community. Please watch this space or the Church notice board for revised times.

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Meetings			
	Sunday	10.45am	Breaking Bread
		2.30pm	Sunday School
		6.30pm	Gospel Service
	Tuesday	7.00pm	Young Peoples Meeting
	Wednesday	7.00pm	Bible Study and Prayer Meeting

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Parish Sisters
 Sister Anne Marie
 Responsible for Warsop
 Sister Philomena
 Responsible for Mansfield

Contact for Both sisters
 The Presentation Convent
 3 Clumber Street, Market Warsop
 Telephone: 01623 845091

For all enquires contact the Sisters at the above address.
 Enquires for Baptisms and Marriages should be addressed directly to the Sisters.
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Weekday Mass
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Warsop Churches Together

It's that time of year again, when the days are getting shorter and the nights are getting longer.

In this ever changing world it can be reassuring to know that there are some things which are constant, such as the four seasons, spring, summer, autumn and winter, and God's love for us. The bible tells us that God is the same yesterday, today and forever, no matter what changes we might be going through our God stays the same. He is faithful and just, slow to anger and abounding in love. He may not always like what we do, as we disobey His commandments but His love for us as individuals never fails.

If you haven't experienced the life changing love of God then I encourage you to pick up a bible, say a prayer and come to one of your local churches where someone can tell you more. Keep safe during this winter, God Bless.

Pastor David Sanders



Readers letters

Dear All

It is with a great deal of sadness that after 27 years service to the people of Warsop and surrounding villages, I have decided to move to another department for the final months of my police service, whilst I fully recover from a knee injury. During my time working from Warsop Police Station I have made many friends within the Warsop Community and the surrounding villages and I am sure that the good work to improve the quality of life for residents will continue. I wish to thank the people of Warsop, Warsop Vale, Church Warsop and Meden Vale for their support over the past years and I only hope that I have contributed in some small way to making Warsop Parish a better place. I will continue to show an interest in the Policing of Warsop in my new role and support my replacement Pc Dave BOOLER in any way that I am able to. Once again I thank everyone for the assistance given and I will look back on my time serving the people of Warsop as the best years of my service with long and lasting memories.

Kind Regards
Clyde Derbyshire

Mrs Booth

of 12 Southgate Road, Warsop,
 wishes to inform everyone that she will not be
 sending out Christmas cards this year but will be
 making a donation instead to the

Air Ambulance, Nottingham.

Dear Editor

I have walked along Sherwood Street today with my baby son in his push chair and was dismayed by the amount of dog faeces that I had to try and avoid. I also had with me my two dogs, a supply of plastic bags and a collection of dog poo! For those that don't clean up after their dogs please think about this: Leptospirosis causes severe vomiting and diarrhoea in both dogs and humans. In children, the result dehydration can be fatal. Toxoplasmosis is a blood disorder passed by dog or cat faeces. It gives the appearance of cold or flu type symptoms but actually eats away at the brain and in a young child (or indeed an adult) will ultimately cause severe brain damage or in the worst case, a very unpleasant death. If you own a dog and you take it out on public walkways please clean up after your dog. As a responsible dog owner, I do my best to clean up after my dogs - it is obvious that some owners don't. Warsop portrays itself as being an attractive market town. Dodging dog poo is not the way to make it attractive to visitors.

Paul Shieber

Editors Note: I totally agree, I walk along Sherwood Street twice a day to take my son to and from school and cannot believe the amount of dog poo we have to avoid. Do these people realise that they can get a very hefty fine - one lady in Warsop has been recently fined £155 in court for letting her dog foul on the Carrs. **SO BEWARE ALL YOU DOG OWNERS** - I have just reported it to the DOG WARDEN who will be keeping an eye on Sherwood Street and will have a book full of £50 on the spot fines to give out to anyone they catch not picking up their little darlings POO! **THERE IS NO EXCUSE - YOU LOVE YOUR DOG - SO PICK UP AFTER IT!**

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Walking along the A60 up to the Cenotaph where Rev. Kathryn Herrod will take the Memorial Service. There will be laying of wreaths, prayers, hymns and readings. Accompanying the parade will be Welbeck Estates Brass Band. Everyone welcome.

**Please come along and remember the fallen of
 both World Wars and reflect on the loss of other
 lives during conflicts since 1945.**



NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC WARSOP CEMETERY

**If you have any complaints regarding the Cemetery
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Festival of Winter Flowers

17th - 19th November

Warsop Church is holding a celebration of winter flowers from Thursday 17th to Saturday 19th November.

Local groups are supporting the event by sponsoring or arranging displays.

On the Thursday evening at 7 pm the Meden School Concert Band will play for us and North Anston Male Voice Choir will provide a concert on the Friday evening, also at 7 pm.

The festival will be brought to a close on the Saturday at 4 pm with a Songs of Praise service.

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Dad visits - one bus, there's no more
He talks of nothing but the war
We'll beat Hitler, of that he's sure.

Mum cries out in the night
Scared that dad has gone to fight
I want to tell her he'll be alright.

Time passes slow for the two of us
Mum doesn't want to make a fuss
We just live for the weekly bus.

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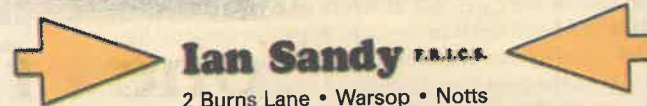
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Thursday 3rd November 05

Old Postcards - Mr. Fareham

Thursday 8th December 05

Christmas Social

Thursday 5th January 06

Organ recital - Mrs Pike

Thursday 2nd February 06

Photographs - Mr's A & CL Nickless

Thursday 2nd March 06

A Talk - Mr A Pickering

Thursday 6th April 06

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2. Warsop NMT Projects 2004/2005

features a host of projects funded by the NMT and Sherwood Street School 'Popstars'.

3. Warsop Carnival 2005

a 30 minute film featuring the Saturday football tournament, all of the Sunday's parade, a host of the events on the Carrs, the arena events on what was a beautiful day in July - probably the best ever carnival.

4. Warsop Carnival 'Musos' music Event

another 30 minute film featuring most of the young and older Warsop musicians who took part on Saturday's 'Party in the Marquee' and the Sunday's 'Battle of the Bands'.

The first 3 films can be purchased from the group for £3, which covers our cost for the disc and the DVD box etc.

The 'MUSOS' film is £5, which has taken more time to produce and includes a donation for 'Musos'.

** If your group would like us to come and showcase any of the films, say to an elderly group who cannot get to such events, please let us know and we can arrange to bring along a projector, screen etc to keep people in touch with what is going on in Warsop.

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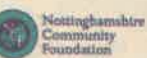
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Meden Sports Centre

Every Tuesday 6.00pm - 8.00pm **£2.50**
 For more information call Mark on **01623 517053** or **01623 846733** or just come along on Tuesday

Meden Vale Senior Citizens

- Meet fortnightly on Tuesday evenings in the Miners Welfare at 7.30pm
- Raffle, Bingo & Refreshments
- Outings and parties arranged come along and make new friends
- Over 55's Welcome



For further information call **844064/844034**

Christmas Fayre

Saturday 3rd December - From 10.00am
Stalls, raffle, refreshments

Other Events for November

Portland College Bonfire and Firework Display

Friday 4th November
 Mansfield Town Football Club - Tel: 01623 499151

Christmas at White Post Farm

From 19th November till 24th December
 Tel: 01623 882977

Mansfield Christmas Lights Switch-On Event

Mansfield Town Centre - Tel: 01623 463026

WARSOP WORKINGMEN'S CLUB

Saturday 12th November
- Battle of the Bands

Saturday 26th November
- RAVE night

Mondays:

Bingo, Snowball Game & Sequence Dancing

Tuesdays:

Sherwood Archery Club 7.30pm
 Come and have a go

Wednesdays:

'New Spirit School of JU JITSU'
 For absolute beginners or experienced students
 Juniors at 6.30pm Adults at 7.30pm

Thursdays:

Quiz Nite - Money & Beer Prizes 9pm (sharp)

John Smiths
 £1.50 a pint

Fosters
 £1.70 a pint

Bottled Beers
 £1.00

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