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Sherburn Informer

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

Sherburn-in-Elmet Festival 2019

Bank Holiday Weekend 24th, 25th & 26th August

Party in the park

from 5pm until 8pm on Saturday and Sunday. There'll be food and drink, live music, and free entry for all.

Lots to see and do

The event promises a variety of live entertainment, craft and food stalls, celebrity chef cooking demonstrations, children's activities, competitions, vintage vehicles and a traditional funfair. New for 2019 is the festival's beer tent, with over 20 draught real ales, ciders and wines.



Now in its third year, the Sherburn-in-Elmet Festival is back over the August Bank Holiday Weekend.

Open daily from 10am, the three-day event will be bigger and better than before.



Special guests

The Festival will be opened by Tommy Cannon from Cannon and Ball



Tickets

Tickets for the event can be purchased in advance from the website www.craftandfoodfestival.co.uk or from local outlets including The Oddfellows Arms, Sherburn Library and Elmsley's Estate Agents.



Run by Sherburn-in-Elmet Teasel Trust and a group of volunteers, all profits made from the event are put back into the local community and donated to charities, good causes and community groups.



Come along and have fun!

Find out more at www.craftandfoodfestival.co.uk or find us on Facebook /sherburncraftandfoodfestival

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Do you need a maths or English qualification to apply for a job or to progress in your career?

We are offering **FREE Maths and English classes** for 19+ learners in the Selby/Sherburn area. Learning takes place in a relaxed environment with like-minded people.

We are currently running the following classes:-

English, 9:30 – 12:00. Tuesday mornings
At the Eversley Centre, Sherburn (opposite Aldi)

Maths, 12:30 – 15:00, Tuesday afternoons
At the Eversley Centre, Sherburn (opposite Aldi)

To book onto a course and for more information please contact our Customer Service Centre on 01609 780780 and ask for 'Adult Learning' or email south.adultlearning@northyorks.gov.uk (add Selby Area Courses in the subject line).



Older Veterans encouraged to access free advice and support

A local project that supports older veterans in the Selby District is urging local residents to get in touch as the initiative enters its final year.

The 'Ex Forces Support North Yorkshire' project offers services and activities to anyone over the age of 65 who has served in the Armed Forces or completed National Service.

So far the project has delivered 98 interventions to veterans in the Selby District. Veterans have made the most of services such as home well-being checks, advice on utility bills and other financial matters, gardening, opportunities to take part in trips and new activities, befriending and volunteering, and help and advice for carers and families.

All of the services and activities are free of charge as the project is fully funded by the Aged Veterans Fund at the Ministry of Defence. To find out more contact Community First Yorkshire on 01904 704177 or exforces@communityfirstyorkshire.org.uk

SELBY DISTRICT COUNCILLORS UPDATE

We would like to thank residents of Sherburn and Huddleston with Newthorpe for electing us as Selby District Councillors in May. We are (strictly in alphabetical order) Dave Brook (Yorkshire Party); David Buckle (Conservative Party) and Bob Packham (Labour Party). We will be working together to ensure our village receives its share of Council resources and to address community views and needs in the next four years. We have already started to do this by meeting to discuss what we need to do and will continue to have regular meetings, both together and with the wider community. We recognise that we have different strengths (and weaknesses) but would highlight that: Dave is a great communicator and keeps up with social media issues, he runs the Hundred Club and Community Awards; David is Sherburn born and has great knowledge of the community and has been given a position on the Executive of the Council as Lead Executive Member for Communities and Economic Development and Chairs the Festival (Teasel) Trust; Bob has a Local Government background, has been a District Councillor for 16 years, understands how local government works, is Leader of the Labour Group and a member of the Planning Committee. David and Bob are also Parish Councillors.

You can contact any or all of us with your ideas or concerns. Our preferred contact details are:

Dave Brook: dbrook@selby.gov.uk tel.07971 093166;

David Buckle: dbuckle@selby.gov.uk tel. 07949092392;

Bob Packham: rpackham@selby.gov.uk tel. 01977 681954.



“What’s On” your guide to Local Events

AUGUST 2019

THURSDAYS 1ST, 8TH, 15TH, 22ND & 29TH

AUGUST 9AM-1PM OGS Active Holiday Club £2.50 per child, per session – bring snacks. The MUGA Sports Pitch at the Fairways. Booking & Payment in Advance Contact Sarah Kay on 01977 685178 or sarah.kay@siect.uk

MONDAY 5TH AUGUST 1.30-4.30pm. Sing Along Session as part of the Memory Cafe. For all ages. Free Entry (tea & coffee £1) The Old Girls School.

TUESDAY 6TH AUGUST Cinema Afternoon – 2pm for 2.30pm - How to Train your Dragon: the Hidden World The Old Girls’ School. Tickets £2

WEDNESDAYS 7TH, 14TH, 21ST & 28TH

AUGUST 9AM-4PM OGS Active Holiday Club £5.00 per child, per session – bring packed lunch. The Old Girls’ School. Booking & Payment in Advance Contact Sarah Kay on 01977 685178 or sarah.kay@siect.uk

MONDAY 19TH AUGUST 10-11.30am Free Sessions for Parents with Children—Outdoor Games for age 5yrs+, Sherburn Children Centre To book: tel: 01609 780780 (ask for Selby Area Adult Learning) or e-mail south.adultlearning@northyorks.gov.uk

TUESDAY 20TH AUGUST Cinema Afternoon , 2pm for 2.30pm , Wonder Park The Old Girls’ School. Tickets £2

SATURDAY 24TH AUGUST to MONDAY 26TH AUGUST - SHERBURN in Elmet FESTIVAL

Sat/Sun 10am-8pm, Mon 10am-5pm (see Front Cover for full details) Entertainment for all the Family.

SATURDAY 24TH AUGUST to MONDAY 26TH AUGUST Art Festival, Eversley Park Centre—featuring Art, Photography and Handy Crafts.

WEDNESDAY 28TH AUGUST 1-2.30pm Free Sessions for Parents with Children—Clay Craft for age 2yrs+, Sherburn Children Centre To book: tel: 01609 780780 (ask for Selby Area Adult Learning) or e-mail south.adultlearning@northyorks.gov.uk

SEPTEMBER 2019

SUNDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER Old Girls’ School 1st Birthday Celebrations – Look out for further details on posters, the website and Facebook .

MONDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 1.30-4.30pm. Sing Along Session as part of the Memory Cafe. For all ages. Free Entry (tea & coffee £1) The Old Girls’ School

THURSDAY 5TH SEPTEMBER – Running Weekly until 24th October – TOTSPLAY – 10am – 11.50am The Old Girls’ School, Multi-Activity Developmental Play Classes. Contact The Old Girls’ School for further details on 01977 685178.

FRIDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER - Starlight Walk for Prince of Wales Hospice—Celebrate the lives of loved ones Starts 9pm outside the Old Girls School, Sherburn in Elmet. Register online at www.pwh.org

FRIDAY 13TH SEPTEMBER Cinema Evening 7pm for 7.30pm. Film TBC. The Old Girls’ School. Tickets £4 Tickets on Sale from Tuesday 6th August

SATURDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER “An Evening with Cannon & Ball at the Eversley park Centre (see full details on Page 5) Tickets on sale now—please book early to avoid disappointment. Tel: 01977 681024 or call in at Eversley Park Centre.

WEDNESDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER 9.30-11.30am Computers For Beginners—Taster Session - Using Computers, Mobile Devices, Software and Social Media £10 Enrol On-line at wea.org.uk or call 03003033464 quote Course reference C3675816.

SATURDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER South Milford Village Fete in the Park, South Milford.

If you have any local events you would like to promote in the Sherburn Informer **completely free of charge**, e-mail me at: anne-marie.oldroyd@siect.uk

SOUTH MILFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL

We are currently looking for a new governor who would like to join our village school’s governing body. Being a governor is enjoyable, stimulating and rewarding. Please do not be put off by thinking that you have to have specialist expertise or knowledge. Enthusiasm and interest is much more important. And remember, you will be joining a long established governing body and will be supported by fellow governors with many years of combined experience. For an informal chat, contact chair of governors, Dan Murphy, by e-mailing d.murphy@sportspub.co.uk



Sherburn in Elmet Parish Council

I hope you are reading this in the middle of some fine summer weather, because it's being written during a spell of cool, wet weather with flood warnings in place.

The Gala ran successfully in May and we can now look forward to the Festival at the end of August. This is a real community event which relies very heavily on volunteers, so do please support it.

We are lucky in that Sherburn has lots of people who are willing to volunteer and lots of examples of that can be seen in this issue of the Informer. The Welcome to Sherburn booklet which the Parish Council and Community Trust cooperated to produce has now been distributed to every house in Sherburn. It includes lots of community details and information and if for some reason you haven't received a copy they are still available at the Library.

Sherburn continues to grow with new houses being built at various sites and planning issues remain prominent. An application to build industrial units on the former Gascoigne Wood site has been deferred pending further information. The application for permission to build 27 homes on land off Garden Lane has still not been decided, but the Parish Council have objected and we are hopeful that it will be refused. A consultation has also been held regarding a possible development of 12 affordable homes at Highfield Green on the southwest side of Sherburn. When/if a planning application is submitted, the Parish Council will look closely at it, but we will not comment until a detailed proposal is available.

Plans for the refurbishment of the rugby clubhouse are continuing. A consultation event was held and the intention is to ensure that it involves a variety of community uses. The possibility of supplying some youth provision from the clubhouse is being explored because, despite all the work which has been put in, it has become clear that the former library garage cannot be developed as a youth venue.

Ideas and suggestions are always welcome and the Parish Council are keen to hear from people who are interested in becoming involved. Please call into the Parish Council office (at the Eversley Park Centre), telephone (01977) 684666 or email us: clerk@sherburninemet-pc.gov.uk.

Website <http://sherburninemet-pc.gov.uk/>

Opening hours Eversley Park Centre Monday to Thursday 10am to 4pm, Friday 1pm to 4pm.

Sherburn Camera Club.

31st of May was our last club meeting until September, which was held at Fields Garden Centre for our annual presentation evening and meal. A nice three course meal was followed by the presentation of trophies to the winners of all the seasons competitions. Entertainment was provided by Albert Stott a young man with a wonderful voice, and the evening was rounded off with raffle draw and everyone went home happy.

Now our Monday night meetings in the Church Hall have finished till September, a new idea is being tried, so that every other Monday night a group go off to do some outdoor photography. First night was to Wetherby where a group of about ten members spent the evening down by the river taking lots of photographs.

This is in addition to our normal Thursday outings which take us all over many different venues. Last Thursday was to Brodsworth Hall which has some of the best gardens in Yorkshire. Past visits include Yorkshire Wildlife Park, Gliders off Sutton Bank and a tour of an Amazon warehouse.

Keep in touch at www.sherburn-camera-club.co.uk





FOCUS ON EVERSLEY PARK CENTRE

@ the centre of the village

The Eversley Park Centre was opened in 1995 by the late Squire Bradbury. It is a registered charity run by an established and dedicated committee of volunteers.

The Centre offers a number of rooms to hire for meetings events, parties, receptions etc with fully equipped kitchen and a licenced bar.

The main hall features a professional overhead light and sound gantry, and an impressive stage which hosts dance shows, tribute acts, theme nights and famous names from the world of variety and entertainment.

A recent addition to facilities is an outdoor area with tables and seating which is accessed directly from the main hall for extended use on those fine summer days and evenings.

Regular daytime and evening activities include:

ZUMBA YOGA PILATES DANCERCISE LINE DANCING
CHILDRENS DANCE CLASSES BALLROOM & LATIN
HIIT CLASS KARATE MODEL RACING CLUB
USA MEETINGS BOWLS ART GROUP QUILT GROUP
ENGLISH & MATHS TUITION PAPER MAKING GROUP
ST JOHNS AMBULANCE ANTI NATAL CLASS



EVERSLEY PARK CENTRE NEWS



CANNON & BALL to return to Eversley Park for charity show

The irrefutable Kings of Comedy, Cannon & Ball are to return to Eversley Park Centre for "An Audience with Cannon & Ball" on September 14th 2019. The event organiser said "one hundred percent of ticket sales and revenue will go to the Snappy Charity which helps children and young people with wide ranging disabilities across the York area"

The first half of the show will be Tommy & Bobby's timeless comedy act, and in the second half they will share anecdotes from their 56 year partnership, then the microphones will be opened up to the audience to ask their own questions.

The front two rows (36 tickets only) will be VIP tickets which will include meet and greet on arrival with Tommy and Bobby, and complementary canapes and fizz!

Tickets go on sale in early July. Please book early to avoid disappointment: Phone 01977 681024, or call in at Eversley Park Centre.

WWW.EVERSLEYPARKCENTRE.CO.UK



COMMUNITY LIBRARY & INFORMATION HUB

Sherburn volunteers' success in Library of the Year competition

Taking over running Sherburn & Villages Community Library just over two years ago was a daunting challenge for 60 willing volunteers. Although life experienced, with a range of skills, they had never run a library before. But they shared a resolve that the closure threatened community resource should be kept open and they have now been Highly Commended for their outstanding performance.

The popular library, judged to be a runner-up in North Yorkshire County Council's Library of the Year competition for 2018/19, is performing very strongly. Its visitor numbers have increased at a time when library membership nationally is declining.

Working in partnership with the County Council the team of friendly volunteers has trained and worked hard to ensure that the library, which its members consider a vital community facility, remains open for everyone's benefit.

Paul Doherty, who chairs the Library Management Group, comments: "This is all about the volunteers. They thoroughly deserve this very welcome recognition of their tremendous efforts.

"The Highly Commended award is a lovely boost ahead of the Summer Reading Challenge which begins on Saturday, July 13. This year's theme is 'Space,' marking the 50th anniversary of the first landing on the Moon. The Challenge always brings lots of young readers into the library and we're confident this year will be the same."

Sherburn library is open on five days of the week, including Friday and Saturday mornings, providing a wide range of services including computer and internet access, photocopying and document printing plus, of course, a choice of hundreds of books and reference works, including audio books and some with large print size.



Commencing 18th July 2019 At Sherburn & Villages Community Library & Information Hub.
1st & 3rd Thursday each Month

1pm-2pm (Drop In Service) 2pm-3pm Library or Home Visits by appointment.)

INFORMATION & ADVICE, WELFARE BENEFIT ADVICE, DIGITAL SERVICES.

TO BOOK AN APPOINTMENT Tel: 01757 704115

Sherburn & Villages Community Library & Information Hub Finkle Hill, Sherburn In Elmet, LS25 6EA Tel: 01609 536033

"MORE THAN JUST BOOKS"

FREE WI-FI COUNCIL INFORMATION AUDIO BOOKS
MAPS COPY, SCAN, PRINT COMPUTERS BOOKS
NEWSPAPERS LARGE PRINT COFFEE MACHINE MEET-
ING ROOM IT BUDDIES ACTIVITIES AND CRAFTS

(Please visit the Library to find out about the range of regular activities available each week)



The SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2019

Challenge starts on Saturday 13th July—come along and register for free We are excited to announce that as part of this year's Summer Reading Challenge there will also be a Mini Challenge especially for pre-schoolers aged 0-3 years!

STOP PRESS: AS PART OF THE SUMMER READING CHALLENGE—DON'T FORGET TO CALL IN TO THE LIBRARY ON WEDNESDAY 31ST JULY—WE ARE HAVING AN "OUT OF THIS WORLD" ACTIVITY DAY . COME ALONG AND ENJOY THE FUN

Village Notice Board

Eco Awareness Event—Saturday 27th July—Table Top Sale—Talks—Workshops (make your own beauty products, reducing use of plastics) Raffle. Free Goodie Bag for first 50 entrants. Refreshments. 10am-1pm
The Old Girls School.

FREE: LOCAL HEALTH WALKS (tel: 07922002025 for info)

Friday 9th August—10.30am—5.5 miles -meet at Squires Café, Newthorpe Lane (B1222), Newthorpe, LS25 5LX (car park)

Tuesday 27th August—10.30am—6 miles -meet at Eversley Park Centre, Low Street, Sherburn in Elmet (please arrive 15 mins before start & wear strong footwear.

Lady Popplewell Centre, Beechwood Close, Sherburn in Elmet, LS25 6HU.

BINGO

Wednesdays and Fridays 7pm-9pm
Everyone Welcome
Come along and help local good causes by raising money for charities.
Refreshments available.

The next Western CEF Area Partnership Board Meeting is on Tuesday 3rd of September 2019
— venue t.b.c.

Please see: Western CEF information pages at:-
www.selby.gov.uk/western-area-cef

For details of our Cinema Evenings, Holiday Activities and Special Events, *See the What's On Guide*



Take a look at our Website

Oldgirlsschool.co.uk

We are also on Facebook



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
<p>Memory Café 1.30pm-3pm Open to Everyone. Contact Sue Thornton at Sherburn Visiting Scheme on 01977 681828 1st Monday of the month – Sing along Session as part of the Memory Café</p>	<p>Pilates with Diane 11.30am-12.30pm Contact Diane on 07950089199 for information on next session dates</p> <p>Yoga 6.30pm-7.30pm With Debbie @ Yogadose Please contact Debbie on Facebook @Yogadose or mobile 07872182582 For information on next session dates</p>	<p>Tai Chi 1.00pm - 1.45pm Please contact Old Girls' School on 01977 685178 for details & booking</p> <p>OGS Active Holiday Club 9am – 4pm 31st July, 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th August £5.00 per child – bring packed lunch. The Old Girls' School. Booking & Payment in Advance Contact Sarah Kay 01977 685178 or sarah.kay@sietct.uk</p>
Thursday	Friday	Monthly
<p>OGS Active Holiday Club 9am – 1pm 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th August £2.50 per child – bring snacks. At the MUGA sports field The Fairway. (If the weather is bad the session will take place at OGS). Booking & Payment in Advance Contact Sarah Kay 01977 685178 or sarah.kay@sietct.uk</p> <p>Yoga 7pm - 8pm With Debbie @ Yogadose Please contact Debbie on Facebook @Yogadose or mobile 07872182582 For information on next session dates</p>	<p>Strong and Steady 9.30am-11.30am Programme for the prevention of trips & falls. For more information contact Age UK Selby on 01757 704115</p>	<p>Citizens Advice 1st Monday of the month. Please contact 01757 701320 for an appointment.</p> <p>Selby Parish Nurses Drop In Clinic Every 3rd Wednesday. No appointment needed. Come & join them for a free cup of tea or coffee & a free health check.</p>

Halls & Rooms available for Hire for Parties, Celebrations, Activities, Workshops & Classes.
For Rates & Information, Contact Us on [01977 685178](tel:01977685178) or [07731745057](tel:07731745057) or email sarah.kay@sietct.uk



Sherburn High School

"Achievement for All"



Celebrating Success at Sherburn High

As the academic year draws to a close, it is time to celebrate the outstanding achievements of our students and over the course of four evenings, our 8th annual 'Sherbies' awards took place at the end of June. Students are nominated for their academic achievements; attendance; commitment to subjects and positive comments in addition to a range of special awards: Community; Read to Succeed; Academic Achievement; Library Award and House Star. It is wonderful to see so many students nominated from each house but only a few are lucky enough to win the coveted Sherbie trophies. We are proud to have such outstanding students at Sherburn High and that is testament to parents and carers who do an amazing job



of supporting and encouraging them in their studies and extra-curricular pursuits. Over the four evenings we had a group of brilliantly talented students who gave up their evenings to perform a range of songs from Queen's 'Somebody to love' to Amy Winehouse's 'Valerie'. The whole event was a resounding success and we now look forward to seeing what talent next year will bring!

On a similar theme, our annual sports day took place during the Sherbies week and despite the very mixed weather, it managed to remain dry for the big afternoon event. All students headed up to the track to watch their house mates compete in the track events.

We have some exceedingly talented runners who did their houses proud as they came thundering across the finishing line; indeed one of our students Lucie Clifton has just become the fastest 200 metre runner in the York District Finals as she beat everyone in the recent competition at the York Athletics Club with a time of 29.2 seconds!



MR REG FRENCH - SADRUG

Selby and District Rail Users Group has mourned the passing of Reg French in May. Reg served as the Secretary for around 20 years up to 2015, and still remained very active within the Group after retiring as Secretary.

Reg was a vigorous campaigner for improved rail services with many notable achievements. He was successful in persuading GNER to route their Hull to London service to call at Selby, and worked With Trans-Pennine Express to secure additional services on the Hull to Manchester line via Selby. South Milford and Sherburn-in-Elmet residents have a vastly improved railway service thanks to Reg's campaigning zeal. Reg also produced a document to explain the benefits of electrification from Manchester to Selby and Hull, and presented his findings to the Secretary Of Transport in London. As a consequence a decision was made to electrify the line through to Selby.

Reg was brought up in Sherburn and his wife in South Milford before moving to Selby. He kept coming back regularly to see friends and relatives and do his weekly shopping. Reg will be missed by many.



CHURCH INFORMATION

Methodist Church

Church open every Sunday, service starts at 10.45am.

Roman Catholic Church

St Joseph's RC Church in Church View (behind Elmete Social Club) invite you to our regular, monthly coffee mornings at the church on the last Wednesday of each month from 10.15 to 12pm. All are welcome.

All Saints Church

Parish Eucharist every Sunday at 10:45am *except* First Sunday of the month which is a said service at the same time, 10:45am

USEFUL NUMBERS

SMELLS

Environment Agency
0800 807060

LITTER

01757 705101 or
info@selby.gov.uk

POTHOLES

Report on North Yorkshire website
www.northyorks.gov.uk

POLICE

For non-emergencies ring
101

SELBY DISTRICT COUNCIL
01757 705101

SHERBURN POLICE STATION

Telephone 101, Option 2,
13113 Opening Hours:
Mon 10am - 12 noon,
Tues + Fri 2-4pm, Weds +
Thurs 6-8pm.