



SINNINGTON NEWSLETTER

March 2024

Photo courtesy of Stuart Frank

MAY FAIR 2024

The May Fair needs your help!

A May Fair planning meeting is to be held on **Wednesday 20th March at 7pm** in the Village Hall meeting room. If you're interested in getting involved in the May Fair please come along to the meeting. If you're unable to attend the meeting but are still interested in helping please contact Alison Mitchell at alison.4thcott@btinternet.com or **07986 275268**. She would love to hear from you.

We appreciate whatever help you can offer. Thank you.

Village Hall Committee

SINNINGTON LOCAL HISTORY GROUP OPEN EVENING,

The first History Group Open Evening of 2024 is on **Wednesday 6th March, @ 7.30pm** in the Village Hall. We will be entertained by Jeff Andrews and his "recollections of village life". All welcome. Refreshments afterward. Entrance is free to member, £2 for non-members.

Roger Hudson, Secretary

THANK YOU ...

Thank you very much to the Sinnington Local History Group for their generous donation to the newsletter.

Trustees of the Village Newsletter

VILLAGE LUNCH DATES

The next hot lunch is on **March 7th**. Please put your name down on the list in the Hall or contact me on browesy@aol.com or phone **01751 432504**.

There will be an Easter break, so no lunch on March 28th and April 4th and the lunch on March 21st will be the Lent Lunch.

Please note the April hot lunch will be on **April 11th**.

Thanks to your support this year our weekly lunches are going from strength to strength.

Helen

ALL SAINTS CHURCH.

Our annual Lent Lunch will take place in the Village Hall on **Thursday, March 21st at 12.30pm**. As usual we will be offering homemade soup, fresh bread and cheese. Donations will be for Yorkshire Cancer Research.

Easter Services.

Holy Wednesday, **March 27th** - a service of Holy Communion and Anointing - **7.30 pm**

Good Friday, **March 29th** - a special service in the church - **2.30 pm**

Easter Sunday, **March 31st** - Easter Communion - **9.30 am**

The All Saints Team.

GAMES NIGHT IS BACK!

We are pleased to announce that Games Night is back but on a new night – it will now be on the last **MONDAY** of each month.

We hope to see you on **Monday 25th March** at the usual time.

John Buller

BANK SCAM

An important message to remember and share with your networks...

The police or your bank will never contact you and ask you to move or withdraw money.

No exceptions.

We're still seeing a number of reports of courier fraud which is where an unsolicited call is received from someone claiming to be a police officer or bank official.

They tell you that your account has been compromised or that someone has been using your card fraudulently and then ask you to withdraw money from your account.

They may tell you someone will collect the money from you for 'safe keeping' or that you need to purchase expensive items with it which someone will also collect.

This is a scam!

Those aged 70 to 89 years old are hit with the biggest financial losses, so please speak to your older loved ones and neighbours to help prevent them becoming victims of this callous crime.

Look out for the warning signs of this fraud and follow the advice:

- **Stop:** Taking a moment to stop and think before parting with your money or information could keep you safe.
- **Challenge:** It's okay to reject, refuse or ignore any requests. Only criminals will try to rush or panic you.
- **Protect:** If you think you've been a victim of fraud, contact your bank immediately and report it to us by calling 101.

Let's spread this important message far and wide!

Andy Hugill (North Yorkshire Police, Digital PCSO, North Yorkshire)

ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER

Welcome to Wendy & Philip Greenwood who moved into a house on Friars Hill some time ago but until recently have been working in their craft workshop in Hutton-le-Hole. They are now semi-retired so we hope to see more of them around the village.

They have chosen to join a growing number of residents (around 56) who receive their newsletter via email, are you interested in joining them? We would love to hear from you. Send your request to sinningtonnewsletter@yahoo.co.uk and we will do the rest. Your details are kept secure in accordance with Data Protection.

The Editors

THE CAKE IS WAITING

Just a reminder that the Coffee & Book Swap will be in its' usual spot on **Wednesday 20th March** 10.00am to 12.00

100 CLUB

The following were winners of the **February** draw:

1st	Angela Asquith	No 38	£40
2nd	Bernard Clements	No 54	£20
3rd	Denise Simpson	No 140	£10

NEWSLETTER

Last date for **April** copy will be **Thursday 28 March**. Email copy to sinningtonnewsletter@yahoo.co.uk or drop paper copy through the letter box of Barnyard, Riverside.

VILLAGE HALL FACEBOOK

If you are organising a village hall event you wish to advertise beyond the village, please send your article to Karen Selby at karen.selby67@googlemail.com.