



Doddington & Whisby Parish News

AUTUMN WINTER 2018

Planning application PL/0055/18, Jerusalem Farm, Skellingthorpe

Plans for the proposed animal waste rendering plant in Skellingthorpe continue to be scrutinised and discussed by Parish Council together with representatives at North Kesteven District Council and Lincolnshire County Council.

Members of Doddington and Whisby Parish Council attended the a 5-hour meeting at NKDC to discuss this and the similar Norton Disney proposal on September. NKDC's response was to oppose the planning application which is being considered by Lincolnshire County Council.

Litter pick

Three members of council and one resident collected litter in Doddington and Whisby on 11th November. They reported that a good deal of litter was obscured on the roadside by garden waste, particularly lawn clippings from neighbouring houses.

Residents are asked to dispose of garden waste responsibly by composting or in brown bins available from North Kesteven District

Changes to NKDC Christmas waste collection

Normal collection	Revised collection
Monday 24 December	Saturday 22 December
Tuesday 25 December	Monday 24 December
Wednesday 26 December	Thursday 27 December
Thursday 27 December	Friday 28 December
Friday 28 December	Saturday 29 December
Monday 31 December	No change
Tuesday 1 January	Wednesday 2 January
Wednesday 2 January	Thursday 3 January
Thursday 3 January	Friday 4 January
Friday 4 January	Saturday 5 January

Doddington telephone kiosk

Restoration and refurbishment of the telephone kiosk as a community information point continues to be considered.

Several initial tasks have been identified:

- Clearance of the surrounding vegetation.
- Sanding down and repainting of the metal and wooden structure.
- Replacement where necessary of the glass panels.

If you can help with any of these jobs or with fundraising for the kiosk project, please contact the clerk or any councillor.

Events at St Peter's Church

Sunday November 25th, 6:30pm

Christ the King Communion

Sunday 16th December, 7pm

Carols by Candlelight



Highways

Traffic continues to be a concern. Several collisions have been reported recently, including 6th October on Thorpe Road, Whisby. A site visit was held on 24th September by Councillors and senior officers at Lincolnshire County Council to consider some of the current concerns including traffic speed and local collisions. Requests have been made for a 7.5 tonne weight limit for large vehicles on the B1190 through Doddington and a pedestrian crossing outside Doddington Hall.

Parish Council is also working with County Council and Lincolnshire Police to train volunteers to use hand held road safety cameras at several locations throughout Doddington and Whisby. If you would like to be trained to help with this, please contact the clerk.



Parish Council does monitor traffic reports in both villages. If you are aware of any incidents, the Clerk to Council will be pleased to be included in any of your correspondence with Lincolnshire Police, Lincolnshire Road Safety Partnership or other organisations. This will help Council keep an accurate record of the situation within the parish.

Be a Councillor <https://beacouncillor.co.uk/>

Have you considered becoming a member of council?

You have two ways to join the Doddington and Whisby Parish Council:

1. Something you can do now. Put yourself forward for co-option. There are two vacancies.
2. Something to do in just under six months. Stand for election on 2nd May. All seats on the council are available for election.

If you haven't considered election to the council, now is the time to think about it for May. If you think you may be interested in May, why wait? You could get involved now. Contact the clerk to check if you are eligible or talk to any of the current councillors.

All seats on North Kesteven District Council will also be available for election on May 2nd 2019.

Did you know....?

You can report Highways issues directly to Lincolnshire County Council.

Report online at

<https://fixmystreet.lincolnshire.gov.uk/>

Give a description of the problem and location and upload photographs.

You can also sign up for local alerts.

Who are my councillors?

Doddington & Whisby Parish Council

Chair: Cllr G Patrick **Vice-Chair:** Cllr G Beale

Cllrs M Cuniffe, E Mathers, S Whiles

North Kesteven District Council

Cllr Sally Appleby

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Cllr Peter Rothwell

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Lincolnshire County Council

Cllr Michael Thompson:

cllrm.thompson@lincolnshire.gov.uk

Mobile Library

Tuesdays Route 2

Calls outside Doddington Hall Cottages, 3:45- 4:15 pm

November 13th

December 11th

January 8th

February 5th

March 5th



Doddington & Whisby Parish Council

The email address for the council is now

clerkdoddingtonwhisby@gmail.com

If you would like to receive council updates from this email address, including future editions of this newsletter, please contact the clerk for a GDPR consent form.

Parish Event Our thanks go to everyone who attended the Parish Event and to the many people who helped tackle the hard work necessary to putting it on! Particular thanks go to Mr & Mrs Birch who allowed us to hold the event in the Coach House as well as donating generous prizes. This year there were some stunning prizes and unexpected winners. We could have had more attendees, but a variety of absences caused by personal illnesses and people away lowered the attendance rate. It mattered not. The ambience of balmy weather, summer wine - in a delightful setting, was enjoyed by all.

Sponsors who made donations or gave their time:

TFM: Voucher to spend

WHISBY GARDEN CENTRE: Vouchers Funbarn

PONTS HONEY: Donation

Cllr WHILES: Beauty Voucher

Cllr BEALE: Donation & Voucher

IAN McALPINE LENY: Donation

DODDINGTON HALL: Voucher for dinner

HEMSWELL ANTIQUE CENTRE: Voucher to spend

Cllr CUNLIFFE: Gardening Voucher

Cllr & Mrs THOMPSON: invaluable assistance

BOTTLE & GLASS, HARBY: Voucher for dinner

GIANT: Voucher for bicycle maintenance

Cllr PATRICK: Donation

Cllr MATHERS: Voucher