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and at college training  
to be in the Fire  
Service)

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## COMMITTEES NEWS AND VIEWS

This newsletter was produced by the Village Hall Committee for the information of the local inhabitants. All information is correct to our knowledge at the time of going to press, but do make sure that you check dates and times before you set off to anything. Inclusions for the next newsletter – to the secretary before the 11<sup>th</sup> November, please. Recent requests for copies of this newsletter from outside of the Parish, to the surrounding areas has increased our production from 115 copies to 225 copies and as well as delivering to the drainpipe, we also deliver to a car windscreen. Copies are delivered as far afield as France and Canada but not by our village delivery lady, BUT if tickets are made available to her, she will of course oblige.

Thank you everyone who has contributed to this issue. Please keep sending in your articles regarding the village and village life, for future issues. We are pleased to announce that we now have sponsorship for the newsletter right up to June 2002, for which we thank everyone who has pledged to do this. Special thanks go to *John and Miriam Moulds* for sponsoring this issue and a big **thank you** to Lesley Fenton – she knows why! Advert prices are unchanged from the last issue.

Faux Pas from issue no. 4. Apologies to everyone who would have liked to have supported the school fundraising events but we were unable to list those events in the last issue, as we had already gone to press, when the school released their dates. Apologies are also sent to St. Albans Church, whose summer fayre venue should have read – Amenities Area (otherwise known as the village hall garden). Sorry for the confusion and the long walk back from the village amenities area near the Cemetery (otherwise known as the playing fields).

Village Hall Roof. (Otherwise known as the Withernwick Skj Slope). The roof has been leaking quite badly over the wet period that we have had recently (thanks kids!!). The men on our committee are going to mend it soon but in the mean time, if it's raining and you would like to have a shower, bring your soap and towel to the village hall and we will only charge 50p.

Parents: We put a warning in the last issue of the newsletter, telling everyone of our intention to use anti-climb paint. It's a sticky black substance and if any parent would like to find out how to remove it from their children's clothes etc, please feel free to contact any member of the village hall committee, who will negotiate with you, your contribution towards the costs of repairing the damage that your child has done to the roof. If you wish to keep your child's clothes paint free, then warn your child to keep off the roof. No Further warnings will be issued!!

Another point that must be made – is that the village hall is in fact private property. Children who play there when no events are taking place are in fact – trespassing. The village hall committee rent the whole of the site, not just the hall. A common misunderstanding is that the Parish Council pays for the site, THEY DO NOT, nor do they have any jurisdiction over the site, they in fact rent the hall in the same way that anyone can do. Instead of paying rent money, they pay our insurance bill, which is only effective while a booking is taking place. Therefore if your children play there, when the hall is not booked, they are not covered by any insurance, if anyone is still confused by this here it is again in black and white. NOT COUNCIL PROPERTY, NOT COVERED BY COUNCIL INSURANCE! We would, because of requests from neighbours, Parish Councillors, and very tired committee members, like to politely ask all of the kids that use the garden, to leave and go home or play elsewhere by 9.30 pm each night. Call it a curfew if you like, and don't forget kids that the neighbours are quite within their rights to call the police out to you if you are causing a nuisance to them. We would like everyone to respect the village hall garden as they would their parents gardens, in other words what your parents don't allow you to do in their garden – don't do in our village hall garden. Thank you for your co-operation.

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Nothing has been happening with this group for some time and a lot of us thought that it had fizzled out. NOT SO. A meeting was held recently and it looks as if it is up and running again. An election of officers took place and Charlie Sharp was elected as Chairperson, Derek Alter was elected as Treasurer, and Pat Page was elected as Secretary. They have decided to hold meetings every 4 months. If you want more information regarding the neighbourhood watch group, please contact the people listed above.

### MOM'S HOUSE RULES By Andrea Moulds, Canada

If you drop it – pick it up! If you sleep in it – make it!  
If you open it – close it! If you empty it – fill it!  
If it rings – answer it! If it barks – feed it! If it cries – LOVE IT!

## SENIOR SCHOOL NEWS

Two village 13 year olds recently represented Hornsea School at the East Riding School's athletic championships at the Costello Stadium in Hull. Andrew Graham ran in the 1500 metres and Sally Simpson in the hurdles.

Two young musicians from our village, (James Young and Sally Simpson), have been chosen to spend 3 days in Paris at the Pompidou centre home of the French Institute of Music Research. And 3 days at a chateau in Normandy for music workshops, on the Paris and Normandy year 9 course for gifted and talented artists and musicians.

We would like to congratulate Anna Ryan for being accepted into our Naval Forces in January. We are inserting this early as Anna and her family are shortly leaving our village, our best wishes go with you.

WELL DONE YOU FOUR!!! (you make your parents proud!!).

### A PRAYER FOR THE STRESSED (anon)

Grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change.  
The courage to change the things I cannot accept, and the wisdom to hide the bodies  
of those I had to kill today because they got on my nerves.  
Help me to be careful of the toes I step on today,  
As they may be connected to the feet I have to kiss tomorrow.  
Help me to remember, when I'm having a bad day  
And it seems people are trying to wind me up  
That it takes 42 muscles to frown, 28 muscles to smile,  
And only 4 to extend my right arm and smack someone in the mouth!!!!

### WITHERNWICK SENIORS YOUTH CLUB

It is now official! With a constitution and a committee of management which was formed on the 31st May 2000. The committee members are: Harry Elliott, Chairperson. Josie Foster, Secretary. Greg Simpson, Treasurer. Anna Ryan, Matthew Robinson, Mark Foster, Ann Robinson, Jackie Clare, Linda Graham and Sarah Urmston. There are lots of local teenagers who use this club at the moment, which is starting from scratch, and at the time of writing own 6 ping pong balls, a pair of badminton rackets and a shuttle cock! Any offers of equipment suitable for 13 to 20 year olds (and possibly a zimmer frame for us wrinklies?) would be gratefully accepted. After a lot of ear bashing from the 13 year olds the age limit was lowered from 14 to 13. Recent activities include a trip to Laser Quest, a couple of disco's with Disco Date, a BBQ and sports night, and some of the teenagers would like to think that they beat the committee at the Trivial Pursuits night challenge —hmmm! Some organised activities coming up are; a sponsored bike ride around the village, a BBQ and rounders night, a darts and table tennis challenge night, a playing cards night and another trip to Laser Quest. All young people over the age of 13 are welcome to attend this club which is always supervised, by a minimum of 2 adults, who go into the village hall on a rota system. Anyone who would like to swell the ranks of the adults, (to conform to village hall rules, anyone over 21 years of age), for even 2 hours a month. Please contact one of the committee. And remember that you were a teenager once upon a time, what sort of things did you get up to!!

### ST. ALBANS SUMMER FAIRE

This was held in the village hall garden. There were lots of stalls which included a tombola, raffle, a yummy cake stall which sold out very fast. Cream teas were served to everyone in the garden just before the heavens opened, and did we get wet? No silly, everything was under cover and lots of fun was had keeping the puddles of water off the top of the Gazebo's. Some of the items on the craft stall must have been made with a lot of patience because they were absolutely fabulous. The raffle took ages to do because of the amount of prizes to be won. A collection of old photographs were on display, mostly of the people of Withernwick — lovely to see them.

FOR RENT: Garden Pavilion 3 x 9 metres. £40 each or £60 for two. Supplier will erect. Tel: The Secretary WWHC 527952.

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR GIVING YOUR CAT A PILL

1. Pick your cat up and cradle it in the crook of your left arm as if holding a baby. Position right forefinger and thumb on either side of cats mouth and gently apply pressure to cheeks while holding pill in right hand. As cat opens mouth, pop pill into mouth. Allow cat to close mouth and swallow.
2. Retrieve pill from floor and cat from behind sofa, cradle cat in left arm, and repeat process.
3. Retrieve cat from bedroom and throw soggy pill away.
4. Take new pill from foil wrap, cradle cat in left arm holding rear paws tightly with left hand, force jaws open and push pill to back of the mouth with right forefinger, hold mouth shut for a count of 10.
5. Retrieve pill from goldfish bowl and cat from top of wardrobe, call spouse from garden.
6. Kneel on floor with cat wedged firmly between knees, holding front and rear paws, ignore low growls emitted from cat, get spouse to hold cats head firmly with one hand while forcing wooden ruler into mouth, drop pill down ruler and rub cats throat vigorously.
7. Retrieve cat from curtain rail, get another pill from foil wrap, make note to buy new ruler and repair curtains. Carefully sweep shattered figurines from hearth and put to one side for gluing later.
8. Wrap cat in large towel and get spouse to lie on cat with its head just visible from below spouses armpit, put pill in end of drinking straw, force cats mouth open with pencil and blow down drinking straw.
9. Check label to make sure pill not harmful to humans, drink glass of water to take taste away, apply band aid to spouses forearm and remove blood from carpet with soap and water.
10. Retrieve cat from neighbours shed, get another pill, place cat in cupboard and close door onto neck, to leave head showing, force mouth open with dessert spoon, flick pill down throat with elastic band.
11. Fetch screwdriver from garage and put door back on hinges, apply cold compress to cheek, and check records for last tetanus shot, throw T-shirt away and fetch new one from bedroom.
12. Ring fire brigade to retrieve cat from the tree across the road, apologise to neighbour who crashed into fence while avoiding cat. Take last pill from foil wrap.
13. Tie cats front paws to rear paws with garden twine and bind tightly to leg of dining table, find heavy duty pruning gloves from shed. Force cats mouth open with small spanner push pill into mouth followed by large piece of fillet steak, hold head vertically and pour ½ pint of water down throat to wash pill down.  
By Candrian Christian.
14. Kick cat out of door. Locate easy chair, pour treble whiskey, get out Valium and packet of fags, relax, and recover!!!!  
By Julianne and Linda!

### WITHERNWICK METHODIST CHURCH

The flowers in the Chapel were beautifully arranged and were dedicated to the memories of past members of the Methodist Church, all of the people who arranged those wonderful arrays for the flower festival held on 29<sup>th</sup> July are true artists. Lovely tapestries and embroideries were also on display worked by those nimble fingered members. The following morning saw the very last service to be held in the Chapel after 190 years of Methodist services in our village. Another village tradition gone. But as one door closes another always opens, and the remaining members will unite with the members of St. Albans Church.

SUMMER BBQ Could you smell the wonderful aromas drifting down Main Street? Did it make you hungry? Those of us that went to the BBQ and 60's and 70's disco had a great time and it's just as well the disco had been booked. Some of us over indulged with food and had to dance it off. Others with younger constitutions ate seconds, thirds and some managed fourths and were still able to leap around the dance floor as only the young with hollow legs can. But having said that, Harry and Jill Elliot put us all to shame as they jived around the floor with the stamina that only the young at heart have. Thanks to Liz Barker and Jill, a winner was found for the fancy dress competition. This was won by Vanessa Prince whose prize was free admission to all WWH committee events for 1 year. Well done every one who took the time and trouble to dress up!

THE COTTAGE PHOTOGRAPH None of the WWHC have owned up to any offers of bribery! So we have assumed that you all know the cottage is the one joining Pear Tree Cottage. The photo, as we said was taken from the garden which is at the back, whereas the view we all see when we pass by, is from the front on Church Lane. Has anyone got an unusual photograph of their property???

## SCHOOL NEWS

Well done to all of the children who obtained good results in their SATs tests. As Mrs Fernie says in her parents letter, "they should all be very proud of themselves."

It was a good result at the friendly football match against Leven Primary School, 3 goals to 1, well done Withernwick Primary. We bet that you all looked fabulous in your brand new football kit. It was bought with a donation that Babs obtained from the Hornsea Lions. It must have been a great boost to team morale wearing a brand new kit.

Even more congratulations are in order to: Sarah and Michael Rider, Callum Cowham, Robert Froud, Jonty Ashton, Paul Nendick, Bianca Gilmour, Adam Young, Jack Ibbottson and Emily Brown for passing their cycling proficiency tests and they had excellent teachers in Paula Giles and Julie Edmonds.

Do you remember the £234 that the Withernwick Action Group donated to the school? Well the Withernwick School Parents and Friends Association added to it through their fund raising efforts and have presented the school with 2 TV & video units. The bonus ball is still doing very well and if anyone would like to have a number, we understand that there are still some numbers available. Tel: 527802 if you would like a number allocating.

The WSPFA held a bingo night recently, a brilliant time was had by everyone who went and almost every one went home with either a raffle or bingo prize because there were so many prizes to be won, £43 was raised on the night.

At the recent meeting of the WSPFA new officers were elected they are; Julie Edmonds- Chairperson, Susan Stephenson – Secretary, Clare Froud – Treasurer, Julia Moulds – Bonus ball administrator. The WSPFA are currently seeking new members to join the committee, so if you would like more information about this school support group, please contact members for details.

We feel sure that the parents of all the children who attend the school, would like to join us in welcoming Mrs Sylvia Emmerson, who is the new part-time teacher, and Mrs Melanie Croft, who is the new part-time child support assistant for Class 2.

The leavers assembly was very well attended by parents, friends, and past pupils. Julie Edmonds awarded the cyclists with their cycling proficiency certificates and Mrs Fernie presented the leavers who are: Jonty, Bianca, Paul, Jack, Emily, Adam and Michael with a dictionary and thesaurus each. A special new award was made to Amber Gilmour, this was for a perfect attendance record. Well done everyone. The leavers presented the school with a new pewter 'Best Effort' cup, which was engraved with the names and year of the leavers, some chocolates, little green Buddha figurines, and a knitted doll.

PUMPKIN PARTY The WVHC will be holding their seasonal 'Pumpkin Party' on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October. Fancy dress is optional, and prizes will be awarded to the best fancy dressers. We will also be running a pumpkin competition as we did last year. Ticket prices for this event will be: Senior Citizens £1.50, Adults £2.50, Children £3.50 and a family ticket will be available for £10, which will admit 2 adults and up to 3 children. (Please remember that adults are 18 and over and children are under 18) - adults only may consume alcohol on the premises. We hope to see plenty of ghouls and ghosts etc. in the village hall on that night. Pumpkin juice will not be on sale, so please bring plenty with you.

## VILLAGE BONFIRE AND FIREWORKS

This annual community event is again being organised by the WVHC on bonfire night Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> November at the usual venue. Soup, Jacket Spuds, Hotdogs and other tasty things to keep cold fingers warm will be on sale from Café Juliannes (again). So don't be surprised if you get an UGLY GUY knocking on your door asking for a penny or two, any contributions will go towards making the sky sparkle. The fire will be lit at 6 pm and the fireworks around 6.45 pm.

CAR TREASURE HUNT As we all have empty fuel tanks, we decided to do a walkie instead. The clues took us all around the village. So if you happen to look out of your window and saw a crowd of people looking back at you, it was probably the clue hunters.. Sorry if we alarmed you!

100's CLUB All the cheques have now been cashed and put into the 100's club new bank account. Everything is now up and running, so look out for your winnings!!! The list of winners for 1999-2000 with a new remittance slip, were delivered individually to everyone by Jayne Rider and her helpers. If anyone missed the boat but would still like some numbers or a list of winners, please contact Jayne on 527215.

## WHAT DO YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU GROW UP

From the age of 5, I knew that I wanted to be a teacher. I didn't go via the usual route however, that my friends did. After leaving Bridlington High School for girls I did not go straight to college. I chose to work for a year, as a student teacher, working alongside practising teachers in a school. I did my year at Cross Hill infant school in Driffield. I enjoyed every minute of it, and went to college armed with a wealth of practical experience. I trained at Bingley Teacher Training College for 3 years, studying art as main subject, and maths as a subsidiary.

My first teaching post was in Hull, on Bilton Grange Estate, the school now known as Griffin. From there I went back to Driffield, to teach again at Cross Hill for a short period, before moving on to St. Mary's in Beverley. My first appointment coincided with the opening of the new St. Mary's in Molescroft. It was to be an open plan and vertically grouped school – a new innovation in those days, and to prove an invaluable experience for my time at Withernwick. I took several years out after Beverley, to raise my 2 children, Rachel and Matthew. When they went to nursery school, I was able to do some supply teaching, which took me to Hornsea, Rise, Aldbrough and other schools in the locality. One Friday, whilst waiting in Hornsea playground to collect my 2 children, the Head Teacher came to meet me, and asked if I would consider teaching a 4 year old child who was due to start school at short notice. He was a child with a rare heart condition who needed one to one tuition. I agreed and began on the Monday. It was for mornings only, as that was all the child could manage. After 2 years in this post, I was approached by another head – this time from Withernwick school, and asked to teach juniors for ½ the time table. This proved a real dilemma for me. I had never taught juniors before and was thoroughly enjoying my specialised job. However, after visiting the school several times, I was persuaded, and that's how I came to spend 18 years at Withernwick. When I first started in 1981, things were very different to the school we know today. Mr C Turner was the Head Teacher and Mrs Jane Watt was the infant teacher. I was the replacement for Mrs Ruth Boasman, as she was emigrating to Australia.

In those days we had no national curriculum, only a list of subjects to cover. Teachers could basically choose when and however they wished to teach subjects. Time tables, record keeping etc. were left to the teachers discretion. My first impression of the school, was a very free and easy, relaxed, friendly and family orientated place. There were approximately 50 children, lunchtimes were friendly, pleasant occasions, when each member of staff sat with a small group of children. Family members were usually kept together. There were only 2 dinner ladies, Mrs Smith, and Mrs Carr. The lunches were brought in each day from Hornsea, by Mr and Mrs Len Smith.

In the play ground, was not only a climbing frame, but a well loved swing, which hung from the horse chestnut tree on 2 long chains. Both playgrounds were in use at the same time, which meant that the teacher on duty had to keep popping through the junior cloakroom to supervise both areas. (Teachers cars were always parked outside the school).

When the year 5 and 6 children went on their annual visit to Borrowdale, I would replace Mr Turner in the junior classroom for the week. Peripatetic heads as such, hadn't been invented. During my 18 years at Withernwick, I saw many changes. My job changed from juniors to infants, it also fluctuated from being ½ a week to ½ a day as numbers dropped, and then to full time. I worked under 4 head teachers during this period. I have always liked to keep in touch with past pupils and colleagues, and I am still in touch with people from all the schools I have taught at. Some of the 'children' who still write are now in their mid 30's. It is lovely to see how they have turned out. So, past pupils from 1981 to present time – I'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU. I will reply to every letter, and you never know, we might still be corresponding in 30 years time! You might be able to remind me of incidents at school that I have long forgotten. And for the present, what am I doing now? Lots of things that I have always wanted to do and never had the time for. I line dance at Long Riston. You may be interested to know that 2 other Withernwick residents also go to the same class. Once every 6 weeks I meet up with Miss Collinson, a past head teacher of Withernwick, and our 2 ex-colleagues from Long Riston school. The 2 schools used to work closely together, and the 4 of us still meet up for what usually turns out to be a long walk, chat and lunch together. I am also doing lots of gardening, willow weaving, reading, drawing, biking, decorating, helping with the cows, chickens, geese etc. I don't know how I found the time to teach! Also I am really enjoying doing illuminated calligraphy – to commemorate birthdays, weddings, christenings, births, meaning of names and other special occasions. I am building up quite a little part-time industry, as they make personalised presents that cannot be bought in the shops. Please contact me if you would like more details, or indeed if you just want to write, I look forward to hearing from you.

Mrs Sandra Stennett, Bracken Hill Farm, Grimston, HULL. HU11 4QE.

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## REGULAR ACTIVITIES HELD IN THE HALL

Monday	3.30 - 4.45 pm	7 Up Club. Term time only. Meg and Melanie Croft. Tel: 563055. 40p
Monday	7.30 - 9.00 pm	Keep Fit (from 18 <sup>th</sup> September) £24.60/£12.30/£4.20.
Tuesday	7.30 - 9.30 pm	Senior Youth Club. Tel: Harry 527412. 50p
Wednesday	7.45 for 8.00 pm	Ladies Group. First Weds in the month only.
Friday	6.30 - 8.00 pm	Junior Youth Club. Tel: Janis 527241. Denise 527707. 40p
Sunday	7.30 - 9.30 pm	Senior Youth Club. Tel: Harry 527412. 50p

## OTHER IMPORTANT DATES AND INFORMATION

Monday	9.05 am	East Yorks bus to Beverley (return from Bev 12.26 pm).
Monday	7.00 to 8.15 pm	Meeting Point. 11 to 15 year olds. Meg and David Croft. Tel: 527334.
Tuesday	2.00 pm	Darby & Joan. Alternate Tues only.
Wednesday	9.05 am	East Yorks bus to Beverley (return from Bev 12.26 pm).
Sat/Sunday		Football training. Playing field. See Kerr Ash for details.
1 <sup>st</sup> Wednesday	9.15 am*	Coach to Asda, Bilton. Pearsons coaches cost £3.
2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday	9.15 am*	Coach to Bridlington " " "
2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday	1.45 pm	Pram Service. St. Albans Church.
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday	6.00 pm	Praise and Prayer. St. Albans Church. A different theme monthly.
3 <sup>rd</sup> Monday	7.45 pm	Falcon Pub. WWHC meeting.
3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday	9.15 am*	Coach to Morrisons, Beverley. Pearsons coaches cost £3.
3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesday	7.30 pm	Parish Council meeting in the village hall.
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday	10.30 am	Holy Communion. St. Albans Church.
4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday	7.40 pm	Senior Youth Club meeting in the Falcon.
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday	10.30 am	All Age Worship. St. Albans Church.

\* All places on the coaches need to be booked before hand. Phone Pearsons coaches for details.

## WHAT'S ON IN WITHERNWICK

Sept 13 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	Registration of entries for the fete competitions - last chance to enter.
Sept 15 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm	Harvest Festival at St. Albans Church.
Sept 16 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	WITHERNWICK VILLAGE FETE.
Sept 16 <sup>th</sup>	8.00 pm	Village Barn Dance and BBQ. (entry by ticket only).
Sept 28 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	Coffee Evening at 4 Mill Lane.
Oct 28 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	Pumpkin Party. Fancy Dress (optional) village hall.
Oct 31 <sup>st</sup>		Children's Trick or Treat night.
Nov 5 <sup>th</sup>	6.00 pm	Community Bonfire and Fireworks. East Lambwath Road.
Nov 11 <sup>th</sup>		Newsletter Deadline.
Nov 12 <sup>th</sup>	2.00 pm	Special Remembrance Day Service. St. Albans Church.
Dec 10 <sup>th</sup>		Advent Carol Service. St. Albans Church.
Dec 25 <sup>th</sup>		Merry Christmas Everyone.
Dec 31 <sup>st</sup>	9.00 pm	New Years Eve Party. Village Hall. Community Supper.

## NEW YEARS EVE PARTY (millennium or not!)

We are holding a New Years Eve bash in the Village Hall. This year we have a drinks bar for the over 18's. We invite everyone who's coming to bring food of your choice to add to the 'communal supper' table, as we did last year. (What a feast that was!!!) The number of tickets will again be limited so it is a case of first come first served. Ticket prices will be: Senior Citizens £3.00, Children £3.50, Adults £4.50 and a family ticket will be available for £15.00 which will admit 2 adults and up to 3 children. The doors will be opened at 9 pm ready for the first dance and the last waltz will be at 1.55 am. We would like to cater to everyone's taste as far as we possibly can, so if any older members of the community would like to make any requests for some 'social dances' for the party, let Linda know as soon you can. She will ask 'Disco Date' to make sure that the music for these dances can be brought on the night.



# FALCON INN

KARAOKE! BBQ's! FUN-NIGHTS!  
Pub Quiz, 8th September, 9pm

Look out for dates on pub blackboard  
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WANTED: Local person needed for routine gardening job at Pear Tree Cottage, Church Lane. Please telephone Jackie or Geoff on 527431.

Callenetics: Due to the declining numbers Shen has decided to end the Callenetics classes at the Village Hall.

### LEAVING WITHERNWICK SCHOOL

1. Summer is here, our last term is over.  
Long, hot days with time on our hands.  
No maths or science, English or TEACHERS!!!  
Picnics and bike rides are what we have planned.
2. We're now with the big guys, a school bus on route.  
No lunches at home, a canteen will now suit!  
No mums with their prams, by the school gate.  
But a grumpy old bus driver impatiently waits.
3. Days by the seaside, playing in the sand.  
No homework or SATs prep do we have planned.  
Our holidays are booked, whether travelling or not!  
Driving or flying to somewhere quite hot!
4. We're back being the babies, of a huge school.  
With more work than we've dreamt of unless I'm a fool.  
New shoes and school uniform, there's a heck of a lot.  
So who will end up the Hornsea School swot!!!!
5. No more Wendy Simpson or dear Mrs C.  
To mop up our tears and make us our tea.  
No 12 o'clock lunches, it's 20 to 1.  
And afternoon break at big school has gone.
6. Goodbye, Mrs Fernie, Hello, Mr Day.  
Do teachers have names? What do we say?  
Are we s'posed to say Sir? Or do we say Mister?  
Do we need to be quiet? I'll ask my big sister!

7. So what shall we do with our six week long break?  
Hold summer fayres and bake some fruit cake?  
Or go into the fields and play games or footie?  
We could stay at home and drive our folks NUTTY!!!      Julianne.

### WITHERNWICK FIRST ANNUAL VILLAGE FETE

#### PROGRAM OF EVENTS

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| 1.00 pm | All competition entries to be brought into the hall.  |
| 1.15 pm | Judging of competitions will begin. Judges, only, to remain in the hall.  |
| 1.15 pm | Parade round the village by Junior Youth Club.  |
| 2.00 pm | Grand opening of the village fete by Mrs Jennison, the oldest born and bred Withernwick resident.                             |
| 2.15 pm | Judging of the UGLY competition will take place inside the hall.  |
| 2.15 pm | Competition prizes will be awarded by Judges and organisers.  |
| 2.15 pm | Competition entries will be on display around the hall.   |
| 2.30 pm | First local dignitary in the stocks, ready for the wet sponges!<br>(CLUE; his committee does not sit in a chamber!)           |
| 2.45 pm | Second local dignitary in the stocks, ready for wet sponges.<br>(CLUE: the customers occasionally leave in a soberly manner!) |
| 3.00 pm | Third local dignitary in the stocks, ready for wet sponges.<br>(CLUE: primarily she serves them up to secondary!)             |
| 3.15 pm | Fourth local dignitary in the stocks, ready for wet sponges.<br>(CLUE: its not jelly babies he puts up with on this route!)   |
| 3.15 pm | The winner of the book quiz will be announced by the auctioneer.  |
| 3.30 pm | The 50-50 auction will begin in the hall.   |
| 3.30 pm | The mini-savenger hunt will start in the garden.  |
| 4.30 pm | The scavenger hunters must now return to the garden.  |
| 4.45 pm | Winner of the scavenger hunt will be announced.   |
| 4.45 pm | Last orders for cream teas in the hall.   |
| 4.45 pm | All competition entries must now be removed from the hall.  |
| 5.00 pm | The fete is now winding down ready to start again in the evening.   |

COMPETITION RULES:

All entries must be brought to the Village Hall on the fete day at 1 pm prompt. All entries must be removed from the Hall by 4.45 pm at the very latest. Pets must be provided with a drinking bowl and water by the owner. Everyone will leave the hall while judging takes place, no exceptions will be made. Judging will commence at 1.15 pm and no one will be allowed back into the Hall before 2.00 pm. ~~ALL ENTRIES MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED AND PAID IN FULL.~~ The Hall will be opened for 30 minutes on Wednesday, 13<sup>th</sup> September from 7.30 pm to 8.00 pm to register entries. No entries will be accepted after 8.00 pm on the 13<sup>th</sup> September. If you are unable to get to the hall, please telephone the organiser during the week before, all the entry forms may be photocopied.

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Entry form for the Caged Pet Show: Organiser Ann Myatt, 16 St. Albans Close. Tel: 527106.

Any small pets, except cats or dogs, which can be brought to the hall and kept at the show in a small cage or escape proof box. Pets will be judged to find a show champion. All pets entered must be in good health. Entry fee is £1 per pet. Winning prize is a £5 gift token.

Breed/Type of Pet..... Pets Name..... Your Name.....  
Your Address..... Tel.....

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Entry Form for the Potted Plant Show: Organiser, Jackie Hudson, Pear Tree Cottage, Church Lane. Tel: 527431.

The plant must be your own and grown by yourself. Entry fee is £1 per plant. Winning prize is a £5 gift token.

Common Name of Plant..... Your Name.....  
Your Address..... Tel.....

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Entry Form for the Ugly Competition: Organiser Janis Brown, 4 East Lambwath Road. Tel: 527241.

No face masks allowed. You must be naturally ugly or have used make-up. The judges decision is final. Entry fee is £1 per person. If an adult wins the prize is a bottle of wine. If a child wins they will receive a mystery prize. Judging is at 2.15 pm.

Your Name and Address..... Tel.....

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Entry Form for the Logo Competition: Organiser Rod Mitchell, The Gables, East Lambwath Road. Tel: 527160.

The logo must be your own work and must include the words Withernwick Village Hall or the letters W.V.H. Entry fee is £1 per entry. Judging will be in age groups. The 4 group winners will then be re-judged to get an overall winner who will receive free entry to all village hall committee organised events for 1 year, the 3 group winners will receive 6 months free entry.

What is your age? 5 - 7, 8 - 10, 11 - 13, 14 - 17..... Your Name.....  
Your Address..... Tel.....

## WITHERNWICK FIRST ANNUAL VILLAGE FETE

### BARN DANCE AND BBQ

7.30 pm	The Bar will be serving drinks for the over 18's.
8.00 pm	The first dance of the evening. Take your partners by the hand!
9.30 pm	Break for BBQ supper.
10.00 pm	Dancing will re-commence.
11.15 pm	Last orders at the bar.
11.30 pm	Take your partners by the hand for the last chance to dozy-doe.
Midnight.	Goodnight everyone, safe journey home.

Withernwick First Village Fete: Is everyone ready to have a wonderful afternoon and evening? You DID remember to write the date down, didn't you? Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September. All of the village groups taking part have been working so very hard over the past few months to produce an absolutely fabulous extravaganza for your enjoyment. We have a massive tombola, a really yummy home-baked cake stall, local dignitaries in the stocks, a white elephant stall, face painting, a baby wear stall, a children's clothes stall, hair braiding, lucky dip, plant stall, kick the ball through the hole, tin and bottles stall, hit the ferret, guess the weight of the hamper, ice-creams, cream teas, etc. etc. We also have various competitions which includes an ugly (yes, you did read that right!) competition, a logo competition, a potted plant show and a pet show, (small animals only). During the afternoon we are holding an auction which will include a Ford Fiesta Car, upright piano, and many other things. We have the Royal Accordions, to entertain you while you browse around, and if your lucky, you may bump into the unique, the unrivalled, the one and only, MAD MADAM WICK!!! Who with her insight and unsurpassed candour, will tell you your fortune if you cross her palm with silver, (or a 10p piece, if that's all you have left!) The likes of whom, have never been seen before.

Village Fete Competitions: All of the competitions are open for both children and adults except the logo competition which has an age limit of 17. You will find the entry forms on a separate sheet and you can photocopy these as often as you like. You can enter each competition as many times as you wish but each entry will be classed as a separate one. To enter, you must register your entry the week before the fete, either direct to each competition organiser, whose phone number is on the entry form or the Hall will be open on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September, from 7.30 pm to 8.00 pm, to register. You must also pay your entry fees at the same time that you register. All of the entry fees are £1 regardless of age.

Pet Show will be judged by the organiser, Ann Myatt, who is an experienced pet show judge. All family pets, whether of the heinz variety or pure breeds, will be judged by the same set of standards. Ann is happy to accept any entry which can be kept in a cage or an escape proof container. Any pets, such as mice, rats, spiders, rabbits, guinea pigs, gerbils, birds, hamsters, NOT CATS OR DOGS.

Potted plants will be judged by Mr Len Smith and will be organised by Jackie Hudson. The plant can be either flowering or non flowering but it must have been grown in a pot, and that pot has to be a permanent home to that plant (no digging up the garden!)

The Ugly competition this will be run and judged by Janis Brown, mainly for the children, but any adults can join in if they wish. So if you are naturally ugly or good at screwing your face up, then you stand a good chance of winning!

Logo competition will be judged by the Trustees of the Poors Land Charity, Messrs Britton, and Barker. Providing the winning entry is not too difficult to reproduce, (keep them simple), this will be used on Village Hall stationery. Categories will be in age groups. The winners of each category will go into a grand final for an overall winner.

### WITHERNWICK VILLAGE HALL COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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Jackie & Keith Moon

Linda Graham - Chairperson and Editor: Tel 529087

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Jackie Hudson - Pub Quiz: Tel 527431

Rod Mitchell: Tel 527160

Village prowler. A prowler was spotted roaming around the village of Withernwick. A man of dubious character was seen hanging around on Tuesday evening, 22<sup>nd</sup> September between 8 pm and 10.30 pm. Local people were on the lookout - some even armed with a camcorder. (Neighbourhood watch at their best!) Village locals, even ventured out to confront this strange man!!! The initial police report stated he was a nuttier known by the local constabulary but also known to be harmless. But rest-assured he is known in these parts. He was one of our committee, working out a course for last Fridays Treasure Hunt for W.V.J.F.C. also known as Police Inspector Mick Ashton who has been living in this village for the last 8 years.