Rauceby Parish News

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Line Replacement **Nears Completion**

The Rauceby Parish News contacted Central Networks in mid August to establish when they were planning to complete the line replacement works in South Rauceby. The work to replace the overhead lines with underground cables was expected to take ten weeks in all.

Mr Kev Wade of Central Networks said 'We have completed most of the excavation work and the residents can expect a visit from the jointers to connect each houshold on to the replacement cable system very shortly.'

Central networks have done their best to keep the disruption to a bare minimum and seem to have made good the parts of the pavement that have been finished with. Mr Wade anticipates completion of the works to be in the 1st week of September. He will be coming to inspect the site to ensure the quality of work is of an acceptable standard.

Should you have any queries or complaints regarding the works, Mr Kev Wade can be contacted on 07808 786911, and he will be happy to help you.



Trenches being dug for the underground low voltage cables which are to replace the existingoverhead cables in Main Street, South Rauceby.



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Gwen Dean, Dallas Todd, Jess Ackerman and Evie Ackerman on the WI 'Pot Lucky' Stand -Picture coutesy of Ambleside photographic 01529-413097

Record Turnout for Rauceby Picnic

The Rauceby Village Fete and Picnic attracted a record turnout this year. Despite the terrible weather forecast a total of 629 adult tickets were sold on the day. This means a 30% increase in turn out from last year. The organisers felt that if the weather forecast had been more favourable that figure could well have doubled.

As well as the usual attractions there was Mini Sumo Wrestling put on by Secrets Entertainment of Great Ponton, two Face Painting stalls, A demonstration of Traditional Spinning put on by Anne Wood of Byards Leap, a wonderful selection of trade and craft stands, and lots of goodies given away by Central Networks.

There was also five bands on, Chris Clark's Dedboy in the afternoon and Jazz from Denise Elsom Trio(which turned out to be a quartet!), Experimental Rock from Geff Daley and Andy Taylor(both outstanding guitarists), The exceptional vocal talents of Mary Beeson with Sandfly, and to round off the evening The Panheads with some classic rock ballads. John Coops' Vortex brothers did a wonderful job of keeping the musical theme going in between acts. The music went down a storm and is definately something that the organisers want to continue to promote at future fetes.

We were extremely fortunate with the weather and most of the day remained fine and the couple of showers that we did have were extremely light.

The WI did a super job with their 'pot luck' stall and managed to raise £205 which they very generously gave to the Rauceby Parish News

towards the fundraising for the A3 Laser printer. The Bowls club raised £72 on the teasure hunt and bowls game which they donated to two local charities. The Sleaford and District Toy Library managed to raise £80 selling their cakes. The Air Ambulance Supporters group managed to raise over £140 for the Air Ambulance.

Unfortunately the Air Ambulance was on call for most of the day and was unable to attend, even though they very kindly made a fly past at around 4.30 pm.

Nicky Bellamy and Margaret Outram worked incredibly hard selling the cream teas, which made well over £200. An excellent bar was run by John Todd and Ralph Mundy with the occasional relief worker.

The total funds raised in income prior and during the day came to a whopping £5479.27, our costs



Alice Beckford and Sophie Thornton sumo wrestling at the Village Fete & Picnic-Picture coutesy of Ambleside photographic 01529-413097

were much higher than last year at £4064.39, which left us with a total profit of £1414.88. It was decided by the Organisers that £100 be donated to the Air Ambulance. The remaining funds were split equally between St Peter's Church Fabric Fund and the Rauceby Parish News.

There was a wonderful aroma coming from Sally Tjepkema's burger stall, which proved to also be very successful and sold out of burgers at around 6.30pm.

The Rauceby Village Fete and Picnic seems to be growing from strength to strength and the word seems to be spreading far afield about our little show. There are plans ahead to try and attract a much larger sponsor to cover the costs for next year, and to try and get more of the villagers involved with the organisational aspects.

Thank you to all those who assisted with the event and to all our sponsors.



Face painted Grace and Isobel Wooler



Grace and Isobel Wooler with Mick Cooper and his Messerschmidt kr200

Rauceby Raffle is huge Success

The Rauceby Raffle turned out to be a huge success. In between the showers we managed to visit 132 households. Everyone was extremely generous and we managed to raise £603 towards the costs of the Rauceby Village Fete and Picnic. The draw was made by the Parish Council and three tickets were drawn.

The winning tickets were in the following order, no.478 blue which belonged to Mrs Jane Cowgill, Main Street, South Rauceby, no. 312 blue which belonged to Mrs Jenny Coombs, Church Lane, North Rauceby, and no. 416 orange which belonged to Mr Mewse of Southgate Spinneys, South Rauceby.



Jane & James Cowgill with their 1st Prize Hamper

The first prize was a huge hamper consisting of fruit and veg supplied by Leasingham Farm Shop, a 2lb lobster from R&N Streeter, half a dozen ducks eggs from Leasingham Farm Shop, chutney, jam and marmalade from Mrs Paula Ireland, hand made chocolates from Charles Raphael, bottle of Mumm Cordon Rouge from Tesco's, A bottle of red wine, bottle of white wine and three bottles of local ale from Sainsbury's, two Lincolnshire imp cheeses, a vintage poacher cheese and some McKenzies biscuits from the deli in Sleaford and a cake from Mrs Annie Higginson.

The second prize went to Mrs Coombs and consisted of a bottle of red wine, a bottle of white wine from Sainsbury's, a box of chocolates from Henson's of Folkingham, cheese and biscuits from the deli in Sleaford and a meat voucher from Ancaster Butchers.

The third prize was taken by Mr Mewse and consisted of three bottles of local ale from Sainsbury's, cheese and biscuits from the deli in Sleaford, a box of chocolates from Henson's in Folkingham and a meat voucher to the value of £25 from Moypark/Padleys.



Mrs Jenny Coombs (left) with her raffle prize and Mr Mewse(right) with his prize.

Congratulations to the winners and a very big thank you to all the businesses who so kindly donated the local produce for the prizes. Also a huge thank you to all those who were so very generous in the purchase of their raffle tickets. The whole process was a huge success and helped to ensure that at the end of the day we came out with a reasonable profit after the Rauceby Village Fete & Picnic.

Competition - To Design Christmas

Flyer - Jenny Frere - Cook

Thinking ahead to Christmas (yes I know we haven't had summer yet!) please put the date in your diary. The Rauceby Church Christmas Fair is on Saturday the 1st December. New stalls this year include a jewellery stall (have a hunt in your jewellery boxes) and tombola so donations for these would be appreciated at time of collection.

Helpers are always needed so if you can help with collections or on the day please give Jenny Frere-Cook a call on 01529 488278.

We are running a competition this year to design the flyer for the fair. It should NO bigger than A6 and contain the following information:

Rauceby Church Fair - Saturday 1st December @ Rauceby Village Hall 2pm. (Stalls information will be added by the committee). The designs must be either in PDF or Jpeg format.

Email your entries to fc.rauceby@fsmail.net or Paula.Ireland@farming.co.uk by end of October.

The winner will recieve a prize for the best entry.

Rauceby History Book May Be Scrapped

In the last issue of the Rauceby Parish News there was an article concerning the production of a book on Rauceby's historical past with photos and anecdotes, which was going to be compiled by Charles Raphael. Disappointingly only one person contacted Charles regarding the article.

Mr Raphael told the Rauceby Parish News 'It's a real shame, I am considering scrapping the Idea. It is so important to have documents such as these for future generations to have some idea of what

life in Rauceby was all about.' He went on to add' Clearly no one seems to have the same enthusiasm as I do for the history of this village'.

The Rauceby Parish News was appalled to hear of such apathy amongst our community and urges any one with photos or anecdotes to contact Charles Raphael before the concept of this book on our social history is left to collect dust along with many other excellent ideas that have gone the same way. You know what to do, so get in touch!

Charles would also like to ask that anyone who wishes to become part of the Rauceby Heritage Society, could they also get in contact. The Rauceby Parish News whole heart-idly supports Mr Raphael's initiative and it's editor has already put his name down to join the R.H.S to be part of what proves to be a very exciting project.

Please do contact Charles on 01529 488241 or by email chas@computer-supportservices.co.uk



Sheila nee Dowse, Mary Elen nee Clarricoates, Doreen Fardell nee Gostling enjoying the get together.

Youth Club of '54 Reunion.

The original Idea was to organise a reunion of the members of Rauceby Youth Club which ran from 1954 - 1957. Due to the amount of interest shown, it was decided to extend it to those who were teenagers in the village between 1945 and 1960.

This snowballed slightly, as a result, 60 people with ages ranging from 58 to 86 attended the reunion held in the Village Hall on the 8th July, on person travelling from Turkey and one from Ireland.

Everyone appeared to have a most enjoyable afternoon, and hoped fro another reunion in the not too distant future. Apoligies to anyone who was inadvertently omitted.

The buffet provided by Sally Tjepkema was enjoyed by all and the delicious spread recieved many compliments. Thank you to all those who helped in any way to make the afternoon a success.

RAUCEBY SHORT MAT BOWLS CLUB

Bowl News

Ralph Mundy - 01529 488213

Rauceby Short Mat Bowls Club continues to meet on Wednesday afternoons at 2pm and Friday evenings at 7.30pm. They would be happy to welcome anyone interested in joining them.

Yoga Club - Fridays:1.15pm-2.45pm Margaret Sanderson - 01529 421277 margaret@lennoxlove.fsbusiness.co.uk

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The class held at Rauceby Village Hall on Fridays has been running for a number of years and if you would like to come along and see if Yoga is for you then give me a ring or enrol through Stella Bellamy.

Village Hall News

Ralph Mundy - 01529 488213

Although the pre-school are on holiday and some groups may have reduced their activities during the summer can I remind everyone that Niki Orley is still available on 488369 for anyone wishing to make bookings for children's parties, anniversaries, birthdays, classes and many other activities.



www.neighbourhoodwatch.uk.com

Neighbourhood Watch Column

Could a member of the neighbourhood watch please offer to write a column for the Rauceby Parish News

as it is unfair to keep expecting Derek Simpson to do the column every quarter.

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Also Would any one wishing to become a co-ordinator please contact Martin Dickie who is our crime prevention officer and neighbourhood watch co-ordinator. You can telephone him at Lincoln on 01522 885326, or e-mail martin. dickie@lincs.pnn.police.uk. Please also contact Judith Johnson who is the secretary for the Sleaford Neighbourhood Watch on 01529 861293.

Residents are reminded to be vigilant and to take the neccessary precautions whilst away from their properties.

Other Club News

Ancaster Scrabble club is looking for new members. Don't worry you don't have to be Einstein any one can join in the fun. The Club meets every Wednesday, 2-4pm at the social club by the playing field in Ancaster. The £1 admission fee goes to charity. For further details please contact Meryl Day on 01400 230469.

Ancaster Short Mat Bowls Club are also looking for members. You can contact Bob Rodgers on 01400 230469.

The Ancaster Ladies Club have all sorts of exciting things going on and meet at the social club room at Angel Court - which is where the old Angel pub used to be. There are refreshments and a raffle. There is no age limit but you must be of the fairer gender, titles are not necessary though also welcome. For a full list of events see the events diary.

News From The Parish

Council Niki Orley - Parish Council Clerk

The Parish Council has made charitable donations to St Peters Church, Rauceby Parish News and the Lines & Notts Air Ambulance.

There is to be another 'passing place' on Church Lane, North Rauceby. The Parish Council are liaising with the Highways Department about the location.

Mr Josh Pollock has been co-opted onto the Parish Council as a Parish Councillor for South Rauceby.

The Parish Council has adopted a new Cole of Conduct as required by law. It is available to see by making an appointment with the clerk.

The next meeting of the Parish Council is Tuesday 4th September 2007 at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.



Rauceby Women's Institute

W I News

Margaret Mundy - President

Our meeting on the 2nd August , 'Scrapbookig " with Emma Simpson was a very successful evening , no one wanted to stop snipping and sticking. It was lovely to see new faces and I hope they will join us again. those who could not join in the fun on the 2nd are more than welcome to come to the next two open meetings .

WI members meet at Rauceby Village Hall on the first Thursday of each month at 7.15pm. New ladies are always given a warm welcome, come and join in on the fun and make some new friends. For further details please contact either Margaret Mundy on 488213 or Barbara Roberts on 488488. For a full list of the upcoming events please see the events diary.

Mothers, Daughters & The Ladies Of Rauceby Rauceby WI Invite You To Three Open Evenings

September 6th - 'At The Drop Of A Hat' with Dorothy Wood. Hat Making Demonstration. Competition - My Favourite Hat 9(To Be Worn)

October 4th - 'A Taste Of India' with Sunita Patel
A Cookery Demonstration
Competition - Asian Fabric or Artifact

Free entrance for accompanied 14-16 year olds
Adults £2
To be held at Rauceby Village Hall.
7.15-9.15pm
We look forward to meeting you.
For More details contact Margaret Mundy on 488213

Gardening Club News

Hazel Hunt - Club Secretary

September is traditionally the month to plant dormant spring flowering bulbs and the award winning Pottertons Nursery is holding a special Bulb Open Weekend at the nursery on Saturday and Sunday 8th and 9th September. Amongst the bulbs they will be selling, will be Alliums, Anemones, Crocus, Iris, Tulips, Bluebells, daffodils, and Snowdrops. They are also offering visitors a guided tour around the nursery showing

the care, cultivation and propagation of the plants which they sell. For those who haven't visited before, the nursery is on Moortown Road, Nettleton near Caistor, Lincolnshire (tel: 01472 851714). It is on the B1205 one mile west of the A46 junction with Nettleton, near Caistor.

Now, come and join us to listen to some of the excellent speakers we have lined up for the next few months. New members or visitors are always made most welcome. For details of the upcoming events please see the events diary.

For more information on joining any of the villages societies or clubs please go to page 14 for a list of contact details

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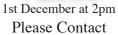
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Call Jennie Coombs on 01529 488673 for further details.

Helpers needed for the

RAUCEBY CHURCH Christmas fair





Jenny Frere-Cook on 488278 email: fc.rauceby@fsmail.net



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Kathryn Wrath

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Proud parents Ben and Rachael Clark at Emelia's Christening on the 1st July

Christening of Emelia Clark

On the 1st July, Ben and Rachael Clark of Main Street, South Rauceby christened their daughter Emelia. The service was a combined Family service and Christening at St Peter's Church, North Rauceby and was taken by the Reverend Christine Dolby.

The christening robes worn by Emelia are a family heirloom on Rachael's side of the family(nee. Lewis) and were the very same robes that she wore for her own christening as a baby. After the service the family all went to Raf Cranwell for the reception.

And Immediately Afterwards - The Church Picnic

The remainder of the congregation enjoyed a short picnic In the grounds of Rauceby Hall. Unfortunately the torrential rain brought proceedings to an abrupt halt although a few of the Picnickers were able to take refuge in Mrs Hoare's morning room until the rain subsided. A big thank you as always to Mrs Hoare for letting the picnic take place at her home.

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Solution To Summer Edition Sudoku

Solutions to Crossword in Summer Edition.

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Down- 1. Work out, 2. Eight, 3. Trainer, 4. Outset, 5. Atlas, 6. Ingress, 7. Nylon, 12. Asti, 14. Anon, 16. Verbose, 18. Unsound, 19. Elevate, 21. Demand, 22. Franc, 23. Under, 25. Apron.



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Presents

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I 408 - 24th August - John Cusack, Samuel L. Jackson, Mary McCormack.

Horror - Creepy tale based on a short story by Steven King. John Cusack is an author who repeatedly discredits paranormal events, until he spends one night in a haunted hotel room.

Atonement - 7th September - Keira Knightley, James McAvoy, Romola Garai

Drama - Keira Knightley stars in the film of lan McEwan's novel about the tragic misunderstandings of a young girl with a fertile imagination.

Disturbia (Frightfest) - 24th August - Shia LaBeouf, Carrie-Anne Moss, David Morse

Horror - Troubled Kale Brecht (Shia LaBeouf) finds himself under house arrest. Trapped at home, he becomes a voyeur of his neighbours, and begins to suspect one is a serial killer.

Events Calendar

Covering events in North and South Rauceby, Wilsford, Heydour, Oasby, Aisby, Culverthorpe, Welby, Kelby, Sudbrook, West Willoughby and Ancaster and is the definative guide to whats on in your area.

1st September - The 23rd Wilsford Annual Horticultural and Produce Show. Wilsford Village Hall.Schedules available from Wilsford Post Office.Open for public viewing from 2 p.m. Auction sale of produce from 3.30 p.m. Proceeds shared between Wilsford Village Hall and Wilsford Church.

2nd September - Evensong. 6.30pm @ St Peter's Church, North Rauceby. evening prayer.

9th September - Holy Communion. 9.30am@ St Peter's Church, North Rauceby. c.w.

15th September - Car boot sale - Girl Guides Field. opens 8am. See advert fo details

16th September - Holy Communion. 8.30am@ St Peter's Church, North Rauceby. b.c.p.

18th September - Gardening Club. Tuesday, at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. On this occasion, Kevin Pratt will be coming from Stockport to speak on the topic of, "Fritillarias and Poppies". Kevin has been a speaker for over twenty years and holds the National Collection of Fritillaria. He is a freelance writer and garden designer as well as a lifetime plants man.

20th September - Ancaster Ladies Club. 8pm @ social club rooms, Angel Court. 'Flower arranging'. Refreshments and raffle.

23 September - Group service. 11am @ Heydour. Taken by the Archdeacon. Harvest and dedication of windows.

30th September - No service @ Rauceby.

6th October - Harvest Supper in the Village Hall from 6 p.m.

7th October - Wilsford Church Harvest Festival at 9.30 a.m.

8th October - The 2007 MS Day at 40 Southgate Spinneys-everyone will be most welcome between 10am and 10pm.

13th October - WI Harvest Supper - Village Hall. 7pm for 7.30pm. See advert fo details

18th October - Ancaster Ladies Club. 8pm @ social club rooms, Angel Court. 'Christmas Decorations Demo'. Refreshments and raffle

23rd October - Gardening Club. Tuesday, at 7.30pm in the Village Hall, Joe L.Sharman of Cottenham, Cambridgeshire will talk on "Variegation". Joe has travelled widely visiting continental gardens, nurseries and natural plant sites.

1st November - WI Meeting. 'Hand Made Jewellery' with Angela Dunsford. Demonstration and workshop. £2 per person for materials. Competition: A piece of modern jewellery. Leaf of the month.

15th November. - deadline for the next edition of the Rauceby Parish News

15th November - Ancaster Ladies Club. 8pm @ social club rooms, Angel Court. 'Film on Coventry Cathedral'. Refreshments and raffle.

27th November - Gardening Club. Tuesday, at 7.15pm in the Village Hall. The earlier start is to allow us to have our Annual General meeting before we give the floor to our speaker. Stuart Dixon comes from Stoke Bardolph in Nottinghamshire and his topic for the evening is, "Ramblers 'n Scramblers." Stuart is a lecturer in horticulture as well as a writer and broadcaster on gardening subjects.

1st December - Rauceby Church Christmas Fair. Rauceby Village Hall 2pm.

2nd December - Wilsford Church Christmas Fair with visiting Craft Stalls in Wilsford Village Hall from 11.00 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday

6th December - WI Meeting. Christmas entertainment with 'Collage'. An evening of music and comedy sketches. Drinks and mince pies served by the committee. Christmas cards and parcel to the value of £3 for your WI Friend.

11th December - Gardening Club. Tuesday, at 7.30pm in the Village Hall. Hazel Kaye from Rearsby, Leicestershire is coming to speak to us and has chosen the tite of, "plants from the Most Beautiful Valley on Earth - Tibet 2006." Hazel is a very skilled photographer as well as an experienced speaker. We conclude the evening with a Christmas get together which is always a great way to round off the year.

If anyone has an event to place in the diary please get in touch with me - Editor.

Lost Property

Two Track Suit Jackets
Pair of Glasses
Gold Bracelet
(all left behind at the Fete and Picnic)

Square Gold Plate (Left at the Church Supper in January)

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