



Community News December 2007



Coddington Parish Council



CAROLS ROUND THE TREE



A Christmas Celebration

To be held around the tree

Tuesday

18th December

at

Coddington Community Centre

******* 6 - 7:00pm *******

Refreshments available



CODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL MEMBERS

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CODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

MEETINGS DATES FOR 2007

DATE:

Thursday, 3 January

Thursday, 7 February

Thursday 6 March

VENUE:

Coddington Community Centre

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Please note all meetings to commence at 7.30 pm unless otherwise stated.

CODDINGTON VILLAGE HALL

If you would like to book the Village Hall for any event or would like any further details.

Please contact: Clerk Mrs P Hemphill

2 Randall Close, Newark, NG24 2LF or Tel: 01636 686317

Dear Readers

If you have just moved into the village and are reading our

COMMUNITY NEWS for the first time

WELCOME TO CODDINGTON

This newsletter is sponsored by

CODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL and is circulated to every household in the village (at present approximately 800 copies are printed). If you are running any activities in Coddington I would welcome any contributions. Adverts of a local nature can be taken at a small charge. I can be contacted on 01636 671424 or by email frankelliott1@hotmail.com

You can also send your contributions to

Frank Elliott, Rest and be Thankful,

Parklands Close,

Coddington,

NG24 2RE

Chairman's Report

The period around Bonfire Night was marred by a few people who seemed to get satisfaction from committing acts of arson around the village. The worst two being the deliberate act of setting fire to some of the equipment in the children's play area on the green at Thorp Oaks and putting fireworks in postboxes in the village. With regard to the Post box incident I understand that due to the vigilance of parishioners in taking the number of the car in which the perpetrators were travelling in they were apprehended in Newark

I am pleased to report that we have now have a full complement of Parish Councillors with the written applications of Mr Dale Johnson and Mrs Jane Hedge being accepted by the Parish Council.

You will note from the front of the magazine that we will be having what has now become an annual event of carols around the Christmas tree. This year due to access problems on the old site we have moved to a permanent site in the Community Centre Grounds. I hope as many of you as possible will come and join us on **TUESDAY 18 DECEMBER AT 6 o'clock**

As this will be the last CCN of 2007 I would like to wish everyone a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

Frank Elliott (Chairman,Coddington Parish Council)

ON THE BEAT WITH PC DEBORAH BAKIN

Let me introduce myself. I am PC 2548 Deborah Bakin and I have just taken over from Richard Wood as your local community Beat Manager. I have five years experience as a front line Police Officer within Nottinghamshire Police most of which was spent as a Response Trained Officer covering Newark and the surrounding villages.

The areas I will be responsible for now include Barnby in the Willows, Beacon Hill, Coddington and from Winthorpe roundabout through Collingham out to Harby. I will be committed to working within your communities throughout my 'Beat' and will work alongside two Police Community Support Officers (PCSO's).

Myself and PCSOs Harriet Samson-Bailey and Mike Munro make up the Collingham, Coddington and The Meerings Safer Neighbourhoods Team. The PCSO's have come to the team with great enthusiasm and they are looking forward to patrolling alongside myself in and around the Beat area and attending your local meetings when possible.

At the moment the team is committed to tackling local Anti-Social Behaviour issues and Incidents of Criminal Damage, along with vehicle nuisance problems, which includes off-road bikes and the theft of lead and copper from local churches, homes and building sites.

If you have any information, which you think would help us, tackle these Issues or any other Issues within or around your local community then please contact myself or one of the team. All calls will be treated with the strictest confidence.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Please do not report incidents on the above, these systems are for messages only.

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THE OVER 55s LEISURE GROUP

The Over 55s continue to make good progress, now completing our first year in the new venue of the Community Centre, after we transferred from the village Hall

Members enjoy playing bowls on the three brand new short mats, with new bowls, and other bowling equipment purchased thanks to the generosity of the Lottery – Grants for All

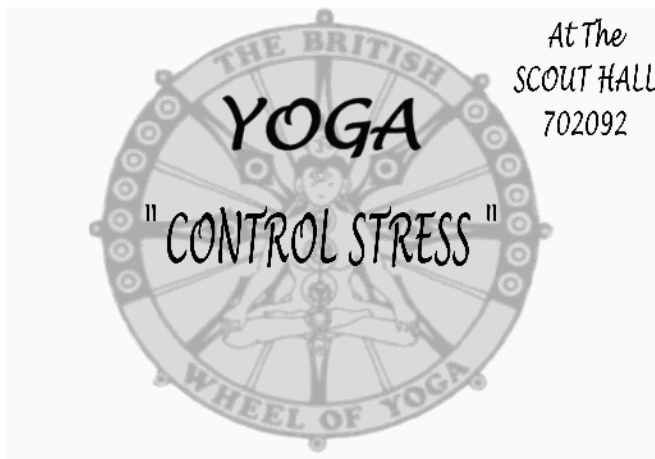
There are other games and pursuits available, darts, skittles, cards etc. for those members who prefer not to bowl, we have an occasional quiz We now have 39 full members, and extend a warm welcome to our four newest members, Maureen, Joan, May and Betty, and hope that they will enjoy many happy afternoons with us

Now that the winter season is here, we have begun the Friday evening bowls only meetings from 7.00 to 9.00 pm

We enjoyed a nice lunch together in July at the Lord Nelson at Winthorpe, and are now planning our Christmas lunch at the Willow Tree in Barnby

Anyone interested in joining us on Friday afternoons 2.00 to 4.00 or evening from 7.00 to 9.00 or would like any more information, telephone James Bell, the club secretary on **01636 674574**

James Bell (Secretary)





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Coddington Guides

We opened on the 26th Sept 2007 and had 8 girls arrive eager to join in the fun. Since then the unit has grown to 14 girls and we have been doing plenty of different activities from games to Go For It's working as a unit or in smaller patrols. As a treat for Christmas we are taking the girls bowling in which many will be taking their Guide promise. Then on our last night we break up for Christmas (5th Dec) we are joining the Brownies at the Village Hall for a Christmas Party. Next year there will be many fun and fantastic things we'll be doing, if any girl aged 10 wishes to join us then please contact **Jodie on 01636 676820**

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH CODDINGTON

MORNING PRAYER EVERY MONDAY (except bank holidays)

at 9.00 AM.

This is a regular service each week led by a member of the Newark Team. This is a short service which lasts approximately 15 minutes and everyone is welcome.

PASTORAL CARE TEAM

In past issues we have published a list of names of people on the Pastoral Care Team. If you need or wish to talk with someone from the church, please contact one of the following:

Church Wardens

Hugh Daybell 01636 702197

Sheila Bache 01636 674741

Reader

Mike Bache 01636 674741

PARISH SURGERY

The Coddington Parish Surgery is held in church between 7.30pm and 8.30 pm on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month. All enquiries with regard to Weddings and Baptisms should, in the first instance, be addressed to the Parish Surgery at Coddington where a member of Coddington church will be in attendance. The Rev'd Tony Tucker (Area Dean) can still be contacted at Balderton Vicarage for other matters and the telephone number is 01636 704811.

HOME COMMUNION

The church is now providing Home Communion visits on the first Sunday of each month. Our church Communion will end about 11.30am and the intention is to deliver Home Communion directly after this service. Home Communion is intended for anyone who is house bound or through ill health or disability cannot get to church for their Communion.

In order to consecrate the elements needed, you are requested to get in touch with Mike Bache at least one week before the first Sunday of the month. Mike can be contacted on 01636 674741.

WORSHIP TIME AT WELL GREEN

A fellowship & worship half hour is held on the first Monday of each month at Well Green community centre at approx. 10.30 am. Everyone is welcome.

COFFEE MORNING & HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST CYCLE RIDE

The church was open on the 8th September to welcome visiting cyclists who took part in the Trust Cycle Ride. This ride was a sponsored event in aid of Nottinghamshire churches. The sponsor money (we do not know the amount yet) will be divided between the Churches Trust and Coddington All Saints’.

The coffee morning held from 10.30 am to 12.00 noon was very well supported and raised £95 for church funds.

We have had a lot of support for the coffee mornings held during the summer months with many old friends and new faces joining us. From the response we have received, it seems everyone enjoyed themselves, so we will be holding them again during next summer.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

It was lovely to see so many people in church for the Harvest Festival on 14th October, and a delight to welcome so many children. The service was led by Mike Bache and the address was given by Rev’d Sylvia Stevens. It was wonderful to see the music teachers and the children of Coddington School Choir; the sound of children singing in church is always so beautiful, so thank you all very much indeed. A big thank you also to the Rainbows who told us of the ‘Ten days of Harvest’ in song, it was lovely and very special. Many thanks to everyone who gave harvest gifts; these were passed on to the Refuge and the Salvation Army in Newark.

THANKSGIVING and REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

Our annual service of Thanksgiving and Remembrance took place on the 28th October. This was a very special service for anyone who has lost a member of their family, a dear friend or just someone they would like to remember. The service was to give thanks for their lives; it was a moving yet uplifting service, led by Mike Bache.

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY 11TH NOVEMBER

The Remembrance Service took place in church on 11th November when we gathered to say thank you to those who gave their lives for their Country. The village war memorial is sited in the church. We were pleased to welcome the 1260 (Newark) Squadron Air Cadets. Cadets and officers took part in the commemoration when Flight Lieutenant Mark Edwards read out the names from our memorial. Simon Oldham, who lives in Coddington and plays with the Balderton Scout and Guide Band, played the Last Post and Reveille whilst the Air Cadets standard was lowered and raised. Mr Frank Elliott, Chairman of the Coddington Parish Council read the lesson, and laid a wreath on behalf of the Parish Council. Mrs Joyce Allen laid a wreath on behalf of the church and all its members. The service was led by Mr Mike Bache.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE 17TH NOVEMBER

We will have held our Annual Christmas Fayre before this issue of the Community News has gone to press. Let's hope the Fayre was a success and that those who came enjoyed themselves. A full report will be in the next issue!

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Our Children's Carol Service this year will be on Sunday 9th December at 6.00pm. This is a Christmas celebration especially for young people and we look forward to giving a warm welcome to you, the children, but you can bring the grown-ups with you!

Come and enjoy our Christmas Melody of Carols, Readings & Christmas celebration on Sunday 23rd December at 6.00 pm.
The Midnight Eucharist this year will be at Coddington church on Monday 24th December. The service will begin at 11.30pm. It would also be lovely to see you at a 'Family Celebration for Christmas', on Christmas morning at 9.00am.

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE & THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

We are having our Christingle service on Sunday 13th January 2008 at 6.00pm. It is something everyone looks forward to after the excitement of Christmas is over. Do come along to this magical service, which has children at its heart as they sing in a church lit only by the Christingle candles. Children are the reason for Christingle; children less fortunate than ours, like the young runaways, who are rescued from the streets of our towns and cities by the tireless efforts of Children's Society workers and given food, shelter and hope. Join us and shine a light in their darkness.

Peggy Harwood is our Children's Society Representative at Coddington and because of her hard work, dedication and enthusiasm the amount of £1,133 has been raised this year for the Society. This wonderful amount has been raised by doorstep collection, from collection boxes and from the Christingle service in January 2007. Thank you very much indeed Peggy and well done!

The PCC would like to say a very big **"Thank you"** to all those people who have helped in so many ways and those who have supported us in all the events we have held during 2007."

CALENDAR OF CHURCH SERVICES

December 07

Sun 2 nd	Advent Sunday Holy Communion	10.30am
Sun 9 th	Children's Carol Service	6.00pm
Sun 16 th	Holy Communion	6.00pm

Sun 23 rd	Christmas Melody	6.00pm
Mon 24 th	Midnight Eucharist	11.30pm
Tues 25 th	Family Celebration for Christmas Day	9.00am

Sun 30th TBA
 Morning Prayer every Monday at 9.00am

January 08

Sun 6 th	Holy Communion	10.30am
Sun 13 th	Christingle Service	6.00pm
Sun 20 th	Holy Communion	6.00pm
Sun 27 th	Evensong	6.00pm

Morning Prayer every Monday at 9.00am

February 08

Sun 3 rd	Holy Communion	10.30am
Sun 10 th	Evensong	6.00pm

PCC SECRETARY

Coddington Parochial Church Council are still in need of a Secretary. If you can spare a couple of hours every two to three months to take the minutes we would appreciate a call from you. This is a voluntary position, but a very important one. We need your help. Please contact Mrs Sheila Bache on 01636 674741 if you can help.

CODDINGTON COMMUNITY CENTRE.

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The Coddington Heritage Picture Quiz.

People often take their heritage for granted, and forget to look at all the fascinating details that make their home area unique. For fun, we thought we'd challenge residents and visitors to identify 35 cryptic pictures of Coddington village. Quiz sheets have been on sale this summer at a number of public events and we hope that you have enjoyed puzzling over them – either at home or in the company of others at the pub!

We selected a very worthy winner – Mr John Rollins – who tramped up and down the village determined not to be beaten. John returned a perfect answer sheet and received his prize at our September meeting - Well done!

We have posted answer sheets around the village, but for those of you that missed them

- 1 Chapel House, former Methodist Chapel on Chapel Lane.
- 2 Stone wall of former outbuilding of Charity Farm, Chapel Lane.
- 3 Sunnyside Farm, Main St - sash window and slate bay window roof.
- 4 Old Manor Farm which dates to 1713 - porch and plaque.
- 5 Porch of Brownlow's House, 19 Brownlow's Hill.
- 6 Tiled overporches, Post Office Row.
- 7 Stone steps The Old Bakery, 35 Main St.
- 8 Coddington United Charity Almshouses, chimney and gable end taken from Beckingham Rd.
- 9 Monument near west gate of churchyard, to Mrs Mary Anne and Colonel James Thorpe.
- 10 Marble Monument on the church West wall to John Somerled Thorpe, who died in 1916 serving on the Somme.
- 11 Part of the top of the tracery from the main East window, the Chancel, All Saints Church (window adjacent to Chapel Lane).
- 12 The National School, now the Scout Hall - green iron tie-bar and the top of carved stone inscription.
- 13 Tarred wall and window of Coddington Windmill, Balderton Lane.
- 14 Chequered brickwork – the Inn on the Green Offices (between the Laurels and the Maltings), The Green.
- 15 Coddington Community Centre - brickwork pattern.
- 16 Boundary feature wall skirting huge trees, Parkwood Lodge, Newark Rd.
- 17 Willowdene, No 15 Beckingham Rd - distinctive crow-stepped porch.
- 18 The Maltings, the Green - access door just below the eaves and distinctive low level windows.
- 19 Plough set on gravel, front garden of Bonny Bridge, Newark Rd.
- 20 Boundary walls with diamond pattern, Hilltop House, Balderton Lane.
- 21 Laburnum Lodge, 141 Newark Rd.
- 22 The Lodge, No 32 Newark Rd - octagonal chimney stacks.
- 23 Old decorative railings behind pillar box, next to the Lodge, Newark Rd (no 32?).
- 24 Decorative wheel against pale brickwork of 17 Parkes Close/ Ross Close.
- 25 39 Main St, (opposite the Plough) - shuttered windows and chequered brick-work.
- 26 Lilac Cottage, Balderton Lane - porch overdoor, circular window and dovecot box.
- 27 Finial of post, electric sub-station on Newark Rd near Beaconsfield Drive.
- 28 Coddington fish pond taken from Beckingham Rd.
- 29 Converted barn, Hilltop Farm, Balderton Lane - brick and stone wall with dovecote openings.
- 30 Coddington Primary School, Brownlow's Hill - lynch-gate shelter over entrance to cycle parking.
- 31 Brick chamber at foot of the village sign containing time capsule.
- 32 Boundary wall of Coddington House, Main St - decorative wall opposite the village halls.
- 33 Sunnyside Farm Barn, taken from Main St - wall with two narrow slits and four cross tie-bars.
- 34 The Old Forge, 12 Balderton Lane - blind window (to give symmetry to the façade).
- 35 The Plough, lantern on wall, Beckingham Rd frontage

CODDINGTON TENANTS AND RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

Our Community Meet and Greet at Wellgreen House in September went well with representatives from Newark and Sherwood Homes, the Warden Response Service and the Police attending. After the event free door viewers were fitted to about 30 homes.

The paths and roadway around Well Green House have been repaired to some extent but they could still do with a lot more attention. We are in touch with the Highways Department regarding this.

Last week we held a Fish and Chip supper followed by Bingo and a Raffle. This was more of a social event than fund raising and it was enjoyed by all.

Together with members of the Well Green Social Committee we are trying to get something done about the ground at the rear of the Centre. This will involve fund raising so we can pay someone in the new year to get this area tidied up for us and fill it with plants. If when the spring comes and you are splitting plants should you have any to spare we can always find them a good home.

We are holding a Christmas Fair at Well Green on Thursday, 13th December from 2p.m. onwards. We do hope you will be able to support us on this occasion.

On behalf of our committee I would like to wish you all a very Happy Christmas and New Year.

Gill Burgess.



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TUESDAY
At the Londis Shop on
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5PM-9PM

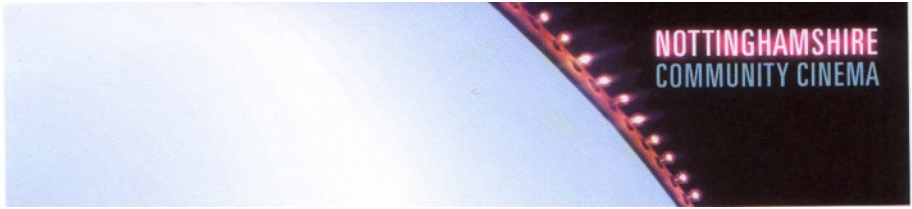
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Due to unforeseen circumstances, the Fat Fryer will no longer be standing on the Plough car park on a Thursday evening. We apologise for any inconvenience and look forward to your continued support and custom on a Tuesday evening.

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Coddington Film Group announces start of 2008 Season

Our Autumn season has been a great success, with very good attendances and many plaudits for the variety of films being shown. Many thanks to everyone who has supported our first year.

Our Christmas special on 27 December is a film to be enjoyed by all ages – Tales of Narnia, The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe. Start time as usual 7.30pm. Just the thing to get you away from the television and the leftover turkey. Extra attractions on the night include edible goodies for children, and free raffle. Please note all under 16s must be accompanied by an adult.

We've had some encouraging feedback during the year about films, format and frequency, for which we're very grateful – thanks to everyone who filled in our little questionnaires after each film. After considering your thoughts (and our own) it's clear that the present format is favoured by the vast majority of the audience, so we'll be sticking with the monthly showings at 7.30 on the fourth Thursday of the month.

The early 2008 season will start with the following three films, information for April – June will appear in the next CCN.

The Last King of Scotland (15) - 24 January

High Society (U) - 28 February

Girl With a Pearl Earring (PG13) - 27 March

All showings are at Coddington Village Hall, next to the Church. Tickets will be on sale at the door or you can guarantee a place by buying in advance - see local posters for details of who to phone within the village, or phone Ian Gerard, Secretary on 01522 721500. £3.50, concessions £2.50 .

Full details of upcoming films, dates and late changes to the programme can also be found on our website - www.coddingtonfilmgroup.info



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CODDINGTON BELLRINGERS

Outing 2007.

This years outing was on the 29th September and took us to the Northamptonshire area, taking in six ringing towers. The coach picked up at Sutton, Coddington, & Balderton, before heading south on the A1. We managed a three quarter full coach of ringers & friends from Coddington, Winthorpe, Newark, Balderton, Fulbeck, Southwell, Carlton-le-Moorland, Wragby, & Grantham.

Our first tower of the day was Deene Park, and even after a detour we arrived in good time, but unfortunately our church key holder didn't turn up and after several phone calls to other possible key holders within the village we had still not gained entry into the church. The decision was then made to move onto the next tower, this was a shame because St. Peters, Deene doesn't get rung very often and our contact had told me they sounded and rang well.

Bulwick was the next tower five minutes up the road and when we arrived we only waited a couple of minutes before the key arrived. Our contact was most concerned that we had been let down at our first tower, and told me the ringing guild would need to be informed after she had explained about issues surrounding the spare keys. I left that one with her.

Fortunately the bells of St. Nicholas, Bulwick were a pleasure to ring, which helped us back to enjoying the day ahead.

Market Harborough was our lunch stop, but once again we were made to detour and with additional roadworks we arrived late. After lunch we had several further delays before we got to our third tower at East Farndon. In fact the afternoon ringing at all the towers was severely hampered by the time lost in getting to East Farndon. I contacted all the key holders at the churches to follow who were very understanding about our predicament and so the timetable was re adjusted as best we could.

At East Farndon our contact was making good use of his time waiting for us to arrive by doing some repairs on the roof of St. John's. The bells here also went really well which helped produce some good ringing.

On to Lubenham next where the coach driver found the village streets a bit of a handful, but he managed to get parked outside the church after some tight squeezers. The bells here were located on a balcony floor, which meant the ringers could be viewed from the ground floor. The ringing session went well, even though one of the bells was only ringable by ringers with experience because it was damaged.

The next tower was St. Andrew's Arthingworth we arrived here after a wrong turning a little later than anticipated but the ringing made up for the delay.

Because of the roadworks at Market Harborough and Corby we decided to go on to our last tower on a different set of roads. This worked great on paper but in reality it became yet another disaster. Firstly we joined the right road but found we were travelling in the wrong direction, after about ten miles we came off at a slip road where we were able to double back. We thought that was it, surely nothing else could happen, but as we headed up the A6 we were flashed by at least three cars coming in the opposite direction. Then we came to a standstill on a long bend and in the distance stood a broken down articulated lorry carrying a massive crane, blocking the road in both directions. The traffic took their turn to pass the obstacle by using the grass verge. As the coach got closer it became obvious it would not get through. Luckily the lorry was on an incline and its driver and his mate decided to let it move back down slope to make more room. This worked so off we went again on to our last tower even later than arranged. The ringing didn't let us down, and we came away from All Saints, Easton on the Hill ready for a nightcap.

Skillington was our planned refreshment stop, where we had three quarters of an hour in one of two pubs to end the days excitement.

We arrived back at Coddington at quarter past nine it had been a very trying day as organiser but still enjoyable, (I think.)

Mr. P. Arkley.Co. Secretary for Coddington Bellringers.

WHAT'S ON IN CODDINGTON

Scout Hall

Contact D C & J Hedge 01636 673663

Mon	4.00 - 7.00pm	DANIELLE'S SCHOOL OF DANCE
	7.30 - 9.00pm	NEWARK DOG CLUB
Tues	7.00 - 8.30pm	YOGA CLASS
Wed	6.30 - 7.30pm	BEAVERS
	7.45 - 9.00pm	TIA CHI
Thurs	6.30 - 8.00pm	CUBS
	8.15 -	DUKE of EDINBURGH AWARD
Fri	7.00 - 9.00pm	SCOUTS & EXPLORERS

Coddington Community Centre

Contact Bookings Secretary 07985 386638

Mon	2pm	OVER 55'S	[Reg	674748
Mon	6 - 7pm	LEGS, BUMS & TUMS all ages	Mandy	07940 732497
Mon	6 - 7pm	YOGA [starts 7th Jan 08]	Sharon	07810 171864
Tues		BADMINTON [use contact phone]		07985 386638
Wed	7 - 8pm	KICK BOXING [7yrs upwards]	Colin	07958 011515
Wed 1st mth	7pm	DIABETICS UK [NEWARK]		611115
Wed	7:30 - 9:00pm	GUIDES	Jodie	07855 872720
Wed	6 - 7pm	STABILITY BALLS [starts 9th Jan. 08]	Mandy	07940 732497
Thurs	9:30 - 11am	TODDLERS	Jackie	687096
Thurs	6:15 - 7:15pm	PILATES	Sharon	07810 171864

Thurs	7:30 - 8:30pm	SALSA DANCING [Beginners Plus]	Ian	07890 206088
	8:30 - 9:30pm	SALSA DANCING [Beginners]	Ian	07890 206088
Fri	5 - 6pm	RAINBOWS	Dawn	612341
Fri	2 - 9pm	OVER 55's CLUB	Reg	674748
Fri	7 - 8:30pm	RANGER GUIDES	Sheila	674741
Sat	9 - noon	CARNEGIE CLUB	Helen	655797
<u>Village Hall</u>				
<u>Contact</u>	Mrs P Hemphill	01636 686317		
Mon		1:45 - 2:30pm	Jo	07854 600331
Mon	[2nd]	2 - 4pm		
Mon		4 - 5pm		
Mon		7:30 - 9:00pm		
Tues		9:30 - 11:30am		
Tues[2nd]		7:30 - 9:00pm	Emily Brown	
Tues[fortnly]		2:30 - 3:45		
Wed	[2nd Jan on]	1 - 2:30pm		
Wed		6:00 - 8:00pm		
Thurs[2nd & 3rd]		7 - 9:30		
Thurs[4th]		7:30 - 9:30pm		
Sat		9:0 - 10:00am	Derek Tysoe	01636 679665
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Log on

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Saturday: 9.00 - 12.30

Sunday: Closed

You can contact the library on 01636 703930 or balderton.library@nottsec.gov.uk

The friendly team at Balderton library look forward to welcoming you.

CODDINGTON W.I

During the Summer break, we had visits to behind-the-scenes at Waitrose, walks around Gunthorpe, Denton and Harlaxton and a visit to Prince Charles' garden at Highgrove. The October walk was around Welbourne and in November our walk will be at Belvoir. A feature of these walks is the pub lunch which is always excellent.

Six members have already enjoyed visits to Denman College, and another group will be going in the New Year, all thanks to the Lottery Grant that the W.I received.

On 27th October we held the W.I. Quiz at the Village Hall. Some 90 people took part, a 50% increase on last year, which only goes to show the popularity of this event. It was a really great evening, very competitive and good fun, the climax being a superb fish and chip supper.

Now we are in the run-up to Christmas. A visit is planned to 'Belvoir at Christmas' which should be spectacular, and then it will be our Christmas Party on 11th December. The W.I. Drama Group is rehearsing the entertainment for the party, the subject of which is a closely guarded secret. Hopefully the W.I will also be taking part in the Carols around the Christmas Tree on 18th December at the Community Centre, which will be a nice start to Christmas proper.

Meanwhile we are busy making plans for the Seniors' Lunch which will be held on Saturday 12th January at the Community Centre. Due to the generosity of the Coddington United Charities, who fund the Lunch, and the hard work of W.I. members who plan, cook and serve the Lunch, this has become a special occasion in the village to which we all look forward.

Finally the W.I. wishes every one a very happy Christmas and a prosperous and healthy New Year.

Mary Molloson

LOCAL COUNCILLORS and MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT

Our local District Councillor **Mrs Maureen Dobson** was returned unopposed in the recent Local Authority elections and would like to thank everyone for their continued support

Our local County Councillor is **Mr Vincent Dobson**

Both Mr and Mrs Dobson can be contacted on **01636 892267**

Our local Member of Parliament is **Mr Patrick Mercer**

Mr Mercer can be contacted on **01636 612837**

CODDINGTON SENIORS' LUNCH - SATURDAY

12TH JANUARY AT CODDINGTON COMMUNITY CENTRE.

The W.I is already planning for the Seniors' Lunch on 12th January 2008. This Lunch has become a popular annual event and it is hoped that even more people will come and enjoy it with us in the New Year. Once again the W.I is very grateful to the Coddington United Charities for funding the Lunch and also to all the members of the W.I. who plan, cook and serve the meal.

Two important things we would like to point out. This New Year, the Lunch will be on a **Saturday**, not a Sunday, and we hope this will not deter anyone from coming.

The second point is that last year some 13 people who had booked a Lunch did not come on the day. This would not have been a problem had they let Eileen Bell know beforehand, but as it was they didn't, and people who were on the ' waiting list ' for cancellations did not get the chance to come, and there was also some waste due to overcatering. **So please, if you do book and then find that you can't come, even if it is on the morning of the Lunch, let Eileen know. That way another person will not be deprived of the opportunity to enjoy the lunch.**

So, we look forward to seeing you on 12th January. To book a place, and to indicate if you want a lift, please ring Eileen Bell on 674574.

Nora Reed - Coddington W.I.

1ST CODDINGTON RAINBOWS

As usual, we have had a busy programme of different activities and events since starting back in the September term. To name but a few, the Rainbows sang a version of the "Ten Days of Harvest" at the church's Harvest Festival service, and if you were there, and you happen to have five brussel sprouts on your plate on day, it will remind you of their song, and you will have a smile on your face!!

The girls enjoyed Halloween making sparkly spiders webs and having spiders painted on their faces. The Friday before Bonfire night, we had an endless supply of sparklers which the girls enjoyed.

The Rainbows have entered a local guiding competition to make a party invitation. Our unit winner will be presented with a prize on Saturday 17th November.

We meet on Friday nights at the Coddington Community Centre, 5 – 6.15 pm. If you would like to put your daughter on the waiting list, please call in and have a chat.

Dawn Bache-Smith Rainbow Guider

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CODDINGTON HISTORY GROUP

Winter/Spring programme

Thurs. 17th Jan. 2008 - Phillip Tallon; Place Names of the East Midlands. *A chance to find out where the local village names came from.*

Thurs. 21st Feb. 2008 - Sam Gorin; Excavations at Empingham. *This should be very interesting account of investigations made whilst creating Rutland Water.*

Thurs. 20th Mar. 2008 – Eric Houlder; Plagues and Potions. *The horrors of mediaeval medicine.*

Thurs. 17th Apr. 2008 - Dave Sankey; The Mystery of the Glass Slides. *Dave tells the story, and how he discovered it, behind a set of very old glass slides (photos) which he found in the loft of a house that he bought.*

Thurs. 15th May 2008 – Adrian Henstock, Turnpike Roads. *Adrian was Archivist at Nottingham and his talk on Nottinghamshire turnpikes will doubtless be based on contemporary documents.*

All events are in the Village Hall, Main St starting at 7:30pm. Everyone welcome, Members £1, non-members £2 - includes refreshments

CODDINGTON HISTORY GROUP– The Year That Was

2007 has been a very busy fourth year for us. As well as our monthly talks, annual open day and various public displays we have just completed our second Local Heritage Initiative project. This generous grant allowed us to publish the book ‘Views of Coddington’, produce the ‘Coddington Heritage Cube’ for children at the village school, and significantly expand our website (as well as covering some of our running costs such as ink and laminating materials).

Since we formed we have been collecting information, photographs and skills towards this two and a half year project, which has really stretched us. We hope that you all liked our book and that it will encourage you to go through your cupboards and spare rooms. We are sure there is enough material in the village to keep the group going for decades – so please keep it coming!

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Coddington History Group

Morgans Close, Ross Close, Parkes Close, Thorpe Close

The area on which **Morgans Close** now stands was formerly a grass field on which Fred Hollingsworths horses grazed until 1959 when the close was built by Coleman's builders from Balderton on behalf of Newark District Council. The first families moved into the newly built houses in 1960, surrounded by open fields that later became Parkes Close, Ross Close and Thorpe Close.

The occupants at that time were: (starting from the bungalow on the LHS of the road) - Bill & Edith Lee, Lizzie Slack (mother of Nancy Sleight) & her son Jim Priestley, half sisters Bella Earl & Lil Checkley, Mr Robb & daughter Nellie, Kath & Horace Robinson, Ivy & Jim Lambert & family, Joan & Bernard Curtis & family (Mrs Curtis became warden at Well Green), Marg & Bob Checkley & family, Ruth & Tom Robinson & family, Mrs Butler.

On the RHS: - Hazel & Colin Horton & Perry, Charlotte & Cyril Hackett & daughter Patricia, Kath & George Arnold & family, Valerie (nee Knott) & Geoff Johns & family, Yvonne & Tom Knott & family, Wendy? (Nee Franks), Jean & Charlie Tomlinson & family.

In 1960 Coleman's built Parkes close then in 1962 Humphries builders of Balderton built Ross Close and afterwards also built Thorpe Close. The estate roads were named after prominent villagers: -

Morgans Close was named after **Henry Morgan**; he was born in 1845 and christened on the 16th July 1845 at Saint George church, Leicester his parents being Thomas and Ann Morgan. Henry married Sarah Anne (b.1845 Northampton) in 1866 and as far as we are aware they had no children. Henry learnt the drapery trade in Leicester and came to Newark as head assistant to Messrs. Wright; the Stodman Street tailors of that day. He subsequently commenced business on his own account, following John Hage, hatter, in the shop that was subsequently occupied by Mr. R.J.Hambling. On the 1881 census Henry and Sarah lived in Barnby Road, Newark where his occupation is given as tailor/woollen draper.

Whilst in Newark, Henry was a keen church worker, and superintendent of the Parish Church Sunday School and he was also a member of the Philharmonic Society.

After a period of successful trading, Henry, acting on the advice of his doctor retired from the business and lived for a time at Fiskerton, before moving to the "Old Vicarage", Beckingham Road, Coddington in about 1899. On the 1901 census he was living with his wife Sarah Anne in Coddington and his occupation was given as "Living on his own means". Henry was keenly interested in all the world of nature, his chief hobby being his large garden. This was his special pride, and deservedly so, for the display and profusion of flowers and fruits in their seasons was a delightful sight, and his interest remained unabated until he died. On the 1st August 1901 at the village flower show Henry was a very successful competitor, winning no fewer than eight firsts and five seconds.

Henry took a great interest in Coddington parish affairs. He was chairman on the Parish Council, a Trustee of Coddington United Charity, a School Manager, and to the forefront in running the Flower show.

At one time, his smart turnout, pony and trap, was quite a feature in the village and Newark, and he constantly wore a choice flower in his buttonhole. He was very alert and had a good sense of humour.

On the occasion of their Diamond wedding day, Mr and Mrs Morgan received a letter from the King and Queen: Buckingham Palace 15th February 1926. "Dear Sir, The King and Queen are much interested to hear that you and Mrs Morgan have recently celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of your Wedding day, and I am desired to convey to you Their Majesties' sincere congratulations and best wishes on this memorable occasion, together with the hope you may long be spared to each other. – Yours very truly Clive Wigram".

Sarah Anne Morgan died on the 9th February 1927 in her 82nd year and was buried in Coddington churchyard. Henry was by now aged 82 and he had a housekeeper named Emma; in his garden he had a flagpole and he hoisted the Union flag on his and the King's birthday. Charlotte Hackett remembers him as a very kind nice gentleman, in those days there was no National Health Service and the majority of people who lived in the village could not afford to go to hospital but Henry Morgan would sign a "Recommend" form which enabled you to go free of charge. Henry died on the 8th June 1940 in his 95th year.

Parkes Close, was named after **Samuel Parkes** and his son **Fred**. Samuel Parkes married Emily Henton at Coddington Parish church on the 6th December 1883, he was employed as a miller's man aged 22, and his father John was a groom. Emily aged 25 was a sewing mistress at the school; her father Thomas was an agricultural labourer. Four of their six children were baptised at Coddington church: - **Fred** 17th March 1893, **Elsie** 27th March 1895, **Lily** 24th April 1896 and **Alfred** 4th June 1899. On the 1901 census they lived at the Red Lion public house and Samuel's occupation was publican and farmer aged 38, his wife Emily aged 42, children **Annie** 17, **Maggie** 13, **Fred** 8, **Elsie** 7, **Lily** 5 and **Alfred** 2. The earliest record in Cooks Trade directory of Samuel Parkes was as the publican at the Red Lion in 1892 and the last one in 1942. Samuel Parkes was a real character, for example, he had a tall silk hat and when it was closing time, he would not call out or ring a bell, but simply put his hat on and everyone knew it was time to go home. His son **Fred** Parkes was a small farmer who lived at 79, Beckingham Road in a very small house that had no modern facilities. Fred farmed various fields in the village, one was the grass field across from his house on which Parkes and Thorpe Close were built; in this field were an orchard, his farm buildings, and a modern house that was occupied by Mr Fryer who retailed milk in Newark. Mr Fryer delivered his milk from two large cans balanced on his bicycle - which was no mean feat as he had an artificial foot that meant he could only pedal with one foot.

Ross Close. **Mr George Ross** was the eldest son of Mr George Ross of Stubton and in 1873 he married Sophia a daughter of Mr Allen, Harrowby Hall,

Grantham. They immediately came to Coddington and George commenced farming on his own account. During the next 42 years of strenuous work he met with a great measure of success.

On the 1881 census **Mr George Ross senior** was 36 years old (b. 1845 Scopwick, Lincoln) and farmed 209 acres employing 5 men & 2 boys. His wife was Sophia aged 39 (b. Harrowby, Grantham) their children were all born in Coddington and baptised at Coddington church: - Sophia Ann 1st March 1874, Nellie 27th February 1876, and **George Allen 17th February 1878**. In 1894 George snr. was a farmer, maltster, tax collector and highway surveyor, he rented some of his land from James Thorpe - Drove Lane East farm and Home farm.

George was very interested in the welfare of others in the village and was very involved with the well being of the parish. George was a member of the Parish council immediately after the Parish Council Act came into force, he was also a long serving trustee of Birch's Charity and for many years was a member of the Newark Rural District Council, of which body he was chairman for a year. He was a school governor and on the 26th March 1883 he was party along with James Thorpe, Godfrey Tallents and William Daybell to dismiss the school headmaster John Roberts and replace him with Joseph Chantry Hunt. George snr. was very involved in the social life in the village and on the 1st August 1900 his barn was used for the annual village flower show. In religion he was an ardent Churchman and was a people's warden, he was a member of the Diocesan Conference for the Newark Rural Deanery, and a regular attendee at the meetings. He was a staunch Conservative and a strong supporter of the Coddington Habitation of the Primrose League. For nearly 30 years he belonged to the Newark Squadron of the Sherwood Rangers Yeomanry, principally at the time when Colonel James Thorpe was the captain of the local men. He was a fair shot, and was an exceptionally good swordsman.

George Ross died on the 11th May 1915 and his wife Sophia on the 7th July 1916. At the village school **George Allen Ross** in January 1884 passed in 3 subjects and received good attendance award from 1886 to 1892. Leaving school he went to Trent College before working with his father on the farm and by 1916 he ran the farm and was assistant overseer and tax collector in the village.

George A Ross was co-tenant with his father of Manor Dairy farm and at the Thorpe Estate sale of 1918 whilst living at The Gables, Church Lane he purchased lot 5 Home (later named Hall) farm 136 acres (£6,100) lot 8 (£875) and four cottages lot 36 for (£300). George Allen married Althea and they did not have any children. George was the godfather of Edward Charles Patchet Daybell (father of Hugh). In 1937 George Allen Ross decided to retire so Mr Arthur Geeson became a tenant at Hall Farm. George Allen Ross lived at the "The Old Vicarage" on Beckingham Road after Henry Morgan died until 1950 when he purchased "The Old Parsonage" Newark Road where he remained until he died on the 12th of December 1952. An obituary for **George Allen Ross** stated that he was a member of the choir for 69 years, a lay reader and was clerk of Coddington village parish council before becoming chairman from 1945 until 1952 and was a past chairman of Newark Rural District Council. For many years he was

Clerk to the Birch's Charity and a member of the board of Guardians. He served on the Newark Internal Drainage Board and the Notts. Agricultural War Committee. In both wars he was a member of the Special Constabulary. For a long time he was a manager of Coddington school and he was a former governor of the Lilley and Stone Girls' High School, Newark. His wife Althea died on the 10th March 1955 aged 76

Thorpe Close, currently we are not aware of which member of the Thorpe family Thorpe Close was named after - it could be any or all of those detailed below:

Col. James Thorpe 28th August 1823 Newark – 13th July 1902 Coddington. James lived at "Beaconfield Hall" he changed the name of the house to Coddington Hall, he owned over 50% of the land and property in the village including the land on which Morgan's Close was built. His life story was published in CCN September 2006. Three of his eight children are: -

Captain John Somerled Thorpe M.C. The 2nd son christened at Coddington Parish Church on the 30th March 1873. After his father Col. James Thorpe died he took over the family business and lived at Coddington Hall. John Somerled was a Captain with the 2nd Btn.Scots Guards, and was killed at the Somme in France on Friday 15th September 1916, aged 44, while temporarily acting as commander. It was after John Somerled's death that the family decided to sell the estate in 1918.

Col. Harold Thorpe D.S.O. The 3rd son b. 17th April 1875 Coddington died 1st December 1953 Coddington. In 1902 he inherited from his father "a specific share in the business". In World War 1 he became a Colonel and earned a DSO in the Sherwood Rangers Yeomanry. When he retired from the army he was a farmer at Coddington Moor and in fact he owned some of the land that Morgans Close was built on. From 1928 he is listed as a justice of the peace.

Brigadier General Gervase Thorpe D.S.O. The 5th son of James & Anne Thorpe was born on the 10th June 1877 in Argyll. He was a Brigadier General in the Argyll & Sutherland Highlanders; Gervase Served through Boer war and was severely wounded at the Battle of Paardeburg .

More details of the Thorpe family can be found on our web site

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NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

The ringmaster scheme is well up and running, and the communication between the control centre and the coordinators is good, but to get the maximum benefit from the scheme we could make use of email technology to get information around the village fast.

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IF YOU HAVE AN EMAIL ADDRESS AND WOULD LIKE TO BE KEPT INFORMED OF ANY CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES IN CODDINGTON PLEASE EMAIL FRANK ELLIOTT OR ANY COORDINATOR AND ASK TO BE PUT ON THE CIRCULATION LIST YOU WILL NOT BE CONTACTED WITH ANY OTHER INFORMATION ONLY NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

Anyone who is not on the Internet will be contacted by Fax, Phone or personal contact by your coordinator. If you are not being contacted by any of the above means please ring Wendy Parrett Tel. 672686 or Frank Elliott Tel. 671424.

We still require coordinators in the following areas, BALDERTON LANE and Coddington residents in the NEW-BURY RD AREA. If you would like to become a coordinator please contact Mrs Wendy Parrett Tel: 672687

Will all co-coordinators please check that your details overleaf are correct and notify Wendy of any changes i.e email addresses etc.

Neighbourhood Watch

All the co-ordinators are listed below

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NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH

At the recent Neighbourhood Watch meeting, P.C. Bakin updated us on the developments relating to the fire and vandalism on Thorpe Oaks 'green' play area and the letter boxes, but would still like to hear from anyone that may still have information, however small.

Concerns were raised by residents regarding the safety of the area and felt it needed more lighting, the mobile camera and the shrubbery removing from around the base of the trees, contact to be made with the relevant authorities.

It was also felt that if residents kept a note of any anti social behaviour, dates, times, names or descriptions and Registration Nos. and descriptions of any vehicles driving over the 'green', this could be passed to either NHW Co-ordinator or direct to P.C.Bakin.

P.C. Bakin suggested inviting Lynne Pallett, the Anti Social Behaviour Officer to a future meeting to explain procedure regarding ASBO's and Trevor Timpson, the Crime Prevention Officer to advise how to legally keep your home safe.

Concern was also raised that because of the fire and destruction of the small children's play area, this would greatly delay plans for any equipment for the older children and urged everyone to be vigilant.

Next meeting to be arranged after Christmas.

Wendy Parrett (Chief Co-ordinator)

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