

CODDINGTON COMMUNITY  
NEWS  
JUNE  
SPECIAL EDITION

**Golden Garden**  
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# **CODDINGTON**

# **GOLDEN GARDEN**



# **COMPETITION**

**Judging will take place early July 2004**

**No entry form required - all gardens  
in Coddington visible from the road  
will be considered.**

**For further information or to enter  
your hidden garden,  
Telephone Isobel Turner on 708781**



# **BEST KEPT VILLAGE 2004**

**The Coddington Parish Council  
have put the village forward to  
take part in the competition  
again.**

## **Coddington School Fair**

**Saturday 3rd July**

**B B Q Strawberries & Cream**

**Bouncy Castle**

**Games**

**Stalls**



## **‘GRAVEL PIT’, BALDERTON LANE, CODDINGTON.**

**Parishioners may be aware that over the last two years, both Mr and Mrs Graham Page have sadly died. Whilst they lived at Moat View, they were unofficial guardians and maintenance people of the little wood that has been created on the old Gravel Pit. We have just enjoyed the daffodils and snowdrops that June planted and soon the bluebells will be out.**

**It has been suggested that in recognition of the Page's contribution to nature conservation interests, both in the village and Newark as a whole, this area of woodland could be renamed ‘Page’s Wood’**

**Coddington Parish Council would be pleased to receive any views on this suggestion, not later than the end of July, to the Clerk, 2 Randall Close, Newark, NG24 2LF or E-mail: phemphill1@ntlworld.com**

### **WELL GREEN COMMUNITY CLUB**

**Well green is very much alive and doing well! On March 1<sup>st</sup> we took 48 to the Durham Ox at Wellow for lunch, followed in April by going to Gates’ Nurseries where we enjoyed a very nice tea, after a look around at the flowers and plants. Our next trip out is June 2<sup>nd</sup> which is to Louth for Fish and Chips. (Market day)**

**With generous donations from our members we raised £192.30 in aid of the Lifeboats. We then sponsored the pilots of the Air Ambulance who ran the London Marathon and raised £150.50.**

**On June 26<sup>th</sup> we are holding a Garden Fete in aid of Nottinghamshire Kidney Appeal, a very worthy cause. There will be stalls, raffle and games for the children. We hope people will attend and help us raise funds for the very needy appeal.**

**We continue to enjoy ourselves but also try to help as many good causes that we can. Meanwhile we go on our merry way; pensioners we may be, but were are very young in heart.**

**ISOBEL ALLEN  
SOCIAL SECRETARY**

**LE CLUB FRANCAIS  
'FRENCH BREAKFAST'**

**3 JULY 2004  
Coddington Village Hall  
10 am – 11 am**

***to include, traditional French buffet – breakfast and French qu  
with prizes, games and songs.***

**Adults = £5.50 Children = £4.50  
Family Ticket = £16.00 (2 adults, 2 children)**

***With only a limited number of spaces available apply early***  
**More info: contact: Mary Simmonite (01476 561008)  
Hazel Eaton-Knight (01476 402786)**

**CODDINGTON CHURCH FAYRE**

**Saturday 17th July**

**2 pm — 4 pm**

**At**

**Church Cottages**

**1<sup>st</sup> CODDINGTON SCOUT NEWS**

**This year David and I reach retirement age and we can no longer hold warrant with the Scout Association, so there is a vacancy for the post Group Scout Leader.**

**We have been with the Group since 1987 when I took on the Cub Scout Leaders Warrant and at the time David helped when his shifts allowed. That was it he was back in Scouting again!!!**

**Since then we have had a full and very happy time seeing many young people progress through to adulthood.**

**If there is anyone out there that has some time to give to young people please contact Dave Hedge on 673663 for Job Description.**

**Jane Hedge  
Retiring Ass. Group Scout Leader.**



# CODDINGTON PARISH COUNCIL

## INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 MARCH 2004

<b>2002/2003</b>		<b>2003/2004</b>
<b>£</b>	<b><u>INCOME:</u></b>	<b>£</b>
8196.00	Precepts 2003/4	9500.00
9.76	Gross Interest 2003/4	48.93
-	VAT	-
105.50	Allotment Rent	95.00
88.50	Donations – Xmas Celebes	-
10.00	Income Advert – CCN	-
1848.69	NCC - grasscutting allowance	1980.93
71.50	Statement Voucher refund	-
-	BK Village	6.00
-	B K Village Prize	125.00
<b>10329.95</b>	<b>TOTAL INCOME:</b>	<b>11755.86</b>
	<b><u>EXPENDITURE:</u></b>	
2118.34	Clerk's Salary + Expenses	2204.00
454.15	Village H Person's Salary	516.75
167.50	Office Expenses	148.20
1645.60	General Expenses	1458.98
1647.68	Environment Expenses	2043.43
307.37	Allotment & O. Space Exps.	475.83
308.50	S137 Payments	866.00
391.00	CCN Expenses	399.34
669.26	VAT	694.90
1236.30	Project/Grants Expenses	1010.06
2000.00	Burial Fund account	2000.00
<b>10945.70</b>	<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURE:</b>	<b>11817.49</b>
<b>INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FUNDS:</b>		
	Balance at 1 April 2003	3680.80
	Add Total Income	11755.86
	Less Total Expenditure	
	<b>Balance at 31 March 2004</b>	<b>3619.17</b>

The above statement represents fairly the financial position of the authority at 31 March 2004 and reflects its income and expenditure during the year.

## NOTES TO ACCOUNTS - 31 MARCH 2004

### 1. Assets

At 31 March 2004, the following assets were held by the Parish Council:

Gravel Pit, Balderton Lane, Coddington (valued at nominal Value)	£1.0
Village Seat, Brownlow's Hill, Coddington (Replacement value)	£500.0
Village Sign, corner Newark Road, Sleaford Road, Coddington (Replacement value)	£2000.0
Escom Computer (valued at cost)	£1133.0
Notice Board – Coddington Village Hall (Replacement value)	£500.0
Notice Board – Junction Lancaster Road/Newark Road (Replacement value)	£600.0

### 2. Tenancies:

During the year the following tenancies were held

Council as Landlord -

Allotments: 13 allotments of which 11½ are let at various rents.

Council as Tenant -

Newark & Sherwood District Council £100.0

### 3. S137 Payments:

The limited of spending under S137 of the Local Government Act 1972 for t  
Council in the year of account was £3482.50 and the payments made were:

Coddington CE Primary and Nursery School	£20.0
Royal British Legion	£36.0
DARE	£210.0
Coddington History Group	£100.0
N&SDC – Thorpe Close Play Equipment/Area	£500.0

### 4. Debts Outstanding:

At the year-end debts of £464.64 Vat were outstanding for the period 1 April  
to

31 March 2002 and £669.26 for the period 1 April 2002 to 31 March 2003 ar  
£694.90 for period ended 31 March 2004.

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**BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31 MARCH 2004 FOR THE YEAR ENDED  
31 MARCH 2004**

**31 March 2003**

**31 March 2004**

£

£

**LONG TERM ASSETS**

- Investments

**CURRENT ASSETS**

1133.90 Debtors 1828.80

- Prepayments -

3680.80 Cash at Bank 3619.17

5054.25 Burial Fund Acc 7096.98

**9868.95 TOTAL ASSETS 12544.95**

**CURRENT LIABILITIES**

- Creditors -

- Receipts in advance -

- Temporary borrowng -

**NET ASSETS 12544.95**

**REPRESENTED BY:**

- General Fund Balance 5447.97

- Long Term borrowing -

- Capital Reserve -

- Earmarked Reserves: -

- Burial Fund Balance 7096.98

**12544.95**

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**COMPLETION OF THE MILLENNIUM GARDEN**

<b>Balance left after fundraising + Millennium celebrations</b>	<b>£1375.00</b>
<b>WREN grant</b>	<b>£3475.00</b>
<b>Coddington Parish Council grant.</b>	<b>£ 167.00</b>
<b>Total cost of project.</b>	<b><u>£5017.00</u></b>

With the balance of the money left after various Millennium celebrations in the village, we managed to get a grant from WREN's, with a small contribution from Coddington Parish Council. This enabled us to turn the grassed area on the corner of Newark Road/C208, opposite the School into a Garden and Rest Area.

After some initial maintenance, it is hoped that the Garden will mature in a pleasurable corner in the village.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who contributed their time and efforts to fund raising, participation in events and members of the Committee, for their support

**W M PARRETT**

**CHAIRMAN – CODDINGTON VILLAGE MILLENNIUM COMMITTEE.**