

Willoughby**2012****2nd -24th June****It's for you!!
don't miss it**

Willoughby Monthly

Volume 5: June 2012

Welcome to the June edition of the WM.

The preparation and waiting are nearly over Willoughby 2012 is about to start. I hope there is something in the programme that you will enjoy.

On the 9th June we will be making the village mosaic the design has about 4,000 tiles in it !! come and add some tiles and be able to say 'I did some of that'. Hopefully when it is finished it will be mounted on the outside of the Village Hall. More about W2012 inside.

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03-Jun-12	10:30 AM		W2012 - Leam Valley Novelty Dog Show	Lower St
03-Jun-12	6:00 PM	Church	Songs of Praise with Bishop Christopher	Church
04-Jun-12	12:30 PM	Willoughby Society	W2012 - Big Jubilee Lunch	The Marquee
08-Jun-12	7:30 PM	Willoughby Society	W2012 - Brassed Up!!	The Big Top
09-Jun-12	10:30 AM	Willoughby Society	W2012 - Arts Day	Big Top
09-Jun-12	7:30 PM	Church	W2012 - Viva Italia !!	Big Top
10-Jun-12	11:00 AM	Church	Family Service	Church
14-Jun-12	2:30 PM	Thursday Club	Garden Party	The Willows
15-Jun-12	7:30 PM	Willoughby Society	W2012 - Beowulf	Big Top
16-Jun-12	10:30 AM	Willoughby Society	W2012 - Heritage day	Big Top
16-Jun-12	7:30 PM	Willoughby Society	W2012 - Folk Night	Big Top
17-Jun-12	12:00 AM	Church	Evensong	Church
17-Jun-12		W.C.C.	W2012 - Village Cricket Day	Cricket Pavilion
19-Jun-12	7:30 PM	Broadwell Church	Healing CoGS Broadwell	Broadwell
21-Jun-12	12:30 PM	Thursday Club	Pub Lunch at The Blue Lias	Stockton
21-Jun-12	7:30 PM	Women's Institute	Life & Laughter Mrs. Barber	Village Hall
23-Jun-12	2:00 PM	Willoughby PC	Willoughby Village Fete	Playing Field
24-Jun-12	12:00 AM	Church	Holy Communion	Church
24-Jun-12		Willoughby PC	Willoughby Challenge Inter Village Football	Playing Field
24-Jun-12		Willoughby Society	Willoughby Weekend Teas & Cake	Village Hall
30-Jun-12	5.00pm	Church	Family Communion	Church

Thursday Club

Our coffee morning for **Help For Heroes** on 12th May was a great success and raised £430 for this very worthy cause. Thank you to all those who came along and especially to those of you who were kind enough to make all those wonderful cakes and gave so many plants. Well done Willoughby and thanks again.

We are almost halfway through the year, and as has become traditional our normal June meeting takes the form of a Garden Party. Members really enjoy this event every June and this year we will be welcomed into the garden of Dorothy and Bert Ogle.

It will be held, as always on our regular meeting day which this year is Thursday June 14th We look forward to welcoming you all at 2.30 when we plan to serve some tasty refreshments in what we know will be a delightful setting on a beautiful summer afternoon. We can be sure of the refreshments and absolutely certain about the setting, but if anyone has any influence on the weather we would appreciate their help. We will have a raffle for which donations would be greatly appreciated, and a plant stall, and look forward to a very enjoyable afternoon.

Our pub lunch for June will be on the 21st at the Blue Lias at Stockton. Weather permitting we will be able to enjoy post lunch coffee out on the terrace. A sign up sheet and menu selection sheet will be available at the Garden Party, or you can contact Norman on 890623. Please remember that he has to give final numbers to the pub on Monday June 18th.

We will than have a break so that we can all enjoy the summer and our meetings will resume on September 13th when we will have a social afternoon. In October we are having a presentation about the work of the Land Army in World War Two and our speaker has asked for volunteers from among our members to model some of the uniforms worn. Please contact Betty on 890623 if you are willing to do this, it should be good fun.

VACC

The wait for the Crematorium application to go to the planning committee goes on. The next possible date is 13th June. We will find out 10 days before whether it's on the agenda. We will let everyone know if it is on the agenda.

Willoughby Cricket Club

It may have been a damp start to the cricket season in Willoughby, but the junior cricketers have been busy with their weekend coaching and game sessions.

WCC offer cricket for boys and girls of all ages, from Kwik Cricket for 6-11 year olds, plus 'hard ball' midweek league cricket with teams at under 11, 13 and 15 age groups.

Willoughby still have spaces for 2-3 players in both the Under 13 and 15 teams, so if there are any boys or girls in the village interested in playing, please don't hesitate to get in touch And remember, players do not have to come from within the village to play!

If any grandparents, aunts or uncles know of any younger relatives who may be interested in getting involved, we would love to see them and welcome them.

Contact Karl on 01788 542441, mobile 07775 883102 or email at karl@karlquinney.co.uk

The Willoughby CC website can be found at www.willoughbycc.org.uk

For details of forthcoming home fixtures at The Green visit the club website or look at the poster in the noticeboard on the bus shelter by the Village Hall.

Half Lotto Winners: 7 April M.Henson M Hubbard - £10; 14 April B Hall E Palmer - £10; 21 April B Roach-£10; 28 April B Ogle -£10; 5 May R Honess £10; & 12 May B Roach B Hallam B Hawkins D McKnight-£10.

All matched 2 numbers to win £10, There were no recent £30 winners.

Next 'Super Draw' Saturday 3rd June. Match 3 £100 - Match 2 win £30

Willoughby Society 1962-2012

The Society is at the heart of the Willoughby 2012 events in June and has one other on the afternoon of the Willoughby Challenge, 24th June. This year we will be serving Tea, coffee, & cakes from 3 pm. We would very much appreciate the donation of cakes for this event. As well as a great opportunity to chat about the highs and lows of Willoughby 2012 we hope to be able to unveil the finished Willoughby Mosaic.

Photographic Competition

Disappointingly, very few entries have been received as we go to press. The closing date has been extended to the 8th June so that photographs of Jubilee Weekend can be entered. Photographs of Willoughby people, places, flora & fauna are all eligible. Prints can be any size or you can submit a digital image. Entries to Richard Jackson (Hazeldene, Main St. or richard.jackson@willoughbyweb.net. Don't forget there is a prize of £25 to be won !!!

Willoughby 2012

The 2nd June Grand Opening Event is intended to be a real celebration of the Society's first 50 years as well as the Queen's Jubilee and the start of our month of events. There will be various activities for both children and adults until about 7pm, then the buffet, followed by music and dancing with the disco and live band.

Sunday morning is the Novelty Dog Show (information from Ken Miles 899230) and in the evening there is the special Songs of Praise service at the church.

Monday 4th is our Big Jubilee Lunch (let Clare Hewitt know if you are going to bring your picnic and join in). Commemorative mugs will be handed out to all the children 16 and under who live in the village (parents please advise Richard Jackson of the full names and ages of your child(ren)).

If you haven't bought advance tickets for the four evening concerts you can still purchase them at £7.50 for each concert - contact Richard Jackson.

During the 'Arts' Saturday (9th June) in addition to making the village mosaic there will be displays of art and craft work as well as people actually doing various activities ready to tell you how it is done and especially for the children giving you the chance to have a go. There are free watercolour workshops for children 9+ on Saturday and free Children's Theatre workshops on Sunday afternoon but you must book places for these with Amelia Tankard on 890565.

The Vikings will be camped in the village for Heritage weekend and on Saturday (16th June) from 10.30-4.00 pm invite you to visit their encampment to see something of their way of life. They will be showing how they fought and maybe even allow the children of Willoughby to take them on !!! As well as displays of old agricultural machinery the Big Top will have lots of material on display about our village and the people who lived here. Other local history groups will be coming too so you will be able to get a glimpse of the world of our predecessors.

On Sunday its village Cricket see the cricket club flyer for more details.

Saturday 23rd June is the Village Fête includes races, games, and sideshows as usual starting at 2pm. The Willoughby Challenge children's inter-village football is on Sunday 24th. There will be the Willoughby Society Tea and Cakes from 3pm. All being well the new village mosaic will be unveiled too.

Willoughby Women's Institute

Our June meeting is on Thursday 21st at 7:30 pm in the Village Hall. Our speaker is Mrs. Barber who will be talking about 'Life and Laughter'.

The competition is for a photograph of you as a baby!!!

Visitors are always welcome to join us for the evening.

Members are reminded that we are holding our Group summer picnic in the Big Top on the 14th June 1pm - 4pm.

Willoughby Parish Council

It was disappointing that only seven members of the public attended the Annual Parish Meeting in the Village Hall on the 24th of April.

There is an increase in dog mess around the Village again. It is the owner's responsibility to clean up after their dog and they can be fined for not doing so. Unfortunately it seems that this will only improve if offenders are prosecuted. If you see fouling occurring then please report it to the Parish Council who will take the necessary action and those reporting it will not be named.

Thank you to all those people who have completed and returned the Parish Survey. The results will be analysed shortly. If anyone who has not completed their survey yet and wishes to do so, please drop it in to Mike Thomas at Church View, Lower Street. If you have mislaid the form and require another copy please phone Mike on 891338 who will arrange to get another copy to you. It is important that as many people as possible complete the survey as it is your views that need to be considered.

LOST - A silver and Marcasite ring on Saturday 12th May (Help the Heroes Coffee Morning) in the Village Hall or left side of Main Street toward the A45.

If found please call 891318

Neighbourhood Watch & Police

Many of you will be aware that we had a few incidents of theft/attempted theft in the early part of May and we have heard of others in the wider area. Precautions:

- **don't** leave valuables in your car and make sure it's locked up.
- Make sure the doors and windows of your home are secure whenever you are out and overnight. Check that alarms and CCTV if you have them are working

If you see anything suspicious do let the Police know.

Our Neighbourhood Watch is in the process of organising a meeting to discuss crime prevention, Neighbourhood Watch, and how Willoughby can be kept safe. Details will be circulated as soon as possible.

Our Police Community Support Officer is PCSO 6149 Helena Steadman and our Police Constable is PC 1534 Lee Maughan. They can be contacted on 01788 853851 this is the Safer Neighbourhood Team number so will reach a team member on duty quickly.

Neighbourhood Watch contact: Rachel Settle (Co-ordinator) can be contacted by telephone on 01788 823823 (daytime) or 01788 890724 (evening & answerphone) or e-mail neighbourhood.watch@willoughbyweb.net.

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Copies of the WM can be sent by e-mail or produced with large print on request.

Do let me have your ideas for improving the WM and, of course, any articles/notices you have for your fellow villagers. The deadline for submission of items for publication in the next edition is the 15th of the month. Send them to:

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Village web site: www.willoughbyweb.net

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11-Jul-12	Willoughby Society	Car Rally	
24/09/12	Women's Institute	Theatre trip to Calendar Girls	