

COXWOLD NEWSLETTER
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Happy New Year!

Coxwold, along with the rest of North Yorkshire, is in Covid Tier 3 with effect from December 31st. This may affect the opening arrangements of some of the entries in the Newsletter

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www.coxwoldvillage.org

COXWOLD VILLAGE HALL

None of us will be sorry to put 2020 behind us. We really hope that we can start meeting safely again very soon. Maybe you are full of ideas for how we can see more of each other in 2021, do let us know! A lot of new residents have come to Coxwold over the last five years and it would be lovely to welcome some new faces into the Hall or onto the Committee - we really could do with some renewed energy! Please contact Anne on 868719 or coxwoldvillagehall@gmail.com. Meantime, please continue to raise funds for Coxwold Playing Field Association when you shop online through Easy Fundraising (www.easyfundraising.org.uk). It costs you nothing, but makes a big difference to what we can do! With lots of love from everyone involved in the Coxwold Playing Field Association.

COXWOLD PARISH COUNCIL

Following the sad death of Malcolm Hewitt, a vacancy has arisen for Parish Councillor. The post will be advertised in the New Year in accordance with current regulations. Coxwold Parish Council would like to take this opportunity to express their sincere thanks to his family for the work and support Malcolm gave to the council and the village during his five years of office. He will be sadly missed.

ROAD CLOSURE

The County Council will undertake essential highway maintenance and drainage work on the road between Thirkleby and Coxwold (Thirsk Bank) starting **4 January 2021** for a period of eight weeks. This will mean a full road closure from Mondays to Fridays. The road will open only at weekends from Friday evening through to Monday morning. For more information and alerts, please phone 01609 780780 or visit: www.northyorks.gov.uk/article/30550/Public-notice.

COMMUNITY INITIATIVE

Community First Yorkshire has launched #DonateLocal; a campaign across North Yorkshire to support charities and community groups. Following the 'support' and 'buy' local movements for economic recovery, this winter they are encouraging people to donate to a local charity, be it through money, time or skills, and to give what they can, no matter how small, to help charities keep going for the benefit of those who need them. By keeping it local you are helping your own community financially, emotionally and socially, and you will be able to

see the direct impact of your actions. To find out how you can #DonateLocal visit www.communityfirstyorkshire.org.uk/projects/donatelocal.

CENSUS 2021

The census is a once-in-a-decade survey that gives us information about all the households in the United Kingdom. It has been carried out every decade since 1801, with the exception of 1941. The next census will take place on **21 March 2021**. By taking part you will help to ensure that you and your community get the services you need. The census can be completed online or on paper (hard copy). Help will be available if needed from your Parish Council: North Yorkshire County Council community engagement staff will also be on hand throughout the census with resources, advice and practical support to help everyone to take part. Updates will be available from your Parish Council nearer the time as more information becomes available. You can also read more about the census at www.census.gov.uk/. Follow the census @census2021 on Twitter and Facebook.

ANANDINI YOGA

Face-to-face classes are still on! Thursdays, 6.00-7.00pm at Coxwold Village Hall. BOOKING ESSENTIAL! Alternatively, Anandini Yoga is still online via a live stream. Suitable for all abilities. Unlimited access to classes throughout the week for the price of just one session: £9 per week or £35 for five consecutive weeks. Contact Verity on 07821 588117, anandiniyoga@hotmail.com or see www.anandiniyoga.co.uk. for more information.

RUMAH HOME GIFTS, TEA, AND B&B

Please note our revised opening times for January and February: Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays only, 11.00am - 4.30pm.

We offer an original range of unique gifts, soft furnishings and lighting. There is something for everyone. The tearoom serves delicious homemade soup, sausage rolls, cakes and scones. Our delightful and comfortable B & B accommodation and holiday cottage are open all year round. We are following all government guidelines to make your visit as safe as possible.

Phone 868138 or email rumahhome.tearooms.bandb@gmail.com.

COFFEE AT COXWOLD POTTERY

As soon as I get my coffee machine plumbed in (still hopeful that the delay to proceedings won't be much longer!), I will be offering teas, coffees, hot chocolates and a small selection of sweet treats in the pop-up café at Coxwold Pottery. Look out for the roadside sign to say that I am up and running! pottersyardcoffee@gmail.com.

MOONSHINE ICE CREAM

Moonshine in Winter: Christmas Pudding, Xmas Ice, King's Ginger, Brandy Snap, Damson Gin, and introducing The Three Wise Whisky's. Checkout the full winter range of outrageously delicious selections from Moonshine Ice Cream. Follow us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter. Available from the Fauconberg Shop or contact us directly on 868864 or info@moonshineicecream.co.uk for specific orders. See the whole current range at www.moonshineicecream.co.uk.

THORNTON'S BAKEHOUSE AND BUTCHER'S

A third-generation family-run local business, we specialise in handcrafted pork pies, pastries and high-quality, local meats. Our shop is open in Easingwold, Mondays to Fridays 7.00am to 3.00pm, and Saturdays 7.00am to 1.00pm. We offer delivery to Coxwold for a £15 minimum spend. Contact John on 821666 or visit www.thorntonsbakehouse.com.

FARM GATE FARM SHOP

Free local deliveries to your door of our home-grown free-range meat, organic unhomogenised milk, cream, butter and buttermilk, organic fruit and veg, and lots more local artisan produce. See our website www.farmgatefarmshop.com for our full range, email sales@farmgatefarmshop.com, or phone 868894 / 07759 609106

FAUCONBERG ARMS

Restaurant and rooms are open for booking at reservations.fauconbergarms@gmail.com Alternatively, you can order a take-away online. Please phone 868214 or see the website www.fauconbergarms.com for details. And don't forget, the Shop at the back is open Monday to Saturday 9.00am to 5.00pm and Sunday 9.00am to 3.00pm.

POND HEAD BOARDING KENNELS

If you need a place to put your pooch for luxury boarding or doggy day-care, Pond Head Boarding Kennels is now open for booking. Please contact Georgia on 07712 256627 for more details or visit www.pondheadkennels.co.uk/.

And a Happy New Year to all our readers!