

**COXWOLD NEWSLETTER**  
**November / December 2019**



**Shandy Hall by Candlelight: A Glimpse of Christmas Past**

A chance to experience Shandy Hall by firelight and candlelight, as it was in days gone by. Discover the history of the house, and the families who have lived there over nearly 600 years. The Christmas tour of Shandy includes an opportunity to see hidden parts of the Hall rarely seen by the public. Afterwards, join us by the fire in the Old Kitchen for a glass of mulled wine or hot ginger, and mince pies. See inside for more information.

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## COXWOLD VILLAGE HALL

### Regular Events:

Bridge Club: Tuesdays 7.30 – 9.30pm, contact Anne on T: 868719.

Coffee Morning: first Wednesday of the month, 10.30 – 11.30am  
(**6 November**; **4 December**).

Soup and Sandwich Lunch: Third Wednesday of the month, 12.00 – 1.00pm (**20 November**; **18 December**).

Art Group: Mondays 1.30 – 3.30pm. Coxwold Art Group welcomes new members at any time! Currently, up to 10 of us meet to draw and paint in watercolour, acrylics and pastels. Sessions cost £2.50 or £25 for the 12-week term; tea and biscuits provided. The last session this term is **2 December**. Next year, we start again on **6 January**. Come along, try us! Contact John on T: 868122 or E: [jdr40130@gmail.com](mailto:jdr40130@gmail.com).

### Upcoming Events:

Bridge Afternoon: **15 November**, 1.30 – 5.00pm

Join us for Rubber Bridge, plus afternoon tea, prizes and a raffle. Tickets: £12.50, in aid of Yorkshire Air Ambulance and Coxwold Playing Field Association. Book with Chris on T: 07549 154216.

Homemade and Vintage Christmas Pop-up Shop: **29 November** (6.00 – 9.00pm); **30 November** and **1 December** (10.00am – 4.00pm)

Festive pop-up shop selling beautiful and unique gifts and homeware. Enjoy our homemade cakes and pastries, hot and cold drinks at our vintage tearoom. There will also be wreath-making workshops on all three days with the brilliant Maisie Jackson from the Flower Barn. For more details and to book, please contact Maisie on T: 07931 731213 or E: [flowerbarnyork@gmail.com](mailto:flowerbarnyork@gmail.com).

Christmas Brunch: **8 December** 10.30am – 12.30pm

Our annual three-course Christmas brunch with friends and neighbours! Come and celebrate the festive season with us! Adults: £12.50, Children under 14: free. Please book with Paul on T: 868780 / E: [paulturner11@icloud.com](mailto:paulturner11@icloud.com)) or Anne on T: 868719 / E: [coxwoldvillagehall@gmail.com](mailto:coxwoldvillagehall@gmail.com)). Please book by 5 December.

## COXWOLD PARISH COUNCIL

The next meeting will be at 7.00pm on **Wednesday 13 November** in Coxwold Village Hall. All welcome.

## ANANDINI YOGA

Thursdays, 6.00 – 7.00pm at Coxwold Village Hall. Booking essential.

Special Event: Yin Yoga on **15 December**, 10.00 – 11.30am. Please contact Verity for more information on T: 07821 588117 or E: [anandiniyoga@hotmail.com](mailto:anandiniyoga@hotmail.com). W: [www.anandiniyoga.co.uk](http://www.anandiniyoga.co.uk).

## COXWOLD VILLAGE MARKET

Christmas Markets: **Saturday 23 November** and **Sunday 22 December**, 10.00am – 1.00pm at Coxwold Village Hall. Stallholders include florists, bee keepers, butchers, bakers... After stocking up on local produce, sit down for a spot of breakfast, brunch or a light lunch at The Market Café. E: [coxwoldvillagemarket@gmail.com](mailto:coxwoldvillagemarket@gmail.com)  
W: [www.coxwoldvillagemarket.com](http://www.coxwoldvillagemarket.com).

## ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Christmas Services for Coxwold

We would love you to join us in church for our Christmas services. Everyone is welcome - bring a friend, the more the merrier!

**Carol Service** in Church on **Saturday 21 December** at 5.30pm

**Crib Service** in Church on **Christmas Eve** at 6.00pm

**Family Holy Communion** in Church on **Christmas Day** at 10.30am

There are also various services at our other churches, to which you are equally welcome. In particular, there will be a Midnight Service at Crayke church at 11.30pm on **Christmas Eve**.

## SHANDY HALL BY CANDLELIGHT

Christmas tours on **14, 15, 21, and 22 December** (Saturdays and Sundays) at 4.00pm. Tickets: £16.00. Numbers are limited, so book early to avoid disappointment: [www.laurenceternetrust.org.uk](http://www.laurenceternetrust.org.uk) (What's On page) or contact Chris and Patrick on T: 868465 for more details.

## CHRISTMAS CAROLS

We will be singing Christmas carols around the village on **Friday 20 December**, commencing at 6.30pm outside Coxwold Tearooms, with a grand finale in the Fauconberg Arms. As usual, we will be collecting for the local food bank and would be grateful for any cash donations. If you want to join in, please contact Sharon on T: 07464 973987 or E: [sharondavidson15@gmail.com](mailto:sharondavidson15@gmail.com).

## Fundraising Dinner

Saturday 16 November, 7:15pm  
Coxwold Village Hall

£30 per head to include a welcome drink, canapés, and a two-course dinner. Why not invite a table of friends to join you?

To raise money for a Cranial Ultrasound System for Leeds General Infirmary. RSVP: [nellybirdpress@gmail.com](mailto:nellybirdpress@gmail.com)

## **RUMAH HOME TEAROOM AND B&B**

**Christmas Shopping Evening**, Friday 8 November, 4.00 – 8.00 pm.

Come and see our unique and original range of Christmas gifts and decorations for your home. Mulled wine and mince pies too!

Tearooms and shop open: Wednesday to Sunday 11.00am – 4.30pm

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W: [www.thecoxwold.co.uk](http://www.thecoxwold.co.uk)

## **MOONSHINE ICE CREAM**

The winter selections are now available from The Market Café at Coxwold Village Market, or order direct from Simon and Helen on:

T: 868864 or E: [info@moonshineicecream.co.uk](mailto:info@moonshineicecream.co.uk). Home delivery for

16oz tubs: £4.50 within the village; £5.00 for outlying villages.

## **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 new shop is now open on Chapel Street, Easingwold! Visit us from Monday to Friday: 7.00am to 3.00pm, or on Saturday: 7.00am to 1.00pm.

Contact John on T: 821666. W: [www.thorntonsbakehouse.com](http://www.thorntonsbakehouse.com).

## **FARM GATE FARM SHOP**

Farm Shop on the farm open Saturdays: 10.00 am – 1.00 pm, and at Coxwold Market. We deliver to Coxwold for free on Thursday afternoons in our insulated, zipped secure baskets, so you don't have to be home when we deliver. We offer a large and ever-growing range of locally-produced foods, as well as our own free-range meats.

E: [farmgatefarmshop@hotmail.com](mailto:farmgatefarmshop@hotmail.com); T: 868894 / 07759 609106;

W: [www.farmgatefarmshop.com](http://www.farmgatefarmshop.com).

## ***HOLY MOLY & THE CRACKERS***

Coxwold Village Hall

Friday 13 December, Doors open: 7.30pm 'til late

Open Bar/Gin Bar

Tickets in advance only: £15

Contact: Anne Le Gassicke

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