

COXWOLD NEWSLETTER August 2020



Coxwold Open Gardens Online

A reminder that you can still “visit” many of Coxwold’s lovely hidden gardens from the comfort of your home! Just navigate your way to the Coxwold village website (www.coxwoldvillage.org) and click on the link to the virtual open gardens video under ‘Latest News’ or go to https://youtu.be/09Y9-1g_ymw. It is well worth a watch!

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www.coxwoldvillage.org

COXWOLD VILLAGE HALL

We will be holding our first socially-distanced **coffee morning** at Coxwold Village Hall on **Wednesday 5 August**, 10.30-11.30am. We look forward to catching up with some of you again!

The playground has now re-opened. If your children do come down to play, please ensure that they follow the guidance which is displayed at the entrance to the playground.

If you have ideas for things you would like to see happening in our village hall or on the playing field, or you would like to join the committee, please get in touch by E: coxwoldvillagehall@gmail.com.

Coxwold Art Group

The village hall committee has suggested that the art group can continue, providing the following precautions are taken:

- We use the whole of the main hall,
- We each bring our own recently-cleaned table/chair,
- We each bring our own materials, including container/s for water,
- We access and leave the hall through the rear fire door,
- We each bring our own refreshments, if so wished,
- Hand sanitizer will be provided.

Given the above, the autumn term will start at 1.30pm on **Monday 21 September** and will continue to **7 December**, inclusive. We will discuss methods of payment at the first session. I look forward to welcoming you all back. New members very welcome. Contact: John Robinson (group co-ordinator) T: 868122 or E: jdr40130@gmail.com.

COXWOLD PARISH COUNCIL

In June, John Robinson resigned from the parish council and, as there were no requests for an election, we have filled the vacancy by appointing Neil Baker. We thank John for his excellent service as a councillor over the past six years and welcome Neil onto our council. The next CPC meeting will be on **Wednesday 16 September** at 7.00pm in the village hall. All residents are most welcome to attend.

ST MICHAEL'S CHURCH

Worship in person is now permitted under certain guidelines, so services are beginning again. Holy Communion will be held at Coxwold Church on **Sunday 9 August** at 10.00am, as long as social distancing can be maintained. If you would like to attend, please let church warden Chris Stratton (T: 868854) know, so your place can be reserved. Go to <http://bylandchurches.net/> to find services, news and information.

Coxwold Organ Recital

The organ at Coxwold church was used as part of the online Ryedale Festival this year. It includes a fabulous programme of music with wonderful drone camera work. The video is available until 16 August at: <https://ryedalefestival.com/event/anna-lapwood-organ/>.

We still need a new church treasurer. If that sounds like you, please contact Revd Liz (T: 822809 or E: revliz@trundlebug.co.uk), or Chris Stratton (E: chstratton50@gmail.com). Thank you!

THE FAUCONBERG TRUST

This is a local charity that exists to help those in need. If you are under particular financial pressure at this time, contact Revd Liz (T: 822809, E: revliz@trundlebug.co.uk) or Chris (E: chstratton50@gmail.com) in confidence to find out about how to apply for a grant.

ANANDINI YOGA

Anandini Yoga is 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 T: 07821 588117 or E: anandiniyoga@hotmail.com for information about face-to-face classes. W: www.anandiniyoga.co.uk.

COXWOLD VILLAGE MARKET

Although the village market will not take place in August, we hope to reopen on **Saturday 26 September**, all being well. Follow us on Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter for regular updates, including news on our stallholders, many of whom are still operating. We hope to see you all again very soon. E: coxwoldvillagemarket@gmail.com; W: www.coxwoldvillagemarket.com.

SHANDY HALL

Shandy Hall Garden is again open to the public, with social distancing. (Adults: £3; children: free). We can open the gardens at any time by arrangement. Shandy Hall itself will not be able to open this season, so we will be taking the opportunity to do some necessary repairs. We post regularly on social media (Twitter: @LSterneTrust and Facebook: @LaurenceSterneTrust) and plan to develop our website. Please keep in touch! W: www.laurencesternetrust.org.uk. T: 868465.

COXWOLD TENNIS CLUB

The club is now open and play is continuing in line with LTA guidelines (see <https://www.lta.org.uk/> for details). We have discounted membership fees and are welcoming new members. Contact Sharon on T: 07464 973987 or E: coxwoldtennis1@gmail.com for details.

RUMAH HOME GIFTS TEA AND B&B

We are delighted to welcome all our customers back! The tearoom and garden are open again, but with limited seating. Serving Heavenly coffee and delicious home-baked cakes and scones. Our interiors shop is also open with a range of wonderful homewares and gifts. The comfortable bed and breakfast rooms are also available for booking. Our main priority is to keep our customers and staff safe, so we are maintaining a one-way system in the garden and a maximum of three customers in the shop at any one time. Open: Wednesdays to Sundays, 11.00am - 4.30pm. T: 868138.

MOONSHINE ICE CREAM

Have you tried our latest Organic Range? Along with our Moonshine fruit spirit and liqueur range, we now have zero-alcohol, 100% organic summer fruit, vanilla and chocolate ice creams that are amazingly, outrageously delicious! Follow Moonshine on Facebook and Instagram or contact us on T: 868864 for a tub. Or, shop local and get it from The Fauconberg Shop.

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 T: 821666.

W: 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 for our full range! E: sales@farmgatefarmshop.com; T: 868894 / 07759 609106; W: www.farmgatefarmshop.com.

FAUCONBERG ARMS

As of July 4, the restaurant and rooms are open for booking again. Alternatively, you can order a take-away online. Please see the website for details. Don't forget that the Fauconberg shop at the back carries a good range of food and household products. Shop open: Monday to Saturday 9.00am to 5.00pm; Sunday 9.00am to 3.00pm.

E: reservations.fauconbergarms@gmail.com; T: 868214;

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