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In order that we can distribute the Gazette at the beginning of each month, it is necessary to have a Deadline Date. The Deadline Dates for the next few months are as follows

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January	December 15th
February	January 15th

PLEASE NOTE

We cannot guarantee any entry but submission by the deadline is of considerable help.

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CHURCH SERVICES in Swaledale & Arkengarthdale

Sunday 1st November

- 9.15am St. Mary's, Muker
Eucharist
- 10.30am Low Row URC
Reeth Methodist
Holy Communion
- 11.00am Holy Trinity Low Row
Eucharist
St. Edmund's Marske
Family Service
Reeth Evangelical Congregational
- 2.30pm Gunnerside Methodist
Holy Communion
- 6.00pm St. Andrew's, Grinton
All Souls Memorial Service
- 6.30pm Reeth Evangelical Congregational

Wed. 11th November Remembrance Day

- 11.00am Reeth War Memorial
Act Of Remembrance

Sunday 15th November

- 9.15am St. Mary's, Muker
Holy Communion BCP
- 10.30am Low Row URC
Reeth Methodist
- 11.00am Holy Trinity Low Row
Eucharist
St. Edmund's, Marske
Eucharist
Reeth Evangelical Congregational
- 2.30pm Gunnerside Methodist
- 6.30pm St. Mary's Arkengarthdale
Evening Prayer BCP
Reeth Evangelical Congregational

26th November

- 7.30pm St. Andrew's, Grinton
Swaledale Christian Council Advent Service

29th November

- 10.30am St. Andrew's, Grinton
United Parish Eucharist : Preacher Dean of Ripon
Low Row URC
Holy Communion
Reeth Methodist
Holy Communion
- 11.00am St. Edmund's Marske
Eucharist
Reeth Evangelical Congregational
- 2.30pm Gunnerside Methodist
- 6.30pm Reeth Evangelical Congregational

Sunday 8th November

- 9.00am St. Andrew's, Grinton
Eucharist
St. Michael's, Downholme
Holy Communion
- 10.30am Reeth Methodist
- 10.45am St. Mary's Arkengarthdale
Remembrance Service and Laying of Wreath
- 10.50am St. Mary's, Muker
Remembrance Service and Eucharist
- 11.00am St. Edmund's, Marske
Morning Service
Reeth Evangelical Congregational
- 2.00pm Keld and Low Row URC
- 2.30pm Arkengarthdale Methodist
- 3.00pm St. Andrew's, Grinton
Remembrance Service
(Parade gathers in Reeth at 2pm)
- 6.30pm Reeth Evangelical Congregational

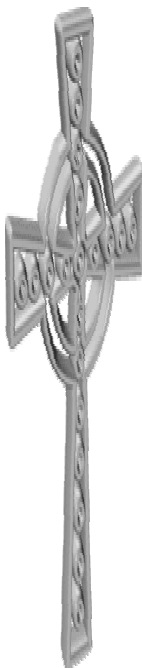
Sunday 22nd November

- 8.00am Holy Trinity Low Row
Holy Communion BCP
- 9.30am St. Andrew's, Grinton
Eucharist
St. Michael's, Downholme
Holy Communion
- 10.30am Low Row URC
Reeth Methodist
- 11.00am St. Edmund's Marske
Eucharist
Reeth Evangelical Congregational
- 11.15am St. Mary's Arkengarthdale
Holy Communion BCP
- 2.00pm Keld URC
- 2.30pm Arkengarthdale Methodist
- 6.30pm Reeth Evangelical Congregational

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"REMEMBRANCE DAY"

The Remembrance Day wreath laying is at 11 am on the 11th November at the War Memorial on Reeth Green. The Remembrance Day Church Service is at 3pm at St. Andrew's Church, Grinton with the Parade leaving Reeth at 2.30 pm on Sunday 8th November.

WENSLEYDALE DECORATIVE AND FINE ARTS SOCIETY**Georgians Behaving Badly**

Extraordinary people, avant garde art, underground music, exotic architecture, expensive food, inexhaustible entertainments and louche behaviour, are all described by David Coke, with contemporary comment and criticism, in *The Pleasure Gardens of Georgian London*. David is a former curator of Gainsborough's House, Suffolk; Chichester Museum and Pallant House, and a former Governor of the Coram Foundation and Trustee of the Foundling Museum. He has made contributions to many television and radio programmes and whilst living at Jervaulx was Chairman of Arts in Richmondshire. He will be speaking at the Wensleydale Decorative and Fine Arts Society lecture on Tuesday 10 November at 2.00pm in Middleham Key Centre Non-members are welcome at £5 per lecture and membership and further information is available from the Membership Secretary, tel. 01969 624203.

Christmas at Marrick, Sunday 6th December, 2009 at 7pm. Enjoy a candlelit evening of traditional song with light buffet and raffle. Tickets, at £7.00, available from Marrick Priory and Reeth Post Office, Transport available from Reeth and Richmond.

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WHAT'S ON IN**REETH MEMORIAL HALL**

Fri 13th November - 8pm - Kerfuffle -
one of the premier young folk acts in
the UK return to Reeth. Together since
2002, the group consists of brothers
Sam (fiddle, percussion, bagpipes and
vocals) and Tom Sweeney (bass and
vocals), Hannah James (accordion and
vocals), and Jamie Roberts (guitar and
vocals). Their vibrant arrangements draw
on influences from across Europe,
incorporating tunes, songs and dances.
They perform their music with immense
vitality and style. Support by Sarah Horn &

James Cudworth, an exciting young multi-instrumental duo - £10, door £12. Fri 4th December - 8pm - The Lark Rise Band featuring Ashley Hutchings (Fairport Convention, The Albion Band(s) Rainbow Chasers). This concert performance will present music, words, dance and song from the book, the plays and the TV series, celebrating a lost way of life so memorably captured by Flora Thompson in her trilogy, Lark Rise (1939), Over to Candleford (1941), and Candleford Green (1943) - now a TV series 'Lark Rise to Candleford'. 'A folk masterpiece' (The Daily Express), 'A must for your venue or festival' (The Telegraph). £13, door £15 Sat 12th December - 7.30pm - Home on the Range - (North Country Theatre). Subtitled From Wensleydale to the Wild West, an epic tale of struggle, endurance and buffalo droppings! This is the last night of the tour, so it should be a rather special night. Advance booking essential as the last four performances have all been sold out in advance! - £9, under 16's £4.50. Fri 18th December - 8pm - Jez Lowe & The Bad Pennies with special guests Benny Graham and Andrew Cadie - Geordie's Winter Almanac Radio Roadshow. Gather round the winter firesides of the cottages and terraces in the shadow of dockyard cranes and pit-wheels, for an evening of songs, tunes, recitations and comedy, with a backdrop of archive film and photographs. £13, on the door £15 Tickets from Reeth Post Office. For further details or reservations email or ring John Little - 01748 884759 or visit our website www.reethmemorialhall.co.uk

THE SWALEDALE MUSEUM

Although we are now closed until Easter 2010 work has now really only just begun.

We are planning an exhibition of local SAMPLERS for 2010 which will build upon our partnership with the Richmond and Leyburn Embroiderers' Guild. We hope you will let us know about local samplers to either photograph or borrow or both for the exhibition, plus we hope to have examples of the Guild's work. The exhibition will open for the Swaledale Festival in the last week of May. Do let us know if you would be happy for us to see your samplers! Don't forget to come to our November talk, by Marion Moverley on 'Plumbing the Line of the Croft Family' at 2pm in the Reeth Methodist Chapel Schoolroom. This is preceded by our AGM at 1 pm. We have already organised next year's programme of Friends of the Museum talks, the first of which we show below, so you can make a note in your diaries! The rest of the year's programme will be published in next month's Gazette.

27th. January: Janet Bishop, 'Death by Laudanum - Patent Medicines', 2pm Reeth Methodist Schoolroom. 17th. February: Helen Bainbridge, "Prehistoric City in Swaledale!" Antiquarian Discoveries in Swaledale and Arkengarthdale', 2pm Reeth Methodist Chapel Schoolroom. 31 March: Duncan Bythell: 'Swaledale: A Rural Backwater? Change and Decay 1890-1950', 2 pm Reeth Methodist Chapel Schoolroom. 14 April: Keith Sweetmore: 'Mapping Swaledale and Arkengarthdale', 7.30pm Swaledale Museum, Reeth.

Cost £3 for Friends and £4 for Visitors.

More info : 01748 884118 or
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REETH BONFIRE 2009

Open public bonfires are coming under increasing regulations, mainly from insurance companies. Last year the Fireworks Committee tried to have a bonfire made entirely of pallets so that its size could be regulated and it could be put out by the Fire Brigade at the end of the night. We simply failed as the fire did not burn as quickly as we had hoped and had to be left to die naturally. This year after much discussion with the Parish Council, there will be an open bonfire again but with the following restrictions : 1. No material is to be left on the Green until 1st November and the site will be closed when it is considered large enough. 2. An RDC skip will be on the Green on 31st October for any unsuitable material. 3. The bonfire HAS to be 25m away from the general public i.e. in the position it was in last year. 4. A list of 'Yes please' and 'No Thank you' items will be displayed around the site. This committee and the Parish Council are trying desperately to maintain a tradition in Reeth which goes back generations. Your help and forbearance would be greatly appreciated. We hope that you will understand and embrace the new slogan 'Abuse it and you will lose it'

YES PLEASE ITEMS

Wood Bushes,trees
Window frames
(No glass)
Old Doors
Wooden furniture

NO THANK YOU ITEMS

Metal Items
Soft furnishings
Tyres
Glass
Bags of garden waste
e.g. weeds, and grass
cuttings
Plastic
Cans
Carpets
Mattresses
Any upholstered
furniture

THE BELLERBY STUDY GROUP

MEANDERS, MURDER, MYCENAE AND MUSIC

Bellerby Study Group offers a medley of subjects this month. John Heselgrove, the well-known stone waller, will give an interesting view on his travels in *Meanders in New Zealand* on Wednesday 4 November. Tom Glover a former regular Army officer in what is now The Queen's Royal Lancers, became a canon lawyer, living in Italy for 12 years. Returning to England he continued to teach the subject, to students training for the Catholic priesthood in Germany and Switzerland. He came back to Yorkshire in 1980 and lives in Hunton. He will reveal *The Murder Lurking in My Family Tree* on Wednesday 11 November. Bryan Shorrocks is a former professor of Population Ecology at Leeds University and has given us some fascinating talks on East African wildlife. On Wednesday 18 November he will talk on a subject of great personal interest, *The Mycenaean of Ancient Greece*. On Wednesday 25 November Bellerby newcomer, Chris Moss, will entertain with *An Evening of traditional Northern Music*. Chris teaches art in Richmond and plays the Northumbrian pipes and Highland small pipes, he will be joined by a couple of fellow members of the new Richmond-based group *Rapscallion*.

Study Group Meetings are held in the Memorial Hall, Church Street, Bellerby at 7.30pm. Fees are £10 per term, visitors and guests are welcome and can attend for £2.00 each per meeting. Contact Lesley Irvine on 01969 622216 for further information.



ARE YOU A CARER?

From time to time people come and see the doctors with their concerns about a loved one. As the conversation

develops, the doctors may discover that these people are devoting much of their time to being a carer for that loved one.

It led me to think that perhaps there are people within our community that don't fully appreciate what being a 'carer' involves, or indeed that they are caring for someone on a daily basis without seeing themselves in the role of a carer. For instance, if you are looking after your husband or wife, you may feel this comes under the *"in sickness and in health"* part of the marriage vows, without realising that you have services available to you, and, in many cases, even financial support. Therefore, if you are looking after your wife or husband to the extent that they cannot manage without you being there, then you are a carer.

How Reeth Medical Centre can support you as a carer, and the person you care for.

Carers are people who, without payment, provide help and support to a family member, friend or neighbour who cannot manage on their own due to physical or mental illness, disability, substance misuse or frailty brought on by old age. Caring roles can include administering medication, lifting and handling, personal or emotional care.

If you are a carer, you might find it difficult to access our services without extra support. If you identify yourself

as a carer, our staff will try to offer you:

- Home visits and/or telephone appointments if caring responsibilities mean you cannot leave the person you care for at home or bring them with you to the surgery.
- Flexibility or priority on appointment times where possible.
- Support for the person you care for in the waiting room or private area if you need to bring them to the surgery but would like a consultation in private.
- Information about local carers support services which may be able to arrange transport and/or sitting services to help you leave home to attend surgery.
- An annual health check and 'flu jab.
- Information about your right to a Carers' Assessment of your own needs as a carer.
- Advice on safer lifting and other aspects of providing care such as medication, including medication trays.
- Discussing with you what you would like us to do in the event of you or the person you care for having a medical or other emergency.

In some cases caring roles are full time and very demanding. We would like to support you in your caring role where we can. We will avoid making assumptions about the amount of care you wish to take on. Caring should not be at the expense of your own health and wellbeing. Please let

us know how your caring role is affecting you and if you have any support needs.

We will try to help you by:

- Providing you with information about the condition and needs of the person you care for, such as the effects of medication, where that person gives consent.
- Always listening to and respecting the information you give us about your caring role and the needs of the person you care for.
- Providing you with general information about health conditions when you ask for it when we do not have consent from the person you care for to share their personal information.
- Please contact us if you have any queries about our support for carers - we're happy to help and treat the conversation in the strictest of confidence.

What is very important to remember is that you can't continue to care for someone if you yourself fall sick, so don't ignore your own well-being, and don't forget to come and be vaccinated for 'flu. There is also a dedicated Carers' Centre where you can get advice, including how you can access financial support. They can be contacted on 01609 780 872. Above all, do let us know if you are a carer, so we can be sure of giving you as much help and support as we can. Hope this helps, and do come and see us if you need to know more.

'FLU CLINIC AND MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT

A very **BIG 'THANK YOU'** to all of you who supported the Macmillan fundraising event that we held in conjunction with our 'flu

clinic on 9th October. Over **£430** was raised on the day and there are still donations coming in.

270 vaccines were given and a good time was had by all!

All the best - Mike Brookes and the Team

ADVENTURES of the **Reeth and District Community Bus.**

Here begins an exciting new series for the Gazette! We thought you might like to know of the weekend visits we do with our Community Bus. Last Sunday eight intrepid adventurers went to Chillingham Castle, in Northumberland. Sunshine and blue skies, coffee break in lovely Rothbury, and in good time to the imposing 12th century castle with its forbidding entrance. Opinion was divided about the merits of the dungeon, but all agreed the gardens were wonderful and the house truly memorable. We came back via the coastal scenic route, paddling at Bamburgh (I still have sand in my shoes!), and a whizz round Warkworth. We all agreed that Jeff had given us an excellent time and all for only £9 for the transport! In November we are off to the Yorkshire Sculpture Park (1st), the beautiful Arts and Crafts Blackwell House in the Lake District(8th), the Grand Christmas Craft and Antique Fair at Thirsk (14th), Harlow Carr Christmas Special on 28th. Find out how we got on in the next edition of the Gazette, or better still come and join us! Contact Gail Hall on 01748 880021 or e-mail: rdctransport@hudsonhouse.info. You can join the Bus by becoming a member for only £1! Alternatively you might like to suggest places where you would like to go!



On Sunday 27 September, our Under 14's played Leyburn away. Leyburn dominated the first half but excellent keeping from Peter While kept the half time score to 2-0. In the last 10 minutes Dales came right back taking the game to Leyburn enabling Nick Baker-Haste to score. We made other chances and only a superb double save from the Leyburn goalie denied us another. Overall a good game 2-1 loss. We were away at Catterick Garrison the next week for a good well balanced game. Dales opened the scoring forcing an own goal as a shot from Connor Kirby hit the post and a defender trying to save it, nudged it in. Catterick immediately equalised and then went ahead. Adam Simpson pulled one back with a good goal followed by another only for Catterick to equalise again. A good game 3-3 draw. We were then at home to Askrigg who took an early lead while Dales were not at their best. Adam equalised but Askrigg got the decider. Lost 1-2. The Under 10's put in a disappointing performance at Barton playing well below their best, losing 4-0. They played Catterick Garrison Tigers alongside the Under 14's but I couldn't watch both. Nathan Tulip scored a hat trick to be man of the match supported well with passes from Scott Alderson. 0-3 win. The next week we were at Spennithorne and a wobbly start left us 2-1 down at half time with a goal from Scott Alderson. Thomas Walker then scored from a corner and again from a free kick. Nathan Tulip contributed to all 3 goals. Sam Cocksedge played much better. 2-3 win. Tigers and Spenni are both above us in the League.

The Under 14 Girls started with matches against Richmond Town and Catterick Garrison. Richmond took the lead and without our regular goalie, Lucy Porter started in goal. At half time, Mairie Teasdale agreed to play in goal doing really well, allowing Lucy to come out as striker to stunning effect notching up 2 goals, the second with 45 seconds to go. Imagine our disappointment when Richmond got the equaliser 30 seconds later. We welcomed newcomer Leanne Scullion who played really well. 2-2 draw. One or two girls complained about the early nip in the air at Catterick Garrison and the hosts had some very good players - one rumoured to be playing at Middlesbrough Academy. In the first half, Catterick had the advantage of the slope scoring 4. In the second half we played on a more equal basis only succumbing late to concede 4 more. Against such strong opposition, Marion Porter's performance in goal was fantastic to be player of the match. 8-0 loss. At Carperby there were one or two sleepy heads and some had not had breakfast and we conceded a goal in the first 15 seconds. The girls found their feet and Lucy Porter scored one of the best goals of the season to equalise. After dominating the first 10 minutes of the second half, we conceded another and this deflated some girls. Khalian Deighton was player of the match as a "never-say-die" force in defence. 5-1 loss.

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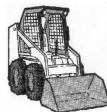
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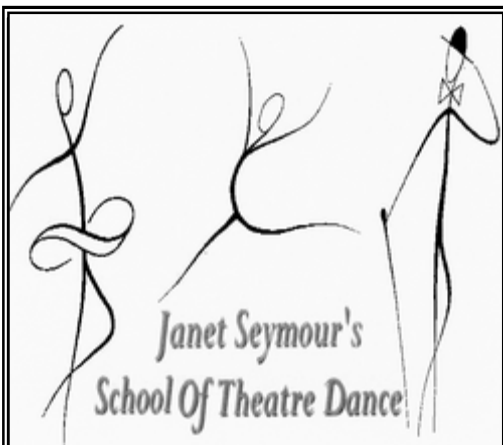
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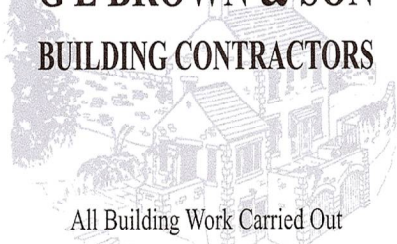
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from it whilst situated in an outbuilding at Hudswell. Two males were arrested for driving whilst over the prescribed limit for alcohol, one of which was located in the area of Downholme and the other in the area of Reeth. If you are aware of any persons committing such an offence we would urge you to report it to the police. All information will be treated with discretion. It has been brought to my attention that persons are transporting children to school on the back of inappropriate vehicles. Use Motor Vehicle Load/Passengers likely to cause Danger will result in a £60 fine. Many thanks again for all your reports and assistance.

PCSO 5550 Tracie Lee Taylor-Page

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The Hudson House Book Club has been holding monthly meetings since 2004, covering a whole range of authors - 'ancient and modern'. This year we have already enjoyed *The Shadow of the Wind* by Carlos Ruiz Zafon, *The Suspicions of Mr Whicher* by Kate Summerscale and many others. We are able to borrow books for the group from Richmond Library.

We meet at Hudson House at 7 pm on the last Monday of the month (with a few exceptions); the November book for discussion will be *Alias Grace* by Margaret Attwood. If you are interested in joining the group for this meeting (or any other), please contact me for further details.

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Thankyou Reeth Artyfacts,

Dear Reeth Artyfacts, thank you so much

for the show you put on for the Reeth Rug Retreat at Grinton Lodge on Saturday 12th September. It was a marvellous evening which everyone really appreciated, the cherry on the cake of a very enjoyable weekend. This was the tenth Reeth Rug Retreat and, to celebrate that fact, we decided to provide an evening's entertainment. The 35 students enjoyed the evening so much they'll want Reeth Artyfacts back at future Rug Retreats! Your sketch *The Dating Agency* was particularly well-received by the audience, two of whom had travelled all the way from Australia to take part in the Rug Retreat. Two of the teachers had come over from the United States and they were amazed to see live entertainment as part of the package as it's not usually provided in American rug schools. I wanted to thank you publicly for giving up your Saturday night to entertain a group of 'old hookers' so that everyone in Reeth and the surrounding area can be aware just how much you do for the community. The fact that you do so much for, in this case, a plate of sandwiches and a glass of wine makes you all the more valuable. Thank you. Yours with the greatest appreciation, Heather Ritchie and Cilla Cameron (Directors)



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MUKER PARISH COUNCIL
PARISH COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON
6th OCTOBER 2009

Declaration of Interest: A Councillor declared an interest in the Housing Development Plan item. Minutes of Previous Meeting: the minutes of the Parish Council meeting held on the 18th August 2009, had been circulated and were approved as a correct record on the motion of Councillor Metcalfe and seconded by Councillor Calvert. All were in favour. Matters Arising: The LINK report was read out to the council, the main issues of concern being the Dental provision and the paediatric care. The dental practice is to continue in Hawes and the paediatric service is to be resumed at the Friarage. An email received by the Clerk was read out to the Council regarding a seat near Crackpot. It was suggested that this was under the remit of Melbecks Parish Council. It was noted that unsafe seating has to be either fixed or removed under Health and Safety directives. Highways: The previous reply from Mr Woodford was read out to the Council. The Clerk was asked to write to Mr Woodford mentioning that Ivelets was still not in good order and concerns have been raised especially as winter approaches. The Council raised the issue of parking in Gunnerside. It is becoming increasingly dangerous as it affects the public driving through the village, especially if the vehicle is of a larger make and is towing a trailer. Delivery wagons are also an issue, with many delivery vehicles refusing to drive through Gunnerside as it is so dangerous. This adds cost onto businesses if deliveries come via a longer route. The

Clerk was instructed to write to Melbecks Parish Council to ask if this item could be put onto their agenda and that Muker Parish Council offers its support in the progression of this problem. Richmondshire District Council: The Council was made aware of the Area Partnerships meeting that took place on the 29th September. Councillor Blackie requested that the Parish Council become involved by sending a representative to the next meeting in order to have a say in where and how money is to be spent in the Dales. Councillor Blackie stated that the next meeting was likely to be sometime in January. The Council studied the planning application for the relocation of an existing aerial at Tan Hill Public House - it had no objections or comments. The Clerk was instructed to place the electors notice on the notice boards to encourage parishioners to register for their vote of they have not already done so. The Council is to be updated on a monthly basis via email. The Council had missed the date of the State of the District Debate as the information had come through in between meetings, they were informed that it had had a turn out of approximately 50 people and it concerned five areas and also covered awards. NYCC: The Clerk had received Parish planning - a guide to the support available from NYCC, as a reference document, the Clerk would hold it for the Council. An email had been received asking for information regarding the parish plan. Because this correspondence could not be verified as authentic the Council took the decision not to reply to the request.

Yorkshire Dales National Park: The Yorkshire Dales Housing development Plan Housing Working Group Call for Housing Sites progress report 2009 was studied by the Council. The potential sites had now been filtered. These successful sites will now go through another examination period which will involve the Highways Agency, Environment Agency and others. Any sites that are considered suitable at this stage will be put through another appraisal. It was noted that one site in Muker has been successful in this first appraisal. Although it has roadside frontage and the South East of the site is to be examined again. This information is available to the public on the YDNPA website. The Council was notified of a motor rally event that is to take place 07/11/09-08/11/09. The Clerk was instructed to write to the club and ask for more specific details of the route that is to be taken. The withdrawal of the application for planning for listed building consent at Angram Farm, Angram was noted by the Council. It was also noted that the agents for the application had not responded to the Council's correspondence.

Y.L.C.A.: The next Branch Meeting date was given to the Council. The Council was informed of the next waste Partnership conference to be held 06/11/09; unfortunately none of the Councillors could commit to attend. The e-bulletin was made available to the Council.

Date and Time of Next Meeting: The next Parish Council meeting will be held on the 17th November at Muker Literary Institute at 7.30 p.m.

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by a goodly number of the Aysgarth Singers, will perform the Messiah, beginning at 7pm. Once again tickets £6, are available as above.

REETHSHOW

Looking at the schedule for the recent Reeth Show, we see it is filled with the varied list of prizes to be awarded for horses, sheep and vegetable produce. There are competitions for crafts, cakes, bread and jams, for children's drawings and photographs. But there are no longer categories which featured in the past. At the Reeth Fair and Cattle Show of 1848, held on the 3rd of November (which seems late!), as well as the usual agricultural exhibits and competitions there were two unusual items which seem to indicate an attempt to relieve the local ratepayers of a certain burden.

- 1) There was a £2 prize offered for the working miner of good character who had brought up the greatest number of children to the age of 10 years (the age when they could start to work in the mines), without having had parochial assistance. There were no entrants.
- 2) A £1 prize was offered for a working miner who had brought up the greatest number of children to the age of 10 years without parochial assistance. (It seems that this could be awarded to someone of doubtful character).

That year there were 9 candidates and the

first prize went to Elizabeth Brown, from Hurst, with the second prize to Isabella Pedley, from Healaugh. It seems that women miners were eligible. "After the prizes had been awarded, a large party partook of a sumptuous dinner provided at the Buck Inn". The working miners were not present at the entertainment. Perhaps because they were of dubious character? Jocelyn M. Campbell

Marrick Parish Council Meeting
25 September 2009.

Management of Motor Vehicles Use of Green Lanes Concerns regarding the use of recreational motor vehicles on 'green lanes', was leading the Yorkshire Dales National Park Authority to consider possible options for management of individual unsealed routes. Councillors considered that, at present, no action was required on the Fremington - Hurst route, though its use would be re-examined in the future. Local Transport Plan North Yorkshire County Council Local Transport Plan would end in March 2011. To assist with the preparation of the new plan, opinions were being sought on priorities for improvements to the local transport system. Councillors completed a questionnaire, in which they highlighted the need for improved maintenance to existing roads. A further survey to establish local levels of satisfaction with the Highways and Transportation Service was completed. Highways would be contacted regarding the condition of culverts at Hurst. Area Partnerships Following Richmondshire District Council's decision to look at ways in which it could more effectively engage with, and respond to, the needs of specific parts of the

District, five area partnerships had been created. Each would have a Forum and a Board, and an annual devolved budget. The Forum would make recommendations to the Board, who would take decisions and allocate funds against local priorities. In-patient paediatric unit Following the temporary closure, due to staff shortages, at the Friarage Hospital, confirmation had been *received* that services would return there from Monday 26 October 2009. Planning There were no objections to the application from Marrick Priory Outdoor Centre, for the erection of a two-storey building to provide additional accommodation for staff and visitors, to be built on the footprint of the existing bungalow and caravan, which were to be demolished or removed, and for the provision of 2 oil storage tanks on the site. Date of next meeting 26 November 2009, at 7.30 p.m. at Marrick Institute.

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- 13th Meat Bingo Marrick Institute 7.30pm
- Kerfuffle : Reeth Memorial Hall 8pm
- 18th Melbecks Society Annual Coffee Morning Low Row Institute
- 28th-31st 'Play On' - Reeth Artyfacts in Memorial Hall Reeth 7.30pm

DECEMBER

- 4th The Lark Rise Band-Reeth Memorial Hall 8pm
- 5th Swale Singer's Concert 7pm, Grinton Church.
- 6th 'Christmas at Marrick' 7pm Marrick Priory
- 12th Carols For The Crypt-Concert in St. Andrew's, Grinton at 6pm
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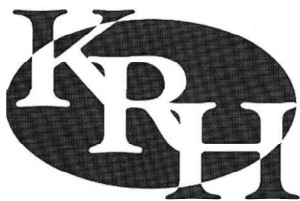
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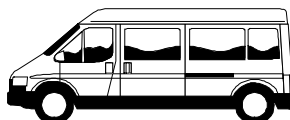
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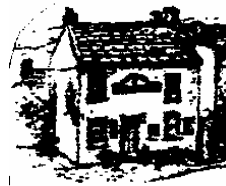
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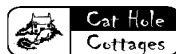
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