

Ashby Cum Fenby Parish Council NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 2018



Dear Villagers,
Welcome to the October Newsletter.

Village BBQ – Sunday 8th July 2018

The above event was very well supported with 80 tickets sold. It was good to see so many of you there. A big thank you to Mr & Mrs Pearson for hosting this event and to those residents who gave up their time to help before, during and after the event.



Defibrillator - Training

The Defibrillator has now been placed on the outside wall of the Church Hall. A big thank you to the Ward Councillors and villagers for the donations that have been received.



Telephone Kiosk

The telephone kiosk has been repainted inside and outside. A kind resident has restocked the books and Ava Heywood kindly donated some children's books. Please come along and swap a book. **Bring a book, take a book, read a book and enjoy!** Please do not dump books on the floor, help keep the books tidy. Thank you!

Pot Holes

NELC have reviewed the pot holes within the village and have marked the pot holes that meet their criteria. If you notice anymore that meet the 40mm requirements, please contact the clerk.

Signs and Street Signs – Cleaned

Parish Councillors met and cleaned all the signs around the village. Hopefully you will agree they have done a great job (above pictures of the before and after).

Best Kept Village Competition - Results

Ashby cum Fenby received 144 points out of 150. Below are some of the Judges' comments: -

A very tidy village with no evidence of any litter. There was some good community planting on the village green and good planting at the corner of Post Office Lane and Main Road.

Some lovely gardens with good examples of colourful planting displays found at Sycamore Cottage, Shaw Cottage, Badgers Wood and Capella House. The churchyard was mentioned as a very attractive part of the village. The full report has been placed on the Parish Council's website.

Crime Commissioners Report

Over two years have now elapsed since I was elected Police and Crime Commissioner for the Humberside Police force area. As a local resident myself I share many of the same frustrations as you, with a trend of rising crime and increased anti-social behaviour against a backdrop of falling police numbers due to budget cuts from Government. We have examined every aspect of resources and I have released funds tied up in financial reserves to put more officers on the street. By early 2019 Humberside Police will have 300 more officers than it did in 2016 and every area will see its share of those. For more information on the work of the Police and Crime Commissioner visit www.humberside-pcc.gov.uk or follow @humbersidepcc on Twitter.

Coffee Morning and Carol Service – diary dates

Coffee Morning held in the Church Hall Saturday 24th November 10.30am to 12noon.

Carol Service held in the church Sunday 9th December at 4pm.

Please send any comments/suggestions on these or any other topics to any of the Parish Councillors or the Clerk:

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