

Easter

Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.

Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus:

Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be grasped, but made himself nothing, taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself and became obedient to death—even death on a cross!

Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Philippians 2:3–11 (NIV)

Soup and Sweet Lunch

Bainbridge WI invite you to a Soup and Sweet Lunch at Thornton Rust Institute on Monday 24th April at 12 noon. We ask for a donation of £5 and all are welcome. Susan Freer

Village Tidy Day

The Village Tidy Day is on Saturday May 13th. Please could those taking part gather at the Institute at 11am so that a record can be made of which areas will be tidied. Pip Pointon

Kennel Field Trust

The quarterly draw for the Kennel Field Trust 100 Club was held on 1st March 2023 in the presence of Deborah Millward, Lynda Denny and Chris Denny. The prizes were drawn as follows:-

1st prize £25.00 Penny Noakes

2nd prize £15.00 Karen Maters

3rd prize £10.00 Ali Carter.

Membership of the Club is now due for renewal. The cost remains £12.00 per ticket, per annum. If you have a standing order set up then we will assume that you wish to continue your membership unless we hear otherwise.

If you paid for a 12 month membership by cheque and wish to renew for a further 12 months please send your payment made out to the Thornton Rust Kennel Field Trust to Lynda Denny, at Nettle Cottage, Thornton Rust.

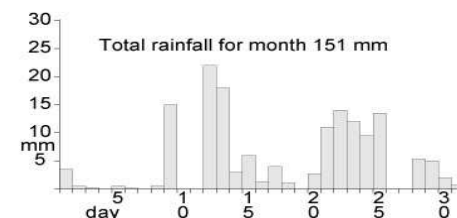
If your payment has not been received by the 30th April we will assume that you no longer wish to take part and your name will be removed from the next draw on 1st June.

If you have any friends or family who would like to participate please let me know and the appropriate forms will be dispatched.

Lynda Denny

Looking to the future

Maisie (Miles), Jemima (Griffiths) and Pippa (Cromey-Hawke) each planted a hazel tree up the Outgang last month. With a little help from their Dads. Deborah Millward

Rainfall for March

March last year: 42 mm;

March 2021: 170 mm;

March 2020: 119 mm.

Refuse collection dates

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| Green bin etc. | Mon. 3 April |
| Grey bin | Tues. 11 April |
| Green bin etc. | Mon. 17 April |
| Grey bin | Mon. 24 April |
| Green bin etc. | Mon. 1 May |

Management Committee

The minutes of the AGM of the Management Committee for the Institute are now available on our sister publication, *Thornton Rust News*, at:
<https://www.aysgarthanddistrict.co.uk/thornton-rust-news>

The membership of the Committee is now as follows:
 Sue Duffield (Chair)
 Rob Cromey-Hawke (Treasurer)
 Karen Raven (Secretary)
 Martyn Donno (Bookings)
 Lynda Denny
 Steve Duffield
 Susan Freer
 Carole Hudson
 Julia Loukota
 Richard Loukota
 Paul Raven
 Marjorie Spence

Two pages this time . . .

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Maundy Thursday

A Holy Communion service will be held in the Mission Room on Thursday 6th April at 7 pm. All are welcome. Jackie Cook

Witness of the Cross

A small service of worship will be held outside the Institute on Friday 7th April at 11:05 am. Jackie Cook

Mission Room

An Evensong service will be held at the Mission Room on Sunday 23rd April at 4 pm. Everyone welcome. Jackie Cook

Newcomer

We welcome Sharon Holden to our village, living at Huntsmans Cottage. We hope she settles in well here.

Easter coffee morning

The Institute Management Committee is once again putting on an Easter Coffee Morning. This is a 'just turn up' event, so no pre-booking required.

Date: Monday 10th April
(Easter Monday)

Time: 10.30am - 12.00 noon

Cost: adult - £3.00, children - free

Rob Cromey-Hawke

Coronation Party

The Institute Management Committee is pleased to invite you all to a King Charles III Coronation Tea Party.

Date: Saturday 6th May

Time: 3.30pm - finish

Cost: nil

Please pre-book by 28th April, so catering can be arranged, by contacting Sue Duffield on Su.trust@gmail.com or 663 504.

Rob Cromey-Hawke

Save the Date

10 April - Easter coffee morning
(Organiser Sue Duffield)

6 May - Coronation Party
Afternoon Tea
(Organiser Sue Duffield)

11 June - Village Treasure Hunt
(Organiser Richard Loukota)

Beth Robinson

Some in the village will remember Maureen and Les Robinson and their daughter Beth. Beth is now the landlady of The Beeswing Inn at East Cowton. This village pub has just been named as one of just three national Community Pub Heroes.

The Darlington and Stockton Times of March 31 gives details of the music festival which has been organised there and which has raised £64,000 for palliative care facilities at The Friarage Hospital.

Beth is glad to be assisting The Friarage as it was there that her father Les passed away. Colin Day