

Withern Village News

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Upcoming Village Events

Parish Council Meeting at Withern Village Hall
Tuesday, 4th April, 7:00pm

Coffee Morning at Withern Village Hall
Thursday, 6th April, 10:00am - 12:00pm

Jacket Potato Lunch at Withern Chapel
Tuesday, 11th April, 12:00pm - 3:00pm
To raise money for Christian aid. Takeaways available,
please see form on reverse.

Games Night at Withern Village Hall
Saturday, 29th April, 7:00pm

Coffee Morning at Withern Village Hall
Thursday, 4th May, 10:00am - 12:00pm

King Charles III Coronation at Withern Village Hall
Saturday, 6th May, Time TBC
Informal social with the Coronation shown on screen.
Licensed bar and food available.

Coronation Tea at Withern Chapel
Sunday, 7th May, 4:00pm. Free of charge, but you are
more than welcome to contribute items.
Immediately following the worship service,
commencing at 3:00pm, led by Mr Eric Leigh

Annual Parish Meeting at Withern Village Hall
Tuesday 16th May, 6:30pm
Immediately followed by the Parish Council AGM

Bingo at Withern Village Hall
Saturday, 20th May, 7:00pm

Chapel Service led by Rev Alan Barker
Sunday, 21st May, 10:30am
Followed by a lunch (free of charge, but you are more
than welcome to contribute items)

Coffee Morning at Withern Village Hall
Thursday, 1st June, 10:00am - 12:00pm

Salad Lunch at Withern Chapel
Tuesday, 6th June, 12:00pm - 3:00pm
To raise money for World Mission

Parish Council Meeting at Withern Village Hall
Tuesday, 27th June, 7:00pm

Chapel Anniversary at Withern Chapel
Sunday, 2nd July, 3:00pm
Followed by a tea (free of charge, but you are more
than welcome to contribute items)

Coffee Morning at Withern Village Hall
Thursday, 6th July, 10:00am - 12:00pm

Flower & Veg Show at Withern Village Hall
Saturday, 29th July, 2:00pm

Coffee Morning at Withern Village Hall
Thursday, 3rd August, 10:00am - 12:00pm

Parish Council Meeting at Withern Village Hall
Tuesday, 8th August, 7:00pm

Jumble Sale at Withern Chapel
Saturday, 2nd September, 2:00pm
All monies raised to Chapel funds

Coffee Morning at Withern Village Hall
Thursday, 7th September, 10:00am - 12:00pm

Parish Council Meeting at Withern Village Hall
Tuesday, 19th September, 7:00pm

Harvest Festival at Withern Chapel
Sunday, 24th September, 3:00pm
Followed by a tea (free of charge, but you are more
than welcome to contribute items)

Every Tuesday 1:30pm - 3:30pm
Withern Art Group at Withern Village Hall
All abilities welcome. Contact Jackie on 07772861505

Every Wednesday 10:00am - 1:00pm
Withern Sewing Group at Withern Village Hall

Every Sunday
Worship at Withern Chapel
10:30am (unless otherwise stated)
All welcome, regardless of denomination.

Parish Website

All Parish Council minutes, village newsletters and
upcoming events can be found on:
withernstain.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk

Withern Village Hall

With some recent changes, we would like to introduce our present Village Hall Committee:
Chairperson: Hollie Pocklington
Secretary (including Bookings): Jackie Brazier
Treasurer: Sue Pollard
Chris Jesney
Chris Pocklington
Gwen Acklam
Margaret Hart
Terry Lafferty

Flower & Veg Show

Programmes and Raffle Tickets are now available! The First Prize on the Raffle is £50.00 cash, with other prizes (so far) including a custom pet portrait, and a Christmas Hamper. We would greatly appreciate any donations towards the Raffle and Tombola (please ensure that any tinned foods or sundries are dated past August 2023). For programmes, tickets or to arrange collection/drop off of donations, please email withernvillagehall@gmail.com, or ask a Committee member.

Hire Your Hall

...for only £7.50 per hour!
Ideal for birthday parties, corporate events or hosting classes/workshops. We have a fully functioning kitchen, recently refurbished toilets and a licensed bar. Contact Jackie on withernvillagehall@gmail.com or 07772861505

A New Hall?

As you are all aware, GDF are proposing to site a nuclear waste storage facility off the coast, near Theddlethorpe. As part of their marketing strategy, money is available to fund local community projects. Withern Village Hall is, after several meetings with the relevant GDF representatives, to apply for sufficient funding to totally refurbish - or even build a new Hall (on the same site). A very important element of our application will be the physical evidence of community support, therefore please confirm your support by email as soon as possible to withernvillagehall@gmail.com, or by letter/note to Secretary Jackie Brazier, Ramscroft Cottage, Chalk Lane, Withern, LN13 0LQ, and include your name as a resident or member/representative of a village organisation. Please be aware that your confirmation of support will be included in our application. Thank you.

Next Meeting and AGM

The next Annual General Meeting will be at Withern Village Hall at 7:00pm, on Tuesday 9th May. An ordinary meeting will follow immediately afterwards. All welcome.

Parish Council

Your Parish Council consists of:
Chairman: Cllr Simon Acklam
Clerk: Mrs. Sarah Kennett
Cllr Alan Jenkinson
Cllr Alexandra Blomley
Cllr Fred Donner
Cllr Jacqueline Harvey-Brown

Litter pick

Thank you to all volunteers who helped with the litter pick. As you can see, an astounding amount of rubbish was collected.



Vacancies

Your Parish Council needs you! If you are over 18, have lived in the parish or 3 miles radius for more than a year, and are on the electoral roll, you are eligible! We currently have two vacancies and would welcome an informal discussion about the role. Don't hesitate to get in touch with parishclerkwithernstain@gmail.com

Speedwatch

You will have noticed the speed watch group is doing a fantastic job of reducing speeding in the village. On average, we see about 10% of drivers speeding. If you would like to help out, even if it is only a few sessions a year, then please join the speed watch group. More details can be obtained from parishclerkwithernstain@gmail.com

Please get in touch if there are any other issues you would like to raise; minutes and agendas are available on our website withernstain.parish.lincolnshire.gov.uk

Withern Chapel

A fantastic £2000 was raised from charity tables sales in 2022, all benefitting various local charities. Although we have lost the Post Office service, the charity tables are still accessible to browse whenever the Chapel is open (Sunday services, other community events). To arrange a private viewing, please contact Pam on 01507 450503.

A survey is included on the back of this newsletter, which we would greatly appreciate you completing.

Christian Aid Takeaway Form

Please fill out this form (one per person) and return to Pam (Meersbrook, next to the Chapel) or Hollie (Ferriby, near Gold Lane) by 4th April, along with a donation for Christian Aid. Takeaways will be delivered between 12:00pm and 3:00pm

Name



Address.....

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Withern Chapel

We would like to know what YOU would like from your village Chapel.

We would greatly appreciate you completing this short survey, which will help with future plans. The survey is completely anonymous, so be as honest as you like!

Please leave completed surveys in the Chapel during opening times (Sunday service, other events) or post through the door of Meersbrook, Main Road (next to the Chapel) or Ferriby, Main Road (near Gold Lane).

Alternatively, the survey can be completed online: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/L7MKRWW>

If you do not currently attend worship services held at the Chapel, please tell us why:

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If you do not currently attend community events held at the Chapel, please tell us why:

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What events would you like to see held at the Chapel?

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Would you be interested in attending any of the following:

Bible Study House Group Weekday Worship/Communion Pastoral Visits

Children's Study/Activities Social Events Other:

Any other feedback:

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Floral Clay Workshop

with Jackie Brazier



**Withern
Village Hall**

2 Week Course: Friday 14th & Friday 21st April
6:00pm - 8:30pm approx.
£20.00 per person

The finer details:

Join us to create a floral arrangement, from air dried clay!

The fee covers the two week course and includes materials and refreshments.

You will only be required to bring: a plant pot, an old knife, a rolling pin and a tray.

Any enquiries or to book, please call Jackie on 07772861505 or email brazierjackie@gmail.com

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at Withern Chapel
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12:00pm - 3:00pm

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**G A M E
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Saturday, 29th April
7:00pm
Withern Village Hall

- Use the provided games,
or bring your own
- Food & Refreshments
- Licensed Bar



Withern's Annual
Flower &
Vegetable Show

With categories including:
Flowers, Fruit, Veg, Art, Crafts, Baking, Sewing -
and Children enter FREE!

Licensed Bar ~ Coffee & Cake
Stalls & Sideshows ~ Auction & Raffle

Sat 29th July 2023

Show Opens 2:00pm

For a programme, please email
withernvillagehall@gmail.com

