



Airmyn News

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Traffic-calming 'not needed'

Following on from the parish council and residents' concerns about speeding traffic at the south-western end of Airmyn, a traffic-calming assessment has been carried out for the village by the East Riding of Yorkshire Council.

In a subsequent report to the parish council, ERYC explains that the assessment was based on the number of traffic injury accidents that have occurred over the previous three years, schools on the affected road, pedestrian and cycling activity, traffic flow and site observations.

The rating system is banded into low (a score of 0-44), medium (45-56) and high (57+) priority. In the case of Airmyn, the rating given was 28, which is in the low category. The reason for this is that there have been no traffic injury accidents in

Airmyn in the previous three years; there are no schools located on the road; pedestrian and cycling activity is relatively low and traffic flow is relatively low. However, the ERYC has actually rated the priority as medium given that vehicles use the village to bypass Goole.

A radar survey recorded the speeds of 100 vehicles (50 each way). In the direction towards Glews Garage, the 85%tile speed of vehicles (the speed at or below which 85% of the traffic is travelling at) was 31.1mph and the average was 26.7mph. In the opposite direction, the 85%tile speed was 29.5mph and the average was 25.8mph. The top speed towards Glews was 35mph, and in the opposite direction it was 36mph. Most drivers were driving under or at the speed limit.

The enforcement level by the Police is 35mph, which is calculated at speed limit plus 10% plus 2mph.

As a result of the findings, ERYC is unable to recommend that traffic-calming measures are considered in Airmyn.

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News in brief

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The annual parish meeting is an opportunity for electors of the parish of Airmyn to meet and discuss parish matters and issues.

This year's meeting will be held at 7pm on 11th May at Airmyn Memorial Hall. Anyone wanting to raise an issue should let the clerk, Sarah Belton, know so that it can be included on the agenda. Telephone 01405 766451.

PARISH COUNCIL VACANCY

An exciting opportunity has arisen for the right person to become a parish councillor in the village of Airmyn.

If you care about the village you live in and want to be part of the decisions made to benefit the community then this role could be for you. The councillors meet just once a month in the Memorial Hall on a Wednesday at 7pm.

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Selby	0725	0830	0835	0930
Airmyn	0800	0910	0910	1004
Goole H	0805	0915	0915	1009
Goole N	0814	0924	0924	1018

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Selby	1230	1635	1645	
Airmyn	1304	1720	1720	
Goole H	1309	1725	1725	
Goole N	1318	1734	1734	

Goole N	0820	1025	1325	1500
Goole H	0827	1032	1332	1507
Airmyn	0833	1038	1338	1513
Selby	0920	1115	1415	1552

Goole N	1740
Goole H	1747
Airmyn	1753
Selby	1832

Sammys: Wednesday & Friday (355)

Airmyn	09.45	Goole*	11.55
Hook	09.55	Goole N	12.00
Goole N	10.05	Hook	12.10
Goole*	10.10	Airmyn	12.20

*Opposite Tesco entrance, B'ferry Rd.

Arriva: Saturday (8)

Selby	0930	1130	1330	1530
Airmyn	1004	1204	1404	1604
Goole H	1009	1209	1409	1609
Goole N	1018	1218	1418	1618

Goole N	1025	1225	1425	1625
Goole H	1032	1232	1432	1632
Airmyn	1038	1238	1438	1638
Selby	1115	1315	1515	1715

Arriva: Sunday (400)

Airmyn	1055	1255	1455	1655
Goole H	1100	1300	1500	1700

Goole N	1109	1309	1509	1709
Goole N	0938	1138	1338	1538
Goole H	0946	1146	1346	1546
Airmyn	0951	1151	1351	1551
Selby	1030	1230	1430	1630

Goole H - Goole Hospital Goole N - Goole North St
st - school term only sh - school holidays only

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VIP tickets for Howden Show

The new Premier Tickets on sale for this year's Howden Show, which takes place on Sunday July 3, are selling fast and anyone who would like to be a VIP for the day is advised to snap one up quickly to avoid missing out.

A limited number of the tickets are on sale now on a first come, first served basis. They entitle the holders to a package of benefits, including free entry to an exclusive enclosure with ringside seating and use of a dedicated car park nearby; a champagne reception between 11am and 12 noon; a buffet lunch between 12 noon and

2pm; afternoon tea between 2.30pm and 3.30pm; and complimentary tea, coffee, cakes and refreshments throughout the day. Anyone can apply for a Premier Ticket, which are priced at £15 for adults and £7.50 for children under 12 years. To apply, contact Andy Formon on 01430 432213 or email andyformon@btconnect.com.

You can also pick up application forms from Touchwood, Parkin Family Butchers or the Shire Hall office in Howden's Market Place. Completed application forms can be returned to these outlets, along with the correct payment.

Food waste scheme launched

All households in the East Riding will be receiving a food waste caddy some time between March and July 2011.

This will enable residents to dispose of all types of food waste, as well as cardboard in the brown bin. The aim of this new collection scheme is to prevent this biodegradable waste from going into the green bin, which would then be sent to landfill. Instead the food waste and cardboard, along with garden waste, will be composted to create a useable product. For further information, visit www.eastriding.gov.uk or telephone 01482 393939.

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2008 produce and handicraft award sought

The new Playing Field Committee is collecting the trophies that were awarded for the 2008 Produce and Handicraft Show.

There is one trophy that has not been tracked down: the Tom Pye Trophy for the runner up in the adult section.

If you have it or know who has, please contact Helen Cowling on 01405 768490.

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Parish council latest

Extracts from the minutes of a meeting held on Wednesday 9 February 2011:

CLERK'S CONTRACT OF EMPLOYMENT

The contract of employment for the new clerk Sarah Belton was approved and amended by Cllrs Bilton and Thurlow. It was resolved that Cllrs Thurlow and the clerk will sign this when re-typed by the clerk for the March meeting.

CLERK'S REPORT ON ONGOING ISSUES

A: Maintenance of river bank handrails has finally been resolved with the EA sending an email offering to pay for the maintenance of the rails. It was resolved that the clerk will obtain three written quotations for the work and allow the councillors to choose a contractor to do the work and submit the quote to EA for reimbursement as agreed.

B: Former school house unkempt condition. The clerk reported that Steven Devey from ERYC has been off work on sick leave and so has a back log of work including this property. It was resolved that the clerk will chase up Mr Devey from ERYC for an update on this matter.

C: Court House Farm - Cllrs Bilton and Cowling updated on the situation and informed of the meeting with Peter Ashcroft at ERYC and the ombudsman's information. It was resolved that the clerk will contact ERYC highways about the continuation of the cycle path and will contact the local drainage board about the dykes in the area following on from suggestions made at the Peter Ashcroft meeting and the clerk will write to Alan Menzies to receive an update on any future plans in the pipeline for this area which the councillors need to be made aware of.

D: NorthAirmyn Grange transport yard - the clerk informed of a letter from ERYC enforcement officer providing information from this site and how enforcements are made. It was resolved that the conditions imposed on this site be monitored.

E: Brick entrance sign quotes - Cllr Watson needed diagrams of the signs and measurements and will obtain quotes from local sources for the next meeting. It was resolved that the clerk will send Cllr Watson more diagrams in the post.

F: Parish plan/design statement - Cllr Cowling reported that the new point of contact is Karen Wood.

G: River bank erosion - following on from Cllr Cowling's report at the last meeting about the erosion of the river bank the clerk contacted Paul Kilshaw at EA and asked for a site visit to the banks in question. The EA visited the site and found evidence of erosion but not at a concerns level and so will take no further action. It was resolved that the clerk will contact the EA to establish the criteria for concern and receive an explanation for the erosion measurements given and why no action.

H: Boxo the clown decision - the clerk had previously cascaded a reply from Boxo clarifying his version of the New Year's Eve booking. It was resolved that after a meeting with the hall committee and a vote taken by the councillors it was agreed to pay half the given price to Boxo as a gesture of goodwill.

I: Speeding complaints - following on from residents' complaints of speeding/dangerous driving at the waste tip end of the village the clerk contacted ERYC highways asking for preventative measures to be taken. A reply was received informing of an assessment of the area to follow. It was resolved that the clerk will ask for this assessment not to be performed when the Boothferry swing bridge is closed for repairs as this will not give an accurate reading of traffic going through the village on a normal day.

J: Snow/ice contingency plan - the clerk reported receiving a vague reply from ERYC stating that they could not give advice on insurance or liability issues on the parish council hiring their own contractors. It was resolved that the clerk again contact ERYC to insist on further details and establish the liability issues if damage to roads etc was to happen.

K: Rusholme windfarm trust agreement - Cllr Cowling informed of the finalised agreement now in place and now awaiting further details of funding applications.

PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND DECISIONS

To note that the 2 planning applications for McDonalds restaurant external refurbishment were approved by ERYC. However, the application for the illuminated totem

pole effect sign was refused.

Plans received for a single-storey extension to 2 The Crossings for T.Sarginson.

Plans received for a music room conversion at Boothferry Lodge for S.Hayward.

Both plans recommended for approval following on from Cllrs Thurlow and Spence inspecting the plans.

ISSUES RAISED BY COUNCILLORS

A: Emergency plan funding - Cllr Cowling asked for the parish council to pay for the hire of the George Dales room for emergency planning meetings. It was resolved to approve this application.

B: High Street resurfacing - Cllr Watson asked the clerk to contact ERYC highways asking for this work to be undertaken and since the last meeting ERYC had in fact dealt with this problem and started the work. It was resolved that the clerk contact ERYC to ensure the patched areas are tarred and sealed.

C: Laurel planting - Cllr Thurlow noted that the previously planted willows near the waste tip have nearly all perished. It was resolved that the clerk contact Airmyn Landscapes to provide a quote to plant new laurels and that California Gardens provide a quote to provide laurels with a guarantee.

D: Bracken Hill logs - Cllr Spence requested permission to gather the logs in this area for own use. It was resolved to approve the request.

E: Parish paths report - Cllr Bilton gave an update on his recent survey of the local

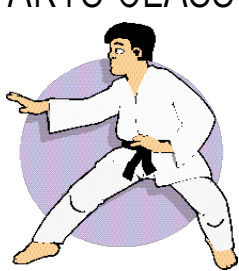
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Council latest

Crimes in Airmyn: December-March

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paths and asked for future assistance. It was resolved that Cllrs Thurlow and Cowling assist in this matter.

F: Clocktower gardens - Cllr Cowling asked for help to move plants and tidy this area. It was resolved to place an advert in Airmyn News asking for volunteer helpers.

ISSUES ARISING FROM NEW CORRESPONDENCE

The clerk informed of the theft of the clock tower copper lightning conductor theft over the Christmas period and had confirmed ERYC are to visit the site on 14 February to assess.

Boothferry Bridge closure letter - a letter was noted from ERYC to Cllr Percy with updates. To note closure now 28 February.

Waste tip fence vandalism - the clerk informed that ERYC refuse to pay for this vandalism.

Cllr Fox reported increasing dog fouling in the village and informed of a future visit from the dog warden. Stickers will be placed on lamp posts to act as a deterrent and fines will be issued if offenders are caught.

The following crimes were committed in Airmyn during the months of December 2010, January 2011, February and early March:

5 December - Theft - Ferry Lane: Suspect gains access to the grounds of the complainant's detached house, approaches the oil tank and siphons off approximately 600 litres of oil and makes off. PCSO Matthews says that this sort of theft is occurring in the surrounding villages and that Airmyn residents need to be aware.

17 December - Non-dwelling burglary - High Street: Person(s) enter secure premises by cutting down a fence and driving a car into the car park and use a coping stone to smash the door. Entry gained through the door and once inside the premises several items of agricultural machinery are removed and placed into the back of the vehicle. They make off in the direction of Airmyn Village. The premises are alarmed and this was activated.

31 December - Non-dwelling burglary - High Street: Approach is made to the front entrance door to Backhouse Garden Equipment Suppliers. The glass panel to uPVC double glazed entrance door is smashed and entry gained, which sets off the security alarm. The display of garden equipment is taken from the front of the store and exit as per entry. The owner of the store lives opposite and heard the alarm sound. By the time he got to the store the suspect(s) had left the scene. A neighbour who had also heard the alarm observed a car being driven away shortly after the alarm had sounded.

31 December - Criminal damage to vehicle - Parsons Close: Whilst the complainant's vehicle has been securely parked

and unattended, either on his drive or whilst it was parked outside his daughter-in-law's property, persons not known have used a sharp implement to make a large scratch on the rear off side panel.

15 January - Criminal damage to vehicle - Parsons Close: Complainant parks his vehicle on driveway of home address. Persons unknown at this stage had caused a deep scratch to the boot.

5 March - Theft from motor vehicle - Wood View: All four wheel trims stolen from vehicle whilst parked unattended in street outside of complainant's home address.

Hall committee

At the December meeting of the Memorial Hall Sole Trustee committee, the following issues were discussed:

Audits of equipment in the hall to be done by John Bilton and David Galloway;

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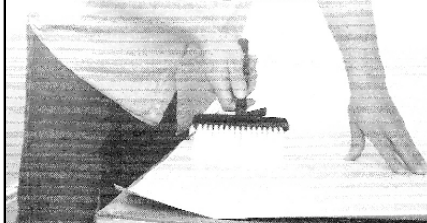
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