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## Park Warden Retires

After 8 years excellent service to the Parish Council, Maurice Lambert retired as Park Warden on 31<sup>st</sup> March. In addition to ensuring that the Playing Field was kept in a clean and tidy state, he was responsible for undertaking safety checks on the play equipment and reporting any concerns to the PC. Maurice was extremely skilled and undertook many repair and maintenance jobs on the playing field, on Riverside Walkway and around the village in general. Our thanks go to Maurice for his hard work and dedication to the role. Maurice's retirement was marked along with our Clerk's retirement at an event attended by councillors and clerks past and present. Pat Lambert retired at the end of March and the couple were given gifts to be enjoyed in their new found leisure time.

Maurice's role is now being undertaken by Shaun Kemp who has the contract for the grounds maintenance of the playing field and Riverside Walkway.

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## Co-op helps Playing Field

Our Playing Field was selected by the Co-op as one of the three good causes in the village that would be helped by their Community Fund, which resulted in a donation of £1,448.60.



The money raised has enabled urgently-needed repairs to the roof of the bowls club pavilion to be carried out. There was a small amount left over, which has gone towards the purchase of materials for the replacement of the leaking felt roof of the toilet extension. The club members, especially Phil Blogg and David Brazier, are carrying out this work themselves. Thanks very much to them for their enthusiasm.

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## Grange Lane Resurfacing

Following our resurfacing of the playing field car park last year we have been anxious to complete repairs to the remainder of Grange Lane as the tarmac had deteriorated and numerous potholes had developed. Works to improve the lane by installing kerbing along the side near the allotments in order to strengthen its ability to carry heavy vehicles were completed in May.

We are very grateful to residents of Grange Lane and users of the playing field for their forbearance while the lane had to be closed to all foot and vehicle traffic, and access to the playing field was unfortunately impossible.



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## Humber Bridge Junction Surface Improvements

On approximately **10<sup>th</sup> July**, work will commence to improve the road surface at the Humber Bridge roundabout and the approach lanes, including the slip road entering the A63 near the Hallmark Hotel.

Work will be undertaken between 8pm and 6am and there will be road closures for all except emergency vehicles. The diversion route into North Ferriby will be via the Melton junction. Signs warning of road closures will be in place two weeks before commencement of work., which is expected to be completed by mid-August.

## Changes to Planning Notifications

The East Riding of Yorkshire Council **will no longer post individual letters to neighbouring properties if there is a planning application made.** Instead they will be publicising all planning applications by placing a site notice or site notices on nearby lamp posts and trees. This will ensure that local residents in the vicinity of an application have the opportunity to comment on planning applications. However residents do not need to wait until they see a site notice and can be kept informed automatically of new applications in their area by registering with Public Access on the council's website, which allows users to:

- view details of planning applications and enforcement notices
- monitor the progress of planning applications and receive updates via email
- submit comments about an application
- search from a constantly updated list of applications
- view all associated documents, including plans, application forms, consultation responses and decision notices with conditions.

These changes form part of a wider initiative to encourage a greater use of technology within the council and the planning service. A step-by-step guide on how to use Public Access can be viewed at [www.eastriding.gov.uk/publicaccess](http://www.eastriding.gov.uk/publicaccess).

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## North Ferriby Outdoor Bowling Club



I just joined to make up the numbers! I did not expect to be hooked and enjoy bowls so much.

I could not imagine that the “old man’s game” could be so exciting or that we could meet so many lovely people or that the best cup of tea was served after a well-fought match.

**We need more members** – you would be very welcome.

Practice days are Sunday and Wednesday afternoons from 2 to 4pm. Matches are on Saturday afternoons and Monday evenings on Ferriby Playing Field. Don't let the summer end without giving bowls a try. Just bring flat shoes, we will find some bowls to fit.

Contact Sheila Brazier **01482 633 785** or Phil Blogg **01482 631 392**

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## Photographic Competition and Exhibition



*Amateur photographers are invited to submit up to four photographs on the theme “**Out and About in North Ferriby**”.* Entries judged to be the winner in each of two categories (‘Open’ and ‘Under 16’) will receive cash prizes. A further ten entries will be selected to feature with the winners in the 2018 Calendar “Out and About in North Ferriby”. The entry fee is £1 per print.

*There will be an EXHIBITION of all entries on **Saturday 16th September** in the Village Hall and those attending will be able to vote on which of the two winning entries shall go on the front of the calendar.*

### Ferriby Screen

Ferriby Screen continues its popular programme of films, which for the next quarter are:

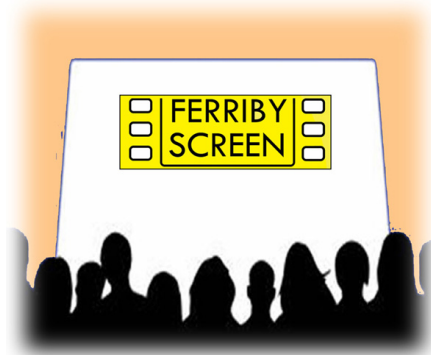
Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July **Aliens** (15)

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August **The Boat That Rocked** (15)

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> September **Singin' in the Rain** (U)

Doors open 7pm, programme start 7.30pm.

Admission is only £5 per person and vouchers can be purchased as a gift for a film of the recipient's choice – email [screen@ferribyvillagehall.org.uk](mailto:screen@ferribyvillagehall.org.uk). Further information is available at [www.ferribyvillagehall.org.uk](http://www.ferribyvillagehall.org.uk).



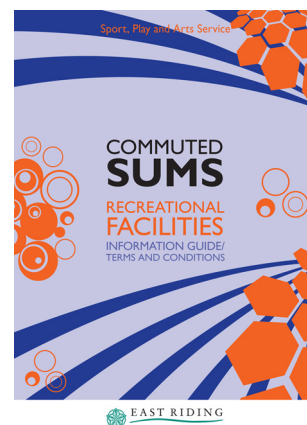
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### Commuted Funds - help to spend them

The recent development of Wilson Close has generated a cash fund, known as a commuted sum, to be spent on recreational, play and sports activities within the village. Funds are available in two separate strands – for children and for older teenagers and adults. The Parish Council will liaise with users of the playing field but we would also like to hear from any not for profit group that has a bank account and a constitution, and which promotes community recreation, play or sports activities that are open to all members of the public at a realistic cost.

The Parish Council would also like to hear from groups or individuals that do not meet the above criteria but have ideas of ways in which village facilities can be improved to enhance access to recreation and leisure eg trails, litter bins and seats (but not on the public highway). We would particularly like to hear the views of children.

Further information on who is eligible to apply and types of projects that the money can fund can be found on our website [www.nferriby.info](http://www.nferriby.info).



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### Freshen Up Ferriby

#### Community Event - 16<sup>th</sup> September

Those who come into Ferriby from the High Road will have noticed the huge improvements at the War Memorial and Coronation Gardens. We cannot let this pass without mentioning the stalwart efforts of a group of volunteers who cleared, trimmed hedges and spread the five tons of new stones most generously donated by Messrs MKM Building Supplies.

The Environment Committee is currently working hard to set up an annual event in the Village that was suggested by a resident. We would like to bring the community together on **Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September** with the aim of involving residents in improving the overall appearance of the Village. Some ideas are:

**General tidying of your own front and adjacent footway.**

**Picking up litter in your street along with the Riverside Walkway or Plantation woods.**

**Joining a group of volunteers to improve the appearance of the bus shelters**

In the afternoon we will gather at the Village Hall for afternoon tea and to share “before and after” photos. If you would like to join us or think that there are certain areas of the Village which require special attention, please contact either Lynda Dennett, on **631 456**, email [dennettian@gmail.com](mailto:dennettian@gmail.com) or Jo Haslope, the Clerk, on **631 822**, email [clerk@nfpccouncil.karoo.co.uk](mailto:clerk@nfpccouncil.karoo.co.uk)

**Keep up to date with Ferriby events  
LOOK ON THE FERRIBY WEBSITE**

[www.nferriby.info](http://www.nferriby.info)

**Our website is kept fully up to date with the latest Ferriby news and events. Keep an eye on Ferriby Diary - [www.ferriby.info/nferribydiary.htm](http://www.ferriby.info/nferribydiary.htm) Local organisations are invited to send details of their events for inclusion on the website.**

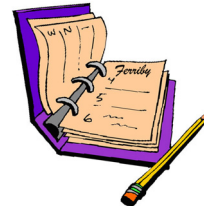
**Join our e-mail up-date list to receive notices by e-mailing:**

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### Skylarks to Perform

The Skylarks band will perform on **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June** in the Village Hall, 7.30 – 11.15pm, in aid of a charity volunteer project to South Africa. £8 per ticket. Information about the charity, which is being supported by local young people, can be found at [www.botshabelo.co.za](http://www.botshabelo.co.za)

### Dates for your Diary



### Open Gardens

#### and Scarecrow Festival

Friends of North Ferriby School are holding the Open Gardens and Scarecrow Festival on **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 11am – 4pm**. Adults £3, accompanied children free. Wristbands can be purchased on the day at the school, Hallmark Hotel and The Old Ticket Office Tea Rooms. Further information can be found at [www.fonfs.btck.co.uk](http://www.fonfs.btck.co.uk).

### North Ferriby Village Show

The annual show, organised by North Ferriby Gardeners' Club, will take place in the Village Hall on **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July, 2 – 4pm**.

Entrance cost is £1 per adult, children free. Schedules of Classes are available from the Post Office. Light refreshments will be available. Please pop in and see the exhibits.

## Dog fouling – Report it in Confidence

Dog fouling continues to be a problem in the village. If you see someone not picking up after their dog, do not challenge them personally, but report as much information to either the Parish Clerk or the dog wardens at ERYC.

You do not need to give the address or name for the wardens to follow up, but simply a description of the dog and the person and time when they usually are out walking is enough for them to target their patrols in the areas where the offender has been seen. Dog wardens can be contacted on **396 301** or you can complete an online form on the ERYC website.



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