

## — UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE VILLAGE HALL —

Ferriby Screen will bring the Christmas feel with "Bridget Jones, Mad About the Boy" (Cert 15) on **Friday, 12th December**. Only released this year, so bang up to date, this is how we round off an extremely busy year at the hall.

Ferriby Screen returns for 2026 on **Friday, 2nd January** with the bitter-sweet "Song for Marion" (Cert 12). Arthur, a grumpy widower, (Terence Stamp) reluctantly joins his late wife Marion's unconventional senior choir.

Next year's films include 2025's exciting "F1" starring Brad Pitt, and the film that made a star of a young Liza Minnelli, "Cabaret".

Two live events provide something for everyone. **Friday, 16th January** - Join us in January for Music Bingo! Featuring the sounds of the 60's and 70's, it's a night filled with music, nostalgia, and fun! Combining the excitement of bingo with the timeless hits of two unforgettable decades, it's not a quiz, so there's no need for any music knowledge – just listen, enjoy, and mark off the hit songs. There's a delicious supper too.

And on **Friday, 27th February** we're proud to bring you what the Daily Mail described as "the most feel-good show in town", as Paulus the Cabaret Geek and pianist Michael Roulston bring us the songs of the late great Victoria Wood. This show is for fans of Victoria and for those yet to discover her, to come together and relish in her breathtaking wizardry with words. So, to coin her phrase, "Let's do it!"

Book online booking system at [ferribyvillagehall.org.uk/bookings](http://ferribyvillagehall.org.uk/bookings) or you can email [ferribyvillagehall@outlook.com](mailto:ferribyvillagehall@outlook.com) or text or phone 07555 347968 for more information.



## WHAT'S ON AT YOUR FERRIBY SOCIAL THIS CHRISTMAS

**Fri 19 Dec SKYLARKS** – get ready for a fun, festive, lively, rocking and super thrilling night from these brilliant guys who will give you everything you can ask for (on the dance floor that is!) Non-members £5 entry, cash on the door please to support the continued live entertainment business.

**Wed 24 Dec – XMAS EVE – REACTION** – oh we are really being spoilt this year as the brilliant party band return giving us a Xmas Eve to Remember.  
**BAND TO START AT 8.30pm.**  
**ALL ENTRIES - TICKET ONLY £5 TO BE BOUGHT IN ADVANCE**  
**NO TICKET, NO ADMISSION.**

**Thurs 25 Dec – CHRISTMAS DAY – CLOSED** – allow us to enjoy this day with our families and we hope you will be doing the same.

**Wed 31 Dec – NEW YEAR'S EVE – OTTO** – an evening of song and dance with a free bingo and games session in the interval.

**LIVE MUSIC FROM 9pm**  
**ALL ENTRIES - TICKET ONLY £5 TO BE BOUGHT IN ADVANCE**  
**NO TICKET, NO ADMISSION.**

Tickets available for these events from the bar, cash preferred, from 1<sup>st</sup> Dec.  
**All Welcome.**  
**Please support your village social as we head into our 106<sup>th</sup> year in the village.**  
**Any questions? Call Annalise on 07572 688183.**

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# VILLAGE NEWS

## Winter 2025



## MORE HOMES PLANNED FOR HOUSING DEVELOPMENT ON FERRIBY HIGH ROAD

A planning application has been submitted for a further 36 properties to be constructed as Phase 2 of the housing development on Ferriby High Road. The extension to the site, most of which was included in the latest East Riding Local Plan, will be to the east of the site currently under construction, and will utilise the same access point off the main road. The Parish Council has submitted an objection on the following grounds:

- Over development of the site. The site for Phases 1 and 2 was to provide 141 new homes – the additional 36 homes brings the total to 151.
- Lack of open market bungalows. On the submission there is only 1 market value bungalow out of the 36 properties proposed, this needs to be increased to 10%, to be in line with other developments and to meet the needs of the locality.
- Inappropriate housing mix. East Riding's policy indicates that the number of larger houses, 4+ bedrooms, on such a site should be 10-15% of the total, whereas the submission proposes 51%. The PC requests that proportion of large houses be reduced accordingly and smaller 2-bedroom houses be increased from 19% to 35% in line with ERYC policy.
- The proposal does not provide for good traffic circulation within the site or allow for future public transport access.
- There is insufficient information provided to demonstrate adequate mitigation for wildlife.

Further information can be found on the East Riding of Yorkshire planning portal using the reference 25/02811/PLF.



## CLARIFICATION ON PARKING PROPOSALS FOR HIGH STREET

The Parish Council wishes to clarify what it understands to be the situation regarding potential parking restrictions on High Street in the village.

As per the plan attached, ERYC has asked for the views on 'no waiting at any time' restrictions on the north of the High St, between Parklands Drive and Aston Hall Drive, with a small section of restriction on the corner to the east of Aston Hall Drive. The Parish Council has had no prior knowledge of, or involvement in seeking restrictions and has questioned the justification of the proposal. It is not aware of any problems arising on this stretch of road as vehicles tend to park on the south side only. At present therefore, the PC is not supporting the proposal as it does not consider it to be a good use of scarce taxpayer resources. If justification for the proposal is provided in the future, the PC will reconsider the situation afresh.



The Parish Council is not aware of a proposal to implement a 'no waiting at any time' between Aston Hall Drive and Woodgates Lane, with the exception of the corner of Aston Hall Drive as mentioned above. If such a proposal does come before the PC in the future it will give it due consideration, and this will include the consequences for local residents and traffic speed and flow.

As with all traffic proposals, a draft plan comes first to Parish and Ward councillors for their views, and it is at a later stage that the public is formally invited to comment. However, if any resident wishes to share their views with the PC ahead of any further consideration, please email the Clerk in confidence.



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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### SUNDAY, 7th DECEMBER, 4.30 p.m.

Father Christmas begins his sleigh tour around North Ferriby, departing from The Duke of Cumberland. Ferriby Ladies Choir will be singing carols at the pub from 4.00pm to send him on his way. Donations to charity will be appreciated as Father Christmas goes around the village.

### MONDAY, 15th DECEMBER, 7.30 p.m.

the Parish Council holds its monthly meeting in the Village Hall.

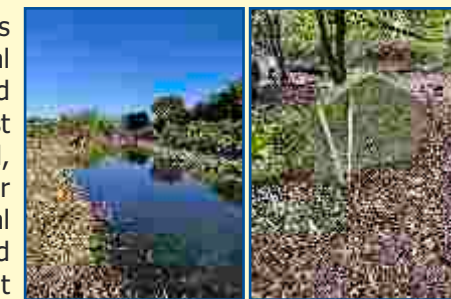
### WEDNESDAY, 17th DECEMBER, 7.00 p.m.

Carols around the Lych Gate at All Saints Church with the Parish Council. Bring a torch or lantern. Refreshments in the Church afterwards. Please check out the noticeboards and Facebook pages of other venues in the village where entertainment will be provided for you throughout December and the New Year.



## AUTUMN PROJECTS COMPLETED

Thank you to those that helped with the three key environmental projects which were commissioned by the Parish Council in the Autumn. The usual Reed Pond and Riverside Walkway woodland clearance was completed. And this year, for the first time, a day was spent at Blasket Pond where a vast number of helpers cleared shrubs and trees around the edge of the pond, which fortunately was temporarily dried up, to make it more accessible for wildlife and visitors. Organised by The Conservation Volunteers, joining local residents and parish councillors were teams from Reckitt, MS3 Network and Aa Global. And thank you to those wonderful local people who go out regularly around the village picking up litter. We are grateful for your efforts all year round. If anyone else would like to be a volunteer picker, contact the clerk and she will provide the equipment, and pink sacks for ERYC to collect.



A reminder that there is an outreach Post Office service each Monday in The Duke of Cumberland, 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.

Please support this facility as it means a lot to people who find it difficult to access PO services elsewhere.

## KNOW YOUR NORTH FERRIBY

Saturday, 7th March 2026 • 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.



Following the success of the Know Your North Ferriby event in 2024, community groups are once again inviting you to see what is happening in your village that you can get involved in. Around thirty stalls will be set up in the Village Hall on the day, and the organisers would love to tell you what they do. A lot of people give their time so that we have a vibrant and friendly community – pop in on the day, there is no charge. Refreshments will be available.

## NORTH FERRI-BEE FRIENDLY WILDFLOWER BEDS



The North Ferri-bee Friendly Group were helped by the Ferriby and Swanland Scout Group to plant wildflower beds at the entrance to the park last month. The project was supported by a Windfarm Grant. The wildflowers will start to grow next Spring and provide food and habitat for bees and other pollinators.

Wild bees are in decline, and this project aims to help make North Ferriby a more bee friendly place. For more information and get involved visit our Facebook page.



## FURTHER TREE PLANTING APPROVED



Despite the very long, dry summer, the new trees that were planted around the village have thrived. Thank you to those residents who have nurtured them through these stressful times. The Environment Committee has agreed that more trees will be planted over the winter period and assistance with watering would be appreciated if necessary if you have one in a verge near you.



## NORTH FERRIBY LIBRARY

### OPENING TIMES:

Tues 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. | Thurs 2 p.m. – 6 p.m.  
Sat 10 a.m. – 12 noon

Have you popped into the Library recently? Not only can you pick up a great book, a caddy bin or new liners, but we also offer these free services.

**Help for Households. We are a welcoming and warm space.**

If you are in need of products during your period, drop in and collect a bag containing period products, completely free of charge. There is no limit to how many times you can use this service so please come back whenever you need to. Drop in and collect a bag containing period products, completely free of charge.

**Learning and Study** - For learners of all ages, find access to free digital courses, get more confident with computers, help with homework and learn to code easily.

**Groups and clubs** - We have lots of social groups and fun activities for all ages at our libraries. Check out "What's On" through the East Riding Libraries Web Page, or through the Libraries App.

**Digital Resources** - Using the Libraries App you can access free Magazines and Newspapers, books and audio books.

**Games and Jigsaws** - You can borrow games and jigsaws for free. A good way to spend time at Christmas with family and friends.

**Poetry Competition** - The East Riding Festival of Words poetry competition is now open for entries with theme of 'My universe'. Closing date is 10th January 2026 and prizes are available. Ask staff for more details.

Call into the Library and ask staff for more details or telephone us on 01482 632227.

## SUSTAINABLE FERRIBY

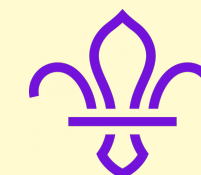


Sustainable Ferriby CIC, which has hosted two events in the village about green energy, is proud to have assisted community groups and individuals to identify energy saving schemes. Highlights are

- The primary school was due to have the KS2 building re-roofed and the CIC pointed out the opportunity to include solar panels. 50kW of solar panels have been included in the project which will bring big savings to the school's budget.
- The CIC was approached by the Anne Turner Allotments for assistance in replacing petrol mowers with electric ones. Solar energy now powers the site with the aid of a grant from the Windfarm Fund.
- £10,000 was secured by the CIC from Yor4Good for Ferriby Social Club to install solar panels which will reduce its energy costs by up to 50%.

Sustainable Ferriby CIC can be contacted via its website by groups and individual householders interested in finding out more about the benefits of using renewable energy.

## Volunteer Leaders (Aged 18+) desperately needed for the Ferriby and Swanland Scout Group!



- Previous experience of Scouting not essential as full training will be given
- Volunteering can be flexible
- Learn new skills yourself and pass on existing skills and knowledge

For more information, please contact Group Scout Secretary Lucy Crow: [lucycrow@hotmail.com](mailto:lucycrow@hotmail.com)