# The Yealands News for Conyers, Redmayne and Storrs July 2025

#### **Parish Council News**

We made it! The Spacehive crowd funding target was met with just hours to spare. This means that we can get the YOGA refurbishment done over the summer break. We can look forward to Yealand Pickleball sessions on a first class pitch. Thank you so much to all who contributed.

Thanks too to everyone who took part, donated and joined us for the Raffle on 4<sup>th</sup> June. An impressive nearly £2000 was raised for the YOGA. We are particularly indebted to local businesses and individuals who so generously donated prizes and to all those who bought tickets. It has been most heartening to see the support our communities have given for this venture.

#### **Yealand Welcome Pack**

There is an updated version of the Welcome Pack which is full of useful local information for anyone new to the area or even been here for years and need a phone number. It is on the website <a href="https://www.theyealandspc.org.uk">www.theyealandspc.org.uk</a> or ask the Clerk for a paper copy. <a href="mailto:clerk@theyealndspc.org.uk">clerk@theyealndspc.org.uk</a>

Next PC meeting **2**<sup>nd</sup> **July 7.30pm** Village Hall.

## Village Hall News

To give you lots of time for planning, all our other forthcoming events are listed below.

## Friday 25th July from 5.00pm

Summer Social Yonder Pizza and Bar



Our popular annual event, kicking off summer with an end of term social evening for all the family. Card payment is preferred for this event. Proceeds

from this event go to the Village Hall.

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> October brings live music and dancing with Ashleigh Wood, popular local singer.



FLICKS IN THE STICKS brought to us by Cine North: first filmConclave coming to Yealand on Sat 20th September 7.30pm.
BYO food and drink.

Booking available from 1st August. Adults: £5. Under 16s accompanied by an adult are free.

Next film night 22<sup>nd</sup> November. December as always is filled with festive fun with quiz, bar, tractor trundle and the fish and chip van. We will keep you updated VH Committee

Contact to book events or if you have queries: Susan Mason-Cave coopermason39@gmail.com or message 07752 358357

## **Yealand School News**

During this second half of term, we have events which are open to all; and we would love for you to join us.

## Friday 11th July

In the morning **9-10:30am**, we have our end of show spectacular in the Village Hall. This year has been about renewing our school vision for the future and our children are at the heart of this. They will be putting on a talent show to entertain throughout the morning. Refreshments and a treat tombola will be available.

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July is a time to celebrate our Little Owl's as they graduate from our School Nursery to begin their school journey in September. This year we are heading to forest school for a morning of activities and outdoor fun. If you would like to come along please meet at the school for 9.15am wearing suitable outdoor clothing and footwear.

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July is a time to reflect and celebrate the amazing contributions to school our Year 6 children have made. We will meet together in St. John's Church at 2.00pm for our annual Leaver's Service School closes for the year on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> July.

We hope to see you at one or more of our events in the coming weeks. Thank you for your continued support this year.

Kathryn Brown (Headteacher)



Two gardens in Yealand Conyers will open on **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August 11:00-5.00** under the National Garden Scheme (NGS): Holmere Lodge, Dykes Lane and 55, Yealand Road. £5 combined admission. All proceeds to NGS supported charities. Refreshments available at Holmere Lodge.

More info at <a href="https://ngs.org.uk/">https://ngs.org.uk/</a>

### St John's Church News

Congratulations to the May 50/50 Club winners: Alan Casson, Donna and Dave Pinder, Angela and Tom MacCarthy.

**Dates for your Diary** (all events at St John's)

Coffee @ St. John's, Fridays 10:30am till 12pm. Please join us for coffee and cakes.

Summer Lunch: Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July, 12pm Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 23rd July, 2pm

NB Knit and Natter will take a break over the summer and return on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September.

Thank you to all who supported St John's Summer Music Concert. Over £500 was raised in support of RNLI.



Please join us for Church on the Crag 'Well Walk' on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> July. Meet at St Oswald's Church, Warton, 3pm.

#### **SAVE THE DATE!**

St John's annual Tidy up the Churchyard day on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September.

For all enquiries and information, please contact Mother Alice Ormondroyd 07469 739995.

## **Quaker Garden Party**

Our annual garden party is on **Saturday July 5th 2.30 to 4.30 pm** in the Meeting House grounds in Yealand Conyers.

All welcome, no charge. Come and enjoy our grounds and hospitality.

## Charity representative needed for Yealand Redmayne and Storrs:

We are still needing a volunteer to represent Yealand Redmayne and Storrs on the Dr Sherlock's Charity. Since this ancient fund-giving charity has been rejuvenated, already £4000 has been given to the schools in Yealand and Warton for extra equipment.

The charity trustees meet twice a year. and this would be a lovely way to make a positive impact on our villages. Contact the Clerk if you feel you could help. clerk@theyealandspc.org.uk

#### **RSPB News**

**Bird Song ID walk** Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July, from 7.30am – 9.30am. Booking essential https://events.rspb.org.uk/events/119766

#### Makers' market

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July 10am-4pm Supporting local artists and makers, showcasing their lovingly made products to Leighton Moss visitors. Free to attend.

https://events.rspb.org.uk/events/106871

## **Leighton Hall events**

There are several events planned in July: a free valuation of antiques etc with Tennants auctioneers on 1<sup>st</sup> July; the classic and performance motor show on 6<sup>th</sup> July; a 'Shakespeare in the Garden' performance of *As You Like It* 

on 24<sup>th</sup> July; and motorcycle hill racing on the 27<sup>th</sup> July. For details see https://www.leightonhall.co.uk/whatson/events-diary

#### **Nature News**



A very different scene this month after the weeks of deep blue skies. With the wetter and at times much warmer weather has

come lush grass regrowth and a host of wildflowers recovering from the drought – and our familiar north west, often dramatic, cloudscapes. A renewed dawn chorus this midsummer suggests some garden and woodland birds are nurturing their second brood. They are feasting on the insects that live on all the flowers and grasses abundant our gardens and fields and hedges. It's great to see the places that people have left for nature, in the area.

#### **Yealand Newsletter**

Do contact me if you find the newsletter hasn't arrived. If you know of anyone who doesn't have email and would like a paper copy, let us know, we will try to arrange one to be dropped off.

Amanda

Copy for the next edition by Friday 25<sup>th</sup> July to Amanda Bingley on the YN email: yealandnewsletter@gmail.com