

Your new Parish Council

Your new Parish council was elected in May following the local elections. We say goodbye to Michael Francis from Givendale who stepped down, but thank him for his very valuable contribution to the Parish.

We welcome new Councillors Katie Burton and Shawn Smith from Millington. Katie lives in the village and has always taken a very active and interested role in village life which we are sure will show in her work for the Parish. Shawn lived in the village for over 20 years before leaving to pursue his business commitments but has returned to the village and is looking forward to being involved with the council.

Conservation

Feedback from residents on the Village Plan questionnaire showed 63% of people would like to be involved in some sort of conservation group in the Parish. Anyone interested is invited to come along to an Open Forum in the village hall on:

Tuesday 2nd July 2019 at 7.30pm

to determine what type of conservation group was sought after.

Councillors and Contacts

Your Parish Councillors

Ali Cargill (Chair), Paul Brooks, Laura Burley, Sharon Cawood, Lynn Berriman, Katie Burton and Shawn Smith.

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Parish Matters

Anyone wishing to contribute to the magazine should contact Sharon Cawood at sdcawood@gmail.com



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Millington Heritage Display

The Millington Heritage exhibition supported by The Heritage Fund is now on display at St Margaret's church. The exhibition has been put together by local people gathering information from the community and researching archived references to the area.

Due to limited space the display will be changed every 4-6 weeks allowing full information on the local history of the area and the church to be displayed. The exhibition currently displayed gives an insight into the history of the farms in Millington; information about the local farming community past and present is given in detail.

Displays planned for the near future include: 'The History of Millington School' and 'The Lost Houses of Millington'. Updates will be published regularly.

We hope that you will visit regularly to learn about the heritage of Millington. The church is open daily 10am - 4pm. Visitors are encouraged to leave comments in the visitor book and help by giving details of any additional information which could be added to the records of the display.



Millington Street Party

Please come and join in our Parish community event on

Sunday July 7th

Visit Millington Church to see one of a series of Millington heritage exhibitions taking place and the church restoration work under way.

There will be the usual Treasure hunt, for young and old!

The famous **Millington Village Street Tea will be at 4pm**

(Donations for the tea will be greatly appreciated and can be left at Lynn Berriman's, The Bungalow, on the day).

Table Top Sale

Do you have a garage full of "stuff" that needs sorting and selling? Why not join in the Table top Sale with a table outside your house between 12 noon and 3pm. £10 per table, with all money raised to go to St Margaret's Church to aid the repairs to the roof.

For further details please contact Katie Burton

Little blue penguins

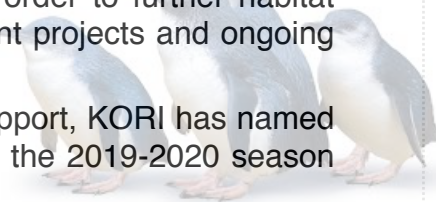
Did you know there was such thing as a little blue penguin?

Many thanks to all those who attended the presentation in Millington Village Hall on Friday 3rd May by Chloe Cargill on behalf of the Kaikoura Ocean Research Institute (KORI), New Zealand.

Attendees filled the hall for a lively discussion about the natural history, ecology and conservation of the smallest penguin in the world, and its close relative, the white-flippered penguin.

An astounding £75 was raised through generous donations, which has been passed directly to the charity in order to further habitat improvement works, community engagement projects and ongoing scientific research.

To say 'Thank-You!' to residents for their support, KORl has named the first hatched little blue penguin chick of the 2019-2020 season Millington!



Dog Fouling and Fly Tipping

Sadly there has been an increase in Dog Fouling in the Parish and ERYC have said they are within their rights to refuse to cut the verges if this continues. The great majority of dog walkers do pick up after their dog and get really annoyed with the few who don't, as they don't want to be "tarred with the same brush." There is no excuse for not picking up. If you have any information on those responsible for allowing dogs to foul without picking up, please contact the dog warden on 01482 396 301

BE A SMART DOG AND
GET YOUR OWNER TO
CLEAN UP AFTER YOU.



Several cases of Fly Tipping have also been seen around the Parish. If you do see any, please do not touch the waste yourself but contact ERYC at www.eastriding.gov.uk and search for Fly Tipping, giving as much detail as possible.

village walkabout

As reported in the last edition of Parish Matters, we have had a visit from the East Riding of Yorkshire Council (ERYC) village Taskforce Team to identify work they want to carry out to tidy up the parish.

ERYC decide what work needs doing. They were very positive about the village and during the summer we should see signs cleaned, benches painted, manhole covers replaced and trees & hedges trimmed.

The Parish Council will continue to report the poor state of some of the roads to the Highway department to try to get them improved. Robert Willoughby and Judith Roberts have both very kindly offered to do the general maintenance work at Swineridge and we thank them very much for this.