

# Eakring Echo

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To celebrate living in the wonderful village of Eakring for 20 years.



# ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

The services for April are shown below:-

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 9.00am

Worship for All Heather Brown

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> April 9.00am

Palm Sunday Holy Communion

**Rvd Margaret Groves** 

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April 7.00pm **Maundy Thursday Communion Service** 

Rvd Margaret Groves and Heather Brown

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> April 9.00am **Easter Sunday Holy Communion** 

**Rvd Margaret Groves** 

# Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> April 6.00pm **Easter Jov**

A celebration of Easter in music, with the Eakring Village Choir.
Please come and join us. All welcome.

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April 9.00am **Worship for All** Heather Brown

There will be a Good Friday service at Bilsthorpe St. Margaret's church at 2pm on Friday 15th April.

#### MOBILE LIBRARY

The next visit to the village is currently scheduled for Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April.

11.00am Savile Arms 11.20am Triumph Road

Now returned to regular browsing service.

# **RUMMIKUB & KURLING**

The next 2 meetings will be on Thursday14<sup>th</sup> and Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April at 2.00pm in the Cator Hall.

#### EAKRING WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

At the March meeting the President, Gill Pennicott, welcomed everyone including the Speaker Malcolm Darroch.

Jerusalem was sung followed by a short business meeting.

The speaker then gave a talk and slide show on The Forgotten Country – Travels in Tibet. He explained how when on holiday he met many of the Tibetan people and their families and his slides showed many of the colourful religious icons, the villages and the beautiful countryside. A vote of thanks was given by Jenny Bartle. This was then followed by refreshments and raffle.

The next Meeting is the 81<sup>st</sup> Birthday Party on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April at 7.15pm in the Cator Hall. Speaker –

Baroness Bolsover – Linda Holmes Topic – Afternoon Tea Etiquette Vote of Thanks - Pat Peach.

Followed by Afternoon Tea! Everyone welcome.

#### VILLAGE MAIL DELIVERIES

The mail deliveries to Eakring each week has now become a shared round!

Ian our regular postman will be working half the week - Thursday Friday and Saturdays and Greg is covering Monday, Tuesday and Wednesdays. Ian our well-loved dedicated long term postman is now starting to wind down ready for retirement. Ian has become a friend to many and loves Eakring. He says everyone is so kind. Ian is exceptionally kind and considerate himself and working alongside him will be Greg a postman who is thoughtful and smiles at everyone. This partnership, we are lucky to have, and their dedication to delivering the mail is over and above the expectations of many. Thank you to both of them.

#### NATURE FRIENDLY EAKRING

Keep an ear out for early migrant songbirds. Chiffchaff are often first to announce their arrival with their simple two note song which sounds like their name.

#### **EAKRING COMMUNITY ORCHARD**

If anyone would enjoy helping with a woodworking project for the orchard -

A **Barn Owl nest box** would be good to have for the old pear tree. The Barn Owl Trust have a tried and tested design

https://www.barnowltrust.org.uk/barn-owlnestbox/owl-boxes-for-trees/

A hand powered mini-baler would help us make use of the hay we cut. Caring for God's Acre have a design we could use <a href="https://www.caringforgodsacre.org.uk/the-story-of-a-hand-hay-baler/">https://www.caringforgodsacre.org.uk/the-story-of-a-hand-hay-baler/</a>

If you would like to help make either of these please get in touch.

Email: <u>rob@robpedley.co.uk</u> or phone 01623 871197

## THE SAVILE ARMS

We are having a St George's day celebration at The Savile on Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2022 starting at 7.30pm.

There will be a meal of Cod, chips and mushy peas, washed down with either a pint of beer/lager/cider, a glass of wine or a soft drink of your choice all included in the price of £7.50. If you would like to join us please contact Emma at The Savile on 01623 870264 or Marion on 01623 870712.

Also don't forget that every Thursday we have a quiz night starting at 9pm. Really enjoyable.

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#### **EAKRING PARISH COUNCIL**

The Parish Council would like to say a big thank you to everyone who supported the litter pick. It was great to see so many people out doing their bit..

The Cator Hall can now be booked via email, enquiries should be sent to **thecatorhall@gmail.com**. Please note that bookings can still be made by phone on 01623 870517.

The Parish Council would like to produce a Heritage Walk leaflet, featuring interesting walks in and around Eakring. Anyone who would like to contribute to the leaflet, or assist in its publication, should email the Parish Council via eakringparishcouncil@gmail.com

All villagers are reminded that Eakring is a Conservation Village and as such anyone wanting to cut down a tree should contact Newark and Sherwood DC before doing so.

A leaflet detailing the events to be held over the Queen's Jubilee weekend will soon be sent out to every house in Eakring. It will explain what is happening and how to participate.

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be on the 13<sup>th</sup> April in the Cator Hall starting at 7.30pm. Everyone is welcome.

#### SPRING CRAFT FAIR

Cator Hall Saturday, 9<sup>th</sup> April 10.00am - 3.00pm.



A variety of local artisans selling quality handmade gifts.

Refreshments and homemade cakes available.

Cash purchases please.

Any enquiries to Alex 07515 067934 or Gill 07899 742079

## **BUS SERVICE REMINDER**

**BUS 330 to NEWARK** departs from the Triumph Road stop at 11.45am on Wednesdays and Fridays (except Bank Holidays), returning from Newark bus station at 2.05pm.

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