

FLEETHAM, FENCOTES & LANGTON

Social News - No 106 May & June 2025

Village Hall Newsletter

St Mary's Church invites
you to a

V. E. DAY



AFTERNOON TEA!



Saturday, May 10th

3.00 - 4.30pm

Kirkby Fleetham

Village Hall

Adults £12 U.12s £6

EAT IN OR TAKE AWAY

PRE-BOOKING ESSENTIAL

Add some sparkle with a glass of Prosecco!

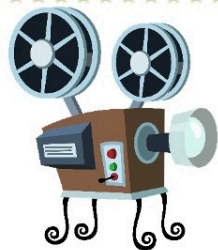


Tickets **(cash only)** available from

KF HUB (Wed. /Sat. 10.15 – 12.15)

Or Ruth (01609 748090), **Joy** (01609 748825), **Sheila** (07775600452)

*Singalong with the Village Choir at
4.0pm*



ARMCHAIR CINEMA @ KIRKBY FLEETHAM VILLAGE HALL

Thursday April 24th, 7pm



During the Cold War, the Soviet Union captures U.S. pilot Francis Gary Powers after shooting down his U-2 spy plane. Sentenced to 10 years in prison, Powers' only hope is New York lawyer James Donovan (Tom Hanks), recruited by a CIA operative to negotiate his release. Donovan boards a plane to Berlin, hoping to win the young man's freedom through a prisoner exchange. If all goes well, the Russians would get Rudolf Abel (Mark Rylance), the convicted spy who Donovan defended in court.

Certificate: 12

No ticket needed, just come along.

Donations for the Village Hall

JAZZ SUPPER EVENING

IN AID OF



FEATURING SCRUTON JAZZ & BLUES

SATURDAY
26 APRIL 2025

KIRKBY FLEETHAM VILLAGE HALL

7:30 PM



INCLUDED:

MEAT/CHEESE SHARING PLATTERS
BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS

DOORS OPEN
7 PM

TICKETS(S) £12 - CONTACT:

DAVE - 07766 141164

SUSAN - 07776 145529

<https://www.facebook.com/scrutonjazzandblues>



Kirkby Fleetham School - A Celebration!

Saturday 10 May - 11am - 3pm

The Friends of Kirkby Fleetham School are organising a farewell party and celebration at Kirkby Fleetham Primary School on Saturday 10 May.

We would like to invite all pupils and families past and present, as well as anyone from the community who would like to come along and help us celebrate the wonderful years we have all had at this special little school.

There will be fun activities for all the children, including a bouncy castle, climbing wall and face painting! Plus chance to learn more about the wonderful 250 year history of Kirkby Fleetham School and enjoy refreshments available for all.

To help us plan for the catering, please drop us an email at kfschool.friends@outlook.com to let us know if you are planning to join us!

Thank you, The Friends Committee.



Yoga and sound bath Day Retreat, Sunday May 18, 9.30am - 2.45pm

To include 75 mins yoga
asana, tea & treats,
sound bath, lunch, an
exploration of the 8
limbs of yoga and
meditation.

£50

Sunday morning mini-retreat Sunday July 6, 9.30am - 12.30pm

Yoga, tea & treats,
sound bath

£25

Further information:

Mike@balancestay.com

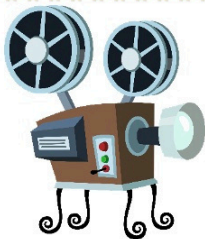
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**Jean Morley with the cheque she
presented to James Cook Hospital
for those who need long-term care.**

**Jean raised £3,000 by the end of
2024 and the funds will be used to
buy patio doors to give patients
independent access to a serene
courtyard garden.**

**The funds raised came from selling
preserves, teaching bridge and
sewing jobs. This work continues
with £120 raised for charity this
year.**



ARMCHAIR CINEMA

@ KIRKBY FLEETHAM VILLAGE HALL

Thursday May 29th, 7pm



The remarkable true story of Francesca Cabrini and her mission to help hundreds of children after witnessing immense poverty in the slums of New York.

From Alejandro Monteverde, award-winning director of Sound of Freedom, comes the powerful epic of Francesca Cabrini, an Italian immigrant who arrives in New York City in 1889 and is greeted by disease, crime, and impoverished children. Cabrini sets off on a daring mission to convince the hostile mayor to secure housing and healthcare for society's most vulnerable. With broken English and poor health, Cabrini uses her entrepreneurial mind to build an empire of hope unlike anything the world had ever seen.

Certificate: 12

No ticket needed, just come along.

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LOCAL HISTORY GROUP

Tuesday May 20, 7pm

The Green Howards - Your local regiment

Simon Dowson, who served with the Green Howards from 1977-1985 will be talking about The Green Howards, Alexandra Princess of Wales's own Yorkshire Regiment, from its raising in 1688 to its amalgamation into the Royal Yorkshire Regiment in 2005.

Between 1877 and 1961 the focal point of the Green Howards, while their battalions served overseas, was their Regimental Recruit Training Depot at Richmond. Most of the recruits came from the surrounding local area and after basic training at Richmond were posted to the first or second battalions who could be anywhere in the world.

The strong local links that were created during the 88 years the Green Howards were in Richmond continue until the present day.

Refreshments will be available. Free event for Members, Guests £4. All are very welcome.

Tuesday July 15, 7pm

Tony Robinson of the Yorkshire Vernacular Buildings Study Group will be speaking.

Local History Displays

The displays in the History & Resource Room at the Village Hall are updated every few weeks. Feel free to drop in whenever the Hall is open and leave your comments/ideas in our visitor book.



BLACK HORSE VILLAGE LUNCH

WEDNESDAY MAY 21 & JUNE 18

12 FOR 12.30PM

NO TICKETS REQUIRED. JUST TURN UP

Open gardens and craft trail

Sunday June 1, 11am – 5pm



David Russell from the Kirkby Fleetham and Fencotes Gardening Group describes the inspiration behind this year's open gardens event with the addition of a craft trail.

"As a tribute to my beautiful late wife Jackie who tragically passed away in September, who loved her garden, her crafting and more importantly these wonderful villages we were proud to call home. At this year's open gardens I would also like to include a craft trail.

My hope is that alongside the open gardens we can have a trail of tables displaying the crafts and skills of many of our village's multi-talented crafters, makers and artists.

These tables can be positioned in the garden of the crafter / maker / artist or in one of the many other open gardens in the villages. We currently have 18 gardens and 12 craft stalls/displays. There will be refreshments all day, a plant stall and car parking in Kirkby Fleetham Haulage yard. My idea is, as a tribute to Jackie and her love of crafting, for us to showcase the talents of the crafters / makers in the villages who loved crafting as much as she did.

*If you are a crafter / maker / artist, and would like to be involved, or would just like some more information call **David on 01609 748769***



Jackie loved her crafting and her garden and the many friends she made in the crafting community and gardening group. And I feel this would be a fitting tribute to a beautiful, caring talented lady, whose legacy will forever be in my heart and in our community. And remember there is also time to consider opening your garden if you haven't already agreed to do so, again call David for further information. Thank you for taking the time to read this".

David Russell

Gardening Group



Thursday May 1, 7pm

Club member Julia, talking about and demonstrating Bonsai growing



Thursday June 5, 7pm

Paul Turner from Garth Cottage Herbs

Visitors £4



Plant stall

**Saturday May 3
10am to 12 noon**

Village Hall

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**Thursday May 8 &
Thursday June 12
7.15pm**

Book Club in the library

**Tuesday May 6 &
June 3, 7pm**

Pop along and join us to share and discuss your reads of the month, whether you enjoyed them, or not. We swap and share between us or borrow something from the library shelves.

We now have a book stand in the Library, showcasing Jackie Russell's reads, all with a personal comment and score of approval from her. You are all very welcome to borrow and enjoy her choices.

The selection will be changed each month and David is very happy for her books to be added to the shelves.

Village Hall weekly activities

MONDAY

Metabolic Effect 6.30 - 7pm

Pilates 7-8pm

Kath Burgin,

k_burgin@hotmail.com

07894 718696

FRIDAY

Vinyasa yoga

First session : 9.30 -10.30am

Second session: 10.45 - 11.45am

Helen Robinson

yoga-bella.com

TUESDAY

Bridge Club

9.30am - 12.30pm & 2 -5pm

Margaret.osler3@gmail.com

01609 748960

or

jean.morley55@gmail.com

01609 748066

WEDNESDAY

Metabolic Effect 6.30 - 7pm

Kath Burgin, k_burgin@hotmail.com

07894 718696

THURSDAY

General exercise for older adults

10 - 11am

Kath Burgin,

k_burgin@hotmail.com

07894 718696

Carpet bowls

2-4pm

Village Hall Hub
Wednesday & Saturday



10.15am - 12.15pm



All items £1.50 each
Eat in or take away

ST. MARY'S CHURCH : K. F.



SERVICES - Please Note: Following a structural survey of St. Mary's Church, we are unable to hold any services there until further notice. We will, instead, be using the Village Hall.

Everyone is welcome to our services & to stay for coffee & refreshments afterwards!

May

Sun. 4th 11.00am Holy Communion
Sun. 11th 11.00am Morning Worship

June

Sun. 9th 11.00 Holy Communion
Sun. 16th 11.00 Holy Communion



COFFEE MORNINGS / EVENTS:
10.15am – 12noon K F Village Hall

Sat. May 3rd Coffee morning for St. Mary's Church

Sat. May 10th V E Day Afternoon Tea (3.00 – 4.30pm) See Page 1

Sun. June 1st Refreshments for Village Open Gardens



to everyone for your support in helping to raise.....

March 1st Coffee Morning for Marie Curie Cancer **£290**

April 5th Coffee Morning for St. Mary's Church **£453**

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN PRODUCING THIS NEWSLETTER?

Kirkby Fleetham Village Hall Committee is looking for a volunteer to produce Social News. Training and software will be provided where needed.

If you are interested in this role and want to find out more please contact any member of the Village Hall Committee or the current editor, Lynda Dillon, lyndafothergill@hotmail.com



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