

SEPTEMBER 2024

### BARTON UPON HUMBER WHAT'S ON p12-13

#### At the end of the month Barton's Baysgarth Park parkrun celebrates its first birthday

# Parkrun's 'birthday'

#### This edition

Saturday mornings, for many, start with a parkrun. Some just want to have a weekly run or walk with the opportunity to catch up with friends. Some want to beat their time from the time they ran before or chase a new Personal Best. Some are parkrun tourists who want to visit different locations and/or chase challenges like the Alphabeater (where they complete an event starting with each letter of the alphabet (except X - as none exist!). And, some never participate but turn up most weeks to volunteer to enable us to get the event on safely and smoothly.

After lots of behind-the-scenes hard work and planning, Baysgarth Park parkrun started on September 30, 2023. Since then, (up to and including event 48 on August 24) 2502 participants have completed 6731 parkruns covering a total distance of 33,655 kilometres including 1,397 personal bests being recorded. A total of 199 individual volunteers have volunteered at the event.

The event was presented with the Good Mark Award by Barton Civic Society at the New Year's Day Event (an extra event above and beyond the Saturday morning norm). This was awarded for the hard work and perseverance setting up and running the Baysgarth Park parkrun benefiting local runners and attracting visitors from around the country and, in April, Baysgarth Park parkrun gratefully received the new Town Award for Organisations from Barton Town Council in memory of Mrs Wendy Witter who dedicated most of her life volunteering in the community of the town.

We've collected donations from our participants at several of our seasonal events for the Barton Area Food Bank and plan to do this again



Town Council Annual Award 2024

on a regular basis. Barton Tourism Partnership arranged a Runner's Reward Scheme where several eateries in the town offer discount or special offers to parkrun participants after Saturday morning events which has proven popular for those seeking a "parkrun breakfast fix".

Without our army of volunteers we wouldn't be able to host the weekly event. The majority of the tourists who visit comment on what a lovely

park we have here in Barton-upon-Humber, and the course, despite technically tricky in places, is also very popular and they always remark on how friendly our volunteers are. It's never too late to get involved in parkrun, for more information see our website www.parkrun.org. uk/baysgarthpark or find us on Facebook.

parkrun is a collection of 5km events for runners, walkers and volunteers that take place every Saturday morning at more than 2,000 locations in 22 countries across five continents. parkrun was founded by Paul Sinton-Hewitt on October 2, 2004 at Bushy Park, London



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### Barton Upon Humber Town **Council Meetings**

All meetings are held within the Assembly Rooms on Queen Street. Members of the public are welcome at all meetings and the council welcomes attendance. There are many different meetings covering a wide range of council services and projects. There is a designated time prior to the meeting commencing for members of the public to be able to address the councillors and the opportunity is there to remain at the meeting and listen to the councillors debate and decisions.

#### Barton Upon Humber Town Council forthcoming Committee Meeting dates

September 2024		
Planning	Monday September 23	6pm
October 2024		
Environment	Wednesday October 2	6pm
Full Council	Wednesday October 2	7pm
Finance & General Purposes	Monday October 7	6pm
Community	Monday October 7	7pm
Planning	Monday October 14	6pm
November 2024		
Planning	Wednesday November 6	6pm
Full Council	Wednesday November 6	7pm
Finance & General Purposes	Monday November 11	6pm
Planning	Monday November 25	6pm
Community	Monday November 25	6.30pm

#### Barton Upon Humber Town Council Office opening hours 10am to 1pm

Barton Upon Humber Town Council office endeavours to open Monday to Friday 9am to 3pm however if the office is closed, the Council staff can be contacted via telephone or by email. Telephone. 01652 633598 or 07983154787/ Email. info@bartonuponhumbertowncouncil.gov.uk

Please keep up to date with meetings, town information, events and activities via our Town Council website page www.bartontowncouncil.org.uk and Facebook page www.facebook.com/BartonTownCouncil

#### Barton Upon Humber Town Council Members

If you think that they can help you with anything then please contact one of your Town Councillors: All email addresses are clirname@ bartonuponhumbertowncouncil.gov.uk

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Council Office, Assembly Rooms, Queen Street, Barton-upon-Humber, DN18 5QP Tel. 01652 633598 Email info@bartonuponhumbertowncouncil.gov.uk Website www.bartontowncouncil.org.uk

## Assembly Rooms Update August 2024

Since receiving the £5K UK Shared Prosperity Levelling Up funding, match funded by the Town Council, the Feasibility Study is now complete and will be used as part of funding applications to further improve and enhance the Assembly Rooms.

Lincolnshire Council Community Funding - an award of £26,654 has been granted to the Town Council to fund a new lift. With a further  $\pounds$ 7,000 from the Town Council reserves this has enabled the order of a new fit for purpose lift to be installed. This will benefit Assembly Rooms in the future.

Replacement windows project has ambition to completely renovate and begun. The four Georgian windows repair the Assembly Rooms. downstairs have been removed for repair and the upstairs ones will be taken away over the next few weeks. The remainder of the windows are all being replaced. It is hoped that this project will be complete by the such a lot of people visiting the end of September. This project is being completely funded by the

Further great news from North The Town Council Repair and Town Council as part of its long-term The Town Council welcomes any

feedback from the community in relation to the Assembly Rooms. Please feel free to email on info@ bartonuponhumbertowncouncil.gov. uk or call 01652 633598 with any auestions or comments.

# Barton Market - A Hub of Local **Produce and Crafts**

Held on the first Saturday of every month between 8.30am and 2pm in the Market Place and Butchery, Barton Market has become a popular event for residents and visitors alike.

## **Barton Youth Hub**

Barton Youth Hub officially opened on Friday September 6 with a soft opening. The Youth Hub will be open on a Friday evening from 5pm to 7pm at the Hub on Maltby Lane until March 31, 2025. It is very much hoped that further funding will be found to continue the project, aimed at 11 to 15 year olds, long into the future.

The Council is still looking for a permanent Senior Youth Worker and would love to hear from anyone wishing to apply for the role as well as any volunteer youth workers who would be able to give a couple of hours on a Friday evening to support the staff. This would not have to be every Friday evening as a rota can be developed.

The Neighbourhood Policing team will be calling in from time to time and we have much valued support from Community Vision. A huge thanks to them for their help with the set up and on-going support.

The Youth Hub has been made possible with a £10,000 grant award from the Police Crime Commissioner's Community Response Fund.

# **Barton Upon Humber Youth Hub**

**Opening Night** Friday 6th September 2024 5pm-7pm

Age 11yr -15yr welcome

No charge to attend – lots of activities and refreshments.

The Hub, Maltby Lane, Barton Upon Humber, DN18 5P\



#### The annual Picnic in the Park was held on Sunday 4th August in Baysgarth Park.

beautiful for the afternoon and hundreds turned out to came out to put entertainment on. Finally to all of the make the most of the free event. The event would not public who came out and helped to make the event a be possible without the support of both councillors and success, it was great to see so many of you having fun officers at the town council, who work hard making sure and taking part in the activities the event happens

The sun managed to shine through, the weather was We would like to thank all the community groups that

#### **Creating the Bartonian**

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With a diverse range of stalls, there's something to tempt everyone. From fresh, locally sourced fruit and vegetables to artisan breads, cakes, cheeses, meat, and fish, foodies are in for a real treat.

Alongside the wonderful food selection, there are many stalls selling pet accessories, handmade products, garden cleaning ornaments, jewellery plus lots more.

The Bartonian caught up with a handful of stallholders at the August Market

#### The Blue Whippet

Image description - Jayne from The Blue Whippet Café in Hull

"I hold a stall at lots of markets in the area, but I have to say Barton Market is the best one I go to. I have plenty of regulars who visit every month to stock up on dog treats and other supplies, as a result I know most of the dogs in Barton who all enjoy a free sausage whenever they visit!".

Jayne sells a wide range of dog treats and dog-themed gifts and accessories - she even makes dog birthday cakes! Make sure you take your pooch to say hello next time the Market takes place.

#### Shush Scents

Image description - Natalie from Shush Scents

"I really enjoy holding my stall at Barton Market every month, I'm usually based at my shop in Anlaby and it's so nice to get out and about and meet the lovely folk who live here. I have regular customers who come and see me every month to stock up on cleaning supplies and I always look forward to seeing them". Natalie prides herself on having an almost entirely handmade range of cleaning products, the majority of her products are vegan, and she is working towards an entirely vegan range in the near future. Many products come in scents that you can't find on your typical high street, so for those of you who fancy something different next time you're doing the housework, stop by and pick up some goodies from Natalie!



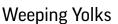


Image - Jake from Weeping Yolks

"As a relatively new business it was important that I got out and about in the community to try and raise awareness and get my name out there. I first held a stall at Barton Market in July, and I was thrilled to sell out of all my Scotch Eggs during the first two hours. I like to hope that my products speak for themselves, and I would love to attend this Market on a regular basis - it's great!"

The Weeping Yolk's Gourmet Scotch Eggs are a real treat for fans of this savoury snack. Jake makes the products almost entirely from scratch, using locally sourced pork to create the sausage meat and freerange eggs from a local farm, all served with freshly made dipping sauces. The only part that isn't currently handmade are the panko breadcrumbs - which Jake informs us is a work in progress for him and he hopes to have this recipe perfected in the future!

#### lust Bake It

Image description – Jame and Geshini rom Just Bake It

"We love coming to the Market every month, it's a bit of a journey from Lincoln but its worth it to catch up with the regulars who stop by for



family-run business and have poured our passion for baking into our products we hope to continue attending the Market regularly and sharing the joy!

Geshini is a talented baker who makes all products from scratch in her 5<sup>\*</sup> Hygiene Rated kitchen in Lincoln. These aren't your standard brownies and cakes, many products are a fusion of flavours and various chocolate bars and are enough to tempt anyone. They are also great value for money so next time you visit, we highly recommend you treat yourself

While we were at the Market, we met Diane and Kevin who are new to the area having recently moved from Bradford

For more information on the Market, please email Barton Town their sweet fix every month. We're Council on info@bartonuponhumbertowncouncil.gov.uk



'We recently moved to Goxhill from Bradford after wanting a quieter pace of life. Kevin is originally from the area but left many years ago and knew he wanted to return. We came down to the Market today to explore the area and see what the town has to offer, we've been tempted by many stalls here and we both love what a friendly community feel i has. We're really looking forward to getting to know Barton better and will definitely be regulars at this Market!



# From Barton To Hollywood

This year Paul Tate celebrates not only 40 years in Showbusiness but also his 60th Birthday this forthcoming New Year's Evel!!

A double whammy!!! And he says "Yellow Roses, Belgian Chocolates and Champagne gratefully received! Many thanks! Or plants for the Garden!!!" To mark the occasion, on Sunday October 6 Paul will be presenting From Barton to Hollywood, a talk, and guestion and answer where he will also exhibit some of his Panto Dame costumes.

Of course, having started his theatrical life on the Barton stage he will chat about his early days in the then County School and Baysgarth School shows, being a founding member of BADAOS, and in 2016 returning to Barton to create Friends At Barton, a Community Theatre group in which he writes, directs and now also performs. Nothing pleases him more than to perform once again for Barton and surrounding villages. He says "Some might remember me when I was young, thin and pretty..... well, how I look now is a result of 40 years in the Biz!!! Old, fat and ugly!!!" Paul's words, not ours. One thing that Paul has learnt is that if you can't laugh at yourself, who can you laugh at?

He has led a very varied life upon the wicked stage, and yes, sometimes it has been wicked! No doubt he'll spill a few secrets at the talk about his ups and downs along the way,



his time working on the Hollywood Blockhuster Guardians of the Galaxy and his appearance with Dame Nation on the 2022 series of Britain's Got Talent where they reached the semi-finals. He lets us know that he has a secret which involves Simon Cowell. Ooooooooo!!! This autumn is a busy time for Paul, not only in Barton but further afield with his work. He has Victorian Ghost Stories by Candlelight in October and the forthcoming FAB Panto, Mother Goose in November. All the shows will be at The loseph Wright Hall (the former Salvation Army Citadel) on Queen Street. Paul

says: "I am determined to keep the costs down for local supporters and tickets will be £5. The money raised from Mother Goose will be in memory of ex-soldier, George Ellis and will benefit Hull and East Yorkshire Mind. I am a great advocate for supporting Mental Health charities having suffered myself. I'll help in any way can. We will also be raising money for a women's refuge in memory of one of our cast members, Andrea Baker who sadly passed away this year. Andrea was my leading lady in the school shows and she is missed so much.

FROM BARTON TO HOLLYWOOD Sunday October 6 at 2.30pm

VICTORIAN GHOST STORIES BY CANDLELIGHT.

Thursday October 31 at 7.30pm.

MOTHER GOOSE. Friday November 15 at 7.30pm Saturday 16 and Sunday 17 at 1.30pm and 5.30pm. Tickets: £5.

Tickets on sale now by calling the Box Office on 01652-635172 or you can buy tickets in person at The Wilderspin Thursday to Sunday 11am to 3pm.



# South Bank Players

The South Bank Players' latest Murder Mystery, which has a 1920's theme, is currently touring the area.

out whodunnit! Several bookings at local WI groups are coming up, with the final performance at the Nelthorne Arms at South Ferriby on October 19 (contact the pub for tickets). 1920s dress is encouraged!

The Players' has a new offering for Heritage Week in September when we will be leading two heritage walks around Barton on Saturday 7 and Saturday 14, starting at Baysgarth House Museum at 6pm. A guide will lead the walk, and will stop at various points along the way to talk about some of the interesting buildings. At some of the locations characters from the past will appear and tell their stories. The events are free and all the information can be found at https://www.heritageopendays. org.uk

The Barton Ghost Walk will begin again on Halloween as usual.

website www.sbplavers.co.uk or bought in person on the night Booking is highly recommended for Halloween as we may need to restrict numbers as it can get busy. All walks start at 7.30pm from

We are always looking for new members. Two new actors made their debut at our Murder Mystery and both thoroughly enjoyed themselves, so if you fancy joining us you would be made very welcome! We have parts available in the Ghost Walk that are both speaking and non-speaking, and we would welcome volunteer marshals too.

Mystery at the end of October so if you would like to get involved that would be a good time...Contact Liz Drury on liz@lizdrury.co.uk

#### Barton Branch of the Workers' Educational Association ("Barton WEA")

Barton Branch of the W E A is giving serious consideration to closing later this year.

The national registered charity, which over the years provided employment for Rex Russell, Tutor Organiser based in Barton, followed by Geoff Bryant Tutor Organiser, for a large part of Northern Lincolnshire with many active WEA Branches and also WEA Tutor Organisers living in Barton. After their retirements and stepping down from lecturing the Barton Branch of the WEA continued to organise adult education courses and afternoon schools in the town for many vears.

In the last academic year, a new start-up community group, Livelong Learning at Barton ("LLaB") has been formed by former WEA Students and is now fully up and running classes and lectures here. The WEA Branch accounts are being prepared to July 31 2024. A Branch Meeting will be arranged to consider if the Branch formed around 100 years ago has served its purpose and should be closed.

Ursula Vickerton Treasurer of Barton Branch of the W E A August 2024

# Barton Modelling Club

Come along and join us at the Barton Upon Humber Modelling Club that meets on the second and fourth Wednesday of the month from 6.30pm to 8.30pm at the Assembly Rooms on LNAA CEO, Karen Jobling, said: "This Oueen Street.

We bring and build our models, of all descriptions, and have members that build Lego and do cross-stitch. There is an airbrush along with extraction box for members' use. If you have a hobby and you want to share it with likeminded people, then come along. We ask for £3 per person, with discounts for family members, to help pay for the room. Tea, coffee, squash and biscuits are included in the price. We ask for under 15s to be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Find us on Facebook, Barton Upon Humber modellers.

# I'm your Handyman!

In the last issue we introduced you to the new

Barton Handyperson Wayne McWilliam.

Wayne has hit the ground running, working on various projects around Barton.

His first task was to clear the Butchery of weeds before the June market and what a difference it made. Wavne has recently cleaned the seats at The Beck and completed maintenance to Dam Road bollards, planters and sign. He will be working his way around town tidying up neglected areas with much needed attention.

Keep an eye out to see where he goes next and if you want to add a neglected area to his list please get in touch with the Barton Town Council office at the Assembly Rooms with the details.





#### New Head for Castledyke School

Following the retirement of Headteacher, Mrs Potterton, it is our pleasure to inform you that Mrs Young has been appointed to the position from September.

Mrs Young has been part of the Castledyke family for 10 years, running our Early Years provision. She has shown over this time that, not only is she an excellent practitioner, but that she always puts the children at the heart of everything, demonstrating care and compassion for every child and ambition to drive the school forward. These qualities will make her an excellent Head of School and provide families, children and staff the stability and consistency we need as we enter our new chapter.

This is an exciting time for Castledyke and we know that Mrs Young and her team are going to provide outstanding leadership for our children Congratulations Mrs Young!

Starting in June at The Haven Inn at with further walks on Fridays Barrow Haven where there was an Nov 29, and in 2025 on Jan 24, excellent audience that were more Feb 28 and March 28. Tickets are than willing to get involved with a remaining at £5 per person and bit of amateur sleuthing to work can be booked in advance on our Baysgarth House museum.

We will be looking at a new Murder

# **1st Barton Rainbows** Brownies & Guides

What a great finish to the end of another successful year with the Rainbows, Brownies and Guides in Barton upon Humber.

Rainbows have received interest badges and also Bronze and Silver Awards

All of the Brownies received at least three badges each - over 100 interest badges. Skill Builders and Theme awards Eifteen Brownies received their Bronze Award, five received their Silver Award and Chantelle received her Gold Award.

The Guide Unit has grown over this vear - Brownies are keen to move on! Interest badges galore were given out at their last meeting A Bronze Award was received by Esme and Neve received her Silver and Gold Awards

Last but by no means least - Rainbow and Brownie leader. Natalie. received her 20 year Service Award.

We have lots to look forward to in the next academic year - a visit to the Panto to see Annie Fanny and a sleenover at The Deen being just two of the items planned. The leaders are more excited about The Deep than the girls!



The leaders from all units would like We are always on the look-out for volunteers - whether just on a casual basis to publically thank the parents and or leadership. If you are interested then please make contact by emailing carers for their continued support. www.girlguidinguk/joinus Someone local will be in touch with you.

# Lincs & Notts Air Ambulance celebrates 30 years of saving lives

This year marks a very special milestone for the Lincs & Notts Air Ambulance (LNAA) as it celebrates its 30th anniversary.

Since airlifting their very first patient on May 13 1994, LNAA has provided a life-saving Helicopter Emergency Medical Service (HEMS) for the local communities of Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire. To date, the lifesaving charity has responded to over 29,000 missions.

remarkable charity has come a very long way since its humble beginnings in 1994, when we operated out of a temporary building and could only get to patients if there was money in the bank to fuel up the old expolice Bölkow helicopter.

Thirty years later LNAA now responds, on average, to four missions a day. Its state-of-the-art helicopter and two Critical Care Cars enable crews to give the very best treatments, day and night, to some of the most seriously ill and injured patients when they need it most, ensuring the patient has the best possible outcome.

30th anniversary of this wonderful charity's service



to the community is a time for celebration as well as a reflection on how far it has travelled. Karen said: "We receive no direct Government funding, and have only come this far, thanks to the incredible support from people, businesses and communities in Lincolnshire and Nottinghamshire'

Throughout this 30th anniversary year, LNAA will be running a series of fundraising events and activities. To find out how you can get involved and help ensure this 30th year is one to remember, visit:

www.ambucopter.org.uk

Shout out for Volunteer

Drivers!

Humber & Wolds Rural Action

Voluntary Car Scheme across

transport difficulties over the

(based in Barton) delivers a

North Lincolnshire, which

helps people with genuine

age of 18 get to important

doctors, hospitals, dentists,

clinics, support groups, local

We are looking for more drivers

to join our friendly team to meet

current high demand for our

service. If you have a car, enjoy

driving and meeting new people

(or know someone who does!) and

would like to give something back

to your community, we would

Please contact Carole Foster

on 01652 637700 or email

voluntarycarservice@hwrcc.org.

\*\*You choose how much time you

wish to volunteer, and you are

love to hear from you.

paid a mileage rate\*

appointments such as

shops etc.

# Join the 'Silent Book **Club'** Revolution!

The Silent Book Club movement is a bit of a global phenomenon at the moment, and we're starting our very own at Trinity Methodist Church, as part of the Living Later Life Well project.



What is a Silent Book Club, I hear you ask...It's an introvert's paradise! You bring your own book, collect a tea/coffee/water from us, get comfortable and read together in quiet company for an hour. Then you stay and chat, or head home vou prefer. There's no pressure to socialise, no judgement or expectations - simply "be" amongst people and lose vourself in a good read. We will have a range of books available at sessions to read/take home too.

Feel free to just turn up, no need to book. We'll be based in the Community Room which is accessed from the side entrance on Vestry Lane. The Club is open to people aged 60 years and over and will take place every Monday from

11am to 12pm and is free of charge (donations towards refreshments are gratefully accepted).

Elsewhere in Barton, ShadowBridge Brewery at the Old Tile Yard is also running its own Silent Book Club on a fortnightly basis on Thursdays from 6pm to 8pm, with refreshments available to purchase.

Details of both Silent Book Clubs can be found at www.facebook.com/ silentbookclubbarton (you don't need to have a Facebook account to view the page).

For more information on Living Later Life Well activities and ways you can get involved, get in touch with Jo Marwood, Project Manager on 07821 900623 or email jo.marwood. bartontrinity@outlook.com

# Rotary Club of Barton

Our special thanks to the people of Barton for their continued generosity which helps us to support those in the community who need extra help.

Also, to those volunteers who help us with our events including Lisa Robson and Louise Wharton who have been made Honorary Members of Barton Rotary for their continued work on our behalf and give us the venue for our fortnightly meetings at the White Swan: new friends will be made most welcome.

Thanks to Tesco and its Community Champion, Andrea, who continue to support us, Barton Lions for their support showing that like minded people from different groups can work together and achieve great results, their donation after the Beerfest towards Christmas meals is brilliant.

Also big thanks to Liz Bennet and her onderful Ropewalk team for all the help they give to us too and with both our Variety Shows.

After the very sad passing of a valued Rotarian and special friend Ted Treasure (pictured), Barton Rotary sent a donation to the RNLI in his memory. The Club has also supported Barton Allotments and a local Mental Health



# Grief Café at Trinity Methodist Church

A new Grief Café has started in the Community Room of Trinity Methodist Church on the second and fourth Monday of the month from 1.30pm to 3pm.

The group is led by volunteers for the Living Later Life Well project Enid Knowles and Rebecca Sheekey. Grief is something that all of us will experience at some point during our lives. The death of someone we love can be shattering. A person's grief is unique to them and there is no 'normal' or 'right' way to grieve. There is also no time limit on grief. in either how long someone may grieve for, or how long it may take after a bereavement before someone experiences grief.

There are many ways that grief can affect us. You may have feelings of sadness, shock, anger or guilt. Grief can cause physical reactions such as a tightness in the throat or chest, breathlessness, or a lack of energy, Similarly, you can experience a loss of appetite, disrupted sleep. dreams or nightmares, nausea and of course crying. Lots of people say that they are "all over the place", feel absent-minded or that they are wading through treacle. All of these reactions are completely normal.

The Grief Café is there to offer support to those who have suffered a bereavement. It may be a very recent loss, or it may have happened many years ago. You could be grieving for a partner, parent, spouse or some other very special person evervone is welcome. You will have an opportunity to meet others who have been through similar experiences, listen to their stories and perhaps share your own.

The Café aims to dispel some of the myths around grief whilst helping you to accept that grief does not go away, or get smaller, but with support your life can grow, and you can move forward with a new way of living. In a small, confidential group. with experienced group leaders, you can be supported in a warm and welcoming environment.

Sessions are for people aged 60 years and over, are free of charge and include refreshments. If you'd like to attend, please contact lo Marwood on 07821 900623 or email jo.marwood.bartontrinity@outlook. com.

### Water's Edge Visitor Centre

Firstly, the Centre would like to thank everyone from the local community that supported its Wildlife Day event this year. It was a huge success and helped raise awareness about protecting our local wildlife.

In October get ready for spooktacular half term with Halloween-themed activities! There is a line-up of workshops that promise fun and thrills for all ages. From pottery pumpkin making to haunted habitat hunters and creepy craft sessions, there's something for everyone to enjoy. Don't miss the chance to celebrate Halloween and get in the spooky spirit.

The Centre's popular Christmas Craft and Gift Fair will take place on Saturday and Sunday November 2 and 3 from 10am to 4pm. Discover unique, handmade gifts from local artisans, enjoy festive music, and indulge in seasonal treats. It's perfect for finding that special gift and embracing the Christmas spirit with friends and family. Free admission



Charity for younger members of the community. We took three local children on a fantastic holidav to Castleton, helped Barton Carnival and continue to provide events for the community with a Breast Cancer Tea Party at the Methodist Hall on Saturday August 17.

The Rotary Club of Barton upon Humber | Facebook - Dawn Coultas will respond asap!

Rotary Club of Barton-upon-Humber welcome. (rotary-ribi.org)

The club's Youth Section (11 years to

18 years) mainly focuses on track and

field during the spring to autumn, then

move to cross-country for the winter

months. The group meets at Costello

Stadium Hull on a Tuesday evening

and Baysgarth School on a Thursday

As a coaching team the club's main

objectives is to ensure that each Youth

or Junior member has fun, builds

confidence and has full coaching

support to develop their all-round to

So far, the Youth section has competed

in a number of local competitions.

Humber Opens, the Humber County

Championships where the athletes

have won a number of county medals.

The U13s to U17s compete in the

Yorkshire and District Athletic Premier

League competing against teams from across Yorkshire and for the second

event specific ability year on year.

evening.

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To have a chat about Barton Rotary or if you can help call Roger Nowell on

# **Barton Shrink Map**

The Barton Tourism Partnership is working on a revised edition of the Barton Shrink map.

The last 20.000 print run completed in 2017 is now out of stock and requires some changes. Looking at the old version it is clear to see how Barton has evolved over the past seven years. We will be adding new housing developments, the Lidl store and the Ted Lewis Centre.

To make sure we have an accurate map going to print we are looking for a few volunteers to check the proof copy when it is ready. If you would like to help, please email Barton Tourism Partnership secretary Liz Bennet at BTP@the-ropewalk.co.uk

# **Barton and District** Athletic Club

Barton and District Athletic Club was founded in the 1950s and is based at Baysgarth School. Club nights are Thursdays meeting at 6.30pm and the club is for all abilities from eight years to 80 years plus.

The club's Senior Section competes year running the team finished 2nd to at all levels and various distances on Wakefield AC roads, cross country and ultra distance. In September the club will have a

number of Under 13 to Under 15 athletes representing the county team in a Track and Field meeting against other Northern Counties.

The Junior section (eight years to 11 years) train on a Thursday and is about having fun, building confidence, increasing fitness and making new friends. The coaches get the lunior athletes involved in a number of athletic activities predominantly outdoors in spring , summer and autumn and then sports hall athletics in winter. All of these develop the fundamental skills of running, jumping and throwing

The club is family-friendly and coaches all abilities, with qualified England Athletic coaches. If you are interested in joining or require more information please email membership.badac@ gmail.com

There have been football clubs in Barton since 1880 with the current club formed in 1995 with the Barton Town and Barton Old Boys clubs merging to create Barton Town Old Boys, later reverting to Barton Town. Today the First Team plays in the Northern Counties East Football League, and takes part in the FA Cup and Vase competitions. The 2024-25 season got underway in July with the club targeting promotion to the Northern Premier League. There has already been some success in this season's FA Cup competition reaching the First Round Qualifying which the club last reached in 2009. The First Team underwent substantial changes during the summer break, with newly appointed manager Anthony Bowsley recruiting a new management team and new players to join those retained from last season. After his appointment Anthony said: "I want my teams to be fit, energetic and play with a high tempo; it's as simple as that really. Something that people come down to see and think these are a fit side. and they're good to watch."

The club introduced a loyalty card scheme this year; after attending four games your fifth game is free. Those under 16 can benefit from a free season ticket giving reduced entry; or free when accompanied by an adult.

The club has teams for all age groups with a pathway from junior football through the Development Squad to the Reserves and ultimately the First Team

Last season saw Director of Women & Girls' Football, Lynn Green,



football team lift their first trophy Left: Barton Inclusive FC walking football team

# BIFC Walking Football team win their first trophy! The Triumph of Dedication

Our Barton Inclusive FC walking football team, after starting in September 2019, has emerged victorious by clinching their first-ever trophy where they claimed the Plate Final at the annual Alford Walking Football Tournament on Sunday 7th July 2024.

#### The Sweet Taste of Success

As the final whistle blew in BIFC's 3-0 final victory over Alford, the elation on the faces of our players was palpable. Their hard work and perseverance had finally paid off, culminating in a well-deserved victory that will be cherished for vears to come.

Captain Mark Bartup, who set up the team in September 2019 and has given 100's of voluntary hours over the past four years, had this to say to his players on the day:

"Well what an amazing day for Long may it continue, one very our club, Plate Final winners after happy team tonight, get in, what a last weeks great achievements too where our team went undefeated at the Grimsby tournament).

We are all buzzing and so proud to bring the Plate Trophy back with us, what an incredible day and I must thank my team mates. You are all truly amazing people with great pride and passion wearing our Barton kits.

I felt so inspired to be a part of our fantastic achievements today.

happy team tonight, get in, what a team BIFC."

A Bright Future Ahead

This triumph not only marks a significant milestone for the walking football team but also sets the stage for future achievements. With newfound confidence and a winning spirit, the team is poised to conquer even greater heights in the world of walking football.

If you'd like to know more, or sponsor our walking football team for the 2024/25 season, please contact: bartoninclusivefc@gmail.com

Although the Premier League grabs the football headlines with huge transfer fees and sky-high player wages that can price the average supporter out of attending matches, in Barton there's an alternative where you can enjoy football at fraction of the cost, get to know fellow supporters and the players... AND you can get involved as a volunteer if you wish. May we introduce your local Non-League football club...



introduce a women's team. A brand new group who had never played together; some never even playing before! As was perhaps expected. they lost their first few games. However, excellent coaching from Amy Bartup-Blinkhorn soon had the women plaving together as a team and they got their first win under their belts. Going from strength to strength they ended their season comfortably mid-table

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# Champions... Barton Park **Bowling Club**

Why win one championship if you can win two! What a season Barton Park Bowling Club is having!

club has already been crowned Division Two champions with the Division Three side hot on its heels with a great chance of promotion if not as champions in the Scunthorne and District Bowls League...and that's not all... The Mixed Trips Three wood team is comfortably sat in third position, whilst the Barnetby League side is placed in mid table.

Equal to our success on the green is the successful integration into the club of four new players Wendy, Sandra, Richard and Stuart all of which have developed and honed their bowling skills and made their competitive debuts in the Tuesday Afternoon League and beyond acquitting themselves well even in the teeth of some strong opposition. Well done! The club prides itself on attracting newcomers who can embrace the club's ethos of friendship and inclusivity "think

With just one game left the not about what the club can do for you, but what you can do for the club'

With this ethos in mind the annual BBQ recently held and kindly hosted by Barton Cricket Club saw more than 60 members and guests attend, and a great evening with much merriment was held by all!

Our cake and hot dog café at the Barton Carnival not only proved hugely popular but helps keep the club's finances on the straight and narrow. Thank you visitors and helpers for your support! Likewise, the Picnic in the Park proved popular with both young and old alike!

Finally, a big thank you to the members who put in the hard miles maintaining and preparing the green which year on year improves. What a season!!



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# Environment Agency aiming to invest £millions to reduce tidal flood risk Humber Bank Barton to New Holland

The Environment Agency is moving forward with an outline solution for the Barton to New Holland tidal flood alleviation scheme, which will reduce the risk of tidal flooding to the communities of Barton-upon-Humber, Barrow Haven and New Holland.

The proposed solution includes businesses, and community raising and strengthening the defence to many sections, by introducing a new type of revetment to the seaward face to reduce the risk of tidal erosion and overtopping in areas where there is less natural protection, as well as improvements to the crest and footpath

Since 2021, the Environment Agency has been working with its partners to develop viable solutions to reduce tidal flood risk to these communities. Flood modelling has been undertaken to understand the extent of flooding and the associated economic damages. Alongside this, the team has also been conducting environmental surveys, site surveys and ground investigations. Bird surveys are continuing into the second phase, and wider further surveys will be undertaken to help the team understand the ecological value within the project area. The Environment Agency is in the process of refining the costs and economic benefits to ensure the outline solution is affordable.

In February, we held engagement events in Barton, Barrow Haven, and New Holland, where concept plans and ideas for the scheme were shared. Over the course of the three days, the events were attended by over 190 people including residents,



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# Barton resident completes a fantastic challenge



Ask any walker about the Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge, and they will tell you it's one of the most gruelling walks in the U.K. To gauge just how challenging the walk is, the organisers recommend that training time could vary from 3 months or more, steadily building up a suitable level of endurance fitness to already being in condition for the challenge.

Completing the challenge is an achievement, and doing it in under 12 hours is a massive plus

So we had to find out more when NEIL KING spoke with 80-year-old John Kneeshaw and was told that he had just completed the walk

John told Neil: "My daughter, Lara, is raising funds and awareness for the MPN Voice charity, which helps people diagnosed with myeloproliferative neoplasm. To this end, she has undertaken several endurance events, including the Yorkshire Three Peaks challenge this vear.

John added: "This is a circular walk of 24.5 miles, including a 1,585-metre ascent, and the target is to complete the challenge in under 12 hours. As it was one of her "easiest" challenges, I was asked, together with her nephew Alex, to accompany her

I had completed the walk before, but that was many years ago, and even then, it was not easy. In the cold light of day I began to doubt if I could manage the complete walk, never mind within the twelve-hour limit. Fortunately, when the day arrived, it was overcast and cool, although a little windy; near ideal conditions.



Also, in my favour, we had chosen a Saturday when many other charity events were taking place, and I received a lot of encouragement from the participants.

John said: "Pen-y-Ghent, the first of the peaks (and regarded by some as the hardest) was completed well ahead of schedule - so much so that we missed our backup team at the first, second and third liaison points. They waited at the first checkpoint with no mobile signal, not knowing we were long gone.

"Whernside, the highest peak, is a long drag, but this time, I was buoyed by the realisation I might actually complete the challenge, and was also hopeful the backup team might be waiting at the bottom. Sure enough, they were there, and I could rest, eat and, most importantly, drink.

"Ingleborough loomed ahead of us with its steep ascent to a ridge just below the peak. Fatigue was starting to affect me, but plodded on, having been informe that a couple of 30-year-old chaps were determined not to let an 80-year-old beat them to the finish. now had a second challenge and dul passed them on the long descent Determined not to allow them to retake the lead, I raced to the end and in doing so. I also achieved the walk's challenge with 25 minutes to spare.

"If any reader is looking to raise charity funds, I recommend this particular challenge. If I could do it at 80 anyone can!" he added.

representatives. Findings from the feedback indicated that 89% of the respondents strongly agreed/agreed that the scheme will be beneficial for the area.

The project team is now working on the development of an Outline Business Case, which will allow the detailed design to be done through 2025. When this is complete there will be a public consultation This work will then lead to a Full Business Case to confirm funding and enable the various required approvals, licences and permissions to be sought.

The scheme is on track to begin phased construction by late 2026 and reach completion by 2028 The Environment Agency wil continue to seek partners for local funding contributions to help with the delivery of the project and for additional local enhancements

Stay up to date with the latest new The Environment Agency is committed to innovative, sustainable and adaptable flood management solutions. This involves a proactive approach to climate resilience. By investing in comprehensive flood defences now we can enhance the protection of our communities and natural landscapes

You can find regular project updates and the latest newsletters on the dedicated Barton to New Holland Tidal Flood Alleviation Scheme Citizen Space webpage. Scan the OR code to access to the page



If you have any questions, or would like to sign up to receive the project newsletter, please contact: BartontoNewHollandFAS@environment-agency.gov.uk



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# Another successful show for **Barton Allotment Society!**

The show goes from strength to strength, with more exhibits than there have been for the last couple of years.







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There was an excellent range of entries in the Novice Section for first timers and the Fruit Section was very well supported. There was also an increase in non-plot holders exhibiting. It was a good day for everyone in the Veg, Fruit, Flower and Novice Sections as all those who entered got a first, second or third award for at least one of their exhibits. Most points in show went to Wendy and Cyril Pallister, and most points in Cookery to Christine Patterson. The Children's Picture on a Postcard competition saw over 120 entries, making it difficult for the judge to pick the winners.

The Harry Fowler Best Kept Allotment Shield was won by Ed Cunnah, with the Best Half Plot going to Pam and Phil Coggan. A full ist of all the prize winners can be found on our website.



The show would not be possible has become more of a favourite on without the generous support allotment plots and in gardens as it of local businesses and groups who sponsored this year - **WREN** organic matter when it is dug in Kitchens, The White Swan, Barton during January or February. It's also Town Council. Barton Lions and Rotary, MD Signs, The Humber Bridge Garden Centre and the Campaign to Protect Rural England. We are very grateful for their support as we are for all the other shops in the town who generously donated tombola prizes. Again, a full list of these is on our website.

Back on the plots it's harvest time, and then preparing the ground for the winter and spring. Green Manure

time to start spreading the compost from your own heap or bin over the coming weeks, to get the ground ready for the coming growing season

As ever, if you want to have a pl please do get in touch.

#### **Neil Jacques**

secretarybartonallotments@hotmail.



### Will You Walk 12 or 6 Miles Along The Viking Way for Macmillan Cancer Support

of Scunthorpe Pentagon is again at the Water's miles. Humber, to raise Cancer Support. Ancholme.

walk leaders and marshals to ensure walkers complete the routes as starting and finishing offering two routes: 12 miles or six centre.

in Barton-upon- and will offer astounding views of the Humber Bridge and the money for Macmillan take in South Ferriby and the River walks raised in excess of £3,400.

The Rotary Club The Rotary club, in conjunction with The walks will take place on Sunday Macmillan Scunthorpe, will provide October 13, with the 12 mile walk starting at 10am, and the six mile starting at 10.30am. Plenty of free organising two walks safely and easily as possible, and are car parking is available at the visitor

All walkers are asked to register by Edge Visitor Centre Both will be along the Viking Way completing an application form and paying an entry fee of £10, or walk for free but commit to raising at least Humber. The longer route will also £10 in sponsorship. Last year the

Walkers will receive a Certificate and Macmillan badge in recognition of their support to this very worthy charity.

Entry Forms can be obtained from the visitor centre, or by emailing RCSP@talktalk.net. Details can also be found on The Rotary Club of Scunthorpe Pentagon's Facebook page.

# What's On September - November

THE ROPEWALK OPEN STUDIOS SEPTEMBER 28 & 29, 10am to 4pm







Heritage Open Days Various venues around Barton A celebration of Barton's heritage with exhibitions, guided walks, talks, open buildings, and events as part of National Heritage Open Days. See Historic Barton upon Humber Facebook for details.

#### Saturday September 7

Barton Market Market Place and Butchery 8.30am - 2pm Shop a wide range of fresh food, gifts, accessories, and lots more. Free

Saturday September 7 Beretun Weavers and

Spinners Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph Wright Hall 11am - 3pm

Drop in and chat with the weavers and spinners who meet at Wilderspin each month. Free

Saturday September 7

**Barton Rotary Club** Variety Show Ropery Hall 7.30pm

Rotary present an evening of comedy, drama and sona showcasina the talents of everyday Barton folk. All proceeds will go to local charities. £5

**Barton Civic Society Rex Russell Memorial** Lecture: Discordant Noises and Effigy Burning Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph Wright Hall 2pm (pre-lecture buffet at 12.30pm)

Dr. Andrew Walker, Chair of the Society for Lincolnshire History & Archaeology, delivers the inaugural Rex Russell Memorial Lecture as part of Heritage Open Days 2024. The talk will examine the phenomenon of rough music, which Rex referred to in a number of his works. This was a communal means of protesting, usually about actions taking place that contravened societal norms

Lecture £5/£7 OTD (free for Barton Civic Society members), pre-lecture huffet £10 per person Book on 01652 635172

#### Thursday September 12

#### Step Back in Time – Photo ID evening

Ropery Hall, Doors open at 4pm for a 4.30pm start Join the Barton Heritage Project team to identify the people and places within a selection of photographs from the Barton upon Humber archives.

Free



Ropery Hall 7.30pm

Award-winning solo performer Nicholas Collett (British Arrows Best Actor, Special Performance Award World Duo Festival, Seoul South Korea, Best Theatre Award Adelaide Fringe 2023) tells the story of his father's service during the Atlantic Convovs of World War Two. Physical theatre and storvtelling, with a dramatic soundscape and 40's music, this is a tribute to those who served, those who were lost - and those who lived to tell their story £14/£16 OTD

#### Wednesday September 25

The English Civil War 1640 – 1660. Great **Distress and Much Change** Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph Wright Hall 1.30pm – 3.30pm A Lifelong Learning at Barton course led by historian Richard Clarke. This is a four-week course runnina until Wednesday October 16.

£40 Email lifelonglearning@gmail.com for more information

#### Thursday September 26

Stevens & Pound

Roperv Hall 8pm BBC Radio 3's award-winning Delia Stevens and three-time BBC Radio 2 Folk Musician of the Year nominee, Will Pound, deliver an unprecedented collaboration, following the creative evolution of the classical composers inspired by folk £15/£17 OTD

Saturday September 28 and Sunday September 29

#### **Open Studios**

The Ropewalk 10am - 4pm Ropewalk Studio Artists will have their doors open during this one-off weekend, giving visitors the unique opportunity to explore their workspace and take a closer look at how they create their art Free

#### Saturday October 5

**Barton Market** Market Place and Butchery 8 30am - 2nm Shop a wide range of fresh food, gifts, accessories, second-hand tools and more. Free

#### Saturday October 5

#### David Eagle: Flying Solo Ropery Hall 8pm

David Eagle is a comedian and musician and member of three-time BBC Radio 2 folk award-winning band The Young 'Uns. David is blind, and his comedy often explores how his disability means the most ordinary. commonplace events are turned into surreal and convoluted dramas. Come and enjoy his first full length touring show £14/£16 OTD

#### Sunday October 6

#### Barton to Hollywood Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph

Wright Hall 2.30pm Forty years of showbusiness stories with Paul Tate who began his acting career at school in Barton before heading off to the bright lights of London, Hollywood and Britain's Got Talent 0 & A costume exhibits and quest appearances by Friends at Barton colleagues.

Visit Wilderspin website for ticket details

#### Thursday October 10

Step Back in Time – Photo ID evening

Humber Room, Doors open at 4pm for a 4.30pm start

Join the Barton Heritage Project team to identify the people and places within a selection of photographs from the Barton upon Humber archives. Free

#### Saturday October 12

The Georgian Royal Navy - Lincolnshire to Trafalgar Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph Wright Hall 2pm - 4.30pm

A Lifelong Learning at Barton talk with Tony Barrett £12

Email lifelonglearning@gmail.com for more information

#### Saturday October 12

Games We Used to Play

Wilderspin School Museum 11am - 3pm Our first Winter Warmer this year

looking back at toys and games from the past and a chance to play some retro board games.

Free refreshments. Included in £5 adult annual admission, children under 16 free.

Thursday October 17

#### **Nightmares**

#### Ropery Hall 7.30pm

Three classic ghost stories – live on stage! Vengeful spirits, murderous revenants and gruesome promises kept from beyond the arave - every horror imaginable is conjured in this uniquely terrifying experience. Nightmares is a gothic show that will leave audiences quaking in their seats... and dying for more

#### £14/£16 OTD

Friday October 18

**Barton Civic Society** Lecture - Henry Treece: Barton's National Treasure Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph Wright Hall 2pm

Join David Newman and friends to reflect on the work and life of Barton's

famous author. £4 for non-members



#### Children's Pumpkin Potterv

Waters' Edge Visitor Centre 10:45 - 12:15

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£16 per child. Book on 01652 631500.

#### Tuesday October 29

#### How to be Brave - by **Other Lives Productions**

Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph Wright Hall

Other Lives Productions return to the Joseph Wright Hall with a story of 14 men aboard a life raft after their ship was torpedoed in the Atlantic in 1943. £10. Book via Wilderspin on 01652 635172

#### Tuesday October 29

Habitat Hunters Waters' Edge Visitor Centre 10.30am - 12noon £4 per child

Thursday October 31

#### Ghost Walk with South Bank Players

Meet at Baysgarth House 7.15pm South Bank Players return to kick off their 2024/25 season with a spinetinalina Ghost Walk on Halloween! Join them as they lead a guided tour of the town, exploring its dark past with many lively characters on the way. £5

#### Visit www.sbplayers.co.uk for booking details

Saturday November 2 & Sunday November 3

#### Christmas Craft Fair

Waters' Edge Visitor Centre 10am - 4pm Free

#### Saturday November 2

Barton Market

Market Place and Butchery 8.30am – 2pm Shop a wide range of fresh food, gifts, accessories, second-hand tools and more

Free

Saturday November 2

#### Jim Causley and Miranda Sykes

Ropery Hall 8pm

Six-time BBC Folk Award nominee Jim Causley and Miranda Svkes of award-winning Show of Hands and Daphne's Flight, join narrator John Palmer to celebrate the centenary of the death of Victorian superstar the Rev Sabine Baring-Gould, interweaving sonas he collected with stories from his best-selling books about Ghosts. Werewolves: Norse Myths and Countryfolk. £16/£18 OTD

#### **Tuesday November 5 Barton Lions Firework** Display

Baysgarth Park from 5.30pm Celebrate Guy Fawkes Night at the annual Barton Lions Firework Display held at Baysgarth Park. Enjoy a spectacular firework display, food stalls, rides, and entertainment See Barton Lions Facebook for further details.

### Thursday November 7

#### Kathleen Ferrier: Whattalife!

Ropery Hall 7.30pm

A new one-woman play with music performed by Lucy Stevens with musical accompaniment, Whattalife!, tells the story of one of Britain's nhenomenal women of the 20th Century, Kathleen Ferrier from her debut as a singer in 1940, her meteoric rise and her tragic death in 1953. £14/£16 OTD

Fridav November 8

#### **Barton Civic Society** lecture - Henry VIII, His Wives and Mistresses with Marilyn Roberts

Wilderspin School Museum - Joseph Wright Hall 2pm Ioin Marilyn Roberts for a history lesson with a difference! £4 for non-members



# **Lincolnshire** Wildlife Trust

Come and join us and learn more about our local area and the wildlife in it. You do not have to be a member of the Trust to attend any of our events and its free! For any information, please contact Vernon Chapman or Maureen Douglass as below. Look forward to seeing you!

#### Saturday Field Trips - Meet at Ness End Farm all 9am start unless stated. For full day trips bring a packed lunch and expect a return time of about

5pm. For half day trips expect a return time of 1pm. You will need suitable clothing and footwear (boots or wellies, warm clothes and waterproofs may be needed, especially in the colder months). For further information, contact the trip leader who will be happy to help.

#### Saturday 21st September Full day

#### Filev

A stroll down Filey Brigg looking for coastal migrants including Purple Sandpiper.

Vernon Chapman 07939 347373

#### Saturday 19th October Full day

#### Scarborough/Flamborough

Start of at Scarborough looking for coastal migrants and sea birds and the move southward to Flamborough North and South Landing. Simon Wellock 01652 634507

Indoor Meetings to be held in the Visitor Centre Contact: Vernon Chapman - 01652 660957 or 07939 347373

#### Wednesday 18th September 7.30pm (2 hrs)

#### Vine House Farm Bird Foods

Talk by Nicholas Watts, MBE. Nicholas researches and trials conservation ideas on his farm and then shares results and advice with other farmers and conservation bodies

#### Wednesday 16th October 7.30pm (2 hrs)

#### Cranes of Willow Farm

Talk by David Cohen, former LWT Chair on Willow Tree Fen which is now a breeding site for the Common Crane.

PLEASE NOTE INDOOR MEETINGS WILL NOW BE HELD IN THE VISITOR CENTRE, FAR INGS ROAD, BARTON UPON HUMBER email vernonchapman2@gmail.com or mdouglass6@hotmail.com Website: https://www.lincstrust.org.uk (Barton Area Group)



Henry Treece – Barton's National Treasure with David Newman and friends

Friday 18 October, 2pm Joseph Wright Hall, Wilderspin National School Museum Queen Street [DN18 5QP]. Admission for Civic Society members is free. Non-members £4



# **Barton and District** History Group

Our group's June visit to the Barrow upon Humber Geology museum was like stepping into a time machine, taking us through millions of years of history preserved in stone.

he museum, with its softly preserved, each telling a story of life it display cabinets, offered a from millions of years ago-was a fascinating glimpse into the earth's humbling experience. distant past through an impressive collection of fossils from various eras. Among the many exhibits, the one that stood out the most was the extensive collection of ammonites.

These ancient marine molluscs, with always captivated the imagination. The display cabinets were filled with specimens ranging in size from small. delicate shells to large, intricately natterned ones that were as big as dinner plates. The ammonites. which lived during the Devonian to the Cretaceous periods, are particularly significant because their fossils help scientists date the layers of rock in which they are found. Seeing so many of them in one place-perfectly

As we moved through the museum, we encountered fossils from other eras as well-each one a snapshot of life from a time long before humans walked the earth. From the delicate imprints of ancient plants to the their distinctive spiral shells, have skeletal remains of prehistoric creatures, each exhibit was a reminder of the ever-changing nature of life on our planet. Our visit was not just an educational experience: it



was a journey through the annals of earth's history. It left us with a deep appreciation for the ancient world and the mysteries it still holds within the rocks beneath our feet.

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday September 25 at 7:30 P.M. at St Mary's Church Hall on Burgate when Paul Mann will deliver a presentation with the title "Doc. John's Barton'

We are still accepting articles for Heritage 7, due to be published early 2025. So, if you have any interesting topics to share, please email us at:-Bartonanddistricthistorygroup@hotmail.com

Barton Heritage Open Days

Barton Heritage Open Days are a fantastic opportunity for you to explore the fascinating historic aspects of the town. The theme this year is Routes, Networks and Connections and visitors to the venues will be able to explore how Barton has changed over time.

Look out for our Barton Volunteers during the Heritage Open days from Friday September 6 to Sunday September 15. They will be seen around Barton wearing their volunteer T Shirts. If you need any further information on any of the events happening, please ask one of our fantastic volunteers. Barton Volunteers is always interested in gaining new members, so if you have a couple of hours to spare or would like to gain new skills email Caroline on bartonvolunteers@theropewalk.co.uk where she will be able to support you finding an event or venue which will suit your needs

Uncovering the history of Barton upon Humber has never been so much fun! The Barton Volunteers Archive Group meets once a week cataloguing and storing a large collection of books and other historic items of importance to the history of Barton town and the residents. The group's work has enabled the Step Back in Time events to be held at The Ropewalk once a month. Due to the popularity of these events. as well as the number of images in the archives, we are making this a regular monthly event.

Our next Thursday session is September 12 at Roperv Hall with an earlier start than previous sessions with doors opening at 4pm for a 4.30nm start

Admission to the session is free and light refreshments are provided - we hope you can make it.

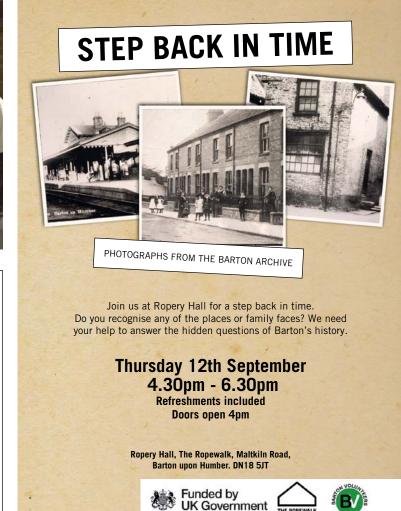


Tim and Linda

Do you have any old photographs of Barton upon Humber? Would you like the archives volunteers to find out more information? We will also share your photograph at the next Step Back in Time where local Barton residents have already uncovered a great deal of information on old Barton shops and residents.

You can drop your photographs off at The Ropewalk Tuesday to Friday 9am to 5pm, where Caroline will scan and return your image to you

For any other information email Caroline on please bartonvolunteers@the-ropewalk. co.uk





Lifelong Learning at Barton (LLaB) is an independent group which formed in November 2023. The aim of the group is to provide short educational and informative courses which are open to everyone aged 18 years and above.

The courses, with refreshments provided, are organised by a small committee, and delivered by experienced and knowledgeable tutors. A fee is generally charged in order to cover tutor costs and room rental

We are pleased and encouraged by the fact that the courses run so far this year have been well attended and greatly enjoyed and appreciated.

Simon Tomson ran an eight week course on Maritime Archaeology from January and a three week course on the Luttrall Psalter starting in April. This course ran from 1.30pm to 3.30pm on Wednesday afternoons. In addition, two successful Saturday

Afternoon Talks with illustrated presentations, question and answer time and afternoon teas have been held wtih Neil Wilkyn speaking on Probate Inventory in May and Richard Clarke on Flooding in the Humberside Area in July.

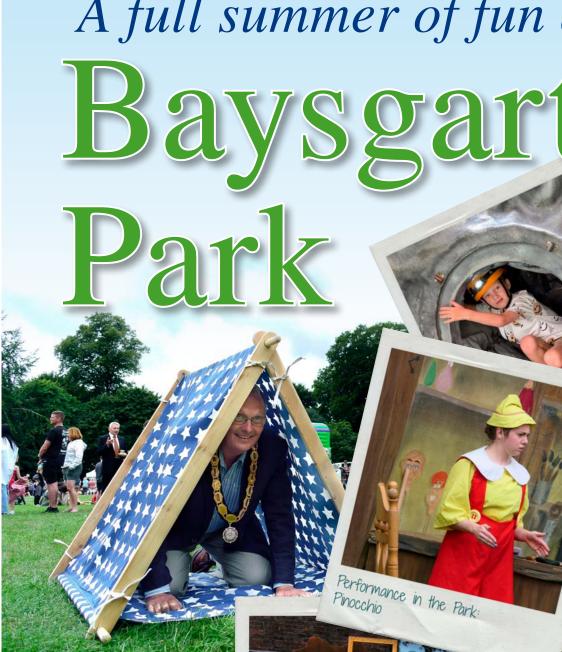
Events are planned and confirmed from September to December. Details of LLaB courses and talks can be found in the Events Section of this edition of the Bartonian

These include a four week course to be delivered on The English Civil War by Richard Clarke (to be held on Wednesday afternoons from September 25 to October 16) and a six week course on Recent Discoveries in Roman Britain and Italy by Simon Tomson (again on Wednesday afternoons, from November 6 to December 11).

A Saturday presentation by Tony Barrett on The Georgian Navy Lincolnshire to Trafalgar is to be held in October, with afternoon tea whileTim Stimson will speak about The Victorian Narrative Painting in November. The latter afternoon talk is to be free of charge and includes refreshments. This talk will be a 'taster' for a longer course to be held in 2025.

All events take place in the Raikes Room in the Joseph Wright Hall at the Wilderspin School Museum in Queen Street, Barton upon Humber, DN18 50P

Please feel free to just turn up at any session. You will be warmly welcomed. There is no need to book but it would help us to know if you are coming so please email lifelonglearning@gmail.com or call 07799754446. If you have any queries, please do get in touch.



Above: Picnic in the Park. Mavor Neil Jacques trying a play tent out for size



The Park includes parkland, a memorial garden to the founder of The Samaritans, Barton born the Rev Chad Varah, an outdoor gym, bowling green, football pitches and a recently installed children's cycle track as well as the Baysgarth Community Hub. Perimeter pathways mean the park is accessible all year round for everyone.

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**Picnic in the Park** puzzle time

For the seventh consecutive year Baysgarth Park has been awarded the coveted Keep Britain Tidy Green Flag Award making it one of the best in the country



Cllr Paul Vickers. chair of the Friends of Barton Parks. the organisation that in conjunction with North Lincolnshire Council has spearheaded improvements to the park commented: "I am delighted that once again the work carried out in Baysgarth Park year on year has been recognised with the award of the Green Flag".

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# Celebrating Barton's brilliant Indian restaurants Some Like It Hot!



**Bengal Village** 

Location: 16-20 Fleetgate, DN18 5QA Bengal Village is a popular restaurant for many residents of Barton and the surrounding villages. Serving freshly made Indian dishes and unusual delicacies from India to Bengal. this is a brilliant place to pick up your favourite dishes

"The food is amazing. The restaurant is lovely, staff are always polite and welcoming. I've been eating curry for 40 years. Birmingham to Bradford and everywhere in between and haven't had a better curry anywhere else." **Google Reviews** 

All restaurants can be found on Google, alongside menus and contact information. As dining out continues to struggle to reach pre-Covid levels, remember to support ocal businesses and enjoy a delicious Indian meal this weekend!



# Barton FM

Barton FM is the town's very own online community radio station and streaming service and has been broadcasting since May 2019.

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Indian cuisine continues to be one of the most popular takeaway options in the UK, with more than 8,000 restaurants up and down the country. We're fortunate in Barton to be home to four Indian restaurants, each offering their own twist on this popular cuisine - whether you like the heat of a vindaloo or prefer to play it safe with a korma, you'll easily find somewhere to pick up your favourite dish.







delicious food since 1993 and has become one of the most established restaurants in the area. It has won several awards, including The Master Chef Award and The Best Indian Restaurant Award, by renowned food critics. "Always a great time at The Surma, the food is always great, staff are friendly and cater to every need, the mixed grill and onion bhajis are the best I've ever had" - Google Reviews



Hasina Location: 27 High Street, DN18 5PD

The Hasina opened in Barton in 1999 and has been a popular restaurant with locals ever since. Consistently scoring high hygiene ratings, this family-run business offers a range of speciality dishes including dopiaza, bhuna, vindaloo and plenty more traditional family recipes!

"My very first Indian takeaway since moving to Barton. A great welcome by the guy behind the counter. Not too long a wait for my order and wow the food was delicious and plenty of it. Very good value for money and will definitely be going back very soon now I have more spare time." - Google Reviews



#### The Rai Location: 28 High Street, DN18 5PD

The Rai restaurant proudly serves the 'finest Indian cuisine' and is a popular choice with diners looking to experience a range of traditional Indian dishes. With both dine-in and takeaway options, plus the ability to order online - its easy to see why The Raj has se many positive reviews!

"Taken to dinner by friends from Shetland. No booking, but a great welcome with no hesitation from the greeter and we were sat immediately. The food was fantastic, perfectly cooked, well presented and hot. As we hadn' seen one another in a while we just sat and chatted and were put under no pressure to leave. I recommend this place to all lovers of Indian food." - Google Reviews

# Latest news from Barton FM

Richard Watts, the Station Manager has been telling the Bartonian about the station and some new developments

8 am to 10 pm seven days a week. The station is run entirely by volunteers, and quite often, these volunteers have no previous broadcasting experience. Most of these volunteers are based in Barton, but because of modern technology, they can come from further afield.

#### New developments

We asked if there was anything new that we should be aware of. "Our most significant recent development has been starting broadcasting on Alexa. To access Barton FM, ask Alexa to "play the Barton FM Skill". We have also added the National News at the top of the hour.

#### New presenter

Richard told us about a new presenter.

"We love to encourage young people to get involved in the station, and we are delighted to welcome Ruby Wilkes, an 18-year-old from Barton. Ruby will be presenting a show at 5 pm on Fridays and "Alive At 5" will include local Barton News Items'

Richard revealed to the Bartonian about another young person who had volunteered at Barton FM. "We were pleased to hear earlier in the year that one of our former volunteers, Summer Halkvard, is now working full-time for

Richard told us: "Barton FM broadcasts from the BBC and is currently based in America. It The station is also the only radio station shows what a good start local radio can give those wanting a career in the broadcasting industry.

#### Long-running shows

"As well as developing new programming, we also have some firm listener favourites. Our two longest-running programmes are both hosted by Neil King (yes, he gets everywhere, doesn't he!)

"The Classic Rock Show features brand-new and classic rock and broadcasts at 5 pm on Thursdays and 6 pm on Saturdays

"Neil's other show, The Alternative Music Mix, plays brand-new music, pre-releases, unsigned artists and a few classics from our vaults. The show is at 6 pm on Wednesdays and 4 pm on Sundays

In total, Neil has produced and presented nearly 250 shows

#### Sport

As the new football season gets underway, Barton FM will again provide live commentary on Barton Town games, home and away. Highlights of these matches are shown on **Barton TV.** 

in the county to offer live commentary on Lincolnshire County Cricket. We have a cricket show that covers Barton Town CC and Lincolnshire cricket.

#### Business

If you have an interest in all things business listen to The Small Business Big Network Podcast by Liz Drury. The show is on at 2 pm on Tuesdavs and Thursdavs at 11 am

#### COMING SOON

Barton FM is in the process of setting up a listen-anytime service; as the name suggests you will be able to listen to some of our programmes at any time you want.

#### **GET INVOLVED**

We would welcome your suggestions for new programmes. Feel free to send us your events for us to publicise or just ask for a shout-out. We would love to hear from you.

We are always looking for new volunteers to present programmes, develop ideas for programmes, and assist with production and sound editing for radio and TV.



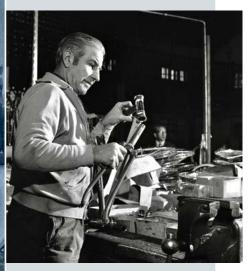
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Falcon and Coventry-Eagle Cycles was acquired by Elswick-Hopper in 1978 and production moved to the Elswick-Hopper's Barton factory from the Midlands. They brought some workers to live in Barton, adding to the skilled Elswick-Hopper employees. They are seen here hand-building cycles. Production was moved from Barton to Brigg and finished in the late 1980s due to the cheap imports of cycles.





Created by David Lee Photography, additional information from

Cycle frames being prepared for powder

coating their colour.

His contributions to the Bartonian of Barton from a bygone age have been some of the most-read and most anticipated pages in the new format Bartonian being commented on by many long-standing Barton families who recognized familiar faces as and commercial work as well as well as recent residents of the town working as a freelance photographer keen to learn more about the town's for all three local newspapers.

more modern history. For many years David had a photography studio on George Street from where he chronicled life in Barton taking photographs of children from babyhood to adulthood, weddings

St Mary's Works Cycle Factory from the air in 1986

His photographs captured the construction of the Humber Bridge from the very start to the officia opening in 1981 and beyond. His son Michael, who is based at The Ropewalk, now carries on his work.

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# Building independence for young people . . . Become a supported lodgings host

"It's always a proud moment when the young people in my care just call to say hello...", said a North Lincolnshire supported lodgings host who is encouraging others to open their homes and change lives.

Supported Lodgings is a scheme in North Lincolnshire whereby young people who are care experienced like many young people - need further help, support, guidance and friendship before they are ready to live on their own. The scheme is in place to aid in building independence and confidence in the safe environment of a supported lodgings host.

As a host, you share your home with a young person aged 16 to 24 way, it's to help you explore options years and help them to learn and so that you're not left alone when develop valuable skills building you're living independently." independence such as cooking, cleaning, budgeting, applying for Why do you think it's important to work and attending college. have this scheme?

A young person who has experienced "Because there's not a lot of pe supported lodgings in North that do it. Lincolnshire. answered questions "I feel like if just more people did about their experiences recently it and opened their minds to these including the impact on them and kinds of things, the world would be why they believe more people should a so much better place, especially for become hosts. voung people like me, but also for the hosts as well, because it can be a good experience for them too.

How has being in supported lodgings aided you and your independence?

"I've learned a lot of things. I think the point of supported lodgings hosts isn't to make you do it their helping a young person." BARTONIAN

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> He said: "Many people have been affected by rising energy costs and are considering installing a log burner. We want to ensure people get the right equipment for their home and pride ourselves on offering a quality

comprehensive service." He added: "We offer free advice and guotes and can help customers design their project, source equipment, and install it to the highest standards. We aim to complete the work with minimal disruption."



"I'd say it's not only probably very fulfilling for you, but it's really



What would you like to say to your host?

"Thank you - and I mean it because those who I do stay in contact with, I treasure closely, like family, better than family that I have had.

Supported lodgings hosts receive a weekly allowance plus room rent per young person they host, a dedicated support worker to provide ongoing

support and guidance, a detailed training plan and access to support groups for further support and advice as well as regular sessions with other hosts to keep in touch.



You can find out more by visiting the supported lodgings webpage, watch the new supported lodgings video by scanning the QR code, email fostering@ northlincs.gov.uk or call 01724 297024.



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Thank you to all of our volunteers, family, friends and members who enable us to continue to arrange events across the year.

Barton Lions only has eight members currently and without external assistance we could not put community events on in the town. This year's Annual Beer Festival was a great success because of the contributions made by these volunteers.

In recognition we presented each of the following with Certificates of Appreciation and they were each asked to nominate a cause that Barton Lions will make a £200 donation to on their behalf

- Barton Rotary Club Christmas Meals for Pensioners
- Barrow Meridian Rotary Club North Lincolnshire's MIND.
- · Friends of the Barton Line Samaritans. • The Ropewalk - Barton Volunteers

Siemens Gamesa is still consulting volunteers for nominations

If you would like to become a member or need to approach us for anything please contact us through our Facebook page. Barton upon Humber Lions CIO



### Barton upon Humber Armed Forces and Veterans Breakfast Club

Sunday July 7. 2024 saw the Barton upon Humber Armed Forces and Veterans Breakfast Club reach its third anniversary. Breakfasts are held at the Barton Town Cricket Club on the first Sunday of each month.



To mark the occasion, we invited Cllr Neil Jacques, Barton's Town Mayor and his wife Monica, the Mayoress. We had them cut the anniversary cake, which Sarah Kirby, (the club's co-founder) made and he said a few words of praise on what we have achieved and how well run we are

For more details contact Russ Kirby (co founder) on 07725 191857 or bartonuponhumberafvbc@ gmail.com

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