

Seaton Ross Parish Council

The Parish Council had no prior warning that an increased amount of traffic, especially lorries were going to use the village as a diversion from Monday 13 June, whilst the road was closed past Ellerton (B1228) for 4 weeks and through Holme on Spalding Moor for 2 weeks. There should be a notice at the end of Southfield Lane coming in from the A163, stating that the road is unsuitable for HGVs (however this does not mean 'no entry'). We have asked the East Riding Highways authority to reinstate it. We hope that lorries do not continue to use the village as an alternative route once the road works are completed.

Litter bin – a new litter bin is situated next to the telephone box near the village hall. Please use for dog waste bags too!

Salt bin – the village has a new salt bin on the verge at the junction of Breckstreet Lane and Mill Lane. This bin will be filled regularly in the winter months and the salt can be used by anyone living in the village.

Please note that all the other salt bins in the village are for use at their specific sites only.

Ash Lane

Both Seaton Ross and Melbourne Parish Councils have written to the East Riding Council on a number of occasions about the state of Ash Lane. The Parish Clerk has spoken with David Bragg, Head of Highways, and has been told that Highways is intending to initiate an improvement programme if there is enough funding. They are aware of the poor state of the road and are making sure that there are no "serious" potholes. If there is no further progress in the next month we will be asking you to write individual letters stating the case for repairs.



Seaton Ross Parish Council's new email address:

seatonrosspc@gmail.com

The village used to have a **Neighbourhood Watch** scheme but was then unable to find a Scheme coordinator. There is currently £145.90 in its bank account. Unless there is anyone who would like to be coordinator (ring 318411) we propose to give this money to Valewatch, which is like Neighbourhood Watch but covers a bigger area. It passes information to the Police about crimes, security and suspicious vehicles.

Seaton Ross Playing Fields Association

The future of the Playing Fields

After several years of successful fundraising Seaton Ross Playing Fields Association (SRPFA) is now in a position to begin to apply for funding in order to develop the playing fields. This will be a lengthy process but before we can do anything we need to consult with everyone in the village to identify how they would like to see the playing fields developed. Some areas to consider include:

- Development of the existing play equipment.
- Development of the rear field.
- Community building events.

Questionnaire

We will be delivering a questionnaire to every household in Seaton Ross over the next few weeks. It is important that as many people as possible give us their views so that the SRPFA can develop the Playing Fields to benefit a wide range of groups within our community. We are looking forward to hearing from you!

- **Gala Day (Playing Fields)** 2nd or 3rd Sunday in September 2011, 2pm. BBQ, races and games for all the family. All welcome. Also on the same day in the Village Hall - **produce and handicraft competitions** (previously entered at Seaton Ross Feast)
- **Casino Evening (Village Hall)** Saturday 15 October 2011, 7.30pm.
- **Firework display (Playing Fields)** Saturday 5 November 2011.

For further information, please telephone Suzanne Macey 318413.

The Black Horse, Seaton Ross

Under New Management

As many of you will know Dave and Denise retired from The Black Horse at the end of April. They had run the pub for about twenty years. People will remember that for a number of years the village bonfire was held in the car park (organised by the show committee), the New Year's Eve party was another occasion that will bring back memories for villagers. Dave and Denise have shown great kindness too many people. Over the years they raised a lot of money for different charities, in particular Macmillan.

Hopefully Dave and Denise will be able to take life at a slower pace!

The Black Horse is now run by Chris and Jackie East; they have lived at the South End, Seaton Ross for roughly 8 years.

<u>Opening Times</u>		<u>Food</u>
Monday	5 - 12	5 - 9
Tuesday	5 - 12	No food
Wednesday	5 - 12	5 - 9
Thursday	5 - 12	5 - 9
Friday	5 - 12	5 - 9
Saturday	12 - 12	12 - 3 & 5 - 9
Sunday	12 - 12	12 - 3 (Sunday Lunch) & 5 - 9

The function room is also available for private parties, please contact Chris or Jackie on 01759 318 481 for availability.

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Robert Hunt married Sarah Harper at East Cottingwith Church on Saturday 18th June 2011.

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Open Meeting – Wind Turbine @ St. Helen's Farm

The Parish Council has been approached by Angus Wielkopolksi to come and discuss the recently proposed wind turbine plans. There will be an open parish council meeting on **Monday 11 July at 8pm** in the village hall. This is to give anyone who lives in the village an opportunity to make their views known about the proposed erection of a wind turbine at St Helen's Farm. Mr Wielkopolksi will be attending the meeting to answer any questions. He also invites interested parishioners to visit St Helen's Farm at **7.15pm** the same evening for a site visit. Please park near Reception.

Vacancy on the Parish Council

There is currently a **vacancy** for a parish councillor on Seaton Ross Parish Council. The council can now fill this vacancy by co-option, which is a process whereby the council considers applications from interested persons and can then select someone to fill the seat. If you need any information about qualification for being a councillor or just want more information about the role, please contact chairman, Jane Henley (318411) or the clerk to the council Sally Howat (319223).

The **village website (seatonross.org.uk)**, which is funded by the Parish Council, needs to be kept up-to-date. If you would be interested in coordinating this please contact Jane on 318411 or Sally on 319223. You can also send information about the village and village events directly to the website using the Contact Us option
<http://www.seatonross.org.uk/contact.php>