### Seaton Ross Women's Group

This is to inform the ladies of Seaton Ross and surrounding area that the Seaton Ross YCA has now dissolved, and we are forming a new informal group where local women can meet for a chat and cuppa. In winter we will meet in the village hall in the afternoon.

We are hoping to entice all ladies, young and not so young.

Anyone interested in joining or going to any of the outings please contact any of the following:-

Christine Reilly, The Clocks	(North End)	319 533
Anne Unwin, Stepping Stones	(Church Lane) 318 555	
Anna Sheldon, West End Farm	(West End)	318 602
Anne Young, The Meadows	(South End)	319 577

**Thurs 20 June** – Tour and demonstration at Bielby Hearing Dogs for the Deaf, £3 with afternoon tea included. Tour starts 2pm (money required in advance). Limited places available.

**Wed 10 July** – Burnby Hall Garden when the famous water lilies should be on display. Entry £3.95 seniors or £4.65

**Tue 17 Sept - Evening meeting 7.30pm** – Chloe Hall is a professional masseur who will give a fun presentation and give practical advice on massage at home.

**Tue 15 October – Evening meeting 7.30pm** – Pat Winterton is a local driving instructor. She gives a fun presentation, chat and quiz on driving.

### New Library Van Times

- Date: Alternate Mondays, from Monday 24 June.
- **Time**: 11.10am -12.10pm
- Place: one stop at the Village Hall

Any interesting news or information concerning the village let us know. Jane Henley (318411) ajh@titandial.net



## **June 2013**

### Seaton Ross Playing Fields Association

Seaton Ross Playing Fields Association is a registered charity. It was set up 30 years ago to purchase land and provide play equipment for the village community. We currently have a small committee which continues to raise money to insure, maintain and replace the play equipment. Please contact Suzanne Macey on 01759 318413 if you would like further information about getting involved with this very local charity. Thank you.

#### Quiz

A huge 'thank you' to all who attended the quiz at The Black Horse in aid of the SRPFA. There was a great turn out and we made £483 profit. We hope all who attended had a good night and look forward to seeing you at the next one!

#### Spring tidy up

Those who have visited the Playing Fields may have noticed some improvements recently. The large conifer hedge at the back has been cut and the SRPFA spent a morning in April carrying out basic maintenance and tidying up the area under the hedge. The clippings now need shredding – if anyone has a chipper they can lend us, please contact Suzanne.

#### Grass cutting

The committee would like to thank all those who have volunteered to help maintain the Playing Fields by cutting the grass. It is always difficult to get enough volunteers to cover the increasing growing season. Please let Suzanne know if you could spare a couple of hours once a year to help. Your help will be very much appreciated.

#### **Dates for your Diary**

It would be lovely to see as many people as possible supporting the following events this year. Make a note in your diary and look out for the notice boards, posters and fliers with further details.

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September**: Gala Day (BYO picnic, family games and races for all) at the Playing Fields.

Saturday 21st September: Casino Night at the Village Hall. Saturday 2 November: Fireworks Display at the Playing Fields.

# **Charity Garden Party**

Kathleen and Angus Wielkopolski will be hosting a Charity Garden Party from 2-6pm on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July at Rushwood House, St Helen's Farm, Seaton Ross.

All funds raised will go to two charities:

- Aurora Cancer Care a charity based in Doncaster that helps people with cancer, giving them non-medical care and support.
  www.theauroracentre.co.uk
- Farming Community Network a national farming help charity helping farmers and their families who are facing difficulties <u>www.fcn.org.uk</u>

The afternoon will include afternoon teas, garden games and competitions, farm visits and an auction of an opportunity to climb the wind turbine.

Offers of all kinds of help would be appreciated including any sideshows. Please contact Kathleen on 01430-861400 & leave your number if I'm not available.

### Seaton Ross Village Hall 150 Club

Prizes are drawn on the last Saturday of each month from April onwards. Tickets cost £12 per year. Please contact Anna Sheldon 318602 for tickets and information.

Monthly Prizes -1 at £25, 1 at £20, 2 at £10

#### Prizewinners April 2013 Prizewinners May 2013

Mr & Mrs Hartley Mr & Mrs Snowden Ms A Musson Mr J Atkinson Mr & Mrs Thorpe Mr Underwood Mr & Mrs Speight Mrs J Hill

# **Seaton Ross Parish Council**

The **next meeting** will be on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July at 7.30pm in the Village Hall.

### Seaton Ross Parish Council Chair's Annual Report 2012-13

The Parish Council has held eight meetings through the year dealing with business from planning applications to bus services.

1. The X36 has replaced the EYMS morning and evening bus service but it still needs financial support. This year the villages on the route, except Melbourne, again agreed to provide some funding. This guarantees the service until March 2014.

2. The state of our roads has not improved. We contact ER Highways Department regularly to ask for more permanent road repairs. We and the other villages affected by composting lorry routes had a meeting with the Highways Department in February. This year the rest of Ash Lane and Seaton Common Lane will be repaired to the same standard as that done already, and possibly round the corner towards Rythamgate. Over the following two years the road between the Mill and Sumo will be repaired and possibly the road to Everingham. The East Riding Council has been doing lorry surveys for these roads.

3. The Streetscene team have repaired some potholes, repainted the dragons teeth and done a few other jobs.

4. For icy weather we have a communal salt bin just into Breckstreet Lane and this is filled regularly. We are in the process of buying a second smaller bin, for another part of the village, with money from the Local Winter Grants provided by the East Riding. We have also bid for and received money from this for updating heating and heater guards in the village hall.

5. The Parish Council has formulated a Community Emergency Plan but still needs some more Community coordinators (ideally one for each street). If you would like to help with this please contact the Clerk on 319223.

6. A new freestanding village noticeboard has been erected on the grass at the Cross and the old one removed. Litter bins have been installed near the village hall and near the village plot and both can also be used for dog waste.7. The PC continues annual grants to the Village Hall, Playing Field and

churchyard, and finances the domain and hosting for the village website. We are currently looking at updating the website as unfortunately little has been added this year. Any village organisation can apply to the Parish Council for some funding as long as a business plan is provided and the project benefits the village.

8. To help with future planning, as part of Localism, the Parish Council is developing a village plan. If anyone would like to give us any ideas or thoughts on this please contact the Clerk on 319223.

9. The Jubilee celebrations and the Bonfire and fireworks evening were very successful.

10. The Annual accounts are available for viewing at any reasonable time by request to the Clerk. The precept has been held at the same amount as last year.