

SEATON ROSS TIMES

JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2022

All meetings and events will be subject to the Covid guidelines in place at the time

VILLAGE HALL

£127 was raised for our local Dementia Forward group at the Christmas Social Saturday and an extra £50 donated later. There will be more fundraisers for them later in the year.

The next Social Saturdays will be on 29th January and 26th February, 10am to 12 noon in the Village Hall

Toddler Group

There is definite interest in the idea of starting a weekly toddler group at the village hall and a planning meeting will be arranged later in January to discuss details. Please contact Yvonne on **01759 318995** if you think you might use such a group, either as a parent or a grandparent, or if you would be interested in joining the meeting. Please note that children would have to be accompanied. We would also be grateful for donations of play mats or toys. Thank you.

The Village Hall committee would like to thank all those who contributed to the **Celebration Exhibition on November 27th**. We had sixteen varied exhibits, all of which were testament to the wealth of talent within our village. We are grateful for the time and trouble taken by both the exhibitors and our volunteers. It was good to demonstrate some of the positives that came out of Lockdown. Pity about the electricity cuts!

SEATON ROSS PARISH COUNCIL

The next Parish Council meetings will be on **Tuesday 11th January and Tuesday 1st March at 7.30pm**, in the Village Hall. If you wish to attend any meetings, or have any queries please contact the Parish Clerk on seatonrosspc@gmail.com giving plenty of notice

Agendas and minutes for all meetings go on the Parish noticeboard and on the website <http://www.seatonrossparishcouncil.org.uk/home>.

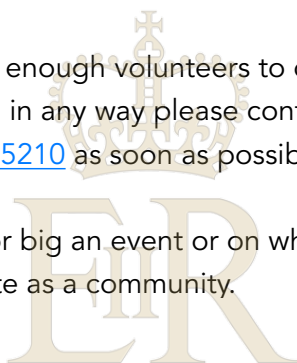
Many thanks to Men in Sheds for building and installing the new shelves in the phone box – a great success.

ERYC workmen have erected the new waste bin in South End.

Jubilee Celebration in June

At the moment we do not really have enough volunteers to organise a village event for the Jubilee. Anyone interested in helping in any way please contact the Parish Clerk on seatonrosspc@gmail.com or [07712445210](tel:07712445210) as soon as possible.

We can be flexible about how small or big an event or on which day to hold it. It is an opportunity for the village to celebrate as a community.



Seaton Ross Ladies Group

The next meetings will be on Tuesdays 8th February and 8th March at 2pm in the Village Hall. Please contact Kay on 01759 318991 for further information.

Dog Meet and Greet

Saturdays 8th January, 12th Feb, 12th March, 10am-11am, meeting at Chapel Farm.



St Edmunds Church

Holy Communion 9th, 23rd, 30th Jan, 13th and 27th Feb at 9am. All welcome.

For further information contact the Vicar on 01430 626728, email him on stephenvcope@tiscali.co.uk, or use the contact form on the village website seatonross.org.uk



KCOM

KCOM build commenced in December and is progressing well. Civils activities are to last until the end of March followed by cabling and splicing in April. Finishing works expected late May. Lee Jackson is the Civils team leader with Mike Anscombe and Dan Patton supervising leads. They're more than happy to engage so if you have any questions or concerns then please feel free to ask a member of the team.

First addresses to be released for sale early May with a second and final release expected late June. There has been a good response so far for pre-registrations of interest and we will be asking for residents to complete the Department of Digital, Culture, Media & Sport (DCMS) form in advance of these address releases as we're using the Gigabit Voucher Scheme to part fund the build.

More information is available <https://www.kcom.com/home/connect-my-community/dcms-voucher-scheme/>. Melbourne residents have started to be connected and are enjoying the benefits that Full Fibre gigabit cable network brings. If you haven't already then please pre-register your interest at <https://www.kcom.com/home/connect-my-community/>.

Derwent Lions

We were out with our Christmas Sleigh "Rocking Rudolph" for 18 nights visiting 13 villages, bringing the wonder of Christmas to young and old alike. Due to your generosity, we collected nearly £10,000. The residents of Seaton Ross contributed £347. We are so grateful to everyone who helped us collect this money which will be of great benefit to the various good causes we support.

To complete our Christmas projects, we have been recycling Christmas trees in some of our villages to raise money for St Leonards Hospice. Some of the shredded trees will be used by Primrose Bank Nursery at Kexby to make paths around their snow drop displays which they open for charity.

Our club only has 14 members, with more people we could do much more. Please have a look at our website <https://derwent.lionsclub.co/>

Any submissions for the March issue please ring 318411, email hja2hja2mail.com or use the contact form at seatonross.org.uk/ no later than 19th February