

Ludborough Parish Council Newsletter



Keeping Our Village Tidy

A big thank you to those who have been helping to litter pick in the village, especially Nick the Chairman who regularly is seen doing a tidy up around the village.

If you would like to join in, we have litter picking equipment available. It is a great way to do something positive for the village whilst getting some exercise and meeting others in the community.

A WARM WELCOME

to all the new residents that have moved to Ludborough. We hope that you have settled in well and we look forward to seeing you at upcoming village events.

Last year saw some upgrades in the village. This included installing the village boundary gates to all three entrances into the village. Not only does this look attractive but the aim is to also encourage drivers to slow down. The gates were paid for by members of the community, with a team effort to get them all painted.

Again the Parish Council team and other village members got to work with helping Agi & Laura to brighten the exterior of the Livesey Arms. With the help of donations towards the plants, compost and hanging baskets, we all got to work brightening up the concrete planters and seating area for all of us to enjoy.

We also added a gate to where the entrance to the old road was towards the A16. We were finding that people from outside the village were tending to park up, and as a result were leaving litter behind.

Village Newsletter - Going Digital

In an effort to reduce costs, time and to save paper, we will no longer be automatically delivering paper copies of the Parish Newsletter to every household. From now on, the newsletter will be available digitally via email and on the parish website, so you can read it at your convenience.

If you would still like to receive a paper copy, don't worry - we can arrange this for you. Simply let us know by contacting the Parish Clerk and we will make sure a printed version continues to be delivered to your home.

To register your interest and let us know how you would like to receive your newsletter please contact Naomi on:

ludboroughclerk47@gmail.com

St Mary's Church Wall and Tree Update

As many of you are aware, the church boundary wall has been very unstable for a while now and is in urgent need of repair.

Unfortunately, in order to address the issue properly, it will also be necessary to remove a nearby tree whose roots have contributed to the movement of the wall. We know this will be disappointing news, as the tree has been part of the village scene for many years, and this decision has not been taken lightly.

The cost of repairing the wall and removal of the tree is significant, and the Parish Council is actively exploring options and grants to help cover the expense. We will keep the community informed as progress is made.

Thank you for your understanding as we work to preserve both the safety and heritage of our village.



Village Facebook Page

We have set up a social media page for our village and community.

We appreciate that social media is not for everyone but it can be a useful tool to help promote local events, promote local business and find trades.

Its great to see so many people using it already! With many new people coming into the village, it is a great way to communicate and for them to find out what is going on in the local area.

Please go to:

Ludborough Parish Council and Community Official Page



Village WhatsApp Group

The Parish Council is pleased to let residents know that a community WhatsApp group has been set up to help share information quickly and easily. The group will be used for important updates such as parish notices, road closures, local events, and any urgent matters affecting the village.

This is not intended for general chat, but as a practical way to keep everyone informed.

If you would like to be added to the group, please contact the Parish Clerk stating your mobile number to:

ludboroughclerk47@gmail.com

We hope this will be a useful tool for keeping our little community connected.

Dog Fouling

We have recently noticed an increase in dog mess being left around the village and especially down the footpath leading to the fields down Chapel Lane.

Not only is it unpleasant for everyone walking through the village, but it also poses a health risk - especially to children!

We kindly remind all dog owners to carry bags and clean up after their pets. There are bins near both bus stops in the village and we are currently looking at providing another bin down Station Road.

It has been raised by some residents about having dog waste bins around the village, in the hope that this would encourage people to use them.

Many years ago, the village did have such bins but they were not always emptied regularly and the Council decided that we should use the main litter bins for this matter.

Unfortunately, this issue is in every town, village and city and ultimately it is down to the owner to pick up after their pet. With the increase of families with small children now in the village, I hope that we could all be thoughtful of others and do our part to keep our village welcoming for everyone.



Residents have raised concerns about vehicles travelling too fast through our village, especially down Livesey Road. With more young families recently moved here, road safety has become a greater priority.

The Parish council is currently exploring possible measures to help reduce speeding.

We know that most drivers do take care but the village is often used as a cut through and the speed restrictions are being ignored.

We ask for everyone to be mindful to help protect residents crossing the roads, children and our pets.



Upcoming Events

Harvest Auction - Monday 13th October 2025

Saturday 1st November - Bonfire night & Fireworks at The Livesey Arms

Tractor Run - Sunday 21st December 2025