

Edgar Tomblin — Part 2

Joseph Tomblin his wife and young family departed one morning in the summer of 1875 from their native district of St Mary, near Ramsey, Huntingdonshire to seek perhaps better fortune or religious freedom.

They were to travel by rail to Retford then on to Lound. They took occupation of the end cottage next to the willow yard of the three that stood there and have lately been made into one and called 'Dukes Cottage'.

In 1875 the family consisted of Joseph, my grandfather, his wife my grandmother and daughters Elizabeth, Eliza, Sarah and son Ernest Alfred (my farther to whose memory I owe most of the following) and William.

As they settled down my farther tells of excursions with his father to the woods to cut handles for tools. He had taken up employment with Geo Walker of Daneshill as Butcher and Farrier. He was interested in the new approach to treatment of diseases and methods of management of farm animals.

Extracts from 'Lound Village Memories' by Edgar Tomblin

Dates for Diary

Lound Defibrillator AGM

Lound Residents are welcome to come to the second Annual General Meeting on **Sunday 14th April** mid-day in Lound Village Hall.

All members of the Committee are standing for re-election and any resident may put themselves forward to join the Committee. Come and join us for a glass of wine and arrange the rotas for the checking of the Defibrillator AND sign up and book a date for your annual tuition course for the CPR Training sessions.

ALL WELCOME, COME AND LEARN HOW TO USE THIS SIMPLE MACHINE AND POTENTIALLY SAVE A LIFE.

More details from:

Sarah Austin- Tel: 818089

Vivienne French- Tel: 818305

Village Hall Committee AGM

Come and have your say!

Monday 29th April 7.30pm

Midsummer Madness

Fun and games for all the family on the Playing Field.

Saturday 22nd June



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Better Broadband for Nottinghamshire P2

Council Elections — Register your interest by contacting the clerk for nomination papers

Post Office Service

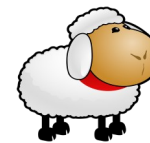


The village Post Office has new opening time and services:

Opening every Wednesday in Lound Village Hall from 1.00pm to 4.00pm

Also, saving you time and travelling into Retford, the Post Office can now take cheques or cash that need paying into any main high street bank.

Dog Owners—Sheep



Thank you to all the dog owners who kept their dogs under control whilst walking Footpath 1 when the sheep were in the field.

Julian Powell

Village Green Tidy Up



To prepare the Village Green ready for the spring a working party is arranged for Sunday 10th March—10.00am.

Please come along and help look after your Village Green. **Thank You**

'Four Score Draw'

£20 Winners:

130 Helen O'Donohue

19..... Pam Beardsall

85..... Pete Shepston

91..... Lisa Dungworth

Premium Prize: £200 was not won so rolls over to...

Wow! £250

Better Broadband

Better Broadband for Nottinghamshire is a £31m partnership between the County Council and a range of funding partners including Central Government, Openreach and the area's district, borough and City councils. The programme builds on the commercial rollout of fibre based broadband which alone has provided superfast access to 86% of properties in Nottinghamshire. As a result 98% of Nottinghamshire premises will be able to access a network, capable of delivering superfast broadband by March 2019.

Fibre to the premise (FTTP) based broadband is the new generation of broadband – much faster, more reliable and utilises a different technology. Whilst traditional broadband is delivered entirely via copper telephone lines, fibre based broadband incorporates fibre optic cable to provide the fast service. Many residents of Lound now have access to superfast broadband, however, it is important to note that these upgrades do not happen automatically and in order to benefit, residents must take action before they could see an improvement.

Most internet service providers will be able to provide a fibre service or upgrade you from your current deal and in many cases a fibre broadband package will not cost any more than non-fibre options.

When looking for the best deal we recommend you take some time to explore your options and choose the right deal for you. Utilise a comparison website and look out for things like: speed, usage, contract, calls and offers.



- * To see what fibre broadband services are available to you please visit:

www.homeandbusiness.openreach.co.uk/fibre-broadband/when-can-i-get-fibre

- * If you have any questions regarding fibre broadband in your area please contact us via emailing:

enquiries.broadband@nottscc.gov.uk

- * Better Broadband for Nottinghamshire:

www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/broadband

Parish Council

>Planning Issues- None

>Council Elections– As report last month there are two vacancies on the Parish Council. It is important to register your interest by contacting the clerk for nomination papers.

>Playing Field– New fence/gates now erected at the playing entrance. The old gates are now surplus to requirement and are for sale to Villagers.

- * 10ft wooden gate at £20

- * 12ft wooden gate at £30

If interest, please contact the Clerk to the Parish Council.

Lound Phoenix Group

At last month's meeting it was good to have the opportunity to see 'Brillo' the barn owl and even hold him. The talk, by his owner, revealed her enthusiasm and care for a variety of owls.

Instead of a speaker next month there will be a fun quiz with supper and no doubt some exotic prize for the winning team! Please bring along food to share (sweet or savoury) to the meeting on **Tuesday 19th March** at 7:30 in the Village Hall. All welcome.

St. Bartholomew's Church

Church Services — March

3rd Songs of praise 9.15am

6th Ash Wednesday Holy Communion 1.00pm

10th Holy Communion 9.15am

17th Family Service 9.15am

24th Worship for All 4.00pm

31st Mothering Sunday
Family Service 9.15am

Lound Lingerers



March's walk on **Friday 15th March** is from the charming vil-

lage of West Stockwith, a port and shipbuilding location frequented by sailors in the past.

The two and a half mile circular route takes us beside both the River Idle and the Chesterfield Canal with of course views of the River Trent and all the boats.

We meet at Willow Cottage, 65 Town Street at 10.45am. Please let Gee know on Tel: 818792 by Thursday 14th if you would like to come so that we can organise transport and book a table for a pub lunch.