

Hazel Dormice



North Notts Wildlife Trust local group have organised a talk on the reintroduction of the very cute Hazel Dormouse.

The dormouse is critically endangered with its numbers declining massively in the twentieth century and by a further third since 2000. The reintroduction and breeding programme started in the mid 1990's and has continued with more introductions taking place since.

The introductions are in three local wildlife woods and are closely monitored by a dormice group. Loss of habitat and food are the problems along with loss of suitable hedges to link one area of land with another.

If you would like to know more join our talk at Idle Valley on **Thursday 9th Feb at 7.15pm**. It is only £3 entrance to include tea and coffee. No membership required, just nature lovers. For any further information contact Brian Horne on Tel: 01777818231

Lound Lingers

The planned walk for February is on **Friday 24th** when we will take a circular route which includes Retford Golf Club.

This takes about an hour. As we have to book places in a pub for lunch and organise cars, please ring Gee on Tel: 818792 by Tuesday 21st February if you plan to join us. As always everyone welcome!

We set off from Willow Cottage, 65 Town Street at 10.45am.

Because of variable weather conditions underfoot in the winter, we sometimes have to change the arranged walk.

St. Bartholomew's Church



Church Services for February

5th Candlemas service 9.30 am

12th Family Service 9.30 am

19th Worship for all 9.30 am

26th Songs of praise 9.30 am

Happy Valentine's
Day 



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Village Hall AGM 6th February

Hazel Dormice Need Help — P4

Look Out — Thieves are about in our area...



There has been a recent spike in burglaries in Rural East Bassetlaw area. The police are conducting extra high visibility patrols through the rural villages. The offences are mainly occurring overnight and it seems to be vehicles that are being targeted.

Be on guard and make sure that any security measures are working - alarms / security lights / door locks / CCTV etc. Also, keep car keys / keyless car ignition away from windows / doors so they cannot be seen from outside.

It is important you report any suspicious activity in the village, no matter how insignificant it may be to 999 or 101 so these calls can be logged and the police respond accordingly. It may seem trivial, but your sighting / information could be vital and be the last piece in the jigsaw that is required to secure a conviction at court.

Offenders on quad bikes are also causing considerable issues throughout the area. Driving unregistered on the roads, causing criminal damage to farm land, committing thefts and burglary throughout the region. Any sightings of suspicious activity or goings-on overnight should be reported immediately.

Nottinghamshire Police

Lound Village Hall

Reminder—

Village Hall AGM Monday 6th February 7.45pm

The Village Hall Committee is having a turnover of members during the coming months. So in order to keep putting on events and maintaining the Village Hall we need your support and some more committee members!

If you are interested in joining but not able to attend the meeting give Tim a call on Tel: 07790757977

The Village Hall is the centre of our community and it is essential it remains alive and active. Without volunteers our Village Hall can not function !

Four Score Draw

January Draw £20 Winners:

54.....Nicola Mooney
111.....Jane Noble
137.....Jo Lucas
109.....Adrian and Jane Jackson

The Premium rollover winner of £250 was won this month by Dawn Fogg. Well done!!

Phoenix Group

Important Notice – Phoenix meetings will now start at **7.00pm** instead of 7.30pm on the third Tuesday of every month.



In January we took a trip down memory lane with a slide show of some of the people who have lived in Lound up to the present.

On Tuesday February 21st at 7.00pm we are holding a Beetle Drive for a fun evening of drawing crazy beetles with a prize for the winner. Please bring a small contribution of food for the refreshments afterwards.

Everyone is welcome – just come and enjoy yourselves.

Lound Defibbers AGM

The 6th Annual General Meeting of Lound Defibbers will be held in the Village Hall at 12 noon on **Sunday March 26th 2023**.

There will be a comprehensive demonstration of Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) given by Mandy Bainbridge.

The British Heart Foundation recommends annual revision of CPR and use of the Defibrillator. This meeting will last about an hour and Lound residents of all ages are welcome. Lound's Defibrillator cabinet is fixed to the south wall of the village hall.

The code to open the cabinet will be given by the emergency services operator when the 999 call is made. Defibrillators, alongside effective CPR, is the only definitive treatment for cardiac arrest.

If both CPR and defibrillation are delivered to a victim of Sudden Cardiac Arrest within 3-5 minutes of collapse, chances of survival can increase from 6% to 74% !

Come along and learn from Lound's own expert how to save a life !

The following information is important in Lound and areas of poor mobile phone reception .

“Five Ways a Mobile Phone Can Save Your Life”
www.realfirstaid.co.uk/mobile-phones

>>>This is essential reading !
For more information please contact Vivienne French
Tel: 01777 818305

Parish Council

Planning:

>22/01669/HSE Retrospective application for storage build, pump house, hardcore standing area. Windsurf Lake, Chainbridge Lane, Lound.

>22/01687/LBA Renovation of main staircase Highfield House, Lound.

>22/01183/RES Reserved matters application for the scale, appearance, layout and landscaping. Bluebell Inn with Land and Building to East Town Street, Lound.

District Councillor:

>Your elected District Councillor, Darrell Pulk, will be holding monthly surgeries at Sutton Village Hall from 9.00am to 10.00am.

- * Saturday 25th February
- * Saturday 25th March
- * Saturday 22nd April

Should you have any issues, he can be contacted by email at:

darell.pulk@cllr.bassetlaw.gov.uk
or mobile on Tel: 07778 792320

Parish Council Election:

>District and Parish Council elections take place this year on 4th May. If you would like to be a member of the Parish Council please contact the Clerk at:

loundparish@outlook.com