

Families of Lound Hall

Part 3 — Following on from the story of the Sheffield Steel manufacturers, the Huntsman family, who lived in what is now Lound Hall Nursing Home.....

Another steel magnate also lived in Lound Hall around the middle of the last century. The *Peech* family had become famous in the world of iron and steel manufacture in Rotherham, dating back to 1875, when a company was formed by Henry Steel, William *Peech* and Edward Tozer to become **Steel, Peech and Tozer**.

The family who lived in Lound Hall were descendants of William *Peech* and still involved in the steel manufacturing of extremely large and heavy machinery. The steel works at one time was the largest in the world using electric arc furnaces.

In the 1960's the steel plant was nationalized by the labour government, twice, but could not make it profitable, hence its gradual decline with lack of investment. Today, all that is left is the huge 'Magna' discovery centre which is housed in one of the main melting shops of the day. **Brian Horne**



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Lound Pony Draw

March Lucky £25 Winners

85..... Pete Shepston
39..... XiaoYing Honey
21..... Adrian Schuller
100..... Sam Walter

Premium Prize £200

115..... Iain Ayers



Lound Lingers

April's circular route takes about one and a half hours, enjoying the River Trent at Church Laneham. The route includes the countryside around the village.

Why not join us on **Friday April 26th**—meeting at Willow Cottage at 10.45am.

Please let Gee know by Tuesday 24th so that we can organise transport and book a pub lunch. Everyone welcome!

Church Laneham was an estate village of the Bishop of York, and the location of a ferry crossing of the River Trent, commemorated by the name of the public house 'The Ferry Boat Inn' which continues to operate opposite the lane which used to be the entrance to the ferry port.



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Easter Egg Hunt Winner



The Easter Egg Hunt winner was Izzy Smith, aged 12. (*Gordon and Berys's Granddaughter*).

Well Done Izzy...

The hunt was a great success with 19 entries. Runners up all received a cream egg or Kinder Bunny.

Ultrafast Broadband

Some of us have been made aware of a company called **Fullfibre** who say they are extending ultrafast fibre networks across the country. Although some people in Lound already have fast broadband, many do not.

Whilst we haven't heard that Fullfibre is coming to Lound in the near future, we do have a chance to let them know there is demand in the village.

You can visit, [FibreHeroes.co.uk](https://www.fibreheroes.co.uk) and select your address to express your interest.

If you can't see your address, you can email them. Maybe, if enough of us get in touch we may encourage them to bring Ultrafast Broadband to those of us who don't have it.

Lound Defibbers AGM

Reminder > AGM and CPR training—Sunday April 14th at noon in Lound Village Hall.

Everyone very welcome to the AGM followed by detailed instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

The British Heart Foundation recommends annual revision of CPR.

Please join us for an hour and learn how you could save a life!



The Bluebell Inn

Saturday 4th May



Come and join us in 'The Bluebell Inn' garden for Live Music from 4pm. Food from 5pm. Outside bar.

➤ **Free Entry**

Featuring the ever popular local band 'Gigantic', featuring 'Antique Monkeys'

For up to date info follow:

[facebook.com/thebluebellinnlound](https://www.facebook.com/thebluebellinnlound)

And don't miss our other live band nights ➤ **June 8th 'The Skip Murden Band', July 6th 'Bright Lights' and August 3rd 'Connie'.**

Midsummer Madness

Date Reminder:

Saturday 22nd June

Village Playing Field

This popular village event is back! With live music, disco, cook your own barbeques, bar by the Bluebell and more!

Watch out for the June edition of the Crier for more details

Village Hire Charges

Your Village Hall is the centre of our village and is available for all to hire:

Regular user	= £9.00/hr.
Occasional user	= £12.00/hr.
Outside village	= £15.00/hr.
Children's party	= £45.00
Adult's party	= £80.00

Marquee and Tent Hire:

Party tent: 6m x 3m £70.00

***Small marquee:** 6m x 6m
£220.00 erected and taken down

***Medium marquee:** 6m x 12m
£320.00 erected and taken down

***Large marquee:** 6m x 18m
£420.00 erected and taken down

➤ For Lound residents only with the marquee sited within the village, the above charges are reduced by £50.00.

Table and Chair Hire For:

6m marquee = £15.00

12m marquee = £25.00

18m marquee = £35.00

Transport cost will apply for marquee hire outside the village.

To make enquiries and bookings contact Tessa or Carol on Tel: 01777 817148

Phoenix Group



Rose Nyarangi gave an interesting and lively account of her 558 mile trek to raise funds for the Dagoretti orphanage in Kenya of which she is a patron. A real inspiration. *Thank you Rose.*

The next meeting will take place on **Wednesday 17th. April** when Edward Cook of 'Meadowmakers' will be giving a talk on the state and decline of wild flora and why and how we can help prevent this decline.

He will also have a sales table of different plants, a chance to expand that wild patch in your garden. Look forward to seeing you at the village hall, everyone welcome.

St. Bartholomew's Church



Church Services April

7th Family Service 9.30 am

14th Songs of Praise 9.30 am

21st Worship for All 9.30 am

FCC's Recycling Inquiry

The Public Inquiry hearing FCC's appeal against the Environment Agency's position on the proposed Facility to Treat Soil Contaminated with Asbestos at Daneshill is being held at Ye Olde Bell, presided over by the Planning Inspectorate.

The first session (19th-22th March) has seen evidence from the Environment Agency. In the second session (30th April 3rd May) evidence will be heard from the Public and from FCC.

The Public's witness is our own asbestos expert, You are encouraged to support him on 30th April starting at 10.00 am.

Two links inserted in your browser give access to the inquiry documentation:

[DN22 8RB, FCC Recycling \(UK\) Limited: environmental permit appeal - EPR/NP3538MF/V010 - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/guidance/dn22-8rb-fcc-recycling-uk-limited-environmental-permit-appeal-epr-np3538mf/v010-gov-uk) and

stf-public-inquiry.co.uk

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