

Linghurst Lakes Creation



1997 - The sand and gravel extraction and restoration is now nearing completion. The area was landscaped and many thousands of trees planted around the lakes and reclaimed areas. As the water level began to rise grass seed was sown.



1998 - Foot bridges were erected to cross deep gullies on the south lake. Both have now been removed due to rotting and unsafe. One was next to the main entrance adjacent to Neatholme Lane and is now a large concrete slab. The other was situated on the north east side of the south lake which is now just a hollow dip in the ground.



St. Bartholomew's Church



Church Services June

1st - Family Service 9.30 am
8th - Songs of Praise 9.30 am
15th - Worship for all 9.30 am
22nd - Family service 9.30 pm

Lound Village Pony Draw



This is the last draw of the season for the '**Lound Pony Draw**'. Ticket collectors will be visiting you in the next few days to sell you a new '**Lound Lottery**' ticket.

May Lucky £25 Winners:

47 Sophie Pilsworth
95 Pauline Sheehy
67 Trish Bloomer
73 Janice Spears

The Premium Prize — £50
was won by ticket number 62 -
Margaret Stacey.

Lound Care Home

Date for diary:

Lound Care Home Summer Fete Saturday 16th August

If you would like a stall please contact them on Tel: 01777 8180821 or by email at admin@loundhallcarehome.co.uk



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Lound Lottery (Formerly 'Lound Pony Draw')



Due to some confusion to the name 'Lound Pony Draw' it is to be changed to 'Lound Lottery'. (*a pony is £25 in the horse racing world*).

It's nearly time for our collectors to start trudging round the village, knocking on doors and asking for money in exchange for a ticket for the draw. It's fine to keep paying by cash but if you would prefer to pay on line please could you help us by paying £25 per ticket into the Village Hall Account as soon as possible. Use your number as reference - or your name. Your ticket will then be delivered through your door. Payment to: *Lound Village Hall Management Committee (it's a business account) 60-17-28 / 90066774*.

We are increasing the number of tickets available so please feel free to ask for a second or third ticket! We also hope that newcomers to the village will join the draw. Please ring or message Carol on Tel: 07547527754) or Tessa on Tel: 07999310162 to request a ticket.

With the withdrawal of the Post Office from the village hall to a mobile van, the Village Hall has lost a valuable source of regular income. The Village Hall, together with the Bluebell Inn, plays a valuable part in promoting a sense of community within Lound. We need to increase our income to ensure the Village Hall is able to continue to be open for various regular community groups as well as one off events. Please join this draw to support your village!

The monthly prizes will remain the same - 4 of £25 and one of £50 which may be rolled over to the next month.

Bluebell Inn—Music/BBQ



Our next live music and BBQ at the Bluebell is on **Saturday 28th June.**

**‘Russ Parsons’
followed by ‘The Zeroes’
from 4pm.**

Lets hope we're are lucky with the weather!

Thank you to everyone for your continuous support.

Natalie

The King's Birthday



**Saturday
14th June
3.00pm**

> Join us to celebrate King Charles's birthday on Lound playing field. Bring a picnic and chairs/rug, for a fun filled afternoon for all the family. Birthday Cake Competition, Homemade Crown Competition and Ball Games, including Rounders and French Cricket.

> Rounders starts at 3.15pm. Cakes to be brought to the tent by 3.30pm and to be judged by Lound's very own Bluebell Inn Chef, Mikey. Competitions open to all ages, pick up an entry form from notice boards around Lound. Cakes then to be sold, to raise money for our wonderful Village Hall.

Austen Addicts

Our friendly local group is for everyone who loves Jane Austen books and films. Our monthly meetings are usually on the fourth Thursday at 7.00pm in Sutton Village Hall, but please have a look at our programme and dates below.

>**June 26th:** In Sutton Village Hall at 7.00pm. ‘Persuasion’. Talk and discussion with film clips.

>**July 12th:** Coffee Morning with Austen Addicts at The Grove Methodist Church and Centre, Retford, from 10.00am – 12.00 am.

>**July 24th:** In Sutton Village Hall at 7.00pm, Jane Austen Games night.

>**August:** No Meeting.

>**September 25th:** In Sutton Village Hall at 7.00pm, Regency Food Festival.

>**October 24th:** In Sutton Village Hall at 7.00pm, Halloween Gothic: ‘Northanger Abbey’.

To find out more, please contact Judith Hedley:

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or, Jill Kenney:

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Lound Lingerers

On **Friday 13th June** we will park at Langold Country Park for an easy walk through the trees and round the lovely lake.

There should be plenty of wildlife to spot and will take about an hour. We meet at Willow Cottage at 10.45am.

Please let Gee know on Tel: 01777 818792 by Tuesday 10th June if you would like to come so that we can share cars and book a table for a pub lunch.

➤The Summer Linger around Lound followed by lunch at the Bluebell Inn is on **Friday 11th July**. Everyone welcome to join the walk or lunch only.

More details in the July Crier.

First Friday Club



**First Friday Club
6th June 2-4pm
Lound Village
Hall**

We are celebrating Age without limits day and having the theme "age is just a number" we would love it if you could bring a photo of a younger you and / or a piece of advice you would give your younger self. Cuppa, cake and a chat - everyone welcome.

Anyone wishing to pay cash for their ‘Lound Lottery Ticket’ for this year can do so at First Friday Club in June.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Parish Council

Following the recent Annual Parish Council Meeting on 27th May, the following officers were elected:

Chair-Pauline Sheehy

Vice Chair-Helen O’ Donoghue

Emergency Plan-H O’ Donoghue

Flood Warden-Nick Hallas

Linghurst Lakes-Alan Jones

Snow & Tree Warden-M Naylor

Footpath Warden-Pauline Sheehy

V/Hall Rep.-F Wilson-MacCormack

Linghurst Lakes:

Chair-Jerry Kershaw

Treasurer-Alan Jones

Parish Councillor-Michael Naylor

Parish Councillor-Pauline Sheehy

Martin Bingham

Lawrence Sweeting

Plus 9 Friends of Linghurst lakes

Phoenix Group



The May talk was a delightful evening on the art of choosing the right hat to suit the wearer and the occasion. Many hats were tried on and the Speaker's fee went to the Bluebell Wood Children's Hospice.

The speaker at this month's meeting will be the inspiring Steve Williams who set up a local charity in Worksop with lots of projects helping many different groups. The building stands in 2 acres of land cared for by the community. Come and find out more from Steve on **Wednesday 11th June** at 7.30pm. In the Village Hall.