



## NEWSLETTER SPRING 2024

Greetings from Heworth Parish Council. If you would like to know more about what we do, please visit website: [www.heworthwithout.org.uk](http://www.heworthwithout.org.uk) and [Facebook.com/heworth.without.parish.council](https://www.facebook.com/heworth.without.parish.council)

For feedback, comments or suggestions please email to [clerk.hwpc@gmail.com](mailto:clerk.hwpc@gmail.com) or by post to 1 Allington Drive, Appletree Village, Heworth, York, YO310NL. Telephone: 07422 961495

### Keeping Warm and Well

During the cold months, many residents may rely on the warmth of a wood burner.

Please be aware that under the Clean Air Act certain areas of York have been designated 'Smoke Control' areas.

<https://www.york.gov.uk/SmokeControlAreas>

Please take care of yourself and others by making sure your wood burner uses authorised fuel **or** is an exempted appliance and refrain from using wet or treated wood. Restrictions do not apply to bonfires.

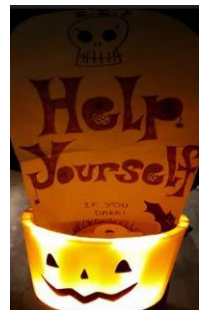


### Community venues offering a warmth, comfort and companionship:

**Heworth Christchurch Coffee Shop** every Monday 10am-4pm with a great range of drinks and cakes, each priced at just £1. **Explore Libraries** are open from early in the morning into the evening. You can relax and meet friends or join in with a range of free and low cost activities for all ages, including crafting, book groups, board games and winter warmer and low cost hot meals.

### Visit Live Well York for a list of warm places for York residents.

<https://www.livewellyork.co.uk/information-and-advice/health-and-wellbeing/warm-places/>



**Our first ever Halloween Event was super spooky!** Thank you to everyone who decorated their houses and gardens. Well done to everyone brave enough to take part! This year we will be adding a Halloween trail, check Facebook and Website for details on how to enter.





We really hope you enjoyed our **first Christmas Event** just as much as we did! Special thanks to Cllr. David Harrison, Cllr. Angela Harrison, Cllr. Mel Starkey and Cllr. Andrew Garbutt for donating the festive decorations for Santa's Grotto. Santa said it was just like being back at the **North Pole!**

If you have any suggestions on how we can improve our events please do contact our Events Committee.

You may have noticed our brand new **Community Speed Watch** signs on Stockton Lane. Please let us know if you are interested in joining our team of friendly volunteers. These events are flexible and weather dependant. All training and equipment is provided.



**The Conservation Volunteers** is a charity that bring people together to create, improve and care for green spaces. TCV York specifically brings volunteers to different habitats across the City to conduct various conservation tasks, such as tree planting, pond maintenance and meadow clearing. For more details please visit: [www.tcv@york.uk](http://www.tcv@york.uk)

**Coming Up!**

As part of HWPC efforts to bring our community together, encouraging all who wish to and can get involved, we will be taking part in a **Nationwide Spring Litter picking 15th March to 31st March.**

**Spring Garden Event and Ignite July/August** - check HWPC Website and Facebook for details.

**Annual Easter Egg Hunt and Trail 29th March 2024 10am -12pm** building on the success of last year we are going even bigger! This year we are adding an Easter Trail over Good Friday- Easter Monday. To add your house to the Trail just decorate your front window with an Easter display - details and map on Facebook. N.B. To register your house onto the map please email the clerk by **15th March 2024.** As always, we are very grateful to **SPAR** who have very generously provided **£400 worth of Easter eggs!**

**Nationwide Beacon Event on 6th June 2024**  
Minster Bells 6.30-9.15. Join with villages, towns and cities across the UK to mark the 80th anniversary of D-Day by lighting a beacon at 9.15pm on 6th June 2024, followed by an event to commemorate one of the most momentous achievements in living memory. **Yorkshire Event 1st August 2024** 11am-2.30pm, please do get in touch with your celebration ideas!



**HWPC** meets on the third Monday of each month at the Heworth Without Community Centre, 38 Applecroft Road, York YO31 0HG. If you have a matter you would like the Council to consider or would like to see what we are doing please join us at 7pm. We look forward to seeing you.

