

Village youngsters' hard work pays off

Once again young people from Brough and Elloughton have been recognised and rewarded for their hard work over the Summer months at the Humberside Police 20th Anniversary Lifestyle awards.

Lifestyle teams from across the Humber region came together at the Hull City Hall in November to celebrate and be rewarded for their achievements before an audience of civic dignitaries, business supporters, senior police officers, excited teams and their adult advisors and parents.

A team from Scunthorpe were crowned the overall winners, but two teams from Elloughton-cum-Brough scooped the prize of holidays to France, and two of our teams won trips to Wales.

2008 was a record year for Lifestyle with almost 5,000 participants and 500 teams completing a mammoth 97,565 hours of work and raising £97,068.75 between them towards good causes during the Summer.



Above left: Josie Alexander and Alicia Woodward (Two's Company) receiving their prize. Above right: Alex King, Stephanie Hebdon, Alison Hebdon and Rachel King (ME & The Four Funky Monkeys) with Anthea Hebdon and senior members of the Police Lifestyle team.

Two's Company and ME & The Four Funky Monkeys won trips to France which include a two day visit to Disneyland Paris. Josie Alexander and Alicia Woodward of Two's Company said: "We were really excited to be in the final of Lifestyle 2008 and had a fantastic time at the City Hall. It was great to see so many people who had worked really hard

to benefit their communities. We didn't imagine that the Scarecrow Festival and our work at Mires Beck Nursery would lead us to France. It was great to raise so much money for the children's ward and to be able to buy them so many gifts. We can't wait to go to France, this really is a dream come true."

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Christmas concert is top of the cops!



The Humberside Police Brass Band performed to a packed Village Hall at the annual Christmas concert hosted by Elloughton-cum-Brough Parish Council.

On the programme were favourites like themes from *The Dambusters* and *633 Squadron* and *The RAF March Past*. Christmas carols and traditional tunes also made an appearance of course, alongside a few more unusual numbers such as *Hopelessly Devoted To You* from the hit musical *Grease*.

Smashing picture takes first prize

The 2008 Art & Photography Exhibition at the Brough Community Centre on Welton Road opened on Friday 3rd October. This was the second time around for the annual exhibition and the standard of submissions was exceedingly high.

The exhibition closed on the Sunday with a brief awards ceremony for the work which had been voted the most popular by visitors. Exhibition organiser, Parish Councillor Mike Clark, presented Sue Straw of Brough with the winner's trophy for her mixed media painting *Breaking Point*. The Under 16s award went to Angus McMillan for his photograph *The Sky Is Ablaze*.

Elloughton-cum-Brough Parish Council is planning to hold the 2009 event a little later this year, on the weekend of 23rd - 25th October. Further details will be announced in the Spring edition of *Petuaría Press* along with a call for entries.



Above: Sue Straw with "Breaking Point", voted Most Popular Exhibit.



Right: Event organiser Councillor Mike Clark presents Under 16s winner Angus McMillan with a certificate and prize.

News in brief

- ▶ Elloughton-cum-Brough Parish Council has moved to new offices at 60 Welton Road. The new location is to the side of the new veterinary practice, behind the War Memorial at Brough crossroads. The PO Box and telephone number remain unchanged.
- ▶ **ERYC teamed up with Business Link Yorkshire to hold a seminar at Brough Business Centre to help businesses avoid the effects of the Credit Crunch. The event was the first of its kind and was broadcast via a live two-way video link to business centres at Bridlington and Market Weighton. The event will be repeated on 4th February. To book call 08456 048 048.**
- ▶ Brough Primary School hosted a celebration event to launch the final year of the UK India Education and Research Initiative. The British Council initiative is championed by BAE Systems. Brough Primary, South Hunsley and St. Annes Special School are all involved, partnering with schools in Bangalore.
- ▶ **The East Riding Children's Centre in Brough held a "Christmas Cracker" event on 13th December. A range of free craft activities were available, along with a special email link to Santa. The event was supported by local emergency services.**
- ▶ The Triton Inn has been voted the Hull Daily Mail's Restaurant of the Year 2008.
- ▶ **BAE Systems Brough held its Annual Apprentice Merit Awards in November. The ceremony was the 78th in the company's history.**
- ▶ Staff from BAE Systems walked 40 miles from Keswick to Barrow, raising £3,890. A cheque was presented to RNLI Humber.

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Stephanie and Alison Hebdon from ME & The Four Funky Monkeys said: "We were amazed that we won the trip to France and we're really proud of what we have achieved with our Lifestyle project. We are also really excited about going on holiday without our parents!"

When asked to comment, Rachel and Alex King, also from ME & The Four Funky Monkeys, said: "We were so excited when we heard we were in the top six. We had to do a presentation to the judges and we were really nervous but they were very nice to us. The awards ceremony was fantastic. Winning a PGL trip to Paris and Disney Land Paris is amazing as we didn't think we would get this far. Thanks to everyone who supported us."

Readers will remember the very successful Scarecrow festival that Two's Company organised which featured over 50 scarecrows and raised funds to buy a whole range of new toys for the Children's Ward at Hull Royal Infirmary. They have received such great feedback about the event that they hope to make it an annual event to raise funds for different charities.

ME & The Four Funky Monkeys did a fantastic job of raising awareness of Myalgic Encephalopathy also known as Chronic Fatigue Syndrome. Stephanie, who has had ME for the past two and a half years, wanted to do something to raise awareness of the condition amongst staff and pupils in secondary schools and help sufferers to feel less isolated through missing school because of the condition. Their delightful sock monkeys were one of the ideas that helped to generate funds to produce information packs for secondary schools in the East Riding of Yorkshire.

The Lifestyle Loonies (James Cowen, Daniel Heron, Matthew Jones, Aneil Sanghera and Oliver Thane) and The Brough Gadgets team (Alex Almond, Benjamin Briggs, Matthew Britchford, James Roos and Charlie Thane) won well deserved trips to Wales after many hours of collecting cardboard for recycling, bag packing and stable cleaning to raise funds.

Elloughton's Emma is riding high



Horsewoman Emma Crawford from Elloughton competed on Dollymixture at Arena UK in September last year. She won first position in her class, beating off fierce competition in the process. Alongside colleague Sarah Tunley of Kirkella, Emma qualified for the Blue Chip Winter Festival Of Champions. The competition took place over two days and 600 entrants took part.

Bonfire Night bonanza

Brantingham Park and KCFM 99.8 joined forces to host a spectacular firework display enjoyed by several hundred families. The fireworks were set off by Hull Ionians Jaguars and spectators had the opportunity to meet players from Hull City FC and the team mascot Roary The Tiger. Steve Jordan of the KCFM 99.8 Breakfast Show was the host for the evening.



Spectacular fireworks over Brantingham Park



KCFM 99.8's Steve Jordan with avid listener Thomas Harrison.

Hull City players Daniel Cousin, Kamil Zayatte and Bernard Mendy with Roary The Tiger



Robson family raise funds in father's memory

After local electrician John Robson lost his five year battle with cancer in 2008, his family was determined to bring about a positive outcome from a devastating personal tragedy.

Wife Judy, daughter Angie and son Dave organised and took part in a series of fun events, culminating in the Great North Run. The family have raised a total in excess of £2,000 for Cancer Research. Other fund raising events included a charity race night, cricket reunion at Brantingham Park in John's memory and a John Robson memorial golf cup match.

The family would like to thank the local community for their generous support.



Proud fund raisers Angie, Judy and Dave.

Elloughton School Christmas Fair



Pictured from bottom left going clockwise: Fiona Rainforth and headmistress Christine Coates, Lydia Baker plate decorator, Joe Boanas puts the finishing touches to a cup cake, and Santa with his little helpers.

The Five Tigers Lifestyle team is pictured proudly showing off the new bench at Elloughton Play Park. The bench was bought using money they raised during the Summer. The Angelz and Devilz Lifestyle team also raised money to buy a bench which is located outside the chemist shop on Welton Road retail park.



The Five Tigers are (L - R) James Mcgahey, James Sidwell, James Wilkinson, Daniel Sidwell and Angela Pritchard.

Soccer team needs suitable sponsor

South Cave Juniors FC held two very successful fundraising events at Blackburns Social Club. A Christmas sale night raised £700 and a race night made a fantastic £2,100. Both sums will go towards their trip to Holland planned for May. Together with the money they have already raised, this means they only need another £2,000. Elloughton mum Debbie Johnson whose son Matthew plays for the team said: "Any sponsorship would be very gratefully received. We are especially looking for someone to sponsor track suits for the trip". If anyone can help please contact Debbie on 665654.

Role models required

After holding an awareness day at Brough Library, Children And Family Action are calling for volunteers to join an innovative new mentoring scheme. The programme works with 5-11 year olds with behavioural difficulties and aims to bring more stability into the children's lives by supporting them as they develop motivation and life skills. Mentors work closely on a one to one basis with a child over the period of a year. No particular background or experience is necessary. For further information call 01964 615340 or email cjohnson@familyaction.org.uk.

Acoustic music at bigger venue

Hunsley Acoustic Music have announced plans to present a series of four special concerts at the Village Hall. The shows will be in addition to their regular events at the Half Moon, and the intention is to introduce artists who would attract a larger audience. The first concert will be held on Saturday 14th March and will headline with Elbow Jane, a premier acoustic five piece band who play festival stages and clubs up and down the country. Album excerpts can be heard on the band's web site at www.elbowjane.com. Also appearing is singer/songwriter Paul Liddell from Sunderland. Advance tickets are £7, or £8 on the door. Patrons are invited to bring along their own food and liquid refreshment. For information and tickets call Will Richardson on 665656 or 07814 608131, or email will@applepie.karoo.co.uk.

Happy birthday Eagles

Staff and children from Brough Eagles threw a party at Blackburn's Social Club to mark the Out Of School Club's fifth birthday. Pictured is Jackie Holmes and other staff members with some of the many children who were there to help celebrate the occasion.



Brownies get help with crime prevention from Brough bobby

Brough Brownies were recently awarded their crime prevention badges after working closely with local PCSO Jess Watts. The girls took part in several activities highlighting issues of personal safety and home security. The Brownies meet at the Youth Hall on Welton Road on Thursday evenings.



Bronze badge for busy Beaver



Freddie Capes is presented with the Chief Scout's Bronze Award by Elloughton-cum-Brough Group Scout Leader Jean Butler. Freddie is the first in the local Beaver Colony to receive the award which is given to Beavers who complete all six challenge badges in the award scheme.

The Community Centre has a new aerobics class starting on Mondays from 7.30 to 8.30pm. The cost is only £3.80. So, for anyone who thinks they may have a few leftover Christmas pounds, this is the perfect way to have fun and lose weight. To book your place call Danka on 07547 584553.

Toast the haggis at Brantingham Park this Burns Night

With Christmas over and done with it's back to work for most people. If you think there is little to look forward to other than short, cold winter days and long cold winter nights with nothing to celebrate, then you might just be wrong.

This year is the 250th anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, Scotland's bard. His birthday on 25th January is celebrated every year by all of Scotland where he is legendary. However, you don't have to be Scottish to celebrate Burns Night and Brantingham Park is holding a Burns Night Supper on

Saturday 31st January for anyone who is looking for a good night out. You will arrive to the skirl of the pipes, then toast the traditional Haggis with a wee dram and enjoy a hearty three course dinner followed by a couple of drouthie cronies who will pay homage to the Bard. Then find out if you can tell a Gay Gordon from an Eightsome Reel to the sound of the Top Notch Ceilidh Band.

Tickets are £20 per head and are available from Brantingham Park in Elloughton by calling 667342 or contact Ian McColm by email at ianmccolm@hullionians.karoo.co.uk.

Welton Road Police station mystery is solved!

Since the new Police station on Welton Road became operational, many residents remain unsure of what services and functions the building provides. We contacted PCSO Jess Watts who was kind enough to help us with our enquiries.

The station is unmanned and provides a base from which Scenes of Crime officers and the local neighbourhood policing team are deployed. Most of the time officers will be out and about in the locality, but if an officer is on-site they will answer the door to callers. The station provides cover to the Dale Ward which comprises the villages of Elloughton-cum-Brough, South Cave, Ellerker, Brantingham, Little Weighton, Skidby, Welton,

Melton, Swanland and North Ferriby.

Police Sergeant Allison Bradley is the most senior staff member on site, reporting to Inspector Thirkettle, based at Cottingham. PC Bagley and PC Eglon also operate from the station, assisted by four Community Support Officers. Local officers can be contacted on the non-emergency number 0845 6060 222, which is answered at Hessle. Individuals' hours of work change as the officers work shifts between the hours of 8am and 11pm.

A wealth of information is available on the Humberside Police website, along with forms and leaflets to download.

Find out more at www.humberside.police.uk.

Your local Police Community Support Officers



PCSO Alison Pearson



PCSO Daniel Cammack



PCSO Sarah Parker



PCSO Jessica Watts

COMPETITION TIME

For a chance to win a pair of tickets to the forthcoming Burns Night Supper at Brantingham Park, send your answer by email to competition@petuariapress.co.uk or by post to PO Box 124, Brough, HU15 1YH to arrive by 23rd January 2009. Please include your name, address and phone number.

Q: What special anniversary is being celebrated this Burns Night?

Your Guide To Elloughton-cum-Brough Parish Council

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What's On?

Details understood to be correct at time of going to press

Saturday 10th January

Flossie Malavialle, Half Moon

Hunsley Acoustic Music presents a French singer making a name for herself on the British folk scene. More info from Will Richardson on 665656 or 07814 608131.

Thurs 29th to Saturday 31st January

Petuarial Players present A Month Of Sundays at the Village Hall

A poignant tale of two elderly residents in a care home. Tickets £6. More info www.petuariaplayers.co.uk or call 668610.

Saturday 31st January

Burns Night Supper, Brantingham Park

Toast the haggis, three course dinner and ceilidh band. Tickets £20. Call 667342.

Sunday 1st February

Dance Workshop - Red Ladder, Brough Community Centre

Discover Red Ladder's approach to

creating physical material and responding to text through physical theatre. An energetic and physical day. 10.30am - 4.30pm. Tickets £12. To book call 392706/392654.

Saturday 7th February

Edwina Hayes, Ferry Inn

Hunsley Acoustic Music presents this regular performer on the UK acoustic scene. More info from Will Richardson on 665656 or 07814 608131.

Sunday 1st March

Arts Workshop - Jenny Milne Painting With Fibre, Brough Community Centre

An exciting and inspirational day creating wonderful tactile felt pictures and objects using wool, silk and other fibres. 10.00am - 4.30pm. Tickets £17. To book call 392706/392654.

Sunday 5th April

Dance Workshop - Metro-Boulot-Dodo, Brough Community Centre

Improvisational techniques in movement and text, and the integration of new media in performance. 10.00am - 4.30pm. Tickets £12. To book call 392706/392654.

Saturday 7th March

Rattlefish, Ferry Inn

East Yorkshire's premier indie rock party band play their home turf. More info 667340 or www.rattlefish.net.

Saturday 14th March

Elbow Jane, Village Hall

Hunsley Acoustic Music presents the first in a series of four concerts. Elbow Jane is a premier five piece acoustic band, supported by singer/songwriter Paul Liddell. More info from Will Richardson on 665656 or 07814 608131.