

Brough Guide Amy chosen to visit charity in India

Brough Girl Guide Amy Pearson is one of just six chosen from thousands of girls in the region to visit a charity in India next year.

Amy applied giving details of qualities she had that would make her a suitable candidate and she was selected to attend a team building day at Guidacres. The panel was obviously impressed as she will be joining five other girls, one from North Ferriby and four from Hull, on the trip in July 2010.



Some of the children waiting for lunch at the City of Child Centre

Amy is now in full swing raising the £3100 to pay for the trip. She also hopes to raise additional funds to donate to the charity Deep Griha society based near Pune which is 100k South East of Mumbai. One of the projects run by the charity is The City of The Child Centre which is where Amy's visit will take her. It is a community development project providing a safe home for destitute women and children and recreational breaks for the children from Pune's slums, where they can tend fruit trees and engage with other children and take part in many activities.

Amy will be holding a fund raising coffee morning in conjunction with Brough Guides at Brough Methodist Church from 10am-12 noon on Saturday 9th May. There will be a tombola and cake stall. She will also be taking part in a sponsored walk in Bridlington with the other Girl Guides on the trip on 14th June followed by a family fun day at Sewerby



Girl Guide Amy Pearson is set to visit the Deep Griha charity project based in Pune, India.

Hall. Lucy's School of Dance will also be raising funds for Amy and she will be cleaning, shopping and gardening for some local residents to help raise money. Other family members are lending their support to Amy's fund raising, with brother Richard doing The 3 Peaks challenge in May.

More information about the charity is on their website at www.deepgriha.org.

Filthy few guilty of foul play on village footpaths

The Parish Council has seen a marked increase in the number of dog fouling complaints recently. Several areas are particularly badly affected, such as the route to Elloughton School along Welton Old Road from the Lowerdale estate and surrounding popular dog walking paths.

The paths around The Burrs as well as the playing field itself have also been hard hit, despite signs installed by the Playing Field Association (who are looking for new members – call 665600). Aside from being extremely unpleasant, fouling presents a public health risk as dog faeces contain parasites which can cause blindness.

Some footpaths which are restricted to walkers only, such as those along the Humber bank and near Welton Waters are particularly disgusting. Only pedestrians and dogs can use these routes, so they are very popular with dog owners. However, it appears that some owners feel that they do not need to pick up after



Stencils and yellow paint are available from the Parish Council.

their dogs. These are public footpaths, open to all but walkers and other responsible dog owners have to tread carefully through a minefield of fouling.

Not only is dog fouling against the law, it is incredibly anti-social and dangerous to public health. The East Riding of Yorkshire Council (ERYC) has a dedicated department to deal with complaints from the public and they can be contacted on 393939. The more people who call to

complain the greater the likelihood of an investigation to find the responsible (or irresponsible) dog owners, which in turn may lead to prosecutions. There is also a department able to deal with the clean up of fouling which can be contacted on the same number. You can also report problems on the ERYC's website at www.eastriding.gov.uk or via www.fixmystreet.com which will be passed on to ERYC. The Parish Council have a number of stencils and yellow paint available free for residents who wish to help by putting some around the village.

Irresponsible owners are the minority but they still make walking around the village unpleasant for the majority and presumably for themselves. Doggy bags are available free from the ERYC Customer Services Centre within Brough Library at the Petuaría Centre.

There really is no excuse for not clearing up after your dog and you are liable for prosecution if you fail to do so.

News in brief

▶ Football sessions for youngsters aged 5 - 11 with special educational needs are running at South Hunsley School on Tuesday afternoons. Sessions are held in partnership with ERYC FA Skills Team and ERYC Football Development Project. Running in half term blocks they cost just £1 per week. Siblings are also welcome. For more information call Daniel O'Keeffe on 07931 127375.

▶ **Room hire charges at Brough Community Centre have been frozen. Details of facilities are available at www.broughcommunitycentre.co.uk.**

▶ There is an opportunity for a class or group to hire the Main Hall at Brough Community Centre. The room is currently vacant on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Interested parties should contact the Parish Council office on 665600.

▶ **South Hunsley School has achieved notable success in 2008 GCSE results, with around 70% of students attaining 5 A*-C grades including English and Mathematics.**

▶ The Parish Council sponsored Art & Photography Exhibition will take place on the weekend of 23rd October, which gives entrants plenty of time over the Summer to prepare. The panel hopes to see more submissions in the under 16 category this year. More details in our next issue.

▶ **Elloughton-cum-Brough Parish Council will work with the community over the coming months to develop a Parish Plan. Residents and businesses are encouraged to participate in the process which is intended to provide a vision for the future of the parish. See the leaflet accompanying this issue for details on how you can help.**

March makes more for the Mia Fund

The London Marathon, A ball at the KC stadium and a sponsored head shave are just some of the ideas thought up by friends and family to raise money for The Mia Fund.

Mia Silvey from Welton is just 3½ years old and suffers from an undiagnosed brain condition which leaves her with severe physical and learning disabilities. She cannot sit unsupported, stand or even crawl and she is unable to communicate. Mia was seven months old before her parents Carly and Keith realised anything was wrong. Until then they thought she was just a little behind in her physical development.



3½ year old Mia Silvey is happy despite her disabilities..

Feeling very isolated and alone, they knew nobody in the same situation nor where to turn for support. At the time they lived in Hessle and they heard about a little boy the same age as Mia with similar disabilities living close by. Finley's mother had set up The Echoes Foundation, providing help and support for around 50 similar children. She helped Carly and Keith fight to get support for Mia and gave them emotional support in coming to terms with Mia's disabilities.

The Mia Fund has been set up to raise the £6000 needed to build Mia a sensory room at her home which will include a brightly painted mural, bubble tubes, UV lights and soothing music. In the future Mia will also need a specially adapted walker and trike to help her get around and a lift installed in her home.

In March a fund raising ball held at KC stadium practically sold out. A family friend Glen Rimmington will run The London Marathon in April and Easington United FC will do the 'Million Metre Meander' in May, all to help towards providing Mia with the very expensive equipment needed to help.

Despite her disabilities Mia is a very happy girl. The delight on her face is clear as her little sister Molly of 18 months, plays with her. She clearly loves Spencer the family dog and Grandma Sue Joplin helps out considerably with the constant care that Mia needs. With the move to Welton, Mia began attending St. Anne's school.

"Mia loves going to school" said Carly. "She goes swimming and comes home absolutely exhausted as she has had such a full day."

For more information look at Mia's website at www.themiafund.com. We will catch up with Mia next issue to see how the fund raising is going.

Not Just for Mums.

If you need somewhere to rest and have a chat with friends over a coffee whilst walking around the village, pay a visit to The Hub. This under-used community resource is set within the grounds of Brough Primary School next door to the new Children's Centre and can be accessed via either of the School's entrances on Springfield Avenue and Elloughton Road. You can purchase an excellent cup of freshly ground coffee for £1 or put some money in the honesty box and have a cup of tea with a biscuit or bun. The addition of outside seating in green space behind The Hub means that come summer this will be the place to rest your weary feet. The Hub is not just for mothers with children at the school, it's for anyone. Due to its school setting it is best to avoid busy lunchtimes between 12 and 1.15pm.

Help Police with online enquiries

Humberside Police are calling for feedback from the public in respect of the crime data available on their website. Is the information easily found? Is it easy to understand and in a user friendly format? Would you prefer crime data to be grouped as Parish and Town councils in order to give it a more local focus? You can help the police to improve the accessibility of their website at www.humberside.police.uk by contacting them with your views.

Hopes of historical find come to nothing

County archaeologists carried out an exploratory excavation at a property beside The Burrs in early March. Digging in a neighbour's garden several years ago unearthed evidence of Roman oyster beds and the skeleton of a deceased child from an ancient burial. However, this latest excavation revealed nothing more than a few fragments of Roman glassware and traces of a drainage ditch.

Echoes of Roman Brough at Spring Concert

Marching cohorts of Roman legionnaires in ancient Brough inspired a recent musical performance at Bridlington Spa. The East Riding Youth Orchestra performed Scenes of the Humber by Beverley-based composer Anthony Hedges at their Spring Concert in March. The work was originally commissioned by the BBC in 1980 to celebrate the opening of the Humber Bridge a year later. Scenes of the Humber is an evocative piece comprising four movements, the first of which is titled Petuaria Patrol. This opening movement begins quietly and increases in intensity before receding into the distance again. Scenes of the Humber also describes the wild beauty of Spurn Point via a trip on one of the last Humber Ferries (Lincoln Castle) and concludes with the toe tapping Humber Keel Hornpipe.

Pam retires from village shop

Elloughton resident Pam Clow was a familiar face at Sainsbury's on Skillings Lane before her retirement in early March. Pam worked at the shop for 27 years of which 22 were continuous.



Pam began serving at the store when it was Jacksons. She took a break mid-career to bring up her children and during her time there she has seen it change to Grandways, then back to Jacksons, then to Sainsbury's at Jacksons and finally to Sainsbury's.

Pam remembers many of her customers as babies from her early days at the shop. Some of them now visit with their own children. Although sad to be leaving, Pam is looking forward to starting her retirement with a holiday, followed by plenty of time spent with her husband and grandchildren. She will be missed by staff and customers alike.

BAE back the BHF

Employees at BAE Systems' Brough site got behind the British Heart Foundation's Red for Heart campaign last month by taking part in a 30 minute workout after work. Nearly 30 employees took part in the exercise class on the Brough site to show their support for the campaign and between them they raised over £120 for the charity.



Web users can take a hike

Walking in Yorkshire www.walkinginyorkshire.co.uk is a website designed to help people get out and walking in the beautiful county of Yorkshire. The site features links to maps and planned walks around the county. There are several routes in the East Riding, including a number of walks around Brough and the surrounding villages.

Refuse collection can be confusing!

With three different types of refuse collection now available some residents are unsure of collection dates and what materials may be deposited in which bins.

Green bins are for general domestic waste and will be collected weekly. The day on which your green bins are emptied will determine which day the blue and brown bins will be collected. Bins should be placed at the edge of your property nearest the public highway before 7am on the day of collection.

Blue bins are intended for recyclable materials such as paper including envelopes and yellow pages, steel or aluminium cans, glossy magazines and plastic bottles. Blue bins are collected on a four week cycle. Up to three blue bins may be collected per property.

Brown bins are for the collection of grass cuttings, hedge and shrub trimmings, plants and flowers. The collected waste will be composted and under previous schemes compost has been made available to residents.

Brown bins are collected fortnightly from April through to December and then four-weekly from December to March.

Residents can receive a free text message the night before their blue bin collection is due by texting the word 'blue' to the number corresponding to the day of the week their green bin is collected.

Monday - 07786 200830

Tuesday - 07786 208207

Wednesday - 07786 201286

Thursday - 07786 200416

Text the word "stop" to unsubscribe.

Triton is cooking up a treat!

Since being voted "Restaurant of the Year" by readers of the *Hull Daily Mail* in November 2008, owners Paul and Anne Rusling have upped the ante further, recruiting two first class chefs with backgrounds at some of the region's most distinguished restaurants. If you would like the opportunity to sample the Triton's award winning cuisine answer this question and you could win a meal for two.

Q: When was the Triton voted Hull Daily Mail's "Restaurant of the Year"?

Send your answer to to competition@petuariapress.co.uk or by post to PO Box 124, Brough, HU15 1YH.

Akela to pack it in

Elloughton-cum-Brough cub pack remains desperately short of leaders despite calls for volunteers. The pack is at capacity with 36 cubs and just three adult leaders. The current Akela will be leaving at Easter, leaving the pack understaffed. Meetings are just 90 minutes every Tuesday evening during term time. If you feel you are able to give this small amount of time and would like to see Scouting continue in the village please contact Group Scout Leader Jean Butler on 668019. The pack hopes to celebrate the centenary of Scouting in Brough next year in 2010.

ERYC finds funding for fun things

East Riding of Yorkshire Council was successful in being awarded £2.5m from the Department for Children, Schools and Families as a Play Pathfinder. The money is intended to be spent on projects which will enable children to enjoy imaginative and adventurous play and to improve 12 local play areas within the East Riding.

Locations were chosen using a fair system based on factors such as lack of play space and the number of children in the area, especially those aged eight to 13. Elloughton cum Brough Parish scored highly and therefore it was agreed to improve the existing play area on Elloughton Road. The Parish Council and selected ERYC Ward Members were consulted over the equipment designs. A toddler multi-unit and climbing frame have replaced older items that suffered from vandalism over recent years. The new cone climber is proving extremely popular with local children.

For more details on Play Pathfinders contact Fiona Thompson, Play and Early Years officer on 392521



Resident Katie Jane Turpin tries out a new climbing frame at the improved play facility near the Village Hall.

Laughs and surprises in store with Petuaria Players

The Petuaria Players next production *Kindly Leave The Stage* is a fast paced comedy written by John Chapman.

Charles and Madge are invited to dinner by their close friends Rupert and Sarah. Over the meal it transpires that the hosts' marriage is faltering and a divorce is likely. Both guests are solicitors and are asked to represent their friends during proceedings. The play is humourous and entertaining with one or two surprises thrown in – not to be missed.



Members of the cast rehearsing for John Chapman's *Kindly Leave The Stage*.

Tickets are just £6 and are available from Stella Reuben on 668610 from the beginning of April. Performances will take place at the Village Hall from 7.30pm on Thursday 30th April through to Saturday 2nd May.

The Petuaria Players also offer season tickets, allowing you to reserve your seats in advance. More information about bookings, volunteering and their other productions can be found on their website at www.petuariaplayers.co.uk.

What's On?

Details understood to be correct at time of going to press

Saturday 4th April

The Peasants, Ferry Inn

Almost acoustic five piece, as seen in Viz magazine! For info 667340.

Saturday 11th April

Mambo Jambo, Half Moon

Hot sounds from around the world. Tickets £8. Contact Hunsley Acoustic Music 665656.

Phil Marshall, Ferry Inn

Local solo artist. For info 667340.

Saturday 18th April

Rock Night, Ferry Inn

Ever popular! For info 667340.

Sunday 19th April

Wolds and Riverbank Countryside Society, Brantingham Dale

Clearing rubbish and scattering wild flower seeds from 10.30am to 12.30pm. Further info from Tony Clarke on 668064.

Friday 24th April

Sportsman's Dinner with speaker Mick Quinn, Brantingham Park

Tickets £35. For info 667342.

Saturday 25th April

The Snip, Ferry Inn

Covers with attitude. For info 667340.

Thurs 30th April to Sat 2nd May

Petuaria Players present *Kindly Leave The Stage* at the Village Hall

Marital dischord drives this fast paced comedy. Tickets £6. More info www.petuariaplayers.co.uk or call 668610.

Saturday 2nd May

Fruit Bats, Ferry Inn

Duo playing great pop songs from 60s and 70s. For info 667340.

Sunday 3rd May

Comedy Evening, Brantingham Park

Three comedians. Advance tickets £5 or £7 on the door. For info 667342.

Friday 8th May

Wolds and Riverbank Countryside Society, Welton Memorial Hall

AGM and illustrated talk on the History of the Yorkshire Wolds by Ronnie Hewer from 7.30pm Entry £2, children free. Further info from Tony Clarke on 668064.

Saturday 9th May

Friends of Brough School Summer Ball, Brantingham Park

Tickets £30. For info 07715 748953.

Clive Gregson supported by Edwina Hayes, Half Moon

Singer/songwriter double bill. Tickets £8. Contact Hunsley Acoustic Music 665656.

Linguist, Ferry Inn

Indie covers band. For info 667340.

Saturday 16th May

Friends of Elloughton School Summer Ball, Brantingham Park

Tickets TBC. For info 667342.

Brough Fake Festival, Blackies Club

Fetauring Blondie, Jam and Oasis tributes. Tickets £12.50 / £10 up to 17 yrs / Free for 6 and unders. For info 667353 or visit www.fakefestivals.co.uk.

Saturday 30th May

Tom Castick, Blackies Club

Tom Jones tribute. Tickets £4 members or £6 non memebtrs. For info 667353.

Rock Night, Ferry Inn

Ever popular! For info 667340.

Saturday 13th June

Rattlefish, Ferry Inn

Yorkshire's premier indie party band and they're from Brough! For info 667340.

Acoustic Treasures – A Taster for the Beverley Music Festival, Village Hall

Hunsley Acoustic Music presents Stony, The Acoustic Project, Tom Gorrige and the Jam Factory's Annie Holmes. £8 Call 665656.

Hull Ionians Summer Ball, Brantingham Park

Tickets TBC. For info 667342.

Saturday 11th July

Classics In The Park, Brantingham Park

Operatic favourites and magnificent anthems! For info 632284.

Sunday 12th July

Wolds and Riverbank Countryside Society, Welton Memorial Hall

Coach trip to the Ryedale Folk Museum. Fare and museum entry £14. Further info and tickets from Val Young 666562.

COMPETITION TIME

Local hairdresser Glenis from Elloughton is renting a chair at The Powder Bowl from Tuesdays to Fridays. She has kindly offered a cut and blow dry as a competition prize for readers of the *Petuaria Press*. The Powder Bowl is located at the Crossroads in Elloughton and can be contacted on 667307. For a chance to win a cut and blow dry just answer the following question.

Q: What is the Powder Bowl's address?

See page 3 for the opportunity to win a meal for two at the Triton Inn in Brantingham.

Send your answers by email to competition@petuariapress.co.uk or by post to PO Box 124, Brough, HU15 1YH to arrive by 31st April 2009. Don't forget to include your name, address and phone number.

Your Guide To Elloughton-cum-Brough Parish Council

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