

January 1991

# HALAM NEWS



ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES  
 will begin in the VILLAGE  
 HALL on WEDNESDAY 9TH  
 JANUARY with YOGA Classes  
 from 10 till 11.30am  
 followed by SOFT  
 FURNISHING classes on  
 THURSDAY JANUARY 10th  
 from 1.30 till 3.30pm.

Enrolment will be at the first class of each course. Please come and support this exiting new venture.  
 THE FIRST VILLAGE LOTTERY DRAW will be held in the Village Hall on SATURDAY JANUARY 26<sup>th</sup> at 7pm. ALL participants are welcome.

## W.I

The meeting will be on January 8th in the Village Hall and will be an ~~Indoor Bowls match~~. It is an open meeting and all Village residents are welcome to attend. *PLEASE COME & JOIN US IT WILL IN FACT BE A VERY LIGHTHEARTED QUIZ. REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED.*

## PARISH COUNCIL

6 Councillors and the Clerk attended a meeting of the Council on 7th December

1990 together with 4 parishioners.

A Certificate of Merit was presented by the Chairman of Newark & Sherwood District Council to Mr Harry Kemp, the previous Clerk to the Council, in recognition of his outstanding contribution to the community. Harry was one of the founder members of the Parish Council in 1964 serving as a Councillor until 1967. He then became Clerk and continued in that position until his retirement in 1984.

A planning application from Mr J.M. Thornewill for a 2 storey extension and kitchen extension at Yew Tree Cottage, Radley Road was considered and it was agreed to recommend approval. Voting was 5 for, 0 against. It was reported that bookings for the Village Hall were improving. Newark and Sherwood College will be holding weekly soft furnishing and yoga classes in the Village Hall.

Concern was again expressed about the dangerous state of the partly completed footpath at the bottom of Halam Hill. It was understood that Notts County Council would complete this work by the end of March 1991.

Next meeting is on Friday 11 January at 7.30pm in the village hall.

## ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL Services

### January

6th Feast of the Epiphany  
 11am Sung Eucharist  
 13th Epiphany 1  
 8am Holy Communion  
 10am DRAGON CLUB  
 Matins  
 20th Epiphany 2  
 11am Sung Eucharist  
 27th Epiphany 3  
 8am Holy Communion  
 11am Family Service

### February

3rd Epiphany 4  
 11am Sung Eucharist

## Readers

Mrs Anna Davies

Lesson I G. Starkey - Is. 61.

Lesson II R. Davies - Eph. 2 v1-10

MRS GLENYS HERBERT

MISS NICKI O'BRYEN



THE WINNERS OF THE FIRST VILLAGE LOTTERY were as follows:- No.84 M. Edwards  
No.16 Ray Oxby. No. 76 S. Grayson. No. 55 D. Simson and No.153 B. Durham.  
Congratulations to all concerned and better luck next time for the rest of us.

A CARETAKER is required for the Village Hall. The duties are very light and  
not at all onerous. For details of hours and remuneration please apply  
to Patrick Rickett.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE. The February meeting will be on Tuesday 5th at 7.30 p.m.  
in the village Hall, when the talk will be on Hot Air Ballooning. Visitors  
are most welcome.

DATE TO NOTE The A.G.M. of the Parochial Church Council will be on FRIDAY  
MARCH, 15th at 7.30 p.m. in the VILLAGE HALL. Everyone is invited.  
Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

## ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL - SERVICES AND READERS FOR FEBRUARY.

### 3 Sexagesima

11 a.m. Sung Eucharist

Nicky Oxby

### 10 Quinquagesima

8 a.m. Holy Communion

10 a.m. DRAGON CLUB

6.30 p.m. Evensong      1st lesson. Gen.6 vs 5 - end      R. Davies  
   2nd    "      Luke 17 v.20 - end      G. Herbert

### 13 ASH WEDNESDAY - 1st DAY OF LENT.

9.15 a.m. Holy Communion

### 17 Lent 1

11 a.m. Sung Eucharist

C. Hallam

### 24 Lent 2

8 a.m. Holy Communion

11 a.m. FAMILY SERVICE AND BAPTISM

## LENT COURSE MEETINGS

These will be starting on Tuesday February 19th from 10.30 a.m. - 12 noon  
at May Robinson's, Bramley, Halam Hill. Everyone is welcome, irrespective  
of denomination

### The late Mrs. Griffin

I am sure those of you who remember Mrs. Griffin would like to know that  
she has left a very generous sum to the Church in her will.



Needlecraft  
is soft toys

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We are sorry to have to announce the death of Mr. Cyril Bradley, the organist and choirmaster of our link church at Cinderhill.

CHRISTMAS PARTY The Party held at Norwood Hall on Friday 14th December was a huge success. Not only because £1,043.00, much needed, for Church funds was raised, but because everyone said what a very pleasant evening it had been. My thanks go to Sir John and Lady Starkey for their generosity and also to a very hard working Committee and, of course, my fellow villagers for supporting us.

L.G. Bass.

#### PARISH COUNCIL

6 Councillors and the Clerk attended a meeting of the Parish Council on 11th Jan. 91. The Council was pleased to note that the footpath at the bottom of Halam Hill had now been completed.

It was reported that the planning application by Mr. & Mrs. G.R. Tranmer for a single story extension at Orchard Cottage, The Turnpike, had been approved by Newark & Sherwood District Council.

It was agreed that, at the Parish Council's discretion, the public may be excluded from future meetings while planning matters are being discussed.

It was agreed to recruit a caretaker/cleaner for light duties at the Village Hall.

It was reported that the malfunctioning of the sewage pumping station was being investigated by Newark & Sherwood District Council.

6 Councillors and the Clerk attended a further meeting of the Parish Council on 1st February, 1991.

Revised plans in connection with the planning application by Sir John Starkey & Co., for conversion of 2 redundant farm buildings at the end of School Lane to provide 2 dwellings were discussed. The revision involved amendments to the doors, windows and access from School Lane. The revised plans were agreed unanimously.

Also revised plans in connection with the planning application by Sir John Starkey & Co. for conversion of redundant farm buildings at Goldhill Farm were discussed. The revision involved a reduction in the number of dwellings from 7 to 6 together with minor amendments to the windows. The revised plans were agreed unanimously.

A planning application by Mr. Hather for a garage and conservatory at Ivy Cottage, School Lane, was considered and it was unanimously agreed to recommend approval.

It was agreed to enter the Village Hall in a competition being organised by Notts. Rural Community Council for a village project run on a voluntary basis which has tangible benefits for the local community.

The Parish Council had received further complaints about dogs fouling footpaths and the churchyard, including graves. It was agreed that the co-operation of all dog owners should be requested in order to reduce this nuisance.

Unauthorised parking on the forecourt of the Village Hall is to be monitored.

Next meeting to be held on Friday 1st March 1991 at 7.30 p.m. in the Village Hall.

COURSES IN THE VILLAGE HALL STARTING w/c 8th April.

	MONDAY			TUESDAY			WEDNESDAY			THURSDAY			FRIDAY		
	AM	PM	EVE.	AM	PM	EVE.	AM	PM	EVE.	AM	PM	EVE.	AM	PM	EVE.
Needlecraft ie Soft toys knitting etc.															
Microwave cookery															
Cake Icing															
<u>Languages</u>															
French															
German															
Spanish															
Any other															

PLEASE NOTE:- Wednesday a.m. and Thursday evenings are already in use for Yoga & Keep Fit

If you have any other suggestions for courses (decent, legal and honest please)  
put your preferred course, together with your name and address on the form.

When completed, please return this form to Mandy Rickett or to the shop.





MARCH 1991

**EPPESTONE CRICKET CLUB** needs YOU. A perfect way to escape from the family & mowing the lawn, come and play cricket. Runners are provided for the elderly or disabled. Applications are particularly welcome from women and ethnic minorities as **EPPESTONE** is an equal opportunities Cricket Club. For further details phone Tony Denyer on 814708.

WELCOME to all our newcomers, to the Prestons, (by Miss Glazebrook), the new people in Gray Lane, Back Lane, Senior Citizens bungalow, Fenton's old house and the Fentons themselves. to the other end of the village. Hope you'll all be happy here. Congratulations to Liz & Duncan Hoggard and to the Islips on the birth of their respective daughters.

## W.I.

Broke? Depressed? Despondent? Come and have your jewellery valued on Tuesday, March 5th, 7.30pm Village Hall. It might be worth enough for a one way ticket somewhere exciting.

PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL A.G.M. FRIDAY MARCH 15th 7.30pm VILLAGE HALL. ALL WELCOME. REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED.

After 6 years or so producing the Village News with varying degrees of success on spelling, I am taking a break. From next month responsibility will devolve on Mavis Yates & Glenys Herbert - there you are, two to replace me - unless there is anyone out there prepared to provide some help. Your contributions factual or fiscal (£1 a year) can be left at the Village shop. I should like to express our thanks to Terry Pickering for managing to keep the shop open during the last bout of appalling weather.

## ST MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL SERVICES

March

- 3 Lent 3  
11am Sung Eucharist. Hannah Barnett
- 10 Lent 4  
8am Holy Communion  
11am FAMILY SERVICE FOR MOTHERING  
SUNDAY with posies & simnel cake.  
(No Dragon Club or Matins)
- 17 Lent 5 Passion Sunday  
11am Sung Eucharist Brian Stacey
- 24 Lent 6 PALM SUNDAY  
8am Holy Communion  
10.55am Procession from "Plough" car park followed by  
Family Eucharist with Upton Sunday School
- 28 MAUNDY THURSDAY  
7.30pm Sung Eucharist
- 29 GOOD FRIDAY  
11-12am Matins & Ante Communion
- 30 EASTER EVEN  
7pm Evensong & Blessing of Easter  
Garden
- 31 EASTER DAY  
8am Holy Communion  
11am Sung Eucharist Katie Meakin

# HALAM NEWS



APRIL 1991

We are very sorry to have to report that the Village News has lost its energetic and enthusiastic editor who will be a hard act to follow. However Mavis Yates and I will do our best for the time being, but if anyone cares to volunteer we would both be happy to hand over. The distribution system will remain the same so we hope that all the village will be covered and receive the letter each month.

## NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH.

Do please remain watchful. There have been a lot of break-ins in the vicinity, including one at our own school. The local liaison is Mr. Peter Godber. Remember a small unimportant piece of information can be the vital link in the police pattern of crime.

## PARISH COUNCIL.

There will be a meeting in the Village Hall on Friday April 5th at 7.30 p.m.

Winner of the Village Draw in February - Mr. D. Kemp.

Winners of the Easter Draw - Mrs. K. Shaw, Mrs. S. Shaw, Mr. V. Shaw, Mrs. E. Brown.

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

Next meeting in the Village Hall on Tuesday April 2nd at 7.30 p.m. Talk on Gardens and Gardening. Competition - a tip for easier gardening. Do come and join us.

## VILLAGE HALL

Keep-Fit re-commences on Thursday evenings at 7.30 p.m.

Yoga. A further course of 10 weeks starting on April 10th at 10.00 a.m. Helps you face the family calmly'.

## ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL SERVICES.

### Readers

April 7	Sunday Easter 1	11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Mr. C. Hallam
14	" Easter 2	8 a.m. Holy Communion	
		10 a.m. Dragon Club	
		6.30 p.m. Evensong	Mr. R. Davies
			Ezekiel 34 1 - 16
			Nicky Oxby
			John 10 1 - 18
21	" Easter 3	11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Mrs. G. Herbert
28	" Easter 4	8 a.m. Holy Communion	
		11 a.m. Family Service	
May 5	" Easter 5: <u>Rogation Sunday</u>		
		11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Hannah Barnett



# HALAM NEWS



MAY 1991

I hope that you all received a news letter in April; please let me know if for any reason you didn't receive a copy. Do let me have any items of news you think should be included.

## CHILDREN'S SOCIETY.

Box collecting time is with us again; please could you leave boxes with Bill Catlow, Tony Denyer or at the Shop. Call Bill Catlow if you have a problem so that collection can be arranged.

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

A busy month with the Annual General Meeting and resolutions for the Triannual Meeting to be discussed. We are entering the Newark Show Competition so, fingers crossed. Many thanks to those members who have worked hard for our entry.

Our Birthday Party is on May 14th to celebrate 35 years of W.I. activity in Halam and District.

## PARISH COUNCIL.

1. The Annual Parish Meeting was held in the Village Hall on 15th April. Five members and the Clerk attended the meeting, together with five Parishioners.

The Chairman, Councillor E. Bust presented the Annual Report which included mention of the following:-

- a. Thirteen Parish Council meetings had been held during the year.
- b. The Village Hall had been completed and equipped.
- c. The income received to date from lettings of the Village Hall was encouraging.
- d. A village lottery had been started to supplement income.
- e. The Parish Council had commented on all the planning applications referred to them by Newark & Sherwood District Council.
- f. A Certificate of Merit had been presented to Mr. H. Kemp by the Chairman of Newark & Sherwood District Council in recognition of his work for the Parish.
- g. The Parish Councillors and Clerk were thanked for the time and dedication that had been devoted to Parish Council business.

The Clerk, Mr. P. Rickett presented a financial statement for the year which, after a long discussion, was approved.

2. Following the Annual Parish Meeting an Ordinary Meeting of the Parish Council was held.

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It was reported that eight nominations had been received for seven places on the Parish Council and that an election would be held on 2nd May. The District Council election would be held on the same day.

The decision by Newark and Sherwood District Council, supported by Labour & Conservative members, to abolish the special rates for Newark and Ollerton and recover the cost by increasing the Community Charge for the whole District by approx. £2.52 per head was discussed. In view of this preferential treatment given to Newark & Ollerton it was agreed to write to the Treasurer of Newark and Sherwood District Council requesting that similar assistance be given to Halam towards the financing of the Village Hall.

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL SERVICES.

Readers

5th MAY	Sunday	<u>Easter 5 Rogation</u>	
		11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Anna Davies
9th "	Thursday	<u>Ascension Day</u>	
		9.15 a.m. Holy Communion	
12th "	Sunday	<u>Sunday after Ascension</u>	
		8 a.m. Holy Communion	
		11 a.m. Matins	Gill Starkey Is. 65 17 - end Katie Meakin Luke 24 36 - end
19th "	Sunday	<u>Whitsunday</u>	
		11 a.m. Family Communion (The children will play a prominent part in the service)	
26th "	Sunday	8 a.m. Holy Communion ( <u>Trinity Sunday</u> )	
		11 a.m. Family Service	
2nd JUNE	Sunday	<u>Trinity 2</u>	
		11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Nicky Oxby

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Will those people tending graves and doing flowers please be kind enough to put the rubbish in the new green Wheelybin which is situated where the old shed used to be.

GRASS CUTTING Now that we longer have the services of the gardener it is hoped to form a rota of volunteers to keep the area of grass not enclosed cut during the summer months. If you would like to help please give your name to Linda Bass. We already have one volunteer.

ADVANCE NOTICE

Village Garden Party at Mrs. Ewin's on Saturday 22nd June. Further details later.

# HALAM NEWS



JUNE

1991

The pressing need this month is for more volunteers to help in the Churchyard. Various people have been seen hard at work and their efforts are greatly appreciated. If you could spare an hour or two the Church Council would be very grateful.

Dora Rylett would like to thank all those who gave so generously to the Spastics Society - a total of £84.19 was raised.

There are still a few Children's Society boxes to be gathered in - please hand them to Bill Catlow.

## WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

Do come and join us on Tuesday June 4th for a talk on the History of Lace. All visitors warmly welcomed.

An enjoyable evening was spent at the Waggon & Horses as we celebrated our 35th, Birthday.

## CRIME PREVENTION

Your liaison officer is Mr. Peter Godber, 814516, who will be pleased to help you. Unfortunately we had another break-in only two weeks ago and we must all try to remain aware of our own and our neighbour's property.

## PARISH COUNCIL.

The Annual General Meeting was held in the Village Hall on 17th May. Six members and the Clerk attended the meeting, together with two parishioners.

1. The result of the Parish Council election, held on 2nd May, was as follows, those indicated by an asterisk being elected:

\*R. Brown, \*E. Bust, \*S. Bust, \*A. Hallam, \*G. Herbert,  
\*D. Kemp, D. Layfield, \*H. Rickett.

2. E. Bust and R. Brown were re-elected as Chairman and Vice-Chairman.

3. A letter had been received from Newark & Sherwood District Council, indicating that the request for assistance to be given to Halam towards the financing of the Village Hall had been referred to the Budget and Estimate Sub-Committee.

4. A planning application by Severn Trent Water for an extension to the existing pumping station at Radley Road was considered and it was unanimously agreed to recommend approval.

5. A planning application by Mr. A. Fraser for a rear first floor extension and a new window to the front elevation at Bluebell Cottage, Back Lane, was considered and it was unanimously agreed to recommend approval.

6. Consequent to the Environmental Protection Act 1990 Newark & Sherwood District Council are intending to take over street cleaning and have divided Halam into two zones consisting of a central residential area, where litter and refuse will be regularly cleaned, and the remaining area which will be maintained to a lower standard.

The street cleaner employed by the Parish Council had recently resigned and it was agreed to find out more about the introduction of the District Council scheme and whether a grant was to be received this year before committing any further funds to street cleaning.

7. It was agreed to give non-financial support to Balderton Parish Council in their campaign to use the Balderton Hospital site for the building of a new general hospital.
8. It was agreed to write to Newark & Sherwood District Council and request the carrying out of a sewer survey with a view to identifying and alleviating the problem which adversely affects three village properties and causes the overflowing of sewage into the beck.

Next Parish Council meeting is provisionally fixed for Friday July 5th.

VILLAGE DRAW Winner for April - Mr. V. Shaw. Winner for May - Mr. W. Kemp.

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL SERVICES.

JUNE-JULY

			<u>Reader</u>
June 2	<u>Trinity 1</u>	11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Nicky Oxby
" 9	<u>Trinity 2</u>	8 a.m. Holy Communion	
		* 6.30 p.m. Evensong	Mr. R. Davies (Hosea 11 1 9A)
		* 10.00 a.m. Dragon Club	Mrs. G. Herbert (Acts 2 1 21)
" 16	<u>Trinity 3</u>	11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Mrs. M. Yates
" 23	<u>Trinity 4</u>	8 a.m. Holy Communion	
		11 a.m. Family Service	
" 30	<u>Trinity 5</u>	11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Mrs. G. Starkey
July 7	<u>Trinity 6</u>	11 a.m. Sung Eucharist	Mr. C. Hallam

ADVANCE NOTICE.

The W.I. are holding a garden party at Mary Glazebrook's on Saturday 13th July in aid of their charity appeal for this year - The British Epilepsy Association.

HALAM SCHOOL - AUCTION OF PROMISES A full report will appear next month.  
The magnificent sum of £2,340 was raised to increase the size of the playground.