

ROLLESTON CRIER

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Tip Update

You will be aware from the local press that the Tip decision has been delayed and it will remain open until the end of March. It may well stay open for another two years.

This may be a stay of execution but fingers crossed there may be a chance that it will stay open permanently.

NCC were taken by complete surprise by the number of letters and e-mails which were sent by concerned villagers. Not just Rolleston but also Southwell and Fiskerton.

Planning

The decision was taken to unanimously oppose the planning application for 4 dwellings by The Gables, at the December's Parish Council meeting. Councillors listened to the views from several concerned villagers before making their final decision. We now await the decision from NSDC.

Two Acres

Our two acres has been levelled and the excess will be cleared ready for seeding in the new season. Many thanks to Rob Squires for his time and effort. A gate has also been erected to ensure the safety of the field from uninvited guests. Thanks to Alec Jezewski for the donation of this gate. We would also like to thank Kirk Grant for all his help.

The use of this land has **not** yet been decided. No decision will be made on this without a village consultation. These things do take time, but one day we will have an amenity to be proud of.

Benches for Village Hall

Many of you may already be aware of the fantastic new outdoor benches at the Greenaway (Village Hall)

The Parish Council offer their many thanks to Councillors Sue Saddington and Roger Blaney who have very kindly donated one bench set. The Parish Council, at the next meeting in January, will be discussing the use of some of our funds to also donate a bench. We think it is important that our precept is put to a worthwhile cause, and something which can be enjoyed by all.

Forthcoming Events

There will be a **New Years Eve celebration** starting at 10pm and ending with bacon cobs. Look out for details coming soon.

Again there will be the ever-popular **Burns Supper Night** on Saturday 27 January. Details are in December's edition of the Four Ton Tatler and again posters will be put up round the village. Book your place for this very popular event before Christmas to save disappointment.

Village Christmas Tree

Yes Folks it's that time of year again. The Christmas tree has been erected and lit ready for the Round the Tree Carol singing on Friday 15 Dec. at 6.30pm. All welcome.

Many thanks to Councillor Sue Saddington for her donation to buy the tree lights, also to Pete Huffen for allowing us to plug into his house.

Your Parish Councillors would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year