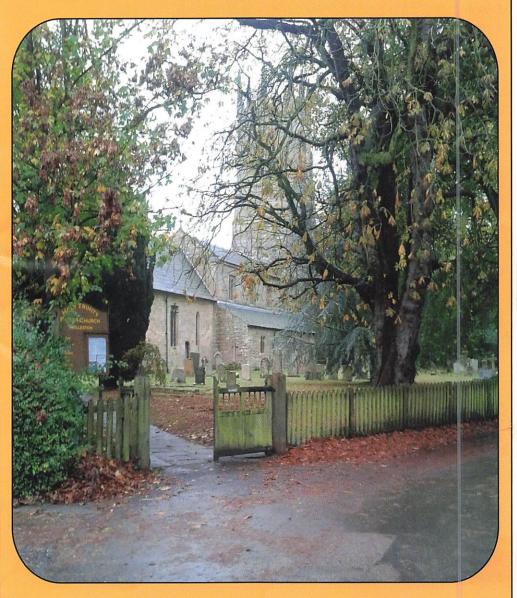
The Rolleston Junction



Indoor Bowls - Peter Salter - 819177
Every Tuesday evening at the Village Hall

Skittles - Pat Sawyer - 813771 Every Friday 8.30pm the Crown (not during winter)

Dominoes - John Smith & Peter Salter - 819197 Every Thursday evening at the Crown (not during summer)

Darts - Jayne Carby (ladies) - 07843 602458 - Nigel Carby (gents) - 07843 602376 Ladies Tuesday 8pm at the Crown (not during summer)

Gents Wednesday 8.30pm at the Crown (not during summer)

Coffee Morning - Amanda Beswick - 8131165 Every Wednesday 12pm at the Village Hall

Pilates - Cheryl Sheard - 07949 260032 Every Wednesday 7.15 - 8.15pm at the Village Hall £6 per class

Total Fitness - Jeni Overton - 816800 Monday and Wedneday 6-7pm, Saturday 10-11am Village Hall

Thursday Night Club - Clive Wisdom - 819000 Informal early evening gents get together at the Crown

Share Club - Ross Thackrey - 816133 Once a month on Sundays 7pm at the Crown

GORGS - Nick Pearson - 816382
Gentleman of Rolleston Golfing Society. Regular outings

BORGS - Rachel Bryan - 813064 Beauties of Rolleston Golfing Society. Regular outings

Book Club - Debbie Baldock - 819007 Every 4-6 weeks

Bell Ringers - Bryan Northcote - 812579 Every Wednesday 7.30pm alternating between Rolleston and Upton churches

Regular Events

Welcome to the first quarterly edition of the Rolleston Junction!

We live in a thriving village in a great location - a really good place to be. There are times though, when we struggle to hold on to that all important sense of communityjust doing things together!

For example, sometimes we all miss out because we don't know what's going on in the community - the clubs, activities and events. It's so easy

to miss things.

This quarterly magazine will keep you up to date with what is happening in the village over the next three months, give you a list of all the ongoing clubs and activities, who to contact and give you loads of information about what's going on. You will also find a list of useful telephone numbers.

Looking through the magazine, you'll see that lots of interesting things are planned for the run up to Christmas - something for everyone - things we can enjoy together.

So, enjoy this first issue. Please feel free to contribute - this magazine belongs to the village - to all of us. Above all, enjoy Rolleston!

Nick, Gill, Marg and Tony.

Start of Christmas Lunch Sunday 7th December

Its nearly that time of the year again. This is to let the Village know we are taking bookings for the SOC.

The usual venue - The Village Hall. Maximum number of available places 90. Time to meet for drinks in the Atrium at the Hall 1.00pm onwards for a 2.30 lunch.

The customary fayre will available - three courses, including a beef and turkey joint for



each table. Vegetarian option is available. Price £22 per head same as last year ! Payment by Monday 1st December.

Maximum size of table 8/9 persons. Why not take a table? Alternatively, we can add you to a table.

We hope you will be able to come and enjoy the Start of Christmas fun! It's a great day. To book please phone and if needs be leave a message.

Clive Wisdom 819000 or 07970299305 Alistair (Bongo) Adan 07909 530975

November

21st 7.30pm Rolleston Church

'The Geese Are Getting Fat'

25th -29th Robin Hood Theatre Averham

"Neighbourhood Watch by

AlanAyckbourn

December

7th 1pm drinks 2.30pm 'Start of Christmas' Lunch

12th 7.30pm at the Village Hall... Village Ventures - 'Victor and Albert Pull a

Couple of Crackers'

17th 12pm for 12.30 in the Village Hall - Pensioners'

Christmas Lunch

19th 6.15pm at the Village Green.

Carols around the Christmas Tree.

January

20th -24th
 29th-30th
 Robin Hood Theatre - "The Ladykillers" by Graham Linehan
 10am to 4pm Craft and Food Fair - Southwell Garden Centre

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Forthcoming Events

Village Ventures is the rural and community touring scheme for Nottinghamshire, featuring high quality professional dance, drama and music from national and international touring companies.

'Victor and Albert Pull a Couple of Crackers"

Victor and Albert are dysfunctional twins who live together in the Cathedral City of Insterminster in the fair county of Incestershire.

Join Professor Victor and Dr Albert for an evening of festive fun and see if you can help

them to pull a couple of Christmas Crackers. An evening of song, shenanigans, comedy, festive games and a communal carol or two guaranteed to fill you with Christmas spirit and send you home on a high note!

There is a bar for pre-entertainment drinks, a raffle and tea and biscuits at the interval.

Adults £10, concessions £8, children £5

12th December 7.30pm at Rolleston Village Hall Tickets available from Julian Richardson at 01636 816370 or email: julianrichardson@mac.com



The Robin Hood Theatre

We are lucky to have the Robin Hood Theatre right on our doorstep. Situated in Averham, it seats 150 and recently reopened after 7 years of closure. It has the reputation for producing professional and high standard entertainment. It is always looking for new members to act, help out backstage and front of house, or to assist with fundraising.



Forthcoming events.....

'Neighbourhood Watch' by Alan Ayckbourn (25th to 29th November 2014) 'The Ladykillers' by Graham Linehan (20th to 24th January 2015) 'Sense and Sensibility' (21st to 25th April 2015)

Jean Baliol-Key Tickets 07733 179986

We have a portable defibrillator in the village phone box.

If someone collapses, **dial 999** then fetch the defibrillator. It is simple to use, no training is required and it cannot harm anyone.

Village Defibrillator



Open the lid and it will talk to you and tell you what to do. If a shock is not appropriate, it will tell you to commence cardiac compressions.

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Remember - Call 999 first.

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... but you could save someone's life!!



Spicy Red Cabbage

CLAIRE'S KITCHEN

1lb red cabbage, finely shredded

1 onion, red or white, chopped,

2 tblsp light muscavado sugar,

2 tblsp orange or apple juice

2 tblsp orange or apple juice,

1oz butter,

salt and pepper to taste

1 tsp mixed spice

1 cooking apple, peeled and sliced

2 tblsp vinegar, any, but cider, wine or

blackberry especially nice

Heat butter in a large pan, add sugar, vinegar, juice and spice - mingle together. Add onion and apple. Stir well then add the cabbage and stir over a low heat, and simmer for about half an hour until tender. Season. The dish tastes even better with keeping, so make a big pot and reheat as much as you need each evening to spice up your dinner.



Parish Council News

Rolleston Parish Council is pleased to contribute to the first edition of Rolleston Junction.

The Parish Council is composed of a few volunteers who live in the village and give freely of their time to try to make Rolleston a good place to live.

In the recent past we have worked to improve flood defences on the Greet, establish and maintain the children's play areas and purchase the old red phone box and install a defibrillator.

We have also negotiated the establishment of the allotments; ensured the retention of the traffic lights on the A617; established parking spaces opposite the church and renovated the footpaths on Fiskerton and Staythorpe Roads.

Current projects in the pipeline are fibre broadband for Rolleston; improved footpath to the church and an extension to the graveyard.

We are also working on providing passing places on Station Road and limiting HGV traffic, and improving the drainage system through the village

We have established working relationships with many outside agencies including the Environment Agency, Police, Network Rail, the Power Station and the Racecourse, and work closely with our local councillors from Notts CC & Newark and Sherwood DC.

We are consulted on most issues that affect the village and are asked to comment on most planning applications in our Parish.

Unfortunately we do not have the final say in everything, in some areas our powers are limited, but we do try to make a difference.

Alec Jezewski (PC Chairperson)

Thank you ... to Ian Whitehead, Steve Johnson and Rob Squires for all their hard work during the flooding earlier this year. They worked tirelessly to help those in need and to provide protection for the village in the future. We are all incredibly grateful.



Steve Johnson (Parish Councillor and Flood Warden)



Great Achievements and Good News!!

Julie Stafford - Marathon a Month Challenge 2014

When Julie Stafford, local resident and teacher at the Minster, was wondering how to celebrate her birthday this year, instead of the usual party, she decided on a physical challenge.

You'll all have seen Julie running around the local area in various shades of Lycra and may know that she's run a marathon or two in the past – but how about running a Marathon every month during 2014? The challenge was on......

The first was a circular of Derby in the January snow and sleet, followed by the St. Valentine's Day Marathon in Stratford-Upon-Avon and the Belvoir Challenge in March. In April, she went international, and ran the Greek Thessaloniki marathon then back for local events in May and June. The Lyke Wake Race was in July - a 45 mile run across the North Yorkshire Moors in the baking sun. In August she took her challenge back to her homeland, running the Callanish Stones marathon on the Isle of Lewis in the Hebrides.

By the time you're reading this, she'll also have completed the Robin Hood Marathon and the Spires and Steeples Challenge which runs

between Lincoln and Sleaford.

Julie is regularly asked if she is running for a Charity, and as there appears to be willingness, in this fantastic community, to support her efforts, she's decided to raise what she can for Breast Cancer UK.

You can sponsor Julie at:

http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/ JulieStaffordMarathonaMonth

Thanks in advance for any donations, and I'm sure you'll all join me in wishing Julie every success in completing the challenge.

Andrew Stafford



Julie - after completing the Thessaloniki Marathon



Congratulations !!

.... to Rolleston's new grandparents ...

....Debbie and Dave Baldock, who welcomed Amelia to the world during the summer..... Tony and Michelle Hillary on the recent arrival of Hugo.... Ross and Gill Thackrey who have just celebrated the birth of Samuel.



Wedding Congratulations !!

.... to Polly Geraghty and Paul Whittaker .. and to Bob Marshall and Jo Gardner

Please let us know early next year if there is anything you would like to mention in the next edition celebration....? ...an amusing story....? A photo would be great too.

Community Car Scheme

This is run by Newark and Sherwood Volunteer Centre to assist people (over 60 or under 16) in attending hospital/clinic appointments. Initial booking is through your GP surgery. At least 48 hours notice is required and clients will be asked to make a contribution towards the journey.

For information: Contact Judy Byrom 01636 610773

or email: jbyrom@nandscvs.org

There is also a Door2door scheme for help getting to social activities. You would need to register and pay a registration fee.

For more details contact: Lucy Fountain on 01636 611220 or

email: door2door@nandscvs.org

website: www.nandscvs.org/Community-Car-Scheme/Transport-to-Health.cfm

Once again this year, there will be a Christmas card in the pub. In

previous years, many of us have signed the card and Village Christmas Card

made a donation to a chosen charity, in lieu of sending cards round the village. This year, the charity is again SAFFA, supporting our armed forces and their families. If you would like to sign the card, just ask at the bar and pop your donation in the collecting tin.



Seniors' Christmas Lunch

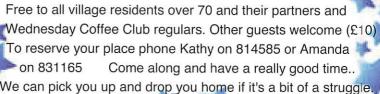


Wednesday 17th December 12.00 for 12.30pm

at Rolleston Village Hall

A welcome drink, followed by a delicious three course Christmas lunch,

Lucky Raffle, Music you love, a quiz .. and lots of fun!



Carols around the Christmas Tree

Penny and Ross would like to invite everyone to join them again this year for our annual carol singing around the Christmas tree.

So, on Friday 19th December, Ross will have decorated the tree with lights and Penny will provide the carol sheets. You just need to bring your torch!

Singing will start at 6.30 and then at 7pm Tony and Michelle Hillary have kindly invited us all back to the Manor for Michelle's legendary mulled wine and delicious mince pies! Hope to see you all at 6.15pm on Friday 19th around the tree (behind the phone box).

Golfing Success !!



We are able to report a great golfing victory for the ladies in the recent village match men v ladies at Southwell Golf Club! The ladies' captain, Rachel Bryan, commented - 'superior skill and tenacity were the keys to success in winning four and a half games to a half'.

Bongo Adan, the men's captain, was not available for comment!

Having installed a toilet and associated facilities in the church, we have now installed heating in the chancel. This will enable us to keep the church warmer in winter, and also hold some

Church News



The search for a new vicar is now well in hand, and both job and person specifications have been drawn up. We hope to have a new vicar installed before Easter next year. Meanwhile, we are having a number of visiting clergy taking services.

The historic church pewter will be one of the permanent exhibits in the new Civil War Museum to be opened in Newark next spring.

For more details about the pewter, our historic church, village history as well as current events, visit www.rolleston church.org.uk

less well attended services in the chancel, providing a more intimate atmosphere.

Amanda, Beryl and Pati invite you to the ... Rolleston weekly coffee morning and lunch club,every Wednesday in The Greenaway.



Ist Wednesday in the month: Noon. A two course lunch is available at at a cost of £2.50, plus £1 to include a raffle ticket if desired. (small prize donations welcome)

2nd Wednesday: 10.30am. Coffee/Tea served with cakes or biccies.. (Free)

3rd Wedneday: 10.30am Coffee/ Tea and cake etc (Free) Bacon cobs (£1)

4th and 5th Wednesdays: 10.30am. Coffee/Tea/Cakes (Free)

Gluten and caffeine free available. All welcome. Contact: Amanda on 831165

Our Local - The Crown

Kim and I took over the Crown in 2009, and have worked hard to extend a warm welcome to

everyone. We think of the Crown, along with the Church and Village Hall, as the heart of village life. Did you know that..... we have men's and ladies' darts teams, a dominoes team and an outdoor skittles team...?.. we have an annual visit to York for the Xmas market on Thursday 27th Nov....? (still a few places left)... we are again putting on a Start of Christmas lunch on Sun 7th December...?

For 2015, there will be a Burns Night, a Valentines Night Dinner, as well as our annual

January Ski Holiday. (Please ask for details).

We are open on Christmas Day 12-2pm for drinks with the locals, before serving Christmas lunch from 3pm (bookings only). We are also open on New Year's Eve.

Sunday lunches are served 12-5pm, and between 2 and 4pm, several villagers regularly have a get together.

We have 5 en-suite bedrooms available should you not be able to find room for your guests, and we provide catering and bar facilities for the Village Hall - another great village asset for perfect parties, weddings and gettogethers!



Liam and Clive

We really enjoy supporting the Village and appreciate the support we receive in return. We look forward to seeing you in the future. Clive and Kim Wisdom

Dominoes...

The Dominoes Club meets every Thursday evening in The Crown and is in the Southwell & District Dominoes League. There are twelve teams in the league - spread out over the

district - mostly in the Southwell and Farnsfield area, with teams from the 'Copper Beech' at Bilsthorpe and the 'Beehive' at Maplebeck.

Anybody who would like to join is more than welcome as we are always looking for new members. Please contact: Peter Salter 819197



.. and Indoor Bowls

Rolleston Indoor Bowls Club was formally inaugurated as a club in 2005, although a group had been playing in the old village hall for several years before that.

We play every Tuesday Night throughout the year, and the cost per membershipisi £50 per year - payable in two installments.

We are currently able to take a few more members, and anyone considering joining us can have a trial run for 4 weeks, paying just £2 a week.

No previous experience is necessary, and no equipment needed other than a pair of flat shoes.

If you are interested, please ring Peter Salter on 01636 819177. We are a friendly club and you will be made very welcome.

Rolleston Allotment Association
- Rolleston's Outside Gym!

This summer the Rolleston Allotment Association was established and we have been busy looking at how we can make the best use of the land which is a field beside the railway line and well away from houses so we

hope not to cause a nuisance! A bore hole has been dug to provide water and we need a pump and storage tank to enable water to reach each plot.

We have met up with a representative of the National Allotment Association who provided advice on setting up an allotment association. We were advised that we needed to spend at least 5-6 hours a week on an allotment to keep up with the work and that we are not allowed to make a financial profit. We will be joining the National Allotments Association in the next few weeks and will be joining in with International Allotment week in May 2015.

We have discussed what can be put on a plot - such as sheds, greenhouses with

polycarbonate (not glass), if animals are acceptable and how we can discourage rabbits, foxes, minx and other pests from eating our produce. Network Rail has been approached for rabbit netting around the site.

Last weekend, we set out the size of each plot . We have full plots, half plots and quarter plots for beginners. We have applied weed killer to the long established weeds



before we start hand digging in the next few weeks. There are a couple of plots still available if anyone would like to apply.

We would also like to say thank you to lan Whitehead for all the additional work he has done at the allotments.

Please apply to: Bob Marshall - info@robertmarshall-landscaping.co.uk

Steve Dickman - steve@bramleylodge.net

Rachel Lund - r.lund559@btinternet.com

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ROLLESTON'S IMPROVED RAIL SERVICE – USE IT OR LOSE IT!!

The news of an improved rail service between Newark and Nottingham from May 2015 is tremendous. This is something that I have campaigned for and worked on since 2010 and which the District Council is supporting financially. But what does it mean for Rolleston? Firstly, four trains instead of the current two arriving in Nottingham before 9.00am. Perfect for commuters.

Secondly, a two-hourly daytime service to both Newark and Nottingham - currently there's a three hour gap in both morning and afternoon.

And, thirdly, a direct service to Derby for easier connections to Birmingham.

That's good news. But it is a case of "Use it or Lose it". Last year just 2314 passengers used Rolleston station - barely one per train. So, why not leave

the car at home and "let the train take the strain"!!



Roger Blaney District Councillor,

'The Geese Are Getting Fat'

An evening of music and words at Rolleston Church 21st Nov 7.30pm £7.50 (including refreshments)

Contact Pati Colman 813260 or Elizabeth Blakey 812476



Sue Saddington

County Councillor for Farndon and Muskham

It is always a pleasure to attend Rolleston Parish Council as I am always made to feel most welcome.

A recent problem has arisen since the Southwell wide Environmental Weight restriction was granted, as this has revoked the previous weight restriction within Rolleston village. It is now legal for vehicles over 7.5 tons to access the racecourse from the Rolleston direction.

We have all been familiar with the Local Improvement Scheme and the improvements which the villages have been able to enjoy. The current Administration have renamed the scheme and have cut the budget from £3million to £500,000.

This now makes it difficult as the money is awarded to villages in deprivation, Unfortunately, none of my villages were given funding last year.

The Parish Council will be putting forward another bid this year, which I shall support, for footpath improvements on Station Road. I hope the Broadband connection will soon take place but I understand the delay is due to blockages in the ducting under the railway.

As winter approaches and we are now experiencing some heavy rain, it is a good opportunity for residents to test the bund. Well done to all those residents who have helped to make Rolleston water tight!

Finally, I wish you all in advance, a Happy Christmas and look forward to working with the Parish Council over the coming months.

Rolleston Junction - What's in a name ...?

Junction

(noun) - joining or coming together; a meeting point; a connection

The railway branch from Southwell to Rolleston was opened on 1st July 1847 to serve the existina main line between Nottingham and Lincoln. At the beginning, there



was no actual station at Rolleston and a new station was built in 1872 when the name 'Rolleston Junction' came into existence (previously having been called 'Southwell Junction'). It is not clear what the arrangements were for changing trains before the new station was built.

The new line had a somewhat chequered history, with various closures, part closures and re-openings throughout its existence.

The train used for the service was a smaller one than those travelling the main line. It was affectionately known as 'the Paddy'. From about 1931 it operated as a 'pull and push' train, pulling its two coaches (later one) from Southwell to Rolleston and pushing them back. For some services, it also went through to Newark. The branch line also carried special services on race days from the Mansfield area, and also some coal trains from that area to the new Staythorpe Power Station.

The station had four platforms, with the main set of buildings (compromising ticket and general office, booking hall/waiting room, ladies' waiting room, staff room and toilets) in the middle. The other two platforms just had waiting rooms.

There was also a very grand signal box, bicycle shed and sidings on each side of the main line. The sidings on the racecourse side had a horse dock, and horses were brought by rail to run at the races.

The junction finally closed in 1959.

(Thanks to Frank Mitchell for this fascinating glimpse into our past).

Village Hall News

Rolleston Village Hall is owned by the community and is operated by a management committee made up of villagers including representatives from the Parish and Parochial

councils. The hall is the focus of village events with the children's play area and '2 acre site' beside the hall. It is already widely used for a variety of social activities.

The hall is available for hire to individuals, groups and companies. It has a full-sized conference

hall, stage, sound and lighting systems and a smaller meeting room.

Throughout the year, Rolleston Village Hall also regularly hosts productions from visiting performers from 'Village Ventures' which are promoted by Nottinghamshire County Council and the Arts Council. The next production is on Friday 12th December at 7.30 p.m. with a hilarious performance of "Victor & Albert Pull A Couple of Crackers" - a comedy musical. The new Village Hall was built in 2005,



so that next year we will be celebrating its 10th Anniversary. If you would like to book this great venue, please contact Clive Wisdom 819000 website: rollestonhall.org.uk

Following the recent Village Hall management committee meeting, it was unanimously agreed to name the Rolleston Village Hall conference room 'The Alice Chadwick Room' in memory of a very redoubtable lady and villager who died recently. Alice contributed so much to the village and was a passionate advocate of the Village Hall. She will be greatly missed.



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Arne Colman - Village Handyman - 813260

Meadowfield Camping and Caravans - 07710 267969 or 07812 353622

Racecourse Farm B&B - 812176

The Crown - Bed and Breakfast - 819000

Brambles - stabling, grazing, schooling - 816800

Steve Bosworth - Joiner & Building Contractor - 815542 or 07976 894449

Robert Marshall Landscapes Services - 812647

Fiskerton Post Office and Village Shop - local veg from Field Farm, - 830230

Rolleston Kitchen - Home made cakes, desserts, biscuits, treats - 07814 546267

Local Police Neighbourhood Policing Inspector of Nottinghamshire Police Andy Gan 101 ext. 805 7062

Come and meet your team - tell us about any issue that may be affecting you or your community.

Wednesday 26th Nov 5-6pm Lowdham Village Hall Thursday 11th Dec 4-5pm Lowdham Village Hall Emergency 999 Non emergency 111 The Good Life

A warm autumn welcome to you all. Another year has flown by and as the dark nights approach, we often forget about our gardens. Autumn however can be an important time; lawns to feed, trees to be pruned, garlic to plant, seeds to order. It is also a time for planning and trying

new things, what bedding to sow, what vegetables will we grow, what cut flowers to have in the greenhouse.

Every garden is unique and fulfils different needs for different people but don't forget to make it fun. It really doesn't matter if your onions are a quarter the size they should be, your tomatoes all split, or that the 'dwarf' shrub you bought grows to 10ft high. Most of us are never going to have a perfect garden so don't try to create one. Just do what

you enjoy most and develop your garden around what you like. Talking about enjoying things, have you had time to pop up to The Flower Pod at Southwell - based at Brackenhurst College? If not, then do so at www.flowerpodsouthwell.co.uk It's an amazing place and in many respects is what gardening and growing things is all about. And why not go and see how the village allotments are



progressing? It's going to be great watching them develop, and I am pretty sure it will definitely be fun and competitive!

In the next issue I will endeavour to answer your questions about specifics, so if you have a problem or question please e-mail our editors at rollestonjunction@gmail.com Enjoy your autumn and winter!

Ivor Mole

The Book Club

Rolleston Book Club was formed to fill a gap after the completion of The Parish Map, which over the five years of it's production had provided a stimulating and

creative focus for various villagers.

We currently have around a dozen members who meet once every 4-6 weeks in each other's homes - sometimes in the day but often during the evening after reading a chosen book. We have read everything from the classic, to the contemporary with every genre in between, but there is no pressure if other commitments arise as lots of other issues are discussed, plus we often watch relevant dvds and have regular visits to The Crown for a meal! We are a friendly and informal group and attendance varies hugely each time, so please join us if you enjoy reading or just want a chat - we always have wine and snacks!!

Contact Debbie Baldock 819007.

Useful Contacts

Flood Warden - Steve Johnson	819181
Allotments - Bob Marshall	812647
Crown Inn - Clive Wisdom	819000
PC Chair - Alex Jeweski	814585
Village Hall Chair - Julian Richardson	816370
Village Hall Bookings - Clive Wisdom	819000
Church Wardens - Bryan Northcote	812579
and Peter Salter	819197
Roger Blaney - District Councillor	830743
Sue Saddington - County Councillor	704550
Robert Jenrick - M.P.	703269
Southwell Medical Centre	813561
Minster Vets	812133
Southwell Racecourse	814481
Community Car Scheme	611220
Robin Hood Theatre - Box Office	07733 179986

Thank you

- ... to everyone who has helped us to produce the Rolleston Junction.
- ... to Staythorpe Power Station and all the local businesses and individuals who have helped to provide generous financial support.
- ... to everyone who has submitted articles, photos and information.
- \dots for all the encouraging words, helpful suggestions and support.
- ... from Jo and Bob Marshall .. to everyone whose hard work ensures that our church, important to us all, looks (and sounds thanks to the bellringers) its very best all year round.

PHOTO COMPETITION !!

Would you like to see your photo on the front page of the next edition? There is a prize of a meal for two at the Crown for the winning entry.

Your photograph might be a view, a building, an event or a person - whatever Rolleston means to you.

You can email us your entry at rollestonjunction@gmail.com or, if you need us to collect a photo from you in person, just give us a call. Entries to be in by 16th January 2015.



Lotto Winners

Congratulations to Bob Marshall, Shane & Andy Pearson, Mike Taylor, Alison Holloway, Jane Geraghty, Di Beeley and Clive Wisdom.

If you would like to join in with the Village Hall Lottery, please contact Nick Pearson 816382 or Julian Richardson 816370 £2 a week with a chance to win £50 in the weekly draw!

We hope you have enjoyed the first edition of the Rolleston Junction, your village newsletter. If you would like to send us your news, a letter, congratulate someone or perhaps just say a 'thank you', we'd be pleased to include it in the next edition. Why not add a photo?

Please email us at **rollestonjunction@gmail.com** with your article by **16th January 2015** for inclusion in the Spring publication.

If you prefer to put pen to paper, please drop it through the door of either The Mill House, or Cray Croft in Holly Court, or call Gill Rowles on 01636 812936 or Marg Finch on 01636 816279 and we can collect it.

For advertising and sponsorship, contact Nick Pearson on 01636 816382.

If there are any errors or omissions, please let us know.

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